

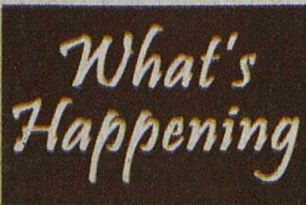
The Brackett News

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School bond issue addressed

By Leigh Volcsko
mybrackettnews.com

BISD Superintendent Robert Westbrook addressed what he called, "an enormous" response from those who read the proposed building plan recently posted on the district's website at a Regular meeting on June 14.

The plan, submitted by Fromberg Associates, LTD, identifies the district's long term facility needs and provides a calendar by which the district could follow if they wanted to pay for

the improvements with a bond. Westbrook said before the district would consider calling for a public vote to increase the tax rate and enter into bond indebtedness, the district would host multiple public meetings in order to gather input and hear the concerns of the public.

School Board President Sondra Meil followed up Westbrook's statement with assurances that the school board would not rush and wants to take time to educate themselves and

the public before making such a decision.

Summer projects, according to Westbrook, beyond regular cleaning and maintenance, include some upgrades to the dressing and bath rooms in the gym and moving of the PLATO Lab and ISS rooms out of the Annex Building.

Principal Alma Gutierrez reported four teachers would not be returning to Jones Elementary in the fall. Christy Palmer has resigned; Kay Sitgreaves is moving out of the area; Marilyn

Faulkner is retiring; and Lisa Conoly will be moving up to teach in the high school.

Gutierrez recommended the hiring of Allison Cox, Esmerelda Flores, Kim Keyser and Diane Olivares to fill positions as needed in the elementary school and the trustees supported the hiring of each with a unanimous vote.

Mark Belford was also hired by unanimous vote to be a Secondary RTI and Head Girls Basketball Coach.

The board accepted the resignation of Technology Manager Noe Maldonado.

Preliminary TAKS Test scores are back and both the high school and elementary schools are expecting to receive high marks. The Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills is the statewide test taken by students to determine the student's educational abilities and the school's quality, both are linked to funding. Official scores are expected in late July.

TEMPORARY OFFICE

TBN is now accepting news, announcements, advertisements at our temporary office located at 103 Gove Street in Brackett, Mon - Thur, 10a until 5p, until further notice.

EMS WEEKLY REPORT

The week of June 6 - June 12. Kinney County EMS responded to a total of 13 medical calls. Five of the calls were transported to area hospitals, including two air transports to San Antonio hospitals.

VIETNAM VETS

In conjunction with the annual July 4th Celebration, TBN will again be printing pictures of those who have served in the military. This year Vietnam Veterans will be highlighted. Please forward pictures to tbnews@sbcglobal.net or drop them off at 103 Gove Street Mon-Thu, 10-4. Deadline will be June 30.

NUTRITION CLASS

United Medical Center in Brackettville will be hosting a FREE nutrition class on Friday, June 18 from 9am until 11am.

BISD NEWS

The nonprofit organization "Children at Risk" has ranked schools in Texas in terms of performance using factors that indicate the degree to which a campus has prepared students for secondary and post-secondary success. Brackett High School was ranked 122 out of the 1018 high schools in the study and received a "Tier 1" rating. Schools are in either Tier 1, 2, 3, or 4. A May 26, 2010 article in the Texas Tribune explains "Children at Risk's" school rankings. <http://www.texastribune.org/stories/2010/apr/26/school-rankings/>

GET FIT CAMP

Get Fit Camp will begin June 21 and end July 15. Monday - Thursday, 8am until 4pm. Tuition is FREE and applications for the first 100 children ages 6-12 are available in the Jones Elementary Office until Friday, June 18.

LIBRARY SUMMER PROGRAM HOURS

June 7th - June 18th
Tues, Wed, & Thurs.
Ages: 3-5 & 6-8 : Time: 10:30 - 12:00 noon
Ages: 9 & up: Time: 2-4 pm

SUMMER CHURCH HOURS

During the Summer the Sunday Evening Service at First Baptist Church will begin at 6:00. Join us as we praise the Lord and study God's Word. First Baptist Church is located at 301 N. Ann. For more information call 563-2245.

DRUNK DRIVING NEWS

As printed in the Dallas Morning News: A steep surcharge program for drunken driving and other driving violations is clogging state courts and causing the dismissal rate for DWI cases to skyrocket. A former state judge told the Texas Public Safety Commission. David Hodges told the panel that the Texas Driver Responsibility Program has had a "devastating" effect on the Texas court system, and judges across the state are reporting at least two years of pending driving-while-intoxicated cases as more defendants seek trials. "our criminal justice system is supposed to be about changing behavior and making our streets safer, but there is no evidence that this program is making our streets safer," said Hodges, now judicial liaison for the Texas Center for the Judiciary, which provides training and support for judges. Not only are more DWI cases being dismissed, but others are resulting in lesser charges, such as reckless driving, to help reduce the huge backlog, he noted. "There is credible research to show that this program has actually created a new class of criminals that we're having to deal with," said Hodges, citing the estimated 1.2 million drivers who have not paid the surcharges under the program - most of whom have lost their licenses as a result. Those 1.2 million Texans now owe the state more than \$1 billion that they have either refuse or been unable to pay.

Summer Splash-ahhhh



Brackett News Photo By Leigh Volcsko - Adrian Hernandez, Manuel Pena, Kelsey Bruce and Daniel Castillo, all students at Brackett High, celebrate the beginning of summer at the Fort Clark Swim Park. Fort Clark members and guests can enjoy the third largest spring fed pool in the State of Texas. The pool water is a cool 68 degrees all year round. Visit www.fortclark.com for more information.

Juneteenth celebration this weekend

The Seminole Indian Scout Cemetery Association will host a local Juneteenth Celebration at the Carver School Grounds in Brackettville June 19.

The Seminole's famous brisket, chicken and goat BBQ plates will be on sale starting at noon.

Prize Bingo will begin at 2 p.m. followed by a dance from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

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Beverly Kelly, 830.563.7701, or Clarence Ward, 830.734.8096.

Juneteenth.com explains, "Juneteenth is the oldest known celebration commemorating the ending of slavery in the United States. Dating back to 1865, it was on June 19th that the Union soldiers, led by Major General Gordon Granger, landed at Galveston, Texas with news that the war had ended and that the enslaved were now free. Note that this was two

and a half years after President Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation - which had become official January 1, 1863. The Emancipation Proclamation had little impact on the Texans due to the minimal number of Union troops to enforce the new Executive Order. However, with the surrender of General Lee in April of 1865, and the arrival of General Granger's regiment, the forces were finally strong enough to influence and overcome the resistance."

Fort Clark to celebrate 158th birthday



Brackett News Photo By Leigh Volcsko - The Fort Clark Springs Association will be hosting a celebration in honor of Fort Clark's 158th Birthday on Friday, June 18. The festivities will begin at 2 p.m. in the Administration Building with live piano music, a speech from William Haenn on the importance of Fort Clark throughout history and finally topped off with the eating of a large birthday cake. Members and guests are welcome.

Water board interviews two for GM position



KCGCD GM Candidate Kenneth Carver

By Leigh Volcsko
mybrackettnews.com.

The Kinney County Groundwater Conservation District interviewed two candidates for the General Manager's position at a Special meeting on June 15.

Kenneth Carver and Robert Elledge were both interviewed for the position left vacant by former GM Diana Ward nearly two years ago.

The men were interviewed in an executive session and once the board returned to open meeting, the board voted to have Carver advance to the next step of the interview process. Carver must now complete a background check and pass a drug screen test.

Both men have experience in working in a government posi-

tion, but Carver has worked in the water field, says KCGCD President Kent Lowery.

In an earlier meeting on June 10, the board discussed the compliance audit.

KCGCD Attorney Greg Ellis has been reviewing the district's records and actions to make sure the district meets all the requirements for the enabling act, or the laws that allow the district to be a district in the state of Texas.

Frank Ede of Ede and Company Accountants in Knippa was also on hand to discuss the audit and stated the audits for 2008 and 2009 were "unqualified", meaning they received the highest rating because the beginning and ending balances for both years were able to be verified.

"Nemo me impune lacesset - No one will provoke me with impunity"

LETTER to the Editor

Fair and Equal

Last Friday I received a call from a woman stating that she was here from the Licensing Department of Cosmetologists. She said she had received a complaint from a woman named D....., stating that I was practicing in an unlicensed salon.

By this time, the woman, who had traveled all the way from Austin, Texas, was very irate. It seems that our security people are doing a very good job. The guard informed her that she could not come on the Fort without authorization. This added fuel to the fire, and she threatened to come back with the sheriff and a full investigative team. This guard called Mr. Walker, who at the time was in a meeting with Mr. Cerna, so by the time the inspector called me both Mr. Cerna and Mr. Walker were at the gate along with the security guard. I told her to come to my home. A few minutes later she arrived at my front door with a security escort. I greeted her at the door with a big smile and introduced myself and Joe. I explained to her that I had to have carpal tunnel surgery on both hands and had closed my salon in town that I had for four years. She said, "you have an ad in the paper", "yes" I said. "It was supposed to only run for one month, I paid for it in advance." "I've tried, without success, to have it removed, but they keep on printing it." I told her that the ad was there to let my clients know how to reach me, that since my clients are like family to me. I wanted them to have my cell phone number. Mrs. Anne Cosper, the inspector was very polite as I walked her through my home. All she could say was, "your home is lovely." I told Mrs. Anne Cosper that I was thinking of going back to teaching cosmetology, or becoming a licensing inspector.

So to the person who filed the complaint, I want to say thank you. I sincerely thank you for giving me the opportunity to meet Mrs. Anne Cosper another of gods wonderful children, "yes" I also want you to know that I would never report you for running an unlicensed salon in your home on the Fort for years. You opened up a can of worms. I looked on line and found only two hair salons in Brackettville that are licensed: Diane's and Nysha's are listed as licensed salons on the Texas Department of Licensing and regulation at www.license.state.tx.us to the person who falsely accused me of breaking the law, I have only one thing to say: If you can't cut it - hang up your shears!

Ida D. Holley
Licensed Cosmetology Instructor

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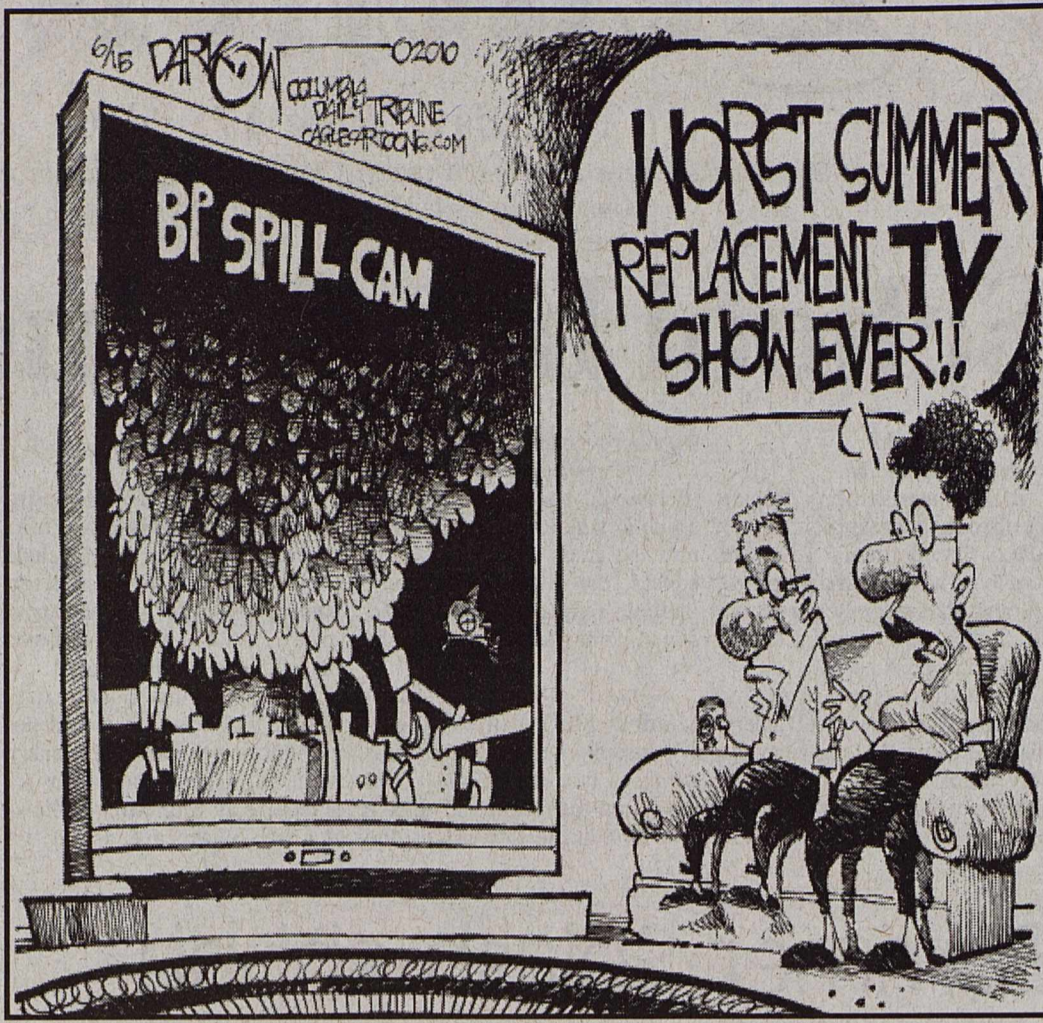
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LETTER to the Editor

Movies on the silver screen in Brackettville? Not since the US Army moved out in the 1940s. That is, until last Saturday night at the Old Quarry Amphitheater when viewers seated on benches, lawn chairs, and golf carts enjoyed a double feature of recent Hollywood releases projected on the 20-foot big screen set up by San Antonio's Stagecoach Outdoor Movie Theaters.

According to Stagecoach's Shannon O'Toole, Fort Clark's Old Quarry Amphitheater is the perfect venue for outdoor cinema. "The Quarry's natural limestone backdrop, the acoustics, and the multiple seating options combine for a wonderful motion picture viewing experience."

"Alice In Wonderland" with Johnny Depp played first, followed by Harrison Ford and Brandon Fraser in "Extraordinary Measures." The Old Quarry Society predicted that future screenings will include film classics such as musicals, comedies, and family fare. "We're trying to find a diverse mix of genre that will have broad audience appeal. Lots of suggestions were offered by those attending, and we'll work with Stagecoach to maximize the enjoyment," said David Loftus, Old Quarry Society president. Loftus also stated that although there is a modest charge for admission, it's not a money-maker for the Society. "Our goal is really just to provide a local entertainment opportunity for our Fort Clark and Brackettville folks that's not otherwise available. We see it as a way to help build up our community."

Stagecoach specializes in providing smaller towns with outdoor movies, and O'Toole predicted that the big screen would be available at Fort Clark on a once-a-month basis. "As audience awareness builds, we'll continue to fine-tune the schedule and movie title selections. We're excited about the potential for classic outdoor cinema in Brackettville."

The Old Quarry Society will continue to post schedule and title updates on its web site www.oldquarry.brackettville.us.

LETTER to the Editor

FORT CLARK SPRINGS ROAD PROJECT "BUILD IT AND THEY WILL COME"

I spoke with Larry Sofaly, Manager of MUD. His concept was that if we build the new roads the people that visit Fort Clark would (just as the Kevin Costner movie reflects) purchase property and build homes. I told him I had heard Unit 15 would not be paved. He said I was correct, that only the MAIN ROADS would be paved. I asked if he had a copy of that letter and he said no. I advised, that in my opinion, Unit 15 roads were in need of paving. He stated he lived in unit 15 and he did not agree. However our discussion revealed he would be retiring in July 2010. My personal con-

cept on that info was that he probably misunderstood about Unit 15 due to his current priorities. Larry should know that Unit 15 is one of the MAIN ROADS on Fort Clark. If you are at the intersection of Ft Clark Rd and Unit 15 heading south you proceed to Airport Rd., turn right (east) and proceed straight on Airport Rd (don't curve Left) continuing straight on Pompey St and dead end at worrior Rd. Turn right (north) on Worrior Rd and proceed to shafter Rd. At that point you have formed a "u". To close the "u" turn right (east) on shafter Rd and continue straight to Fort Clark Rd

through Unit 15. Anyone residing in the northern part of said area (and wanting to exit fort Clark) will (normally) exit through Unit 15 rather than driving back through the airport Rd route. In fact, some of the vehicles exiting from paving worrior Rd and Bowlegs St exit through Unit 15 leaving the dregs of asphalt on our streets. THEREFORE Unit 15 is a direct THOROUGH FARE between worrior Rd and Fort Clark Rd making it a MAIN ROAD. I have driven around Fort Clark and have observed most of the paved areas to date. I have (in my opinion) seen much waste that could have already been enough to pave Unit 15. That saddens me when I see such things going on. Guess we won't see our alley way paved either!!!!!!... Like some folks! Of course if you have personal receipts then no problem. Larry gave me an estimate of \$133,000 for a 1 mile, two lane, 2 inch thick asphalt rd. In my opinion, when you add up all these un-needed strips, you would have enough money to pave Unit 15 (<.9 mi (includes Bliss Circle/shafter)) with left over asphalt. Jerry Miller



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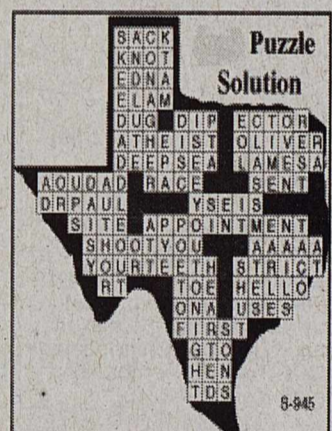
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- 1 - backpack
- 1 - box 24 count crayons
- 2 - large glue sticks
- 4 - #2 pencils
- 1 - box of family size Kleenex
- 1 - roll of paper towel
- 3 - plastic folders with brads and pockets (blue, green & yellow)
- 1 - 10 count classic Crayola markers (washable)
- 1 - package of small incentive stickers
- 1 - Antibacterial wipes
- 1 - 12 oz. Hand Sanitizer

BOYS

- 1 - 4 count of Play Doh (NO Roseart)
- 1 - 24 count colored pencils
- 1 - box gallon size heavy duty Ziploc bags
- 1 - 50 count white paper plates

GIRLS

- 1 - package Expo Dry Erase markers
- 1 - box quart size heavy duty Ziploc bags
- 1 - PRANG watercolor (8 colors)
- 1 - package white lunch bags

Kindergarten

- 1 plastic school box
- 2 - 1" white hardcover binder with pockets and clear pocket on front
- 1 - 3 ring zippered pouch for binder
- 2 composition notebooks
- 1 PRIMARY composition writing notebook
- 3 boxes of 24 count Crayola Crayons
- 2 boxes colored pencils (12 or 24 count)
- 1 watercolor paints
- 2 large erasers
- 1 pair of Friskar scissors
- 2 - 8oz. Elmer's school glue
- 6 LARGE glue sticks
- 20 #2 pencils
- 2 boxes of family size Kleenex
- 1 box gallon size heavy duty Ziploc baggies (zip please)
- 1 box quart size heavy duty Ziploc baggies (zip please)
- 1 - LARGE backpack (NO rollers)
- 2 Large bottles of hand sanitizer

The following items are used throughout the school year and would be greatly appreciated if anyone would like to donate them to your child's homeroom class: baby wipes, white paper lunch bags, white paper plates (large and small).

Kindergarten teachers strongly suggest that you buy EXTRA school supplies for use throughout the year that you can keep at your house and send to school when need be (such as crayons, glue sticks, pencils). School supplies are so much cheaper and easier to find right before school starts.

1st Grade

- 1 - 4x6 Index Cards
- 1 - Backpack (large enough to hold 1 1/2" binder)
- 36 - No. 2 pencils
- 2 - boxes of 24 crayons
- 3 - Composition Notebook
- 4 - large glue sticks
- 8 - Dry Erase Expo markers
- 1 - pkg. top erasers
- 1 - pair of Fiskar scissors
- 1 - 1 1/2" Binder - **Trapper Keeper**
- 1 - Plastic folder with pockets
- 2 - boxes of Kleenex
- 2 - roll of paper towels
- 2 - large zipper pencil pouches at least 7"x10" **NOT PLASTIC**
- 1 - package of 12 map colors
- 2 - boxes ziplock bags, 1 quart - **BOYS ONLY**
- 1 - box ziplock bags, 1 gallon - **GIRLS ONLY**
- 1 - bottle of Hand Sanitizer
- 1 - Crayola water colors

2nd Grade

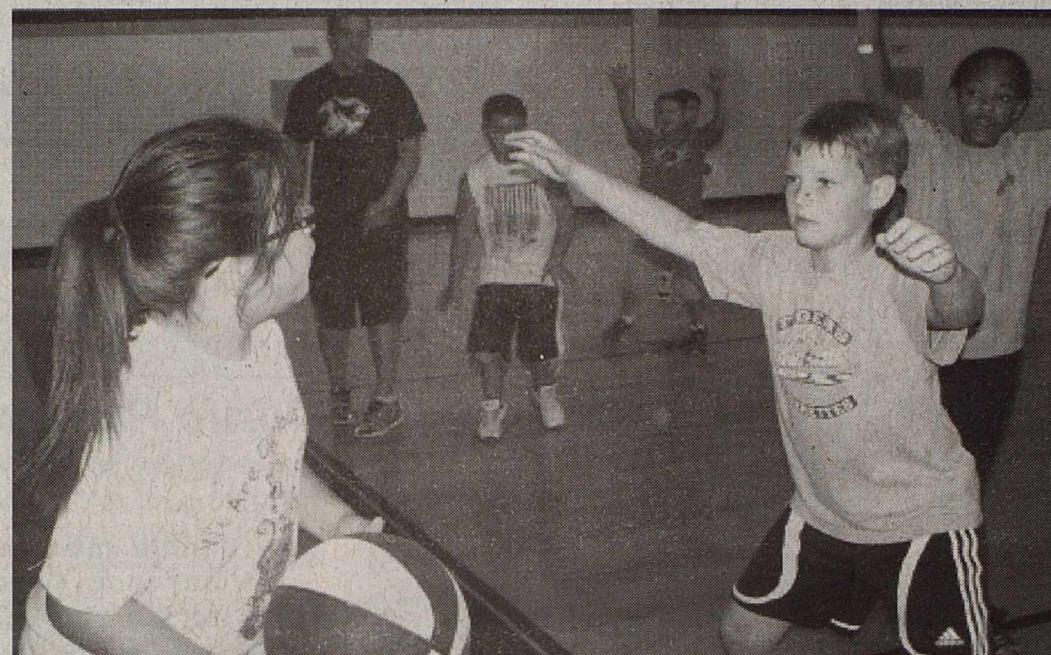
- 1 - Trapper Keeper zip up 1 1/2" Binder
- 2 - composition books
- 1 - (large) zipper pencil pouch (**not plastic**)
- 24 - #2 pencils (They come in a box)
- 1 - large pink eraser
- 1 - pkg. pencil top erasers
- 1 - 24 count box crayons
- 2 - boxes family size Kleenex
- 2 - rolls paper towels
- 2 - jumbo glue sticks
- 1 - box quart size ziplock baggies
- 1 - backpack (no wheels please)
- 1 - pair fiskars pointed scissors
- 1 - 12 count colored pencils
- 1 - box Expo dry erase markers
- 1 - bottle of Hand Sanitizer

* Please label your child's supplies

Softball All District 30-A, 2010



Brackett News Photos by Leigh Volcsko - Chosen for this year's All District teams pictured from left: First Team Infield: Katryna Swiley; Second Team Infield: Elena Molinar; First Team Outfield: Elidia Molinar, and Second Team Outfield Amanda Herrera. See all the team photos on mybrackettnews.com.



Basketball Camp



Brackett News Photos by Leigh Volcsko - From left: Katie Guzman and Zuehl Conoly practice what they have learned at Coach Almanza's Basketball Camp. In the background at the far left is Coach Almanza. See all the photos taken at camp on mybrackettnews.com.

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What are your plans after graduation? I plan to attend SWTJC to study mechanics.
What teacher influenced you the most? Mrs Hodges and Mrs. Smith influenced me the most.
What are you most looking forward to after graduation? I'm looking forward to living on my own and supporting myself.
What do you think you will miss the most after graduation? My family and friends

Jessica Earwood



Name: Jessica Earwood
Mother: Raquel Earwood
Father: Darryl Earwood
What are your plans after graduation? My future plans are to attend South West Texas Junior College and later transfer to Angelo State University to earn my degree in Nursing.



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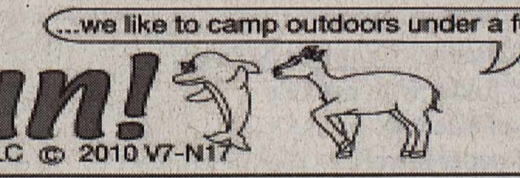
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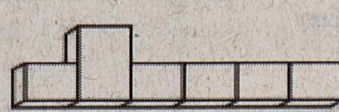


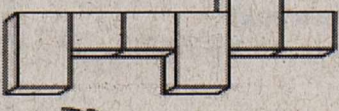

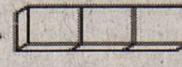

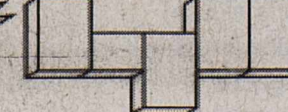

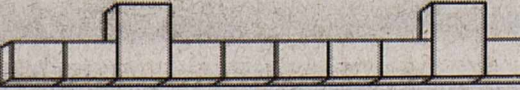

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The Mysterious Moon!

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1. Moon is made of 
2.  jumped over the Moon. 
3. full Moon makes  act crazy. 
4.  in the Moon is looking down at us. 
5. Moon is a romantic  in the night sky. 
6. Moon has been walked on by only 12  

Yeah, yeah, yeah! So I've got the glamorous job of hosting this week's page. Pay attention to everything I have to teach you about the Moon so I'm not wasting my breath. And NO, I won't repeat myself.

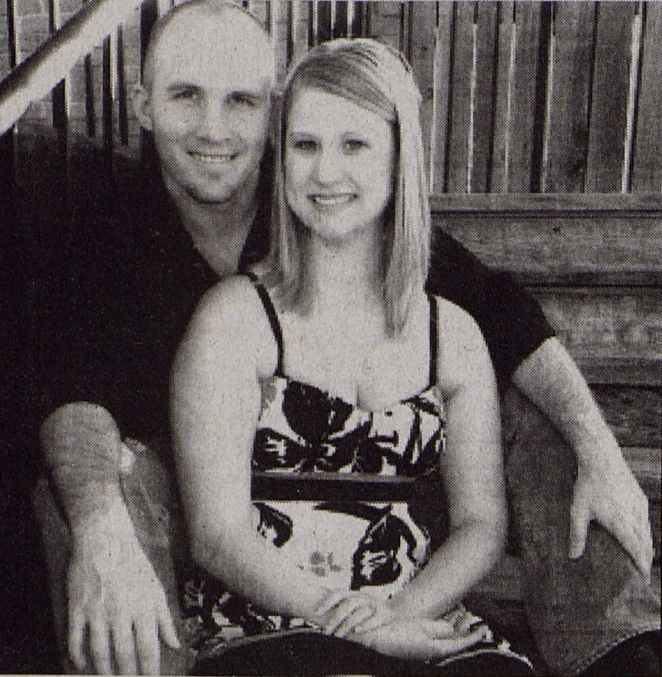
Most nights you can look into the sky and see the Moon. People have always studied and wondered about the Moon. We have written about it in our poems, songs and stories. Even though people have flown to the Moon and walked on it, the Moon is still mysterious.

"Moon" begins with the letter "m." Can you find and circle at least 6 words that begin with "m?"

The Moon follows a path around the Earth. This path is called an orbit. It takes about 27 days for the Moon to go around the Earth. As the Moon follows the path around the Earth it is also turning or rotating itself. It turns once each trip. As the Moon moves and "changes" in the sky people keep track of it. The Moon has been used to tell when holidays fall and when it is time to plant or harvest fields. Look on a calendar to find out if it tells when we will see the next full moon.

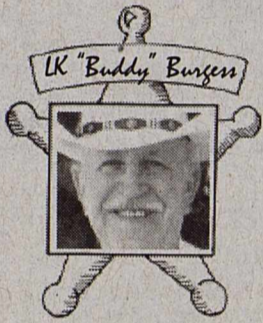
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Wusterhausen - Brotherton To wed August 14



Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Brotherton of Brackettville, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wusterhausen of Elgin, Texas proudly announce the upcoming wedding of their children Boyd Ross and Elisabeth Ann on August 14, 2010 at Reunion Ranch in Georgetown, Texas. Boyd is currently a December graduate candidate at Angelo State University, while Elizabeth is a physical therapist at Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo.

Kinney County Sheriff's Report



Monday, June 7

Jesus Alfredo Hedalgo, 38, of Brackettville was arrested for on two warrants to revoke probation.

A man reported a woman next door to his apartment was banging on the wall and woke up all of his family. A deputy was advised of the situation.

An security company reported an alarm going off at John Hope Ranch. A deputy was notified of the situation.

A man called to report a woman banging on the wall and went over and was yelling at their family. A deputy was advised.

A man reported he had lost his cell phone on Saturday at the Civic Center. A deputy was notified.

A man called to report there was an accident on S.Hwy 277. He also stated there were no injuries and the vehicle had ran off the road into a pasture. A deputy was notified of the situation.

Tuesday, June 8

A woman reported a man kept passing by their residence and threatening them. A deputy was en-route to the location.

A man reported two gun shots near his residence. A deputy was notified of situation.

Wednesday, June 9

A man reported a man had a woman pinned against a car on Hwy 90. The man called later

and reported the couple were at the Annex Office. A deputy was advised of the situation.

A man reported a green truck was speeding and almost ran them off the road. A deputy was advised.

Thursday, June 10

Micheal Nathan Luna, 25, was arrested for assault with bodily injuries. Luna was released on two \$500 bonds.

A man reported a suspicious man on FCS and would like a deputy to go and check things out. A deputy was advised.

Friday, June 11

Luis Peres Delcid, 26, of San Antonio was arrested for failure to appear for pre-arraignment at Rhode Island. Delcid was still being held at press time.

Saturday, June 12

A woman reported a boy throwing rocks at a house and had broken a window. The woman stated she yelled at him and the boys ran. A deputy was notified.

Sunday, June 13

Micheal Hangis, 29, of Brackettville was arrested for disorderly conduct. Hangis is still held on press time.

Wilma Schmdelan, 48, of Brewster, Texas was arrested on a warrant out of Pecos County. Schmdelan was released on a \$1,000 bond.

A man reported a domestic disturbance and needed a deputy at the location. A deputy was advised.

A woman reported her neighbors were making a lot of noise. She also stated she could hear yelling and things being broken inside the house and in front of the house. A deputy was advised of situation and was en-route to the location.

A woman called stating there was a break in at S.O.E. Beverage Barn on HWY 90.

Thank You

The Fort Clark Dog Group would like to offer a big thank you for all who donated and helped support the yard sale. It was a big success, and could not have happened if it were not for the generosity that Brackett shows over and over again. The dogs will get the reward of everyone's hard labor. We appreciate all who dug through there things and donated everything they did. We can not say thank you enough. Come join the dog park group. Any questions, or if you would like to volunteer or donate please call Angela at 830-563-2010 or Kathy at 830-563-9886. All of the funds for the dog sale have gone into the bank to help make the dog park of Brackettville a beautiful, wonderful park for all the dogs to enjoy.

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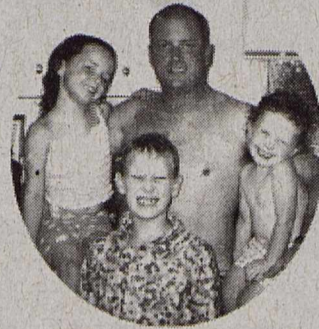
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Photo Courtesy To The Brackett News - Pictured with his children is Kinney County's Best Dad Cory Maddox. The Maddox Family will be presented with a gift certificate from Michael J. Ford Photography. The Brackett News thanks all of the participants, as all of the entries were wonderful. TBN would also like to give a special thanks to Michael J. Ford Photography for sponsoring the contest. TBN would also like the public to participate in the Salute to our Soldiers special edition by asking those who have served in the armed forces to submit their picture to TBN by June 29. Photos can be dropped off at our new location 103 Gove Street in Brackettville or call 830.563.2852.



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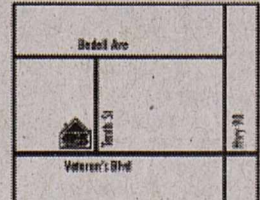
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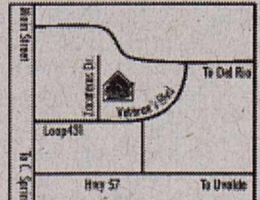
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New Listing- 2/1 with RV cover. Cover is approximately 17 x 38, room for the RV & car both. All electric with central heat & air. Call to see this one now. Unit 36, Redbud, Ft. Clark.
New Listing-3/2 Palm Harbor- on 2 lots with workshop & art studio. Watch the wildlife on the covered porch. Home has been remodeled. Carport. Please call for an appointment to see this one. \$68,600.00
New Listing- Beverage Barn- established business, fully equipped and ready to go. Great Business Opportunity!!!
518 Acres W of Brackettville- 2 houses, barns, good deer, new fencing, Hwy 90 frontage
1065 +/- Acres NE of Brackettville- New 3/2 home and New barn and fencing, well and electricity, Great Hunting-natives and exotics-\$1395/acre
2 Bedroom/2 Bath Masters Condo- selling fully furnished.
LOTS: Covered RV lot Unit 14, Golf Course Lot, Residential lot in Unit 15
4/2 on Ann Street, remodeled kitchen and bathroom, large corner lot with pecan trees, recently painted throughout, enclosed porches. Only \$129,995.00!
3-2 Mobil Unit 15, 1 lot \$18,000.00
Spofford-2 City Lots- Paved frontage, water, current survey-\$2500.
3/1 Home fully furnished and 1 and 2 Bedroom condos in the Masters Short or long term

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FORT CLARK

- New Listing: 291 Bowlegs SOLD
- New Listing: 38 Sunset Lane Well maintained 3BR/3B Split level home w/open floor plan, FP, and many upgrades. Great Location!
- New Listing: 75 Wainwright Adorable multilevel home with 2 living areas, 3BR/2B + screened porch and upstairs balcony! Includes 15x18 workshop. \$115,000.
- New Listing: 111 Dawn: UNDER CONTRACT
- New Listing: Unique town house located in the heart of the Historical District. 1BR/1B w/ many upgrades \$53,000.
- 89 Ward: Awesome 4B/3B Home on 2 lots w/ Bonus AND Media Rms. 3,000 sqft \$150,000 MAKE AN OFFER!
- Unit 14: RV Lot w/ metal cover. 8x10 Morgan Bldg + washer/dryer hookups. Locate next to green area. \$22,000.
- Fairway Circle: Two Golf Course Lots (67,68) located in a great area. \$9,500. REDUCED TO \$6,000.
- 240 Pompey: Three lots in a fantastic neighborhood in Unit 31. \$30,000.
- Anderson/Travis: Cut 3BR/1.5B on 1 lot. \$42,500.
- Fairway Circle: 2 Golf Lot w/ mature Oaks Just walking distance from Las Moras Creek! Beautiful area. \$25,000.

BRACKETTVILLE

- New Listing: 501 N. Ann St. Fantastic Home! 3BR/2B + 2 cargarage on 2 1/2 beautiful, shaded lots. Many upgrades and wonderful features throughout. 2300sq.ft+-. Great Location!
- New Listing: 403 Brown St. 2BR/1B Home on lg. lot.
- New Listing: 7 City Lots - Spring St.
- 109 W. Spring St.: Downtown Brackettville 4,400sq. ft. Great Rental Property!
- 505 Ann St. What a darling 2BR/1B home in a great neighborhood. Original wood floor, FP, workshop, carport, large fenced yard. Priced to sell @ \$75,000.

ACREAGE

- 110 Acres: SOLD
- 717 ACRES: 8 miles N. of Brackettville on Hwy 334.
- 318 Acres: 17 miles S. of Brackettville on Hwy 131.

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New Listing: Country living close to town! 115 Acres, updated 3/1 ranch home, 2 wells, barns, fenced.
New Listing-117 DeZavala: Meticulously updated 2/1 home, leaded glass entry door, tile flooring, paint inside/out, solar screens & attic fans, propane FP, tiled patio & much more! The perfect winter/weekend home!
869 Fairway Cr: custom built golf course home, 3/3, open den/kitchen with FP, tile flooring, tiled kitchen counter tops, double oven. Reduced- A Great Buy!
Unit 15: extra nice 3/2 doublewide, metal roof, sunporch, shed, Now \$45,900 with appliances & some furniture!
New Listing-504 N. Fort St: older home with charm, 3/2, FP, updated kitchen, pergo flooring in den/kitchen. Metal roof, large fenced yard, carport & storage, priced to sell! UNDER CONTRACT
Tiger Alley: Darling 3B, 1.5 B remodeled home, hardwood/tile floors, new CHA, fenced, metal roof. \$\$\$ below appraisal.
705 N. Ellen: 3/2 brick home, custom remodeled thru-out, tiled baths, metal roof, fenced, workshop. A Steal at \$79,900!
214 W. Fulton: spacious 3/1 home with upgrades, only \$49,000!
Ann St: custom built metal building, 2 CHA units, large parking area, choice location.

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ACROSS

1 TXism: "low" (burial bag)
5 TXism: "tie the" (get married)
6 this Ferber wrote TX novel "Giant"
7 actor Jack in "Big Bad John" with TX Jimmy Dean
8 TXism: "he his own grave"
9 chips & _____
12 Odessa is seat of this county
17 TX Madilyn Murray O'Hair description this Stone directed film "W." about TX George W. Bush
21 Gulf fishing (2 wds.)
22 Dawson Co. seat "Barbary sheep" brought to TX after World War II
28 event at Texas Motor Speedway transmitted _____ Egg Mountain"
30 way to refer to TX '08 pres. candidate. Ron (2 wds.)
31 San Antonio celebration: "Diez _____ de Septiembre"
35 in Hood Co.: "Acton State Historic _____"
36 TX Ann Sheridan '53 film: _____ in Honduras"
42 TX country band "Slobberbone" tune: _____ "Dead"
44 Abilene High won '09 title in this class

46 TXism: I'll rattle _____ (threat)
48 Wade Phillips is not a _____ coach
49 "Men in Black" TX actor Rip (init.)
50 TX Waylon album: "Never Could _____ the Mark"
51 TX Willie wrote " _____ Walls"
52 TXism: "panting like a lizard _____ hot rock"
53 TXism: "he _____ barbed wire for dental floss" (tough)
54 Ted Williams was _____ Rangers manager
56 Pontiac "muscle car" of 60s & 70s
57 in Brewster Co.: _____ Egg Mountain"
58 Cowboy scores (abbr.)

DOWN

1 TXism: " _____ of here" (flee)
2 can hear harp _____ recitals at TX Renaissance Festival
3 TX Barry Corbin '91 film based on Louis L'Amour novel
4 Bryan AM station " _____ jockey"
9 " _____ jockey"
10 TX Tanya's "Can _____"

11 TX Jeannie C.'s "Harper Valley _____"
12 This Lovett was 1st pres. of Rice (init.) school buddies
13 TX Willie's "Funny How _____ Slips Away"
15 baking chamber _____ in Peace"
16 U.S. environment agency (abbr.)
20 radium symbol _____ classified
24 TXism: "come hell _____ high water"
25 _____ and downs"
26 East TX oilfield first big well: _____ Bradford No. 3"

38 "Cowboy _____ Texas," Red Steagall
39 TX tall man, Jack
40 TXism: "hard as _____" (tough)
41 TX-based chain: _____ "Bueno"
43 TXism: "it's root _____ hog _____ die"
45 TX band: "Asleep _____ the Wheel"
47 TX Waylon's "Good _____ Woman"
48 well pitched game: _____ out"
55 TX Hyer film "The _____ of Katie Elder"