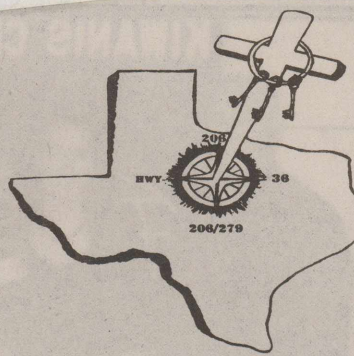


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REVIVAL Services Held for to be held James Lawrence April 22-25

First Baptist Church Cross Plains will be having a REVIVAL starting Sunday morning, April 22nd and lasting until Wednesday, April 25th.

David McQueen, senior pastor of Beltway Baptist Church in Abilene, will be preaching. Leading the REVIVAL music will be Jeremy Kirles, also of Beltway Baptist Church.

The REVIVAL will begin Sunday morning, April 22 at 11:00 a.m. There will be an All Church Pot Luck Dinner immediately after the service. The next service will start at 6:00 p.m. Sunday night, Monday, April 23rd - Wednesday, April 25th the services will begin at 7:00 p.m. So, clear your calendars and allow nothing to prevent you from receiving this blessing.

Please join together as a community to pray for David McQueen and the rest of the REVIVAL team.

ATTENTION!! Cross Plains Residents

The City of Cross Plains would like to remind its residents that while you are shopping for a contractor to make repairs to your home after the recent rain/hail storm we suffered a few weeks ago to be very careful in the selection of your contractor. No matter who you choose to use to make the needed repairs, following is a list of guidelines to use regardless of how well you know the contractor.

1. Don't give any money up front to anyone.
2. Make sure the quality of the material is good.
3. Make sure you will be able to remain in contact with the contractor after the job is finished.
4. Check with the city to see if they have registered to do work in Cross Plains.
5. And lastly, but most important, get a reference.

City of Cross Plains Remind Residents of Lawn Mowing ORDINANCE

The City Council of the City of Cross Plains passed ordinance #2001-001 which declares certain conditions to be a nuisance and also prohibits allowing or creating a nuisance within the city limits of Cross Plains.

Articles II Weeds, etc.
Section 9. Maximum Growth States the following:

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation, partnership, association of persons, owner, agent, occupant or anyone having supervision or control of any lot, tract, parcel of land or portion thereof, occupied or unoccupied, improved or unimproved, within the corporate limits of the city to suffer or permit grass, weeds or brush that is uncultivated to grow to a height greater than twelve (12) inches on any lot, tract or parcel of land within the corporate limits of the city, five (5) acres in size or less.

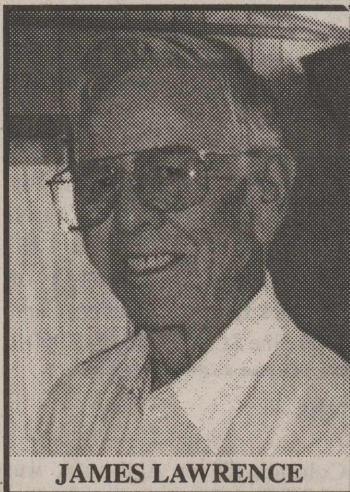
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James Vernon Lawrence, age 72, of Cross Plains went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at his home.

Funeral services were held at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 12, 2007 at Higginbotham Chapel in Cross Plains with Bob Pipes officiating, assisted by Charles Chesshir; burial was in the Tecumseh Cemetery in Callahan County, Texas.

He was born on December 20, 1934 in Pear Valley in McCullough County, Texas to W.L. "Bill" Lawrence and Ethel B. (Bucklew) Lawrence. He married Wilma Armor in Abilene on October 2, 1953. He was the owner and operator of Lawrence Farm and Ranch Supply, along with his wife Wilma. James served on the board of directors for the Texas Heritage Bank; he also was a driver for the Cross Plains EMS for a number of years; and was a member of the Kiwanis Club of Cross Plains. James was a member of the Church of Christ in Cross Plains where he had served as a deacon.

Survivors include his wife Wilma of the home; three sons, Keith Lawrence and wife Leslie of Cross Plains; Bruce Lawrence and wife Paula of Anton; Royce Lawrence and wife Donna Lee of Tecumseh; a brother, Glenn Rae Lawrence and wife Ruthie of Abilene; 10 grandchildren; Paul Lawrence, Amber Parkinson and husband Jonny, Lee Roy Lawrence, Kayla Lawrence, Riley Lawrence, Cody Wayne Lawrence and wife Karly,



JAMES LAWRENCE

Marine Corp. Kyle Lawrence, Rhett Lawrence, Cody Kirk Cochran and wife Jennifer, Rusti Rogger and husband Michael; 6 great-grandchildren, Clay Lawrence, Ashlee Lawrence, Chole Rogger, Will and Jesse Cochran, and McKinsey Lawrence.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one grandson, Jake Lawrence.

Pallbearers were Paul Lawrence, Lee Roy Lawrence, Cody Lawrence, Rhett Lawrence, Riley Lawrence, Clay Lawrence, Jonny Parkinson and Zach Winters.

Memorials may be made to the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department, P O Box 339, Cross Plains, Texas 76443; Cross Plains EMS, P O Box 699, Cross Plains, TX 76443; Cherokee, Foster's or Medina Children's Home; Cross Plains Public Library, P O Box 699, Cross Plains, TX 76443; Christian Homes of Abilene, or the charity of your choice.

C. P. Senior Citizens' "Center" of Attention Once Again

Fire Chief Gives Update, Senior Center's Roof Goes from Bad to Worse and New Rules for Community Center are Approved at the April 10th City Council Meeting

By Deborah Lowitzer
Special Writer

The Storm Spotter Class, sponsored by the Cross Plains Fire Department, held on March 26th was a great success, according to **Fire Chief Ricky Carouth**. Carouth stated that in all, 38 people showed up, almost double from what was expected.

He also shared about the recent event that was just held in tribute for former **Fire Chief, Bob Harrell**. Honored for his 15 years of dedication and service to the department and the people of Cross Plains, Harrell was awarded a gold plaque, a polished gold disk and 2 gift certificates.

Carouth explained that he is still in the process of putting all of the fire department's records and documents into a computer system. The department will be more organized with inventory on spreadsheets and day to day activities logged on the system.

The fire department put in an air conditioner in the firehouse last week and they are still working on the old green truck trying to salvage it. Carouth relayed that, "We've put about \$200 into the truck, but it still shimmies." He

reported that they are writing up about 8 grants right now, trying to apply for necessary money. The department really needs more air masks and hopes that more will be donated soon.

*In January, the Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department (CPVFD) had 16 hours of training, with 6 more in February and 6 more in March. **Twenty-five calls were logged this quarter**, with 11 fires. Some of the calls they responded to were: 2 house fires, 2 rural fires, a gas transport on fire, 2 gas spills, 3 vehicle accidents /assisting EMS and 3 landing zone calls. One gas meter sustained damage after being run over, and both Eastland and Clyde Fire Departments were assisted one time each by CPVFD.

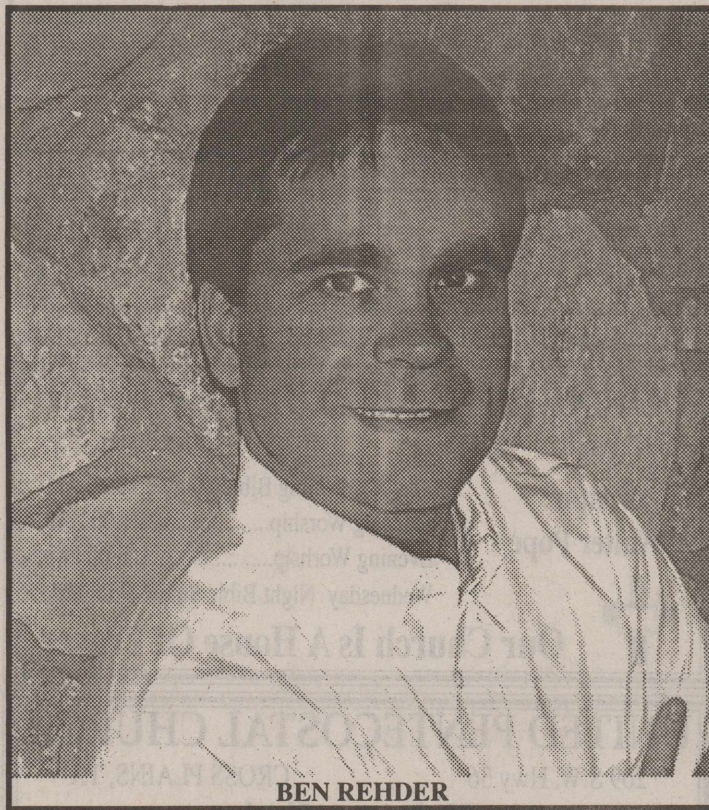
*Mayor Ray Purvis called a 30-minute recess to allow the Council time to go to the Senior Citizens Center to look at the damage that occurred from the recent heavy rain and hail storm. **Senior Citizens Director, Kathy Anderson** went with the group on a brief tour, where she explained what had happened. In the main meeting room, Anderson showed Council members several places where rain had leaked in. On the south wall behind the piano, several ceiling tiles had absorbed so much water, that they had plummeted to the floor. She

See Senior Citizens' Center Page 3

Meet the Author—Ben Rehder next Tuesday, April 24th

On Tuesday, April 24, 7:00 p.m., the Cross Plains Public Library invites you to the Cross Plains Community Center for an entertaining Meet the Author evening. Ben Rehder of Austin says he wanted to be a writer ever since he was dropped on his head as a toddler. He longed to craft the type of soul-stirring prose that would touch people's lives and help them explore new emotional horizons. After earning his BA in English from the University of Texas, Ben settled in at an ad agency writing imaginative and compelling phrases like "Act now!" and "Limited-time offer!" Unbelievable as it sounds, though, there finally came a time when this wasn't enough to satisfy Ben's creative urges. The time had come to write a novel—but what kind of novel?

Lucky for us, Ben chose to write comic crime novels. A life long Texas hunter, he decided to make a game warden his main character and set the action in a fictional version of Blanco County, Texas. Wow! Huntin' and fishin' and a mystery to solve—what could be better than that? Ben's first book, **Buck Fever**, was nominated for the Edgar Award for Best First Novel, and was soon followed by **Bone Dry, Flat Crazy, and Guilt Trip**. His new book, **Gun Shy** (St. Martin's Press), is due out May 15, and we're hoping he



BEN REHDER

we're hoping he might have a few advance copies with him April 24.

Ben's books are as funny as they are suspense-filled and let us meet some great fictional characters—like John Marlin, who grew up in Blanco County and returned there to serve as game warden. John's the kind of game warden every county should have, and many of the folks from Blanco County will remind you of the people you meet in town every day. Then

there are some very odd characters you might hope you won't meet—a pet psychic who's a bit free with her favors, a deviant state senator, a drug-addled Rotarian who can't keep his hands out of the club's treasury, good ol' boys Red O'Brien and Billy Don Craddock, and a professional hunting guide who'll break a few rules to make a client happy. It's lots of fun (and sometimes scary) following John Marlin as he and his fellow law enforcement officers solve some very peculiar crimes. You won't have any trouble telling the good guys from the bad guys, either; the bad guys are the ones who use bad language. (Since bad guys refuse to behave and talk like decent folks, Ben's books aren't recommended for the younger, more impressionable reader.)

Ben is just as interesting in person as on paper, so please join us Tuesday, April 24, 7:00 p.m., at the Cross Plains Community Center for another entertaining Meet the Author evening sponsored by the Cross Plains Public Library. There's no charge to attend (though donations are always welcome!), and light refreshments will be served. You'll enjoy visiting with Ben, and he'll have books available for purchase and signing. Call the Library at 254-725-7722 for information or directions.

Submitted by
Ginny Hoskins

Leifton Hunter Scholarship to be Awarded to Graduating Senior

The Leifton Hunter Scholarship Fund was established in 2002 in memory of Leifton Hunter, a 1998 graduate of Cross Plains High School. A graduating senior will be awarded a \$250.00 scholarship to assist with tuition, books, and/or fees to further his or her education.

Requirements:

1. The scholarship is open to any graduating senior who has enrolled or plans to enroll in a college, university, vocational, or technical school.

2. Please write a one-page essay about one of the following topics:

A. Explain how a particular individual has significantly influenced your life.

B. Fully describe this sentence. "I am a ___ year old male/female

growing up in the United States in 2007 and I am most hopeful/pessimistic about..."

C. Describe a challenge that you have successfully overcome and how it has affected your life. What challenges do you anticipate facing after graduation?

Selections:

Selection will be based on school and community involvement, financial need, and completion of a brief essay.

Application Deadline:

The application deadline is May 4, 2007 at 5:00 p.m. Please return the application with the essay attached to Debbie Edington at Texas Heritage Bank.

(Applications for the scholarship may be obtained from Mrs. Laci Bean, local English teacher.)

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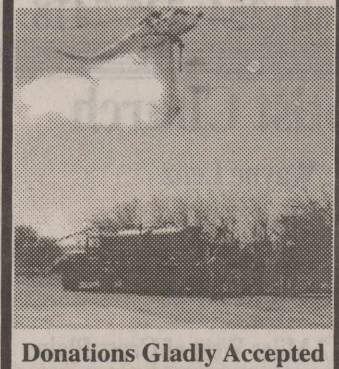
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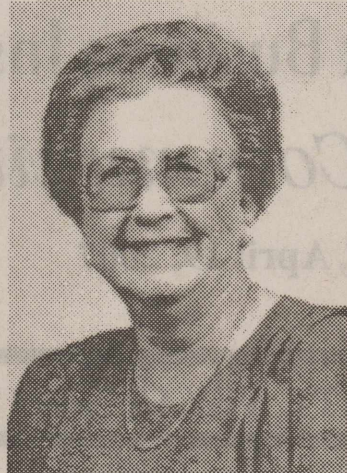
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SPECIAL SPEAKERS—The Cross Plains Kiwanis Club heard a report on Camp Courage and the Rainbow camps sponsored by the Children's Miracle Network and Hendrick Hospice Care supported in large part by the Kiwanis clubs in the Big Country. Charles Rodenberger (left) was program chair and introduced Jessica Baldrige (center), Bereavement Coordinator and Mark Rogers (right), marketing director for Children's Miracle Network and former sports announcer for KTXA. The public is invited to Kiwanis who always meet at noon Tuesdays at Jean's.

OBITUARIES

Louis Foster



Louis Foster, age 87, of the Atwell community went home to be with the Lord on Monday, April 16, 2007 at a local hospital in Abilene.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 18, 2007 at First Baptist Church in Cross Plains with Burlie Taylor officiating assisted by Ronnie White; burial was followed in the Atwell Cemetery in Callahan County, Texas.

She was born November 18, 1919 to Maume (Minnix) and Samuel Edwin Erwin in Sabanno, Texas. Louise graduated

from Cross Plains High School in 1938. She married Nathan Foster in Sabanno, Texas on May 24, 1940. She and Nathan made their home in the Atwell community; she was a wife, homemaker, and mother to three sons. Louise was a Sunday school teacher for more than 60 years; she also enjoyed flowers, gardening, and quilting. Her loss will be deeply felt by all who knew and loved her.

Louise was preceded in death by her husband, Nathan; parents, Edwin and Maume Erwin; and brother, Ralph Erwin.

Survivors include her three sons, James Foster and wife Paulette of Atwell, Steve Foster and wife Anita Sue of Abilene, Randy Foster and wife Judy of Cross Plains; one sister, Annette Edge of Friendswood, Tx; 6 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; as well as a host of friends.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers donations maybe made to the First Baptist Church Building Fund, PO Box 130, Cross Plains, Tx 76443 or Hendrick Hospice Inpatient Care, 1900 Pine St., Abilene, Tx 79601.

O.R. Lawlis

O.R. Lawlis, 91, of Coleman, died Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at Coleman County Medical Center.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 Friday, April 13 at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Jeff Miller officiating. Burial followed in the Coleman City Cemetery under the direction of Stevens Funeral Home.

O.R. Lawlis was born January 13, 1916 in Jones County, Texas, a son of P.W. Lawlis and Betty Elizabeth Rambo Lawlis. He attended school in Grosvenor. On June 16, 1934 he married Lela Edgington in Brownwood. O.R. had lived in Coleman since 1950, moving from the Cross Plains area. He was a rancher. He served on the board of the Central

Colorado River Authority, was a member of the Rodeo Association and Farm Bureau. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Lela Lawlis of Coleman; one daughter, Lynn Lawlis Traylor and husband Jim of Ruidoso, NM; one granddaughter, Melinda Miller of Houston.

Pallbearers were Mike Barr, Mark Williams, Ronnie Barr, Cody Golson, Mark Phillips and Dub Wallis.

Memorials may be made to the First United Methodist Church, P O Box 852, Coleman, TX 76834.

You are encouraged to sign the on-line guest book: www.livingmemorials.com.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURTHOUSE Roger Corn, Presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Brandie A. Lamb, theft by check.

Jimmie Dee Mitchell, theft by check.

Ricky D. Phillips, theft by check.

Daniel G. Grandy, terroristic threat.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Alexander Perez Gonzales, motion to withdraw as surety granted.

Joshua Raney, motion to revoke probation and adjudicate granted.

Scott Haines, motion to revoke probation and adjudicate granted.

Leland Wamsley, motion to revoke probation granted.

Daniel Gandy, plea of guilty to terroristic threat, 2 year probation, \$400 fine, \$231 court costs, \$75 restitution.

Jonathan Texas Wiley, motion and affidavit of surety for warrant granted.

Tamara A. Jenkins, motion to dismiss to theft by check granted, paid restitution.

Jennifer L. Duran, motion to dismiss to theft by check granted for jail time served.

Ricky Johnson, motion to

dismiss to reckless driving granted for plea to other case. James Couch, end of term order discharging defendant under misdemeanor probation.

42nd DISTRICT COURT John Weeks, presiding

Civil Filings

Steven Dale Baugher and Jeannie Carol Baugher, divorce.

Civil Minutes

Michelle Lee Flores and Daniel Flores, Jr., divorce granted.

Paula Fleming Windham and James Kennard Windham, order on motion to consolidate granted.

Jon Robert Tonne and Jadeana Dawn Tonne, divorce granted.

Criminal Indictments

Bobby R. Tackett, criminal mischief.

Travis B. Hart, criminal mischief.

Michael Scott Hughes, theft.

Corey A. Brockman, theft.

Criminal Minutes

Mark D. Rainey, motion to dismiss to evading arrest granted for plea to other case.

To get your name on the Birthday Column, send your name and date of birth to
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Cottonwood News

Written By: Wallace Bennett

Big Stir In Cottonwood Caused By Cookbook Debut

To the ohs, ahs and voices of delight, citizens of the Cottonwood community viewed the "Cottonwood is My Home" cookbook for the first time last Saturday at the Cottonwood Community Center.

The meeting was held by the Cottonwood Historical Association (CHA) and the Cookbook Committee appointed at last year's annual meeting of the CHA where the idea of a cookbook as a fund-raising project for the roof repairs of the old Cottonwood Methodist Church was voiced and voted upon.

The name of the book was taken from a poem penned by Buster Woody, who left Cottonwood as a young man to enter the Armed Forces. As many of us who also left (some to return in pre-retirement and post-retirement) and for those who stayed, the theme of memories of our ancestors and the love of Cottonwood is a fitting theme to lift up as well as the love of good, old fashioned cooking and memorable food.

From Clara McInnis' Apple

Dumplings to Jeanell Purvis' Janapeno Jelly to Dutch Holley's Line Pickles (actually there are several families' favorite pickle recipes) to Yvonne Peevy's Roll Dough to Aunt Ester Varner's Pralines to Elephant Stew, it puts a smile and sense of happiness in folks. (More about Elephant Stew later.)

The book's theme could be stated as "life as it was lived in Cottonwood" at the turn of the century and quietly repeats that theme in its photos and recipes. There are also recipes for today's hurried cooks that are favorites of Cottonwood folks.

Over 500 recipes and 100 photos of local families and historical text outlining the first American natives, the first Spanish explorer to stop by Turkey Creek, the first homesteaders, the first stores, the early businessmen, and on and on, all for \$20.00 each plus postage if shipped.

If you are reading this, look to previous columns for Beverly Brown's address to order, and we will repeat it next week. Or come to the CHA Annual Meeting in Cottonwood on May 5, 2007, to purchase your copy or multiple

copies for your families.

Cottonwood Connections

Elanie Bogue Recter of Indianapolis, Indiana, visited with her parents, Syd and Beth Bogue and other relatives in this area last week. Last week they spent Easter Sunday with Bob and Cookie Robinson, Beth's Aunt.

Cottonwood Quilting Club spent the week before Easter picking up trash along the roadways entering Cottonwood as they participated in "Texas Trash-off days". It really looks nice and makes the flowers shine. Cleans us up and makes us all to shame if we ever throw litter out the window. Other litter comes from our yards that the wind picks up and sends along. Thank you Quilting Club Ladies (and men) for your hard work and collective conscience.

Didn't think the column would be this long as I'm right in the middle of tax time and need to get back to it.

Remember if you have personal or organizational news, contact Wallace Bennett, 11093 CR 440, Cross Plains, Texas 76443, 254-725-7474, or csb5@airmail.net.

LIBRARY NOTES

Library Stats
April 9-13, 2007

Patrons	89
Programs	34
LAP	7
Lapsit	4
Books Checked Out	109
LAP	24
Lapsit	6
Copies	83
Reference	3
Internet Users	20

Honorariums: Judy Luter in honor of Cherry Shults; Curt and Ginny Hoskins in honor of Cherry Shults

Donations: Tom and Arlene Stephenson; Chad and Kim Cunningham

Donated Books: Drs. Charles and Lou Rodenberger; Tony Garza.

RISING STAR NURSING NEWS

We will be having the resident's birthday party Friday, April 20th at 2:00 p.m. All residents with an April birthday will be celebrated. Those who have birthdays are: Charles Clark, Lucky Taylor, Spencer Evans and Kay Justice. The employee with a birthday is Johnnie Elliott. Jerry Walker and band will be providing the entertainment for us. Appreciation to Wanda Goble for making the birthday cake. Family and friends are invited to the party.

A warm welcome to our newest employees, Michael Lee, CNA; Miranda Collins, CNA; and Kala Jackson, dietary.

Thoughts and prayers for Hadden Payne and Lucky Taylor who are in the hospital.

Residents and employees would like to say congratulations and best wishes to Dorothy Horrell, who is in the housekeeping department, on the birth of her new granddaughter.

When One Helps Another, Both Are Strong.

SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

APRIL 23 - 207

MONDAY - Chicken Rice Broccoli Casserole, Glazed Sweet Potatoes, Tossed Salad, Pineapple, Bread

TUESDAY - Baked Ham, Blackeyed Peas, Tomatoes & Zucchini, Apple Crisp, Cornbread

WEDNESDAY - Salisbury Steak w/Gravy, Whipped Potatoes, Italian Veg., German Chocolate Cake, Roll

THURSDAY - Soft Taco, Refried Beans, Tossed Salad, Spanish Rice, Gelatin w/Fruit

FRIDAY - Oven Baked Fish, Rice Pilaf, Broccoli Salad, Bread Pudding, Wheat Bread

Heart of Texas Wildflower Exhibit

The Heart of Texas Wildflower Exhibit will be held April 26, 27 and 28 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. daily. Free admission.

Sponsored by the Brownwood Garden Club at the First Baptist Church Activity Center in Brownwood (corner of Depot and Center).

Specimens of wildflowers from Brown and surrounding counties will be displayed and identified by common and scientific names.

At 1:00 p.m. on Friday, John Begnaud, Extension Horticulturist from Tom Green County, will present the program "Landscaping with Native Plants". On Saturday, Dr. Jack Stanford will speak on "Central Texas Wildflowers".

Maps of suggested routes to view wildflowers will be available, and Dr. Stanford will lead a field trip following his presentation. There will be a plant sale by the Garden Club members.

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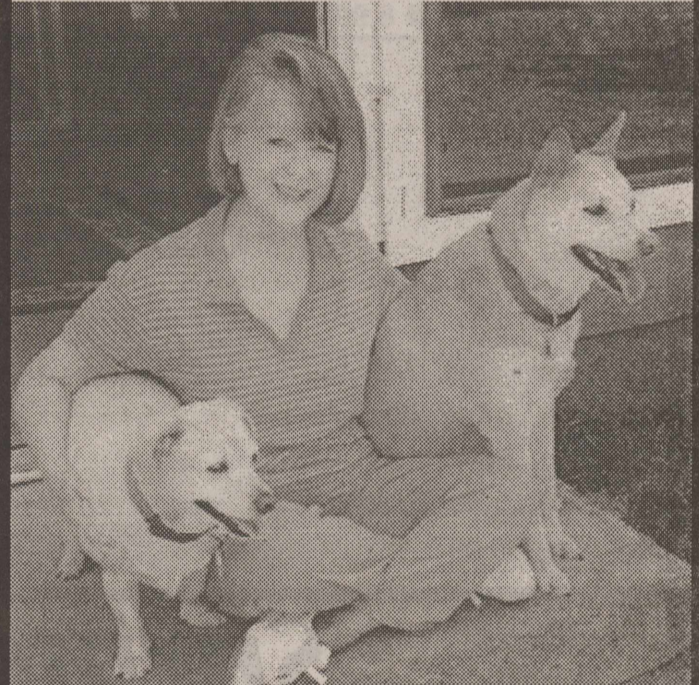
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VOTE PEG TERRELL FOR CROSS PLAINS CITY COUNCIL



My name is Peggy Erwin Terrell (Peg) and I am running for Cross Plains City Council. After graduating in 1967 from Cross Plains High and in 1971 from Tarleton, I began working in public accounting (audit and income tax), took off several years to travel with my husband Rick, and spent the last 15 years of my career in the oil and gas industry. Most recently, I managed groups that reported multi-state severance taxes and federal/Indian royalties of more than \$3 million per month.

After living in many different states and overseas, we chose to make Cross Plains our retirement home in 2005, both because of my memories and of this dynamic crossroads town and because Rick had been favorably impressed with its friendly people during our many visits. Rick graduated from Comanche High, Tarleton and UT Austin, retired from the US Army, and currently serves as a vice president of the local Kiwanis service organization. My parents, Zella Erwin and the late Pat Erwin have made this area their home for almost 60 years.

As my dogs and I walk through various neighborhoods, it is particularly pleasing to see several renovation projects that were not prompted by the 12/05 wildfire, as well as all the new homes and businesses. I see many things that are good about Cross Plains and a few that might be improved. For example, expanding the Neighborhood Watch concept could provide additional security and peace of mind for residents, provided, of course, that those residents are willing to make the effort to help organize and maintain a watch program. Other city-wide issues include identifying grants that make sense for the city to pursue, recycling, and attracting and hiring a backup police officer.

I would like to serve the city that helped nurture and encourage me as I was growing up, and would appreciate your vote in May.

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Senior Citizens' Center

added that this wasn't the first time this had happened. In the past, a tile had actually hit a senior when it fell.

After that incident, Anderson said she refused to put the ceiling tiles back in those particular places, for fear that someone might really get hurt if they were standing under or near them. Further damage was discovered in the back storage room. Evidence of the rainwater that had flowed down the interior west wall was still present. There were several dark water stains on exposed rafter boards as well. It was agreed that the roof was very old and in very bad shape.

The Center's roof, along with many of the other business roofs in town, were constructed back in the 1900's and are primarily flat. A flat roof can lead to a lot of standing water for periods of days because there is no real avenue for runoff. Even though some have gutter pipes to ease the collection, over time the roof deteriorates from the constant seepage and erosion.

The recent rain and hail storm that produced around 6 inches of perception in less than two hours, greatly impacted most of the city's flat roofs, with the Senior Center being perhaps the worst.

*After the tour, back at City Hall, discussion ensued about the condition of the roof. Mayor Purvis reiterated that the roof was in terrible shape. He said that it

had been leaking for a long time and believed that the last time it had been worked on was about 15 years ago and it cost around \$12,000 then. He added that it would cost a whole lot more now to replace it. **Councilman Gene Dillard** said that the seniors are trying to gather up enough money to get a new roof.

A comment was made that no one knows how structurally sound the building is in the first place. **City Secretary, Debbie Gosnell** added that if the seniors are happy there, then she guessed they'd just continue to meet there until it becomes a real hazard.

Councilman James Nichols added that it would be best for the seniors to just look for another place. **Era Lee Hanke** responded that a lot of senior citizens really don't go down there as much as people think they do. She said, "If people really knew how few go, they'd have a better perspective."

Debbie elaborated, "The word on the street is that the City doesn't care. We would love to see a good place for the seniors. James thought he had a great idea to move them (to the VFW Hall). We were going to spend the money needed and that would have accommodated more people."

Someone else on the Council interjected, "Talk was that we were going to lock them out!" The Council all agreed that they had gotten a bad rap concerning

the Senior Citizens Center situation.

The idea of perhaps appointing a committee of some kind to inspect the Center and then report back to the Council was suggested. Mayor Purvis summed up the discussion by saying, "Well, we've all looked at it and agree its in bad shape. Gene Dillard added, "I guess we need to find out what they (the seniors) want to do."

*Debbie Gosnell presented the proposal for the **new policy for the Community Center** to the Council. In the past, the City only rented the Center out to those who wanted to use it for a charitable cause. Under the new guidelines, **money-making events will now also be allowed.**

Debbie emphasized the fact that the lawn is off limits for parking and there will continue to be strict enforcement of No Smoking, No Alcoholic Beverages of any kind or Weapons allowed on the premises. There is a \$100.00 deposit fee and now under the new guidelines, if any renter does not return a key, a FEE of \$25.00 will be withheld from their deposit. The Council agreed to the new terms.

***John Swift, Executive Director of the Cross Plains Housing Authority (CPHA)** gave an update. He said he was waiting for the Texas Historical Commission to get back to him about releasing funds. After the Commission verifies that there is no negative impact or destroying of historical sites, the funds can be released to the Housing Authority so they can proceed with standard repairs and improvements on existing housing units. The CPHA's current board members are Julene Franke, Marvin Mosley, Melissa Richards, Susan Schaefer and Cindy Payne.

***In the Police Report for March, the following 89 Calls were recorded:**

6 calls for 4-Wheelers and Loud Music on the Street, 5 Truants, 4 Hot-Rodders, 3 Family Disturbances, 3 Alarm Responses, 3 Burglary of a Building, 2 Criminal Mischief, 2 Assisting other Agencies, 1 Prowler, 1 Theft, 1 Terroristic Threat, 1 Trespassing Warrant, and 1 Sexual Assault.

***Members of the public** present were, Era Lee Hanke, Peg Terrell, John Swift, Gerald Brown, Blake Foster and Ricky Carouth.

*The "Official Minutes" for City Council Meetings are available at City Hall. The agenda for the next meeting will be posted at least 72 hours before the meeting.

***The next Council Meeting will be May 8th at 6:30 p.m. at City Hall.**

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BREAKTHRU

By Bob Pipes
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The TV weather-caster almost said "Friday" instead of "Monday" as she was giving the forecast this past Monday (16th). As she corrected it, she said, "I wish it was Friday!" And I wondered if she wished it were last Friday again or already this Friday. Perhaps she was thinking that if it was last Friday again, we could hope for better weather on Saturday — for the events they had in Abilene and the ones we had here in Cross Plains. Or if she were thinking, as I really suspect was the case, of fast-forwarding to this Friday, then it would be the weekend again. If that was it (and many have a tendency to think this way), then isn't it a shame that we don't enjoy every day for what it is, Sunday through Saturday?

The Psalmist said it well: "This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it" (Ps. 118:24). Like "suffering through another birthday and getting older," "suffering through Monday" (or any other day that seems burdensome) is not so bad — when you consider the alternative!

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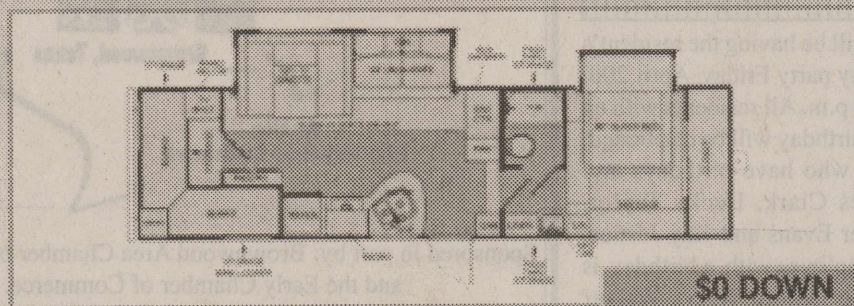
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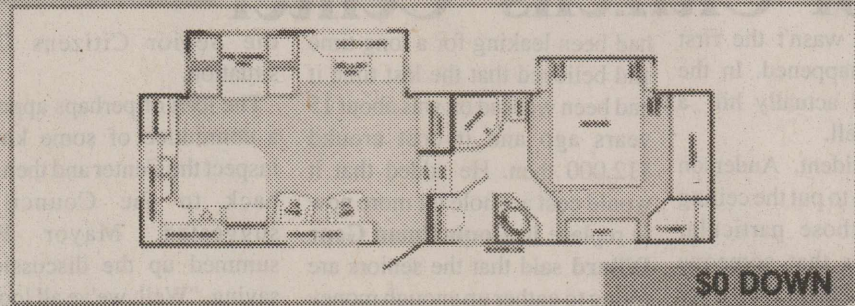


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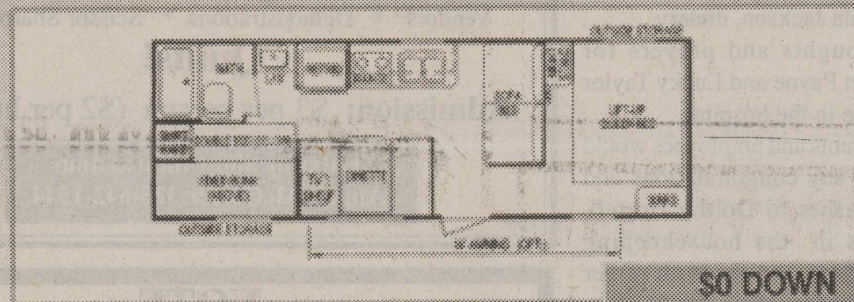


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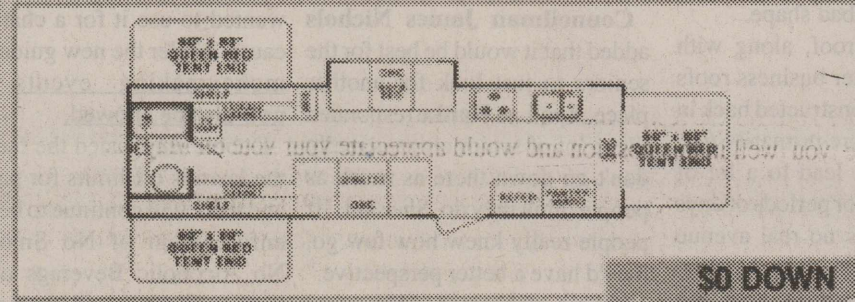


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- Open Meeting
1. Prayer
2. Approve minutes
3. Open forum
4. Discuss and take action on canvassing school board election
5. Discuss and take action on project graduation using school facilities
6. Discuss and take action on adoption of textbooks for 2007-08 school year
7. Announce school board training hours to the public, by school board president

8. Committee on integrity of athletic program

- A. Approve Committee
- B. Discuss and take action on committee report

9. Discuss and take action on employee's stipend

10. Discuss and take action on date for school board training

11. Discuss and take action on refinishing gym floor

12. Discuss and take action on purchasing property

13. Discuss and take action on bids for flooring and resurfacing of track

14. Discuss and take action of band trip

15. Executive Session

A. Discuss resignation on Amanda Coffman

B. Discuss letters of assurance for secretaries/aides

C. Discuss letters of assurance for auxiliary personnel

16. Take action on executive session items

17. Review/pay bills

18. Adjourn.

If, during the course of the meeting, any discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in a closed meeting, the Board will convene in such closed meeting in accordance with the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Government Code. Before any such meeting is convened, the presiding officer will publicly identify the section or sections of the Act authorizing the closed meeting. All final votes, actions, or decisions will be taken in open meeting.

This notice was posted in compliance with the Open Meetings Act on **April 16, 2007, at 10:00 a.m.**

Jackie Tennison
For the Board of Trustees

Vote Judy Luter for Cross Plains I.S.D. School Board Trustee

I'm Judy Luter, and I'm running for Cross Plains ISD school trustee. I've lived in the Cross Plains School District for 17 years. My son, Cole, is in the ninth grade in Cross Plains, and my daughter, Melissa, is in her first semester of college.

I'm President of Kasle Energy, Inc., a small Oil & Gas company started by my late husband, Steve, I operate a wildlife management program on our ranch in the Cottonwood area. I'm an active member of the Cottonwood Baptist Church where I've taught preschool through 6th grade children on Wednesday nights for many years.

I've attended most of the school board meetings for last several years. In the last few months I've seen quite a bit of passion at the meetings. It's obvious that the community cares about the school. I think a school board member needs to be able to listen objectively to all that's said and make well thought out decisions. I don't think the school board needs or wants to micromanage the school. With competent leaders in place that should not be an issue.

The Cross Plains Schools are already doing an excellent job in some areas, and I'd like to see that expand to our entire school. It's true that you can't keep doing what you've been doing and expect different results. It's been plain to many that with only 55% of high school students passing the math TAKS tests and only 49% passing all sections of the TAKS tests (according to the Texas Education Agency website's 2005-06 School Report Card) and the low confidence and morale of many of the students, faculty and staff, that something needed to change. Steps are being taken to make changes, and I have confidence that improvements are happening and will continue until we have an entire school we can all be proud of; one that will send confident students out well prepared to face the challenges of the world.

Combined I have over 15 years board service in the community; 12 years on the Cross Plains Library Board and the rest on the Callahan County Historical Commission. I believe I will be able to serve you well in this position and would appreciate your vote on May 12.

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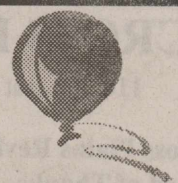
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The ordinance also states that the city may give annual notice to all property owners one time in a local newspaper of general circulation, and that no further notice shall be required. Therefore, the city respectfully requests that all property owners abide by the ordinance and avoid the city taking action and placing liens against their property.

Respectfully,
Mayor and City Council

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Senior Corporal Roger Rudloff awarded the Dallas Police Association's 2006 Officer of the Year

The award came after Officer Rudloff rescued a fellow officer amid a hail of gunfire last August at a Dallas Radisson Hotel during a dramatic hostage situation. Corporal Rudloff and other officers from the Dallas Police Department responded to a call for help at the 1200 block of West Mockingbird Lane. Upon arrival, the officers could hear a female being beaten violently in the hotel room. Officer Jeremy Borchardt was opening the door with a passkey when he was shot through the wall. Officer Borchardt was struck in the leg severing his femoral artery. Officer Borchardt fell to the ground and was bleeding profusely. Corporal Rudloff and Officer Runnels then drug Borchardt down the hall to the elevator. All this happened in a matter of seconds with gunshots still being fired from inside the room. Officer Borchardt was rushed to Parkland Hospital and was immediately taken into surgery.

In nominating Corporal Rudloff for this award, Corporal Jeremy Borchardt states the one instance that sums up the character, integrity, and professionalism of Corporal Rudloff is the night Rudloff, without hesitation, "came to my aid after being shot. Corporal Rudloff dragged me from the scene of the shooting, down a hallway towards an elevator to waiting Dallas Fire Department paramedics." Corporal Rudloff really showed his dedication to other officers, his leadership, and his ability to remain calm under extreme pressure. Corporal Borchardt also states that without the quick actions of Corporal



SENIOR CORPORAL ROGER RUDLOFF

Rudloff, "I would probably have died from the gunshot wound that had severed my femoral artery." In the aftermath of the shooting, Corporal Rudloff continued to work behind the scenes to help with Borchardt's recovery, utilizing his own personal time to ensure every detail was taken care of.

In support of the nomination, Corporal Rudloff's supervisor, Sgt Kevin Campbell states, "Rudloff is truly a Top Cop." He is considered one of the most respected Field Trainers in the Northwest Patrol Division and is the recipient of eighty-two commendations during his

twelve years of service. One of those commendations was for Rudloff's investigative skills, which resulted in the capture of three suspects on the Dallas Police Departments Ten Most Wanted List.

Corporal Rudloff is also a Patrol Rifle Instructor and Driving Instructor, providing invaluable training to patrol officers on the safe and proper use of their rifles and appropriate driving techniques. Corporal Rudloff has been a member of the Dallas Police Department since August 1995.

"From Ashes to Beauty" Tour of Homes Set for May 12 in Cross Plains Sponsored by Beta Sigma Phi

Driving through Cross Plains reveals only a few reminders of the devastating wildfires of that fateful day, December 27, 2005. A few charred mementoes, such as the cross still sitting on the parking lot at the First United Methodist Church, provide as silent witness to many, many losses that day.

What is more evident are signs of resiliency, hope, and faithfulness as most homeowners rebuilt and are in the process of moving into or are already moved in to their new homes. Some had the advantage of insurance (never enough) and contractors to build from the former houseplans or from new blueprints. Some were blessed with the aid of volunteer builder teams from all around the county and state. Some have put their own stamps of beauty on a new doublewide manufactured home.

You will be privileged to walk through ten or so of these homes as guests, on May 12, 2007, viewing their rise from "Ashes to Beauty", as Beta Sigma Phi (BSP) will sponsor the Tour of Homes at 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Beginning next week in this newspaper, stories will recount some of the more interesting events and memories of the people whose homes will be opened to us, including David and Jane Holmes, Nora Odum, Mary Jones, Linda Slaymaker, David and Bethany Parker, Kathy and Charles Chesshir, Wanda Merryman, Charles and Beverly Ross, and Larry and Sandra Crockett. Others to be included are not confirmed, and if you would like to be a participant by showing your new home on this tour, please call Gail Ransdell at 725-4440.

Tickets will be provided for a minimum donation of \$6.00 and can be obtained from several locations throughout Cross Plains after May 1st or from BSP members. The funds raised from this event will be contributed to the Economic Development Council towards the building of large brick "Welcome to Cross Plains" signs at each entrance of the city. A plaque on each sign will permanently commemorate the city's devastation and its restoration. Contributions may also be mailed to BSP, c/o Nora Odum, Treasurer, PO Box 694, Cross Plains, Texas, 76443. These permanent and historical welcome signs are expected to cost several thousand dollars.

Submitted by Carol Bennett



Cross Plains represented at Network Luncheon in Cisco

The Cisco Chamber of Commerce and Economic Development Corporation hosted one of six network luncheons being held in April sponsored by Texas Midwest Community Network. The luncheon presentation and discussion focused on "The TMCN Scoreboard". The original mission of TMCN was reviewed as attendees identified ways their communities have benefited from participation.

During the luncheon community representatives from surrounding cities discussed the values provided to TMCN member cities and how to engage more local leaders and volunteers to attend events and programs offered.

Cross Plains City Secretary Debbie Gosnell was among 28 attendees at the luncheon. Cities represented at the Cisco luncheon included Abilene, Albany, Breckenridge, Cisco, Cross Plains, Gorman, Ranger and San Angelo. The meal was catered by Cooders.

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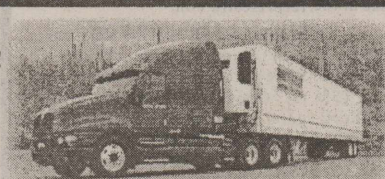
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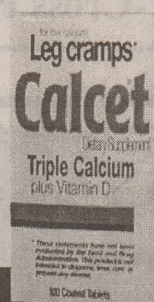
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