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"If a man had half as much insight, as he has hindsight, he would have twice as much foresight."

TIGER BAND & CUB BAND SPRING CONCERT
THURSDAY, MAY 12, 7:30 P.M.
SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
NO ADMISSION CHARGE

Election Results From May 7

City of Spofford

At Spofford where there were 50 eligible voters on the rolls, 16 people voted early by personal appearance and 25 voted at the polls.

If not a record, certainly "bragging rights" go to Spofford as 82% of eligible persons voted.

In the mayor's position, J.B. Herndon received 29 votes and Bob Champion garnered 12.

Eight names appeared on the ballot for Aldermen and five positions were to be filled.

Paulita Solis received 30, Margaret Martin got 36, Jose J. Cruz got 24, Warren Martin received 38 and Esther Cruz got 28 to round out the five highest vote getters.

Other candidates received: Carlos J. Castillo - 19; John B. Grider - 5; and Julia V. Vasquez - 20.

City of Brackettville

With 990 registered voters in the City of Brackettville, 15% turned out as 36 voted early and 109 at the poles.

Mayor Carmen Berlanga, running unopposed, was re-elected with 106 votes.

In Place 2, Jean Seargeant, unopposed, received 105 votes.

Mary Flores, unopposed in Place 5, received 91 votes.

The only contested place, Place 4, saw 92 votes go to Charles Bushart and 27 to Ralph Dodson.

BISD Board Meets In Emergency Session

On Monday, May 9, 1994, the Board of Trustees of the Brackett Independent School District met in emergency session to review the district's graduation proceedings.

The board took no action to change existing administrative policy regarding the senior graduation ceremony. Students who have not passed their TAAS exit test are permitted limited participation in the graduation ceremony.

Passing the exit level TAAS test or being in a special education program are state requirements for a student to receive a high school diploma.

Administrative policy does not allow a student who has not met graduation requirements to receive a diploma or a diploma replica at graduation.

If you have any questions regarding the district's graduation proceedings, please feel free to contact Mr. G. Steve Mills, Superintendent, at 563-2491.

New Board Members Take Pre-Oath

The Brackettville Independent School District met in a special session at 6:40 p.m. Monday, May 9, 1994. Jimmy Bader, Pat Melancon, Jewel Robinson, Stan Conoly, Jim McDaniel, and Gloria Garcia were present.

Board President Bader led in canvassing voting results from Saturday's election and after certifying them, newly-elected board members Rose Mary Slubar, Stan Conoly, and Darlene Shahan were administered the pre-oath by Candy Hobbs. They will take the formal oath at the regular board meeting Monday evening, May 23.

The meeting adjourned. The board then entered into a preliminary budget workshop.

Fort Clark M.U.D.

Sixteen percent of eligible Fort Clark M.U.D. voters cast ballots - 55 by early appearance and 48 on election day - to elect two of four candidates to the board.

Hubert McKelvy received 69 votes, and Pat Melancon got 64. Ray Kurtz received 30 votes and Bob Houk got 18.

BISD School Board

Four candidates were on the ballot to fill two positions for full three year terms. Rose Mary Slubar received 219 votes, Stan Conoly received 189, Lingo Sandoval got 165 and Joy Ralston received 138.

Three people filed for the one year unexpired term. Of those three, Darlene Shahan received 239, Albert Payne received 90, and Don Hood got 92.

All 1910 registered voters in Kinney County are eligible to vote in school board elections. One hundred thirty-three voted early either by mail or personal appearance, and 326 voted at the polls for a total of 459 votes cast, or 24% voter turn out.

Spofford City Council Canvasses Election

The Spofford City Council met Tuesday evening, May 10, 1994, at the Spofford City Hall to canvass and accept the May 7th election results.

Council members will take their oaths in the near future.

County Extension Agent Meets With Citizens To Identify Needs/Goals

A group of interested residents from Kinney County met at the Foust Vocational Ag Building on April 14th and again on April 26th to discuss critical issues affecting the lives of every person who resides or visits this area.

The Extension Program Council's executive board met six weeks earlier to develop a list of persons to be invited to this study group meeting to discuss these issues. Executive board members were asked to come up with names of persons who might be interested in working on the task of looking ahead to try to determine issues that would have an impact on all of us here in this county.

The list of names included persons from every segment of our county population. Agriculture, business, community organizations, education, finance, city and county government, health, homemakers, law enforcement and news media were the areas represented.

Every four years the task of looking toward the future is done in each county in this state. The last planning cycle to write the Long Range Extension Program or LREP involved over 12,000 people across the state in meetings just like this one in Brackettville.

As an agriculture agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, I work with the people of this county to provide knowledge-based education through the resources of the land grant university system (Texas & M University) in the areas of agriculture, environmental stewardship, youth and adult life skills and leadership and community economic development. Contrary to popular belief, I am not here for the

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County Swim Pool To Open June 2

At 9:00 a.m. Monday, May 9, 1994, Kinney County Judge Tim Ward called the Commissioners Court into regular session and led the pledge of allegiance. Jean Faulkenberry offered the invocation.

Minutes of April 11 and April 29 were approved.

Road Administrator Clifford Fritter reported on removing bricks and debris from swimming pool area, cleaning of watershed dams, cleaning lots for water tower at Spofford, hauling off materials from Filippone Building, and routine equipment maintenance.

The judge, with court approval, requested Commissioner Alvin McClure to work with Fort Clark Springs on the logistics of purchasing and installing a storm warning system.

The court approved a lease agreement with Middle Rio Grande Development Council on the Filippone Building for \$250 per month. MRGDC pays all utilities and also is paying for ADA renovations.

Ray Aaron, scheduled to speak on health insurance options, did not appear so that item was deferred to June.

The court approved motions to advertise for the employment of Administrator/Engineer for Pinto Creek Bridge project; and scheduled a public hearing for closing of the library and paving grant.

June 2 was the date chosen to open the county swimming pool. Tentatively the pool will be open six hours each Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Applications for life guards will now be accepted.

In response to employee recommendations, vehicle allowance will be discussed in the 1994-95 budget workshops, and sick leave carry-over will be evaluated for employee policies inclusion.

Bill for payment and budget amendments were approved.

The road/bridge uniform contract was extended; requests for computer maintenance contracts were referred to the 1994-95 budget workshops; used carpet from the court house will be advertised for bid; approval for constructing a banister in the Justice of the Peace office was given; payment for previous consultation service from David Brooks was approved and after County Attorney Tully Shahan told the court he was willing to forego future retainer arrangements with Mr. Brooks, the contract was not extended.

Since Kinney County will be the grantee of the Amistad Drug Task

Force, approval was given to add the project director and administrative assistant to Kinney County personnel as of June 1. The county will receive full reimbursement from the Task Force.



Kinney County Road Administrator Cliff Fritter and the Road/Bridge crew joined with the City of

Brackettville crew to clear the dams that protects Brackettville from runoff from Las Moras Mountain. Here they are working on the "East

Dam" which is on the Evans Ranch off Highway 334. The other dam is on the west side of town near the Rita Sims home. After the brush, weeds, and debris have been cleared away, and repairs made, the watershed protectors will be resown with grass seeds.



Leodoro Martinez, Jr.

MRGDC Appoints Executive Director

Leodoro Martinez, Jr. has been appointed as Executive Director of the Middle Rio Grande Development Council by the MRGDC Board of Directors. The Board gave unanimous consent to appoint Martinez as Executive Director, effective June 1, 1994. MRGDC is a Regional Council of Governments serving the communities of Dimmit, Edwards, Kinney, LaSalle, Maverick, Real, Uvalde, Val Verde and Zavala counties.

A native of Cotulla, Texas, Martinez has been in public service for the past 20 years, serving as County Judge of LaSalle for the past 12 years. He has served as City Councilman and Mayor of Cotulla. In 1983 he was appointed by Governor Mark White to serve on the State Job Coordinating Council. In 1987 he was appointed by the Agricultural Commissioner to serve on the Texas Rural Communities Board of Directors, and, in 1991 Governor Ann Richards appointed him to serve on the Texas Agricultural Finance Authority Board of Directors. He presently serves as Board Chairman of Community Services Agency for

Frio, LaSalle, and Dimmit counties. He is a Past President of the MRGDC Board of Directors. He recently declined an appointment as U.S. Marshall for the Southern District of Texas, to assume the position of MRGDC Executive Director.

As the Chief Administrative Officer of the Council, Martinez is responsible for managing MRGDC's daily operation and staff. MRGDC administers Education and Employment Training, Economic Development, Solid Waste Management, Land Resource Management, Environmental Quality, Rural Development, Aging, Emergency Communication Systems, and Criminal Justice Programs.

There are twenty-four Regional Councils in Texas. Regional Councils deal with the problems and planning needs that cross the boundaries of individual local government, or that require regional attention. Regional Councils have no regulatory powers or taxing authority as possessed by cities, counties, or other local governments.



All-Around Athlete Lolly Hernandez, who will be competing in state competition later this week, accepts plaque from Coach Tammy Coggins. (See page 6 for additional awards Lolly earned this year.)

Shot Putter Hernandez Qualifies For State Competition

Not since Luther Ward, Clarence Ward, Jimmy Bader, and Roy Goodloe ran for the Black and Gold in a sprint relay at the State Track meet in 1968 has Brackett High School been represented. And,

1966, was the last time a young woman from BHS competed, that was shot putter Kareene Thompson.

Those dates can now be updated as another shot putter, Lolly Hernandez, joins the elite group of the best eight shot putters from Class

2AA schools in the state on May 15 at Memorial Stadium, Austin.

Lolly earned the opportunity by tossing a shot 36 feet at the Region IVAA competition. That was not her personal record as she had thrown it 38 feet at the 31-2AA District just a couple of weeks earlier.

Lolly has an excellent chance of winning the state crown, and she can enter the competition knowing that all of Kinney County is behind her.



Friday morning, May 6, 1994, Kinney County Chamber of Commerce President Larry Sofaly presented a

chamber membership plaque to new member Grover Neuman of Sky Cable Pix, Inc.

Sky Cable Pix, Inc. Opens Office In Brackettville

Sky Cable Pix, Inc. a DBS (Direct Broadcasting System), with Grover Neuman and fifteen other employees working out of the Brackettville office, also has an 18-inch dish, is now providing TV service in an area from Sonora to Castroville, from Del Rio to Uvalde, and Crystal City and Carrizo Springs. Mr. Neuman told Sofaly that by late summer, with some technology enhancements, he expected 150 stations to be available to local viewers, with no scrambling, with his system.

The business is located on Highway 90 East, the telephone number is 563-2963. Out of city callers may use a toll-free number, 800-648-2963.

Neuman, who grew up in Brackettville and attended local schools, extends an invitation to all TV viewers to drop by the office, or give them a call.

Food Labels Are A Guide To Good Eating

If you always seem to steer your grocery cart toward foods bearing the words light, lean and low-fat, you should take a closer look at those labels.

"The new food labels are jam-packed with information to help you make smarter selections," says Molly Gee, a registered dietitian at The Methodist Hospital in Houston.

You'll recognize the new labels by the panel of information called Nutrition Facts. Listed are the serving size, calories, amounts of fat, cholesterol, sodium, carbohydrates and protein contained in a serving, and the Percentage of Daily Value.

"The Percentage of Daily Value, which is based on a 2,000 calorie a day diet, makes it easy to calculate how much of the recommended amount of each nutrient is in a serving of the food," says Gee. For example, if you eat two servings of cheese for lunch and each serving contains 20% of the recommended amount of fat, you will have consumed 40% of your recommended intake of fat, but will still have 60% of the Daily Value for fat to consume in other foods.

Gee says most of us are mindful of our intake of fat and sodium, but should also be aware of the need to include dietary fiber, calcium and iron in our diets. "You may pass up a slice of cheddar cheese because of the amount of fat it contains, but it's also a good source of calcium and protein. It's a bit of a balancing act."

Gee reminds us to shop for a variety of foods which are appetizing and nutritious. "The new labels allow us to eat foods which we enjoy and keep track of our intake, so don't forget to check the number of servings in a container. When you see 9 grams of fat on the label of a bag of potato chips, remember that's just one serving, or about a fistful," said Gee.

The new labels put you in charge of making healthy food choices, but you should consult your doctor or a registered dietitian before making any drastic changes in your diet.

For information about weight loss programs at Methodist's Institute for Prevention Medicine, call 713-790-3000.

Boating Accidents, Fatalities Way Down

Boating accidents and fatalities decreased dramatically in 1993, with accidents dropping by 1/3 and fatalities down by two dozen.

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department game wardens reported 47 boating related fatalities - all drownings - during calendar year 1993, down from 71 the previous year and from 59 in 1991. Game wardens also reported 144 boating accidents reported in 1992.

The accident total resulted in a reported 93 injuries, down considerably from 154 in 1992. Most of the injuries happened when the victim fell overboard (39) or was hit by the boat or prop (29). Ten injuries occurred when the subject fell in the boat and 15 from other causes.

Although many boats are already on the water, Memorial Day weekend traditionally launches the recreational boating season in Texas. TPWD officials are looking to continue the decline in boating accidents.

The 144 accidents in 1993 involved 186 vessels compared to 269 vessels involved in 1992's accidents. Collision with another vessel was the most often reported accident with 75. Some others included capsizing (15), sinking (14), collision with a fixed object (14) and collision with a floating object (12).

The most common known accident cause was boaters not having a lookout (22). Alcohol use was involved in 19 accidents, restricted vision in 16, weather conditions in 13, and a hazard in the water in 10.

Almost \$521,000 in property damage resulted from the accidents, down from \$687,001 the previous year.

The largest number of accidents occurred while boaters were just cruising around the lake - 86 in 1993 and 105 in 1992. Twenty-six accidents occurred while fishing. As expected, most accidents occur on the weekend, 71 on Saturday and 52 on Sunday. The prime time for an accident was from noon to 7 p.m. (102 accidents).

Carlos Vaca, TPWD's boating law administrator said the most effective thing people can do to prevent accidents is wear life preservers. Life preservers are mandatory for children under 13. While they are not required for adults, many lives might be saved if all boaters wore them.

Boating can be stressful and studies have shown that exposure to the sun, wind, engine noise, vibration and constant motion can slow reaction time significantly. Boaters should avoid alcohol which can double the effects of other stress factors. In addition to having U.S. Coast Guard approved personal flotation devices on board for each person aboard, boaters also should have a Coast Guard-approved marine fire extinguisher, navigation lights at night and a horn or whistle for boats 16 feet to 26 feet long.

Vaca recommends that boaters and potential boaters take the free boating safety courses offered throughout the state.

For information on boater education, call the TPWD toll-free at 800-792-1112. The public may also call 512-389-4999 for boater education, 512-389-4800 for general information, or 512-389-4828 for boater registration.

Extension Agent

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sole purpose to run a livestock show. Our office is involved with a variety of activities through our committee process known as county program development. It is through these committees that the educational activities out of this office are planned, implemented and evaluated. All activities are centered around the issues citizens believe are important. And that is why the LREP is developed by persons in the county in order to keep the program relevant and hopefully to have a positive impact on the clientele in our county.

The issues generally fit into one of four state-wide goals which the Extension Service is committed to:

- 1) Health, safety and well-being
- 2) Environmental stewardship and natural resources
- 3) Economic competitiveness, viability, and stability.
- 4) Development of life skills and leadership qualities

The issues discussed and prioritized at our local study group meeting all fit into these categories as will most identified across the state.

During the last planning cycle (1991-94), the LREP issues identified have been the target of educational activities in this county for the past 4 years. Issues such as water quality, animal reproduction, improvements in production practices of sheep and goats, youth leadership and community economic development were all addressed through programs conducted out of this office.

Sheep and goat producers have benefitted from increased knowledge of the latest production technology and more importantly, increased quality of the product they are producing. This is realized through adoption of practices in various stages of the ranch operation to lower input costs while maintaining a consistent product. Area ranchers have participated in clinics and workshops dealing with such topics as fecal analysis for internal parasites, mohair quality and the identification of defects in the product, and brush control methods.

The community economic development effort uses demographic information to come up with ideas to stimulate the economy in Brackettville based on our population. Committee members have attended workshops to listen to ideas from other communities similar to ours that have had successful economic boosters to their

community. The committee works closely with the Chamber of Commerce to constantly look for ideas to spark growth and development through commerce and tourism in our county.

An on-going horticultural program to encourage water conservation through the use of native plants and more efficient irrigation in the landscape is provided year-round from the Kinney County Extension office. Homeowners are worked with on an individual basis and provided technical education and assistance on a variety of landscape horticultural areas. Educational programs have been conducted on virtually every aspect of gardening and landscape horticulture.

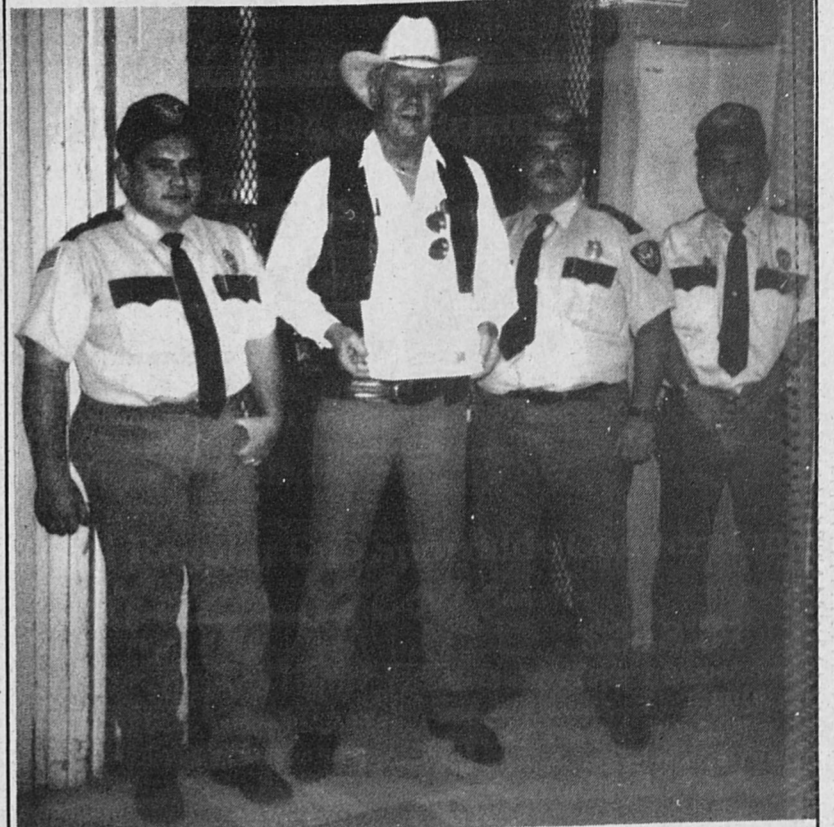
Youth programs strive to educate the 4-H member and their family on life skills and provide leadership opportunities to parents and youth alike. Participation in an area that, at times, lacks sufficient interest in this community. Many parents want a program provided for their children without taking the time to volunteer their own efforts. Volunteerism is the driving force to any successful youth program and the 4-H program is no exception.

Through the volunteer efforts of adults in the county, programs are conducted in the areas of livestock, foods and nutrition, shooting sports, school curriculum enrichment and fashion. There are many more areas that youth could be involved with and volunteer leaders need to be identified for these areas to be provided. The recruitment effort is always a priority for the youth development committee.

The next LREP has some issues identified that are similar to those in the last cycle but it also will have some new issues that perhaps were not as critical to citizens four years ago as they are now. The 1995-99 LREP for Kinney County will be finalized in the next several months and be implemented as soon as possible. Study group members will receive a copy of the plan. On behalf of the Kinney County Extension Program Council members, I would like to thank all the citizens who took time out of their busy schedules to participate in this very worthwhile effort.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agriculture Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.

Kinney County Jail In Full Compliance



Kinney County Sheriff Norman H. Hooten is pictured holding the Certificate of Compliance issued by the Texas Commission on Jail Standards after the completion of the annual jail inspection of the County Jail on May 4, 1994.

With him are Jailer/Dispatcher PFC Frank Gutierrez, Jailer/Dispatcher PFC Jesse Garcia, and Jailer/Dispatcher PVT. Pete Abrego.

This makes the sixth consecutive year that the Kinney County Jail has passed inspection by the TJC. Last year Sheriff Hooten received the coveted "Red Certificate" from TJC Inspector Terry Julian. The Red Certificate indicates the successful passing of annual jail inspection for five consecutive years.

Sheriff Hooten expressed his appreciation of the combined efforts of all county jail employees and staff members and a "very special appreciation of the cooperative and helpful actions of the current Kinney

County Commissioners Court."

"Kinney County Judge Tim Ward has demonstrated professional leadership within the Kinney County Commissioners Court and all members, including Pct. 1 Commissioner Freddie Frerich, Pct. 2 Commissioner Plunker Sheedy, Pct. 3 Commissioner Cordelia Mendeke, and Pct. 4 Commissioner Alvin McClure have been very helpful in discussing with me the needs and requirements of both the Sheriff's Department and County Jail operations. Without their constructive cooperation and assistance the quality of law enforcement services, including the County Jail operation, provided by the Sheriff's Department would suffer. We have been fortunate to have this fine group of community minded professionals leading our county over the past few years. The overall County government has improved tremendously under his leadership."

1994 Geo Prizm

\$270.40 per month

Stock # 40802

\$12,995*

Air, Automatic Cassette, Power Steering, \$600 cash, \$400 college rebate \$1,000 cash down, 60 months, 9.15% A.P.R., W.A.C *T.T.L.

1994 Regular Cab Sportside Conversion

\$348.31 per month

Stock # 43408

\$1,000 cash down or trade in, 60 mo. 9.9% A.P.R. W.A.C. *T.T.L.

CHEVROLET DEL RIO, TX
2300 HWY 90 WEST 775-0566



Headstart Receives Computer From The Super-S Program

Headstart, Brackettville, got its first Apple Computer. It was presented to the teachers and children on May 9, 1994, at the Headstart Center by Super S Manager and Beverly A. Wright. The kids collected over \$188,000 of yellow cash register receipts.

Prizes were given the three students who brought in the most receipts. Jessica Garza was first, Rosana (Chita) Sanchez was second and Jolisa Wright was third.

Along with the computer, Headstart earned a printer for the computer, and a 20" color TV with VCR. They will be delivered later.

Appreciation is expressed to the parents, and all others, who helped with the collection, and especially Paulita Garza for her help in totaling the receipts.

Pictured at left:

Brackettville Super-S manager Ponce Padron, second from left, presents a computer to Augusta Pines, Beverly Wright, and Yolanda Williams for Headstart.



Have a Good Day
Janice

Plaza Del Sol

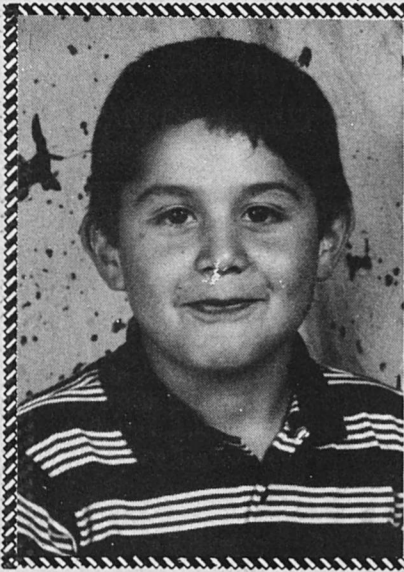
15th Anniversary

Carnival of Savings

- 👉 Tickets to Sea World for a family of four
- 👉 Tickets to Fiesta Texas for a family of four
- 👉 2 - \$250.00 Shopping Sprees
- 👉 Register to win a 3 night cruise for two from Galveston to Tampico, Mexico. (Must be 18 to register).
- 👉 Mystery shopper will be in mall Saturday giving out over \$300.00 worth of gift certificates

Plus Much More

15 people will qualify to win the cruise and other prizes to be given away Friday, May 27, at 6:00 p.m.
(Winners will be notified May 26, 1994)



Happy Birthday Ryan Eddie Garcia May 14 8 years old

Will be celebrating his birthday with a Birthday Party given by his grandparents Mr. & Mrs. Pedro and Albina Salas.

The Year Memories Were Made

Thursday evening, May 5, 1994, the BHS cafeteria became a multi-faceted sports cathedral as high school athletes were recognized at an All-Sports Banquet. Keynote speaker was Athletic Director and Head Football Coach Evans of Del Rio.

BHS's coaches introduced their teams and presented awards for both "outstanding" and "most improved" athlete in each sport as well as recognizing those with superior academic records. The Booster Club Athletic Scholarships were also awarded.



FIGHTING TIGERS
Guadalupe Rodriguez
Manuel Ramon

FIGHTING TIGERETTE
Ida Aguilar

ALL-SCHOLAR ATHLETES

1993-1994

(Maintained an 89.5 or higher yearly average)

SCHOLAR ATHLETE
Wil Shahan

SCHOLAR ATHLETE
Courtney Harrison

Michael Aguirre, Bernie Allemeier, Amy Bader, Michael Benacci, Sean Burks, Josh Crumley, Amanda Davis, Josh Fitzgerald, Debra Frerich, Denice Frerich, Naiya Garcia, Francisca Garza, Chris Hale, Karla Hall, Kathleen Hall, Courtney Harrison, Kelly Henrich, Lolly Hernandez, Zoila Herrera, Lindy LaMascus, Brandy Meeks, David Melancon, Patrick Melancon, Guadalupe Rodriguez, Sandra Samaniego, Jared Shahan, Wil Shahan, Jesse Terrazas, Maria Terrazas, Cassandra Tipps

ALL-AROUND ATHLETE
Jesse Terrazas

ALL-AROUND ATHLETE
Lolly Hernandez

OUTSTANDING FOOTBALL
Kelly Henrich

OUTSTANDING VOLLEYBALL
Lolly Hernandez

MOST IMPROVED FOOTBALL
Matthew Rocha

MOST IMPROVED VOLLEYBALL
Sandra Samaniego

OUTSTANDING DEFENSIVE LINEMAN
Wil Shahan

OUTSTANDING BASKETBALL
Lolly Hernandez

OUTSTANDING OFFENSIVE LINEMAN
Manuel Ramon

MOST IMPROVED BASKETBALL
Ida Aguilar

OUTSTANDING DEFENSIVE LINEBACKER
Patrick Melancon

OUTSTANDING SOFTBALL
Amy Bader

OUTSTANDING RUNNING BACK
Moses Hernandez

MOST IMPROVED SOFTBALL
Jennifer Terrazas

OUTSTANDING DEFENSIVE BACK
Jesse Terrazas
Ramon DeLeon

OUTSTANDING TRACK
Lolly Hernandez

OUTSTANDING RECEIVER
Jesse Terrazas

MOST IMPROVED TRACK
Casey Tipps

OUTSTANDING SPECIAL TEAM
Michael Benacci

OUTSTANDING TENNIS
Amanda Davis

OUTSTANDING BASKETBALL
Jesse Terrazas

MOST IMPROVED TENNIS
Terry Esparza

MOST IMPROVED BASKETBALL
Bernie Allemeier
Ruben Terrazas

OUTSTANDING GOLFER
Charlie Hall

OUTSTANDING BASEBALL
Wil Shahan
Ramon DeLeon

MOST IMPROVED GOLFER
Lisa Dalton

MOST IMPROVED BASEBALL
Brian Hooker
Michael Padron

OUTSTANDING GOLFER
Jared Shahan

MOST IMPROVED GOLFER
Brian Hooker
Michael Aguirre

OUTSTANDING TENNIS
Patrick Melancon

MOST IMPROVED TENNIS
Josh Fitzgerald

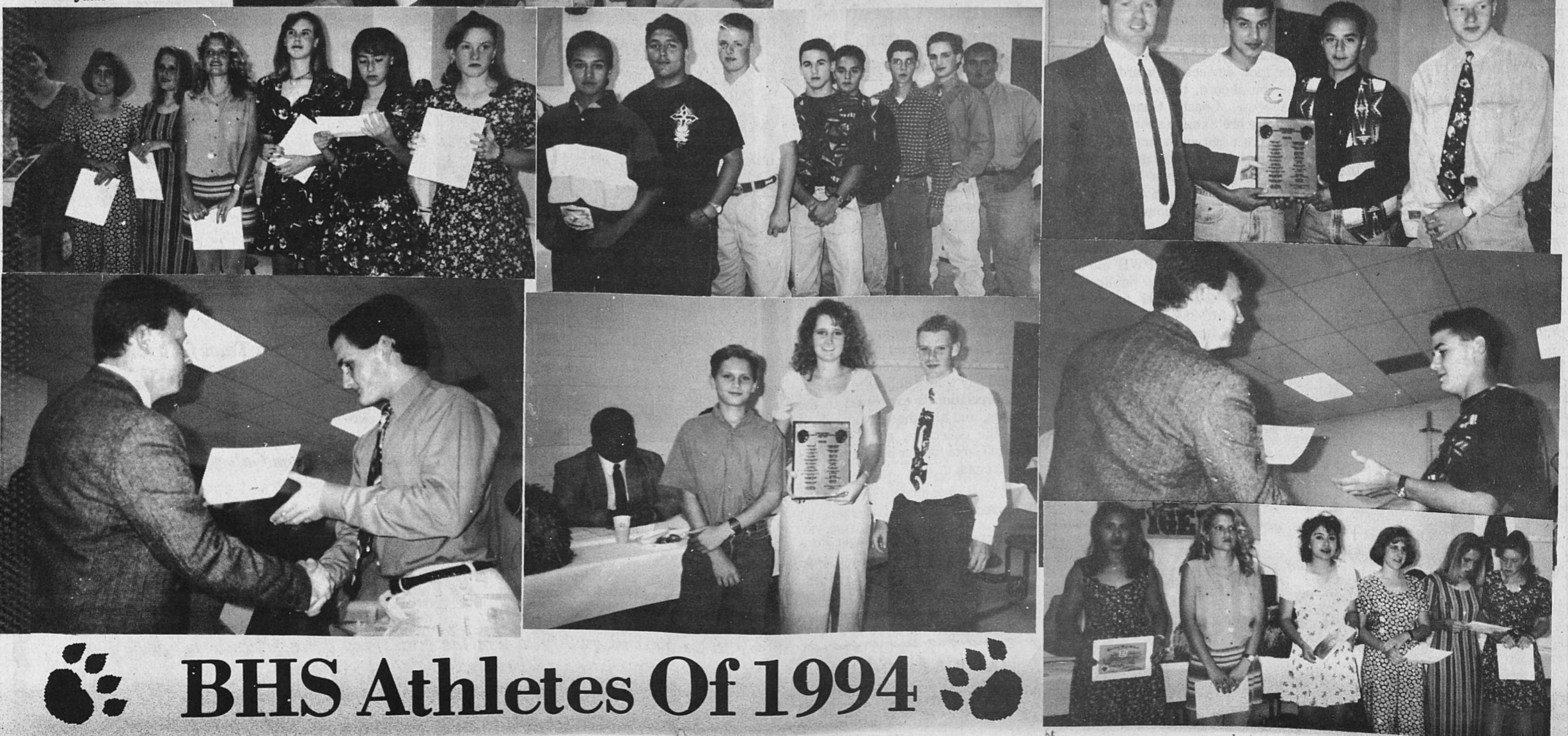
OUTSTANDING TRACK
Dale Smith

MOST IMPROVED TRACK
Chris Hale
Bernie Allemeier
Juan Hernandez

Tigers & Tigerettes



Black & Gold



Reviews Previews Tiger Turf



School Menu

Three Choices For Breakfast
1. Printed Menu; 2) Dry Cereal, Toast, Fruit or Juice) 3. Two Slices Toast, Fruit or Juice. Milk served with all meals.

Breakfast

MONDAY, MAY 16
Cheese Toast
Fruit or Juice

TUESDAY, MAY 17
Blueberry Pancake/Syrup
Fruit or Juice

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18
Moms Day
\$1.00

Coffee Available
Dads Invited Too!
Breakfast Pizza
Fruit or Juice

THURSDAY, MAY 19
Manager's Choice

FRIDAY, MAY 20
Manager's Choice

Salad Bar & "B" Line
Open Every Day
Milk Served At All Meals

Lunch

MONDAY, MAY 16
Chili Con Carne
W/ Beans & Cheese
Veggie Sticks
Peanut Butter Cup - Fruit
Corn Bread

TUESDAY, MAY 17
School Made Pizza
Green Beans
Cherry Crisp

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18
Hamburger - Burger Salad
French Fries
Fruit

THURSDAY, MAY 19
Manager's Choice

FRIDAY, MAY 20
Manager's Choice

Congratulations Graduates!

Have A Good Summer!

Gifts To BISD Library

The Brackett School Library would like to acknowledge the following recent memorials given by Steve and Merry Beth Mills:

Volvano in memory of John Cowart; *The Commanders* in memory of Col. William Jackson Rushing; *Beauty and the Beast* in memory of Mamie Fleming; *101 Dalmations* video in memory of James Foreman; *The Legend of Sleepy Hollow* video in memory of Marie Boles.

Jimmy and Kathy Bader and family donated *President Kennedy: Profile of Power* in memory of Col. William Jackson Rushing.

The library would also like to thank Stephanie Wallace and her Kindergarten Class for the donation of a stuffed "Barney" and a stuffed "Baby Bop." Your kind thoughtfulness is appreciated.

Texas State Arts & Crafts Fair

Schreiner College Campus, Kerrville

Friday, May 27, Saturday-Sunday, May 28-29, June 4-5

Visitors may enter the campus on Memorial Blvd. and use free shuttle service to the main entrance. Food coupons will be sold. Visit with Texas' finest artists and craftsmen, listen to good entertainment, watch the Native American demonstrations. Fair office 210-896-5711.

USDA Seeks Comments On 1994 Support Prices For Wool & Mohair

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Commodity Credit Corporation has asked for public comment on the support prices for pulled wool (wool on unshorn lambs) and mohair for the 1994 marketing year.

The National Wool Act of 1954, as amended (the Wool Act), provides that the support price for pulled wool -- the wool removed from the pelts of unshorn, slaughtered sheep -- be set at a level relative to the shorn wool support price that will maintain normal pulled wool marketing practices. This provision has been implemented in the past through payments based on the live weight of unshorn lambs marketed.

The Wool Act also provides that the mohair support price be set at a level to maintain about the same percentage of parity as for shorn wool. Under the Wool Act, the mohair support price may be set at not more than 15% above or below the shorn wool parity percentage.

The shorn wool support price is determined by a formula specified in the Wool Act. Based on the current reported parity index, the 1994 shorn wool support price will be \$2.09 per pound, grease basis.

The 2-year phaseout of the wool and mohair programs begins with the 1994 marketing year. Producer payments will be calculated using the support prices covered by this proposed rule, but will then be reduced by 25% for 1994 in accordance with Section 704 (9) of the Wool Act. The Wool Act is in effect through December 31, 1995.

The proposed regulation is scheduled to be published in the Federal Register on May 2. Comments on the proposed regulation should be sent to: Director, Fibers and Rice Analysis Division, Room 3760-S, USDA/ASCS, P.O. Box 2415, Washington DC 20013-2415 and must be received by June 1. A preliminary regulatory impact analysis on the options considered is also available from that office. Public comments will be available for inspection in Room 3756-S of USDA's South Building here during normal business hours.

Contact Janise Zygmunt, 202/720-6734.

LETTER TO EDITOR

Sixty Brackettville students were recently awarded complimentary tickets to *Life With Father* as a result of the generosity of nine Brackettville businesses. These civic-minded donors made it possible for the students to attend a classic of the theatre and, at the same time, benefitted The Little Schoolhouse and the Upstagers.

Many thanks to Davis Hardware, The First State Bank, The Giftbox, Jean's Nash Dry Goods, Kinney County Land Company, Kinney County Wool & Mohair, Parts Plus Auto Store, Tully Shahan - Attorney at Law, and Sunshine Garden Center.

/s/ Candy Graf
Del Rio

Making A Difference

By TAYLOR STEPHENSON, Curriculum Director

One More Week & Counting

School officially ends for Brackett ISD students on Friday, May 20. Teachers end their school year the next day (on a Saturday). It's a busy time, but productive. We're trying to close the academic year while trying to conclude all the usual Spring activities. I'll tell you about some of the activities this week as we look at "one more week & counting."

We wish our best for the speedy recovery of BHS Principal Don Sims. He's a good man, and we miss him when he's gone! All reports thus far are that he is doing well at St. Luke's Lutheran Hospital.

Last Saturday's Junior-Senior Prom was a beautiful one. The Fort Clark Springs Country Club was the setting. I love to sit outside at the restaurant and sip a glass of iced tea, or eat a late weekend breakfast. This setting was enhanced by pecan trees that must be 100 years old and are probably at least 50 feet high. Half the world would want to be outside under these pecan trees, if it wasn't the best kept secret. You can hear the rushing water sound from Las Moras River as it winds through the area. When the natural beauty of the setting is enhanced with the best young people in the United States, you have a magnificent script for a grand evening. And that's exactly what we had!

Smiling, happy faces framed with music for dancing or just listening, and lots of food. Pizza, finger foods of all kinds, and every kind of soft drink were in abundance.

The sponsors included the Ramons, Phillips, Mills, Frerichs, Schusters, and Connie Hall. I enjoyed watching the students dance. The Phillips and Schusters are good dancers also. It was a fun evening, and Lela and staff did a good job. Lela says the Brackett kids are always well behaved. It was a nice compliment coming from a lady who educated her children in Brackett and who should know. Thanks for a fun time!

How about Lolly Hernandez who according to J.J. is the first Brackett athlete to qualify for the state track meet in 26 years. She took second in the shot at the Region IV-2AA meet in Wimberly. Hernandez is a junior who will compete at the state meet on July 15 at Memorial Stadium in Austin. Brackett is proud of Lolly and her coach, Carroll Petrosky.

TAAS testing is going on big time this week. It's Susan Harrison's busiest week. Our fine teachers have taken pride in preparing our students to do their very best. The schedule involves students in grades 3 through 8 on Tuesday; and on Wednesday: Math. Thursday, students in grades four and eight will be tested in Science. Friday, students in grades four and eight will be tested in Social Studies. I've said it lots of times in print and to teachers -- TAAS measures two things. One is what the student learned. The other is a measure of what was taught. Good students are going

to do well on TAAS. The slower students must have daily lessons in TAAS objectives. Curriculum gaps result from teaching textbooks rather than focusing on a curriculum that is guided by TAAS instructional targets. We must use textbooks, but we must use them to teach the curriculum prescribed by the state of Texas. We're getting better at this at BISD. We're trying to focus on what is taught, and what is learned.

Next year, TEA has mandated a year-end test in Algebra I and Biology. In the final analysis, it will take a lot of effort from students and staff to score well on TAAS. I believe that we can do it.

Welcome aboard new board members: Darlene Shahan and Rose Mary Slubar. Welcome back: Stan Conoly. The BISD School Board does a good job in their capacity as policy makers for the Brackett schools. Board members' jobs are not easy. The public has entrusted the operation of the schools to you. We believe in you and want you to know that we are there to support you in your decisions. The other board members that will continue to be a part of the school board are: Jimmy Bader, Jewel Robinson, Jim McDaniel and Gloria Garcia. This board is conscientious and will try to be fair in every decision.

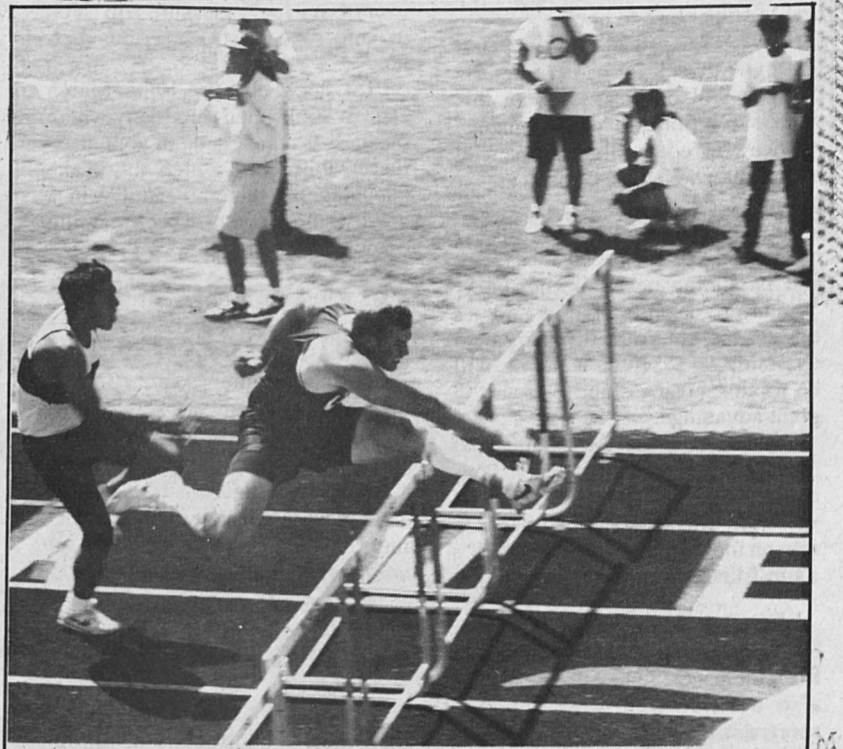
Elections are unpredictable. A good friend of mine ran for mayor of a New Mexico town. He was beaten in the election. He took out the following advertisement in the local paper: "I want to thank all those of you who voted for me for Mayor in the election this past Tuesday. My wife wants to thank all those who didn't!"

Being a board member is a tough job. In many of life's decisions, it would be nice if we could simply let the public decide. Lots of folks might have different careers. That's not the way it works, but it is with the political process. To those that the public chooses, we say, "Do the job well!" To those that the public doesn't give a majority of votes we say, "Thanks for caring." Joy Ralston, Albert Payne, Don Hood - thanks for caring about the Brackett Schools. Lingo Sandoval - thanks for giving of your time to help our children.

This next week will be a busy one: Thursday (tonight) a band concert at 7:30, awards ceremonies will be Monday 9:30 for High School and 2:30 for Middle School. The senior picnic will be held Friday at Garner State Park.

Friday night, we will have the commencement for the Class of 1994. After the commencement, the annual all night, school sponsored substance free senior party will be held.

It's been a good year. The sand is about out of the hourglass for the 1994-95 school year. It's been a good one! That's all for now.



The Stride That Got Dale Smith To Region

More From Sports Banquet



HELP YOUR HEART RECIPES

American Heart Association

This recipe is intended to be part of an overall healthful eating plan. Total fat intake should be less than 30 percent of your total calories for a day -- not for each food or recipe.

Herbed Bread Sticks

- 8 hot dog buns, cut into long strips
- 8 tablespoons acceptable margarine, melted*
- 6 tablespoons freshly grated Parmesan cheese
- Salt-free garlic seasoning to taste

Preheat oven to 350° F. Cut the top of each bun into three sticks and the bottom of each bun into two sticks.

Brush each lightly with margarine. Dust with Parmesan cheese and sprinkle generously with garlic seasoning.

Bake on an ungreased cookie sheet 10 to 15 minutes, or until crisp. Serve at once, or store in airtight container to retain crispness.

These bread sticks are great with soups, salads or Italian entrees.

Serves 20; 2 bread sticks per serving.

* Select margarines that have no more than 2 grams of saturated fat per tablespoon.

Nutrient Analysis per Serving

122 Calories	2 mg Cholesterol	2 gm Saturated Fat
3 gm Protein	213 mg Sodium	1 gm Polyunsaturated Fat
13 gm Carbohydrate	6 gm Total Fat	3 gm Monounsaturated Fat

This Help Your Heart Recipe is from the American Heart Association Cookbook, Fifth Edition, American Heart Association. Published by Times Books, A Division of Random House, Inc. 1973, 1975, 1979, 1984, 1991.

Natasha's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) You will be excited about this week's business ideas and developments.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) It's not a great week for career interests but you will be pleased about this week's relationship developments.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) It's an excellent period for business talks and beginning new job endeavors.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You seem to work better on your own than in partnership this week.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) You feel better now concerning a matter from the past. Job developments are also positive this week.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Though some unexpected expenses may arise, new financial opportunities will open up for you this week.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A family matter may have you concerned, but overall, this is a wonderful week for promoting yourself and your ideas.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) You may receive a beneficial financial tip this week.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A financial concern needn't keep you from having a productive week.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You are ready now to put new career plans into motion.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Crossed signals are likely where business is concerned but your artistic sensibility is at a high now.

A Warning To Contractors

Here is another scam: Ads are placed in local newspapers offering an opportunity to bid on various construction jobs.

Each contractor then receives an official-looking letter requesting a fee to attend a pre-bid conference and luncheon.

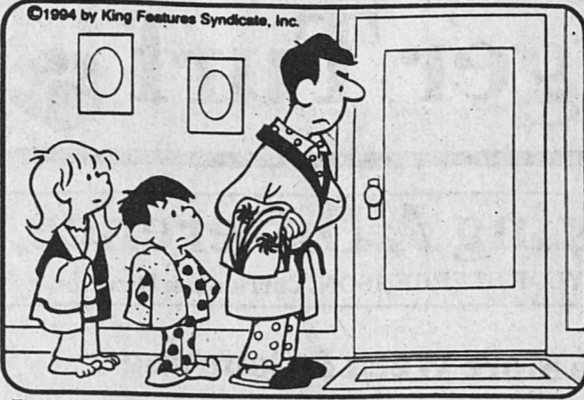
Contractors have shown up at designated restaurants only to find no company, no luncheon, no bid documents, and no way to get their money back.

Happy Birthday

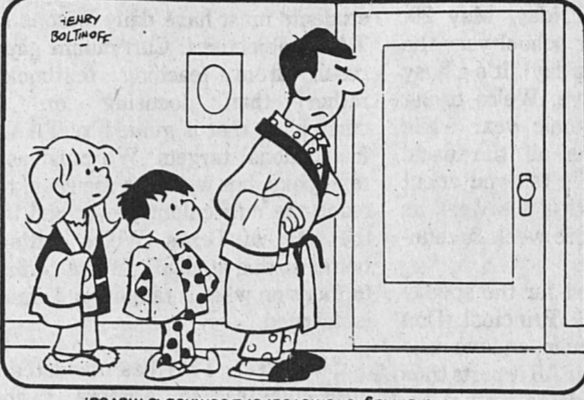
- May 12 Dorothy Haga
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May 13 Ferne Hickman
May 13 Emma Falcon
May 13 Ryan Garcia
May 14 Ann Rose
May 14 Valarie Garza
May 14 Connie Serrano
May 15 Corey Ash
May 16 Seth Kaplan
May 16 David Samaniego
May 16 Malcolm Young
May 17 Chita Lopez
May 17 Daniel Garza
May 17 Jerry O'Brien

And Many More!

Vision Teaser



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Picture is different. 2. Rug is missing. 3. Slippers are added. 4. Towel is different. 5. Flag is removed. 6. Bookcase is moved.

MagicMaze

DO IT AGAIN

MagicMaze grid with words hidden in directions: L M J G H E C Z X U S E Q N L, J G E C N R E P E A T Z X V D, B T R P N I L K J A H L E N C, O A Y W V Y M T C R L I U R P, O N L K I A G O E A C O U U B, M Z X W U L R D C S B C R T P, E O M L J P I E G E E E E E F, R D B A I E R R R R M R M R E, A Y X C W R U E C N U O B O T, N T E R O T S E R S O P H O C, G R N N O E G I P G N I M O H

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions-forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

- Bounce Homing pigeon Recoil Replay
Comeback Rebound Recur Restore
Fetch Recall Redo Return
Homecoming Reciprocate Repeat

Super Crossword

Super Crossword puzzle grid with clues for ACROSS, DOWN, and 13-15 letter words.

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The Brackett News welcomes news from the community - births, engagements, weddings, deaths, club/organizations, church, family, etc. To assist us in getting information printed in an accurate and timely manner, please observe the following guidelines.



First Baptist Church

Rev. Gil Ash, Pastor

"The Pastor's Pen"

As I sit in the office looking out the window toward the school grounds it is not too uncommon an occurrence to see a student looking over their shoulder nervously as they scurry across the street and reach the safety of obscurity behind the Laundromat. It is obvious they are skipping class. It seems as though the closer we get to summer vacation, the more students I see leaving early.

I am certain they all have "valid excuses" for leaving. Others who haven't the courage to leave the premises simply let their minds leave the "premises" and then use excuses for not turning in homework or taking tests. Those excuses can be wonderfully bizarre.

Douglas A. Bernstein, a psychology professor at the University of Illinois, recently conducted a search for the "most unusual, bizarre and amazing student excuses" for losing homework or missing tests. He received dozens of replies, all of which were true as reported in the *New York Times*.

The excuse of a grandparent dying is one of the most common. One professor's class set what has to be a world record in this category. Out of 250 students, 14 reported that their grandmothers had died just before final exams.

Another category involves cars. A student said, "I had an accident, the police impounded my car, and my paper is in the glove compartment."

How about the "dog ate my homework" excuse. Here's a variation involving a cat. The student said, "I can't be at the exam because my cat is having kittens and I'm her coach."

Here's an original excuse from a student whose paper was late, "I lost a pair of eyeballs and I couldn't do anything else till I found them." The student worked in an eye bank.

The world is full of people with excuses. Someday we will all stand before the Principal of Heaven and He will ask, "What have you done for me?" Do you have your report ready to turn in? No excuses will be allowed.

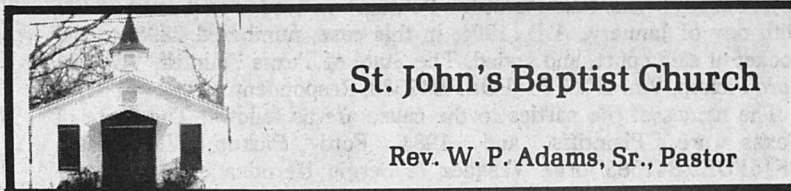
Youth of First Baptist Church Brackettville Invites Youth from the community to join them at 5:30 each Sunday afternoon at Fellowship Hall, First Baptist, for an inspirational - recreational time of fellowship.

Special Events Of The Future

- Sunday, May 22 Rev. C.B. Baker of San Antonio, a retired pastor, will minister in both services
- Sunday, May 29 Dr. Donnie Auvenshine of Howard Payne University School of Christianity will minister in both services
- Sunday, June 5 Afternoon Ordination Service for Bob Jones, Deacon-Elect
- Sunday, June 19 First Baptist Church of Mineral Wells Youth choir in Concert, Evening Service
- Monday, July 18 Vacation Bible School begins

Hispanic Worship Services Each Friday Night At 6 p.m.

Spanish Service By Rev. Israel Rodriguez
First Baptist Church, Ann & Veltman Streets
Everyone Welcome!



St. John's Baptist Church

Rev. W. P. Adams, Sr., Pastor

New Privilege In Prayer

And whatever ye shall ask in my (Jesus) name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.
If ye shall ask ANYTHING in my (Jesus) name, I will do it.
St. John 14:13-14

Three Nights of Special Prayer Services Left!

Praise God, the Lord is blessing us each night and day. Come pray with us!

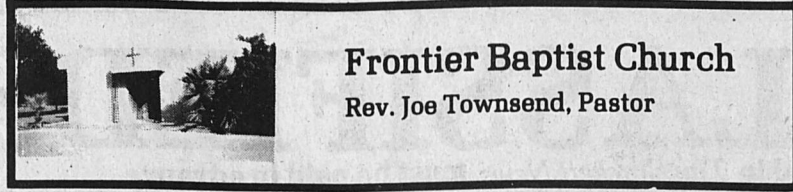
Praise God! Praise God! Praise God!

Every Thursday Night, 7:00 p.m.

Gospel Preaching

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Frontier Baptist Church

Rev. Joe Townsend, Pastor

Mother's Day was celebrated at Frontier Baptist Church Sunday. A corsage was presented to Mrs. Margaret Reyes as the youngest mother presented. A corsage was presented to Mrs. Joe Townsend as the oldest mother present. A corsage was presented to Mrs. Gordon Lundquist as the mother with the most children.

The pastor's message was a cataloging of some of the characteristics of true motherhood.

A mother is one whose children hold her care and concern. Nothing, including a career, are as important to her as her children. She will never be happy to have someone else care more for her children than she does.

She will never let anything interfere with her responsibilities to her children. She will be devoted to each characteristic of her children. She will make discipline to be a guiding factor in the growth of her children.

From the day of birth she will teach and demand respect for herself and others. She will not, under the pretense of love, allow nor con-

done actions and behavior that are harmful to her children or to others.

While love is the basis of all actions to her children it is not "love" to allow behavior detrimental to the children.

Love for her children will lead her to any sacrifice necessary for the welfare of the children. Service to her children should be the motivation to life itself.

As a mother gives life to her child God gives spiritual life to the person. As a mother dedicates her life to service for her children so Christ gives Himself in serving and blessing His children.

The basic characteristics of motherhood, caring, concern, service and love, are the basic characteristics of a Christian.

These are the characteristics that make life not only meaningful but most enjoyable.

Another message from the Word of God awaits all who attend Frontier Baptist Church Sunday morning at 11:00.

Come and see.

It's A Girl!

Rosemary Alicia Sharik Davis

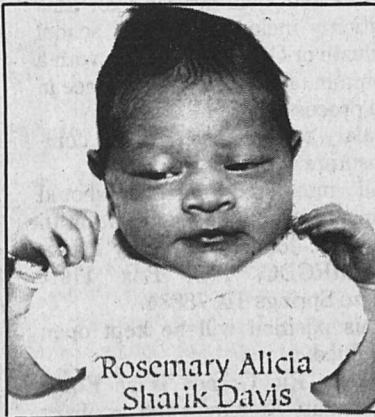


Sharik Davis was born April 14, 1994, at 8:09 p.m. in San Angelo Community Hospital and weighed 6 pounds and 11 ounces.

Her parents are Melvin Jr. and Rachel Davis.

Grandparents are Vicente and Alicia Flores of Menard, Texas, and the late Melvin Sr. and Rosemary Davis.

She is the great-niece of Beverly Wright, Martha and Delbert McDonald, and Clarence and Audrey Ward of Brackettville.



Rosemary Alicia Shaik Davis

Obituary



Mary Frances Swanson

"To live in the hearts we leave behind is not to die."

Mary Frances Swanson, who had proudly served our country as a WAVE officer during World War II, lost her battle with cancer on Wednesday, May 4, 1994, at Wilford Hall Medical Center in San Antonio, Texas.

A long time resident of Corpus Christi, Texas, she was born October 9, 1919, in Charleston, West Virginia. As a former science teacher at South Park Middle School, she brought joy and wonder to the many lives she touched.

Her love and warmth will be remembered vividly by her husband, Donald A. Swanson, with

whom she retired to Fort Clark Springs. They owned and had refurbished one of the officers quarters on Colony Row into a real showplace. They frequently opened their lovely home to not only personal guests but to Fort visitors.

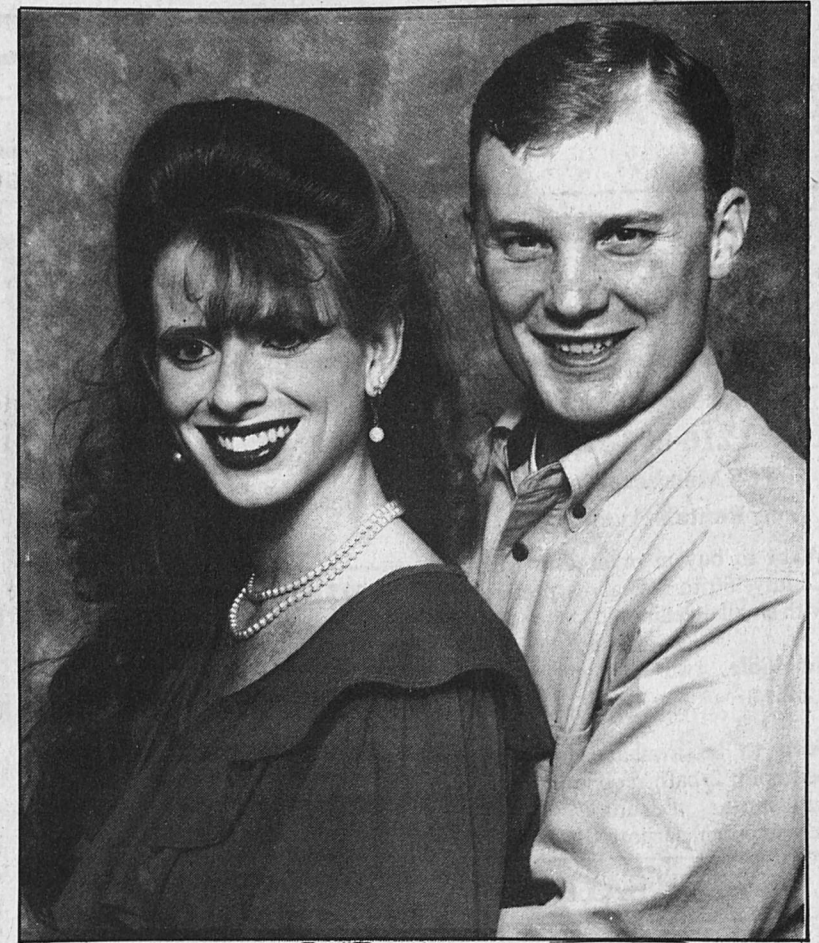
Fran devoted many hours to the Fort Clark Guard House Museum as well as to other Fort activities. She was instrumental in organizing a Writers Club among her friends and neighbors.

At age 18, she was initiated into the Order of the Eastern Star but later demitted. At the time of her death, she had been reinstated and was in the process of affiliating with the Del Rio Chapter.

Other survivors include her son, Don Q. Swanson of Corpus Christi, two daughters, Adell Becker and Gladys Swanson both of Lufkin, and five grandchildren, Don R., Michell, and Jackie Becker, William and Olivia Short.

Interment with military honors was held Friday, May 6, 1994, at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

If so desired, memorial gifts may be made to Cancer Research Institute, 681 5th Ave., New York NY 10022; Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, 1275 York Ave., New York NY 10021; M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, 1515 Holcombe, Houston TX 77030, or a local student scholarship fund.



Buttner - McNew Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Buttner III of Burleson, Texas, announce with pleasure the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jenny Lynn, to Mr. Timothy Sean McNew of College Station.

The wedding will take place on May 20, 1994, at John Knox Presbyterian Church, Fort Worth, Texas.

Miss Buttner is a May graduate of Texas A&M University with a Master's Degree in International Business. Mr. McNew is an August candidate for graduation from A&M with a Construction Trades Degree. He is presently employed by the City of Bryan.

Mr. McNew is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. McNew of Fort Clark Springs and the grandson of Mrs. Betty Inman.

Church Directory



St. Andrews Episcopal Church: Henderson & Fort, Sunday Church Service 10:30 A.M. Vicar: Rev. Bill Koons, 563-2071.

Frontier Baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church): Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 A.M., Sunday Evening Service 6:00 P.M., Joe Townsend, Pastor, 563-2158.

First Baptist Church (A Southern Baptist Church): 307 N. Ann Street, Sunday School 9:45 A.M., Sunday Worship 11:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M., Wednesday Worship 7:00 P.M. Gil Ash, Pastor, 563-2245.

Church of Christ: N. Ann St., Sunday School 9:30 A.M., Worship Service 10:30 A.M., Bible Study Sunday 6:30 P.M., Wednesday 7:00 P.M.

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church: Masses Monday and Friday 7:00 A.M., Wednesday and Saturday 6:30 P.M., Sunday (Spanish) 8:00 A.M., Regular 10:30 A.M. Confession Wednesday and Saturday 6:00 P.M. Religion Classes Wednesday 6:00 P.M. Sunday 9:00 A.M. Prayer Meeting (Spanish) Wednesday 7:00 P.M. Fr. David G. Zumaya, Pastor.

First United Methodist Church: "Celebrate and Witness" Morning Fellowship 9:30 A.M., Church School Classes 9:45 A.M., Service of Worship 11:00 A.M., Choir Rehearsal Wednesday 5:00 P.M., Gordon Miller, Pastor.

St. John's Baptist Church: Crockett Street at Keene Street. Sunday services, Sunday School 10:00 A.M., Worship 11:00 A.M.; Wednesday, Bible Study, 7:00 P.M. William P. Adams, Sr. Pastor, 563-9175.

Lutheran Congregation: Meets 1st and 3rd Saturday evenings, 6:00, Fort Clark Golf Club. 563-2047.

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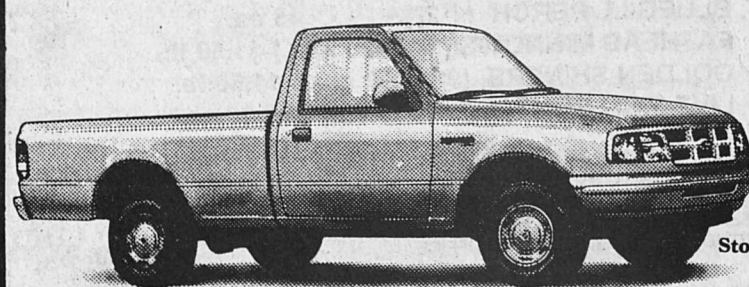
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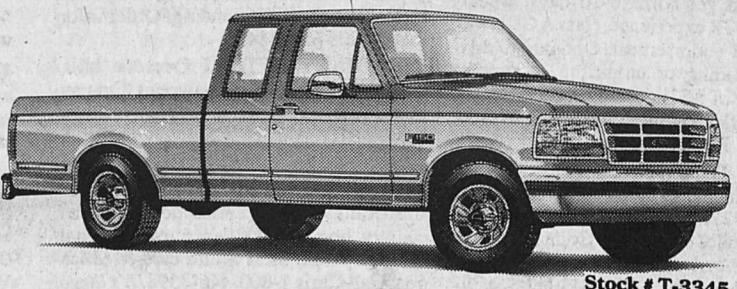
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