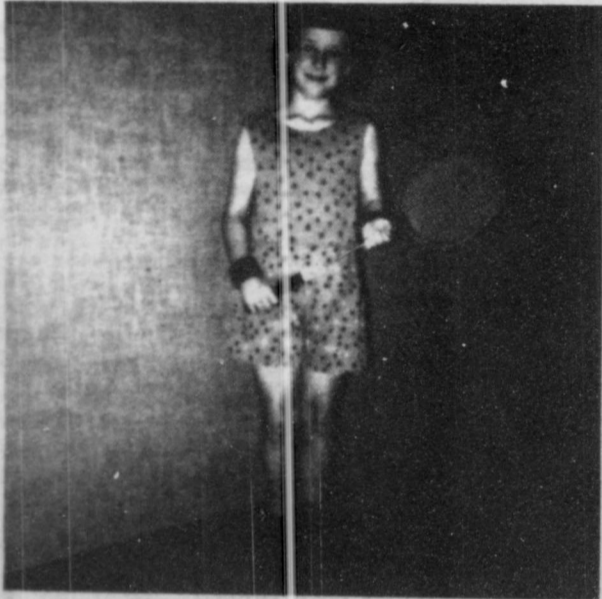


# The McLean News

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## McCracken Awarded As High Pointer Senior

McLean 4-H members competed against Gray county 4-H'ers in the county 4-H fashion show held at the Pampa Mall.

4-H'ers competed in three age divisions and various entry categories. They had the option of entering garments they had constructed and/or garments purchased after comparison shopping.

Homemaker Council awarded a sewing machine the high point senior in the construction division and a fifty dollar cash award to the high point senior in the buying division. Beulah Terrell, extension homemaker council president, presented the special senior awards to Erin McCracken in the construction division and Sachiko Yamada in the buying division.

Taking top honors in the competition in the junior division (ages 9-11) were: construction category-dressy daywear-Sarah Stockman, Pampa; casual daywear-Moriah McCracken, McLean; active playwear-Jessica Fish, McLean; junior buying-Julie Snider, Pampa; alternate-Sarah Stockman, Pampa.

Intermediate division (ages 12-13): construction category-specialty wear-Amanda Kludt, Pampa; casual day wear-Sheila Sanders, Pampa; alternate-Christie Griffin, McLean; dressy daywear-Shelly Davenport, Lefors; alternate-Kim McDonald, Pampa; intermediate buying-Kim McDonald, Pampa; alternate-Shelly Davenport,

Lefors.

Senior division (ages 14-19): construction category-non-tailored daywear-Holly Abbott, Pampa; alternate-Lori Sutton, Pampa; tailored daywear-Erin McCracken, McLean; activity sports/specialty wear-Kirk McDonald, Pampa; senior buying: non-tailored daywear-Laura Williams, Pampa; alternate-Kirk McDonald, Pampa; evening wear-Sachiko Yamada, Pampa.

Winners in each category are eligible to represent Gray County at the District 4-H fashion show in Borger on July 23.

Other participants in the fashion show making an outstanding showing were: Sofia Gruszecki, Nonnie James, Sarah Fields, Nickie Leggett, Mary Grace Fields, Michelle Guera, Heidi Phetteplace, and Grace Sutton, all of Pampa, and Nikki Bockmon of Lefors.

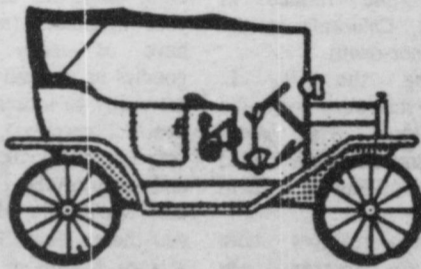
Receiving best model awards were: Nickie Leggett, junior division; Christie Griffin, intermediate division; and Sachiko Yamada, senior division. Recognized as best rookie was Sarah Fields. The project record form drawing was won by Lori Sutton.

Objectives of the fashion show are to help 4-H'ers:

- (1) Build self-confidence and poise;
- (2) Select and make clothing which is becoming and expressive of one's personality;
- (3) Develop skills in planning, selecting, and

See 4-H Show, pg 8

## Down Memory Lane...



### 10 YEARS AGO ...

Four McLean youngsters recently were honored for their baseball activities this year. Chosen for the all-district team in the Babe Ruth division of High Plains East District were Randall Wynn, 15-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wynn, and Robert Swaner, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Swaner. In Little League division of High Plains East were Huey Green, 11 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Green, and Daniel Fontaine, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fontaine.

### 20 YEARS AGO ...

Clifford McDonald and Carey Don Smith of the McLean Fire Department won first place in a "water polo" game at a zone meeting in Shamrock Friday night. The game is a competition devised by the firemen in which a hollow steel ball on a cable is pushed back and forth by streams of water from two water hoses. A two man team manipulates each hose, trying to push the ball to the opponents end.

### 30 YEARS AGO ...

Tragedy was narrowly averted at Lake McClellan on Independence Day, when a young man from McLean pulled two girls to safety as they sank beneath the surface. Joe Smith of McLean was credited with saving the lives of Brenda and Joanne Smith, Arkansas girls aged 8 and 14 respectively.

### 40 YEARS AGO ...

Miss Jeannie Pharis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy D. Pharis of Fort Worth, and Charles W. Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey of McLean were married Sunday afternoon, July 1, at 4 o'clock in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church in McLean.

### 50 YEARS AGO ...

Following are the prize winners in the various rodeo

events of last week: Wednesday-Calf ropers: Siler Hopkins, 1st; V.K. Orr, 2nd; Ceo Saye, 3rd; T.J. Saye, 4th; Tom Harlan, 5th. Bronc Riding-Tom Reeder, 1st; Chief Barnard, 2nd; Arthur Ivey, 3rd. Bull Riding-Johnnie Spruell, 1st; Beck Nix, 2nd; Homer Roberts, 3rd. Ribbon race-Ed Clifton, 1st; I.D. Shaw, 2nd; Curley Shouse, 3rd; Tom Harlan, 4th; Leonard Saye, 5th. Thursday-Calf Roping-V. K. Orr, 1st; E.F. Shaffer, 2nd; E.A. Kromer,

3rd; Kenneth Kromer, 4th; J. W. Kromer, 5th. Bull Riding-Barney Fulson, 1st; Bugs Dickey, 2nd; Arthur Ivey, 3rd. Bronc riding-Marion Ross, 1st; Tom Reeder, 2nd. Tournament race-Ercy Cubine and L.L. Morse tied for 1st; Tom Harlan and I.D. Shaw, Jr. tied for 2nd; Tom Bonner, 3rd. Potato race-I.D. Shaw, Jr., 1st; Frank Harlan, 2nd; T. E. Crisp, 3rd.

### 60 YEARS AGO ...

News from Enterprise: A number of the people of Enterprise were at Dozier Wednesday afternoon to take the typhoid serum.

### 70 YEARS AGO ...

News from Gracey: Messars. and Mesdams J.A. and Houston Bellow went to Clarendon Sunday for the double purpose of attending the picnic and visiting relatives.

### 80 YEARS AGO ...

A gentleman calling himself "Texas Jack" and hailing from New Mexico, was in the city Thursday morning selling a small book supposed to give the history of his life of crime, he having spent nine years as a bandit and train robber. He exhibited scars and wounds to prove the assertion that he has seen the life of a hunted fugitive. His real name is Reed. He sold quite a few of the books.



## Messer Family Moves To Amarillo

Sunday July 7th was the last Sunday for Rev. Jeff Messer to preach at the First Baptist Church in McLean.

Bro. Jeff, Donna, Teron, and Leigh came to McLean in August 1985. Since that time God has added Dustin to their family. It is always a sorrow when you get acquainted and then move on, but you are so thankful for the friends you have made and look forward to making new friends. We will miss you all. We wish

for you the best as you go to your new church, Southlawn Baptist in Amarillo, Texas.

After the Sunday morning worship a pot luck dinner was held in the fellowship hall. It was reported there was over a hundred who ate dinner and plenty of food.

A money tree was fixed for the Messer's. They have bought a house and will be moving August 1st. Bro. Jeff has already begun his work this week. Good Luck!

### MUSEUM REPORT

Ruth Trew, Treasurer of the Devil's Rope Museum organization reports that the number of visitors that registered for the month of June at the museum and Texas Route 66 Exhibit was 736, representing 26 states and 5 foreign countries.

The Arts and Crafts show, held in the Community Room during the Old 66 Roundup and Reunion on June 15, registered 562 with traffic so heavy that many were missed.

The Museum has been open daily except Mondays during the entire month of June, and is kept open by volunteers from the community. We certainly appreciate all of our volunteers, and if anyone would like to donate some of their time to this very worthwhile cause, we would be most happy to hear from you. Call Delbert or Ruth

See Museum, pg. 8

REMINDER!  
MCLEAN COMMUNITY  
CALENDAR

YOUNG ADULT fellowship meeting at Victory Pentecostal Holiness Church July 15th at 7:00 p.m. A video will be shown on cult.

ON JULY 13TH at 7:45 a.m. there will be a Brotherhood Breakfast at the Baptist Church.

BOYS' CAMP will be at Panfork from July 15th through July 18th.

FELLOWSHIP DINNER at the Baptist Church at 7:00 p.m. on July 17th.



## McLean Briefs

### McLEAN BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES

July 11 - J. D. Fish, Bonnie Fabian, Lisa Patman.

July 12 - Russell Littlefield, Laura Morris, Justin Phillips.

July 13 - Glen Curry, Joyce Haynes, Z. A. Meyers.

July 14 - Lori Hefley, Bob Massey, David and Dixie Jo Crockett (A).

July 15 - Eva Terry, Jim Bob Adams, Evelyn Stubblefield, Donna Gail Brown, Dean Crockett.

July 17 - Jeanette Fish, Nikki Bockmon.

Visiting Tony and Monti Jean Smitherman was their son Bryan who is a medical student at Galveston. Bryan came in June 31st and returned to Galveston July 8th.

Bryan will graduate next May but he doesn't know where he will inter'n yet.

For the 4th of July the Smithermans hosted a ice cream and cake party. Those attending were: Maria Eck; Mary Lou, Dale

and Jamie Glass; Rachel and Sandi Kramer from Skellytown; Jodie Thomas and Velma Kinard. Also Francis Kennedy who resides at the care center.

Fireworks were displayed after dark. Very nice weather and the fireworks were beautiful.

Visiting Mary Lou and Dale Glass was Jamie Glass from Fort Worth. On Wednesday Sandie and Rachel Kramer came to spend a few days with "Granny and PaPa Glass".

Visiting Jodie Thomas and Velma Kinard on Wednesday evening were Jerry, Deborah, April, Megan and Zachory Beaty from Idalou. They went to Wheeler where the Beatys had a reunion. On Sunday the Beaty's, Jodie Thomas, Velma Kinard from McLean, Sandra, Mike, Keitha, and Mika Clark from Pampa met at the Buddy Thomases' home, in Amarillo, for a get-together.

There is always lots of good food and fun when we get together.

**ALANREED NEWS**  
Denna and Kristi Tidwell and Nora Dragoo shopped in Pampa on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce were in Pampa Monday evening and visited with Nell Kesse in Pampa Hospital.

News was received here this week of the sudden death of Lucille Keller former resident here. Mrs. Keller had been here two months ago for the funeral of her brother Lavern Goldston. After her return home she began to feel ill and one day when her neighbor went to see about her she was able to open the door before she fell. She was preceded in death by one son, she has two surviving sisters and one brother, one son. The community heard this with regret as Mrs. Keller was well liked while she lived here. She resided in Jacumba, California at the time of her death.

Visiting the R. L. Leeders this week were the grandchildren. The Myers boys from Colorado. Also daughter Becky from Pampa.

Visiting relatives here during the weekend was Verna Carver and children of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce and Kaye were in Amarillo on Saturday.

Visiting the Leeders during the week was

daughter Sharon and children of Hereford.

Visiting Lena Carter on Sunday was Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carter.

The James Daniels family vacationed last week.

The R. D. McLains were in Oklahoma at Ruth's mother's last week along with Mr. and Mrs. Dan McLain.

Jim Goldston of Memphis was here on business last week.

The Alanreed Community Association is holding it's 2nd annual Potluck Ice Cream Social at 7:00 P.M. on July 13, 1991 in the Alanreed School cafeteria. Everyone in the community is cordially invited to come out for some visiting and enjoy some ice cream with your neighbors (and if we have as many delicious goodies as we had last year, get ready to loosen the belt about 2 notches!). So put on something that's cool and comfortable and join us. We'd sure like to see you there! Point of contact is Dan Martin at 779-2552 or Robert Bruce at 779-3178.

### HERNDON NATIONAL AWARD WINNER

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Chella Herndon has been named a United States National Award winner in English and Student Council.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than 16% of all American high school students.

Chella Herndon will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly United States Achievement Academy award winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors or other school sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Chella Herndon is the daughter of Sue and Durward Herndon. The grandparents are Myrtle Davidson of Dumas, Texas and Annie Herndon of McLean, Texas.

## COUSINS REUNITE

The Dwyer family of John W. and Auther met on Saturday, July 6th at the old home place for a get together of cousins. Fishing, food and good fellowship was enjoyed by all. Those present were

Carl and daughter Carla; Edward and daughter Renee and family; Brad and family; Joe, Mary, Nelson, Ray and family; and Rose and family. Those present from Auther's family were Auther James and Jerry Don and Lis family. A grand total of 30 people.

### McLEAN BRIEFS

Summer Fun School began on Monday morning, July 8th at 9:00 a.m. This session will run through July 19th. It is reported that enrollment was 24.

Sunday, July 21st, Rev. Jill Wiley, pastor of the Methodist Church will be flying to San Francisco to begin a month of studies toward a Doctor of Ministry Degree at San Francisco Theological Seminary in San Anselmo, California.

The two intensive courses Jill will be taking are entitled "The Pastor as a Person" and Culture and Mission".

**4-H SHOW**  
making becoming clothing for different occasions;

(4) Select suitable and becoming accessories; and (5) Develop good posture and grooming habits.

Judges for this year's competition were Susie Spurlock, Sherman County extension agent; Karen Babizke, Hansford County extension agent; Tracy Lowery, Carson County extension agent; and Pam Lash, Gray County homemaker.

**MUSEUM**  
Trew, Charlie Marie Shurley, or Ruth Magee if you would like to help.

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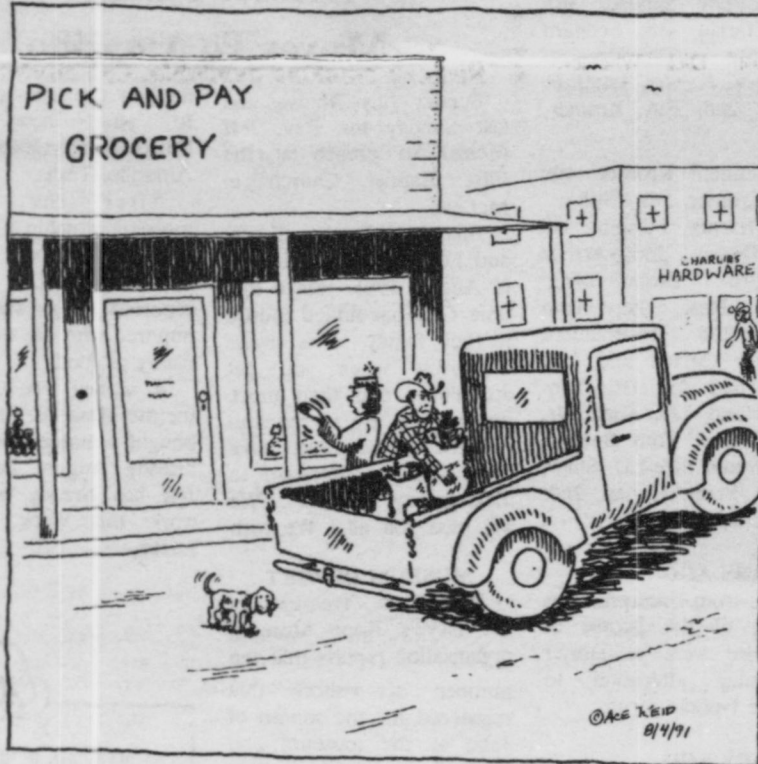
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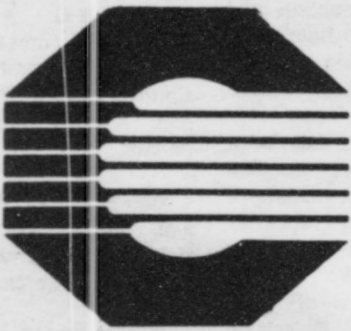
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**SWEETWATER CREEK FIREFIGHTER'S MEET**

Twenty three members of the Sweetwater Creek Firefighter's Association met June 24, 1991 at the fire station in Wheeler, TX. Program speakers for the meeting included Nancy Trench, Assistant Director of Fire Service Training, Oklahoma State University and Charles Barber, Communications Specialist, Texas Forest Service.

Mrs. Trench discussed differences and similarities between the Texas and Oklahoma fire service, while Mr. Barber led an in-depth discussion on a communication system for area fire departments.

SCFA members were informed of a partial grant available through the Texas Forest Service to help meet their communication needs.

During the business session of the SCFA, the membership application of the Hedley Volunteer Fire Department was accepted. Association members attending the June meeting were Wallace Forrest, Thomas Hallum and Gere Matthews, Canadian V.F.D.; Robert Ford, Gary Davis, Walter Simmons, and Ken Daughtry, Wheeler V.F.D.; Cy Howenstein, Lloyd Bently, Bary Lucas and Gary Lucas, Crawford V.F.D.

Other association members in attendance were Robert McDonald and Clifford McDonald, McLean V.F.D.; David Killough and L. D. Robison, Howardwick V.F.D.; Lanny K. Atchley, Liz Atchley, and Rick

Callaway, Lefors V.F.D.; Jerry Hall, David Swope and Dale Robison, Reydon V.F.D. and Curt Duncan and Cricket Lowry, Mobeetie V.F.D.

There was a called meeting of the Sweetwater Creek Firefighter's Association on July 8, at the fire station in Wheeler, TX.

**OBITUARIES**

**Aletha Raye Smith Davis**  
Aletha Raye Smith Davis, 53, of White Deer, a longtime area journalist, died Friday, July 5, 1991, at St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo.

Cremation was by Memorial Park Crematory of Amarillo. Memorial services were Monday at First Baptist Church in White Deer.

Mrs. Davis was born in Borger and graduated from Lefors High School. She married Billy F. Davis in 1957 at Pampa. She moved to White Deer in 1973 from Pampa. A journalist, she had worked at area newspapers, including the Tri-County Sentinel. She also worked with Focus magazine and did research and writing for the Gray County History Book. She was a member of the National Chamber of Commerce and various state, local and journalist clubs. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of White Deer.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Vada Smith, in 1989.

Survivors include her husband, Billy F. Davis of

White Deer; three sons, Scott Davis, Craig Davis and Tim Davis all of White Deer; four daughters; Joni Davis and Gay-Lynn Jones, both of White Deer; Jan McCann of Bryan and Lisa Smith of McLean; her father, George Smith of Lefors; a brother, Gary Smith of Amarillo; and eight grandchildren.

The family will be at their residence, 500 W. 4th, in White Deer.

The family requests memorials be made to St. Anthony's Hospice and Life Enrichment Center at Amarillo.

**MCLEAN CARE CENTER NEWS**

Lucille Cullison is in the Parkview Hospital in Wheeler, we wish her a speedy recovery.

We are happy to report Fay Wilson and Pat Myers have returned home from the hospital.

Twenty residents attended Sunday school. Our leaders were Troy and Jerry Corbin, Mary Frazier, Maebelle Nash, Inez Trostle and Ella Mae Massey who sang and played the piano. In the afternoon Bro. Billy Williams, pastor of the Pentecostal Church was here to conduct services.

Residents working in crafts Monday morning were Teresa Richardson, Imogene King, Thelma Hopkins, Leon Burch, Annie Eudey and Monnie Matthews. Our helper was Justin Buxton. In the afternoon Justin Buxton returned to assist in bingo. Residents playing were Adelle Walker,

Lucy Skipper, Dick Wheeler, Eula Morrow, Leon Burch, Mary Sligar,

Teresa Richardson, Kittie Hessey, Monnie Matthews, Clyde Trusty, Annie Eudey, Francis Kennedy, Frank Thomason, Mary Helen Boston and Edwin Howard.

Tuesday the following residents played dominos: Mary Helen Boston, Imogene King, Adelle Walker, Teresa Richardson, Thelma Hopkins, Dick Wheeler and Leon Burch. Our volunteer helpers were Lena Carter, Brenda Maclain, Jennifer Pennington and Justin Buxton.

Wednesday, Ben and Ruby Jones, members of the Pentecostal Church were here for a sing-a-long.

Thursday morning the residents gathered in the dining room to enjoy the donuts furnished by Leta Mae Hess. In the afternoon Annie Eudey, Teresa Richardson, Thelma Hopkins, Virgie Everett, Mary Sligar, Adelle Walker, Stella Gibson, Lucy Skipper, Lula Sheegog, Ruby King, Imogene King, Vivian Fry and Monnie Matthews played ring toss while Eula Morrow, Dick Wheeler and Leon Burch played dominos. Monnie Matthews was the winner in ring toss.

Saturday the following residents played can-n-ball: Thelma Hopkins, Lula Sheegog, Adelle Walker, Virgie Everett, Mary Sligar, Monnie Matthews, Teresa Richardson, Dick Wheeler, Lucy Skipper, Kittie Hessey, Leona Sitter and Imogene King. Our winners were

Mattie Wheeler and Leon Burch.

Our birthday party for the month of July will be Thursday, July 18th at 2:30 p.m. July birthdays are: Jewell Warner, 7-4-1898; Virgie Everett, 7-19-1898; Vivian Fry, 7-23-1917; Farrar Guyton, 7-26-1895; Francis Kennedy, 7-27-1910; Clyde Trusty, 7-27-1916; Leona Sitter, 7-31-1900.

On Wednesday July 3rd, at about 5:00 p.m. three persons from Indiana and a couple from Paris, France were involved in a collision east of McLean.

Eric Bouavadia 11, of Indianapolis, Nissam Bouavadia 24, of Paris France and Leilani Bouavadia 19, also of Paris France were taken to Coronado Hospital in Pampa.

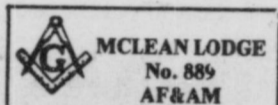
Two other's were transferred to an Amarillo hospital suffering multiple fractures. Ryan Bolanza 6, of Indianapolis and Ben Bolanza 47.

At presstime their condition was not available.

Visiting Mrs. Corinne Trimble for a week is Mr. and Mrs. Gary Trimble and children from Ft. Wayne, Indiana. While they are in this area they are doing a lot of sightseeing.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Boyd at Wellington was Billy Larrison, children and grandchildren and J. Boyd Smith from McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Sanchez, daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Robinson have moved to McLean from Amarillo.



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**STUDENTS ENJOY  
SUMMER PROGRAM**

The Groom School Summer Program began on Monday. Students will be doing fun exercises in the areas of math, reading and writing.

The purpose of the summer program is much more than to provide extra help for students. It serves as a reminder and reinforcement of skills that they have learned the previous year. It also emphasizes, at an early age, the importance of these skills to the child.

Making the child aware that math, reading and writing are always a part of their every day lives and it is important to practice and improve.

Principal Judy Babcock stated, "The success of this program rests solely on the interest of these teachers. They are interested and truly care about their students."

The classes had 22 students in Kindergarten and First Grade and 19 students in 2nd and 3rd grades.

Teachers involved are Pam Hutsell, Marcia Davis, Steve Hutsell and Susan Burgin as substitute.

**GIRLS SUMMER  
BASKETBALL**

Summer girls' basketball teams are currently in the middle of their season and have a few more games left. If the summer doldrums have you bored you can see these teams play any Tuesday or Thursday.

Varsity Team (Gold) has Groom players Kristy Case, Jolee Burger and Misty Homen. July 11 at 6:00 p.m. in Plemons; July 16 at 8:00 p.m. in Plemons; July

18 at 7:00 p.m. in Plemons; July 23 at 7:00 p.m. in Borger.

Junior Varsity Teams: Team 1 (Red) - Melinda Burgin, Andrea Payton and Angela Reed. Team 3 (Silver) - Melody Burton, Trisha Treadwell and Alicia Wood. Team 4 (Gold) - Melanie Friemel and Ronnie Fields. (No Groom girls in Team 2). July 11, at Plemons at 6:00 p.m. - Teams 1 vs. 2; at 7:00 p.m. - Teams 3 vs. 4; July 16 at Plemons at 6:00 p.m. - Teams 1 vs. 3; at 7:00 p.m. - Teams 2 vs. 4; July 18 at Plemons at 6:00 p.m. - Teams 2 vs. 3; at 7:00 p.m. - Teams 1 vs. 4; July 23 at Borger 6:00 p.m. - Teams 1 vs. 2; at 7:00 p.m. - Teams 3 vs. 4.

**JOVILIER CLUB  
MEETS**

The Jovilier Club met Tuesday, July 6 with twelve members present and three members absent.

Tables were set with delicious hors d'oeuvre and dips were served.

The order of business was attended to.

Games of charades were played and enjoyed by all.

At 10:00 p.m. Julie Friemel and children brought in chicken fajitas and all the delicious trimmings. Everyone who had not met Julie (Gloria's daughter) were very pleased to do so and enjoyed the delicious food.

There were some unmarked dishes left at the Babcock funeral dinner. If you are missing your dish please check at Groom Hardware.

Thanks,  
The Babcock Family

# Commissioners To Hold Combination Election In August

A combined election in which voters will cast ballots on Constitutional Amendments and Local School District Propositions will be held Saturday, August 10. Carson County Commissioners, in regular session July 8, agreed to the combination and that the County will conduct both elections.

Presiding/Alternate Judges appointed for the election are: Joyce Hoffman/Glenna McLeod, Prec. 1, S. Panhandle; Mary Ann Labus/Frank Wink, Prec. 2, Liberty; Janette Zamora/George Eller, Prec. 3, N. Panhandle; John Kotara/Risa Hardin, Prec. 4, White Deer; Sonya Milligan/C.E. Williams, Prec. 5, Conway; Nila Burgin/Dena Lambert, Prec. 6, Groom; Edna Chaney/Captolia Lynch, Prec. 7, Skellytown; Betty Jones/Thelma Duggan, Prec. 8, Fritch; Dorothy Broadway/Joyce Slagle,

**Early Voting**

The Monday meeting began with Bobbie Hill of Northern and Daugherty, discussing redistricting of commissioners' precincts with the County Citizen's Advisory Committee. The general opinion expresses was to leave the precincts as close as possible to the way they are, but to make population adjustments with the least amount of change while staying in compliance with regulations.

Commissioners and the Committee will meet again at 10:00 a.m. July 23rd.

In other business, the Court approved Annex K (Public Works/Engineering) of the County Emergency Management Plan, and was informed of the planned Tax Office audit in the next few days. Brown, Graham and Co. of Amarillo will perform the audit.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Perhaps you sent a lovely card,  
Or sat quietly in a chair,

Perhaps you sent a funeral spray,  
If so we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words,  
As any friend could say;

Perhaps you were not there at all,

Just thought of us that day,  
Whatever you did to console our hearts,  
We thank you so much whatever the part.

The Family of  
Jim Babcock

Ruby  
Alan, Martha and family  
Cherie, T.J. and family  
Stocky, Aimee and family  
John, Janice and family  
Bobby and Judy

## Brown Reunion Held In McLean

The Descendants of M.E. and Maggie Brown met in the home of Richard and Olene Brown on Saturday July 6, 1991 for a family reunion.

There were seventy nine family members and four visitors present. Richard and Olene Brown from McLean, Mary, Sam and Chris Donald from Amarillo, Laura and Wayne Morris from McLean, Cynthia, Stacia and Trista Howard from McLean, Brenda, Brad, Derek, Mindy and Carrie Parker from Canyon. Willie and Bo Nickolas from McLean, Joyce and Jim Evans from Amarillo, Pam, Wiley Hicks III and Matt from Amarillo, Katie and Callie Dophied from Mesquite, Gina, Richard, Jordan and Dylan Homen from Lubbock, Coy and Raymond Henry from Lefors. J. B. and Lorene Brown from McLean, Paul and Darrel Gibson from Pampa, Brad, Josh, Cassie and Ben Gibson from

Pampa, Traci Gibson from Amarillo, Eddie Brown Jr. from Pampa. David, Ann, Seth, Sy and Sara Brown from McLean, Nancy, Jerry, Joe, Krista and Jed Dwyer from Canyon. Beatrice, Joe Brown and Dusty from McLean, Danny Brown from San Diego, Calif., Lynn DeAnna and Jessie Beal from Amarillo. Morris and Joy Brown from Pampa, Ron, Cindy and Cassie Brown from McLean. Bette and Darlton Pringle from Lubbock, Melissa and Davis Workman from Lubbock. Dorthy, Clayton and Stephanie Lock from Lefors, Clay, Tonya, Jen and Len Lock from Lefors, Dale, Pam and Shawna Lock from Lefors. W. J. Brown from Chillicothe, Mrs. Earlene Brown from Chillicothe and Ruby Brown Harmon from Arlington.

Visitors were Jeremy from Lefors, Jodie, Zack and Jerrod Blair from Amarillo.



**WORK ESTIMATES  
SHOULD BE UPDATED**

Social Security beneficiaries who work should be aware that the report of their earnings that was due April 15 is designed to be a planning guide for future work as well as a report of past work.

Besides serving as a tool to report exact earnings figures for the previous year, the Annual Report of Earnings (SSA 777 BK) also asks for an estimate of earnings for the current year.

People should make sure that the estimate of future earnings is realistic and reflects such things as cost-of-living increases in wages and seasonal fluctuations. Examining how close actual earnings for 1990 were to the estimate you make last year should help in estimating 1991 earnings.

The estimate should be changed during the year as soon as a person's earnings change. This is because benefits are adjusted to reflect excess earnings, and an incorrect estimate that is not changed promptly may lead to benefit overpayments.

In 1991, people under 65 can work and earn up to \$7,080 and still get all their Social Security benefits. For people 65-69, the limit is \$9,720. Benefits are reduced \$1 for every \$2 in excess earnings for people under 65 and \$1 for every \$3 for people 65-69. People who are 70 or older do not have an earnings limit.

The annual report forms are sent directly to beneficiaries who worked and received benefits in 1990. They may also be requested from any Social Security Office.

To report a return to work or revise an earnings estimate a person should call Social Security. The toll-free telephone number is 1-800-234-5772. The local Social Security office is located at 125 South Gillespie, Pampa, Texas. Office hours are 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday except on National Holidays.

**GIRL SCOUT  
SUMMER DAY CAMP**  
Quivira Girl Scout Council has extended the registration deadline for the four summer day camps offered; deadline is Monday, July 22. Day Camp is offered to all girls 5 to 17 years of age whether they are Girl Scouts or not. The theme of this summer's day camps is "Explore Treasures".

The Pampa Day Camp will be held at Camp Mel Davis near Lefors, July 29th through August 2nd. Registration fee is \$20 for Girl Scouts and \$24 for non-Girl Scouts.

The Tri-City Day Camp will be held at Yakes Ranch, July 29th through August 2nd. Registration fee is \$20 for Girl Scouts and \$24 for non-Girl Scouts. The Area Day Camp will be

held at M. K. Brown Boy Scout Camp, August 5th through August 9th. Registration fee is \$20 for Girl Scouts and \$24 for non-Girl Scouts.

The Borger Day Camp will be held at the Borger Community Activity Center, August 5th through August 9th. Registration is \$35 for Girl Scouts and \$39 for non-Girl Scouts.

Each camp is limited to 100 girls each. Registration fees are due on July 22; there is a \$2 charge for late registration. Health history and registration forms are available at the Quivira Girl Scout Council office, City Hall, Room 301, Pampa, Tx. 79065, (806) 669-6862.

Fee includes t-shirt, patch and program activities. Rules for acceptance and participation in the program are the same for everyone without regards to race, national origin or disability.

An essential part of the Girl Scout program is camping which provides the opportunity for growth in a girl's ability to cope with new challenge, make new friends, participate effectively in a group, and much more.

The day camps present many different areas of interest and are held during the daytime hours for at least five days. Camp staff consists of trained volunteers with a first aider on site at all times. All camps are governed by Girl Scout standards and the Texas Department of Health Youth Camp Laws.

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**GROOM SCHOOL** is accepting applications for employment in the custodial staff. Applications available at the school business office or send resume' to Kenneth Sweatt, Groom School, Box 598, Groom, Texas 79039. (806) 248-7557. .

**REGISTERED NURSE** positions available with excellent wage/benefit compensation. Earn up to \$17.50/hour. ICU - 11-7 FT/PT; ICU - 7-3 FT; OB - All Shifts, FT; ER - 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. FT; M/S - 7p to 7a FT; also assistant director of nursing for external services. MED TECH, FT/PT RADIOLGY TECH FT/PT ADMITTING CLERK/PBX FT Contact Betty Scarbrough, Coronado Hospital, Pampa, Tx, Personnel Office (806) 669-0208..

**GROOM SCHOOL** is accepting applications for general educational-aid employment. Applications available at the school business office or send resume' to Kenneth Sweatt, Groom School, Box 598, Groom, Texas. 79039. (806) 248-7557. .

**GARAGE SALE:** Lots of good back to school clothes \$1 or less. Friday and Saturday 8:00 a.m. till ? 401 2nd Street in Groom. Tony and Mary Treadwell.

**INTERMEDIATE** Swimming Lessons starting Wednesday, July 24 at 7:00 p.m. Call Donna Burton. 248-7453.

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