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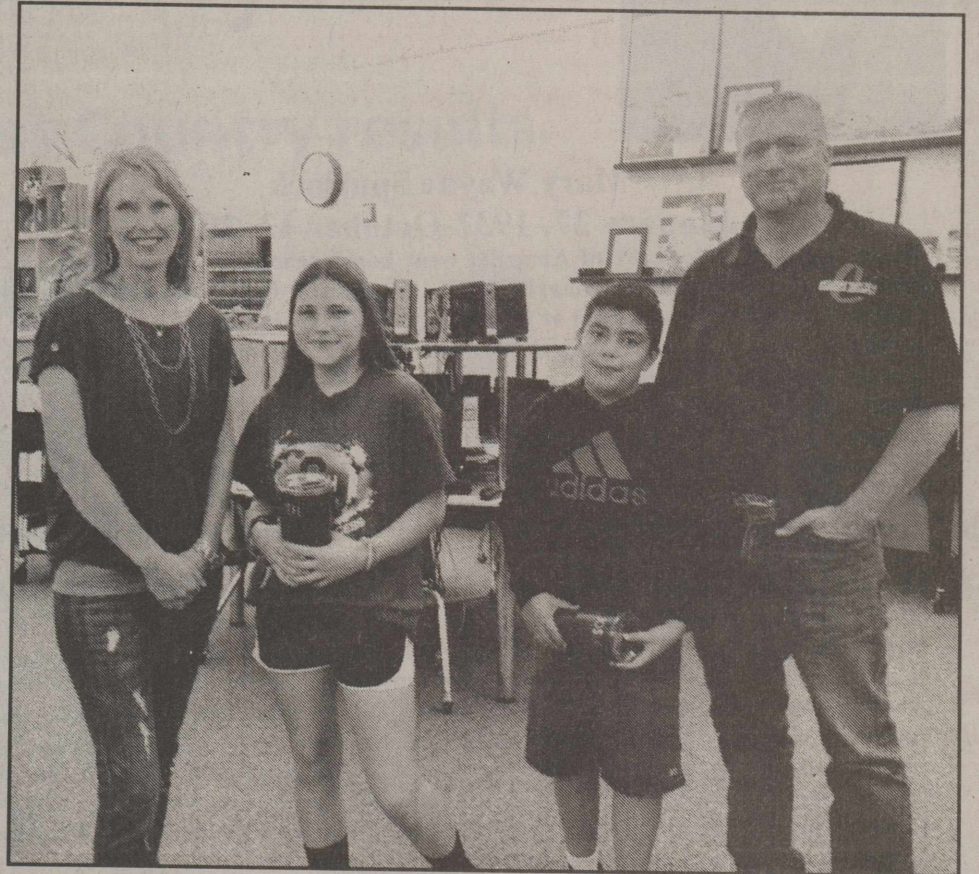
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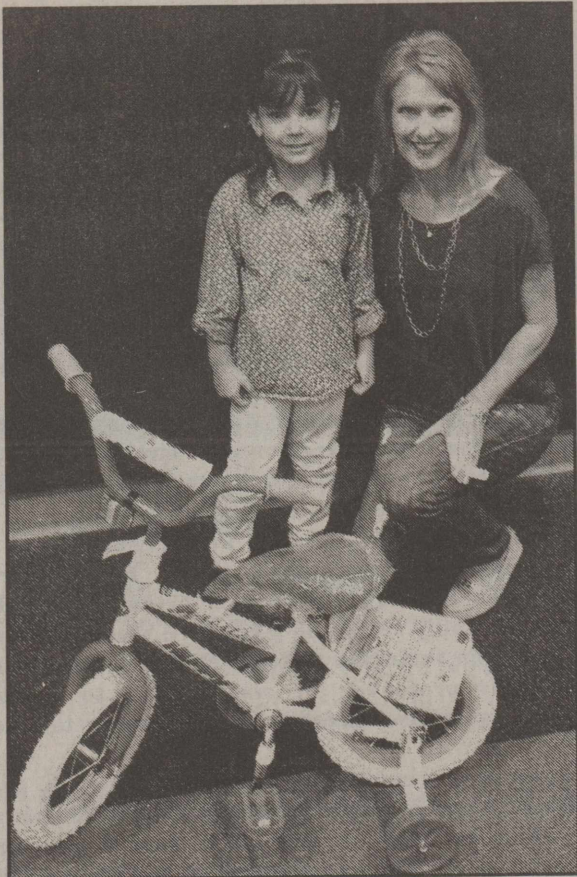
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## October 22 Cheese, Pumpkin Rolls, Holiday Cakes & Pies Orders End

Time to order Zak's Cheese Sales, Pumpkin Rolls, and Holiday Cakes and Pies offered for sale by Lollipop Junction on a pre-paid order basis will end October 22.

Zak's Cheese offers a variety of cheese, summer sausage, popcorn, and candy. Biti Pies recipe for a 10 inch Pumpkin Rolls is just like Grandma's —filled with cream cheese and pecans. The pumpkin rolls sell for \$16.00 each.

In addition, Holiday Cakes and Pies will be offered for sale. The 9-inch pies are available in Coconut Meringue, Chocolate Meringue, Lemon Meringue, Buttermilk, Sour Cream Raisin, Pecan, Pumpkin, and Apple. Frosted single layer 9-inch cakes offered for sale are German Chocolate, Perfect Chocolate, Red Velvet, Carrot, and Italian Cream. Pies and Cakes sell for \$16.00 each. And will be delivered November 14<sup>th</sup>.

To learn more about the fundraiser and to place an order, contact either Koreley Whittington at (432) 693-6224, Susie Spurlock at (806) 753-7214, or Erika Gonzales at Lollipop Junction 366-5886.

All proceeds from the fundraiser will be going towards the building expansion to better serve infants. In addition the new space will house the Nutrition Center and multi-purpose area

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# OBITUARIES



## Mary Wayne Spurlock January 27, 1937-October 12, 2018

Mary Wayne Spurlock, 81 of Amarillo went home peacefully to be with Jesus on Friday, Oct. 12, 2018 in Amarillo, TX. A private family burial preceded a Celebration of Life service held at 11 o'clock in the morning on Wednesday, Oct. 17, at First United Methodist Church of Stratford. Arrangements were entrusted to Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mary Wayne was born January 27, 1937 in Galveston, TX to Wayne and Ruth Allen Tinkler. Her family made El Paso, TX their home when she was 10 years old. She attended Austin High School in El Paso and was very active in Choir and Journalism programs.

Mary Wayne met the love of her life, Neal Spurlock, while he was serving in the Air Force. They were married August 29, 1954 in El Paso, TX.

The newlywed couple moved to the Spurlock Community, Stratford, TX, where they made their home, began farming and raised their four children. Mary Wayne enjoyed teaching Sunday School at Spurlock Chapel, and later loved to sing in many different church choirs. An avid seamstress, she sewed for her children, grandchildren and many others. She made and donated to mission programs hundreds of pieces of children's clothing.

She served as the District I Director of the Texas Association for Family and Community Education from 1995-97 in Amarillo. She also served as the 2001-02 TEEA District I Director and was the District I Director for the Texas Extension Education Association, Inc., from 2001-03.

In 2003, Mary Wayne was named the Outstanding Woman of the Prairie Flowers Club. Mary Wayne was affectionately known as Aunt Bear, Aunt Wayne, Clam3ear, and GramWayne and was a loving daughter, sister, wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother and friend.

She is preceded in death by her parents, her son Jeffrey Wayne Spurlock, sisters Jacque Scifres and Patricia Sparrow, and 9 nieces and nephews.

She is survived by her husband of 64 years, Neal; daughter Susan Spurlock-Rawlins and husband Donny of Fritch, son Wesley Spurlock and wife Susie of Stratford, daughter Kathy Plunk and husband Max of Lawton, OK.

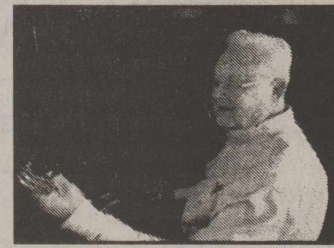
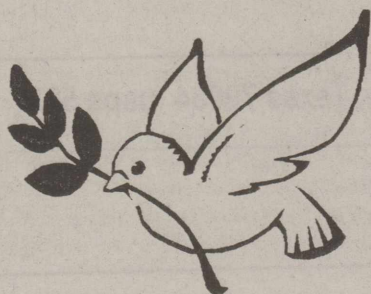
She is also survived by her brother Dr. Duane Tinkler and wife Jeanie of Amarillo and sister-in-law Ramona Spurlock (Aunt Moy), also of Amarillo.

Grandchildren surviving her include Kelby Friemel and wife Amber of Phoenix, AZ; Crystal Hicks and husband Brett of Amarillo; Annie Dozier and husband Jason of San Antonio; Brady Plunk and wife Julie of Lebanon, TN; Walter Spurlock and wife Nicole of Stratford; Cody Plunk and wife Madison of Norman, OK; and Jennie Spurlock of Detroit, MI.

Great grandchildren include Hailey Simmons, Molli Lee, Brecken Lee, Kennedy Dozier, Landry Dozier, Van Dozier, Anderson Plunk, Lucy Plunk, and William Agustin (Augie) Spurlock. She is also survived by 35 plus nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

The family would like to express sincere appreciation to the entire staff at Brookdale Medi Park West Retirement Home for the wonderful loving care they provided to Mary Wayne, Neal and family. Special thanks to Accolade Hospice, Becky Lehrmann, RN; Caring Senior Service caregivers Jody, Aspen, Lisa, and Rosalve.

In lieu of customary remembrances, the family suggest with gratitude that memorials be made to Lollipop Junction, P.O. Box 411, Stratford, TX 79084 or to Connect Community Services, Box 533, Fritch, TX 79036



## Harley Buryle Starnes (January 19, 1927 - October 12, 2018)

Harley Starnes, 91, died on Friday, October 12, 2018 in Dumas, Texas.

The family received visitors on Sunday, October 14, 2018 from 2:00 - 4:00 pm at the Stratford Church of Christ. Funeral Services were held on Monday, October 15, 2018 at 10:00 am at the Stratford Church of Christ with burial in Stratford Cemetery under the care of Horizon Funeral Home. Harley Buryle Starnes was born on January 19, 1927 in Odell, Texas to Homer & Bertha (Roberts) Starnes. He graduated from Brownfield high School. He served in the Korean War. On January 18, 1951, he married, Daina Ruth McIlroy, in Brownfield, TX. Harley owned and operated Harley's Barber Shop in Stratford for 40 years. He was a member of the Rotary Club in Brownfield and was an elder at the Stratford Church of Christ for several years. Harley loved playing his guitar, mandolin & fiddle. He enjoyed spending time with his family and friends.

Harley is survived by his daughter: Patti Vincent of San Antonio; son: Danny Starnes and wife Lori of Minneola, KS; grandchildren: Arnie Davis and husband Jeremy, Brandon Starnes and wife Haley, Justin Starnes and Lori Luikart all of Amarillo, Heath Starnes and wife Laura of Dodge City, KS, Clint Vincent and wife Ann of Southlake, TX and Connor Vincent & wife Paige, of Dallas, TX; his sister, Melba Fitzgerald of Plains, TX; and 8 great grandchildren & 9 step great grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his parents; his wife, 3 sisters, a son in-law, a brother in-law and a sister in-law.

The family suggest memorials to Stratford Education Foundation or High Plains Children's Home



## Gary Kent Ferguson AKA "Ferg" June 14, 1957-October 2, 2018

Gary.. what can't we say; he was always that child leaping from unimaginable heights. It might have been the high from his mom's homemade bread or the fever from the chili beans; however, this fierce love of life developed into a passionate and competitive nature that we all witnessed through his love of all things athletic. He graduated from high school as a proud 1975 Stratford Elk, and then he found himself in Lubbock acquiring tuition from Dennis Brothers Printers. When the Dennis brothers witnessed Gary take a printing press apart and successfully put it all back together again, they knew they had to hire him! In 1981 he hopped on the DuMoore Office Supply and Printing train working alongside his loving parents Esther and Ronny Ferguson.

While in Dumas, Texas he married the mother of his two children. Sharon Ferguson Felicia D'Nae and Landon Ronny Ferguson have always been a focus of pride in his life. His step daughter Summer Joyce Daharsh is a loving older sister to both. Between these three kids, there are many cherished memories.

Gary eventually found himself in San Antonio Texas, working at Clear Visions Incorporated, Freeman Printing and Avon Behren Printing Company, with many of his dearest friends. A merger between Avon Behren and Cenvo allowed Gary to proudly secure an Executive Vice President and General Manager position within their San Antonio Division. His dedication to the printing business was profound; he was trusted to venture to Heidelberg, Germany and purchase machinery necessary to increase production.

Gary Ferguson had the greatest respect and admiration for his parents, Ronny and Esther. They instilled in him his incredible work ethic, his values and the moral code by which he lived his life. He treasured and honored them. Gary's commitment to hard work and his passion for life significantly impacted many people's lives.

His daughter, Felicia always took his advice. Just to work hard and be good to your employees. His son, Landon acquired his knack for fixing things. Gary always knew his son was a tinkerer." and his daughter a hard worker.

Gary was a loving big brother to his siblings. Donavon and ViAnn. Gary was baptized alongside his brother Donavon in 1969 at First Baptist Church of Stratford, Texas.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to Stratford Education Foundation and to the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation.

## Alvie Lee Hudgens, II Born April 16, 1991-Died October 13, 2018

Alvie Lee Hudgens, II, 27 of Texhoma, Texas passed away unexpectedly on Saturday morning, October 13, 2018 at his home.

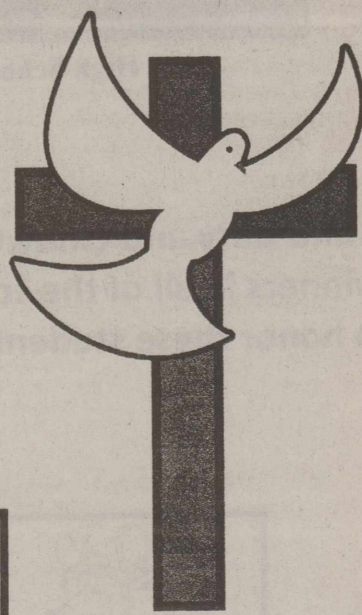
The son of Travis and Joni (Stallard) Hudgens, Alvie was born April 16, 1991 in Boise City, Oklahoma. He was raised in Boise City, graduating with the Boise City Class of 2010. Following his graduation, Alvie moved to Stratford, Texas, before moving to Texhoma in September of 2017. Alvie and Brandy Lynn Lage were united in marriage on November 18, 2017 in Texhoma.

Alvie worked in the trucking industry. He was devoted to his family and his work, and enjoyed fishing and hunting.

Survivors include his wife, Brandy Hudgens of the home; one son, Samuel Witten Hudgens; his parents: Travis and Joni Hudgens of Eufala, Oklahoma; brother and sisters: Brandon Stallard, Shay Richmond, Tabitha Hudgens and Arian Talbert; his grandmother, Susie Barnum Hudgens; along with numerous other family members and friends

A celebration of his life was held Tuesday afternoon, October 16<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m. at connection Church, 1901 N. Lelia in Guymon with Pastor Dallas McGlasson officiating. Services were under the care of the Bunch-Roberts Funeral home of Guymon.

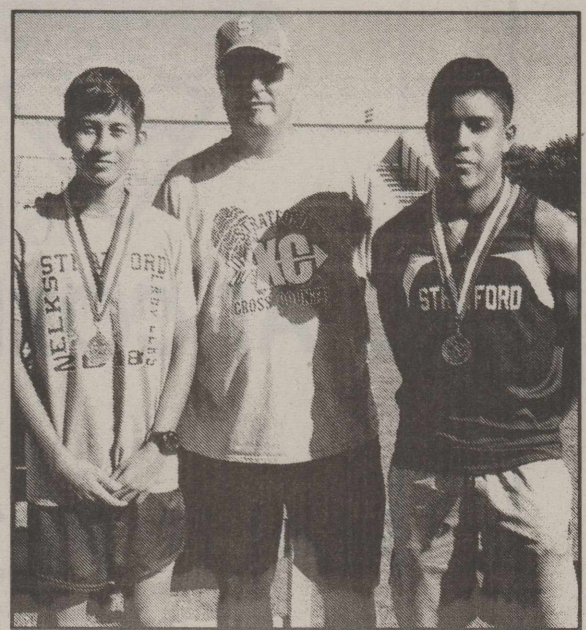
Friends can sign the online guestbook and leave condolences at [www.bunchroberts.com](http://www.bunchroberts.com)



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Place	Points	Name	School	Time
1	1	Butler, Brenna	Gruver	13:10
2	2	Rawlins, Annsley	Stratford	14:07
3*		Strickland, Anna	Sunray	14:13
4	3	Count, AnnMarie	Boys Ranch	14:16
5*		Lay, Sage	West Texas	14:26
6	4	Thompson, Mila	Stratford	14:45
7	5	Wells, Addie	Stratford	14:51
8*		Gallegos, Arianna	Sunray	15:00
9	6	Clift, Morgan	Stratford	15:13
10	7	Martin, Tatum	Stratford	15:22
11	8	Clements, Shay	Stratford	15:23
12	9	Martinez, Adilyn	Boys Ranch	15:33
13*		Vargas, Leah	Sunray	15:39
14	10	Grotgut, Gracee	Gruver	15:41
15	11	Marquez, Brenda	Stratford	16:06
16	12	Adams, Aubrey	Gruver	16:07
17	13	Wright, Lanie	Boys Ranch	16:21
18	14	Acosta, Sara	Boys Ranch	16:29
19	15	Pittman, Arden	Gruver	16:30
20	16	Valasquez, Brooklyn	Gruver	16:32
21	17	Audrain, Cody Paige	Stratford	16:33
22	18	Valdez, Yessenia	Stratford	16:34
23	19	Lora, Alma	Gruver	17:16
24*		Vasquez, Sandra	Sunray	17:46
25*		Parker, Tina	West Texas	18:04
26	20	Garza, Yulianna	Boys Ranch	18:27
27*		Ashcroft, Emersyn	West Texas	18:35
28	21	Sanders, Ivy	Boys Ranch	18:35
29	22	Davilla, Briana	Gruver	19:05
30	23	Artz, Oriana	Boys Ranch	22:53
<b>TEAM SCORES</b>				
1		Stratford	24	
2		Gruver	54	
3		Boys Ranch	59	

**State Senator Kel Seliger**

invites the citizens of Sherman County to a

**Town Hall Meeting**

**Tuesday, October 23, 2018**

**11:15 a.m.**

**Stratford High School**

**503 N. 8th Street**

**Stratford, Texas**

If you have any questions, please contact

My Amarillo District Office at (806) 374-8994.

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11:30 am - 1:00 pm  
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*Christian Women's Fellowship is hosting their annual Chili dinner with all the fixins'. It will be held on Sunday, October 21, 2018 at the First Christian Church. There will be homemade chili, beans, baked potatoes, hot dogs, cornbread, frito pies & desserts.*

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*We will be serving from 11:30am until 1:00 pm.  
Please come and bring your appetite.*

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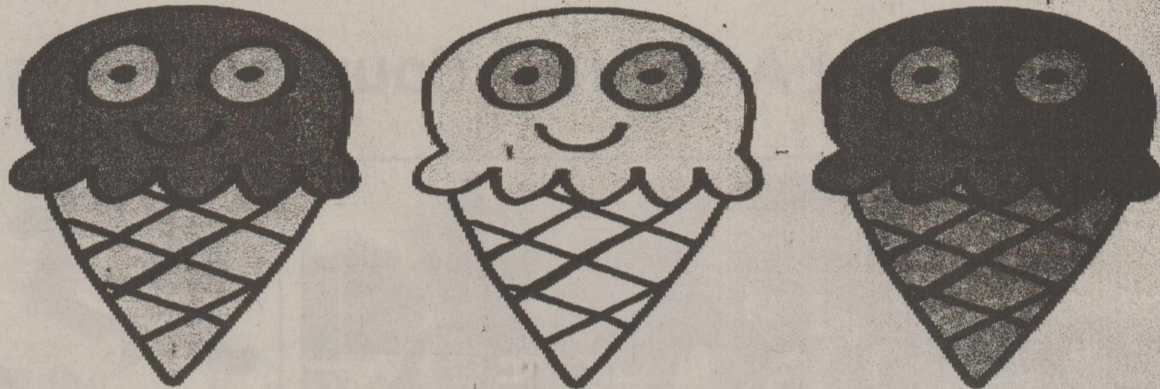
Fee - \$59; make checks payable to: Stratford HS  
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Thank all who donated items and customers who bought the treasures.

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Mexican Pile-on 5:30-7:00  
Coronation 7:30

Senior Skits 8:00  
Carnival/ Silent Auction/ Cakewalk  
immediately following the senior skits

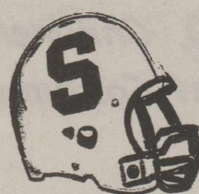
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**Tuesday, October 23, 2018**

**7 a.m. till Noon**

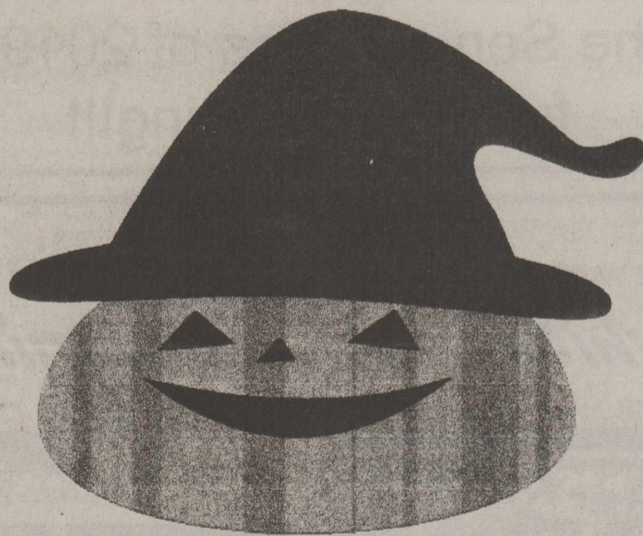
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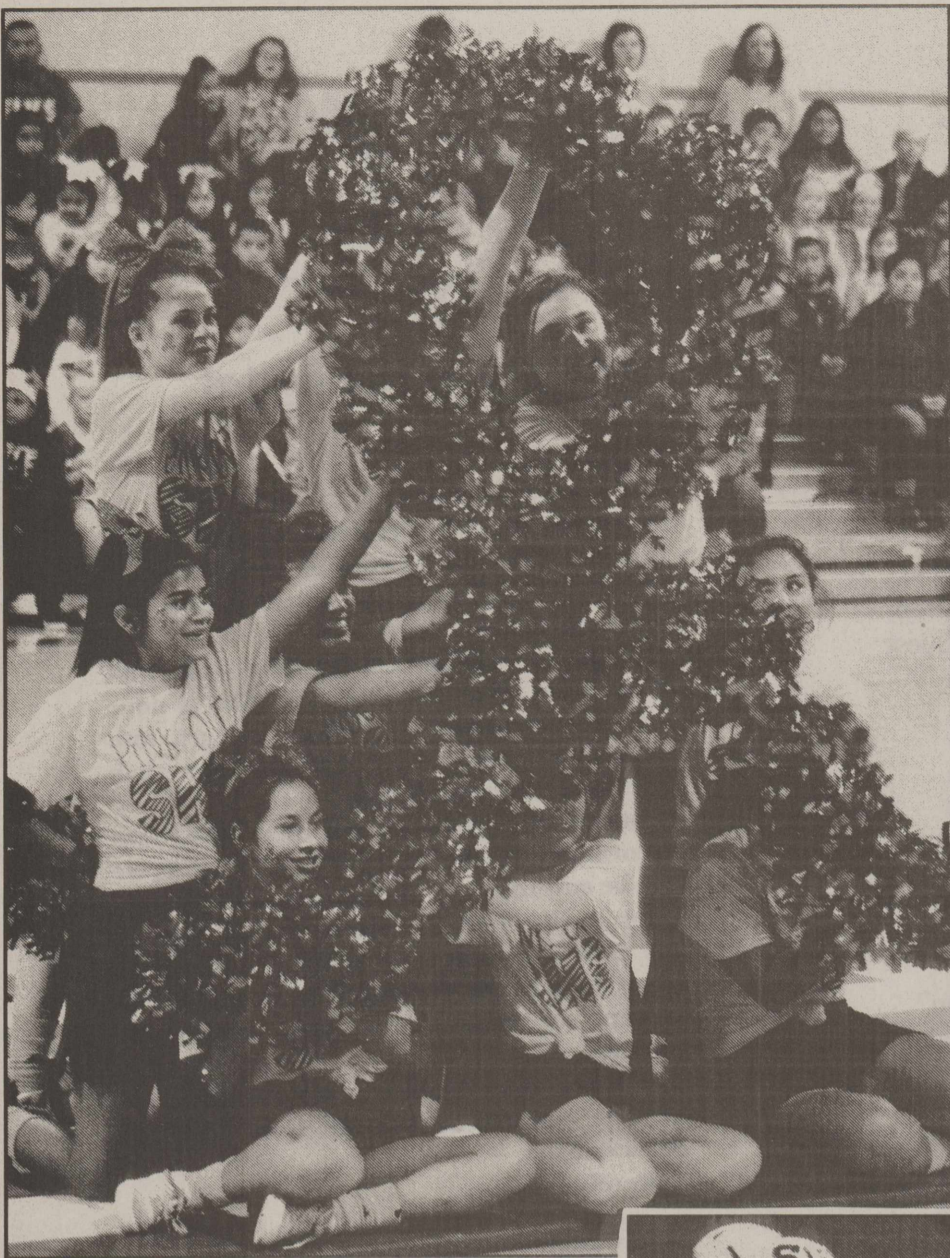
**Main St. will be blocked off by 5:45 p.m.!!**

*There will be prizes for best Adult Costume (age 15 & up),  
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and Pet Costume.*

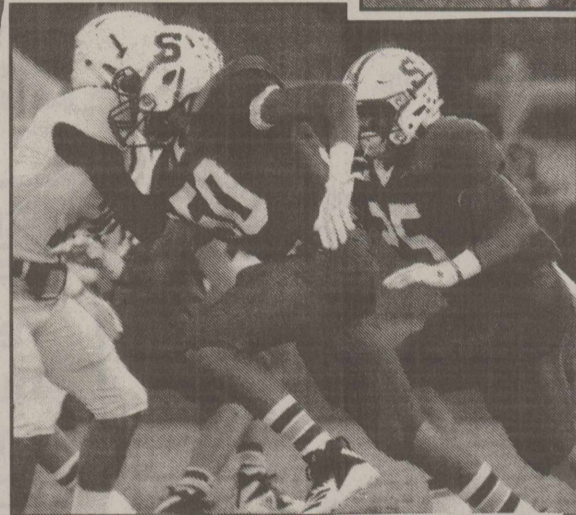
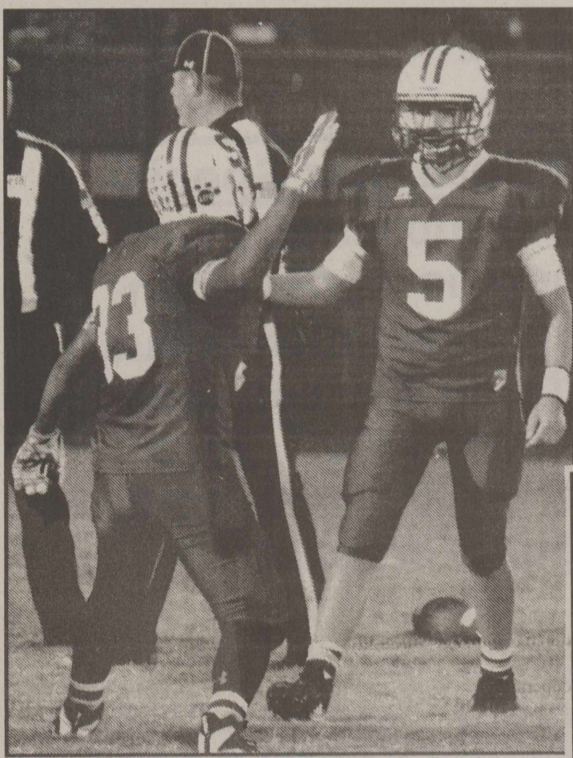
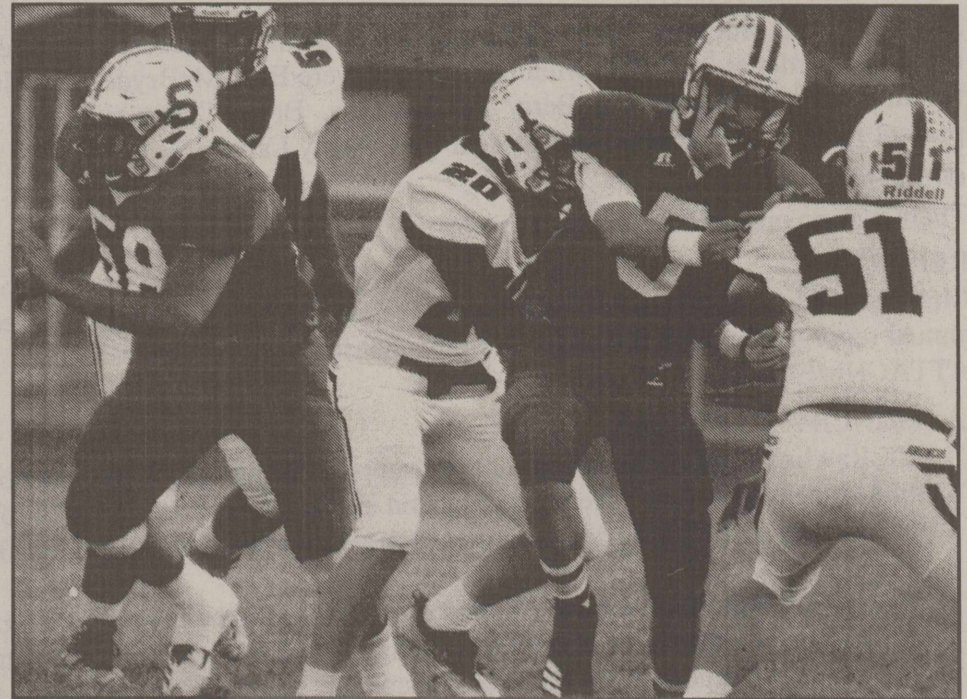
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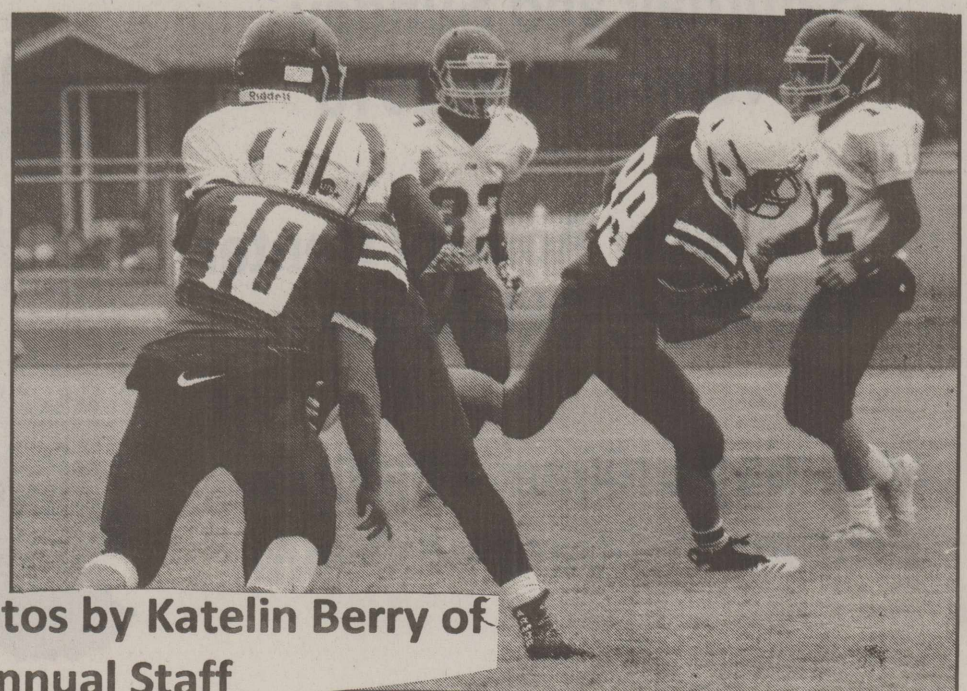
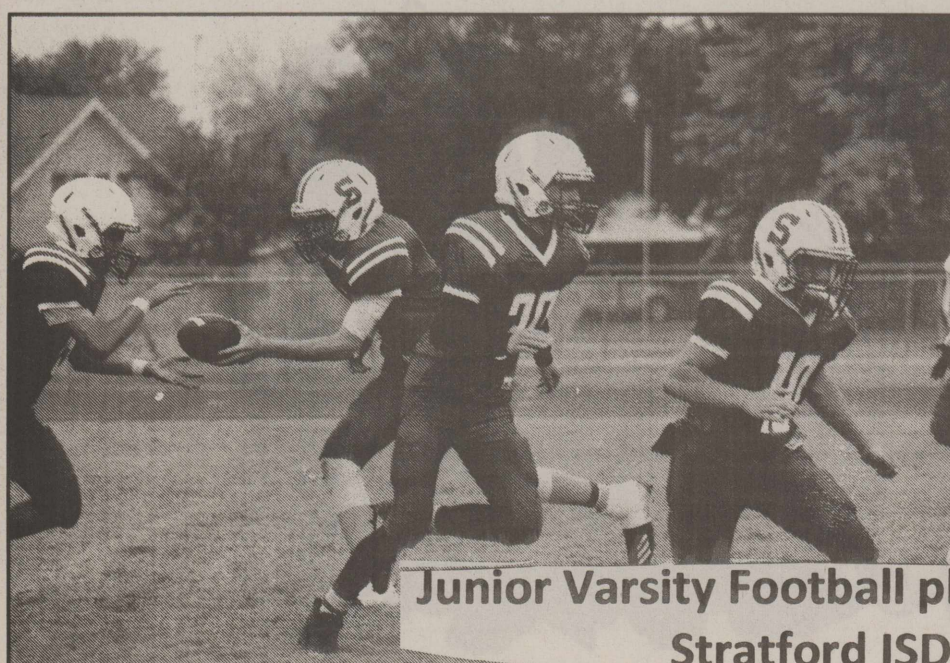
Stratford beat Clarendon 42 to 14 on Friday October 12, 2018.

Players of the week were  
 Offensive Line-Anthony Gonzalez,  
 Offensive Back-Ty McBryde  
 Defensive Line Alex Fierro.  
 Defensive Back-Luden Romero.  
 Special Team Oscar Sauzameda and  
 Scout Team-Slate Anderton

Offensive																	
# Last Name, First Name	Rushing				Receiving				Passing					Fumbles			
	#	Yds	Avg	Lng	#	Yds	Avg	Lng	Comp	Att	C%	Int	Yds	TD	Lng	FB	FBL
# McBryde, Ty	7	89	12.71	45	1	6	6.00	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
# McBryde, Walker	7	2	.29	11	-	-	-	-	6	9	.667	1	108	-	50	-	-
# Quintero, Juan carlos	1	-2	-2.00	-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
# Rinne, Cody	-	-	-	-	2	29	14.50	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
#11 Romero, Luden	15	107	7.13	30	2	13	6.50	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
#12 Villegas, Ar	11	39	3.55	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
#25 Mendoza Luis	-	-	-	-	1	50	50.00	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Team Totals	41	235	5.73	45	6	98	16.33	50	6	9	.667	1	108	-	50	-	-

Defensive														
# Last Name, First Name	Tackles				Sacks			Pass Defense			Fumbles			
	Tckls	Asst	Tot	Loss	Sacks	Yds	Hur	Ints	Yds	PD	Rcv	Yds	Caus	
# Guerrero, Alberto	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
# McBryde, Ty	1	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
# Quintero, Juan carlos	4	2	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	-	
# Reyes, Publio	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
# Rinne, Cody	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	-	-	-	
# Sanchez, Jesse	3	4	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
# Sauzameda Brandon	3	4	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
# Sauzameda, Oscar	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
# Smith, Turner	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
#11 Romero, Luden	8	1	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
#12 Villegas, Ar	3	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
#25 Mendoza Luis	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
#50 Martinez, Fernando	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
#58 Gonzalez, Carlos	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
#79 Ortega, Francisco	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
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Special Teams																					
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Junior Varsity Football photos by Katelin Berry of Stratford ISD Annual Staff

## Minutes of Regular Meeting

### The Board of Trustees Stratford ISD

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Stratford ISD was held Tuesday, October 9, 2018, beginning at 7:00 PM in the High School Library.

#### 1. OPEN THE MEETING

President Brad McBryde established a quorum of members present and called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. Members present were Brad McBryde, Tim Hudson, Kevin Braden, Jo Hinds, Walt Berry and Dan Law. Bryan Clift was absent. Guest present were Dean Hauser. Staff present were Ashly Lavake.

#### 2. OPEN FORUM

There was no one present for open forum.

#### 3. REPORTS

Mrs. Lavake gave the TELPAS and Title III report. ESSA legislation requires an annual report concerning the progress of the district's LEP students. SEE ATTACHMENT #1

##### A. PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Mr. Rawlins thanked the board for their support during the "implementation" time at the Mary Allen. He passed out and explained reports over additional targeted support training and activities to meet standards in Closing the Gaps.

Mr. Seward reported on the first round of reports from the NWEA testing. He showed the board some tools and reports that the staff is using with the students. The individual reports went home in the students report cards.

Mr. Hanna reported on the high school's growth in their NWEA testing.

##### B. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Mr. Dominguez reported a district enrollment of 579. He updated the board on the construction project. He gave the maintenance report, the transportation report and tax report.

#### 4. CONSENT AGENDA

Tim Hudson made the motion and Dan Law seconded to approve the consent as presented. Motion carried 6-0.

#### 5. FUND BALANCE

Dan Lawn made the motion to move \$1,500,000 of the fund balance that was reserved for construction to the unreserved, undesignated fund balance. This will leave \$1,000,000 in reserved for construction. Kevin Braden seconded Motion carried 6-0.

#### 6. ACTION TO RESCIND AND ADOPT NEW TASB (LOCAL) POLICIES

Item was tabled.

#### 7. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF ROOFING BIDS FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE LABS

Jo Hinds made the motion and Kevin Braden seconded to approve Parsons Reroof Bid #1 for Duro- Last 50 mil- and 20 year Warranty - for \$43,043.00. Motion carried 6-0 See Attachment #2

#### 8. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF VOC/AG SHOP EQUIPMENT

Walt Berry made the motion and Tim Hudson seconded to approve the quote as presented. Motion carried 6-0. See Attachment #3.

#### 9. PERSONNEL

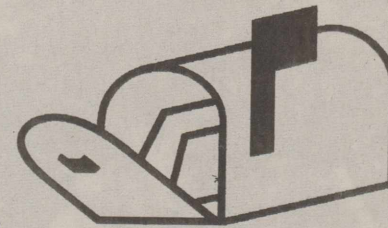
##### A. RESIGNATIONS

Karina Aldavaz submitted her letter of resignation effective October 12, 2018.

Brad McBryde read thank you notes from the Jeff Kautz family for the flowers sent to his family for Viola Kautz and from the Pam George family.

#### 10. ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 PM.



### Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

Stratford's Christmas Parade will be sponsored by the Sherman County Depot Museum. We look forward to having Santa at the Museum following the parade to hand out stockings to the children.

Our parade will be held (as always) the first Wednesday after Thanksgiving. This is done for several reasons. When we get into December people leave Stratford to shop elsewhere on the weekends.

It encourages people to get their Christmas decorations up. By having it in the evening we can be entranced by the lights on the entries.

This is all about Christmas. I challenge all the churches to sponsor a float. We have plans to give an Honorarium to the Youth Groups of each church that enters the parade.

There are entry blanks at several places in town or you can contact me, Cece Yelek, at 806-290-3655.

Sincerely,

Cece Yelek  
Sherman County Depot Museum  
Board President

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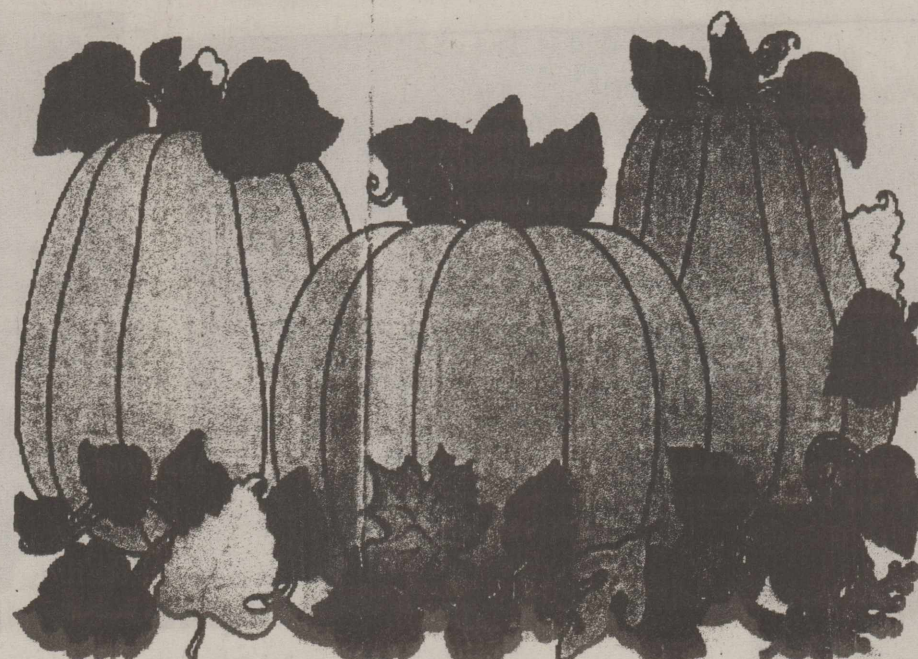
The Lambda Psi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi presents:

## 36th Annual Pumpkin Patch Benefit Arts & Crafts Festival

Saturday and Sunday  
November 3-4, 2018

Texas County Activity Center  
Guymon, Oklahoma

Saturday 9:00am - 6:00pm  
Sunday 11:00am - 4:00pm





# Classifieds & Legals

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Thursday, October 18, 2018  
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## Job brief

We are looking for a competent **Director of Maintenance & Security** to manage maintenance in our facilities for the Stratford Hospital District. You will be solely responsible for ensuring the smooth running of upkeep or repair of each operation apart of the hospital district.

An excellent maintenance supervisor must be reliable and have a great eye for detail. They must have technical skills and knowledge of various crafts such as carpentry, landscaping, plumbing etc. Leadership and knowledge of administrative tasks such as scheduling are also essential.

The goal is to ensure that facilities apart of the hospital district are in a good and safe condition at all times.

## Responsibilities

- \*Inspect facilities periodically to determine problems and necessary maintenance
- \*Prepare weekly maintenance list based on work orders and request
- \*Hire and supervise tradesmen during installations, repairs or maintenance (electricians, plumbers etc.)
- \*Landscaping skills and sprinkler operations
- \*Inspect and maintain building systems (heating, ventilation etc.)
- \*Contribute to the development of maintenance budget and ensure compliance
- \*Monitor inventory of materials and equipment
- \*Participate in coordination of projects (e.g. renovations)
- \*Ensure adherence to quality standards and health and safety regulations

## Requirements

- \*Proven experience as maintenance supervisor or similar role
- \*Strong technical knowledge of all building systems (electrical, heating etc.)
- \*Knowledge of health & safety practices and regulations for the State of Texas is highly preferred
- \*Understanding of budgeting and performance management
- \*Excellent planning and leadership abilities
- \*An eye for detail
- \*Computer savvy
- \*Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- \*High school diploma; Degree from a vocational school will be a plus
- \*Professional Certifications (e.g. CMRP or HVAC certified) are preferred

Please send resume to [shd@stratfordhospital.com](mailto:shd@stratfordhospital.com) or stop by Coldwater Manor-1111 Beaver Road, Stratford, TX 79084 to submit an application

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## Help Wanted

The Sherman County Farm Service Agency (FSA) is seeking applicants for the position of Full Time, Temporary Program Technician. All candidates must be U.S. Citizens, high school graduates or the equivalent. Basic requirements include general office clerical work, record keeping, computer ability, organizational skills and good public relation skills are a must. All applicants must undergo a background investigation. Please submit a resume to the USDA/Sherman County Service Center, 418 N. 4th Street, Stratford, Texas. Resumes must be delivered no later than close of business on October 26, 2018. For more information, contact Rebecca Lowe, County Executive Director at 806-396-2211. FSA is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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## Help Wanted

Coldwater Manor is looking for a Dietary assistant. We offer great pay, benefits and great working atmosphere. If interested come by 1111 Beaver Road, Stratford, TX 79084 for an application or send resume to [dzimmer@shdistrict.com](mailto:dzimmer@shdistrict.com)  
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## Time Out with Rog!

Yep, Yep, Yep, Yep.....There is a light at the end of the tunnel and it is getting brighter and brighter. What a huge, huge, huge victory for the Elks over the Clarendon Broncos 42-14! Stratford Elk football is back, baby!!!! The #5 team in 2A division 2 thought they were going to come to Sam Bass Stadium and take a victory but NOT. The fans were rocking, the lady Elks were rocking, the student body was rocking and Mr. Victory in his pink shirt and cowboy hat was ROCKING!!!! In other words, It was a rockin! #66 smothered a bronco like he was gravy on biscuits. The Broncos were so beat up that they had to stop by Dr. Swain's vet clinic on the way out of town to get re-hoofed. Doc, stay close because next week you may have to work on some Longhorns. This week we play the upstart Vega Longhorns in the first annual "white out" at at Sam Bass Stadium. We will beat them either snowing or they are colored blind. So, bring your white eyes, white teeth, white shirts and heck, you might as well bring your white tighty whitees and let's beat the black longhorns on Friday night. So Elk fans, let's make a point to fill the stadium. The team is rolling, the MOJO is back and we need your fanny in the seat. Let's welcome Vega to the Big League and show these upstarts how real football is played. Thank you Lord for the rain we received. Let's pray for our President and our country.

Roger Malon Allen-Class of 1981

Trivia...last week's winner was Phillip Walden. Answer was Kenny King, Oakland Raiders.

Question 1. There is a local girl's dad that played for Vega. What was his name and number? No one from Vega or married to a Vega girl is eligible to answer.

P.S. Tim, is there any way you can sit in a stadium seat correctly?

P.P.S. My top notch staff was rooting for the Baylor Bears as we wrote this article. I'm Happy.

NEXT!!!!

P.P.P.S. Even people from Parkville, Missouri want to come see the ELKS!!

## Winner of Last Week's Challenge Jack Haile

**Brittany Haynes**  
Class of 2005  
Vega vs Stratford  
Dalhart vs Lubbock Estacado  
Memphis vs Quanah  
Groom vs Hedley  
Amarillo High was Palo Duro  
Childress vs Canadian  
Hale Center vs Sundown  
Colorado vs Washington  
Auburn vs Ole Mississippi  
Northwestern vs Rutgers  
Michigan vs Michigan State  
Maryland vs Iowa  
SMU vs Tulane  
Denver vs Arizona  
New England vs Chicago  
Buffalo vs Indianapolis  
Cleveland vs Tampa Bay  
Detroit vs Miami  
Minnesota vs NY Jets  
Tie Breaker Dallas 20 vs Washington 21

## Winner of Last Week's Challenge Jack Haile

**Roger Allen**  
Class 1981  
Vega vs Stratford  
Dalhart vs Lubbock Estacado  
Memphis vs Quanah  
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## 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-4<sup>th</sup> Thursday-  
12 noon (covered dish  
Luncheon)

**A fund has been set up at First State Bank for Joan Palmer's Medical Expenses. Checks can be made out to Joan Palmer's Medical Fund**



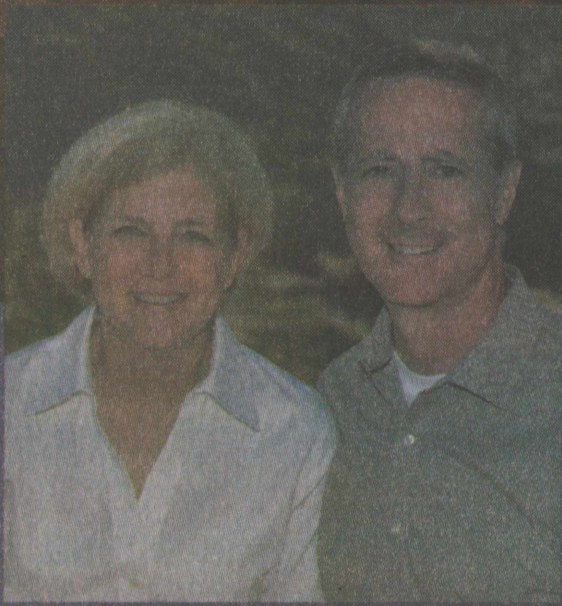
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