Cub Scout sign-ups and open house

The Cub Scouts Pack 316 of Post will hold an open house and sign-up for all interested parents and boys for 1-5 grades on Tuesday evening, August 29 at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will be at the Post BNSF Train Depot. Your interest and participation is greatly appreciated.

Booster Club next meeting September 4

Post Antelope Booster Club will not meet on Monday, August 28. The next meeting will be Monday, September 4 at 6:30 p.m. at the Post High School Library. Please use the West entrance. All PHS parents of athletes and boosters are encouraged to attend.

Fresh produce needed

Garza County Trailblazers is accepting any donations of garden vegetables and fruit. They would be greatly appreciated at the center. To donate come by the center at 205 E. 10th street or call 495-2998 Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

Post Pee Wee Football

Tryouts for Post Pee Wee Football will continue this evening from 6-7:30 p.m. at the track. You must be a 5th or 6th grader only. You will need to come dressed in a light t-shirt, shorts and running shoes. Anyone who doesn't make the team will be eligible for flag football. For information call Dusti Osborn at 806-470-4991 or 806-629-4088.

Summer revival at Nazarene Church

The Post Church of the Nazarene will host a summer revival with the Rev. George Frasier, commencing Sunday, August 27 through Wednesday, August 30. Sunday services will be 10:55 a.m. and 6 p.m. The weeknight services will be at 7 p.m. The residents of Post are invited and encouraged to attend and experience the presence of God. The church is located at the corner of 10th and Ave. K.

2006 football reserved tickets available

Season Reserved Seating Tickets for home games of the Post Antelopes continue to be on sale. Tickets will be \$20 and are good for all regular season home football games. Come by the Post ISD Administrative Office, 501 S. Avenue K, to purchase your tickets. Reserved tickets will be sold on a first come, first serve basis through August 25, after that general seating tickets will be available at the gate during home game.

Memorial brick project

Please join us in our efforts to complete this project by purchasing bricks for yourself, your family, your Garza County ancestors and Garza County Veterans. Bricks are \$55 each. Forms available in stores all over town. For information call 778-4469

Trailblazers selling raffle tickets

Garza County Trailblazers are selling raffle tickets to help bring in more funds to support our center. 1st prize-\$100.00 grocery certificate from United in Post and 2nd prize-\$50 grocery certificate. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. The drawing will be held at the center on Sept. 1st. For questions or to purchase tickets, call Betty Hill at 495-0237.

Pizzas

Benefit supper for Jayta and Eric Cravy

A benefit brisket supper is planned Saturday, August 26 from 5-8 p.m. at Garza Co. Trailblazers, Senior Citizens Center for Jayta and Eric Cravy. Plates include brisket, beans and cornbread. There will also be an auction and bake sale. Carryout or eat in.

American Legion meeting August 24

American Legion Post Number 0270 will meet at 7 p.m. August 24 at the First Christian Church, 813 W. 13th street. All members are urged to attend.

Retirement reception honoring Pullen

Please come help us celebrate the retirement of Gary Pullen, Administrator of Golden Plains Care Center. A come and go celebration is set for Thursday, August 31 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at Golden Plains Care Center.

Boy Scout sign-ups set September 5

The Boy Scout Troop 316 of Post will hold an open house for all interested parents and boys from 6-11 grade on Tuesday evening Sept. 5 at 7:30 p.m. Those interested in attending prior to the open house are welcome. We meet every Tuesday from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Post BNSF Train Depot.

**Registration for Girl Scouts** 

Come be part of the fun! Registration for Girl Scouts will be held on Thursday, August 31, from 3:45-6 p.m. at the Girl Scout Hut, 506 W. 7th street. Where girls grow strong.

School registration at Calvary Baptist Church

Calvary Baptist Church Christian School will begin on Tuesday, September 5. To register grades 1-4 you will need the following: Registration fee, social security card, immunization record, birth certificate, insurance card, (required). Monthly fee will be due on 1st of each month. Classes will be Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Class sizes are limited. For information call Alicia Graves 495-1029 or Judi Martin 495-1018.

Class of 1956 to host 50th reunion

Post High School Class of 1956 will hold their 50th class reunion on Labor Day weekend. Activities include the Post vs. Seminole football game on Friday, September 1, visitation at the First United Methodist Church from 9-10:30 a.m. on Saturday and conclude with a dinner in the church hall at 7 p.m. Please call 495-0305 or 629-4266 for more information.

Church of God of Prophecy

The Church of God of Prophecy will host their 6th Annual Festival on Saturday, September 9, at the Post City Park from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. come enjoy music, food and games. Everyone is welcome.

Graham center gearing up for opry

The quarterly Graham Ole Opry will be held Saturday, September 9 from 6:30-10 p.m. at the Graham Community Center, five miles west of Post on US 380 and two miles south on FM 399. Brownies, popcorn and lemonade will be sold. There will be no charge for admission, but a hat will be passed for donations to help with repairs on the center. Everyone is invited. For more information call Noel White at 495-3261.

Free or reduced meals at Post ISD

Post ISD would like to remind parents that your children may qualify for free or reduced price meals according to your household income. Contact your child's office or the Post ISD Cafeteria 495-1398, or www.post.k12.tx.us for more information. All application information if confidential.

Free Transportation to Trailblazers

Transportation to the Trailblazers Center is provided by the Senior Citizen's Minivan by calling 495-4425. The center serves meals Monday-Friday. Everyone is welcome. A donation of \$3 is suggested for a meal for anyone 60 or over. For those under 60 the cost is \$5. A private room is available for a small fee for groups wanting to have meetings at the center. Also, the entire building can be rented on weekends for family reunions or other gatherings. For more information, call 495-2998. The center is located at 205 E. 10th Street.

Graham history deadline extended

Jane Mason is looking for updated family history and copies of pictures for a Graham Community History Book. The deadline has been extended until Oct. 1. Don't let your family be left out! Please help! Contact Jane Mason, Rt. 3-Box 14, Post, Texas 79356 for information or if you are interested in a book. Call 806-495-2980. Any Graham School memorabilia donated to Garza County Museum is greatly appreciated.

Post Antelope Football Page

The Post Dispatch is accepting reservations for advertising sponsors for the traditional "Post Antelope Football Page," which begins with the August 31 edition. Sponsors will also get the added benefit of advertising LIVE on Post City Radio before, after and during the football games, as well as inclusion on Post City Television's airing of the DVD quality recording. Advertising spaces are reasonably priced, call Jackie at 495-2816 for reservations on this popular weekly feature.

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Post VFW donates for Memorial Plaza Project

Participating in the VFW Post 6797 donation ceremonies for the Memorial Plaza Project (Left to right)
Lee Norman, Linda Puckett, Bo Jackson, Yvonne Kennedy, Chuck Ratliff, Lewis Earl, Joe Drwons, J.W.
Jolly and Jimmy Howell. The Post gave a contribution of \$500 to Post Commerce & Tourism Bureau
to be used for the Project. The VFW Post has scheduled a fund raiser BBQ for the Memorial Project on Saturday, November 11. The Veterans Day event is tentatively set to take place in front of the Garza County Court House.

# Hospital district continues talks on new clinic building

Discussion on possible construction of a new clinic facility for the Garza County Hospital District continued at the Aug. 17 meeting of the district's board of directors.

Board members Wayne Edwards and Ray Bagby, who are researching possible clinic sites, reported their findings. They reported on several potential locations, but land prices have not yet been secured.

Hospital board members have been working toward the possibility of constructing a new facility for several months following several financially successful months at the clinic.

No action was taken following the report by Edwards and

Bagby. In other business, directors:

 Received the clinic report for July. The clinic reported 673 office visits and 1,093 procedures, revenues of \$34,593 and expenditures

# Post ISD officials attend seminar in Fort Worth

Four trustees and the superintendent of the Post Independent School District traveled to Fort Worth last month to attend the Texas Association of School Boards Summer Governance Seminar.

Those attending the event, which was conducted July 13 through July 15, included trustees Barbara Hardin, Alexa Collier, Mike Holly and Milton Williams and Marlin Marcum, who serves as superintendent for the school district.

The seminar offered practical continuing education for new and experienced school trustees on key education issues. Participants received an overview of school finance and education reform measures enacted in the legislative special session and examined topics such as effective district planning, problem solving and decision making.

Other topics explored during the sessions included bullying on campus; the board's role in improving student achievement; the Texas Open Meetings Act; and how students socialize through technology (cell phones, computers and hand-held devices). A special track focused on board members' involvement in the advocacy process, including communication district positions and developing relationships with lawmakers and the media.

One of the keynote speakers at the event was Randy Snow, a business owner, four-time Paralympian and Olympic Hall of Fame gold medalist who learned many lesions and embraced changed after a spinal cord injury. In his presentation, "The Courage to Lead," he challenged the audience to live the truth, compete with a purpose, reach for opportunities and remain compassionate.

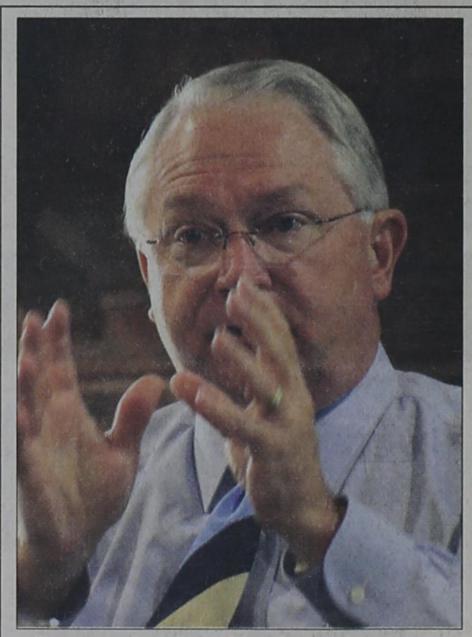
Districts also showcased their successes in such areas as removing barriers to higher education, securing external grant funding, establishing education foundations, identifying team strengths, and setting up successful advanced placement programs. In-depth sessions focused on the basics of boardsmanship, school governance and teamwork and offered information on parliamentary procedures and board president duties. (Continued on Page 2)

of \$38,019. The clinic reported a loss of \$3,425 for the month, which hospital administrator Shirley Taylor said is not unusual for the

 Agreed to repair or replace the air conditioning unit at the clinic. The current unit's compressor is failing, and although district officials are looking at building a new clinic facility, plans call for the existing clinic building to continue to be used even with the opening of a new clinic location. District officials secured several quotes for repairs, and the board agreed to go with the lowest quote for repairs to the compressor unless a less expensive option can be found.

 Voted to leave the district employee personnel policy intact. No changes were made.

· Agreed to retain J.W. Anderson & Associates of Lubbock to (Continued on Page 2)



Congressman Randy Neugerbauer (R) speaks with the people of Garza County on Tuesday, August 22 in the meeting room of CitizensBank of Post. The Congressman addressed issues and fielded questions related to the Farm bill, transcorridor highway, immigration, national security, term limits and the importance of

# Gearhart receives medals for rescue of 90 in Iraq

Post resident John Gearhart, who serves as a corrections adviser in Iraq for the U.S. Department of Justice, recently was recognized for his role in the rescue of 90 Iraqis from a building fire.

The American Correctional Association awarded its Medal of Valor to Gearhart and four of his team members following a fire at the Iraqi Corrections Service Rusafa Prison Complex in Baghdad, Iraq, according to reports. Earlier this month, the North American Association of Wardens and Superintendents presented its Medal of Valor to

Gearhart and his team for rescues made during the fire. On Feb. 16, 2005, a fire broke out in Cell Block 2 of the Rusafa facility where 90 inmates were housed, according to

find heavy smoke and flames pouring from the cell. Panicked inmates crowded around the gate area, desperate to get away from the fire.

Corrections officers quickly began an evacuation process. Some inmates had to be carried out of the building after smoke inhalation left them unconscious.

As the evacuation effort continued, the fire continued to consume much of the contents of the facility - mattresses, blankets and paper products housed in the dormitory-type cell. Inmates still needing assistance screamed for help, but the heat and thick smoke made rescue efforts difficult. Corrections employees used protective masks to get to the trapped inmates, locking hands with them to form a human chain and guide the inmates to safety, according to reports.

Following the rescue, a count of inmates came up one man short. Corrections officers once again punctured the burning cell, quickly moving from bed to bed in search of the missing man. He finally was found, unconscious, and was pulled from his bed and moved to safety.

Corrections personnel honored along with Gearhart included Allan Collins, Terry Kidwell, Thomas Hopper and Jim reports. Corrections personnel arrived at the affected area to Millar.

# Judy's Jabberin

by Judy Ballentine Bush

Hello

Well, school is back in full force, although I can't believe that summer is already over, and it's still hotttt!! I am ready for football weather; you know, cool, fall type weather. Think that is gonna happen any time soon?

**SYMPATHIES** 

To my friend Charlie Mason on the loss of his wonderful wife Rita. Also to their children Ray and Krisha and their families. For those of you who did not know Rita, she was a delightful person and would give anyone the shirt off her back.

She was a dear friend and I will miss her terribly as will everyone who ever knew her. Charlie, you are in my thoughts and

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God sent him

A Marine was attending a college course between missions in Iraq and Afghanistan.

The professor, an avowed atheist, shocked the class one day when he walked in. He looked toward the ceiling, and said loudly, "God, if you are real, then I want you to knock me off this platform. I'll give you exactly 15 minutes!

The lecture room fell silent and the professor began his lecture. Ten minutes went by and the professor proclaimed, "Here I am

God ..... still waiting !" It got down to the last minute when the Marine stood up, walked toward the professor, and threw his best punch knocking him off

the platform and out cold. The Marine went back to his seat and sat down. The other students were shocked and stunned and sat there looking on in silence.

The professor finally came to, noticeably shaken, looked at the

Marine and asked, "What is the matter with you? Why did you do that ?" The Marine calmly replied, "God is very busy today protecting

America's soldiers who are protecting your right to behave like an idiot, so He sent me."

TILL NEXT WEEK Hope you all have a great week end. May God bless each of you.

Judy

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Post ISD trustees ...

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Roundtable discussions allowed trustees to discuss challenges, share collective solutions and gain insight from fellow board members' experiences.

TASB is a nonprofit association established in 1949 to serve Texas school districts. School board members are the largest group of publicly elected officials in the state. The districts the TASB represent have a combined annual budget of \$38.4 billion, employ approximately 583,000 individuals and serve more than 4.38 million students.

## GCHD clinic plans...

(Continued from Page 1)

handle the district's annual audit. The firm has handled previous audits for the hospital district.

 Received the district's indigent report for July. Fourteen clients were enrolled at the beginning of the month; 17 were enrolled at the end of the month. A total of \$10,755 was spent during July, boosting the year-to-date indigent care expenditures to \$37,645. A balance of \$62,354 remains in the indigent care budget.

 Approved the district's financial statements and the minutes from previous meetings.

 Scheduled a workshop for 6:30 p.m. tonight (Aug. 24) at Citizens Bank. District officials plan to work on the budget for the 2006-2007 fiscal year.

The board's next regular meeting is set for 6:30 p.m. Sept. 21 at Citizens Bank.

# **Bush family observes** second annual reunion

The family of Elmo and Lucille Bush recently observed its second annual reunion in Tahoka.

The event took place Aug. 12. Amanda Bush Quisenberry and Traci Bush Freeman served as co-hosts.

The reunion got under way at about 10 a.m. as family members began to gather for a full day of swimming, games, food and visiting. Ricky and Josh Bush fried fish and Robbie Freeman cooked briskets for the noon meal. The afternoon was spent looking at old photos, visiting, swimming, playing golf and enjoying homemade

A Bush family cookbook was compiled. Everyone's favorite recipes were included.

Attending the reunion were Lucille Bush; Jerry and Judy M. Bush; Ricky and Judy B. Bush; Daniel, Trevah, Kale and Will Yarbro; Robbie and Traci Freeman with Ryan, Reece and Raegan; Salli Bush with Jon, Journey and Jolie Page of Bowie; Megan Everitt of San Angelo; Josh and Barbara Bush of Wharton; and Steven, Amanda, Alison, Ethen and Adee Grace Quisenberry of Tahoka.

Also, Clinton Yarbro and Kim McClain; Zack Bush; Valerie Melton and Gregory; Kerry, Kaylyn, Kylie and Kenley Dean of Gail; and

White River Lake **Weekly Report** Aug. 21, 2006

Gauge reading: 2343.40 Feet below spillway: 29'1"

Rainfall (past week): 1.47" Rain to-date: 8.78"

Rainfall 2004: 43.58" Rainfall 2005: 15.57"

White River Lake has 1,123,860,099 billion gallons left available at the intake, or 13 percent capacity (3,499 acre feet). Subtract 208,544,640 MG for evaporation in July, leaving

915,315,459 MG available. The lake was slow over the weekend. Fishing was slow.

Source: Mickey Rogers,

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Mr. & Mrs. Jon Overstreet (front) with Judge Giles W. Dalby (back)

## Sheri Riedel, Jon Overstreet married August 12

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Sheri Riedel and Jon Overstreet exchanged rings Saturday, Aug. 12, in the Garden Room at Chapa's with Garza County Judge Giles Dalby officiating.

The room was decorated with a soft pastel centerpiece surrounded by crystal and silver candleholders.

For her wedding the bride wore a floor-length cream-colored dress trimmed with pearls and carried a bouquet of pastel roses. The maid of honor and attendants carried long-stemmed roses.

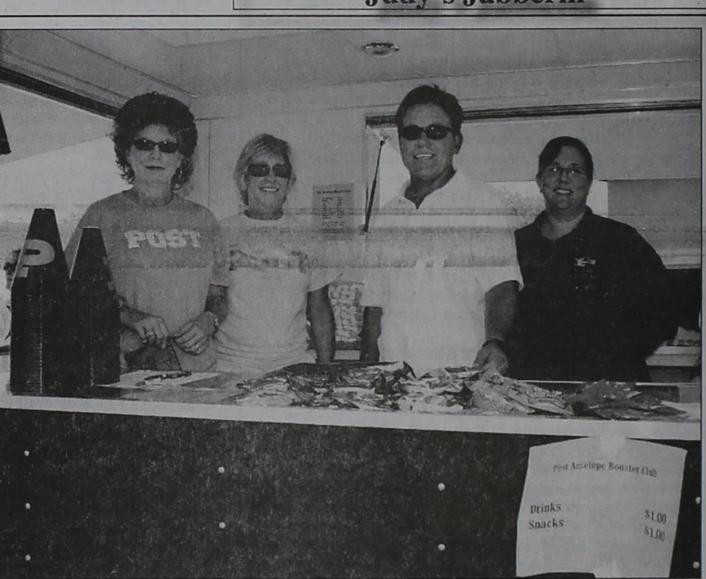
The bride's oldest son, Patrick Riedel of Smyer, walked his mother down the aisle. Her daughter, Starlet Freeman, served as maid of honor, with niece Tamara Youngblood acting as flower girl. Four granddaughters - Nicole Freeman, Jordan Riedel, Tia Freeman and Michelle Riedel - were attendants.

Standing up for the groom were his twin brother, Jan Overstreet of Chapin, S.C., and the groom's son, Todd Overstreet of Dallas.

Approximately 60 family members and guests attended the event, including special guests Lee Overstreet, the groom's sister, and Judy Pringle and Keven Lord, all of Dallas.

The bride, a resident of Post for the past 39 years, is a barber. The groom, a native of Garland, is retired from Mission Foods where he worked as a liaison with Wal-Mart locations throughout the U.S. The couple will make their home in Post.

> Call 495-0277 to report your family news to Judy's Jabberin



# **Booster Club's New Utility Wagon**

Post Antelope Booster Club members (left to right) Kay Postell, Terri Cash, Rex Cash and Juanett Bocko display new Antelope T-Shirts and other special items on sale during last Saturday's football scrimmage at the stadium. It was the first event for the club's new utility trailer. New signs will be painted in the near future, and the trailer will be available for other organizations when not in use by the Booster Club. (Photo by Tim Burnett)

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U.S. Congressman Randy Neugebauer (center) visits with Fred Howell (left to right), Lee Norman, Mayor Bill Pool and Gordon Terry during the Congressman's "coffee" Tuseday in Post.

# Radle promoted to USAF Major

Michael Radle, son of Darrell and Susan Radle of Lubbock, formerly of Post, was promoted to the rank of major in the United States Air Force

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Radle is stationed at Geilenkirchen NATO Air Base in Germany as an air battle manager on the E-3A NATO AWACS. He operates as a tactical director on the AWACS and managed a 17- to 20-member crew to accomplish each mission flown.

Radle has been an active duty member of the Air Force for 10 years, Previous assignments include Tyndall Air

Force Base and Eglin Air Force Base, both in Florida, and Tinker Air Force Base in Oklahoma. A 1991 graduate of Post High School, Radle completed his un-

dergraduate degree at Texas Tech University in 1996. Radle and his wife, Kathy, who also is from Lubbock and a Tech graduate, have one daughter, Chloe.



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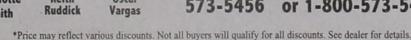
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# Obituaries

#### Rita Mason

Services for Rita Mason, 61, of Post were conducted at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 22, 2006, at the Post Church of Christ with Travis Sweet officiating. Burial followed in the Terrace Cemetery under the direction of the Hudman Funeral Home.

The family received friends from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 21, at the funeral

She died Sunday, Aug. 20, at her home. Born to Clifford and Mildred Gandy on Dec. 7, 1944, in Tahoka, she married Charles Mason on Oct. 9, 1964, in Tahoka. The couple farmed in Lynn and Garza counties. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband, Charles Mason, of Post; one son, Ray Mason, and his wife, Celia, of Post; one daughter, Krisha Hoelscher, and her husband, Doug, of Levelland; five brothers, Karl Gandy of Grandview, Menford Gandy of Tahoka, Berry Gandy of Lubbock, Jimmy Brown of Oklahoma and Mike McDonald of Grandview; five sisters, Neva Barrett of Grandview, Kay Gandy of Tahoka. Cherry Gandy of Tahoka, Elaine McDonald of Florida and Willie Thorne of Carlsbad, N.M.; and five grandchildren, Wes and Ben Mason, both of Post, and Sutton, Abby and Harlea Hoelscher, all of Levelland.

Pallbearers included Rodney Oden, Kirk Stevens, Ronnie Reed, Sammie Sims, Josh Lee, Mack Terry, Deb Palmer and Heath

Honorary pallbearers were Richard Sanchez, Benito Alaniz and Evan Montanez.

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#### **Ewell Birten Morgan**

Graveside services for Ewell Birten Morgan of Justiceburg were held at 3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 19, 2006, in the Justiceburg Cemetery with Travis Sweet of the Post Church of Christ officiating. Services were under the personal care of the Justice-Mason Funeral Home.

He died Aug. 16 at the Heritage Oaks Nursing and

Rehabilitation Center in Lubbock.

Born Oct. 28, 1912, to Amos and Emma Odella (Smith) Morgan at Justiceburg, he

began school at Lee Forest and attended school at Justiceburg. He graduated from Post High School. He married Gladys Jesse Pettigrew on Nov. 9, 1930. The couple made their home in Justiceburg and later lived in Slaton and San Angelo.

He worked for the Santa Fe Railroad, retiring in 1977. The couple returned to Justiceburg to live on the Morgan home place, the location of his birth, following his retirement. He was a member of the Church of Christ and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Survivors include his wife, Gladys, of Justiceburg; four sons, Laurence Morgan and his wife, Betty, of Lubbock, Philip Morgan and his wife, Betty, of Phoenix, Ariz., Bryan Morgan and his wife, Janyce, of Grandview, and David Morgan of Justiceburg; 13 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; and several great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Mark Morgan, Lance Franks, Don Denman, Stan Morgan, Boone Morgan and Ricky Stevens.

# Revival services slated at Post Church of the Nazarene

The Post Church of the Nazarene will host the Rev. George Frasier in revival services beginning Sunday.

Frasier became a Christian at the age of 15. He worked in law enforcement for 34 years, serving with the Odessa Police Department, the Texas Highway Patrol and as a Texas Ranger for almost 20 years. His career ended abruptly in 1993 when he was "unmistakably" called to preach.

Frasier was ordained an elder in the Church of the Nazarene in 1999 and served as a pastor for 12 years in San Angelo, Austin and Coleman. He retired from working as a pastor earlier this year, but continues to conduct revival services and special speaking engagements, as well as serving as chaplain for the Texas Rangers and strictly to the law regarding the disbursement of tax funds. the Former Texas Ranger Association.

Frasier and his wife are the parents of four children.

7 p.m. weeknight services continuing nightly through Wednesday. The community is invited to attend any or all of these services at the Post Church of the Nazarene, which is located at the corner of 10th Street and Avenue K.

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# Letters to the Editor

Letters must be signed by the writer. Editor reserves right to edit for brevity, grammar, libel and accuracy. Letters are published at the sole discretion of the editor.

Questions challenges to county

After hearing questions about the sheriff's department, the treasurer and Judge Dalby at the July 10 Commissioners Court, I-decided to do my own investigating.

First I went to Webster's Dictionary for the definition of a budget. "Budget: A plan for estimated expected expenses for a certain period of time." There are two major categories: 1) inflows, and 2) outflows. Under those two are budget categories, with subtopics under each called line items. There are usually a large number of line items.

Next I talked to Sheriff Cliff Laws. Yes, he said, an unexpected situation occurred that caused one of the line items to exceed its budget. However, the dollars needed for this unexpected was taken care of within a period of six weeks by diverting funds from other line items so that inflows and outflows balanced out. The total budget was not overextended. In other words, no additional funds were needed to solve the situation.

Then I visited with Ruth Young, treasurer. She said that budgets were periodically examined on a regular basis. If the situation can resolve itself without further action, the department heads are encouraged to use their own creativity to stay in budget. When and if an unexpected situation might require additional funds, the entire commission is called in to help work it out.

I just want to applaud the Garza County Sheriff's Department for the dedicated effort to get back on their financial tract after an unexpected and unplanned circumstance. This was accomplished in a relatively short period of time. It is the nature of law enforcement that unexpected things happen, and I personally think that we should be very proud off them. Doing a budget, trying to think of everything is difficult at best. It is made even more difficult when one is under constant attack.

JoAnn Mock Editor's Note:

The letter writer is misinformed. There has been no "attack" on the Sheriff's Department or the Treasurer or Judge Dalby. At the July 10 Commissioners' Court meeting a citizen questioned the lawful disbursement of funds for a budget line item that did not have sufficient funds. It was pointed out to the court that the law forbids the payment of funds for any line item that has exceeded the authorized budget amount.

\* The state law specifically requires the Commissioners' Court to approve line item transfers from other sources prior to expending funds from an over-budget account. The court may add money to the over-budget line item if an emergency exists, or it may transfer funds from other budgeted line items to satisfy funding requirements.

The issue is not about the need for overtime, but the need to adhere

Furthermore, the over-budget line item was known to county officials beginning in March, and was resolved with a vote of the Revival services will be at 10:55 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Sunday, with court to transfer funds at the July 31 meeting. That is considerably more than "six weeks."

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Asking questions or challenging actions by government officials are not "attacks" ... they are basic and fundamental duties of responsible citizens in this great nation which boasts of freedom and liberty as its gift to the world.

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# On God's Word

By Timothy W. Burnett

#### The Church is the body of Christ...Part 5

The church of God is made up of a body of Acts 2:4. people which was purchased by the shedding of Jesus Christ's blood (Acts 20:28). The price that God paid was the blood of his first born son Jesus Christ. That was a very high price. It says in 1Peter 2:24, "who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness. By whose stripes you were healed."

condition, which is to be rebellious against God's will and bound to illness and death. It was all borne in the body of Jesus Christ. Guess what? God refers to His church as the same body.

God put all things under the feet of Jesus dynamic results for all who believe that God Christ and made him to be the head over all to raised the same Jesus from the dead making the church, which is his body. That's what it says in Ephesians 1:22-23. The church of God is the body of Christ. The word "church" is used in the context of the dynamics of the assembly of believing Christians. Jesus Christ is the head over the church. In our bodies, the head is what determines what the body does. So also does Jesus Christ lead the way in the church. That's the way God designed it.

Jesus Christ is the head of the church and the savior of the body (Ephesians 5:23). How was Jesus the savior? He trusted his Father to raise him from the dead unto everlasting life. Now people in the church can get saved unto everlasting life in heaven when they begin to spiritually call upon the name of the Lord. The first example of people becoming alive unto visitwww.geocities.com/christinyou7/love. righteousness and getting saved is found in html.

1Corinthians chapter 12 helps to understand better the dynamics of the church with Christ as the head. Every member is uniquely important in the body and should not be looked upon as unnecessary. This is God's opinion. Even the least favored saints must be highly regarded by other members. This is not about letting somebody go without timely loving reproof, but This basically covers the essence of mankind's about how we regard each other in the body.

The church of God was sanctified not by our own works or actions, but by the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once and for all (Hebrews 10:10). This was a one time sacrifice that brings him Lord (Romans 10:9-10).

The church of God is made up of the body of Jesus Christ with all the members designed to work in perfect synchronization under the head, which is Jesus Christ our Lord.

You want to know God's opinion about the body of Christ? See 1Peter 2:9-11, "But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a peculiar people, that you should show forth the praises of Him who has called you out of darkness into His marvelous light. Which in time past were not a people, but are now the people of God. Which did not obtain mercy [in the past], but now have obtained mercy. Dearly beloved..."

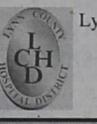
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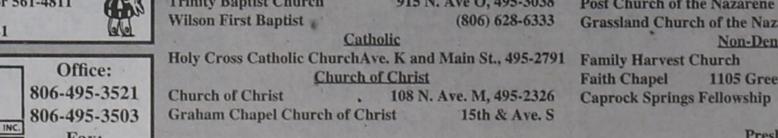
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# Opinions



# Will the West defend itself?

by Walter E. Williams

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Does the United States have the power to eliminate terrorists and the states that support them? In terms of capacity, as opposed to will, the answer is a clear yes.

Think about it. Currently, the U.S. has an arsenal of 18 Ohio class submarines. Just one submarine is loaded with 24 Trident nuclear missiles. Each Trident missile has eight nuclear warheads capable of being independently targeted. That means the U.S. alone has the capacity to wipe out Iran, Syria or any other state that supports terrorist groups or engages in terrorism -- without risking the life of a single soldier.

Terrorist supporters know we have this capacity, but because of worldwide public opinion, which often appears to be on their side, coupled with our weak will, we'll never use it. Today's Americans are vastly different from those of my generation who fought the life-and-death struggle of World War II. Any attempt to annihilate our Middle East enemies would create all sorts of handwringing about the innocent lives lost, so-called collateral damage.

Such an argument would have fallen on deaf ears during World War II when we firebombed cities in Germany and Japan. The loss of lives through saturation bombing far exceeded those lost through the dropping of atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

After the battle of Midway, and the long string of Japanese defeats in the Pacific, including Guam, Okinawa and the Philippines, had today's Americans been around, they'd be willing to negotiate with Japan for peace, pointing to the additional loss of lives if we continued the war. More than likely they would have made the same argument in 1945, when German defeat was imminent. Of course, had there been a peace agreement with Japan and Germany, all it would have achieved would have been to give them time to recoup their losses and resume their aggression at a later time, possibly equipped with nuclear weapons.

We might also note that the occupation of Germany and Japan didn't pose the occupation problems we face in Iraq. The reason is we completely demoralized our enemies, leaving them with neither the will nor the means to

Our adversaries in the Middle East have advantages that the axis powers didn't have -- the Western press and public opinion. We've seen widespread condemnation of alleged atrocities and prisoner mistreatment by the U.S., but how much media condemnation have you seen of beheadings and other gross atrocities by Islamists?

Terrorists must be pleased by statements of some members of Congress, such as those by Rep. John Dingell, D-Mich., who recently said, "I don't take sides for or against Hezbollah." Hezbollah, backed by Iran, is responsible for the 1983 bombing of Beirut barracks killing 241 U.S. service members.

I'm not suggesting that we rush to use our nuclear capacity to crush states that support terrorism. I'm sure there are other less drastic military options. What I am suggesting is that I know of no instances where appearement, such as the current Western modus operandi, has borne fruit.

What Europeans say about what should be done about terrorist states should fall on deaf ears. Their history of weakness and cowardice during the 1930s goes a long way toward accounting for the 60 million lives lost during World War II. During the mid-'30s, when Hitler started violating the arms limitations of the Versailles Treaty, France and Britain alone could have handily defeated him, but they pursued the appeasement route.

Anyone who thinks current Western appeasement efforts will get Iran to end its nuclear weapons program and end its desire to eliminate Israel is dumber than dumb. Appeasement will strengthen Iran's hand, and it looks as if the West, including the United States, is willing to be complicit in that strengthening.

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# Iraqis are ingrates

by Jacob G. Hornberger

Poor President Bush. According to the New York Times, the president is frustrated by the lack of public support ... in Iraq. Apparently he's lamenting that thousands of Iraqis were recently demonstrating in the streets in favor of Hezbollah and chanting, "Death to Israel! Death to America!"

Those darned ungrateful Iraqis. Don't they know that the brutal sanctions that U.S. officials employed against them for more than a decade was for their benefit? So what if they lost hundreds of thousands of their children? Can't they see that those deaths were "worth it" because U.S. officials were trying to oust their brutal dictator, Saddam Hussein, from office?

Ingrates! Don't those people know that we even supported their ruler, Saddam Hussein, in his war against the Iranian people? Don't they know that the United States delivered to him the infamous WMDs that were later used to scare the American people, so that he could kill Iranians with them?

Don't they know that U.S. officials inspired Iraqi dissidents to revolt against Saddam during the Persian Gulf War? Yes, it's true that U.S. officials then watched quietly as Saddam massacred the rebels and filled mass graves with them. But what does that have to do with anything?

Ingrates! Don't they know that the U.S. invasion and occupation of their country has killed and maimed only tens of thousands of people? Why, many more people died in World War II. What's the loss of arms and legs or a few lives in comparison to a U.S.-sponsored national elections?

Ingrates! Don't they know that the torture and sex abuse of Iraqis at Abu Ghraib and elsewhere were for the benefit of the Iraqi people? Why, those detainees could have had information about other Iraqis who were resisting the U.S. invasion of their country. So what if some of them were innocent? Everyone knows that you have to break a few eggs to make an omelet.

Ingrates! So what if Iraq is degenerating daily into chaos, mayhem, violence, and even civil war and that countless Iraqis are losing their lives and limbs every week? Don't those people know we meant well? Don't good intentions matter in the Muslim world, as they do in the United States?

Ingrates! Don't Iragis know that the purpose of our unconditional military and financial foreign aid to the Israeli government is to bring peace and freedom to the Middle East? Sure, it hasn't worked for decades but don't we have to keep doing the same thing if we're going to expect a different result?

Don't they know that U.S. officials partnered with Osama bin Laden and Islamo-fascists to oust the Soviet Union from Afghanistan? Why do they hate us? We're not occupiers of Iraq, like the Soviets were in Afghanistan; we're liberators!

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Why, they just hate us because we have a Bill of Rights. It couldn't have anything to do with U.S. foreign policy, because everyone knows that the United

States has been so kind and generous to the Iraqi people. Ingrates! Protestors! Terrorists! Islamo-fascists! Hitlers!

Poor President Bush. His despondency brings to mind that of another Texas president - Lyndon Baines Johnson, who just couldn't understand why the North Vietnamese wouldn't accept U.S.-taxpayer money in return for letting the United States continue ruling South Vietnam. Ingrates!

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# Profile in Sanity...

by Bill O'Reilly

We are living in treacherous times, and terrorists well understand that even when one of their murderous plots is uncovered, the fallout from the aborted action is a big win for them. After British authorities prevented a couple of dozen Muslim fanatics from blowing up a number of American jetliners, the ensuing airport chaos caused pain and inconvenience for thousands of people. Unfortunately, that will continue for the foreseeable future.

Osama and his pals must take great joy at watching 80-year-old grandmothers being patted down and their creams confiscated by jumpy security people. This is the ultimate al Qaeda reality program: "Survivor: Airport."

Add to that the foolish political bickering over who is protecting Americans better and you have great joy in Mudhutville -- the hiding al Qaeda leadership

Of course, the sane way to protect Americans in the sky is to stop looking for nail files and begin profiling people who might actually cause terror damage. That is not "racial" profiling, that is "terror" profiling. Most of the recent terror activities have been perpetuated by young Muslim men. So it is these people who need greater scrutiny when they check in for a flight.

I know that's mean, but believe me when I tell you that if the Irish Republican Army were attempting to blow up American planes, I'd have no problem being patted down before I stepped on a plane. I would understand and appreciate the common sense behind the close look. I would not consider myself a victim but would be furious that my ethnic cousins were causing so much trouble.

I believe some Muslim Americans feel the way I do. They understand that some of their co-religionists are remorseless killers.

But not all Muslims think that way, and certainly the ACLU and other far left groups oppose profiling. They fight hard against most strategies designed to make terror attacks more difficult. Except, of course, when it involves them.

You may remember the New York Civil Liberties Union (NYCLU) sued when the NYPD instituted random bag searches on the subway. Yet a sign at the NYCLU building warned that the organization had the right to search the bags of all people entering there. Hypocritical? You make the call.

The biggest problem we have in America when it comes to defeating terrorism is that some of us live in the real world and some of us live in a theoretical zone where all problems could be solved if only we just talked things over with those who want to kill us. For those people, actions like profiling, unilateral military campaigns and tough interrogation methods are simply too drastic. These Americans believe aggressive terror countermeasures actually encourage violence against us and create more willing terror killers.

Looking back, the actions of Presidents Clinton and Bush in his first year pretty much ignored the growing terror threat from the Muslim world. Little aggressive action was taken against al Qaeda when it blew up our embassies in Africa and attacked our warship off the coast of Yemen.

There was no airline profiling going on when 19 Muslim killers boarded three airliners on 9/11, all with one-way tickets to hell. Had we been wiser then, 3,000 Americans might be alive today.

But we were not wise then, and we are not wise now, either. Call it what you will, but lay off Granny at the airport, and zero in on higher risk subjects.

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The Constitution of most of our states (and of the United States) assert that all power is inherent in the people; that they may exercise it by themselves; that is their right and duty to be at all times armed and that they are entitled to freedom of person, freedom of religion, freedom of property and freedom of press.

Thomas Jefferson



# 'Lopes travel to Lamesa for second scrimmage

by Wes Burnett

Post Antelope starting quarterback Nathan Quisenberry suffered a broken leg (tibia) last Saturday afternoon in the scrimmage here against Muleshoe, effectively sidelining the senior for the season. "It is such a tragedy," head coach Tim James said, "we all feel so

badly for him and his family."

Quisenberry was playing defense at the time of the accident, and while trying to tackle a Muleshoe runner, his leg snapped. Sadly, Quisenberry suffered a similar incident last year while playing at Lamesa.

Coach James reported that junior quarterback Pat Reiter will lead the 'Lopes in Thursday's scrimmage at Lamesa. The coach said that freshman Clint Windham may seem some playing time at quarterback or senior Wilson Cash, when he returns to the team from recent foot surgery.

"These three young men all know our system and are eager to help the team," coach James added.

Other injured players include Heath Fellhauer with a "turf toe" and Giles Dalby, muscle spasms. Senior Colter Creech, who is recovering from a rattlesnake bite, is expected to suit up September 12.

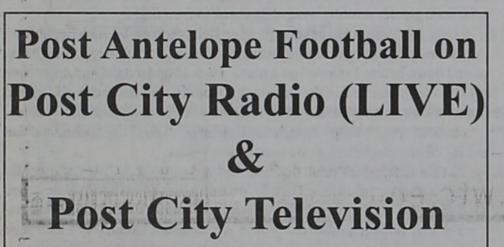
"I thought our players did an excellent job last Saturday," the coach continued. "The defense played exceptionally well, and the offense executed well, just had a few mistakes. Those mistakes are all correctable."

The coach also praised the hard work of the coaching staff, "they put in a lot effort and time, and it's paying off."

The scrimmage at Lamesa opens with the junior varsity at 5 p.m., followed by the varsity at 6:30 p.m.

The team opens pre-district competition next week with the JV traveling to Seminole Thursday, while the varsity begins its 2006 season Friday at home against the Class AAA Seminole Indians.

Those fans unable to attend the Friday games may follow the live play-by-play action on Post City Radio (Cebridge Connections Channel 12 and on the Internet at www.postcityradio.com). Veteran radio announcer Steve Mason will call the game and Post City Television will air the DVD recorded games on Cebridge Connections Channel 12 on Saturdays and Sundays (see program guide schedule in The Post Dispatch for exact times).



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Antelope defenders (above, left to right) Kris Crenshaw, Blake Nichols and Marc Ayala bring down a Muleshoe Mule runner during last Saturday's scrimmage here. (Staff photo by Tim Burnett)

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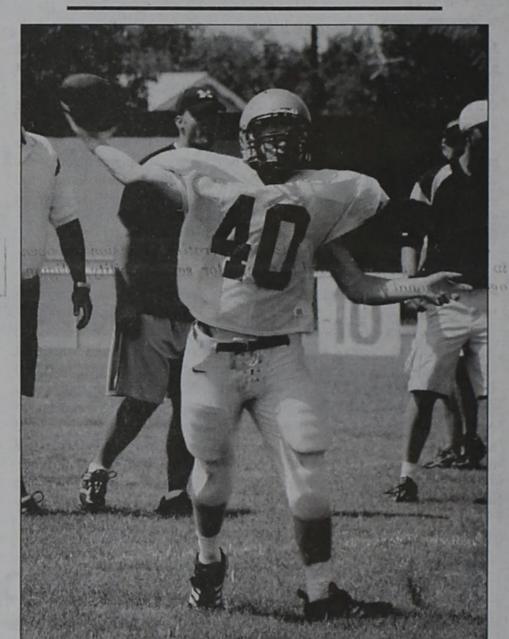
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Steven Hair (left) carries the football for the Post Antelopes with blocking by D.J. Baiza during last Saturday's scrimmage against the Muleshoe Mules here. (Photo by Tim Burnett)



Antelope quarterback Nathan Quisenberry (40) sets for a pass during last Saturday's scrimmage against Muleshoe in Antelope Stadium. Quisenberry later suffered a seasonending broken leg while playing on defense. (Photo by Tim

# Burnett) **USDA's Program Development Group** Meeting set for September 5

The Garza Soil and Water Conservation District invites the public and any agencies with interest to participate in a Program Development Group meeting to be held at the Wells Fargo Bank Meeting Room in Post on September 5, 2006 at 8:30AM.

The purpose of this meeting is to request participation and invite comments from a broad range of local agencies, organizations, businesses, and especially farmers and ranchers that have an interest in natural resource conditions and needs. The discussion in the Program Development Group will help the

Local Work Group (LWG) address county based funding for the FY2007 Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP). The LWG will make recommendations on resource concerns to

be addressed, eligible practices, cost share rates, and ranking for county based funding.

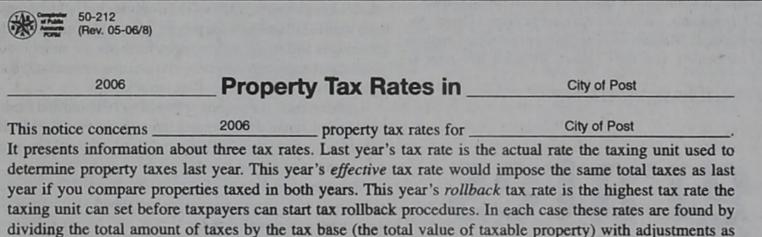
One of the guiding principles of the 2002 USDA Farm Bill is that conservation programs are locally led. Through stakeholder meetings the public is given an opportunity to help local conservation leaders set program priorities.

These meetings are open to the public.

The Environmental Quality Incentives Program was established in the 1996 Farm Bill to provide a single, voluntary conservation program for farmers and ranchers to address significant natural resource concerns. Nationally, it provides technical and financial assistance to address natural resource concerns. Administered by the Natural Resources Conservation Service.

In Texas, NRCS provides funding to each county to address local high priority resource concerns.

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#### Good Education Starts With Learning To Read

Remember Dick and Jane and Sally? Spot and Puff? Remember going to school and getting that first book with words as well as pictures? For very young students, learning to read can make the difference between being a little kid and a big one. But it's a lot more than that. Learning to read and write are skills that are essential to a child's success in school and later life. It's also a process that starts long before the first day of school.

For decades, many researchers, educators and parents operated under the assumption that learning to read and write were processes that began with formal school-based instruction in kindergarten or first grade. However, we now understand that the preschool years serve as a foundation for developing these essential literacy skills.

During these very young years, children first learn that language has sounds and those sounds are put together into words. When they get a little older, they become familiar with letters and learn that these letters represent sounds. Young children learn that books are full of words made of letters, and they can make these letters for themselves.

As this process continues, a child's vocabulary and ability to use that vocabulary increases. Parents, caregivers and other adults can help children through this process and into reading and writing through some specific activities.

First and foremost, read aloud to children. Many experts believe that the single most important teaching strategy for promoting children's early literacy development ... is reading aloud to children in an interactive style. Reading aloud "stimulates children's imaginations, enhances their vocabularies and print awareness, introduces them to components of stories and provides them with useful information about the surrounding world."

Set aside a special reading time with the children. When reading to children, show enthusiasm. Ask the children questions about the story. Read each character in a different voice.

Teach children about books and other print materials and how to handle them properly. Show them how words go from left to right across the page and how the front of the book is different from the

Help them learn the letters of the alphabet and the sounds that each letter makes. Show them the difference between capital and lowercase letters and how to print their own names.

Keep children's books around the house. Let the kids pick out which ones to read. Keep a selection of children's books at home for them to chose from. Take children to the public library often; let them explore. Get them their own library cards if possible.

Encourage the children to write by making paper and pencils, crayons and markers available for them to use.

The only way that children will learn about the sounds of language is when they are exposed to language. The moment they are born, children need relationships with caring adults who engage them in frequent verbal interactions that support their oral language development.

By making a conscious effort to talk to, sing to and play with children, you facilitate their oral language abilities and lay an important foundation for later literacy learning.

For more information about this an other child development issues, visit Extension's Family and Consumer Sciences Web site at http://fcs.tamu.edu/and click on the link to "Families." For more on early literacy, click on the link to the Family Child Care Connections newsletters.

Source: Dr. Stephen Green, Extension Child Development Spe-

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# **Extension Extras**

Rabbit Exposition

Garza County Rabbit Exposition will be held Saturday, August 26 from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. at the GCJLA show barn. Several local breeders will be available to answer questions about the care and maintenance of a variety of rabbit breeds. They will assist anyone interested in showing rabbits in selecting a breed and how to best show it. Entry into the South Plains Fair Rabbit Show is open until September 7 and entry applications will be available at the Expo. Please contact Barbara Palmer at 470-1295 or Robby Palmer at 632-7866 if you have questions.

4-H Achievement Banquet

4-H members, volunteers and special guests will be honored at the annual 4-H Achievement Banquet to be held Tuesday, August 29 at the Youth Center in the Post Community Center. The banquet will begin at 6:30 p.m. Please RSVP by calling 495-4400 with the number to attend by Noon Monday, August 28. 4-H families are asked to bring a salad or vegetable and a dessert with your serving utensils marked.

**Banquet Decorating & Practice** 

Anyone wanting to help decorate is welcome beginning at 4:00 p.m. Monday, August 28, at the Youth Center. Program participants will practice following decorating.

Stocker Cattle & Wheat Management...

...seminar will be held Thursday, August 31, 2006, at the Fluvanna Community Center. Topics on the program include Wheat Forage Refresher, Product Update/Stocker Health, Modular Ear Tag System, Risk Management/Price Protection, Premise ID, Financial Resources, and Herd Health Guide. Three (3) CEU's are being offered. Please call 495-4400 for meal count purposes by Noon, Wednesday, August 30.

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### Troop 316 camp and conference planning

**Boy Scout Troop 316** recently held its annual planning conference and camping trip at Thuett Crossing near Junction, Texas. Attending the event were (back row, left to riight) Richard Hudman, Fermin Rivera, Travis Morris, (middle row) Seth Babb, Zach Hinkle, Richard Hinkle and (front) Dalton Thuett.

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#### Statement of Increase/Decrease

City of Post adopts a 2006 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$ \$100 of value, taxes would compared to 2005 taxes by \$\_\_ decrease 827.00

#### Schedule A - Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation. Type of Property Tax Fund **Balance** 

#### Schedule B – 2006 Debt Service

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

Principal or **Contract Payment** Interest to Be Pald from to be Paid from Other Amounts Total **Description of Debt Property Taxes Property Taxes** to be Paid **Payment** 279,918.00 614,918.00 335,000.00 (expand as needed) Total required for 2006 debt service 614,918.00 Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A Amount (if any) paid from other resources 180,107.00 Excess collections last year 0.00 = Total to be paid from taxes in 2006 434,811.00 Amount added in anticipation that the unit will + collect only % of its taxes in 2006 = Total Debt Levy 434,811.00

Schedule C – Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For hospital districts, cities and counties with additional sales tax to reduce property taxes)

In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$ in additional sales and use tax revenues. For County: The county has excluded any amount that is or will be distributed for economic

development grants from this amount of expected sales tax revenue.

Schedule D - State Criminal Justice Mandate (For Counties)

County Auditor certifies that County has spent \$ , \_\_\_\_\_, for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping in the previous 12 months beginning inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.

Schedule E - Transfer of Department, Function or Activity

operates this function in all or a majority of the [Second Year of Transfer: Modify schedule to show comparison of amount this year and preceding year by unit receiving the function.]

Schedule F – Enhanced Indigent Health Care Expenditures

spent \$ health care at the increased minimum eligibility standards, less the amount of state assistance. For the current tax year, the amount of increase above last year's enhanced indigent health care expenditures is \$

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations

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**Early Head Start Teacher** 

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Requirements: Child Development Associate Credential (CDA) or training required for the CDA with assessment no later than 6 months after hire date.

**Head Start Teacher's Assistant** 

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Request to Participate: Persons who wish to participate in this proceeding should obtain a form

Request to Participate from the Cooperative, complete the form and deliver the completed form to the Cooperative headquaters at 1807 Main Street, Tahoka, Texas, or by mail at P.O. Box 970, Tahoka, Texas 79373-0970. Requests to participate must be received no later than the intervention deadline, October 1, 2006. A person who requests to participate after this date may be limited to filing comments and may not be admitted as a party or allowed to present evidence.

Public Comments: Persons who wish to comment on this proceeding, but not present evidence or otherwise participate in the hearing, may send their comments in writing to the Cooperative at the mailing address

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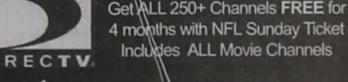
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10 Years Ago August 22, 1996

After about a year, the Garza Memorial Hospital board members had wrestled with several factors which had a less-than-favorable impact on the health care facility. Work began on a consolidation plan with Methodist Hospital.

Pink Wilks celebrated her 90th birthday with family and friends. At the event were Twana McCrary, Laura Tobias and Carol Tobias.

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Pat and Virgil Bilbo earned the right to compete at the state senior sports classic after winning gold and silver medals at the West Texas Senior Sports Classic held in Lubbock.

More than 130 motorcycle enthusiasts participated in the 6th Annual Post to Post Food Drive Poker Run. The non-perishable food items collected were donated to the U Can Share Food Drive. Money raised through the barbecue was donated to the Post Volunteer Fire Department. The event was organized by J. W. and Rebecca Jolly.

#### 20 Years Ago August 20, 1986 June 18

Fossils identified as those of the earth's oldest birds, at least 75 million years older than any found before, were discovered near an excavation point near Post. The bones, belonging to crowsized birds, were recovered by a team of scientists from Texas Tech

University. Thirteen 4-H'ers returned home from a 4-H Exchange Trip through nine states. Those attending were Debbie Ethridge, Keitha White, Mike Traw, Jarret Dickson, Ron Graves, Jimmy Holleman, Eric Reece, Bart Mason, Robert Wood,

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#### 30 Years Ago August 26, 1976

Post's new community center dedication was held followed by a full afternoon and evening of celebrating partial completion of the "center dream", Garza County's centennial, and America's bicentennial. Everyone was asked to wear pioneer costumes and enjoy the days activities.

Big jumbo grasshoppers by the thousands "blew" into town for a day and overnight they were gone. No in-town damage was reported.

Coach Lane Tannehill announced that three Post High athletes from the spring's track team, Randall Wyatt, Bryan Davis and Dale Odom were selected as Prep Track & Field "Athletes of the Year" for 1976. Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Welch were

presented 20-year pins and certificates for two decades of continuous service at Postex Plant. Better known as "Smiley" and Agnes, the couple moved to Post in 1956 from Seminole.

### 40 Years Ago

August 18, 1966 Heavy August rains poured millions of gallons of new water into the White River Lake, bringing the depth at the dam to a new record of 36.3 feet. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collier and children returned home from El Paso, where the Texas Pharmaceutical Association honored Collier with the A. H. Robins "Bowl of Hygeia" Award for outstanding community service. The congregation of the First

Presbyterian Church voted

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Miller as the church's new pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hays, owners of Long and Wayne Bishop. Ge'nez Steak House, their six children, Randell, Mark, Steve, Joni, Jim and Jeanie, and two nieces, Sue Gilmore and Linda Hays, returned home from an eight-day trip to California.

#### 50 Years Ago August 23, 1956

Misses Frances Craig and Freda Kennedy, along with Bernie Welch entertained with a swimming party and watermelon feast honoring all 1956 graduates and college students.

S. E. Camp, announced that Beattie Feathers, backfield coach at Texas Tech and a member of the Football at Rotary Club.

Hardin-Simmons University at the University Baptist Church in approximately twenty-five guests. Abilene.

Fads and Facts: The local skating rink attracted quite a bit of attention. A few Post's finest young men, A. C. Surman, of those seen skating or trying to skate Lusby, Alton Taylor, Glenda Webb, of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Peede.

unanimously to call Rev. George Mildred Wells, Lois Bailey, Judy McCullough, Jo Fern Taylor, Bobby

#### 60 Years Ago August 2, 1946

A three-night stand of the Puckett's Variety Show was engaged in Post under sponsorship of the Post Volunteer Fire Department. The show was presented in a new tent theatre with a seating capacity arranged for 1,000 people.

Garza County's first bale of 1946 was brought to Post by Jimmy Bird, 16-year-old son of Al Bird, Verbena community racher-farmer.

Tuna found its way back to grocer's shelves after being one of the wartime scarcities. During 1942 the tuna pack Hall of Fame would be guest speaker fell because the tuna productive waters were closed as a security measure. Roy L. Williams of Post received Johnny Kemp, six-years-old and a bachelor of science degree from Marthana Cearley, seven-yearsold, celebrated their birthdays with

Tragedy struck Post, when a plane crash resulted in the death of two of Jr., 21, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. were Clarence Gunn, Rex King, Linda Surman, and J. H. Peede, jr., 22, son

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# Menus

Post ISD

August 28 - Breakfast - Biscuits, sausage, gravy, fruit, milk. Lunch - Frito pie, ranch style beans, broccoli, corn bread, fruit

cocktail, milk. August 29 - Breakfast - Muffins, sausage link, fruit, milk.

Lunch-Fajitas, onions & peppers, salad, cantaloupe, milk

August 30 - Breakfast - Malt-omeal, toast, sausage, fruit, milk. Lunch - Steak fingers, gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, bananna pudding, milk.

August 31 - Breakfast - Poptarts, sausage link, fruit, milk Lunch - BBQ on bun, french fries,

salad, ice cream, milk. September 1 - Breakfast - Cereal,

toast, fruit, juice, milk Lunch-Fish, macaroni & cheese, carrot sticks, peas, hushpuppies,

apple, milk. Southland ISD

August 28 - Breakfast - Pancake on stick, juice, milk.

Lunch - Corn dogs, pork-n-beans, waffle fries, orange, cookie, milk. August 29 - Breakfast - Grilled

cheese sandwich, apple, milk. Lunch - Steak fingers, cream potato, gravy, green beans, roll,

cookie, milk. August 30-Breakfast-Cinnamon roll, yogurt, milk.

Lunch - Pig in a blanket, pinto beans, chips, pineapple salad, cake, milk.

August 31 - Breakfast - Cereal, muffin, fruit, milk.

Lunch - Nacho grande, lettuce & tomato, orange, milk September 1 - Breakfast -Scrambled eggs, sausage, toast,

juice, milk. Lunch - Cheeseburger, fixings, chips, carrot sticks, fruit cup,

#### TRAILBLAZERS

August 28 - Turkey, dressing, oven potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, brownie. August 29 - Chicken and

dumplings, okra, cabbage, cornbread, chocolate pudding. August 30 - Chicken fried steak w/gravy, mashed potatoes, green salad, hot rolls, cobbler.

August 31 - Barbeque chicken, cucumber/onion salad, butter beans, cornbread, pumpkin crunch

September 1 - .Baked fish with lemon, broccoli and cheese, rolls, pears, peanut butter cookie.

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Friday, August 25

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This Week In Post City

7 a.m.

10 a.m.

3 p.m. **Family Harvest Church** Meet The Antelopes Night 5 p.m. This Week In Post City 7 p.m. Saturday, August 26 Meet The Antelopes Night 7 a.m. This Week In Post City 9 a.m. **Family Harvest Church** 3 p.m. This Week In Post City 5 p.m. Meet The Antelopes Night 7 p.m. Sunday, August 27 This Week In Post City 1 p.m. 3 p.m. **Family Harvest Church** This Week In Post City 5 p.m. Meet The Antelopes Night 8 p.m. This Week In Post City 10 p.m. Monday, August 28 7 a.m. Meet The Antelopes Night 9 a.m. This Week In Post City 12 a.m. Garza County Hospital District 7 p.m. **Post ISD Board of Trustees** 3 a.m. 8 p.m. Meet The Antelopes Night Post Church of Christ Sunday Services 1,5 & 10 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, August 29, 30 & 31 Garza County Hospital District 12 a.m. **Post ISD Board of Trustees** 3 a.m. 6 a.m. **Post City Council** Garza County Commissioners' Court 9 a.m. **Post ISD Board of Trustees** 12 p.m. Garza County Hospital District 3 p.m. Post City Council 6 p.m.

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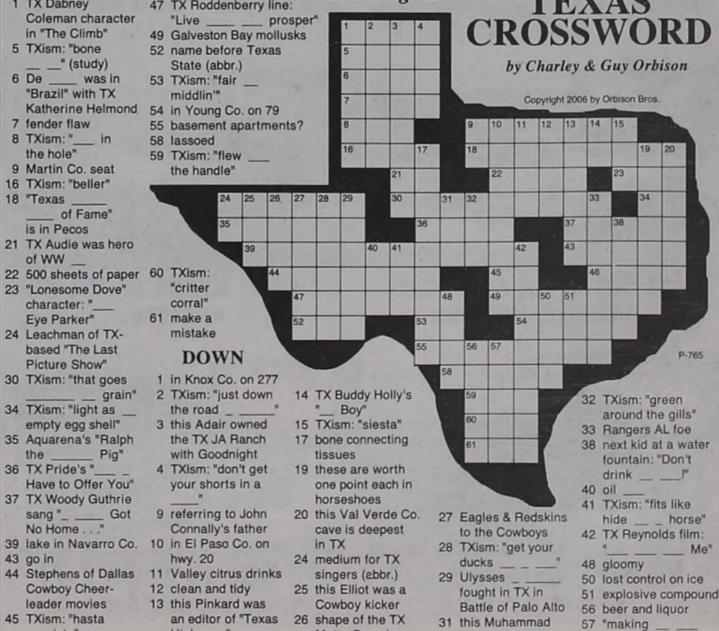
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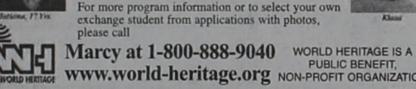
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National Weather Service Aug. 22, 2006

Post:
Average high - 93.5
Average low - 72.2
Monthly average temp - 82.8
Normal temp - 80.4

Monthly total precip – 2.00" Normal precip – 2.88" Heat units since May 1 – 2269 Year-to-date precip – 10.74" High temp/month – 100 (Aug.

Lake Alan Henry:
Average high – 96.8
Average low – 72.9
Monthly average temp – 84.8
Normal temp – 80.3
Monthly total precip – 1.83"
Normal precip – 2.70"
Heat units since May 1 – 2339
Year-to-date precip – 13.2"
High temp/month – 107 (Aug.

Source: National Weather Service, Lubbock



# Capturin' a skunk...

City of Post employees carefully snagged a potentially rabid skunk wandering the streets of Post Monday afternoon near the Allsup's store on U.S. Hwy 380 (West). Making the capture were (left to right) Curtis Martin and Kam Baker.

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