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# Community grieves deaths of two men

Iowa Parkans are mourning the loss of two well-known residents who were killed late Friday night when a car travelling at a high rate of speed slammed into the back of the pickup in which they were riding.

Todd Duncan, 30, and Jack Witherspoon, 42, were travelling westbound on the Old Iowa Park Road in front of Country View Mobile Home Park when a 1995 Plymouth Neon, reportedly driven by Steven Bowen, 28 and also of Iowa Park, ran into the back of Duncan's 1992 GMC pickup. The impact caused Duncan's pickup to roll three times, coming to a rest in an upright position. Duncan and Witherspoon were ejected from the truck.

Bowen, believed to be intoxicated at the time, was reportedly travelling in excess of 100 miles per hour. He was uninjured in the collision.

## Bowen indicted by grand jury Wednesday

Following the collision, the Neon travelled another quarter mile before becoming disabled at Bell Road. According to witnesses at the scene, Bowen then got out of the car and fled the scene on foot. Department of Public Safety Corporal Tony Fulton located Bowen at an Iowa Park residence several blocks from the accident scene, and placed him under arrest.

Despite the efforts of the Iowa Park Emergency Medical Technicians and Lifeline Ambulance paramedics, Duncan and Witherspoon died at a Wichita Falls hospital.

Bowen is being held in Wichita County Jail, charged with two counts of intoxication manslaughter. He is under \$350,000 bond on each count, and possibly faces further charges for failure to stop and render aid.

He was indicted Wednesday by a Wichita Falls grand jury on two counts of intoxication manslaughter, and two counts of failure to stop and render aid, all including the allegation of use of a deadly weapon.

Intoxication manslaughter, a second degree felony, is a relatively new offense in Texas. It went into effect Sept. 1, 1995, and carries a maximum prison term of 20 years on each count. Failure to stop and render aid is a third degree felony in Texas and carries a 10 year maximum sentence.

Bowen has a previous DWI conviction from 1985, for which he was sentenced to five years probation. His probation was revoked for an unconfirmed offense and he served 30 days in the county jail.

from Austin and Lubbock to investigate the accident scene and evidence.

Duncan was employed as an identification technician at the Wichita Falls Police Dept., and had almost completed testing to enter the Wichita Falls Police Academy in June.

In addition, Duncan's father, Tom, is a former Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission investigator, his brother-in-law, David Blackerby is a DPS trooper for this area, and a sister-in-law, Lisa Cosstick, is employed by the Wichita County District Attorney's office.

"The reason they (DPS investigative units) are doing it instead of the police department...this was one

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## Baccalaureate Services set Sunday

Baccalaureate Services for the graduating class of Iowa Park High School will be held at 6 p.m. Sunday in the high school auditorium.

Invocation will be given by Rev. Tom Oden-Peace of the First Christian Church. Dr. Greg Ammons, pastor of Faith Baptist Church, will read the scripture, and Pastor Greg Hardin of the First United Pentecostal Church will deliver the sermon. The benediction will then be given by Dr. Ammons.

Special music will be provided by the high school choir, and both the processional and recessional will be played by Debbie Walters.

Graduation ceremonies will be held Friday evening of next week, in Hawk Stadium. Should weather not permit the event to be held out of doors, each graduate will be issued seven tickets which will admit family and friends into the auditorium, according to Richard Davis, principal.

## Student dress code changes approved

Matters pertaining to personnel, and revisions in the districtwide dress code dominated the meeting of Iowa Park school trustees Thursday night.

Following a lengthy closed session, the board members hired Susan Tigrett to teach high school English/Spanish; reassigned Leslie Crumb from fourth grade teacher to high school resource room teacher; and accepted the resignations of Linda Gray and Allen Briggs.

Mrs. Tigrett, who received her B.A. degree from Midwestern State University, has three years teaching experience.

Mrs. Gray is moving out of the state, and Briggs was unable to acquire certification to teach Spanish.

Recommended changes in the district dress code were studied and approved by the trustees.

A copy of the changes, which will become effective at the beginning of school next fall, will go out to all students.

The oath of office was administered by Georgia Kingcade to Keith Fisher and Randy Catlin. The two incumbents ran unopposed and no election was required.

By unanimous vote of the board, Keith Fisher was again selected president. Dennis Yeager was elected

vice president, and Martha Dudley will continue to serve as secretary.

A request for an additional teacher at the junior high school was tabled until the budget process begins.

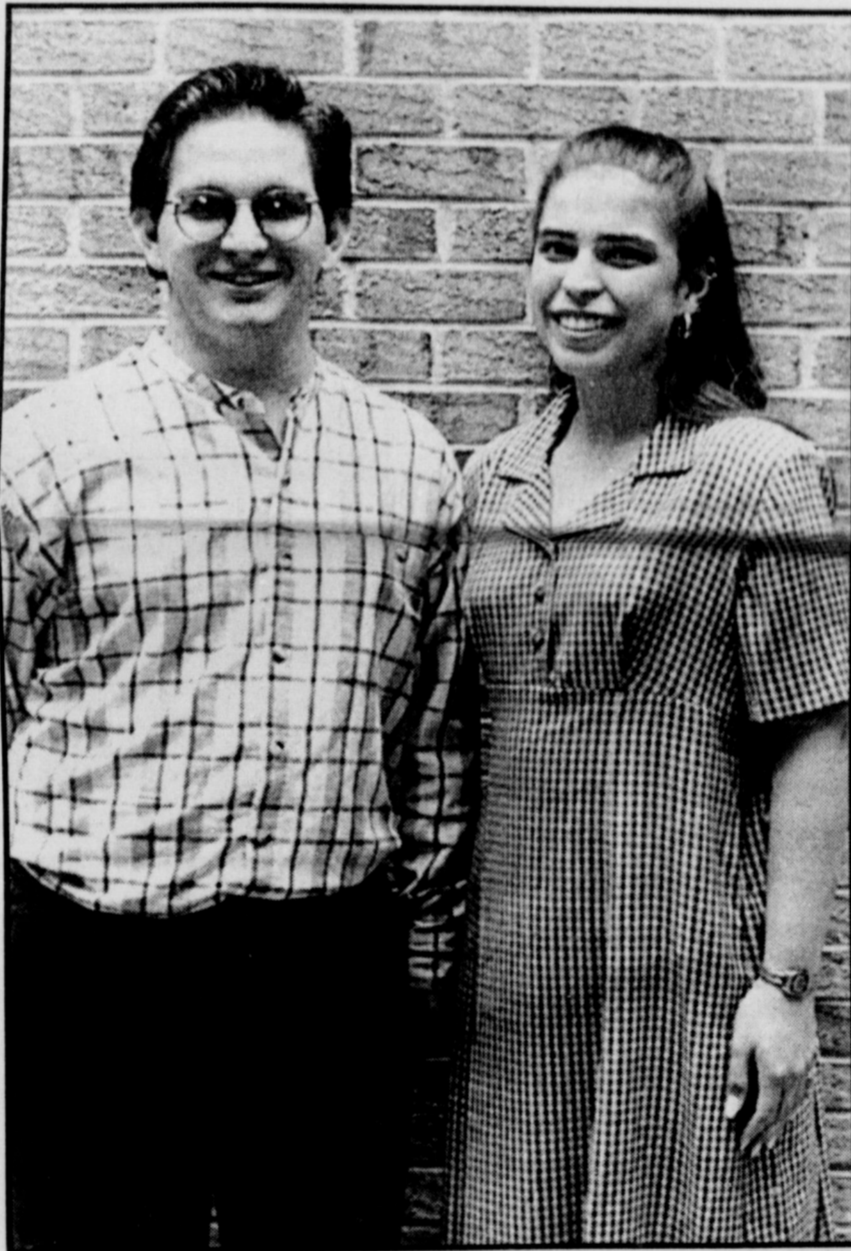
Also tabled was a request to offer a new course, Agriculture Science 282 Exploring Aquaculture. Trustees wanted to wait until incoming superintendent Michael Caplinger has a chance to evaluate the matter. Caplinger was present for Thursday's meeting.

During Superintendent Glen Mitchell's report it was noted that enrollment in the school district was up 76 students over last year. The highest increase was at Kidwell Elementary with 51 students, followed by the junior high school with 36.

May 27 is the date board members will meet with Dane Adkinson from TASB to go over the Employee Salary Plan for the 1996-97 school year.

In addition to hearing the tax, transportation and cafeteria reports, trustees approved use of the main gym at the high school for high school basketball tournaments on May 18 and June 1; approved a voluntary

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**HONOR GRADUATES** of Iowa Park High School Class of '96 were named during the school's Honors Recognition Program Tuesday evening. They are Ashli Thomas, Valedictorian, and Brandon Herder, Salutatorian.

## Police arrest three on intoxication charges

Iowa Park police made three arrests involving intoxication during the past week, none of which was related to the dual traffic fatality of Friday night.

Police were called at 5:16 p.m. Friday to the intersection of Ruby and Wall, where a vehicle had struck a trash dumpster.

Robert Allen Amburn, 32, was taken into custody on charges of public intoxication and failing to comply by striking a fixture.

Amburn was released at 6:21 a.m. Saturday after signing a promise to appear in municipal court May 28, according to the police blotter.

David Allen McGarry, 24, was arrested in the 100 block of South Wall at 2:37 a.m. Saturday and charged with driving while intoxicated.

McGarry was released from

custody at 6:20 a.m., after signing a promise to appear in municipal court May 28.

Donald Eugene Price, 34, was stopped at 11:45 p.m. Tuesday while walking in the 1500 block of Quail Valley, and charged with public intoxication.

He also is to appear in municipal court, after signing a promise to appear and being released at 6:05 a.m. Wednesday.

Another walker was stopped by officers in the 600 block of North Third, at 11:01 p.m. Wednesday of last week, and taken into custody.

Sean Lynn Mitchell, 19, was determined to have two outstanding warrants issued for his arrest. One was for failure to yield right of way to an emergency vehicle, and the other

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## Industries assured of fire protection

The city council Monday night approved two resolutions intended to assure fire protection for two industries that adjoin the city limits.

The action followed ceremonies in which newly-elected council members took their oaths of office.

Installed were Mayor Tim Hunter and Aldermen Joe Singer and Joe Ward, all of whom won their bids for office in the recent city elections.

Plaques in recognition of their service on the council were presented to the three outgoing council members, Mayor Wayne House, and Aldermen Johnny Crawford and Bud Mercer.

In his first official act after taking office, Hunter recommended the appointment of Singer as Mayor Pro tem. The council voted unanimously its approval.

The new mayor also recommended appointments to two boards, and both were approved.

The first was to name himself, Administrator Mike Price and Alderman Tracy Fears to the Housing Advisory Committee, and the second was to reappoint members to the Electrical Board, including Herman Daymude, Dale Williams and Sue Hatcher.

The purpose of the resolutions assuring fire protection by the Iowa Park Volunteer Fire Dept. to the two industries, Cryovac and Entex, was because the county commissioners court has indicated it might pursue organizing rural departments to respond to all areas outside any city limits, it was explained.

Both Cryovac and Entex have had a verbal understanding in the past that they would be provided fire protection by the local department,

as part of their non-annexation agreements.

Both industries pay percentages of what they would be taxed, en lieu of annexation.

Additionally, the new agreement with Cryovac includes a change in the period of time the non-annexation agreement is to exist, as well as its period of automatic extension.

Administrator Price proposed the council not meet, or change its regular meeting date, on May 27, because that is Memorial Day, a holiday for city employees.

The council agreed to not meet on that date.

Price also proposed that the council establish a date or dates when it would begin meeting to study projects and budgets for the 1996-97 fiscal year.

Aldermen agreed to begin their budget workshops on even-dated Mondays in June, and continue until it was completed.

The council's regular meetings are held on the second and fourth Mondays each month.

Realtor Tommy Key, during the general discussion period of the meeting, asked if the council would be receptive to a second expansion of Park Place Addition.

Under the initial agreement with Key, the city financed construction of streets and installation of utilities, with the developers reimbursing the city upon the sale of each lot, and with an eight-percent interest on the investment.

Aldermen said they would take the proposal up at one of their near-future meetings. Key said the expansion would be for at least 12 more lots.

## Sales tax rebate checks lower for county cities

For some reason, all four cities in Wichita County received lower sales tax rebate checks this month than in May of 1995, according to the state comptroller's office.

However, Iowa Park's decrease was less than Wichita Falls, Electra and Burkburnett.

Iowa Park's check was for \$28,248.81, which is 4.75 percent less than the May 1995 check.

Wichita Falls was down 5.40 percent, Burkburnett 5.63, and Electra a minus 14.12 percent.

However, for the year, Iowa Park

still has received more than this same month last year. The 6.03 percent gain has amounted to a total of \$117,469.71.

Holliday had a 2.44 percent gain over this month last year, and for the year is 3.46 percent above the first five months of 1995, at \$27,616.07, according to the report from Austin.

This month's sales tax rebates include taxes collected on March sales by businesses filing monthly returns and reported to the comptroller in April, plus those filing quarterly returns for January, February and March.

## NEWS BRIEFS

### Monday's shower only slight relief

Iowa Park received a brief reprieve from the heat and dryness when a shower cloud developed over the

city Monday. Virgil Woodfin said he measured .18 of an inch in his rain gauge.

## Amity installs new officers

New officers were installed Monday evening at the final meeting of the club year for Amity Study Club in the home of Patti Hughes. Sheri Kennedy served as co-hostess.

Retiring president Cheryl York installed incoming officers, using a theme of mirrors to impress on each officer the nature of her duties.

Installed were Linda Crumbliss, president; Annetta Reusch, vice president; Judy Silvers, secretary; Mrs. Kennedy, treasurer; Evelyn Ward, historian and Mary McIlroy, parliamentarian.

Program for the evening involved members selecting programs, meditations, meeting places and projects for the club year 1996-97, which begins in September.

New members, Susan Hill and Pam Teplicek were welcomed into the club.

A list of six new books for the Tom Burnett Memorial Library was presented as the club project for the month.

## Mrs. Skinner presents arts & crafts program

Freddie Skinner was in charge of the program for the Iowa Park Arts and Crafts Association meeting Tuesday night at the RAC.

She showed members how to make satin ball teddy bears to put on top of trinket boxes.

Bobbie Heacox was winner of the door prize, a necklace of colorful cloth yo yo's, made by Ruby Cummings.

Mrs. Heacox's work will be on display at the library this month.

At the June meeting, members will be making bluebonnets from plastic soda can holders.

**RAC NEWS**

### Bridge Clubs

With two tables in play last Wednesday, Amy Conley had the high score of 4000. Jack Morris had the second high of 3700.

On Monday, there were three tables, and Ray Anderson had the high score of 6270. Second high of 5565 was reported by John Chapman. There are eight players registered for next week.

### Summer Programs

Thanks to the Iowa Park Optimist Club, the RAC will be offering a summer program similar to our Spring Break Activity Week. We will begin on June 3 and run the summer program through August 9.

There are lots of fun activities planned, including our annual 4th of July t-shirt painting, ice cream day celebration, and Teddy Bear Picnic. Also in the works are details for activities to coordinate with the following themes: Friends Around the World, Transportation, Jungle Safari, Music Makers, Splash Party, Junior Gardeners, Here Come the Clowns, and Back to School. Please watch this column or call 592-4471 for more information.

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Boyd and Geneva Taylor

## To celebrate anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Taylor of Garland, former residents of Iowa Park, will celebrate their Golden Wedding anniversary Tuesday, May 28.

Boyd and Geneva Campbell met in 1943 while they were attending Abilene Christian College. Boyd began preaching for the Iowa Park Church of Christ in February 1944.

Following his graduation in May, he moved to Iowa Park to continue his work with the church. Following Geneva's graduation from ACC, they were married May 28, 1946.

In 1951 they moved to Wichita Falls where Taylor served as minister of Lincoln Street Church of Christ until 1957. They moved that year to Irving where he was minister for the Eastside Church of Christ.

The Taylors returned to Iowa Park in 1963 where Boyd again served as minister of the Church of Christ. Geneva began teaching at Kidwell Elementary School.

While still living in Iowa Park,

Taylor began preaching for the Petrolia Church of Christ, where he served as minister from 1967-1973. In 1973 they moved to Garland.

After serving as Minister of Education for the Austin Street Church of Christ in Garland more than two years, Boyd returned to pulpit preaching, helping smaller churches in the area, Geneva taught in the Garland Public School System. She retired in 1992.

Taylor continues to preach for the Heath Church of Christ in Rockwall County, where he has served the last 15 years.

The Taylors have two children, Sheryl Davis of Dallas and Derl Taylor of Garland.

Boyd and Geneva enjoy traveling with friends. While they are at home Boyd has a hobby of baking pies and Geneva tutors students in the Garland area.

For those who would like to send cards, or contact the Taylors, their address is 2406 Morningside Drive, Garland, Tx., 75041.

**I want to thank all those who voted for and supported me in the election.**

**I will do my best to serve the citizens of Iowa Park.**

**Respectfully,  
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## To retire after 41 years in education

Iowa Park school superintendent Glen Mitchell will retire in June after 41 years in public education.

Mitchell, who moved here 11 years ago from Henrietta, will be succeeded by Michael Caplinger, who was hired recently by the school board.

Mitchell had announced to the board at the beginning of this calendar year of his decision to retire.

During those 41 years, he has been a teacher, counselor, principal and superintendent. He ends a career of 29 years as a superintendent, serving at Howe and Wilson before going to Henrietta for an eight-year stay.

In reflecting on his 29 years as head of the four school districts, he says he has served for and with more than 100 different school trustees.

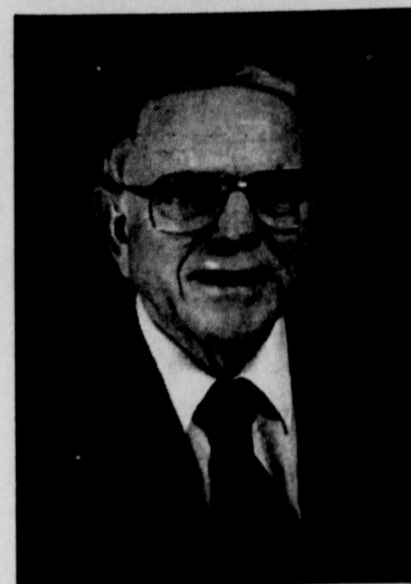
And he admits he cannot recall ever having a cross word with a board member in that length of time.

"Board members are asked to give a lot of their time and over the years the members have always responded," he said.

At three of those four districts as superintendent, he helped pass bond elections. It wasn't necessary at Howe, because they had held such an election before his arrival, but he had the opportunity to oversee expansion of several buildings upon arrival.

Mitchell was recognized as Region Nine Superintendent in 1993, but explains any recognition he has ever received was because of the board, employees, parents and students.

He has missed fewer than 10 days because of personal illness during his 41 years in education. He has accumulated over 165 days of sick leave, annual leave and vacation time over the years.



GLEN MITCHELL

"The thing I will miss most is working with the board, administrators and faculty," Mitchell said. "My greatest regret is that I never spent enough time with teachers and students."

His greatest concern, he said, has always been for the school district to have enough money to provide the teachers and students with the materials and equipment they needed.

It was during his years in Henrietta that he says he experienced his most enjoyable career highlight.

He explained that was when the school's band won the state marching contest. He then added that Howe High began its band program during his time there, and placed second at state.

"There have been many changes made over the years in education," Mitchell reflected. "One of the most important and more recent changes came about in Iowa Park schools, when teachers and principals in grades

K-8 asked to teach Saxon Math, rather than use the state-adopted math books."

Saxon Math is presented in such a way that students not only learn how to do math, but they enjoy it. The results have all been positive, according to the teachers and students.

So, what's in the future for a veteran of 41 years who's retiring?

Mitchell says he hopes to continue in some way, in the field of education or church-related work.

## Graduates MSU

Noma Fulfer Shoemaker graduated from Midwestern State University on May 11, with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology.

In September, she will begin working toward a Master of Arts Degree in Counseling.

A 1972 graduate of Iowa Park High School, Noma is married to Phillip Shoemaker and has two children. Her parents are Bobby and Beverly Fulfer of Valley View.

## Planning meeting set at junior high

The annual planning meeting for federal programs will be held at 3:15 p.m. Monday in the library of Iowa Park Junior High School.

The meeting is held to report on programs conducted during the previous year and plan expenditures for the coming year.

Programs involved include Title I, Title VI, and Drug Free Schools and Communities.

Meeting participants include faculty and staff, parents, and community representatives, however the meeting is open to the general public.

## Congratulations, Jessica Armstrong



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To the Citizens of Iowa Park -

Please accept my thanks for allowing me to serve as your mayor for the past six years.

The support of the citizens, city council members, and the efforts of Mike Price and all of the employees have helped make this an exciting time in my life.

I would like to extend my best wishes to the new Mayor, Tim Hunter, and city council members for the coming months as they strive to make our city a better place to live.

We are truly blessed to be able to call Iowa Park home.

Thanks Again,  
Wayne House

COOK of the WEEK

Mrs. Michélie Byrne's third grade class has been selected as this week's Cook's of the Week.

The class compiled a cookbook to give their moms this Mother's Day as a special surprise.

So as a tribute to their moms, here is a sampling of some of the recipes.

Salisbury Steak

- Ground Chuck 1 egg Fine onion 2 beef bouillion cubes Water 2 Tbsp. flour

Mix egg, ground chuck and onion. Make into patties and brown. Add water to the top of patties. Add bouillion and boil 30 minutes. Mix flour and water in separate jar and shake. Add to beef to thicken gravy. Boil five more minutes and serve.

Brian Thar Mom - Dawn Kirkham

Pina Colada Cake

- 1 white cake mix 1 can Eagle brand milk 1/2 can Casa Rico Cream of Coconut 8 oz. coconut 1 large carton Cool Whip

Make cake according to package directions. When removed from the oven, immediately poke holes all over top of cake with a fork. Combine Eagle Brand milk and the 1/2 can cream of coconut. Pour over the top of cake. After cake has completely cooled, mix coconut and Cool Whip together and spread across top of cake. Keep refrigerated.

Colten Hibbs Mom - Angel Hibbs

Grannie's Pecan Pie

- 3 eggs 1 cup sugar 1 stick oleo, melted 1 cup white Karo 1/4 cup of canned milk 3/4 to 1 cup chopped pecans

Beat eggs and sugar, then add all other ingredients except the pecans. Place chopped pecans into unbaked crust and pour mixture over pecans. Bake at 350° until center is done.

Gidgette Byrd Mom - Gayla Harrell



MRS. MICHELIE BYRNE'S THIRD GRADE CLASS

Pound Cake

- 3 cups cake flour, sift each cup three times 3 cups sugar 2 sticks softened butter 6 eggs (room temperature) 1/2 pint whipping cream 1 tsp. vanilla

Cream butter and sugar, add eggs one at a time. Alternate adding flour and whipping cream (add 1/3 flour, then 1/3 cream, until gone). Add vanilla. Bake in two loaf pans at 325° 10 minutes, then reduce heat to 300° and bake another 1 hour and 20 minutes.

\*Do not open the oven while baking

Chocolate Cheesecake Pie

- 1-8 oz. pkg. cream cheese, softened 2/3 cup sugar 2 Tbsp. firmly packed brown sugar 1 tsp. vanilla extract 2 envelopes (2 oz.) Nestle chocolate unsweetened baking chocolate 1 cup heavy whipping cream, whipped 1-9-inch chocolate crumb crust 1/4 cup chopped nuts (optional) 1/8 tsp. salt Additional whipping cream for garnish

In large mixer bowl, beat cream cheese, sugar, brown sugar, vanilla, and salt until creamy. Blend in chocolate. Fold in whipped cream. Spoon into pie crust. Sprinkle with nuts and garnish. 8 servings.

Crystal Martin Mom - Cathy Venegas

Quick Bread

- 2 cups Bisquick 2/3 cup milk 1/2 to 1 cup (2-4 oz.) shredded Cheddar cheese 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese 1 tsp. parsley flakes 1/4 cup butter or margarine, melted 1/2 tsp. garlic powder

Stir together the baking mix, milk and cheese until a soft dough

forms; beat vigorously for 30 seconds. Drop dough by spoonsfuls onto ungreased cookie sheets. Bake about 10 minutes at 450° or until lightly browned.

Mix butter, garlic powder and parsley and brush over warm biscuits before removing from the cookie sheet. Serve warm. Makes 12 biscuits.

Church teens sponsor dinner

An all you can eat fajita dinner will be served Sunday from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. at Christ The King Church. The dinner is sponsored by Teens for Christ.

Prices are \$7 for adults and \$3.50 for children under 12 years of age.

Christ The King Church is located at 1008 N. 1st Street.

Schlaud to receive degree

Paul Schlaud, a 1991 Honors graduate of Iowa Park High School, will receive a Bachelor of Arts degree, with highest honors, in Psychology from University of Texas at Austin May 18.

In the fall, he will begin classes at Harvard Law School. Schlaud is the son of Ken and Jeni Schlaud of Iowa Park.

Advertisement for Jack's Park Pharmacy featuring wedding invitations and accessories.

Helpful Facts

Property owners working on their plumbing and needing the water cut off at the meter should contact city hall for assistance.

Shaw to be installed state ESA president

Bobbie Shaw will be installed Texas State Council president of Epsilon Sigma Alpha International May 18 for the 1996-97 year. Installation will take place during the Texas State Council of will hold the 47th annual State ESAI Convention in Odessa at Holiday Inn May 17-19.

Theme for the convention will be "ESA'S Sentimental Journey". Approximately 300 members and guests are expected to attend the convention, hosted by District VII.

Mrs. Shaw has been a member of ESA 40 years, joining in Iowa Park in 1956. She has held all local and district offices and all elected offices on the state level.

She will be the state representative to the International Convention in Orlando, Fla., in July.

Bobbie and her husband, Luther, owned and operated Shaw Ford Motor Co., in Iowa Park 31 years.

Outstanding Youth and DIANA awards will be presented to non-member persons of Texas as well as achievement awards of Districts, Chapters, and individual Texas members for community service.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha was founded in Jacksonville, Tx., in 1929 and now has 1200 chapters with

20,000 members throughout the United States and abroad. It was the first non-collegiate sorority in America.

Now there are Collegiate chapters and when the young ladies graduate from college they go into traditional chapters.

Members work together to aid the handicapped and needy of their community and nationwide contributed 497,627 hours and raised \$4,922,450 in the 1994-95 year.

Throughout the world a total of monies collected for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, Tenn., will exceed \$25 million over several years.

ESA also supports National Easter Seals Society, March of Dimes, National Cancer and Kidney Societies and many other state philanthropic projects.

NEIGHBORS

The Graham Chamber of Commerce and Graham Art Guild are co-sponsors of the 27th Annual Lake Country Art Festival, to be held May 18-19.

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# Cream of school's crop comes to top

The old statement that the cream always comes to the top was proven well-founded once again Tuesday night, when the annual Honors Recognition Program was held at Iowa Park High School.

Highlighting the program was the announcement of the top 12 senior class members in academics, Best All Around Girl and Boy, Who's Who recipients, and the recipients of 40 scholarships.

Ashli Thomas was named Valedictorian of this year's graduat-

ing class and Brandon Herder Salutatorian.

The other honor graduates, in digressing order following Thomas and Herder, included Heather Dorzab, Amanda Thompson, James Kaspar, Michelle San Miguel, Jessica Armstrong, Felicia Frazier, Jennifer Heckman, Dusti Welch, Lindie Fudge and Jason Clark.

Dusti Welch was named Best All Around Girl and Brandon Herder Best All Around Boy. The selections

are made annually by the high school faculty and administration.

### Who's Who Awards

- Agriculture - Kevin Pace
- General Ag Mechanics - Mark Hutchins
- Art - Blain Hefner/Kevin Lillie
- Automotive Technology - Brian Mills
- Band - Ashli Thomas/James Kaspar
- ATSSB Award - Penny Bradberry
- Jazz Band - Penny Bradberry/James Kaspar
- Physical Science - Aaron Sanders
- Biology I - Benn Bennett/Dustin Hicks/Kevin Winter
- Biology II - Lacie Crume/Karen Burgoyne
- Biology II Honors - Dora Smith
- Chemistry - Christi Sosebee
- Chemistry Honors - Heather Goodwin
- Physics - Chloe Ferland-Dufresne/Ashli Thomas
- Keyboarding/Word Processing - Christy Moore
- Business Computer Application - Jeanette Cantu/Rachel Smith
- Business Law - Felicia Frazier
- Introduction to Business - Jeanette Cantu
- Choir - Richard Bernhardt/James Horn/Louis Booth
- Bradberry Award - Brandon Herder
- Girls Choir - Jennifer Sikes
- Cosmetology - Christy Ashton
- MOCT - Gary Winkler/Amy Turner
- Computer Science I - Ashli Thomas
- Computer Science II Honors - Heather Dorzab
- English I - Bryan Lyons
- Soil & Water Conservation Essay - Tri-County Winners - Bryan Lyons/Ross Dillard/Nichola Kelly/Steven Trahan
- English II - Sara McCarty

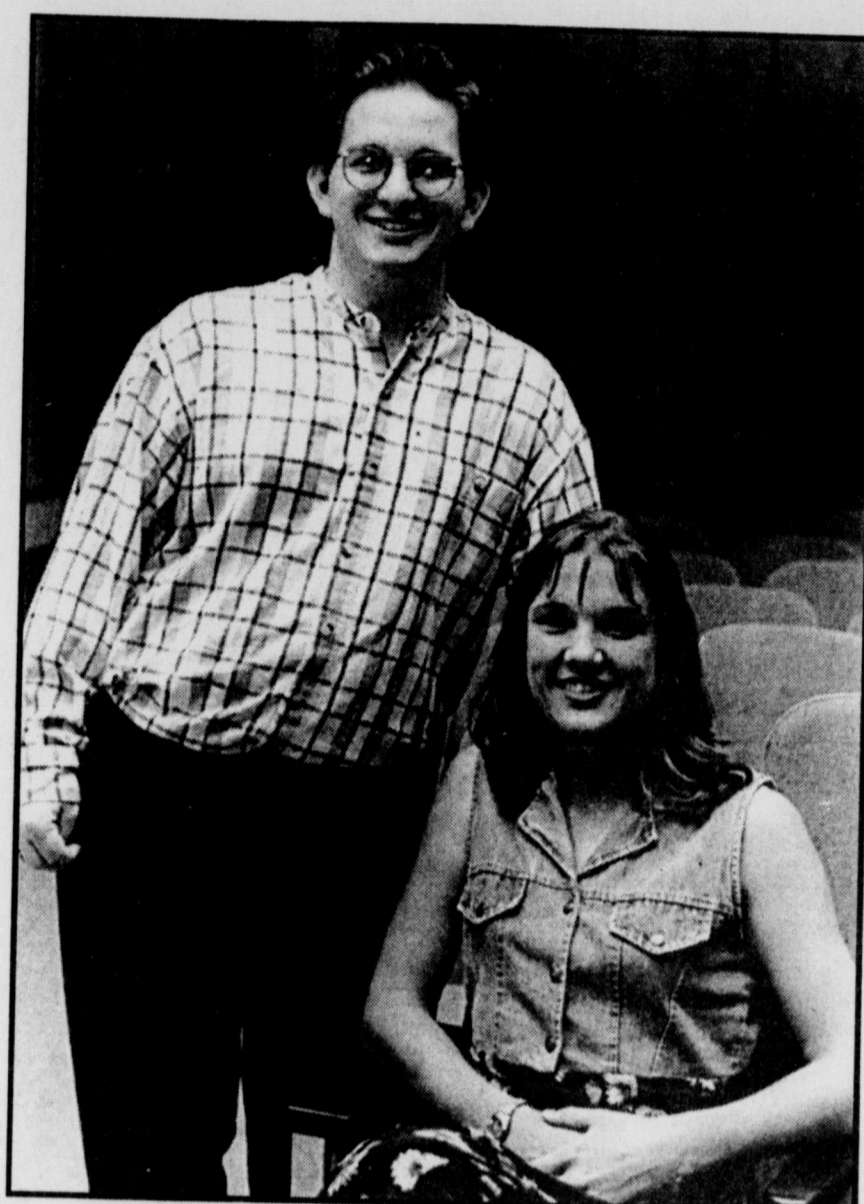
- English II Honors - Brandi Beavers
- English III - Summer DeWitt
- English III Honors - Sylvia Gonzales

- English IV - Melinda Lovell
- English IV Honors - Ashli Thomas
- Government/Economics - Rodney Spangler

- World Geography - Theresa Stone
- World History - Elizabeth McNeely
- U.S. History - Bryan Lyons
- Home Economics I - Shannon Eaves
- Home Economics Semester Courses - Mileasha Grogan
- Horticulture - Beth Clower
- Pre-Algebra - Jessica Ashley
- Informal Geometry - Shandi Hilliard
- Algebra I - Mindy Atchley
- Trigonometry Honors - Heather Goodwin
- Elementary Analysis Honors - Randi Tigrett
- Geometry - Kim Scobee
- Geometry Honors - Dora Smith
- Algebra II - Jimmy Fallon
- Algebra II Honors - Brandi Beavers
- Calculus Honors - Brandon Herder
- Physical Education - Nathan Ables/Jeanie Frazier
- Health - Melissa Marrs
- Spanish II - Sylvia Gonzales
- Spanish III - Michelle San Miguel
- Speech - Tammy Schlarlach
- Debate - Justin Galliton
- Theater Arts - Jessica Shaw
- Journalism - Sarah Shook
- Yearbook - Melinda Lovell
- Newspaper - Blain Hefner



IN THE MOOD -- The George Collins family felt the beat of music provided by the Show Choir and Jazz Band, during a reception Tuesday evening following the annual Honors Recognition Program.



OUTSTANDING BOY AND GIRL FOR 1996 AT IPHS ... Brandon Herder and Dusti Welch.

### Helpful Facts

Regular meetings of the Iowa Park city council is at 7 p.m. on second and fourth Mondays, in council chambers at 103 N. Wall. All meetings are open to the public.

### Helpful Facts

Any dog or cat in the city is required to have a current rabies shot.

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# NEWS FROM THE HALLS OF THE HAWKS

## G/T students host open house recently

On April 23, G/T students in the third through eighth grades held their first open house in the Junior High School Library. Approximately 100 students and visitors attended.

Items set up for display included Texas trip posters, Indian projects, country reports, long-term individual projects, portfolios, poems, artwork, and videotapes of student presentations.

Ashley Brandt and Mindy Reaves served refreshments.

Keven Robertson and Shelley Merchant, teachers for elementary and junior high G/T classes, would like to thank everyone who attended the open house. Special thanks to the sixth grade G/T class for setting up the display items.

## JUNIOR HIGH

### Final Exams, Promotion Ceremony next week

Junior high school students will be taking their final exams all next week.

At 7 o'clock Thursday evening, eighth grade students will go through a Promotion Ceremony in the high school auditorium.

At this time, Junior High School Principal Randy Lovelady will present the eighth grade class to Richard Davis, high school principal.

### One Act Play Festival

Five area junior high schools participated in the One Act Play Festival held Friday at the high school.

Iowa Park received a ranking of two, and Justin Dudley was named Outstanding Actor. Karen Schell made the All-Star Cast and Ginger Clifton made the Honorable Mention

## All-Star Cast.

Other cast members were Jeremiah Stevens, Will Richter, Shelley Hamilton, and Melissa Threet.

Crew members were Cole Yarbrough, Valerie Wicks and Krystal Black.

Mrs. Carolyn Richter was the director.

## BRADFORD

### Early release next week

Bradford and Kidwell students will be released one hour early Wednesday and Thursday next week.

Thursday will be the last day of classes before summer break.

### Travelling trophies awarded

Travelling trophies were awarded in each grade Monday, after points were tallied from Thursday's competitions.

Mrs. Alsop's fifth grade class, Mrs. Hales fourth grade class, and Mr. Bean's third grade class earned their grade level's trophy.

The trophies will be displayed in the classrooms until Track and Field Day next year.

Bradford students spent Thursday competing in several track and field events including sack race, three-legged race, hula-hoop race, tire race, ribbon race, 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, 440-yard dash, 440-yard relay, 880-yard relay, shuttle relay, tire relay, softball throw, softball relay, chin ups, long jump and frisbee.

### All that jazz

Bradford students were treated to a musical couple of days this week when high school musicians performed for them.

Monday the jazz band came to the school and as well as giving a

performance, told students about the different instruments.

The Show Choir performed for the students on Tuesday.

### Talented kids

Next week, each grade will get to watch their classmates give a talent show.

Earlier in the year a talent show was held for parents, and Mrs. Lamber, music teacher, has selected some of the students to give a command performance.

### Dr. Stutte to visit

Dr. and Mrs. Larry Stutte will visit fifth graders on Thursday to discuss sex education.

Mrs. Stutte is a registered nurse.

### Summer School

Letters were recently sent out for summer school which will be held June 3 - 28.

The school will be on math and reading drill and practice on basic skills. Reading library books will be emphasized.

Notes were sent with students who carried a low grade average in those areas.

## KIDWELL

### Thanks to Readers

Kidwell staff would like to thank each of the individuals who took the time to read to the students.

Many are members of the Friendly Door Senior Citizens Center, thus giving them the name Friendly Door Readers.

Those Friendly Door readers and the classes they read to include: Gloria Buchan - Mrs. Miller's first grade; Doris Broyles - Mrs. Henry's kindergarten; Laverne Owens - Mrs. Padgett's second grade; Gene Rice - Mrs. Jensen's kindergarten; Rowena Rice - Mrs. Lytle's kindergarten; Margaret Sheets - Mrs. Costello's kindergarten; and Hope Smith - Mrs. Mogg's kindergarten.

Also, Kay Fisher was a reader for Mrs. Costello's kindergarten class.

### Top readers recognized

A S.H.A.R.K. (Super Happy Accelerated Reading Kids) party will be held Friday for the top five readers in each first and second grade class.

The students will eat lunch at a local park.

### Thanks, Mrs. Meadows

Kidwell Elementary would like to thank Mrs. Wendy Meadows and her horticulture students for growing Mother's Day flowers.

Kidwell students were so delighted and proud to be able to give Mom such a lovely gift.

### Playground equipment to be purchased

Kidwell PTA members voted to purchase a physical fitness center with fund-raiser money this year.

Following a meeting of the executive board Tuesday night, members voted in open session to purchase the playground equipment.

The center will be placed on the second grade playground, and will be utilized by all Kidwell students.

According to Debbie Brixey, president, members also voted to give a \$100 scholarship in memory of Todd Duncan.

The scholarship will be given to an Iowa Park High School graduating senior, who has been a student helper at Kidwell throughout the year.

### Card of Thanks

The Iowa Park Clean and Green Committee would like to thank Wendy Meadows and her horticulture students for the time and help they have given us this year.

They helped clean up the west side of Oscar Park during the city-wide clean-up week, and recently donated flowers and planted them in the Cash Street pocket park.

Mrs. Meadows and her students are helping to make Iowa Park a pretty and pleasant place to live and we appreciate their efforts.

# Beginner band earns high ratings at festival

Members of the Iowa Park Beginner Band had a successful day Saturday at the Petrolia Band Festival.

The band won a first division trophy in both Concert and Sightreading. The students also received 116 individual first division medals and 13 second division honors. Cayce Gauthier received the Outstanding Soloist of the Day Award.

Students receiving first division medals for solos and/or ensembles were: Ashley Albus, Travis Aponte, Katie Bennett, Kyle Burgoyne, Wade Busby, Will Clapp, Charles Cray, Tony Dillman, Gynna Ezzell, Bobbie Gilmore, Kelly Goin, Aaron Hartman, Lindsey Hunter, Eddie Lynn, Trey McKnight, Mindy Rennhack, Shon Roberts, Matt Schenck, John Schram, Freddie Simmons, Elissa Taylor, Andy Thompson, Chris Tittle, Becky Turner, Dustin Williams, Lacy Young.

Also, Summer Banks, Ashley Brandt, Talya Burgher, Jacalyn Cook, Jessica Costello, Jessica Davis, Blythe Esterline, Cayce Gauthier, Leah Hall, Kristine Lankford, Lauren Lovelady, Paula Lyons, Heather Moody, David Neubert, Courtney Olds, Jessica Owens, Mindy Reaves, Mandi Recco, Amy Rust, Dana Smith, Sarai Smith, Cory Sosebee, Preston Sonntag, Jeremy Vickers, Rachel Walls, Jennifer Wood, Kelley Billington, Ruth Fitzgerald, Justin Martin, Michael Hopper, Dane Minderman, Sara Nelms, Robyn Rhea, Jessica Lively, Shelia Looney, Shaina Brookshire, Jason Vanek, and Kyle Williams.

Students receiving a second division on solos were: Matthew Ewell, Daniel Rhodes, Jason Vanek, Kyle Williams, Shaina Brookshire, Ashli Cook, Neil Henderson, Andrea Kwas, Shawn Kyle, Jessica Lively, Shelia Looney, Robyn Rhea, and Phillip Fuselier.

They were accompanied to the festival by Iowa Park band directors Jeannie Lunney, Ed Hefti and Greg Miller.

### Helpful Facts

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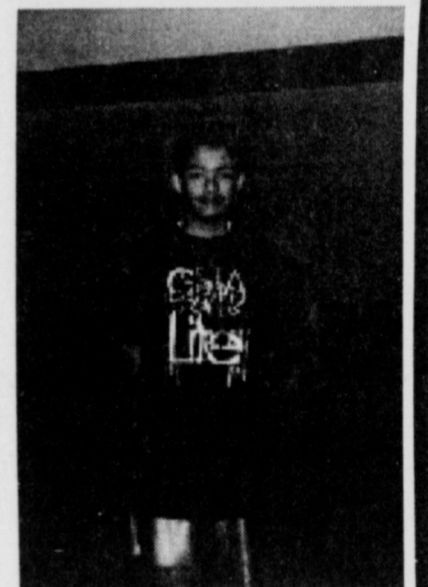
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# Grace commencement tonight

By MYRNA SMITH

The 1995-96 school year for Grace Baptist Christian School will close tonight with commencement exercises held at the church.

The school, which provides an accelerated Christian education, has a capacity for 40 students. This year there were 33 enrolled in K-3 through the 12th grade.

Grace Baptist Christian School has a self-paced curriculum, through 12th grade and college courses.

Each student is assigned a minimum of three to five pages in each subject every day. "But, there is no maximum amount the students can do, as long as they understand what they are doing," Principal Steve Sharp explains.

The school was founded in Texas seven years ago, and is a part of the ministry of Grace Baptist Church. It was moved to Iowa Park from Wichita Falls in November 1993.

A student must do 12 PACEs, or in effect must complete 12 work books per year in each subject and successfully test in each. Sharp says this is the minimum to achieve academic balance, and if they do this he or she will have taken and passed 66 tests in a school year.

Sharp said "The highest we have seen is 120 tests in a year, which is almost two full years of work. This is a student working on the individual's academic level and above."

The core curriculum is Math, English, Social Studies, Science, Spelling, and Literature.

High school electives include Bible courses, computer, health, speech, art, sign language, French, Spanish, Greek, typing, music, business math, and general business.

Extra curricular activities listed by Principal Sharp include high school boys and girls basketball, high school girls volleyball, and golf. Students participate in two track meets a year, a tennis tournament, Cross Country, "Science Skills and Scholastics", and a Music Festival for choirs and instrumental.

They compete with other Baptist Christian Schools in the Fort Worth area, and some in Oklahoma.

The philosophy of Grace Baptist Christian School is that learning begins at conception, when life begins.

Heavy emphasis is placed on learning how to live, including training for responsibilities, imparting knowledge, guidance toward goals, discipline, and gaining academic

skills, which the staff believes are all important components for a good education. However, they also believe the most critical requirement for a good education is learning to see life from God's point of view.

"This atmosphere, we believe, meets the needs of each individual student in all areas of life, physical, mental, emotional, moral, social and spiritual", Sharp said.

He continued, "In a society that is constantly changing, each child needs a steady, positive educational experience to be successful in life."

"The ultimate purpose of education in Grace Baptist Christian School is to help our children gain knowledge, understanding, and wisdom in God's world."

As to educational goals, Sharp said the teaching staff desires to make academics and spiritual development their major emphasis: to instill moral values and good character traits in each child; to teach children to love God, their country, others and themselves; to train Christian leaders for tomorrow by teaching them to develop and accept responsibilities of good citizenship, and to help the children relate to people of all ages (not just peers) through experiences at home, church, school, and extracurricular activities.

Members of the staff include Aric Johnson, pastor/administrator, with three years experience; Principal Sharp, 14 years experience; supervisors, Mrs. Lynell Hare, seven years experience; Mrs. Carlene Sharp, 14 years; John Hare, five years, and Stephenie Son, Chuck Son and Joel Hare, all graduates of the school.

Principal Sharp is the only one on staff who receives compensation from the school. All of the others are volunteers. Volunteer helpers are encouraged and welcomed.

Sharp emphasized that grades are not granted unless they are earned. Students are not pushed from one PACE to another when they have not accomplished the work. Report cards are issued to each student at nine-week intervals, at semester and a final grade.

Students are expected to participate in all phases of physical education, unless exempted by a note from a physician. Participation (not ability) is graded, and high school students are awarded applicable credits.

The school is not a "for profit" business. Effort is made to keep the price as low as possible. Monthly tuition for the first two students per

family is \$90. In addition, diagnostic testing for new students is \$15 and the enrollment or re-enrollment fee is \$35.

Donations may accompany tuition fees to help others to attend Grace Baptist Christian School.

Students at the school are required to wear uniforms. Advantages of wearing uniforms listed by the school include:

- \* Students have less concern for their dress and concentrate more on academics;

- \* Uniforms contribute to greater self-control in students. A sharp looking, neat student will tend to act that way; a sloppy appearance tends to foster undisciplined character.

- \* Uniforms reduce clothing costs and make it easy for students to know what to wear each day. Quality uniforms can be worn from one to three (or more) years. Instead of a wardrobe of "regular" clothes for school, one or two uniforms are sufficient.

- \* Uniforms build esprit de corps.

- \* Uniforms eliminate competition in dress. Peer pressure regarding clothes is minimized.

- \* Sharp uniforms command respect. They relay the message that the school is professional.

- \* Sharp uniforms can help to improve the student's self-image and give him a sense of personal worth.

- \* Uniforms standardize the dress code. They eliminate conflict over what students can and cannot wear.

- \* Modest uniforms help students learn to dress appropriately, preventing immodest apparel and slovenly appearance at school.

- \* Uniforms help establish a pattern of life whereby students may select other appropriate clothing throughout life. They can help build convictions on what kind of clothing is modest, conservative and appropriate.

Grace Baptist Christian School uniforms are black dress pants, red shirts, and dress shoes for the boys. If the pants have belt loops, belts must be worn. Junior and Senior boys wear white shirts and ties.

The girls wear black skirts, red blouses, and dress shoes. Black jumpers may also be worn. Skirts and jumpers must be below the knee in length. Junior and Senior girls

# GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH AND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



GRACE BAPTIST CHRISTIAN SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS  
... Devin Wright, Jeremy Hare and Philip Honkomp.

wear black vests.

Students also observe dress and hair codes. Only girls are allowed to wear earrings, no longer than 3/4 inch long. No radical or outlandish hairstyles on boys or girls.

The boys can wear their hair no longer than the bottom of the ears in back, not touching the ears on the sides, and above the eyebrows in front.

Good manners and correct attitudes are stressed in the school, "since conduct is often the outward manifestation of inner character, and respectful consideration of others is expected at all times."

Principal Sharp said, "The focus of our school is not to punish, but to teach. The habit of self-restraint is in itself a form of discipline. A child cannot be trained unless he can be controlled, so if it becomes necessary, corrective measures for unacceptable behavior are taken."

He said no tolerance is extended for disrupting class, cheating on school work, contempt or disrespect for authority of a teacher, willful disobedience, or refusal to complete assignments.

Discipline is administered as

needed, by discussion of the problem with the child, restriction of privileges, or corporal punishment.

"But after corrective action has been carried out, we will always reassure our children of our love with hugs and verbal encouragement," he said.

There are other rules to be observed, and if they aren't the student loses one merit card for each one that is not observed.

There are some rules if not observed that result in a paddling, such as cheating, lying, fighting, filthy language, disrespect, defiance and others.

New students are on a probationary status the first six weeks of the school year. Sharp said the school maintains a Christian atmosphere and attitude at all times.

"This is very different from most other schools", he said, "and unfortunately, some students cannot adapt to this type of environment. Should this prove to be the case, the student will have to transfer to another school."

"Our goal is to help students achieve their potential in all areas of their life."

Three seniors at Grace Baptist Christian School will receive their diplomas tonight during Commencement Exercises and Awards Assembly at 7:30 at the school.

Philip Honkomp is valedictorian of the class, with a 3.5 grade point average and Jeremy Hare is salutatorian, with a grade point average of 3.2. Devin Wright is the third graduate.

Aric Johnson, Grace Baptist Church pastor and administrator of the Christian school, will be the commencement speaker.

The program will consist of a song, "This Little Light of Mine" by the choir, the presentation of Learning Center III awards by Principal Steve Sharp, "I'm Feeling Fine", sung by a quartet composed of Jeremy Hare, Teresa Christopher, Krystal Marshall, and Brady Sharp.

Following the presentation of Learning Center II awards by Mrs. Lynell Hare, supervisor of Learning Centers II and III, (grades four through 12), "I Thirst" will be sung by Devin Wright. Mrs. Carlene Sharp supervisor of Learning Center I, (grades kindergarten through third) will present the Learning Center I awards.

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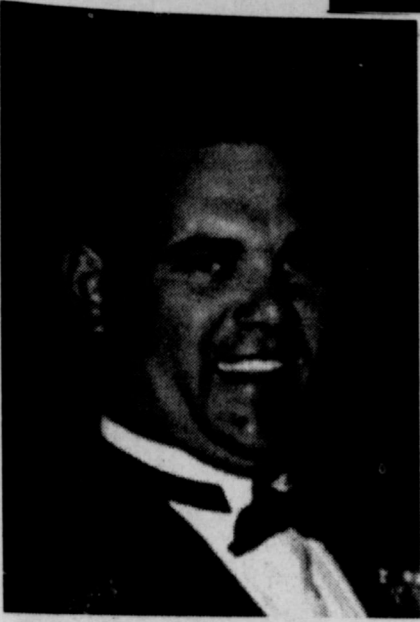
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# Obituaries



## Jack Witherspoon

Services for Jack Witherspoon, 42, lifelong resident of Iowa Park, were Tuesday at 2 p.m. at Lakeview Church of God.

Rev. Ole Olds, pastor, and Jack Dial, minister of Evangel Temple Assembly of God, officiated. Burial was in Highland Cemetery under direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mr. Witherspoon died Saturday in Wichita Falls.

Born March 12, 1954, in Wichita Falls, he was married to Tami Catlin Feb. 26, 1993, in Iowa Park.

Witherspoon was a 1972 graduate of Iowa Park High School.

He was a member of the Iowa Park Athletic Booster Club and the Lakeview Church of God. He also did volunteer work for the Iowa Park Friendly Door Senior Citizens Center. He was a self-employed homebuilder.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, Chad of Wichita Falls and Clint of Iowa Park; two daughters, Brittany and Bree-Ann, both of Iowa Park; two brothers, Leon of Iowa Park and Clay of Kamay, and one grandson.

Pallbearers were Randy Catlin, Keith Rusk, Gary Rusk, Mark Kyle, Cameron Honea and Tommy Key.

Honorary pallbearers were Bud Mercer, Jerry Raleigh, Ricky Shook, Craig Shook and Craig McCord.

Memorials may be made to the Iowa Park Athletic Booster Club, the Friendly Door Senior Citizens, or a favorite charity.

## Kristy Kay Graves

Graveside services for Kristy Kay Graves, 30, of Chillicothe were at 2 p.m. Saturday in North

Chillicothe Cemetery.

Rev. John L. Reece officiated. Arrangements were under Manard Funeral Home.

Mrs. Graves died Tuesday, May 7, at her Chillicothe home.

Mrs. Graves was born Oct. 30, 1965, in Chillicothe.

Survivors include a daughter, Pricilla Ann of Chillicothe; one son, Eric Deshaun of Chillicothe; her parents, Joe and Charlie Mae Graves of Chillicothe; seven sisters, Jo Ann, Linda, Peggy, Diane, Melissa and Charlene, all of Chillicothe, and Pauline of Tulsa, Okla.; 10 brothers, Eddy of Iowa Park, Billy, Charles, Lonnie, and Johnny, all of Chillicothe, Artie and Lawrence, both of Tulsa; Lorenzo of Odessa; Walter of Vernon, and Clarence Norris of Wichita Falls; and her grandmother, Rosa Lee Owens of Vernon.

## George Lemuel Atkins

Services for George Lemuel Atkins, 75, were at 10 a.m. Friday at Dutton Funeral Home.

Dr. Greg Ammons, pastor of Faith Baptist Church of Iowa Park, officiated. Burial with military honors was in Highland Cemetery.

Mr. Atkins died Tuesday, May 7, in a San Antonio hospital.

Born Sept. 30, 1920, in Richmond, Va., he was married to Velma Marie Scott Aug. 14, 1948, in San Antonio. A daughter, Pearl Hughes, died in 1990, and another daughter, Joyce Anderson, died in 1991.

Atkins was a veteran of World War II and a former prisoner of war who was captured at the Battle of the Bulge. He landed at Omaha Beach on D-Day. He was awarded the Purple Heart with Oak Leaf Cluster. He retired from the Army in February 1963 as a specialist four mess sergeant. He worked for Wichita County as a supervisor 12 years.

Mr. Atkins was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion. He was a fisherman.

Survivors include his wife; one son, George Robert of Iowa Park; one sister, Shirley Epps of Richmond; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Iowa Park Volunteer Fire Department.

## Joseph Higgins

Graveside services for Joseph Higgins, 45, were Monday at 11 a.m. in Ballston Spa, N.Y. Cemetery.

Rev. Paul Bondi officiated. Arrangements were under direction of Armer Funeral Home. Local arrangements were under Dutton Funeral Home of Iowa Park.

Mr. Higgins died Thursday, May 9, in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Born Dec. 10, 1950 in Ballston Spa, he was married to Linda Jean Gailor Nov. 7, 1970, in Saratoga Springs, N.Y.

Higgins attended school in Saratoga Springs, and Vernon Regional Junior College. He received a bachelor of science degree in applied arts and sciences in 1993 from Midwestern State University.

Mr. Higgins moved to Iowa Park in 1984 from Fort Worth.

He worked more than 12 years as a supervisor in the Parachute Shop of Lear Seigler Aviation Services. He served in the Air Force two years in Vietnam and was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 8878. He was Catholic.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Denise Ann of Burkburnett and Jamie of Iowa Park; his father, William of Hudson, Fla.; and one brother, William, of Albany, N.Y.

## Ben Dewey Steed

Funeral services for Ben Dewey Steed, 91, will be at 4 p.m. Friday at Dutton Funeral Home Chapel.

Rev. Duffy Terry, pastor of Cornerstone Pentecostal Church of God, and Dr. Derrell Monday, pastor of First Baptist Church of Iowa Park, will officiate. Burial will be in Highland Cemetery.

Steed died Wednesday in a Wichita Falls hospital.

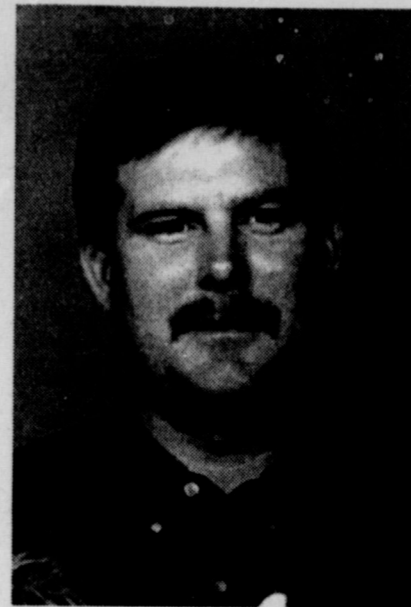
Born Dec. 10, 1904 in Carroll County, Ga., Steed lived in Iowa Park since 1938.

He married Lorena Mae Gardner August 8, 1925, in Sayre, Ok. She preceded him in death in 1987. He was also preceded in death by a son, Ben W. Steed, in 1981, and a daughter, Mary H. Procter, in 1996.

He was a retired farmer who began farming when he purchased a house and 92 tracts of land in the experimental Wichita Valley Farms project. He had also worked for the Iowa Park School District in various capacities.

Steed was a member of First Baptist Church.

He is survived by a daughter, Patsy Walter of Dallas; a brother, Don Steed of LaCrescenta, Ca.; four grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.



## William Todd Duncan

Services for William Todd Duncan, 30, were at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Lakeview Church of God.

Rev. Ole Olds, pastor, officiated, and Wichita Falls Police Officer Bill Pursley gave the eulogy.

Burial was in Highland Cemetery under direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mr. Duncan died Saturday.

Born Sept. 16, 1965, in Dallas, he was married to Cathy Lynn Cosstick Nov. 26, 1988, in Iowa Park.

He was a 1984 graduate of Iowa Park High School.

Duncan had worked four years as a crime scene investigator for the Wichita Falls Police Department, and was to enter the Wichita Falls Police Academy in June. He was a former county health inspector and coached a T-ball baseball team. He was an avid hunter and fisherman.

Duncan was a member of the Lakeview Church of God.

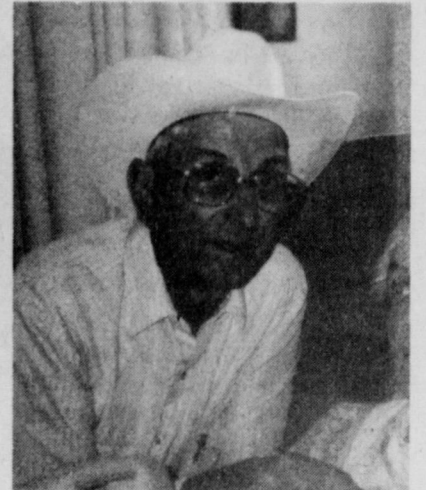
Survivors include his wife; two sons, Heath and Hagen; a daughter, Denea; his parents, Tom and Frances Duncan of Iowa Park; and one sister, Gina Duncan Blackerby of Iowa Park.

Pallbearers were Abel Cerda, Bruce Whitaker, Bobby Gilbert, Rowdy Robertson, Stanley Watson and Jeff Watts.

Honorary pallbearers were Ben

English, Cameron Honea, members of the Wichita Falls Police Department and Wichita Falls city employees.

Memorials may be made to Lakeview Church of God.



## Herman Johnson

Services for Herman "Chick" Johnson, 76, were at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Dutton Funeral Home.

Rev. Robert O. Mitchell, pastor of Church of Our Savior, officiated. Burial was in Crestview Memorial Park in Wichita Falls.

Mr. Johnson died Monday at his home in Iowa Park.

Born Dec. 26, 1919, in Franklin County, he was married to Dorothy Moore June 3, 1942, in Canton. She died in 1990. He was married to Marjorie Cochran July 15, 1995, in Nocona Hills.

Johnson worked 36 years for TU Electric, retiring in 1982 as a lineman. He had been a resident of Iowa Park since 1949, coming here from Mt. Vernon. He served in the Army Air Corps and was a past member of the Elks Riding Club. He was a member of City View Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, David and Glenn, both of Iowa Park; two stepsons, Robert Cochran of Edmond, Okla., and Mark Cochran of Lubbock; one sister, Oneta Rutherford of Mt. Vernon; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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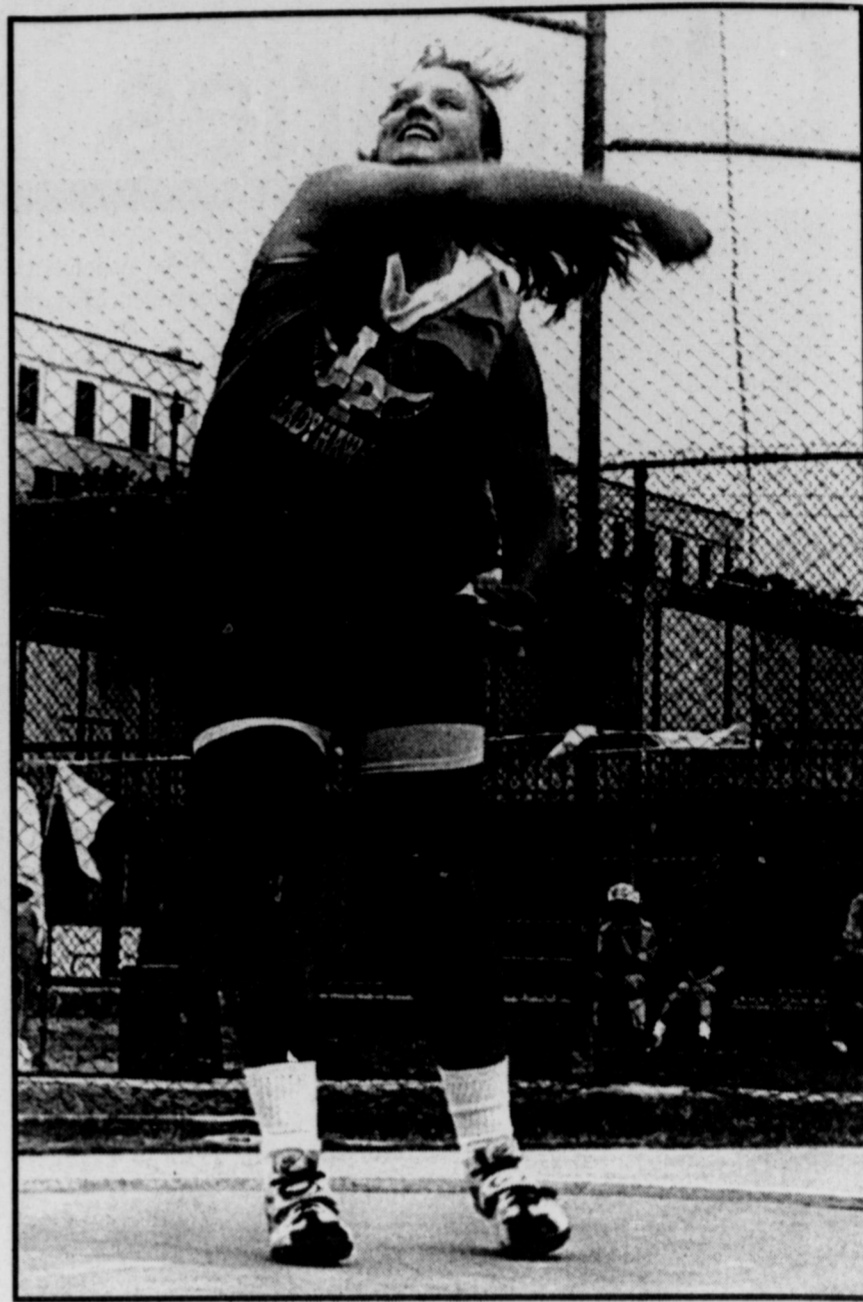
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DUSTI WELCH wasn't able to match her regional qualifying height of 5-2 in the Class AAA state meet high jump, and had to settle for seventh place with a 5-0. A new state record for the division was set by Waco Robinson's Laci Lewis, who cleared 5-10 1/4.



THE LADY HAWKS' 800m relay team, composed of Bambi Pryor, Alisha Clements, Brandi Butler and Wendy Bridwell, finished in seventh place at the state meet in Austin Saturday afternoon, with a time of 1:58.34. First place was earned by the Manor quartet, with a 1:44.36.



JULEA RICKS placed fourth in the Class AAA discus event Friday at the State Meet, with a toss of 129-4. She was in third place until Michelle Trotter of Hooks got off a 130-2 on her sixth and final throw. Van Fleck's Precios Thibodeaus set a new AAA record with a 151-4.



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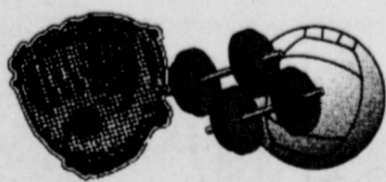
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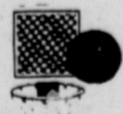
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# Hawks enter playoffs Friday at Abilene

## Diamond-Hill Jarvis bi-district opponent

The Iowa Park Hawks tuned up for their Bi-District playoff game by beating district rival Graham for the second time in less than a week, 6-3, and continued their dominance over the Steers by winning 10 of the last 11 meetings between the two squads.

The Hawks, 23-6 overall, will travel to Abilene tomorrow to take on District 4-3A runner-up Ft. Worth Diamond Hill-Jarvis in a Region I bi-district showdown scheduled to get underway at 6 p.m. in Abilene.

Graham will also be in action Friday when they travel to Tarleton State to take on top-ranked Aledo. work in and it gave us a chance to see

Diamond Hill enters the contest against Iowa Park with an 11-11 overall record after finishing with a 6-4 district mark to wind up in second place behind No. 1 ranked Aledo.

In Monday's warm-up game against Graham, Iowa Park scored four runs in the top of the first and that proved to be all the Hawks would need as both teams played with little emotion, according to head coach David Fuhrman.

"It was a lackluster performance by both teams," Fuhrman said. "There was not much emotion and you could definitely tell it was a warm-up game. Both teams wanted to win the game, but it wasn't crucial. I thought both teams played flat, but I still think it was a good game for us. It gave our pitchers a chance to get some good

some more live pitching.

"Diamond Hill was there scouting us so we didn't show them much," Fuhrman added. "We didn't want to tip our hand to some of the things we like to do. We didn't run much and we played some of our kids that haven't started in a while. The kids were still happy we won. It keeps their winning streak against Graham alive."

The Hawks opened the game with a bang. After a ground out by Chris Norris, Dusty Owen reached base on an error, then went to third on a single by David Waterbury. Clancy Lalumia followed with a double that scored both runners to put Iowa Park on top 2-0. Corky Petty then doubled to score Lalumia, followed by a sacrifice bunt by Waylon Stewart to plate Petty for the 4-0 lead.

The Steers cut the lead in half in the bottom of the first scoring a pair of runs on two Hawk miscues and a pair of singles. But that wasn't enough as Iowa Park scored single runs in the second and fifth innings for the 6-3 win.

Both teams collected six hits with Waterbury leading the Hawks, finishing with a 2x4 performance with a run scored and a double.

Other leading hitters for Iowa Park included Lalumia who finished 1x3 with a run scored and 2 RBI's, Petty who also finished 1x3 with an RBI and a run scored and Stewart who finished 1x2 with an RBI.

Dusty Crawford picked up the win for Iowa Park to push his record to 2-1 for the season while Kyle Jones, Graham's star left hander, took the loss for the Steers.

The game is scheduled for 6 p.m. at the Hardin-Simmons Field.

When asked about playing in Abilene, as opposed to another site, Fuhrman said that he suggested Graham which seemed to be the logical choice as a neutral spot for both teams, but Diamond Hill felt it would be to Iowa Park's advantage to play there after playing there twice already this season. Diamond Hill wanted to play the game Wednesday but Fuhrman declined as he already had a warm-up game scheduled for Monday. Both teams settled for Abilene with the starting time at 6 p.m. Another playoff game will follow.

The winner of this contest will play the winner between Perryton and Muleshoe in the area round. Those two teams will play Friday at Canyon Randall.

"Defensively, they've got a solid unit and they have a real aggressive catcher," Fuhrman said. "He's got a good arm and he's not afraid to throw to any base so we have to stay on our toes. Sometimes he gets too aggressive and will throw the ball away. They like to throw the ball around a lot and if we can get on and start our runners, we could force some mistakes. Overall, I'd say they would probably be the third best team in our district, but they can play with anybody. We're going to have to perform and play solid defense. If not, we could be in for a tough game."

## Iowa Parkan to carry torch

Don Decker of Iowa Park and Newman Young of Wichita Falls will be among the 29 runners who will carry the Olympic Torch when it passes through Fort Worth next Monday.

The runners will carry the flame from the Fort Worth Stockyards, through downtown, and on to Arlington. This is the nearest point for the "Flame" to travel in relation to the Wichita Falls - Iowa Park area.

Both Decker and Young have been practicing for the Torch run. Young is a sprinter while Decker does distance running.

Young estimates it will take four minutes for the 1 kilometer run while Decker is figuring five-six minutes to run the course.

The Torch left Los Angeles on April 27, on its 15,000 mile journey to Atlanta, where it will arrive on July 10. It will pass through 46 states.

On Monday, runners will carry the Torch through Fort Worth, Dallas, Waco, and Houston.

A large celebration will begin in

Fort Worth at 9:30 p.m. on Sunday at the Amtrak/Santa Fe Depot, when the Torch arrives by train from Oklahoma City. As soon as the "Flame" arrives, festivities will move to General Worth Square in downtown where the official Olympic Torch Ceremony will be conducted.

A chuck wagon breakfast for the torchbearers and their families is scheduled for 6 a.m. Monday, at the Stockyards Station, with the Olympic Torch send-off set for 6:45 a.m.

Each torchbearer will carry the

Torch 1 kilometer before passing it to the next runner. The torch is 32 inches tall, 3.5 inches in diameter at the top, and weighs three and a half pounds.

Torchbearers were hosted by Coca-Cola last Sunday for a noon luncheon and the Ranger-Detroit Tiger baseball game. All of the Torch and Escort runners were recognized in a pre-game ceremony. "This is the greatest honor and most exciting thing that ever happened to me," said Young.

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**GARAGE SALE** - Floral shop accessories, country dresses - good shape, lots misc. Friday & Saturday, 9-12. No early sales. 206 W. Garden. 5-16-1tp

**MISC. FOR SALE**

**4 FAMILY Garage Sale** - Sat., 8-7, 510 W. Washington. Bassinet, car seat, infant boy clothes, twin bed, small appliances, ladies Rockies (size 7), new quilt, slip covers, black queensize waterbed, dishes, pots & pans, console TV, kingsize bedroom suite, kid's big toys, books. 5-16-1tc

**GARAGE SALE** - 1306 Emma. Bikes, furniture, toys, clothes, misc. Friday, Saturday, 8-noon. 5-16-1tp

**GARAGE SALE** - 405 S. Victoria. Antiques, furniture, all kinds of things - cheap. Saturday, 7 o'clock. 5-16-1tp

**GARAGE SALE** - 615 N. Wall, Saturday, 8 a.m. 5-16-1tp

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**MISC. FOR SALE**

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**WILL WATCH** children in my home beginning June 1, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Christian surroundings. 1 month old to 2 years old. Please call 592-9606, ask for Debra, or leave message. 5-16-3tc

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**NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF BID**. The Iowa Park C.I.S.D. is accepting sealed bids for the sale of a 1973 International school bus. Bid forms may be picked up at the school administration building, 413 E. Cash, Iowa Park, TX 76367. Closing date for submitting bids is May 27, 1996. 5-9-2tc

**Mrs. Amber**. Tarot Card & Psychic Readings \$10 with this coupon. Call for appointment 1505 14th St., Wichita Falls 817-761-3825 817-766-1317. Private confidential sessions.

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**  
The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will conduct a public meeting on Thursday, June 20, 1996 from 4:00 P.M. to 6:30 P.M. at the District Office Assembly Room, which is located at 1601 Southwest Parkway in Wichita Falls, Texas.

The purpose of the public meeting is to allow public input into the Project Development Plan (PDP) and Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) preparation process. A list will be provided of projects selected in the PDP and TIP. Maps and drawings will be on display.  
Mr. Pat Harris, P.E., Director of Transportation Planning and Development with the Texas Department of Transportation in Wichita Falls, will be in charge of the meeting.  
The meeting will be informal, and all interested citizens are invited to attend and express their views on the proposals. Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need auxiliary aids or services such as interpreters for persons who are deaf or hearing impaired, readers, large print or braille, are requested to contact Jerry Young at (817) 720-7741 two (2) weeks prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.  
Written comments may be submitted to the Texas Department of Transportation, 1601 Southwest Parkway, Wichita Falls, Texas 76302, but must be received no later than 10 days after the public meeting.  
5-16 & 6-6-2tc

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RRC DISTRICT 9 - WICHITA FALLS

**WICHITA COUNTY**

ALVIS J. CARROLL of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 2 miles NE of Electra. The HONAKER Well No. 3-A is located in the C&M RR Co. Survey #1, A-379 on a 205 acre lease.

SAGE OIL & GAS, INC. of Dallas, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 5 miles NE of Wichita Falls. The STINE Well No. 1-A, located in the Henry Hastie Survey, A-98 on a 40 acre lease, tested 16 BO/D, no gas, no water, on pump from perfs 1312-24'.

SAGE OIL & GAS, INC. of Dallas, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 5 miles NE of Wichita Falls. The STINE Well No. 2-A, located in the Henry Hastie Survey, A-98 on a 40 acre lease, tested 15 BO/D, no gas, no water, on pump from perfs 1315-26'.

STEPHENS & JOHNSON OPERATING CO. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 4000' depth K-M-A Field well 3 miles W of Kamay. The KMA SOUTHWEST EXTENTION UNIT Well No. 18 is located in the Floyd Jordan Survey #135, A-167 on a 592.37 acre unit.

SWANNER PROPERTIES of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1900' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 7 miles SE of Electra. The GRIMSHAW, ET AL Well No. 14 is located in the Sec. 13, H&GN RR Co. Survey, A-146 on a 100 acre lease.

SWANNER PROPERTIES of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1900' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 7 miles SE of Electra. The GRIMSHAW, ET AL Well No. 15 is located in the Sec. 13, H&GN RR Co. Survey, A-146 on a 100 acre lease.

SWANNER PROPERTIES of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1900' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 7 miles SE of Electra. The GRIMSHAW, ET AL Well No. 16 is located in the Sec. 13, H&GN RR Co. Survey, A-146 on a 100 acre lease.

ABB OIL CO., INC. of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 2 miles N of Holiday. The PERKINS & CULLUM "1" Well No. 3, located in the Blk. 9, Denton CSL League #4, A-57 on a 40 acre lease, tested 16 BO/D, no gas, 25 BW/D on pump from perfs 692'-696' after frac treatment.

SAGE OIL & GAS, INC. of Dallas, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 5 miles NE of Wichita Falls. The STINE Well No. 2-A is located in the Henry Hastie Survey, A-98 on a 40 acre lease.

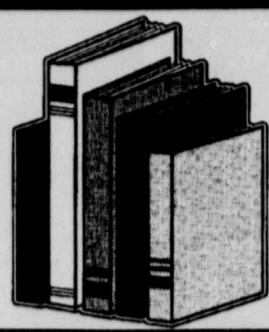
STEPHENS & JOHNSON OPERATING CO. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 4000' depth K-M-A Field well 2.5 miles W of Kamay. The KMA SOUTHWEST EXTENTION UNIT Well No. 18 is located in the Floyd Jordan Survey #135, A-167 on a 592.37 acre unit.

STEPHENS & JOHNSON OPERATING CO. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 4000' depth K-M-A Field well 2.5 miles W of Kamay. The KMA WATERFLOOD-SOUTHWEST UNIT Well No. 375 is located in the W. H. Spillers Survey #124, A-257 on a 4640 acre unit.

WINFREY OIL CO., INC. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1000' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 0.5 miles E of Electra. The DOUGLAS "E" Well No. 56 is located in the Sec. 12, Blk. 11, H&TB RR Co. Survey, A-136 on a 337 acre lease.

WINFREY OIL CO., INC. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 0.5 miles E of Electra. The DOUGLAS "E" Well No. 57 is located in the Sec. 12, Blk. 11, H&TB RR Co. Survey, A-136 on a 337 acre lease.

SAGE OIL & GAS, INC. of Dallas, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1300' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 5 miles NE of Wichita Falls. The STINE Well No. 1-A is located in the Henry-Hastie Survey, A-98 on a 40 acre lease.



**LIBRARY  
News**

**TEXAS READING CLUB**

"Ready-Set-Read" is the theme for this year's summer reading program, and all children between the age of third and sixth grades are invited to participate in this program.

We will begin with our annual "School's Out & Ready-Set-Read" registration party Thursday, May 23. We have invited Sandra Shrout & her puppet show to start our summer reading program. Following the program, all children interested in being a part of the "Ready-Set-Read" program will register for the five-week sessions. Refreshments will follow in the Gazebo.

Reading sessions will be held as follows: Tuesdays, May 28 through June 25 for children in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades, 9-10 a.m. and second and third grades 10-11 a.m.

Thursdays, May 30 through June 27 for children having just completed Kindergarten and first grades, 9-10 a.m. and those three years of age and entering kindergarten will have their reading sessions from 10:15-11 a.m.

Since our program is geared around the Summer Olympics I have selected themes that relate to the Olympics.

First week "Catch A Good Book" second week, "Dive Into a Good Book", third week, "Flying High On A Good Book", fourth week, "Race to the Finish Line" and fifth week, "Jumping Into a Good Book".

Our closing program will be at the library Friday, June 28, at 7 p.m.

**SPECIAL PROGRAM**

Mark your calendar for June 21. We will be having a "Reptilemania" show at 2 p.m. You are invited to come check out the snakes, lizards and other critters. This program is for all ages, so if you are interested, come join us.

**NEW VIDEOS**

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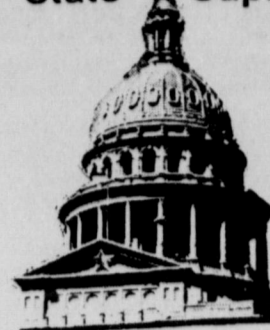
**REMINDER**

The library will be CLOSED SATURDAY, MAY 25 for Memorial Day weekend.

**TRIVIA**

When was cigarette advertising banned on television and radio? It was prohibited Jan. 2, 1971.

**State Capital**



**HIGHLIGHTS**

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Attorney General Dan Morales continued to wage war on the tobacco industry last week when he suggested Texas sell more than \$500 million in tobacco stocks it holds in its pension and endowment funds.

"Texas should not be in business with those who seek to do our children harm. Our state should repudiate its financial involvement in these unconscionable efforts to profiteer at the expense of our children's lives," Morales told the *Dallas Morning News*.

But Jack Maroney, an attorney for Philip Morris Inc., a defendant in the lawsuit, characterized Morales' plea to dump tobacco stocks as "another attack on business."

In late March, Morales filed suit against the tobacco industry on federal racketeering charges.

Last week, Morales wrote letters requesting the sell-off to the Teachers Retirement System, the Employees Retirement System, the Permanent University Fund and

the Permanent School Fund, the *Morning News* reported.

Morales spokesman Ron Dusek said the attorney general was obligated to tell the state funds that "tobacco stock will plummet" as a result of litigation against the industry, and that his letters were made public because his advice could affect the stock market.

The largest investor in tobacco stocks of the four funds is the Teacher Retirement System, which holds \$413 million.

Also last week, State Board of Education chairman Jack Christy of Houston said the 14-member panel would meet this week and discuss Morales' request to sell tobacco stock in the Permanent School Fund, which the board oversees, the *Houston Chronicle* reported.

Christy told the *Chronicle* he believes it is morally wrong for the state to invest education dollars in tobacco stocks. "On one hand we're telling the kids (smoking) is evil, and on the other hand we're taking the tobacco industry's profits."

Ray Sullivan, a spokesman for Gov. George W. Bush, said the governor would leave the decision of whether to divest tobacco stocks with the boards that govern the four funds.

**Bomer Orders Billing Change**  
Insurance Commissioner Elton Bommer ordered Allstate and Farmers insurance companies to change the way they have calculated auto and homeowners insurance premiums.

Last week, Bommer ordered the two companies to stop rounding bills to the nearest dollar — a practice that has resulted in allegations of overcharging.

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