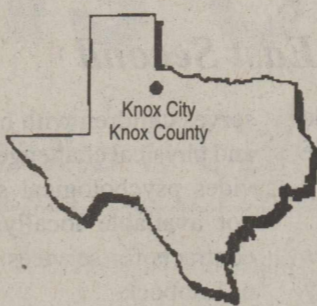


Houndettes end the 2000 volleyball season as District Champions - Congratulations ladies!

The Knox County News

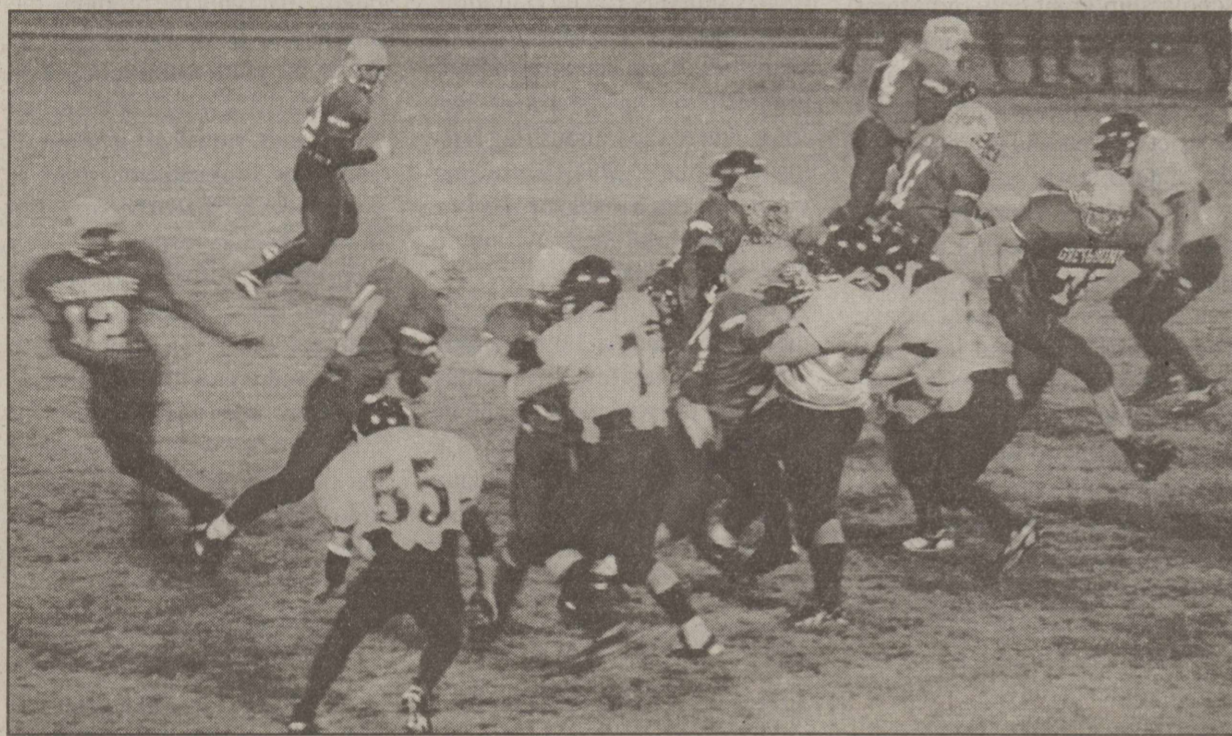


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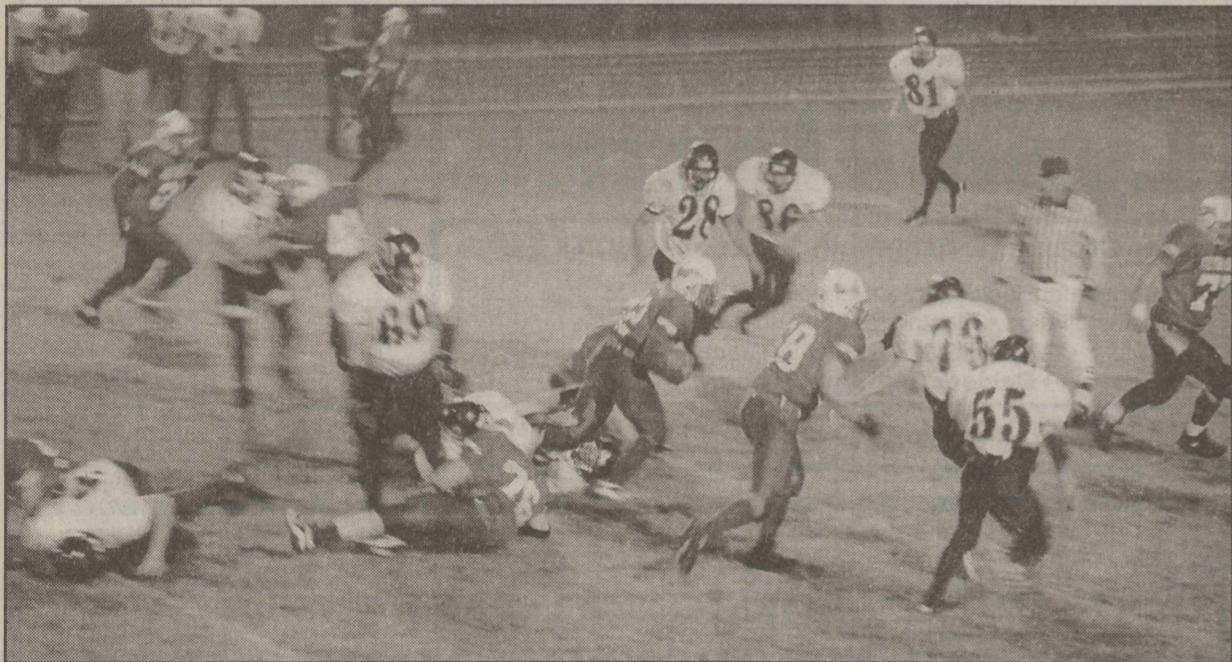
Greyhounds will travel to Paducah on Friday night for District Championship

'Hounds remain undefeated in district play after winning 21-15 in overtime against Motley County



BREAKING LOOSE BEHIND A WALL OF BLOCKERS, Scooter Thompson (41) is shown here just after he received the ball from quarterback Sedrick Roberson (12). Scooter went on to pick up 68 yards on the play, with two Motley County defenders dragging him down from behind on the 2 yard line. Other Greyhounds in the photo blocking and opening up a hole in the line are (left to right) Casey Carver, Matthew Lowe, Justin Vasquez, Aaron Sanchez, Shawn Speck and Gary Manley. Gemile Roberson is shown at the top left of the photo and Dominique Collier is shown at the upper right.

(NEWS photo)



GOING UP THE RIGHT SIDE FOR A GOOD GAIN, Gemile Roberson is shown in the center of this photo after running through the line against Motley County last Friday night in Knox City. Other Greyhounds in the photo are (left to right) Jeffrey Hernandez, Scooter Thompson, Matthew Lowe, Casey Carver and Aaron Sanchez.

(NEWS photo)

The Knox City Greyhounds will be hitting the road once again this Friday night when they travel north to Paducah and the District Championship game. With both the Dragons and the Greyhounds undefeated in district, the matchup could easily prove to be the best game of the 2000 season.

Knox City remains undefeated in district play following a win over the Matadors from Motley County in a game that went into overtime last Friday at Greyhound Stadium.

The first quarter of action was scoreless as both teams rallied around their defensive units for some hard hitting football action that saw our 'Hounds hold the Matadors on a defensive stand from the 2 yard line.

Motley County was the first to score in the second quarter after a 73 yard pass play from Hendrix to Ridgley. The extra point kick was good, putting the Matadors ahead 7-0. With 4:53 left in the first half, Knox City fullback Scooter Thompson broke loose up the middle with a 23 yard run that put the ball in scoring position from the 14 yard line. Halfback Gemile Roberson scored on the next play with a run into the end zone. The extra point kick by Shawn Speck went wide left, leaving the score 7-6 in favor of Motley County. There was no further scoring in the first half.

In the middle of the third quar-

ter, Sophomore Scooter Thompson thrilled the home crowd when he ran through a hole in the line created by tremendous blocking by the offensive linemen. Running 68 yards down the field, Thompson was finally brought down on the 2 yard line by a pair of Matador defenders. With a tough defensive stand by Motley County, Knox City's offense was not able to cross the goal line, settling instead for a 3 point field goal kick by Junior Shawn Speck.

With the score now in favor of the Greyhounds by 9-7, the defensive units settled in once again to provide some spectacular action that kept both home and visiting fans cheering. Junior Will Grimsley thrilled the fans by tipping and breaking up several Matador pass attempts, and both Junior Shawn Speck and Sophomore Scooter Thompson came up with fumble recoveries at critical times that stopped Matador drives.

Motley County's offense was the next to put points on the scoreboard when Hendrix passed to Lawrence for a 60 touchdown pass and run that put the Matadors up 13-9. A two point conversion play advanced the score to 15-9 in favor of Motley County.

Never quitting, the Knox City Greyhound offense kept in the game, finally scoring with 16 seconds left in the 4th quarter when quarterback Sedrick Roberson found Sophomore Dominique

Collier open in the end zone for 6 points and a tie 15-15 ball game.

Going into overtime, the Matadors won the toss and elected to go on defense. Knox City started on the Motley County 25 yard line and moved the ball down to the 1 yard line in 3 plays. Quarterback Sedrick Roberson kept the ball on 4th down, going up the middle for 6 points and a lead of 21-15. The extra point attempt was no good, and Motley County took over on the 25 yard line to see if they could score.

The Matadors made one good run in three plays, moving them close to the goal line, but the play was stopped when Senior Jay Sandusky, who was traveling down the line towards the play, followed the runner until he made what was the game saving tackle by jumping on the runner back and forcing him out of bounds. A final pass play on 4th down by Motley County failed, leaving Greyhound players and fans wildly cheering and forgetting about the cold, rainy and windy weather they had been in all night long.

With the 'bragging rights' for the District Championship on the line, Knox City will face Paducah this Friday night in Paducah with the kickoff scheduled for 7:30 p.m. All Knox City fans are encouraged to make the drive north and support the Greyhounds in their most important game of the year.

Downtown 'Pizza Party Pep Rally' set for Thursday evening

The Knox City High School Sports Booster Club has scheduled another big downtown pep rally to include the entire community prior to the District Championship game between Knox City and Paducah. The rally is scheduled for this Thursday evening, November 9th, at 7:00 p.m. in front of the 1983 State Championship sign.

The Booster Club and Citizens Bank N.A. will be providing free pizza from The Pizza Place to everyone who attends the rally so come out and join us for a fun time while we cheer on the 'Hounds!!

Knox County Veterans Memorial to be dedicated at ceremonies this Saturday

The dedication of the Knox County Veterans War Memorial will be held Saturday, November 11 from 10:00 to 11:00 in Benjamin, just east of the courthouse on Highway 6 which will be blocked off for the occasion.

More than two thousand four hundred veteran's names from the Civil War to Vietnam and those in Non-Military Action will be memorialized.

The monument company required official authorization in writing for any names to be added. To assure accuracy any corrections must be mailed to the Knox County Historical Commission filled out on official entry forms available by written request from the Historical Commission, Benjamin, Texas 79505, or forms are available on the Commission's website <http://www.westex.net/citykc/vetsmem-nun>. Forms will also be available at the dedication. Any existing errors were the result of not having these forms completed.

Those attending requiring seating need to bring same. If the weather requires an indoor presentation, the dedication will be moved to the



Community Center, south of the courthouse.

Before and after the ceremony visitors may view the Historical Commission's beginnings of a historical military exhibit on the first floor of the Court House. Photographs of the army of volunteer workers in action creating the setting for the monument are on display.

The setting was made possible with the help of the County Commissioners and Judge David Perdue, the Texas Highway Department, Lynn Electric of Knox City and many others all under the direction of Engineer Dennis Duke, Director of the Truscott Salt Water Project.

Celebrating the occasion, immediately following the dedication service a hamburger lunch with all the trimmings at \$5.00 each will be served in the Community Center. All proceeds will be applied to the Monument Fund. Memorials to honor deceased loved ones will continue to be accepted and appreciated.

A table location will be provided for those wishing to purchase a
See Veteran's Memorial, Page Four

Haskell - Knox Shared Services Arrangement to hold open house Wednesday of next week

From 3:00 to 5:00, 201 North East Second

Another plus for the community in recent weeks has been the re-location to Knox City of the Haskell-Knox Shared Services Arrangement, formerly known as Haskell-Knox Consortium in O'Brien.

Its expanding growth necessitated a move, and after the purchase of the former Bob's Super Save building, renovation was recently completed.

An Open House is being planned for Wednesday, November 15, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Everyone is invited and encouraged to go by 201 North East Second Street and view the larger facilities. The door on the north side of the building is now the entrance.

Alice Wall, Director of Special Education, began her duties at O'Brien in 1993. Since it began in 1970, other directors in

the order of their services, include James Mickler, Don Lamb, the late John McGaughey and Bobby Hudson.

The Haskell-Knox SSA serves eight schools, four in Knox County including Benjamin ISD, Goree ISD, Munday ISD, and Knox City-O'Brien CISD, and four Haskell County schools which are Haskell CISD, Rochester ISD, Rule ISD and Paint Creek ISD.

The superintendents of these eight schools make up the Management Board.

The Haskell-Knox City SSA provides many services for special needs children including speech, occupational, and physical therapy. Specialists are provided for visually and auditorily challenged children. There are also vocational and transition specialists. The SSA supervises the community based instruction program,

serves children with both mental and physical challenges, and provides psychological services. If not available locally, the SSA contracts for services in Abilene or Lubbock.

In addition to Ms. Wall, other employees include Alice Wall, Director of Special Education; Leisa Morrow, Administrative Secretary/SEMS/SERS; Rosa Richardson, Administrative Aide/File Clerk; Sue Medford, Educational Diagnostician; Jennifer Mathis, Educational Diagnostician; Vondell Hughes, Educational Diagnostician; Kathleen Tanner, Speech Language Pathologist; Jeanne Snyder, Speech Language Pathologist; Lisa Frierson, Vocational Adjustment Coordinator/Transition Specialist/Deaf Education; Claudia Tidwell, CBI Instructor / Assistive Technology; Pat Grimsley, CBI Aide.

DWI Education program set at VRJC in December

The Division of Continuing Education at Vernon Regional Junior College has scheduled another Driving While Intoxicated (DWI) Education Program for the Fall 2000 semester.

The class is designed to deal with the problems of drinking and driving and will fulfill the requirements of probation.

The class is scheduled to meet Friday from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. and on Saturday from 1 to 5 p.m. beginning December 1 and ending December 8 for 12 hours of instruction.

For more information and/or registration forms, contact the VRJC Continuing Education Office at 552-6291 or in the Wichita Falls area, phone 696-8752.

Pre-registration is necessary and an information packet must be completed before the first class meeting.

The course will be held on the VRJC campus in Vernon.

Lions Club News

By Carol Felts

The Knox City Lions would like to encourage our high school students to compete for Texas Lions scholarships. Applications and rules are available at the high school office or see your counselor.

The Drug Awareness Speech Contest has just published the new rules and topic for the 2001 year.

Topic for the new speech is "A Plan To Combat The Increased Usage of Designer Drugs". The winner of District 2E-1 will win \$500, runner-up will receive \$300. The first place winner must be willing to go to Vernon for the District Convention and present the speech there Saturday, April 21, 2001. If the student wins at District level they will automatically be entered at the State level to be held in San Antonio May 26, 2001. Winners at the state level will receive \$1000 and \$500 as scholarship aid. The money is held in trust by Texas Lions and will be passed on to the college the student is registered in. This is a scholarship grant only, no actual cash is disbursed. Local Lions will be responsible for transportation and meals to Breckenridge for the District Contest and to Vernon for the State contest.

The District Lions will then pick up the expenses for the first place winner to the state contest in San Antonio. Parents encourage your senior student to look into these scholarships, there is also an Essay Contest with similar rules and provisions to be held at the same time and places. The local Lions Club also awards a deserving student a \$500 scholarship each year and the rules for this contest are available at the high school office. This contest is for senior students only.

Parents and others, if you would like to be a part of an organization whose motto is "We Serve" and who sponsors activities such as this please contact one of your local Lions. They may be your next door neighbor!

Call in your news... 658-3142

Keith Wells to be speaker for Knox Co. Memorial Dedication

Keith Wells, retired Major USMCR, will be the speaker at the dedication of the Knox County Memorial located in Benjamin.

This event will be held November 11 at 11:00 a.m. In addition to Wells, an honor guard will be in attendance from Fort Sill, Oklahoma. A hamburger lunch will be served at the Benjamin Memorial Building after the dedication ceremony until 1:00 p.m. Cost of the dinner will be \$5.00 with all proceeds going to the Memorial Fund.

Keith Wells, a longtime resident of Abilene, was born in the Texas Panhandle community of Lakeview, Hall County. After attending Texas A&M for three years, he joined the Marine Corps and attended Officer's Training School and was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in 1943. He then attended parachute school and was quickly sent overseas to the Pacific.

Wells earned his place in history by commanding the 3rd Platoon, Company E, 2nd Battalion, 28th Marines, 5th Marine Division, as they assaulted Mt. Sunbachi on the island of Iwo Jima, where the famous flag raising took place. This flag raising was to be the model for the Iwo Jima Memorial near Arlington National Cemetery.

In his book, "Flags of our Fathers", the author James Brady says: "Then the Heroes of the day began literally to stand up and be counted. One of the first was Lt. Keith Wells of Easy Company 3rd platoon. Wells did not tell his men to follow him, he simply got

to his feet, waved his gun toward the mountain and began running up the mountain. "I just thought it was pur suicide", he later recalled. His example stirred the troops as hundreds of scared boys leveled their rifles and advanced toward the mountain."

Wells and his men made up the most decorated platoon to ever come out of a single engagement in the history of the United States. These awards were One Congressional Medal of Honor, Three Navy Crosses, a Silver Star and 100% Purple Hearts.

After the war Wells finished his education at Texas Tech in Petroleum Geology and still works in that field today. Wells has received many awards through the years and speaks hundreds of times throughout the country. In 1995 he wrote a book, entitled "Give me Fifty Marines Not Afraid to Die - IWO JIMA" which will be on sale at the dedication.

When asked "How do you remember that far back?" Wells replied, "that is not the problem, the problem is how do I forget? If some of your family or close friends are disemboweled and had their heads blown off in front of you, how long do you think it would take for that to become dim in your memory, especially if you were directly responsible for their actions and well being. How do you remember? Try your best to forget and you will remember."

He has been married for over 50 years to his wife, Kathryn; and has three children, 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Serrano finishes basic training in San Diego, CA

Marine Corps Pvt. Adrian L. Serrano, son of Irma Munoz of Knox City, Texas, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego. Serrano successfully completed 12 weeks of training de-

signed to challenge new Marine recruits, physically and mentally.

Serrano and fellow recruits began their training at 5 a.m. by running three miles and performing calisthenics. In addition to the physical conditioning program, Serrano spent numerous hours in classroom and field assignments which included learning first aid, uniform regulations, combat water survival, marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat and assorted weapons training. They performed close order drill and operated a small infantry unit during field training.

Serrano and other recruits also received instruction on the Marine Corps' core values - honor, courage and commitment, and what the words mean in guiding personal and professional conduct.

Serrano is a 1997 graduate of Knox City High School.

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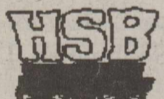
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DESIGN CONTEST FOR THE VACANT LOT ON MAIN STREET

- Design any project that you would like to see in the space available.
- Register at City Hall to obtain the board to draw your plans for the project.
- Approximately 60,000 brick are available for use in any project that may be approved.
- All entries must be turned in on the furnished poster board.
- Each poster board will be numbered with a corresponding index card with the contestant's information on the index card only.
- Judging of the design contest will be managed by the City Council of the city of Knox City, Texas.
- No employees or officials of the city of Knox City or members of their immediate family are eligible for any prize(s) that may be awarded.
- Any award of prize(s) will be contingent upon the actual completion of the project.
- Group or school organization entries will be accepted with any prize(s) awarded to that organization rather than a single individual.
- No names will be allowed on the entry poster boards to allow for impartial judging of the projects submitted. Submitting entries that show any indication of the entrants name or organization will make them automatically ineligible for any prizes.
- The decision of the City Council of the city of Knox City and/or their representative judges will be final with no appeal.
- Employees or officials of the city of Knox City may submit entries, but will not be considered in the issuance of any prizes.
- Entry registration and design boards may be picked up at City Hall during regular office hours.

CITY OF KNOX CITY

District 8-A
Volleyball
**All-District
Team**

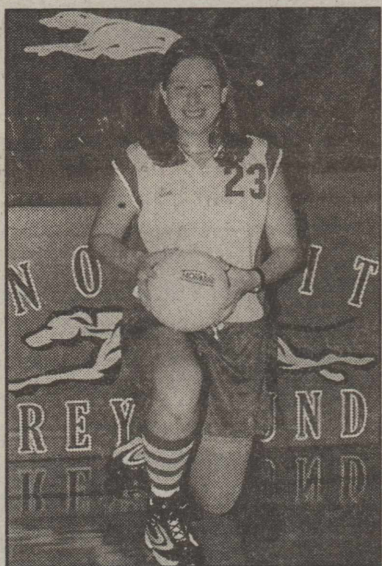
First Team



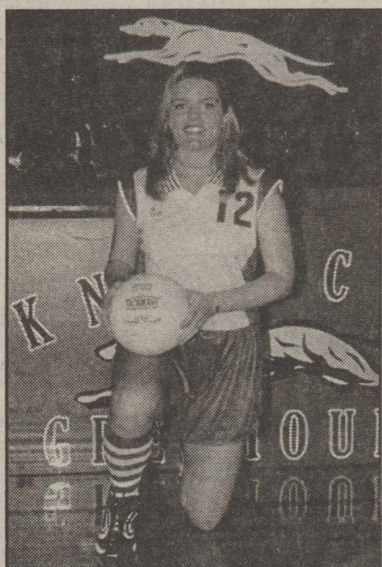
Jennifer Vacek
Senior



Tandy Roberts
Senior



Nikki Gonzales
Junior



Angela Roberts
Junior

Second Team



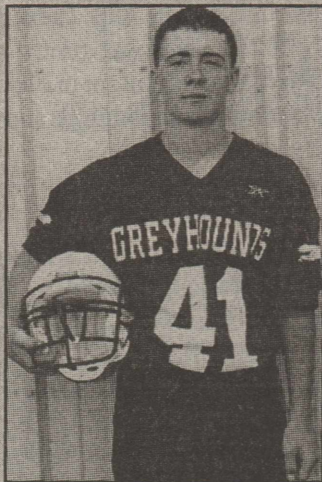
Audrey Lankford
Senior

**Greyhound Players
of the Week**

by KCHS Athletic Director Lynn Lierly

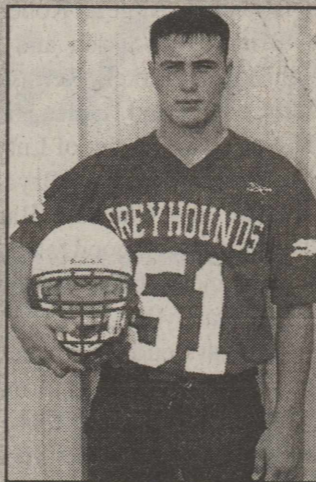
**Offense Player
of the Week**

**Defense Player
of the Week**



Scooter Thompson

- 155 yards on 17 carries
- "Big carries at critical times."
- "Made crucial first downs."
- "Played real well."



Justin Vasquez

- 6 tackles
- 2 assisted tackles
- "Caused hurried plays with a lot of pressure on the Matador backfield."

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Sophomore fullback Scooter Thompson was also recognized by the *Abilene Reporter News* as Honorable Mention for 'Big Country Player of the Week'.

Please join us at a
Farewell Reception
for
Michelle Parker

Friday, November 10
from one until three o'clock at

Bill Stewart
Insurance Services
700 East Main, Knox City

Michelle will be joining her family in Spearman. Come by and wish her well.

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OPEN HOUSE

The staff of the Haskell - Knox SSA cordially invites you to join us in celebrating our new location on November 15, 2000, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Our office is located at 201 North East Second Street, Knox City.

**Junior Class
Thanksgiving Meal**

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16
6:00 to 7:30 P.M.
High School Cafeteria

Adults - \$6.00
Children Under 12 - \$4.00

Takeouts - 5:00 to 6:00 (They will be delivered)
Adults - \$6.50 Children - \$4.50

Contact a Junior Class Member or call 658-5171
Tickets Will Also Be Available At The Door

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The 2000 Greyhound Football Team has made it into the playoffs. Hooray!!!

The KNOX CITY STUDENT COUNCIL will once again be selling T-shirts.

•• Those completing orders by Tuesday, November 7, will receive theirs on Thursday, November 9.

•• Another order will be filled on Tuesday, November 14, and delivery by Thursday, November 16.

The design shown in the above graphic will be on the front of the shirts and they will be red in color.

Varsity football team, cheerleaders and band members names will appear on the back.

Short sleeve - \$12, long sleeve - \$14, Sweatshirt - \$16
For larger sizes each additional X will be an extra \$2.00.

Call the high school office at 658-3565 to place your order

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••• FRIDAY - HAMBURGERS ••• \$1.75 - All Day !!!

••• MONDAY - CHICKEN FRIED STEAK SANDWICH ••• \$1.99

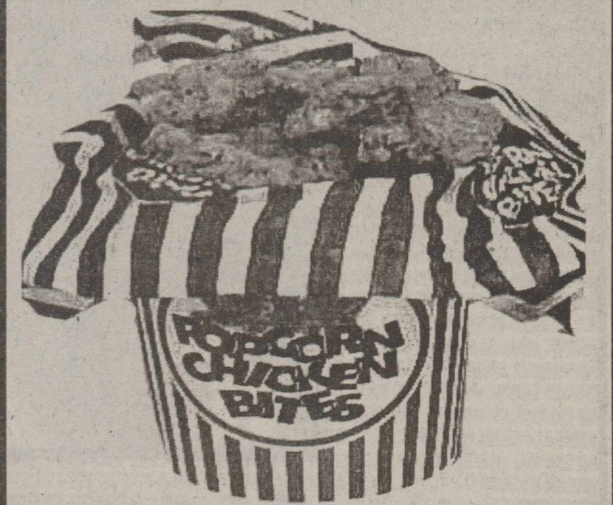
••• TUESDAY - HAMBURGER and POTATO LOGS ••• \$2.75

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Wahy Hanks *Jessica Williams*
Angela Skelton *Jean Clark*
Andy Hasty *Cassie Lass*
Shirley Adams *Maureen Moser*
Adrian Scott

Knox County Historical Commissions' Veterans Memorial Committee will host the

Veterans Memorial Dedication

November 11, 2000

10:00 a.m.

East of the Knox County Courthouse

Hamburger Lunch

\$5.00

(proceeds go to the Veterans Memorial Fund)

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Memorial Building

Benjamin, TX

O'Brien happenings

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"While I was dining out with my children, a man came over to our table and we started talking. He asked where my kids go to school. I told him we home-school them. With a raised eyebrow he asked if my husband is the sole breadwinner for our family.

I said no, I also work - out of our home.

Then, noticing out two-month-old son, he mentioned that his daughter had just had a baby, and he wondered what hospital our son was born in. 'He was born at home,' I answered.

The man looked at men, then said, "Wow, you don't get out much, do you?"

Here and There - Visiting Adelle and Ranzy Herring over the weekend were Helen Herring, Linda Holder, James Herring and Paul McClinnon, all of Fort Worth; and Claudia Reid of Rochester.

Charlene Brothers, along with Alta Jones of Hurst and Sandra Brothers of Rule, was in Tucson, Arizona, last week attending the funeral for Olga B. Teague.

Visiting Eddie and Claudia Bryant over the weekend were Cecylee and Hadlee Hicks of

Hawley and Jon Bryant of Lubbock. They all enjoyed a surprise birthday party for Jean at The Branding Iron in Rochester, Saturday night.

Those attending were Donnie, Diane and Angela Roberts of O'Brien, Tim, Trish and Tyler Johnson of Haskell, Keith, Jennifer, Cecylee and Hadlee Hicks of Hawley, Jon Bryant of Lubbock, Eddie and Claudia Bryant of O'Brien and Claudale Barnard. The group had a good fellowship, a great meal and really did surprise 'Granny'!

Several men attended the men's breakfast Saturday morning at Knox City. Some of those who attended the good feast were Bro. Bill Trice, Mutt Ivie, Joe Banner and Jimmy Johnston.

Billie Walker and son Joe Banner were in Duncanville Sunday to attend the funeral for a cousin of Billie's.

"Abundant Life" Zion hosted an early Thanksgiving dinner in their church Saturday night. Those from O'Brien enjoying the meal were Dwight Gothard, Bro. Bill Trice, Loretta Hewitt, Billie Ruth

Walker, Alex and Carol Godsey and I. There was lots of good food enjoyed by about 40 people.

Beatrice Ellis and Stella Carver were in Plainview and Floydada last week. Beatrice's daughter, Sammy Murry, has been in the hospital and doing pretty good. Stella spent the night in Floydada with her granddaughter and family.

Vivian Hendrix has been in Wichita Falls a few days this week. She was to attend the wedding of LeNear's daughter and visit other family members.

Loretta Hewitt was in Abilene last week to have a cataract removed from her eye. She spent the night with her daughter Vickie and family and is home doing OK.

Alex Godsey will be in Abilene this week for some surgery and he needs prayers from all of us.

Dan and Marilyn Talbot spent the weekend in Shallowater with their grandson, Derrick, while his parents were out of town.

Janoma Stephens spent the weekend in Austin attending a Study Club meeting.

Chamber planning December 2 parade

The Knox City Chamber of Commerce is planning their annual Christmas parade for Saturday, December 2.

"O, Christmas Tree" is the theme for this year's event. Every entry will have a tree used in their theme and have a Christmas tree displayed.

All businesses, clubs, organizations and individuals are urged to enter and help make this the best parade ever, chamber secretary Doris Crownover said.

KC Circle Club to meet November 14 at 7:00 p.m.

The November meeting of the KC Circle Club will be November 14 at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Eleanor McCarty.

Program will be Cinnamon Scented presented by Jane Rowan, County Extension Agent.

Members are asked to remember to bring canned foods and non-perishable food items to be donated to the Child Welfare Board.

Guests are welcome. For more information about KC Circle Club activities, call 658-3286.



The Knox City 4-H Club will have our next meeting on Wednesday, November 8, at 5:00 p.m. at the Community Center across from the park.

All members are urged to attend.

If you are interested in becoming a member, contact Jane Rowan at 454-2651 for more information.

Veteran's Memorial (From Page One)

video of the Dedication ceremony at \$25.00 each and for those wishing to make tax free contributions.

The Fort Sill officer in charge of their part of the ceremony spent more than an hour Sunday at the Memorial Site in preparation for their part of the Dedication Ceremony. He stated that the monument was an outstanding achievement and his purpose was to have his soldiers perform in harmony with that achievement.

Officials note if the weather cooperates, all should go well and they hope to see everyone there.



Aging center lunch menus

November 13th thru 17th

Monday, November 13 - Chicken fried steak with gravy, buttered potatoes, peas and carrots, salad, hot rolls, cobbler.

Tuesday, November 14 - German sausage, butter beans, turnip greens, potato salad, cornbread, cobbler.

Wednesday, November 15 - Tacos, whole kernel corn, lettuce and tomato salad, fruit and cake.

Thursday, November 16 - Turkey and dressing with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, fruit salad, hot rolls.

Friday, November 17 - Braised beef tips with gravy, buttered noodles, blackeyed peas, glazed carrots, light bread, cookies.

(All menus subject to change without notification. It is important to contact the site manager in order that meals can be prepared.)

Weather

Courtesy of Plant Materials Center 4 Miles N.W. of Knox City

Date	Low	High	Rain
10/31	66	79	.05
11/01	47	73	
11/02	42	74	
11/03	54	58	1.06
11/04	54	58	.90
11/05	57	69	
11/06	47	61	

2000 Rainfall - 15.73

Community women please join us for the

30th Annual

Harvest Day Festival

at

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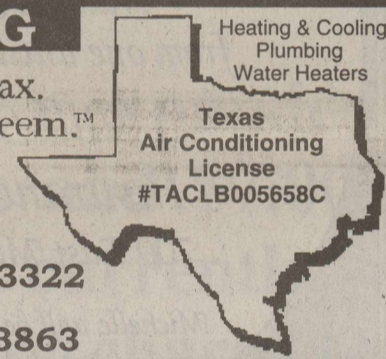
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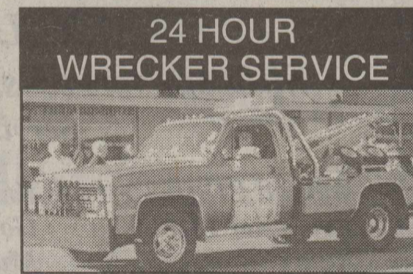
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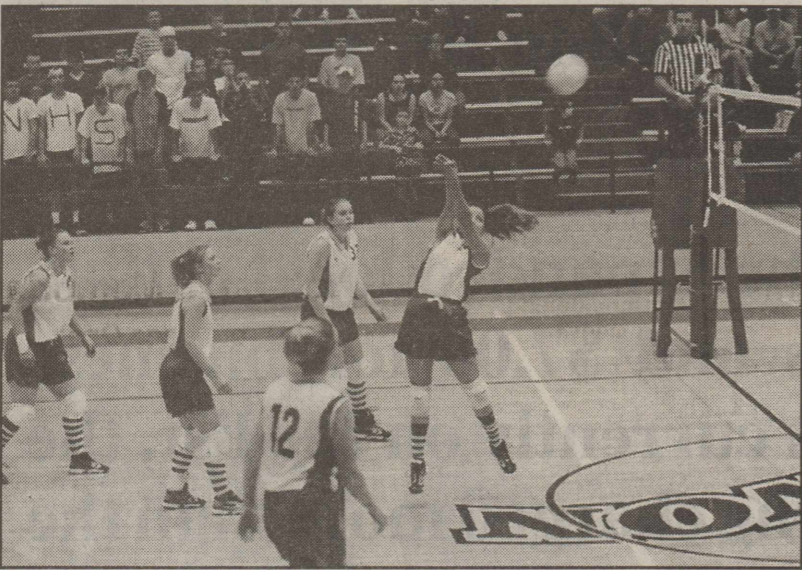
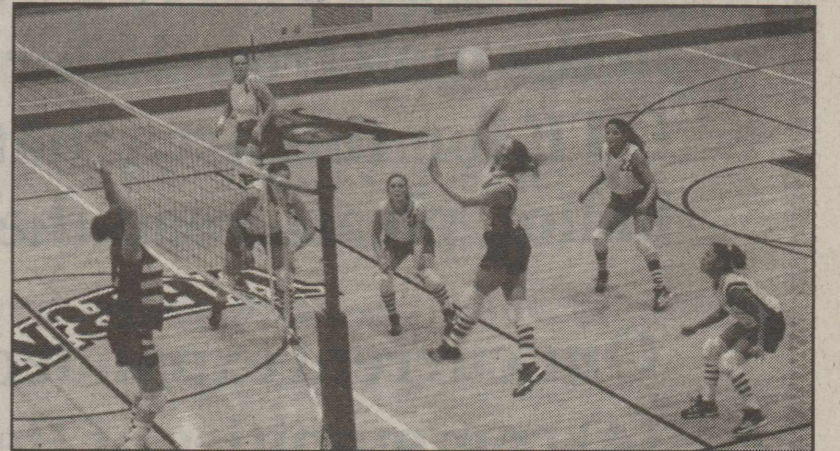
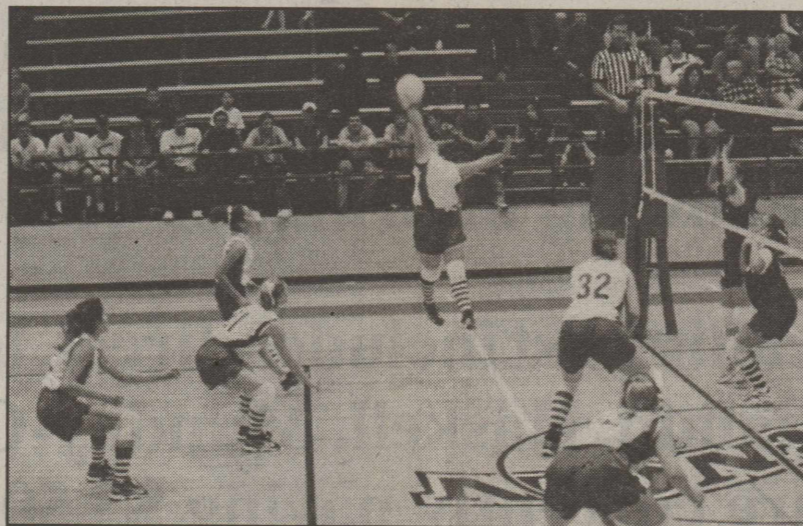
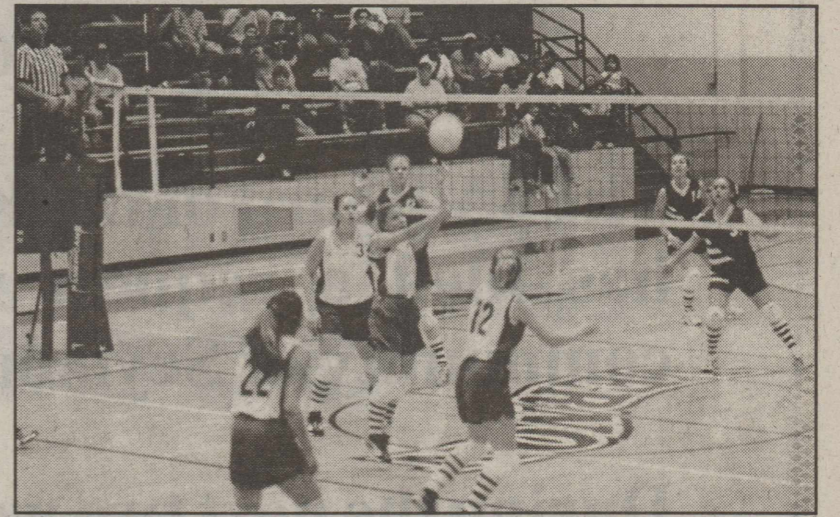
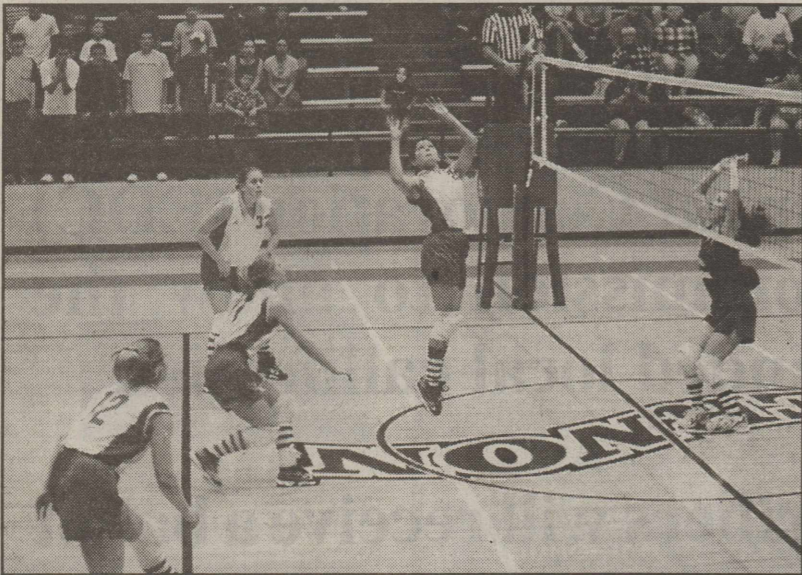
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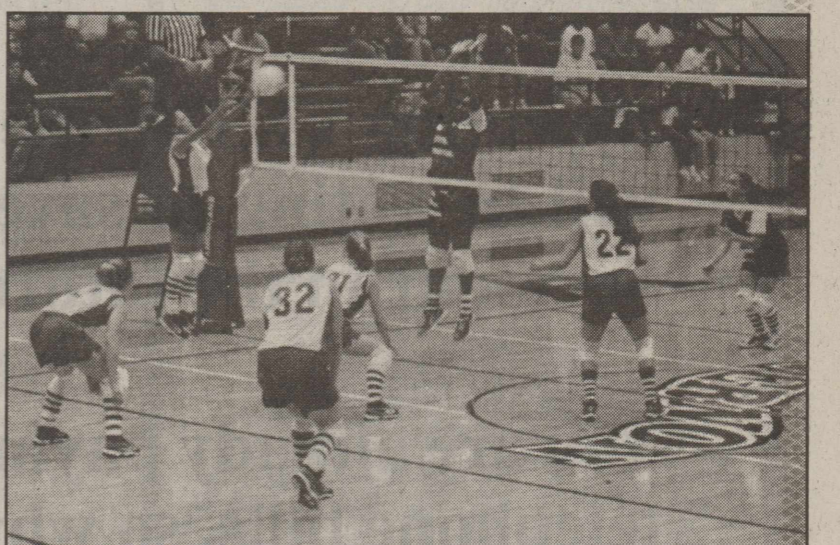
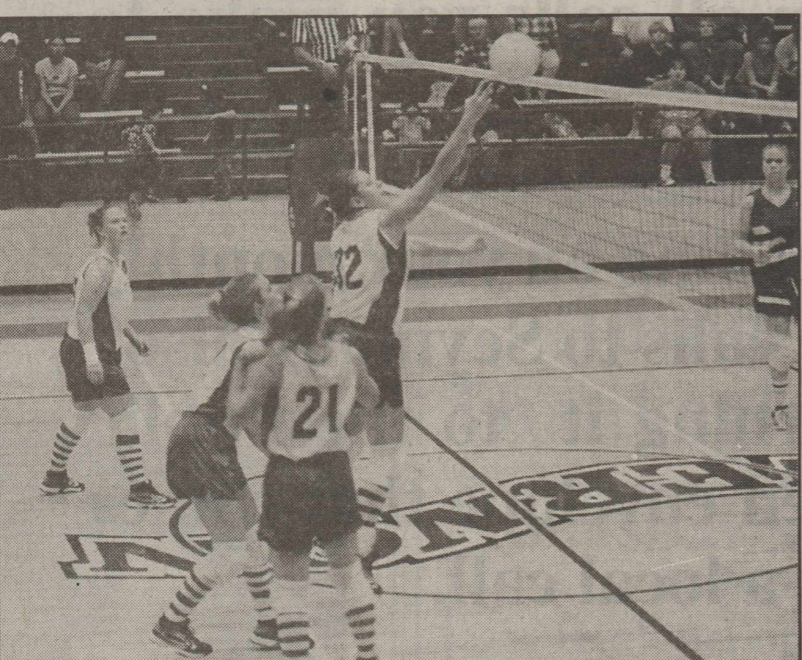
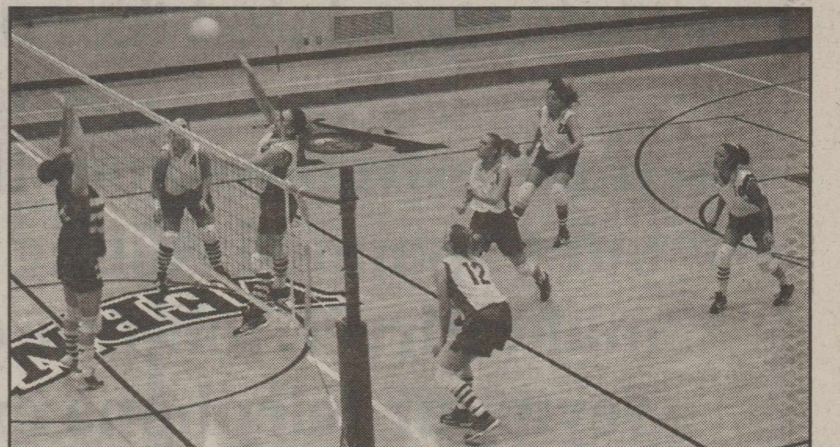
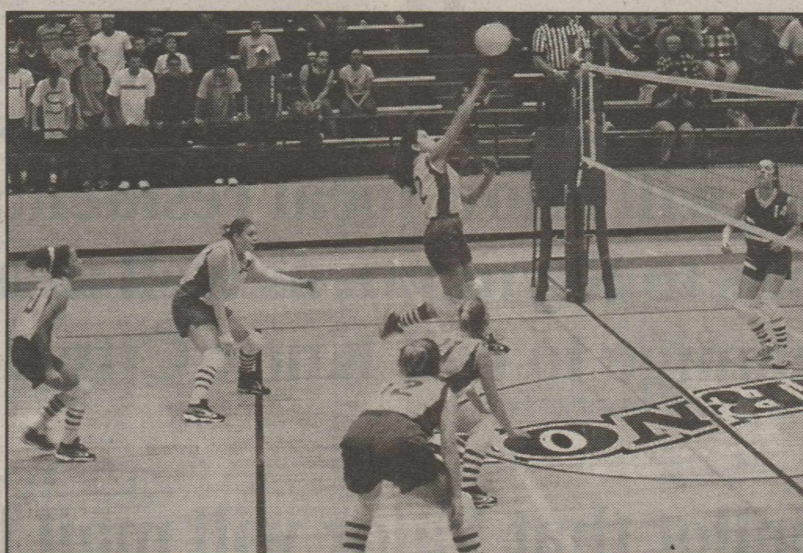
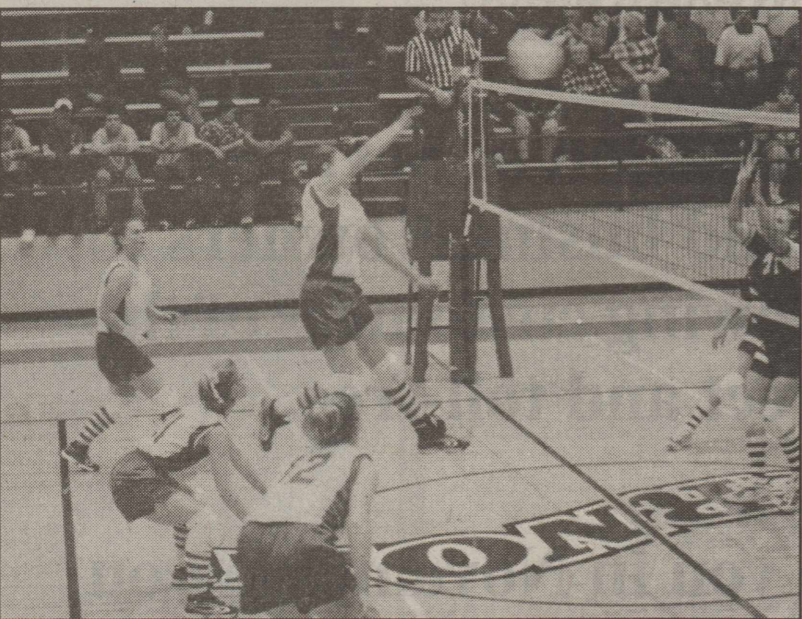


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ATTENTION ALL LOCAL TELEPHONE CUSTOMERS WITH A 658 PREFIX:

(Knox City, O'Brien and the surrounding area)

The 4A Board of the Knox City Economic Development Corporation (EDC) has filed a request with the Public Utilities Commission to allow the community of Seymour to be included on our expanded local calling list.

During the next two weeks, all local telephone subscribers will receive a ballot in the mail from Valor Telecom, the telephone company that took the place of GTE for this area that includes all 658 prefix numbers. Before filling out the ballot, please read the following information very carefully:

Our current expanded calling list includes direct, toll-free calling to the four (4) communities of Benjamin, Haskell, Munday-Goree and Rochester. All residential customers are currently paying \$3.50 and business customers are currently paying \$7.00 for this expanded local calling list that was previously approved by local telephone customers.

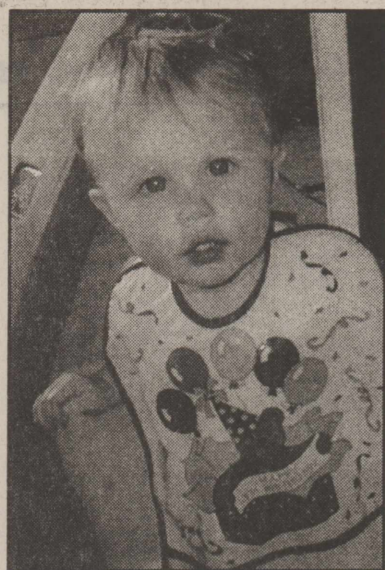
State law allows a total of five (5) communities in the expanded local calling list for the fees of \$3.50 for residence customers and \$7.00 for business customers. Since Knox City only has four (4) cities currently on the list, the city of Seymour can be added with customers not being charged more than the state mandated fees of \$3.50 and \$7.00, including surcharges.

If approved by you, the telephone subscriber, the addition of Seymour to our expanded calling list will allow local residents and business owners to make direct, toll-free calls to Seymour, as well as allowing customers of the Seymour telephone exchange to call Knox City direct and toll-free.

By voting YES on the ballot that Valor will mail to you in November, you will be voting to save your hard earned money on all calls you make to Seymour in the future.

You are already paying the fee for expanded local calling on your monthly telephone bills, so why pay the phone company for calls to Seymour also? Remember, by voting yes on the ballot and returning it to the Public Utilities Commission in the self addressed, stamped envelope that comes with the ballot, you will be able to call Seymour as a local call.

Working on your behalf, the EDC of Knox City urges you to vote FOR adding Seymour to our expanded calling list from Knox City.



STUART DAY EDMONDS
... honored guest



THE IGUANA
... uninvited guest

Stuart honored on first birthday

Stuart Day Edmonds, son of Shea and Scott Edmonds, celebrated his first birthday with a party in his honor on Sunday, October 22.

Stuart turned one on Wednesday, October 18.

The party was held at the home of his grandparents, Romain and Jack Stubbs at 201 South Fourth in Knoxville City.

"Stuart Little" was the theme for the party. Cake and hot dogs, along with all the trimmings, were served to his little friends and the adults attending.

One uninvited guest, an Iguana, decided to come to the party causing lots of excitement.

First Christian to host 30th Harvest Day

The First Christian Church will host the 30th annual Harvest Day Festival, Tuesday, November 14.

Registration will begin at 10:00 a.m.

All community women are invited and ladies are asked to please bring a salad for lunch.

Call in your NEWS...
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Bulldogs wrapup an undefeated season!

By Coach Howeth

Last Thursday, the O'Brien Bulldogs finished an undefeated season with a 56 to 6 stomping of the Motley County Matadors.

Scoring on the night was Quentin Spells, Riley Spells, C.J. Bruce and J.J. Martinez.

The Bulldogs worked hard earn their undefeated 7-0 record on the year. They not only defeated all of their opponents, the dominated them.

The Bulldogs outscored their opponents by a combined total 289 to 18.

The team would like to extend their deep appreciation to all of the fans, families and anyone else who came out to cheer O'Brien on to a perfect season. It would not have been possible without all the support received from the community.

Team members are Jimmy Albus, Drew Barnard, Eric Lewis, Ricky Dale Smith, Pablo Sanchez, Josh Hunt, Jeremy Saxton, Dustin Johnson, Quentin Spells, C.J. Bruce, Riley Spells, Derrick Magana, Ryan Harrington, Kylin DelValle, Daniel Rodriguez, T.J. Richardson, J.J. Martinez, Andy Shaver, Grant Lewis, Jordan McCown, Carnell Thompson, Tomas Myers and Donnie Northrup.

American Cancer Society tributes honor family, friends through memorials, donations

Tributes to family and friends may be done through contributions to the American Cancer Society Memorial and Honor programs. The Honor Program gift is a warm and meaningful way for anyone to remember important occasions such as birthdays, graduation, anniversaries or holidays. When giving an Honor Gift, a card is sent to inform the honoree. The Memorial Program allows the opportunity to make a donation in memory of a loved one, friend or business association. When making a memorial donation, a card is sent to the designated family member of friend to inform them that a gift has been made in memory of their loved one. By making a gift to the American Cancer Society in

memory or in honor of someone, two gifts are being made. First, a gift is being made to the family of the deceased or to the honoree. Second, a gift to all the people that have cancer or may get cancer.

Memorials include in memory of Belte Kirby by Lloyd and Jo Heard, G. Lott by Grace Welch, Ed R. Townsend by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nuckols, Renee Woodley by Ida Jo Owens, Mildred Graves by Clarence and Etta Searcey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hosea, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Haynie, Lyndle and Jeanette Reeves, Leo and Pansy Koenig, Mr. and Mrs. Richie Smith, Charles and Gay Yost, Geraldine Koenig; Louise Beaty by Bud and Ilene Redder, Arleda Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Richie Smith and Valera Hertel; Hub

Thompson by Ida Jo Owens, Beatrice Mathison by Verna Rawlins, Bill Grimsley by Bobby Hudson, Amy Bell by Grace Welch, Bruce Lakey by Hill Family, J.D. Hicks by Geraldine Koenig and Arleda Decker.

A Golden Time

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A study in the Archives of Internal Medicine maintains that living wills can save about \$60,000 per patient in medical costs. Researchers studied 474 patients who died in a hospital during 1990-92. Bills for those without living wills were three times as high.

Currently only one medical school in the entire country, out of 126, has a full-fledged department of geriatrics: Mt. Sinai School of Medicine in New York.

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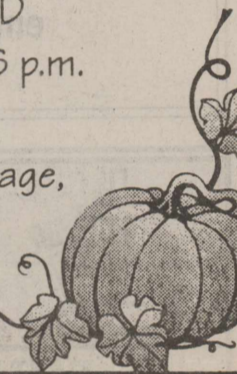
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