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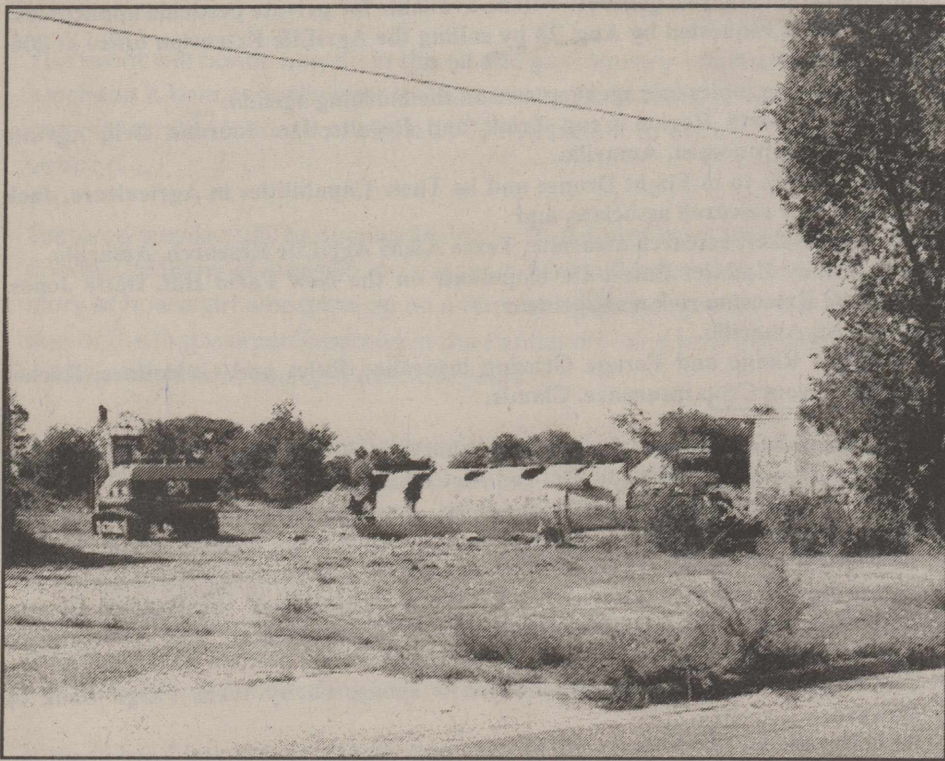
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Demolition for Quality of Life

Mayor Ricky Reed and the City Council of Stratford are making a concerted effort to improve the Quality of Life for the citizens of Stratford and Sherman County. We have recognized a lack of recreational activities for all residents. We look to offer activities that promote physical fitness and recreation, thus promoting a better Quality of Life for all citizens.

On July 30th 2018, demolition began in the 500 block of 5th street here in the City. The skyline of Stratford has forever changed. The old cement plant in that location is no longer standing. ER2 Recycling of Etter TX has begun demolition of the plant and surrounding buildings. Having completed the asbestos abatement, the old buildings have begun to come down.

The City began this Quality of Life project in 2012, realizing the need for Quality of Life projects here in the City. The next phase of the project was to acquire the lands for future projects. In 2014, the City purchased a 2.5 acre tract of land from a local resident at a cost of \$60,000. The City then acquired a second tract adjacent to the first. This tract known as the old cement plant was purchased for \$15,000. Both properties are directly south of our existing baseball and T-ball fields. Additionally in 2014 the City worked with The Panhandle Regional Planning Commission to produce a Master Parks Plan. This plan is required to be considered for future State or Federal Grants.

The City began applying for Grants in 2015, 2016 and 2017. In late 2017, the City was notified that it had been selected to receive a Texas Parks and Wildlife 50/50 matching grant of \$75,000. Thus the City authorized the City's \$75,000 portion to receive the State's \$75,000. Therefore the first stage of construction was developed. This phase will include landscaping, a walking trail and lighting for the new park. Once this is completed, new grants will be sought along with any corporate or private funds that may be available.

The City would like to thank SCDC Kathy Allen for their support in the form of a grant of \$10,000 to assist with the Demolition of the Park. We would also like to thank the citizens of Stratford and Sherman County for supporting our Quality of Life project.

RICO Aviation Meeting

Thank you to First State Bank for donating water, to Bidy's for catering and to SCDC for co-hosting the meeting on Aug. 2nd. We are planning a follow-up meeting after summer is over when activities slow down.



Parade Grand Marshall Ramona Spurlock

Shown above is Parade Grand Marshall Ramona Spurlock, being chauffeured by James Spurlock in the Stratford Jamboree Parade. The Spurlock Family was the honored family this year. It has been rumored that Ramona had the time of her life. Congrats to all of the Spurlocks.

Happy Birthday United States Coast Guard 228 Years

At the Veterans day Program, the service music we don't know is US Coast Guard!

On August 4, 1790, the Revenue Cutter Service was established as part of the Treasury to collect tariffs, stop pirates and protect the safety and security of the nation. In 1915 the Cutter Service and the US Life-Saving Service merged to become the United States Coast Guard. In 1939 the US Lighthouse Service merged into the Coast Guard. The Coast Guard was moved to the Department of Transportation in 1967, and in 2003 it became a part of the Department of Homeland Security. Upon the declaration of war, congress or the President will direct the Coast Guard to operate as a service in the Department of the Navy.

On an average day, the Coast Guard: conducts 109 searches and rescues, Saves 10 lives, Seizes \$9,589,000 in illegal drugs.
Coast Guard motto "Semper Paratus" (Always Ready)

Back to School Hamburger Supper

Stratford ISD Board of Trustees and Administration would like to invite you to our Annual Back to School Hamburger Supper. The supper is free to the public. We will serve hamburgers, chips, and tea. The supper will be held in the High School Cafeteria on Monday, August 20, 2018 from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm.

Come join us!

Stratford Schools Open House

Stratford ISD invites you to come by each campus and meet and greet our employees. Open House is on Monday, August 20, 2018. Be sure to join us in the High School Cafeteria for the Annual Back to School Hamburger Supper during your visit!

The schedule is as follows:

Mary Allen Elementary 5:00 pm-6:00 pm

Junior High 4:00 pm-5:00 pm

High School 2:00 pm-4:00 pm

Safe/Secure Environment at SISD

Stratford ISD will be implementing the Hall Pass secure

entrance system for the 2018/2019 academic school year.

Please bring your identification with you to the Open

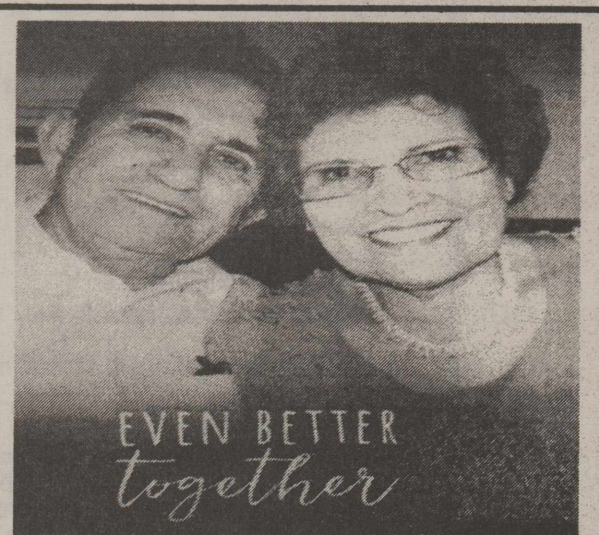
House / Community Hamburger Supper so we can input you into our system



Stratford Ex-Student Reunion Class 1948 July 29, 2018

Standing L/R- William Glenn Hart, Lorene Ritchey Stephens, Raymond Ritchey, Mattie Newman Baskin, Kenneth Pemberton, Don Riffe, Jack Vincent.

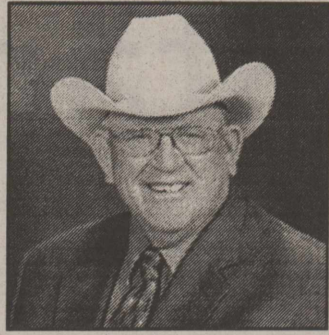
Sitting: Joyce Baskin Hart, Beverly Smith Pemberton, Katherine Woodard Cates.



EVEN BETTER
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The Family of Joe & Viola Abeyta
Have set up a Medical Fund for Joe at First
State Bank & Happy State Bank
Unfortunately, Joe has been diagnosed with
Metastazized Gastric Cancer
Your Blessings & Prayers
Much appreciated.
We offer our Thanks to you all

Obituary



Mike W. Berry

(November 24, 1945 - August 03, 2018)

Michael W. "Mike" Berry, 72, lifelong Texhoma resident, went to be with his Heavenly Father on Friday evening, August 3, 2018 at the Moore County Hospital in Dumas, Texas.

The son of Frank M. and Glenda Ruth (Nelson) Berry Jr., Mike was born November 24, 1945 in Amarillo, Texas.

Mike was united in marriage to Julie Gray on October 15, 1966 in Stratford, Texas. She preceded him in death on February 26, 2011.

Mike attended Texhoma schools, graduating with the Class of 1964. He graduated from Oklahoma Panhandle State University with a BS in Animal Science. Mike was engaged in farming and ranching. He was an active member, deacon and treasurer of the Texhoma First Baptist Church. He served on many boards but was most proud of serving on the Texhoma Wheat Growers Board and the Texas County Junior Livestock Board.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Julie Berry, his parents, Frank and Glenda Berry, brother, Jim Berry and nephew, Wade Berry.

Survivors include his two children: Ty Berry and wife, Mandi of Texhoma and Jo Hinds and husband, Chad of Stratford, Texas, grandchildren: Lyndi Meier and husband, L.D. Layton Berry, Lexi Berry, Ramy Anderson and wife, MaKenze, and Cole Hinds, two great grandchildren, Korbyn and Koyt Meier. Survivors also include a sister-in-law, Linda Berry, and two brothers, Nelson Berry and wife, Fran and Bob Berry and wife, Tonja all of Texhoma.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, August 7th at 2:00 p.m. at the Texhoma First Baptist Church with Pastor Darren Carpenter, Rev. Winston Curtis and Rev. David Moore officiating. Interment followed in the Texhoma Cemetery. Services were under the care of the Bunch - Roberts Funeral Home of Guymon.

Memorials in memory of Mike may be given to Texhoma Snack Pak 4 Kids or the Texhoma Angel Tree. Memorials will be accepted at the Bunch - Roberts Funeral Home, P.O. Box 1112, Guymon Oklahoma 73942.

Friends may sign the online guestbook and leave condolences at www.bunchroberts.com.

Card of Thanks

The Spurlock Family would like to thank all involved in honoring us during the Stratford Jamboree and Ex-Students reunion. Ramona reveled in serving as Grand Marshall. The reception with flowers and refreshments, parade and visitation with family and community were most enjoyable. Thank for the beautiful commemorative plaque

42nd annual Randall County Ag Day and Crops Tour set Aug. 28

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CANYON - The 42nd annual Randall County Ag Day and Crops Tour hosted by the Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Service is set for Aug. 28 at the Kuhlman Extension Center, 200 N. Brown Road, Canyon.

"Our program is designed to give agriculture producers in Randall County a look at the most recent technology and production data available," said Dr. J. D. Ragland, AgriLife Extension agriculture and natural resources agent in Randall County.

The morning portion will kick off with registration at 8:30 a.m., followed by the program at 9 a.m. This event is free, with the registration fee covered by Happy State Bank.

Three Texas Department of Agriculture continuing education units - one drift minimization and two general - will be available for private pesticide applicators. An RSVP is requested by Aug. 24 by calling the AgriLife Extension office at 806-468-5543.

The following topics and speakers are on the morning agenda:

- 2017-18 North Region Crop Trials and Results, Dr. Jourdan Bell, Agrilife Extension agronomist, Amarillo.
- introduction to in-Flight Drones and its Their Capabilities in Agriculture, Jack Bush, senior research associate, and Shannon Baker, research associate, Texas A&M AgriLife Research, Amarillo.
- Ag Policy Update: Latest Developments on the New Farm Bill, DeDe Jones, AgriLife Extension risk management specialist, Amarillo.
- Pasture Range and Forage Grazing insurance Rules and Guidelines, Rachel Myers, Myers Crop insurance, Claude.

- Grazing Management for Stocker Cattle and Cow/Calf Producers during Current Drought Conditions, Dr. Ted McCollum, AgriLife Extension beef cattle specialist, Amarillo. The noon luncheon will feature the keynote address: Randall County's Increasing Growth and Its Impact on Canyon ISO, presented by Dr. Darryl Flusche, superintendent, Canyon.

Following the keynote address will be the presentation of the Randall County Extension Top Hand, Outstanding Result Demonstrator and Outstanding Agribusiness awards.

The luncheon and awards presentation is sponsored by Wells Fargo Bank of Canyon.

At 1:30 p.m., all participants will have an opportunity to view and learn about the newest technology in outside agricultural equipment displays and presentations from local and area dealers.

Then a tour bus, sponsored by the Palo Duro Soil and Water Conservation District of Canyon, will be loaded and make stops to include the following topics and presenters:

- Sorghum Variety Trial with Emphasis on Sugarcane Aphid Tolerance, Dr. Ed Bynum, AgriLife Extension entomologist, Amarillo. This stop will also include an in-flight drone demonstration.
- Tour of the new West Texas A&M University Agricultural Science Facilities! Buildings.

The busses will return to the AgriLife Extension office around 5:30 p.m. For more information, contact Ragland at that number or email him at j-ragland@otamu.edu.

SCOT Monthly Activities

Men's Pool daily 1 p.m. M-F

Ladies Mexican Train Dominoes
Monday at 1:30 p.m.

Yoga with Cindy Thursdays
at 9 a.m.

Monthly luncheon-4th Thursday-
12 noon (covered dish
Luncheon)

The Churches of Stratford Welcome You

First Assembly of God
Kevin Anderson, Pastor
921 Fulton
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

First Christian Church
5th & Main
Tim Boyer, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m. (Nursery)
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. (nursery)
No Sunday evening Worship Service

First United Methodist
Rev. Damon Stalvey
520 N. Main
Sunday School 9:20 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Junior & Senior High UMY 5:00 p.m.

St. Joseph Catholic Church
6th & Pearl
Rectory 366-5687
Sunday morning 8:00 a.m. (English) 9:30 (Spanish)
Sacrament of Reconciliation Before Mass or t.
Christian Formation Classes K-6 Grade Wed. Afternoon
Jr. & Sr. High. Wed. 6:30-8:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Pastor Ron Whitt
702 N. 3rd
Sun.-Coffee 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Wed. Children 6 p.m. youth 7 p.m.

Heritage Bible Baptist
Pastor Mark Looney
302 S. Main
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Evening Service 6 p.m.
Thurs. Service 7:00 p.m.



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Miercoles: Servicio De Adoracion 6-8 p.m.

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Pastor Roy Harris
Community Building
10 a.m. Worship Service

Church of Christ
N. 3rd & Chestnut
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.



9th Annual Louise Daniel Luncheon to honor women in oil and gas industry

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The 9th Annual Louise Daniel Women's History Luncheon and Women's Equality Day Celebration will be held at 11:30 a.m. Friday, August 24, 2018, in the Great Hall of Polk Street United Methodist Church, 1401 S. Polk in Amarillo.

The event will honor women in the oil and gas industry—past and present—in the Texas Panhandle. The luncheon is held annually near the end of August to coincide with Women's Equality Day, which commemorates ratification of the 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution giving women the right to vote.

Featured speaker will be Juanita Malecha, Director of Land Management and Vice-President of Pantera Energy Company of Amarillo, on the topic, "From Confused to Confident to Chair." She will share her story of how a girl who grew up on a farm at Umbarger got into the oil and gas business and became one of the first women landmen in the Panhandle—and how attitudes toward women in oil and gas management have changed over the years.

Beginning in 1980 as a receptionist with the added responsibility of maintaining lease records, Malecha worked for different oil and gas companies until starting with Pantera in 1991 as a landman. At that time, there were only two other female landmen working in the Panhandle that she knew of, plus another whose work led into her becoming a successful landman also. A landman's duties are extensive, in Malecha's experience, including determining availability of land on which an oil and gas lease can be taken, checking courthouse records to determine titles, negotiating oil and gas leases, negotiating access with the surface owner and settling surface damages, drawing up various types of agreements and making applications for permits to drill, among others.

In her 27 years with Pantera, Malecha has also achieved the title of Vice-President and has been active in the Panhandle Association of Petroleum Landmen, serving as its president twice. A member of the American Association of Petroleum Landmen, she has also served as a director of the Panhandle Producers and Royalty Owners Association. She earned her Bachelor of Business Administration Degree from (then) West Texas State University.

In the early years of the oil and gas business in Texas, few women held top positions in the industry. A notable exception was Ivy May Parker, a native of Quay County, New Mexico, who was educated at West Texas State Teachers College and went on to earn her master's degree and a Ph.D. in organic chemistry from the University of Texas. In 1935 she became the first woman to receive a Ph.D. in chemistry from the university. She worked for many years in the oil industry as a specialist on the causes and prevention of corrosion of pipelines, including several years with the Shell Oil Company and then a 27-year career at the Plantation Pipeline Company as a field technologist, research engineer and senior engineer.

The luncheon committee is preparing a listing of women honorees—past and present—who have served in top positions with petroleum companies in the Panhandle, but is seeking names of those it may not have. Anyone wishing to suggest a woman landman, engineer, scientist, geologist or company owner or co-owner is asked to send the woman's name, the company and her position and any special, but brief, additional information to Jane Harlan at ejharlan@suddenlink.net by August 17.

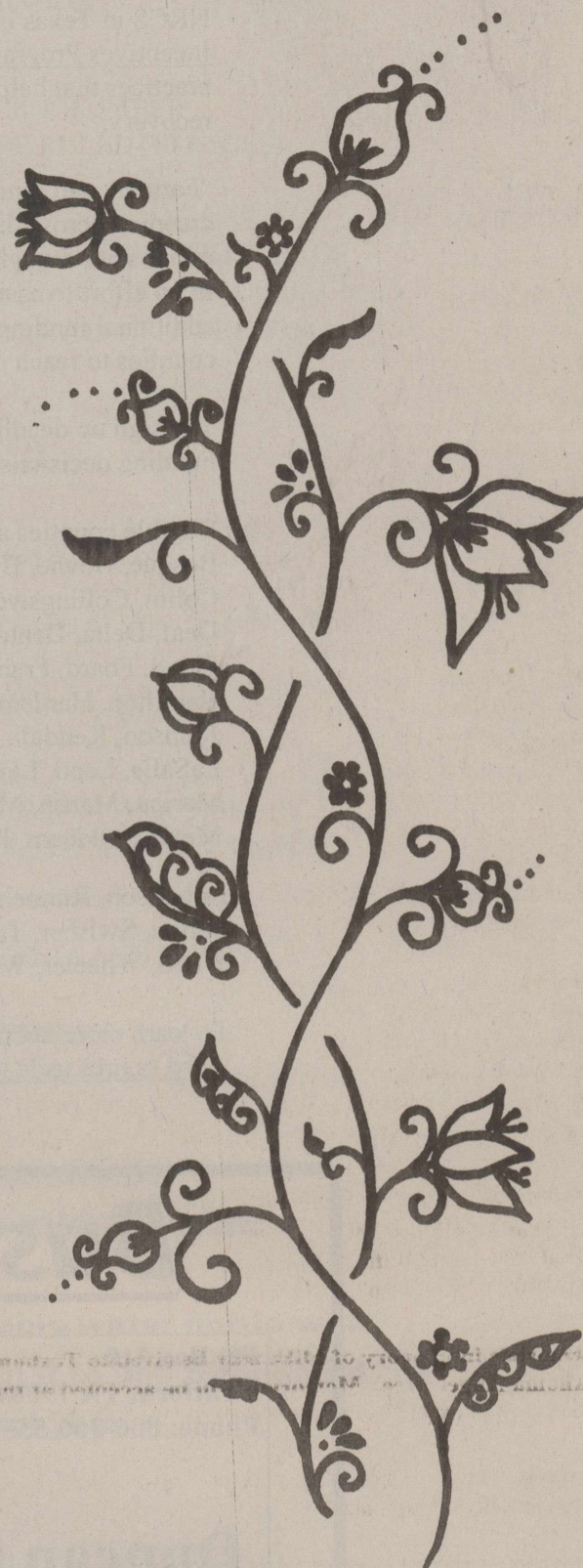
The public is invited to attend the luncheon. The cost is \$15 for students, \$30 for others and \$350 for a table of eight. Reservations should be made by August 17 by sending a check to the Amarillo College Foundation, P.O. Box 447, Amarillo, TX 79178, noting that it's for the Louise Daniel Luncheon. Reservations may also be made on the website, www.louisedaniel.org. Proceeds will benefit the Louise Daniel Women's History Lecture Fund at the Foundation. For any questions, call committee secretary Jane Harlan at (806) 355-4125.

Daniel, who died in 2003, had been an Amarillo science teacher, education advocate, landscape photographer and community leader. The luncheon will honor her last wish, to remind women of all ages of the struggles and efforts of earlier women to overcome barriers to equality and to celebrate their contributions to Panhandle history.

The luncheon is sponsored by Pantera Energy Company, Courson Oil & Gas, Inc., Plains Land Bank, FirstBank Southwest of Perryton, Amarillo National Bank, Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum, Sunlight Exploration, Inc., Susan Coleman, J.D., Mark and Terry White, Carolyn Ottoson, Amarillo Women's Network, American Association of University Women, Amarillo Executive Women, League of Women Voters and the Amarillo College Foundation.

Ex-Student Gift to Stratford Education Foundation

The Class of 1978 made a memorial gift in memory of classmates: Debbie Knight, Taylor Johnson, Ralph Keener, Margaret Romero, Donna Ray, Ricky Jones, Eddie Cronic, Theresa Ewers Robbins, Brad Booth, Chris Preston, Norma Olivas, David Green.' The class of 1948 donated their 2nd place float winnings to the Foundation



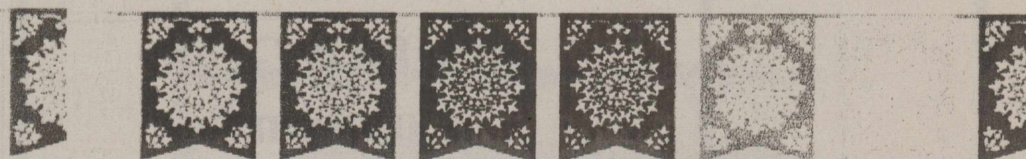
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AUGUST 19TH

10AM-8PM [or the food runs out]
Pendleton Park (city park)
Bilingual Mass @10:30AM



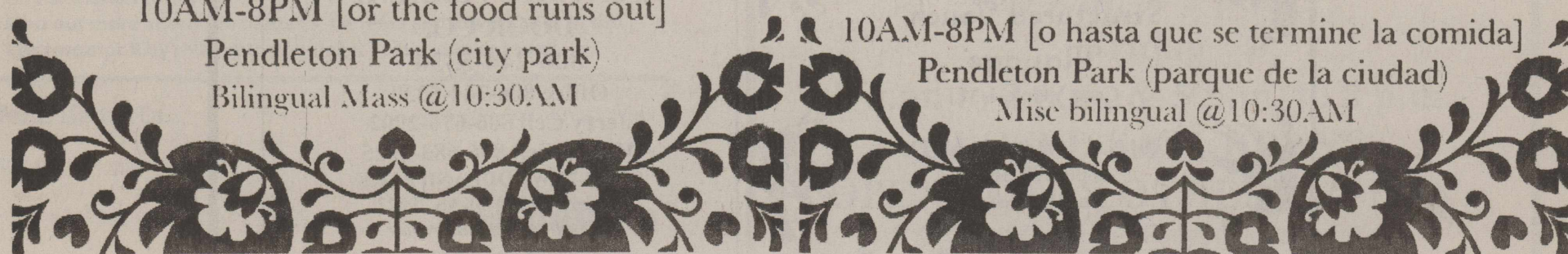
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AGOSTO 19

10AM-8PM [o hasta que se termine la comida]
Pendleton Park (parque de la ciudad)
Misa bilingual @10:30AM



Applications for conservation practices currently being accepted for drought impacted counties

TEMPLE, Texas, July 31, 2018 – USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) is now accepting drought assistance applications from farmers and ranchers impacted by ongoing drought conditions in 128 of Texas' 254 counties.

NRCS in Texas is making funding available through the agency's Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) for qualified agricultural producers to assist in conservation practices that help to sustain the lands natural resources during drought or assist during recovery.

"Farmers and ranchers in Texas are no stranger to drought which is once again slowly creeping across the state," said Salvador Salinas, NRCS state conservationist. "Across the entire state drought conditions range from abnormally dry to pockets of extreme drought. In an effort to assist landowners during these difficult conditions, we are offering additional funding opportunities through EQIP. I encourage producers in impacted counties to reach out to their local NRCS field office."

The sign up deadline for agricultural producers in the 128 counties is August 30, 2018. Funding decisions will be made by September 6, 2018.

Eligible counties are: Archer, Armstrong, Bailey, Bandera, Baylor, Bell, Blanco, Borden, Bosque, Bowie, Briscoe, Brown, Carson, Cass, Castro, Childress, Cochran, Coleman, Collin, Collingsworth, Comanche, Concho, Cooke, Coryell, Cottle, Dallas, Dawson, Deaf, Delta, Denton, Dickens, Dimmit, Donley, Eastland, Edwards, Ellis, Erath, Falls, Floyd, Foard, Franklin, Gaines, Garza, Gillespie, Glasscock, Gray, Gregg, Hale, Hall, Hamilton, Hardeman, Harrison, Hemphill, Hill, Hockley, Hood, Hopkins, Howard, Jack, Johnson, Kendall, Kent, Kerr, Kimble, King, Kinney, Knox, Lamar, Lamb, Lampasas, LaSalle, Leon, Limestone, Lipscomb, Llano, Lubbock, Lynn, McCulloch, McLennan, Marion, Martin, Mason, Maverick, Menard, Midland, Mills, Mitchell, Montague, Morris, Motley, Oldham, Palo Pinto, Panola, Parker, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Real, Red River,

Robertson, Runnels, Rusk, San Saba, Schleicher, Scurry, Somervell, Stephens, Sterling, Sutton, Swisher, Tarrant, Terrell, Terry, Titus, Tom Green, Upshur, Uvalde, Val Verde, Webb, Wheeler, Wichita, Wilbarger, Wise, Yoakum, Zapata and Zavala.

To learn more about NRCS and available financial and technical assistance visit www.tx.nrcs.usda.gov or visit your local [USDA Service Center](#).

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- 1 FOLDER W/POCKETS
- 1 PENCIL BOX
- 4 BOXES OF KLEENEX
- 1 BACKPACK
- 1 BOX OF GALLON SIZE FREEZER BAGS
- 1 BOX OF QUART SIZE FREEZER BAGS

PRE-KINDERGARTEN

- 1 BOX OF KLEENEX
- 1 BACK PACK

KINDERGARTEN

- 1 WATERCOLOR SET
- 20 #2 YELLOW PENCILS
- 3 LARGE BOXES OF KLEENEX
- 8 LARGE GLUE STICKS
- 3 BOXES OF 24 CRAYONS
- 1 SCHOOL BOX (NO ZIPPERED PENCIL BAG)
- 3 PINK ERASERS
- 1 REST MAT
 - (NO BLANKET, EXERCISE MAT/SLEEPING BAG)

FIRST GRADE

- 24 #2 YELLOW PENCILS
- 2 BOXES OF 24 CRAYONS (NO FLUORESCENT)
- 1 PLASTIC PENCIL/CRAYON BOX
- 1 BOX OF ZIPLOC BAGGIES-QUART SIZE
- 3 SPIRAL NOTEBOOKS-WIDE RULED, 1 SUBJECT
- 4 LARGE GLUE STICKS
- 2 LARGE BOXES OF KLEENEX
- 2 ROLLS OF PAPER TOWELS
 - NO PENCIL SHARPENERS

SECOND GRADE

- 2 LARGE ZIPPERED PENCIL BAGS
- 2 BOXES OF 24 COUNT CRAYONS
- 3 LARGE BOXES OF KLEENEX
- 1 PAIR OF SCISSORS
- 40 #2 PENCILS (NO MECHANICAL)
- 3 WIDE-RULED SPIRAL NOTEBOOKS (70pg COUNT)
- 2 PINK ERASERS
- 3 GLUE STICKS
- 1 FOLDER WITH POCKETS-(ENGLISH CLASS)

THIRD GRADE

- 20 #2 PENCILS (NO MECHANICAL)
- 2 LARGE BOXES OF KLEENEX
- 2 POCKET FOLDERS- NO BRADS
- 3 GLUE STICKS
- 2 PINK ERASERS
- 1 PKG WIDE RULED NOTEBOOK PAPER
- 1 SPIRAL NOTEBOOK-WIDE RULED (70 PAGES)
- ZIPPERED PENCIL BAG
- 1 ROLL OF PAPER TOWELS
- * BOYS BRING 1 BOX OF SNACK SIZE ZIPLOC BAGS
- * GIRLS BRING 1 BOX OF QUART SIZE ZIPLOC BAGS
 - NO BINDERS OR TRAPPER KEEPERS

FOURTH GRADE

- 2 PKG 12 COLORED PENCILS
- 30 #2 PENCILS
- 1 PAIR SCISSORS
- 1 PKG WIDE RULE NOTEBOOK PAPER
- 2 GLUE STICKS
- 1 BOTTLE ELMER'S WHITE GLUE
- 2 PINK ERASERS
- 4 COMPOSITION NOTEBOOKS
- 1 CLIPBOARD
- PENCIL BAG W/ZIPPER
- 1 PLASTIC 2 POCKET FOLDER WITHOUT BRADS
- 1 REGULAR 2 POCKET FOLDER WITHOUT BRADS
- 2 DRY ERASE MARKERS
- 2 BOXES OF KLEENEX
- 1 RED FOLDER WITH POCKETS AND BRADS
 - NO TRAPPER KEEPERS

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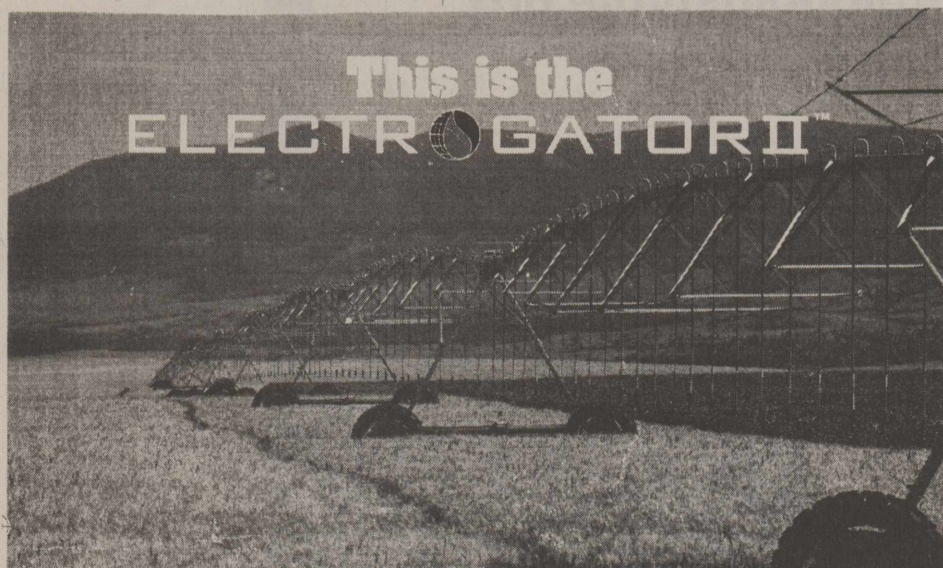
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**NEW HOURS
STARTING MAY 7TH**

We will be open Monday-Thursday
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Friday
8 a.m. to 2 p.m. & 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.
CLOSED SATURDAYS
OPEN EVERY OTHER SUNDAY
(Please check our Facebook page for
Specials and events)

**NOTICE OF DEADLINE TO FILE
 APPLICATIONS FOR
 PLACE ON THE BALLOT**

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 Board members whose terms will expire are Brad McBryde, Dan Law, & Kevin Braden. Holdover members are Walt Berry, Tim Hudson, Jo Hinds, and Brian Clift

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 Board members whose terms will expire are Cody Cartwright, Lori Ferguson, Lacey Alexander. Holdover members are Ed Ruest and Jay Murphy.

Stratford Hospital District News

The time is soon coming for two of the five Stratford Hospital District board members' terms to end. The Stratford hospital District needs volunteers from the community to replace these members. Board members must be a qualified voter and a resident of the Stratford Hospital District (same as Stratford Independent School District). The deadline for signing up o run as a board member is quickly approaching. Anyone interested must bring their voter registration card and pick up an application in person at in the Business Office of Coldwater Manor, 1111 Beaver Road, between the hours of 8am and 5pm, Monday through Friday. The last day to sign up is August 27th so don't delay. For questions or additional details, please contact Donna Zimmer at 806-396-5568.

The Stratford Hospital District could not exist without members of the community taking an active role on the board. We send out a sincere thank you to those who are currently on the board as well as those who have served in the past. By being a member of the Stratford Hospital District Board, you are doing your part to ensure the betterment of healthcare for the residents of Sherman County.

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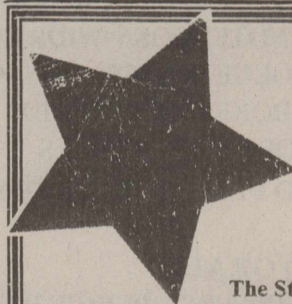
Expiring terms are: Ricky Reed, Joe Zak and Mike Dominguez. Holdover members are Greg Wright, Ann Johnson and Kyle Sandvig.

**Deadline for
 The Stratford Star**

Deadline for Stratford Star items. Photos by Sundays at 4 p.m. Letters to Editor 9 a.m. on Mondays (typed) and all other articles and ads at 10 a.m. on Mondays. (PLEASE)
 Thank you

**Attention to all subscribers!!
 Rate change**

The Stratford Star is no longer sending out notices when your paper is due. Check the label on the paper and see what month your subscription expires. **I will be putting "Stars" on the current month" If you have a Star on your label it means that your-sub expires that month.** If you are not sure the amount you owe if you live out of the area call 753-7373 and double check. Locally is \$33.00 and out of the area \$40.00. If you are paying for someone else's sub, you will be billed for that person. The Stratford Star, PO Box 8, Stratford, TX 79084
 Thanks-Marty



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BE A HERO *give blood.*

**Texhoma Community
 Blood Drive**

**Monday, August 13
 3 - 7 p.m.**

First United Methodist Church

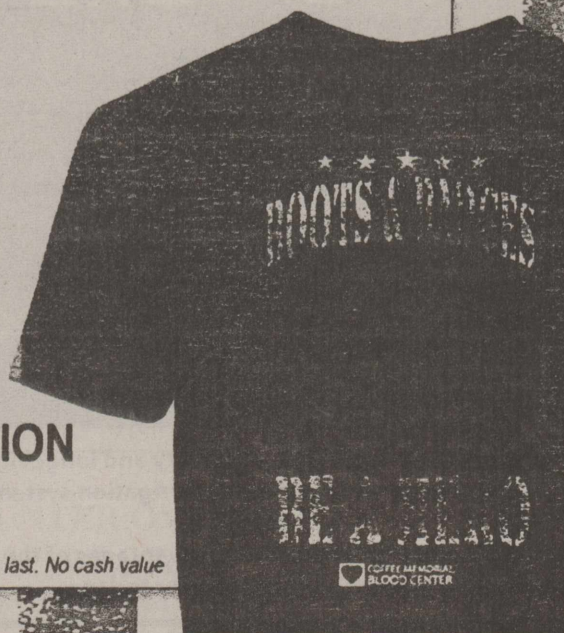
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Stratford Family Medical Clinic

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366-5505 Shelly Worley, PharmD, RPH

Coldwater Manor Nursing Facility

396-5568 Leo Sanders, LNFA

Stratford EMS

9-1-1 or 396-2844 Jimmy Lanning, Director

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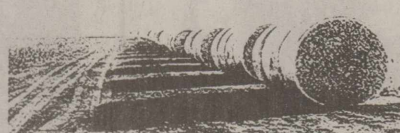


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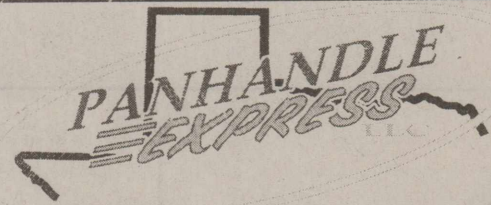
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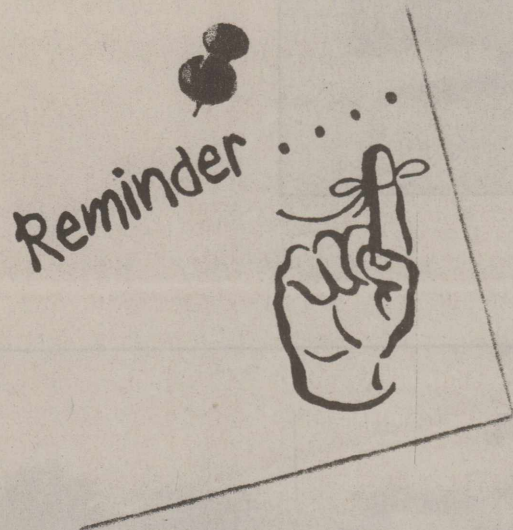


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Don't forget:

REMINDERS

First day of School Tuesday,
August 21, 2018

Back to School Hamburger
Supper & Stratford Schools
Open House Monday

August 20, 2018

Parade Pics



Photos by Kathy Allen

