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Local News

Lubbock State School Anniversary Activities

Friday, June 11 - Lubbock State School Employee Appreciation Day. This event includes employee annual tenure awards, a noon meal and other activities.

Saturday, June 12 - Parent Association Family Picnic. A new event that will encourage parents and other family members to come to the school and enjoy a picnic with their loved one.

Tuesday, June 15 - Opening Reception for Art From the Heart Exhibit. The event will be the opening of an exhibit of art done by people living at Lubbock State School. The event will be held at the Lubbock Arts Alliance Building at 2109 Broadway from 6-9 pm.

Wednesday, June 16 - Lubbock State School Open House and Tours. This will be the formal program that will include dignitaries and be the event for the community to come celebrate with the school. The event will also include Tours of various program areas of the campus.

Tuesday, June 22 - Parade and Music in the Park. This event is for the people that count - the clients. We hope to have a lot of community participation in the parade that will lead to clients from their homes to the mall area where the Kliff Notes will have an outdoor concert.

Thursday, June 24 - Birthday Bash. 4th Corps youth volunteers will assist the Volunteer Council in providing a variety of fun outdoor activities for the clients. Activities will include a petting zoo, spin art, kite flying, a cakewalk, etc.

Monday, July 12 - Golf Tournament. The Volunteer Services Council's annual golf tournament will be held at The Rawls Course this year, in the morning. There are sponsorship opportunities and opportunities for golfers to have fun while helping with projects at the state school.

Community Meetings

• Lubbock Area Church Council - Second Saturday, 1:00 pm • Mae Simmons Community Center • Hub City Kiwanis, Every Tuesday Night, 7:00pm, 1708 Avenue G • Donlar Alumni Association, 2nd Saturday, 4pm • Booker T. Washington American Legion Post 808 2nd Tuesday - 7:30 • Forgotten West Riders, First & Third Monday, 7:00 pm, T. J. Patterson Library • East Lubbock Chapter AARP, Every 1st Thursday at 4 pm, Mae Simmons Community Center, Oak and 3th St. • Lubbock Chapter of Black Alumni 3rd Tuesday, 5:30 pm, TTU Meador Center • Daughters of the American Revolution Neighborhood Association Meeting Every Third Thursday 6:00 pm, 1303 East 24th Street (outreach center party house) • West Texas Native American Association Pot Luck Supper on alternating months prior to meeting, meeting held on second Saturday of each month at 7:00 pm. Educational presentations and demonstrations • Texas Juneteenth Cultural & Historical Commission Lubbock Affiliates Meet at T.J. Patterson Branch Library 3rd Thursday 7:30 pm • WETA Texas Native American Association meets 2nd Saturday each month at Carver's Library, 5521 19th Street, 7-8 • West Texas Chapter of 100 Black Men meets the 3rd Monday evening at 7:00 pm, at the Parkway Neighborhood Center. • The Parkway, Guadalupe & Cherry-Park Neighborhood Association meets the 3rd Tuesday evening of each month at 7:30 pm, at Parkway Neighborhood Center.

We would like to publish your monthly meetings. If you would like for an announcement to appear in this paper, please get it to us in writing by mailing it to:

Community Meetings C/O: Southwest Digest
P.O. Box 2553
Lubbock, Texas 79408
or bring it by the Southwest Digest office at
902 East 23rd Street

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Juneteenth Historical and Cultural Commission

Shown here is a recent meeting of the commission in Austin. The main item was the proposed Texas Juneteenth monument. The monument would be located on the South Entrance of the State Capitol in Austin. Al Edwards is the Chairman of the Commission. The commission was established by the 75th Texas Legislature in 1997.

The proposed monument is pictured below.



Democrats are losing the Latino electorate



By Robert Miranda

The Democratic Party is losing its right to attract Hispanic voters.

Some Latinos have voted Republican in recent years because Democrats have failed to come to grips with the culture of the Latino community. This failure could cost the Democrats the White House. Many Latinos come from nations where the government has been seen as tyrannical, so the GOP's anti-government rhetoric appeals to them. And many Latinos are small businesspeople, so President Bush's pro-entrepreneur pitch hits the mark. The Republican Party's

socially conservative rhetoric, which includes emphasis on families and religion, also appeal to many Latinos.

Hispanics made up about 6 percent of the electorate in the 2000 election. Bush won 35 percent of this vote, while Al Gore drew 62 percent.

By the end of the 1980s, foreign-born Hispanic voters who spoke mostly Spanish represented 18 percent of the Latino voting population, according to Maria Cardona, vice president of the New Democrat Network. Today that number has skyrocketed to 51 percent, she says.

Democrats are missing the boat by not targeting this bloc of voters. The Bush campaign, on the other hand, is preparing an incredibly aggressive and unprecedented voter-outreach campaign to this bloc, using Spanish-language television as the vehicle to reach the mostly swing Latino voters.

What Democrats have to do is show this population that they are willing to appeal to their culture. Democrats need to communicate their message to Latinos bilingually and aggressively via television, radio, print and on the Internet.

What's more, Democrats have to

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JUNETEENTH...

Juneteenth is a special day
In Texas history;
It is the day we celebrate
The end of slavery...

Juneteenth is a special day,
A day of eulogy--
It is the day the black folk learned
That they at last were free...

Juneteenth is a special day,
A day of dignity--
It is a day for all mankind
To join in harmony...

Juneteenth is a special day,
A day of unity--
A very blessed joyous day
Of life and liberty!

Hope C. Oberholman

2004 SCHEDULE OF JUNETEENTH ACTIVITIES

June 14th: 7:00PM - Christ Temple Church of God in Christ 2411 Fir Ave., Pastor W.D. Haynes will open with religious services. The theme will be "The Relationship of the Church and Juneteenth."

June 15th: 7:00PM - Reception at the Mae Simmons Community Center with greetings, fellowship, and friendship, along with a short program and refreshments. The Juneteenth Pageant contestants will be introduced.

June 16th: 7:00PM - Texas Tech Day with Juneteenth to be held at Estacado High School Auditorium. There will be activities for old and young, as well as educational displays, lectures, Juneteenth Emancipation Re-enacted, and much more.

June 17th: 7:00PM - The 2nd Miss Juneteenth Pageant at Estacado High School Auditorium.

June 18th: 7:00PM - Delta's Annual Man and Woman of the Year ceremonies at Mae Simmons Community Center. Refreshments will be served.

June 19th: 10:00AM - The Juneteenth Parade will begin at United Supermarket at Parkway Drive and travel South to Mae Simmons Park. In the park will be volleyball, off road bike riding, Frito-Fremel Side Show and Carnival, paddle boat rides, and all day entertainment. Music will be for all ages. A DJ, live entertainment, gospel, rap, dance and various other entertainment on the park all day.

A health fair will be held at the Mae Simmons Community Center, and a fish fry at the Mae Simmons Senior Citizens Center.

A Silent Auction will be sponsored by the AKA Sorority, as well as other festivities with focus on The Black Cowboy.

June 20th: 3:00PM - Religious services in the park at the Gazebo.

If you find mistakes in this publication, please consider that they are there for a reason. We publish something for everyone, and some people are always looking for mistakes.

Fashion Fun

by Shirley Roberson

The Short Answer

No matter what your figure, there's a great looking, cool-feeling pair of shorts waiting for you. Shorts are the ideal garb for time off, but that doesn't mean choosing the ideal pair is a casual matter. Where they hit your thighs, the placement of the zipper, the flair of the leg, the size of the pocket... these may seem like little things, but they make a big difference in how a pair of shorts will look on you. Learn the flattery facts and you'll be able to pick out the styles and details that work for your figure. What you'll end up with is

a pair of shorts you can throw on with out a second thought, and still have the rest of the day to enjoy them.

BASIC TRAINING

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A FEW FLATTERY TIPS

- Long leg shorts... thigh slimmers
- Flat fronts... detracts attention from the belly
- Pleated fronts... gives the illusion of bulk
- Short shorts... lengthens the



legs

- Large behind? ...the relaxed fit helps, but the dark colors also slims the figure.

It doesn't matter what age you are... the right pair of shorts is waiting on you.

Fashion Tip... Always wear a smile. Fashion... Just for the fun of it.

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- 1) The Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, as part of its Make Kids Count project, will provide a \$10,000 U.S. Savings Bond to the winning child who meets all eligibility requirements as listed below.
- 2) The contest is open to all children born between January 1, 1992, and December 31, 1995, to parents (or parent) who are U.S. citizens and residents of The Avalanche-Journal's home newspaper delivery area.
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- 5) Official entry forms will appear regularly in The Avalanche-Journal through June 24, 2004, or can be obtained at The A-J Information Center, 710 Ave. L, Lubbock, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.
- 6) A copy of a legal birth certificate and a recent, double photograph of the child must accompany each entry form. Also, entry forms must be completed in their entirety. Only one entry per child will be accepted.
- 7) Deadline for entry is 2 p.m. Friday, June 25. Entries received after June 25 will not be accepted. Entries can be mailed to MAKE KIDS COUNT SCHOLARSHIP GIVEAWAY, PO Box 491, Lubbock, TX 79408, or dropped off at The A-J Information Center.
- 8) All contestants agree to allow their names, parent birth information and photographs to be published in The Avalanche-Journal without further compensation.
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- 10) Contest winner will be determined through a series of random drawings. From the total number of entries, 64 names will be drawn as finalists. These 64 names will be listed (32, 16, 8, 4, 2, 1) weekly until the winner is announced on Tuesday August 24, 2004.
- 11) In addition to the \$10,000 U.S. Savings Bond awarded to the winner, The A-J will present a \$5,000 Savings Bond to the runner-up; \$1,000 Savings Bonds to the other two quarterfinalists; \$500 Savings Bonds to the other four semifinalists; and \$150 Savings Bonds to the other eight entries who make the round of 16. All Savings Bonds will be issued in the names of the winning children after conclusion of the contest.
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CHATMAN HILLS CORNER

by Clarissa Jay

This column is anxiously awaiting news and announcements from families and churches that is important to the community. If your churchy family, or organization has any announcement, please send them to Southwest Digest, C/O The Chatman Hill Corner, P.O. 2553, Lubbock, TX 79408. Remember, "News is only news if it can be a resource for others."

New Hope Baptist Church is "The Church where The People Really Care." Last Sunday services were a blessing to all that attended. Services started with Prayer and Meditation, followed by the Praise Team rendering a few selections. The scripture reading was read by Rev. Mercelle McCutcheon and the Morning Prayer was given by Rev. Cheryl Wilson.

Pastor Moton delivered the message for the morning, with the title "Lord, You've Done So Much for Me, I Can Not Tell It All." Scripture text for the message was taken from Psalm 40:5. May God bless all those that were hearers of the word: Please whisper a prayer for the sick and shut-in and those families that may be grieving.

Pastor Moton made Principles of Prayer (June 2004-Acknowledging Our Need) a part of the morning bulletin. It reads: "Every believer must come to grips with the fact that he is intimately related to the one who reigns as supreme God. When we encounter problems, keep in mind that it is through our problems, that we acknowledge our dependence on God. Throughout the Bible, the Word challenges us to call upon God; believe God; depend on God; trust in God; and have faith in God. It is through this acknowledgment of our need for God that he can prove to the world how powerfully He provides for His people. The greater the need, the greater the testimony of God's grace. Through our problems, God is making available to us blessings for which we have not asked. Scripture tells us, 'Eye have not seen, nor ear heard, neither has it entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him.' Acknowledge your need to God today in prayer."

Excerpts: A Passion for Prayer:

Mark 11:22; II Corinthians 2:9; Philippians 4:19; Hebrews 11:6; James 1:2-3.

Remember to mark your calendar ladies!!!!!! The Women's Prayer Retreat will be held on August 20th- 21st at "The Ark" in Amherst, Tx. From all that was heard, all those that attended last year were richly blessed. Again we say that the women of our community are doing the necessary things to get well, not to say that they are "sick", but they are taking the necessary step to stay connected to God first, then to gain the strength and support that is needed to run this Christian race in the midst of all this society lays in their lap. And again I would like to challenge the men to let's put our ego aside and come together and let's establish a support group that enables us to unconditionally, without judging, get gut level honest with where we are as men, with respect to our emotional and spiritual healthiness. Let's start to love one another.

Let us leave you with the thought for the today.

"You can not know God by nature; you have to know Him by an open door of grace."



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Join us for the heart matters Breakfast Club

Because our hearts matter, Covenant Heart Institute invites you to attend our "Heart Matters" Breakfast Club. Our goal is to bring people together who are affected by matters of the heart, either personally or through a family member or friend. We hope you will come and be encouraged to share your feelings, ideas and knowledge with others who understand the issues of coping with heart matters.

Friday, June 25
9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

"Activity for Cardiac Patients"
Presented by Covenant LifeStyle Centre
Covenant Medical Center-Lakeside
4000 24th Street
Arnett Room, 6th floor

Refreshments will be provided. The Heart Matters Breakfast Club is open to the public and free of charge.

Please call (806) 725-1650 for more information.





CHURCH DIRECTORY



WE THANK GOD FOR JESUS

"WORSE THAN AN INFIDEL"

ISAIAH 58:1, THE LORD SAID, CRY ALOUD, SPARE NOT, LIFT UP YOUR VOICE LIKE A TRUMPET, AND SHOW MY PEOPLE THEIR TRANSGRESSIONS.

MANY CHURCHES OF TODAY, THEY HAVE COME OUT WITH SO MANY MONEY GAMES, THEY ARE ARE THE WORKS OF THE DEVIL, TO GOD IT'S SHAME, SHAME, SHAME!!!

MARK 16:15,16, JESUS SAID, GO YE INTO ALL THE WORLD, AND PREACH THE GOSPEL TO EVERY CREATURE, HE THAT BELIEVES AND IS BAPTIZED SHALL BE SAVED, BUT HE THAT BELIEVES NOT SHALL BE DAMNED.

THE GOSPEL IS THE SALVATION MESSAGE, AND GOD'S COMMANDMENT TO THE CHURCH, BUT THE CHURCHES ARE SO WRAPPED UP IN MONEY, GOD'S KINGDOM IS HURT.

MATTHEW 7:13,21, JESUS SAID, ENTER YOU IN AT THE STRAIT GATE, FOR WIDE IS THE GATE, AND BROAD IS THE WAY, THAT LEADS TO DESTRUCTION, AND MANY THERE BE WHICH GO IN THEREAT, NOT EVERYONE THAT SAID UNTO ME, LORD, LORD, SHALL ENTER INTO THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN, BUT HE THAT DO THE WILL OF MY FATHER WHICH IS IN HEAVEN.

THERE IS A GAME IN CHURCH TODAY, CALLED \$10, \$20, \$50, AND \$100 PRAYER LINES, THEY SAY THEY HAVE POWDER FROM GOD, BUT IT'S CALLED ROBBING THE BLIND!!!

MATTHEW 10:7-9, JESUS SAID, AS YOU GO, PREACH, SAYING, THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN IS AT HAND, HEAL THE SICK, CLEANSE THE LEPROUS, AND RAISE THE DEAD, CAST OUT DEVILS, FREELY YOU HAVE RECEIVED, FREELY YOU GIVE, PROVIDE NEITHER GOLD, NOR SILVER, NOR BRASS IN YOUR PURSES.

*****WILL THE PREACHERS ROB GOD?*****

PREACHERS SOME TELL OF THE WIDOW, THE WOMAN THAT GAVE THE WIDOWS MITE, THEY SAY, GIVE YOUR ALL, BUT DON'T TELL YOU, YOU WILL BE WITHOUT WATER OR LIGHTS.

2 PETER 2:3, AND THROUGH COVETOUSNESS SHALL THEY WITH FEIGNED (FALSE) WORDS MAKE MERCHANDISE OF YOU, WHOSE JUDGMENT NOW OF A LONG TIME LINGERETH NOT, AND THEIR DAMNATION SLUMBERETH NOT.

THERE A GAME, WHERE THE PREACHER CUTS UP HIS SHIRT AND CALLED IT A PRAYER CLOTH, TELLING THE CHURCH, THERE IS POWDER IN IT, AND ITS PEACES ARE \$20 AT COST!!!

JUDE 11, WOE (COURSE) UNTO THEM! FOR THEY HAVE GONE IN THE WAY OF CAIN, AND RAN GREEDILY AFTER THE ERROR OF BALAAM FOR REWARD, AND PERISHED IN THE GAIN-SAYING OF CORE.

NOW THERE IS THE PREACHER, WHO WANTS \$10,100 RAISED FOR HIS ANNIVERSARY THEN THE CHURCHES ANNIVERSARY, THEN HIS WIFE'S, THE PEOPLE ARE IN MISERERE!!!

ISAIAH 56:10,11, THE LORD SAID, HIS WATCHMEN ARE BLIND, THEY ARE ALL IGNORANT, THEY ARE ALL DUMB DOGS, THEY CANNOT BARK, SLEEPING, LYING DOWN, LOVING TO SLUMBER, YEA, THEY ARE GREEDY DOGS WHICH CAN NEVER HAVE ENOUGH, AND THEY ARE SHEPHERDS THAT CANNOT UNDERSTAND, THEY ALL LOOK TO THEIR OWN WAY, EVERYONE FOR HIS GAIN, FROM HIS QUARTER (ANNIVERSARY).

MANY CHURCHES FOLLOW THE DO-WRONG PREACHERS, AND DON'T KNOW THE TRUTH, HE BLA'S THEM INTO SUBMISSION WITH, "OBEY THEM THAT HAVE RULE OVER YOU"!!!

ROMANS 12:1,23, BECAUSE THAT, WHEN THEY (THE PREACHERS) KNEW GOD, THEY GLORIFIED HIM NOT AS GOD, NEITHER WERE THANKFUL, BUT BECAME VAIN IN THEIR IMAGINATIONS, AND THEIR FOOLISH HEART WAS DARKENED, PROFESSING THEMSELVES TO BE WISE, THEY BECAME FOOLS, AND CHANGED THE GLORY OF THE UNCORRUPTIBLE GOD INTO AN IMAGE MADE LIKE TO CORRUPTIBLE MAN.

WRITTEN BY EVANGELIST BILLY B.J. MORRISON, III YOUR BROTHER IN CHRIST JESUS ALWAYS



from the Desk of Parson D.A. Smith

Freaky Love: Man and Man - Woman and Woman, Continued...

And the Lord God said, "It is not good that man should be alone: I will make him a helper comparable to him." And Adam said: "This is now bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man."

"Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and they shall become one flesh." (Genesis 2:18, 23-24 NKJV)

By covetousness, they will exploit you with deceptive words; for a long time their judgment has not been idle, and their destruction does not slumber. 2 Peter 2:3

Beloved, I now write to you this second epistle (in both of which I stir up your pure minds by way of reminder), that you may be mindful of the words which were spoken before by the holy prophets, and of the commandments of us, the apostles of the Lord and Savior, knowing this first: that scoffers will come in the last days walking according to

their own lusts. (2 Peter 3:1-3 NKJV)

Again, please try to understand when this writer use language that is not so common to express what I deem in today's society as "Freaky Love: Man and Man - Woman and Woman."

What was repulsive days ago by couples of the same gender being united in so-called marriage and expressing their love by kissing lip to lip; and tongue to tongue in the states of California and Massachusetts is still considered an immoral act and contradictory to God's Word by evangelical Christians. True believing evangelical Christians believes God's intentions as expressed in Genesis 2:18, 23-24 is for human sexual relationship to be limited to heterosexual union between man and woman in marriage (not shacking!).

What really shook this writer was the fact two of the men that swapped saliva and squeezed each other so affectionately were members

of God's most powerful families:

Japhetic and Hamitic (a white man and a black man). The scene displayed a sense of Satan getting back by saying to God in return for asking him what he was doing in the Book of Job, that is, "You don't have to ask me whom I am seeking to devour The whole world see it on television that I am ruining the show!"

Today's lifestyles confirm what the Apostle Peter wrote in 2 Peter 2:3 and 3:1-3). There are many distortions in sexuality because of sin. Sin has wrapped our perspective of healthy sexuality. Sin has become fashionable. It is said to be so fashionable and acceptable that when sin gets its victim into serious difficulty, the psychiatrist and psychologist tell him or her they or sick! The church is silent because if its minister does preach and if he or she are not walking differently, about sin and especially in the black church against homosexuality, the whole choir will

sit down or leave and a few souls will be left to carry on the financial and other responsibilities of the church.

Very few churches today come right out and affirm homosexuality and same-sex marriage. However, many churches across America are in the closet when it comes to homosexuality. Being in the closet is saying you like it and it is real good to you! Good to the last drop! God's Word says it is a sin to engage in homosexual behavior. God hates according to Scripture, freaky love between man and man and woman and woman. ... to be continued

St. Matthew Baptist Church News

Sunday Morning, June 6, 2004, the members of St. Matthew Baptist Church had a glorious time in the Lord. Rev. Edward Canady is the proud pastor. Services began at 10:00 am with Sunday School. The morning lesson was taught by Minister Nina Davis. The lesson was reviewed by Pastor Canady.

The Morning Worship services began at 11:15am. Devotion was conducted by Deacon and Mrs. Edward Williams. The Senior Choir provided the morning selections, and they sang out of their souls.

The morning message was delivered by our pastor Rev. Edward Canady. His subject was "The Church that Jesus Built." His scripture was Matthew 16:18.

The St. Matthew Baptist Church, motored to Crosbyton, Texas for the 5rd Appreciation Services of Rev. Walter D. Jackson, pastor of The Galilee Baptist Church. The Rev. Edward Canady brought the closing message, with the subject Shepherds: Known by Our Love. Scripture was taken from St. John 21:15-17. What a blessed time we had in the Lord.

Thought for the week: Coming together is a start; Keeping together is progress; Working together is success.

Our Mother of the church had a birthday on June 6, 2004. Let's say Happy Birthday to Sister Luella Harris. "Happy Birthday!"

City-Wide Ushers

The city-wide ushers will meet June 12th at the Saint Luke Baptist Church, located at 306 East 26th Street. Where the Reverend J. H. Fond is host pastor. It starts at 10:00 a.m. and continues till 1:00 p.m. Everyone bring a covered dish and your non-perishable food

items so we can have enough this year.

Also, the Lyons Chapel Baptist Church is hosting the Lovely Sunset Baptist District Association June 7th through June 11th, 2004. Each church is asked for their cooperation. I hope every church got theirs.

You enroll at Lyons Chapel Baptist Church where the Reverend Wendell Daves is host pastor. That's at 1704 East 26th Street. Please attend. For the nurses also. Sister S. Barton, President Sister Minnie Danthand, Reporter

The Outreach Prayer Breakfast

What about the trinity?? These scriptures are enough for this writer. Check these out, precious saints.

- John 5:7-8
- John 1:26 Let us make man, who was he talking to?
- Psalms 10:3 The Lord, Is God.
- Act 10:38 God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and Power.
- St. John 17:21-23 We're one.
- St. John 17:26,
- St. John 10:30-38
- St. John 14:10-11 I'm in the Father and the Father is in me
- St. John 14:26 Speak of all three.
- St. John 15:26
- Luke 24:49

Just like water, is steam, liquid and ice. All equals to H2O, water. Also the three is one God.

• Gen 1:26 Why does God use the plural form when he says let us make man, like ourselves, one viewer says he, in reference to the Trinity, God the Father, Jesus Christ his Son, and the Holy Spirit, all of whom is God, its hard to understand the existence of his Trinity in Genesis, but see John 14:26.

All three represented in one verse, another viewer states that the plural working is used to denote Majesty, the Holy Spirit displays Gods power through it all. The Holy Spirit is that person of God,

that comforts and guides all believers in Christ Jesus.

• Phillip 2:6-11 At the home of Jesus every knee shall bow, every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

• Collic 2:8-10 For in Christ their is all of God. In a human body. With Christ, you have all you need.

The Holy Spirit is more than a force people. The Spirit is intelligent, and works with power. The breakfast group met Saturday, June 5th in the home of Brother and Sister D. Hood.

If you missed this meeting you

missed a blessing. The report from that meeting will be in next weeks report.

God bless you for reading. Keep doing the right thing. Pray for your community, churches, schools, men in high places, those who are sick, depressed, especially pray for the lost, our young people on the streets and in hot erries. Pray saints.

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In Remembrance...



Charles Maurice Cooper, Sr.

Services for Charles Maurice Cooper Sr. we held on Saturday, June 5, 2004 at the New Hope Baptist Church, with Pastor B.R. Moton officiating. Services were provided by Brock South Plains Funeral Directors.

Charles Maurice Cooper was born on December 28, 1941, to

the parentage of Mose and Louise Cooper in Lexington, Texas. He was reared and educated in Stanford, Texas. He was a man who loved to work and help people.

He joined the United States Air Force in 1962. He became an entrepreneur in 1979, and established his own part time business as a carpet cleaner. His business increased to full time after retirement, which added maintenance; repairing and painting for commercial and residential communities in many area of Texas, until 2003.

Charles Maurice Cooper, Sr. departed this life on Tuesday, June 1, 2004. He leaves to cher-

ish his memory, his wife, Eula Cooper of Lubbock, Texas, His children, Charles Maurice Jr., Victoria Charlene, and Lamar Paul, stepchildren, Michael Tyus of Houston, Texas, Aretha McKinney of Lubbock, Texas, Dewayne Brown of Tulsa, Oklahoma, Danny Davis of Abilene, Texas, childrens' mother, Yvonne Cooper of Lubbock, Texas, his father, Mose Cooper of Lubbock, Texas, his mother, Louise Cockran and stepfather, Jack Cockran, both of Stamford, Texas, his brother, Hayward Cooper of Omaha, Nebraska, five step-grandchildren, and a host of other family and friends.



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Compiled and Edited by Dr. Michael Ward

It Happened...

Monday, June 11, 1215: The Magna Carta (The Great Charter) was signed by King John in a field near Runnymede, England. Following a revolt by the English nobility, the King put his royal seal on the document which is seen as the cornerstone of the doctrine of the supremacy of law over the ruler in western democracies.

The Supreme Court Rules

Monday, June 14, 1943: The Supreme Court ruled that schoolchildren could not be compelled to salute the flag of the United States if doing so would conflict with their religious beliefs. This reversed a 1940 Supreme Court ruling that requiring the flag salute and pledge of allegiance was permissible.

Monday, June 13, 1966: The Supreme Court issued the landmark *Miranda vs. Arizona* decision, ruling that criminal suspects must be informed of their constitutional rights before being questioned by police.

Monday, June 12, 1967: In *Decision 2*, the case of *Loving vs. State of Virginia*, The Supreme Court struck down state laws prohibiting interracial marriages.

Tuesday, June 13, 1947: The first black associate justice of the US Supreme Court, Thurgood Marshall, was appointed.

Sunday, June 14, 1777: The Continental Congress adopted the Stars and Stripes as the US national flag. Over the years there have been 27 versions of the flag, the last adopted after Hawaii became the 50th state.

Friday, June 15, 1877: Henry O. Flipper became the first black to be graduated from the US Military Academy at West Point. It would be 72 years, on Friday, June 3, 1949, that Wesley A. Brown would become the first African American to be graduated from the US Naval Academy at Annapolis.

In Sports History:

Monday, June 12, 1939: The National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum was dedi-

cated in Cooperstown, New York, on the 100th anniversary of the day Abner Doubleday supposedly invented the sport.

Tuesday, June 13, 1989: The Detroit Pistons won their first National Basketball Association (NBA) championship, sweeping the Los Angeles Lakers in four games.

Wednesday, June 13, 1990: Bernadette Lenoir became the first African American woman to coach a team in division I NCAA basketball when she was named assistant coach at the University of Kentucky. She then moved up to the head coaching position, leading UK's women's basketball program from 1995 to 2003.

Thursday, June 12, 1997: Major league baseball began interleague play, ending a 126-year tradition of separating the leagues except at All Star games and the World Series.

Born:

Wednesday, June 13, 1923: Jane Ward, born Marie Ellen Springs, in Chicago, Illinois, Mother.

Died:

Monday, June 10, 1946: black boxer Jack Johnson, of injuries sustained in an automobile accident, near Raleigh, North Carolina, at age 68. In 1908 he became the first black world heavyweight champion, and was inducted into the International Boxing Hall of Fame years later in 1990.

Wednesday, June 12, 1963: black civil rights leader Medgar Evers, of fatal gunshot wounds, in Jackson, Mississippi, at age 37. Field director of the NAACP in Mississippi, the activist was assassinated by in front of his home by members of the Ku Klux Klan. In 1994, Byron De La Beckwith, now deceased, was tried and convicted of the Evers' murder. He had been acquitted twice in 1964 by all-white juries.

Saturday, June 15, 1996: famed African American jazz singer Ella Fitzgerald, in

Beverly Hills, California, of complications of diabetes, at age 78. The "First Lady of Song" recorded her first songs at age 17, continued to perform into her 70's, and was awarded Grammys and honorary doctorates.

Sign of the Zodiac:

GEMINI, the third sign of the zodiac, is symbolized by twins. The planet Mercury, named after the ancient Roman messenger god, rules Gemini, which is an air sign. Astrologers believe Geminis have the ability, and often the need, to do more than one thing at a time. Geminis are sometimes interested in everything that they get bored easily and often cannot resist moving on to the next subject, tendencies which can make them seem interesting but sometimes somewhat shallow and fickle. Professions associated with the sign Gemini include teaching, journalism, publishing, sales, and other professions that require verbal skills and flexibility.

It's A Fact!

Flag Day is celebrated on June 14th each year. The US Congress adopted the Stars and Stripes as the official flag of this nation on Sunday, June 14, 1777. On today's flag, the last version of which was adopted in 1960, the 13 stripes represent the original 13 colonies and the stars represent the 50 states. There is no conclusive evidence that the first US flag was either designed or stitched by Philadelphia seamstress Betsy Ross.

On Thursday, June 14, 1877, the first Flag Day observance was held on the 100th anniversary of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes. Congress instructed that flags be flown from all public buildings across the country. In 1949 Congress officially designated June 14 as Flag Day, a national day of observance.

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2004 Juneteenth Celebration on Mae Simmons Park Vendor Application Saturday June 19th

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS IS WEDNESDAY JUNE 16, 2004. Vendors will be placed according to type of items sold.

NOTE: IT IS REQUIRED THAT EACH VENDOR HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT ON THE PARK AT 7:00 P.M. ON FRIDAY JUNE 18, 2004, TO REVIEW SET-UP TIMES, AND BOOTH LOCATIONS.

Name of Business, Agency, or Individual _____

Non Profit Organization? Check one YES _____ NO _____

Address: _____ City _____ St. _____ Zip _____

Contact Person: _____ Telephone Number _____

Type of booth: Food _____ Information only (Non profit-free) _____ Other (Describe) _____

Item(s) to be sold. All items must be listed with application. _____

Your location placement will be given to you June 16th. Once you have been assigned a location, you may not move to another location! Your VEHICLE Must Be Off The Park No Later Than 10:30 a.m. Requests will be granted based on a First Serve Basis.

Will your booth/set-up require availability of electricity? YES _____ NO _____
 You must bring your own Heavy Duty Outdoor Extension Cords.
 If yes, what voltage will you require?
 110 Volts _____ 220 Volts single-phase _____

What is your total required current or wattage requirements? AMPS _____ WATTS _____

What is the single largest current drawing piece of equipment that you will be using?
 Item _____ Amps _____

Please list ALL appliances that you will be using: _____

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VENDOR SPACE FEE: \$50.00 (NONE-REFUNDABLE AFTER JUNE 18, 2004). IF BOOTH IS LARGER THAN A 10X15, THEN AN ADDITIONAL \$10.00 MUST BE ADDED. BOOTHS CAN BE NO LARGER THAN 10X20.

Booth size _____ (length) _____ (width)

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Juneteenth Message

by Eddie P. Richardson



When the word came on June 19th, 1865, that "all slaves are forever free," the celebration that would become known as Juneteenth, continued for several days. After all, when you've been held in bondage for over 300 years, it's hard to put a time limit on celebrating your release from bondage. That's why, 139 years later we continue to take the time to celebrate Juneteenth, and invite other races and cultures to join in our celebration of this important cultural holiday.

As the State Commissioner representing West Texas, I want to congratulate the individuals, organizations, and corporate and business sponsors who have

worked so hard to present the days of June 14th through June 20th of Juneteenth Celebration for the City of Lubbock.

I believe that we have achieved our goal of creating a Juneteenth celebration in Lubbock, in which everyone can participate. I think that each of you can find one or more events in the line up that you will want to attend and participate in, and I encourage you to do just that.

I also want to thank State Representative Al Edwards, Harold Chatman, T. J. Patterson, and countless others for their tenacity and vision in keeping Juneteenth alive and in our hearts and minds over the years.

While we are handing out praises and saying thank you, let us not forget the one and only treasurer that Juneteenth has had for over 30 years; who keeps a tight and accurate budget, and who handles all monies in a professional and credible manner, Al

Caviel. A special thank you to Al Caviel for many years of dedicated service.

Juneteenth is a holiday that is uniquely Texas, and our hearts are as big as the state of Texas, as we invite you to "join us as we celebrate Juneteenth; celebrate freedom."

Thought for the week "If it ain't broke, don't fix it." "Don't change horses in the middle of the stream."

This is the case with City Council District 2, which was destined to be an industrial area, before the election of T.J. Patterson. Now the area is on the move, ripe, rooftops, new businesses, and the North/East Lubbock Development Project. A good birds nest is on the ground for a new corner to inhabit and say, "See what happened when I came on board. But the trend had already been set. "Think about it!" Use your head.

Happy Juneteenth to each of you.

activities, perseverance and leadership.

The characteristics for which students are rewarded in grade school and junior high school, are the areas in which students are expected to and usually excel in high school. Many students build on their previous achievements and follow a constructive path, while some even expand their horizons. They grow. They need encouragement to help them to grow, to stay in school and learn all they can learn in order to prepare themselves for higher education.

The high school graduation is called commencement for a reason. It is here that a

student will commence or begin his adult life. If he learned all he could learn in high school and had a desire to learn more and build a solid foundation for a wholesome lifestyle, he will go on to college and perhaps graduate school. They need to know that the student who goes on to higher education will earn more in a lifetime than the student who chooses to find employment with no further education. A high school education is not enough to build a successful career and/or a family. Let us get "in cinque" and make sure that we encourage our children to get a college education.

In Cinque

by Renetta W. Howard



Spring has sprung and summer is almost here. Schools on all levels are closing for the academic year and celebrating some type of graduation ceremony. Nursery schools, kindergartens, grade schools, junior high schools, high schools and colleges have graduations. The kind of graduation often depends on the type of school having the ceremony.

Nursery school ceremonies are often quite delightful. Parents are delighted to get their first glimpse of their child in a graduation cap and gown and serious about their accomplishments. They can visualize what the future will hold.

The kindergarten exercises of graduation may or may not entail the caps and gowns, but some type of promotional ceremony is often in place; providing for the passage to grade school and the three "r's". It is at this point that young people feel that they are really growing and progressing and becoming a "regular" student.

Regular students look forward to completing grade school and then junior high. Grade schools usually have a promotional exercise where parents are invited to come and witness this event. Students are recognized for their achievements such as perfect attendance, honor status in subject areas of Mathematics, Reading, Spelling, Athletics, Languages and Social Studies. Personality rewards are given too; for good citizenship, being a team player, initiative and industrious

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You are invited to participate in our Juneteenth Celebration Parade. If you did not join us last year, we encourage and welcome you to do so this year. The parade will be held Saturday, June 19, 2004, at 10:00 a. m. All entries will assemble on the east parking lot of the United Supermarket, 2630 Parkway Drive, beginning at 8:45 a.m.

Please complete and return the application form to: Juneteenth Celebration 2004, 1302 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas 79401, or fax the application to 765-0824. All applications are due no later than 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 16, 2004. If mailed, the application must be postmarked by June 11, 2004, or you may hand deliver by June 17, 2004.

A \$100 cash prize will be awarded at 12:30 p.m. for the best parade vehicle or float. The Juneteenth Committee will make selection based on creativity, showmanship, and artistic design.

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CONTACT PERSON: _____

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