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EDITOR'S NOTE: J.W. (Beans) Gaines, a native of the Burkett Community, has been very sick for several months. He had a tumor removed from his brain about two months ago.

Mr. Gaines wrote this very touching poem honoring his Lord and Savior and Yuna V. Burkett felt it would brighten Mr. Gaines' day to share it with others. Vanda Anderson Creech

### "The Visitor"

I slowly opened the door,  
And much to my surprise  
There stood my Lord and Savior,  
Right before my eyes.

I said, "Please come in my Lord  
And have a cup of tea,  
And tell me please, what have I  
done  
That you would visit me?"

He said, "Son, there is nothing  
wrong.  
Your ducks are in a row,  
I just came by to tell you  
Some things you may not know."

And sure enough, He told me  
things  
They didn't teach in school.  
"You are doing just fine my son,  
Just don't forget the golden rule."

I will write the date down in the  
book  
Where I keep all great events,  
And I'll put a sign above the door  
Where "Jesus" came and went.

Beans would be very happy to hear  
from some of his hometown folks.  
His address is:  
2120 Antioch Road  
Dalton, GA 30721-4820.

## First Baptist Announces New Pastor and Family

The First Baptist Church is pleased to announce the arrival upon the field of their new pastor, Bro. Wayne A. Lenz. He comes to Cross Plains from the First Baptist Church of Plum Grove, which is near the Conroe area north of Houston.

Bro. Lenz, 36, and his wife Kelly were raised in New Caney. They have two daughters, Kari, a sophomore in high school, and Wendi, a fourth grader. Bro. Lenz is currently working toward a degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. His hobbies and interests include golf, hunting, and reading. November 8th will be Bro. Lenz's first Sunday at First Baptist Church. The congregation wishes to extend an invitation to the community to attend their services and get to know the Lenz family.

## Love fund established for Hutton Family

A Love Fund has been opened at the Citizens State Bank for Jamie and Mary Hutton to defray funeral expenses for their infant son, Dusty. Your contributions will be greatly appreciated by the family. Keep them in your prayers during this difficult time.

## Special Deer Hunters Drawing Featured at Art Show Nov. 6-7

The Paint and Palette Club will be hosting an Art Display and Sale on November 6-7 at the Cross Plains Community Center. This will take the place of the competitive art show.

All area artists are encouraged to set up your displays on Thursday, November 5, at 4:00 p.m. You will be responsible for all your own exhibits.

The exhibit will be open Friday and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Punch and cookies will be served Saturday.

A People's Choice award plus a cash prize of \$100 will be presented by the club.

Betty Beggs has agreed to give a western painting at a special drawing for deer hunters and their family. You must be present to win. This drawing will take place at 4:00 p.m. Saturday.

Random drawings for Buffalo Bucks will be held throughout the two-day event.

Manuel Garcia, Jr., the Spanish instructor at Cross Plains High School, will be drawing caricatures of individuals on Saturday. This is sure to be entertaining.

Come out and view the display and meet the area artists.

## Lord's Acre at Rising Star Methodist Church Nov. 6-7

The Rising Star Methodist Church will be hosting their Annual Lord's Acre Festival Friday and Saturday, November 6-7.

There will be a Country Store, Bake Sale, a drawing for a quilt and a luncheon on Saturday, November 7.

Come and bring a friend. You are sure to have a good time.

## Boy Scout Food Drive Slated for Saturday, Nov. 7

Local Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts will be collecting non-perishable foods for their annual food drive on Saturday, November 7.

The boys need to be at the Scout Hut at 9:00 a.m. and the food drive will begin around 9:30 a.m.

If you are not planning to be home, please leave donated items on your porch.

Beta Sigma Phi will help distribute the collected items in food baskets prepared for the area needy families for Thanksgiving.

Your generosity will be appreciated by all!



SWEETHEARTS — Jennifer Turner (from left) was named Football Sweetheart and LeaJean Wyatt Band Sweetheart. Photo courtesy of Greg Turner.

## Band and Football Sweethearts Announced

Cross Plains High School crowned their Band and Football Sweethearts during halftime ceremonies last Friday evening.

LeaJean Wyatt was chosen Band Sweetheart by the Buffalo Marching Band.

Other nominees were Stephanie Castleberry, daughter of Randy and Sherri Castleberry; Brittany Bennett, daughter of Phillip and Sheri Bennett; and Ann Stephenson, daughter of Charles and Sharon Stephenson.

LeaJean is the daughter of Tony and Terry Jane Wyatt, granddaughter of Joe and Jean McWilliams and Betty Wyatt, and great-granddaughter of Rosalea Bonner and Rev. J.H. McWilliams.

She has been a member of the high school band for the past 6 years, serving in the Flag Corp the last 4 years and as band officer. LeaJean

also participates in basketball, cross country, track, 4-H, One Act Play, and FFA. A senior this year, she has had a busy high school career and plans to continue her education at Texas A&M at Galveston.

Jennifer Turner was named Football Sweetheart by the Varsity Buffaloes.

Other nominees were Vanessa Webb, daughter of Wayne and Darlene Webb and Tiffany Guise, daughter of Fred and Donna Smoot. Jennifer is the daughter of Greg and Dannes Turner, granddaughter of Homer Turner, Peggy Dickson and Clyde Dickson, and great-granddaughter of Ruby Dickson.

She is a sophomore and has been active as a cheerleader for the past two years. Jennifer also participates in cross country, basketball, track, golf, FFA and is a member of First Baptist Church.



REGIONAL BOUND CROSS COUNTRY TEAM — Mary Jo Nickerson (from left), Lauri Ricci, Brittany Bennett, Elizabeth McCarty, Jennifer Turner, Whitney Giles and Brandi Richey. Photo courtesy of Greg Turner

## Girls Cross Country Team Qualified for Regional Competition

By COACH MACK  
MCCONAL

Cross Plains Cross Country runners competed in District 10A races Saturday, October 31, at Lakewood Golf Course. Both boys and girls in high school and junior high repre-

sented their school in a very positive way. The runners have had an excellent year.

Weather Saturday was nearly perfect for competition with cool south winds and cloudy conditions.

Results were as follows:

- Jr. High girls - ran 1 mile - 23 runners - finished 2nd as team
  - K. Hyles - 2nd - 6:35
  - S. Hyles - 3rd - 6:36
  - S. Watson - 12th - 7:03
  - D. Eppard - 14th - 7:08
  - A. Rivard - 17th - 7:27
- Jr. High boys - ran 1 mile - 21 runners - finished 1st as team
  - B. Phillips - 2nd - 6:04.20
  - R. Mack - 3rd - 6:04.41
  - J. Mauricio - 4th - 6:07
  - A. Bennett - 8th - 6:18.31
  - M. Williams - 9th - 6:18.54
  - D. Dickson - 10th - 6:19
  - R. Duncan - 19th - 7:25

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## 3RD ANNUAL HUNTERS FEED SATURDAY, NOV. 7 AT J&L SALES LOT AT RED LIGHT HWY 206 & 36

The Third Annual Hunters Feed will be held Saturday, November 7, at J&L Sales lot at the red light in Cross Plains. KIX Radio Station of Brownwood will be cooking hamburgers for area hunters from 11:00 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Hunters will be able to register for random drawings for gift certificates. The gift certificates must be redeemed at the individual place of business which donated them.

The event was a great success last

## Muddy Creek Band to Perform at Benefit Dance Saturday

On Saturday, November 7, from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. the Senior Citizens Center will hold their Annual Dance benefiting "Meals on Wheels."

The fantastic Muddy Creek Band will be performing. Admission is \$3.00 for adults, \$2.00 for ages 6-12 and 5 and under are free.

Please bring a snack -- no alcohol or tobacco.

Everyone is invited. This is not just for senior citizens. Ya'll come!

## Local Lord's Acre Festival November 14

It is time once again for the "Lord's Acre Festival" at First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains. This has been an annual event at the church for almost 40 years. It takes a lot of time and effort by every member of the church to carry out this spectacular production.

The "Festival" will be held Saturday, November 14. A turkey and dressing dinner with all the trimmings will be served from 5 to 7 p.m. in the church Fellowship Hall. From 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. the "Gift Shop" will be open at the church. Mary Barton will be doing "Silhouettes" from 2 to 4 p.m. Following the dinner at 7 p.m. there will be an auction.

Items to be auctioned are - hand-made quilts, quilt rack, various crocheted items, "Cow" collection donated by Mrs. Dean Wood from Lake Brownwood, oak "Farm Table" and 4 chairs, (Saucy Walker, an antique doll from the 1950's), McCoy vase, Christmas Yard Art, Stained Glass Art by United Methodist Youth, many hand-crafted gift and decorator items. Also available for the auction will be all kinds of home-baked goods - cakes, pies, candy, jelly, and preserves -

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## CHRISTMAS VILLAGE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

By SHERI BENNETT

Preparations for Christmas Village '98 are well underway. Time is getting very short, and many volunteers are hard at work. However, more volunteers are needed. There is a task for anyone who is eager to give their time and talent.

Adult volunteers are needed to work with school children for the

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year. It is an expression of appreciation to all the hunters who have boosted the local economy through hunting leases, supplies, etc., purchased in Cross Plains.

If you would like to donate a gift for the drawing contact Rusty Reed (254) 725-7363 or Joe Kemp (254) 725-7158 or make a deposit in the Hunters Feed Account at Citizens State Bank.

Hunters and landowners are cordially invited to attend.

## COUNTY BURN BAN LIFTED

By BILLY HARRIS  
Special Writer

BAIRD—Callahan County Judge Bill Johnson announced that the burn ban for Callahan County has been lifted Wednesday, October 21.

"Due to the rain we've had the past two days," said Johnson, "and many requests we have had by citizens wanting to have outdoor burns, the burn ban is lifted."

If conditions become dangerous again the judge said he would reinstate the ban which had been in effect since June 25.

"We haven't received any requests not to lift the ban," he added.

## \$5,000 Raised for Injured Oplin Firefighter

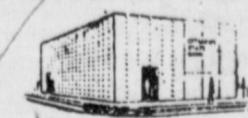
By BILLY HARRIS  
Special Writer

ABILENE—A joint effort by many volunteers raised over \$5,000 to Make a Difference for injured Oplin Volunteer Firefighter JoAnn Winters on National Make a Difference Day Saturday, October 24.

Rural Metro Ambulance, of Abilene, put together an "on the street" fund-raiser for the severely burned fireman that remains in a Lubbock hospital with second and third degree burns over 40% of her body. JoAnn was burned when she fell from a firetruck during a grass fire in southern Callahan County on October 14. She was flown to the Lubbock hospital that evening after first being treated at Hendrick

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## COURTHOUSE NEWS

### COUNTY COURT Bill Johnson presiding

#### Misdemeanor Minutes

Robert Wayne Schneider, probation revoked; sentenced to 60 days in jail. Motions filed to revoke probations: Kim Thomas, Burl Miller, Raymond Roy, Devin Ingram, Victor Lee Cruz.

Melanie Shackelford, probation extended to 4-14-99.

Gabino Rodriguez-Apolinar, resisting arrest, \$250 fine \$199.25 court costs, 20 days in jail.

Damion Hernandez, DWI, \$100 fine \$199.25 court cost, 10 days in jail.

Probations discharged: Ron Glen Darnell, Randall Lee Parker, Richard Wayne Edgar, Patrick Brian Hamilton, Joshua A. Higginbotham, Misty Jeffery.

Burl Miller, motion dismissed to revoke probation.

Edwardo S. Castaneda, probation revoked; sentenced to 45 days in jail.

Brandt Duane Bennett, DWI, \$100 fine \$214.25 court costs, 10 days in jail.

Frank Freeman, theft of property by check, \$50 fine \$201.25 court costs, 6 months probation.

### MARRIAGE LICENSE

DeDe Ann Arms & James Wesley Havner, Jr. of Abilene.  
Marsha Arlene Stallings & Tommie Don Harris of Baird.

### 42ND DISTRICT COURT John Weeks, presiding

#### Civil Filings

Peoples State Bank, Clyde vs Bobby Lee default on notes.

#### Divorces filed:

Willars, Brenda Lea & Albert Kirkham, Robbie L. & Kurtis Lynn, and in the interest of minor child.

Davis, Glenda F. & Bryan K. and in the interest of minor child.

Warner, Belinda M. & Ronald Eugene, and in the interest of minor children.

Harman, David Charles & Nancy Morris.

#### Civil Minutes

Stacy Wayne Graham, found to be \$12,683 in arrears in child support; new schedule of payments began 11-1-98.

#### Divorce granted:

Deaver, Angela J. & James D.

#### Felony Minutes

Ronnie Scott Claxton, motion dismissed to revoke probation.

Adam J. Cobb, theft, \$2000 fine \$224.25 court costs, \$1800 restitution, 2 years in jail probated for 5 years.

## OBITUARIES

### Dusty Hutton

Dusty Hutton, 7-week-old infant, of Rising Star, passed away Tuesday, October 27, 1998, at his home in Eastland County.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, October 30, 1998, at the Higginbotham Chapel with Bob Pipes officiating. Burial was in Pioneer Cemetery in Eastland County with Higginbotham Funeral Home of Cross Plains in charge of the arrangements.

Dusty was born in Eastland. Dusty is survived by his parents, Jamie and Mary Hutton of Rising Star; one brother, Jesse Hutton and one sister, Janiesia Hutton both of Rising Star; his grandparents, C.W. and Ladena Best of Cisco and J.D. and Sandy Hutton of Rising Star; his great-grandparents, Bessie Mitchell of Gentry, Arkansas; Cowan and Laverne Hutton and Lester and Jewel Linney all of Rising Star; and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Pallbearers were Randy Best, Kevin Farmer, Michael Jordan and Payton Young.

### Betty Jo Hart

EASTLAND—Betty Jo Hart, 74, passed away Wednesday, October 28, 1998, at her home.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Bakker Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jim Andrews officiating. Burial was in Eastland Cemetery.

Mrs. Hart was born in Rising Star and graduated from Eastland High School. She married R.D. Hart in 1958 in Abilene and worked as an operator for Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. for 25 years until retiring in 1970. She was a member of the Bethel Baptist Church.

Survivors include one son, Truitt Hart of Eastland; and two grandchildren.

### Ivy Allen

RISING STAR—Ivy Allen, 92, passed away Wednesday, October 28, 1998, in a Brownwood hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel with Dick Williams officiating. Burial was in Blake Cemetery.

Mrs. Allen was born in May and was a homemaker. She lived in Blake and Williams before moving to Rising Star in 1985. She was a member of First Baptist Church and was the widow of Earl A. Allen, whom she married in 1923 in May.

Survivors include one sister, Amy Turner of Breckenridge; and several nieces and nephews.

## CHRISTMAS

Living Kids' Window. Seamstresses and artistic minds are needed to help make costumes. Willing performers of all ages are essential to entertain in living window displays during Christmas Village. Creative decorators are desired to put together a miniature Gingerbread Town from the entries to the Gingerbread House contest. Extra hands could always be used to help decorate displays and move equipment. Anyone with willing hands and a cooperative spirit can find a perfect job just for them. Volunteers should contact Sheri Bennett at 725-6678 as soon as possible. Please leave a message if there is no answer.

We have contemplated having a Quilt Show during our "Gingerbread Christmas." If you would like to enter a quilt or would like to help work the Quilt Show, please contact Sheri Bennett or Shirley Snodgrass as soon as possible. Participation depends on community interest.

The Library will display various collections. If you have an interesting collection which you would be willing to display, please contact the Library or Joan McCowan.

We also have a need for old "eggcrate" or foam mattress pads to be used for costumes. If you have some you are willing to donate, please take to Country Kin or put upstairs in Higginbotham's as soon as possible. Costumes will be started immediately.

Several more new activities and displays are being planned. Project Pride and Christmas Village volunteers are so excited. A walk-through tour, "A Gingerbread Fantasy," is being planned in the Wheeler Paint and Body building. There will be different drawings and giveaways EVERY evening. Watch for specific guidelines in the following weeks! There will be live entertainment every night. There are tentative plans for a Kids' Fair. A Gingerbread House contest will be held for children AND adults. The entries will be made into an entire Gingerbread Village and will be judged by People's Choice and Official Judges. Many more exciting events and activities are also being planned. Special details and time schedules will be published in the next few weeks.

Project Pride invites everyone to be a part of "Christmas Village '98: A Gingerbread Christmas." Working together as a community gives one such a sense of pride and accomplishment. With your help, this year's Christmas Village can be the best we have ever had!

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## Hendrick Cancer Center to offer smoking cessation classes in honor of the Great American Smokeout

Smoking is the number one preventable cause of mortality. The effects of use of tobacco take the lives of one in five Americans each year. Hendrick Cancer Center wants to help you to stop the smoking habit! During the Great American Smokeout Month, you can take part in activities to help you kick the habit.

Beginning November 10, at Hendrick Health Place in the Mall of Abilene, Fresh Start Smoking Cessation Classes will be offered, free of charge to the community. The class will include four sessions, November 10, 12, 17 and 19. The classes

will be presented by the American Cancer Society. Reservations can be made by calling 670-4200 or 692-5595.

From November 19-21 at Hendrick Health Place community members can trade their cigarettes in for a coupon from Luby's. Hendrick Cancer Center want you to choose something healthier! Education and resource information will also be available Thursday, November 19, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., Friday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Help save a life by encouraging your friends and loved ones to give up the smoking habit.

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## CHURCH SERVICES

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

10TH & MAIN CROSS PLAINS (254) 725-7629  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

Rev. Wayne Lenz - Pastor • Jason Kempf - Youth & Music Minister

### UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer Time ..... 7:00 p.m.  
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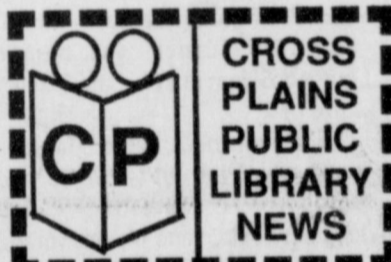
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Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Night Family Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Bob Wallace, Pastor (254) 725-6607

### ROMAN CATHOLIC FOUR-CITY PARISH

Saturday Vigil Mass: 6:00 p.m. St. Francis (English) 806 S. Halbryan Eastland, Texas  
Sunday Mass:  
8:30 a.m. Holy Rosary ..... F St. at 12th ..... Cisco, Texas  
10:00 a.m. St. Rita (Rectory) ..... 1109 Blackwell Rd. ..... Ranger, Texas  
10:00 a.m. \* St. Francis (Spanish) ..... 806 S. Halbryan ..... Eastland, Texas  
11:30 a.m. St. John ..... Hickory Street ..... Strawn, Texas  
Pastor: Fr. Vincent B. Inametti (254) 647-3167  
\* Deacon Jesus Ruiz (254) 653-2536



Circulation  
Cross Plains books: 72  
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Total for October  
Cross Plains Books: 339  
Abilene Books: 30  
Audio Cassettes: 36  
Total: 405  
New Library Cards: 3  
Memorials: Oscar Tyler by Jack and Katherine Tunnell  
Dorothy Thomas and Glen Champion by Frank and Eloyce Gallivan  
New Books:  
Young adult: The Reckoning by Beverly Lewis  
Western: End of the Drive by Louis Lamour  
Romance: Forever After by Catherine Anderson  
Murder: Unspeakable by Sandra Brown  
Lost Innocence by Patricia McDonald

## Project Pride Regular Meeting November 10

Project Pride will hold their regular monthly business meeting at 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, November 10, at the Cross Plains Public Library. The public is invited.

## COLONIAL OAKS SERVICES

Church of Christ will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, November 8, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

Selected Scriptures  
Your promise reminds me, it comforts me in all my troubles. Psalm 119:50  
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NEW LOCATION: For Take-Out Meals will be the church parsonage at 1217 N. Main from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. All Take-Out Meals are \$5.00 each. For deliveries call 725-7694. Tickets may be purchased in advance from church members.  
"A Special Thanks" to Jean McWilliams, chairperson of our Lord's Acre Festival.

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Lord's Acre  
Festival Time Again  
The Rising Star Methodist Church will host the Annual Lord's Acre Festival this November 6 & 7.  
There will be a Country Store, Bake Sale, a quilt to be awarded by drawing, and a luncheon on Saturday, November 7.  
Come & bring a friend.

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WEDNESDAY SPECIAL  
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Lord's Acre Fall Festival  
Saturday, November 14  
TURKEY DINNER  
At Church 5-7 p.m.  
\$5 Adult, \$2.50 child  
TAKE -OUTS  
4:30 - 6:30 p.m.  
at Parsonage  
1217 N. Main  
Call 725-7694  
\$5.00 per plate  
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MARY BARTON  
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# NEWS

By  
**LINDA MERRITT**  
Activity Director

The residents commented on how they enjoyed seeing all the cute little spooks that came to trick or treat them Saturday night.

Special appreciation to our anonymous friend for the lovely fall arrangements that were sent to our residents. God Bless You!

Appreciation to Frances Wolf for the donuts, to Best Med. from Brownwood for the Halloween candy bags and cookies and to Vernell Bishop for the blouses.

A warm welcome to our new resident Novella Barton.

Minnie Swann was our winner for a free meal at Jack's Place. Thanks Wanda and Jack.

Susan Andis from Coleman, Byron and Jean McAnally from Burkett, Larry McAnally from Brownwood, Kristi and Sean White from McKinny, Frances McAnally and Clara Nell Spencer visited with Ed McAnally.

Leo and Jewel Thompson visited with Sylvia Smith.

Velma Lee, Charlou Cowan, Byron and Brenton McNutt and Leighton Wyatt visited with Louise Richardson.

Betty Montgomery from Midland visited Leila Montgomery.

Donna Harvey from Caproch visited with Nash Tucker.

Michael Curry visited Irma Deen

Haddox.

Bill Davis from Abilene visited Alpha Wilson.

Lois Garrett and Joe Hanke visited Ed McAnally and Louise Richardson.

Kenneth Brooks from Arlington, Linda and Richard Wilson visited Howet Wilson and Blanche Brooks.

Oliver and Frankie Smith from Pioneer, Kathy and Charles Chesshir, Jo Rhodes visited with several.

Sarah Thomas visited Howet Wilson.

Activities during the week were:

**Monday:** Bingo winners were Minnie Swann, Nash Tucker, Falba Shofner (2), Vera Belyeu (3), Alpha Wilson and Louise Richardson. Exercise class.

**Tuesday:** Sing-a-long with Bobby Jack McCowen. Popcorn social. Skip-Bo games.

**Wednesday:** Art class. Exercise class. Skip-Bo games.

**Thursday:** Bingo winners were Inola Wilcoxon, Louise Richardson, Vera Belyeu (3), Ruby Harrell and Alpha Wilson. Bean Bag Toss.

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

**Sunday:** Church of Christ.

**Life's truest happiness is found in the friendships we make along the way.**

## Clips, Quips & Comments

By KAY DENNIS MOSLEY

"Feel it in the Air -- Fall"  
We went to the country the other day and picked some pears and quite a few apples. The same evening three of us put up 14 pints of pear relish.

One day recently we put up nine quarts of spiced apples. In a day or so we plan to make apple butter and then we shall see what else we come up with to do with the remainder of the apples. Of course there is always baked apples, apple pies, apple strudel etc..

We also have frozen a half gallon of pears to make either pear preserves or pear marmalade with.

Last month, I made sever jars of pepper sauce. I raised some Anaheim peppers this year plus some cayenne peppers. The Anaheim peppers we cooked and froze and bagged for the freezer. Later during the winter we will enjoy preparing chili rellenos from them to jazz up our meals on cold days. Enhances our meals also when we make Mexican food.

Does any of this spell anything for you? To me it spells autumn, otherwise known as Fall.

Some of the leaves on our pecan trees are beginning to turn yellow and other Autumn colors. The chrysanthemums in the flower gardens are blooming in a lovely array of colors. A couple of weeks ago while holding down a lawn chair, in the side yard I observed the young resident squirrel who tap dances up and down our fence, socking away nuts for the coming winter.

It was a nice cool morning under the shade trees, so it was probably a little better than an hour that I sat

watching the little squirrel skittering high above my head. He would race from tree to tree, stopping periodically to hurriedly look around. Then he'd run down the trunk of the large tree next to the herb garden, dig a little hole, and deposit his pecan or acorn inside. Of course he rapidly covered his stash and scampered back into the trees; for a repeat. Guess he must've gotten tired; for after 5 forays, he disappeared and I went inside.

Soon we will harvest the last of our herbs, and stash them away for the winter, after drying and chopping them. The hot summer took its toll on our herb bed this past season, and we didn't get near the yield we did last year and the previous years. We were able to harvest only about a third of what we did last year. The drought plus our three week June vacation put quite a damper on our gardening in 1998.

Speaking of vacations; our pals, the Powell's from the local garden club; were on vacation the month of October. They drove and toured through New Mexico and on up into California visiting family members and taking in the sights along the way. As for other garden club members some have spent a lot of the summer gardening, taking trips, loading livestock, working at their jobs, plus various and sundry other activities.

Now that it has rained, and fall seems to have arrived at last, garden club members are buckling down and beginning to plan for next springs gardens. "C" "U"

## PIONEER NEWS

By PIONEER QUILTING CLUB

Jean Fore and Earlene Burge attended the driving school at Cross Plains Senior Citizens on Wednesday and Thursday. AARP sponsored the class. They also went to the "game night" at the Multi-Purpose Center on Monday evening.

Oliver and Frankie Smith attended the revival at the Glorify Church in Cross Plains Thursday night. Jean Fore went with them Friday and Saturday night. It was a very good one. We enjoyed the music that was presented by the ladies from First Baptist. Also Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds special. The song leader was Ike Whitman from Carbon. The preacher was Jody Forbus from Carbon.

The Quilting Club express their sympathy to Mary and Jamie Hutton in the loss of their precious baby, Dusty Don. Our prayers are with you and all the Hutton and Best families.

The Quilting Ladies are hard at work on the "rehab" quilt. The pieces were donated by Lou Grider and the other members did specific

things to get it together. The pattern is a "Tulip." Trish Hutton has put in a beautiful green and white "Irish Chain."

The Pioneer Harvest Supper is coming up November 5. Come on out for the supper and a game or two of 42.

We are very thankful for the rain we have received. We do need that deep moisture to take us through the winter. As you drive around the country side, you can see our trees are turning, beautiful.

The Buffaloes did win another game. One more to go! Our game this week will be at Baird. We do need this win. "All the way Buffs! The JV and Junior High will play at Cross Plains Thursday evening. Let's all go out and support these students. I don't know the results of the Cross Country teams that ran at Lakewood this past weekend. Do know they all tried their best.

**Words of Wisdom #53**—Money is a wonderful thing, but it is possible to pay too high a price for it.

## MA & PA

By JAMES NICHOLS

If there was one thing my sister didn't like to do, it was to look after her darling baby brother. "The Kid from Hell," as she so affectionately put it.

It was Saturday evening and she so wanted to go to the picture show. But you guessed it, she had to take me!!!

I was about five and did not care for the mushy stuff that was on the screen. I quickly grew sleepy in the cool, dark theater and tried to get in her lap to take a nap.

"Not on your life, buster," she stated as she put me back in my seat.

Meanwhile a lady that looked alot like Mother came in and sat down by us. I believe this was Joe Oglesby's mother.

In the dark theater, I mistook her to be my mother and climbed up in her lap and took me a nice long nap.

Boy, was I surprised when the lights came on. I was out of her lap and headed out of there. Dear Sheila was running after me and was quite embarrassed.

For some reason, she never took me to the picture show again.

## Garden Tip Of The Month

By ROBERT POWELL

Plant your spring flowering bulbs in November or December.

Give them the cold treatment in your refrigerator for five to six weeks.

Keep them away from apples and other ripe fruit, they give off ethylene gas that is detrimental to flower buds of bulbs.

Wildflower seeds may have time to sprout before cold weather. If you haven't put them out, do so now.

Pansies, snapdragons, pinks, cabbage and kale should be transplanted this month. When they are settled in, spread a layer of mulch or compost around them. Watch these plantings for aphids. When the weather is still warm, treat with insecticidal soap if necessary.

When you put your mower to bed for the winter, drain gas or add stabilizer.

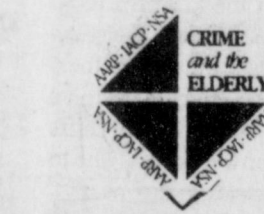
## TRIAD News

By KAY MOSLEY

The work of the TRIAD organization continues. Striving to be informed and to keep the citizens knowledgeable concerning current crime schemes and how to better protect themselves from fraudulent scams is just a part of its purpose.

The S.A.L.T. Advisory Council plans another meeting in the near future to explore other possible means of providing solutions to the problems often faced by the aged and other vulnerable citizens.

The Callahan County TRIAD is sponsoring a Neighborhood Watch program. This program was recently instigated to try to better insure the safety and well-being of the local community. Mr. Joe Howser is heading this endeavor and has already put many hours and a lot of work into it. Any and all support, whether verbal, volunteer, monetary or donations of time and energy are greatly appreciated and encouraged.



Response has greatly improved, hopes are high and to every-one who has contributed to this endeavor thanks are in order.

In next weeks "TRIAD News" an explanation of the purpose of the Communicare System and what TRIAD plans to accomplish with it. The Communicare System has been introduced to the readers before, however, in next weeks article; plans are to go into more detail to provide you with more information.

A reminder, TRIAD denotes three organizations: The International Chiefs of Police, the National Sheriff's Association and the local AARP (American Association of Retired Persons.)

The S.A.L.T. stands for Seniors and Lawmen Together. The TRIAD organization works in cooperation with the Texas Attorney Generals office.

The Callahan County TRIAD/S.A.L.T. Advisory Council appreciates your interest.

## GREETINGS FROM YOUR SENIOR CITIZENS

Cross Plains Senior Citizens Center would like to thank Dub Meador for providing and installing our entrance carpet.

We hope the children of Cross

Plains had a safe Halloween and enjoyed our candy.

Elva Woody is on our sick list. Our thoughts and prayers are with her. Get well soon!

### Fibromyalgia Support Group To Meet

The Fibromyalgia Support Group will meet every Friday at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Allen and Brenda Weizer, 124 North Avenue D (across from the Post Office).

Sharing and caring has proved to be beneficial to those participating. If you have the disease (soft tissue arthritis) or know of someone who does, plan on attending.

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We can help you file an application for assistance.

We will have forms on hand, and will be glad to assist you.

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## BREAKTHRU

By Bob Pipes, preacher  
Cross Plains Church of Christ  
433 N. Main At 12th  
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"Getting even" or "having the last word" seem to be inborn characteristics of us humans -- not good ones, but nonetheless all too real. Yet Jesus teaches us differently. He teaches us to "love our enemies and do good to those who mistreat us," Matthew 5:45.

We usually think of courage being connected with action, but Jesus asks us to have courage in this instance through restraint. The courage to take abuse without retaliation may well be one of the greatest Christian attributes -- and Jesus is our perfect example, especially on the night of His betrayal. The restraint that He demonstrated was incomprehensible to His followers and His enemies. What would appear to some as weakness was a glorious act of strength, for "when He was reviled, He did not revile in return; when He suffered, He did not threaten -- but He trusted to Him who judges justly," 1 Peter 2:23.

Jesus' act of Christian character was not only an action of restraint from retaliation. His words while upon the cross, asking the Father to forgive His crucifiers, was a demonstration of genuine love for those who had so mistreated Him. And all of this was more than an "act" or "action" or a "demonstration," it was His nature!

The example of Him praying for His enemies gives us a key to loving our enemies. It is difficult to continue hating someone for whom you daily pray.

What a breakthrough for us -- and others -- when we pattern our lives, our actions, after Christ!

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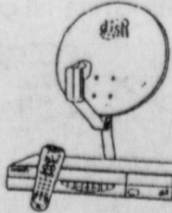


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# C.P. STUDENT REVIEW



**VARSITY BUFFALOES JOIN TOGETHER FOR TEAM EFFORT**  
High school football photos courtesy of Greg Turner.

## Buffaloes District Record Stands at 3-1 Following Victory Over Santa Anna

By CANDICE FRANCY

The Cross Plains Buffaloes picked up their 3rd district win last Friday night over the Santa Anna Mountaineers.

Defense won this low scoring game for Cross Plains. Forced turnovers were also a big factor.

Santa Anna received the kickoff but their first possession ended with a punt. The Buffaloes first possession looked promising with a combination of a Tony Beggs run and a Jody Pancake reception, however; Cross Plains fumbled on the Santa Anna 2 yard line. Even though the Mountaineers recovered, tough Buffalo defense stopped their drive and forced a punt, leaving Cross Plains with good field position when the 1st quarter expired.

The Buffaloes started the 2nd quarter with the ball, but turned it over on downs. The Mountaineers first possession of the 2nd quarter ended with a punt. Once again, the Buffs put together what looked like a successful drive, only to throw an interception on the 3 yard line of Santa Anna. At the half the game was scoreless.

The Band and Football Sweethearts were crowned during halftime ceremonies. LeJean Wyatt was named band sweetheart and Jennifer Turner football sweetheart.

The beginning of the 2nd half saw Santa Anna kick off to Cross Plains. It was returned to the 40 yard line. A big gain by Beggs was called back on a clipping foul. Two plays later Coby Richards fumbled, but Cross Plains retained possession. Pancake ran for the one and only Buffalo touchdown of the night. The extra point by Benji Switzer was good.

Santa Anna's next possession ended with a punt. The first play of the Buffaloes ended with a fumble recovered by the Mountaineers. Santa Anna then scored on a run, but the extra point was blocked by Cross Plains.

After Santa Anna kicked off to the Buffaloes, an interception was thrown, but Cross Plains stopped the Mountaineers, who turned the ball over on downs. The 3rd quarter ended with Cross Plains retaining the football.

Cross Plains started the 4th quarter with Santa Anna blocking their punt and the Mountaineers recovered it

and was tackled on the Cross Plains 10 yard line. The Buffaloes defense was vigorous, with two quarterback sacks. The Mountaineers turned the ball over on downs. A few plays later Cross Plains fumbled and Santa Anna recovered. The Buffaloes showed intense defense and Richards caught a key interception putting Cross Plains on their own 30 yard line.

Once again the Buffaloes fumbled and Santa recovered. A sack by Joseph Hopkins cost the Mountaineers 7 yards and a Santa Anna fumble recovered by Cross Plains put the game away for the Buffs. The final score was 7-6. The Buffaloes played awesome defense to win this game.

The offense was led by Tony Beggs with 12 rushes on 89 yards, Jody Pancake 12 for 53 and Coby Richards 11 for 42 yards. Scott Mackey had 39 yards on 9 carries. The offense for Cross Plains rushed the ball 46 times for 225 yards on the night.

On the defense for the Buffaloes was Tony Beggs with 13 tackles 3 assists, Joseph Hopkins 7 tackles 4 assists, Jaden Winfrey 6 tackles 5 assists and

Jody Gosnell 5 tackles 2 assists. Quarterback Coby Richards was 6 of 9 for 96 yards and Kenny Callaway caught 3 passes for 49 yards.

### Individual Stats

**Rushing:** Tony Beggs 12-89, Jody Pancake 12-53, Coby Richards 11-42, Scott Mackey 9-39, Chris Kitchens 2-2

Total 46 for 225 yards  
**Pass Receiving:** Kenny Callaway 3-49, Zach Edington 1-28, Cody Reed 1-13, Scott Mackey 1-6

**Tackles and Assists:** Tony Beggs 13-3, Joseph Hopkins 7-4, Jaden Winfrey 6-5, Jody Gosnell 5-2, Scott Mackey 4-0, Zach Edington 2-5, Kenny Callaway 2-5, Joseph Dillard 2-0, Cory Phillips 1-3, Lucino Mauricio 1-2, Clint Bailey 1-0, Brook Callaway 1-0, Jamie Mauricio

Congratulations to Tony Beggs for making the *Abilene Reporter-News* Defensive Player of the Week and Joseph Hopkins for making Honorable Mention Player of the Week.

Cross Plains travels to Baird seeking a victory for a play-off berth next week.



**JUNIOR VARSITY TAKING INSTRUCTIONS FROM COACH LARRY BARTEE**

## Cross Plains Junior Varsity Team Defeats Gorman 20-7

The Cross Plains Junior Varsity team was victorious over Gorman last Thursday 20-7.

Nathan Hawkins and Josh Hopkins scored one touchdown each. L.D. Whitehead threw a touchdown pass to Larry Lee. Whitehead also scored a 2-point conversion.

Junior Varsity played their best

game of the year. Gorman had beaten them 13-6 in the first game of the year.

The J.V. record is now 6-3.

The next game is at Buffalo Stadium Thursday, November 5, against the Baird Bears.

Submitted by Coach Larry Bartee

## Jr. High Boys Fall To Santa Anna Mountaineers 28-6

By TERESA KOENIG

The Junior High Buffaloes played the Santa Anna Mountaineers last Thursday. Team captains were Cole Koenig and Chris Harris.

The Buffs lost the kickoff toss to the Mountaineers. Santa Anna on the 3rd down took the ball in for 6 points, but it was brought back on a penalty. They punted to the Buffs who took over on the 35 yard line to start their first series of downs.

Harris and Koenig carried the ball, then Ryan Mack passed to Koenig who pitched out to Harris. This play moved them closer to a first down, but were forced to punt.

The Mountaineers scored their first TD and 2-point conversion, with only 2:35 remaining in the 1st quarter. The score was 8-0.

Clay Wilson carries on the next down and Mack handed off to Harris, Koenig and Jose Mauricio. The Buffs had to turn over the ball on downs. Santa Anna received the punt, plus a penalty as the 1st quarter ended.

The Mountaineers came back on the next possession and scored again. The score was now 16-0.

Then Koenig recovered an onside kick by the Mountaineers. Once again, Mack pitches out to Koenig who passes to Harris and they make a 1st down. With the Buffaloes close enough they could smell a touchdown, they jumped offside and were moved back. With only 2:33 left in the half the Buffs had to punt. The Mountaineers scored a TD.

Santa Anna attempted another

onside kick which was covered by Casey Pack. Mauricio carried for the 1st down. Mack called for a time-out just before halftime. A pass from Koenig to Harris was intercepted and the Mountaineers ran for a TD with only 43 seconds remaining. At halftime the score was 28-0.

The Buffs received the kickoff in the second half, but a fumble gave the ball back to the Mountaineers. Santa Anna fumbled and Jordan Pancake recovered for the Buffs. Koenig and Mauricio carried the ball for the offense but lost possession on downs.

Mountaineers were unsuccessful in their offensive drive, due to Dusty Snell's interception. Mauricio and Koenig attempted to get the Buffs on the score board, but ran into a couple of penalties. The Buffs only had time for one more down and Mack attempted a quarterback keeper as the buzzer sounded the end of the 3rd quarter.

Wilson carried the ball twice, putting Koenig in position to take it in for 6 points, but it was called back on a penalty. Mauricio scored the Buffaloes' first TD, but the extra point was not good.

The Mountaineers took the victory 28-6.

### Individual Stats

Tackles, Assists, and OB  
#28-1; 30-5-1; 60-4; 82-2-2; 62-2-0-1; 44-4-1; 10-1; 20-3-1; 45-4-2; 66-2-1; 11-1; 46-1; 68-2.

## Callahan County 4-H News

### Sheep and Goat Clinic

There will be a sheep and goat clinic held November 12 starting at 6:30 p.m. at the Housing Authority Building in Baird. This located one block east of the courthouse on the corner of 4th Street and Chestnut. You do not need to bring your animals!

Major topics will include facilities, nutrition, health, feeding, fitting and showmanship. Everyone that has an interest in the sheep and goat project is encouraged to attend. Mr. Andy Laughlin, Extension Assistant - Sheep and Goats, will be the speaker. He will be able to answer any questions you may have on your sheep and goat projects.

### Swine Validation

The first swine validation (tag-in) will take place November 9 at Eula. If you do not get your hog validated at Eula you must get it validated on November 19 at the County Show Barn in Cross Plains.

Do not forget these dates so your swine projects will be eligible to participate in the county show or major stock shows.

Submitted by Robert Pritz  
County Extension Agent



**JUNIOR HIGH CROSS COUNTRY DISTRICT CHAMPS** — Randy Duncan (from left), Ryan Mack, Andy Bennett, Brandon Phillips, Jose Mauricio, Marcus Williams and Dusty Dickson.

## REGIONAL

### JV girls - ran 2 miles - 14 runners

E. Stephens - 1st - 15:07  
A. Swift - 3rd - 16:25

M. Chesshir - 10th - 18:44

### Varsity boys - ran 3 miles - 22 runners

J. Hopkins - 11th - 19:37

### Varsity girls - ran 2 miles - 25 runners - finished 2nd as a team - GOING TO REGIONAL

B. Bennett - 5th - 13:33

L. Ricci - 6th - 13:44

B. Richey - 9th - 14:30

E. McCarty - 10th - 14:38

J. Turner - 11th - 14:46

W. Giles - 13th - 15:28

M. Nickerson - 14th - 15:34

Varsity girls have qualified for Regional in San Antonio. Races will be run on the Campus of University of Texas in San Antonio on November 7. Congratulations are in order for this fine group of young women.

In closing, I wish to thank all of the adult workers who help make our Cross Country races one of the best organized events in this area. As usual I am hesitant to list names because I might leave out someone, but let me assure the readers that this is one of the finest groups of people I have ever worked with.



**THIRD GRADERS THAT EARNED 5 POINTS OR MORE**—Front row from left Jerry Phillips, Brett Wheeler, Julieanne Mack, Starla Schafer, Macayla Cook, Brice Bowden, Joe Westerman, Betty Matthews; Back row from left J. Jay Calloway, Bryanna Santos, Candice Rister, Joseph Daniels, Michael Curry and Markus Maxwell. Not shown are Hailey Biggs and Jenny Lewis.

## Third Graders Celebrate Accelerated Reader Program at CP Elementary

All students in Ms. Odom's Third Grade Language Arts class have reason to celebrate. They have all earned at least 5 points in the school's Accelerated Readers Program. Congratulations!

Each student has a library book designated as an ACCELERATED READER. Students are to read in this book, documenting the number of pages they read each night. Tests are taken on the computer after they have completed their book. Points range from .5 and up according to

the reading level of the book.

The ACCELERATED READER is easy to use. It's based on three simple steps that form the foundation for self-paced, individualized reading. Each student selects his or her own reading material, then reads at a comfortable pace. With the book completed, the student works through a computerized multiple-choice test. The program provides an instant score and immediate reinforcement in a way that's both encouraging and fun.

### CROSS PLAINS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1998-99

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	TEAMS
11/10	SCR.	TU STRAWN, TRENT	HOME	5:00	JVG, VG
11/14	SCR.	SAT BALL, J.N., A.C.	J.N.	10:00	JVG, VG
11/17	TU	CISCO	AWAY	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
11/20	FR	EVANT	AWAY	4:00	JVB, VG, VB
11/21	SAT	EULA J.V. TOURN.	AWAY	TBA	JVG
11/23	MO	STAMFORD	HOME	4:00	JVG, VG
11/24	TU	DELEON	HOME	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
12/1	TU	OPEN DATE			
12/3-5	TH-SAT	POLK KEY CITY TN.	AWAY	TBA	VG
12/3-5	TH-SAT	BLANKET TOURN.	AWAY	TBA	JVG, VB
12/8	TU	ROBY	HOME	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
12/10-12	TH-SAT	HILLSAP TOURN.	AWAY	TBA	VG
12/10-12	TH-SAT	RISING STAR TOURN.	AWAY	TBA	JVG, VB
12/15	TU	ZEPHYR	AWAY	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
12/18	FR	OPEN DATE			
12/28-29	MO-TU	C.P. TOURN.	HOME	TBA	VG, VB
1/2	SAT	BLANKET	HOME	1:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
1/5	TU	MONDAY	HAWLEY	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
1/8	* FR	SANTA ANNA	HOME	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
1/12	* TU	BAIRD	AWAY	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
1/15	* FR	BROOKSMITH	AWAY	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, BV
1/19	* TU	RANGER	HOME	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
1/22	* FR	GORMAN	AWAY	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
1/26	* TU	SANTA ANNA	AWAY	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
1/29	* FR	BAIRD	HOME	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
2/2	* TU	BROOKSMITH	HOME	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
2/5	* FR	RANGER	AWAY	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
2/9	* TU	GORMAN	HOME	4:00	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
2/12	FR	PRACTICE GAME	TBA	TBA	VG, VB
2/15	MO	PRACTICE GAME	TBA	TBA	VG, VB
2/16	TU	GIRLS BI-DIST.	TBA	TBA	VG
2/18	TH	PRACTICE GAME	TBA	TBA	VB
2/19	FR	GIRLS AREA	TBA	TBA	VG
2/23	TU	BOYS BI-DIST.	TBA	TBA	VB
2/23	TU	GIRLS SUB-REGION.	TBA	TBA	VG
2/26	FR	BOYS AREA	TBA	TBA	VB
2/26-27	FR-SAT	GIRLS REGION.	TBA	TBA	VG
3/2	TU	BOYS SUB-REGION.	TBA	TBA	VB
3/4-6	TH-SAT	GIRLS ST. TOURN.	TBA	TBA	VG
3/5-6	FR-SAT	BOYS REGION.	TBA	TBA	VB
3/11-13	TH-SAT	BOYS ST. TOURN.	TBA	TBA	VB

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**BUFFALOES AND BUDDIES** — Football players (from left) are Benji Switzer, Zach Edington and Jody Gosnell are pictured with their buddies from 1st grade.



**BUFFALO BUDDIES** — Cross Plains Elementary 1st Graders.

## SCHOOL MENU

### BREAKFAST

**MONDAY** — French toast, bacon, assorted juice and milk.

**TUESDAY** — Oatmeal, toast, assorted juice and milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Scrambled eggs, toast, jelly, assorted juice and milk.

**THURSDAY** — Biscuit, sausage, gravy, assorted juice and milk.

**FRIDAY** — Cereal, toast, assorted juice and milk.

### LUNCH

**MONDAY** — Chicken patty on bun, pickles, salad, apple crisp and milk.

**TUESDAY** — Chicken fried steak w/gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, rolls, pears and milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Fiesta salad (chili beans, corn chips, rice, cheese, salad) pappas and milk.

**THURSDAY** — Spaghetti w/meat sauce, broccoli, garlic sticks, peaches and milk.

**FRIDAY** — Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, pickles, fries, Rice Krispie bar, and milk.



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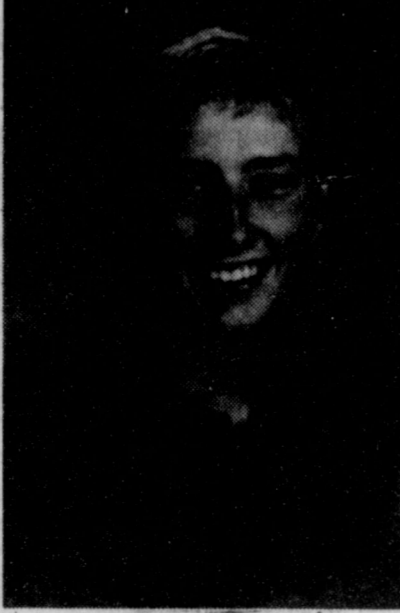
Hopkins Chosen to International USA Football Team 1999

The USA Football Club and its travelling (International) USA Football Team recently informed Joseph Hopkins that he had been selected to represent the USA vs New Zealand in July 1999.

The USA Football Team will hold a demonstration game vs. the Arizona Gridiron Exchange in Cairns Australia as the second game of the tour.

Participation starts with a camp in the Austin area, flying to Auckland, N.Z. via Austin and L.A., the game vs Gridiron New Zealand and then 7 nights in Townsville and Cairns Australia. His stay in New Zealand would take him to winter-time (55-65 degree weather). The flight from Auckland to Cairns would bring him to the "Great Barrier Reef," the Far North Queensland Mountains, and the beaches of sunny and warm Queensland.

Hopkins will home-stay 3 nights in Townsville at a local high school, visit Magnetic Island and tour the "croc" farms and aboriginal villages. Cairns is the most popular tourist spot for the Aussies. Cairns has a population of around 150,000 and Townsville has 350,000.



JOSEPH HOPKINS

The game will pit the USA Football Team vs the Arizona Gridiron Exchange to benefit the Football Teams of Queensland.

Athletes will have to raise \$2,799.00 to participate. Joseph received the letter of invitation based on media reports and coaching reports.

Hopkins must have his administrative deposit of \$150 by Friday, November 6.

Joseph is a senior at Cross Plains High School, where has been an outstanding athlete and academic student. He is the son of H.D. and Tricia Hopkins.



**AT COUNTY 4-H FOOD SHOW**—Pictured are the Callahan County 4-H members who participated in the County 4-H Food Show recently. From left to right bottom row: Anthony Laster and Laura Erwin. Second row from left: Rebecca Hamilton, Brent Nichols,

Shayla Lee, Lance Fiedler, Cassie Burns and Kaitlyn Walker. Third row from left: Derric Nichols, Cody Erwin, Jessica Hayhurst, Bethany Laster and Daniel Sweeten. Fourth row from left: Melissa Deel, Jonathon Roach and Adrian Laster.

4-H food show results

The Callahan County 4-H Food Show was held Saturday, October 24, at the Baird School Cafeteria. A special thanks goes out to Lawrence Brothers IGA-Clyde for sponsoring this year's Food Show.

Nineteen 4-H members participated in four food divisions according to age. The first place winners in each division, except the Sub-Junior division, will advance to District competition on November 21, in Wall. The results are as follows: \*denotes advancing to District.

**Senior Division**  
(14-19 years old)  
Main Dish: Jonathon Roach\*  
Fruits/Vegetable: Melissa Deel\*  
Breads/Cereals: Teri Windham\*  
Nutritious Snacks: Adrian Laster\*

**Intermediate Division**  
(12-13 years old)  
Main Dish: Derric Nichols\*, Bethany Laster.

Fruits/Vegetable: Cody Erwin\*  
Breads/Cereals: Traci Windham\*  
Nutritious Snacks: Kaitlyn Walker\*, Daniel Sweeten.

**Junior Division**  
(9-11 years old)  
Main Dish: Shayla Lee\*  
Fruits/Vegetable: Kayla Windham\*, Cassie Burns  
Breads/Cereals: Brent Nichols\*  
Nutritious Snacks: Kaitlyn Walker\*, Rebecca Hamilton and Lance Fiedler.

**Sub-Junior Division**  
(8 years old)  
Nutritious Snacks: Laura Erwin and Anthony Laster.

College/Technical School Night Nov. 16

Big Country junior and senior high school students who are planning to pursue a higher education will have an opportunity to meet and talk with representatives from various colleges, universities and vocational training schools. A College/Technical School Program will be presented at Cooper High School on Monday, November 16, at 7:00 p.m. Representatives from ninety institutions have been invited. In addition, representatives from the Air Force, Army, Marine, and Navy ROTC programs and a representative to discuss financial aid will also participate in the program.

All college representatives will be available in a browse area throughout the evening. They will discuss entrance requirements, application procedures, estimated yearly costs, courses of study, types of housing available, financial aid, and other topics of concern to students and parents. Some schools will have thirty-minute discussion groups to give more detailed information. The computer lab with the latest in college information will be open all evening. Parents are invited and encouraged to attend.

CROSS PLAINS JR. HIGH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1998-99

DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	TEAMS
11/9	MO	SCR. DELEON	HOME	TBA.	7G, 8G
11/16	MO	STRAWN	AWAY	5:00	7G, 8G
11/23	* MO	SANTA ANNA	HOME	4:00	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
11/30	* MO	BAIRD	AWAY	4:00	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
12/7	* MO	SANTO	AWAY	4:00	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
12/12	SAT	SANTA ANNA TOURN	AWAY	TBA	8G, 8B
12/14	* MO	RANGER	HOME	4:00	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
1/7	* TH	GORMAN	AWAY	4:00	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
1/11	* MO	SANTA ANNA	AWAY	4:00	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
1/16	SAT	CROSS PLAINS TOURN.	HOME	TBA	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
1/18	* MO	BAIRD	HOME	4:00	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
1/25	* MO	BROWNWOOD B TEAMS	HOME	4:00	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B
2/1	* MO	RANGER	AWAY	4:00	7G, 7G, 8G, 8B
2/8	* MO	GORMAN	HOME	4:00	7G, 7B, 8G, 8B

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SANTA ANNA 7B&G, 8B&G  
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Holiday Season Approaching

As dusk turned to evening darkness last Tuesday evening, it became apparent that the holiday season will be arriving shortly.

Project Pride's sponsored lighted yard are display from Santa's Barn caught the attention of those driving by. Many vehicles slowed for occupants to view the brightly lit displays. Many more stopped to walk through and visit.

During the holiday season Project Pride's 40' nativity scene will be on display at the lot east of the Howard house on Hwy. 36 West. It is the dream of Project Pride members to have this entire lot filled with these decorations.

You can help make this happen by making donations throughout the year. Why not honor that 'hard to buy for person' on your gift giving list with a donation to Project Pride's lighted yard art fund. Donations in

memory of loved ones or friends would also be nice. Donations may be deposited to the Project Pride account at Citizens State Bank or mailed to Project Pride, Box 534, Cross Plains, Texas 76443. Please indicate the donation is for the light display.

Perhaps you were not ready on Tuesday to purchase any of the pieces but have now decided to do so. You may contact Santa's Barn at 806-798-8448 for further information. Please remember to mention that you saw the display at Cross Plains and Project Pride will receive a small monetary credit to our fund.

Santa's Barn does have a layaway plan for the 1999 holidays requiring 20% down and balance in equal monthly installments.

Project Pride thanks the community for supporting its endeavors.

Rush Party is Spooky Time for Sorority

By NORA ODOM

Members and guests of Beta Sigma Phi gathered at the home of Kelly Lafoon October 26, 1998, for the annual Rush/Halloween Party. A wide variety of costumes ranged from witches (Lovera Strickland) to cowboys (Kelly Lafoon).

Our Three Amigos from South of the Border, Jamie Apple, Debi Bennett, and Pam Cummings performed a skit for our pledges explaining some activities and traditions of Beta Sigma Phi.

Best Costumes were judged by secret ballot. First place-Jan Baker (Spider Woman), second place-Cathy Wood (Pilgrim), and third place-Nora Odom (Monica

Lewinsky). Door prizes were won by Sarah Brashear, Sharon Pafr, Bobbie Johnston, Lovera Strickland and Jamie Apple.

A dinner party ended the evening with everyone bringing a delicious covered dish. Afterwards, Secret Sister gifts, most with a Halloween theme, were distributed.

Guest in attendance were Jan Baker, Sharon Parr, Paulette Foster, and Joyce Hutchins.

Members attending were Elizabeth Hunsaker, Joyce McCoy, Mary Ann Chaffin, Bobbie Johnston, Kelly Lafoon, Jamie Apple, Pam Cummings, Debi Bennett, Cathy Wood, Lovera Strickland, Addie Walker, Jamie Apple, Janice Phillips, Wanda Merryman, and Nora Odom.

Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges announced

Two area Cisco Junior College students will be named in the 1999 edition of *Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges* a total of 44 have been selected as national outstanding campus leaders.

Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory have included the names of these students based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for con-

tinued success. They join an elite group of students from more than 1,800 institutions or higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and several foreign nations.

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Area students named this year from Cisco Junior College are Jaonna Harris of Cross Plains and Pamela A. Stayton of Clyde.

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Meet Nov. 12**

By DONNA IRBY

The Eastland County Genealogical Society will meet Thursday, November 12, at the fellowship hall of the I-20 Church of Christ in Cisco at 7:00 p.m. We will be having a pot luck meal. Officers will be elected and installed at this meeting. We welcome anyone who would like to join us. If you would like to come to our potluck dinner, please bring yourself and a vegetable. All members are invited to bring your latest pet genealogy project. We will have a table where these items can be displayed. It is always fun and enlightening to listen to how we all make new discoveries.

Last month Mr. Dean Vernon came to our meeting and gave a presentation on Josiah G. "Doc" Scurlock. Doc was a companion of Billy the Kid during the Lincoln County Wars of New Mexico. He took advantage of the pardon offered by the Governor on New Mexico after the wars, and moved to Tascosa, Texas. In 1919, he and his wife moved to Eastland where he ran a candy store. He died here in 1929, and was buried in the Eastland Cemetery. The members enjoyed listening to Mr. Vernon's presentation and there was a lot of discussion and questions that followed. We would like to thank Mr. Vernon, and hope we may have him again sometime soon.

We are still asking for old obituaries, newspaper clippings and photos. What you would not want to part with will be copied and returned. We would like to thank those who have already begun to share their items of interest with us.

We are happy to announce that there will be a Genealogy workshop sponsored by Everton Publishers on April 24, 1999. Details will follow, but we will be eagerly looking forward to this coming event!

**Coleman Co.  
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Coleman County's annual Hunter's Blow-Out will be this Friday, November 6, at 6:00 p.m. at Production Plus on North Neches and Apple Street in Coleman. The event is sponsored by local merchants and landowners as a promotion and appreciation for all area hunters.

A complimentary bar-b-que supper for out-of-town hunters will be provided. A \$5 donation will be asked of local residents to help sponsor this special event. Live entertainment will begin at 8:00 p.m.

Hunters will be able to browse in an expanded exhibits area. To accommodate the large crowds, the event has added more outside seating area and expanded the number of food lines for this year.

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# Area cowgirl to enter Hall of Fame

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** Helen Groves is well known in the Cross Plains area, as her Silverbrook Ranch is located just west of Cross Plains. Vanda Anderson Creech

By **BRIAN BETHEL**  
 Abilene Reporter-News

Helen Groves is a genuine cowgirl. Raised on the famous King Ranch in the 1930s, horses and cattle have been her life for years.

"I've had a busy life," she said. "I learned about horses and cattle from my father, and I've loved working with them ever since. They're a big part of who I am."

And now, her pioneer spirit and legendary cutting horse abilities have given her a place of honor.

On Friday, Groves will be inducted into the famous National Cowgirl Museum's Hall of Fame for her contributions to the American West.

Groves will join a unique collection of legendary women including humanitarians, tribal leaders, artists and writers, entertainers, business women, educators, ranchers and rodeo cowgirls.

The great-granddaughter of famous ranchers Richard and Henrietta King, Groves came from an exceptional ranching background.

She started out riding Shetland ponies and dairy calves, then moved into more serious horsemanship.

"I've been riding since even before I can remember," she said. "I grew up going to roundups."

Home schooled, Groves often accompanied her own mother to round-ups, riding on quarter horses and ponies. Eventually, she went off to boarding school, took up fox hunting, married a young doctor from Pennsylvania and became more deeply involved in her love of horses.

She even took up racing horses for a brief time — very brief, as she only ran two races. She lost the first and won the last.

"I decided that it wasn't for me," she said. "I had five children at that point, and it didn't seem like a proper

sport for mothers."  
 She remarried after her first marriage ended in divorce, continuing her love of raising horses and cattle.

Eventually, though, she moved back to Texas. By then her second husband had passed away, and she had bred cattle and ridden to the end.

A frequent cutting horse participant since 1972, her prowess has earned her the title First Lady of Cutting. She has been a finalist or semi-finalist in more than 47 major cutting horse events throughout her career.

In 1996, she was inducted into the National Cutting Horse Association's Hall of Fame.

Her Silverbrook Ranches in Middlebrook, Va., and in Baird are considered among the finest examples of Santa Gertrudis and quarter horse operations in the nation.

"My job here is to get the best people I can and then let them do their job," she said. "I've never been one to have people I have to tell what to do every day. I want them to just go do it."

At her induction ceremony in Fort Worth October 30, Groves was honored along with three other living cowgirl legends and two posthumous inductees.

She said she was surprised the museum had chosen to honor her but said she was excited to be selected.

"There are so many deserving people out there, so I feel very honored," she said. "It's just a very exciting thing for me. A friend of mine wanted to (nominate) me, but I didn't know that anything would come of it."

For her part, Groves is simply glad that she has lived a very rich, interesting, constantly busy life.

And she's looking forward to years more, she said.

"I don't tend to look back," she said. "I've enjoyed just about everything I've ever done. The bad things in life you learn from, the good things you enjoy. I've never been one for looking back and reflecting — I'm too busy living."



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"Over two hundred (I.V.) bags were filled during the day," said Rural Metro General Manager Michael Baird. "The volunteers took in about \$3,800 during their solicitations on the street corners," he added.

The volunteers were approached by a representative of the Abilene Aviators Hockey Team during the day and asked to bring their fundraiser to the game.

Baird said, "We were allowed to ask for donations outside the coliseum before the game and then a hockey stick, autographed by the whole Aviator team, was raffled off and half of the proceeds were donated to JoAnn."

"About \$500 was raised at the Aviators game and the rest of the \$5,000 came from donations from several local businesses," said Baird.

Volunteer firemen from Clyde, Baird, Albany, Potosi, ECCA, and Tye assisted Rural Metro with the fund-raising efforts.

Baird said, "The fund-raiser idea started with one of our (Rural Metro) employees and everyone just pitched in to make it a great success."

**CJC offers Refrigerant Containment Class Saturday, Nov. 14**

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**CJC offers Defensive Driving Course**

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# Holiday precautions force bacteria to go 'cold turkey'

HOUSTON—An ounce of prevention can keep food-borne bacteria from becoming an uninvited guest at your holiday table.

"Think sink, stove, and refrigerator," says Becky Gorham, a registered dietitian and research nutritionist with the USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "These kitchen staples are effective tools in preventing the growth of illness-causing bacteria," she says.

At the sink:

- Wash hands before and after handling any food. Keep utensils, dishes, counters, cutting boards, sinks, sponges, and towels clean. Use two cutting boards, one for meat and one for other foods, to prevent cross-contamination.

At the stove:

- Roast a turkey at 325 degrees or higher to minimize the time bacteria have to grow. If you are using a meat thermometer, insert it into the thickest part of the thigh next to the

body. Cook a whole turkey to an internal temperature of 180 degrees. As a rule of thumb, an unstuffed turkey weighing more than 10 pounds needs to cook 15 minutes per pound. Allow 20 to 22 minutes per pound for smaller unstuffed birds.

- Use only pasteurized egg products and cooked ingredients such as sauteed vegetables, cooked meats, and poached or sauteed oysters in stuffing.

- Bake stuffing separately, or stuff the turkey just before roasting. Use one-half to three-fourths cup loosely packed stuffing per pound of bird. Use a meat thermometer to make sure the stuffing is heated to at least 165 degrees before removing from oven. Immediately remove cooked stuffing from the bird.

In the refrigerator:

- Keep thawing birds cold. Gorham recommends thawing the turkey in its original wrapper on a tray in the refrigerator. "Allow 24 hours for every 5 pounds of frozen bird," she says. As an alternative,

thaw the bird in a sink of cold water, allowing 30 to 45 minutes per pound. Place bird in a sealed, heavy plastic bag and change the water every 30 minutes. Avoid thawing any frozen meat at room temperature.

- Store raw meats in sealed bags, on trays, on the lowest shelf of the refrigerator to prevent raw meat juices from contaminating other foods.

- Remove turkey meat from the bone to speed cooling of leftovers and store in a shallow container.

- Refrigerate turkey, stuffing, gravy, and egg-based pies within two hours of cooking. Use leftover turkey within 4 days; stuffing and gravy within 2 days.

- Avoid overloading the refrigerator. The main compartment should be a maximum of 40 degrees to inhibit bacterial growth.

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