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**SIDEWALK PHASE I COMPLETE** — A view of the corner of 9th Street and Main shows off the new sidewalks. Phase II will begin sometime after Homecoming.

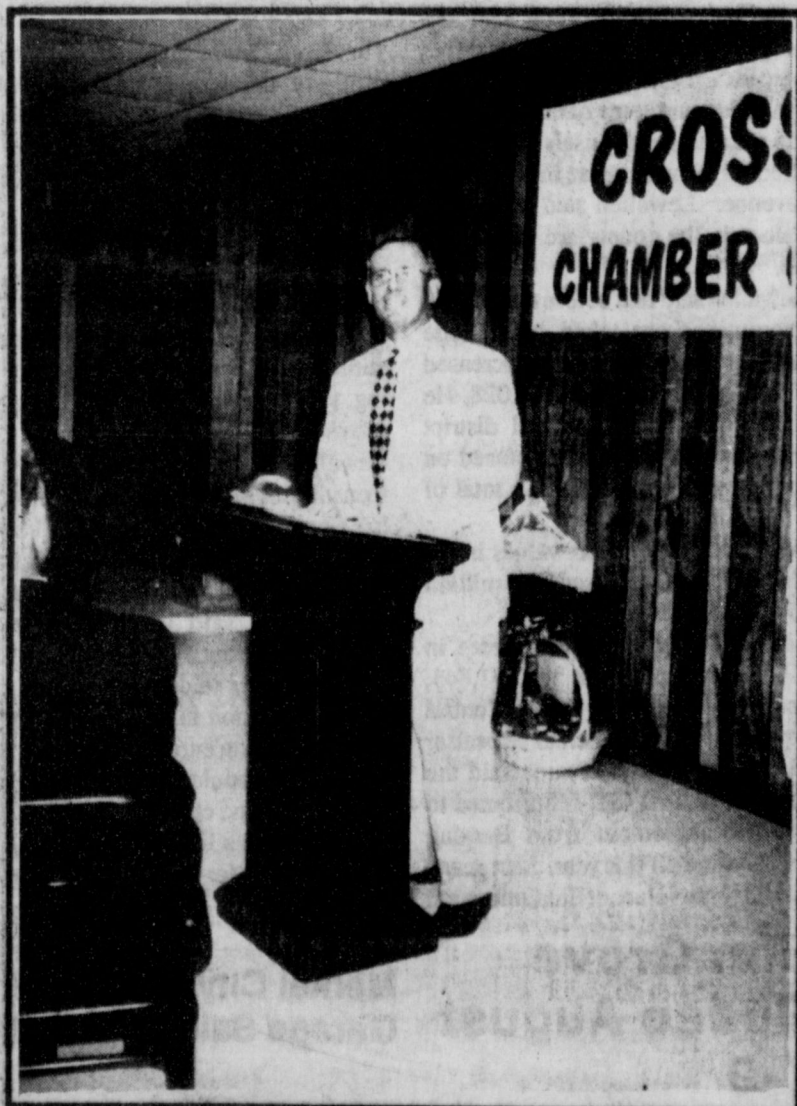
## "The Career Stop" To Be Added To CTO's Services

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. Executive Director Emmett Payne and Barbara Metcalf, the Administrative Assistant, are in the process of presenting still another service to the people of Coleman, Runnels, Eastland, Comanche, Brown, Callahan and McCulloch counties. In a recent interview, Metcalf brought us to date on CTO's preparations for a new service called "The Career Stop" which is a one-step center for information and referral to a broad array of employment and training service. The Career Stop was created to serve job-seekers and employers in the region as a central location, allowing them access to local,

state and national job information, career preparation and planning assistance. Acting as the control site, Coleman's CTO, with Ballinger under its direction, will offer approximately 13 services. Some offered will be Job Search Skills Workshop, Business Skills Workshop and Internet Access. Information on area educational opportunities, resume preparations software, career exploration software, labor market information, home page on Internet and sponsorship for vocational training in a demand occupation will also be available.

To put this in simple terms, this service will give every person from high school age and up an opportunity to further prepare for a job and receive pertinent information on how to apply for a job. This, too, will prove beneficial to employers when hiring, thus offering a balance between employer and employees. Margaret Burkhardt, Center Director Supervisor, will be assisting by making assessments, setting up appointments, working with the case manager and if enough interest is shown, setting up workshops. "There must be as many as 10-15 to warrant

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**CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET SPEAKER** — Norman Archibald, Director of Hendrick Medical Center Foundation, was both entertaining and informative. See Banquet Photos on Page 5.

## ATTENTION LANDOWNERS

Supplement your income by leasing your property for hunting. Top dollar will be paid with local references available. Remember, no lease is too large or too small. Rusty Reed will make all the arrangements and you will receive the lease money. Hunters boost the local economy by purchasing gasoline, deer corn, lumber, supplies, frequenting restaurants and motels, etc. If you are interested in leasing your property for hunting, call Rusty Reed at (254) 725-7363. Hurry, hunting season begins September 1.

## August 9 Constitutional Amendment Election Will Be Held at Senior Citizens Center

Callahan County voters will cast their ballots on Saturday, August 9, to decide if they want to lower the school taxes on their homestead. The election will decide the fate of a Constitutional Amendment, the sole proposal on the ballot. Early voting began Monday, July 21, and will continue through Tuesday, August 5. Early voting will take place during regular hours Monday through Friday at the Justice of the Peace Office in Cross Plains, the Justice of the Peace Office on North First Street in Clyde, and the County Clerk's Office in the Courthouse in Baird.

The proposed amendment will increase the residential homestead exemption by \$10,000 from the current \$5,000 to \$15,000, effective to the tax year beginning January 1, 1997. If approved the amendment will also allow homeowners receiving the over 65 exemption to wholly or proportionally transfer a limitation on taxes from the exemption of one resident to another.

A teacher pay raise and an additional day of work are also tied to the amendment. If approved, teachers will work an additional day next year, but will receive an approximate 5.5 percent pay increase. Teachers will work 186 days rather than 185 days, while students will continue to go to school 180 days. The state has allocated the \$1 billion in state budget surplus to replace the local funds school districts will not receive if the amendment passes. If

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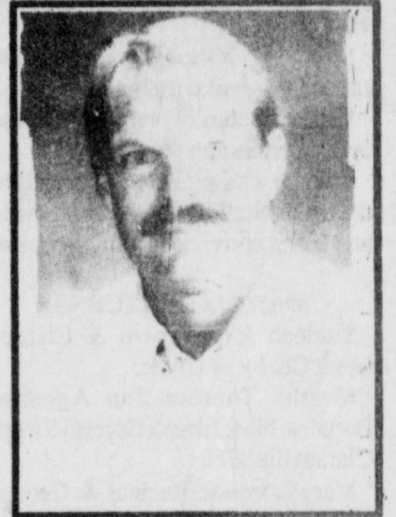
## Cross Plains ISD Hires Rondall Sanders as New Principal Faculty & Staff Announced

Cross Plains ISD would like to announce Rondall Sanders as the new principal for the junior high and high school. Mr. Sanders received his Bachelor of Science degree from Southwest Texas State University in 1985. He coached 1 year at Woodsboro ISD and taught 11 years at Ballinger ISD. He received his Master of Education degree from Angelo State University in 1996. There have been some changes in the faculty and staff due to resignations. The faculty and staff for the 1997-98 school year will be:

Also, Mr. Sanders advises that parents should take into consideration the following guidelines when purchasing clothing for their child(ren). Girls shall not wear halter tops, nor shall they have any part of their midriff showing, and otherwise should be properly dressed for school. Students shall not wear tank tops or similar garments or see-through shirts. No pants or shirts shall be worn that demonstrate obscene, lewd, or profane language. There shall also be no pictures, logos, or advertisements for tobacco, alcohol, drugs, or controlled substances. Pants will be pulled up at all times. No co-ed naked T-shirts will be worn. No P.E. shorts, or other athletic attire shall be worn in the buildings. Shorts and dresses shall be no shorter than four (4) inches above the knee. Long shirts will not cover the shorts. Shorts must be hemmed and square on the bottom.

### 1997-98 Employees of Cross Plains ISD Announced

Employees for the Cross Plains ISD for the 1997-98 school year are: Kindergarten—Lynda Edington and Paula Winfrey; First Grade—Terri Hunter and Kimberly Woerner; Second Grade—Billie Clausen and Julia Wheeler; Third Grade—Rebecca Thompson, Mattie Faye Wilson and Nora Odom; Fourth Grade—Kathy Purvis and Dianna Stover; Fifth Grade—Peggy Golson and Vickie Walker; Sixth Grade—Cam Morgan and Connie Ricci; Dyslexia Program Ready—Karen Richey; ESL (English as Second Language) Program—Mattie Faye Wilson; Gifted and Talented K-6; Early Childhood Program; Content Mastery—Pat Stephens; Elementary Reading and Math—Nora Odom; Special Education and Content Mastery—Becky Dillard; Regular Instructional Program Aides—Tina Thomas, Pam Porter, Peggy Bailey, Annette Nickerson; Special Education Aides—Carolyn Morgan, Beverly Pope, Dana Wilson; Green Thumb Program Library Aide—Billie Barnett; Elementary Secretary—Charlou Cowan; Library Coordinator and Consultant—Jacque Childress; Counselor, K-12—Greg Tiemann; Administration—Jackie Tension, Superintendent; Rondall Sanders, Junior High/High School Principal; Margie Sowell, Elementary Principal; Food Service—Barbara Barnett, Cafeteria Manager; Connie Bond, Patsy McKenzie, Debbie Thomas; Transportation: Bus Drivers—Frances Taylor, Frederick St. Peter, Teresa Koenig, Charles Scott, Peggy Bailey, Patricia Hopkins, Mitchell Atchley, Griff McConal; Maintenance—Randy Wilson, Maintenance Supervisor; Billy Bell, Homer Parson, Charlie Scott, Annie Kitchen, Tamra Brown, Margaret Pointer; and Central Office Staff—



RONDALL SANDERS

Cliffadean Hargrove and Lurene McNutt. Junior High and High School Teaching Staff are Carol Atchley—Keyboarding and Computer Literature, Art, World Geography; Mitchell Atchley—World Geography, U.S. History, Government/Economics, Athletics; Peggy Bailey—Annual Staff and Elementary P.E. Aide; Tom Barclay—Junior High and High School Math; Patsy Barton—Spanish; Bill Boyd—History, Government/Economics, and Athletics; Jamie Dement—Biology and Physics; Mike Cavender—Physical Education, Health, Special Education, and Athletics; Joe Coppinger—High School English; Sandra Crockett—High School English and Language Arts; Todd Felty—Music Theory and Band; Charlene Fleming—Junior High and High School Math and Chemistry; Traci Evans—Micro-computer Applications and Speech; Diane Hail—Home Economics and Life Skills; Larry Bartee—Texas History, Elementary Physical Education, and Athletics; Mack McConal—Physical Science and Junior High Science; Marc Morgan—Ag. Mechanics and MOCT; Roy Richey—Agriculture Science; Darlene Webb—High School and Junior High Math; Cord Woerner—U.S. History and World History; Betty Barclay—High School Special Education and Content Mastery; Robin Jamison—Junior High Special Education and Content Mastery; Rhonda Hinton—Special Education Aide; Marilyn Tension—Library Aide; and Jean McWilliams—High School Secretary.

## County Commissioners Met July 28

By BILLY HARRIS  
Baird Correspondent

BAIRD—Callahan County Commissioners met in regular session Monday, July 28. Callahan County Judge Bill Johnson called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. with these officers present; Commissioners Charlie Grider, Bryan Farmer, Harold Hicks, Tommy Holland, County Treasurer Dora Hounshell, and Jeanie Bohanon representing the County Clerks Office. Minutes from the previous meeting were approved and signed. Tina Hill, Linda George Foster, and Durward Lamar Minor, all of Abilene were approved for MHMR Public Responsibility Committee. Motion made by Farmer and seconded by Holland.

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## Blood Pressure Clinic Offered Aug. 5

A Blood Pressure Clinic will be held Tuesday, August 5, from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. at the Cross Plains Multi-Purpose Center on 8th Street. Concepts of Care will provide a L.V.N. and the services will be free. The public is encouraged to come by and have their blood pressure checked.

## COLONIAL OAKS SERVICES

Cornerstone Church will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, August 3, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

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## JUNIOR HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL PRE-REGISTRATION

Every student needs to attend a pre-registration meeting with the new Junior/Senior High Principal, Rondall Sanders. The meeting will be held in Room 107-108 of the high school building; the purpose to discuss school rules, receive and discuss schedules, locker assignments and get acquainted with the new principal.

### Pre-Registration Schedules:

- SENIOR - 9:00 a.m. August 5
- JUNIOR - 1:00 p.m. August 5
- SOPHOMORE - 9:00 a.m. August 6
- FRESHMAN - 1:00 a.m. August 6
- 8th Grade - 9:00 a.m. August 7
- 7th Grade - 1:00 p.m. August 7.

FALL SEMESTER AND FIRST DAY OF WILL BE  
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13 AT 8:00 A.M.

# COURTHOUSE NEWS

**COUNTY COURT**  
Bill Johnson presiding

**42nd DISTRICT COURT**  
John Weeks presiding

**Misdemeanor Filings**

Chad Edward Cauthen, criminal trespass.  
Victor Lee Cruz, DWI.  
Charged with TPC (theft of property by check): Tammy Bain, Sid Price, Randall E. Yawn, Kathryn D. Brockman, Pamela Glaze, Mac Foster, Jon M. Overacker.

**Misdemeanor Minutes**

Ed Moore, probation extended to 10-21-97.  
Nancy C. Killough, motion dismissed to revoke probation.  
Wesley Schmidt, motion filed to revoke probation.  
Suelen Chapin, TPC dismissed due to restitution having been made and being convicted in another case.

**MARRIAGE LICENSE**

Starleen Jane Brown & Charles Lynn Cozby of Clyde.  
Martha Theresa San Agustin, Portales, NM, Joseph Ernesto Siepp, Clarksville, TN.  
Mary Lorraine Racicot & George Edward Walls of Clyde.  
Bobbie Jo Beavers & Brian Todd Monsey of Baird.

**Civil Filings**

Divorces filed:  
Guitar, Repps Bedford & Jean Fulwiler.  
Bums, Windy Rose & John Jay, and in the interest of minor children.  
Perkovich, Shane Elizabeth & Steven Kenneth, and in the interest of minor child.

**Civil Minutes**

John Daniel Martin, found to be \$900 in arrears on child support; new schedule of payments to begin 8-1-97.  
Robert Poole, found to be \$11,250 in arrears on child support, new schedule of payments to begin 8-1-97.  
Kevin D. Burton, found to be \$4203 in arrears on child support; new schedule of payments to begin 8-1-97.  
Nicky Copeland, found to be \$3000 in arrears on child support; new schedule of payments to begin 8-1-97.  
Divorces granted:  
Burgess, Sara Malinda & Terry Lee.  
McGee, Rita & Riley Kleiner, Hilda Marie & Billy Joe.

**Cottonwood Cemetery Directory Now Available**

There are Cottonwood Cemetery Directories available of the old and new cemeteries. All the people who have been buried in each cemetery are listed in this book; plus those who have grave plots reserved.  
The book is very informative and interesting to read. If you would like to purchase one for \$10.00, please call Ora Breeding (254) 725-7339 or Albert Lovell (254) 725-6252.

**Donation To Cross Cut Cemetery Project**

A donation of \$50 was made by Larry Smith to the Cross Cut Cemetery Beautification Project. All donations are welcome and appreciated.



*Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will by no means pass away.* St. Luke 21:33  
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**FIVE GENERATIONS BLESSED**—Taya Grace Hamilton (baby), mother, Melissa Hamilton (seated center), grandmother Charlotte Montgomery (standing), great-grandfather, Jimmy McCowen, and great-great-grandmother Ruby McCowen who is 96 years young. Taya was born June 19, 1997.



**JASON AND DONNA KEMPF**

**First Baptist Church Welcomes Youth/Music Minister**

Jason Kempf, a recent graduate of Wayland Baptist University, will join the full time staff at First Baptist Church of Cross Plains next week. Jason comes to the local church from First Baptist Church, Quitaque, Texas.  
Jason and his wife, Donna, are excited about working with the youth in the community and leading the music and choral programs at First Baptist Church. The couple will reside in the youth minister parsonage next to the church.

**Time To Pray For Rain**

Local farmers need moisture for their crops and Sister Ruby McCowen requests that everyone please pray for rain.  
It is getting extremely dry due to scorching temperatures. With everyone's prayers this situation can be turned around, just like the rain was stopped earlier.

**Former Couple to Perform at Denton Valley Baptist Church**

Tim and Charlotte Bishop from First Baptist Church in Breckenridge will be in concert at Denton Valley Baptist Church Sunday evening, August 10, at 6:00 p.m. They will be accompanied by Craig Pope Stephenville.

Denton Valley Baptist Church is located on FM 604 south of Clyde and just north of Highway 36.

**Denton Valley VBS Aug. 4-6**

Denton Valley Baptist Church Vacation Bible School will be held August 4-6 from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. All ages are invited to attend.

The church is located on FM 604 south of Clyde and just north of Highway 36. If you need transportation, call (915) 548-2103 or 529-3650.

**Ex-Student Assoc. Meets Tonight**

The Ex-Student Association will meet Thursday, July 31, at 7:00 p.m. at the local Dairy Queen.  
An update on the progress of the various committees will be discussed.

**ELECTION**

the amendment passes, the state's share of public education funding will increase from the current 47 percent to approximately 50 percent.  
Cross Plains voters should note that the election site for the August 9 will be in the SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER on Main Street rather than the regular location, the Cross Plains Community Center. Voting hours will be from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

## Property Tax Values

Clyde C.I.S.D.		1992		\$259,584,692	
1985	\$160,002,227	1993	\$260,875,938		
1986	\$151,768,807	1994	\$258,816,801		
1987	\$134,541,064	1995	\$256,184,112		
1988	\$127,028,866	1996	\$269,861,492		
1989	\$121,297,286	1997	\$274,000,016		
1990	\$126,000,000			<b>City of Baird</b>	
1992	\$131,979,879	1990	\$24,911,000		
1993	\$120,483,192	1991	\$24,250,000		
1994	\$132,537,342	1992	\$23,877,143		
1995	\$131,218,532	1993	\$24,880,913		
1996	\$136,077,416	1994	\$25,563,697		
1997	\$140,126,028	1995	\$25,250,943		
		1996	\$27,672,852		
		1997	\$28,402,549		
				<b>Baird I.S.D.</b>	
		1986	\$77,821,569	1990	\$65,289,000
		1987	\$74,252,364	1991	\$64,750,000
		1988	\$67,850,237	1992	\$63,743,949
		1989	\$68,484,852	1993	\$63,367,965
		1990	\$66,530,320	1994	\$64,623,919
		1991	\$60,313,884	1995	\$62,572,346
		1992	\$59,745,449	1996	\$63,838,347
		1993	\$70,740,683	1997	\$70,507,903
		1994	\$75,000,000		
		1995	\$77,393,491	<b>Cross Plains I.S.D.</b>	
		1996	\$83,029,829	1990	\$71,837,000
		1997	\$95,491,843	1991	\$69,500,000
				1992	\$69,960,913
				1993	\$60,590,411
				1994	\$64,311,774
				1995	\$60,895,487
				1996	\$62,494,622
				1997	\$65,323,059
				<b>City of Putnam</b>	
				1991	\$1,700,000
				1992	\$1,738,530
				1993	\$1,726,902
				1994	\$1,573,814
				1995	\$1,634,768
				1996	\$1,535,671
				1997	\$1,602,001

## Property Tax Values Are Up For 8 Taxing Entities in County

Property tax values are up for the eight taxing entities in Callahan County, according to the chief appraisers in Callahan and Taylor counties.  
Central Appraisal District's Chief Appraiser Rodney Lewallen said appraisal values in the seven taxing entities he oversees are all up over 1996 values. Lewallen said the property values are "typically up five percent" for the seven entities in 1997. He said some of the reason for the increased appraisals can be attributed to the increase in oil and gas revenue. Lewallen said real estate values in the county are also going up.  
Lewallen said that before the over 65 exemptions are taken out, Clyde ISD's property tax values increased over \$4 million to \$140,126,028. He reported the Clyde school district had some 24 new homes placed on the tax rolls this year for a total of \$1.8 million.  
He stated property tax values in the City of Clyde increased \$1.8 million to \$61,837,651.  
Eula ISD's property tax values in 1997 were reported at \$95,491,843, according to Richard Petree, Central Appraisal District's chief appraiser in Taylor County. Petree said the increase at Eula ISD is attributed to the tax abatement from Bandag which came off this year. Last year's property tax values at Eula amounted

to \$83,029,829.  
Baird ISD's property tax values increased to \$70,507,903 in 1997, according to Lewallen. The school district's total value in 1996 was \$63,838,347.  
Property tax values in Cross Plains ISD increased to \$65,323,059. Last year's tax values in Cross Plains ISD were \$62,494,622.  
The City of Baird saw an increase in property tax values of just over \$700,000 to \$28,402,549.  
Property tax values in the City of Putnam were \$1,737,671 reported in 1996.  
Lewallen reported the tax value totals for the three county school districts do not include the \$15,000 homestead exemptions if the Constitutional Amendment Election going to the voters August 9 is approved.  
Lewallen said because the August 9 Constitutional Amendment Election has a bearing on tax values, it will be effective before he knows the effective tax rates for the seven taxing entities. He said tax statements should still go out by October 1. The chief appraiser said he anticipates a little distribution in the tax flow for the seven taxing entities. He said tax statements should still go out by October 1. The chief appraiser said he anticipates a little distribution in the tax flow for the seven taxing entities.

**Elm Grove Rodeo August 7-9**

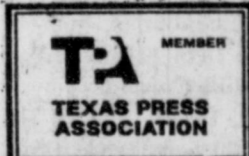
The Elm Grove Rodeo will be held August 7, 8 and 9 beginning at 8:00 p.m. All contestants must have attended the previous school year, 12th grade and under.  
Sign up on arrival. NO ENTRY FEE. Buckles, trophies and ribbons will be awarded to the winners.  
A barbecue will be held Saturday at 5:30 p.m.

**Merkel City Wide Garage Sale August 2**

Merkel Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the first annual City Wide Garage Sale, August 2, from 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Maps will be on sale at the corner of N. St. and Edwards Street beginning at 7:30 a.m. Saturday. Over 70 garage sales have been listed on the map.  
For further information call the Merkel Chamber of Commerce office at (915) 928-5722.

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# NEWS

By  
**LINDA (EDINGTON) MERRITT**  
Activity Director

Grace Loflin reports that she had a surprise visit from her great-granddaughter and great-great-granddaughter from Nevada. She said that they enjoyed talking about the past and the good time they had. Our appreciation to Lurene McNutt for the delicious cake and to Frances Wolf for the donuts. Frances Wolf was chosen as the employee for this week. Congratulations Frances. Minnie Swann was our winner for a free meal at Jack's Place. Thanks Wanda and Jack. Jack and Lou Knight from Bluff Dale visited with Ritta Knight. Jodie Brown from Nevada visited Grace Loflin. Eileen and Josh Gardner from New Castle visited with Myrtle Wilson and Jo Boatright. Alfred and JoAnn Harrell, Donnie

Robbins from Malakoff, James and Judy Harrell from Blue Mound, Illinois and Bob and Dee Harrell visited with Ruby Harrell. Activities during the week were: **Monday:** Bingo winners were Ruby Harrell, Vera Belyeu (2), Inola Wilcoxen, Falba Shofner (3), and Minnie Swann. Exercise class. **Tuesday:** Art class. Popcorn and Skip-Bo games. **Wednesday:** Sing-a-long with Jennifer Ames. Exercise class. **Thursday:** Bingo winners were Vera Belyeu (4), Falba Shofner (2), Ruby Harrell and Sylvia Smith. Skip-Bo games. **Friday:** Singing with Jennifer Ames. **Sunday:** Cornerstone Church. You'll always be reasonable if you keep the rights of others in mind.

## 3rd Annual Skeet & Sporting Clays Dove Season Warm-up August 9-10

The third annual Skeet and Sporting Clays Dove Season Warm-up, featuring the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's 5-stand sporting clays and the Crazy Quail, will be held Saturday and Sunday, August 9 and 10, at the Callahan County Shooting Range located on FM 18 between Clyde and Baird. (Signs will be posted.)

Shoot hours are from 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Saturday and from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday.

This event is a fund-raiser for the Callahan County 4-H Shooting Sports program. Five-member teams and individual shooters are welcome. Contact Bob Robinson for more details at (915) 893-5625. Hope to see you there!

## Clips, Quips & Comments

By KAY DENNIS MOSLEY

### "Good Grooming"

No matter what your endeavor, always try to be well groomed. First impressions are extremely important, whether you're applying for a new position or proposing to your latest conquest. Perhaps you are applying for membership in a club, church or the local library. A good appearance will take you a very long way.

It doesn't take expensive clothing to be well groomed. Present a good, clean, neat and orderly appearance. Make sure your hair is clean and neat. It doesn't help to have an elaborate hairstyle if it isn't tidy and clean. It is more important to know who much and what shades of makeup look best with your coloring than to pile on loads of makeup whether it is in the correct shade or not. It is usually considered best to match your makeup to your coloring and not to match your clothing. Wear what goes best with your hair, skin and eye colors.

Member that little old song? It went something like this — "Gonna shave, shower, shine and brush my teeth..."

Hair, teeth, nails and everything else should be very clean. Nails should be well trimmed in addition to being clean. If you polish your nails, they should be well covered and polish should never be chipped or sloppily applied. A neutral shade is

better, especially for work or job interviews.

It is best to steer away from loud colors such as orange, fuchsias and fade colors, unless you are dressing for a party. Clothing need be high priced but should always be clean and neatly pressed. Be sure there are no runners in your hose (males - - no runners in your socks) and that your shoes are clean and not scuffed.

If you do not have shoes to match your outfit, ladies — it is best to wear shoes of a neutral shade such as a beige, grey or black. Your handbag should match your shoes, if at all possible.

If you have an important interview, appointment or soiree, it is best to use a sunscreen for outdoor sports. This is especially appropriate in the summer to avoid unsightly blistering and telltale tan lines.

To be well groomer, it is advisable to dress for the occasion when possible. One should never wear evening wear for instance to a brunch or luncheon. For business meetings and job interviews it is usually best to dress conservatively, i.e. a tailored dress or suit. If you have neither, a simple skirt and blouse; clean and well pressed will do nicely. Avoid extra large and gaudy jewelry. Remember, first impressions are extremely important. A well groomed person is usually a well advised and successful individual.



JOHN HARRIS & HEATHER MONTGOMERY

## Montgomery - Harris Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Montgomery are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Heather Louise Montgomery, to John Ira Olen Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Harris of Plains. Heather is a 1994 graduate of Cross Plains High School. She will be continuing her education at Texas

Tech University this fall. John is a 1989 graduate of Plains High School and is a recent graduate of Texas Tech University. He is currently employed by Denver City High School. After their December wedding the couple will reside in Denver City.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Michael Beckett, 18, was involved in a one-vehicle accident on Sunday, July 13, 2 miles west of Blanket. His pickup rolled 4 times and Michael suffered a broken neck, crushed knee, and broken ankle. He is hospitalized at Hendrick Medical Center, Room 6609 in Abilene.

He is the son of Robert and Patricia

Beckett of Blanket, grandson of Jim and Ruby Clark of Lake Brownwood, and great-grandson of Daisy Holcomb of Cross Plains. Michael and his family would appreciate your prayers for his recovery. Your cards would be welcome during his extended hospitalization.

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## BREAKTHRU

By Bob Pipes, preacher  
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About a year ago, a Clyde teenager, the son of a preacher friend of mine, was charged with manslaughter for "recklessly causing the death" of his 18 year-old friend. He pleaded guilty to the charge last week and is awaiting sentence by the judge. In addition to "horseplay," drinking of alcohol played a role in this senseless happening.

About sixteen years ago, I served on a jury for the first time. It was a murder trial (how's that for beginners?); the defendant was in his early 20's, had been out drinking and dancing with a friend, had danced with another man's wife, a fight ensued, and later at an encounter at the park he shot the woman's husband in "self defense." Though we did not find him guilty of second degree murder as charged, he was obviously "guilty" of doing several things that he should not have been -- drinking, dancing with another man's wife (why wasn't he home with his?), and running with the wrong person/crowd to say the least!

On June 13, this year, I helped conduct the funeral of a friend (and brother in Christ) who was executed at Huntsville on June 11. He had been found guilty of a double murder some eleven years ago. Whether guilty of the murders or not, he admitted to being guilty of being with the wrong person, of drinking, and of not being home with his wife of about three months.

These are but three of many instances of high prices paid for wrong "companionships."

Paul said, I Corinthians 15:33, "Do not be deceived: Evil company corrupts good morals." It was a quote from the Greek poet Menander, used by Paul to warn the Christians at Corinth in regard to association with those teaching against the resurrection. In application, we must guard against companionship with false teachers and their doctrine. In further application, we must guard against association with and tolerance of all people and things that would lead us astray.

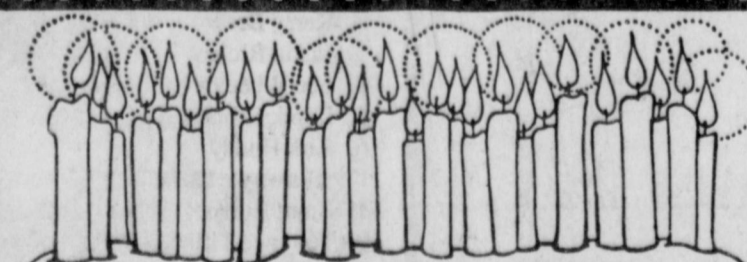
In light of all the above, why does our community tolerate the dances with all its evil "companions" after rodeos, etc., especially those for our youth? Why do some parents allow their young people to drink, even provide the "atmospheres" for them to do so? If it can lead to devastating results for the son of a preacher and the son of an elder, can't it for other youth? as well -- perhaps even more so? Proverbs 20:1 warns: "Wine is a mocker, intoxicating drink arouses brawling, and whoever is led astray by it is not wise." Well, what does it say about the one(s) who promotes and/or condones it?

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# Cross Plains Junior Rodeo Successful

The 26th Cross Plains Junior Rodeo brought over 100 contestants in its 3 night run last week. It was a qualifying KJRA rodeo with the member contestants earning points for the finals in Brownwood the last of August.

The Roping Club wishes to thank everyone who participated and to the workers who spent their time and equipment to make the rodeo possible. A special thank you to Johnson's Dry Goods for their donation and the EMS for being on hand.

All around winners are as follows: 10 & under girl-Kylee Burris of Stephenville; 10 & under boy-Christopher Davis of Bangs; 11-14 girl-Tara Woodall of Merkel; 11-14 boy-Scott Mackey of Burkett; 15-19 girl-Crystal Pope of Comanche; and

15-19 boy-Tyson Hale of Stephenville.

Results for the rodeo and placings for the KJRA points are as follows:

**Thursday night**

**Sr. Bulls - 15-19**

1. Jody Sutherland
2. Zane Huntley

**Calf/Steers - 10 & under**

1. Cutter Dillard
2. (tie) Justin Johnson & Christopher Davis

**Tie Down - 11-14**

1. Scott Mackey
2. Brant Burris

**Jr. Bulls - 11-14**

1. Terrance Till
2. (tie) Michael McCorkle and Billy Deeds

**Tie Down - 15-19**

1. Jeff Kanady

2. Stephen Herrington
3. Lee Wheeler
4. Tyson Hale
5. Derek Schoen

**Breakaway - 15-19**

1. Stephen Herrington

**Breakaway - 11-14**

1. Kyle Ribble
2. Brant Burris

**Ribbon - 15-19**

1. Randy Parrish
2. Stephen Herrington

**Breakaway - 10 & under**

1. Mitsy Schoen
2. Chad Kanady

**Ribbon - 11-14**

1. Scott Mackey

**Team Roping - 19 & under**

1. Michael Seton - head  
Dusty McCrary - heel
2. Jeff Kanady - head  
Kyle Ribble - heel
3. Dale England - head  
Brandon Stover - heel

**Barrels - 11-14**

1. Ashlei Sipe
2. (tie) Tara Woodall and Rochelle Strickland

**Barrels - 15-19**

1. Felisha Smith
2. Crystal Pope

**Barrels - 10 & under**

1. Laci Smith
2. Brielle Parks

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**Poles - 15-19**

1. Autumn Terry
2. Crystal Pope

**Poles - 11-14**

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2. Crystal Pope

**Poles - 10 & under**

1. Mollie Lester
2. Megan McCorkle

**Poles - 15-19**

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2. Crystal Pope

**Poles - 11-14**

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**Poles - 10 & under**

1. Mollie Lester
2. Megan McCorkle

**Saturday Night**

1. Schane Simmons
2. Caanan White

**Sr. Bulls - 15-19**

1. Les Shannon
2. Christopher Davis
3. Justin Johnson

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2. Brant Burris

**Jr. Bulls - 11-14**

1. Michael McCorkle
2. Terrence Till

**Tie Down - 15-19**

1. Kerry Drew
2. Kirk Ruddy

**Breakaway - 15-19**

1. Jeff Kanady
2. Kerry Drew

**Breakaway - 11-14**

1. Brant Burris
2. Terrence Till

**Ribbon - 15-19**

1. Jeff Kanady
2. Derek Schoen

**Breakaway - 10 & under**

1. Kylee Burris
2. Zach Hudson

**Ribbon - 11-14**

1. Kylee Burris
2. Zach Hudson

**Barrels - 11-14**

1. Tara Woodall

2. Kristal Brown
3. Ashlei Sipe
4. Rochelle Strickland
5. Jessica Norris
6. Brandi Richey
7. Jim Anne Baker
8. Jolynn Terry
9. Jetonna Sewalt
10. Candace Smith

**Barrels - 15-19**

1. Rain Gray
2. Crystal Pope

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**Tie Down - 15-19**

1. Rusty Miller
2. Clint Seider
3. Tanner Morrison

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1. Rowdy Dillard
2. Tyson Hale

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## School Supply List For 1997-98 School Year

**Kindergarten**

- 3-#2 pencils
- 1-pink eraser
- 24 ct. crayons
- 1-4 oz. Elmer's school gel
- Fiskar scissors, blunt, 5"
- Assorted construction paper 50 ct. 9x12
- 8 ct. crayons
- Washable Crayola watercolors 8 ct.
- 1-box of Kleenex 175 ct.
- 1-plastic school box
- 1-mat or towel for nap time

**First Grade**

- 10-#2 yellow pencils
- 2-pink erasers
- 2-red pencils
- 1-box 24 ct. Crayons
- 2-8 oz. bottles Elmer's school glue
- 1-pair Fiskar scissors, sharp, 5"
- 1-wooden ruler, 1/16" graduation
- 2-boxes 8 ct. Crayons
- 1-green poly binder 1"
- 1-yellow poly binder 1"
- 1-red pocket folder without brads
- 1-blue pocket folder without brads
- 1 plastic school box
- 1-50 ct. assorted color construction paper 9x12
- 1-50 ct. manila paper 12x18
- 3-Kleenex facial tissues
- 1-pkg. 9x12 manila paper 50 ct.

**Second Grade**

- 1-pink eraser
- 2-24 ct. crayons
- scissors 5" sharp
- 2-4 oz. bottles of glue
- 1-box Kleenex
- 2-pkg. notebook paper 200 ct. wide rule
- 1-plastic school box
- Crayola water colors 8 ct.
- 12 pencils

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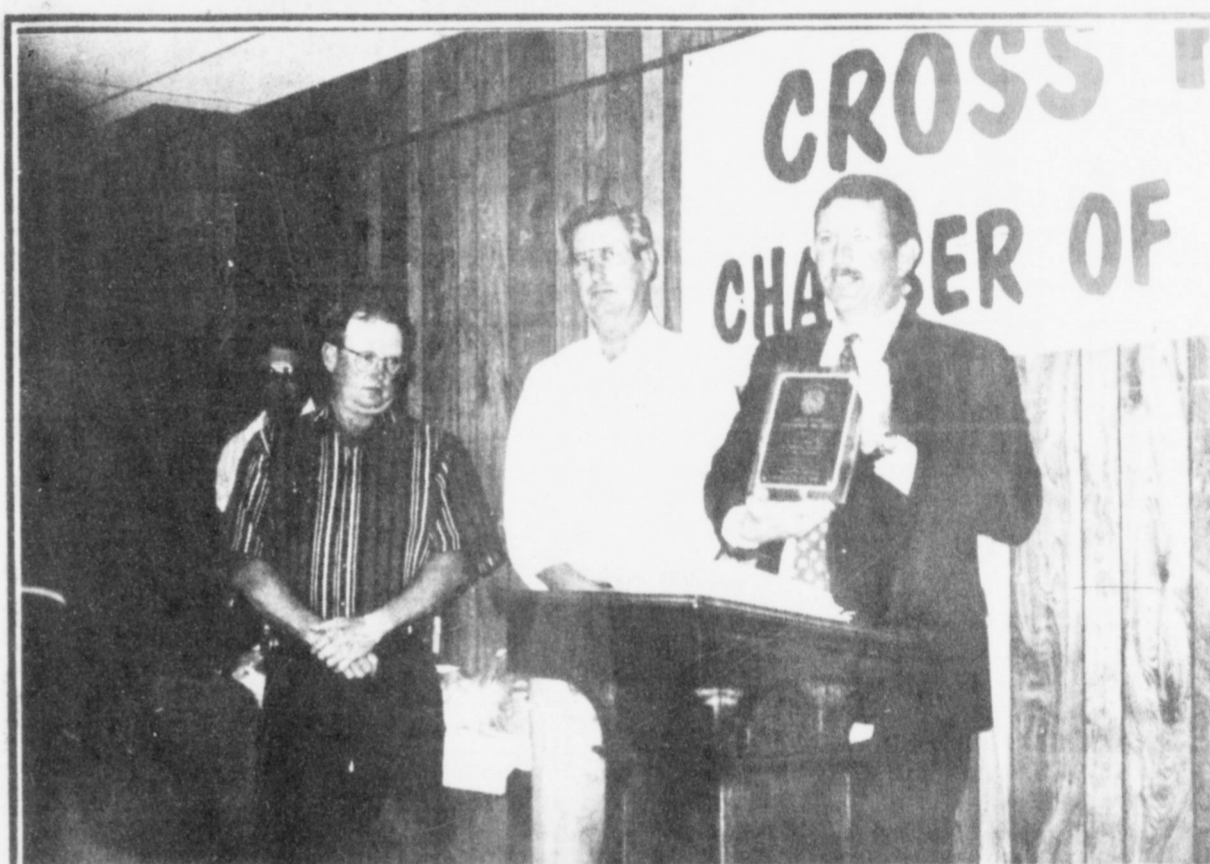
E.M.S. RECIPIENT OF PLAQUE — Keith Lawrence(right) presents Donnie Dillard (from left) and Sandra McKeehan with special award.



SPECIAL CERTIFICATES AWARDED — State Representative Jim Keffer presents Susan Schaefer, a member of the Cross Plains E.M.S. with her certificate.



CROSS PLAINS E.M.S. VOLUNTEERS — Robert Thompson (from left), Susan Schaefer, Verna Mathews, Sandra McKeehan, Julene Franke, Barbara Worley, and Donnie Worley.



LOCAL CHAMBER PRESENTS PLAQUE TO VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT — Keith Lawrence, president of the Chamber of Commerce (right), is pictured with Bob Harrell, fire chief, and Rickey Carouth.



CROSS PLAINS E.M.S. VOLUNTEERS — Betty Lewis (from left), Rickey Carouth, Donnie Dillard, Alvin Hutchins, Debra Childers, Linda Strength, Scot Bland, Blake Foster, Becky Bland, Terry Harris and Deborah Griswold.



CROSS PLAINS VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT — Scot Bland (from left), Linda Reed, Alvin Hutchins, Rickey Carouth, Bob Harrell, and Dee Harrell.



CROSS PLAINS E.M.S. DRIVERS AND SECRETARY — James Lawrence, Mike McClure, Stephen Jamison, Dannes Turner, Donnel Clark, Bob Pipes, Charles Chesshir and George Mathews.



PRESENTATION OF CLASSROOM CASH — Kathy Purvis(left), 4th grade teacher, was the recipient; Keith Lawrence and Margie Sowell, elementary principal are pictured.

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**MULTI FAMILY GARAGE SALE**—Saturday, 9-?; misc items, corner 2nd and Main. 18-11p

**GARAGE SALE**—Friday, August 1, corner Ave. F and 5th; 8a.m.-? 18-11c

**GARAGE SALE**—Saturday, August 2, in front of Dillard's Drilling Company. Saxophone, clothes, lots of goodies. 18-11c

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**FOUND**—in ditch near our house, baby stroller and a garden tool. Call and identify (254) 725-7620. 18-11c

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CROSS PLAINS CHEERLEADING CLINIC**—Aug. 4-7, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.; K-6 grade; cost \$25, permission slip required by Monday, Aug. 4. For information call Charlene (254) 643-4648 or Ashley (254) 725-6532. 17-22p

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**INVITATION FOR BIDS**

The Cross Plains Housing Authority invites sealed bids for the procurement of the following type(s) of insurance coverage(s).

(Property Coverage)  
(Comprehensive General Liability)  
(Worker's Compensation Coverage)  
(Owned and Non-Owned Automobile Liability Coverage)

The coverage is to become effective October 1, 1997.

The bid closing date is 12 o'clock noon, August 21, 1997.

For bid information and a copy of the Invitation For Bids contact Johnnie Bland, Executive Director Cross Plains Housing Authority, Cross Plains, Texas, 76443, (254) 725-6116. 18-22c

The Cross Plains ISD Board of Trustees will hold a Budget Workshop and Hearing on August 13, 1997 at 7:30 p.m. in the high school workroom for the purpose of adopting the 1997-98 budget at the regular board meeting on August 21. 18-22c

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having a workshop," said Metcalf. Payne advised that this is proving successful elsewhere and Coleman's CTO is pleased to be partners with 18 other counties in providing this service.

Payne said, "When Mrs. Metcalf heard of this through West Central Texas Council of Governments (COG), we discussed it and she was very interested in making the program available to our clients." "Another asset," said Payne, "we have our Grant Library in place for immediate use and this could prove beneficial."

Recently Payne, Metcalf and Burkhardt met with "Career One Stop" representatives from Abilene ... Cheryl Halliburton, Director of Operations, West Central Texas Workforce Center System; Edward Alarcon, Network Administrator; and Kathy Turner, Case Manager. Halliburton said, "We are looking at the middle of July to begin setting up the two computer centers, one in Coleman and the other in Ballinger. Since everyone is excited about this and so willing to give their time and effort, we believe we can be in full swing, soon after the first of August."

In closing Payne said, "We want to thank the Welfare Department Board and Council of Governments for their assistance with The Career Stop Service. This is new and we are proud to be a part of another service which will offer many in our area an opportunity to become productive citizens."

For more information contact the C.T.O. Center Director of your county.

**COMMISSIONERS**

Hicks made the motion to approve Carol McDonald of Ft. Worth as the new Independent Auditor for the County for Fiscal Year 1996-97. This was seconded by Grider and unanimously passed. Judge Johnson said the County was not unhappy with the previous auditor, who had done the books for the past three or four years, but decided to change as a good business practice.

Ward Painting Company of Midland was approved as the contractor for the window repair and painting at the courthouse. This item had been reported as tabled at the last meeting but was actually approved to take the low bid of the four contractors if Judge Johnson found out that the specifications the company bid on were correct because of such a wide range in bid prices.

Ward bid \$13,435, Arnold Agulara of Abilene \$18,450.50, Inex Paint of Abilene submitted a bid of \$20,750, and Jadco Design of Clyde bid \$59,744.44.

Commissioners voted pay bills on a motion by Grider and seconded by Farmer.

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Spend an evening with the "Peanuts" gang in August as they return to the Hilton Dinner Theatre stage in Cisco for an evening of musical mirth, silliness and rueful childhood philosophy.

The cast features Kathy Toof as the "bodacious beagle" and Kira Hollywood as his feathered friend, Woodstock. The rest of the gang includes James Bellinger as Charlie Brown, Alan Harper as Linus, Toni Wyatt as Lucy, Stephanie Childress as Peppermint Patty and Wende Pippen as Sally Brown.

The fun begins August 5 and continues through August 10 at the Conrad Hilton Community Center in downtown Cisco. Wednesday through Saturday are full dinner nights with tickets at \$15.00. Tuesday night and Sunday afternoon are "dessert only" performances with tickets at \$7.50. Dinner/Dessert service begins at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Dessert service begins at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday. Make your reservations for "Snoopy!!!" today by phoning (254) 442-2589 Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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2. Tracie Ingram
3. Kelly McBride
4. Clarissa Williams
5. Sunnie Baker
6. Dana Barr
7. Tessie Ingram

**Poles - 11-14**

1. Ashley Sipe
  2. Tara Woodall
  3. Jessica Norris
  4. Heather Parrish
  5. Chelsi Hodges
  6. Ashley Tucker
  7. Rochelle Strickland
  8. Trista Ingram
  9. Jessica Partin
  10. Kristal Brown
- Poles - 10 & under**
1. Brielle Parks
  2. Mitsy Schoen
  3. Jenna Norris
  4. Calcee Hodges
  5. Kylee Burris
  6. Megan McCorkle
  7. Haley Spurger
  8. Ally McGaha
  9. Jenna Partin
  10. Brook Lynde Parks



A lion's mane is not fully grown until it is five years old.

**Spring graduates announced  
at Tarleton State University**

Commencement exercises for the spring 1997 semester at Tarleton State University were held Saturday, May 17 on the Tarleton campus in Stephenville.

Tarleton President Dr. Dennis P. McCabe presided over the two ceremonies held to accommodate the large number of graduates. Seventeen members of the class of 1997 were recognized as Departmental Outstanding Graduates during commencement exercises.

In other special presentations made at commencement, Dr. Eugene Atkinson, a Professor in the Department of Social Sciences at Tarleton, was named as the 1997 recipient of the Jack and Louise Arthur Excellence in Teaching award. Dr.

Atkinson has been on the Tarleton faculty since 1967 and was chairman of the Social Science Department for eight years.

Dr. Jack Russell, a recent recipient of the Minnie Stevens Tarleton's Department of Computer Information Systems, was commencement speaker.

Students graduating from Baird were Sara Humes Crow and Amy Dawn Welch\*; from Cisco, James Robert Maples; Misty Dawn McCulloch, Martin Christopher Powledge\*+, and Doug W. Witt\*; from Cross Plains, Janice Carey Phillips\*; from Rising Star, Connie Coeise Crocker and Guyle Paul Donham. \*With Honors + Department Outstanding Graduate

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

**AUGUST 1**

- Rhonda Bedford
- Jim Williams
- Mrs. Marion McMillan
- Mrs. N. L. Long, Jr.
- Freddy Lane
- Timothy Strickland
- Hubert Belew
- Renè Gary Baize
- Mrs. Jess Bigbee
- Mike Montgomery
- Mrs. H. G. Thornton
- Teresa (Merrill) Koenig
- Mrs. Everett Wright
- Bertha Hutchins Calderon

**AUGUST 2**

- Lee Ann Burleson
- Coby Wayne Kelly
- Sharon Newman
- Mitzie Perryman
- Bobby Hutchins
- Ronnie Letney
- Jerry Bennett
- Mrs. Henry Ring
- Sabrenia Hutchins
- Vickie Lynn Williams
- Shirley Ann Lee

**AUGUST 3**

- Sue Edington Branch
- Eddie Weiss
- Donald Ingram
- C. Raymond Woody III
- Roxie McConal Thomas
- Julie Morgan
- Cindi (Garrett) Estes

**AUGUST 4**

- Carroll Rhodes
- Jim Nabers
- Walter Lee Wilson
- Phil Harris
- Kyle McCure
- Michael Tennison
- Coby Brandon Childers
- Sharron Reddick
- Howet N. Wilson
- Michelle Calhoun
- August Garlitz
- Austin Hines
- Gail Webb
- Eric Sims
- David Bennett
- Gregg Weiss
- Phillip Bennett
- Mrs. Hilda Ellis
- Tatym Elyce Shaw
- Marvin Mosley

**AUGUST 5**

- Donna Brown Grider
- Loula Smith
- Joe Oglesby
- Cordelia Joy
- Gaynelle Baum
- Daniel Grissom
- Mrs. Ethel Bush
- Courtney Kirkham
- Charlie Ross

**AUGUST 6**

- Jack White
- Nikki Beggs
- Jess Watkins
- Alica Doreen Sheilds
- Tammy Brown
- Albert (Butch) Wilson
- Gary Gilland
- Opal Gattis
- Charlotte Letney

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- Rev. John Harper
- Larry Boyles
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**EQPT. - MISC.**

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# Fun With The Woody's In 1997

By Thaila Robertson

At this year's retreat we had 45 family members come together at Lake Leon. We fished, visited, ate a lot, did some skiing and played Turkey Trot til 2 a.m. in the morning. We also celebrated Bruce Woody's birthday. There was a White Elephant auction held on Sunday afternoon and \$300 was raised. Bonnets and aprons sold for \$50 each, among all the other goodies. Dorothy Woody sold \$1 chances on the Woody family quilt she is making. The quilt has the names of J.A. and Molly Woody's children, their spouses, birthdays and anniversaries. She also sold chances at the reunion on July 13th. (Late news: Glenn Champion won the quilt.)

Present at the retreat were Dorothy Woody; Dick and Menville Dillard; Eric Johnson with friend Heather Vest; Erin Johnson with friend Jared Browder; Barbara Ann Johnson; Bruce and Minnie Woody; Wayne and Marie Brown; Alice Lee Clark; Tom and Robbie Fillingham; Junior and Cherry Bowers; Darrell and Soudra Woody; Buster and Elaine Woody; Doyle Cowan; Marcie Gonzales; James Gonzales; Pete, Marilyn, Scott and Matthew Barbar; Chuck and Elva May Woody; Larry, Sheila and Joshua Keeney; Chris Keeney with friend Amy Brown and

Brian Keeney with friend Christi Cobb and her son, Chase; Larry Keeney's sister Margaret Peacock and he husband, Dub; Rhonda Fritz; Thaila Robertson; Carrie Fritz with friend Christina Dixon; and Marvin Wilcoxon. Eugene and Nelda Wilcoxon were not able to attend due to Nelda's hospital stay during that time. We all missed Floyd Woody who passed away earlier this year.

On Saturday, July the 12th, there were 42 at Glenn and Ethel Champion's home. Present were Monty, Kim, Jeffery and Shelly Champion; Tammy Tuffin with Carla, Jennifer and Ashton; Gary and Brenda Clark with Josh and Cody; Kathie and Kayla Carmen; Billy and Janie Woody; Cookie and Brian Robinson; David and Vi Turnbough; Gene and Nelda Wilcoxon; Bob and Debbie Gaurouskas; Alice Lee Clark; Wayne and Marie Brown; Doyle Cowan; Linda O'Dell; Ned and Billie Clark; Jessie Casey; Robert Lee and Murt Champion; Calvin Lewis Champion; Glenn Champion, Jr. with Cassidy and Caleb; and Glenn and Ethel Champion.

At the reunion on Sunday the 13th, there 92+ the Cottonwood preacher and his wife. There was lots to eat and some great visiting. We had family present that we hadn't seen in many years. Present were Dorothy Woody; Robert Lee and Murt Champion;

Rhonda Fritz; Gene and Nelda Wilcoxon; Calvin Lewis Champion; Bob and Debbie Gaurouskas; Wayne and Marie Brown; Glenn and Ethel Champion; Tammy Tuffin with Carla, Jennifer and Ashton; Kathie and Kayla Carmen; Sam and Alice Woody; Claud and Jo Champion; Minnie Lois Woody; Kathy, Courtney and Cody Gonzales; Vera Woody; Glenn Woody; Bobby and Mary Jo Woody; Pete Marilyn, Scott and Matthew Barbar; Gary, Brenda, Josh and Cody Clark; Donna, Melissa and Jimmy Clark; Marvin Wilcoxon; Junior and Cherry Bowers; Thaila Robertson; Carrie Fritz with friends Christina Dixon and brother Cody; Billy and Janie Woody; Chuck and Elva May Woody; Ned and Billie Clark; Evalena Denny; David Fritz; Matt Robertson; Garry and Judy Lawless; Tommy Cowan; Chad and Jeanie Weems; Monty, Kim, Jeff and Shelly Champion; Cornelius Elliott; Alice Clark; David, Cindy, Tabitha and Nicole Clark; Linda O'Dell; Doyle Cowan; Dick and Menville Dillard; Adry and Wanda Wheeler; Terry, Lisa, Jessica, Jacob and Jamie Dye; Rita, James, Amanda, and Brian Purcell; Pauline Champion; Hayley Underwood; Rocky Champion; and David and Vi Turnbough.

Everyone enjoyed all the good times and food. We all look forward to next year's retreat and reunion.

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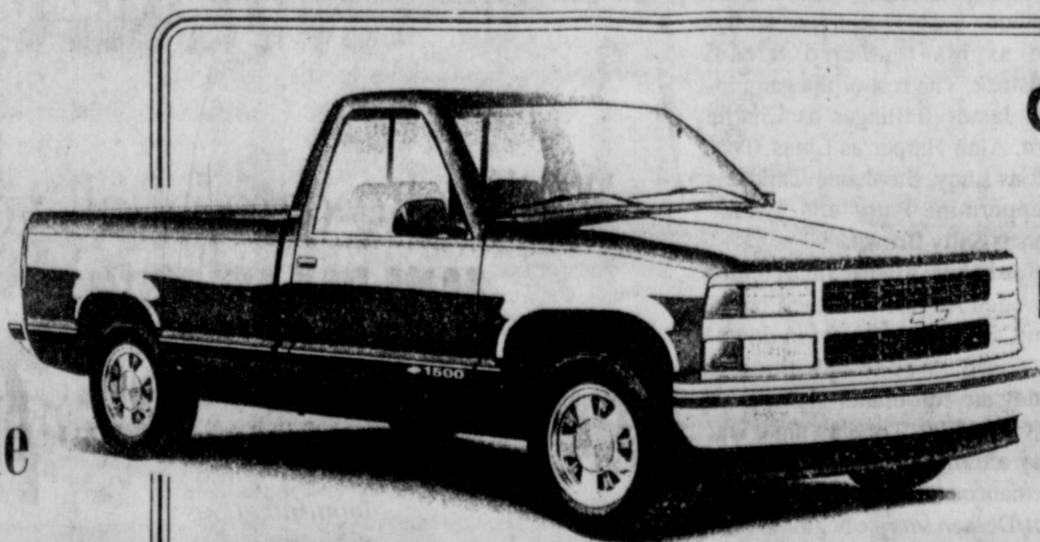


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