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COMMUNITY NEWS

Local Governmental Meetings

The Kinney County Groundwater Conservation District will hold a special meeting on Friday, March 7, 2008, at 2:00 p.m. at the City Annex Building. Kinney County Commissioner's Court will hold a regular meeting on Monday, March 17 at 9 a.m. in the county courtroom. The City of Brackettville council will hold a regular meeting on Tuesday, March 11 at 6 p.m. BISD Board of Trustees will conduct a regular meeting on Monday, March 10 at 6:30 p.m. in the board room.

Little League Baseball Organizational Meeting

The Kinney County Little League will hold an organizational meeting for the 2008 baseball season on March 6 at the EMS Building at 6:30 p.m. All individuals interested in serving on the Kinney County Little League Board of Directors are invited to attend. Please come join us on March 6, and help make this our best baseball season yet!

Join in worship

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church at Fort and Henderson Streets in Brackettville, is planning to praise God in stories with bluegrass and gospel singing by Nathan Lafrenz and Anna Renken. This is an ecumenical worship service on Sunday, March 9, at 9:00 a.m. We encourage you to bring a friend to worship with us as we praise and celebrate our Lord.

Tiger Band BBQ Plate Sale

The Tiger Band is having a BBQ plate sale Sunday, March 9, 2008 from 11:00 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tickets can be bought from any junior high or high school band student. Proceeds will go to the Band Booster and Band Students. For more information contact Mary Campos 563-7386 or Mr. Goodson 563-2491 Ext. 185.

Youth Bible Study

All youth are invited to a Bible Study entitled "Experiencing God" at First Baptist Church on Sundays at 6:00 p.m. For more information please contact 563-2245.

Aging Center Bingo

Bingo will be held on Tuesdays and Fridays from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Aging Center. For more information call 563-2015 or 563-9141.

Weekend WEATHER

Friday
 High: 64
 Low: 33
 Windy/Partly Cloudy

Saturday
 High: 70
 Low: 42

Sunday
 High: 77
 Low: 51
 Mostly Sunny

Burgess takes Sheriff in Democratic Primary

By Allison Taylor
Managing Editor

In a much anticipated race, Kinney County Sheriff L.K. Buddy Burgess wins his bid for re-election in the Democratic Primary with 587 votes, or 58 percent of total votes. His opponent Cordelia Mendeke took only 440 votes.

Robert Bob Adams ran unopposed for Kinney County Attorney to receive 714 votes.

Kinney County Tax-Assessor Collector Incumbent Martha Pena Padron receive a total of 764 votes.

Constable Bobby J. Tatum Guidry kept his position with 70 percent of the total votes, leaving Ray Gonzalez behind with 289 votes.

In the County Commissioner, Precinct 1 race, Woody Massingill and Tommy Seargeant will come face to face in the runoff election. Massingill received 126 votes, or 48 percent of the total. Seargeant received 98 votes, or 37 percent of the total and Joe Boy Williams received 38 votes.

Candidates for County Commissioner, Precinct 3, Honey Bee Gomez and Dennis Dodson will also be in the runoff election. Gomez received 83 votes or 37 percent and Dodson received 64 votes or 28 percent of the total. Joe Henry Jaso, Sr. received 35 votes and Arnold A.

Pinales received 44 votes.

In the Republican Primary, Doug Davis ran unopposed for County Commissioner, Precinct 3 and received 19 total votes.

Davis will run against the winner of the Democratic runoff for Commissioner, Precinct 3 in the November General Election. Davis was the only Kinney

County Republican Party candidate.

Early voting for the April 8 runoff election will be held March 31 until April 4.



Stewart Crowned Miss Kinney County '08.

Photo by Leigh Volcsko

Bianca Stewart, daughter of Maria Chacha Stewart, was selected as the 2008 Miss Kinney County during the Scholarship pageant hosted by the Chamber of Commerce on March 1.

Stewart named 2008 Miss Kinney County

By Allison Taylor
Managing Editor

Local high school senior Bianca Stewart was crowned 2008 Miss Kinney County during the Kinney County Scholarship Pageant on Saturday, March 1.

Alex Gonzalez was also crowned Mister Kinney County.

Both Queen and King received a \$500 scholarship from the Kinney County Chamber of Commerce, a \$500 scholarship from Sul Ross Rio Grande College and a \$1,000 scholarship from Sul Ross University Alpine.

Mya Garcia was chosen as Little Miss. Asia Williams also competed for the Little Miss title.

Tyler Schuster was crowned

Tiny Miss. Madison Luce also competed for the Tiny Miss title.

Stetson Schuster was chosen Tiny Mister. Chase Sheedy competed for Tiny Mister as well.

Jenna Musgrave was crowned Young Miss. Other contestants for Young Miss include, Shannon Gammill, Alyssa Villarreal, Amanda Herrera, McKenzie Castillo, Sierra Falcon, Korlee

Allen and Nadia Rodriguez.

Other Miss Kinney County contestants were Daphne Hunt, Mary Lou Pena, Summer Allen, Julie Castillo and Serenity Gammill.

Travis Bonner and Jamie Rodriguez also competed for the title of Mister Kinney County.

The pageant was sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Fort Clark Festival begins Friday

Submitted by Fort Clark Springs Festival Committee

It's time again for Fort Clark Springs' annual festival at Brackettville. Beginning Friday, March 7 at 3 p.m. until 7 p.m. Living Historians will be gathering along Las Moras Creek where it runs through the old fort. Established in 1846 and in private ownership since 1946, there are many original fort buildings still viable. These will be in use throughout the festival and a wagon tour of the Historic District is one of the highlights of the event. Because these buildings need constant care and maintenance, this festival is dedicated to the preservation of what is considered one of the largest collection of original fort buildings in existence.

From 7 p.m. until 10 p.m. Friday Bullet Beard, an entertainer from Del Rio, will be master of ceremonies for a jam session at the museum honoring his late father, Lt. Col. Ralph E. Beard, Jr. (Ret.). Col. Beard was almost solely responsible for the statue of a riderless horse which stands just inside the fort gates.

A memorial presentation is planned. There will be beer and food vendors.

Saturday the festival begins at 8:00 a.m. with registration for the 5K Run Walk and Children's Fun Run, a Motorcycle Rally and a bake sale. Experience more than 80 Living Historians camped along the creek, while the old Commissary and Seminole buildings will hold exhibits and sales of arts and crafts. There will be entertainment throughout the day, including bugle calls each hour, and a Melodrama at the Post Theater, 7:30 p.m. Saturday and 2:30 p.m. Sunday

Come see the military units, Lipan Indians, a portrayal of the Mexican Revolution, a Camel Brigade and portrayals of Early Settlers' soap making, and other homemaking skills, plus flint knapping, gold panning and quilting. Two old, restored wagons will be on display with free wagon tours of the Fort Clark Historic District every hour.

The Brackettville Rotary Club is sponsoring a Duckie Race and the Fort Clark Springs Community Council will raffle

a 50" Polaroid TV, Oil Painting, Quilt, Shotgun, Woodcarving or Silk Flower arrangement.

There is a \$3.00 parking fee

for non-FCSA members but NO admission fee. Please, NO coolers and no pets. Service and festival animals are welcome.



OKLAHOMA! to be at the Grand Opera House on March 7, 8 and 9.

Courtesy Photo

Set in a Western Indian territory just after the turn of the century, the high-spirited rivalry between the local farmers and cowboys provides the colorful background against which curly, a handsome cowboy, and Laurey, a winsome farm girl, play out their love story. Although the road to true love never runs smooth, with these two headstrong romantics holding the reins, love's journey is as bumpy as a surrey ride down a country road. That they will succeed in making a new life together we have no doubt, and that this new life will begin in a brand-new state provides the ultimate climax to the triumphant OKLAHOMA! Songs include Oh, What a Beautiful Mornin', The Surrey With the Fringe on Top, Mary a New Day, People Will Say We're in Love, Oklahoma, and many more.... DON'T MISS IT!

WHAT'S HAPPENING

FCA Adult Chapter calls Parent Meeting

The Brackett High School & Junior High Fellowship of Christian Athletes Adult Chapter has called an adult meeting for Wednesday, March 12th, at 8pm in the Varsity Girls Locker Room at the High School Gym. Adults are needed at the meeting to sign up for events scheduled this spring. Any parent of a student planning to attend FCA camp this summer MUST also attend a meeting with Rhonda and Charlie Marquardt, FCA Coach Sponsors. The camp meeting is expected to last 15 minutes and will begin as soon as the adult chapter meeting is over, also at the High School Gym, Wednesday, March 12th. Camp forms should be turned into Mr. or Mrs. Marquardt as soon as possible. If your student does not plan to attend camp, you are still needed at the Adult Chapter meeting, which begins at 8. For more information, please contact Rhonda Marquardt at 563.5181 or Carolyn Conoly at 563.5873.

Kinney County Fire Rescue

Kinney County Fire Rescue is looking for individuals 18 and older, that are interested in serving our community as volunteer fire fighters. Instruction and training will be provided. If you are interested in serving our community please call 563-9090 and speak with Bonnie.

Golf Cart/Trailer Drawing

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church will hold a drawing at the Fort Clark Festival on March 7 & 8. Thee 1995 Yamaha golf cart and trailer will be on display at McClelland and Baylor St. both days of the festival. The tickets for the drawing are \$5.00 for one or \$10.00 for three tickets. You do not need to be present to win and it will be held on April 6, 2008 at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church. All proceeds are allocated for the Memorial Fund at church.

Fort Clark Springs Annual Golf Tournament

The 19th Annual Las Moras Golf Tournament will be held this year on March 15th and 16th. The tournament fee will include lunch for both days. To participate in this tournament contact Wally Jones, tournament chairman, at (830) 563-2347, or write to Fort Clark Men's Golf Association, P. O. Box 1667, Brackettville, TX, 78832. For the computer literate, go to www.FortClark.com, click on the Golf button at the top of the page and then click on the blue box labeled Fort Clark Springs Golf Course. This site will offer an application from a PDF file.

Benefit for St. Judes Children's Hospital

The greeting cards you receive during the year are needed to help benefit the St. Judes Children's Hospital. Only the front of the card depicting any and all occasions. For details, call Vada at 563-9377.

Natures Medicine Seminar

A seminar for Holistic Treatment & Prevention of Heart Disease will be given by Dr. Steven Hines, ND on Monday, March 24, 2008 at 7:00pm in the Sabre Room in the Administration Building on Fort Clark at Brackettville. The cost of the seminar is FREE!

MISTAKES



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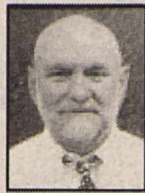
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Headaches intermittent or chronic



Dr. Kent Lowery,
D.C., FIAMA

Studies have shown that at any given time as much as 25% of the population is experiencing headaches. Headaches can be triggered by any number of things, including physical or emotional stress, toxic, fumes, allergies or bright lights. One

cause that is frequently overlooked may be misalignment of the spinal bones in the neck or upper back.

Chiropractors are experienced in finding and treating the cause of headaches, including migraines.

A series of treatments may be required to return the spinal bones to their proper positioning and relieve the immediate pain. Acupuncture has been proven to be very effective treatment for headaches. All chiropractic treatment as well as acupuncture are natural and drug-free, eliminating any

troublesome or debilitating side effects that sometimes occur when taking medication. Various methods of preventing future headaches will also be discussed with you, including lifestyle modification, diet changes to address possible allergic reactions causing the headaches, or relation techniques.

If you are having similar symptoms, please call Dr. Kent Lowery, D.C., FIAMA for an appointment at 563-6249 in Brackettville. Our clinic is located at #1 Mesquite Alley. We offer acupuncture and accept most major insurances.

Join the parade



The Fly Lady Marla Cilley

We all love a parade but did you know that each day in your life is a parade.

What is a parade anyway? I will define it by where you stand.

You can be in the parade which means you put one step in front of the other and follow an assigned route through your town.

Or you can be sitting or standing on the sidelines watching the parade pass you by.

You get to choose where you are in our little parade. To celebrate the month of March we are focusing on getting dressed to shoes and fixing your hair and face each morning in a marching band theme.

Marching bands love to perform in a parade.

I was in marching band in high school. We practiced many hours in the sun to learn our routines.

Oh wow I actually said it. We had routines. We had warm-ups and we took breaks too.

I will never forget my first summer in band. We went to band camp!

Now let me tell you that I barely knew how to play my French horn but when you put playing and marching at the same time.

I had two left feet. My band director taught me one important lesson that has stayed with me all these years.

It was to learn the steps first then you will not have to think about two things at once.

Your body will automatically do the steps and then your mind can focus on the music. Guess what it worked then and it works now.

This is why we practice one habit at a time, because as we establish one habit we can easily integrate the next lesson to that.

We are not being mean to ourselves by piling on.

This is what we have always done; make a big list of what we should do and expect ourselves to follow that list to the letter.

As you establish one habit at a time; you do not have to think.

One foot goes in front of the other and you know it, you are marching to the consistent beat of the peaceful rhythm of your day.

No longer are you rushing so fast that you can't breathe or don't know which way to go or the flip side stopped dead in your tracks!

Each step you have taken has prepared you for the next step and you are in the parade instead of sitting on the sideline wishing to get organized!

To begin our parade we have to get up and get dressed in our uniform. In order to do this, our uniform has to be clean and laid out for us to jump into!

Our shoes are part of that uniform. They give us support for the many steps we have to take during our daily parade route.

We have to keep our instrument tuned up by eating good food, drinking our water and taking breaks.

Have you ever stopped to think about how many steps you are making in your day! Put on your uniform, grab your timer and duster and let's march the FlyLady Way!

Put on some Marching music and let's have some fun! Do you have an old pedometer hiding in a drawer somewhere? Get it out and put it on!

Smart portfolio moves for your retirement years



Emily Cooper

For most of your working years, your investment strategies, by and large, will probably revolve around achieving sufficient growth to help you meet your long-term goals, such as college for your kids and a comfortable retirement.

But once you are retired, you can't just sit back and put your investment portfolio on "autopilot."

What types of portfolio

moves should you make as a retiree? Here are a few possibilities:

Generate Your Own Paycheck. When you're retired, you can collect Social Security and receive distributions from your 401(k) and IRA. But you'll also probably need to generate some income from your investment portfolio. Consequently, you'll need to own the appropriate mix of investments, including stocks that have the potential to pay dividends, bonds and Certificates of Deposit (CDs).

Protect against inflation. Even if you do need some of your investments to provide you with an income stream, you can't ignore the need for growth - because you'll have to contend with inflation. Con-

sider this: Everything you buy today will cost about twice as much in 25 years, assuming a 3 percent annual inflation rate. In other words, if you need \$75,000 a year to retire comfortably now, you'll need about \$150,000 per year in 25 years to maintain your standard of living. And with advances in medical treatments leading to longer life spans, it's entirely possible that you could spend 25 years - or more - in retirement.

To fight inflation, then, you will need at least some exposure to stocks, which offer the potential to provide returns greater than the inflation rate. While it's true that by investing in stocks, you can lose some, or all, of your principal, you may be able to reduce your risk level by buying quality stocks and holding them for the long term. You can also help protect yourself against inflation through other investments. Your financial advisor can help you choose the investments that are appropriate for your needs.

Leave a legacy. As you may know, the estate tax laws are in flux. In 2008, the estate tax exemption amount - the amount you can pass to your heirs, free of estate taxes - is \$2 million. This figure rises to \$3.5 million in 2009. Then, in 2010, the estate tax disappears - for one year only. And unless Congress changes the laws before then, in 2011 the exemption amount will revert to \$1 million, with a maximum estate tax rate of 55 percent.

How could you help your family cope with a potential estate tax burden? You could make some "tactical" moves, such as rolling over your 401(k) to an IRA, which, when passed on to your heirs, could be "stretched" for years to reduce the tax bite.

You could also reduce the size of your taxable estate by making gifts to family members and charitable organizations. Before making either of these moves, though, consult with your tax and legal advisors.

Clearly, there are many portfolio considerations for retirees. So, when you're nearing retirement, start planning ahead. By making the right moves, you can make your "golden years" considerably brighter.

****Edward Jones does not offer tax or legal advice. You should consult with a competent tax or legal adviser for your specific situation.*

VOTE

I would like to thank everyone for their support during the Primary election.

I would also like to ask for your Continued Support in the upcoming run off election.

Thank You,
Dennis Dodson

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Lady Marla Cilley

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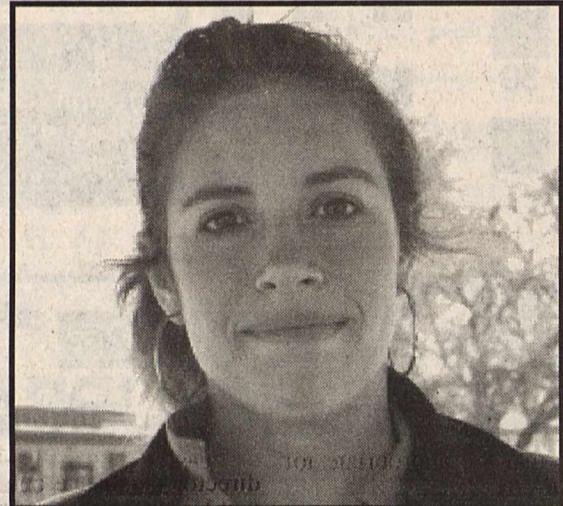
BHS SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Class of 2008



Israel De Hoyos

Name: Israel "Bob" De Hoyos
Parents: Jerry and Janie De Hoyos
Siblings: Jerrylee and Samantha
What Are Your Plans After Graduation?: I'm attending South Plains Junior College in Lleweland, TX.
What Teacher Influenced You The Most?: Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Hernandez & Mrs. Ballew
What do you think you will miss the most after you graduate?: Just hanging around with friends and family.



Hayley Harris

Name: Hayley Harris
Parents: Roy Jay and Jennifer Harris
Siblings: Walker and Jared
What Are Your Plans After Graduation?: Attend Mesalands Community College in Tucumari, New Mexico, then come back to Texas and finish my last two years.
What Teacher Influenced You The Most?: Mrs. Crumley, because she understood us.
What do you think you will miss the most after you graduate?: The small community life and all of my friends.



Capri Creech

Name: Capri Creech
Mother: Nyshe Luce
Father: Leonard Creech
Siblings: Madison, Tori and Jayce
What Are Your Plans After Graduation?: I plan on getting my basics at the Uvalde Junior College, then transfer to either Sam Houston State or Angelo State. I plan on being an Elementary Teacher.
What Teacher Influenced You The Most?: Mrs. Bruce has influenced me the most with her great spirit and strength and incredible patience.
What do you think you will miss the most after you graduate?: I will miss all my friends and the crazy seniors that are the jokers of the bunch!



Way to throw

Photo by Leigh Volkso

Natalie Aguirre launches the ball to teammates during Tigerette softball practice.

JV girls win 1st at LaPryor meet, varisty girls win 2nd

Submitted by Coach Dusty Brotherton

On Thursday, February 28 the Tigerette track team traveled to LaPryor to compete. The varsity girls won second place behind Pearsall.

The 400m relay team; Anolda Watkins, Daphne Hunt, Bianca Stewart and Cheyenne Smith, placed third with a time of 53.03.

The 800m relay team; Watkins, Hunt, Bailee Allen and Stewart, placed third with a time of 1:54.4.

The 1600m relay team; Stewart, Hunt, Katie Braesicke and B. Allen placed third with a time of 4:27.6.

Individually Kelsey Bruce placed first in the 3200m run with a time of 12:37.5, Sahara Rodriguez placed second with a time of 13:31.2 and Courtney Kirkland placed fourth with a time of 14:00.4.

Icela Rueda placed fourth in the 800m run with a time of 2:40.6. B. Allen placed third in the high hurdles with a time of 17.9.

Braesicke placed third in the 400m dash with a time of 64.7, Rachel Nash placed fifth with a time 68.1 and Rueda came in sixth with a time of 68.3.

Karley Harris placed second in the intermediate hurdles with a time of 52.1 and Bruce placed fifth with a time of 54.7.

Watkins placed fourth in the 200m dash with a time of 29.1.

Bruce placed first in the 1600m run with a time of 5:57.2, Rodriguez placed second with a time of 6:04.5 and Kirkland

placed third with a time of 6:15.7.

Smith placed fourth in the 100m dash with a time of 13.4.

B. Allen placed fifth in the shot put, event with a distance of 30'3.5.

Bianca Martinez placed second in the discus event with a distance of 104'6.5 and B. Allen placed fourth with a distance of 99'8. K. Harris placed fourth in the triple jump with a distance of 30'8.75. Stewart placed first in the high jump with a height of 4'10 and Hunt placed sixth with a height of 4'4.

The junior varsity girls placed first overall at the LaPryor meet.

The 1600m relay team, Cheyenne Billings, Susu Seargent, Erika Villanueva and Jessica Earwood, placed second with a time of 4:53.5.

Individually Brianna Escamilla placed first in the 3200m run with a time of 14:05, Hayley Hale placed second with a time of 14:22 and Olivia Woodes placed sixth with a time of 16:52.

Bianca Cruz placed first in the 800m run with a time of 2:47.3, Billings placed second with a time of 2:47.6 and Seargent placed fourth with a time of 2:53.9.

Billings placed second in the 400m dash with a time of 69.2 and Villanueva placed fifth with a time of 74.1.

Sarah Davis placed fifth in the 200m dash with a time of 31.2.

Hale placed first in the 1600m run with a time of 6:18, Escamilla placed second with a time of 6:21 and Cruz placed third with

a time of 6:26.

Paige Nowlin placed first in the shot put with a distance of 27'7.5. Davis placed second in the triple jump with a distance of 27'3 and Seargent placed fourth with a distance of 26'1. Davis placed fourth in the long jump with a distance of 12'11. Billings placed first in the high jump with a height of 4'6.

Tiger track places 5th at LaPryor Meet

Submitted by Coach B. Schroeder

The boys track team competed in Uvalde on Saturday, February 23 for the 43rd annual relays.

Ayland Letsinger placed first in the high jump with a height of 5'8" and Jamie Sandoval placed fifth with a height of 5'.

Fermin Villanueva placed sixth in the shot put competition with a distance thrown of 35'4.5.

On Thursday, February 28 the boys track team competed at the LaPryor Meet and placed fifth.

Moises Gonzales placed first in the long jump with a distance of 19' and placed second in the intermediate hurdles.

Jacob Schroeder placed first in the triple jump with a distance of 36'9" and second in the 200m

2008 Spring Sports Schedule

Brackett High School 2008

Track Schedule:
 March 8 at Del Rio.
 March 13 at Brackettville.
 March 20 at LaPryor.
 March 26 at Rocksprings.
 April 2 at LaPryor for District meet.

April 8 at Harper for Area meet.

April 25-26 at Huntsville for Regional meet.

May 9-10 at Austin for State meet.

Brackett Junior High 2008

Track Schedule:
 March 7 at LaPryor.
 March 27 at Rocksprings.
 April 1 at LaPryor for District meet.

Tennis 2008 Schedule

March 6-7, hosted by Sabinal at Uvalde.

March 13-14, hosted by Brackett at Brackett.

March 29, hosted by Knippa at Uvalde.

April 1-3, District meet at Sabinal.

April 23-24, Regional meet at College Station.

May 7-8, State Meet at Austin.

2008 Brackett Tiger Baseball

March 6-8 Natalia Tourney, TBA.

March 11 Sabinal (Dist.) at 4pm (A)

March 14 Rocksprings (Dist.) at 7pm (H)

March 18 Utopia (Dist) at 4pm (A)

March 20 D'Hanis at 4:30pm (A)

March 25 Eagle Pass JV at 6:30pm (H)

March 28 LaPryor (Dist) at 7pm (H)

April 4 Sabinal (Dist) at 7pm (H)

April 7 Rocksprings (Dist) at 4pm (A)

April 11 Utopia (Dist) at 7pm (H)

April 15 Pearsall (Dist) at 6:30pm (A)

April 18 LaPryor (Dist) at 7pm (A)

April 29 District Certification Deadline

April 30 State Playoffs begin.

Letsinger placed second in the high jump and third in the 400m dash.

Villanueva placed first in the shot put with a distance of 36'2.5".

Chris Blake placed fifth in the 800m run.

Jay Proux, Gonzales, Villanueva and Travis Titchnell placed second in the 800m relay.

The next meet will be on March 8, in Del Rio.

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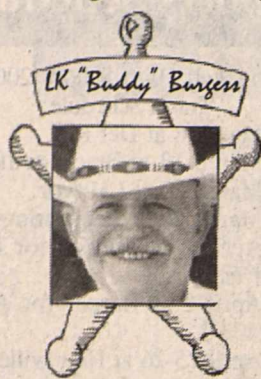
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Kinney County Sheriff's Report



Wednesday, February 20
Catalina Saucedo, 32, of Brackettville, was arrested on warrant out of Val Verde County for theft of more than \$1,500 less than \$20,000. Saucedo was released the same day on a \$7,500 bond.

12:08 am A local woman reported her neighbors playing loud music. A deputy was notified.

Friday, February 22
12:30 am A man reported a grass fire on Standard lane off of 693. The man advised them he saw what appeared to be electrical lines down. A deputy was notified of the situation. The Brackett VFD were paged. Several attempts were made to contact the owner of the ranch, with no response. Rio Grande Electric was notified due to the lines down. The Brackett VFD was at the scene at 1:00 am and were done at 3:23 am. Contact was made with RGEC to keep units notified when the electric lines were dead, as they were still hot.

8:50 pm A local woman reported a gas leak by her house. The on call city employee was notified of the situation. An individual had advised a deputy a car had hit the gas meter.

Saturday, February 23
1:18 pm A man reported a burglary had occurred at a known woman's residence and requested a deputy. A deputy was dispatched.

Sunday, February 24
4:18 am A local man reported a domestic disturbance. A deputy was informed and en route to the location.
5:28 am A local man requested a deputy in regards to a young man calling his residence and he was concerned. A deputy was informed of the situation.

Monday, February 25
Louis Perez, 28, of Fort Worth, TX was arrested by warrant out of Kinney County for possession of marijuana. Perez was released Friday, February 29 on a \$25,000 bond.

7:45 am A car was reported being hit. A deputy was informed and en route.

10:57 am A 911 caller reported a man sleeping in the back seat of a car that was parked on the side of the road on Hwy 90 west of Brackettville. A deputy was informed and en route. The individual was waiting for someone to bring him a fire.

4:10 pm The Brackett VFD reported smoke south of town and requested a deputy to check it out. A unit was dispatched.

5:15 pm Edwards County Sheriff's Office requested aid from Brackett VFD at the Real ad Edwards County line. A Brackett VFD volunteer advised them he would send one pumper and four men. A unit was en route.

6:07 pm A large brush fire was reported on Las Moras Rd. behind Ft. Clark Springs. Two units and the Brackett VFD were dispatched. After arrival a unit report a small abandoned structure had burned.

9:00 pm A caller reported a male wearing a blanket, walking through her front yard headed toward Lee St. A unit was dispatched.

Tuesday, February 26
Bobby Allen Sloan, 36, of Camp Wood was arrested by warrant for theft by check. Sloan was released the same

day on a \$7,500 bond.

6:30 am Fort Clark Security reported a possible break in at the club house at Fort Clark.

10:18 A local woman reported a burglary at her residence. A deputy was dispatched.

10:57 pm A deputy was requested in regards to a fight in progress. A deputy was informed.

11:02 pm Edward Santos Buitron, 24, of Brackettville, was arrested for assault causing bodily injury/family violence and disorderly conduct by displaying a firearm. Buitron was released on two bonds totaling \$2,700 on Thursday, February 28.

11:02 pm Angel Maldonado, 17, of Brackettville, was arrested for resisting arrest, search or transport, terroristic threat and disorderly conduct. Maldonado was released on Friday, February 29 on three bonds totaling \$3,200.

Wednesday, February 27
3:35 am A report of loud music on W. Fulton was made. A deputy was advised.

5:10 pm Luis Manuel Andrade, 26, of Dallas, was arrested for driving while license invalid. Andrade was still being held at press time.

Friday, February 29
Manuel Reyes, 26, of Brackettville, was arrested for driving while intoxicated. Reyes was still being held at press time.

8:00 pm Mario Reyes, 29, of Brackettville, was arrested for public intoxication. Reyes was still being held at press time.

9:29 pm A report of a black dodge pickup full of "kids" was passing people on Ann St. A deputy was dispatched.

5:40 Local residents reported two individuals driving fast and possible intoxicated. One of the residents advised us of his young relative playing outside and almost hit by the reckless driver. The two individuals were also driving by and threatening the residents. A deputy was dispatched.

7:11 pm A local man reported a truck driving fast that was full of girls. A deputy was dispatched.

7:30 A man reported a blue van driving recklessly and pulled into a certain location to hide from him. A deputy was dispatched. The man who reported the incident explained the deputy missed the turn and would like to come in to the office and draw a map for the deputy, however the individual was advised the deputy was currently with the subject, the man then left.

Saturday, March 1
Leonardo Nicloas Aguilar, 29, of Eagle Pass, was arrested for bringing prohibited substance into a corrections facility. Aguilar was released the same day on a \$2,500 bond.

3:40 am A small grass fire was reported on W. Fulton and Beaumont.

8:55 am An employee from the detention center reported a visitor had brought contraband into the facility. A deputy was dispatched.

4:00 am A local man reported his car had been hit. A deputy was dispatched.

Sunday, March 2
Colby Lenn Bajos, 25, of Monaham, TX was arrested for public intoxication. Bajos paid a fine of \$300 and was released the same day.

12:41 am An employee from a local establishment reported a fight in progress. Two deputies were dispatched.

11:30 am A local man reported loud music coming from Jerusalem Temple.

10:08 pm A local woman reported her ex-husband harassing her over the phone. A deputy was notified.



People FACT:

MANY PEOPLE ENJOY THIS CRAFT OF PUTTING TOGETHER BOOKS OF PICTURES AND OTHER MEMENTOS

ANSWER: SCRAPBOOKING

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Just in time for National Craft Month, see how many related words you can find and circle throughout the puzzle below.

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Math Puzzle

Use the numbers 1 through 9 to complete the equations. Each number is only used once. Each row is a math equation. Each column is a math equation.

Multiplication and division are performed before addition and subtraction.

-	+	2	
X	-	X	-45
-	-	-	30
5	-2	22	

Puzzle Solution
7 - 8 + 3 = 2
X - - X -
1 - 6 X 9 = -45
- - -
2 + 4 X 5 = 30
5 - 2 = 22

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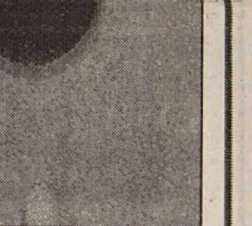
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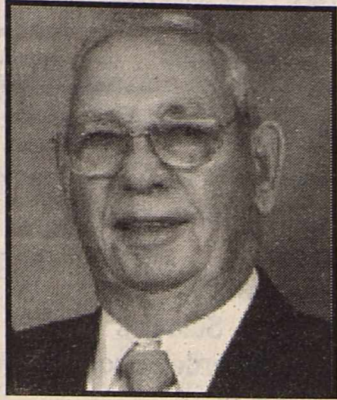
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Howard Birkley Wakefield
 August 9, 1920 - February 27, 2008



CMSgt. Ret. USAF Howard Birkley Wakefield, age 87, entered into rest February 27, 2008 in Del Rio, Texas. He was born on August 9, 1920 in Superior, Wisconsin. He retired from the US Air Force after 22 years of service. He was preceded in death by his parents Benjamin and Marie Wakefield.

He is survived by his loving wife of 18 years, Nadine C. Wakefield. Sons Howard B. Wakefield Jr., Jerry L. Wakefield, Pat Chenault and Jack Chenault. Daughters Evelyn Michalski and Ailene Reid. Brother Jack Wakefield of Broken Arrow, OK, and sister Myrtle Dodd of Tulsa, OK.

Gentlemen left with the honor of Pallbearers: J. D. Martin, Tim Ward, Bill Ford, Star Smith, Bud Bolenger and Russell Williams.

Visitation was held Friday, February 29, 2008 from 5:00PM to 9:00PM, Brackettville Sunset Chapel, 302 Spring St. Funeral Service was held Saturday, March 1, 2008 at First Baptist Church in Brackettville, Texas, 301 N. Ann St. at 11:00AM.

Military Honors were conducted by Laughlin Air Force Base.

Interment followed at Masonic Cemetery in Brackettville, Texas.

State's Agricultural agencies change names, renew mission

COLLEGE STATION - Two state agricultural agencies that have served Texans for a combined 224 years are beginning 2008 with new names and renewed missions.

Texas AgriLife Research is the new name for the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, which annually conducts more than \$150 million in agriculture and life sciences research in such areas as improving food and fiber production, enhancing human and animal health, and conserving water, soils, wildlife and other natural resources.

The Texas AgriLife Extension Service is the new name of Texas Cooperative Extension, which provides Texans in all 254 counties with non-biased, research-based education programs and services in agriculture and natural resources, 4-H and youth development, family and consumer sciences, and community economic development.

"We are making these changes to better communicate the life-sustaining and life-changing impacts that both AgriLife Research and AgriLife Extension deliver to the people of Texas and beyond," said Dr. Mark Hussey, director of AgriLife Research.

Both agencies remain members of The Texas A&M University System, with the same commitment to their partners, clients and mission.

"But we also want to tell our story to a larger audience and a changing state population, attract new resources and build new partnerships, while strengthening our existing ones," Hussey said.

"In this way, we hope to better serve the people of this great state."

The name changes are part of a re-branding initiative launching this year after two years of study and planning. These efforts were led by former vice chancellor Dr. Elsa Murano, who was named president of Texas A&M University on Jan. 3.

"The re-branding efforts are centered on one foundational message: 'Agriculture is Life!'" Hussey said. "The central idea is that life itself is the core value that our agencies seek to sustain and enhance."

"People usually don't realize how much we all depend on agriculture and the life sciences. Discoveries and innovations in these fields directly impact the quality of the food we eat, the clothes we wear, the air we breathe, the water we drink, the homes we live in, and, more and more, even the fuels we pump into our vehicles."

"This is more than a name change, or even a new logo design," said Dr. Ed Smith, director of AgriLife Extension. "These

new brands will impact not only our marketing materials and signage, but also the way we position and prioritize our programs and work with our federal, state and county partners to serve the state of Texas. It is vitally important to tell our story and that people connect our agencies to the tremendous impacts they have on the state."

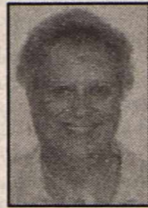
One of the drivers of the re-branding initiative was a market study that showed that the work of the research and extension agencies was not widely known across the state of Texas.

"We hope to help people better understand the vital role that agriculture and life sciences still play in improving the prosperity of their lives," said Smith. "We believe that if they come to know us better, they will see that connection more clearly, even within a state population that is now 85 percent urbanized."

AgriLife Research, established in 1887, employs a team of 425 scientists on the campus of Texas A&M University and at 13 centers across the state. Research has made many innovative advances over the years, including development of the Texas 1015 onion and the TAM Mild Jalapeno pepper, which revolutionized the U.S. salsa industry.

Current major research includes the efficient use and conservation of water resources, the development of fruits and vegetables with higher levels of disease-fighting compounds, and the adaptation of crops and other agricultural products for making biofuels. AgriLife Extension, established in 1915, provides Texans with continuing education programs and services. More than 900 professional educators team with some 90,000 volunteers to serve families, youth, communities and businesses throughout the state. Some 600,000 children annually participate in Extension's 4-H and youth development programs.

Kinney County women unite in fight against breast cancer



Pat Sitzes

On February 12th, thirty-eight Kinney County women had mammograms when the mobile unit from Christus Santa Rosas was parked at the Frontier Baptist Church parking lot.

CHEER was able to sign up ten women who got their first mammogram ever, and uninsured women were able to get funded mammograms.

The mobile unit personnel were impressed with the women's show of gratitude for them to come to Brackettville to perform

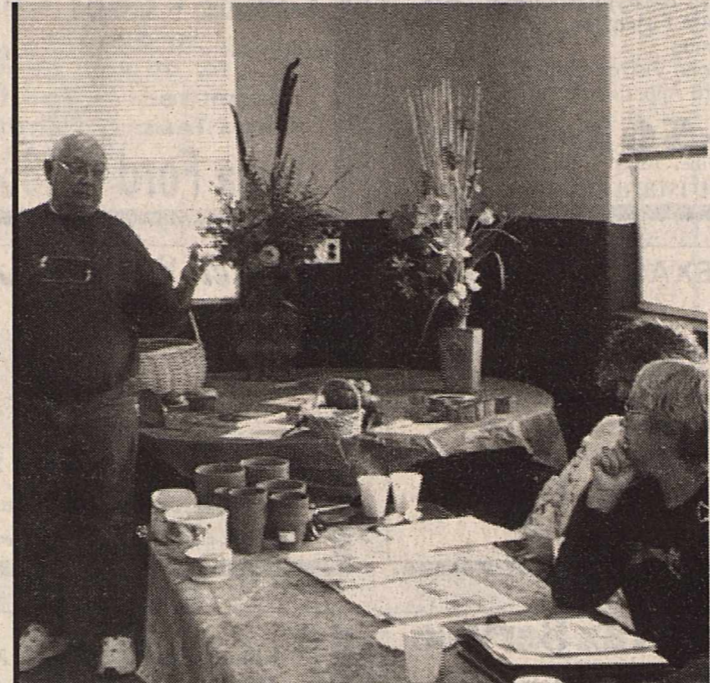
this service.

Thank you Kinney County women for being so thankful to have this service here in our community.

Because of the need that we have here in our community to get mammograms, the Christus Mobile Mammography Unit will be here November 13th, 2008.

Spread the word Kinney County women, to your friends, neighbors, and loved ones to be sure to sign up for this service and help us to fight this dreaded disease with early detection.

A special thank you to Yolanda Rueda's home economic students for cooking a wonderful lunch with the food provided by CHEER for the mobile unit staff, and a special thank you to the following volunteers, Myrna Cassel, Effie Bromley, and Rose Reagan.



Valentine's Day Meeting of Garden Club

Courtesy Photo

The Mountain Laurel Garden Club held its regular meeting on Valentine's Day. The refreshment table reflected the special day, and Judie Winchell presented a program on gathering and using wild mushrooms. A progress report on installation of an irrigation system around the walking track was given by FCSA Board Member John Carlson. Kitty Vaughn will present a program on Organic Gardening this month.

Texas author to be at FCS Festival

Submitted by Gary McMillian

Odessa author, Gary McMillian, will have a booth in Seminole Hall march 7 & 8 during the Fort Clark Springs Festival.

His books take place along the Texas/Mexico Border of Mexico shortly after the Civil War.

His main character, Tye Watkins, is chief of scouts at Fort Clark.

His stories depict just how dangerous it was, not only to the men and women settling in the area around Fort Clark, but also for the army at the period in history.

The first two books in the series, 'Border Trouble' and 'The Crossing,' did very well at the Arts and Craft show at the Fort in November.

These will be available again, plus his third, 'Yancy' that will be in print in time for the Festival.

He invites all of you that visited with him in November to come and take a look at his new book.

Anyone interested in having a book published but have trouble finding a publisher? If so, Gary will be more than please to help you achieve your goal of being a 'published' author.

Engagement Announcement



Tami Marcum and Ross Anders Engagement

Tami Marcum received her Business Degree in Marketing from Colorado University and is currently working in Marketing for Catapult Systems, a Microsoft Partner, in Austin, TX. Her mother is Diane (Conoly) Brenan and step dad, John Brenan, of Denver, CO and Brackettville, TX where they currently have a ranch in where they spend part of the year here. Her father is H. Spencer Marcum and step mom, Mary Frances Marcum of Denver, CO. She is the niece of Bud (deceased) and Gita Conoly of Brackett, who reside on the ranch that has been part of the family for over 100 years, and the granddaughter of J.M. and Elaine Conoly (both deceased) of Brackettville, TX and Corpus Christi, TX.

Ross Anders received his Construction Engineering & Management Degree from Purdue University and is currently working at HS&A, a construction project management company, in Austin, TX. He is the son of Beau & Chris Anders of Los Gatos, CA.

Tami Marcum and Ross Anders are planning a small wedding in June in Austin, TX.

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155 Warrior - large 2/2 brick home, FP, tiled hot tun room, fenced, Great Buy!
181 Bowlegs - nice 3/2 home, customer upgrades, sunroom addition, REDUCED!
744 Fairway Cir. -spacious 1999 Palm Harbor double wide, FP, decks, fenced, garage.
Unit 1. - 3/2, 1,948 +/- sq. ft., overlooks Las Moras Creek, peaceful & quiet setting.
705 N. Ellen A MUST SEE! 3/2 brick home, many upgrades, fenced. REDUCED!
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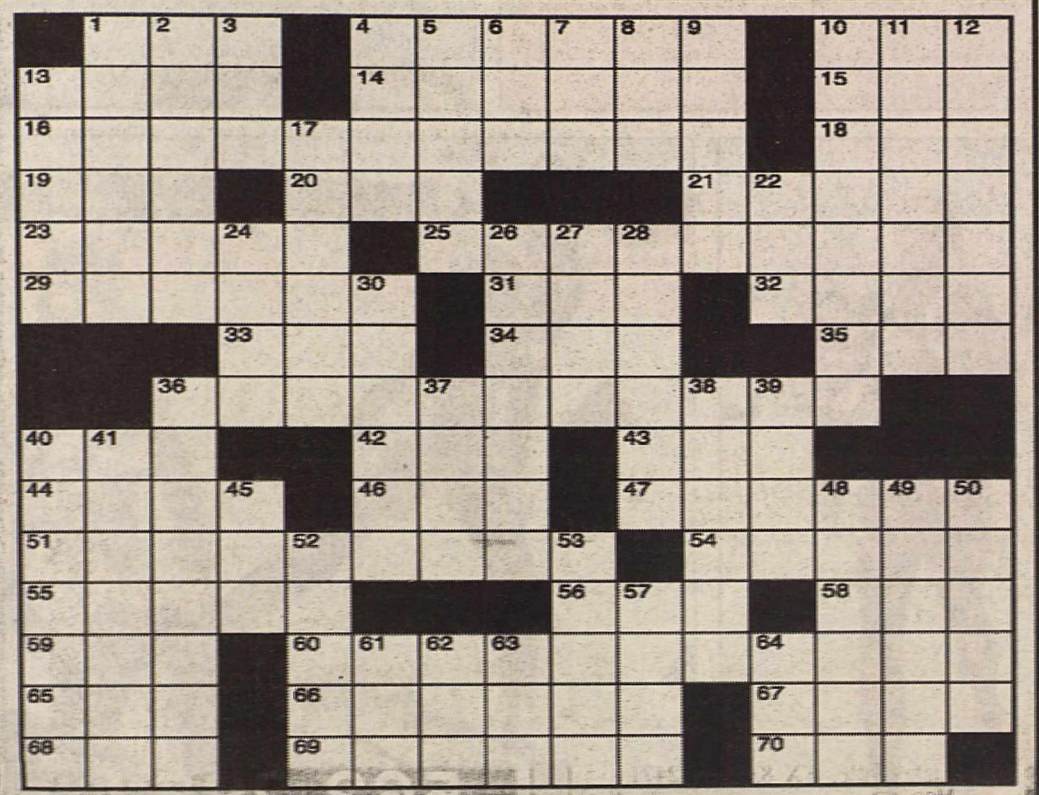



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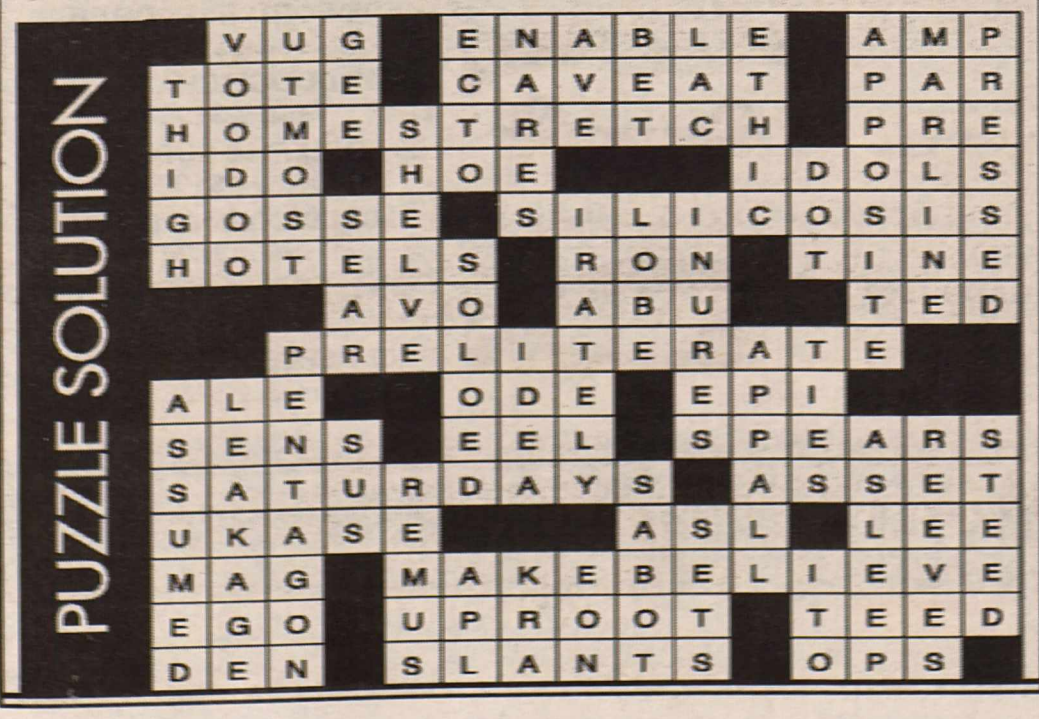


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- Cause to change
- Current unit
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- Caution
- Golf score
- Final part
- Existing or coming before
- Wedding response
- A way to till
- Paragons
- Tenorala: aka _____ Bluff
- Lung disease caused by silica
- Lodging establishments
- Opic actor Howard
- Prong
- Macao monetary unit
- _____ Dhabi, Arabian capital
- CNN's founder
- Of a society that has not developed writing
- Brew
- A lyric poem with complex stanza forms
- Indicates near
- Food shops: delicates _____
- Snakelike fish
- Harpoons
- Weekend days
- Valuable or useful possession
- An edict of the Russian tsar
- Deaf alphabet used in the US
- The side of something that is sheltered from the wind
- Slang for a periodic publication
- Pretend
- Consciousness of your own identity
- Displace
- Golf ball ready to strike
- Lair
- Angles or pitches
- Wife of Saturn

CLUES DOWN

- Caribbean religious cult
- Level best
- Command right
- Prefix for outside
- Nostrils
- Latin for hail
- Stake
- Milk sugar: _____tose
- Moral principle
- Strikingly appropriate
- A small tarred line of 2 strands
- Ironed
- Part between hip and knee
- Hold back to a later time
- Intersperse
- Scorch or sizzle
- In an angry way
- Rounded subdivision of an organ
- Becomes hardened to
- Flew alone
- US military headquarters
- The content of cognition
- Shock
- Standoffs
- Regarded something as probable
- Escaped outflow
- Type genus of the Suidae
- Slumbrous
- Actor Keanu
- Warhorse
- Brother of Romulus
- Wooden shoe
- Units of play in tennis
- Early programming language (1957)
- Malaysian Isthmus
- The longest division of geological time
- Hilo International Airport



YOUR HOROSCOPE

ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20

Aries, a mountain of responsibility leaves you feeling a bit under pressure. Unfortunately, you cannot shy away from what needs to be done.

TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21

Taurus, a remarkable event will take place in the next few days, and you'll be on hand to experience it. Magical moments between you and a loved one are expected.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21

Think before you speak when a friend asks for advice, Gemini. Will the truth really be the best thing to say? Financial gains can be expected this week.

CANCER - Jun 22/Jul 22

Cancer, a stroke of inspiration leads you on a creative wild goose chase. Things will calm down toward the end of the week when other pressing matters present themselves.

LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23

A look of affection toward someone at work puts you in a position, Leo. This person wants to step it up to the next level. If you're unattached, go for it.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

Your thoughts keep turning to family, Virgo. It could mean that you're ready to expand your own. Money arrives just in time for the bills and postman.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

Libra, you'll get swept up in new gadgets and gizmos but they won't be able to provide the satisfaction of doing things "the old way." A chance encounter leaves you guessing.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

A momentary lapse in judgement has long-term effects, Scorpio. You'll have to use some creative spin tactics to get yourself out of this mess.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

The stars indicate some major changes in your life in the coming weeks, Sagittarius. Now isn't the time to make big decisions or take any trips while you wait to see what occurs.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

When friends want to lure you away from your responsibilities, it's okay to go ahead with their plan, Capricorn. You are all caught up and ready for fun.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

A satisfying bit of news arrives just when you need a pick-me-up, Aquarius. Your romantic partner is involved in this message and the events that will ensue.

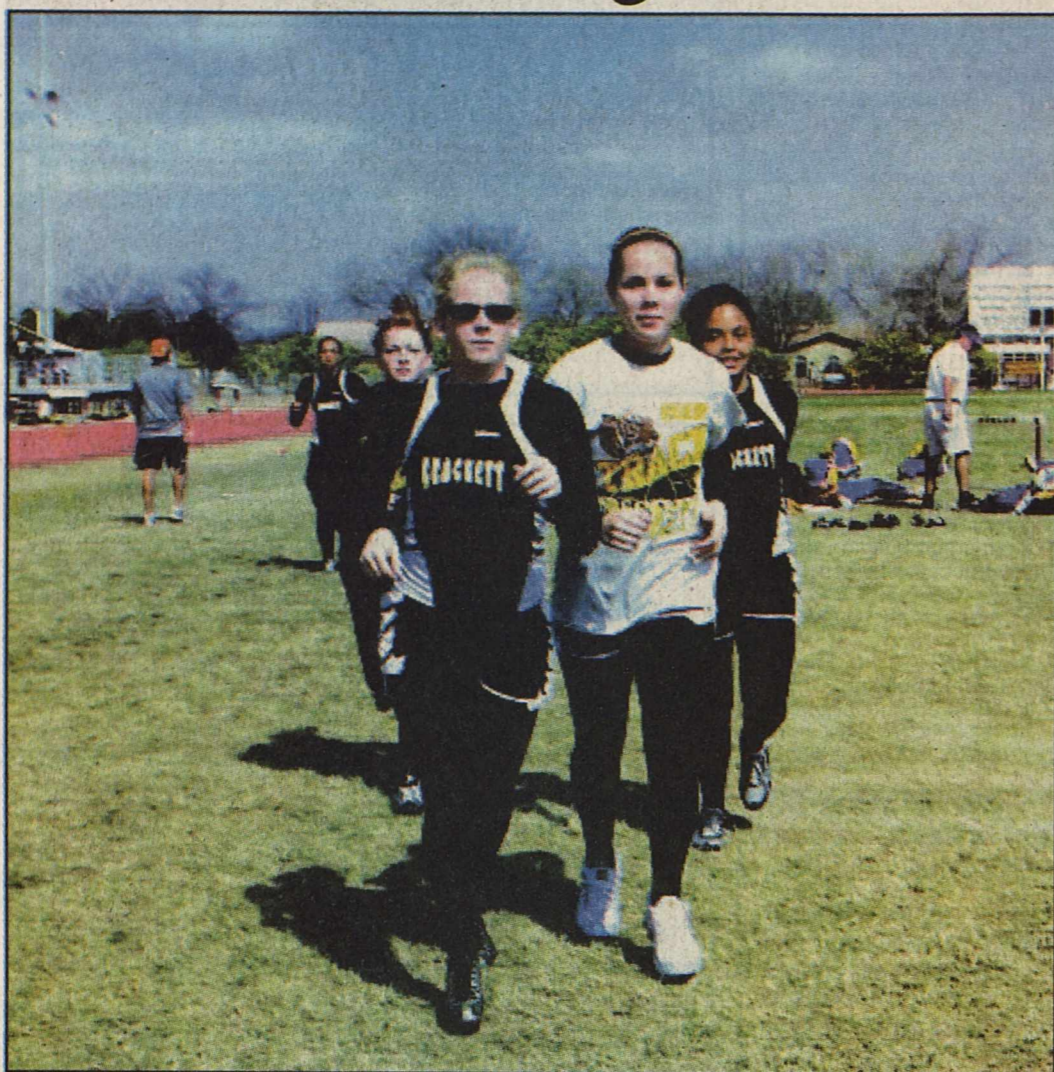
PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

Drama, drama, drama is the name of the game this week, Pisces. If you can keep yourself out of the emotional mix, good for you.

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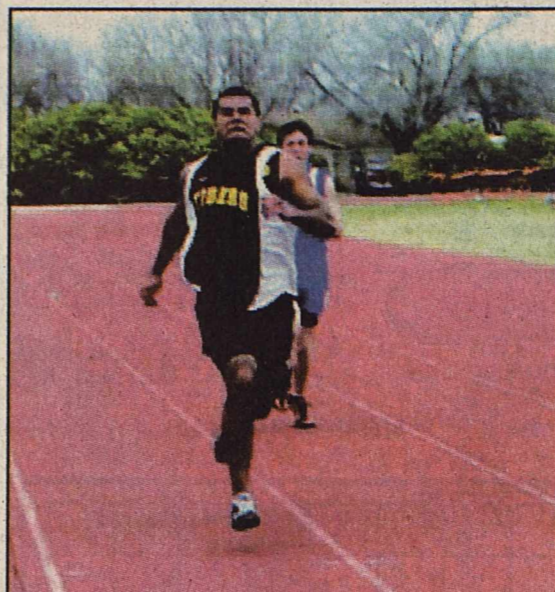
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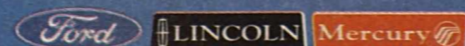
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