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PISD to announce new educational showcase

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The Pampa Independent School District is inviting parents and community members to a luncheon this week to hear Superintendent Barry Haensch announce the new academic educational showcase.

The luncheon, which will be held from noon to 1 p.m. tomorrow at the M.K. Brown Heritage Room, will be the community's formal introduction to "Educational Showcase — Harvester Style," a new open house-style event to show Pampa what its kids have been

doing during the 2010-11 school year. The showcase, which has been about a year in the making, and its announcement marks a big event for the PISD, said Parental Involvement Coordinator Sabrina East.

"We have a luncheon every month for parents in the community," said East. "This month is special because our area of interest is the announcement of our new showcase."

"We're going to spotlight all of the kids' work in the district. It's going to be a big event at the high school, and all the grade levels are going to be involved from Head Start

to high school."

The showcase is scheduled for Jan. 17. More details of the event will be available at tomorrow's luncheon, according to East.

"It's really kind of a big deal for us, so we want to get as many people at the luncheon as we can to find out about it," East said. "It's just going to be bringing the district together in one place for everyone to see, so we want to make sure a lot of people know about it for the kids."

Lunch will be provided at no charge. Anyone interested in attending should RSVP today by calling the PISD AT 806-669-4700.

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TRAVIS TRIBUTE



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LEFT: Altrusa volunteer Leona Willis pins a "Veteran ribbon" and a poppy on George Kilcrease prior to last week's Veteran's Day Celebration at M.K. Brown Auditorium. **TOP RIGHT:** Wallace Jouett (US Air Force 1953-57) meets some young new friends prior to the program. **BOTTOM LEFT:** Travis Elementary students showed their appreciation for our veterans on stage.



staff photo by David Bowser

Gray County Sheriff's Deputy Steven White credits his wife and his career for helping straighten out his life.

Career, life a blessing for White

DAVID BOWSER
 dbowser@thepampanews.com

Gray County Deputy Steven White said he feels blessed. He got what many people can often only dream of — another chance.

White was born in Shamrock a little over 33 years ago.

"I wanted to be a cop all my life," White said. "I got lucky, and I got to be one."

But his future didn't seem to be that clear in his youth.

"I didn't graduate," he said. "I quit."

He said that's the lucky part. He was given another opportunity to get himself back on track.

"I tried the first seven years of my adult life to mess things up real bad," White said. "I've spent the last 10 trying to fix what I messed up."

He said he'd wanted to go into law enforcement ever since he was two years old, but he got sidetracked when he was a teenager.

White credited his wife with straightening out his life.

"I realized I had to grow up," he said, "and do something."

Now, he's a settled husband and father with four children.

"When I started trying to get things straightened out with my life," White said, "I went to work at the penitentiary."

He worked there almost four years.

"Since I'd quit school," White said, "I had to go get 12 hours of college, a semester of college, before I could be a cop."

Furthering his education allowed him to attend the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Education academy.

"Basically, I took summer classes," White said.

He took a couple of classes a semester or sometimes one class a semester at Pampa's Clarendon College Campus while he was working at the prison.

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CHAMBER LUNCHEON

Tuesday, November 17 • 11:45 p.m.

Speaker - Ronald Howard, Army Recruiter

Sponsored by Guess Insurance Agency

MK Brown at the Chamber

\$8.50/person • Catered by R&R Catering

Menu to include: chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, veggies, salad, cookies and iced tea.

RSVP to Erica at 669-3241 or email harvest@pampachamber.com by Friday, November 12, 2010

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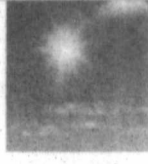
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For the record

Obituaries

PAMPA FORECAST

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
		
High 89 Low 68	High 94 Low 70	High 95 Low 70

Tonight: Mostly cloudy, with a low around 29. Wind chill values between 22 and 27. East-northeast wind 5 to 10 mph becoming northwest.

Tuesday: Sunny, with a high near 59. Wind chill values between 19 and 29 early. Northwest wind 5 to 10 mph becoming south.

Tuesday Night: Clear, with a low around 32. Wind chill values between 23 and 28. South wind 10 to 15 mph becoming west northwest. Winds could gust as high as 20 mph.

Wednesday: Sunny, with a high near 51. North-northwest wind between 10 and 20 mph, with gusts as high as 25 mph.

Wednesday Night: Clear, with a low around 26. Calm wind becoming south-southeast around 5 mph.

Thursday: Sunny, with a high near 56. South-southwest wind between 5 and 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

Thursday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 32. South-southwest wind around 15 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

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EMERGENCY SERVICES

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following arrests over the weekend.

Friday, Nov. 12

Valita Ann Nieves, 42, was arrested for theft by check in Potter County and non guardian permit unlicensed driver.

Zachary Joe Baker, 19, was arrested for failure to identify, capias pro fine warrant, no drivers license, failure to appear, no valid drivers license, failure to maintain financial responsibility and changing lanes when unsafe.

Kendra Dawn Cartwright, 24, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

Saturday, Nov. 13

Oscar Ivan Rodriguez, 28, was arrested for driving while intoxicated and an open container.

Barbara Lanette Miller, 55, was arrested for two capias pro fine warrants.

Benjamin Samuel Griffin, 19, was arrested for possession of marijuana.

Max Beatty Floyd, 30, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

Scott Christopher Fields, 40, of Groom, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

Juan Ramirez, 17, was arrested for failure to attend school and failure to appear.

Jeffrey Allen Parish, 49, was arrested for driving while intoxicated and an open container.

Sunday, Nov. 14

Jason Samuel Shorter, 30, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

Michael Arthur Flores, 23, was arrested for no drivers license, failure to maintain financial respon-

Mildred Fern Swinford Salsman, 97

Mildred Fern Swinford Salsman, 97, died November 13, 2010, in Amarillo.

Services are pending with Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Salsman was born March 3, 1913 in Briscow, Okla. She was the first of eleven children born to Ernest and Mattie Reed Barnett. Her father was a carpenter and her mother was a homemaker. Mildred married James Rufus Swinford and they had a son, James D. Swinford. James preceded her in death, and she later married James H. Salsman, who also preceded her in death. She had been a resident of Pampa, Artesia, N.M. and Poteau, Okla. She was a member of First Assembly of God. Mildred enjoyed crocheting and collecting dolls.

Survivors include her son, James D. Swinford and wife Kay of Canyon; daughter, Gwyn Kirkpatrick and husband Ron of Tulsa, Okla.; two granddaughters, Laura Taylor and husband Victor of Amarillo, and Rhonda Harder of Tulsa, Okla.; grandson, Brad Bridges and wife Becky of Tulsa, Okla.; great-granddaughter, Morgan Harder of Tulsa, Okla.; and great-grandson, Mark Bridges of Tulsa, Okla. She was preceded in death by her parents and nine siblings.

Memorials may be made to Gideons International, 2200 SW 7th Ave., Amarillo, TX 79106.

Sign the online register at www.carmichael-whitley.com.



Salsman

John Paul Dauer, 61

PANHANDLE—John Paul Dauer, 61, died Saturday, November 13, 2010.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at the First United Methodist Church of Panhandle, with Reverend Lewis Holland officiating. Burial will be in Panhandle Cemetery by Minton-Chatwell Funeral Directors of Panhandle.

Mr. Dauer, a native of Carson County, was born December 9, 1948 in Amarillo. He graduated from Panhandle High School in 1967 and went on to complete the Ranch Management Program at TCU in 1971 and received his Bachelor of Science in Animal Science from OSU in 1972. After being honorably discharged from the U.S. Army in August of 1972, he returned to Panhandle and began his lifelong career of farming and ranching.

On January 9, 1974, he married Dawn Vincent. John Paul and Dawn had a son, Justin Paul. John Paul married Charlotte Snowden on June 9, 1979 and together they had three daughters, Amy Ann, Mary Stephanie and Micca Brooke. John Paul was active in agricultural and cattle associations winning numerous awards including: National Winner - Grain Sorghum Producers Association 1986; First Place Winner - Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Association 1988. He was also active for many years in the Ft. Worth Stock Show, winning Reserve Grand Champion in 1988 and Grand Champion in 1998. On December 23, 1997, John Paul married Patricia McKiernan. They continued to live in Panhandle, farming and ranching. John Paul served his church, the First United Methodist of Panhandle, as chairperson of several boards. He also served his community by serving on the Panhandle School Board for 12 years; the Texas Hereford Association Board; and as Vice President of the McClellan Creek Soil and Water Conservation Board.

He is preceded in death by his father Paul, his mother Margaret, and his wife Charlotte. He is survived by his wife, Patty; five children, Micca Rasp and her husband Joshua, of Arcadia, Okla.; Justin Dauer and his wife Barbi, of Panhandle; Stephanie Sammons and her husband Brad, of Idaho Falls, Idaho; Amy Biggs and her husband Ryan, of Frisco; and Tomi Gerber and her husband Charles, of Ringwood, N.J.; eight grandchildren, Halee Biggs, Ashby Dauer, Jared Dauer, Katelyn Sammons, Kade Sammons, Tristan Biggs, Chase Gerber, Kesler Sammons and a new baby boy expected to arrive in January; and his brother, Steve Dauer and wife Ashlee of Rockport.

The family suggests memorials be to First United Methodist Church of Panhandle and the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, 2201 Civic Circle #514, Amarillo, TX 79109-1843.

Elizabeth Jayne Leighty David, 90

Elizabeth Jayne Leighty David died peacefully November 10, 2010, at Richland Memorial Hospital in Olney, Ill. Her husband, Charley preceded her in death in 2002. Jayne was born February 12, 1920, in Lawrence County, Denison Township, south of Lawrenceville, Ill. Her parents were Carson and Myrtle (Gher) Leighty.

Jayne lived a healthy, active, and wonderful life for 90 years. She and Charley eloped to Henderson, Ky. and were married April 29, 1939. Returning to Lawrenceville the next day, they went back to their mother and dad's home thinking their parents wouldn't know they got married.

Jayne worked for the Lawrence County Red Cross. She also worked for the Illinois Department of Public Aid as a caseworker. Jayne's hobbies included the Garden Club, golfing at the Lawrence County Country Club, and Bridge with numerous ladies groups. After retirement, Jayne and Charley enjoyed traveling and spending the winter months in Panama City Beach, Fla.

Jayne and Charley were married 63 years and are survived by a son Mike and his wife Janet in Olney, Ill. and a son Roger in Pampa. She is also survived by nine grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Charley, two brothers, Roger and Bill Leighty, and one great-grandson Jonathan Michael David.

Funeral arrangements are being conducted by Emmons-Macey & Steffey Funeral Home in Lawrenceville. A visitation will be held at the funeral home Wednesday, November 17, from 5 to 8 p.m., and the funeral services will be held at the First Presbyterian Church, November 18, at 10 a.m.

Memorials in memory of Jayne may be made in Lawrenceville to the Presbyterian Church, Garden Club, or the Lawrence County Country Club.

In Olney, memorials may be made to the Richland Memorial Hospital Foundation or the Southeastern Illinois Hospice.

Condolences may be sent to www.emmons-macey-steffey.com.

Nancy Louise McConnell Kotara Paronto, 70

Nancy Louise McConnell Kotara Paronto, 70, died November 13, 2010, in Pampa after a courageous battle against cancer.

True to her giving spirit, Nancy donated her body to Texas Tech University School of Medicine. Memorial services are pending. Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Nancy was born November 29, 1939, in Pampa and grew up in Carson County. She attended schools in Pampa and White Deer, graduating from White Deer High School in 1958, where she played on the basketball team that went to state. She attended Texas Tech University for one year and married Jerry Kotara in 1959. They settled in Groom where Jerry farmed until they moved to Pampa in 1970, and then farmed and ranched in Roberts County. After Jerry's death in 1977, Nancy became the director of volunteers at Highland General Hospital until she retired from that position at Pampa Regional Medical Center in 2005. She married Edgar Paronto in 1980 and he preceded her in death in 1989. Nancy was a member of First Presbyterian Church, and was a member of the Clarendon College Pampa Center Foundation board for many years. She loved gardening, photography and crafts. She deeply loved her family and friends.

The family wishes to thank the compassionate staff of BSA Hospice and those many relatives and friends who have assisted Nancy the past few years.

Survivors include her daughter, Kem Sommer and husband Mark of Lewisville; two sons, Steve Kotara and wife Ellen of Fort Worth, and Brian Kotara and wife Carrie of Hailey, Idaho; sister, Julia McConnell of Duncanville; brother, Calvin McConnell of Lubbock; six grandchildren, Kassie Kotara of Salina, Kan., Brian Kotara of Ness City, Kan., Derek Sommer of Waco, Champe Kotara and Grace Kotara, both of Hailey, Idaho, and Peter Kotara of Fort Worth; four great-grandchildren, Elizabeth Kotara of Salina, Kan., Christian Kotara, Devin Kotara and Aydin Kotara, all of Ness City, Kan.; three nieces and two nephews. Nancy was preceded in death by her parents, Russell and Aileen McConnell; her longtime companion, Bill Gablemann; and her son, Mark Kotara.

Memorials may be made to American Cancer Society, c/o Gerry Caylor, 2130 Charles, Pampa, TX 79065

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Paronto

sibility and failure to appear.

Tracy Cates Short, 48, of Canadian, was arrested for possession of a controlled substance, less than one gram.

Michael Ryan Gill, 29, was arrested for a capias pro fine warrant - speeding 70/55 and a capias pro fine warrant - speeding 94/70.

Monday, Nov. 15

Kyle Wesley Achziger, 20, was arrested for a capias pro fine warrant - no valid drivers license.

Police Department

The Pampa Police Department reported the following calls over the weekend. There were 19 animal-related calls, 11 medical calls, 10 information calls, five traffic complaints and 40 traffic stops performed. The Pampa

Fire Department received three calls.

Friday, Nov. 12

An accident was reported on 23rd and Wells.

Burglary of a motor vehicle was reported in the 800 block of Nelson.

Burglary of a motor vehicle was reported in the 200 block of Kingsmill.

Harassment was reported in the 600 block of Plains.

A stolen vehicle was reported in the 1000 block of Duncan.

An escort was given to the 500 block of Gray.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 1600 block of Holly.

Fingerprinting was performed in the 200 block of Kingsmill.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 600 block of West.

An accident was reported in the 1400 block of Hobart.

A missing person was reported in the 800 block of Browning.

An alarm was reported in the 1100 block of Charles.

An accident was reported in the 500 block of Roberta.

Property was found on 23rd and Perryton Parkway.

An alarm was reported in the 600 block of Hobart.

A welfare check was performed in the 2200 block of Perryton Parkway.

A domestic disturbance was reported in the 2200 block of Wells.

A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 1200 block of Hobart.

A motorist assist was given in the 2500 block of Rosewood.

An alarm was reported in the 600 block of Hobart.

A suspicious person was reported in the 1000 block of Wilks.

A burglary was reported in the 600 block of Lefors.

A 911 hang-up call was received from the 1500 block of Williston.

A threat was reported in the 1400 block of Hobart.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 700 block of Magnolia.

Saturday, Nov. 13

A suspicious person was reported in the 1100 block of Sirroco.

A suspicious person was reported on Kingsmill and West.

A follow up investigation was performed in the 100 block of Faulkner.

A burglary was reported in the 1800 block of Christy.

A domestic disturbance was reported in the 1200 block of Foster.

(Continued Tues.)

White

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"I got my 12 hours," White said. He said the prison was gracious enough to work around his school schedule.

White's mother claimed that the old television program CHIPS, about the California Highway Patrol, is what made her son want to be a law enforcement officer.

"I'd like to say that it was the fact that my Granddad was a cop," White grinned, "but I never knew he was a cop until after I became one."

It was the day White graduated from the police academy that his mother told him about his grandfather.

"She said, 'I had a feeling you'd do this someday,'" White said.

She told him that his grandfather had been a policeman. She claimed she'd told him about his grandfather, but White said she never had.

White's grandfather had been a police officer in Beloit, Wis.

"That's where my mom was born and grew up," White said. "She's lived in northern Illinois most of her life."

His mother and father divorced when White was three.

"My Dad raised me," White said.

After settling down, White said he realized that may be he could realize his dream after all.

White graduated from the police academy with Rhett Rollins and Zach Kidd in March, 2006.

"They got started a day earlier than I did because they both lived here," White said. "I still lived in Shamrock."

When wind fanned flames that burned across a million acres in the panhandle that March, Rollins and Kidd were called out on that Sunday.

"We were supposed to start on Monday," White said.

On Monday, the trio was to go to a law enforcement class in Childress, but it was postponed because of the wildfires.

"They cancelled the class because of the fires, and we all got to work," he said.

Things have slowed down a little, he said.

The first three years he was with the Gray County Sheriff's Office, White worked narcotics.

"That's what I wanted to do," he said.

White is now working sexual assaults and crimes against children.

At first, he said he wasn't sure he would like the assignment, but it's grown on him.

"I'm pretty passionate about it now," White said.

He said he gets a lot more satisfaction out of what he does now than he ever did working narcotics.

"Just the satisfaction of helping kids is pretty awesome," White said.

He said that he finds the investigations the most interesting part of his job.

Catching the bad guy is the most rewarding, or in some cases, even clearing a person who starts out being a suspect in a case.

"You work just as hard trying to clear somebody as you do to convict somebody," White said.

He said he often goes home at night and looks in on his children and gives thanks for what he has.

"All the time," White said.

He said he's dealt with death before, but he'd never dealt with a child's death until he started working this job.

"When you look at that," White said, "you think a lot about your babies when you go home."

After being called out on a wreck one day where three teenagers were killed, White said he went home and hugged all his kids.

"That was really tough," he said.

Social Security disability

TOM MARGENAU
Creator's Syndicate

Social Security and you

half of 1 percent equals 5 percent) or about \$50 leaving you with \$950 per month.

There is one other point I need to make. You should know that getting a disability sticker for your car in no way means you will automatically be eligible for Social Security disability benefits. The qualification requirements for the federal government's disability program are much stricter than the rules for getting disability parking stickers.

Q: I think one way we can trim Social Security expenditures is to eliminate the disability program. After all, that's just a welfare boondoggle that doles out taxpayer-funded payments to deadbeats and bums. People getting regular Social Security like me are fed up with all these people cheating the system!

A: I'm always amazed by the number of people that

Q: I am 62 and started getting Social Security retirement benefits this year. At the time I applied for Social Security, I was having some physical problems at my job, but I was still working part time. However, recently I've been forced to stop working because of my impairments. My doctor signed a paper saying that I am 100 percent disabled so I could get a handicapped sticker for my car.

I'm pretty sure I'd qualify for Social Security disability. Can I file for those benefits? Some people have told me I can, but others have told me it's too late.

A: Yes, you can file for Social Security disability benefits. If your claim is approved, you will be switched from retirement payments to disability payments. That would mean a little extra money in your

monthly benefit checks. A Social Security disability benefit pays the same rate as your full retirement benefit at age 66. But from that amount, they will have to deduct about one-half of 1 percent for each month you've already received retirement payments.

Here's a quick example. Let's say your full retirement benefit is \$1,000 per month. You took reduced retirement at age 62, meaning you're getting about \$750 per month. You file for disability benefits and your claim is approved after you've been receiving retirement checks for 10 months. Your disability rate would be \$1,000 minus about 5 percent (10 retirement checks times one-

consider the Social Security disability program as a "welfare boondoggle." The folks who collect disability benefits have worked and paid Social Security taxes just like those getting retirement benefits. In fact, I like to think of the Social Security disability program as simply an early retirement, or disability retirement benefit.

And I'm curious: What makes a person getting disability a "cheater" and a person getting retirement, like you, a "regular" guy? Anyone who really understands the disability program knows that a person has to be severely disabled to qualify for monthly disability benefits. To label them "deadbeats and bums" means you really don't know what you're talking about.

If you have a Social Security question, Tom Margenau has the answer. Contact him at thomas.margenau@comcast.net.

Dear Abby...

By Pauline & Jeanne Phillips



DEAR ABBY: My dear friend "Shelby" has been involved with a man for three years. "Mr. Secret Agent" is always on the go and can visit her only occasionally because of all of his international business travels. She told me he is from New Zealand and plans to return there when he retires in a few years.

Something about him just didn't feel right to me, so I did some Internet sleuthing and discovered that Shelby's "successful businessman" was born right here in the U.S.A. He has no passport, is using an assumed name, works as a janitor, has filed bankruptcy twice and actually lives in a trailer.

Shelby is overjoyed when he comes to visit her, but I am getting tired of hearing his lies. I know she'll be hurt, but don't you think she deserves to know the truth? I'm concerned he may extort money from her. What should I do? — 2 GOOD 2 BE TRUE IN WASHINGTON STATE

DEAR 2 GOOD 2 BE TRUE: The first thing to do is confess to your friend that you did some snooping and learned some troubling information about her gentleman friend. Then offer to share it with her so she can decide for herself if continuing a relationship with him is something she wants to do. She may or may not be interested -- and she may or may not thank you for wisening her up. Be prepared for her to be upset -- but it's a risk you should take.

DEAR ABBY: I have a suggestion for people who are stuck for gift ideas. Several years ago, I asked my mom for a very special Christmas gift. I asked her to write down her life story -- things she had done as a child, the experience of hitchhiking from New Mexico to Tennessee during the Great Depression, and all the other experiences of her life. She did, and I printed it for her. That year she gave each child, grandchild and great-grandchild a copy. It was the best Christmas present ever and one that's still cherished by us all.

Both my parents are gone now, but we have

Mom's wonderful stories to remember. Without her book, those memories would be lost forever. I encourage everyone to record their family history and memories for your loved ones to read. You'll never regret it, and it will be enjoyed for generations to come. — ANDREW IN JOHNSON CITY, TENN.

DEAR ABBY: That's a terrific suggestion. And if the parent or grandparent isn't comfortable with writing, the same goal can be accom-

plished by setting up a video camera and interviewing the family member by asking questions about his or her youth.

DEAR ABBY: I left my abusive husband two years ago. My parents and my brother chose him over me. My father and brother kicked me out of their house when I tried to explain, while my mother stood there and said nothing.

My father is now dying and I don't know what I should do. I feel like talking to him would be "giv-

ing in." My family made their choice two years ago. Abby, I am torn. How do I forgive my father when I don't think he deserves it? — THE ONE LEFT BEHIND IN OREGON

DEAR ONE LEFT BEHIND: Frankly, you don't. If you had said your father had ASKED for forgiveness, my answer might be different. But unless your father asks to see you, keep your distance. That is, unless you want to risk yet another dose of rejection.

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By THOMAS JOSEPH

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Today in History

Today is Monday, Nov. 15, the 319th day of 2010. There are 46 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
On Nov. 15, 1777, the Second Continental Congress approved the Articles of Confederation, a precursor to the Constitution of the United States.

On this date:
In 1806, explorer Zebulon Pike sighted the mountaintop now known as Pikes Peak in present-day Colorado.

In 1935, the Commonwealth of the Philippines was established as its new president, Manuel L. Quezon, took office.

In 1939, President Franklin D. Roosevelt laid the cornerstone of the Jefferson Memorial in Washington, D.C.

In 1948, William Lyon Mackenzie King retired as prime minister of Canada after 21 years; he was succeeded by Louis St. Laurent.

In 1959, four members of the Clutter family of Holcomb, Kan. were found murdered in their home. (Ex-convicts Richard Hickock and Perry Smith were later convicted of the killings and hanged.)

In 1966, the flight of Gemini 12 ended successfully as astronauts James A. Lovell and Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin Jr. splashed down safely in the Atlantic.

In 1969, a quarter of a million protesters staged a peaceful demonstration in Washington against the Vietnam War.

In 1979, the British government publicly identified Sir Anthony Blunt as the "fourth man" of a Soviet spy ring.

In 1985, Britain and Ireland signed an accord giving Dublin an official consultative role in governing Northern Ireland.

Ten years ago: A man who'd stabbed George Harrison because he believed he was possessed by the former Beatle was ordered confined to a mental hospital after being acquitted in Oxford, England, of attempted murder by reason of insanity. (Michael Abram was ordered released in July 2002.)

Five years ago: Israel and the Palestinians, under strong U.S. pressure, reached an agreement to open Gaza's borders. Baseball players and owners agreed on a tougher steroids-testing policy.

One year ago: President Barack Obama concluded a two-day summit with Asia-Pacific leaders in Singapore, where they pledged to persist with stimulus spending until a global recovery was assured.

Today's Birthdays: Judge Joseph Wapner is 91. Statesman Howard H. Baker Jr. is 85. Actor Ed Asner is 81. Actor John Kerr is 79. Singer Petula Clark is 78. Comedian Jack Burns is 77. Actress Joanna Barnes is 76. Actor Yaphet Kotto is 71. Actor Sam Waterston is 70. New Mexico Gov. Bill Richardson is 63. Director-actor James Widdoes is 57. CNN anchor-reporter John Roberts is 54. Former "Jay Leno Show" bandleader Kevin Eubanks is 53. Comedian Judy Gold is 48. Actress Rachel True is 44. Rapper E-40 is 43. Country singer Jack Ingram is 40. Actor Jay Harrington is 39. Actor Jonny Lee Miller is 38. Actress Sydney Tamiia (tuh-MY-yuh) Poitier is 37. Christian rock musician David Carr (Third Day) is 36. Rock singer-musician Chad Kroeger is 36. Rock musician Jesse Sandoval is 36. Actress Virginie Ledoyen is 34. Actor Sean Murray ("NCIS") is 33. Golfer Lorena Ochoa is 29. Actress Shailene Woodley is 19.

Thought for Today: "My father used to say superior people never make long visits." - Marianne Moore, American poet (1887-1972).



A year of change, a year of accolades

This is the year! Perhaps you have seen this motto displayed throughout our district. As you have read this message, you might have wondered what it means. Certainly, these words might herald any number of the exciting things happening in our community — this has been, after all, a benchmark year in academics, in sports, in the completion of major building initiatives; as a community, we have many reasons to exclaim with unfettered emotion that "this is the year!"

This year, from our very first meeting, Pampa ISD superintendent, Mr. Haenisch, encouraged the entire instructional staff to pull together as a winning team, to sharpen our focus, and to make this the year that we challenge every student in the district to learn and perform at the highest levels possible. This message was communicated to every member of the Pampa ISD team, including support staff in food services, transportation, maintenance, business, and custodial services. Together, each Pampa ISD employee is working to build an educational environment on every campus that sets forth high expectations and standards for learning and excellence.

The power of district-wide initiatives is evident in many ways. For example, the Pampa ISD Board of Trustees has been recognized as one of the top five school boards in Texas. Additionally, 132 students have enrolled for a total of 877 dual credit hours for college credit; we have senior students on track to graduate with their Associates degree from Clarendon College while they simultaneously earn their High School

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diplomas.

Our community enjoys the talented musical performances by the Pampa HS band, choir and elementary campuses, theater performances from our secondary school, and our athletic teams continue to thrill us in their post-district competition.

Our elementary school campuses have increased the number of Gold Performance Awards by the State of Texas, while Pampa High School was recognized with two Gold Performance Awards for the first time.

Furthermore, our students beat the national average on the ACT exam, and our schools received a high rating and glowing report from a state audit of child nutrition. Finally, in addition to the opening of the new Pampa Jr. High School, our maintenance departments have completed a beautiful remodeling project in the vocational building at PJHS. These are just a few examples of the outstanding work going on around our district.

In our district, a large contingent of dedicated professionals keeps a watchful eye on student achievement and success. Pampa is fortunate to

have a group of outstanding educators who work tirelessly to keep focus on the growth and potential of each and every student under their care. They lead campuses and serve as role models for our students and community. If you get the chance, ask one of these leaders about their campus, and you will get a proud response about all of the amazing things happening in their "house", whether it is in academics, music, classroom dynamics, special projects, or professional learning. The pride in their students, their staff, and their work is truly awesome.

Late last month, Governor Perry declared the month of October Texas Principal Month. It is important for the state and our community to recognize and honor the tireless commitment by these professionals because our Principals remain the key to continued success. In Pampa, we believe our principals are the backbone of the system. Beverly Underwood (Austin), Jan Cleek (Lamar), Jill Faubion (Travis), Melissa True (Wilson), Paul Nies, Jennifer Brown, Steven Parker (PJHS), Tanya Larkin, Janet Hancock, Jared White (PHS), and Richard Steele (PLC) are the gifted leaders of the Pampa ISD campuses. They dedicate themselves to our entire community by ensuring a bright future for each and every student.

How will this year affect the future of Pampa? The possibilities are limitless because this is the year — a year for change and celebration.



EVAN SMITH

Evan Smith is the Deputy Superintendent of the Pampa Independent School District.

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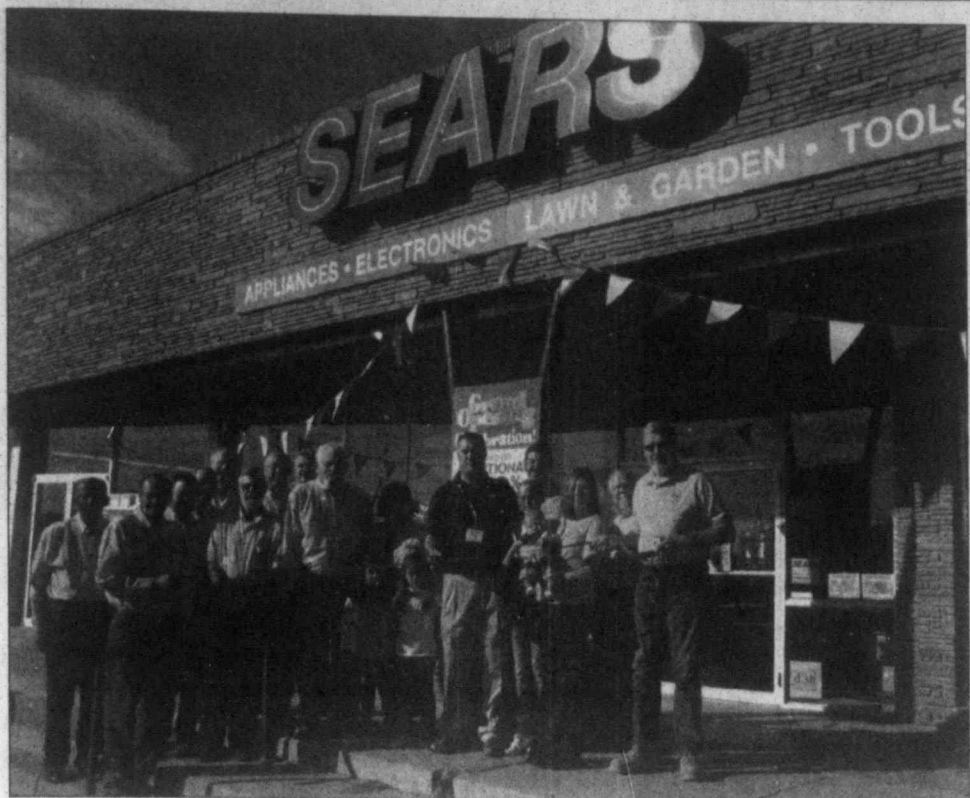
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Chamber



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Welcome Sears!

Michael Lewis (holding the scissors) is the new owner of the Pampa Sears Store. On hand to welcome Lewis and his family to the local business community was Joe Weaver (far right) the executive Director of the Pampa Chamber of Commerce and the Chamber "Gold Coats." From left are Charles Henry, Benny Horton, Josh Hess, Darville Orr, Jack Reeve, Bob Marx, Roy Morris, Clay Rice, Scott Hahn, Gladys Vanderpool, Danica and Mya Acosta, Lewis, Lynn Allison, Madison Lewis, Bentley Lewis and Mindy Lewis, Randy Pribble, Weaver.

CALENDAR of EVENTS

Nov 15 to Dec 3 - Boomtown Christmas: Shop Pampa and Strike it Rich!

Look out for flyers in participating stores! - Two drawings, each for \$500 in Boomtown Bucks, to be spent on any service or goods at participating local stores- Must be present to win- Drawing held on December 4th- Call the Chamber at 669-3241 for more information.

Nov 16 - Chamber Luncheon - 11:45 am., \$8.50 per person, 200 N. Ballard. The speaker is Ronald Howard, Army Recruiter. Sponsored by Guess Insurance Agency, catered by R&R Catering. RSVP to Erica at 669-3241.

Nov 18, 20 & 21- Seven

Brides for Seven

Brothers- Performance by Pampa High School Concert Choir. Thursday and Saturday at 8 p.m. Sunday at 2:30 p.m. MK Brown Auditorium. Pay at door- Contact: Fred Mays at 669-4800 for any questions.

Nov 25 & 26- Thanksgiving

Holidays - Chamber Closed. Have a wonderful holiday and be safe on your drive wherever you may go! Best wishes and thoughts to all your family members!

Nov 26&27- Lions Club

Invitational Basketball Tournament - Friday starts at 3 p.m. (4 games) and Saturday starts at 9 a.m. (8 games)- Pampa High School Gym. Pay at the door. For questions, contact Brad Pingel at 665-2323.

Dec 4- Christmas on Main

- All day Christmas event starting at 8 a.m. downtown. For more information or to reserve a booth, call Shepherd's Helping Hands at 665-0356.

Boomtown Christmas Parade- 2 p.m. downtown. Call the Chamber for parade entry forms at 669-3241. Forms due Dec. 1.

Festival of Trees - Call Sena Brainard for more information at 665-0343. Pampa Civic Ballet Company presents The Nutcracker-7:30 p.m. \$10 Adults and \$5 Children. MK Brown Auditorium. Tickets at the door or at the Dance Academy of Pampa-663-9103.

Dec 11- Children's

Shopping Tour- 8 a.m. at the Pampa Optimist Youth Club. For more information, call 669-3397.

Jingle Bell 5K Run Fundraising Event, 6p.m. downtown. Organized by PHS Cheerleaders and Harvester Good running group. All proceeds go to Children's Shopping Tour. Contact Sandee Stokes at 440-4111 for more information.

Dec 14- Chamber

Luncheon- 11:45 a.m., 200 N Ballard- Program by Pampa High School Choir. Sponsored by Happy State Bank. More details to come!

Nominations sought

Nominations needed for "Business of the Year" and "Citizen of the Year"

The recognitions will be awarded at the Annual Banquet on March 24, 2011

The deadline for making the nominations is Dec. 31/

Please email harvest@pampachamber.com or call 669-3241 for more information and forms.

Shop local, win \$500

Here we are in the middle of November, with Christmas just a few weeks away. I know local merchants have laid in a pile of gift items that will meet the needs of everyone on your list. The neat thing is, by shopping in Pampa you get a shot to win \$500 as well!

In 1925, progressive people in Pampa saw that the city would boom with oil money and founded the Pampa Chamber of Commerce. Celebrating 85 years of promoting local business, we are calling this year's campaign "Boomtown Christmas—Shop Pampa and Strike It Rich!" Sign up at participating businesses to win \$500 in Boomtown Bucks (spendable like cash at those businesses.) And if you think all the participants are retailers, you will be missing some. Automotive shops, car dealers, dry cleaners, and the Pampa News have all signed up. Look for the "Pampa Boomtown Christmas" posters in windows.

Chamber Music



JOE WEAVER

This, by the way, is a community-wide event. Most of the activity is occurring in the downtown region, (Courthouse, Museum, etc) but the celebration is open to

anyone—crafters, retailers, non-profit organizations, cottage industries—who want to participate. Paulette Hinkle once commented that "downtown is the heart of any city" an apt and thoughtful statement, especially so since her businesses--Top of Texas Ice and M&H Leasing--are NOT located downtown!

On the following Saturday, December 11, the PHS Cheerleaders will sponsor a "Fun Run". Those two words don't generally go together in my book, but this may be different. The event will take place at night, amongst the decorated houses north of the center of town. People are encouraged to dress in costume, bring their dogs, sing (or pant) carols—just have a good time. At this writing, the details are sketchy, but mark your calendars now.

I helped out at Precinct 6 on Election Day, and at one point I just sat back, looked at the people in line, and pondered: what a great system we have. The voters were all ages--some in their 90s (maybe older!) and one brand-new 18-year-old voter. They represented all economic groups, both sexes, and several races. There were no celebrations—no people holding up stained fingers to indicate they had been there—no concern that they would suffer harm or that a cross would be burned in their yard, simply because they had exercised their right to vote. The chances that the person they voted for being assassinated is remote. I daresay most people didn't give it a second thought—I rarely do—but that day it impressed me again what a great country we live in. Not perfect, by any means—but why would anyone want to live anywhere else?

Joe Weaver is the Executive Director of the Pampa Chamber of Commerce.

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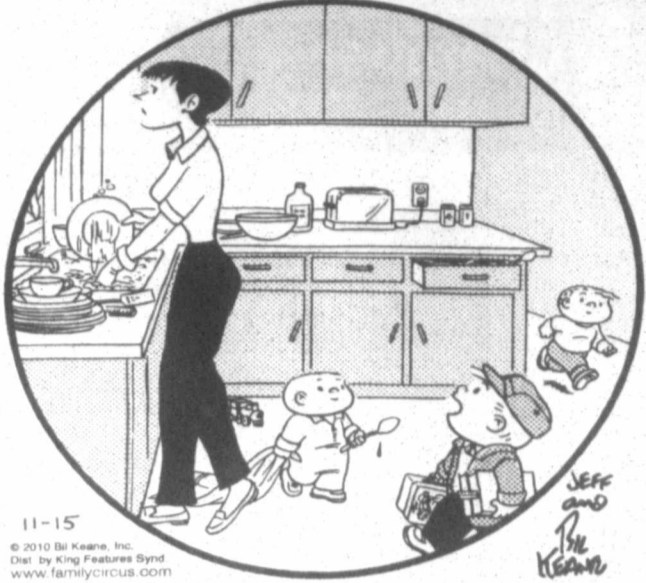
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"We're havin' a bake sale tomorrow and I have to bring in 12 cupcakes and a quarter to buy one of them."

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Nest Heads



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daily horoscope

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Tuesday, Nov. 16, 2010:

This year, you deal with many changeable people and circumstances. Tap into an innate creativity, and you will gain. Your abilities to energize others and funnel solutions also emerge. Spring could bring good news professionally. Curb a sweet tooth, if possible. If you are single, you could meet someone nearly any time this year who could be quite important to your life's history. If you are attached, you act like new lovers. Many couples could see new additions to their family. ARIES can push your buttons.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ Count on coming out of a recent funk by late afternoon. Attempt to keep important decisions on the back burner until then. Unexpected developments could force you to take another look at your business situation. Tonight: Suddenly, a force to be dealt with.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ Use the morning for meetings or making a cherished goal happen. You find those around you to be unusually generous. A kind remark comes back in multiples. Slow down midafternoon. Do work or activities that are not people-dependent. Tonight: Take a much-needed timeout.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ Good news certainly perks up your mood. In a positive frame of mind, you can make nearly anything happen. Plan key meetings and other important matters for late afternoon. What starts out as a stern conversation becomes a lot easier. Tonight: Time to wish upon a star.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ If you feel that you aren't getting acceptable answers, seek out an expert or get more information on your own. Avoid making an uninformed decision at all costs. Responsibilities tumble on you in the late p.m. Tonight: Count on a late night.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★ Flex with your mood and energy. Success greets those who are skilled at reading people and also detaching sufficiently in order to see the path through a complex issue. Late afternoon, your mind wanders. Hop on the Net. Tonight: Go for something imagi-

native.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★ You could be taken aback by another person's resourcefulness. There always seem to be solutions when you listen to this person. See where his or her thinking varies from yours. You just might want to take a lesson. Tonight: Visit with a close friend.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ You have a lot to do and accomplish. Count on the fact that you will be able to do exactly what you want. Later on, squeeze in some time to network or just take off. You suddenly feel buoyant. Go off and enjoy yourself. Tonight: Just not alone.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ Your creativity is a gift; it also can add to the quality of a relationship. A child adores your flights of fancy, and a loved one delights in your fun ideas. Focus some of this energy into the workplace or your daily life. Tonight: Let your hair down.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ Remain grounded, and you'll come up with solutions that work. In the afternoon, you discover the power of a brainstorming session. Be careful how much money you commit in a discussion. You easily could change your mind later. Tonight: Let your hair down.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ Screen your calls if you're feeling overwhelmed by news or the amount of calls. On some level, you might be hesitant to be unavailable, but staying focused and on topic is more important. Catch up on calls later today. Tonight: Don't take out your irritation on the cat, the dog or your roommate!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ Curb spending, if possible. At times you have gone way overboard. A change might be needed. Surprises could happen when you least expect them. Schedule a meeting for late afternoon. Clear out messages then, too. Tonight: Join a pal for dinner.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ You might be more direct and open than you realize. Others respond to you in odd ways, which could make you a touch reactive. Maintain a sense of humor, and you will have a lot to smile about. Tonight: Time for a treat.

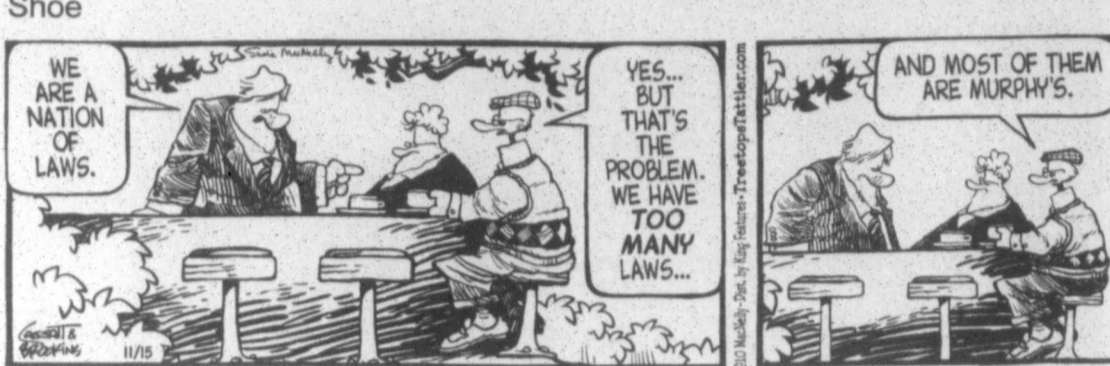
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Sports

Young talent means bright future for Harvester football

Friday night ended the Harvesters' season with a 55-28 loss to Lubbock Cooper in the bidistrict playoffs. With the younger players coming up, the Harvesters have a bright future for 2011 and beyond.

Some might look at our record this year, and compare it to last year and wonder: There's the progress? But believe it or not, this team did make progress. This year's team put together a winning streak and won a home game for the first time since 2008. The Harvesters also won their last two home games for their first home winning streak since 2004. Pampa also made the playoffs in back-to-back years for the first time since 2004 and 2005.

In the playoff game, unlike last year, the Harvesters had a chance to win the game going into the fourth quarter. Until late third quarter, for the most part, Pampa was able to stay within seven points. Last year against Hereford, Pampa only stayed within a score for part of the first quarter. This year's team entered the game believing they could win, which was probably why there was more disappointment when they came up short.

The Harvesters do lose 14 seniors. Every team loses people though; the keys are the ones who are returning. Quarterback Reid



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Miller will return and should be better next year with a full season under his belt. Latigo Collins should lead the team in receiving and contribute in the running game. Trevor Smith should be solid as a center since he filled in during most of non-district when Reid Bradley was injured.

Defensively, Daniel Hulsey should play a bigger role in the linebacker corps. Trace Carter and Miguel Pacheco should be leaders in the secondary. Schrade Thompson will probably be a leader on the defensive line.

Pampa also has players on the junior varsity and freshman teams that will have an impact. Both the junior varsity and freshmen finished with winning records in district. From the junior varsity, Samuel Smith, Tyler Powell and Chris Howard are a few of the players who could see action on Friday nights.

From the freshman team, Freddy Jackson, Daymon Flores, Skyler Been,

Brandon Stokes and Ryan Powell have a chance to be on varsity but could be leaders on next year's junior varsity. Now, the players that move up to varsity or junior varsity next season will depend on how the offseason goes. Odds are some of the aforementioned players should be in a

varsity uniform next year.

I can almost guarantee the fact that we had a chance to win that playoff game Friday will be on the minds of our returning players as they start training for 2011 in January. Hopefully, next season there will be a few more trips in November.

Highs and lows for the 2010 Pampa Harvesters

Highs

- Pampa recorded their first win streak since 2008
- The Harvesters had their first home winning streak since 2004
- Pampa made the playoffs in consecutive seasons for the first since 2004-2005.

Lows

- The Harvesters lost their first three games of the season
- Pampa had four games where they allowed their opponent at least 50 points
- Three out of their final four regular season games, Pampa scored seven points or less and lost all three games.

Meet the Harvesters tonight at 7:30 p.m. at McNeely Fieldhouse

Come out to McNeely Fieldhouse and meet your Harvester and Lady Harvester basketball teams. Everyone from junior high to varsity will be introduced.

Lady Harvesters lose three, improve in Frenship Tourney

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The Pampa Lady Harvesters basketball team lost all three games in the Frenship Tourney but showed improvement Thursday through Saturday in Wolforth.

Pampa lost to Randall, 51-31 to Dumas and 39-32 against Caprock. Head coach Gene Valentine said they got progressively better.

"We played three games without practice time," Valentine said. "We got beat pretty good against Randall. We played well and had good conditioning for a half. We saw the potential and just need more time together and

bond together as a team."

Valentine said his players from the volleyball team conditioning improved as the tournament went on.

"The first game going from a volleyball to a basketball they were tired and winded," Valentine said. "By the end their endurance was better."

The Lady Harvesters (0-4) open the home season Tuesday against the No. 3 Canyon Lady Eagles. Valentine said this game will be a challenge.

"They are always good," Valentine said. "We scheduled a tough non-district..."

athletes of the week

Taryn Eubank
Pampa High School

Reid Miller
Pampa High School

Pampa High School senior volleyball player **Taryn Eubank** is *The Pampa News* Female Athlete of the Week. Eubank recorded 35 assists Tuesday against Borger in the regional quarterfinal. The senior's strong play helped give Pampa a chance to win. Head coach Libby Garza said she couldn't ask anymore of Eubank. "She did everything she could to keep us in the game."

Pampa High School junior football player **Reid Miller** is *The Pampa News* Male Athlete of the Week. Miller was one of the bright spots in Pampa's loss to Lubbock Cooper Friday throwing for 281 yards and three touchdowns. The junior also ran for a touchdown. Miller will be one of several players returning next season.

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