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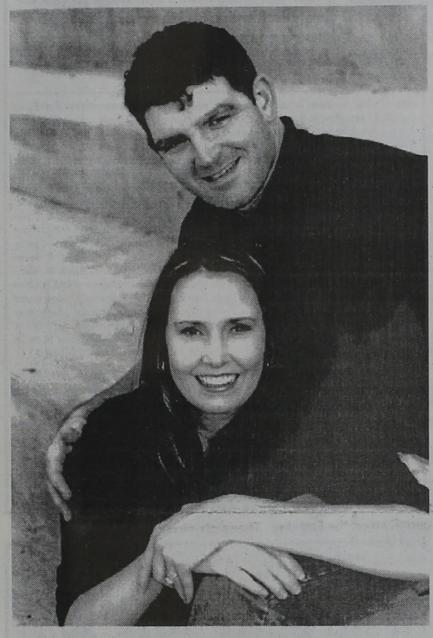
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JUNE 23, 2004

# First Baptist **Church Homecoming**

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Gorman, Texas is having a 120 Years Homecoming Celebration, August 22, 2004. All previous members, pastors, deacons, youth directors, and anyone else that is interested are welcome. If you know addresses of previous members of the Church, please send addresses, so we might invite them. Send to First Baptist rch, P.O. Box 160, Gorman, TX 76454 or call 254-734-2420 or Epis@cctc.net - old pictures or memorabilia will be welcomed.

# Caraway - Cammack Announce Engagement



Bo and Pat Caraway are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Tonya Caraway to Decker Cammack.

Tonya is a 1990 graduate of Gorman High School and 1994 and 1997 graduate of Angelo State University with degrees in Kinesiology and Nursing. She works as a registered nurse at the Medical Center of Plano in Plano, Texas.

Decker is a 1990 graduate of Jasper High School, 1994 graduate of the United States Military Academy at West Point with degrees in Physics and Engineering. Further, he graduated from the University of Houston Law Center in 2002 working for Fish and Richardson, PC in Dallas,

The wedding is October 2, 2004 at 6 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church of Grapevine, Texas. All friends and family are welcome to nd. Following a honeymoon, the couple will reside in Dallas, Texas.

#### **Bake Sale** Friday Evening -- June 25th

In front of ZJ's

Nikki Keith

Chamber of Commerce Candidate for Miss Gorman

#### **Desdemona Monthly Musical**

Desdemona Monthly Musical will be held on Saturday, June 26 at the Community Center. Concession stand will open at 5:30 p.m. with sandwiches, homemade pies and drinks. Come early to eat supper before the music starts. All area musicians, singers, and visitors are invited to attend. Dorothy Roberts is the chairman of the concession stand with helpers Bobbie McKillip, Vonnie Guthery, and Gay moore. Make plans to attend for good music and good fellowship.

#### **BEEF FAJITA MEAL**

Friday, June 25th -- 12 Noon

Warren Watermelon Stand, Hwy. 6

\$5.00 each

Miss Gorman Contestant

Sandra Lara

# Thank You Tour Of The **Peanut Country Bike Ride**

The Gorman Lions Club and Gorman Volunteer Fire Department would like to thank the following businesses in the Eastland County and the surrounding area for supporting our annual Tour of the Peanut Country Bike Ride. It was a great ride once again. \$500 Sponsors-EBAA Irons Sales, Inc., Texas Peanut Producers Board, Gorman Chamber of Commerce

\$250 Sponsors-Dublin Dr. Pepper, ZJ's Steakhouse \$100 Sponsors-American State Bank, Dr. Dan Brudnak, Randolf Dodge-Eastland, De Leon Hospital, Cook Insurance, Eastland Memorial Hospital, Gorman EDC, City of Gorman, F&M Bank, Taco Bell \$50 Sponsors - Comanche County Telephone Co., Express Medical Supply, Hirst Nut & Produce, The Hair Shoppe \$25 Sponsors-Bob's Grocery, Highway 6 Cafe, Wesley Warren, Texas Cattle Exchange

#### Flag Day Celebrated At American State Bank



Little Miss Gorman Kourtney Seaton and Miss Gorman Rachel Granado helped American State Bank and Gorman celebrate on June 11th. The celebration commemorated Flag Day (June 14). Over 200 hot dogs were served along with chips, drinks and the special 'flag cake.'

Thank you to American State Bank, Kourtney, and Rachel.



#### It's A Girl!

Audri, Isaac and Ella Segura are proud to announce the arrival of their baby sister, Isabella Rose. She was born on May 10th in Stephenville, Texas. Isabella was 7 lbs. 12 ozs. and 21 inches.

Isabella's parents are Erik and Belinda Segura of Gorman. Her grandparents are Danny and Dianne Snider of Gorman, Rosa Segura of Deleon and Jose Segura of Plano. Isabella is the great-granddaughter of Bill and Cliffa Vaughn of Gorman, Alfonso and Eduarda Segura of St. Luis Mexico, and the late Hazel Snider of Gorman.

#### Relay for Life

Just a note to let you know we're starting on our Relay For Life 2005. We will have a committee meeting Sunday- June 27th at 2pm til 3pm at the Chambers of Commerce meeting room in Eastland. It is on Seaman St. on the square . Anyone interested in helping us on the committee(and I need all the help I can get) please try to come and join us. We will be setting up meeting dates and team captain meeting dates. As most of you may know we are moving the Relay to Gorman football field this next year. All though Eastland field was fine It isn't set up for night time activities so Gorman has offer to let us use their field it will be better lighting and less wind since we have the wall around the whole field. If your in Gorman drive out and take a look. It will be awesome this year. I will be there with bells on this time!If you need any information contact me at 254-734-2174 or at my e-mail pilsey51@yahoo.com

Thanks and hope to see you Sunday the 27th

Valerie Hampton

# Miss Gorman and Little Miss **Contest Set For June 26th**

The Miss and Little Miss Gorman contests are now in full swing after the contests began on June 1st

This years contestants are: Miss Gorman Contestants: Nikki Keith-Chamber of Commerce Sandra Lara— Fire Department Kati Deel- Lion's Club

Miss/Little Miss Gorman Contestants: Katalina Landa— Chamber of Commerce Kayce Dodd— Lion's Club Kendle Coan—Fire Department Carrissa Cole-Foster Floral

Fund raising projects are now underway and all the girls have their cans in businesses for donations. Please help support these girls. The contest will run through June 26. All proceeds will go toward community projects. The Chamber supports programs such as the County Stock Show, the Awards Banquet, the Baseball Association, the Peanut Festival, the Annual Santa Visit, and Economic Development to bring in new businesses.

The pageant will be held at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, June 26, in the high school auditorium.

We appreciate the good job done by our reigning Miss Gorman, Rachel Granado, and Little Miss Gorman, Kourtney Seaton. They have represented us well at many area events and parades. Thanks girls!

# **Gorman Athletic Physicals** Set for July 14th

The Gorman Athletic Department will be having physicals for all incoming 7th- 12th graders that plan to participate in athletics for the 2004-2005 school year, as well as any 6<sup>th</sup> grade boys who plan to play football for our Junior High team if the numbers permit so on the first day. These physicals will be held at Dr Dan Brudnak's office located downtown next to the drug store. These physicals will be from 9:00 am til 12:00 pm on July 14th only. The cost of the physical is free if you attend during this time. We would like to thank Dr. Brudnak for his generosity and dedication to Gorman ISD.

It is important to note that the Gorman Athletic Department requires new physicals on our athletes every year. Last year's physical will not work. A letter has been sent to all athletes with the UIL physical forms that are required to be used. If you did not receive this letter by the day of the physicals, we will have a few extra copies at the doctor's office. Please fill out the forms completely front and back and sign in all pertinent places. Each year we waste time waiting on some forms or signatures that a parent forgot to sign or we waste paper by making extra copies for those that lost their forms. Please don't be one of those

If you are unable to attend, it will be YOUR responsibility to see your son or daughter has a physical (using the required UIL physical form) by August 4th for HS volleyball and football players, and by August 16th for all other athletes. Also note that Dr. Brudnak WILL NOT offer the physical for free before or after this date. We look forward to seeing you on July 14th. We would like for a parent to attend in case forms are incomplete or if there are questions the doctor might have or that you might have for the doctor. It should also be noted that most insurance carriers do not pay for physicals so you should make every effort to be here on this date during the set times.

> Thank you, Coby Tyson, Athletic Director Gorman ISD

### Gorman Junior High and **High School Registration**

Registration for the Jr. High and High School Students has been set for August 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Seniors will be registering individually on Monday, August 2nd. Since this is a very important time for these students to select classes, parents are encouraged to accompany seniors. Seniors should please call and schedule a time to register for classes. Juniors and Sophomores will register Tuesday, Freshmen and seventh and eighth will register on Wednesday. Please try to make registration if possible. We all look forward to an exciting new year.

Monday, August 2 Tuesday, August 3 (8:00-3:00)(8:00-12:00) (1:00-3:00)

Seniors **Juniors** Sophomores Freshmen

Wednesday, August 4

(8:00-12:00) (1:00-3:00)

7th and 8th

Oakland Cemetery Association is accepting donations for the Care of the Cemetery. Donations can be sent to Oakland Cemetery Association, 503 N. Fisher, Gorman, Tx 76454, or

American State Bank, Gorman, Texas 76454. 4-H - Meets Second Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716 A.F. & A.M. Regular stated meetings are 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Members are urged to attend. Visitors are always welcome. Daryl Hirst, Master - Bob Wilkerson, Secretary.

Monthly Men's Prayer Breakfast - Third Wednesday each month at 7:00 a.m. at First United Methodist Church. Various community Men's Groups will be hosting the breakfast.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

The Order of the Eastern Star holds its regular stated meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

LIBRARY — Charlie Garrett Memorial Library will be open Monday thru Friday from 3 to 5 p.m.

FOOD BANK

New Hours - 10 to 11:00 a.m. Second Thursday

**BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS** — Blood Pressure Checks by Heritage Manor of Gorman. Every Wednesday at Senior Citizens at 11:00 a.m. Other week at Gorman Hotel at 10:30 a.m.

Gorman Oaklawn Cemetery Association is accepting donations for the Care of the Cemetery. If you would like to make a donation in memory of or In Honor of someone, please send to Aline Garrett, P O Box 711, Gorman, Texas 76454, or American State Bank, Gorman, Texas 76454.

SANDRA CAGLE WILL BE IN GORMAN THE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE CITY OFFICE TO RENEW AUTO LICENSE PLATES. HER NEXT VISIT - JUNE 19TH FROM 9 - 12 NOON.

# Leo P. "Bill" Vaughn

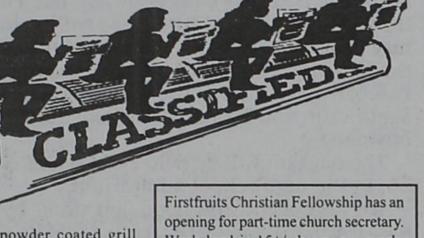
Gorman, passed away Thursday, June 17, 2004 at the Eastland Memorial Hospital. Services were home with Dane Gressett officiat-Monday, June 21, 2004 at the Hig- ing. Burial was in the Oaklawn ginbotham Funeral Home Chapel Cemetery in Gorman under the diin Gorman with Victor Pena offici- rection of Higginbotham Funeral ating. Burial followed at the Gor- Home. man Cemetery.

Mr. Vaughn was born July 28, 1934 in Norman, OK, to the late Aubrey Jackson Vaughn and Agnes White and Arabellah (Campbell) (Saunders) Vaughn. Mr. Vaughn White. He married Jo Ann Capers graduated from Abilene High on January 5, 1954 in Cisco. He School in 1953 and attended Hardin was a WWII veteran serving in the Simmons University and Texas U.S. Army. Western University. He was a veteran serving in the U.S. Army. He Mitchell Energy.

Molly Gaines of College Station; grandchild. two sisters, Patsy Hubbard of Waco and Marilyn Butler of Austin; fourteen grandchildren and six great parents and two brothers. grandchildren,

Services were Saturday, June 19,

retired in 1995 as plant operator for Ann; sons, Albert Edward White Jr. Survivors include his wife, White of Eastland; daughters, pletely to Jesus in August of 2002 Cliffa Vaughn of Gorman; son, Rebecca Susan White and Elizabeth Peyton Vaughn of Gorman; three Irene White of Gorman, Barbara daughters, Vicki Doyle of Ranger, Pack and Katherine White of Fort Dianne Snider of Gorman and Worth; 6 grandchildren; 1 great



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#### Albert E. White

Albert E. White, age 80, of Gorman, died Tuesday, June 15, 2004 Leo P. "Bill" Vaughn, 69, of at Heritage Manor Care Center. 2004 at the Higginbotham Funeral

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of Midlothian, Lonnie Charles

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#### Samuel Joe Sauceda

Samuel Joe "Sammy" Sauceda, of Eastland, exchanged this life for immortality with the King on Saturday, June 19, 2004. He was 16 years old. Funeral services will be held at Bethel Baptist Church in Eastland. Revs. Jim Andrews and Dane Gressett will be officiating. Service date and time are pending. Albert was born on April 25, Visitation is at Edwards Funeral Home in Eastland.

Sammy was born on February 17, 1988 to Manuel and Virginia Sauceda. He recently completed his sophomore year at Eastland High School. While in school, Sammy enjoyed playing trombone in the He is survived by his wife Jo band. He was employed by Brookshire's in Eastland.

Sammy gave his heart comand had been an active member of the Youth Group at Firstfruits Christian Fellowship since that time. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, and playing video games, and he was considering a career in the armed forces where he could develop his interests in pyrotechnics and weaponry.

Sammy is survived by his parents, Manuel and Virginia Sauceda of Olden; his siblings, PO2 David Castaneda, United States Navy, of Naples, Italy, Tommy Sauceda of Round Rock, Geneva Sauceda of Cisco, Ana Sauceda of Gorman, Angela Castaneda of Dallas, Lance Corporal Antonio Diego "A.D." Sauceda, United States Marine Corps, of Cisco, Private Michael Sauceda, United States Army, of Olden, and Amanda Sauceda of Olden; numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins; and many friends.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made at either Eastland National Bank or Farmers & Merchants Bank in Eastland to help defray medical and funeral expenses.

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office by July 6, 2004.

## Thank You

We want to thank each and everyone for the calls, cards, visits, prayers, food, and flowers during the time of our loss.

The Family of Vardie (V.O.) Huff

## Thank You To The People Of Gorman



I would like to say "Thank You" to the people of Gorman and surrounding area for letting me represent you this past year.

Miss Gorman Rachel Granado and I were proud to represent Gorman in area parades where we won several trophies, made our television debut at the West Texas Rehab Telethon--where we met singer Joe Nichols, Red Stegall and other celebrities. We were also honored to be guest of Representative Jim Keffer and his staff. They treated us to a great breakfast and a tour of the State Capitol of Texas.

I would like to say "Thank You" to American State Bank for allowing us to serve free hot dogs to the people of Gorman July 4th, Halloween, and Flag Day.

I want to say a special thanks to Miss Gorman Rachel Granado and her family for helping me and my family get through each event.

Good luck to each of this year's contestants who are running for Little Miss Gorman on Saturday

Little Miss Gorman 2003-2004 Kourtney Seaton

Gorman ISD is currently accepting bids for fuel and fuel products

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the 2004-2005 school year. All bids for milk products are due in my

Gorman ISD

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# Public Auction **Antiques & Collectibles**

Sat., June 26 - De Leon, Tx - 9:00 A.M.

Location - South side of De Leon Hospital, turn east on Ayers St., go 2 blocks, turn north on Francis St., 1st house on right (House # - 432)

Due to illness and moving to new home Jack and RaeJeane Hasty are selling 40 years of antiques and collectibles.

100s of tools, wrenches & hand tools (some antique); Railroad lanterns; MKT drinking cup; R.R. wrenches; R.R. nails; R.R. oil cans; 3 old trunks; 2 meat scales; Old signs; Antique bits & horse collars; Hoof nippers; Cowbells & branding irons; Kerosene lamps; Knives; Sample baseball bats; 3 finger pro. Glove; Old razors, mugs, straps; Crank telehone; Old postmaster scales & table; Metronome; Crock Jars; Needle shuttle box; 2 old singer sewing machines pedal - all attachments; 3 smoothing irons, 1 gas iron 1941 & wooden ironing board; Wooden Coca-Cola & Dr. Pepper boxes; 4 old milk cans; Butter molds; Antique shoe stretchers & lasp; Marbles; Old cedar boxes; Old Tom's candy case; 100's old books & manuals; Old cameras; Old school desk; Old picture viewer & pictures; Mrs. WC Streety butter paddle; Antique radios - Beetles & Monkeys records; Antique doctors chair; Bee smoker & hat; Blowtorch; Old radiator caps; CB's and parts; Indian grindstones; Antique well bucket; Cast iron teakettle; Corn sheller; Old flower sifters; Wood knives; 2 grinding rocks; Cross cut saw & buck saw; Block & tackle (wooden); Old lawn chairs; 2 iron wagon wheels; 1 model T running board; Old Fordson toolbox; Antique med. Bottles & jars; \*Tonka toys - crane, trucks, dozers; Loaders (some large); Wooden tops; Old Barbie dolls; Power Rangers (never been opened); Some very old spinner toys; 10 Old Quilts; \*2 Chenille bedspreads; Crystal Chandeliers; 100's of figurines; All kinds of glass; Milk - frostina - wheat - rose design; (Too Many Items To List - a partial listing)

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and the Texas Pledge.

Mayor Ervin called the meeting to order @ 5:31 p.m.

prove the minutes as read with a does not expect special attention 4-0.

Joe made the motion to approve just like everyone else. the bills for payment with the ex-

The Gorman City Commission ception of the \$30 Gem Dandy bill

James Alexander was present to court. It was suggested that James petitive bid soon. give a sketch of the work he promaking a decision.

Nathan made the motion to ap- ing. Durward assured Bill that he tion carried 4-0. that if he gets a ticket he will pay it

Jim and Brad spoke with the second. Motion carried 4-0.

Commission about a possible conservices. IESI is home-owned and is the 8th largest trash service in the US. Jim provided letters of recommendation from the Cities of Ranger and Strawn. Jim will provide a com-

Lori Dodd presented the Reso-Joe led the opening prayer fol- posed to do and the Commission lution Authorizing The Filing Of A lowed by the Pledge of Allegiance will speak with Lori Dodd before Grant With WCTCOG for a Regional Solid Waste Grant Program. Bill was present to personally Joe made a motion to pass the resoconfront Durward about his driv- lution. Nathan made a second. Mo-

Charlie made a motion to sign second from Joe. Motion carried from the Police Department and the agreement with the school for playground equipment to be provided to the city park. Joe made a

#### BY ZELDA JORDAN

Thunderstorms rumbled through the community on Monday evening with some welcome rain. Betty Little re-

ported 8 tenths of an inch at her house, and I received 7 tenths. Really nice.

"Happy Birthday" was sung to Leona Wilson at the Sunday morning service at the Kokomo Baptist Church. The family members and friends. special music was by the choir: Kay Snider, Aletha Burgess, Leona Wilson, Donna Gatlin, Lesley Gatlin, Daryl Hirst, Jimmy Little, Joe Bond and Woodrow Browning with Glynda Bond at the piano. Gary, Donna, Lesley and Garrett Rodney and Linda Stephens. She Gatlin of Graham were visitors.

Those visiting with Oren and Norma Webb on Saturday for an early Father's Day get together were Judy and Sarah Porter of Elgin, Scarlett and Amanda Porter of Austin, James, Jantzen and Chelsea Webb of Glen Rose, Stacy Webb and Renee Fox of Comanche and Ronnie, Laura and Katherine Shelton of Sapulpa, OK. and Norma Webb visited with Joyce Eaves on Friday.

Ashley and Breckley Little spent Friday night with their grandparents, Jimmy and Verna Lee Little. On Saturday night, Jimmy and Verna Lee Little and Ray Neal and Melissa Little of Eastland enjoyed a hamburger cook-out at the home of James, Jill, Ashley and Breckley Little for an early "Father's Day" celebration.

Jimmy and Verna Lee Little and Betty Little had lunch in Eastland on Sunday. Cody Fails, Courtney and Latricia Butts of Arlington visited with Jimmy and Verna Lee in the afternoon. They also visited with James, Jill, Ashley and Breckley Little. Jimmy and Verna Lee enjoyed a telephone visit with their daughter, Nelda Fails of Arlington.

Gary, Donna, Lesley and Garrett Gatlin of Graham visited from Friday until Monday morning with Woodrow and Helen Browning.

Johnnie B. Griffith met Ken and Janie Riley of Midland for lunch in Eastland on Wednesday.as they came through on their way to a visit with Ken's mother in East Texas.

Johnnie B. Griffith, Nancy Hendricks and Norma Webb visited with Zelda Jordan.

**KOKOMO NEWS** 

"Happy Anniversary" to my granddaughter, Sheri and her husband, Wade Daniell of Abilene who celebrated their 12th wedding anniversary on Sunday, June 22. Sheri, Wade, Ryan, Kody and Emily and Kayla Jordan of Lubbock tain Cameron Gulley CPA for the thing. enjoyed a couple days last week touring some of the museums in the Dallas area and having a good time at Six Flags.

Kayla returned to her home in Lubbock on Friday with Leon and Glenda Black who went to Lubbock on business a second. The motion carried 4-0. and had a short visit with Cindy Jordan.

Many from the community attended the funeral for Mrs. Hope Joiner at Gorman on Thursday. I've heard many motion to go nto Executive Session. comments this week about how generous Mrs. Joiner was to share eggs, garden produce, fruit, pecans, and her beautiful flowers with everyone.

She grew some of the most beautiful gladiolas that I've ever seen. And many of us have little bonnets and gloves made by Mrs. Joiner to remind us of her generosity. We will always remember her faithfulness to her church, the Kokomo Baptist Church. She was also so faithful in her visits to those in the hospital and the nursing homes. I'm sure that she has many stars in her crown.

We extend sincere sympathy to the family of Bill Vaughn of Gorman who passed away on Thursday evening. He was the father of Dianne Snider of our church family. Many from Kokomo attended his funeral in Gorman on Monday.

May we continue to remember the families of Mrs. Joiner and Mr. Vaughn in prayer, as well as others who have lost loved ones this past week.

#### **Stephens Graduates With Masters From Texas State**

THE GORMAN PROGRESS



On May 15, 2004, Samantha Stephens graduated from Texas State University-San Marcos with a Master of Science degree in Physical Therapy. Samantha previous graduated from Texas State University-San Marcos in May of 2002 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Exercise and Sports Science. Her graduation ceremony was accompanied by many proud

Samantha is the daughter of is the granddaughter of Lora Faye Warren and the late John Warren of Gorman and Veda Stephens and the late Homer Stephens of DeLeon. She also has a great grandmother, Hazel Stephens, of Brownwood.

Durward made a motion to accept the bid for a used 2000 backhoe from C.A.S.E. and to pay \$5000 down and pay out remainder in 3 years. Nathan made a second and the motion carried 4-0. C.A.S.E. will pay \$7500 for the old backhoe have no doubt that you love them. if it is running.

Durward made a motion to re-City's 2003-04 audit. Charlie made

At 6:33 p.m. Nathan made a Joe made a second. The motion carried 4-0.

At 6:45 p.m. Charlie made a motion to adjourn from Executive Session and to return to Regular Open Session. Joe made a second and the motion carried 4-0.

There being no further business for discussion Charlie made the motion to adjourn, Joe made a second. Motion carried 4-0. Time was 6:55 p.m.

# From The Woodshed

JUNE 24, 2004

Provided by Leslie Vann

Insight for Parents-Communicating With Your Child

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It has been a number of months since I have placed an article for From The Woodshed in the Progress. During the school year each campus has an individual assigned to prepare news for the Progress and the Progress has been very good to publish articles about the school and the students' activities and accomplishments. I plan to have an article for the paper every week which will address issues that will aide in the schools efforts to educate the children who attend Gorman ISD.

As a reader of this article, you may not be a parent. However, we all have the opportunity to communicate with children and nurture their growth both physically and mentally.

Helping shape our children's self-esteem takes commitment and knowledge of effective parenting skills. Self-esteem is the process of setting a value on yourself, appreciating your worth, knowing you are a valued person, and having a quiet sense of self-respect.

Individuals with high self-esteem:

- Are able to appreciate and respect the worth of others.
- Are confident of their own confidence.
- \* Believe they matter to others.
- \* Have fewer illnesses and worries. \* Are generally happier and more successful.
- Are able to deal with crisis.
- Are able to make better and more responsible decisions.
- People with low self-esteem: \* Avoid doing things themselves.
- Have a difficulty accepting compliments.
- Have difficulty accepting responsibility for their actions.
- Tend to have accepted labels like dumb, stupid, or ugly.
- Feel distant from those around them.
- Set themselves up for failure and expect to be cheated.
- Need almost constant verification and validation from others.
- Finally, people who have an exaggerated sense of self-esteem:
- Have an inflated ego, can do no wrong.
- Usually talk about themselves and their accomplishments a great deal.

 Usually are masking feelings of inferiority or need for approval. What can parents do? Emphasizing three variables-security, significance, and confidence-will help children feel secure. Parents can work toward building their children's self-esteem by following these guidelines:

- \* Believe in yourself as a parent and adult. A parent who radiates inadequacy tends to perpetuate the cycle of low self-esteem in his or her children.
- \* Provide unconditional love for your children. Your children should
  - Communicate clearly and be an active listener.
- Be honest and admit if you make a mistake or don't understand some-
  - \* Display respect to your children. Show your children that you believe
  - Honestly accept your children's limits and gifts.
- \* Nurture your children's strengths by finding their talents and helping them to develop them.
- Help you children become successful. Assist them in finding things they can do well and allow them to become involved in these activities.
- Help your children understand that they can learn from a less-thansterling performance. Less-than-successful does not mean failure.
  - Help strengthen your children's weak areas.

By concentrating on security, significance, and confidence, parents can raise healthy, happy, and successful children.

Source: Harold H. LeCrone, Jr., Ph.D.-Waco, Texas; Waco Tribune-Harold For more information about Gorman ISD view our website:

www.gorman.esc14.net

# Dr. Jamie Cox will be strarting his practice with

B & W Clinic, Monday, July 19,2004. Dr. Cox is a 2001 graduate of Texas Tech University School of Medicine. He served in the United States Air Force as a Medical Service Specialist. Dr. Cox will be a Family Practitioner and will do Obstetrics and Pediatrics. Dr. Cox is married and has two daughters. Hobbies include hunting, hiking,

On behalf of Eastland Memorial Hospital we would like to welcome Dr. Cox

camping, reading, tennis.

Dr. Bob Matthews is a 1983 graduate of the University of Texas at Galveston. He is a member of the Texas & American Association of Family Practice. Since 1986, Dr. Matthews has been Board Certified in Family Practice and in practice at the B & W Clinic. His practice includes maternity & child-

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#### By Nancy Hendricks

Kids Say Funny Things

A little girl had just finished her first week of school. "I'm just wasting my time," she said to her mother. "I can't read, I can't write, and they won't let me talk!" And, that's just how it is.

A little boy in church for the first time watched as the ushers passed the offering plates. When they neared the pew where he sat, the little boy piped up so everyone could hear and said: "Don't pay for me, Daddy, I'm under five."

A little boy was attending his first wedding. After the service, his cousin asked him, "How many women can a man marry?" "Sixteen," the boy replied. The cousin was amazed at how fast the boy was able to come up with the answer. "How do you know?" he asked. "Easy," the little boy replied. "All you have to do is add it up like the Bishop said: 4 better, 4 worse, 4 richer, 4 poorer."

After a church service on Sunday, a little boy announced to his family that he would like to be a minister when he grew up. "That's okay with us, but how did you come to such a decision?" "Well," said the little boy. "I have to go to church on Sunday anyway and I figured it would be more fun to stand up and yell, than to sit and listen."

The June Birthday Party will be Monday, June 27th at 2:30. The Monday Gospel singers will entertain and the party will honor three residents for having June birthdays. There will be refreshments. Relatives and guests are welcome.

Some guests were Bonnie Croft of Lake Leon, Bonita Richards of Ft. Worth, Max and Janice Grice of Brownfield, Tisha and Daniel Grice of Stephenville, Irene West.

On Sunday morning, those coming from the First Baptist Church for Sunday School were Bobby Rich, Vickie Seay, and Tootie Campbell. Bobby taught the Sunday School lesson, "The Lord's Supper." Background passage-Matthew 26:17-30 and 1 Corinthians 11:17-31. The key verse 1 Corinthians 11:26. A resident led the opening prayer. There were 17 residents present.

Some guests were Sylvia Estes of Carbon, Howard and Pat Hagood, and Suzan Lipson.

Residents send "Get Well Wishes" to Marie Cook.

Recent visitors were Kenneth and Vonceia Snider of Rosebud, AK, Maudie Husband, Bill Moll, Bobby and Peggy Ingram of Cisco, Mary Ann Alexander of Brownwood, Diana Snider, and Larry and Delinda Snider.

On Sunday afternoon, those coming from the Kokomo Baptist Church were Rev. Clarence and Leona Wilson, Johnnie B. Griffith, Zelda Jordan, Joe and Glynda Bond, Woodrow and Helen Browning, and Nancy Hendricks. Woodrow led the singing accompanied by Helen. Bro. Wilson's message was "We Need Something to Anchor our Souls To." Bible passage from Hebrews. There were ten residents attending.

Some guests were James Morris of Levelland, Pam Hulse, Woodrow and Helen Browning, W.C. and Winelle Browning, Holly Browning of Brownfield, Maxine Frasier of DeLeon, Fred McMullen of Melrose, NM, Larry Stogsdill, and Durward Webb.

On Monday morning, Karen Guthery opened the beauty shop to style resident's hair.

Recent visitors were Steve and Dorenda Menten, Jerry Majors of DeLeon, Kelly Williams, Kim Ryon, Jaron Majors, Josh Ryon, and Zac Ryon of Desdemona.

On Monday morning, Judy Kimbrew, Pat Graham and Ina Smith had bingo for 7 residents.

Visiting were Dawn Roberts of Frisco, Rodney and Vickie Roberts of Stephenville, Kennard and Doylena Roberts of Gusting, Bo and Anna Lee Roberts, Levi Roberts, Shannon Roberts and Shayla Roberts.

On Monday afternoon, those coming for the Gospel Singing were Ruby Lee Kinser, Ernestine Campbell, Marjorie Treadway, Zelda Jordan, Daisy Slaton, Johnnie B. Griffith, and Nancy Hendricks. Ruby Lee brought the special music. There were 12 residents present.

Some guests were Clarence and Leona Wilson, Lucy Joiner, Joyce and Cliff Bramlett of Stephenville, Shanna, Taylor Hope, Alyssa Mahon and Billie Jean Grisham of DeLeon, Donald Lee Joiner of Houston, Howard and Barbara Joiner of Arlington, Johnnie B. Griffith of Lake Leon, Nancy Hendricks. Tuesday morning, Betty Duke of Desdemona came played the electric

# Desdemona News

By Vonnie Guthery

Desdemona Monthly Musical will be held on Saturday, June 26 at the Community Center. Concession stand will open at 5:30 p.m. with sandwiches, homemade pies and drinks. Come early to eat supper before the music starts. All area musicians, singers, and visitors are invited to attend. Dorothy Roberts is the chairman of the concession stand with helpers Bobbie McKillip, Vonnie Guthery, and Gay Moore. Make plans to attend for good music and good fellowship.

Kelsey Caddell of Fort Worth spent the past week in Desdemona visiting with her great grandmother, Dorothy Roberts. Kelsey was anxious to return home to be with her mother, Heather Caddell and her new baby brother, Cain. Grandmother is Ulenda Weaver of Fort Worth.

Larry and Gay Moore enjoyed a long weekend visit in Vanderbilt, Texas, with Kathy Rivera and children, Ashlan and James. Kathy is the step-daughter of Ruby Lee Hathaway in Stephenville. Larry and Gay rode their motorcycle for this trip and really enjoyed it.

Vonnie Guthery visited last Sunday with her sister, Mattie Newton at the Canterbury Rest Home in DeLeon. Mattie celebrated her 98th birthday on Sunday. Other visitor at the time was another sister, Avie Taylor of DeLeon. Mattie received several birthday cards from family and friends. She received a lovely floral arrangement from her nephew, Rodney Clements and wife, Pat, in Houston.

Pug Guthery is slowly recovering from recent surgery. He spent two weeks in the Hendricks Hospital in Abilene. This reporter is having "one heck of a time" trying to keep Pug from doing too much.

Please contact this reporter with your weekly news. Thanks and have a nice day, Vonnie.

# Gorman EDC Minutes

May 10, 2004

The Gorman EDC held its monthly board meeting on Monday, May 10, 2004. The meeting was called to order by Secretary Kim Sharp at 5:48 p.m. Present were board members Mark Simmons, Kim Sharp, Robert Ervin, Becky Laminack, Joey Casey, Leslie Vann, and EDC Director Lori Dodd.

Secretary Kim Sharp read the EDC Minutes; Robert Ervin made a motion to approve the minutes, second by Becky Laminack. Motion carried 7-0.

Board reviewed the bills; Mark Simmons made a motion to pay the bills, second by Joey Casey. Motion carried 7-0.

Under old business: The solid Waste Funding is proving profitable—it has allowed the purchase of a new chipper and is presently paying the salary for our new Code Enforcement Officer.

The Sirolli ED Opportunity held a seminar in Abilene on May 20th. The RTA received a refund of \$18,900.00 for liquidated damages. Under new business:

Election of a new President was discussed. Mark Simmons made a motion to appoint Vice President Judy Warren to President, with Secretary Kim Sharp moving up as Vice President, and then appointing Becky Laminack as the new Secretary. The motion was second by Robert Ervin, motion carried 7-0.

With no further business to discuss, a motion was made to adjourn by Robert Ervin, and second by Mark Simmons. Motion carried 7-0. Meeting adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

Minutes submitted for publication by Kim Sharp.

keyboard and led singing for seven residents.

Visiting were Delores Underwood, Velda Baze, Billy Earl and Francis Simpson, Tacy Warren, Erma Baskis, Kathy Stewart, E.G. Henderson of Eastland, C.J. Henderson of Abilene, Vickie Seay.

On Tuesday afternoon, residents enjoyed "Word Game" with Ina Smith. Some visitors were Jimmy and Verna Lee Little and Betty Little of East- ing, but sounds like fun. land, Zelda Jordan, Joe and Glynda Bond and Nell Files of Carbon.

On Wednesday morning, Bro. Bill Campbell of First Baptist Church came and had chapel. His message was "Growing Spiritually" with Bible passage 1 Thessalonians 5:25-27. A resident gave the closing prayer. There were eleven residents present.

Some visitors were David and Brenda Sears of Lake Proctor, Betty Logan of Lake Leon, Ronnie and Terry Brown, Stanley and Lisa Brown of Lamesa,

Dennis Brown, Winston Brown, Sue Keesee, Geraldene Wright, Jerry Brown, Roger Brown, Lavell Hallmark and Karen Guthery.

Wednesday afternoon, residents enjoyed "Crazy Bingo" with Ina Smith. Recent guests were Bonnie D. Stewart and Jewel Dean Morris of DeLeon, Lonnie and Edith Grumbles, Becky Smith of Cross Plains, Annie Faye Foster, Pam Childers.

Not sure what "Milking Contest" game with Ina Smith on Thursday morn-

Some guests were Glen and Nancy Lawless of DeLeon, Leta Loudermilk, Don Landers of Springtown, Mark Sanders of Boyd, Ernestine Campbell, Marjorie Treadway.

On Friday morning, Judy Kimbrew, Pat Graham and Ina Smith had bingo for seven residents.

Visiting were Henry Lenz of Carbon, George Rodgers, Stanley Porter,

Bobby and Joan Baker of Desdemona, James and Ruby Lee Kinser.

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