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## 1999 Relay For Life exceeds goal

by Janet Felderhoff

Jubilant prevailed among sponsors and participants of the 1999 Cooke County Relay For Life. The goal set at \$70,000 was generously exceeded. As of press time Wednesday, with donations still coming in, the amount raised was in excess of \$98,000.

"Donations are still coming in. We can't stop at such an odd number, so we might as well reach \$100,000," joked Relay Co-chairmen Cheryl Pollard and Mary K. Endres. It is still possible that the goal could reach \$100,000 since

enthusiasm," remarked Mary Endres. "She did a wonderful job!" Bernice served as this year's chairman until her death on Feb. 21. Faye Hamric and Alice Hellman took on the responsibility after Bernice's death. Bernice's husband, James, was presented with a bouquet of flowers which he accepted on behalf of Bernice's family.

Cheryl Pollard read the American Cancer Society's mission statement. The statement is: "The American Cancer Society is a community based volunteer help organization dedicated to

*"She took on that position, like she did everything in life, with a big smile and lots of energy."*

Mary Endres - Relay dedicated to Bernice Mollenkopf memory

several thousand dollars in donations come in each year after the event. Those still wishing to make a contribution may do so by dropping it by the Home Health office at Muenster Memorial or mailing it to American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 31, Muenster, TX 76252.

Opening ceremonies for the event began at 6 p.m. last Friday at Hornet Stadium in Muenster.

This Fourth Annual Relay For Life was dedicated to the memory of Bernice Mollenkopf. She served as the Cancer Survivor Chairman since the inception of the local Relay in 1996. "She took on that position, like she did every thing in life, with a big smile and lots of energy and lots of

eliminating cancer as a major health problem. Our aim is to prevent cancer, save lives, diminish the suffering of those stricken with this disease."

Cheryl added, "Everyone of you here tonight are a part of the American Cancer Society and the efforts that are being done to eliminate cancer, hopefully in our lifetimes. We want to thank everyone of you for being her to participate."

Proudly wearing their fuchsia colored "I am winning!" tee shirts, the survivors walked the opening lap of the Relay. As they walked, the name of each survivor, their city, and the number of years that he or she has survived cancer was announced as the group made the first loop around the track.



"Muenster Heat", a girls fast pitch baseball team walked the opening Survivors' Lap at the Relay For Life last Friday. Cancer Survivor Allen Truebenbach was unable to walk, so the teammates of Jana Truebenbach walked with his children Jana and Clayton, and wife Carla to show their support. Please see page 3 for more Relay photos.

As each of the 93 participating survivors completed the lap, volunteers presented them with a Cancer Survivor medal bearing the Relay logo. This was the first year that medals were presented. After a group photo, the survivors and their families were treated to refreshments.

The traditional Luminaria

Ceremony took place at 10 p.m. At least 881 luminaria lined the track. The decorated sacks were in honor of those fighting cancer and in memory of those who lost the battle with cancer. During the ceremony all lights were turned off and with the glow of candles from the luminaria, participants walked the track remembering those being

honored. The name of each person represented was read. More teams than ever took part in the Relay. Forty-one teams kept a member on the track from the beginning until the final lap at 2 p.m. Saturday. When not on the track team members rested in their tents, enjoyed a variety of available entertainment or participated activities such as

Cheeto Throw contest, limbo dance, scavenger hunt, and other games.

Presentation of special awards and recognitions took place just before the closing lap on Saturday. It was announced that seven teams brought in more than \$3,000 each. The top three were Muenster Telephone with \$14,076.00, The Love Group with \$4,251.00, and The Brewer Bunch with \$3,798.00. Other teams bringing in over \$3,000.00 were Paul Fisher Clan, Bernice's Angels #1, Muenster Memorial Hospital, and Walterscheid/Bezner.

Sixteen individual were credited with raising more than \$750.00 each. Lisa Rohmer of the Muenster Telephone team raised \$5,000. Linda Lew of Paul Fisher Clan brought in \$2,303.00 and Rose Bezner of Walterscheid/Bezner contributed \$2,208.00. Others were Juannell Branyan \$2,190; Jay Mollenkopf \$1,630; Mark Mollenkopf \$1,083; Patty Pierce \$1,066; Jimmy Gosset \$1,037; Janie Weinzapfel \$895; Alice Hellman \$878; Ricky Harrison \$866; Peggy Walterscheid \$850; Laura Stoffels \$838; Jolene Fuhrmann \$825; Kim Gerstberger \$821; Robynn Walterscheid \$778.

Two members of the Ray Swirczynski team took top honors for Most Money Raised by A Child. Kalissa Pollard was first with \$425, and Will Taylor second with \$350.

Bernice's Angels captured the Best Decorated Campsite award. Muenster Telephone Corporation was honored with Most Team Spirit.

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## Muenster honored at State Capitol, May 28

by MaryLee Alford

Muenster was honored at the State Capitol on Friday, May 28 as one of nine Texas cities to win the 1999 Governor's Community Achievement Award. Delegates representing Muenster were Carl and MaryLee Alford, Mayor Henry Weinzapfel and his wife, Janie, Robert and Christine Weinzapfel, and Dan and Fay Hamric.

The delegation met in the office of Representative Peggy Hamric, sister-in-law of Dan and Fay Hamric. Representative Hamric's assistant guided the delegation through the private, back halls of the Capitol where they walked the same hall with Governor George Bush, Jr. They were then escorted to the House of Representatives stage and photographed with Speaker of the House Pete Laney, Representative Phil King, and Representative Hamric.

After being seated in the House Gallery, Representative

Clyde Alexander suspended the rules and made brief remarks about the winning communities. The Muenster delegation was asked to stand and was recognized by the House.

All proceeded to a "Winner Reception" in the Agriculture Museum in the Capitol where Muenster delegates were joined by Representative Phil King, his administrative assistant Ellen Pritchard, and

Representative Ron Clark. Numerous "official photographs" were taken of the Muenster delegation with the Representatives. After refreshments, which included a

"piece of the \$1,000,000 pie," the winners departed for the Senate Gallery.

Senator David Bernsen suspended the rules and made brief remarks about winning communities. The Senate had quite a bit of fun teasing each other about how many times their communities had won the Governor's Community Achievement Award or who did not represent a winning city. There was a lighthearted correction and some discussion about the pronunciation of "Muenster." Senator Tom

Haywood personally congratulated Muenster from the floor and Muenster delegates were asked to stand and were officially recognized by the Senate.

The cities (divided by population category) winning the 1999 Governor's Community Achievement Award were: Quintana, \$60,000; Muenster, \$65,000; Whitehouse \$70,000; Taylor, \$75,000; Greenville, \$85,000; Lufkin, \$95,000; Nacogdoches, \$130,000; Waco, \$155,000; Austin, \$265,000.



Muenster delegation at Austin on May 28 to accept the Governor's Community Achievement Award included, from left, - Dan Hamric, Fay Hamric, Carl Alford, Janie Weinzapfel, Christine Weinzapfel, Robert Weinzapfel, Mary Lee Alford, State Rep. Ron Clark, and Henry Weinzapfel. Courtesy photo

## All Aboard! ... Amtrak service returns after 20 years to Gainesville

by Janet Felderhoff

After an absence of 20 years, "All aboard!" will once again ring through the Gainesville depot. Passenger train service was terminated for Gainesville in October 1979. On Monday, June 14 there will be an Inaugural Run of the Amtrak service between Fort Worth and Oklahoma City. The following day regular runs begin from Oklahoma City to Fort Worth and from Fort Worth to Oklahoma City.

Celebration plans in Gainesville for the 14th include entertainment by the Gainesville Swing Orchestra beginning at 9:15 a.m., a program which includes a train ribbon cutting and comments by Texas Senator Tom Haywood, Representative Ron Clark, and Representative Phil King. Exhibits about the Gainesville Santa Fe Depot will be displayed by the Community Preservation Foundation and other businesses and organizations.

The train is scheduled to arrive in Gainesville at 9:50 a.m. Reportedly it will be carrying Texas Gov. George Bush, Oklahoma Gov. Frank Keating, and Kansas Gov. Bill Graves and various Amtrak officials. Certain members of this group will speak to those assembled. At 10:10 a.m. the train departs Gainesville for stops at Ardmore and Oklahoma City.

Even before the passenger train depot in Gainesville was closed, city officials began efforts to get the service reinstated, said Margaret Hays. The mayor of Gainesville contacted the owners of the Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe Railroad hoping to acquire the depot for Gainesville. It took three years, but the railroad then donated the depot to the city.

According to Margaret Hays it was built in 1902 and required a great deal of repair work. In 1986 the Community Preservation Foundation was formed with the purpose of restoring civic buildings in Gainesville. The Depot was their first project. They raised money and donated it to the city for that purpose and also served as an advisory board to the city on the use of the depot.

Later a \$400,000 grant was acquired through the ISTE Act which included enhancements for railroad depots. The City and the Preservation Foundation added more money to make a total of \$550,000 which was spent on repairs and improvement to the exterior of the depot. Mrs. Hays said that another grant from ISTE brought \$310,000. This has been allocated for improvements to the interior of the depot. The Texas See AMTRAK, pg. 2

## Council welcomes membership in Keep America Beautiful

by Dave Fette

The City of Muenster officially joined the ranks of Keep America Beautiful cities at Monday night's regular City Council meeting. Keep Muenster Beautiful (KMB) is the 488th affiliate in the expanding Keep America Beautiful network based in Stamford, Connecticut.

KMB Chairperson Mary Lee Alford detailed the organization's accomplishments over the last 10 months. These included forming and incorporating the organization, coordinating cleanup, beautification, recycling, and education efforts in and around Muenster and on May 18, winning the Texas Governor's Community Achievement Award which carries a \$65,000 prize.

"Our affiliation with Keep America Beautiful (KAB) will give us an organizational

structure and tools we need to develop effective programs to address issues like litter, beautification, and waste management throughout Muenster and Cooke County," said Alford. KAB affiliates participate in anti-litter and cleanup campaigns and education, recycling, and waste reduction programs.

"We want to be attractive, not only to tourists, but also to citizens and businesses," said Mrs. Alford. She introduced the KMB board of directors present and praised them for their dedication and help. Then she introduced Cecile Carson, representative of KAB, who presented the official certification to Mayor Henry Weinzapfel. KMB intends to participate in the Governor's program every year. It will be eligible to win the prize again after two years.

Old business covered by the council included a report on

status of the currently closed Eddy Street bridge. The city is studying reinforcing the existing bridge to achieve only a 14,000 lb. load limit. Councilman Troy Sicking said some have complained about the inconvenience while others say they like it better closed.

Police Chief Bob Stovall reported that the threatening dogs discussed at the last meeting had been removed or controlled and no more complaints had been received.

The new water tower is receiving final coats of paint and sealer. Electrical connections will begin next week and the tank should be filled with water around July 5. Water main installations are near completion and preparations for the construction of the Muenster Lake are on schedule.

Areas of new business for the City Council included the following:

A resolution authorizing the submission of a Certificate of Convenience and Need for water and sewer to the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission. It provides for protection against encroachment by other water systems into or adjacent to our community municipal system. Jerry Chapman from Greater Texoma Utility Authority assured the Council that this will not impact any personal or individual water wells.

Renewal of the rural fire fighting contract with Cooke County was discussed. The County pays \$3,000.00 annually for the Muenster Volunteer Fire Department to answer fire and emergency calls in western Cooke County. The Council feels this is insufficient and unfair for the work done. But the fire department is "over the barrel" because the county knows our See COUNCIL, pg. 2





Ceclie Carson, Keep America Beautiful representative, presents Muenster Mayor Henry Weinzapfel with the official certification of Keep Muenster Beautiful affiliation. Photo by Dave Fette

## City Council

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firemen will respond to rural fires no matter what. The problem is under further study.

The Council will study an interlocal agreement with Saint Jo and Forestburg for mutual fire response assistance.

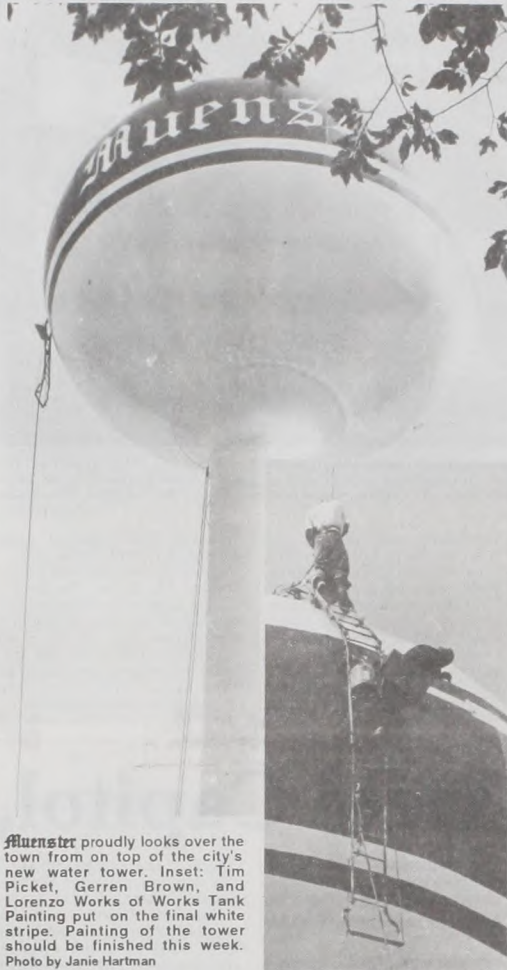
Though the police chief and fire chief were both called from the meeting by a highway emergency, the Council considered a request to authorize a third police officer in Muenster. Two are now authorized, but Chief Bob Stovall is working long hours alone because no officers can be found to work the long hours and low pay authorized. Police Commissioner Troy Sicking said our pay scale is not up to competing agencies and if it was, the long hours imposed for only two officers discourage most. Though Muenster citizens pay city taxes, there are many times when calls for police assistance go to the county sheriff's department, and many times the chief gives up precious sleep to answer the calls.

More information will be available for the special meeting at 5:45 p.m. June 15 to discuss the police force.

The next regular City Council meeting will be at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, July 6 to allow for the July 4 holiday.

The mayor emphasized that everyone is welcome to the Community Development Planning Workshop at 6 p.m. July 15. The police department discussion will precede the meeting.

Monthly bills totaling \$90,152.82 were approved for payment.



Muenster proudly looks over the town from on top of the city's new water tower. Inset: Tim Pickett, Gerren Brown, and Lorenzo Works of Works Tank Painting put on the final white stripe. Painting of the tower should be finished this week. Photo by Janie Hartman

# MMH board elects officers

**by Janet Felderhoff**  
First on the agenda of the May 25 Muenster Memorial Hospital Board of Directors was administering the oath of office. Duane Knabe, Chas Bayer, and Don Flusche each

pledged to serve another three year term.

Officers were elected for the year. Don Flusche and Jerry Hess agreed to continue serving as board president and vice-president, respectively. Chas Bayer was elected as secretary. A letter of resignation was officially accepted from Dennis Hess. Hess resigned to serve on the City Council.

Local Schedule TX, a records retention schedule for taxing entities, was adopted by the Board at the recommendation of TORCH. It states that the hospital district will retain tax records for the fiscal year plus three years. The policy is required by the State Library and Archives Commission.

Enabling Legislation proposed by the Muenster Hospital District has been passed by the Texas Senate. It is now pending in the House of Representatives. According to MMH Administrator Jack Endres, it is now sitting in the House Local and Consent Committee where it apparently is languishing due to politicking on the part of some of the committee members.

The lawsuit filed by Muenster Memorial Hospital against Dr. Houston has been settled, according to Endres. The settlement was favorable to the hospital. "We're very satisfied with the outcome and glad to have it over with," Endres remarked.

## City sets planning workshop

**by Steve Broyles**  
City Administrator

The city council will hold a Community Development Planning Workshop at 6:15 p.m. on Tuesday, June 15 in the conference room at City Hall, 400 North Main Street in Muenster. Maurice Schwanke, planning consultant, will present his proposals to the city council. This workshop will cover street, drainage system, and wastewater improvements; as well as summarize both volumes in a Capital Improvements Plan for the City of Muenster for the next five years. Mr. Schwanke prepared assessments of these areas and made recommendations on them for discussion.

The public is invited to attend this workshop and provide its suggestions and comments.

## Water bills explained

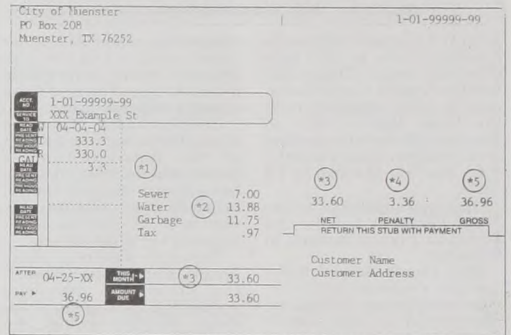
**by Steve Broyles**  
City Administrator

A sample city's utilities bill is shown below. The circled items are explained directly below the bill. Circle #1 shows how many gallons a customer used in thousands of gallons; thus, 3.3 gallons is really 3,300 gallons. Circle #2 shows the separate charges for the services provided.

Utility bills are mailed around the 5th of the month. Customers have until the 25th of the month to pay the current

month's total amount due (Circle #3). This is the amount most people pay.

If a person fails to pay by the 25th of the month, the computer automatically adds a 10 percent penalty fee (Circle #4) to the total amount due (Circle #3). The gross amount-including penalty-is shown at Circle #5 and must be paid after the 26th of the month. If a penalty is not paid, then the penalty appears on the following month's bill, until the penalty is paid in full.



- \*1 - Water used for month (3,300 gallons)
- \*2 - Current month charges for each service
- \*3 - Current month total due amount
- \*4 - 10% penalty added if bill not paid by 25th of month
- \*5 - Total amount due if paid after 25th of month.

## AMTRAK

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Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will do the work.

Until repairs to the depot's interior are completed, a temporary building will be used as a waiting room for passengers of Amtrak, Greyhound and TAPS. Mrs. Hays feels that there will be a demand for the Amtrak service in this area. "We must use it or we'll lose it," she said. Eventually she thinks that the train will travel into Kansas and perhaps as far as Florida. Presently she envisions the schedule being such that it enables people to take the train to Fort Worth to spend an afternoon visiting museums or the zoo before returning on a later train or those who want to attend an event like the opera could spend the night and return the following day. She also hopes that people from the Metroplex will use the train to visit Gainesville for shopping, etc. "I see this as a big thing for this area," she commented.

Everyone is encouraged to attend Monday's celebration. California Street will be blocked off during the activities. Between 8:45 and 9:30 a.m. TAPS will provide transportation from distant parking areas including the Stanford House, Civic Center, First United Methodist Church, Leeper Stadium, and the old Market Square.

**Amtrak Service Schedule**

**Southbound**  
Leave Ok. City - 8:25 a.m.  
Norman - 8:54 a.m.  
Purcell - 9:17 a.m.  
Pauls Valley - 9:45 a.m.  
Ardmore - 10:44 a.m.  
Gainesville - 11:28 a.m.  
Arrive Fort Worth - 1 p.m.

**Northbound**  
Leave Fort Worth 5:25 p.m.  
Gainesville - 6:45 p.m.  
Ardmore - 7:33 p.m.  
Pauls Valley - 8:29 p.m.  
Purcell - 8:57 p.m.  
Norman - 9:21 p.m.  
Arrive Oklahoma City 10 p.m.

For reservations and information call 1-800-USA-RAIL.

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<p><b>Sunday, June 13</b> Henry &amp; Mary Fleitman Family Reunion, Noon, Muenster City Park</p>	<p><b>Monday, June 14</b> VFW Meeting 8 p.m. Horsemanship School, Main River Quarter Horses, Gainesville</p>	<p><b>Tuesday, June 15</b> Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Muenster Library Board Meeting 7 p.m. Cooke Co. Diabetic Support Group, 7 p.m., MMH Conference Room Community Dev. Planning Workshop, 6:15 p.m., City Hall</p>	<p><b>Wednesday, June 16</b> Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center</p>	<p><b>Thursday, June 17</b> Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center</p>	<p><b>Friday, June 18</b> Kiwanis Family Swim night 7-9 p.m., Muenster Pool</p>	<p><b>Saturday, June 19</b> Red Cross Learn To Swim Registration, 9 - 11 a.m., Muenster Pool</p>	
<p><b>Sunday, June 20</b> Deadline for Muenster High School Mini Cheerleading Camp registration</p>	<p><b>Monday, June 21</b> VFW Auxiliary Meeting 8 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Tuesday, June 22</b> Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center</p>	<p><b>Wednesday, June 23</b> Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center</p>	<p><b>Thursday, June 24</b> Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center</p>	<p><b>Friday, June 25</b></p>	<p><b>Saturday, June 26</b></p>	



John Pollard, center, presents cancer survivor J. D. Caplinger, with a Survivor's medal. J. D.'s wife Miriam, left, waits to receive her survivor's medal.



Weldon Bezner and Alice Hellman walk a lap.



Kalyssa Pollard

## RELAY

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It was announced that next year's Relay co-chairmen will be Christine Weinzapfel and Rita Bayer. Endres and Pollard decided to step down after four years of service. They will remain involved in the Relay and other American Cancer Survivor activities.

Those who are interested in acquiring 1999 Relay For Life shirts are still able to do so. They are available at Muenster Memorial Home Health. A minimum donation of \$10 is asked for the tee shirts; \$20 for the polo shirts, and \$18 to \$24 on the sweatshirts.



All 93 Cancer Survivor Lap participants.



Pam Baldwin, left, walking for Gainesville Wal Mart and Ricky Harrison walking for Callisburg team "Goose's Luau".



Best Decorated Camp Site - Bernice's Angels.



Donna Ivins representing Muenster Telephone Corp., the team raising the most money.



Lisa Rohmer, top individual money raised.



Representatives of teams bringing in over \$3,000.

Photos by Dave Fette and Janet Felderhoff

## Win two AMTRAK tickets

In conjunction with the Monday, June 14 celebration of Amtrak going through Gainesville, a sign/banner contest is being sponsored. To be eligible the sign or banner must reflect the theme "Gainesville Welcomes Amtrak", but that exact wording doesn't have to appear on the sign. Also the sign must be prepared by a resident of Cooke County or a Cooke County organization. Members and immediate family members of the Community Preservation Foundation, Inc.

are not allowed to enter the contest.

First place prize is two Amtrak round-trip tickets from Gainesville to Oklahoma City. If the first place winner is under 18, he or she must be accompanied by an adult on the Amtrak ride to Oklahoma City and the return trip to Gainesville. Second and third place winners will receive a \$25 savings bond.

The sign must be a minimum of standard poster board (22" X 28"). Signs will be judged based on theme, originality, and pleasing appeal. Signs must be displayed by contest participants during the City of Gainesville's and Amtrak's ceremonies celebrating the return of Amtrak service to Gainesville at 9:30 a.m. on June 14.

After the train departs from the Gainesville depot, contest participants are asked to bring their entries to the Judges' table on the west side of the Santa Fe Depot. The entries will be taken to the Chamber of Commerce for judging.

The Community Preservation Foundation will claim possession of the winning entries for future display in the Depot. All signs/banners will be on display at the Chamber from June 14 through June 19 which is Amtrak Week.

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Progress continues at the construction site of the new Muenster High School building. Workers are attempting to complete the project in time to begin the 1999-2000 school year in the new classrooms, but are still several weeks behind schedule. Photo by Janie Hartman



**CAPITOL COMMENT**



U.S. SENATOR  
**KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON**

**TEXAS EAGLE SAVED FROM EXTINCTION**

Recently, in Austin, Amtrak Railroad repaid a loan the state government made to keep Amtrak's Texas Eagle operating. That was the final chapter in a saga that is worth retelling. And it shows what teamwork can accomplish.

This crisis arose one slow August day in 1996 when Congress was in recess.

The bad news was announced in Washington: come November, Amtrak would discontinue the Texas Eagle and three other passenger routes. This was a serious threat: Knowing how slowly Congress moves, I feared the route was a goner. So I went to bat to try save the Eagle, the passenger route that runs from Chicago to San Antonio, from extinction.

First we managed to persuade Congress to provide enough money to keep the Eagle operating through the spring of 1997. This gave local and state supporters time to rally.

During this time I was reminded again of how people in Texas really love trains. I heard from Texans who had such detailed knowledge of passenger rail that they proposed entirely rewritten Amtrak schedules to make the Eagle successful.

In May of 1997, Amtrak received a \$5.6 million loan from the State of Texas to keep the Eagle running. Amtrak promised to operate the Eagle three times a week and put up 47 passenger cars as collateral.

All cities along the route pitched in, too. They agreed to guarantee 50 percent of the loan.

In fact, the commitment of local elected officials to their trains and depots is truly amazing. Mayors Celia Boswell of Mineola, Audrey Kariel of Marshall and J.W. Perry of Temple worked with other mayors and state officials to support the loan.

Without their help, the Eagle would have died. That's exactly what happened in states that did not fight for their Amtrak service. The Desert View service between Salt Lake City and Los Angeles was halted for lack of funding. The Pioneer link between Denver and Seattle also rolled to a stop.

On May 21 of this year, Amtrak did something that is almost unheard of in government circles. It paid back its loan to the State of Texas EARLY, saving \$54,000 in interest.

Best of all, the once-nearly extinct Eagle is soaring. Today the Eagle is increasing its ridership. It has won profitable contracts to deliver mail. Express trains have been inaugurated. A fourth day has been added to the schedule. Eventually, it will run seven days a week.

With expanded service in Texas and a new line coming in from Oklahoma, Amtrak is carrying passengers across our country cheaply and conveniently. And we are creating a seamless transportation network so people can switch from automobile to bus to airplane to train -- whatever best suits their needs.

An elderly lady in Bandera can take the bus to San Antonio, get on Amtrak at the lovingly restored Sunset Depot and travel to Chicago to visit her grandchildren.

A business traveler will someday be able to arrive in Dallas on Amtrak, connect with DART to the Dallas-Fort Worth Airport and fly anywhere in the world.

Amtrak could be a real boon to football season in Texas. Imagine the convergence on Austin for the Texas-Missouri weekend as fans roll in from Saint Louis on the Eagle. A Big-12 football package on Amtrak would be a winner in Texas.

Railroad passenger service is critical to Texas' transportation future. We simply could not allow the Eagle to be grounded, so Texans mounted a true cooperative effort to save it. I've worked hard to help reform Amtrak and get it on a firmer financial footing. My goal is to preserve Amtrak as an important option for Texas travelers and tourists visiting our state.

**Letter to the editor**

**Dear Editor,**  
Sacred Heart Men's choir has been in existence over 100 years. The sudden demise of the choir in my opinion was completely unnecessary. Tony Luke, organist for the choir, was cautioned by his doctor not to climb the stairs to the choir loft, but it would be fine for him to play the organ up front downstairs many times in the past, but rather than sing downstairs now, some choir members quit. It is true that without new members, the choir was going to have to quit some time, I just do not believe that time had come yet, especially right before Easter.  
Alvin M. Fuhrman  
Box 331  
Muenster, TX 76252

**From My Side of the Fence**  
by Ed Cler

In June of 1947, Aileen and I and our two oldest children, Phyllis, near 4 and Gary, who would be 3 in late July, made the move from Garland, Texas to the farm 3 miles west of Muenster.

The place looked neglected - the house was much in need of paint and the surrounding yards, lots and the areas around the buildings were knee-deep in grass and weeds.

The yard immediately around the house and water well was neat and trim, but the large yard in front of the house suffered from an overabundance of Catalpa trees.

These trees were much in need of trimming, and there were many large yellow-jacket wasp nests in them, so my work was already cut out for me.

Dad and my brothers were in the process of building a new barn, and after its completion, I finally was able to turn my attention to the lots, fences, and yards.

After surveying the Catalpa trees, I took an axe and a handsaw (and a tomato can and some gasoline for the wasps) and trimmed off the lower limbs until we were able to see from the house to the road.

After repairing the old fences and adding some new, I kept our twelve cows penned in the yards, and I must say they did a good job of trimming the grass and getting it down short enough to mow.

While all this was happening the two kids were exploring the yards and buildings to see what they could learn.

One day they told us they had seen a snake in the granary but we discounted the story until Phyllis said, "Yeah, we threw oats at it, and it got all tangled up and stuck its tongue out at us."

Well, after that when they said they had seen a snake, we believed them.

The house, I was told, had not been painted for 30 years. I began applying a first coat of half oil base white paint and half linseed oil. The paint was so absorbed by the boards, I could hardly see where I had stopped for dinner.

After the second coat of paint it really began to look white.

It was a year later when I was able to apply the needed third coat.

Well, we spent 51 years out there, and there are many memories, some better than others, but the Lord has been good to us.

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**Electric Utility De-regulation**

SB 7, the "1999 Electric Choice Act," was recently passed by the Texas Legislature. If signed by Governor George W. Bush (it is expected that he will), it will introduce competition for electricity generation in Texas beginning on January 1, 2002. The next two years should provide sufficient time to allow for exhaustive consumer education and to ensure we maintain system reliability.

The Texas Legislature has debated electric utility industry competition during each of the previous three sessions. Among the issues of greatest concern to legislators has been protecting consumers. SB 7, as passed, freezes existing electric rates as of September 1, 1999, then reduces them by 6% in 2002.

Under the provisions of SB 7, Texans will have the opportunity to choose who provides their electricity by opening up to competition the generation and retail sales portions of the utility industry while maintaining system reliability by continuing to regulate the transmission and distribution system - how electricity gets to homes, schools and businesses.

The bill will require all competitors to provide electric service to Texas residential customers or face financial penalties. It also establishes a state assistance program that gives low-income customers a 10% reduced rate off a standard service package approved by the Public Utility Commission.

Finally, SB 7 requires older, "grand-fathered" power plants to reduce ozone-causing nitrogen oxide emissions by 50% and sulfur dioxide emissions by 25% and requires all electric companies to more than triple their capacity to generate power by renewable resources like sun and wind.

During the Legislative Session, almost 2,000 people from District 62 contacted my office by telephone, fax, e-mail, correspondence, and office visits. In addition, 20 groups from the District, including schools and chambers of commerce, came to the Capitol during the Session.

**To the Editor**

The beautification and recycling efforts of many people in the City of Muenster were recognized in Austin, Texas recently. Last week's article on Muenster Beautiful winning was very impressive: City of Muenster - First Place for \$65,000. What was even more impressive were the placings that Muenster people and businesses had when competing against all other Texans and Texas businesses - large and small: Johnny Rohmer - 2nd Place; Muenster Enterprise - 2nd Place; and Fischer's Meat Market & Grocery - 3rd Place.

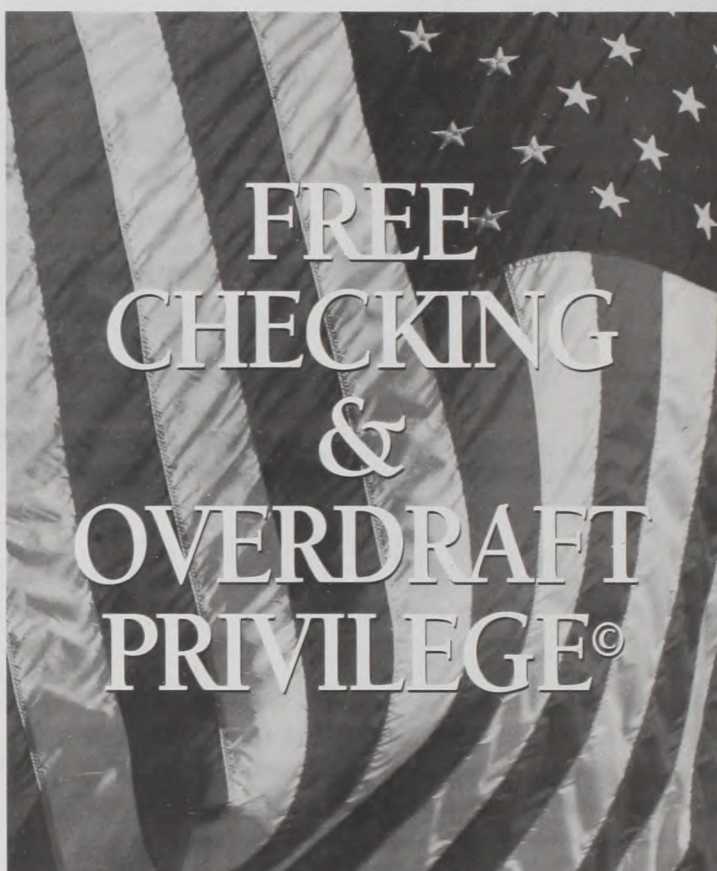
However, last week's article failed to mention the 1999 Individual Leadership Award, 3rd Place for MaryLee Alford. Without her efforts, spirit, drive, and attention to detail, much of what was accomplished in the last nine months would not have happened. Once committed to a project, MaryLee follows through with great accomplishments. She competed for the Individual Leadership Award against nominees who were from large cities with large budgets and who were paid for doing work she voluntarily did. MaryLee Alford took the "trash by the sack" and established an effective organization. Her leadership during this period earned her 3rd Place in the state! Congratulations, MaryLee!

Steve Broyles,  
Muenster City Administrator

**Trash in alleys is a No-No**

by Steve Broyles  
City Administrator

Please do NOT dump trash in alley, or allow trash to collect in alleys. Recently, there have been a few instances where a person was observed dumping trash in an alley. This is illegal and also causes hardship on the people adjacent to the alley, who are trying to keep the alley clean.



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# Lifestyle

## Fuhrmann, Warren wed in Lindsay, June 5

by Elfreda Fette

Jennifer Fuhrmann became the bride of Brenton Warren on June 5, 1999 in a Nuptial Mass and double ring vows celebrated by Father George Foley in St. Peter's Church of Lindsay at 5:00 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Mark and Linda Fuhrmann of Muenster. She is a 1995 graduate of Sacred Heart High School and is attending Tarrant County College. She is an Administrative Assistant employed by Podsednik & Company P.C.

The groom is the son of Eddie and Teresa Warren of Arlington. He is a 1988 graduate of Arlington High School and a 1994 graduate of the University of Texas at Arlington, and is employed by Pulte Homes as Service Manager.

Presented at the altar by her father, Mark Fuhrmann, the bride was wearing a formal wedding gown of Moonlight Design by Carole Hai in 100 percent pure hand-woven silk, with sleeveless fitted bodice, and criss-cross back straps attached at back waistline, highlighted with hand-sewn beads; a narrow skirt with full detachable chapel length train. Her veil of illusion was held by a circular band of beads.

She carried a bridal bouquet of roses.

### ATTENDANTS

Leslie Fuhrmann, cousin of the bride was maid of honor.

Nicole Bauer, cousin of the bride, of Sherman, and Erica Schilling, friend of the bride, Mere Powell of Sacramento, California, sister of the groom, and Sara Warren of Arlington, sister of the groom were bridesmaids.

They were identically attired in navy blue, full length, fitted dresses. Each wore a pearl necklace and earrings, gift

from the bride; and carried a circular bouquet of roses entwined with navy ribbon.

Morgan Powell, groom's niece of Sacramento, California was flower girl. Kyle Fuhrmann, brother of the bride was ring bearer.

Mike Hyde of Eules, friend of the groom, stood with him as best man.

Groomsmen were Joel Fox of Arlington, groom's cousin, Jason McCarthy of North Richland Hills, friend of the groom, Scott Coppinger of Arlington, friend of the groom, and Matthew Fuhrmann of Muenster, bride's brother.

Ushers were Jay Conlin of Eules, Seann Slosson of Hurst, friends of the groom, Craig Voth of Wichita Falls, uncle of the bride, and Neil Berres of Wichita Falls, friend of the bride.

Altar servers were David Walterscheid and Jacob Fuhrmann, cousins of the bride.

Wedding music was presented by Ruth Felderhoff organist and Christy Hesse vocalist. Selections included "The Rose" and "The Wedding Song" as the prelude; "Sunrise, Sunset" for entry of the mothers of the couple; Pachelbel's "Canon in D" for entry of the bridesmaids; and Wagner's "Bridal Chorus" for the bride's entry; "One Hand, One Heart" for the Unity candle; "The Greatest Gift" at Offertory; "How Beautiful" at Communion; "Ave Maria" at Mary's altar and Purcell's "Trumpet Voluntary" for the recessional.

Mothers of the couple lit the tapers for the Unity candle preceding Mass. Special guests at the wedding were grandparents of the couple, Ray and Lou Voth, Marcus and Cathy Fuhrmann, Jack and Mamie Spain, and Lilly

Warren.

In the wedding liturgy, Sharon Tate, bride's aunt gave the First Reading from the Old Testament; Andrea Fuhrmann, brides' cousin gave the Second Reading from the New Testament. Offertory petitions were read by Clint Fuhrmann and Chris Fuhrmann, brothers of the bride. Offertory gifts of

bread and wine were carried to the altar by Mike and Beverly Fuhrmann, Godparents of the bride. Eucharistic Ministers were Brenda Fuhrmann, Pam Hoberer, Jill Fuhrmann, Annette Anderle, and Darla Anderle.

Church decorations included a pair of spiral candelabra with lighted candles on the altar

and arrangements of white gladioli, and the Unity candle. Navy and white pew bows marked the center aisle.

### RECEPTION

A reception, dinner and dance hosted by parents of the couple for 200 guests followed in Lindsay Centennial Hall. Dinner was catered by Rohmer's Restaurant. Music for dancing was provided by D.J. The Entertainer.

Meredith Colburn and Amy McCarthy, friends of the bride presided at the guest book, at a table skirted in navy with a lace overlay, and centered with a floral arrangement in the bride's colors of navy and white.

The four-tiered white wedding cake held fresh flowers on each tier and was stenciled with white flowers

and navy ribbon. The tiered chocolate groom's cake was decorated with a cascade of strawberries.

Cake cutters were Jeannene Walterscheid and Brenda Fuhrmann, aunts of the bride. Cake servers were Melissa Fuhrmann, Emily Fuhrmann, and Katie Hoberer, cousins of the bride, and Cindy Hartman.

Guest tables were covered with white cloths centered with navy ribbon. Glass mirrored tiles holding individual fish bowls with gold fish swimming in them were surrounded with lighted candles.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the bride's parents in their home the evening before the wedding.

Upon return from a wedding trip to Hawaii, the couple will be at home in Arlington.



Mrs. Brenton Warren ...nee Jennifer Fuhrmann

## Schmidtkofer graduates cum laude

Michael Schmidtkofer of Gainesville graduated Cum Laude from Texas A&M University on May 14, 1999.

Michael earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Science from the College of Engineering. Former President George Bush gave the commencement address for the more than 1400 graduates.

Michael was a member of the Golden Key National Honor Society and of the Upsilon Pi Epsilon Computer Science Honor Society, where he held the post of Publicity Chairman

for the past year.

Michael attended St. Mary's School in Gainesville and graduated from Lindsay High School in 1994.

Attending his graduation were his parents Gene and Ethel Schmidtkofer and his Godparents Bernard and Joan Sandmann of Sherman. They celebrated by going to T Bone Jones steak house in College Station.

Michael has accepted a job with MEMC Southwest in Sherman, and will begin work there in June.

## Chism, Binder graduate with honors from TWU

DaLana Chism and Amy Binder graduated from Texas Woman's University with honors as part of the spring class of 1999. The ceremony was held on May 15 in the Magee Arena of Pioneer Hall on campus. Amy and DaLana both graduated with Bachelors of Science degrees in Mathematics with secondary teacher certification. DaLana graduated magna cum laude, and Amy graduated cum laude.

Amy has accepted a teaching position at Muenster ISD teaching mathematics and computer science at the secondary level beginning this fall. DaLana has accepted a teaching position at Callisburg Middle School teaching mathematics.

Those attending the graduation ceremony were DaLana's parents, Giles and Marlene Walterscheid, Amy's

parents Darlene Abney and Ed Otto, DaLana's husband Steve Chism and son Sean Chism, Amy's husband Cy Binder and son Mason Binder. Others attending were Keith Walterscheid, Jeff Walterscheid, Jonathan Otto, Joyce Hacker, Charlie and Judy Taylor, Don Abney, Jackie Binder, Aaron Binder, Bernadette Walterscheid, Sis Klement, and Augusta Walterscheid.

## J.R. Dangelmayr marks 99th



Joe R. Dangelmayr

J. R. Dangelmayr celebrated his 99th birthday on Monday, June 7. Helping celebrate with him were his sister, Bertha Fleitman, his sister-in-law Betty Dangelmayr, Dorothy Hartman, the Tom Flusche family, the Richard Dangelmayr family, the John Dangelmayr family, the James Dangelmayr family, and Jack and Denise Dangelmayr.

After surprising him with balloons and banners, everyone enjoyed watching him open gifts. The evening meal was capped off with cake and ice cream. His family looks forward to next year's birthday celebration of 100 years.



DaLana Chism and Amy Binder

## Catholic Daughters of America host priest appreciation Sunday

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas hosted a continental breakfast and fellowship at the Knights of Columbus Hall Sunday, June 6 to honor Rev. Thomas Craig, pastor of Sacred Heart Church. The event took place following the 8 a.m. Mass. Seventy parishioners attended the reception, and everyone enjoyed the meal and fellowship.


At their last meeting, the Catholic Daughters began a series of adult religious education video tapes that will be presented at each monthly meeting. The series is presented by a Catholic convert, who was anti-Catholic,

and through Bible study and prayer was led to the Catholic religion. All members have voiced a renewed interest in learning more about their Catholic faith through the use of these video-tapes. All members of Catholic Daughters are encouraged to attend the monthly meetings and take advantage of the opportunity to become reinvigorated in their faith.


The Catholic Daughters are seeking new memberships. Anyone who is interested, or would like more information about the Catholic Daughters, please contact Carrie Walterscheid at 759-4246 or Crystal Vogel at 759-4600.

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# St. Peter's Church site of Cler, Huchton wedding

by Elfreda Fette

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lynn Huchton have returned from their wedding trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico and Colorado Springs, Colorado and are at home in Gainesville. They were married on May 22, 1999 in a Nuptial Mass in St. Peter's Church of Lindsay celebrated by Father George Foley at 5:00 p.m., with double ring rites.

The bride is the former Elizabeth Rose Cler, daughter of Charles and Alyce Cler of Gainesville. She is the granddaughter of Armella Cler, and William and Mary Evelyn Hermes of Muenster; and the great-granddaughter of Cecilia Hermes of Lindsay and Helen Hofbauer of Muenster.

She is a 1996 graduate of Lindsay ISD and a 1998 graduate of North Central Texas College and currently attending the University of North Texas, and is employed as a teller at First State Bank of Gainesville.

The groom is the son of David and Margie Huchton of Gainesville and the grandson of Mrs. Billye Huchton of Muenster. He is a 1992 graduate of Lindsay ISD and is currently attending North Central Texas College. He is employed as a maintenance technician by Martindale Feed Mill.

Before an altar decorated with white floral arrangements and lighted candles, the bride was presented by her father, Charles Cler. For her wedding she chose a designer ball gown of white chiffon, with fitted

bodice, scooped neckline and short sleeves. White satin beaded with pearls and pearlized sequins adorned the bodice, sleeves and skirt. The full skirt flowed into a cathedral length train. Lace motifs highlighted the skirt and train, and a lace border tipped the hemline.

Her bouquet included bridal white roses, alstroemeria, mini-carnations, Queen Anne's lace and English ivy.

For sentiment, she carried her mother's rosary for "something old"; "borrowed" a pearl bracelet from a friend Shawnda Underwood of Denton; "something new" was a necklace and earring gift from her brother.

### ATTENDANTS

Angi Flanagan of Gainesville, a friend of the bride was matron of honor.

Bridesmaids were Tammy Bezner of Lindsay, groom's sister; Shawnda Underwood of Denton, bride's friend; Jenny Huchton of Gainesville, groom's sister; Sherry Hess of Lindsay groom's cousin. Junior bridesmaid was Sabrina Bezner of Lindsay, niece of the groom.

They were attired in navy crepe and chiffon, floor length, sleeveless dresses, designed with three bows adorning the back. Their flowers were similar to the bride's.

Nicole Pangel of Muenster, bride's cousin was flower girl. Clint Sidwell of Muenster, groom's cousin was ring bearer.

Jessey Barnes of Gainesville, a friend of the groom was best man.

Groomsmen were Chad Fleitman of Lindsay and Andy Popp of Lindsay, both friends of the groom, Leslie Cler of Gainesville, bride's brother, Hank Huchton of Gainesville, groom's brother.

Ushers were Jimmy Dennison of Gainesville, groom's cousin, Troy Huchton of Muenster, Tracy Huchton of Lindsay, Tommy Huchton of Lindsay, all brothers of the groom.

Altar servers and candlelighters were Calvin Huchton of Gainesville, groom's brother, Sam Hellingier of Gainesville, groom's cousin and Daniel Fuhrman, friend of the couple.

Wedding music was presented by Ruth Felderhoff organist, and Christy Hesse and Roger Dieter.

The special wedding Liturgy included the First Reading, Genesis 2:18-24 and the Responsorial Psalm 103:1-2, and 13, 17-18, read by Julie Ryals of Dallas, bride's friend. The Second Reading I Corinthians 12:31-13:8a was read by Amy Fisher of Muenster, future sister-in-law of the couple. She also read Prayers of the Faithful.

Offertory gifts were presented by Paul and Sis Hess of Lindsay, uncle and aunt of the groom, and Byron Bradshaw of Gainesville, cousin of the bride. Eucharistic Ministers were Bill and Laurie Rohmer of Muenster, uncle and aunt of the bride, Bridgette Anderle of Gainesville, groom's cousin, Sis

Hess of Lindsay groom's aunt, and Andy Bezner, friend of the couple. Danah Dennison of Gainesville, bride's cousin and Cheryl Martin, bride's aunt, pinned flowers.

### RECEPTION

A reception, dinner and dance followed in Lindsay Centennial Hall, hosted by parents of the couple.

Carrie Martin of Gainesville and Jennifer Hermes of Lindsay, both cousins of the bride presided at the guest book.

The bride's table was covered with white lace and trimmed with white satin bows and ivy. Bridesmaids bouquets accented the table. White lattice decorated the wall in back.

The bride's cake was three-tiered and decorated with bridal white roses, carnations, Queen Anne's lace and alstroemeria. The groom's two-tiered German chocolate cake was decorated with a waterfall of chocolate dipped strawberries. Rosemary Fangmann and Betty Rose Walterscheid cut the cakes, which were served by Shalane Cler, Amanda Rohmer, Cassie Bradshaw, bride's cousins, and Shirley Hess, and Valerie Huchton.

Guest tables were decorated with candles, ivy and navy ribbon.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents on May 21 in the home of Pat and Tammy Bezner. Guests included the wedding party, parents of the couple and grandparents.



Mrs. Travis Huchton  
...nee Elizabeth Rose Cler

## VFW observes May 30

Muenster Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6205 and its Ladies Auxiliary honored its deceased veterans with Memorial Services on Sunday, May 30.

The observances began with 8 a.m. Mass in Sacred Heart Church. Father Tom Craig celebrated the Mass for all deceased veterans with Dept. Auxiliary Color Bearer Frances Bayer reading the scriptural readings and Auxiliary Conductress Linda Knabe leading the Prayers of the Faithful. Bringing up Offertory gifts were Commander Johnny Rohmer and Willie Fisher. Music ministers for the services were Ruth Felderhoff, and Joe and Christy Hesse.

Immediately following the Mass the groups processed to Sacred Heart Cemetery led by the VFW color guard consisting of Don Hellman, James Hess, and Pat Knabe. They were followed by Post Rifle Squad, Auxiliary officers, First Communicants, and the congregation.

At the cemetery Auxiliary Chaplain Ethel Hesse placed a Memorial wreath at the main altar in memory of all the deceased of the parish. They then proceeded to the veterans' plot where Auxiliary President Frances Bayer and Auxiliary Junior Vice-President Josephine Schilling placed a memorial and buddy poppy wreath at the Veterans' Monument in honor of all the deceased veterans.

First Communicants Kalyssa Pollard, Holly Rohmer, John Rohmer, Noel Barnhill, Joe Hesse, Jenni Luke, Mitchell Hesse, Julia Rust, Ben

Walterscheid, Jared Flusche, and Brandon Bindel placed individual red carnations on each grave in the plot. Flags and carnations on graves outside the plot had been placed earlier.

Father Tom then blessed all the gravesites as Doug, Gina, and Henry Yosten sang "America" and "Battle Hymn of the Republic." David Muller provided the sound system.

President Bayer then introduced guest speaker, District 1 Commander Richard Shivers of Pottsboro who gave the memorial address.

The Post Rifle Squad consisting of Don Eckart, Ben Hesse, Virgil Henscheid, Willie Fisher, Johnny Rohmer, Melvin Luke, Pat McWilliams gave the traditional 21 volley rifle salute. They were led by Sergeant-At-Arms Art Bayer.

The final tribute was given by Ronnie and Tina Weinzapfel as they played "TAPS."

Also participating were Auxiliary Color Bearer Lucille Hesse, Auxiliary Flag-Bearer Mary Lee Hennigan, Color Bearers Bonnie Hess and Janet Barnhill, with Linda Knabe conducting.

In attendance was Muenster's sole Gold Star mother Romana Bayer. Frank Bayer was unable to attend.

Remembrances concluded with a bountiful steak dinner at the post home Sunday evening cooked by Johnny Rohmer, David and Helen Fisher, Don Hess, Virgil Hess, and Tim and Vicky Hess.

## Kalyn and Blake celebrate fifth

On Saturday, May 8 Kalyn Dangelmayr and Blake Voth shared birthday honors at Leonard Park in Gainesville. It was hosted by Kalyn's parents, Leslie and Chris Dangelmayr, and Blake's parents, JoEll and Lynn Kemp. The honorees were celebrating their fifth birthdays. Kalyn's actual birthday is May 6 and Blake's is May 12. They also brought cupcakes to school to celebrate on their birthdays.

For Kalyn there was a Barbie cake and party theme decoration. Blake's cake and party decoration carried out a Hot Wheels theme. After



Kalyn Dangelmayr



Blake Voth

opening gifts the honorees and their guests enjoyed the new playground equipment in the park.

Special guests were the boys and girls in the Muenster Pre-K Class. Kalyn's guests also included her cousins Lauren and Adrien Rohmer, Rashae and Garrett Dangelmayr, and

Amanda, Shelby and Cassie Dangelmayr; and grandmothers Gloria Klement and Patsy Dangelmayr. Celebrating with Blake were his sister Tausha and brother Zane; cousins Jillian and Todd Bezner, Jordanne, Eric, and Emily Hellman, and Dillon York; grandmother Della Hellman, father Darren Voth, and Brandi Grewing.

### S.N.A.P. Menus

June 15 - Meat loaf, potatoes, English peas, jello, dinner rolls.

June 16 - Chicken sandwich, lettuce, tomatoes, pork and beans, fruit.

June 17 - Soup, fruit, cookies.

S.N.A.P. will be closed on June 22, 23, 24. No meals and no takeout deliveries. Menus for the next open days will be published at the appropriate time.

## New Arrivals

### Muller

William Coy and Judy Muller of Era are proud to announce the birth of Laci Michelle Muller on May 3, 1999 at 4:20 p.m. in Wilson N. Jones Hospital of Sherman weighing 7 lb. 10.7 oz. and measuring 20 inches in length. She joins siblings, Lanelle, Holly, Mike, Katie, and Matthew Muller at home. Grandparents are Robert and Ruth Muller of Gainesville and Dick and Celine Dittfurth of Muenster.

### Bezner

Dan and Christy Bezner of Lindsay are happy to announce the birth of their first child, Kathryn Rose Bezner, on Thursday, May 6, 1999 at 3:05 p.m. in Harris Methodist Hospital of Fort Worth, weighing 6 lb. 11 oz. and measuring 19 3/4 inches long. Grandparents are John

and Pat Yosten of Muenster and Weldon and Rose Bezner of Lindsay. Great-grandparents are Leonard and Frances Yosten, Margaret Hartman, all of Muenster, the late Victor Hartman, and Augusta Walterscheid of Muenster, and the late Alfons Walterscheid.

### Luke

Gregory and Amy Luke of Katy, Texas announce with joy the birth of their first child, a son, William Daniel Luke on June 5, 1999 at 10:42 a.m. weighing 8 lb., and measuring 19 1/2 inches in length. He was born in The Woman's Hospital of Texas in Houston. Grandparents are Dan and Virginia Caudle of Katy, and the late Dan and Dolores Luke of Muenster. Great-grandmother is Geraldine Farris of Muskogee, Oklahoma.

### "Ethics in Counseling" at NCTC

An "Ethics in Counseling" course will be presented from 9 a.m. to noon on June 22 at the North Central Texas College Lyceum.

Licensed Professional Counselor and ADCIII Diplomat Bonnie Estes will instruct the three-hour class. The fee is \$50 per person. The course will meet CEU requirements for area counselors who need specific training to maintain current certification.

Conducted by the NCTC Continuing Education Division,

June 17 is the registration deadline for the course. The class size is limited.

Enrollment is now underway from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Monday through Thursday or 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Friday at the college registrar's office. Registration may be mailed into the registrar's office at 1525 W. California, Gainesville, Texas 76240. Payment, by either check or money order, must be enclosed. Telephone registration can be conducted at the Gainesville campus by calling 940-668-4222. Only credit cards (Visa or Master Card) will be accepted by telephone.

### Schedule of Meetings

The Cooke County Diabetes Support Group meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 15 at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room of Muenster Memorial Hospital. Dr. Ellen Leevy, Registered Dietitian will present the latest information on the American Diabetic Association Diet. All who are interested, all diabetics and their family members are urged to attend. For more information, call Joan Walterscheid at 759-2271.

### Reunions

A reunion of the descendants of Henry and Mary Fleitman has been planned for Sunday, June 13 in the Muenster Park. It will be held under the pavilion from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish, drinks for their own family, lawn chairs, and dominoes or cards.

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# Students earn college honors

Midwestern State University has announced that Diane Britain of Muenster is one of 56 scholarship students attending the five-and-a-half-week Spectrum summer program that began on June 1. Students earn from 6 to 8 college credits in general chemistry, human biology, introduction to sociology, English literature, and economics. This year's program has been funded by the Perkins-Prothro Foundation.

Hoofard, Melinda Klement, and Amanda Thompson all of Muenster with a perfect grade point average of 4.0. Also Randy Johnson of Era; Cindy Hermes and Jamie Zwinggi of Lindsay; Heath Johnson of Saint Jo; William Hamilton, Teresa Hogue and Jon Peterson of Valley View.

On the Dean's List from Muenster are Antonio Acuna, Corey Anderle, Greg Fisher, Alice Fleitman, Holly Mullins and Jonathan Otto. Also Tina Herr and Hector Luna of Saint Jo; Greg Dulock and Danny Evans of Lindsay; Tiffany Tarlton and Nadine Santos of Valley View; and Brenda Gordon and Jill Rotruck of Forestburg, all with a 3.50 to 3.99 grade point average in a 4.0 ratio.

Stephanie A. Grewing, daughter of Wayne and Peggy Grewing, and Laura Jane Klement, daughter of Andrew and Emily Klement, all of Muenster, have been named to the Dean's List at the University of North Texas for the spring semester. They maintained a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.9 in a 4.0 ratio.

Valerie Bartush, freshman at Benedictine College of Atchison, Kansas and daughter of John and Lanie Bartush, has been named to the President's List for the spring semester. She maintained a perfect 4.0 grade point average throughout.

North Central Texas College has announced names of students listed on the President's Honor Roll and the Dean's Honor Roll.

Locally, on the President's Honor List are Michelle Bayer, Kristin Dickerson, Shirley



Piano students from left, back - Christina Weinzapfel, Justin Hess, Chris York, Bridgette Klement, Dianna Felderhoff, Michael Eckart, Jalynn Wilson, Pamela Lutkenhaus; second row - Jayna Biffle, Karen Flusche, Brady Howell; seated - Anne Walterscheid and Christina Eckart; Standing - Jessica Knabe, Amanda Felderhoff, Kristen Yosten, Mrs. Dankesreiter; seated on steps - Keith Hermes, Jordan Ledbetter, Kara Felderhoff, and Debra Yosten. Courtesy photo

## Dankesreiter students in piano recital

Twenty piano students of Rosemary Dankesreiter performed in a Piano recital on Sunday, May 23. The recital was held in the First Baptist Church in Muenster at 3 p.m. Chris York played Pachelbel's Canon as students processed in. Mrs. Dankesreiter welcomed parents, grandparents and friends in attendance and introduced each of the 20 students and their parents and listed the number of years each student had taken lessons. Jalynn Wilson then led everyone in an opening prayer. Each student played two solo selections. Brady Howell and Chris York each played 3 selections. Pamela Lutkenhaus and Chris York also played the selections that won them a rating of II at the UIL contest in Throckmorton, Texas in the

spring. The audience was delighted by the two duets played by Michael and Christina Eckart. Students played classical, folk, pop, traditional, and religious melodies from their repertoires learned during the year. After the performances, Mrs. Dankesreiter complimented all the students on their hard work and accomplishments for the year. She pointed out that not only had the students been learning to play the piano, but they had also been developing skills needed in life. Those are self-discipline, cooperation, persistence, time management, eye-hand coordination, agility, and memorization. They had acquired self-respect, pride in completing a goal, grace, perseverance, muscle development, the ability to go on after making a

mistake, biographical knowledge of music composers and skills in playing various rhythms. Mrs. Dankesreiter then presented all students with certificates of merit for individual years of training. The stage was decorated with large fern plants on either side of the piano. Also two large arrangements of colorful spring flowers adorned the stage. Atop the piano was a beautiful basket arrangement of multicolor spring flowers. Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Bill Ledbetter gave the closing prayer after praising the talents of the students and the work accomplished by their teacher. Mrs. Dankesreiter invited all to a reception held in the Fellowship Hall where punch and cookies were served after group pictures were taken.



Sacred Heart Vacation Bible School continues this week. Above, Amanda Knabe cuts out a picture of Jesus to make a suncatcher. At upper right, Shelby Dangelmayr and Andi Felderhoff enjoy a snack. Elizabeth Weinzapfel waits for her mother's return in the nursery with Darrell Henscheld; Below, Quinn Sicking and Michael Davis compare craft art. Photos by Janie Hartman



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**Signs of heat exhaustion** include:

- profuse sweating
- paleness
- muscle cramps
- tiredness
- weakness
- dizziness
- headache
- nausea or vomiting
- a weak-but-rapid pulse
- fast and shallow breathing
- fainting

**Heat exhaustion** can progress to heat stroke. Among **heat stroke's** symptoms are:

- extremely high (<105) body temperature
- red and dry skin
- failure to sweat
- rapid pulse
- throbbing headache
- dizziness
- nausea
- confusion
- seizures
- unconsciousness

If a victim shows signs of heat exhaustion, help the victim to gradually cool off with water or non-alcoholic, caffeine-free drinks. If a victim shows signs of heat stroke, get the victim into shade or a cooler area, call 9-1-1 and use any means to start cooling, such as immersing in cool water, spraying with a garden hose or fanning vigorously.

How can you avoid heat stress? Using common sense to stay cool is the most important protection and taking responsibility to help other people, young children and others.

**In periods of excess heat:**

- drink two to five times more than usual amounts of water and non-sugar, non-alcoholic beverages to replace fluids lost in perspiration.
- Wear loose-fitting, lightweight, light-colored clothing and wide-brimmed hats while in the sun.
- use sunscreens with SPF15 or more
- take frequent breaks limiting physical activity. If warning signs, such as pounding heart and shortness of breath occur, stop to rest in a cooler place.
- stay in an air-conditioned area if possible.
- use a buddy system between co-workers in high heat-stress jobs.

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## It Was News Then ...

**50 YEARS AGO**  
May 20, 1949  
Surface work begins on the long-awaited pavement for Main street to North Muenster Farm-to-Market road. Memorial plaque and 13 live oak trees at ball park, honoring those who gave their lives in World War II, will be dedicated on Memorial Day. Muenster Public School trustees designate location on Seventh Street for new building. Louis Bromfield, internationally famous author and conservationist, may be invited to speak at next year's Rural Electrification Day.

**30 YEARS AGO**  
May 16, 1969  
St. Peter's Parish observes 25th jubilee of Father John Walbe OSB. Planned Disaster Drill conducted by Muenster Memorial Hospital and Muenster High School is superbly successful. Muenster Jaycees have issued a cordial invitation to all who wish to participate in their St. Augustine grass planting project at Muenster City Park. What that really means, says

Johnny Pagel, is that the Jaycees are begging for help. Wedding: Daniel Fleitman and Billie Marie Kelly are married in Sacred Heart Church; Edward Joseph Schmitt III and Kathleen Speegle are married in Austin.

**10 YEARS AGO**  
May 19, 1989  
Muenster is spared from the full fury of Tuesday's freakish springtime storm, but hail as big as golf balls, high winds, 6.85 inches of rain Monday night, making a total of 13.39 since last week cause financial damage and havoc and flooding. Last week, lightning struck the former landmark Gus Hellman home, which burned to the ground. The above-mentioned hail was so heavy, the "ground was solid white," said Agnes Meurer. "The next morning the ground was black with birds knocked out by the hail, and then drowning in the rain." She picked up 191 dead birds. Graduation at Cooke County College features commencement address by U.S. Rep. Stenholm. Debriefing

session held for 25 vendors and sponsors of Germanfest, who are facing the realization that the event grows more complex each year. Mr. and Mrs. R.P. Cain celebrate golden wedding anniversary. Kim Eldred earns Bachelor of Science degree from Texas Woman's University.

**50 YEARS AGO**  
June 3, 1949  
Long-awaited Main Street pavement job is completed. The state highway department's farm-to-market road project leading from Highway 82 to a point 5.2 miles north of town has been officially opened to traffic. **Obituary:** Mrs. J.P. Fisch, 88, dies here. Twenty-three graduate at Sacred Heart High School.

**30 YEARS AGO**  
May 23, 1969  
Twenty-seven seniors will graduate at Sacred Heart High

School and thirty-five will graduate at Muenster High School. Theresa Jo Fleitman earns Bachelor of Arts Degree at Loretto Heights College in Denver. Red Cross classes in Water Safety, swimming and Life Saving start at Muenster Pool next week. At Sacred Heart High School, Cynthia Bindel is Valedictorian and Beverly Koelzer is Salutatorian. At Muenster High School Susie Yosten is Valedictorian and Jan Wilde is Salutatorian. Graduations will be carried live on Channel 2 TV for both schools. At Lindsay High School Margie Hundt is Valedictorian and Carolyn Block is Salutatorian.



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# School News

## Sacred Heart Preschool moves on 14 students

Students of the Sacred Heart Preschool Class celebrated the traditional Moving On Ceremony for 14 of its 24 students. The celebration was held Wednesday, May 26 at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Center. The children processed to the stage to music played by Mrs. Ruth Felderhoff.

Sacred Heart Pastor Father Thomas Craig gave the invocation. Everyone was invited to join the children in reciting The Pledge of Allegiance and singing "My Country 'Tis of Thee".

Performing to a full house, the Preschool children delighted proud parents, relatives and friends with a selection of their favorite songs. Each song was

performed with accompanying body motions and referred to something they learned during the school year. Their selections included "Oh Me, Oh My", "Who Built the Ark?", "Sneaky Snake", "Sodeo", and "Angels Watching Over Me". Announcing each song were the older children who will be moving on to kindergarten in the fall.

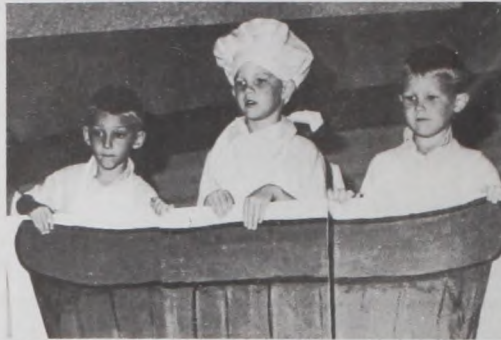
Dr. Jack Murdock, principal, presented moving-on certificates to the following students: Mark Bartush, Joshua Biffle, Jordan Fredrick, Connor Fuhrmann, Amelia Haverkamp, Marbella Hernandez, Amanda Knabe, Nick Lewis, Austin Miller, Nicole Pagel, Kelsey Reeves, Trevor Riley, Alyssa Stewart,

and Emily White.

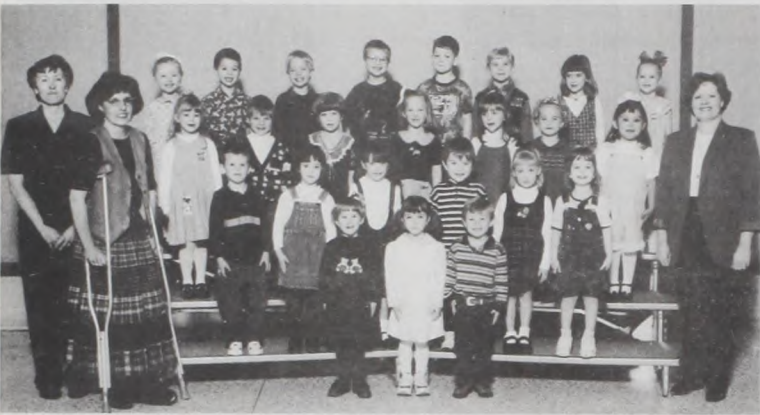
The 10 children who will return to Preschool in the fall for another year received certificates of attendance. They were Destin Fleitman, Devan Henry, Brooke Hess, Kaitlin Hesse, Clayton Rohmer, Morgan Swank, Elizabeth Turner, Amber Walterscheid, Brooke Walterscheid, and Michael Weinzapfel.

Mrs. Pam Dangelmayr was the classroom teacher for the year. She was assisted by Mrs. Kathy Berres and Mrs. Susan Yosten.

Following the Kindergarten portion of the program, everyone was invited to enjoy refreshments, visiting, and picture taking.



The Sacred Heart Kindergarten Class celebrated their Moving On ceremony with a tribute to Mother Goose. Top photo shows the butcher, Calvin Wimmer; the baker, Ryan Felderhoff; and the candlestick maker, Jordan Henscheid in the tub. Top right, Little Boy Blue, Matt Hesse. Above Mary Conrath, Hayley Hess (at right) waters her flowers, from left, Madison Williams, Sydney Hoedebeck, and Megan Hesse. Below right, Old King Cole, Chad Walterscheid, calls for his fiddlers. Below Miss Muffet, Victoria Endres, is frightened by a spider. Not pictured, but taking part in the production were Alex Turner, Angela Wimmer, and Thomas Mabrey, who played Bob Peep's sheep. Photos by Janie Hartman



Sacred Heart Preschool

## Gayle Nicole Walterscheid receives Goodwill Scholarship

Gayle Walterscheid was presented the Goodwill Scholarship at the commons area at Lindsay ISD on May 24 by Richard Stark, a representative of Goodwill Industries. To see Gayle receive this award was her mother, Kimberly Walterscheid and her fellow classmates. Goodwill Industries presents scholarship of \$500 to students based on their academics and leadership abilities.

Gayle is a student at Lindsay ISD. Her principal is Gary Hamilton. While in school Gayle has been very active. Gayle has been involved in the National Honor Society, Basketball, Drill Team, Cross Country, Track, U.I.L. Current Events, Spanish Club, Pep Club, Science Club, Future Homemakers of America and Future Farmers of America. Gayle has maintained an "A" average all four years while being involved in sports and working a part-time job at Villa Pizza. She was squad leader of the drill team - Knightlites, and captain of the basketball - Lady Knights. Gayle has received many awards such as Academic All-District, Cooke County Bar Association All-Academic Team, All-American Dancer, and U.I.L. Current Events State Champion Team.

Gayle also received the Wilson N. Jones Hospital Scholarship for \$1000, PTC scholarship for \$500, and Villa Pizza Scholarship for \$300.

Gayle is the daughter of Kimberly Walterscheid of Lindsay and Bert Walterscheid of Muenster, and a sister to Emily and Justin Walterscheid; granddaughter of Frank and Dorothy Krebs, and Margie and Boots Sicking, and the late Herbie Walterscheid; and great-granddaughter of Catherine Luttmner and Marie Reiter.

Gayle will be attending University of North Texas in Fall of 1999 to receive a degree in social work - child welfare (her major) and a minor in Spanish.



Gayle Walterscheid

**NOTICE**  
Report cards for students of Sacred Heart School may be picked up beginning Monday, June 14. They will be available at the parish business office in the convent during regular business hours.



Courtney Grewing

## Courtney Grewing graduates

Courtney Grewing, graduated from Coppell High School on Saturday afternoon, May 29. She was 40th in her class with a GPA of 3.885.

Commencement services for the graduating class were held at 2 p.m. at Alfred Loos Field House in Dallas. The ceremonies began with a procession of Coppell school board trustees, CHS officials, CHS teachers followed by the 378 graduating seniors. Participating in the commencement exercises were the CHS Varsity Choir and CHS Band and senior class officers. Coach Laura Springer, who was chosen by the graduates, gave the commencement address.

Attending the ceremonies were parents Wayne and Peggy Grewing, siblings Stephanie, Leslie, Kelly, and Ricky Grewing, Godmother Linda Knabe of Muenster, and "adopted" parents Chris, Terri, son Preston Cagle, and friend Kelly Rhyme of Coppell.

Attending a party for Courtney later at the Cagle residence were Courtney's grandparents Gene and Elsie Hoedebeck, Mary and Ashley Hess of Muenster, Toni, Jay, Elliot, Travis, and Blake Lankford of Irving, Fred and Michelle Hoedebeck of The Colony, and friends and employers of Coppell.

Courtney plans to attend UNT in Denton this fall.

## Grandson of Paul & Marie Endres wins high honors

Peter Kincaid Endres is the valedictorian at National Sports Academy. At commencement ceremonies May 29 at NSA in Lake Placid, New York, Peter Endres was awarded a high school diploma and named valedictorian of his class. Peter also received the annual Colby Wheeler award, the school's highest award for sportsmanship and leadership.

Peter has attended NSA four years, competing in alpine skiing and soccer. He qualified for the northeast Junior Olympics three years, won the Empire Games giant slalom in 1998, and skied at the Eastern Cup level in 1999. In soccer, Peter was MVP for NSA and named to the All-Valley Conference Team two years.

In his valedictory address, Peter spoke of change and success, two words that summed the school history and his personal experience. He was affirmed with a standing ovation and an auditorium of



Peter Kincaid Endres

teary eyes. Attending the celebration were his parents Dr. Richard Endres and Dr. Martha Kincaid, and brothers Nathan and Eric. Making the trip to New York also were grandparents Paul and Marie Endres of Muenster.

Peter has the distinction of being accepted at St. Lawrence, Bates, Colby, and Brown Universities. He will be home in Sodus, New York for the summer.

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# Sports

## 1998 Texas hunting accidents 2nd lowest on record to 1996

Although still room for improvement, last year Texas experienced its second safest hunting season on record, dating back to 1966. There were a total of 40 accidents, including three that resulted in fatalities. The record low of 31 accidents including two fatalities, occurred in 1996.

A total of only nine shooters involved in hunting accidents were graduates of the states mandatory hunter education course. Even though hunter education is required in 49 of the 50 states and is required of Texas hunters born on or after September 2, 1971, most accidents are caused by people in violation of the law or who are not required to pass the course to legally hunt here. Certain exemptions in the law, such as a minor being able to hunt under adult supervision through age 16, weaken the assurance that every hunter will attend a hunter education course early enough in the learning process. Everyone is encouraged to take the course regardless of age or requirements.

The primary purpose of hunter education is to present techniques by which hunters can handle firearms safely and competently. A total of 15 (37%) of the 1998 hunting accidents involved careless handling and dropped firearms.

One quarter of accidents occurred in or around a vehicle. Even though it may be legal to carry loaded firearms in or hunt from a vehicle on private land in Texas, statistics show it to be an unsafe practice. Cramped quarters, careless handling, failing to check if a firearm is loaded and entering/exiting a vehicle while pointing the firearm to an unsafe direction all played a contributing role.

Being aware of one's surroundings is a key to reducing many of the accidents in the Lone Star State. A total of six accidents in 1998 were caused by shooters "swinging" outside of their safe zones-of-fire. Shooters who failed to see another person beyond their line-of-fire (background) caused three additional accidents. Hunters or blaze orange vests and caps have reduced hunter judgment mistakes by over 50% in states requiring it to be worn.

Rifles were involved in 15 of the accidents, shotguns in 18, handguns in 6 and there was one archery related incident.

Shooters age 10-19 years were involved in a quarter of the accidents, as was the same for shooters age 30-39. Hunters age 20-29 and 40-49 caused 6 accidents in each category. Those between the ages of 50-

59 were involved in one accident, 60 and over in 4 and "unknown" shooters accounted for 3 of the accidents.

The primary species being hunted at the time of the accident was white-tailed deer with 12. Following this total were dove with 7, wild hogs with 6, quail and pheasant with 6, rabbits with 3 and squirrel, turkey and coyotes with 2 each.

A total of 5 accidents involved people who were violating a hunting regulation at the time of the incident. One person was involved in an Alcohol-related accident. A total of 23 accidents were self-inflicted.

A total of three hunters died of heart attacks while hunting in 1998. While not considered in the "hunting accident" statistics involving sporting areas, the hunter education course stresses outdoor safety, physical fitness, wilderness survival and first aid in parts of the curricula.

If hunters acted carefully, capably, considerately and courteously - the four C's of hunting - they would experience only the good things associated with hunting and sustain the privilege and heritage for years to come.



Vanessa Felderhoff participated in the United States Dressage Federation Junior/Young Rider Regional Team championship competition on Saturday and Sunday, June 5 and 6 at River Point Racing & Equestrian Center in Bossier City, Louisiana. She was a member of a team of four representing Cedar Trace Equestrian Center in College Station, Texas. Region 9 is comprised of riders from Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Mississippi. The Cedar Trace team won first in their division with the highest team average score of 288.5. Vanessa won the individual Division Champion honor with the highest average of 63.5. Vanessa is the daughter of August & Loretta Felderhoff.

Photo by Gary L. Droll

## Hunter education course available

There is no need to wait until right before hunting season to take hunter education classes because Texas Parks and Wildlife offers classes all summer long throughout the state.

Although the hunter education course is not required to purchase a license, all Texas hunters born on or after September 2, 1971 are required to meet these hunter education requirements:

\* hunters 17 and older must successfully complete a hunter education course

\* hunters between the ages of 12 and 16 must successfully complete a hunter education course or be accompanied by a licensed hunter 17 or older

\* hunters under 12 must be accompanied by a licensed hunter 17 or older.

The hunter education course is a 10 hour class that teaches hunting safety, skills and responsibility. When the course is completed, the certification card is good for life and is honored by the 48 states and 10 Canadian provinces that require hunter education. The card is supposed to be carried at all times while hunting.

Gehrig's Hardware is scheduling a three day hunters education course on July 12-13-14. The course is limited to 20 and if needed, another class may be offered in August. For more information, contact Jim Gehrig at 759-4112.

## MHS cheerleading camp reminder

The MHS Varsity Cheerleaders would like to remind all area youngsters of the Mini Cheerleading Camp which will be held June 28-July 2 at the Muenster City Park. Parents of Muenster ISD Elementary students are urged to mail in the form sent home with the students the last week of school. This form and the \$20.00 fee need to be received by June 20. Additional forms may be obtained at Ace Hardware/Ben Franklin's in Muenster.

The cheerleaders will be teaching the latest NCA cheers, chants and dance they will be learning at the SMU Cheerleading Camp, June 17-20. Participants will also be offered the opportunity to practice tumbling skills with Rose Henscheid, owner of the Gymnastics Sports Center of Muenster. Area Junior High

Squads are also invited and urged to attend. The week will end with an exhibition by all the participants for their parents. Competitions and awards for squads and individuals will bring the week to an exciting close. For additional information, you may contact the MHS cheerleader sponsor, Joni Sturm, at 759-2724.

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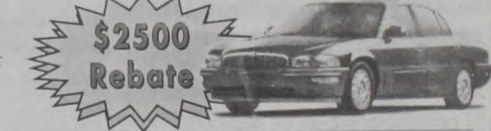


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The purpose of the public hearing is to allow public input into the Unified Transportation Program (UTP), and the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) preparation process. A list will be provided of projects selected in the UTP and the STIP. Maps and drawings will be on display.

Mr. John Barton, P.E., Director of Transportation Planning and Development with the Texas Department of Transportation in Wichita Falls, will be in charge of the hearing.

The hearing will be informal, and all interested citizens are invited to attend and express their views on the programs. Utility companies are also invited to do so that we may inform them of the upcoming state projects in the Wichita Falls District.

Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this hearing 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 Tammy Marlow at (940) 720-7711 two (2) weeks prior to the hearing so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Written comments may be submitted to the Texas Department of Transportation, 1601 Southwest Parkway, Wichita Falls, Texas 76302-4906, but must be received no later than 10 days after the public hearing.

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The petition of TRACY LYNN NASSER, Petitioner, was filed in the Court of Cooke County, Texas, on the 1st day of June, A.D. 1999, against MOHAMMED SULTAN ABU NASSER, Respondent, numbered 99-254 and entitled "In the Matter of the Marriage of TRACY LYNN NASSER and MOHAMMED SULTAN ABU NASSER". The suit requests the court grant a divorce.  
The Court has the authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property which will be binding on you.  
Issued and given under my hand and Seal of said Court at Gainesville, Texas, this 7th day of June, A.D., 1999.

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**Attest:**  
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# Farm & Ranch

## European nations continue to ban US hormone treated beef

The recent failure by the European Union to meet a beef import deadline has disappointed ranchers across America as well as those in Texas who were hopeful that their product would once again be the main course at dinner throughout Europe.

According to the Cooke County Farm Bureau, American produced beef is the safest in the world. U.S. producers can compete in any market if given a fair shot.

That was their reaction following the EU's failure to comply with a World Trade Organization deadline to allow imports of American beef treated with hormones. European nations have banned hormone-treated beef for 10 years.

The European ban on American beef is an underhanded move designed to shut our beef out of their markets. The consumers should be able to make the decision and not the protectionism of European politics, the local Farm Bureau leaders said.

U.S. cattlemen and other beef experts maintain there is no difference between hormone-treated beef and beef not treated with the growth promotants.

Independent examinations have found that hormone-treated beef is safe. Scientists

have used sound, credible science to come to these conclusions.

To counter the European Union's refusal to comply, the American Farm Bureau Federation, the largest farm organization in the United States, is calling on the U.S. Trade Representative to keep the pressure on the Europeans. That pressure would include retaliation of several EU-produced products. The American Farm Bureau is part of a coalition urging the U.S. government to ensure that the list of targeted products affects all EU member states.

## Notices returned in error

Farmers and ranchers who filed form 4797 with the IRS and received a disqualifying notice should not give up hope, according to the Cooke County Board of Directors.

Last year the American Farm Bureau Federation worked to convince the IRS that dairy and livestock producers should not be declared ineligible for the earned income tax credit (EITC) because income from the sale of breeding livestock was classified as capital gains income.

Many producers who filed

Form 4797 with their 1998 return received notices disqualifying them from the EITC.

The IRS recently admitted those notices were sent in error, saying that tax forms had already been printed when the changes were made, and that they were unable to reprogram their computers on time.

Farmers who filed Form 4797 and received a disqualifying notice should call the person or office listed on the notice or call the IRS, toll-free, at 1-800-829-1040.

## Slow start for sorghum

The Texas Blackland sorghum crop has gotten off to a ragged start, but ultimate yields will depend on what happens between now and harvest.

"We're in a holding pattern waiting to see what Mother Nature will do," said Dr. Cloyce Coffman, Texas Agricultural Extension Service grain specialist. "We're going to need moisture from time to time and good, sunny weather otherwise to make a crop."

Coffman said sorghum growers in the Blacklands,

basically from Austin north to the Red River in the central part of the state, have been able to get all the intended acres planted. But the seed on a substantial number of acres went into soil that was too dry to germinate it, with the hopes that rain would fall soon after planting. Those acres have "skippy" stands," Coffman said, "but it is too late to replant."

The rest was planted after the rains, which fortunately did happen in late April, but that means the crop was at least three weeks behind. As a result, "the stands are a lot more ragged than we would like. The acreage that was planted after the rain looks the best, but it is late," Coffman explained.

Last year, Texas harvested a \$233 million sorghum crop off of about 2.3 million acres.

## TDA secures specific exemption for use of tilt to control ergot on grain sorghum

The Texas Department of Agriculture has been granted approval by the EPA to issue a Section 18 specific exemption to use Tilt fungicide (propiconazole) to control ergot on grain sorghum. The specific exemption allows the use of Tilt until Dec. 31, 1999.

The specific exemption for Tilt applies to all grain sorghum-producing counties in Texas. All applicable direction, restriction and precautions on the EPA registered product label for Tilt fungicide, as well as restrictions within the EPA approval notice, must be followed.

For more information and other restrictions, contact the county extension office of the TDA at 512-463-7407. A copy of the EPA approval notice is available on TDA's web page, <http://www.agr.state.tx.us/pesticide/tilt99.htm>

### PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETINGS

#### JOINT MEETINGS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MUESTER AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MUESTER WATER DISTRICT

will be held at the Municipal Conference Room at City Hall, 400 North Main Street, Muenster Texas at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, June 7, 1999, and at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 15, 1999, to discuss the following:

#### RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN TRACTS OF LAND INTO THE CITY LIMITS OF MUESTER AND INTO MUESTER WATER DISTRICT.

The territories to be annexed are described below:

**Charles Dill's property on South Ash Street.** All of Lot 11 of the Southtown Subdivision No. 2 in Cooke County, Texas, as more particularly set out in the Plat Records of Cooke County, Texas in Cabinet A, Slide 348-T.

**Felderhoff Brothers Drilling Company on East Eddy Street.** All that tract or parcel of land situated in Cooke County, Texas, being out of Block 1 and 2 of the John Barnett Survey, Abstract No. 42 in Cooke County, Texas, and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the South boundary line of Eddy Street in the City of Muenster, Cooke County, Texas, at a point that is 188 feet West of its intersection with the East boundary line of Block No. 1 of said Barnett Survey;

THENCE South 390 feet, more or less, to a point on the South right-of-way of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad Company, being the Southwest corner of a tract of land conveyed to Vincent Felderhoff and Alphonse Felderhoff by deed recorded in Volume 532, Page 575, Cooke County Deed of Records;

THENCE Southeasterly along the South boundary line of said right-of-way, 190 feet to point for corner, at the Southwest corner of a tract of land conveyed to Vincent Felderhoff and Alphonse Felderhoff, dba Felderhoff Brothers Drilling Company, recorded in Volume 568, Page 230, Cooke County Deed of Records;

THENCE East 100 feet to point for corner;

THENCE North 445 feet, more or less, to point for corner on the South boundary line of said Eddy Street in the City of Muenster, Texas;

THENCE West along the South boundary of said Eddy Street, 288 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning; being the Third, Fourth, and Fifth Tracts described in a quitclaim deed to Felderhoff Brothers Drilling Company, Inc., dated August 20, 1996, recorded in Volume 950, Page 563, Cooke County Official Public Records.

**City Ballfield Tract on North Mesquite Street.** Field notes of a certain 20.60 acre tract of land in the J. Trussell Survey, A-1732 and the T. Scott Survey, A-900, in the west central Cooke County, Texas. This 20.60 acre tract of land is the east part of a called 62.4 acre tract (save and except one acre in the form of a square in the southwest corner) owned by Frank Schilling. Ownership of this tract is by Warranty Deed from Albert Schilling et al to Frank Schilling, said Deed being recorded on 1-31-1942 in Volume 262, Page 249, Deed of Records, Cooke County, Texas, which conveys the east 41.6 acres of the call 62.4 tract AND by Warranty Deed from John C. Schilling and wife Jennie Schilling to Frank Schilling said deed being recorded 6-27-1944 in Volume 286, Page 39, Deed of Records, Cooke County, Texas, and conveys the west 20.8 acres of the called 62.4 acre tract.

This 20.60 acre tract is more specifically described as:

BEGINNING at a set iron spike at the intersection of County Road 428 and County Road 423 (an extension of Mesquite Street) said spike being 381 feet east of the southwest corner of the P.P. Whiting Survey, A-1116 and on said Whiting Survey's south line and on the north line of the said Trussell Survey;

TRENCHE South 1,065.21 feet with County Road 423 to a set spike in the north R.O.W. of Ninth Street for corner;

THENCE South 89°34'47" West 824.12 feet with the north R.O.W. of Ninth Street (the north city limits of the City of Muenster) and a fence to an 8 inch wood post and set iron rod for corner;

THENCE North 02°02'00" West 1,064.40 feet with a wire fence to a set spike in the middle of County Road 428 and on the south line of the G. Ivy Survey, A-516 and the north line of the said J. Trussell Survey;

THENCE North 89°30'00" East 861.90 feet with County Road 428 to the Place of Beginning.

LESS AND EXCEPT the following tract of land, to-wit:

All that tract or parcel of land out of the J. Trussell Survey, Abstract No. 1732 and the T. Scott, Abstract No. 900 in Cooke County, Texas, being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point 824.12 feet East of the intersection of the East line of Mesquite Street and the North line of Ninth Street in the City of Muenster, Cooke County, Texas, along the North line of said Ninth Street at an 8" wood post;

THENCE North 02°02'00" West 150 feet to point for corner;

THENCE East parallel with said Ninth Street 290.5 feet to point for corner;

THENCE South 150 feet, more or less to the North line of said Ninth Street to a point for corner;

THENCE West along the North line of said Ninth Street 290.5 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, containing 1.00 acre, more or less.

## County Agent's Report by Craig Rosenbaum

### BITING FLY INFESTATIONS CAUSE LOSSES FOR TEXAS CATTLE PRODUCERS

The mild winter of 1998-99 has provided Texas livestock owners in many areas of the state with abundant insects, specifically biting flies, that attack cattle and other farm animals in the spring. Spring weather conditions have been favorable for the development of horn flies, stable flies and horse flies.

Many livestock owners are finding these spring populations to greatly exceed established economic thresholds and are causing animals to bunch together to reduce fly annoyance. All biting flies suck blood from their hosts and reduce the thrift and vigor of farm animals.

The stable fly is making a strong presence in many areas with 20 to 45 flies being found on individual animals. The stable fly is a strong feeder and causes significant stress to animals when populations are high. Animals infested with the stable fly will stomp their feet frequently and try all possible means to physically dislodge these vicious blood feeding flies. The immature larvae develop in decaying organic matter around feed bunks or under round hay bales.

The horn fly is the most common biting fly in Texas. These flies rest on the back and belly area of the animal. The horn fly is about half the size of a common house fly. There are abundant populations of horn flies in many areas this spring. Each adult fly will consume about a half drop of blood from animals each day. The treatment threshold for this pest is approximately 200 to 250 horn flies per animal. A visual estimate to check fly numbers can be used to determine if animal treatments will be required.

Dr. Cliff Hoelscher, Extension entomologist, says that field checks conducted the first week in April found some animals with 1,200 to 1,500 horn flies per animal. The numbers of flies greatly exceed the treatment threshold and required treatment.

The mild winter weather and warm spring temperatures have resulted in the emergence of early populations of horse flies. These strong blood feeders not only take blood from the host but also are capable of transmitting diseases to

horses and cattle.

Dr. Hoelscher also says that horse flies are robust flyers and can travel long distances in search of a host. These flies are occasional feeders and leave the animal often and are difficult to control with insecticides. Retreatment of animals, especially horses, with a pyrethroid insecticide will be required for horse fly control. Rainfall received this spring has helped the survival of the semi-aquatic larval stage of this pest.

Livestock owners will want to carefully choose the proper insecticide and application to complement other veterinary practices to be conducted when animals are being worked in a holding pen. A variety of insecticide formulations are available including sprays, dusts, ready-to-use pour-ons, dips, dust bags, impregnated ear tags and injectable products.

The pour-on formulations have become popular because of their ease of use and dose safety factors. One just has to open the container and pour the prescribed dose directly on the animal's shoulders and back line.

Insecticide ear tags continue to be a popular treatment for horn flies because of the long residual control provided and ease of application. Choose a treatment scheme that works well into your herd management plan and offers long term economic control.

In general, three types of insecticide are in popular use for livestock pest control. These insecticides include the organophosphate compounds, synthetic pyrethroids and avermectin formulations. Your local county Extension agent, veterinarian, feed store operator or chemical company representative can help you choose a specific product in the marketplace for use in your operation. The avermectin materials have a broad spectrum pest activity and can be used to control both internal and external pests. The pyrethroid and organophosphate compounds will provide excellent biting fly control. Retreatment of animals may be required if high pest numbers continue to emerge.

Our office has a free publication

to assist with livestock pest control problems. Extension publication B-1306, Managing External Parasites of Texas Livestock and Poultry, is available at the Extension office in the Courthouse-B-12, or on the Texas A&M University, Department of Entomology Web site on the Internet at <http://entowww.tamu.edu>

Remember to read and follow label directions on the product selected for use on your animals.

### MAJOR SHOW STEER VALIDATION

4-H and F.F.A. members who plan to show steers at the major livestock shows this fall and in the spring of 2000 must have those animals validated during June. The county validation date is Wednesday, June 23, 1999 at the Gainesville Livestock Market on Refinery Road in Gainesville. Major shows include the State Fair of Texas, Fort Worth, San Antonio, Houston, El Paso, etc. Contact the County Extension Office or your local Vocational Ag Instructor now to let them know you have animals to validate.

### ANOTHER BOOM YEAR FOR GRASSHOPPERS PREDICTED

Grasshopper populations are booming across Texas. Extension entomologist Cliff Hoelscher says early indications point to a population that is more severe than last year. He says due to the mild winter, there was excellent survival of the egg cases in the soil. Grasshoppers caused an estimated three-to-five-million dollars in damage last year. Hoelscher says summer weed control will take away food from newly-hatched nymphs and make fields unattractive to egg-laying adults. Weed control also exposes grasshoppers to birds and other predators. Control is considered necessary if there are 21 to 40 grasshoppers per square yard in field margins and 8 to 14 grasshoppers per square yard in fields. Control measures include insecticides or baits. Hoelscher says baits tend to work slowly. At least 100 acres must be treated with insecticide for effective control. He says grasshoppers tend to migrate back into treated areas.

## Texas Ag Facts

About 150,000 farms and ranches in Texas have cattle - more than any other state.

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Sold at Friday's sale were 1,139 head of cattle compared to 1,231 head of cattle the previous week. Tuesday, the market conducted the sale of 212 goats, 68 sheep and 373 hogs. The numbers for last week were 265, 70 and 218 respectively. Results of both sales follow:

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| <p><b>Feeder Steers (per lb.)</b><br/>200-300 lbs.: No. 1, 94-1.15; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 70-94;<br/>300-400 lbs.: No. 1, 82-99;<br/>Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 70-82; 400-500 lbs.: No. 1, 80-99; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 70-80; 500-600 lbs.: No. 1, 78-87; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 65-78; 600-700 lbs.: No. 1, 70-82; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 65-70; 700-800 lbs.: No. 1, 67-77; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 60-67.</p> <p><b>Feeder Heifers (per lb.)</b><br/>200-300 lbs.: No. 1, 80-91; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 65-80; 300-400 lbs.: No. 1, 75-85; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 62-75; 400-500 lbs.: No. 1, 73-84; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 68-73; 500-600 lbs.: No. 1, 70-82; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 55-70; 600-700 lbs.: No. 1, 65-75; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 53-65; 700-800 lbs.: No. 1, 61-73; Nos. 2 &amp; 3, 51-61.</p> <p><b>Slaughter Cattle (per lb.)</b><br/>Slaughter bulls: yield grade 1-2, 1,200-2,050 lbs., 45-5350. Slaughter cows: utility 1-3, 28-33; cutter, 33-40.</p> <p><b>Stocker Cows (per head)</b><br/>Pregnancy-tested, 3- to 9-year-olds - large frame, \$500-\$560; medium frame, \$425-\$500.</p> <p><b>Cow-calf pairs w/calves under 250 lbs. - large frame, \$600-\$650; medium frame, \$500-\$600.</b></p> <p><b>Holstein baby calves, \$40-\$90; Crossbreds, \$80-\$165.</b></p> <p><b>Hogs (per lb.)</b><br/><b>Barrows &amp; Gilts:</b> US 1-2, 220-275, 33-3750; US 2-3, 220-275, 28-32.</p> | <p><b>Sows:</b> US 1-3, 300-650, 25-34. <b>Boars:</b> US 1-3, 200-650, 10. <b>Feeders:</b> US 1-3, 100-175, \$28-\$40 per head. <b>Pigs:</b> US 1-3, 25-90, \$5-\$30 per head.</p> <p><b>Sheep (per lb.)</b><br/>Lambs: 72-86. Ewes: 38-55. Bucks: 30-35.</p> <p><b>Barbados (per head)</b><br/>Lambs: \$36-\$44.50. Ewes: \$27-\$50-\$40. Bucks: \$35-\$50.</p> <p><b>Dairy Goats (per head)</b><br/>Kids: \$10-\$40. Nannies: \$35-\$75. Billies: \$50-\$90.</p> <p><b>Meat Goats (per head)</b><br/>Kids: \$20-\$50. Nannies: \$30-\$70. Billies: \$50-\$150.</p> |
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