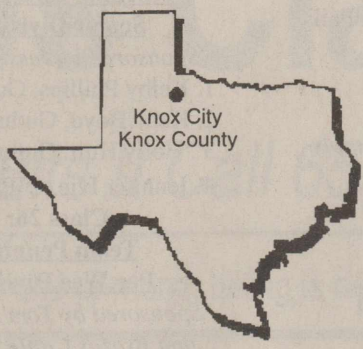


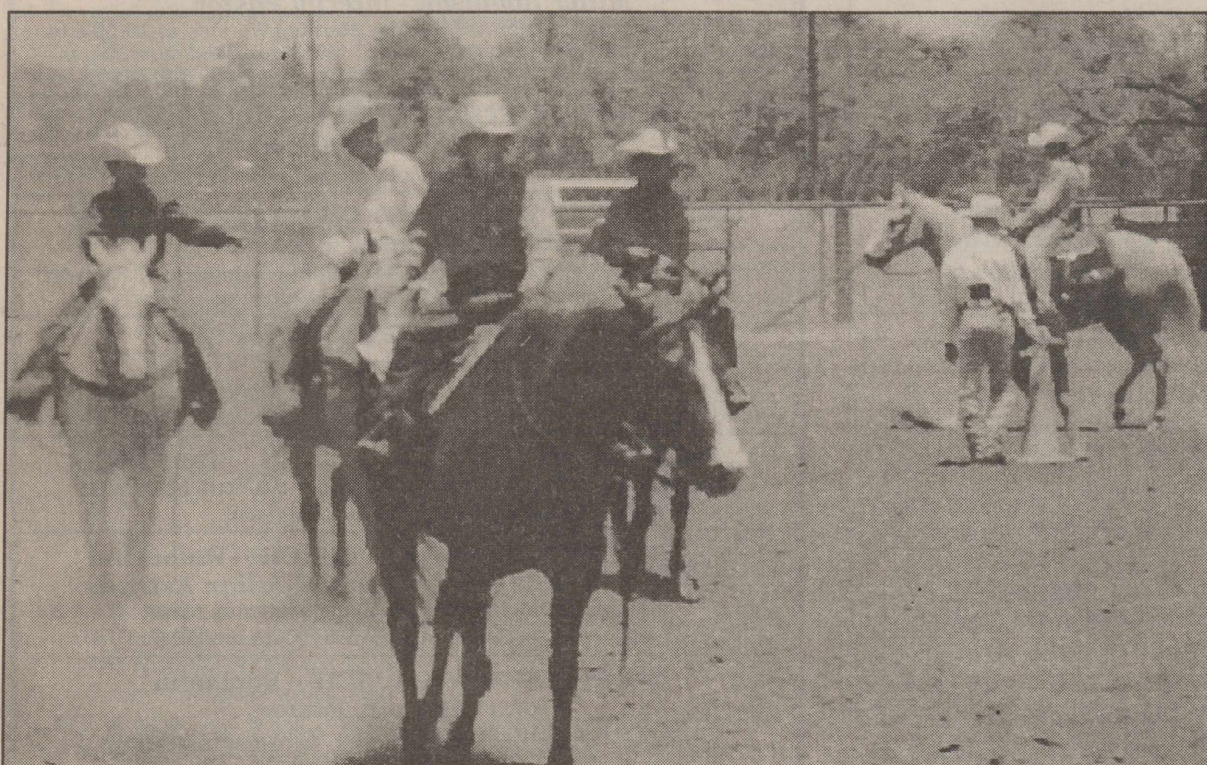
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RIDERS WARMING UP for the Knox County 4-H Show in Benjamin. (4-H Photo)



WAITING FOR THEIR TURN, riders are shown at the 4-H Horse Show. (4-H Photo)

## Knox County 4-H Horse Show attracts entrants from Texas and New Mexico

By Trish Jones, CEA/AG: On Saturday June 1, 2002 at the Benjamin Rodeo Arena over 30 youth gathered accompanied by parents, grand parents, aunts and uncles to compete in the 2002 Knox County 4-H Horse Show. Folks from as far east as Wichita Falls and as far west as New Mexico came to strut their stuff. The District 3 4-H Horse Show will be held June 20-22nd in Vernon at the Wilbarger Horse Arena, we wish all the youth of Knox County and surrounding counties best of luck! Here are the results for the Knox County show:

<b>Class 1:</b> <b>Yearling Filly at Halter</b> <i>Sponsored by: Stanton Brown</i> 1. Chase Reed, Truscott 2. Larami Stewart, Munday	<b>Class 2:</b> <b>Mares Four &amp; Under at Halter</b> <i>Sponsored by</i> <i>Rolling Plains Well Service</i> 1. Gaylynn Gary, Sagerton	<b>Class 3:</b> <b>Mares Five and Up at Halter</b> <i>Sponsored by</i> <i>Osbornes of Munday</i> 1. Angie Bourland, Guthrie	<b>Class 4:</b> <b>Grand Champion &amp; Reserve Champion Mare</b> <i>Sponsored by:</i> <i>Philomae &amp; Bobby Roberson</i> GRAND CHAMPION MARE: Gaylynn Gary, Sagerton RESERVE CHAMPION MARE: Chase Reed, Truscott	<i>Sponsored by</i> <i>Knox County Abstract Office</i> Pate Stewart, Munday <b>Class 6:</b> <b>Geldings Four and Under at Halter</b> <i>Sponsored by</i> <i>BJ Country Store and</i> <i>Weldon &amp; Estelle Skiles</i> 1. Cassie Lyles, Benjamin 2. Trey Tidwell, Munday	<b>Geldings Five and Up at Halter</b> <i>Sponsored by</i> <i>Citizens Bank of Knox City</i> 1. Katie Boyd, Guthrie 2. Holley Hurt, Guthrie 3. Kara Hurt, Guthrie 4. Jennifer Ivie, O'Brien
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See Horse Show results,  
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## Knox City Homecoming 2002 draws exes and family members from 'near and far'

The Knox City Homecoming 2002 is over and exes and family came from 'near and far' to enjoy the three day event.

Those registering during this year's Homecoming were: Frank David Woodall, Henrietta; B.J. Wheeler, Odessa; Jim Robinson, Lubbock; Roland and June Willis, Stillwater, OK; Guy T. Robinson, DeSoto; Carolyn Collinsworth, Plano; Jacqueline Crownover Beesley, Dumas; Roland Marion, KC; Betty Bailiff, KC; Earl and Wilma Hutchinson, Weatherford; Oscar Mangis, KC; Leta Mangis, KC; Rebecca Hackfield Beck, Odessa; Dorothy Jackson Shepherd, Mountainburg, AR; Christell McHam Magness, Hamilton; Wynelle McGee Hencke; Frances McGee Dear, KC.

Also, Virginia Helms Griffin, Wylie; Rowena Helms Johnson, Bryan; Billy A. Yarbrough, Russellville, AR; Betty Jo Hart Lewis, Sunset; Doris McNulty, KC; Jan Hodges Kilgore, Bill Tweedy, KC; Donna Davis, Phoenix, AZ; John and Josephine Atterbury, College Station; Dorothy Jean Dykes, KC; Joe Clonts, KC; Sue Marion, KC.

Also, Butch Johnson, Mineral Wells; Birdie Helton, Bobby Joe Helton, KC; Sue Guinn Rich, Garland; Genie Guinn Holcomb, KC; Leon and LaDell Nolan, Odessa; Jimmy Leach, Midland; Millard Lain, Benny Bales Lain, Livingston; A.P. Denton Jr., KC; Cliff Ray, Haskell; Phillip Newton, Haskell; Ray Penman, KC; Lou Denton Vail, KC; Judy Smith Leaverton, KC; Bobby D. Burnett, Munday; Bertha Bailey Driver, KC; Lois Denton Bruton, Olney; Kenneth Day, Lubbock; T.C. (Shag) Lewis, Perryton.

Also, Cleon Watson, Grace Watson, Arlington; Carol Finley Godsey, KC; Paul Burt, Sulphur Springs; Frankie Baker, Bill Baker, KC; Leonard and Cindy Burt, Baytown; Jim McNulty; Romona Helms, KC; Bobby G. Robinson, Rule; Jim and Thelma Burt, KC; Mona Joyce Cook, KC; June Hudson Rowlett, Duncan, OK; Betty Hamilton, Jack Hamilton, Idalou; G. Headen, Plano; Tennie Jo McNulty Beyer, Fort Worth; Barney B. Arnold, KC.

Also, Jane Ann Penman, KC; J.D. and Betty Rowell, Amarillo; Frank McAulty, KC; Billye Benedict Angle, KC; Stacy Angle Thompson, KC; Patti Lain Currie, Abilene; Pansy Wilcox Hale, Rochester; Wanda Denton LeMoine, Granbury; Brack Shaver, Fort Worth; Faye Shaver, KC; Joan Shaver Muller, Tyler; Donna Verhalen Albus, Abilene; Nellie Reyes Lewis, Dallas; Billie Bonds, Lovington, NM; Bettye Hooker, Austin; Marion Perdue, KC; Charlotte Perdue Seay, Snyder; Patsy Robinson Bateman, Denton; Flint, Christy, Chris and Clay Richardson, KC.

Also, Becky and Johnny Rocha, Abilene; Shirley Wright Hargus, Merkel; Laura White, Lubbock; Ruth White Cook, Denton; Lynelle Tankersley Williams, Abilene; Mary Beth Waldrip Sharp, Abilene; David Clarke, Midland; Hayden Reeves, Shirley Reeves, Temple; Harold Pack, San Angelo; Andy Wilfong, LaQuita Hackfield Wilfong, Haskell; Charles Mongrain, Guthrie; Vickie Miller, Cloudcroft, NM; Jim Lea, Riesel; Bobby Driver, Slaton; Dell Driver, Slaton; Henry Jones, KC; Odaie Harper, Ted

Harper, San Antonio; Zena Bolin Renner, Lee Renner, Winnsboro; Ruth McNellie, Paradise; Louise McNellie Grady, Springtown; Gary and Merina White, Dallas; Lanea Hendrix Phillips, Wichita Falls; Sam Bolin, Abilene; John and Doris Jones, Seymour.

Also, Virginia Branham, Big Spring; Kathy Verhalen, Arlington, John R. Barnett, El Paso; Deann Stamps Ulm, Post; Anita F. Goode, Throckmorton; Mary Hitchcock Reeves, Odessa; Jim Abbott, Abilene; Sandra Wilson Abbott, Abilene; Twyla Standlee Barnard, Dallas; June Corley Sellers, Lubbock; Debbie Bishop Wilde, KC; Carol Hitchcock Gaines, Abilene; Gail Cornett Etheredge, Molly Etheredge, Abilene; C.H. Cornett, Jo Cornett, KC; A.C. May, Tomi May, Rule; Jimmy L. Helms, Wichita Falls.

Also, Zana Slaughter, Abilene; Jan Clower, John Clark, Anson; Margie Paul Huemmer, Dallas; Mac Spencer, Arlington; Jo Chafin Castle, Saint Jo; Diane Wachman, Wichita Falls; Rip Collins, Austin; David N. Perdue, KC; Joe Tidwell, Claudia Reed Tidwell, Munday; Larry Donaldson, Wichita Falls; Leann Benson Golden, Goree; Cecil Beauchamp, Anson; Victor Gonzales, Chico; Irvin Brooks, Aspermont; Amber Berryman Lewis, KC; Rosie Wilde, Munday; Ronnie Verhalen, KC; Mary Dodd Jenkins, Rochester; Peggy Crownover Smith, B.J. Presnell, Tommy and Greta Woodward.

*(Editor's Note: There are no pictures as our Homecoming 2002 pictures taken with our digital camera were stored in our hard drive when we lost it last week at the News office.)*



**Dr. Larry Heard**  
Pampa, Tx  
Preacher



**Carolyn Koepf**  
Robert Lee, Tx  
Pianist



**Weldon Koepf**  
Robert Lee, Tx  
Singer

## First Baptist Church of Benjamin announces June 23-28 revival activities

The First Baptist Church of Benjamin has scheduled revival services during the week of June 23 thru 28.

Open to everyone, the 5 day revival will feature names familiar to folks in the Benjamin area. Joining Dr. Larry Heard of Pampa, the revival ministry team will also include Weldon and Carolyn Koepf of Robert Lee.

Dr. Heard has been the Director of Missions for the Top O' Texas Area from 1987 to the present, and he has pastored churches in Wellman, Matador, Bovina, and Idalou, Texas. He received his Bachelor of Science degree from Hardin-Simmons University in 1961, then attended Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary where he received

his Master of Divinity degree in 1965 and later received his Doctor of Divinity degree in 1982. His life in the ministry includes leading 10 mission teams to foreign countries, a Doctoral Thesis on Mission Team Involvement, and leading six mission partnerships of Top O' Texas Area Churches since becoming the Director of Missions.

The husband and wife music team of Weldon and Carolyn Koepf are familiar to Benjamin residents as Weldon was formally the Superintendent of the Benjamin schools, and his wife Carolyn was a teacher in the Benjamin school system. During the upcoming revival, Weldon is the singer and Carolyn is the pianist. When they lived in Benjamin,

Weldon and Carolyn were both very active at First Baptist Church. Weldon served as Music Director while Carolyn was a Sunday School teacher and church pianist. The couple currently lives in Robert Lee, Texas, where Weldon is Superintendent and Carolyn teaches.

Pastor John Gillispie and the congregation of Benjamin's First Baptist Church cordially invite everyone in Benjamin and the surrounding to attend the revival services and enjoy the inspiring message in song and the preached word. Services on Sunday, June 23 will be held at 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., and the services on Monday, June 24 thru Friday, June 28 will be at 7:00 p.m. each evening.



**Knox County 4-H Horse Show results, from Page One**

**Class 8:**  
**Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Gelding**  
*Sponsored by Mike & Kay Sheedy and Art Stall & Frame Shop*  
GRAND CHAMPION GELDING: Cassie Lyles, Benjamin  
RESERVE CHAMPION GELDING: Katie Boyd, Guthrie

**Class 9:**  
**Showmanship at Halter Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by Farm & Garden*  
1. Gaylynn Gary, Sagerton  
2. Cassie Lyles, Benjamin  
3. Will Patterson, Benjamin  
4. Sharria Beck, Vera

**Class 10:**  
**Showmanship at Halter Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by Farm & Garden*  
1. Katie Boyd, Guthrie  
2. Holly Hurt, Guthrie  
3. Jennifer Ivie, O'Brien

**Class 11:**  
**Walk Trot Class Pee Wee Division**  
*Sponsored by First Ag Credit*  
1. Kara Hurt, Guthrie  
2. Trent Cadman, Wichita Falls  
3. Caleb Lowrey, Vera  
4. Will Patterson, Benjamin

**Class 12:**  
**Walk Trot Class Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by Basic of Knox City*  
1. Gaylynn Gary, Sagerton  
2. Gage Moorhouse, Benjamin  
3. James Cadman, Wichita Falls  
4. Chase Reed, Truscott  
5. Camry Criswell, Guthrie  
6. Jessica Ledesma, Knox City

**Class 13:**  
**Western Pleasure Pee Wee Division**  
*Sponsored by Lawrence Brothers*  
1. Trent Cadman, Wichita Falls  
2. Kara Hurt, Guthrie  
3. Caleb Lowrey, Vera

**Class 14:**  
**Western Pleasure Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by David Counts Real Estate & Campaign*  
1. Cassie Lyles, Benjamin  
2. Gage Moorhouse, Benjamin  
3. Ashley Daniel, Guthrie  
4. Larami Stewart, Munday  
5. GayLynn Gary, Sagerton  
6. Sharria Beck, Vera  
7. Ethan Lowrey, Vera  
8. Pate Stewart, Munday  
9. JoAnna Elliott, Guthrie  
10. Jessica Ledesma, Knox City  
11. Chase Reed, Truscott

**Class 15:**  
**Western Pleasure Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by Mary Ann Boone*  
1. Katie Boyd, Guthrie  
2. Kelby Phillips, Guthrie  
3. Holly Hurt, Guthrie  
4. Jennifer Ivie, O'Brien  
5. Jennifer Blackwell, New Mexico

**Class 16:**  
**Western Trail Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by Polytech*  
1. JoAnna Elliott, Guthrie  
2. Gage Moorhouse, Benjamin

3. Jessica Ledesma, Knox City  
4. Gaylynn Gary, Sagerton  
5. James Cadman, Wichita Falls

**Class 17:**  
**Western Trail Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by Pumpers Supply*  
1. Katie Boyd, Guthrie  
2. Kelby Phillips, Guthrie  
3. Jennifer Ivie, O'Brien

**Class 18:**  
**Western Horsemanship Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by Jerry's Plumbing and John & Barbara Rector*  
1. Pate Stewart, Munday  
2. JoAnna Elliott, Guthrie  
3. Gaylynn Gary, Sagerton  
4. Jessica Ledesma, Knox City  
5. Gage Moorhouse, Benjamin  
6. Sharria Beck, Vera  
7. Larami Stewart, Munday  
8. James Cadman, Wichita Falls

**Class 19:**  
**Western Horsemanship Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by First National Bank of Munday*  
1. Katie Boyd, Guthrie  
2. Holly Hurt, Guthrie  
3. Kelby Phillips, Guthrie  
4. Jennifer Ivie, O'Brien

**Class 20:**  
**Western Riding Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by First National Bank of Munday*  
1. JoAnna Elliott, Guthrie  
2. Gage Moorhouse, Benjamin  
3. James Cadman, Wichita Falls  
4. Jessica Ledesma, Knox City  
5. Gaylynn Gary, Sagerton

**Class 21:**  
**Western Riding Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by Circle Bar Ranch of Truscott*  
1. Katie Boyd, Guthrie  
2. Holly Hurt, Guthrie  
3. Jennifer Ivie, O'Brien

**Class 22:**  
**Reining Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by West Texas Vet of Abilene*  
1. JoAnna Elliott, Guthrie  
2. Ethan Lowrey, Vera  
3. Luke Jones, Guthrie  
4. Gaylynn Gary, Sagerton  
5. Gage Moorhouse, Benjamin  
6. Jessica Ledesma, Knox City

**Class 23:**  
**Reining Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by West Texas Vet of Abilene*  
1. Kelby Phillips, Guthrie  
2. Katie Boyd, Guthrie  
3. Holly Hurt, Guthrie

**Class 24:**  
**Working Cow Horse Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by Circle Bar Ranch of Truscott*  
1. Pate Stewart, Munday  
2. Cassie Lyles, Benjamin  
3. JoAnna Elliott, Guthrie  
4. Larami Stewart, Munday  
5. Ashley Daniel, Guthrie  
6. James Cadman, Wichita Falls  
7. Gage Moorhouse, Benjamin  
8. Chase Reed, Truscott

**Class 25:**  
**Working Cow Horse Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by Jessie Ledesma*  
1. Kelby Phillips, Guthrie  
2. Katie Boyd, Guthrie  
3. Holly Hurt, Guthrie  
4. Jennifer Ivie, O'Brien

**Class 26:**  
**Team Penning Pee Wee Division**  
*Sponsored by Tom Moorhouse and Brazos Cattle & Feed*  
Team 1: Trent Cadman, Caleb Lowrey & Kara Hurt

**Class 27:**  
**Team Penning Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by Tom Moorhouse and Brazos Cattle & Feed*  
Team 1: JoAnna Elliott, Lottie Elliott & Gage Moorhouse  
Team 2: Ashley Daniel, James Cadman, Jessica Ledesma  
Team 3: Luke Jones, Ethan Lowrey, Larami Stewart  
Team 4: Chase Reed, Cody Propps, Pate Stewart

**Class 28:**  
**Team Penning Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by Tom Moorhouse and Brazos Cattle & Feed*  
Team 1: Kelby Phillips, Kate Boyd, Holly Hurt  
Team 2: Shaylee Propps, Jennifer Ivie, Cassie Lyles

**Class 29:**  
**Poles Pee Wee Division**  
*Sponsored by MaryAnn Boone*  
1. Caleb Lowrey, Vera  
2. Trent Cadman, Wichita Falls  
3. Kara Hurt, Guthrie

**Class 30:**  
**Poles Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by MaryAnn Boone and Quality Implement*  
1. JoAnna Elliott, Guthrie  
2. Cassie Lyles, Benjamin  
3. Lottie Elliott, Guthrie  
4. Camry Criswell, Guthrie  
5. Ashley Daniel, Guthrie  
6. Ethan Lowrey, Vera  
7. Angie Bourland, Guthrie  
8. Jessica Ledesma, Knox City  
9. Sharria Beck, Vera

**Class 31:**  
**Poles Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by Kathie and Jack's Cafe*  
1. Katie Boyd, Guthrie  
2. Jennifer Blackwell, New Mexico  
3. Holly Hurt, Guthrie  
4. Kelby Phillips, Guthrie  
5. Jennifer Ivie, O'Brien

**Class 32:**  
**Stakes Pee Wee Division**  
*Sponsored by PBH Oilfield Supply*  
1. Caleb Lowrey, Vera  
2. Kara Hurt, Guthrie  
3. Trent Cadman, Wichita Falls

**Class 33:**  
**Stakes Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by Brenda Jo's Cafe*  
1. Cassie Lyles, Benjamin

2. JoAnna Elliott, Guthrie  
3. Ethan Lowrey, Vera  
4. Lottie Elliott, Guthrie  
5. Camry Criswell, Guthrie  
6. Luke Jones, Guthrie  
7. Jessica Ledesma, Knox City  
8. Sharria Beck, Vera  
9. Angie Bourland, Seymour

**Class 34:**  
**Stakes Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by Bill Stewart Insurance*  
1. Katie Boyd, Guthrie  
2. Holly Hurt, Guthrie  
3. Jennifer Blackwell, New Mexico  
4. Kelby Phillips, Guthrie  
5. Jennifer Ivie, O'Brien

**Class 35:**  
**Barrels Pee Wee Division**  
*Sponsored by Jon's Auto Service*  
1. Caleb Lowrey, Vera  
2. Kara Hurt, Guthrie  
3. Trey Tidwell, Munday

**Class 36:**  
**Barrels Junior Division**  
*Sponsored by Waynes Phillips 66*  
1. Cassie Lyles, Benjamin  
2. JoAnna Elliott, Guthrie  
3. Ethan Lowrey, Vera  
4. Lottie Elliott, Guthrie  
5. Camry Criswell, Guthrie  
6. Jessica Ledesma, Knox City  
7. Angie Bourland, Seymour  
8. Sharria Beck, Vera

**Class 37:**  
**Barrels Senior Division**  
*Sponsored by Eagle Tubing Testers and Logsdon Insurance Agency*  
1. Jennifer Ivie, O'Brien  
2. Jennifer Blackwell, New Mexico  
3. Holly Hurt, Guthrie  
4. Kelby Phillips, Guthrie  
5. Katie Boyd, Guthrie

**Overall High Point Individual**  
*Sponsored by Lyles Ranch and Spike Box Ranch*  
**Pee Wee Division:** Kara Hurt  
**Junior Division:** JoAnna Elliott  
**Senior Division:** Katie Boyd

**Reserve High Point Individual**  
*Sponsored by Santa Rosa Telephone*  
**Pee Wee Division:** Caleb Lowrey  
**Junior Division:** Cassie Lyles  
**Senior Division:** Holly Hurt

Our phone number has changed with the switch to Santa Rosa Telephone Co-Op

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## Knox City Area Church Directory

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Sunday Services telecast live on Cable Channel 6 in Knox City & O'Brien

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH ~ Knox City**  
*Steve Pepper, Minister*  
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.

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

**FOURSQUARE CHURCH ~ Knox City**  
*Paul Chambers, Pastor*  
Sunday School at 9:45 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 Julian Estrada*  
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*Father Leo Schloemer ~ Deacon Julian Estrada*  
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 ~ 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 ~ Benjamin**  
*Wesley Holland, Pastor*  
Sunday Worship at 9:30 a.m. ~ Sunday School at 10:30 a.m.

**GILLESPIE BAPTIST CHURCH ~ Gillespie**  
*Ross Anderson, Pastor*  
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. ~ Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship at 7:00 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 7:00 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST ~ Benjamin**  
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**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.

**FAITH CHAPEL ~ 8 Miles South Of Knox City**  
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.  
Mid Week Bible Study, Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

**O'BRIEN BAPTIST CHURCH ~ O'Brien**  
*Kyle Gulledege, Pastor*  
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Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. Mid Week, Wed. at 6:00 p.m.

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Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. Mid Week, Thurs. at 7:00 p.m.  
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**WEINERT FOURSQUARE CHURCH**  
*Rob Harrison, Pastor*  
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**Knox County Hospital Clinic**

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Dr. Shirley Barretto  
Dr. Imran Rao  
Dr. Feras Hamadeh  
Dr. Kevin Finley  
Mark Bingham, P.A.-C.

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Nail Technician  
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**Appearances**

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## O'Brien happenings

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"As I was nursing my baby, my cousin's six-year-old daughter, Krissy, came into the room. Never having seen anyone breast-feed before, she was intrigued and full of all kinds of questions about what I was doing.

After mulling over my answers, she remarked, "My mom has some of those, but I don't think she knows how to use them."

Here and There - Junior and

Myra Reeves were in Abilene last week for Junior's doctor's appointment and with visited with a cousin of Myra's, Velma Grace and husband.

Taylor Hodges of Spur and Sue Condron of Spur visited with Clara Hanson over the weekend.

Visiting Ranzy and Adelle Herring his weekend and helping Ranzy enjoy his 90th birthday were Pansy, Andy, Tami, Haleigh

and Austin Hines of Lubbock, Kevin Urbanczyk of Goree and Claudia Reid of Rochester.

Spending the weekend with Dempsey Emerson was his grandson Greg Oliver of Sweetwater. They enjoyed riding around and looking at all the rains that are being blessed by everyone.

We have several families in our area that needs our prayers. You know prayer changes things.

C.H. and Linda Underwood's little granddaughter Faith Donham is in Dallas this week for some serious surgery and our prayers will help.

Loretta Hewitt is another one that needs our prayers and I suppose tales are going around that our O'Brien school is being haunted by some foolish things that are being spread such as, shadows, water being turned on and someone was hung at one time in our school and that's one of the reasons for the haunting. The ones that are doing all of this crazy ideas and spreading them might ought to get down on his knees and begging for the good Lord to take over.

Bro. Kyle Gullede returned home last Wednesday after spending a few days in St. Louis, Missouri, attending the Southern Baptist Convention. He enjoyed the trip and heard quite a few good sermons.

Visiting Alton and LaUna Hester Sunday was their daughter Brenda and husband Doyle Robinson of Panhandle and granddaughter Mandy and her roommate at ACU in Abilene.

## Obituaries

### Floyd Monroe Herndon

Floyd Monroe Herndon died Saturday, May 18, 2002, at his residence in Lanely, Texas.

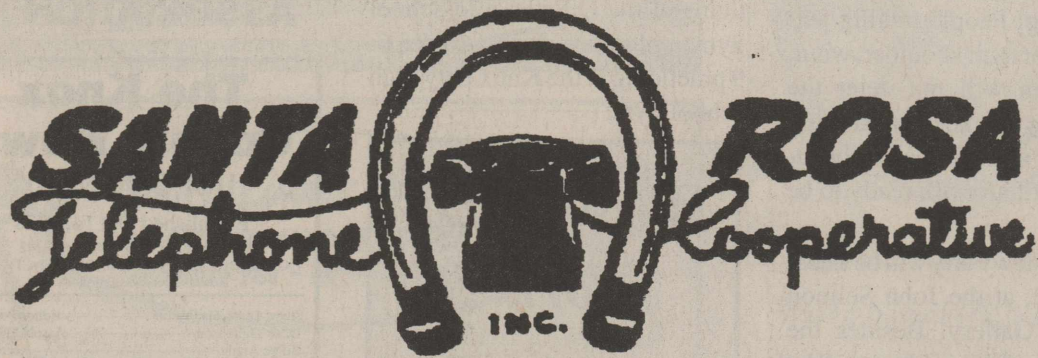
He was born on July 28, 1921, in Hugo, Oklahoma. He served in the Air Corp during World War II and was a Pip Fitter by trade and a member of the Houston Local #211 union. Mr. Herndon was also a member of the Heart of Texas Golden Eagle Travel Club. He was raised on one of the McGregor Estate farms west of O'Brien and was stationed in the Aleutians during his army days and World War II.

He was preceded in death by his father and mother, James W. and Hester Herndon; a sister, Ruby Erma Herndon; and brothers, Fred Leon, Roy Othell and James Lee Herndon.

Survivors are his wife Murrell Leslie Hollister Herndon of Lanely; daughters, Floy Deane and husband Glen Haddox of Houston, Wanda and husband Dean Redding of Tyler, Rebecca and husband Charles Morgan of Lanely; nephew Scott Hollister and wife Sandi of Lanely; brother Wincel Ray Herndon of Memphis, Texas; sister Vera Mae Peters of Abilene; grandchildren, J.W. Redding, Kelly Redding, Ryan Morgan, Mark Morgan, Marty Morgan, Paul Morgan, Kaylee Fryar, J.C. Hollister, and Bradleigh Hollister; and great-grandchildren, Britney Morgan, Ethan Morgan, Seth Morgan, Brandon Morgan and Luke Morgan.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, May 21, 2002, at Capps Memorial Chapel in Fairfield with Rev. Derrel Beggs officiating. Interment was at Dew Cemetery in Dew.

Pallbearers were Scott Hollister, Charles Morgan, Ryan Morgan, Mark Morgan, Marty Morgan, Paul Morgan and Jonathan Hollister. Honorary pallbearers were Malcolm Hollister and Pervis Black.



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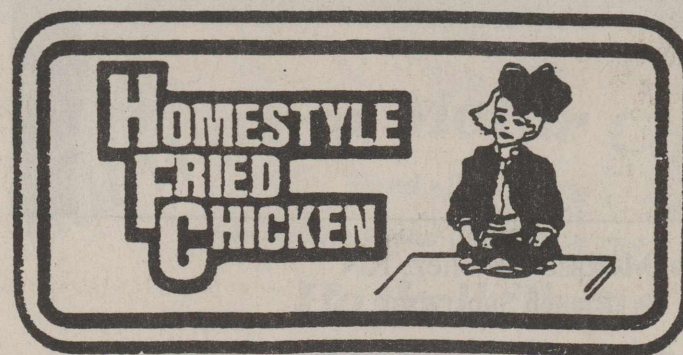
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Hurricane Harbor is operated by Six Flags, Inc., the world's largest regional theme park company with a total of 38 parks in North America, Europe and Latin

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**LOCATION:** Six Flags Hurricane Harbor is located at 1800 E. Lamar in Arlington, midway between Dallas and Fort Worth, each 16 miles away. DFW Airport is 10 miles to the north. Hurricane Harbor is located in the Arlington Entertainment District, an area that also includes Six Flags Over Texas theme park and The Ballpark in Arlington.

**HOURS:** The park opens May 24 for daily operation through August 18. Weekend operation begins August 24 and continues through September 2. Park hours: May 24-30, August 11 - Sept. 2, (10:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.); May 31, June 1-13, 16-20, 23-27, June 30, July 1-4, 7-11, 14-18, 21-25, 28 - Aug 1, 4-8 (10:30 a.m. - 8 p.m.); June 14-15, 21-22, 28-29, July 5-6, 12-13, 19-20, 26-27, Aug 2-3 (10:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.). (Please see operating schedule for specific

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**SIZE:** The largest water park in the Southwest, Hurricane Harbor's exciting rides and attractions sprawl over 47 acres of colorful scenery.

**HISTORY:** Hurricane Harbor opened as Wet 'n Wild in 1983. The park was bought by Six Flags Theme Parks in 1995. The name was officially changed to Six Flags Hurricane Harbor in January of 1997. In 1998, Premier Parks bought Six Flags Hurricane Harbor.

**TYPE OF TICKET PRICE:** General Use Admission 27.99 plus tax. Children under 48" 17.99 plus tax. Senior Citizens, ages 55 and older 17.9 plus tax. Age 2 and under FREE. Individual Season Pass 59.99 plus tax.

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## Thirteen artists in Stamford's quick draw event

STAMFORD - The "Quick Draw" event at the Preview Party for the Stamford Art Foundation Show will feature 13 artists.

In this event, the artists participating are given one hour to complete a painting from scratch and then the painting is auctioned with all proceeds benefiting the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Those attending the Preview party can watch the artists as they are painting. People talking and looking over their shoulder, wind, dust or rain will not deter the artists. They just keep on painting for an hour and will have a beautiful piece of artwork ready to be auctioned.

The Preview Party will be Tuesday, July 2, at the John Selmon Memorial Gallery. Besides the "Quick Draw" event, there will be a steak dinner served, music by the Billy Bob Band, and a drawing for two \$100 gift certificates. The art for the 2002 show will be viewed for the first time and those attending will have the opportunity to visit with the artists. There are 32 participating artists.

## Attention parents: girls basketball camp set for July 29 thru August 1

Shannon Fisher, the new head girls coach for Knox City - O'Brien C.I.S.D. will be hosting a girls basketball camp from July 29 thru August 1. Application forms may be picked up at either the elementary or mid-school offices. The deadline for turning in the application forms has been extended until Monday, June 24.

The camp will be split into two different grade divisions, with girls entering grades 3 thru 5 (in the upcoming school year) practicing at the O'Brien mid-school gym, and girls entering grades 6-9 practicing at the Knox City high school gym.

The application form/permission slips must be signed by a parent.

Coach Fisher hopes that enough girls are interested in attending the camp. If enough application forms are not received, the camp will have to be canceled.



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## Aging center lunch menus

June 24th thru June 28th

**Monday, June 24** - Salmon croquettes, macaroni and cheese, blackeyed peas, green salad, light bread, dessert.

**Tuesday, June 25** - Baked chicken, buttered noodles, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, cobbler.

**Wednesday, June 26** - Tacos, pinto beans, Spanish rice, salad, jello with fruit.

**Thursday, June 27** - Chicken fried steak with gravy, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, cucumber salad, hot rolls, pineapple crunch with topping.

**Friday, June 28** - Beef stew, stuffed celery, corn on the cob, cornbread, birthday cake.

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

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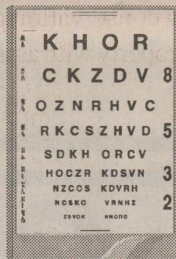
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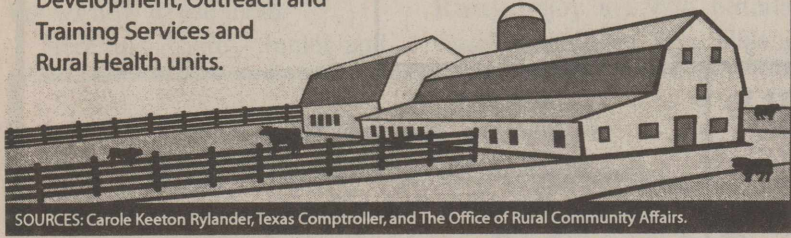
*Keeping an Eye on Texas*

**New help for rural Texas**

The Office of Rural Community Affairs (ORCA) was created in 2001 during the 77th legislative session to provide programs targeting rural Texas communities focusing on the state's health, economic and community development.

It is also designed to coordinate rural programs offered by the various agencies across the state.

ORCA is composed of the Community Development, Outreach and Training Services and Rural Health units.



SOURCES: Carole Keeton Rylander, Texas Comptroller, and The Office of Rural Community Affairs.

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**New Arrivals**  
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Braden and Traci Neiman are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Avery Elizabeth Neiman, born May 3, 2002, at 5:47 p.m. in Wichita Falls.

Avery weighed eight pounds, one ounce, and was 19 1/2 inches long.

She was greeted at home by her big brother, Alec.

Grandparents are Larry and Patricia Deering of Abilene and Dick and Judy Neiman of Iowa City, IA.

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**County Commissioners hear reports, information from Santa Rosa Telephone**

**BE IT REMEMBERED** on the 13th day of May, 2002, there was conducted a **REGULAR** Meeting of the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Knox County, Texas, at the Courthouse thereof, in the City of Benjamin, Texas, for the purpose of transacting any and all business that lawfully may be brought before the same. The Court met at 1:30 P.M. May 13, 2002.

In the absence of County Judge David N. Perdue, Senior Commissioner Johnny Birkenfeld called the **REGULAR** meeting of the Commissioners' Court to order at the Courthouse in Benjamin, Texas. Also present were Commissioners Weldon Skiles, Jerry Parker, and Jimmy Urbanczyk, County Attorney Bobby D. Burnett, Sheriff Dean Homstad, Justice of the Peace Imagean Young, Treasurer Penny Goodwin, Chief Appraiser/Tax Assessor-Collector Stanton Brown, and Clerk Ronnie Verhalen. Also in attendance were Susan Cockerell, Director of the Knox County Aging Center, Ray Hudson of TXDOT, and Donna Matus and Ronnie Miller representing Santa Rosa Telephone Company.

The Court considered the following matters as posted and filed for Record in the office of the County Clerk on May 9, 2002 at 4:24 P.M.

Upon motion by Commissioner Parker and second by Commis-

sioner Urbanczyk, the Court unanimously voted to approve the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of April 8, 2002.

Donna Matus and Ronnie Miller, representing Santa Rosa Telephone Company, gave a presentation to the Court, telling the members about service and savings the Courthouse and County would enjoy if it switched to the phone company. The Court thanked the two for coming and told them that it would reveal its decision on the next Court date, June 10. Information only.

Sheriff Dean Homstad reported on the recent inspection by the Texas Commission on Jail Standards, saying that the Knox County jail had "passed" with no problems, no deficiencies noted. Minutes, 5-13-2002, #1) Information only.

Susan Cockerell, Director of the Knox County Aging Center, shared information with the Court, reporting the financial situation of the Center, the average meals per day in Knox County, and sharing a memorandum concerning the "revised expected units for purchase, April-September, 2002" from the West Central Texas Council of Governments. (C. C. Minutes, 5-13-2002, #2) Information only.

Justice of the Peace for Precincts 1 & 2, Imagean Young, addressed the Court, asking the Court to approve the purchase of a computer for her office. Since

September 2001 a \$4.00 fee has been added to all traffic fines by the State for use only as technological support in the Justice office. Mrs. Young reported having collected \$1988 thus far. Commissioner Urbanczyk moved that Mrs. Young check into computer prices before she purchased one, Commissioner Parker seconded, and all agreed.

Clerk Ronnie Verhalen gave to the Court information he had gathered about prices for a copier for the Clerks' office. The Court decided that such a large purchase would not now be in the best interests of the County and should wait until the budget is done in October. Information only.

Treasurer Penny Goodwin gave to the Court a Treasurer's Report for the period ending April 30, 2002, (C.C. Minutes, 5-13-2002, #3) and a lengthy report, also in writing, for the one month and seven months ended April 30, 2002. Information only.

Ms. Goodwin presented the **monthly bills to the Court**. After examination, upon motion by Commissioner Skiles and second by Commissioner Parker, the Court voted unanimously to pay all bills.

There being no further business to come before the Court at this time, upon motion by Commissioner Parker, seconded by Commissioner Skiles, and carried unanimously, the meeting of the Court was **ADJOURNED**.

**EQIP reauthorized in new farm bill**

With passage of the 2002 Farm Bill, farmers and ranchers now have an opportunity to install needed conservation practices on their property with assistance from the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP).

EQIP was reauthorized when President George W. Bush signed the bill into law on May 13, 2002. EQIP is part of the Conservation Provisions section within the new legislation.

Although reauthorized, EQIP has undergone a facelift to simplify the administrative concurrence process and improve delivery of the program.

Producers who request EQIP assistance will be able to use program funds in the first year of the conservation contract. Further the program increases total payment amounts to \$450,000 per indi-

vidual for the life of the new Farm Bill. Changes also include elimination of both the Geographic Priority Areas (GPA's) and "bidding down" process for cost share assistance.

The revised program emphasizes conservation practices relative to livestock production and eliminates animal unit caps on large confined livestock operations.

Of benefit to many producers is the cost share incentive for defined limited resource or beginning farmers and ranchers. Qualified producers may be eligible for up to 90 percent cost share for needed conservation practices. Final rules for qualified producers are pending.

USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has administrative and technical re-

sponsibility for EQIP. According to Tomas Dominguez, Acting State Conservationist for NRCS in Texas, "EQIP is a voluntary USDA conservation program for farmers and ranchers to treat soil, water and related natural resource concerns on eligible land."

Passage of the new Farm Bill represents not only an agency commitment to conservation, but an opportunity for landowners across Texas to install needed conservation on their lands."

Interested landowners should contact their local representative for NRCS located in their county USDA Service Center.

Applications for the 2002 funding period are being accepted through June 28, 2002.

Additional information is available on the USDA website at <http://www.usda.gov/farmbill>.

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## Benjamin news

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

After a pretty busy weekend, we start another work week. Children are attending Vacation Bible School at the Methodist Church. And several folks are busy chopping and carrying off limbs and entire broken or up-rooted trees - the result of Saturday night's storm. We measured 1.85 inches of rain and are very thankful that our damage was minimal compared with our neighboring towns. And we only lost electricity 6 hours! Several days without power would take some getting used to!

Our friend, WT. Cartwright is in Haskell Hospital being admitted on Friday. He's not feeling very well but hopefully he will make progress soon and be able to return home. Please continue to remember him and his family in your prayers.

David Clower continues to recuperate after his recent fall from a horse. David spent three days in the hospital after his accident but think he'll be good as new before long. Don't know if he has any "horse-related" activities planned anytime soon!

Look Who's Here - Cutter Ray Carl Howell arrived May 15, 2002, in Hendrick Medical Center. He weighed eight pounds, two ounces and was 21 inches long. His parents are Bonnie Bohannon and Craig Howell. He has a sister, Taylor and brother, Bailey, who are sure proud of their new playmate. Grandparents are Roger and Betty Bohannon of Benjamin and Wanda Howell and Cy Howell of Geneva, Nebraska. He also has a great-grandmother Wilma Henrick, also of Geneva.

Homecoming attendees - Among those from out of town registering at the 2002 Homecoming June 7, 8, and 9 were Lorene Clower Powers, Midland; Helen Coppedge Green, Guthrie; Bonita Snailum Pyatt, Plainview; Jerrel and Darlene Barnett, Baytown; Nolan Parker and wife, Stanton; Billy Golden, Breckenridge; Gene Hall, Carolyn Mills, Kerrville; Ted and Peggy Snailum, Granite Shoals; Claudia Snailum Nunley, Amarillo; Bill and Judy Steadman, Annie Mae Redwine, Savoy; Darr and Nancy Snailum, Fort Stockton; Gary Coppedge, Stamford; John and Peggy Alkinson Shropshire, New Deal; Barbara Norris Hogard, Andrews; Bill and Donna Ward, Pueblo, CO; Larry and Glenda Cox, Searly, Erie, CO; Glen and Carrol Clower Large, KC; Tib and GeorgeAnn Burnett, Austin (and Benjamin); Bert and Judy Leaverton,

KC; Nick and Jan Leaverton, Chandler; Nora Hale, Susan Hale, Fort Worth; Lois Golden, Glenn Hale and Darrell Grant, Haskell; Nelda Kilgore Davis, Tommy Benson, Fred Crenshaw, Michael and Barbara Parker, Abilene; Duyane and Dorothy Parker, Lee's Summit, MO; Jack and Katy Ressel New, Leander; Patricia Barnett Culver, Fayetteville, AR; Geraldine Polster Penick, Midland; Charles and Judy Jennings, C.E. and Sharon Jennings, Weatherford; Vince and Peggy Jennings Sandlin, Paducah; Troy and LeAnn Golden, Gooch; C.W. and Margie Harbert, Mansfield; Ed and Pearl Stephens, Roswell, NM; Jim Cox, Corinth; Harry Cox, Prairie Hill; Janna Crenshaw Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Crenshaw, El Paso; Kenneth and Ila Mae Benson, Billy Burnett and Billy Goodrich, Wichita Falls; Joe and Joy Crenshaw Riggins, KC; Wanda Benson Jennings, Wichita Falls; Weldon and Margie Patterson, Fresno, CA; Terry and Elsie Gibbon, Fort Worth; Ralph and Mary Escobar, Austin; Billy and Penny Trainham, Larry and Judy Hertel, Lubbock; Walter and Peggy Hertel and Jerry Benson, Munday; Berry Barnett Riggs, Elk City, OK; VOLLIE Ressel, Clovis, NM; Shane Milson, Duncan, OK; Terry, DeAnn and Philip Cartwright, Plano; Mark Oxford, Coppell; Jimmy Mancille, Cedar Park; Susan Jones, Nash; Bob and Stephanie Brannan, Lubbock; Sue Gideon Terry, Dallas; Lana Gideon Mendoza, Seymour; June and Newell Looney, Truscott; Jean and Felix Taylor, Walter and Rachel Taylor, Crowell; Wretha Fitzgerald, KC; Loyd Coppedge, Judy Redwine, Crosbyton; Dickie Barnett, Mt. Belleview; Patti and Bob Tavernia, Fredericksburg, MC; Anna Lucille McCanlies, Fort Worth; Steven and Sheila Benson Kuehler, Shamrock; Harry and Wynis Gillentine Elliott, Houston; Jack (Corky) Barker, Tuscon, Arizona; Sandy Gore, Amarillo; Louise Spikes George, Wichita Falls; Rosellen Hertel Albus, Lubbock; Joyce West King, Houston; Bo and Bette Nall, Prairie Grove, AK; James Leroy Yarbrough, Jimmy Golden, St. Paul, MN; Barbara Kilgore, Los Angeles, CA; Marian McCarthy, Amarillo; Dustin and Rhonda Whitten Sheldon, Sidney, IA; Ryan and Christie Whitten Ross, Guthrie.

I'm sure I've missed some and to those of you who registered and your names are not here, I apologize. Just

can't always get everything right!

Conner Reunion - The descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Conner met Saturday, June 15, at the Benjamin Memorial Building for their annual reunion. Lots of food, fun and fellowship was enjoyed by those in attendance.

An auction to raise money for next year's get-together climaxed the day's activities.

Leroy West and Glen Hall served as auctioneers.

Attending were Glen Hall, Karen Ewing Hall, Don and Linda Hall and Eric and Thresa Bollinger, all of Lubbock; Johnny Paul and Julie McCreger, Mineral Wells; Shirley Nesbitt Mooney, Kelly Foster, Weatherford; Peggy Conner Haley, Pam and Jerod Woodward and Andy Hazelton, Fort Worth; Brenda Conner Johnson, Mike Haley and Christopher, Houston; Greg Kemp, League City; Jane Nunley Gideon, Gloria and Leroy West, Bud Conner, Gladene Green, Benjamin.

The Young family had their annual get-together Saturday and Sunday at Runaway Bay. Benjamin folks attending were Dutch and Imagean Young, DeAnn Lamb and Anthony, Jack and Mary Young, Billy Carl and Carrie Benson and family, Pat Benson and Wilma Smith.

Gloria and Leroy West spent Father's Day with their daughter Betty Parker and family in Aspermont.

Recent guests of Omiteene Barnett not mentioned last week and attending the wedding of Judy Conner and Randolph Barnett were Dickie and Kathy Barnett of Mt. Belview; Rusty and Alice Barnett, Elissa and Pete of Woodland Park, CO; Joe Rayne and Pam Walker, Lake Livingston; Patsy McCollum, Channelview; Tom and Mary Garrison, Tulia; and Tommy and Merrily McGildrey, Alvin.

Sue Terry and children, Summer and Jake of Dallas, spent last week with her parents, Jane Gideon and Weldon Gideon. Lana Mendoza and family of Seymour were in and out all week also.

Sheila DeLos Santos and Chase of Vernon and David Jones of Runaway Bay spent Father's Day with their parents, Charles and Joy Jones. They gave Charles an extra nice Father's Day gift - helped him clean up some debris from the Saturday night storm.

A revival begins Sunday, June 23, at First Baptist Church in Benjamin. We invite you all to come any or all nights. Services begin at 7 p.m. and the revival goes through June 28.

## Six Flags Over Texas is hopping with curiosity

ARLINGTON, TEXAS - There's nothing 'curiouser' than Texas curiosity and Six Flags Over Texas has a whole new collection of these marvels. In fact, we've gathered up the most unique one-of-a-kind Texas treasures we could find and brought them all together for the one and only, Best of Texas Festival. We call them Texology. You'll call them amazing. Only Six Flags Over Texas could bring so much family fun and hilarity into one place.

Six Flags Over Texas has always been famous for its bigger-than-life characters, and this year we've got a hare-raising 8-foot tall jack rabbit. His name is Jack Ben Rabbit and this fiberglass wonder is an official Texas icon, on loan from Odessa, Texas. Come see why this tourist attraction has people from all over the country hopping into Odessa.

Speaking of tall tales, in Texas, big isn't always the size of the critter but the size of the story. The tale of Old Rip, the world's most famous horny toad, is one you just can't miss. Seems that Old Rip was placed in the cornerstone of the Eastland County Courthouse in 1897, where he lived for 31 years until his rescue. The story was such big news it even reached the President. Even though Old Rip is now R.I.P., he's still a big part of the Best of Texas

Festival.

Armadillos have always been big in Texas, but a 2-ton critter? We've got him, thanks to Strawn, Texas artist Marc Rankin who created the world's largest Armadillo exclusively for the Best of Texas Festival. He's sure to be a big hit with park goers.

Everything is bigger in Texas and the Best of Texas Festival at Six Flags does it up right. Come see why everyone's abuzz about the giant Killer Bee from Hidalgo, see the Poteet strawberry that's anything but petite, and while any other state would introduce a junkyard dog, only in Texas would you find a junkyard dinosaur made up of spare parts by the late Garret Wilkinson this two-oil pan, 104 spark plugs ingenious work of art is not spare on amazement.

If you're crazy about sweets, you'll definitely want to see the world's largest fruitcake. Gladys Farek mixes up her Texas-shaped cakes in a red stainless steel cement mixer at her bakery in Cistern, Texas. 150 pounds of pure pleasure, Gladys and her fruitcakes have appeared on such tasty shows as "Late Night with David Letterman."

For those who are big on little known facts, we've gathered together a whole collection of Texas trivia. Do you know the state fish? State seashell? State musical in-

strument? Well, one trip to the Best of Texas Festival at Six Flags Over Texas, and you'll know the answer to this and many more interesting Texas tidbits.

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Lasso up your posse and gallop on over for the best fun you could have this summer. The Best of Texas Festival, going on right now at Six Flags Over Texas. But you'd better get trotting, cause there's a lot to see and do and the festival ends August 11.

### 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.

## 2001 Drinking Water Quality Report

(Consumer Confidence Report)

CITY OF O'BRIEN

### Special Notice for the ELDERLY, INFANTS, CANCER PATIENTS, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune problems:

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

### Our Drinking Water Meets or Exceeds All Federal (EPA) Drinking Water Requirement

This report is a summary of the quality of the water we provide our customers. The analysis was made by using the data from the most recent U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) required tests and is presented in the attached pages. We hope this information helps you become more knowledgeable about what's in your drinking water.

### En Espanol

Este reporte incluye informacion importante sobre el agua para tomar. Si tiene preguntas o discusiones sobre este reporte en espanol, favor de llamar al tel. (940) 658-3735 par hablar con una persona bilingue en espanol.

Where do we get our drinking water? Our drinking water is obtained from Ground and Surface water sources. It comes from the following Lake/River/Reservoir/Aquifer: Miller Creek. TNRCC will be reviewing all of Texas' drinking water courses. The source water assessment process will be completed within three years. It is important to protect your drinking water by protecting your water source.

### ALL drinking water may contain contaminants.

When drinking water meets federal standards there may not be any health based benefits to purchasing bottled water or point of use devices. Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

### About The Following Pages

The pages that follow list all of the federally regulated or monitored constituents which have been found in your drinking water. U.S. EPA requires water systems to test up to 97 constituents

### Secondary Constituents

Many constituents (such as calcium, sodium, or iron) which are often found in drinking water, can cause taste, color, and odor problems. The taste and odor constituents are called secondary constituents and are regulated by the State of Texas, not EPA. These constituents are not causes for health concerns. Therefore, secondaries are not required to be reported in this document but they may greatly affect the appearance and taste of your water.

### Public Participation Opportunities

Date: Regular Meetings of the City Council held on 2nd Thursday each month

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Location: City Hall, 1002 Grand Central

Phone No: 940-658-3735

### DEFINITIONS

#### Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL)

The highest permissible level of a contaminant in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

#### Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG)

The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected health risk. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety

#### Treatment Technique (TT)

A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

#### Action Level (AL)

The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

NTU - Nephelometric Turbidity Units

MFL - million fibers per liter (a measure of asbestos)

pCi/l - picocuries per liter (a measure of radioactivity)

ppm - parts per million, or milligrams per liter (mg/l)

ppb - parts per billion, or micrograms per liter (µg/l)

ppt - parts per trillion, or nanograms per liter

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Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or District Offices listed below. Bidders must submit pre-qualification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at [www.dot.state.tx.us](http://www.dot.state.tx.us) and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.

NPO: 6666

State Office

Construction Division  
200 E. Riverside Dr.  
Austin, Texas 78704  
Phone 512-416-2540

District Office (s)

Childress district  
District Engineer  
7599 US 287

Childress, Texas 79201-9705  
Phone: 940-937-2571

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TxDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin. 6-20 2tc 255

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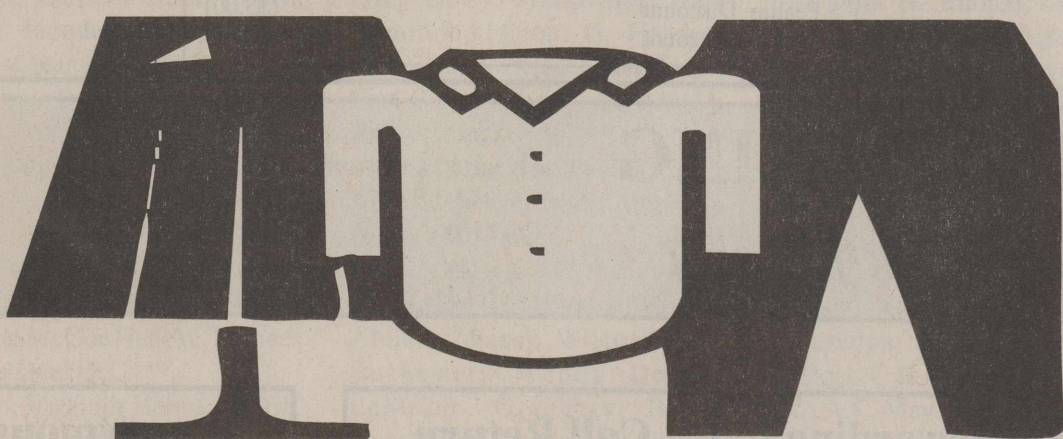
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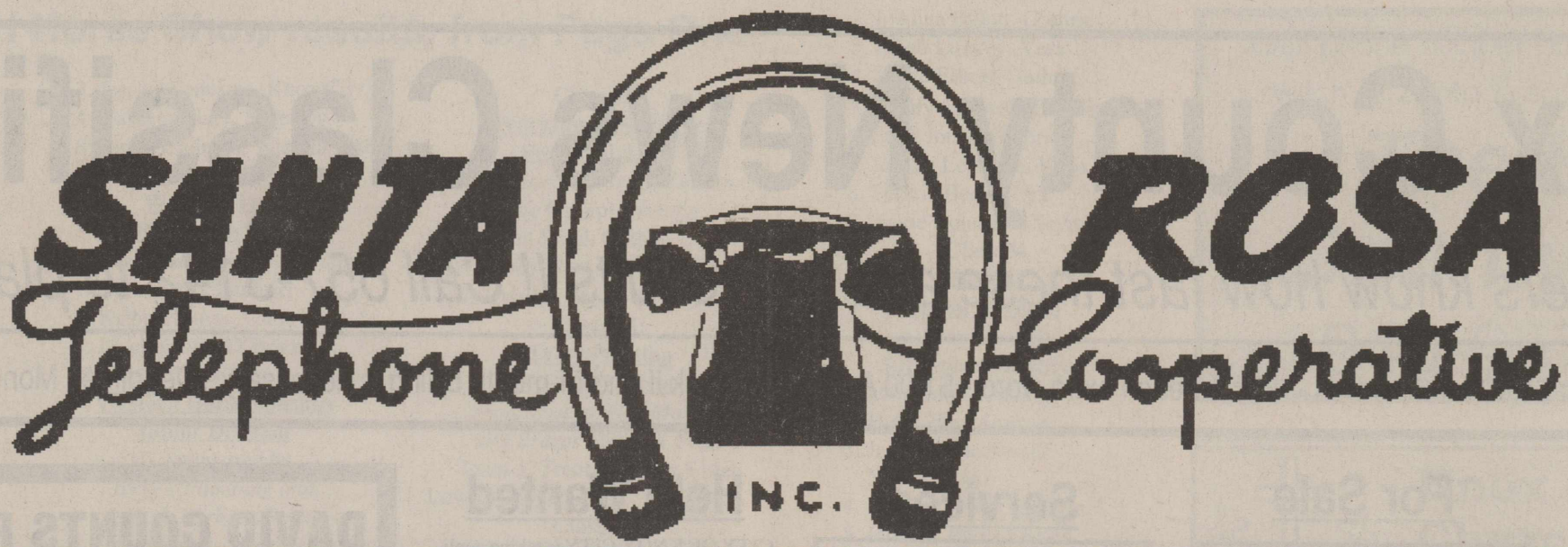
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*Santa Rosa has the ease of "1-Bill" service. Your local telephone service, long distance and our very own SRCaccess.net internet service, are combined for your convenience of one payment.*

*Santa Rosa Telephone Cooperative, Inc. also accepts and encourages credit card payment method or even the ease of drafting your bank account.*

*Someone from SRTC should be contacting you in the near future. If you do not hear from one of our representatives, please call our Seymour office at (940) 889-1125.*

**Knox City Residential Line Rate**

	Primary Line	Non-Primary
Residential Service	\$6.39	\$1.30
Tone Dial	1.21	0.50
Extended Localling (ELC)	3.00	3.00
FCC Subscriber Line Charge	5.00	7.00
	<u>15.60</u>	<u>11.80</u>
911 Service Fee	0.50	0.50
Franchise Tax	1.00	1.00
TX USF Support (3.600%)	0.56	0.42
Federal Tax (3.00%)	0.47	0.35
State Tax (6.25%)	0.98	0.74
Local Tax (2.00%)	0.31	0.24
<b>Total (Monthly)</b>	<b>\$19.42</b>	<b>\$15.05</b>
Total 2-Line Monthly	\$34.47	

Enhanced \$ Custom Feature Discounts	
3 Feature Discount	(\$1.00)
5 Feature Discount	(\$3.00)
7 Feature Discount	(\$4.00)

**Knox City Basic Business Line Rate**

	1-Line	Per Line Multi-Line
Business Line	\$16.52	\$11.45
Tone Dial	1.68	1.00
Extended Localling (ELC)	6.15	6.15
FCC Subscriber Line Charge	5.00	9.20
	<u>29.35</u>	<u>27.80</u>
911 Service Fee	0.50	0.50
Franchise Tax	2.00	2.00
TX USF Support (3.600%)	1.06	1.00
Federal Tax (3.00%)	0.88	0.83
State Tax (6.25%)	1.83	1.74
Local Tax (2.00%)	0.59	0.56
<b>Total (Monthly)</b>	<b>\$36.21</b>	<b>\$34.43</b>
Total Amount For 2-Line Service (Monthly)	\$70.64	

Enhanced \$ Custom Feature Discounts	
3 Feature Discount	(\$1.00)
5 Feature Discount	(\$3.00)
7 Feature Discount	(\$4.00)

**CUSTOMIZE YOUR CALLING**

*Let your telephone do the work for you*

<p><b>Call Waiting</b></p> <p><i>Know when another caller is trying to reach you.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 1.60 Business \$ 2.25</p>	<p><b>Caller ID</b></p> <p><i>See who is calling before answering the phone.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 5.85 Business \$ 8.10</p>	<p><b>Call Waiting ID</b></p> <p><i>See who is calling without hanging up.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 1.00 Business \$ 1.00</p>	<p><b>Call Forwarding</b></p> <p><i>Allow your calls to follow you.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 1.60 Business \$ 2.00</p>	<p><b>Call Return *69</b></p> <p><i>Easily dial your last caller, even if you didn't answer.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 2.70 Business \$ 3.60</p>	<p><b>Anonymous Call Rejection</b></p> <p><i>Refuse calls from those who have blocked their number</i></p> <p>Residence \$ .90 Business \$ .90</p>
<p><b>Three-Way Calling</b></p> <p><i>Talk with 2 people in different places at the same time.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 2.40 Business \$ 2.85</p>	<p><b>Repeat Dialing</b></p> <p><i>Get through to busy numbers as soon as they are free.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 1.80 Business \$ 3.60</p>	<p><b>Speed Calling 8 or 30</b></p> <p><i>Quickly dial 8 or 30 of your most frequently called numbers.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 1.60 or \$ 2.40 Business \$ 2.00 or \$ 3.25</p>	<p><b>Priority Call</b></p> <p><i>Know who the call is for as soon as it rings.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 2.25 Business \$ 2.70</p>	<p><b>Selective Call Forwarding</b></p> <p><i>Decide which callers should follow you to another number.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 1.80 Business \$ 2.40</p>	<p><b>Call Block</b></p> <p><i>Don't let unwanted calls disturb you.</i></p> <p>Residence \$ 1.80 Business \$ 2.70</p>

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