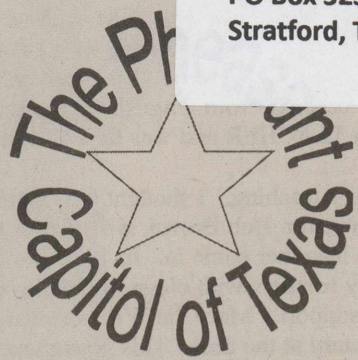


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State of Texas-County of Sherman ORDER TERMINATING OUTDOOR BURN BAN IN UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS

Whereas, THE Sherman county Judge has determined that extreme drought conditions no longer exist in Sherman County;

NOW, THEREFORE, the County Judge of Sherman County approves this Order Terminating the Outdoor Burn Ban that was adopted on the 23rd day of May, 2018

EXECUTED THIS THE 25th Day of JUNE, 2018.

Terri Beth Carter-County Judge
Attest Gina Gray

What's Happening

Summer Reading Programs at the Library Wednesdays in June 9:30 - 10:30

Monday Movie Madness @ the Library
June 2-August 6
1:30 p.m.

Waka School Reunion-June 30th Beginning at 12 p.m. until? Accepting Free Will Donations for non profit FMI call Lori Borst at 806-202-4133 or Bernie Olivarez at 806-202-5230

June 28th, 6-8 p.m. Adults only Painting Class-Colorful Cacti \$25. Please contact Jana Clift to reserve a spot @ 806-679-7414

July 16-18 Drama Camp, Ages 4-6 meet from 10-11 a.m. and ages 7-11 meet from 2-4 p.m. \$20/child. Please call Laurie Spurlock to reserve a spot 806-366-2772

August 2nd, 2-3 p.m. Main Street Art, pottery by Cindy Russell \$2

Fire Caution

We are **NOT** currently under a BURN BAN, but Sherman County is asking for everyone's cooperation in preventing fires.

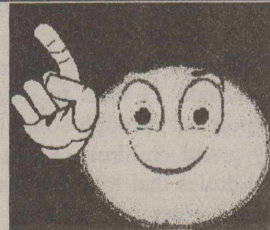
- *use caution with any fire
- *monitor any fires
- *make sure fire is completely extinguished before leaving the area
- *use metal screen over trash receptacle
- *only burn if wind speed is below 10 miles per hour
- *have adequate water source available for rapid fire suppression



THANKS

The Stratford Volunteer Fire Department would like to thank everyone who donated money, food, bottled water etc. It is greatly appreciated and will be used when we have to go out on fires. Again our Heartfelt thanks. We are proud to volunteer for our community and surrounding towns!

Due to 4th of July being on Wednesday, We will be closed on Wednesday and deadline for next week's issue is still Monday, July 2 at 10 a.m. We will be going to print on Tuesday, Thanking you in advance.
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JULY 28, 2018

SCDC BLOCK PARTY & STREET DANCE

UPDATE ON VENDORS and THEIR PRODUCTS -

Non-profit or for-profit groups, businesses & citizens are invited to sign up for a space as early as possible. Vendors registered already are selling cold drinks, water, ice, jewelry & crosses, essential oils, BBQ, crochet items, writing pens, shrimp ceviche, jalapeno poppers & The Spirit Shop!! Imagination Station will have baked potatoes & face painting. Brooks Video, Carousel Bakery & EL Arcoiris Ice Cream Shop on Main Street will be open! Groups or individuals promoting anything contact SCDC. There's no charge but you must reserve a space. Call SCDC at 366.2897, text your request to 806.753.6897 or email scdc@xit.net.

Statement Regarding Separation of Children and Parents During the Immigration Process

News Release from National CASA-June 20, 2018

For nearly 40 years the National Court Appointed Special Advocate Association (National CASA) has advocated for the best interests of children who have experienced abuse or neglect. One of our guiding principles is that children are better off when they remain with their families of origin if safely possible.

We also know the long-term effects of trauma that children experience when they are separated from their parents, which are most often detrimental to their well-being and can have long-term negative impact.

While CASA programs and volunteers work in family or juvenile court systems, not the federal court system, we support best-interest advocacy for all children. We have been deeply concerned about the family separations at the Southwest border and thank those who have spoken out on behalf of these children. We join with these voices.

If children involved in immigration proceedings become involved in family or juvenile court, we urge the appointment of a CASA/GAL volunteer to advocate for the child's best interest and help the court make the most well-informed decision in these tremendously important matters.

We ask our nation's legislators to carefully consider the impacts on children when they address immigration legislation so that no child is subjected to further trauma.

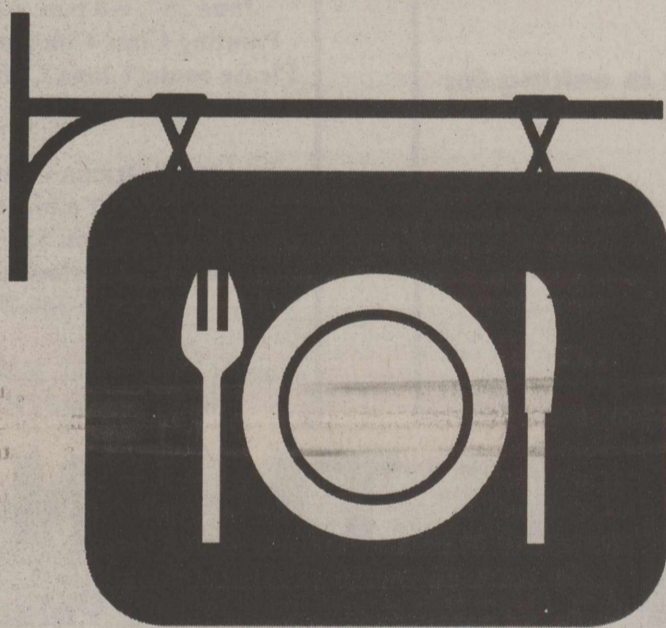
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Thanks-Marty

LETTER TO EDITOR

I grew up in Stratford, TX and went to school 1st-12th grades and graduated from there. My parents still live in Stratford. When I think of Stratford, I think of a safe community to raise your children. Good people live in Stratford and they care about each other. I'm writing this letter of gratitude to the fine people of Stratford in regards to a young girl who moved to Stratford after graduating from the University of NE.

This little girl always wanted to be a teacher from a very young age. She even taught her younger siblings in pretend school. She finally graduated from college with a BA in Elementary Education with a Minor in Spanish. This TEACHER also received her Certifications in Early Childhood Education and certified with English as a Second Language for PreK - 8th grade. She was finally a TEACHER and was thrilled to start her career.

Next it was time to find a school to do her student teaching. I thought why not my home town, Stratford, TX. I called an old classmate, Jim Bob Brown, who was at that time one of the Principals in Stratford. He said to have her come in. In 1997 she was able to do her student teaching assisting elementary teachers with classroom duties and helped the students with additional instruction and support. Mary Pat Williams was the Elementary School Principal at Mary Allen Elementary at the time. This young teacher loved and admired Mrs. Williams.

This TEACHER soon got her first teaching position as a High School Spanish Teacher in Stratford. She knew it was going to be challenging since she was fresh out of college and these teenagers were so close to her own age. This class posed many challenges but with perseverance she succeeded and made it thru her first year of teaching high school students.

This TEACHER then got to move back to Mary Allen Elementary where she got to start teaching her "Angel Babies" in Kindergarten for three years. She was able to teach these "Angel Babies" what fun learning in school could be and helped with those children with learning difficulties. She understood that this first year of learning was crucial. The children needed to learn their own potential and not be afraid. She knew that emotional education was just as important. After three years she got to start teaching ESL (English as a Second Language). She also was working on Federal programs in this field while teaching. This TEACHER even taught non-English speaking parents in night classes, learning to speak English. Not only would it give the parents the ability to help their children at home with their studies, but it would also build self esteem. This TEACHER never showed favoritism and always showed respect, kindness and the fun of learning to every child.

This TEACHER became the ESL District Director of Kindergarten thru 12th grade working with the State and Federal programs as a District Coordinator from 2003 thru 2017. I don't know all she did but while teaching she attended many meetings and worked many hours to improve Stratford's ESL program and other schools in the Texas Panhandle. Meanwhile she also got married and worked with Child Protective Services as a Foster Mother. She loved and cared for several babies eventually adopting her two oldest children from this organization and then her third child from Catholic Family Services. She loved children and wanted each child to know how special they were and instill in them the love of learning even if they had difficulties.

This TEACHER loved Stratford and even wanted to show her appreciation by giving back to her community. This TEACHER worked in the summer months teaching summer school every year as a Mary Allen Elementary Teacher, so that no child would be left behind. This TEACHER also worked with the Sherman County Stock Show for years. This TEACHER served on the Lollipop Board, was a Daisy Girl Scout leader, and was the leader of both the Farm Bureau Pageant and the Miss Stratford Pageant. This TEACHER knew that it takes an entire community to raise and nurture children to become the next generation of prospering, goal setting achievers. This TEACHER

wanted to do her part by also serving on numerous professional groups. This TEACHER also sponsored some school students including her eldest son on trips to Washington D.C, Pennsylvania, New York City and Fredericksburg, VA two years in a row. She wanted them to experience seeing some of the parts of history of this great country. To help these children see other cultures, monuments and learn up close about their founding-fathers and to broaden their horizon. They even saw memorials caused by historic devastation and loss of life. She wanted these students to really experience and learn the love of man-kind, God and Country. Just another way these students could step out of the box of just knowing what Stratford, TX had to offer. To learn that it was possible to not only graduate from Stratford, TX but to learn that constant growth could be obtained thru their lifetime.

Even though her marriage did not last, she had already decided to go back to college where she had started earning her Master's Degree in Educational Leadership and Administration while being a single Mom. This was a difficult time in her life with many hours of lost sleep, but this TEACHER was determined. She wanted to show her children that it didn't matter how old you were or what obstacles you faced you could still go to college and further your education and to pursue your dreams. Her children got to watch their Mother walk across the stage and witness this TEACHER achieve yet another goal.

Then this TEACHER was hired as Principal of Mary Allen Elementary in 2017 and she reached yet another goal. This TEACHER had new challenges ahead but attacked them energetically head long with much optimism. She knew she had no experience as a Principal but with the other leadership mentoring and management skills and her organizational skills learned working on the District, States and Federal programs she had a lot to offer. She would succeed by determination and hard work. She knew she already had some good teachers in Mary Ellen Elementary and knew what her duties would be. She knew that with teamwork they would all succeed in making it a great year for students as well as teachers. Sure enough there were some major hurdles to jump but this TEACHER always strived to be a professional, to be kind, to be a friend and encourager to all of her Teachers, her "Angel Babies" and her Superiors. She met and surpassed goals with the help of her teachers and Superintendent that the School Board had set. Whether it was test scores, setting goals, team building, hiring and firing etc. this TEACHER always followed all the protocol and rules of School, District, State and Federal guidelines. This TEACHER treated everyone with respect, kindness, honesty and without favoritism even though there were times these courtesies were not returned to her. She knew that this was just part of leadership and something to learn and grow from. She helped "Angel Babies" from Kindergarten to graduation and has felt much pride in their accomplishments. I know this TEACHER hopes they continue to learn and further their education, to look forward to new adventures outside of Stratford, TX and to never give up if they confront difficulties. Like the TEACHERS before her, Stratford, TX was a good place.

After serving two years as Mary Allen Elementary Principal and 21 years of dedicated service this TEACHER knew it was time to submit her resignation. She is looking forward to moving to Hooks, TX close to where her father lives. This TEACHER has been hired as their Elementary School Assistant Principal. Hooks schools has a lot of the same goals and desires in which this TEACHER possesses and she looks forward to seeing how much more she can learn to be a better Principal and educator.

Her children are looking forward to the new opportunities that are offered at their new schools and making new friends. They are also glad to spending time and bonding with their PaPa.

I wish to thank all the the residence of Stratford, TX who loved, nurtured and respected my daughter, Jennifer Koch DeAnda. I want to thank the ones who really made an effort to be her friend and support her through some tough times. I want to thank the ones who helped care for my grand children (James, Danny and Avery) when their Mother was doing other school duties that took her away from them. All their friends, instructors, and teachers thru the years while living in Stratford and watching them

grow. I want to thank First Baptist Church for their Christian guidance and spiritual growth in my daughters and grand children's lives. This is a bitter, sweet time in her life but she will continue to do great things as a TEACHER wherever she is, because it is her nature.

Respectfully,
April Vincent (GiGi) Schmehr

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Legacy Celebrates Father's Day

By Paula Nusz

Legacy Assisted Living celebrated Father's Day on Friday, June 15, 2018. Their highly anticipated Storm Chaser program had been unexpectedly cancelled at the last minute. But, no fear, plan B came into play. Do you know about the history of Father's Day? A quick google produced quite an historical result.

Father's Day was the brainchild of Sonora Smart Dodd as a tribute to her father, William Jackson Smart. Mr. Smart was a Civil War veteran who raised 6 children alone in Arkansas. Ms. Dodd worked for more than 30 years trying to get Father's Day recognized as a legitimate holiday beginning in 1910. She finally began working with trade groups (such as manufacturers of ties, tobacco, pipes, and other traditional gifts for fathers) to raise awareness at a national level. In 1938, the Father's Day Council, founded by the New York Associated Men's Wear Retailers systematically held commercial promotions of Father's Day.

A bill was introduced in Congress in 1913, 1916, and 1924 to have Father's Day recognized as a national holiday. But Congress wouldn't pass the

bills. President Lyndon Johnson issued the first presidential proclamation honoring fathers, and designating the 3rd Sunday in June as Father's Day. President Richard Nixon signed the law in 1972 making Father's Day a permanent national holiday.

As refreshments of Banana Split Cake and coffee were served, selections from Reader's Digest: 14 Short Stories about the Kindest, Bravest, and Wisest Dads in the World were shared. The short stories were 100 words or less, where readers shared their most poignant tales of the bond between father and child. Several stories brought tears to the eyes of the group.

Legacy has four gentlemen who are fathers currently in residence. Many apologies to those who came expecting to hear about Storm Chasers, but some things just can't be controlled. This program may be rescheduled after farming season is over. Legacy Assisted Living is located in Dalhart, Texas.

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Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. (nursery)
No Sunday evening Worship Service

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Community Thriftstore News

Stratford's Community Thrift store has been described as a "win, win" establishment for our community. It allows citizens to dispose of unwanted items, other citizens can purchase these items at greatly discounted prices, and the proceeds from the sale of these items go back into the community to help support various organizations. A definite "win, win" for all of us!

The idea of a thrift store for Stratford had been discussed for some time, when Betty and EU Chamberlain came up with a plan to make it happen. They donated the use of a building which they owned. Betty organized and set up the facility. The doors opened for business June 5, 2012. In the beginning, the Methodist Church helped to sponsor the project to get it up and going for the good of the whole community. The thrift store has never been a money making project for the Methodist Church. The only time the Methodist Church has received any money from the thrift store is when donations of equal amounts are given to all nine of Stratford's churches. The last donation of \$200 made to each church occurred in early June to help with their summer youth programs or missions.

The Community Thrift Store was established with the hope that all the churches and organizations in the community would help support the project by helping provide volunteer workers to help staff the store, and to help process the donated items. The thrift store is beginning its seventh year of operation. During the previous six years of operation, the thrift store has gifted \$79,205.00 to 36 different entities within Stratford. Volunteers are still sought and desperately needed. Even an hour or two of donated time would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your support and with the community's help, we hope to be able to continue to keep the doors open for business. Thank you for your help in making Stratford a GREAT place to live!

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If you are planning on doing any type of sports or UIL activity during the school year you must get a sport physical.

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Silver Spurs Rodeo Club



On Saturday, May 19 the Silver Spurs Rodeo Club held their 2nd play day of the season. The theme was "Back the Blue." We invited our local Law Enforcement agencies to come eat a burger and watch our play day. Some of our participants even painted their horses in honor of our Law Enforcement agencies.

In our Pee Wee division we had Victoria Joyner, Harper Moore, Bailey Gerrond, Maverick Whittington, and Aubrey Reed.

In our Junior division we had Noelia Joyner, Ellie Clift, Savannah Emmert, Cody Gerrond, Alyssa Ortega, Miguel Vargas, Talon Madrid, and Braylon Kimball. In the Intermediate category we had Monique Joyner, Taylor McFarlen, AshLynn Eaton, Kaytly Clift, Morgan Clift, Joshua Ortega, Haddi Emmert, McKinzie Moore, Jonathan Martinez, Stevan Martinez, Solana Vargas, Adrien Madrid, Kaedyn Kimball, Kennedy Elliott, Marion Johnson, Abby Ortega, and Melinda Ortega.

We had two riders in the Senior category, Dalli Simmons and Sofia Joyner.

Great Job to all of the riders that participated.

Written by Kaytly Clift



Pictured to left is Kaytly Clift leading one of our Pee Wee contestants Aubrey Reed.

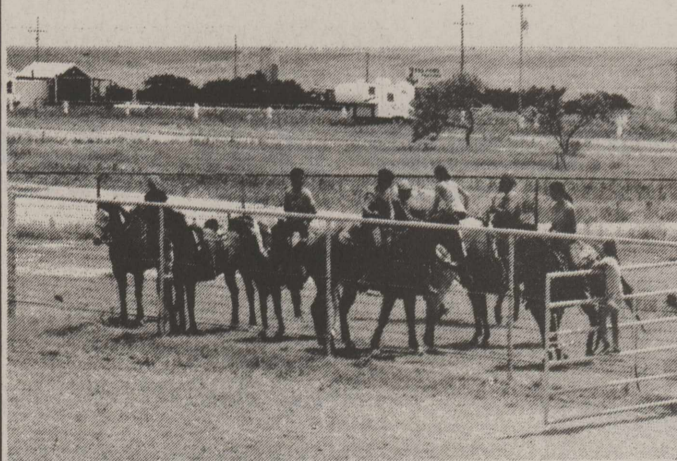


Pictured to the right is our three SSRC Ambassadors. Taylor McFarlen, Kaytly Clift, and Morgan Clift.

Silver Spurs Rodeo Club

Saturday June 2nd was our 3rd play day. We had a busy day as we had our regularly scheduled play day and then we finished our events from our rained out play day. The theme for our 3rd play day was Hawaiian. In our Pee Wee division we had Maverick Whittington, and Harper Moore. In our Junior division we had Cody Gerrond, Ellie Clift, Alyssa Ortega, Braylon Kimball, Talon Madrid, and Miguel Vargas. In the intermediates we had Kaytly Clift, AshLynn Eaton, Morgan Clift, Stevan Martinez, Johnny Martinez, McKinzie Moore, Taylor McFarlen, Kaedyn Kimball, Adrien Madrid, Solana Vargas, Kennedy Elliot, Joshua Ortega, Abby Ortega, and Marion Johnson. This play day we didn't have any Senior riders.

Written by: Kaytly Clift



We still have more play days to come.

We welcome all levels of experience and we also love seeing our community cheering us on!!

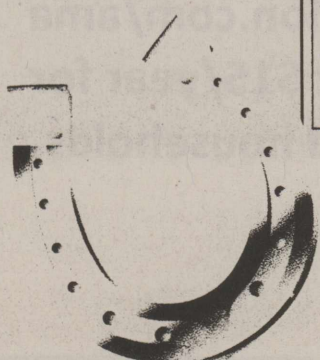
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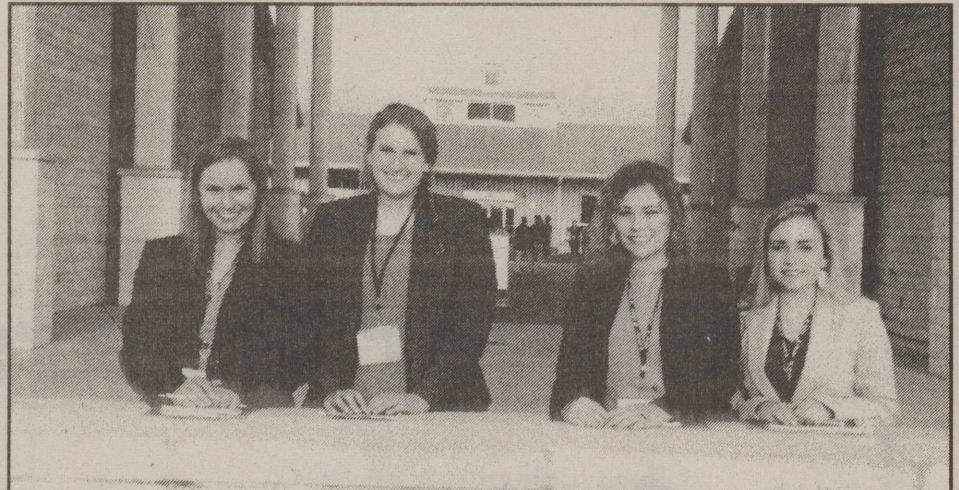
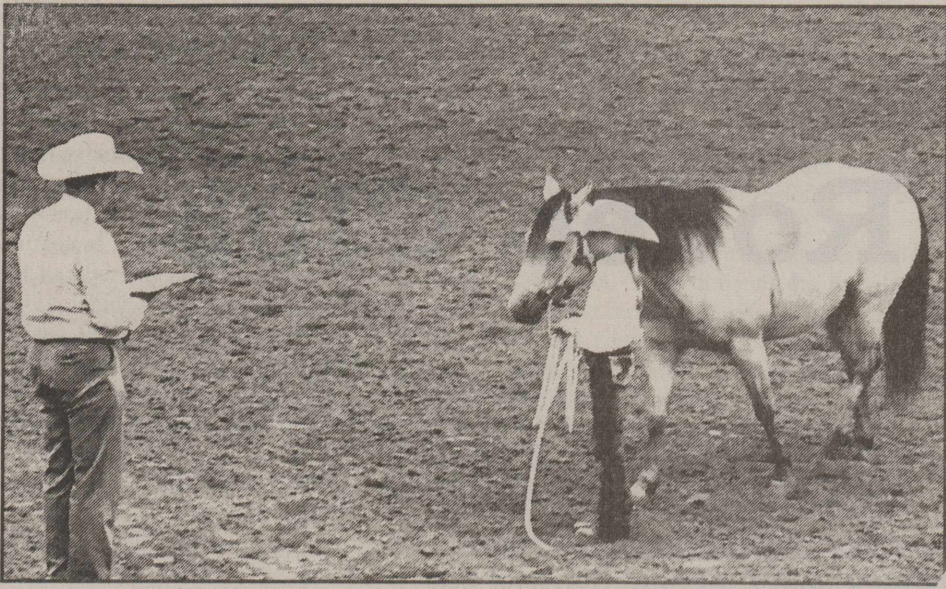
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July 27- Jamboree Days Jr. Rodeo





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District 4-H Horse Show

Shown above is the Sherman county 4-H Horse Judging Team. They recently competed at State 4-H Roundup. These Sherman County 4-H members recently competed at Texas 4-H Roundup held at Texas A&M in College Station. The team consisting of Katelin Berry, Payton Berry, Carlee Metcalf and Jaci Brown competed in Horse Judging and in the livestock skill-a-thon. Carlee Metcalf placed 9th high individual overall in the State Horse Judging Contest. Shown at left are Avery and Alli Jo Roberts. Avery won 1st in Junior Stock Horse Showman Cowgirl. Judge for the District 4-H Horse Show was former Stratford Native Wes Allison

Legacy Enjoys International Picnic Day

By Paula Nusz

Legacy Assisted Living in Dalhart, Texas, took a group of residents to the 7th Street Park on Monday, June 18th for International Picnic Day. The rain that fell over the weekend, provided a freshly washed landscape and tables for the group to enjoy. Three Legacy residents, two care providers, and three family members enjoyed the day.

Jimmy Summerour, Helen Pack and Ferol Beckner enjoyed McDonald's Happy Meals for lunch. Mr. Beckner's daughter, Kelly Alsup, and her grandsons also joined the group for lunch. Not enough wind to blow one's lunch off the table, and with a minimal interruption due to flies, made for a most enjoyable meal. The children were playing, people were walking their dogs, and even one squirrel made an appearance while the group ate lunch. Legacy residents enjoyed the concept of sharing a meal with others world-wide on this day. This is one of the activities that Legacy promotes to allow residents to connect with their community and the world at large.



Shown above are Helen Pack, Simona Cancino and Jimmy Summerour – Shown at right are Kelly Alsup and Ferol Beckner. Photos by Paula Nusz



Due to 4th of July being on Wednesday, We will be closed on Wednesday and deadline for next week's issue is still Monday, July 2 at 10 a.m. We will be going to print on Tuesday, Thanking you in advance.
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Rico & Air Methods aviation




Rico Aviation and Air Methods have partnered with Sherman County to offer memberships for Air Methods Advantage. Sherman County Residents can go to www.ricoaviation.com/ama and sign up for \$15/year for individuals and households.

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Now hiring full-time office assistant. Duties include answering the telephone, weighing trucks and general office tasks. Computer experience and bilingual preferred but not required. Please fax resume to (806) 727-4655 or email to hr@panhandleexpress.com. Call with any questions (806)727-4646. 6-28 & 7-5 & 7-12



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INVITATION TO BIDDERS

Sealed Bids, in duplicate, addressed to Stratford Hospital District, Attention: Leo Sanders, CEO/District Administrator, will be received at the office of Stratford Hospital District, 1111 Beaver Rd, Stratford, Texas 79084 until 5:00 p.m. Local Time, June 30th 2018, and then publicly opened and read for "Nursing Facility Kitchen Remodel".

Scope of Work of the Contract includes remodeling the kitchen of Coldwater Manor, including replacing floors in kitchen area and dish room, painting wall and replacement of ceiling tiles, installing new 3 compartment sink in Kitchen area, replacement of current counter space with all stainless steel, replacement of steam table and a steamer.

Bids received after the closing time will be returned unopened. Each Bid must be accompanied by a bid bond or a certified or cashier's check, acceptable to the Owner, in an amount not less than 5 percent of the total amount bid, as a guarantee that the successful bidder will enter into the contract and execute the bonds on the forms provided and provide the required insurance certificates within 7 days after the date contract documents are received by the contractor.

Bidding documents may be examined at 1111 Beaver Rd, Stratford, Texas 79084 or may be obtained by prospective bidders or suppliers upon payment of fifty dollars (\$50.00 non-refundable plus cost of delivery) (\$25.00 for electronic copy) for each set of documents at 1111 Beaver Rd, Stratford, Texas 79084.

Stratford Hospital District reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all defects and irregularities in bidding or bidding process except time of submitting a bid. The successful bidder, if any, will be the bidder offering the best value for Stratford Hospital District based on the published criteria provided in the bid documents and on its evaluation in accordance with Chapter 1099 of the Texas Special District Local Laws Code and Chapter 2269 of the Texas Government Code. In determining the best value for the District, the District will consider: (1) the purchase price; (2) the reputation of the bidder and of the bidder's services; (3) the quality of the bidder's services; (4) the extent to which the services meet the District's needs; (5) the bidder's past relationship with the District; and (6) any relevant criteria specifically listed in the request for bids or proposals.

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Stratford Independent School District Legal Notice

Stratford ISD is accepting requests for fuel proposals

The proposals are for the period of September 1, 2018 - August 31, 2019. The proposals will be accepted until 2:00 PM July 10, 2018. Any proposals after this date will not be accepted. The proposals may be mailed to Stratford ISD, PO Box 108, Stratford, TX 79084, or Faxed to (806) 366-3304, or delivered to the Superintendent's office at 503 N 8th Street, Stratford, TX. The proposals will be opened July 10, 2018 at 2:00 PM. We reserve the right to accept or reject any and/or all proposals. No one will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, national origin, age or handicap.
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STRATFORD ELK

SPORTS CAMP

JULY 30 - AUGUST 2

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9:00am - 12:00

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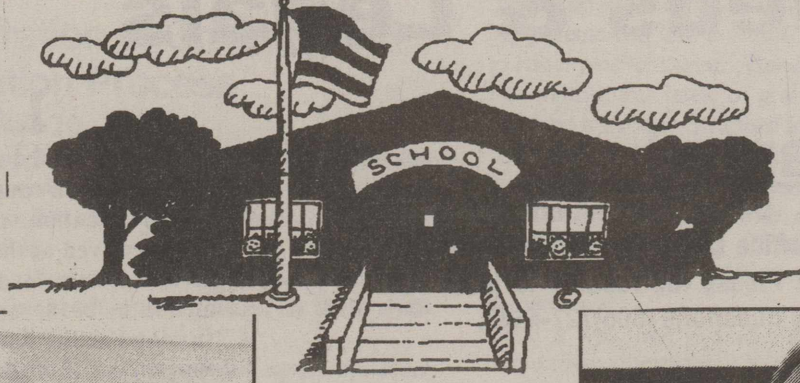
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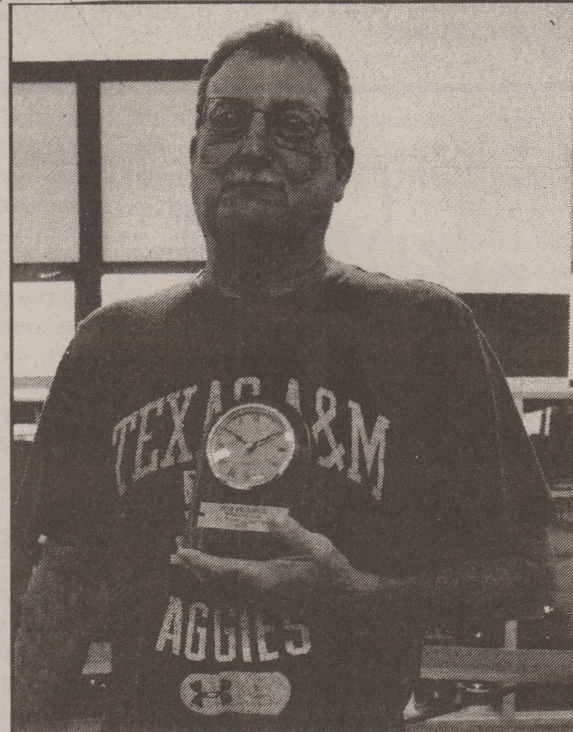
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Please return all forms with money to Coach Lovorn or Coach Wyatt. It can also be dropped off at the main office of the school during the week.

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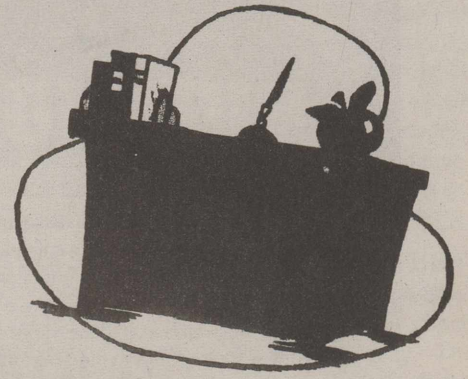
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Barbie Wight



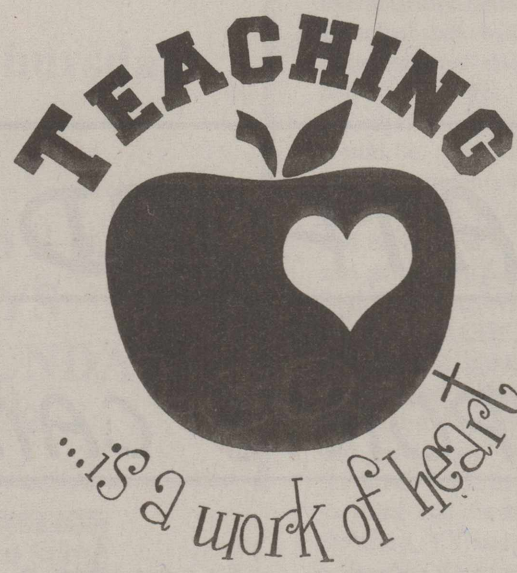
20 YEAR AWARD
Jim Pearce



Retiring from Stratford ISD from left Susan Wheeler, Stephanie Birdsong and Barbie Wight. Congratulations and well wishes in your next chapter!



15 YEAR AWARD
Nikie Berry, Albina Gonzalez
and Debbie McDaniel.



10 YEAR AWARD
Stephanie Birdsong and David
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