The Groom Rews

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Thursday, August 7, 1997

Winners Named As Groom Day '97 Ends





Class Of 1972. . .

Breakfast Served. . .

Over 950 Attend Bar-B-Que, Activities

New Family Now In Groom Grocery



Brad, Dondra and Jackson Rogers

Groom Day 1997 is now a part of the history books. Wonderful memories that will fill the pages include fireworks, music, laughter

The parade was won by Groom Flying Service with an adorable float filled with all kinds of circus characters. Placing 2nd was the Olsen Manor float.

The events under the tent (in the park) were well attended and enjoyed by many youngsters (old and young). These events require much work and many hands each year.

Winning the 3 on 3 basketball team contest in the youth category was Brook Baughman's team. In the high school group, Mary Hutsell and Carrie Davis co-captained the

A Blood Drive for Diane

Koetting has been planned

for today, Thursday, August

7 at the Groom Community

Center. People wishing to

donate do not need the

same type of blood as Mrs.

Koetting. The Blood Bank

will accept any blood type

and will swap for the type

Pat Pool and wife of Pat

Diane is the daughter of

she needs.

Diane Koetting Blood Drive Set

For Today, Thursday, August 7

winning team. Rebecca Conrad's team won the adult competition.

In the volleyball tournament, director Tim Case stated that they had 8 teams entered. The Dale Stapp team won first earning \$75.00. Lindy Kotara's team placed 2nd earning \$45.00 and Kristi Case's team placed 3rd earning \$30.00.

At the Groom Day Round-Up the team of Lonny Brown, Larry Brown, Kori Brown, Lance Lamberson and Tim Mansfield took top honors. The Barker Bunch was second. Team members were Lynn Barker, Brad Rogers, Kyle Stevens, Danny Johnson and Donnie Johnson.

Dorothy Weller was the big winner in the cow patty

She was stricken ill two

weeks ago and has been

diagnosed with a rare blood

disease. She underwent

surgery on Thursday last

week. Diane is requiring a

great amount of plasma. It

takes 15 units of blood to

make one unit of plasma.

Everyone who can is asked

to come and give the gift of

life to this young wife and

Bingo gaining the \$500. pot. Ben Ingham and Larry Pool won \$100. each.

The North Texas Gas Company won the \$600. Groom Day trip. This is their third win in five years! Lanora Nepper won the bicycle raffled off by the Junior High Cheerleaders, and Kendall Weller won the C.D. player.

Brad Rogers won the chili cook-off trophy with Sandi Schaffer placing 2nd.

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COMMUNITY CAIFNDAR

A SOYBEAN meeting will be held in Groom at Attebury Grain, Friday, August 8th at 8:00 a.m.

PARENTS ARE reminded that it is time to sign up for the Federal Free or Reduced Lunches for students attending Groom ISD. Contact Business Manager, Joyce Hutsell for more information.

AN IMMUNIZATION Clinic will be offered at the Groom Community Center on August 13th from 2 to 4 pm; and at the Columbia Family Health Center in Pampa, 600 West Kentucky, on August 6th and August 20th, 9 am to 6 pm.

ALL STUDENTS in grades 7-12, who are new to the Groom ISD System need to pre-register on Friday, Aug. 8, from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. or 1:00 to 3:00

PRINCIPAL DANNY
Chisum is reminding all students to come to school on August 14, in compliance with the Groom ISD dress code. If you are in doubt about the dress code or hair length, Mr. Chisum will be glad to go over a copy of the code with you. Call him at 248-7474.

SCHOOL BEGINS for GISD on August 14!

THE GROOM Columbia Clinic has nurse practitioner, Shirley Watson, working. Call for an appointment.

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Local Happenings

On The Sick List
Mert Kendrick
Eldred Wayne James
Billie Bivens
Vernie Watson
Diane Koetting
Dennis Kunkel
Julia McGee
Barbara Fraser

Rip and Joy Snyder visited in McLean Sunday with Bill and Dorothy McKee and with Truman Goodlett and M.L. Rowan. They visited in Claude with Les and Dora Neal on Saturday.

Greg and Rhonda Buchanan and Truman and Nina Richey of San Angelo spent the weekend with Rip and Joy Snyder.

Rip and Joy Snyder were Pampa and Panhandle visitors on Monday.

Dr. Dan Witt returned to his home in Hoisington, Kansas, Sunday after spending the weekend with his mother, Helen Witt.

Steve and Debbie Anthony and family were in town visiting for Groom Day. They had a delightful lunch and Sunday with Dixie Anthony.

Calling All Kids!

Models West has been chosen to film possible candidates for the new Oscar Mayer commercials. Open call is Tuesday, August 12 at 9:00, 1:00, or 5:30 at 3405 S. Western (upstairs). Ages 3-12 are asked to come and sing on video either the Oscar Mayer Bologna or the Oscar Mayer Wiener song. For more information: call 352-1943.

Groom Birthdays & Anniversaries

August 7 - Cleo Nix, Chera Chavedo, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Don Davis (A), Mr. and Mrs. O. Page Blackwell (A).

August 8 - Gary Britten, Craig Baker.

August 9 - Mary Elizabeth Hutsell.

August 10 - Ada Lou Durham, Tyler Martinez, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stephens (A).

August 11 - Mrs. Dale Brooks, Ruby Denton, Judy Babcock, Evan Crowell, Jonathan Shane Robinson.

August 12 - Daniel
Treadwell, Mr. and Mrs.
Willis Gray (A), Mr. and
Mrs. Gordon W. Schaffer
(A).

August 13 - Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Martinez (A).

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Clint Babcock

Don, Juanita and Cheryl Callaway of Channelview spent the past weekend visiting her mother, Julia McGee and enjoying Groom Day events.

Jason Eschle of Lubbock and Darron Eschle of Alpharetta, Georgia were among the out-of-towners. Darron brought 21 month old Bailey to visit her Anderson grandparents in Miami and greatgrandparents, Glynn D and Sybil Harrell.

Tom and Doris Britten entertained grandchildren this past week.

Rozelle Baggerman Collingsworth left July 30 for a trip to Hawaii with Peggy Schaffer Beckham of Pampa.

Card Of Thanks

Groom! Thanks for the memories!

Living in Groom for 85 years has made me proud to be a part of such a fine community of great people.

Thanks to all the family and friends who helped me celebrate my 85th birthday on Groom's Day.

It was a great day and one I will always cherish in my memory.

Thanks so much. Cleo Nix

Look Who's New!

Max and Helen Wade announce the arrival of their first great-grandchild, Jacob Garrick Anglin, born on July 25, 1997, to Capt. Wade and Kelly Anglin of Onalaska, Wisconsin.

Grandparents are Dr. James and Maxine Anglin of Childress, and Tim and Ann Wilson of Quanah, Texas.

Other great-grandparents are May Kidwell of Pittsburg, Texas, Geraldine A. White of Plainview, Texas and Kate Wilson of Tyler, Texas.

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WE SAW ...

Larry Brown and "Rambo" enjoying a breakfast burrito.....

The Classes of 1987, 1977 and 1972 proving that some kids never grow up. . .

Mary Beth Bridges enjoying a visit with old friends.

Kenneth Payton taking pictures of just about everything.

Joe Longway with a very sleepy Brent and Shantel getting ready to leave for home

Audra Wagner (don't remember her married name) getting the float ready for the parade.

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Norwood-Babcock **Exchange Vows** In Houston Wedding

Mikol Kayren Norwood and Jeffrey Alan Babcock, both of Houston, exchanged wedding vows July 12 at Bammel Road Church of Christ in Houston, with Michael Norwood, father of the bride officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Michael and Sondra Norwood of Nashville, Tennessee. She graduated from David Lipscomb University in Nashville, with a degree in psychology. She has been employed as a fifth grade teacher at Northland Christian School

The groom is the son of Alan and Martha Babcock

of San Antonio, Texas. He graduated from Abilene Christian University in Abilene, Texas with a degree in business administration. He is employed by Macy's West in management and was Babcock, sister of the recently transferred to Santa Monica, California.

The bride and groom were given in marriage by both sets of parents.

The bride wore an "A" line empire waist gown of white dupioni silk. The bodice was covered with Venetian lace and featured a square neckline and cap sleeves. The chapel-length

train was attached to the were Savannah Hamilton empire waist with three and Katie Norwood, nieces fabric rosebuds. Her short of the bride. Ring bearers bouffant veil was enhanced by a circle of fabric flowers. Drake Hamilton, nephews The bride's bouquet of the bride. featured ivory, white, blush and peach roses.

the bride, served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Tonia Norwood, the bride's sister-in-law; Jennifer groom; Kimmy Campbell and D'Lyn Lloyd.

J. Brady Babcock, brother of the groom, was best man. Jeff Hassman, Randall Taylor, Billy Dan Carson and John Biggs served as groomsmen.

Ushers included Randy DeCarlo and junior groomsman Alex Hamilton,

Serving as flowergirls were Kevin Norwood and

Chris Norwood, brother of the bride, co-officiated Jackie Hamilton, sister of the ceremony along with the bride's father, Michael

Following a reception at Windhaven Torrace in Houston, the couple departed on a honeymoon trip to Walt Disney World in Orlando, Florida. They plan to take up residence in Calabasas, California.

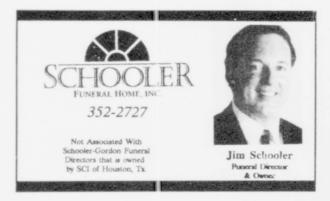
The groom is grandson of Annie B. Kirk

and the late Lee Kirk and the late Jim and Ruby Babcock, all formerly of

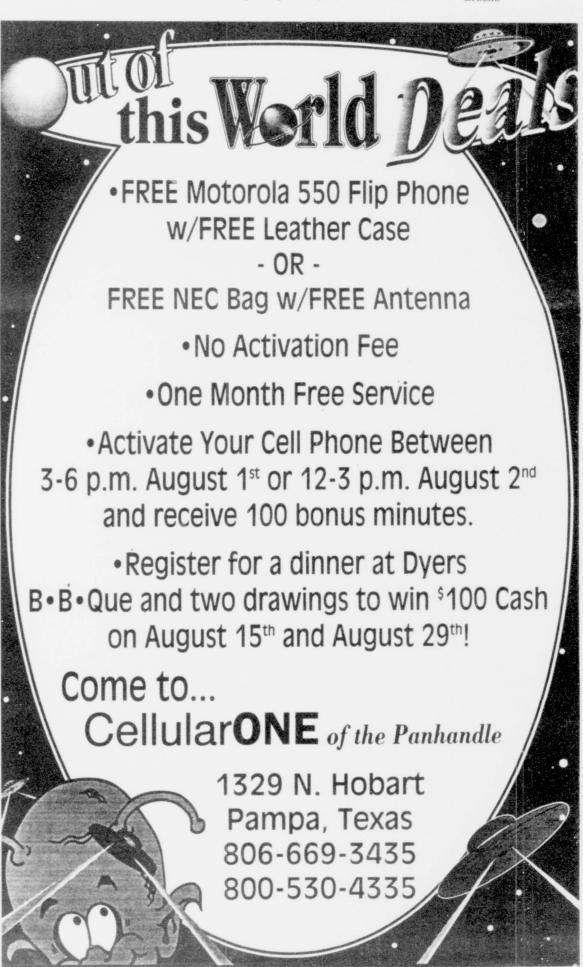




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1997-98 Groom School Calendar

11,12,13 - Teacher work 14 - School Begins

Sept 1 - Holiday 26 - 1st 6 weeks ends

20 - Teacher work day Nov

7 - 2nd 6 weeks ends 26,27,28 -Than esgiving

19 - 1st semes er ends 22-31 - Holiday

1,2 - Holiday 5 - Teacher work day 23 - Holiday 13 - 4th 6 weeks ends

16 - Holiday 9-13 - Holiday

9 - 5th 6 weeks ends 10, 13 - Holiday (13 - Weather Day) May

25 - Holiday 28 - Last student day 29 - Teacher work day, graduation (bad weather

Groom School Supply List

Kindergarten 5 - #2 pencil 1 - box of 8 Crayola Brand Crayons

2 - Glue Sticks (the purple kind work best) 1 - Fiskar safety cissors

(Wal-Mart) Crayola Washable Markers (not thin-line)

- Crayola Watercolor

1 - Large Box Tissues 1 - Folder

1 - Large Backpack

1 - Red & Blue folding rest mat (Wal-Mart)

1 - Mead Wireless 80 page notebook

First Grade

2 - Spirals (70 pages) Red pocket folder

Black pocket folder 10 - #2 yellow pencils

1 pkg - pencil top erasers Crayola markers

1 - Safety brand cissors 1 - Elmer's White Glue

1 - box Kleenex

1 - Box 24 crayors

Second Grade 5 - No 2 pencils

1 - eraser 1 - red pen

1 - Spiral notebook

16 count cray ons

pocket folders Set of markers

- Box of Kleenex 1 - Pair of Scissors

Third Grade 3 - No. 2 Pencils

3 - folders w/ pockets 1 - Small package wide ruled notebook paper

1 - Elmer's glue or giue stick

2 - red grading pencils or pens 1 - Wooden Ruler (Metric

and standard) Good Cutting Scissors Map pencils

School box 1 - box 200 count Kleenex 2 - Spirals (Wide ruled, 50-70 sheets)

Small assignment pad NO LOOSE LEAF **NOTEBOOKS**

Fourth, Fifth, & Sixth Grades 5 - #2 Pencils Blue or Black Pens Colored pens for Checking Map Colors Wide Ruled Paper

5 - One subject spiral (wide ruled) 1 - 3 Ring Binder *Highlighters, crayons,

Markers, rulers, scissors, and glue will be provided in each classroom. School

Begins

Aug 14



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Class Of '57 Holds 40th Reunion

The GHS class of 1957 met for their 40th reunion on Groom Day, August 2. After picking up name-tags, the first activity was "decorating" their float with signs and crepe paper streamers. After the parade, the morning was spent visiting, viewing each

GEDC Meets

The Groom Economic Development Corporation met on July 17th with the following members present: Ben Ingham, presiding officer; Vice-President, Forrest McLaughlin; Secretary, Joyce Hutsell; members Pam Ashford, and Dan Martin.

Members Barkley and Lamb were absent and not voting. (Unless otherwise noted, all votes on motions were unanimous consensus of present members.)

Minutes of the May 15 and June 19 meetings were read and approved.

Mr. Martin moved and Mr. McLaughlin seconded to subscribe to a county section of the 500,000 tourist placemat distribution of the Panhandle of Texas regional advertising to be distributed by the Panhandle Tourism and Marketing Council and to defray all costs with the exception of \$50.00 each to the subscribing businesses, Biven's Automotive, Stop N Shop, Golden Spread Grill, and Chris Britten Cattle Company. The motion carried.

The Texas Panhandle Visitor's Guide and other publications were reviewed and future projects were updated by the committee No action was report.

No further business was presented and the meeting was duly adjourned.

photo taking and catching up on the 20 years since the last reunion.

Those present were Aloise (Britten) and Bruce Martin, White Deer; Maynard and Deanya Britten, Edmond, Oklahoma; Mike and Dorothy (Looten) Garmon,

Plainview; Louise (Harrell) and Bob Mulkey, Panhandle; Steve and Vanita Homer, Houston; Frank and Sharon Neal, Cheyenne, Wy.; Ed and Sue

> Local Teacher Reaches Milestone

Corpus Christi - Charles Burk of Groom High School was recently horiored for reaching a milestone in his career.

Burk was awarded the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas 20 Year Tenure Award. This honor is given to teachers after 20 years of distinguished service to agriculture education Texas. The award was presented to Burk at the VATAT's Awards Program held Wednesday, July 30, 1997 at the Agriculture Teachers Professional Improvement Conference in Corpus Christi.

Kirk Edney, State of Agriculture Director Education, said that over 1,400 agricultural science and technology teachers were expected to attend this year's conference. conference provides teachers the opportunity to prepare for the school year ahead.

In Texas, there are over 108,000 students enrolled in agricultural science classes and over 950 agricultural science and technology programs.

Erick, Okiahoma; Modena (Mansel) Lamm, Tomball, Texas; Kenneth and Judy (Newton) Friemel, Tomball, Gerald and Dani Hermesmeyer, Sandra (London) and Doug Black, Amarillo; Evelyn (Hermesmeyer) and Bud Schaffer, Jerry Thornton, Ernest and Dorothy Weller, and James and Janice

Class members riding on the parade float were Frank Neal, Ernest Weller, Gerald Hermesmeyer, Maynard Britten, Steve Homer, James Weinheimer, Jerry Thornton, Ed Pair, Mike Garmon, Kenneth and Judy Friemel, Louise Mulkey, Evelyn Schaffer, Aloise Sandra Martin, Black, Modena Lamm.

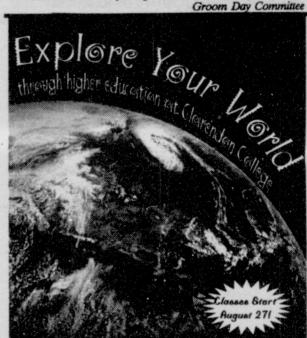
When the residents of Groom get ready for "company" the do it with style! The town and school looked beautiful.

Thanks to all who helped prepare for our celebration. Without volunteer effort on the part of so many, there is no possible way to pull off a celebration so big.

We would like to thank each person who helped by name, but we do not want to exclude a single person. So... "Thank you to all who cleaned, mowed and decorated the town, gathered firewood, cooked the meat and all the trimmings", served the meal organized rodeo and dances, manned the booths and games, donated time, effort, and money, and finally cleaned up again!

We are proud of Groom. You helped make Groom Day a success and made everyone glad to come home again.

Groom Day Committee



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GHS Class Of '33 Met Saturday

The GHS Class of 1933 had a dinner reunion at the Grill. Members of the class present were Wendal Smith of Panhandle; Billy Reclus from California; and LaVesta Barnett and Beulah Shockley of Groom.

Class Of '42 Holds

55th Reunion

The Groom High School Class of 1942 celebrated their 55th year reunion August 1st and 2nd with a catered meal Friday evening at the Ramada Inn East in Amarillo with some attending "Texas" afterwards, and on Saturday, riding in the Groom's Day Parade and eating barbe we together, followed by visitation at Art Britten's home.

A highlight of he reunion was having he class's freshman thru junior English and speech teacher, Patricia (Wederbrock) Hartnett, attending. Class members attending were: Perry Edward and Hekene Johnson, Bill and Vernice

(Long) Dillon, Wallace and Betty Lou (Schies) Holland, Shirley (Burgdorf) McNulty, Guy and Bernadine (Ledwig) McNiel, Velesta (Bagwell) Allstrom, Harold and Narcesia (Cramer) Baker, Art and Joann Britten. Rip and Joy (Gibbons) Snyder, and Ted and Betty Major. Those not attending Virginia Gill, Claudia Pearl (McDowell) Clayton, Margie (Babcock) Wheatley, and John Raymond "Pop" Smith. Deceased members are George Benson Keeter, Ina Fae Blackwell, G.C. Whatley, Curtis Babcock, Ruby Barnard, Ada Davis, Gladys Lamb and Doris Kuehler. Two members the class has no information on are E.W. Sharp and Jack Williams.

The class extends a hearty thank you to all Groom residents who gave of their time and energy to help stage this tremendous annual celebration - we love you!

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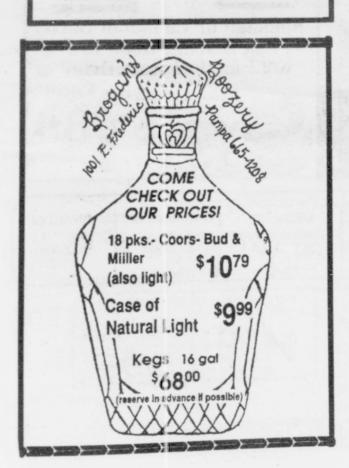
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Groom Day

Royce Brown came in 3rd.

In the tractor pull, a new event this year, 1st and 2nd place in each age division will advance to the state pull in Lockney in September.

In the 5 year old class Clint Barnard was 1st and Eric Torrez was 2nd.

LeAnn Ball placed 1st and Tyler Martinez was 2nd in the 6-year-old group.

Tommy Head was 1st and Call Barnard was 2nd in the 7-year-oldset. Placing 1st in the 8-year-olds was Craig Crowell, with Kendall Weller placing 2nd. William Neusch was the 1st place 9-year-old winner, 2nd was Jessica Cagle. Jonathan Ratheree placed 1st in the 10-year-old group. Gidion Moss was 1st in the 11-year-olds and Alica Martinez placed 2nd.

In the 12-year-old set Calib Moss was 1st and Doug Fields was 2nd.

The Pedal Pullers are planning to return to Groom Day next year.

In the tennis meet, Malorie Homen won 1st place in the 4th grade girls meet. Megan Bivens won 1st place in the 5th grade girls. In the 6th & 7th grade girls division 1st place went to Brin Burgin, 2nd to Lauren Brown and 3rd

place to Lainie Britten. Courtney Sustaire won 1st and Krisanne Davis won 2nd in the 7th & 8th grade girls match.

In the 4th & 5th grade boys meet Thane Barkley earned 1st place honors with 2nd place going to Chance Barkley. In 7th grade boys action Cody Bivens placed 1st, Garret Britten 2nd and Luke Pavlovsky 3rd.

In the 7th & 8th grade doubles, Cody Bivens and Garrett Britten placed 1st; Justin and Keely (Mary Ann Koetting's grandchildren) placed 2nd, Lance Ollinger and Wyatt Britten placed 3rd and Nichole Barnett and Karri Britten placed 4th

In the adult competitions, Melanie Friemel placed 1st in women's singles. Stacy Fields and Jessica Friemel tied for 2nd. In the men's singles, Josh Evenson was 1st, Rusty of Borger was 2nd, Daniel Treadwell was 3rd and Chuck Ledwig was 4th.

Melanie and Jessica Friemel earned top honors in women's doubles. Stephanie Ollinger and Stacy Fields, and Jodie Homen and Jessica Stapp tied for 2nd. Nila Burgin and

Debbie Ollinger placed 4th. In the men's doubles, Josh Evenson and Daniel Treadwell placed 1st. 2nd was Rusty of Borger and THE AUGUST 7, 1997-THE OROOM NEWS-Page 5

Nick Anthony. Tieing for 3rd was Brad Sustaire and Kirk Couch and Jack Britten and Toby Burgin.

Those performing in the "Night of Music" were Bryan Richardson, Melanie Britten, Heather Patterson, Marcie Babcock, Kim Mizar, Elizabeth O'Neal, Nichole Barnett, and Brin Burgin, Kenny Schultz, Michele Stephens, Jenny Rapstine,

Marietta Britten

Celebrates 85th An early birthday celebration for Marietta Britten's 85th was held in the home of Bill and Georgann Hinson Sunday, August 3. An old fashioned country dinner consisting of ham, turkey, dressing and all of the trimmings, birthday cake and ice cream was enjoyed by the following: Marietta Britten, Amos, Loretta, Terrell, Karen, and Chance Britten, Lynn, Leo, Cody and KayLynn Britten, Annet Waxler, Mariellen and Kristy Homfeld, Jett, Lynette, Carey and Casey Major, Bryan, Cindy, Callie and Dee Bichsel, Marva Fries, Bill, Georgann, David and Daniel Hinson. Friends wishing to send a birthday greeting to Marietta on August 27, 1997, may send it in care of St. Ann's Nursing Home, P.O. Box Panhandle, Texas 1179,

Mary Hutsell, Kirston Fraser, Stephanie Ollinger, Allison Eatomon, Dixie Danner, and Stacy Fields.

Providing music during the fireworks was Stephanie Ollinger, Brin Burgin and Lauren Crowell, Matt Britten, Kim Mizar, and Melanie Britten.

The Lion's Club reported that approximately 850-900 people attended the barbecue. They remind everyone that meat can still be purchased at Circle B Meat Company and there are still T-shirts available for Groom Day '96, & '97 and the Fun Walk shirts of '96 & '97.

Obituaries

Agnes Lona Tribble Bell

PANHANDLE - Agnes Lona Tribble Bell, 82, died Friday, August 1, 1997.

Services were in Panhandle Church of Christ with Leonard Harpes of Crosbyton Church and Ernie Bishop of Panhandle Church of Christ officiating. Burial was in Panhandle Cemetery. Arrangements were by Minton/Chatwell Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Bell was born in Fresno, California, and had been a resident of Panhandle for 44 years, moving from Amarillo.

She married Alfred Bell in 1972 at Dallas.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON CARSON COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BUDGET

The Carson County Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 1998 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on August 20, 1997 at 9:00 AM.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget is \$241,365.

The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is \$ 8,710.

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be: 4 (full-time equivalent)

The number of employees compensated under the current budget is: 4 (full-time equivalent)

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities, and towns served by the appraisal district. A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. The proposed budget may also be viewed at the appraisal district office.

Services Held For Brother Of Local Woman C.R. 'Mitch' Michell

STRATFORD - C.R.
"Mitch" Mitchel, 65, died
Monday, August 4, 1997 at
Stratford, Texas.

Services were at Stratford's First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jerry Stewart, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Stratford Cemetery. Arrangements were by Morrison Funeral Directors of Durnas.

Mr. Mitchell was born December 6, 1931 at Wellington, Texas and was a resident of Stratford for 24 years. He was a former 15 year resident of Groom, Texas.

Mitchell was a U.S. Army veteran and a member of First Baptist Church of Stratford. He was a truck driver for the sanitation department for the City of Stratford for 16 years retiring in 1994.

He married Ann Bufkin April 4, 1952 at Memphis,

Survivors include his wife, Ann, of the home; one son, Don Mitchell of Stinnett, Texas; two daughters, Diane Coaly and Angela Marie Mitchell, both of Stratford; one brother, W.L. Mitchell of Birmingham, AL.; five sisters, Maurine Fuller,

Moore, Oklahoma, Vernie Watson, Groom, Texas, Lorene Braidfoot and Faye Williams, both of Panhandle, Texas, Reba Carman of Amarillo; and three grandchildren.

Memorials are suggested to Don & Sybil Harrington Cancer Center, 1500 Wallace Blvd, Amarillo, TX 79106.

1997 Groom Day T-Shirts

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Commissioners Hold Meeting

The Carson County Commissioners met on July 28, 1997 with all members present. Minutes were read and approved and all claims were approved.

The Court reviewed the proposed Canadian River Municipal Water Authority, Conjunctive Use Policy.

The project will establish a 54" aqueduct which will carry water from Roberts County to ar existing aqueduct south of Fritch. After reviewing the various road crossings in the northwest portion of the county, the Court approved the crossing of county road easements in the area.

The Court reviewed the recent jail inspection by the Texas commission on jail standards. The inspection gave the facility favorable marks, and the jail passed inspection.

A safekeeping receipt pledged by the Groom State National Bank in the amount of \$200,000.00 was released by the Court at the

board's request.

The Court reviewed and considered a letter from the Texas Department of Transportation which would allow the County to increase

fees when residents register their automobiles. The Court agreed to stay at the current \$5.00 fee.

The Court order to establish regulations governing the possession, harboring, or ownership of certain wild animals in the County was discussed and reviewed. After the discussion, a Court order was approved to control these animals. Animals on the list are as follows: Lion, Tiger, Ocelot, Cougar, Leopard, Cheetah, Jaguar, Hyena, Bear, Lesser Panda, Binturoug, Wolf, Ape, Elephant, and Rhinoceros.

A discussion concerning the 97-98 budget was held. The budget hearing will be set for September.

The next meeting will be August 11, 1997.





The M. Lean News-

HISTORIC ROUTE 66

Commerce Bank Building No. 5 Thursday, August 7, 1997 779-2141



These young ladies returned recently from the Falls Creek Youth Camp in Oklahoma. From left to right: Amanda Hauck, Caroline Cole, Bonnie Hauck, Randi Jo Riley, Jennifer Drennon, Tammye Cole, and Mary Dre vion.



Young men attending the Fall: Creek Youth Camp in Oklahoma are from left to right: Nathaniel Roberts, Daniel Drennon, Chris Hauck and Jacob Eddleman.

Youth Return From Camp

The youth of First Baptist Church in McLean recently returned from attending the 4th week of Falls Creek Youth Camp, July 21-26th, 1997, in Oklahoma.

This year's camp theme was "My Time To Serve." The young people were challenged by the camp pastor, Dr. Alan Day, pastor of First Baptist Church, Edmond, to return to their

churches and their schools and be the christian young people that God intended them to be. The young people were challenged by the questions, "If Not Me, Who?" and "If Not Now, When?"

Activities included daily bible study, four "M" rallies, missions, morals, music and models; praise gatherings; volleyball; mushball; inflatable gameniawet & wild

recreation; as well as paddleboating; horseshoes;

kayaking; and swimming. The youth also attended daily classes on what the Bible teaches about drugs and alcohol, how to share Jesus with friends.

There were over 7,000 young people at Falls Creek, which was the largest weekly group ever.

See Youth, pg. 9



Gabe & Cozy Parson Open Red River Steak House

Gabe and Cozy Parson are opening McLean's newest restaurant, the Red River Steak House, on Tuesday, August 12, at 11:00 a.m.

The menu will offer a wide variety from burgers and steaks to chicken and seafood. Cozy stated that "We will also have a few sandwiches on hand."

Gabe first started in this business 31 years ago in Clovis, New Mexico, where he opened the very first K-Bob's in 1966. His second K.-Bob's, which he later sold to his brother, is still in operation in Hereford.

The decor of the Red River Restaurant is mostly western memorabilia, with signed prints, family trophies and pictures.

There will be an open house Sunday, August 10th from 2-5, with the Grand Opening in September.

The restaurant will seat 75-80 people and Gabe emphasized that "We can cater up to 2500 people."

Misty Hannon Hired To Be New Counselor



Misty Hannon

Misty Hannon was recently hired by McLean ISD to be counselor for K-12. Mrs. Hannon is a 1989 graduate of McLean High School and a 1993 graduate of Baylor University at Waco. She is currently completing her masters degree in counseling and psychology at WTAMU in Canyon.

Mrs. Hannon has taught in Pampa, Amarillo and Waco prior to McLean.

She and her husband Jimmy, have one son, Trae, almost 2 years old, and have recently moved back to McLean.

Hannon stated, "I'm really looking forward to the school year beginning!"

Reminders.

HIGH SCHOOL students new to McLean need to register Monday, August 11, at the High School from 1-3 pm.

CLASS SCHEDULES will be handed out the first day of school. There will be no formal registration for current students.

THE HEALTH Care Clinic of McLean will be closed Thursday and Friday, August 28 and 29.

THE CITY OF McLean's August council meeting has been changed to Friday, August 15, 1997 at 7:00 p.m. at Lovett Memorial Library.

THE HEALD Methodist Church and community is having a covered dish supper at 6:30 pm on Monday, August 11th.

THERE WILL BE a Chamber of Commerce meeting at 7 p.m. Aug. 11.

THE MINISTERIAL Alliance of McLean says bring your homemade ice cream and lawn chairs and come to a concert of christian music, in the park, Aug. 31, 6 to 9 pm.

THE PRISONER OF War Historical Marker will be unveiled on August 24th, 1 mile north of Exit 146 on I-40 AT 3 pm followed by a reception at the Devil's Rope Museum.

AN IMMUNIZATION Clinic will be offered at the Columbia Health Center in McLean on August 4th from 2 to 4 pm; and at the Columbia Family Health Center in Pampa, 600 West Kentucky, on August 6th and August 20th, 9 am to 6 pm.

A BLOOD drive will be held on August 12 in the Bank's Hospitality Room. Coffee Memorial Blood Bank of Amarillo will host the drive.

Party for McLean I.S.D. employees and the McLean Community will be held in the City Park on August 11 at 7:00 pm.

Bziets

Joe Billingsley was honored with a dinner on his birthday Sunday. Myrtle cooked a delicious meal and daughter Cherrie Nutley and her son Malcolm were there, as was daughter Susie Vance with children Deiter and Macy, also Pearl Mercer and Juanita Freeman.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

August 7 - Davie Gipson, Ora Holloway, Jim Rutherford, Shelly Bolton, Sally Seymour.

August 8 - Fred Johnston, Harold Studebaker, Gladys Godfrey, Joe and Kay Magee (A).

August 9 - Birdie Lee Smith, Connie Flores, Alvin White.

August 10 - Dorothy Dwyer, Dollie Buckhaults, Karen Brown, Loyce Sherrod.

August 11 - Britten Shipman, Caleb Wolfe.

August 12 - Holly Thompson, Christopher Hauck, Becky Orrick Nunez, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Day (A).

August 13 - A.W. Lankford, Bil Thomas, Chloe McMullen. Mandy Miller from Houston visited in the home of Brock and Kristie Crockett for four days this

Angie Kyle, grandaughter of Raymond and Lorene Guyton, remains in a serious condition.

McLean Care Center

The residents enjoyed their Sunday School class along with members of the Methodist Sunday School Friendship class. In the afternoon members of the Assembly of God Church came to hold a worship service.

Monday morning Bill Hulsey came from Pampa to cut the men's hair. In the afternoon the following residents played bingo: Wheeler, Eula Morrow, Emma Graham, Bowling, Ruby Vernee Ora Billingsley, Avers. Richardson, Lena Teresa Phyllis Bailey, Bailey, Patterson, Bud Dorothy Simpson, Truman Goodlett, Hopkins, Jessie Thelma Watson and Loma Lou Volunteer helper was Cliffie Heasley. Bananas were furnished by the Lion's club.

Tuesday morning the residents watched The Price is Right. In the afternoon they played dominos. Those playing were M.L. Rowan,

Bud Simpson, Dick Wheeler, Dorothy Patterson, Ora Billingsley, Teresa Richardson and Imogene King.

Wednesday morning 31 residents attended the donut circle. The donuts were furnished by Leta Mae Hess. In the afternoon they watched a movie and had popcorn. An exercise program was held following the movie.

Thursday Inez Trostle came to style the ladies hair and several ladies had manicures. In the afternoon the following residents played bingo: Florence Drake, Emma

Graham, Thelma Hopkins, Thelma Finson, Ora Ruby Billingsley, Ayers. Bowling, Eula Vernee Watson, Jessie Morrow Phyllis Bailey, Lena Bailey, Teresa Richardson, Bud Simpson, Dorothy Patterson, Dick Wheeler and Truman Goodlett. The volunteer helper was Betty Lowe.

Weekend activities consisted of Ring Toss, current events, bingo and exercises.

Briefs

Denver Marsh received a good report from Albuquerque this past week.

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1 large primary pencil
1 4oz Elmer's glue
1 large box Kleenex
Box for supplies
Paint shirt
No scissors
No toys

No rest mat

First Grade:
School box
1 pkg. #2 pencils
Crayons-16 count
3 pocket folders
Large box of tissues
No run school glue gel
Fiskar's children's scissors
1 ruler with inches &
centimeters

Second Grade: 2 boxes Kleenex 1 pair scissors Crayons Map colors 4 glue sticks large liquid glue 4 red grading pencils Wide rule notebook paper 5 pocket folders without brads (one of each color) pocket folder with brads (any color) pkg. of 12 ea. #2 pencils 1 large Ziplock bag 1 large old shirt for art 1 large pink eraser

Third Grade:
1 Ruler
2 boxes of Kleenex
1 pair of scissors
Crayons
Map colors
Markers
2 glue sticks

1 large liquid glue 2 red grading pencils Wide rule notebook paper 3 spiral notebooks 3 pocket folders

1 pkg. #2 pencils 1 large Ziplock bag 1 large old shirt for art

Fourth Grade:

#2 pencils
Wide ruled notebook paper
Wide ruled spiral notebook
Scissors
Crayons
Rulers
2 red ink pens
2 boxes Kleenex
Glue
Folder with brads & pockets
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Fifth Grade: 1 pkg. 20 ea. #2 pencils 4 red pencils Map colors
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Troy and Jerry Corbin Celebrate 50th

Troy and Jerry Corbin celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on a cruise to Alaska. cruise was a gift from their children.

They were married on July 19, 1947 after meeting soon after Troy returned from the service.

Troy served with the Army's 782nd tank brigade in Europe during World War II. He drove the company commander's tank.

After his discharge from the Army, Troy went to work for Warren Petroleum, where he worked for 37 years. (Warren Petroleum was later Gulf, then I Chevron).

Jerry worked at Marie Foundation for ten years. Afterwards she got an insurance license. She sold insurance until she and Troy both retired in 1983.

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After retirement they opened Shady Acres Campground and ran it until 1995.

Troy and Jerry have both lived in McLean all their Both attended lives McLean High School, Jerry in the Class of 1947 and Troy in the Class of 1941.

They have three children and two grandchildren.

Troy Don is an Industrial Hygienist. He is co-owner of Marin & Environment Testing, Inc. of Portland, Or. His wife, Debra, is senior industrial hygienist for Liberty Northwest in Portland, Or.

Troy Don has two children, Nicole Lawson and Drew Corbin. Nicole has a degree from C.S.U. in Ft. Collins, Co. and a masters in Psychology from Lewis & Clark University in Portland.

Drew will be entering his

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second year of college in Eugene, Oregon this fall.

Clinton lives in Lincoln City, Or. He is a carpenter and electrician. He also does environmental clean-up in Oregon and Washington.

Craig has a masters degree in psychology from Southwest University at San Marcos, Texas. He works as counselor at large for the schools in Hayes, Co. He lives in Austin.

All three boys are graduates of McLean High School, 1967, 1969 and

Troy and Jerry cruised the inland waterway to Alaska on the beautiful ship The Windward. ported ship in Vancouver, Canada. They cruised Glacier Bay and had Ports of Call at Juneau, Skagway, Haines and Ketchikan. It was a beautiful cruise. (Orphus and Betty Tate went on the cruise. On return to Portland they were honored with a dinner at Troy Don and Debra's home with children, grandchildren and friends.

They spent a week on the coast at Lincoln City, walking the beach, whale watching and picking blueberries.

"We have been truly blessed, with a good marriage, a precious family, good health and lots of dear

Zane and Zach Richardson proudly announce the arrival of their new sister, Camrynn D'Nae.

She was born at North West Texas Hospital in Amarillo at 10:44 am on July 10th. She weighed 7 pounds 51/2 ounces and was 21" long.

Proud parents are Bobby and Missy Richardson. Grandparents are Ray and Mary Richardson of McLean and P.J. Sells of Lubbock.

New Arrival!

Joe and Jem Ann Freeman of White Deer happily announce the arrival of their new daughter, Jaden Carter Freeman. Jaden was born August 1 at 10:05 pm at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed 6 pounds 91/2 ounces and was 20 inches

Proud sister ic Katelyn; Grandparents are Johnnie and Mary Ann Carpenter of McLean; and Clint and Doris Freeman of White

McLean Briefs

Gabe and Cozy Parson are opening McLean's newest restaurant.

Zelda McClellan is in San Angelo for a check-up. She plans to return home this

Louise Watson will see her neurologist this week.

Avalee Crockett was in McLean this week. She is doing great.



Troy and Jerry Corbin....Then....And Now.



Muriel Moore remains in the hospital in Amarillo.

Alanreed News

By Lena Carter

Nora Dragoo was on the sick list last week. She was hospitalized over night.

Denva and Kristi Tidwell returned Tuesday from a vacation in California and Nevada. They reported it was hot out there.

Missy Slagle was on the sick list last week and underwent a tonsillectomy.

Jeanette Fish was on the off list last week suffering dental problems.

Denva and Debbie Tidwell made a trip downstate to where their husbands are working over the weekend.

A sister-in-law of Bill Goldston stopped by to catch all the family news to carry back to him in Florida.

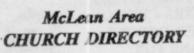
Late Breaking News

As we go to press we learned McLean I.S.D. has hired new personnel for the 1997-98 school year.

Head boys coach will be Sam Hankins. Assistant boys coach will be Jeremy Ramsey. The girls coach will be Paula Waters. The new teacher for the reading recovery program will be Mindy Fletcher. Hannon will teach science and math, and Nancy Woodard will be the high school math teacher. As profiled in this weeks paper Misty Hannon has been hired for counselor.

Youth

The next youth trip scheduled for First Baptist youth is the youth evangelism rally August 8-9 at the Lloyd Nobel Arena on the campus of the University of Oklahoma.



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The band, "Side Pocket" entertained the crowd meal during the afterwards.

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NOTICE

The City of McLean is now accepting bids for collection and disposal of Solid Waste for said City. Bids must be received on or before Thursday, Aug 14, 1997 at 5:00 p.m. The envelope containing the proposal must be sealed and plainly marked " Bids for Solid Waste Collection." The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any formalities. Sealed bids may be sent to Charles McClendon, Mayor, City of McLean, P.O. Box 9, McLean Tex, 79057.

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Groom ISD is accepting bids for milk for the 1997-98 school year. Specifications include homogenized, regular, low fat, chocolate, and low fat chocolate milk, delivered in 1/2 pint containers. Bids may be sent to Groom ISD, Ben Ingham, Superintendent, 304 W. 3rd, Groom, Texas, 79039-0598.

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NOTICE

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Seedless Grapes

PRODUCE BROCCOLI..... 59° BARTLETT 69°

PEARS LETTUCE 59° 59° LETTUCEEA. 29° PLUMS.....LB. ONIONS



Grocery Groom

Sale Good Monday Through Saturday Prices Effective August 11 - August 16





Ice Cream HALF GALLON SQUARES

JELLO

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CRUNCH BARS	\$4 86
EGGO WAFFLES 18.5 OZ.	
FAMILY ENTREES 28 02	
BANGUET ASSORTED EXTRA HELPING DINNERS 17-19 02.	
CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY OF	THE PERSON



SUNNY DELIGHT

SLICED VELVEETA TROPICANA OJ \$239

.... 128 OZ.

Shurfine Biscuits

SHURFINE FROM CONCENTRATE APPLE JUICE	99¢
TACO BELL MED OR HOT	
THICK & CHUNKY SALSA	16 OZ \$ 1 59
TACO BELL MEDIUM	
PICANTE SAUCE	16 07 \$ 1 59
SHURFINE	
GRAPE JUICE	2 402 \$300
SHURFINE ASSOSITED	
CRAN DRINKS	2 402 \$300
SHURFINE GRAPI:FRUIT JUICE OR ASS	TD
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE COCK	TAIL 2 40 \$300

DON'T FORGET SCHOOL SUPPLIES

GEBHARDT TAMALES	oz. 89
SHURFINE VEGETABL	20Z\$ 119

Under New Management



TONY'S PIZZA 15.7 OZ 2 FOR \$4.00



PILGRIM'S PRIDE JUMBO PACK SPLIT Fryer

Breast

LB.



PREFERRED TRIM BONELESS BEEF ARM

Charcoal Steak 59

PREFERRED TRIM BONELESS

Rib Eye Steak 149

GROUND CHUCK

LB. \$149

STEAKS

LB. \$4 29

PREFERRED TRIM BONELESS BEEF ARM ROAST

PREFERRED TRAIN BONELESS CHUCK TENDER STEAK LB.