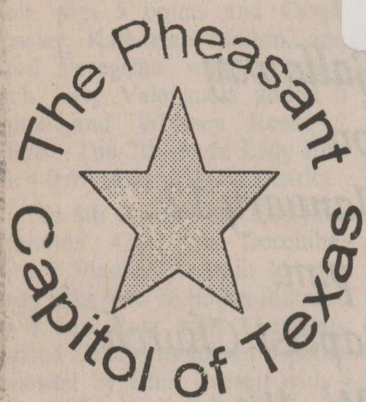


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## Panhandle Tourism & Marketing Council In Stratford-January 3

The PTMC held a lunch meeting at the Imagination Station, Friday, January 3. Thirty eight members from the top 26 counties met to share a program by Erin Kerley, Tourism Development Specialist from Austin. Sherman County Judge Kim Crippen welcomed the council to Sherman County followed by a welcome to Stratford by Councilman B.A. Donelson. Susie Spurlock informed the meeting of the Texas Friendly Training Workshop to be held Feb. 4 sponsored by the Extension Service. During the lunch, Gaynelle Riffe gave a welcome, short history and future plans for the Imagination Station and a report on Stratford Transportation future with the Main Street Enhancement, SPIRIT Hwy 54 and Ports-to-Plains. Lorilee Cooley, Pampa entertained the group with her autoharp.

### Stratford Jamboree-Ex-Student Reunion Meeting

Stratford Jamboree-Ex-student Reunion meeting will be held at 5 p.m. Thursday January 9th at the Courthouse.

### SCDC Annual Membership Meeting

The Sherman County Development Committee will be holding their Annual Membership Meeting on Friday, January 17, 2003. It will be held at the County Barn, beginning at 11:45 a.m. We will be having hamburgers for lunch and have invited a guest speaker. Watch next week's paper for further details. We hope you will come and join us.

**In Concert**  
Kay Ann Cockrell, Soprano  
and Misty Dawn Viner,  
Alto  
First Christian Church  
Stratford, TX  
Thursday, January 16th  
at  
7:30 p.m.  
Free Will Donation

### Sherman County Livestock Show Schedule Sherman County Exhibit Building Stratford, TX

#### Sunday - Tuesday, January 19 - 21

Bring cattle into the barn.

#### Wednesday, January 22

Bring all animals into the barn.

#### Thursday, January 23

All animals in place by 4:00 p.m.

Weigh in goats, lambs, steers, and swine.

In this order.

#### Friday, January 24

9:00 a.m. Judging of Swine

Showmanship of Swine

Judging of Lambs

Showmanship of Lambs

Afternoon (Not before 1:00 p.m.) -

Livestock Judging Contest

#### Saturday, January 25

9:00 a.m. Judging of Goats

Showmanship of Goats

Judging of Steers

Judging of Heifers

Cattle Showmanship

1:00 p.m. Premium Sale - Order:

Swine, Lambs, Goats, Steers

#### Sunday, January 26

1:00 p.m. Exhibit and Animal Barn Clean-up

### Annual Stockholder's Meeting

Stratford Country Club  
Annual Stockholder's Meeting  
Saturday, January 18, at 7:00 p.m.

### 4-H To Host Concession

Sherman County 4-H will be sponsoring the concession at the annual Livestock Show and Sale January 23-25th. Families have the opportunity to come by the County Extension Office before January 10 to sign up for their choice of food and work assignment.

### Entry Cards Can Be Picked Up

All Sherman County 4-H members may pick up their entry cards at any time at the Sherman County Extension Office. Entries and entry fees are due to the extension office by Monday, January 13, 2003. Entry fees are \$18 for the first entry and \$10 for each additional entry per exhibitor. Entry fees double after January 13 and no entries will be accepted after January 20, 2003. Each exhibitor may enter 2 animals in each department. Only cattle are allowed into the county barns before Wednesday, January 22, 2003. For any questions regarding the livestock show please contact Leslie Neve at (806) 366-2081.

### 4-H Clothing & Textile Project Meeting

Sherman County 4-H members in Stratford are invited to a Clothing and Textiles Project kickoff meeting on Wednesday, January 15th. The meeting will be held at the County Exhibit Building in Stratford at 3:30 p.m.

At the meeting, youth and parents will learn what the project work is, learning experiences to be conducted during late January and February and the achievement events County Fashion Show, Fabric and Fashion Design and Stage Design.

Parents are encouraged to attend and adults who would like to assist with this project are also invited. For more information, contact the Susie Spurlock County Extension Agent-Family & Consumer Sciences at 366-2122.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Cooperative Extension are open to all persons regardless of socioeconomic level, color, sex, religion, disability, or national origin.

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The one duty we owe to history is to rewrite it.  
—Oscar Wilde

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A breakfast without a newspaper is a horse without a saddle.  
—Will Rogers

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Learn to listen. Opportunity may be knocking softly.  
—Frank Tyger

### Crimestoppers Update

Sherman County Crimestoppers needs your help with two felony crimes. Please remember that the Crimestoppers telephone number, 366-TIPS, goes to an answering machine to protect your identity. You must leave a call back number and code name so that we can contact you. If you need to contact a person call the Sheriff's Office at 366-5551 or the Police Dept. at 366-3051.

On the evening of Dec. 20, 2002 person or persons unknown vandalized (keyed) a black Tahoe that was parked in front of the school. The crime occurred during the Stratford vs. Texhoma basketball game. This would have place it after 5 p.m. and before 9:30 p.m.

If you have any information regarding the persons responsible for the above listed crimes or any other felony crimes please contact Sherman Co. Crimestoppers answering machine 806-366-TIPS (8477), the Sherman Co. Sheriff's Office or the Stratford Police Dept. Crimestoppers will pay up to \$1,000.00 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the persons involved.

### Texas Heritage Theme of Study Club Meeting

Texas Heritage is the theme for GFWC/Prospectus Study Club when they have their first meeting of 2003 on Jan. 8, 4:30 p.m. at Sherman County Library.

Program coordinator is Liz Sanders. There will be a roundtable discussion of Sherman County Old Timer Queens, local historical women. She will be assisted by Betty Brown, Barbara Chumley, Margaret Reed and Patti Vincent.

Members are to name a historical Sherman County woman when they answer roll call.

### Bids To Be Accepted On Trailer

Stratford FFA Agriculture Mechanics classes have used their opportunities to learn by transferring their knowledge, skills, and technologies in building a 6 x 10 flat bed trailer with a recessed floor and slide-in ramp. Skills learned have been in the areas of oxy-fuel and plasma cutting technology, calculating building material, lay out, use of wire welding, electrical wiring, use of primer and paint technology.

The Ag Department plans to sell this trailer using sealed bid with a minimum bid to start at \$1,100, which will cover the cost of materials and allow the Ag Dept. to replace the money back into the Ag budget. This will enable them to buy needed material for various projects throughout the year.

The trailer may be seen at the school.

(Spec) 6' x 10' trailer  
3500 lb. axles  
2" x 3" x 1/4 rectangle tubing  
3" x 1 1/2 x 1/4 rectangle tube  
15" 225 steel radial tires  
4' x 5' slide in ramp  
2" x 6" treated wood floor.

Bids will be sent to the Superintendent office and winning bid will be opened Jan. 23rd at 1:00 p.m. 2003 at the Sherman Co. Livestock Show.

### First Ag Credit Declares \$4.7 Million Cash Dividend

First Ag Credit, Farm Credit Services board of directors declared a \$4.7 million cash patronage dividend at their December meeting based on 2002 earnings. The patronage dividend will reduce most customers' net cost of borrowing by approximately 70 basis points, or almost three-quarters of a percent.

This is the fifth consecutive year that over 6,500 First Ag Credit Stockholders will receive a cash dividend from their agricultural financing cooperative. Members will receive their checks in early spring.

Since January 1997, the association has returned nearly \$30 million in cash to its customers. Keith Vandivere, chairman of the board from Brownfield said the refund is an indication of the financial strength of the organization as well as "the dedication we have to our stockholders."

Terry Dane, CEO of First Ag Credit said, "We are pleased that once again we are able to return a substantial cash patronage dividend to our stockholders. First Ag Credit had another good year in 2002 and we want to share earnings with our members."

First Ag Credit, FCS has almost \$900 million in total assets and serves 113 counties in Texas with 37 offices conveniently located throughout its territory.

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Force has no place where there is need of skill.  
—Herodotus

### Identification Of Kindergarten Gifted-Talented Students

### Identificacion de Estudiantes Talentosos del Jardin de Infancia

There will be a meeting on January 9, 2003 at 7:30 p.m. in the Mary Allen Elementary Library to discuss the identification of Gifted-Talented Kindergarten students.

We will discuss characteristics of gifted and talented young children. We will also talk about the nomination process. (Nomination of students in grades 1-11 will be at a later date.)

The Gifted and Talented program is for students with above-average potential in academic and creative-productive thinking skills. It is designed to challenge students to accelerate above and beyond the regular school curriculum.

Anyone wishing to nominate a kindergarten student believed to be an intellectually or creatively gifted learner is encouraged to go to the principal's office and complete a nomination form. The deadline for nomination forms is January 15, 2003.

Those students nominated will then go through a screening procedure that requires special testing. Parents will be requested to grant permission for the testing.

State guidelines mandate funding for no more than 5% of the average daily attendance.

For further information, contact Kathie Altman, G-T Coordinator, at 366-3340.

\*Babysitting will be provided.  
\*There will also be a translator present.

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We owe our children a set of good habits.  
—George Herbert Betts

### Sunflower Irrigation Workshop January 7th

Sunflower irrigators in the Texas Panhandle will receive tips on optimizing irrigation and water use efficiency for sunflower in a workshop sponsored by National Sunflower Association. The event takes place 4:30-7:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 7, at the Seward County Fairgrounds Activity Center in Liberal, Kansas. NSA is also sponsoring a complimentary meal at 7:30 p.m. The workshop is designed to help irrigators increase profits and reduce risks growing sunflower. Results and recommendations reflect Kansas State and Texas A&M research. The meeting is partially funded by the USDA Risk Management Agency. The workshop and training materials are free if participants register online through January 4th at <https://www.sunflowernsa.com/new/index.asp>, otherwise there is a \$20 fee at the door. If driving to Liberal, take U.S. 54 to the first stop light, turn left (north) on Western Ave. to West 8th Street, turn left driving to the stop sign, then proceed to the Activity Center. For more information, contact the National Sunflower Association toll-free at 1-888-718-7033, or Calvin Trostle, Texas Cooperative Extension agronomist, Lubbock, at 806-746-6101.

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A wrong reason is worse than no reason at all.  
—G.E. Lessing

Habra una reunion el dia 9 de enero de 2003 a las 7:30 de la tarde en la biblioteca de la Mary Allen Elemental para discutir la identificacion de estudiantes Talentosos del Jardin de Infancia.

Discutiremos caracteristicas de ninos jovenes talentosos. Hablaremos tambien acerca del proceso de nominacion. (Nominacion de estudiantes en grados 1-11 se discutira en una fecha mas tarde.)

El programa Talentoso es para estudiantes con potencia academicas arriba mediano y creaciones productivas en habilidades pensativas. Esta disenado para desafiar astudiantes acelerar mucho mas alla del plan regular de la escuela.

Cualquiera que tenga desco de nombrar a un estudiante del Jardin de Infancia creido ser un estudiante intelectual o creativamente talentoso es alentado a ir a la oficina del director y completar una forma de nominacion. El ultimo dia para entregar formas de nominacion es el 15 de enero de 2003.

Esos estudiantes nombrados entonces atravesaran una seleccion de procedimiento que requiere examen especial. Los padres seran solicitados para otorgar el permiso para el examen.

Directivas estatales proporcionan fondos no mas de 5% promedio de asistencia diaria. Para informacion adicional, contacte a Kathie Altman, Coordinadora de G-T, al numero 366-3340.

\*Habra cuidado de nino.  
\*Tambien habra interprete.



### Vows Exchanged

Tai Ann Brownlee and Paul McClendon, both of Lubbock, were married Saturday, Jan. 4, 2003, at 6:00 p.m. at Aldersgate United Methodist Church in Lubbock. The Rev. Scott Latham officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Brenda and Mike Brownlee of Stratford. Grandparents of the bride are Avin and Ora Mae Brownlee of Dumas, who attended the wedding, and the late Bill and Elizabeth Brady.

Parents of the groom are Jenny and Phil McClendon of Lubbock. Grandparents of the groom are Ray and Fran Orson of Lamesa, who attended the wedding, and the late Morris and Ruby McClendon.

The bride selected a breathtaking Matte satin gown in white from the Ashley Jordan bridal collection by Impressions. The sweetheart strapless gown featured cording applied directly to the gown, creating a lace-like appearance. The neckline and basque waistline were finished in satin piping, wrapped in white cording. The two-piece gown had an a-line ball gown skirt with a cathedral train. The cording was applied to the front of the dress and tapered down towards the sides to create a border around the hem. The cording was worked all over the train, creating a dramatic back view. Small crystal sequins and pearl beading applied within the cording gave sparkle and dimension to the design.

Matron of honor was Kara Britton of Lubbock, sister of the bride. Bridal attendants were Joy Burkhalter, Brooke Vaughn, Abby Marcum, Amy Abriegg and Sarah Stevens.

Bestman was Mark McClendon, of Lubbock, brother of the groom. Groom's attendants were Peter Abriegg, Eric Weatherman, Nick Williams, Jay Leeson and Chris Thompson.

Flower girls were Audrey Orson of Lubbock and Landry Davis of Stratford. Ring bearers were Noah Latham and Jonah Latham, both of Lubbock. Ushers were David Hunsaker, Bryan Stevens, Chris Britton, Josh Norvell, Jeff Lyles and Kyler Barkley.

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Govern a family as you would cook a small fish—very gently.  
—Chinese proverb  
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### Kerrick News

By Marylou McDaniel

Ted & Joyce Irlbeck had a great Christmas holiday that lasted from Christmas day through New Year's day! They flew to Detroit along with Jim, Belinda and Nathan Roberts to see Tracie & Kishor Shrestha and their children, Naomi and Michael. It was the first time for them to see baby Michael.

They all went across to Niagara Falls for two days. Enjoyed seeing the Detroit Pistons and Portland Trail Blazers play.

Attending the Trans Siberian Symphony recently were Jo June McDaniel, Ann & Teresa Wells, Ann Burton and Kathy Altman.

Brenda Taylor headed home to Denver in the snow storm New Year's Day.

Nita Taylor was in Amarillo Tuesday for some more tests. Daughter Linda Keener accompanied her.

Donna Gillenwaters was with grandchildren at Moreland, OK, Friday - Sunday. Bili & Donna spent New Year's Eve at Bud & Frankie Shields. Also present were Jo June McDaniel and Paul Aduddell.

Terry & Barbara Schoonover spent New Year's Eve with Brad & Sheryl Grice and others in Dalhart.

### Scot News

By Jack Gore

Scot started the new year by playing Bingo last Thursday. Scot will start some new and promote some old ideas. Scot will start being open at 9 a.m. for your indoor walking activity which will help you stay slim and trim. Coffee shop will be available for Scot members and their guest at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Also on Monday-Wednesday-Thursday at 4:30 will be the exercise class that you can participate at your own speed.

We are starting 2003 with approximately 77 members which is lower than ever before. We need your support for both new members and new ideas.

New membership list, hostess, and new Board of Directors list are available if you care to have a copy. Pick one up in the office.

Some changes will be taking place, so come by Scot Hall and see if you like or don't like it.

Dance practice to start again Monday, January 13-7 p.m. Everyone welcomed.

You're Invited  
to a  
90th Birthday Celebration  
for  
Lillie Galloway  
on  
Sunday, January 12  
2-4 p.m.  
at Sunray Baptist Church  
313 W. 4th  
(no gifts please)

### Cards of Thanks

Our family would like to give a sincere thank you to all who shared in our sorrow for the loss of our husband and father, Oscar Boeza. We appreciate the food, flowers, money given to the memorial, and most of all for the prayers. Oscar touched many lives as was apparent in the outpouring of love that was shown to us. He will be greatly missed but we are comforted in knowing that he is at peace now with his Heavenly Father. Your kindness to us will always be remembered.

Paula Boeza  
Eneid Mendoza  
Oscar Boeza, Jr.  
Erika Soto  
Dario Garza Family  
Lorenzo Fierro Family  
Jamie Garza Family

Nuestra familia quisiera dar una sincera gracias a todos quien compartio en nuestra tristeza por la perdida de nuestra esposa y padre, Oscar Boeza. Agradecemos la comida, flores, dinero dado a las fondos memoriales, y mas que nada sus rezos. Oscar afecto muchas vidas, eso se ve en todo el amor que nos demostraron. El sera muy extraño pero estamos consoladas en saber que el está en paz ahora y con su Padre Celestial. Su compasion siemore sera recordada.

Paula Boeza  
Eneid Mendoza  
Oscar Boeza, Jr.  
Erika Soto  
Dario Garza Family  
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Jamie Garza Family

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**First Assembly of God**  
Terry Callis, Pastor  
921 Fulton  
Sunday School 9:45 am  
Morning Worship 10:45 am  
Evening Worship 6:00 pm  
Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm  
**First Christian**  
Rev. Bob Sweeten  
5th & Main  
Sunday Coffee Fellowship 9:00 am  
Sunday School 9:45 am  
Morning Worship 10:45 am  
No Sunday Evening Worship  
Wed., Adult Choir 8:00 pm  
**First United Methodist**  
Rev. Mark Metzger  
520 N. Main  
Sunday School 9:40 am  
Morning Worship 10:50 am  
Junior High UMY 5:30 pm  
Senior High UMY 6:00 pm  
5:00 pm Cable Ch. 3 for  
Morning Worship Service - Ev. worship - 7:00  
**St. Joseph Catholic**

6th & Pearl  
Rectory - 366 - 5687  
Sunday morning: 8:30a.m. (English), 10:30 a.m. (Spanish)  
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Before Mass.  
Christian Formation Classes: K-6th Grade, Sun. - 9:00 a.m. - Jr. & Sr. High, Wed. - 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
**Church of Christ**  
Larry Evans  
N. 3rd & Chestnut  
Sunday School 9:30 am  
Morning Worship 10:30 am  
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

**Calvary Baptist**  
James Washburn  
302 S. Main - 806-396-5335 lv. message  
Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wed. Service - 7:30 p.m.

**First Baptist**  
Brent Farney  
702 N. 3rd  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.  
Church Training 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

**La Mision Bautista**  
Mision Bautista  
401 S. Wall 396-5376  
Domingo-(Sunday)  
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Servicio De Adoracion 11:00 am Estudio Biblico &  
Servicio De Oracion 6:00 pm Se Cuidamos  
Servicio De Adoracion 6:00 pm  
Sushinos Durante El Servicio.

**The Churches of Stratford Welcome You**

**The End of All Things is At Hand**  
To say we live in a materialistic society is putting it mildly. Our chief objective in life is to build financial security. And that not only means putting away a sizable nest egg, it means having a home paid for and possibly a second retirement home. And it means having the freedom to travel and enjoy the good things of this life. But Jesus Christ asks, "What will a man be profited, if he gains the whole world, and forfeits his soul? Or what will a man give in exchange for his soul?" (Matthew 16:26). The point is that you may work hard all your life and assure the financial security of yourself and your family. But you may also loose your soul. Neglecting spiritual things in favor of making a good living will lead to just that. Not only so, you will loose all you have worked for. After all, you know, you can't take it with you. But here is the real irony. If in the end you humble yourself and trust Christ as the one who has paid the penalty due to you for your sins, you will not loose your soul. In addition you will inherit more than you could have ever dreamed. You see, according to God's promise, "we are looking for new heavens and a new earth in which righteousness dwells" (2 Peter 3:13). On that new earth "There shall no longer be any death; there shall no longer be any mourning, or crying or pain" (Revelation 21:4). And if you humble yourself before God, you will experience this new earth. For the promise is, "Blessed are the humble for they shall inherit the earth" (Matthew 5:5). Are you heading in the direction of loosing your soul and everything else? Then you need to change your priorities.

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Meir Co Les Serv De Ador 5 p.m.  
**Kerrick Community Church**  
Pastor Roy Harris  
Community Building  
Sunday Morning - 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening-6:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting - 7:00 p.m. Wednesday

# Elk & Lady Elk Basketball

The 7th Grade Lady Elks beat Texhoma 28-6 on December 16th. Jordan Confer led the Lady Elks with 6 points followed by Kelsey Stein with 5 points and Cassie Beasley, Katherine Melton, and April Peregrino with 4 points each. Ivy Valenzuela added 3 points and Whitney Reese 2 points. The 7th grade Lady Elks are 4-0 overall and 3-0 in District.

The 8th Grade Lady Elks beat Texhoma 42-22 on December 16th. Shadley Audrain led the Lady Elks with 16 points followed by Krista Reta with 11 points. Juliana Taliaferro scored 6 points followed by Rhia Everett with 4 points, Candie Bell 3 points and Kayla Melton 2 points. The 8th Grade Lady Elks are 5-0 overall and 4-0 in District.

The J.V. Lady Elks lost 32-40 to Perryton on December 31st. Katelyn Reed led the Lady Elks with 18 points followed by Kayla Robertson and Chelsi Thiessen with 4 points each. Brittany Hudson added 3 points, Katy Bench 2 points and Heather Seiler 1 point. The J.V. Lady Elk beat White Deer 35-25 in the District opener on Friday, January 3, 2002. Katelyn Reed was high point with 21 points followed by Brittany Hudson with 5 points and Kayla Robertson with 4 points. Chelsi Thiessen added 3 points followed by Cassi Garza and Heather Robertson with 1 point each. The J.V. Lady Elks are 5-7 overall and 1-0 in District.

The Varsity Lady Elks played in the Canadian Tournament on December 27th and 28th. Named all tournament for the girls was Alisha Sladek. In their 1st game, they beat San Jacinto 34-29. Deidre Tarver led the Lady Elks with 9 points followed by Yadira Ortega with 8 points and Alisha Sladek with 7 points. Amber Larance added 6 points and Amie Witcher 4 points. In their 2nd game, they lost 34-46 to Canadian. Alisha Sladek was high point with 12 points followed by Erin Ashley with 6 points and Yadira Ortega with 5 points. Amie Witcher added 4 points, Deidre Tarver 3 points, and Tiffany Duke and Allison Baskin 2 points each. In their final game, they lost 50-57 to Shamrock. Yadira Ortega was high point with 11 points followed by Alisha Sladek with 10 points and Amber Larance and Amie Witcher with 9 points each. Erin Ashley added 6 points, Deidre Tarver 3 points and Lindsay Stein 2 points. On December 31st, the Lady Elks lost to Perryton 43-59. Amie Witcher was high point with 12 points followed by Yadira Ortega with 11 points. Scoring 4 points each were Alisha Sladek, Amber Larance, Erin Ashley, Allison Baskin and Deidre Tarver. The Lady Elks won their District opener against White Deer 52-41 on Friday, January 3rd. Alisha Sladek led the Lady Elks with 13 points followed by Erin Ashley and Yadira Ortega with 10 points each. Deidre Tarver added 6

points followed by Amber Larance with 5 points, Amie Witcher 4 points, and Tiffany Duke and Allison Baskin 2 points each. The Varsity Lady Elks are 7-11 overall and 1-0 District.

The Varsity Elks won 3rd place in the Canadian Tournament held December 27th and 28th. Named all-tournament for the boys was Josh King. In their 1st game, they beat San Jacinto 65-53. Jason Ashley led the Elks with 18 points followed by Chris Ortega with 12 points and Josh King with 10 points. Tyler Haynes added 8 points, Dalton Sladek 5 points, Dylan Everett 4 points, Matthew Taliaferro and Rafael Rueda 3 points each and Travis Soto 2 points. In their 2nd game, they lost 33-61 to Perryton. Dalton Sladek and Jason Ashley were high point with 8 points each followed by Tyler Haynes with 6 points and Chris Ortega with 4 points. Josh King added 3 points and Travis Soto and Rafael Rueda 2 points each. In their final game, they beat Wellington 64-56. Jason Ashley was high point with 15 points followed by Josh King with 13 points and Chris Ortega and Tyler Haynes with 10 points each. Also scoring were Dalton Sladek with 6 points, Matthew Taliaferro 4 points, Travis Soto 3 points, and Brady Bell 2 points. On December 31st, the Elk lost 32-52 to Perryton. Tyler Haynes led the Elks with 8 points followed by Jason Ashley with 7 points. Scoring 4 points each were Chris

Ortega, Josh King, and Travis Soto. Dylan Everett added 3 points and Asbel Gomez 2 points. The Elks lost their District opener to White Deer on Friday, January 3rd 40-42. Cass Melton led the Elks with 16 points followed by Jason Ashley with 11 points and Chris Ortega with 8 points. Travis Soto and Dylan Everett added 2 points each and Josh King 1 point.



Lake Baikal in Siberia, Russia is the deepest lake in the world. Its deepest part measures 5,371 feet—slightly more than one mile.



Prior to the creation of the "A.D." designation, Roman calendar years were followed by A.U.C., from the Latin *ab urbe condita*, "from the founding of the city."

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Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown.

—William Shakespeare, Henry IV, Part 2

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It's finally here  
Gan's turning eighty  
This very year!  
So come to greet  
Her with hugs and kisses  
And bring for her  
Happy Birthday Wishes!  
\*Gan's Birthday Party  
Saturday, January 11  
2:00-4:00 p.m.  
First United Methodist Church  
Stratford, Texas  
Cards only, please  
\*Ramona Spurlock

## Free Computer Classes Offered to Community in January

The Stratford Community Area Network will be offering computer classes throughout the year. Please don't pass up the opportunity for valuable free training. Regardless of your skill level, please take a couple of hours out of the week and learn new computer expertise. The following computer classes will be offered to the community free of charge in January. Please call 366-3336 to pre-register. If you forget to pre-register, that is not a problem. There is always room for one more student.

Thursday, January 9, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Art Department - Hands on PhotoShop - Cindy Russell  
Video Teleconferencing Classroom - Using Email & the Internet - Shanda Davis  
Library Computer Lab - Making the Most of Windows - Linda Young  
Room 13 - Using a Scanner & Digital Camera - Tami King

Thursday, January 9, 7:00-9:00

Art Department - Hands on PhotoshOp - Cindy Russell  
Library Computer Lab - Using MS FrontPage - Linda Young  
Room 13 - Creating a Digital Slide Show - Tami King  
Video Teleconferencing Classroom - Using PrintShop - Shanda Davis

Saturday, January 11, 10:00-12:00

Library Computer Lab - Making the Most of Windows - Linda Young  
Room 13 - Using Email and the Internet - Shanda Davis

Saturday, January 11, 1:00-3:00

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Room 13 - Using Printshop - Shanda Davis

Monday, January 13, 5:00-7:00

Room 13 - Using a Scanner & Digital Camera - Tami King

Monday, January 13, 7:00-9:00

Room 13 - Creating a Digital Slide Show Tami King

Thursday, January 16, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Art Department - Hands on PhotoShop - Cindy Russell  
Room 13 - Using Email & the Internet - Shanda Davis  
Library Computer Lab - Making the Most of Windows - Linda Young

Thursday, January 16, 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Art Department - Hands on PhotoshOp - Cindy Russell  
Library Computer Lab - Using MS FrontPage - Linda Young  
Room 13 - Using PrintShop - Shanda Davis

Saturday, January 18, 10:00-12:00

Room 13 - Using MS Word - Tami King  
Art Department - Hands on PhotoshOp - Cindy Russell  
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Saturday, January 18, 1:00-3:00

Art Department - Hands on PhotoshOp - Cindy Russell  
Library Computer Lab - Making the Most of Windows - Linda Young  
Room 13 - Using MS Word - Tami King  
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Monday, January 20, 5:00-7:00

Room 13 - Using a Scanner & Digital Camera - Tami King

Monday, January 20, 7:00-9:00

Room 13 - Using MS Word - Tami King

Thursday, January 23, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Art Department - Hands on PhotoshOp - Cindy Russell  
Room 13 - Basic Microsoft Word - Shanda Davis  
Library Computer Lab - Making the Most of Windows - Linda Young

Thursday, January 23, 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Art Department - Hands on PhotoshOp - Cindy Russell  
Library Computer Lab - Creating a Digital Slide Show - Linda Young  
Room 13 - Using PrintShop - Shanda Davis

Monday, January 27, 5:00pm - 7:00 pm

Room 13 - Using a Scanner & Digital Camera - Tami King

Monday, January 27, 7:00 pm-9:00 pm

Room 13 - Using MS Word - Tami King

Thursday, January 30, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Art Department - Hands on PhotoshOp - Cindy Russell  
Library Computer Lab - Making the Most of Windows - Linda Young  
Room 13 - Basic MS Word - Shanda Davis

Thursday, January 30, 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Art Department - Hands on PhotoshOp - Cindy Russell  
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## Books Worth Reading

### Keeping The Faith

(NAPS)—Three informative books may help readers who are searching for meaning in their lives or readers who want new insights into the world's religions.

**Religion For Dummies** (Wiley, \$21.99), written by Monsignor Thomas Hartman and Rabbi Marc Gellman, who are known as the God Squad, explain how the world's great religions deal with subjects such as why we are here, how we should live, what happens after we die and why evil exists.

**Judaism For Dummies** (Wiley, \$21.99), written by Rabbi Ted Falcon, Ph.D. and David Blatner, is described as a fun, comprehensive guide to everything Jewish. The book is an open-minded exploration of Jewish practice and spirituality from many different perspectives.

**Spirituality For Dummies** (Wiley, \$21.99) is a down-to-earth guide about the often elusive subject of spirituality. This entertaining, yet profound guide can be an easy way to learn about spiritual practices such as meditation and prayer. The guide is written by Sharon Janis, a writer, spiritualist and award-winning editor and producer.

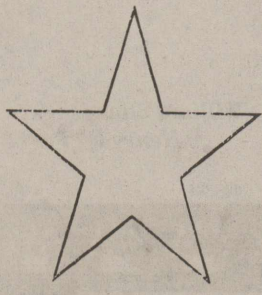
Available wherever books are sold. For more information, visit [www.dummies.com](http://www.dummies.com).

### CORN AND PEPPERONI SKILLET DINNER

- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 4 ears fresh Supersweet Corn, cut crosswise in 1½-inch cobs
- 3 medium-sized zucchini, sliced
- 6 green onions (scallions), cut in 1-inch pieces
- 4 ounces thinly sliced pepperoni
- 1 pound plum tomatoes, cut in wedges
- 1 teaspoon Italian seasoning
- ¼ teaspoon salt

In one or two skillets, heat oil. Add corn, zucchini, green onions and pepperoni. Cook and stir 5 minutes. Add tomatoes, Italian seasoning and salt. Continue cooking until vegetables are tender, about 5 minutes longer. Cover, remove from heat and let stand 5 minutes before serving.  
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Bids should be mailed to the County Judge at P.O. Box 165, Stratford and will be received up to 9:30 a.m., January 13, 2002, at which time they will be opened and considered. Sherman County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Tommy Asher  
Commissioner Prec. #4  
Sherman County, Texas

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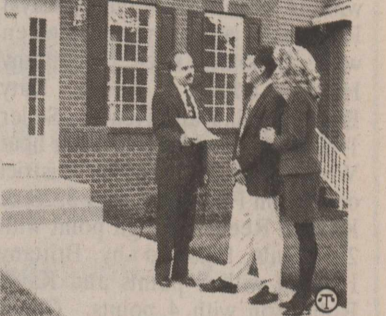
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Jan. 16-18 "The Laramie Project" 7:30 p.m. Branding Iron Theatre, WTAMU 806-651-2881

Jan 16-26 "Brighton Beach Memoirs" Amarillo Little Theatre 806-355-9991

Jan. 25 Amarillo Symphony Wu Man, pipa (Chinese Flute) Amarillo Civic Auditorium 806-376-8782

Jan. 28 Lipizzaner Stallions Amarillo Civic Coliseum 806-378-3096

Jan. 29-30 Broadway Series "SHOCKWAVE" Amarillo Civic Auditorium 806-378-3096

Feb. 14 \*\*\* LaRita Dinner Theatre and Lone Star Ballet Dalhart Community LaRita Theatre 244-5646

Feb. 12-15, Sun. 16 "Company" 7:30 p.m. [16-3:00] Branding Iron Theatre WTAMU 806-651-2881

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