

Grand Opening

Star of Texas RV Park held their Grand Opening on Friday, March 7th, 2014. They are located at 5680 Texas Highway. Shown above left to right are Catherine Smith, Sue Haile, Mark Marrs (Interstate Bank of Amarillo) Jack Haile, Gary Smith, Barbara Haile and Clyde Jenkins USDA Amarillo, TX. Shown at left are Barbara Haile, P.J. Pronger, Jack Haile, Sue Haile and David Dickerson. Pronger and Dickerson are with WTAMU SBC. Congratulations to the Haile's for putting an RV park in our community, Good luck and glad you are here.



Grand Opening

Wild Child Nails & Spa and Ward's Barber Shop had their grand opening on Monday March 10th, 2014. They are located at 309 N. Main-366 NAIL. Shown at left are left to right Becky Lowe, Gary Lowe, John Ward, Allissa Palmer, April Palmer and Maren Figer. Good Luck and We welcome the new business in Stratford

What's Happening In Stratford

Depression Supper

Fundraiser at SCOT HALL. Good food & Entertainment Friday, March 28th, 6:30 p.m.

Fundraiser for Stratford Fire Dept.

Coming in the Spring 2014. Sunday, April 6, 2014. 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Location- Stratford Fire Department.

Hamburger Feed New date

Boys State & Girls State Hamburger Fundraiser will be held on Sunday, March 30, 2014 at the Sherman County Barn. 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Free Will Donation. Proceeds go to help with the costs of sending the Boys and Girls State Representative to the programs in Austin and Sequin this summer. Everyone is invited.

Sherman County Public Library hours

Monday-9 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday-9 a.m. 6 p.m.
Fridays-9 a.m. 1 p.m.

Address for Donna Gillenwaters

If you would like to send a card to Donna Gillenwaters, you can send it to Jimmy Gillenwaters, PO Box 437, Bushland, TX 79012 and he will get the cards to her.

Power of the Purse

Laura Bush Institute for Women's Health will host the 4th annual "Power of the Purse" luncheon and purse auction, April 17, 2014 at the Amarillo Civic Center. The keynote speaker will be Mrs. Ree Drummond; *The Pioneer Woman Cooks*.

This year's funding will support research, outreach, and educational programs to enhance Gender-Specific medicine and health care to enhance Women's Health.

For additional information, contact LWBIWH, Angela Knapp Eggers, 806-368-4617 Ext 271

A Jim Owen Everson Memorial fund has been set up at Happy State Banks anywhere in Texas.

FIRE CAUTION!

We are not currently under a **BURN BAN**, but Sherman County is asking for everyone's cooperation in preventing fires. We are asking that you use caution with any fire. Please monitor any fires and make sure fire is completely extinguished before leaving the area.

Medical/Expense Fund has been set up for Salma Iliana Ortega Aguilera at First State Bank. Salma is a 6 year old daughter of Sarah D. Ortega and sister of Baruc, Vinny and Lui. Salma will be undergoing brain surgery in the near future and will be out in Dallas for 2 months during that time. We ask for many prayers as the family is undergoing tough times but also want to thank you all for the words of strength, prayers and help received from this wonderful Stratford Community. Words cannot express the true gratitude we feel towards the great people of Stratford and what they have done for Salma and the entire family. May God bless all of you and we thank you in advance for your help.



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American Legion Boys State and Girls State Delegates Selected

The Howard Norvell Green Post 262 of the American Legion proudly announces the selection of Chisum Rutherford as the Boys State delegate and Jaci Seward as the Girls State delegate for 2014. Chisum is the son of Kenny and Rhonda Rutherford and Jaci is the daughter of Clint and Cindy Seward. Chisum will attend the Boys State program at the University of Texas at Austin, 8-13 June 2014. Jaci will attend the Girls State Bluebonnet Program at Texas Lutheran University at Seguin, 15-21 June, 2014.

Boys State is a week long program conducted at the University of Texas at Austin. The programs' objectives are to develop civic leadership and pride in American leadership, to develop a keen interest in government, to develop in young citizens of Boys state a full understanding of our American traditions and belief in the United States of America, to develop in the young citizens a determination to maintain our form of government and to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state, and nation and finally, to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy.

The Girls State program is also a week in duration conducted on the campus of Texas Lutheran University at Seguin. This program is sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary. The mythical 51st state is learn-by-doing which introduces city, county, and state government to the participants, as well as involves them in political parties and legislative sessions. The citizens of Girls State have opportunities to run for office, author legislation, and vote. This program is designed to educate our leaders of tomorrow in the duties, privileges, rights, and responsibilities of citizenship. These young women are guided by an outstanding staff of former Girls State citizens and American Legion Auxiliary members.

There will be a Hamburger Fundraiser to help defray the expenses of attending these programs for these two fine young people on Sunday, March 30, 2014 at the Sherman County Barn. Serving times are from 11:30 am - 1:30 pm. Free will donations are appreciated. Everyone in the community is invited to attend.

Landscaping in The Panhandle

Saturday March 22-9:00 12:00-\$20

One of the BEST ways to permanently reduce our need for water is to transform our grass lawns into beautiful landscapes. We can achieve less water usage by utilizing very attractive drought tolerant plants, reducing water runoff, attracting various animals like birds and butterflies, and by requiring minimal maintenance. Learn how by attending this course.

This class will provide an overview of Texas friendly landscapes, selecting drought tolerant plants, designing your landscape, landscape planning to enhance the value and architecture of your home, and using stone and pavers in your landscape.

This class will be taught by Jonathan Gill. Originally from Maui, Hawaii, Jonathan owned and operated a landscaping contracting and design business from 2002 to 2011. He holds a Masters of Business Administration from the University of Phoenix and a Bachelor's Degree in Landscape Design and Management from Bellevue University. He recently relocated himself and his family to Dalhart and is employed with Warren Caterpillar.

March 15 is the last day to registers you can register online here:

<http://www.dalhartcarniunityeducation.org/spring-classes.html>

Or in person after spring break at the DISD Administration Building, 701 E. 10th Street

Shooting Match March 28-30

Stratford Rifle & Pistol Club
720 Texas Ave
Stratford, TX 79084



The Stratford Rifle & Pistol Club will be hosting a Shooting Match, March 28-30th. All participants will need to bring their own firearms and target ammo (Small Bore .22 caliber). Sign-up deadline is March 21st. Limited spaces are available. A schedule of events will be sent out on March 23rd. Payment is due at the range on the day of competition.

Competition classes:

Youth Class

- ◆ Ages 6-8 – BB or Air Rifle (\$5)
- ◆ Ages 8-10 – .22 Caliber Rifle - Prone (\$10)
- ◆ Ages 11-13 – .22 Caliber Rifle - Prone, Kneeling, Standing (\$10)
- ◆ Ages 13-18 – .22 Caliber Rifle - Prone, Kneeling, Standing (\$10)

Adult Open Class

- ◆ .22 Caliber Rifle – Standing (\$10)
- ◆ .22 Caliber Pistol (\$10)

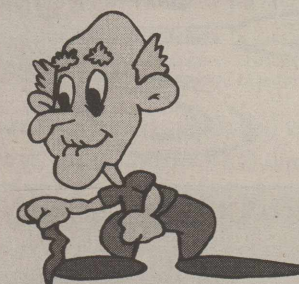
Sponsors & Registration locations:

- ◆ Sissy's Guns & Ammo – 121 Liberal Street – Dalhart, TX
- ◆ Dalhart Pawn – 219 E 7th Street – Dalhart, TX
- ◆ A & I Parts – Dalhart, TX
- ◆ El Rancho & Dumas RV
- ◆ Big R
- ◆ Toot N Totum
- ◆ Stratford Grain

A concession stand will be provided by the Sherman County 4H Sporting Club

Call or Email Larry Sims with any questions
806-930-0588 or StratfordGunClub@yahoo.com

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Johnny Pulliam
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Home

(NU) - Critters like bats, spiders and bees are generally unwelcome pests, no matter what. During cold weather months, many pests attempt to come indoors in search of food, water and shelter.

The National Pest Management Association (NPMA) offers the following tips for pest-proofing your home against unwelcome pests:

- Seal cracks around home.
- Check for gaps under doors.
- Trim brush near house.
- Store firewood away from home.
- Put a cap on the chimney.
- Check eaves for nests/hives.

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Parents of Teens, Do You Know Their GDL?

No, we aren't talking about a cholesterol test here. But, knowing your child's GDL may very well save your child's life. That's because GDL stands for Graduated Driver Licensing. Like all states, including Washington D.C., Texas has a GDL law. This law can help parents set limits on their teen drivers and prevent needless injuries and deaths during this high-risk time when teens are learning to drive.

Motor vehicle crashes continue to be the leading cause of death for teens. Statistics show that teens are most likely to have a crash during the first six months after getting their license, which is primarily due to their inexperience. A recent study by the Texas A&M Transportation Institute (TTI) reports that drivers ages 15 to 17 years old are not only at a disadvantage due to their lack of experience but also due to the incomplete development of the prefrontal cortex of the brain - the part of the brain that helps weigh the consequences of risky behavior. According to the study's author, Russell Henk, this is the last part of the brain to develop. TTI also reports that teens are eight times more likely to be in a fatal crash when they are carrying two or more teen passengers.

The Texas Graduated Driver Licensing law is designed to limit the number of teen passengers that can legally ride with a novice driver and provides parents with the controls to help keep their teen drivers safe. Many parents, however, are not aware of the provisions of this law, which is divided into two phases. Making sure your teen follows the GDL law can help get a teen safely through the most critical time when driver inexperience can lead to crashes.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service agent, Jill Killian reminds parents to follow the rules set out in the Texas Graduated Driver Licensing law.

- Be at least 15 years of age;
- Complete a driver education course;
- Have a learner's license and be accompanied by a licensed driver age 21 or older who occupies the front seat when driving;
- Have 30 hours of supervised driving, with 10 of those hours at night;
- Fulfill a 6-month waiting period after the learner's license is issued for practicing driving with experienced drivers age 21 or older;
- Not use any wireless communication devices, hands-free or not; and
- Wear a seatbelt; it's the law!

During Phase 2 of the GDL, the teen:

- Must be at least 16 years of age (not issued until six months after learner's license is issued, so age varies) and expires on the teen's 18th birthday;
- Will receive a Provisional License, which means the teen can drive solo;
- Cannot operate a motor vehicle with more than one passenger in the vehicle under age 21 who is not a family member;
- Is not permitted to drive between midnight and 5 a.m. unless operation of the vehicle is necessary for the driver to work, to attend or participate in a school-related activity, or due to a medical emergency;
- May not use any wireless communication devices, hands-free or not; and
- Must wear a seatbelt; it's the law!

Research shows that parents play an important role in increasing their teen's driving skills, as they have the greatest influence over their teen's behavior. In fact, leading experts believe parents play a key role in preventing teen car crashes and deaths. Teens with parents who set rules, monitor their driving, and are supportive are half as likely to crash and twice as likely to use seat belts as teens with less involved parents.

So, spell out the rules! Go to <http://www.cdc.gov/ParentsAreTheKey/agreement> to see sample agreements between parents and teens. Parents need to know their teen's GDL and enforce the rules to save lives and prevent injuries!

Educational programs of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service are open to all people without regard to race, color, sex, religion, national origin, age, disability, genetic information or veteran status.

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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

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

First United Methodist
Rev. Steve Ulrey 396-2178
520 N. Main
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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Junior & Senior High UMY 6:00 p.m.

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6th & Pearl
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Sunday morning 8:00 a.m. (English) 9:30 (Spanish)
Sacrament of Reconciliation Before Mass or t.
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Jr. & Sr. High. Wed. 6:30-8:30 p.m.

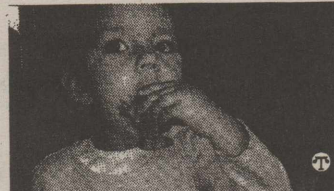
First Baptist Church
Pastor Ron Whitt
702 N. 3rd
Sun.-Coffee 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Wed. Children 6 p.m. youth 7 p.m.

HEALTH NEWS & NOTES

Flu-Fighting Facts For Parents

(NAPS)—Did you know that over 200,000 people in the U.S. are hospitalized each year for illnesses related to the flu, and that the virus kills about 36,000 people each year?

Children are more susceptible to the flu, and once they catch the influenza virus, it can spread like wildfire. To help stop the spread of the flu in the home, parents can take four simple steps:



Parents can keep the playroom from becoming a playland for the influenza virus.

- 1.) Clean: Wipe down hard surfaces, including toys, counters, toilets and sinks with a household cleaning agent, such as Lysol, to rid them of germs.
- 2.) Dry: Allow surfaces ample time to dry completely before disinfecting them.
- 3.) Disinfect: Once a toy is clean and dry, apply a disinfectant to rid the surface of bacteria and viruses. But make sure to carefully read a product's label for instructions. Bleach is only effective if diluted properly with water.
- 4.) Remember: Use these tactics for all shared surfaces. Learn more from the cleaning experts at Aftermath, the only national company specializing in crime scene cleanup and sanitizing serious biohazards such as MRSA and HIV. Visit www.aftermath.com/flu-facts or call (877) 872-4399 for more information.

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Stratford Church of Christ



Gospel Meeting

March 23-26, 2014

with

Carrol Robertson

Carrol Robertson serves as the Director of South Texas School of Preaching. He and his wife Eunice have served the school since its inception. Carrol is a graduate of Abilene Christian University and has served a local minister and missionary at various locations in Texas, Mexico, and Peru. He also taught at the Baxter Institute in Honduras.

SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

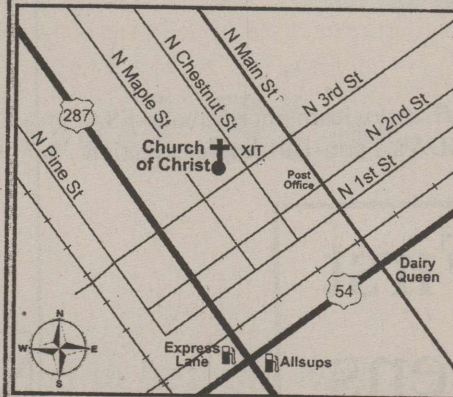
- 9:30AM Morning Class (in Spanish)
- 10:30AM Morning Service (in English)
- 12:00PM Fellowship Lunch
- 1:00PM Afternoon Service (in English & Spanish)

MONDAY-TUESDAY

- 7:00AM Devotional (in English & Spanish)
- 6:30PM Evening Service (in English)
- 7:30PM Evening Service (in Spanish)

WEDNESDAY

- 7:00AM Devotional (in English & Spanish)
- 7:00PM Evening Service (in English & Spanish)



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USDA Reminds Producers of March 15th Sales Closing Date for Noninsurable Crops

Stratford, Texas, March 7, 2014 - Sherman County USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) Executive Director, Rebecca Lowe urges producers who want to purchase coverage through the Noninsurable Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) to do so before the sales closing date of March 15, 2014.

NAP provides financial assistance to producers of noninsurable crops when low yields/grazing loss, loss of inventory or prevented planting occur due to natural disasters including drought, freeze, hail, excessive moisture, excessive wind or hurricanes.

The following crops have a NAP application closing date of March 15, 2014: All summer forage crops, sweet corn, beans, peas, sunflowers.

"NAP allows producers to protect their investment by purchasing coverage for noninsurable crops," said Lowe. "Natural disasters are an unavoidable part of farming and ranching and FSA programs like NAP help producers recover when they experience a loss," she said.

In order to meet eligibility requirements for NAP, crops must be noninsurable, commercially-produced agricultural commodity crops for which the catastrophic risk protection level of crop insurance is not available.

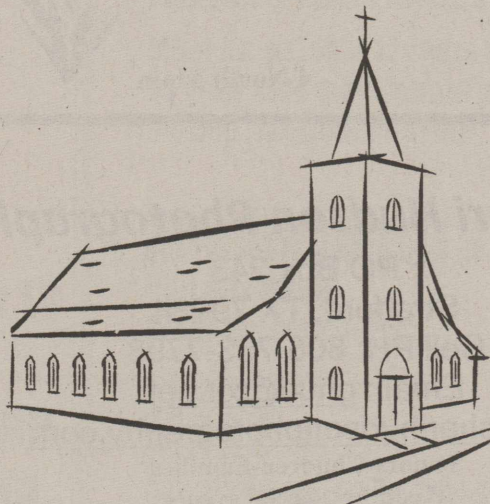
In the event of a natural disaster, NAP covers the amount of loss greater than 50 percent of the expected production based on the approved yield and reported acreage.

Eligible producers can apply for coverage using form CCC-471, "Application for Coverage." Producers must file the application and pay a service fee by the March 15th deadline. The service fee is the lesser of \$250 per crop or \$750 per producer per administrative county, not to exceed a total of \$1,875 for a producer with farming interests in multiple counties.

Limited resource farmers may request a waiver of the service fee at the time the application for coverage is filed. Producers must recertify their limited resource status for each year that a waiver is requested.

For more information on sales closing dates and NAP, contact the Sherman County FSA office at 806-396-2211.

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Livestock Producers Affected by Severe Weather Urged to Keep Good Records

WASHINGTON, March 6, 2014—The U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) Administrator Juan M. Garcia, today repeated his appeal to livestock producers affected by natural disasters such as the drought in the West and the unexpected winter storm in the upper Midwest to keep thorough records. This includes livestock and feed losses, and any additional expenses that are a result of losses to purchased forage or feed stuff.

"The 2014 Farm Bill provides a strong farm safety net to help ranchers during these difficult times," said Garcia. "We'll provide producers with information on new program requirements, updates and signups as the information becomes available. In the meantime, I urge producers to keep thorough records. We know these disasters have caused serious economic hardships for our livestock producers. We'll do all we can to assist in their recovery."

In addition to western drought and the early-winter snowstorms, there are a variety of disasters from floods to storms to unexpected freezes. Each event causes economic consequences for farmers and ranchers throughout the United States. FSA recommends that owners and producers record all pertinent information of natural disaster consequences, including:

- Documentation of the number and kind of livestock that have died, supplemented if possible by photographs or video records of ownership and losses;
- Dates of death supported by birth recordings or purchase receipts;
- Costs of transporting livestock to safer grounds or to move animals to new pastures;
- Feed purchases if supplies or grazing pastures are destroyed;
- Crop records, including seed and fertilizer purchases, planting and production records;
- Pictures of on-farm storage facilities that were destroyed by wind or flood waters; and
- Evidence of damaged farm land.

Visit www.fsa.usda.gov or an FSA county office to learn more about FSA programs and loans. For information about USDA's Farm Bill implementation plan, visit www.usda.gov/farmbill.

CPR and First Aid for Teens March 22, 2014

From 10 am-3 pm
At The Stratford EMS Building
\$15.00

Includes CPR Card
and Personal Mask

Lunch will be Served

Contact Laura Rogers at 753-6098
Or Stratford EMS at 396-2844



In the late 19th century and earlier years of the 20th century, when gramophones or phonographs amplified the sound through large horns, woolen socks were often stuffed in them to cut down the noise; hence the phrase "put a sock in it."

Imagine That at The Imagination Station

Gaynelle Riffe

The Imagination Station is planning something fun! Saturday, March 22. A Mother & Daughter Dress-Up Brunch/Tea, dolls invited. Girls wear your own dress-up clothes or pick something from our costumes. There will be a story teller of "Fancy Nancy" and a style show. The brunch will begin at 11:00 a.m. but if you want to pick a dress-up come at 10:30. Mother & daughter \$15.00 extra girl \$5.00

Reservations tickets required by Friday March 21 and can be purchased from a board member or Stratford Grain Co.

Iglesia de Cristo en Stratford

Campaña Evangelista

Marzo 23-26, 2014

con

Carrol Robertson



Carrol Robertson es el Director de South Texas School of Preaching. El y su esposa Eunice han servido en la escuela desde su inicio. Carrol es graduado de Abilene Christian University, ya servido como ministro y misionero en varios lugares de Texas, México, y Perú. También fue maestro en Baxter Institute en Honduras.

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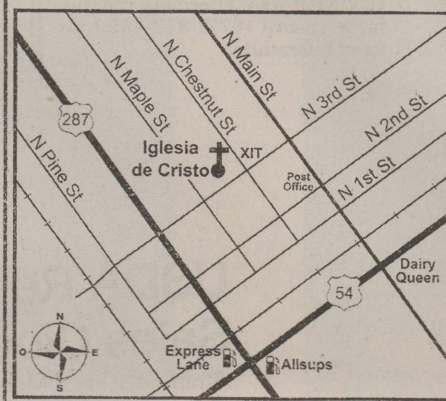
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- 10:30AM Adoracion (en Inglés)
- 12:00PM Confraternidad
- 1:00PM Adoracion (en Inglés y Español)

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- 7:00AM Devocional (en Inglés y Español)
- 6:30PM Servicio Tarde (en Inglés)
- 7:30PM Servicio Tarde (en Español)

MIÉRCOLES

- 7:00AM Devocional (en Inglés y Español)
- 7:00PM Servicio Tarde (en Inglés y Español)



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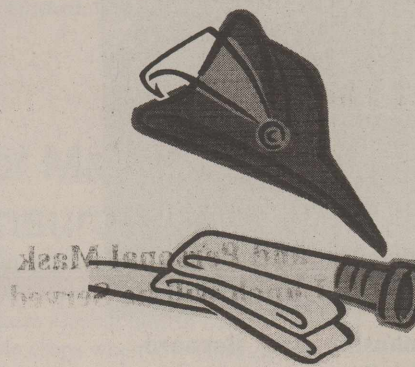
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There will be a raffle and
a Silent Auction
More details in future issues of
The Stratford Star**

If you would be interested in helping with
this fund raiser, please call
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Thank you



STRATFORD COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE

WHEN
Monday, March 17th
3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

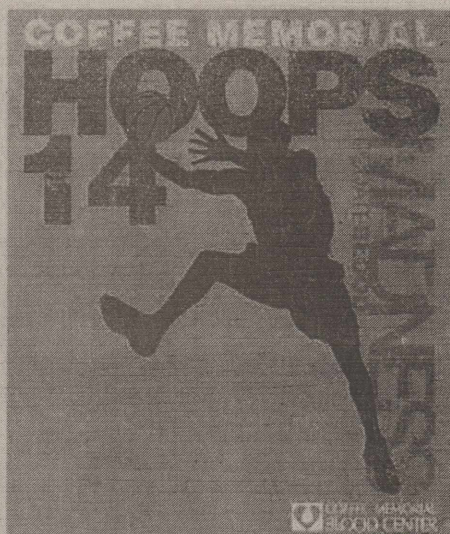
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Nicolle Law
Russell Spurlock
Stephanie Vasquez
Raeleigh Willborn

Grade Level 10

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Ty Hess
Lizeth Ibarra Robles
Matalin Mace
Orlando Mayorga Gonzales
Jackson McBryde
Branson Palmer
Andres Reyes
Monica Reyes
Alexander Riffe
Tanner Stone
Eluterio Tijerina
Sidney Turner
Alexie Wright

Grade Level 11

Bethany Everett
Desinya Garza
Brantley Powers
Alissa Ray
Rett Schoonover
Jacie Seward

Grade Level 12

Sterling Audrain
Adrian duPlessis
Hunter Everett
Ricky Garay
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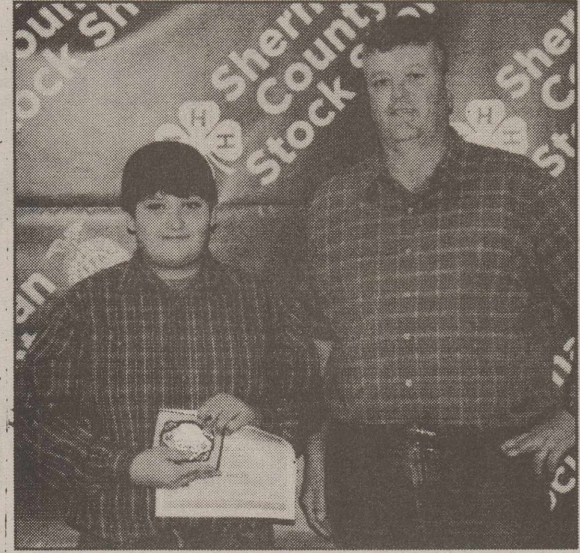
Sherman County Livestock Show



Grand Champion Steer-Coulter Reust,
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Reserve Grand Champion Steer-Madison Mungia
 Buckle donor Green County (Ken Wight)



Top Hand-Senior top Hand recipient Austin Addudell,
 Buckle Donor Horsford Show Pigs (Lance Horsford)



Senior Cattle Showmanship Bret Barnard-
 Buckle donor: JBS Five Rivers-



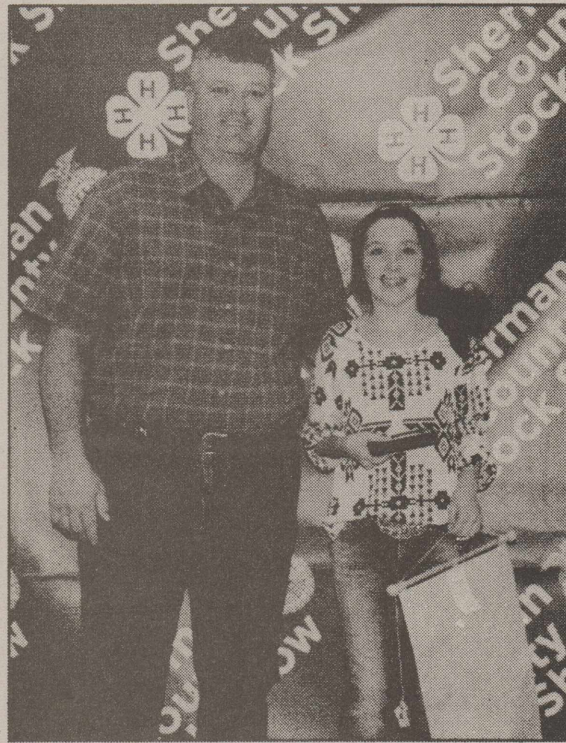
Junior Cattle Showmanship Katelin Berry-
 Stratford Feedyard (Tres Tuttle)



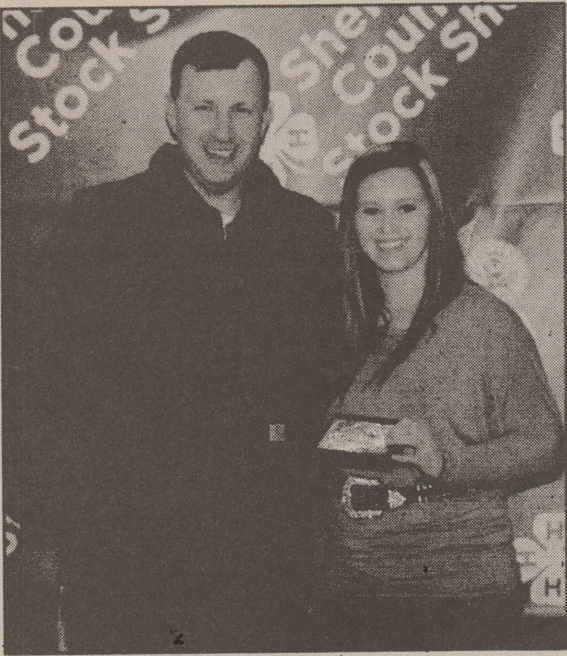
Junior Top Hand recipient Katelin Berry,
 Buckle Donor (Duncan Chevrolet) Penny Sheehan.



Grand Champion Lamb-Abby Law Buckle
 Donor Aurora Dairy



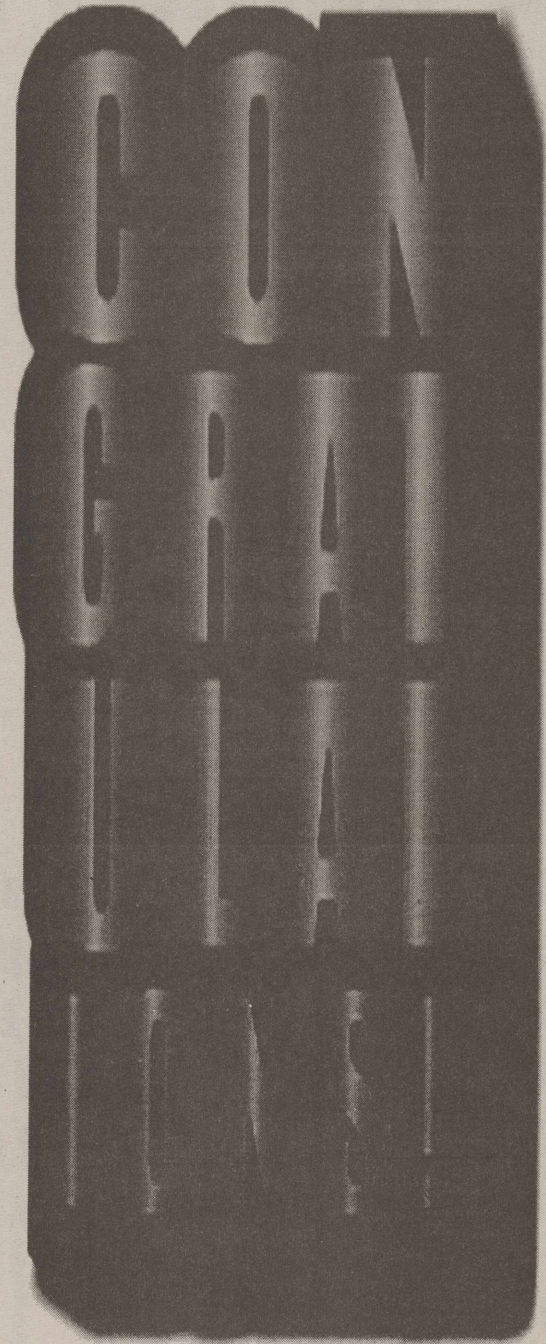
Reserved Grand Champion Lamb-Abby Law
 Buckle donor- Vincent Insurance.
 (Lance Horsford)



Senior Showmanship Lamb-Keirstin
 Campbell -Buckle Donor Davis
 Construction (Walt Berry)



Junior Showmanship Lamb Abby Law-W &
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2014 Buckle Donors

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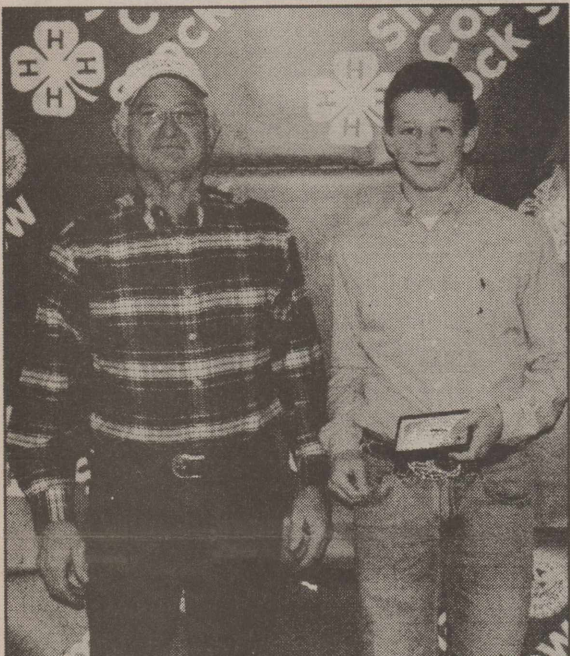
Grand Champion Swine-Kade McBryde,
Buckle donor-1st State Bank of Stratford
(Danna Hess)



Reserve Grand Champion Swine-Raeleigh
Willborn Buckle donor Barney & Sherry
Willborn (Barney Willborn).



Grand Champion Heifer-Payton Berry
Buckle Donor Modern Woodman (Walt
Berry)



Senior Swine Showmanship-Kade McBryde-
Buckle donor Stratford Animal Hospital
(Jack Swain)



Junior Swine showmanship-Carlee Metcalf
Buckle Donor McBryde Land & Cattle.



Reserve Grand Champion Heifer Katelin
Berry Buckle Donor Happy State Bank
(Doak Crabtree)



Grand Champion Goat: Trenton Stone
Buckle donor Eddie and Stacy Metcalf
(Eddie Metcalf).



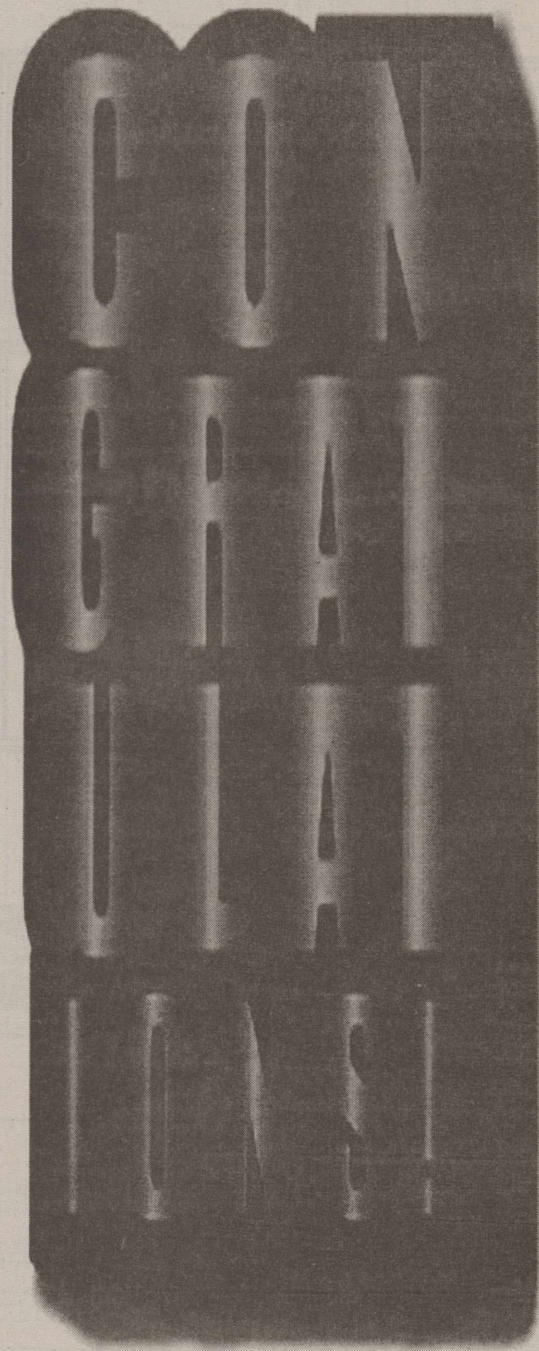
Reserve Grand Champion Goat: Blakelee
Sladek, Buckle Donor-James & Tonya Smith
(James Smith),



Senior Goat Showmanship Trenton Stone,
Buckle Donor Bain Tire



Junior Goat Showmanship-Holly Sladek,
Buckle Donor, A & I Parts (Lance Horsford)



San Angelo Stock Show Results

- Katelin Berry 1st Maintainer Heifer
- Peyton Perry 3rd-Maintainer heifer
- Tuner Smith 1st-Maintainer heifer
- Bryce Killian-7th-Hereford heifer
- Colten Summers 4th-White OPB Swine
- LaShala Anderton-6th-Black OPB Swine
- Nohemi Ruedas 10th-Cross Swine



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SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES TO ASSIST LOW INCOME FAMILIES. Must have an AA degree and 1-3 years of human services experience. BS/BA degree preferred; must be able to travel within Moore, Hartley, Dallam and Sherman Counties. Salary: \$30,000 per year. Apply at pcsvcs.org or call 806-342-6151. EOE

For Sale

Shower selections for Kami Birdsong are available at Acquisitions.

Houses for Sale

419 N. Fulton, 3 bed, 2 bath, basement, man cave, hot tub, gazebo, new heating and air, water softener w/filtration system. Call Laura at 806-753-7411- 2/13/tfn

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Card of Thanks

I would like to thank everyone who voted for me in the March 4th Primary Election for Sherman County Commissioner, Pct. 4

David Davis

Card of Thanks

Words cannot express our gratitude for the support and love you, the Stratford community, gave us following the death of our mother, Bernice Christian. Thank you for the time you took to acknowledge her life through the wonderful one-on-one visits as well as the food, flowers, and cards you sent. Your kindness and compassion will remain in our hearts forever.

Sincerely

Rexan, Rozan, Shirlin and Max and their families



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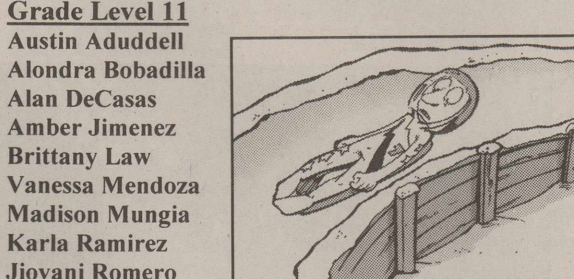
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

The City of Stratford, Texas is accepting bids for the possible sale of the real property located at the northwest intersection of South Spruce Street and Highway 54 (Texas Street), comprising approximately 0.482 acres, and described as Lots 6 through 10, Block 88, Original Town of Stratford, Sherman County, Texas. Sealed bids should be submitted by 5:00 pm on Thursday, March 13, 2014 to Kathy Rendon, City Secretary, 518 N. 3 Street, Stratford, Texas 79084. The City may award the bid that is best determined to be the best value to the City. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Published in The Stratford Star, Thursday, February 20, 2014, Thursday, February 27, 2014, Thursday, March 6, 2014 and Thursday, March 13, 2014.

AB Honor Roll

Stratford High School

- | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Grade Level 09 | Grade Level 12 |
| Alexander Aldavaz | Daniel Acosta |
| Gage Brooks | Kathryn Brooks |
| Zorro Daniels | Preston Burr |
| Julio Duran | Victor Manuel Castro |
| Yasmin Medrano | Ellen Daniels |
| Daniela Reyes | Janette Daniels |
| | Gonzalo Elzmeni |
| Grade Level 10 | Noemy Franco Orozco |
| Juan Camberos | Britney Garza |
| Val-mari duPlessis | Jaqueline Gonzalez |
| Joshua Garza | Ana Guerra |
| Brian Gonzalez | Emily Hacker |
| Samantha Gonzalez | Pedro Hernandez |
| Paola Guerra | Dylan Keener |
| Kevin Hernandez | Nanci Marquez |
| Erasmio Ibarra | Katy Moore |
| Tommie Long | Suzette Palma |
| John McBroom | Angelica Reyes |
| Kelsey Pickens | Mario Rivas |
| Daniella Ramos | Kaylee Sandvig |
| Chesney Rendon | Cole Sellers |
| Slade Rogers | Carlos Trejo |
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Houses for Sale



1320 Putman: 4/3/2 approximately 2835 sq. ft. This home has a large den with fireplace, large kitchen and dining room, office, 750 sq. ft. basement, sprinkler system and fenced yard. Priced to sell at \$189,500. Call Glenn at Glen Cummings Real Estate 806-249-6759

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Stratford Junior High School 4th Six Weeks Honor Roll 2013-2014

- | | |
|-------------------|------------------|
| 5th Grade | 7th Grade |
| Carlos Almdendraz | Shaylee Audrain |
| Reaghan Audrain | Xenia Franco |
| Payton Berry | Irene Henderson |
| Dempsey Collums | Eimy Mendoza |
| Angelica Couch | Luis Mendoza |
| Christian DeCasas | Nicholas Payne |
| Emma Franklin | Sheridan Powers |
| Kacy Gabehart | Remie Seward |
| Cristian Gonzalez | |
| Ivani Guel | 8th Grade |
| Alberto Guerrero | Taylor Aduddell |
| Benjamin James | Layne Burr |
| Ashton Lavake | Jennifer Chavez |
| Abby Law | Rabecca Couch |
| Morgan Maldonado | Daniel DeCasas |
| | Vanessa Gonzalez |
| Angel Morales | Sergio Guerrero |
| Cole Mungia | Noah Harris |
| Francisco Ortega | Shay Hess |
| Eshaan Patel | Allie James |
| Melannie Ramirez | Colten Lanning |
| Rese Schoonover | Erika Lopez |
| Hannah Sims | Sonia Lopez |
| Tyler Stone | Zachary Lujan |
| Lara Wells | Kade McBryde |
| | Carlee Metcalf |
| 6th Grade | Brandon Mireles |
| Toni Lopez | Raelynn Mungia |
| Fernando Martinez | Natalia Niave |
| Kenlee McBryde | Karl Punch |
| Ty McBryde | Kory Punch |
| Walker McBryde | Blake Rios |
| Carlos Reta | Lucero Robles |
| Ricardo Retana | Matthew Sandvig |
| Annahi Ruiz | Libby Uttley |
| Daisy Ruiz | Daniela Valdez |
| Jacob Sanchez | |
| Akira Vacio | |
| Abraham Villegas | |

Recipe

(NU) - Feeding a big family requires knowing how to stretch a dime. One tip: cheap side dishes. The California Raisin Bacon Brussels Sprouts recipe at loveyourraisins.com is a money-wise example. At less than a dollar per serving, it doesn't break the bank. Raisins provide a delicious burst of sweetness to the savory Brussels sprouts and salty bacon. Not only are raisins ranked as the most economical dried fruit by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, but you can also feel good about adding all-natural California Raisins to any dish. The small but mighty fruit delivers fiber, potassium and antioxidants.

Education

(NU) - Urge kids and teens to get involved in science with at-home chemistry experiments. Parents can receive help from the world's largest scientific society to spur family interest in chemistry. The American Chemical Society publishes a newspaper called Celebrating Chemistry for grade-school students with free resources for school activities (www.acs.org/chemistryambassadors). These resources are full of hands-on activities that convey important lessons about chemical interactions.