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**DONATION BENEFITS SCHOOL -** Cryovac plant manager Mike Henderson is shown presenting a \$5,000 check to Mrs. Rosie Flanagan, director of the Alternative Education Program

cooperative. Also on hand were others from Cryovac and executives of all the cooperative school districts. Another \$5,000 check is planned for next year as well, Henderson said.

## Lovelady is named vice superintendent of Burk district

W.F. George Middle School will have a new principal when classes resume next fall.

Randy Lovelady was named assistant superintendent of Burk Burnett Independent School District during a meeting of that school board two weeks ago.

Lovelady will continue in his current capacity here through his contract period, which ends in June, according to Supt. Mike Caplinger.

A graduate of Iowa Park High School, Lovelady has been a teacher and administrator in the Iowa Park district 25 years. He was named principal in October of 1990.

Lovelady was hired to take the place of Dan Schaffner, who is re-

tiring.

"I'm really looking forward to working in the Burk Burnett school district," Lovelady said. "It's a great opportunity for me to grow, learn and serve with a leadership team that's known by reputation as one of the best in Texas."

One of the major points of his accepting the position was the fact that he will not be required to move from Iowa Park.

As executive director of human resources and student services, Lovelady will be put in charge of the district's campus security and student safety procedures, among other duties, it was pointed out during the board meeting.

## Three arrests reported

Iowa Park police made three arrests during the past week, and in an unrelated case recovered a vehicle that had been reported as stolen in Wichita Falls.

Kristi Nichole Salinas, 27, and a 16-year-old female were taken into custody Monday afternoon on theft charges.

The two were reportedly attempting to take \$19.99 worth of merchandise from Wal-Mart, and were charged with theft under \$50.

Both were issued citations for criminal trespass, and promising to appear in municipal court May 11.

Blake Bailey Powell, 19, was taken into custody Tuesday evening after officers determined three outstanding traffic warrants that had been issued locally.

The three outstanding warrants were for speeding, a \$217 fine, displaying a fictitious license plate, \$154, and exhibiting an expired vehicle inspection sticker, \$154.

Another charge of driving while

his drivers license was suspended was added, and Powell was then transported to the county jail, according to the police blotter.

Also on Tuesday, officers accompanied by the department's drug dog did a search at a residence in the 700 block of North Wall, resulting in a citation being issued to Terry Wayne Morris, 29.

Morris was found to have in his possession several pieces of drug paraphernalia and was issued a citation to appear May 11 in municipal court.

## Permits take big increase

Two permits were issued during April by city hall for the construction of two new residences.

April's permit total of \$313,605 easily exceeded the sum of the first three months of 1999, \$257,023, and elevated the year's total to \$570,628.

Building permits issued during April included:

Terry Walls, 706 E. Park, roofing, \$1,200;

Roger Hoffman, 1106 W. Cornelia, carport, \$150;

Carol Phillips, 1310 Emma, storage building, \$780;

Randy Rosinbaum, 103 James, addition, \$15,000;

Donald Beavers, 709 W. Magnolia, storage building, \$500;

Robert Palmer, 1500 Quail Valley, addition, \$7,000;

Bill Maupin, 1300 N. Fourth, roofing, \$2,700;

Larry Beutel, 1900 NW Access Road, new residence, \$150,075;

Joe Christmas, 202 Hope, storage building, \$300;

C&C Self Storage, 211 E. Park, alteration, \$500;

Randy Catlin, 1505 Bentwood, new residence, \$120,000;

Cecil Reddins, 607 W. Texas, carport, \$1,350;

Bob Henderson, 1502 Bentwood, carport, \$2,000;

Thomas Wilson, 1015 W. Cornelia, carport, \$1,450;

Mark Wicks, 102 W. Wall, patio, \$600;

Blaine Horton, 711 Park Plaza, storage building, \$800;

Barry Mahler, 622 N. Park, carport, \$400;

Percy Travis, 404 N. Seneca, carport, \$200;

Jerry Clifton, 216 N. Yosemite, storage building, \$300;

Mark Lee, 711 N. Park, storage building, \$1,100;

Ira Bennett, 1608 Karen, carport, \$7,200.

## IN SATURDAY'S ELECTIONS

# School bond issue passes; one alderman is unseated

Voters handily approved passage of the school's proposed \$5.2-million bond issue Saturday.

And in the city's election, one incumbent alderman was unseated but the other two incumbents were returned for another term of office.

School district voters approved the bond issue by 482-222.

Former mayor Wayne House successfully unseated incumbent alderman Bob Hamilton by a margin of 287-196. Hamilton was seeking his fifth term in office in Place Three.

Place One incumbent Tracy Fears was returned by a large margin, 303-176, over challenger Johnny Crawford.

Also returned was Bud Mercer, who was challenged in his bid for Place Five by newcomer Floyd Williams. Mercer received 286 votes to Williams' 192.

The council is to meet at 7:00 this evening to canvass the election results. The meeting will be held in council chambers.

Because only two candidates had filed for the two positions on the school board this year, that election was cancelled.

Incumbent trustee Keith Fisher is retained, and because Randy Catlin chose not to seek another term in office, Randy Brown, the only other

candidate to file, was named an automatic winner.

The bond issue being approved will permit the addition of classrooms on each campus in the district, as well as numerous other needed improvements to facilities.

Voting in the election will be canvassed during a called meeting of the board, which will be held at 6:00 this evening in the administration building.

### SECURITY IS TOPIC

The board's next regular meeting will be Thursday, May 13, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Among the regular items trustees are to discuss at that meeting, school security also will be a topic on the agenda.

Concerning security, Supt. Mike Caplinger has issued the following statement for parents of students who may have questions.

"Over the past few weeks many, if not most, schools have been affected by the Littleton, Colorado tragedy. Local communities throughout the nation have looked inward at safety issues related to their local schools. Some of what we may hear is rumor, some is true, but all must be taken seriously.

"At the May 13 Board of Trustees meeting, Trustees will address an agenda item concerning school safety issues. Trustees invite citizens to share suggestions in written form before, during, or after the Board Meeting. Also, a time will be set aside for those wishing to address the Board.

"Over the past year video cameras have been placed in the high school, back doors have been locked on many campuses, centralized entry and exits have been arranged, and vehicles have been prevented from parking near school buildings. The Iowa Park Police Department has provided a great service in on-campus involvement and the use of the detection dog has been greatly increased. We continue to seriously

address safety issues.

"Please drop off your suggestions to any campus principal or the school administration office, or give to any member of the Board prior to noon on May 13. Again, we invite your suggestions," Supt. Caplinger stated.

## NEWS BRIEFS

### Rabies clinic slated here Saturday

The annual rabies clinic that is coordinated by the Iowa Park Future Farmers of America will be held Saturday at the high school's agriculture building.

From 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. Dr. Brent Patterson will be administering rabies shots for \$8 per animal.

### Half-inch rain followed by winds

Iowa Park received slightly more than half an inch of precipitation Sunday, according to Virgil Woodfin, but much of that likely evaporated Tuesday.

The price for all other vaccinations that will be available for pets will be \$12.

The school agriculture building is located at the intersection of West Highway and Johnson Road, with parking available on the south side.

Woodfin reported measuring .55 in his rain gage after Sunday's rainfall. But the extremely high winds Tuesday caused considerable evaporation.

### Carriers seeking food donations

Iowa Park postal letter carriers will again be collecting food Saturday for the Food Bank.

Carriers are requesting residents

to place non-perishable food items by the mail boxes that morning.

Local carriers have reported the drive a big success the past two years.

### Students selling Leader subscriptions

As they have for the past several years, members of the W.F. George Middle School band will be selling subscriptions to the *Iowa Park Leader*.

The bandmen earn commission on each subscription sold, and have been donating that money to worthy causes.

This year's funds will be donated to the Iowa Park Volunteer Fire De-

partment. Last year, more than \$700 was donated to the Lake Gordon walking track project.

Students also vie for individual cash awards, which will be presented to the student selling the most subscriptions, the most new subscriptions and the most renewals.

The sale is to end Friday, May 14.

**Does Your Subscription to the Leader expire this month? Check the list on page 4.**





Samantha Ann Mayfield and James Scott Casson

## July wedding planned

Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Mayfield of Iowa Park are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Samantha Ann Mayfield to James Scott Casson. James is the son of Gwen Casson and George Martin of Seattle, Wa.,

Paul and Sandi Casson of Bremerton, Wa., and Jimmy and Michele Wynn of City View.

The couple will exchange wedding vows July 31, at Faith Baptist Church.

## 23 Study Club luncheon last meeting of club year

Twenty - Three Club met Thursday for a luncheon, and their final business meeting until fall, at The Secret Garden Tea Room in Wichita Falls.

Jean Johnson read a tribute to the late Helen Dale Roberts, a poem written in Helen's memory by Annabell Smith of Burkburnett. Lucy Reynolds also read a poem in Mrs. Robert's memory.

Lucy Reynolds gave the meditation from "Hugs for Mom," dealing with a mother's perspective on daily family crises. She closed with a quotation from Erma Bombeck, "If you can't make it better, laugh at it."

Program Leader Jean Johnson read the quotation for the day "If you want to leave footprints in the sands of time - wear work boots," a selection from the book "Bits and Pieces."

## Local students recognized at VRJC

Two students from Iowa Park were recently recognized by Vernon Regional Junior College.

Donna Turney was named Student of the Year at VRJC Sheppard Training Center, and Jacquelyn Ruth Strange was named Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges.

Turney will be recognized at the annual Honors Convocation, which will be held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Osborne Administration Building auditorium on the VRJC campus in Vernon.

She is a member of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society and was named to the National Dean's List and President's List at VRJC.

Turney is majoring in computer-aided drafting and design. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Lunsford of Nocona.

Strange was recognized for holding a 3.0 gradepoint average or above, being recommended by a faculty member, and being involved in community or campus activities.

She also will be recognized during Honors Convocation tomorrow afternoon.

While at VRJC, the Iowa Park High School graduate was a member of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society and received high honors 4.0 grade point average in LVN school.

The wife of Lonnie Strange plans to pursue a degree in nursing.



# LIBRARY NEWS

### New Adult Books

*Message In a Bottle* by Nicholas Sparks

*Apollon* by Tim LaHaye

*The Meeting Place* by Janette Oke

*A Wolf Story* by James Byron Huggins

*Leviathan* by James Byron Huggins

*The Reckoning* by James Byron Huggins

*Follow the River* by James Alexander Thom

*Nightmares & Dreamscapes* by Stephen King

*Tommy Knockers* by Stephen King

*Rose Maddar* by Stephen King

*Dolores Claiborne* by Stephen King

*Insomnia* by Stephen King

All Stephen King books in memory of Mary Knight.

*The Honk and Holler Opening Soon* by Billie Letts

*Eye of the Beholder* by Jane Ann Krentz

*A Certain Smile* by Judith Michael

*We'll Meet Again* by Mary Higgins Clark

*Nolo's Everyday Law Book*

*Feeling Good* by Dr. David Burns

*Texas Bug Book* by C. Malcolm Beck

*The Ultimate Motorcycle Book* by Hugo Wilson

**New Juvenile Books**

*Follow the Drinking Gourd* by Jeanette Winter

*A Handful of Beans* by Jeanne Steig

*El Nino* by Caroline Arnold

*The Pumpkin Patch Parable* by Liz Higgs

*Little Critter's Read - it - Yourself Storybook* by Mercer Mayer

*The Love of Baby Animals* by Robert Burton

### Library Hours

Tuesday & Thursday 10 - 8

Wednesday & Friday 10 - 5

Saturday 10 - 2

Sunday & Monday - Closed

### Thank You

A big thank you to Bill Mahler for his donation of "Flora of North Central Texas." This illustrated reference book presents information on plant life in North Central Texas.

### Room Rental

Looking for a place to hold a special event? Our upstairs meeting room is available upon request at the price of Weddings and / or wedding receptions: \$75 / \$100 deposit, and all other functions \$25 / \$50 deposit.

### Summer Reading Program

Don't forget! Summer Reading Club registration is June 1.

Storyteller Mike Cruger will be here June 2, at 1 p.m.

All children from toddlers to teens are invited to participate.

## NJHS inducts new members

Iowa Park Junior High School's annual induction ceremony for the National Junior Honor Society was held Tuesday in the junior high library.

To be eligible for membership consideration, students must have a cumulative grade point average of 90 percent in both academics and citizenship. Additionally, potential members must meet high standards of leadership, service, and character.

Members of the seventh and eighth grade classes were evaluated.

This year's inductees are: Seventh Grade, Nicole Baker, Elizabeth Bottles, Rusty Brixey, Julia Carr, Samantha Childs, Shannon Costello, Hunter Davis, Missy Farley, Zane Fulton, Brent Gann, Dwight Gibbs, Jennifer Hambright, Tonya Hartman, Quinton Haws, Sandi Jordan, Daryl Landers, Lauralee Lasater, Ashli Lewis, Lisa Livernois, Kriston McLaughlin, Amanda McMillan, Emily Patty, Jermy Pelz, Amanda Perkins, Amanda Perry, Karen Pursel, Alicia Rasco, Matt Reis, Russ Robinson, Shannon Rogers, James Rowland, Amanda Sedoris, AJ Smith, Barrett Smith, Kristina Suarez, Jami Williams, Stephanie Wirmel.

Eighth grade: Lindsey Cook, Brett Hayley, Josh Jowers, Ashley McShan, Michelle Minderman, Marci Myers, Dakota Patterson, T. J. Metz,

Steven Sargent, Ryan Shiery, Brandon Shown, Erik Torgerson.

This year's officers are: President, Dakota Patterson; Vice President, Hunter Davis; Secretary, Marci Myers; Treasurer, Barrett Smith; Reporter, Sandi Jordan; Alternate, Dwight Gibbs.

## LOOK WHO'S NEW

### Henry

A son, Mason Arthur was born to Adam and Athena Henry, of Columbus, Oh., April 30.

The baby weighed eight pounds four ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

His mother is the former Athena Hogemann of Iowa Park.

Mason has a brother, Justin, 10 and a sister, Addi, 20 months old.

Grandparents are Deanna and Ronnie Jennings of Iowa Park and Beth Fraley of Columbus, Oh.

Great-grandparents are Kenneth and Janette Beall of Iowa Park and Paul and Jane Myers of Columbus, Oh.

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## FRIENDLY DOOR NEWS

### Location and Hours

The Iowa Park Friendly Door is located at 810 North Third. Phone number is 592-9311. Open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

### Fund Raiser

We had a tremendous turn out for the 11th Annual April Fool's Poker Fun Run and Dinner.

The two hundred bikes parked at the senior citizen center was a gorgeous sight to see and the weather was beautiful.

The winner of the quilt raffled off by the senior citizens was Bill Guthrie and the quilt raffled off among the Red River Harley Davidson Motorcycle Club was won by Vickie Gilmore.

Thanks to everyone who participated in these fund raising events. We served lunch to over 250 people. Thanks to Iowa Park for supporting the Friendly Door.

A special thanks to the Red River Harley Davidson H.O.G. Chapter Motorcycle Club for their generous donation.

### Guest Speakers

We would like to express our appreciation to the following guest speakers who brought very informative speeches to our senior citizens; Sherlyn Martin with Texas Agriculture Extension Service and Verda (Sam) Coch with 911. It was also very thoughtful of our Iowa Park School Board members and Allen Shoemaker, tax collector to come speak to us on the bond election.

### Sing Song

Our sing song with Barbie Johnson, Jack Headings and Jimmy Morgan was very good and we hope to have them back again soon.

### Mothers Day

We would like to wish all the mothers, grandmothers and great-grandmothers a Happy Mothers Day! Closed

The Friendly door will be closed Monday, May 31st. for Memorial Day.

### Thanks for volunteers

I could never say it enough that we could not operate and reach as many senior's needs if it were not for all our great volunteers. Those who delivered Meals on Wheels for the month of April did a great job. Thanks to the following: Lakeview Church of God, Park Home Health Nursing Service, Cheryl Smith, Amy Newman, Dana Johnson, Laura Tate, Carolyn Palvadore, Theresa Neubert, Alvin and Dottie Jeter, Norman and Martha Russell, Dee Fowler, Darla Olds, Wendy Low, Donia Hines, Wally and Doris Smith, O.C. and Wanda Loggins, Gene and Levene Owens, Stephanie Eaves, Liz Wahl, Donna Kenedy and Cookie Sidlauskas.

### Birthdays

Come join us on the second Thursday of this month, May 13, at noon as we celebrate birthdays of clients and staff.

Our cake is provided by Park Home Health and Kathy's Kakes.

The Iowa Park Florist donates a fresh arrangement or plant to be drawn for and given to one of our clients celebrating a birthday in May.

Birthdays for the month are: Henry Berry, Evelyn Bowden, Hubert Lyons, Elizabeth Highbarger, Curtis Smith, J. D. Morrison, Dessie Brott, Rita Cogdell, Grace Roberts, Myrna Robinson, Malcolm Turner, Lola Pace, Betty Spain (Mom), Milton McWhorter, Benjamin Worthington, Cara Martin, Dorothy Beard and Glen Hampton. Happy Birthday to all!

### Calendar of Events

**Each Monday** - North Texas Home Health provides blood pressure and blood sugar screenings around 10:30 a.m.

**Each Tuesday** - The Friendly Door provides transportation for senior citizens' to shop at Wal-Mart at 9:30 a.m.

**Each Wednesday** - The center will provide toe nail trimming by Etoy Chapman, appointments begin at 9 a.m. Call 592-9311 to be scheduled.

Also, on Wednesdays the center will provide transportation for our seniors to go grocery shopping. Morning and afternoon trips.

**Each Thursday** - We have a Bible Study taught by Eleanor Caddell, at 11 a.m.

### Special Events for May

May 5th and May 19th. Bingo Wednesday.

May 7th. Dinner and Game Night-Leaving center for dinner at B. G.'s Restaurant in Electra at 5 p.m. and returning to center for game night.

May 12th. Jason Hibbits from Morning Star visits.

May 14th. The Good Ol' Days 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. In the area behind the Friendly Door. This event is being planned by the 8th grade history students at W.F. George Middle School.

It will be a history fair consisting of 16 booths, which deal with the era that most of the senior citizens lived through, The 1930's.

May 13th. Birthday Party

May 19th. Visit with Jason Hibbits of Morning Star Retirement Center.

May 21st. Archer City Senior Citizens' dance. Van will leave center in Iowa Park at 6 p.m.

May 25th. Jason Hibbits with Morning Star will take us on a tour and coffee and cake social 9:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. You will get back in plenty of time for lunch here at the center.

### MENU

**Thursday, May 6.** Bar-b-que beef, black-eyed peas, squash casserole, cornbread, chocolate chip cake, peaches / mandarins.  
**Friday, May 7.** Chicken w/gravy, potatoes, battered okra, dinner roll, peaches - lite.  
**Monday, May 10th.** Meat sauce, spaghetti, spinach, garlic Parmesan bread, fruit cocktail, yellow cake.  
**Tuesday, May 11th.** Smoked ham, pineapple slices, orange yams, green beans, hot rolls, cherry cobbler.  
**Wednesday, May 12th.** Beef tips, rice, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, dinner roll, banana pudding.  
**Thursday, March 13th.** Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, broccoli, hot roll, fruit cocktail - lite, soft sugar cookie.

## Local firemen, auxiliary attend district convention

The Iowa Park Volunteer Fire Department recently attended the West Texas District Convention in Wichita Falls.

After lunch and a brief business meeting area firemen and the ladies fire department auxiliary participated in several skills events.

Iowa Park volunteer firemen came away first place in the six man hose race, first place in the three man hose race and third place in water polo.

The Iowa Park Ladies Auxiliary won first place in the six women hose race, first place in the three women hose race and second place in water polo.

The timed skills event was based on how long it took six or three people to jump off the fire truck and hook up the hoses into position to extinguish a fire.



FIREMEN, AUXILIARY POSE WITH TROPHIES THEY EARNED

## Final Project Graduation meeting slated Monday

The final planning meeting for Project Graduation will be at 7 p.m. Monday at the High School Library.

During the meeting plans will be finalized and work schedules will be made for the event.

Parents of all Iowa Park High School senior are asked to attend.

## Card of Thanks

I would like to say thanks to all who took time to vote in Saturday's election and would like to say a heartfelt thank you to those casting their vote for me.

I was not successful in attaining the office I was seeking, but I feel very successful in that there are many wonderful people I have met for the first time and discussed the future of Iowa Park in a positive way.

Many of the ideas expressed to me about the direction Iowa Park should take in the future were most noteworthy and should be brought to the City Council for consideration.

The Chamber of Commerce would be interested in some of the promotional ideas expressed as well.

I can now say I have many new friends and say with confidence "Iowa Park has a wealth of talent that should be tapped for ideas on the growth of this marvelous community."

Please, let me again say Thank You Iowa Park.  
Floyd D. Williams

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# As I See It...

By Bob Hamilton

The reports I read and heard about all those people drowning in Lake Hamilton near Hot Springs, Ark. Saturday started my memory bell ringing.

The reason was that they were drowned when an amphibious vehicle sank.

Reports this week indicate that authorities are trying to determine why the vehicle sank, and did it in about a minute.

Upon learning of the incident, my thoughts immediately recalled an incident in which I was involved, back in July of 1952.

No, I wasn't on a tour or anything like that. I was in the U.S. Air Force, and the scene was an island in the middle of the Bering Sea.

As a supply specialist, I was assigned to a team from 7th Weather Headquarters out of Elmendorf, Anchorage, Alaska, and our task was to establish what I was told was the world's first automatic weather station.

St. Matthew Island was a long way from any mainland areas where weather was reported, and that information was deemed extremely important, especially with the Korean War underway.

There were 16 of us in the party. We were to be there two weeks, and that was about all the provisions we had with us.

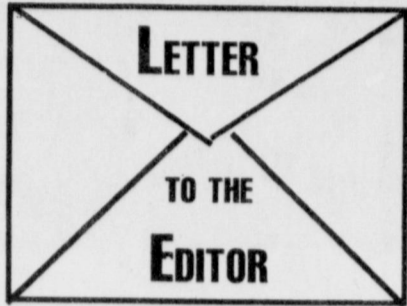
Midway into the second week, our food was about to run out. We made radio contact, and it was discussed that a sea plane could fly in additional provisions.

There was a small lake on the island, and it was about the length needed for such a plane to land. There was no other place another plane could land except on the water, because of the terrain.

A part of our equipment was a small amphibious tractor, which was

used to handle all the heavy supplies we needed in order to construct the weather station and its radio tower.

Before a plane could be called on to land on the lake, however, we were instructed to determine the depth.



## Article impressive

I couldn't let another minute go by without commenting on the absolutely outstanding piece of work by Boon Bowling in the April 29 issue of the Leader. What makes it so much more outstanding is the fact that he is a student in the Middle School. An hour or so after I first read it two of my granddaughters happened by to visit. These girls are outstanding students in a high school that has about 2,600 young people attending. They, too, were impressed with the depth of thoughts, the appropriate conclusions, and the excellent progression of reasoning exhibited by this young person.

This is one of the many things that make me proud of Iowa Park. When I am asked where I grew up, I never say Wichita Falls, as some people are prone to do, thinking that they would not know of Iowa Park. I tell them Iowa Park, and if they don't know where it is, they do when I get through talking with them. Please convey my good thoughts and feelings to this young person, Boon Bowling.

Your friend,  
Oscar Lockridge

No problem, one of our crew was familiar in carrying out such a measurement.

I went aboard with two others, and we began sounding the lake's bottom, with a weighted rope.

About five minutes into the process, when we were well away from the shore, it became apparent we had a leak, and the water was rising on the craft's flooring rapidly.

Luckily, we were less than 100 yards from shore. But bailing the water out was too slow, and the motor's fan started throwing water upon the engine's spark plugs, drowning it.

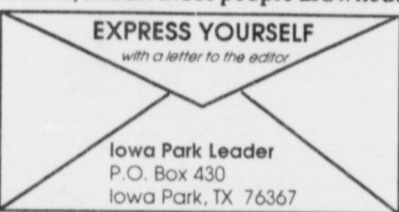
We were about to jump into that frigid water -- even though it was in July, surface water in that northern territory is only slightly above freezing -- when one of the guys hit on a brilliant idea.

He simply cut the fan's belt. It couldn't turn, therefore it wouldn't throw the water onto the spark plugs.

And we cruised on to shore. After checking that vehicle out once we were ashore, it immediately became obvious that the last time anyone had used it, they had drained the water out, and never re-sealed the drain.

But it was all for nothing. That airplane never came in, but two days later an LST came to our rescue, and removed us from the island, the day our food supplies had exhausted.

Yeah, the weather station was completed by then, and it did its job. The drain on that vehicle in Arkansas reportedly is among the areas being investigated, to determine why it sank, and all those people drowned.



## Weather Report for April

High temperature	91
Low temperature	34
Average high temperature	54.6
Average low temperature	48.4
Average temperature	51.5
Clear days	25
Cloudy days	5
Precipitation	2.73
Dates of precipitation:	3rd, .18; 14th, 2.15.

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**Charcoaled Onions**  
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Salt and pepper  
Scoop out small hole in top of each onion. Fill with a bouillon cube and 1/2 teaspoon butter. Add salt and pepper to taste. Wrap each onion tightly in foil. Place over hot coals for about 30 minutes, turning frequently. Unwrap, serve hot. If prepared in the oven, bake at 350 degrees 30-40 minutes.

**Green Onion Casserole**  
1 bunch green onions with tops, chopped  
4 Tbsps. butter  
1/4 cup hulled sunflower seeds  
4 eggs  
1 1/2 cups milk  
1 - 8 oz. pkg. cream cheese, crumbled  
1/4 tsp. seasoned salt  
1 Tbsp. minced parsley  
2 slices white bread, buttered  
Sauté green onions and sunflower seeds in butter. Beat together the eggs, milk, cream cheese, seasoned salt and parsley and stir into onion mixture. Butter and cut bread into cubes and lay in buttered casserole. Pour egg mixture gently over bread cubes. Bake at 375 degrees 25 minutes. Let stand a few minutes before serving. Cream cheese will be in small lumps.

**French Fried Onion Rings**  
2 large onions  
2 well-beaten eggs  
1 cup milk  
Flour  
Deep fat

Slice onions 1/8 inch thick and separate into rings. Roll each ring in flour, dip in mixture of eggs and milk, and then in flour again. Fry until brown in very hot deep fat. Remove and drain on paper towels.

**Marinated Onion Rings**  
2 lbs. white onions, thinly sliced  
1 cup sugar  
2 cups white vinegar  
1/4 tsp. salt  
Cover onions with boiling water and let stand 5 minutes. Drain and cover with the remaining ingredients and refrigerate.

**Green Bean and Onion Salad**  
2 lbs. whole fresh green beans  
1 Tbsp. prepared Dijon mustard  
1 Tbsp. olive oil  
1/2 tsp. red wine vinegar  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1/2 tsp. pepper  
1/8 tsp. savory  
2 small onions, finely chopped  
6 slices bacon, cooked, drained and chopped  
Trim ends of beans and cook in barely enough boiling salted water to cover until they are slightly under

done, about 15 minutes. Prepare dressing by combining mustard, olive oil, red wine vinegar, salt, pepper and savory. Add beans and onions to dressing mixture, tossing well. Chill before serving. Sprinkle bacon pieces over all just before serving.

**Cheesy Grilled Onions**  
Onions, yellow or white, 1 per person  
2 or 3 kinds of cheese - Cheddar, Swiss, Jack, Mozzarella  
Garlic powder  
Butter  
Worcestershire sauce  
Skin onions. Cut slice off top of onion. With a spoon, scoop out center of onion leaving a 1/4 to 1/2 inch shell. Cube cheeses. Stuff cheese into onions. Sprinkle with garlic powder to taste. Spread butter over top of onions and cheese. Splash with Worcestershire sauce. Place each onion on a piece of foil. Pull 4 corners of foil together and twist, so onion will sit upright. Place over hot coals 30 to 45 minutes.

**Onion Quiche**  
1 - 9-inch unbaked pie shell  
1 med. white onion, chopped and sauteed in butter  
Fresh sliced mushrooms, sauteed in butter (optional)  
1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese  
3/4 cup grated Swiss cheese  
3 eggs  
1 1/2 cups heavy cream  
Spread sauteed onions (and mushrooms, if desired) in pie shell. Sprinkle with grated cheeses. Beat eggs with cream to blend and pour into shell. Bake at 350 degrees 40-45 minutes. Serve warm or chilled.  
Optional: add 1/2 cup cooked chicken.

**Scalloped Onions**  
4 cups thinly sliced sweet onions  
2 1/2 cups milk  
2 Tbsps. butter or margarine  
2 Tbsps. flour  
3/4 tsp. salt  
1/4 tsp. pepper  
Seasoned croutons  
Sharp cheese, grated  
Cook onions in milk, simmering until tender. Drain and reserve liquid. Make a cream sauce of butter, flour and milk from the onions. Season with salt and pepper. In a greased 2-quart casserole, put one-half the onions. Cover with a layer of croutons and a layer of cheese and one-half the cream sauce. Repeat all layers, ending with sauce. Sprinkle with paprika. Bake 30 minutes at 350 degrees.

**Sweet and Sour Onions**  
6 onions  
1/4 cup water  
1/4 cup vinegar  
1/4 cup sugar  
1/2 stick butter  
Salt and pepper to taste  
Slice onions 1/4-inch thick. Place in casserole with tight lid. Add other ingredients and bake one hour covered and 1/2 to 1 hour uncovered at 350 degrees.

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# GARDENING HINTS

By MAPK, TERNING, COUNTY AGENT - HORTICULTURE

Q. I live in Iowa Park and have several peach trees in my yard. The leaves are blistered with some type of strange growth. Please advise.

A. This is a common problem that occurs each spring with peach trees. We call this Peach Leaf Curl.

It is a bacterial disease of peaches. Nothing can be done now to stop or eliminate the unsightly foliage.

The leaves which are affected will eventually fall off. In the fall, when leaves normally begin to drop, you should remember to apply a copper based fungicide for control of Peach Leaf Curl.

For your information, this bacterial disease is not terminal for your peach trees.

Q. I have three large Live Oaks in my Wichita Falls landscape. Two of the trees are constantly sending up suckers all over the yard. Is there anything I can do to eliminate this maintenance problem?

A. Live Oaks have a tendency to send sprouts up from the root system in turf and landscape areas. This is a common problem with Live Oaks, Yaupon Hollies and a few other plants.

Live Oaks have a connected root system which joins with other Live Oaks in the vicinity. They are all connected by a root system network.

There is nothing that you can do to eliminate the suckers minus trimming or mowing them down with your weekly lawn cutting. Chemical treatments could be detrimental to the mother tree.

Q. I have numerous rose bushes in my landscape. They are beautiful, but many of the rose petals are brown around the edges. What is causing this? It ruins the flowers. I know I have applied enough water and we have had rain.

A. The primary reason for the petal scorching or browning as you described this is an insect problem. Thrips, a common insect of roses, cause the petal edges to scorch.

This is not a moisture stress problem. I would recommend using a combination product such as Orthene which contains an insecticide and a fungicide. This control product will keep black spot, powdery mildew and insect problems in check.

Apply this at two-week intervals for adequate control. You will have picture perfect roses in a short time.

Q. Our Magnolias in Burk Burnett are dropping a large number of yellowed leaves. Is there something wrong with the trees I need to know about? I was gone out of town and came back to find my lawn covered with Magnolia leaves the trees look thin.

A. Magnolias are a evergreen tree which perform amazingly well here in Texoma. As with any evergreen, leaf drop is almost constantly occurring. The heaviest leaf drop time frame is usually in spring as newer growth initiates.

Look closely and you will see the newest growth emerging. It is often a shock to be gone a few days and come home to see the foliage all over your lawn. Yes, nature is changing on a second by second basis.

The Magnolias should be fine. If you have not done so, apply a quality 3-1-2 or 4-1-2 ratio lawn food around your drip line area of the trees when you feed the turf.

This supplement will help. Always be alert during hot, dry mid-summer months and water as needed to avoid extreme drought stress.

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# Ag Agent's Report

By JOE RAFF, Wichita County Agriculture Agent

## Screwworms

Most of the county received around inch of rain last weekend and Monday (as of writing Apr. 27). This sure has helped out after the high winds we got last week.

I heard one farmer the other day mention that he received over an inch of rain, but lost two inches in the wind storm.

I have not seen a lot of wind damage to the wheat. With these high winds I thought that we may have knocked down some, but it looks good so far.

This last rain sure has helped the outlook for the cotton planting, which is starting this month. In addition to the cotton, the haygrazer and milo planting are also looking more promising.

This week I hope to have our milo and haygrazer test plots planted. We will be looking at several varieties over 70 acres.

The old saying "April showers bring May flowers" is true but, there's also the possibility the warm weather could mean screwworm infestations. Yes, we did destroy the screwworm population years ago, but we did have a case crop up in central Texas.

After this confirmed case, the Texas Animal Health Commission and U.S. Dept. of Agriculture's Veterinary Service distributed more than 2,500 screw worm submission kits to veterinarians and feed stores.

You can also get your own kit by calling the TAHC headquarters at 1-800-550-8242 or the USDA at 1-800-916-5555.

Kits consist of a cardboard tube containing a test tube filled with a holding solution and small plastic bags for maggot collection. If a collection kit is not available, the maggots, or larvae, can be placed in alcohol in a glass jar, medicine bottle or film canister.

On Oct. 31, 1998, a rancher in Edwards County, in southwest Texas, submitted nine larvae he removed

from a wound on an Angora goat. One of the larvae was identified as that of a screwworm by the National Veterinary Service Laboratory.

Despite checking more than 40,000 head of livestock and dogs, and getting the word out to ranchers, hunters and anyone handling livestock, no other larvae were found

"Anyone handling livestock, wildlife, or pets should check animals closely. If larvae or maggots are found in wounds, submit them to the screwworm lab," Beals said.

If you think you have found screwworm maggots, please collect them and send the sample to: USDA-APHIS-VS Screwworm Lab

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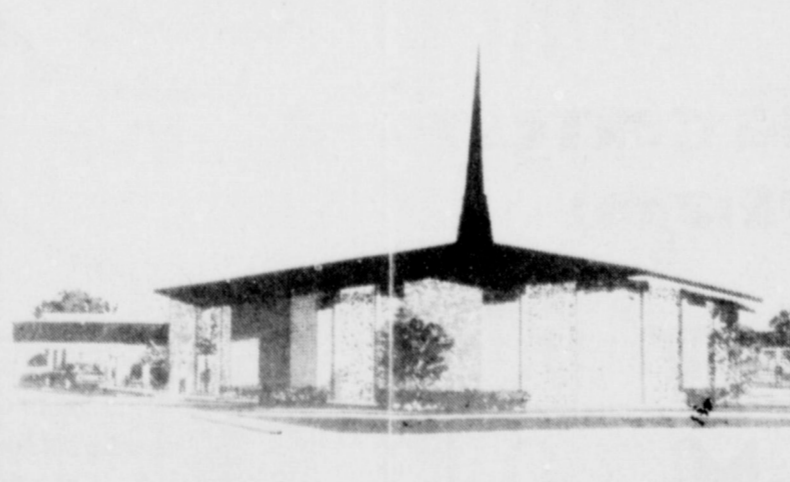
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### Verba Lee Hill Lofland

Verba Lee Hill Culpepper Lofland, 88, died Friday, in the Iowa Park nursing home.

Services were Monday at Dutton Funeral Home with Rev. L. R. Helms, interim pastor of Assembly of God in Loving, and Rev. John Besse, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Crestview Memorial Park.

Mrs. Lofland was born Aug. 26, 1910, in Silver Valley. She and Harry Culpepper were married May 4, 1929, in Wichita Falls. He died July 26, 1960. She and George Lofland were married Jan. 20, 1963, in Decatur. He died in 1975. She attended Holliday Schools. She was an active member of Valley View Methodist Church before moving to Iowa Park. She was a member of the Friendly Door Senior Citizens of Iowa Park.

Survivors include two daughters, Wanda Bridges of Holliday, and Joy Guley of Lakeside City; a half sister, Frances Ann Anderson of Missouri; and a half brother, Fred William Hill of California.

### Judith Louise Barger

Judith Louise Cooper Barger, 52, of Waco died Sunday.

Services were Wednesday at Connally/Compton Chapel in Waco with Rev. Stephen Ramsdell and Rev. Sharon Robertson officiating.

Graveside services will be today at 10 a.m. at Burkburnett Cemetery with Rev. Merwin Turner officiating.

Mrs. Barger was born July 7, 1946 in Wichita Falls. She was a member of Sigma Kappa Sorority, Historic Waco Foundation and board member of East Terrace. She was active in Waco Symphony and the Hippodrome Theatre, and designed and created Baylor "Sing" costumes for Kappa Kappa Gamma. Mrs. Barger was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Waco. She attended Midwestern University. In Wichita Falls she was a member of Eastern Star Rainbow and Girls Worthy Advisor, a Pink Darling Volunteer at Wichita General Hospital and was a former member of Floral Heights United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her husband, Jack Barger of Waco; her parents, O.J. and Janey Cooper of Wichita Falls; a son, Jason Lee of Waco; a daughter, Jana Lawren Barger of Waco; two brothers, Richard E. Cooper of Denton and Jim D. Cooper of Iowa Park; and a grandson.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society.

### Geraldine Fullerton

Geraldine Fullerton, 78, of Duncan, Okla., died Thursday.

Services were Saturday at Hampton Vaughan Crestview Chapel with Rev. Eldon Moelling, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Duncan, Okla., officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.

Mrs. Fullerton was born Feb. 5, 1921, in Childress. Her husband, Roy T. Fullerton, died March 14, 1986. She was a member of Faith Baptist Church in Iowa Park.

A son, Tom Fullerton, died Sept. 28, 1997.

Survivors include a daughter, Sharon Krivy of Duncan; a son, Ron of Shreveport, La.; a sister, Carma Anderson of Denver Colo.; a brother, Ray Carter of Port Angeles, Wash.; 10 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the Faith Baptist Church Building Fund, 411 S. Wall St. Iowa Park, Texas 76367.

### Earl Vernon Powell

Earl Vernon Powell, 78, of Iowa Park died Friday, in Iowa Park.

Graveside services were Monday in Peak Cemetery of Mayer Creek, Ark., with Rev. David Birdsong officiating. Local arrangements were under the direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mr. Powell was born Feb. 5, 1921, in Cedar Glades, Ark. He was a timber worker with Pope Talbot Lumber Company. He moved to Iowa Park seven years ago from Oakridge, Ore.

Survivors include a daughter, Sharon Garrett Of Oakridge; three sisters, Louise Ault of Iowa Park, and Lillie Ryan and Pearl Kensey, both of Pencil Bluff, Ark.; a brother, Ray Powell of Pencil Bluff, Ark.; two grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

### Ida Talley

Ida Talley, 87, of Wichita Falls died Friday, in a Wichita Falls nursing home.

Graveside services were Saturday in Crestview Memorial Park in Wichita Falls with Rev. Danny Griffin of Mansfield officiating.

Mrs. Talley was born Aug. 21, 1911, in Pontotoc County, Okla. She and Paul Talley were married Dec. 22, 1927. He died April 26, 1962. She had been a seamstress for Scott's Mfg. in Wichita Falls.

Survivors include a son, Jerry of Iowa Park; a brother, Albert Alexander of Harlingen; two grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.



### Ocie Mae Holder

Ocie Mae Holder, 80, died Sunday.

Services were Tuesday at First Baptist Church with Rev. Steve Beckwith, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Crestview Memorial Park under the direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mrs. Holder was born Nov. 23, 1918, in Gainesville. She and Hubert Holder were married June 22, 1938, in Vernon. He died Aug. 16, 1996. She was a member of the First Baptist Church where she was involved in Sunday School.

Survivors include a son, James L. of Clifton; a daughter, Linda G. Nichols of Iowa Park; a sister, Vena Jones of Fort Smith, Ark.; six grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church, 300 N. Yosemite, Iowa Park, Texas 76367.

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The agency also administers Home Repair Loans and Grants for qualified very low income owner-occupants.

Grant funds are available for homeowners 62 years of age and over who cannot repay a loan and must be used to remove health and safety hazards such as repairing roofs, heating, electrical and plumbing systems, water and waste disposal, installing screens, windows, insulation and other items to make the home safe. Grant assistance may not exceed \$7,500.

Home Repair Loans may include similar purpose as the grant, but may also be used to modernize and bring a home up to standards, make changes for convenience, add a

room, remodel and make overall improvements to the home. The loan term can be of up to 20 years, with a fixed one percent interest rate. The loan amount cannot exceed \$20,000.

For more information and qualified requirements for these programs, please contact the Rural Development office at 4400 Buffalo Gap Road, Suite 4150, Abilene, TX 79606 or call (915) 690-6162 extension 4.

### NEWS FROM THE HALLS OF THE HAWKS

#### Honors Program, May 13

The W.F. George Middle School Honors Program will be held May 13, beginning at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

During this program, students will be recognized for their academic and extra-curricular activities.

#### Rockin' Hawkettes seeking members

The Rockin' Hawkettes will be holding a membership drive Monday at 7 p.m. in the main room of the RAC.

Girls in grades second through fifth who would like to become a Rockin' Hawkette are encouraged to attend.

## RAC News

By JO LYNN WALKER

#### Bridge Results

With three tables in play, Alene Onstead had the high score of 6230 at bridge this week. Mary Lou Alderman had a score of 4770 for the second high.

#### Registration Deadlines

Deadlines to register for the summer RAC PAC program are fast approaching. Students already enrolled in the after school RAC PAC KIDS will need to return registration forms by Monday, May 10. New enrollees will need to be registered by Friday, May 21.

Registration forms are available at the RAC office at 806 N. Third, or will be mailed to you by calling 592-4471.

The program will begin on June 1 and run through August 13, and is open to students in grades K through 5. Activities will include a daily educational hour, organized games and crafts, weekly field trips, swimming, and much more. A summer registration fee of \$20 and a RAC membership fee of \$6 will be required of each

student. Weekly fees will be \$65; assistance is available if applied for.

If you would like further information about the program, please call the RAC office at 592-4471.

#### Lost & Found

There have been several new items added to our lost and found box at the RAC. If you have misplaced any jackets, lunch boxes, jewelry, or shoes, please check with us, we may have them! Items that have been here more than three months will be donated to the Oklahoma tornado victims this week.

### One-Act Play competes Friday

The W.F. George Middle School One-Act Play cast and crew will compete at Iowa Park High School Friday.

Under the direction of Carolyn Richter, the team, all eighth graders, will perform around 1:30 p.m.

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The Bureau of Land Management is the custodian of land records and now an almost impossible job of research is being made easier as more and more of these records are being

put on CD's.

A great deal of work is being done by volunteers and as each state is automated the disks are becoming increasingly available to all interested researchers.

### Middle School PTSA currently re-forming

Although the Parent-Teacher-Student Assoc. (P.T.S.A.) has not been active at W.F. George Middle School for many years, a group is in the process of getting an executive board elected for the 1999-2000 school year.

Anyone interested in serving on the board should contact Tracy Eaton, 592-0020 or Debbie Brixey, 438-2369, or call the school.

A meeting will be held before the end of the school year to further organize a group. The date and time of the meeting will be announced in *The Leader*.

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# Hawks put big hit on Sanger, 14-0

If Monday's warm-up game against Sanger was any sign of what's to come for Hawk opponents in the playoffs, watch out.

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Iowa Park, the District 5-3A champion, hammered Sanger 14-0 on Monday to once again give the Hawks a 20-win season. The win lifts Iowa Park's record to 20-7, with one more warm-up game before the playoffs begin.

With the new format of taking three teams to the playoffs, the district winner receives a bye in the first

round. The Hawks will play Aledo at 2 p.m. in Bowie on Saturday in their final tune-up game before beginning their bid for a return trip to Austin.

Iowa Park's opening round opponent is still yet to be determined.

Against Sanger, Iowa Park continued to pound the ball, racking

up 11 hits including three home runs, two by catcher Kevin Park. The three homers pushes Iowa Park's total for the season to 30 in 27 games, which is by far the most ever by a Hawk team according to head coach David Fuhrman.

"We're hitting the ball real hard right now," Fuhrman said. "We've

been a fly ball team all season long and we've just been hitting the ball on the nose. One year we had nine guys hit home runs, but we only hit 15 or 16 all year."

Iowa Park belted 11 long balls in non-district play and 16 in league play, then added the three on Monday pushing the non-district total to 14.

In the Sanger game, Iowa Park scored a single run in the second, two in the third and one more in the fourth to take a 4-0 lead. The Hawks then put a three-spot on the board in the

fifth before sealing the victory with seven runs in the seventh inning.

Leading hitters included Park, who finished 3x3 with 2 RBIs and a pair of home runs, Bryan Miller 2x3 with 2 RBIs, Toby Williams 1x2 with two runs scored and Chase Wright 1x4 with a home run and 3 RBIs.

Wright also picked up the win on the mound, improving to 6-2 for the season. The left hander worked the first two innings, followed by Tyler Pulley for two innings and

Shane Sands got in two innings of work before turning it over to Scotty Mitchell who pitched the seventh.

"It was a good game for us," Fuhrman added. "We got another chance to play against live pitching and their first two pitchers were as good as anybody we faced in district, and we hit the ball well against them. All of our pitchers got their work in and looked good. Our warm-up game against Aledo should get us focused heading into the playoffs. It should be a very intense game."

## Press group offers two scholarships

To further the cause of community journalism, the North and East Texas Press Association will award its first journalism scholarships this spring, according to Bob Hamilton, publisher of the *Iowa Park Leader*.

Details for two \$500 scholarships, to be awarded each year, were finalized by the scholarship committee at NETPA's 73rd annual convention in Arlington, April 8-10.

The *Iowa Park Leader* is a member of the NETPA.

Scholarships will be given to college-bound graduating high school seniors and actively enrolled college students from the NETPA region

pursuing an education in print journalism.

The committee, chaired by Tom Beesley of the Frisco Enterprise, decided to require a 500-word essay entitled "Why community journalism will be a vital profession in the 21st century." Two letters of recommendation will also be required, including one from a newspaper professional, plus a completed application.

Deadline this year is June 1. Applications are available from the *Iowa Park Leader*, or Mrs. Fry at Iowa Park High School. Completed applications should be mailed to Phil Major, *Clay County Leader*, Box 10, Henrietta, TX 76365.

Deadline in subsequent years will be March 1, and the winners will be recognized at the annual NETPA convention, to be held in Waco in April 2000.

## Foursome earns ticket to state

Heading into the Regional Track Meet in Odessa last week, Iowa Park felt if a few things went it's way the Hawks had a shot at the Regional Title. After all Iowa Park sent both relay teams and six other athletes to the Meet.

And even though the Title was an outside shot, Iowa Park knew that it's best chance to get to Austin rested in the hands of the four members of the 1600M Relay team of Malcom Wise, Jeff Duerson, Dustin Shierry and Tommy Duerson.

Those four can now make reservations for Austin after qualifying for the State Track Meet by finishing second to Vernon in the 1600M Re-

lay with a time of 3:21.18.

In the Regional Qualifiers Meet held the previous week, the Hawks had crossed the line in 3:20.5, which was the fifth fastest time in the State in Class 3A.

The State Meet begins Friday, May 14, with the Hawks taking the track for the 1600M Relay Finals at 9:50 p.m.

In the Regional Meet, Iowa Park's 400M Relay team finished with a time of 43.78, but did not place. Simeon Hendrix finished with a throw

of 43-11 in the Shot Put, Josh Arrington finished with a throw of 141-0 in the Discus, Randy York finished with a vault of 11-0 in the Pole Vault, and Jimmy Wilson finished with a jump of 21-11.5 in the Long Jump.

Shierry and Wise also qualified for Regionals in individual events, with Shierry running a 51.84 in the 400M Dash and Wise finishing with a 23.47 in the 200M Dash.

Iowa Park finished tied for 10th place with 16 points in the Meet.

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Rangers (SAFB)	1	4	0
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A's	3	1	0
Royals	3	1	0
A's (SAFB)	1	2	0
Yankees (SAFB)	0	3	0

## Athletic Boosters elect '99 officers

The Iowa Park Athletic Booster Club will be led by Roger York during the 1999-2000 school year.

York was elected president of the organization during a meeting Monday night. Other officers elected include Mike Miller, first vice president; Mike Swenson, second vice president; Lori Shierry, treasurer; Lynn Morgan, secretary; and Mark Patterson, parliamentarian.

The Athletic Boosters will meet again at 7 p.m. Monday at the high school cafeteria to finalize plans for the high school and junior high Spring Sports Banquet.

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YARD SALE - Lots of stuff. Saturday, 208 W. Ruby. 5-6-1tp

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Bids are to be returned to Allen Shewmake, P.O. Box 428, Iowa Park, Texas 76367 no later than Wednesday, May 26, 1999 9:00 a.m. Bids will be opened at the School Tax Office, Wednesday, May 26, 1999 at 9:00 a.m. 5-6-2tc

**NOTICE**

**APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT**  
BTO Venture, Inc. 11573 Malabar Rd. Iowa Park Tx 76367 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas.  
The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Cisco Shell Shallow Well Number 2. The proposed injection well is located 2 Miles North of Kamay in the Wichita County Regular Field, in Wichita County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 1159 to 1165 feet.  
LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.  
Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792). 5-6-1tc

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506 W. MAGNOLIA  
Victorian cottage home would be a perfect starter home. BEAUTIFULLY LANDSCAPED on 2 lots. Within a block from Tom Burnett Memorial Library.

511 W. REBECCA  
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#13 PARK PLACE  
Beautiful 3 bedroom home in Park Place subdivision. Open floor plan with split master bedroom and bath. Fabulous black marble fireplace in living room. Must see!

301 W. PARK  
Property would be a great commercial site. Sits on corner lot across from Northwest Bank. Has separate 3 car garage that's also in need of repairs. Owner will look at any offer.

1200 EMMA  
Spacious 4 bedroom, 2 bath home on large corner lot. Large rooms with plenty of storage. In the 70's. Call Tami.

1213 EMMA  
3 bedroom, 2 bath, home in wonderful neighborhood. Has alley access, vinyl siding and outbuildings. In the 50's. Call Tami.

1011 LINCOLN  
3 bedroom, 2 bath, with fabulous shop out back. Approx. sq. ft. of house is 1,637. One block from Kidwell Elementary School. \$62,500.

701 E. BANK  
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**In Contract**

102 W. CHESTNUT  
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**Suburban**  
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# Lady Hawks drop quarterfinal game

Iowa Park's softball season came to an end this week following their Regional Quarter-Finals loss to Graham.

The Lady Hawks earlier in the week captured the Area Championship with a 7-2 win over Colorado City.

Iowa Park defeated Colorado City 7-2, thanks in part to a big five-run first inning. Iowa Park then scored single runs in the third and sixth inning to take a 7-0 lead. Colorado City scored its two runs in the sixth inning. Iowa Park pounded out 10 hits, with Bobbie Gilmore leading the way finishing 3x4 with a double and 2 RBIs.

Other leading hitters included

Vanessa Hebel, Cheyenne Patterson and Jenny Pack all finishing 2x4 with an RBI apiece. Patterson added a triple while Pack also posted an extra base hit with a double. Summer Johnson picked up the win on the mound, allowing only five hits and two runs.

"I thought we came out very focused," said head coach Greg Biehl. "We were ready to play and we jumped on them early, then played consistent defense for the rest of the game. We hit the ball real well offensively and we got good pitching. That's what you need to win in the playoffs."

And that's exactly what the Lady Hawks ran into against Graham.

The Lady Blues ended Iowa Park's season with a 10-0 win in the Quarter-Finals behind a strong pitching performance by Dawn England.

Graham scored a pair of runs in the first, five in the third and three in the fifth to post the 10-0 win. England allowed only four hits. Melissa Threft,



**STIFF COMPETITION** - Lady Blues star Dawn England, who has relatives in Iowa Park, shows she can hit as well as pitch. England led Graham to a 10-0 victory over the Lady Hawks here Monday, in the Regional Quarter-Final playoff.

Patterson, Gilmore and Pack picked up the hit with Gilmore's going for a double.

"Graham's a very good team," Biehl said. "They get strong pitching, they hit the ball hard to all fields and they play solid defense. I look for them to go at least to the Regional Finals and maybe to State."

And even though this season is over, the outlook for next year looks very good as the Lady Hawks will lose only three seniors.

"I was very pleased with our season overall," Biehl added. "The girls came together as a group. They worked really hard and played hard. Our defense really improved from where we started. I feel like we'll definitely be a contender next season. Our biggest key is going to improve on our hitting."

Iowa Park finished the season with a record of 11-8.

## Evans signs with MSU

Carrie Evans, Iowa Park's First Team All District Volleyball selection, signed a letter of intent to play volleyball for the Midwestern State University Lady Indians next season.

Evans was one of three high school prospects to sign on Monday. The 5-8 outside hitter was also an Academic All-State selection this season for the Lady Hawks.

Evans selection completes the recruiting season for head coach Eunice Thomas, who signed six high school players and one Junior College transfer to go along with six returning letter winners from last year.

## TexDOT to conduct workshop May 10

Texas Department of Transportation representatives will conduct a workshop on May 10 concerning the Statewide Transportation Enhancement Program. The program is a proactive community-oriented effort that provides federal funding assistance for a broad range of activities related to transportation.

Construction of bicycle and pedestrian facilities, scenic and landscaping projects, preservation or restoration of historical properties, and transportation museums are examples of eligible work. The program is administered through the Texas Department of Transportation with contact personnel in each of the 25 TxDOT districts.

The public is invited to come and participate in the workshop. Shawn McMahon, special project coordinator from Austin, will be conducting the May 10 workshop with Wichita Falls District personnel assisting.



Iowa Park figures heavily into the boys' basketball program at Granbury High. IPHS graduate Jimmy Rowell recently resigned after the Pirates finished the season 11-18. Hired to replace Rowell is Brett White, who has coached here. A graduate of Vernon High, White has also coached at Sanger and Caddo Mills, and most recently at 3-A West, near Waco.

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