

**WHITE'S  
Wagging  
Tongue**

by Cynthia White

My mother was recently admonishing me about my silver hair and said, "You ought to do something about your hair, dear. You really should dye it."

I told her I didn't care to dye my hair and she answered, "Well, you should. It makes me look so old that way!"

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What this country needs is a good five-cent nickel.

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In discussing religion with a couple, a clergyman asked the husband, "do you believe in life after death?"

"Live after death?" snorted the wife. "He doesn't even believe in life after supper!"

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Older lady: "My sister's two teen-agers will be visiting me over the weekend-they're twins."

Friend: "Can you tell them apart?"

Older lady: "Only when they wear their earrings."

Friend: "Their earrings are different?"

Older lady: "No - but the boy wears only one."

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When a woman says she won't be a minute, she's usually right.

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A reporter was interviewing a man who was believed to be the oldest resident in town.

"May I ask how old you are?" the newsman inquired.

"I just turned 100 this week," the oldster proudly replied.

"Great! Do you suppose you'll see another 100?" the reporter asked playfully.

"Well," said the man, thoughtfully, "I'm stronger now than when I started the first 100!"

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Two men were arguing about the ability of their pet dogs. One bet the other that his could fight and put the other to rout in 10 seconds flat. The dogs fought. Finally the man with the long, green-dog was asked by the other: "What kind of a dog do you call that critter?"

"Well," the owner replied, "until I had a job done on his nose, he was an alligator."

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Some people we all know suffer from egotism - otherwise spelled I-strain!

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A kindergarten teacher was instructing her small charges how to tell time. "These are the hours, these are the minutes and these are the seconds," she said, pointing them out on the clock face.

Puzzled, one little girl asked, "Where are the jiffies?"

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Church funnies:  
Some people are kind, polite and sweet-spirited, until you try to get into their church pew. - George Goldtrap.

The good Lord didn't create anything with a purpose, but the fly comes close. - Mark Twain.

Most of us spend the first six days of the week sowing wild oats, then we go to church on Sunday and pray for a crop failure. - Fred Allen.



**IN SEARCH OF BARGAINS.** These two happy shoppers were among the many who stopped by the First United Methodist Church Garage Sale that was offered on Saturday during Community Wide Garage Sale Day. Many visitors were on hand for the 41 garage sales that were held in conjunction with The Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture's annual event.

**Shoppers Flock to Munday Despite Week End Rains**

The gray skies hung heavy over Munday and mid-morning rains only put a slight damper on the shopping spirit of residents and visitors alike.

Many people were in town Friday to check out the booths for the new "Browse 'N Buy" Trade Days where happy shoppers found treasures and good eats. By 8:00 a.m. Saturday morning the streets were busy with visitors in search of bargains at the Community Wide Garage Sale Day and the Browse 'N Buy booths. Shoppers scooped up maps from The Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture and most grabbed a donut or two for the adventure before setting off on their treasure hunts.

Business was brisk and so was the unseasonably cool temperatures that blew in with the rain - but most shoppers were only temporarily set back when the skies opened and rain drops began to descend on the area. By noon the sky was sunny and more folks were out to continue their shopping escapades.

Visitors from Oklahoma and Texas frequented the booths and garage sales in town and also local establishments that were open for business. All seemed to be pleased with the amount of activity they received.

The Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture is appreciative of the 41 garage sales that were offered around the community. It is hoped that all had a profitable day.

"I was really pleased with the turn out for Browse 'N Buy," said owner Homer Lowrance. "I hope that this will continue to grow and bring more people into Munday once a month."

Browse 'N Buy will be open on the week end of the second Monday of each month. Those dates for the remainder of 1999 are:

July 9, 10, 11; August 6, 7, 8; September 10, 11, 12; October 8, 9, 10; November 5, 6, 7; and December 10, 11, 12. Vendors are welcome to call Lowrance or The Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture at 422-4540 for more information on booths, RV facilities and motel rooms.

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**Texas Community Futures Focus Forum Holds Informative Meeting in Munday**

The Perry Patton Community Center was the setting for a Texas Community Futures Focus Forum on Monday evening, June 7th at 7:00 p.m.

Morris Houck, Knox County Extension Program Council, turned the meeting over to facilitator Brandon Anderson, Haskell County Extension Agent.

A group of Knox County

residents representing Knox City, Benjamin, O'Brien, and Munday were on hand to discuss future needs of the region. Anderson talked with the group and presented ideas for developing issues into goals and objectives and how to develop actions, resources, time frames and how to identify sources of assistance.

County-level involvement in the

Texas Community Futures Forum began in January 1999, with Texans from all segments of the population participating. Citizens in every county are asked to study, discuss and define their communities' current and future needs. Once the issues are identified participants meet to prioritize needs and issues based

on current and emerging trends. The Texas Agricultural Extension Service facilitates the partnering of county government, state agencies, organizations, See "Futures Forum"

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**Red Cross Needs Hot Blooded Texans**

The American Red Cross has begun this summer's blood drive campaign "Hot Blooded Texans II". Munday residents will get a chance to participate in the promotion on Monday, June 28, from 2:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. at Patton Community Center.

Memorial Day weekend typically starts the decline in blood donations, due to the school closings and family vacations, that usually lasts through the Labor Day weekend. To deter the blood supply level from dropping to dangerously low levels, the American Red Cross is asking area residents to donate blood and in return, donors will be one of the

first people to receive a specially designed "Hot Blooded Texan" T-shirt.

Eligible donors must be in good health, weigh at least 110 pounds and be at least 17 years old. Donating blood is safe. A new, sterile needle is used for each donation. It is then disposed of, never to be used again. The donor is in absolutely no danger of contracting HIV/AIDS, hepatitis or any other infection.

Appointments may be made by calling the Red Cross at 322-8686, extension 21 or 23. Walk-ins are welcome.

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**Knox County 4-H'ers Attend District 3 Ambassador Lab**

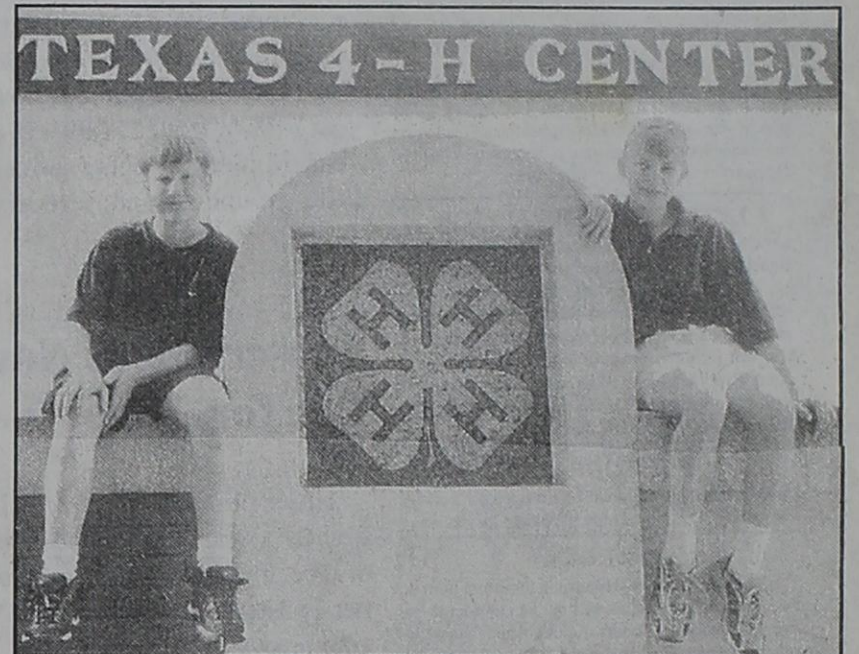
Two Knox County youth participated in the 1999 District 3 4-H Jr. Ambassador Lab at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood. The lab began with registration on Wednesday, June 16 and concluded with a closing ceremony on Friday, June 18.

Attending from Knox County were Kari Kuehler and Justin Lowe both from Munday 4-H. These youth enjoyed three days and two nights of activities that were developed to improve leadership and communication skills.

"We arrived at the Texas 4-H Center after lunch and checked in and got our bunk assignments. We then went to our bunks and made friends with our bunk mates" says Lowe about the first day. "The opening program and dinner had many hands-on activities. This was followed by a dance that lasted for hours," Lowe continued.

Each morning started with a flag raising ceremony. Both Kari and Justin assisted with the flag ceremony on Thursday morning. "After breakfast we had concurrent sessions that taught us about public speaking, peer pressure, 4-H opportunities and how to promote 4-H to our friends and their parents," says Kuehler about Thursday's activities. "After the concurrent sessions the entire group was divided up into six teams for games. My favorite game was the Wally Ball. This is where you play volley ball with a water balloon and a bed sheet" continues Kuehler.

The main objective of the games is to teach the youth teamwork and cooperation. All games required a team effort in order to be



**JUSTIN LOWE AND KARI KUEHLER** take a short break for a photo opportunity while attending the District 3 Ambassador Lab at the 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood

successful. At the closing ceremony on Friday morning awards were given to the teams. Justin was a member of the first place green team while Kari helped out with a proud second place for the purple team.

After the closing ceremony the youth all reported to their dorms and were part of a campus clean-up. The youth, before being released to go home, were required to clean their dorms and pick up all trash on the camp grounds.

Other jobs given to the youth while attending included KP duties. While serving on KP the youth would wash dishes, pick up trash and clean tables in the lunch room.

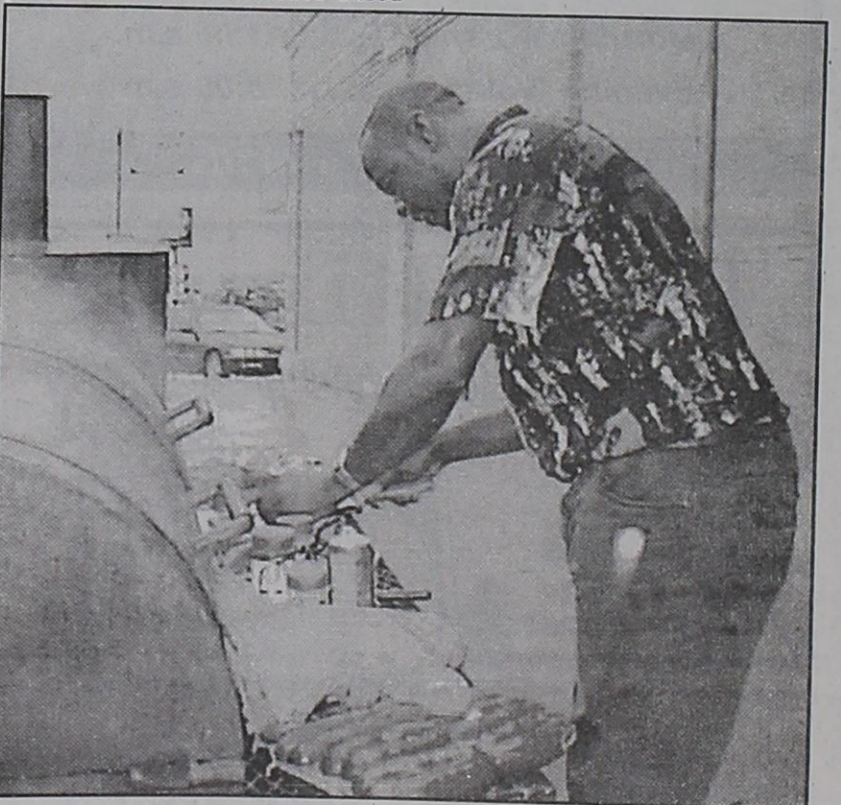
Anyone wishing to receive more information about opportunities in 4-H may contact the Knox County Extension office in Benjamin at (940) 454-2651. You may also contact Kari or Justin or any of the

Knox County 4-H members. Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

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**BRANDON ANDERSON**



**COOKIN' UP GOOD STUFF.** Willie McKinney didn't let a little rain stop him from cooking up some great food for West Beulah Baptist Church on Saturday. McKinney and other members of West Beulah were raising funds for their church during the Community Wide Garage Sale Day event.

# The Munday Sales Tax Rebate Takes Another Dip in Knox County

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## Calendar of Events



June 21 - Munday VFD.  
 June 22 - Lions Club.

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## Knox County Aging Center

### Munday & Goree Menu June 21 through June 25

Mon. June 21st. - Chicken strips with gravy, green salad, sweet peas and carrots, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, fruit cobbler.

Wed. June 23rd. - Baked chicken with rice, cranberry sauce, apple and celery salad, green beans, hot rolls, cookies.

Fri. June 25th. - Barbecue on a bun, onions, pickles, potato wedges, seasoned pork and beans, dessert.

If you plan to join the group at Munday, call Louise Freuhwirth at 422-4191. At Goree, call Juanita Davis at 422-4208 the day before.

Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander has delivered a total of \$184 million in monthly sales tax payments to 1,097 Texas cities and 118 counties. June sales tax rebates are down slightly compared to June 1998. However, total payments to cities and counties for January-June 1999 are running 7.1 percent ahead of the same period last year.

In Knox County Benjamin's rebate was up over this time last year. Benjamin received \$411.89 as compared to \$222.81 during this time in 1998. Goree and Knox City both sustained a large decrease in their rebate over last year. Goree received \$195.65 this year as compared to \$403.22 last year. Knox City received \$8,837.53 this year - down from \$11,991.55 last year. Munday's rebate gained a little ground. Munday received

\$6,344.51 this year as compared to \$5,753.09 this time last year. The total received for Knox County this year was \$15,789.58 - down from \$18,370.67 during the comparable period last year.

Reports for the year of 1998 were also released by the Comptroller's office.

Knox County's total reporting outlets for 1998 were down from the reporting year of 1997. Knox County had 179 reporting outlets in 1998 as compared to 198 in 1997.

Total gross sales for Knox County in 1998 were also down considerably from 1997. In the 1997 reporting year a total of \$17,658,021 gross sales were reported in Knox County. That total was down by a whopping 45.8% in the 1998 reporting year with only \$9,572,520 in total gross sales reported.

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## Subscriptions Now Due for June

Subscriptions to *The Munday Courier* are now due for the month of June. If your label atop your Courier is dated on or before 6/30/99 your renewal is now due.

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## Birthdays & Anniversaries

June 18 - Ronnie & Cheryl Urbanczyk, Floyd Reed Jr.

June 19 - Jacob Fetsch, Kevin Hawkins.

June 20 - Chris Wallace, Joe Shahan.

June 21 - Jimmy & Phillis Urbanczyk, Rechele Raynes, Joe Rivera, Lanasa Wilson, David & Shelley Booe, Johnny Smith.

June 22 - Kayla Moore, Stephanie Brown, Robyn Redder.



### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mary Ann and Joe Yruegas are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kristy Jo, to Justin Gray. Justin is the son of Kim Brockett of Munday and Ellis Gray of Midland. The wedding date for the couple has been set for August 14, 1999 at the First Baptist Church in Munday.

## Benefit Golf Scramble to be Held for County Drug Enforcement

The Knox City Ladies' Golf Association will be hosting a 3 person golf scramble to benefit the Knox County Drug Enforcement. Tee-off time is at 1:30 P.M. on June 26, 1999, at the Knox City Country Club. Everyone is invited to come out and play a round of golf; or if you do not want to play golf, come out and talk with the local law enforcement about the program. A donation table will also be set up for anyone wanting to donate to the Knox County Drug

Enforcement. Proceeds will be used towards eliminating the increasing drug problem in Knox County. To sign up, call (940) 658-3911; the cost is \$60 per team. Anyone having any questions or comments about the program, contact Sheriff Dean Homstad or Deputy Jason Zeissel at (940) 454-2211; or just wave them down when you see them out and about.

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## Munday Residents Named to University Honor Roll

Midwestern State University had 677 honor students listed for the spring 1999 semester. The Dean's List consisted of 196 students and 481 students made the University Honor Roll.

To make the Dean's List, a student must complete a semester schedule of at least 12 hours with no grade lower than an "A."

To make the University Honor Roll, a student must complete a semester of at least 12 hours with a minimum grade point average of 3.5 and no grade lower than a "C."

The 12 hour course requirement does not include courses in physical education, developmental courses in English and math, freshman seminar or marching band. In addition, the student can not have a semester grade of I, WF, or NC.

Tamara Loftin and Michael Waggoner, both of Munday, were named to the University Honor Roll.

## All Stars to Take to Munday Field Thursday

The Munday Pee Wee All Stars will take on the Munday 9 and 10 Year Old Little League All Stars Thursday evening. The game is scheduled to kick off at 7:00 P.M.

The traditional ice cream supper will take place following the game. Parents of all the players are asked to bring a freezer of ice cream to the game.

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## Local Obituaries

### Swaner, Joseph Gordon

Joseph Gordon Swaner, 87, a retired tooling engineer, died Tuesday, June 8, 1999, in Arlington, Texas. Services for Mr. Swaner took place on Thursday, June 10, 1999, at North Davis Church of Christ in Arlington with burial following at Moore Memorial Gardens in Arlington. Services were under the direction of Arlington Funeral Home.

Joseph Gordon Swaner was born May 25, 1912, in Knox County. He was a resident of Arlington since 1953, and a former resident of Mineral Wells. He was a tooling engineer for General Dynamics for 26 years and was a member of North Davis Church of Christ for 46 years. He was a volunteer for Hearts and Hands for more than 20 years. He was preceded in death by Minnie Lee; brothers, Cooper, Pete and Bert; and a sister, Betty Mae.

Survivors include his wife, Aline Swaner of Arlington; son, Jerry Swaner and his wife, Olivia, of Arlington; stepson, Jeff F. Bell and his wife, Kathy, of Arlington; sister, Cleo Curtis of Arlington; grandchildren, Jan, Jason and Joanne; great grandchildren, Austin and Hayden; and step grandchildren, Alan and Gina.

The family requests that memorials be made to Hearts and Hands Benevolent House to North Davis Church of Christ, Arlington, Texas.

THANK YOU FOR READING THE MUNDAY COURIER

### Hall Receives Degree and Honor Student Designation

Texas A & M University has named its honor students for the 1999 spring semester, recognizing several thousand students for outstanding academic performance.

The Dean's Honor Roll recognizes students taking at least 15 semester hours who have maintained at least a 3.75 grade point ratio (GPR) out of a possible 4.0 during the most recent grading period.

A second designation, "Distinguished Student," recognizes students who earned a 3.25 to 3.75 GPR while taking at least 15 hours.

Patrick Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Hall of Munday, was named to the "Distinguished Student" list.

In addition, Hall was one of 4,304 Texas A & M University graduates who were awarded their diplomas during spring commencement ceremonies.

The degrees were presented at three separate ceremonies.

Hall received his bachelor's degree in Agricultural Economics.

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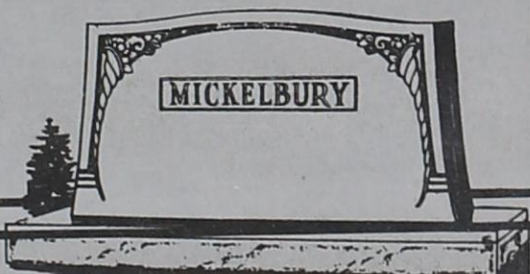
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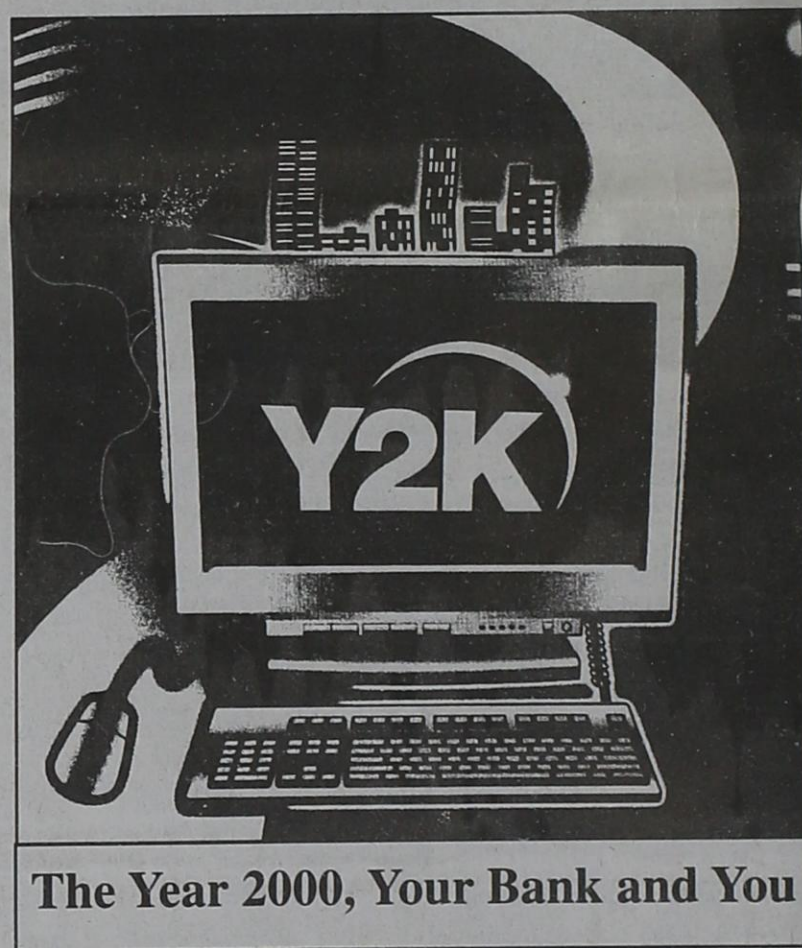


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**SHOP 'TIL YOU DROP!** Vendors from across the area enjoyed setting out their wares at booths during the first Browse 'N Buy event in Munday. Carol Bull (left) and her grandson, Brandon, both from Wichita Falls were among the vendors offering items to customers.

## Picture Your Perfect Pets and Kids in The Munday Courier

Everyone loves pictures of cute kids and their pets and during the month of July Four K Feed and Supply and The Munday Courier would like to feature your special photos. We will be holding an Amateur Photo Contest featuring your favorite subjects.

That's right. This contest is strictly for amateurs - mainly moms, dads, and grandparents who think their little darlings have star potential. Pictures will not be judged on photographic abilities but they will be judged for originality and creativity.

Pictures need to be entered prior to June 30. Each picture entered in the contest will be featured in a July edition of The Munday Courier. Winners will be announced in the August 4 edition.

Photos will be judged in four categories according to the children's age. Children birth through 4 years, five years to 10 years, and 10 years to 18 years of age. Winners in each category will receive a bag of art and school supplies from The Munday Courier and a bag of pet food courtesy of Four K Feed in Munday. The Grand Prize winner will receive a bag of art and school supplies, a bag of pet feed and a \$50 Savings Bond.

Entries may be submitted to The Munday Courier office located at 111 East B in Munday or by mailing them to The Munday Courier at P.O. Box 130, Munday, Texas, 76371. Each entry submitted should be accompanied by a \$5.00 entry fee. The Child's name and age, along with the pet's name and age and the name and phone number of the photographer should be included. Photos entered without a fee will not be published. Photos may be returned to owner

if accompanied by a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Grab the camera and start shooting up that film. Summer is a great time for kids and for pets. Let us feature them in our Picture Perfect Pets and Kids Amateur Photo Contest.

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## MHS Graduate Named Honor Student at Wayne State

Brandi Hall of Munday was among the more than 700 students at Wayne State College who were named to the Honor Roll for exemplar academic achievement during the spring 1999 semester.

Bonnie Scranton, assistant vice president for enrollment management at the College, praised the efforts of Brandi and other honor roll students. She said achieving status as an honor student requires hard work and dedication.

"Honor-roll students should be proud of their academic achievement," said Scranton. "In addition, the people who support these students such as parents, spouses, educators and community members should take pride in their achievement as well."

To be named to the honor roll, a student must maintain at least a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and be enrolled as a full-time student. Brandi was among the honor roll students earning a 4.0 GPA for the term.

Wayne State College, located in northeast Nebraska, is a regional public four-year college serving nearly 4,000 students from more than 40 states and several foreign countries. Building on its strong heritage of instructional excellence, Wayne State prepares students for the future in more than 40 academic majors. The College is well positioned to meet the challenges of the 21st Century, while continuing to provide new beginnings for its students.

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Mr. and Mrs. Brandon Sosa

## Gray - Sosa United in Garden Wedding

Ranee' Shaleste Gray and Brandon Lee Sosa were married on Friday, April 16, 1999.

The bride is the daughter of Kim Brockett of Munday. The bridegroom is the son of Rosa Sosa and Ronnie Phillips of Munday.

Vows were exchanged under a gazebo in a beautiful evening wedding illuminated by thousands of clear mini lights in the backyard of the bride's grandparents, Pete and Imo Brockett, 510 N. Third, in Munday. The bride was given in marriage by her grandfather.

The bride was radiant in her gown of white satin lamour. The bodice was of schiffle lace, seed pearls and french satin sequins. The neckline flounce was tucked with satin rosebud and bow accents. A schiffle lace ruffle created the short sleeve. The skirt was outlined with schiffle lace and accented with satin rosebuds and bows. The bottom of the dress had three rows of ruffles going up the back creating a cascade of ruffles from hemline to waist where they were attached with a bow and a cluster of satin rosebuds flowing

down with rosebuds on tips of ribbons over the cascade of ruffles.

The bride's veil was a two-tiered waist length illusion with scattered seed pearls attached to a wreath of flowers and seed preps. The bride carried a bouquet of varying shades of yellow and white.

The bride's attendants wore long princess style satin lamour dresses in butter yellow with rosettes encircling the neckline. Ranea Searcey was maid of honor and Amanda Sosa, cousin of the groom, was bridesmaid.

The groom and his attendants were dressed in black Lord West tuxedos. Jacob Cabrera, cousin of the groom, was best man and Ronnie Phillips, father of the groom, was groomsman.

Kirstyn Sosa, daughter of the couple, was flower girl assisted by Whitney Sanders. Serving as ushers were Justin Gray and James Taylor, brothers of the bride. The Reverend H.B. Graves officiated.

The bride's table was beautifully draped in a pale yellow check tablecloth overlaid with white battenburg lace. Her four-tier white basket-weave cake with pale yellow roses was atop four individual crystal pedestals. Punch was served from a crystal punch bowl belonging to her grandmother. Attendants at the bride's table were Shareka Allen and Eloisa Sosa, the groom's aunt.

The groom's table was draped in a pale yellow check tablecloth overlaid with an antique crochet tablecloth made by the bride's great-grandmother. Tracee Tomlinson served his triple layer chocolate basket-weave cake, sandwiches and coffee.

Among the many special guests attending the wedding were the groom's grandparents, Blaz and Amelia Sosa, his little brother Joe Alan Phillips, and his sister Michele Phillips.

The bride graduated from Munday High School in 1998 and will graduate from American Commercial College of Abilene on July 29, 1999.

The groom is a 1999 graduate of Munday High School and will attend Texas A & M University this fall where he will major in Civil Engineering.

The couple was given a wedding trip to Embassy Suites in Abilene, the couple is at home in Munday until their move to College Station in August.

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Danny, Jeff, Brian, and Jason

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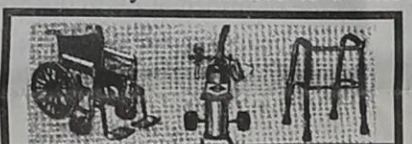
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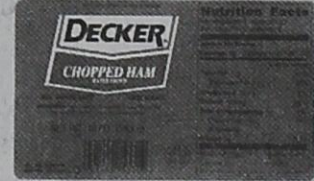
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### "Futures Forum"

businesses and other groups to gather information about local needs and issues, and then help organize action teams to address them.

The priority issues and needs identified in all 254 counties will be shared with all of Extension's partners and used as the basis for the Extension Service's long-range outreach education plan for 2000-2003. Extension educational programs, which are available to all Texas residents, will be developed in response to community needs and in conjunction with participating partners.

All the issues identified locally will be posted on the Internet for county government, state agencies and other organizations and groups to review and use in developing their own strategic plans. The results from all counties will also be compiled and analyzed in light of trend data to create a comprehensive report. This report will be available to all partners in the Texas Community Futures Forum and to others on request. The information will help all groups to more directly focus their activities and resources; it also will reveal areas of common interest in which partnering groups can work together to solve community problems.

On May 24, 1999 twelve persons attended the Knox County Open Forum. They represented a cross-section of county residents, public agencies and businesses in the area.

The purpose of the Open Forum was to solicit and prioritize citizens' opinions about the most important needs and concerns in Knox County. Participants responded by listing Encouraging Industry, Schools I.D. Year-Round Behavior Problems, Adequate Health Care, Combine Law Enforcement in County, and More Work for the People as the top five issues facing Knox County in the near future. Texas Agricultural Extension Service will now assist citizens, businesses, agencies and organizations in working together to implement actions with these issues.

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**PEE WEE - JETS.** Coached by Stan Decker and Rick Decker the Jets team members are (standing, left) Kristen Hunter, Kelli Sepada, Joe Alan Phillips, Coby Decker, Misty James (kneeling, left) Taylor Stewart, Bandy Moeller, Andreas Mateos, Tanya Gray, and Jonathan Birkenfield.



**COOKING WITH THE MUNDAY METHODISTS.** A group of faithful Methodist ladies were busy Friday morning preparing 500 burritos to sale during Community Wide Garage Sale Days and Trade Days. They began the sale at 8:00 a.m. and were sold out by 9:30 a.m. Among those preparing the Burritos were Shirley Amerson, Betty Baker, Joy Baker and Carla Key.

## Penpal Writes of War-Torn MHS Final Region of Her Homeland Honor Roll

Laura Burnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby D. Burnett of Munday, was only about ten years old when she started corresponding with a young Yugoslavian girl named Dragana Sak. Now Burnett and Sak are young women who wish to make their way in their own worlds - each one desiring the same things - education and a good life for their families and future families. Burnett is now working on a Texas Tech science research team in New Zealand and Sak is at home amidst the bombed out regions of her Yugoslavian home town.

Four days after the NATO bombing started Sak found the time and mental fortitude to write a heartfelt letter to Laura. The letter reminds us that war is as cruel as some of the world leaders involved in the bombing campaign and that innocent people are often the victims at each end of the spectrum. It reads:

"Hi Laura,

By the time you get this letter all the information will probably be out of date. Anyway, I want you to know that my family and I are alive.

I'm not trying to convince you of anything. I know that most of the information you get makes us the worst people in the world, but there are a few facts you should know.

The first air-raid started on Wednesday, March 24 in the evening. Within a few hours most of the bigger towns in the country were bombed, including Sombor and Norisad. At the beginning all the targets were military, but there are more and more civilian victims. The precise number of the dead and wounded varies from one source of information to the other. Everything that was bombed, was bombed with extreme preciseness. And now, five days later, they keep bombing us day and night.

Today, in Belgrade, a huge demonstration against all this madness started. I hope the same thing will happen in all towns around the world. We don't want

any of this to happen. You simply can't convince crazy people to change their decisions by bombing the whole nation. Ordinary people don't deserve that. I'm not on anybody's side, but the situation is more complex than anyone who doesn't live here can understand. The Balkans is the bordering area between the east and the west. People fight for the control over the area from the beginning of time. And from about the same time till now, ordinary people are somewhere in between foreigners, who don't understand them and greedy local politicians, whose only aim is to get rich.

No matter how pathetic this may sound, but I don't want to run to shelters three times a day. I don't want to feel this hysterical fear which became an inseparable part of our everyday life. I don't want to live like this!

This is the saddest letter I ever wrote, and hope this is the last. I can't think of anything else to write you about. Don't worry about me. On Wednesday evening I was in Nonisad, and the day after that I moved to a village near Norisad with a friend of mine and her family. My family is still in Sombor. They are OK."

Burnett and Sak will remain friends and correspondents, hopefully during happier times for both. The letter stands as a reminder to all of us that most people in the world are just alike - however some become victims of hate that penetrates those who happen to be within close proximity.

Munday High School has released their final honor roll for the 1998-99 school year.

Those students making all "A's" were:

8th grade - Shannon Escamilla, Casandra Gulley, John Harper, Justin Josselet, Brandon Melton, and Brandon Urbanczyk.

9th grade - Cynthia Hunter, Megan Myers, Jonathan Ramirez, Joe Rivera and Erik Sosolik.

10th grade - Jennifer Carden

11th grade - Amber Reed

12th grade - Briana Alexander, Ranea Searcey.

Listed on the A/B Honor Roll were:

7th grade - Rickey Escamilla, Jara Gray, Justin Lowe, Martin Lowe, Kayla Moore.

8th grade - Matthew Arismendez, Jennifer Carlson, Justin Cypert, Jason Josselet, Kylie Myers, Toni Tidwell and Aaron Urbanczyk.

9th grade - Frutosa Aguayo, Delia Contreras and Celia Lara

10th grade - Alishia Crowover, Justin Key, Amanda Moore, Nathan Neal and Brian Urbanczyk.

11th grade - Shareka Allen, Brian Brown, Jessica Carlson, Ezequiel Estrada, Jason Key, Nicolas Lara, Melannie Martinez, Amanda Myers, Laci Myers, Joann Thomas, Nicole Urbanczyk.

12th grade - Blake Beall, Kandis Brown, Treva Dockins, Taneka Hamilton, Brant Reed, Isaac Sanchez, Julie Sanchez, Brandon Sosa, Wesley Spells, Angela Stone, Robert Thomas, Tracee Tomlinson, Anna Waldrip, Kristy Yruegas.



**PEE WEE - RANGERS.** Coached by Jimmy Cooke and Danny Carden the Rangers consist of (standing, left) Germaine Dockins, Marcus Gonzales, Destini Cooke, Beatrice Monasterio, Whitney Sanders, (kneeling, left) Junior Weeaks, Keith Cypert, Trey Bufkin, and Tyler Ford.

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**GENERAL MERCANTILE.** Wayne Melton and his son, Brandon, welcome visitors to their General Mercantile store on Saturday during the Community Wide Garage Sale and Browse 'N Buy day. General Mercantile plans to open once a month in support of Browse 'N Buy.

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## Vera News

By Mrs. Thelma Coulston

A donation has been made to the Vera Cemetery Association by Robert and Marilyn Coffman, Marian Rollins and Eileen Lane.

Louise and Louis Clark of Olton visited Friday in the home of her niece, Harold and Edith Beck.

Murl Trainham and daughter, Brandy of Azle, Texas, were weekend visitors in the home of Murl's parents, J.L. and Joyce Trainham. Murl drove his Dad to Abilene Monday where he kept an appointment with his doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Coulston spent Friday night with their daughter, Jim and Vicki Berrier in Lubbock. Saturday the families drove to Lamesa where they attended a memorial service for Thelma's sister, Winnie Grace Tanner (86) who passed away at Saint Mary's hospital in Lubbock Wednesday morning, June 3.

Services were held Saturday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. at the Northside Baptist Church in Lamesa. Mrs. Tanner was born in Vera where she attended the Vera school and was a graduate of Seymour High School. She and her husband, Buster raised their family on their farm near Olton. Following his death in 1989 she moved to Lamesa. She was also predeceased by a son, Darol Alton who died in 1936. She is survived by three children, Iona Dee Smith of Canyon, Iva Janell Beck of Lamesa and Russell Hughes Tanner of Burneyville, Oklahoma.

One brother, Lyndal Hughes of Bedford, Texas and one sister, Thelma Coulston of Vera. Burial was in the Plainview Cemetery.

Mrs. Maurine Parris visited Friday with Guindelyn Lambert in Waco. Saturday she attended the Lee cousins reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lamoine Bounds in Wortham. She also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Floyd in Dawson. She returned home Sunday afternoon.

Week end visitors with Mrs. Violet Patterson were Heidi Cambel and two sons, Tyler and Cody of Clovis, New Mexico, Gidget and Destiny of Seymour, Lance, and Staci Patterson and Tasha of Seymour and Staci's

brother, David. They all attended the Wright family reunion at the Portwood Pavilion in Seymour, Saturday night and Sunday.

The Gordon Thomas family of Woodson visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Billy and Betty Kinnibrugh. Tuesday Billy

and Betty were in Vernon where they visited with his brother, the Glen Kinnibrughs.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morton of Kress were visitors with their daughter, Randal and Beverly Kinnibrugh, Kyle and Sarah.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Tanner and

son, Jason of Burneyville, Oklahoma visited Sunday afternoon with his cousin, the Jerrell Trainhams.

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## Send Your Memories to The Courier

The Munday Courier is proposing that our readers become writers in the month of July. If you grew up in Munday or have a special memory of our community you are invited to share these reflections in our pages.

Please send us your story either typewritten or legibly hand written prior to July 1. Stories should be 500 words or less. There is no fee associated with publication of your story. Content should be suitable for publication and The Munday Courier retains the right to refuse or edit at the discretion of the editor. Photographs of your family then and/or now will also be accepted for publication. Photographs and texts may be returned to writer if a self-addressed stamped envelope is provided. Stories will be published during the month of July.

The Munday Courier is excited to feature your memories and we think that this will be a great way to celebrate growing up in our special community. Put your ideas down on paper now and prepare to get your story mailed prior to the deadline. The mailing address is: The Munday Courier, P.O. Box 130, Munday, Texas 76371.

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## School Library Open for Summer

The library at Munday Elementary School is open week day mornings for young readers. The school requests that students select books for check-out, read them at home and then return them to the library. A.R. books and testing is also available.

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## Wild Animal Lurks in Recesses of Downtown Munday Businesses

by Cynthia White

It started out as a normal Monday morning. The sun was shining and sleepy eyed townfolks made their way to their places of business along the quiet streets of the community. Charles Baker Insurance Company employee Elaina Reece unlocked the front door of the establishment and entered into the usual early morning silence of the halls of the office.

But, wait! A strange noise broke through the tranquility and immediately Elaina knew that this would be no typical Monday morning. Soon co-workers joined Elaina and together they began to search out the strange noise.

There it was - somewhere over head in the ceiling - but what could be there? Could it be an infiltration of mice? No, that wasn't quite the sound that mice would make. It wasn't a bird calling - that would have been slightly more shrill than this noise.

The morning continued and co-workers noticed that the sound would follow their voices. If someone was in one part of the building then that is where the sound would come from - over head in the ceiling above.

A small kitten, or "Wild Beast" as it was nicknamed, had somehow managed to find a way into the building from the roof above! Had it been seeking shelter from the week end storms or had a mother cat been trying to move her litter to a new location and managed to deposit this helpless baby in a dry spot? Questions arose all day surrounding the kitten.

But as most kittens will, this one also wandered. When ceiling tiles were lifted and attempts were made at it's capture, the little furry critter would flea into the ceiling above Dr. David Neal's dentist office. Patients in the good doctor's office could be seen arising from

their chair and opening the front door to check outside for a meandering kitten - not realizing that the little guy was overhead.

The frantic little creature caused quite a stir in the two offices. "I know our customers wondered what I was doing when they would come in and find me on top of my desk trying to look into the ceiling," says Reece. "But most would just say, 'Do I hear a cat?'"

After several failed rescue attempts on Monday, food and water bowls were placed in the ceiling in an effort to calm "Wild Beast." As the work day hours came to a close a humane trap was placed in the ceiling in hopes that "Wild Beast" would enter during the night time hours and could be safely retrieved on Tuesday morning.

But, alas, no "Wild Beast" was found bright and early the next day. However, distressed "meow's" were heard coming from a different location. This time the signals were heard coming from ground level behind the desk of business owner Jan Williams. Once again a rescue attempt was set into motion - this time aided by Richard Albus and Williams husband, James. "We were afraid the kitten had fallen between the walls and was stuck. We knew, we had to get him out so my husband, James, came over with a saw and we began to prepare to cut a hole in the wall where the sounds were coming from," says Williams. But a hole was not needed. As the Williams and Albus began to move things in preparation of sawing, the kitten was spotted behind a trash can. "He must have found a hole in the wall after descending downward

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## Benjamin News

by Gladene Green

Debra and Mike Moorhouse left today for a few days in Houston. She was due to be in the clinic for tests Monday and Tuesday and see her doctor Wednesday, if all goes according to plans. She told me Friday night that she hasn't been feeling the best and has hopes after this trip to M.D. Anderson that she will feel better. If all goes well, they should return home Wednesday or Thursday.

It was good to see Bill and Pearl Ryder at church Sunday. Said they were both feeling pretty well.

Reports on our friends who live away are encouraging. Grace Bisbee is making progress and may be able to come back to Haskell soon. And Bonita Pyatt has finished her therapy and is doing well.

Ruth Idol continues about the same in the Munday Nursing Center. Some days are better than others. She just has not done very well since she had a stroke in the early spring.

Other friends in the Nursing Centers, Nora Hertel, Eunice Friday, Leola Isbel and Joe Nunley are all doing pretty well. Joe's family brings him over to Benjamin pretty often and he enjoys being over here and visiting for a while.

Kenneth Roberts is scheduled for knee surgery on Thursday of this week if all goes well. Remember in mid-May he was scheduled to have it but developed a cold and it had to be postponed so maybe it will go as planned now - we wish him well.

### HERE 'N THERE

Carla and Laura Benson of Breckenridge are here for a few weeks visit with their dad, Billy Carl and brothers and sisters, Bubba, Dillon and Sadie and with other relatives and friends. Carla told me she passed to the third grade and Laura will be in the 7th

my, how time flies and age "creeps up" on kids when you don't see them for awhile.

Larry and Gaye Neal attended a family reunion of Gaye's mom's family in Elmore City, Oklahoma last week end.

Lisa Siemens spent a few days with friends in Rotan recently.

Recent visitors of Judy Conner were her son, Jim Bob and his friend, Mixie Seipel of Lubbock - Judy was in Lubbock recently to visit both her sons, Jim Bob and Jeff and his family.

Bob and Marie Meinzer left Thursday after several days visit with relatives and friends here and attending the Coody reunion last week end in Seymour.

Duke and Jo Cartwright and her mom, Ruth Resael, returned home Saturday after about a 15 day vacation trip to Branson, Missouri. They had a good time and saw lots of good shows.

Jessica and Will Moorhouse are spending a few days with Mike's parents, David and Bobbie at Iowa Park while their parents are in Houston. Lynne and Liz are staying with friends and working.

Mike Young is doing well after some recent surgery. Now if he will just take care of himself and not "over-do" it, he should be O.K. Good to be able to report that he's doing well.

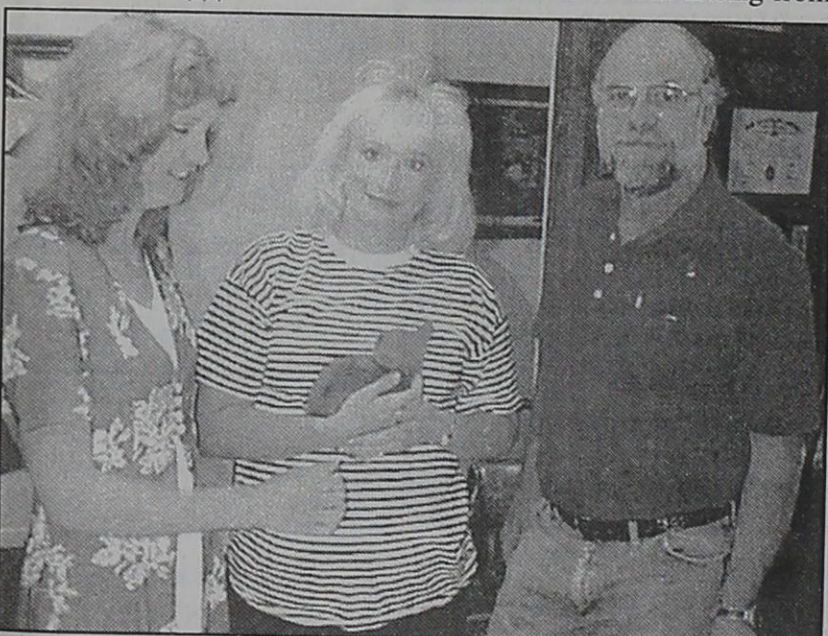
Weldon and Margie Patterson of Fresno, California are here for a few days visit with his mom, Maretha and his sister, Sharon Johnson. They plan to return home Thursday.

Joy Yancey of Lakeside City visited relatives here during the week end.

Keith, Pam and Casey Conner of Big Spring and Stephanie and Bobby Brannon of Lubbock visited homefolks during the week end. Stephanie and Bobby attended the wedding of Rebel Rainwater and Brian Huffman in Nocona Saturday afternoon. Casey remained here for a weeks visit with relatives and friends. Kim Moore and daughters, Samijo and Shelby of Spur came Sunday afternoon for a couple of days visit with relatives.

Chris and Penny Phillips and daughter, Christi, of Munday have moved a double-wide mobile home to Benjamin and as quickly as they get it all "fastened down" etc., they will be moving here to make their home. They have put it at the north end of Church Street across the street from Bud Conner. We are glad they have chosen to make Benjamin their home and hope they like living here. Christi will be a junior at B.H.S.

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WILD BEAST CAUGHT IN THE ACT of impersonating a cat. Elaina Reece, Jan Williams, and Richard Albus pose with the culprit, a homeless kitten, age approximately 6 weeks.

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## Pianist Receives Texas State Solo Honors

Mary Belle Turner, daughter of Cole and Susan Turner of Rochester and former piano student of Sandy King of Munday, was recently notified that she was selected as an "Outstanding Performer" at the 1999 Texas State Solo-Ensemble Piano Solo Contest. This award is in addition to the Division I rating that Mary Belle received for her piano solo at the state contest in San Marcos.

According to Richard Floyd, State Director of Music for UIL, of the approximately 73,000 students participating in the regional UIL music contests and the 20,000 musicians who performed at TSSEC, only 185 students earned the distinguished honor of being recognized as "Outstanding Performer." "Awards of this nature do not come easily and reflect the efforts of many individuals. Your parents, school and teachers are to be commended for their contribution to your success...At the same time remember that you alone through your own talent, dedication and hard work made this accomplishment a reality."

In recognition of this honor, Mary Belle received a large gold draped medallion identical to those awarded to state champions in all UIL events.

Mary Belle is a 1999 graduate of Rochester High School and will be attending Hardin-Simmons University in the fall, majoring in Communications with a minor in Music. She will also be a member of the H-SU Concert Band. She has furthered her piano studies as a student of Ms. Lauren Puckett of H-SU for the past three years.

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**PEE WEE - CUBS.** Coached by Gary Mizer and Michael Waggoner the Cubs team members are (standing, left) Marci Hise, Brittany Waggoner, Gary Leon Mizer, Jay White, Doug Moore, (kneeling, left) Emiliano Lara, Lester Adams, Rob Dillard, Michelle Gonzales, and Presley Melton.

## Noah Project to Meet in Haskell

The Noah Project - North Advisory Committee will meet in the Haskell County Courthouse at noon on Friday, June 11, 1999 in the jury room. All members are requested to attend and it will be pot luck!

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## Booster Club Re-elects Officers For 1999-2000

The Munday High School Athletic Booster Club held its monthly meeting and re-elected officers to serve during the 1999-2000 school year.

Freddie Caram will again serve as President of the organization and Richard Albus will return as Vice President. Serving another term as Secretary-Treasurer will be Melissa Josselet with Carla Key re-elected as Reporter.

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## Minding Your Own Business

With Don Taylor, co-author of Up Against the Wal-Marts

### Are you dedicated or addicted?

I am not often surprised by the questions my clients ask. However, a few weeks ago I was caught with no ready answer when a client asked, "Do you think I could be addicted to my business?"

Frankly, the thought of being addicted to one's work had never crossed my mind. Later, after some reflection, I realized that there might very well be a fine line between being a dedicated worker and becoming addicted to your work.

Workers who are dedicated to their work are usually referred to as committed, diligent or conscientious. Employers, associates and workers usually consider these traits positive.

On the other hand, the word addicted means to give into a practice or habit, or having a habitual inclination toward any activity or behavior. You've heard the term "workaholic" used to describe those who have little focus other than their work. An addiction to work is usually considered negative. Therefore, let's look at some areas where going beyond dedication may not be good.

#### Some danger signals

- When was your last vacation? If it has been more than 12 months since you were able to leave your job or business for even a few days of relaxation, you may be crossing the line.

- Were you able to relax on your last vacation? Did you really relax, or did you just move your office or business to a remote location? Did you spend your time on the phone checking on things at work? Did you constantly find yourself thinking of things that you meant to get done before you left? Did you have to check your e-mail every day? If you aren't able to relax away from work you may be on the verge of becoming work-obsessed.

- Do you have trouble sleeping at nights? Do you have trouble getting to sleep because of work-related thoughts? Do you often wake up in the middle of the night remembering something that you neglected to do at work? Insomnia is a stress-related symptom of over-work.

- Do the activities, accomplishments or failures of family members surprise you? Do you ever find yourself asking, "When did this happen?" or, "I didn't know Johnny had a problem with math." or, "Soccer practice Who is playing soccer?" If you're behind the curve of family matters, you may be in the addiction zone.

- Do you find yourself "out of sorts" with everyone? Are little things at work making you angry? Are you snapping or shouting at those around you? Does it seem no one does anything right anymore? Does it carry over to home, also? These may be work obsession danger signals.

- When was the last time you visited with a neighbor? If you leave home early and return late, you may never see your neighbors. If you're always at work on the weekends you may not even recognize your neighbor. Remember, there should be more to life than work even if you're a dedicated worker.

- How many meals do you eat with your family? If you leave early and often don't return until late, you may be putting a strain on your relationships. Your family may be growing closer to your neighbors than they are to you.

- Are you often slowed down by nagging physical ailments or feeling depressed? Headaches, sleepless nights, digestive problems, high blood pressure and mild depression are common symptoms of both stress and addiction.

After you've considered these questions, ask your spouse or a close friend to answer these same questions for you. If his or her answers contradict yours, don't be surprised. Remember, a classic symptom of addiction is denial.

Don Taylor is the co-author of Up Against the Wal-Marts. You may write to him in care of Minding Your Own Business, PO Box 67, Amarillo, TX 79105.



**HEY, MOM THIS IS PRETTY!** McKenna Crabtree selects some jewelry from her mom's booth at Browse 'N Buy over the week end. She is the daughter of Amy and James Crabtree and the granddaughter of Doug and Francis Parker.

## Munday Youngsters Have Chance to Compete in Amateur Athletics

Ten and eleven year old boys in Munday have the chance to compete in track and field events in the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation. Organizers for the Munday boys are John Lee and Pam Nelson and Nancee Moren. Rules and regulations for the events are governed under the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation.

Last Saturday the boys competed in the Crowell Little Paws Relays. Seven 10 and 11 year old boys from Munday traveled to Crowell for the competition.

In the Long Jump Lenny Moore

placed second with Trent Tidwell coming in 6th and Joseph Gulley taking 7th place.

Ty Bufkin was 4th in the High Jump.

In the Shot Put James Nelson brought home second place.

The 400 relay came in second. Members of the relay team are Joseph Gulley, Trent Tidwell, Sean Gray and Lenny Moore.

Lenny Moore nailed down first place in the 100 meter run while Sean Gray took 3rd and Trent Tidwell was 4th.

Joseph Gulley was second in the 200 meters with Ty Bufkin 6th and

Tory James placing 7th.

The boys have only been organized for approximately one week but are already looking forward to the State Meet in Waco this summer. There will be several qualifying meets prior to that competition with the youngsters traveling to Wichita Falls or Abilene in hopes of advancing.

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## "Wild Beast" Scares Locals

- I don't know how he got in," relays a puzzled Williams.

But the race was on. "Wild Beast" ran through all the on-lookers legs and tried to make a break for freedom. His momentum was slowed when he ran into the Real Estate office of Charles Baker and he was nabbed in the midst of a memorabilia collection - probably hoping to hide there and disguise himself from those chasing him by trying to blend in and look like a collectible!

Jan began to smooth the ruffled fur of the little critter who immediately took to her kind hands and soothing words. "He really wasn't the least bit wild after we caught him," says Williams.

"Wild Beast" was then taken to the home of what just might be his original owners. It seems a litter of kittens who reside a few blocks from William's business was missing one of its' family members and it is hoped that the mama cat will take back the prodigal one.

It's still a curiosity how the little kitten found it's way on top of a business several blocks from it's home. It's also a curiosity how the kitten made it's way from the roof into the ceiling and eventually into the halls of Charles Baker Insurance. But all involved are glad that this is one cat whom curiosity did not kill!

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|               | High | Low | Rain |
|---------------|------|-----|------|
| Mon. June 7   | 94   | 71  | 1.08 |
| Tues. June 8  | 96   | 72  |      |
| Wed. June 9   | 98   | 71  | .08  |
| Thur. June 10 | 97   | 63  | 1.04 |
| Fri. June 11  | 92   | 64  |      |
| Sat. June 12  | 87   | 66  | .35  |
| Sun. June 13  | 88   | 69  |      |

Total Precipitation for June, 1999  
2.55 inches

Sell your unwanted items through *The Munday Courier* Classifieds.

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**Deadlines**  
Call  
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## Employment

**HELP WANTED:** The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station is accepting applications for a Technician I position. The position requires a B.S. degree in agriculture with associated background and skills. Work location will be the Munday Research Station. A complete position description and application can be obtained from the Munday office during regular hours. Contact David Bordovsky at 940-852-5125 for further information. The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 35-1tc

**HELP WANTED:** Girling Health Care, Inc. Home Care attendants needed in Benjamin and surrounding areas to help with housekeeping and personal care. For more information call 1-800-665-4471 or 1-915-643-5604. 35-1tc

**BABYSITTER NEEDED:** Munday teacher needs babysitter for newborn beginning August 11th. Call 940-743-3427 or 422-5584. 35-2tc

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"SOME DRINK AT THE FOUNTAIN OF KNOWLEDGE" - others just gargon. Check our great looking sleepers from La-Z-Boy at Special Purchase prices. Queen sleepers in good fabrics for only \$599. Kinney Furniture in Stamford.

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**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, June 19, 8:00 - ? 407 S. 2nd., Knox City. Across from Methodist Church. Many household items, adult, children's clothes, toys, some baby things, gardening items, very nice double size comforter and sheet set, double size mattress and box springs, recliner, many, many nice things. 35-1tc

## Miscellaneous

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**FOR SALE:** 411 N. 7th. 3 BR, 1 bath. Located near High School. Attached garage and carport \$25,000. Negotiable. Call 940-422-4583 or 940-766-1171. 28-tfc

**FOR SALE:** Jim Cooke residence in Goree. 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, carport. 20 large pecan trees on extra large corner lot. (817) 790-8140 evenings, (817) 641-2010 days. 32-4tc

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7. No eligible applicant will be denied the scholarship because of race, sex, color, national or ethnic origin.

8. A complete application must include a copy of most recent transcript with GPA.

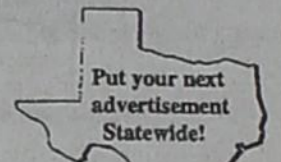
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10. Applications must be received by a member of the Wichita Falls Area CattleWomen no later than July 15, 1999. Any applications received after that date will be disqualified. Scholarships will be announced by August 10, 1999.

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