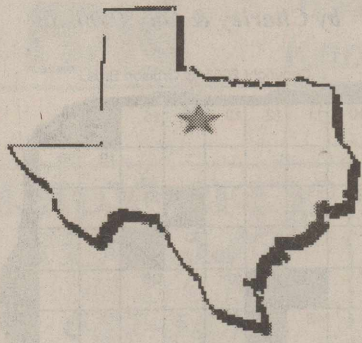


| | | | | | |
|--|--|---|---|--|---|
| Wednesday September 28th High/Low 96°/58° Mostly Sunny | Thursday September 29th High/Low 76°/53° Mostly Cloudy | Friday September 30th High/Low 87°/62° Mostly Sunny | Saturday October 1st High/Low 90°/62° Isolated-T-Storms | Sunday October 2nd High/Low 88°/61° Mostly Sunny | Monday October 3rd High/Low 89°/61° Isolated T-Storms |
|--|--|---|---|--|---|



THE Knox County News

Proudly Serving Knox and King Counties

Volume XXXIV Number 48

Thursday, September 28, 2005

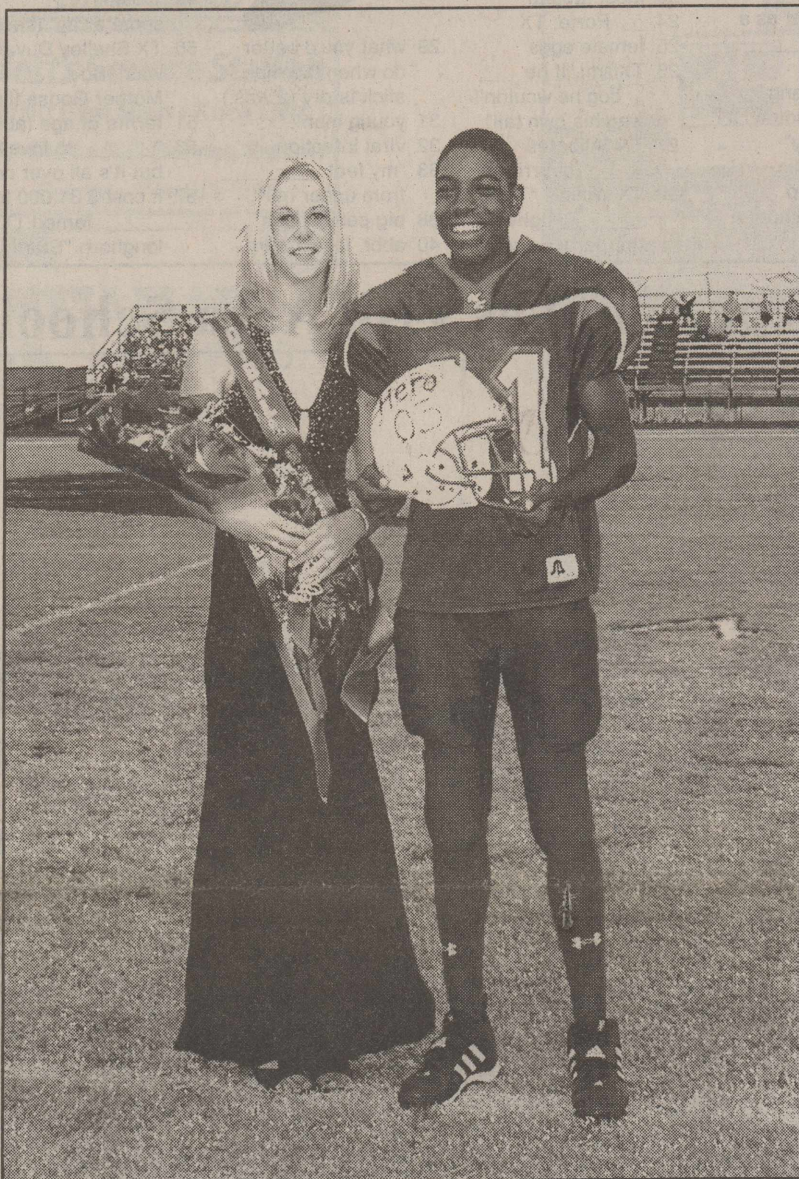
Knox City, Texas

10 Pages +

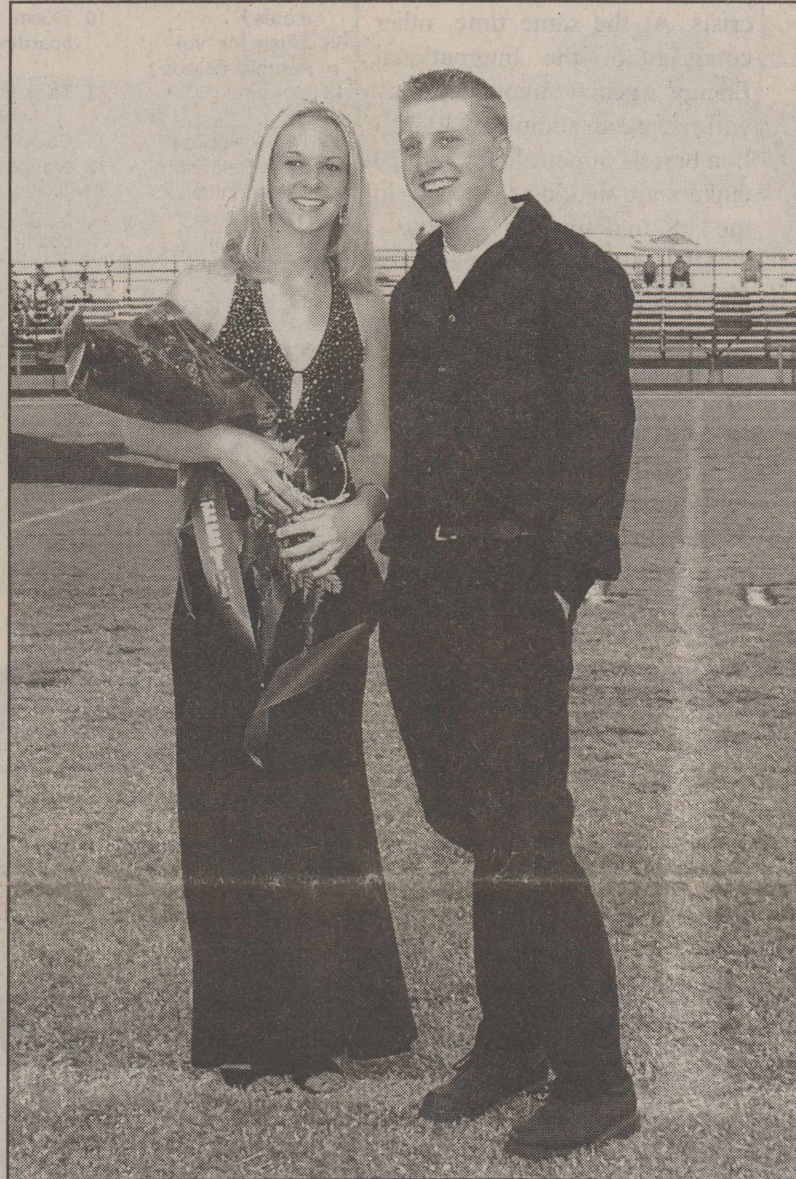
2 Inserts

Price 75 ¢

2005 KCHS Homecoming Royalty



Football Sweetheart and Hero
Nikki Moss and Jeremy Saxton

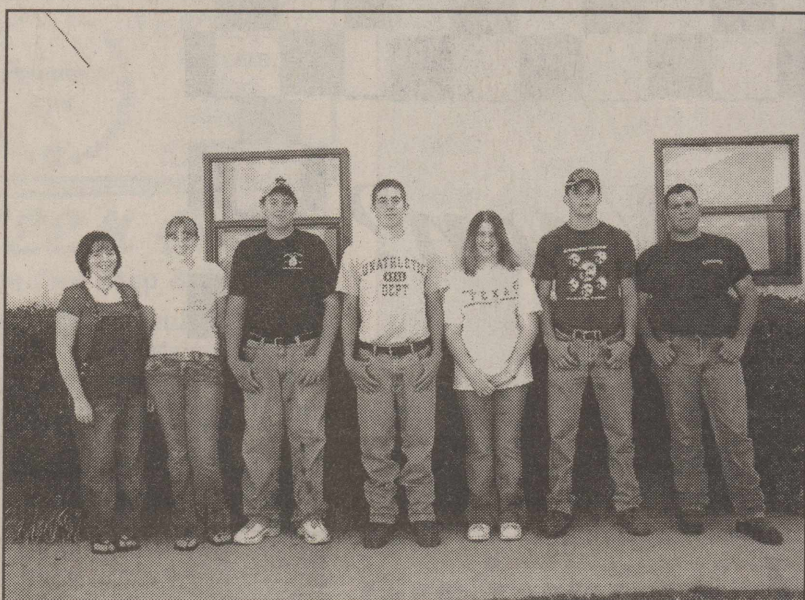


Band Sweetheart and Band Beau
Nikki Moss and Grant Lewis



Miss Firelighter Marni McLemore,
Miss Firelighter nominees Kayla Martin and Indira Monge

Knox City FFA Officers



L to R: Lynddy Moeller, Kayla Stewart, Shane Strickland, Joseph Albus, Heather Moore, Cody Wainscott, Jeffrey Rodriguez.

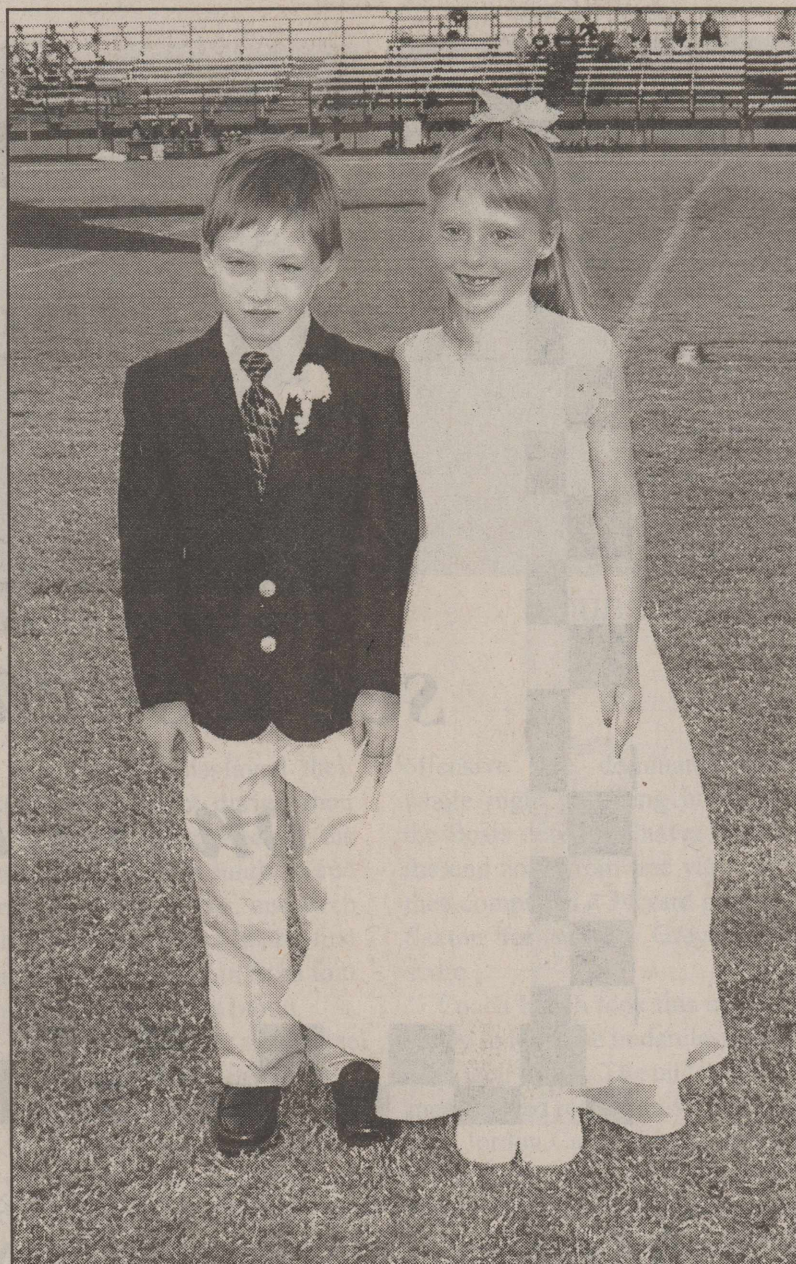
The Knox City FFA Chapter had their first meeting last Tuesday where they elected their officers for the year. From left to right they are: President Lynddy Moeller, Vice President Kayla Stewart, Secretary Shane Strickland, Treasure Joseph Albus, Reporter Heather Moore, Sentinel Cody Wainscott, and Historian Jeffrey Rodriguez.

Knox City also played host last Wednesday to the state president Loagan West, first vice president Jamin Roller and the Area 4 vice president Derek Dunlop.

The state representatives came and spoke to the group about all

the different competitions they could compete in and the upcoming state convention in July. The state convention is where they will elect new state officers that will be in charge of touring the state speaking and attending many other conventions where they will try to spread the word about the largest youth organization in the nation.

Rick Moeller, ag teacher and FFA leader, and all FFA members would like to extend their gratitude to Don and Marla Hawkins for welcoming the state officers into their home, and for all of their hospitality.



Homecoming escorts were Knox City elementary first graders, Christopher and Cara Espinosa. Christopher, recovering from recent surgery, gets our vote for Hometown Hero. Their parents are Robert and Sandy Espinosa of Knox City.

Visioning Meeting Held in Munday



Those attending the meeting left to right: Charlie Lankford, J.M. Emerson, Amanda Bibb, Mark Reed, Barbara Rector, Terry Utley, Travis Floyd, Bobby Cude, Jackie Lowrance and Homer Lowrance.

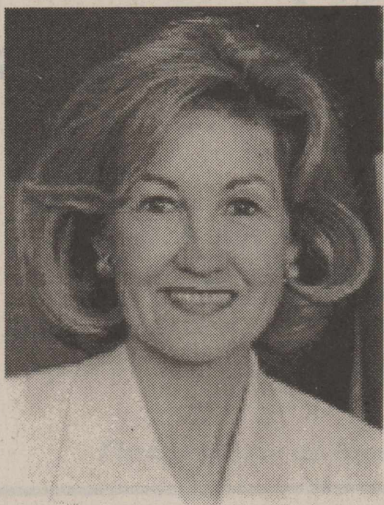
The Knox County Visionary Committee met Monday to discuss the future of our communities. They all agree that if something isn't done, we will slowly but surely be drowned out by the hustle and bustle of the big cities. The major concern is the declining population count. Several ideas were discussed concerning different means to boost the numbers and get more people interested in moving to Knox County, nothing was decided upon. The committee began the meeting by introduction and discussing individual concerns. Next, they discussed the goals that had previously been set by the committee. Goal one is to educate the community about the county's assets, vision and what needs to be done to make the vision a reality. Goal two is how to retain and expand businesses in the community.

Goal three is for new industries and career opportunities to be found in the county. Assignments have been given out for all three goals. There is a chairman for each that will assume responsibility for each. There is currently no chairman for the first goal, but candidates are being looked at. Chairman for the second goal is Barbara Rector, Knox City's manager, and the chairman for the third is Dwayne Bearden. In order for everything to come together and work out like it needs to, the committee is asking for the local business owners or representatives to assist in the matter, and give whatever ideas or concerns of their own. Their next meeting is on October 17th at 1:00 pm in Benjamin. Please help make our community the best that it can be.

kcnews@valornet.com

Fax number: 940-658-3228

Phone numbers: 940-657-3142 or 940-657-4142



Kay Bailey Hutchison United States Senator

HURRICANE KATRINA TAKING TOLL ON ENERGY COSTS

The aftermath of Hurricane Katrina will be felt by those in the Gulf Coast for years. While our Texas cities are opening their doors, and Texans are opening their hearts, there is no way to fully prepare for the long-term devastation of Katrina. Yet, in the near term, people across the country are feeling the brunt of this storm in different ways, especially at the gas station.

Before we ever heard the name Katrina, our gas prices were on the rise. The strong economic growth we have experienced over the past two years, coupled with growth in other countries such as China and India, has driven high demand for oil.

The destruction of Katrina dramatically complicated the issue by affecting supplies of gasoline. The first day Katrina brutally slammed the Gulf Coast, a total of 615 manned platforms in the Gulf of Mexico and 90 drilling rigs were evacuated. These evacuations by week's end were equivalent to 52 percent of the 819 manned platforms in the Gulf of Mexico and 48 percent of the 137 drilling rigs which operate in the Gulf of Mexico.

Five refineries along the coast were forced to reduce operations. In all, 90 percent of the oil production and 80 percent of the gas production in the Gulf Coast was temporarily impacted. In addition, the widespread damage of Katrina impacted major pipelines, with three either totally or partially out of service. There is progress being made

to bring these major pipelines back on line. The Colonial Pipeline - which carries 100 million gallons of gasoline and diesel to the south and eastern U.S. - was brought back to full capacity this weekend. This will help significantly with the oil and gas demand.

All said, Katrina brought with her a dramatic increase in gasoline prices around the country. The average price of regular grade in Texas rose to \$2.63 last Friday, with many consumers paying more than \$3 per gallon.

A supply shock such as this is potentially much more harmful to the economy and consumers than the previous demand-driven spikes and must be addressed aggressively. The Bush Administration took several steps recently to relieve supply pressures while efforts are being made to bring the oil rigs, refineries and pipelines back into full service.

Within hours of the hurricane passing, the Environmental Protection Agency issued a nationwide waiver on certain standards to allow for the use of "winter blend" reformulated gasoline in place of "summer blend" that is otherwise required to be used through September 15.

This action makes available considerable stocks of reformulated gasoline that are in storage to fulfill consumer demand and immediately ease supply problems.

President Bush also ordered oil from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve (SPR) to be released.

The initial amount will add 30 million barrels to the market. Within 48 hours of receiving requests from oil companies, oil was on its way from the SPR to refineries. The SPR contains 700 million barrels, so we have plenty to work with during this crisis. At the same time, other countries of the International Energy Agency announced they will release an additional 30 million barrels of petroleum, and 20 tankers are making their way to the U.S. to deliver this energy.

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security has also waived Jones Act restrictions which limit the use of ships under foreign flags in order to allow additional tankers and barges to transport oil and gasoline into ports around the country. These specific ports may have seen supply disruptions as a result of pipelines running below capacity.

These bold moves immediately relieved pressures in the market. The price of a barrel of oil dropped to \$65 just over a week after Katrina first touched ground. While some of the supply problems will be resolved relatively soon, it may take some time to get all refining and drilling facilities online again. In the meantime, I will continue to work with President Bush to seek both short-term and long-term solutions to ensure consumers have sufficient supplies of gasoline.

Energy costs are a part of Katrina's aftermath that affects jobs and budgets of all Americans.

ACROSS

- 1 TXism: "winder" (exciting)
- 5 in 1910, TX Johnson knocked out the "great white"
- 6 acronym for state library's archives division
- 7 TXism: "bunched up like ___ at a trough"
- 8 birth month for TX Don Meredith (abbr.)
- 9 with 36-across, cartoon created by "Tex" Henson
- 16 actress Patricia of TX-based "Hud"
- 18 SBC Center to the Spurs (2 wds.)
- 21 sch. exercise (abbr.)
- 22 drug addict
- 23 TX "alligator" or "spotted" fish ground-huggin' cloud? (2 wds.)
- 30 boot repair (2 wds.)
- 34 "Et __, Brute?"
- 35 gas at \$2 per gallon? (2 wds.)
- 36 last name in cartoon of 9-across
- 37 TX among other states?
- 39 TXism for "vulnerable" (3 wds.)
- 43 murders
- 44 San _____ TX
- 45 TX "Cowpokes" artist Reid (init.)
- 46 TXism: "mean as a bulldog on a gunpowder _____"

DOWN

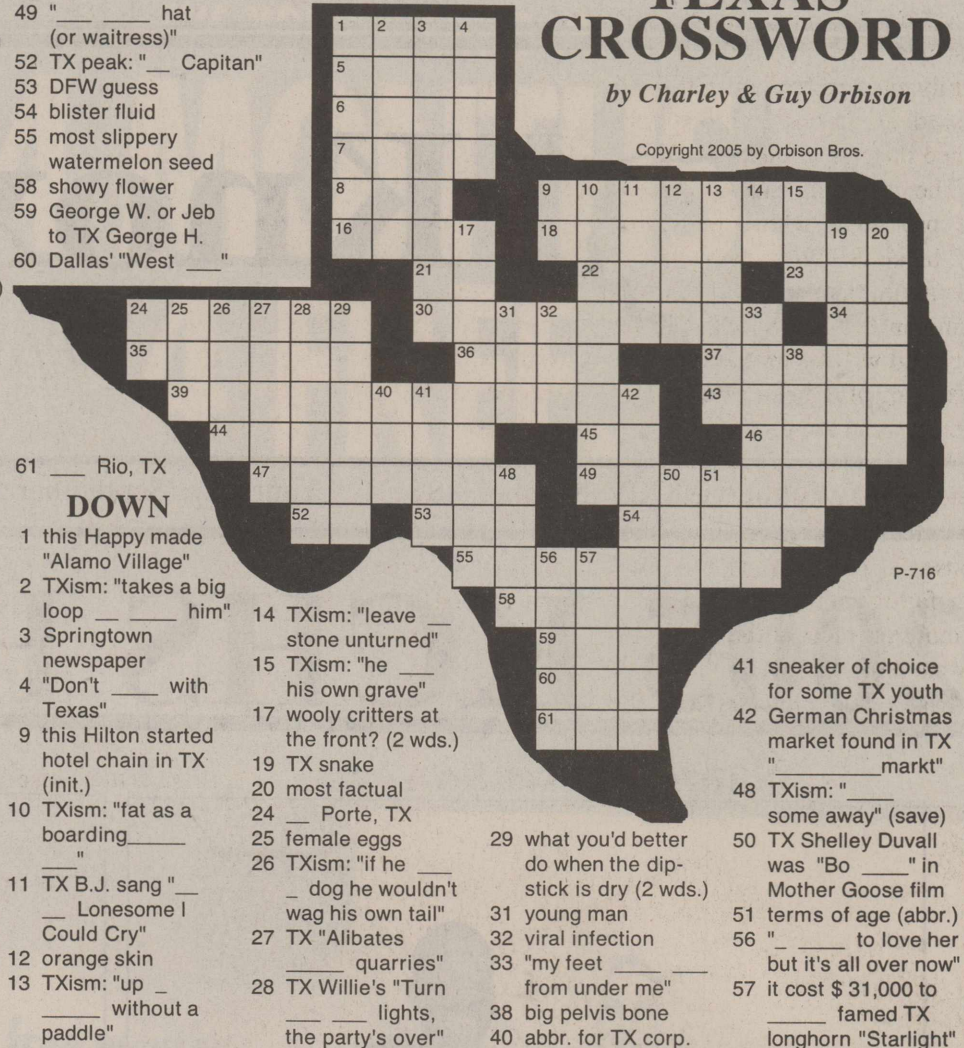
- 1 this Happy made "Alamo Village"
- 2 TXism: "takes a big loop _____ him"
- 3 Springtown newspaper
- 4 "Don't _____ with Texas!"
- 9 this Hilton started hotel chain in TX (init.)
- 10 TXism: "fat as a boarding _____"
- 11 TX B.J. sang "_____ Lonesome I Could Cry"
- 12 orange skin
- 13 TXism: "up _____ without a paddle"
- 14 TXism: "leave _____ stone unturned"
- 15 TXism: "he _____ his own grave"
- 17 woolly critters at the front? (2 wds.)
- 19 TX snake
- 20 most factual
- 24 _____ Porte, TX
- 25 female eggs
- 26 TXism: "if he _____ dog he wouldn't wag his own tail"
- 27 TX "Alibates _____ quarries"
- 28 TX Willie's "Turn _____ lights, _____ the party's over"

The Original

TEXAS CROSSWORD

by Charley & Guy Orbison

Copyright 2005 by Orbison Bros.



State FFA Representatives Visit Area Schools



L to R: State President Logan West, First Vice President Jamin Roller, and Area 4 Vice President Derek Dunlap

1915-2005



If You Know
Who This Is
Call 657-3380
Tell Him
Happy Birthday!

September 30th

Propps Awarded Scholarship

Chance Elliott Propps, a graduate of Benjamin High School, has been awarded a scholarship by the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation.

Propps received a Harold Lawrence Memorial Scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 payable \$500 each semester of the first year. This year the Lawrence Memorial is awarding 10 grants to students who have participated in the University Interscholastic League Academic State Meet and who have compiled an outstanding record of academic and extracurricular achievement.

This year the TILF awarded 346 new awards and will renew approximately 200 awards for a total of more than 500 scholarships for 2005-06, with an ap-

proximate value of \$1,025,000. Recipients may attend any approved college of university in Texas.

Propps competed in cross examination debate for three consecutive years at the 2003, 2004, and 2005 UIL Academic State Meets, placing second two years. Additionally, he competed in one act play at the 2003 State Meet, and in news writing at the 2005 State Meet.

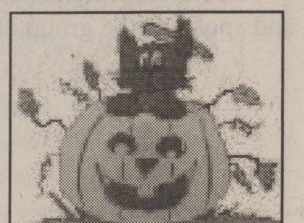
He also participates in UIL science, current issues and events, mathematics, basketball, golf, tennis and track throughout his high school career. He is the son of James and Stacia Propps.

Propps plans to attend University of Texas at Austin and major in theater arts.

Remember When?

You could
see a sneak preview
on Saturday!

Make Plans Now To Attend
TheKnox City Elementary
Fall Festival October 8, 2005
At The High School Gym



We'd Love to have YOUR news.
In the NEWS!

Deadline each week
is Monday at 5:00 p.m.

Museum News

Major donations during the past year came from the Bisbee family and the Truscott-Gilliland Historical Group which published their local history.

The museum fundraisers for the past year were the February meal, Munday garage sale, Benjamin bake sale and the Watermelon Festival booth at Knox City and will be on the calendar this year, plus bake sales, silent auctions and another quilt.

The Friday, November 11, Veterans Day plans include a historical exhibit in the court house, a program with a gold star family being honored and a hamburger meal at the Benjamin Ex-students Center.

Historical calendars and the

new Knox County Cookbook will be on sale that day. Chances on the new quilt, to be given away in February, will be available and a silent auction will be held.

These projects will be to help raise the almost \$23,000.00 more needed from local and former residents to receive the full \$30,000.00 matching grant. Information about memorial bricks and stones will be available also, as well as help in writing inscriptions, if needed.

Two fundraisers being considered are a concert and an educational program. At the meeting, silent auction items suggested were jewelry, political campaign buttons and stamps.

Name Correction



pictured left l to r: Casey Stiewert, Jordan Stiewert, Kaleb Whittle
Top: Lila Stewart, Virginia Bowen, Kristi Tankersley, Caroln Brockett, Kerri Stiewert.

IT'S THE PITT'S

Boot Heels (Best Of)

by: Lee Pitts

I've never told anyone this before but I have a foot fetish. Once a year, whether they need it or not, I get my boots polished. It's usually when I'm laid up in some big city airport and feeling real extravagant.

I love the slap-slap-slap of the shoe shine rag but it is an expense I can rarely bring myself to pay, being of the belief that you should never pay for something that you can do yourself. Besides, it bothers me that they charge a dollar more for boots than they do for shoes. They only shine the bottom part of the boot anyway, which is about the same size as a shoe, so I don't see why it should cost more. If you ask me it's discrimination against cowboys and truck drivers!

In the airport recently I noticed that my Justin Ropers could use a new coat of grease, so I sat down in the chair. Along with the shine I got to listen to a little jazz... and Bones the shoeshine man. Bones began the five step polishing process by first brushing the green mud off. At least

that's what I told him it was.

I have found that shoeshine men (I've never seen a shoeshine woman) are among the most skillful in our work force. They are also some of the most intellectually stimulating people I've ever talked to and Bones proved to be no exception. He said that you can tell a lot about a person by the boots he or she wears.

"More and more people are wearing cowboy boots," observed Bones, "but 99.9% of them have been riding more subways than horses. Boots now come in every size, shape and color," Bones said, warming to a subject on which he was an expert. "Round toes, pointy toes, wing-tipped cowboy boots and even tennis shoe/cowboy boots, although I've only shined one pair of them and it was by accident. Didn't take a shine real well either."

Figuring I could deduct my shine off my income taxes if I did a little research, I asked Bones a few questions while he practiced his trade. I thought you

might like to know what he said before you go out and purchase your next pair of boots.

"I've shined about every kind there is. I've shined sharks, lizards and snakes and I ain't talking about the leather," said Bones with a wink as he applied the polish.

"When I was working in a ritzy bar back east I shined rhinoceros, anteater, eel, kangaroo and several endangered species," he said proudly. "A lot of them guys resembled the boots they wore: Some of them had a lot of soul while others were just plain heels."

I gathered this was a worn-out old shoeshine joke.

Bones continued, "Of all of the leathers I've shined elephant was the hardest to make sparkle. They just won't take a shine. Ostrich is about the prettiest but the people who wear them are the worst tippers," observed Bones.

"Bones what's the most expensive boots you ever polished?" I curiously asked.

"I once shined a pair of full alligators. The dude made a point of tellin' me they cost four grand. He made me take the boots off

his feet to polish them so I wouldn't get any polish on his pants. Funny thing was, when I took those expensive boots off the man's feet he had big holes in his socks," exclaimed Bones. "Any man that spends \$4,000 on boots and can't afford a new pair of socks is a real phony."

"That's how they can afford the boots," I said prophetically, "by skimping on the socks. Who are the best tippers?" I asked Bones, changing the subject.

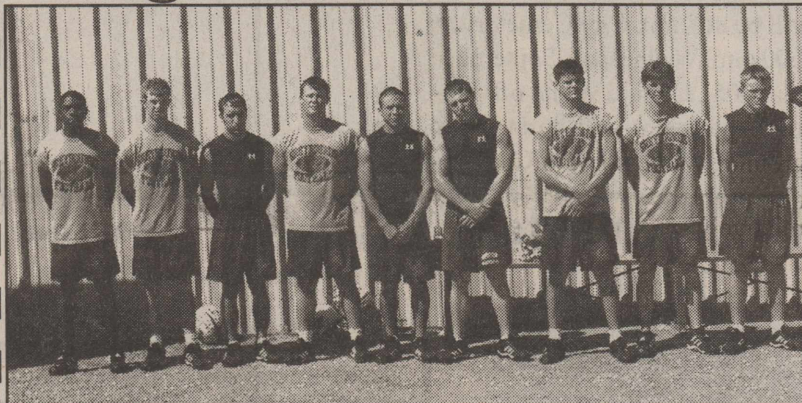
"Generally the cheaper the boot the better the tip. I have found that folks who wear bull hide are the most interesting and adventurous people. By the way, what kind of leather is this?" asked Bones as he buffed my boots.

"It's bull hide," I replied adventurously. "And Bones, don't you dare take them off my feet to polish them. A real cowboy never takes his boots off, not on his death bed nor on the shoe shine stand."

At least that's the excuse I gave Bones for not taking my boots off. Between you and me, there was some doubt in my mind as to the wholeness of my socks.

Knox City's Bike-A-Thon Raises A Grand Total of \$832.00 For St. Jude's Hospital

Big Hit Of The Week



L to R: Jeremy Saxton, Ryan Harrington, Kylin Delvalle, Brandon Grimsley, Sondro Garcia, Thomas Myers, Cody Wainscott, Andy Shaver, Tim Sanders

This week's featured players are:

Big Play - Jeremy Saxton

Big Hit - Ryan Harrington

Big Block - Kylin Delvalle & Brandon Grimsley

Special Teams - Sondro Garcia

Relentless Effort - Thomas Myers & Cody Wainscott

Best Technique - Andy Shaver

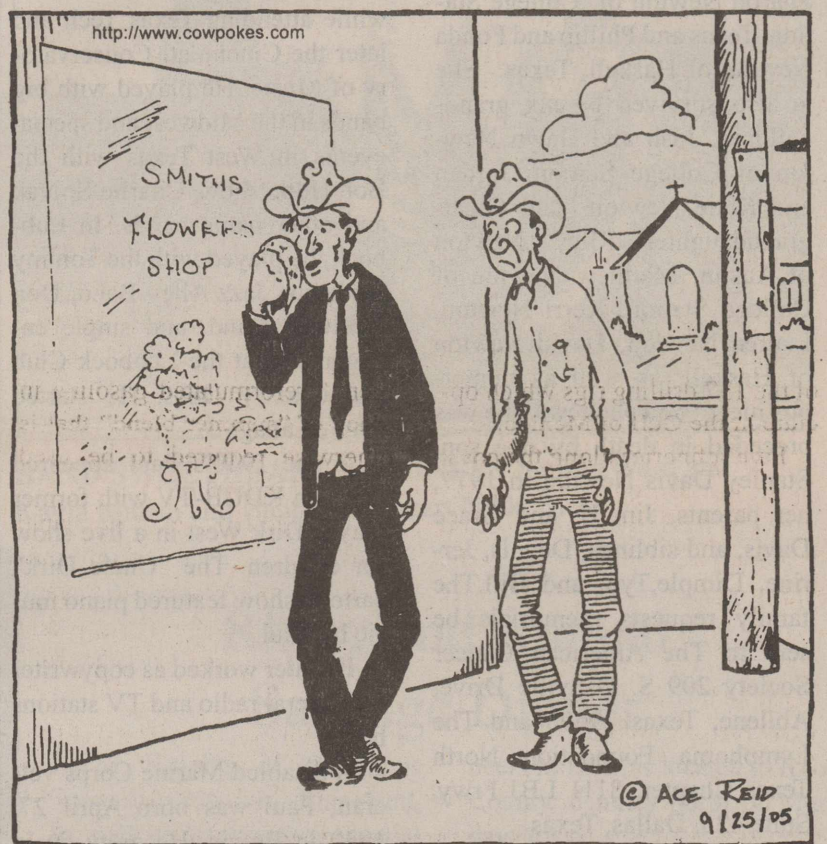
Scout Team - Tim Sanders

Big Hit of the Week is Sponsored by:



COW POKES®

By Ace Reid



"I've just been to my doctor's funeral. He quit drinkin', smokin', and started dietin' and takin' exercise and died in 45 days."

BJ COUNTRY STORE
Famous Sandwiches - Salads
Western Union - Bus Station
Groceries - RV Hook-up
Gas - Diesel
Janice 940-459-2009

Tolson Backhoe
Septic Tank Installation
Lic. #0S0008580
Rural Water Lines
Welding Supplies
Tolson Feed
Vitalix - Hi-Pro
Buddy 940-459-3232 • 940-256-0796

THE KNOX COUNTY NEWS
USPS 903-920
POSTMASTER: Send Form 3579 to The Knox County News, PO Box 188, Knox City, TX. 79529. Published weekly at 110 North Central, Knox City, Knox County, Texas. Periodicals postage paid at Post Office, Knox City, Texas 79529.
Member Texas Press Association West Texas Press Association
P.O. Box 188
110 N. Central
Knox City, Texas 79529
940-657-3142
FAX 940-657-3142
kcnews@srcaccess.net
SUBSCRIPTION RATES
Within Knox County & O'Brien: \$26/Year
Within Texas: \$28/Year
All others: \$30/Year
DEADLINES
The deadline to submit news and advertising is 4 p.m. on Mondays. Exceptions may be granted only by permission from the Editor.
JEFF JORDAN
Publisher
Editor
LAURA MCCANLIES
Business Manager

Notice Public Hearing Benjamin City Council
A public hearing will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, October 10, 2005 at Benjamin City Hall, 303 S. Hinton, in regard to posting and enforcing one way traffic on South Church Street between intersections of Highway 82 E and South Church Street and South Church Street and East Cedar Street. For more information please call City Hall at 459-3131 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 12 p.m. Monday through Friday.
2tc wc75

Knox County News Open Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
All ad's in by 5:00 p.m. Monday's

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Citizens Insurance Services
Offering Progressive, The Hartford, Allstate, Travelers, Zurich, Blue Cross & Blue Shield of TX, Golden Rule
We can handle all of your insurance needs.
Call or stop by today - 940-658-3509
Shavonne Martinez, Jennifer DeVile
A wholly owned subsidiary of Citizens Bank, N. A.
Insurance products are not insured by FDIC

The Knox County News
Knox County's Oldest Established Newspaper
Place Your Business Ad Today!
Phone 940-657-3142 • FAX 940-657-4142

Bill Stewart Insurance Services
Office (940) 658-3211 • Fax (940) 658-5509
Mobile (940) 256-2394
• Crop Hail • Fire • Auto • Homeowners • Life • Hospital
• Liability • Workers' Compensation • Bonds • Farm Equipment
P.O. Box 99 • 700 E. Main • Knox City, TX 79529-0099

Knox County Hospital
Knox City • Munday Clinic
Knox County Home Health
Knox County EMS
Your Home Healthcare Team

Construction Services, Roustabout Service, Backhoe, Dump Truck, Welding, Fiberglass Repair Test Tank, Rental
Bennett Shortes
Office (940) 658-3576
Mobile (940) 256-2370
P.O. Box 189 • Knox City, Texas • 79529-0189

Obituaries



Vera Lee (Davis) Newton

Mrs. Vera Lee (Davis) Newton, age 74, of Rochester, Texas, died Wednesday, September 21, 2005, at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene, Texas. Services will be at the Haskell Church of Christ at 10:00 AM, Friday, September 23, 2005 with Steve Willis and Jim Yates officiating, with Interment to follow at the Rochester Cemetery, in Rochester, Texas under the direction of Mansell-Smith Funeral Home of Knox City, Texas. She is survived by her husband Laymon Newton, and children, Mike and Sharon Newton of College Station, Texas and Phillip and Fonda Newton of Haskell, Texas. She is also survived by six grandchildren, Josh and Dawn Newton of College Station, Jordan and Katie Newton and Great-granddaughter Riley Newton of Austin, Matthew Newton of College Station, Kerri Newton, Lauren Newton, David Newton of Haskell, as well as numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by one son, Stanley Davis Newton in 1977, her parents, Jim H. and Grace Davis, and siblings, Dennis, Jerri, Dimple, Tyn, and Bill. The family requests memorials be sent to The American Cancer Society 209 S. Danville Drive, Abilene, Texas 79605 and The Lymphoma Foundation North Texas Chapter, 8111 LBJ Frwy, Suite 425, Dallas, Texas

The Knox County News
Has A **New**
E-Mail Address
&
Fax Number

kcnews@valornet.com

940-658-3228
Phone Numbers
940-657-3142
940-657-4142



Paul B. Green

Paul B. Green, retired teacher and longtime professional pianist, died early Friday morning after a long illness. Funeral services were at 10 a.m. Monday, Sept. 26, 2005 at First United Methodist Church with Dr. Jay Horton, senior pastor, officiating. A private graveside will be in Fairview Cemetery, Memphis, Texas. Mr. Green died Friday, Sept. 23, 2005.

Paul's career as a professional pianist began in the late 1940's while attending Texas Tech and later the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music. He played with big bands in the Midwest and special events in West Texas with the Bob Hope show, Charlie Spivak and other name bands. In Lubbock, he played with the Tommy Anderson Jazz Alley Band, Don Caldwell Band, and single engagements at the Lubbock Club and country clubs. He started playing at age 5.

In the 1950's Paul appeared daily on KDUB-TV with former mayor Dirk West in a live show for children. The "Uncle Dirk" cartoon show featured piano music by Paul.

He later worked as copywriter for several radio and TV stations here.

A disabled Marine Corps veteran, Paul was born April 27, 1930 in Bowie. He grew up in Knox City, graduated from Texas Tech with a BA in Music and a MA in education. He taught at Frenship, Knox City, Haskell, Roosevelt, Slaton, Midland and Crosbyton, before retiring in 1986.

He is survived by a brother, Otice Green and sister-in-law Mary Faye Green of Lubbock

Laura Mae (Buchanan) White

Laura Mae (Buchanan) White, age 78, of Lubbock, died Friday, September 23, 2005, at Southwest Regional Medical Center in Lubbock. She was born November 26, 1926 to James Oliver and Mary Jane Owens Buchanan in Knox City. She married Kenneth White on February 1, 1947 in Knox City. She was a homemaker and a Baptist. Laura liked to read, sew, crochet and other crafts and handwork. She was also a avid sports fan. She is survived by her two daughters Helen, Ruth and husband Bill Cook of Denton and Jo Anne and husband Ricky Alley of Lubbock. One Sister, Sister-Ruby Hughes of Garland three grandchildren: Charla and husband Chad Scott of Denton, Kenneth Lee Alley of Lubbock and Chrystal Dawn Alley of Lubbock. Two great-grandchildren: Kaleb and Kameron Scott and many nieces and nephews. The family request that memorials be sent to the American Diabetes Association P.O. Box 2680 North Canton, OH 44720. There will be visitation Tuesday September 27, 2005 from 6 pm to 8 pm at the funeral home. Arrangements are being handled by Mansell-Smith Funeral Home, Knox City. Graveside services will be at Knox City Cemetery at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 28, 2005. Donald White officiating. Interment will be at Knox City Cemetery in Knox City.

KC Elementary To Hold Fall Festival

The Knox City Elementary is inviting you to take part in their Fall Festival on October 8th.

It will be held in the Knox City gym from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. There is activities for all ages including a duck pond for the little ones, and a cake walk and bingo for the adults.

There will also be a costume contest so dress to impress. It is free to get in and tickets for the booths only cost .25 cents a piece.

Please come out and support our elementary.

Celebrating 54 Years In Business

We have the pipe, fittings, plumbing supplies, PLUS professional advice, for "do-it-yourselfers," when you make your purchase here.

Guinn Sheet Metal & Plumbing
658-3341 911 East Main Knox City, Texas

Wedding Announcement



Melissa Carolyn Eades and Michael Burl Ray were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony on Saturday, August 13th at 2:00 in the afternoon at the First Christian Church in Knox City.

The bride is the daughter of Douglas and Bettye Moore of Munday, and the groom is the

son of C.B. Ray of Knox City and the late Trixie Ray.

The ceremony was performed by Tex Cox, pastor of the First Christian Church. Mrs. Julie Bradley served as Matron of Honor and Mr. Dusty Bradley served as Best Man. Ushers and candlelighters were Skyler Eades, son of the bride, and

Brandon and Blayne Bradley. Members of the house party were Miss Nikki Moss, Miss Tiffany Wilde and Miss Rachel Ellis.

After a week long honeymoon in New Mexico and Colorado, the couple, along with the bride's children, Skyler and Dawson Eades, are making their home in Knox City.

Now Open

Law Offices of Matt Mercer
124 S. Swenson, Suite 102
Stamford, Texas 79553
325-773-2233 Phone
325-773-2255 Fax

General Practice

*Including Criminal Law, Family Law, Estates & Probate, Real Estate, Business Organization, Litigation

Licensed by the Supreme Court of Texas

*Not certified by the Texas Board of Legal Specialization

ROCHESTER RESIDENTIAL CARE

705 Carothers
Rochester, Texas
(940) 742-3437



Jean Beason LVN and Kenneth Beason

Are You Sometimes Finding It Difficult Living At Home Alone

Enjoy The Luxury And Privacy Of Having Personal Care Needs Met In A Home Environment !!!!

Our Home Is Ready To Meet Your Needs With An RN, LVN, And Experienced Personal Attendants Home Cooked Meals With Special Diets Offered



Assistance With Medications

Assistance With Bathing, Dressing, Moibility And Any Other Required Care Needs

Couples Welcome

Licensed By The State Of Texas



EXTENDED FAMILY LIVING
606 6TH
Rochester, Texas
(940) 742-4036

Joseph Logsdon RN and Casey Logsdon

HOME MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

Neublizer-with pari jets for Medicare Patients Nebulizer Medications-brought to your door by UPS

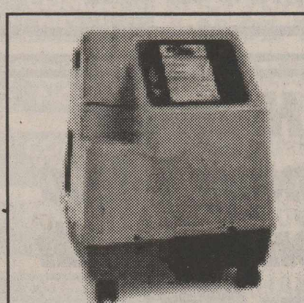
Oxygen Concentrators
Oxygen Portables
CPAP, BIPAP



Company Owned Pharmacy
AEROCARE Houston, TX.

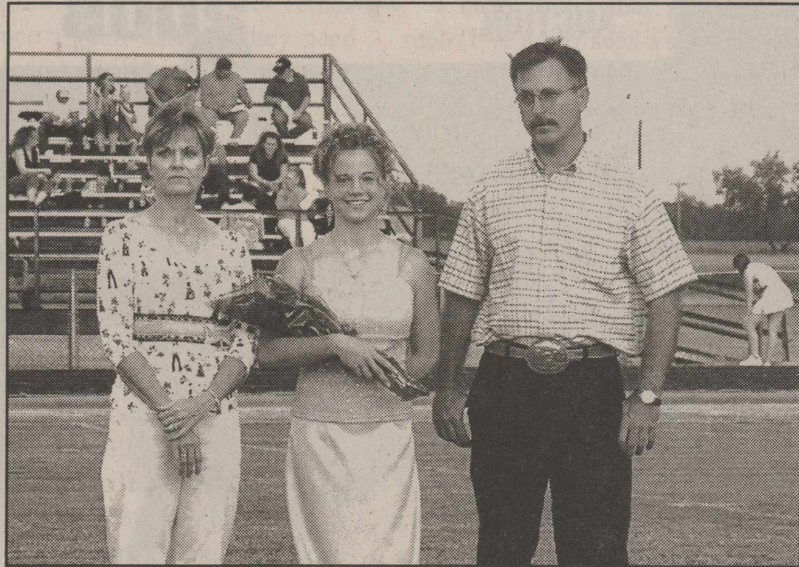
We see our patients once a month.
For more information contact:
Debbie Moorhouse / Johnna Voss
940-459-2021 or 940-256-1189
24 hr. service

602 E. Dimmitt Benjamin, Tx 79505

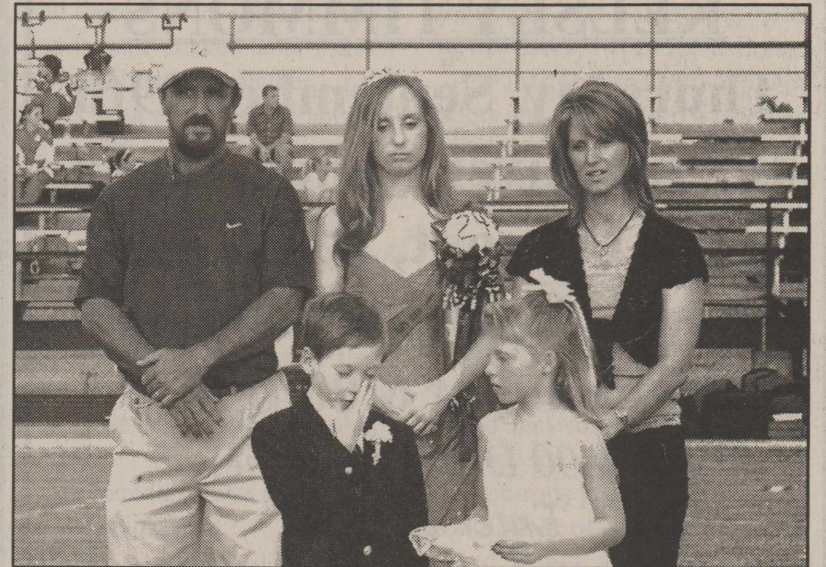




FOOTBALL SWEETHEART NOMINEE Tiffany Wilde was escorted during homecoming Royalty Ceremonies by her parents, Debbie and Craig Wilde.



FOOTBALL SWEETHEART NOMINEE Jessie Schur, was escorted during homecoming Royalty Ceremonies by her parents Charlie and Julie Schur.



Miss Firelighter Marni McLemore was escorted during homecoming Royalty Ceremonies by her parents Mitch and Kim McLemore.

KCHS Homecoming Royalty Candidates



FOOTBALL HERO NOMINEES Derrick Magana, Cody Wainscott with Football Hero Jeremy Saxton



BAND BEAU NOMINEES Jeremy Saxton, Ty Chisum, and Band Beau Grant Lewis



BAND SWEETHEART NOMINEES Jamilla Ward and Kayla Martin and Band Sweetheart Nikki Moss



Santa Rosa Communications now offers Residential Customers:

Unlimited Long Distance

\$20.00 a month

Call anyone

Call anytime

Call anywhere
(except International)

Call 1-877-889-1125 to get signed on!

Have the Convenience of knowing how much your phone bill will be.

Never worry again about talking too much!

Have the freedom to pick up the phone, dial and start talking.

7110 HWY 287 East
PO Box 2128
Vernon, Texas 76385-2128
1-888-886-2217
FAX 940-886-2025



Miss Firelighter nominee Indra Monge

Rhineland Annual Sausage Dinner

The Knights of Columbus Council 1766 in Rhineland, Tx will be having their annual Sausage Dinner on October 9, 2005. The dinner will be held in the Knights of Columbus Hall and will begin serving at 11:30 am and continue until 1:30 pm. Cost of the meal will be \$8.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children under 12. Take out plates will also be available. You may order bulk sausage by calling 940-422-4993 or 940-422-4390 Cost is \$3.00 per pound. There will also be a Country Store selling baked goods and craft items.

Rhineland, a Catholic community founded by German pio-

neers in 1895, is located in Knox County, 6 miles north of Munday, Texas.

The community has become known for its beautiful church. The church was built by local parish members and still stands today as a monument to the values of hard working people and the love they had for their church and their Catholic faith. Members of the Council and the community would like to invite everyone to come and have lunch with us on October 9, and visit our beautiful church. If you have any questions call 940-422-4390.

Thank You, Gerard Kuehler

The Albany Mainstreet Playhouse Presents

Absolutely Must See!!

Always Patsy Cline Tickets: \$10 each!!

Saturday October 1, 2005

7:00 p.m.

at the Munday High School Auditorium

For More Information: (940) 422-4540

Sponsored By: Munday Chamber of Commerce

Proceeds to benefit Munday Chamber of Commerce and Aztec Theater in Albany

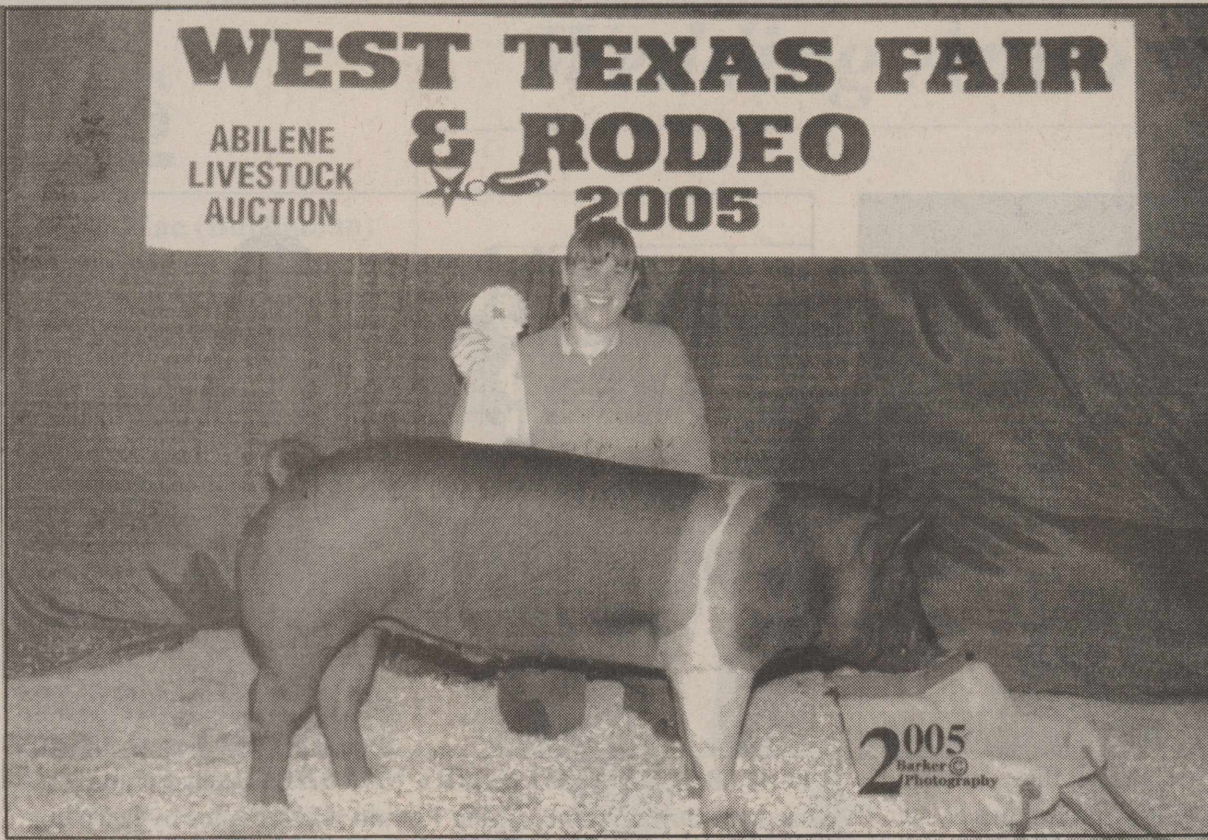
**BENEFIT ROPING
FOR
KELSEY TIMMONS**

**Thursday, September 29th
Tongue River Ranch Arena,
Dumont, Texas
Books Open at 5:00 p.m.
Roping at 6:00 p.m.**
\$30.00 Draw 3 Partners
Enter 2 Times
Barrell Roping
50 % Payback
*Trophy Buckles To Average Winners
Proceeds To Timmons Family
For Medical Expenses*
806-596-4641
For More Information

**Knox County
Sheriff's Report**

Sheriff's Report for August 30, 2005 through September 25, 2005. Following are those arrested within the indicated time and processed through the Knox County Jail.
August 30, 2005 through September 25, 2005.
1. Justin C. Wilson
8/30/05 MTR/evading arrest
2. Brandon Brumley,
8/19/05 MTR/Unlawfull
Carrying a Weapon
(held in Vernon)

- 3. Christopher Dennis
9/9/05 Possession of Cocaine
- 4. Ronelle L. Oudems
9/9/05 Possession of Cocaine
- 5. Quentin Spells
9/10/05 Criminal Trespass
- 6. Billy R. Contreras
9/10/05 Possession of Cocaine
- 7. Billy R. Lerma
9/10/05 Possession of Cocaine
- 8. Justin Larson
9/12/05 Public Intoxication
- 9. Rashard Winn
9/23/05 Possession of Controlled Substance and Unauthorized use of a vehicle.



Kayla Stewart received Reserve Breed Hampshire at the West Texas Fair and Rodeo in Abilene on September 17, 2005. Kayla will be taking her Reserve Champion Hampshire to Dallas to show at the State Fair.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT CONFERENCE

County commissioners on the Texas Rolling Plains should make plans to attend the County Commissioners Court Conference on November 3 at the Texas A&M Agricultural Research and Extension Center here; said Galen Chandler, District Extension Administrator for Texas Cooperative Extension.
District 3 encompasses Childress, Motley, Cottle, Hardeman, Foard, Wilbarger, Wichita, Clay, Montague, Dickens, King, Knox, Baylor, Archer, Kent, Stonewall, Haskell, Throckmorton, Young, Jack, Wise, Stephens, Palo Pinto and Parker counties. "This conference will provide a wealth of information for county commissioners," Chandler said.
"The \$30.00 per person registration fee includes lunch, con-

ference materials, continuing education and refreshments".
The conference will begin at 8:15 a.m. November 3, with registration, coffee and a chance to visit exhibits.
Conference topics include:
Bonds/Certificate of Obligations/Other Financing Issues
Legislative Update for Rolling Plains Counties
County Affairs Committee Update
Open Records Act
Emergency Management Programs for Counties
Legislative Update Affection Counties
"The conference also will include a morning, lunch and afternoon break - to give participants a chance to mingle and visit with each other," Chandler said

"County commissioners on the Rolling Plains should mark this event on their calendars." The conference is being sponsored by Texas Cooperative Extension and Vernon College.
For more information contact the Texas A&M University System Agricultural Research and Extension Center in Vernon at (940) 552-9941 - Ext. 226.
Educational programs of the Texas Cooperative Extension are open to all citizens without regard to race, color, sex, disability, religion, age, or national origin. Individuals with disabilities who require an auxiliary aid, service or accommodation in order to participate in a meeting or program are encouraged to contact the Knox County Extension Office at (940) 459-2651.

**Upton Awarded
Texas Early Graduation
Scholarship**



Hannah Upton, a 2005 honor graduate of Seminole High School has been awarded the Texas Early Graduation Scholarship for graduating from a Texas high school in less than 36 months. The scholarship is awarded by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.
Hannah currently attends Texas Tech University as a freshman Agriculture Communications major. She has also been recently notified that she was selected to be a media relations intern at the National FFA Convention, to be held in Louisville, Kentucky October 25-30, 2005.
In her short tenure at Texas Tech, Hannah has been selected to be in the Howdy Techsans Leadership Program and to be a member of the TTU Speech and Debate Team. She is also involved in Sigma Alpha, a professional agricultural sorority, Agriculture Communicators of Tomorrow, TTU Collegiate 4-H and TTU Collegiate FFA.
Hannah is also currently employed as a section editor for La Ventana, the TTU yearbook publication.
She is the daughter of Al & Michelle Upton of Seminole, formerly of Munday and the granddaughter of Homer & Jackie Lowrance of Munday and Wayne & Jean Upton of Seminole.

September 26, 2005 thru October 1, 2005

DIET COKE, SPRITE OR COKE
3 LITER BTL.
\$1.99

6 PACKS
\$1.89

ALLSUP'S REGULAR OR JALAPENO CORNDOG POPPERS
REG. \$1.19
99¢ PER ORDER

ASSORTED FLAVORS BLUE BUNNY ICE CREAM
1/2 GAL. SQ. / REG. \$3.99
2 FOR \$6

TALLSUP FOUNTAIN DRINK
REGULAR 99¢
59¢
32 OZ.

BLUE BUNNY BIG BOPPER
\$1.89 EACH OR

BUY ONE GET ONE FREE

2 ALLSUP'S FAMOUS BEEF AND BEAN BURRITOS
32 oz. TALLSUP & A 99¢ BAG TOM'S POTATO CHIPS
\$2.99

ALLSUP'S COMBO MEALS

| | | |
|--------------|--|--------|
| COMBO NO. 1 | BACON/EGG BISCUIT & 16 OZ. COFFEE | \$1.99 |
| COMBO NO. 2 | SAUSAGE/EGG BISCUIT & 16 OZ. COFFEE | \$1.99 |
| COMBO NO. 3 | BBQ SANDWICH & 32 OZ. TALLSUP | \$1.99 |
| COMBO NO. 4 | HOMESTYLE POPCORN CHICKEN & 32 OZ. TALLSUP | \$2.59 |
| COMBO NO. 5 | SPICY POPCORN CHICKEN & 32 OZ. TALLSUP | \$2.59 |
| COMBO NO. 6 | 3 TAMALES, HOWLERS & 32 OZ. TALLSUP | \$2.59 |
| COMBO NO. 7 | 2 HOT LINKS WITH BREAD & 32 OZ. TALLSUP | \$2.49 |
| COMBO NO. 8 | 2 CORN DOGS & 32 OZ. TALLSUP | \$2.59 |
| COMBO NO. 9 | CHIMICHANGA & 32 OZ. TALLSUP | \$2.39 |
| COMBO NO. 10 | 2 BEEF & BEAN BURRITOS & 32 OZ. TALLSUP | \$2.59 |

BAR-S JUMBO FRANKS
1 LB. PKG. / REG. \$1.29
99¢

ALLSUP'S SANDWICH BREAD
24 OZ. / 79¢ EACH OR **2 FOR \$1.09**

ALLSUP'S WHEAT BREAD
24 OZ. / 89¢ EACH OR **2 FOR \$1.29**

REESE'S BIG WHITE PB CUP, INSIDE OUT, FUDGE, PB LOVERS OR CHOCOLATE LOVERS
REG. 89¢ **2 FOR \$1.00**

KIT KAT INSIDE OUT OR TRIPLE FUDGE
REG. 89¢ **2 FOR \$1.00**

SHURFINE COFFEE CREAMER
16 OZ. **\$1.99**

CASSEROLE PINTO BEANS
4 LB. / REG. \$4.59 **\$3.89**

SO-DRI PAPER TOWELS
1 ROLL PKG. / REG. 75¢ **59¢**

NESQUIK CHOCOLATE SYRUP
22 OZ. **\$2.19**

HALLS COUGH DROPS, MENTHOL, CHERRY, HONEY LEMON, ICE BLUE
30 CT. PKG. **\$1.99**

JOLLY TIME BLAST-O-BUTTER
3 PACK / REG. \$2.99 **BUY ONE GET ONE FREE**

GATORADE ALL FLAVORS
24 OZ. / REG. \$1.49 **99¢**

PANTENE SHAMPOO OR CONDITIONER
13.5 OZ. BTL. **\$4.99**

SCOPE
8.4 OZ. **\$3.79**

SHURSAVINGS DOG FOOD
20 LBS. **\$3.99**

ALLSUP'S "MOO" GET ONE FREE!

BUY 12 GALLONS OF FRESH ALLSUP'S MILK...

Collect Self Stick "Moo" Stamps Today & You Could Win FREE Milk For A Year!

KC NEWS CLASSIFIEDS

CLASSIFIED ADS 657-3142

City Wide Garage Sale

October 1, 2005
City Wide Garage Sale being held in Haskell, TX. Maps can be picked up at 7:30 a.m. at the Gazebo. For more information call 940-864-2447 2wc

Garage Sale Five Family

In O'Brien behind the GinOffice. Thursday and Friday. September 29th & 30th. 9:00 a.m. - ? Antique Beds, China Cabinet Clothes and lots of misc.

Furniture

Ask anyone for directions and they will repeat them at least twice. Save up to 1/2 during our Spring Air Truckload Mattress Sale. Kinney Furniture in Stamford. Open Labor Day 10-4 325-733-2232

VISIT MY WEBSITE FOR INFORMATION ABOUT AN AWESOME HOME-BASED BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY!! www.fallsallnaturalvitamins.com

Services

srcaccess.net
Get on-line now! Dial us up for more information... 1-888-886-2217 Serving Knox City and surrounding areas 3-28 t/c 24

Legal Notice

LEGAL NOTICE - THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 30.05 OF THE PENAL CODE OF TEXAS - (CRIMINAL TRESPASS SENATE BILL III LEGISLATURE), NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL LANDS OF THE W.T. WAGGONER ESTATE ARE POSTED - SAVE AND EXCEPT WHERE WRITTEN PERMISSION IS GIVEN TO COME UP ON THE SAME.

GENE W. WILLINGHAM
A.B. WHARTON
WE (54)

Real Estate

FOR SALE
Nice two bedroom, one bath home for sale. Storm cellar, water well. 704 Aspen, 940-657-1064. DT/1*1-TF/C (15)

O'Brien, Tx Hwy.6 HOUSE FOR SALE

3 bedrooms, double garage, fenced yard in back, water well, windmill, barn, fruit trees, includes 4 lots. call at night, 940-658-3278

EXTRA NICE CRETA STONE HOME FOR SALE!

One owner. Southern edge of Knox City across from the care home. 3 bedrooms/2 bathrooms, central heat and cool, 2 car garage, fire place, covered patio, large den and kitchen with built-in appliances. Concrete cellar and storage sheds, large yard, trees. Sprinkling systems. New eves and windows. Price reduced greatly. Call Danny at 940-864-8660 or 325-698-3326.

3 bedroom, 2 bath in O'Brien. 1430 sq. ft. on 2 lots, w/shade trees, 10x24 deck, 6 ft. fence, water well, C H/A, new paint on outside. 940-657-3498 ask for Dorothy.

For Sale
2/3 bdrms, 1 bath 1 car carport with metal roof, corner lot \$5,000 301 North 3rd Street call 940-658-3509 after 5pm call 940-657-4283


Egenbacher Implement Building
For Rent or For Sale
Will rent for \$275.00 a month
If interested in renting or buying call Dessie at 806-785-1166 or 806-543-3131

First National Bank

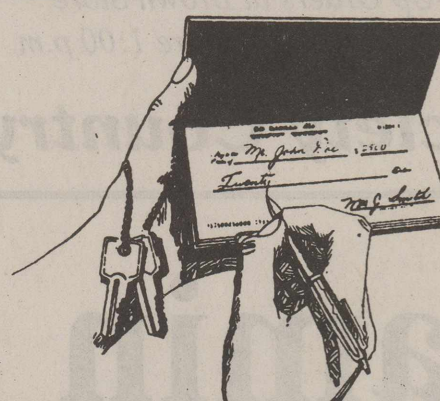
Munday • Rochester • Stamford • Haskell

Each Depositor Insured up to 100,000 **FDIC**

208 Carothers, Rochester, TX 79544 • (940) 743-3511
110 West Main, Munday, TX 76371 • (940) 422-4522
610 Columbia, Stamford, TX 79553 • (325) 773-2112
200 South Avenue E. Haskell, TX 79521 • (940) 546-8555



PERSONAL CHECKING



If you're not enjoying the safety and convenience of checking, now's the time to visit us and open a personal checking account. It's a great way to handle your money, whether you're making purchases, paying bills, or sending money through the mail. Keeping accurate records of your cash-flow is easy, too, because each month we send you a statement of all the checks you wrote during that period. Simply compare it with the record of checks in your checkbook—and balance the two. Opening your personal checking account takes only a few minutes—so come in and see how safe and convenient it is to handle your money.

REAL ESTATE

3 bedroom, 1 bath home with carport, central a/c Includes appliances. 812 Aspen Street \$24,900.00

3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home, fireplace, fenced back yard, large utility room, ch/ac. 606 South Central.

44.8 Acres all fenced on CR 188. Haskell Co. Enclosed, large mobile home with lots of sleeping area. Two large metal shop/barn and with cement floors, garage with meat house, walk in cooler, slaughter sheds, and much more. 14+ acres in cultivation. Fish tank stocked with large catfish. Pasture with stock tank. 2 irrigation wells. A great place for hunters, or family reunions, or to raise a family! Call for more details!

2 story CH/AC, Brick Home 607 South Fourth Street. Large - living area, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath.

5 bedroom. 4 1/2 bath. Brick Home on 1.5-Acres. Fenced yard, 2 car Garage, Patio, Indoor Pool/Spa. Beautiful fireplace and high, rustic ceilings in an open, split-level floor plan. Located in a quiet, secluded area, with beautiful trees and gorgeous sunsets. A great place to relax and enjoy the big Texas Sky! A great value. Call for appointment.

New Listing
33+/- Acres Located South East of Knox City, Texas on Conty Road 1694. New fences, easy access, good location! \$25,000.00

COUNTS REAL ESTATE
DAVID COUNTS
Marla Hawkins Agent
Patsy Gonzales Agent
102 NORTH AVE. A
KNOX CITY, TEXAS
940-658-3390

BERNARD E. GODLEY, INC.

TAX SERVICE AND BOOKKEEPING

Specializing in Fram, Ranch & Agri-Business
Over 35 Years Experience

98 Hill Dr. 940-889-8809
Seymour, Texas 76380 Fax: 940-889-4908

JERRY S PLUMBING

Relax. It's Rheem.™



Heating & Cooling Plumbing Water Heaters
Texas Air Conditioning License #TACLB005658C

Phone: (940) 658-3322
If No Answer: 658-3948 or 658-3863

Lynn Electric

Motor Co., Inc. ~ 1011 Main St. Knox City, Tx 79529

Complete Electric Motor Service and Sales • Oil Field Installation • Electric Pumps and Water Systems

- GE and S & S Controls • Jacuzzi Pumps
- Baldor • Century • Teco • Dayton

JIMMY LYNN, SCOTT LYNN Day or Night (940) 658-3511



Wilma's
Barber / Beauty Shop
Full Service - Men's, Women's & Children

- Wilma Hogan • Barber / Stylist
- Karen Marshall • Nail Tech

111 N. Central • 657-4011

Real Estate

10 acres pasture land, good well, large septic system, shop, storage building. With or without house Highway frontage 2 miles North of Knox City on highway 6. 940-657-1141

Transport Operators Needed

- CDL-Hazmat (Required)
- Tanker Experience (a Plus)
- Guaranteed Minimum Income
- Sign On Bonus
- Paid Vacations
- Medical Insurance
- Accident Insurance
- "No Cap" Earning potential
- Escalating Pay Plan (Tenure)
- Year End Bonuses
- No overnights-Daylight only

Call Mike Wilcox at 325-676-3355 (Local)
800-588-0265 (Long Distance)

LEWIS PAINT & BODY SHOP

From 1952 to 2005, Owner, Sterling Lewis Has Been Proudly Serving The Knox City Area For 53 Years

Day or night, the only name you need to know. Specializing in major repairs, custom painting & striping, windshields and door glass, door and wheel aligning, & frame straightening. We can also replace those worn out headliners! We UNLOCK Locked Cars !!!

COME SEE US FIRST - NO JOB TOO LARGE OR TOO SMALL !! - 24 HOUR WRECKER SERVICE
Sterling Lewis, Clint Lewis

| | | |
|----------|-------------|----------|
| Days | After Hours | Or |
| 658-3342 | 658-3330 | 658-3629 |

Jones-Haskell Eye Clinic

1501 Columbia, Stamford, Texas (325) 773-2083

Trussell Thane - Therapeutic Optometrist

Dr. Thane is board certified in the diagnosis and treatment of eye disease.

Contact Lenses Packages Available

Hours: Monday - Thursday, 8:30 to 5:00
Friday - 8:30 to 1:00

MEDICARE • FIRSTCARE • BLUE CROSS / BLUE SHIELD PROVIDER

Knights of Columbus Sausage Dinner

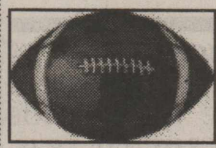
Sausage-Fried Chicken
Sunday October 9, 2005
Serving 11:00 am-----1:30 pm
\$8.00 Adult-----\$4.00 Children

*Knights of Columbus Hall
Rhineland, Texas
Bulk Sausage \$3.00 per lb.
Call 422-4993, 422-4390, 422-4207, 658-3926
Pick-Up Orders at Brown Store
Saturday October 8, Before 1:00 p.m.*

Mother Society Country Store

Area Football Scores

Haskell-OPEN (4-0)
Munday 21 vs Archer City 34
Hamlin 0 vs Quanah 46
Albany 28 vs Bangs 34
Aspermont 36 vs Abilene Christian 28
Rule 78 vs Amarillo Bible Heritage 40
Crowell-OPEN (5-4)
Lueders-Avoca- OPEN (0-4)
Guthrie-OPEN (7-2)
Chillicothe-OPEN (7-2)
Benjamin 6 vs Patton Springs 56



Aging Center Lunch Menu

*Week of October 3rd to
October 7th*

Monday, October 3rd
Sliced Ham, Sweet Potatoes,
Green Beans, Hot Rolls,
Cake

Tuesday, October 4th
Tacos, Garden Salad, Spanish
Rice, Peaches/Topping

Wednesday, October 5th
Roast Beef/Gravy, Buttered
Potatoes, Garden Salad, Hot
Rolls, Cobbler

Thursday, October 6th
Barbeque Chicken Potato
Salad, Baked Beans, Garlic
Bread, Cookies

Friday, October 7th
Meat Loaf, Okra &
Tomatoes, Butter Beans,
Cornbread, Pudding
Call in Orders by 10:00 a.m.

6666 Supply House

"Your Good Old-Fashioned Grocery Store"
Clothes • Groceries • Hardware
A Little Bit of Everything
Hours: Mon - Fri 7 AM - NOON, 1 PM - 5:30 PM
Saturday 7AM - NOON
806-596-4459
Located off HWY 82 in Guthrie, Texas

Benjamin and Guthrie Sports

Benjamin Jr High Boy Cross Country Team



back row L to r, Coach Copeland, Jacob Siemens, Mitchell Welch, Dusty Stevens, Derrick Northrup, Blake Jone, Will Moorhouse, Matthew Acree. front row, l to r, Hunter Hutchens, Roberto Acevedo, Dylan Benson, Tanner Monroe, Cody Propps and Jonathan Rainwater.

Benjamin Jr. High Boys place 1st in Cross Country meet held in Guthrie.
Individual Results: Roberto Acevedo 1st, Dylan Benson 4th, Derrek Northrup 7th, Will Moorhouse 11th, Cody Propps 14th, Dusty Stevens 18th, Mitchell Welch 20th and Jacob Seimens 21st.

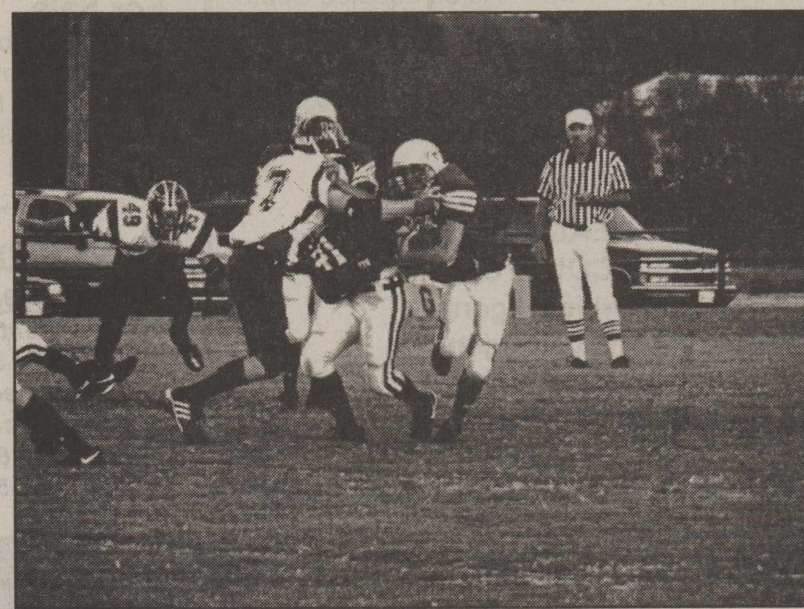
Benjamin High School Boys Cross Country



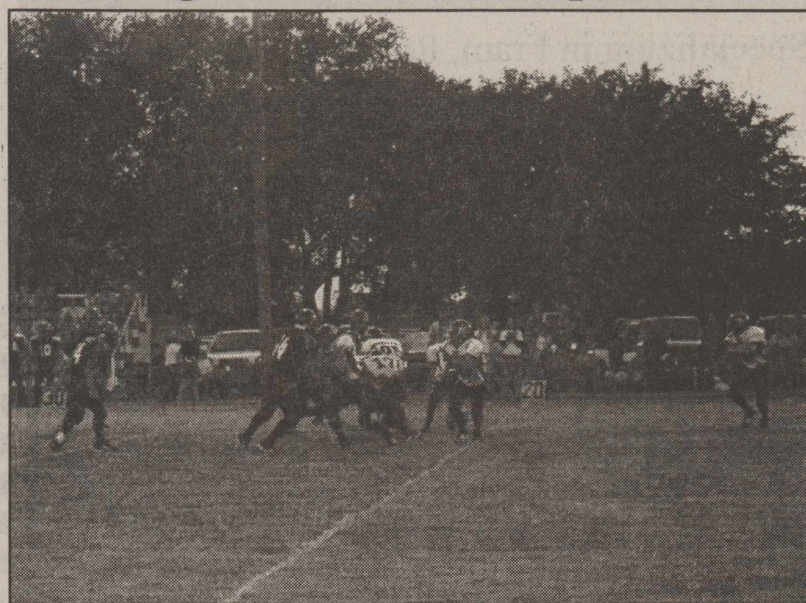
back row, L to r; Carlos Rodriguez, David Clower, Lucas Cartwright, Trent Tidwell, Sean Wilson, Thomas Avecedo and Coach Copeland, front row l to r: Bryan Fetsch, Ruben Rodriguez, Kyle Wilson, Blake McPherson and Gilbert Nevarez

Benjamin High School Boys placed first in the Cross Country meet held in Guthrie,
Individual Results: Thomas Avecedo 3rd, Gilbert Nevarez 4th, Ruben Rodriguez 8th, Blake McPherson 9th, Kyle Wilson 10th, Lucas Cartwright 24th, Trent Tidwell 29th, Bryan Fetsch 31st, Carlos Rodriguez 33rd, Sean Wilson 34th and David Clower 35th.

Guthrie Jaguar's Defeat Northside 35-28



Mustang's Lose District Opener 56-6



The Mustangs opened district play Friday night against the Patton Spring's Rangers with a loss of 56-6.

Benjamin remained scoreless until the third quarter, when Kyle Wilson would score on a pass from Blake McPherson and the Mustang's saw their first touch down. That would be the only

score of the night for the Mustang's. The defense played hard but the Rangers offense was too much and the game was called with a couple of minutes left in the fourth quarter.

The Mustangs are 2 & 2 on the season and 0-1 in district. The Mustang's host the Motley County Matadors Friday night.

We're Behind You
Mustangs, Lady Stangs, &
Colts
Chad, Kathy, Johnathan
and Justin Rainwater

All The Way
Purple and White
Dicky, Laura and Jenna
McCanlies

Benjamin Booster's
Go Mustangs
and
Lady Stangs
The Jacky Young's

Go, Fight, Win!
Benjamin Chamber
of Commerce

CITIZENS BANK, N.A.
 658-3527
 Knox City

FDIC
Member FDIC

EQUAL HOUSING LENDER

SANTA ROSA
 Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
 Vernon • 888-886-2217 Seymour • 877-889-1125

Knox County HOSPITAL DISTRICT
 Your Hometown Healthcare Team

Knox County Hospital
 Knox City Clinic • Munday Clinic
 Knox County Home Health
 Knox County EMS

Greyhounds Defeat Bears

56-21

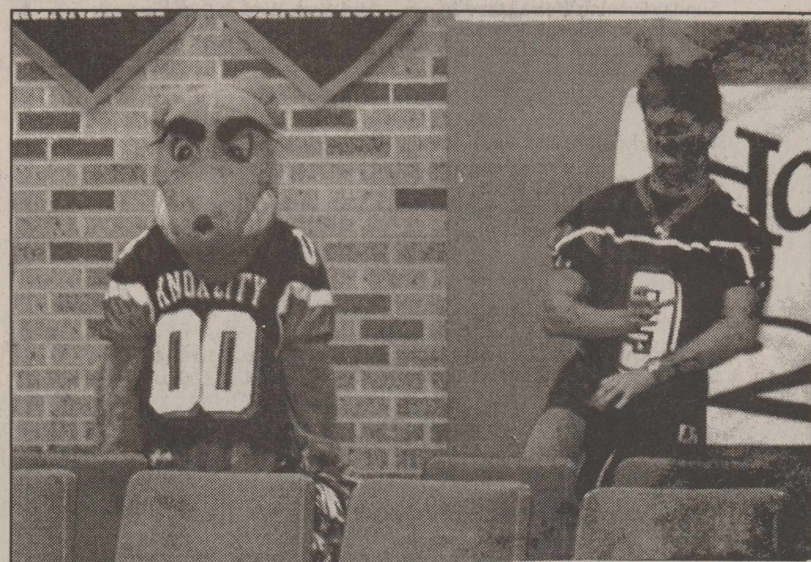
Season Record at 4-1



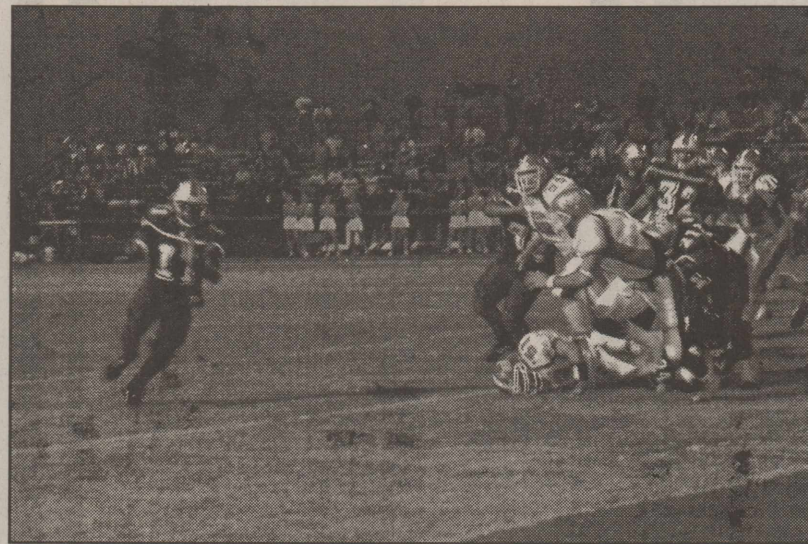
The Greyhounds take the field in Friday night's game



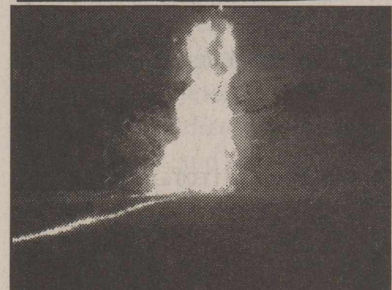
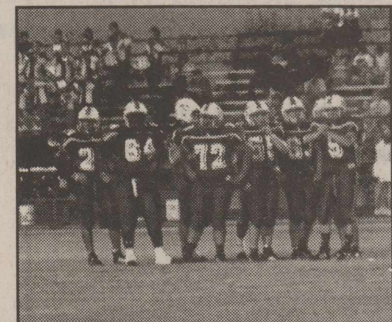
Greyhounds kick off at Friday night's Homecoming game.



Greyhound mascot and Andy Shaver at pep rally Friday afternoon.



Hound headed for a touch down



Bonfire Thursday night

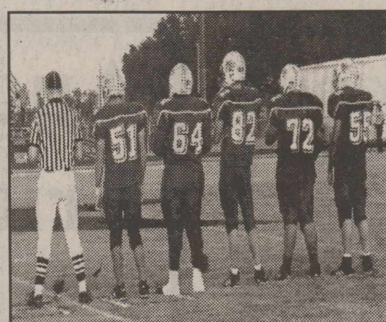
The Hounds displayed their skills Friday night during their homecoming victory over the Baird Bears. The Hounds scored from the land, the air, and even the defense scored. In the first quarter Saxton ran it in from four yard out to draw first blood.

The second quarter was a free for all. Cody Wainscott ran the ball in from 7 and 20 yards out for Tds. Jeremy Saxton ran in from 2 yard out and turned around and ran a fumble back 52 yards.

The Greyhounds went into the locker room with a 35 to 0 lead. The hounds did not let up in the third quarter. The Greyhounds

offensive line dominated the whole night punching holes in the Bears defense. Shaver found the end zone from one yard out then completed a 34 yard pass to Saxton for another Greyhound score.

Coach Hutch took this opportunity to let some underclassmen earn their strips. The underclassmen showed real promise. Freshman Jordon Carter found sophomore Ricco McCrary, who made an amazing catch, for a 24 yard touch down. The Bears rounded out the rest of the game with 21 points but it was just too little to late.



ART STALL
 658-3092
 Scott Edmonds (903)
 Auction Company 396-0121

CITY MOTEL
 Bip and Anita
 658-3541

PBH OILFIELD SUPPLY
 658-3559

O'BRIEN CO-OP GIN
 658-3631

LEWIS Paint & Body Shop
 Sterling & Josie
 Clint, Tonya, Carson & Cason
 "We unlock locked cars"
 658-3342

THE KNOX COUNTY NEWS
 657-3142
 110 North Central

PENMAN'S CONOCO SERVICE
 658-3513

Knox County Cleaners
 Sammie Offield, Owner • 657-3641
 323 N. Central, KC

Jerry's Plumbing
 658-3322

Brazos Valley Care Home
 Employees and Families
 658-3543

PUMPERS SUPPLY & EQUIPMENT
 121 S. Central
 658-3260

B & P Barbecue & Laundromat
 Billy & Pat Young
 657-5023

SMITH FUNERAL HOME
 658-3251

EAGLE TUBING TESTERS
 Matthew Sr., Estella
 Matthew Jr., Caitlyn
 657-3290 • 940-256-2365

COUNTS REAL ESTATE
 658-3390

BILL STEWART INSURANCE SERVICES
 658-3211 • 657-3007
 Mobile 940-256-2394

KC VIDEO
 Bonnie & Johnny
 Ronnie & Annie
 658-3042

KNOX CITY FLORIST
 Barbara & Joe
 657-3581

SUPPLY HOUSE
 658-3389

LARSON PHARMACY
 Larry & Beth Staggs
 657-3210

Matt's Service Station
 1010 East Main • Knox City
 657-4404 • Full Service Station
 Formerly Wayne's 66

PIZZA PLACE
 657-5345

A-TEAM Construction
 4025 State Hwy. 222 W
 657-4333

KATHIE & JACK'S RESTAURANT
 Kathie, Jack & Employees
 1100 E. Main • Knox City
 658-3848

the body shop Hair Salon
 Massages - Tanning
 Call Kendra at 657-4313

LAWRENCE BROS. IGA
 658-3715
 The former M-System of Knox City

CITIZENS INSURANCE SERVICES
 "Serving all your insurance needs"
 CIS is a wholly owned subsidiary of Citizens Bank, N.A.
 Insurance products are not insured by FDIC
 658-3509

SHORTES, INC.
 Complete Oilfield Construction
 658-3576

TEAM AUTO
 The One Stop Auto Shop
 Todd, Eric, Emily, Missy
 658-5183 • 908 E. Main • 658-5508

GREYHOUND BOOSTER CLUB
 We're behind you all the way!

LYNN ELECTRIC MOTOR CO., INC.
 1011 Main St. • Knox City
 Jimmy Lynn • 940-658-3511

POWER PLUS CAR WASH
 Try our Pre-Wash & Spot-Free Rinse
 "Once you've tried them, you will be hooked!"
 107 East Main • Knox City

AIRAG, INC.
 Complete Aerial Applications and Helicopter Service
 Office 940-658-3744 Stan & Donna
 Fax 940-658-3105 Wojcik
 Mobile 940-256-1492

GO HOUNDS & HOUNDETTES

Memoirs of Munday
 Go Hounds & Houndettes
 Doug & Bettye Moore
 110 E. Main • Munday

AGRILIANCE
 "Supporting Our Teams"
 1354 CR 1430
 Knox City

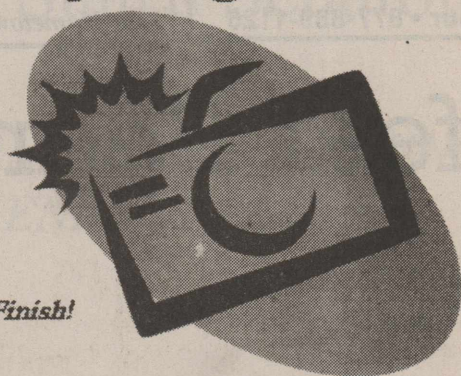
ESPINOSA AND SONS CONTRACTORS
 "Dirty Deeds Done Dirt Cheap"
 658-1000

JORDAN CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION
 Commercial & Residential
 JEFF JORDAN
 940-733-4004 • 940-873-4522

The Curious Pig Emporium
 Antiques & Gifts
 902 E. Main St., Knox City, TX
 (940)256-2708, Wed-Fri 11-5:30, Sat 1-5

Creative Ink's
Photography Studio Opening Soon!

Sheri Baty
Photographer



Photography at its Finest... From Flash to Finish!

Now accepting appointments for location & outdoor photos and holiday studio portraits.

For Appointments Call
940.658.5352

Nobody Insures More Farmers & Ranchers in Texas

RCIS is tried, tested and has delivered great claims service to more Texas farmers and ranchers than any other crop insurance company for more than 25 years. We've been there through the good times and the bad. *When you're with RCIS, you can expect the best in claims because we have:*

- Cutting-edge technology for claims processing
- 78 experienced loss adjusters in Texas alone
- Paid more than \$400 million dollars in Texas claims in the past 5 years

Do you *REALLY* want to move your livelihood to a start-up company that may never have paid a single crop claim?

You have a choice. If you want to stay with RCIS, contact your local RCIS agent at:



rcis.com

Bill Stewart
Insurance Services, Inc.
P.O. Box 99

Office (940) 658-3211 700 E. Main Mobile (940) 256-2394
FAX (940) 658-5509 Knox City, Tx 79529 Home (940) 657-3307

RCIS is an equal opportunity provider.
© 2005 Rural Community Insurance Agency, Inc. All rights reserved.

IT'S YOUR LUCKY DAY.
**4 MONTHS.
4 FREE.**



Four free months of telephone service just for switching to VALOR.

Change for the Better with Guaranteed Low Prices!

- High-Speed DSL Internet – just \$19.95 per month
- Telephone Service with Popular Features and Long Distance – just \$23.95 per month
- DISH Network® Satellite TV from VALOR – starting at \$31.99 per month

Change to VALOR and Get 4 Months of Free Telephone Service!

Plus, you can keep your same phone number, there are no fees to switch your service and installation is FREE.

For more information, call today!

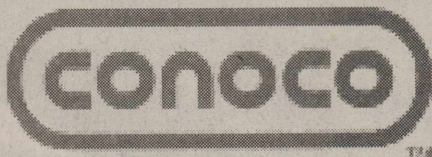
1-877-588-2567 (toll free)

valortelecom.com



4 months of free phone service will appear as a \$25 bill credit on the first through fourth month's bill, which will offset the normal monthly price when a customer selects the ValueChoice™ Essentials plan at \$23.95 per month. Limited time offer. Free prices do not include Subscriber Line Charge, taxes, fees and other surcharges. Advertised prices reflect Value Bundles with Guaranteed Savings Plan™ discounts where applicable. Offers available to residential customers only. Offer does not guarantee availability on your individual phone line. DSL speed may vary based on throughput conditions. Wireless DSL Internet service requires a 12-month service agreement. Applicable modern sales tax, shipping and handling charges added to bill statement. Other restrictions and conditions may apply. A \$100 fee will be assessed to VALOR accounts if DSL service is terminated before the 12-month term. High-speed DSL Internet service and DSL modem provided by VALOR Internet Services. VALOR Telecom is a registered trademark of Value Telecommunications, LLC. DISH Network offer ends 1/31/06 and is available in the continental United States for new, first-time DISH Network residential customers. All prices, packages and programming subject to change without notice. Local and state sales taxes may apply. Where applicable, equipment, rental fees and programming are based separately. All DISH Network programming, and any other services that are provided, are subject to the terms and conditions of the promotional agreement and Residential Customer Agreement available at www.dishnetwork.com or upon request. Social Security Numbers are used to identify credit scores and will not be released to third parties except for verification and collection purposes only or if required by governmental authorities. All service marks and trademarks belong to their respective owners. DISH Network is a registered trademark of EchoStar Satellite L.L.C. All rights reserved.

Penman's



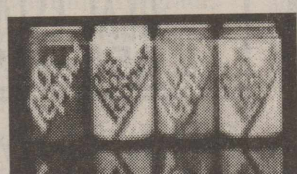
Powerade
32 oz. Ade



.89¢

Monday - Chicken Fried
Steak Sandwich \$2.99
Tuesday - Burger
& Logs \$3.00
Wednesday - Grilled
Chicken Sandwich \$2.99
Thursday - 4 pc. Chicken
Strip Dinner \$4.99
Friday - Burger Day
\$2.25 or 75¢ off any other

Dr. Pepper-Pepsi
1 Liter Bottles



.99¢

**August
Fried Pies**

everyday Price

.99¢

HOMETOWN SERVICE WITH A SMILE
Special Good Thursday-Friday and Saturday

658-3424

KC Area Church Directory

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ~ Knox City
Gayle Baucum, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 10:55 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:30 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 6:30 p.m.
FBC Sunday School, and the worship services at 10:55 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.
are telecast live on Classic Cable, channel 6 in Knox City and O'Brien

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ~ Knox City
John Wade, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH ~ Knox City
Tex Cox, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.

FOURSQUARE CHURCH ~ Knox City
Paul Chambers, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.

SANTA ROSA CATHOLIC CHURCH ~ Knox City
Father Leo Schloemer - Deacon Ben Vasquez
Sunday Bilingual Mass at 11:00 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH ~ Rhineland
Father Leo Schloemer - Deacon Ben Vasquez
Monday Through Friday Mornings, 8:00 a.m. Mass
Saturday Mass at 7:00 p.m. ~ Sunday Mass at 9:00 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of Benjamin
John Gillispie, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m., Sunday Morning at 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening at 6:00 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH of Benjamin
John Wade, Pastor
Sunday Worship at 9:30 a.m. ~ Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.

GILLESPIE BAPTIST CHURCH ~ Gillespie
Matt Harrington, Pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 6:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST ~ Benjamin
Bible Study at 9:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m.

THE BELIEVERS' CHAPEL ~ Highway 222
W.O. Smith, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 10:30 a.m.
Mid Week, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

O'BRIEN BAPTIST CHURCH ~ O'Brien
Jim Reid, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. Mid Week, Wed. at 6:00 p.m.

WEINERT FOURSQUARE CHURCH
Rob Harrison, Pastor
Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.

THIS CHURCH DIRECTORY IS SPONSORED
EACH WEEK BY THE FOLLOWING

**Lewis Paint
& Body Shop**
658-3342

**Knox
County Hospital**
657-3535

**O'Brien
Co-Op Gin**
658-3631

**SUBSCRIPTIONS
RENEWALS
FOR
SEPTEMBER**

George Royer Hunstville AL
Shane Lewis Yukon OK
Dale Eaton Seagoville Tx
Cecil Hudson ,
Weatherford TX
Rob Harrison ,
Burkburnett, TX
First National Bank,
Munday TX
Paul Hoge, Seymour Tx
Millard Lain, Houston TX
Ken Lawson, Jr. Austin TX
Bob Moorhouse,
Guthrie, TX
Jack Hamilton, Idalou, TX
Ethel Bevel, Ralls TX
Christi Snodgrass,
Lubbock, TX
~~Knox Co. Extension Office,
Benjamin, TX~~
Randy Smith,
Knox City, TX
John Wade, Knox City, TX
Johnny Hunter,
Knox City TX
W.L. Trice, Knox City TX
Marie Jackson,
Knox City, TX
Pat Grimsley,
Knox City, TX
Bob Acree, Knox City, TX
Gene McCarty,
Knox City, TX
Paul Chambers,
O'Brien, TX
B.J. Smith, Snyder, TX
Jennifer Caddell,
Stamford, TX
Richard D. Melvin,
Midland, TX
Doris Weaver, Los Osos,
CA