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## Cross Plains EDC, Inc. Announces Executive Director

Steve Mack, President of the Cross Plains Economic Development Corporation, announced that the EDC board has appointed Denise Coulter to the newly created position of Executive Director, effective June 1, 1997. The Cross Plains EDC was established in 1995 to disburse funds received from the 1/2 cent sales tax for economic development. These funds are to be used for business retention and expansion, formation of new businesses, business attraction, and public projects. Under the direction of the EDC Board of Directors, Coulter will be responsible for directing, coordinating and administering economic development efforts for Cross Plains. The Executive Director of the EDC Board of Directors, Coulter will be responsible for directing, coordinating and

administering economic development efforts for Cross Plains. The Executive Director of the EDC will serve as a central contact person for the business community and all economic development activities.

Coulter has received a Bachelor of Science degree from Texas Tech University and a Master of Science degree from Angelo State University. She has served as an Instructor of Biology at Angelo State University for five years before opening a business, with her parents, in Cross Plains. Coulter has been a resident of the Cross Plains area for the past three years.

For more information on economic development in Cross Plains contact Denise Coulter at (254) 725-6827 or Steve Mack at (254) 725-6141.



**OLD SIDEWALK DEMOLISHED** — Roadway Construction Company employees have demolished the old sidewalks in front of the First Baptist Church classrooms and are preparing for new ones.



**NEW SIDEWALK EXTENDING FROM HIGGINBOTHAM BROTHERS COMPANY** — Employees of Roadway Construction Company attend to final details on the newly constructed sidewalk coordinated through TxDOT.

## Sidewalk Project Now Underway

By VANDA KING  
Editor

The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce held their quarterly meeting last Thursday, May 29. Steve Mack presided in the absence of Keith Lawrence. An update was given on the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet; announcement of Denise Coulter as the part-time Executive Director for the Economic Development Corporation; and sidewalk project.

Pete Krause, engineer for Texas Department of Transportation, spoke to the group about plans for the downtown sidewalks. Roadway Construction of Mesquite was the low bid on the project and was awarded the contract. Krause stated that the construction would begin Friday, May 30, and it has.

Demolition of existing sidewalks

began at the corner of West Side Story Restaurant and extends to 7th Street; starting at Columbia One Home Health past West Texas Utilities; and Bayer Motor Company office down to 10th Street in front of First Baptist Church classrooms, with the exception of the sidewalk in front of Mediplex Home Health. New sidewalk construction began at the east end of Higginbotham Brothers Company and extends along the south side of the U.S. Post Office on 8th Street joining their front sidewalk.

As of Tuesday, June 3, the reinforcement wire had already been placed for the new construction on 8th Street and the concrete was being poured. The project is progressing in great strides.

Roadway Construction plans to work Saturdays and Sundays to

minimize the impact on business owners. Some businesses are operating from their back door at this time. Three to four weeks construction time is expected during Phase I, depending on the weather which could cause delays.

Mr. Krause stated that they would appreciate everyone's patience during this period. That should be no problem since everyone is so proud to have the sidewalks reconstructed. The present ones were installed back in 1911.

A committee to establish landscaping for street trees, benches and trash receptacles will plan approximately six different locations. The original horse rings will be replaced plus additional ones.

The contractor will place conduit in the concrete for water lines to the planters and the City of Cross Plains

will be present when this is accomplished.

Conduit will also be placed for the electrical wiring for West Texas Utilities. WTU will make sure the specifications are exact. There will be costs involved in retiring the old wiring but not in replacing the new. The engineering technician for WTU has already examined the situation and will be coordinating with TxDOT.

Phase II will begin after October, due to the 1997 Homecoming festivities. This will tie all the construction together.

I am impressed by the speed in which the construction company has accomplished everything. Congratulations are in order to everyone who assisted with the project! Cross Plains will soon have a great new look.



**CHAMBER WELCOMES NEW BUSINESS** — The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting ceremony for the opening of Coyote Flat General Store. Pictured from left are Steve Mack, Bill Richardson, Charlsie Richardson, Ramona Lowe, and Melissa Richards.

## CP Chamber of Commerce Announces the Opening of Coyote Flat General Store

Look what is happening at the old Johnston Truck Building at 501 East 4th, Highway 36 — another new business named "Coyote Flat General Store," which offers Crafts, Antiques, Gifts, Collectibles, and Reproductives. It is owned by Bill and Charlsie Richardson. Charlsie is the manager, while their daughter, Ramona Lowe of Rising Star, will be the assistant manager and bookkeeper. Business hours are Tuesday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Sunday 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Coyote Flat General Store will be closed on Mondays.

Bill and Charlsie are very proud of their family. They have three grown children and nine grandchildren. Ramona, Ray, Nathan, Mindy and Alicia Lowe of Rising Star; Dwayne, Nita, Chance and Takota Richardson of the Indian Creek Community; and Shannon, Lois and Levi Richardson and Cody, Chance and Colt Watson of Manchester, Iowa.

Some of you may have known the Richardsons when they lived at Bangs. Now they are making their home in the Cross Cut Community. Bill took an early retirement in 1991, after 28 years with General Telephone Company. Charlsie is taking an early retirement at the close of this school year, after 18 years between Bangs and May systems.

The couple began crafting as a hobby 12 years ago. They traveled to

different craft shows taking their goods to sell. Then in 1994, they found a new permanent home at the Old Mill Trade Days Show. The show is open the Friday, Saturday and Sunday before the first Monday of each month. Now they have found another new permanent home, here at Cross Plains. They are sharing their new adventure with other crafters and antique dealers.

Coyote Flat General Store is the place to shop for that perfect gift. They offer such items as floral swags, arrangements, wreaths, candles (variety of fragrances), handmade dolls, rabbits, bears, unique rock paintings and rice necklaces, sterling and fashion jewelry, southwest gifts, purses (all kinds), iron works, gift bags and cards, wire products, ceramics, special birthstone angel jewelry, decorated yard work, clocks, lamps, custom gift baskets, handmade quilts, cookbooks (all kinds), stained glass, signs, signs with unique sayings, jams and jellies (in season), unusual decorative pieces, pictures with new and barnwood frames, an array of quality herb vinegar and oils for gourmet cooking, birdhouses (all kinds), and a selection of Coca-Cola collectibles.

The new business also offers Amish, Victorian and country shelves, quilt racks (all kinds),

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## CP Chamber Sets Banquet Date

The Cross Plains Chamber has scheduled its Annual Banquet for Thursday evening, July 15. The keynote speaker will be Norman Archibald, the Executive Director of Hendrick Development Company, a subsidiary of Hendrick Health Systems.

The chamber will be honoring the volunteers who manage and operate the Cross Plains EMS and the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department.

Banquet festivities will include a dinner, entertainment and the popular silent auction of locally donated items and live auction of baked goods.

Tickets for the banquet will go on sale in July.

## Local man critically injured

Randy Shields of Cross Plains was critically injured in an oil field accident Saturday, May 30, on a location somewhere between Winters and Sweetwater. He was employed as a floor hand by Pioneer Exploration Company.

Shields is suffering from head injuries and at press time was in the critical care unit at Hendrick Medical Center.

Randy has two daughters, Michelle and Casey of Tennessee. His mother was the late Mary Shields.

Prayers on his behalf would be appreciated by his family and friends.

## CP EMS Fund-raiser Huge Success

The Cross Plains EMS Memorial Day Weekend Fund-raiser was a huge success. Total collections at the intersection was \$6,740.54! Many of you from this and surrounding communities gave. Thank you! Several non-EMS people pitched in and helped us "man" (and "woman") the intersection. Thank you!! A special "thank you" to Susan McNeel who not only "stood" her turn but also called people and arranged for them to help. Thanks to businesses at the intersection for providing cold drinks, food, places to rest and parking places for the am-

bulances -- Dairy Queen, Subway, TNT Fina, Taste of Texas, and J&L. We appreciated such cooperation very much!

With some other donations this past week, two of which were for \$500 each, the balance on the new ambulance is below \$5,000 -- that's from \$31,295 (after trade-in of old ambulance and the State's matching \$35,000), down to below \$5,000, since around the first of this year! And it happened due to the generous and helpful people and businesses of our area. We are confident that it will soon be completely paid for. Thank You! Thank You! Thank You!

## Fuel surcharge to be added to WTU customer bills

West Texas Utilities Company retail customers will see a slight increase in the total amount of their electric bills beginning this week. The surcharge is being added to customer bills over the next 12 months to collect unrecovered fuel costs and interest.

The Public Utility Commission of Texas approved WTU's request to recover approximately \$13 million in unrecovered fuel costs and interests that are the result of unforeseen and significant increases in the cost of natural gas that have occurred over the last year throughout the country.

Implementation of the surcharge will result in a 1.6 percent increase in customers' bills over the 12-month period. Typical residential customers using 1,000 kilowatt-hours of electricity a month would see their bills increase, on average, by approximately \$1.22. The effect of the surcharge on customers' bills will vary depending on the rate schedule under which they take service.

Investor-owned electric utilities in Texas, like WTU, use fuel factors based on cost estimates to collect the

## Project Pride Meets Tuesday

Project Pride will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, June 10, at 6:00 p.m. at the Howard House on West Highway 36. Please note the change in meeting place, as the Cross Plains Public Library is currently closed due to remodeling.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

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# COURTHOUSE NEWS

**COUNTY COURT**  
Bill Johnson presiding

**Misdemeanor Filings**  
Duane Thomas Clark, DWI.  
Toni Stephenson, TPC (theft of property by check).

**Misdemeanor Minutes**  
Terry Wayne Gray, DWI, \$300 fine \$197 court costs, 30 days in jail.

Paul Allen Shank, TPC, \$155 court costs, 30 days in jail.  
Gregory D. Cullum, motion filed to revoke probation.

Samual Bailey Hargrove, DWI dismissed due to being convicted in another case.

Old cases dismissed in the interest of justice: Mike Bowden TPC, Ricky Lee Daniels theft, Ken Ray Isbell TPC, Renea Roberts TPC, Larry Fagan TPC, Patricia Holt TPC, Laura Noey TPC.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Courtney Lee Tuggle & William Thomas Miller, Jr. of Baird.  
Karen Kay Russell & Steven Dale Rhymes of Clyde.  
Juanita Guadalupe Chavaria & Luis Arnoldo Lerma of Clyde.

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**42nd DISTRICT COURT**  
John Weeks presiding

**Civil Filings**  
Citizens National Bank, Breckenridge, vs Michael E. Corley, breach of security agreement.

Divorces filed:  
Hayes, Bryan Lee & Erica Kay. Jackson, Ann Marie & Brian Keith.

**Civil Minutes**  
Fanuel Gene Price, found to be \$14,250 in arrears on child support; new schedule of payments began 6-1-97.

Divorces granted:  
Sanders, Julie Emerson & James Edward.

Winfrey, Mike Lynn & Lisa Dawn. Following cases dismissed for want of prosecution:

City of Baird vs J.D. Jones. Helen K. Groves vs Bud McCormick.

Jim Gay vs Hugh Briscoe. Carol Lynn Brashear vs Red's Bar BQ.

Victor Velasquez vs B. J. Thomas Trucking.

Ellie Don Stash vs Ramey D. Burke.

West Texas Utilities vs Ann Cunningham.

Cupps, Anita Marie & Michael Shane.  
Lowe, Monica F. & Nick J. Austin, Kay & Bobby L.

## Denton Valley Baptist Revival June 8-13

Denton Valley Baptist Church will hold an "Old Fashion Revival" service on June 8 thru 13 with guest Evangelist James McLeod from First Baptist Church of Rising Star. The services will begin Sunday, June 8th, at 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. The week services will be Monday, June 9th thru Friday, June 13th at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, June 14th, will be a celebration Songfest at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.  
Denton Valley Baptist Church is located at Hwy 36 and FM 604.



...As Moses lifted up the serpent the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. St. John 3:14, 15  
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# OBITUARY

## Ophelia Faircloth

Ophelia Lotie Faircloth, 95, passed away Thursday, May 29, 1997, in a local nursing home. Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home Chapel of Memories, 542 Hickory, with the Rev. Lanny Bollacker officiating. Burial was in Ross Cemetery in Baird.

Mrs. Faircloth was born in Gustine in Comanche County and attended Palm Rose School near Dublin. She was a homemaker and moved to Abilene in 1952 from Baird. She was a member of North Park Baptist Church and was the widow of Vernie O'Neal Faircloth, whom she married in 1920 in Carlton.

Survivors include three daughter, Lottie V. McCarty of Abilene, Elizabeth A. Fontaine of Battleboro, Vermont, and Verna Mae Moon of Grand Junction, Colorado; four sons, W.T. Faircloth of Fort Worth, Gene L. Faircloth of Houston, O'Neal Faircloth of Cisco and A.J. Faircloth of Clyde; one sister, Dolly Faircloth of San Angelo; two brothers, Monroe Mosley of El Paso and Earl "Shorty" Mosley of Cross Plains; 24 grandchildren; 41 great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

## Why Me Lord?

By JOE COPPINGER

I will never forget that day in December 1992 when my doctor hurried into my hospital room and announced that I had very serious cancer and that I should have my surgery and treatment at M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston. I can still remember the calm I felt. What kept going through my mind was, "I'm in God's hands." It never occurred to me to ask, "Why me?" With only a 3 percent chance of survival for the next five years, Delma and I set out on our pilgrimage. Every checkup was filled with smiles and happiness. Last summer we drove down to Houston without a doubt that my three and one-half year checkup would be just as happy. After my tests were completed, we waited in the examination room for the pleasant, upbeat surgeon who had opened my body and extracted my diseased, cancerous esophagus almost four years before. Shock! Everything was different as he entered the room this time. The cancer was back and there was no happiness about him. But for us, the most important thing had still not changed: I was still in God's hands. The only thing that was bothersome for me was having to be away from my family and my students for so long in the fall of '96. Chances for survival now decreased, at least on paper, to zero. M.D. Anderson Clinic had never seen esophageal cancer, much less the recurrence of it, shrink from treatment. We were asked about our willingness to go on a totally new approach in experimental treatment that had not been tried before, and we both agreed to it. With this new untried experimental treatment and enormous amounts of prayer, God chose to do the miraculous. In October the cancer had shrunk to less than half the size it had been in August. Then, in March "there was no indication of cancer in my body." It has been so difficult for me to see the agony in others who are called on to struggle with cancer and often loose the battle. When I contemplate the mighty work of God in my life and my body, the question now comes to me: Why me, Lord?

## Cross Cut Cemetery Donations Told

May Contributions to the Beautification Project to the Cross Cut Cemetery were given by George Cecil Stone \$50; Fawn Furry in memory of Margaret Byrd McCarroll \$25; Peggy Chambers in memory of Margaret Byrd McCarroll \$25.

## Living Water Ministries To Have Guest Speaker Sunday

Joe Coppinger will be speaking at Living Water Ministries on Sunday, June 8, at 11:00 a.m. Joe has been preaching for many years in the Cross Plains area. He is also the English instructor at the Cross Plains High School. Colleen Anderson invites everyone to come and be blessed with Joe's personal testimony for the Lord.

## Memorial Day Traffic Fatalities Fewer Than Expected

By BILLY HARRIS  
Baird Correspondent

BAIRD—Memorial Day 1997 was safer than estimated by the Texas Department of Public Safety, which was very welcome news to the State DPS Troopers. Thirty-two people were expected to die on Texas roadways from 6:00 p.m. Friday, May 23rd, until midnight Monday, May 26th. This number reached 27, and no traffic fatalities were recorded in our area of the state. DPS Region 4 extends from Eastland to El Paso and down to Eagle Pass. Troopers were out on the highways in great force all through this period according to DPS Spokesman Sparky Dean. This and a high degree of publicity are credited with the lowered number of deaths. Last year's count totaled 50 traffic fatalities during the Memorial Day period and 15 of those deaths were credited to drunk drivers.

## Callahan Co. Names New Extension Agent

BAIRD—Robert K. Pritz becomes Callahan County's new Extension Agent June 23 according to an announcement made by County Judge Bill Johnson and District 7 Extension Director Scott Durham. The new agent will be headquartered in the Extension offices located in the Callahan County Courthouse. He will be responsible for all of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service's agricultural endeavors in the county.

"We are fortunate to now have Robert in Callahan County," said Durham. "He was reared in the San Angelo area and knows this part of Texas. I am very familiar with Robert's work and know he will soon become a real asset not only to his new county, but to the district as well."

Pritz comes to Callahan County from Wise County where he's been an Assistant County Extension Agent since June 1995. While in the position, he served as 4-H Coordinator with responsibilities in recruiting, training, and organizing activities relating to the youth program.

The new agent earned an M.S. in Range Science in 1995 from Texas Tech University, Lubbock. He worked as a graduate research assistant while at Texas Tech. His thesis research involved juniper consumption by Spanish and Angora goats. He assessed goat breed variations and their metabolic response to juniper.

Pritz received a B.S. in Animal Science/Range Management from Angelo State University in 1993. While at ASU, he was named an outstanding range student by the Texas Section of the Society of Range Management. He was also President of the University's Range Club; a member of ASU's Football Team; Block and Bridle Club; and Plant Identification team. While at ASU, he collected and interpreted data involving brush and grazing management.

The new agent lists his special skills as computer spreadsheet and word processing, experimental design and statistical analysis, and public relations and communications. He is a member of the SRM and the Texas County Agricultural Agents' Association.

Pritz fills the position vacated by long time Callahan CEA Greg Gerngross who retired March 31. Pritz, and his wife, Chasity, plan to live in Baird.

## County Commissioners Met May 28

By BILLY HARRIS  
Baird Correspondent

BAIRD—Callahan County Commissioners approved funding for the West Central Texas Interlocal Crime Task Force and hired a new Extension Agent during their regular session Wednesday morning May 28. Callahan County Judge Bill Johnson called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. with these officers present; Commissioners Harold Hicks, Precinct 1; Bryan Farmer, Precinct 2; Tommy Holland, Precinct 3; County Clerk Darlene Walker, and County Treasurer Dora Houshelle. The minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed and approved. Frank Cleveland spoke to the commissioners on behalf of the Task Force, saying that money seizures had declined in the past year. Drug seizures had not declined Cleveland said, but seizures of monetary value had decreased and the Task Force had been depending on these seizures to match the grant funds to

finance their operations. Callahan County Sheriff Eddie Curtis and County Attorney Allen Wright also spoke to the Commissioners on behalf of the Task Force. Since 1991 the task force has assisted with taking almost \$40,000 worth of drugs off Callahan County streets. Judge Johnson told commissioners the money, \$5,186, had been budgeted every year, but just had never been used before. After some discussion the commissioners unanimously agreed to fund the Task Force with a motion by Farmer and seconded by Holland. Robert K. Pritz was approved by commissioners to become Callahan County's new Extension Agent. He will replace Greg Gerngross who retired March 31st. Pritz will start his new job on June 23rd after he finishes up some business in Wise County where he serves as Assistant County Agent. Motion made by Hicks and seconded by Farmer. Holland made a motion to pay the bills that was seconded by Farmer.

## Hunter Education Courses To Be Held

Texas Hunter Education Courses will be held at Baird Activity Center on June 28 and 29. All hunters who are 12 years of age and older and have a birthday on or after September 2, 1971, must have successfully completed the course to hunt in Texas. Exceptions are hunters under the age of 17 and who's birthday is on or after September 2, 1971 when accompanied by a licensed hunter over 17 years of age. Hunters

under 12 years old must be accompanied by a licensed hunter over 17 years of age. This is a 12 hour course with 8 hours on Saturday, June 28th and 4 hours on Sunday afternoon, June 29th. Pre-registration is required. To register, call Bob Robinson at 915-893-5625, or Joe Speckels at 915-893-4112, or Game Warden Vance Wallace at 915-854-1135.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

JUNE 6  
Genie Penn  
Mrs. Ray Purvis  
Mary Callaway  
John M. Lapatis  
Michael Gregory  
Johnny Smoot  
Greg Rogers  
Debbie Markham

JUNE 7  
Harold Merrill  
Roger Williams  
Mrs. Billy Wright  
Nan Ree (Elzott) Rice  
Ricky Smith  
Sheila Teeters  
Teresa (Potter) Kennedy  
Tonja (Potter) Foster  
Theresa Cheshier

JUNE 8  
Winnie Filppin  
Zula Elliott  
Bobby Johnson  
Jerril Taylor  
Donna (Erwin) Ames  
Carlie Bludworth  
Fred Smith  
Rolan Bryan  
Thomas Bonar  
Carl Smith  
Tommy Oliver  
Matthew Tyler Reed  
Terrill Shane Smith

JUNE 9  
Mrs. O. M. Bailey  
Dancy Ratliff  
Rita McKee  
Charles Ray Green  
David Adams

Celeste Taylor  
Charity Renee Waggoner  
Bill Steele

JUNE 10  
Charles McCord  
Beth Arnold  
Troy Seals  
Cynthia Smart  
Bill Watson  
Scotty Elliott  
Robert McMillan  
Mrs. H. L. Ford  
Brandi Carol Adams  
Samantha Hutton  
Scott Brame

JUNE 11  
Mrs. B. C. Hargrove  
Nancy Mayes  
Mrs. Vernon Phillips  
B. F. Hutchins  
Mike Hardin  
Mrs. Wilburn Weiss  
Jimmy Joy  
Samantha Bomar  
Mrs. Harold Anderson  
Bill Dillard  
Daniel Crockett  
Joby "Scooter" Winfrey  
Robert "Bob" Stubblefield

JUNE 12  
Ellen Simpson  
Veron Falkner  
Dwayne Lee  
Brandon Kent Smith  
Ray Parrish

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Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Night Family Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Bob Wallace, Pastor (254) 725-6607



# NEWS

By  
**LINDA EDINGTON**  
Activity Director

Doris Adams enjoyed a surprise visit from her granddaughter, Lisa and two great-grandchildren, Crystal and Michael Rios.

Thoughts and prayers from Myrtle Wilson who is in the hospital.

Sylvia Smith sure looks pretty with her new perm.

Carol Savell was chosen as the employee for this week. Congratulations Carol.

Appreciation to Linda Wilson for the onions, to Frances Wolf for the candy and to Rhonda Schaefer for the cookies.

Ruby Harrell was the winner for a free meal at Jack's Place. Thanks Wanda and Jack.

Betty Montgomery from Midland and Dorothy Welch from Fort Worth visited Leila Montgomery.

Eunice Pointer visited with M.P. and Inola Wilcoxen.

Jo Ann Elston from Lingleville visited Bud and Dixie Ingram.

Activities during the week were:

**Monday:** Bingo winners were Gertie Powell, Dorothy Thomas (2), Vera Belyeu, Ruby Harrell (2), and Falba Shofner. Exercise class.

**Tuesday:** Art class. Popcorn and Skip-Bo games.

**Wednesday:** Sing-a-long with Bob Wallace. Exercise class.

**Thursday:** Bingo winners were Gertie Powell (2), Sylvia Smith (2), Vera Belyeu, Dorothy Thomas (2), and Falba Shofner. Skip-Bo games.

**Friday:** Singing with Bob Wallace. Sit-down-basketball.

**Sunday:** Pioneer Pentecostal. Flowers make life bearable.

## Clips, Quips & Comments

By KAY DENNIS MOSLEY

No doubt you've noticed all the wildflowers in our area this year. Aren't they beautiful?

As I recall, we didn't have many wildflowers last year. I believe it was due at least in part, to the late freeze in the early spring; plus a long dry spell (as in drought).

Seems as though the wildflowers are doubly lovely this year. They are larger and some of them seem to have a much deeper color.

You probably have your summer vacation plans already on the drawing board. We've had a few invitations for the summer. A long weekend family reunion of boating,

swimming, fishing, games and food at a weekend retreat of my cousins. Plus...a trip to Austin of sight-seeing, visiting and fun, and more. That's two trips to look forward to and who knows what other plans may emerge on the horizon.

Now that school is out, many families will be planning reunions, trips and vacations. Whatever your plans for the summer, whether you venture out of town, out of state, out of the country or spend the summer at home or at work in Cross Plains; have a wonderful, fun summer! Until next time, "C" "U".



**CRIMESTOPPERS LOGO WINNER**—Rolan Jones, Crimestoppers Coordinator (right) and Steve Jamison, Crimestoppers Board Member, present Nicole Clark with a check for \$25.00.

## PIONEER NEWS

By PIONEER QUILTING CLUB

There was a large number of our quilting ladies Tuesday. We enjoyed having Oliver Smith, D.P. Jones, James Alexander and John Miller for dinner. Laverne Hutton brought her granddaughter, Samantha Hutton, she quilted a while and we all enjoyed her. She also joined us for dinner. We finished Frankie Smith's quilt, and we are working on Helen Tillotson's applied handkerchief quilt. There are only a few quilts to finish before we stop for the summer.

There was a lot of laughter and talk at James and Jean Alexander's house over the Memorial Day holiday. Jim, Marla, Jack, Will and Ashley Alexander were here from Richardson. The boys spent some time fishing and hunting. Both boys will be playing baseball this summer. Ashley enjoyed seeing the animals that roamed the country side at night. Ashley also attended the Memorial Day service at the Pioneer Cemetery with her grandparents. She particularly liked saying the pledge. Everyone enjoyed themselves.

Oliver and Frankie attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Long of Carbon Friday. Saturday, Oliver, Frankie and Jean Fore went to Ranger and visited with Frankie's aunt, Ruby Ainsworth.

She had prepared dinner for them. Then they visited her sister, Dorothy Rogers and daughter Lanette. Saturday night they went to the Echo Musical.

Jamie and Mary Hutton and children visited with Cowan and Laverne recently. Their son Lynn, Pam, Brandy, Scott and Samantha ate supper with them Saturday evening. Friday night Cowan and Laverne attended their granddaughter, Shanna's, graduation exercise at Cross Plains. Laverne and sister Betty Haslam and brother Bob Dean attended the Memorial Services at Pioneer. Then they had coffee together at Laverne's house afterwards. J.D. and Sandy attended the graduation of their daughter, Shanna, Friday along with their other children Tabitha and Michael Jordan of Irving, Jamie and Mary, Janiesa and Jesse Hutton of Archer City, and Tamara and Payton Young. They all enjoyed their visit and holiday weekend.

Earlene Burge's grandsons, Jon Ochoa and Andrew Chisholm came from Brownwood to put a sealer coat on the storage building. Andrew and Dee Ann will be attending Stephen F. Austin College starting June 2nd.

## CP Crimestoppers Logo Winner Announced

The Cross Plains Crimestoppers recently held a contest asking students of Cross Plains ISD to think of a logo for the local organization. Students in grades first through twelfth were asked to participate. A \$25.00 prize was offered to the best entry. The Crimestoppers Committee was very pleased with the forty-two entries that were received. The students exhibited great creativity with their suggestions and it was not an easy decision to determine a winner. Nicole Clark, age 10, was chosen to have the winning entry. Nicole is the daughter of David and Cindy Clark. Her logo creation was "Give the Crooks Time! Report All

Crime!" This logo will now be used on signs that will be distributed in the Cross Plains area.

Crimestoppers is a non-profit organization that relies on donations. If you would like to make such a donation, please contact Susan Schaefer at her Accounting Office or Roxie Thomas at Citizens State Bank.

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## BURKETT NEWS

By  
**LOVERA STRICKLAND**

Linda Brady, sec.-treas. of the Burkett-Adams, Cemeteries reports more donations received for the upkeep of the two cemeteries. Those donating were: Mrs. Carl Burns, Est. \$100; Mildred Klarfield \$25; Bevo and Dorothy Webb \$50; Hollis and Dorothy Wills Adams \$25; Cora Robertson \$100; Lucille Carmichael \$100; Thomas and Sandra Stephens \$20; M/M Garvice Boyle \$50; M/M B.C. Porter \$25; Mrs. Rita Helburg and Elizabeth Schaefer \$100; Tom and Charlene Tapman \$50; W.D. and Ruth Newton \$25; Mildred Harlow, for E.P. Watson and Stella Watson Graves \$50; M/M LeRoy Williams \$25; Olene Chambers Johnson \$25; Edna Helms \$20; Ed Day \$25; Mrs. Phelix Watson \$25; Wayne Brown \$5; Madeleine Diehl (Hanke) \$50; Larry and Shirly West \$50; Verda Odom \$100; Virgil and Freeda Burkett \$50; Cody Golsen \$20; James and Liz Golsen \$25;

Henry and Charlene Burkett \$25; Robert L. and Maxine Cross \$30. The Board of Directors wish to express their appreciation for each donation.

Those visiting Jack and Lovera Strickland during the Memorial Day Holidays were Darryl and Kathy Tinney, Mindy and Lyndsey of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, Don and Kathy Tinney, Johnathon and Jonelle of Lefors; Jerry and Linda Strickland of Cross Plains and Jan and Ken Baker, Glenda Callaway and Bill Strickland.

Grace Green's visitors during Memorial Day weekend were Ross Brown of Grapevine, Frank Green and Kelly of Arizona, Virginia and Richard Armistead of Lamesa. Marsha and Jon Turney of Whon and Jack and Lovera Strickland attended Deonna Strickland and Dale Coopers high school graduation in Somerville May 23, 1997.

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## COLONIAL OAKS SERVICES

Pioneer Pentecostal will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, June 8, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Hello Cross Plains, First of all, congrats to all of 1997's seniors. I hope that all of your dreams come true and that God will always be there for all of you.

We hope that all of you back home in Cross Plains are doing fine.

We just recently got back to Okinawa after 20 days of leave on the main land of Japan. We had a good time. While we were there we went to a castle that is famous in Japan for all of its beautiful cherry blossoms. We went to one of Tomoko's cousin's wedding while there. The Japanese traditional wedding reception is

beautiful.

On the 24th of May, Marty Stuart, a Grammy Award winning country music star, came here for a concert. A lot of people showed up and it was a good time for all.

We do not know when we will PCS back to the states because we are currently indefinite here in Okinawa. Tyler is doing fine and he will be 14 months on June 13.

We miss everyone back there in Cross Plains. Take care of ya'll selves.

Warren, Tomoko, and Tyler

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The shop was remodeled by Bill,

Charlie and Ramona. They utilized the new country colors of barn red, hunter green and antique ivory. Part of the decor includes a Pottery Coop, Nanaw's Front Porch and an original Country Apple Dumpling Shed. The family used barnwood throughout the store accenting the country flair. Watch for the permanent Christmas Corner which will arrive soon. Big plans are anticipated for the rest of the building in the future.

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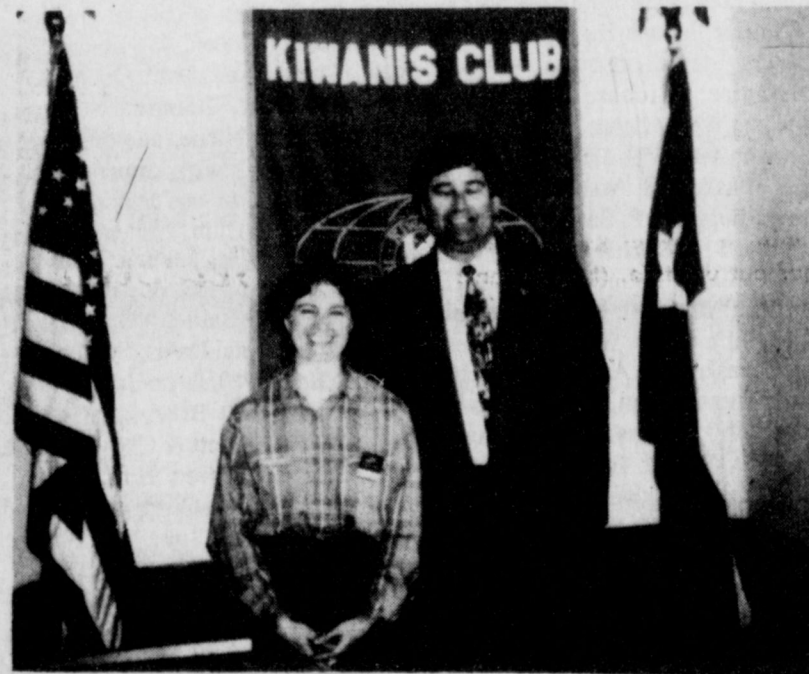
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**Future Plans:** For the time being I plan to attend nursing school to help pay for the cost of medical school. I hope someday to become world renowned for the work I do.

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## Project Graduation Another Huge Success

The Senior Class of 1997 enjoyed a fun-filled night after the Graduation Exercises.

All 29 seniors and their guests had fun playing games, watching movies, and eating lots of good food. A list of prizes and who won them is listed below.

Clara Nell Spencer, \$5.00, Hugo Mauricio; Underwood's Cafeteria, B'wood, James Beaty; Pauniece Oglesby/Mary Kay, \$15 boys gift certificate, Adam Anderson; Pauniece Oglesby/Mary Kay, \$15 girls gift certificate, Nikki Beggs; Pauniece Oglesby/Mary Kay, \$10 boys gift certificate, Brent Mackey; Pauniece Oglesby/Mary Kay, \$10 gift certificate, Shanna Hutton; Insights, Coleman, Class of '97 photo matt, Shanna Hutton; Insights, Coleman, Class of '97 photo matt, Amanda McGuire; Ross Jones, Coleman, \$30, Brian Keathley; Coleman Vet Clinic, \$30, Michael Tatom; Mickey Scott/Snap-on Tools, B'wood, \$25, Shanna Hutton; Joe Allen's BBQ, Abilene, \$15 gift certificate, Sean Jones; Cahoot's Catfish, Abilene, \$15 gift certificate, Adriana Monrreal; Cloud Printing, Abilene, calculator, Brandon Stover; Cloud Printing, Abilene, calculator, Brandon Stover; Cloud Printing, Abilene, calculator, John Chesshir; Cloud Printing, Abilene, calculator, Roger Pope; Bayer Motor, Comanche, \$25, Michael Tatom; Kuykendall Business, Abilene, Pencil Sharpener, Roger Pope; Flatt Stationers, Mexia, organizer, Jaonna Harris; Flatt Stationers, Mexia, organizer, Amanda McGuire; Richard Fourment, Abilene, \$25, Michael Tatom; 3-M, Brownwood, \$50, Hugo Mauricio; C.P. Basketball Association, \$10, Nikki Beggs; C.P. Basketball Association, \$10, Donnie Childers; C.P. Basketball Association, \$10, Adriana Monrreal; C.P. Basketball Association, Lee Wayne Wheeler; C.P. Basketball Association, \$10, Roy Turner; John Oliver, Brownwood, \$50, Malysa Sowell; Lurene McNutt, Bath & Body Works Location, Malysa Sowell; C.P. Review, 1 yr. subscription, Jason Carey; C.P. Review, 1 yr. subscription, Justin Richey; C.P. Review, 1 yr. subscription, Hugo Mauricio; Fullen Motor Co., Eastland, \$50, Malysa Sowell; Burlson Engineering, \$25, Jaonna Harris; Callahan Co. Sheriff's DARE, Baird, basketball, Adriana Monrreal; Callahan Co. Sheriff's DARE, Baird, Shanna Hutton; Callahan Co. Sheriff's DARE, Baird, tote bag, Adriana Monrreal; Phillips Drilling, \$15, Nikki Beggs; Abilene Teachers Federal Credit Union, Abilene, \$25, Cory Switzer; Shugart Studio, Levelland, Color Photo Package, Donnie Childers; Coleman County Telecommunications, Coleman, \$25, Porcius Potter; Collum's Restaurant, \$25 gift certificate, Malysa Sowell; Bowden Motel, \$10, John Chesshir; T&K Tire, oil & filter change, Justin Richey; City of Cross Plains, \$25, Brent Mackey; West Texas Utilities, \$25, Lee Wayne Wheeler; Dal-Mar Energy, \$25, Lee Wayne Wheeler; C.P. Frozen Foods, \$20, Porcius Potter; Johnson's Dry Goods, jeans gift certificate, Kris Knott; Koehnig's Family Store, tennis balls, Sean Jones; Koehnig's Family Store, buffalo necklace, Becky Foster; Ray's Barber Shop, \$10, Shanna Hutton; West Side Story, one lunch, Jason Carey; West Side Story, one lunch, Adam Anderson; C.P. Grain & Peanut, \$20, John Chesshir; C.P. Petroleum, 10 gals. gasoline, Donnie Childers; C.P. Petroleum, 10 gals. gasoline, Lee Wayne Wheeler; C.P. Petroleum, 10 gals. gasoline, Lee Wayne Wheeler; C.P. Petroleum, 10 gals. gasoline, Kris Knott; C.P. Petroleum, 10 gals. gasoline, Porcius Potter; Dale Mitchell Building, \$25, Michael Tatom; Jones Real Estate, \$25, Brian Keathley; The Back Room, t-shirt, Becky Foster; The Back Room, t-shirt, Connie Stout; Bill's Camera Shop, Abilene, camera outfit, Becky Foster; Rolling Oaks Golf Club, Rising Star, green fee/cart-18 holes, Roger Pope; C.P. PTO, \$10, Cory Switzer; C.P. PTO, \$10, James Beaty; C.P. PTO, \$10,

Constantino Reyes; C.P. PTO, \$10, Adriana Monrreal; C.P. PTO, \$10, Kris Knott; United Fund, \$10, Jason Carey; United Fund, \$10, Connie Stout; United Fund, \$10, Donnie Childers; United Fund, \$10, Crystal Davis; Blunck Studios, Oklahoma, boys t-shirt, Constantino Reyes; Blunck Studios, Oklahoma, mini photo album, Becky Foster; Blunck Studios, Oklahoma, signature gallery, Jeremy Barnett; Masonic Lodge, \$20, Hugo Mauricio; Abilene Printing, Abilene, pen/pencil set, Brandon Stover; Abilene Printing, Abilene, pen/pencil set, Adam Anderson; Lakeway, Surge canned drinks, Constantino Reyes; Carouth Construction, \$15, Cory Switzer; Netha's Day Care, \$10, Jason Carey; TNT Station, oil change, Cory Switzer; The Movie Store, movie rental, Roy Turner; The Movie Store, movie rental, Jeremy Barnett; The Movie Store, movie rental, Jason Carey; The Movie Store, movie rental, Jaonna Harris; The Movie Store, movie rental, Sean Jones; Jack's Place, \$5 gift certificate, Amanda McGuire; Jack's Place \$5 gift certificate, Nikki Beggs; Jack's Place, \$5 gift certificate, Roy Turner; Jack's Place, \$5 gift certificate, John Chesshir; Jack's Place, \$5 gift certificate, Constantino Reyes; Dairy Queen, \$5 gift certificate, Porcius Potter; Dairy Queen, \$5 gift certificate, Brandon Stover; Dairy Queen, \$5 gift certificate, Kris Knott; Dairy Queen, \$5 gift certificate, Connie Stout; Dairy Queen, \$5 gift certificate, Brandon Stover; Sam's Club, Abilene, one-time-use camera, Jason Carey; Sam's Club, Abilene, one-time-use camera, Roy Turner; Sam's Club, Abilene, one-time-use camera, Jaonna Harris; Sam's Club, Abilene, one-time-use camera, Jeremy Barnett; Jean's Feed Barn, \$20, Crystal Davis; Strength's Paint & Body, \$10, Jason Carey; All-Star Pump, \$35, Brian Keathley; Rusty, Debbie, Matt & Cody Reed, \$20, Brandon Stover; Hinkle TV, \$10, Brent Mackey; C.P. Ex-Student Association, \$10, John Chesshir; Greenwood Insurance, \$15, Adam Anderson; Rose Butane, \$20, Donnie Childers; Sylvia's Hair Shack, \$25, Brent Mackey; Sylvia's Hair Shack, haircut, John Chesshir; Sylvia's Hair Shack, haircut, Michael Tatom; Sylvia's Hair Shack, haircut, James Beaty; Sylvia's Hair Shack, haircut, Hugo Mauricio; Sylvia's Hair Shack, haircut, Roger Pope; Sylvia's Hair Shack, haircut, Roy Turner; Sylvia's Hair Shack, haircut, Constantino Reyes; Sylvia's Hair Shack, haircut, Justin Richey; Sylvia's Hair Shack, back pack, Connie Stout; Sylvia's Hair Shack, back pack, Nikki Beggs; Sylvia's Hair Shack, bath salts, Malysa Sowell; Sylvia's Hair Shack, biolage body, Nikki Beggs; Sylvia's Hair Shack, biolage body, Adriana Monrreal; Sylvia's Hair Shack, biolage body, Nikki Beggs; Sylvia's Hair Shack, biolage body, Jaonna Harris; Sylvia's Hair Shack, Sybil's cologne, Becky Foster; Sylvia's Hair Shack, shampoo, Adriana Monrreal; Sylvia's Hair Shack, spritz spray, Amanda McGuire; Sylvia's Hair Shack, shampoo/treatment, Shanna Hutton; Sylvia's Hair Shack, conditioner, Amanda McGuire; Sylvia's Hair Shack, dry hand/nail therapy, Connie Stout; Sylvia's Hair Shack, dry hand/nail therapy, Connie Stout; Sylvia's Hair Shack, perm moisture, Connie Stout; Sylvia's Hair Shack, perm moisture, Crystal Davis; Sylvia's Hair Shack, perm moisture, Connie Stout; Colonial Oaks Nursing Home, \$25, Donnie Childers; TxDOT, Abilene, TV/VCR, Sean Jones; Southwest Gas, Houston, pillow, Hugo Mauricio; Student Council, baseball dart game, Jeremy Barnett; Southwest Gas, Houston, sleeping bag, Brian Keathley; Student Council, Igloo Wheelie Cooler, Brent Mackey; Southwest Gas, Houston, clip-on light, Cory Switzer; Southwest Gas, Houston, Coca Cola dishes, Jaonna Harris; Southwest Gas, Houston, CD tower, Sean

Jones; Southwest Gas, Houston, bath towel set, Malysa Sowell; Student Council, Toni Braxton CD, Porcius Potter; Student Council, Tracy Lawrence CD, Roger Pope; Southwest Gas, Houston, beach towel, Malysa Sowell; TxDOT, Abilene, walkman, Jeremy Barnett; TxDOT, Abilene, sport bag, Donnie Childers; Student Council, boys watch, Kris Knott; Student Council, girls watch, Amanda McGuire; Woodmen of the World, Bangs, \$100, Porcius Potter; Southwest Gas, Houston, rifle sling, Cory Switzer; Southwest Gas, Houston, gun rack, Hugo Mauricio; Southwest Gas, Houston, flashlight, Brandon Stover; Southwest Gas, Houston, mini radio, Roy Turner; Southwest Gas, Houston, Igloo 1 qt. cooler, Justin Richey; Southwest Gas, Houston, 1/2 gal. insulated jug, Kris Knott; Southwest Gas, Houston, phone/camera/cass. player, Sean Jones; Southwest Gas, Houston, river rat tube, Amanda McGuire; Southwest Gas, Houston, clock radio, Lee Wayne Wheeler; TxDOT, Abilene, t-shirt, Jaonna Harris; TxDOT, Abilene, t-shirt, Brian Keathley; TxDOT, Abilene, t-shirt, Cory Switzer; TxDOT, Abilene, t-shirt, Jaonna Harris; TxDOT, Abilene, t-shirt, Brandon Stover; TxDOT, Abilene, t-shirt, Jeremy Barnett; TxDOT, Abilene, t-shirt, Lee Wayne Wheeler; Dick Jack's, San Angelo, cross pen/pencil set, Michael Tatom; Mall of Abilene, Abilene, \$10 gift certificate, Sean Jones; Mall of Abilene, Abilene, \$10 gift certificate, Crystal Davis; Mall of Abilene, Abilene, \$10 gift certificate, Roger Pope; C.P. Ex-Student Association, \$10, John Chesshir; C.P. Ex-Student Association, \$10, Donnie Childers; C.P. Ex-Student Association, \$10, Nikki Beggs; Weatherby Motor Company, B'wood, o/f change, car wash, lube, Crystal Davis; Grave Automotive, oil change, Shanna Hutton; Graves Automotive, oil change, Constantino Reyes; Subway, 6" value meal, Becky Foster; Subway, 6" value meal, Brian Keathley; Subway, 6" value meal, James Beaty; Subway, 6" value meal, Michael Tatom; Subway, 6" value meal, Michael Tatom; Subway, 6" value meal, Lee Wayne Wheeler; Connie's Cuts & Curls, shampoo/conditioner, Malysa Sowell; Connie's Cuts & Curls, shampoo/conditioner, Shanna Hutton; Connie's Cuts & Curls, body scrub, Amanda McGuire; Connie's Cuts & Curls, shampoo/gel for men, Justin Richey; Connie's Cuts & Curls, body scrub, Crystal Davis; Lillie Dillard, curling iron, Adriana Monrreal; Lillie Dillard, shampoo/conditioner, Becky Foster; Cliff & Connie Kirkham, answering system, Connie Stout; Judy's Hair Place, beverage cooler, Roy Turner; Judy's Hair Place, beach towel, Justin Richey; Judy's Hair Place, beach towel, Porcius Potter; Charlie's Truck Repair, \$40, Jeremy Barnett; Kiwanis Club, \$50 savings bond, Justin Richey; Kiwanis club, \$50 savings bond, James Beaty; Citizens State Bank, \$50 savings bond, Cory Switzer; Citizens State Bank, \$50 saving bond, Roy Turner; Village Market, \$100 savings bond, Lee Wayne Wheeler; Village Market, \$100 savings bond, Crystal Davis; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Grider, \$50, Jeremy Barnett; Stephens Home Health, Comanche, school supply basket, Justin Richey; Neal Drug, \$50, Lee Wayne Wheeler; Beta Sigma Phi, \$50 savings bond, Sean Jones; 1997 Senior Class, \$25.85, Nikki Beggs; 1997 Senior Class, \$25, Hugo Mauricio; 1997 Senior Class, \$25, Brent Mackey; 1997 Senior Class, \$20, Roy Turner; 1997 Senior Class, \$20, Constantino Reyes; 1997 Senior Class, \$20, Porcius Potter; 1997 Senior Class, \$20, Brent Mackey; 1997 Senior Class, \$20, Malysa Sowell; 1997

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### FIRST GRADE

#### MRS. HUNTER'S CLASS

Reading	Joey Westerman	Julianne Mack
Phonics	Markus Maxwell	Tiffany Walker
Spelling	Joey Westerman	Bryanna Santos
Writing	Brice Bowden	Tiffany Walker
Math	Joey Westerman	Tiffany Walker
English	Brice Bowden	Tiffany Walker

Social Studies	Joey Westerman	Tiffany Walker
Science	Joey Westerman	Tiffany Walker

Perfect Attendance: Brittany Franke, Joey Westerman, and Andrew Wheeler

Best Citizenship: Joey Westerman and Amber Jennings

Most Improved: William Meador

Buffalo Pride: Joey Westerman

#### MRS. WOERNER'S CLASS

Reading	Michael Curry	Gina Newsom
Phonics	J. Jay Callaway	Hailey Biggs
Spelling	J. Jay Callaway	Macayla Cook
Writing	Michael Curry	Gina Newsom
Math	Dalton Odell	Gina Newsom
English	Brett Wheeler	Hailey Biggs
Social Studies	Brett Wheeler	Macayla Cook
Science	Brett Wheeler	Hailey Biggs

Best Citizenship: Dalton Odell and Jenny Lewis

Most Improved: Justin Gardner

### SECOND GRADE

#### MRS. CLAUSEN'S CLASS

Reading	Russell Thomas	Amanda Isbell
Phonics	Russell Thomas	Kendra Strickland
Spelling	Russell Thomas	Kimberly Williams
Writing	Russell Thomas	Kimberly Williams
English	Russell Thomas	Amanda Isbell
Math	Russell Thomas	Ashley Rose
Social Studies	Russell Thomas	Ashley Rose
Science	Russell Thomas	Ashley Rose
Health	Russell Thomas	Ashley Rose

Most Improved: Lance Allison

UIL Creative Writing Participant: Russell Thomas

UIL Storytelling Participant: Russell Thomas

Perfect Attendance: Lance Allison, Nikke Hogrell, Ashley Rose, and Kimberly Williams

#### MRS. WHEELER'S CLASS

Reading	Jonathan Nelson	Danielle Felty
Phonics	Jonathan Nelson	Danielle Felty
Spelling	Jonathan Nelson	Danielle Felty
Writing	Parker Odell	Danielle Felty
English	Jonathan Nelson	Danielle Felty
Math	Justin Dickson	Danielle Felty
Social Studies	Jonathan Nelson	Danielle Felty
Science	Justin Dickson	Danielle Felty
Health	Justin Dickson	Danielle Felty

UIL Creative Writing - Third Place Winner - Danielle Felty

UIL Storytelling - Second Place Winner - Lara Jacques

UIL Storytelling Contestant: Danielle Felty and Mykea Douglass

Perfect Attendance: Clay James and Kristin Wells

### THIRD GRADE

#### MRS. THOMPSON'S CLASS

Reading	Ryan Payne	Ashley Hall
Spelling	Ryan Payne	Megan Thomas
Writing	Ryan Payne	Megan Thomas
English	Ryan Payne	Samantha Hutton
Math	Cory Beauchamp	Samantha Hutton
Social Studies	Ryan Payne	Ashley Hall
Science	Ryan Payne	Ashley Hall
Health	Ryan Payne	Samantha Hutton

UIL Ready Writing - Fourth Place Winner - Ashley Hall

UIL Ready Writing Contestant: Chance Watkins and Jarrah Hutchins

UIL Ready Writing Participant: Cory Beauchamp

UIL Spelling Contestant: Jesse Norris

UIL Storytelling Contestant: Clayton Thomas

UIL Storytelling Participant: Megan Thomas

Perfect Attendance: Cory Beauchamp

#### MRS. WILSON'S CLASS

Reading	Levi Wooten	Jesse Norris
Spelling	Levi Wooten	Jesse Norris
Writing	Levi Wooten	Jesse Norris
English	Levi Wooten	Jesse Norris
Math	Levi Wooten	Jesse Norris
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Most Improved: Amanda Purvell

UIL Spelling Contestant: Reba Rogers

UIL Storytelling - Fourth Place Winner - Levi Wooten

UIL Storytelling Contestant: Reba Rogers

### FOURTH GRADE

#### MRS. PURVIS' CLASS

Reading	Dillon Heath	Megan Felty
English	Brandon Horton	Karen Ross
Math	Dillon Heath	Karen Ross
Social Studies	Dillon Heath	Karen Ross
Science	Brandon Horton	Karen Ross

Reading Improvement Award: Justin Kelly

UIL Art Contest - First Place Winner - Karen Ross

UIL Contest Participant: Dillon Heath

UIL Number Sense - Sixth Place Winner - Morgan Robertson

UIL Oral Reading - Fifth Place Winner - Laura Johnson

UIL Oral Reading Contestant: Brandon Horton

UIL Oral Reading Participant: Matt Wilson

UIL Spelling - First Place Winner - Karen Ross

UIL Spelling Contest Contestant: Kali Phillips

UIL Ready Writing Contestant: Karen Ross

Perfect Attendance Award: Dusty Cooper, Rebecca Isbell, Karen Ross

#### MRS. STOVER'S CLASS

English	J.D. Cook	Katie Mack
Math	J.D. Cook	Megan Felty
Social Studies	Thomas Dimitri	Megan Felty
Science	Thomas Dimitri	Megan Felty

Reading Improvement Award: Nicole Clark

UIL Art Contest - First Place Winning Team Members - Megan Felty, Lori Hail, and Katie Mack

UIL Ready Writing - Second Place Winner - Katie Mack

UIL Ready Writing - Fourth Place Winner - Megan Felty

UIL Oral Reading Contestant: Misty Callaway

UIL Number Sense - Second Place Winner - Megan Felty

UIL Number Sense Participant: Matt Wilson

UIL Spelling - Fourth Place Winner - Katie Mack

UIL Spelling Participant: Misty Callaway

Perfect Attendance Award: Elias Bennett

#### MRS. ODOM'S READING CLASS

Reading	Eddie Rose	Misty Callaway
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### FIFTH GRADE

#### MRS. GOLSON'S CLASS

Reading	Andy Bennett	Jennifer Young
English	Andy Bennett	Jennifer Young
Math	Andy Bennett	Jennifer Young
Social Studies	Andy Bennett	Jennifer Young
Science	Andy Bennett	Jennifer Young

UIL Art Contest - First Place Team Members - Any Bennett and Jennifer Young

UIL Dictionary Skills Contestant: Brandon Phillips

Perfect Attendance Award: Andy Bennett

#### MRS. WALKER'S CLASS

Reading	Ryan Mack	Cassie Gallaway
English	Ryan Mack	Daley Anderson
Math	Ryan Mack	Daley Anderson
Social Studies	Ryan Mack	Amanda Rivard
Science	Ryan Mack	Daley Anderson

UIL Art Contest - First Place Team Member - Ryan Mack

UIL Art Contest Participant: Daley Anderson

UIL Dictionary Skills - Fourth Place Winner - Sammy Gardner

UIL Dictionary Skills contestant: Amanda Rivard

UIL Number Sense - First Place Winner - Ryan Mack

UIL Number Sense Contestant: Sammy Gardner

UIL Ready Writing Contestant: Daley Anderson

UIL Spelling - Third Place Winner - Ryan Mack

UIL Spelling Contestants: Hayli Foster, Daley Anderson, and Cassie Gallaway

Perfect Attendance Award: Ryan Mack, Kim Mosier, and Amanda Rivard

President's Award For Educational Excellence: Ryan Mack, Jennifer Young, Andy Bennett, Brittany Apple, and Daley Anderson

### SIXTH GRADE

#### MRS. MORGAN'S CLASS

Reading	Kevin Scott	Judith Hartman
English	Nathan Joy	Judith Hartman
Math	Kevin Scott	Judith Hartman
Social Studies	Nathan Joy	Judith Hartman
Science	Nathan Joy	Judith Hartman

Special Award For Punctuality, Attendance and Responsibility: Emily Winfrey, Kevin Scott, Nathan Joy, Marian Reed, and Byron McNutt

UIL Calculator Applications - Fifth Place Winner - Keali Eppard

UIL Calculator Applications Contestant: Dani Rivard and Amanda Kitchens

UIL Listening Contest - Second Place Winner - Nathan Joy

UIL Maps, Graphs and Charts - First Place Winner - Nathan Joy

UIL Maps, Graphs and Charts - Third Place Winner - Kevin Scott

UIL Maps, Graphs and Charts Contestant: Keali Eppard

UIL Maps, Graphs and Charts Participant: Cole Koenig

UIL Music Memory - First Place Winners - Amanda Kitchens and Judith Hartman

UIL Number Sense - First Place Winner - Judith Hartman

UIL Number Sense Contestants: Dani Rivard and Cole Koenig

UIL Oral Reading - Third Place Winner - Emily Winfrey

UIL Oral Reading - Fourth Place Winner - Judith Hartman

UIL Oral Reading Contestant: Brittany Rogers

UIL Oral Reading Participant: Mack Taff

UIL Ready Writing - Fifth Place Winner - A.J. Carouth

UIL Spelling Contestant: Emily Winfrey

Perfect Attendance Award: A.J. Carouth

#### MRS. RICCI'S ROOM

Reading	Byron McNutt	Sheila Bell
English	Aaron Lewis	Wendy Phillips
Math	Brandon Jones	Marian Reed
Social Studies	Aaron Lewis	Marian Reed
Science	Byron McNutt	Marian Reed

UIL Music Memory - First Place Team Member - Marian Reed

Perfect Attendance Award: Ronnie Gregory, Byron McNutt, and Marian Reed.

## Annual 4-H Fun Shoot Results

The second Annual 4-H District 7 Fun Shoot Extravaganza was a great success. The Callahan Co. 4-H Shooting Sports members wish to thank the following sponsors for their support: Callahan Co. Co-op, Ani-Pro; Galen Bogard; West Texas Cat; Young's Diesel; First National Bank of Baird, Abilene Branch; Callahan Co. 4-H Shooting Sports Coaches.

The opening ceremonies began by the dedication of Skeet Field #1 with a permanent plaque placed at the field to honor retired Callahan Co. Extension Agent Greg Gerngross. Greg was instrumental in establishing the 4-H Shooting Sports project in Callahan County and continued through the years to work in many areas to help the project progress to what it is today. Thank you, Greg, for all your work.

Eighty-one 4-Hers competed in the match traveling from Llano, Mills, Brown, Jones, and Taylor counties and area towns in Callahan County.

Those winning awards were:

### SKREET

Sub-Juniors - 1st, Zach Green, Callahan Co.; 2nd, Lucy Tyler, Callahan Co.; 3rd, Colton Turner, Callahan Co.

Juniors - 1st, Randy Lines, Taylor Co.; 2nd, Brian Robinson, Callahan Co.; 3rd, Andrew Pilgrim, Taylor Co.

Seniors - 1st, Chris Preuninger, Brown Co.; 2nd, Russell Osbourn, Brown Co.; 3rd, Clipper Strickland, Taylor Co.

SPORTING CLAYS  
Sub-Juniors - 1st, Colton Turner, Callahan Co.; 2nd, Billy Teague, Callahan Co.; 3rd, Zach Green, Callahan Co.

Juniors - 1st, Andrew Pilgrim, Taylor Co.; 2nd, Randy Linex, Taylor Co.; 3rd, Vasha Young, Callahan Co.

Seniors - 1st, Clipper Strickland, Taylor Co.; 2nd, Dow Scott, Callahan Co.; 3rd place, Russell Osbourn, Brown Co.

### TRAP

Sub-Juniors - 1st, Colton Turner, Callahan Co.; 2nd, Ryan Feller, Llano Co.; 3rd, Lucy Tyler, Callahan Co.

Juniors - 1st, Andrew Pilgrim, Taylor Co.; 2nd, Brian Robinson, Callahan Co.; 3rd, Cody Lawrence, Callahan Co.

Seniors - 1st, Clipper Strickland, Taylor Co.; 2nd, Dow Scott, Callahan Co.; 3rd, Russell Osbourn, Brown Co.

### 3-D ARCHERY (Compound)

Sub-Juniors - 1st, Jimmy Wilson, Callahan Co.; 2nd, Doyle Wilson, Callahan Co.; 3rd place, Brandon Speckels, Callahan Co.

Juniors - 1st, Matthew Lovorn, Jones Co.; 2nd, Charlie Speckels, Callahan Co.; 3rd, James Bryce, Callahan Co.

### 3-D ARCHERY (Recurve)

Sub-Juniors - 1st, Cody Walton, Callahan Co.; 2nd, Trent Rector, Callahan Co.; 3rd place, Candice

Coonrod, Mills Co.

TARGET ARCHERY (Recurve)  
Sub-Juniors - 1st, Cody Walton, Callahan Co.; 2nd, John William Hale, Mills Co.; 3rd, Trent Rector, Callahan Co.

Juniors - 1st, Zach Hayhurst, Callahan Co.; 2nd, Connally Rasor, Jones Co.

### TARGET ARCHERY (Compound)

Sub-Juniors - 1st, Brandon Speckels, Callahan Co.; 2nd, Jimmy Wilson, Callahan Co.; 3rd, Doyle Wilson, Callahan Co.

Juniors - 1st, Matthew Lovorn, Jones Co.; 2nd, James Bryce, Callahan Co.

CLOGT ARCHERY  
Sub-Juniors - 1st, Brandon Speckels, Callahan Co.; 2nd, Charlie Speckels, Callahan Co.

Juniors - 1st, Zach Hayhurst, Callahan Co.; 2nd, James Bryce, Callahan Co.; 3rd, Clayton Gist, Mills Co.

### SMALLBORE RIFLE SILHOUETTE

Sub-Juniors - 1st, Josh Calder, Llano Co.; 2nd, Kyle Patterson, Llano Co.; 3rd, Bryan Scoggins, Llano Co.

Juniors - 1st, Casey Hamilton, Mills Co.; 2nd, Matthew Lovorn, Jones Co.; 3rd, Randy Lines, Taylor Co.

Seniors - 1st, Caty Warrick, Callahan Co.; 2nd, Kris Kasper, Llano Co.; 3rd, Kane Kelly, Mills Co.

### SMALLBORE LIGHT RIFLE

Sub-Juniors - 1st, Josh Calder, Llano Co.; 2nd, Bryan Scoggins, Llano Co.; 3rd, Kyle Paterson, Llano Co.

Juniors - 1st, Casey Hamilton, Mills Co.; 2nd, Stephen Fortenberry, Brown Co.; 3rd, Taylor Thornhill, Brown Co.

Seniors - 1st, Kris Kasper, Llano Co.; 2nd, Kevin Fordyce, Mills Co.; 3rd, Beau Ward, Llano Co.

### SMALLBORE HUNTER PISTOL SILHOUETTE

Seniors - 1st, Kris Kasper, Llano Co. (5-in-a-row pigs); 2nd, Beau Ward, Llano Co.; 3rd, Jason Gerngross, Callahan Co.

### BLACKPOWDER SILHOUETTE

Seniors - 1st, Pete Saunders

### 3-POSITION SMALLBORE RIFLE

Sub-Juniors - 1st, Kyle Patterson, Llano Co.; 2nd, Bryan Scoggins, Llano Co.; 3rd, Cory Willingham, Llano Co.

Juniors - 1st, Russell Miles, Mills Co.; 2nd, Stephen Fortenberry, Brown Co.

Seniors - 1st, Danny Schwartz, Mills Co.; 2nd, Chris Preuninger, Brown Co.; 3rd, James Fortenberry, Brown Co.

The Traveling Trophy for the overall high point county came home to Callahan County this year. Congratulations Callahan County 4-Hers! You all did a great job!

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Thanks  
Steering Committee of  
Project Graduation

**Card Of Thanks**

We would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the people of Cross Plains EMS for the way they cared for me and took me to the hospital on May 23, and to the ones who mowed our yard, for your visits, the flowers, phone calls, cards and most of all your prayers. Friends are worth more than silver and gold.

May God bless each of you.  
Albert & Dorothy Lovell

**Card of Thanks**

"Thank you" to the Kirkham family, to all who came to the Spencer-Loving birthday party, and to those who sent cards or in any way helped to make the party a delightful experience. Friends and relatives came from "all over." Special appreciation to the friend who helped Samantha with her special card. My sincere love to each of you.

Billie R. Loving

**Card of Thanks**

To our friends and neighbors  
We want to thank each and everyone for all the cards, phone calls, flowers and your prayers, also the meal provided by First Baptist Ladies and friends. The kindness shown during the loss of our Dad was very special.

Ronnie & James Scott, Jr. and family

**Card of Thanks**

We want to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for all the lovely cards and beautiful flowers, telephone calls, visits and prayers most of all during my hospital stay and recuperation in Lubbock and Joe's visits to the doctor and caring for me. Also, we appreciated all the delicious food brought to us when we returned home.

It is very comforting to know our friends and neighbors were concerned about our recovery. A SPECIAL thanks to Lois Henderson for getting our mail and keeping our little dog, Herman and Norma Vandiver and Rodney and Barbara Callaway for the care of our home and livestock, and Bob Pipes for the many calls he made to Lubbock checking on us. It is true Cross Plains is a caring town. Our many thanks to everyone for all the acts of kindness done on our behalf.

Joe & Pauniece Oglesby

**Card of Thanks**

We appreciate all the kindness shown to us in our recent loss. Your cards, flowers, food, and prayers have meant a great deal to us. A special thanks also to the Baptist ladies who provided a delicious meal for us after the funeral, and to John Swift and his family for their ministry in music and message. What a blessing to live in such a caring community.

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**Card of Thanks**

A great big THANK YOU to all employees and staff of Cross Plains ISD for our caps and gowns at graduation. We appreciate your thoughtfulness.

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Class of '97

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**FOUND**—One pot bellied pig (254) 725-6416 and identify. 10-10

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**Eula High Class of '57 Reunion**

The Eula High School graduating class of 1957 will have their 40-year class reunion Saturday, June 14th, 6:00 p.m. at Ann's Country Steakhouse located half way between Clyde and Baird.

The response has been very positive and promises to renew old acquaintances. Class members are encouraged to bring old photos and scrapbooks or any other memorabilia of their school days.

The evening meal will be "dutch treat" and the spouses of class members are invited.

For further information contact Mary Payne at (915) 854-1269.

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**Ranch Rodeo Saturday**

The Callahan County Sheriff's Posse will host their 10th Annual Ranch Rodeo, Saturday, June 7th, beginning at 6pm, in the Sheriff's Posse Rodeo Arena in Baird.

The events scheduled for the Ranch Rodeo are things the "Old Time" Cowboys would do on a working cattle ranch.

Fifty local cowboys, working in ten, five men teams will perform: Team Penning, Team Branding, Team Mugging, Team Roping and everybody's favorite, the Wild Cow Milking!

Local businesses sponsor these teams, and each team, developed through the "luck of the draw" bears their sponsor's name.

The Callahan County Sheriff's Posse 1997 Ranch Rodeo Teams and Sponsors are as follows.

- METAL MART** Bubba Wilson, Wesley Wilson, Kelly McLaughlin, Tommy Smith and Charlie Palmer.
- 1ST NATIONAL BANK OF BAIRD - CLYDE - ABILENE** Shannon Staggs, Cliff Holley, Steve Crow, Robert Windham, and Dawson Burns.
- WICHITA FALLS PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION** Sam Seider, David Collins, Buck Campbell, Sam Hargrove and Matthew Scott.
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- CLYDE FARM AND RANCH SUPPLY** Dean Bowen, Michael Palmer, Roger Campbell, Kent Cribbs, and Bo Trojack.
- PARKER FUNERAL HOME** Steve Goldsmith, Rooster Hargrove, Archie Akers, Paul Burns, and Scotty Goldsmith.
- THE PEOPLE'S STATE BANK** Mel Matthews, Bob Golson, Ronald Green, Dale Isenhower, and John Fred McWilliams.
- CALLAHAN COUNTY VETERINARY CLINIC** Billy Collins, Kenneth Saunders, Doug Akers, Gary Richardson and Terry French.
- CALLAHAN COUNTY FARMER'S CO-OP** Rickey Beasley, Jim Hobbs, Wayne Smith, Cody Odum and Kim Walton.
- THRIFTY'S FOOD MART** Bobby Lee, James Hopkins, Richie Barr, Loren O'dell and Josh King

These businesses, not only sponsor a team, but also donate money to pay for prizes awarded to the Second and Third place teams. Cisco Rope Company of Cisco, gives ropes to the Fourth place winners.

Nelson Farm and Ranch Sales, and Luskeys Western Wear of Abilene furnish the first place trophy belt buckles given to each of the winning team members.

Benton Pruet of Baird, Foy Kelly of Baird, Steve Nail of Clyde, Mike Walker of Baird and Abilene Livestock Auction have donated the use of their livestock for the Ranch Rodeo.

For the young Cowboys and Cowgirls, seven and under, there will be a "Boot Race", a ten dollar first prize will be offered to the first contestant back across the line wearing both boots!

For the eight through twelve year olds, there will be a goat scramble. Two goats will be turned loose in the arena with ribbons on their tails!

Winners of this event will be the first two contestants back across the line with these ribbons. First prize is \$10.00, second prize, \$5.00.

For a full night of "Old West" family style fun, bring the entire family and come on out Saturday, June 7th, at 6pm, to the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse Ranch Rodeo.

A fully stocked concession stand will be offering soft drinks, barbecue sandwiches, chili dogs, nachos, chips, popcorn, candy, etc.

Adult tickets are three dollars, children under twelve can enter for one dollar!

**Chapman Family Hold Reunion**

The Chapman family reunion was held this past weekend locally at Tim Dill's home. There were five generations in attendance. The oldest relative present was 89 years young and resides in Abilene. Fifty people from Brady, Winters, Dallas, Fort Worth, Rowlett, Clyde and Abilene were

represented. They reported having a good time visiting, shopping in Baird, and a hayride Saturday night to Cottonwood. Tim is the grandson of Joe and Ethel Chapman of Ballinger.

**Kitchens-McWilliams Reunion Held**

The 1997 Kitchens-McWilliams Reunion was held May 31st and June 1st at the Cottonwood Community Center. Attendance was down this year, but we had forty-one people there.

Some of the younger ones played volleyball and pitched horseshoes and Bingo for prizes was played for any who wanted to play with everyone winning.

Relatives and friends there this year were Walter and Sheri Kitchens, Chris, Amanda and Kyle Kitchens and Tommy Neal Lee; Jesse Kitchens, Josh, Valen and Jagohn; Sheri Wheeler, Andrew and Christopher; Dale and Ann Kitchens from Cross Plains; Jerry and Ruby Kitchens from Albany; Jesse and Doris Kitchens from Abilene; from Snyder we had G.W. and Bobby Kitchens;

Claude and Verlette Kitchens, Margie Ferguson, Mary Burton and Ruby Smith; Opal Talbot was there from Sweetwater, Don Talbot from Fort Worth and Glen and Billie Talbot from Vernon; Greg and Deanna Jackson, Tiffney and Chris from Odessa and Jimmy Forbes from Baird; cousins from out of state were Jim and Angie McWilliams, Kathleen and Rachel from Playa, New Mexico; and Dan and Debby McWilliams from Coolidge, Arizona.

Guess the amount jars were won by Greg Jackson and Dan McWilliams. Door prizes were given to Josh Kitchens, Valen Kitchens, Greg Jackson, and Sheri Wheeler. We missed the ones who couldn't come and hope to see them next reunion.

**Perry Purvis Clan Hold Second Annual Reunion**

By JO PURVIS PAXSON

Descendants of Perry and Fannie Purvis met at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center, on Saturday, May 24, 1997. Prior to a delicious pot luck lunch we novices were allowed to observe several of the domino "masters" as they demonstrated their expertise. It must be a family trait because so many modestly professed to fall into the "master" category. Those who could not stand the excitement had a great time simply visiting and catching up on family news.

From the family of the late Otis and Treasy Purvis was daughter, Nelda and Bob Dean of Baird, their daughter Amy Hart with Landon and Kalley of Clyde and two sons; Audrey and wife, Jewel of Cross Plains, their son Rick and Delynn with children Dana, Daniel and Dustin of Eastland, daughter Cindy Payne with Jodi and Ryan of Cross Plains, and granddaughter, Andrea of San Antonio, and Mayor Ray Purvis of Cross Plains.

Jo Purvis Paxson, daughter of the late Travis Purvis attended from Boerne with husband, Audian. Faye Purvis, widow of Glenn, drove over from Strawn for the day. Louis and Marie Purvis from Brownwood attended with son, Burt

and grandson, Dwayne of Ft. Worth. Many thanks to Louis and Marie for their efforts in making this reunion happen.

Attending from Stephenville were Leo and Louise Purvis. Winona Purvis Treadwell of Brownwood was there along with two daughters and their families; Jeannie Davis of Brownwood and Barbara Sena and sons Matt and Jonathan of Hobbs, New Mexico. R.C. Reed drove his mother, Doyce Purvis Reed, down from Big Spring. Mrs. Ruby Wallace, widow of the late Doyle Purvis attended with daughter Ann Bartell of Ft. Worth and son Donnie of Strawn.

Adding to the reunion were several members of Perry's brother, L.M. "Fed" Purvis' family, including Golden, of Phoenix, Arizona, Richard and Jeanel of Cross Plains and Mrs. Janet Purvis of Cottonwood. It was a treat to see these folks again. All you Purvis kin who were unable to make this year's reunion due to end of school year activities - you were sorely missed! To avoid this conflict, the '98 Purvis Reunion is set for the last Saturday in June. We hope you'll mark your calendars now and make plans to come. Contact Louis and Marie Purvis at (915) 643-5291 for more information.

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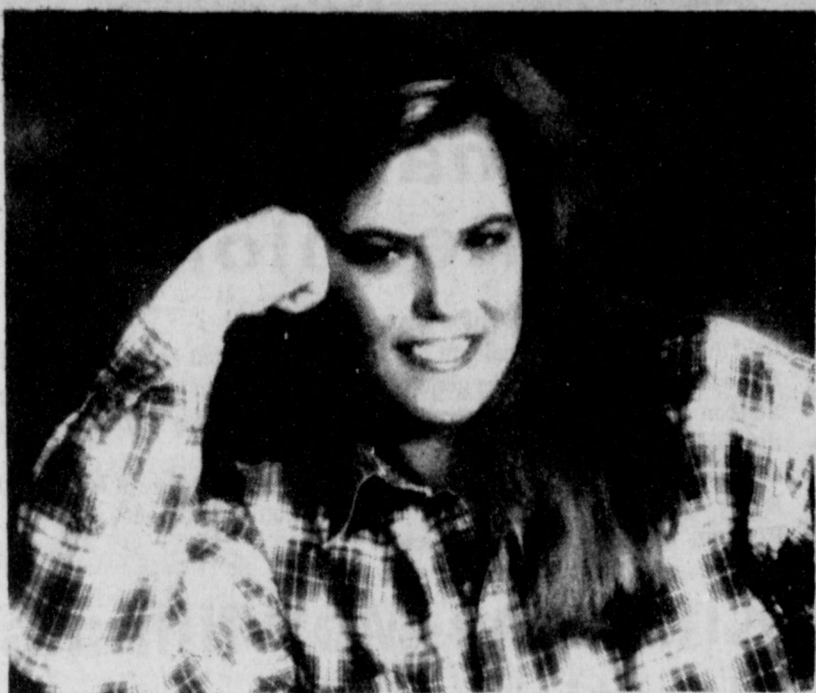
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AMBER LAWRENCE

### Local Couple's Granddaughter Graduates From Anton High School

Amber Lawrence recently graduated with the 1997 Class at Anton High School. She served as Class President for 2 years; President of the FHA for 2 years; FHA Sweetheart; Vice-president of the National Honor Society 1 year; Secretary of the Student Council 1 year; Yearbook Staff 3 years; and was Salutatorian of her class.

Miss Lawrence was the Hockley County 4-H Council President - 1995; Anton 4-H Club President 1993, 94, 96; District 2 Council Information Chairman 1996; Gold Star Award recipient 1995; I Dare You Award recipient 1995; Texas Junior Limousin Association Vice-president 1995; TJLA Queen 1996; and

TJLA President 1996.

She plans to attend Texas Tech University in the fall of 1997 and obtain a Bachelor's of Science Degree in Home Economics Education. Amber received the C.J. Davidson scholarship, the Camille G. Belle scholarship, and the salutatorian scholarship from Texas Tech University.

Amber is the daughter of Bruce and Paula Lawrence of Anton, the granddaughter of James and Wilma Lawrence of Cross Plains and Bufford and Dorothea Conn of Anton, and the great-granddaughter of Bernice Conn of Abernathy and Lawson Arm of Clyde.



JORDAN MARIE CRAWFORD

### Locally Known Girl Graduates In South Carolina

Jordan Marie Crawford is a 1997 graduate of Summerville High School in South Carolina. She attended Cross Plains High School her sophomore year and part of her junior year.

She is now assistant manager of a recently opened Dairy Queen in Summerville. Jordan plans to attend

photography school in the future.

Miss Crawford is the daughter of Roger Crawford of Cross Plains and Ramona Brooks Lewis of South Carolina. Her grandparents are Dale and Betty Crawford of Cross Plains and Kenneth and Louise Brooks of Arlington. Blanche Brooks of Cross Plains is her great-grandmother.

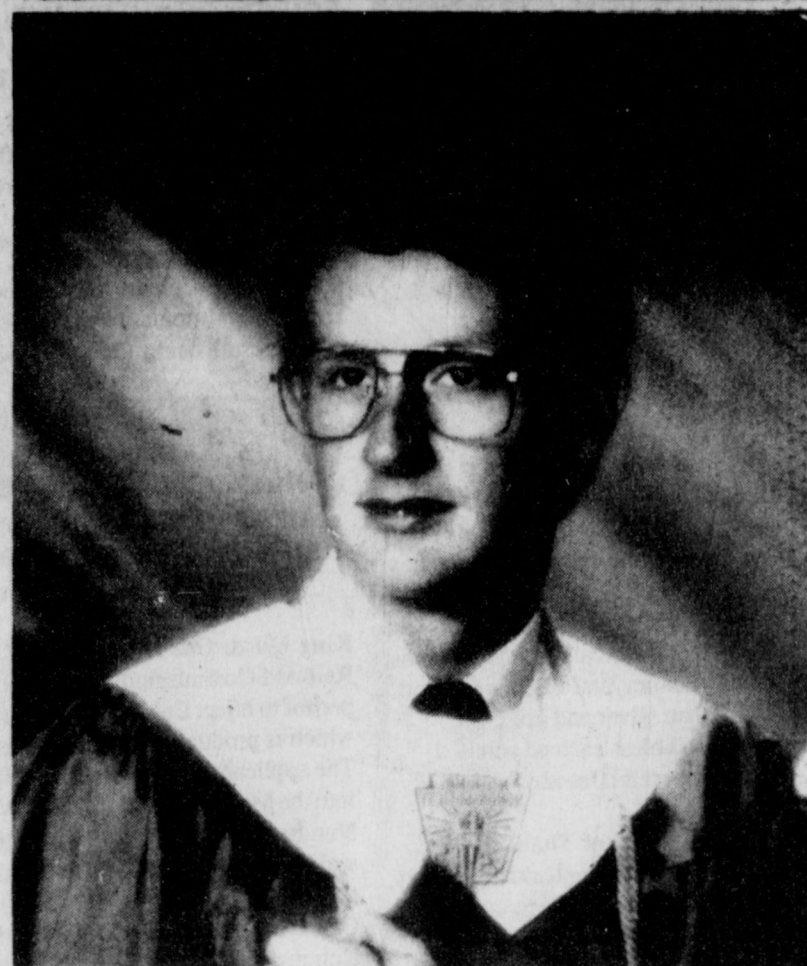
### Local Couple's Grandson Honored at 8th Grade Graduation

Riley Moore graduated from the 8th grade Friday, June 30, at Bangs. Out of a class of 64 students, Riley had the highest grade average. He was named valedictorian and received a medal.

He also received four awards for U.I.L. — one being 1st place indi-

vidual in Life Science.

Riley is the son of Johnny Moore of Cross Plains and Gordon and Cathryn Harkey of Lake Brownwood. His grandparents are J.D. and Jean Moore of Cross Plains.



MICHAEL BECKETTOLD

### Michael Beckettold Graduates From Early

Michael Beckettold, son of Robert and Patrician, of Early was named salutatorian of Early High School for 1996-97 year.

He plans to attend Tarleton State University to major in computers. He has been in band for 4 years, National Honor Society for 3 years, a 4 year participant in various UIL competitions, model United Nations 1 year, 4-H, speech and drama club and a member of Texas Rabbit Breeders Associations and the American Rabbit breeders Associations. He is a member of Austin Ave. Church of Christ.

At the awards ceremony Monday night Michael was named a Tandy Technology Outstanding scholar, Tandy Technology top 2 percent, A-B Honor Roll Award, Business Award and UIL awards.

Michael is the grandson of James and Ruby Clark of Lake Brownwood and the great-grand son of Daisy Holcomb and the late Wes Holcomb. A graduation supper is planned to honor Michael, May 31, from 3:00-5:00 p.m., at the Early First Baptist Church. All friends and family members are invited to come by for a visit.

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