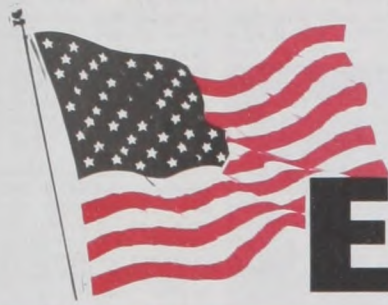


Two years ago the United States was attacked. Now we are at war with a hateful terrorist enemy.

We must support those who fight this war, from the private to the president. See pages 3 and 4.



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Texas Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs visits with Barbara Pybas and Werner Becker, Jr. at the town hall meeting last week in Gainesville. Combs discussed agriculture and other issues and introduced TDA's Texas Yes! Program. Janie Hartman photo

State Ag Commissioner visits Gainesville with Estes

By Janie Hartman
Texas Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs hosted a Town Hall Meeting in Gainesville on Thursday, Sept. 4. Senator Craig Estes introduced Combs to a full room of citizens.

Combs touched on four topics - water, school finance, Texas Yes!, and children, mostly promoting rural Texas and nutrition. Combs has introduced Texas Yes! - "It's our new rallying call for rural Texas and the many small communities that make our

Combs also stressed child nutrition in Texas schools. The USDA Child Nutrition Programs, formerly located at the Texas Education Agency, was moved to the TDA to provide funding and nutritional guidelines and services for public schools in Texas. "We are eating ourselves to death," Combs said, noting that more than 61% of Texas adults and 35% of Texas school age children are considered overweight or obese, and that the prevalence of overweight and obese

they are in our care." Commissioner Combs then opened the floor to questions which included:

- COOL - mandatory animal identification. "It will start voluntarily, until all the problems are fixed," Combs said, noting that the idea began with identifying the country where animals came in from, but the idea was reversed. "COOL will be difficult for the small

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"If a small town is healthy, agriculture is healthy ... if agriculture isn't healthy, the town is unhealthy."

Susan Combs, Texas Agriculture Commissioner

state great." Texas Yes! is a new initiative from the Texas Department of Agriculture designed to promote the growth and prosperity of every rural Texas town, city, and county. "Most small towns rely on agriculture and oil. If a small town is healthy, agriculture's healthy, if agriculture isn't healthy, the town's unhealthy," Combs said in her discussion. "I don't want to see small towns dry up and blow away." The Texas Yes! program will kick off in October 2003.

children in Texas is higher than the nation as a whole. Texas has almost 5.9 million children, making it the 2nd largest state with children under the age of 18. Combs also noted that in the 1950s, Coca-Cola sold only a 6 1/2 oz. bottle. That grew into the 12 oz. can, which is now a 20 oz. bottle, the most popular in vending machines. "When state law requires our children to be in school five days a week, then it is also our responsibility to ensure we provide them healthy, nutritious food choices when



Joey Anderson (left) announces that Pacesetter Nortex Communications has donated \$4,552.00 to the United Way 2004 Campaign after his introduction by M.C. Tom Carson. Dave Fette photo

Fletcher seeks volunteers in emergency preparedness

By Janet Felderhoff
Vigilance and preparation are keys to warding off the various ways that terrorists might try to attack our nation. The deliberate release of smallpox is one way that is suspected that terrorists might try in germ warfare.

Smallpox is a serious, contagious, and potentially deadly disease. It can be prevented through vaccination. This vaccine was used to eradicate smallpox from the face of the earth. Unfortunately

supplies of the virus still exist and could be used as a weapon.

It was the decision of the United States government to prepare for fast and effective response to a smallpox outbreak.

Part of the preparedness effort is the creation of smallpox healthcare teams whose purpose would be to respond to a smallpox emergency. Cooke County plans to participate in this emergency preparedness effort. It is hoped to have a team of volunteers trained

before Dec. 31.

Ray Fletcher, Cooke County Emergency Management Coordinator, is now seeking volunteers for its healthcare core team. It is their hope to get several hundred volunteers to ensure swift and smooth implementation of the smallpox vaccination program in the event of an emergency. This will require a one-day training course sponsored by the State. The State will also provide the smallpox

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United Way Pacesetters "Choose to Care"

The 2004 Cooke County United Way Campaign launched its effort to meet a goal of \$335,000.00 of combined donations that are a major means of support for area non-profit agencies. Master of Ceremonies Tom Carson of KGAF Radio welcomed everyone to the "Choose To Care" luncheon at the Gainesville Civic Center Friday, Sept. 5. Rev. John Hare, President of the Cooke County Ministerial Alliance, prayed the invocation and the Gainesville High School and Junior High choirs sang songs especially written for the event, and directed by Kevin and Susan Beall.

The luncheon also honored Pacesetters, those businesses and organizations which lead the way with the example of their giving the United Way. Representatives of those groups each announced the amount of their donations which totaled \$122,169.26. The ten Pacesetters and their donations include: Gainesville ISD, \$9,298.00; Alan Ritchey, Inc., \$12,483.00; Guaranty National Bank, \$19,088.00; Nortex Communications, \$4,552.00; City of Gainesville, \$11,800.00; Rinker Poly Pipe, \$4,426.00; First State Bank,

\$22,000.00; Gainesville Memorial Hospital, \$13,071.00; North Central Texas College, \$9,650.00; Wal-Mart, \$15,430.00.

Further entertainment for the luncheon was provided by the Angelic A Cappella Choir of Sacred Heart. See UNITED WAY, PG. 2

Don't forget to vote! Voting places noted

Saturday, Sept. 13 Texans have the opportunity to go to the polls to select or reject several proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution. Polls will open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. Some voting polls are not being held in the usual place due to scheduling conflicts. Area places are as follows:

- Precinct #17 - VFW Hall, 113 S. Main Street, Muenster
- Precinct #18 - Muenster Farm Mutual Insurance, 212 N. Walnut, Muenster
- Precinct #14 Rosston Fire Station, Rosston
- Precinct #15 Myra Community Center, Myra
- Precinct #19 Conrad Hall, Lindsay
- Precinct #21 North Lindsay, Conrad Hall, Lindsay
- Precinct #33 Sivells Bends Schools, Sivells Bend.

City taxes up slightly

By Dave Fette
City taxes on an "average" \$100,000.00 house in Muenster will increase \$3.00 during the next fiscal year. The Muenster City Council adopted a property tax rate of 37 cents per \$100.00 of valuation at their regular meeting Monday night. Last year's tax rate was 36.7 cents. The tax rate will support the general fund and water and sewer fund budgets of \$779,087.85 and \$380,684.00 respectively. Those budgets were also adopted unanimously by the Council. As the City nears the end of the current budget cycle, City Manager Linda Webb reported a budget surplus of \$315,497.50 total after 11 months. "This surplus results from not completing some capital improvement projects," she said, "and by operating efficiently with savings in City departments." The extra money will be used to build financial reserves necessary for proper operation of the City. Reserves may also be

applied to major projects such as the current sewer plant upgrades which were paid for in large part by surpluses from previous budgets.

The Council also heard a presentation by Jeff LaChance who represented the Sacred Heart Tigerette Softball Team. They want to install an irrigation system at the old City baseball park to facilitate keeping the field in better shape for softball season. Sacred Heart has donations available to do the job at no cost to the City. The proposed sprinkler system will extend into the outfield. They also wish to make some improvements to the dugouts. Sacred Heart also pledged to assist the removal of the concrete bases of the old water tower on the southwest part of the field. The City committed to make the water connection, furnish irrigation water, and said Sacred Heart was welcome to continue using the field for practice and

games for at least the next five years.

Mayor Weinzappel took the occasion of LaChance's presence to publicly thank him for his extensive volunteer work as Muenster Fire Marshall.

Other items of discussion or action by the City Council included:

- A mixed beverage license at 522 East Division Street, Muenster, for Thomas Torcellini d/b/a Watertower LLC was approved.
- With no landowner willingness to contribute toward replacement of curbing along Maple Street, repair work on that street will be limited to selective resurfacing only.
- Planning is underway for a curfew ordinance applying to persons under 17 years of age. Police Chief Bob Stovall and Commissioner Troy Sicking recommended a curfew as an effective tool to help control late night problems and vandalism.



Auctioneers Ken Pearse (center) and Herkey Biffle (right) conduct the benefit sale of many donated items at the Annual Myra Volunteer Fire Department barbecue fundraiser Saturday in Myra. Chad Bayer assisted the auctioneers while the big crowd enjoyed a good meal and perfect summer evening weather. Dave Fette photo



The Gainesville High School and Junior High School choirs, directed by Kevin and Susan Beall, perform at the United Way luncheon last Friday in Gainesville. Dave Fette photo



Leading the way for the United Way are Master of Ceremonies Tom Carson; Oncor guest speaker Pam Hardin; Cooke County United Way President Christine Weinzapfel; Executive Director Angie Hare and 2004 Campaign Chairman Terry Tombaugh. Dave Fette photo



Muenster directed by Cynthia Russell, Roger Dieter and his daughter Elizabeth sang a duet. The 2004 United Way Campaign Chairman is Terry Tombaugh of TXU Electric and Gas. He brought in guest speaker, Pam Hardin of Oncor, who told the crowd about TXU Oncor's efforts and ideas to raise United Way funds in the face of business troubles. "It takes a lot of teamwork," she said. "Everyone is touched by United Way." Angie Hare, Cooke County United Way Executive Director organized the kickoff luncheon which was catered by Rohmer's of Muenster.

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vaccinations for these volunteers at the time of the training class. Fletcher said, "The initial inoculation as part of all of this will be for the ones giving the inoculations, for the first responders, EMS, and any of the volunteer fire departments. I would like to open it up to them too. I think that's going to be a big source of help. We're looking at getting the core people inoculated so they're not sick and down (if) whenever this actually hits."

Nurses, doctors, EMTs, and others who are State certified to administer shots are needed. Non-medical type volunteers (intake people) will also be used to take medical information, check for medical conditions and safe and effective for most people who receive it. It provides high-level immunity from smallpox for three to five years with decreasing immunity thereafter. Immunization given before 1980 should assume that they have little or no immunity to smallpox and require a new vaccination.

"Individuals considering smallpox vaccination should be well informed about smallpox disease; the vaccine and its side effects - including potentially life-threatening reactions; and health conditions that indicate an individual should not be vaccinated as part of this preparedness effort because they are at risk of experiencing adverse reactions to the vaccine," stated the CDC Smallpox



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histories, and to provide site management to keep things moving in an orderly manner and to ensure a chaos free atmosphere. After being trained, the volunteers will be on standby and contacted in the event of an emergency.

According to information from the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), vaccination within three days of exposure to smallpox will prevent or significantly lessen the severity of symptoms in most people. Vaccination within four to seven days after exposure offers some protection from disease or may lessen disease severity. The CDC information states that the vaccine is

Fact Sheet. Those seeking further information are encouraged to use the website www.cdc.gov/smallpox or call the CDC public response line at (888) 246-2675.

Fletcher stressed, "There's no smallpox. We're not looking to give the whole County a smallpox shot. It is just to get the core team set up and to inoculate as many of that core group as possible.

To volunteer for this service contact Ray Fletcher at 668-5400. He also plans to speak to various service groups on the topic hoping to answer any questions and solicit more volunteers.

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Sacred Heart High School's Angelic A Cappella Choir performs for the first time under direction of Cyndy Russell at Friday's United Way Kickoff Luncheon. Dave Fette photo



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Hopi Pink					
Watermelon Red					
Natchez White					
Raspberry					
Variety	5 gal.	15 gal.	30 gal.	Total Qty:	Price:
All container grown		\$75.00	\$135.00		
Cedar Elm	XXX				
Variety	5 gal.	15 gal.	30 gal.	Total Qty:	Price:
All container grown	\$15.00	75.00	\$139.00		
Chinese Pistachio					
Burr Oak					
Live Oak					
Red Oak					
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All container grown	\$19.00				
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2-WEEK EVENTS CALENDAR

Sunday, September 14, 2003	Monday, September 15, 2003	Tuesday, September 16, 2003	Wednesday, September 17, 2003	Thursday, September 18, 2003	Friday, September 19, 2003	Saturday, September 20, 2003
Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM AWANA Club meeting, 5:10-7PM First Baptist Church MISD Hall Decorating, 1PM	VFW Auxiliary meeting, 8PM MISD Dress up Day	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center MMH Board meeting, Tax Rate Hearing, 8PM. Diabetes Support Group meeting, 7PM, GMH Culwell Conference Center MISD Preppy Day	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Cooke Co. Beef Cattle Improvement Assoc. meeting, 7:30PM, Fair Grounds / Adult Co-ed Volleyball, 7PM / See you at the Pole, 7AM, MISD Religious Ed Prayer Service, 6:30PM with Classes until 8PM MISD Punk Rock Day Master Gardener meeting, Courthouse, 3PM	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM MISD 50's Day	Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM Sacred Heart - NO SCHOOL, In Service Day MISD Homecoming - Red & White Spirit Day Pregame festivities, 7PM	
Sunday, September 21, 2003 Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM AWANA Club meeting, 5:10-7PM First Baptist Church	Monday, September 22, 2003	Tuesday, September 23, 2003 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center	Wednesday, September 24, 2003 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center SH Advisory Council meeting, 7:30PM. / Adult Co-ed Volleyball, 7PM, MISD Old Gym / Master Gardeners Training, 9am, Gainesville C of C, 9AM / Religious Ed Class, 7PM	Thursday, September 25, 2003 Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Muenster Museum Open 1-4 PM	Friday, September 26, 2003	Saturday, September 27, 2003 SH Alumni Vegas Night, 7:30-11PM, Community Center ABBA Walk For Life, 9-11AM, Muenster City Park

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Obituaries

County adopts 47 cent tax rate and fiscal budget

Sgt. First Class Mitchell A. Lane, U.S. Army 1969- 2003

By Elfreda Fette

Sgt. First Class Mitchell A. Lane, United States Army, died at age 34 in Afghanistan on Friday, Aug. 29, 2003 of injuries received the day before in an accident in the combat zone in a fall while descending from a helicopter.

He was the husband of Gina Lane, who is the daughter of Wilmer and LaVelle Walterscheid of College Station, Texas and the granddaughter of Augusta Walterscheid of Muenster and the late Alphonse Walterscheid. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Noelle Lane, age 6 and Michelle Lane, age 3. Other survivors include his mother and father, Laurie and Richard Lane of Lompoc, California; his grandfather, Marvin Sands of Delano, California, and three brothers, Chris Lane of Santa Barbara, California, David Lane of Fresno, California, and Brian Lane of Lompoc.

Mitchell Lane had enlisted in the Army National Guard in 1987, and volunteered for active duty four years later. He served at Fort Leonard Wood in Missouri for several years before being selected for Special Forces training in 1995. Lane, originally from Lompoc, in Santa Barbara County, was an engineer sergeant with Company C, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Special Forces Group at Fort Bragg. He had been with the Army for 12 years and lived in North Carolina with his wife and two children.

According to information received from the Fayetteville North Carolina Observer (newspaper), he



Sgt. 1st Class Mitchell A. Lane

"was killed in Afghanistan during a nighttime operation...injured when he fell while descending a helicopter during a combat assault on Aug. 27, according to U.S. Army Special Operations Command at Fort Bragg. Lane died of his injuries the following morning. The death was an accident and not the result of hostile action, according to a release from the U.S. Central Command. The assault took place near Deh Chopan in the Zabul province."

Mass of Christian Burial was held in Good Shepherd Catholic Church officiated by Father Thomas Gaul at noon on Sept. 6, 2003. Among those attending the Mass with the family were Wilmer and LaVelle Walterscheid and children Scott and Jenny; Bruce and Debra Bando and Ashley; Beverly and Jonathon Klement and son Evan; Dan and Dana Stupka and

daughters Whitney, Payton, and Taran; and many, many friends and classmates, both high school and college.

The previous day, visitation for friends and family was held at Rogers and Breece Funeral Home of Fayetteville, North, Carolina.

Burial is set for Arlington National Cemetery in Washington, D.C. on Sept. 12 at 9 a.m.

Parents of Mrs. Mitchell A. Lane (Gina), Wilmer and LaVelle Walterscheid, are in Fayetteville with their daughter and family, and plan to remain for several more days, and the local grandmother communicates daily.

For those who have asked, memorials may be sent to The Mitch Lane Family Education Fund, c/o Vandenberg Federal Credit Union, P.O. Box 5641, Vandenberg Air Force Base, California 93437.

By Janet Felderhoff

Property owners in Cooke County will be paying 47 cents per \$100 property valuation to provide some of the funds to run the county government. That amount was made official at the regular meeting of Cooke County Commissioners Court on Monday, Sept. 8. It is expected to generate \$7,335,330.00 in revenues. The remainder of the budget is produced through sales tax, fines, fees, investments, and other miscellaneous.

The 47-cent tax will be used as follows: General - .3225; Road & Bridge - .1272; Permanent Improvement - .02; FM & Lateral Bridge - .0003.

Also approved was the budget for fiscal year 2003-2004 which begins Oct. 1. The total approved is \$13,581,233.50. Included is a four percent across the

board raise for all employees. Commissioners also voted unanimously to extend the raise include elected officials.

Emergency Management Coordinator Ray Fletcher reported on the progress of County's Emergency Management Plan. Fletcher said that Annex A of the Plan was due Aug. 20. He is now working on Annex B, which is due by the end of the week.

Fletcher informed Commissioners that the Texas Department of Health requested that smallpox vaccination teams be set up in case of emergency. "They want all of the counties in the State of Texas to have a plan to vaccinate people in the county if there's a smallpox incident or a threat of contact," Fletcher explained. "They want us to get people who are certified to give inoculations and train to give smallpox vaccinations and also get volunteers to do the screening and security at a vaccination site." He said they would be calling for volunteers for that purpose.

Judge Bill Freeman noted, "This is an ongoing deal with every state in the Union and every county in this State to try to get these volunteers. Not to alarm anyone, but they are trying to get everyone ready. The people are not only volunteers to give the inoculations, but people to organize the centers where the inoculations will be given if the need were to arise." Several hundred volunteers are being sought for this project.

In other business Commissioners Court approved the following:

- Request by Clay Sandifer to install a galvanized culvert across CR 2117 in Precinct #2.

- Request by District Clerk Pat Payne to change budget line item of \$450 from office supplies to conference expenses. This enables her to attend a conference in Austin on Sept. 17-18 dealing with changes in District Clerk fees brought about by new Legislation.

- Request by W. B. Oil and Gas Operations to drill or bore a gas pipeline across CR 300, CR 352, and CR 426 in Precinct #3 and #4.

- Request by Mountain Springs Water Supply to install a fresh water line across Cooke Road approximately 100 yards from the intersection of Hemming Road and Cook Road in Precinct #2.

- Request by SBC Communications to install a service drop across 753 CR 130 and 249 CR 164 in Precinct #1.

- Resolution for Historical Bridge Preservation with the Texas Department of Transportation. A bridge from Survey Road in Precinct #1 will be moved and refurbished and then set up in the Callisburg Park.

- Request by Bob Harbin, EMS director, to make Advanced Life Support as a minimum service provided by the Cooke County EMS. This allows for more reimbursement from Medicare and Medicaid. The County already provides care that is a notch above ALS, said Harbin.

Paul Endres dies

Paul M. Endres of Muenster, age 87, died Wednesday, Sept. 10, 2003. Rosary will be held at 7 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 12 at McCoy Funeral Home. Memorial Mass will be celebrated Saturday, Sept. 13 at 10:00 a.m. in Sacred Heart Church in Muenster. The complete obituary will be in next week's Muenster Enterprise.

Frank P. Kuhn dies

Frank P. Kuhn, age 92, of Lindsay died Monday, Sept. 8, 2003. A rosary service was held at 7 p.m. Thursday evening in Geo. J. Carroll & Son Funeral Home Chapel. Funeral Mass was set for 10 a.m. Friday morning, Sept. 12 at Saint Peter's Church. The complete obituary will be in next week's Muenster Enterprise.

James H. Winter 1924 - 2003

James H. Winter, owner and publisher of *The Bowie News* since 1965, was laid to rest Monday in his hometown of Merkel, Texas. He died Sept. 5 at his home in Bowie.

Services for Winter were conducted at 10 a.m. Monday at Fry Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Dr. Larry Cox, pastor of First Freewill Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was at Rose Hill Cemetery in Merkel, Monday afternoon at 4 p.m. with the Rev. Robert H. Winter of Trent, Texas officiating.

Born Aug. 19, 1924 in Noodle, Texas, he graduated from Merkel High School in 1942. Winter went on to serve in the U.S. Army in the Southwest Pacific in W.W.II. He served as an infantry sergeant in the American Division on the Solomon and Philippine Island. He received the Bronze Star, Purple Heart and Combat Infantry Badge for his military service.


The *Bowie News* Editor Barbara Beckwith says, "Jim Winter was the epitome of the newspaper man portrayed in movies and books."

"Straight-forward, almost to a fault; opinionated; slightly cynical; driven; competitive; patriotic to his core; funny; a nose for the news both late-breaking and unusual; and lover of a great black and white photo."

"Winter, known for his opinionated style and no holds barred quest to create the best newspaper possible, would be the first to say he has created as many enemies as friends throughout the years. However, even those whose feathers he ruffled, respected his plain-spokenness."

"David Fette, publisher of the *Muenster Enterprise*, has been making a weekly trip to Bowie to have his newspaper printed at the *News* since 1980. Winter's first word to Fette each trip usually involved if David brought any of that good German sausage or cheese with him."

"We talked about how to keep a small town paper working and the angles of try to sell advertising, and a lot of military stuff. There also was a lot of good natured kidding about Texas A&M and his favorite Texas Tech. We traded lots of barbs," recalls Fette."



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 Results available at September 24 Checkup

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24 3:00 - 6:00 pm
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Diabetes Support Group

The support group is for individuals with diabetes (Type I or Type II) and their families. It meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7 pm. Call 940.759.2395 for details.



In the Service

Gary Hacker of Muenster is still serving overseas in Iraq. He is a former employee of the City of Muenster. Gary and his wife, the former Michelle Molsbee, have two children. The youngest was born after Gary was deployed. According to reports from his family he is expected

back by Thanksgiving or Christmas. He is with the 4th Infantry Division Bravo 2/131 out of Wichita Falls that joined with Delitta 2/20 from Fort Hood. Correspondence can be sent to: Specialist Hacker, D2/20 FA, Unit 92625, APO, AEO09323-2625.

County remembers

"September 11, 2001 is a day that will live in our hearts forever," remarked Cooke County Judge Bill Freeman. "As a result of terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center Towers, the Pentagon, and United Flight Number 93, thousands of Americans lost their lives that day. To honor the memory of those who lost their lives and those first responders who committed acts of great bravery during the events of

September 11, 2001, by order of the President of the United States and the Governor of the State of Texas, Thursday, September 11, 2003 shall be a day of prayer and remembrance. Cooke County employees assembled on the east steps of the Courthouse at 8:10 a.m. for a moment of silence and prayer to honor the victims and heroes of September 11, 2001.

A brief note from the Cooke County Emergency Coordinator

By Ray Fletcher

As the Cooke County Emergency Management Coordinator and newly arrived resident of this wonderful county, let me first thank you all for a warm and helpful welcome! After 22 years in the Air Force my wife and I are glad to be putting our roots down in such a beautiful and friendly area.



Ray Fletcher

For those of you that may not know much about the EMC position and mission here are a few details. The objectives of the program are to protect public health and safety and preserve public and private property in the event of a major disaster. We have the primary role in identifying and mitigating hazards, preparing for, responding to, and managing the recovery from emergency situations that affect Cooke County.

vaccination and training for volunteers that would like to provide their services in the case of a mass inoculation event. We are looking for people with experience in providing vaccinations and also administration of such an event. The state will provide training and inoculations to this pool of volunteers once we establish a cadre to be trained. Anyone in the county that has the experience or thinks they are interested and would like to be involved in this please give me a call at 668-5400.

These first few months will be spent preparing and gaining state approval of our Emergency Management Plan. With input and advice from all of the area responders I look forward to finalizing the plan by 31 December. We will be re-establishing the Local Emergency Planning Committee and will have regularly scheduled meetings to draw on the expertise available in the county and guide our efforts.

If anyone has questions about the County Emergency Management effort or background in an area that may be helpful, please feel free to stop by my office in the basement of the courthouse, room B-10.

One project we will be working on in the very near future is small pox

A 9-11 memory will never fade

By Bobby Eberle

This week, America will mark the two-year anniversary of the worst attack on American soil in our history. We will likely see video footage and photographic images of the horrible events that opened our eyes and forever changed our outlook on terrorism and our role in the world community. But, more than any news report or photo or radio account, the most powerful memories will be invoked by recalling our own personal experiences on that fateful day. Where were you on September 11, 2001? It's a question people often ask each other. I remember exactly where I was and what I saw. What I often wonder is "why?" Why did I see what no person should ever have to see?

As a resident of Houston, Texas and doing the work that I do, I am not a frequent traveler. I had visited our nation's capitol several times over the years, the most recent trip prior to 9-11-01 being the presidential inauguration in January. That trip was a thrill to say the least, and as my wife and I returned home, I was already looking forward to future trips to Washington.

In September 2001, as my company began to grow and reach more people, I thought the timing was right to return to Washington to promote the venture on Capitol Hill. I was invited to attend a conference in DC, which was scheduled for September 9-11, and I knew that would be the perfect occasion to do some corporate promoting in addition to attending the conference events.

September 11, 2001 was a bright and brilliant day in Washington, DC. I had enjoyed two full days of policy briefings and discussions, and on that Tuesday, I was looking forward to doing something a bit different.

After briefly attending the final day of the conference in the morning, my plan was to spend the rest of the day seeing the marvelous sights that Washington, DC has to offer and visiting Capitol Hill.

Driving in from Virginia with the top down on my friend's convertible, I was enjoying the clear blue sky and crisp air. I also paid moderate attention to the news radio station that my friend tuned in. I'm not a regular listener of news radio, but that morning was different. We had already seen reports on television of the first plane hitting the World Trade Center. We thought it was a very odd event, so we dialed in the news as we drove into town. At about 9:15 a.m., we heard reports of the second attack.

There was no doubt in our minds that America was now the victim of terrorism. What we did not realize was that the attacks were not over. We would learn that soon enough.

With the Pentagon in sight, the roar of jet engines quickly filled the air. I looked over my left shoulder and saw the aircraft only a couple 100 feet over head. It was so loud and so low and so fast, and I knew in an instant that something was terribly wrong. I wanted to scream, but the only words that would come out were "Oh no." A few seconds later, American Airlines Flight 77 flew into the Pentagon and exploded in a burst of flame right in front of my eyes.

Traffic on the freeway ground to a halt as people started to comprehend the meaning of black smoke pouring from the Pentagon. Tears streamed down the face of the woman in the car behind us. She looked ahead in utter shock and seemed frozen in time. I could not help but wonder if another attack was headed our way. Every loud noise caused me to jump, and I found myself looking to the horizon to see if another plane was coming.

I was a zombie for the rest of the day -- glued to the television, just waiting for something new to be reported. I watched the scenes from New York over and over again, but I could not get the vision out of my head of what I had witnessed that morning. Why was I in Washington? Why did I see Flight 77? I often ask myself these questions, and wonder if there was a grand plan or simply blind luck. In any case, I along with the rest of the country was changed forever.

America is a strong, vibrant nation, and what the world often fails to realize and the al Qaeda terror network dramatically underestimated is the power of the American spirit. Especially when faced with adversity, America comes together unlike any nation on earth.

A fight was brought to our shores on September 11, 2001, and we have taken that fight back to the terrorists. We will win this fight for one simple reason - our cause is just. Rather than fighting for land or wealth or power, America fights for something more precious: freedom.

Why did I see Flight 77? I don't know. But I do know that I am committed to America as the shining beacon of democracy in the world. The terrorists may very well strike again, but we are not going anywhere. We will not run; we will not hide. We will fight for freedom, and freedom will prevail.

Bobby Eberle is president and CEO of GOPUSA (www.GOPUSA.com), a news, information, and commentary company based in Houston

Kiwanis hears I-35 lane barrier options

By Don Rohmer

Mike Hallum of the Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT) spoke to the Muenster Kiwanis Club on September 3 about options for a barrier between the northbound and southbound lanes of Interstate 35 in Cooke County.

Perhaps the best news was that work to extend the existing barrier north from Denton is already scheduled. In December, Denton County will begin the bidding process for extending the rigid concrete barrier to the Cooke County line. The worst news was that highway funds are distributed on the basis of population. As a result, the annual allocation for maintenance and improvement of all the roads from Gainesville to Wichita Falls is about \$40 million, which is less than the allocation for Denton County. Extending the rigid barrier from the county line to Gainesville would cost about \$6 million.

A rigid concrete barrier like the one in Denton is the type that Mr. Hallum would prefer to see built, because it could remain in place when IH 35 is widened to six lanes, as is planned to happen by 2010. A flexible, cable barrier system could be built for from \$1.5 to \$2 million, but it would have to be torn out and replaced when IH 35 is widened.

An advantage to the flexible barrier is that it would do less damage to cars that run into it. A car would probably remain in good enough shape to drive away, unlike a car that struck a rigid barrier. However, the flexible barrier would have to be repaired each time it was struck. The rigid barrier would typically not need repairs.

Neither type of barrier would deflect large trucks, which account for one in four vehicles on IH 35. And the barrier would cause some accidents. The majority of drivers who run off the road get their vehicles under control within 30 feet of the edge of the driving lane. This 30 feet is referred to as the

"clear zone." The IH 35 median is currently 36 feet wide. With the four-foot shoulder on each side, that puts 44 feet between the northbound and southbound lanes. A barrier would reduce that to 22 feet, creating a hazard.

The barrier would also prevent emergency vehicles from crossing the median, requiring them to drive to the nearest overpass and back. It would also increase maintenance costs such as mowing.

An in-depth hydraulic study is necessary before any barrier can be built. Simply putting a barrier between the northbound and southbound lanes would not do much good. With the current slope of the drainage ditch between the lanes, a car that ran off the road would vault over the barrier. To prevent cars from crossing into the oncoming lane, the drainage ditch would have to be built up to reduce the slope. A study is needed to determine whether decreasing the slope would cause flooding on the highway, which would result in hydroplaning accidents.

A barrier rail is considered the last resort in traffic engineering. A better solution would be more space between lanes. But, with the development along IH 35, that would be prohibitively expensive. Something will probably have to be done, because the current heavy traffic is expected to get worse.

Traffic counts in 2001 indicated that IH 35 traffic in both directions was 23,000 vehicles per day at the Red River. That increased to 34,000 at the southern city limit of Gainesville, 36,000 at the southern Valley View city limit, 37,000 at the county line, 45,000 at the southern Sanger city limit, and 60,000 at Loop 288 north of Denton. From there, traffic increases greatly as you go south.

Traffic increases on weekends, holidays and special events such as Texas-OU weekend and NASCAR races cause traffic to double and triple.

Beauty hath its costs..... and responsibilities

By Dave Fette

Making your surroundings functional is a fairly straight-forward process. Making them pretty or attractive complicates things since everyone has an opinion of what's "pretty." Now include cost and historical preservation and environmental problems and customer friendliness, to name a few.

In the face of these constraints, the City of Muenster, Keep Muenster Beautiful, and Main Street businesses still want to continue the beautification process along Main Street. Representatives of these groups met at City Hall last Friday to improve communications and understand responsibilities for future projects and existing features.

A major question concerned the new plantings in the first block of Main

Street. Who has responsibility to maintain them? Why are the bushes dying? Will the Texas Department of Transportation fix the drainage problems in the graded sidewalk openings?

Kathy Hicks has accepted the job of liaison between the job of liaison between of Main Street businesses, Keep Muenster Beautiful, City of Muenster, and still counting. She called the meeting. "I want everyone concerned with these projects to know we will do all we can to make them attractive and functional and affordable," she said. "We are not going blindly forward without concern for the business operations, or the City's maintenance constraints, or the efforts of Keep Muenster Beautiful to improve the City's visual impact."

Time and date of the next meeting is pending.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

On our recent trip "home" to Muenster, we were reminiscing on the airplane about how many times we have been to Muenster for a visit and we concluded that we had averaged at least one trip per year since we have been married. That would make it 34 times! Some years we have come three times in one year; other years we have skipped.

her committee being a vital part of keeping Muenster beautiful.

Sincerely,
Mike and Rosemary Lardner
(Rosemary is John and Butch Fisher's youngest sister)

Dear Editor,

It had been three years since our last visit so we were looking forward to any changes we might find. And we were so pleasantly surprised at all of the recent cleaning-up, new construction and beautification. We visited the Muenster Museum. We went to the Muenster State Bank. We saw the new Library, the new glockenspiel at Fischer's Store, the new Post Office, the new Klement Ford dealership, the new campaign to refurbish the Rectory at Sacred Heart Church, and of course, lots of new flowers and landscaping in and about town, new sidewalks, trees and lighting. Muenster is looking like a clean, proud and prosperous German community! The re-investment of both dollars, and manpower is very noticeable and very attractive. It is obvious to visitors like us that there are many dedicated and hard working people making Muenster the beautiful town that it is today. Muenster is lucky to have folks in the community like Mary Lee Alford and

More than two centuries after the signing of the constitution, Americans celebrate National Constitution Week, Sept. 17 through 23, dedicated to honoring and explaining the constitution, and its role in keeping our nation great.

Farm Bureau urges Texans to give due notice to this week; it is of great importance so that all citizens fully understand the provisions and the principles of the Constitution so that it can be supported, preserved, and defended.

Cooke County Farm Bureau Board of Directors, President Edwin Knight, Vice President Robert Klement, Secretary Rudy Zimmerman, Keith Colteryahn, Carl Enderby, Leonard Hartman, Tim Hartman, Jeff Hellman, Harold Nortman, Kenneth Sicking, Taylor Vestal, Albert Zimmerman

From My Side of the Fence

Having a sore and scratchy eye this Sunday morning made me think of a malady that struck almost every kid in school, sooner or later. I believe it was during the '26-'27 school year.

Every day some of the students would be sent home, so the parents would seek some treatment for them.

None of us were sick, or suffered a great deal of discomfort, so we would look in the mirror each day, to see if our eyes were red and puffy, hoping we would get to stay at home.

Well, our time came soon enough. Our eyes were red and enflamed, and each morning on awakening, we would be totally blind, our eyes were pasted shut and we would go down to the

family room where Mom would be waiting with hot water and clean washcloths. We would spend the next few minutes soaking our eyes to remove the matter that had dried overnight, and had our eyelids firmly pasted shut.

With our eyes cleared, we could see very well, and then there were all the daily chores to do - milking, separating, feeding calves, hogs, sheep, looking after the horses, which, then were still very much a part of farmers' lives.

You know, after a few days, school didn't look so bad after all.

In about a week, the problem would go away and we were shipshape again and school wasn't as bad as we had thought.

City Council.....cont. from pg. 1

The Council was informed of a waste disposal rate increase by IESI TX Corp. The Council anticipates adopting city trash pickup fee adjustments at the next meeting.

During the report on City projects, Linda Webb said they have received rave reviews on the new playground equipment in the park. She also described problems they are having keeping up with work while short-handed of city

employees. Also, the City has received several requests to spray, and cautions not to spray, for mosquitoes around the City. Webb said currently they are combating mosquitoes by draining potential breeding areas or by placing larvicidal briquettes in standing water that can't be drained. The briquettes are not harmful to humans or animals.

Monthly bills totaling \$126,473.32 were approved for payment.

SEPTEMBER 11, 2001 MEMORIAL

"In memory of the sacrifice of so many on Sept. 11, 2001, we honor the servicemen and women who have taken up the cause, those who are presently active in the military and those who have faithfully served in the past. We thank you."

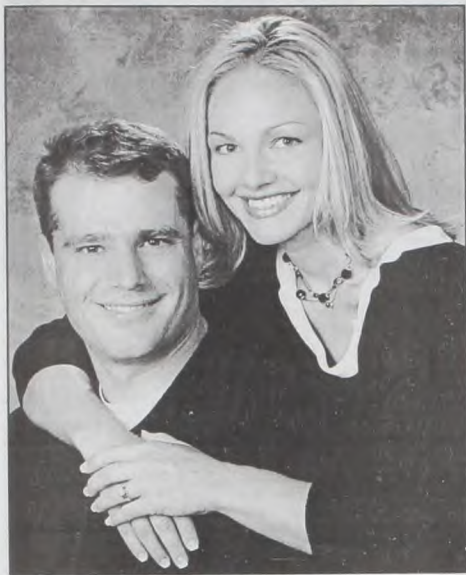
As for today, those of us unable to serve will offer a prayer, share a moment of silence, then show our pride!

REMEMBERING SEPTEMBER 11, 2001

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Lifestyle



Mandy Barnhill and Alan Walter, along with their parents Monte and Janet Barnhill and Claude and Nancy Walter, announce their engagement and approaching marriage. The wedding will take place on Saturday, Oct. 11, 2003 at 7:15 p.m. in Sacred Heart Church in Muenster. Father John Ohner OSA will officiate. Mandy is a graduate of Sacred Heart High School and Austin College in Sherman. Alan is a graduate of Allen High School in Allen, Texas and the University of Texas at Arlington.

ABBA walks for life on Saturday, Sept. 27

ABBA (All Babies Born Alive) is sponsoring a walkathon on Saturday, Sept. 27 from 9-11 a.m. in the Muenster City Park to support its ministry to pregnant women and their unborn children. "It gives everyone who cares about them an opportunity to help in a very real way," said event sponsors.

Each participant is asked to seek at least \$150 in pledges. When that amount is reached the participant receives a free t-shirt. The walk is two miles and can be done in the Muenster

Park on the day of the event or in the participant's own neighborhood within a week of the walkathon.

Participants do not have to collect the money themselves. They can turn in the sponsor forms at the walkathon and ABBA will collect the money through the mail.

To take part, contact ABBA at 414 Elm Street in Gainesville or telephone (940) 668-4012 and who will be sent a walker packet. Forms are also available at area churches.

Speakers announced by diabetes support group

The Diabetes Support Group will begin meeting this month, and continue meeting the third Tuesday of each month, with the exception of July and August. Joan Walterscheid, RN, Certified Diabetes Educator encourages all persons with diabetes, family members, and anyone interested in learning more about diabetes, to attend.

Various healthcare professionals, as well as other presentations that would be of interest and/or related to diabetes, will present programs each month. The support group provides education and

support for individuals diagnosed with Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes through dialogue and informative programs.

Dr. Doohi Lee, Gainesville Memorial Hospital Staff Radiologist, will present the program "Imaging Heart and Foot Disease in Diabetes" on Tuesday, Sept. 16. It will be held in the GMH Culwell Conference Center, beginning at 7 p.m. Dr. Don Dolezalek, Podiatrist, will present a program on foot care on Oct. 21.

For more information contact Joan Walterscheid, RN, CDE at 940-759-2395.

15th annual Las Vegas Night announced by SH Alumni

On Saturday, Sept. 27 there will be an opportunity to go casino gambling without leaving town. The Sacred Heart Preschool and Sacred Alumni and Supporters hold their 15th annual Las Vegas Night in Muenster.

Action begins at 7:30 p.m. and concludes at 11 p.m. in the Sacred Heart Community Center. An Auction follows at 11:15 p.m. for a trip to Las Vegas.

The event, conducted by professional casino personnel, will feature blackjack, craps, roulette, slot machines, and video poker.

Items will be available from the Country Store when it opens at 10:30 p.m.

The Store allows players to utilize their winnings to purchase home décor, crafts, homemade baked goods, gift baskets, and a variety of other items.

Donations for items to be sold in the Country Store are currently being accepted. To donate call Sandra at 759-4050. Items range between \$5 and \$40.

For a cost of \$25 per person players get \$2,000 in chips and pick-up foods and drinks are served throughout the evening. Proceeds benefit Sacred Heart School and Preschool.

Tickets may be purchased at the door. For more information, call 759-4010 or 759-4052.

Zachary celebrates 6th with Sponge Bob, swim party

Zachary Keith Klement, son of Bubba and Melinda Klement, celebrated his 6th birthday on Aug. 16 at the Muenster Swimming Pool. Zachary's actual birthday is Aug. 12. On that day his parents, his sister Brianna, and grandfather Robert Klement, celebrated at his home.

Zachary's mother made a special Sponge Bob cake for his swim party at the pool. All of his guests enjoyed swimming, cake and ice cream, hamburgers and hot dogs. After swimming, the children enjoyed hitting a piñata.

Those attending were his parents his sister; grandparents Robert Klement, Shirley Perryman; aunt and Wade Perryman; aunt and uncle Connie and Craig Stoffels; great-aunt and great-uncle Terri and Kevin Klement; cousins Emily, Sadie, and Andrew Stoffels, Kyle and Koby Klement,



Zachary Klement

Devon Hacker, and Rodney Beverage. Also friends Floyd and Tammy Truabenbach, Avery and Garrett, and Kelsey Pagel.

Unable to attend but sending birthday wishes were grandparents Laujuana and Dale Scott, Charles and Linda Smith; great-grandparents Tony and Sis Klement; aunt and uncle Jimmy and Paula Smith; cousins Casey and Coby Smith; friends Cody, Shawna, and Clancy Hart, and Ron and Judy Blades.

Gene Autry nugget
He made 635 recordings, more than 200 of which he wrote or co-wrote.



Christine Noelle Fuhrmann of Arlington and Nicholas John Whitten of Arlington have announced their engagement and approaching marriage. They plan to be married on Sept. 27, 2003, at St. Peter's Church in Lindsay. Christine is the daughter of Michael and Carol Fuhrmann of Lindsay. She graduated from the University of Texas at Arlington in 2001 and is now employed as a labor and delivery nurse at Baylor University Medical Center in Dallas. Nicholas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Klare of Alvarado and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Whitten of Waco. He graduated from the University of Texas at Arlington in 2002 and is now employed as a loan officer at Centex Home Equity Corp. in Lewisville.

Saint Jo Opry opens again on Sept. 13

Sponsors of the Saint Jo Opry are planning their next show for Sept. 13. The Opry will be held in the school auditorium and starting time will be 7:30 p.m. "We're looking forward to coming back after dismissing the August show," the Country Cut Ups announced.

Special guests scheduled to appear on the September show are Brant Carpenter of Nocona and Cindy Lyons of Saint Jo. Brant has appeared on the Opry numerous times in the past

and audiences have enjoyed the performances of this talented young man. No doubt, he'll be doing his rendition of "The Auctioneer Song" and other great songs. Cindy has been performing and entertaining audiences for much of her life and has appeared on the Opry many times. She has performed at numerous other musical shows in the area and was a regular on the Saint Jo Jamboree for years.

The Country Cut Up Band will also be entertaining on stage.

Give the "Gift of Life", donate blood

The Texoma Regional Blood Center will be conducting a blood drive at Gainesville Memorial Hospital on Friday, Sept. 19, from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. The drive is sponsored by GMH and the Gainesville Rotary Club.

A complete list of donor selection criteria is

available from the Texoma Regional Blood Center, but the basic requirement is simply general good health.

For more information on the blood drive, contact Gayla Blanton, Director of Community Relations at GMH, 940-612-4641, or any Gainesville Rotary Club member.

We would like to express our deepest gratitude for all the prayers, phone calls, and cards.
Thanks also to the First Responders, EMS, and other medical personnel for their prompt and skilled care.
Maggie has had very rapid and complete recovery and is doing beautifully.
We wish all God's blessings upon each and every one of you.
Sincerely,
Damian and Lucy Krahl and Family

"Savvy Senior" to appear on NBC's Today Show

Originally scheduled for Aug. 12, 13 and 14, Savvy Senior columnist Jim Miller has been rescheduled to appear on NBC's Today show, Sept. 23, 24 and 25. As part of the "Forever Young" series, each segment will focus on helpful household gadgets for senior citizens who have difficulty with hearing, memory,

vision, and mobility. This will be Miller's second appearance on the Today show, making his debut on July 15, 2003. For more information and/or schedule updates, visit

www.savvysenior.org or log on to the NBC Today show Web site at www.today.msnbc.com.

Gainesville Convalescent Center

is proud to have been able to return 21 clients to their homes during the past year. GCC received 139 referrals during the same twelve month period and admitted or re-admitted 130 individuals, making the percentage returning home to total number of persons admitted 16% per year. This success results from the restorative nursing and in-facility rehabilitation teams who are daily working with residents, complimented by tasty and healthy foods provided in a neat/clean and comfortable home.

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"See You At The Pole"

Wednesday, Sept. 17, 7am

Flagpole at

MISD Middle School

MISD and Sacred Heart

Students and Parents invited.

All are Welcome!

"...Elijah stepped forward and prayed,
...let it be known today that you are God...
that you are turning their hearts back again."
... then the fire of the LORD fell,
and consumed the burnt offering
...when all the people saw it, they fell on their faces;
and they said, "The LORD, He is God..."

-1 Kings 18:36-39 (NIV, NAS)

Felderhoff sisters visit local relatives

The children of the late John and Lena Hesse Felderhoff have spent the past several days in Muenster visiting and feasting. The out of state siblings and their spouses arrived on Saturday, Sept. 6 to spend several days with their local brothers and sisters-in-law.

Visiting were Emma and Monte Elliott from Lincoln, Illinois, John and Phyll Ladd of Napa, California, and Celine and Urban Schrage of Salinas, California. Coming from Wichita Falls was Rita Tucker. Another sister, Anselma Wright of San Antonio was unable to join them due to prior commitments.

On Sunday afternoon, a niece Karen Cook and her husband John hosted Felderhoff relatives at their restaurant, The Wooden Spoon in Lindsay. There were more than 80 relatives and four generations in attendance.

Those present included Rita Tucker, Rose, Amy, Gary, and Barry Patton, Willard and Ann Fargren, all of Wichita Falls; Larry Jennings of Arlington; Helen Bennington, Shelley and Casey Smith of Carrollton; James and Annette Jennings of LaPlace, Louisiana; Urb and Celine Schrage of Salinas, California; Phyllis and John Ladd of Napa, California; Emma and Monte Elliott of Lincoln, Illinois; John and Cheryl Felderhoff of Garland, Mark and Terrye Felderhoff of Watauga, Doris and Ron Dennard and Kari, Haley, Jeanna of Decatur, Brenda Simpson and Grant and Shelby, Brandon, Dawn, and AnnaMarie Gunn of Sachse, Debbie Brittan, Mike Felderhoff, all of Denton, Leo and Rosina Felderhoff, Darlene Roye and family, Patty Fuhrmann and Ryan and Sean, all of Gainesville; Tommy and Dyan Huchton

and Dane and Dylan of Lindsay, Henry and Betty Felderhoff, Eleanor Felderhoff, Trudy Felderhoff, David and Barbie Felderhoff and JoAnna, Megan, Shaina, and Andi, Kenny and Kim Felderhoff, Carol Klement and Kimberly, Janie Hennigan, Tim and Ramona Felderhoff and Derek and Travis, Ross and Janet Felderhoff, all of Muenster. On Tuesday evening Scott and Sandy Felderhoff hosted a dinner in their home for the aunts and uncles. Janie Hennigan hosted a luncheon for them on Wednesday.

Emma Elliott remarked that they also visited Sacred Heart Cemetery. She said her mother always encouraged them to visit gravesites of deceased relatives when home. Buried there now besides their parents are brothers Lawrence, Frank, Vincent, and Alphonse Felderhoff.



Felderhoff siblings and spouses gathered for a recent visit included, from left, back - Henry Felderhoff, Rosina Felderhoff, Betty Felderhoff, Eleanor Felderhoff, John Ladd, Urban Schrage, and Monte Elliott; seated - Rita Tucker, Emma Elliott, Phyll Ladd, Trudy Felderhoff, Leo Felderhoff, and Celine Schrage. Photo by Janet Felderhoff

Lindsay Events

OKTOBERFEST

The Oktoberfest will be held Sunday, Oct. 5 in the Lindsay Park. The Lindsay Volunteer Fire Department is asking for donations for their annual auction.

Saint Anne's will again have the Country Store Booth. Donations of handmade items, baked items, crafts, jellies, etc will be appreciated. Raffle items are also needed. Contact Mary Bayer at 665-4530.

BIKE RALLY

The Lindsay Volunteer Fire Department and the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society of North Texas are joining together to sponsor a true off-road bike rally on Saturday, Oct. 11. The course will be on gravel roads, covering north Cooke County, and includes 15, 25, 54, and 60 mile courses. Registration will begin at 7:30 a.m., with staggered starts beginning at 9 a.m.. The Lindsay VFD is looking

for volunteers to man pit stops on the course. For more information contact Adam Arendt at 727-8336 or 665-1486.

SARAH'S SOLE SUPPORTERS

On Sept. 27, members of the Steve Corcoran family and friends will walk in the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation's *Walk to Cure Diabetes*. Three year old Sarah Corcoran was diagnosed with insulin-dependent diabetes this past summer. To help support "Sarah's Sole Supporters" in the walk, donations may be made to Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation (JDRF) and mailed to Jenny and Steve Corcoran at 1089 FM 1200, Gainesville, TX 76240. The tax-deductible donation can help JDRF find a cure.

Gene Autry nugget

He appeared in 95 feature films.

TXU Energy Safety Tips: Storm thoughts

Clear debris around the house. Move light-weight items indoors (e.g., patio furniture, lawn mowers, grills).

Book signing by poet/artist

Saturday Sept. 13, 2003 from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at the Lone Star Book Scouters, poet and artist, Dori Gehr will be reading from and signing her book of poetry entitled *Subtle Realities*. Dori and the Lone

Red Cross instructor training available

The Texoma Area Chapter of The American Red Cross will offer a 24-hour instructor training course beginning Tuesday, Sept. 23, at the chapter office at 2527 Highway 691, Denison.

The comprehensive course will provide participants with the skills and practice teaching to become qualified to teach first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation in their nonprofit organizations or other places of work. Classes will be from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sept. 23, 25 and 30 and Oct. 2. Persons must be currently Red Cross first aid and CPR certified or be able to "challenge" for certification prior to the course.

For enrollment information, call the Red Cross at 903-465-1330.

The Texoma Area Chapter provides services in Cooke, Fannin and Grayson counties.

Share a story time

Debbie Sicking will be reading to children of all ages at the Lone Star Book Scouters Saturday, Sept. 20, 2003 at 1:00 pm. Lone Star Book Scouters, 113 North Commerce in Gainesville. Call 940-612-0202 for more information



Kathy Bauer, president of the Gainesville Rotary Club, received a "Lend a Hand" from the district governor, Chuck Kurtzman. The Gainesville club won all top honors in the district last year. Frank Stewart, the president elect, is shown at right. Courtesy photo

Electrolux Energy savings tip

Line-dry bulky and heavy items first. Items like rugs and bedspreads can be partially line-dried to avoid overworking your dryer.

INTERNATIONAL GOURMET COOKING

Lectures and Food Demonstrations
With samples served.

Topics: Sept. 15 - Italian Cuisine
Sept. 22 - Mexican Cuisine
Sept. 29 - German Cuisine
Thurs. Nov. 6 - Breadmake

Breadmake: Gift-giving ideas for the holidays including whole-wheat bread, cinnamon rolls, and other baked goods will be demonstrated. Participants will be able to take the loaf of bread they make home.

When: Monday evenings at 7:00 in September

How much: \$15 per person or \$20 per couple for the entire course of three classes, or \$7 per person to attend a single class.

Where: Gainesville Seventh-day Adventist Church
3411 North Weaver, Gainesville, Texas
(at the corner of Weaver and Highway 372; 1-35 exit 500)

Door prizes will be awarded at each class for a certificate redeemable at one of the following restaurants: Luigi's, Ocho's or Robmer's.

To Register: Call Paula Reiter at either 888-778-4445 (day) or 940-726-3669 (evening), or call Linda Alexander at 940-668-1965.

15th ANNUAL Sacred Heart Preschool & Sacred Heart Alumni and Supporters

LAS VEGAS NIGHT

Saturday, Sept. 27, 2003

Sacred Heart Community Center, Muenster, TX

7:30 P.M. to 11:00 P.M.

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Muenster High School Homecoming

The Muenster Hornets' 2003 Homecoming Week is Sept. 15-19. Hornet alumni, friends, and fans are invited to join the festivities as this year's Muenster Hornet team battles the Callisburg Wildcats at 7:30 p.m. on Sept. 19 in Hornet Stadium. Come and cheer the Hornets on to victory and visit with former classmates as MISD past queens of '53, '63, '73, '83, and '93 receive special recognition during the pregame festivities beginning at 7:00 p.m.

The Homecoming Queen Candidates and Princesses will be presented by their parents during the pregame program, which begins at 7:00 p.m. Ex-students from the class of 2003 will escort the Homecoming Royalty during the halftime coronation. These former Hornets include Cody Cory, Mitch Felderhoff, Karl Fisher, Jake Freeman, Kevin Gann, Dustin Hiser, Justin Hess, Nathan Hess, Wesley Koelzer, Dustin Walterscheid, and Tyler Walterscheid. Jami Gerstberger, the Muenster

High School 2002 Homecoming Queen will crown the new queen and present her with a banner and a dozen red roses from the MHS Student Council.

Queen candidates include Robyn Hermes, daughter of Bob and Janet Hermes; Kristian Koessler, daughter of Rudy and Martha Koessler; Kristi McAden, daughter of Jeff and Connie McAden; and Alisha Walterscheid, daughter of Nick and Robynn Walterscheid. Class princesses include junior Emily Terilli, daughter of Michael and Angela Terilli; sophomore Kelly Endres, daughter of Phil and Marlene Endres; freshman Jessica Walterscheid, daughter of Phil Walterscheid and Bernadette Otto. MHS students elected this Royal Court in class elections earlier this school year.

Homecoming week will begin Sunday, Sept. 14, with the student council, cheerleaders, and seniors decorating the high school halls beginning at 1:00 p.m. Monday will be dress-up

day; Tuesday, preppy day; Wednesday, punk rock day (dress code still applies); Thursday, 50s day; Friday, red and white spirit day. Tuesday during the activity period, high school students will compete in a game show contest, and Thursday during the activity period, there will be a karaoke contest. At 3:00 Friday afternoon, the Hornet varsity and junior high cheerleaders will lead a school-wide pep rally at Hornet Stadium. Student Council officers and senior football players will present Homecoming mums to each queen candidate and princess. Hornet fans are encouraged to attend this Homecoming pep rally as well as the prayer service on Wednesday, Sept. 17, at Sacred Heart Church at 6:30 p.m. A dance in the school's old gym for MISD students from grades 9-12 concludes this year's Homecoming festivities. The school and Student Council are providing music until midnight by Mike Kumor. Pizza will also be served. Admission is free to MISD students.



Muenster Elementary Student Council officers, from left, Levi Trubenbach, Ryan Neal, Lia Heers, Shaina Felderhoff, Delana Sicking, and Jodi Abner. Courtesy photo



Muenster Elementary Student Council class representatives, from left, Brianna Bindel, Hannah Weger, Jackie Klement, Eric Hellman, Landon Presnall, and Tyler Anderle. Courtesy photo

MISD Elementary elects student council

Friday, August 29 students at Muenster Elementary elected new officers and representatives for student council from a field of 36 candidates. The following positions were filled: President, Levi Trubenbach; Vice-President, Lia Heers; Secretary, Jodi Abner; Treasurer, Delana Sicking; Historian, Shaina Felderhoff; Reporter, Ryan Neal; sixth grade representatives, Jackie Klement and Eric Hellman; fifth grade representatives, Brianna Bindel and Hannah Weger; fourth grade representatives, Landon Presnall and Tyler Anderle.

council conducts various fundraisers throughout the year to sponsor charitable and civic causes with the purpose of improving campus and community life.

The new officers and representatives have some clear ideas on their goals for Muenster Elementary. Levi Trubenbach is eager to provide leadership in coordinating fundraisers and supporting worthy causes. Lia Heers wants to prevent littering and promote school spirit. Jodi Abner is committed to keeping a neat and accurate record of the student council minutes. Delana Sicking pledges to maintain the council bank account with efficiency, honesty and accuracy.

Shaina Felderhoff will produce a creative and informative scrapbook and history of the 2003-04 student council. Ryan Neal wants to use his

photography skills to keep the public informed about activities in Muenster Elementary. Jackie Klement will do her best to keep her classmates informed. Eric Hellman wants to improve our campus by reducing littering. Brianna Bindel promises to honor the rights of her classmates in important matters. Hannah Weger pledges loyalty, respect, and fairness to everyone at Muenster Elementary. Landon Presnall wants to try new ideas and gain student council experience. Tyler Anderle wants to help with fundraising and get involved with decisions made by the student council.

Sponsor Jim Van Vleet wishes all council members the very best and anticipates a very productive year at Muenster Elementary.

Notice

Students and parents of Muenster ISD and Sacred Heart are invited for "See You At The Pole" at 7 a.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 17, at the flagpole in front of the Muenster ISD Middle School. The purpose is to join with others around the nation to pray for our schools, community, nation, and world. For more information, call Barbara Rohmer at 759-2511, Ext. 16.

Notice for Muenster ISD students and parents: The Mass planned during Homecoming Week will be replaced by a Prayer Service at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 17, since Father John will be out of town for meetings. Classes for religious ed students will follow the Prayer Service. The Prayer Service will be prepared by the seniors in religious ed.

Students honored with "I Dare You Leadership Award"

Randi Reed, Lindsay Sr. 4-H member and Nathan Smith, Era 4-H member have been awarded the national I Dare You Leadership Award in recognition of personal integrity, balanced living and potential for leadership. The honor was presented by the Honorable Judge Bill Freeman at the Cooke County Achievement Banquet held at the Gainesville Civic Center on Aug. 16.

The I Dare You Leadership Award is presented each year by the American Youth Foundation (AYF) in cooperation with principals, counselors, county 4-H agents, church groups, and other organizations across the

country. In addition to a certificate of recognition each recipient received a copy of Danforth's inspirational book, 'I Dare You!' and a scholarship opportunity to attend AYF's Leadership Conferences located in Michigan.

Over 7,000 schools, 4-H programs and other organizations take part in this I Dare You Leadership Award program yearly.

For more information about the I Dare You Leadership Award and the AYF, you may write to: I Dare You Department, 2331 Hampton Ave., St. Louis, MO, 63139. Phone us at (314) 646-6155 or visit our website at: www.ayf.com

Sacred Heart religious education program

Sacred Heart's Religious Education program began with an opening Mass on Wednesday evening, Aug. 27. It was prepared by Terri Luke, John Walterscheid, and the ninth grade classes. After the Mass, Barbara Fuhrmann Rohmer read the names of students in each class and they were sent to their respective classrooms.

Classes and teachers are as follows: kindergarten, Susie Fleitman and Denise Landers; first grade, Kim Hennigan and Carol Pumphrey; second grade, Linda Knabe, Linda (Mrs. Claude) Vogel, and Renee Knabe; third grade classes, Doug and Nicole Hennigan and Diane Sicking and Linda Pels; two fourth grade classes, Juline Brogdon and Lisa Miller, and Cathy Kubis, Lisa Walterscheid, and Tara Bayer; two fifth grade classes, Karen Dangelmayr and Beth Trubenbach, and Jean Walterscheid and Rhonda Fangman; sixth grade, Dr. Margie York and Rhonda

Pagel; seventh grade, Diane Ellis and Donna Buddy; eighth grade, JoAnn Pagel and Denise Pagel; two ninth grade classes, Terri Luke and Tina Bindel, and John and Dana Walterscheid; two tenth grade classes, Jan Endres and Jeanne Greathouse, and Chuck Bartush and Susan Flusche; juniors, Barbara Rohmer and Don Hess; seniors, Clinton Endres and Becky Morris.

Office helpers are Ramona Felderhoff and Sharen Aston. Hall monitors are Lisa McAden, Carol Grewing, and Don Hess.

There are approximately 250 students in the religious ed program. It meets from 7 - 8 p.m. every Wednesday evening.

Next Wednesday, Sept. 17, there will be a special prayer service at 6:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart Church for Muenster Public School's Homecoming. Everyone is welcome. Classes for religious ed students will follow the prayer service.

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Entries sought for fire prevention contest

The Cooke County Fire Fighters Association is comprised of all volunteer fire departments in Cooke County and one paid department in Gainesville. The Association will be sponsoring the 2003 Fire Prevention Poster Contest this month for students in grades K - 5.

Fire departments will be distributing rules and sheets to local schools this week. Posters will be picked up Sept. 12 for judging. Following judging, top winners will be invited, along with parents and teachers, to the awards program on Monday, Sept. 29 at the Gainesville Civic Center. A meal will be

hosted by the departments. Award sacks will be given to top placements and all entries will receive a prize.

The Cooke County fire departments are busy preparing for Fire Prevention programs in the local schools in October.

Also several fund-raisers by departments are planned this fall. These fund-raisers will enable the departments to operate for the next year paying expenses.

Scheduled are: Sept. 6, Myra Barbecue and Auction at Myra City Park, 5:00 serving; Sept. 13, Oak Ridge will have dinner, games, and auction next to the fire station, 5:00 serving; Valley View serves lunch at Mountain Springs Blue Grass Festival; Sept. 20, Valley View Fire Department Fall Fest, parade, lunch, and auction

begins at 10:00 on Valley View Town Square; Sept. 27, Rosston Fire Department hosts a barbecue and auction at Ross Point Community Center, 4:00 serving; Oct. 5, Lindsay Fire Department Auction will be held at Lindsay City Park; Oct. 26, Callisburg Fire Department will have a barbecue and auction at the High School cafeteria; in November Moss Lake/Sivells Bend fire department will host a chili and soup supper prior to their auction.

Submitted by Denise Pearse

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We are off to the races!!

This Saturday, Sept. 13, the Sacred Heart Robotics Team will travel to Denton. They will be attending the Texas BEST Kick-off Day at the University of North Texas Campus.

The Machinators will discover the goals and rules set for this season's competition. "I am ready to start!" says Chief Engineer Travis Forshee. "While I have no idea what we will hear on Saturday, all of us are planning to take this Robot to its maximum performance level."

Boosting Engineering, Science, and Technology (BEST) has been giving high school teams the chance to build robots for the past decade. This upcoming eleventh year will be one of all new requirements and

competitive levels. With the idea of promoting engineering, science, and technology, Texas BEST has taken the idea to high school students. A competition using the science of a car, the technology of a remote controlled operator, and the engineering of batteries to give a power source to motors, is that result.

The robot performing required tasks, is not the game's only element. Each year the Sacred Heart Machinators' goal is to receive the BEST Award. The BEST Award is the highest of six possible award levels. To receive it depends heavily on the team's supporters. "The amount of local supporters are crucial to winning. Not

just the amount of people in the stands cheering, but also the signs dedicated to those who contributed locally, are a category the judges use in their scoring of each team," notes Machinator Coach Darrell Walterscheid.

Sacred Heart's Robotics Team begins this season of competition, very much aware of its previous supporters, and present contributors. Each team member will contribute their BEST, knowing that on Saturday at UNT, the road map to the Texas BEST Award will be revealed, and the race to succeed for themselves, their team, and their supporters and contributors begins. Stay tuned!

Submitted by Christine Fetsch

MISD vocational programs are growing

The Vocational Program at MISD is on an upswing. The classes are full and we are offering more programs than any time in the past," noted Muenster ISD Superintendent Clyde Steelman. In addition to the Agriculture Science, Industrial Arts, and Family Consumer Science programs Muenster ISD is offering Accounting, Web Mastering, and Computer Programming this year. "Our staff is made up of dedicated teachers in these areas that provide a quality education to the students of MISD. Mrs. Joni Sturm heads up our Family Consumer Science department; Mr. Scott Reed teaches Agriculture Science; Mr. Tommy Felderhoff teaches our vocational shop classes at the High School and Junior High levels, Computer Aided Drafting (CAD), Introduction to Computer Aided Drafting (TICAD), and is teaching some of our Agriculture Science classes; Ms. Lisa Hettler teaches Web Mastering at the High School level; and Mrs. Mandy Dulock is teaching Accounting and Computer Programming.

Accounting and Computer Programming are being taught for the first time this year along with Agriculture Structures that is a woodshop class. The material presented in this curriculum is the same as would be taught in a class of Building Trades. "We are calling it by a different name for compliance, but the skills learned would be similar to those learned in an industrial arts class," Steelman added.

The following are department reports:

The Family and Consumer Sciences Education program prepares students for family life, work life, and career by providing opportunities to develop the knowledge, skills, attitudes, and behaviors needed for successful life management, employment, and career development. As an integral part of the total program, multicultural education, leadership development, integration and application of academic skills, and problem solving is emphasized in all Family and Consumer Sciences (FACS) courses at Muenster High School.

Courses offered for Muenster High School students in FACS for the fall semester are Personal and Family Development, Child Development, Nutrition and Food Science, and Textile and Apparel Design. In the spring semester, the semester courses will be replaced with Interior Design, Individual and Family Life, and Food Science and Technology. Seventh and eighth grade students have the opportunity to participate in an introductory semester course for FACS, Skills for Living.

This semester, ninety-seven students are enrolled in the Family and Consumer Sciences courses. Leadership skills are developed with the student led national organization, Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA). It is the only in-school student organization with the family as its central focus. Chapter projects focus on a variety of youth concerns, including teen pregnancy, parenting, family relationships, substance abuse, peer pressure, environment, nutrition and fitness, teen violence, and career exploration. Involvement in FCCLA offers members the opportunity to expand their leadership potential and develop skills for life - planning, goal setting, problem solving, decision making and interpersonal communication - necessary in the home and workplace. Officers and new members for Muenster FCCLA for the 2003-2004 school year will be installed in a special ceremony on Sept. 11 during activity period.

This year there are 102 students enrolled in Agriculture Science classes. Agriculture Science classes offered this year are: Agriculture Mechanics, Animal Science, Wildlife Science, 8th Grade Induction to Agriculture, Ag 101 and 102, Horticulture, Landscape Design, Plant and Animal Production, and Equine Science.

This year many students are raising animal projects like steers, heifers, hogs, goats, lambs, chickens, and rabbits. Students will be showing in Houston, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Dallas, and the Cooke County Youth Fair just to name a few.

Besides animal projects, many students will be putting to use what they learn in Agriculture Science Class by being involved in FFA contest. Contest this year includes: Chapter Conducting, Farm Skills, Creed Speaking, Quiz, Job Interview, Agriculture Issues, Dairy Foods, Livestock Judging, Range and Pasture, Forage Evaluation, Wildlife, Horse, Ag Mechanics, Horticulture and Landscape, Poultry, Meat Evaluation, Dairy Cattle, Prepared Public Speaking, Extemporaneous Speaking, Soil and Water Stewardship, and Talent Team.

This school year the Agriculture Mechanics class will build a 16, 20 or 24 foot gooseneck stock trailer in class. This project will be shown in the Agricultural Mechanics Project Shows in Houston, San Antonio, and in the local county shop project show. If anyone is interested in buying this trailer please call the agriculture department at 759-2282 ext. 605.

This year's FFA officers are: president, Cameron Walterscheid; vice-president, Michelle Pagel; secretary, Kristi McAden; treasurer, Travis Felderhoff; reporter, Cassie Sicking; and sentinel, Shivaun Beasom. This year the officer team plans to get the chapter more involved not only in the community, but also in the District, Area, and State FFA Association.

There are 74 students in Ag. Science, TICAD, and CAD.

Ag. Mechanics is a class that addresses the specific needs of students enrolled in production agriculture,

School Lunch Menus

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SACRED HEART
 Mon. - Chili dogs, ranch style beans, fruit cocktail cake, bread.
 Tues. - Chicken nuggets, potatoes, gravy, vegetable medley, mixed fruit.
 Wed. - Pork chops, potatoes, green beans, bananas/strawberries, wheat rolls.
 Thurs. - Barbecue, coleslaw, chips, apple/pineapple cobbler.
 Fri. - No School.

MÜNSTER ISD
 Mon. - Corny dogs, potato wedges, beans, pears, cake.
 Tues. - Chicken nuggets, creamed potatoes w/gravy, corn, peaches, hot rolls.
 Wed. - Sub sandwich (ham and cheese), chips and salsa, lettuce and tomatoes, apricots, cookies.
 Thurs. - Steak fingers,

creamed potatoes w/gravy, green beans, pineapple, hot rolls.
 Fri. - Barbecue sandwiches, pickles and onions, French fries, pork and beans, applesauce, ice cream.

LINDSAY ISD
 Mon. - Chicken fajitas, corn, tomato, lettuce, peaches, bread.
 Tues. - Taco salad, applesauce, lettuce, tomato, pears, bread.
 Wed. - Ham sandwich, French fries, pineapple.
 Thurs. - Chicken nuggets, creamed potatoes, green beans, mixed fruit, bread.
 Fri. - Sloppy joe, French

fries, carrot and celery sticks, ice cream.
ERA ISD
 Mon. - Salisbury steak or fish sticks, mashed potatoes, gravy, tossed salad, fruit mix, hot roll.
 Tues. - Spaghetti w/meat sauce or chicken nuggets, green beans, sliced peaches, tossed salad, breadstick.
 Wed. - Nachos w/ground beef, pinto beans, tossed salad, sliced pears, wacky cake.
 Thurs. - Pizza (pepperoni or cheese), corn, tossed salad, strawberry applesauce, sugar cookie.
 Fri. - Hamburger, sliced cheese, trimmings, French fries, ice cream.

The real dangers to kids online and how to avoid them

Did you know...?
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* that May 21, 2002 there was the first death of a child linked directly to an Internet Predator?
 Parents' biggest concern about the Internet used to be pornography, but there is definitely a greater fear today.

You have probably taught your child not to talk to strangers, and in many situations, they would remember this. But the Internet is different. Due to the Internet's anonymity, strangers are talking to children all the time. They try to gain the child's trust by having friendly conversation at first, but over time, their true objective of sexually soliciting the child becomes evident. Children and parents alike are unaware of this, yet this is exactly what is going on via the Internet.

What can today's parent do? Armed with information, there's quite a bit a parent can do. **Software4Parents.com's Top 5 Internet Safety Tips**

1. Tell your child to NEVER EVER reveal their name, address, phone number or any other personal information to ANYONE online. Once you give out this information, it is impossible to retract.

2. Communicate regularly (not just once) with your child about WHAT they do online and WHO they talk to online. If you have actually met the friends they are talking to in person, you'll know it is OK for them to chat with them online.

3. Take computers out of kids' rooms and put them into public areas such as the family room. Many parents think they are helping with homework by giving the kids a computer, but it also opens certain dangers that you may be unaware of.
 4. Choose your child's screen name, email address or instant message name wisely - don't reveal ages, sex, hobbies, and CERTAINLY NOT suggestive or sexy names. Predators are more likely to pursue a child with the screen name "sexyteen5" than "happygirl5"

5. Use technology to help you protect your child. Monitoring software gives you the ability to review your child's Internet usage. Even if you don't look at each and every email or instant message they send, you'll have a good idea if they are making smart choices online. The Internet can open many doors and provide useful information for children. An aware and informed parent can help keep children safe.

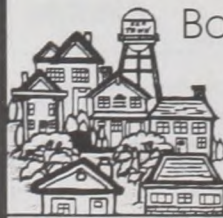
Submitted by Joshua F. Finer, MBA - President, Software4Parents.com



2003-2004 Muenster FFA Officers, from left, Cassie Sicking, Shivaun Beasom, Michelle Pagel, Cameron Walterscheid, Kristi McAden and Travis Felderhoff. Courtesy photo

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Sports

Hornets get second win

Muenster regained their pride Friday night as they defeated the Nocona Indians 39-6. Last year the Hornets were smashed 42-7 at Nocona.

"I was real pleased. The boys played well, but could have played better. We still have too many penalties and turnovers," commented Muenster Coach Monte Endres. The Coach was concerned how the team would play, but noted that they came out in focus and played a good game.

Both teams exchanged punts to start the game. A fumble recovered by Jared Ledbetter set up Muenster's first touchdown. From the Nocona 37, runs by Derek Endres, Daniel Russell, and Clint Miller took the Hornets to the one yard line. On 4th and goal, Russell scored on a one yard run. The extra kick was no good to give the Hornets a 6-0 lead with 4:07 remaining in the first quarter.

The Indians picked up 5 yards in three plays and punted again. Muenster carried the ball into the 2nd quarter, punting from midfield. A sack by Cameron Walterscheid and Russell on Nocona's next attempted punt gave the Hornets possession on the Nocona 14. After two unsuccessful plays, Daniel Russell found the end zone on a 15 yard run. A Sean Fuhrmann to Russell pass added an extra 2 points for a 14-0 Hornet lead with 7:55 on the clock.

A fumbled play, Indian flag, and an incomplete pass were followed by a fumble caused by Ledbetter. Daniel McGrew picked up the ball and ran it 20 yards to the end zone for 6 points. The PAT was no good and Muenster had a 20-0 lead with 6:15 still remaining in the 2nd quarter.

Again the Indian offense struggled, with Justin Wolf and Jared Britain getting tackles, forcing a punt on 4th and 10. The Hornets' next drive began on their 33 yard line. Miller, Russell, and Fuhrmann got in runs, with a Fuhrmann to Wolf pass gaining 29 yards. As seconds ticked off the clock, the Hornets attempted to get another touchdown. With no time on the clock, Clint Miller scored on a 10 yard run. The extra point

kick by Britain was good for a 27-0 halftime score.

The Hornets got in seven plays to begin the 3rd quarter, moving to the Nocona 43 before Nocona picked off a pass. From their 41, the Indians got in seven plays, only to gain 8 yards after a sack by Wolf set the Indians back 8 yards. Nocona's punt put Muenster on their 19 yard line. The next snap was fumbled, setting up the Indians' only touchdown. Muenster's defense, led by John Sturm, Britain, Endres, Ledbetter, and Wolf, kept Nocona out of the end zone for six plays, but a pass on 4th and goal put Nocona on the scoreboard.

The Hornets carried the ball into the final quarter, then exchanged punts, starting their next drive on their 40 yard line. Muenster mixed passes and runs, taking eight plays to reach the 12 yard line. A Fuhrmann to Chase Cain pass put another 6 points on the board. The PAT kick was no good for a 33-6 score with 5:15 remaining in the game.

Turnovers hit both teams when Wolf intercepted a ball, followed by Muenster fumbling the ball back to Nocona on the next play. A sack by Nathan Sicking was followed by five incomplete passes and a flag, extending the Indian drive. After a punt to the Muenster 23, the Hornets took four runs to score again, highlighted by a 55 yard run by Endres. The PAT missed again for a 39-6 score with 2:08 still on the clock. Nocona's offense played out the remaining time.

Muenster's defense got six quarterback sacks, by Wolf, Cain, Britain, Ledbetter, McGrew, and Micah Webster.

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M	N
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44/243	Rushes/yds. 31/71
123	Passing yds. 15
8/14/1	Comp/att/int 2/21/2
2/36	Punts/avg. 5/34
2/1	Fumbles/lost 3/2
6/50	Penalties/yds 3/20

Individual Stats
Rushers: Derek Endres, 8/98; Clint Miller, 14/86; Daniel Russell, 11/32.
Receivers: Chase Cain, 3/60; Justin Wolf, 1/29. **Tacklers:**

Cameron Walterscheid 12, Justin Wolf 8 (3 for loss), John Sturm 3 for loss. **Turnover Recoveries:** Daniel McGrew, Justin Wolf, Cameron Walterscheid, Derek Endres.

Next Action

The Hornets travel to Sadler Friday night to rumble with the S&S Rams. The Rams are going to attempt to pull themselves out of a slump after falling to Lindsay 27-7 last week.

"They're a big team all the way across the front, but not real fast," Coach Endres noted. "It will be tough if we don't come to play."

The Rams beat up the Gainesville State School, 47-0 in their first game this season.



Sacred Heart Junior Andy Davis (20) pulled in this Tiger pass in thick Panther traffic for a first down Friday night in Bells. Dave Fette photo

Tigers declaw Bells Panthers

The Sacred Heart Tigers brought home their first (completed) victory of the season Friday night with a narrow 14-6 win over the Bells Panthers.

"It was a tough game. We were excited we were able to pull out a win," commented Sacred Heart Coach Charles Boles. "It was a hard fought game against two physical defensive teams." Boles noted that the Tigers' conditioning paid off at the end of the game.

Both teams scored on their first possessions. The Tigers took the opening kick. Four plays later, Chris Hoedebeck scored on a 55 yard run. The extra kick was no good and Sacred Heart had a quick 6-0 lead with 10:22 remaining in the first quarter.

The Panther offense then pounded out a dozen plays, scoring on a 3 yard run. Clayton Truebenbach blocked the extra point attempt for a 6-6 game with

pass moved the Tigers to the Panther 18. Krahl gained 5, then on 4th and 6, a pass from Bartush to Hoedebeck gave Sacred Heart another 6 points. The PAT failed and the Tigers led 14-6 with 6:07 remaining in the 3rd quarter.

Bells got in a good kick return, then moved to midfield before Jared Zimmerer covered a loose ball for Sacred Heart. The Tigers couldn't get the

needed yards, punting to the Bells 12 yard line. Two plays later, the Panthers fumbled and Aaron Krahl covered the loose ball and the Tigers were sitting 11 yards from pay dirt. Hoedebeck took the ball to the 6, but a flag, a fumble, and an incomplete pass returned possession to Bells on their 16.

The Panthers moved the ball into the final quarter and into Tiger territory before running out of downs, and punting to the Sacred Heart 3 yard line. A flag helped the Tigers get out of the hole, but the drive ended at the 37. Bells got in eight runs, then the Tigers regained possession. Four plays later, Sacred Heart fumbled at midfield. Bells dropped the ball after two hikes, with Krahl recovering on the 50. The next play, the Tigers fumbled again and the Panthers had the ball. The teams then exchanged possession as time ticked off the clock.

SH	B	2	6	0	14
B	6	0	0	0	6

SH	B
8	1st downs 12
32/126	Rushes/yds. 32/78
48	Passing yds. 74
6/14/0	Comp/att/int 5/28/0
6/37	Punts/avg. 5/35
4/2	Fumbles/lost 3/3
7/52	Penalties/yds 5/41.5



Tiger quarterback Paul Bartush (10) fakes a handoff to Aaron Krahl (22) then ran right behind blockers Kevin Walterscheid and Clayton Truebenbach (72) for an eight yard gain. Dave Fette photo



As easy as 1, 2, 10 - the Muenster Hornets score against Nocona. Above left, Justin Wolf (1) goes though a whole in the line and finds the end zone. Above right, Chase Cain (2) nabs a Sean Fuhrmann pass for 6 points; and below, Daniel Russell (10) side steps an Indian for a touchdown, as Derek Endres blocks. Janie Hartman photo



4:16 still remaining in the first quarter.

The teams exchanged several punts, with the Tiger punting team putting the Panthers on their 3 yard line. A flag moved the ball to the 1 1/2 yard marker. The next play Aaron Krahl caught Bells in the backfield for a 2 point safety and an 8-6 score with 9:17 on the 2nd quarter clock.

After the punt, the Tigers fumbled the ball to Bells on the Tiger 42. The Panthers got to the 10, then three incomplete passes gave the ball back to Sacred Heart. The Tiger offense struggled and punted on 4th and 8, then held Bells on four plays before playing out the final time till half.

The Tigers booted the ball to begin the 3rd quarter; then held the Panthers, forcing a punt. Sacred Heart took the ball on their own 41 yard line. A 14 yard run by Krahl took the Tigers into Bells territory. Runs by Andy Davis, and Krahl, and a Paul Bartush to Davis



Chris Hoedebeck gets a good punt away under pressure for the Tigers. Dave Fette photo

Rushers: Chris Hoedebeck, 13/69; Aaron Krahl, 10/41. **Receivers:** Hoedebeck, 4/35. **Tacklers:** Kevin Walterscheid 14, Andy Davis and Wes Wimmer 12 each. **Turnover Recoveries:** Aaron Krahl, Jared Zimmerer.

Next Action

The Tigers will host another Panther team this Friday night, as Saint Jo comes to Tiger Field. The Panthers are coming with a big 35-7 victory over Wichita Falls Notre Dame last weekend.

"This will be another very good game, a good match-up," said Coach Boles. "It is important for us to win. The team feels they were let down in last year's loss." The Tigers gave the playoff-bound Saint Jo team a 13-0 victory last season as turnovers and penalties plagued the Sacred Heart team.

This year's action begins at 7:30 p.m.



The Hornet defense also put points on the board when Jared Ledbetter (above) knocked the ball loose and Daniel McGrew picked it up and ran for a touchdown. Janie Hartman photo



Muenster Kiwanis' Drive, Chip and Punt Junior Golf Skills winners.

Courtesy photo

Kiwanis golf winners announced

Thirty-three young golfers participated in the Muenster Kiwanis Club's First Annual Drive, Chip, and Punt, Junior Golf Skill Competition. The event was held Aug. 30 at Turtle Hill Golf Course and was free to boys and girls ages 7 to 12. It was designed to introduce and involve kids to the fun and challenge of golf, and consisted of three events: driving, chipping, and putting.

Medal winners in the three different age divisions were:
7-8 year olds - DRIVE - 1, Erin Hess, 129 yds; 2, Devon Henry, 88 yds; 3, Cole Walterscheid, 76 yds; 4, Isaac Barnhill, 70 yds; 5, Amber Walterscheid, 58

yds. **CHIP -** 1, Paige Herr; 2, Mason Binder; 3, Hannah Bayer; 4, Devon Henry; 5, Isaac Barnhill. **PUTT -** 1, Isaac Barnhill; 2, Erin Hess; 3, Paige Herr; 4, Mason Binder; 5, Amber Walterscheid.
9-10 year olds - DRIVE - 1, Chad Walterscheid, 116 yds; 2, Tanner Silmon, 107 yds; 3, Jason Luke, 94 yds; 4, Bob Bartush, 93 yds; 5, Collin Bautista, 90 yds.
CHIP - 1, Chad Walterscheid; 2, Jason Luke; 3, Jimmy Abner; 4, Bob Bartush; 5, Brianna Bayer. **PUTT -** 1, Chad Walterscheid; 2, Tanner Silmon; 3, Collin Bautista; 4, Jason Luke; 5, Bob Bartush.
11-12 year olds - DRIVE - 1, Tanner Herr, 183 yds; 2, Kirk Felderhoff, 136 yds; 3,

Ben Walterscheid, 127 yds; 4, Jenni Luke, 91 yds; 5, Brandi Dangelmayr, 74 yds.
CHIP - 1, Tanner Herr; 2, Tiffany Teafattler; 3, Kirk Felderhoff; 4, Ben Walterscheid; 5, Jeff Schniederjan. **PUTT -** 1, Ian Barnhill; 2, Ben Walterscheid; 3, Brandi Dangelmayr; 4, Tanner Herr; 5, Kirk Felderhoff.
 Division Standings were as follows:
7-8 year olds: Tie for first, Isaac Barnhill (8) and Paige Herr (8); 3, Erin Hess (7).
9-10 year olds: 1, Chad Walterscheid (10); 2, Jason Luke (10); 3, Tanner Silmon (10).
11-12 year olds: 1, Tanner Herr (12); 2, Ben Walterscheid (12); 3, Kirk Felderhoff (12).

Lady Hornets run to win at UTA

The Muenster Lady Hornets claimed the Division III Team Championship at the Movin' Mavs Cross Country Challenge held last Saturday in Vandergriff Park in Arlington.

Muenster took first place with 24 points, followed by Arlington Lamar's JV with 41 points. The field included 13 teams and 142 runners.

Leading the way for the Lady Hornets was Jenna Felderhoff with a third place finishing time of 13:38. The Muenster girls showed their "team-running" power by claiming the fifth through eighth places, which included JoAnna Felderhoff (13:54), Whitney Watson (14:02), Kristen Hess (14:06), and Kallie Gerstberger (14:07). Also running for the Lady Hornets were Robyn Klement (16th, 14:46), Stevie Herms (18th, 14:48), Megan Felderhoff (23rd, 14:57), and Abby Endres (24th, 14:57).

Muenster High School was well represented in the Boys' Division II race as sophomore Chris Steelman finished 16th (18:56) out of 117 3A-2A-1A runners. Dustin Felderhoff also competed well and finished 76th overall.



Muenster Booster Club parents cooked hot dogs for the Muenster Hornets/ Gainesville State School Scrimmage. Official hot dog cooks and servers model their personalized "uniforms" donated by David Miller of Unique Images. Shown are, from left, Wayne Gann, Bob Webster, Danna Fredrick and Sharon Ledbetter. The Booster Club will be selling Hornet Spirit shirts at all home games, or call Shanna Haverkamp at Hess Furniture, 759-4455.

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Tigerettes team take third at Saint Jo meet

The Sacred Heart Tigerettes brought home a 3rd place team finish last Saturday from the Saint Jo Cross Country Meet. Alvord and Bowie finished ahead of the Tigerettes.

Diana Knabe, Kate Sepanski, and Paige White each received medals for finishing in the top 15. Whitney Wimmer was a close 16th. Other members of the team are Amy Trevino, Karen Gehrig, Rose Bartush, Brittney White, Charlotte Bartush, and Taylor Torellini.

Other schools participating included Era, Forestburg, Nocona, Ponder, Saint Jo, Shidell, and Valley View.

The next meet the Tigerettes will attend is Saturday, Sept. 20 at Valley View.

Two Sacred Heart Tigers also competed at Saint Jo. Travis Hess finished 26th and Mark Gehrig 28th.

MJHS runners compete at Saint Jo

Muenster Junior High Cross Country runners competed at Saint Jo this last Saturday. Colton Steelman finished fourth in the boys division with a time of 13:27. Laura Heers led the girls' team with a 15:58 to finish fourteenth. Also running for the Muenster girls were Cassie Hale, Marisol del Rio, Alison Teafattler, Anne Walterscheid, Jessica Fisher, Hillary Swirczynski, Rebecca Grewing, Alison Miller, and Lindsey Watson.

Advance tickets available for MHS S&S game

Advanced tickets are available for the Muenster Hornet, S&S game this Friday night. Prices are \$3.00 for adults and \$2.00 for students. At the gate, the price will be \$5.00 per person. The tickets can be purchased at the High School office until noon on Friday.

GAME WARDEN NOTES

Limit Means Stop — Recently, a Grayson County game warden found an individual who had exceeded his striped bass limit. The man told the warden that he thought he could catch a limit then return to catch another limit. Charges are pending.

Collier Sharp Football Report
This Week's Picks
 Muenster by 11 over S&S
 City View by 4 over Lindsay
 Collinsville by 8 over Valley View
 Saint Jo vs. Sacred Heart (NP)
 Era vs. Gainesville State School (NP)
 Windhorst by 2 over Petrolia
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Correction

Muenster Hornet Derek Endres was mistakenly identified as Mitch Endres in last week's story against Throckmorton. Sorry for the mix-up.

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Sacred Heart	14	Bells	6
Muenster	29	Nocona	6
Lindsay	37	S&S	7
Era	0	Chico	35
Saint Jo	35	Notre Dame	7
Collinsville	33	Callisburg	12
Petrolia	open		
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Knight's de-horn Rams in 2nd half comeback

The Rams scored first and kept the lead through half the game, but 27 points in the second half by the Knights gave Lindsay a 27-7 victory over S&S last Friday night.

"We started slow - couldn't get our offense to kick into gear. Luckily the defense played good," noted Lindsay Coach John Erwin. "The 2nd half the offense kicked in and the defense got better."

Lindsay's running game took control of the offense with 306 yards on the ground. The Knights completed only one pass. The victory improves Lindsay's record to 2-0.

The Rams took the opening kickoff, slowly moving the ball to midfield, assisted by a flag, before the Knight defense forced a punt.

Alan Trammell got in two good runs before Lindsay ran out of downs. From their 35 yard line, S&S took seven plays to find the end zone, scoring on a 21 yard pass play. The extra kick made the score 0-7 with 4:21 remaining in the first quarter.

Lindsay made no gain and punted away their 2nd possession. Defensive plays by Ryan Dickerson, Trammell, Garrett Jones, and Adam Kasparek forced the Rams to punt the ball back to the Knights, but it was three plays and punt as Lindsay's offense continued to struggle in the 2nd quarter of play. Incomplete passes and a Kasparek and Matt Brennan tackle put the Rams in a 4th and 9 punting position. The Knights moved the ball from the 34 to the 44 with runs by Sam Hellinger and Trammell, but then fumbled on the Lindsay 39.

The Rams got in a 58 yard run to the 3 yard line, but the Knight goal line defense, led by Brennan, Trammell, Trinity Otto, Dickerson, and Hellinger, stopped S&S at the 1 yard line.

Runs by Hellinger and Trammell moved the Knights to the 28, but two lost plays forced a punt on 4th and 17. The first half ended with an S&S interception.

The Knight offense took to the field the third quarter, gained only 2 yards, and punted. Tackles by Hellinger, Jones, Keith Dieter, and Gary Anderle held the Rams to 4 yards. With 8:22 on the clock, Sam Hellinger, on a quarterback keeper, ran 71 yards to put the Knights on the scoreboard. Jonathan Rohmer added the extra point to tie the game 7-7.

The Knights continued dominating the field, stopping the Rams, then scoring five plays later on an 18 yard pass play from Hellinger to Otto. The PAT was blocked for a 13-7 score with 3:29 remaining in the 3rd period.

The Rams moved to midfield and punted. Lindsay carried the ball into the final quarter before running out of downs. The teams then exchanged punts. From the 43 yard line, Bradley Anderle gained a quick 35 yards. Trammell added 2, then Dieter 14, to the 6 yard line. Trammell then scored with 8:16 on the clock. The extra run by Hellinger gave Lindsay a 21-7 lead.

The Knight offense quickly returned to the field after Ryan Dickerson picked off an S&S pass on the Ram 26 yard line. Dieter got the ball to the 12 yard line. B. Anderle picked up 2 more yards, then Hellinger scored from the 10 with 6:31 remaining in the game. The PAT kick failed for a 27-7 score.

In desperation, the Rams went to the air. Two incomplete passes and a quarterback sack by Brennan and Cody Anderle forced a punt. The Lindsay offense worked on the clock before punting the ball. The Rams continued to pass, with the final pass

intercepted by Trinity Otto to end the game.

"I'm proud of the way the team came out in the 2nd half," Coach Erwin said. "We had breakdowns the first half, but came back."

L	0	0	13	14	27
SS	7	0	0	0	7

Team Stats		
L	S&S	
14	1st downs	7
45/306	Rushes/yds.	28/67
18	Passing yds.	111
1/12/1	Comp/at/int	8/24/2
7/32	Punts/avg.	8/25
1/1	Fumbles/lost	1/0
4/42	Penalties/yds.	2/10

Individual Stats
Rushers: Sam Hellinger, 18/160; Alan Trammell, 17/69; Bradley Anderle, 2/37. **Tacklers:** Matt Brennan 13, Alan Trammell 11, Ryan Dickerson 11, Adam Kasparek 7, Cody Anderle 7, Sam Hellinger 7. **Turnover Recoveries:** Ryan Dickerson, Trinity Otto.

Next Action
 The Knights will travel to Wichita Falls this Friday night to tangle with the City View Mustangs. The Mustangs were a Class 2A Division II playoff team last season returning 5/5 starters. Last year the Knights fell 21-0 to the Mustangs, who are said to have a better balanced offense and improved defense over last season. The Knights will have to contain the passing attack between Anthony and Andrew Montoya.

"This will be our toughest game so far this year. Their speed should match up pretty even with ours and they look a lot like us offensively," Coach Erwin concluded.

Game time is 7:30 p.m.



The Lindsay Knights made some good moves at S&S last Friday. Above Sam Hellinger (12) gets a good gain behind Garrett Alfrey (21) blocking. At right, Matt Brennan (53) and Keith Dieter (40) stop a Ram for a short gain. Below Trinity Otto (44) breaks through the S&S defense.



Anitra Anderle photos



Just A Thought

No word in the English language rhymes with month, orange, silver, or purple.

"Dreamt" is the only English word that ends in the letters "mt".

The words 'racecar', 'kayak', 'level' and 'Hannah' are the same whether they are read left to right or right to left (palindromes).

Lindsay cross country at "Movin' Mavs" meet

The Lindsay varsity cross country teams competed in the "Movin' Mavs" cross country meet in Arlington last Saturday. The girls finished 3rd in the 2 and 3A Division, behind Sanger and Wills Point. The boys finished 5th in the 2 and 3A Division.

Individual places and times for Lindsay participants are as follows:

- GIRLS** - 11, Alli Copeland, 13:32; 18, Jessica Bezner, 14:14; 23, Melissa Fuhrmann, 14:26; 27, Laura Zimmerer, 14:29; 31, Cheryl Knabe, 14:38; 36, Joni Erwin, 14:45; 38, Jenny Schroeder, 14:47; 41, Whitney Neu, 14:51; 42, Rachel Zimmerer, 14:54; 49, Kaileigh Hess, 15:31; 61, Kelsey Tucker, 16:23; 90, Leanna Gustine, 21:04.
- BOYS** - 8, Mitchell Ward, 18:20; 18, Josey Kyle, 19:08; 31, Kris Creed, 20:15; 33, Jacob Fuhrmann, 20:21; 36, Alan Trammell, 20:33; 69, Michael Conaway, 23:01; 101, Danny Kendall, 26:44.

Game Warden Notes

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An Original application has been made for
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76252.

Said application has been made to the
Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in
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Alcoholic Beverage Code.

Thomas Anthony Torcellini, sole member
and sole manager. 9.12.03.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for
the Estate of HENRY B. LUTTMER, Deceased, were issued on
September 2, 2003, under Docket No. 15661, pending in the
County Court of Cooke County, Texas, to: WILFRED J.
LUTTMER, SR.
Claims may be presented in care of the attorney for the Estate
addressed as follows:
Cindy Stormer
102 E. Elm
Gainesville, TX 76240

All persons having claims against this Estate which
are currently being administered are required to present them within
the time and in the manner prescribed by law.
DATED the 2nd day of September, 2003.
/s/ Cindy Stormer
Attorney for Estate 9.12.03.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
To the Registered Voters of Muenster Water District,
Muenster, Texas.
Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will
be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on November 4, 2003,
for voting in a special election, to decide whether landowners of
lands annexed into the Water District on August 25, 2003
shall assume any tax supported bonds then outstanding and if
ad valorem tax shall be levied upon all taxable property within
the District as enlarged for the payment thereof.
LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
Muenster City Hall
400 N. Main
Muenster, Texas
Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each
weekday at Muenster City Hall, 400 N. Main, Muenster,
Texas between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning
on October 16, 2003 and ending on October 31, 2003.
Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
Micalae Matson
P.O. Box 208
Muenster, Texas 76252
Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than
the close of business on October 27, 2003.
Issued this 8th day of September, 2003.
/s/ Bob Bauer
Signature of Presiding Officer 9.12.03.

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County Agent's Report

Wayne Becker
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Carbon sequestration not the answer to global warming

A new study of state and federal programs that pay farmers to store carbon in their soil to help fight "global warming" says such programs "hold only a limited promise for those seeking to be paid to do what many would do anyway, and a false dream for environmentalists who see it as a major part of the solution to global warming."

The study, produced by economists and agriculture experts at the Hudson Institute, Heartland Institute, and American Farm Bureau Federation, looked at the costs and benefits of greenhouse gas control policies for farmers and farm-related industries. Among the findings:

- Policymakers at the state and national level are considering a wide range of legislative initiatives designed to reduce emissions of gases thought to contribute to global warming. One such program at the federal level, the

Climate Stewardship Act (SB 139), would require total greenhouse gas emissions to fall to 2000 levels by the year 2025.

- Efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions are expensive. Experts say even a modest reduction in emissions would cost hundreds of billions of dollars a year and destroy approximately 2.4 million jobs. Such programs would raise the cost of energy, which the study estimates would reduce farm profits by up to 44 percent and farm net income by more than 50 percent.

- Some policymakers believe it would be cheaper to pay farmers to change their cultivation practices in order to increase the amount of carbon their crops trap and store in soil, a practice called "carbon sequestration." Pilot programs are already underway in 10 states and are part of President Bush's Global Climate Change Initiative.

- However, sequestration is not a stand-alone policy. "Rewards for carbon sequestration would be part of a comprehensive greenhouse gas control program likely to include higher energy prices, registration and verification of emissions, emissions caps and permits, and new regulations on farming practices. The costs of such rules and regulations are likely to outweigh whatever benefits farmers and foresters receive from sequestering more carbon."

- "Environmentalists will also be disappointed." The net amount of carbon sequestered in agricultural soils in the U.S. in 2001 was less than 1 percent of total U.S. greenhouse gas emissions that year. "Even doubling or tripling the use of conservation tillage would offset only 2 or 3 percent of total emissions, and once soil is saturated with carbon, there could be no more gains."

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Sow seeds of snapdragons, pinks, pansies and other winter flowers in flats for planting outside during mid-to-late fall.

Prepare the beds for spring-flowering bulbs as soon as possible. It's important to cultivate the soil and add generous amounts of organic matter to improve water drainage. Bulbs will rot without proper drainage.

Continue a disease spray schedule on roses as blackspot and mildew can be extremely damaging in September and October.

Christmas cactus can be made to flower by supplying 12 hours of uninterrupted darkness and cool nights (55 degrees F) for a month starting in mid-October. Keep plants on the dry side for a month prior to the treatment.

Plan to plant wildflowers in early September and October. Check supplies now and order seed for planting in open sunny areas. Consider bluebonnet, Indian paintbrush, coneflower, fire-wheel, black-eyed Susan, evening primrose and many others. Soils should be lightly cultivated prior to planting.

Divide spring flowering perennials such as iris, Shasta daisy, gaillardia, cannas, daylilies, and violets.

Preparing for Small Grain Planting

Remember it is important to prepare the seedbed properly and inspect the soil for soil pests before planting. There are no effective methods of treating soil pests with insecticides

once the crop has been planted and seedlings have emerged. No insecticides are labeled for preplant soil application to small grain fields, but if damaging numbers of soil pests are detected, approved insecticides can be applied to the seed before planting. Some preplant seed treatments may help control aphids, hessian fly, and wire worms.

Texas Turfgrass & Ornamental Field Day

The Texas Turfgrass Association is hosting a field day on Sept 17. The event will take place at the Research and Extension Center in Dallas. Events will begin by 8:45 and last until 2:00. Topics for the day will include compost, bluegrass, zoysia grass, water, crape myrtles, native plants and wildflowers, take-all root rot and much more. Give us a call for more details and registration, 940.668.5412.

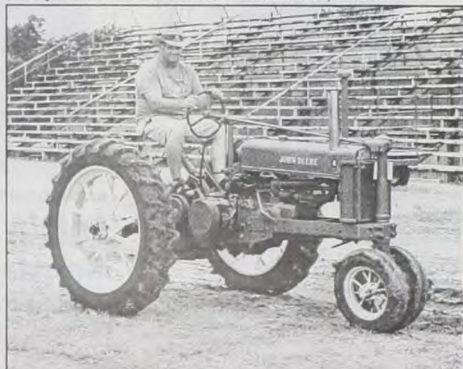
Dates to Remember:

- 9/17 - Master Gardener Meeting, Courthouse, 3:00 p.m.
- 9/17 - Cooke County Beef Cattle Improvement Association Meeting, Cooke County Fairgrounds, 7:30 p.m.
- 9/17 - Texas Turfgrass and Ornamental Field Day, Dallas, 8:45 a.m.
- 9/22 - Ownership deadline for yearlings to sell at fall North Texas Beef Cattle Improvement Sale
- 9/24 - First Class for Master Gardeners Training, Gainesville Chamber of Commerce, 9:00 a.m.



Cooke County Farm Bureau held their annual county convention Monday night. Election of county officers and special guests were included during the night. Pictured are, from left, Rudy Zimmerer, Albert Zimmerer, Texas Farm

Bureau President Kenneth Dierschke, Cooke County President Kenneth Sicking, outgoing county president Edmond Knight, Joe F. Kapavik, District 4 director and Robert Klement, Janie Hartman photo



The father - daughter team of Randall Moody and Sarah Moody (below) exhibited their John Deere tractors at the Cooke County Antique Tractor and Farm Equipment Show, Sunday, Aug. 31 at the Lindsay Tractor Pull Arena. The Moodys are from Blue Ridge, Texas. Randall is driving a 1937 B model. Sarah is running dad's shop-made miniature. Dave Fette photo



Katy Satree Sacred Heart School student from Montague, showed the grand champion steer at the 2003 National Junior Angus Show in Louisville, KY. DAJS Steer M23 is a March 2002 son of Leachman Saughatchee 3000C. Katy also showed the reserve grand champion bred-and-owned cow-calf pair (not pictured), DAJS Mary K008, daughter of TC Stockman 365 and her April 2003 heifer calf, sired by Leachman Saughatchee 3000C.

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Heifers: 300-400 lb. \$100 to \$110;
400-500 lb. \$90 to \$95;
500-600 lb. \$88 to \$92.50;
600-700 lb. \$82 to \$90;
700-800 lb. \$78 to \$85.

Packer Cows: Utility Boning, \$46 to \$52.50; Canner/Cutter, \$38 to \$42; Bulls, \$52 to \$56.50.

Bred Cows: Choice, \$750 to \$850; Med.-Good, \$600 to \$675; Med.-Poor, \$450 to \$550.

Cow-Calf Pairs: Choice, \$850-\$920; Medium-Good, \$750-\$820; Medium-Poor, \$500-\$600.

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Ag Commissioner Combs

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farmer." EPA - the rights of an insect over property rights - Combs noted that will not be the problem in the future. The EPA is now cutting into the Clean Air Act, trying to find ways to control dust, including dust from plowing fields and dirt roads. They are also trying to stop prescribed burning, which "also pollutes the air."

Water districts - Combs suggested that concerned people should find out who's on the local boards, make the meetings, and find out what's going on. "Be informed about water." Combs also noted that "the Right of Capture" has been modified in ground water

districts only. Other places it's still in effect.

School tax and no support from non-taxable residences. - Combs said that the legislature has this in discussion, trying to cut property taxes by half, and begin sales tax, and possibly tax professional fees. "Rapid growth is a real problem for school districts," commented Combs. "When property values grow faster than student growth, property owners carry the burden." She noted that if the idea passes, property tax could be capped at 75¢. It's now 1.50.

The Town Hall discussion ended with one-on-one questions with Commissioner Combs.

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Feeder Steers (per lb.)
200-300 lbs. No. 1, 1.12-1.22; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.00-1.12; 300-400 lbs. No. 1, 1.09-1.25; Nos. 2 & 3, .95-1.09; 400-500 lbs. No. 1, 1.00-1.17; Nos. 2 & 3, .90-1.00; 500-600 lbs. No. 1, .94-1.04; Nos. 2 & 3, .80-94; 600-700 lbs. No. 1, .90-.98; Nos. 2 & 3, .78-.90; 700-800 lbs. No. 1, .87-.98; Nos. 2 & 3, .77-.87.

Feeder Heifers (per lb.)
200-300 lbs. No. 1, 1.00-1.05; Nos. 2 & 3, .85-1.00; 300-400 lbs. No. 1, 1.00-1.10; Nos. 2 & 3, .80-1.00; 400-500 lbs. No. 1, .91-1.07; Nos. 2 & 3, .75-.91; 500-600 lbs. No. 1, .88-1.01; Nos. 2 & 3, .70-.88; 600-700 lbs. No. 1, .84-.92; Nos. 2 & 3, .65-.84; 700-800 lbs. No. 1, .75-.88; Nos. 2 & 3, .60-75.

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Boars (per lb.)
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Sheep (per lb.)
Feeder lambs: 40-60 lbs., 90-100; Light lambs: 60-90 lbs., 85-95; Fat lambs: 90-120 lbs., 75-95.

Ewes (per lb.)
Stocker, 35-55; Thin, 30-40; Fat, 35-55.

Bucks (per lb.)
Thin, 50-60; Fat, 40-50.

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Goats (per head)
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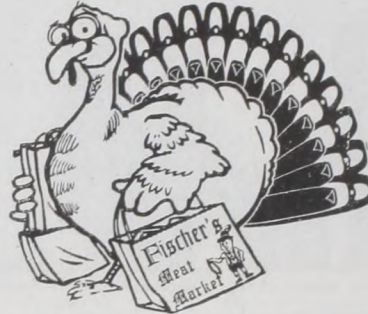
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