



LEARNING WHO'S WHO Class Achievement Awards at Muenster High School Awards Banquet Tuesday night were, 1 to r, back row - Matt Chisam, Cody Sicking, Jeremy Walterscheid, Jason Sicking; middle - Mindy Hennigan, Julia Fleitman, Toni Trubenbach, Carrie Hess, Andrea Goodwin, Jeff Flusche, Laurel Green; front - Mary Knabe, Andrea Klement, Misty Klement and Hollie Fuhrmann. Not present was Tara Chapman. Watch next week's paper for more on the awards banquet.
Janie Hartman Photo

County hires Komatsu to plan foundation renovation

by Janet Felderhoff
Cooke County Commissioners continue to move forward with steps necessary to repair the east steps and foundation of the Cooke County Courthouse. In their May 13 meeting they agreed to pay Komatsu Engineering \$5,890.00 to site investigation work and determine the extent of the settlement movement and damage occurring in the steps and to provide structural and architectural design for the project.

Commissioner Virgil Hess recommended that the space under the reconstructed steps be made into a storage area. He and Junior Durham had determined that it would help to alleviate the need for storage space. The steps will be reinforced and left hollow underneath anyway. With the addition of a steel door and electricity all agreed it would be good to use for storage.

When construction begins the steps will be taken apart and stored until needed. All

renovation work will be done in accordance with guidelines set to preserve the courthouse's historic value.

Local attorney Phil Adams requested that his name be deleted from the contract for the collection of delinquent taxes. He and Jim Robertson had signed a two year contract with the county that runs through the end of 1996. Adams has not been involved in the collection since February 1996. Robertson was present and noted that he would be capable of completing the contract without Adams. Commissioners agree that Judge Hesse should send a letter to that effect to Adams as requested.

An executive session scheduled at the request of Bill Pratt, Cooke County sheriff, to discuss personnel matters was withdrawn at his request. The problem had been "solved" according to Pratt.

- Accepted bid from Overland on Hot Mix/Cold Lay.
- Accepted bid from Dolese for #2 wash gravel for Chip Material.
- Accepted bids from Texas Simppo, Inc. for MC-250 and MC-800 and bid from Coastal Refining for RC-250.
- Gave the preliminary approval to proceed with steps to change private road in Country Estates in Precinct #4 to a county road.
- Designated four parking spaces in Juvenile Probation parking lot, two for justices of the peace and two for juvenile officers.
- Approved public official for jailer in County Jail.
- Approved application for indigent burial of George Webster Kennedy.
- Appointed Mrs. Robbie Bradley to the Cooke county Child Welfare Board.
- Accepted preliminary plat of NBC Properties in Precinct #1.
- Approved minutes of last meeting and a special meeting.
- Approved monthly bills and reports.

NCTC reception honors Urban Endres

Both smiles and tears were an abundant supply on the North Central Texas College campus last week during a special reception honoring Urban Endres of Muenster for his 30 years of service on the NCTC board of trustees-12 of them as chairman.

Endres, first elected to the NCTC governing board in May 1966, announced several weeks ago that this year's filing deadline for candidates seeking election to the board would pass without a request that his name be placed on the May ballot for a sixth consecutive six-year term.

The retiring trustee also served six years as the board's vice chairman and two separate terms as chairman-1980-82 and again from 1986 to the present.

A large crowd of friends, business associates, present and former college trustees, family members and NCTC faculty and staff turned out to bid farewell to Endres and to express their appreciation for his many years of service to both public and higher education in Cooke County.

Endres said his decision not to seek another term was made with mixed feelings and that

he will miss his direct association with college very much. One thing he won't have to miss, however, is the chair he has occupied in the NCTC board room. Trustee Karon Sullivan, who along with other trustees had often kidded Endres about his reluctance to spend college funds for new chairs, formally presented his 30-year-old chair to him as a "going away present."

On a more serious note, college employees also presented Endres with a specially engraved rocking chair commemorating all his years of service to NCTC.

Endres' fellow college trustees also formally presented the outgoing chairman with a plaque and a framed resolution of commendation.

With tongue firmly in cheek, faculty member Ron Melugin, NCTC's official historian, drew lots of laughs from the audience as he presented Endres with a large packet of "documents" and "special awards" commemorating all his years on the college governing board.

"Serving on the college board has been an important part of my life for three decades," said

Endres in a pre-reception interview, "and I'm very proud of the growth and progress that has taken place since I came on the board. At that time, the main campus had been in its present location for just a few years, and I've almost literally watched the college grow from the ground up."

Endres said he is particularly proud of the tremendous growth the college has experienced over the past decade.

"During that time," he said, "we've seen our enrollment almost triple, we've seen a major bond issue pass and several modern new buildings erected, including a wonderful new library. We've also seen new programs and facilities developed, such as equine science and the Equine Center, and now-with the installation of the new interactive video classroom, new computer labs and the fiber optic infrastructure for Internet-we're seeing the college move into a whole new era of advanced technology."

He said he has also been privileged to be a part of the tremendous growth in the college's off-campus programs, the development of two major



HIS 30th GRADUATION - Urban Endres, right, accepts a formal resolution commending his 30 years of service on the North Central Texas College Board of Trustees - 12 of them as chairman - during the 30th (out of 70) commencement ceremonies conducted by the college during his tenure. The presentation was made by NCTC President Ronnie Glascock.
NCTC Courtesy Photo

extension campuses in Denton and Lewisville and the growth of the college into an institution of truly regional scope and importance, particularly in regard to the provision of quality workforce education and training

throughout its three-county service area.

"And last but certainly not least, of course, is the name change, I believe changing the name of this institution to North Central Texas College may turn out to be one of the

most significant and beneficial things that the board of trustees has done in all my years of service."

Endres added that, on a personal level, he has drawn tremendous gratification from his association over the past 30 years with so many excellent fellow board members, he said he will always carry fond memories of the countless college faculty and staff members, administrators and students with whom his service on the board has brought him into contact.

"We are here today to honor a man who has literally devoted a lifetime of service to education," said NCTC President Ronnie Glascock, recalling that in addition to Endres' service on the college governing board, he also served for many years on the Muenster ISD board, a number of them as president.

"One thing is certain," Dr. Glascock remarked, "so much of what North Central Texas College is today can be directly attributed to his leadership, his dedication and his vision, as well as to his honesty and integrity."

"And he has been not only a

Memorial picnic area dedicated at Sacred Heart

by Janet Felderhoff

Monday, May 13 was a time for remembering classmates and teachers of Sacred Heart School who have died recently. The members of Student Council realize the impact in his community of the loss of a loved one," said Student Council President Jennifer Campbell. "We decided we wanted to remember deceased classmates and teachers of this decade."

Sacred Heart Student Council sponsored the building of a picnic area north of the high school and dedicated it to the memory of three fellow students, Jason Beyer, Larry "Pooder" Switzer, Jenny Yosten and a teacher, Steve Kohler. "Throughout this school year we have raised money through the Cinderfellow Pageant, Pancake Breakfasts, coke machines, etc. for this project," said Jennifer.

The area was set off with railroad ties, filled with gravel and shrubs, rose bushes, and trees were planted. Picnic tables were added to give high school students a place outdoors to have lunch, visit, or relax during breaks. Gifts of money, materials, and time and effort made the construction of the memorial area possible.

Student Council officers brought forward a bouquet of

flowers for each honored person and then shared remembrances of that individual. Jason Beyer was remembered by John Klement, Pooder Switzer by Nicole Endres, Jenny Yosten by Amanda Wimmer, and Mr. Kohler by Karri Endres. Sacred Heart Pastor Father David

Bellinghausen OSB blessed the memorial area.

Ms. Donna Maxon, Student Council sponsor, expressed appreciation to the many individuals who contributed to the building of the area. She praised the wide community effort that made it happen so quickly.

"Sacred Heart School is not just a school, it is a family," remarked Principal Jack Murdock. "God has called home Jason, 'Pooder', Jenny and Steve. We miss them. We do not understand why they left this life so soon."

"We acknowledge that each one, in their own special way,

had an important contribution to make to the life of our school family. Each one left a legacy that will live in our hearts always."

"Today we dedicate this park to the memory of Jason, Pooder, Jenny, and Steve so that we may always remember these special members of our school family that are no longer among us. As future generations of students participate in the life of our

school family, this park will be a continuing testimony to their memory and the importance we place on keeping that memory alive.

"I hope that this park will always be a special place where we enjoy God's great beauty and one another's joy and laughter. It is a tangible way of saying to Jason, to Jenny, to 'Pooder', and to Steve - We miss you, we remember you, we love you."



SACRED HEART Student Council Jennifer Campbell enacts the dedication of the new Memorial Picnic Area at the school.
Dave Fette Photo

St. Richard's celebrates Nat'l. Nursing Home Week

St. Richard's Villa is celebrating National Nursing Home Week, Sunday May 12 through Saturday May 18. Mayor Henry Weinzapfel signed a proclamation kicking off a week full of activities. It's a time to visit an old friend or to make a new one in a nursing home. It's a time to talk, to

laugh, to share an hour or an afternoon, to listen to history first hand.

During National Nursing Home Week, make a friend at St. Richard's Villa. Learn about life from the most experienced people in the world.

See more about Nursing Home Week on Page 2.

Good News!
Hast thou not known? thou not heard, that the everlasting God, the LORD, the Creator of the ends of the earth, fainteth not, neither is weary? there is no searching of his understanding.
ISAIAH 40:28

Youth employment set up for this summer

After almost a year of legislative haggling, the U.S. Department of Labor has just released \$625 million for the 1996 Summer Youth Employment and Training Program. Although State and local allocations have not been received, the Texoma Private Industry Council's JTPA Program is now accepting applications for the Summer Youth Employment and Training Program.

Youth ages 16-21 may be eligible for jobs during the months of June, July and August. Basic education classes, SCANS training, summer school and TAAS remediation will be available for youth ages 14-21. The Summer Youth Employment and Training Program provides

youth with valuable work experience through jobs in local non-profit organizations. Applicants must be at least 14 years of age at the time of application. Due to the restraints of Child Labor Laws it is more difficult for 14 and 15 year old applicants to obtain summer jobs. Alternative academic activities have been planned for the younger applicants. Last summer approximately 300 youth throughout the Texoma region received services.

Applications are available at the School Counselor offices. The Texoma JTPA Program serves residents of Cooke, Fannin and Grayson Counties. For more information call (903) 813-3551 or (800)677-8264.



MAYOR HENRY WEINZAPFEL signs the Nursing Home Week Proclamation as St. Richard's Director Wes Fuson and residents look on. Janie Hartman Photo

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, our community's citizens now residing in nursing homes have contributed immeasurable to Muenster's heritage over the years; and

WHEREAS, our community's nursing home residents are themselves living history; and

WHEREAS, member facilities of the American Health Care Association and the Texas Association are sponsoring many activities in observance of National Nursing Home Week beginning Mother's Day, May 12;

THEREFORE, do I, Henry Weinzapfel, as mayor of the town of Muenster, urge all members of this community to join in this year's Nursing Home Week observance by visiting our town's nursing home residents and by recognizing the high quality of care that our longterm care facilities are providing.

Henry Weinzapfel,
Mayor, City of Muenster

BSP presents: Telling a chilling tale May 18

We all have fond memories from our youth of gathering around a camp fire or perhaps a flashlight in the dark, preparing to tell the ghost story that would send chills through our audience of friends - finding instead ourselves deliciously chilled to the bone by another's haunting tale. It is one of those moments of frightening delight that Butterfield Stage plans to capture as they present storyteller Shelly Kneupper in concert with her ghostly tales during the annual Depot Days Festival.

Slated for Saturday evening, May 18 at dusk (approximately 8:15) in the green space at 109 E. California, Mrs. Kneupper will use her storytelling skills to weave for all an evening of eerie tales that will prove

entertaining for young and old alike. To take part in this Depot Days' activity, an audience member only has to bring a blanket and their bug spray and sit back to enjoy this telling of the tales.

As a featured storyteller, Mrs. Kneupper, has shared her expertise and talents in this artistic field throughout the state of Texas for the past seven years and recently served as a workshop panelist during this year's Texas Storytelling Festival. Although she presently resides in South Lake, this storyteller is familiar with Gainesville having formerly resided in this city and having conducted one of her first storytelling performances during the first Depot Days Celebration in 1986.

THE HONORABLE "CHAIR"-MAN - As a special "going away present," fellow trustees presented Urban Endres during a reception in his honor with the board room chair he has occupied - no kidding - during all the 30 years he has served on the North Central Texas College Board of Trustees. He had often kidded about his reluctance to spend college resources on new chairs for the trustees. A 1966 photo printed in the program for the reception left no doubt as to its authenticity.

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visionary leader but a courageous one as well, never backing away from tough decisions nor failing to strongly assert his position on all issues, but always keeping uppermost in mind what was best for the students of this college and for the citizens of the community it serves.

This past Friday evening, Endres was again saluted by his fellow trustees and the NCTC faculty and staff as he presided over the college's 70th annual commencement ceremonies.

Slated to take the oath of office on Monday evening for Endres' vacated Place 4 seat on the NCTC board will be his son, Jack Endres of Muenster.

Guidelines noted for recycling bins

by Stephen D. Broyles

Please help us keep the city clean. A few individuals are dropping off their recyclable items at the gate when the north yard is closed. Many of these items are blown all over the yard or city. The yard is open Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. and Saturday, 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

In addition, please place paper items as far back in the newspaper bin as possible. Recently, some people have dropped off items at the front of the bin. This makes getting to the back of the bin inaccessible to some people.

City employees are cleaning up the papers in the north yard and having to move papers to the back of the bin. Save your tax dollars by taking a few minutes to only drop items off when the yard is open and by placing the papers as far back in the bin as you can. Thank you.

From My Side of the Fence

by Ed Cler

Our President says he wants to balance the budget, but at the same time he seems unwilling to give up any spending - unless he thinks there would be some political gain for himself.

Each time the Conservatives come up with a bill they believe will be beneficial to the people or help lower the deficit, Mr. Clinton will use the veto or threaten to use it, unless they meet any demands he might add.

At present our legislators are trying to lower taxes somewhat by repealing the 4.3¢ surcharge per gallon of gasoline. Thinking this is a popular measure, he has threatened to veto the act unless a minimum wage raise is included.

While claiming he is trying to break the log jam, he is only adding another log. Conservatives are against raising the minimum wage, fearing it would cause many employers to downsize, and also it would make it more

difficult for first timers to obtain jobs.

Abe Lincoln, in his Gettysburg Address, asks to keep "Government of the people, by the people, for the people" the rule of the land, but with Clinton's vetoes and his out-maneuvering of the Conservatives, we are having "Government of Clinton, by Clinton and for Clinton."

After reading the several articles in the Gainesville Register about a friend of many years, I would like to add my personal congratulations to Mr. Urban J. Endres. He has always been a winner and deserves our appreciation.

U.J. has given many hours of his time to further education in and around Cooke County. He served on the MISD Board of Trustees for 21 years and as President of that group for a number of terms. As a member of that Board for some time, I was always glad to have him head us up.

Enjoy your retirement, U.J.!

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the annual sale of Buddy Poppies by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States has been officially recognized and endorsed by governmental leaders since 1922; and

WHEREAS, VFW Buddy Poppies are assembled by disabled veterans, and the proceeds of this worthy fundraising campaign are used exclusively for the benefit of disabled and needy veterans, and the widows and orphans of deceased veterans; and

WHEREAS, the basic purpose of the annual sale of Buddy Poppies by the Veterans of Foreign Wars is eloquently reflected in the desire to "Honor the Dead by Helping the Living" therefore,

I, Henry Weinzapfel, Mayor of the City of Muenster, do hereby urge the citizens of this community to recognize the merits of this cause by contributing generously to its support through the purchase of Buddy Poppies on the date set aside for the distribution of these symbols of appreciation for the sacrifices of our honored dead.

I urge all patriotic citizens to wear a Buddy Poppy as mute evidence of our gratitude to the men of this country who have risked their lives in defense of the freedoms which we continue to enjoy as American citizens.

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JELLY SH Community Center 1:30-3:30 - Games & songs Life Teen Movie & Munchies 5-7:30 PM CC Meeting Room	SH Senior Awards Banquet	Diabetic Support Group Meeting 7:30 PM GMH MISD Kindergarten Graduation 7:00 PM MHS Auditorium Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m., S.N.A.P. Center	MMH Auxiliary Meeting 7 PM Adm. Office Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m., S.N.A.P. Center	MISD Last Day of School MISD Elementary Jr. Olympics Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m., S.N.A.P. Center	MISD Graduation 7:30 PM in the New Gym	
Sunday, May 26	Monday, May 27	Tuesday, May 28	Wednesday, May 29	Thursday, May 30	Friday, May 31	Saturday, June 1
Pentecost Spirit Evening SHYM family night 5-8 PM SH Community Center Muller-Herr Reunion at City Park - Noon	Memorial Day Observed SH No School The Muenster Enterprise Closed	Preschool & Kindergarten Moving On Ceremony Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m., S.N.A.P. Center	SH 8th Grade Graduation Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m., S.N.A.P. Center	SH High Graduation Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m., S.N.A.P. Center	SH Teacher Work Day	Muenster Jaycees Bus Trip - Ranger Game

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Lifestyle

Urban Flusche feted on 75th birthday

Members of the Joseph and Mary Flusche family gathered at The Center Restaurant for lunch recently to celebrate the 75th birthday of Urban Flusche of Dallas. Those attending were Ida Neu, Regina Flusche, Magdalen and Raymond Zimmerer, Hazel Flusche, Marie Flusche, Marie and Lawrence Zimmerer, Urban Flusche and Armella Lutkenhaus.

Henscheid, Ann Bayer, Paul, Mark and David Richeson, Sister Anna Marie Flusche, O.P., Gene Flusche and Julie, Rick, Tim and Nathan Falkiewicz.

Coming from Dallas for the event were Urban, Marie and Gene Flusche. Sister Anna Marie came from Houston and the Falkiewicz family from Syracuse, New York. After lunch, the group went to St. Richard's Villa to visit with Anna Henscheid.

Emily Klement honored with special UNT award

Emily Klement of Muenster was one of the area youth leaders honored when the Third Annual Education Appreciation Service presented by Morse Street Baptist Church of Denton was held on Sunday, April 28, 1996. The program was dedicated to all area educators, civic leaders and youth workers immediately following regular Sunday services at the church. The 1996 Image Awards were presented to area leaders who are directly impacting the lives of young people through education, leadership and example. The categories included the Arts, Civil Rights, Community Service, Education, Medicine, Professional, Religion and Parents awards.

Recipients of the Image Award included Mayor Bob Castleberry, Dr. Thomas Patterson, Dr. Renay Ford, UNT, Dr. Betty Adams, TWU, Dr. Margaret Beard, TWU,

Judge Barbara Gailey, Dr. Demetria Ennis, UNT and other Denton youth leaders. Also included was Emily Klement, UNT counselor from Muenster, and Mrs. Sandra Waters, Gainesville.

From the Professional category, Emily Klement was chosen as the Image Award winner. Mrs. Klement works as a special counselor for the University of North Texas football team. She earned her B.S. in Education and M.Ed. in Counseling from UNT. She worked for many years in youth ministry at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Muenster. She is married to Andrew Klement and is the mother of four children and has one grandchild.

The program included music from the Morse Street Baptist Church choir, jazz ensemble from Krum High School and presentation of colors from the Denton High School ROTC.

Miranda celebrates 1!

Miranda Sue Pagel, daughter of Renate and Jacob Pagel, celebrated her first birthday April 16.

On Sunday, April 14, Miranda entertained friends and family in the backyard of her home. Guests enjoyed summer sausage, cheese and crackers, and punch, cake and ice cream. A doll cake baked by her mother and decorated by her grandmother, Tommie Sue Hess, carried out her Cinderella theme.

Guests included her parents; sister and brother Kelsey and Derek; grandparents Pat and Tommie Sue Hess; great-grandmother Leona Hamilton; aunts, uncles and cousins Glenda Russell and Garrett Miller; Marlene, Lacy, Ricky, Kelly, and Sandy Endres; Sharlene, Shannon, and Dainah Hartman; Denise and Nicole Pagel; Stuart Hess;

Rodney and Cindy Hess; and friends Jill Reiter and Dustin Wimmer; Cassie and Krystal Hale; Scott, Gayle and Joshua BaumBach.

On her actual birthday Miranda celebrated with a hot dog cookout at Tom and Lora Hennigan's farm. A chocolate cake was made by Lora. Those attending included her parents and Kelsey and Derek, and Tom, Lora, Ryan and Garrett Hennigan.



MIRANDA PAGEL

Visits Luke relatives

Gene H. Luke of Holbrook, Arizona visited members of the Ben Luke family Saturday night. He was enroute to San Antonio to visit at the bedside of his sister, Dorothy Mae (Luke) Denny who is critically ill. Accompanying him to San Antonio Sunday were his brothers, Father Eugene Luke of St. Peter's Church, Lindsay and Harold Luke of Arlington. They returned Tuesday.



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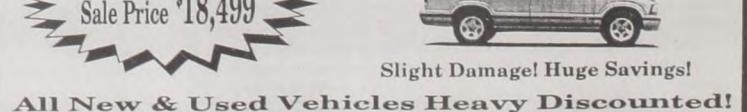
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First Holy Communion Day, whether for children or adults, holds a most important place in their memories and in family observances of treasured events. In importance, First Holy Communion Day is second only to the Day of Baptism.

Parents and other close relatives find various ways to mark the day for special memories. Reunions are frequently included to honor the children or the adults. These are truly "Memories in the Making."

DANIELLE BINDEL

Danielle Renee Bindel, daughter of Ben and Tina Bindel was a member of the First Communion class, on Sunday, April 21 in Sacred Heart Church. She was honored at a family gathering in their home after Mass when family and friends came to help celebrate her special day.

A brisket meal with all the trimmings was served, followed by a special cake.

A Memory Table was set up with a First Communion tablecloth, photographs and keepsakes, from her birth and baptism through her First Communion Day, tracing her "Walk With Jesus." Her special cake, baptism candle and crucifix formed the table centerpiece. A second dining table held a fresh flower arrangement, a special gift from her Granny Herr.

The First Communion cake was made by Danielle's mother - a two-tiered white cake with white icing trimmed with pearls and lace and hearts, and the honoree's name in pink icing. A pewter cross, a special family gift was placed in a keepsake pink silk corsage to decorate the top tier. Danielle's white porcelain souvenir cherub decorated the bottom tier.

Picture taking, visiting, games of basketball and dominoes were enjoyed.

Guests included grandparents Wilfred and Ida Bindel of Muenster and Benny Dan and Edna Garrett of Jacksboro; godparents Chuck and Doris Koessler and their children Jessica, Tony and Kristina; great-uncle Pete Vinson of Jacksboro; special friends Gary and Marlene Fisher and their children Eric, Karl and Lana; and Ann Herr.

Unable to attend but sending good wishes were Aunt Renee and Uncle Stephen Zwigg of The Colony and Aunt Tricia and Uncle Benny Garrett of Rowlette.

Danielle's First Communion veil was made by her godmother. A gold cross and diamond necklace were special gifts from mother to daughter. A porcelain First Communion doll was a gift from Danielle's parents. A porcelain communion girl figurine with her name engraved was a gift from Grandma and Grandpa Bindel. A porcelain First Communion bear was a gift from Grandma and Grandpa Garrett. She also received many other nice and thoughtful gifts.

DAVID ANTHONY WALTERSCHEID

T. J. and Jeannene Walterscheid honored their son, David Anthony on his First Communion Day, Sunday, April 21 following the Mass at 10:30 in Sacred Heart Church.

Gathering to help him observe the special day were great-grandparents Joe and Marie Knauf and grandparents Ray and Lou Voth and Annette

Walterscheid all of Muenster; and the godparents Steve and Brenda Fuhrmann and their children Dee Ann, Dominic and Melissa of Lindsay. Also attending dinner and helping David celebrate were Craig and Maddie Voth. They all joined the hosts T.J. and Jeannene, David and his brother Benjamin for a brisket dinner and special desserts.

The First Communion cake was decorated with a chalice and bible.

Unable to attend, but sending his First Communion prayers for David was his Grandpa Sonny Walterscheid.

ARLIE JOHN BAYER

Arlie John Bayer, son of Paul and Donna Bayer was honored on his special day when he received his First Communion on Sunday, April 21 in Sacred Heart Church at the 10:30 a.m. Mass. A family gathering was held in the home of his godparents, Claude and Mary Bayer, from noon until mid-afternoon.

Aunt Bernadette Walterscheid baked and decorated Arlie John's special cake, as a crucifix, with a figurine of a little boy kneeling at an altar. Aunt Barbara Bayer prepared several meats and vegetables for the dinner and Aunt Mary Bayer prepared vegetables and fruits. The meal was served buffet-style, followed by dessert of cake and ice cream.

Candles were placed on all tables. In the meal prayer, Arlie expressed thanks and appreciation to all his uncles and aunts. He opened and displayed special gifts from all his guests.

Also attending were Grandma and Grandpa Alfred Bayer; Grandma Juanita Knabe; Val Fuhrmann; Barbara and Clinton Bayer; Lucas Bayer; Herbie and Edna Knabe; Eland Green; Bernadette, Jesse and Jeff Walterscheid; Rusty, Angel and Sierra; Mary and Claude Bayer; Kelly Bayer; Paul and Donna Bayer and Sunni.

All enjoyed visiting and playing games.

SHANNON MARIE HARTMAN

Shannon Marie Hartman, daughter of Bobby and Sharlene Hartman was the center of attention at a family gathering held in her honor at home on her First Communion Day.

A formal dinner was served to the honoree, her parents, her sister Dainah and brother Chris; her great-grandmother Mrs. Victor Hartman; her grandparents Alvin and Joanie Hartman and godparent Danny Walterscheid.

Table decorations included Shannon's baptismal candle in Grandmother Joanie Hartman's candle holder. A special lamb cake was made by the paternal grandmother. Shannon wore her Aunt Monica's First Communion veil.

Photos and home movies were made and gifts were opened.

In the late afternoon Shannon and her family went bowling in Gainesville and had supper out at Antonio's Mexican Restaurant.

Telephone greetings came from aunt and godmother Marlene Endres and family, who were unable to attend, so Marlene planned a special surprise by baking a First Communion cake to serve on Wednesday, April 24, after school, with the honoree, her sister Dainah, and Lacy, Kelly, Ricky, Sandy, and Marlene and Phil attending. The special treat was a chocolate cake that held a First Communion girl figurine and a bible.

RYAN FUHRMANN

Ryan Fuhrmann shared honors on his First Communion Day with his cousin, Travis Felderhoff. Both were members of the First Communion Class of 1996 in Sacred Heart Parish.

Ryan is the son of Ron and Patti Fuhrmann and Travis is the son of Tim and Ramona Felderhoff. The family gathering, in observance of the day, was held in Ryan's home where a bountiful fried chicken dinner was served about noon, following the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

A special First Communion cake was baked and decorated by Betty Rose Walterscheid. After opening gifts, pictures were taken.

Ryan's guests were his grandparents, Frank and Eleanor Felderhoff and Mrs. Amanda Fuhrmann. Other guests were Bob, Jolene, Jessica, and Zach Fuhrmann; Scott, Melinda, Rebecca, and Rachel Fuhrmann; Tom, Kelly, Caitlin, and Matthew Huston; Mike, Cathy, Brian, Travis, Simon, Ranae and Jacob Fuhrmann; Jeff, Margie, Thomas and Megan Bass; Tim, Ramona, Kelly, Lisa, Derek, and Travis Felderhoff; Mark, Terrye and Eric Felderhoff; Terry, Kristi and Taylor Felderhoff; also Ryan's parents and brother Sean, sister Hollie; and Brian Knabe.

Mike and Cathy Fuhrmann and Margery Bass are godparents.

The afternoon was spent visiting, playing basketball, croquet, exploring at the creek and playing with new puppies.

KELLY ANN ENDRES

Kelly Ann Endres, daughter of Phil and Marlene Endres, shared honors with her cousin Abby Endres, daughter of Monte and Jacque Endres on their First Communion Day. The celebration was held in Abby's home.

A dinner of smoked chicken and all the trimmings was served at noon after the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Both honorees enjoyed opening gifts, and pictures were taken.

Their special cake was made by Betty Rose Walterscheid. It was decorated with two bibles and two First Communicant girl figurines. The cake carried the inscription, "Today Kelly and Abby received the Bread of Life."

Guests included Phil, Marlene, Lacy, Ricky, and Sandy Endres; Troy and Lisa Pangel; Grandmother Clara Endres; Godmother Glenda Russell; Godfather Clinton Endres and wife Debbie and daughter Karri; Monte, Jacque, Brook, Abby, Erin, and Taylor

Endres; and Paulette Swirczynski.

A special event added to the celebration. On Wednesday, April 24, Marlene made a chocolate cake to celebrate Kelly's First Communion with her cousin Shannon Hartman. Attending the "after-school" mini-party were Phil, Marlene, Lacy, Ricky, and Sandy Endres and Dainah Hartman.

KAREN FLUSCHKE

Jack and Linda Flusche honored their daughter, Karen in observance of her First Communion Day, Sunday, April 21. Karen was a member of the 46 children who received First Eucharist at the 10:30 a.m. Mass in Sacred Heart Church.

They hosted a noon meal in their home after Mass, and invited grandparents Hazel Flusche, and Bill and Terese Miller; Bill Flusche; Rose Hofbauer; Alan and Darlene Miller, Eric, Bryan, Clint and Alison Miller; and Karen's godfather Mark Miller.

Karen wore her cousin, Anne Flusche's First Communion dress. She also wore a cross necklace and cross earrings, gifts from her brothers Greg, John and Jared.

Special First Communion gifts were opened and displayed. A special First Communion cake was made by Betty Rose Walterscheid.

Guests enjoyed an afternoon of visiting and reminiscing.

JENNIFER DOSIA ENDRES

Jennifer Dosa Endres, daughter of Jack and Mary Endres was the center of attention during a family gathering and dinner on her First Holy Communion Day in the home of the maternal grandparents J.D. and Miriam Caplinger. The bountiful dinner menu featured fried chicken and all the trimmings. A First Communion cake, in the shape of a cross, was made by Jenni's Aunt Diann Zimmerer.

Together for the Mass in Sacred Heart Church on Sunday, April 21 at 10:30 a.m.; the family gathering and dinner, and an afternoon of visiting were the grandparents J.D. and Miriam Caplinger, the honoree's parents and family Jack and Mary, and Eric, Scott, and Emily; Uncle Gary and Aunt Diann and cousins Stephen, Natalie, David, and Lydia Zimmerer of Fort Worth; Uncle Paul and Aunt Susan Caplinger of Denton; and Uncle Bob Caplinger of Carrollton.

Gifts were opened and displayed; cake and ice cream were served for dessert.

MEGAN RENAE DANGELMAYR

Megan Renae Dangelmayr, daughter of Richard and Missy Dangelmayr, was honored on her First Communion Day, when her parents and her sisters Deann and Brandy invited members of the Flusche and Dangelmayr families, aunts, uncles and cousins for a family gathering and country barbecue picnic.

Held at their home about noon, after the Mass in Sacred Heart Church, dinnertime followed a country theme.

A cross-shaped cake was made by Megan's mother.

Gifts were opened and displayed. The children played games and rode bikes. Adults visited and reminisced.

Together for the celebration

were the grandparents Dave and Wanda Flusche, and Betty Dangelmayr; the great-grandparents Esther and R.H. Whitman; great-uncle Joe Dangelmayr; Dorothy Hartman; the Mark Felderhoff family; David Flusche family; Neal Flusche family; Shawn Flusche family; Judy and Jami Flusche; James Dangelmayr family; John Dangelmayr family; Jack and Denise Dangelmayr; and the Billy Haverkamp family.

Unable to attend were the great-grandmother Hazel Flusche and son, Bill.

JENNA FELDERHOFF

Jenna Felderhoff, daughter of Billy Felderhoff and Kathy Felderhoff was honored twice on her First Holy Communion Day - at noon at Grandpa and Grandma Thomas Sr. and Barbara Felderhoff's house, and in the evening at Grandpa and Grandma Stoffels house in Lindsay.

The celebration at noon was attended by the hosts; Billy, Keri, Brad and Chelsea Felderhoff; Dianna Bennett; and a number of other aunts, uncles and cousins. Special guests were Chris and Sandy

(Jenna's godmother) Felderhoff and family of Bryan.

A cross-shaped cake was the dining table centerpiece. Cake and ice cream were served after dinner. Presents were opened and displayed. The children enjoyed riding 4-wheeleders and playing at the creek.

The celebration at the home of the Stoffels grandparents in Lindsay featured dinner served in the evening. The table centerpiece was a bouquet of balloons, gift from the hosts. A Precious Moments porcelain figurine topped the First Communion cake, a gift from her mother. Cake and ice cream were served for dessert. Gifts were opened and displayed, and cousins had a great time playing together.

Attending were hosts; Stephanie and Chad Stoffels; Stan, Stephanie, Sarah, Savannah, and Sabrina Stoffels; Dale Walterscheid; Katie, Keri, Brad, and Chelsea Felderhoff; Tim (Jenna's godfather) and Sabrina Stoffels of North Richland Hills were unable to attend, but phoned their good wishes.

Friends and relatives attend Martin Becker funeral May 9

Among relatives and friends attending the funeral of Martin Becker on May 9 were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlabs, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Straffuss, Mr. and Mrs. Chad Straffuss, Rodney Straffuss, and Billy Stubbs all of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Novacek of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knabe of Argyle; Jackie Knabe of Argyle; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Conaway of Kansas City; Mrs. Betty Boaz of Whitesboro.

Dallas; Carol Weatherhead of Sanger; Mr. and Mrs. Alan Perkowski of Plano; Kent Wolf of Denton; and numerous friends from Lindsay, Gainesville and the surrounding area.

Meetings Notice

The Diabetic Support Group will meet on Tuesday, May 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Gainesville Hospital Conference Room. A program on "New Products and Techniques" will be presented by Jerry Meece, Registered Pharmacist, of Plaza Pharmacy in Gainesville. For more information, or to schedule a ride, call Joan Walterscheid at 759-2271.

Lindsay Secular Franciscans send donations, prepare quilt

Lindsay Secular Franciscans held their April meeting with Mrs. Frances Zimmerer in her home. Following the St. Francis song, Minister Therese Hermes led the Holy Spirit prayer; Mrs. Lawrence Zimmerer gave Scripture reading, followed by the Franciscan prayers.

Members voted to send a donation of \$25 to their adopted family in India, the Anthony T. Vadakels, to assist in paying for Mrs. Vadakel's needed medication. Two Masses will be offered, one in May and one in June, for Bernie Schmidkofer, who died recently.

A letter of thanks was received from Fr. Thomas Gardner OFM, of the Franciscan Missionary Union, for a donation of \$50 for the poor in Brazil. Dan and Betty Holmes of St. Francis Village of Crowley sent word that a Fr.

Phil Marquet Memorial fund drive will be held, for repairs to the Cafeterium, and for new appliances for kitchen and dining room, and for more affordable improvements for residents. They plan festivals for April 20, May 18 and others, with arts and crafts etc. Everyone is welcome.

A letter from Chaplain Fr. Richard Miller of Toledo, Ohio thanked the fraternity for 140 rosaries and another letter from Chaplain Dale Guidry of Dalhart, TX for 70 rosaries.

A report was made on authentic artifacts of St. Francis of Assisi that may be viewed in the Italian city.

Members brought their embroidered quilt blocks that will be used for a quilt to raffle.

The meeting closed with the healing and closing prayers and petitions. Hostess Frances Zimmerer served coffee, cake, ice cream, cookies and candy to all present.

Years Ago

50 YEARS AGO

March 29, 1946

Red Cross donations are at 85 percent of goal - first time since beginning of the war that Muenster failed to exceed its quota. Rain and sunshine alternating during past week offer hopes of a fair harvest, in spite of the green bug scare. Forty boys receive Tenderfoot badge in Boy Scout ceremony. Wedding: Lynton I. Coursey and Lillie Mae Jigout are married in Church of Christ in Gainesville.

30 YEARS AGO

March 25, 1966

Residents are warned that roving contractors, fly-by-night roofing repairmen, from distant cities or no city at all, are at it again! "Here today, gone tomorrow" breed of salesmen are interested in getting a customer's dollars, but not interested in doing a satisfactory job. Best advice: check with local dealers. Muenster Hospital Auxiliary will sponsor a variety show program as hospital benefit on Sunday night. Meatless Fridays gain dispensation for students in the Dallas, Ft. Worth Diocese, but only for school lunches, not at home lunches. Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. Knabe celebrate golden wedding anniversary. New Arrivals: Susan Marie Walterscheid to Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Walterscheid; Rita Sue Pels to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pels, Jr.; a son to Mr. and Mrs. Bonny Prescher.



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Hartmans enjoy 10th annual campout

by Judy Hartman
The children and grandchildren of Margaret Hartman and the late Victor Hartman gathered this weekend for their 10th Annual Hartman Campout. Their weekend was filled with fun and games and a lot of delicious German food! The highlight of the gathering was the Saturday evening Mass where Grandmother Hartman received a special Mother's blessing from all of her children. Christy Yosten, who is Grandmother Hartman's youngest grandchild, and her fiancé, Dan Bezner, also received a special blessing for their impending marriage on May 18. All the Hartman great-grandchildren born since the last family campout received a special blessing as well.

Paula Yosten organized a "May Crowning" for the evening Mass. Paula had all the great-grandchildren pick flowers to be placed in vases that stood on each side of the statue of the Blessed Mother.

The 7th Pastures Golf Tournament was a huge success! It was won this year by Robert Gremminger and Kenny Hartman. Gremminger and Hartman received the coveted "green" jackets along with their championship trophies.

Alvin Hartman retained his title of Grand Champion in the Marble Shooting Contest. Alvin's gold trophy displayed a magnificent "shooter!"

John Yosten and his future son-in-law, Dan Bezner, dominated the Horseshoe Tournament - "stomping" the runners-up for the championship!

The Wolf boys, Brad and Scott, each won a trophy in the annual Fishing Tournament, and Jeff Fedor was the Grand Champion with a "whale of a catch!"

Little Christian Cooney won in the tots division and was presented a trophy proclaiming "My First Fish!" Christian is the son of Brenda (Gremminger) and Carl Cooney of Littleton, Colorado.

Uncle Harvey Schmitt delighted everyone again with

his exciting hayrides! This is something everyone looks forward to each year.

All the children were thrilled to visit Uncle Alvin Hartman's farm west of Muenster. The little lambs were the center of attention!

Grandmother Hartman's "Bean Guessing" contest was won this year by Jeanna (Hartman) Sutton of Argyle, TX.

Entertainment around the campfire this year consisted of family skits and a new game planned by Mark Tompkins, son of Edna (Hartman) Tompkins, call HARTMAN FAMILY TRIVIA. Mark put together a family history book which contained a lot of important and unusual facts and trivia. It was exciting to learn more about our "roots!"

Those attending were: Grandmother; Alvin and Joanie Hartman; Jon, Monica, and Kristin LeBrasseur; Bobby, Sharlene, Shannon, and Dainah Hartman; Kenny, Rhonda, Holly, Courtney, and Nolan Hartman.

Also Edna Tompkins; Sharon, Teri Lynn, Jeff, and Dana Fedor and Beverly, a friend; Jim, Deb, Kate, Keith, and Anthony Tompkins; Scott, Karen, and Mark McMonigle; Mark, Belinda, Vic, Carmen and Clay Tompkins; Brian, Jennifer and Meredith Tompkins; Chuck and Mary Beth Cottingham; David, Christine, and Angie Tompkins; Randy, Kay, Angela, Sarah, and John Morrow; Robert, Maggie, Elizabeth, and Anna Gremminger; Carl, Brenda, Christian, and Kathryn Cooney.

Also Carolyn Hartman; Joe, Madonna, Joey, Olivia, Jessica, and Jordan Ramos; David, Mary Grace, Caroline, and Joshua Castor; Russell, Margaret, Will Roy, and Lillian Doubrava; Mike and Amelia Hartman.

Also Walter and Georgia Wolf; Terry, Deanna, Shawna and Matthew, Abbi, and Micah Halbert; Chris, Marla, Brad, Jackie, Jory, Mary, and Christin Wolf; Scott, Craig, and Kevin Wolf.

Also Gene and Judy Hartman; Tim, Jeanna, Lance, Bailey Sutton; Dana, Pam, Kimberly, Trent, and Brandon Bloedel; Doug Hartman, Dee and Bryanna Heath.

Harvey and Della Schmitt; Michelle and Timothy Schmitt; Douglas and Vickie, Mikayla and Mikenzie Fleitman; John, Debbie, and Karli Anderle.

Also John and Pat, Paula and Christy Yosten, Dan Bezner, Melinda Otwell.

New Arrivals

Fleitman

Wayne and Cyndi Fleitman of Pearland, Texas announce the birth of their daughter, Briley Jane Fleitman, on Saturday, April 27, 1996, in Saint John's Hospital in Nasau Bay. Briley was born at 5:45 a.m. She weighed 9 lb. 9 oz. and measured 22 inches in length. Welcoming Briley are two brothers, four year old Dax, and two year old Dean. Grandparents are Annette Fleitman of Lindsay and the late Henry Fleitman, and Israel and Elida Garza of Mercedes, Texas. There are two great-grandparents, Lena Fleitman of Lindsay and Rita Garza of Mercedes.

Correction

In the ad for the 60th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hess, the location of the celebration was not included. It will be held at the home of Angelo and LaVerna Nasche.

Reunion Muller-Herr

The annual Muller-Herr reunion will be held the traditional Memorial Day weekend, Sunday, May 26 at noon at Muenster City Park, with a cookout. Please bring folding chairs, and a covered dish for dinner.



PAIGE HENNIGAN

Paige turns two!

Paige Madison Hennigan celebrated her second birthday on Saturday, May 4 with family and friends. She is the daughter of Kim and Joe Hennigan. A fried chicken supper with all the trimmings was served in the parents' home. A birthday cake, decorated in a Barney theme, and ice cream was enjoyed by all. Afterwards, gifts were opened with the help of cousins and friends and videos were taken.

Guests included Great-grandparents Evelyn and Floyd Cook; Uncle Wayne, Aunt

Tresa, Collen, Anthony and Mikie Cook all of Nocona; Grandparents Shirley and Calvin Cooper; Grandmother Alice Hennigan; Uncle Mike, Aunt Janie, Michelle and Meredith Hennigan; Aunt Lora and Garrett Hennigan; Uncle Tim Hennigan; cousins Justin and Krystal Wolf.

Also friends Craig, Connie, Emily and Sadie Stoffels; Joanna Estes; and Great-aunt Roena McQueary of McKinney.

After the party, Paige visited with Grandpa Pat Hennigan at Muenster Memorial Hospital.

Chisam celebrates first



CHISAM REITER

Chisam Patrick Reiter recently celebrated his first birthday on May 7 with a dinner party at his home.

Chisam is the son of Lloyd and Mary Reiter. He enjoyed a decorated cake made by his mother, and playing with his cousins.

Helping Chisam celebrate were his siblings, Travis, Karissa and Austin. Also his grandparents, Wilfred and Polly Reiter and Julius and Marcella Metzler.

Also in attendance were Roger Reiter; Keith, Kay, Kyle, Kevin, and Kristen Grewing and great-aunt Marcella Hess.

Walk-Around-The-Square to be held May 18 in Denton

The volunteer Council of Denton State School will hold its 9th Annual Walk-Around-The-Square on Saturday, May 18, from 7:00 a.m. until noon at the historic Denton Courthouse.

It promises to be a fun event for everyone as it includes clowns, balloons, food and a silent auction with items designed by local artists. The proceeds have been earmarked for the construction of the North Texas Physical Management Center. When this building is constructed, the facility will have the ability to provide specialized seating systems for people with developmental disabilities in Northern Texas. \$430,000 of the needed \$500,000 has already been raised.

To participate in this event, people are asked to have sponsors support them as they walk between one and 26 laps around the Denton Square. Walkers will be eligible for prizes according to how much money they raise. Money can be turned in on the day of the Walk-A-Thon. For more information call 817-591-3630.

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Gratitude Is Expressed

*From the family of Martin Becker
To the many dear friends of Marty.*

The nurses and staff of Muenster Memorial Hospital, Dr. Kralicic, Dr. Advincula, and his nurse Shirley Endres for the wonderful care during Marty's brief illness.

The clergy who attended to his spiritual welfare, especially Father Frowin Schoech, OSB for his daily visits and his special funeral homily. To Father David Bellinghausen, OSB for the comfort given and a beautiful wake service.

To the Sacred Heart Men's Choir for making the liturgy very special and something Marty would have been proud of. Mass servers, Eucharistic Ministers and Pallbearers who greatly enhanced what proved to be a very touching service.

The Catholic Daughters who worked ably in preparing a delicious meal for family, relatives, and friends who savored both meal and reminiscing. To the Knights of Columbus for the use of their hall as a place to meet and visit.

The McCoy Funeral Home which provided considerate and very professional service in our time of sorrow.

To Mary Lou Hess, Ella Mae Rohmer and Barbara Felderhoff for always being there with an ear to listen or shoulder to cry on.

To all of Marty's friends that visited him at home especially Johnny Rohmer, Tommy Felderhoff, and Leo Hess for their numerous visits and support.

To the student body of Sacred Heart School for all their prayers, cards, and support. A special thanks for attending the service.

To all who sent food, flowers, mass offerings or attended the services, we may not have been able to thank you personally, but we knew you were there, please accept our thanks for everything.

Last but certainly not least, the people who milked the cows for Paul or helped in any other way, a special big thank you.

Thank you is a simple phrase that hardly seems adequate to cover all that our friends have done for us. If we have left anyone out please forgive us. Friends are truly one of the nicest gifts we have on this earth. Thank you ...to all of our many friends.

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MISD honors students at Elementary Banquet

Muenster Elementary students were recognized at their annual awards banquet Tuesday, May 7, in the Sacred Heart Community Center. A eastern theme of "Education - the Heart of Texas" was carried out in decoration and costume.

Pat Fuhrmann began the program with the welcome, followed by the invocation by Justin Josselet and the response by Kami Klement. Megan Lippe introduced the master of ceremonies, Rose Iudspeth, president of the Muenster P.T.O.

After a meal of pizza and salad, Rose Iudspeth handed out the PATS award to students who made the honor roll throughout the school year. Many students received gift certificates to local and participating merchants.

Teachers then presented their students with "A" and "B" honor roll and perfect attendance medals. (Honor rolls will appear in a future issue of the Muenster Enterprise.)

Receiving special awards were: John Cowden, Jenna Gertsberger, Tiffany Jewkes, Matt Beaver, Jessica Fisher, Lauren Shears, Noah Barnhill, Felicia Jewkes, Eric Stoffels, Chad Hess, Jesse Hess, Casey McAden, Bryan Bayer, Kallie Gertsberger, Shannon Grewing, Bill Hacker, Joseph Cowden, Dustin Felderhoff, Cassie Sicking, Aaron Walterscheid, Mindy Walterscheid, Justin Carrier, Justin Barnhill, Shelton Coughenour, Justin Thweatt, Alisha Walterscheid, Jami Gertsberger, Crystal Hacker, Chris Johnson, Dewayne Montgomery, Kyle Fuhrmann, Megan Grewing, Mark Moster, and Ryan Smith.

Students were also recognized for 600 minutes reading, UIL participation and placing (May 3rd Enterprise) and other contest awards.

Door prizes were drawn to conclude the evening. Winners were Sean Fuhrmann, Brad Endres, JoAnna Felderhoff, Layla Khalil, Kami Klement, Megan Dangelmayr, Chad Hess, Jessica Fisher and Emily Smith.

Benediction was given by Michael Endres.

Receiving perfect attendance awards were: Casey Bayer, Aicah Bayer, Megan Felderhoff, Jessica Hartman, Meredith Hennigan, Stevie Tankersley, Collin Walterscheid, Jennifer Endres, Keaton Haverkamp, Jace Koelzer, Jared Sicking, Jordan Walterscheid, Stevie Klement, Whitney Watson, Jared Brittain, Joseph Dangelmayr, Kirk Hartman, Darrell Henscheid, Robyn Hermes,

NCTC Art Show winners are announced

Art Deco-Black & White was the theme of the 31st Annual North Central Texas College Art Show recently held at North Central Texas College. The NCTC Activities Center came to life with all the beautiful entries that were entered this year," said Mary Frances Van Pelt, NCTC Art instructor and head of art show.

"This year was one of the biggest shows that we've had in several years," added Van Pelt. The judges said that the quality of work in the show was some of the best work that they have seen in a long time."

Jeanann Biffle received Honorable Mention on the college level in Pastels.

Local winners in the School Division are as follows:
ART SHOW WINNERS
 First Grade - 1st, Roman Vogel, Muenster; 2nd, Amber Fuhrmann, Sacred Heart; Honorable Mention, Amanda Schad, Lindsay.

Second Grade - 2nd, Ashley Otts, Lindsay; 3rd, Jessica Walker, Lindsay.

Third Grade - Honorable Mention, Ashley Putman, Lindsay; Honorable Mention, Brian Brown, Lindsay; Honorable Mention, Rachel Kriss, Lindsay.

Fourth Grade - 1st, Kate Sepanski, Sacred Heart; 3rd, Andrea Bonin, Lindsay; Honorable mention, Bryson Overstreet, Lindsay.

Fifth Grade - 1st, Chris Fuhrmann, Sacred Heart; 2nd, Keith Turner, Lindsay; 3rd, Brittany Williams, Lindsay.

Sixth Grade - 1st, Grant Hartman, Muenster; 2nd, Lisa Rohmer, Sacred Heart; 3rd, Sara Sepanski, Sacred Heart.

Eleventh Grade - 1st, Rudy Hellman, Lindsay; Honorable Mention, John Bartush, Sacred Heart.

SCULPTURE AND CRAFTS
 Ninth-Twelfth Grades - 1st, Rebecca Endres, Sacred Heart.

Farm Bureau offers scholarships to seniors

Texas Farm Bureau has several scholarships available to high school seniors. To be eligible, the students must compete in a Farm Bureau contest.

Contests offered through the Cooke County Farm Bureau include the Talent Find, Miss Texas Farm Bureau contest

and the Free Enterprise Speech. Each competition has a set of rules and guidelines to follow.

For more information on the contest and scholarships, come by the Cooke County Farm Bureau office in Gainesville. The deadline to enter is July 1.

Lunch Menus

WEEK OF MAY 20 - 24 MUESTER ISD

Mon. - BREAKFAST: Donuts, juice, milk. LUNCH: Tacos w/Meat and Cheese, lettuce, baked beans, fruit, pumpkin bread, milk.
 Tues. - BREAKFAST: Grilled ham and cheese on toast, juice, milk. LUNCH: Hamburger w/Trimmings, French fries, fruit, milk.
 Wed. - BREAKFAST: Pancakes w/syrup, juice, milk. LUNCH: Manager's Choice.
 Thur. - BREAKFAST: Cinnamon toast, juice, milk. LUNCH: Choice of Sandwiches w/lettuce and tomatoes, fruit, milk.

LINDSAY ISD

Mon. - Chicken fried steak, scalloped potatoes, gravy, carrots/English peas, fruit cobbler, bread, milk.
 Tues. - Tacos w/trimmings, applesauce, Pinto beans, fruit, bread, milk.
 Wed. - Chili dog, baked beans, broccoli rice casserole, pickle spears, fruit, milk.
 Thur. - Manager's choice.
 Fri. - Teacher Work Day/Graduation.

SACRED HEART SCHOOL S.N.A.P.

Menus subject to change this month (May).
 Mon. - Tomato soup, toasted cheese sandwiches, celery, apples, milk.
 Tues. - Taco salad, refried beans, lettuce, tomatoes, cheese, fruit, bread, milk.
 Wed. - Baked ham, potato salad, green beans, pineapple, bread, milk.
 Thur. - Pizza, black-eyed peas, salad, Jello, milk.
 Fri. - Hamburgers w/trimmings, French fries, ice cream, milk.

ERA ISD

BREAKFAST: Oatmeal, cereal, toast, fruit, juice, milk.
 WEDNESDAY SPECIAL: None.
 NO SNACK BAR THIS WEEK
 Mon. - Assorted meat entrees, assorted vegetables, salad, assorted fruits, hot roll, milk.
 Tues. - Pizza, corn, peaches, salad, oatmeal cookie, milk.
 Wed. - Grilled ham and cheese sandwich, potato chips, pickle spears, pear half, ice cream, milk.
 Thur. - School Out!

Pentecost Spirit evening set for May 26

MISD is out of school. It's Memorial Day Weekend. And the Church is another year old! It's a SHYM family night! All are invited: Moms, Dads, brothers, sisters, the whole family! Come to the main hall of the Community Center on Pentecost (May 26), from 5 to 8 p.m. to partake of a birthday celebration for the Church. There will be songs. There will be games. There will be food, but only if you bring it!! Please

contact Eric at 759-2511 ext. 44 or 759-4743 if you're coming, and what dish you can bring to share, and he'll coordinate the whole thing so we're not all eating brownies only and drinking water to boot! Plan to come now! R.S.V.P. early to assist preparation time. JELLY and Life Teeners, once again it's a chance for you to see your folks do what they encourage you to do, so please, encourage them, too! See ya there!

Young Writers get a taste of success in Lindsay

Good Writing Skills are an essential ingredient in the recipe for success, and teachers at Lindsay High School are striving to ensure that their students are equipped with these important skills.

As part of a nationwide publication to prepare students in language arts, local teachers have taken advantage of a nationwide publication that is devoted to the betterment of literary skills.

The High School Writer is a monthly classroom teaching magazine developed to provide a "real audience" for students and thereby foster the desire among young people to learn good reading and writing skills. The magazine consists of works written by students and includes fiction as well as nonfiction, essays, and poetry.

The High School Writer is published by Writer Publications of Grand Rapids, Minnesota, which received more than 30,000 manuscripts from all over the U.S. during the 1995-1996 school year. More than 3000 pieces were selected by the editorial staff and published in nine monthly issues during the year. Writer Publications has just completed its eleventh year of providing publishing opportunities for young writers.

"I applaud the efforts of teachers at Lindsay High School for their dedication to the teaching of reading and writing," commented Writer Publications' founder and publisher, Donald Kain. "Your teachers deserve a real pat on the back for a job well done."

According to Betsy Fleitman, sophomore English teacher at Lindsay High School, published students will receive special recognition for their accomplishment and will be presented with certificates of Literary Merit by local school officials at the Annual Awards Banquet May 16. The award recipients from Lindsay High are: Abby Bezner, daughter of Will and Catherine Bezner; Nicole Crutsinger, daughter of Breck and Tammy Montgomery, and Glenn and Suzanne Crutsinger; Carrie Hundt, daughter of Richard and Debbie Hundt; Sadie Trammel, daughter of Alan and Jill Trammel; and Connie Wang, daughter of George and Agnes Wang.

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Brad Hermes earns recognition in Denton

Bradford Hermes of Sanger was named "Who's Who Among American High School Students" for the second year in a row. Brad is a Sophomore at Denton High School where he is a Renaissance Purple Card Member, member of the National Honor Society, Key Club, varsity football team, junior varsity baseball team, and co-president of the ASL Club. Brad was also awarded Scholar of the Month for September 1995, Student of the Year for ASL II, and the Outstanding Achievement

Award for geometry honors. He has been on the all "A" honor roll every 6 weeks this year. He currently has a 4.16 GPA, taking honors classes in biology and geometry.

Formerly of Lindsay, Brad is the son of Paula and Kenneth Hermes of Sanger, and is the grandson of Henry and Jeanette Popp and Julius and Clara Hermes all of Lindsay. He is the great-grandson of Hazel Flusche of Muenster and Lena Zimmerer and Cecilia Hermes of Lindsay.

SH Preschool Parents Group sees demonstrations

Sacred Heart Preschool Parents' Group met on May 6 at 7 p.m. in the preschool. Kim Felderhoff presided. Several students demonstrated various programs on computers.

Mackenzie Herr showed how to do memory games, and matching numbers. She also did word sorting. Tanner Herr demonstrated the Reader Rabbit program matching pictures, words, and letter sounds. Joe Hesse showed how to use Math Rabbit on the computer. He counted and matched numbers. Kalyssa Pollard showed how to find objects that start with the

same letter. She read a story on the computer. Natalie Endres also did the Reader Rabbit on computer. She found objects with the letter S, and words.

The Preschool "Moving On" ceremony will be held on May 28 at 7 p.m. at the Sacred Heart Community Center. All parents, families and grandparents are invited to attend.

Rita Bayer was elected president of the Preschool Parent Group for next year. Jane Satree was elected treasurer. Stacie Miller is club reporter.

Career exploration offered

Is your kid a whiz at computer? Is he or she ready for something a little more challenging? Then you might look into an enrichment program for students in grades 8-12 being taught at Texas A&M University's Galveston Campus this summer.

A course in computer multimedia design is only one of 12 courses for talented and gifted students being taught as part of a program called "Galveston Island Adventure".

This is a two week residential study program for high ability students that allow them to explore a career field as a possible area of future interest.

The multimedia course joins marine biology, medicine, oceanography, photography, drama, robotics/tinker toy engineering, veterinary medicine, seascapes art, and dancing are in the line up this summer.

In the multimedia course, students will learn how to combine text, illustration, photos, sound, narration, animated and video into the same computer presentation. The course also includes a field trip to a professional multimedia design firm.

The Galveston Island Adventure will be conducted in three sessions this summer. Session I runs June 16-29 and Session II runs July 14-27. The multimedia course, along with advanced marine biology, will be included in Session III. A one week mini-session held June 30-July 6.

For more information on the Galveston Island Adventure program, contact Kyle Jackson (or Marie Armstrong-secretary) with Texas A&M university at Galveston's talented and gifted programs at (409) 740-4521/4924/4525.

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Sports



Local tracksters compete at state meet

Muenster's Julia Fleitman, competed at the UIL Texas track and field meet last weekend in Austin. Julia increased her regional time by 2 seconds in the 800 meter run, but settled for fifth place with a time of 2:23.97. "Julia did a super job at the meet," commented Coach Kent Josselet. "Our goal going in was to improve her time. This time was a personal best for her and she broke the school record. Congratulations, Julia, for a super track season." The race was won by Kassidy Todd of Rocksprings, finishing at 2:18.4 in the event.

JULIA FLEITMAN completes her first lap of the 800m race at the UIL State Track & Field Meet in Austin last week. Her time of 2:23.9 put her in 5th place.

Courtesy Photo

Oops!

The Muenster Enterprise was incorrectly informed last week when we stated that Jake McCoy was the first Tiger to earn the state gold medal in the 110m hurdles. Last season, Scott Frost brought the gold in the 110m hurdles with a time of 16.0.

In 33 days, history will be made ... ask Bob Bauer how!

Lindsay sent 3 relay teams and a shot put contestant to state. The Knights 1600m relay finished strong and brought home third place bronze medals. The team of Zack Bowman, Kenny Jones, Garret Hellinger and Casey Forson, ran for the only medal awards to area athletes at state. The come-from-behind race was finished at 3:27.51. Paducah won the relay in 3:20.8.

The Knights also competed in the 400 meter relay. Robert Sharp, Bowman, Forson and Jones came in 4th with a 43.82 finish.

Jeff Hale threw a 50'5" shot put, improving his regional throw. Hale settled for 5th place.

The Lady Knights also ran in the 1600 meter relay, finishing in sixth place. Running a time of 4:16.05 were Dee Dee Dudenhoffer, Molly Trammell, Christine Fuhrmann and Amanda Hellinger.



AWARDED "Most Improved Athletes" at the Sacred Heart Sports Banquet on Thursday, May 2, were Brandon Bayer, football; Stephen Bartush, track; and David Hesse, basketball.

Dave Fette Photo



MOLLY TRAMMELL takes the stick from Dee Dee Dudenhoffer to start the 2nd leg of the 1600m relay. The Lady Knights were challenged at the UIL State Track Meet.

Photo Courtesy Nocona News

Sacred Heart athletes honored

To close the 1995-1996 athletic season the Sacred Heart Alumni Association honored the athletes of Sacred Heart School with a banquet and awards on Thursday night. The evening was opened by Sacred Heart Principal Jack Murdock with the invocation. A meal was then served.

Athletic Director Jon LeBrasseur gave a recap on the success of the Sacred Heart student-athletes throughout the year. The swim team completed a successful season under the direction of Michael Ann Rigler and Jeannene Flusche. The cross-country squads had another fine campaign as the boys finished runner-up in the state meet and the girls again took home the championship.

The football team under the direction of John Nasche advanced to the playoffs. The volunteer coaches, Julian Walterscheid, Danny Walterscheid, Sylvan Walterscheid, Robert Wilbur, and Jason Biffle were thanked for their time and talents. The Dance Team and Cheer Squad were acknowledged for their spirit and excellent performances under the direction of Linda Ellender, Anne Poole, and Jennifer Fuhrmann.

The basketball squads had successful seasons with the boys fighting to the wire to make the playoffs and the Tigerettes finishing with a 23-8 mark and claiming the Forestburg Tournament and the Red River Shoot-Out title.

During the Spring Season the Tennis squads improved under the direction of Anne Poole with two doubles teams and a single qualifying for state. The golfers fell short of their quest for state but show signs for next season as all return. The track squads again were tops in the state as the Tigers finished third and the Tigerettes won their third consecutive title.

Athletes were awarded letters by John Nasche and Jon LeBrasseur, and special presentations were given to the athletes who qualified for a letter jacket. Mr. Neil Hesse-Alumni President, awarded letter jackets to Jennifer Campbell, John Bartush, Dobe Fleitman, Michael Flusche, Brandy Gilpen, Leslie Grewing, Corey Hess, Jill Hess, Tanya Knauft, Kelly Rigler, Paul Swirczynski, Melinda Vickers, and Tara Yosten.

Five seniors were awarded \$100.00 savings bonds in their name to benefit Sacred Heart School. The outstanding three sport seniors were: Michael Becker, Jake McCoy, Brandon Bayer, Nicole Endres, and Jeanna Trammel.

To conclude the program Neil Hesse presented a thank-you gift to the retiring Julian Walterscheid. Walterscheid has donated many years of service to the Tigers and will be greatly missed.

Seventy-six of the school's eighty-three students participated in athletics the 1995-1996 year.

Big Red Basketball Camp is coming!

The Big Red Basketball Camp will be May 27-30 at the MISD gym under the direction of Coach Ted Heers. Cost is \$40 per camper, \$35 for 2nd family member and \$30 for third. There will be four divisions, with the boys camp

from 8:30-11:30 a.m. and the girls 1:00-4:00 p.m. daily. The swim party will be May 30, 7:00-10:00 p.m.

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Results announced for NT Championship Tug-of-War

by Janet Felderhoff
After three rounds of tugs in the annual North Texas Championship Tug of War, T & D Construction claimed the 1996 men's title. Team members Brian Hermes, Chris Klement, Kevin Parsons, Steven Knabe, Lance Sandmann, Matt Bezner, Rick Sandmann, and John Fangman were coached by Jerry Hess.

Receiving second place honors was Ray's Used Equipment. They pulled for seven minutes and 32 seconds before relinquishing the championship to T & D Construction. Members of Ray's Used Equipment were Coach Greg Fuller, Richard Beverage, Bill Hogan, Cody Goolsby, Robert Fuller, Brad Seay, Robin Walker, Jeff Tucker, and Chris Lobban.

In the first round of the competition Denton Team lost to Ray's Used Equipment after a 10 minutes, two second pull. In the second pull of the evening T & D Construction took only one minute to defeat Tug On This.

There were only two women's teams entered in the tug. Dawn Slavens, Audrey Robins, Suzzane Mickalski, Beth Baton, Vallery Headrick, Kathy Fain, Beth Lester, Robyn Headrick, with Coach Bob Fain took seven minutes, six seconds to wrench the championship title from The Hangovers.

Members of The Hangovers were Lori Sparks, Stacy Duraney, Shannon Mitchell, Debra Bond, Sherri Garcia, Frieda Driggers, Patsy Rose, and Trudy Ware.



WORK HAS BEGUN on rebuilding Muenster's track. A French drain has been installed to remove moisture from under the track. Work around the field will begin after the American Cancer Society Relay For Life June 7-8. Janie Hartman Photo



TUG-OF-WAR CHAMPIONS - T & D Construction, above, and, Below, The Hammers. Photo by Ben Bindel



Six Flags Over Texas opens May 11 for daily operation

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Bring anything you would like to eat or drink on the bus (no Styrofoam coolers will be allowed on the bus). No cans, glass objects, or alcoholic beverages may be brought into the ballpark. No one under 21 may purchase or consume alcoholic beverages in the Ballpark. Any coolers must fit under seats (16x16 or smaller).

For more information and reservations call Mark Klement, home 759-4019, or 82 Liquor 759-4343.

Limited seating...Call soon!

The bus will be leaving the parking lot of MISD football field at 4:00 p.m. sharp, to allow time to look over the new stadium or shop in its stores before the game. The cost is \$25 per ticket which includes bus ride and home run porch seating.

Windthorst's 104th birthday celebration planned June 1

The community of Windthorst will be celebrating 104 years of existence on Saturday and Sunday June 1st and 2nd. There will be a golf scramble at the Archer City County Club beginning at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday June 1st. To enter the golf scramble call David Veitenheimer at 817-423-6201 or 423-6780 after 5:00 p.m.. Sage will perform at the dance on Saturday night beginning at 8:30 p.m. and ending at 12:30 a.m. No one under 21 will be admitted to the dance.

Sunday's activities will start at noon and conclude with the end of the Auction. Activities include : Sand volleyball, horseshoes, Dairy Durby Fun Run, bingo, sweet stroll, kids games, church tours, raffle, country store and the auction to benefit the parish. To enter the Dairy Durby Fun Run call Diane Conrady 817-423-6305 or Scotta Schroeder 817-423-6672.

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 To Dr. Edd Advincula, Shirley Endres, the SUPER nurses and dieticians at Muenster Memorial Hospital as well as Fr. David and Fr. Frownin for the excellent care and treatment of Mom. It was a great relief knowing she was in expert hands during the many weeks of her recent illness.

Sincerely,
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NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE
 The City of Muenster will hold a public hearing at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, June 10, 1996, at the Muenster City Hall, 400 North Main Street, in regard to the proposed paving of North Elm Street from First Street to Third Street and of West Second Street from Main Street to Maple Street and in regard to curbing these streets where no curb presently exists. The public hearing is also in regard to curbing of North Cedar Street from Ninth Street to FR 373 for those curbs identified as needing replacement.

The purpose of the meeting is to allow landowners of property abutting the improvements an opportunity to discuss and provide input on how much special benefits the improvements may put upon their land. The city encourages these landowners to participate in this discussion and to make their views known at this public meeting. Landowners unable to attend may submit their views and proposals to the City Administrator's Office during regular office hours. Handicapped individuals who wish to attend this meeting should contact Micallee Matson, City Secretary, at 817-759-2236 to arrange for assistance.

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) 728-7741 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, TX 76302, but must be received no later than 10 days after the public meeting.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Reverend Joseph J. Weinzapfel, Deceased, were issued on May 14, 1996, in Docket No. 14250, pending in the County Court of Cooke County, Texas, to: Reverend Thomas W. Weinzapfel.

The residence of the Independent Executor is in Dallas County, Texas, the post office address is: 3030 Gus Thomasson, Dallas, Texas 75228.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 14th day of May, 1996.

Chuck Bartush Jr.,
 Attorney for the Estate

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Adolph Walterscheid, Deceased, were issued on May 14, 1996, in Docket No. 14248, pending in the County Court of Cooke County, Texas, to: Sylvan Walterscheid.

The residence of the Independent Executor is in Cooke County, Texas, the post office address is: Route 2 Box 44, Muenster, Texas 76252.

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Country Tidings
 by Ruth Smith

Mrs. Gladys Bathrop and Mrs. Anna Kirk attended the graduation of nurses of NCTC Friday evening in the Gainesville High School Auditorium of which Mrs. Jill Bathrop was a member of the class. Guests of Mrs. Gladys Bathrop and other relatives during the weekend were Mrs. Sybil Smith of Texarkana, Ark. and daughter Jan Smith of Irving, Mrs. Sandra Lehman of Iowa Park, and daughter Mrs. Kellye Beavers and son Austin of Irving. They all attended Memorial Day Saturday for the Rosston Cemetery. Jerry Bathrop of Muenster had dinner with Mrs. Gladys Bathrop Sunday.

Mrs. Odessa Berry had hip surgery in Baylor Hospital in Dallas Tuesday. She is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Keeling of Victorville, CA are visiting her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hutson and other relatives. They are also visiting some friends in Mounds, OK. Mrs. Mozelle Hutson visited her mother and others in the Saint Jo Nursing Home Sunday evening. She also visited Mrs. Jo Dell Gaston in Saint Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Christian had as their guests during the week their sons Fred Christian of Stephenville Tuesday night, Bill and Dorothy Christian of Stephenville Wednesday to Friday, Jimmy and Sandy Christian Monday. All the boys called their mother Ruth on Mother's Day and offered their Mother's Day greetings.

Miss Lois Bewley and Clyde had as their guests during the week Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bewley of Pampa, Mrs. Ima King of Bowie, Clifton and Loveta Bewley.

Ruth Smith and Mrs. Glenda Vowell of Valley View attended training classes in Denton Saturday.

Mrs. Juanita Greanead had as her guest Sunday for Mother's Day her son Ran from Decatur. Ran treated his mother to dinner for Mother's Day.

Shirley and Johnny Brogdon of Miami spent Sunday night with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson. John and Edna Paddock of Montague visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jackson Sunday.

We have received about three tenths of an inch of rain today (Monday) and are ready for some more anytime. I am thankful for every drop of rain that falls and I think all the livestock and cattle are too. Can't say much about the cattle market - but maybe it is a little stronger in spots. But we will make it some way. We have to survive the storm.

Farm & Ranch



County Agent's Report by Craig Rosenbaum

1996 FARM BILL SERIES

With this week's column we will begin a series on major changes in implementations of the 1996 Farm Bill. Tim Gilbert, FSA Manager, has reviewed this series which starts this week with Landlord/Tenant Relationships.

1996 Farm Bill - Landlord/Tenant Relationships

Probably the most contentious implementation issues associated with the 1996 Farm Bill are the distribution of contract payments, who signs up the farm, and what are the landlord/tenant rights under the legislation. While this is a evolving issue, USDA has released the following guidelines.

Who can enter into a contract?

- Owner of eligible cropland that assumes some of the risk of producing a crop.
- A share lease tenant, of eligible cropland regardless of the length of lease, if the owner also enters into the same contract.
- A cash lease tenant of eligible cropland under a lease expiring on or after September 30, 2002. In this case the owner is not required to enter into the same contract.
- A cash lease tenant of eligible cropland under a lease expiring before September 30, 2002. In this case the owner may enter into the same contract.
- Owner of eligible cropland who cash leases the cropland to a tenant with a contract that expires before September 30, 2002, and the tenant declines to enter into a contract. Contract payments, however, will not begin until the cash lease expires.

The owners consent will be required if the tenant desires to enroll less than 100 percent of the eligible cropland into the contract.

The entire eligible cropland on a farm or a portion can be enrolled into a production flexibility contract. In addition, the farm may subsequently reduce (but not increase) the acreage covered by the contract. In order to be eligible for contract payment loans and other program benefits, catastrophic crop insurance is required for each crop of economic significance unless the producer provides a written waiver of eligibility for emergency crop loss assistance.

Guidelines for Dividing Contract Payments

USDA is required to protect the interests of the tenants and to share contract payments on a fair and equitable basis. State tenancy laws have to be followed and are not preempted by the language of the 1996 Farm Bill. Therefore, as long as proper notification and process is followed, landlords can change tenants and renegotiate lease arrangements without being in violation of the fairness language required relative to tenants and sharecroppers.

USDA indicates that the following general rules apply to the division of payments among producers on eligible cropland.

- If the entire farm is cash leased the owner is not entitled to any contract payments.
- If the farm is share leased, the contract payments must be shared. This does not mean that the contract payment share has to be the same as the crop shares, but must be within the normal range of shares in the area. USDA indicates, however, if the producers and the farm owner can agree on how the contract payments are shared then they can approve the contract. If they can not agree, then the funds will be in escrow until such agreement is reached.
- When a share lease expires, the division of payments can be adjusted in a new agreement.
- When a lease expires, the owner can assume total control of the land and receive all the payments if the farm is planted or maintained as required by USDA.
- If the farm is sold, the new producers could elect to receive contract payments and decide how they are divided as long as they meet the other terms of the contract. The original owners and tenants have no right to the contract payments when the farm is sold.

The information in this paper represents the implementation status as of this date. As always, urge your clientele to check with the local FSA office for subsequent changes and interpretations before making their final decisions.

For any specific questions concerning any item in this first series, contact Tim Gilbert, FSA Manager, at 665-4397.

PECAN CASEBEARER

With budget constraints, we do not have the Pecan Casebearer temperature models this year. However, it appears that homeowners will need control for the casebearer about June 1 in Cooke County. There is a new pheromone trap available for monitoring pecan nut casebearers. This trapping system was developed by Dr. Jocelyn Millar from the University of California and our own Dr. Allen Knutson, Extension Entomologist. Extensive demonstrations last summer in some 25 orchards proved the effectiveness of this new trapping system. If you need information on the new pheromone traps, we have this information available at the County Extension Office.



Write
On
Janie Hartman

Weather predictions
Predicting the weather has always had its folklore or superstitions. Maybe you've heard a few of these:

It's going to be a cold winter if 1) animals store lots of food, 2) animals hair is extra thick in the fall, 3) if there is heavy bark on the north side of a tree.

The first thunder after the last snow brings a tornado.

When cows come home early, there is a storm coming.

To predict rain: if jackrabbits move around at noon, if mockingbirds sing at night, when chickens take dust baths, if lightning bugs fly low, if a cat eats grass, if a cow kicks backwards, if a dog chases his tail, or when a circle is around the moon.

And speaking of rain, I even use this one myself; the number you count to between seeing lightning and hearing the thunder will give you the number of miles away the storm is.

From *Roosters, Rhymes and Railroad Tracks*, by George Headricks.



Higher milk prices reflect farm crisis

DRY WEATHER CONDITIONS, that brought in the spring, had many Texans worried that there would be a lack of wild flowers this year. Mother Nature worked her miracles and peppered many Cooke County roadsides with numerous colorful flowers. Though bluebonnets and Indian paintbrushes were scarce, primroses, at left, have taken over many areas.

Janie Hartman Photo

Consumers throughout the Southwest will be facing higher prices for their milk in the coming weeks due to the soaring production costs dairy farmers are experiencing. Production costs are expected to increase through the summer as dairymen cope with grain and hay shortages brought on by drought conditions and increased world demand for U.S. grain.

Feed costs are running about 45 percent higher than a year ago and there seems to be no end in sight. Consumers can expect to pay 20-25 cents more per gallon for milk in the coming weeks.

Economic hardship on the nation's dairy farms has caused the closing of nearly one-fourth of all dairies operating in 1990. As dairy farmers exit the business, at least one-third of their cows are being taken out of production, thus reducing the total number of cows available to produce milk across the nation. Less cows mean less milk with the end result being higher prices for consumers.

No one knows how long the crisis will last. A bumper grain crop in the Midwest this summer will be required to keep dairymen in business and milking enough cows to supply domestic needs. If the drought continues, even temporary milk price relief won't be enough to keep the milk supply up.



ROBERT WEINZAPFEL presents Tony, Richard and Karl Trubenbach with the Zone I Outstanding Soil Conservation Award at the 47th Awards Banquet May 6 at Nocona.

Dave Fette Photo



CHAS BAYER, left, Zone III director of the Upper Elm-Red Soil Conservation District, and Reece Berry, chairman of the awards banquet, show their appreciation to Tom Carson of KGAF for his narration of the slide presentation at the awards banquet for numerous years.

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2 BAR PACK **\$2.19**



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6 PACKS **\$1.79**

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3 OZ. JAR **\$2.19**



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EARS

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EACH

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Tuesday - Super Burrito Bake
Wednesday - Hawaiian Chicken Over Rice
Thursday - Southwest Grilled Chicken Breast
Friday - Hobo Steak

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