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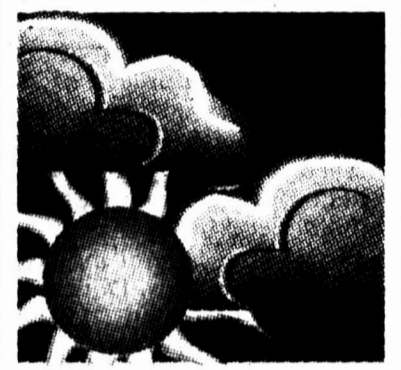
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**Lewisville ticket buyer hits \$24 million Lotto**  
AUSTIN (AP) — Results of the Lotto Texas drawing Saturday night:  
Winning numbers drawn: 7-10-11-36-38-50.  
Estimated jackpot: \$24 million.  
Number matching six of six: 1.  
Winning ticket sold in: Lewisville.  
Matching five of six: 82. Prize: \$2,422.  
Matching four of six: 4,970. Prize: \$98.  
Matching three of six: 104,030. Prize: \$5.  
Next Lotto Texas game: Wednesday night.  
Estimated jackpot: \$4 million.

**Businesses ready for trick-or-treaters**  
Cellular One's store at 1329 N. Hobart has free reflective Halloween bags to give away to trick-or-treaters. And United Medicorp employees say they'll have candy to give out Halloween (Wednesday) starting at 5 p.m. at their downtown office at 200 N. Cuyler.

**Hi-Land Christian has fun night on tap**  
Halloween night, Hi-Land Christian Church will host a special "food n' fun stop" 6 p.m.- 9p.m. for all the children of Pampa. Pastor Mike Sublett said, "Hey kids, just stop by 2721 Beech for a free soft drink, a bag of chips, some candy and another special gift." There'll also be live Christian music, said Julie Long, music minister.

- Lester "Leck" Attaway, 86, retired Celanese employee.
- Otis Arnold Lee, 83, life-long Pampan, retired truck driver.
- Carol Willis, 42, former Furr's Cafeteria employee.

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Myron Bilgri shows how it's done and no doubt there will be plenty of good eating like this at the Nov. 4 White Deer Polish Sausage dinner. (Courtesy photo)

## 4,500 lbs. of Polish sausage will be served in White Deer

The annual White Deer Polish Sausage dinner will be on Nov. 4 at the Sacred Heart Parish Hall. A whopping 4,500 pounds of Polish sausage will be served from 11-3 p.m. Adults eat for \$7 and children for \$3.50. The first sausage dinner was held in 1939 when families of the parish gathered in the pasture behind the church for a parish dinner. It was prepared by the ladies of the Altar Society but when the gathering became too large, chairman were selected from the parish. The first sausage was made in the homes of the families and prepared in large cast iron pots. The parishioners ate at plank tables. The sausage dinner became an annual affair except for a few years during World War II. Today the Polish sausage is prepared by Clint and Sons in White Deer. The slaw is prepared by parishioners several days before the dinner and the beans and potato salad are prepared the morning of the meal. The method of cooking the Polish sausage has changed to make the links more tender, but the same old-fashioned flavor has been maintained. "Everyone in the Sacred Heart Parish work to make the dinner a success. This year's chairman is Tracy Kotara. Take out dinners and bulk sausage will be available. Approximately 2,000 people are expected. White Deer is the only Polish community in the Texas Panhandle. "Roots of Faith," a historical book focusing on the Polish pioneers will be available in the parlor. A video, produced by the Carson County Square House Museum, will be shown. The video tells the history of the Poles arrival and settlement of Texas which began in 1854. They arrived in White Deer in 1909. It is narrated by nine descendants of the original Polish families.

**White Deer is the only Polish community in the Texas Panhandle.**

## High-speed chase, capture on I-40 yields 25 lbs. of pot

Two Michigan men were in Gray County jail today following a high-speed chase down Interstate 40 Sunday morning. Farris Mohammed Saleh, 25, of Wayne, Mich., and Robert Joseph Mackey, 25, of Garden City, Mich., were in Gray County jail today in lieu of bond after being charged with possession of marijuana. Saleh also faces charges of evading arrest with a vehicle. Mackey faces charges of evading arrest. The two were arrested by Department of Public Safety troopers Sunday morning north of McLean following a high-speed chase. Officers said that speeds during the chase exceeded 120 mph. Trooper Daimon Jones said today that he stopped a rented 2001 Dodge Caravan passenger van about 9:45 a.m. Sunday, on Interstate 40 west of McLean, for speeding. Jones said that as he got out of his patrol car and approached the eastbound van, the van sped away. "When I got about to the rear of the vehicle," Jones said, "it took off." As Jones began pursuing the van, a truck forced the van off the highway and onto the eastbound service road. As the van went under an overpass, Jones said he saw a black bundle fly from the van. The van then crossed over the highway and began speeding west on the service road before crossing the grassy median to reach the westbound lanes of I-40. Jones said he chased the van about two miles before the van exited I-40 back to the westbound service road. The van traveled across an overpass and headed east on the service road before getting back on I-40. (See CHASE, Page 3)

## PEDC voting brisk; amendments slower

By NANCY YOUNG, Managing Editor  
Early voting in the constitutional amendment and Pampa Economic Development Corporation elections is continuing through Friday, Nov. 2. City Secretary Phyllis Jeffers reported a large turnout in the PEDC election with 595 local residents casting ballots through Friday. She reported the turnout is comparable to the contested mayoral race in May, and said the turnout in both elections has been the heaviest in recent years. Balloting on the 19 constitutional amendments to the Texas Constitution across the state isn't generating nearly as much interest. Gray County Clerk said 195 voters have cast ballots in the statewide election. Voters who plan to vote early in the PEDC election may cast ballots 8 a.m.- 5 p.m. through Friday in Room 205 at Pampa City Hall. Early voters in the constitutional amendment election must vote at the county clerk's office in the former SPS Building at 315 Ballard.

## Lack of rainfall puts Panhandle on drought list

By DEE DEE LARAMORE, Staff Writer  
Dusty drought has settled over the Texas Panhandle this fall, but some forecasters predict the last two months of the year will be warmer and wetter than normal. According to the Palmer Drought Severity Index, the entire Texas Panhandle is experiencing a moderate drought, said Chris Broyles, a meteorologist with the National Weather Service in Amarillo. Normally the area has received more than 16 inches of precipitation by this time, he said, adding "We're about an inch and a half inches below that for the year." So far in October, .05 inch of rain has been recorded at the Amarillo International Airport, Broyles said, almost an inch below normal for the month. Pampa has only seen three-hundredths of an inch of rain since the first of the month, said Darrell Sehorn, KGRO-KOMX meteorologist, which brings local precipitation totals at 16.05 inches for the year. Average year-to-date rainfall in Pampa is 18.66 inches, Sehorn said, and the annual average rainfall for this area is 21.05 inches. "We're not terribly behind overall, just the last couple of months," he explained. (See DROUGHT, Page 3)

## \$300 reward offered for U.S. flag burners

Standard at Freedom Museum set afire  
By DAVID BOWSER, Staff Writer  
Pampa Crimestoppers is offering a \$300 reward today for information leading to the arrest of person or persons involved in burning the U.S. flag flying at the Freedom Museum U.S.A. John L. Triplehorn, president of the museum, said today he was hoping to increase that amount to \$500 with the approval of the museum board. "As far as I know it is the first burning of an American flag during this war," Triplehorn said. Pampa police said today that three girls were driving south on Hobart about 3 a.m. Saturday when they saw the flag in flames flying from the pole in front of the museum at 600 N. Hobart. The girls stopped, pulled the flag down and put out the fire. (See FLAG, Page 3)

## UW collections 49%

Drive Chairman Dr. Dawson Orr reports a total of \$183,628 in pledges have been turned in to Pampa's United Way following the fifth check-in last week. Those donations boost the overall total to 49% of the goal of \$375,000, he said. Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, and Child Protective Services provided an Italian luncheon for the United Way check-in meeting Tuesday at the Community Building. Three large groups are expected to complete their campaigns this week, officials said. Dr. Orr said he anticipates a big check-in on Oct. 29 when the meeting will be hosted by the Red Cross, Optimists, and the Epilepsy Association. Katrina Bigham, executive director, asks United Way volunteers to finish making contacts since only one check-in meeting remains and the drive is running behind when compared to the totals for last year. Bigham says that many factors are affecting the campaign drive this year but urges all workers to complete contacts.



(Pampa News photo, by Dee Dee Laramore) Cottonwood trees lining Red Deer Creek in central Pampa reflect the greens and golds of the Pampa Harvester. A drier-than-normal autumn heightened the colors of much of the fall foliage this year.

**Chamber of Commerce Parade ... Thursday, November 29<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 P.M.**  
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## DROUGHT

The wettest months for Pampa this year were recorded in May with 4.95 inches, August with 2.83 and January with 2.17.

"We has some months that were above normal and then we had some months that were incredibly below normal," Sehorn said.

The last rain seen in Pampa was .03 inch on Oct. 1, he said.

Broyles said area lakes and streams continue to go down as the time between rains lengthens.

Latest updates indicate Lake Meredith is 2,892 feet, he said, compared to the normal depth of 2,936 feet. The Palo Duro Reservoir near Canyon is at 53 percent capacity at 2853.76 feet, he added.

Despite the dryness, no burn bans have been in effect, Broyles said.

"The crop moisture index is worsening as the soil moisture is rated very low," he added.

There's not much chance for any rain through the end of October, weather officials agree, with temperatures staying in the normal range.

However, Broyles said forecasters are predicting above normal temps and above normal rainfall through November and December.

Sehorn remains skeptical. He thinks the dryness will continue.

"We'd really have to have a wet November and December (to get to 21 inches for the year), and that's not likely," he said.

"About the only way that would happen is if the Jet Stream turns south and the storm track comes southward," he explained. "It all hinges on changing that storm track and that's what we're going to be looking for."

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## FLAG

A girl from White Deer suffered burns to her chin and the side of her face.

Tripplehorn today said he is trying to locate the girls to thank them personally.

Officers said the girls reported seeing a car pull away from the museum about the time they saw the flag burning.

Col. Terry Young said officers didn't know if the car leaving the museum was involved in the flag burning or if they might be witnesses, but police are trying to find the people in that car.

The girls put out the fire and drove to the Sonic Drive-In, 1404 N. Hobart, to call police.

"The police called me about 5:30 a.m.," Tripplehorn said.

About half the flag was burned before the fire could be extinguished, he said. The nylon material in the burning flag melted on the flag pole and on the plaque that acknowledged the work Phillips 66 Petroleum Company had donated in manufacturing and erecting the flag poles at the museum.

"If this had happened in Berkeley or Washington, I could understand," Tripplehorn said. "I wouldn't like it, but I could understand it. But not in Pampa, Texas. That I don't understand."

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## CHASE

A truck again forced the van from the highway back onto the service road. As the vehicles passed the underpass where the trooper had first seen a black bundle being thrown from the car, DPS Trooper Jason Henderson joined the chase.

Jones said he stopped to retrieve the bundle, which turned out to be a plastic file container wrapped in black plastic.

Inside the container, authorities said, was about 25 pounds of what appeared to be marijuana wrapped in clear plastic bags.

Henderson chased the van east along the service road on the north side of I-40 to Texas Highway 273 in McLean.

The van then turned north on Texas 273, officers said.

About a mile to a mile and a half north of McLean, the van left the highway, bounced along the shoulder of the road and struck a barbed wire fence before coming to rest in a ravine.

Trooper Henderson arrested Saleh as he lay on the ground outside the van.

Mackey was found about 10 feet up in a nearby tree he had climbed, Jones said. Mackey, too, was arrested and the pair were taken to the Gray County jail in Pampa.

Jones said that neither man appeared to be injured although the van sustained extensive damage.

Gray County Justice of the Peace Curt Kurfman set bond this morning at \$7,500 on charges of possession of marijuana for each man. Kurfman set bond for Saleh at \$2,500 on the charge of evading with a vehicle and \$1,000 for Mackey on a charge of evading.

## Scientists promise 'blockbuster' findings from B. Strangler exhumation

YORK, Pa. (AP) — Scientists examining the newly exhumed remains of the man long believed to be the Boston Strangler are promising "blockbuster" findings.

Albert DeSalvo confessed to murdering 11 Boston women between 1962 and 1964, but was stabbed to death in prison, while serving a sentence for rape, without ever being charged in the killings. He recanted his confession before he died.

His body arrived Saturday at York College, where scientists hope modern technology, including DNA typing, can help them identify DeSalvo's murderer and shed more light on whether or not he was the strangler.

A few investigators and the DeSalvo family, which requested the new study, are convinced that DeSalvo's confession was bogus and that he was not the real Boston Strangler.

Even though the investigation has just begun, project leader and George Washington University professor James Starrs, a forensics specialist, said Sunday that he already wants to expand the size of his team as a result of unexpected findings.

Starrs would not discuss what the team had found but promised a "blockbuster" report when the research is complete.

"More than you ever anticipated," said Starrs, who has participated in other historical inquests including examinations of the deaths of explorer James Meriwether Lewis and Jesse James.

The team hopes to unveil more information about how DeSalvo was killed, including the number and type of weapons used.

A retired Massachusetts prosecutor, George Burke, says he has no doubt that three fellow inmates stabbed DeSalvo more than 70 times because they

wanted him to stay out of the prison drug trade.

Some of the remains will be sent to Starrs' lab at George Washington University. Evidence will also be reviewed by researchers in Alabama, Colorado and Florida. Starrs is funding the project himself. York College was chosen for the main investigation because its facilities were convenient to all the investigators.

Accompanying the research team is author Susan Kelly, whose 1995 book "The Boston Stranglers" theorized that the 13 women believed killed by the Strangler had different attackers.

The family of Mary Sullivan, the strangler's last victim, joined DeSalvo's family in seeking a renewed look at the case. Sullivan's body was exhumed last year and the results appeared to contradict DeSalvo's account of the slaying.

## Princess Margaret admitted to hospital for tests

LONDON (AP) — Princess Margaret was admitted to a hospital Monday for tests.

Margaret, 71, the younger sister of Queen Elizabeth II, has suf-

fered two strokes, which have affected her eyesight and mobility.

She entered the King Edward VII hospital at midday in a

wheelchair.

"The princess has been admitted for tests and is expected to stay in hospital for a few days," Buckingham Palace said, adding that "there is no cause for alarm."

## New officers ...



(Courtesy photo) American Business Women Association new officers for 2001-2002 from left, Eltha Hensley, treasurer; Glenda Malone, secretary; Evelyn Boyd, vice president; and Pat Winkleblack, president.

## Rumsfeld: Military strikes have killed some Al Qaida leaders

By SCOTT LINDLAW  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. military strikes in Afghanistan have killed some leaders of the al-Qaida terrorist network but not the most senior ones, Defense Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld said Monday.

He said three weeks of U.S. airstrikes have taken a toll on the Taliban's military and the al-Qaida network that the Bush administration says was behind the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks in the United States. Some midlevel terrorist leaders also were killed in the U.S. bombing, he added.

"To our knowledge, none of the very top six, eight, 10 people have been included in that," Rumsfeld told a Pentagon news conference.

Asked about reports that the Taliban had arrested Americans in Afghanistan, Rumsfeld said, "There have been no American military captured. Whether someone else may have been ... I don't think so."

Earlier, a Pentagon spokeswoman said the U.S. military has extended its bombing of Afghanistan northward toward the border area with Tajikistan and is also trying to hit cave hide-outs of Taliban and al-Qaida forces.

Speaking as the American effort enters its fourth week, spokeswoman Victoria Clark told reporters the objectives for Monday's bombing included the Taliban military's armor and troop concentrations.

Clark said bombers are trying to work systematically through the complex system of caves.

Asked about a report in The Washington Post that the U.S. bombing had attempted to strike Taliban positions in north-central Afghanistan near Tajikistan, Clark replied, "We've been hitting on a variety of areas around the country, including in that area."

Clark said the bombing Sunday involved 79 sorties into Afghanistan, and included humanitarian food drops and leaflet drops.

The Bush administration is under growing pressure from lawmakers and Afghan rebel leaders to step up the military campaign in Afghanistan and send in ground troops, but key allies say increasing civilian death tolls could undercut support for the U.S. effort.

U.S. attacks on the Afghan capital of Kabul killed at least 13 civilians Sunday, and warplanes returned for a second wave of attacks later.

American bombs pounded targets in the northern city of Mazar-e-Sharif, the Taliban stronghold of Kandahar in the south, Herat in the west and Jalalabad in the east, said the Afghan Islamic Press, a private news agency.

Pakistan's president, Gen. Pervez Musharraf, warned last week against "excessive collateral damage" to civilians — a concern also voiced by the leaders of China, Malaysia and others.

But Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., said Sunday that America must unleash "all the might of United States military power," including large numbers of ground troops, to prevail in Afghanistan.

"It's going to take a very big effort, and probably casualties will be involved, and it won't be accomplished through air power alone," McCain said on CNN's "Late Edition."

The largest known U.S. ground force in the Afghanistan region is 2,100 Marines, who are aboard the USS Peleliu in the Arabian Sea. In addition, 1,000 soldiers with the Army's 10th Mountain Division, are at an air base at Khanabad, Uzbekistan, 90 miles from the northern Afghan border. These troops are trained for combat in wintry and mountainous conditions.

Thousands of U.S. soldiers and Marines were in Egypt this week for training exercises.

White House chief of staff Andrew Card, and Defense Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld were non-committal Sunday when asked about significant ground forces. "Let's not go there yet," Card said on NBC's "Meet the Press."

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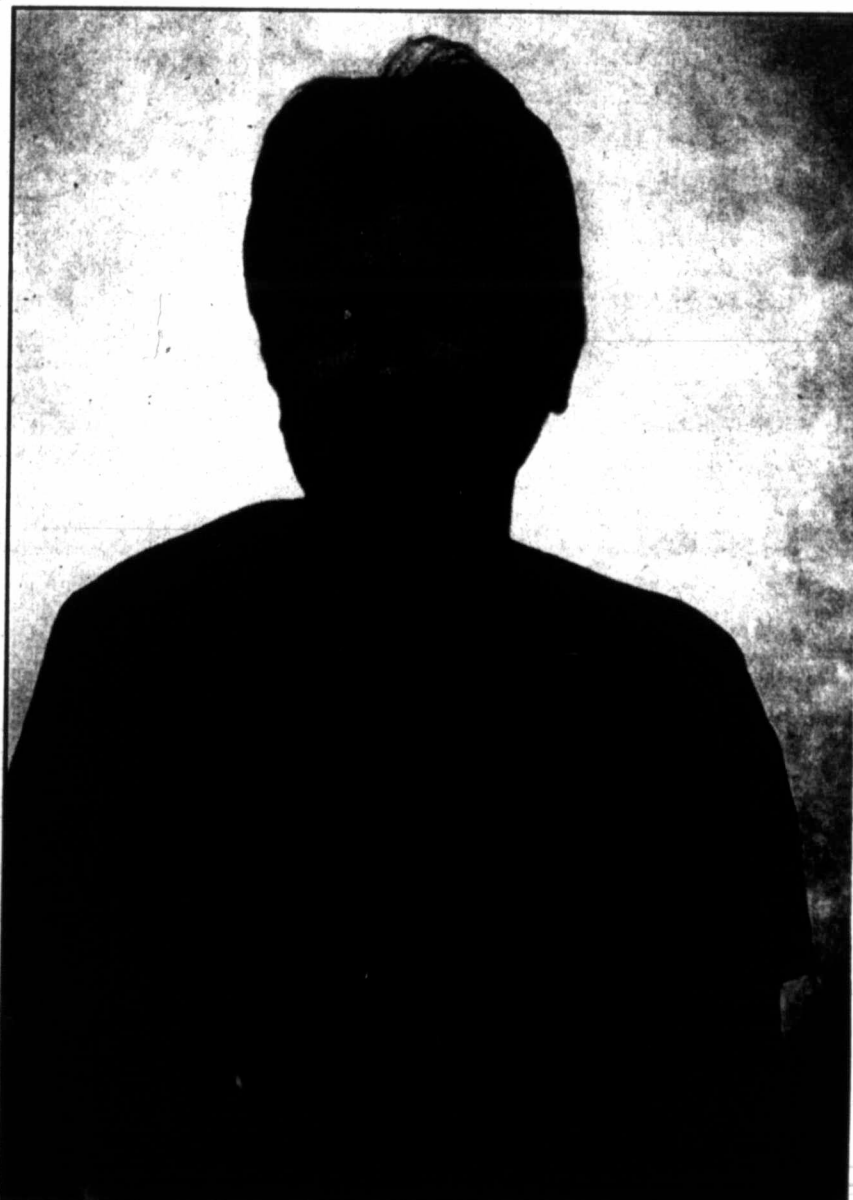
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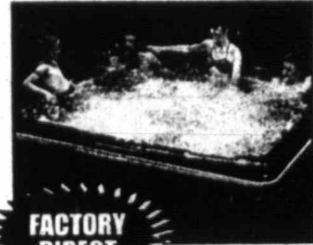
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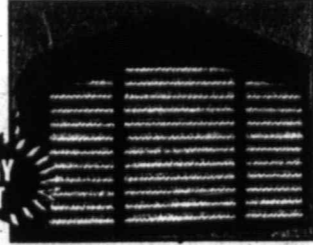
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## Kids And Candles Are Dangerous Holiday Mix

DEAR ABBY: Please help me to inform your readers about a common cause of home fires. We're heading into the season when there is a marked increase in the use of candles. Already booming in popularity, candles become the staple decoration during the winter holidays. They grace tabletops, mantels and windows from Halloween through New Year's Eve. However, these cheery and inspiring holiday decorations can generate more than flickering light. They are the cause of nearly 10,000 fires and take more than 100 lives a year.

According to the National Fire Protection Association's fire database, the number of candle fires that occur in the month of December is almost twice that of any other month. Nearly half of all home candle fires start in the bedroom — and sadly, young school-age children have a higher death risk from candle fires than from other fires.

These are frightening statistics. However, candle fires don't have to spoil the holidays. Candles can be used safely if consumers follow a few simple rules:

- If children are present, supervise lighted candles at all times, making sure they are displayed on stable surfaces well out of reach of children and pets.

- Always use sturdy candle holders large enough to collect dripping wax.

- Avoid purchasing candles in which flammable decorations have been embedded.

- Keep candles well away from all items that can catch fire, including clothing.

### Dear Abby

Is written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips.

- Extinguish candles before leaving a room or going to sleep.
- Never allow children to keep or use candles in their bedrooms.
- For emergency lighting, use flashlights, not candles.

Your readers can download free, detailed safety tips for candles and other holiday decorations by visiting the NFPA Web site online at [www.nfpa.org](http://www.nfpa.org).

GEORGE D. MILLER, PRESIDENT, NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION

DEAR GEORGE: With Halloween and Thanksgiving just around the corner, I hope my readers will heed your advice and "candle with care." Thank you for helping them do that.

Readers, if you don't have access to the Internet and would like more detailed information about candle safety, send a long, business-sized, self-

addressed, stamped envelope to Dear Abby — Candle Safety, NFPA, P.O. Box 9101, Quincy, MA 02269-9101. Please allow four to six weeks for delivery.

DEAR ABBY: My husband is desperate for friends. He allows a recently divorced co-worker to do his laundry in our home. He expects me to cook meals for people he barely knows. Most of them are nerds and losers.

I have my own circle of friends. I've known many of them for more than 25 years. We are a tight group. I don't need or want to know his friends.

Please help. His kindness toward others is driving me crazy!

LONG-SUFFERING WIFE

DEAR LONG-SUFFERING WIFE: You don't have to like all your husband's friends. But marriage is a partnership, and as much as you may enjoy your "tight group" of longtime friends, it's time to expand your horizons and be less judgmental.

P.S. Your husband sounds like a sweetheart to me. He could pitch in to help with the cooking, however, on the evenings he wants you to feed his friends.

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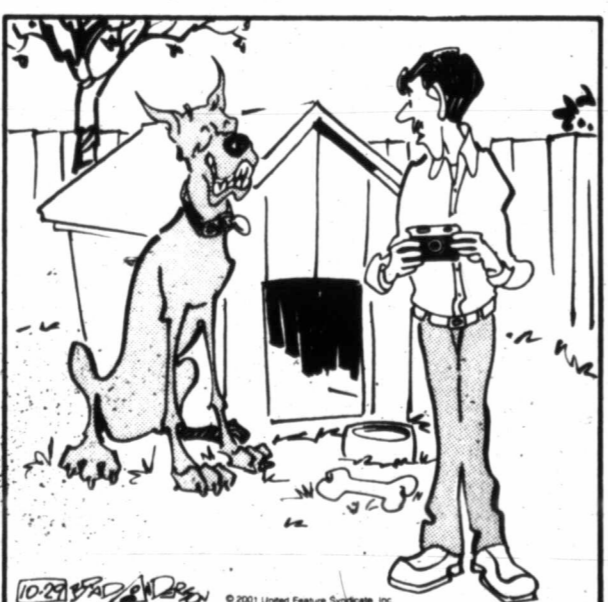
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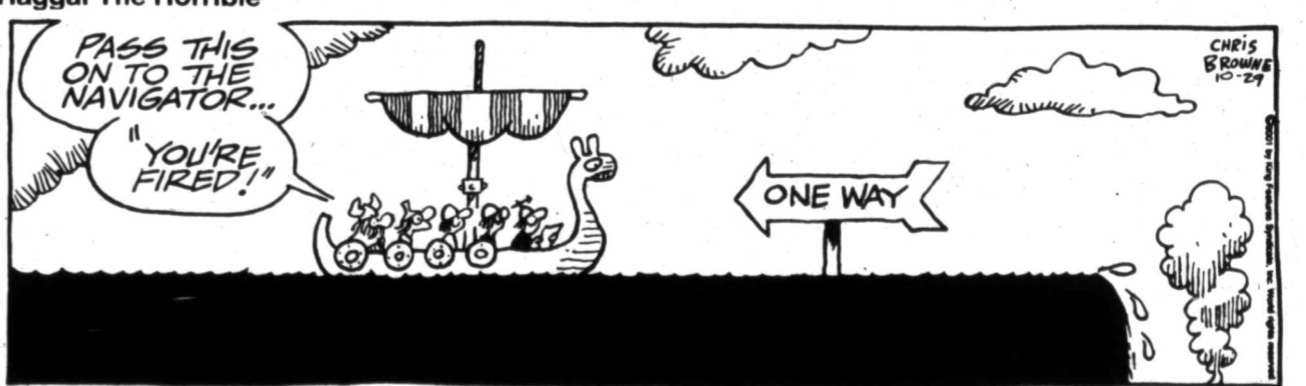
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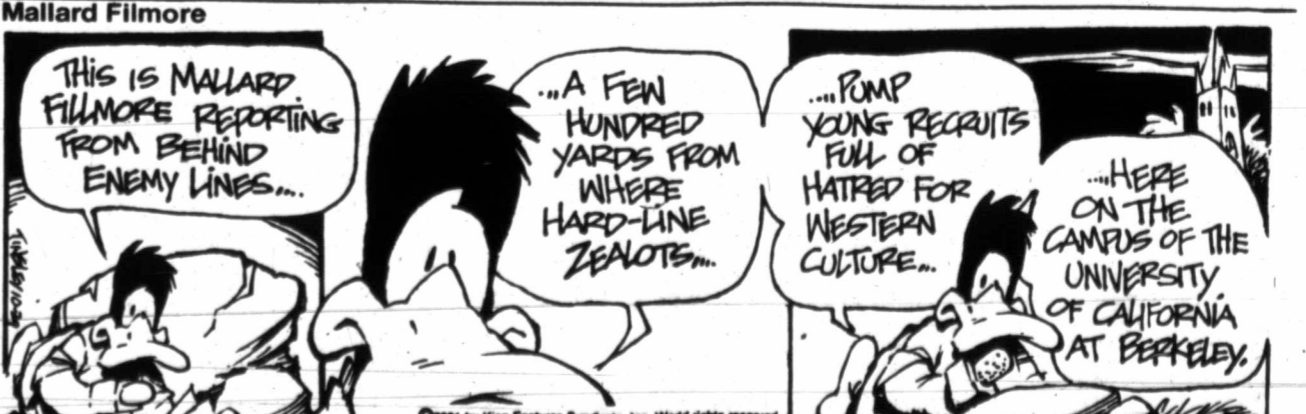
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# SPORTS

## Dallas 'D' comes up big

By STEPHEN HAWKINS  
AP Sports Writer

IRVING, Texas (AP) — Dexter Coakley was all alone at the 10-yard line with a ball coming his way. This time, it was easy.

Unlike two weeks ago, Coakley intercepted this pass. The Dallas linebacker's strut turned into a sprint to beat some would-be tacklers, but he got into the end zone, and the Cowboys beat the Arizona Cardinals 17-3 Sunday for their second straight victory.

"I dropped one that probably would have been a touchdown two weeks ago," Coakley said. "My first thought was, 'Don't drop the ball.' I looked down to make sure I got it."

Coakley's TD highlighted a big day for the Cowboys' defense, which prevented another comeback by Jake Plummer.

The Arizona quarterback didn't have a chance.

The Cardinals were pinned back to their 1 when Plummer was flushed to the back of the end zone.

Instead of taking a safety, he threw the ball — right to Coakley with 1:55 left in the third quarter.

"I blew a gasket and made a poor decision. That ball needs to be heaved into the stadium," Plummer said. "I've never been in that position before. I thought, 'Don't take a

safety."

Plummer, who has 13 fourth-quarter comebacks, including one against Dallas last season, had three more drives in the fourth quarter. All ended with incompletions on fourth down, the first coming after the Cardinals drove to the 4, and he was sacked hard on consecutive plays.

"Our defense is starting to get an attitude. That is key if we are going to continue to improve and win," Cowboys coach Dave Campo said.

Even though the Cowboys are just 2-4, with consecutive wins for the first time since starting 3-0 in 1999, they are only a game behind NFC East leader Philadelphia (3-3).

Arizona, which got its only points on Bill Gramatica's 27-yard field goal in the first quarter, is also 2-4.

Emmitt Smith insisted he was OK despite having his right knee wrapped, the result of spraining it on a running play right after the two-minute warning. The NFL's second-leading career rusher will be re-evaluated Monday, but the injury isn't considered serious.

Dallas quarterback Clint Stoerner, who went to training camp fourth on the depth chart after a mediocre summer with the Scottish Claymores of NFL Europe, was efficient in his first start.

Stoerner, playing only because Quincy Carter and Anthony Wright are hurt and

recently signed Ryan Leaf isn't ready, was 9-of-18 for 93 yards and ran seven times for 23 yards, including a 6-yard touchdown on a quarterback draw.

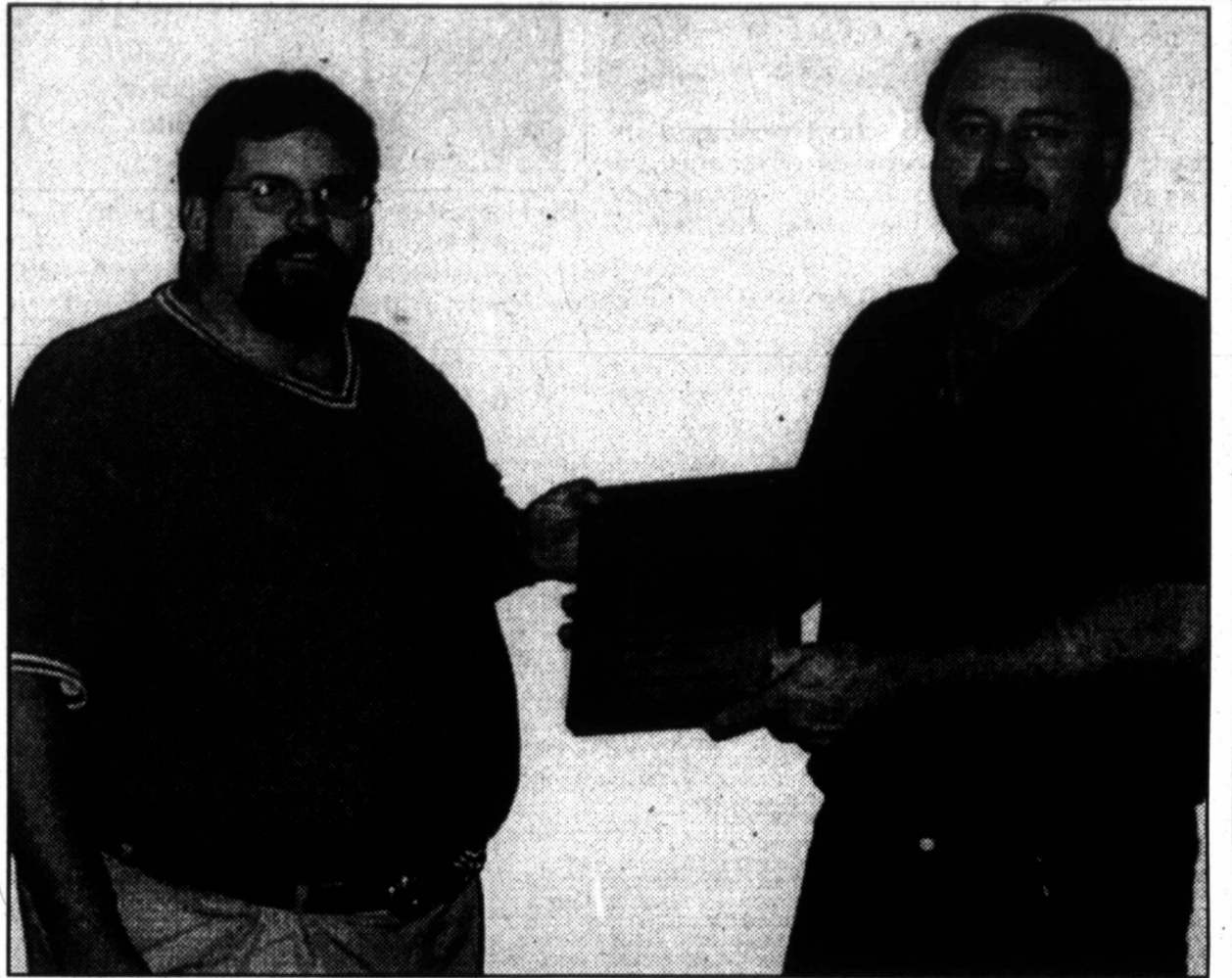
Coaches stuck with Stoerner despite two fumbled snaps, one of which was lost at the Arizona 9, and a fourth-quarter interception.

Plummer finished 25-of-42 for 233 yards and two interceptions, after throwing none the previous two games. David Boston caught nine passes for 108 yards.

**Notes:** Stoerner's TD run was the first by a Cowboys offensive player this season. The only other rushing TD was kicker Tim Seder's 8-yard visit on a fake field goal at Oakland. ... Smith ran 21 times for 83 yards, giving him 2,076 for his career against Arizona.

He's the first player to ever have 2,000 yards against three teams. He also reached 2,000 against Philadelphia and the New York Giants. ... The Cowboys have won 12 straight regular-season games at Texas Stadium against the Cards, outscoring them 370-111. This was Arizona's last visit as an NFC East rival. ... Cardinals TE Terry Hardy left the game with a bruised right shoulder, and RB Michael Pittman suffered a concussion. ... The Cowboys, who were off last weekend, beat Washington 9-7 in their last game, on Oct. 15.

## PSA President's Award



(Courtesy photo)

Robert Doss, right, is presented with a special award by Pampa Soccer Association President Ed Copeland for his dedication and time spent in service of soccer for the Association. Doss has been a member of the PSA board for over 3 1/2 years, serving as Publicist-Recordkeeper, Vice-President and finally, President. Concurrent with these activities, Doss has coached indoor and outdoor boys soccer teams for over 10 years throughout the Panhandle area. He is also a certified referee. Doss recently stepped down from his PSA duties to accept the position of team manager for the '87 boys team of the Amarillo High Plains Drifters. His son, John Robert, currently plays on the team.

## Sports Notebook

### Cross Country

CANYON — Pampa will be sending cross country runners Rebecca Fatheree and T'Andra Holmes to the regional meet Nov. 3 in Lubbock.

Fatheree placed third at last weekend's District 3-4A meet with a time of 12:12. Holmes was seventh with a time of 12:37.

The Lady Harvesters placed fourth in the team standings with 92 points. The top three teams and any individual not on one of those teams in the top 10 qualify for the regional meet.

### Football

WHEELER — James Chapman led Wheeler on a 44-14 rout of Booker in a District 1-1A game Friday night.

Chapman threw four touchdown passes and had 194 yards through the air. Gavin McQueen caught two touchdown passes of 4 and 81 yards. Other TD receptions were by Brenton Goerend (22 yards) and Brad Masters (65 yards).

The Mustangs held a 27-6 lead at halftime.

Chris Gallagher scored twice for Wheeler on runs of 27 and 7 yards. Jake Britt added a 1-yard TD run in the fourth quarter.

Wheeler is now 3-0 in district play and 4-4 for the season. Booker is 1-2 and 2-6.

FOLLETT — Lefors fell to

Follett 72-24 last Friday night in six-man football action.

Caleb Barnes scored three touchdowns for the Pirates, and also threw a 22-yard TD pass to Andrew Johnson. One of Barnes' touchdowns came on a 66-yard kickoff return.

Follett led at the half 38-12. Follett finished with 435 yards of total offense compared to 230 for Lefors.

Josh Robertson led Follett with three touchdown passes and two TD runs.

Lefors hosts Higgins at 7:30 p.m. Friday.

**WEATHERFORD, Okla.** — For the second time this season, Pampa native Josh Blackmon claimed the Lone Star Conference's North Division special teams Player of the Week honor for his performance in Southwestern Oklahoma's 22-15 win against Southeastern Oklahoma.

Blackmon, a senior punter, averaged 39.8 yards a kick and pinned the Savages inside their own 20-yard line three times. His longest punt of the game was a 59-yard-punt, equaling his longest of the season.

### Tennis

WICHITA FALLS — Pampa's tennis team advanced to Saturday's semifinals in the UIL Region 1-4A team tournament in Wichita Falls.

Wichita Falls Rider ended Pampa's season with a 10-1 win in the semifinals.

Pampa opened Friday with a

10-0 victory over Fort Worth Southern Hills, and followed with a 12-2 rout of Snyder.

Individual results will be published in Tuesday's Pampa News.

### Volleyball

PAMPA — The City of Pampa Recreation Department is sponsoring a mixed adult volleyball league.

Mixed competitive and recreational divisions will be offered.

Players must be 16 years old to participate.

Entry deadline is Wednesday at 4 p.m. Entry fee (sponsor's fee) is \$160 and player's fee is \$10 per player with a minimum of eight players.

Roster forms, fact sheets and league by-laws are available at the Recreation Office, 816 S. Hobart.

For more information, please contact Shane Stokes at 669-5770 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

### Baseball

PHOENIX (AP) — Randy Johnson shut down the New York Yankees with pitching that was close to perfect, and moved his Arizona Diamondbacks a game closer to their first World Series championship.

Johnson picked up where Curt Schilling left off, overpowering the Yankees with a three-hitter for a 4-0 win that gave Arizona a two games-to-none lead.

## Gilder survives to win Senior title

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — After battling the wind for 12 holes, Bob Gilder made back-to-back birdies and built a four-shot lead over Bruce Lietzke with six holes left in the Senior Tour Championship.

That was still way too early to begin thinking about a victory speech.

"It was so difficult out there, you really had to concentrate on every shot," Gilder said Sunday. "You lose one of 'em, and who knows where it might go on this wind?"

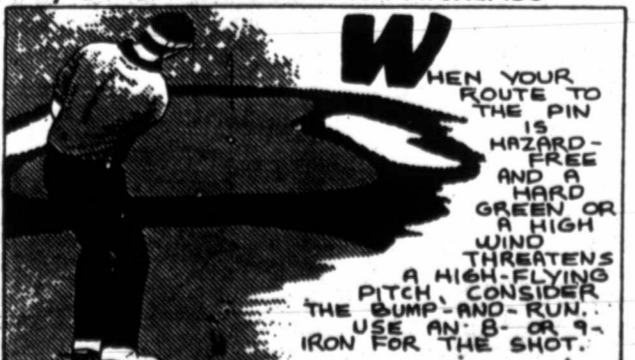
Gilder didn't lose any, holding on to beat Doug Tewell by one shot and Lietzke by two in the Senior PGA Tour's season-ending event.

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# Hallowed House



Courtesy Photos



By NANCY YOUNG  
Managing Editor

Going into its tenth year, *Hallowed House '01* will be offering guided tours Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The tours will lead the guests through a dramatization of the most vicious supernatural battle of all time: Jesus vs. Satan. Each tour will last about 25 minutes.

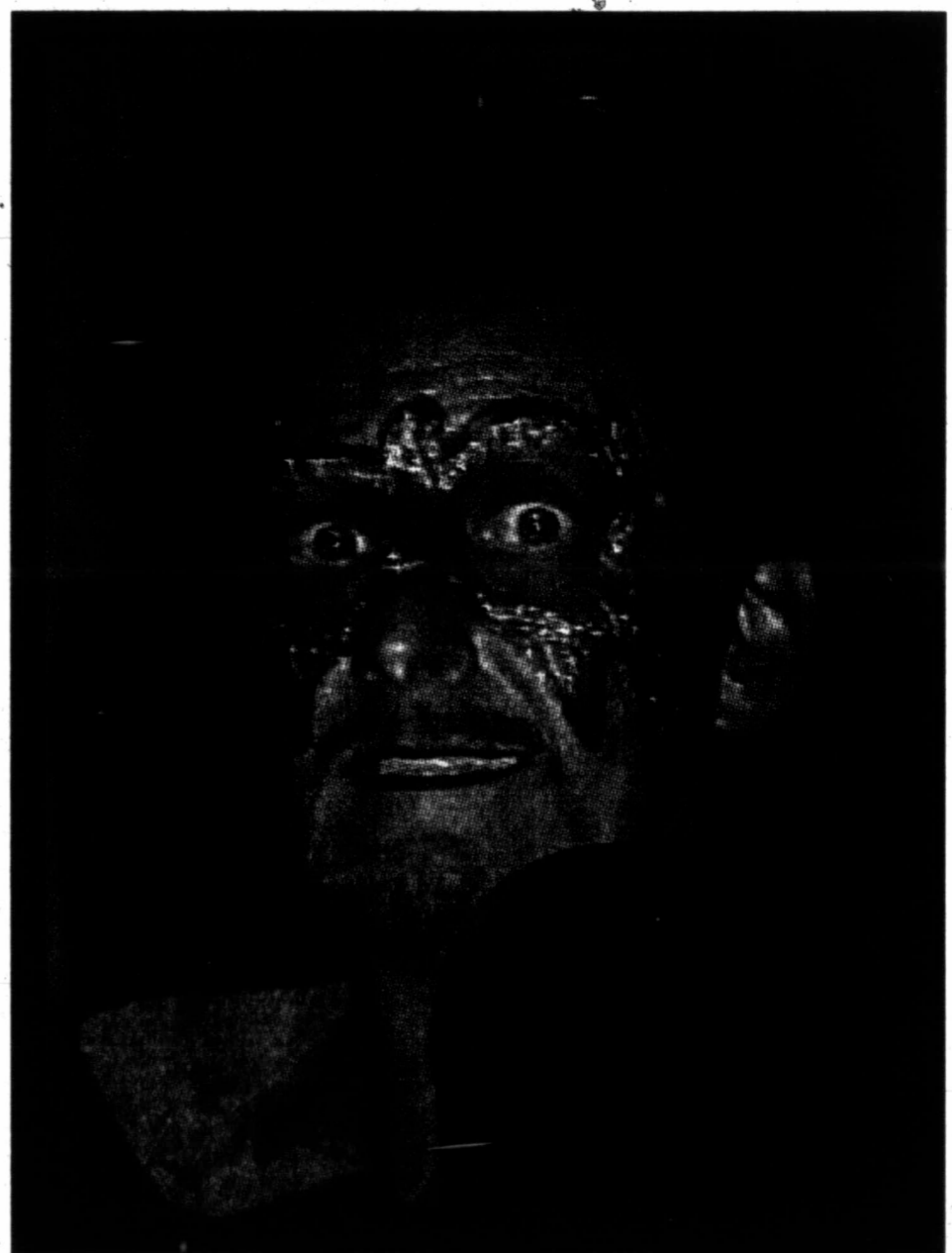
This dramatization originated in Pampa's Calvary Baptist Church and has drawn local and national appeal. In the previous nine years of the program, it has drawn over 9,000 visitors. Several churches from around the country have contacted the local church following an article in a

national magazine.

A fully costumed cast and crew of over 100 will participate in this year's *Hallowed House '01*. Professional lighting, scenery and special effects will be used to create the setting for Christ's battle with Satan. A "true to life" crucifixion and resurrection scene will close the program.

The *Hallowed House '01* is directed by Rick Pearson. There is no admission and it will be held at Calvary Baptist Church, 900 E. 23rd Street in Pampa. The church is one mile east of Wal-Mart.

Because of the graphic, historical detail, some scenes may not be suitable for smaller children. Parental guidance is advised.





## ■ On Campus

1. Coach Dennis Cavalier and Terrell Jennings
2. Levi Trevathan
3. Mary Alice Warner, Karissa Intemann, Greg Easley and Sarah Albracht
4. Dustin Johnson, Casey Lee, Ross Buzzard and Tristan Brown



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# Little Harvester



Photo by Sara McCall

## Caught ya!

PHS students gathered at the First Baptist Daycare to help the tots celebrate their own version of a homecoming parade.

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## ■ Homecoming 2001



Photo by Jessica Knipp

### ■ Crowned Royalty

Amy Robbins and Chris Lewis were elected as the 2001 Homecoming queen and king on October 5.

### ■ When I was your age ...

Veteran Harvesters gathered with the 2001-2002 team members at a special reception in the library.



Photo by Tess Kingcade

# Freshmen Tradition Turns Ugly

by Ryan Schindler & Staff Reports

Whether its making new students put shoelaces on backwards, jump into dumpsters, or get licks from a belt, annual high school freshmen initiations are a reality on campus.

The "it happened to me, so I can do it to these freshmen" attitude is a popular one. Many students say it is a right of passage to hang with the upperclassmen, while others said it is a ridiculous tradition.

"I think it is messed up. There is no point in it, a freshman is a freshman," said sophomore Stephen Bledsoe.

However, more PHS students than not admit being harrassed in some form as a freshman. They say that longstanding traditions, like putting stickers, signs and baby bottles on freshmen the first day of school are done in good fun.

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 Freshmen**

"It's tradition. We got it as freshman and so should they," junior John Braddock said.

Freshmen initiations are not just limited to the beginning of school either. One freshman last week was reported as being locked in a refrigerator and another thrown in a dumpster.

"We have yet for anyone to come in complaining about it," assistant principal Daniel Barker said.

But many students may not see the fine line between traditions done in good fun and personal, physical assaults.

One freshman student reported getting hit several times as part of his initiation this fall.

"They did it in the lot," he said. "I got hit three times with a belt and one time with a little bat."

Another freshman student did not discuss buying lunch for seniors or

being stickered for his initiation, but instead talked of being beat as if it were a typical action to be expected.

"They use belt buckles, belts, and broom sticks," he said casually, "they beat you with the broom stick until it breaks."

Depending on the number of seniors present at the hazing, he added, it can go from only a few to multiple hits from each person.

In this particular freshman's account, he said he got "two licks from each senior." And apparently anything can be used as a whip or paddle. Reports have come in saying this particular group of seniors used almost anything they could find to hit the freshmen.

What some students may not know is that hazers or students "initiating" freshmen could be possibly fined up to \$500 or more because these kinds of incidents are consid-

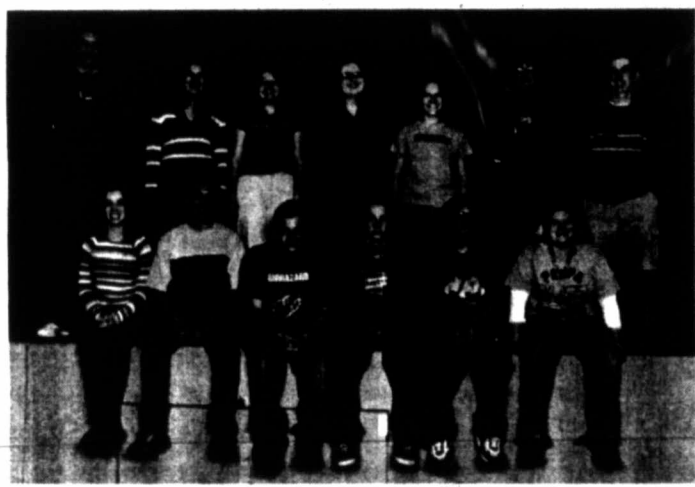
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ered a class A misdemeanor, according to Pampa Police Officer and campus liaison Colby Brown. He added that it could even result in jail time.

But until students report what is going on to administrators, nothing much can be done about it.

And what the majority of students do not understand is that not telling is almost as bad as doing it yourself.

"If a kid says I do not want to press charges, then we can press charges on him for not pressing charges on the person, plus press charges against the hazer," Brown said.



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# Sittin' in the Slammer

## Senior Earns Jail Time for Missing D-hall, Tutorials

by Randy Young & Marcie Bennett

Senior Michael Cochran learned that skipping D-hall and tutorials is a serious matter when he spent over two weeks in jail this month in part for doing those two things.

"I skipped D-hall three days in a row. The judge ordered no more school missed," Cochran said. "I skipped tutorials once and was prosecuted."

Currently a Pampa Learning Center (PLC) student, Cochran said he does not understand how this sentence was supposed to reform him.

"I really don't get the point they are trying to get across. I skipped D-hall and mandatory tutorials so they throw me in jail with murderers and don't allow me to go to school pe-

**"It was better than school," Cochran said, "I sat in a cell all day and watched TV."**

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Time in jail was not his only punishment. His fines totaled more than \$2,000 - which are standard punishments for these offences, according to Daniel Barker, assistant principal.

"Tutorials, D-hall, and Saturday school are all considered part of a school day. On the third unexcused absence we will file charges," Barker said.

But life in the Gray County jail, according to Cochran, wasn't all bad.

"It was better than school," Cochran said, "I sat in a cell all day and watched TV."

## New Laws

# Affect Teen Drivers at local level

by Kristina Hartman

Changes are on the way for young drivers in Texas. The state legislature passed two new laws on Sept. 1 and will pass another that will go into effect on Jan 1.

"If you are a driver, and you let any person ride in your car under seventeen without a seat belt, you can get a ticket for the violation," Officer

Colby Brown said.

Although there are new laws like the seat belt law and a law restricting who is allowed to ride in the bed of a truck, students are telling others about new laws that have not been passed.

"People take the laws out of proportion just like it usually happens. People have to say something, it gets passed on,

and gets bigger," senior Adam Meyer said.

Soon there will be a law restricting the number of minors a young driver can have in his or her car. Several students have expressed their opinion on why the laws have been passed.

"I think that they passed the law so that the death of minors

caused by car wrecks would hopefully decrease," sophomore Shelby Crook said.

However, with the limit of people in the car, there will be more traffic around town. Others have ideas on how safe the increased traffic will be.

"It's safer to have more traffic and less people in

the car because that's less people to talk to and be distracted by," freshman Wesley Brogdon said.

The laws have people thinking about how they will get to school and lunch, according to Crook. Some students don't know what to think.

"It's a complete surprise to me that they would pass these laws," Meyer said.

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# Action Taken on Campus for What Students Do off Campus

by **Matt Foust & Randy Young**

Though students have had to deal with many changes this year, one of the biggest changes may be the extracurricular activities code of conduct which says that students misbehaving off-campus will be punished on campus because they represent the school.

Depending on how severe the offense is, punishments result in probation, suspension, or withdrawal from the activity— although most offenses are treated with a first-time probationary period and a second time mandatory removal.

"All cases will go to the discipline committee and I am the head of that committee. I can assure equal treatment to all," assistant principal Daniel Barker said

So far this year less than 10 students have had official probationary status warnings and one student

has been removed from a sport entirely for the remainder of the year for an MIP related to tobacco use.

The code has also already made an impact on one of the most visible athletic teams on campus. Three varsity football players were issued tickets for minor in possession

of alcohol on October 14. Each of them received a two game suspension for their actions. They were also made aware of the fact that another incident could lead to expulsion from the team.

One of the student athletes issued with an MIP was the varsity's starting quarterback.

And even before this incident occurred, senior and varsity team player Chris McSparren expressed that the contract might possibly hurt district chances for the Harvesters by taking away a vital part of the offense.

But even with what can and may be negative consequences for the team's competitive edge, Coach Dennis Cavalier, the athletic director and head football coach, remains a supporter of the new policy.

"I'm much interested in finding any vehicle to change and abolish these behaviors," Cavalier, who has been coaching in

Pampa since 1987, said.

The reaction from the student body to the new contract is as varied as the students themselves.

"I find it offensive because what I do outside of school is none of their business, but I see how it will bring teams together," junior Hayden Wade said.

Many students said they share these concerns.

"It (the student code of conduct) is pathetic," said sophomore Adam Etchison.

Other students had mixed feelings on the subject.

"I guess it's a good rule, but maybe you should get suspended for just one game instead of two," junior Jordan Klaus said.

However, several students have no objections to the new code of conduct.

"The ones raising the commotion about the new policy are the ones who participate in those kinds of activities," junior Bonnie Holmes said.

The majority of the faculty also agree that the contract is necessary to protect the welfare of extracurricular students and help them maintain higher standards.

"Any coach has the safety and well being of his athletes as the number one priority. If they don't, then they are in the wrong field," head basketball coach Jerry Schaeffer said. "I have kids of my own and I want to make sure that the coach cares for my children more than winning."

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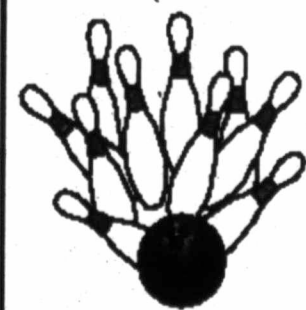
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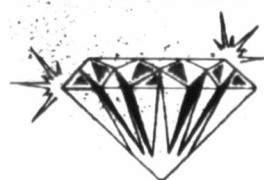
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**Gender Affects Battle Performance - or Does It?**



**Kristina Hartman  
& Matt Foust**



**Q: Should women be drafted into war?**

Feminism is not about women getting rights and being pampered. I believe that every right has certain mandatory expectations. Women want and have the right to be in the army and other armed services. They should also have to meet all the regulations that males do - including being drafted.

Currently women do not have to register for the draft on their 18th birthday. That is wrong. They should have to face the same fear that men do. The draft has been stopped, but if the government started drafting again, men would be forced to fight for the rights that men and women share.

I don't think anyone should be forced to fight for this country. However, if people are forced into war, then both sexes should be drafted. Being drafted is a traumatic, fearful event that was put into place to protect the US and the rights of its citizens. Women share these rights, are capable of fighting voluntarily, and therefore should sign up for the draft.

Again, women have fought for equal rights and succeeded. If a female wants to do the same work

as a male, then she should not expect the male to finish the job or do more than she does. Females have fought for equal rights in the military, and they got those equal rights and benefits. Technically, women only have to do three-fourths of what males have to do in basic training and such. I believe that women should have to do the full job, including passing every training course in the same amount of time, being drafted and fighting on the front line. Society will only be able to call women equal when females do all of the above.

I would now like to address every man out there who thinks women have always been raised to be feminine and couldn't use a gun to save their lives: Don't forget that many men can't shoot a gun. People also need to remember that women have natural protective instincts when their children are in danger. In times of war, the enemy is endangering their children. The point is that men and women can't be stereotyped concerning their strong points and capabilities.

Let me close in saying that if women want rights, they should fight for them.

**She Said**

**He Said**

Naturally there are things that women excel at and things in which men excel.

This is because nature builds men and women differently. Women can give birth, while men can't, due to the fact that, well, we're all in high school and we know how that works.

With that said, I can get to the purpose of my column. I believe that the government's not forcing women to register for the draft is correct. I believe that it is the responsibility of our young men to defend the nation. Living in such a great nation comes with costs.

Before people start to gripe that I said women shouldn't be allowed to join the military, reread what I said. Women shouldn't be forced to join the armed forces. They should be on a battlefield by choice, instead of by law.

No one should be denied the right to defend their nation, whether they are a man, woman, or jackrabbit. There are women who can defend better than some men. These women, the ones who want to fight and the ones who can survive, deserve every chance to show their capabilities.

But feminism, in all its wonderful glory, is not supported by all women. A woman can be proud and accomplish everything that a man can with-

out labeling herself as a feminist. Since the dawn of man, men have been the warriors and the hunters

I can't think of a better example of the difference between boys and girls than young children on a playground. There never fails to be some grotesque spectacle surrounded by boys while the girls are usually playing with each other's hair. Sure, there is the occasional girl that beats all the boys at teatherball or football. That is the kind of young woman that may want to grow up and join the military. She should not be denied that right.

But consider the girl who has been taught to be a proper young lady. Should the government ask her to defend our nation against soldiers who have only known war? No. She wouldn't even have a chance of surviving.

I am not condemning women in the military. I encourage military careers for women, but on two conditions. First, they should choose that lifestyle. Second, they need to be able to meet the physical requirements of the military.

I am not, repeat, I am not saying that women are weak and feeble creatures. I am saying the opposite. I have seen my single mother raise two sons and witnessed first hand how strong a woman can be. But, women should choose to fight instead of being forced to fight.

Whether you know it or not

## Looks Can Be Wrong

by Randy Young

Never judge a book by it's cover.

I'm sure all of us have heard this at least once in our lives. For all of you who don't know who I am, I have shoulder-length hair and I wear blue glasses.

A lot of people call me Ozzy because I used to look just like Ozzy Osbourne. I'm the type that will stand up for my beliefs and I don't agree with people who judge a person just by looking at them.

There are quite a few people who take one look at me and assume that I'm a thug or evil. I'm not conceited, but I'm not as bad as a lot of you think. In fact, I do enjoy a lot of the same things a so-called prep or kicker would.

This brings me to social classes. A social class is something such as a freak, jock, or gangster. It's something that a large group of people can be put into and classified as just by saying that class name. I am considered a freak, although it does not mean I agree with the entire label. Social classes are just another way to judge someone by their appearance.

I can see, however, how baggy pants, wallet chains, and all that other good stuff can be considered tacky or uncalled for. I wear baggy pants and chains and all those types of things. I wear baggy pants because I think they're comfortable, not because I think they are hip or make me look like a specific type of person.

I very rarely wear a chain, but there are times that I will wear one just for appearance. Also, you must consider why wallet chains were originally created. It was to keep your wallet in your pocket so that you didn't lose it or have it stolen, not to use it as a weapon or for looks. Although, that's all that people seem to think they are good for nowadays.

Some of us look the way we do just to make the people who judge us mad or spiteful because we choose to be that way.

I don't do this.

I dress the way I do because it's comfortable and I want to dress that way. I don't do it because it's popular or because I want to look different. It's just what I felt like wearing that day. I'm growing my hair out because I'm a metal head and I like long hair. Is that a crime?

Some people are exactly what they might look like, but not all. Most people are completely different than their appearance. Just because someone might wear big glasses and dress like Erkel from Family Matters doesn't necessarily mean that they're a nerd.

They might be just like you or me, or they might be a nerd, who knows. So if you're one of the people that I'm talking about, you might be missing out on a lot of cool people that may have been a really good friend.

Everybody knows that it's hard to find a good friend that will actually stand behind you in hard times no matter what you look like.

## Isn't the Customer Always Right?

by Benjamin T. Briscoe

I am shocked and startled at the fact that several local business have lost the small town customer service for which Pampa was once famous.

I recently have been subjected to age discrimination in many stores around the city. What was truly shocking to me is the fact that I am not the only one who has had problems with this. In past months I have spent many hours listening to my friends complain to me about how they face store clerks ignoring them, or even worse, clerks keeping a special eye on them because of their age.

Just yesterday I was in a major business of Pampa, and I went up to the store employee to ask for help in finding a new CD. I was turned away with a cold shoulder. However, when a man who looked to be in his late fifties went to her for a similar reason, he was helped as quickly as possible. I ended up waiting for her to answer my question for 25 minutes last night.

I then, being the person I am, went to lodge a complaint with the store manger. That turned out to be just as unproductive.

I could barely get a word in edge wise before he turned and walked away. This manger whose badge stated the words, "Customer Service Specialist," walked away in the middle of my speech to him about the bad treatment I had received from his staff member. I bought the CD, but at another store. It was more expensive, but it was well worth it to uphold the value of human dignity.

I have a few words for this store and others like it. First, I would suggest implementing a customer service program that would be required for all employees. This program should show the employees how important it is to show all customers respect. Next, I would like to say that I am giving your store three months before I will go back and see if your customer service has improved. Last but not least, I want to impress upon you the shame that you should feel in the fact that you have clearly disregarded the common motto, "The customer is always right."

There are businesses in Pampa that have done an excellent job of treating me and my friends with the respect that everyone deserves. I wish the rest could see that customer respect should not be just a goal, but a way of life.

## Halloween Pranks Common

by Stephanie Fisher

Halloween is the one time of the year where someone can dress up as Jason Vorhees or Michael Myers without getting arrested. Kids can get a year's supply of candy for free. It is also the one time of the year where pranks reign supreme.

We all know the famous saying, "Trick or Treat, smell my feet, give me something good to eat!" Sometimes people get more tricks than treats.

For a countless number of years, people would play jokes that would range from being really stupid, to extremely cruel. There are many people who have made a sport out of Halloween hijinx simply because

they are bored.

Whether it is the infamous toilet papering of houses, scaring little kiddies for their candy, or hurling pumpkins into the middle of the street, some people love to play a great prank. Some are lucky enough to escape from getting a fine or having to clean the massive mess of toilet paper.

I find Halloween pranks degrading on the part of the victim of the prank. However, I have to make an exception on the haunted houses that scare people for donations. They do that to benefit those who are not able to enjoy their Halloween like we are able to because of disaster, or anything else that hinders their

lives.

For those who enjoy playing Halloween pranks, there are other legal alternatives to having fun on Halloween. For example, there are tons of horror films from silent age and 60s macabre Vincent Price films, to gory slasher flicks. No matter what anyone says, a person is never too old to trick or treat with younger siblings. It is also a good time to have a Halloween party with friends.

If anyone wants to have fun on Halloween, take these suggestions to mind because they can prevent a major fine, cleaning a neighbor's house, or dealing with angry people.

## Concentration Camp Visit Unforgettable 'To Each His Own'

by **Shaun Smith**

One man out of thousands stands alone in the cold winter night. Without shelter or clothing, with a single solitary tear in his eye—he scans the stars for mercy and desperately struggles to hang onto life. Hoping for something to eat, he knows that all around him lies an inescapable feeling of death.

This is much what it was like for all the people living in the harsh environments of the World War II Nazi concentration camps.

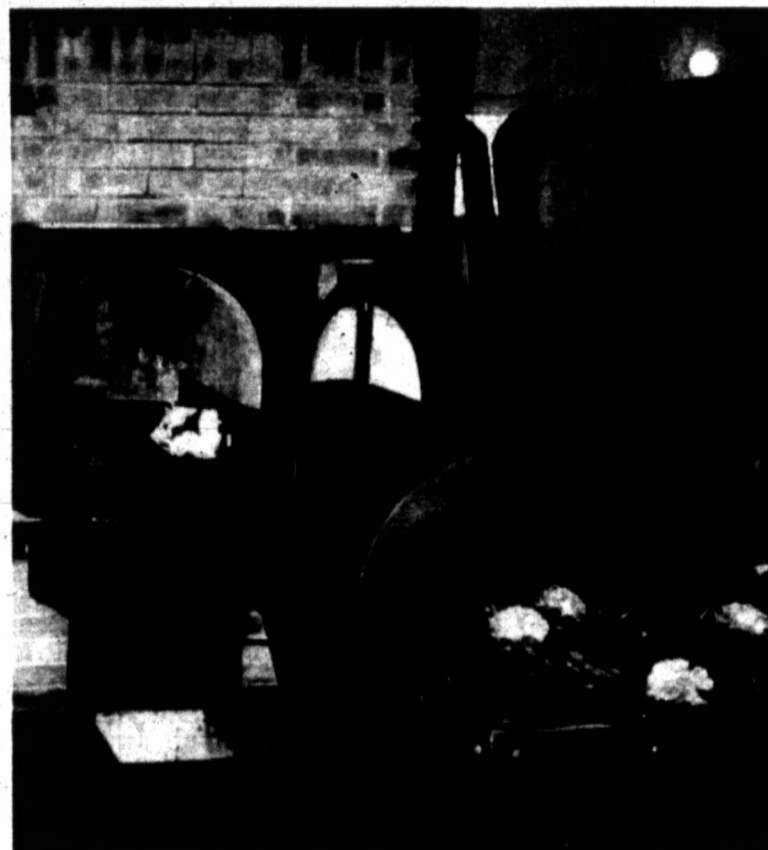
This summer I got a chance to take a step back into history and experience the horrifying lesson the camps had to offer.

This visit to the German Buchenwald Concentration Camp has made a huge impact on me. I never visualized the tragedies these people endured by reading it through a book. It wasn't until I took the tour myself and actually saw first hand the living conditions and what they went through on an everyday basis that I began to understand.

I toured Buchenwald near the town of Weimar in the mid-southeastern part of Germany, one of the many concentration camp sites in Europe.

Nazi SS troops established the camp in 1937 showing no mercy for man or nature. The camp was built by mass numbers of Jews, Sinti Gypsies, persistent offenders, vagrants, so-called social misfits, homosexuals and Romaine Gypsies.

When prisoners first came to the camp, they were sent to the disinfection building where the prisoner had to have his/her body hair



■ **Death Site** A German concentration camp chamber

shaved off, hand in civil clothing and be dipped in disinfectant solution. Prisoners were then chased naked through an underground tunnel, given camp clothing and sent to work.

Injection with the tuberculosis virus was another common practice to see how long the injected prisoner would remain alive.

The number of deaths rose so quickly in this camp that a crematorium was built to reduce the dead bodies lying around in public and in storage sheds.

All dead bodies were first sent to the pathology department where gold teeth were pulled out and artifacts were collected, some made of tanned human skin.

After the bodies were burned, they put the ashes in urns and dumped them into natural depressions in the front of the camp. The storage cell underneath the crematorium was also used to

bers of people. Approximately 1,100 people were strangled to death on wall hooks in the body storage cellar.

Ivan Belevzev from Kharkou, eight years old, was the youngest to die on the hooks.

On April 11, 1945, United States soldiers crept up on the northwest side of Eittersburg Hill. The political prisoners took the camp gate, arrested dispersed SS men and raised a white flag letting the approaching American troops know that the SS had fled from the area.

About 21,000 people were still in the camp at this time. Even after the liberation of the camp, prisoners were dying from hunger and diseases. In total, 34,375 men were killed, not including women and children.

To this day, the entrance to the camp of Buchenwald still bears the saying, "Jedem das Seine" — each to his own.

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Staff Editorial

Mandatory Tutorials, Code of Conduct, Freshman Initiations

# What We Think (Now Read It)

So many events have occurred and new policies introduced since the beginning of the school year that it was impossible to choose just one topic for the staff editorial, so we chose to give a brief summary of our thoughts on three of the most influential issues.

### Mandatory Tutorials

This year a new policy has gone into affect that requires students that are failing a class to attend mandatory tutorials. The teacher sets the time for the tutorials and the student must attend. If a student does not attend, it is treated like an unexcused absence and truancy will be filed after the third offense. Penalties

for truancy include a fine between \$150 and \$600 per complaint, probation, and if the student is already on probation it is considered a violation and they will be sent to boot camp.

The amount of the fine and the possibility of probation are based on individuals' past behaviors and offenses. Students are usually called to court after three complaints. That is a possibility of up to \$1,800 in fines.

Our staff agrees that mandatory tutorials are a good way to ensure that students take full advantage of the free education they are lucky to receive. Even if they don't get passing grades for the sake of education and

a better future, they will earn passing grades so they do not have to spend their free time at tutorials.

We do, however think that the punishment for missing tutorials is too harsh.

Punishments such as D-hall for the first offense, and ISS or Saturday school for the second offense are more suitable actions for the offense.

### Extracurricular Code of Conduct

Another policy that has gone into affect this year is the extracurricular code of conduct. Before a student is allowed to participate in extracurricular activities to maintain a good citizenship record both in and out of school. The first offense results in suspen-

sion from the activity that cannot exceed one year. The second offense will result in removal from the activity.

This is not something the administration should be doing. Students are under the power of the administration eight hours a day. Now they want all 24 hours. Students need a little privacy, even if they are in some capacity, representatives of the school. So are teachers, and their citizenship records off campus are not always spotless.

During free time, students don't want to even think about school. Some parts of the student's lives need to be out of the reach of the administration, even if it is legally justified.

### Freshman Initiations

Some yearly freshmen initiations are to be expected. Stickers the freshmen "fish"

on the first day of school, buying seniors lunches and being made fun of via courtesy posters in the halls, although stupid, is rather harmless.

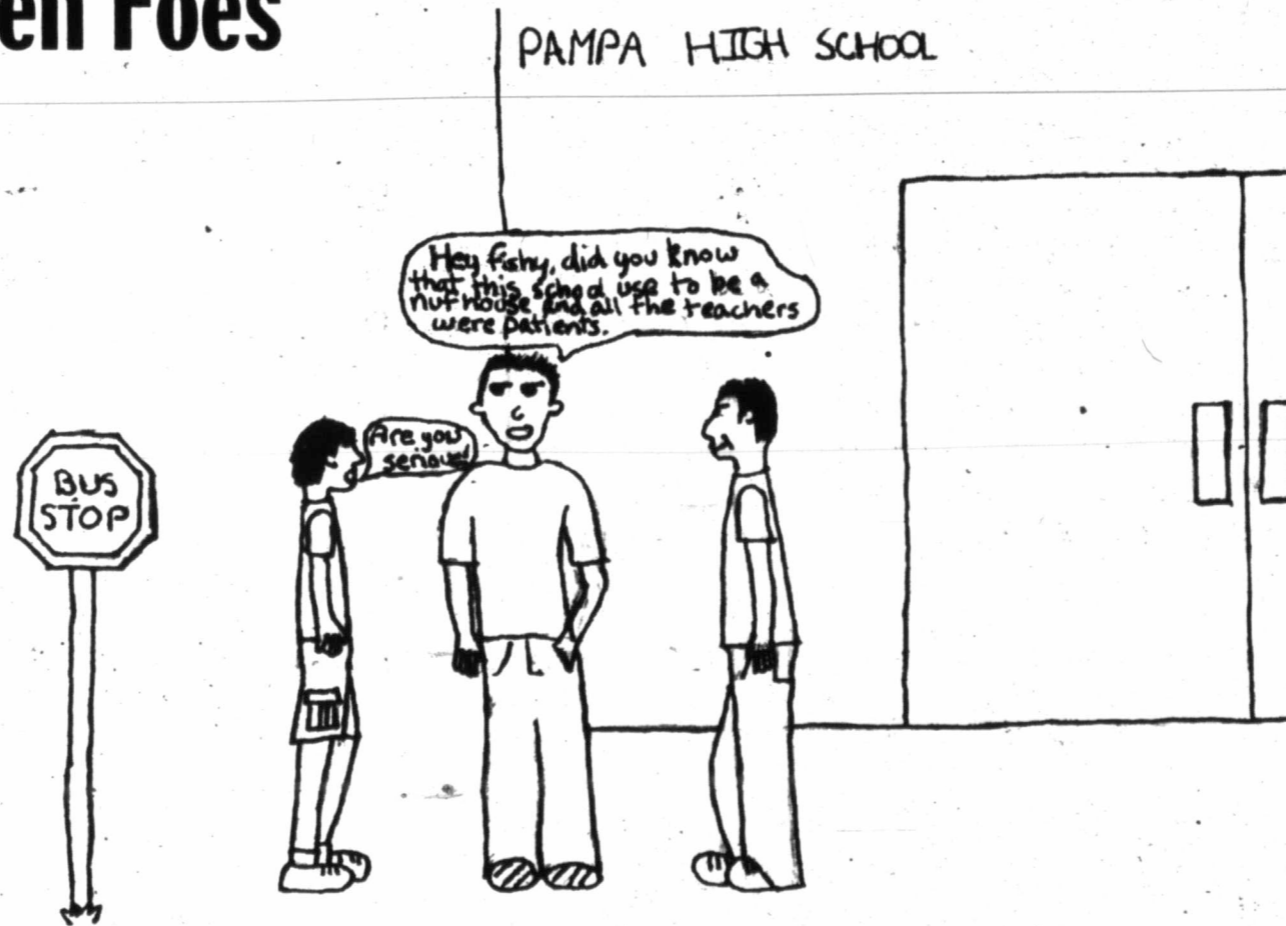
The problem with this is when good fun turns into criminal assault.

Beating freshmen with sticks, paddles, belts, and buckles is absurd.

Don't you remember how it felt when your hiney hurt four years ago?

You haven't earned the right to do this. Just because it was done to you, does not make it right.

## Freshmen Foes



- Mollie Crossman

Seniors favorite pastime



# The Rise to Fame Underground Bands Strive for Success

by **Ryan Schindler**

Metallica, Garth Brooks, Brittany Spears and Jay-Z all started out as underground performers.

Through hard work and determination they reached super-stardom. Recently, I have noticed some bands that I think may be the next big thing.

In the rock genra, we have Chimaira, who I had a chance to see this summer. Their live show is amazing. They combine thrashing guitars and dark, yet deeply emotional lyrics.

They released their debut CD, "Pass Out of Existence," October 2. Another band I have noticed lately is Die Section. With a mix of electronica and heavy metal they have a sound all their own.

They just released their self-titled independent debut album, and are set to start a massive tour around the Dallas/Ft. Worth area within the next few months.

On the good 'ol country side, I have noticed a band by the name of Trick Pony. I haven't heard much, but what I have heard I like a lot.

Their singer, Heidi Newfield, has a voice that you would not expect, and she's not afraid to show it off.

They released their self-titled debut album not too long ago. Blake Shelton is making a name for himself these days as well. Partly due to his single "Austin" and the upcoming "All Over Me."

Touring has already started and is set to end sometime in late December. It is a show that should be worth a look if it comes to your area.

Now let's slide over to the hip-hop side. China is not a country that you would think to be full of rappers. Mountain Brothers are set to change all

that.

They have already released one CD and are set to release another in the near future. It should be an album to check out for all rap lovers.

Another group I think is worth mentioning is Blackalicious. Since early 1994, they have been pushing the envelope of rap music.

Consisting of an MC and a DJ(DJ Teisto), they released their first demo in late '94 and are currently working on material for their upcoming album. After a 20 city tour of the states, they are going to start touring down-under in Australia in early June.

One type of music that has always been sort of underground is Christian rock. Nailed Promise is set to break the mold. Their music is fast, heavy, and

complex; but their message is simple.

"What Nailed Promise is really all about is showing people that are turned off to religion that Christianity is not a dry waste of time, but a relationship, a give and take with Almighty God," said the band.

Since forming in 1994, they have toured with bands such as Death, Zao, Embodiment, Travail and Society's Finest. Speaking of Travail, they have been making some noise lately as well.

They are currently touring with Embodiment and Logic 34. With their wild hair styles, which are said to resemble the Greek god Pan, which is half goat and half man, they have been gaining recognition for their appearance as well as their music.

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I do not know much about Travail, but I am hoping to see and hear more from these guys in the future.

Hopefully, one day these bands will reach the super-stardom they are searching for. I think they all have what it takes to become big time artists.

Whether it's Die Section's mix of electronics and metal or Mountain Brothers' attempt to gain world recognition, these bands are forging ahead, creating a new wave and style of music for the new generation of music fans.

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## Have Rap Videos Gone Too Far?

by **Garrett Johnston**

Cash, cars, money and women, that's rap videos today and it seems to be all the same. Since rap videos started to come into the main stream of pop it has been a lot of the same thing.

Now I realize that there have been a few artists who have made some changes in music and videos like the Beastie Boys, Eminim, Jurassic, and Outkast, but the majority rules.

The biggest thing that people are getting tired of is the same background dancers in almost every video. Even one of the originators of rap, Dr Dre noticed this.

"I'm seeing the same thing in videos today that was in my videos almost ten years ago and I'm even seeing the same dancers in videos back to back," Dre said.

Now the cars are not that bad, but one

Bentley, Corvette or Lamborghini looks like any other. We know they have them. There is no need to show them off.

I would have to say that the most annoying thing of all is when they flash their jewelry, or ice. Again, it is no surprise that they have this huge, extremely expensive use-less jewelry.

Even the women are starting to get in on the action. In Missy Elliot's new video "One Minute Man," there were more dancers shaking it than there was rapping. As for Little Kim, well she doesn't need dancers. She just does it herself.

Now I'm not saying that we should take out all the cars, money and women, but just take some tips from Dre and change it up a little. I don't think it would hurt anything to have a few break dancers, some old-school Adidas or a few kangal hats.

## If I Were Principal . . .

[Greg Easley • Student Body President]



**What's the first thing you would do as principal?**

I would commission an artist to paint a portrait of myself and then have it hung in various positions about the school.

**Why should we respect you?**

For being a kind and generous person, and for my shoes.

**What would be your harshest punishment?**

Something that can't quite be put into words.

**What would be your easiest punishment?**

I don't know what your idea of easy really is, but to answer your question- the thumbscrew.

**How many chances would you give?**

Chances? You mean like more than one? What a funny notion.

**What would your dress code ruler be?**

No shirt, no shoes, no service.

**Would you have uniforms?**

Only for my secret police.

**What sport/activity would you give the most money to?**

I would buy the football team a fancier plastic tunnel, and those aren't cheap.

**What sport/activity would you give the least money to?**

I suppose gambling and other pursuits I do not confirm or deny are happening.

**What would students address you as?**

"Your highness" or "My liege" would do nicely. But really, anything but "Hey man!"

**How would you decorate your office?**

Well, of course I'd have several, but they'd all be disgustingly lavish.

**Would there be anything that must be done on a daily basis? If so what?**

My massages and what not, yes, but I would also be ready to regulate and/or make managerial decisions.

**What would be the process for hiring teachers?**

I would focus on a background of character, determination, success and avid personal hygiene.

**Would you hold mandatory tutorials? If so how often?**

Listen, I don't need tutorials, got that?

**What clubs/activities would you not support having in your school?**

Those that seem politically opposed to my regime, and no folk music appreciation club.

**Would you be speaking on morning announcements?**

When you say "morning announcements" does that mean I can't speak in the afternoon too?

**Would you have morning announcements?**

Yes, several.

**Would you try to be more of a friend to the students?**

I would want my students to feel I'm a friend yes, a friend they should fear in a very real way.

**What would be your favorite thing about the job?**

Being able to look back on the positive impact I made on young people, and all of my glory.

**What would be the worst thing about the job?**

Having to shake hands with so many dirty teenagers, ewwww.

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Stiller could have done better

# Zoolander Stereotypical movie

by **Matt Foust**

**Director:** Ben Stiller  
**Stars:** Ben Stiller, Christine Taylor, Will Ferrel, and Owen Wilson

**Plot:** Derek Zoolander (Stiller) dominated the world of male modeling until the new modeling sensation Hansel (Wilson) threatens his supremacy.

After Hansel keeps Derek from getting his fourth consecutive male model of the year award, Derek decides to go back to his roots and visit his

father and two brothers in coal mining country.

He is called back from retirement when the world famous designer Mugatu (Ferrel) chooses Derek for his new fashion campaign, which focuses on the idea that bums are stylish.

At the source of this job offer is a sinister plot to kill the prime minister of Malaysia.

As the movie continues, a Time reporter, Matilda Jeffries (Taylor) uncovers a worldwide

conspiracy.

The modeling world has been behind every major assassination, from Lincoln to JFK. Derek and Hansel become allies to combat the evil world of male modeling.

The climax of the movie comes when Mugatu's new line is revealed where the prime minister of Malaysia is the special guest.

It all culminates in a break dance fight between Hansel and Mugatu's evil dj to con-

trol the song that triggers Derek into his homicidal state.

Several of the scenes sound very odd, and they are, but somehow they come across as halfway believable in the movie.

**Will teens like it?**

Yes, if they go in expecting a typical Stiller film. No, if they expect an original comedy. The plot seems stupid and absurd at times, but overall it is somewhat funny.

**Greatest strength:**

Both Stiller and Wil-

son do an exceptional job of acting like stereotypical male models. From their appearance, to the air-head remarks, the acting is great considering the script they were working with.

**Greatest weakness:**

The plot and the sequence of events are weak. It seemed to me like the whole script was pre-packaged and rushed.

**Violence:** Except for the break dancing scene, violence was very mild.

**Final Grade:** C+

## 'Oracle' Available

### Chicks Rock: Kittie Releases New CD

by **Mollie Crossman**

Kittie is one of the few hard rock chick bands that have made it to the top of the charts.

Even though a lot of people haven't heard of them, I think they are the best because they sing about real problems that females can relate to.

My main question is whether or not Kittie's new CD, "Oracle," which will be released October 30, will be as good as their last one.

I know that there are a lot of people out there that can't stand loud music that they can't understand. That

is exactly what Kittie is. If people just listen to the words, however, then I think they will understand what kind of point Kittie is trying to make.

Now if there are guys out there that do not like Kittie because they tend to talk a lot of trash on males, I can understand that.

But the sound of their instruments and their beat is just so awesome that I think their male bashing can be overlooked.

A Kittie fanatic will know exactly what I'm talking about. Personally, I think the drummer of Kittie, Mercedes Lander, is the best drummer

ever because she is loud and makes the music sound much better.

Kittie is definitely classified as rock because that is what they are about. Their last CD, "Spit," was mostly about guys and girls treating each other poorly.

The way lead singer Morgan Lander sings and how much she puts into each song seems like she is singing from personal experience. The girls of Kittie are known as glamour-goth or freak-like.

Many people automatically think they are bad just

for the way they look and the way their music sounds. But that is just their style.

Considering they are still trying to get through high school, Kittie has really come a long way in their music career, and I hope their new CD will be just as good, or even better than their last.

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# WAR

## AMERICA STRIKES BACK AGAINST TERRORISM

In my opinion ...



**Julie Thompson**



That Tuesday morning, I missed

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Sept. 11, 2001, is a day the history books will write about. Students are watching a new war unfold and wondering why, how, where and what it all means for them.

**What do you think about the attack?**

That Tuesday morning, I missed first period to track down my books. Turns out, they had decided to take a road trip to my dad's store. When I got there it was around nine o'clock and I wasn't in the best of spirits.

"You heard about what happened, right?" my dad asked as he tossed me my books. I shook my head absently as I checked for my English paper in the depths of my folders.

"The Pentagon is on fire and they're evacuating the White House."

All at once my English paper didn't seem so important. When I got to the office to sign back in, I heard teachers mumbling to each other as they stared at a computer screen that I couldn't see.

"This is when the plane actually hit," I heard one say as the other

stared in disbelief.

When I got to class, I heard an unusual thing, silence. The sound of the news broadcaster came on the TV as I took my seat. My own thoughts blended into the silent jumble of those of my classmates and I sat in somber silence as I watched the planes crash over and over again. America, my home for over 16 years, was under attack. Thousands of her children were dying as I sat there watching. I was living a horrifying history.

As I watched the Twin Towers fall one after the other, I could feel myself slipping away along side the souls of those who still bow their heads for the victims of Pearl Harbor.

Suddenly, those two words had a new meaning as well. It was no longer a romantic movie starring Beh Affleck,

Kate Beckinsale, and Josh Hartnett. For the first time in my life, I had some grasp on what it felt like, really felt like, to be an American.

Growing up, I'd heard stories of World War II from my grandfather and his brothers. He was in the Navy translating the positions of bombers and submarines from Morse Code, one brother's fighter plane was shot down and he was taken prisoner, another was on one of the battleships grouped together in the shelter of Pearl Harbor.

I've always been a girl fascinated by the romantic times of war when the nation was unified for one cause. A time when boys no older than me found themselves surrounded by war... boys who fought courageously, fueled by anger, and consumed by the

passion of revenge against an enemy who sought to destroy them.

I never thought anything like that would happen in my lifetime. I caught the tale end of Generation X. Time Magazine said we weren't supposed to care.

Now I see a world of adventure spread out before me and, despite the disillusion of MTV, (which is a terrible influence and brainwashes our minds, remember) am prepared for war.

I don't think my seven-year-old brother should have received a gun for his birthday, and I personally think the right to bear arms is ridiculous, but I find myself desperate for vindication. I've come to realize war is a necessary evil. I want justice. I want a chance to prove myself - to matter.

## Local teens help during WTC crisis

**Stephanie Fisher**

Area businesses, churches and schools are making an effort to help those in New York that were effected by the attack on the World Trade Center on September 11.

The Calvary Baptist Youth Group is raising money by making bracelets and selling them for one dollar. The proceeds will go to the Red Cross.

"I think it is very important not only that we are raising money, it is to help everyone show their support," sophomore Sonya Voyles said.

Stores like United Supermarket have also played a role in donating money to the Red Cross to give to those who were affected by the tragedy.

"Our goal is to unify our efforts to relieve the victims and their families," manager Troy Newton said.

Pampa Middle School has also collected donations and raised money by selling pins.

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## DRAFT SYSTEM CHANGES SINCE 70s

**Randy Young**

With the recent terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon, many students have expressed concerns, one of which, is the draft and its impact on the American public.

"The draft is a system setup to call up troops whenever the country needs them. The first time it was done was the Civil War," teacher Mark Cradduck said.

The Union Conscription Act of March 3, 1863, provided that all able-bodied men between the ages of 20 and 45 were liable to have to serve in the military, but a drafted man who supplied an acceptable replacement or paid the government \$300 was excused from the draft.

This has since changed. Now, upon turning 18, males must register for the draft. If there were ever a need to put the draft back into effect it could mean thousands of men going off to war.

"If they're going to draft people then I will be ready to go. Since I'm not from here I know what this

country has to give," senior Luis Salazar said.

There are also many who oppose the draft as well. If the draft were put into effect, it could mean thousands of families losing loved ones in the war.

"I think that it will affect me by taking away my boyfriend," senior Keila Rodriguez said. "I don't think they should have a draft unless it's absolutely necessary."

Because of the September attacks on the US, the draft may end up becoming a reality. If the government decides they don't have any troops, the draft will be reinstated. "There will be cowards in every country, and if you're not willing to sacrifice your life for your country, then you don't deserve to live here," Salazar said.

Draft dodging is a felony. A man will go to prison if he is called to war but does not go. However, after the Vietnam War, former President Carter pardoned all draft dodgers. This caused a great difference of opinion about whether it was right or wrong.

There is no way of knowing if this action would be extended to future draft dodgers, especially since this draft would address an attack on American soil rather than a war being fought in or for a foreign country.

In some cases, the draft could go against religious views, such as the case of boxer Muhammed Ali, who claimed conscientious objector status due to his Muslim beliefs.

Also included in this category would be such pacifistic sects of Quakers. This assures these groups civil liberties and protects their right to freedom of religion when these beliefs come in conflict with the perceived need for a national call to arms through the draft.

There are those who support the draft and those that don't, but if the U.S. goes to war, then there is a probability that the draft will be put into effect.

"It's a good system, but I think they should raise the draft age to 40 and over, because old men start the wars and young men die in them," Cradduck said.

## What do you think about the attack?



"It's really wierd that it happened, no one really expected it," junior Angela Resendiz.



"It's really scary and it makes me realize how grateful I am to be an American," sophomore Kelli Jo Mitchell.



"I don't think it's right. We should find the terrorist and bring them to justice, and execute them. If they want war we will give them war," junior Joe Resendiz.



"I never really thought something like this would ever happen in the U.S., but terrible things happen when you least expect it," junior Brandon Dencklau.

# 'In the Spotlight' Student Opinion Poll

# Drama Club Reaches Out to Community

## Children's Show Among Plans in Newest Season

by **Benjamin T. Briscoe**

To be or not to be... active in the community? For that is the drama club's question. The drama club has decided to devote this year's activities to sending an invitation of a theatrical scale to the city of Pampa.

This invitation is designed to encourage the citizens of the city to live the dramatic experience. They plan on doing this in three main ways.

The first attempt has already been carried out with great success through the children's show, "The Trial of the Big Bad Wolf."

"By performing the play for the elementary school audiences, we hope that we have introduced 1020 new students to a world of imagination, or the realm of theater," Dean Birkes, director for the club, said.

Besides hoping to build new players in the next generation, the second plan of action is to host a veteran's day program.

Along with a program of distinguished speakers and intriguing stories, they plan to promote a local blood drive.

"All of us in the drama club were deeply touched by stories we heard on TV about the attacks. We felt we should do something

## Upcoming Shows to Watch for This Year:

- "The Complete Works of Shakespeare (abridged)"
- "Blackout"

to help and we came up with the idea to host a blood drive along with the Veterans Day program," Chelsie Powers, member of the club said.

In light of the recent events dealing with the September 11 tragedy the club has decided that this would be the the most appropriate way for them to show their support for not only the troops in action, but the families of the lost.

The last plan implemented to reach this goal is putting on productions to raise awareness in the

community.

They currently have two plays in production for the next term. They are "The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged)" and "Blackout."

Attempting to cover exerts from every William Shakespeare play in just under an hour, "The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged)" provides an outlet of background information so students can be clued in on the many literary allusions

to Shakespeare.

In "Blackout" the awareness of alcoholism is raised to the community. "Blackout" takes place at an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting on Christmas Eve.

This touching play pulls at the heartstrings of anyone who has been touched by the disease of alcoholism.

For information on these play dates and any future dates, please check with the theater department.

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**New Dress Code Cracks Down on Short Shirts, Long Pants**

by Amanda Weiss

Belly buttons may be singing on television commercials but they are staying hidden on campus this year.

Changes in the dress code make sure that pants do not touch the floor and the school administration is cracking down on short shirts that rise above the belly.

While there may always be complaints about the dress code, the biggest topic of discussion among students at the start of the year may have been the cheerleaders new uniforms.

This year's uniforms consist of the same tradi-

tional skirt, with the addition of a halter top. Even though halter tops violate the standard dress code, these outfits are acceptable because it is a uniform.

"Cheerleaders uniforms are okay because they were approved and it's a uniform. It's fair to us because we worked hard for it," junior Valerie Velez said.

"Those uniforms are better than a lot that are out there. You really can't find uniforms that are dress code," she added.

Some students do not have a problem with the uniforms.

"I think that the cheer-

leaders' outfits are okay, but I think they should just wear them during games because it's distracting to guys," freshman Susan Jay said.

Junior Brandon McElroy doesn't have a problem with the uniforms and said they are not distracting.

Whether or not the dress code is fair, the school has the right to make students wear what is seen as suitable.

"I don't think the dress code's fair because now we have to buy more clothes to please teachers," Velez said.

She is not the only one with that opinion.

"It makes me mad that we can't wear what we want," Jay said. "If it only shows a little skin, then I think it should be okay. If it comes all the way up then I don't think it should be okay."

Dress code rules are not enforced evenly throughout the school, according to junior Taryn Fallon.

"Coaches and teachers focus more on students who are involved in activities," Fallon said. "The more the teachers know you, then the more they expect from you."

Valez said she thinks looks play a part in enforcing the dress code.

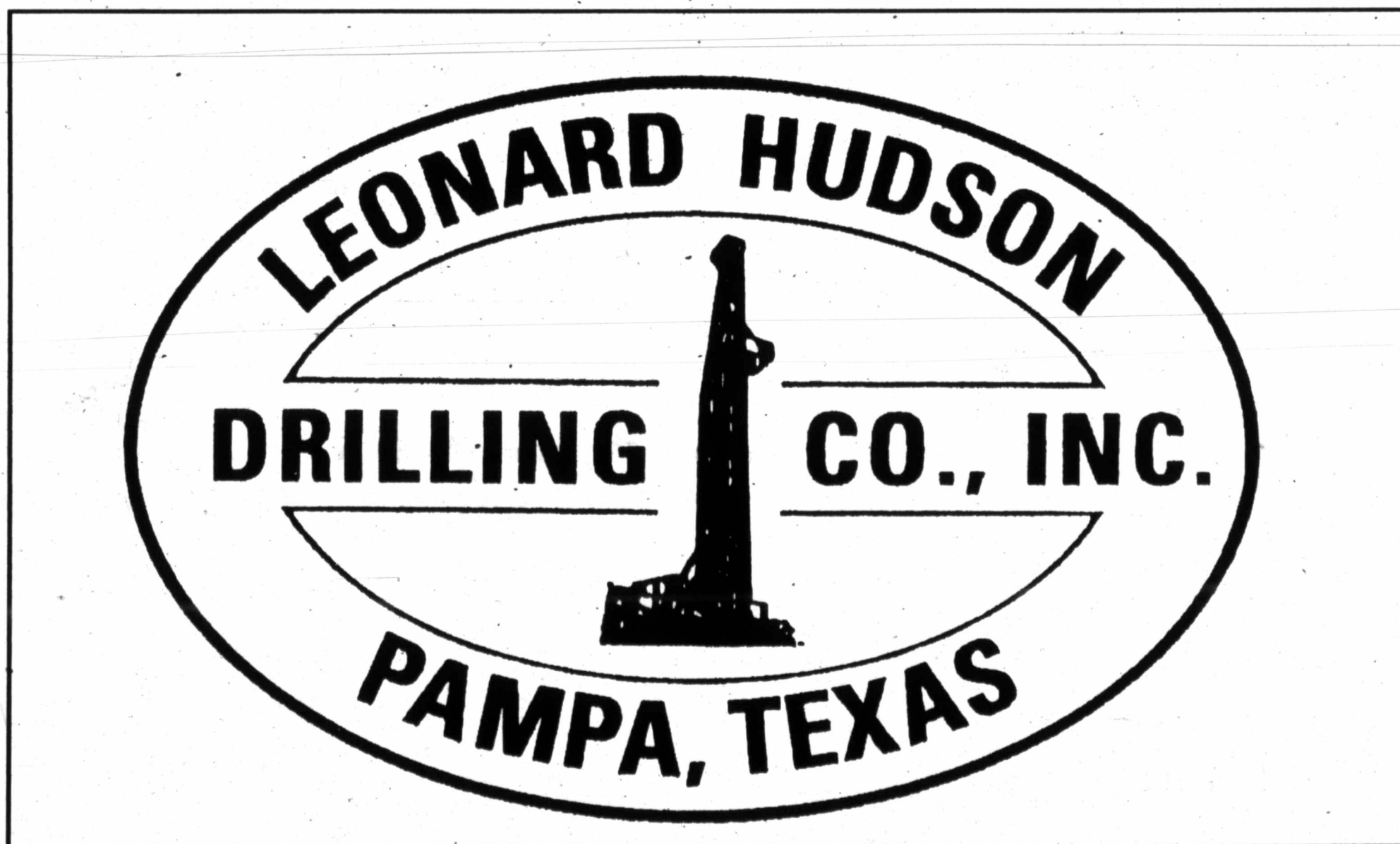
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Jay said favorites get picked when it comes to getting in trouble.

So whether or not some students get caught and others don't, the dress code still applies to everyone and will continue to be enforced.

"People are always going to wear what they are not supposed to," senior David Jenkins said.



# Cancer Comes Back - Stacy's Story

by **Matt Foust**

When Stacy Pepper began this school year, her main concern was to make it through her freshman year without any embarrassing mishaps. Now all she wants is to survive lymphoma.

Her thoughts have gone from schoolwork and friends, to medical tests and her own mortality.

Stacy's first bout with cancer began in the fall of 1999.

"I got really sick with flu-like symptoms and Dr. Lee couldn't decide what was wrong with me," Stacy said.

For one month there was a period of uncertainty when no one could decide what was wrong. Then, a lymph biopsy was performed, which showed that Stacy had lymphoma.

Three weeks after the diagnosis, Stacy began chemotherapy. Her body was subjected to concentrations of radiation in hopes that the cancer cells, which were destroying her body, would be killed.

As a side effect of her new treatment, Stacy's hair began to fall out. She began to wear a wig to hide her hair loss.

"That was very hard for me to deal with," Stacy said.

With time, she began to fight her cancer into submission. Her strength began to build back up and she returned to a normal teenage life filled with friends and homework.

By the end of her eighth grade year,

Stacy was acting like she did before her life was threatened by cancer.

Her thoughts no longer center around the cancer which had threatened her life less than one year ago.

"The summer was great, my family and I got to travel a lot," Stacy said.

She also began to stop wearing her wig because her natural hair began to grow back. Her glimpse of death, however was not completely forgotten.

"It was always in the back of my mind," Stacy said.

As the school year drew closer, thoughts of high school grew in Stacy's head.

"I was worried about normal freshman things like finding rides to lunch and not falling down the stairs," Stacy said.

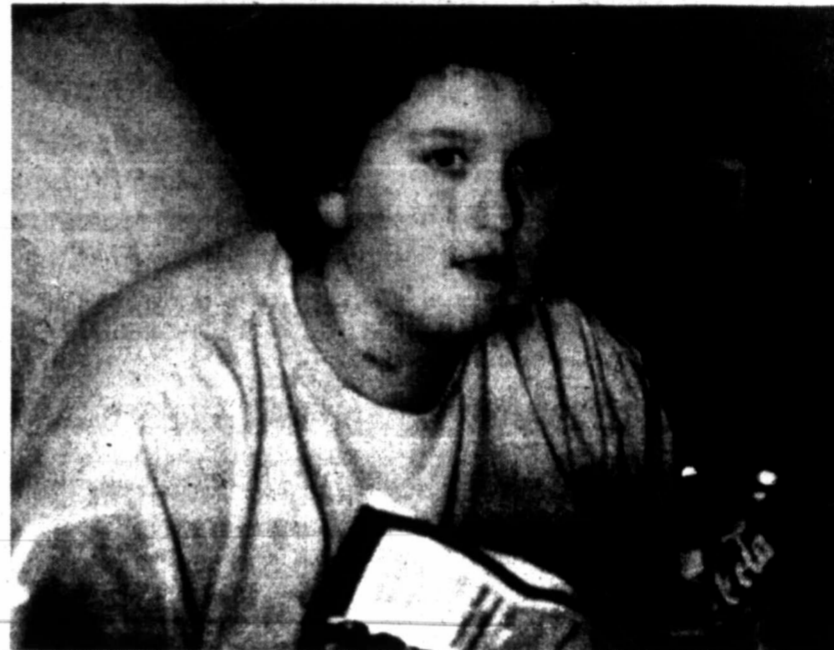
All her hopes for a bright school year came crashing down when she discovered a lump in her neck.

"I knew what it was when I felt the lump, I knew it was back," Stacy said.

Stacy was put on antibiotics and the Peppers prayed for good news.

"I was heartbroken and angry with God when I found out," Robbie Pepper, Stacy's mother said.

Unfortunately, Stacy's survival chances went



■ **Taking a break**  
Stacy Pepper, freshman, undergoes chemotherapy in Houston to fight the lymphoma cancer she has.

down for her second occurrence of cancer.

"Her (survival) chances were really high the first time, so we knew the chances were really low for the cancer to come back, especially after only eight months," Robbie said.

The Peppers said their worst fears were realized when Stacy's blood work confirmed that the cancer was back.

"They (the survival chances) went from ninety percent to fifty

percent," Robbie said.

According to friends, Stacy's second occurrence has been more difficult because she has to undergo her chemotherapy in Houston.

"It is a lot worse with her in Houston, but if it is better for her, then she should go ahead and do it," Briscoe said.

The treatment center where Stacy is at right now is ranked the second best cancer treatment center in the world.

"The first time we could just drive to Amarillo, but

now we can't go see her," freshman Kyle Ward said.

Stacy said another source of support is her faith in God.

"She kept her faith long enough through the first time and she is strong enough to do it again," freshman Rebecca Gindorf said.

Robbie even named her church family as being the biggest support for her.

Through both battles with cancer, Stacy has had to realize that death

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**Stacy:**

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—is a very real possibility. "My biggest fear is that she might die, because she is nice to everybody and she is really fun," Ward said. Although she tries to stay optimistic, Stacy has been forced to face the fact that she might die.

"I don't know if I am afraid of dying or not, but my chances of dying are greater this time. I know where I am going and who will be waiting for me," Stacy said.

Stacy said she believes that her test was meant to teach her a lesson.

"All the little things like football games and driver's licenses should not be taken for granted. Right now I don't even know whether or not I will even get a driver's license," Stacy said.

Lately, Stacy's health has been weakening due to her new sessions of chemotherapy.

"I was doing well, but then I started coughing and couldn't stand up," Stacy said.

She cannot take any medicine for her cough because of a possible reaction to her chemotherapy.

Stacy said that her silver lining has been that cancer has brought her and her mom very close.

"My mom has been my biggest support. She came with me to Houston for all of my treatments," Stacy said.

Robbie has also learned important lessons through her daughter's illness.

"I have learned that everything is a gift from God. Stacy is just on loan, she'll go back to God in time and he'll return when he needs her back," Robbie said. "This has made us stronger through faith and we have also been humbled. We have learned not to let pride get in the way."

**Student Council Stays Busy Year Around**

Student Council does a lot more than most people know about. They have been working hard to better the school and provide money for activities such as the prom and the senior trip.

"Student Council does everything," Neal Leeper said. "They run everything from elections to organizing the cars at prom."

To add to that, STUCO runs the concession stands at football games, provides the roses on Valentines Day, and puts together the Hall of Fame and Spring Explosion. That is just to name a few.

"The fact that we are taking an active part in the school gives us pride," junior Max Simon said.

Collectively, that is the reason most members get involved. The down side for these school-spirited teens, according to members, is the general lack of school spirit

from the student body.

"We can't get people to get involved," vice-president, junior Tristan Brown said. "Ya'll don't want to hear it."

Brown said that among the dances and the recent statue dedication, they have been working on a plan to bring the bonfire back. To bring the fire back, STUCO must plan exactly when and where the fire will be and must plan to have firemen on site at the time.

"I think it can be controlled," Brown said. "Plus, it builds the student body's unity."

This year's senior president and vice-president, Greg Easley and Chris Lewis, have started a new tradition of having students lead meetings.

"I think to be a good leader you have to be a good follower," Lewis said.

Easley said that they wanted to get the senior officers more involved in decision making.

"I wanted the opportunity to represent my fellow students," Easley said.

The overall adviser of STUCO is Mrs. Seabourne. She is behind the scenes and puts in extra hours to make sure things go smoothly. Brown said without her there would be no STUCO.

**Speak Out**



"I picked strawberries and cleaned houses for doctors and lawyers," Gaylene Skaggs said.



"I was an administrative assistant at a medical center in Lawton, Oklahoma," new teacher Beverly Jordan said.



"Teaching is by far the weirdest. There is something more bizarre everyday," Neil Leeper said.



"Cooking bread and cobbler on a chuckwagon," Billie Lowrey said.

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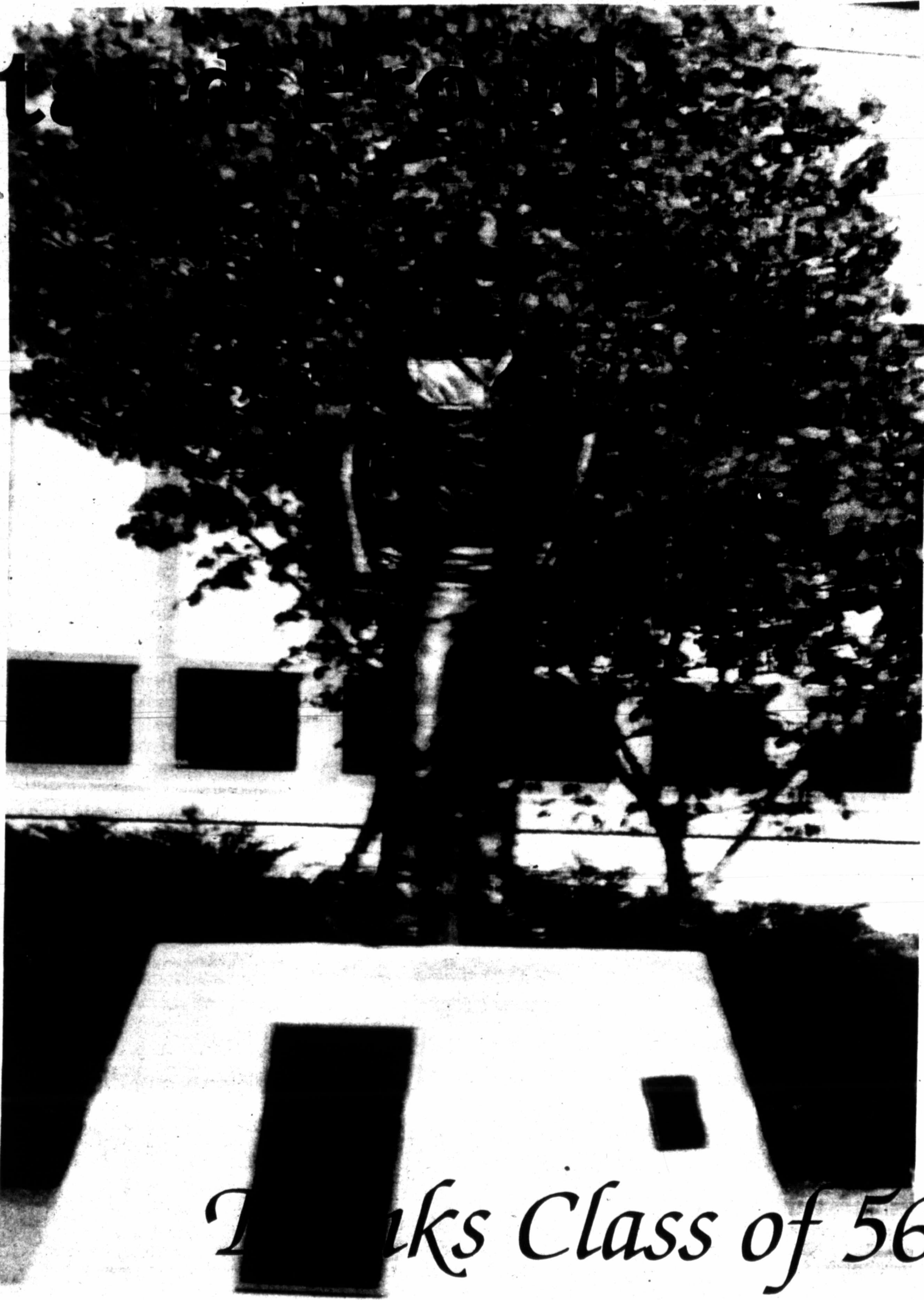


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# Softball Coach Removed

by **Marcie Bennett**

On September 28 teacher Jamie Greene was removed as head softball coach for what she says her superiors called "a lack of judgment."

Greene, who is also the sponsor for the German club, was not removed from that organization. It's strange, she said, that she did not have good enough judgment to be head softball coach but it was all right for her to remain the German club sponsor.

"In my opinion judgment doesn't turn on and off. Either you have good judgment or you don't," Greene said.

Superintendent Dr. Dawson Orr, principal John Kendall, and athletic director Dennis Cavalier were all present at the meeting when she was removed. And although she disagrees with the action taken, she does agree that the action they took was fully within their legal rights.

"Ultimately all of us are employed by the school board with the recommendation of the superintendent, however, with athletic matters, the normal procedure would go through me," Cavalier said.

According to Greene, there were some issues raised last year relating to whether or not she would continue as head softball coach.

"Four parents came against me and wanted me fired," Greene said. "They

voiced their opinions, which they can."

According to Greene, the opinions of the player's parents influenced the way players felt about her coaching.

"I felt like I had a good relationship with the girls, but when you have parents who don't support you in your coaching and voice that to their children, they start doubting you as a coach," Greene said. "It's hard to maintain that coaching relationship when you're doubted by the parents."

At the end of the spring, despite the complaints of the group of parents, Greene said her position as coach was still supported by administration.

"The way she made it sound last year was that she was staying," sophomore Stacy Johnson said.

Greene said there were requirements that she must meet if she wanted to maintain her coaching position.

"The weird thing about it is that when I left last spring Dennis Cavalier backed me as head softball coach. John Kendall supported me as head softball coach, and Dawson Orr backed me as head softball coach, as long as I had zero tolerance for cussing."

Greene admitted to using profanity, but not in a way that she thought would offend the girls.

"They were words I used in a situation, not at some-

one," Greene said.

Sophomore Chelsea Davis said the profanity did not offend her.

"I don't think it was a problem. I knew the kids cussed, why couldn't she?" Davis said.

There have been reports from students of other coaches, particularly in boy's athletics, that have used profanity with their teams.

"I had a coach that used profanity in motivating us," senior Jake Bolin said.

Greene said she did not understand why it was inappropriate for her to use profanity if other coaches were using it as well.

"What's the difference between a girl's sport and a guy's sport?" Greene said.

However, the agreement she made with administrators not to use profanity took place at the end of the spring. Greene said she had not seen any of the players so far this year, and had not had an opportunity to violate the agreement.

One of the hardest things, according to Greene, was telling her players she would not be their coach anymore.

"I couldn't even see them, I was crying so hard," Greene said.

According to senior Morgan White, the news was a surprise.

"I was shocked," White said.

Other players, however, said they thought the change



■ **Riding into the sunset** Coach Jamie Green and her horse, Pecos

could be beneficial to the team.

"I don't know if it will be for the better or for the worse," senior Cali Covalt said. "It might be for the better, but I had a lot of fun with her."

Former players are not the only people whose attitudes may have changed toward her, according to Greene.

"I got ousted and I'm gone. Coach Cavalier has not said a word to me," Greene said. "There are a couple of coaches that won't look me in the eye."

Greene said she had, however, received support from some of her colleagues.

"I've had good support from a lot of my co-workers like Coach Doughty, Coach Smith and Coach Schaeffer, just to name a few. There are definitely more than that. I've got great respect for Coach Gill," Greene said.

But even harder than dealing with people's reactions, she said, is coping with

not being able to coach. Greene said she had spent the past years building a strong team and that this was going to be the year it would all pay off.

"It hurts that I've spent three years of my life preparing for this and someone else will get the glory."

Another reason her removal was so upsetting, according to Greene, was because of her family's heritage in the area.

Greene's family has been in the area for around a century. Her family has been a part of PISD for generations, serving on the school board, teaching, playing Harvester football, driving a school bus.

"I'm living the legacy of my family," Greene said.

Her future plans, for the time being, include helping her son further his rodeo career and pursuing her own.

"No one can fire me from my horse," Greene said.

Green said she plans on coaching again, but not yet.

"I will coach again. I wouldn't coach under this administration because I feel like I've been unjustly punished," Greene said.

John Kendall and Dennis Cavalier declined the opportunity to comment on the removal of Greene, stating that they could not discuss personnel issues.

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## Teens Bowl in Youth League

## Let the Good Times Roll

by Shaun Smith

Sounds of the parents and youth bowlers laughing, the rumbling of the balls as they travel down the lane, the crashing of the pins.

Add to that the adrenaline of the competition and making great scores with the help of coaches is what it's all about for the Saturday morning youth league at Harvester Lanes.

"I like getting up every Saturday morning and coming here to see my friends and also trying to win too," senior Rosie Laurenz said.

Junior Cory Dallas also said he agrees that

bowling is fun.

"It's fun and interesting to learn the new and old techniques being used to bowl and acquire higher game scores," Dallas said.

The Saturday morning youth league starts at 10:30 every Saturday morning and usually lasts till noon. The cost to bowl is \$5.00 a week.

The teams bowl three games, competing against each other for various prizes such as trophies, pins, bowling patches and scholarships.

Coaches are always there waiting to assist bowlers and help new-

comers learn the game. On holidays such as Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas, JoAnn the manager of Harvester Lanes, throws parties for the youth bowlers.

The bowlers dress up in costumes and bowl to the theme of the Rock 300 lights.

"My friend was bowling on the league and it looked like fun so I decided to join as well," Laurenz said.

Dallas said bowling is a good way to spend free time.

"I like bowling with my friends and it's a good way to keep me busy on the weekends



### Strike it up!

Junior Cory Dallas hoping for a strike on lane number 19.

so I can stay out of at 665-3422. trouble," said Dallas.

Harvester Lanes employee Cory West had some words of wisdom for bowlers.

"Don't sweat the small stuff, winners league, contact JoAnn don't," West said. West at Harvester Lanes

## PLAYER PROFILES

### Coch Pennick's Pick

**Name:** Jennifer Lindsey

**Grade:** 12 **Position:** Outside Hitter/Captain

**Strong Points:** Very competitive, coachable, focused

**Leadership Skills:** Sees what needs to be done often, leads by competitive motivation and focus on the objective. Does not always have to gain acceptance to know and verbalize what is right.

**Other Comments:** Jennifer is relatively quiet on court and seeks to lead by example. She stays focused on overall team picture usually and is able to be objective about what needs to happen to make the system function well.

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**Coaching For:**

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**Interest in Coaching:**

I think I always was interested in helping students and interested in sports. The two seemed like a natural progression to improving athletic opportunities for girls.

**Favorite Quote:**

"Love well or perish"

**Advise:**

Life is a project...always under construction and improvement.

**PLAYER PROFILES**

**Coach Cavalier's Pick**

**Name:** Tanner Dyer

**Grade:** 12 **Position:** Linebacker

**Strong Points:** Good mind, agile, tough

**Leadership Skills:** Thinks clearly, speaks well, has integrity, has good perception

**Other Comments:** Tanner is an excellent student he is and participates in both football and track. He qualified for the regional track meet in the high hurdles as a junior.

**Coach Shaeffer's Pick**

**Name:** Dustin Johnson

**Grade:** 12 **Position:** Guard

**Strong Points:** Leadership/Hustle

**Leadership Skills:** Quietly leads by example

**Other Comments:** Very faithful to do all asked in off season, basketball, and more!



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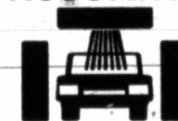
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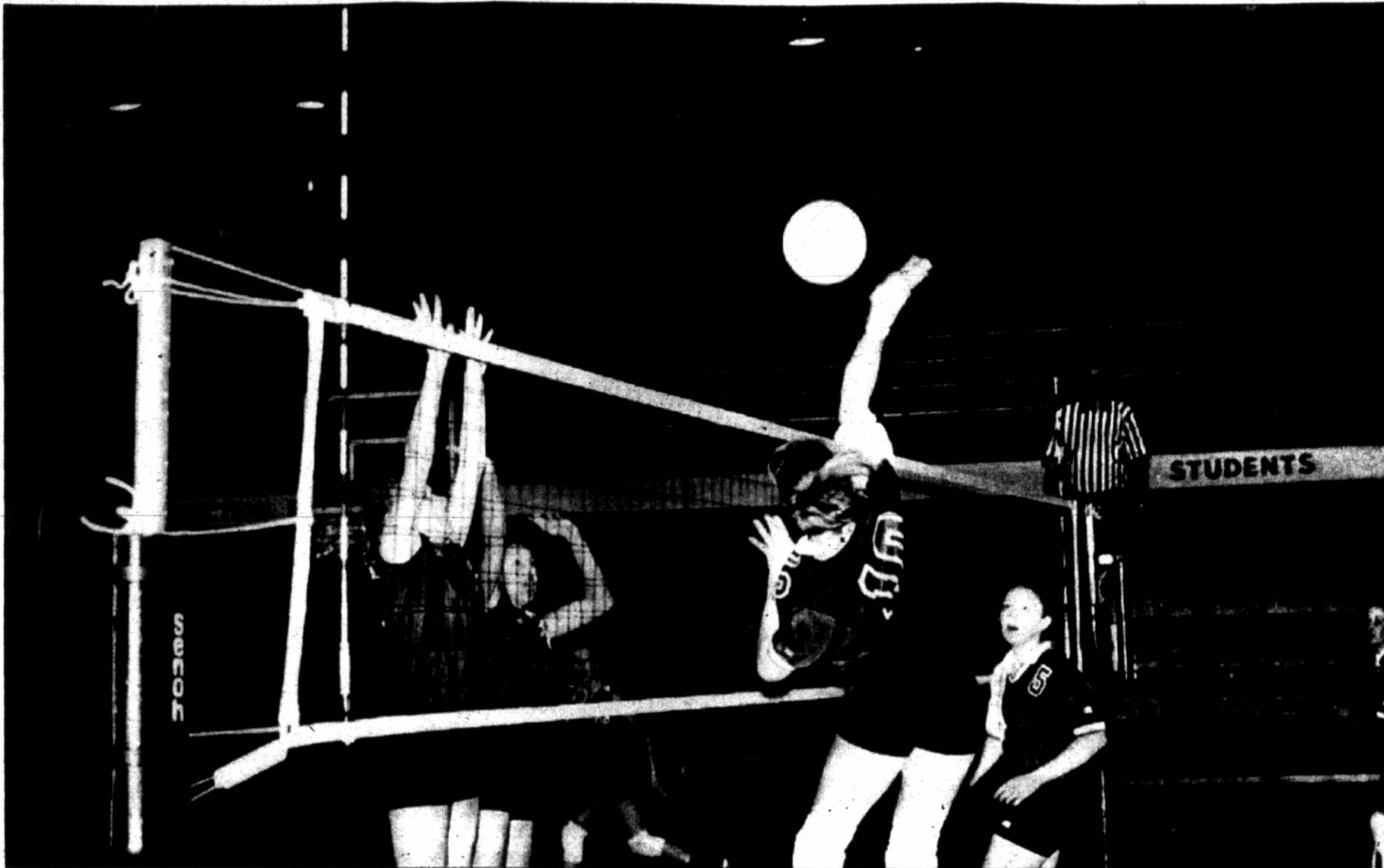


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■ **Taking one for the team** The volleyball team drives one home for Pampa.

# Gettin' in the Groove

Fall 2001



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■ **We've got spirit** (above) Junior Tristan Brown and senior Ryan Nash (left) Junior Lindsey Meyer



■ **On for the kiddies** Kelly Tripplehorn (right) works on the drama club children's show



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■ **Getting ready for homecoming** Ruth Ann Slaywhite and Christine Bowman decorate one another for green and gold day.

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# ■ School Spirit



Photo by Heather Lee

(Clockwise) 1. **Colors Flying** Colorguard senior Desiree Vigil leads the way.



Photo by Tatum Brown

2. **Spirit Banner** Cheerleaders' decorated posters hang in the hallways encouraging school spirit.



Photo by Stephanie Fisher

3. **Howdy!** Seniors Evan Miller and Ashley Derington deck out in cowboy gear on Howdy Day.

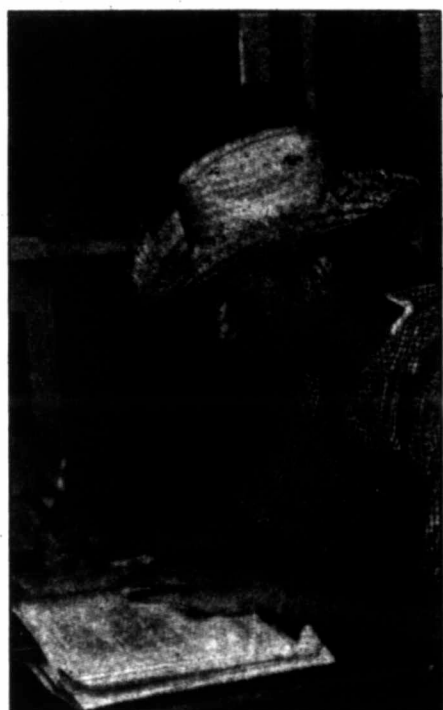


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4. **Aww, shucks ...** Junior Josh Robertson studies during Howdy week.

5. **Let's face it** In preparation for the homecoming parade, junior Jessica Knipp paints senior Heather Lee's face.