

THE WHEELER TIMES

(USPS 681-960)
VOLUME 73, NUMBER 32

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 2007

SINGLE COPY 50c

"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR

By Louis C. Stas

Donations are being taken for the construction of the sidewalks along Alan L. Bean Blvd. Donations may be taken or mailed to the city office or mailed. See Sidewalks on Page 1.

The Old Mobeetie Music Festival was a great success with excellent weather. A little warm, but the shade trees certainly helped.

I heard of four 'first timers' from Canadian, who were very impressed. Two came for Friday and Saturday.

The Arnolds from Del City arrived in Wheeler on Wednesday evening and spent the weekend.

The Meriwethers helped us entertain with a meal at the ranch on Saturday afternoon. Guests were Star Canyon Band, Triple L, Carroll and Carla Haygood of Canadian and the Arnolds.

Stormie had met Levi, a member of the Triple L Band at one of their gigs in Oklahoma City and enjoyed getting to have them come to her home.

Thanks, Tonya Finsterwald for the pictures from the festival.

I though there were more younger people out this year for the festival, which is good.

Our sympathy to the Hathaway family on the death of Blake Hathaway.

Please re-emphasize the dangers of 4-wheelers to your youngsters. It can't be said too often.

We did have ice cream Saturday; four flavors, Lemon, Blueberry Cheese Cake, Honey Almond and Butter Pecan.

Of course the results of Rhonda's, Leroy's and Barbara's good cooking sometimes does not leave much room for ice cream.

Cards were played Monday evening. Dwight and I won the first game and Patsy and Rhonda won the second.

Seven Recipients From Wheeler Co. Receive Ja'Nae Goad Scholarships

The Ja'Nae Goad Golf Tournament committee recently awarded 7 continuing education scholarships to previous recipients. The 2007 tournament was so successful that these seven scholarships were given in addition to the 6 that were awarded to Wheeler County

graduating seniors. Recipients of the 2007 continuing education scholarships are Kaylee Ziaontz, Cassie Crossland and Jordan Jones of Shamrock, Samantha Chapman and Landon Sams of Wheeler and Kelsey Zybach and Jason Boydston of Fort Elliott.

Farmers' Market Now Open On West Side Of Square Wed. & Sat.

Farmer's Market in Wheeler opened on Saturday, July 7 with a good selection of fruits and vegetables.

The market for the past several years has been located at the shelter in the city park. This year it will be located on the north side of the courthouse square in Wheeler.

On Saturdays, the market will open at 8:00 a.m. and remain open until noon or until all the produce is sold.

Verne Lohberger, 93 Is Buried At Zybach

Verne Joseph Lohberger, 93, died July 27, 2007, in Wheeler, Texas. Services were held at 10:30 AM, Monday, July 30, 2007, in the First United Methodist Church, Allison, Texas, with Rev. Gary Jahnel, Canadian, Texas, and Rev. Tom Woodward, Pastor, First United Methodist Church Wheeler, Texas officiating. Burial was in the Zybach Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home, Wheeler, Texas.

Verne Joseph Lohberger was born August 8, 1913, to William and Clara Bouquot Lohberger on the old homeplace at Briscoe, Texas. He attended the little country Zybach schoolhouse, along with his siblings. He married Susie Sims of Mobeetie, Texas, on January 2, 1951.

Verne was involved in farming and ranching in the Allison-Briscoe communities most of his life. His love for people extended from his family to the community beyond. Some of his sons' fondest memories are of times they went with him to the store or the service station and listened while he visited and swapped stories with other farmers.

Verne's strong love for family made it natural for him to take a young nephew, Dean Tipps, under his wing when Dean's father died. He lent advice and help to Dean countless times, which led to a deep-lasting bond between them.

Verne's sense of responsibility toward his community and school was very strong. He served on the Allison School Board for several years, on the County ASCS Board and he also offered his services to transport students on occasional school outings back before there were school buses for that purpose. His wonderful sense of direction was an excellent asset...one that, Suzanne says, regrettably, she did NOT inherit! He was a member of the Catholic Church, but also attended the Allison United Methodist Church.

Verne thoroughly enjoyed all kinds of sports, especially any which involved his children or grandchildren. Even after going to the Assisted Living quarters in Wheeler, he still occasionally had the pleasure of going to see a grandson play basketball. When he could no longer get out, he still enjoyed watching baseball on TV.

Verne was preceded in death by his wife of almost 50 years, Susie Sims; two sisters, Lucile Tipps and Myrle Hunter; one brother, Maurice Lohberger and one great-grandson, Jaycee Lohberger. He has one surviving sister, Dorothy Walker, and three surviving sisters-in-law, Wilma Wyant of Lubbock, Texas, Billie Ruth Sims of California and Juanita Willis of South Carolina.

Verne passed from this life on Friday, July 27, 2007, just twelve days short of his 94th birthday. He is survived by six children, Danny Lohberger and wife, Sarah, of Milpitas, California; Carolyn Morrello of Cypress, California; Joe Rucker of Amarillo, Texas; Howard Lohberger and wife, Pat, of Erick, Oklahoma; Suzanne Lohberger of Allison, Texas; Alton Lohberger and wife, Ariel, of Allison, Texas; twelve grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

The family extends its grateful thanks to Dr. Mendiola, the hospital staff, the Assisted Living staff and the caretakers all of whom extended such loving care and consideration to Verne.

Family and friends may sign the online guest book at www.wrightfuneraldirectors.com.

On Wednesday the market will open at 4:00 p.m. and remain open until all the produce is sold.

The market is open to any Wheeler area gardener who wishes to sell at the market. Bring you produce to town and make a little extra spending money.

Fresh produce is appreciated by those with no gardens.

Harold Reid Rites July 25, In Pampa, TX

Harold "Snake" Reid, 68, died July 24, 2007, in Amarillo, Texas. Services were held at 10:00 A.M., Wednesday, July 25, 2007, at Mary Ellen & Harvester Church of Christ in Pampa with Don Stone, White Deer Church of Christ minister, and Jerry Dorman officiating.

Burial was in White Deer Cemetery in White Deer, Texas, with Masonic graveside rites courtesy of Top O' Texas Masonic Lodge #1381 AF & AM of Pampa, Texas, and Faith Masonic Lodge #1158 AF & AM of Wichita Falls, Texas, and military graveside rites courtesy of the Texas Army National Guard. Arrangements were under the direction of Carmichael-Whalley Funeral Directors of Pampa, Texas.

Mr. Reid was born January 20, 1939, in Wheeler, Texas. He married Gwen Britain on June 16, 1972, in Pampa. He had been a resident of White Deer since 1983. He was a member of the Top O' Texas Masonic Lodge #1381 AF & AM and the Lubbock Scottish Rite Consistory. He was a member of the Pampa-Borger SFOA Chapter for 25 years and the Pampa SBOA for 25 years. He was a veteran of the Texas National Guard, serving 30 years. He retired from Cabot Corporation in 2000 after 41 years of service as a schedule planner. He was a Church of Christ. He served on the White Deer City Council from 2001-2003.

Survivors are his wife, Gwen Reid, of the home; two sons, Britt Giles Reid & wife Tiffany of White Deer, and Brandon Lee Reid & wife, Bree, of Amarillo; two grandsons, Nate Reid and Levi Reid; three sisters, Jo Evelyn Johnson of Iowa Park, Winnie Delores Dodge of Naples and Linda Kay McNelly of Lubbock; two special sisters-in-law, Evalene Anderson and Lynn Neely, both of Amarillo. He was preceded in death by his parents, Otis and Opal Reid.

The family suggests that memorials be made to BSA Hospice, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, Texas 79105 or High Plains Children's Home, 11461 South Western, Amarillo, Texas 79118.

Family and friends may sign the on-line register at www.carmichael-whalley.com.

Raybourn Alston, 82 Services Sat., July 28

Raybourn B. Alston, 82, passed away July 26, 2007, in Wheeler, Texas.

Services were held at 3:00 p.m., Saturday, July 28, 2007, in the Tobeyville Cemetery, Marble Falls, Texas, with Rev. Ed Walker, Pastor of Granite Mountain Baptist Church, Marble Falls, Texas, officiating. Burial was in the Tobeyville Cemetery in Marble Falls, Texas, under the direction of Wright Funeral Home, Wheeler, Texas.

Mr. Alston was born April 22, 1925, to James A. and Beulah Moore Alston in Kennedy, Texas. He was married to Verna Tatum. He served in the Korean War. Raybourn worked independently as a truck driver. He was a member of the Granite Mountain Baptist Church, Marble Falls, Texas. He is survived by his wife, Verna Alston; one son, Gary Alston, and wife, Karen and one grandson, Dee Alston, all of Wheeler, Texas and one sister, Georgia Vaughn, of Marble Falls, Texas.

Sidewalk Donations

A group of Wheeler citizens met with the Wheeler City Council in a special session, Tuesday, July 23, 2007, concerning building sidewalks on the east and west sides of Highway 83, since the new highway will be several feet narrower than the old. The main concerns of the citizens was for the safety of our children; they will have no place to walk or ride their bicycles in a safe place on their way to school, to the park or pool.

Unfortunately, TxDOT has no funding for the sidewalks, but have agreed to do the dirt work if we can raise money to pay for the sidewalks while the present contractors are still in Wheeler. The council voted at a special meeting July 30, 2007, to approve the project if private funding is available.

The cost of the project will be approximately \$100,000.00, which must be raised by August 10, 2007, in order to get the sidewalks now.

We are asking everyone to help with this project by giving a tax deductible donation of any amount. You may bring donations by city hall, 505 S. Alan Bean Blvd., or mail to City of Wheeler, P.O. Box 98, Wheeler, Texas 79096. Attn: Sidewalks %Claudine Finsterwald.

Please help keep our children safe and our city "a town of friendship and pride" by giving generously.

Mobeetie Baptists Issues Invitation

Please join us at the First Baptist Church in Mobeetie for a good old summertime revival!

Bro. Dusty Rhodes of Seguin, TX, will be bringing the Word of God to us, starting Monday morning, August 5, and continuing through Wednesday, August 8.

The Sunday morning service will be at 11:00 a.m. with the Monday through Wednesday services at 7:00 p.m. We will still be hosting the First Sunday Singing at our church on August 5 at 6:00 p.m.

Make plans now to be with us.

Parkview Hospital Board Minutes

JULY 9, 2007

Chairman Helton called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Room at Parkview Hospital.

Present were: Thomas R. Helton, Chairman; James Batton, Secretary; Ray Hudson and Dale Garner. Absent: Sue Chandler, Secretary

Also present: Ann Fagan Cook, RN, BSN, CEO; Sue Stiles, RN, BSN, Director of Nursing Service and Ray Marosi, Healthcare Funding Solutions, Denver, CO

Chairman Helton moved to agenda item 7 to allow Ray Marosi to make a presentation about his company's ability to purchase bad debts. After his presentation there was a much discussion about the process by which the purchase would come about. There were many questions from Board members as well as Ms. Fagan Cook about the information required, the time required to gather information and have it reviewed by Healthcare Funding Solutions, and exactly how the process would benefit Parkview Hospital. After Mr. Marosi adequately answered all of the questions, Ray Hudson made the motion to have Ms. Fagan Cook sign the Business Associate Agreement with HCFS and obtain the data to be reviewed by Mr. Marosi and associates. Dale Garner seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously. Mr. Marosi will review the information and be at the August Board meeting to discuss further details of the actual purchase. In essence, HCFS would purchase our bad debt and then collect the debts thereby becoming our collection agency for the future.

Mr. Marosi left the meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Chairman Helton moved to agenda item 6 to allow Sue Stiles to make a presentation of the new ER coverage policy that was discussed at the June meeting. The policy was approved at Medical Staff and Ray Hudson made the motion to approve the updated policy. James Batton seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously. Ms. Stiles left the meeting at 6:50 p.m.

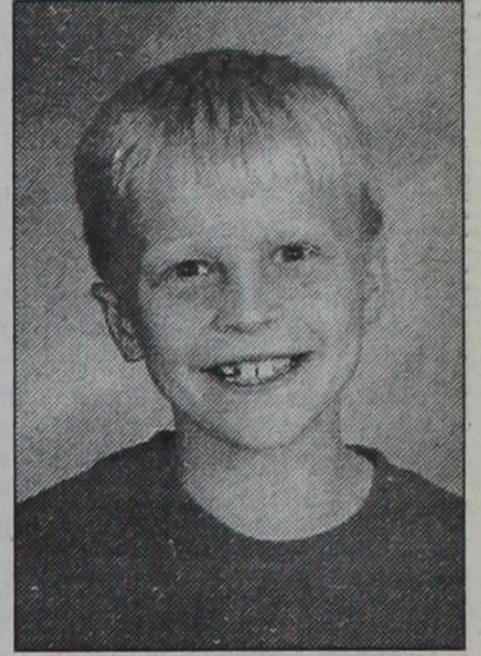
Chairman Helton returned to agenda item 2 and requested approval of the June minutes. There were two typographical errors pointed out and James Batton made the motion to approve the minutes with the two corrections. Ray Hudson seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

James Batton made a motion to approve payment of the bills. Ray Hudson seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Ms. Fagan Cook presented financial statements, investment

Allison Churches To Have Bible School

"The Methodist and Baptist churches of Allison invite you to a Vacation Bible School featuring the TUMBLEWEED GULCH gang. It will be on August 6th and 7th at 5:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. at the United Methodist Church of Allison. Those between the ages of Pre-K and 6th grade this year will be included for the Bible School. Would love to have you each and everyone."



Blake Hathaway

Blake Hathaway, 10 Services Tues., July 31

Blake Dalton Hathaway, 10, died July 27, 2007, in Mobeetie, Texas.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 31, 2007, in the Ft. Elliott Gymnasium in Briscoe, Texas, with Rev. C.W. Parker, Pastor, Harvest Fellowship Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in the Mobeetie Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home, Wheeler, Texas.

Blake was born July 12, 1997, to Dale and Kathy Hathaway in Pampa, Texas. He attended Kindergarten through 2nd grade at Ft. Elliott Elementary in Mobeetie, Texas, and attended Miami ISD during his 3rd and 4th grade years.

Blake loved all sports and enjoyed playing basketball, baseball and football. He was a member of the Central Baptist Church in Pampa, Texas.

He is survived by his parents, Dale and Kathy Hathaway of Miami, Texas; two brothers, Wesley Hathaway of Canadian, Texas, and Kade Hathaway of Miami, Texas; two sisters, Sara and Jada Hathaway of Miami, Texas; his paternal grandparents, Paul and Clarise Hathaway of Mobeetie, Texas; his maternal grandparents, Durward and Louisa Sherwood of Hammon, Oklahoma and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

The family requests memorials be made to Pampa Optimist Club Youth Program.

Family and friends may sign online guest book at www.wrightfuneraldirectors.com.

Troy Miller Attends Bobwhite Brigade

Troy Miller of Kelton, TX, recently attended the Bobwhite Brigade in Leuders, TX, thanks to a scholarship he received from the High Plains Chapter of Quail Forever (QF). Troy is the son of Shawn and Melissa Miller and is a student at Wheeler High School. The Bobwhite Brigade is a conservation education program developed by Dr. Dale Rollins of the Texas Wildlife Extension Service. The week-long camp teaches youths ages 13-17 about quail and wildlife habitats while working to develop leadership and teamwork skills. Troy was chosen by the camp counselors and other campers as the Top Cadet at the end of the session and also won the shotgun competition.

Quail Forever is a national non-profit conservation organization dedicated to the protection and enhancement of upland game and other wildlife. Started in 2005 by its parent organization, Pheasants Forever (PF), Quail Forever is building on the PF track record of successful local chapter development and localized habitat initiatives. In 2006, QF and PF spent \$33.8 million on 23,552 habitat projects across the nation covering 460,000 acres.

The High Plains Chapter of QF is focusing its efforts on the pro-

(Continued Page 7)

ORDER PROHIBITING OUTDOOR BURNING

On this 23rd day of July, 2007, the Commissioners Court of Wheeler County, Texas met in Regular Session, and found that circumstances present in all the unincorporated area of Wheeler County, Texas, create a public safety hazard that would be exacerbated by outdoor burning, therefore,

The Commissioners Court of Wheeler County, Texas, by this Order, hereby prohibits outdoor burning in all of the unincorporated area in Wheeler County, Texas. This burn ban takes effect July 26, 2007, and will terminate October 26, 2007, Ninety (90) days from that date.

A person who violates this prohibition will be charged with a Class C misdemeanor pursuant to Section 240.906 of the Texas Local Government Code. SIGNED this 23rd day of July, 2007.

ATTEST:

(Signed) Margaret Dorman, Wheeler County Clerk
(Signed) Jerry Hefley, County Judge
(Signed) Daryl Snelgroves, Commissioner, Pct. 1
(Signed) Tom Puryear, Commissioner, Pct. 2
(Signed) Hubert Moore, Commissioner, Pct. 3
(Signed) John Walker, Commissioner, Pct. 4

Hospital Notes

Assisted Living
Opal Hefley
C. B. Brotherton
Alton May
Willie Mae Helton
Tom Frye

Admissions
7/12 Leota Haire
7/21 Donald Finsterwald
7/23 Pamela Trimble
7/24 Richard Pence
7/25 Rose Marie Williams

Dismissals
7/24 Donald Finsterwald
7/26 Pamela Trimble
7/27 Leota Haire
Rose Marie Williams
Richard Pence

RRC Production Stats, August Allowables

The Texas average rig count as of July 20, was 830, representing about 49 percent of all active land rigs in the United States. In the last 12 months, total Texas reported production was 340 million barrels of oil and 6.2 trillion cubic feet of natural gas.

Texas natural gas production represents approximately 29 percent of total U.S. natural gas demand.

The Commission's estimated final production for May 2007 is 28,801,541 barrels of crude oil and 491,683,392 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas well gas.

The Commission derives final production numbers by multiplying the preliminary May 2007 production totals of 27,432,652 barrels of crude oil and 429,680,496 Mcf of gas well gas by a production adjustment factor of 1.0499 for crude oil and 1.1443 for gas well gas. (These production totals do not include casinghead gas or condensate.)

Texas natural gas storage reported by the Commission for June 2007 is 372,608,038 Mcf compared to 342,736,582 Mcf in June 2006. The July 2007 gas storage estimate is 342,812,932 Mcf.

The Texas Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division set initial August 2007 natural gas pro-

(Continued Page 7)

MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Sue Mayfield

Our deepest sympathy to Dale and Kathy Hathaway and family in the death of their 10 year old son, Blake on Friday. Such a tragic accident. Blake is survived by 2 brothers, Wesley and Kade, and 2 sisters, Jada and Sara, along with grandparents, Paul and Clarise Hathaway of Mobeetie and Durward and Louisa Sherwood of Hammond, OK. Blake is also survived by several aunts and uncles and numerous cousins, along with many friends. Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you. Blake's celebration of life was held at the Fort Elliott gym on Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 P.M. at Briscoe with burial in the Mobeetie cemetery.

Sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Verne Lohberger of Allison. He will be greatly missed. He and Susie had a wonderful family. He was always a big supporter of all of the activities at the Allison school even after his children were graduated. He loved sports and attended all the events of the Antelope teams that he could. He was always a big supporter of high school ag program too. He passed away in Wheeler at the Assisted Living at the Parkview Hospital where he had been a resident for several years. He made many new friends while in Wheeler. He appreciated all the helpers that made his life easier. Mr. Lohberger was so proud of his family and enjoyed their visits and all they did for him. His grandchildren and great-grandchildren could always bring a smile to his face. He passed away Friday at his home in the hospital. Services were held on Monday morning at the Methodist Church in Allison. The patriarch of the Lohberger family left some big footsteps to fill.

WHEELER PLUMBING

511 S. Cheyenne
New Construction
Remodel
Repair
Sewer Service
Septic Systems
Site Evaluations

Phone: **826-5907**
MAX McQUEEN
P.O. Box 754 Wheeler, TX

CORONADO HEALTHCARE CENTER

Has immediate openings for the following!

CNAs

Openings on various shifts. Requires Texas state certification. Long term care facility experience a plus!

RN: Weekends

Must have TEXAS State license. Competitive rates!

Maintenance

General maintenance duties, including floor polishing/buffing. Must be experienced using automatic floor polishing machines, other misc duties. Background with LTC and/or healthcare facility a plus!

Competitive rates, and full time employees are eligible for company benefits. EOE. For more information, call (806) 665-5746, or apply in person at

CORONADO HEALTHCARE CENTER
1504 W. Kentucky Ave.
Pampa TX

Last Monday was the last of our rains. We had a wonderful 1/4 inch rain about 6:00 A.M. So refreshing. We had some fog roll in Sat., Sun., Mon., and Tues. A.M. It didn't last long after the sun got out. Really eerie though. Monday morning Lori Mayfield had gall bladder surgery in Pampa. She was out and doing well in recovery by 9:00. She did well and the doctor saw nothing else to be concerned about. Terri Leach and Carol Orthman of Dumas met us there to pick up some plated that Terri needs to build her crosses with. Terri has RSD and Dr. Pai is supposed to be well versed in the nerve disease. Terri is hoping that he can give her some medicine to relieve part of the pain and the skin lesions. The people in Lubbock certainly aren't gaining any ground.

With gas so high this will work out a lot better if he can do anything for her. We only got to visit a few minutes and then had to go on to Amarillo for another Dr. appointment. Michael and Brianna stayed with Todd and Lori until we got back from Amarillo. Lori and Todd stayed with their friends, Bo and Mona Dulancy, there in Pampa after she was released. Kevin and Kandi Jones got good news from his mother's open heart surgery. She had a quadruple by pass done and came through it with flying colors. She was to get to come home to Sayre on Thursday.

Wednesday, Todd took Michael and Brianna and their puppy, Karma, home to El Reno. Before they left we got to eat lunch at the Cowboy Oasis. It was good to see Kay Batton and Jack and Bernice Hefley looking well.

Some of the teachers are already working some on their rooms and books getting ready for their students in a few weeks.

Sallie Adcock, Garrett and Jarrett Childress, Pam Jones and Gaye Hale took a little time off and came down to the Oasis for lunch. Mindy Duncan and Karly Loveless were keeping things running smoothly in front, offering some good ol' Mobeetie hospitality to the guests from the camp grounds at the museum. The camp area was filling up fast.

Hope Duke and Ruth Irvine enjoyed their trip to Branson, Missouri.

Mike and Rhonda Gallagher and family got a chance to spend a few days up at Red River, New Mexico. They had a very nice time and really enjoyed the wonderful cool weather. It never got over 78 degrees while they were there and rained a little bit every day. They sure hated to get out of the vehicle when they got to Clayton. It was 96 degrees and they were ready to turn around and go back up to the mountains.

So good to hear that Todd Stuart is doing so much better since his sinus surgery. His headaches are so much better and even his allergies aren't quite so hard on him. He is looking forward to going to college this fall. Peggy Dunn and Leola Stuart went down to Lawton on Tuesday as Leola had a doctor's appointment with the back specialist. Just a check up to see how much all of the physical therapy had helped. They fitted her with a back brace that might help with part of the problems. Sure hope that is the answer and will help her feel better. She misses getting to do and go when ever she wants. She still has one of the prettiest yards in Mobeetie. Her flower gardens are awesome. They had quite a bit of excitement while they were at Ronnie and Tanya's. Some guy had shot and killed 2 12 year olds in the Tulsa area and seriously injured a 16 year old. He was from the Lawton area. Sure enough, he came home to hide out. He was only about a mile from Ronnie and Tanya's new house. They had a man hunt going for 2 days and all night. They had roads closed and road blocks with vehicle searches at the road blocks. They had to go to Leola's doctor's appointment so had to leave early to allow for the time to get through the check points. The guy had been in the service and was part of a special forces team at one time. He was found east of town in some tall grass and under brush near some

ponds. The police had to take him to the hospital for treating his cuts and scrapes and to get the ticks off of him and get his bug bites treated. He was on his way back to Tulsa on Thursday. That was a big relief to everybody. What an experience! Peggy and Leola got home on Saturday afternoon. Sunday after church Leola had lunch with Jerry and Sheryl Richardson. They always have such good visits.

A good great year of good music, good food and great visiting ended on Sunday. The Music Festival was a big success. The weather cooperated quite well and cooled down nicely in the evenings. The trees still provided some good shade even after all the damage in June.

Sorry to hear that a great-nephew of Virginia Ridgway was hurt in a golf cart accident. His leg got burned quite badly and they thought that he may have to have some skin grafting done. But after getting it tended to and his mother coming from Phoenix, Arizona to get him, he saw some specialists in Tucson. They don't seem to think that he will have to have any skin grafting done. Just lots of medical attention and therapy and he should be ready to start school with his friends. There were three fender benders down there, but thankfully no one was hurt. Just their pride and their feelings. The ice cream was fantastic again this year. Many thanks to all that worked so hard to make this project such a success.

Glad to hear that Lorene Rector was feeling a little better and got to enjoy a small part of the music. Hope you continue to gain strength and get better everyday.

Thursday we were back in Amarillo for more tests and blood work. On the way home we stopped and picked up Erica and Jayden so they could spend the night with us. It was Tim and Jennifer's anniversary so they went to Amarillo to have supper and spend the night. Jenn had a doctors appointment at 8:00 on Friday morning and neither of them are moping people. We hope all of these tests are accurate and we will have a healthy new grandbaby by Thanksgiving. Grandpa fixed Jayden's bike, so he stayed busy on Friday. They also discovered the Awalking machine® and had quite the competitions going. They wouldn't believe Grandma that they would have sore legs in the morning if they didn't quit. Getting up was a little tough, but the rest of the day was fine.

Hope this finds Lou Dean Douthit feeling much better. Dani and Tommy Loftus are hoping to have one of the twin girls home next week. Tawni is almost ready to check things out at home. She will have to come home with a monitor but is doing real well on room air. She is up to 3# 12.5 oz. Tanni is a little behind her. She only weighs 3# .025 oz. They still have trouble keeping her body temperature regulated and she still has to have oxygen all the time. She will have to stay a few more weeks. Keep them in your prayers. Saturday our niece and her children were in Dumas at her Dad's.

It was good to see Jessica, Emily and Blaine Kapka of Weatherford, TX. Dad, Jamie, is working in Vernon for a few weeks so they will go by there on their way home to spend a night or two with Dad at the motel. The kids think it is a real treat and enjoy the pool. Jessica's Dad, Keith and Karen Sorensen hosted a family dinner at their house on Saturday evening so everyone could enjoy the kids.

Harley Mayfield got her spacers put in her mouth on Thursday so she could go with James and Patsy Ledford, back to Lovington, New Mexico on Sunday for a couple weeks visit. When she gets back she will get her braces. She and Whitney Browning plan to spend a lot of time at the pool while they are in Lovington. It has been in the high 90's the last couple of weeks.

Hi! Byron Simpson. Hope your enjoying your new home and making lots of new friends. Glad you have good help right handy. They can sure use your expertise with their gardens there. We miss you.

Frances Fisher of Dumas is wondering about a friend from her past. I'd appreciate any help getting information on Mabel Sherwood. She and Frances went to college in Canyon together. Mabel should be in her 80's about now. If you have any information at all that you could share we would appreciate it. Please call me at 806-845-1015 or just send me a note here in Mobeetie, TX 79061. Thanks.

Now every body gets a bit of a breather and then it's time for school to start and then the Old Settlers and All School Reunion.

LETTER OF APPRECIATION

My entire family joins me to express our deepest gratitude to Dr. Mendiola along with the staff of Parkview Hospital for their knowledge and skills which I personally credit with helping save my life. This is the second time my life has been on the line with Louie standing beside me. THANKS, LOUIE!!
Lavon Williams and family

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Robert Meadows would like to thank all the friends and relatives and neighbors for all the prayers, food, flowers and acts of kindness during our loss. A special thank you to Rev. Dale Meadows, Rev. Tom Woodward, Wright Funeral Home, and the ladies, who prepared and served lunch at the Methodist Church. The Stiles brother, who sang the beautiful songs.
God Bless All,
Elizabeth Meadows
Alexander Meadows
Bradly Meadows
Stephen and Karry Meadows and family
Mitchell and Leslie Meadows and family
Marge Meadows and family
Joy Meadows and family

It will be so nice to have another doctor in Wheeler. Hope everything will work out so Dr. John Lavelle and his family will be moving to Wheeler soon. It will be a big help for Dr. Mendiola and Dr. Galutia. Hopefully they'll get more time with their families and get some rest.

So glad that Shelton May got a chance to get at least one more set of chemo treatments a couple of weeks ago. That puts him that much closer to completing the whole process. Although now his blood counts are down again. So that will effect when he can plan on taking his next series. He has grown up so fast.

Hope ya'll have a great week! Please remember our friends and neighbors in your prayers: Don and Mary Edwards, Mabel Tablor, Clinton and Maurita Stribling, Dale and Kathy Hathaway and the family and

friends of Blake Hathaway, Louise Hogan, Lorene Rector, Leola Stuart, Doyle and Carol Boydston, Tawni and Teri Loftus, Jennifer and baby Mayfield, Barrett Meadows and Mandy Meadows, Aaron and Arica Lancaster, Charlie Brown, Chris Mick and family, Peggy Frazier, Bulah Stuart, Andrea Aldridge and family, Curtis Hendrix, Lonnie Hendrix, Chuck Carl, Vance and Carol Boydston, Shannon Pool, Nelson Medley, Audrey Seitz, Jane Seitz, Byron Simpson, Augusta Brown, Alvern Hutchison, Orville Greenhouse, Shelton May and family, Judson Wilhite and family, Penny Summers, Iva Richardson, Jack and Bernice Hefley, Opal Hefley, Bea and Glenn Williams, Jerry Lister, John McGinty, Kenneth and Vera Walker, Iona May, Melba Corcoran, Lou Dean Douthit, Earl and Leola Farris, Dick and Ann Graham.

MARSHALL'S
HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING
WHEELER, TX—PHONE: 664-5395—CELL: 662-7876
TRANE NOW DOING... **AIR DUCT CLEANING**
It's Hard To Stop A Trane —24 Hour Emergency Service—
LICENSED & INSURED
License No. TACL022710E
Mark Marshall, Owner

Wheeler Church of Christ

David sinned. It was more than just a single sin, but rather one of the snowball variety where the sin seemingly starts small and inconsequential and no one will even know about it, but by the end it was such a major thing that, in many ways, it altered his entire family in some very negative ways. You can read about David's sin in II Samuel 11: it starts with lust, adds to it adultery, then murder and then a cover-up. In the following chapter, the prophet, Nathan, comes to him and, through the clever use of a parable, ends up showing David that his sin is known to God. Beginning in chapter 13 and continuing through the end of all of the stories about David, problems begin eroding within his family...incest, another murder, rebellion, those whom he loves are estranged from him and eventually die.

David felt the burden of guilt and he responded to this guilt by writing Psalm 51. This Psalm opens up his soul and leaves him bare before God. It is a full confession where David basically throws himself upon the mercy of God. The entire Psalm reflects this tone of dependence upon God. Here are verses 10-12: Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me from your presence. Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit to sustain me. When we have sinned, we must go back to God who sees all of our mistakes and flaws and sins...and still loves us. David returned to God. He still had to suffer the repercussions of his sins, but God took him back. We need to return to God after our sins. Yes, we may still have to suffer the repercussions of those sins, but we need to come back to a loving God who will take us back.
Shawn D. Johnson

An Invitation: You are cordially invited to attend any of the weekly services of the Wheeler Church of Christ which meets at 1001 S. Alan Bean Blvd. in Wheeler, Texas

Services:
Sunday Bible Study 9:30 A.M.
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.
Sunday Night Worship 6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Night Worship 7:00 P.M.

"NO" Trenching **Rick's** **"NO" Mess!**
Lawn Sprinklers
★ **Sales - Service - Installation** ★ **Over 25 years experience**
★ **Complete Dirt Work & Turf** ★ **We trade for almost anything**
★ **Residential & Commercial** ★ **In House Financing**
FREE ESTIMATES . . . Toll Free 1-800-466-0915
(580) 477-0915 **RAIN-BIRD** (940) 761-4009
Altus, OK 73521 **Wichita Falls, TX 76301**



THE BROOME OPTICAL FAMILY IS GROWING!
BROOME OPTICAL
A DIVISION OF PANHANDLE EYE GROUP, L.L.P.
...helping you focus on life.
Panhandle Eye Group, L.L.P. is proud to announce the association of
LINDSAY HUDSON, O.D.
to Broome Optical's Pampa location at 1916 North Hobart
PAMPA
806.669.2824 or 888.249.0792 | **Thomas L. Baker, OD**

The word of the Lord came to Zechariah; The Lord of hosts says this: Render true justice and show faithful love and compassion to one another. Do not oppress the widow or the fatherless, the stranger or the poor, and do not plot evil in your hearts against one another (Zechariah 7:8-10).

Happy Birthday to Tristan Blanchard, Dagen Criswell, Skylar Freeman, Roy Gates, Ashley Nelson, Ray Currie, Naomi Lowe, Walter Hand, Susie Erwin and Dale Corcoran on July 29; Hale Hughes, Jeremy Yockey, Susan Langwell, Randy Finsterwald, Makenzie Chick, Presley Brashears, Mike Farrell, Jo May, Lacy Crompton, Jamey Click, Jona Meek, Randall Patterson, Stacy McCasland, Tylen Auldridge and Mike Houska on July 30; Daniel Blocker, Bill Blanchard, Logan Gates, Linzee Yarbar, Gary Ware, Angie Ware, Geniva Hogan and Larry Hampton on July 31; Anne Kirkpatrick, Jo Dean Earney, Steve Simmons, Linda Garner, Bailey Johnson, Josh Edwards, Laurel Hershman, Randy Horton, Emily Beard, Kinslie Ralston and Kathy Henderson on August 1; Connie Porter, Erinn Waldo, Penny Clark, Logan Martin, Gary Davis, Megan Horn, Aaron Laverty, Gabriel Rodgers, Leota Farris, Lewis Newman Beverly Frazier, and Lisa Mahler on Aug. 2; Roy Anderson, Drew Bonner, Jodi Hughes, Kristi Hastings, Darryl Luttrell, Brent Lee; Roy Krosker, Austin Jordan, Joni Loyd, Kris Patterson, Katelyn Toelle, Raysha Vandever, Melanie Alls, Gradon Schaub, Tanya Gonzales and Zach Mabry on Aug. 3; Pauline Zybach, Kennan White, Juana Benefield, Danny Fillingim, Nell Bradstreet, Sharon Rose, Tyler Richardson, Stefan Tucker, Macie Everett and Paige Jones on Aug. 4.

Happy Anniversary to Joe and Christy Willingham, Kaleb and Marti Meek, Kent and Debbie McLaughlin, Kevin and Leslie Wilson, Edith and Kelley Cross, and David and Tara Moser on July 29; Cecil and Kathy Thomas on July 30; Mike and Mendy Bailey on July 31; Heath and Tricia Mitchell on Aug. 2; Sam and Stacy Mansoor on Aug. 3; Vernon and Twilla Devoll and Shawn and Hilary Lindsey on Aug. 4.

Next Sunday, Aug. 5, will be first Sunday Singing at Mobeetie Baptist Church at 6:00 p.m. with lots of good singing and readings and a potluck fellowship meal. Everyone invited.

Everyone is invited to the revival at Mobeetie Baptist, starting Sunday, Aug. 5, with Dustin Rhodes preaching Sunday morning and Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights at 7:00 p.m. and singing on Sunday night, Aug. 5. See you there! First Sunday Singing starts at 6:00 p.m. at Mobeetie Baptist Church, Aug. 5. Everyone invited.

Ladies Day Out will be Thursday, August 2, 11:30 A.M., at Maxey's. All ladies invited for a good meal and good fellowship.

Wheeler Senior Citizens will meet Monday, August 6, at 6:00 p.m. for a good potluck meal and games of 80 and Chicken Foot. Everyone invited to come visit and have fun. Meets first Monday of each month.

Sincere sympathy to Ed and Laurel Hershman and other family and friends in the death of Ed's brother, John Hershman, in Indiana. Ed and Laurel went to the funeral.

"May your troubles be less, your blessings be more and nothing but happiness come through your door."

Glad to know that Jimmy Henson, husband of Jotana (Simmons), is doing pretty well and was dismissed from an Amarillo hospital. He did have a broken rib and a punctured lung and some vertebrae damage from the 4-wheeler accident. Doctors determined no brain damage. He did have a bruised liver, but they think he will be all right in time. Pray for Jimmy and Jotana. They recently moved back to Wheeler near her parents, Weldon and Dolores

Simmons. Jotana will be a teacher's aide at Wheeler School, working with Special Education kids and also finishing up her education to be a teacher over the Internet. Keep praying for them. Welcome back to Wheeler!

Sorry to hear that Kyle Goldsmith, our former youth and music leader was found to have some cancer spots on his back and leg. Kyle and wife, Tamra, have three children, Kailee, Lanie and new baby boy, Carter, and live at Dalhart. Kyle is youth leader at a Baptist church there. Remember them in your prayers.

"Oh, what a mighty God we serve! Angels bow before Him. Heaven and Earth adore Him. Oh, what a mighty God we serve."

Best wishes to Celeste Huff and Tommy Rutledge, as they plan to marry Aug. 25; at Denton. God bless and guide you.

Nice to see Kevin and Kandi Jones, Dakota and Harlee from Mobeetie eating at The Spot Friday evening. Fine family. Also there were Mack and Patty Shields and grandson, Eric, son of Kevin and Heather Shields, long time friends. Good to get to visit some with all of them. Eric is from Elk City and will soon be 13.

Good to see Earl Husted at the Wheeler post office Friday. He is gaining some strength from his five-bypass heart surgery. The doctor has now released him to drive some. That's nice. We've missed him at Wheeler Care Center church on Tuesdays, and he has missed being there. Pray for Earl.

So very sorry to hear of the

death of Blake Hathaway, 10, on a 4-wheeler. Blake was the son of Dale and Kathy Hathaway of Miami, formerly of Briscoe and Mobeetie. Funeral was at Briscoe Ft. Elliott gym.

Terry and Shelia Mick are enjoying a visit from Chris' wife, Acasha, and Luke, first grade, and Annabelle, kindergarten from North Carolina. Chris is a Medic

with the troops overseas. Pray for all our troops and their families that God will keep them safe.

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Verne Lohberger, 93, in his death Friday. Remember them in your prayers. Verne was a fine man, loved and respected by all who knew him. Funeral was Monday at Allison Methodist Church.

Happy 65th birthday, Anne Killingsworth. They didn't get to celebrate because Jerry was working and Anne needed to be there with her mom, Dorothy Lewis. They will celebrate later. So thankful Anne's health is better. Have fun! God bless you!

Hear The
"Abundant Living Broadcast"
On KPDR, 90.5
... in Wheeler
Saturdays 9 a.m. to Noon

GIFTS — AMBASSADOR CARDS
HYLAND'S PHARMACY
109 W. TEX. ST.—WHEELER, TEXAS
Phone: 806/826-5561
COSMETICS COLONGE
VITAMINS — FILM DEVELOPING

DOUG BOYD MOTOR CO.
Buy Here / Pay Here
No Credit Check • Areas Largest Selection
Pampa • Corner of Hwy 60 @ Hwy 70
806-669-6062 • www.dougboydmotors.com

Mending Broken Bones the Right Way... Right Here at Home.

Great Plains Regional Medical Center is proud to have some of the best orthopedic specialists in Oklahoma right here in Elk City. There is no reason to leave our community for expert repair of broken bones or knee and hip replacement.



Y. C. Ahn, M.D.
(Board Certified)
For an appointment
call 580-243-0100



Tom Shurley, M.D.
(Board Certified)
For an appointment
call 580-821-5520



Stephen Tkach, M.D.
(Board Certified)
For an appointment
call 580-821-5520

GREAT PLAINS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

1705 West Second Street / Elk City / 580-225-2511 / www.gprmc-ok.com

If my people, which are called by my name shall humble themselves and pray and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land (II Chronicles 7:14).

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Gracie Pearl Norris, 92, of Canadian in her death, July 27. Services were Monday at First Christian Church in Canadian with burial in Canadian Cemetery.

Go ye therefore and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy ghost; teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the world (Matthew 28:19,20).

Matt Koen, youth minister, baptized three lovely young ladies Sunday morning at Wheeler Baptist Church to commemorate the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus Christ for our sins. Many relatives and friends were there for the baptism of Paige Jones, Maggie Jones (cousins) and Genet Van Nuys. Remember to pray for them.

Good to have Area Missionary, Rev. James Greer, and wife, Dana, from Pampa come to Wheeler Baptist Church Sunday. James helped with communion and had a powerful message. Also helping with communion were Mike Bryant, Rick Bond, Weldon Simmons, Darrell Gaines, Larry Hampton and Matt Koen. Singing a special song was Nicole Moore; taking collection were Aaron and Darren Gaines, Kelby Vise and Chris Schubert. God bless you everyone!

Sorry to hear of the death of Randy Callan who grew up at Wheeler. Funeral was to be at Hinton, OK., with burial at Wheeler Cemetery, followed by fellowship Monday at Wheeler Baptist Church for family and friends.

"I am only one, but I am one. I cannot do everything, but I can do something.

What I can do, I should do and with the help of God, I will do."...by Everett Hale

Sincere sympathy to family and friends of Chuck Shields, 85, of Clarendon in his death. Survivors include granddaughter, Stephanie Coulter of Allison, and her daughters, Shealee and Emily and many others. Memorial services were Friday at Church of Christ in Clarendon.

Wednesday, Doris Finsterwald enjoyed visiting friend, Shirley Dyson. They shopped some at Wal-Mart in Pampa and brought food from Long John Silver's back to Shirley's apartment and had a great visit. Shirley has to use a wheelchair now. Pray for her. But they always have a good time.

"A hug is a perfect gift; One size fits all. And no one minds if you exchange it."

Dagen Criswell's Birthday
Weekend visitors to Lindsey Criswell and Blain and Dagen were David and Rita Pearson from Briscoe and Dallas and Krystal Fillingim, Deaira and Kamry from Windthorst. They celebrated Dagen's 3rd birthday at the "Jump and Jive" and had fun. Others there on Saturday at the Jump-and-Jive were April and Michael Snelson, Brenden and Riley; Gail Ward, Ella and Jarrett; Susan Springer and Cooper, Brooke, Ian Hughes, Emma and Evan and Cheile Perez. They had pizza delivered to the party and birthday cake with a train on it. After the party, Dallas and Krystal, Keaira and Kamry and cousin, Brooke, and Lindsey, Blain and Dagen went to the City Pool where there was a baby pool for the little ones to swim in. Dagen enjoyed getting a Big Boy Bed and new, bigger bike for his birthday. David Pearson worked some on Lindsey's lawn mower and weed eater to get it up in shape. She enjoys keeping her yard nice. Thanks, David! Happy Birthday, Dagen.

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest, if we do not give up (Galatians 6:9).

Some coming to their grandpa David Woodruff's funeral at Shamrock were Cledith Burrell's relatives, Jennifer and Jessie Banks and baby, Emma Rae, from Sapulpa, OK., Justin and P. J. Burrell and Addie, from Fall Brook, CA. (Justin is a Marine) and Kelley and Lucy Burrell from Shamrock. Ned enjoyed their visits. They planned to eat lunch at Maxey's Sunday.

Nice to have a call from my college roommate. We went to WT from 1938 to 1942 and most of the time, Lucille (Jamison) Cook and I were together. I was very shy and immature. She helped me to grow up and is doing well now. Lucille and Elton (Fillingim) get together with others a few times a week to play games, visit and eat. William and Elton and family moved to Prescott, AZ., where Lucille and family lived.

Boys Camp at Panfork
Josh Bryant and Buddy Sparks accompanied thirteen 3rd through 6th grade boys from Wheeler, Mobeetie, Pampa, Amarillo and maybe other places, went to Panfork Baptist Camp Monday and came back Thursday. The main speaker was Dallas Stringer

from Amarillo. There were many activities including Bible Study, swimming, fishing, zip line and water slide. The boys especially enjoyed fishing when they weren't busy with other things. Some going were Danny Dawson, Don Butler, Garrett Andis, Chancton Roberts, Justin Hardcastle, Blaine Richardson, Kellen Quarles, Tyler Smith, Taylor Smith, Justin Smith, Seth Gardner, Daniel Roberson and Seger Jones. They all had a good time. Thank you, Josh and Buddy, for being there for them.

Enjoying quilting and visiting at Totty School Thursday were Betty Haines, Sydney Lynch, Betty Rogers, Mabel Tabor and Audrey Seitz.

"The love that you give to others is the love that comes back to you."

Volunteer workers are working at Panfork Encampment to get everything up in good shape. Church's in the Top of Texas area will take turns preparing the noon meal for the workers. Ella Mae Wood, Dolores Simmons and Beverly Bryant plan to prepare the food Monday, Aug. 6, and Monday, Aug. 13, 2007, and others from Wheeler Baptist will send desserts.

Fifth Sunday Singing

We had a good singing at Wheeler Baptist Sunday night with several congregational songs by request followed by special songs by Evelyn and Martha Meek with Kathy Meek playing; a special by Dianne Sparks; a song by Claudie Marion, an update on Missionary activity in Africa and a song by Matt Koen. All good; thank you! The singing was followed by a homemade ice cream social. Very yummy. Several freezers.

Charles Hagerman is a new resident at Wheeler Care Center. Go by and say "Hello". Also, sev-

(Continued Page 6)

McLean Care Center

Since 1979

"Caring For Those
You
Care About, In An
Excellent Facility"

- ★ Family Atmosphere
 - ★ Caring For Each Other
 - ★ Therapeutic Dietary Service
 - ★ Daily RN Coverage
 - ★ Transportation to Dr.'s Appts.
 - ★ Beauty & Barber Services
 - ★ Semi Private & private Rooms
 - ★ Church Services Weekly
 - ★ Fun Activities Scheduled Daily
 - ★ Monthly Newsletters to Families
 - ★ Medicare & Medicaid & Private Patients Welcome.
- We cordially invite you to visit our facility and see for yourself the difference and have lunch with us, to see just how good our food is, for a tour and lunch or just a tour, call the administrator, Nita Assey, or Director of Nursing Kim Wheeler, R.N., and we will set up a time for your visit. You're welcome at anytime you want to come. Questions are always welcome, and we will assist you in any way necessary for admission, or for qualifications necessary for nursing home placement or the Medicare/medicare programs.
- "24 Hour Professional Staff"**
"McLean Care Center, it's such a short drive for the care your loved one deserves."

NITA ASSEY
Administrator
605 W. 7th — McLean, TX
79075
Phone: 806-779-2469
Fax: 806-779-2515



Jace Canyon Brooks is the son of Chelsea Brooks. Brailey Paige Brooks is the daughter of Jed and Crystal Brooks. Grandparents are Patty and J. C. Brooks of Wheeler. Great-grandmother is Rosalee Atwood of Wheeler.

For all your ...
Insurance Needs, See Eastern Panhandle Insur. Agency, Inc.
117 W. Texas St.—Wheeler
806/826-3573
•Auto •Home •Life •Health
•Commercial •Bonds

THRIFTWAY SUPERMARKET

Your source for the freshest

PRODUCE • MEAT • DAIRY

WHEELER COUNTY'S EXCLUSIVE SOURCE FOR PLAINS & SHURFINE PRODUCTS.

<p>THRIFTWAY SUPERMARKET 300 EAST OKLAHOMA WHEELER 826-5944 PHONE 826-3345 FAX</p>	<p>MARKET SQUARE THRIFTWAY 205 EAST THIRD SHAMROCK 256-2481 PHONE 256-5060 FAX</p>
--	--

DAY & NIGHT TRANSPORT DRIVERS

Now hiring full-time truck drivers. Previous experience preferred, but will consider training. Valid CDL Drivers License required, and must be able to pass a drug test.

We have new pay rates
Earn up to \$60,000 - \$70,000 per year

Benefits include:

Health Insurance	Safety Bonus
Dental Insurance	401(k) Retirement Plan
Life Insurance	(With up to 4% company match)
STD/LTD Insurance	Paid Vacations
	Uniforms



For more information contact
 Turner Energy Services
(806) 323-8301

Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Drug Free Workplace

Oil & Gas NEWS

(New Location, Completion and Plugging Report made possible by Oil & Gas Reporting Service, 3930 Beaver St., Vernon, TX 76384. Doris Harrison, Phone: 940/552-6644.)

Week Ending July 26, 2007
 Intentions to Drill
 HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & BUFFALO WALLON Granite Wash) B&W Operating, L.L.C., #8 Hefley '4', 1150' from South & 650' from East line, Sec. 4,4,AB&M, PD 11600.
 HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., Sec. 15,1,I&GN, PD 18000' for the following wells:
 #6 Mendota '15' NW, 2000' from North & 1900' from West line of Sec.
 #7 Mendota '15' NE, 850' from North & 1600' from East line of Sec.
 #8 Mendota '15' NW, 467' from North & West line of Sec.
 #9 Mendota '15' NE, 2000' from North & 467' from East line of Sec.
 HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Dominion Oklahoma Texas E&P, Inc., Wiggins '9', Sec. 9,1,I&GN, for the following wells:
 #5, 660' from North & 1980' from West Line of Sec., PD 12500'.
 #6, 1980' from North & 660' from West line of Sec., PD 12430'.
 ROBERTS (WILDCAT & CARRIE KILLEBREW Morrow) Ranch Production Co., #11. Courson Ranch, TEW, 836' from South & 840' from East line, Sec. 1,44, T.E. White, PD 9500'.
 ROBERTS (WILDCAT & N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado, #9 Earp '60', 1425' from North & 497' from West Line, Sec. 60,B-1,I&GN, PD 11100' (BHL: 1200' from North & 2300' from West Sec. Line) Directional well - Rule 37
 ROBERTS (WILDCAT & RED DEER CREEK Granite Wash) Rockford Panhandle, L.L.C., #1035 Vicky Ruth, 474' from North & 700' from East line, Sec. 35,M-2,H&GN, PD 10800'.
 WHEELER (BUFFALO WALLON Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp., #1560A Helton, 467' from South & 2310' from West line, Sec. 60,M-

1,H&GN, PD 14000'.
 WHEELER (WILDCAT & ALLISON-PARKS Granite Wash) Samson Lone Star, L.L.C., #4 Fuhrman '19', 467' from South & East line, Sec. 19,RE,R&E, PD 15000'.
 WHEELER (WILDCAT & KIRSTEN Granite Wash) Forest Oil Corp., #1043 Blasdel, 660' from North & 990' from East line, Sec. 43,A-4,H&GN, PD 14370'.
 Gas Well Completions
 HEMPHILL (BUFFALO WALLON Granite Wash) Dominion Oklahoma Texas E&P, Inc., #10 Lola '235', Sec. 235,C,G&MMB&A, spud 3-5-07, drlg. compl 3-26-07, tested 5-2-07, TD 13700', PBDT 13422' —
 HEMPHILL (DYCO Granite Wash) Dominion Oklahoma Texas E&P, Inc., #1 Bob '14', Sec. 14, M-1,H&GN, spud 3-15-07, drlg. compl 4-4-07, TD 14100', PBDT 13981' —
 HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Douglas) Cordillera Texas, L.P., #4 Flowers '49', Sec. 49,41,H&TC, spud 1-9-07, drlg. compl 1-26-07, tested 6-13-07, potential 87 MCF, TD 8182', PBDT 8065' —
 HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Mewbourne Oil Co., #M2 Hoover, A.J. Morgan Survey, spud 5-31-07, drlg. compl 6-14-07, tested 7-12-07, TD 10846', PBDT 10780' — Operator plans to commingle w/other fields
 HEMPHILL (N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Cimarex Energy Co., #1 W.R. Campbell, Sec. 53,B-1,I&GN, spud 3-2-07, drlg. compl 5-8-07, tested 5-16-07, potential 1074 MCF, TD 11315', PBDT 10780' — Recompletion
 HEMPHILL (N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Samson Lone Star, L.L.C., #1916 Campbell, Sec. 16,1,I&GN, spud 3-23-07, drlg. compl 4-10-07, tested 6-16-07, TD 11905', PBDT 11840'.
 ROBERTS (CLARK MARTIN Granite Wash) Cordillera Texas L.P., #3094 Flowers Unit, Sec. 94, e,G&M, spud 9-23-06, drlg. compl 10-7-06, tested 2-20-07, TD 9800', PBDT 9537' —
 ROBERTS (N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) Devon Energy Production Co., L.P., #3 Mendota Ranch '30', Sec. 30,B-1,H&GN, spud 2-8-07, drlg. compl 4-5-07, tested 4-8-07, TD 12000', PBDT 12127' — Re-Entry
 ROBERTS (RED DEER CREEK Granite Wash) Questar E&P, #11

Want Ads

Parkview Hospital is now accepting applications for a L.V.N. Competitive salary, full benefits, mileage paid. Call Sue Stiles, DON @ 806-826-5581 or apply in person at 901 Sweetwater St. in Wheeler 7/26-8/16c

Needed full time RN & LVN at Parkview Hospital Home Health in Wheeler. Please call 806.826.1370 or come by 306 E. 9th for application. 7/26-8/16c

FOR SALE: 2001 Dutchman Zephyr Ultra-Lite Hybrid 25 ft. with slide-out sleeps 6 \$7000.00 or OBO 806-826-010 8/2-8/16c

NEEDED: Part-time work as a Dietary Tray Aide and Cook. Apply in person at Parkview Hospital. 826-1355. 1/11rn

Listen to...
KPDR-FM, 90.5
 WHEELER, TEXAS

Christie Tipps '25', Sec. 25, B-1,H&GN, spud 3-9-07, drlg. compl 3-28-07, tested 6-13-07, potential 1650 MCF, TD 11150', PBDT 10572' —
 WHEELER (FRYE RANCH Granite Wash 'A') Questar E&P Co., #208 Harris, Sec. 8,A-3,H&GN, spud 3-26-07, drlg. compl 4-28-07, tested 6-13-07, potential 2872 MCF, TD 15772', PBDT 15729' —
 WHEELER (FRYE RANCH Granite Wash 'A') Questar E&P Co., #104 Mitchell, Sec. 4,—AB&M, spud 3-6-07, drlg. compl 4-14-07, tested 6-13-07, potential 4335 MCF, TD 15400', PBDT 15370' —
 WHEELER (STILES RANCH Atoka) Dominion Oklahoma Texas E&P, Inc., #1 Hink '3', Sec. 3,2, B&B, spud 3-4-07, drlg. compl 4-2-07, tested 5-20-07, TD 15802', PBDT 15676' —
 WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Chesapeake Operating, Inc., #2 Brummett '22', Sec. 22,A-3,H&GN, spud 7-17-07, drlg. compl 5-7-07, tested 4-14-07, potential 7547 MCF, TD 13700', PBDT 13656' —
 WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #10 Britt: Ranch 'G' 44, Sec. 44,A-3,H&GN, spud 11-17-06, drlg. compl 2-22-07, tested 5-24-07, potential 8634 MCF, TD 16120', PBDT 16012' —
 WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #11 Britt: Ranch 'C' 35, Sec. 35,A-3,H&GN, spud 1-20-07, drlg. compl 4-12-07, tested 6-15-07, potential 5765 MCF, TD 15700', PBDT 15650' —
 WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #12 Britt: Ranch 'I' 4, Sec. 4,2,B&B, spud 4-22-07, drlg. compl 5-26-07, tested 6-22-07, TD 15780', PBDT 15701' —
 WHEELER (STILES RANCH Granite Wash) Newfield Exploration Mid-Con., Inc., #3 McCoy '27' Sec.4, Lot 27, Camp CSL, spud 10-29-06, drlg. compl 4-15-07, tested 6-20-07, potential. 3175 MCF, TD 15180', PBDT 15139' —
 Plugged Wells
 GRAY (PANHANDLE) Jaco, Inc., #5 J.B. Bowers '75-83, Sec. 120,B-2,H&GN, spud 7-15-83, plugged 6,-7-07, TD 3080' (oil) — Form 1 in B.L. Hoover, Jr.
 GRAY (PANHANDLE) Mon Corp., #8W H.B. Lovett, Sec. 36, 6-2,H&GN, spud 11-18-41, plugged 6,-6-06, TD 3003' (disposal) —
 Form 1 in Woods & Watters, Inc.
 GRAY (PANHANDLE) P-2 Exploration Co., #2 Gina 'D', Sec. 1,B-2,H&GN, spud 5-2-85, plugged 2-14-07, TD 2906' (oil) —
 HEMPHILL (S.E. CANADIAN Douglas) Devon Energy Production Co., #33 Mathers, J. Flowers

RECEPTIONIST

For New Medical Clinic

Please send resume to P.O. Box 474, Wheeler, TX 79096, or call Lisa Mahler at 806-239-2097 (cell) or 806-826-0940. Bilingual preferred.

HAY FOR SALE: Gary Hall, 806.663.0740. 10/26trn

MOVING SALE: Aug. 3-4, Wheeler, 8-2. 1 1/2 mi. west, County Road 13. Couch, dressers, tables, dishes, crafts, men's, women's and girls' clothes. Toys priced to sell. 8/2p

FOR SALE: 1977 Solitare Mobile Home with or without nice lots in Old Mobeattie. 806/375-2310 or 806/216-0258 8/2p

Hiring At Crossroads Market & Deli

At Miami
 Clerks and Cooks, both shifts. Full Time & Part-time. Competitive Wages, Gas, Mileage. 868-3221 8/2-8/23c

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

Sealed proposals for contracts listed below will be received by TxDOT until the date(s) shown below, and then publicly read.

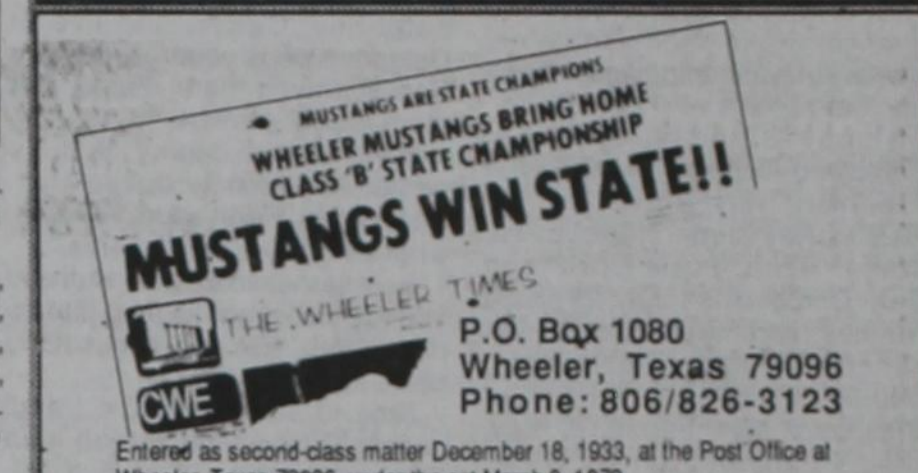
CONSTRUCTION/ MAINTENANCE/BUILDING FACILITIES CONTRACT(S)

Dist/Div: Childress Contract 0042-06-063 for SEALCOAT TYPE WORK IN DONLEY County, etc will be opened on September 07, 2007 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

Survey, spud 10-29-78, plugged 5-2-07, TD 7260' (gas) — Form 1 in McCulloch Oil Corp.
 HEMPHILL (S.E. CANADIAN Douglas) Devon Energy Production Co., #36 Mathers, Sec. 166,.41, H&TC; spud 9-22-78, plugged 5-9-07, TD 7339' (gas) Form 1 in McCulloch Oil
 ROBERTS (N.W. MENDOTA Granite Wash) B.P. America Production Co., #1 Mahler 'B', Sec. 111,C,G&M, spud 6-21-74, plugged 5-22-07, TD 9940' (gas) — Form 1 in Diamond Shamrock Oil & Gas

MEMBER 2007 TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION



Postmaster: Send Address changes to The Wheeler Times, P.O. Box 1080, Wheeler, TX 79096-1080
Louis C. Stas, Owner & Publisher
 SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
 Wheeler County...\$20.00 — Outside County...\$22.00

THE BUSINESS DIRECTORY

It pays to Advertise in The Wheeler Times
 Yes, these ads are read; You just read this one!

Classified:
 Cash—\$5.00 for first 20 words
 Charge—\$6.00 for first 20 words
 15¢ for each additional word

Open Rate: \$2.50 Per Col. In.
 Card of Thanks: \$5.00

www.dot.state.tx.us and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.
 NPO: 24176
 State Office
 Constr./Maint. Division
 200 E. Riverside Dr.
 Austin, Texas 78704
 Phone: 512-416-25

Dist/Div Office(s)
 Childress District

District Engineer
 7599 U.S. 287
 Childress, Texas 79201-9705
 Phone: 940-937-2571

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TXDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin. 7/26-8/2

NSF SKIN DISEASE

NSF/NFD is characterized by areas of tight and rigid skin that makes it difficult to bend joints. Some patients with kidney disease have developed NSF/NFD after having an MRI scan containing a toxic injectable contrast agent called Gadolinium. If you think you may have NSF, please call us. You may be entitled to compensation.

A. Craig Eiland
 Attorney at Law
1-866-433-7880

SIGN UP FOR A FREE SCOOTER

One Scooter Given Away Each Month

Toll Free **800-606-9860**

Med Care
 MEDICAL SUPPLY

www.medcaremedicalsupply.com

PAID CDL TRAINING!

NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

Stevens Transport, the premier refrigerated carrier in the US, sponsors the total cost of your CDL training! In 17 short days you will earn your CDL and begin your paid on-the-job training! Earn \$40K first year and up to \$150K fifth year! Excellent benefits and 401K!

For more information, call **800-333-8595**

www.becomeadriverv.com

Fantastic Franchise Opportunities

- Liberty Tax Service is seeking franchisees in Texas!
- Entrepreneur magazine ranked Liberty Tax #17 on its Franchise 500.
- National Brand, local opportunities.
- Locations available in national retail outlets.

Call **1-888-557-4333**
www.libertytaxfranchise.com

FREE DIRECTV 4 Room System!

FREE 4 MONTHS!

ALL 250 Channels + HBO, Cinemax & Showtime

HURRY, ASK HOW!

PKGS. STARTS \$29.99

FREE DVR / HD!

1-800-214-7110

Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from July 19, 2007 — July 20, 2007.

JULY 19, 2007
 QC ASSIGN.—Helen R. Atkinson to Atkinson Family Trust, 6-28-07, Sec. 58, Blk. 24, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 DT—Garrison Food Mart Inc. to National Bank of Commerce, 7-16-07, Lots 13, 14 and 14.0356 acs. Lot 15, Blk. 204, Vaughans Hilltop, Shamrock.
 RATIFICATION OL—Toby Jack Bullard to G H Land Company, 7-9-07, NE 1/4 Sec. 29, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 RATIFICATION OL—Thelma Evens to GE Resources LLC, 7-12-07, SE 1/4 NW 1/4; NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 29, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ASSIGN.—Continental Land Resources LLC to Dominion Oklahoma Texas Exploration & Production Inc., 7-2-07, Sec. 39, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 RDT—Stillwater National Bank and Trust Company to Stillwaters LLC, 7-17-07, NW 1/4 Sec. 22 and all of Sec. 15, Blk. L, J. M. Lindsey Survey.
 ASSIGN.—Bob J. Weatherly, to Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership, 5-7-07, W 3/4 Sec. 49, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
 ASSIGN./B. OF SALE CONVEY

TEXAS STATEWIDE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING NETWORK

TexSCAN

ADOPTION
 Note: It is illegal to be paid for anything beyond medical and legal expenses in Texas adoption.
 We match birthmothers with families nationwide. Living expenses paid. Toll Free 24/7, Abby's 2 ne True Gift Adoptions, 1-866-910-5615.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES
ALL CASH CANDY route. Do you earn \$800 in a day? Your own local candy route. 30 machines and candy. All for \$9,995. 1-888-625-5481. Multi s end, LLC.
GROUND-FLOOR OPPORTUNITIES with Liberty Tax service tend high school, share their details. 1-800-606-9860, www.medicaremedicalsupply.com

EDUCATION / SCHOOLS
HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA! e omc study program. No classes to attend. Free brochure. Call now! 1-800-532-6546 ext. 244 www.highschooldiploma2.com

EXAM / PREP
POST OFFICE Now hiring. Average pay \$20/hour or \$57K annually including federal benefits & overtime. Paid training, vacations, PTF/ET. 1-866-918-1182, p. A. Bxam/Fee required

HELP WANTED
HOMES FOR RENT
BANK OWNED HOMES 3bd, 2ba, A199/mo or A24,605! 4bd, 2ba, A266/mo or A33,500! (5% dn, 20yrs @ 8% APo) For BNI listing, 1-800-544-6258 bxt. 7836

DRIVERS
ACT NOW! SIGN-ON Bonus 36to 45cpm/A000-weekly. A/lease/A/20pm. CDL-A+ 3 months OTO. Melton Truck Lines, 1-800-635-8669

DRIVER: KNIGHT TRANSPORTATION. More miles! More money! Class A-CDL/4 months OTO. qualify by phone. p/rtt ArAP. Company 1-888-446-5289. O/O 1-800-437-5907 www.knighttrans.com

DRIVERS-\$5000 SIGN ON BONUS For 1 year experience. 2ba, A199/mo or A24,605! 4bd, 48 prate & optional. Become a 2ba, A266/mo or A33,500! (5% dn, truck driver! No money, no prob. lem. Call Ffb. 1-800-569-9232 1-800-544-6258 bxt. 7836

TRUCK DRIVERS: CDL train- ing. r p to A20,000 bonus. Ac- 4.5 ba, A199/month or A16,950! 4.5 ba, A237/month or A29,825! Drive out terrorism by keeping the (5% dn, 20yrs @ 8%APo) Must Army National Guard supplied. 1- pell Now! Fgc-BNI-listing & info, 800-d Q-d.r A-o-D.com/truck. 1-800-544-6258 bxt. 7191

HOMES FOR RENT
HUD HOMES! FROM \$199! 4bd, 4.5 ba, A199/month or A16,950! 3bd, 2ba, A237/month or A29,825! Must sell. For listings, 1-800-544-6258 bxt. 7658

HOMES FOR SALE
BANK OWNED HOMES 3bd, 2ba, A199/mo or A24,605! 4bd, A266/mo or A33,500! (5% dn, 20yrs @ 8% APo) For BNI listing, 1-800-544-6258 bxt. 7836

HUD HOMES! FROM \$199! 4bd, 4.5 ba, A199/month or A16,950! 3bd, 2ba, A237/month or A29,825! Must sell. For listings, 1-800-544-6258 bxt. 7658

3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH only A10,640! e omes from A7000! 1-4 bedroom available! Forclosures! Must sell! For listings 1-800-544-6258 bxt. 7658

IMPORTS FOR SALE
\$500! POLICE IMPOUNDS! e ondas/Chevys/Toyotas and more! Cars from A500! Must sell! For BNI Listings 1-800-544-1092, bxt. 5822

MEDICAL SUPPLIES
FREE GLUCOSE METER with first order of strips. In most cases Medicare, Medicaid and insurance pay 100% Call Med Care, 1-800-606-9860 for your diabetic supplies

SCOOTERS & POWER WHEELCHAIRS. Did you know in most cases Medicare, Medicaid and insurance pay 100% of the cost? Call Melissa or Jon for their details. 1-800-606-9860, www.medicaremedicalsupply.com

MISCELLANEOUS
AIRLINES ARE HIRING - Train for high paying aviation maintenance career. FAA approved program. Financial aid if qualified, job placement assistance. Call Aviation Institute of Maintenance, 1-888-349-5387

ATTEND COLLEGE ONLINE from home. Medical, Business, Paralegal, Computers, Criminal Justice. Job placement assistance. Financial aid and computer provided if qualified. Call 1-866-858-2121, www.OnlineTidewaterTech.com

NOTICES
SEEKING HOST FAMILIES for exchange students. e ave own insurance and spending money. Promotes world peace. American Intercultural student b/xchange, 1-800-pIPLIND (1-800-742-5464) - www.aise.com

REAL ESTATE
90 ACRES-\$29,900. part your hunt now, for land! Prime deer hunting land at an unheard of price! oolling topography with rock outcroppings. Privacy & seclusion. d ood access. Financing. Call 1-866-623-0468

1ST TIME OFFERED. New Mexico ranch Dispersal 140 acres-A99,900. oiver access. Northern New Mexico. Cool 6,500' e QYDLOD with stunnin! views. d treat tree cover including Ponderosa, rolling grassland and rock outcroppings. Abundant wildlife, great hunting. Bw terms. Call NML&P, Inc. 1-877-877-6621

ADVERTISE YOUR HOME, property or business for sale in 296 Texas newspapers, each almost 1 million readers for ONLY A450! Call this newspaper or visit: www.texaspress.com

BEAUTIFUL MONTANA RANCH land everyone can afford! 160 AC & up-nder A900/ AC with financing available! Pines, hills, coolers, grassy parks, BLM & plate Land. blk. white-tails, mukeys & game birds. Call 1 eastern sales Land Co. anytime at 1-888-361-3006 or check out. www.montanalandandcamps.com

GET READY FOR hunting season. t by lease when you can own? c hunting ranch 100 acres-A399 per acre. Trophy deer habitat, d ood access, rolling hills, good brush, rock outcroppings. Bw/terms. Texas Land sales, L.L.C. 1-866-623-6642

PRICE REDUCED! 700 acres with headwaters, A398,900. Motivated seller wants quick sale t il! sell at this price. Ideal for hunting ranch. Trophy buck area. Also turkey, quail, dove and other native game. bw terms. Call 1-866-623-0473.

RANCH LIQUIDATION. 200 acres- A79,900. Perfect for hunting retreat. Big buck area, plus turkey, dove, quail & more s ery private with bwaccess. Financing available. Texas Land sales, L.L.C. 1-866-899-5263

WYOMING RANCH LIQUIDATION. 35 acres- A59,900. oecrational paradise, perfect getaway. dreat climate, wildlife, easy access. Title insurance, surveyed. Financing. Call R TLo. 1-877-357-5263

WANTED TO BUY
WANTED: MORGAN SILVER dollars. pell now when silver prices are still high. Call Mark 1-713-443-7688

STOP LEG CRAMPS BEFORE THEY STOP YOU.

Calcet's triple calcium formula is designed to help stop low calcium leg cramps. Just ask your pharmacist.

Calcet
 Triple Calcium

Mission PHARMACY

CALL: 05901 Rev 009060 © 2006 Mission Pharmaceutical Company. All rights reserved.

A Report On 'Old Mobeetie Hoedown'

By Tonya Finsterwald

The Old Town Hoedown held in Old Mobeetie on June 30 evoked the essence of Wheeler County life during the 1890s. From arrow-head hunts to cavalry maneuvers to the memoirs of Billy Dixon, the event was packed with wholesome family fun remembering the history of Wheeler County.

The Old Mobeetie Texas Association is dedicated to the preservation of the county's early history, specifically Fort Elliott and Old Mobeetie, the oldest town in the panhandle of Texas. Over 325 visitors were treated to authentic reenactments of metal forgers, gunsmiths and woodworkers. An old-fashioned trading post, run by a man only known as Badger, offered children and adults alike the chance to purchase replicated items of yesterday. The three children who found the specially-marked arrowheads were each rewarded with an Indian Head penny from the 1890s. Silver coins, compliments of the First State Bank of Mobeetie and Wheeler, were awarded to the oldest visitor and the one who traveled the farthest. A beautiful quilt display was provided by Ada Lou Lester, depicting quilting squares from the depression era. The fajita meal, cooked by Kevin Romaine, on an open fire behind a chuckwagon, was delicious. The homemade desserts and jelly, made and donated by members of the OMTA were a big hit, as well. The organization is so thankful for the dedication of the volunteers who worked at the gate, in the museum buildings, at the food serving station and anywhere needed to make the event a success.

The Fort Elliott Jr. High & High School cheerleaders, along with sponsor Tyna Horn, did a wonderful job of providing ice cold lemonade and keeping drinks filled throughout the Billy Dixon presentation, which many people referred

Bogus Driving Laws E-Mail Is Being Posted

We have been receiving calls on an e-mail making the rounds in cyberspace. Number 9 is generating the most questions because it deals with alleged hands-free law for cell phones. *This e-mail is completely false and inaccurate.*

I am sure there are some new traffic laws which have been passed. These will generally go into effect in September of this year. I do not have a list of new laws at this time. As usual, I will but out a release when I do get the new laws. Thanks for all you guys do for DPS. New Laws start Sept. 1st. Not in July.

Daniel Hawthorne (Public Information Officer)

Here is the e-mail:

Starting 7-1-07 (1. Carpool lane- 1st time \$1068.50 starting 7-1-07. 2nd offense fine doubles, 3rd offense triples and 4th time- license suspended.

2. Incorrect lane change- \$380. Don't cross the lane on solid lines or intersections. (3. Block intersection- \$480 (4. Driving on the shoulder- \$450 (5. Cell phone use in the construction zone- Fine doubles and must be "hands free" (6. Passengers over 18 not in their seatbelts- both passenger and driver get tickets.

7. Speeders can only drive 3 mph over speed limit. (8. DWI- jail (9. As of 7-1-07, cell phone use must be "hands free" while driving. Ticket is \$285. They will be looking for this like crazy. Easy money for police department.

Electricity Users Are Being Asked To Conserve

Xcel Energy is asking electric customers in its Texas and New Mexico service territory to conserve energy because of expected high electric demand and limits in generation and transmission capacity on Tuesday.

The utility company urges consumers to limit their power use through 7 p.m. in order to reduce the strain on the power grid. Xcel Energy should produce enough power to meet demand today, but it is possible that reserve margins could tighten as air conditioning load rises in the afternoon hours.

People can help deter power emergencies by:

- Turning off unneeded lights, computers and appliances.
- Setting the thermostat to 78 degrees or higher at home.
- Turning up the thermostat to 85 degrees before leaving home.
- Using major appliances and equipment after 7 p.m., when power demand is lower.

"We take our responsibility to supply energy to our customers very seriously, and we will declare an Energy Alert only after exhausting all other options," said David Eves, president of Southwestern Public Service Company, an Xcel energy company.

"Our customers have helped us through similar situations in the past, and we look to them today to help us maintain the integrity of their electricity system. Turning off all lights and appliances that are not essential to health and safety will help us meet everyone's energy needs without service interruptions. We at Xcel Energy - and your friends and neighbors - thank you."

to as the best entertainment they had seen in a long time. Marc Ferguson was truly amazing in his portrayal of the Army Scout and hero of the Battle of Adobe Walls and the Battle of the Washita. Sponsors for the entertainment included Wheeler Veterinary Clinic, Ware Chevrolet, Wheeler Feedyards, Red River Dairy, Dr.

Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from July 23, 2007 — July 27, 2007.

JULY 23, 2007
ROW—Dean Tipps to Dominion Oklahoma Texas Exploration & Production Inc., 8-26-05, Pt. E 1/2 Sec. 13, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

ROW—Frances Huff Morrison to Dominion Oklahoma Texas Exploration & Production Inc., 12-23-05, Pt. SE 1/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

GUARDIAN ROW—Verne Lohberger to Dominion Oklahoma Texas Exploration & Production Inc., 8-25-05, Pt. W 1/2 Sec. 13, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

D—Jerrie Moore to Danny Todd Moore, et ux, 7-17-07, E 30' Lot 9, Blk. 5, Moore's Sub. Div. Wheeler.

D—J. C. Moore Jr. Trust to Danny Todd Moore, et ux, 7-17-07, E 30' Lot 9, Blk. 5, Moore's Sub. Div. Wheeler.

OL—Elveta Dolores Dickey to Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership, 3-20-07, SE 1/4; NW 1/4 Sec. 2, BS&F Survey and NW 1/4 Sec. 1, BS&F Survey.

PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Chesapeake Exploration LLC to Chesapeake Investments, 7-11-07, Sec. 63, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—MAP2004-OK to Continental Land Resources LLC, 5-31-07, Sec. 39, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN.—Schonwald Land Inc. to Sierra Resources Inc., 4-17-07, Pt. Sec. 1, Blk. 2, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

ASSIGN.—Schonwald Land Inc. to Sierra Resources Inc., 1-17-07, Sec. 1, Blk. 2, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

PARTIAL ASSIGN.—MGE Resources Inc. to Ward Petroleum Corporation, 7-19-07, Sec. 2, Blk. 2, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Holton Resources Ltd. to Ward Petroleum Corporation, 7-19-07, Sec. 2, Blk. 2, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

OL—Mary Ann Farrington Living Trust to Bob J. Weatherly, 7-18-07, E 1/2 Sec. 33, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Crystal M. Bradstreet to Bob J. Weatherly, 7-11-07, E 1/2 Sec. 33, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Frances F. Bradstreet to Bob J. Weatherly, 7-11-07, E 1/2 Sec. 33, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Clifford L. Bradstreet, et ux to Bob J. Weatherly, 7-11-07, E 1/2 Sec. 33, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Sterquell Children's Trust to Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership, 5-25-07, N 200 acs. W 1/2 Sec. 2, Blk. 4, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

OL—Sterquell Children's Trust to Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership, 5-25-07, NW 1/4 Sec. 1, Blk. 4, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

UNIT DESIGN.—Dominion Oklahoma Texas Exploration & Production Inc. to Bob R. Zybach, et al, 7-17-07, Sec. 12, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

UNIT DESIGN.—Dominion Oklahoma Texas Exploration & Production Inc. to Reverend Mark Harold Reitan, et al, 7-17-07, E 1/2 Sec. 15, Blk. R.E., Roberts & Eddleman Survey.

ROY./MD OVERRID. ROYALTY—Ray L. Ware to Choctaw Energy Ltd, et al, 6-25-07, Sec. 1, Blk. 3, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

ROY./MD OVERRID. ROYALTY—Elizabeth McKinsie Frost to Choctaw Energy Ltd, et al, 6-25-07, Sec. 1, Blk. 3, Brooks & Burleson Survey.

D—Mildred McDannald Holmes Management Trust to John B. Holmes Jr., et al, 6-27-07, W 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 35, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

JULY 24, 2007
DVL—Kenneth Kevin Hefley, et ux to Chance Russell, 7-23-07, S 10' Lot 7 and all of Lot 8, Blk. 83, WSSA, Shamrock.

DT—Chance Russell to Extraco Mortgage, 7-23-07, S 10' Lot 7 and all of Lot 8, Blk. 83, WSSA, Shamrock.

TRUST AGREEMENT—Lou Dean Douthitt to Lou Dean Douthitt Living Trust, 6-29-07, See Instrument.

EXECUTORS TDT—James R. Tindall Sr. Estate, et al to Tindall Family Trust, 7-17-07, All of Lot 13 and S 40' of Lot 14, Blk. 59, WSSA, Shamrock.

ROW—Atherton Family Limited Partnership to Southwestern Public Service Company, 5-17-07, Pt. S 1/2 NE 1/4; NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 68, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

John Sparkman DDS, Hansford Implement and Ada Lou Lester. Members of the Regiment of the High Plains, cavalry reenactors, enjoyed a moment they will never forget as they rode horseback from the Old Mobeetie Jail to the original site of Fort Elliott Saturday morning. Thanks to the generosity of the land owner, the group was allowed to visit the site and perform a saber and bugle ceremony in honor of the soldiers who once served at the Fort. Reenactors included Colonel Jimmy Northcutt, Cavalry, Miami, TX; Sergeant Maxie Lismann, Cavalry, Panhandle, TX; Private Ed Benz, Cavalry/Buffalo Hunter, Borger, TX; Private Mark Craddock, Cavalry, Pampa, TX; Private Button Criswell, Cavalry, Skellytown, TX; Private Ken Fields, Cavalry, Pampa, TX; Private Mike Hanna, Cavalry, Amarillo, TX; Private John Howsmon, Cavalry, Skellytown, TX; Private Chris Larson, Infantry, Amarillo, TX; Private Tom McGee, Cavalry, Amarillo, TX; Private Billy Miller, Buffalo Soldier, Cavalry, Borger, TX; Private Frank Willmon, Cavalry, Amarillo, TX; and Billy Turpin, Muskogee Creek Comanche Indian, Amarillo, TX.

WELLBORE ASSIGN.—Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC to Richard Lee Hauschild Jr. Revocable Living Trust, et al, 7-19-07, See Instrument.

ASSIGN.—Sanguine Gas Exploration LLC to H. W. Allen Co., 7-20-07, NW 1/4; S 1/2 Sec. 59, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN./CONVEYANCE—John M. Beard Trust to Elly B. Beard 2007 Trust, 7-20-07, S 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 96, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

JULY 25, 2007
ASSIGN./B. OF SALE CONVEY.—Harlow Corporation to Ken Wischkaemper, 7-18-07, S 1/2 Sec. 8, Blk. 27, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN./B. OF SALE CONVEY.—Talon Exploration Corporation to Ken Wischkaemper, 7-18-07, S 1/2 Sec. 8, Blk. 27, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

D—Estefana Castillo to Roman Castillo, 7-23-07, S 50' Lot 1 and N 60' Lot 2, Blk. LXXXII, Shamrock.

HEIRSHIP AFF.—Judith E. Cox Johnson, et al to Jimmie Marie Johnson, 7-23-07.

PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Chesapeake Exploration LLC to Chesapeake Investments, et al, 7-11-07, Sec. 62, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ROW—Atherton Family Limited Partnership to Chesapeake Energy Marketing Inc., 6-20-07, Pt. W 1/2 Sec. 69, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Kaiser-Francis Oil Company to Apache Corporation, 7-5-07, S 1/2; NE 1/4 Sec. 55, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

ASSIGN.—Kaiser-Francis Oil Company to Apache Corporation, 7-5-07, Secs. 14 and 19, Blk. OS-2.

PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Kaiser-Francis Oil Company to Apache Corporation, 7-5-07, Sec. 66, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Kaiser-Francis Oil Company to Apache Corporation, 7-5-07, Sec. 66, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

EXECUTORS DEED/ASSIGN./B. OF SALE—M. L. Hall to Gary Hall Special Supplemental Needs Trust, et al, 5-1-07, Sec. 60, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

C/C PROBATE—M. L. Hall to Exp Parte, 6-27-07.

D—Paul Hathaway, et ux to Don

Francis Oil Company to Apache Corporation, 7-5-07, Sec. 62, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Kaiser-Francis Mid-Continent Limited Partnership to Apache Corporation, 7-5-07, SW 1/4 Sec. 63, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Kaiser-Francis Oil Company to Apache Corporation, 7-5-07, Sec. 63, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

C/C MERGER—Samson Lone Star Limited Partnership, et al to Samson Lone Star LLC, 7-2-07.

DVL—Laramie McEntire, et ux to David Alberto Pichardo, et al, 7-16-07, E 47' Lot 13 and W 21' Lot 14, Conner Add., Wheeler.

DT—David Alberto Pichardo, et al to Laramie McEntire, et ux, 7-25-07, E 47' Lot 13 and W 21' Lot 14, Conner Add., Wheeler.

JULY 26, 2007
D—James Hinnenkamp, et ux to Dean Hinnenkamp, 7-25-07, Lots 21-24, Blk. J, Park Add., Wheeler.

ROW—Charles D. Davidson to Dominion Oklahoma Texas Exploration 7 Production Inc., 7-16-07, Pt. E 1/2 Sec. 9, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

EXT. AMENDMENT OL—Linda Darlene Cox to John R. Buckthal, 6-11-07, E 1/2 Sec. 29, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

EXT. AMENDMENT OL—Marilyn Kay Gatlin to John R. Buckthal, 6-8-07, E 1/2 Sec. 29, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Ruth A. Hayes to John R. Buckthal, 5-29-07, S 1/2 Sec. 32, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

OL—Dorothy C. Healey to John R. Buckthal, 7-9-07, S 1/2 Sec. 32, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

RATIFICATION OL—Joan P. Thompson Revocable Living Trust to Rio Petroleum Inc., 7-16-07, SE 1/4 Sec. 69, Blk. A-5, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

EXECUTORS DEED/ASSIGN./B. OF SALE—M. L. Hall to Gary Hall Special Supplemental Needs Trust, et al, 5-1-07, Sec. 60, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

C/C PROBATE—M. L. Hall to Exp Parte, 6-27-07.

D—Paul Hathaway, et ux to Don

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

Wheeler, town of friendship and pride.

**THE WHEELER
TIMES**

for all your

**JOB PRINTING
OFFICE SUPPLIES
OFFICE FURNITURE
ANNOUNCEMENTS
INVITATIONS
& PRINTED NAPKINS**

110 EAST TEXAS — WHEELER, TX
Phone: 806/826-3123

A Subscription to . . .

THE WHEELER TIMES

. . . makes an excellent gift . . .

**KEEP UP WITH WHAT'S HAPPENING IN
WHEELER**

"It's like a letter from home for those living elsewhere!"

\$20.00 in Wheeler Co. \$22.00 Elsewhere
806/826-3123—P.O. Box 1080—Wheeler, Texas 79096

The View of a Southern Woman

Southern California that is.

I never thought tomatoes could be a problem, but that is what we now have and a big problem! When we planted them last March or April, things were fine and we just had enough. Then, they started looking "puny" (as they say around here), and we thought they were not going to live, so we bought a dozen more. Later, on a trip to Amarillo, Glenn Frosty Forrest saw this huge stem plant and another one that he thought was kin to the first one, so those came home with us, too. Now, over in Elk City, OK, we saw a few more of our favorite kind, "Super Fantastic," and those came to live in our garden. This year, I put the banana peels in the deep tomato holes and also a teaspoon of dry Miracle Gro. Needless to say, all of them lived and grew and grew and produced tons of tomatoes. You have to remember that there are only two of us and I do not eat a lot of tomatoes. Glenn loves them, but he cannot keep up with our overly-productive vines! I need not mention my "Sweet 100's" which are tiny tomatoes, as I have had to walk away from those thousands on the vine. We have given them away to everyone we see and pretty soon people might try to avoid us with our boxes and sacks of wonderful tasting tomatoes for most people are probably also getting over-tomatoed.

That happened long, long ago when I over-squashed and over-strawberried out in California. In fact, my children decided to sell the strawberries out of their little red wagon up and down our street. It was not long before I got a call from one of the neighbors (a Mrs. LeBrun) that my Laurah and Patrick were selling overripe strawberries for 25 cents a box. I had stopped picking them a week before since they were out of control, so they picked them to sell. I had to go after my two entrepreneurs and close down their little business. Those little children are now in their 40's and I think Laurah is selling fresh eggs from her chickens and ducks up in Spring Creek, Nevada. Patrick is into remote airplanes and helicopters out in Covina, California, so he is a buyer, not a seller.

Our "Incredible" corn did great until we saw deer tracks and I told Glenn that he is the one that taught deer to like corn. Both kinds of potatoes - Red and Yukon Gold - did great as did the Vidalia and Texas 1015 onions. Visitors al-

ways ask us about the first row of plants in the garden since they look so different and I tell they are iris that a lady in Elk City gave us. In fact, she gave us a big box last spring and I really did not know where to put them, so I just planted them in the first row of our garden. Probably have 30 plants or more, but we will move them into the yard after they bloom next year.

Have not had time to get Henry to the vet for a spur clipping as

yet. He does not use them on Glenn very often. Usually, just a good ankle flogging. One of the babies that I got to set under Goldie earlier this year has grown into a fine rooster as he crowed this morning for the first time. Now, we really have trouble on the way! Henry is going to notice this sooner or later and we will have to do something about it.

Yesterday, we almost got into trouble in Amarillo when we both fell in love with a cat at the pet store (I have never had enough

sense to stay out of those places.) She was one year old, spayed and loved us both, but she was a large cat and also very fat. Upon closer inspection, we realized she was with young and not to far off from delivering a litter of kittens. Now, someone does not understand spaying or she just slipped through the cracks, but that is the last thing we need here on this fish and fowl acreage is a dozen kittens running loose! Someone was watching over us. With love until the next time, Betty Boydston.

Country (from Page 3)

eral from the nursing home in Amarillo that closed. Remember them in your prayers.

About un-setting hens, Betty Boydston: My mom raised lots of chickens. She kept a kind of coop that was enclosed with chicken wire sides. When she wanted a hen to cease setting, she would put her in that coop. They didn't really like that, but usually soon gave up on setting. She raised heavy chickens that are worse to want to set. I'm sure she made feed and water available. She probably had just some wire or slats in the bottom of the cage...no nice nests.

Nice to have Jim and Nicki Calderon out to church at Wheeler Baptist Wednesday night. They will be staying in Wheeler awhile and build a house for Mike and Beverly Bryant. Eddie Pannell led singing at church. Bob Willis led discussion of prayer concerns. Ray Brazeal read scripture and had a good message. Leona Coates, Ned Burrell and Ella Mae Wood prepared the delicious sandwich supper with fruit salad, chips, and other trimmings and goodies. Thank you!

Crossroads Revival

Saturday, August 11, 3:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. the Crossroads Country Church at Laketon will be hosting gospel music with six bands making beautiful music. Some of the bands will be the Northfork Players, Corazon (From the heart), Boys Ranch Quartet, New Beginnings, Reckless Abandon from Pampa, Hispanic Gospel Group and Ambassadors of the King. This is not a fundraiser for the church. Bring a lawn chair and come worship the King of Kings. No admission charge...just an old-time revival. Food, soda pop and



GPRMC OPENS NEW GIFT SHOP: After several weeks of remodeling and getting new merchandise ready for sale, the Great Plains Regional Medical Center Gift Shop has re-opened and is ready for business. "We think everyone will love the new items we have for sale", says Business Office Director Melvin Jones. "We have a new line of western themed gifts, new jewelry and some really great OU and OSU baby clothes." The Gift Shop will also be carrying live plants and an assortment of other gifts for all occasions. "All of the profits from the Gift Shop go to the hospital foundation, to be used to help build the new hospital," says Jones. "We hope everyone will come by and see all the great new things we have in the shop." The GPRMC Gift Shop is open from 9am till 4pm Monday through Friday.

water will be available all afternoon for this outdoor concert north of the Laketon church. The bandstand will be on a lowboy gooseneck trailer. You are all invited. Sponsors are invited. Remember the time is Saturday, August 11, from 3:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Pray that God will be glorified and all will be uplifted. Corazon productions host the program. Food is catered.

Pastor Ray O'Quin and wife, Marilyn, host the Crossroads Church and this gospel music meeting. Free admission; Corazon Productions. Y'all come to Laketon Crossroads Church, Saturday, August 11, from 3:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m!

Hello to long-time friends, Sue Reames and Howard and Kate Yarnold at the Abraham Home in Canadian. God bless and keep you.

At Windthorst Saturday July 21, the Fire Department Annual Fish fry was held to raise money to

keep the department going. They raised over \$10,000. Grandson, Dallas, enjoyed helping prepare the food and be a part of things. Big crowd there for the donation meal. Lots of work, too.

Glad Artie Tidwell's sister, Leota Haire, is doing better and got to go home from the hospital. Leota spilled very hot water on her and is diabetic.

"God be with you till we meet again."

WELCOME TO
FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
8TH AT MAIN - P.O. BOX 89 - WHEELER, TX 79096
CHURCH (806) 826-3114 - PARSONAGE (806) 826-3079

TOM WOODWARD,
Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
United Methodist Youth 6:00 p.m.

Registered Refrigerant Recovery Walk In Freezers
Walk In Coolers Commercial A/C Repair
Residential A/C Repair Industrial A/C Repair

SHANE CO
OMEGA AIR CONDITIONING

Shane Orr
Licensed & Bonded
TACL27017 (806) 231-8685
Work Guaranteed

FOR SALE BY OWNER

1322 South Canadian— Wheeler, Texas
3-Bedroom, 2 Bath, Large Living Room, Large Kitchen Area, Den, Garden Room, Office Space off Den, Utility, 2-Car Carport, Fenced Yard w/Lots of Trees and Landscaping

One Bedroom Apartment 2-Car Garage & Storage
Phone: 806-663-9850

2007 Property Tax Rates in WHEELER COUNTY

This notice concerns 2007 property tax rates for WHEELER COUNTY. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

	General Fund	Farm to Market/ Flood Control Fund	Special Road/ Bridge Fund
Last year's tax rate:			
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 2,915,896	\$ 509,706	\$ 519,042
Last year's debt taxes	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Last year's total taxes	\$ 2,915,896	\$ 509,706	\$ 519,042
Last year's tax base	\$ 1,293,080,266	\$ 1,289,089,530	\$ 1,293,079,223
Last year's total tax rate	0.225500 /\$100	0.039540 /\$100	0.040140 /\$100
This year's effective tax rate:			
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 2,915,896	\$ 509,706	\$ 519,042
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 1,468,440,435	\$ 1,464,207,007	\$ 1,468,440,435
= This year's effective tax rate for each fund	0.198570 /\$100	0.034811 /\$100	0.035346 /\$100
Total effective tax rate	0.268727 /\$100		
<i>(Maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearings.)</i>			
This year's rollback tax rate:			
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate, and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$ 2,915,896	\$ 509,706	\$ 519,042
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 1,468,440,435	\$ 1,464,207,007	\$ 1,468,440,435
= This year's effective rate	0.198570 /\$100	0.034811 /\$100	0.035346 /\$100
x 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.214455 /\$100	0.037595 /\$100	0.038173 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.000000 /\$100	0.000000 /\$100	0.000000 /\$100
= This year's rollback rate for each fund	0.214455 /\$100	0.037595 /\$100	0.038173 /\$100
This year's total rollback rate	0.290223 /\$100		

Statement of Increase/Decrease
If WHEELER COUNTY adopts a 2007 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$0.268727 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2006 taxes by \$130,379.

Schedule A: General Fund - Unencumbered Fund Balances
The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
---------------------------	---------

Schedule B: General Fund - 2007 Debt Service
The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
Enter Text Here	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Required for 2007 Debt Service	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
- Amount (if any) paid from other resources	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
- Excess collections last year	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
= Total to be paid from taxes in 2007	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
+ Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 100.00% of its taxes in 2007	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
= Total Debt Levy	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Schedule A: Farm to Market/Flood Control Fund - Unencumbered Fund Balances
The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
---------------------------	---------

Schedule B: Farm to Market/Flood Control Fund - 2007 Debt Service
The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
Enter Text Here	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Required for 2007 Debt Service	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
- Amount (if any) paid from other resources	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
- Excess collections last year	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
= Total to be paid from taxes in 2007	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
+ Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 100.00% of its taxes in 2007	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
= Total Debt Levy	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Schedule A: Special Road/Bridge Fund - Unencumbered Fund Balances
The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
---------------------------	---------

Schedule B: Special Road/Bridge Fund - 2007 Debt Service
The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
Enter Text Here	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Total Required for 2007 Debt Service	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
- Amount (if any) paid from other resources	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
- Excess collections last year	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
= Total to be paid from taxes in 2007	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
+ Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 100.00% of its taxes in 2007	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
= Total Debt Levy	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 401 MAIN STREET WHEELER TEXAS.

Name of person preparing this notice: LEWIS SCOTT PORTER
Title: WHEELER COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR/COLLECTOR
Date Prepared: July 27, 2007

THESE PICTURES SPONSORED BY:

FIRST STATE BANK

"The Bank with Friendly Service"

Wheeler Office:
1408 S. Alan Bean Blvd.
Wheeler, Texas
826-5546
Established 1906



Mobeetie Office:
First & Wheeler St.
Mobeetie, Texas
845-2311
Member: F.D.I.C.

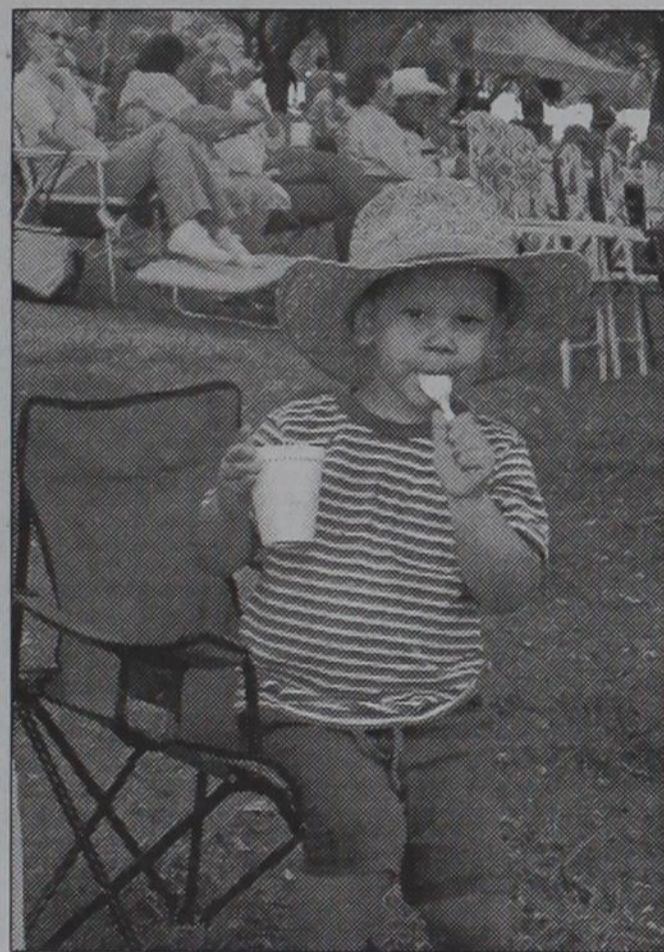
HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE OLD MOBEETIE MUSIC FESTIVAL: This year's Old Mobeetie Music Festival really hit the note with this year's crowd. Campers began arriving a week in advance for the 3-day event that brings music lovers from across the United States to enjoy bluegrass, country and western swing music under the shade trees of the Old Mobeetie Jail Grounds. If you missed this year's event, remember it happens each year during the last weekend in July. More information can be found at the Old Mobeetie Texas Association website at www.mobeetie.com



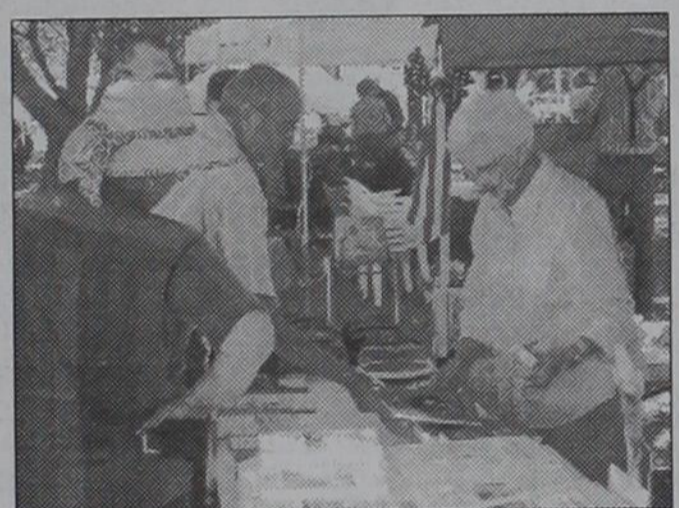
PASSING ON THE MUSIC: Budding musician, Conner Smith of Mobeetie, formerly of Pampa, gets a few tips from Skyler Marsh of Anniston, Alabama. The Marshes, professional musicians, were first-time visitors to the festival, but pitched in like old friends helping out with everything from playing to assisting budding artists and more.



THE MAGIC CITY COWBOYS: It has become a tradition to have the Magic City Cowboys close Saturday night's performances. This band, featuring John Mann of Magic City, Texas, and a variety of members of the Texas Playboys, the Brazos Valley Boys and the Cherokee Cowboy bands bring the beat of western swing to the festival. Their performances always bring to mind the dance halls of yesterday—even for those too young to remember these good ole days.



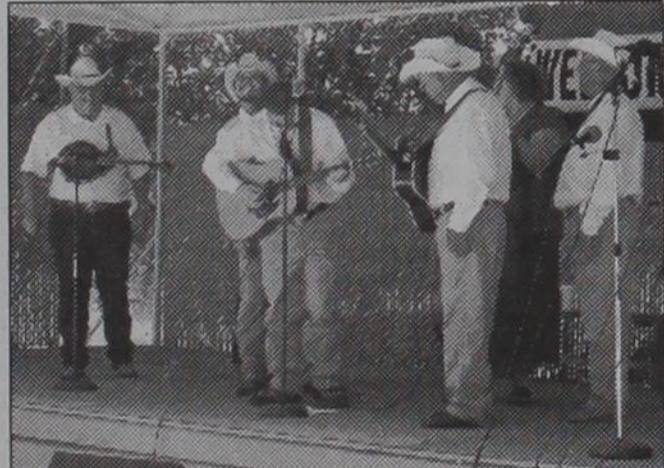
GOOD OLE HOMEMADE ICE CREAM: Brady Pierce, grandson of Cecil and Nancy Pierce of Wheeler, enjoys every drop of his cup of homemade ice cream at the Old Mobeetie Music Festival this past weekend. The ice cream, made and donated by many members of the community, is almost as famous as the music!



DEDICATED VOLUNTEERS: Louise Hogan, long-time board member of the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum, was the friendly face working the museum store during the festival.



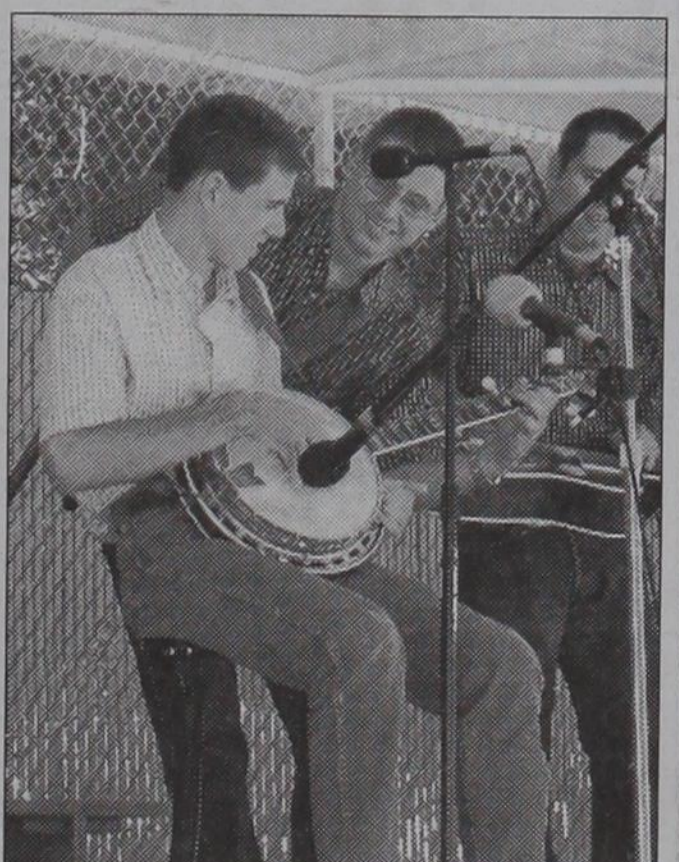
MOBEETIE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT.: Members of the MVFD organized the concession stand and manned a booth raising money for children with muscular dystrophy. Pictured are l-r: Randy Finsterwald and Earnest Lancaster, both volunteer firefighters from Mobeetie.



WICHITA MOUNTAIN BLUEGRASS: Wichita Mountain Bluegrass traveled from Oklahoma to perform at the Mobeetie Bluegrass Festival. They joined many other bands, including Star Canyon, From the Heartland, The Batten Family, Triple "L" Band, Blue Persuasion, Magic City Cowboys and an impromptu group called the "Old Mobeetie Jail Birds" featuring members from "mysterious parts unknown" for a once-in-a-lifetime performance.



BATTEN FAMILY MUSICIANS: Talk about a family of talent! The Batten Family of Lubbock features a host of musicians; their harmonizing is amazing and they truly have the purest voices in the business.



TRIPLE L OF NEW MEXICO: Two of Triple L's band members get fancy—not with two dueling banjos, but two dueling over a banjo as band members team up on one instrument.

County-Wide Burn Ban w/Specific Instructions

The Wheeler County Commissioners Court adopted a County Wide Burn Ban EFFECTIVE July 26, 2007 through October 26, 2007. Specific restrictions will apply. Those producers wishing to burn crop residue on land designated for Ag use will have to follow the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission guidelines as set out below AND contact the local Sheriff's Office or Police Department BEFORE ANY burning may be done.

COURT

PHOENIX OIL & GAS LTD., LLP TO CASTLE PEAK RESOURCES LLC, 7-3-07, Sec. 50, Blk. M-1, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
DVL—Clifford Oldham, et al to Joshua A. Lepp, 7-19-07, 151.26 acs. SW 1/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
DT—Joshua Lepp, et ux to First Ag Credit FLCA, 7-18-07, 151.26 acs. SW 1/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
DVL—Clifford Oldham, et al to Joshua A. Lepp, 7-19-07, 10.0 acs. SW 1/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
DT—Joshua Lepp to PHH Mortgage Corporation, 7-19-07, 10.0 acs. SW 1/4 Sec. 32, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

JULY 20, 2007
PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership to Chesapeake Investment, et al, 6-19-07, S.1/2 Sec. 21, Camp County School Land.
PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Chesapeake Operating Inc. to Chesapeake Exploration LLC, 6-2-07, Sec. 62, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
PARTIAL ASSIGN.—Chesapeake Operating Inc. to Chesapeake Exploration LLC, 6-29-07, Sec. 63, Blk. A-7, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

RDT—National Bank of Commerce to James Conner, et ux, 7-19-07, N 1/2 SE 1/4 Blk. LXIII, Shamrock.

D—Harriet Ann Serafino, et al to Team Serafino Inc., 5-8-07, See Instrument.
OL—Nell B. Mitchell to John R. Buckthal, 6-7-07, S 1/2 Sec. 32, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL—Quam Management Trust to John R. Buckthal, 6-7-07, S 1/2 Sec. 32, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
EXT. MEMO. OPTION AGREE.—William Darrell Lister to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 7-1-07, NE 1/4 Sec. 74, Blk. 13, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

EXT. MEMO. OPTION AGREE.—Mark Reeves to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 6-29-07, Sec. 100, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
EXT. MEMO. OPTION AGREE.—Leslie Mettler to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 6-25-07, Sec. 100, Blk. 17, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL—Helen L. Hall, et vrt to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 6-22-07, Sec. 22, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.
OL—Joe Richard Hyatt to Brigham Oil & Gas LP, 6-23-07, Sec. 22, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

District Clerk's Filing:
#12019—In Re: Minor Child, 7-19-07.

Hosp

Ms. Fagan Cook presented bad debt and charity write-offs for approval. After some discussion James Batton made the motion to approve the write-offs. Ray Hudson seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

QAPI minutes and scorecards were presented for review and discussion. James Batton made the motion to approve. Ray Hudson seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.

Ms. Fagan Cook reported that she had been recently elected to the Board of Directors for the Texas Hospital Home Health Association for a two-year term.

She also reported that Parrish, Moody and Fikes, p.c. had reopened Medicaid cost reports from 1997-2000 and we are entitled to these cost report periods. She also stated that our ultrasound machine had malfunctioned and that a replacement unit had been purchased.

Chairman Helton asked if there was any new business. Ms. Fagan Cook reported that Ron North Welding had never come to complete the structure over the back door area despite promising to do so repeatedly. Dale Garner made a motion to send a certified letter, return receipt requested rescinding the acceptance of the bid. Motion seconded by James Batton and carried unanimously.

There was no further business and Chairman Helton declared the meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Quail

motion of state and federal conservation programs available to farmers and ranchers and on the reseeding of drilling area drilling sites in native grasses and forbs that are wildlife friendly. The chapter is also hosting several events that will encourage youth in the area to get outdoors and become interested in wildlife conservation. If you would like to have Troy make a presentation about his experiences at the Bobwhite Brigade, or would like to learn more about Quail Forever, call 806-826-0761.

Rigs

duction allowables for prorated fields in the state to meet market demand of 18,615,030 Mcf (thousand cubic feet). In setting the initial August 2007 allowables, the Commission used historical production figures from previous months, producers' demand forecasts for the coming month, and adjusted the figures based on well capability. These initial allowables will be adjusted after actual production for August 2007 is reported.

EMPT OR EXCUSE ANYONE FROM COMPLYING WITH ALL OTHER APPLICABLE LAWS OR ORDINANCES, REGULATIONS, AND ORDERS OR GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES HAVING JURISDICTION, EVEN THOUGH THE BURNING IS OTHERWISE CONDUCTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS REGULATION.
SIGNED this 23rd day of July, 2007.

ATTEST:
(Signed) Margaret Dorman, Wheeler County Clerk
(Signed) Jerry Hefley, County Judge
(Signed) Daryl Snelgrooves, Commissioner, Pct. 1
(Signed) Tom Puryear, Commissioner, Pct. 2
(Signed) Hubert Moore, Commissioner, Pct. 3
(Signed) John Walker, Commissioner, Pct. 4

Old Time Gospel Music
On KPDR, 90.5
... in Wheeler
Sundays 6 a.m. to 8 a.m.

BRANDYWINE HOMES, INC.
Brandy Waugh, Builder
Let Us Build Your Dream...
Specializing in Residential New Construction
Now Accepting Orders for Custom Homes
Please Visit Our Website At:
www.brandywineamarillo.com
6308 Crockett St. Office:
Amarillo, TX 79118 806.342.0577

G & K PLUMBING
Master Plumber
GLEN BISHOP
806.217.1666
Lic. # M-36562
★ Drain Cleaning
★ Water Heaters —
★ Gas & Water Lines
★ Septic Systems
★ New Construction
★ Remodeling
★ Class I OSSF-Installer
KEVIN RATLIFF
806.217.0616
Lic. # OS025048

Let's compare rates & service...
FARM BUREAU INSURANCE
Auto • Home • Life
(806) 826-3563
Gary Alston, Agency Manager
James Masters, Agent
sfbl.com • txfb-ins.com
Texas Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Co. • Texas Farm Bureau Underwriters • Southern Farm Bureau Casualty Insurance Co. • Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance Co., Jackson, MS • Farm Bureau County Mutual Insurance Company of Texas

JENNINGS PLUMBING, HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING
P.O. Box 423 — Wheeler, Texas 79096
LARRY & BOBBY JENNINGS, Owners
Licensed, Insured & Bonded
(806) 826-3153
Licensed Septic Systems, & Site Evaluations
TX# TAFLB017641E
"A Flush... Is Better Than a Full House!!!"

Steel Construction
Barns, Houses Sheds Carports, and etc.
Fax: 806/447-0153
Pat-Home: 806-447-9705
Cell: 806/205-0770
Clint: 806/205-0646
Scooter: 806/447-1122
Cell: 806/930-9201

Rejoice in the Lord always: and again I say, Rejoice. Let your moderation be known unto all men. The Lord is at hand. Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. Finally brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report, if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things. Those things, which ye have both learned, and received, and heard, and seen in me, do; and the God of peace shall be with you. Philippians 4:4-9

The weather here in Allison on this Tuesday is just beautiful, but pretty warm already this morning. It's been really hot in the daytime, but thank the Lord for the cool nights.

I want to Praise the Lord for His protection with all the traveling we have been doing. He is our keeper and provider. Praise God!!

Roma's cousins, June Green and Louise Woodruff of Anson, Texas and Jackie Embrey of Hamlin, Texas visited from Wednesday till Friday in the home of Roma and Billy June Brown. They all enjoyed the fresh veggies out of Roma's garden. They played several table games and had lots of fun and enjoyed visiting. Billy June said they enjoyed them being there very much.

The Allison Community was saddened to hear of the death of Verne Lohberger on July 27, 2007. Funeral services were Monday, July 30, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. in the First United Methodist Church in Allison, Texas with Rev. Gary Jahnel of Canadian, Texas and Rev. Tom Woodward, Pastor, officiating. Verne was laid to rest in the Zybach Cemetery. Pianist was Darena Begert. Special music was by the Allison Community Choir directed by Tim Jones. The choir sang, "I'll Fly Away" and "What A Day." Lori Debose sang a solo of "Daddy's Hands". She did a wonderful job. A large crowd attended the funeral. There was so many beautiful flowers. The Lohberger family is in our prayers. On Monday, Opal and Juanita Boydston accompanied Louise

Boydston and her friend, Bessie Richter to Mustang, Oklahoma where they attended the United Pentecostal Church Oklahoma Campmeeting. They stopped in Weatherford, Oklahoma where Bessie met with another friend, Shirley Parson to visit her awhile in Fairview, Oklahoma where Shirley lives. We all enjoyed a delicious meal at Jerry's Restaurant before heading on to Mustang, Oklahoma. When we arrived in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Curtis and Lillian met us at Sam's where we unloaded our luggage and things as we stayed with them during the Campmeeting. Each service at Campmeeting was just great. We all enjoyed it very much. Received so many blessings, we praise the Lord for each one. Had a wonderful time. Juanita really enjoyed going to the Singles on Friday night. She had

a great time and met lots of other singles. They had refreshments and games and lots of visiting. Just lots of fun.

Saturday, we loaded back up to come home, Shirley Chadwick and granddaughter, Kabria Chadwick accompanied Louise, Opal and Juanita heading back to Allison, Texas.

We stopped in Hinton, Oklahoma where we met SaRita, Carissa and Kelton Green who were on their way to buy school clothes for Kelton in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, we visited a short time and bought us a drink and headed on down the road. En-

joyed the short visit with them. Then we stopped in Elk City, Oklahoma where we celebrated Louise's birthday and shopped some and visited a short time in the home of Jimmy and Vivian Wallace. Shirley and granddaughter, Kabria rode from Elk City to Allison with Sue Martin and her grandson, Lucas. And Pearl Harrison accompanied Louise, Opal and Juanita on to Allison, Texas. Good to have Pearl Harrison back in Allison for a few days to visit. Pearl stayed with her daughter, Louise Boydston.

Louise Boydston attended the Oklahoma United Pentecostal Church Campmeeting last week at Mustang, Oklahoma and Shirley Chadwick from Jones, Oklahoma stayed with Louise and attended the Campmeeting also.

For Louise's birthday on Saturday they stopped in Elk City, Oklahoma on way home from Campmeeting and enjoyed a very delicious meal at Padres Restaurant. Sue Martin and her daughter in law, Myra Montgomery, Lucas and Logan from Cheyenne, Oklahoma met with them, also Vivian Wallace from Elk City, Oklahoma, Pearl Harrison of Elk, Charles and Edell Hassell from Amarillo, Texas, Opal and Juanita Boydston, Shirley Chadwick and granddaughter, Kabria Chadwick from Choctaw, Oklahoma.

Saturday night, Louise had a birthday party at her home. Hamburgers, chips, ect. A beautiful birthday cake and ice cream was served. Those present were: Bennie and Debbie Boydston, Gary Boydston and grandson, Ryan Purcell from Midwest City, Oklahoma, Shirley Chadwick from Jones, Oklahoma, Kabria

Chadwick from Choctaw, Oklahoma, Sue Martin from Leedey, Oklahoma and grandson, Lucas Montgomery from Cheyenne, Oklahoma, Pearl Harrison, Kim, Kimber and Chase Thompson from Amarillo, Texas. Cheryl Dupont from Elk City, Oklahoma came later after her son, Cody's

bull riding in White Deer, Texas and also Eddy and Sheila Walker. On Sunday for dinner were all the above plus Josh and Heather Archer and Amber Maddox, Cody Dupont and Julie Boydston. Had a delicious home cooked meal and good visiting. God Bless and Keep ya'll till next time.

Sun. Nite Live
On KPDR, 90.5
... Live from Canadian
9:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Canadian Supply & Redi-Mix
for all your Concrete Needs!
Jerry Smith, Owner
806-323-5379

RED RIVER
Steakhouse
101 W. Hwy 66—McLean, Texas
806-779-8940

Hrs.: Tues-Sat 11 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Specials:
Friday Night: BBQ Ribs
Saturday Night: Prime Rib

Let us custom cook your next party!

COUNTRY CHAPEL
Pastor Alan Morgan
7796 US Hwy 83 P.O. Box 376
Wheeler, TX 79096
806-826-3511

COME AS YOU ARE

Sunday Morning Service: 10:30 am
Country Kids for Christ: 10:30 am
Tuesday Morning Prayer @ 6:30 am
Saturday Morning Prayer @ 7:00 am

MUSTANG AUTO CARE
1100 S. Alan Bean Boulevard
Wheeler, TX 79096
Charles Petit, Owner
806/826-0948 — Hours: M-F 8-5, Sat. 8-12
☆ Automotive Services, Maintenance and Repair
☆ Wheel Alignments ☆ Oil Changes

Tex. Historical Comm. To Hold Workshop

A 2-hour workshop focusing on Historic Texas cemetery designations and markers will be conducted by the Texas Historical Commission at the White Deer Land Museum, 116 S. Cuyler in downtown Pampa, Tuesday, August 7, 9-11 a.m., Pampa. Dan Utley, Chief Historian, and Gerron Hite, Cemetery Preservation Coordinator, will present the workshop. The Gray County Historical Commission and White Deer Land Museum will be co-hosting the event. This is a different program from the one conducted in Randall County recently, according to Utley. For additional information, contact Hite at gerron_hite@thc.state.tx.us or call 512-475-4167.

Don Gohmert USDA State Conservationist

Don Gohmert recently assumed the position of state conservationist for USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) in Texas. In that capacity, Gohmert will be responsible for NRCS operations within the state, including the administration of conservation planning assistance to private landowners, conservation cost-share programs, Resource Conservation and Development, the watershed flood prevention program, Natural Resources Inventory, and soil survey mapping. "I am excited to be returning to Texas," Gohmert said. "Texas is a state with a great diversity in natu-

ral resources, conservation issues, tremendous opportunities, and great people." Gohmert is replacing Dr. Larry Butler, who retired as the NRCS state conservationist for Texas in March. Gohmert is moving from Louisiana, where he has served as the state conservationist for 15 years. He has also worked for the agency in both Texas and Arizona. Born and raised in Cuero, Texas, Gohmert received his bachelor's degree in agriculture from Sam Houston State University in Huntsville, Texas. He also earned his master's degree in public administration from the Maxwell School at Syracuse University.

History Of Oklahoma State At Sayre

Southwestern Oklahoma State University at Sayre has a familiar face, but do you know its history? For example, did you know that SWOSU-Sayre was founded as Sayre Junior College in 1938 under legislative authorization that permitted public high schools to add a 13th and 14th year of study to their curricula? Or, that the first degrees were conferred in May, 1940? Or, that so many faculty and staff answered the call to duty that the school closed during World War II and reopened in 1946? Probably not. Here's another question. Did you know that in 1956 Sayre Junior College moved from facilities occupied jointly with Sayre High School to its present location on old Highway 66? And there's more. In 1960, two additional classroom buildings were added, and in 1968 the Mackey Hall dormitory was opened. Since then, changes in the physical plant have continued with expansion of the main classroom building; the addition of new classrooms, a conference room, and student service facilities; and the conversion of Mackey Hall to classroom space and library facilities. Then came the biggest change of all. On July 1, 1987, Sayre Junior College merged with Southwestern Oklahoma State University as a branch campus, becoming SWOSU-Sayre. The Sayre campus is located 60 miles west of the main campus at Weatherford on Interstate 40. It serves western Oklahoma and the Texas panhandle within a 60 mile radius of Sayre. The Sayre campus offers open admission to high school graduates as well as to students who do not hold a high school diploma. Each fall and spring, approxi-

mately 500 full-time and part-time SWOSU-Sayre students work towards completing Associate in Science and Associate in Applied Science Degrees in 10 different majors. The fall semester begins August 22.

Jason & Talon McNally Will Appear On TV

Jason and Talon McNally of Canadian, Texas, will be appearing on Turkey Call, a hunting series produced by the National Wild Turkey Federation. The show will air on The Outdoor Channel on the following dates:
* Monday, August 6, at 2 p.m. (EDT)
* Tuesday, August 7, at 7 a.m. (EDT)
* Thursday, August 9, at 7 p.m. (EDT)
Jason, an NWTWF volunteer, will be trying to call in a Rio Grande wild turkey for his son Talon, a JAKES member. And later, we'll be hunting with NWTWF north Texas regional director, Michael Thornton. Also, the NWTWF, along with the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency, will demonstrate the continued dedication to conservation by relocating numerous Eastern turkeys from Tennessee to east Texas. Great hunting action plays a major roll in each episode of Turkey Call, now in its ninth year. The show features stories of conservation, preserving the country's hunting heritage and introducing youth, women and people with disabilities to many outdoor activities, including hunting. Turkey Call takes viewers across the nation in pursuit of wild turkeys, and inside of the NWTWF's outreach programs, highlighting the people who enjoy hunting and fishing.

Parkview Artery — Summer Poisoning Tips

Poisons are everywhere and a poisoning can happen quickly at any time. However, certain types of poisonings are more likely to occur during certain times of the year. During the summer season, spending time outdoors, means you can be exposed to common summer poison hazards that include toxic plants, garden chemicals and stinging insects. Below is a list of some of the most common poisons encountered each summer. Follow the poison prevention tips to help make your summer fun and safe (Stings from Flying Insects: Bees, yellow jackets, wasps and hornets. (Poison Prevention Tips: Do not panic when a flying insect approaches. Move away from the insect without waving your hands and arms. Avoid attracting insects by keeping trashcans covered and by putting leftover food away. Avoid wearing bright colored clothing and perfume because you will look and smell like a flower - bees like flowers. Wear a Medic-Alert bracelet if you have a history of a life-threatening allergic reaction. Ask your physician about prescribing an emergency bee sting kit to have in an emergency. Snakes Bites: In the summer, snakes seek shelter from the sun under rocks, bushes, in caves, and animal burrows. At night when it is cooler, snakes become active hunting their prey. (Poison Prevention Tips: Always be aware of your surroundings. Do not reach into cracks in rocks, animal burrows or under bushes. Be aware of where you sit especially in shady areas. Do not tease, kill or handle a rattlesnake. If you encounter a snake, do not panic or blindly run away without looking carefully where you are going. Pesticides - A chemical used to kill pests. The two most common are insecticides and herbicides. Insecticides are chemicals used to kill insects. Herbicides are chemicals used to kill plants. (Poison Prevention Tips: Follow pesticide labels directions. Keep pesticides locked up where children cannot see them or reach them. Keep pesticides in their original containers. Use child-resistant packaging properly by closing the container tightly after use. Never place rodent or insect baits where children can get them. Plants - Many outdoor and indoor plants are poisonous. (Poison Prevention Tips: Know the names of your indoor and outdoor plants and find out if they are poisonous. Keep all poisonous plants, bulbs, seeds and plant foods where children cannot reach them. Teach children not to put leaves, stems, bark, berries, seeds or nuts from any plant into their mouths. (Poison Prevention Tips: Check your yard regularly for mushrooms, especially after a rainfall. Remove any mushrooms in your yard and throw them away. Teach children never to touch, taste or eat any outdoor mushrooms. Hydrocarbons - Be careful with gasoline, kerosene and charcoal lighter fluid. (Poison Prevention Tips: Follow the directions when using the products and keep them in their original labeled containers. Open containers carefully and keep the products locked up where children cannot see them or reach them. Pool Chemicals - Swimming pool products like chlorine contain dangerous chemicals that can poison you if you use them in the wrong way and in the wrong amount. (Poison Prevention Tips: Follow label directions when using pool chemicals. Keep products in their original labeled containers. Open containers carefully and keep the products stored locked up where children cannot see them or reach them. Food Poisoning - Do not let food poisoning ruin your summer picnic or camping trips. (Poison Prevention Tips: Keep "cold" foods cold and "hot" food hot before and after serving. Thoroughly cook all foods according to standard guidelines. Pack soap and water and wash your hands carefully before handling food. Put leftovers in the ice chest right away. medcat People who claim they don't let little things bother them have never slept in a room with a single mosquito.

Revival

August 5-8, 2007

at

First Baptist Church

206 Second St. — Mobeetie, TX

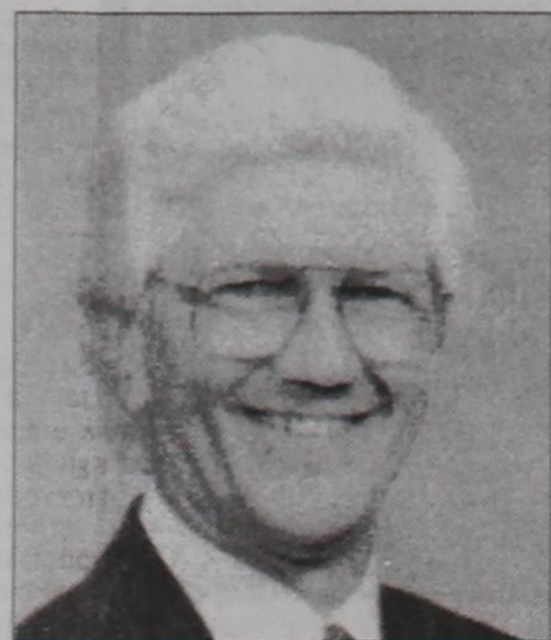
Sunday,
August 5th
6 p.m.

Monday-
Wednesday
August 6th - 8th
7 p.m.



Dusty Rhodes

Evangelist



Don D. Thorton

Music