

Championship Meet

Swim Team Finishes 2nd

The swim team traveled to Dodge City, Kansas last weekend to compete in the Western Kansas Swim League Championship Meet. They finished second out of twelve teams competing. The teams came from the three states of Kansas, Oklahoma, and Texas.

There were six cities from Kansas. They were Dodge City, Garden City, Great Bend, Scott City, Hays, and Lakin.

Five cities in Oklahoma sent teams. They were Cimarron, Leoti, Guymon, Holcomb, and Ulysses.

Spearman was the only team from Texas to compete.

The swim team finished second, behind Guymon, by setting some pool records and by placing some one in the top five of almost every event. The results of how the Spearman kids did are as follows.

**CHAMPIONSHIP SWIM MEET
DODGE CITY, KANSAS
JULY 22 and 23**

- 8 & under boys 25 free**
Quentin Shieldknight, 1st (New Pool Record)
- 9 & 10 girls 50 free**
Janna Brock, 3rd
- 9-10 boys 50 free**
Kevin Baker, 4th and Michael Lusby, 7th
- 11-12 girls 50 free**
Mandi Lusby, 4th

- 11-12 boys 50 free**
Phillip Sanders, 1st
- 13-14 girls 50 free**
Melissa Baker, 7th
- 15-18 girls 50 free**
Suzanne Sanders, 3rd
- 8 & under girls 100 free relay**
6th, Ashley Brown, Halee Beasley, Audra Sanders, and Cami Winegarner
- 8 & under 100 free relay**
1st (New Pool Record), Jordan Brock, Quentin Shieldknight, Mason Kuehl, Dan Kunselman
- 11-12 girls 100 free**
Mandi Lusby, 3rd and Kristina Poole, 4th

- 11-12 boys 100 back**
Phillip Sanders, 1st (New Pool Record) and Martin Sanders, 8th
- 13-14 girls 100 back**
Jill Lusby, 1st
- 15-18 girls 100 back**
Haley Shieldknight, 1st and Suzanne Sanders, 2nd
- 15-18 boys 100 back**
Mac Sheppard, 8th
- 8 & under boys 25 butterfly**
Quentin Shieldknight, 1st (New Pool Record) and Jordan Brock, 2nd

- 8 & under girls butterfly**
Halee Beasley, 7th
- 9-10 girls 50 butterfly**
Janna Brock, 1st and Macy Shieldknight, 8th
- 9-10 boys 50 butterfly**
Kevin Baker, 6th

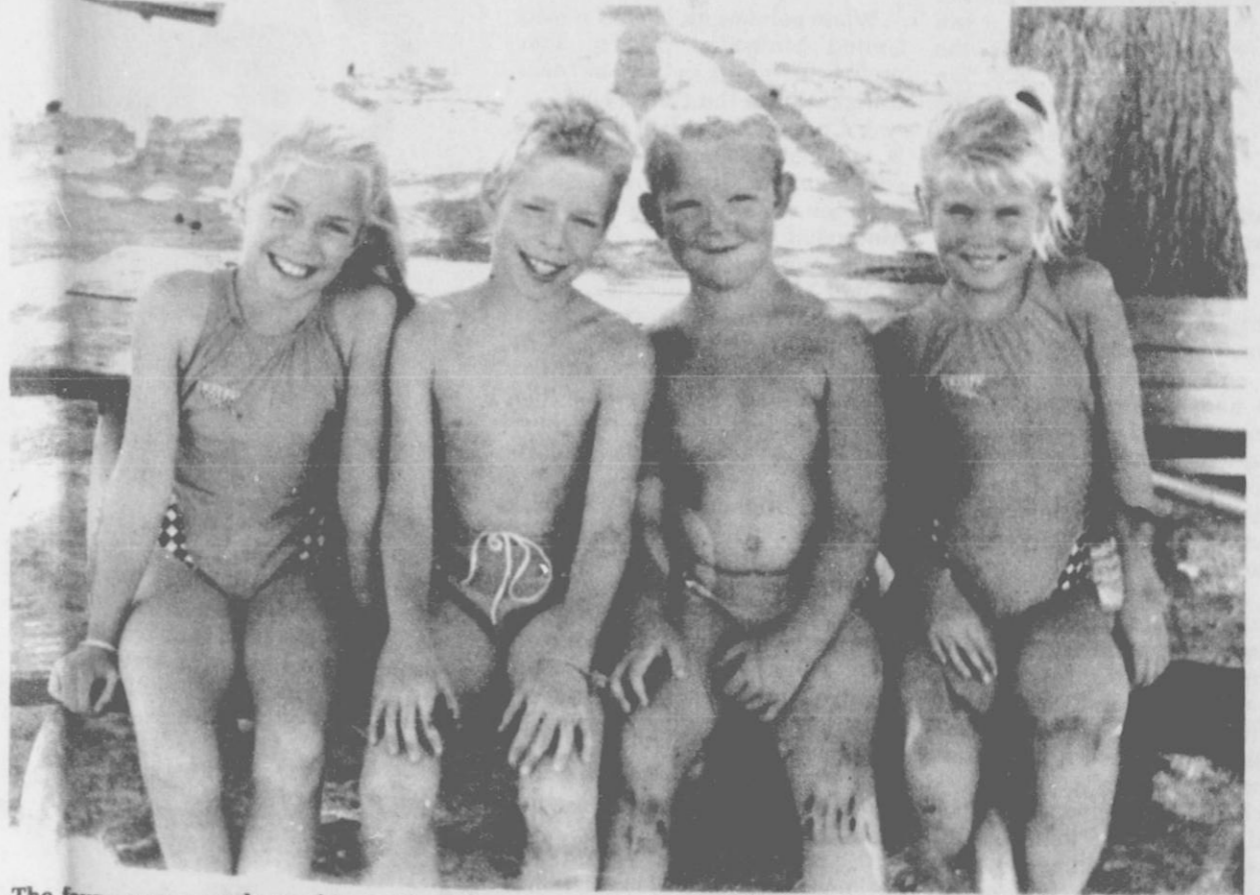
- 11-12 girls 100 butterfly**
Ashly Shieldknight, 1st (New Pool Record) and Mandi Lusby, 4th
- 11-12 boys 50 butterfly**
Phillip Sanders, 1st

- 13-14 girls 100 free**
Melissa Baker, 4th
- 15-18 boys 100 free**
Mac Sheppard, 8th
- 8 & under boys 25 backstroke**
Quentin Shieldknight, 4th and Aaron Winegarner, 5th

- 9-10 girls 50 backstroke**
Macy Shieldknight, 6th
- 9-10 boys 50 backstroke**
Kevin Baker, 1st and Michael Lusby, 3rd
- 11-12 girls 100 back**
Ashly Shieldknight, 1st (New Pool Record), Mandi Lusby, 4th and Kelly Shieldknight, 6th

- 13-14 girls 100 butterfly**
Jill Lusby, 2nd and Melissa Baker, 4th
- 15-18 girls 100 butterfly**
Haley Shieldknight, 1st
- 9-10 girls 50 breaststroke**
Janna Brock, 1st and Macy Shieldknight, 3rd
- 9-10 boys 50 breaststroke**
Michael Lusby, 6th

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The four young members of the swim team pictured here are [left to right] Deana Zabin, David Zabin, Chad Scarborough, Ashley Brown.

Poor People Dress Like Rich People

by Joanne Eaton

"Even poor people here dress like rich people! Even the T-shirts here look fancy!" These were the words of Alma Cervantes and Rosa Gonzales of Matamoros, Mexico.

Alma and Rosa were here for their summer vacation, visiting in the home of Roy Lee and Betty Uptergrove. They live at the Casa Hogar El Refugio, in Matamoros, a home for children.

Each year volunteers from the First Baptist Church, in Spearman, go to Matamoros to help with the orphanage. They do such things as building, repairs, and sewing. There are now 7 houses that they help maintain. At the present there are 62 children living there.

Alma Cervantes is originally from Vera Cruz. At 14, she has been at the home for 1 year. Rosa Gonzales, also 14, came to the home at age 2, from Tampico. The two girls, who are best friends, will start to high school this school year in the public school system in Mexico.

Although the girls enjoyed their vacation, they were getting a little homesick. Rosa was a very shy girl. She let Alma do all the talking. Since the girls spoke only Spanish, Diana Cantu came to the Reporter with them to be their interpreter.

Alma, a very vivacious teenager, told me the foods they enjoyed most here were pizza and hamburger. When asked why these foods seemed different in the United States, Alma said, "The mustard here is different

and they put so much more on the hamburgers. They just taste better and so does the pizza."

The girls went to Perryton, Amarillo, and Borger while they were here. They enjoyed the swimming pool, the movies, and making many new friends. Alton and Peggy Ellsworth invited them to the movie as their guests. Alma told me, "We got to go free!"

Ever so often I would direct a question to Rosa. She would give me a beautiful smile, look to Alma, and lower her head, her shyness overcoming her.

The girls were allowed to come to Spearman on a limited visiting permit. In January, the pastor of Casa Hogar El Refugio asked Roy Lee, who was helping in Matamoros, if his family would be interested in having a couple of the children vacation at their home in Spearman. After much government "red tape" the two girls were allowed to visit on a one time permit for one month.

Alma looked at me and with much sincerity in her voice said, "It is so calm and peaceful here. We feel so safe! Even at night we can go for a walk and not be afraid. You can not do this where we live. There are too many murders!"

As the girls left, I was so aware of how we take our lives in Spearman for granted. We are well fed, well clothed, and safe. We all need to visit a place less fortunate so we can appreciate how lucky we are to live here. Thanks Alma and Rosa for bringing my attention to this.



[L to R] Rosa Gonzales and Alma Cervantes, of Matamoros, Mexico, came by the Reporter with interpreter, Diana Cantu for an interview. Rosa and Alma were taking their summer vacation in the home of Roy Lee and Betty Uptergrove.

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Volunteers Receive Awards

by Teresa Barkley

The Hansford Division of the American Heart Association was recognized at the Regional Leadership Conference held recently at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, Tx. Tim Barkley from Gruver, Tx. was presented with the Hansford County Come Fly With Us party, bringing special recognition to Norma Jean Mackie and June Barkley as co-chairpersons for the fund-raising event.

Sandy Russell was awarded the prestigious Regional Volunteer of the Year Award; and Sandy along with her husband Tommy Russell also accepted the Heart and Torch Award on behalf of the many generous people of Hansford County who helped the Board of Directors achieve their goals.

The Board of Directors worked diligently all year long and raised

\$2.60 per person in Hansford County. This amount of donations represents a unified effort from all three towns including Spearman, Gruver and Morse.

The Oslo Community also should be recognized as leaders in Heart Research because of their combined efforts of talent, time and money. This small community was always ready with their support to assist their local chapter of the American Heart Association.

This money is brought home to use locally in many ways. Free cholesterol tests, free blood sugar test and free blood pressure clinics were offered. The "Heart At Work" program was started in two businesses and the Food Festival was brought to local grocery stores. Heart doctors from Amarillo travel to Hansford County to give free programs and answer your questions concerning Cardiovascular disease. The American Heart Association is now working in all three public schools offering educational materials free of charge, hoping to have a smokeless class in the year 2000.

The American Heart Association gave two \$50,000 grants to the Texas Tech Heart Research Clinic in Amarillo, Tx., which is where the majority of our residents go for treatment. Hansford County helped put that money there.

Our community should take great pride in the fact they are doing all they can to stop the Number One killer in America and in Texas. One Hundred and Thirty people die daily in the state of Texas from cardiovascular disease. Please don't wait until it is your husband, your wife, or your child that is a statistic for us to report. Help the Hansford County American Heart Association beat the "Number One Killer" in Texas. We need your support. We're fighting for your life.



Sandy Russell, Co-President of the Hansford Division of the American Heart Association was awarded the Volunteer of the Year Award for this Region.



Tim Barkley, Gruver, presented a program on the success of Hansford County's Come Fly With Us party. Mr. Barkley was also chosen as the official delegate to the Affiliate Annual Meeting to be held in Fort Worth, Texas.

A Centerpiece

by Ernestine Gray

Greetings from everyone at the Golden Spread Senior Center.

It's been awhile since we last talked with you, so we will let you know what is going on with us these days. Everything and everybody is buzzing right now getting ready for a garage sale; only it will be in Paula's Studio out in the Shopping Center on the 28th. We thank Paula for the use of the building. The proceeds will benefit the Center.

 Pearl will be driving the van for our overnight trip to Raton for the races on July 29-30th.

 A trip is being planned to see "Texas," next month.

 We had 32 people enjoying a delicious meal Tuesday evening, and various games also. Thursday at noon there were 12 of us with hearty appetites who enjoyed the fellowship as well as the good pot luck lunch.

 The first and third Thursday evening is progressive "42" and progressive pitch, respectively, each with a covered dish meal. The first and third Tuesday evenings are also games with a covered dish meal.

Each Monday afternoon is pot luck for all to enjoy in the afternoon some of the ladies stay and are working on their pretty quilt.

Friday afternoon is a group of ladies playing Bridge.

There is something during the week for each of you wanting to take part. If you are needing some variety in your activities, and enjoy good visiting and eating with your friends and neighbors, come join us, we would love to have you.

Bivens To Discuss Session At I.V.'s

State Senator Teel Bivins, R-Amarillo, will discuss the recently concluded special session and the worker's compensation reform effort at a luncheon Monday at I.V.'s Hungry Cowboy in Spearman.

The meeting will begin at 11:30 a.m. and the public is encouraged to attend.

Senator Bivins worked diligently during the 71st Legislature and the special session for the positive worker's compensation reform measures contained in House Bill 1.

"I believe that the elimination of trial de novo, allowing self-insurance, strengthening the Industrial Accident Board and renewing a commitment to safety all must be in the final bill that we adopt," said Bivins. "It is essential that we solve this problem in order to restore a positive economic climate to Texas."

Because the legislature failed to pass a worker's compensation reform bill, Governor Clements has indicated he will call lawmakers back to Austin for a second special session in November.

Bivins will be discussing the effort to produce a viable worker's compensation reform bill as he visits with constituents in Dumas, Stratford, Spearman and Perryton.

Church Column

by Todd Dyess
 Pastor of First United Methodist Church, Spearman

United Methodist are...a Diverse Community of Faith.

When persons unite with a local United Methodist church, they profess their faith in God, in Jesus Christ, and in the Holy Spirit.

A United Methodist, however, is not just a member of a local congregation. He, or she, is a member of the total United Methodist connection.

All persons are welcome in United Methodist churches, without regard to national origin, race, or status. They may take part in worship, participate in church programs and - after taking the vows - be admitted to membership.

United Methodist are...Biblical in Faith.

United Methodists trust free inquiry in matters of Christian doctrine, guided by four sources that "allow for, indeed they positively encourage, variety in United Methodist theologizing." These sources are Scripture, tradition, experience and reason. Of paramount importance is Scripture. The well from which our faith flows is the record of covenant between God and human kind - the Bible. United Methodist is a biblical faith.

United Methodist are...Ecclesial.

United Methodists are inclusive. They claim no corner on God's salvation, saying rather with founder John Wesley: "Is thy heart right, as my heart is with thine? Dost thou love and serve God? It is enough, I give thee the right hand of fellowship." For generations they, and members of their predecessor churches, have cooperated with other church groups seeking to spread the gospel, caring for those in need and alleviating injustice.

United Methodist are...Methodical.

Finally, United Methodists always have esteemed the systematic and the practical as evidenced by their very name. However, much they value the spontaneous and the insightful, they are characterized by a structured style. Both approaches in witnessing to the faith exist in United Methodism.

Class of 1979 to hold reunion

The Spearman High School Class of 1979 will be having their ten year reunion this summer. The date scheduled for the event is July 29.

The class is inviting any teachers, friends of these classmates, or family of these classmates to come visit with them. Any of these people are more than welcome to attend the family picnic.

The picnic will be held at the Swimming Pool Park at 12 noon. Each person, or family, is responsible for his own lunch.

Please feel welcome to bring your lunch and lawn chair and visit all you want.



The engagement of Tammy Welch and Matt Harrington is being announced by the parents of the bride-elect, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy L. Welch. The prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don J. Harrington of Amarillo. The couple plans to be married Sept. 2 at South Georgia Baptist Church in Amarillo. Miss Welch is a graduate of West Texas State University with a bachelor's degree in elementary education. Harrington is a graduate of WT with a bachelor's degree in recreation.

Bridal Shower Cator Honored Honors Red With Shower

A bridal shower, honoring Tammy Red, wife of Dale Red, was held Saturday, July 22nd in the home of Aubrey and Melba Rasor. The guests called during the hours of 2:00 - 3:30 p.m.

The color theme used for table decorations was blue and white. Cake and punch were served by Kathy Turner and Phylliss Rasor. Listing the brides' gifts was Mrs. James "Tammy" Red.

Hostesses in addition to Melba Rasor were: Hershey Turner, Georgia Davidson, Josephine Fletcher, Phylliss Rasor, Rosemary McKee, Sandra McNett, Doris Cluck, Judy Parks, Judy Virden, Diedra Deakin, Ann Dorman, Anna Marie Stedje, Sharon Seagler, Betty Roberts, Alma Ross, Pat Burnam, Deanna Williams, Kathy Logsdon, Lucille Schad, Mae Farren, Juanita Logsdon, Imogene Williams, Connie Burgoon, Sue Hartranft, Lil Fletcher, Karen Sparks, Shirley Lowe, Fran Duncan, Pam Harris, Carolyn Fletcher, Mary TeBesst and Sandy TeBeest.

Kellye Cator was the honoree at a pink and blue shower at the country home of the Gary Evans' on Saturday, July 15th.

Baby sock corages were presented to the honoree, grandmothers Kay McFarlin and Patty Cator and great-grandmothers Rosalie Cator, Helen Prachar and Mrs. R.L. McFarlin Sr. of Dumas. Guests enjoyed punch and cookies from the table of yellow overlaid with a white hand crocheted tablecloth. The centerpiece bouquet was of yellow and orange day lilies.

Hostesses included Janie Jeffries, Marian Tomlinson, Beulah Bort, Shirley Lowe, Peggy Dillow, Judy Stedje, Marsha Lowe, and Nelle Evans.

CLUB NEWS

Lions Club is sponsoring an adult church softball league for August. If you are interested in entering a team from your church, or want to be placed on a team, call A.J. Ratliff at City Hall. The number is 659-5037.

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THANK YOU

I would like to thank all my friends for the cards, phone calls, prayers, flowers, gifts and visits while I was in the hospital and to everyone who brought food in after I returned home.

Ellen Reynolds

You are cordially invited
 to a Wedding Shower
 honoring
 Nita Baker
 and
 Larry Knob
 Sat. July 29
 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.
 Dennis Nelson Home
 Given by Hostesses

Our children
 Diana Michelle Yarbrough
 and
 William Thomas Cope II
 will be married
 Saturday, the twenty-ninth of July
 Nineteen hundred and eighty-nine
 at three o'clock in the afternoon
 San Jacinto Baptist Church
 Amarillo, Texas
 we invite you to worship with us
 and witness their vows.
 If you are unable to attend,
 we ask your presence in thought and prayer.
 Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Yarbrough
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis
 Waurayne Cope
 and
 Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cope

You are Invited
 to a
 Baby Shower
 Honoring
 Danielle Nicole Close
 daughter of
 Danny & Tanya Close
 Sunday, July 30, 1989
 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 at the home of
 Joe & Linda Close

You Are Invited to the
 50th Anniversary
 of
 Marguerite and Phil Jenkins
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 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
 Sunday, July 30
 Given by their children, Steve and Kathy
 No gifts, please

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The 8 and under swimmers: [left to right] Aaron Winegarner, Jordan Brock, Mason Kuehl, Dan Kunselman, [front] Adrienne Simpson, Audra Sanders, Halee Beasley, Cami Winegarner, Camille Smith, Brooke Lesly.



The 11-12 year old swimmers: [left to right] Josh Winegarner, Cameron Kunselman, Martin Sanders, Phillip Sanders, Greg Elliot, Clayton Hergert, [front row] Kristina Poole, Ashly Shieldknight, Mandi Lusby.



The swim team moms and a brother: Linda Sanders, Taylor Simpson, Holly Simpson, Donna Trantham, Stephanie Brock.



The 9-10 year old swimmers: [left to right] Kevin Baker, Michael Lusby, Skip Lesly, Tom Kirk, Britt Savage, [2nd row] Lindsey Smith, Janna Brock, Amy Murray, Brooke Trantham, Candice Pipkin, [front row] Macy Shieldknight, Samantha Beasley, Shauna Poole.

Swim Team In Review

9-10 girls 200 free relay
3rd, Samantha Beasley, Shauna Poole, Janna Brock, and Macy Shieldknight

9-10 boys 200 free relay
4th, Britt Savage, Kevin Baker, Michael Lusby, and Skip Lesly

11-12 girls 200 free relay
1st, Ashly Shieldknight, Mandi Lusby, Kelly Shieldknight, and Kristina Poole

11-12 girls 100 breaststroke
Ashly Shieldknight, 1st (New Pool Record)

11-12 boys 100 breaststroke
Martin Sanders, 4th

13-14 girls 100 breaststroke
Sonya Tindell, 4th

8 & under girls 100 medley relay
4th, Halee Beasley, Camille Smith, Audra Sanders, and Ashley Brown

8 & under boys 100 medley relay
2nd, Quentin Shieldknight, Jordan Brock, Mason Kuehl, Aaron Winegarner

11-12 boys 200 free relay
3rd, Phillip Sanders, Martin Sanders, Clayton Hergert, and Greg Elliott

13-14 girls 200 free relay
3rd, Jill Lusby, Sonya Tindell, Tracy Tigrett, Melissa Baker

15-18 girls 200 free relay
2nd, Suzanne Sanders, Carly Shieldknight, Sonya Nitske, Haley Shieldknight

8 & under boys 100 freestyle
Quentin Shieldknight, 1st (New Pool Record) and Jordan Brock, 3rd

11-12 girls 400 freestyle
Ashly Shieldknight, 1st (New Pool Record)

13-14 girls 400 free
Jill Lusby, 1st (New Pool Record)

Open girls 400 free
Haley Shieldknight, 1st (New Pool Record)

Open boys 400 free
Mac Sheppard, 2nd

8 & under boys 100 I.M.
Quentin Shieldknight, 1st (New Pool Record) and Jordan Brock, 4th

9 & 10 girls 100 I.M.
Janna Brock, 1st and Macy

11-12 boys 200 free
Phillip Sanders, 1st and Martin Sanders, 5th

Shieldknight, 7th

9-10 boys 100 I.M.
Michael Lusby, 2nd and Kevin Baker, 4th

11-12 girls 200 I.M.
Ashly Shieldknight, 1st; Mandi Lusby, 3rd; and Kristina Poole, 8th

11-12 boys 200 I.M.
Phillip Sanders, 1st and Martin Sanders, 8th

13-14 girls 200 I.M.
Jill Lusby, 1st and Melissa Baker, 4th

15-18 girls 200 I.M.
Haley Shieldknight, 1st

10 & under girls 100 freestyle
Janna Brock, 3rd and Macy Shieldknight, 8th

10 & under boys 100 free
Kevin Baker, 2nd

11-12 girls 200 free
Kristina Poole, 3rd

13-14 girls 200 free
Jill Lusby, 1st; Melissa Baker, 4th; Sonya Tindell, 6th and Tracy Tigrett, 8th

9-10 girls 200 medley relay
1st, Brooke Trantham, Shauna Poole, Janna Brock, Macy Shieldknight

9-10 boys 200 medley relay
2nd, Michael Lusby, Britt Savage, Skip Lesly, and Kevin Baker

11-12 girls 200 medley relay
1st, Mandi Lusby, Kelly Shieldknight, Ashly Shieldknight, and Kristina Poole (New Pool Record)

11-12 boys 200 medley relay
3rd, Martin Sanders, Greg Elliott, Phillip Sanders, and Clayton Hergert

13-14 girls 200 medley relay
3rd, Jill Lusby, Sonya Tindell, Tracy Tigrett, and Melissa Baker

15-18 girls 200 medley relay
1st, Carly Shieldknight, Sonya Nitske, Haley Shieldknight, and Suzanne Sanders

SWIM TEAM IN REVIEW

The swim team consists of around 50 members. They range in age from five to eighteen. The

team practices twice a day during the week, and travels to meets on Saturdays.

The team competes in the Western Kansas Swim League. This league is made up of teams from the three state area of Texas, Kansas, and Oklahoma. Spearman is the only team in the league from Texas.

The organization of the team is handled by a group of officers. The President's position is jointly held by Kim and Stephanie Brock. The Treasurer is Susan Poole. The Team Representative is Robert Queener, and the Social Chairman is Mary Baker.

The team coaching staff is headed by Carly Shieldknight. She is the eighteen year old daughter of Charles and Hazel Shieldknight. This is her second year as head coach. She will be a fresh-

man at Texas A and M this fall.

The other coaches assisting Shieldknight are Haley Shieldknight and Jill Lusby. These two girls were coaches for the morning practice.

The Spearman Swim Team wishes to say thanks to everyone in our community who helped support our "Swimathon" this year. Our Spearman Meet was also a success due to so many. Here are just a few: KRDF and George Young, Larry Butler, Robert Queener, Janice Mayfield and the Hansford Y, Eddie Gage, and Jack and Jill Grocery.

It has been through hard work by the kids and support by the community, that enabled the swim team to finish first the four previous years, and second this year in the Western Kansas Swim League.



The 13-14 year old swimmers: [left] Melissa Baker, [right] Sonya Tindell.



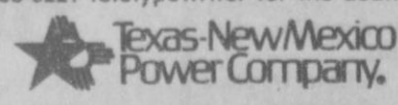
The swim team coaches: [left to right] [top] Suzanne Sanders, Haley Shieldknight, Jill Lusby, [front] Carly Shieldknight, Mac Sheppard.

Statement of Intent to Change Rates

In accordance with the regulations of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, Texas-New Mexico Power Company announces the Company's intent to change rates for its entire Texas operations. The effective date of such change is August 23, 1989. All classes of customers will be affected by said proposed changes. The proposed rates will produce an increase in gross revenues to the Company over test year revenues adjusted for test year customer growth and annualization of test year rate increases of \$16,088,054, or 5.32%. Texas-New Mexico Power Company provides electrical service to more than 161,906 customers located within the state of Texas.

A complete copy of the requested rate filing package is on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas in Austin, Texas, and with all cities served by Texas-New Mexico Power Company which have retained original jurisdiction. You may inspect a copy of the filing during normal business hours at each business office of Texas-New Mexico Power Company in your area.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



Among the Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Don Knox, his son, Danny, of Odessa, and his son, 6 year old Lee Isaac, spent a week at South Fork, Colorado, returning on Friday. It was strictly a camping experience, with tents and campfire cooking (possibly a little help from Coleman). They report good fishing and good eating. It so happened that Lee Isaac caught his first fish, without any help, a 14 inch trout - much larger than any caught by his elders. Of course Don attributes the accomplishment to his grandfather's coaching.

Cathy Patterson spoke by telephone to Clint a couple of times last week. Clint had a good flight to Zurich and his host family met him there and took him to their home in Bern, Switzerland.

He finds the family very warm and hospitable and since one member speaks English, he is rapidly getting oriented. One of the more drastic changes for Clint is exchanging his horse for a bicycle, as a means of transportation.

Clint will be there for a year as a part of the "Youth For Understanding" program. His classmates and friends can write him at: Melchenbuhlweg 136 A. 3006 Bern, Switzerland.

The Sid Beck, Sr. family held their annual family reunion last week near Monument Lake Colorado. A new dimension this year makes it a reunion that will stand out in memory.

An unexpected drouth-breaking, vicious, damaging hail storm and rain caused much damage to vehicles and some buildings. It left the ground and buildings covered like a snow storm. The storm left such deep hail on the roof of the buildings, it had to be moved to prevent cave-ins. One group of the family, including Al and Juanita Tucker were caught out in an inadequate shelter and was pelted with golf-sized hail stones and soaked with the rain.

Later the weather was much cooler and very pleasant. Another unusual aspect of the week was the large number of bears coming to the cabins and being removed by the forest rangers. Also one moose was sighted and many deer. It was believed that the prolonged drouth was responsible.

Those from Spearman attending for the week were Mr. and Mrs. Al Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Verlin Beck and two sons, and Gerald Beck. Friends from Spearman were June Tucker, her mother, Alice Kirby, Nelva Snow and daughter and friend. Other family members known to Spearman were Mr. and Mrs. Brice Waugh and family of Buffalo, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kiker, Albuquerque; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Beck and family, Perryton; Mr. and Mrs. Don Beck and family, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Beck, Dayton, Ohio; Mike and Tina Tucker and three sons, San Angelo.

Mike and Tina came to Spearman several days early and visited parents, Al and Juanita Tucker, before going to Monument Lake.

Mrs. Elsie Watley returned last week from an extended trip through the north, lasting several weeks. She first spent a few days with her son at Hugoton, Kansas. She then spent a week at Ft. Morgan, Colorado and some time at Loveland, then up in the mountains for several days. After a week at Canon City, she went on to Casper, Wyoming. Her next stop was at Billings, Montana for a week and some additional time in the mountains of Montana.

On her return trip, she visited other relatives. Elsie says she always appreciated being a member of a large family and how thoughtful of them to space their homes in such a manner that, though she drove 2500 miles, not one night was spent in a motel.

This is the 3rd time Elsie has made this trip, driving through, alone, without the slightest difficulty, and enjoying every day.

Wayman and June Edwards will have another Christmas stocking to hang now since the arrival of granddaughter, Halsee Lea Edwards. She arrived early Saturday morning, July 22, at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, and weighed 6 lbs. 8 ozs.

She is the first child of Dayton and Kim Edwards of Stinnett. Other grandparents are Mr. and

Mrs. Wayne Cloyd, Stinnett. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O.A. Scroggs and Mabel Edwards of Spearman; Jess Edwards of Cedarville, Kansas, and Lori Cloyd of Stinnett.

Marcus and Jo Larson came in on the weekend after attending the funeral of his brother, Edward, 69. A heart condition resulted in his death.

They drove through to Charleston, West Virginia, leaving here last Friday. Charleston, where he lived, is just south of Washington, D.C.

On Tuesday his military services were conducted at the U.S. Marine Base at Quantico, Virginia and interment was in the Quantico National Cemetery.

Edward lived in Spearman a number of years and attended high school here, and often visited in Spearman. Marcus and Jo had been with him a little more than a week before his death in Denver where they have a sister.

The Golden Age Center is still making an appeal for items to be sold at the garage sale on Friday. Pearl says if the Thrift Shop, church bazaars, private sales and kinfolk haven't beat her to the draw, there sure is a need for the merchandise.

Old buddies are greeting Arthur Allston on his return to Spearman. He has been with his daughter in Nevada, California where he underwent eye surgery.

June Edwards went to Tucson, Arizona has been visiting her mother, Mabel Edwards and other relatives here for several days. She has been a guest of Pearl Pierce.

On Friday she was notified of

the serious illness of her father, Jess Edwards. She and her brother, Wayman, left immediately for Cedarville, Kansas, where he is hospitalized.

Marguerite and Phil Jenkins are enjoying her sister, Billie Jean Craze of San Diego, California, this past week. Another sister, Jerry Simons, of Amarillo, joined them for several days. Billie Jean is here to participate in the 50th wedding anniversary observance for Marguerite and Phil which is to be held this weekend.

All the neighbors, friends and relatives are looking forward to honoring this fine couple.

Hansford Hospital patients this week have been: Rochelle Gibson, Clyde Soapes Jr., Gene Leatherman, Carol Bostwick, Gruver; John Casiea, Berger; Darla Howard, Katy, Texas; Father Norbert Kaiferle, Delwin Whitmire, Elizabeth Rodriguez, Francisco Rodriguez, Xavier Rodriguez, Cleo Denman, Elmon Jacobs, Lela Lovelless, Charles Eaton, Glen Mackie, Rusty Hazlewood, Thelma Wright, Todd Martin, Loretto Murray, Mark Love, Robert Driscoll, Spearman.

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Forest Service-USDA



The Chamber of Commerce turns out in force, for the ribbon cutting, to open a new business on Tuesday. LaRue Whitefield, cutting the ribbon, is the owner of Mur Murs on S. Roland Street.

CLUB NEWS - GOLF CLUB

The Hansford Golf Club is holding two tournaments in August.

A 2 man - 2 day low-ball tournament on Shotgun starts August 12 and 13, with tee times of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. The entry fee is \$60.00 a team.

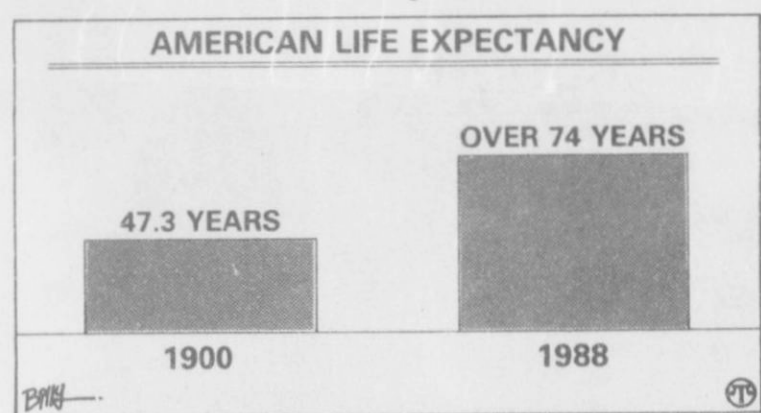
The tournament will feature a "shot gun" start and a "supper Saturday night after play auction." Cost for a guest is \$5.00.

The second tournament is Ladies 2 person scramble Tuesday August 15 with a tee-time at 9:00 a.m. The cost is \$70.00 per team. This includes cart, muligans, and lunch.

There will be prizes awarded for Longest Drive and Closest to the Pin.

To enter either tournament call Ned's Pro Shop at 659-2233.

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JULY CALENDER OF EVENTS

To put dates on this calendar, please call the Spearman Reporter Phone 659-3434.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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2 * Attend the Church of your choice	3 * Rotary Meeting	4 * Independence Day	5	6	7	8 *Babe Ruth All-Star Games (Pampa) *Hansford County 4-H Rodeo
9 * Attend the Church of your choice *Babe Ruth All-Star Games (Pampa)	10 *Rotary Meeting	11 *Palo Duro River Authority Meeting *Lion's Club	12	13 *Hospital Board Meeting	14	15
16 *Attend the Church of your choice	17 *Dahlia Flower Club Meeting *Rotary Meeting	18 *Defensive Driving 6-10 p.m. *Lions Club	19	20 *Defensive Driving 6 - 10 p.m. *Chamber of Commerce Economic Development Meeting 6 p.m.	21	22
23 *Attend the Church of your choice	24 *Rotary Meeting	25 *Lions Club *Roundup Meeting Chamber Office 7:00 p.m.	26	27 *1st Natl. Bank Tennis Tournament *Golden Spread Arts & Crafts Luncheon	28 *1st Natl. Bank Tennis Tournament *Golden Spread Garage Sale Games 1-5	29 *1st Natl Bank Activity Center Tennis Tournament *Golden Spread Raton Trip
30 *Attend the Church of Your Choice *1st Natl Bank	31 *Rotary Meeting Tennis Tournament					

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For Sale: 2 Story Brick Home in Etling addition in Gruver. Call: Leon Red at 733-2112 or 733-2000. S39 - 2tc

FOR SALE: 1 Metal Building and Property 35' x 50' - 1 Large Cinder Block Building and Property 3000 sq ft. Contact: First State Bank, Box 247, Spearman 659-5565. S29-RTN

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Sunken living room, parquet floors, fireplace, covered patio, 2 car garage, sprinkler system, 2193 sq. ft. living space, excellent location. Call 659-3587 or 659-5022. S33-RTN

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FOR SALE: Tommy & Jean (Hill Gwin's Angelfire Home. 5 bedrooms & 3 baths in a well maintained Chalet nestled amid 60 towering pines. Call Bush Realtors: 505-377-6677 S38S-2tp

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FOR SALE: 1982 Dodge Custom 50 pick-up topper - Sharp - \$2750. Call 659-5544. S39-1tc

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FOR SALE 3 bedroom, 2 bath home Fireplace, large living area, drapes, mini-blinds, completely remodeled and large deck patio. Nice neighborhood. 1110 S. Barkley. Call 659-3800 S36rtm

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HOUSE FOR SALE 4 Bedroom 1 1/4 bath 2 Car Garage, Fireplace Remodeled, New Carpet. 1119 Archer. Call: Sue Gerardy - 659-5196 or 733-5101. S 37 - RTN 1tp

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Miscellaneous

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Help Wanted

HELP WANTED: Part-time home-maker attendant needed in Spearman. Call Mon. - Fri. 9 - 5. 371-7313. S39-1tc

Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE: July 29th 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. 424 S. Bernice Furniture, Clothes, Etc. S39 - 1tp

BIG GARAGE SALE: Friday 28th and Saturday 29th; Furniture, clothing, sewing machine, formal and miscellaneous. 1 1/2 miles from crazy corner red light on Hwy 15. (towards Perryton) 9:00 to ? Watch for Signs. S-38-S-2tp

Golden Spread Senior Citizen Center will have a garage sale on Friday July 28th, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Paula's Dance Studio in the Shopping Center in Spearman. Please help the Senior Citizen's Center by donating items to be sold in the Garage Sale which will be held on July 28th, from 9-6, at Paula's Dance Studio in the shopping center in Spearman. You can bring garage sale items by the center at 14 S. Haney or call 659-3521 and someone will pick up the items for you.

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Public Notice

Anyone having medical records with doctors Kleeberger, Thomas, or Manese, please notify Hansford Hospital 659-2535, EXT. 201 within thirty (30) days, if you want to pick up these records. They will be destroyed after thirty (30) days.

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SESSION II - August 2 - August 4
Session I and II are for 2nd and 3rd graders
SESSION III - July 31 - August 4
Third graders

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Public Notice is hereby given for the annual budget hearing for Gruver ISD Budget for the 1989 - 90 school year. The hearing is scheduled for the regular meeting of the schoolboard of trustees on August 9, 1989 at 1:00 p.m. in the Board Room of Gruver High School, 600 Garrett, Gruver, Texas.



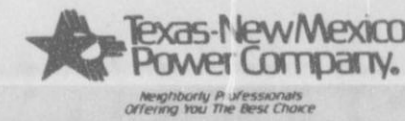
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LEGAL NOTICE

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BUDGET HEARING

Whereas, the Board of Directors of Hansford County Hospital District have caused to be prepared an annual budget for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1989 and ending September 30, 1990.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing on said proposed budget will be held on Thursday August 10, 1989 at 6:30 p.m. in the Board Room of the Hospital, 707 S. Roland St., Spearman, Hansford County, Texas.

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1016 Townsend
715 Steele - 1 1/2 Baths
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727 Wilbanks - Office, 1 1/2 B.
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708 Steele - Fireplace
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727 Cotter Dr. - 1 1/4 Bath,
18 S. James - 1 1/4 Bath.
729 Wilbanks- 1 1/4 Bath
729 Cotter - 1 1/4 B., Dbl. garage
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515 S. Bernice-4/1 1/4, extra large lot & close to school!
1012 S. Haney-4/1 1/4 Walk to school!
712 Collier - Foreclosure!! \$26,500.
20 S. James-2/1 Well maintained!
704 Steele - No down payment to qualify. Home application.
322 Barkley-3/1 Corner lot adds to the appeal!
118 Townsend - 4/2, Apartment included!
1102 Haney - 3/1 - New listing! Owner says sell quickly!
220 S. Snyder - Make an offer!
522 S. Haney-4/1 1/4 UNDER CONTRACT sell quick!
315 1/2 N. Bernice - Lot for sale!
315 Townsend - 2/1 Small price tag!

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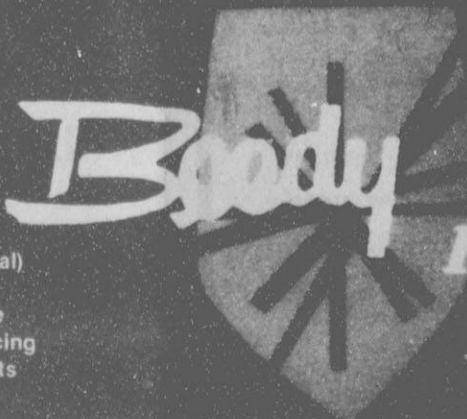
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