

Dear Readers
By Marty Robertson

Welcome back home Stratford Ex-Students and Teachers. Hope you have a good time visiting and rehashing "OLD TIMES". This is Duane's and my time to have all four grandchildren. We have the "The Great American Camp Out" in our backyard, while the parents go and enjoy themselves. We just set the old tent right off the patio in the backyard, close to bathrooms and kitchen, just the way I like it. Believe me that is an experience!

Valerie Naugle opened the doors on the rainbow this past Monday, July 25th. Stop in and see what she has in young ladies apparel. Good luck Valerie! Also another new business is Brooks Motors Parts Plus. Welcome and Good luck to all businesses.

I must admit, I am one of those who has not yet got in the habit of recycling, but know I must get my act together. Am in the process of trying to get set up at my house for doing this. We all should get serious about doing this folks. We do not have any other choice. Let's do it.

Please notice that the Stratford Family Medical Clinic is now open on Fridays.

Ice Cream recipes of the winners are on page 6. Try one or all of these and enjoy. There were a lot of good ones at the park July 4th.

Kids, 21 days until school starts. Are You Ready?

Also a fact! There are 151 shopping days until Christmas.

Knock Knock-Who's There?
O.J. O.J. Who?-Welcome to the Jury.



If the stem of a carnation plant is bent into the ground, it will form a new root.

ATTENTION

Attention! Please do not dump your grass clippings in the bar ditches. There are pastures you may use or there is a spot at the Landfill. NO BAR-DITCHES PLEASE!!!!!!!!!!!!

Letters To The Editor

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To Whom It May Concern:

OUR BEAUTIFUL POOL IS COLD! No one seems too concerned except the ladies exercise group.

There are approximately 20 men of all ages, mainly between 60 and 80 years of age, who benefit greatly from the pool. This is the only exercise many can do without injury to their joints. It is recommended by many of their doctors.

The heater at the pool has been off for the past week. There is no sun to warm the water, and it gets colder everyday.

Anyone who is interested in one of the major assets of this community is asked to do what you can to improve this situation.

Sincerely
Beverly Pemberton

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Obits

Diana Grunig Catalan
Diana Grunig Catalan was born at Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania on June 12, 1949 to David B. Grunig and Margaret Ritchie Grunig. She died July 10, 1994 in Boulder at the home of her parents. She suffered from Multiple Sclerosis.

She graduated from Fairview High School in Boulder in 1967 sharing the honor of valedictorian with two other people. She graduated from the University of Colorado at Boulder in 1971 with honors, achieving a B.A. in Geology and membership in Phi Beta Kappa. She later attended the University of Texas.

She worked as a geologist for Twin Arrow and Hayes Petroleum in Rangely, Colorado. She married Boris A. Catalan, a native of Chile. Survivors include her parents of Boulder; her husband of Dinosaur, Colorado; a son, Eric Catalan of Boulder; a sister, Melissa Pearson of Oklahoma City; and Dr. Steve Grunig of Boulder.

She was the granddaughter of the late Eskie Ritchie of Stratford.

Private family services will be at Blue Mountain, Colorado.

Insurance News & Notes

Don't Pay Twice

(NAPS)—If you already have a financial planner or a professional insurance advisor you shouldn't have to pay twice for advice. By purchasing low-load life insurance, you eliminate the traditional agent's commission and still get the insurance you need.

Now, you can shop for the policy you need by calling a new toll-free number. The number, 1-800-808-5810, was set up by the Wholesale Insurance Network (WIN). Life insurance buyers who call the number receive two quotes from among the 25 low-load policies offered by ten companies in the WIN network. If you prefer, you can fax your request to 1-800-424-0909. It's a good way to get the low down on low-cost insurance.



The presidential custom of throwing out the first ball of the baseball season began under William Howard Taft in 1910.

New At The Fair Baked Goods Dept.

New class in yeast breads: Bread Machine-White, Whole Wheat, Flavored.

Special for the public! Tea and Coffee Time with dessert. Friday, Sept. 9 3:00 to 5:30 p.m. Pastry, Candy, cookies and cakes will be sold by the slice at 3:00 after the judging. A piece will be retained for exhibit.

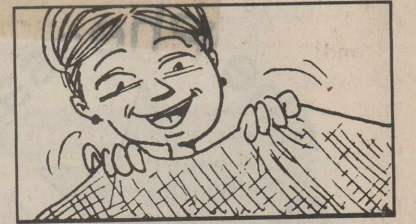
Will you enter a pie, cake, cookies, sweet bread or candy to be judged and to share at "Tea Time" (or maybe bring two or a batch)

4-H bake show awards will be held during this time, so enjoy a cup and a treat while supporting 4-H bakers.

Welcome
Ex-Students
and Teachers

News From SCOT
By Jack Gore

The past week has been spent by your Director playing the role of janitor. Come by and see your Scot Hall while the carpets are clean, walls, floors and lots of detail cleaning was done. Rearrange some furniture and get rid of some old items. Now we are ready for our Hamburger dinner Thursday, July 28th at 6 p.m. Come and enjoy both food and entertainment.



Taffeta cloth is so-called from the Persian word *taftah*, meaning "twisted" or "woven."

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We Are Now Open on Friday.

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LISA RAMIREZ RUIDOSO, NEW MEXICO
MARINA UNDERWOOD WINK, TEXAS
JIM LINDSEY WELLINGTON, TEXAS

WINNERS!
VICTORIA A. MATTHEWS LAS VEGAS, NEW MEXICO
PAM FREEMAN BALKO, OKLAHOMA
ARCHIE A. CRAWFORD ALAMOGORDO, NEW MEXICO
DAVID JONES CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO
MARLO BOOGUA GALLUP, NEW MEXICO

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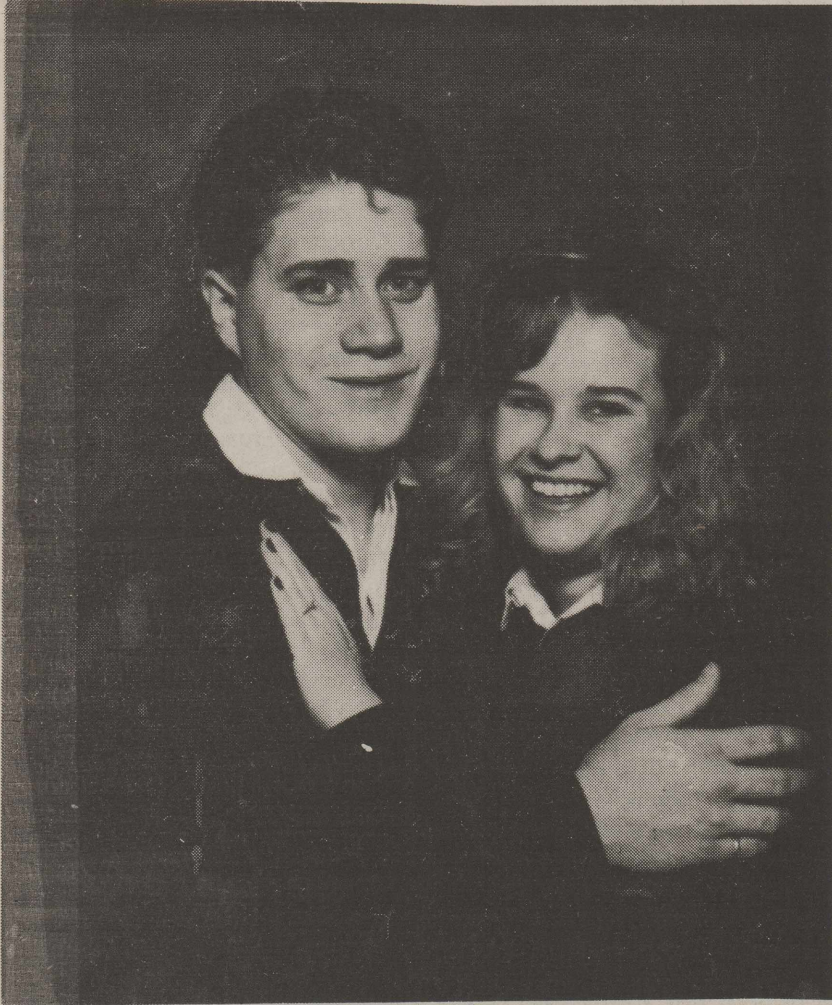
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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Fitzgerald of Lesterville would like to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Lora Allison to John P. Sanders, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanders of Lesterville. The bride-elect is a 1994 graduate of Maryville University, St. Louis and a 1990 graduate of Lesterville High School. The groom elect is a 1989 graduate of Beggs High School, Beggs, Oklahoma. He is currently employed by Twin Rivers Landing. Following a September 10th wedding, the couple will reside in Cape Girardeau, Missouri. Grandparents are Lora Fitzgerald of The Baptist Home, Ironton, MO, Dorothy Swearingim of Lesterville, MO and Myrtle Ellison of Stratford, Texas.

Golf

Tip Top of Texas Golf associates had its monthly play day at the Stratford Country club, July 19, 1994.

Winners: Low gross over field - Judy Rice, Dumas 82; Low net over field - Michelle Duncan, Stratford 72.

Championship Flight: Low gross - Judy Rice, Dumas 82; 1st low net - Sandy Bynum, Dumas 76; 2nd low net - Joy Elmore, Huber 77.

1st flight: low gross - Lorie Vincent, Stratford 89; 1st low net - Ann Sanders, Hansford 76; 2nd low net - Roberta Wallace, Huber 77.

2nd flight: low gross - Jo Green, Dalhart 97; 1st low net - Marge Gallegly, Dalhart 77; 2nd low net - Deena Hulett, Dalhart, 77.

3rd Flight: low gross - Judy Oquin, Stratford 96; 1st low net - Michelle Duncan, Stratford, 72; 2nd low net - Marilyn Carson, Dalhart, 72.

Tips & Topics By Susie Spurlock County Extension Agent

The evidence linking diet and heart disease is about 20 years ahead of the studies linking diet and cancer. Diet probably plays a smaller role in cancer, but over a lifetime, it can make a difference.

One of the best protectors against a number of chronic diseases, including colon cancer, is fiber. Many studies examine this relationship, but drawing a correlation is difficult due to the complex nature of fiber.

With funding from the National Cancer Institute, research conducted at Michigan State University from 1990 to 1991 examined the ways different types of fiber interact with colon cancer. So far, this work was only done with animals, but as results are gathered and analyzed, some insight into the fiber-cancer relationship in the human body should be evident.

Preliminary results have shown that the insoluble fibers, which include brans and vegetable stems and stalks, offer more protection grains colon cancer than the fiber found in fruit skin and vegetable leaf fiber (soluble fiber). This is so because these insoluble fibers increase the bulk and speed of waste and may help to dilute any carcinogens in the lower intestine and colon, giving them less time to become harmful.

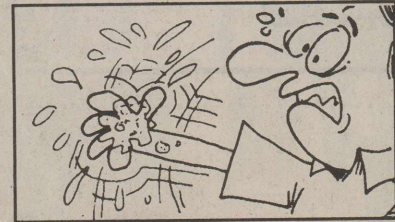
This research determined the components of the fibers that offer the cancer protection and how they work in the body, with the hope of inserting these compounds into other foods.

Basic consensus remains that over a lifetime, diet is important but it won't have a strong therapeutic effect immediately. What most people don't realize is that changing their diets for a year won't undo poor nutrition in the past. Diet should be viewed as a preventative measure over the long run, not a short-term therapeutic measure.

In those days he was wiser than he is now—he used frequently to take my advice.

—Winston Churchill

Closest to pin #3 - Lorie Vincent, Stratford; Closest to pin #5 - Joy Elmore, Huber; Longest drive #8 - Deena Hulett, Dalhart; Longest drive #2 - Joy Elmore, Huber; Longest Putt Made #9 - Nelda Stacy, Stratford.



More than half the world's tallow is produced in the United States: over five billion pounds a year.

If you would like to have a space at the Farmer's Market on July 30, Call 396-2376 after 6:00 p.m. If you have junk to sell or crafts We Have Room For You, Too!!!

Tops #897

Six members of Stratford's Tops Club #897 met Thursday, July 21st at the County Barn. After the pledge was repeated, we had roll call. We had a net gain.

At the meeting on July 14, Rose Wells and Myrtle Ellison won the fruit basket. We had a net gain for that week. The program was an article on How To Count Calories on a Vacation.

We discussed having our Garage Sale at the meeting on the 21st. We decided to have it on Aug. 5 and 6 from 9:00 a.m. until 5 p.m. We will have new things plus items we had left over from the sale we had in May. We will have lots of children's clothes. We will also have baked goods. Come look things over on the 5th and 6th at the Garrison Building at the corner of Hwy 287 and Hwy. 54.

Geneva Bell and Genevieve Wilson won the fruit basket. Meeting adjourned.

Check Out The Library by Dorothy Haile

New Books: Adams Fall and Charade by Sandra Brown; Lovers by Judith Krantz; and Daybreak by Belva Plain.

Reba McIntire's biography will be interesting to many. It is titled Reba, My Story.

Non-fictional D Day, June 5, 1944; The Climactic Battle of World War II by Stephan Ambrose is about the young men born into the false prosperity of the 1920s and brought up in the bitter realities of the Depression of the 1930s. They wanted to be throwing baseballs, not hand grenades, shooting .22s at rabbits, not M-1s at other young men. But when the test came, when freedom had to be fought for or abandoned, they fought. They were the men of D-Day.

Stewart Udall's The Myths of August is an exciting book, one that is bound to have an impact on the thinking of anyone interested in the history of the Cold War. Scholarly, bold and readable it takes on much of the "accepted wisdom" of the past and provides new perspectives of the devastating effects of the nuclear age on our democratic institutions.

Two mystery books are Robert B Parker's Walking Shadow and John LeCarre's The Night Manager.

GYMNASTICS

Kelly Donovan (Brooks) 9 Yrs. Exp.
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Ages 3 and up
Classes will Start August 29th
Pre-Registration is required by August 15th
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Phone #.....
Age.....
Time & Day Convenient.....
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on Saturday, the sixth of August
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at seven o'clock in the evening
Patterson Memorial Chapel
Northwood University
Cedar Hill, Texas
Reception immediately following
Lambert Commons Building*

STRATFORD EX-STUDENTS & TEACHERS REUNION JULY 29-30, 1994 CLASS ACTIVITIES

- 1934- Saturday Noon honored guests at lunch, SCOT Hall, 515 N. Third (All Ex-Students 1907 - 1943 and ALL Ex-Teachers) Free Will Donation.
- 1944- Saturday, Dutch Treat Lunch at "DeBec's" 412 N. Third.
- 1954- Saturday Lunch at the home of B.A. and LeRayne Mitts Donelson, 1219 N. Butler.
- 1959- Saturday Lunch at the home of James and Linda Riffe Spurlock, Hwy 54 west 5 miles, right of Country Club road, keep left 1/2 mile, gate on right. (Classes of 1958 and 1960 included)
- 1964- Dutch Treat Lunch 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. "DeBec's" 412 N. Third. Saturday
- 1969- Lunch at the home of Bill & Kathy Allen Riffe 1215 NW 1st. (Classes 1968 and 1970 included) Saturday
- 1974- Saturday Lunch, Dutch Treat, "Crossroads" 106 S. 1st.
- 1984- Friday 9:00 p.m. Catholic Parish Hall 510 S. Fulton, Saturday 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.. Stratford Country Club, Hwy 54 west, family lunch, swimming, green fee golf.

Activities for all Ex-Students and Teachers

Friday Night - Food & Visiting All Ex's, Teachers, Families and Friends, County Exhibit Building S. Maple and 6th Dutch Treat Food Booths, (Home-7:00 p.m. made Ice Cream, sweets, baked potatoes, nachos, frito pies, etc.) (Mailing Funds - Friday night food booths and donations) Thank You, Thank You for your contributions!!!!

Saturday, July 30 Visit Stratford Schools (New trophy case in cafeteria - 10:30 Trophies beginning 1929)
1:00 -3:00 SCOT Hall Open (Light refreshments)
1:30 - 3:30 Sherman County Depot Museum will be open
7:00 p.m. Ex-Student and Teachers Banquet "Roots" Bar-B-Que \$6.00 County Exhibit Building S. Maple & 6th
9:00 - 12:00 SCOT (Sherman County Older Texans) Dance Adm. - \$5.00 Music by Bobby Sherwood and the "Legends"
9:00 - 1:00 Dance - Music by Jade Palmer '89, Adm. \$5.00 18 N. Main, Across from Museum.

Sunday, July 31 Reunion Sunday Church's Welcome Ex's
All Ex's Come and Enjoy!

THEY KEEP THE WHEELS TURNING!!



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT:
MARY CROSS, LARENDA WRIGHT, TANA PEMBERTON, ALICIA MILLER, MARY LOU COTNEY, AND KRIS WEST.

OVER THE PAST FEW WEEKS, WE HAVE INTRODUCED YOU TO THE INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS OF OUR BOOKKEEPING STAFF. THESE LADIES WORK HARD TO SEE THAT YOUR CHECKS ARE POSTED, PHONE QUESTIONS ANSWERED, AND STATEMENTS ARE MAILED. THEY DO A TREMENDOUS AMOUNT OF WORK AND GET VERY LITTLE GLORY. WE HAVE TRIED TO GIVE THEM THE RECOGNITION THEY DESERVE AND THANK THEM FOR A JOB WELL DONE !!!

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Chamber Chatter
By Joyce Ann Lasley

We have been invaded-and I am not quite sure by what-kind of bug. Beetles?? If so I did not know they could fly, and from whence did they come and why? I first thought that my trash can attracted the varmints, then I discovered that they were not only in my apt. but in others down the halls out in front, at the City Hall and in between. A freak of nature-would you say?

Have you checked your ice cream freezer-those of you that brought Ice Cream for the 4th of July? Nina Ellison has-or had lost hers. I have one here at the Chamber office that I had in among the stuff I brought back to the office that night. It is clear and has a cork. The ladies running the Ice Cream freeze off thought they were keeping everything together but these things happened and no one is to blame So check your ice cream freezer-does the lid fit or do you not have a lid? I just might be the answer.

Now to RECYCLING. Mary Lucas, our recycle lady is keeping track as to how many are coming with recyclables. She has been busy. The Panhandle Environmental Partnership truck was here last Thursday to pick up our trash. The truck had a problem and when I went back to check the bins were all locked and the door to the building was likewise. I assumed right plastic and paper were picked up! Let me share a few figures taken from Mr. Ric Walton, our City employ that picks up trash. He reported this to last Thursdays City Council. Through the 6 months he had

collected 6,529 tons of trash-if we continue to not recycle as much as we can he projects 13,69809 tons, at a cost of \$27,396.18 a projected high-we have one more year hopefully on our landfill. Are we going to be willing to pay the cost to have it hauled to another? It does not take but a third grader mathematician to figure out based on the dumpsters served what it is going to cost each household and business to have it hauled somewhere else.

I have been called repeatedly on what-where can we take our grass cuttings. Well folks not out in the country in the bar ditch. That is an absolute law and a NO NO! If you do not have another option, the landfill is open Monday thru Friday from 3:30 p.m. to 4:45 and 8 to noon Saturday and there is a place your grass cuttings can be emptied.

The real question is: Are we going to actively pursue integrated Waste Management now or wait until the landfill is no longer an option for disposal? Folks this is real. This has got to be a community involvement. It is up to you and me and our families and friends. WE can make a difference. While I am up on my soap box I want to put in a plug for John and Leona Woods and their endeavors to put together a history of burials in our Stratford Cemetery. If you have forms and have put them aside let this be a reminder to get them out and fill them out to the best of your ability-or if you know of an infant born years ago and only a name, that you could give help to the Woods about-give them a call or better still do little research yourself. Nothing is easy and sometimes the best things require a small amount of effort. The John Woods believe this to be well worth while so should we. If you

do not have a form or need more come by the Chamber office I have some here and I will make you as many copies as you need. I really believe once this book has been produced and we can see for ourselves we will be so very grateful to Leona and John Woods. I believe it will be a one of a kind and a treasure.

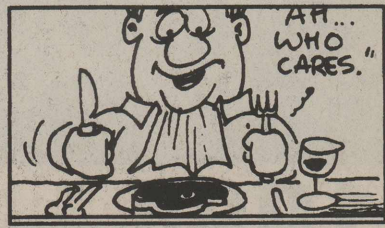
Looking ahead: Wednesday 27th: SCOT Hall, 12:30 Quilting 1 p.m. Pool and Ceramics. 4 to 6 p.m Recycling

Thursday, July 28th SCOT's Annual Hamburger supper 6 p.m. 8 a.m. Tops, County Barn; 5 p.m. Women's Division Board/DeBec's.

Friday, July 30th Ex-Student Association Weekend. Recycling 9 till noon.

Sunday July 31: Ex-student Sunday, Attend your favorite Church.

The old man was walking along the sea shore and from time to time he would pick up the fish and throw them back into the sea. A young beach patrol officer said to him "Old man don't you know the tide will wash those fish back to the shore and that you cannot possibly walk every beach-too many miles." The old man replied "Yes, as he picked up another fish and flung it out to sea" but I made a difference for that one." How very true. We each can make a difference, collectively we can make a big difference. Think about it!



At formal dinners, silverware is arranged in the order of its use, with the first to be used farthest from the plate.

Wanted: Participants For Pageants

By J.A. Lasley

Recently I traveled to Fort Worth to be a spectator at the MISS TEXAS SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT, also to applaud the girls from the Panhandle, the Miss Top of Texas, Sona Salona, Miss Amarillo, Arian Archer, Miss Lubbock, Kay Lynn Edwards and

Miss Lake Meredith, Mandi Smith. The very cream of the crop-well informed, talented, pretty, that represented this area with pride that is above all else. "and the winner is"-Yes! A Panhandle girl that was first crowned on our stage in 92, represented the Miss

Top of Texas Area last year and who is now MISS TEXAS. Arian will represent this area well-why because she has a great deal of pride for her Panhandle heritage. She is a Berger girl-and loves the people in this area.

What I am getting around to saying or asking is WHY girls-those of you that should have just that much pride for Stratford, to represent her in the parades-event to being in other pageants. AND most of all going for the many scholarships that are offered. In Ft. Worth there were the pretty-the sorta-and the ones not so-but they knew why there were there. They had pride in the area they represented.

For the last several years the Miss Stratford Scholarship Board has gone out above and beyond-to entice young ladies in High School to participate. A refusal-with no excuse. There is a need for more girls in this category 10, 11 and 12th grade girls to come forth and for the little ones that would be in the Little Miss ages 4, 5 year olds. No talent-just sportswear-interview and evening wear. You have until Friday to gather up your friends, go to the Stratford Grain, pick up an entry form and make this a fun, exciting experience with the possibility of a scholarship for your efforts. Who knows down the road you just might be MISS TEXAS! Arian did not conceive of the idea two years ago and look where she is today. The Miss America Scholarship franchise are looking for down to earth young ladies that are well informed and would represent the state they are from; as well as the United States. Get involved!



Lillie McAdams brings her recyclables to the recycling station.

August

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1 Joyce Hart Joan Palmer	2 Alda Mitts	3 Rhonda Matthews	4 Marcella Sutton	5 Marihoward Engelbrecht Marty Robertson
8 Mary Hill	9 Timmie Brown Betty Rae Brown	10 Barbara Bouldin	11 Patti Vincent	12 Genevieve Wilson Leona Kelp
15 Lynda Hauser	16 Daina Starnes	17 Elizabeth Zimmer	18 Kathie Altman	19 Gaynelle Riffe
22 Pat Boren	23 Bernice Christian Luzelle Lowe	24 Barbara Judd Donna Kendrick	25 Millie Hacker Polly Martin	26 Jimmie Pronger
29 LaVerne Lasley Margaret Reed	30 Lilly Galloway Louella Johnson	31 Marge Pilch	1994	

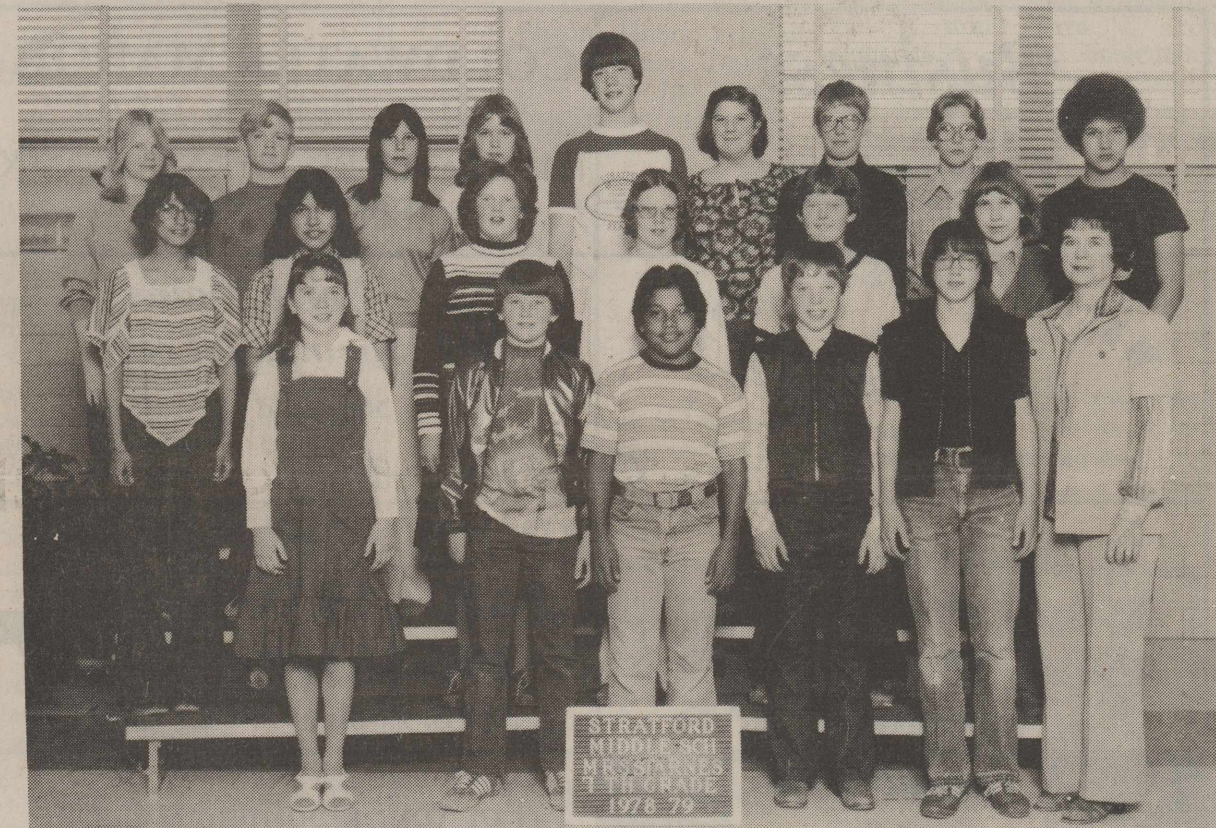
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Class of 1984



The class of 1984 as they looked in 7th grade. Front row (l to r) are Lisa Zak, Roger West, Joel Olivias, Doug Pickens, Bobby Schertler, Mrs. Starnes. Middle (l to r) Dora Abeyta, Alma Barraza, Sharon Muir, Desiree Hayworth, David Aduddell, Christy Lovett. Back Row (l to r) Brenda Hammersmith, Barbara Salazar, Donita Gibson, Brent Spurlock, Karen Waters, David Meyer, Brett Cummings and Lupe Garza.

Panhandle Exposition Dates Set

The 1994 Panhandle Exposition dates have been set for Wednesday, September 20 through Saturday, September 24.

The first entries due are the wheat samples for the 1994 wheat show. An entry consists of 15 pounds of any variety of hard red winter wheat. These samples are graded locally. The top 5 in each class will be sent to a milling company for baking results. Only one entry of a variety grown on any one farm will be allowed.

Deadline for entries in the 1995 wheat show is Friday, July 29. Samples may be taken to the activity center office anytime between the hours of 9:00 - 12:00 a.m. and 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The senior division consists of farmers having wheat acreage allotment under the ASC Average Control Program. The premiums for the senior division are: Grand Champion - plaque & \$40, Reserve Champion - Rosette & \$25, Third - Ribbon & \$15, Fourth - Ribbon and Fifth - ribbon.

The junior division must meet the requirement of junior exhibitor and, if a 4-H or FFA member, must be enrolled in the small grains project. The premiums for the junior division are: Grand Champion - plaque & \$40, Reserve Champion - Rosette & \$25, third - ribbon & \$15, fourth & fifth places - ribbon.

Further information can be obtained by contacting Sue Oliver at The Texas County Activity Center at 405-338-5546 between the hours of 9:00 - 12:00 a.m. and 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

2 C. whipping cream
5 C. sugar
5 Tab. freshly grated lemon peel
1 2/3 C. fresh squeezed lemon juice (appx. 8 lemons)
8 oz. whipped topping (LaCream or Cool Whip)
In large bowl mix cream and sugar until sugar is thoroughly dissolved. Mix in lemon peel and juice. Blend whipped topping. Add milk to fill line on electric freezer.

(Ice Cream served with Imagination Station's Annual "Gourmet Dinner and Auction".)

The first place prize "Tip Top Bucks" will help pay for the materials used in the new electric box for park use.

Chocolate Pecan Ice Cream
Sisty Vincent 1st Runner-up

1 cup sugar and 1/2 cup water--Boil to syrup
Add 1 cup pecans & cool
4 eggs
2 cups sugar--beat eggs & sugar
1 cup chocolate swizz whey
add 1 TBS vanilla
Fill blender with ice cubes & water
Add 1 cup white swiss whey & blend until smooth
Add all above together, put in freezer & freeze. If not enough for 1/2 gallon add cool whip or milk or 1/2 & 1/2.



Only about three percent of the water used by the average American household goes toward drinking and cooking.

The Class of 1984 is getting back together after 10 years of being on their own. In 1972, when we started 1st grade, there were 66 of us. Over the years, some came and some went and in 1984, 36 of us walked across the stage and went our separate ways. Some of us followed our dreams and became exactly what we set out to be. Some of us didn't know what we wanted and found out on down the line. Some of us started out in one direction and then changed our course. Others of us still don't know what we want. But no matter what we have become, we are going to get back together and have a good time, just like we used to. So far, 25 classmates have said that they are coming back. We hope that there will be more that will surprise us and show up. Friday night we are planning a get together at the Parish Hall at 9:00 p.m. Saturday from 11:00 to 3:00 p.m. We will have a picnic, swimming, volleyball, green fee golf, etc. At the Country Club for our families. Saturday night we are hosting the ex-students dance.

FACTS & FIGURES

(NAPS)—A recent survey of 11 major cities around the world revealed that prices for many popular items are lowest in Hong Kong.

Fifteen items, from shirts and shoes to CD players, were compared by the London-based Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU) and the results showed that Hong Kong prices are 22 percent below the average price for the full group of goods, the lowest average prices around.

Shopping, along with dining, outdoor activities and the cultural experience, is just one of the reasons visitors flock to Hong Kong making it the most popular Asian destination for Americans. For information on Hong Kong, contact the Hong Kong Tourist Association, 590 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10036.

Mike Huereca To Be Inducted Into Engineering Technology Academy

Mike Huereca, son of David and Benita Huereca of Stratford, has been notified of his induction into the Texas Tech University's Engineering Technology Academy. He was informed by Mr. Eddie Barron, Chief Operation Officer of Utility Engineering Inc. in Amarillo, Texas. Mr. Barron is chairman of the Texas Tech Industrial Advisory Board.

Mike Huereca is a 1969 Graduate of Stratford High School. He graduated from Texas Tech in 1973 and has worked as a controls and instrument engineer for the past 21 years.

Mike will be inducted in the academy during homecoming activities at Texas Tech University this fall. He will be awarded a plaque. Names of members of the academy will be on display on a Plaque of honor in the department lobby.

Mike was selected because of his outstanding achievements at work, within the profession, and in the community. The purpose of the academy is to recognize graduates who have made a significant contribution to the profession and therefore have brought credit to the department. Also to provide role models for current students and inspire them to achieve success in their chosen field.

Mike will be a charter member. Only a maximum of three members will be added each year. Candidates must have been graduated for 10 years and have used their engineering technology education to reach their current status.

Mike has received numerous citations and honors in his professional career. As a captain in the U.S. Army, Corps of Engineers at Fort Hood, he was named an outstanding engineer and outstanding officer. He received a Mayor's Proclamation for outstanding leadership and contributions as chairman of the building code of appeals for the City of Carrollton which is a suburb of Dallas. He was recognized for outstanding leadership as chairman of the technology exhibit and seminar for the instrument society of America held at Amarillo, Texas, which attended by over 500 engineers and technicians in the industry. This event is held every two years in the Amarillo civic Center and Mike has served as chairman for both events in 1992 and 1994.

Other notes of interest, Mike is a Corvette enthusiast. He has served as Governor of the Corvette Club of Texas, has won several best of show trophies in Houston, Dallas, and Oklahoma City. Has several 1st place finishes while racing at Texas World Speedway and Hallet Motor Racing Circuit. His current hobby is computers.

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(NAPS)—It's shocking, but the Humane Society of the United States estimates that over 5.8 million dogs and 4.2 million cats turn up as strays at the nation's animal shelters, police stations and private animal rescue centers each year.



Protection and safety are afforded to pets who wear identification tags. A new flea collar from Scratchex has an exclusive registration number and a toll-free number. The Scratchex Lost Pet Hotline is the only free national lost pet registry in the country.

Adult fleas and ticks can jump long distances. They readily attach themselves to animals moving through infested areas, such as fields and lawns. Major skin problems arise when fleas literally bite and "spit" on the skin, causing an allergic reaction known as Flea Allergy Dermatitis.

Happy Birthday Anita, Barry, Ernie, Jackie, P.I., Aaron, Kenton, Lezzie, Lucy, Sergio, Victoria, Jessica, Lacy Ann, Amy, Angie, Becky, Vicki, Autumn, Dale, Jackie, Jerry, Joel, Joy, Karla, Rosa, Shelia, Stormi, David, Wanda, Fabian, Lem, Rocia, Tom, Tucker, Tyler and Brady

Seminar To Be Held For Those Wanting To Start or Expand A Home-based Business

Amarillo-A seminar for those who wish to start or expand a home-based business will be held August 31, 1994 at the District Extension Office of Texas A&M University, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West.

Chairperson of the workshop, Mary Blinderman of Southwestern Public Service, said this is a great opportunity for people to learn how to succeed-not fail, with their start-up businesses.

"This is a good opportunity for people who need to consider the 'real world' situation of operating a small business from their home. We plan to explore the pros and cons of small business operations," she said.

Instructors from the local area and the Small Business Development Center, along with marketing experts from outside the state will be present.

Alby Peters, Potter County Extension Agent-Home Economics, said the program also includes speakers on marketing food items for sale, methods of preparing products for public consumption, and services that are available for start-up businesses.

"This is going to be a fast-paced, information packed seminar and there will be plenty of opportunities for networking with other small business operations and entrepreneurs," she said.

Wynon Mayes, Randall County Extension Agent-Home Economics said the opportunity to learn how to make a business grow will be valuable to those in attendance.

"Attendees will be exposed to marketing concepts and strategies from experts throughout the region and multi-state area," she said.

A keynote speaker, Cathy Bolton, an Oklahoma-based consultant, will teach a segment on "Planning for Success." A successful home-based business practitioner, her talks will include elements of business planning, resource researching, and ways to grow the business once it is begun.

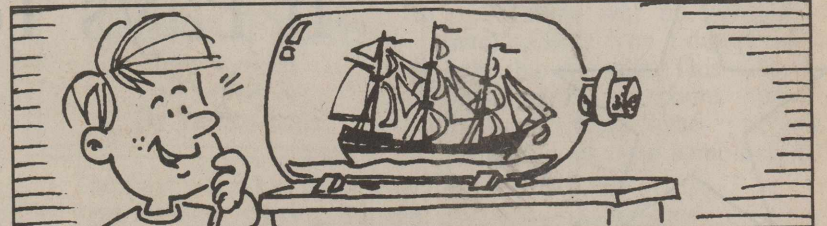
"I have discovered the keys are knowing what to ask, as well as who to ask and I try to educate

The people who get on in this world are the people who get up and look for the circumstances they want, and, if they can't find them, make them.

—George Bernard Shaw

Hill Realty advertisement with phone number 396-2087 and a list of current listings including 507 N. Pearl, 401 N. 5th, 506 S. Main, etc.

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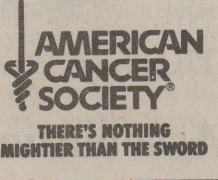
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The Eureka Vacuum Power Sale advertisement featuring various vacuum models like Eureka Bravo, Boss, Mighty Mite, and Corvette with prices and features.

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