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Local  
News

## Trustee Election To Be Held

Stratford ISD Trustee Election May 1, 1993. Apply for position on ballot beginning Monday, February 15, 1993, through Wednesday, March 17, 1993.

## Tax Office Announces New Hours

Beginning March 1, 1993 the Sherman County Tax Office will be open through the noon hours on Tuesdays and Fridays for customer convenience. If these hours do not fit your schedule, and you need to come at noon on another day, give us a call and we will make arrangements to be here. The Tax office is located on the first floor of the courthouse.

## City Election Sign Up Dates

Sign up dates are February 15th thru March 17th for the City of Stratford Election. Positions open are 1 year term for Mayor and 3-2 year terms for councilman.

## Lauback Literacy Tutor Training To Be Held

Lauback Literacy Tutor Training Meeting, plus ESL March 5th from 6 to 10 and Saturday March 6 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## Health Fair March 30th

The Sherman County Health fair is coming to Stratford on Tuesday, March 30th. Mark your calendars today for this health treat and be reading the STAR for details of the day.

## Business Seminars To Be Given

The Sherman County Development Committee, Inc. will be sponsoring a series of Business Seminars in 1993. The first seminar will be held on Tuesday evening, March 16th. The seminar is titled "What Image of Me Do You See?" presented by Rhonda Shelton of Parsons and Associates. Limited seating is available. Mark the date and look for more details to follow.

## SISD To Hold An Election

Stratford Independent School District will hold an election on Saturday, May 1, 1993 for the purpose of filling two positions to

the SISD Board of Trustees. The elected Trustees will serve a three year term.

Sign-up for the upcoming elections is taking place in the office of Sam Brite, Superintendent of Schools. Deadline for sign-up is March 17, 1993.

The two positions to be filled are those of Steve Dettle and Ken Wight. Hold-over members to the board are Jack Rhoades, Rick Reinart, Jerry Dyess, Kenton Kimball and Rusty Craig.

At this printing, no candidates have filed for position.

## Bingo At Scot Hall

Bingo at Scot Hall Thursday, March 4, 1993 at 7 p.m.

## Order Your Trees Now

Order your trees now from the Sherman County Soil and Water Conservation District located at the Soil Conservation Service at 418 N. 4th. The deadline to order trees is March 10, 1993. Come and see our selection. Our phone number is 806-396-5517.



## American Food Fight Month

Judge W.C. Fesler is shown above signing a proclamation proclaiming March as Great American Food Fight month. Also in the picture is Don Riffe, President of our local Unit of American Cancer Society, Mayor Wanda Riffe and Susie Spurlock, who is busy getting things organized for the Health Fair that will be March 30th.

## XIT Telephone Schedules 42nd Annual Membership Meeting

The XIT Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc. has scheduled its 42nd Annual Membership Meeting for Wednesday, March 10th.

The meeting will be held at the Rita Blanca Lake Coliseum. Member and guest registration will begin at 11:00 a.m. and will be followed at noon with a luncheon catered by Bill Raney's crew from K-Bob's Steak House.

Patronage Capital Credit checks will be handed out to members as they register. Any member who had service during 1984 and 1985 will be receiving a capital credit check. The percentages refunded will be the remaining 43% percent balance of 1984's allocation and 27% of 1985's allocation. Those checks not picked up at the meeting will be mailed promptly after the meeting.

XIT is setting up some informational booths that members won't want to miss. In its My Print Pal booth, XIT will provide a finger printing kit FREE to anyone visiting this booth. This kit provides an ink strip-a finger print section and an information section entitled "All About Me".

The Dalhart Police Department will have representatives on hand to provide information about Missing Children and how to prevent your child from becoming one of them. Each and every year thousands of children are abducted. Traditionally, we have warned our children to beware of "strangers". But, that warning alone is not enough. With the knowledge that our children are at significant risk in our society today, we must become informed about the issue of child abduction. Then we must teach our children. The concerns faced by a child living day to day; peer pressure, self esteem, the demands of school, and the seeking of parental and societal approval are all-consuming. One of our responsibilities as adults is to sort through some of the clutter, defining for our children, the best we can, where real danger lies. The tragedy of missing children affects all of us. It can happen to us! Don't miss this excellent opportunity to become better informed!

Another booth that will be provided is one with 911 information. Mr. Daniel Odneal from the Panhandle Regional



Hospital

Juanice Harbour-Amarillo, Ted Reynolds is in Dumas and Sonny Judd is in Amarillo.

Planning Commission in Amarillo, Texas, will be coming to bring the latest available 911 information. Anyone that has not filled out a form with their rural physical address information may do so at this booth.

XIT had such an excellent response to its FREE Blood Pressure clinic at last year's Annual Meeting that this service will be provided at this year's meeting. City Drug Home Health Agency will have representatives in this booth that will perform this service.

XIT Cellular will also have a booth set up with cellular equipment and information available. Some of the literature that will be made available is from the Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association (CTIA) entitled Safe Cellular Phones. This literature is in response to the controversy over whether or not the use of handheld cellular phones causes cancer.

The business session will begin at 12:45 p.m. with the introduction of guests. The business meeting will conclude with the election of directors and the drawing of door prizes.

This year there are approximately \$2700 worth of door prizes to be given to attending members. There will be four grand prizes awarded: 1-\$300 Cash Prize and 3-\$100 Cash Prizes. There will also be a kids drawing. This is for members' children or grandchildren who are 12 years or younger. Members are reminded that they must be present to win.

The annual meeting is held in March of each year. The purpose of the meeting is to elect directors for each district-to present for approval the reports for the previous fiscal year and to transact such other business that might come before the meeting.

According to the bylaws, a written notice will be mailed from the business office not less than ten nor more than twenty days

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## Private Chemical Applicators License Training

A training for those seeking a Private Applicators License will be held March 9, 1993 beginning at 9:00 a.m., in the meeting room of the Sherman County Extension Office. This training is to prepare applicants for testing to be done by the Texas Department of Agricultural in Amarillo. The training will last approximately three hours. If you are interested in this training, please call the Extension Office at 396-2081.

## Market Days Has New Name

Stratford's Market Days has been reorganized, restructured, and renamed Tip Top of Texas Arts and Crafts Festival. The new board of directors are five local exhibitors who desire to see it continue. Stephanie Helton is the Host Director, Barbara Schoonover is Treasurer, other board members are Anita DeBord, Cecilia DeBord, and Betty McMillion.

This group would like to promote the talent of our community and surrounding area. There has been a lot of positive response which is appreciated.

A new activity has been added-a Make It and Take It booth for the kids.

This will be a non-profit endeavor for the board of directors sponsoring the Tip Top of Texas Arts and Crafts Festival. All proceeds will be used to promote and operate the show. Anything left over will be donated to organizations in our community. All proceeds of the booths will belong to each individual exhibitor.

The concession Stand will be open or organizations who wish to raise funds for their causes. If your organization is interested in sponsoring the concession Stand, contact Stephanie Helton at 948-4508. All entries will be handled on a "First Come, first serve" basis.

## CASA 69, Inc. Plan "Kids for Kids Day"

CASA 69, Inc. board members, staff and volunteers are hard at work planning Kids for Kids '93. The annual Kids for Kids event will be held on Saturday, April 24, at Lake Rita Blanca Park from 11:00-6:00.

CASA 69 (69th Judicial District Court Appointed Special Advocates) represents four counties: Dallam, Hartley, Moore and Sherman. Each year, Kids for Kids is held in one of the four counties. This year, it will be held in Dalhart.

Kids for Kids is a special day for families to have fun with their children while raising money for CASA 69, Inc. Money raised at Kids for Kids will be used to serve abused and neglected children of the 69th Judicial District.

Several activities will be planned for the day. To start off, Dallam and Hartley County students third through fifth grade will participate in the Walk-N-Roll event. Students will gather pledges to walk or roll (by self-propelled wheels) over a designated 5 mile

## Forthman Announces

I would like to announce that I will be campaigning for the office of Mayor. I'm asking your consideration in voting for me. I can tell you that I have no experience in politics or public office. I am interested in seeing Stratford survive and grow.

Right now we have an excellent school system with the best teachers and faculty of anywhere. We have a very active Chamber of Commerce and a well published newspaper. Along with the newly developed office of Community Development, we have a very reliable person to run it.

We also have our Clinic and Rest home with a very good doctor and staff at the rest home. We have our EMT Association and Ambulance Service with very educated and dedicated personnel. Adding to this is the established businesses that have been here for many years and the restaurants, motels, churches, grocery stores, bank and Savings and Loan.

If you're interested in supporting and promotion all the above AND any new businesses or companies moving in to our town vote for me and I will try to help you do this.

Regards,  
Ken Forthman

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Rhonda Shelton

## Business Seminar To Be Held March 16th

Who is the most important person in your company today? The owner, the chairman of the board, the executive vice-president? No, it's your CUSTOMER.

And who is out there working with him everyday? Your owner, your chairman of the board, or your executive vice-president? No, it's your receptionist, the salesman who's been on the job two weeks, or perhaps even the person stocking the shelves.

How does your customer perceive your company as a result of direct personal contact with your employees? Are they projecting the right image? Are they willing to see that the customer gets the very best treatment no matter who gets the credit? Will your customer choose to remain loyal to your company?

These aren't the things that truly determine a company's bottom line. It's vital to reach annual sales quota's and to increase your company's production, but neither of these will happen if you have a dwindling customer base or a dissatisfied clientele.

WHAT IMAGE OF ME DO OTHERS SEE? is the focus of the business Seminar sponsored by the Sherman County Development Committee, Inc. This seminar will be presented by Rhonda Shelton, of Parsons & Associates. Rhonda is a partner with Parsons & Associates, an advertising, marketing and motivational management firm out of Oklahoma City, Ok.

Rhonda Shelton joined Parsons & Associates in August of 1992 to pursue her dream of leading seminars in order to effect change in the lives of others. Most recently she was General Sales Manager for Oklahoma New Network, which owns broadcast properties all across the United States. Under her five-year leadership, the ONN billed over five million dollars, and earned Rhonda one of the honors of top sales manager of the year. She is immediate past president of the Oklahoma City Chapter of American Women in Radio and Television and has received several other honors as an outstanding salesperson. Rhonda has traveled throughout Europe including the former Soviet Union. She has been the keynote speaker for statewide conferences, patriotic events plus church and educational organizations, and she has done numerous sales and motivational seminars throughout the Southwest.

The seminar "WHAT IMAGE OF ME DO OTHERS SEE?" comes to Stratford highly recommended by several companies in a five state area. The seminar will be on Tuesday, March 16th, at St. Joseph's Parish Hall. A buffet supper will be served at 6:30 p.m. and the seminar will begin at 7:00. The seminar is open to all interested parties, however limited seating is available. Please RSVP by March 12th to 396-2897. The cost will be \$3.00 per person for SCDC members and \$5.00 per person for non-members.

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## Farm Day Filter Sale

Keener Automotive and Machine had their Farm Day Filter Sale Day last Thursday Feb. 25 and served hot dogs to lots of folks.

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**Dear Readers**

Marty Robertson  
Editor

First off I want to draw everybody's attention to page 8. There is a Housing Survey on that page that Lorie Vincent of Community Development Committee would like everyone to please fill out and return to P.O. Box 652, Stratford, Texas 79084. This survey will evaluate the need of this type of housing in Stratford. Please take a minute and fill it out and mail it or take to Lorie at her office in the Courthouse.

I also want to take a minute and thank Valerie McAllister for helping us identify all the kiddos in the basketball pictures on page 6, and Debbi Vandiver for letting us borrow the pictures that she took so we could share them with all of our readers. Thanks girls.

Hopefully we are on the downhill side of Winter for 1992 and 1993. We personally are ready for Spring, even tho' I have heard reports that it may be somewhat turbulent. Maybe we can ask Dave Oliver of KFDA TV Weather Department who will be up here next Wednesday at the Mary Allen Elementary School.

We hope that everyone who has been sick lately is on the mend, and if you have been in the hospital, that you are either home or soon will be.

Finally a Joke for all you Golfers out there: I stole this out of Readers Digest-thought it was funny!

Marooned on a South Seas island, a man with a beard down to his knees is walking on the beach. Suddenly a beautiful woman emerges from the surf.

"Been here long?" she asks.

"Since 1981," he replies.

"How long has it been since you've had a cigarette?"

"Eleven years".

She unzips a pocket in the sleeve of her wet suit, pulls out a pack of Camels, lights one and hands it to him. He inhales greedily. "How long since you've had a drink of whiskey?"

"Eleven Years"

She unzips the other sleeve and offers him a flask. He takes a long pull and looks at her adoringly.

"How long," she asks coyly, "since you played around?"

"Eleven years," he says wistfully.

She starts to unzip the front of her wet suit. "Gosh, he says, "You got a set of golf clubs in there?" Ned Parker, quoted by Alex Thien in Milwaukee Sentinel.



**Letters To The Editor**

**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR POLICY FOR PUBLICATION:** All letters will be accepted, provided they are not anonymous and a bonafide address is given. We will not print letters in the Star anonymous anymore or name on file. Name will appear in paper. We will not print statements that are obscene or libelous per se. This paper assumes no responsibility for content and all views are strictly the views of the writer. Copies of letters which have been submitted to other newspapers will receive a low priority for publication. The newspapers reserves the right to edit letters with respect to length or potentially libelous material.

Dear Readers,

Glen Maxey of Austin, the only openly homosexual member of the State Legislature, has filed HB 615. If passed, this bill would legalize marriage between 2 men or 2 women.

Maxey is upset that, not being married to each other, he cannot include his live-in lover on his health insurance, nor can he take care or other details that a heterosexual spouse normally can.

Maxey says that most spousal rights can be obtained through a variety of papers that require thousands of dollars in legal fees. He prefers to be able to spend only \$35 for a marriage licence.

God states that homosexual behavior is sinful. He certainly would not approve of same gender marriage. Sinful behavior must not be condoned, encouraged, or protected by the government, or any individual.

Lesbian and homosexual groups will pressure lawmakers to pass the bill. It is vital that you state your opposition to the bill. don't let Texas become the first state to legalize same gender marriage. Write or call one or all of the following men, stating that you oppose HB 615.

Senator Teel Bivins  
P.O. Box 12068  
Austin, TX 78711  
512-463-0131

Rep. Warren Chisum  
P.O. Box 2910  
Capitol Station  
Austin, TX 78769  
800-692-1389

Rep. David Swinford  
P.O. Box 2910  
Capitol Station  
Austin, TX 78769  
800-446-2991

Rep. John Smithsee  
P.O. Box 2910  
Capitol Station  
Austin, TX 78769  
512-463-0702

Chloe Morgan



**Chamber Chatter**

by J. A. Lasley

I have just recently been cornered and ask just what was the Chamber of Commerce doing? Now you can wonder just what the implication was in that question, but I took it as to whether we were accomplishing anything toward the quality of life, the support of our local businesses and industry, trying to create and retain jobs and monitoring Key legislative concerns. Believe me folks with the newly recreated SCDC and Lorie Vincents expertise we are on the roll. Possibly my inquirer lacks what most of us have little of and that is "Patience" Me To.

We have new folks inquiring about housing in our community. One family, the father of which is moving into the Gillis apartments, but will be looking for at least a three bedroom home to move his family in this summer. Can you help us out on this? We have a

family moving here from Nebraska. They will be living on a farm, but are excited about living in Stratford-our school they feel is going to be great for their three children, two of which will enroll this week in the Mary Allen, everyday I get calls about this community and the need for housing.

Yesterday, at the Scot Monthly luncheon, surveys were passed around and there will be one appearing in the paper. The survey was for folks to answer direct questions regarding a retirement village, O'maybe you are not interested right now, but you have family that would love to move in this area who would be interested. Housing is one thing that is one concern for the Chamber and for the SCDC. Give it some thought, fill out the questionnaire and mail or return it to Lorie. If you cannot find her at her office you can drop it by the Chamber and I will see that Lorie gets it.

The Market/Craft Days is breathing in new and very fresh air. It has a name change which will be the Tip Top of Texas Art

and Crafts festival. This is being headed up now by Stephanie Helton, a new director on the Women's Division of the Chamber and Barbara Schoonover with the help of Betty McMillion, Anita and Cecelia DeBord, their first show will be the first Saturday in April, the 3rd.

Have you been to Ellices" lately- What is going on there is a directly Chamber involved. There is a need for clothing for children and for adults. Soon Martha will be getting her own survey out regarding men's wear. She sees a need and certainly all of Stratford should Between she and the Elk they are certainly filling a need left void by the closing of C's Male Box and The Girls Next Door. Martha is to be commended for making things happen in Stratford.

The newly reorganized business affairs group are working hard to acquaint the surrounding area on what Stratford Businesses have to offer. They have had two very successful meetings and will be meeting monthly from now on. Another Chamber commitment.

There are other "Things" stirring. Watch for news or more



**Births**

Nathan and Zachary White announce the arrival of a new baby sister Natalie Darlene arriving February 22 at 5:46 weighing 9 lbs. 9 oz and 20 inches long at High Plains Baptist Hospital Amarillo, Texas.

Proud parents are David and Jan White. Grandparents are Glenn and Carolyn White, Lynn Spere and Lewis Spere. Great grandparents Howard and Faye White, Lula Caldwell and Joe Rhoads, Alene Reed. Great Great grandmother, Alpha Rhoads, Great great granddaddy, Clyde Sparks.

to nappen in this community. Yes, the Chamber, along with the SDCC is doing something everyday, believe me.

I am excited. I hope that you are too! With everybody working and being enthusiastic we can make this community grow-and with pride!

**Silent Auction Held By Delta Kappa Gamma**

A silent auction was held by the Gamma Xi Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma sorority at their February meeting in Sunray. The proceeds from the auction will provide scholarships for graduating seniors and for Delta Kappa Gamma members who are attending college to further their education.

During the auction refreshments were served by the Sunray members. The business meeting was called to order by president Ann Hormel. Mary Weatherford read the secretary's report which was approved by the sorority. Roll call was also done by Weatherford. The collect was led by Eula Vick, with Mildred Bosler as pianist and Frances Holden directing the singing. There was a discussion on meeting time and



**Your Right To Know**

By Sandy Baskin

Next Week on Wednesday, March 10, Dave Oliver from the KFDA Weather Department will be presenting a Severe Weather Program to the students of Mary Allen Elementary. It should be an interesting program and I know the students will enjoy it.

Just a reminder about the operations level Hazmat course being offered free in Amarillo on either March 11 and 12 or March 13 and 14th. Some of the topics that will be covered are Department of Transportation (DOT) Incident Command System (ICS), Response Chemistry, Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), Toxicology, Contingency Planning, and Spill Control & Containment. If you would like more information about the two day course or would like to attend please call the Emergency Management office at 396-2021 by Friday, March 5. Remember, reservations are required for this course.

**AUCTION**

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XIT RURAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.



**42nd Annual Membership Meeting**  
Wednesday, March 10, 1993

Dalhart, Texas  
at  
Rita Blanca Lake Coliseum

Member & Invited Guest Registration - 11:00 a.m.  
Catered Luncheon by K-Bob's - NOON  
Business Session - 12:45 p.m.

XIT Cellular Booth!!!

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## Scot Notes

by Timmie Brown

Happy Day to you Sherman County Old Timers, Friends Neighbors, Scotters this trouble-filled Monday A.M. March 1, 1993. What with "David Branch trouble" in Waco Texas and guest (by count) attended Scot bombs detonated in New York Regular meeting Thurs. Feb. 25. U.S.A. Senior Citizens have Faithful Blood pressure clinic reason to pause and consider members were present as were where their security is grounded. Recording secretaries Sue Smith and Billie Lou Thompson. The "Spirit of Power, and love and a table covered in white and sound mind" (1 Timothy 2:7b) so decorated them. Even the food that when we "Fear, I will trust Him" So we are happy (not carried out Valentine colors, Thanks to Lew Bruni, program chairperson, a musical program suited to Senior Citizens likes was greatly enjoyed. Shannan Taliaferro presented her voice student, Carley Bryson and Rev. Bryan Adams, Methodist pastor, sang for us. Even let us sing too. He was accompanied by Lorraine Mehner, one person Stratford can't get along without! Carley is the daughter of Blynn Bryson; granddaughter of the B.A. Donelsons and the Ivan Bookouts, great grand daughter of Alda Mitts and the cone Donelsons; a fifth generation Butler person) Announcement was made that Gaynelle Riffe is Stratford's One in Seven Who Care Selection. Congratulations, Gaynelle!

Enjoying Chinese Food at Mah's Guymon, Feb. 12th, were the Lew Bruinis, Cecilia DeBord, Anita DeBord, Rowena Williams the Bernie Starkers, Billy Lee Thompson, Doris Hughes, Elsie Pickens, Minnie Reeder, Timmie Brown, Opal Bryant, Millie Hacker, Shirley Armstrong, Joyce Harper, Lillie Galloway, the Max Stephenson, Alda Mitts, Bess Stone, Director Jack Gore.

For Scoters absent at Scot Dinner or if you didn't get Director Gore's report the financial benefit from the Depression Supper was something over \$1000.00.

Scotter H.L. Haile presided at Scot Board Meeting Tues. Feb. 23, 1993 Martha Mitts, Sect Treas was not able to attend, hence no current treasurer report (Martha is a very busy person. She has served gratis as Sect. Treas of Scot for a number of years. Scotters thank you, Martha) Director Gore gave a good, progressive report and introduced Lorie Vincent, representing Sherman co. Development Organization. Lorie spoke of Houston and need to build a Senior citizens Center in Stratford. She asked permission to speak to Scot members at regular meeting to secure Scotters input to this undertaking. It was granted and Lorie appeared at the General Meeting on Thurs. Feb. 25. Margaret Reed was appointed

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Readers of this newspaper expect it to be published and delivered in a timely manner. It is our goal to provide this service, but without your cooperation it is a difficult task to accomplish. We ask that the news be submitted to the Star office in hand or typewritten form. We try to avoid errors, but this is a difficult task on call-in news. We ask that news contributors limit call in news to the Star office.

When a holiday falls on a Monday or Tuesday the Star moves its schedule up. Deadline is Friday at noon.

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## Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

Nine area ladies made the trip to Denver Feb. 18 where they met Ronna Jo Riffe who flew in from Omaha, NB. and all were guests of Brenda Taylor and Patti McDaniel. Brenda met Ronna Jo At the airport and all gathered at Patti's. Joyce Harper and Donna Avent were guests of Joyce's girlhood friend, Joan Hills and her husband at Aurora, near Patti's.

On Thursday night all went out for Chinese food, then Brenda led MariHoward Engelbrecht's crews to her home. This crew consisted of Franny Taylor, Jo June McDaniel, Ronna Jo.

Patti's guests were Marylou McDaniel, her aunt Thelma Smith of Dumas, Donna Gillenwaters, Barbara Avent.

Friday morning they met at the Denver Museum of Natural History where they saw "The Ring of Fire" at the IMAX Theater, then the "Aztec Sky Watchers" at Gates Planetarium. After a luncheon they attended the exhibit, AZTEC "The World of Moctezuma Yep, That's the way they spelled it! Each had a cassette and toured at her own speed. Two of the group had wheelchairs which anyone should ask for at exhibits such as this. They made it better than some of the rest!

Also meeting the group were Phyllis Hayes and Deanie Fianch of Colorado Springs They returned home after the exhibit.

Friday night everyone met at Brenda Taylor's for lasagna, salad and homemade ice cream and chocolate cake. They were taught a new card game called "golf" by Thelma plus two card tricks. Others at Brenda's were Carol Bertles, Joe Yakich, and Joan Hill.

On the way to Denver, the travelers stopped at the Meadows, an outlet shopping center near Castle Rock. Saturday morning they went to The Tattered Covered Bookstore and Cherry Creek Mall. After lunch at Around the Corner, they headed home. They stopped at the Air Force Academy Chapel and made it home before midnight.

Everyone had a great time and the consensus is the another trip to Denver should be planned.

Nita Taylor has returned from

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a ten day vacation in Las Vegas, NV. They had stormy weather there, but she saw some good shows. She reports there is a lot of building going on. Las Vegas is trying to become a more family-related area.

Heard that Richard James had a pickup stolen in Dalhart last week. It was found at Greeley, Co.

Florencia Eslinger was called to Carlisle, Pa., Feb. 18th. Son Lonnie Eslinger had extremely high blood pressure and nose bleed. They were taking tests and there was no report as this was written.

Mildred Robinson, sister of Franny Taylor, became one of just three recipients of a 1993 National Association of WIC Directors Leadership Award, WIC, which stands for Women, Infants and Children is a federally funded supplemental food and nutrition program administered in Oklahoma by the Department of Health. The national award was established to recognize individuals or groups judged to be outstanding contributors to the WIC program.

"Mrs. Robinson volunteers her time and energy at the WIC clinic in Boise City. She provides toys for the kids, and they have grown to love her", said Colleen Evans, assistant administrator for the Texas County Health Department, whose office nominated Robinson for the award.

Texas County Health Department Administrator Larry Olmstead traveled to Washington, D.C. to accept the award for Robinson.

"She could have gone herself, but she is a giver, not a taker," said Evans.

The above story is from Amarillo Daily News "From the Coffee Shop" column by Joe Wyatt, Feb. 25.

Bill and Pat Boren spent six days in south Texas. The first night they visited with son Joe Bill and Jennifer at Navasota. In Houston they were guests of Joe Earl and Judy Boren. They saw the Celtics-Rockets basketball game, Houston Fat Stock Show and Rodeo with Reba McIntire. Pat's seat number was called and she was one of three getting to shoot for a basket! No good! She was given a \$25 gift certificate to a Houston Bar which she passed to Joe Earl!

They enjoyed bingo, shopping and bowling.

On the return they spent a night with Jackie and Helen Fudge

in Plano. Last week the Hampton family attended the Cimarron Implement Supper in Boise City. Annette won a \$100 gift certificate.

George and Barbara Avent, Bevin and Donna Avent hosted a Community Supper Friday night. Word got around in short notice and there was a good crowd.

Present were R.J. & Mary Hill, Jim & Helen Taylor, Katie Norris, all of Stratford

And Kayo and Jo June McDaniel, Ralph & Minnie, Ralph James, And Annette Hampton, Bill & Donna Gillenwaters, Fred & Marylou McDaniel, Terry & Barbara

Schoonover, Hank & Mabel Rogers, Ken & Lynn Wells, Brady & Trisha Schoonover, Hal & Pam Thompson, Mike & Merilee McDaniel.

Also Myron Leedy, Nita Taylor, Virgie Mathews, Franny Taylor, Doug Taylor, Levi Strader, Ian Weems, Joshua Rogers.

It's been fun keeping up with Kerry Boren Carlisle's basketball team of Moscow, Ks. They won regional Saturday after winning over Fowler, KS., 64-36 and South Gray at Montezuma, Ks., 72-38 at Ingalls, KS. They will be playing Sub-State this weekend, then hopefully on the State at Hayes, Ks. March 13th. There are 107 Kansas schools in their class.

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Sandra Renee Morris

## Vows Exchanged

February 20, 1993, offers to be the most beautiful day in the lives of Sandra Renee Morris and Billy Ray Boyd. The couple were united in marriage at the Central Church of Christ in Amarillo at 11 o'clock in the morning, with the minister, Ben Mereness of the First Street Church of Christ in Dumas, performing the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Vance B. Morris, of Gruver, Texas. The Grand parents of the bride include Mr. and Mrs. James Wisinger of Dumas, Texas and Mrs. Ada Blevins of Weatherford, Texas.

Mary Nell Boyd is the mother of the groom, residing in Canadian, Texas. Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ward of Hennessey, Oklahoma and Ethel McDaniel of Canadian, Texas.

The Central Church of Christ singers, led by Lee Kendle, sang the prelude; Gatin "Alleluia", "Always", "Be With Us Lord", and the candles were lit to the music "Set Me As A Seal". As the song "Sunset, Sunrise" was sang the grandparents and mothers were seated. Ushered by Joe Morris, of Gruver, Texas, Brother of the bride, Chuck Christy of Tulsa, Oklahoma, College Friend of the bride, and Jack Rodman of Dumas, Texas, Nephew of the bride.

The groom, Billy Ray, the ring bearer, Ray Williams, nephew of the groom, Terry Wayne, Best

Friend of the groom, James Williams, brother in law of the groom, and Rodney Boyd, brother of the groom, entered the auditorium during the beginning of the "Wedding Song". Immediately following the groomsmen, the Bridesmaids began the walk down the decorated staircase in front of the auditorium, Melanie Rodman of Dumas, Texas, niece of the bride, Lois Troup, of Amarillo, Texas, friend and co-worker of the bride. Matron of Honor; Tammy Lindsey of Amarillo, Texas, College friend of the bride. Preceding the bride were the flower girls and nieces of the bride, Brittany Morris, of Gruver, Texas and Ashley Crowley of Sunray, Texas.

Renee, escorted by her father entered the auditorium and began the walk down the beautifully lighted staircase decorated with tulle, grapevine garland and hand tied white satin bows, as the song "Faithful and True", was sung. Renee met Billy in front of the brightly decorated altar which included an eighteen candle brass fan; two double brass hearts; two single brass heart candelabra as well as four brass tree candelabra equally decorated with, tulle grapevine garland and hand tied white satin bows, decorated by Sherry Crowley, sister of the bride.

Renee's designer gown by the "Princess Collection" was of a white regal satin. Her gown featured a combination Queen

Anne and scalloped V Neckline and French Puff Sleeves. The bodice and elongated waistline was encrusted with pearls, sequins and jewels, the skirt of the bridal gown was full and flowing satin, her gown showed a runner of pearl buttons as a closure down the back. The cathedral length train was studded with pearls and jewels; decorating the hemline double edge borders of European lace. The bride wore a diamondstone from her mother's engagement ring, which was made into a pendant, for something old. The bride carried a cascading bouquet of blush pink silk tulips, white satin roses, steoanotes, pink heather and pearl sprays. The bouquet was accented with Shayna Lace Ribbon, tulle and pearl garland, made especially for Renee, by her sister, Sherry Crowley. The bridal attendants wore a purple tea length European Taffeta with scalloped V necklines and elongated waistlines and French pouffed sleeves, in the back was cut out heart shaped. The attendants carried a cascading silk bouquet of Hot Pink Stargazer Lillies, purple narcissus blooms accented with Dark pink heather philogreenery and hot pink and purple tulle.

The flower girls wore matching tea length dresses made of a magenta brocade, with teardrop hats covered in matching material, accented with pink tulle narcissus blooms and stargazer lily buds Brittany and Ashley carried matching white wicker baskets filled with white satin rose petals, which were sprinkled down the lighted staircase in front of the bride and her father.

The groom wore white tuxedo with tails, with cummerbund, The groomsmen wore gray tuxedos, with tails and hot pink cummerbunds.

The ring bearer wore white tuxedo with tails and hot pink cummerbund. The father of the bride and ushers wore black

tuxedos with black cummerbund. The song "One Hope, One Faith, One Love" was sung during the lighting of the unity candle. Then they were pronounced husband and wife and walked from the alter during the song "He is Exalted"

Following the ceremony a menu of prime rib, steamship round, salad, baked potatoes, broccoli casserole, dinner rolls and coffee and tea, with all the trimmings was served in a buffet type setting. The meat was provided by the Morris Sisters Cattle Company and catered by J and M Restaurant in Amarillo. Decorating the table with white linen cloth, flatware, a balloon bouquet centerpiece set on each table. Following lunch the reception was held with the traditional reception line. The white four tiered wedding cake was separated by a fountain and surrounded with five heart shaped satellite cakes Decorated with a flower corsage on each satellite. An imitation champagne punch was served from a silver punch bowl. The grooms cake was chocolate with chocolate icing,

nuts and mints were available, coffee was served from a silver server.

Serving at the reception was Vera Morris, of Gruver, sister in law of the bride. Wynette Pope, of Amarillo, cousin of the bride. Lisa Williams of Canadian, sister of the groom, Amy Pope, cousin of the bride, Melinda Cline, Liberal KS. and Sonya Paul, of Amarillo, all friends of the brides. Registering the guests was David Dragon, of Austin, Gift attendants were Brandy Morris, of Gruver and Jackie Crowley, of Sunray, both nieces of the bride. Greeting guests were Addie Crowley of Sunray and Andy Morris, of Gruver, niece and nephew of the bride. Video graphy was done by V.B. Morris brother of the bride and Chris Morris, nephew of the



Mr. and Mrs. Tommie J. Barbee of Concord, NC announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Karen Leslie Barbee to Mike Allen Pool son of Mrs. Joyce Pool of Amarillo and the late J.C. Pool. They will be married April 24, 1993 in Center United Methodist Church in Concord, NC. The bride to be has a BS Degree in nursing from University of North Carolina at Charlotte in 1987 and is a registered nurse at Carolinas Medical Center in Charlotte, NC in the trauma intensive care unit. The groom to be has a BS degree in electrical engineering from Oklahoma State University in 1987 and is a sales engineer for Eaton Corporation in Raleigh, NC.

bride. After a honeymoon to Pocono Mountains, Penn. They will be at home in Amarillo until Billy is assigned a new location in the Coast Guard.

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The 1992-93 Yearbooks will be on sale from February 22 to March 22. The cost this year will be \$20. There will be no extras ordered so come by and purchase an annual. Kids in junior high see Mrs. Wight, Kids in Elementary see Mrs. Hembree, and kids in elementary see Mrs. Hembree, and kids in high school see Mr. Howard. Also there are extra annuals from last year and years past if one would like to purchase them. Don't forget!! Thank you-The Annual Staff.

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## Scholastic Book Fair

On March 4, 5, 8 & 9th Mary Allen Elementary School will sponsor a Scholastic Book Fair, presenting a wide variety of books for students at all reading levels.

According to the Barbara Bush Foundation For Family Literacy, when parents and teachers work together to introduce children to the world of books, the results can be dramatic. Children who read more become more successful readers...and, in turn, successful readers read more books. This happy cycle is encouraged when parents, teachers and friends come together to share and explore new publications at events such as Scholastic Book Fair.

The Mary Allen Book Fair will display hundreds of titles, including award-winning favorites, classics, how to books, biographies, mysteries, adventures and the latest works of popular authors. All are offered at reasonable prices, so that students can choose books that appeal to their personal interests and parents can add to home libraries or purchase gifts for their young readers.

This is being sponsored by our Local PTA.

This will also be open at the Open House held March 9th between 7 and 8:30 p.m. For parents too!!!



### Golf

#### Stratford Ladies' Golf Association To Hold First Meeting of 1993

The Stratford Ladies Golf Association will hold their first meeting of the year on Monday, March 8th, at 7:00 p.m. at the Stratford Country Club. Since the weather is not cooperating for golf yet, there will only be a covered dish supper and meeting.

The Ladies Golf Association will normally meet on the second Tuesday of each month with a golf scramble beginning at 5:30 p.m. and a covered dish supper and meeting to follow. In March, due to the Schools open House, the meeting will be on Monday, March 8th.

All interested women are invited to attend this meeting and join the organization.

## Broomstick Workshop To Be Held

A broomstick Skirt Workshop will be held Thursday, March 11 at the County Exhibit Building beginning at 10 a.m.

Janelle Brock, Jean Everett, and Mary Wayne Spurlock will be conducting the workshop.

All interested persons are invited to participate in the workshop. For a list of supplies and to pre-register for the class, individuals are asked to call the County Extension Office at 396-2122.

#### Legislature To Recognize Importance of Small Business-Small Business Appreciation Day Scheduled For March 10, 1993

The Texas Department of Commerce and state business associations are sponsoring The 1993 Small Business Appreciation Day during this year's Legislative session.

Scheduled for March 10, 1993, the event will recognize the importance of Small Business to the Texas economy and the contribution that Small Business makes to job creation, and provide an opportunity for interaction between legislators, public officials, and small business owners.

The event will start at 10 a.m. with a visit to House chamber where a proclamation will be read and Small Business recognized. The Capital visit will be followed by a luncheon at the Radisson Hotel with a Keynote Speaker followed by a series of panel discussions with legislative leaders who will provide updates on current issues of interest and importance to Small Business. The final event starting at 5:30 p.m. will be a reception with Legislators and State Officials.

The Texas Department of Commerce, Small Business United of Texas, The Texas Conference on Small Business, NFIB, the Texas Association of Business, the National Association of Woman Business Owners, and the Women's Chamber of Commerce of Texas are Co-sponsors of the event.

All Texas small business owners are urged to attend.

For more information call 1-512-469-5590.



## New Officers Elected

New Officers elected for the next two years for Kerrick Community Center were Jo June McDaniel-Secretary, Bill Gillenwaters-President and Barbara Schoonover, Vice President.

## Girl Scout Week

March 7-13 is Girl Scout Week and this year's celebration focuses on the theme, THE GIRL IS FIRST IN GIRL SCOUTING,

emphasizing an important objective of Girl Scouting--to prepare young women to become tomorrow's leaders. Today's Girl Scout has the opportunity to build leadership skills. Whether she's organizing an environmental project or harmonizing her favorite tune, she shares challenging and fun-filled experiences with other girls from diverse cultural backgrounds. These experiences help her develop the self-esteem needed to make sound moral judgments,

now and in the future.

The Girl Scouts are taking the lead with having the girls come first in order to help young women become positive contributors to society. Career and life planning programs, activities that focus on contemporary issues, and an emphasis on girl-adult partnerships are helping Girl Scouts develop the values, self-confidence, and leadership skills to make sound decisions about their lives and on issues that will affect all of us.

Thank you Girl Scouts, for providing a training ground for tomorrow's leaders.

## American Cancer Society Has Meeting

The Stratford Chapter of the American Cancer Society met at 7 a.m. at the Headquarters Cafe, Feb. 16th with the following persons present: Margaret Reed, Don Riffe, Joyce McBryde, Molly Griffin, Steve Sellars, Amarillo, Texas and J.A. Lasley.

The month of March is the Great American Food Fight. This will be the kick off for the Health Fair which will be March 30th, sponsored by the Prospectus Study Club and the Extension Council. Plans are underway for a poster contest among the Mary Allen Students. Linda Haynes is coordinating this effort. The Mayor, Wanda J. Riffe, president of the Stratford Unit, Susie Spurlock and Judge William Fesler will officially declare this month as the Great American Food Fight.

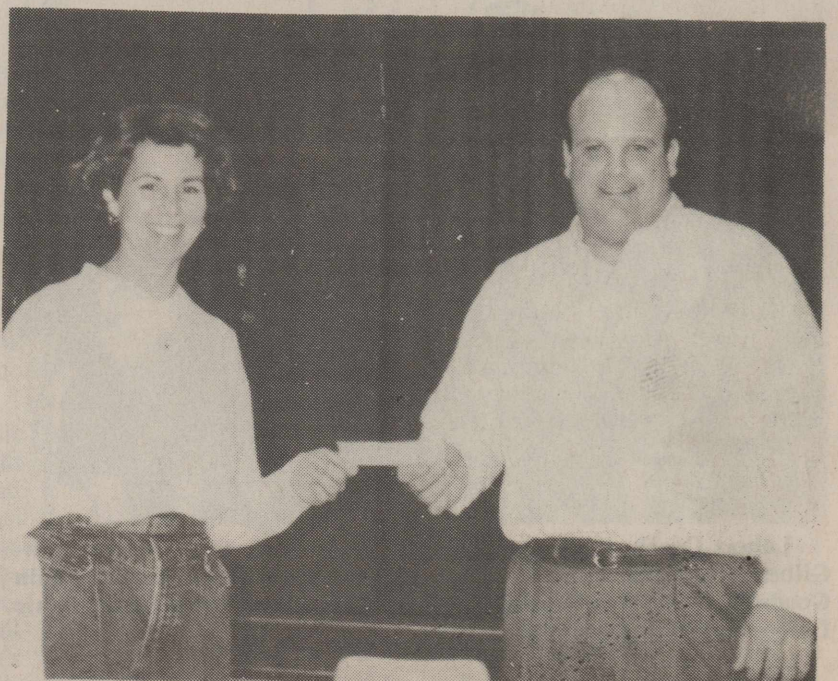
Molly Griffin reports that they had trained nine persons on the great road to recovery training. This is excellent and a service that can be used by the folks of Sherman County. If you are needing assistance in this respect please contact Molly Griffin.

Patient Services Committee, reported in Linda Spurlocks absence that, to date one patient had been served at an estimated value of services of \$130.00

Crusade Committee, Margaret Reed reported that the community crusade would be in April. So mark this on your calendar. Margaret is also working on another fund raiser to be announced later.

Steve Sellars reported on core activities which entails: Year around fund raising, that all patients have resources available (These are available at the Chamber Office), Comprehensive School Health-working with the habits of the Youth-on tobacco, and the Food that they put in their mouth, promoting the Great American Smoke Out, which is every November, but certainly can be the year around, October is the Breast Cancer detection month, and finally recruiting and retaining ample volunteers.

The next meeting of the Stratford unit will be May 18th, 7 a.m. Headquarters Cafe.



Cathy Taylor is shown above presenting Principal Jim Bob Brown with a Check from the Parents Teachers Association to the Elementary School Computer Lab.

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before the meeting. This notice was mailed in the Cooperatives newsletters, "LINES," on Monday, Feb 22, 1993 to all active members to the Cooperative.

A quorum must be present in order for the business meeting to convene. Based upon the total number of the Cooperatives members, fifty members or two percent of the members present, whichever is larger, constitutes a quorum.

The officers and board members are T.F. Baskin, III, President; James Spurlock, Vice President; Gary Finch, Secretary-Treasurer; James R. Wilson, Lee Hill, Glenn Olson, E.H. Little, J.W. McClellan, Jr. and Walter E. Lasley.

On January 26, 1993, the Nomination Committee consisting of Ann Thompson, Bernard Eads, Marvin Willis, Ed Latham, A.E. Pronger and W.N. Bridwell met at the headquarters of XIT Telephone in Dalhart to submit nominations for three directorships. Nominations for the following districts were: District I-Dallam County-Glenn Olson;

District II-Hartley County-James R. Wilson, and District III-Sherman County-Walter E. Lasley.

Members vote only for nominees from the district in which they reside or the district in which they have telephone service. All members must be present at the annual meeting to vote since no proxy voting is permitted. Either a husband or wife is eligible to vote at the annual meeting, but only one vote is allowed per membership.

Copies of the bylaws are available at the Cooperatives business office for those interested in details concerning the election and eligibility of directors.

XIT Rural Telephone needs input from its members. XIT is always looking for ways to improve what they do. You, as a member, may have some ideas that will help them to provide you with better service. Because you are a member and part owner of the Cooperative, XIT hopes you will attend the 42nd Annual Meeting of the Membership and take an active part in the decision making.



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Children enjoy checking out books during Story Time held at the Sherman County Library on Wednesdays from 11 to 12 noon. Last Story Time was held Wednesday, March 3, 1993.

## Library Notes

By Dorothy Haille

The Official TASP Test Study guide that has been developed by the National Evaluation Systems, Inc. in cooperation with the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board and the Texas Education Agency may be found in the library. Some of the information included in this text are sample problems and exercises a complete Practice Test, and review test-preparation and test taking strategies.

For the Texas Collection is a Field Guide To Shells Of The Texas Coast. For the serious collector, this guidebook offers complete details on identifying mollusks and useful tips for preserving and storing shells.

Celebrate You! is a book

about building self-esteem for the middle school and high school student. It would be good reading for parents of children this age.

Alternative Energy, Projects for the 1990's has been written by John A. Jueckenwho is an electromagnetic engineering consultant. He has worked for the Apollo Moon Project and on Space Shuttle oxygen control.

Earth's Mysterious Places will fascinate many readers.

The Impossible Takes A Little Longer-The Texas Rangers From Pretenders Contenders is authored by Pil Rogers. The forward is by Nolan Ryan. Juvenile readers have 8 books that major on the leaders in the different fields of baseball such as MVPs, base stealers, batting champs, and home run leaders.



### School Menu

March 8 thru 12th

Monday-Spaghetti, meat sauce, tossed salad, green beans, rolls, chocolate cake, milk

Tuesday-Turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes, English peas, rolls, jello fruit, whip cream, milk

Wednesday-Green Chili Casserole, cole slaw, brown beans, corn bread, peaches, milk

Thursday-Smothered Steak, mashed potatoes, black-eyed peas, salad, rolls, fruit cobbler.

Friday-Bar BQ on bun, Tatar tots, vegetables-beans, salad, cinnamon Rolls.

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Blue Angels-Coach Kathy Allen. Second row Barbie Dewesse, Carrie Newcomb, Cassie Adams, Lisa Horton, Jassmin Sanchez. Front Joy Burkhalter, Jennifer Oakley, Christina Chabolla, Lynz Browning.



Lady Cats-back Amanda Tapp, Tai Ann Brownlee, Coach Cathy Rapp, Diane Ortega, Oralia Vital. Front Erica Rendon, Melissa Helton, Keri Wight, Barbara Presley. Not pictured: Coach Kay Lynn Keener and Lari Wells.



Lakers-Coach Gary Pool, Coach Lane Robertson. Second row-Gilbert Gutierrez, Gabe Crockett, McLain Pool, Steven Luther, Blain Goodwin. Front Wes Hunsaker, Michael McAlister, Scott Reese, Jamie Luther and Nicholas Artho.



Red Raiders-back row Coach Richie Brotherton 2nd row Ross Davis, Paul Brown, Scott McAlister, David Hunsaker. Front Cesar Peregrino, Mario Ortega, Cody Brotherton, Thomas Kimbrough.



Jets-Back Coach Philip Walden. second row Adam Bell, Aaron Rhoades, Skyler Walden, Beau Brown, David Cochran. Front Wes Kimball, Michael Herring, Craig Moore, Jesse Porras.



Running Rebs-back row Coaches Gail Shafer and Coach Nora Wells. 2nd row Nathaniel Walden, Eric Hernandez, Patrick Pronger. Front-Manuel Ortega, Jeremy Pool, Brock Swain, Barret Shafer and Parker Wells.



Lady Texans-Back Ashley Brown, Coach Patty Brown, Jim Bob Brown (Not pictured), Crystal Garza, Shelly McCarver and Crystal Garza. Front Brittany Lemons, Jessica Young and Thea James.



Rockettes-Back row-Heather Ashley, Jessica King, Coach Keith King, April Whatley, Front is Lara Shafer, Kelly Crockett, Jayme Lunt, and Marca Ewers.



Rockets-Coach Howard Naugle. Second row Justin wright, Corey Naugle, Rene Vital, Sid Resendes. Front row Isaac Kimbrough, Josh Houston, Scott Plunk, Angel Garza.



Flying Queens- back Coach Rhonda Mathews, Carly Mathews Lindsey Sims, Coach Kandi Nittler. Front- Trisha Teig, Mandy Helmuth, Shiloh Dearing, Cara Brownlee, Brenda Aquilera.



Bulls-Back row Coaches Cara Dawn Macias and Coach Gayla James. 2nd row Brian Whatley, Josh Maldonado, Levi James, Danny Davis. front row Cody Moore, Cody Hamilton, Eric Macias, Daniel Reta and Kaleb Lunt.

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Bridal Shower selections for Patsy Castellon and Steve Batis are at The Elk Pharmacy. Give us a call & let us help you with your selections. Free delivery to the shower March 20th. 3-18-c

Several varieties of Spring bulbs have just arrived at THE General Store. 3-4-tfn

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For Rent: 2 bedroom house, 515 N. Chestnut. Call 396-5374. 2-11-tfn

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## Help Wanted

First United Methodist Church is accepting applications for part-time custodian, maintenance and groundskeeper. Applications may be made at the church office, located at 6th & N. Main between 8:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Monday-Friday. 3-4-c

Wanted: Person with experience in all aspects of farm work. Must be self motivated, must have irrigation experience. Days call 405-338-8511 evenings 405-423-7104, ask for Bert. 3-11-c

Dietary worker with some institutional cooking experience needed for A.M. and P.M. shifts at Coldwater Manor Nursing Home. Contact Anita Henry F.S.S. at 1111 Beaver Road; Stratford, TX Monday thru Friday EOE. 3-11-c



## Cards of Thanks

I want to thank everyone for the visits, cards and phone calls while I was in the hospital and since I have been at home. They are really appreciated.

Jimmy Jackson

Words cannot express what we feel in our hearts for all that has been done for us this past week. Our love and appreciation goes out to our EMS for their quick response and the Sheriffs Dept. to all our friends for their prayers, cards and visits. We love each of you and praise the Lord for all that he has done.

Glenn & Carolyn

Once again we want to say thank you to the people of Stratford for their prayers and concern shown us during Howard's illness. For all the cards, flowers, food and visits. It is great to feel God's presence and love through his people. Thanks a million.

Howard and Faye White and their families



## Depot Museum

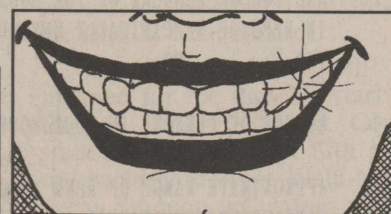
What about all this beautiful rain? Our daffodils and tulips will be bursting out soon. We're making spring plans at the Depot Museum. Our faithful volunteers are keeping the doors open and we're still planning a thank you luncheon for you. As you know, the weather has not helped this year and we've had to cancel. But it will clear up and we'll get word to everyone!

Plans are underway for this year. All the committees have been appointed and its time to get to work. We're already making plans for the Depot Doins. And with a new building we'll need repairs and new displays. And that means money! So don't forget us when you open your check book.

Some Old business next. If you haven't picked up your Christmas ornament for 1992, you might want to do so at the Appraisal Office. Next year will be the last ornament we plan to make and we only make 100. We know you'll want to have a full set of all 10. In case you've forgotten, you may have one for a \$10.00 donation to the museum. Each is dated and numbered.

We'll have some new displays up soon, so come see us at the Depot!

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In compliance with Vernon Civil Statutes, Article 4477A, Section 5.05. I will proceed to sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder on the 9th day of March 1993, all of the following listed abandoned motor vehicles at the described locations and times listed below:

9:00 a.m. at C & D Body Shop, Highway 54, Stratford, Texas

YEAR	MAKE	MODEL	VIN:	TAG#
1972	FORD	MUSTANG	2F02H225521	854 QFP/TX
1972	FORD	PINTO	2T11Z192008	None
1973	MERCURY	MONTEGO	3H10H532855	None
1976	PONTIAC	VENTURA	2Y17D69L110632	Dealer/NM
1977	FORD	GRANADA	7E82F119631	BDT187TX
1977	TOYOTA	2 door	NL41G8F259125	KKB 442/NM
1977	BUICK	REGAL	4J57R7Z158012	SLT 848/CO
1978	OLDSMOBILE	2 Door	3R47F8M502102	FMP 43X/TX
1979	CADILLAC	2 Door	6D4759118208	GPC 03W/TX
1982	OLDSMOBILE	2 Door	3J57R6R200718	DGB 284/TX
1981	CHEVROLET	CITATION	1G1AX6857B6214866	BLD 463/TX
1980	CHEVROLET	CITATION	1X687A6111915	PWD 708/CO
1988	YUGO	2 Door	VX1BB1216JK421050	784 ZLW/TX
1988	KAWASKI	MOTORCYCLE	JKAZXDE19E501714	X657S /CO

11:00 a.m. at the Sherman County Impound Yard, located near the Rodeo Arena.

YEAR	MAKE	MODEL	VIN:	TAG#
1967	CHEVROLET	BUS SE527F139415		U 18 832/TX

The successful bidder upon payment of the bid to this office is entitled to take possession of the vehicle and apply for title free and clear of all liens and former ownership. Vehicles will be sold AS IS with no guarantees of condition or running order. Successful bidders shall be responsible for removal of the purchased vehicle, within an allotted time period.

Jack Haile, Sheriff  
Sherman County

By Jim DeWees, Deputy,  
Sherman County, Texas  
Telephone 806-396-5551

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### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bid for lease/purchase of one 1993 forty-seven (47) passenger diesel conventional school bus will be received by the Stratford I.S.D., Box 108, Stratford, Texas 79084 until 4:00 p.m. on March 11, 1993.

For details and specifications contact Sam Brite at (806) 396-5571. Stratford ISD reserved the right to reject any and all bids and to waive technicalities. Envelopes with bid proposals should be sealed and marked in the lower left corner: Lease/Purchase-School Bus bids: 4:00 P.M. March 11, 1993.

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### NOTICE OF DIRECTORS ELECTION

To the Registered Voters of Stratford Hospital District, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 1, 1993, for voting in a directors' election to elect TWO (2) directors.

Location of polling places is Stratford High School.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at Stratford High School Administration Office between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. beginning on April 12, 1993 and ending on April 27, 1993.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to Darla Cummings, P.O. Box 108, Stratford, Texas 79084.

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 23 1993.

Issued this the 11th day of February, 1993.

Scott Buckles

Signature of Presiding Officer.

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### AVISO DE ELECCION DIRECTORES

A los votantes registrados del Stratford Distrito De Hospital Texas:

Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. en 1st de Mayo de 1993 para votar en la Eleccion para dos (2) directores.

Direccion De las casillas electorales, Stratford High School

La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en, Stratford High school Administration office, entre las 8 de la manna y las 4 de la tarde empezando el 12th de Abril, 1993 y terminando el 27th de Abril, 1993.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a, Darla Cummings, P.O. Box 108, Stratford, Texas 790084.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 23th de Abril, 1993.

Emitada este dia 11th de Febrero, 1993.

Scott Buckles

Firma del Oficial que Preside

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### Seminar Cont. from page 1

This seminar is the first of a series of seminars to be offered by the Sherman County development Committee, Inc. as a way to encourage education and growth for our area business people. Please take part in these enlightening seminars and invest in your company's future by investing in your best asset-YOUR EMPLOYERS.

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Mrs. Marietta Ricks 3rd grade class entertained the crowd at the Stratford Chamber of Commerce Banquet held Thursday, Feb. 18, 1993.

### Single Family Housing Loans Available

Rural Housing Loans for very-low and low income applicants are available through County Offices of the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA), Neil J. Fleming, FmHA County Supervisor, said today.

Home ownership loans may be used to buy, build, improve, repair, rural homes and to provide adequate water and waste disposal systems. Homes may be built on individual tracts or in subdivision. Funds may also be used to modernize homes--add improvements, such as, bathrooms, central heating, modern kitchens and other improvements. Borrowers may buy an existing house and lot or buy a site on which to build a home. Loans may be made for up to 100 percent of the appraised value of the site and the new home. Interest rates for this type of loan are presently 7.75 percent with 33 year terms. Monthly payments are subsidized with the amount of the payment dependent on the borrower's annual income. Homes will be modest in size, design and cost, but adequate to meet the family's needs. New homes average about 1,050 square feet of living area.

In addition, Farmers Home Administration guarantees home ownership loans made to applicants of low or moderate income. Guarantees offer opportunities to families who are unable to afford a commercial loan without a guarantee. These loans may be made for up to 100 percent of the value of the property and are made for terms of 30 years. The interest rate is based on the Federal National Mortgage Association rate with a maximum loan amount in most counties of \$67,500.00

The Farmers Home Administration assists rural America by guaranteeing private sector loans and by providing temporary, supervised direct loans to farm and housing borrowers who have a reasonable chance for success, and whose current needs cannot be met at reasonable rates



### Tips & Topics

by Susie Spurlock  
County Extension Agent

In 1992, the United States Department of Agriculture released a new representation of the healthy American diet. The Food Guide Pyramid is an outline of what foods to eat each day. But it goes further in that it visually represents what amounts of different foods should comprise the diet. It also emphasizes the fact that, while fats, oils and sweets may be included in the diet, they should be used sparingly.

The Pyramid tells us that starchy foods such as breads, cereals, rice and pasta, represented as the base of the Pyramid, should make up the bulk of the diet. The next level of the Pyramid shows plant foods, vegetables and fruits. As the Pyramid narrows, dairy products and meat, poultry, fish and other protein foods are represented. At the tip of the Pyramid and in the smallest section are the fats, oil and sweets.

But how can the Pyramid be interpreted in making everyday food choices? The Pyramid is different from previous food group recommendations in that it shows a range of servings for each food group: 6 to 11 servings for grains; three to five servings for vegetables; two to four servings for fruit; two to three servings for meats and two to three servings for milk products. At first this may seem confusing, but the range takes into consideration that different individuals need different amounts of food and calories depending on various factors such as age, sex, physical size and and terms by commercial sources. The Agency is committed to excellence in providing its services.

"Applications for assistance may be obtained at the Farmers Home Administration office located at 310 Rock Island Avenue, Dalhart, Texas 79022," FmHA County Supervisor said. The FmHA office in Dalhart is open from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

activity level. Almost everyone should have the lowest number of servings in each range. The minimum number of servings will provide about 1600 calories, that is when low-to moderate fat foods are selected and the level of added fats in the diet is low. This number of calories is about right for many sedentary women and some older adults. Eating the highest numbers of servings in each group will provide about 2800 calories, too many for most individuals except teenage boys and very active men or athletes.

Another crucial concept to understand when using the Pyramid recommendations is serving or portion size. A serving is not the number of times a food is eaten per day, but rather a specific amount of a food. For example: one serving of grain is one-half cup of pasta or one slice of bread; a vegetable serving is one-half cup cooked vegetable or 1 cup raw greens; a fruit serving is one (smallish) piece or three fourths cup juice; a milk serving is one cup (8 ounces) of milk; a meat serving is only three ounces (a piece about the size of a deck of cards.)

Each of the food groups provides some but not all the nutrients needed. That's why it's important to eat foods from each of the groups. The Pyramid goes beyond the food groups to help put the Dietary Guidelines into action. For a copy of the Food Guide Pyramid and for more information on using the Pyramid and on controlling the level of fat in your diet, contact Susie Spurlock, your local County Extension Agent in Home Economics at 396-2122.

### Auction Cont. from Pg. 2

dates; a committee was appointed to study this question and to report to the sorority in May.

Initiation for new members will be in May. Several resignations were accepted with regret. The treasurer's report was read by Shirley Hendricks who also gave a copy of the report to each member.

The president reminded committee chairman of the reports which are due. The scholarship committee will meet to determine the grants-in-aid which will be presented. Members wishing to apply for a scholarship should submit application.

Texline members gave brief biographies of themselves. These

proved very interesting and this project will enable members to become better acquainted with one another. In March, Sunray members will give their brief biographies.

The old time song "Side by Side" and the Delta Kappa Gamma Song were sung by members lead by Frances Hofden. Following adjournment, members paid for their purchases at the silent auction. The next meeting will be in Dalhart on March 3rd The meeting place is at Middle School on Tenth Street. Directions will be in the newsletter. This is the birthday celebration of the sorority which was organized in 1940. Mary Roberson was a charter member.



### Rifle & Pistol Club

The Stratford Rifle and Pistol Club will be holding their 22nd National Indoor Conventional Pistol Match, March 6 and 7, 1993, at the Range located on Hwy 54.

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### HOUSING SURVEY

A "SENIOR CITIZEN HOUSING PROJECT" is being researched for Stratford, Texas. The project would provide comfortable living at affordable prices. Right now we are looking at 8 - 12 units consisting of both one and two bedroom apartments or duplexes. Your opinion on the following will help us to determine whether such a project is practical and feasible for our community. This information does not obligate you in any way. Please cut out the survey and mail to Sherman County Development Committee, Inc. at P.O. Box 652, Stratford, TX 79084.

- WHAT AGE GROUP ARE YOU IN? 45 or below \_\_\_\_\_ 66 to 70 \_\_\_\_\_  
46 to 55 \_\_\_\_\_ 71 or over \_\_\_\_\_  
56 to 65 \_\_\_\_\_
- ARE YOU OR MEMBERS OF THE HOUSEHOLD HANDICAPPED OR IMPAIRED AND IN NEED OF SPECIFICALLY DESIGNED HOUSING ARRANGEMENTS?  
YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_
- NUMBER OF PERSONS IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD? \_\_\_\_\_
- APPROXIMATE RANGE OF RENT YOUR HOUSEHOLD CAN AFFORD EACH MONTH (INCLUDING UTILITIES)? \$ \_\_\_\_\_ TO \_\_\_\_\_
- DO YOU OWN OR RENT YOUR PRESENT RESIDENCE? OWN \_\_\_\_\_ RENT \_\_\_\_\_
- IS YOUR PRESENT HOUSING ADEQUATE FOR YOUR NEEDS? \_\_\_\_\_
- WOULD YOU RATHER RENT OR OWN YOUR UNIT? RENT \_\_\_\_\_ OWN \_\_\_\_\_
- WHICH TYPE OF UNIT WOULD YOU PREFER? ONE BDRM \_\_\_\_\_ TWO BDRM \_\_\_\_\_
- PLEASE CHECK THE REASONS WHY YOU WOULD OR WOULD NOT BE INTERESTED IN THIS TYPE OF SENIOR CITIZEN COMPLEX.  
YES, I DO NOT WANT THE RESPONSIBILITY OF MAINTAINING MY OWN HOME ANY LONGER. \_\_\_\_\_  
YES, FOR FINANCIAL REASONS. \_\_\_\_\_  
YES, FOR COMPANIONSHIP AND SAFETY. \_\_\_\_\_  
YES, I HAVE FAMILY WHO LIKE TO MOVE HERE. \_\_\_\_\_  
YES, OTHER REASON \_\_\_\_\_

- NO, WE DO NOT NEED THIS TYPE OF COMPLEX IN STRATFORD \_\_\_\_\_  
NO, I WOULD LIKE TO REMAIN IN MY OWN HOME \_\_\_\_\_  
NO, I DO NOT LIKE MULTI-UNIT HOUSING \_\_\_\_\_  
NO, FOR FINANCIAL REASONS. \_\_\_\_\_  
NO, OTHER REASON \_\_\_\_\_

THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF AMENITIES. PLEASE PLACE A CHECK BESIDE THE ONES WHICH INTEREST YOU MOST.

- Laundry facilities in each unit \_\_\_\_\_
- Emergency buttons in each unit \_\_\_\_\_
- Social and recreational activities \_\_\_\_\_
- Easy Accessibility to medical services \_\_\_\_\_
- Attractive and energy efficient units \_\_\_\_\_
- Extra safety precautions in each unit \_\_\_\_\_
- No renting quotas based upon income \_\_\_\_\_
- Monthly lawn care \_\_\_\_\_
- Disadvantaged amenities included in unit \_\_\_\_\_
- Rent and utilities in one fixed amount \_\_\_\_\_
- Easy Accessibility to downtown area \_\_\_\_\_
- List Others \_\_\_\_\_

11. DO YOU THINK THIS IS A FEASIBLE PROJECT FOR STRATFORD?  
YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

12. OPTIONAL:  
if we developed a complex which was locally managed, provided lawn care and on-call maintenance, convenient, safe, attractive, energy efficient, reasonably priced, and offered other amenities, would you be interested in renting or purchasing a unit?  
YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Or, do you know of friends or family members who would be interested?  
YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

THANK YOU FOR HELPING US TO EVALUATE THE NEED OF THIS TYPE OF HOUSING IN STRATFORD. WE WILL LET YOU KNOW THE RESULTS OF OUR SURVEY ONCE THEY ARE TABULATED. YOUR TIME AND EFFORT IS TRULY APPRECIATED.

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