

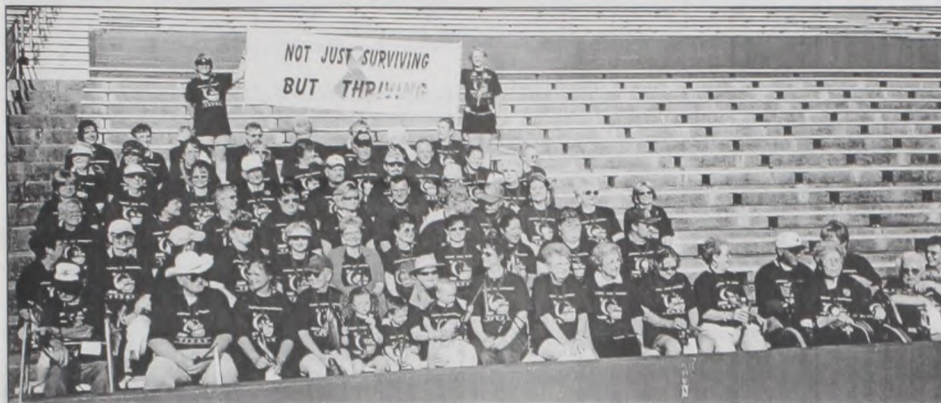
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Cancer survivors attending the 2003 Cooke County Relay for Life, pose for a group picture at Leeper Stadium in Gainesville after the Survivor's Lap. The event was held

Friday and Saturday, June 6-7. Other special activities were the Luminaria Ceremony, various contests, musical performances, drawings, and awards. Courtesy photo

## Cooke County winners to receive Keep Texas Beautiful awards in July

Muenster won the 2003 Governor's Community Achievement Award of Sustained Excellence again this year thanks to so many who help Keep Muenster Beautiful with cleanup, beautification and preservation projects in the community.

Muenster Youth are the first place winners of the Ruthe Jackson Off Campus Youth Leadership Award. The Muenster Youth consists of youth who participated in Keep Muenster Beautiful cleanup, beautification and preservation activities from May 1, 2002 to April 30, 2003 and include the Keep Muenster Beautiful Youth Board of Directors, the Muenster ISD National Honor Society and Student Council, Sacred Heart Student Council and National Honor Society, Sacred Heart Angelic A/Capella Choir, Boy Scouts Troop 664 and the Muenster Girl Scouts.

Muenster Youth will receive their award on July 9. Adult individuals as listed in the May 30 issue of the Muenster Enterprise

will receive their awards on July 10. Muenster will receive their third consecutive Governor's Community Achievement Award of Sustained Excellence on July 11. Awards will be presented at luncheons on the above dates at the Keep Texas Beautiful Conference to be held July 8 - 11, at the Renaissance Dallas Hotel, 2222 Stemmons Freeway, Dallas. Those who wish to help the winners celebrate and register for the luncheon(s) to watch them receive their awards may call Keep Texas Beautiful at 1-800-CLEAN TX or go to the website at www.ktb.org.

Keep Texas Beautiful, Inc. is an educational, nonprofit organization working in cooperation with the Texas Department of Transportation and 14.4 million concerned citizens, government entities, and private industries in a public/private venture to eliminate litter and create a cleaner and more beautiful environment.

Submitted by: MaryLee Alfred

## Resident despairs over Pioneer Valley situation

By Janet Felderhoff  
Claude East, a resident of Pioneer Valley took advantage of the Public Comments portion of the June 9 Commissioners Court meeting. East, vice-president of the Pioneer Valley Association, was agitated by the lack of services offered to residents of Pioneer Valley.

East said he's studied the Association's by-laws and standing rules. "The club provides social and recreational facilities, which Pioneer Valley is not a residential community," reported East. "It is by definition a recreational facility."

As a private development Pioneer Valley owns the residential streets and is required to maintain them, said East. It should also provide services such as fire and police protection and trash collection. He said there is a big problem with street maintenance and trash collection. "The garbage is piled up everywhere," he claimed. "We ask you to go out and cite these people for overrunning septic tanks and for trash piled up all over the place. I have been fighting for one year to get some dumpsters in strategic areas." He said that there was a fire engine and it was given away. The security guard was fired and another not hired.

East then said that Pioneer Valley was asking

the County to maintain their roads, but East asked that they not do it so that the organization would straighten it up themselves.

County Judge Bill Freeman told East that he could report the septic tank problems to the Environmental Health office and it would be investigated.

Jay Osburn, writer for the Gainesville Daily Register asked Judge Bill Freeman about a story that was published in the Register the weekend regarding a tax protest held at the County Courthouse. Tape was put across the steps and sign was put up saying that protesters were not allowed to use the Courthouse steps.

Judge Freeman noted that he was out of town over the weekend and did authorize the sign or putting up the tape. He had denied permission to two people who requested it for liability reasons.

"As far as use of the steps, I did not know the organization," said Freeman. They told me they were organizing a tax protest where there would be hundreds of people here. I have to take into consideration the liability of the County if a person was to get hurt on the steps." He said he had a call in to determine what the liability is if someone were to use the steps.

Judge Freeman also noted an error in the story. The County's budget is around \$13 million a year not \$30 million as written, he said.

Laura Blanton was awarded a certificate and plaque in recognition of her meeting requirements in the water and wastewater training in the OSSF Division. She is the County Environmental Health Officer. Blanton was approved for the positions at the Dec. 23, 2002 meeting. She had been doing much of the paperwork while Carl Walterscheid was off due to illness. John Pipes, retired from that position, agreed to help the County by doing site inspections until Blanton was trained and certified. She is also secretary for County

commissioners and the Environmental Health office.

County Road 258 in Johnson Park Estate Phase 1 and 2 was accepted as a county road. Also accepted was the maintenance agreement from Bolen Construction for one year of maintenance on the road. Commissioners Young and Cox inspected it. Commissioners Court voted to release the Letter of Credit.

In other business Commissioners Court:

- Approved June 23, 24, and 25 as dates for Departmental Budget hearings.

- Approved request by J.D. Proffer to install a fresh water line across CR 162, located in Precinct #1.

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## Spaeth wins Lindsay run-off election June 6

By Janet Felderhoff  
When votes were counted in the May 3 election for seats on the Lindsay City Council, Virginia (Jenny) Dennis and David Spaeth were tied with 83 votes each. A run-off election was held Saturday, June 6. David Spaeth won the alderman position with 77 votes to the 39 votes cast for Dennis.

City Secretary Betsy Fleitman reported that there were 116 votes cast in the run-off election. Of that number, 24 were early votes

and 92 were cast Saturday. Spaeth was sworn in at the regular meeting of Lindsay City Council held Monday, June 9. Others on the Council are Norbert Mages, mayor, Wilbert Block, Robin Rose, Paul Sandmann, and Jeff Neu.

Paul Sandmann was re-elected in May and Jeff Neu was elected.

Wilbert Block is serving as mayor pro tem. It was voted to assign the duties of treasurer to the city secretary.

## It's all fun and games at Sonic Drive-In for its 50th birthday party

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Celebrating its 50th birthday in 2003, Sonic (NASDAQ/NM: SONC) originally started as a hamburger and root beer stand in Shawnee, Okla., called Top Hat Drive-In, then later changed its name to Sonic. Sonic now has more than 2,600 drive-ins in 30 states, and is the nation's largest chain of drive-in restaurants with more than a million customers eating at Sonic Drive-Ins every day.



Accepting symbolic checks for three Cooke County organizations from the Robert L. Farmer Charitable Trust are, from left, Charles Draper, Pat Winstead, Miltz Lyons, Susan

Metzler, Paula Lewis, Ronnie Glasscock, Debbie Pounds, Ed Wright, Leo Kuehn, Marlene Gray, and Mack Barnhart, in the NCTC Little Theater. Dave Fette photo

## Farmers donate \$151,634.12 to area foundations

By Janet Felderhoff  
Several area foundations were gifted by funds from the Robert L. Farmer Charitable Trust. "These gifts were gifts of devotion, respect and caring that Bob and Frances held for this community and the good that these foundations can give through its use," said H. Mack Barnhart, attorney for the Farmers' estate.

A presentation ceremony was held Monday, June 9 at 2 p.m. in the Little Theater of North Central Texas College. Hosting the event were Barnhart, Guaranty National Bank Trust Department, Gainesville Memorial Hospital Foundation, NCTC

Foundation, and Southwestern Diabetic Foundation.

Recipients of \$150,634.12 each were:

Southwestern Diabetic Foundation to provide camper scholarships at Camp Sweeney with a preference being given to campers from Cooke County;

Gainesville Memorial Hospital Foundation to be utilized in the support and maintenance of the Cardio Vascular Rehabilitation unit of GMH;

North Central Texas College Foundation for the creation of the Robert L. and Frances L. Farmer Scholarship for students

who are graduates of a Cooke County school with a preference being given to such qualifying students whose emphasis is in the health science services such as nursing or other medical educational pursuits.

Robert Farmer was born in Forest City, Oklahoma in 1918. He enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1939 and served with distinction until he retired in 1963. Frances Farmer was born in Georgia in 1917. She was active in the business world and held many positions. She was known as a studious and alert investor. The couple was married in Huntsville, Alabama. Each was active with charities in the

community, in which they lived.

Robert and Frances moved to Gainesville in 1995 from Muskogee, Oklahoma. They loved the community. Frances was confined to a wheel chair, which limited her involvement in the local community. Robert also was more limited in his functions since he devotedly cared for Frances. She died in 1999. In 2000 Robert created the Robert L. Farmer Charitable Trust making the donations possible. Also benefiting from the trust for the same amount was the Shriners Children's Hospital.

Frank Buck Zoo See ad on Page 3  
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# Protecting our Precious Symbol

By Congressman Ralph Hall

June 14 is National Flag Day, a time when our nation comes together to celebrate an enduring symbol of freedom and democracy. As I look around our main streets, front lawns, and halls of government, I am emboldened by this flag that unites us all as Americans and I am reminded of the many men and women who fought and died for the nation this flag represents. As our troops are fighting to protect our freedoms and values we too can fight as citizens to protect our national symbol. That is why I am proud to have co-sponsored a resolution and voted with a two-thirds majority in the House of Representatives earlier this month to approve a constitutional amendment to protect the American flag.

As the flag serves to remind our children to respect the heritage of our nation, it is fitting that a 19th century schoolteacher promoted Flag Day as a way to develop in his students a knowledge of and reverence for the adoption of the Stars and Stripes on June 14, 1777. While the informal practice of celebrating the flag's adoption spread to many states, it wasn't until August 3, 1949 that President Truman signed an Act of Congress designating June 14 as National Flag Day. This special day offers Americans a time to reflect on the meaning of liberty.

While the flag is honored by people worldwide, there are some Americans who desecrate it and thereby disgrace the thousands of citizens who have died defending our freedoms. Most Americans have a deep and abiding reverence for our flag. All 50 states and the overwhelming majority of the people support protecting the flag from desecration. It is for this reason that Congress, in 1968, passed the first federal flag protection act in response to a rash of flag burnings in protest of the Vietnam conflict. Lower courts upheld the constitutionality of this statute and the Supreme Court decided not to review the cases. However, in 1984 during the Republican National Convention in Dallas, Texas, a radical protester set an American flag on fire in front of city hall to protest the policies of the Reagan administration. In *Texas v. Johnson* in 1989 the majority held that Texas could not convict an individual for flag desecration as part of a public demonstration because the law was inconsistent with First Amendment protections of free speech and expression. In response to this decision Congress again passed a federal flag protection act in 1989, but the Court also rejected it the following year in *United States v. Eichman*. In the face of this opposition, the only option left is to pass a constitutional amendment authorizing Congress to prohibit the desecration of our flag.

It is our job to restore the flag to its rightful place. This amendment would ensure that our flag receives the respectful treatment it deserves—and would require that those who exercise their right to protest must choose a means other than physically desecrating this sacred symbol. Protesting is part of American democracy, and individuals are free to express their positions without violating this national asset and dishonoring so many past and present citizens. While there have been few instances of flag desecration in recent years, we have no less a responsibility to rectify the Court's onerous decision.

The American people stand ready to protect the flag. A constitutional amendment requires a two-thirds vote by both the House and Senate and ratification by three-quarters of the state legislatures. The amendment has already passed the first hurdle when my colleagues and I in the House passed the resolution on June 3 by a vote of 300 to 125. This is not the first time the House has responded to the will of the people on this issue. For the past five sessions of Congress, the House has approved the amendment, but twice the Senate fell four votes short of the two-thirds necessary to pass it, and twice the Senate never considered it. This year Senate Judiciary Committee Chairman Orrin G. Hatch has sponsored a companion proposal (S.J. Res. 4). It is time for the Senate to uphold the voice of the people and vote in favor of this resolution. Old Glory deserves nothing less.

## Applicants sought for MHMR Board

The City of Gainesville will be appointing members to the Board of Trustees for Mental Health and Mental Retardation Services of Texoma for two-year terms beginning September 1. Board members are eligible to serve consecutive re-appointment terms. Persons residing in the City of Gainesville who are interested in serving on this important board should request an application from: Executive Director, MHMR Services of Texoma, 5001 Airport Drive, Denison, TX 75020 phone (903) 337-4867 or - City Manager's Office, Mike Land, 200 South Rusk, Gainesville, TX 76240 telephone (904) 668-4500.

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## Dry conditions taking over area

With the year a month shy of half gone, rainfall for the Muenster area has been slim. Spring has not brought many showers. Each day of this week has possible rain predicted, but showers are scattered and usually showers last a short time and rainfall is minimal. Janet and Bob Hess keep the official rainfall records for Muenster. Measured moisture has not come close to half of even the least amount of the average rainfall shown below. Will a dry spring bring a wet summer? Those who depend on rain to make a living are certainly hoping. Last year's abundant moisture will only hold us for a short time.

Yr.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	TOTAL
'50	2.25	2.4	5.09	2.53	7.64	5.61	7.71	10.47	4.74	.02	.09	.03	43.53
'60	3.48	1.37	1.80	1.76	3.24	1.17	6.26	1.25	3.19	4.35	.29	3.54	31.70
'70	.36	3.83	2.57	4.83	4.05	1.09	1.09	.13	11.61	1.56	.52	.57	32.21
'80	1.58	1.71	.56	1.72	2.19	1.61	.26	.12	8.94	5.42	1.30	1.73	27.14
<b>1946 to 1955</b>													
<b>10-yr. avg.</b>	1.87	1.93	1.78	2.78	6.43	4.03	2.62	2.16	2.85	2.86	2.00	1.88	33.21
<b>1956 to 1965</b>													
<b>10-yr. avg.</b>	1.84	1.47	2.42	3.51	4.65	3.15	1.98	2.04	3.82	2.84	3.35	2.09	34.15
<b>1966 to 1975</b>													
<b>10-yr. avg.</b>	1.65	2.25	2.71	4.21	4.44	2.55	2.54	3.10	5.30	3.92	1.68	1.83	36.18
<b>1976 to 1985</b>													
<b>10-yr. avg.</b>	1.58	2.14	3.70	2.74	5.29	3.43	1.45	1.31	3.16	5.43	2.38	1.43	34.01
<b>1986 to 1995</b>													
<b>10-yr. avg.</b>	1.71	2.22	2.46	2.91	5.24	3.38	1.51	1.88	3.95	2.69	2.09	2.69	32.73
'90	3.30	3.55	6.63	11.79	6.46	3.45	2.46	3.25	2.31	1.97	3.97	1.38	50.52
'91	2.45	.89	1.99	1.29	4.36	2.54	1.87	3.21	5.30	7.16	1.47	7.36	39.89
'92	3.16	1.65	2.07	1.23	5.35	4.18	.77	.81	5.80	7.0	4.45	4.25	34.42
'93	1.98	3.94	3.30	3.85	5.43	3.67	.05	2.11	6.12	7.14	.96	2.84	40.89
'94	1.20	3.49	3.63	5.77	3.59	1.06	4.02	1.10	5.49	5.65	5.20	2.17	42.37
'95	1.48	0.42	3.34	3.34	5.88	3.92	2.89	3.72	0.00	1.42	1.15	2.31	33.94
'96	.78	trace	3.30	3.65	.18	4.50	2.47	5.32	7.75	2.94	5.18	.18	36.25
'97	.49	7.44	2.69	5.31	8.48	3.32	.52	1.47	.97	4.29	1.26	4.91	41.15
'98	4.15	1.89	5.44	1.92	1.00	5.20	0.00	.87	1.82	3.17	2.42	2.67	30.55
'99	2.40	.24	3.62	2.80	6.94	4.41	0.00	0.16	0.99	1.76	0.81	2.49	26.62
'00	1.75	0.70	2.93	2.80	1.00	4.66	2.69	0.00	2.07	7.92	7.12	3.50	37.14
'01	3.78	7.93	4.32	2.15	4.41	1.75	2.23	0.69	3.98	1.61	1.34	2.95	37.14
'02	1.11	3.63	6.43	4.94	2.50	4.42	5.10	0.89	2.06	8.44	1.54	4.07	45.13
'03	.05	3.24	1.07	1.33	4.05								9.74

## Turn around, don't drown

State and federal agencies have launched a public awareness campaign to convince motorists to turn back when roadways are flooded. The "Turn Around, Don't Drown" campaign is spearheaded by the National Weather Service and the Division of Emergency Management, Texas Department of Public Safety.

Each year about 15 Texans drown driving into floodwaters flowing across roadways or beneath underpasses. The nationwide fatality figure is about 127.

DEM State Coordinator Jack Colley said "These deaths can be prevented. Just turn the car around and choose a different route. I believe if our citizens become aware of the danger through the 'Turn Around, Don't Drown' campaign, they will avoid driving into floodwaters."

It takes as little as two feet of water to float a car, and water across a road may be rising much more rapidly than the driver realizes. Drivers can't tell how deep flood water actually is because floodwaters wash out roadways. A missing section of road, even a missing bridge, will not be visible.

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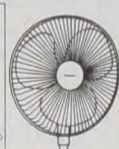
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## 2-WEEK EVENTS CALENDAR

Sunday, June 15, 2003	Monday, June 16, 2003	Tuesday, June 17, 2003	Wednesday, June 18, 2003	Thursday, June 19, 2003	Friday, June 20, 2003	Saturday, June 21, 2003
Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM <b>HAPPY FATHER'S DAY</b>	VFW Auxiliary meeting, 8PM Steer Validation for Shows, 9AM, Gainesville Livestock Auction	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center MMH Board meeting, 8PM Diabetes Support Group meeting, 7PM, GMH Culwell Conference Room	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Adult Co-ed Volleyball, 7PM, Old MHS Gym	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM Blood Drive, 12-8PM, Muenster High School	Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM Muenster State Bank, Customer Appreciation Cookout, 11:30-1:30PM	
Sunday, June 22, 2003 Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM St. Peter's Corpus Christi procession after 10am Mass-Lindsay	Monday, June 23, 2003 MHS Cheerleader Mini Camp, 9AM-Noon, Muenster Park	Tuesday, June 24, 2003 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center	Wednesday, June 25, 2003 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Adult Co-ed Volleyball, 7PM, Old MHS Gym	Thursday, June 26, 2003 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM Livestock Program, 7PM, Cooke County Fairgrounds	Friday, June 27, 2003 Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM SH Cheerleaders Lock-In, Community Center, 3:30PM	Saturday, June 28, 2003 Registration for Red Cross Swim Lessons, Muenster Pool, 9-11AM

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# Tourism and marketing trends presented for 2003

Judy L. Randall of Randall Travel Marketing, Inc. from Mooresville, North Carolina was the main speaker at a tourism workshop presented in Paris, Texas on May 8 and sponsored by the Texas Department of Economic Development. About 50 people were in attendance from all over north and central Texas including MaryLee Alford representing the Muenster Chamber Tourism Committee. Topics included travel and tourism trends for 2003, the importance of local tourism research and how to conduct tourism research surveys, generational marketing, how to serve all your customers, and creating the perfect tourism brochure.

When developing a marketing plan a business or community needs to identify its target market. Ms. Randall offered an excellent description of the generations a business might market to and the reasons behind the generation's decisions.

The "War Generation", people, ages 77 and up, are helpers, make sacrifices, and are looking for soft adventure such as photo safaris and bird watching. Their mission is to do things for their children and grandchildren. They are considered the greatest generation. They lived through the depression, World War II, worked the same job until retirement and expect everyone to pull their own weight. From a marketing point of view they are the "motor coach" group. They'll travel in groups by motor coach or bus, but they typically won't spend more than \$5.00 for lunch.

People from age 60 to 76 are called the "Silent Generation". They have a strong sense of right versus wrong and tend to be a little resentful. With them everything is black and white. They have an attitude of "I've earned it"

and "Do the right thing". They take care of their younger siblings, work hard, don't believe in waste, save money and look after their parents.

The second largest group of Americans is the "Baby Boomers", ages 42 to 59, and a great group to market to, especially if you are in the service industry. There's no way you're going to get this group on a bus unless it's an intimate group having a personal party on the bus. They look for choices and privileges. They want to be pampered and want everything to be easy. They are coming into inheritance and are big consumers. They want special privileges, don't want to wait or stand in line, don't mind buying expensive things because "they're worth it", and just want to have fun. They resent authority, resent control, need escape, demand quality and are looking for instant gratification. This generation can afford, and don't mind buying, expensive things but really enjoy bragging rights when they find a bargain. They shop on the web because it is easy. To market to them make shopping and services easy and pamper them.

Generation X consist of people ages 22 to 41. They tend to be suspicious because they lived during the times of Nixon and Watergate. They were left home alone and were called "latch-key-kids". Because of this they feel a bit disenfranchised and need to belong, think of friends as "you're part of the family" and enjoy family reunions. They want no hype, no manipulation, just the facts and details. They will spend a lot of time on the

Internet and doing their homework looking for bargains but they demand quality. They have a strong sense of family and cherish family time. They look for "learning" vacations because they want to "feel good" about vacations. They enjoy ethnic tourism, want to take care of the planet and to them, money does not equal happiness.

The newest and largest of generations is the "Millennium Generation" also called "Deja Boom" and consist of those age 21 and younger. This is the generation most marketing plans should target. They are empowered and optimistic. As intellectuals they love healthy bodies, are physically strong and not likely to patronize unhealthy places such as smoking establishments. Diversity is part of their culture and is reflected in changing families. They love to buy, are interested in how things work, and are fashion-conscious. They have no loyalty to any group yet care about others, want to change the world, are interested in nature programs, recycling and have tremendous influence over parents.

Ms. Randall recommends, "Today's savvy marketer will create a matrix of these segments/audiences and develop their product(s) to match each generation's unique needs."

MaryLee Alford will share additional tourism information with the Muenster Chamber of Commerce and help review brochures and other Muenster marketing materials, and conduct local marketing surveys to help with local tourism business plans.

Submitted by MaryLee Alford



Melissa Thomas assists Catherine Fleitman with her Tuesday arts and crafts project at Vacation Bible School sponsored by Sacred Heart Parish. The weeklong event will conclude Friday morning with a special ceremony in Sacred Heart Church. Janie Hartman photo

## Bezner tells of 1957 trip to Europe

Johnann Bezner represented the Friends of the Cooke County Library by presenting a program for the residents of the Wheeler House in Gainesville Tuesday. During the program Bezner shared highlights of a trip she made to Europe in 1957. In 1957, travel was much different than it is today. For her trip she wore a sheath skirt and Chanel jacket, hat, gloves, heels and hose. Some of her wardrobe was purchased at the Charm Shop in Muenster.

A slide presentation of sites in Dublin, London, and Berlin depicting places of historic interest enabled the audience to travel

vicariously with Bezner. Saint Patrick's Cathedral and Saint Stephen's Square were a couple of places pictured from Dublin. The changing of the guard at Buckingham Palace, the crown jewels in the Tower of London, Saint Paul's Cathedral and Westminster Abbey were some of the highlights of London. June McCain recalled a trip in which she, too, had seen the crown jewels in the Tower of London. Of particular interest while in Berlin were the Airlift Memorial and the Reichstag. The pictures and numerous anecdotes of her trip were both interesting and informative. During the presentation Bezner wore

the German folk dress with apron that she purchased in Berlin while on this trip.

Bezner grew up in Muenster and her childhood home is now the location of the Muenster Museum. She graduated from the University of North Texas with a Masters Degree and was married to the late Lambert Bezner. They have one son, Jacob, who is a Certified Public Accountant in Dallas.

The Friends of the Cooke County Library provide many opportunities for volunteer service not only to the library, but also to the community, as Bezner did in such an outstanding manner.

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U.S. SENATOR  
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**A Decade of Service**

As I contemplate a decade in the United States Senate, it is plain to me that I have been privileged to serve during a unique time in our nation's history. From the breakup of the Balkans, to the impeachment of a president to September 11, 2001 and the war in Iraq, I have been awed and inspired by the challenges, the tragedies and the triumphs of the American people. So many critical issues have been considered in the past ten years, and our world has changed dramatically since I was sworn in on June 14, 1993.

**Military**

As a member of the Defense Appropriations Committee and chair of the Military Construction Subcommittee I have focused on improving the quality of life for military personnel and strengthening Texas bases. My highest priority has been a strong national defense.

**Colonias**

When I first ran for the Senate in a special election, I visited every corner of the state. One visit remains particularly vivid and continues to motivate me to this day. Ten years ago, I was led through the streets of a *colonia*, a community that lacked paved roads, wastewater facilities and running water. Quite frankly I could not believe I was in America. I offered as my first amendment in the Senate a bill authorizing \$50 million for a *colonias* clean-up project, and I have consistently worked to improve the quality of life for people who live on the border. Since then I have helped secure more than \$615 million to upgrade the *colonias* of our state.

**Homemaker IRA**

When I learned from personal experience that homemakers could not fully contribute to an Individual Retirement Account (IRA) as could their counterparts in the workplace, I knew this inequity needed to be eliminated. A woman's role in the home is every bit as important as a woman's role in the workplace, and the savings and investment opportunities should be equal. I made it my mission to ensure that our laws did not discriminate against homemakers. I was proud my legislation passed and today homemakers and those who work outside the home may make equal savings investments in IRAs.

**Anti-Stalking**

In 1996, Congress passed "Interstate Stalking" legislation I introduced to protect people from predators who travel across state lines with the intent to kill, injure, harass or intimidate. Two years later, an Alabama man accused of threatening his ex-wife and sons here in Texas became the first in the nation to be convicted and sentenced for interstate stalking, under the law I wrote.

This was a landmark case for a number of reasons. It was the first to be tried by a jury after the legislation was enacted; it was tried here in Texas; and most important, this legislation *stopped him before violence occurred*. It was clear from his words and actions that this predator intended to harm or kill his ex-wife. Fortunately, he was sent to prison for 20 years before he could act.

**Marriage Penalty Relief**

I have long advocated the elimination of the marriage penalty, which places a tax on couples simply because they get married. In 2001, I was able to pass a law to lessen this fundamental inequity. With this year's Jobs and Growth package, we eliminated temporarily this added tax by doubling the 15 percent bracket and the standard deduction for married couples. In June I introduced a bill that would eradicate permanently this penalty levied on American couples.

**Higher Education**

One of my top priorities since I joined the Appropriations Committee in 1997 has been to increase the amount of federal research dollars coming into Texas' institutions of higher education. When I began looking at the funds coming into our state, I was astounded to learn we ranked sixth nationally. Since that time I have worked closely with our universities and medical schools to ensure we are actively pursuing federal research dollars and highlighting the centers of excellence at our universities to federal agencies. We are now ranked 4th in the nation, bringing in nearly \$1 billion in 2001.

**Aviation Security**

After September 11, securing our nation's aviation system became a top priority. As the chair of the Senate Aviation Subcommittee, I worked closely with my colleagues, the airlines, and the Administration to make our skies safe again. The changes we enacted were dramatic and clearly made a difference. Flying today is safer than ever before.

As I reflect on 10 years in the United States Senate, I am honored to serve the greatest state in the union and to represent the finest people in the world.

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

by Ed Cler

Driving round about the county yesterday, Aileen and I found that many people are well along with harvesting. Most wheat fields have been combined, and also some oats. But much of the oats has been windrowed and is awaiting the combines.

I spoke to Leon Fuhrmann yesterday, and he says while the yield of wheat was pretty good, anywhere from 45 to 60 bushels per acre, and oats about the same, they had farmed and fertilized for an

80 bushel yield, but the rainfall just wasn't enough to reach that goal. He said they were grateful for the rain that fell during the past week. It would help the grass, which is also a crop that the cattle depend on.

It was a beautiful day for a drive in the country and we enjoyed it immensely. We especially enjoyed seeing the quick growth of the corn, milo, and hay crops since the rainfall.

These crops will need considerably more water before they mature. We noticed many fields of Milo

that are heading. Corn is tassel and much of it looks like it will yield a good crop. But, again, it depends on rainfall.

Cattle and rangeland are looking good, but grass can always use rain, and stock ponds need fresh water now and then. Noticed some sudan hay crops that are almost ready to cut. Some look ritzy.

Well, according to the forecasts, we may receive more rain before the week passes. That would be nice.

**Job performance taught by MHMRS**

"Bad habits and good habits in the work place could make the difference in keeping a job or losing it," says Debbie Carpenter. Wendy Brown and Debbie Carpenter, both Job Specialists for Mental Health Mental Retardation Services of Texoma, had an idea to teach classes that would help mental health clients perform better in the work place. They presented the idea to their supervisor and program manager, Shirley Morris who thought it was a great idea and told them to get the classes going.

For almost a year now, the two have been holding bi-weekly meetings on employment for a group of persons with mental illness. Around twenty individuals are enrolled. The classes are held at the Mental Health Community Support Services program in the Westwood Shopping Center, Sherman.

Brown and Carpenter take turns teaching. Each person has a workbook and enters into the discussions. The participants listed good habits and bad habits. Then they discussed how habits are developed. The last and most important item covered was how to break a bad habit and replace it

with a good one.

"The employment classes give an opportunity for clients to sharpen their job performance. Everyone attending the classes has had previous work histories, but their mental illnesses have interfered and made them unable to work for a period of time. Now they are preparing to re-enter the work force. This class offers them the freedom to express fears and failures they may have experienced in the past," says Carpenter.

"The people in these classes come from all kinds of work experiences. Some have higher education and have received degrees in difficult disciplines such as mathematics, physics, etc. Many have had other types of work like retail sales, food service, home health services, management positions, tutoring, landscaping, welding, and many others. Our class has grown through the year and is attracting new people every month," states Brown.

As job specialists, Brown and Carpenter, help clients search for employment, write resumes, complete applications, with interviewing skills, and then they are able to provide some on the job training. The job specialists

are also there to work with the employer if there are any problems.

MH Community Support Services is dedicated to providing quality rehabilitative services to clients in a positive environment that will encourage independence, self-determination, and promote their quality of life. Progress is reviewed on an on-going basis, and clients graduate upon achieving their objectives. The program provides individualized skills training, assertive community treatment team, supported housing and transportation, as well as, the pre-vocational skills training and supported employment program.

May is Mental Health Awareness Month. Mental illness can happen to anyone. Successful treatment rates for mental illness is 60-80% which is much higher than successfully treating heart problems. Persons suffering from mental illness may not seek help because of the stigma associated with the illness. Help is available through MHMRST. For more information on services contact, Paula Cawthon at 903-786-4804

**Letters to the Editor**

Dear Editor,

Due to recent events that profoundly impacted my community I made a decision to launch a petition drive aimed at convincing TXDOT to install barrier devices between the north & southbound lanes on I-35. Having 27 years experience in the insurance business, has unfortunately given me a window on the carnage and sorrow crossover accidents can inflict on families and entire communities. A barrier device could prevent most of these accidents.

My first realization came in 1969 with the death of my classmate, Ann Stewart, in much the same type of events as the recent tragic accidents of Shellie Walterscheid Hoedebeck, and Tammie Reiter Caldwell. At the time of Ann's death the Interstate system was relatively new...in the 34 years between these accidents there have been scores of needless deaths and injuries from head-on collisions resulting from crossovers. Most of these deaths occur

to faceless people unknown to us, but to their family and friends the loss was just as painful as what our community experienced recently. To know a simple barrier device could have prevented these deaths should anger all of us and move us to action.

I have learned our TXDOT Area Engineer has requested funds from available monies to install a barrier on I-35. Also, I have learned these funds have been requested in the past, but decisions at upper levels of TXDOT caused these funds to be re-directed to other areas. Again, it appears the same pressure is being applied to use the funds elsewhere.

Generally the decision to install safety devices is based upon death and injury statistics. I am directing my efforts towards encouraging the public to make TXDOT aware of our feelings and the great need to get the barrier devices installed, thereby preventing additional loss of life. Even if Health and Safety funds are not available, I have

been told other funds could be directed toward the project. The influence of public opinion may be the deciding factor in getting funds allocated for the I-35 barrier project.

To that end I have placed petitions in the following locations: Muenster State Bank, Guaranty National Bank (Muenster and Gainesville branches), First National Bank of Saint Jo - Muenster Branch, Fischer's Meat Market, and at FMW Insurance Agency.

Also, I encourage anyone who has been touched by this recent and past needless loss of life to personally write TXDOT relating his or her story. This should mean several thousand letters arriving at TXDOT from the Muenster community alone during the next three weeks of this campaign. Direct them to: Texas Department of Transportation, Area Engineer, 2615 W. Hwy. 82, Gainesville, Texas 76240.

Thanks,  
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Silent No More

**Operation Outcry: Silent No More Event and Leadership Training**

**June 16<sup>th</sup>**

Leadership training and event preparation  
Sheraton Grand Hotel at DFW Airport

**June 17<sup>th</sup>**

Press conference and SNM event  
with Norma McCorvey

**10 am**

Ferris Plaza Park  
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Dallas, Texas

Do you regret your abortion? Do you want to make sure that no other woman experiences the negative consequences of abortion? Would you like to unite with hundreds of other post abortive women, who, are dedicated to speaking the truth about the abortion industry? Then please join **Norma McCorvey** and **Operation Outcry: Silent No More State Leaders** for a Silent No More Press Conference and Event at the **Ferris Plaza Park in downtown Dallas on June 17<sup>th</sup> at 10 am**. This **History Making** event will expose the lies surrounding the two legal cases that brought forth abortion on demand. This event will also give women the opportunity to share publicly how abortion negatively impacted their lives thus exposing the two lies these cases were based on, 1) abortion is good for women, and 2) abortion is safe for women.

We also would like to extend an invitation to the pro life community and to the body of Christ to come and support Norma and the Silent No More women.

For directions call: Dallas Parks Department at (214)670-8239  
For more information contact: Molly S. White, Texas Leader OOSNM at [redemed@vvm.com](mailto:redemed@vvm.com)  
To register contact: Queta Aguilar at the Texas Justice Foundation, 1-877-247-7582 or [eaquilar@txjf.org](mailto:eaquilar@txjf.org).



# Endres, Tooley exchange vows May 17 ceremony

Mindy DeAnn Endres of Muenster and Mark Alan Tooley of Callisburg were married at 6:30 p.m. May 17, 2003, at Custer City Baptist Church.

Mindy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Endres. Grandparents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hale, and Mrs. Dorothy Endres and the late Donald Endres all of Muenster.

Mark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Tooley of Callisburg. Grandparents of the groom are Mrs. Jewel Hazelrigs and the late J.D. Hazelrigs, and Mrs. Rose Muller and the late Jay Tooley all of Gainesville.

The atmosphere for the wedding elegantly flowed as rose petals were dropped lining the aisle for the guests and bridal party to come down. The petals led to the altar that was adorned with greenery and tulle draped across the choir loft. Two candelabras stood to the sides of the unity candle that was placed in the center of the altar. Godparents Jim and Shirley Endres lit the candelabra on the altar at the beginning of the ceremony. The unity candle was made by the groom's mother. The unity candle was placed on a Marquis unity set given to the bride by her parents.

The traditional double-ring ceremony was officiated by Reverend Ronnie Conyers. The ceremony began with a string quartet leading off with *The Swan* by Saint-Laens for lighting of the candles and seating of the families. The quartet then led into *Air on G String* by Bach for the grandparents and mothers entrance. *Canon in D* by Pachelbel began as the bridal party made their way down the aisle. As the doors

opened and the *Bridal Chorus* by Wagner began to play, the bride was escorted and given in marriage by her father.

The bride wore a white two-piece strapless designer gown by Mori Lee. The bodice was enhanced with an illusion neckline, embroidered flowers, and beading. The A-line skirt with a chapel length train was fully detailed with beaded schiffli lace. The bride wore a Swarski crystal headpiece with a two-tiered knee length veil that was adorned with crystals. The bride was also wearing family heirlooms given to her by her grandmothers. Mrs. Hale made a small white satin bag that held keepsakes and was pinned in the dress. Mrs. Endres made a garter that was blue and had pearls that were from the bride's great-grandmother. The bride carried a bouquet of mixed flowers including orange tiger lilies, multi colored gerber daisies, and orange and red roses.

Maid of honor was Keisha Dill of Muenster, friend of the bride. Attendants were Jenifer Lane of Fort Worth, Ashley Hess of Muenster, Denise Evans of Denton, Krystal Hale of Muenster, Kim Richardson of Rosston, and Dalana Endres of Houston. The attendants were elegantly attired in a two piece gown design by Jasmine B2. The floor length dresses were A-Line cobalt blue satin with a fitted bodice that had silver beaded straps that crossed in the back. All attendants carried a bouquet of mixed flowers that complimented their attire.

Flower girls were Natalie Walterscheid of Muenster, Hailey Beaver of

Gainesville, and Tralie DeAnda of Callisburg. The girls wore elegantly flowing floor length white gowns that were adorned top to bottom with sequins and beading. Each flower girl also wore a Swarski crystal headpiece and carried a white satin basket.

Ring bearer was Jaquez DeAnda of Callisburg. Jordan Henscheid and Garrett Walterscheid both of Muenster attended to the programs and aisle runner.

Best Man was Mitch Tooley of Fort Worth, brother of the groom. Groomsmen included Steven Cook of Gainesville, Mitch Endres of Muenster, David Burgess of Gainesville, Slate May of Lubbock, Derek Stobaugh of Gainesville, and Mitch Eberhart of Gainesville. Ushers were Kyle Endres, Derek Endres, Colby Newton all of Muenster, and Robert Conyers of Callisburg.

### RECEPTION

As the guests made their way to the reception held at the civic center, they entered the elegantly decorated hall, which friends and family helped create, to see an engagement picture of the couple and the guest book table. The guest book table was attended by Jennifer Eberhart of Gainesville and Brandy Bently of Austin, both friends of the bride. The table was made of four small white pillars topped with glass. The book along with a flower arrangement was displayed. Upon entering the hall the guest tables were first to be seen decorated. The tables had a centerpiece that was a cylinder vase with a candle as flowers were arranged

around the base. To the sides of the centerpieces were rectangle vases with floating gerber daisies in them. The serpentine shaped cheese table was decorated by The Dutchman and displayed a Bride and Groom Ice Sculpture by Silk'n'Blooms. The head table was the center of the whole ensemble. With tiering white pillars that had greenery, tulle, and lights draping from one to another became the backdrop. The table was set with china, crystal stemware, and flatware. Greenery draped the front of the table and the attendants placed their bouquets on the table adding a touch of color.

The cake tables were off set by white pillars with greenery and tulle used as a backdrop. The bride's table had the white five tier round cake lifted with tulle and lights underneath. The cake was topped with mixed flowers that cascaded down the cake and dropped lightly around the base. The groom's table was a golf theme with the centerpiece being a large golf bag with greenery and two small golf clubs. The groom's two tiered square cake was also lifted with tulle and greenery underneath. The chocolate cake was accented with chocolate dipped strawberries and golf balls. Also the cake was topped with a white and dark chocolate mold of a golf bag and clubs. Golf tees were dropped around the base of the cake. Mints that were molds of golf balls and golf clubs were also placed on the table. Cakes were made by Betty Rose Walterscheid. Cake servers were Kyla Henscheid, Stephanie Henscheid, Linda



Mrs. Mark Tooley ... nee Mindy Endres ...

Lutkenhaus, Crystal Schmitt, Judy Muller, Vicki Hall, Allison Endres, Mandy Smith, and Emily Felderhoff. The meal was catered by Rohmer's.

Music for the reception was provided by Ken Kemp. The bride and groom's first dance was to "Me and You" by Kenny Chesney, and the father daughter dance was to "Hero" by Mariah Carey. As the couple prepared to leave, guests held up silver sparklers and three confetti in the air to bring the magical evening to an end. The rehearsal dinner, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Don

Tooley, was held at Don's Barbeque in Whitesboro. The tables were decorated with the bridal party colors of blue, silver, and white.

The bride is a graduate of Muenster High School and North Central Texas College. She is a manager with GAP Inc.

The groom is a graduate of Callisburg High School and North Central Texas College. He is presently attending the University of North Texas and will be graduating in May 2004. He is a manager with NIKE Inc.

After a trip to Puerto Morales the couple plans to reside in Gainesville.

## Eric Geiser graduates magna cum laude

Eric Geiser of Irving graduated magna cum laude from Texas Tech University in Lubbock on May 17, 2003 with a degree in Business Finance. He is a member of the Golden Key National Honor Society, Beta Gamma Sigma Honor Society, and Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society. Eric is the son of Bob and Candie Geiser of Irving and the grandson of Cecilia Wimmer of Muenster and the late Andrew Wimmer, and

Arlene Geiser of Dallas and the late Charles Geiser. Attending the graduation were his parents, sister Sarah, brother Adam, and grandmother Cecilia Wimmer.

Eric was honored at the home of his parents in Irving on Sunday, June 1. Family members from Muenster, Lindsay, Marietta, Oklahoma, Irving, and Dallas attended. Eric plans to reside in Lubbock.



Eric Geiser

### NOTICE TO PATIENTS

This is to let you know that I will no longer be available to see patients at MMH Family Health Clinic in Muenster, TX as of July 1, 2003. I regret the inconvenience that this might cause. Please contact me or the Clinic Office Manager at (940) 759-2226 or by writing to PO Box 370, Muenster, TX 76252, if you have any questions regarding this transition, to make arrangements for continuing care, or to transfer your medical records to another health care provider.

Thank you for your patronage.

Sincerely,  
Mike Minodin, M.D.

## Sprencel named Teacher of the Year in Chico

Gloria Reiter Sprencel of Perrin recently had the honor of being named Teacher of the Year at Chico High School. She is a Math teacher there.

Gloria is a Muenster native, the daughter of Margaret Reiter Schmitt and the late Alfonso Reiter.

**Water Saving Tip**  
Make sure your sprinkler is placed so it only waters the lawn, not the pavement.

**Water Saving Tip**  
Consider Xeriscape landscaping which takes into consideration how the yard will be used and how it can provide the greatest benefit with the least amount of maintenance. This includes growing plants that are indigenous to the area and appropriate maintenance to reduce water use.

## Endres receives Joe Eccels Scholarship

Allison Endres of Muenster, a junior accounting major in the Mays Business School at Texas A&M University, received a \$250 Joe Eccels Scholarship. Endres, daughter of Jim and Shirley Endres, is active in

Business Student Council, Beta Alpha Psi, Golden Key National Honor Society, records committee head for Business Honors Association and writes for "The Edge" business magazine.

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# Hermes, Filloon recite vows in St. Peter's Church

Connie Sue Hermes and E. Scott Filloon were married on May 3, 2003, 4:30 p.m. at Saint Peter's Catholic Church in Lindsay. Father Ronald Scheible, OSA was the officiant.

The bride is the daughter of A.J. (Fritz) and Charlotte Hermes of Lindsay. She is the granddaughter of Carl and Cecilia Schilling and the late Joe Trubenbach and the late Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hermes. The bridegroom is the son of Charlotte Filloon of Russellville, Arkansas and the late Eddie Filloon. He is the grandson of Virginia Filloon and the late Dayton Filloon and the late Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Brady.

Given in marriage by her parents and escorted by her father, the bride wore a sophisticated white two piece strapless, lace up, corseted bodice with fabulous beadwork. The theme of the bodice was revealed along the hem of the skirt, semi-cathedral train, and detachable finished tails. Accenting the dress was a shawl. The bride carried a hand tied bouquet of white roses. Entwined in the bouquet was a blue rosary given to her by her grandmother. As something borrowed and old, she wore a diamond engagement ring from her grandmother and a ruby ring from her great grandmother Trubenbach. She also wore pearl and diamond earrings given to her by her future husband the day before the wedding and placed a sixpence in her shoe given by her godmother, Doris Klement.

For the ceremony, the church was decorated with white bows and daisies on

each pew of the aisle and a brightly sorted arrangement of gerber daisies on the altar. The vocalists for the ceremony were Christy Hesse and Roger Dieter with the pianist being Ruth Felderhoff. The ceremony began with "Shine on Us" and "Bridal Prayer". During the lighting of the candles and the seating of the mothers, "Turn Around" was sung. The groom escorted his mother to a lighting of a candle in memory of his father, Eddie Filloon. The bridesmaids entered with "Canon in D" by Pachelbel while the bride and her father came down the aisle to "Contemporary Trumpet Voluntary". Other songs included "Father, Make Us One" for the lighting of the unity candle, "Ave Maria" for the presentation of gifts, "Perfect Charity" for communion, "Gentle Woman" while visiting Mary's altar, and "Psalm XIX" as the recessional.

The wedding party included the matron of honor, Shelli Fleitman of Lindsay, friend of the bride. The bridesmaids were Jolanda Fleitman of Denton, friend of the bride; Susan Hermes of Muenster, sister-in-law of the bride; Amy Hermes of Lindsay, sister-in-law of the bride; and Robbie Villa of Era, friend of the bride. The bridesmaids wore a two piece navy iridescent taffeta ensemble with each wearing a floor length slim skirt and each choosing a different top to match. Each bridesmaid carried a bouquet of three long stemmed yellow gerber daisies tied with a yellow ribbon.



Mr. and Mrs. E. Scott Filloon ...nee Connie Hermes

The best man was Ron Janek, friend of the groom of North Richland Hills. The groomsmen included Don Morgan of Denton, friend of the groom; Doug Hermes of Muenster, brother of the bride; Kurt Hermes of Lindsay, brother of the

bride; and Brian Hermes of Lindsay, brother of the bride.

The junior bridesmaid was Paisley Bates, niece of the groom of Cleburne, and the trainbearer was Bailey Bates also a niece of the groom and from Cleburne. They wore a two piece

yellow iridescent taffeta with an a-line skirt and different tops to match. They each carried a bouquet of white daisies. The ring bearers were Darrell Hermes, nephew of the bride and Neal Fleitman, godson of the bride each carrying a small white treasure chest which held the wedding rings. The flower girls were Savannah Hermes, niece of the bride and Chloe Carroll, niece of the groom each carrying a bouquet of white daisies. Escorting the flower girls was Kody Hermes, nephew of the bride.

The ushers were Joe Sanchez of Lewisville, friend of the groom and David Fleitman of Lindsay, friend of the couple.

The readers for the ceremony were Laura Carroll of Cleburne, sister of the groom and Jacque Hamilton of Katy, friend of the bride. Presenting the offertory gifts were Wayne and Doris Klement of Muenster, godparents of the bride and Terri Edrich of Pilot Point, friend of the groom.

## RECEPTION

The reception was held at the Centennial Hall in Lindsay. The hall was beautifully decorated in a garden theme with an arch decorated in ivy and spring flowers at the entrance. The tables were decorated with floating gerber daisies and candles. Along with the guest book, the guest book table held a picture of the bride and an engagement picture of the couple. The Entertainer of Lindsay, Texas provided the music. The couple's first dance was

"Don't Want to Miss a Thing" by Aerosmith" and the father-son dance was to "Butterfly Kisses" by Bob Carlisle. Instead of throwing the bouquet, the bride gave a rose to the longest married couple, which were Tony and Thelma Trubenbach, great uncle and aunt to the bride. The Dutchman catered the meal.

The bride's cake, made by Roger Dieter, was a four tiered cake with roses on the top with ribbon flowing down the side. The groom's cake, also made by Roger Dieter, was a two layered German chocolate cake with chocolate dipped strawberries around the base and an initial of an F on the top layer. Cutting the cake were Mary Kay Trubenbach of Muenster, aunt of the bride and Jessamy Sicking of Forestburg, friend of the bride. The cake servers were Ally and Zachary Trubenbach, Adrien Rohmer, Natalie Fangman, and Megan Caillier.

The bride is a graduate of Lindsay High School in Lindsay, and Texas Woman's University in Denton. She is currently employed as a database specialist at FEMA in Denton.

The groom is a graduate of Russellville High School in Russellville, Arkansas and attended Arkansas Tech University in Russellville. He is currently employed as an estimator at David Weekley Homes in Carrollton.

After their honeymoon to New England, the couple will reside in Lewisville.

## Kimberly Sturm is UNT graduate on May 10

Kimberly Sturm graduated from the University of North Texas in Denton on Saturday, May 10, with a Bachelor of Science degree in Kinesiology and a minor in Health Promotions while at UNT. Kimberly was a member of Kappa, Kappa, Gamma Sorority and the UNT Cheerleading Squad. As a cheerleader at UNT, Kimberly earned NCA Collegiate All-American honors, and her squad

Denton, and her friend and roommate, Anna Erickson. Following the ceremony, all were guests for a special dinner honoring Kimberly, at Joe T. Garcia's Restaurant in Fort Worth.

Kimberly is a 1998 graduate of Muenster High School. She has been employed at Achiever's Gymnastics of Denton as a gymnastics and cheerleading coach for the past five years and has begun a new position as Level 4 Competition Gymnastics Coach. She will continue in her position as Competition Cheerleading Coach as well.

Kimberly is the granddaughter of Ray and Marcy Wilde and John and Shirley Sturm of Gainesville, and the late Bertha Sturm.



Kimberly Sturm

earned a bid to the National Division I Team Competition in which they placed 6th. Kimberly also coached for ACA cheerleading camps, and for TWU gymnastics camps.

Attending the ceremony at the UNT Coliseum were her parents, Joni and Mike Sturm, her sister and brother-in-law, Amy and Yancy Culp of Leander, Texas, her brother, John Sturm, her grandmother, Marcy Wilde, her aunt, Tina Womack of Nacona, and cousin Chelsea Womack of Denton, her aunt and uncle, Shirley and Gregg Wilde, and cousins Matt and Kaitlin of Corinth, and Jeff Wilde of Austin, her cousin Melanie Mitchell and husband, Rodney Mitchell of

## Instruments needed

The prison ministry at the Allread Men's Unit in Wichita Falls is in need of musical instruments. If you have used or new drum sets, a bass guitar with amplifier, electronic keyboard or other instruments to donate, contact Ralph McCloud at 817-560-3300 or rmccloud@fwdioc.org or Rick Griego at 817-421-1387 for pickup arrangements.

## New Arrival

### Colwell

The birth of Lauren Ann Colwell is announced by her parents Janelle and Kelly Colwell of Lindsay. She was born on April 30, 2003, at 5:17 p.m. in Denton Regional Medical Center weighing 5 lb. 10 oz. and measuring 18 inches in length. Lauren is also welcomed by a sister, Kaylee, age 14 months, and grandparents Gerri Eckart of Muenster and Marge and Billy Fuhrmann of Lindsay.

### Water Saving Tip

Cover your spa or pool to reduce evaporation. Also, check your spa or pool for leaks and have them repaired promptly.

## Area students on MSU honor roll

Midwestern State University recognized 740 honor students for the spring 2003 semester. The President's Honor Roll included 228 students, the Vice President's Honor Roll included 256 students, and the Dean's Honor roll included 256 students.

To make the President's Honor Roll, a student must complete a semester schedule of at least 12 hours with no grade lower than A (4.0). Making the President's Honor Roll from this area were Jill Hess and Shauna Huchton.

To make the Dean's Honor Roll, a student must complete a semester of at least 12 hours with a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.74 and no grade lower than a C. Adrienne Bartel of Muenster made the Dean's Honor Roll.

## Meeting Notice

The Cooke County Chapter 1049 AARP will be meeting at the Stanford House from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Friday, June 13. All persons aged 50 and over are invited to attend this meeting and consider the benefits of AARP.

The Diabetes Support Group will meet on Tuesday, June 17, 7:00 p.m. in the Gainesville Memorial Hospital Culwell Conference Room.

Speaker for the meeting is

Dental Health Program Presenter Elaine Schilling, D.D.S., M.S.

Individuals with diabetes and family members are encouraged to attend this free program.

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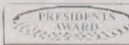
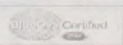
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## American Cancer Society has important message on prostate cancer for Father's Day

For men and their loved ones, two of the many issues surrounding prostate cancer are fear and confusion. An estimated 220,900 men in the United States will be diagnosed with prostate cancer this year. Of those 10,133 will be from Texas. According to the American Cancer Society, the nation's leading voluntary health organization, uncertainty over testing and treatment can cause some men to ignore the realities of the cancer. And in some cases, men will make rash decisions about their health care without fully understanding all available options.

The American Cancer Society continues to promote a national public awareness and education campaign in response to these concerns. For Father's Day, the Society is urging people to talk to their Dads and loved ones about prostate cancer and

encouraging them to talk with their doctors about the benefits of informed decision making of prostate health.

"The American Cancer Society encourages men to discuss their options with doctors and family members. Treatment alternatives include surgery, radiation therapy, hormonal ablation, and occasionally a recommendation of 'watchful waiting' using regular checkups to safely monitor the status of the cancer. When treatment is recommended, a patient armed with factual information is much more comfortable with his decision," said Key Stage, M.D., Chairman of the Prostate Cancer of the American Cancer Society Texas Division, Inc. "The American Cancer Society encourages men to discuss their options with their doctors and families. In

some cases, a physician may recommend a period of 'watchful waiting,' using regular checkups to safely monitor the status of the cancer. When treatment is recommended, a patient armed with factual information is much more comfortable with his decision."

The Society's messages on prostate cancer are:

- Get as much information about prostate health as you can.
- Talk with your doctor to determine your personal risk for prostate cancer.
- Understand all available testing and treatment options so you can make an informed decision.
- Contact the American Cancer Society for information about all aspects of prostate cancer 24 hours a day, seven days a week at 1-800-ACS-2345 or visit [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org)



Alaina Reiter, left, and Sarah Porter spread their Bible study work on the floor of the classroom. Janie Hartman photo

### Water Saving Tip

To prevent leaks from developing, shut off and drain water lines to outside spigots in the winter.

## Register for Red Cross swim lessons June 28

Registration for Red Cross swim lessons is set for Saturday, June 28, from 9 - 11 a.m. at the Muenster Pool. The cost is \$5 per person, ages - completed kindergarten through adult. Two weeks of classes will be offered, July 7 through 11, and July 14 through 18. Classes are one hour per day for five days. No make up for weather cancellation. Beginner classes (Levels 1

through 5) are available both weeks. Adults advanced classes (Levels 6 and 7) are available only the second week. Hours for the first week (Levels 1 - 5) are 9, 10, and 11 a.m.; hours for

the second week are Level 7 - 8 a.m., Level 6 - 9 a.m., and adult beginners 10 and 11 a.m. Teachers are wanted. Sign up at registration.



McKenzie Feilman, left, and Abigail Pagel plant seeds in a decorated flowerpot at the Sacred Heart Vacation Bible School this week. Bridgette Klement helps the young students with their project. Janie Hartman photo



Julia Burke taps classmates, from left, Devan Hacker, Colton Morris, and Jared Danglemay, in a lesson game played at Bible School. Janie Hartman photo

## Yes, you can can!!

Preserving your food harvest at home is easy but you must follow very specific instructions.

Learn how to can and freeze foods at a special meeting presented by the Texas Cooperative Extension Service Thursday, June 19, 2:00 p.m. at the Civic Center in

Saint Jo.

This training is presented in conjunction with the Better Living for Texans program and presented by Barbara Holeman, County Extension Agent for Family & Consumer Science and June Brown, Program Assistant in charge of the BLT program.

## Story time is June 14

Saturday June 14, at 1:00 p.m. Lone Star Book Scouters is featuring Share a Story Time by Debbie Sicking. Debbie will be reading "Goodnight Moon" by Margaret Wise Brown, "The Cat and the Hat" by Dr. Seuss, and "Brother Eagle, Sister Sky" by Susan Jeffers. All ages are welcome!! Lone Star Book Scouters is located at 113 N. Commerce in Gainesville. Please call 940-612-0202 for more information.

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# 4th annual Zoobilee Benefit set for June 14 in Lindsay

The Frank Buck Zoological Society is preparing for the fourth annual Zoobilee benefit this month. The fundraising event will be held Saturday, June 14 from 7 to 11 p.m. at Centennial Hall in Lindsay.

Entertainment provided by First State Bank stars Kenny and the Kasuals, who were quoted by *Rolling Stone Magazine* as being one of the only true 60s bands left in the world. Opening for them will be local artist Tom McElvain and the Texas Storm Band.

Food will be catered by Harper's Grill with a prime rib buffet and hors d'oeuvres. A raffle will be held to win a custom-designed brooch by Scott Dill for Kinne's Jewelers. The brooch, on display at First State Bank, is a 14 kt. white-gold zebra with black enamel stripes and a 10 pt. marquise-shaped diamond eye.

Raffle tickets are available at all First State Bank branches and the Chamber of Commerce. All proceeds from the event will benefit the Frank Buck Zoo. For Reservations call Karen Estes at 940-668-4314.

## History of Frank Buck Zoo

The Frank Buck Zoo has had a long and colorful history since its inception over 50 years ago. Historically, the City of Gainesville was home to the famous Gainesville Community Circus, which existed from May 1930 to 1948. All 200 of its performers were volunteers from Gainesville and the surrounding communities. Unfortunately, while the circus was in winter quarters in Gainesville, the circus storage building and construction workshops burned in a large fire, which destroyed virtually everything. Also, the same year, A. Morton Smith, who had been the program director, announcer, and founding member of the

circus organization, died. With the circus financially devastated, leaderless, and materials destroyed, the animals desperately needed a home. It was then that the directors of the Fair Association, William Bomar, Martin Smith, and F.E. Schmitz offered to help. The Cooke County Fair Association in conjunction with the Gainesville Community Circus established a community petting zoo for the homeless animals. The petting zoo was built at the Cooke County Fairgrounds, which was then located on the east side of Interstate 35.

For several years the zoo existed in this form at the fairgrounds. However, with the construction of the interstate, division of Leonard Park, and the eventual relocation of the fairgrounds, it was inevitable that the zoo would have to relocate. The old west bank of the Elm Creek, attached to the Elm Fork of the Trinity River was purchased through donations from individuals, local businesses, and the City of Gainesville. The man who was the driving force behind this fund raising effort was F.E. "Frankie" Schmitz, ex-circus ringmaster, entrepreneur,

and philanthropist. In truth, there would not be a zoo in Gainesville today, if it weren't for his determined efforts to keep the circus tradition alive for future generations and his love of animals.

In 1950 the zoo was transferred from the Cooke County Fair Association to the City of Gainesville and in 1952, the zoo and its animals were moved to the new location on the Elm Fork of the Trinity River. The facility was then formally dedicated and named after its native son, Frank "Bring 'em Back Alive" Buck. Historically, Frank Buck is one of the most famous individuals in the zoological industry. He made a name for himself at the turn of the century, traveling the world and capturing wild animals for zoos and circuses internationally.

As of 2000, the Frank Buck Zoo welcomes over 120,000 visitors through its gates annually and provides a recreational resource for the community and surrounding region of North Texas. One of the strongest influences has been on the children of this region. Over 35,000 children visit the zoo every spring, arriving from school districts within a 50 mile radius.

## Fleitman descendants gather at City Park

Henry and Mary Fleitman descendants gathered in Muenster City Park on Sunday, June 8 for the twelfth reunion held over a span of 23 years. The guest register was signed by 107 family members and friends who came from as far away as Corsicana, Burleson, Jacksboro, Wichita Falls, and Rockwall.

The oldest family member present was Annie Fleitman, age 97, widow of Johnnie Fleitman. Also present was Bertha Fleitman, 92, widow of

Bruno Fleitman. Youngest family member was Halle Riley, 14 month old daughter of Tony and Kathy Riley of Rockwall. She is the great-granddaughter of Bill and Lena Fleitman. Eddie Fleitman reported there had been four deaths since the 2001 reunion, nine weddings, three golden anniversaries, and 11 births recorded, two boys and nine girls.

The youngsters enjoyed the pool and park. Others visited, played dominoes, and took pictures.



The Sacred Heart High School Tiger cheerleaders and sponsors watch as Tony Koesler is invited to join the NCA staff as a mascot. Courtesy photo

## Koesler named All-American and invited to join NCA staff

At the conclusion of the NCA Cheerleading/Mascot Camp June 1-4, Tony Koesler, a senior and the mascot for the Sacred Heart Tigers, was invited to join the National Cheerleading Association staff as a mascot. As the awards ceremony ended, Koesler and the Sacred Heart Varsity Cheerleaders were called aside. The NCA staff then presented Tony with a

certificate and an application. To be invited to join Staff is so rare and such an honor that some of the NCA staff had tears in their eyes as the applications were given out and the certificates were received. As an employee of the National Cheerleading Association, next summer Tony would join fellow NCA staff members in putting on cheer/mascot camps throughout the country.

At the camp, Koesler was named an All-American Mascot, an award he also received at last year's camp, his first year as mascot. In addition to two superior ribbons, he also brought home the Most-Spirited Mascot award and the Crunch-Time award, which he earned for having the quickest and most suitable reactions in any given situation.

## Nasche earns Newman University Scholarship

Liliana Nasche of Muenster has received a four-year \$20,000 Community Leadership scholarship from Newman University in Wichita, Kansas. Liliana is the daughter of Angelo and LaVerna Nasche. Liliana plans to major in nursing and will be attending Newman University next fall.

The Community Leadership Program begins

in the spring semester of the student's senior year of high school. They are invited to participate in community service projects with Newman University students.

As a student at Newman University, Community Leadership scholars will take courses in Volunteerism, Citizenship, and Discipleship. They will return to participating high schools as college

sophomores to lead current high school students in selecting and completing community service projects that benefit the community served by the high school.

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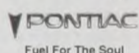
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# Sports

## Ninety-four attend Muenster Hornet Basketball Camp 2003

Fundamentals, fun, and a lot of sweat were the three major ingredients of last week's Hornet Basketball Camp held at the MHS gymnasium!

Under the guidance of MISD coaches Kenny Mann, James McAlister and Jeff Presnall, 58 fourth through sixth graders and 36 seventh through ninth graders spent last Monday through Friday becoming more skilled at ball handling, dribbling, passing, and shooting. Camp participants learned various skills such as jab and cross pivots, form set shots and jump shots, show

& go head fakes, and even "the Hardway" advanced dribble move!

Fun also blended well with the fundamentals of the game, as teams and individuals competed in various events. A Three-on-Three Tournament was held with the girl's winning team consisting of Rebecca Grewing, Madchen Moseley, and Hillary Swirczynski. The boys' Three-on-Three champs were Craig Grewing, Zach Swirczynski, and Bret Walterscheid.

Other special individual awards included the following:

### Free-Throw Contest

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Jason Luke(4-6 B) Alison Miller(7-9 G) Zach Swirczynski(7-9 B)

**Best Ball-Handlers** Delana Sicking(4-6 G) Shane Presnall(4-6 B) Hillary Swirczynski(7-9 G)

Zach Swirczynski(7-9 B) **Best Dribblers** Shaina Felderhoff(4-6 G) Tyler Anderle(4-6 B) Laura Heers(7-9 G) Zach Swirczynski(7-9 B)

**Best Form Shooter** Jackie Klement(4-6 G) Hunter Noble(4-6 B) Katie Moncrieff(7-9 G) Nick Flusche(7-9 B)

**Hustle Award** Shaina Felderhoff(4-6 G) Garrett Walterscheid(4-6 B)

Sandy Endres(7-9 G) Chad Endres(7-9 B) **Most Improved** Michelle Henscheid(4-6 G) Levi Trubenbach(4-6 B) Jordan Ledbetter(7-9 G) Taylor McGrew(7-9 B)

**Camp MVP** Lia Heers(4-6 G) Eric Hellman(4-6 B) Alison Teafatiller(7-9 G) Brad Endres(7-9 B)

## MHS offers 21st annual cheerleading mini-camp

The Muenster High School Cheerleaders and sponsor Deanna Hellman will be holding the 21st annual Mini Cheerleading Camp June 23-27 from 9 a.m. until noon at the Muenster City Park. The students, grades 1 through 8, will be taught new cheers, chants, and dances for the upcoming school year, as well as jumps, stunts, and team building. An exhibition will be held on the final day along with an exciting Awards and Spirit Sticks presentation.

Refreshments will be served each day. There will be a hot-dog supper and swim party on the Wednesday night of camp.

All participants will be featured in an MHS Pep Rally and one home game (TBA). Each child will receive a T-shirt. The cost is \$30 per child or \$45 for two in one family if paid by June 20. The fee will be \$35 per child after June 20. Return application with check made payable to Muenster ISD to Deanna Hellman, P.O. Box 582, Muenster, TX 76252.



Enjoying the last day of cheerleading camp were Sacred Heart Cheerleaders, from left, Joelle Fuhrmann, Kristen Miller, Shannon Hartman, Karen Gehrig, Jacqueline Bauer, Taylor Torcellini, Kate Sepanski, Whitney Wimmer, and Mascot Tony Koesler. Courtesy photo

## Sacred Heart Cheerleaders attend large NCA camp

The Sacred Heart Varsity Cheerleaders attended an NCA Cheerleading Camp at TCU June 1-4. While there, they learned a variety of cheers and chants, bleachermania, and four dances. The squad earned numerous superior ribbons from their evaluations on the various cheers and chants they performed each night at camp. By showing good attitudes, politeness, and enthusiasm, the squad earned a spirit stick each day of the camp. The Sacred Heart cheerleaders also brought home a Stunt

Smart Award. In addition, Kate Sepanski, Jacqueline Bauer, Joelle Fuhrmann, and Whitney Wimmer were all nominated for All-American Cheerleader. "Our squad definitely benefited from the camp," said Kate Sepanski head cheerleader. "We have a young squad this year - almost half our squad is new - but we learned a lot, made great improvements each day, and had a great time. Most importantly, we

became closer as a squad." Cheryl Mollenkopf, cheerleader sponsor, noted, "This was the biggest cheerleading camp any Sacred Heart squad has ever attended. The National Cheerleading Association staff confirmed that, in fact, this was the biggest camp they would hold throughout the entire summer, with 43 squads in attendance. And of those, only four squads had less than 12 members. Needless to say, I was very proud of our girls. They're a great group to work with."

A special part of camp for the squad this year was their adoption of Rita, mascot for the Argyle Eagles. A freshman in her first year at camp, her cheerleading squad had chosen to attend camp at Padre Island, which did not include a mascot camp. By including Rita in their free-time activities, the Sacred Heart cheerleaders built a friendship to remember. As they said good-bye on the last day of camp, Rita, with tears in her eyes, gave the cheerleaders a hand-made poster supporting the Sacred Heart Tigers.

Earning NCA Coach's Certification were Cheryl Mollenkopf and Annette Bayer, junior high cheerleader sponsors, who also attended the camp.

submitted by Kate Sepanski

## Game Warden Field Notes

Water Tragedy -- Texas game wardens must sometimes work in tragic and emotional circumstances, as this recent example shows. Denton County game wardens responded to a drowning call recently on Lake Lewisville. Upon arrival, it was determined that there were actually three victims. An 18-year-old woman, a 23-year-old woman and a 3-year-old child had swum too far out and could not get back to shore. Three other children were involved but survived. The bodies were recovered the same day.

Out in Full Force -- Recently, game wardens from all three districts

joined in an effort to patrol the Dallas-Fort Worth-area lakes for a pre-Memorial Day effort. Violations included: Boating While Intoxicated, drug-related charges, and more than 100 water safety and fishing license violations.

More Marijuana Found at Falcon Lake -- Game wardens, in conjunction with two U.S. Customs agents, noticed a Mexico commercial fishing vessel with three people reach the Texas bank recently. It appeared to be carrying a heavy load. The investigation resulted in the seizure of two pickups and 4,225 pounds of marijuana.

## Mark your calendars for lock-in!

Children in preschool through eighth grade are invited to attend the Sacred Heart Varsity Cheerleaders' Lock-In at the Sacred Heart Community Center. Junior high squads are encouraged to come. The lock-in will be held June 27-28, from 3:30 p.m. Friday until 10 a.m. Saturday. Children will be taught cheers, chants, dances, stunts, and more. The cost will be \$15 per child (\$20 for two in the same family, \$25 for three). The application form will be in next week's paper.

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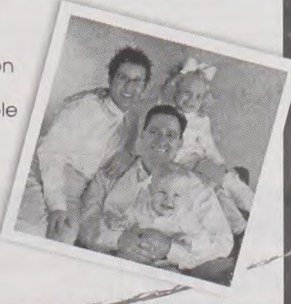
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Sincerely,  
 Mike, Kim and Jacob Hesse

6.13.15



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 Any and All Real Estate Advertising (Selling, Renting, Want To Buy, Looking For Lease, etc.) WILL PAY REGULAR WORD OR DISPLAY RATES  
 All Business Related Advertising Including Lawn mowing, babysitting, etc. WILL PAY REGULAR WORD OR DISPLAY RATES  
 If Classified Advertising is Prepaid before Noon on Wednesday, allow \$1.00 OFF per issue.  
 FREE Classified word ads are still offered for selling or want-to-buy non-business related items such as appliances, clothes, vehicles, etc.

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The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: Larry Kirby is the Plaintiff and Kei Takahashi and the Texas Department of Transportation are Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff is suing for damages or in the alternative for the title to a vehicle left in his possession, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates thereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas, this 29th day of May A.D. 2003.

Attest:  
 Rebecca Lawson, County Clerk  
 Cooke County, Texas  
 /s/Patricia Tucker, Deputy

### PUBLIC NOTICE

CLEAR CREEK WATERSHED AUTHORITY  
 MEETING JUNE 19, 2003  
 7:00 P.M.  
 J. J. PRAIRIE OAKS RANCH  
 Southwest of Montague adjacent to the Bowie Municipal Airport off FM 59  
 Go to Hangers and Turn Left  
 Follow the Signs

### Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Reading and approval of Minutes, Treasurers report.
3. Act on De-annexation of Denton County Site
4. Discuss Audit of 2003
5. Discuss change of Auditors
6. Discuss consolidation of Bank Accounts
7. Discuss Flood Plain Ordinances
8. Nomination of Vice President
9. Act on Liability Application
10. Initiate Employee Handbook
11. Request for New Business
12. Adjourn

## Pets

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TO: HELEN RUTH CURNUTTE; DOROTHY GROTTE; SYBIL GROTTE; CLINTON PETTY; MARK E. KRAMER; AND STANLEY C. HOGG; AS WELL AS ALL THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, SUCCESSORS OR ASSIGNS OF ALL THE ABOVE DEFENDANTS

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ESTATE OF CONNIE GLEE HYMAN, DECEASED, ET AL  
 Vs  
 HELEN RUTH CURNUTTE, ET AL

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows:

ESTATE OF CONNIE GLEE HYMAN, DECEASED, LOIS FAYE HILTON; MICHAEL CANNON; SHARON DIANE BOOHER; PHYLLIS ANN SPENCE LOFTIS; ROGER LYNN SPENCE; TROY SPENCE; JAMES SPENCE; MARSHALL G. SPENCE; ELVIS LEE SPENCE; PHILLIP WAYNE SPENCE; OBIE LEE HANEY, W.A. LAWLER; MARGIE LEA LAWLER PICKERELL; THERRELL EDWARD LAWLER, JERAL W. LAWLER, YVONNE JONES; BILLY C. MURPHY; AND DAVID A FENOGLIO

### PLAINTIFFS

Vs  
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### DEFENDANTS

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: that the Court determine the ownership of the 1000000 interest that is owned by either Mark E. Kramer and Stanley C. Hogg, or the Estate of Connie Glee Hyman, Deceased, that the real estate be partitioned among the joint owners as provided by law, and that Plaintiffs have such other and further relief as they are entitled to, either at law or in equity. The real estate is more particularly described as 115 acres of land, in Cooke County, Texas, a part of The L. S. Blair Survey, Abstract No. 188, and a part of the SPRR Co. Survey.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates thereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Gainesville, Texas, this 4th day of June, A.D. 2003.

Attest:  
 Pat Payne, Clerk  
 District Court,  
 Cooke County, Texas  
 /s/Sue Comer Deputy

## Classified Deadline is Wednesday at Noon

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 Baby Guineas, \$1<sup>00</sup> each  
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# Farm & Ranch

# County Agent's Report

**Wayne Becker**  
CEA - AG/NR

## Beef 706 takes producers from genetics to dietetics at Texas A&M University

All Texas beef producers who seek better understanding of their marketing chain from cattle genetics to human dietetics should plan to attend a Beef 706 program July 7-9 or July 9-11 on the Texas A&M University campus in College Station.

The Texas Beef Council and Texas Cooperative Extension have jointly conducted the program since 1992.

The widely acclaimed Beef 706 program looks at demand forces that shape

today's cattle industry. The typical program allows a beef producer to examine the beef industry from vantage points of a producer, packer, retailer and consumer.

Texas veterinarians also are encouraged to participate. The Texas Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners has approved Beef 706 for five Continuing Education Unit (CEU) credits in the clinical category. This is approximately one-third of the CEU requirements to

renew a veterinary license. Each three-day educational session is funded by the beef checkoff program and is free to Texas beef producers and veterinarians. All meals and transfers during the conference also are provided. Attendees pay for their travel to and from College Station and hotel accommodations.

To register for either Beef 706 session, contact Molly Collins at the Texas Beef Council at 1-800-846-4113.

Cooke County relies heavily on the economic impact of the beef industry. The county is well situated to produce forages for optimum development of beef cattle. Because of this, Cooke County is home to some of the top quality animals to be found any place. Since these facts are certain, many local producers have been interested in marketing their top quality replacement females to others, but are lacking a large enough number of females to be offered every year in an annual sale. Therefore, some producers wish to discuss the possibility of an annual all-breed, reproductive sale.

The idea of this sale would be to allow a small cow-calf operator, with superior genetics, the chance to market a few cattle every year at a local sale while hopefully building this county's reputation for quality cattle.

This type of sale is a possibility, but has many obstacles to overcome, such as being able to establish and implement rules to ensure the quality will remain constant throughout the sale. This may require hiring a sifter to help choose cattle for the sale. Another issue would be length of ownership to ensure that the cattle are local cattle. The logical way to handle these situations might be the establishment of a local cattleman's association.

Our neighbors to the southwest have started the North Texas Cattle Improvement Association for the purpose of marketing preconditioned calves at a premium. They have some experience running specialty sales, as do our local livestock auction barns. One particular successful sale is the All-Breed Bull Sale held at the Gainesville Livestock Auction.

Following that, Dr. Ron Gill, livestock specialist with Texas Cooperative Extension, will be discussing nutrient requirements for beef cattle management in the summer. He is also involved with the North Texas Cattle Improvement Association. Both Dr. Gill and Wade Watson will be on hand to help give us a understanding of what would be required to get the reproductive sale up and going.

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The yellow spray plane has been seen flying low over fields and pastures the last few weeks in an attempt to get some control over weeds and unwanted insects. Local vegetation

is beginning to show damage from this seasons' outbreak of young grasshoppers. Janie Hartman photo

## News from Austin

Texas Farm Bureau

**Uncontrolled Dogs, And Coyotes, Too**  
HB 151 by Representative David Farabee, and Senator Craig Estes, both of Wichita Falls, received final passage from the Senate and House on May 30. The legislation has been sent to the Governor for his signature. The bill was originally intended to hold owners of dogs liable for damage to livestock, and allow producers to capture or kill dogs causing harm to their animals.

allows for the slaughter of horses for human consumption, provided the consumption occurs outside the United States.

Horse processing will continue in Texas during consideration of a pending lawsuit on the issue. The outcome of the lawsuit, which seeks to prohibit the export of meat for human consumption, will determine the future of the horse processing industry.

representatives on the commission, we have a commitment from the legislative leadership to appoint agricultural representatives.

**Legislators Finally Pass \$117 Billion Budget**  
In the final hours of session, the Legislature concurred on a \$117 billion budget for the 2005-2006 budget cycle. In total dollars, the budget represents an increase in all funds that contribute to the state's revenue sources. The bill relies heavily on federal funds including a \$1.2 billion infusion from the federal government.

State Soil and Water Conservation Board and the Texas Food and Fiber Commission.

**Change Made By Conference Committee on Soil and Water Conservation Board**  
In the final days of the legislative session, one change was made to the legislation adding two gubernatorial appointees to the State Soil and Water Conservation Board. When SB 1828 passed the House last week, it contained a requirement that the gubernatorial appointees must derive 51% of their income from agriculture. The conference committee removed this income test from the bill. The conference committee report for SB 1828 was passed by both houses.

**In-stream Flow Study Commission Resurrected**  
The legislation to prohibit the permitting of surface water for in-stream flows and to create a commission to study the issue survived in SB 1639 by Senator Todd Staples of Palestine. The commission had originally been in SB 1374 by Senator Ken Armbrister of Victoria. However, SB 1374 failed to pass the House. The House and Senate then passed a special resolution to add the provisions on in-stream flows to SB 1639. The final hour maneuver worked and this important issue will be addressed by the study commission during the interim. While there are not any designated agricultural

Senator Todd Staples of Palestine amended the bill during Senate consideration to include coyotes in addition to uncontrolled dogs. The bill also makes clear the livestock owner is not required to have a hunting license to protect his property against dogs or coyotes.

**Equine Processing**  
HB 1324 by Representative Betty Brown of Terrell, which would have clarified Texas law regarding the export of horse meat for human consumption, failed to be considered in the Senate. HB 1324 would have continued Texas law that

potential exceptions are the

Thursday, June 26th at 7:00 p.m. at the Cooke County Fairgrounds has been selected as the time and the place to begin the discussion on this issue. Producers in the area are invited to attend. Preceding the discussion on the sale, Merial will be presenting a program on the horn fly, discussing its resistance to pesticides and its economic threshold. Merial will provide a hamburger supper for those attending.

**Steer Validation**  
Steer validation for major livestock shows will be held Monday, June 16th, 9:00 a.m. at the Gainesville Livestock Market on Refinery Road. If you plan to show a steer at Fort Worth, San Antonio, Houston or the State Fair, they must be validated. This will be the only validation.

**Dates to Remember:**  
06/14 - Progressive Farmer Safety Day Camp, Cooke County Fairgrounds, 8 to 2:30  
06/16 - Steer Validation for the major shows, Gainesville Livestock Auction, 9 a.m.  
06/25 - Texas A&M, Prosper Station, Crop Management field day & open house, 7:30 a.m.-12:00 noon  
06/26 - Livestock Program for beef producers, Cooke County Fairgrounds, 7 p.m.

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**Feeder Steers (per lb)**  
200-300 lbs. No. 1, 1.10-1.20; Nos. 2 & 3, .95-1.10; 300-400 lbs. No. 1, 1.10-1.20; Nos. 2 & 3, .88-1.07; Nos. 2 & 3, .78-88; 500-600 lbs. No. 1, .85-.95; Nos. 2 & 3, .75-.85; 600-700 lbs. No. 1, .80-.86; Nos. 2 & 3, .65-.80; 700-800 lbs. No. 1, .77-.82; Nos. 2 & 3, .60-.77.

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25-90 lbs, \$15-\$30.

**Sows:**  
Feeder, 400 or less, 10-30; Light wt, 400-500, 22-28; Med wt, 500-600, 22-28; Heavy wt, 600-up, 25-28.

**Buys:**  
300 lb -up, 02-04;  
200-300 lbs, 02-10;  
Light wt, 20-30.

**Sheep (per lb)**  
Feeder Lambs, 40-60 lbs, 70-88; Light lambs, 60-90 lbs, 70-80; Fat lambs, 90-120 lbs, 50-70.

**Ewes**  
Stocker, 35-45; Thin, 15-30; Fat, 35-45.

**Bucks**  
Thin, 10-30; Fat, 30-50.  
Barbados (per head) - Lambs \$20-\$35; Ewes \$25-\$50; Bucks \$40-\$120.  
**Goats (per head)**  
Kids 20-35 lbs, \$15-\$40; 35-55 lbs, \$25-\$50; 55-75 lbs, \$40-\$70; Yearlings, 75-120 lbs, \$70-\$110.  
**Nannies (per head)**  
Stocker \$60-\$150; Milk Stocker \$30-\$50; Slaughter Thin, \$25-\$40; Fat, \$35-\$75.

**Bills (per head)**  
120 lbs-up  
Breeders \$100-\$150;  
Slaughterers \$45-\$100;  
Bred Goats (per head) - 1/2 Nanny, \$50-\$75; 3/4 Nanny, \$50-\$75; Full Nanny, \$50-\$150.  
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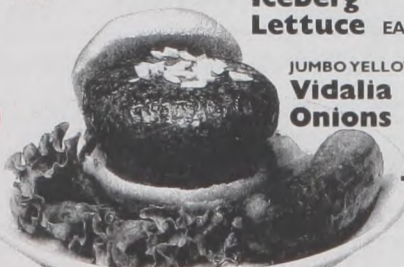
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