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What in the World were we thinking?

Back in the 1960s and 1970s the human race went through an architectural period I shall refer to as the "brutalism" period of architecture.

We seemed to have had an attitude that it was a new, modern, time and therefore we needed to remodel and redecorate every building in the universe with "modern" colors and styles.

It seems we did so without discrimination, however.

Beautiful courthouses were stripped of their stately trappings and covered over with gray and turquoise metal shells.

Polished marble banks were covered with heavy vinyl wall coverings, the hand carved wood paneling ripped out and thrown away.

Colleges and universities constructed class rooms that had all the appeal of parking garages, and people raved on about "minimalism" and the "clean purity of line".

Hogwash! What we ended up doing was destroying some really priceless beauty!

I have nothing against modern, but it needs to have some design, function and line, not just be slapped over "old" for the sake of update.

My own office is a good example. I'm sure it was an effort to conserve on heating bills, but the suspended ceiling covers beautiful metal ceiling.

Under "modernized" coverings in old buildings all around here lurk beautiful mahogany beamed ceilings, beveled glass skylights, hand carved woodworks.

It's sad, really, that so much of it has been lost.

The good part is that now old homes and buildings are being remodeled and saved instead of the brutal destruction that occurred in the 60s and 70s taking place.

Someday someone may look at the cold, windowless cubes of that period and rave about the integrity of design (although I doubt it). If so, they can feel free to rescue the harvest gold and avocado wall coverings as much as they want to.

For now, I just regret that so many wonderful buildings were lost before we came to our senses!

Editor's Quotes

How little it takes to make a person unhappy. A frown, a hesitation, a snicker, faint praise, an extended wait when one expects an "I'm Sorry" or "Much obliged". How the Good Lord puts up with such fragile creatures as ourselves is a mystery in itself.

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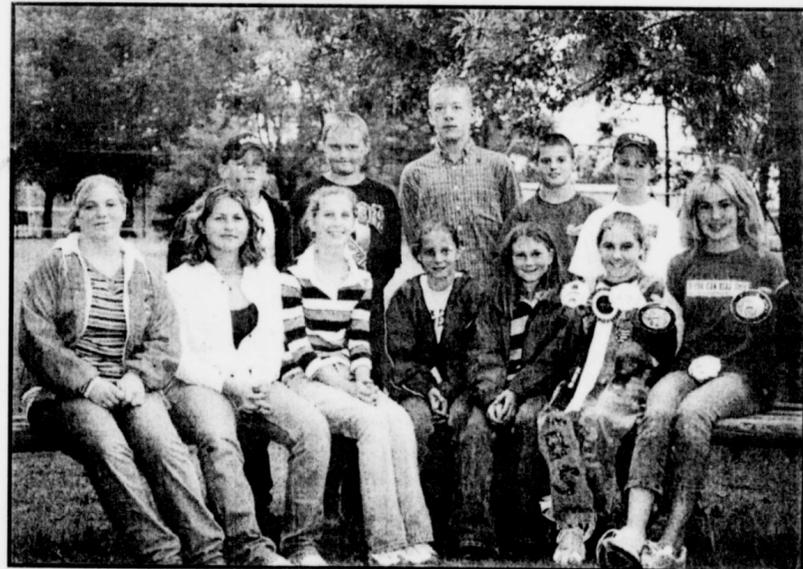
2002-2003 RIVERCREST HOMECOMING QUEEN-Jessica Rose escorted by her father, Joe Rose, was crowned Rivercrest High School 2002-2003 Homecoming Queen Thursday night at the Homecoming football game. Congratulations, Jessica! (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



ACCIDENT CLAIMS ONE-This pickup driven by Donna Wright of Talco overturned Thursday afternoon on Hwy. 271 in Talco. Mrs. Wright was thrown from the vehicle. She was transported to Titus County Regional Hospital, where she was pronounced dead. (Staff Photo by Nancy Brown)



TALCO 4-H OFFICERS-for this year are; (back) Josh McGee- Vice President; (front from the left) Laci Hinton-Treasurer; Laura Bevill-President and Melanie Smith-Secretary.



TALCO 4-H MEMBERS-this year are; (back from the left) Bud Douglas, E.J. Via, Josh McGee, Ty Brown and Laramie Lum and (front from the left) Melanie Smith, Laci Hinton, Laura Bevill, Amber Via, Brandi Via, Kelsey Franks and Jillian Sloan. Not pictured is Kayla Birchfield.

Talco 4-H successful at Titus Co.

by Lori Franks

The Talco 4-H participated in the Titus Co. Fair September 27 and did a great job showing their 4-H projects. The members have been preparing for the show since last spring and their hard work finally paid off for them.

The club was very excited to learn they had been awarded the Herdsmanship Award during the fair! This is only the Clubs second year in existence and they have done a wonderful job working together.

Making the livestock sale with their projects were: Bud Douglas-steer; Josh McGee-goat; Ty Brown-lamb; Laramie Lum-goat; Melanie Smith-chickens; Laci Hinton-chickens; Laura Bevill-goat; Amber Via-goat; Brandi Via-goat; Kelsey Franks-hog; Jillian Sloan-lamb.

Melanie Smith won the Sweep-

stakes with her grape jelly; Kelsey Franks won Best of Show; Best in class and Sweepstakes in photography. She also won a belt buckle for Jr. Showmanship in the goats and a belt buckle for Jr. Showmanship in the hogs. Jillian Sloan won belt buckles for Grand Champion in the lambs and Reserve Champion in the goats. She also won a buckle for Jr. Showmanship in the lambs. Laci Hinton won a buckle for Most Knowledgeable in the chickens and she won Grand Champion with her heifer. Kayla Birchfield won a Best Dressed Award.

The Talco 4-H Club members have had a successful year and would like to thank their families for helping them and supporting them with their projects. The Club is looking forward to another great year.

Halloween carnival and supper

The Hagansport Community Center will be the site of a Halloween Carnival and Stew/Chili supper on Saturday, October 26, 2002. The event is being sponsored by North Franklin Volunteer Fire Department.

Stew and chili will be served

beginning at 5:00 p.m. Carnival activities will begin at 6:30 p.m. There will be many different games including a cake walk, dart throw and haunted house. All proceeds from the event will benefit the North Franklin Volunteer Fire Department.

TBSI to sponsor community calender 2003

The Talco Baseball/Softball Inc. will sponsor a community calendar for 2003. The calendar will contain birthdays, anniversaries and memorials and will be sold for \$6 to \$8 each when completed. The planned date for distribution is the second week of December. All funds will go to the Talco league for equipment, maintaining the field and more.

The cost of listing your birthdays, anniversaries and in memory of will be \$1.00 each. To have your special dates listed call

Nancy Brown at 903-379-4445; Patsy Smith at 903-379-2109 or Marta Rhoades at 903-379-3491.

Your contribution will be appreciated and the calendars make wonderful gifts.

Continuing Education class

NETCC will be offering a Hepitis C class for all RN's October 25, 2002 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The class is TNA approved and will cost \$15. To register please call 903-572-1911.

Talco Assembly to celebrate 65

The Talco Assembly of God Church will be celebrating their 65th year on Saturday and Sunday, October 19-20, 2002.

A banquet will be held Saturday beginning at 5:00 p.m. and special services will be held Sunday. All members, past members and past pastors and their families are urged to attend and help celebrate this milestone in the life of the Talco Assembly of God Church.

Health Fair is October 23 in Clarksville

The American Legion Post in Clarksville will host a Health Fair on Wednesday, October 23 from 8:30 a.m. till 11:00 a.m. at the American Legion Building on Highway 82 East, Clarksville.

There is no fee and the following are expected: hearing tests, B/P checks as well as cholesterol and blood sugar tests.

Area home health agencies, nursing homes and other agencies will be represented and there will

Rebel Year Books on Sale

The 2002/2003 Rebel Sabre yearbook will go on sale at the Elementary, November 5; Junior High, November 6 and High School, November 7.

Yearbooks can be bought on the Rivercrest campus before school and during both lunches.

Yearbooks will be sold on the elementary and high school campuses before school and during first period.

The cost of the yearbook will be \$35. If you want to have your name engraved on the cover, there will be an extra \$6.00 charge. Names having over 21 characters will be set in two lines and charged for two names (word spaces count as a character). Plastic covers can be ordered for \$2.00 each.

If you have any questions, please call the high school at 903-632-5204.

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Country Cooking
By Liz Irwin



Our cook this week is from Blossom and is John Bratcher. He and his wife Alishia have a 6 1/2 year old son, Caleb. John is a fire fighter with the Paris Fire Department and Alishia is a RN at Christus St. Joseph Hospital. They are members of the Fellowship Baptist Church and active with the youth.

John enjoys playing the guitar and of course spending as much time with Caleb and Alishia as possible.

The firemen take turns cooking at the fire station and everyone gets a chance. Johns states that they do eat out a lot, but they get tired of that and enjoy some good home cooked meals. It seems that all of the guys like some type of meat in their dishes, regardless who cooks and ground beef seems to be the favorite, because of its versatility. Any dish that is just vegetables, gets a "thumbs down"!

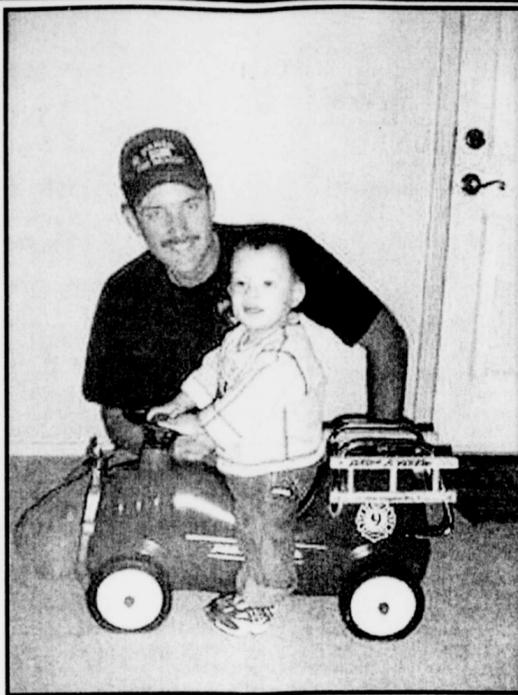
His recipes usually feed 8-10 (all the firemen have "good" appetites!) and he also enjoys cooking for other members of his family as well as the firemen. We hope you enjoy his recipes and we will see you in the kitchen!

CHICKEN CASSEROLE-chicken is also a favorite around the firehouse!

HAMBURGER STEAKS-these steaks have a crust on them that make them all the more delicious! **JOHN'S IMPOSSIBLE CHEESEBURGER PIE**-this is a great recipe and is quick and easy!

FIREHOUSE GOULASH-John has to triple this if he makes it at the firehouse. Just a note....I add whole kernel corn and peas to mine....try that sometimes!

QUICK AND EASY MEAT AND RICE-here is another quick and easy recipe that is also delicious and hearty!



COOK OF THE WEEK is John Bratcher of Blossom. He is pictured here with one year old son, Caleb. John is a fire fighter with the Paris Fire Department and enjoys cooking both at work and at home. (Staff Photo by Liz Irwin)

Obituaries

Marjorie Strain dies October 10

Marjorie Strain, age 79 of Hurst, formerly of Detroit, died at her home on Thursday, October 10, 2002.

Wood Funeral Homes conducted graveside services on Tuesday, October 15 at 1 p.m. in Detroit Cemetery with Benny Cogburn officiating. The family received friends Monday evening at the funeral home.

She was born in Red River County on May 4, 1923, the daughter of Maxie and Gertrude Murphy Melton. She was a member of the Detroit Christian Church. Her husband, John Lewis Strain, Jr., preceded her in death April 19, 1998.

Surviving is her son and daughter-in-law, Mac and Mona Strain of Hurst; her sister, Joyce Covington of Detroit; three grandchildren, Nikki, Sara and Matthew; two great-grandchildren, Ricky and Cody; and an aunt, Willa Catherine Murphy of Paris.

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Wayne Moyer dies October 6

Wayne Moyer, long time educator and school administrator, died Sunday, October 6 in Paris.

Born January 31, 1938 in Weed, NM, Moyer grew up in Smithville, OK, where he attended schools until moving to Valliant where he graduated from high school in 1956.

He coached at Detroit in the mid 1960's.

He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Jennie Guest Moyer; his mother, Lucille Moyer of Valliant; a son and daughter-in-law, Charles and Melody Moyer of Lawton, OK; a daughter and son-in-law, Aimee and Arthur Boehme of Zanesville, Ohio; four granddaughters; and a sister and brother-in-law, Ginger and Max Mabry of Paris.

He was preceded in death by his father, Clifford Moyer and a son, Kevin Moyer.

Funeral services were October 9 at 2 p.m. at Redland Methodist Church with burial in Valliant Cemetery.

Donna Sessums Wright dies October 11

Donna L. Sessums Wright, age 34 of Talco, died as the result of an automobile accident on Friday, October 11, 2002.

Funeral services were held on Monday, October 14 at 11 a.m. in the Talco Church of Christ with burial in McCrury Cemetery. Wood Funeral Homes had charge of arrangements.

The family received friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday night at the funeral home.

She was born February 8, 1968 in Paris, the daughter of Floyd (Monk) and Helen (Fern) Sessums. She was a 1986 graduate of Rivercrest High School and married Wade Wright in 1987.

He survives her today, as do her children, Morgan and Malorie Wright of Talco; her parents, Monk and Fern Sessums of Cuthand; three brothers, Al Sessums of Bogata, Aaron Sessums of The Colony and Curtis Sessums of Bogata; and numerous aunts and uncles.

She was preceded in death by her brother, Terry Bruce Sessums on February 12, 1999.

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William F. Hume dies October 5

William F. Hume, age 76, died October 5 in Marietta, OK.

He was born in Cunningham, a son of Hubert and Pauline Swindle Hume. He attended Cunningham schools.

Military services were held October 10 in Marietta.

He is survived by his wife, Nancy; three children; grandchildren; two sisters, Joyce Brown and Roseland Brown; and numerous cousins.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, James and Royce Hume.

Card of Thanks

Words cannot express our gratitude to all of you who comforted us in your time of sorrow.

Thank you for the special prayers, beautiful flowers and cards, phone calls, visits and donations.

Thank you to the ones who brought food to the house and to the ladies of Bogata United Methodist Church for the lunch. We appreciate the kindness and loving care of Jessie at St. Joseph's Hospital North and to Dr. Surber, LifeNet and Hometown Home Health Services. We also thank each of the pall bearers, Rev. Bob Bush and Rev. Joe Gist and the Wood family, we thank you for the special way you did my husband of 60 years and our dad.

Dad was special to all of us. He will always be in our hearts and he did it his way "taking care of all of us and his friends." God bless all of you.

*The Greer Family
Danny & Linda,
Vickie & Dixie*

Card of Thanks

Thank you all so much for the beautiful cards, phone calls, food and other expressions of sympathy during the loss of Donna Wright.

We will always be grateful for your remembrances.

*Doug, Mayra and Luke Clark
Willie Clark*

Bogata V.F.W. News

* The Post is open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 3:00 p.m. until 12:00 midnight and Saturday from 1:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m. Pool tables and shuffle board are open to enjoy all the time.

*The Ladies Auxiliary will meet the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Members are urged to attend.

* The VFW men will meet the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Members are urged to attend.

*The Post has a shuffle board tournament every Saturday beginning at 3:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to come out and share the fun. The board has recently been renovated and is ready for play.

Attend the Church of Your Choice

Fulbright Baptist to hold revival

Fulbright Baptist Church is having a weekend revival Friday, Saturday and Sunday, October 18-19-20. Bro. Roger Scaff, pastor of Pattonville Baptist Church will be the evangelist.

Services on Friday and Saturday nights will begin at 7 p.m. Sunday morning service will be at 10:15 a.m. and Sunday night service will be at 6 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend any or all services. Saturday night will be youth night with a hot dog supper at 6 p.m.



Happy Halloween!!

Fulbright News
BY BETTY RODGERS
652-6051

Visitors of Katy and Clovis VanDeaver on Saturday were Clarence and Billy Pat and Carol McKay of Dallas. William Earl Stevens of Arlington visited Tuesday night.

First Baptist Church will have revival meeting Friday night through Sunday night. Everyone is invited.

The Turner Cemetery Association held their annual meeting and luncheon at the center Saturday with a large crowd attending.

Bethel Cemetery will have their meeting on October 26, so be getting ready to attend.

Jacob, Rachel and Jennifer Phosay all made the A-B honor roll this past six weeks in Detroit. They are also in the Junior Beta Club. Rachel was accepted into the Math and Science Club.

**Thursday, October 17, 2002
John Bratcher, Blossom**

Chicken Casserole
2-10 ounce cans chunk white chicken
24 or 32 ounce package egg noodles
4 cans cream of chicken soup
8 ounce package shredded Velveeta cheese
sliced American cheese for top salt
Lawry's season salt
1 tablespoon butter

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Boil noodles, butter & teaspoon season salt until noodles are tender. Spread noodles into casserole dish or rectangle cake pan. Drain chicken. Stir in chicken, soup & package of cheese. Add water until mixture is very wet or "slushy". If it is not real "wet" before you bake, it will be real "dry" when it comes out. Spread evenly in dish & cover the entire top with slices of cheese. Bake in oven until cheese on top is brown.

Hamburger Steaks
1-1/2 pound ground meat worchestershire sauce
Lawry's season salt
Morton's nature seasons vegetable or canola oil
flour
milk
2 eggs

Mix together meat, worchestershire, season salt & nature seasons in a bowl. Place about 2 cups of flour in small bowl. Mix thoroughly 2 eggs & about 1-1/2 cup milk. Heat frying pan & add oil, enough to just slightly come up on the sides of your patties when you add them. Make hamburger out of meat mixture & place into egg/milk mixture & then dredge them in the flour(if you like a thick crust, repeat a second time) & then place in heated oil. You will probably need a little bit of seasoning on the outside with all of the flour (either add it to the flour, in the oil or on the patties when they are frying).

John's Impossible Cheeseburger Pie
1 pound ground meat worchestershire sauce
Lawry's seasoning salt
Morton's nature season
8 ounce package Velveeta cheese

3/4 cup Bisquick baking mix
1-1/2 cups milk
2 eggs

Heat oven to 375 degrees & grease 9" pie plate. Brown meat with worchestershire sauce, season salt & nature seasons. Place meat in bottom of plate & add half of cheese in package. Blend bisquick, milk & eggs together thoroughly & pour into plate. Add the rest of the cheese on top of mix. Bake about 25 minutes or until knife inserted into center comes out clean.

Firehouse Goulash
1 pound ground meat
Worchestershire sauce
Lawry's season salt
Morton's nature season
24 ounce package large yellow elbow noodles
2-15 ounce cans tomato sauce
1 tablespoon butter

Brown meat with worchestershire sauce, season salt & several shakes of nature's season. Boil noodles in large pan with butter & a dash of season salt until tender. Drain noodles & add tomato sauce to noodles until desired consistency. You may not need 2 cans of sauce, but I like lots of sauce. You may need to add a little bit more water if sauce seems too thick. If I am going to make this at the firehouse, I always triple the recipe!

Quick and Easy Meat and Rice
1 pound ground beef
Lawry's season salt
Morton's nature seasons
1 package Lipton "chicken flavor" rice and sauce salt

Brown meat with worchestershire sauce, season salt & nature seasons. Prepare Lipton rice by package directions, but as sauce begins to thicken, add hamburger meat & keep stirring until sauce thickens. This recipe can also be done with 1-10 ounce can white chunk chicken & 15 ounce can white chunk chicken & 1 package Lipton "chicken flavor" rice & sauce. Just drain chicken & cook rice according to directions & add chicken before sauce thickens & add salt as desired.

Myths & Facts About Breast Cancer

Breast Cancer is preventable. Actually, there is no known way to prevent breast cancer. Early detection followed by prompt treatment offers the best chance to treat it successfully.

Only women get breast cancer. Estimated annually figures show that about 1,600 men a year get breast cancer and about 400 die from it. But it's mainly a women's disease... About 178,000 women are diagnosed each year, and about 43,000 die from breast cancer.

Only women with known risk factors get breast cancer. Over 70% of women with breast cancer have no identifiable risk factors other than being women.

A lump in your breast means you have breast cancer. Over 80% of lumps are benign. They are very common, but any unusual lump should be evaluated by a physician.

Breast self-examination is enough to detect breast cancer.

BSE is just one part of the early detection program and should be combined with regular professional breast exams and regular mammograms for women over 40. A monthly self breast exam for women ages 20 to 29, and a clinical breast exam by a health care professional is recommended every 3 years.

Mammograms have no benefit for women under 50. More than 20% of breast cancers are diagnosed in women under 50.

American Cancer Society Guidelines for Mammography

* Women age 40 or over should have a mammogram every year

*Between the ages of 35 and 39, it is recommended that you have a

baseline mammogram if you are considered at high risk.

Courtesy of: **Lennox Health Resource Center**

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Date set for Rivercrest High School class of 83' reunion

Representatives of the Rivercrest class of 1983 have set the date for their 20 year reunion for July 19, 2003. The place and time, as well as activities, are still being planned. More information will be available at a later date. Mark your calendars and plan on coming back to visit with those you have not seen in decades.

The group are also collecting information for the "20 Year class

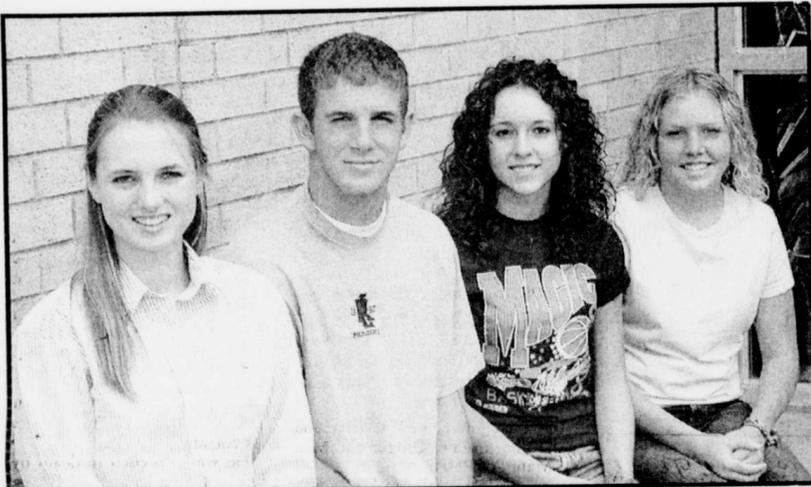
reunion annual". If you are a member of the class of 1983 please send a recent picture of you and your family as well as a little biography of what you have "been up to" in the last 20 years; college, family; jobs; hobbies etc. The Reunion Annual will have addresses, phone numbers, emails, pictures and information on each of the class members. You can mail your photos and information

to Leah Lewis Bull, 431 S. Bryson St., Bogata, Tx. 75417. You may also email your information and pictures if you have the capabilities to lrlewis@1starnet.com. All photos will be promptly returned within a few days of receiving them. The reunion annual may be purchased before or during the class reunion next year. The price of the annual will cover copying and binding only and the

cost will be \$7.00-\$10.00 each. An invitation is also extended to the classes of 1982 and 1984 as well as any parents, faculty or friends to come reminisce and reconnect with old friends. You may contact Leah Lewis Bull at 903-632-9520; Joe Corbell at 903-509-3027; Kathie Williams Thompson at 903-632-4591 or David Rozell at 903-632-5617 for information.



SERVING AS-class representatives on the Rivercrest Student Council are: Juniors: Dustin De Moss, Paige Boyd, Jamie Wilson, Nikki Burgess and Tiffani Cooksey. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS-this year at Rivercrest High School are; President, Kerri Simmons, Vice President, Matthew Ross, Secretary/Treasurer, Kacey Van Deaver and Reporter, Jill Shirley. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



SERVING AS-class representatives on the Rivercrest Student Council are; Freshman: Jesi Navia, Sara Hare, Crystal Howerton, Bailie Spencer and Rose Anne Hulse. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS-this year at Rivercrest High School are; President, Jesi Navia, Vice President, Cody Wood, Secretary/Treasurer, Whitney Savage and Reporter, Monique Savage. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

Miss Red River County Courthouse to be crowned

In conjunction with the dedication of the restoration of the courthouse and the Fall Bazaar in Clarksville, the first ever Miss Red River County Courthouse will be crowned on October 26.

A minimum of five contestants are required. Contestants must be between 16-22 years of age, single, a resident of Red River County for at least one year and be attired in daywear late 1800's period clothing. The pageant will begin at 10 a.m. on the east stage

of the courthouse.

Contestants will be judged on originality, poise and stage presentation. There will be only one rehearsal the week before the pageant and all contestants are required to attend.

Master of Ceremonies will be Mac Varley.

There is no entry fee.

Prizes totaling almost \$1,000 in the form of cash, savings bonds, gift certificates and gifts have been donated by local merchants.



WADE ALLEN-12 year old son of Leslie and Gina Allen of Bogata will travel to North East Texas Community College in December 2002 to take the ACT College Entrance exam. This honor is offered to seventh grade students who scored 98 on their 6th grade TAAS. Wade is on the 7th grade football team and a member of the Rivercrest Band. He enjoys fishing and hunting. His grandparents are Marshall and Ruby Jordan of Paris and Claudia Allen and the late Snookie Allen of the Hopewell Community.



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Make time for your health

schedule a mammogram.

It's just too easy to postpone scheduling your mammogram. That's why ETMC Clarksville is providing an incentive to encourage the women of Red River County who are 40 and older to receive their annual mammogram, as recommended by the American Cancer Society.

Throughout the month of October, ETMC Clarksville is offering special pricing of \$85 for a screening mammogram and the radiologist's interpretation.

To make an appointment, please call (903) 427-6464. A physician's referral is not necessary to receive a screening mammogram, although the results of your exam will be sent to the physician you designate.

Visit us on the web at www.etmc.org

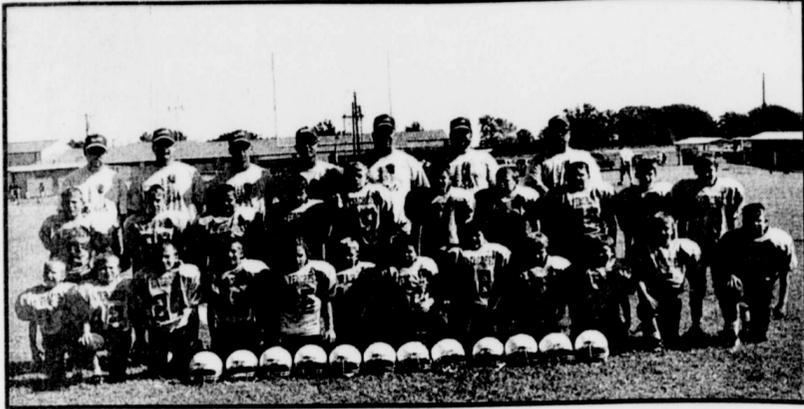


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Special pricing good throughout October 2002, with presentation of this coupon at an ETMC Clarksville screening mammography appointment.



MEMBERS AND COACHES-of the 2002/2003 Rebel Pee Wee Football 3rd and 4th grade team are;(back from the left) Coach Keith Anthony, Coach Robert Huizinga, Coach Ricky Kennedy, Coach Stanley Jessee, Coach Bobby Thompson, Coach Jason Benson and Coach John Newsom; (middle from the left) Logan Wright, Brady Kennedy, Kolton Benson, Luke Smith, Jarid Lyles, Jordon White, David Stringer, Sammy Newsom, Cole Huizinga and Kyle McCuller and (front from the left) Landon Earley, Aaron Whitney, Jordan Thompson, Trevor Jessee, Brittany Walseiak, Rob Ward, Josh Newsom, Jordon Smith, Daniel Castle, Doyle Brooks, Brandon Budro and Brian Sessums. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

Rebel JV defeat Cooper Bulldogs 7-6

by Nancy Brown

The Rebels did it! They won their Homecoming game Thursday night over the Cooper Bulldogs. And what an exciting game it was.

In the first quarter both teams went at each other like two old bulls battling it out in the pasture. Neither one could move the other. But, in the second the Bulldogs were able to shove a little harder and made it into the end zone for a touchdown. The Rebels defended their extra point attempt and the score stood 6-0 with only a few minutes left in the half.

The score put the Rebels on alert and linebacker, Adam Horn intercepted a Bulldog pass in the waning seconds of the quarter and ran it 65 yards as time expired

in the half for the only Rebel score of the evening. Matt Ross added the extra point on a kick that ended up being the game winning point. Rebels 7-Cooper-6.

The third quarter was almost an exact copy of the first quarter with both teams trying to move the ball. "With a total team effort on touchdown, Troy Morris made a tough defensive tackle in the quarter and intercepted what looked to be a touchdown pass for Cooper in the final seconds of the game to add the finishing touches on an outstanding defensive ballgame", according to Coach Gary Schultz. Schultz also said other fine play on defense came from the two ends, Bradley Rollen

and Jonathan Ridens who contained Cooper's speed with support from Keith Perry, Matthew Ross and Chance Crawford.

Coach Schultz said, "This game was a great defensive battle for both teams with Rivercrest's defense sealing the Homecoming victory". Final score 7-6 Rebels.

Offensive stats for the game were: Ross: 16 carries for 70 yards; Adair 4 carries for 22 yards; Needham 12 carries for 13 yards; Horn 5 carries for 4 yards and Rollen 1 carry. The Rebels had 2 fumbles and were 0-1 passing.

The teams will travel to Honey Grove this week with the 7th grade leading off at 5:00 p.m. Go Rebels!!!

CC teams compete at Saltillo and North Lamar

by Coach Debbie Williams

The Rivercrest Cross Country teams traveled to Saltillo on October 5, 2002 to compete. In the Junior High Division Torrie Grisom placed 14th with a time of 14:20; Susan Smith 21st with a time of 14:42; Rachel Smith 63rd with a time of 16:28; Vikki Schmidt 70th with a time of 16:45 and Vallery Schmidt 93rd with a time of 18:39.

"The Junior High runners did well. This is a good, fun course, but you'd better watch your footing. "Caution" signs are there for a reason and we had a few girls who found this out. They all finished the race well".

The varsity girls placed 3rd overall out of 10 teams. "Our times are really, really coming down and in two weeks we will need every bit of a super race. District is here. Casey Hammonds is really running super with a 12:40 time and 4th place overall. Her goal today was to break a 13 and she did. Stephanie Williams ran for 19th and a 14:03; Danielle Easterling came in 23rd with a 14:05; Tina Carder was 36th with a 14:53 a wipe out? Krystal Valenzuela was 42nd with a 14:56 and Nikki Jones was 72nd with 18:30. Times are all coming down and we expect to be district champions."

On October 12 the teams traveled to North Lamar. In the Junior High Division Susan Smith placed 8th with 15:25; Rachel Smith placed 20th with 17:15; Vikki Schmidt placed 21st with 17:27 and Vallery Schmidt placed 24th with 18:52.

"District is October 26. These young ladies have really improved

this year and at district we should expect good times from them".

The varsity girls ran against 1A-5A schools. Casey Hammonds placed 10th with a 13:30; Stephanie Williams place 32nd with 14:58; Mandy Crawford placed 40th with 15:26; Rachel Case placed 41st with 15:30; Krystal Valenzuela placed 43rd with 15:34 and Erica Williams placed 46th with 16:07.

"Times overall are coming down. We do not have a meet this Saturday. We will be focusing on our district meet, which is Saturday, October 26 at Prairiland. This will be a dog fight!! for district.

We have seen and competed with Cooper, Chisum and Prairiland all season and they are always right there. Usually, we come out on top at the pre-district meets, but, they have one or two of their top girls missing. The Lady Rebels are all going to have to compete at their best and the 3rd, 4th and 5th runners will really make a difference for the district title. I feel this group of young ladies will rise to the occasion and come out on top as 2002-2003 District Champs."

"Brandon Buchanan came out 22nd with a 19:57. He ran against a lot of his district competition and came out on top. We expect him to be the 2002-2003 district champion runner along with Casey Hammonds from the Lady Rebel and we all would be so excited for him. Brandon has been by himself as the Cross Country runner representing Rivercrest for 3 years now. He deserves the title. The pressure is there, but, so is the ability. So, go for it Brandon!"



THE SCRAMBLE-Jake Needham #10, quarterback for the Rebel JV scrambles to gain yardage as the team met the Cooper Bulldogs in their Homecoming game Thursday night at RHS. The Rebels were victorious in an exciting game for their 4 beautiful homecoming queen nominees, exes and fans. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



ADAM HORN-head toward the end zone for the Rebels first score of the evening Thursday. The first half of the game vs the Cooper Bulldogs had been a battle and just a few minutes shy of the half time buzzer, the Bulldogs had scored but were held without the extra point. With less than a minute left in the half, Horn intercepted this pass and took it all the way for the TD! The extra point was booted through the uprights by Matt Ross and the Rebels took the half time lead, 7-6. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

Happy Halloween!!



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NOMINEES AND ESCORTS-The Rebel football field was aglow with beautiful young ladies and their handsome fathers Thursday night. Pictured from the left are: Morris and Alison Foster; Doug and Danielle Easterling; Tommie and Shari Wisinger and Joe and Jessica Rose. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



New Arrivals

Laney Nichole Miller arrived August 29, 2002 weighing 9 lbs. 4 ozs. to Brandon and Toretta Miller. Grandparents are Randy and Donna Miller of Fulbright and Beryl Jean Miller of Bogata and Larry and Bridget Lee of Fairview, Tennessee.



CAUGHT FROM BEHIND-Rebel running back, Matt Ross had good blocking in front of him but was caught from behind in this drive for yardage as the Rebels met the Cooper Bulldogs Thursday night. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

Bogata Locals

(Call your news in at 903-632-5322. If the machine is on please leave a message)

Savannah Hearn, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hearn has been hospitalized at Titus County Regional Hospital. She is reported improving daily.

Sympathy is extended to the families of Donna Sessums Wright and Vernona Young.

Bell Thomas and Dixie Stringfellow visited with Punkin and Gene Hawkins and son Roger Saturday evening.

Granville and Haletha Jones of Commerce visited with her mother, Helen Williams Sunday.

Happy October Birthday to: Aaron Palmer, Billie Hancock, Janice Martin, Willie Clark, Ann

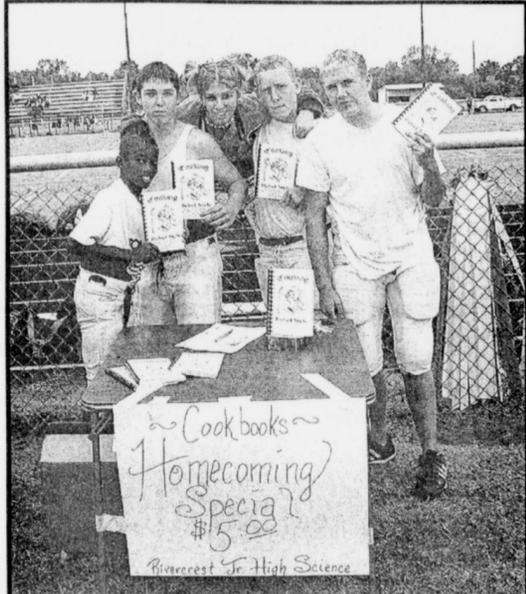
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Happy October Anniversary to: Jim and Barbara Branch; Buddy

and Normie Williams and Terry and Beth Bell.

Sherri Cheatwood and Eyvette Alford of The Colony spent the

weekend in Haslet with their sister, Terri Bell. The girls enjoyed eating out, shopping and visiting.



HOMECOMING SPECIAL-Rebel 8th grade football players and cheerleader, (from the left) Derek Morris, Cole Birchfield, Lauren Beers, Matthew Ward and Jessie Harville gave their science teacher, Leah Lewis, a hand at Thursday's Rivercrest Homecoming football game selling Rebel Cook Books for the special price of \$5 each. All sales from the books goes to the Junior High Science Department and will help Ms. Lewis provide extra learning material for her students. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

Caleb Hall celebrates 1 year

Caleb Hall had his first birthday on October 9, 2002. He celebrated on Saturday, October 5, 2002 with a "Bear in the Big Blue House" party in the fellowship hall of the Calvary Baptist Church in Talco. Caleb received many very nice gifts of clothes and toys from his friends and church family. However, in the middle of the party he became very tired and had to take a 45 minute nap before he could continue to play with his new toys.

Caleb is the son of Lois and Eric Hall, grandson of Kathy and Ricky Waldrum and Steve and Mary Jo Hall all of Talco. His great grandparents are Yvonne Waldrum, Guylene Hall, Ray and Nancy Brooks Jones and Roy and Lola Price.



Caleb Hall

Taylan Cobb celebrates first birthday

On Sunday, October 13, 2002, Taylan Jade Cobb celebrated her first birthday with a Winnie the Pooh party at the home of her grandparents, Mike and Lila Screws of Deport. The party was hosted by her mother Bren Cobb and Mike and Lila.

Attending other than the hosts and the honoree were grandparents and uncle Terri and Gerald Cobb and Evan of Paris, great grandparents and aunt Donald, Judy and Tana Screws from

Bogata, aunts; Kara and Hali Screws of Deport, uncles and aunts John and Cokie Roach of Deport, Glenda King of Roxton, Becky Proctor of Bonham, Jimmy Fletcher of Bonham, aunt, uncle and cousins; Chris Anna, Jerry, Christopher and Jerred Guerra and Brad and Sherie Ashford of Paris, friends; Emilee Bolton and Misty and Payton Eppler.

Taylan received many nice gifts and thoroughly enjoyed her party.



Taylan Jade Cobb

Schools hold 2002 reunion

The Cuthand, Maple, Mauldin, Mt. Livingston, Pine Branch and Turners Lake reunion was held at the Bogata Community Center on October 12 with two former teachers attending, Anna Belle Smith Patton and Bobby Sullivan Youngblood.

Edmond McConnell, age 95 was the oldest ex-student. He attended Turners Lake and his teachers were Leonard Bond and Dave Mauldin. Clifford and Gwen Kelson traveled the farthest from Fontana, Ca. Door prizes were given to Irene Lawson, Charlotte McKinney, Dorothy Tackett, Marlene Jones, Truman Baird, Bobby Youngblood and Tommy Mauldin. Seventy-nine guests registered at the reunion.

New officers for the reunion in 2003 are Willie Clark, Odetha Clark and Tommy Mauldin. Next year the reunion will be Saturday, October 11 at the Bogata Community Center.

Coy Coker gave thanks for the noon meal. Everyone enjoyed eating and visiting.

Those attending were Merle Mauldin Hughes, Willie Williams Clark, Gracie McConnell Bankston, Sam McConnell, Odetha Clark, Doodie McConnell Reid, Donald Ray O'Donnell, Lucille Preston Knowles, Steve and Geri Knowles, Tommy Mauldin, Cora Tidwell, Bernice Lofton, Irene Eudy Lawson, Bernice Mauldin Beers, Willie May Gray, Linda Gray, Wanza Mayes Sheffield, Dovie Mayes Garretson, Ercelle McKinney

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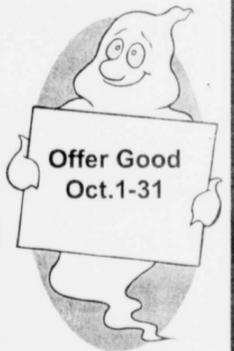
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Bogata Rodeo Queen to compete for Miss CRRA

Lorin Henderson, 2002 Bogata Rodeo Queen is excited to announce her run for queen representing the Bogata Rodeo Association at the CRRA finals in Claremore, OK on October 31-November 2. The competition consists of horsemanship, personality and appearance contest and ticket sales.



Lorin Henderson

On Friday, Nov 1 the horsemanship competition will be held. Lorin will be doing an AQHA reining pattern similar to the one used during the Bogata competition. Her partner for this competition is a bay gelding, Doc, that gives his heart and soul for her everytime. As a part of the personality and appearance contest, which will be held on Saturday, Nov 2, Lorin will be modeling an outfit of her choice and will write and present a speech to a panel of judges.

As a contestant, Lorin is required to sell 500 raffle tickets. The tickets cost \$1 each and cash prizes of \$300, \$150, and \$50 will be awarded during the rodeo. You do not have to be present to win. This is where Lorin could use your help. To show your support and help get Lorin to the finals you can purchase raffle tickets at T-n-T,

903-632-9972, from any Bogata Rodeo Association member or Lorin will be at Huddleston Grocery on Saturday, October 19th starting at 10:00. Or you can give Lorin a call and she would be happy to get some tickets to you, 903-379-3906.

Let's show Lorin how proud we are to have her representing Bogata at the CRRA finals.

Talco Locals

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Terry and Regan Howell of Longview visited with Rayford and Vera Pittman Thursday. They attended the Rivercrest Homecoming football game Thursday evening where Terry is an ex-student and to see their niece, Shari Wisinger who was a Homecoming Queen Nominee.

Jackie Crowley enjoyed spending the weekend with her son and grandson, Justin and Jonathan Kirkland and attending the Texas State Fair on October 5, 2002 in Dallas. She and her daughter, Jolee Kirkland enjoyed shopping in Dallas on Sunday.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown and Kim, Paul and Quinton Anderson Sunday were Jack, Jennifer and Jaden Brown of Powderly.

Carol Laing and Bill Newman were in Dallas on business all of last week.

Visiting Frankie and Maxine Harrell over the weekend were Mark and Carla McClanahan, their daughter and son-in-law, of Dallas. They celebrated Frankie's birthday at Applebees Restaurant

in Mt. Pleasant. Sympathy is extended to the families of Donna Wright and Mrs. Slim Faulkner.

Happy Birthday to: Jennifer Brown, Malorie Wright, Jo Anschutz, Stephen Gage, Frankie Harrell, Bud Douglas, Marvie Sue Goates, Elisa Snelson, Mary Lynn Emery, Brenda Peacock, Helen Stewart and Candy Savage Brooks.

Frankie Brown underwent knee replacement surgery Tuesday, October 8, 2002. She is at St. Joseph's Hospital in Paris and is reported doing well.

Visiting with her mother and grandmother, Jackie Crowley and Charline Black over the weekend was Jolee Kirkland of Dallas.

Happy October Anniversary to Michael and Jennifer Waldrum.

Frankie and Maxine Harrell spend Thursday October 10, 2002 in Dallas where they both had doctor's appointments. They enjoyed lunch at a favorite restaurant before returning home.

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On November 2, singing will conclude the revival from 3 until 7 p.m.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Thomas graduates AF basic training

Air Force Airman Jason L. Thomas has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs; performed drill and ceremony marches and received physical training and special training in human relations.

He is the son of Stuart and Sherry Williams of Pine Branch and the grandson of Doyle and Betty Williams of Cuthand and Geneva Pearce of Odessa.

He is a 2000 graduate of Rivercrest High School.



Jason Thomas

Johnstown News

Roger Hawkins of Corpus Chirstie visited with his parents, Punkin and Gene Hawkins in Johnstown this week. On Saturday, Bell Thomas and Dixie Stringfellow visited with them all.



KASEY EASLEY was named Rivercrest Homecoming King at the Rivercrest High School Powder Puff football game held Tuesday evening. Kasey is the son of Rene Gonzalez and Kent Easley both of Mt. Pleasant.

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- TUESDAY**
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condiments
juice & milk
Lunch
Chicken nuggets
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green beans
hot rolls
milk
- WEDNESDAY**
- Breakfast
Sausage & biscuit
condiments
juice & milk
Lunch
Corn Chip Pie
beans
cheese sticks
fruit
milk
- THURSDAY**
- Breakfast
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juice & milk
Lunch
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milk
- FRIDAY**
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Happy birthday to Robert Dye and Jerrod Bankhead.

Happy anniversary to Frankie and Julie Norwood.

The Cunningham Octoberfest was a huge success thanks to the many people who worked so hard organizing and working it was a beautiful day and everyone enjoyed the activities that lasted from 9 a.m. until after 10 p.m. Brandon Oats, Matt Moffitt, Brea Sessums and Katha Crawford's team won the volleyball tournament. Danci Smith won the football throw and Logan Norwood won the lawn mower race because Talma Norwood was disqualified for modifying his lawn mower during the race. Jesi Davis came in second and Danci Smith came in third. Brett Watson and Josh Osburn won the basketball free throw, Heath Sessums and Huck Berry won the horseshoe pitch contest and Ronald Hicks won the closest to the flag golf contest. A special thanks to Tyndell Road Band for an outstanding evening of music.

Charles Nichols spent a few days in Elk Point, ND working on a church. Juanita Norwood Montgomery from Los Angeles, CA spent the weekend with Cindy Nichols. They visited Danny and Sharon Norwood Sunday.

Shelby Kennedy spent the night with Jeff and Cindy Kennedy Sunday.

Nelta and Johnny Musgrove honored Zarinska Morton and Charity Musgrove on their birthdays last week by taking them out to eat. Ira Norman from Edmond, OK spent the weekend with Johnny and Nelta. Joining them Sunday were Stacy, Linda, Shoney and Charity Musgrove. Shane and Zarinska Morton and Rick and Teresa Mannis.

Copnerstone Church will have special services Friday through Sunday. Gary Gatlin from North Carolina will be the guest speaker. Service times are Friday at 7 p.m., Saturday at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. and Sunday at 10:30 and 6 p.m.

Everyone is invited. Juanita Montgomery visited in the home of James and Pat Norwood for a few days.

Geneva Norwood had her family Sunday and special guests were Cindy Nichols, Juanita Montgomery and Ira and Larry Norman.

Velma Cox, Dorothy Jean Randall and Floy and Wayne Williams ate at the 909 Diner in Bogata Monday. Velma visited Walker Devlin on Thursday.

Julie Norwood and Carol Jones went to Sulphur Springs to shop Sunday.

Pete and L'Wanda McKnight honored Jenna Patterson with a birthday dinner Sunday. Ethelyn Davis visited them also.

Amber and Matt Galloway spent the weekend in Texarkana. They met Matt's new born nephew for the first time.

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Cuthand fund-raiser a success

Cuthand Methodist Church hosted a Bar-B-Que Dinner and Pie Auction Saturday night, October 12, 2002, raising funds to benefit their recently purchased church van. A total of almost \$2,500 was collected. Special thanks goes to Jeffrey Don Bivins for donating and cooking the bar-b-que.

The members of the Cuthand Methodist Church would like to invite everyone to join them any Sunday morning for down home gospel music and spirit filled preaching. Worship begins at 9:45 a.m. on Sundays, followed by Sunday School classes for all ages, including the newly formed "younger adults" class.



PET TALK

Does Rover get "dog tired?"
If your typically energetic dog collapses into a deep sleep now and then, he may have narcolepsy, a rare neurological disorder that can affect animals and humans alike.

While narcoleptic episodes in pets may be more disturbing to the pet owner than to the pet and are not actually harmful, Coates says even one narcoleptic event should prompt a visit to the veterinarian.

Some animals grow out of their narcolepsy, but usually not without some veterinary treatment. If your pet is diagnosed with narcolepsy, there are medications that may reduce the frequency of attacks. Eventually, at the advice of your veterinarian, it may be possible to slowly wean the patient off of the medication, but relapses may occur.

In addition to medication, Coates recommends keeping the pet in an environment that will not become harmful in the event of a narcoleptic episode. This means restricting the pet from stairs, ledges and any other surface from which it can fall.

If you suspect your pet's narcolepsy is causing it undue stress, remember narcoleptic pets can often be completely unaware of their condition. The old phrase of letting sleeping dogs lie could be harmful to your pet.

Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE
Region VIII Education Center is seeking public comment on a Technology Applications Readiness Grant (TARGET grant) which utilizes funds from the Federal No Child Left Behind Act. Information on TARGET grants can be found at <http://www.tea.state.tx.us/technology/target/>. If you have comments, please contact Dale McCurdy at 903-572-8551 or you may mail comments to: Region VIII Education Service Center, Attn: Dale McCurdy, P.O. Box 1894, Mt. Pleasant, Texas 75456.
10-24

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
The reauthorization of the local sales and use tax in the City of Deport at the rate of one-fourth of one percent to continue providing revenue for maintenance and repair of municipal streets.
To be held November 5, 2002 at the Deport City Hall, 201 Main Street in the City of Deport, Texas. Early voting ballot will begin October 15 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Deport City Hall at the above address.
By order of Mayor Gilbert Arriaga.
10-24

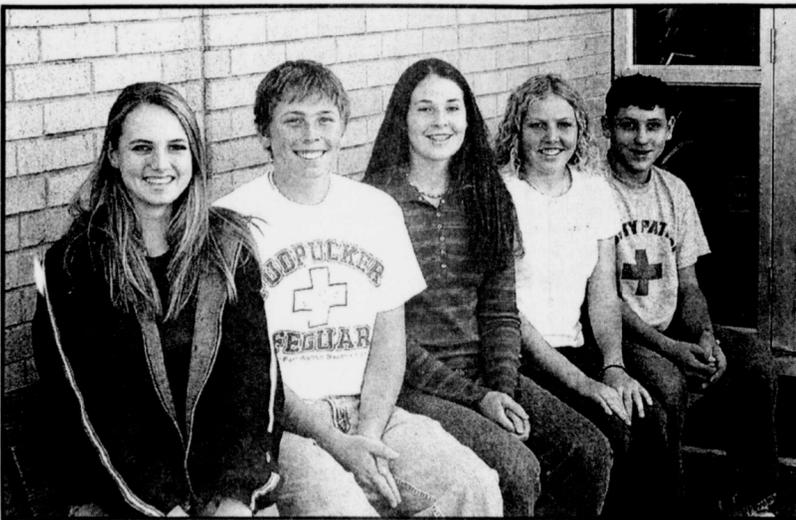
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The bids will be opened at 7:00 p.m. on October 21, 2002, at the Prairiland administration building, Route 1, Box 200, Pattonville, Texas 75468. For information, call Buddy Freeman at 903-652-6476. Please submit bids in a sealed envelope to the above address or fax to 903-652-3738. Prairiland reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
10-17

ORDINANCE NO. 02-14
AN ORDINANCE OF THE City of Bogata, Texas, establishing provisions for creation of parking spaces for disabled persons; providing definitions for general words and phrases; providing for fines up to \$1,000 plus community service for violators; providing a savings clause; and setting an effective date.

ORDINANCE NO. 02-15
AN ORDINANCE OF THE City of Bogata, Texas, establishing restrictions relating to the operation of adult oriented businesses; providing definitions for general words and phrases; listing classifications; providing for licenses; providing a fine of up to \$4,000 and/or a year in jail for violators; providing a savings clause; and setting an effective date.
The above ordinances become effective 30 days after their publication or November 17, 2002. They may be read in their entirety at City Hall.
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RRC Genealogical Society meet

The Red River County Genealogical Society met October 14, 2002 at the County library. The Society has changed the meeting time to 7:00 p.m. The December meeting time and place will be announced at the November meeting.

Monty Olson of the Bryan County Oklahoma Genealogical Society presented the program. "Grandma was an Indian" was the topic, which he addressed. He told about the five tribes, which he

researches, and the difficulties, which are encountered in Indian research. He had handouts for people in attendance, which would help people doing Indian research. Publications were available showing steps to follow in research.

Twenty-six were in attendance for this informative meeting. November 11, 2002 is the date for the next program at the library. Members and guests are encouraged to attend.

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MULTI-FAMILY garage sale Saturday, October 19, 8 to 3. 37S to Hagansport. Turn right on Hwy. 71 west, go 1 mile to CR12070. Watch for signs. No sales before 8. 10-17

4 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Oct. 18, 8-5, rain or shine. 8 miles east on FM71 from blinking light in Talco. Brick house on left. Lots of everything. LaQuita Crawford, Mary Brown, Deanna Sulsar, Rhonda Brown. 10-17

YARD SALE: Fri. & Sat., 8 until 2. FM1487, Cuthand, look for signs. Nursing uniforms, girls clothes, ladies, Kenmore glass top cook stove, dining table & chairs, furniture, misc. Cancel if raining. 10-17

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POWDER PUFF PLAYERS-the Rivercrest senior girls lined up at the Powder Puff pep rally held last week. The team took a 24-6 win over the junior team on Tuesday night in the rain and mud.

People & Things

RIVERCREST ISD PHONE NUMBERS
 Phone numbers for the three campuses of Rivercrest ISD are:
 Talco School Rivercrest Junior High-903-379-3841
 Rivercrest High School-903-632-5204
 Rivercrest Elementary School-903-632-5214.

Tuesdays
 B.A.M. (Bogata Area Moms) playgroup for stay at home moms and their children meets Tuesdays from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Call Kelly for more information at 903-632-4493.

October 22
 Retakes of Rivercrest Elementary School student pictures will be done on Tuesday, October 22.

October 27
 Daylight Savings Time ends October 27, 2002. Fall back 1 hour when you go to bed Saturday night.



REBEL TEES-The newly formed Spirit Club of Rivercrest ISD had Rebel tee shirts on sale at Thursday nights game. Pictured making sales for the group are; Kim Barrett, Dustin Barrett and Josh Budro. All proceeds from the sales will go to the Spirit Club which will support all types of activities at the schools. The Club is open to everyone in the community not just those who have children in school and extend an invitation to all to join and share in the fun of supporting our local school and its students. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS-this year at Rivercrest High School are; President, Dustin DeMoss, Vice President, Cody Clark, Secretary/Treasurer, B.A. Middleton and Reporter, Sara Brooks. (Staff Photo Nancy Brown)

Class of '72' to reunite Oct. 26

The Rivercrest High School graduating class of 1972 will celebrate their 30th year reunion on October 26, 2002 at the Bogata Community Center.

Visitation will begin at 3:00 p.m. followed by a meal at 6:00 p.m. Bar-B-Que will be cooked by Larry Harville. Each family should bring their favorite salad or dessert to compliment the meal.

All classmates of the class are invited to attend and a special invitation is extended to those classmates who moved before 1972 and the classes of '71' and '73'.

Plan to come early and stay late. For more information call Terry Dodd at 972-216-7552 or Larry Harville at 817-430-9046.

84 Club meets

Molee Huddleston was hostess to the monthly meeting of the 84-42 Club at her home Thursday.

Two tables were arranged for the games. A delicious salad plate was served to the following members: Maurine Mankins, Wootie Harville, Mary Ellen Kain, Maggie Lee, Willie Clark, Helen Williams, Bertha McCall and the hostess. The next meeting will be with Maggie Lee as hostess on November 7, 2002.



<p>Huddleston DRAWING \$50 in Groceries Saturday, 5:00 p.m.</p>		<h1>HUDDLESTON'S GROCERY</h1> <p><i>We Honor Manufacturers COUPONS</i></p>			
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<p>EGGS Grade A Large 69¢ Dozen</p> 	<p>GOLDEN ROYAL MILK Gal. 2% & Homo \$2⁹⁹</p> 	<p>KRAFT SALAD DRESSINGS 24 Oz. Squeeze Btl. \$2²⁹</p> 	<p>Wolf Chili 15 Oz. Car 99¢</p> 	<p>Colorado Pinto Beans Lb. 49¢</p>	<p>KINGSFORD CHARCOAL 20 Lb. Bag \$5⁹⁹</p> 
<p>NABISCO CHEESE NIPS Snack Crackers 11 oz. Box \$1⁹⁹</p>	<p>LAY'S POTATO CHIPS Reg. \$1⁴⁹ All Kinds 99¢</p> 	<p>DORITO CHIPS All Kinds Reg. \$3²⁹ \$2⁶⁹</p> 	<p>TOSTITO QUESO SALSA DIP 15. Oz. \$2⁴⁹</p> 	<p>PARADE Evaporated Milk 12 Oz. Can 2/\$1</p>	<p>CHEER LAUNDRY DETERGENT 65 oz. Box \$4⁴⁹</p> 
<p>BANANAS 49¢ Lb.</p>	<p>PRODUCE</p> <p>POTATOES 10 Lb. Bag \$2²⁹</p> <p>APPLES 59¢ Lb.</p> <p>ORANGES 49¢ lb.</p>		<p>POST RAISIN BRAN 20 Oz. \$1⁹⁹</p>	<p>CHEERIOS 15 Oz. \$1⁹⁹</p> 	<p>COKE, DIET COKE, SPRITE DR. PEPPER, DIET DR. PEPPER</p> <p>2 Liter 99¢ 12 Pk. \$2⁹⁹</p> <p>3 Lter \$1⁷⁹</p> <p>6 Pk. 16 Oz. Btl. \$1⁹⁹</p> 