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BEWARE OF GHOSTS — Riding in Big Daddy's Boo Truck, (from left) Aspyr Jo Hearin, Emma Sanchez and Kenneth Hearin enjoy the Junktique Jamboree parade in style last Saturday morning, while Marsha Sanchez (in back) looks on. Driving the Boo Truck is Jim Hearin.

15 wins - 0 loses Local football teams off to a great start

This very well might be the first time ever Colorado City, Loraine and Westbrook football teams have all ended the first half of the football season undefeated.

Going back through past editions of the Record, we cannot find any evidence that this has ever happened before. We're not 100% sure, but let's assume it's the first time ever.

The defending district champion Colorado City Wolves pick up where they left off last year as they continue to win in convinc-

ing style. The toughest part of the Wolves' schedule is in October and Head Coach Frank Johnson and offensive Coach Dan Gainey will have their work cut out for them, but if history is any indication, they are certainly up to the challenge.

Loraine, with new Head Coach Richard Jackson hasn't wasted any time in getting the Bulldogs headed in the right direction. Several returning experienced seniors, along with a few sophomores and juniors, may have the Bulldogs

contending for a district title. The Bulldogs were 2-8 last year.

The Westbrook Wildcats, coming off a 1-9 2009 season, have apparently put the pieces together for Head Coach Jim Hill. Hill is in his second year (second tenure) in trying to rebuild a program that has had a lot of success in the past. If the Wildcats continue to improve, they could threaten for a playoff spot.

On October 22, the Loraine

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Loraine homicide case goes to trial

A jury was picked and impaneled late Tuesday evening in the murder trial of 22-year-old Michael Robert Kinnan of Loraine.

Jurors heard opening arguments at 9 a.m. Wednesday morning, followed by testimony in the district courtroom in the Mitchell County Courthouse under 32nd District Judge Glen Harrison.

Kinnan is charged with two counts of murder in the stabbing deaths of Bryan Christopher Renfro, Roscoe, and Justin Lee Ammons, of Sweetwater, on Feb-

ruary 13, 2009.

"The names of the jurors were not released to protect the jury from potential outside influence and respect their privacy during this time," Harrison said.

One hundred and twenty notices for potential jurors were sent out. Of that number, 53 qualified to serve on jury duty. The 12 jurors serving on the Kinnan trial were selected from the panel of 53 potential jurors.

The trial is expected to go to See **TRIAL** page 5A

Hospital board oks respite care policy

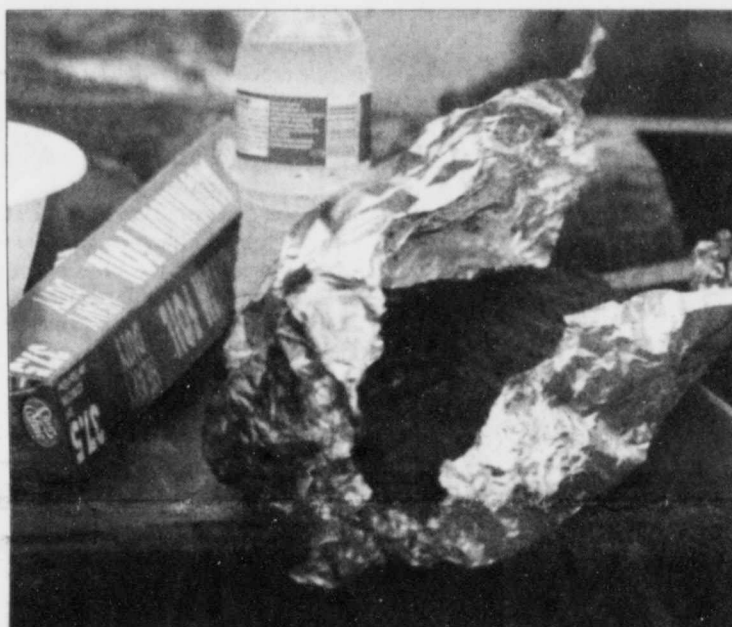
By Stephanie Perez

Members of the Mitchell County Hospital District Board of Directors approved a policy for another service that is currently in use and will be provided by the hospital in the future.

A policy was approved for the addition of respite care service to be provided by the hospital. Re-

spite care is basically short term care, often utilized by caregivers who are going out of town or who just need a break, according to hospital administrator Robbie Dewberry.

"There will be up to four beds available (for respite care)," Dewberry said Tuesday evening. There See **HOSPITAL** page 5A



THE WORLD CHAMPION Boer Goat Cook off will determine the best recipe for barbecued goat this Friday and Saturday at Ruddick Park.

Bigg's Pizza holds grand opening

Colorado City's newest pizza parlour will host its grand opening on Monday, October 4 with a ribbon cutting at 10:30 a.m. and officially open for business at 11 a.m.

Bigg's Pizza, located in the old Beall's building at 203

E. 2nd, will be open Sunday through Thursday from 11 a.m. until 9:30 p.m. and until 10:30 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays with pizzas and a variety of salads, pastas and sandwiches.

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Boer goat cooks set for cook-off this weekend

There are as many recipes for boer goat as there are cooks and competitors will fire up their cooking pits to determine the best recipe at the 15th annual Boer Goat Cook-off at Ruddick Park, October 1-2.

Visitors are encouraged to "come out, walk through the park and see how people have decorated their campsite," Tom Carlock, assistant fire chief said.

Volunteers are needed to judge the competition and should report to the pavilion in the vicinity of the swimming pool at 10:45 a.m. The only requirements for being a judge is an appreciation for good food.

"Anybody and everybody is welcome," Carlock said. "We can't get too many judges." Participation is completely voluntary with a "come and go" system for anyone who cannot stay for the entire event.

"You don't have to stay the whole time," Carlock said, "and it would help the fire department

out tremendously."

Teams wishing to participate may register at the Colorado City Volunteer Fire Department, 620 E. 11th Street. The entry fee for the three-man teams is \$125, with a \$75 non-refundable deposit.

The first 55 teams to register may begin checking in on Friday, October 1 from noon until 7 p.m. Each team will receive 1/2 goat at check-in.

At press time, 43 teams had signed up. Although there is still time to get in on the fun, entry slots are limited.

"We do not take any after 55 for any reason," Carlock said.

Contestants, their families or any team member may begin setting up their camps in the park on Friday, October 1.

A mandatory cooks meeting will be held at 8 a.m. on Saturday, October 2.

First place cook-off winners will receive \$1500 and belt buckles. Second place winners will receive See **GOAT** page A5

Park adds longhorn attraction

The Lake Colorado City State Park welcomes two new "staff," as yet to be named.

Two Texas Longhorns — the cattle, not the football players — arrived last week at the state park as part of the park's tourist attractions.

The animals come from the San Angelo state park and are part of the official state herd out of Fort Griffin, complete with the Lone Star brand.

"Our website says we have longhorns, but we haven't had them in over 10 years," said Rick Thompson, state park manager. "I was so disappointed no longhorns were here when I arrived."

Drought and lack of adequate grazing led to the demise of the

previous herd, according to Dewane Wright, park ranger and park interpreter.

As park interpreter, Wright's main job isn't translating languages but dispensing information about park wildlife and plants.

"I lead tours on trails with school groups and talk about the plants and animals in the park and what the park has to offer," Wright said.

Wright, who has worked at the state park for nine years, has conducted educational tours for both Kelley and Hutchinson Elementary classes.

Expanding the park's touring capabilities are some of the improvements Thompson hopes to

implement in the near future.

The longhorns are another.

Creation of a viewing area, close enough to touch the steers, is underway. A short drive takes visitors to a fenced enclosure, shaded by mesquites. By feeding and salting the steers near the viewing area, Thompson hopes to encourage them to hang out where visitors can get a close look.

Benches for tourists and scheduled programs during the busy season will also provide incentive to visit the park.

"It's possible to see them as visitors come into the park," Thompson said. "We can do some impromptu stuff on demand."

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UP CLOSE AND PERSONAL — Two new longhorns have been added to the Lake Colorado City State Park, giving visitors an opportunity to get within touching distance of one of Texas' most recognizable icons.

Around Town

Happy belated birthday **Lisa Garza** (Sept. 27)... Happy belated birthday **Raymond Bushong** (Sept. 27)... Happy birthday **Amber Espinoza** (Oct. 1)... Happy anniversary **Buddy & Carol Compton** (Oct. 2)... Happy birthday **Leslie Jones** (Oct. 2)...

Answerline

Q. Can I still vote for the Colorado City - Grape Creek game to be game of the week on KRBC television?
A. Yes, you can vote by going to www.bigcountryhomepage.com and clicking on the sports tab, Sonic game of the week. Voting ends Friday morning

Art Guild

The West Texas Art Guild will meet Oct. 16 at 10 a.m. at Studio 20 (the white building beside Wood's Boots). Visitors and potential members are welcome.

Fall Festival

The Westbrook ISD will hold the annual Fall Festival on Fri., Oct. 15 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. The king and queen coronation will be held at 9 p.m.

Hunter Education

There will be a Hunter Education Class will be held at the C.C. Thompson Room Oct. 2, 3. Saturday class will be held from 8 a.m. to 5

p.m. and Sunday class will be from 1 to 5 p.m. To register, call Wes Seibold at 728-2976.

Senior Feed

On Friday before the Grape Creek game, senior class members and their families are welcome to a free hamburger meal at the old baseball field behind the field house. Volunteers will begin serving at 4:30 p.m. Families with last names beginning A-G should bring drinks, H-L bring chips and M-Z desserts.

Benefit Roping

A benefit roping will be held Sat., Oct. 16 at the Mitchell County Fairgrounds with a breakfast lunch beginning at 11 a.m. and an auc-

Briefs

tion to follow. Books close at noon, roping starts at 2 p.m. Entry fee is \$150 per person, open draw pot, enter 1 time and draw 3 or 4. Saddle awarded to high money winner, buckles will be given to average winners. For more information, call Janie Hatley at 325-207-4218 or Corey Hatley at 325-207-3094. All proceeds benefit Roy Wilson.

Alzheimer's Walk

A team meeting for the 2nd annual Alzheimer's Memory Walk will be held Sun., Oct. 3 at 2 p.m. in the C.C. Thompson Room. Refreshments will be served during the hour-long meeting. All new and old members are

welcome. For more information, call 432-213-8204.

Lions Club

The Lions Club will begin meeting on Thursdays at noon at the Civic Center beginning with the meeting this week, September 30. Visitors and potential members are welcome.

Flag Football

Flag football sign ups will be held Thursday on the north side of Wolf Stadium from 5 to 7 p.m. Eligible players are ages pre-k through 4th grade.

LOCAL NEWS



OFFICERS INVESTIGATE A one vehicle rollover near Wood's Boots last week. The driver, Ashley Vicars, and one passenger were treated at Mitchell County Hospital for injuries.

Driver hits highway sign

A one vehicle rollover near Interstate 20 exit 217 resulted in two patients being transported to the Mitchell County Hospital. Nineteen-year-old Ashley Vic-

ars was treated for non-life threatening injuries at Mitchell County Hospital September 23, according to Police Chief Ron Dooley. Vicars' infant daughter was also

transported by ambulance and checked for injuries at the hospital.

Vicars was traveling eastbound on I-20 when she apparently suffered a seizure, according to Dooley, and lost control of the vehicle. The car struck a highway sign, then a light pole which caused the vehicle to flip over.

"No charges have been filed at this time, but there will be a medical evaluation conducted," Dooley said.

Officer Traven Berrie is investigating the accident.

Lions Club to meet on Thursdays

After more than 50 years of meeting at noon on Fridays, the Colorado City Lions Club will move its weekly meeting to noon on Thursdays.

The change in meeting times at the Civic Center reflects the club's desire for expansion by being able to accommodate new members who cannot meet on Fridays.

All Lions are invited for a home cooked meal and good speakers at the noon meeting on Thursdays, beginning September 30.

OBITUARIES

Barbara Ray Warner

1935-2010

BULLARD -- Barbara was born on March 28, 1935 in Bullard, Texas to the late Prentice Ray and Flossie Key Ray. Barbara went to be with the Lord on September 26, 2010 in Colorado City.

Barbara was preceded in death by her husband, Bernard Warner who passed away December 28, 2003; as well as her parents; brother, Royce; and sister, Frances Sue.

Barbara was in the banking industry for years in Tyler and retired in 1988. She served as the vice president at the Rose Capital Bank. In 1999, she and husband Bernard moved to Navasota. Barbara lived briefly in Childress in 2007 before moving to Colorado City in 2008.

Barbara is survived by brother, Rowan Ray and wife, Ethel of Columbus, Georgia; a son, Scott Warner and his wife, Amanda; granddaughter, Ryann; and grandson, Will Warner, all of Granbury; a son, Kelly Warner and Nelda of Colorado City; and granddaughter, Kandice Warner and Kevin Holden of Denton. Barbara also leaves a long list of friends mostly from the Bullard area, and a special lifelong friend, Laura Newburn and husband Billy.

No services are in place, due to her request.

Mamie May Hargrove

1907-2010

COLORADO CITY -- Mamie May Hargrove, age 102, passed away on Friday, September 24, 2010 in Sterling City. Visitation was held on Sunday, September 26, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Kiker-Seale Funeral Home. Graveside service was held on Monday, September 27 at 10 a.m. at Spade Cemetery with Rev. Richard West officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Mamie was born to Joe C. and Alice Rebecca Browne Northcutt on October 27, 1907. Her mother died when she was only 10 years old. Her brothers were Needham, 9; Shorty, 7; and Abbie, 3. It was unusual in that day and time not to "parcel out" young children among relatives after the death of a parent. Joe Northcutt, Mamie's father, was determined to keep the family together, and with the help of Grandma and Grandpa Browne, who lived in Lorraine not too far from the Northcutt farm at Lowe, the family was able to make it.

At the age of 10, Mamie became the "little matriarch". She learned to sew, making her first dress from an old bed sheet. Mamie wasn't very tall, but with the help of a wooden crate, she was able to see in the skillet and start making dinner at age 10. She cooked beans, cornbread, eggs, fried potatoes, and their home cured meat. Peanut butter and molasses with biscuits was the family dessert and treat. That diet, instead of "junk food," must have given them all strong teeth, as they each had their own teeth in all their lives. Until the day Mamie died, she still talked about taking care of "the boys" in her daily conversations at the nursing home. She now joins them in their heavenly home.

Mamie married Ross Hargrove when they were 18 and 19 years old, respectively. Brothers Shorty and Abbie came to live with them for several years. "Mimi", as she was called by grandchildren and great-grandchildren, was a good help-mate. Mamie became an excellent seamstress, cook, and homemaker. She truly lived up to the scripture Proverbs 31:27-28.



"She watches over the affairs of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness. Her children arise and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her."

Mamie and Ross were married 76 years and had two children. One son, Robert F. Hargrove, preceded Mamie in death at the age of 57. Her husband, "Papa Ross," died at the age of 95. She is survived by a daughter, Doris and her husband, Bill McClellan; daughter-in-law, Ouida Hargrove; grandchildren, Ross McKenney and wife, Sharon, Kregg McKenney and wife, Diana, Melei Hargrove Kelly and husband, Rob Kelly, Eric Hargrove and wife, Natasha, Tom Hargrove and wife, Cindy; great-grandchildren, Allen Burks, Chris McKenney, Krista McKenney, David McKenney, Will Kelly, Patrick Kelly, Ross Hargrove, Jodi Hargrove, Caitlynn Hargrove, Caroline Hargrove and Courtney Hargrove; as well as many nieces and nephews.

Mamie and Ross were faithful church goers and enjoyed worshipping at both the Baptist and Methodist Churches in the Spade Community, and later on, in Colorado City.

At the age of 99 years, Mamie moved from the family home in Colorado City to the Sterling County Nursing Home where she received excellent, loving care from each nurse and caretaker. The family requests that anyone wishing to honor Mamie's memory, make contributions to either the First United Methodist Church, or the Sterling County Nursing Home.

Obituary can be viewed at www.kikerseale.com.

Ola Mae Banks Johnson

1925-2010

COLORADO CITY --

Ola Mae Banks Johnson, age 84, took a walk with Jesus and stepped into eternity to receive her righteous and heavenly reward on Thursday, September 23, 2010 in Abilene. Family received friends at the funeral home on Friday, September 24 from 6 until 8 p.m. Funeral services were held on Saturday, September 25 at 2 p.m. at Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Colorado City with Pastor Jesse Hooper officiating. Burial followed in the Colorado City Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Seale Funeral Home.

Ola Mae was born on December 5, 1925 to Magen and Edna McKinney Banks in Cameron. She was a longtime resident of Colorado City and faithful member of Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Colorado City until her health began to fail. Ola Mae married Ivy C. Johnson, Sr., on November 19, 1944 and within this union five children were born.

Leaving to cherish her memories and celebrate her life are five devoted and loving children, Margaret (Howard) Nelson, Glenpool, Oklahoma, Pamela (John) Favors, Colorado Springs, Colorado, Kenneth Johnson, Abilene, Larry (Viola) Johnson, Sapulpa, Oklahoma, and Ivy Johnson, Jr., Colorado City; also twelve grandchildren, Daneshu, Shereka, Kimberly, Janise, Whitney, Stormi, Larissa, Jayla, Micaela, Peter, Mark (Renaica) and Chache; four great-grandchildren, Samarah, Kymera, Preston, Kenya; six brothers, Cloydie C., J.D., Charles, Willie, Charlie, and Alvin; four sisters, Geneva, Dorothy, Nelda, and Neida; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Her parents preceded her in death as did one sister, Lena Pearl.

Ms. Olie will truly be missed by those who loved her. Obituary can be viewed at www.kiker-seale.com.



Lake levels rise slightly

The lake levels for both area lakes, Lake Colorado City and Champion, rose slightly over the weekend after the rain Mitchell County received Friday and Saturday.

Lake Colorado City rose from 2058.14", which was recorded on Sept. 21, to 2058.48" on Sept. 28. Lake Champion shows an in-

crease of .86" over the past week. Both lakes are still down. Lake Colorado City is down over 10' and Lake Champion is down over 36'.

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Hospital volunteers (from left) Connie Cranfill and Judy Ritchey look on while Shirley Delaney instructs PT Jamie Alvarez in his operation of the NeSteap. Also pictured are Administrator Robbie Dewberry (back) and Cliff Shiller, PT (right).

Beginning Tuesday, October 5th,
the Wellness Center will be open from
1 p.m. to 7 p.m., staffed by volunteers.
The cost is \$25 per month.

Mitchell County Hospital

LOCAL NEWS

Mitchell County participates Plains Trails event

The Texas Plains Trail program goes beyond scenic highways through the western plains region of Texas.

Working to improve tourism among the numerous West Texas towns and communities, the organization partnered with the Texas Historical Commission to commemorate county seats with a special stamp cancellation.

Mitchell County was recognized last Wednesday as the County of the Week as representatives from the Texas Plains Trail and the Southwest Collection from Texas Tech offered the commemorative cancellation mark at the local post office.

"A Plainview student designed the cachet which represents symbols of our region," Dolores Messer, past president of the Texas Plains Trail Region said.

Mitchell County was the 38th county recognized out of 52 counties in the Texas Plains Trail region.

The program began in Armstrong County and will continue

to orchestrate the stamp cancellation days through local post offices.

The program is part of the Texas Historical Commission's Texas Heritage Trails Program.

Begun during the Hemis Fair in 1968 in conjunction with San Antonio's 250th anniversary, the program created 10 scenic driving trails.

Today the program encourages communities to work together to promote tourism by focusing on Texas' historic and cultural resources.

"The Plains Trail is 52 counties, not the drive," Messer said. "We have a multifaceted role, promoting our historic towns in the counties."

The over-arching goal is promotion of events to Texans, as well as out-of-state travelers.

"We provide the best possible information to experience the real Texas, which we believe is West Texas," she said. "Every town has a unique story."

The program is working with

photographer Randy Vanderpool to build a photo archive of each county which should be available in 2011 for counties to use to promote tourism.

"It's a gift we can give to each county," Messer said.

Holle Humphries, with Texas Plains Trail, and Tai Kreidler, deputy director of the Southwest Collection special collections library at Texas Tech were on hand to answer questions and tour Colorado City. Part of Kreidler's mission is to preserve Texas history through preservation of community records.

The Texas Plains Trail program is looking at different ways to promote the West Texas region, from networking counties to creating new types of tours.

"It doesn't matter what you have," she said. "Everybody's got something."

For more information on the Texas Plains Trail and how the program can benefit Mitchell County, visit www.texasplains-trail.com



A SPECIAL STAMP cancellation through the Texas Plains Trail drew Deann Leggett and La Juan Womack (from left) back to Mitchell County from Midland. With roots in Colorado City and coming from a five-generation family of postal carriers, the ladies were the first to get the specialty cancellation.

Would be thieves leave copper

Police continue the investigation of an attempted robbery at a Colorado City apartment complex.

Several air condition units were removed from their bases at the Andrea Garden Apartments on Sunday, September 12, according to Police Chief Ron Dooley.

"The copper involved is worth a lot of money," he said.

The suspects managed to remove three units and were attempting to remove a fourth, when they fled the scene.

Andrea Gardens owner John Lomeli believes curiosity by tenants might be responsible for driving off the would-be thieves.

"One tenant opened the curtain when he heard the noise of escaping freon," Lomeli said. Two other tenants apparently opened the front doors to their apartments at the time of the incident.

Police estimate the damage to the air conditioners at approximately \$10,000.

Since nothing was removed

from the premises, the case is classified as criminal mischief.

"Any information that might help us develop a suspect would be really appreciated," Dooley said.

Theft of copper tubing, pipes and wiring is on the upswing according to Internet statistics from law agencies.

Additional damages to property can result in \$3,000 worth of damage for \$25 worth of scrap copper.

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October is pet friendly

October is National Adopt-a-Dog Month, and the Colorado City Police Department encourages residents to check out the selections of pets available for adoption through the city's website.

"We've reinstated our website on the city's website under the adoption page," Tommy Haran, animal control officer said.

All loose or stray animals, not registered through the CCPD, are taken to the animal shelter in Snyder at 3706 Brick Plant Road.

Pictures of the animals are updated daily on the Colorado City website.

"The site is updated every time an animal goes out there (to Snyder)," Haran said.

To see animals up for adoption, visit www.coloradocitytex.as.org and check the Adoption Information under the Animal Control bar under Departments.

At press time, there are eight animals listed on the website awaiting adoption. Animals tak-

See PETS page A5



SWING YOUR PARDNER -- Colorado City elementary students perform western dances at the Junktique Jamboree at the Railroad September 25.

Library book sale needs books

The Friends of the Library's annual book sale will be held on October 21-22 at the Mitchell County Library.

Book donations to help with the sale will be accepted by the Friends of the Library through October 13.

The more books that are available, the wider a selection for readers to choose from during the sale. All proceeds from the sale will be used to meet unfunded needs at the library, such

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OPINION & COMMENTARY

TUMBLEWEED SMITH From the cotton patch to the classroom

"I don't have to go to the fields anymore. I can go to the Rubaiyat or Shakespeare's Hamlet or Hemingway's Snows of Kilimanjaro."

David Woods of Colorado City grew up in the cotton patch. "We had a big family. People could make a good living with a big family. There were eleven of us kids. I had seven sisters and three brothers. I was the tenth child born. And we pulled cotton and chopped cotton. Everybody had a little sack and we all chipped in and did our job for the family."

He says people sang hymns while working in the cotton patch. Usually one person started the singing. "I think basically it lightened the tedium. Most of those folks sang in the church choir. Sometimes they sang blues and other kinds of music and you could hear them all over the patch. But whatever type of song they sang, it had a spiritual overtone to it. Nearer, My God To Thee was one of their favorites. They also did a lot of talking about what was going on. It gave them some relief from the arduous task of chopping cotton in the heat of the day or pulling cotton and having to bend over so much."

He attended the Wallace School, an all-black school near Colorado City founded in 1937. "It was country. Bus transportation was not offered to black students. I walked two and a half miles to school and two and a half miles back. A new school building was constructed in 1953 and about then we started riding the school bus."

David got involved in athletics and played basketball. "I got a scholarship in basketball, but track was my forte. I won three consecutive state championships in the one-mile run. My best time was four minutes, twelve seconds flat. For three years, I never lost a race in the one-mile run. A lot of my athletic ability developed from running to and from school when I was between six and ten years old."

When he went to Butler College in Tyler, some teachers assumed he was studying to be a coach, and seemed surprised when he told them he was an English major. When one teacher asked him what he enjoyed most about being a man studying English, he replied, "The fascination I get from reading the Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam, the sonnets of Shakespeare and the Transcendentalists Emerson and Thoreau. She then told me, 'you belong here.'"

David became a teacher in junior high school. "I referred to the girls as 'miss.' I referred to the boys as 'mister.' Respectability, I felt, was a vital element in teaching. I let them know the only way they were going to make it in life was to have the tools to make the journey. I told them at the beginning of the school year they were supposed to do certain things and act a certain way. I always looked forward to seeing them in class. They knew I cared about them. Some of those kids now are 35 or 40 years old and they come to me with their babies and put them in my arms and say, 'Mr. Woods, here is my baby. His name is David.'"



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Small town friendliness pays off

By Pete Kampfer

During World War II, the Union Pacific railroad transported over 6 million troops across the county in the infamous troop trains. Someone in a small town in the Great Plains had a bright idea: These troops were really mere boys in their late teens and early 20s, homesick, and unsure of their future. Why not open a canteen and serve them free coffee and rolls, give them a smile and friendly handshake? So, starting on Christmas Day, 1941, until April 1, 1946, every serviceman passing through, day or night, had his morale boosted by pretty girls and motherly

matrons serving refreshments.

This hospitality was offered, not by a big city with big city resources, but by the folks in North Platte, Nebraska, then a town of 12,000 people. Six million troops! How many rolls and doughnuts were added during those four and a half years? How many soft drinks, how many pots of coffee and tea, were served by the volunteers?

It took a small town to do this big deed, and the generous action paid off. Its spirit of volunteerism and enthusiasm helped North Platte double its population by the end of the century. It was selected by the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission as

the permanent site of a state-wide celebration, "Nebraskaland Days." The Union Pacific built the nation's largest rail classification yard at North Platte. Nebraska Public Power built a 2,000-megawatt generating plant near North Platte. And, Wal-Mart selected North Platte as the location of a large distribution warehouse. Small town friendliness pays off.

I want to thank all those volunteers who helped and participated in this year's Colorado City Junktique Main Street event. Thank you for making this year a successful Community effort. Small Town Friendliness Does Pay Off.

Re-writing the definition of poverty

By Carol Parsons

My Two Cents

If you missed the performance of R.J. Vandygriff's *The Cowboy Ain't Dead Yet*, you missed a rare treat.

The professional musician and actor gave a stirring soliloquy of the history of the American cowboy through song, poetry and dramatization at the Opera House last weekend.

More than mere entertainment, however, he brought the sacrifices and hardships of the cowboy's struggle to transition into a changing world into sharp and poignant focus.

He also redefined poverty, not as the lack of monetary wealth, but as the diminishing of appreciation for intangible qualities

which are disappearing from the American landscape.

Courtesy, respect, riding for the brand and making a hand have given way in America to making a buck with the least amount of effort.

The idea of giving everything you have to ensure the success of the company or others is nearly as extinct as the poppy mallow.

Far from romanticizing the life of a cowboy, Vandygriff's performance highlighted those timeless qualities that enrich a culture and make a dollar well-earned, well-satisfying.

No, I don't advocate a return to a time minus electricity, refrigeration and antibiotics. But I think we are impoverished to

day from a lack of gratitude, of helping one another without government mandates, of realizing that the extra effort expended to do a job well also benefits oneself.

If, as a society, we cannot re-establish those core values of honesty, decency, and hard work that built America, then we deserve to go the way of the buffalo, whose once great herds have vanished from the prairies.

Poverty of the spirit is harder to overcome than mere financial lack.

'Tis easy to point fingers at Washington, but the real strength of America lies in her roots. Re-defining the country has to begin at the grassroots level with each individual determining to do what is right just because it is right.

It's easier to fit the foot...

By Monte Wike

I worked my way through high school and college selling shoes. Sometimes this was in a family shoe store and others a big chain of women's shoes. I enjoyed selling, because you may have noticed, I like to talk.

To fit children's shoes was easy. We had three or four basic styles for boys, brown or black, and a few more for girls, and of course, more colors. You measured their foot, got some idea of what they wanted, and then went to the back and got what you had. The main thing was the fit for the present and to allow some growing room. You mashed on the toe, allowed a thumb's width for growth and rang up the sale.

The high school girls were not hard, because everyone wore the latest, hottest thing, ballet flats or penny loafers. And of course, the men would come in, tell you their size,

the style number of the shoe they always wore and in five minutes you were on your way to the cash register.

But selling shoes to the ladies was an entirely different story. They would shop the displays in the window, and come in with a long mental list of what they wanted to try. You measured their foot, just like others, but then the fun began. The size would be correct for what you measured, but it just looked so differently than it did in the (smallest sizes) in the window. The color was not just what they were looking for, or something would be wrong. Or you might have the exact shoe they wanted but were already out of the middle sizes that were a common fit. Then you tried to sell her what you had in her size. And there could be a dozen pair, but she had her heart set on a certain one. It was easier to fit her foot

than her head. And sometimes it was easy to fit her head and foot and her pocketbook complained.

Life is like that. It is much easier to fill basic needs than fancy desires. We have no trouble with staples; it is the exotics that get us. We make up our mind to something, and that is the way it must be. No one, children, ladies or men, are exempt from this syndrome. We get it in our heads what we want, from ice cream to cars, and we are so disappointed when it is not ours.

Adjustment and flexibility are some of the most desirable traits in human happiness. Alternatives are not that bad. Habits can be amended, traditions modified and dreams toned down. Life is not hard or impossible. We make it that way when we issue unreasonable demands.

Get your head and feet together!

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letter to the Editor,

It's officially fall - the time of year when the weather starts to cool, leaves begin to change and, for America's farmers, harvest is in full-swing.

For the 98 percent of American's who are not directly involved in the agriculture industry, the 24/7 life of a farmer or rancher may go unnoticed.

But, if you are reading this article, thank a tree producer for the paper and a soybean producer for the ink. If you are enjoying a cup of coffee, glass of milk, a bite to eat while you read, thank a farmer or rancher. When you dress for work or play - you guessed it - thank the 2.2 million Americans involved in production agriculture.

It's because of these individuals that we enjoy the basic necessities of life - food, clothing and shelter - in abundance and at a lower percentage of our expendable income than anywhere else in the world.

Nowhere, but in the United States, is such a wide variety of food available to everyday consumers. It's important to consider the farmers, ranchers and growers who work day in and day out to produce a plentiful, safe, affordable supply of food, fiber and fuel.

To bring the perspective closer to home, Mitchell County's 519 farms comprised of 574,995 acres of land produce agriculture products with a market value of more than \$27.3 million contributing significantly

to the county's economic infrastructure. Farms and ranches in Mitchell County produce Cotton, Sorghum, Wheat, Hay, Cattle, Sheep and Goats.

So this week, as you visit the grocery store, a restaurant, farmer's market or sit down to a meal with family and friends, I ask that you join my colleagues and me at the U.S. Department of Agriculture in thanking America's farmers and ranchers. I'm certain they will be grateful to know that their fellow citizens appreciate their role in making America a truly great nation.

Respectfully submitted,
Keith Hiser
County Executive Director

FILED WITH COUNTY CLERK

Esther Whitmore, Robert Strain, John Strain, James Strain, Timothy Strain, Stephen Strain to Marylon Family Partnership Agreement, Warranty Deed.

Amy Lara to Royce D. Clay Jr. Ttee, City National Bank - Colo. City, Home Equity.
Dewey R. Noleubby Ttee, Sharon E. Noleubby to Dept. of Treasury - Internal Revenue Service, R.A. Mitchell for Theresa Harley ACS, Federal Tax Ln.

Santos Reyes Jr. to City National Bank Colo City, Royce D. Clay Jr. Ttee, Home Equity.

Judy Davis Etheredge Trust to Scott Etheredge, Kelly Etheredge, Warranty Deed.

Judy Davis Etheredge Trust to City National Bank Colorado City, Royce D. Clay Ttee, Deed of Trust.

Judy Davis Etheredge Trust, Carolyn Davis Carwford Co-Ttee, Jay Stanley Etheredge Co-Ttee to Kelly Etheredge, Scott Etheredge, Assumption Agm.

Scott Etheredge, Kelly Etheredge to Jay Stanley Etheredge Ttee, Judy David Etheredge Trust, Deed of Trust.

Texas National Bank - Sweetwater to City National Bank - Colo City, Transfer of Lien.

Linda Fox to Mitchell County Hospital, Isabel Beltran Agent, Hospital Lien.

Lucille Pruitt to Mitchell County Hospital, Isabel Beltran Agent, Hospital Lien.

Harold Dee Carter Ttee aka, Harold D. Carter, Carter Family Trust to HDBC Investments Ltd, Asgmt/Convey.

J.E. Gaubert Estate, Harold D. Rogers Ind Executor to Dell trust, Harold D. Rogers Ttee, Asgmtn O&G Inter.

County of Mitchell Ttee for Itself, Loraine ISD Itself & Successor, Mitchell County Education Dist, City of Loraine, Ray Mayo County Judge to Mitchell County, Tax Deed.

Bobby Kimmel to Delfina M. Pedraza, Warranty Deed.

Christopher Cotton, Jonathan Cotton to

Frank Jez, Evelyn Jez, Warranty Deed.

Tommy Rasmussen aka, Tom Rasmussen to Security Bank, Jim Smitherman Ttee, 8th Amendment.

Georgie Irene Hazle Estate, Doyle Eugene Doyle Hazle Exec, Doyle Eugene Hazle to Cleo Elizabeth Hazle, Warranty Deed.

Kelly Wing Pres, Vista Bank, Security Bank fka to Jessie Flores, Release of Lien.

Unifund CCR Partners to Adelina Rivera, Abstract Judge.

Schlachter Oil and Gas Ltd, Danial R. Schlachter Mgr, Schlachter Petroleum LLC Gen Ptnr to Joe Amezcua, Terry Williamson, Schlachter Petroleum LLC, ASg Orr Roy Ln.

Wanza Elline Graham to Glenda Raye Hemphill, Michael Thane Hemphill, Deborah Sue Carlock Succ Agent, Power of Attorney.

Bobbie Ray Graham to Glenda Raye Hemphill, Michael Thane Hemphill, Deborah Sue Carlock Succ Agent, Power of Attor.

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Deutsche Bank National Trust Co Ttee, Owen Loan Servicing LLC Atty in Fact, Johnna Miller Auth Signer, Lester C. Gibbs, Cheryl B. Gibbs, Laura Browder succ Sub Ttee, Chrissy Holt Succ Sub Ttee, Marsha Monroe Succ Sub Ttee, Terry Browder Sub Ttee, Appoint Sub Ttee.

Lester C. Gibbs, Cheryl B. Gibbs, Marsha Montoe Succ Sub Ttee to Deutsche Bank National Trust Company Ttee, Soundview Home Loan Trust 2006, Sub Trustee De.

Comptroller of Public Accounts, State of Texas to Reynaldo Arguijo, Rel State Tax.

FILED IN COUNTY COURT

Kristy Glinis, 9-20-10, Theft Prop \$20-\$500 by Check Enh.

Kasey Lynn Garcia, 9-20-10, Assault Causes Bl.

Robert Brent Moore, 9-20-10, Duty on Striking Fixture/Hwy Landscape >=\$200.

Felipe Gutierrez, 9-20-10, Criminal Mischief

>\$50-\$500.

Robert Michael Arispe, 9-21-10, Crim Trespass Habit/Superfunding/Infrastructure.

Fernando Ramirez, 9-21-10, Poss Marij <2 oz.

Francisco Javier Garcia, 9-21-10, Poss Marij <2 oz.

Marino Alejandro Sanchez, 9-21-10, Poss Marij <2 oz.

Robert Allen Sharp, 9-21-10, Driving While Intoxicated.

Byron Richard, 9-22-10, Assault Causes Bl.

Desmond Gardell Merritt, 9-22-10, Driving While Intoxicated.

Arnulfo Joe Castillo, 9-23-10, Poss Marij <2 oz.

Joni Denise Kelly, 9-23-10, Theft <=\$20-\$500 by Check.

Yuri Rubio, 9-23-10, Theft <=\$20-\$500 by Check.

Hanneus Olisson, 9-23-10, Driving While License Invalid.

Luther Bud Turner III, 9-24-10, Driving While Intoxicated 2nd.

ARRESTS

Joshua J. Green, 18, THP, Poss. Cont. Sub., Dallas Co, Warrant, 9-22-10.

Shirley Garrett Parnell, 60, CCPD, PI, 9-23-10.

Kristy Glinis, 40, MCSO, Wmt Theft by Check, Wmt out of NM, 9-24-10.

Nancy Martinez Munoz, 40, CCPD, DWLI, 9-24-10.

David Lee Caldwell, 36, THP, DWI 3rd or more, 9-25-10.

Claylene Ruth Meyer, 18, CCPD, No DL, MUI - Minor, Minor in Consumption, 9-26-10.

Rodney Jay Richards, 24, CCPD, DWLI w/ Prev. Conv., 9-26-10.

Timothy Pierce, 32, CCPD, POM, FTA/ Mid. Co., 9-27-10.

Joseph Williams, 25, CCPD, Class C Warrant, 9-28-10.

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LOCAL NEWS

Flu vaccines available at Wallace Senior Center

The Department of State Health Services will be offering seasonal flu vaccinations in Colorado City on Tuesday, October 12 from 10 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 3 p.m.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention now recommend everyone over the age of six months be vaccinated for the seasonal flu as soon as possible. The shot takes about two weeks

to become effective and will provide protection throughout the flu season, which typically runs from October to May in Texas.

This year, the "all-in-one" seasonal flu vaccine will also include protection against H1N1.

The immunization clinic will be held at the Wallace Center Cafeteria, 149 S. Hwy. 208.

Call for appointment, 325-728-2392.

TRIAL

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jury deliberation by Friday.

This is the first homicide in Mitchell County since the 1997 murder of James Harper.

A daily report on the trial will be published on the Record's website: www.coloradorecord.com

TEAMS

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Bulldogs and Westbrook Wildcats will tangle in Westbrook for what might be a very interesting, and perhaps, pivotal game that could shape the play-off picture in District 7 (DII). Other district teams include a very good Sterling City and Trent teams.

GOAT

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ceive \$750 and third place winners will win \$500.

There will also be a jackpot cook-off for beans, pork ribs, brisket and dessert, which will be judged in conjunction with the boer goat on Saturday. There is an entry fee of \$15 for each jackpot entry. All entries must be cooked on site. Belt buckles for the first place in the barbecue ribs division are donated by Mr. and Mrs. Michael Browne in memory of their son, Cody.

Cash prizes will be awarded for Classiest Camp, Best of Show and The Linton Ray Webb's Friendliest Camp. Webb was the driving

Also the fire departments, TDCJ units and banking institute cooks will have their

own special contest for bragging rights and a Traveling Trophy with the winning team name inscribed on the trophy. No extra cooking is required. Participants are asked to notify the cook-off officials that their jackpot entry is also to be included in the Traveling Trophy contest.

Sponsors for this year's cook-off are Fuller Foods, Wood's Boots, Higginbotham-Bartlett/Ace Hardware and Benjamin Moore Paints, First National Bank, and CC Quality Meats.

Proceeds from the cook-off are used by the CCVFD to help purchase needed equipment and supplies.

For more information, contact the CCVFD at 728-5252.

COPPER

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Although copper buyers are required to verify copper authenticity, unscrupulous markets aren't picky about how they obtain the copper, often paying up to 90% of the market price according to an Ohio website.

"It's been a problem in Mitchell County and throughout West Texas for some time, but this is the first attempted theft we've seen in Colorado City," Dooley said.

Residents can protect themselves against copper thefts by

staying alert for suspicious activity near light poles, buildings under construction and air conditioning units. Any suspicious activity should be reported to the police immediately.

Hilti nails should be inserted through the base pan of air conditioning condensing units into the concrete pads it sits on, ensuring thieves have to drag off the 500 lb pad as well as the AC unit.

Exterior lighting and locking steel cages over AC units are also preventive methods.

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HOSPITAL

are three levels of care in the respite department, but the care is less stringent than the typical hospital admission. For example, patients will bring their own medications with them, to be administered while they are in respite care.

Dewberry also said that as of now, the limited care could be used up to 30 days and consideration would be given on a case-by-case basis if patients required a longer stay. He also added that if the beds were needed for acute care, they could be made available.

Donna Goebel, Director of Nurses at MCH, verified that the hospital currently has one patient in respite care. She also clarified that the service would not be "come and go", such as

adult daycare. "Once they're here, they're in," Goebel said.

In her nursing staff commission report, Goebel was happy to report that three hometown nurses had been added recently. She also said that Maria Morvant has been hired as the ER Manager, as of Tuesday.

Board member DeLynn Hackfeld asked if the district would be advertising the service, and Dewberry said that Toni Everett would probably be doing just that, as Everett is currently handling the advertising campaign being launched by the district.

During the financial report, Chief Financial Officer Joe Wright reported to the board that the hospital's bonds had been refinanced with private

PARK

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Texan Longhorns are as iconic to Texas as the Lone Star flag and cowboy.

"After the civil war, Texans needed money and the longhorns were here. They herded them up to Abilene, Kansas to start the cattle drives," Wright said. "After the 1900's other breeds came in for meat production as more desirable than the longhorns."

But the mystique of cowboys and cattle drives and longhorns endure in Texas, making the longhorns a star attraction.

"They're survivors," Thompson said, "and they're impressive."

Only the steers grow the massive horns that give the breed its

distinctiveness, although cows and bulls can also grow horns.

Thompson plans to enlist the aid of the elementary schools in a naming contest for the two steers, a 6-year-old brown and white with wide-spread horns and a 12-year-old roan with horns that curl up and back..

"Hopefully something other than T-Bone and Brisket," he joked.

"The thing that impresses me about Colorado City is its convenience to Abilene, San Angelo, Midland-Odessa and Lubbock. We hope new things to do at the park will get people interested," Thompson said.

PETS

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taken to the shelter have five days to be adopted before being put down.

City ordinances require all dog and cat owners within the city limits to register their animals through the CCPD. Animals that are spayed or neutered may be registered for \$8. The cost for animals that are not spayed or neutered is \$10. Yearly registration renewal is \$5. In addition to the registration fee, animals must be vaccinated yearly against rabies. The rabies vaccination at the Mitchell County Veterinary Clinic is \$8.

The benefit of registering local dogs and cats means any registered animal found loose or stray can be returned immediately to the owners. Unregistered animals are taken to the shelter in Snyder and owners cited after picking up their pets.

C-City owners can reclaim strayed unregistered pets at the Snyder facility at the following rates:

Unfixed animals: \$25 first offense; \$50 second offense; \$100 third offense; and \$125 for fourth offense.

Fixed animals: \$10 first offense; \$25 second offense; \$50 third offense; and \$100 fourth offense.

Adoption fees are \$35. Additional fees for registration and rabies vaccinations also apply. The Snyder Animal Shelter includes a \$70 voucher toward spaying and neutering with the adoption fee.

The shelter is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. and from 8 a.m. until 12 noon on Saturdays. The shelter is closed from 12 - 1 p.m. on Mondays.

placement of the bonds. "We didn't save as much as we had hoped, but we did save about \$230,000," Wright said. The overall savings amounts to approximately \$20,000 per year for the district. The bonds' sale will close on October 21.

Wright also stated that the EMS had seen 104 more calls as of August 31, compared with the same time frame last year. "It basically means they're packing 13 months of work into 12," he said.

Also according to Wright, the hospital had \$1,230,000 worth of cash on hand at the end of August.

In other action, Durbin & Co. was again approved as the auditing company to be used for the district's audit. The Lubbock-based company has the full support of administrator Dewberry. "They do a very good job. I've used them before and been very pleased with them," he said.

Wright said that the district would be sending the auditing company information by October 22, and the board should expect a report from the firm in

November.

The district quickly approved the renewal of insurance policies for healthcare, professional and general liability, as well as auto and worker's compensation insurance with Health Sure. Board members enjoyed a small break in their premiums, with the district saving \$11,613 over last year's premiums. "We had a good year (last year) with minimum claims," Dewberry said, citing the minimum number of claims as the reason for the decrease in premiums this year.

During his administrator's report, Dewberry said that the new digital radiology machine has been delivered and installed at the hospital and doctors are now using the new images. A bone density machine has also been installed. An open house is planned after some painting and other projects are finished.

Before adjourning, board members agreed to move the October regular meeting up a week to October 19. Several members of the board and the administrator will be attending a conference the last week in October.

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LOCAL NEWS

Grant funds to furnish improvements for library

Mitchell County Public Library patrons may notice the addition of some new computers and books, thanks to a grant from the Texas State Library and Archives Commission.

Mitchell County Public Library received \$5,339 from the commission's Loan Star Libraries program, which channels funds directly to Texas public libraries. These flexible funds supplement local funding sources and allow public libraries to offer a higher level of service to patrons of all ages.

"Because of this grant last year we were able to purchase new children and young adult books to benefit our readers, purchase two new patron computers, two staff computers and a projector to aide us with out-

reach and programs within the library. The Loan Star Library grant assists us with continued growth in our services for the community," says Library Director, Brigada Hiser.

The Texas State Legislature began providing Loan Star Libraries grant funds in 2002. The commission has distributed over \$35 million in funds to Texas public libraries to date; for fiscal year 2011, \$6 million in funds will be distributed to 541 accredited public libraries statewide.

Libraries may use these funds in whatever ways they choose to meet their communities' needs.

"Local librarians are in the best position to know what their communities need," says Commission Director and Librarian

Peggy D. Rudd. "These local leaders make decisions that result from sound community needs and thoughtful evaluation of library capacity, ensuring that Loan Star Libraries funds are spent in alignment with long-range goals and objectives. This partnership between the State of Texas and local governments has resulted in significant improvements to library programs and services for all Texans."

Come visit the Mitchell County Public Library at 340 Oak Street to see first hand all that is available due in part to the Loan Star Library grant. The library is open Monday 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Tuesday through Friday 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., call 728-3968 for questions or follow them on Facebook.

Simple precautions can help bypass the worst of flu season

Flu season is here again. Help protect yourself from getting the flu by getting vaccinated. The "flu shot" is an inactivated vaccine (meaning it contains a killed virus), so you cannot get the flu from the vaccine. Mitchell County Hospital is devoted to helping keep Mitchell County residents healthy.

Mitchell County Hospital will hold a flu clinic on Wednesday, October 6, from 12 noon to 6 p.m. in the East Tower of the hospital. The seasonal influenza vaccine will be available to everyone 6 months of age and older. The cost for the seasonal flu shot is \$20 per person, the high-dose

flu shot is \$75 per person and the pneumonia vaccine is \$50 per person, unless you are covered by Medicare. Medicare cards must be taken to clinic.

Human immune defense become weaker with age, which places older people at greater risk of severe illness from influenza. The high-dose influenza vaccine is intended to create a stronger immune response in the person 65 years of age and older. This means you should have better protection against the flu.

Children ages 6 months to 8 years will need to receive two doses of the seasonal influenza vaccine if they did not receive

Rain fails to dampen fun at Cowboy Breakfast

One of Colorado City's most enduring aspects is the close knit friendships that keep folks returning year after year for the county and class reunions and the Cowboy Breakfast.

"Friends draw me back," said Tim Stinson, a '73 graduate, now living in Kermit. Stinson met up with Bob Ramage and his old high school coach Doug Chitsey at a high school reunion this past weekend at the civic center.

"Lots of classmates still live here. There are lots of memories," he said.

Jerome Buxkemper, former Wolves coach from 1948-1953, brought his family to enjoy an early morning bacon, egg and sausage breakfast in the Kiwanis Park.

Buxkemper coached both Don Maynard and Hollis Gainey.

"I was fortunate enough to coach the two most outstanding athletes to come out of Colorado High School," Buxkemper said. "Hollis went on to UT to set world records in the 440 and 880 relays." Buxkemper was present in Canton, Ohio when Maynard was inducted into the Pro-Football Hall of Fame.

"Seventeen of my players played college football," he said. Buxkemper went on to use his talents overseas, working with

6000 students from US military families to capture the European championships in Frankfurt, Germany for six years in row.

His secret to success, according to wife Harriet was, "I heard him say, 'I tried to get my lesser players as close as possible to my very best players.'"

Buxkemper and his wife also taught in Yokahoma, Japan on military bases.

For his 70th birthday, three-star generals and engineers hosted a surprise three-day birthday celebration in Silver Springs, Maryland.

"It was just amazing," Harriet said. "One player (former student) cried for 15 minutes."

Buxkemper's daughter, Alexa, was instrumental in reviving the sport of roller derby for a number of years. Alexa, aka Polly Urethane, skated with the TXRD Lonestar Rollergirls team the Cherry Bombs, upon which the movie *Whip It* with Drew Barrymore and Ellen Page is based.

PUBLIC NOTICE

On September 17, 2010, Atmos Pipeline - Texas, a division of Atmos Energy Corporation ("APT" or the "Company"), filed a Statement of Intent to change its natural gas transportation rates for firm and interruptible customers and implement a new schedule of rates and riders applicable to all transportation customers receiving service under existing Rate Schedules CGS and Rate Schedule PT. The proposed effective date of the requested rate changes is October 22, 2010. If approved, the proposed changes will affect approximately 4 firm transportation customers and 63 interruptible transportation customers. APT's Other Revenue customer class is not affected by this filing.

If approved, the proposed rates will increase the Company's annual revenues by \$38.9 million. The proposed change in rates constitutes a "major change" as that term is defined by Section 104.101 of the Texas Utilities Code. In addition, the Company seeks to recover all rate case expenses as allowed by law. The exact amount of rate case expenses will not be known until the case is completed.

Based on the proposed rate design, the meter charge will be eliminated, and the capacity charge and usage rate applicable for each of the customer classes affected by this filing will increase by the amount shown in the table below:

Customer Class	Current Meter Charge	Proposed Meter Charge	Difference
CGS - Mid-Tex	\$4,356.69	\$0.00	(\$4,356.69)
CGS-CoServ	\$4,356.69	\$0.00	(\$4,356.69)
CGS - Other	\$2,425.17	\$0.00	(\$2,425.17)
PT	\$6,124.34	\$0.00	(\$6,124.34)

Customer Class	Current Capacity Charge	Proposed Capacity Charge**	Difference
CGS - Mid-Tex	\$0.9988	\$4.8444	\$3.8456
CGS-CoServ	\$0.8507	\$3.9815	\$3.1308
CGS - Other	\$0.9988	\$3.9815	\$2.9827
PT	\$0.0000	\$2.6276	\$2.6276

**The customer charge reflected on the bill for each customer class is calculated as follows: customer charge = MDQ (Maximum Daily Quantity) * capacity charge (customer charge will vary by customer based on the customer's MDQ).

Customer Class	Current Usage Charge	Proposed Usage Charge	Difference
CGS-Mid-Tex	\$0.2103	\$0.0276	(\$0.1827)
CGS-CoServ	\$0.1778	\$0.0276	(\$0.1502)
CGS-Other	\$0.2103	\$0.0276	(\$0.1827)
PT-1st Tier	\$0.1739	\$0.0163	(\$0.1576)
PT-2nd Tier	\$0.1579	\$0.0163	(\$0.1416)

In addition to rate revisions, APT seeks to adopt a Rate Schedule CGS - Mid-Tex to be applicable solely to Atmos Energy Corp., Mid-Tex Division. This Rate Schedule will, consistent with the Commission's Final Order Nunc Pro Tunc in GUD No. 9869, include recovery of ad valorem taxes related to Mid-Tex's working gas in storage, as well as the return and related taxes on Mid-Tex's working gas in storage, the Accumulated Deferred Income Tax for UNICAP Section 263A and the WACOG to FIFO change related to the Mid-Tex working gas in storage. A second Rate Schedule CGS - Other is proposed for all other city gate customers that is identical to the proposed Rate Schedule CGS - Mid-Tex with the exception of the requested changes related to Mid-Tex's working gas in storage. Other proposed tariff changes include a new Rider REV, a new Rider WGIS, and minor wording changes in the other existing Riders applicable to service provided by APT. Specifically, APT seeks to adopt a new, revenue tracking mechanism (Rider REV) that will adjust Rate CGS and Rate PT annually for changes in the level of revenue received from APT's "Other Revenue" customer class in the prior year. APT also proposes to adopt a new Rider WGIS to establish a twelve (12) month surcharge to be applicable to Atmos Energy Corp, Mid-Tex Division to recover the regulatory asset balance in Account 182.3 - Other Regulatory Assets that has accumulated since the entry of the Commission's Final Order Nunc Pro Tunc in GUD No. 9869. APT proposes to adopt minor wording changes to all of its existing Riders, including a change in the title of Rider FF to Rider MF. Additional minor changes to APT's other Riders are proposed that will, for example, delete unnecessary definitions.

Persons with specific questions or desiring additional information about this filing may contact Atmos Energy Corporation at 1-214-206-2809. Complete copies of the filed Statement of Intent, including all proposed rates and schedule changes, are available for inspection at Atmos' offices located at 5420 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1600, Dallas, Texas 75240. In addition, any affected person may file in writing comments, a request for intervention or a protest concerning the proposed change in rates with the Docket Services Section of the Office of General Counsel, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711-2967, at any time within 30 days following the date on which the change would or has become effective. Please reference GUD Docket No. 10000.

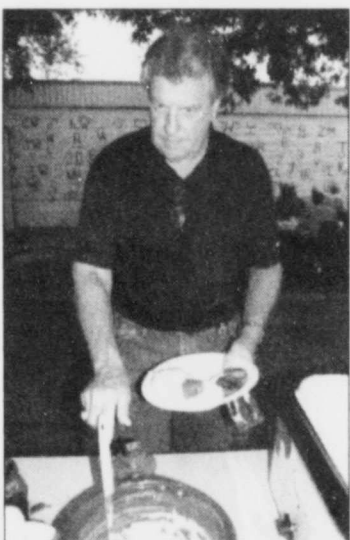
Este es un aviso a los clientes de APT División de Atmos Energy Corporation, (la "Compañía"), que la Compañía está solicitando un cambio en la tarifa de transportación de gas natural para clientes firmes y interruptibles. Si usted tiene preguntas con respecto a este cambio, por favor llame a Atmos Energy Corporation al 1-214-206-2809.

We would like to thank each and everyone for their help and support during our 1st annual Alzheimers Memory Walk. If it was not for you and the local businesses, we could not have made it possible.

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ROSS GLOVER JR. of Dripping Springs, Texas enjoys a hearty, home-cooked meal at the Cowboy Breakfast last Saturday. The breakfast in Kiwanis Park, sponsored by the City National Bank with help from numerous volunteers, kicked off the Mitchell County Reunion drawing over 80 people.

Seventh Day Slumber concert set in Sweetwater

By Kimberly Gray

For the first time, Sweetwater will host a concert with major Christian recording artists. Seventh Day Slumber, along with KJ-52 and The Letter Black will be in concert at the Sweetwater High School auditorium on Sunday, Oct. 17, starting at 7 p.m.

Loran Rule, youth pastor for Emmanuel Fellowship Church in Sweetwater and organizer for the concert, said it all happened as a result of a conversation on Facebook.

Because of sponsorships from local businesses, politicians and attorneys, organizers were able to rent the high school auditorium and offer an affordable ticket price - \$5 each or \$10 at the door.

If proceeds exceed the cost of the event, Emmanuel Fellowship Church will set aside the remaining funds raised to help fund a planned mission trip to Haiti. High school and college students will be going to Haiti in July of 2011, sponsored by the church.

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LOCAL NEWS

Reunion recalls memories of bygone years

The Mitchell County Reunion was a great place for long time friends to catch up on all the news.

Classmates from several class reunions, as well as folks just wanting an excuse to visit met up at the Civic Center Saturday, September 25 for the reunion. The class of 1950 celebrated their 60 year reunion along side of earlier classes.

Camilla and Drew Ballard, from the classes of 1954 and 1959 respectively grew up in Colorado City and "like to keep up with what's happening."

Joyce Leonard, class of '47, lived on a farm. "I didn't associate much with my schoolmates, but I loved all of 'em," she said.

She recalled Rayanne Carlock's dad as the most special person in town. "Si Hamm was always ready to help," she said. The town pharmacist, Hamm had a listening ear for the town's young people and was "always ready to talk."

The aftereffects of World War

II were still fresh in the graduates' memories.

"We'd just been through World War II," Leonard said, who married before she graduated at 16. "It was good to be over, but it was still a tough life. The economy was not back to where it should have been."

Those were the days before 12 years of school.

"I passed from the fifth to the seventh grade and graduated after the 11th," Leonard said. "They added grade 12 at the bottom instead of the top, so we didn't have to go."

Her husband, Bill, accompanied Joyce to her grade school reunion in Quannah last month. Twenty four alumni showed up.

He remembers the years following WWII as hard. "Everything was close. We had no money. Bill grew up in Mobetie, with no water and no electricity. "We were poor, but we didn't know it," he said.

"Nobody else had anything either," Joyce said.

From growing everything needed to eat or "you didn't eat", to carrying water and cooking with kerosene, those years were not without humor as folks ordered chickens by mail.

"We got them by the boxful through the mail," Joyce said. "Baby chicks with tiny holes in the box. We ate chickens and killed hogs as soon as it got cold."

The biggest difference between then and now seems to be a distinct change in attitude according to Bill. Morality was different and nothing had to be locked up. A hand shake on a deal was as binding as any legal contract.

"It's a totally different world

now," he said. "We understood what doing without is all about. If you didn't have money, you didn't get it. Today, if there's no money, we use a credit card."

For Drew Ballard, Colorado City is responsible for transforming a shy kid into an accomplished radio announcer.

"I was a shy, young man, growing up on a farm as an only child," he said. "Gladys Miller came along and took it on herself as a challenge to get me semi-normal and she did. She was a tough teacher, one of the best."

Ballard's first job in radio was at KVMC in 1950.

"I had a show, Draggin' with Drew," he said. "I played rock

and roll when it first came out." He received 120-125 calls daily because he played "the right kind of music - Elvis and Fats Domino. We were the first to play here in West Texas."

Ballard went on to own his own stations, eventually owning and operating KVMC for a number of years. He owned seven stations at one time.

"Pretty good for a farm boy off the streets," he said. "Radio has been my career and I loved it."

The people connection remains the backbone of Colorado City's charm.

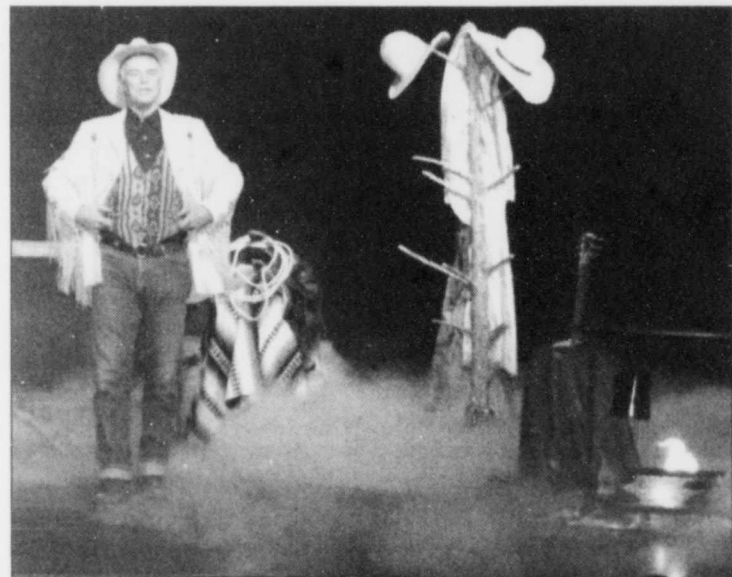
"Good ole West Texas people. Small towns have advantages," Ballard said. "I like small towns

where you know everybody. Having friends, that's the good part."

His wife, Camilla, recalled her four years as a member of the band.

"We went to Wichita Falls for the Christmas parade," Camilla said. "I had white majorette boots that had belonged to someone else. We marched so long, I wore a hole in one of my boots. We had such fun."

Fellow band member and trumpet player, Red Barber, wrote Prairie Jump. "It became our school song," she said. "We played it at pep rallies downtown across from the Palace on Thursday nights."



THEATER IS A REFLECTION of the character of a community. You have a wonderful community here." RJ Vandygriff gave a stellar performance of *The Cowboy Ain't Dead Yet* at the Opera House September 25, 26. The renowned performer has agreed to return next year for another performance. Photo courtesy of The Opera House

Post to hold seminar for using tax dollars

A workshop to help communities make the most of local hotel and motel tax dollars will be held in Post, Thursday, October 7.

The Proper Usage of the Hotel Occupancy Tax & Financing Local Tourism will be presented by the Texas Leadership Institute, sponsored by the Caprock Cultural Association and Garza County from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. at The Heritage House, 109 N. Avenue N.

The workshop is designed to help businesses and communities learn how to use hotel occupancy tax money to help finance advertising and promotion; historical restoration and preservation; sporting related events; visitor information and convention centers

organizations or communities.

The workshop is open to non-profit organizations, local government officials, Chambers of Commerce or anyone who wants to gain a better understanding how to use hotel occupancy tax within the community.

The conference fee is \$115 per person, which includes the conference fee, course materials, lunch and breaks. Conference fees for reservations made by October 1 are \$99. After October 1, the registration is \$115.

Limited seating is available. To register call 806-495-4148 or email ccarts@poka.com. Registrations may be mailed to Caprock Cultural Association, P. O. Box 37, Post, TX 79356.

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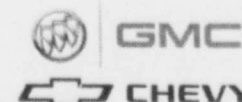
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SOCIETY

October 9th

KCCB fall clean-up set

Keep Colorado City Beautiful will hold its city wide fall cleanup on October 9.

Citizens with lumber, building materials, tree limbs or non-metallic furniture are encouraged to

bring such items to the city landfill from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Saturday, October 9.

Any household trash or items contaminated by food or petroleum products will not be accepted.

ed, but must go in the regular dumpsters for weekly pickup by Duncan Disposal.

Metal or appliances should be taken to the west gate of P.J.'s east of town, which will be open all day Saturday.

Citizens who are disabled, elderly or do not have access to a pickup or a trailer need to call the Chamber of Commerce between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. at 728-3403, Monday through Friday and ask for assistance and KCCB will make those pickups on Saturday morning, October 9. Requests for pickup assistance will be accepted until 5 p.m. on Wednesday, October 6.

"Since the arrival of the dumpsters, many citizens still have trash cans in their alley that they need to discard," Bob Reily, KCCB president said. "If the manpower is available, KCCB will make separate runs to pick up those trash cans. When you call the Chamber of Commerce office, please indicate if you have trash cans that need to be picked up."

"This is a special day for citizens to clean up their alleys and backyards," he said. "The city is opening the landfill all day Saturday to help us make our community a cleaner and better place to live and work. KCCB encourages all citizens to take advantage of this day."

Anyone who would like to help in the cleanup needs to report to the First Baptist Church parking lot at 8 a.m. on Saturday, October 9. Coffee and doughnuts will be served from 7:30 a.m. until 8 a.m. and lunch will be served at the All Saints Episcopal Church when the routes are finished.

As in the past, the City National Bank will provide the noon meal and the morning doughnuts and coffee.

The cleanup is expected to finish by noon and KCCB welcomes any and all volunteers.



KEEP COLORADO CITY BEAUTIFUL members Andy Beddingfield and Ed Blake take a moment from planning the KCCB city wide clean-up on Saturday, October 9 to check out resident receptacles for recycling. Photo courtesy KCCB

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FORMER WARDEN VISITS Opera House - Rodney and Gayle Cooper paid a visit to the Colorado City Opera House last Saturday while visiting long-time friends Bobby and Jan Lemons. (From left) Bobby Lemons, Rodney Cooper, Jan Lemons and Gayle Cooper.

Retired teachers meet

The Mitchell County Retired School Personnel kicked off the new school year on Sept. 14 with a program presented by Loyce Phillips of Big Spring, District 18 President of the Texas Retired Teachers Association.

Phillips reminded everyone that the state organization provides a voice for both active and retired school personnel and is constantly monitoring issues with the Teacher Retirement System that might affect retirees. She said that the organization encourages the Texas Legislature and the Teacher Retirement System to ensure that the pension trust fund is preserved to pay, upon retirement, annuities and future annuity increases to the retired members of the TRS.

Phillips said that TRTA is the largest association for retired public school and higher education employees and now ranks number one in membership in the nation. TRTA has almost 72,000 members who continue to be involved in local public school education through volunteer hours and the children's book project. The TRTA Children's Book Project involves local unit

members giving books to children who might not otherwise have books of their own. The local organization donates the books through the Community Mission each December for children in each of the three school districts in the county.

Janie Lou Greenlee, president of the local organization, presided over the meeting.

Martha Anderson, first vice president, presented Jim Baum, owner of KVMC/KAUM Radio, with a Certificate of Recognition School Bell Award for outstanding media coverage of educational news. Anderson praised his willingness to keep the public informed of the activities of the retired school personnel and also of the news from the Texas Legislature on issues that might affect the local retirees.

Other officers are Janet Mayo, second vice president; Mary Ellis, treasurer; and Frances Godwin, secretary.

The barbecue dinner meeting was held in the fellowship hall of First United Methodist Church

and was attended by 30 persons. Tables were decorated in primary colors of red, blue, yellow and green and featured traditional back-to-school supplies which were donated to Kelley Elementary this year. Each year, the organization donates the school supplies to one of the elementary schools in the county.

Special entertainment was provided by Troy Sutton of Abilene who entertained the crowd with dinner music as well as with a variety of funny stories and jokes after the dinner.

Those attending the meeting were Janie Lou and Don Greenlee, Martha and Phil Anderson and Ginger, Ray and Janet Mayo, Mary Ellis, Frances Godwin, Charles Bowen, Margaret Trulock, Bo Merket, Bobby and Joan Lemons, Hollis and Nell Gainey, Dale and Leslie Geiger, Margaret Sparks, Sandra Phillips and Terry Sanner, Wilma and Jerry Reynolds, Troy Sutton, Alta Nation, Woody and Susan Anderson, Jim and Linda Baum and Loyce Phillips.

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JIM BAUM (left) and his wife, Linda, owners of KVMC-KAUM Radio, were awarded a Certificate of Recognition School Bell Award for outstanding media coverage of educational news by the local chapter of Retired School Personnel at a meeting held recently at First United Methodist Church.

THANK YOU!!

The Cowboy Breakfast last Saturday was a great success despite the clouds. We served around 80 people, who enjoyed all the good food and fellowship time with good friends.

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LORAINE NEWS

By Sharon Green

Loraine Correspondent

Got a birthday shout-out to Susan Garcia Sanchez this time. Manuela Sanchez and Jennifer Fales took Susan over to Mi Ranchito restaurant in Colorado City Thursday for her birthday.

Susan also celebrated her birthday with Bobby and the kids, as her daughter Tricia Sanchez Sewell made a big fried chicken dinner followed by a strawberry birthday cake and Susan's grandbabies Christian and Kylee topped that off by presenting Susan with a beautiful rose.

Susan and her husband Bobby are great Loraine folks like their parents before them. Susan was actively involved as an LISD student and became a parental supporter through her children's years there as well. We are very grateful for their family in this community.

Happy Birthday Susan!

Tricia Sanchez Sewell is our newest Loraine Western Bank lady and on behalf of Loraine, we want to say, "It's good to see your pretty face at the window!"

And how 'bout them Bulldogs?! 5-0 wow. We have a strong team and our coaches are doing it right! And the school spirit is just radiating from our LISD cheerleaders too. You girls are doing such a precision job at getting the crowd involved. Kristi Martin is the sponsor for the cheerleaders and Celia Rico and Evon Harbor are camera-ready and capturing every moment. Well, just great job all-around LISD!

I went down to get the news from my senior correspondents at the Loraine Senior Center and saw a dear friend that I hadn't laid eyes on in years. Elaine Mickle Jamison had come in for JA Sadler, her uncle's funeral, stayed to visit a bit with her aunt Yvonne and go to the Colorado High School reunion. At first I thought we might not have a

thing to say, but once we got to talking we couldn't get it all said fast enough.

Elaine has lived many years with her husband Rex in Muskogee, Oklahoma and both of their children have settled back in Texas, so she was excited to report that by the first of the year, they will hopefully be back too.

Sounds like they plan to settle down further east where the children are located, but I'm just glad to hear that they will be bonafide Texans again! It was great seeing you, Elaine. Thanks for keeping up with us through the *Colorado City Record*.

Charles Dunn and Dorothy Norwood entertained at the Loraine Senior Center on Wednesday and Jo Beth Bauman visited, but it's just been busy days for everyone and not a whole lot of people have been able to make it down to the center here of late.

I know Tome and I have been busy winterizing now for cold weather later. Hopefully visitation will pick up as fall settles in.

Brother Hartley's message to the Loraine Baptist Church last Sunday was "Why I Preach about Jesus." That is something we should all stop to consider. It might assist us in a more thorough job of getting The Word out there to the world.

Loraine First United Methodist Church will have Charge Conference November 2nd at 7:00 p.m.

The special music for the Methodist Church Sunday morning was from Lillie Funderburg as she sang, "It Is No Secret."

The Ladies Salad Dinner will be held Monday evening 6:00 pm October 4th at the Loraine Methodist Church. All women are welcome to bring their favorite salad and join the fellowship.

Ginning season is cranking up and it gets tough here in Loraine. There are a lot of hard-working

people that sacrifice their home life this time of year, even leaving their families to celebrate the holidays without them for the most part.

To all the farmers, drivers, employees at Mitchell Co. Gin as well as the Loraine Co-Op that will work non-stop 24/7 over the next several months, God be with you and keep you safe and we'll see you in the spring.

Last week was Deaf Awareness Week. Texas School for the Deaf in Austin was established in 1856 and has been home away from home for the deaf, blind and orphaned ever since.

Kasey Cole Smith is a senior there and he wrote this on my Facebook page during the week. I wanted to share.

"What matters deafness of the ears when the mind hears? The one true deafness, the incurable deafness, is that of the mind" Victor Hugo

"A deaf person can do anything except hear." King Jordan, Former President of Gallaudet "To Sign is Human." H Dirksen L Beaman

Kasey said, "I especially like these quotes, because it shows that we could be equal if there was no racism, ageism, sexism, 'audialism' and things like that. We have too many words with 'ism' in it. We are all human beings, we all have minds, a way to develop a style of communication. You know, millions of years ago, we had cavemen on this world and they had no way to understand each other through verbal communication except for grunts so they used gestures to express their ideas.

Time went by and they grew to understand the logic and basic needs. They developed a language they could speak that expressed a specific idea. So if you think about it, it's human to develop a sign language for deaf people; to have a form of communication so that we can understand each other and exchange ideas through signing."

Then he made a little joke of

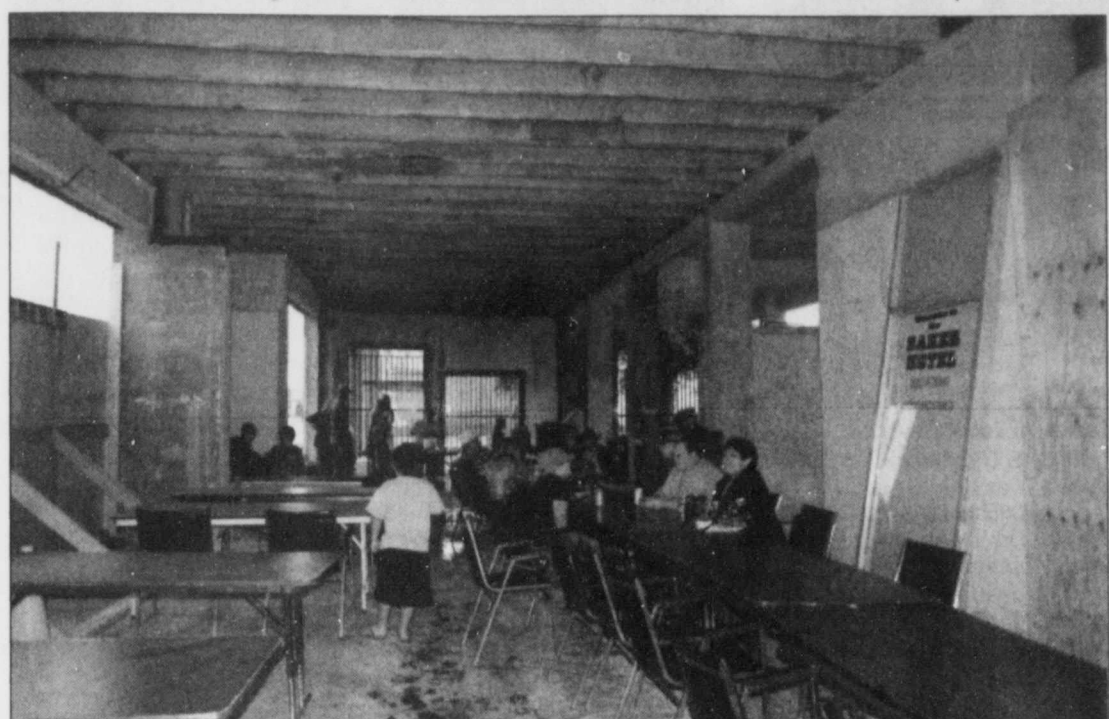
some kind so nobody would notice how deep and intelligent he is.

Kasey is from a small Texas town just as most of the children are that enroll in TSD. Although we parents miss having them

home with us, we also recognize the benefit of these kids being unified with the deaf community. The self worth they gain by learning from highly successful and motivated teachers and administration that are deaf as

well. Children with special needs don't have an illness, so they are not contagious. They want the same things we all want, which is to be accepted.

Call me with your news at



FOR THE FIRST time in decades, diners enjoyed fine eating once again at the Baker Hotel. Volunteers served fajitas in the downstairs portion of the Baker Hotel to help raise funds to clean up the historic hotel. It is estimated that over 500 people visited the Baker last weekend during Junktique Jamboree.

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF LORAIN

TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM

The City of Loraine is giving notice of the City's intent to submit a Community Development Block Grant Fund application for a grant from the Texas Community Development Block Grant Program. The grant application request is \$275,000 for water and sewer system improvements. The application is available for review at City Hall during regular business hours.

GO BULLDOGS! Beat the Rangers!



MEMBERS OF THE 2010 Loraine Bulldog football team are: (front row, l-r) Nick Kaucher, Tristan Mosher, Sean Casey, Timothy Garza, Este Benivamondez, Ricky Cantu and Randy Muñoz; (back row, l-r) Coach Robert Sanchez, Scotty Bailey, Andy Limones, Toby Garza, Joe Iglehart, Brandon Gibson, Coach Brandon Langston and Head Coach Robert Jackson.

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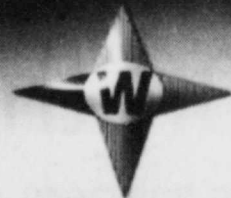
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SCHOOL NEWS



THE CHS DRUM Line competed in the West Texas Auxiliary Contest last weekend in Lubbock. The line placed 1st among all competing 2A schools. Drum line members include: (back row, l-r) Band Director Chaz Branch, Michael Molina, Josh Sutton, Blaze Alford, Tucker French, Landon Johns; (front row) Kayley Hill, Damian Davila, Alyssa Stanford, Whitney Ortiz, Sarah Campos, Sarena Lujan and Captain Alyssa Bonner. Photo courtesy of Tonya Hubbard.



MEMBERS OF THE CHS Colorado Guard placed 1st against all 2A schools and won the award for Overall Outstanding Small School Flag Line at the auxiliary competition held in Lubbock last weekend. Members of the line are: (l-r) Emma Leanos, Taylor Griffith, Megan Bullard, Bethany Blassingame, Tara Higgins, Macall Maddox, Valeria Vera and Micah Minkina. Photo courtesy of Tonya Hubbard.

CHS band takes top honors at WTAC

The Colorado High twirlers, color guard, drum line and drum major competed in the West Texas Auxiliary Contest held in Lubbock last weekend.

Drum Major Tucker French received a Superior rating for his solo routine.

All four twirlers, Kalea Hubbard, Sydney Upshaw, Brittany Vasquez and Alyssa Leverton, received Superior ratings on their solos. Upshaw also received the Outstanding Soloist Award. As a whole, the twirling line received 1st place while competing against other 2A schools and won the award for Overall Outstanding Small School Twirling Line.

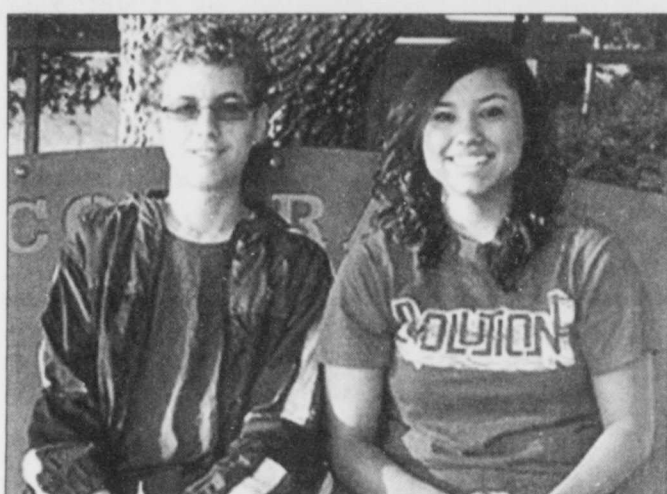
The color guard received 1st place against all 2A schools and won the award for Overall Outstanding Small School Flag Line. Members of the color guard are Bethany Blassingame, Tara Higgins, Megan Bullard, Emma Leanos, Micah Minkina, Macall Maddox, Valeria Vera and Taylor Griffith.

The drum line received 1st place among all competing 2A schools. Members of the drum line are Alyssa Bonner, Blaze Alford, Josh Sutton, Tucker French, Landon Johns, Sarah Campos, Whitney Ortiz, Damian Davila, Sarena Lujan, Alyssa Stanford, Kayley Hill and Michael Molina.

Colorado High School received the WTAC 2010 Overall Champion award. This competition included all competing 1A through 5A schools.

Adrianna Gomez participated in the Region Jazz Auditions in Reagan County last weekend also. She earned second chair Alto Saxophone.

Trey Kimball also auditioned, earning second chair Tenor Saxophone.



CHS BAND MEMBERS Trey Kimball and Adrianna Gomez auditioned for the All Region Jazz Band last weekend. Kimball was named 2nd chair in the tenor saxophone section and Gomez was selected for 2nd chair in the alto saxophone section. Photo courtesy of Tonya Hubbard.



THE CHS TWIRLERS (l-r) Alyssa Leverton, Brittany Vasquez, Sydney Upshaw and Kalea Hubbard, competed at the West Texas Auxiliary Contest last weekend in Lubbock. The twirlers received several awards including Outstanding Small School Twirling Line. Photo courtesy of Tonya Hubbard.



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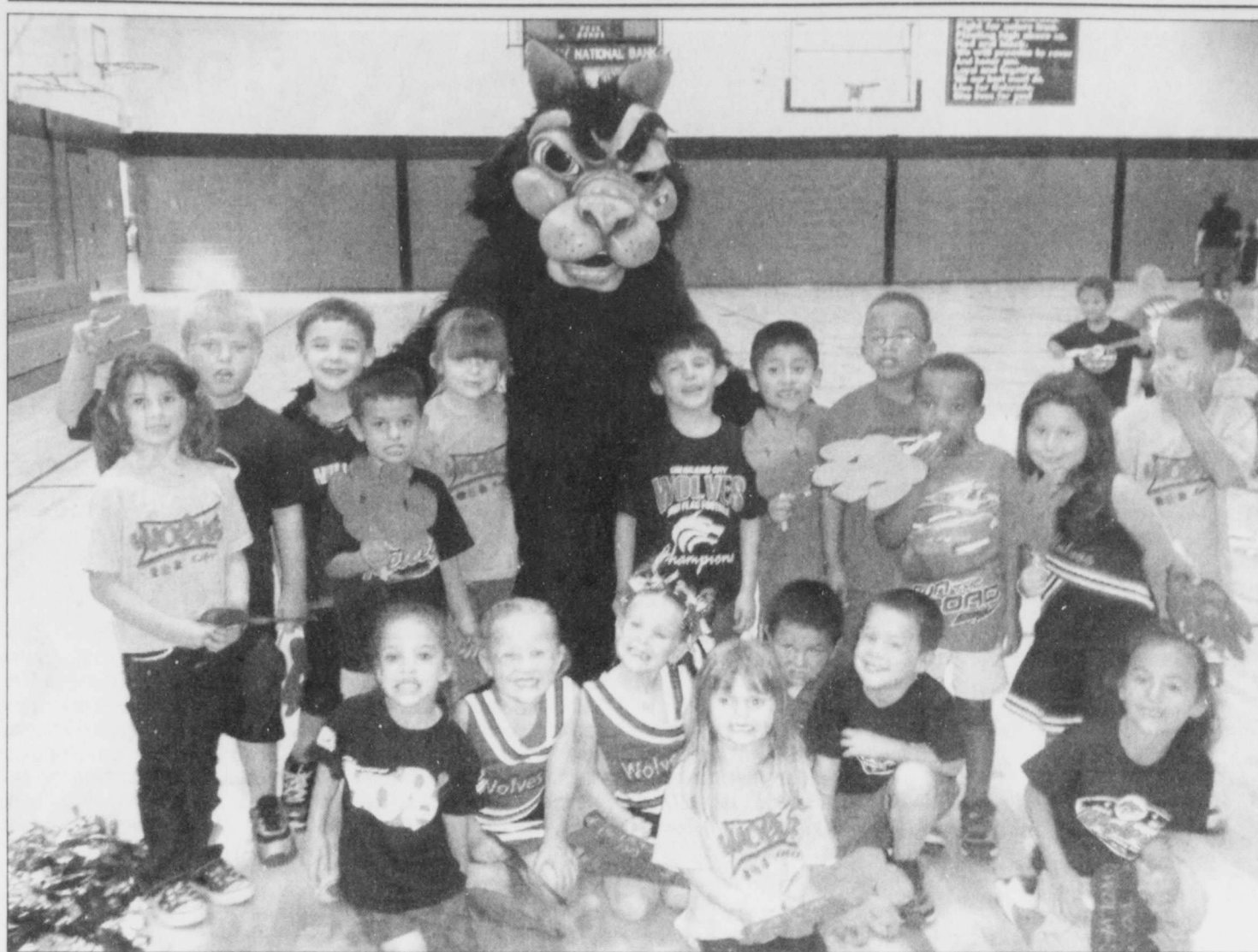
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SCHOOL NEWS



KELLEY HAS CLASS... The kindergarten classes went to the pep rally on Friday, September 24. Mrs. Shields' class posed with Sluefoot the Wolf. Students in Mrs. Shield's class are: (l-r) Zykierra Hogan, Brenlye Strain, Braylee Stone, Emma Sanchez, Johnathan Sanford, Nicholas Santana, Emily Madrid; (back row) Autumn Rivera, Jacob Deen, Jaxx Johnson, Guy Vanderpool, Jessica Martin, Sluefoot, Nicholas Muñoz, Jeremiah Lara, Cam'ron Hayes, Isaac Williams, Jaden Mendoza, Jacoby James. Not pictured is Gracey Caswell. *Photo courtesy of Kay Shields.*

SCHOOL MENUS

CISD Head Start Breakfast Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – dry cereal, toast, chilled juice, milk.
Tuesday – Cream of Wheat, toast, chilled juice, milk.
Wednesday – mini corn dogs, chilled juice, milk.
Thursday – yogurt with toast, chilled juice, milk.
Friday – scrambled egg, toast, chilled juice, milk.

CISD Head Start Lunch Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – grilled cheese sandwich, vegetable soup, mixed fruit, milk.
Tuesday – spaghetti w/meat sauce, sweet peas, Texas toast, pears, milk.
Wednesday – steak fingers, green beans, mashed potatoes, strawberries, milk.
Thursday – chalupa, golden corn, applesauce, milk.
Friday – hot dog on a bun, French fries, fresh veggies, crushed pineapple, milk.

Kelley & Hutchinson Breakfast Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – dry cereal, toast, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Tuesday – mini corn dogs, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Wednesday – oatmeal, toast, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Thursday – sausage w/toast, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Friday – egg and cheese burrito, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Kelley & Hutchinson Lunch Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – pizza, glazed carrots, green beans, canned fruit, choice of milk.
Tuesday – BBQ on bun, baked beans, potato salad, canned fruit, choice of milk.
Wednesday – Salisbury steak, potatoes w/gravy, sweet peas, hot roll, canned fruit, choice of milk.
Thursday – Frito pie, spicy pinto, tossed salad, canned fruit, choice of milk.
Friday – wolf burger, lettuce cup, fries, fresh fruit, choice of milk.

Colorado Middle School Breakfast Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage & biscuit, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Tuesday – dry cereal, biscuit, mini corn dog, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Wednesday – dry cereal, breakfast Hot Pockets, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Thursday – dry cereal, biscuit, pancakes, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.
Friday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage and biscuit, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Colorado High School Breakfast Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage & biscuit, chilled fruit

juice, choice of milk.

Tuesday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage and biscuit, waffles w/ syrup, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Wednesday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage and biscuit, breakfast Hot Pockets, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Thursday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage and biscuit, breakfast on a stick, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

Friday – dry cereal, biscuit, sausage & biscuit, potato and egg burrito, chilled fruit juice, choice of milk.

CMS & CHS Lunch Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – pizza, fries, veggies and dip, apple cobbler, choice of milk.
Tuesday – spaghetti w/meat sauce, golden corn, garlic bread, canned fruit, choice of milk.
Wednesday – Salisbury steak, potatoes and gravy, sweet peas, hot rolls, canned fruit, choice of milk.
Thursday – King Ranch casserole, spicy pinto, tossed salad, canned fruit, choice of milk.
Friday – Wolf burger, fries, lettuce cup, fresh fruit, choice of milk.

Westbrook ISD Breakfast Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – hot pockets, cereal, fruit juice, milk.
Tuesday – French toast sticks, cereal, fruit juice, milk.
Wednesday – oatmeal, toast & jelly, cereal, fruit juice, milk.

Thursday – scrambled eggs, toast & jelly, cereal, fruit juice, milk.

Friday – donuts, cereal, fruit juice, milk.

Westbrook ISD Lunch Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – burrito, Spanish rice, tossed salad, fresh fruit choice, sugar cookie, milk.

Tuesday – popcorn chicken, macaroni & cheese, tossed salad, chilled pears, cornbread, milk.

Wednesday – smothered hamburger patty, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, frozen cherry bar, milk.

Thursday – fajita chicken over rice, broccoli & cheese, seasoned corn, garlic breadstick, fruit fluff, milk.

Friday – pizza, tossed salad, fresh banana, chocolate cake, milk.

Loraine ISD Breakfast Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Tuesday – breakfast burrito, cereal, mixed fruit, milk.
Wednesday – sausage, biscuit, jelly, cereal, orange, milk.
Thursday – breakfast pizza, cereal, pears, milk.
Friday – muffins/cereal, juice, milk.

Loraine ISD Lunch Menu Oct. 4–Oct. 8

Monday – pizza, corn, broccoli florets, sparkly apple, cake, milk.
Tuesday – chicken nuggets, green beans, mashed potatoes,

peaches, biscuit, gravy, milk.

Wednesday – burritos, cheese, Spanish rice, baby carrots, strawberries, cookie, milk.

Thursday – chicken fried steak, mac and cheese, English peas, hot rolls, orange, milk.

Friday – hamburgers, tater tots, tossed salad, shape ups, brownie, milk.

Westbrook Fall Festival set Oct. 15

Westbrook ISD will hold the annual Fall Festival on Friday, October 15 at the school.

Booths, sponsored by the pre-k through 11th grade classes, will open at 5:30 p.m. in the old gym.

The junior class auction will be held in the new science lab wing from 6 to 8 p.m. Concessions will

be available in the cafeteria.

Following the festival, the coronation will be held in the auditorium beginning at 9 p.m.

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Local Government Code 52.013 requires that the descriptive caption and the penalty section of any ordinance or executive order containing a penalty section be published two consecutive times in the local newspaper of general circulation. Please be advised that the City of Colorado City is now publishing this information in accordance with the Local Government Code 52.013.

DESCRIPTIVE CAPTION:

ORDINANCE NO. 2010 - 20

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO CITY, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF COLORADO CITY, TEXAS, BY AMENDING ORDINANCE 2002-04; BY AMENDING CHAPTER 6; HEALTH AND SANITATION; BY AMENDING ARTICLE 6.03 WEEDS, RUBBISH, BRUSH, AND OTHER OBJECTIONABLE, UNSIGHTLY, OR UNSANITARY MATTER; AMENDING SECTION 6.03.008, NOTICE OR VIOLATION; AMENDING SECTION 6.03.009, CONTENT OF NOTICE; AND AMENDING SECTION 6.03.010, COSTS INCURRED BY CITY; REPEALING ALL PRIOR ORDINANCES OR ORDINANCE PROVISIONS IN CONFLICT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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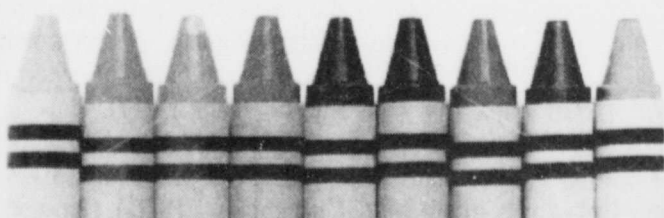
Any violation of this section shall also be considered a criminal violation, Class C misdemeanor. If any person or owner violates any of the provisions of this section, the code enforcement officer may issue a citation to said person or owner, prosecuted in Municipal Court, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in the sum not to exceed the amount allowed by law for each offense. Each day such violation continues shall constitute a separate and distinct offense. Further, prosecution in Municipal Court does not waive any of the City's civil enforcement actions if it may have to enforce this article against any person or owner.

EFFECTIVE DATE:

This Ordinance shall become effective no less than ten days following passage of the ordinance and after publication by the City Secretary of the descriptive caption and the penalty section of this ordinance in a local newspaper twice within a ten-day period in accordance with Section 29 of the City Charter.

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SCHOOL NEWS



STUDENTS OF THE Week at Hutchinson Elementary are Aurora Bonilla, Zack Garcia and Issac DeLaPaz. Photo courtesy of Christy Myers.

Students of the Week named at Hutchinson

Students of the Week have been selected at Hutchinson Elementary. They are Aurora Bonilla, Zack Garcia and Issac DeLaPaz.

Aurora, a third grader in Mrs. Free's class, is the daughter of

Yolanda Bonilla. She enjoys spending time with her dog, Bella, and she has two favorite subjects, reading and math. Aurora says she likes reading and learning about new things at Hutchinson.

Zack, son of Kasey Garcia and Miguel Gomez, is a fourth grader in Mrs. Godina's class. Playing football is his hobby, and science is his favorite subject. P.E. is his favorite thing at Hutchinson Elementary.

Issac, a fifth grader in Mrs. Gainey's class, is the son of Veronica Garza and Jeffrey DeLaPaz. He has a dog named Roscoe, and science is also his favorite subject. Issac says going to P.E. is his favorite thing about his school.



LAST WEEK HUTCHINSON Elementary challenged its students to memorize the Preamble to the Constitution for Constitution Day. Pictured are those students who earned a United We Stand tag for their efforts. They are: (front row, l-r) Ashlin Alvarez, Kason Proctor, Matthew Madrid, Brianna Towery, Savannah Shiller, Destyni Espinoza; (2nd row) Nadia Gonzales, Hadley Redwine, Michael Molina, Jordan Lawson, Reid Harris, Ivie Green, Taylor Smith, Shyanne Gollnick; (3rd row) Sargent Graham, Victoria Melendez, Jett Johnson, Marissa Reyna, Karen Barrera, Robert Buckley, Kristina Parker; (4th row) David Andrade, Jacob Muñoz, Kimberly Ventura, Garren Smith, Omar Boone, Syrrah Tenorio, Akirah Rivera; (back row) Teagan Terrell, Nathan Read, Kamrun Martinez, Mazzy Gonzales, Adam Clifton, Megan Vasquez and Dillon Adkins. Photo courtesy of Kitten Arthur.

Mitchell County 4-H to celebrate National 4-H Week

Mitchell County 4-H students discussed much and elected officers, as well as made plans for the upcoming National 4-H Week during their September meeting held recently.

Officers for the 2010-11 school year were elected by the student body. Macall Maddox is president, K'Leigh Wallis is now serv-

ing as vice president, and Mason Maddox will be reporter for the club. Rachel Beckmeyer will serve as the local chapter's district delegate, with Kalynn Hardegree serving as secretary and notification officer. Tyler Hardegree is now the treasurer. Allison Torres and Cole Beckmeyer will co-chair recreation.

Club managers for the new year are Gretchen Maddox and Mary Torres.

National 4-H Week is October 3-9 and members planned several events to commemorate the week. County Judge Ray Mayo is set to proclaim the week as National 4-H Week in Mitchell County.

Club members will provide snacks to volunteers in the Colorado City and Loraine city-wide clean up on Saturday, October 9. Snacks need to be taken to the 4-H on Thursday, October 7 by 5 p.m. Snacks will also be provided to area teachers this week as part of National 4-H Week.

The Food and Nutrition Program is now underway and members are urged to call the office at 728-3111 if interested in participating.

Cole Beckmeyer, Allison Torres, Kalynn Hardegree and Tyler Hardegree all attended Junior Leadership Lab. Both Taylor and Rachel Beckmeyer attended electric camp as well.

Allison Torres and Kalynn Hardegree were recognized at the meeting for completing Record Books last year.

Several members have competed in both the Odessa Fair and Exposition and the West Texas Fair and Rodeo recently. Results follow.

Mason Maddox exhibited steers in the Odessa Fair and Expo, earning four 2nd place finishes, as well as a 4th place and 5th place.

Macall Maddox's steer was named breed champion at the West Texas Fair and Rodeo held in Abilene. She also went home with a 1st place, 3rd, 4th and 9th place. Mark Muñoz took home a 2nd place finish with his steer and also a 4th place. Cole Beckmeyer's steer placed 5th, and Rachel Beckmeyer took 2nd and 5th with her steers. K'Leigh Wallace had both 2nd and 9th place finishes and was called back into the ring for consideration for showmanship. Kenzie Hardegree placed 6th with her steer, Tyler Hardegree garnered a 3rd place ribbon and Kalynn Hardegree took home 3rd and 6th place ribbons.

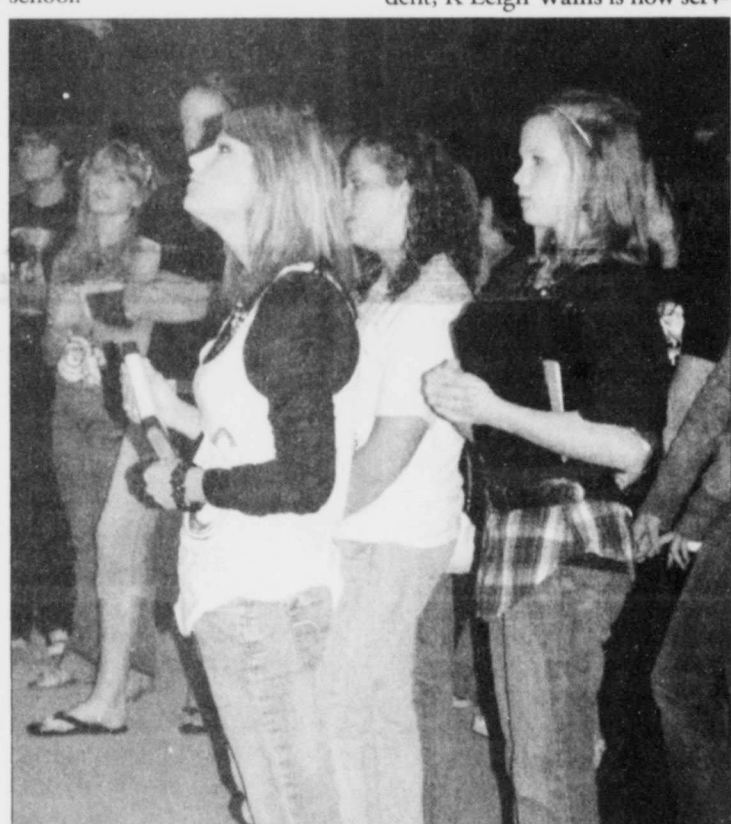
The next 4-H meeting will be held October 18, which will be the Achievement Banquet. Everyone is welcome and it's never too late to join the 4-H fun!

Colorado High School Pride of Wolf Country Marching Band Marcher of the Week



Congratulations to Dylan Billingsley

Marcher of the Week proudly sponsored by Mitchell County Hospital District



JOINING FELLOW STUDENTS during See You at the Pole last Wednesday were (from left) Mandy Scott, Haley Maxwell and Taylor Griffith. The nation-wide day of prayer for schools, students and the nation is student-led.

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Wilson's Weekly

Psalm 45 - Worship Him

"Because He is your Lord, worship Him" (v.11). Christians are to worship God in spirit and in truth (John 4:24). To worship in spirit means to worship with all of our hearts. Our worship should be heart-felt. Worship is to be inspiring and motivational, not from externals, such as a change in lighting or "mood" music, but from a heart that is being poured out before God. Christians have every reason to open up their hearts before God. He loved us so much that He sent His Son, Jesus the Christ, to die for our sins. While we were yet sinners, Christ died for the ungodly (Hebrews 5:9). He made possible the forgiveness of our sins when we obey Him (Acts 2:38; 22:16). He has an eternal home in heaven prepared for us when this life is over (John 14:1-3). He has given us the church, brothers and sisters in Christ to encourage us in our daily walk (Ephesians 4:12-16; Hebrews 10:23-25). Our worship must be from our hearts.

Our worship should also be done in truth (John 4:24). Worship must be from the heart but it must also be according to the will of God. The Bible declares that some are involved in "will" worship, meaning we do whatever we want rather than what God wants. Others worship in ignorance, not know the true God and His will. Yet others worship in vain teaching as doctrine the commandments of men, rather than submitting to the God's plan for their lives and for the church. Whether it is "will" worship, ignorant worship, or vain worship, it is not worship in spirit and in truth. In order for our worship to be in truth, it must be according to the word. Jesus said, "Sanctify them by Thy truth, Thy word is truth" (John 17:17). Thus, in order to worship God in truth, our worship must be according to the word of God. Christian worship involves prayer (1 Thessalonians 5:17), singing (Colossians 3:16), giving (1 Corinthians 16:1,2), the Lord's Supper (Acts 20:7), and study from the word of God (1 Corinthians 1:18,21). Our worship must be in truth.

Sadly, many worship today out of routine or habit and their hearts are far from focusing on God. Still others put their hearts in it but fail to worship in truth (For instance, I could love to eat cheese burgers and milkshakes but if I add them to the Lord's Supper, even if I was doing it in a heart-felt manner, it would be wrong because it is contrary to the word of God.). Because God is the Lord of our lives we worship Him. Let us do so in spirit and in truth! We would love to have you come and worship with us. Won't you take a moment this week and come worship God with us? - Denny Wilson

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SPORTS

Wolves stampede Mustangs with 37-0 win

Colorado City pounded out a 37-0 district win for the first of the 2010 football season over Denver City last Friday night on Denver City's home turf.

Head Coach Frank Johnson and the Wolves' coaching staff have assembled a gridiron bunch that refuse to be taken lightly. Literally. The Wolves might not match-up against their opponents when games are measured by size; however, they make up for it and then some with relentless speed on Friday nights.

"Overall, this was our best game thus far in the season and shut outs are hard to get," said Head Coach Frank Johnson.

Another good performance by both the offensive and defensive unit over-powered the much-bigger Denver City Mustangs.

It was another shut out for the defense and a shut out without two of the Wolves' leading tacklers. Linebacker Johnathon Luera was suffering a strained hamstring and played only an

offense, and J.C. Johnson, the team's leading tackler, was ejected in the second quarter on a debatable unsportsmanlike conduct call.

The Wolves like to jump on their opponents early in the game and that's exactly what happened Friday night. Quarterback Derek Gainey hit Nick Reyna on the Wolves' first offensive play for the game's first touchdown. The pass play covered 53 yards, and the Wolves were up early 6-0.

Early in the second quarter, Tracy Russell rushed 42 yards for the Wolves' second score, and with a successful two-point conversion on Gainey's run into the end zone, Colorado City was up 14-0 with 10:12 to go in the second quarter.

As time was running out in the first half, Gainey was good on a 38-yard field goal, and Colorado City led 17-0 going into halftime.

Third quarter action saw Russell score from 42 and 5 yards out for a 30-0 lead. Sophomore

Nathan Jackson would and the last touchdown with a 7-yard run with 2:45 left to go in the game.

The total offensive effort put out 442 yards, 222 on the ground and 220 in the air.

Defensively, Reyna picked off 3 passes, Bailey Spencer got 1 and Russell also made 1 interception.

Alex Hernandez and Jake Johnson stepped up and played a good game at linebacker replacing J.C. Johnson and Johnathon Luera.

"I feel like the defense kept Denver City's offense out of their routine and our offense put up impressive numbers. The offense and defense have to work together, and we are beginning to see that all come together right in time for district play," Johnson said.

It was a big win for the Wolves, as now Grape Creek comes to town Friday night for the Wolves' second district contest. Kick off is set for 7:30 p.m.



SENIOR WIDE RECEIVER Ronald Aoyama (4) finds the hole made for him by Andrew Muñoz (3) advancing the ball down field and gaining one of 22 first downs made by the Wolves in their shut out of the Denver City Mustangs, 37-0.

STANDINGS

District 2, Division I

Colorado City	5-0	1-0
Wall	5-0	1-0
Grape Creek	2-3	1-0
Kermit	3-0	0-0
Crane	2-3	0-1
Alpine	2-3	0-1
Denver City	1-4	0-1

Last Week's Scores

Colorado City	37, Denver City	0
Wall	38, Crane	20
Grape Creek	46, Alpine	17
Kermit	Open	

This Week's Games

Grape Creek	at Colorado City
Wall	at Alpine
Denver City	at Kermit
Crane	Open

District 7, Division II

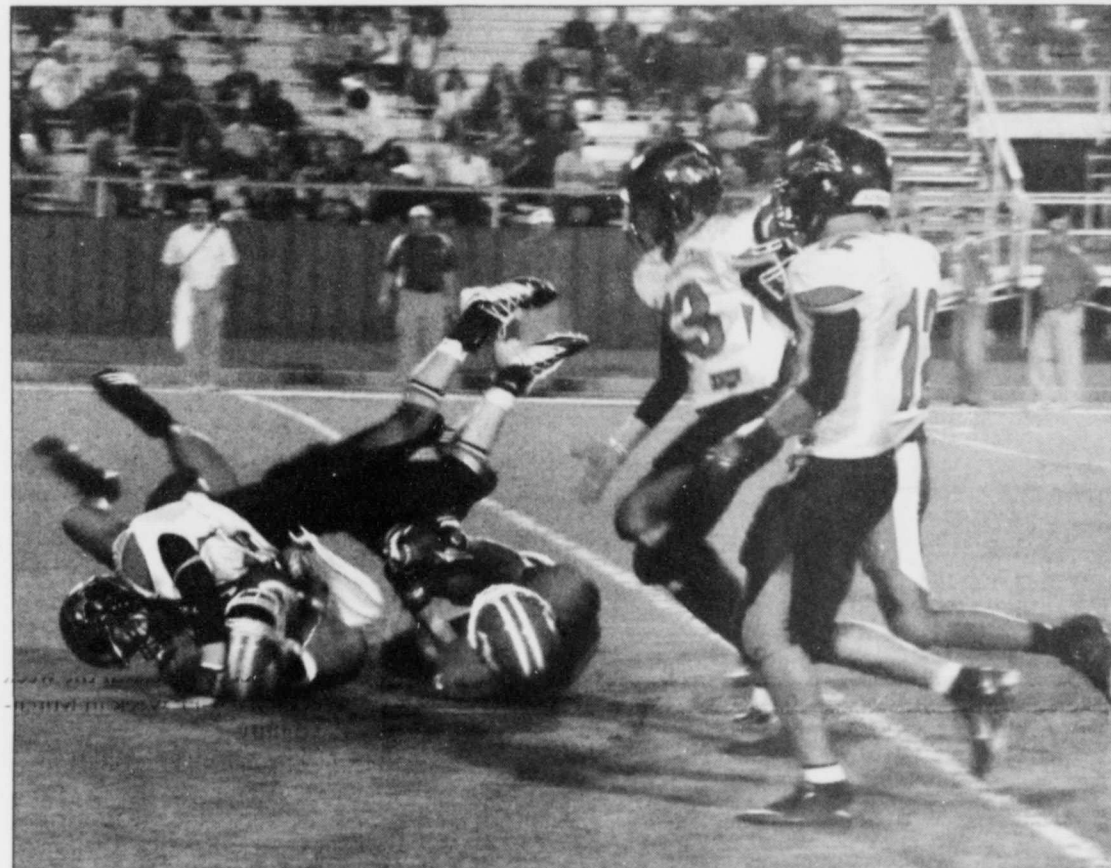
Loraine	5-0	0-0
Trent	2-3	0-0
Westbrook	2-3	0-0
Sterling City	1-4	0-0

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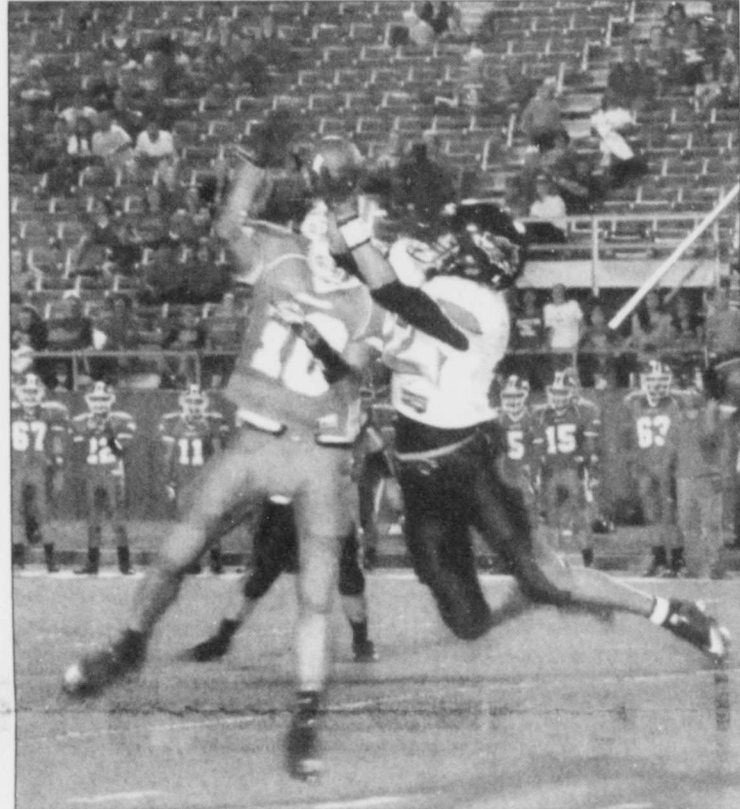
Loraine	55, Lueders	10
Trent	70, Guthrie	22
Westbrook	46, Moran	0
Sterling City	48, Robert Lee	0

This Week's Games

Loraine	at Patton Springs
Blackwell	at Trent
Westbrook	at Paint Creek
Sterling City	at Grady



WOLF JUNIOR QUARTERBACK Derek Gainey dives over some Denver City defenders as his teammates Tylor Lorenz (13) and Nick Reyna (12) run to his aid.



WIDE RECEIVER FOR the Wolves, Nick Reyna leaps up to make the catch despite the heavy coverage by a Denver City Mustang. Reyna caught three passes to gain 65 yards Friday night during the Wolves' 37-0 victory over the Mustangs.

STATS

GAME, DISTRICT, DEFENSIVE

GAME STATISTICS

C-City	6	11	20	0	37
Denver City	0	0	0	0	0

Team Statistics

CHS	Stats	DCHS
22	First Downs	8
34-222	Rush-Yards	28-81
13-21-220-2-2	Comp-Att-Yards	10-23-67-0-5
442	Total Yards	148
6-52	Penalties	7-42
1-33	Punts/Ave	4-37
3-1	Fumbles-Lost	2-0

Points Scored

T. Russell, 18; D. Gainey, 7; N. Reyna, 6; N. Jackson, 6.

Extra Points

D. Gainey, 2-4

Field Goals

D. Gainey, 1-1

Passing Yards

D. Gainey, 13-20-220-2-2; B. Spencer, 0-1-0-0-0

Individual Rushing

N. Jackson, 10-81; T. Russell, 9-57; D. Gainey, 8-67; B. Spencer, 2-17; A. Hernandez, 4-3; M. Henderson, 1-3
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Receiving

N. Reyna, 3-65; T. Russell, 2-57; A. Munoz, 2-21; R. Aoyama, 2-20; T. Hammond, 1-21; J. Rodriguez, 1-17; J.C. Johnson, 1-10; T. Lorenz, 1-9

DISTRICT STATISTICS

C-City	6	11	20	0	37
Opponents	0	0	0	0	0

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SEASON STATISTICS

C-City	25	49	47	10	131
Opponents	7	7	0	27	41

Team Statistics

CHS	Stats	Opp.
87	First Downs	59
132-668	Rush-Yards	173-682
63-105-984-8-4	Comp-Att-Yards	41-91-392-2-8
1653	Total Yards	1074
31-277	Penalties	27-209
8-36	Punts/Ave	15-30.7
8-2	Fumbles-Lost	9-3

DEFENSE

J.C. Johnson - 23 tackles, 11 for losses, 25 assists, 2 qb pressures, 2 forced fumbles
J. Luera - 19 tackles, 18 assists, 1 batted pass, 1 forced fumble
T. Hammond - 11 tackles, 2 for losses, 23 assists
R. Gonzalez - 17 tackles, 2 for losses, 17 assists, 3 qb pressures, 1 fumble recovery
N. Reyna - 14 tackles, 19 assists, 3 batted passes, 4 interceptions
R. Aoyama - 13 tackles, 1 for loss, 18 assists, 5 batted passes, 1 forced fumble
K. Free - 9 tackles, 1 for loss, 11 assists, 1 qb pressure
L. Pfeuffer - 9 tackles, 9 assists, 1 qb pressure
T. Russell - 11 tackles, 2 for losses, 4 assists, 4 batted passes, 1 interception
J. Espinoza - 5 tackles, 1 for loss, 11 assists, 10 forced fumbles
M. Hernandez - 8 tackles, 7 assists, 1 forced fumble
A. Hernandez - 6 tackles, 1 for loss, 6 assists, 2 sacks, 1 fumble recovery
R. Reyes - 5 tackles, 1 for loss, 5 assists
D. Gainey - 8 tackles, 4 assists, 1 batted pass

Points Scored

T. Russell, 48; D. Gainey, 29; J. Rodriguez, 12; J.C. Johnson, 12; N. Reyna, 12; T. Lorenz, 6; A. Mendoza, 6; N. Jackson, 6.
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Extra Points

D. Gainey, 12-16

Field Goals

D. Gainey, 3-5

Passing Yards

D. Gainey, 59-98-910-7-4
B. Spencer, 4-7-74-1-0

Individual Rushing

T. Russell, 48-360; N. Jackson, 21-157; D. Gainey, 40-102; M. Henderson, 3-20; T. Lorenz, 1-11; M. Hernandez, 1-7; N. Reyna, 2-6; J.C. Johnson, 8-4; A. Hernandez, 4-3; B. Spencer, 3-12
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Receiving

N. Reyna, 15-211; R. Aoyama, 8-147; T. Lorenz, 11-139; J.C. Johnson, 10-118; T. Russell, 5-103; J. Rodriguez, 5-84; A. Mendoza, 1-64; M. Henderson, 4-53; T. Hammond, 2-44; A. Munoz, 2-21
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Colorado City Wolves
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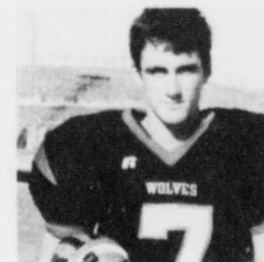
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Tyler Hammond
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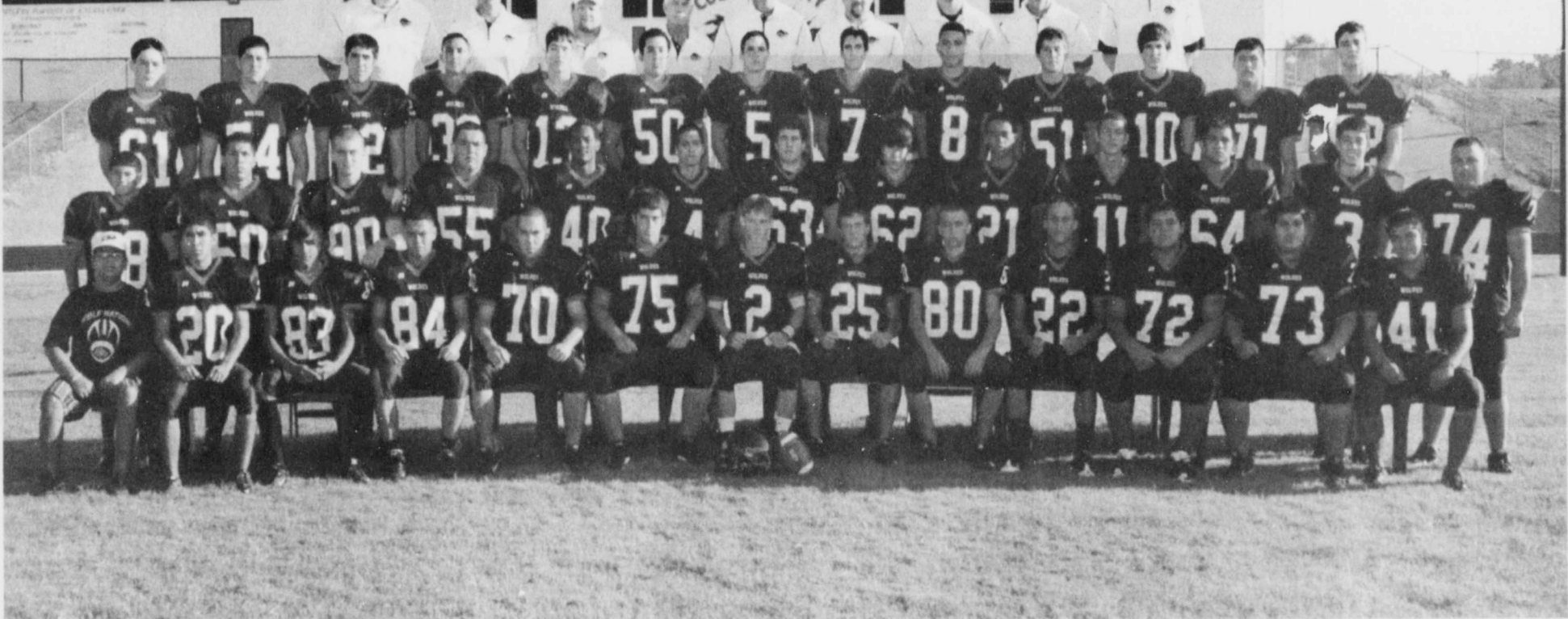
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SPORTS

Wolves to face Grape Creek at home

The dust has settled after the first week of District 2-2A competition, and the Wolves continue to raise some eyebrows after a convincing 37-0 victory over Denver City.

The Wolves, Wall and Grape Creek were all victorious after the first week of district play. Kermit had an open date. Wall beat pre-season favorite Crane

38 to 20, and Grape Creek pounded Alpine 46 to 17.

The internet sports active power ratings have the Region 1-2A Top 10 poll standings as follows:

1. Muleshoe
2. Roosevelt
3. Sonora
4. Wall
5. Shallowater

6. Colorado City
7. Kermit
8. Littlefield
9. Bowie
10. Brady

Grape Creek's record is not a good indication of what kind of team they have. "They beat a good Alpine team," Coach Frank Johnson said Monday. "They scare me. They run right at you

and do it well."

Grape Creek's offensive and defensive lines have mainly seniors with lots of size and quickness.

The Eagles visit Wolf Stadium for a 7:30 p.m. kick-off this Friday. An overflow crowd is expected for what could be a very good football game. Come out and support the Wolves!

Loraine wins over Raiders, 55-0

By Aimee Adams

Despite the rain the Loraine Bulldogs skunked the Lueders-Avoca Raiders 55-0 last Friday night at home.

Loraine won the coin toss and elected to receive. Bulldog Rafael Acevedo scored the first touchdown of the quarter with Damian Garcia making sure the extra point kick was good. Loraine had put 8 points on the scoreboard within the first minute of play.

Lueders-Avoca failed to convert and the Bulldogs took the opportunity to score again. With 7:48 left to play in the first quarter, Acevedo ran into a very wet end zone, making the score 14-0.

With the rain wreaking havoc on the field, the Raiders were unable to score, and once again Loraine gained possession. Garcia bulldozed the ball in for a quick 6 points. The extra point attempt was no good, leaving the score 20-0.

Loraine's defense continued to keep the Raiders away from the end zone, and on the Bulldog's next possession, Jacob Benivamondez scored his first touchdown of the game. Once again, the Bulldogs' defensive wall kept the Raiders from advancing into

their own territory, and on the turnover Acevedo scored again. A bad snap caused Nate Martinez to pass the ball to Carlos Lopez who ran it in for 1 extra point. The score stood at 33-0.

On the next possession, Tim Garza ran the ball in to bring the score up to 39-0, ending the first quarter.

The second quarter would see Acevedo and Garza making touchdowns, and Garcia making extra point kicks to bring the score to 55-0 with only 55 seconds left to play in the quarter.

After a rain-soaked halftime, the mercy rule was enforced and a sopping wet Loraine team was able to celebrate yet another victory.

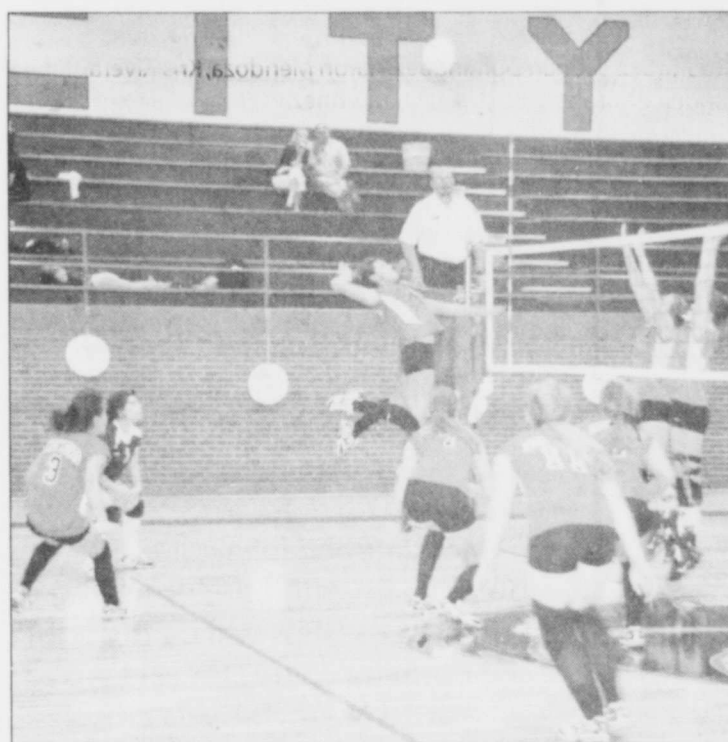
tory.

Loraine will travel to Patton Springs on Friday, October 1, with hopes of continuing their winning streak.

"We need to make sure we play to our potential," Head Coach Richard Jackson said Tuesday, talking about the game coming up on Friday.



THE LORAINE BULLDOGS shut out the Lueders-Avoca Raiders at home Friday 50-0. Jacob Benivamondez (2), Andy Limones (23), Toby Garza (42) and Nathaniel Martinez (3) ran many plays in the pouring rain, as seen here. Photo courtesy of Evon Harbour.

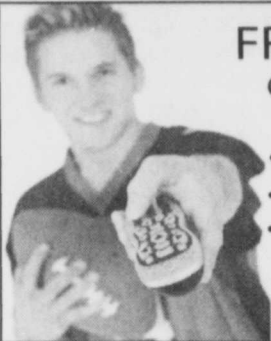


LADY WOLF VOLLEYBALL athlete Luran Meeks got some serious air, leaping to spike the ball on the Wink Lady Wildcats as her teammates Emma Leanos (3), Tara Higgins (7), Erin Graham (11), Sydney Upshaw (4) and Kaley Molina (1, black jersey) are ready to back her up.

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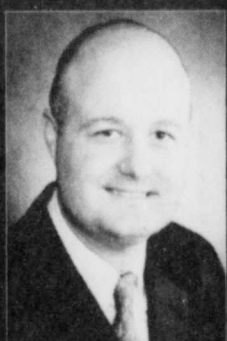
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The family of Ola Mae Banks Johnson
Margaret & Howard Nelson
Pamela & John Favors
Kenneth Johnson
Larry & Viola Johnson
Ivy Johnson, Jr.
The grandchildren & great grandchildren

Card of Thanks

To all our friends... thank you so much for the many expressions of sympathy, flowers and food, and words of support in the loss of our father, grandfather, and husband. We especially like to thank Father Michael Udegbuma and the St. Ann's Womens Organization, Mitchell County Hospital ER staff, Bill Everett, Dr. Roach and Kiker Seale Funeral Home. God bless you all.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TxDOT) CONTRACTS

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CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/BUILDING FACILITIES CONTRACT(S)

Dist/Div: Abilene

Contract 0005-07-049 for UNDERSEAL AND MICROSURFACING in MITCHELL County will be opened on October 22, 2010 at 1:00 pm at the State Office.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at www.txdot.gov and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.
NPO: 34063

State Office

Constr./Maint. Division
200 E. Riverside Dr.
Austin, Texas 78704
Phone: 512-416-2540

Dist/Div Office(s)

Abilene District
District Engineer
4250 N. Clark
Abilene, Texas 79604-0150
Phone: 325-676-6800

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BID NOTICES

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Colorado Independent School District, Colorado City, Texas will receive sealed proposals for 2010 Campus Improvements, Phase II. Proposers are invited to submit individual proposals and shall identify their proposal on the outside of the sealed envelope in the following manner:

**2010 Campus Improvements, Phase II
Colorado Independent School District
Colorado City, Texas 79512**

The following proposal packages will be received:
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Proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent, Colorado I.S.D., 534 East 11th, Colorado City, Texas 79512 on:

Wednesday, October 13, 2010, 2:00 p.m.

Proposed forms of contract documents, including plans and specifications are on file and available for inspection at the following locations:

Construction Manager:
Compass Builders, Inc.
536 South Coppell Road
Coppell, TX 75019
Phone: 972-471-0222
Fax: 972-462-9016

Owner:
Colorado I.S.D.
534 East 11th
Colorado City, TX 79512
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McGraw-Hill Plan Room: Dallas
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Builders Exchange of Texas, Inc.: Irving

One copy of the documents may be obtained from the Construction Manager, Compass Builders, Inc. Partial sets will not be issued. Proposers and suppliers at cost may purchase additional single complete sets from Compass Builders, Inc.

The successful proposer (if over \$25,000.00) will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory payment and performance bonds within five (5) days of presentation of the contract.

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Note: There will be a Pre-Bid Meeting on Wednesday, October 6, 2010 @ 2:00 p.m. C.D.T. at the Colorado I.S.D. Administration Building, 534 East 11th, Colorado City, TX 79512.

All Bidders Are Encouraged to Attend!

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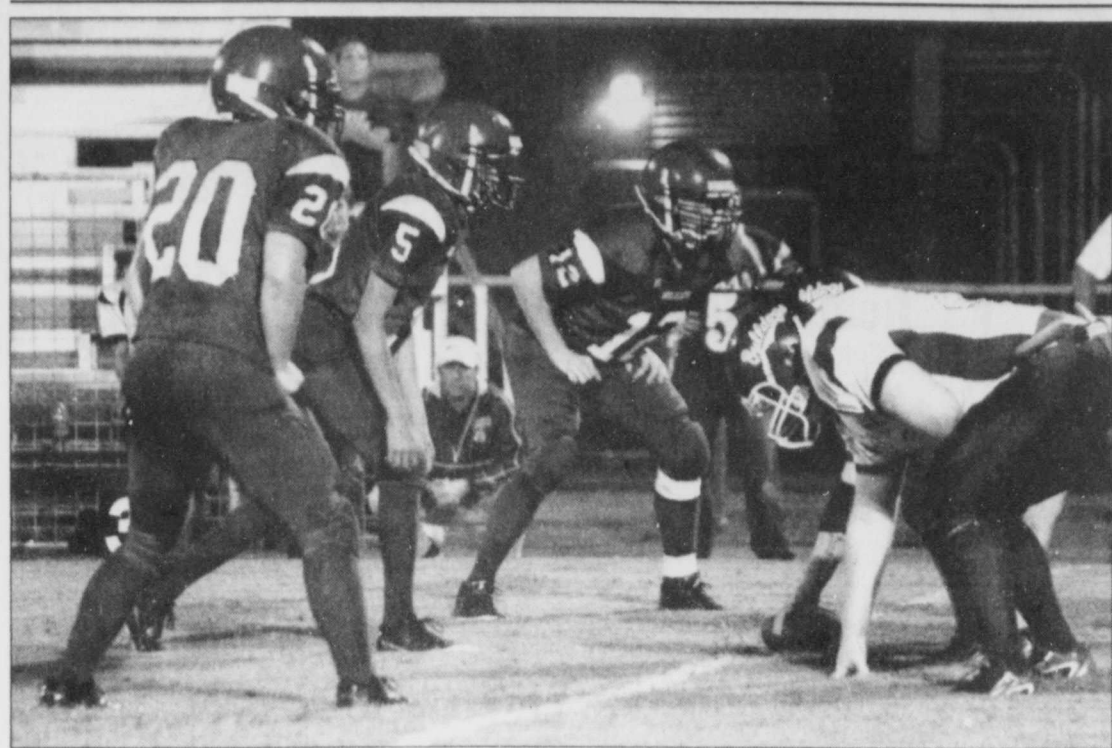
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SPORTS



WESTBROOK TRUMPS MORAN 46-0 --Tyler Morris (20), Alex Gaona (5) and Michael Bray (12) form the front line against the Moran Bulldogs last Friday. The Wildcats will play Paint Creek at Paint Creek October 1. Photo courtesy of WISD

Wildcats over Moran, visit Paint Creek

Several lightning delays didn't slow the Westbrook Wildcats last Friday as they cruised to a 46-0 victory over Moran. The game ended early in the third quarter due to the mercy rule.

Moran is short on players this season and the Wildcats, playing the second unit a lot, easily controlled the game.

"Our second unit played well,"

Coach Jim Hill said. "I'm glad these kids had a chance to play."

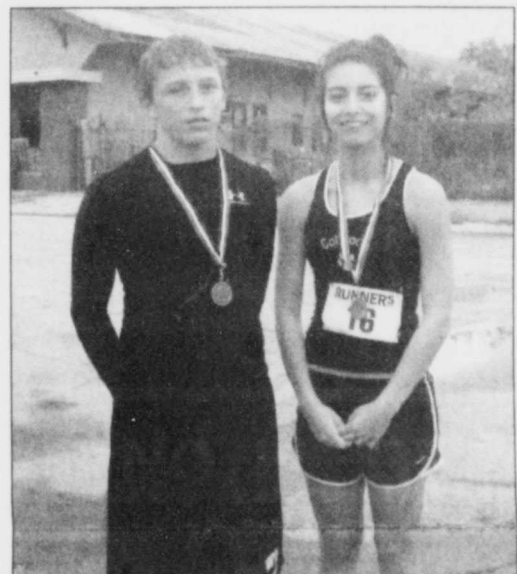
The win was the Wildcats' fifth of the season.

Friday, the 'Cats are on the road traveling to Paint Creek for a 7:30 kick-off. It will be a strong test for Westbrook, as the Pirates have a 2-3 record and are a play-off dark horse.

"They have a good, balanced

offense," Coach Hill said. "They run and pass the ball really good, so we'll have to play a good game to beat them. We'll work hard this week and get ready to play."

Hill also mentioned the undefeated junior high, 3-0. "It's the first time our junior high has been undefeated after three games in about 15 years."



SOME COLORADO ISD cross-country athletes competed in the 5K Fun Run during the Junktique Jamboree held this past weekend downtown. The first place qualifiers in the 3.2 mile race were freshman Damion Huff and sophomore Raegan Costabile. Photo courtesy of Mary Lou Costabile.



SECOND PLACE FINISHERS in the 5K Fun Run were freshman Brandon Nava and 8th grader Mikaela Madrid. Medals were awarded to the 1st and 2nd place finishers in the race held during Junktique Jamboree Saturday. Photo courtesy of Mary Lou Costabile.

Both CMS teams lose to D.C.

Colorado City's middle school teams were both defeated by Denver City last week 40-14 (8th grade) and 28-0 (7th grade).

Dillon Gaaney rushed for the two Wolves' touchdowns in the 8th grade loss. The Mustangs threw for 6 touchdown passes.

"We're missing two good players on the 8th grade team," Coach Jerold Epperson said. "I hope we can get these guys back."

Kiss the pig gets reprieve

Participants in TDCJ's Kiss the Pig competition have a brief reprieve, but not a pardon.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Westbrook ISD will hold a public meeting on Thursday, October 7 from 4:45 to 5:15 p.m. in the Westbrook ISD Cafeteria.

The purpose of this meeting is to provide an overview of the WISD Schoolwide Title I Program.

Wildcat Fever

Paint the Creek
Wildcat Blue!

Westbrook Wildcats

vs. Paint Creek

Friday, Oct. 1

THERE 7:30 p.m.



MEMBERS OF THE 2010 Westbrook Wildcat football team are: (back row, l-r) Coach Jim Hill, Alex Gaona, Tyler Morris, Gabriel Gutierrez, Michael Bray, Joel Gaona, J.R. Jaimes, J.T. Mize, Coach Caleb Callaway; (front row) Cody Runnels, Jacob Morris, Kyle Beights, Casey Bass, Richard Nelson and Stetson Jones. Photo courtesy of Mindy Hale.

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