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"Wheeler, town of friendship and pride."

## Frame Loses First Stage of Battle to Play Wheeler Football

Brad Frame lost the first stage of the battle to get to play football at Wheeler. District 1-1A ruled Frame ineligible to play at Wheeler. The next step will be to appeal to the University Interscholastic League. The hearing was held in Amarillo Monday. Wheeler and Booker were not allowed to vote. Superintendents of the other schools in District 1-1A made the solid negative decision; voting were Shamrock, Claude, Gruver and White Deer. Those voting felt the

move to Wheeler by Brad and his father, Allen Frame, was made for athletic purposes. Frame moved with his dad to Wheeler from Booker; Allen Frame has a job in Wheeler. He was an outstanding quarterback at Booker and also played basketball and golf. Hearings will have to be held before he can participate in basketball and golf. Frame continues to workout with the Mustangs.

### CWE CHAT WITH EDITOR By Louis C. Stas

Once again it is time to 'Meet the Mustangs'. The event has been set for Tuesday, August 29, at 7:00 p.m. at Nicholson Field.

'Mustang Boosters' is open to anyone supporting Wheeler school sports.

The weather continues to be hot and dry. The only good thing about this is that I don't have to mow the lawn as often.

It will soon be time for the 'Old Settler's Reunion' at Mobeetie. Make sure your calendar is open for Labor Day.

We had a long weekend starting Thursday. Fortunately a problem with the car was discovered as we were leaving town and corrected before we left.

We left OKC Friday morning and were in Bartlesville for a visit with Raymond and Darla Stas. Jennifer and Brice and Lance Tracy went to Tulsa for the preliminaries for a friend's wedding.

Barbara and I spent the rest of the day and Saturday morning at Bartlesville. Alicia and Steve Gardella came over to her parents to see us. Jennifer returned to pick us up and take us back to Tulsa for the wedding.

The Phong Luu and Thuy Tran wedding was in Vietnamese with a few words in English for the English speaking friends in attendance.

The reception was at the Round Tree Hotel in Tulsa; it also was in Vietnamese. A nine course meal was followed with dancing.

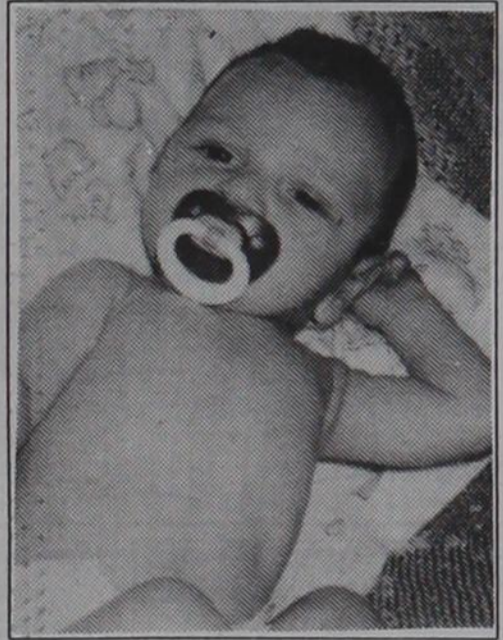
We had met Phong at Weatherford before Jennifer and Brice met. He and Brice had gone to school together and were friends at Clinton.

We returned home Sunday evening.

Yes, we played cards at Bartlesville. Each team won a game Friday, but the total of the scores on both games gave the win to them—Bartlesville Stas rules.

We were joined Monday evening for cards by Benny and Arielle. The draw placed them on opposite teams. The first game went to Mike, Dwight and Benny. Bob, Arielle and I won the second and third games.

### New Arrival



**MICHAEL WAYNE REEVES**  
Ted and Valerie Reeves of Amarillo are proud to announce the arrival of their son, Michael Wayne Reeves, born May 2, 2000, weighing 7 lbs. 1 1/4 oz. and was 19 1/4" long. He was welcomed by his grandparents: Bennie and Connie Reeves, Rose and Leroy Parker, Jr., of Wheeler. His great-grandparents are Ruby Beshears, Minerva Jones and Melinda Parker, all of Wheeler and Leroy and Janice Parker, Sr., of Amarillo and great-grandfather, Glen Markham of Wheeler, along with many aunts, uncles and cousins.

### Hospital Notes

- Old Admissions**  
Estelle Orr  
Virginia Frye  
Ruth Ledbetter
- New Admissions**  
8/15 Ruby Jones  
8/18 Heather Hardcastle  
8/19 Marie Baker
- Dismissals**  
8/15 Clifford Hefley  
8/16 Arnold Jones  
Jusie Lohberger  
Ruby Jones  
8/19 Heather Hardcastle

# 'Meet the Mustangs' Tues., Aug. 29



'Meet the Mustangs' has been set for Tuesday, August 29, at 7:00 p.m. Hamburgers and all the trimmings will be served. The Mustang Boosters are the sponsors of the annual event.

Caps, t-shirts and other Mustang items will be on display and for sale at the event.

Reserve seats for the Mustang football games will be available. Those with reserved seats are urged to pay in advance for the seats. Reserve seating will be held until first home game; after that they will be given to the first name on the list.

Mustang Boosters is open to anyone wishing to be a part of the organization. Your child does not have to be a Mustang for you to participate. The money raised by the group is divided between all the Wheeler sports activities.

Your support in the past has been appreciated and the Mustang Boosters is looking forward to your continued support this year.

Come on out and meet the 2000 Mustangs and let's kick off the season.

- 2000 WHEELER MUSTANGS:** 9—James Chapman; 10—Joe Don Glassey; 11—Justin Chapman; 12—Brad Fram; 17—Jacob Britt; 21—Donnie Phipps; 22—Brenton Goerend; 24—Caleb Finsterwald; 28—Gavin McQueen; 32—Kendall Hefley; 35—Chris Gallagher; 39—Josh Miller; 50—Dirk Chapman; 52—Bret Goad; 57—Nic Gaines; 58—Evan Watts; 60—Joe Salas; 61—Trenton Gaines; 62—Tyler Lewis; 63—Danny Spikes; 70—Blaine Rutherford; 72—Chris Hutchison; 74—Danny Glasgow; 75—Kelby Ledbetter; 85—Corey Jewell; 88—Brad Masters;

## 'Wheels for Life' Bike-A-Thon Is Set Sept. 23

The Briscoe/Mobeetie "Wheels For Life" Bike-A-Thon to be held on September 23, 2000, has been announced by St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Coordinator for this year's event is Mrs. Pam Jones, who encourages all residents and businesses to support this community effort.

The event will take place on the north end of Boy Scout Road from 9:30-11:30.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, founded in 1962 by the late entertainer, Daddy Thomas, is the largest childhood cancer research center in America in terms of the number of patients treated and treatment success. Treatment is provided at no cost to the family and all findings are shared freely with doctors and hospitals all over the world. Thanks to St. Jude, children, who have leukemia, pediatric AIDs, sickle-cell anemia, and other life-threatening diseases now have a better chance to live.

Four year old Macarena Ottogalli represents all of the patients who have received the benefits of St. Jude's research. Macarena was only three months old when she was diagnosed with neuroblastoma. Since the tumor was discovered early, Macarena's chances of survival are good. She has been in remission of two years and has returned home to Argentina. She is a very bright child. She loves to draw with markers and play with wooden blocks. Doctors report that she comes to the hospital every six months for checkups and is doing extremely well. Thanks to all who support events like the "Wheels for Life," St. Jude Children's Research Hospital will always be available for children like Macarena.

### OLD JAIL MUSEUM NEWS

The Old Mobeetie Texas Association met August 16, 00 at the Museum Lodge Building with President Dale Corcoran in charge of the meeting. Louise Hogan led the opening prayer. The group discussed on the building of restrooms for the museum grounds. There were several ideas discussed. This was tabled till next meeting. The cost will be about \$5,000 just for the underground work due to license fees and inspection fees and the drain lines that are required. The group will have more information on this at the next meeting. There are several looking for the information. Motion by Joe VanZandt to put \$2000 in an interest bearing account at the bank to be used on the restrooms. Seconded by Maurita Stribling. Carried. There will also be a donation can put up at the Labor Day celebration for the restrooms.

Also discussed was the date for the next music festival. Motion by Jimmy Hill to have the Music Festival on the last full weekend in July. This next year it will be July 27, 28 and 29. Seconded by Dutch Elliott. Carried. Melba Corcoran is to start getting the bands and sound on contract. Louise Hogan was appointed to make the signs for the donation cans. Jimmy Hill made a motion to adjourn. Those attending were Louise Hogan, Bill Finsterwald, Dutch Elliott, Bernice Hefley, Margaret Dorman, Joe VanZandt, Maurita Stribling, Jimmy and Bobbie Hill, and Dale and Melba Corcoran.

## Top O' Texas Cattle Women Plan Style Show In Pampa Sept. 9

Top O' Texas Cattle Women are excited about their Style Show and Brunch planned for Saturday, September 9, at 10:30 a.m.

A delicious brunch of quicke, crepes, assorted muffins, fruit, tea and coffee will be served.

With eleven area merchants from the Panhandle Area participating, you will see the greatest variety of fall and winter fashions possible at one style show. You will also get a preview of the latest and hottest trends in fashion for the coming season.

The merchants participating are: Dunlaps, Images, V. J.'s Imports, Bealls, Kids' Stuff and Wayne's Western Wear of Pampa. Vernell's of Shamrock, Canadian River Originals

of Canadian, Pampered Lady and Main Place of Amarillo. A highlight of our style show will be the prestigious jewelry store of Duncan & Boyd of Amarillo, who will have a variety of fine jewelry on display and will display some pieces from the David Yurman collection. A \$200 gift certificate from their store will go to some lucky lady as a door prize. Other door prizes will be given from each participating merchant.

Treat yourself, family and friends to a fun morning by attending our style show and brunch! Tickets are \$15 and if you are unable to attend, you are still eligible for the \$200 gift certificate drawing. Call 256-3887 for tickets.

## Speed Limit Through Mobeetie Subject Of Mobeetie City Council Meeting August 14

The Mobeetie City Council met Monday August 14, 2000 at 6:00 PM with Mayor Dennis Hilburn in charge.

Melba Corcoran read the minutes for June. Motion by Stacci Kinnaman to accept as read. Seconded by Jerry Martinez. Carried 5-0.

Dennis welcomed the visitors. Melba Corcoran gave the financial reports. Motion by Jerry Martinez to accept the reports as given. Seconded by Stacci Kinnaman. Carried 5-0.

Bills to be paid were presented. Motion by Jerry Martinez to pay the bills as presented. Seconded by Lois Reeves. Carried 4-0 with 1 abstaining. Voting for Jess Mixon, Lois Reeves, Stacci Kinnaman and Jerry Martinez. Abstaining was Dale Corcoran.

A letter from the fire department asking for a donation of \$25.00 was read. Motion by Dale Corcoran and seconded by Stacci to donate the money. Carried 5-0.

Tax rate was discussed. Motion by Jerry Martinez and seconded by Stacci Kinnaman to leave the rates the same as last year. Carried 5-0.

## Ft. Elliott Board of Trustees Conduct Business for Mon., August 14, Meeting

Members present: Wayne Zybach, Mike Meadows, Bob Finsterwald, Wanda Hefley, Richard Meadows, Greg Estes. Members absent: Wade Hathaway. Guests: Carl Baker, Sonya Holder, Janet Tatyrek.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M.

1. Motion by Wanda Hefley to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Seconded by Bob Finsterwald. Motion unanimously.

2. Motion by Greg Estes to pay checks #4638 and #4651. Seconded by Wanda Hefley. Motion carried. Voting for were Wayne Zybach, Greg Estes, Richard Meadows, and Wanda Hefley. Abstaining due to nepotism were Mike Meadows and Bob Finsterwald.

3. Motion by Richard Meadows to pay the balance of the bills. Seconded by Mike Meadows. Motion carried unanimously.

4. Motion by Mike Meadows to accept the quote from Eastern Panhandle Insurance company for school

Melba Corcoran gave the report from Todd Alvey on the lawsuits pending.

Dennis let the visitors talk. One problem discussed was the speed limit on speed on the highway through Mobeetie. The mayor requested Melba to write the state and see if we can lower the speed limit.

The Drought Contingency Plan was tabled to next meeting.

Motion by Jerry Martinez to change the office hours to 1 PM to 5 PM on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Seconded by Stacci Kinnaman. Carried 4-0 with 1 abstaining. Voting for Lois Reeves, Jerry Martinez, Stacci Kinnaman and Jess Mixon. Abstaining was Dale Corcoran.

Motion to adjourn was made by Jerry Martinez and seconded by Stacci Kinnaman. Carried 5-0.

Those attending were Jess Mixon, Lois Reeves, Dale Corcoran, Jerry Martinez, Stacci Kinnaman, Dennis Hilburn, Melba Corcoran, Louise Shorter, Stephen and Judy Cloud, Sue Mayfield, Gaylord Thompson, Randy McCurley, Patricia Kephart and Jimmy and Laura Fern Selby.

property insurance for the 2000-2001 school year. Second by Wanda Hefley. Motion carried unanimously.

5. Motion by Richard Meadows to purchase attendance credits from the State. Seconded by Greg Estes. Motion carried unanimously.

6. Motion by Wanda Hefley to change the grading policy at the elementary campus. Changes are on file. Second by Bob Finsterwald. Motion carried unanimously.

7. Motion by Mike Meadows to approve the Homecoming Dance to be held on September 15, 2000. Seconded by Richard Meadows. Motion carried unanimously.

8. Motion by Mike Meadows to approve budget amendments, as on file. Second by Wanda Hefley. Motion carried unanimously.

9. Motion by Greg Estes to approve the tax collection report. Seconded by Mike Meadows. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:05 p.m.

## MOBEETIE NEWS

By: Melba Corcoran

Dale and Melba Corcoran went to Amarillo Tuesday for Dale's doctor's appointments. They also took the water sample for the city. They visited in Pampa with Bill and Dutch Elliott and went to supper with them before coming home.

Bill and Dutch Elliott brought their motor home back to the campground. They and Dale and Melba Corcoran went to supper at Mel's Thursday night.

Joe and Janie VanZandt just got home from their vacation. They visited with Janie's brother and went fishing on Lake Mead.

Melba Corcoran went to Amarillo Thursday and stayed till Saturday with Arica Lancaster. They attended the Franklin Graham Festival Friday night.

Jack and Bernice Hefley visited Saturday with Bill and Dutch Elliott.

Bill and Dutch Elliott visited Sunday with Denzel and Nell Leonard in Canadian.

Those from Mobeetie that went to the Care Center in Wheeler Sunday from the First Baptist Church were Orville Greenhouse, Leta Mae Gatlin, Jane Seitz, Lorene Rector, Marion Grimes, Doris Finsterwald, Sallie Adcock, Melba Corcoran, Ken and Connie Bryan, Jayton Childress, Britany Bryan, Travis Bryan, Andrea Martinez, Trish McLaughlin, Crystal Pigg, Veronica Hungate and Brandon Finsterwald. The Good News Children sung 4 songs.

Wilhelmina Sherrell has returned home after spending some time in Ada OK visiting and attending her mother 100th birthday.

Gary Grimes of Amarillo visited Saturday with his parents Doyle and Bulah Grimes.

Visiting Sunday afternoon with Doyle and Bulah Grimes was their nephew Joe Talley and daughter Trintidee of Miami. They had brought her show calf over for the Grimes to see.

Bro. Bill and Lois Claterbough of Pampa are improving. He fills in for the First Baptist Church in Mobeetie at times. Lois is in the Coronado Nursing Home and he is in the Pam Apartments. He walks over to see her every day.

Ernest and Brenda Lancaster, Stormi and Lamari attended a ranch rodeo near Abilene over the weekend.

Aaron Laverty has been back to the doctor with his back and is on medication for the pain. He is doing better.

Everyone is invited to attend the wedding of Caaron Laverty and Scott Neighbors. They are getting married.

## Davis, Hardcastle Are On SWSU Dean's List

Southwestern Oklahoma State University at Weatherford has announced the Dean's Honor Rolls for the 2000 summer semester.

There were 82 students on the Dean's Honor Roll after completing 8 semester hours of undergraduate work with a grade point average of 3.0 ("B") or higher, with no grade lower than a "C".

Named on the summer semester lists were Jeremy Loyd Davis and Heather Gail Hardcastle.

September 1, at 6:00 PM at Pan Fork Baptist Camp near Wellington.

Wayne Stribling has just returned from Houston. His report was not good. He is going to have to start more treatments but will be able to do them in Amarillo. Remember him in your prayers.

Maurita Stribling has her surgery set up for the 24th. She is having back surgery so remember her in your prayers also.

Friday, Leola Stuart and Gladys Richardson visited in Erick, OK with Ivy Richardson and Marsha Richardson.

Eddie and Amy Richardson of Wheeler visited with Leola Stuart and Gladys Richardson on Thursday.

Wanda Childress and Addie Swift of Briscoe visited Monday morning with Leola Stuart and Gladys Richardson.

## WANTED: Boys Who Are Not Afraid of Fun

It's time again to sign up for an adventure in learning, fun, and friendship. **Cub Scout Pack 472** is having our annual new scout sign up night this Friday - August 25th @ 7:00PM in the First United Methodist Church Atrium in Wheeler. Any boy who is in the 1st thru 5th grades is eligible to sign up! Our Pack is growing and having fun and adventures all year long. Besides our Den meetings we attend camps go to Rattler Hockey and Dilla Baseball games and are looking forward to other adventures this year. So if you're a boy and not afraid of having some fun bring your parents and join us Friday!!!! See You There!!

The Boys of Pack 472

## Sweetwater News

By Lois Flowers

Well, what do you know? It has cooled to the 90's. Sad thing is no rain yet. The gardens are flourishing, tho. Had several neighbors bring me some okra and tomatoes and corn. Many thanks.

Debby Anderson and Helen Smith have been making picante sauce. Most are freezing the surplus. Some are putting up apples. Haven't heard of any peaches around. We used to go to Wheeler for fruit.

I watched the OETA money raiser last week. Was real good. They made a couple of thousand dollars over their goal so guess we will be on another year.

Judy Tipton came over to see me Tuesday and took me to see Dr. Edwards. My eye seems to be doing OK. The only folks I saw in Elk, that I knew were Creta Miller and Lana Keathley. Mary Ann Harding, Erick and Ann Reed also dropped by and brought goods.

Arnold Rice, Iva Thompson, Basil Doss and Ray Smith aren't very well. Ray is home after a few days in the hospital. Basil fell and broke his hip. He is in the Lawton Hospital. He hopes to get back to the Carnegie hospital this week. Leonard Smith, Clinton, was out to see his dad.

I want to tell you to check your discards. I started to throw away an envelope and idly looked inside. There was a check.

See Ernest Prock is 102 now. Ed Thompson at the Erick Nursing Home will be 100 his birthday. I had two great grandfathers, who lived to be

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Ephesians 2: 14, 16, 18: For he is our peace, who hath made both, and hath broken down the middle wall of partition between us;

And that he might reconcile both unto God in one body by the cross, having slain the enmity there by;

For through him we both have access by one Spirit unto the Father.

A pleasant Monday morning here in Allison and the making of another hot day.

Monday, the 14th, my daughter, Peggy White from Clovis, N.M., and her son, Mark White, from San Francisco, spent until Wednesday morning with me. Then I went back to Amarillo with them. We visited at Dean and Marsue Roush's home that afternoon. That evening Dean, Marsue, Darrel and Johnnie Harrison, Peggy White, Mark and a friend, Henry, and Christine Gilmer all went to the Calico Country Restaurant for the evening meal. From there we went to the Palo Duro Canyon and saw the drama "Texas". I spent Wednesday night with Darrel and Johnnie and Darrel brought me home early Thursday morning.

Enjoyed very much having Peggy and Mark visit me and also the time I was in Amarillo with the part of the family I got to be with. Did talk to Jerry, my son, a while Wednesday afternoon from my granddaughter's home.

Peggy and Mark did visit Wilma Gilmer a while, while they were here. Another exciting thing happened while Peggy and Mark were here. We went out to the Zybach Cemetery late Tuesday evening and were walking around out there, looking at different grave stones, and I came upon the largest rattle snake I ever saw. I believe he was at least five and half or six feet long. We didn't have anything to kill him with but Mark did throw some cement tile bricks and hit him with them. But he just rattled and started crawling away. Very exciting, but do watch out for snakes if and when one is out there. That is the first one I have ever seen out there and there could be more than one there.

Red and Anna Dukes and his daughter, Adeline Hammer, were in OKC last Thursday for Red to see the doctor concerning his back problem. Last Saturday, Red, Anna and Minnie Bell Vinson grocery shopped in Wheeler.

Clifton and Louise Boydston, Pastor McDaniel, Curtis, Opal and Juanita Boydston attended a rally at Memphis last Friday night.

Roma and Billy Brown had a birthday celebration at their home last Saturday to celebrate their son's 50th birthday. Lou Miller was also there for the birthday party. Recently Roma and Billy spent a weekend with daughter, Lola, and Troy Fuller of Hugo, Okla. Others there were their daughter, Sharon, and family of Anapolis, Md. and also their son, Troy Jr., of Ada, Okla. They were all there to see Lola and Troy's new home. Roma

and Billy's Sunday dinner guest was Thursia Poindexter from Cheyenne. Hiram and Darena Begert traveled to Reno, Nev. recently where Hiram served as cattle judge at the Western Limousin Exposition Junior Show. They flew to Los Angeles, Calif., before returning home. Hiram Begert was in Ft. Worth last

week on business and to also attend a Texas Limousin Association director's meeting. Hiram and Darena were present at the Oklahoma Limousin Breeder's Association annual meeting and banquet last Friday evening at the Cowboy Hall of Fame in Oklahoma City.

Three Allison churches were represented at the Texas Panhandle Festival 2000 with Franklin Graham in Amarillo last Sunday evening. Those attending were Cheryl, Sabrina and Cody Dupont, Heather and Jason Boydston, Vanessa Huff, Kathy and Amy Kleiwer, Larry Elmore and Angela Forward. Alton, Ariel, Alicia

and Laura Lohberger and Bret, Hayley and Darena Begert.

Saturday afternoon Melissa Helton and son, Landon, from Pampa visited her grandparents, Glen and Nona Elmore.

Pete and Margaret Gilmer visited Rodney and Linda Ingersoll and Andrew last Friday at Lefors. Rodney is now home from Pampa Hospital and is doing some better.

Len and Betty Brown are at their Allison home this Monday morning. Len is mowing the yard.

Pearl Harrison's last Tuesday dinner guests were Clifton and Louise Boydston, Wanda Walker, Cheryl Dupont. Sunday dinner guests at Pearl's were Eddy and Wanda Walker, Gary Boydston, Louise and Clifton, Hershel Sanford and Pastor McDaniel. Wanda Walker visited Pearl Saturday afternoon and helped Pearl shell peas and can them.

Vance and Carolyn Boydston were supper guests with Dick and Cletus Greene last Saturday evening.

Peggy Chandler entered the B.S.A. hospital on Saturday morning and returned home Thursday.

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**WHEELER MENU**

MONDAY, August 28, 2000 — FRIDAY, Sept. 1, 2000

MONDAY  
Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Milk, Juice

Lunch: BBQ Franks, Scalloped Potatoes, Pinto Beans, Bread, Fruit, Milk

TUESDAY  
Breakfast: Biscuits/Gravy, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Turkey Wraps w/Cheese, Tater Tots, Western Beans, Fruit, Milk

WEDNESDAY  
Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Cheeseburger, Lettuce, Tomato, Onions, Pickles, Fries, Fruit, Milk

THURSDAY  
Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Pancake Pup/Syrup, Sausage, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Pork Chop, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Hot Rolls, Fruit, Milk

FRIDAY  
Breakfast: Toast/Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk

Lunch: Baked Potatoes, Ham & Cheese, Carrot & Celery Sticks, Bread, Fruit, Milk

(Menu subject to change)

Parents: I need to correct the article in the paper last week. I was under the impression that the W.I.S.D. school policy stated that it had a non-charge policy for meals. I have since found out that I was misinformed.

W.I.S.D. will never let a student go hungry. We encourage parents to buy tickets in advance or to pay each day; but if they have to charge they have always been allowed to do so and will continue to be able to charge if needed.

I apologize for my error and any mis-

Sara Loiselle of Salt Lake City, Utah, will be at the home of her brothers, Tony Griffin and Al Griffin for about three weeks, beginning Sept. 1. She will be recuperating from eye surgery and of course the "pig picking" at Mobettie on the 9th. Couldn't be missed. It's worth the 2200 miles to see everyone. It will be good to be home for a while.

**KELTON MENU**

August 28, 2000 — Sept. 1, 2000

MONDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk Lunch: Meat Nachos w/ Cheese, Salad, Corn, Fruit, Milk

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Biscuits, Peanut Butter, Syrup, Juice, Milk Lunch: Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Buttered Carrots, Hot Rolls, Cake, Milk

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Oatmeal, Toast, Juice, Milk Lunch: Lasagna, Corn, Salad, Bu. Toast, Oranges, Milk

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Eggs, Sausage, Biscuits, Jelly, Juice, Milk Lunch: Hamburgers, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Onions, French Fries, Ice Cream/w Strawberries, Milk

FRIDAY: Not Available

**ALLISON MENU**

August 28, 2000 — Sept. 1, 2000

MONDAY: Breakfast: Western Scramble, Biscuits, Juice, Milk Lunch: Chicken Strips, Mashed Potatoes, Spinach, Hot Rolls, Strawberry Ice Cream, Milk

TUESDAY: Breakfast: Waffle Sticks, Ham, Peanut Butter, Juice, Milk Lunch: Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Tossed Salad, Corn, Garlic Bread, Cherry Cobbler, Milk

WEDNESDAY: Breakfast: Breakfast Burritos, Juice, Milk Lunch: Chicken Sandwich, Ranch Style Beans, French Fries, Fruit, Milk

THURSDAY: Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk Lunch: Soft Tacos, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions, Spanish Rice, Pinto Beans, Pears, Milk

FRIDAY: Not Available

**Sweetwater** (from Page 1)

well over 100. They lived in our home when I was small.

Services for Freddie Jerrel Abila, 59, were August 14, at the New Beginning Church in Mustang. He was the son of our friend, Rosa Fay Snider.

Burial was in the Mustang Cemetery.

Services were Wednesday at the Sayre Church of Christ for Seraldine Hall, 74. Her husband, Dewitt, preceded her in death. Burial was in the Lone Oak cemetery. They used to be our neighbors long ago.

Jim, Daniece and Heather Lyon, OKC, and Billy Tucker, Stillwater, visited J. E. and Clara Lou McGuire this week.

Last Thursday, the girls at the Home dressed in the 70's style. Called it Hippy Day. They were cute.

We, Roger Mills folks, are proud that the president of the Oklahoma FFA Assn. is A. J. Butler, Reydon. He recently attended a National meet in Washington, D.C.

Hansford and Alameda Jenkins, Kingston, are here visiting his mother, Stella. They took in Elk City today.

Do you get calls and no one there. It sure is aggravating.

Birthday folks are Ginger DeMarquis, Alma Clelline Richardson, S. T. Flowers, Leslie Cogburn, Leon Cooperider, Rick Yarbrough, Kyle Cox, Lana Keathley, Pauline Roberts, Henry Lee Rose, Lisa Tucker, and Clay Pruitt. Anniversaries are Greg and Jan Henson, Bonnie and Arnold Rice. Happiness to all.

understanding that it may have caused. I know that students function better when they have nutritious meals. Our meals are both healthy and reasonably priced. Again, I apologize.

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Isaiah 2:4 and He shall judge among the nations, and shall rebuke many people; and they shall beat their swords into plow shares and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore.

Happy Birthday to Oleta Rogers, Alice Wesbrooks, Jeremy Hefner, Glenn Elmore and Frank Heare on Aug. 27; Doris Finsterwald, Brooke Stevens, Kellie May and Caleb Kirkpatrick on Aug. 28; Virginia Puryear, Hugh Bailey and Angela Hefner on Aug. 29; Verneal Prater, Clem Helton, Russel Schaub, Travis Eudey, Brandi Hawkins and Kathy Shorter on Aug. 30; Joe Woodwork, Kathy Murray, Shawna Wagoner, Mabel Parker and Wanda Walker on Sept. 1; Phyllis Hefley, Tamara Hefley, Joyce Aycock and Julia Williams on Sept. 2.

Happy Anniversary to Gayle and Helen Singleton and Hugh and Mae Bailey on Aug. 28; Steve and Robbie Bleakley and Robert and Patsy Bain on Aug. 31; David and Winnie Gilmer on Sept. 1; and Ray and Mary Corcoran Sept. 2.

First home Ft. Elliott volleyball game will be Sept. 5, at 5:00 p.m. with junior high, J. V. and varsity playing. Saturday, Aug. 26, J. V. and varsity will play in the Dumas J.V. tourney. Aug. 29 they will play at Caprock at 5:00 p.m. Sept. 5 Trinity Fellowship comes here.

Aug. 25 (Friday) Ft. Elliott will scrimmage Lefors and McLean at Lefors. Sunday, Sept. 1, they will scrimmage Follett at Briscoe. Good luck to all.

Fellowship of Christian Cowboys meets Saturday, Aug. 26, at Clyde Carruth Pavilion in Pampa about 6:00 for a lively Christian Music and Delicious potluck meal and visiting. Some times a short sermon. Everyone invited.

Ed and Laurel Hershman and Joe and Ann Ellison left Aug. 5, to go to Indiana to the State Fair at Indianapolis. They would drive the shuttle bus that carries passengers to different parts. Ed drives, Laurel and Ann would sell tickets and take tickets and tell of the different attractions. The Hershmans lived in Indiana about 31 years after they married and enjoy seeing many old friends. It pays pretty well and a place to stay is furnished. Think Ellisons have friends there and lived there awhile. The Hershmans are expected back to Texas about Wednesday, Aug. 23. Johnny Wilson and Naomi Speck took care of the laundry and lawn mower business in Wheeler, while they were gone. We missed them.

Sincere sympathy to Connie Mae Freeman on the death of her husband, Gary Freeman, 51, at Ft. Worth Saturday. Connie Mae is the daughter of Eula and Robert Newman.

Fat and Wanda Childress spent 2 days at Red River and then went on to Colorado and met with Fat's family: Helen and Richard Dyson, Jo Ann and Buz Bresciani, and Lindon and Wynola Sanders for lots of visiting and game playing. They came home Thursday. Saturday Addie Swift ate lunch with Fat and Wanda.

Charlotte Brown from San Antonio spent about a week with her mom, Lessie Ann Austin. They shopped in Pampa one day and ate at Dyers. They ate lunch Sunday at Joe and Liz

Austin and Payton and Korbin's. Payton came out and visited Sunday afternoon and enjoyed being the teacher. He is in the second grade this year at Wheeler.

We met a lovely family eating at Maxeys Sunday. They've lived in Wheeler a year or so and are Stacy and Lisa McCasland and J'Shea, 12; Bree, 11; Tayt, 6, and Zack and Zay, 5. Stacy works at the feed yard and the children attend Wheeler School. The girls will play basketball. Also at Maxeys were Riley and Deliese Atwood and many more.

Attending the Graham Festival at Amarillo Friday night were Claudette Laverty and Caaron and Willa Fillingim and Lois Meadows and a big crowd. David and Phyllis Hefley took Pauline Hefley to the Methodist

Church Sunday and out to eat at Maxeys. Good to see them.

Rosalie Keelin ate lunch Sunday at Gene and Norma Keelin's home. Also there were Kara Kay, Daniel and Tracy. Then Rosalie went to the Wheeler Care Center and enjoyed the music from Doris Finsterwald and Marion Grimes and the singing. Mobeetie Baptist church had their children's choir and also several adults singing and many residents out to listen and participate.

Congratulations to Charlie and Kulani McDerment of Newport News, Va., on the birth of their new baby girl named Rachel Cadann on Saturday, Aug. 19, 2000.

She is welcomed by sister Tannen, 4, and brother, Donovan, 2. They all survived the wreck near Boise, Okla., on June 26. Charlie would have had to leave right away with no one to take her to the hospital or keep the kids. Charlie is in the navy. A midwife deliv-

ered the baby and they all got to stay in the room during the birthing. So thankful she could go ahead and have the baby before Charlie had to leave and he got to stay till Wednesday to help out. God took care of that!

There was a cook-out and fishing at the Richard and Bonnie Meadows home Saturday night to celebrate Richard, Tonia and Reagan's birthdays. Happy Birthday, ya'll! Reagan will be going back to W.T.A.M. this week. Big crowd of friends there including Amber Estes, David and Phyllis Hefley and David and Rita Pearson.

Don and Cindy Hartsfield and Glory and Haydon from Oklahoma visited J. P. and Martha Meek and Chuck and Phoebe Hartline and Aaron and Tamara. They went to Pampa one day and had a cookout one night. They spent a few days.

Sunday, Larry and Vickey Nelson and Danny Nelson and Danielle and Amy went to Lake Fryer and met Frank and Cathy Hooper for lunch at the cafe there and had a good visit. Danielle is in second grade and Amy in kindergarten at Miami School.

Thursday there was a party to celebrate Zane Kinnaman's 2nd birthday and Alyssa Kinnaman's 5th birthday at the home of Bob and Debbie Kinnaman. There were 2 birthday cakes and gifts. Others there were Cory Kinnaman, Joe Bob Kinnaman and Destrie, Donald and Billie Stuckey, Lou Dean Douthit and Bob and Debbie Kinnaman and Kerbie. Happy Birthday Zane and Alyssa.

Addie Swift went to Pampa Monday with Wanda Childress and Gayle Knight. Addie got some glasses and they ate at Furr's.

Wepkend visitors to Olaf Sivage were granddaughters Keri Bird and Amy and Brad Klein from Ft. Worth. Keri is from Abilene. Her husband could not come. Gaye Hale and Sarah and Elizabeth also were part of the group and they all visited grandmother Audie Sivage and ate out and shopped.

David and Heather Hale and Sarahbeth also visited Grandmother Audie and Olaf and Gaye earlier.

Mary Lou Carter has been working at B.S.A. in Amarillo in cleaning Department.

Verneal and Juanita Prater went to see her Monday, but she was working at a later shift and they couldn't find her house. They came back and ate at Furr's at Pampa. Verneal is "addicted" to their coconut cream pie—very good.

Visiting Irene Keys Sunday and playing 42 were Edna May, Lou Dean Douthit and Virginia Puryear. The Four Muskateers?

Lou Dean Douthit and Billie Stuckey attended to business in Wheeler Monday. Time to renew Billie's Beauty Operator license.

Visitors to Willa Fillingim Monday were Lessie Austin and Charlotte Brown. Also Rita Pearson and Gary Alston on business.

Nice to have J. P. and Martha Meek eat supper at Wheeler Dairy Queen Monday night with us. We went back to their house and played 42, but the guys won.

Willa Fillingim had a call from Jane Kraai in Delta, Colo. Jane and husband, Fred, and children lived near here many years ago. Willa was a special friend to them and has kept up with them through the years. Fred was killed in an accident many years ago. Jane was in the hospital three months with a brain tumor and now has to have help with daily things. Pray for Jane Kraai.

Willa talked with her sister, Fay Sell. Fay was to have a plastic cast on her broken pelvic and maybe knee. She has been through so much. Pray for Fay.

Vea Fillingim went to Springfield, Mo., to the wedding Sunday of grandson, Ken Michael McAdams, to Kimberly Whitaker at the Heartland Covenant Church. Vea went with Glenn and Mozelle Thomas. Estelle and Evertt McAdams were also there and helping with things. Pray for this lovely young couple as they go as missionaries to Asia. May God bless and guide and keep you!

Nice to see Alton Lohberger and twin Suzanne Lohberger and Laura and Russell Lohberger eating at Maxeys Tuesday night. Also visited some with Lankfords from Wellington there, who knew many of my relatives. They had been to Pampa. Also there were Preston and Elsie Glazner and Richard and Bonnie Meadows and Reagan. The Lohbergers had been visiting Susie Lohberger in Wheeler Hospital. She got out next day. Good to see her and Verne and Joe at Maxeys Thursday.

Lord, help me flee all sin and shame. Lest I disgrace your holy name, And may I live that all may see The Savior's love revealed in me."  
—OJD  
Nice to have Lance and LaJuana



Caroland and Lucas, 4 mo., meet us for lunch at Maxeys Thursday. They drove up from Lubbock. Good to see Ida Mae Goad and granddaughter, Mika, (Fred and Kim's) and great-granddaughter, Shayle Goad, (Shane and April Goad's little cutie). Also there were Rozena Zybach with granddaughters Lauren and Charity from Burlington, Colo., and Fern Young.

Lucas is such a beautiful and sweet baby. We enjoyed them all. We enjoyed playing some 42 and Chicken Foot and visiting. Lance helped trim some tree limbs. LaJuana is still moving slowly since her broken pelvic and hip, but can carry her baby around some and take care of him. Lance is a good daddy and helpful.

Think you'd like Monett (Treadwell) Jenkins'

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Brown meat. Drain, then salt and pepper to taste. Add tomatoes, soup

and beans. Place layer of Doritos in casserole dish and cover with meat mixture. Bake 350 degrees for 20 minutes. Top with grated cheese.

We enjoyed having a few friends over Friday night to celebrate Willis' 81st birthday with potluck pile-on supper and games of 42. Delicious food. Some others here were Evelyn Meek, J. P. and Martha Meek, Doris Finsterwald, Virginia Puryear, Lou Dean Douthit, Edna May, Olaf Sivage and Lance and LaJuana Caroland and Lucas. Willis appreciates so much all the beautiful cards and many calls he received for his birthday and with the loss of his beloved twin brother, William.

Saturday, we and the Carolands shopped in Pampa at Walmart and ate at Furr's. At Walmart were David and Winnie Gilmer and Julie Shields and Maddie. At Furr's were Marvin and Collette Webster and Orvel and Rosa Brewer with Mr. and Mrs. McClendon. Good to see Orvel looking so good after his heart attack. Also at Walmart we saw Jerry Jewell and son and at Furr's David Bradstreet and Byron Williamson.

"God be with you till we meet again."

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**MONDAY, August 28, 2000 — FRIDAY, September 1, 2000**  
**MONDAY:** Lima Beans w/Ham, Spinach, Cornbread/Margarine, Pineapple Slices  
**TUESDAY:** Barbeque On Bun, Potatoe Salad, Coleslaw, Roll/Margarine, Jello  
**WEDNESDAY:** Chicken and Dumplings, Fried Zucchini, Cornbread/Margarine, Rice Pudding  
**THURSDAY:** Enchiladas/Sauce, Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad, Cornbread/Margarine, Peach Cobbler  
**FRIDAY:** Tuna Casserole, Carrots, Bread/Margarine, Bread Pudding

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**MONDAY, August 28, 2000 — FRIDAY, September 1, 2000**  
**MONDAY**  
Breakfast: Breakfast Bars, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Baked Chicken, Red Potatoes, Squash, Rolls, Fruit Salad, Milk or Tea  
**TUESDAY**  
Breakfast: Biscuits w/Gravy, Sausage, Jelly, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Tuna w/Noodles, Green Beans, Corn, Rolls, Pears, Milk or Tea  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Breakfast: Breakfast Burritos, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Steak Fingers, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, Mix Vegetables, Rolls, Cake, Milk or Tea  
**THURSDAY**  
Breakfast: Waffles, Ham, Juice, Milk  
Lunch: Hamburger & Macaroni, Okra, Broccoli w/Cheese, Rolls, Jello, Milk or Tea  
**FRIDAY**  
Breakfast: Cereal, Muffins, Juice, Milk  
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**Wheeler Church of Christ**

**Congregational Concerns:**  
An area-wide skating party for young people will be held in Sayre from 4:00 p. m. to 6:00 p. m. on this coming Saturday afternoon, August 26th. For more information about this skating party, please contact Stacy McCasland.

The Wednesday night Bible classes will resume on Wednesday night, August 30th.

The grocery truck from Tipton Home is scheduled to be in Wheeler between Monday, August 28th, through Wednesday, August 30th. If you would like to make a contribution to their grocery fund, please give your money to Bob Frankenberg.

On this coming Sunday, August 27th, the Change for Children campaign of High Plains Children's Home will conclude. If you participated in this campaign, please put your "change can" on the table.

Rebekah Morrison was baptized into Christ last Sunday night.

Don Edwards is scheduled to take another treatment on his back at the Pain Clinic in Amarillo on Thursday, August 24th.

Skeet Johnson is hospitalized in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, recovering from hip replacement surgery.

**From The Minister's Desk:**  
My good friend, Charles Hodge, recently wrote an editorial that taught a great lesson. This article was entitled, "Prayer May Not Remove Problems" and it said: ---  
"God does not always remove our difficulties. This flies into the face TV preaching, "The Prosperity Gospel", miracles, a fairy-tale existence. TV determines our theology more than Bible. The popular show, "Touched By An Angel", finds angels removing our problems. Psychology has not helped. Christianity is marketed as a socialism in therapy that guarantees relief from stress from the cradle to the grave. People entreat Jesus more for relief from stress than for forgiveness of sin. Christianity is reduced to yet another self-help program."  
"Let's go back to scripture. God never promised to rid our lives of problems and difficulties. Paul asked God to remove a thorn thrice. But God gave him something better—grace. Paul learned to live with the thorn. So far as I know he died still having this thorn. God's answer to thorns is not therapy but faith. Faith does not give us the answer. Faith allows to live without the answer."  
"Let's go back to scripture. God came to Job. Yet Job was not restored until God had finished. God didn't heal Job first. God provided no answers concerning the problem of human suffering. Job is a book about faith! Can we believe during catastrophic pain? The issue in Job was faith. Job's sin was ignorance. He did not know how to run the world. Moses did not physically enter the promised land. He saw but never lived there. God does not promise to change our circumstances. He does promise to be there, to enable us to survive. God never removed the cross from Jesus. He did turn that cross into a crown. There is some truth in the attitude, "no pain--no gain". Perhaps this explains why, spiritually, we are so flabby."  
**Bill Morrison, Minister**  
Church of Christ  
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Sunday Morning Worship ... 11:00 A.M.  
Sunday Night Worship ..... 6:00 P.M.  
Wednesday Bible Study ..... 7:30 P.M.

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# Oil & Gas NEWS

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**Intentions to Drill**  
HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Apache Corp., #9-54 French Arrington, 467' from North & 780' from East line, Sec. 54, A-2, H&GN, PD 11700'.

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPHILL Granite Wash) Apache Corp., #3-44 Larue McCulloch, 2270' from South & 467' from West line, Sec. 44, A-2, H&GN, PD 11200'.

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPHILL East Upper Morrow) EnerVest Operating, L.L.C., #6063 Brock 'A', 1320' from South & 1650' from East line, Sec. 63, A-2, H&GN, PD 13500'.

HEMPHILL (WILDCAT & HEMPHILL South Douglas Upland Resources, Inc., #1 Vise, 467' from North & 660' from West line, Sec. 3, 4, AB&M, PD 8400'.

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & CREE-FLOWERS Wolfcamp Dolomite) R.E.D. Resources, Inc., #1 Bill J. Tolbert, 660' from North & 1320' from East line, Sec. 3, —, BBB&C, PD 3950'.

ROBERTS (WILDCAT & PARSELL Lower Morrow) Range Production Co., #8A Ben Hill, 2577' from South & 928' from East line, Sec. 145, 42, H&TC, PD 11700'.

**Application to Plug-Back**  
WHEELER (BRITT RANCH Granite Wash) Crawley Petroleum Corp., #1-8 Firestone, 1320' from North & East line, Sec. 8, I, B&B, PD 14030'.

**Oil Well Completions**  
HEMPHILL (SPARKS Tonkawa) EOG Resources Inc., #1 Humphreys '60', Sec. 60, 42, H&TC, spud 6-9-00, drlg. compl 6-22-00, tested 7-21-00, pumped 128.6 bbl. of 43 grav. oil + 62 bbls. water, GOR 12428, TD 7750', PBTD 7704'.

**Gas Well Completions**  
HEMPHILL (GEM-DANDY Douglas) Questar Exploration & Production, #3054 Hostutler, Sec. 54, 41, H&TC, spud 5-1-00, drlg. compl 5-12-00, tested 7-18-00, potential 2400 MCF, TD 8100', PBTD 8045'.

ROBERTS (ALFAR-LIPS Atoka) Alpar Resources, Inc., #1D Courson-Lips '159', Sec. 159, 13, T&NO, spud 6-1-00, drlg. compl 6-21-00, tested 7-21-00, potential 3200 MCF, TD 8550', PBTD 8400'.

WHEELER (VIKING Upper Morrow) Apache Corp., #5 Chandler, Sec. 1, RE, R&E, spud 2-5-00, drlg. compl 3-14-00, tested 4-24-00, TD 15680', PBTD 15565'.

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# COUGAR NEWS

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Scope: Contract will be a general contract for the roof replacement and the restoration of the metal cornice.  
Bidding Document: One (1) set of drawings, project manual and other bidding documents for this project may be obtained by General Contractors from the Wheeler County Clerks Office, Wheeler County, Courthouse, 400 Main Street, Wheeler, Texas 79096. There is a \$25.00 fee for each set of plans. Makes checks payable to Wheeler County.  
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