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COACH MITCHELL ATCHLEY

Coach Mitchell Atchley Nominated For Texas High School Sports Hall of Fame

Coach Mitchell Atchley, a friend, teacher and a coach was nominated to the 1998 Texas High School Sports Hall of Fame. Voted to an active list of 15 coaches, for future electing and induction into the hall of honor from this list. Each year a new member is inducted for the Tom Laundry award in football and the Paul Tyson award in baseball. The nominees are taken from a list of several hundred. The coach is elected by information sent into the committee, from personal experiences and influences by former athletes, students, teachers, parents, sportswriters, coaches and friends of the community in which they have impacted parts of their lives with the honest and heart filled sincere true life stories about the person to be nominated. Mitchell had a large number of touching letters reviewed. The awards are presented to a person who has given quality and personal time to motivate, to encourage, to inspire, having a positive influence, to being a good role model, working to keep young

minds in school and helping set future goals. The voting committee is made up from coaches and sports writers around the state and eight director members of the Texas Sports Hall of Fame. From 1973 to 1983 this coach was the motivator and energy behind the success of the football and baseball programs at China Spring High School, 15 miles north of Waco. He generated championships as head defensive coach in football 1973 & 1974 District Champs; 1975 & 1976 District Co-Champs; 1977 District Champ; 1978 State Champs and 1979 State Finalist. He was also winner of the Jinx Tucker Award in 1973 and 1977; 1978 team points given up in 15 games was 45: 1978 team defensive shut outs in 15 games 10: 1978 most points scored in state game in 1 half 42; 1979 team points given up in 15 games 49; 1979 team defensive shut outs in 15 games 9; 1979 Team of the Decade with 6 college players.

As baseball head coach they were 1975 & 1977 Bi-district champs; 1976 Regional Champs; 1978 & 1980 District Co-champ; 1979 State Semi-Finalist and in 1979 he received Coach of the Year by Waco Tribune Herald Sports Newspaper. Also had four college players and one semi-pro player.

He has inspired 61 Honorable Mention players, 153 All-District players, 10 All Super Cen-Tex players, 6 Players of the Year, 5 Texas All-Star players and 9 All State players.

Coach Atchley will most likely have enough votes to be inducted in a couple of years into the Hall of Fame, but the nomination from such a list of long time greats is a very strong statement about this mans life time work. A man who did not choose to get rich in life, but to give rich life to the young lives that he influenced. With the help and understanding from Carol, Julie and Renee his family congratulations Coach Mitchell Atchley. This is from a very long list of China Spring friends, The Super Seventies Teams.

Chamber of Commerce updating community bulletin board

The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce is currently working on updating the community bulletin board which is located at the Chamber of Commerce office. This board is also taken to different events in this area to show the involvement of the local community.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to include some pictures of the churches, restaurants, businesses, civic organizations and clubs. If you would like your church, business, etc. to be included, please mail a picture to the Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce or drop one off at the office.

This needs to be completed as soon as possible, so please get the picture in no later than June 15.

The local chamber thanks you for your participation.

Project Pride To Meet Tuesday, June 9

Project Pride will hold their regular monthly business meeting on Tuesday, June 9, at 6:00 p.m. at the library. Reports from Howard Day Committees will be heard.

The public is invited.

Deadlines . .

Noon Monday - Articles Noon Tuesday - Advertising

Fishin' for Fun-Ding to host outdoor writer Monday, June 8

Red Moehring, retired outdoor writer for Honey Hole Magazine, East Texas Lake Caster, and The Taylor Daily Press, will be in Cross Plains on Monday, June 8, to meet with the junior members of Fishin' for Fun-Ding. The meeting will be held at Joe and Mary Graves home, 332 S. Ave. E at 2:00 p.m. and hot dogs will be served. All members, as well as anyone else interested, are invited to attend and meet Mr. Moehring.

A baker by trade, Red retired last year after his wife had a stroke and his son, daughter-in-law and two grandsons were killed in the Jarrell tornado. Red spent over 40 years fishing clubs and tournaments and writing for various outdoor magazines and newspapers. Red also holds the lake record for Small Mouth Bass on Lake Georgetown. He now travels and speaks to various organizations and is busy raising money to build a tornado shelter on the land his son's house was located.

Fishin' for Fun-Ding was established to increase interest in fishing, teach those interested in learning to fish the art and joy of fishing, promote fellowship in the community, and promote educational opportunities for the youth of the community by providing scholarships for graduating seniors. The meeting is informal and free to anyone interested in attending. Please come and bring a friend. If you need directions, please call (254) 725-6418 or

COLONIAL OAKS **SERVICES**

Believer's Fellowship will conduct worship services at Colonial Oaks Nursing Home on Sunday, June 7, commencing at 3:30 p.m.

Callahan Co. Sheriff's **Posse Ranch Rodeo** Saturday, June 6

The Callahan County Sheriff's Posse will host their 11th Annual Ranch Rodeo, Saturday, June 6, beginning at 6 p.m. in the Sheriff's Posse Rodeo Arena in Baird.

The events scheduled for the Ranch Rodeo are things the "Old Time" Cowboys would do on a working cattle ranch.

Fifty local cowboys, working in ten, five men teams will perform: Team Penning, Team Branding, Team Mugging, Team Roping and everybody's favorite, the Wild Cow Milking!

Local businesses sponsor these teams, and each team, developed through the "Luck of the draw" bears their sponsor's name.

The Callahan County Sheriff's Posse 1998 Ranch Rodeo Teams and Sponsors are as follows:

1. METAL MART Sam Seider, Archie Akers, John Fred McWilliams, Jim Craft and

David Collins. 2. 1ST NATIONAL BANK OF BAIRD "CLYDE" ABILENE

Tim Reeves, Steve Goldsmith, Shannon Staggs, Richy Barr and Michael Palmer.

3. WICHITA FALLS PRO-DUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIA-

Bobby Lee, Dawson Burns, Scotty Goldsmith, Dale Eddins and Billy

4. HANNER CHEVROLET-PONTIAC-GMC-GEO

Ricky Cowley, Joe Cooper, Danny Manly, Tommy Smith, and Rooster

Hargrove. CLYDE FARM AND

RANCH SUPPLY Marshal Green, Bo Trojack, Paul Burns, Bradley Black and Sam Hargrove.

6. PARKER FUNERAL HOME James Sanders, Mel Matthews, Kim Walton, J. D. Isenhower, and Matthew Nelson.

7. THE PEOPLE'S STATE

BANK Mike Cannon, Joe Farmer, Gary Richardson, Tom South, and Wesley Wilson

8. CALLAHAN COUNTY

VETERINARY CLINIC Bubba Wilson, Ronald Green, Phillip Whitlock, Les Robison and Tyson Kropp.

9. U-U STEAKHOUSE

Ricky Beasley, Terry French, Buck Campbell, Kelly McLaughlin and Tim Yates.

10. THRIFTY'S FOOD MART Bob Golson, Dean Bowen, Doug Akers, Dale Isenhower and Cody

These businesses, not only sponsor a team, but also donate money to pay for prizes awarded to the second and third place teams. Cisco Rope Company of Cisco, gives ropes to

the fourth place winners. Nelson Farm and Ranch Sales, and Luskey's Western Wear of Abilene furnish the first place trophy belt buckles given to each of the winning team members.

Benton Pruct of Baird, Foy Kelly of Baird, Steve Nail of Clyde, Mike Walker of Baird, Mel Matthews of Cisco, and James Sanders of Clyde have donated the use of their livestock for the Ranch Rodco.

Abilene Livestock Auction furnishes the cows for the wild cow

For the young cowboys and cowgirls, seven and under, there will be a "Boot Race," a cash prize will be offered to the first and second contestants back across the line wearing both boots!

For the eight through twelve year olds, there will be a goat scramble. Two goats will be turned loose in the arena with ribbons on their tails! Winners of this event will be the first two contestants back across the line with these ribbons. Cash prizes will be awarded for first and second place.

For a full night of "Old West" family style fun, bring the entire family and come on out Saturday, June 6, at 6 p.m. to the Callahan County Sheriff's Posse Ranch Ro-

Judges for this year's Ranch Rodeo are Cliff Holley of Clyde and Tommy Boyd of Baird.

Rodco announcer is Jimmy Nail of

A fully stocked concession stand will be offering soft drinks, bar-bque sandwiches, chili dogs, nachos, chips, popcom, candy, etc.

Adult tickets are three dollars, children under twelve can enter for one dollar!

National High School Rodeo Champions Will Be Honored

In 50 years only three states in the USA had the accomplishment of retiring the National High School Rodeo Trophy. You have to win the title three years in a row to bring the trophy back to your state. In the 70's Arizona retired the trophy, in the 80's Oklahoma retired the trophy and in 1993 the Texas High School Rodeo Team retired the trophy.

June 13 in Abilene

On June 13, 1998, the 1993 Texas Team that became National High School Rodeo Champions will be honored in Abilene, at the Texas High School Rodeo Finals, to be the only team in 50 years to retire the trophy. A trophy with the National High School Rodeo Symbol, their name and event, will appear on their individual trophies. They will also

receive a National Champion T-shirt donated by Security State Bank of Gorman and Abilene. Ron Keller of Gorman, being on hand to pass out these shirts at the reception on June 13, 1998, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Big country Hall on the Taylor County Expo Grounds. Amy Welch, former Cross Plains High School student, will be honored.

The trophy is in the Texas High School Hall of Fame in Sequin. A plaque will be presented to Tony McMillan of the Taylor County Expo Center on June 13, 1998, with the 1993 team picture and a list of their names to be hung at the Expo Center in honor of the 1993 National



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Wedding

Roger Carey Receives 2nd **Division Rating At UIL State** Solo Contest

Howard Pictorial Cancellation

The Cross Plains Post Office is The design the 1998 pictorial can-

prepared to provide you with a Robert cellation was created by local artist.

E. Howard commemorative cancel- James Nichols. Nichols has a talent of

lation. Anything with the correct pencil sketching and is also an

The Post Office will be open on ate postage stamps are now on sale.

Saturday, June 13, from 2:00 to 4:00 Other philatelic products are avail-

postage may receive this special imaginative short story writer.

p.m. to accommodate both local and able throughout the year.

Scheduled at Local Post

Office Saturday, June 13

Roger Carey attended the UIL State Sole Contest in San Marcus Saurday, May 30 and received a 2nd Division rating on a Tuba Solo. A very fine performance especially for a freshman.

cancellation.

out-of-town guests.

Roger qualified by making a 1st Division in February at the UIL Region Solo contest and has worked very hard on these achievements. He is the son of Rick and Sandra Carey of Cross Plains.

A variety of colorful and appropri-

COURTHOUSE NEWS

COUNTY COURT Bill Johnson presiding

Misdemeanor Filings Edward Lee Weaver, DWI. Cory Don Haas, DWI. Charged with TPC (theft of property by check): Kerri L. Helmuth, Tammie Thornton:

Misdemeanor Minutes Joe McCauley, TPC charge dismissed due to restitution having been

Martha Roberts, motion filed to

revoke probation. Mack A. Henson, probation revokded; sentenced to 30 days in

Galen Newton, probation revoked; sentenced to 90 days in jail.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Aimee Leigh Robicheaux, Griffin, GA., Jacob Wayne Milligan, Hampton, GA.

42ND DISTRICT COURT John Weeks, presiding

Civil Filing

Leonard Clayton vs Lawrence Brothers IGA, damages; personal

Divorces filed:

McCarty, Tammy Fay & David

Bruner, Nita Sharlene & William Thomas, and in the interest of minor

Civil Minutes

Efraim Rodriguez & Sue Ann Rodriguez, individually and next friend of ClemencyCourtney Rodriguez vs Billy Michael Miller & Government Employees Insurance Co., \$40,000 agreed judgment for plaintiffs.

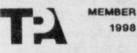
Divorces granted:

Layman, Cindy Sue & Timothy

Koch, Charles A. & Mary Eliza-

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Selected Scriptures

Give me understanding, and I shall keep Your law; indeed, I shall observe it with my whole heart. Psalm 119:34

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OBITUARY

Myrtle Duggan

EASTLAND-Myrtle L. Duggan, 90, passed away Friday, May 29, 1998, at her daughter's home in Eastland.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday in Rising Star Church of Christ with Danny Duggan and Ed Headrick officiating. Burial was in Rising Star Cemetery, directed by Higginbotham Funeral Home of Rising Star.

Mrs. Duggan was born in Ranger and was a homemaker. She was a member of Rising Star Church of Christ and was the widow of James R. Duggan, whom she married in 1924 in Ranger.

Survivors include five sons, Gerald Duggan of Waco, Bobby Duggan of Marlow, Oklahoma, Donald Duggan of Ranger, Larry Duggan of Potosi and Garry Duggan of Big Sandy; five daughters, Frances Agnew of Rising Star, Martha Burns and Patricia Schafer, both of Eastland, Jettie Butler of Abilene and Linda Nichols of Arlington: one sister. Ruby Williamson of Ranger; 16 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

25th Annual Stamford Art Show and Sale June 30 - Dedicated to highly acclaimed western artist Tom Ryan

The Stamford Art Foundation has announced that its twenty-fifth annual Art Show and Sale will be dedicated to highly acclaimed western artist, Tom Ryan. Ryan has roots in Stamford and was instrumental in the founding of the Stamford Art Foundation in 1974. He is a member and past president of the Cowboy Artists of America and served as Art Director for the Stamford Art Foundation's first show which has benefited the West Texas Rehabilitation Center for a quarter of a century.

Joe McMeans of Stamford is President of the Stamford Art Foundation.

This year's art preview, sale, and dinner is set for 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, June 30 on the eve of the world famous Texas Cowboy Reunion. The John Selmon Memorial Gallery on the rodeo grounds houses the multi-media art exhibit which will feature the best works of thirty-two top western artists, including Ryan.

Artists committed to this year's show include Barry Arthur, Gary Artzt, Brian Asher, Lynn Brown, Duane Bryers, Barnett Buster, Marianne Caroselli, and Gerald

Other artists who will participate are Gail Copeland, Lenell Deane, Curtis Dykes, Paul Friske, Jim Hamilton, Jr., Erwin Hearne, Shirley Hullum, Robert P. Kidd, Theresa Martin, Vel Miller, Paul Tadlock, Darlene Wall, K.W. Whitley, Jack Wilson, and Don

In addition to having their works in the show, the following artists will participate in the popular "Quick Draw" event: Jodie Boren, George Boutwell, R. Russell Brown, Hugh Campbell III, Bill Chappell, Steve Grey, Richard Harvey, and Daniel Maldonado. "Quick Draw" artists are given one hour to create a piece of art from "scratch." Guests are invited to watch the artists at work. The finished artwork is then auctioned with a portion of the proceeds going to the Rehab Center.

As in the past, the people of Stamford demonstrate their hospitality by providing guests with an enjoyable evening under the stars. In addition to the art exhibit and sale and the "Quick Draw" feature, Joe Allen will cater the event, serving up his famous steaks with all the trimmings. The Billy Bob Bud Band will provide music at the dance immediately following the meal.

Tickets are \$18 per person and may be purchased in advance from members of the Stamford Art Foundation. For more information, call Pat Clayton at the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene at (915) 793-3507.

Trunk system corridors selected

ABILENE-Sixty-seven 2-lane miles of US 277/US 83 from Abilene to Wichita Falls will be widened to four lane divided as part of a plan approved Thursday by the Texas Transportation Commission. A total of 831 miles of rural highway are included in the 11 Priority One corridors selected by the transportation commissioners.

Blair Haynie, director of transportation planning and development for the Abilene district, said it will take about 8 to 10 years to complete the improvements to the 831 miles. Cost of the Abilene to Wichita Falls corridor is estimated at \$69 million with the total cost of Phase 1 coming in at around \$1.221 billion.

The corridors are part of the Texas Trunk System, which was first approved by commissioners in 1990. The 10,500-mile trunk system is a planned four-lane, divided highway system that includes and complements the Interstate highway sys-

About 3,900 miles of the trunk system still needs to be expanded from two lanes to four lanes. The state plans to spend about \$130 million a year upgrading roads on the trunk system.

Prior to today's commission action, projects for segments of the trunk system were selected each year on a cost/benefit analysis of the individual projects. Now, projects will be selected considering entire corridors, rather than individual projects.

By considering corridors, statewide mobility needs can be met more effectively and efficiently, according to state transportation of-

"This allows us to build useful corridors, not individual short segments of four-lane highway scattered across the state," said Robert Nichols, Texas Transportation Commission member. "The trunk system corridors will provide motorists with more divided highway options when traveling the state and the ability to bypass congested metropolitan areas."

The 11 corridors were selected based on traffic volumes, gaps in the four-lane divided highway, connection to the Texas-Mexico border and the ability of traffic to bypass major metropolitan areas.

A second group of trunk system corridors will be selected in three or four years.

Commissioners also set aside funds for trunk system projects that are not on the selected corridors. Approximately 10 percent of the annual trunk system funds will be targeted for these non-corridor projects which will be selected based on their cost effectiveness.

TxDOT seeks applicants for Section 5310 grants

ABILENE-The Texas Department of Transportation is seeking qualified applicants to receive Federal Grant money to provide transportation for the elderly and disabled persons.

The program, known as Section 5310, provided funding to private nonprofit organizations, public entities, and associations. The program provides up to 80 percent of the cost for capital equipment such as buses, vans or other paratransit vehicles, radios and communication equipment, wheelchair lifts and restraints, and vehicle rehabilitation.

Qualified projects will be selected for funding by TxDOT using quantitative measures such as coordination efforts, ability to meet service needs of elderly and or disabled persons based on passenger trips per month, local match ability, hours of operation, ability to maintain equipment, average fleet mileage where applicable, and average fleet age where applicable.

Organizations within the Abilene district that are interested and are located in Borden, Callahan, Fisher, Haskell, Howard, Jones, Kent, Mitchell, Nolan, Scurry, Shackelford, Stonewall, and Taylor counties should contact Joe Clark at (915) 676-6812, and request an application form. To request an application form by letter, write Joe Clark at P.O. Box 150, Abilene, Texas 79604.

Applications will be accepted through 5:00 p.m., August 31, 1998.

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BARBARA EVANS

Abilene Woman to lead Human Services Program in West Texas

ABILENE - Barbara Evans, an families and children and persons Abilene native and resident, has been selected as the new Regional Administrator for the Texas Department of Human Services (DHS), Region 02/09. The selection was made by DHS Commissioner Eric M. Bost and became effective May 8, 1998.

Ms. Evans replaces former Regional Administrator, David Maberry, who retired in August of

As Regional Administrator, Ms. Evans oversees 875 employees who administer the Food Stamp, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), Medicaid, Community Care for the Aged and Disabled and other programs that help low-income

who are elderly and disabled in the 60 counties Region 02/09 covers.

"I look forward to working with our staff and the community as we continue to provide services to folks in this part of West Texas who need help," said Ms. Evans. "It is truly an honor to have been selected to serve as the Regional Administrator for the region."

Ms. Evans started with DHS as the secretary to the Regional Administrator in 1980. In her 18 years with DHS, she has held a variety of management positions including Public Information Officer, Volunteer Services Director, and Community Services Director.

Airshow Date at Dyess Set

DYESS Air Force Base -- Dyess' Big Country Appreciation Day is August 22. Gates open at 9 a.m. More than 100 air and ground demonstrations and displays are planned and organizers say people of all ages should find something of interest.

Admission and parking are free, food and beverages will be on sale. Featured aerial demonstrations this year include Dyess' B-1 Lancer bomber and C-130 Hercules airlifter. The B--1 has thrilled crowds at the annual air show since 1985 when the first B-1 was delivered to Dyess. A low altitude, high speed pass will give spectators a close, although brief,

look at the sleek, stealthy aircraft, whose silhouette is a familiar one around Abilene.

An F-117, the world's first operational aircraft designed to exploit low-observable stealth technology, will be on display. There will be an aerobatics demonstration by FINA and a wing walking demonstration. Numerous vintage aircraft will also be on display. Visitors are encouraged to talk with crew members at static display aircraft to get firsthand information about U.S. airpower. To learn more, call the 7th Bomb Wing

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Evening Worship	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service		7:00 p.m.

Dr. Robert Smith - Interim Pastor - Jason Kempf - Youth & Music Minister

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COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer Time......7:00 p.m. Joe Coppinger, Pastor (254) 725-7730 Church 725-6266

Friendly Church . Bible Teaching

The residents enjoyed some fine violin and guitar music and singing from Brent Key, Sister Ruby and Bobby Jack McCowen. We do so appreciate you fine folks for com-

A warm welcome to our new resident, Pauline Regian.

Appreciation to Andrea Cabler for the donuts and to Frances Wolf for the chips and dips.

Vera Belyeu was our winner for a free meal at Jack's Place. Thanks Wanda and Jack.

Thoughts and prayers for Minnie Swann who is in the hospital.

Bob and Delma Thornton from Granbury visited with Juanita Thornton.

August Garlitz visited several. Peggy Lee and daughter Katrina visited Falba Shofner.

Jo Rhodes visited Blanche Brooks.

Texas Highway Patrol Museum Grand Opening June 6

8 1/2 x 11, 8 1/2 x 14, or 11 x17

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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

Seventy-three troopers have sacrificed their lives in the line of duty throughout DPS history. In appreciation of their dangerous work, The Texas Highway Patrol Association will soon open the Texas Highway Patrol Museum. Opening day ceremonies will be held in San Antonio, 11 a.m. June 6.

The museum will feature the Hall of Honor exhibit, honoring those officers killed while on duty. Other attractions will include the Medal of Valor exhibit, the Day in the Life of a Trooper exhibit and the History Hall, and a driver education exhibit.

"This museum will offer some of the old and some of the new. There'll be historic artifacts as well as the

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latest in technology," said Trooper Mark Lockridge, museum chair-

Colonel Dudley Thomas, Director of the Department of Public Safety will serve as keynote speaker.

To arrive at the museum, take I-35 to South Alamo Street, going east (toward downtown). Stay on South Alamo for about a mile as it winds though the city. Our building is on the right, at the corner of South Alamo and South Presa. The address is 812 South Alamo Street, San

THPA is seeking the names and addresses of family members of fallen highway patrol troopers. Please call 1-800-254-8598 Ext. 127 with any information.

Vera Belyeu (2) and Louise Richardson (2). Skip-Bo games. Friday: Singing with Sister Ruby and Bobby Jack McCowen. Sitdown-basketball.

answer the door.

class. Chicken Foot.

ited Lillie Childers.

Frank Wilcoxen from Cisco vis-

Activities during the week were:

Monday: Bingo winners were

Louise Richardson (3), Inola

Wilcoxen, Vera Belyeu (2), and

Falba Shofner (2). Exercise class.

Tuesday: Singing with Bob

Wallace. Popcorn social. Skip-Bo

Wednesday: Art class. Exercise

Thursday: Bingo winners were

Inola Wilcoxen, Falba Shofner,

When the devil knocks let Jesus

Very recently, as I was shopping at the local food market, I was very pleased to see that they now have two of my favorite fresh produce Sunday: Pioneer Pentecostal.

You absolutely have not lived until you have tried Jicama. It is pronounced hick-ah-mah. I first heard of Jicama from my sister.

Ole' No, Jicama Yes!!!

These Boots Were Made For

Walking and I'm Gonna Walk All

Let's write another version. These

foods were made for eating, now

we're gonna lose a pound or two -- I

The primary key to losing those

pounds seems to have been proven

to be E-X-E-R-C-I-S-E Exercise ex-

r-c-s---Yep, the batteries seem to be

running down just like my resolve,

determination, strength; etc. Well,

what can I say, we're gonna work on

that exercise think and in the mean-

time---? Oh yes, --in the meantime it

sure helps to follow (not a diet) but

a healthy eating regimen.

Over You.

It is absolutely delicious and has (take note) no calories at all.

It is shaped rather like a top (child's toy) or a turnip. The outer skin, however, resembles potato peel; except it is somewhat bumpier. The taste -- ah! It has a most refreshing taste. In my opinion, the taste is like that of a cross between a pineapple and a banana except that the flesh of the Jicama is rather crisp. It is rather good in either a fruit or a vegetable

One of the most common and enjoyable ways to serve Jicama is either in this slices or julienned and of course, chilled. when I was employed at a Lubbock bank, I took some to work with me for break. Everyone like it so much that they ate all of it. Then now get this -- then next they had me call my husband and have him bring us some more Jicama. You gotta try it! You really will like it! Jicama can be classified as both a vegetable and a fruit.

The other item I found in the produce department, at the store and to which I am very partial is the rutabaga. It is also quite delicious sliced thinly or julienned and served on a tray with other fresh, chilled raw vegetables or crudites, such as broccoli, carrot sticks, cauliflower, celery, broccoflower, Jicama, sweet

potatoes, radishes, green onions, etc. Both my daughters love sliced raw rutabagas. They taste rather like sweet potatoes. Another plus is they are not bitter like their cousins, the

Clips, Quips & Comments

By KAY DENNIS MOSLEY

purple turnips. Though quite delectable raw rutabagas are also very good, cooked; steamed or sauteed. I grew up eating rutabagas. My mother preferred them over the purple turnips. They have a very sweet, succulent flavor.

To prepare rutabagas as mother did, peel thinly and wash in cool water. Then with a very sharp knife, slice thinly, place in a saucepan, with water about halfway up and bring to a rolling boil. Next, add salt and pepper to taste and add 1 tablespoon brown sugar or sweet 'n' low, reduce fire, cover with a lid and cook until tender when pierced with a fork. Add one tablespoon margarine and toss with rutabagas. Turn out the fire, cover with the lid and allow to sit 10 minutes before serving.

Raw and cooked vegetables and fruits are very healthful eating, quite delicious and usually easy to prepare. They are also excellent served with chicken or fish.

Those in the know, now say that with this smokey haze coming from Mexico; DO NOT exercise either outside or inside if you are elderly or if you have heart, lung, or breathing problems. This is the advice health professionals are presently giving.

However, we can still all get to the grocery store for some delicious Jicama and some extraordinary ruta-

While you're there, look around. Have you tried those Gala apples? They have the best flavor of any apple I've ever eaten. They are good sliced, for snacks, salads, and for other treats

For a delicious side dish, cook a package of carrots with one chopped and peeled Gala apple in 1 1/2 cups fresh or frozen orange juice, 1/2 cup of water; until tender, covered with a lid. Add one packet of sweet 'n' low, 1 tablespoon margarine and salt and pepper to taste.

Have a great summer, and enjoy those fresh fruits and vegetables. Remember, give everyone a fair chance; your positions may someday be reversed. It can happen! Just think about it!

TRIAD Minutes From

and the ELDERLY May 13 Meeting - Several

Matters Discussed

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JUNE 4, 1998

MA & PA

By JAMES NICHOLS

In Ma's later years, she complained it was too far to walk to church -- a distance of only 2 or 3 blocks, and usually she managed to get a ride. But it was never too far to walk the half mile to the "Gin Tank" to catch a fish

Probably anyone who wets a hook on the bank of a good fishing hole would tell you a person is a might closer to his Maker with a fishing pole in their hand.

Pioneer Community Celebrated Memorial Day

Memorial Day was observed at the Pioneer Cemetery beside the War Memorial. As the people entered the cemetery they walked the pathway lined with small American Flags to the War Memorial. The services started with the posting of the colors by National Guardsmen SPC Matthew Meyer, PFC Steven Stovall and SPC Toby Derickson of the Texas Army National Guard, 3rd Battalion 112th Armored Division, Brownwood. Major Mark N. Campsey, Officer in Charge. The flag was first raised to full staff then brought back to half staff and Bro. Dwaine Clower gave the invocation. Jim Fleming was Master of Ceremonies and the National Anthem was sung by Miss Megan Kimmel. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Miss Jolena Fleming.

Jason Fleming introduced the speaker, Mr. Ron Rosseau. Jason pointed out that Ron was born in Yakima, Washington and had won a VFW sponsored patriotic essay contest while in high school and that more or less influenced his career. He came to Abilene to attend ACU

graduating in 1981. He and his wife have 3 children. Ron worked at KTAB-TV in the News Department from 1981 until 1995 when Congressman, Charles Stenholm asked him to come to work in the Congressman's District Office. Ron made a moving speech about remembering all of our heroes from all of the wars. All people who had served in the armed service in attendance were asked to stand and received a round of applause.

James Alexander read the list of our Fallen Heroes and the group joined in singing America the Beautiful, led by Jean Fore, Frankie Smith and Jo Veda Watson. Mrs. Earlene Burge read the words to TAPS then Megan Kimmel played TAPS on the horn while the crowd faced the flag. The group united in a silent tribute followed by the benediction. After the Benediction, given by Bro. Dwaine Clower, members of the families of deceased service men took flags from the walkway and placed them on the graves. Approximately 60 people were in attendance.

April Cowan graduates from TSU in Spring ceremony

April Chantell Cowan graduated from Tarleton State University during the Spring Commencement Exercises with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Agri-business management and a minor in accounting.

She graduated Summa Cum Laude with and overall GPA of 4.0. She was a 1994 graduate of Cross Plains

High School where she was vale-

April is the daughter of William and Nelda Black of Cross Plains and Troy and Gwen Hogan of Odessa. April is married to Michael Cowan and they have one daughter,

Resident among those named to university's Dean's List

SEARCY, ARKANSAS-John Chesshir, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Chesshir, of Cross Plains, is among the 1,050 Harding

The Dean's List is published each president of academic affairs, honoring those who have achieved high scholarship. To be eligible, a student must be carrying 12 or more hours and have an average scholarship level of 3.50 minimum.

Chesshir, a sophomore majoring in mathematics, attended Cross Plains High School before entering Harding.

Harding had a record enrollment this year of more than 4,100 students from 50 states and more than 40 foreign countries. It is the largest private university in Arkansas.

University students included on the motion was made by Esther Kerrand By KAY MOSLEY, Secretary school's Dean's List for grades seconded by Kay Mosley for Anita achieved during the spring semester Mayes to look into the matter; with a The Callahan County TRIAD/ at the university. decision to be made by the Council S.A.L.T. Advisory Council met at the June meeting. The motion Wednesday, May 13, at the Justice semester by Dr. Neale Pryor, vice of the Peace Office in Cross Plains at

against the elderly and of how to avoid being a victim of such.

3. Plans to show videos to Senior

Citizens on scams and crimes

4. Upcoming workshops in our

5. A letter from Texas Attorney General, Dan Morales on I.D. bracelets and cards for Alzheimer patients and/or persons with dementia or who are elderly and who may become lost or missing and an 800 number to call to procure assistance for them, under those circumstances.

6. An Austin area workshop to be held in November.

7. TRIAD logo and rubber stamp. 8. The June meeting will be held in

The meeting adjourned.

LOVERA STRICKLAND

Linda Brady, Secretary-Treasurer of the Burkett-Adams Cemetery Association, reports more donations received. Each contribution is greatly appreciated. Those donating were: Mary Lou Harris Gaskell \$100; Ludie Cox \$25; Roy D. and Lela Young \$50; Mosell Helberg \$50; Buddy and Nita Thate \$10; Mrs. Jane Waddell \$25; Ealey Cox \$20; Corene Adams \$25; Ethlyn Pate \$50; J. Pat DeBusk \$150; R.T. Watson \$50; Essie Hunter \$25; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hill \$25; Mildred Lowe \$5; Mike and Linda Brady \$25; Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Ragland \$25; Roy Don Biehl \$30; Gene and Winona Pierson \$100; Sylbia Ransberger \$25; Mr. and Mrs. George Shewmaker \$25; Sandra Stephens \$25; Tommy Underwood \$50; Elizabeth Cook \$25; Madelleine Diehl \$25; Hazel Brooks \$10; Gacia Burkett and Jean Chambers \$25; Mr. and Mrs. R.E. (Bob) Miller \$5; Zora Bryant \$25; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Porter \$25; Grady and Frances Harris (in memory of Wayne Harris \$25 and Kay Harris \$25) \$75; Mrs. Quinn Harris \$25; Virgil and Freeda Burkett \$50.

ited on Burkett Memorial Day ported having a great time.

Darryl and Kathy Tinney of Kingfisher, Oklahoma visited Jack and Lovera Strickland last weekend.

Bill Strickland and Jack and Lovera Strickland visited Tootie and Allen Rhoads at their lake home on Hubbard Lake near Breckenridge. Sonny and Marla Strickland of Breckenridge also came out to visit. Darryl Tinney of Kingfisher, Oklahoma came in Sunday to spend a few days with Jack and Lovera Strick-

A family reunion of the late Dolph and Audie Evans was held May 30 at Thurber Lake Resort. Those present were: Theda Kornegay, Donna Vick, Paula and Joe Frequa, Jan Story, Nicole Story, Doug Kornegay, Linda Kornegay, Lindsay and Emily Kornegay, Maureen Clark, Ivan Clark, Dwayne Clark, Wade and Stephanie Clark, Kaleb and Aaron Clark, Kim Clark, Rebanell Steinman, Leroy Steinman, Alan Key, Diane Key, Sonja Fienson, Iviax Henson, Clyde and Rosemary Henson, Gary Wayne and Max Earl Henson, Robert and Charla Henson, Melba Walker of San Angelo vis- Jacob and Heather Henson. All re-

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I understand the Bible to teach that God calls for total commitment upon the part of each of His followers. Romans 12:1 says it this way: "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service." That sounds a whole lot like TOTAL COMMITMENT!

I've heard "total commitment" illustrated thusly: A chicken and a hog passed in front of a restaurant and saw a breakfast of ham and eggs advertised. The chicken said, "That's nice." the hog said, "Nice? That's easy for you to say! For you, it's a contribution; for me, it's a sacrifice!"

Total commitment involves sacrifice. Defined, it means: "God, first and all." Demonstrated, it means: "Giving of self," Il Corinthians 8:5. Back to sacrifice -- self-

When the decision is to do what you want to do or what someone else asks you to do, which is it? When the decision is to do God's will or your own will, which is it? When the decision is to sleep in on Sunday morning or get up and go to Bible study and worship, which is it? When the decision was to submit to the cross or call in twelve legions of angels, which was it? Ah, there's our example! "When I survey the wondrous cross, on which the Prince of alory died. my richest pain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride." See you Sunday?

Sunday Morning Bible Class ... 9:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.

Sunday Evening Worship .. Wed. Evening Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Friends & Neighbors Caring In Jesus

BREAKTHRU

By Bob Pipes, preacher

PERSONALS

2:00 p.m.

filed for audit.

matters including:

Following the call to order by the

Chairman, the secretary-treasurer

read the minutes and gave the trea-

surers report. Both were approved as read and the treasurers report was

Discussion was held on several

1. An upcoming meeting to orga-

nize a Neighborhood Watch Pro-

gram for Cross Plains for the latter

part of May. A tentative date was set

for Thursday, May 21, by Rolan

2. Two possibles as fund-raisers to

obtain funds for an automated call-

ing system to check on the well-

being of local Senior Citizens.

Possible dates under consideration:

July and/or August or September. A

Joe Howser attended the high school graudation ceremonies at Liberty on Friday, May 29, for Jennifer Marie Howser, daughter of Wayne and Stephanie Howser.

Jennifer is the grandaughter of Leota Long Howser and the late Jack B. Howser. Her great-grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Long and Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Howser.

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DANIELLE FELTY
RUSSELL THOMAS

4TH GRADE

School "A" Honor Roll

Cross Plains Elementary

1ST GRADE DOUGLAS BOWDEN EMILY HARRIS JOAQUIN MONRREAL KRISTA PHILLIPS MANDY ROSE THOR WOERNER

2ND GRADE
HAILEY BIGGS
JENNIE LEWIS
JULIEANNE MACK
MARKUS MAXWELL
VIRGINIA NEWSOM
BRYANNA SANTOS
STARLA SCHAEFER

SRD GRADE
DANIELLE FELTY
KAREN SCOTT
BRITTA SCRUGGS
RUSSELL THOMAS
KRISTIN WELLS

4TH GRADE FORREST CREAMER JESSE NORRIS RYAN PAYNE

5TH GRADE

MEGAN FELTY

DILLON HEATH

KATIE MACK

KALI PHILLIPS

KAREN ROSS

6TH GRADE

JOSÉ MAURICIO

JENNIFER YOUNG

STH GRADE
STEPHANIE EDINGTON
MEGAN FELTY
LORI HAIL
DILLON HEATH
MICHAEL HOGRELL
KATIE MACK
KALI PHILLIPS
KAREN ROSS

6TH GRADE
PHILLIP BENNETT
RYAN MACK
JOSE MAURICIO
DUSTIN SNELL
MARCUS WILLIAMS
JENNIFER YOUNG

Cross Plains Elementary School "AB" Honor Roll

1ST GRADE
TERRAH AUGUSTINE
LACRISTA BEAUCHAMP
FREDRICK CANALES
JACK DANIELS
STASHA DRAPER
ASHLEIGH GALLAWAY
ANTHONY HUTTON
KASSIE JAMISON
GERICA KRUEGER
BROOKLYN STRENGTH
CHARLIE VASQUEZ
JOE WYATT

2ND GRADE TIFFANY AIKEN CODY BAKER BRICE BOWDEN JOSEPH CALLAWAY MCCAYLA COOK MICHAEL CURRY **BRITTANY FRANKE** RYAN JOHNSON BETTY MATHEWS BRANDI MCDONALD **BRITTANY MELTON ERIC OLVERA** CANDANCE RISTER **BRYAN RIVERS BRENDA MARIA TORRES** JOSEPH WESTERMAN **BRETT WHEELER**

3RD GRADE
ZACHARY BENNETT
RENEE BYARS
BROCK COOPER
KAYLA GOBER
ASHLEEN HODGES
BRITTANI LIBEY
MELISSA LUTER
JOHATHAN NELSON

4TH GRADE **BRITTANY ADAMS** WILLIAM BEAUCHAMP KRISTEN GARCIA **ASHLEY HALL** JARRAH HUTCHINS SAMANTHA HUTTON SUMMER OLVERA AARON PHILLIPS **AMANDA PURVELL RAYMOND SIFUENTES** JEREMIAH SNELL **GARRETT STEPHENS DENNIS TERRY CLAYTON THOMAS MEGAN THOMAS CHANCE WATKINS** SARA WELLS LEVI WOOTEN

STH GRADE
DAYNA AUTRY
JIMMIE COOK
THOMAS DIMITRI
MEGHAN HODGES
BRANDON HORTON
LAURA JOHNSON
KELSEE RICHARDS
AMANDA RIVERS

6TH GRADE
BRITTANY APPLE
DUSTY DICKSON
LASKA DILLARD
HAYLI-JO FOSTER
SAMMY GARDNER
KIMBERLY MOSIER
SUSAN PORTER
JANIELLE RIVARD

Cross Plains Jr. High And High "Principal's" Honor Roll All Grades 90 or above

7TH GRADE ANDREW CAROUTH KEALI EPPARD JUDITH HARTMAN NATHANIEL JOY

8TH GRADE
MELANIE CHESSHIR
AARON NORRIS
SHANE SHARPE
ANGELA SWIFT
SHENA THOMAS

FRESHMAN NICHOLAS DIMITRI JENNIFER HARTMAN ROBERT HILL LARRY WHITEHEAD

SOPHOMORES STEPHANIE CASTLEBERRY JODI PAYNE BRANDI RICHEY JUNIORS
SHANNADON BLACK
ZACHARY EDINGTON
JOLENA FLEMING
JOSEPH HOPKINS
MINDY MITCHELL
SAMUEL NIXON
LAURA RICCI

SENIORS BENJI BLACKSTOCK ALLEN BLAND JEREMY BOX SCOTT BRAME HOLLY BUTLER CRYSTAL CAROUTH JODY FORTUNE NICHOLAS GRAVES **DUSTY HARGROVE** JUSTIN HOPKINS LEIFTON HUNTER **KEVIN NICKERSON** JEREMY PANCAKE SCOTT RICCI JARAD RICHARDS NATHANIEL SWIFT

CARLTON THOMAS

JOSEPH TURNER NATASHA WEBB

Cross Plains Jr. High And High School "A" Honor Roll

ANDREW CAROUTH
KEALI EPPARD
JUDITH HARTMAN
NATHANIEL JOY
AMANDA KITCHENS
COLE KOENIG
SHANDA MCCLURE
DANIELLE RIVARD
KEVIN SCOTT
GEORGE TAFF
EMILY WINFREY

8TH GRADE
MELANIE CHESSHIR
JOSEPH DILLARD
APRIL HALL
JOSHUA HOPKINS
JUDITH MAURICIO
SARAH NIXON
AARON NORRIS
STEPHANIE PARKER
JAMES ROSS
SHANE SHARPE
ERIN STEPHENS
ANGELA SWIFT
SHENA THOMAS

KEVIN WILSON

FRESHMAN
ROGER CAREY
NICHOLAS DIMITRI
AMANDA GOBLE
ASHLEY HARRIS
JENNIFER HARTMAN
ROBERT HILL
JENNIFER TURNER
APRIL WEAVER
LARRY WHITEHEAD
TESSA WYATT

SOPHOMORES **CHRISTINA BEATY** BEATRICE BELL BRITTANY BENNETT KENNETH CALLAWAY CHRYSTAL CANALES STEPHANIE CASTLEBERRY CANDICE FRANCY TIFFANY GUISE MARY HUBBARD SCOTTY HUTTON MARY NICKERSON JODI PAYNE **BRANDI RICHEY** AMBER TAFF ROBERT WALTERS

JUNIORS DUSTY ANDERSON **ASHLEY BEGGS** SHANNADON BLACK JERRY BLAND JESSICA CHILDERS JOHNNY CONNELLY TOMMY CONNELLY AMANDA DILLARD **ROWDY DILLARD ZACHARY EDINGTON** JOLENA FLEMING WHITNEY GILES **DUSTIN HINKLE** JOSEPH HOPKINS JUSTIN JAMES MINDY MITCHELL SAMUEL NIXON **REYMUNDO REYES** LAURA RICCI ROY SLIGER RACHEL SMITH BENJAMIN SWITZER

SENIORS DONNA BESSELAAR BENJI BLACKSTOCK ALLEN BLAND JEREMY BOX SCOTT BRAME HOLLY BUTLER CRYSTAL CAROUTH MELISSA CLARK CHARLES COPHER **EDGAR DUNCAN** BARBARA EVANS JODY FORTUNE **NICHOLAS GRAVES DUSTY HARGROVE** JUSTIN HOPKINS **LEIFTON HUNTER** BOBBY ISBELL MEGAN KIMMEL KYE KING KAMI LEWIS KEVIN NICKERSON JEREMY PANCAKE DANIEL PURVIS KIMBERLY RATLIFF BILLIE REED SCOTT RICCI JARAD RICHARDS NATHANIEL SWIFT **CARLTON THOMAS** JOSEPH TURNER

NATASHA WEBB

Cross Plains Jr. High And High School "AB" Honor Roll

7TH GRADE
JOSEPH ALBRECHT
NATHAN ALLISON
ASHLEY COOK
DANIELLE EPPARD
CHRISTOPHER HARRIS
AARON LEWIS
DUSTIN MARTIN
BYRON MCNUTT
DUSTIN PURVIS
MARIAN REED
CHRIS SLIGER
KLAYTON WILSON

8TH GRADE
CANDICE BAILEY
TIMOTHY BUTLER
BRIDGET CALLAWAY
TAMI HALL
CHRISTY JONES
AMANDA MALINA
DUSTIN NICKERSON
CITANYA SCOTT
DANIEL STRICKLAND
REBECCA TENNISON
VIOLETA VASQUEZ
JEFFREY WORLEY

FRESHMAN LATOSHA CLANTON BRANDON GILLIAM ALSIA HAIL TOMMY HARRIS NATHANIEL HAWKINS **ASHLEE HUTCHINS** DANYELL JOHNSON MEGHANN LEWIS KYLE MCCLURE JOHN PETERS RYAN PHILLIPS JERAMIAH PORTER **CODY REED** AMBER WILSON KYLE WILSON TONI WYATT

SOPHOMORES
WILLIAM ALLAN
CLINT BAILEY
JENNIFER BRAME
STEPHANIE CHILDRESS
TABITHA CLARK
LUCINO MAURICIO
APRIL POTTER
KENNETH RATLIFF
COBY RICHARDS
MELINDA RICHARDSON
ANN STEPHENSON

JUNIORS
BROOKE CALLAWAY
TIM CURRY
NIKKI FREE
JEREMY GILLIAM
CHANDRA HEATH
BRANDY HUTTON
COBY KELLY
JAIME MAURICIO
ELIZABETH MCCARTY
DUSTIN MEIRON
VENTURA MONRREAL
SOMMER RAMSEY
LEAJEAN WYATT

SENIORS DAVID REED

Kami Lewis Wins Essay Scholarship Contest

Kami Lewis' name was added to the list of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority scholarship winners. Kami is the daughter of Terry and Dixie Lewis.

Since 1984 Beta Sigma Phi has awarded a \$300 scholarship to a Cross Plains senior. Each year the scholarship committee decides on an essay topic. The applicants are required to write a three-page essay, including references and bibliography.

This year the seniors were asked to explain their position on the best way to reduce teenage crime -- tougher penalties or crime prevention.

The Beta Sigma Phi Sorority would like to share Kami's essay with the residents of Cross Plains, and to thank every senior who participated by writing an essay.

"Teen Violence - Prevention or Penalties?"

By KAMI LEWIS

Both young and old are lashing out in blind ranges and premeditated crimes that are shocking this country. Most alarming are the crimes of the young - from the new art of "tagging" (vandalism) to arson and murder, youth crimes are leaving everyone from politicians to parents fearfully calling for something to stop the growing epidemic. Public opinion is divided. While some call for stiffer penalties, others insist prevention programs will solve the problem. I believe the answer can only lie in a combination of the two solutions.

Prevention is a key step to solving any cause and effect problem. The majority of young offenders are convicted of first-time, often peerencouraged crimes. While this trend cannot be allowed to continue, it does not suggest that all Americans are raising the next Charles Manson. It does reflect however, moral uncertainty, and an excess of time. In aptly named book, "Why Johnny Can't Tell Right From Wrong," the author points to a breakdown in America's morals. "Johnny" can't tell right from wrong simply because he hasn't been taught. With more and more parents working full-time, children are being given less instruction and guidance in everything from their school work, to a code of working morals.

In addition, moral precedents themselves have slowly changed. Instead of black or white, questions of right and wrong are now considered gray, and many children are wandering the misty fields of life without any guidance save the media. As a result, when "Johnny" is faced with problems #1; should he go riding with his friends and spray-paint stop signs, he has less of a foundation of moral guidance to draw on than a teen of the 1950's would. And he has more time on his hands. In a recent survey of Cross Plains seniors by the Texas Rural Development Council, the seniors overwhelmingly cited boredom as a major problem in their community for people their age. While this is not a problem limited to Cross Plains, it is easily taken care of by instituting programs like Latch-key, Big Brother and Big Sisters, and providing safe, chaperoned places for youths to gather without the instigating factors of alcohol and drugs.

gating factors of alcohol and drugs.

Currently, there are also many progrms designed to target "at-risk"

youths and teach them skills that will prevent dangerous decisions. But even these programs have problems differentiating between problem children and products of troubled backgrounds. In many case, children who may have been labeled precocious or adventuresome in the past, are now automatically being categorized as dangerous, or in need of prescription drugs. This may provide a short-term answer, but in the long run, how will this help? In a recent article of the Abilene Reporter-News , guest columnist Lewis Arrington commented on this trend. "Many of our children have developed a manner that seems to be, "I can do as I want, and no one is going to stop me." In response, parents have their children tested and placed on medication in an effort to keep them docile." Medication is not the cure-all for every modern problem. In fact, Arrington says, the answer is oldfashioned discipline.

However, prevention can only go so

far, and when a problem does occur, our present justice sytem is not designed for youths. Stiff and lengthy punishments often do not act s a deterrent for spur-of-the-moment crimes. Careful consideration of personal morals is not a common occurrence among the young. Additionally, the threat of hard time is distant and vague. The answer does not lie in sending children to jail. This only breeds a harder generation of young criminals that will plague our streets after their sentence. This solution certainly teaches them, but only the lessons they received from their cell-mates. Instead, when a young person commits a crime, the punishment should fit both the crime and the offender. When a young person is convicted of vadalism, let him/her be sentenced to scrubbing spray paint off city signs for several months. Other minor, but potentially serious crimes should be treated in the same way, but there is of course a boundary that must be drawn between vandalizes and murders. Even for more serious offenders, thoughtprovoking systems of justice must be instituted instead of meaningless blanket sentences that allow young minds to be shaped by hardened

Admittedly, every generation has its problems. In the age of crack babies and dysfunctional families, it is not surprising that children are refleeting the turbulent world they live in. While sometimes government interference is necessary, and can help immensely, a restructuring of the family unit and how it works together is also an important key that must be used before a problem reaches a point where penalties must be inflicted. Both the central and more local govemment is doing its best to provide services to teach young, uninformed parents the ins and outs of parenthood. Programs that include parenting classes that cover everything from changing diapers to discipling a teen are being promoted by all facets of the government, and are having an impact. The generations of children growing up in Ameircan today can be saved. Through healthier families, government plans of prevention and specialized penalties, perhaps there is hope for the future of this country, despite ourselves.

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Project Graduation 1998 Has Another Successful Year

The Seniors of '98 had a wonderful all-night party. The food and fun was wonderful and enjoyed by all. Games, movies, basketball, volleyball and winning prizes was the prizes each! They are as listed.

highlight of the night. Each senior who stayed all night won around ten Clara Nell Spencer \$5 - Holly Butler; CP Food Plaza \$10 gasoline - Bobby Isbell; CP Food Plaza \$10 gasoline - Charles Copher; Underwood's Brownwood 2 dinners - Jeremy Box; 3-M Brownwood \$50 - Bay Kirkham; Comanche Bayer Motors \$25 - Scott Ricci; Eastland Fullen Motors \$25 - Justin Hopkins; John Oliver, DDS Brownwood \$50-Daniel Purvis; CPEx-Students \$50 -Jody Fortune; CP Masonic Lodge \$20 - Jeremy Pancake; Richard Fourment \$25 - Leif Hunter; Brownwood Regional Medical Center \$50 - Joseph Turner; Insights, Coleman frame - Natasha Webb; Insights, Coleman frame -Crystal Carouth; Shugarts' Levelland photo package - Natasha Webb; CP Pee Wee Basketball \$10-Bobby Isbell; CP Pee Wee Basketball \$10 - Kevin Nickerson; CP Pee Wee Basketball \$10 - B.J. 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Reed; TxDOT Abilene dictionary -Leif Hunter; TxDOT Abilene photo album - Carlton Thomas; Coleman Co. 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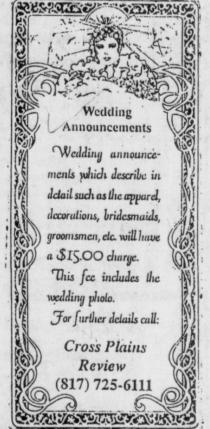
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Card of Thanks

The steering committee and Senior Class of 1998 would like to thank each one who helped with Project Graduation. A special thanks to the Methodist Church for allowing us to once again use their facilities. To those who gave prizes, prepared food, and other help we sincerely appreciate your generosity and thoughtfulness.

Card of Thanks

It is not possible for me to convey my true feelings to my school family for the special cards, generous gifts, and warm words that came to me on my retirement from Cross Plains High School. My feelings are just too deep and complex to express. You are all so special to me, and I thank God for the privilege to have been associated with you these eighteen years. I also thank my students for their love for me and for all the parents who have given me tons of support. Could anyone believe that I did not have even one angry parent walk through my door in all those years? What a blessing to have taught here and to have had tremendous respect of two generations of students and parents. Joe Coppinger

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Baird Trade's Day **Set For** Saturday

The Baird Chamber of Commerce has announced that this year's annual Trade's Day, Saturday, June 6, will feature a new concept. In past years, Market Street has been closed to vehicle traffic from 2nd to 3rd Streets for the evening Street Dance. This year's event will close Market Street to vehicles from the Depot to the corner of 4th Street from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. In addition, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Streets will be closed for 1/2 block east and west of Market Street in order to allow Market to become a "Walking Mall" for the day. The block from 2nd to 3rd will remain closed till 1:00 a.m. Saturday night for the Street Dance. Traffic control will be enforced by the Baird City Marshall.

This year's event features a live remote broadcast by Q100 FM of Abilene from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00

A "Petting Zoo" will be set up in front of the GTE Substation of W. 3rd Street. Fourteen street booths will feature everything from ice cream and sno-cones; Western Art and Horseshoe Art; sports cards. antiques and collectibles; to smoked turkey legs and barn board furniture creations. The "Arches" have been almost completely booked with booths featuring gourmet jellies and jams, jewelry, purses, original clothing, rugs, ceramics, specialty soaps and personal care items, crafts, doll furniture, candles and information.

Representatives of the Texas State Department of Health will have a booth offering child and adult immunizations.

The Chamber of Commerce will be offering a barbecue lunch at the Baird Volunteer Fire Station throughout the day.

Fine pickin' and fiddlin' will be presented beginning at 1:00 p.m. by "Swing Shift" who play classic country and country swing.

Free "kiddy" train rides will be available throughout the day and Brigham Livery Stable will be offering buggy rides for a nominal fee.

The Callahan County Sheriff's Posse will hold their annual Ranch Rodeo at the Sheriff's Posse Rodeo Arena beginning at 6:00 p.m.

"Southern Cross" is the band for this year's Street Dance which runs from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Admission is \$5.00 for singles and \$8.00 for couples. Children under 6 are admitted free when accompanied by an adult. As always, refreshments are on a "bring your own" basis. Alcoholic beverages are permitted, with responsible drinking being strongly encouraged. Glass containers are strictly prohibited. Private security for the dance will be in place.

Come on down to Baird for a full day of food, fun, and family-oriented entertainment.

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JUNE 4, 1998 American Heart Assoc.

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Launches National Program to Encourage Women to Increase Physical Activity

The American Heart Association has developed a national program, titled Choose to Move, which teaches women how to incorporate physical activity into their daily routine through creative and practical ways. Designed for women ages 25-54

who are considering becoming more active. Choose to Move is a 12-week program that shows women how to set health goals, manage their weight and build a support system of friends and family members.

Participants can sign up for Choose to Move by calling 1 (888) MY-HEART, and they will automatically receive information that includes a brochure with questions for them to answer. After they have returned the completed questionnaire to the American Heart Association, each person will receive a program handbook. Written in collaboration with the Cooper Institute of Aerobics Research in Dallas, the handbook contains health and fitness tips, resource lists and weekly score sheets. For every three weeks of the program that is completed, participants will receive an incentive gift ranging from workout supplies to cookbooks.

Choose to Move is the newest component of the American Heart Association's women's campaign called Take Wellness to Heart. Sponsored by Aetna U.S. Healthcare and Wyeth-Ayerst Laboratories, the campaign is designed to educate women and help them reduce their risks of heart disease and stroke.

Cardiovascular diseases, including stroke, constitute by far the major cause of death among American women ages 25 and older, claiming more lives than all forms of cancer and other leading causes of death combined.

The American Heart Association spent more than \$266 million during fiscal year 1996-97 for research support, public and professional education and community programs. With more than 4 million volunteers, the AHA is the largest voluntary health organization fighting heart disease and stroke, which annually kills more than 960,000 Americans.

To get more information about or to register for Choose to Move, visit the Take Wellness to Heart Web site at www.women.americanheart.org or call 1(888) MY-HEART.

Most Adults Buckling Up, Child Restraint **Use Still Lagging**

Safety belt use by Texas adults has increased steadily over the past decade, but usage rates for children lag far behind, according to recent stud-

A mandatory seat belt law was passed in 1985 requiring drivers and front seat passengers to use safety belts. Since that time, seat belt use has jumped from 14 to 76 percent, but the statistics are less encouraging for

In spite of a steady increase in child restraint usage since the 1985 law, only 63 percent of children (infants to 4 years olds) in urban areas are being buckled up. That means one out of three children are ot restrained in compliance with Texas law. These and other trends are illustrated in the findings of a study funded by the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) and conducted by the Texas Transportation Institute (TTI).

Even though Texas safety belt use ranked among the top ten in the nation in 1996, officials at TxDOT say the usage rate is not high enough. Terry Pence, Traffic Safety Programs Director of TxDOT, says if belt use could be increased by 15 percent in Texas, nearly 400 lives would be saved each year and more than 4,000 moderate to severe injuries would be prevented.

"Drivers and passengers in Texas are exposing themselves and their children to serious injury and even death, simply because they are not buckling up," Pence said. "Every hour someone in the U.S. dies in a crash simply because they were not buckled up.'

There is a national goal to reduce child passenger fatalities 15 percent and to increase overall seat belt use to 85 percent by the year 2000. Increasing safety belt usage to 85 percent would not only spare thousands of Texans pain and suffering, but also save them \$600 million each and every year in the cost of insurance administration, as well as medical, workplace and legal costs.

The TTI study also showed that:

* Children are more likely to ride unrestrained in pickup trucks than in * Restraint use is ten percent lower

for pickup truck drivers than for car

* Female drivers safety belt use is

* Restraint usage increases as age increases. The restraint usage rate for drivers over 60 was 82 percent compared to 58 percent for passengers in the 5-14 age group.

* There is a strong association be-"tween driver and passenger restraint use. If the driver is restrained, the passenger is restrained 82 percent of the time. However, if the driver is not restrained, the passenger is not restrained 69 percent of the time.

TTI began collecting occupant restraint use data in a sample of several Texas cities for TxDOT in 1984.

TTI, a member of the Texas A&M University System, is the largest university-based transportation research agency in the U.S. Patented TTI innovations have been credited with saving lives, time and money throughout the nation.

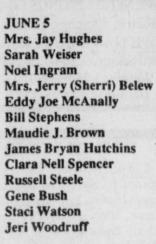
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ALANA DAVIS

Alana Davis graduates from Lockney High School

Alana Sydell Davis graduated from Lockney High School Friday, May

Alana was nominated the classclown for two years and the most devilish her senior year. Alana was in advanced high school programs.

Alana has worked at Lowes Pay 'n' Save and the Dairy Queen for the past two years. She plans to major in design at Vernon Junior College.

Alana is the 17-year old daughter of Alan and Patricia Davis of Lockney and Mary Hull of Abilene. Her grandparents are Sid and Sally Davis. Marie Martin, the late Edwin Schaefer, Marilyn Golson of Cross Plains and the late Kathryn Finley of Eastland.



TESSA DAVIS

Maria Bonet & Casey Williams United In Marriage

MR. & MRS. CASEY WILLIAMS

Gregg and Lydia Williams would like to announce the marriage of their son, Casey Williams, to Maria Miguel and Nilda Bonet of Waco.

The wedding was held Saturday, April 11, 1998, at the First Woodway Baptist Church in Waco. Casey is a 1989 graduate of Cross Plains High School and is currently employed with Smith Pump, Inc. in

Waco. Maria is a 1988 graduate of Dublin High School in Dublin, Ohio. She is currently employed at Bonet. Maria is the daughter of Dr. PMSI in Waco. The couple will make their home in Waco.

> The couple will be given a belated wedding shower by hostess Reba Beggs on Saturday, June 6, 1998 at the Cross Plains Community Center from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Kelly - Yates announce engagement and upcoming marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kelly are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Misty Michelle, to Christopher Nolan Yates, son of Carolyn Yates and the late Jerry

Joe Coppinger will officiate the double ring ceremony on Saturday, June 20, 1998, at 7:00 in the evening at the First United Methodist Church in Cross Plains.



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SARA DAVIS

Sara Davis graduates from Lockney Jr. High

Sara Michelle Davis graduated from Lockney Junior High Friday, May 22.

Her activities during junior high include UIL Calculator 8th grade 2nd place, secretary of Student Council, participated in basketball, cheerleader 8th grade year, band 7th and 8th grade. Sara was awarded the outstanding academic achievement award with a 91.77 average.

Sara is the 14-year old daughter of Alan and Patricia Davis of Lockney and Mary Hull of Abilene. Her grandparents are Sid and Sally Davis, Marie Martin, the late Edwin Schaefer, and Marilyn Golson of Cross Plains and the late Kathryn Finley of Eastland.

Tessa Davis has successful year at Lockney

Tessa Davis, 16-year old daughter of Alan and Patricia Davis of Lockney and Mary Hull of Abilene, had a successful year at Lockney.

Tessa was very active in most sports. She played varsity basketball her freshman and sophomore year. This past year the Lockney Longhorns had a 3-way tie for first place in district. In the district tract meet, Tessa received a 1st in the discuss, 2nd in shot put, 3rd in sprint relay and 4th in 800 relay. She was regional qualifier for shot, discus and sprint relay.

Tessa will be employed as a lifeguard at the Lockney swimming pool and attending basketball camps at Lubbock this summer.

Her grandparents are Sid and Sally Davis, Marie Martin, the late Edwin Schaefer, and Marilyn Golson of Cross Plains and the late Kathryn Finley of Eastland.

Cisco Junior **College Nursing** Program - Full Accreditation

The Registered Nursing Program at Cisco Junior College, Abilene Educational Center, is now fully accredited by the Board of Nurse Examiners for the State of Texas. Initial Accreditation was granted when the program admitted its first class of students in 1995. Twenty-four students are accepted annually into the nursing program. The program is specially designed for licensed vocational nurses to complete their registered nursing degree in one year.

Graduates are employed by Abilene healthcare facilities and by rural healthcare facilities in the surrounding areas. "Associate Degree graduates contribute greatly to alleviating the registered nursing shortage in West Texas," said Dr. Barbara McClurg, Director of the nursing program.

All of the graduates from the class of 1997 successfully passed the licensure examination and are employed in Abilene and the surrounding rural areas. "The graduates are highly recruited and generally receive several job offers prior to graduation," said Dr. McClurg.

Information about the nursing program can be obtained by calling the Department of Nursing at Cisco Junior College in Abilene at (915) 673-4567.

"The Second Man" **Opens CJC Summer Dinner Theatre Season** June 4

Theatre summer season will get under way soon with a production of "The Second Man" by S.N. Behrman.

The production features Adrian Viccellio as Clark Storey, with Carolyn Ainsworth and Laura Rankin as the rivals for his affection. Also fcatured are Michael Badas as Austin Lowe, Storey's romantic rival, and James Bellinger as the waiter.

"The Second Man" will play for a two-week run in early June. Performances will be given Thursday

The 1998 Conrad Hilton Dinner through Sunday, June 4-7 and 11-13, at the Conrad Hilton Community Center in downtown Cisco.

Thursday through Saturday are full dinner nights with ticket prices at \$12.00. Sunday performances are "dessert only' performances with tickets at \$6.00. Dinner service begins at 7 p.m. Thursday through Saturday. Dessert service begins at 2 p.m. on Sundays. Make your reservations today by phoning (254) 442-2589, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Annual Black Bass Tournament at **Colorado City June 13**

The eighth annual Fisherman Appreciation Black Bass Open Tournament will be held at Lake Colorado City State Park and Lake Champion on Saturday, June 13. The tournament is sponsored annually by the Colorado City Area Chamber of Commerce.

Contestants may fish by kayak, boat, tube or wade for a chance at more than \$4,200 in cash prizes (based on 150 entries). First place is guaranteed to pay \$2,000 and the next 19 places will pay out according to the number of registered entries.

The \$35 entry fee includes a catered meal for all fishermen on Friday, June 12, at the tournament headquarters located at First and Elm in downtown Colorado City. Headquarters will be open from 5:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. on Friday, and from 5:00 a.m. to 7:00 a.m., on Saturday. All fisherm en must register to be eligible for cash

Contact the chamber of commerce at (915) 728-3403 or Tournament Director Ronnie Conner (915) 728-8436 for additional information.



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