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**PHS open house set for Tuesday**

Pampa High School Open House will be Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 6 p.m. 0-Hour classes will begin at 5:45 p.m.

A general meeting to discuss the State School Report Card will be held in the auditorium after the Open House.

**'Shattered Dreams' volunteers sought**

Pampa High School is looking for anyone interested in helping with "Shattered Dreams," a community-based drunk driving prevention program. For more information, contact Lesley Gershmel at 669-4800.

**Free Spanish/English class planned Feb. 7**

A free Spanish and English class for the public will be taught by Jimmy Flynn, Ph.D., at Emanuel Baptist Church, 1021 S. Barnes, beginning at 7 p.m., Friday, Feb. 7.

**DEATHS**

J.W. "Jim" Campbell, 71, rancher, businessman.  
 Kay Coombes Smithers, 80, retired telephone operator.

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# Oh, God, not again!

## Space shuttle Columbia breaks into flames over Texas

By **MARCIA DUNN**  
 AP AEROSPACE WRITER

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Space shuttle Columbia apparently broke apart in flames as it streaked over Texas toward its landing strip Saturday, killing all seven astronauts, six Americans and an Israeli.

NASA didn't immediately declare the crew dead; however, the U.S. flag next to its countdown clock was lowered to half-staff. Officials at Kennedy Space Center said President Bush would be making an announcement.

In Washington, administration officials said there was no immediate indication that terrorism was involved. A senior U.S. official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said there was no threat and the shuttle was out of range of a surface-to-air missile.

The shuttle had been expected to land in Florida at 9:16 a.m.

At 9 a.m., Mission Control lost all contact with the crew. At the same time, residents in north Texas reported hearing "a big bang."

Television footage showed a bright light over Texas followed by smoke

plumes streaking diagonally through the sky. Debris appeared to break off into separate balls of light as it continued downward. NASA declared an emergency after losing contact with the crew and sent search teams to the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Residents of Nacogdoches, Texas, said they found bits of metal strewn across the city.

"It's all over Nacogdoches," said barber shop owner James Milford. "There are several little pieces, some parts of machinery ... there's been a lot of pieces about 3 feet wide."

Two hours after the shuttle had been expected to land, a screen at the front of Mission Control showed a map of the Southwest United States showing what should have been Columbia's flight path. NASA Administrator Sean O'Keefe was meeting with the astronauts' families, who had been waiting for the landing in Florida, NASA spokeswoman Melissa Motichek said.

"A contingency for the space shuttle has been declared," Mission

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# Coronado Inn faces destruction

## Group of investors plan to tear down old motel, make way for complex

By **NANCY YOUNG**  
 MANAGING EDITOR

A landmark building in Pampa will soon be coming down.

Located at the intersection of North Hobart and Somerville since 1960, The Coronado Inn is to be torn down.

"It had gotten to the point that it was totally rundown," said Chuck White, one of the local businessmen who have invested in the project. "The town doesn't need a rundown building sitting at the busiest intersection in Pampa."

He said the goal of the private citizens is to construct a civic center along with a motel with approximately 50 rooms and a family restaurant on the almost six acres of land at the site.

Pampans for Progress, LLC, is composed of 10 local

men who have invested in the project, said White. He declined to give *The Pampa News* names of the other nine men who are involved in the project.

White said the proximity of the land to M.K. Brown Civic Auditorium makes it an excellent location. He spoke of the high quality of the local auditorium, and said a civic center would complement the facility.

"M.K. Brown is one of the most outstanding facilities of its kind in the Panhandle," said White.

He said plans are not finalized.

"We have a sales contract and possession of the building," said White earlier in the week as he anticipated the closing on the property to be final in a few days.

Plans have been in the making on the project for



(Pampa News photo by Nancy Young)

**Furniture and bathroom fixtures from the Coronado Inn rooms are pulled out onto the sidewalk as volunteers and contractors prepare to tear down the old building.**

approximately three years, said White, who added, "It may take us another three years to complete it."

Laborers are currently removing plumbing fixtures, including sinks and com-

modes, from the building. White said the furniture has already been moved.

He said many of the contents are being donated to Salvation Army, Woody Guthrie organization, ACT I

and Hupp Ministries.

Contractors from Odessa will remove the asbestos in the ceiling.

"We are trying to recycle as much as possible," said

(See MOTEL, Page 3)

# County OKs some offices to stay in Lovett building

By **NANCY YOUNG**  
 MANAGING EDITOR

Not all county offices will return to the Gray County Courthouse this spring when the restoration program is completed.

When the county employees moved from the courthouse during the summer of 2001 to their temporary locations, the plan was for juvenile probation to be housed on the fourth

floor upon return to the courthouse. Prior to the move, the office was on the north end of the historic building.

Gray County Commission Friday decided to approve the Juvenile Probation Office making their tem-

porary location at the Lovett Building on North Hobart permanent.

Precinct Two Justice of the Peace Kurt Curfman and Precinct Two Constable Chris Lockridge will also remain in the same building.

Curfman, who was at the meeting, told the commission he had no objections to making the Lovett Building his permanent office location.

"We all looked forward to going back into the courthouse, but the way it looks is that we're going to be pushed for space," he said. "We've been there so long we've gotten used to it, and the public has gotten used to it."

He also commented on the parking availability. "It's easy access."

Curfman also said there would be room for a JP courtroom at the Lovett Building.

"We can really use the room to have a JP courtroom," he added.

He said when his office was located in the courthouse he had to use the county or district courtrooms when he needed one, and scheduling was difficult.

"It has really been nice to have a court-



(Pampa News photo) Felipe Chavez, JPO

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# Out of the woods

## Lineman injured by power line recovering from burn wounds

By **NANCY YOUNG**  
 MANAGING EDITOR

"He's out of the woods," said Cinda Urquhart Friday afternoon from the waiting room of the University Medical Center in Lubbock. She is the sister-in-law of Ricky Urquhart, who was critically injured in an industrial accident in the 1900 block of North Hobart Tuesday.

Urquhart, a lineman with Xcel, was injured by contact with an energized distribution line in the alley behind a local car wash at 1:15 p.m. Tuesday. The line carried 7,620 volts of electricity, Xcel officials said.

Cinda said her brother-in-law's condition is no longer considered life-threatening.

She said he did undergo surgery Friday morning to relieve the pressure on his arm from the swelling. He's been

up walking and has been able to eat today.

"It's been so good to hear his voice," she said. "It's still a step-by-step process," she added. "There will be some skin grafting."

Ricky's wife, Brandi, and their children have been at the Lubbock Burn Center since the accident on Tuesday, she said. A son, Kasey, 13, is an eighth grader at Pampa Middle School and daughter Alexis, 8, is a second grade student at Travis Elementary.

Cinda, who lives in Borger, said all the family members have been there all week. She said some of the family will be returning in the next few days.

"We got to meet the crew Ricky was working with last night and today," she said. "They saved his life. They're heroes to us."

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OBITUARIES

SERVICES TOMORROW

J.W. 'JIM' CAMPBELL  
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**CAMPBELL, J.W. "Jim"** — Memorial services, 10 a.m., First United Methodist Church, Pampa.  
**SMITHERS, Kay Coombes** — Graveside services, 2 p.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery, Pampa.

**KAY COOMBES SMITHERS**  
1922-2003

Kay Coombes Smithers, 80, of Pampa, died Jan. 31, 2003, at Pampa, Texas. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m., Monday, Feb. 3, 2003, at Memory Gardens Cemetery with Dan Chaney, Central Church of Christ minister, and Billy Dale Meadows, Church of Christ minister, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Smithers was born Dec. 25, 1922, in Girard, Texas. She had been a resident of Pampa since 1929, graduating from Pampa High School.

She married N.B. (Rod) Smithers on Aug. 29, 1942, in Pampa. He preceded her in death in 1996.

She worked for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company as an operator for 34 1/2 years.

She was a member of the Central Church of

Christ and a member of the Telephone Pioneers.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Kay and Darryl Hughes of Pampa; two grandchildren, Ryan Hughes and Andrea Hughes, both of Pampa; and a brother, A.P. Coombes. She was preceded in death by her parents, K. and Rosa Coombes; and two brothers, H.T. Coombes and L.J. Coombes.

—Sign the on-line register book at [www.carmichael-whatley.com](http://www.carmichael-whatley.com).



J.W. "Jim" Campbell, 71, of Pampa, died Friday, Jan. 31, 2003, at Amarillo, Texas. Memorial services will be at 10 a.m., Monday, Feb. 3, 2003, at the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Thacker Haynes, pastor of the United Methodist Church of McLean, and the Rev. Scott Penrod, pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Pampa, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mr. Campbell was born Nov. 5, 1931, in Pampa. He was a lifelong resident of Pampa, graduating from Pampa High School in 1950. He received a B.S. degree in agricultural economics from Oklahoma A&M College in 1955 with honors, where he served as a Cadet Colonel.

He married Anne Moseley on July 22, 1951, in Pampa.

He was heavily involved in ranching, oil and gas, investments and banking. He was a former co-owner and stockholder with the First National Bank in Wheeler, Citizens Bank & Trust in Pampa, First State Bank of Miami and First State Bank of Canadian.

He was very active in the Republican Party and was former 18th Congressional District Chairman and Republican District Committeeman of the 31st Senatorial District.

He was closely involved in campaigns for Jack Seale, Barry Goldwater, Bob Price, Ronald Reagan, Paul Eggers, Bill Clements, John Tower, John Connally, George Bush, Phil Gramm and Mac Thornberry.

He was a delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1968 and one of two Special Ambassadors to Mauritania in 1976. Both of his parents, W.R. (Bob) Campbell and Jenkie Collins Campbell, were members of early pioneering Panhandle families.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force, serving during the Korean Conflict. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Anne, of the home; two sons and daughters-in-law, Bob and Martha Campbell and Don and Sue Campbell, all of Pampa; and seven grandchildren, Brandon Campbell, Benjamin Campbell, Elizabeth Campbell, Bill Campbell, Kathryn Campbell, Chris Campbell and Victoria Campbell, all of Pampa. He was preceded in death by a son, William David Campbell, in 1974.

The family requests memorials be to The Opportunity Plan, Inc., P.O. Box 1035, Canyon, TX 79015-1035.

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ON RECORD

POLICE

Pampa Police Department made the following arrests during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m., Saturday, according to Gray County Jail records.

Friday, Jan. 31

Michael Gerik, 44, 519 Frost, was arrested on a capias pro fine for open container.

Saturday, Feb. 1

Charles Franklin Mejia, 17, 800 N. Gray, was arrested for evading with a vehicle, possession of marijuana under two ounces and no driver's license.

FIRE

Pampa Fire Department responded to the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

Friday, Jan. 31

10 a.m. — One unit and three firefighters responded to a report of carbon monoxide at a residence in the 2200 block of North Dwight. Firefighters found carbon monoxide coming from a vent off a heater closet. No injuries were listed on the report.

1:36 p.m. — Two units and six firefighters responded to a one-vehicle rollover on U.S. Highway 60, one mile east of Loop 171. Firefighters helped extricate the victim from the vehicle.

CARSON CO. SHERIFF

Carson County Sheriff's Department reported the following:

Jan. 20-Jan. 26

Donald Blake, 56, San Berdino, Calif., was arrested for possession of a controlled substance more than one gram, but less than 400 grams.

Manuel Espinoza, 66, Whittier, Calif., was arrested for possession of a controlled substance more than one gram, but less than 400 grams.

Christopher Stevenson, 32, Pontiac, Mich., received a court-ordered commitment on a charge of possession of marijuana more than 50 pounds but less than 2,000 pounds.

Garry Starks, 32, White Deer, was arrested on an assault charge in connection with family violence.

SHERIFF

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Saturday.

Friday, Jan. 31

Kenneth Purvis, 56, Lefors, was arrested by the Texas Department of Public Safety for driving while intoxicated - second offense.

Christopher Clements, 26, Skellytown, was arrested for aggravated robbery. (See related story, Page 1).

WEATHER FOCUS

PAMPA

Today's forecast is calling for partly cloudy skies, windy conditions, highs in the mid 70s and west winds 20 to 30 mph with gusts up to 40 mph. Sunday night should be partly cloudy, windy, lows in the lower 30s and north winds 20 to 30 mph. Monday should be partly cloudy, Windy. Much colder. Highs in the mid 40s. North winds 20 to 30 mph. Monday night, mostly clear.

Lows in the lower 20s. Tuesday, partly cloudy. Highs in the mid 40s. Tuesday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the mid 20s. Wednesday, partly cloudy. Highs in the mid 40s. Wednesday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 20s. Thursday, partly cloudy. Highs in the lower 40s. Thursday night, mostly cloudy. Lows in the lower 20s. Friday, mostly cloudy. Highs in the mid 40s.

Couple suspected in purported racially-motivated fire

HOUSTON (AP) — When their residence in the northwest Houston suburb of Klein was destroyed by fire at 4 a.m. on the first Saturday in December, Nicholas and Tracey Gatlin were out of town. They were gambling in Louisiana, they told police.

Officials initially investigated it as a racially motivated hate crime; racial slurs were found spray painted on the outside walls of the home.

But the investigation took a different turn, and the couple made their first court appearance Friday on charges of arson and insurance fraud. A prosecutor said they planned an elaborate insurance scam that made them appear to be the target of a hate crime.

State District Judge Belinda Hill kept bail at \$50,000 on each charge for Nicholas Gatlin, 30, who has a prior criminal record

including theft and drug convictions. She kept the bail of Tracey Gatlin, 30, at \$30,000 on the arson charge and reduced her bail on the insurance fraud charge to \$15,000.

Prosecutor Cary Hart told the judge that the fire was intentional and "an inside job." All of the doors to the house were locked. There was no television or VCR among the charred remains, and several items, including children's clothing, were missing from the house.

Witnesses had reported seeing items being removed from the house sometime before the fire began, Hart said.

And when investigators searched their new apartment early last week, they found more than 100 family keepsakes, including photo albums, medications, immunization records and the couple's marriage license, Hart said.

Monkey research could help restore sight

HOUSTON (AP) — A research team at the University of Texas Medical School at Houston has made a breakthrough concerning how the brain perceives color.

It's a discovery that one day may lead to prosthetic aids for people who have lost their sight, the Houston Chronicle reported in its Saturday editions.

Working with macaque monkeys, the researchers discovered that the colors we "see" are captured and perceived on patches of neurons deep in the cerebral cortex. The

patches form a rainbow-like map for the brain to use.

The paper, in Thursday's edition of Nature, explains how color is represented in the neuron patches. Previously, researchers only knew only that the patches were associated with processing color.

"This finding provides the first physiological basis for the perception of the full gamut of color," said Daniel Felleman, associate professor of neurobiology and senior author of the paper. "We are now beginning to understand how color processing works."

The region of the macaque monkey brain studied appears to be identical to the human brain, Felleman said.

The researchers showed the monkeys a series of colors and recorded tiny changes in blood flow along the neuron patches. They found the regions of peak activity shifted systematically as the color of the visual stimulus changed. For instance, the region that showed peak activity for red would be next to portions that peaked for orange, which in turn was next to yellow, then green, blue and purple.

In other words, in the brain's color-coding system, the location of peak activity within these color maps determines the color a person sees.

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**MOTEL**

White. He said the bricks, steel, glass, plumbing and electrical hardware will all be recycled.

White thinks there needs to be additional motel space in Pampa to adequately house visitors to the community when they come to town for special events. He said the present structure has 120 rooms, but said not that many are needed. He also said the type of motels desired by the public has changed during the past four decades, saying motel guests have a desire for more security features.

"We are trying to make the land available, and then we'll see what we can do," he said.

A bowling alley, movie theater, facilities for artists — all are under consideration in the project.

Tourism has become a major industry in Texas, and White wants Pampa to be able to cash in on it.

"Nature tourism, a site of the Red River Wars and where folk-singer Woody Guthrie learned to play are all areas that will draw people to Pampa," he said. "And they have to have a place to stay."

White said the Pampans for Progress, LLC, want people to have the memorabilia from the present structure. He said an auction is planned to be held at the Pampa Chamber of Commerce in late spring.

"I have not heard one criticism of the project," said White. "I think a positive mood for Pampa is needed."

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**COUNTY**

for a jury trial."

He said he had eight jury trials during 2002, but has already had four during the first month of 2003. He said Lockridge was comfortable with remaining at the present location, too.

County Judge Richard Peet also mentioned there was a room where juror deliberations could be held in privacy.

Juvenile Probation Officer Felipe Chavez told the commission he and his staff are comfortable where they are now located. He said an advantage to the location on North Hobart is that it is close enough for students to walk from the school to report in to the juvenile officers.

More privacy for the juvenile probationers and their parents is also a factor, said Chavez.

The people going to the JP's office will use the front door while the entrance to the JPO area will be the door located on the east.

Commissioner Gerald Wright said an advantage to having the juvenile office at the location would be not having as much vandalism at the courthouse.

Chavez agreed, saying his staff had caught some probationers putting graffiti in the restrooms and scratching woodwork as well as benches.

Commissioner Joe Wheeley said his consideration had been building problems at the Hobart Street location.

"If we're going to keep the building, we need to keep someone in it to keep it up."

County Maintenance Director Larry Andrus said the building is sound, and the only repairs needed are minor ones. He said some plumbing was replaced in the fall, and has worked perfect since then.

Air conditioning units that were used in the courthouse will be moved to the Lovett Building, said Peet. Also, the south wind can be used for storage, he said.

County Auditor Elaine Morris said the utility costs were reasonable at the building.

Judge Phil Vanderpool, who is judge for cases involving Child Protective Services cases, will also be housed at the location. The county is currently paying monthly rent of \$350-\$400, said Morris.

"There's no point in the county paying that rent when we have a space for him at this building," said Peet.

He said there is a possibility the state may start employing a full-time CPS attorney, adding that he did not know if the position would still be filled due to the seven percent cut to each state agency ordered a week ago by Governor Rick Perry.

Peet said a small conference room at the building could also be utilized as a courtroom by Vanderpool.

Keeping the offices at the

North Hobart location will help provide an office for the Crime Victim Assistance Coordinator. That position was created after the move from the courthouse, and is currently with the District Attorney's offices in the Combs-Worley building.

The commission will examine the possibility of also housing Constable James Lewis' offices on North Hobart.

**COLUMBIA**

Control somberly repeated over and over as no word or any data came from Columbia.

It was the 113th flight in the shuttle program's 22 years and the 28th flight for Columbia, NASA oldest shuttle.

In 42 years of U.S. human space flight, there had never been an accident during the descent to Earth or landing. On Jan. 28, 1986, space shuttle Challenger exploded shortly after liftoff.

On Jan. 16, shortly after Columbia lifted off, a piece of insulating foam on its external fuel tank came off and was

believed to have hit the left wing of the shuttle. Leroy Cain, the lead flight director in Mission Control, assured reporters Friday that engineers had concluded that any damage to the wing was considered minor and posed no safety hazard.

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**LINEMAN**

She said the crew members immediately started CPR on Urquhart's lifeless body when the accident occurred.

"They saved him," she said. "We want to thank everyone for all their prayers. That is why he's alive."

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INTEREST SURVEY**

Clarendon College-Pampa Center is busy considering and developing plans to expand its educational programs, offerings, and services. Your help is requested in assessing the need for our current programs and offerings as well as helping us identify courses, programs, and services which should be offered in Pampa. Please complete this brief survey and bring it by the new Pampa Center or mail it to: **Clarendon College-Pampa Center, 1601 W. Kentucky, Pampa, TX 79065** by Monday, February 24, 2003. The survey may also be completed by going to [www.clarendoncollege.edu/pccs](http://www.clarendoncollege.edu/pccs) and completing the survey on-line.

1. Have you ever taken a class at the Clarendon College - Pampa Center  Yes  No
2. I might be interested in  taking continuing education classes for fun and/or enrichment  
 taking classes to improve my job skills  
 enrolling in a technical program and earning a certificate  
 enrolling in a technical program and earning an Associate of Applied Science degree  
 enrolling in a academic classes and earning an Associate of Arts or Science degree  
 enrolling in a academic classes which transfer to a four-year institution  
 other \_\_\_\_\_
3. If you were to enroll in classes at the Pampa Center, when would be the most convenient time for you to take classes?  
 Mornings  Afternoons  Nights during the week  Weekends  Other \_\_\_\_\_
4. Are you interested in taking classes  taught over the Internet  taught by instructional two-way video (ITV)  
 other forms of non-traditional instruction \_\_\_\_\_
5. Current education level:  Currently enrolled in high school  High School Graduate / GED Certificate  
 College-level technical Certificate  Associate Degree  
 Bachelor's Degree  Graduate or Professional Degree

**CURRENT COURSES, AREAS OF STUDY AND PROGRAMS**

The following courses, areas of study, and/or programs are currently offered at the Clarendon College - Pampa Center, please indicate any and/or all areas that you might be interested in:

- Academic Programs and Transfer Courses:**
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Adm        | <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry            | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Info Systems | <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture        | <input type="checkbox"/> Biology                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Economics           | <input type="checkbox"/> Elementary Education | <input type="checkbox"/> English               | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science   | <input type="checkbox"/> Developmental Studies  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Management          | <input type="checkbox"/> Marketing            | <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics           | <input type="checkbox"/> Finance            | <input type="checkbox"/> History                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Allied Health   | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Dental           | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Law               | <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Political Science      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Optometry       | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Pharmacy         | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Physical Therapy  | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Medical        | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Nursing            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Work          | <input type="checkbox"/> Sociology             | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Vet            | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychology             |
|  |   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> Speech             | <input type="checkbox"/> Undecided / Undeclared |

**Certificate and Associate of Applied Science Degree Programs:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Maintenance             | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Networking  | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Maintenance & Networking Administration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Medical Services (EMT) | <input type="checkbox"/> Machining Technology | <input type="checkbox"/> Office Technology                                |

**NEW COURSES, AREAS OF STUDY, PROGRAMS, AND SERVICES BEING CONSIDERED**

The College is currently considering and developing plans to expand its educational programs, offerings, and services. Please indicate any and/or all of the areas that you might be interested in:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Automotive Tech    | <input type="checkbox"/> Air Cond & Heating  | <input type="checkbox"/> Child Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Art     | <input type="checkbox"/> Communications                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Justice   | <input type="checkbox"/> Drafting and Design | <input type="checkbox"/> Electronics       | <input type="checkbox"/> EMT Paramedic      | <input type="checkbox"/> English as a 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lang |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Graphic Arts       | <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Secretary     | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Secretary | <input type="checkbox"/> Registered Nursing |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vocational Nursing | <input type="checkbox"/> Welding             | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____       |   |  |

**NEW ENRICHMENT AND CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSES BEING CONSIDERED**

The College is currently considering expanding its continuing education programs (Classes offered for fun, enrichment, and/or to upgrade job skills.) Please indicate any and/or all of the areas that you might be interested in:

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|--|---|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Accounting            | <input type="checkbox"/> Aerobics and Fitness | <input type="checkbox"/> Art (Painting, Crafts, etc) | <input type="checkbox"/> College for Kids | <input type="checkbox"/> College for Seniors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Applications | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Maintenance | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Networking         | <input type="checkbox"/> Internet Classes | <input type="checkbox"/> Web Page Design     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dance                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Occupational Spanish | <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Planning          | <input type="checkbox"/> Gardening        | <input type="checkbox"/> GED Classes         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health Care           | <input type="checkbox"/> Interior Decorating  | <input type="checkbox"/> Martial Arts & Self Defense | <input type="checkbox"/> Music            | <input type="checkbox"/> Photography         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sports & Recreation   | <input type="checkbox"/> Scuba Diving         | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                 |   |  |

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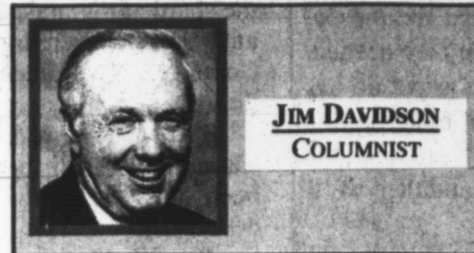
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# Don't put other people down

Several years ago, I had a neighbor who had a beautiful white dog that stayed in the house most of the time. Unfortunately, when the dog was let outside, he had a habit of visiting other neighbors' yards, bushes and flower beds, if you know what I mean.



**JIM DAVIDSON**  
COLUMNIST

One day another neighbor whose yard had been visited by this dog was irate and made a comment about the dog's owner. She said, "I think I will give her a piece of my mind." When the dog's owner heard about it, she responded, "If she gave it all, you still wouldn't have anything!"

While it's just human nature to respond to criticism in this manner, it's much harder to stop and consider whether or not the other person's criticism is justified. No one who lives in the city where houses are close together wants to have to watch where they step in their own yard, especially if they don't own a pet and the problem persists.

The problem here as it relates to good human relations is that it's much easier to put someone else down than it is to raise ourselves up. Unfortunately, because of the attitude of one neighbor and the resulting 'put down', both neighbors were losers and they missed the opportunity to be friends.

It's my belief that a lot of people today are being misled along these

lines, and here's an example. Sometime ago I was in a very large city in another state and was listening to the radio. The program I was listening to featured a well known psychologist and she took phone calls from listeners who were having stress and emotional problems. After listening to a caller for a few minutes, she then gave advice on how to cope with his or her problems. As I continued to listen I'm convinced that most of her callers were satisfied with her answers, because it was obvious that she was well qualified and knew what she was talking about.

Because of my extensive interaction with people, I picked up several things in this psychologist's answers that told me where she was coming from. First, her tone of voice was harsh, not soft and gentle, and the feeling of love toward others did not come through.

Next, she seemed to be elated when some of her callers (especially female callers), asserted they were going to do something for themselves for a change,

because they had been involved in taking care of others too long.

Before you misconstrue what I'm saying, let me be quick to add; there is certainly nothing wrong with wanting to be our own person, to have self-respect, and a certain degree of independence, but there is a real danger in not knowing when or where to stop.

In many cases, people like this become overly assertive and they go from driving a motorbike to a Sherman tank, and before long, they develop the attitude that they can "bulldoze" their way over everything and everyone who gets in their way. This type of person has little or no compassion for others.

Regardless of whether by conscious choice or just letting their selfish human nature take over, it's a shallow, short-sighted way to think and live. I believe the people who put stock in the kind of information this psychologist was putting out are being misled.

Sooner or later, regardless of what we say or the lifestyle we choose, we all have to come face-to-face with our Maker. We would be much better off if we would strive to always lift people up. In most cases, we can say what needs to be said without putting other people down.

(Write to Jim Davidson at 2 Bentley Drive, Conway, AR 72034.)

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Taxpayers take the loss

The letter to the editor in *The Pampa News* about the benefits derived from the now-defunct dairies in the Pampa area was interesting. However, before we can determine the benefits we need a few questions answered. How much PEDC money was given to both dairies (including incentives, loans, forgivable loans and grants)? The record I have shows a total of \$1,788,000 plus \$15,000 consultant fees. It also shows Moody Dairy, 24 jobs, and Top of Texas Dairy, 16 jobs - for a total of 40 jobs.

Assuming they provided 50 jobs as stated (which I have reason to doubt), how many of those jobs were filled by Pampa residents? How many jobs were filled by people from out of the Pampa area? How much of the earnings of these out-of-area employees was sent back home instead of being spent locally? Did the dairies purchase feed, chemicals, medications and supplies locally or did they purchase them from out-of-Pampa distributors? How much did Pampa taxpayers pay to educate the non-English speaking children of the employees? How many of the dairy employees drew welfare benefits and medical services in addition to their salaries?

I just cannot see that Pampa taxpayers got a return on their investment.  
 Shirley Nicholson  
 Pampa

The letter of Jan. 22 by the ex-director of the former Pampa Economic Development Corporation avoids any discussion of the financial issues created by the failure of the two dairies.

Funds borrowed by the PEDC to induce the dairies to come to Pampa amounted to \$1,765,000. Yes, you read it right - one million seven hundred sixty five thousand dollars - allocated as follows: A one million dollar grant to Moody's Dairy; a \$500,000 grant to Top of Texas Dairy with an additional \$250,000 in the form of a forgivable loan, plus a fee to a consulting firm on their behalf of \$15,000. (A grant is an outright gift and, in this case, with no strings attached.)

It would be great if each of us could enter the compassionate paradise where all mistakes are forgiven. However, most people must deal with economic reality in their own lives, for which no bail-out is provided.

The gentle philosophy of endorsing failure does not set well with those who believe that it is wrong to take money from one man who has earned it and give it to another who has not.

It is sad to see any business fold, and the chances of recovering anything from the dairies are slight, as their sole liability appears to be for the balance of the forgivable loan of \$250,000 on which PEDC holds third lien. The balance of the costs between the two dairies must be repaid with interest by the taxpayers, in addition to the existing debt from other companies that have defaulted in the past.

Edna L. Haydon  
 Pampa

The most perfidious type of theft is legalized theft, that is theft that is protected or sanctioned by law.

In my mind, the most blatant theft by our City Commission is the handling of the Section 53 property by the PEDC board and the City of Pampa.

In defiance of the Attorney General's opinion that all assets of the PEDC be sold and the proceeds used to pay off the PEDC debt, and in disregard of his warning that charges could be brought against responsible parties if the dissolution of the PEDC were not handled properly, the City of Pampa still insists that Section 53 be excluded from sale, while Pampa citizens continue to pay off the PEDC debt with a continuation of tax.

An appraisal of value is only a judgment. The only way a true value of an asset can be determined is with a well-advised public auction. This is the only honest and fair way to dissolve the PEDC multi-million dollar pork barrel.

\$1,000 for the option to buy the water rights on the Section 53 property for \$50,000 is ludicrous! Ask Boone Pickens what the value of the water rights of one section of land in that area is worth.

No intelligent person would buy a section of land without water rights, so the land has lost its value to any prospective buyer. In effect, what the City of Pampa and the PEDC have done is to devalue the taxpayer's asset (Section 53) from the \$600,000 or more, down to \$50,000 (the price the City will pay for the water). The taxpayer gets to pay the lost \$550,000 or more in the form of taxes.

Will the citizens of Pampa have to file criminal charges against our so-called representatives to get fair treatment?

Don Reed  
 Pampa



# Weather: A never-ending story

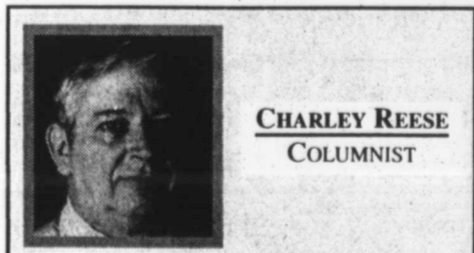
One of the eccentricities of journalism is that everything becomes a "story." Thus, meteorological data has not presented as just data. It has to be a story about "good weather" or "bad weather" or "record this" or "record that." It's all hokey, of course, since every aspect of weather is relative.

So-called normal temperatures and rainfalls are just 30-year averages, and as you might know, an average is a mathematical concept that has no counterpart in reality. The fact that in a certain area the 30-year average for rainfall on a given day is such-and-such number, and on this day it rained a bit less or a bit more, is not significant in the least.

Weather is cyclical. There are wet periods and dry periods and cold periods and warm periods; there are some years with lots of storms and some years with fewer storms. Hang around long enough in the temperate zones and you'll get to see a fair sample of every kind of weather there is.

I personally object to characterizing weather as good or bad. Sometimes I get bored with sunshine, and so I don't consider a rainy day "bad" weather. I like rain. If it's the time of the year when it's supposed to be cold and it is cold, I don't see that as much of a news story; ditto with hot weather in the summer.

There are some storms that can result in human death and injury and the destruction of property. The deaths



**CHARLEY REESE**  
COLUMNIST

and injuries and destruction of property are bad, but the weather, which caused it, is just weather, neither good nor evil. The wind blows as it must blow; the seas rise as it must rise. It seems stupid to me to be angry at a desert for being dry or at a swamp for being wet or at a storm for being a storm. Several thousand Americans each year die from falls, but I don't hear anybody condemning gravity. As for people who complain about it being hot in the summer and cold in the winter, they should pick the one they like best and move either north or south.

Unfortunately for those who believe in global warming, the factors involved in weather are too numerous and too variable to make any kind of prediction beyond a few days. When people say the climate will be this or that in the distant future, they are just talking about their computer models, which, compared with reality, are childishly simplistic. Computer models are just fancy spreadsheets where, when you change one number, all the other numbers are recomputed. Some folks like to play these computer games, imagining that they have recreated the biosphere

in their computers, but the atmosphere and the oceans are far too complex to reduce to a few data entries.

We just don't know what the climate will be in 30 years. People used to think the universe was like a clock, but we now know it is incredibly more complex and unpredictable than a mechanical model. I am much less worried about global warming than I am about wars fought over scarce mineral resources that will surely come unless we find ways to drastically reduce energy use.

Oil, while plentiful at the present time, will eventually be used up at the present rates of consumption, and that will happen in decades, not centuries. It certainly seems to be the policy of the United States to establish a permanent military presence in the great oil-reserve areas - the Caspian Sea and the Persian Gulf. As oil supplies grow scarcer, others will certainly fight for a share of what remains.

More people are likely to die from wars over resources and from the social conflicts of mass migrations than from any climate change, short of something catastrophic.

At any rate, I like to confine my list of worries to things that can be changed, and the weather is not one of them. I can set my thermostat and control my energy consumption, but God controls the one for Earth.

(Write to Charley Reese at P.O. Box 2446, Orlando, FL 32802)

Austin Elm recently announced roll for the grading period school year.

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#### Sydney F

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#### AB Honor

Maddox, Tyle Jacee Smith, Adam William

#### THIRD

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Brendon A Burrell, Autu

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Aaron Jime Kennedy, K Shannon L McClendon, L

Karami Rice, Rance Schir Sieck, Elizabe

Towry, Kait Jessica Zellefro

#### AB Honor

Brown, Sam

### THIRD

#### A Honor

Busse, Jacob Garcia, Marg Reid Miller, Al Colten Adam Aiken, Than Nakayla Har Hernandez, T Megan Port Stucker, Shelby Brandon Yate Allen, Jose Ca Hooker, Chelse Janell Parks, SH

#### AB Honor F

Carrasco, Mar Miranda Patter Ramey, Ashl Kolbi Furgas Thompson, La Braden Russe Stokes.

#### FOURTH

#### A Honor

Blaine, Alex C

### ST. V

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St. Vincen Catholic Sch announced its second nin ing period of school year.

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### AUSTIN ELEMENTARY HONOR ROLL

Austin Elementary School recently announced its honor roll for the third six-weeks grading period of the 2002-03 school year.

#### SECOND GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Aaron Allums, Patterson Alvey, Rachel Andrews, Jocelyn Brady, Kelsey Brookshire, Andrew Brown, Connor Brown, Cole Buck, Bethany Casas, Jonathan Cox, Ryne Davis, Ethan Defever, Robin Doan, Caleb Dunham, Madison Fatheree, Makayla Hampton.

Sydney Hoelting, Libby Howard, Riddhi Jani, Tamra Klusmeyer, Michael Landsverk, Cameron McDonald, Taylor Morgan, Nicholas Nelson, Zachary Peters, J.T. Preston, Caitlin Pruitt, Arin Rice, Ryan Smith, Dakota Watson, Nathan White, Kassidy Winegeart.

**AB Honor Roll.** Kody Maddox, Tyler Montgomery, Jacee Smith, Shawn Towe, Adam Williams.

#### THIRD GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Libby Aler, Brendon Aler, Brendon Burrell, Autumn Chidester, Latigo Collins, Cole Engle, Tara Garcia, Zac Hernandez, Aaron Jimenez, Taylor Kennedy, Kirsten Kuhn, Shannon Leigh, Collin McClendon, Landon Powell, Karami Rice, Rhett Roden, Rance Schindler, Caitlin Sieck, Elizabeth Terry, Nate Towry, Kaitlyn Troxell, Jessica Zellefrow.

**AB Honor Roll.** Lindsey Brown, Sam Cain, Magely

Cerda, Heather Coffee, Callie Hampton, Austin Hinkle, Harley Jacobs, Logan Karbo, Collin Killgo, Ty Linder, Kade Morse, Ryan Pearson, Railey Reeves.

#### FOURTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Payton Alvey, Olin Boyd, Karina Cabrales, Trent Carter, Nicholas Collins, Haley Copeland, Rejoice Duggan, Katie Dunham, Lane Dyer, Garrett Ericson, Holly Gage, Lysnie Guyer, Ashlee Holland, Paige Holt, Pierce Holt, Jackie Karson, Evan McElwain, Trevor McVay, Sissy Palmer, Brenden Rice, Garrett Sewell, Aaron Silva, Hannah Smith, Cameron Wall, Ty Youree.

**AB Honor Roll.** Erika Dodge, Brenna Ellison, Gavin Jimenez, Tyler Rabel, Shanda Roberts, Shaylie Thompson.

#### FIFTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Michael Adams, Cheyanne Collins, Craig Conner, Kimberly Curtis, Megan Gragg, Alyssa Hoelting, Savannah Hoover, Mary McKay, Samantha Pearson, Gabby Powell, Savannah Smith, Rebecca Taylor, Carlyn Teichmann, Emilie Troxell, Kelsey Watson, Hannah White, Ellen Whiteley, Leah Wilson.

**AB Honor Roll.** Evan Aderholt, Erin Buck, Rylan Clark, Corbin Clifton, Amanda Evans, Garrett Fatheree, Samantha Finney, Mitchell Killgo, Kelly Stoffle, Whitney Wade, Kayla Ware, Ashley Williams, Kade Wilson.

### TRAVIS ELEMENTARY HONOR ROLL

Travis Elementary School recently announced its honor roll for the third six-weeks grading period of the 2002-03 school year.

#### THIRD GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** KeEra Busse, Jacob Frost, Marco Garcia, Margo Mendoza, Reid Miller, Alanna Stephens, Colten Adams, Kendall Aiken, Thania Gayton, Nakayla Hardman, Laci Hernandez, Tierra Lewis, Megan Porter, Ashley Stucker, Shelby Worthington, Brandon Yates, Stephanie Allen, Jose Cabrales, Dylan Hooker, Chelsey McCallum, Janell Parks, Shane Smith.

**AB Honor Roll.** Margarita Carrasco, Mary Jo Collier, Miranda Patterson, Kendle Ramey, Ashley McCord, Kolbi Furgason, Schrade Thompson, Laura Kirkland, Braden Russell, McKinlee Stokes.

#### FOURTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Erica Blaine, Alex Collins, Jordan

Hukill, Emily Nicklas, Hayley Steger, Tyler Malone, Jenna Munsell, Rebecca Porter, Madilyn Shults, Danielle Wall, Dale Montgomery, Taryn Eubank, Kayla Hughes.

**AB Honor Roll.** Brittney Clark, Haley Clark, Rhett Skinner, Kyle Keith, Cali Gibson, Jessica James, Zoie Baten, Mandy Cross, Curston Finney, Cassie Rigney.

#### FIFTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Treva Miller, Kallie Marak, Brooklyn Barker, Garrett Coutts, Landon Long, Klarisse Espiritu-Santo, Robin Fernuik, Rachel Heuston, Janae McNeely, Braden Hunt, Brittney Pritchard, Collin Pursley, Kara Stephens.

**AB Honor Roll.** Mikala Furgason, Kelli Fields, Serina Wagner, Rebekah Bartel, Lauren Jacoby, Allison Ramey, Kristen Bivins, Tanner Davis, Jaymison King, Gabriel Rodriguez, Brittany Wheeler.

### ST. VINCENT'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School recently announced its honor roll for the second nine-weeks grading period of the 2002-03 school year.

#### FIRST GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Christian Free.

#### SECOND GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Molly Andorfer, Austin Ingram.

**AB Honor Roll.** Megan Barber, Oliver Cabrales, Benjamin Dietz, Corey

McCarn, James Thompson.

#### THIRD GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Jesus Cabrales.

**AB Honor Roll.** Stephanie Ronquillo.

#### FOURTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Rachel Andorfer.

**AB Honor Roll.** Juan Martinez, Gregorio Cabrales.

#### FIFTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll.** Ashley Facio.  
**AB Honor Roll.** Stormy Gree.

## Teleconference to launch financial aid month

AUSTIN — In recognition of Financial Aid Awareness Month, TG will host Applying for Financial Aid: The FAFSA Process, its eighth consecutive statewide teleconference to help students and families complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The FAFSA is the first application students must complete to determine their financial aid eligibility to receive grants, work-study and student loans. According to the U.S. Department of Education, nearly \$50 billion in federal grants, loans and work-study aid will be awarded for the 2003-2004 school year.

There is no cost to participants attending the event, which will be held Thursday, Feb. 6, 2003, from 7:00-8:30 p.m. (CST). Several host sites will be presenting the event in Spanish as well.

"Completing the FAFSA, which is comprised of approximately 100 questions, can be a lengthy process," said Richard Sapp, TG's director of awareness programs. "However, the teleconference is designed to help remove some of the frustration by taking students and their parents step-by-step through the entire application."

In addition to going through the FAFSA step-by-step, high school seniors viewing the teleconference at host sites can enter their names into a drawing to win one of six \$500 scholarships from TG or a complete computer system donated by the Higher Education Servicing Corporation (HESC) in Arlington.

To find a listing of available host sites for the broadcast, students and parents should go to TG's public service web site, Adventures in Education, at <http://www.adventuresineducation.org>. The site also includes additional information about what students need to bring with them to complete the FAFSA during the event.

"Organizations interested in serving as community host sites still have time to register. I encourage them to call and make a

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difference in the lives of students in their communities," said Sapp.

Any business, organization, school, or civic group interested in serving as a host site should call (800) 252-9743, ext. 2865 or send e-mail to [awareness@tgsic.org](mailto:awareness@tgsic.org).

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# Pampa Daily News

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PAMPA, GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 18th, 1927.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

## 3 ACCIDENTS TAKE HEAVY TOLL

### Hospital Funds are Growing Rapidly

#### CAMPAIGN IS WELL ON WAY AS MANY GIVE

At Noon More Than \$800 Had Been Raised

ONE MAN IS VERY LIBERAL

Goal of \$5,000 Is Expected To Be Reached

"Help the Hospital" tags were well sprinkled among the street crowds by noon today, when a total of more than \$800 had been donated to Pampa Hospital, Inc.

Directors of the institution and Mrs. Beverly Barker, who has leased it, were optimistic of the possibilities of raising the goal of \$5,000 by tomorrow evening. It was expected that \$2,000 would be raised today.

The drive began at 10 o'clock today, and at 11:30 a parade in which an ambulance with a much bandaged patient, attended by a nurse, was the feature, passed through the business section.

Committees from all of the churches and several other organizations are canvassing this afternoon. Megaphones are announcing the new project. Women are prominent among the workers. The school children are to give much of their time tomorrow.

Oil companies, who have strongly felt the need of the hospital, are among the most enthusiastic contributors today. One local resident jokingly deplored the efforts of a woman solicitor, then gave her a check for \$250. Business men are not only being "tagged," but are taking out stock in the corporation.

The \$5,000 is much needed for incidental expenses which are piling up at the time of opening. Every effort is being made to receive the first patients by May 1. About \$35,000 of the \$60,000 of stock must yet be raised by subscription.

Equipment has been ordered to make the hospital one of the best in the Southwest of its size. It will have a capacity of 55 patients.

Elda Reed is confined to his home by illness.

#### WRITE OUT ARTICLE ON PAMPA'S FUTURE

A city with as many natural resources as Pampa has does not judge the future by the present or the past. The advantageous location of Pampa is not being overlooked by those who are seeking opportunities for profitable investments.

It is time to look beyond the present and to plan for the future. WHAT WILL HAPPEN IN PAMPA WITHIN THE REMAINING MONTHS OF THIS YEAR? What will be her outlook January 1, 1928?

The Pampa Daily News is offering \$5, \$3 and \$2, respectively, for the best three articles of 1,200 words or less in the form of prophecies on the Pampa of December 31, 1927.

Many of the best articles will be printed. Now is the time for students, physicians, lawyers, real estate men, railroad men, housewives, and others to write out their ideas and send them to the Daily News. Manuscripts need not be typewritten, but they must be received by April 1.

Write out your article on Pampa's future today.

#### The King Is Ill — Here's His Son



King Alfonso of Spain is reported seriously ill with bronchial pneumonia. The Prince of Asturias, eldest son of King Alfonso of Spain, is the heir apparent to the Spanish throne.

#### Shanghai Laborers Call Strike And Prepare To Welcome Nationalists

SHANGHAI, China, March 18.—The general labor union today issued a communique calling a general strike to begin tomorrow noon.

The strike will continue until the Nationalists occupy Shanghai.

The communique calls on workers to maintain order and avoid becoming involved in any mob action, and notifies the public that the strike is purely of political nature, intended to show sympathy with the Nationalistic cause.

Detachments of Shantungese troops have been ordered along the Shanghai-Nanking railway to attempt to prevent workers from leaving.

#### FALL OF NANKING EXPECTED

SHANGHAI, China, March 18.—The fall of Nanking is hourly expected. It is regarded as significant that the Shantung forces are not offering serious resistance to the southern army.

#### American Note On Disarmament Is Distasteful to the French Nation

PARIS, France, March 18.—France is not likely even to send an observer to the three-power haval disarmament conference proposed by President Coolidge, it was stated today.

Washington's strong disagreement with the League of Nations' disarmament commission was made apparent in a note made public yesterday in Geneva, and considerable resentment is felt here.

England and Japan have notified the American president of their willingness to attend, but the effect of the note on their attitude has not been ascertained.

#### Cotton Bureau To Make Distribution Of Final Checks

DALLAS, March 21.—Several million dollars will be distributed to members of the Texas farm bureau cotton association within the next six weeks, Harry Williams, secretary-treasurer, said today.

Distribution of this fund will represent final settlement with members on the cotton to be marketed cooperatively.

#### Insull Named As Heavy Contributor To 1915 Campaign Fund

CHICAGO, March 18.—Samuel Insull, recently cited to the Senate for contempt of its campaign fund investigating committee, was named indirectly today by the people's "Developer for Mayor" committee as a contributor of \$100,000 to William Thompson's 1915 campaign fund.

#### Reed Declares That Sapiro and Clients Controlled Tobacco

DETROIT, March 18.—Resuming his statements on the activities of Aaron Sapiro, plaintiff in the million dollar libel suit against Henry Ford, Senator James Reed of Missouri, chief counsel for Ford, said he would show how Sapiro and his associates absolutely controlled the Burley tobacco associations referred to in yesterday's session.

#### New Secretary Of C. of C. Will Be Welcomed Monday

Last evening at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce it was decided to hold a mass meeting at the Chamber's rooms on Monday night at 8 o'clock to welcome the new secretary, W. S. Barcus, and also to discuss with the public the new fire truck which is to be purchased for Pampa.

#### CANCER TAKES STATE LEADER

##### Mississippi Governor Is Replaced by Dennis Murtree

JACKSON, Miss., March 18.—Governor Henry Whitfield of Mississippi died this morning of cancer of the bone, which first attacked his left leg and made amputation necessary November 30. Thirty days ago, after having returned to his executive duties, he was again forced to his bed. Lieutenant-Governor Dennis Murtree automatically became governor.

#### Dr. Cook May Be Tried Under Federal Charge

CLEVELAND, March 18.—Possibility of Dr. Frederick Cook's being brought to Cleveland to stand trial on indictments charging use of the mails to defraud is seen today, provided he is released from Leavenworth penitentiary under the conditional parole granted yesterday. United States District Attorney A. E. Herntstein today sent a telegram to the Leavenworth warden telling him of the federal indictment pending here.

FORT WORTH, March 18.—The order granting probatory freedom to Dr. Frederick A. Cook, serving a 14-year sentence in the Leavenworth penitentiary, is on its way to the prison and will be acted upon at once.

The prisoner will be paroled to Erskine Williams, Fort Worth attorney and churchman, while the government is preparing an appeal of the case which may go to the United States supreme court. District Attorney Henry Zweifel filed formal notice of appeal.

The probation, which is for five years, was granted under a law passed March 4, 1925, which gives federal district judges authority to liberate defendants, and the present case is one of the few in which this authority has been exercised. Government authorities deny that a judge has power to grant probation after a prisoner has begun serving his term, and a few cases thus far tried appear to be in conflict, according to Assistant District Attorney J. Forrest McCutcheon.

In holding in favor of Cook, Judge Wilson stated that the new law is "a radical departure, without parallel," and gives the trial judge control over the prisoner until the termination of the latter's sentence.

"The act gives District judges, in some senses, pardoning power not enjoyed by the president," said Judge Wilson.

He stated that in his opinion the original sentence against Cook was excessive, that Cook is now a pauper, and that if he served his full sentence he would be 75 years old when released.

Probation amounts virtually to suspended sentence. At the end of five years, he will be eligible for complete freedom by pardon and will be forced to return to prison unless the president commutes the sentence or grants pardon.

Probation differs from parole. Under parole a prisoner continues under observation until the limit of his sentence. Six previous probationary cases were cited by counsel in argument today. One of these is from Arkansas, one from Arizona, two from Nebraska, and two from California. The Arkansas case held that the judge did not have authority to grant probation after sentence had begun.

#### Mat Manager



Here's the only woman wrestling promoter. She is Mrs. Tom Law, of Wichita, Kas., who stages shows in that town with her husband and by herself when he is not around.

#### Tulane Student Kills Self As Result of Study

NEW ORLEANS, March 18.—Harold Bergot, 27 years old, a junior architectural student of Tulane university, shot and killed himself at his home today.

His parents attribute his act to over-study.

#### Arkansas Towns Swept By Storm Which Kills Seven

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 18.—Half a dozen small communities of Southwest Arkansas today are recovering from the shock of twisting winds which last night left a toll of seven known dead and a score or more injured, some critically.

The brunt of the storm centered around Klondike, where five lives were snuffed out and one person was seriously injured.

#### County Jail Is Full Following 2 Raids and Arrests

Officers last night made two raids which netted them a haul of seven gallons of corn liquor from a residence on the South Side, and three pints of the same beverage from the Ranger hotel.

One man was taken for window peeping and twelve are charged with drunkenness. L. R. Jenkins became intoxicated and started up Cuyler street in his Chevrolet and before he was stopped he had hit and slightly damaged two cars parked on the street, officers said.

#### HIGHWAY ASSOCIATION WILL ROUTE ROADS THROUGH PAMPA IF COUNTY BOND ISSUE PASSES

If the Gray county road bond issue passes, the Atlantic Pacific highway will likely be re-routed to come through Pampa and thence to Tucumcari and other Western points, according to information received by F. P. Reid.

The route now going from Canton, Okla., via Dalhart to Tucumcari, would be made to come through this city either by joining the Southwest Trail or by connecting with Highway 33-A at Elk City. The new way would be shorter and would combine the largest possible amount of hard surfaced road. This highway would be a fine one and would bring thousands of tourists through this county," it is believed.

"The Gray county bond issue if carried will be an investment to the taxpayers, rather than taxation," Mr.

#### 100 CHINESE DROWN IN SHIP NEAR LUCHOW

Five Occupants of Coupe Killed At Ottawa, Kans.

#### TEXAS WOMAN AND SON DIE

#### Three Men In Car Victims As Tree Is Hit

CHUNGKIAN, China, March 18.—More than one hundred persons are believed to have been drowned last night in the wrecking of a motor-driven vessel upon the Yangtze river near Luchow.

Most of them were soldiers. The disaster is attributed to the soldiers' demand that the vessel undertake to navigate this dangerous stretch of river at night.

#### FIVE KILLED AT CROSSING

OTTAWA, Kans., March 18.—A railroad crossing accident at Wellsville last night claimed all five occupants of a coupe counting the death today of Dale Gregory, 4-year-old son of Mrs. Paul Petrel of Wellsville, in a hospital here.

Mrs. Petrel, 22 years old; Mrs. Besie Jarrett, 21 years old, and her 11-month-old son, of Jacksonville, Texas; and William Hayes, 22 years old, died almost instantly when a Santa Fe train struck the car.

#### BATTLE CREEK, Mich., March 18.—Three men were killed instantly today when their automobile skidded and crashed into a tree near Bronson.

The victims were Roy Gibbs, John Hazel and Max Lehrke, all of Centerville, Mich.

#### Part of Fight Receipts Will Go To Hospital Fund

A percentage of the receipts of the boxing card to be offered Wednesday evening by George Hellman will be donated to the hospital fund, it was announced today.

Walter Varper, well known Ponca City, Okla., fighter, who was read at Baird, Texas, will meet Joe Kopecky in the main bout. There will be two four-round preliminaries and one six-round exhibition. Kopecky is a Texas man, and is a wrestler as well as a fighter.

The matches will be held at the skating rink beginning at 8:15 p. m. Workouts by the principals will be held at 5:30 p. m. next week at the rink.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lavender have moved to their new residence in the Lavender addition.

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UPCOMING EVENTS CALENDAR

**'LEGACY'**

The M.K. Brown "Legacy" book is currently on sale at White Deer Land Museum, Hastings and the Chamber of Commerce.

**PCCA**

Pampa Community Concert Association's 2002-03 season will kick-off with "Swingerhead" scheduled to perform at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 8, at Borger High School Auditorium. Borger's CCA will co-sponsor. Other upcoming PCCA presentations include: "Quintet of the Americas," Nov. 19; "The Ennis Sisters," Jan. 11; and "Dancing on Common Ground," March 18. All will be staged at 7:30 p.m., at M.K. Brown Auditorium in Pampa. For tickets or more information, contact Ruth Riehart, PCCA president, at 665-3362.

**TDHS VOLUNTEERS**

Texas Department of Human Services is seeking volunteers for its Texas Works Services Program. Tasks are varied and placement is based upon the volunteer's interest, capability and availability of openings. Hours are flexible. For more information, contact Beth Miller at 665-1863.

**CIVIC**

**AMARILLO AUDITIONS**

Auditions for Civic Amarillo's presentation of "Les Miserables" School Edition will be conducted Saturday, Feb. 8. The try-outs are open to full-time students age 10-19. Audition packages are currently available during normal business hours at Amarillo Civic Center Administration offices in downtown Amarillo.

**AMA FILM SERIES**

Amarillo Museum of Art will

**Summer Camp Fair in offing at university**

**CANYON**

Representatives from more than 15 different camps will be at West Texas A&M University to recruit summer employees during the University's 2003 Summer Camp Fair set for 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Monday, Feb. 3 in the Jack B. Kelley Student Center Commons.

The annual fair gives students an opportunity to find out more about summer camp employment. Recruiters will be looking for camp counselors, lifeguards and employees for specialized areas such as horseback riding and crafts. The recruiters will be on hand to provide detailed information about their camps, and many will have applications available. Those attending the event should be prepared for interviews.

"The Summer Camp Fair is an excellent opportunity for students of any major to work in a fun environment," Elise Copeland, coordinator of WTAMU's Student Employment Services, said. "They gain skills such as leadership, communication and teamwork that will prove valuable for future employment."

Potential earnings from summer camp employment can range anywhere from \$1,000 to \$4,000 with very few expenses for the employee.

Some of the camps scheduled to attend include Camp Champions, Marble Falls; Camp Classen YMCA, Davis, Okla.; Camp Don Harrington/Camp M.K. Brown, Amarillo; Camp Monakiwa, Lubbock; Star Ranch, Ingram; Texas Lions Camp, Kerrville; and YMCA Camp Flaming Arrow, Hunt.

The Summer Camp Fair is presented by WTAMU Student Employment Services along with Career and Counseling Services, Recreational Sports and the Residence Hall Association.

conduct an installment of its "Talking Pictures Film Series" at 2 p.m., Feb. 9, in the museum library on the film "Jonah, Who Will be 25 in the Year 2000" directed by Alain Tanner. The film was shot in Switzerland in 1976 and is a medley of conversation, song, fantasies, speeches, and more. Ben Lifson, guest scholar, will preside over the series.

**PAMPA BOOK CLUB**

Pampa Book Club will meet at 10 a.m., Wednesday, Feb. 12 at Lovett Memorial Library. The group will be discussing books by Willa Cather. Visitors are welcome.

**MISS TEEN**

**ALL AMERICAN**

Miss Teen All American Pageant officials are currently seeking participants for the contest to be staged July 31-Aug. 3 in Miami, Fla. Deadline for entry is Feb. 14. For more information, contact Marie P. Sweeney at 1-304-242-4900 or e-mail teenal@aol.com.

**SORGHUM**

**CONFERENCE**

National Grain Sorghum Producers will sponsor the 2003 Sorghum Industry Conference and 23rd Biennial Research and Utilization Conference Feb. 16-18 at the Albuquerque Marriott in Albuquerque, N.M. For more information, call (806) 749-3478.

**IMMUNIZATION CLINIC**

The Texas Department of Health will be offering immunization clinics for vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases including polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, mumps, HIB (haemophilus influenzae Type B) and chickenpox (varicella). Flu vaccines may also be offered at designated clinics. The TDH will charge money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability to pay. The following clinics will be offered: 9:30 a.m.-12 noon and 1-4 p.m., Jan. 15, TDH, 736 S. Cuyler, Pampa; 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Jan. 17, Miami School, Miami; 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Jan. 22, Wheeler School, Wheeler; and 11 a.m.-12 p.m. and 1-4 p.m., Jan. 27,

Canadian City Hall, Canadian.

**HARRINGTON CANCER CENTER**

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center has announced the following upcoming breast cancer screening clinics: Jan. 23, First United Methodist Church, and Jan. 28 and Feb. 25, Shephard's Crook Nursing Agency, Pampa; Jan. 1 and 15 and Feb. 5, Hemphill County Hospital, Canadian; Feb. 26, Lefors Civic Center, Lefors; Feb. 10, Lovett Memorial Library, McLean; Feb. 7, Family Care Center, Shamrock; and Jan. 28 and Feb. 25, Parkview Hospital, Wheeler. Participants will receive a low-cost self-exam mammogram and a breast health appraisal along with individual instruction by a registered nurse in breast self-examination. Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for Texas residents who qualify for assistance. All exams are by appointment only. For more information, call (806) 356-1905 or 1-800-377-4673.

**POETRY CONTEST**

Friendly Poets Society is currently sponsoring a free special religious poetry contest. To enter, send one poem 21 lines or less to: Free Poetry Contest, 2255 N. University Pkwy Ste 15 #196, Provo, Utah 84604, or enter on-line at www.friendlypoets.com. Deadline for entries is March 5.

**HARRINGTON**

**QUARTET**

Harrington String Quartet will perform its 21st anniversary

season in 2002-03. The quartet will perform four subscription concerts on the following dates: Sept. 14, 2002; Nov. 16, 2002; March 8, 2003; and May 17, 2003. For ticket information, call the Amarillo Symphony Box Office at (806) 376-8782.

**TREE SEEDLINGS**

Gray County Soil and Water Conservation District is accepting orders for wind-break and wildlife tree seedlings and shrubs. The program is designed to offer tree seedlings at a nominal cost for environmental and protection purposes. The seedlings will arrive in the district office at the end of March. The deadline for ordering the seedlings is March 10, 2003. SWCD officials encourage early orders as many species sell-out very quickly. For more information, call 665-1751, ext. 102.

**UNIVERSITY OF MOBILE**

The University of Mobile, Alabama, will stage auditions for vocal, piano and instrumental music scholarships for the fall 2003 academic year on March 15 at the university. For more information or to schedule an audition, contact Dr. Thomas Rowell, chairman of Fine Arts, at (251) 442-2420 or visit www.umobile.edu/msaud on-line. The university will also be holding a "Spring Preview Day" during which students can earn a \$500 scholarship just for attending. To make a reservation or for more details about "Spring Preview Day," contact the office of

admissions at (251) 442-2273 or 1-800-946-7267.

**CRAFTHOUSTON 2003**

The Houston Center for Contemporary Craft is seeking entries for "CraftHouston 2003: National Juried Exhibition" to be staged Aug. 8 through Oct. 12 at the center. The entry deadline is April 15. For more information, call (713) 529-4848, ext. 106; e-mail vberry@craftouston.org; visit www.craftouston.org; or write Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, 4848 Main St., Houston, TX 77002.

**USS SPERRY**

The USS Sperry Association is seeking former shipmates who served between 1942-82 for a reunion celebration. For more information, call (517) 784-7810; write George Gallas, secretary, USS SPERRY (AS-12) Association, Jackson, MI 49203-1521; or e-mail george-carole@modem-pool.com.

**LST ASSOCIATION**

**REUNION**

The U.S. Association will hold a reunion for all LSTers, from World War II to the present date, March 20-22, 2003, at the Holiday Inn South on I-35

West in Fort Worth. For more information, contact Bob Garner LST 461, HC 52 Box 362, Hemphill, TX 75948; 1-800-2-228-5870; USLST: @KMBS.Com (e-mail).

**LLANO ESTACADO**

**CLAY GUILD**

Llano Estacado Winery and Clay Guild of Lubbock announce the Sixth Annual Wine and Clay Festival to be held June 7 and 8 at the winery, 3.2 miles east of US 87 on FM 1585. The event will include ceramic art, wine tasting, clay demonstrations and more. For more information, call (806) 748-9337 or (806) 745-2258.

**HOLLINGHEAD**

**REUNION**

The Hollingshead family reunion will be held August 2003 at Moorestown, N.J. The first Hollingsheads arrived in the American colonies around 1700. If you are a descendant or know one who might be interested, more information is available from Brian Hollingshead at HYPERLINK hollingshead@telus.net or write: 2692 Mountview Place, Burnaby, BC, V3J 1E3, Canada.

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# CALENDAR ITEMS

## COMMUNITY, CHURCHES

**ACCORD.** Gray County Chapter of Active Citizens Concerned Over Resource Development in Agriculture, Inc. (ACCORD INC.), meet the first and third Thursday of each month, 7 p.m., at the Lovett Memorial Library. For information, call 665-8516 or 665-7659.

**Boy Scouts.** Boy Scout leaders meet at 6:30 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at First Presbyterian Church of Pampa. The Golden Spread Council of Boy Scouts of America is open to boys between the ages of 6 and 18 and includes a 27-county area in the Texas Panhandle. The BSA program includes Club Scouts, Boy Scouts and Venturing, a new program for 14- to 20-year-old boys and girls. For more information, call (806) 358-6500.

**Celebration of Lights.** The Celebration of Lights project will hold regular workshop meetings at 6:30 p.m. on Monday nights at 822 E. Foster. Anyone wishing to help with the project is invited to attend any work session.

**Clean Pampa, Inc.** Clean Pampa, Inc., holds its monthly membership meeting at 12 noon on the second Tuesday of each month at Clint and Sons, 1421 N. Hobart. The public is welcome. No fee to join. For more information, call 665-2514. Office hours are 11:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

**Eastern Star.** Pampa Chapter No. 65, Order of the Eastern Star meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. at 420 West Kingsmill.

**Fellowship of Christian Cowboys.** The Fellowship of Christian Cowboys potluck will meet on the fourth Saturday of each month at 6 p.m. in the Clyde Camuth Pavilion. For more information, contact Jim Greene at 665-8067 and Bill Kidwell at 669-6347. For memorials or donations write Fellowship of Christian Cowboys, P.O. Box 91, Pampa, TX 79065.

**Girl Scouts.** Pampa Girl Scouts meets at 7 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at Pampa Girl Scout House on Kingsmill.

**Gospel Singing.** First Pentecostal Holiness Church, 1700 Alcock, hosts a Gospel Singing from 2-4 p.m. every second Sunday of the month. Pastor Albert Maggard and the congregation of First Pentecostal cordially invites the public to attend. Singers and musicians from area churches participate in this informal congregational singing and enjoy various special vocal and instrumental presentations.

**Highland Baptist.** Highland Baptist Church, 1301 N. Banks, will host prayer time from 11 a.m.-2 p.m., each Thursday with a special time of prayer from 12:15-12:30 p.m. For more information, contact the church office at 669-6509.

**Macedonia Baptist Church.** Macedonia Baptist Church, 441 Elm, will hold daily prayer services at 7:30 a.m., 12 noon and 6 p.m. for the citizens of Pampa — churches, schools, etc. The prayer services are open to everyone. For more information, call 665-4926.

**Pampa Area Literacy Council.** Pampa Area Literacy Council office is open from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday. For more information, call 665-2331.

**Pampa Masonic Lodge #966.** Pampa Masonic Lodge #966 meets Thursdays at 7 p.m. at 420 W. Kingsmill.

**Pampa Ministerial Alliance.** Pampa Area Ministerial Alliance meets the first Monday of every month. Location changes monthly.

**Pampa Prison Ministry.** The Pampa Prison Ministry meets the first Tuesday of every month at Central Baptist Church located at Francis and Starkweather at 7 p.m. sharp. For further information call or J.B. Walker at 669-2266.

**RCIA.** St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church hosts Rite of Christian

Initiation of Adults (RCIA) beginning at 7:15 p.m., Wednesdays at 2004 Williston. For more information, call Aloise Martin at 883-4901 or Peggy Rodriguez at 669-2683.

**Red Cross.** Gray County Chapter of the American Red Cross is seeking volunteers from the community to respond during times of crisis in Pampa and other parts of the county. As well as personal satisfaction, volunteers learn how to protect themselves and cope with disaster by planning ahead, particularly essential during tornado season. In addition, ARC is willing to deliver informational discussions on disaster preparedness to area church or community organizations. For more information, call (806) 669-7121.

**St. Mark CME Church.** St. Mark will host a monthly breakfast the first Saturday of every month from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. Donations will be accepted.

**Story Hour.** Lovett Memorial Library will offer a story hour at 10 a.m., every Tuesday. The free program is open to children 18 months to 6 years of age and will include stories, crafts and other activities. No registration is required. For more information, call the library at 669-5780.

**Texas Department of Human Services.** Texas Department of Human Services is seeking volunteers for its Texas Works Services Program. Tasks are varied and placement is based upon the volunteer's interest, capability and availability of openings. Hours are flexible. For more information, contact Beth Miller at 665-1863.

**Veterans.** To recognize the contributions Texas veterans have made to the liberty we enjoy, Memory Gardens Cemetery is assigning grave spaces to honorably discharged veterans of the U.S. Armed Forces. If you are a veteran, you may be qualified for free burial space. However, you must register to obtain the free plot and you must show proof of honorable discharge. A number of veterans' spaces are available. Certificates will be issued on a first come, first serve basis. For more information, call (806) 665-8921.

**VFW Bingo.** Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #1657, 105 S. Cuyler, Charity Bingo every Wednesday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Doors open one hour early. No one under 18 allowed. Public is welcome. License No. 1-75-6037422-9. For more information contact Edgar D. Carson, 669-0853 or 669-1264.

## CLUBS, ASSOCIATIONS, ETC.

**American Legion.** American Legion Post 334 meets at 7 p.m., the third Thursday of each month at Freedom Museum, 600 N. Hobart.

**Butterfly Garden Club.** The Butterfly Garden Club of America offers free butterfly garden seeds (with growing instructions). To receive a packet, send a long SASE with two stamps to: The Butterfly Garden Club of America, P.O. Box 629, Burgin, KY 40310. Limit one free packet per household. Additional packets are available for \$1 each.

**Golden Spread Coin Club.** Golden Spread Coin Club, originally Amarillo Coin Club, meets at 7 p.m. the first Monday of each month. GSCC is a member of American Numismatic Association. For more information, call (806) 352-8281 or (806) 342-9536.

**Gray Co. Ass'n for Retarded Citizens.** Gray County Association for Retarded Citizens meets at 7 p.m. the first Monday of every month at Pampa Sheltered Workshop.

**Gray Co. Extension Education.** Gray County Extension Education meets at 1:30 p.m. the first Monday of each month at Gray County Courthouse Annex.

**Gray Co. Genealogical Society.** Gray County Genealogical Society meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Monday of each month in the Gray County Sheriff's Department classroom. (Enter through the north door of the jail building.) For membership inquiries, contact Harley Madison at 669-6294.

**Las Pampas Water Garden and Koi Society.** Las Pampas Water Garden and Koi Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Monday of each month at First Landmark Building in the Pampa Mall. For more information, contact Sharron Andrew at 665-6138 or Loyd Waters 665-6466.

**Magic Plains ABWA.** Magic Plains Chapter of the American Business Women's Association will meet at 7 p.m. the second Monday of each month at The Coffee Shop, 220 N. Cuyler. Working business

women are invited to attend. For more information, call Pat Winkleblack at 669-7828 or Estelle Malone at 669-9614.

**Pampa Citizens on Patrol Ass'n.** Pampa Citizens on Patrol Association meets at 8 p.m. the second Saturday of each month at 824 S. Cuyler.

**Pampa Duplicate Bridge Club.** The Pampa Duplicate Bridge Club plays Monday at 1 p.m. and Thursdays at 10 a.m. at The Senior Citizens. For a partner, or more information, please call Carol Carpenter at 669-7940.

**Pampa Fine Arts Ass'n.** Pampa Fine Arts Association Board of Directors will meet at 7 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at Pampa Community Building (Chamber building).

**Pampa Garden Club.** Pampa Garden Club meets at 2 p.m. the second Monday of each month from September through May. Meeting location changes monthly.

**Pampa Pilots Ass'n.** Pampa Pilots Association meets at 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at the Airport Lounge.

**Pampa Rotary Club.** Pampa Rotary Club meets at 12 noon every Wednesday at Pampa Country Club.

**Pampa Takedown Club.** Pampa Takedown Club Wrestling for youth 5-15 years of age. Practice is at 900 N. Frost. Season starts Sept. 25 through February. For more information, call Rick Unguhart at 665-8321.

**Pampa Woodcarving Club.** Pampa Woodcarving Club meets at 7 p.m., the second and fourth Thursday of each month at First Christian Church, 1633 N. Nelson. Meetings are open to any individuals interested in woodcarving from beginners to all experience. Projects and instructors are available. For more information, call 669-3008.

**Panhandle Piecemakers Quilt Guild.** Panhandle Piecemakers Quilt Guild meets at 6:30 p.m. the fourth Thursday of each month at Pampa Senior Citizens Center.

**Shrine Club.** Pampa Shrine Club holds a covered dish meeting at 7 p.m. every third Friday of each month at the Sportsman's Club on South Barnes.

**Top O' Texas Rodeo Ass'n.** Top O' Texas Rodeo Association meets at 7:30 p.m. the first Monday of every month in the Nona S. Payne Room of Pampa Community Building.

## MUSEUMS, MILITARY

**82nd Airborne.** The 82nd Airborne Division Association is seeking new members. Airborne is the only requirement for membership. The Association holds a national reunion each year plus many mini-reunions, picnics and dinner dances. For more information, write AIRBORNE 2001, 5459 Northcutt P, Dayton, OH 45414-3742; or call S.R. Gossett (WWII) at (937) 898-5977.

**Freedom Museum USA.** Freedom Museum, USA, 600 N. Hobart is open from 12-4 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday. Revolutionary War to Kosovo. All branches of service are represented. For more information, call 669-6066.

**Harrington House.** The 2001 tour season for Harrington House, 1600 S. Polk, Amarillo, is in full swing. Built in 1914 by cattlemen John and Pat Landergin, the house was acquired in 1940 and preserved by Don and Sybil Harrington. The hour-long tours are conducted from 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, April through mid-December. There is no admission fee. For more information call (806) 374-5490.

**Old Mobeetie Jail Museum.** Old Mobeetie Jail Museum in Mobeetie offers various volunteer opportunities to interested individuals. For more information, call (806) 845-2028.

**PPHM Story Time.** Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum in Canyon will present "Story Time" at 2:30 p.m. every second Saturday of each month except December and January on the second floor of the museum. For more information, contact PPHM at (806) 651-2244.

**USS Columbus.** USS Columbus Veterans Association is seeking Navy and Marine Corps shipmates who served on the USS Columbus (CA-74/CG-12) 1944-1976 and the USS Columbus (SSN-762) past and present. Contact Alvin S. Lewis, president, 726 E. Covina Blvd., Covina CA 91722-2955; (626) 339-3568; e-mail homeport@lewis-graving.com

**White Deer Land Museum.** White Deer Land Museum (112-116 S. Cuyler) winter visiting hours are 1-4 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday. No charge for admission; elevator provided.

## EDUCATION, PSAs

**ACT, ACT, Inc.** education and career planning organization has announced the following do-it-yourself college planning resources on the Internet: [www.act.org/fane](http://www.act.org/fane), [www.c3apply.org](http://www.c3apply.org), [www.collegenet.com](http://www.collegenet.com), [www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org), [www.ed.gov/finaid.html](http://www.ed.gov/finaid.html) and [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) (financial aid sites), and [www.bls.gov/oco/home.htm](http://www.bls.gov/oco/home.htm) (career planning).

**ANIMALPRINTS.COM.** AnimalPrints.com has dedicated \$1 from each sale of a newly released series of artist's prints to benefit animals in need. For more information or to view the prints, go to [AnimalPrints.com](http://AnimalPrints.com) on the Internet.

**AIYSE.** American International Youth Student Exchange Program is seeking American high school students, ages 15-19, to participate in its foreign exchange program. Students will spend a semester or year with an European family or participate in a 4- to 6-week family stay abroad in the summer. Students are screened by AIYSEP school counselors and educators in local schools. To qualify, students must have evidence of maturity, superior character and knowledge of English and a foreign language. For more information, call 1-800-347-7575 or visit [www.aise.com](http://www.aise.com) on the World Wide Web.

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# MEDICAL

## Physicians take streets to win malpractice reforms amid disputes over what will work

By LINDA A. JOHNSON  
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

TRENTON, N.J. (AP) — Doctors overwhelmed by ballooning malpractice insurance premiums are taking to the streets like never before — rallying, demanding government reform and in a few states, walking off the job.

The American Medical Association, which opposes withholding patient services, says such vocal action by the nation's doctors is unprecedented. The AMA considers 12 states to be in crisis and lists 31 others as having serious problems with malpractice insurance.

In recent weeks, doctors in Florida, Mississippi and West Virginia temporarily stopped some patient services. In New Jersey, doctors are threatening a boycott of non-emergency services starting Monday.

"I never dreamed of being politically involved in anything with this kind of magnitude," said Dr. Alan Zaccaria, a plastic surgeon in Little Silver who is helping organize the job action. "I've been the most apolitical person in the world and now I've been thrown in the lion's den."

New Jersey is one of the most recent states where patients and lawmakers are beginning to feel the effects of the doctors' anger.

"We're losing our best doctors," said Dr. Steven Berkowitz, legislative chairman of the Orthopedic Surgeons of New Jersey. "We believe essential patient services, such as obstetrical care, trauma centers and neurosurgery, may soon be unavailable."

That's because doctors in such high-risk specialties are sued most often and some now face premiums over \$200,000 a year. To get new policies in January,

some had to reduce coverage or drop the risky part of their practice.

The level of frustration became evident last year when doctors in 10 states held at least two dozen rallies, visited their statehouses and Congress en masse, and put petitions and form letters in their waiting rooms for patients to sign. Such efforts continue this year, and at least 30 states are to debate some type of malpractice legislation.

Last fall, a study found up to one-fourth of obstetrician-gynecologists in some crisis states had stopped delivering babies or planned to do so because of unaffordable premiums. Other doctors in crisis states are retiring early or moving where premiums are lower.

Dr. David Sedor, a neurosurgeon in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., said that with only three malpractice insurers writing policies in his state, the only premium quote he could get for his upcoming renewal is for \$290,000.

"It's heartbreaking, because all I ever wanted to do is come back and take care of people in my community," he said. "It's sad I might not be able to keep doing it."

In the neighboring state of West Virginia, about two dozen surgeons staged a nine-day walkout over premiums a few weeks ago. State lawmakers are trying to come up with a solution.

In Florida more than 800 doctors in the Palm Beach area stayed off the job for two days last week. In Mississippi, a dozen surgeons took similar action at four Gulf Coast hospitals.

Last summer in Nevada, doctors temporarily closed the top level trauma center in Las Vegas, forcing critically injured patients to be transferred. The legislature adopted some reforms, including a \$350,000 cap on awards in

malpractice suits, but now doctors are complaining of loopholes.

Nationwide, doctors have certainly won lawmakers' attention. They cheered when President Bush renewed his call Jan. 16 for legislation cracking down on frivolous lawsuits and setting a \$250,000 cap on awards for pain-and-suffering damages.

Malpractice insurers also praised that plan, as did the trade group for HMOs, which says stopping frivolous lawsuits will cut down on unnecessary tests and treatments ordered for fear of lawsuits. Attorney groups and a coalition called Americans for Insurance Reform oppose such limits, saying they will harm patients' ability to sue and won't bring down doctors' premiums, even if they save insurers money.

With Republicans in control of both houses, experts think the proposal will pass, but might be watered down to the point of ineffectiveness.

Doctors and insurers are pushing for similar reforms in several states.

But there is just as much disagreement about which changes might help curb premiums as there is about the causes of the crisis, the third since the mid-1970s.

Generally, lawyers blame insurance companies for not managing their finances well. Insurance companies claim juries give excessive awards and lawyers file meritless lawsuits. Doctors blame lawyers and insurers.

The issue is even more complex, though.

Many experts and doctors say this crisis is worse than the previous two, partly because doctors previously could pass on part of their rising premiums to patients. Now most of their rates are

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## UT researchers link gene to abnormal heart growth

DALLAS — Researchers at UT Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas have identified a gene they believe could predict risk for developing enlarged hearts and lead to treatments to control life-threatening heart growth.

In a study, published in a recent edition of Cell, a team led by Dr. Eric Olson, chairman of molecular biology at UT Southwestern, reports that the gene HDAC9 limits abnormal heart-muscle growth.

Olson said doctors have long understood that the heart becomes enlarged — a condition called cardiac hypertrophy — when it responds to stresses, including irregular heartbeat and high blood pressure.

Enlarged hearts frequently become dilated — their inner chambers stretched beyond normal size — and work less efficiently. The excess muscle also can disrupt the electrical signals that control heart rhythm. Cardiac hypertrophy frequently is a cause of sudden death among young athletes, who suffer cardiac arrest due to enlarged hearts without ever knowing they had the condition.

"Stress accelerates hypertrophic growth, and HDAC9 functions to restrict cardiac growth," said Olson. "If HDAC9 isn't present, it's like you have no brakes and the heart grows uncontrolled."

The new research also shows that HDAC9 specifically restricts cardiac growth in response to stress, but it does not restrict normal cardiac growth during development or in response to exercise.

Previous research had demonstrated that when the heart works harder than normal, a calcium sensor called

calcineurin is activated and drives heart-muscle growth. The researchers showed that HDAC9 counteracts the calcineurin activity to short-circuit muscle growth.

While the gene doesn't completely stop heart enlargement,

UT Southwestern researchers showed that HDAC9's presence significantly slows growth. Olson said the next step is to look at human subjects to see if abnormalities in HDAC9 coincide with abnormal heart growth.

"This gene exhibits the properties of a susceptibility gene for hypertrophy," Olson said. "In principle we eventually could identify people who don't have enlarged hearts but have mutations in that gene and tell them they're at risk."

During the study Olson's

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**CHIROPRACTIC OUTLOOK**  
by  
Dr. Mark W. Ford, Jr.

### TIZETZ'S MIMICS A HEART ATTACK

Experiencing chest pains can be very troubling. Immediately the person thinks the worst - a heart attack. If a cardiovascular specialist does not find any immediate threat, the problem may be Tietze's Syndrome, a swelling of the cartilage connecting the ribs to the breastbone. The condition can develop from any trauma or strain to the rib cage, such as a car accident, moving a heavy object or playing sports. Individuals affected by Tietze's Syndrome complain of chest pain that may radiate to the shoulder or arms. The associated discomfort, especially when taking deep breaths or coughing and sneezing, normally lasts between four and eight weeks. It is believed that Tietze's Syndrome accounts for thirty percent of people going to the emergency department. After cardiac concerns are eliminated, the patient should see a Doctor of Chiropractic. He/She will do a complete evaluation of the front and back of the rib cage and correct the rib subluxation with gentle adjustments - so that the pain dissipates rather than spreads to the shoulder and arms. The patient and chiropractor will also discuss any ongoing trauma that may be linked to the condition that can be eased or eliminated. The sooner the treatment begins, the less the pain and the earlier the problem is relieved.

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## OHS/WIC to offer classes on importance of folic acid

The local Outreach Health Services (OHS) Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Clinic and other OHS/WIC clinics across the state are offering classes on the importance of folic acid to women of childbearing age in an effort to educate all women on the importance of folic acid in their daily dietetic routine.

"Having a healthy baby means making sure the expectant mother is healthy," said Ann Latham, registered licensed dietitian and an assistant director for the OHS/WIC program. "Making sure you get enough folic acid, especially before conception and during the first trimester, is one of the most important things you can do to help prevent serious birth defects in your baby."

Folic acid, sometimes called folate or vitamin B9, has been proven to reduce the risk of babies being born with serious birth defects. Between the 17th and 30th days after conception, a neural tube develops in the womb and when it closes it becomes the baby's spinal cord, spine, brain and skull. A birth defect occurs when the neural tube fails to close properly, leaving the developing brain or spinal cord exposed.

The two most common defects are spinal bifida and anencephaly.

Because the development occurs before most women even realize they are pregnant, all women of childbearing age should consume at least 400 micrograms (mcg) of folic acid each day.

Several easy ways are available for a woman to up her intake of folic acid:

—Take a vitamin with 400 mcg of folic acid every day. Both folic acid pills and multivitamins can be bought at grocery stores, pharmacies or discount stores.

—Eat a bowl of breakfast cereal that contains 100 per-

cent of the daily value of folic acid per serving.

—Eat a health diet that contains lots of fruits and vegetables and foods fortified with folic acid.

"Enriched" cereal grain products such as pastas, rice, bread, flour and cereals have been fortified with certain amounts of folic acid in most cases. Foods containing folate include fruits and orange juice from concentrate; green, leafy vegetables; and dried beans and legumes.

"Several WIC-approved foods, such as peanut butter, orange juice, cereal and beans, contain folic acid," Latham said. "You can get folic acid from foods, but most women don't get enough every day from food alone. Taking a daily vitamin that contains 400

micrograms of folic acid is the easiest way to be sure your body gets enough folic acid and the best way to prevent a neural tube defect."

Since unplanned pregnancies are quite common, it is important for all women of childbearing age to receive enough folic acid in their diets. According to the Nemours Foundation, a pediatric group that cares for more than 225,000 children with complex or chronic medical conditions, doctors and scientists still are not sure why folic acid has such a profound effect on the prevention of neural tube defects, but they do know it is crucial in a baby's development.

Outreach Health Services Women, Infants and Children Clinics across the state offer

classes on importance of folic acid to women of childbearing age. For more information, contact the Pampa WIC Clinic at (806) 665-1182 or visit [www.outreachhealth.com](http://www.outreachhealth.com) on the Internet.

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# SPORTS

## Spurs edge by Magic on Duncan's basket

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Tracy McGrady thought the Orlando Magic's latest close defeat was a moral victory. His coach thinks it was just another "L" in the standings. McGrady scored 12 of his 35 points in the fourth quarter, topping the 30-point mark for the seventh straight game, but he missed a potential winning shot at the buzzer as Orlando fell to the San Antonio Spurs 109-108 on Friday night.

"The way we played those guys, and that's a great team over there, it gives us confidence going into the next game," said McGrady, who also had seven rebounds and six assists. "Actually, I don't feel as bad as I thought I would."

Coach Doc Rivers com-

mended his team on its grit, only to wonder when the character-building would stop and the winning would start.

"Our team has to be extremely resilient because every time people talk about what we don't have, we seem to show amazing courage against quality teams," said Rivers, whose squad has lost six of its last nine home games. "We've got to pull these out, we've got to pull some of these out — really frustrating."

Leading San Antonio, as usual, was Tim Duncan, who had 23 points, 17 rebounds and six assists. His put-back off his own miss with 4 seconds left gave the Spurs the victory.

"On my move, I got hit in

the eye and didn't think I was going to get it off," said Duncan, who had nine of the Spurs' 16 offensive rebounds. "I just kind of threw it up there. I just followed it."

"In that situation, we have to make him earn it at the free throw line," said Orlando center Andrew DeClercq, who blamed himself for not fouling Duncan.

McGrady's jumper with 13.5 seconds to play put the Magic ahead by one, but Orlando couldn't keep Duncan off the boards as he hit his second game-winning shot in a week. Last Friday in Utah, Duncan backed down Karl Malone before hitting a turnaround jumper as the horn sounded.

"In the end, it came down

to the All-Stars," David Robinson said. "T-Mac made a big shot, the Timmy came back and made a great move."

Robinson scored a season-high 20 points, including two go-ahead free throws with 26.9 seconds to play, as the Spurs had six players score in double figures. Tony Parker also scored 20, and his 3-pointer with 53 seconds to go gave the Spurs a 105-104 lead. Parker finished with a career-high 13 assists and Emanuel Ginobili added a season-high 14 points.

After DeClercq hit a short jump hook over Robinson at the 39.6-second mark, Robinson responded with a strong drive to the basket and Darrell Armstrong grabbed him to prevent the easy bas-

ket, San Antonio made 19 of 22 free throws, although Robinson's pair were the team's only fourth-quarter foul shots.

In two games since sitting out a few days with a tight back, Robinson has averaged 16 points and 10 rebounds.

"A couple of days ago, before (Robinson) got on the plane, he told me he was playing whether I liked it or not," Popovich said. "We would've had a tough time without him."

The Spurs trailed 104-100 with 1:32 remaining, but Robinson dunked off Duncan's lob and Parker sank a 3 from the top of the key after McGrady missed a long shot he took with time on the shot clock.

### NOTEBOOK

#### SOCCER

**PAMPA** — The Pampa Harvester Soccer Booster Club will meet at 7 Monday night in the high school athletic fieldhouse.

All club members are urged to attend.

Pampa opens the district season Tuesday at Canyon.

#### ROLLER HOCKEY

**PAMPA** — Pampa Kids and Youth Club will be having sign ups for Roller Hockey

Date & Time: February 1, 2003 10a.m.-3p.m.  
February 8, 2003 10a.m.-12p.m.  
February 15, 2003 10a.m.-12p.m.

Place: Baker Elementary At the concession stand

For more information contact Joe Anstey 669-1533 or Janet Harris 664-3813.

#### GOLF

**PAMPA** — Hidden Hills seniors held a 4-man scramble last week.

Results are as follows:

1. Travis Taylor, Jack Davis, Billie McMillan and Ken Reeves, 65.
2. Bill Hammer, Charlie Terrell, Waldon Haynes and Bill Abernathy, 66.
3. Gerry McCabe, Bob Brandon, James Lee and Gene Winegeart, 66.
4. Leroy Morris, Howard Musgrave, Bob Henderson and Jim Osborne, 66.

Closest to hole: Travis Taylor, No. 6

## Former Longhorn finally selected to Pro Bowl

KAPOLEI, Hawaii (AP) — Four years after he joined the NFL, Ricky Williams finally found his way to the Pro Bowl.

So what took him so long? Williams says there's no easy answer.

"It's really more about your team situation," the 1998 Heisman Trophy winner said Friday before the AFC practice at the Ihilani resort. "If you're not in a position to succeed, you're not going to have those individual accolades. I'm happy that I'm here and Deuce is here in the same year."

That would be Deuce McAllister of the New Orleans Saints. While Williams won the AFC rushing title with Miami, McAllister took

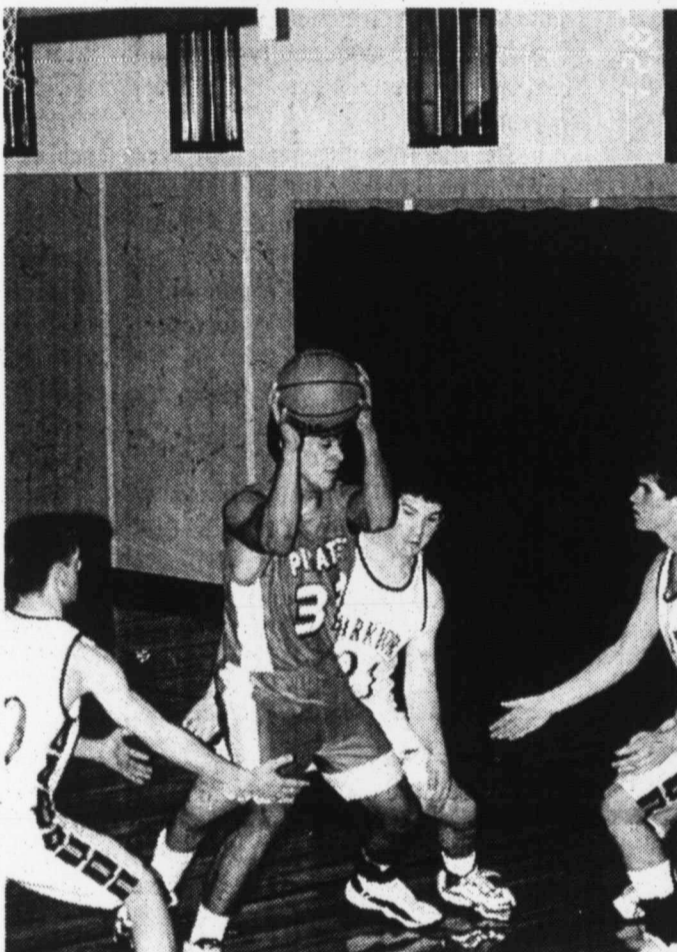
Williams' old job this season and earned his first trip to the Pro Bowl as well.

"It all turned out for the best," said McAllister's teammate, Joe Horn. "Now, they both have the chance to show what they can do. They wouldn't both be here today if they hadn't got their opportunities."

Many young players' fortunes took a turn for the better this season, and much of the NFL's best young talent will be on display Sunday at Aloha Stadium, where first-time Pro Bowlers make up nearly one-third of the rosters.

In addition to the AFC's 12 rookies, there are 13 first-timers on the NFC roster.

## Surrounded



Senior guard Josh Garcia of Lefors finds himself surrounded by Miami players in an area game last week. Garcia scored 14 points in a losing effort against Miami.

## Bowling

### Harvester Lanes League Results

#### Harvester Women's League (Week 7)

Team	Won	Lost
O'Brien Enterprises	21	7
Rug Express	19	9
Peggy's Place	18	10
Davis Minit Mart	17	11
Schiffman Machine	15	13
Gymnastics of Pampa	13	15
Coney Island	13	15
Big Uns!	11	17
Harvester Lanes	9	19

**Week's Top Scores**  
High scratch game: Angie Simmons 200;  
High handicap game: Jo Hicks 255; High handicap series: Angie Roberson 688.

**Association Award**  
WIBC High Game Award: Angie Simmons 200.

#### Stars & Strikes Youth League (Week 6)

Team	Won	Lost
Team Two	18 1/2	5 1/2
Pin Blasters	15 1/2	8 1/2
The Wrecking Crew	15	9
The 5 Pin Blues	14	10
R & T	12	12
Team Eight	12	12
Team Twelve	12	12
Bad Dawgs	11 1/2	12 1/2
Team One	10	14
The Hunters	9 1/2	14 1/2
Team Seven	6	18
Team Eleven	1	7

**Week's Top Scores**  
**Girls Division B**  
High scratch game: Aubrey Grubitz 75;  
High handicap game: Aubrey Grubitz 133;  
High handicap series: Aubrey Grubitz 231;  
High handicap game: Aubrey Grubitz 601.

**Girls Division A**  
High scratch game: Stacy Searl 162; High handicap game: Shalley Morris 233; High handicap series: Stacy Searl 633.

**Boys Division B**  
High scratch game: Jonathan Melton 91;  
High handicap game: Jonathan Melton 228;  
High handicap series: Jonathan Melton 647.

**Boys Division A**  
High scratch game: Zach Wilson 202; High handicap game: Zach Parr 554; High handicap series: Daniel Adams 616.

## Two Mavs named All-Stars

DALLAS (AP) — Two-thirds of the Dallas Mavericks' Big Three is going to the NBA All-Star game, and they say they owe it all to the guy who got snubbed.

Forward Dirk Nowitzki and guard Steve Nash were among the seven Western Conference reserves selected by NBA coaches for the Feb. 9 game in Atlanta. Two-time All-Star guard Michael Finley wasn't selected.

"He's still the leader of this team," Nash said. "He's still a very huge part of our focal point. He deserves as much credit as anybody on this team."

Nowitzki is averaging 22.4 points and 10.2 rebounds.

Nash is averaging 18.3 points and 6.8 assists. Finley is averaging 19.7 points and 5.9 rebounds.

## 9th grade girls in district tourney

CANYON — Pampa lost to Hereford 54-45 Z Thursday in the first round of the District Freshmen Girls' Tournament.

Autumn Darden was Pampa's top scorer with 14 points. Felicia Urban was second with 9.

Pampa finished the season with an 8-9 record.

## Gruver sweeps

GRUVER — White Deer fell to Gruver 61-44 in District 1-1A basketball action Friday night.

Gruver was led in scoring by Cody Been with 18 points.

Brian Knocke led White Deer with 22 points, followed by Rufus Estrada with 7.

Teal Armes scored 21 points to lead Gruver to an 82-44 win in the girls' game.

Ashley Davis was White Deer's high scorer with 18 points. Sara Smith added 7.

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## SCOREBOARD

### BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association  
At A Glance  
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EASTERN CONFERENCE  
Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
New Jersey	32	14	.696	—
Boston	26	20	.565	6
Philadelphia	25	22	.532	7 1/2
Orlando	24	24	.500	9
Washington	22	25	.468	10 1/2
New York	20	25	.444	11 1/2
Miami	16	30	.348	16

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Indiana	33	14	.702	—
Detroit	30	15	.667	2
New Orleans	24	23	.511	9
Milwaukee	23	22	.511	9
Atlanta	18	29	.385	15
Chicago	17	29	.370	15 1/2
Toronto	12	34	.261	20 1/2
Cleveland	9	38	.191	24

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Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Dallas	36	9	.800	—
San Antonio	30	16	.652	1/2
Utah	28	18	.609	1/2
Minnesota	27	20	.574	10
Houston	25	20	.556	11
Memphis	13	32	.289	23
Denver	10	35	.222	26

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Sacramento	33	15	.688	—
Portland	29	16	.644	1/2
Phoenix	27	21	.563	6
L.A. Lakers	21	23	.477	10
Seattle	20	24	.455	11
Golden State	20	25	.444	11 1/2
L.A. Clippers	17	29	.370	15

Thursday's Games  
Dallas 112, Minnesota 109  
Milwaukee 97, Washington 90  
Sacramento 95, Seattle 77

Friday's Games  
Philadelphia 104, Miami 99  
Toronto 102, Indiana 90  
New Jersey 89, New Orleans 72  
Detroit 118, Boston 66  
Atlanta 96, Cleveland 91  
New York 108, Memphis 102  
San Antonio 109, Orlando 108  
Houston 121, Minnesota 101  
Utah 102, Golden State 94  
Portland 107, Chicago 94  
Phoenix 98, L.A. Clippers 92  
L.A. Lakers 124, Sacramento 113

### Saturday's Games

Boston at Indiana, 7 p.m.  
New Orleans at Washington, 7 p.m.  
New Jersey at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.  
San Antonio at Miami, 8 p.m.  
New York at Milwaukee, 8:30 p.m.  
Denver at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.  
Golden State at Phoenix, 9 p.m.  
Chicago at Seattle, 10 p.m.  
Utah at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m.

### Sunday's Games

Portland at Cleveland, 1 p.m.  
L.A. Clippers at Toronto, 1:30 p.m.  
Orlando at Atlanta, 2 p.m.  
Philadelphia at Minnesota, 3:30 p.m.  
Sacramento at Houston, 4 p.m.  
Memphis at Denver, 9 p.m.

### TRANSACTIONS

Sports Transactions  
By The Associated Press  
American League

BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Agreed to terms with OF Tim Raines Jr. on a minor league contract.  
KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Signed OF Mike Kelly to a minor league contract.

MINNESOTA TWINS—Named Paul Molitor minor league infield and baserunning coordinator. Extended their player development agreement with New Britain of the Eastern League through 2006.

TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Agreed to terms with RHP Kelvin Escobar on a one-year contract.

National League  
ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Agreed to terms with INF Carlos Baerga on a minor league contract.

HOUSTON ASTROS—Agreed to terms with INF-OF Craig Biggio on a one-year contract extension and RHP Scott Linebrink on a minor league contract.

MONTREAL EXPOS—Agreed to terms with LHP Joey Eischen on a one-year contract.

NEW YORK METS—Agreed to terms with RHP Pat Strange on a one-year contract.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Agreed to terms with RHP Jeff Suppan on a one-year contract. Designated RHP Bronson Arroyo for assignment.

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Named Fred Stanley manager and Mark Gruesbeck head trainer of Fresno of the PCL; Shane Turner manager, Ross Grimsley pitching coach, Willie

Upshaw hitting coach, and Rob Knepper trainer of Norwich of the Eastern League; F.P. Santangelo hitting coach and Benjamin Downie trainer at San Jose of the California League; Bob Stanley pitching coach, William Aviles hitting coach, and Katsunori Masamoto trainer at Hagerstown of the South Atlantic League; Jack Lind manager, Trevor Wilson pitching coach, Joe Strain hitting coach, and Rene Velazquez trainer of Salem-Keizer of the Northwest League; Ben Potenza trainer of the Giants of the Arizona League; Lenn Sakata minor league hitting, bunting, baserunning and infield instructor; Kirt Manwaring minor league catching instructor; Lee Smith minor league pitching instructor; Will Malerich minor league traveling coach.

National Basketball Association  
CHICAGO BULLS—Placed F Lonny Baxter on the injured list. Activated G Jay Williams from the injured list.

LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Placed C Michael Olowokandi on the injured list. Activated F Cherokee Parks from the injured list.

National Football League  
NEW YORK GIANTS—Signed G Pat Crumme, TE Tuman Bryant, DT Brad Harris and LB Josh Hotchkiss and allocated them and WR David Thompson and P Steve Cheek to NFL Europe.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Signed Brad Childress, offensive coordinator, to a three-year contract extension.

TENNESSEE TITANS—Allocated DE Kevin Aldridge, TE Nate Bandy, TE Chad Hayes and LB Nate Morrow to NFL Europe.

National Hockey League  
CAROLINA HURRICANES—Assigned D Steve Halko and D Tomas Males to Lowell of the AHL.

COLUMBUS BLUE JACKETS—Assigned D Duvie Westcott and RW David Ling to Syracuse of the AHL.

FLORIDA PANTHERS—Assigned D Mathieu Biron to San Antonio of the AHL.

LOS ANGELES KINGS—Assigned F Jared Aulin, F Scott Barney, D Joe Corvo and G Cristobal Huet to Manchester of the AHL.

MINNESOTA WILD—Reassigned G Dieter Kochan to Houston of the AHL.

# Prep star loses eligibility

## LeBron James gets free jerseys in violation of state amateur rules

CLEVELAND (AP) — LeBron James accepted two trendy sports jerseys, and now has to accept the punishment: he isn't allowed to wear his high school uniform again.

The nation's top prep player — and projected NBA star — was declared ineligible as an amateur Friday by state officials for getting free "throwback" jerseys.

The decision by Ohio High School Athletic Association commissioner Clair Muscaro came four days after James, the 6-foot-8 phenom from Akron's St. Vincent-St. Mary, was cleared for accepting a \$50,000 sports utility vehicle from his mother.

The ruling Friday came with the swiftness of one of James' thundering dunks.

Last weekend, James was given two retro sports jerseys — valued at \$845 — for free from a clothing store, the OHSAA said. The jerseys were replicas of those worn by former Chicago Bears running back Gale Sayers and Washington Bullets center Wes Unseld.

Muscaro's ruling, following a 24-hour inquiry, means

St. Vincent-St. Mary must forfeit Sunday's win over Akron Buchtel. The Fighting Irish (13-1), ranked No. 1 by USA Today, have five games left in the season, plus state playoff games.

"There are things that happen in life," said James' coach, Dru Joyce. "These are life's lessons."

James is consulting with a lawyer and might appeal. Gloria James said through attorney Fred Nance that the family was "deeply disappointed" with the ruling and evaluating its options.

An appeal would be heard by a state panel Feb. 13. James would miss two games before then.

"We're going to abide by the ruling," said Joyce, who would not comment on a possible appeal. "We think that maybe there are some facts that could change things."

As Joyce spoke on the steps outside the private Roman Catholic school's gym, passersby in a car driving by shouted, "Leave LeBron alone!" and "It's all your fault!" James' now-famous

Hummer was moved after the news briefing, but it was unclear where the 18-year-old star went following his team's afternoon practice.

Even if James doesn't play another high school game, the ruling has no bearing on his future as a professional and is unlikely to prevent him from being the No. 1 selection in June's NBA draft.

Muscaro reviewed a report that James received the jerseys at "Next Urban Gear and Music" in exchange for posing for pictures to be hung in the store.

The association's rules say an athlete forfeits amateur status by "capitalizing on athletic fame by receiving money or gifts of monetary value."

"In talking with the store's personnel, I was able to confirm that on Jan. 25, the merchant gave clothing directly to LeBron at no cost," Muscaro said. "This is a direct violation of the OHSAA bylaws on amateurism."

Robert Rosenthal, the store's owner, declined comment.

Muscaro said he asked school administrators on Friday to talk to James.

"But LeBron did not want to speak with me," said Muscaro, who added in his 14 years as commissioner, he had never invoked the rule to declare an athlete ineligible.

# Rangers' A-Rod not sure impressive play has lived up to \$252 million contract

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Alex Rodriguez isn't sure that even with his impressive play the past two seasons he has performed to the level of his record contract.

"That's hard to say," Rodriguez said Friday. "If I was a medical doctor or something like that, I would say yes. But that's just the nature of our business and what the market called for at the time."

Rodriguez signed a \$252 million, 10-year contract two years ago. While the Rangers have finished last in the AL West both seasons, the All-Star shortstop has put up MVP-caliber numbers.

He hit .300 with an AL-leading 57 homers and 142 RBIs and won a Gold Glove last season, finishing a distant second to Oakland shortstop Miguel Tejada in the MVP voting. He was sixth in the MVP voting in 2001, after hitting .318 with 52 homers and 135 RBIs.

"So far, so good from a personal level," said Rodriguez, 27. "I would really like to lead this team with Buck Showalter to the next level, winning-wise. That's what it takes. Once you win, it's all worthwhile."

"These two years of my career have been the toughest, but have also been the most enjoyable for me because of being able to perform at a high level."

Rodriguez said he doesn't need to justify his contract, but that he just "loves playing baseball" and believes there are many areas where he can improve.

"We're excited to have the very best player in the game," said general manager John Hart, who came to Texas last year.

"We're excited that we have an owner who stepped up to bring in the best player for 10 years."

During the offseason, however, the Rangers lost 10-time All-Star catcher Ivan Rodriguez because of their desire to lower payroll. He ended up signing a one-year, \$10 million deal with Florida that included a no-trade clause and much of the money deferred.

The catcher wasn't offered salary arbitration by the Rangers, who would have been willing to give him a deal like he got in Florida. But at that time, he didn't want to discuss a short-term deal.

Ivan Rodriguez didn't get what he wanted in the wake of baseball's new labor agreement and luxury tax, though he was one of only a handful of players to get a \$10 million-a-year deal. Jim Thome's \$85 million, six-year contract to go to Philadelphia was the largest deal signed.

Showalter was hired in October to replace the fired Jerry Narron.

The addition of Showalter, who helped set up the New York Yankees' run of six World Series appearances in seven years and built Arizona into the fastest-winning expansion team ever, has re-energized Alex Rodriguez.

"Buck Showalter is what the doctor ordered for us," Alex Rodriguez said. "Buck brings a dimension to this ballclub, much like what Bill Parcells brings to the Cowboys: a toughness, he's a disciplinarian and he has a plan."

The Dallas Cowboys, coming off three straight 5-11 seasons, hired Parcells in

January. Like Parcells, Showalter was working for ESPN before ending his coaching hiatus.

Notes: Right-handed closer Jeff Zimmerman, who missed all of 2001 after elbow surgery, is throwing long tosses every other day but still isn't pitching off a mound. He is targeting a return after the All-Star break. ... The Rangers have invited 20 non-roster players to spring training, with outfielder Ruben Sierra and catcher Chad Krueter among the 10 free agent signees. ... Texas expects 31 pitchers and seven catchers for their first workout Feb. 13 at Surprise, Ariz. The first full squad workout is Feb. 18, with 59 players expected.

### 7th grade girls end year

PLAINVIEW — Pampa's 7th grade girls' basketball team finished the season last week, losing to Plainview 42-20.

Texi Schaeffer was Pampa's high scorer with 7 points. Stephanie Polasek followed with 6.

"I've enjoyed coaching these girls this year. They are a special group of girls," said Pampa head coach Deanna Polasek. "We didn't win as many games as we would have liked, but they worked hard all year and have improved so much. I am looking forward to great things out of this group in the years to come."

Plainview A 42, Pampa A 20  
Pampa - Texi Schaeffer 7, Stephanie Polasek 6, Trisha Moore 2, Kayla Mendoza 2, Sara Foster 2, Haili Kotara 1.

Plainview B 54, Pampa B 5  
Pampa - Kathryn Cree 2, Kristen Dunn 1, Amy Coil 1, Kambra Jimenez 1.

## Biggio inks with Astros

HOUSTON (AP) — Craig Biggio is getting \$4 million more in guaranteed money as he prepares to move from second base to the outfield.

The Gold Glove second baseman and the Houston Astros agreed Friday to a one-year contract extension through 2004, a deal that contains a club option for 2005 and could be worth up to \$9 million over two years.

Biggio, a four-time Gold Glove winner at second, is being moved to the outfield to make room for former NL MVP Jeff Kent, who left San Francisco in December when the Astros gave him an \$18.2 million, two-year deal.



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#### February 2

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Tuesday  
Pampa vs. Caprock B-G varsity, 6pm away  
Thursday  
Pampa 9th grade boys, district tournament, Palo Duro  
Friday  
Pampa vs. Randall B-G varsity, 6pm away  
**Soccer**  
Saturday  
Pampa vs. Caprock B-G varsity, 12 noon home  
**Swimming**  
Pampa varsity, regionals, Lubbock  
**Wrestling**  
Saturday  
Pampa varsity, regionals, Amarillo

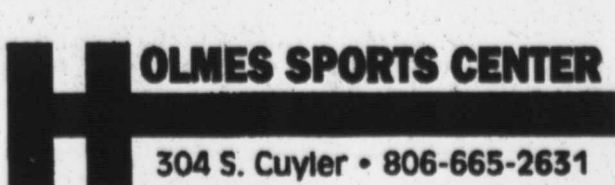


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## DOCTORS

controlled by contracts with HMOs and by Medicare, which keeps cutting reimbursements.

"The problem is that you have these insurance cycles" where the companies raise premiums when their investment income drops, said Frank A. Sloan, professor of health policy and management at Duke University.

While insurers say at least 80 percent of premium dollars are invested in safe bonds, bond yields — their main source of income — are down to about 5 percent, from 9 percent in 1990.

The American Insurance Association, whose members include commercial malpractice insurers, and the trade group for doctor-owned malpractice insurers concede their members kept premiums very low during the 1990s because of strong investment income. Some were left with inadequate reserves when bond income plunged, and several key insurers folded or reduced their malpractice business.

Meanwhile, reinsurance companies contracted by malpractice insurers to pay multi-million-dollar claims have raised their rates sharply, and malpractice insurer payouts for both jury awards and settlements have been rising.

Average premiums nationwide last year were \$56,546 for ob-gyns, \$36,354 for general surgeons and \$12,177 for general practitioners, according to the publication Medical Liability Monitor. But those rates include premiums for doctors in less-litigious states; doctors renewing policies starting in January have been hit with increases of 30 percent to 100 percent.

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## GENE

team created mouse models that lacked HDAC9 and compared their heart development to that of normal mice. After one month under normal conditions, the hearts of the normal and HDAC9-negative mice were about the same size. But the hearts of the mice lacking the gene were, on average, 46 percent larger than normal by eight months of age.

Making the heart work harder than normal produced dramatic disparities.

The researchers first constricted the thoracic aortas in both the normal and HDAC9-negative mice to see how working harder to pump blood would affect heart growth. After three weeks, left-ventricle mass had increased by 56 percent in the normal mice and by 105 percent in mice missing the gene.

The researchers also artificially activated calcineurin in normal and HDAC9-negative mice. Four weeks later, heart mass in the normal mice had increased by 130 percent on average, compared to an average increase of 220 percent in the HDAC9-negative mice.

The research now will proceed on two fronts: The Donald W. Reynolds Cardiovascular Clinical Research Center at UT Southwestern eventually will screen participants in the Dallas Heart Study with enlarged hearts to see if they carry mutations in their HDAC9 genes as part of the center's effort to identify the set of genes involved in heart disease; and Myogen Inc., a Denver-based biotechnology company that Olson co-founded, has licensed the research in order to start investigating drug-development possibilities.

"Now that we know that HDAC9 is a key regulator of heart growth, we can use it to develop assays to find small molecules that could be developed into drugs," Olson said.

While the Bush administration, doctors and insurers say lawyers are pushing up malpractice costs by filing unnecessary lawsuits, Russell Localio, a University of Pennsylvania researcher, said that's not true.

"No plaintiff's attorney who wants to make a living is going to try to bring a frivolous case," he said.

Carlton Carl, spokesman for the Association of Trial Lawyers of America, said lawyers, who bear the cost of unsuccessful malpractice cases, don't pursue meritless ones. When lawyers do sue, they must name multiple doctors and other staff as possible defendants to determine who is really at fault, he said.

Meanwhile, research shows that awards from sympathetic jurors often exceed the level of harm to the patient suing, said Dr. Donald Palmisano, the AMA's president-elect.

"We need to go to a new system of medical justice, he said. "The system is melting down and we need some immediate action."

The changes the AMA, its state affiliates and Bush are seeking are based on 1976 reforms in California, which then had some of the country's highest malpractice premiums. By 2000, that state's malpractice premiums had risen 167 percent, compared with 505 percent for the rest of the country, according to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners.

California's reform included a \$250,000 cap on "noneconomic damages," or punitive damages separate from the money injured patients get to cover medical expenses, lost wages and other measurable costs.

The law also put limits on lawyer contingency fees and the time period allowed for filing suit, permitted periodic payments for large damages, and limited awards when insurers or other sources paid some patient costs.

Doctors and insurers now are pushing for a \$250,000 cap as the key reform, but concede that will be tough in states where Democrats, who generally oppose caps and are being lobbied heavily by lawyers' groups, rule the roost.

"We see that as really the only effective solution that's been brought forth," said Larry Smarr, president of Physician Insurers Association of America, a trade group for about 40 doctor-owned malpractice insurers that cover about 60 percent of U.S. doctors in private practice and hospitals. "The increase in the cost of claims is the main factor in why insurance rates are going up."

Localio and Sloan also believe caps will cut premiums, partly by eliminating lawsuits with low potential payouts, but they believe caps should be indexed to inflation; California's cap has never been raised.

Smarr said his members — many of them founded amid the mid-1970s crisis after big losses drove out many commercial insurers — now are losing 10 cents for every premium dollar.

He argues that two-thirds of lawsuits against his members are meritless: 61 percent are dropped or dismissed with no payment and 5.7 percent are won by defendants at trial, but still cost insurers tens of thousands of dollars in legal expenses. Plaintiffs win just 1.3 percent of cases at trial, with an average award of \$500,000; the other 32 percent end in settlements averaging \$300,000, according to the Physician Insurers Association.

Amid all the shouting about whether caps are a good idea, other possible fixes are being overlooked.

Dr. Sidney Wolfe of Public Citizen Health Research Group argues that state regulators should do more to get rid of bad doctors who make mistakes and repeatedly lose malpractice cases.

Dr. Clifton Lacy, New Jersey's health commissioner, favors creating a pool from fees on health providers to help specialists hit with exorbitant premiums.

Lacy also is pushing an overdue long-term solution — a range of efforts to prevent medical errors in the first place, from having doctors enter all patient orders in a computer to better training about the best way to treat each illness. He also wants medical staff to be able to discuss "hits and near-misses" to prevent future errors without having to automatically hand that information to lawyers.

Localio, the Penn researcher, suggests restructuring malpractice trials so economics experts don't testify about plaintiffs' lost income until after a guilty verdict; that would shorten most trials and cut costs. He says fees for both plaintiff and defense attorneys should be cut, the statute of limitations for birth injuries — now as long as 23 years — should be shortened, and installment payments should be allowed for big awards.

"This is a system that's horribly inefficient, terribly designed from stem to stern," he said, "and there's nobody who wants to sit down and make it work."

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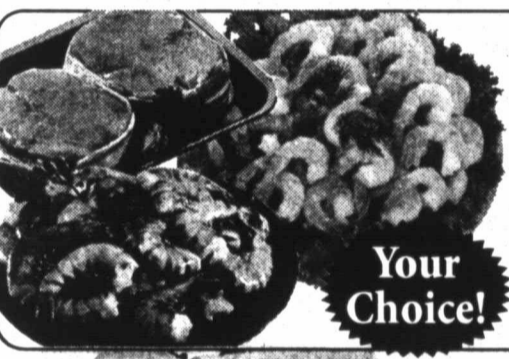
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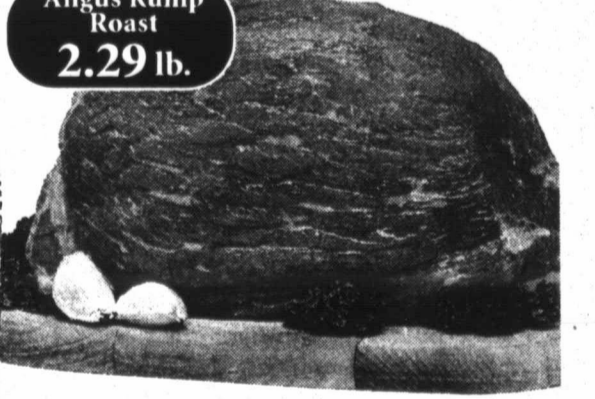
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# COMMUNITY

## NEWSMAKERS



Shawn David Strate

STILLWATER, Okla. — Oklahoma State University in Stillwater recently announced its President's and Dean's honor rolls for the 2002 fall semester. To be eligible for the President's Honor Roll, a student must maintain a 4.0 grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours at the university. Students named to the honor roll include: **Kristi Danielle Walling** of Pampa and **Lauren Diane Weaver** of Wheeler.

To be eligible for the Dean's Honor Roll, a student must maintain a 3.50 or better grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours at the university. Students named to the honor roll include: **Shawn David Strate** of Pampa; **Jennifer Lynn Hale**, **Justin Don Rader** and **Amanda Deeanne Taylor**, all of Canadian; and **Kara Leigh Emmert** of Wheeler.



Kurt Curfman

Judge **Kurt R. Curfman** was certified recently while participating in the 32-Hour New Judges Seminar, presented by the Texas Municipal Courts Education Center of Texas Municipal Courts Association.

Topics covered during the course of the seminar included: Criminal Law, Motor Vehicular Handbook, Court Decorum, City and Municipal Ordinances, Juvenile Law and Magistrate Duties.

Curfman is currently in his fifth year as a justice of the peace and has been a Pampa municipal court judge for over 10 months.



Andy Bradstreet

**Andy Bradstreet** recently graduated summa cum laude from Stephen F. Austin State University with a bachelor of science degree in environmental science.

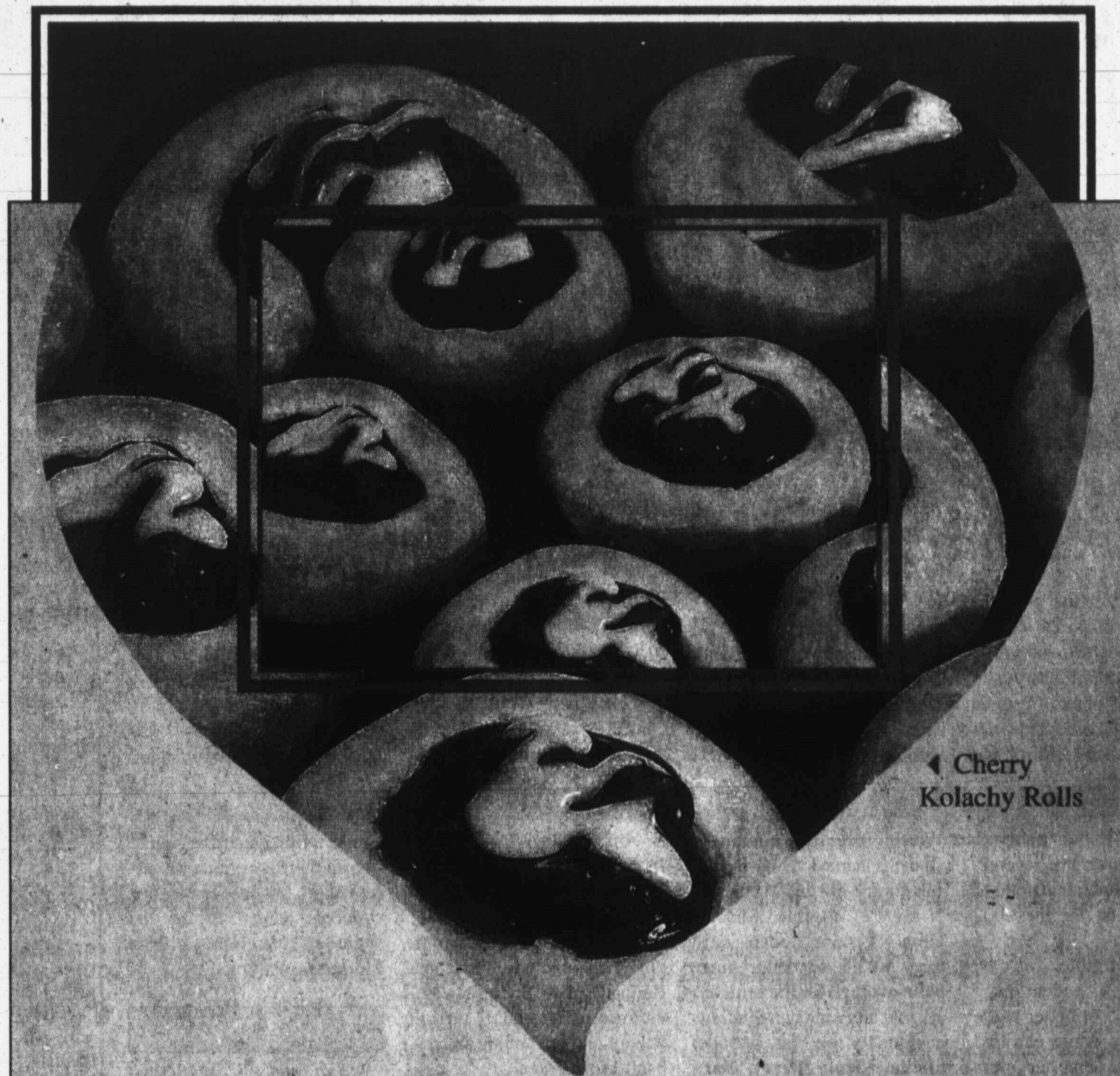
Bradstreet is currently pursuing his master's degree at SFASU.

He is the son of Wesley and Cindy Bradstreet and is the grandson of Nell and Roy Bradstreet of Wheeler and Lois Barrett and the late Paul Barrett of Pampa.

STEPHENVILLE — Tarleton State University recently awarded diplomas at the conclusion of the 2002 fall semester with an estimated 578 candidates participating in three ceremonies.

Among students receiving degrees were **Cynthia Gay Smith**, bachelor of science degree, Pampa; and **Travis Dale Stevens**, bachelor of business administration degree, Wheeler.

(See 'NEWSMAKERS,' Page 14)



◀ Cherry Kolachy Rolls

## Valentine's Day recipes

### Cherry Kolachy Rolls

**Ingredients:**  
6 Rhodes Texas™ Rolls, thawed but still cold  
cherry pie filling or your favorite jam

1 cup powdered sugar  
1 tablespoon butter, melted  
1/2 teaspoon vanilla  
2-3 tablespoons milk  
1/2 teaspoon lemon extract

**Directions:** Flatten each roll into a 3 inch circle. Place circles on a large baking sheet sprayed with non-stick cooking spray. Cover with sprayed plastic wrap and let rise until double.

Remove wrap. With fingertips, press indentation in the center of each roll. Spoon in 1 tablespoon of pie filling or jam. Bake immediately at 350 degrees Fahrenheit for 15 to 20 minutes (during baking cycle add more filling if desired.)

Remove from pan to cooling rack.  
Combine powdered

sugar, butter, vanilla, milk and lemon extract. Mix well. Brush each roll lightly with icing while still warm. After the rolls have cooled, drizzle with remaining icing.

### Kahlúa Tiramisu

**Ingredients:**  
1/2 cup plus 3 tablespoons Kahlúa  
1 (8 ounce) package whipped cream cheese spread

1 (3.4 ounce) package instant vanilla pudding mix  
1 3/4 cups milk  
1/2 cup mini semi-sweet chocolate chips  
2 tablespoons unsweetened cocoa powder  
1 (3-ounce) package Ladyfingers (12 small, sliced in half)  
1 cup whipping cream, whipped, or 2 cups whipped dessert topping

**Directions:** In a large bowl, whisk 1/2 cup Kahlúa and cream cheese spread

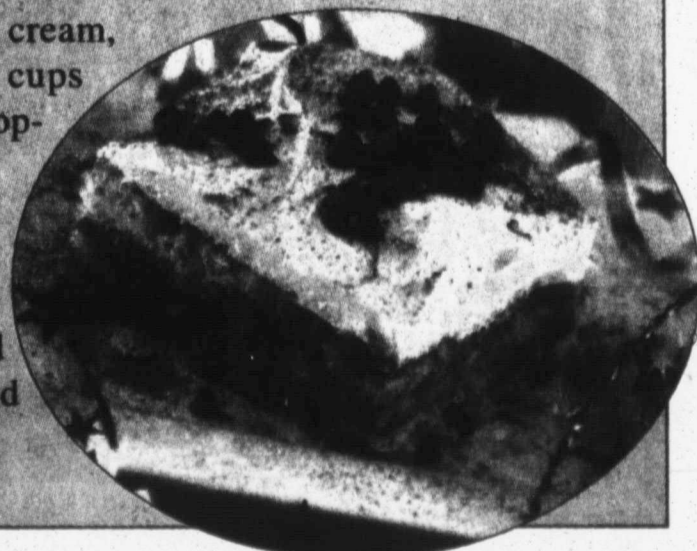
to blend. Beat in milk. Gradually whisk in instant pudding mix until it begins to thicken.

In a small bowl, combine chocolate chips and cocoa powder.

In the bottom of an 8 inch square baking dish or quiche dish, spread about 3/4 cup pudding mixture. Top with a single layer of 12 Ladyfinger slices, cut side up.

Sprinkle with half of the remaining Kahlúa, then a third of the chocolate mixture. Repeat layering one more time.

Spread whipped cream over the top, cover completely and sprinkle with remaining chocolate mixture. Chill until ready to serve.



◀ Kahlúa Tiramisu

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# LIFESTYLES

## CRADLE CALL



Makenna L. Molitor

### Makenna Molitor

Makenna Lynne Molitor was born at 4:24 p.m., Dec. 21, 2002, at Baptist-St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, to Justin and Heather Molitor of Pampa. Makenna weighed 7-pounds, 2-ounces at birth and

was 20-inches long. She is the sister of Caitlyne and is the granddaughter of Pam and Mike Moorehead of Blanchard, Okla., and Randy and Connie Molitor of Pampa.



Mae M. Vargas

### Mae Vargas

Mae Marie Vargas was born Dec. 9, 2002, at Golden Plains Community Hospital in Borger, to Ignacio III and Janice Vargas of Pampa. Mae weighed 6 pounds, 14

ounces at birth and was 18 3/4 inches long. Her brother is Wayne Vargas and her grandparents are Larry and Brenda Bennett and Ignacio J.R. and Linda Vargas.

## CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE

**LUBBOCK** — Lubbock Christian University recently announced students named to its Dean's List for the 2002 fall semester.

To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must maintain a 3.5 or better grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours at the university. Students named to the list include: **Kimberly Slaybaugh** of Pampa.

**BRENHAM** — Blinn College recently announced students named to its Distinguished Students List for the fall 2002 semester.

To be eligible for the Distinguished Students List, a student must maintain a 3.25 or better grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours at the university. Students named to the list include: **Dustin Johnson** of Pampa.

**FORT WORTH** — Texas Christian University in Fort

Worth recently announced students named to its Dean's List for the fall 2002 semester.

To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must carry a 3.4 or better grade point average for the semester at the university. Students named to the list include: **Sheila Nicole Berry, Sara Beth Hall** and **Emily Diane Waters**, all of Pampa.

**NASHVILLE, Tenn.** — Belmont University in Nashville recently announced students named to its Dean's List for the 2002 fall semester.

To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must maintain a 4.0 or straight A grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours at the university. Students named to the list include: **Kelly Henderson**, a music business major of Hugoton, Kan., formerly of Pampa.

In May 2002, Henderson graduated with honors from

South Plains College at Levelland, Texas, earning an associates of arts degree in commercial music. Other honors, activities and accomplishments include: Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, valedictorian-Hugoton High School and lead guitar player-band Mojo Filter.

Henderson attended Austin Elementary School and Pampa Middle School, both in Pampa, prior to moving to Kansas.

He is the son of Lex and Jennifer Henderson of Hugoton and is the grandson of Gerald and Nell Laughlin of Pampa and Glynn and Jo Horn of Jacksonville.

**CORPUS CHRISTI** — Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi recently announced students named to its Dean's List for the 2002 fall semester.

To be eligible for the Dean's List, a student must maintain a 3.65 or better

grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours at the university. Students named to the list include: **Marissa Lirene Hodges** of Pampa.

## CLUB NEWS

Club news is published strictly on a first come, first serve basis due to space limitations. The deadline each week for Sunday's paper is Wednesday at 5 p.m., (Tuesday at 12 noon on holidays such as Thanksgiving and Christmas.) The deadline does not guarantee publication that week. Thank you.

**Texas CattleWomen** Top O' Texas CattleWomen met Jan. 13 at Cowboy Oasis Restaurant in Mobeetie with President Liz Austin presiding. Eleven members were present.

The following business was conducted and announcements made: —First Vice President Berkley Clements proposed some actions to take on membership and some to help area scholarships.

—Members signed-up for some committee positions. Other positions will be appointed at a later date.

—Dianne Buckingham read correspondence — a letter from fellow CattleWoman Pat Grote's family, bringing all chapters up-to-date on family

(See CLUB, Page 15)

## MENUS

### WEEK OF FEBRUARY 3-7

**Pampa Schools**  
**MONDAY**  
Breakfast: Mini pancakes.

Lunch: Pizza dippers or chicken nuggets, green beans, pears.

**TUESDAY**  
Breakfast: Biscuits, gravy.  
Lunch: Submarine sandwiches or burritos, French fries, lettuce/tomatoes, peaches.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, toast.  
Lunch: Mini corn-dogs or cheese nachos, baked beans, salad, fresh fruit.

**THURSDAY**  
Breakfast: French toast sticks.  
Lunch: Macaroni/cheese or hot dogs, English peas, salad, cookies.

**FRIDAY**  
Breakfast: Cereal, toast, sausage.

Lunch: Soft tacos or pizza, refried beans, Spanish rice, pineapple.

**Lefors Schools**  
**MONDAY**  
No school.

**TUESDAY**  
Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls, cold cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch: Chicken strips or steak fingers, potatoes, corn, gravy, rolls, salad bar, fruit, milk.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Breakfast: Sausage, biscuits, gravy, cold cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch: SOS or chicken nuggets, blackeyed peas, salad bar, fruit, milk.

**THURSDAY**  
Breakfast: Pancake-on-a-stick, cold cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch: Baked potatoes/all the fixens, salad bar, fruit, milk.

**FRIDAY**  
Breakfast: Hot or cold cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch: Bologna/cheese sandwiches, soup, chips, salad, fruit, milk.

**Senior Citizens**  
**MONDAY**  
Chicken-fried steak or chili rellenos/cheese

sauce, mashed potatoes, spinach, Spanish rice, pinto beans, slaw, tossed or jello salad applesauce cake or banana pudding, hot rolls or cornbread.

**TUESDAY**  
Moch filet mignon or chicken/ham tetrazzini, sour cream potatoes, Scandinavian blend, fried squash, northern beans, chocolate pistachio cake or lemon pie, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Roast beef brisket/brown gravy or cook's choice, mashed potatoes, English peas, carrots, butter beans, banana nut cake or pineapple/peach cobbler, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.

**THURSDAY**  
Chicken strips or barbecued beef/onion rings, potato salad, Italian green beans, corn cobettes, baked beans, finger licking good cake or apple pie, slaw, tossed or jello salad, hot rolls or cornbread.

**FRIDAY**  
Catfish/hushpuppies or Swedish meatballs/noodles, potato wedges, winter blend, beans, brownies or tapioca pudding cups, slaw, tossed or jello salad, garlic toast, hot rolls or cornbread.

**Meals On Wheels**  
**MONDAY**  
Salmon loaf, macaroni/cheese, Harvard beets, pears.

**TUESDAY**  
Mexican casserole, Spanish rice, pinto beans, plum cobbler.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Stew, cornbread, pineapple.

**THURSDAY**  
Chicken patties, peas/carrots, squash casserole, pudding.

**FRIDAY**  
Beef tips/rice, cream corn, baked apples, peaches.

## LIFESTYLES POLICY

1. The Pampa News will not be responsible for photographs used in announcing births, weddings, engagements or anniversaries. We also reserve the right to refuse publication of photographs of poor quality. Photographs cannot be returned unless they are accompanied by a self-addressed, stamped envelope. They may be picked up in the

office after appearing in the paper.  
2. All information must be submitted by 5 p.m. Wednesday (12 noon Tuesday before a holiday such as Thanksgiving or Christmas), prior to Sunday insertion.  
3. Engagement, wedding and anniversary news only will be printed on Sunday.  
4. Engagement announcements will be published if the announcement is submitted at least one month before the wedding, but not more than three months before the wedding.  
5. Bridal photos and information will not be accepted in The Pampa News office later than one month past the date of the wedding.  
6. Anniversary announcements will be published for celebrations only of 25 years or more and will not be published more than four weeks after the anniversary date.  
7. Birth announcements will only be published for 0- to 3-month-olds. (See form for more details.)  
8. Forms are available from the office 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday thru Friday, or by sending a SASE to The Pampa News, P.O. Box 2198, Pampa, TX 79066-2198.  
9. Two anniversary pictures may be placed for a \$25 charge or four extra lines may be added to announcements for \$25 (\$50 for both).

**OB/GYN Update**  
by Otoniel Huertas, M.D.  
Obstetrics & Gynecology

**PLANNING TO GET PREGNANT**

If you are planning a pregnancy, you are probably tracking your ovulation, the monthly peak in fertility when the egg leaves the ovary. It usually occurs about 14 days before your next period. To help with planning, many women use over-the-counter ovulation tests, which measure the level of luteinizing hormone in the urine. An ovulation test, however, is not necessarily the best gauge of fertility. One problem rests with the fact that if you rely on an ovulation test to pinpoint to the day the perfect time to have sexual intercourse, you might actually miss some of your most fertile days. The "window of fertility" occurs between days 10 and 17 of the cycle, beginning in the five days before ovulation.

You should also consider starting vitamins containing the recommended amount of folic acid, as that has been proved to decrease the risk of neural tube disorders such as spina bifida. Since the neural tube is formed very early - often before the woman realizes she is pregnant - folic acid should be started prior to conception. For an appointment for your OB/GYN care, phone my office at 806-273-7771. We are located at 106 S. Bryan, Borger. New patients are welcome.

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# North Richland Hills man took risk to lose excess flab

By **TERRY LEE GOODRICH**  
Fort Worth Star-Telegram

**NORTH RICHLAND HILLS, Texas** — Men's Health magazine issued a call last spring seeking average overweight, stressed men who were in a rut, something deep within Kelvin Deupree's paunch responded.

And when he read the magazine's tantalizing offer to choose some worthy Joe and revamp the fellow's life in an eight-hour blitz, Deupree tossed aside his usual cautious mortgage-banker persona.

"Help me!" wrote Deupree, 36, of North Richland Hills. "I am rapidly approaching middle age and recently discovered I have bigger breasts than my wife! An exciting night on the town consists of taking the family to Costco and eating free samples."

The plea worked.

Intrigued by his supplication, magazine editors decided to make a new man of Deupree, enlisting professionals to streamline his waist, check his health, propel his career and jazz up his marriage.

Three months later, Deupree can boast a makeover that makes those given by women's magazines look anemic. From 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Sept. 25, he was given \$13,000 worth of services. A nutritionist, a career coach, a sex therapist, clothes consultant, hair stylist, fitness consultant, sleep therapist, dentist, preacher and psychologist saw him in rapid succession.

The transformation is chronicled in the magazine's January/February issue.

"I'm 6 foot 2, and I've dropped from 205

to 180," said a smiling Deupree. "They threw out the Pop-Tarts. I got rid of my ugly shirt" — gorillas beneath palm trees — "and they installed a home gym in my garage."

He got his teeth whitened and was supplied with a new wardrobe and a re-stocked fridge. The career coach snagged him extra vacation time; the shrink advised him to fight his tendency to regard his wife as his project; and the stylist tamed his four cowlicks.

He even got his back waxed to remove surplus hair.

"It was incredible how much they crammed into one day," Deupree said. "I just felt exhausted by the end of it, but it was very exciting."

Men's Health executive writer Joe Kita, who wrote the article "Saving Kelvin Deupree," said the magazine had lofty aspirations in its undertaking.

"We didn't want this to be the remake of just one man; we wanted it to be the average reader, and he probably fulfilled that more than anyone: mid-30s, professional, married with a family and just awakened to the fact his life is a little out of control and he needs to pull it back," Kita said.

Deupree was among hundreds of entrants. When magazine editors whittled the wannabes down to 10 and did in-person interviews, Deupree emerged from the pack, Kita said.

And then there was the clincher: the belly-baring photo of himself that Deupree sent in. It inspired the image that professional photographers shot for the magazine.

"He's a likable guy — yet there's a lot of stuff he needs to improve," Kita said. "We said, 'If you have any misconceptions or reservations about this, don't do it. We're going to delve into your sex life, your work, your closet — and America is going to read about it. He was a good sport.'"

Deupree's wife said she was shocked when she learned her husband had entered the contest.

"It just didn't seem like him," said Amie Deupree, 34, co-director of the Mothers' Day Out preschool program at First Baptist Church of Colleyville. "He's just very quiet. I knew he wasn't taking care of himself and I was concerned, but it wasn't doing any good for me nagging. So this was exciting."

For the most part, Deupree said, he has stuck to the changes, some of which were recommended after a magazine-funded, \$2,000 physical at Cooper Clinic of Dallas a week before the makeover.

To lower cholesterol, blood pressure and his weight, "I'm eating more fruits and vegetables, drinking more water," he said. "I used to drink five or six Cokes or Dr Peppers a day. I went a couple months without and now one or two a month."

And he's substituting Blue Bell Light and yogurt for regular Blue Bell ice cream, and light popcorn for buttered.

He has upped his sleep schedule to seven hours a night from his previous four to six, works out fairly regularly in his new home gym, and walks and jogs more. This fellow who watched in horror as his pants size crept from 32 to 40 over the years is more opti-

mistic than when he wrote to Men's Health predicting he would "watch Andy Griffith re-runs after the inevitable heart attack."

Amie Deupree said that her husband's weight loss is "nice. He's getting more sleep, and I think he has more energy now. He's more like he was" in the early days of their marriage.

The Deuprees are mum — but smiling — on the sex-therapy results.

Nicole Beland, who writes "The Girl Next Door" column for Men's Health, exchanged a little girl talk with Kelvin's wife, then took her to Victoria's Secret in Southlake.

As for the sex-therapy sessions, "I was expecting the worst — sexual positions," he said. "But mostly, she just talked to us about things like how I'll be on one couch and Amie on another, and about simple stuff like holding hands and time away from the kids."

The Deuprees have been married for 10 years, and Kelvin Deupree's schedule often calls for him to roll out of bed at 4 a.m. to catch the Trinity Railway Express to his job as a vice president of Bank of America in Dallas. He often works 10-hour days and travels. And parenting sons Zane, 6, and Bryce, 3, doesn't leave much energy — or privacy.

"Sometimes your communication is on a need-to-know basis — 'Can you pick up the kids?' instead of actual talking," Deupree said. "So setting aside a date night was a big deal."

(See POUNDS, Page 24)

# Two Austin artists take things into their own hands, cuts out middle man

By **MICHAEL BARNES**  
Austin  
American-Statesman

**AUSTIN** — For years, Austin artists have complained that local commercial galleries have shortchanged their work. In response, some artists have joined forces to

manage cooperative galleries, while others have opened their studios or homes to potential customers as informal showplaces.

Still others exhibit only at fairs and fests, such as the Armadillo Christmas Bazaar or Austin Art Festival. And those artists who produce

mainly large-scale institutional work — the standard output of the high contemporary sensibility — rely almost exclusively on the city's nonprofit galleries for exposure.

Business-wise, the most risky model is the artist-owned gallery. The latest entry in this competition is the Guerin Gallery, owned, operated and stocked by John Guerin, just upstream of the Jones Center for Contemporary Art on Congress Avenue.

Unlike artist/gallery owner Kathy Womack, who pairs her paintings of socialites with ornate furniture from Mirangue interior furnishings firm, Guerin relies on a few well-placed rugs to warm the lobby, hallway and glass cubicles of former high-tech offices.

Guerin labors in audacious acrylics accentuated with oil stick, but he also shows large-scale pourings and splatterings of latex paint. To say the least, he is not afraid of color or texture.

Although much of the current offering falls into the nonrepresentational zone, he also sketches in a clean style that recalls commercial graphic design. For the most part, his drippings lack distinction. His figurative drawing is raw at best.

Guerin maintains our interest, however, with his whimsical application of materials, which he plies like icing on giant, flat pastries. There's no lack of energy in his sizable abstractions or playful renderings of musicians and musical instruments.

"John Guerin: Paintings,

Drawings, Prints" continues indefinitely at the Guerin Gallery.

One of the benefits of the artist-owned gallery is that you always know where to find the art.

"Peter Ortiz: Bold and Fine Lines" recently closed at Austin Spirit Gallery. Yet, since Ortiz is one of three artists permanently on display at the South Congress Avenue gallery, his art will still be available for viewing well into the near future. (Or as long as the gallery thrives in a notoriously perilous business.)

Ortiz sketches human figures on paper with ink washes and pastels. He adds to his preliminary lines extra strokes that imply motion or depth. There's a vestigial classicism at work here as Ortiz idealizes

the rounded faces and limbs, sheaves of hair and reduced ranges of coloration.

Not that Ortiz beautifies all his subjects. Some nudes are twisted into unflattering poses, then washed in greens, blues or oranges. The pastel highlights are among the most accomplished touches, elevating the preliminary sketches into quickened images. His children are particularly well-rendered in tilts and twirls that match their youthfulness. Something is missing, perhaps a sense of gravity or context.

Still, one anticipates the next development of Ortiz's already considerable skills. Peter Ortiz's work can be seen at Austin Spirit Gallery.

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## CLUB

activities, and a thank you letter from Tralee Crisis Center.

—The Pampered Chef project is pending. Austin hopes to have catalogs from CattleWoman Susie Shank by the next meeting. Members will use the catalogs to show items to prospective customers as a fund-raiser.

—Austin reported on the board of directors meeting she attended recently in Dallas and passed along details and information including the need for "Goodie Bags" for Spring Convention, a publicity contest that concludes at the 2003 fall convention, the Batter-Up for Beef game and the state scholarship fund.

Past-President Kay Stiles presented Austin with the Top O' Texas CattleWomen's pin.

The next meeting will be Feb. 10 in Miami.

### 20th Century Club

Twentieth Century Club met Jan. 28 at the home of hostess Mildred Laycock in Pampa with President Louise Bailey presiding.

The following business was conducted and announcements made:

—Minutes from the previous meeting were approved as read by Secretary Billie Dixon.

—Committee reports were also heard.

—New officers for the 2003-04 club year were nominated and elected. The new officers are: Phyllis White, president; Fay Harvey, vice president; Myrna Orr, secretary; Dot Stowers, treasurer; Bailey, parliamentarian; and Nancy Coffee, reporter.

—Dot Allen presented the program on Brazil. The presentation included gem stones, books of interest, maps and more.

Cleo Worley assisted the hostess.

The next meeting will be at 1:30 p.m., Feb. 11 at the home of Pat Terry, 2119 Christine in Pampa. Orr will present the program on Holland.

### Pampa Art Club

Pampa Art Club met Jan. 21. Its order of business was the Artist of the Year Dinner and its annual art show to be staged May 8 at Lovett Memorial Library in Pampa.

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# DEAR ABBY

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## Jealous Stepfather Makes Life Miserable at Home

**DEAR ABBY:** I am a loyal wife who does not take divorce lightly, but I'm thinking about leaving my husband, "Joe." He is very hard on my 12-year-old daughter from a previous marriage, "Natalie."

Joe is very strict in disciplining her, to the point of being unreasonable. It has become so bad that Natalie says she hates him and wants to leave him. My two older children, who no longer live with us, feel the same way about Joe. Even my "strict" father is unhappy with the way Joe treats Natalie.

If I honestly thought he loved my daughter and was acting out of love, I might feel differently. However, he has made it clear he dislikes all my children — with a long list of "reasons."

I told Joe my children are my No. 1 priority, and if anyone in my life is a variable, it's him. He finally admitted he's jealous of Natalie and the time we spend together.

As unhappy as I am with Joe's behavior, I'm afraid if I give in to Natalie's request that I leave him, she may try to manipulate me in other ways. Please help me find a solution.

MISSISSIPPI WIFE AND MOM

**DEAR WIFE AND MOM:** For your husband to take out his jealousy and resentment of your parental duties on your daughter is deplorable. While I don't think that a 12-year-old should dictate with whom a parent spends his or her life, in this case, your daughter may have a point.

**However, before you make any decisions, I urge you, Joe and Natalie to get family counseling to see if his jealousy can be worked out. If it can't, then a separation until your daughter is 18 may be in order.**

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**DEAR ABBY:** For the past nine months, I have been secretly married to a man of whom my family does not approve. I have been able to keep them in the dark because I am a student and live in another state. I'm 33 years old, Abby, and, knowing the problems it will cause, I need some tips on how to tell my family. Help!

NOT A CHILD IN ILLINOIS

**DEAR NOT A CHILD:** I agree that at 33, you are not a child; you are an adult who has made an important decision. While it would be nice if your family approved of your choice of life partners, one of the basic premises of marriage is that you are forming a family unit of your own. Call your parents and relatives and share the "good news" with them. How they react will be their problem. Please don't continue to make it yours.

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**DEAR ABBY:** In a recent column, a reader shared a humorous experience about her smoke alarm going off. She regarded it as a "sign" from her deceased father that he was OK.

My beloved husband, Frank, was blind from diabetes when he died. He had owned a "talking watch." Since it had been such an important part of his daily life, it was on his wrist for the funeral — with the voice and alarm turned off.

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**DEAR SUSAN:** Let's just say it took a miracle to turn a wrist-watch into a "stop" watch.

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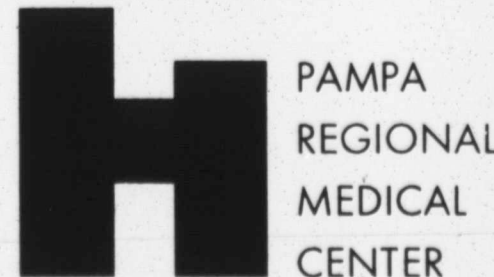
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#### HOT COUNTRY SINGLES AND TRACKS

- (Compiled from a national sample of monitored country radio by Broadcast Data Systems)
1. "19 Somethin'," Mark Wills. Mercury.
  2. "The Baby," Blake Shelton. Warner Bros.
  3. "I Just Wanna Be Mad," Terri Clark. Mercury.
  4. "Fall Into Me," Emerson Drive. DreamWorks.
  5. "You Can't Hide Beautiful," Aaron Lines. RCA.
  6. "She'll Leave You With A Smile," George Strait. MCA Nashville.
  7. "Man To Man," Gary Allan. MCA Nashville.
  8. "I Wish You'd Stay," Brad Paisley. Arista Nashville.
  9. "These Days," Rascal Flatts. Lyric Street.
  10. "Who's Your Daddy?" Toby Keith. DreamWorks.
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#### TOP COUNTRY ALBUMS

- (Compiled from a national sample of sales reports collected, compiled and provided by SoundScan)
1. "Home," Dixie Chicks. Monument. (Platinum)
  2. "Up!", Shania Twain. Mercury (Nashville).
  3. "Tim McGraw And The Dancehall Doctors," Tim McGraw. Curb. (Platinum)
  4. "Elvis: 30 (NU)1 Hits," Elvis Presley. RCA. (Platinum)
  5. "Cry," Faith Hill. Warner Bros. (Platinum)
  6. "No Shoes, No Shirt, No Problems," Kenny Chesney. BNA. (Platinum)
  7. "Unleashed," Toby Keith. DreamWorks (Nashville). (Platinum)

8. "Pain To Kill," Terri Clark. Mercury.
  9. "Melt," Rascal Flatts. Lyric Street. (Platinum)
  10. "Greatest Hits," Martina McBride. RCA.
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#### HOT R&B/HIP-HOP SINGLES AND TRACKS

- (Compiled from a national sample of sales reports and radio playlists)
1. "Miss You," Aaliyah. Blackground.
  2. "In Da Club," 50 Cent. Shady.
  3. "Ignition," R. Kelly. Jive.
  4. "Wanksta," 50 Cent. G-Unit.
  5. "Mesmerize," Ja Rule (feat. Ashanti). Murder Inc.
  6. "Love Of My Life (An Ode To Hip-Hop)," Erykah Badu (feat. Common). Fox.
  7. "Bump, Bump, Bump," B2K & P. Diddy. Epic.
  8. "I Should Be...," Dru Hill. Def Soul.
  9. "Gossip Folks," Missy "Misdemeanor" Elliott (feat. Ludacris). The Gold Mind.
  10. "All I Have," Jennifer Lopez (feat. LL Cool J). Epic.
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#### TOP R&B/HIP-HOP ALBUMS

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1. "I Care 4 U," Aaliyah. Blackground. (Platinum)
  2. "Under Construction," Missy "Misdemeanor" Elliott. The Gold Mind. (Platinum)
  3. "The Last Temptation," Ja Rule. Murder Inc. (Platinum)
  4. "God's Son," Nas. Ill Will. (Platinum)
  5. "I Wanna Go There," Tyrese. J.
  6. "This Is Me... Then," Jennifer Lopez. Epic. (Platinum)
  7. "Better Dayz," 2Pac. Amaru.
  8. Soundtrack: "8 Mile." Shady. (Platinum)
  9. "The Blueprint 2: The Gift And The Curse," Jay-Z. Roc-A-Fella. (Platinum)
  10. "Kings Of Crunk," Lil Jon & The East Side Boyz. BME

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#### HOT RAP TRACKS

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  4. "Gossip Folks," Missy "Misdemeanor" Elliott (feat. Ludacris). The Gold Mind.
  5. "Air Force Ones," Nelly feat. Kyjuan, Ali & Murphy Lee. Fo' Reel.
  6. "Thugz Mansion," 2Pac. Amaru.
  7. "'03 Bonnie & Clyde," Jay-Z (feat. Beyonce Knowles). Roc-A-Fella.
  8. "Work It," Missy "Misdemeanor" Elliott. The Gold Mind.
  9. "Made You Look," Nas. Ill Will.
  10. "Paradise," LL Cool J (feat. Amerie). Def Jam.
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#### HOT DANCE MUSIC — CLUB PLAY

- (Compiled from a national sample of dance club playlists)
1. "Through The Rain (Full Intention, M. Joshua, & H. Hector Mixes)," Mariah Carey. MonarC.
  2. "Head," Thunderpuss & Barnes. No Label.
  3. "Hit The Freeway (Remixes)," Toni Braxton (feat. Loon). Arista.
  4. "Tears From The Moon," Conjure One (feat. Sinead O'Connor). Nettwerk.
  5. "The Wreckoning (Thunderpuss & DJ Monk Mixes)," Boomkat. DreamWorks.
  6. "Dance Dance (The Mexican) (HQ2 & Ricky Crespo Mixes)," Thalia. Virgin.
  7. "Emotional Rollercoaster (Junior Vasquez & The Kid Chris Mixes)," Vivian Green. Columbia.
  8. "Rise Up," Funky Green Dogs. Star 69.
  9. "Surrender (Remixes)," Laura Pausini. Atlantic.
  10. "All Around The World (Punk Debutante)," Cooler Kids. DreamWorks.
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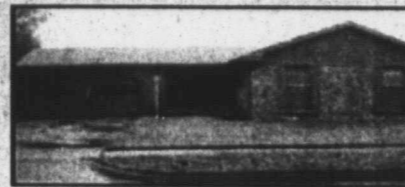
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# Area 4-H, FFA members to participate in Houston stock show

HOUSTON — The 2003 Houston Livestock Show will kick-off Feb. 27 and end March 16 at Reliant Park in Houston. The junior show, which showcases the animal projects of FFA and 4-H exhibitors, is set to get under way Friday, March 7.

Professional breeders and ranchers will compete for top prize money and global recognition in the livestock industry during the first part of the show starting Feb. 27.

According to a release from livestock show officials, entries from both the open and junior shows, along with the horse division, combine to make the Houston Livestock Show the largest event of its kind in the world.

More than 15,000 entries, representing more than 1,000 Texas 4-H clubs and FFA chapters, will compete in this year's junior show. A wide variety of animals will be shown including steers, barrows, lambs, goats, poultry, and much more.

Area students entering the show include: Stephanie Akins, FFA; Benjamin J. Campbell, FFA; Elizabeth M. Campbell, FFA; Keisha Childress, FFA; Tanner Cochran, FFA; Garrett E. Coutts, FFA; Meredith B. Coutts, FFA; Karli Douglas, FFA; Kori A. Dunn, FFA; Kristen L. Dunn, FFA; Amber Nicole Freeman, FFA; K'Lyn Holmes, FFA; T'Andra Holmes,

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## PUBLISHERS WEEKLY BESTSELLERS

### NONFICTION, GENERAL

1. "Atkins for Life" by Robert C. Atkins, M.D. (St. Martin's)
2. "Body for Life" by Bill Phillips (HarperCollins)
3. "Suzanne Somers' Fast and Easy" by Suzanne Somers (Crown)
4. "The Savage Nation" by Michael Savage (WND Books)
5. "The Power of Now: A Guide to Spiritual Enlightenment" by Eckhart Tolle (New World Library)
6. "Get With the Program!: Guide to Good Eating" by Bob Greene (Simon & Schuster)
7. "Get with the Program!" by Bob Greene (Simon & Schuster)
8. "Who Moved My Cheese?" by Spencer Johnson (Putnam)
9. "The Right Man" by David Frum (Random House)

10. "Bush at War" by Bob Woodward (Simon & Schuster)

### MASS MARKET PAPERBACKS

1. "Dr. Atkins New Diet Revolution" by Robert C. Atkins (Avon)
2. "The Summons" by John Grisham (Dell Island)
3. "Truly Madly Manhattan" by Nora Roberts (Harlequin)
4. "Everything's Eventual: 14 Dark Tales" by Stephen King (Pocket)
5. "The Penwyth Curse" by Catherine Coulter (Jove)
6. "Safe Harbor" by Luanne Rice (Bantam)
7. "The Oath" by John Lescroart (Signet)
8. "Last Dance, Last Chance" by Ann Rule (Pocket)
9. "The Cat Who Went Up the Creek" by Lilian Jackson

Braun (Jove)  
10. "The Return of the King (The Lord of the Rings, Part 3)" by J.R.R. Tolkien (Del Rey)

### TRADE PAPERBACKS

1. "The Hours" by Michael Cunningham (Picador)
2. "Dr. Atkins' New Diet Revolution" by Robert C. Atkins, M.D. (Quill)
3. "Bel Canto" by Ann Patchett (Perennial)
4. "Sea Glass" by Anita Shreve (Little, Brown/Back Bay)
5. "Catch Me If You Can" by Frank W. Abagnale with Stan Redding (Broadway)
6. "Balzac and the Little Chinese Seamstress" by Dai Sijie, Sijie Dai, and Ina Rilke (Anchor)
7. "Crow Lake" by Mary Lawson (Delta)
8. "Good in Bed" by Jennifer Weiner (Washington

Square Press)  
9. "Mrs. Dalloway" by Virginia Woolf (Harcourt/Harvest)

10. "Rich Dad, Poor Dad" by Robert T. Kiyosaki (Warner)

### HARDCOVER FICTION

1. "The Lovely Bones" by Alice Sebold (Little, Brown)
2. "Crossroads of Twilight: The Wheel of Time, Book 10" by Robert Jordan (Tor Books)
3. "Sons of Fortune" by Jeffrey Archer (St. Martin's Press)
4. "The Arraignment" by Steve Martini (Putnam)
5. "Prey" by Michael Crichton (HarperCollins)
6. "Four Blind Mice" by James Patterson (Little, Brown)
7. "By the Light of the Moon" by Dean Koontz (Bantam)
8. "Forever" by Pete Hamill (Little, Brown)
9. "The Bone Vault" by Linda Fairstein (Scribner)
10. "I Don't Know How She Does It" by Allison Pearson (Knopf)

## Knife & Fork Club to meet

Lu Mitchell, who wrote such songs as "Mary Stuffed Her Boss in the Paper Shredder" and "The Little Gown that Opens Down the Back," will be the featured entertainer at the next meeting of Top O' Texas Knife and Fork Club slated at 7 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 13, at Pampa Country Club.

The title of Mitchell's program is "Off Our Rockers." Mitchell calls herself a folk singer, but her taste runs toward topical satire. She has performed at festivals, universities, parties and clubs throughout the United States and has eight recordings and a songbook under her belt.

Ms. Mitchell has been performing for more than three decades and has shared the stage with The Kingston

Trio and Tom Paxton. She sings about television evangelists, doctors, garage sales, and anything else that tickles her fancy.

Members may purchase tickets for the upcoming show between Feb. 5 through Feb. 12 at Dunlaps in Pampa. Tickets are \$11 per member.



Lu Mitchell

## Ag Day program planned next month

The annual Gray County Ag Day program will be held Thursday, Feb. 6 at Gray County Annex in Pampa. Registration for the first morning segment will begin at 7:45 a.m.

The program will be divided into two morning sessions, an afternoon session, and an evening session. Each morning session will be worth two continuing education units (CEUs) for private, commercial, and non-commercial applicators. The first will focus on laws and regulations for applicators.

Registration for the second morning segment will kick-off at 10 a.m. The topic will be drift minimization. To receive credit for both courses, applicators will need to register for both. Private, commercial, and non-commercial applicators are required to have hours in both of these areas in order to stay licensed.

The afternoon and evening sessions will explore agriculture production and management. Registration will begin at 1 p.m. The remainder of the meeting will be worth three

CEUs. The emphasis will be on cotton production and management decisions related to new farm legislation and budgeting. Rainfall precipitation enhancement and Multi Peril Crop Insurance will also be covered during the afternoon.

Guest speakers will include Dr. Randy Bowman, cotton agronomist, Texas Cooperative Extension, Eric Best, Delta Pineland Seed Co., Dr. Greta Schuster, assistant professor-IPM, West Texas A&M University and Texas Cooperative Extension (TCE) specialist, Dustin Gaskins and DeDe Jones, both TCE risk management specialists, and Dr. Steve Amosson, Extension economist.

A meal will be furnished courtesy of First Ag Credit, Panhandle-Plains Federal Land Bank Association, Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District #3, and Delta & Pineland Seed Co. Participants must RSVP to the local Extension office by Tuesday, Feb. 4. For more information, call 669-8033.

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## POUNDS

There was even a little revamp for man's best friend — in this case Kelvin's dog Bonnie, known for her friendly but frenzied leaping up on visitors. A Garland dog trainer tamed Bonnie in a scant 30 minutes.

It's all cause for celebration for Deupree, whose church, First Baptist of Colleyville, has invited him to speak about the experience at a men's fellowship breakfast in March.

Frank Harber, the church's senior pastor, was invited by iMen's Health/i to help close out the day's makeover.

"When I got there, his house was packed with all these people and iQ/i clothes for him, and he had a new haircut. But what was funny was all the Moon Pies he was caught with," Harber said with a laugh.

"I prayed with him and talked about his spiritual

walk and how this was something that could be a new start. Now we've got Kelvin, who is a very, very shy guy, to talk to this breakfast where there will be tons of guys — and I don't think he would have done that before. This couldn't have happened to a nicer guy."

Granted, co-workers and cronies have pitched some teasing Deupree's way; his boss has even taken to introducing the "new man

in the office" at conferences.

An unruffled Deupree says he'd do it all again.

With one exception. "About a month later, as the back hairs were growing back, with all the ingrown hairs, the itching... I won't do that again," he said. "Some guys have rug backs — but I'm probably pretty average."

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