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NUMBER 33



COMMUNITY BANKING CONVENTION ATTENDEES — IBAT Chairman, J. David Williams of HCSB in Kerrville, from left, Texas Heritage Bank Cross Plains President, David Estes, CEO Texas Heritage Bank, Steve Mack, and IBAT Immediate Past Chairman of HomeTown Bank in Galveston, Jimmy Rasmussen.

Texas Heritage Bank Earns Bronze Medal in Best of Community Banking Awards

Boerne, TX (October 2010) Texas Heritage Bank has been awarded a Bronze Medal in the 2010 Best of Community Banking Awards for community service.

The sponsoring Independent Bankers Association of Texas (IBAT) honored the Boerne based bank along with other medal winners in special ceremonies held September 28 during the organization's 36th annual convention in Fort Worth.

After a fire destroyed 7,600 acres and 116 homes in Cross Plains, TX, the original site for Texas Heritage Bank, the bank

took on a community housing project to develop six single family residences across the town. President, David Estes comments, "Texas Heritage Bank has a proud history of service and involvement in the Cross Plains community. After the fire, we knew we wanted to do something that would meet a real need and be good for our community. We are honored to be recognized by other community bankers with this award."

Winners in the Best of Community Banking competition are selected by an independent panel of judges. IBAT is the

largest state community banking organization in the nation, representing some 500 Texas-based banks through their 2,000 locations in 700 communities.

Chartered in 1931 in Cross Plains, Texas, Texas Heritage Bank began serving Texans since 1931 and the Boerne community since 2001 and expanded to Leon Springs in 2005. Texas Heritage Bank offers a relationship oriented banking experience with people you can trust.

Texas Heritage Bank is a member of the FDIC.

Cross Plains Community Cancer Fund and Memory Walk Rased a RECORD \$9,500 for Cancer Fund

The totals are in—this year's Cross Plains Community Cancer Fund and Memory Walk held a few weeks ago raised over \$9,500 for the Cross Plains Cancer Fund.

A BIG Thank You to everyone who helped with the event by hosting a campsite or food booth, organizing a walking team, holding a fundraiser, donated money, donating an item to be auctioned or used in the bake sale,

cake walk Bingo or drawings. It couldn't have been accomplished without you.

The proceeds from this year's walk are used to help local cancer patients with gas and travel expenses for treatment and physician visits. A total of 17 cancer patients have been assisted in the past year using \$5,300.00 of proceeds from the 2009 Cancer Walk.

Annual Cross Plains F.F.A. Meat and Fruit Fundraiser Now Underway

The Cross Plains FFA would like to announce that our annual fundraiser for the chapter is underway. The fundraiser was started on Friday, October 22nd and will run through Monday, November 8th.

This year's sale will include: fruit, meat, pre-cut cookie dough, and several other miscellaneous items such as pecans, peanuts, cheese, etc.

Please note that this year's fruit will be in a variety of sizes and combinations of different fruits to better accommodate your preferences. We think this will be a positive change for all.

All proceeds will benefit the Cross Plains FFA students. To place an order, please contact any Cross Plains FFA member or call the Ag. Department at 254-725-6121. We would like to thank everyone in advance for their support of the Cross Plains FFA.

Submitted by
Skyler Halsel
Cross Plains FFA Reporter

American Legion Post #423 to Meet Thursday, October 28th

The Cross Plains American Legion Post #423 will be holding their regular monthly meeting Thursday, October 28th, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the local American Legion Hall on N.E. 1st Street.

A meal will be served and wives of members are cordially invited to attend.

All members and prospective new members are encouraged to attend.

Flu Shots Provided by Girling Thursday, October 28th

Flu shots will be given by Girling at the Cross Plains Senior Citizens Center, 108 North Main Street, on Thursday, October 28th, from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

If you have Medicare there is NO COST. Please have your medicare card with you.

The cost for others will be \$25.00.

FRIDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL CROSS PLAINS BUFFALOES

VS.

MERIDIAN YELLOWJACKETS

Friday, October 29, 2010

7:30 p.m.

Buffalo Stadium (Home)

Come out and support our Buffaloes!



Memorial Fund Established for Micheal Hogrell

A Memorial Fund has been established at Texas Heritage Bank to assist with funeral expenses for Micheal Hogrell. He is the son of Suzane Hogrell of Cross Plains.

Your kind generosity will be greatly appreciated by his family. You may mail donations to:

Texas Heritage Bank

P.O. Box 699

Cross Plains, TX 76443.

Please remember this family in your prayers during this difficult time.

Health Care Scam Targets Senior Citizens

The Better Business Bureau is ALERTING senior citizens about a telemarketing scheme aimed at Medicare and Medicaid beneficiaries.

The caller informs the seniors it is time to renew their drug card. The sales person leads the senior into thinking they are dealing with their own insurance company. Telemarketers instruct the victims to disclose their bank account number to pay a check by phone.

The scam is called the "\$299 Ring". The typical amount of money the Medicare beneficiaries are talked into withdrawing accounts in order to "keep" their benefits or to pay for a non-existent prescription drug plan.

The Bureau offers the following tips: 1. Never release your personal banking information to anyone that calls YOU. 2. Legitimate Medicare drug plans never ask for payment by phone. 3. No one can come into your home uninvited. 4. No one can ask you for personal information during their marketing activities. 5. Always keep all personal information safe including Medicare numbers. 6. If you have concern about any activity regarding Medicare call 1-800-MEDICARE.

General Election to take place Tuesday, November 2nd

Callahan County voters will go to the polls on Tuesday, November 2nd in the General Election scheduled at seven voting locations in Callahan County.

Voting on Tuesday will take place from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Those seven voting locations for the Tuesday, November 2nd General Election in Callahan County include:

Clyde Precinct #1: Clyde Woman's Club Building, 317 South 1st Street, Clyde.
Eula Precinct #2: Eula School (Old Administration Building),

6040 FM 603 in Eula.

Baird Precinct #3: Baird Activity Center, 228 Walnut Street, Baird.

Cross Plains Precinct #4: Cross Plains Community Center, 108 Beech Street, Cross Plains.

Putnam Precinct #5: Putnam Community Center, 120 West Travis, Putnam.

Clyde Precinct #6: Clyde Southside Baptist Church, 641 Hunt Street, Clyde.

Oplin Precinct #7: Oplin Community Center, 8990 FM 2926 in Oplin.

Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce Annual Hunters Feed, Sat., November 6, 2010

Saturday, November 6, 2010 will be the day for the Annual Hunters Feed sponsored by the Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce. Activities will begin at 11:00 a.m. and continue through 1:00 p.m. in the parking lot of the Cross Plains Senior Citizens Center Downtown.

This event is held in appreciation of the hunters who frequent this area and boost the economy of our landowners and local businesses. Hunters (with a valid hunting license) and landowners are invited to come and enjoy a free Bar-B-Que Sandwich and Beans from Staghorn Cafe of Cross Plains; Chips and Cookies provided by Subway; plus a cold drink.

You may also register for many free door prizes contributed by local businesses and individuals. Drawings will be held

throughout the festivities. **YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO ACCEPT THE GIFT CERTIFICATES, ETC.**

A drawing will be held for a 24" Fire Pit donated by J&L Sales and Service and a Wood Rack donated by J&S Ag Fabrication, both businesses are in Cross Plains. Tickets are \$5.00 each and YOU DO NOT HAVE TO BE PRESENT TO WIN.

Vendors will not be permitted to set up booths at this event. If you have something that you would like to give away to show appreciation to the hunters, you may have a table. Drawings other than those sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce will not be allowed.

For further information, please feel free to contact the Chamber office at 209 NW Main St. or call 254-725-7251.

Trick or Treat at the Senior Center

Bring your little ghost or goblins by the Senior Center on Saturday, October 30th from 5:00pm - 7:00pm for a treat!!

The Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club will be having a Hot Dog Concession Stand this Friday night, October 29th.

We will have grilled hot dogs, fixins such as chili, cheese, relish, onions; Hot Dogs Only - \$1.00; Hot Dog Meal to include

Chips and Drink - \$4.00 This is one of our fundraisers for the booster club and we would appreciate your support.

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Church Directory

COTTONWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School9:45 AM
 Morning Worship.....11:00 AM
 Evening Service.....6:00 PM
 Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer Time.....7:00 PM

David Braun, Pastor
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Al Taylor, Preacher

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Pioneer Baptist Church

Pastor:
 Billy Smith
 254-725-6268

Sunday School.....10:00 am
 Sunday Morning Worship.....11:00 am
 Sunday Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Service.....7:00 p.m.

Music Director: Barbara Jo Medley

Living Water Ministries Fellowship

Restoring And Equipping The Saints

Sunday....10:00 am Wednesday....7:00 pm

Pastor Max Evans

For Information Call (254) 725-7418

Rowden Baptist Church

Pastor: Wayne Lenz

Music: Karen Lenz & Diane Woods

Bible Study...10:00 am

Sunday Morning Worship...11:00 am

2990 Highway 36 at Rowden 12 Miles West of Cross Plains

Burkett Baptist Church

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Sunday Church - 11:00 a.m.

5th Sunday Potluck Lunch and Fellowship
 after Church
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Pastor: Brad Davis

Music: PIANO PLAYER NEEDED

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Pastor: Len Smith



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Obituaries

Doyle Eager

Family services for Doyle Eager, 73, of Odessa, will be held in Odessa at a later date. Mr. Eager passed away Tuesday, October 19, 2010 in Longview. Cremation arrangements are under the direction of Rader Funeral Home of Longview.

Mr. Eager was born March 31, 1937 in Cross Plains to Carl and Zudora Eager. He was a retired salesman for Treanor Equipment and a U.S. Army Veteran. On December 28, 1958, he married his wife of 51 years, Donna Kay Lehman, who preceded him in death on February 10, 2010. He was also preceded in death by his parents.

Those left to cherish his memory are his son, Lyle Eager of Longview and his daughter, Marlyn Eager of Odessa; sister, Mona Tappan of Farmington, New Mexico; grandchildren, Taylor Eager, Katie Eager, Draven Hodgson and Norrin Hodgson; great-grandchildren, Copelan Eager and Teagan Eager. Memorial contributions may be made to Beacon Hospice at Margaret's House, 5016 Gilmer Road, Longview, TX 75604.

A memorial guestbook may be signed at www.raderfh.com.

Roberta Conlee

Roberta Conlee, 77, passed away Wednesday, October 20, 2010 in the Stephenville Hospital.

She was born on November 29, 1932 in Portales, New Mexico to Fletcher and Ressie Anderson Chambers. Roberta was a bookkeeper for an oil company for many years. She was a Methodist and had lived in Stephenville for the past 15 years.

Survivors include her son Tommie Conlee and wife Kim of Stephenville; a daughter, Deana Fink and husband Shannon of Houston; a brother, Woody Chambers of Lake Brownwood; two sisters, Donnie Rodgers of Gorman and Dorothy Neumann of Lubbock; five grandchildren, Katelyn, Cooper, Casen and Riley Conlee, all of Stephenville and Kacey Fink of Houston.

She was preceded in death by her parents, brothers, Delwin and Dewey Chambers and a sister, Tressie Basse.

Manuel R. Arrey

Manuel R. Arrey, age 57, of Baird, Texas, passed away October 20, 2010, at his home. The body will be cremated and a memorial service held at a later date.

Manuel was born April 9, 1953, in Silver City, New Mexico, to Guadalupe Arrey and Polly Rios Arrey. He had been a Baird resident for 4 years, moving here from Del Rio, Texas. He was the manager of the Baird Dairy Queen since he moved to Baird. Manuel was a Christian man who loved God and was very generous to people.

Survivors include his father, Guadalupe Arrey of Hondo, Texas; one brother, Tony Arrey of San Antonio; three sisters, Frances Lopez of Hondo, Sue Ellen Martinez of San Antonio and Joan Arrey of Albuquerque, New Mexico; and two nieces and three nephews.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Polly Arrey.

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In Appreciation

There is a moment in every life we wish wasn't a part of us, a moment we wish we didn't have to go through, a moment we wish would just pass us up, we had that moment October 9th when Carl left us.

We have such thanks in our hearts for those who cared for him. Especially Girling Health Care workers Darren Simpkins and Donnie Dillard, the Cross Plains E.M.S., Higginbotham Funeral Home, and all those who prayed over us to get us through this time.

A special "thank you" to Bob Pipes and Harris Worcester for their words of remembrance at the service, the local American Legion Post #423 for the military service, the local lodge for the Masonic rites, Tim's Floral for the flowers that exceeded our wishes, Connie Kirkham and Connie Swift for practicing music at the last moment and performing it so beautifully.

Last, but not least, our Lord and Savior for giving us such a man to learn from, to grow with and to love.

Family and Friends
 of Carl B. Edington

Memorials may be made to the Cross Plains E.M.S. or Cross Plains Volunteer Fire Department by mailing donations to:

Texas Heritage Bank
 P.O. Box 699
 Cross Plains, TX 76443

Courthouse News

CALLAHAN COUNTY COURTHOUSE NEWS

Roger Corn, Presiding

Misdemeanor Filings

Sean Craig Bailey, driving while intoxicated (DWI).
 Russell A. Kruithoff, DWI.

Misdemeanor Minutes

Andrea Steakley, motion to dismiss to theft by check granted in the interest of justice.

Dana Hogrell, order on motion to revoke has been dismissed.

William D. Schulte, motion to dismiss to theft by check granted, completion of PTD Program.

Marriage Licenses

Jerry D. Wallace Jr. and Pamela A. Grimes, both of Abilene.

42nd DISTRICT COURT John Weeks, presiding

Criminal Indictments

Daniel G. Sanchez, money laundering.

James Ray Hill, theft.

Steven J. Cox, DWI, 3rd or more.

Lisa L. Lott, possession of a controlled substance.

Cory R. Metts, DWI, 3rd or more.

Criminal Information & Complaints

Michael K. Walker, burglary of a building.

Criminal Minutes

Order amending conditions of probation: Michael Earl Blue; Shane Powell; Charles Dale Reutter; Steven Ray Murray; Joshua Brian Rudder; Jamie Mlenak.

Cynthia Marie Wheeler, request for extension of probation granted.

Jake A. Freiman, plea of guilty to possession of a controlled substance, 3 years in prison, \$384 court costs.

James Ray Hill, motion to dismiss to theft granted for plea to other case.

Justin L. Brewster, plea of guilty to unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, 2 year probation, \$750 fine, \$359 court costs.

Joshua Dean Harrell, judgment revoking probation, sentence to jail.

Daniel Sanchez, motion to dismiss to money laundering granted, defendant sentenced to prison.

NOTE: The Michael K. Walker in the courthouse news this week IS NOT the Michael L. Walker of Baird/Rowden.

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Sunday

Evening Worship

6:30 pm

Wednesday

6:30 pm Prayer/Worship

Youth Bible Study 6:30 pm

Children Choir 6:30 pm

Ronnie B. White, Pastor

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COTTONWOOD NEWS

BEVERLY BROWN

The first weekend in November, the 5th and the 6th will be a busy time for Cottonwood community associations—The Cottonwood Historical Association and the Cottonwood Quilting Club members. We can use volunteers help. You can make sandwiches or pie for the musical—or bake a pie, cake or other baked goodie for the bake sale.

The Cottonwood Musical is Friday, November 5, for the next Cottonwood Musical. Doors open at 5 p.m. with the music starting at 5:30 p.m. (Note the earlier start time.) Lots of musicians have signed up to play. You won't want to miss this musical.

We'll be serving homemade

chili in the kitchen, along with sandwiches, chips, desserts, soft drinks, water, iced tea and coffee. If you'd like to help out by donating sandwiches or pie, please give me a call at 254-725-7369.

Deer Season opens Saturday, November 6. This will be our first time to have a musical close to the opening of deer season. If you have deer hunters or relatives in from out of town, bring them along—they'll have a good time. The musical is FREE.

Saturday, November 6, is also the Cottonwood Quilting Club's annual Bake Sale in front of Super S Foods. This is a great time to stock up on cakes,

cookies and other goodies for the holidays. If you'd like to bake a cake, pie or other dessert for the bake sale, bring the item to the Bake Sale Saturday at 9 a.m. Call Sue for more details on the bake sale.

The Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control Group meets again on Tuesday, November 9th.

Mark your calendars now for the Cottonwood Community Christmas Party on **Saturday, December 4th**, at 5 p.m. Everyone come out and have a great time visiting with your friends and neighbors. Bring a finger food or Christmas goodie and a white elephant.

LIBRARY NOTES

October 18-22, 2010

Patrons:	156
Books Checked Out:	85
Programs:	10
Copies:	22
Interlibrary Loans:	2
Reference:	8
Internet Users:	67

Memorials:

D.P. and May Jones
In Memory of Patsy Pipes

Donations:

Curt and Ginny Hoskins

Book Donations:

Bill Anderson
Ann Beeler
Ellen Hebert
Carl Edington
Brenda Spraggins

Volunteers:

Benny Callaway
Azalee Womack
Arlene Stephenson
Sue Bennett
Wilma Lawrence

Cross Plains Area Genealogy Society meets at the Library every first and third Mondays at 1:00 p.m.

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SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER ACTIVITIES:

BY AMBER THOMAS

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Monday, 1st - 10:00am Movie Monday. Cokes and Popcorn.
Tuesday, 2nd - 10am Mexican Train Dominoes. 11am Exercise Class.
Wednesday, 3rd - Nutrition Education.
Thursday, 4th - 11am Exercise Class.
Friday, 5th - 10:30am-11:30am - Manicures.
Saturday, 6th - 9:00am-1:00pm - Hunter's Feed.

BAKE SALE

The Cross Plains Senior Center will have a bake sale on November 23rd, beginning at 9:00 a.m.! If you would like to donate a baked good, please drop off at the center, 108 North Main St. All proceeds benefit the Seniors.

NEEDS OF THE SENIOR CENTER:

(2) OFFICE CHAIRS THAT ROLL

Cornbread Dressing for Sale

The Cross Plains Senior Center will have the famous cornbread dressing for sale on November 23rd. The cost is \$15.00 for a 9 x 13 pan of dressing and 16 oz. of gravy. Please call ahead and place your order by Friday, November 19th at Noon 254-725-6521. All proceeds benefit the seniors!

Thanksgiving Meal at the Senior Center

The Senior Center will have the Annual Thanksgiving Meal on Wednesday, November 17th. Due to high attendance, you MUST make reservations no later than Monday, November 15th at Noon. 254-725-6521.

SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

NOVEMBER 1 - NOVEMBER 5

MONDAY - Chili, Fruit, Milk Cornbread & Dessert, Milk/Tea/ Coffee	THURSDAY - Mozzarella Chicken, Pasta, Salad, Bread and Dessert, Tea/Coffee/Milk
TUESDAY - Stuffed Bell Peppers, Corn, Salad, Bread and Dessert, Tea/Coffee/Milk	FRIDAY - Chicken Noodle Soup, Pimento Cheese Sandwich, Fruit, Crackers and Dessert, Tea/ Coffee/Milk
WEDNESDAY - Steak Fingers, Potatoes, Carrots and Peas, Bread and Dessert, Tea/ Coffee/	

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Cottonwood Musical Friday November 5th

Mark your calendar now for Friday, November 5, the date when some of the area's best musicians return to the Cottonwood Community Center for the Cottonwood Musical. Chuck Patrick will emcee the old time country music event. Admission is FREE.

The doors open at 5 p.m., with

the music starting at 5:30 p.m. Note the earlier start time. Homemade chili, sandwiches, sodas, water, iced tea, coffee and dessert will be available in the kitchen area of the Community Center.

Proceeds from the refreshments go toward the care and

maintenance of the Cottonwood Community Center. If you'd like to help with the center and won't be able to attend the event, you can send a donation to:

Cottonwood Historical Association
P.O. Box 704
Cross Plains, TX 76443.

Commissioners approve Indigent Defense Grant resolution

The Callahan County Commissioners' Court approved a resolution for the Indigent Defense Grant in which the County is applying for.

The commissioners' court took the action Thursday, October 14th during a regular commissioners' court meeting held at the County Courthouse in Baird.

On a motion by Commissioner Tom Windham and a second by Commissioner Cliff Kirkham, the commissioners' court voted 5-0 to approve the Resolution for the Indigent Defense Grant application.

Other items brought before the commissioners' court included:

—Callahan County Judge Roger Corn called the commissioners' court meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. with Precinct #1 Commissioner Harold Hicks, Pre-

cinct #2 Commissioner Bryan Farmer, Precinct #3 Commissioner Tom Windham, and Precinct #4 Commissioner Cliff Kirkham present. Also present at the meeting were Donna Bell, County Clerk, and County Treasurer Dianne Gunter.

—Commissioner Farmer made a motion to approve the County Choice Silver Health Insurance Supplement to be offered to Callahan County retirees, which would be paid for by the retiree. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Hicks and approved with a 5-0 vote.

—Commissioner Windham made a motion to adjourn the commissioners' court meeting at 9:32 a.m. Commissioner Farmer seconded the motion and the motion carried with a 5-

0 vote.

OLD FOLKS AND COWPOKES

JAMES NICHOLS

As one drives in the gate of Spring Gap Ranch and asks Tommy Rogers, "What are you doing?" "Fighting poverty," comes back the answer.

Tommy started out working sheep and Spanish goats on the back of a racing mule. (Some mules can out run a good horse in a quarter mile race.) Bobby Sox had a tattoo on her lip to prove it. Tommy said when Bobby Sox was racing they would give her a little extra push out of the gate with a hot shot.

When Bobby Sox retired from racing it took about a year to keep her from having a runaway when anything hit her in the flank.

Hoy Hamilton, whose family settled in Borden County in the 1800's, gave Tommy a leg up on cowboying. Hoy and Tommy were separating out some calves to be worked.

The red Tommy was riding was a "pitcher" and before Tommy knew what was happening it had pitched him off and the yearling he was after was on top of him stirring the dust up, bellowing and blowing snot all over him.

As Roy roped the yearling and pulled it down the fence off of Tommy, he stated, "Don't worry he might kill you, but I won't let him eat you."

Tommy and his boss, Suzie, have lived worked and enjoyed

life on the Rocking Chair Upton, M.D. Bryant, Cargile and the Beckham (Spring Gap) Ranches.

Tommy likes and is a firm believer in good working dogs. Once while gathering sheep on the Upton, as the gate was being closed four of the long tailed critters lit out down a brushy creek. Bud Upton took out after them on horseback. Tommy tightened up his synch and hollered at his trusted dog, Monroe, and they were off.

Monroe caught three of the sheep just about as fast as Tommy could carry them out to the road and tie them down. It was about then that Upton came out of the brush. He had roped his lamb and had it on the horse's neck in front of the saddle.

Bud's horse was all lathered up and breathing hard and Bud was pretty lathered up with disgust.

"Well, I guess the other three got away," Upton said.

"No, I got them tied down out by the road," Tommy remarked. "How did you catch them?"

Upton asked.

"Monroe caught them!" Tommy replied. He thought Bob would say something good about the dog. They were nearly back to the pens when Bob stated, "You're not going to have a horse worth a hoot, if you don't start leaving that dog at the house."

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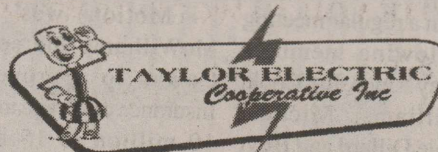
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By Charles Chesshir
Cross Plains Church of Christ

Learning to Behave

Good behavior allows a child to learn faster, achieve more, and live safer. With such benefits at stake, good behavior should be a premium objective but its significance seems to be losing meaning.

Good behavior is behavior that follows an ideal model. Poor behavior on the other hand follows a poor model. Children are drawn to the adult or peer in their life that best meets their needs for love, acceptance, and feelings of significance. When a parent cannot or will not be that person, the child gravitates toward the next person who will. Behavior in a child is nearly always modeled after the person who provides that acceptance. For instance, when a four-year olds need for love and acceptance are met by the mother, the four-year old becomes loving and acceptance of his two-year old sibling. If the four-year olds needs are not being met by a parent, then the two-year old becomes a rival for attention. Gang leaders can easily target need deprived children by meeting this need for acceptance and become the role model for violent and even evil behavior.

Winning and losing in life are determined by behavior. Behavior is always tied to inner needs that are being met or not being met. When the needs of love and acceptance are not met within the heart, then destructive and self-seeking behavior follows. Over-eating, addiction to nicotine, alcohol abuse, etc. are all behaviors of unmet inner needs. The outward destructive behavior is always tied to the inner pain.

If you as an adult do not have the will to reach out and meet the needs of others, you must turn to Jesus Christ in faith, who loves, accepts and gives you eternal significance. He is the only true role model among us.

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Cross Plains Cross Country Results from Ranger College Cross Country Meet

Monday, October 18th, the Lady Buffs traveled to Lone Cedar Country Club to compete in the Ranger College Cross Country Meet. There was one division for high school and one for junior high.

The Varsity Lady Buffs won first place with a total of 42 points. Second place was Albany with 57 points, followed by Brownwood with 84 points. Leading the way for Cross Plains was freshman, Shelby Thomas taking first place with a time of 13:11. Zoie Walker finished sixth place at 14:13. Lauren Goode was tenth with a time of 14:32. 11th place went to Shelby Ames with a time of 14:36. Katharine Goode got 14th place with her time of 14:50.

The top fifteen finishers in the race received medals. Other varsity times were Samantha Dickson, 20th at 15:14. Rosa Salazar, 29th at 16:04. Cheyenne Cowan, 32nd at 16:10. Megan Brown, 39th at 17:27.

The Junior High Lady Buffs also enjoyed a victory placing first in their race. The top five

finishers were Shelby McWilliams, first place with a time of 14:18. Allanta Wheeler finished second at 14:54. McKenzie Halsel, fourth at 15:38. Kelli Bennett, seventh at 16:11, and Kristen Savell, ninth at 16:12. The top five finished with a team total of 25 points to top second place Perrin-Whitt who had 60 points. Brittany Bush, 11th place finish with 16:18 earned a top 15 medal. Rebekah Crockett medaled at 12th place with 16:19. Inez Salazar also received a medal for her 14th place finish with a time of 16:22. Other times were Karey Campbell 16:35, Tegan Fortune 17:04, Bridgette Mayfield 17:11, Billie Pointer 18:23, Kelbi Hyles 18:35, Melissa Broeker 19:57, Cheyenne Haas 20:22, Ashley Fulcher 20:56, Brenna Klieber 22:40, Kaitlyn Potter 24:00, and Cheyenne Bomar 24:04. Colton Bradley, seventh grade, was the only boy to compete (time and place not available at time of press).

The Lady Buffs will travel to Eula on Monday, October 25th for the District Meet.

Cross Plains Band Competes at Marching Contest in Brady

The Cross Plains Buffalo Marching Band competed at contest in Brady on October 16, 2010 and out of three judges scored a 2, 3, 3, so over all a 3.

There was a good representation of support from family and friends. The band did extremely well and sounded great. The

band members and family then enjoyed a wonderful lunch at the Heart8 BBQ restaurant.

Practices are no longer at 6:00 PM on Mondays - there will be no more Monday night practices. The band will be starting concert season soon.

Buffaloes Play Hard Against Baird - Come Up Short, 55-22

Taylor Savell scores first TD on a 1 yd QB sneak. Baird 14 - CP 7. Taylor Savell throws 16 yd TD pass to Justin Golson, Allan Wheeler good on 2 pt. conversion run. Baird 21 - CP 15. Cody Ford picks Baird interception for 21 yds. Taylor Savell throws 11 yd TD pass to Cody Ford with :03 seconds left in half. Baird 28 - CP 22. Halftime score. Second half: Jeff King blocks FG attempt. Blake Hutchins blocks extra point attempt. Final Score: Baird 55 - CP 22.

	CP	Baird
First Downs	16	12
Tot. Offense	302	323
Rushing Yds.	41-236	34-228
Passing Yds.	66	95
Comp-Att-Int	6-13-4	5-9-1
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties	11-80	4-40

Tackles: -DT Jeff King-9 (Blocked FG); -LB Taylor Savell -7; -FS Cody Ford-6 (Int.); Ryder Foster -4; Tristen Stephenson-4; Daniel Higgins -4 (1 pass break up). CP had five turnovers.

CPHS Blackout Pep Rally Activities to Include Sweetheart Nominees

This Friday, the Buffaloes will host the Meridian Yellowjackets with pre-game activities starting at 7:05 p.m. At this time, the Senior Cheerleaders and Senior Football players will be escorted by their parents as they are introduced. Parents need to be at the picnic tables between the track and the gym at 6:55 p.m. to start lining up.

The football sweetheart and band sweetheart/beau will be announced at halftime of the football game. The game starts at 7:30 p.m.

On Friday morning the varsity cheerleaders will be selling glow necklaces in the cafeteria at 7:30 a.m. The cheerleaders will go to the pre-k, kindergarten, and the first grade classrooms at 8:00 a.m. The jr. high and high school can purchase their glow necklaces in

the cafeteria, at the picnic tables during tutorials, from any cheerleader, or in the high school library. The cost of the glow necklaces will be \$1.50 per necklace and will be available in purple and gold.

Please support the cheerleaders and the Buffaloes by coming to the blackout pep rally glowing. The pep rally will begin at 3:08 p.m. The sweetheart nominees and beau nominees will be announced at the blackout pep rally.

The Senior Pep Rally will be next Friday, November 8th at 3:08 p.m.

Please come out and support the Buffaloes Friday night and enjoy the halftime ceremonies.

Submitted by Evelyn Harris

Character in Service (CIS), October 18th - 29th at Cross Plains Elementary

October 18 through 29 the students at Cross Plains Elementary School will be participating in a program called *Character in Service* (CIS). The *Character in Service* program highlights good character and teaches school children that their choices impact their lives, their school, their community, and the world. CIS teaches children to take *local action* to make a *global impact*. CIS will also give the children of Cross Plains Elementary School the opportunity to learn about orphans in Sudan supported by Make Way Partners. Make Way Partners is a Birmingham based mission organization and has built the only orphan homes available to children of the Darfur region of Sudan. The mission of Make Way Partners is to confront modern-day slavery

in some of the world's toughest places.

On behalf of the orphans in Sudan cared for by Make Way Partners and the students of Cross Plains Elementary School, we would like to say thank you to the sponsors who made it possible to bring CIS to Cross Plains. These sponsors are: Kasle Energy, Luter Ranch, The Park Carwash, Cottonwood Baptist Church, Garrett Production, Karen Lenz - Liveoak Land and Real Estate, Shana Hinyard - Liveoak Land and Real Estate, Main Street Pool House and Surf Shop, Kimmy's Rustic to Rhinestones, the Kiwanis Club of Cross Plains, 3D AG, Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce, Texas Heritage Insurance, and Tim's Floral.

Submitted by Matt McGowen

"Buffalo Breakfast" this Friday, October 29th

The Church of Christ will host this week's **Buffalo Breakfast** on Friday morning, October 29, beginning at 7:00 a.m., at their Activity Center, 617 Hwy 36 E.

All football players, cheerleaders, band members, parents of these students, coaches and administration are invited.

There is no charge for the meal. There will be a 5-10 minute devotional and everyone is encouraged to stay and partake

of the spiritual food as well as the physical food.

This week's Varsity game will be with Meridian here on Friday night beginning at 7:30 p.m. (The Junior High/Junior Varsity game will be there on Thursday night, beginning at 5:30 p.m.)

Everyone is encouraged to attend these games and support the players, the band and the cheerleaders!

Submitted by Bob Pipes

After School Adventure Program—Featuring Crafts for Thanksgiving

The After School Adventure Program, or ASAP, at the Cross Plains Public Library will be Wednesday, November 3rd at 4:00 p.m. Come meet with us for a fun afternoon where we will be preparing for the Thanksgiving holidays.

We will be making some very cute and creative crafts! You'll be surprised about what we will use to make our turkeys!! We'll see you then.

Submitted by Linda Burns Library Director

SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES

The Cross Plains I.S.D. Board of Trustees met in a regular meeting with the following members present: Tommy Ames, Jim Cook, John McWilliams, Michael Cowan, Donnie Dillard and Hoyt Foster.

The following administrators in attendance: Superintendent Phil Mitchell and Elementary Principal Margie Sowell. Guest, Leslie Lawrence, was also present.

Motion was made by Foster and seconded by Dillard to approve the minutes as read. For 6 Against 0

Motion was made by Foster and seconded by Ames to replace coaches contracts with dual-assignment contracts. For 6

Against 0

Motion was made by McWilliams and seconded by Cowan to approve Property Insurance coverage increase from 10 million to 15 million for property and contents. For 6

Against 0 Motion was made by Ames and seconded by McWilliams to approve ESL Report. For 6

Against 0 Motion made by Foster and seconded by McWilliams to approve early out days (November 23, December 17, January 13, March 11, March 28 and May 12).. For 6 Against 0

Motion was made by Dillard and seconded by Foster to adjourn. For 6 Against 0

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The certificate accompanying the flag reads, "Flag of the United States of America presented to Cross Plains Library. This American flag was flown over the Al Faw Palace, Camp Victory, Baghdad, Iraq, during Operation Iraqi Freedom on July 25, 2010, in recognition of your commitment and dedication to the service men and women of the United States Forces —Iraq. On

behalf of the Soldier, Sailors, Airmen and Marines, we thank you for your continued support of our troops!"

The flag and its certificate of presentation will be on display at the library for Veterans' Day, Thursday, November 11th. Stop by to view this flag and peruse the display honoring our military.

Submitted by
Michelle Kaiser

Cross Plains Public Library Hummel Collection is Going FAST!

Last month, the Cross Plains Public Library publicized their receipt of Hummel plates and figurines which belonged to the late Joan McCowen. These items were a very generous donation from the McCowen family and the Library Board offered them a significant savings: 25 percent - 35 percent off the lowest listed price, using **Hummel: An Illustrated Handbook and Price Guide** (published in 1995) as the basis for valuation of each item.

To date, nine of the figurines have been sold and only these remain: #57/0 Chick Girl, #82 School Boy, #89/1 Little Cellist, and #20 Prayer Before Battle (all TM2, 1950-1955), and #7 Merry Wanderer (TM1, 1949) and #53 Joyful (TM3, 1957-1960). Figurine #2/1 Little Fiddler has a rare oddity in having both the TM1 insignia and TM2 stamp (1935-1948).

We also have the Little

Companions plate collection (1990), which is a set of 12 with all the original documentation.

Don't delay or you may miss out on this wonderful opportunity for a memento of Joan, while helping the library. You will also get a great buy and make a good investment! If interested, stop by the library to view these items. We also offer layaway for Christmas as these will make great gifts!

Submitted by
Michelle Kaiser

Annual Thanksgiving Bake Sale Scheduled

Are you tired just thinking of all the cooking and baking you have to do for Thanksgiving? Let us do some of the work for you!

The Cross Plains Public Library is holding their annual Thanksgiving Bake Sale on Wednesday, November 24th in the library's conference room

from 8:00 a.m. until we are sold out.

Friends of the library will be busy baking lots of treats for your holiday table: pecan pies, pumpkin pies, fudge, divinity, homemade breads, cakes, cookies and lots more!

Board members will be calling soon for donations, but if you don't get a call, we still welcome your baked goods, as all proceeds benefit the library.

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Submitted by
Michelle Kaiser

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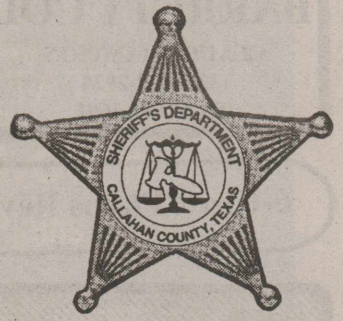
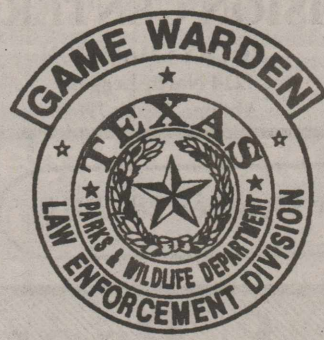
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If you have any questions or need any information please contact James Brown at 325-854-5843.

Estate Planning Seminar set for November 4th in Abilene

The Taylor County Extension Service will host an Estate Planning Seminar at the Taylor County Extension office located at the Taylor Expo Center in Abilene on Thursday, November 4th, from 9am till 2pm. Featured speaker will be Dr. Wayne Hayenga, an attorney and economist with Texas AgriLife Extension Service.

Use of Living Trusts in estate planning will be highlighted during the discussion. Examples will be given to show how the use of this legal document can assist individuals and married couples in providing financial care for themselves during life, and how living trusts can be used to simplify and keep private the administration of their estates. Dr. Hayenga will discuss eleven reasons why a living trust should be considered.

"A living trust is only one of six legal tools that one needs to consider in an estate plan," says Dr. Hayenga. Other tools to consider are a Will, a Power of Attorney, and a Designation

of Guardian if needed.

"Most people have a goal of managing their estates and passing them to their loved ones in the easiest, cheapest, and most beneficial way. Which legal tool to use depends on a person's goal, the type of property they have, estate size and the financial situation and their beneficiaries," Dr. Hayenga continued.

Farm and ranch land can be valued at an "agricultural" use, rather than fair market value if the estate qualifies for the rigid rules and if the heirs choose to do this. Evaluation of this tool will be addressed so participants can see if it will benefit their family.

Use of trusts to provide income tax savings for surviving spouses and well-to-do children will be discussed. Dr. Hayenga will show how a properly prepared estate plan can save many families more in income taxes than in estate taxes.

Trustee selection is a major issue in estate planning. Either individuals or corporate

trustees can be used, depending upon the person's desires. Just because a person wants to use a trust in an estate plan doesn't require the use of a bank as trustee.

Estate planning entails making preparations to care for ourselves if we become physically or mentally incapacitated. A trust can be used to manage our financial affairs, but the use of Health Care Powers of Attorney and Living Wills are other sensitive matters that will be discussed.

Dr. Hayenga is an excellent teacher. He has 38 years experience teaching tax and financial topics with the Texas AgriLife Extension Service. He has taught estate and gift tax courses and retirement planning courses for the Texas Society of CPA's and other professional organizations.

\$10 registration will include lunch. To reserve a seat for this seminar, please RSVP by Nov 1st by calling the Taylor County Extension Office at 325-672-6048.

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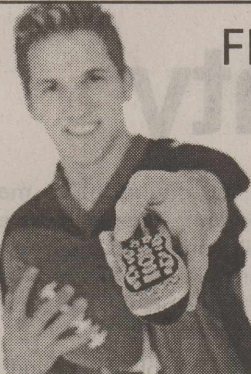
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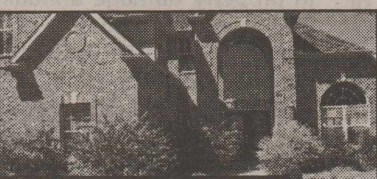
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524 SE 1st - Rental Income! Cute home with new roof. 3BR/1B, central heat/air.	38,000
633 NE 3rd - Great starter home or rental income! 3BR/1B, central heat/air. New roof!	46,000
616 SE 3rd - 2BR/1B Adorable ranch style home, owner will consider owner-financing, property sold as is.	50,000
200 SE 1st - Well kept older 3/1 and a half bath home, central heat/air. New roof!	60,000
308 SE 1st - Spacious: UNDER CONTRACT a, nice yard, needs a little TLC	75,000
700 N Ave E - 2BR-1B. Immaculate home on large tree covered lot, Move in ready! REDUCED	79,900
425 N Ave. D - Updated home has beautifully landscaped yard surrounding the house. REDUCED	82,500
209 N. Anderson - Nice Austin stone SOLD a, with beautiful 1 acre lot	89,000
302 N. Hall-3BR-1.5B newly remodel SOLD ment, large back yard, kitchen appliances convey	89,900
201 S. Beech - Beautiful 3BR-2.5B 2442 sq ft with large living area & den. RV parking REDUCED	89,900
325 N Ave E - Nice 3BR/2B, 2 living areas, chain link fencing, and nice yard. REDUCED	94,500
503 W College - Rising Star, 3BR-2B. Large deck, new central air/heat, new appliances	112,000
341 NW 4th - Beautiful 3BR-2.5B home on 4 Acres! Brick fireplace, bay window, tile floors.	190,000
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HOME WITH ACREAGE

0.6 Ac. - 2BR-1.5B home, new central heat/air, beautiful kitchen cabinets, tall ceilings.	69,000
1 Ac. - 2BR-1B older farm house on small acreage with large trees around home	44,000
5 Ac. - 2BR-1 1/2B home on small acres. New metal barn. REDUCED	130,000
8.8 Ac. - 4BR-2B Secluded, farm house with tons of charm and updates! This is a MUST SEE!	149,900
10.2 Ac. - 3BR-1B with beautiful views and privacy. Pecan and Oak trees. REDUCED	57,500
14.184 Ac. - 2BR-2B UNDER CONTRACT a, pond & scattered trees.	65,000
18 Ac. - 2BR-1B Quaint log style cabin, great barn w/ 4 stalls	134,900
30.382 Ac. - 2BR-2E UNDER CONTRACT a, ponds, scattered trees. REDUCED	92,000
51 Ac. - 4BR-2B brick needs work, the land is beautiful! 3 stock tanks. large barn beautiful views.	215,000
55.24 Ac. - Nice 3BR-2.5B home, vld ceilings. Great barn w/ 5 horse stalls. More land available	440,000
79.474 Ac. - 3BR-2B home, great hunting property w/ elevation changes & heavily wooded areas	409,000
80+ Ac. - 3BR-2B home, huge picture window, den/game room. Great hunting property.	349,000
96.24 Ac. - 3BR-2B hor UNDER CONTRACT a, coastal field. REDUCED	275,000
102.25 Ac. - 3BR-1B home with pond, coastal and oaks.	200,000
148 Ac. - 4BR-2B m UNDER CONTRACT a, quite cover, 2 stock tanks, seasonal creek.	298,000
150 Ac. - Super nice and well built 3/2 Brick with large barn, Bunk house and 2 stock ponds	635,000

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5 Ac. - 4 Acres cultivation, 1 acre treed. Seasonal creek, fenced. Located near Pioneer.	24,900
5 Ac. - New metal barn with wash racks and pens, large oak, pecan & fruit trees.	75,000
16.198 Ac. - Great b UNDER CONTRACT a, beautiful views and scattered trees.	48,500
20 Ac. - Great home sites. Underground water and electric. Beautiful oaks, rolling terrain.	75,000
27.5 Ac. - Secluded acreage with great tree cover. Underground water, county water & electric. REDUCED	92,250
43 Ac. - Beautiful tree covered acreage with amazing panoramic views	165,000
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77 Ac. - Luxurious home on the Brazos River. Versatile. Lots of wildlife. Guest home/barn.	1,300,000
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Good News! The Altar Society of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Catholic Church will host their 14th annual Magi's Bazaar at the Holy Rosary Parish Hall, 1106 Avenue F (behind Brookshires), on Saturday, November 6, 2010, from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

As we have in the past, the bazaar will feature handcrafted holiday items and baked goods, along with gifts, gift baskets, pumpkin rolls, fruitcakes, desserts, candies, and fudge. You can enjoy these baked goodies right away or freeze for the

Thanksgiving and Christmas decorations, potted plants and herbs, and a Country Store. Some of our handcrafted items include hand-knitted scarves, cross-stitch and quilted pieces, ironing board covers, Christmas ornaments, crocheted dishrags and throws, and floral arrangements. The baked goods will feature cakes and cheesecakes, pecan pies, Thanksgiving or Christmas holidays.

The Country Store will offer jams, jellies, relishes, and "gifts

in a jar". For our hungry morning shoppers, we will have breakfast burritos with homemade tortillas, biscuits with sausage gravy, scones, and cinnamon rolls. Slices of cake, pecan tarts, and chili or frito pie, along with a cup of coffee, will be available for lunch.

Everyone is invited to join us for a fun-filled day of shopping, visiting, and feasting on home-cooking with friends!

Submitted by Susan Horton

PUBLIC NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 2010-003 - AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS, REGULATING THE SALE, USE, POSSESSION, INGESTION OR SMOKING OF CERTAIN SUBSTANCES AND THE SALE, USE, POSSESSION OF CERTAIN DEVICES USED FOR THE INGESTION OF CERTAIN SUBSTANCES; CONTAINING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; A REPEALING CLAUSE; A PENALTY CLAUSE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of CROSS PLAINS, Texas, has been informed that the American Association of Poison Control Centers and the U.S. Department of Justice have published articles and opinions on the dangers and physiological effects of K2 and similar substances, which are believed to pose a significant health concern to the citizens of the City of CROSS PLAINS; and WHEREAS, based upon further information, certain substances are sold under various names including but not limited to: "Salvia Divinorum", "Salvinorin An", "Spice", "Genie", "Dasents", "Zohai", "Sage", "K-2" and "KG Knock-Out 2" and are likely to contain chemical compounds or otherwise cause effects similar to marijuana or hallucinogens and may cause harmful effects by their use and further, the long term effects are not yet known; and WHEREAS, to the best of the Council's knowledge, the substances are not yet categorized as illegal controlled substances under state or federal law; and WHEREAS, the Council finds that the effect of these substances can be a health and safety concern to the citizens of the City of CROSS PLAINS; and WHEREAS, the Council has determined that it is in the best interest of the public health, safety and welfare to prohibit the use, possession and sale of these substances and the devices used to ingest these substances; now therefore, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS, THAT: SECTION 1 - ILLEGAL SMOKING PRODUCTS AND INGESTION DEVICES

1.01. Definitions. For the purpose of this section, the following terms, words, and derivations thereof shall have the following meaning: (a) Person shall mean an individual, corporation, partnership, wholesaler, retailer or any licensed or unlicensed business. (b) Illegal Smoking Product shall mean any plant or other substance, whether described as tobacco, herbs, incense, spice or any blend thereof, regardless of whether the substance is marketed for the purpose of being smoked, which includes any one or more of the following substances or chemicals: (1) Salvinorin A: Contained with the Salvia Divinorum plant, whether growing or not; or possessed as an extract, compound, manufacture, derivative, mixture, or preparation of such plant; (2) 2-(1R,3S)-3hydroxycyclohexyl)-5-(2-methylcatan-2-yl) phenol (also known as CP 47, 497) and homologues; (3) 1-Pentyl-3-(1 naphthoyl) indole (also known as JWH-018); or (4) Butyl-3-(1-naphthoyl) indole (also known as JWH-073). (c) Ingestion Device shall mean equipment, a product or material that is used or intended for use in ingesting, inhaling, or otherwise introducing an illegal smoking product into the human body, including: (1) a metal, wooden, acrylic, glass, stone, plastic or ceramic pipe with or without a screen, permanent screen, hashish head, or punctured metal bowl; (2) a water pipe; (3) a carburetion tube or device; (4) a smoking or carburetion mask; (5) a chamber pipe (6) a carburetor pipe; (7) an electric pipe; (8) an air-driven pipe; (9) a chillum; (10) a bong; or (11) an ice pipe or chiller.

1.02. Violation. (a) It shall be unlawful for any person to use, possess, purchase, barter, give, publicly display, sell or offer for sale any illegal smoking product. (b) It shall be unlawful for any person to use or possess an ingestion device with the intent to inject, ingest, inhale or otherwise introduce into the human body any illegal smoking product.

1.03. Penalty. Any person found to be violating any term or provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and may be fined in an

amount not less than \$1.00 or more than \$200.00. Every day a violation continues shall constitute a separate offense. Allegation and evidence of a culpable mental state is not required for proof of an offense defined in this chapter.

1.04. Affirmative Defense. It shall be an affirmative defense for a person charged with an offense for possession or use of an illegal smoking product that the use or possession was pursuant to the direction or prescription of a licensed physician or dentist authorized to direct or prescribe such act.

SECTION 2 - All Ordinances of the City of CROSS PLAINS in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 3 - It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council of the City of CROSS PLAINS that the sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence or section of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality or invalidity shall not affect any other remaining phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4 - The repeal of any Ordinance or part of Ordinance effectuated by the enactment of this Ordinance shall not be construed as abandoning any action now pending under or by virtue of such Ordinance or as discontinuing, abating, modifying or altering any penalty accruing or to accrue, or as affecting any rights of the municipality under any section or provisions at the time of passage of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5 - Because of the threat to public health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared and this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its first reading and passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 25th day of October, 2010.

CITY OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS
Ray Purvis, Mayor
ATTEST:
City Secretary

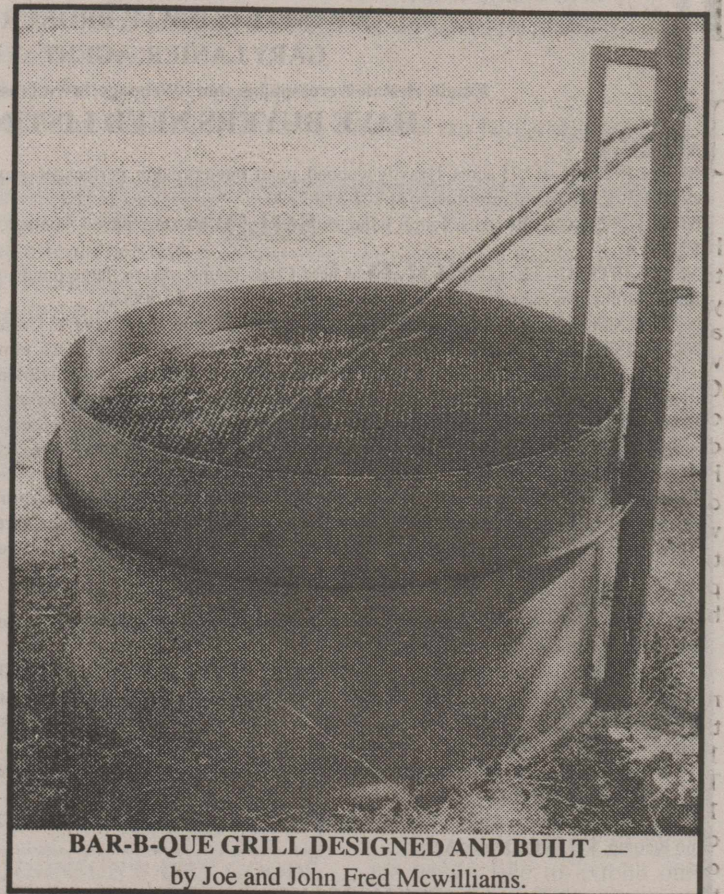
Annual Lord's Acre Fall Festival and Auction - Saturday, November 13th

The annual Lord's Acre Fall Festival at the First United Methodist Church will once again feature many unique items made by church members and friends who enjoy participating year after year. Of particular interest in this year's live auction, will be a bar-b-que grill designed and built by Joe and John Fred McWilliams.

The unit is about 40" in diameter with a moveable grill that goes up and down for various cooking temperatures, but it also rotates off the pit for ease in adding fire wood. The grill shown above has already been used for a church cook-out and all can attest to the excellent job it does.

Folks are stepping up to do all the jobs necessary to make this annual event happen. That means cooking 18 turkeys and making all the dressing and gravy that goes along with the main dish. Green beans will be simmering in pots all over town and cakes are already in the planning stages. Roasters are being rounded up for the sweet potatoes and the big coffee pot has been retrieved from the top shelf of the storage area and is ready for action.

In addition to making the dinner happen, the same folks are creating small gifts for the "Little Store". This will be set up in the wide hallways along the front of the church, starting at 9:00am on Saturday, November 13th. What



BAR-B-QUE GRILL DESIGNED AND BUILT — by Joe and John Fred McWilliams.

a great place to find that gift for stocking stuffers or the kid's favorite teacher! Or bring the kids and let them do their own shopping — if they've got the money, the church ladies have got the time...to help them, that is!

A few special items will be placed in the silent auction that will come to a screeching halt just before Bobby Golson kicks off the live auction at 6:30pm. Some early items that have been promised besides the iron grill, are a hand-made quilt and hand-crafted jewelry from funky to elegant. Mark those calendars for this wonderful event that has been going on for nearly 50 years. Saturday, November 13th is the date and \$8.00 is the cost with all proceeds going into the mission programs of the church. For more information, contact Jean McWilliams at 725-6455 or the church at 725-7377.

Get the Hog outta Callahan County

The Callahan County Predator Control Association would like to invite Callahan County landowners and tenants to their 1st Annual Meeting to be held on November 16, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in the Baird School Cafeteria located on West 7th Street in Baird.

This meeting is open to anyone interested in the eradication of feral hogs in the county. Officials will be taking membership into the Association. Annual Membership fees are \$50 plus .10 (10 cents) per acre.

The objectives of this organization are to assist landowners and tenants in eradicating the feral hogs throughout the county by working with USDA Services which can assist counties in obtaining grant funds to cover a portion of the expenses.

A Notice of Intent to participate in the Texas Department of Agriculture, County Grants for Implementation of Feral Hog Abatement Technologies was signed by Roger Corn, Callahan County Judge, giving Callahan County the eligibility to compete for USDA Grant Funds.

Eligible Counties will be competing for one of three grants to assist in eliminating feral hogs. Grant amounts are \$25,000, \$15,000 and \$10,000. In addition, the county with the largest contiguous tract of land with landowners who have agreed to allow trappers access could have county trappers or wildlife specialists remove feral hogs. Some of the program details are as follows:

For the month of October 2010, participating counties will be required to document the following, by submission of a certified TDA Program Application (See Submitting an Application):

- Number of feral hogs taken in the county, as certified by the county. The county will receive five points per 10 hogs taken. A feral hog is taken if it is killed during the month of October 2010, or if it is trapped, snared, or captured during the month of October 2010 for purposes of immediate slaughter. Hogs that are trapped, snared, or captured for any other purpose (such as transfer to an approved hunting area) are not considered to have been taken.

- Number of individuals participating in TDA-approved educational courses about feral hog abatement technologies. Participating counties will receive one point per participant in attendance at each educational course, as certified by the county.

- Number of acres in the county that landowners will commit, in writing, to allow county trappers or Wildlife Services (WS) Specialists to have access to for the purpose of removing feral hogs. The county trapper or WS Specialist must be allowed access to the property through at least September 30, 2011. (Participating counties will receive 1 point for every 400 acres of land committed to trapping, as certified by the county. In order to receive any points, a county must have at least 400 acres so committed

within the county. This may include land already involved in similar programs, as long as the landowners' commitment continues through at least September 30, 2011.

Number of acres in the largest contiguous tract of committed land in the county.

Agriculture Department Officials estimate that feral hogs cause about \$400 million in property damage annually. The hogs are predators of all small animals including domestic livestock lambs, kids and calves. They also destroy crops and wildlife habitats, rooting for bugs, acorns and seeds for food and kill crops in large areas while wallowing during the hotter months of the year.

"Feral Hogs commonly destroy urban yards, parks and golf courses, as well as rangeland, pastures, crops, fencing, wildlife feeders and other property," according to an agriculture department spokesperson. The Agriculture Department officials add, "hogs also spread E. coli and other diseases by contaminating streams, ponds and watersheds."

Jerry Warren, Callahan County Extension Agent has distributed Feral Hog Harvest Certification forms to several local feed stores within Callahan County for landowners and tenants to pickup. These forms need to be filled out and turned in to the Callahan County Extension Office by November 3, 2010 to be processed for the application. If you have any questions about this program please contact the Extension Office at 325 854-5835.

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Census Bureau facts on Halloween

The observance of Halloween, which dates back to Celtic rituals thousands of years ago, has long been associated with images of witches, ghosts and vampires. Over the years, Halloween customs and rituals have changed dramatically. Today, Halloween is celebrated many different ways, including wearing costumes, children trick or treating, carving pumpkins, and going to haunted houses and parties.

Trick or Treat!
36 million—The estimated number of potential trick-or-treaters in 2009—children 5 to 13—across the United States. This number is up about 190,000 from a year earlier. Of course, many other children—older than 13, and younger than 5—also go trick-or-treating.

111.3 million—Number of occupied housing units across the nation in 2009— all potential stops for trick-or-treaters.

92%—Percentage of households with residents who consider their neighborhood safe. In addition, 78 percent said there was no place within a mile of their homes where they would be afraid to walk alone at night.

Jack-o'-Lanterns and Pumpkin Pies

931 million pounds—Total production of pumpkins by major pumpkin-producing states in 2009. Illinois led the country by producing 429 million pounds of the vined orange gourd. California and Ohio were also major pumpkin producing states: each produced at least 100 million pounds.

Where to Spend Halloween?
Some places around the country that may put you in the Halloween mood are:

— Transylvania County, N.C. (30,203 residents)

— Tombstone, Ariz. (population 1,562)

— Pumpkin Center, N.C. (population 2,228); and Pumpkin Bend, Ark. (population 307)

— Cape Fear in New Hanover County, N.C. (population 15,711); and Cape Fear in Chatham County, N.C. (population 1,170).

— Skull Creek, Neb. (population 274)

Candy and Costumes
1,317—Number of U.S. manufacturing establishments that produced chocolate and cocoa products in 2008, employing 38,369 people. California led the nation in the number of chocolate and cocoa manufacturing establishments, with 146, followed by Pennsylvania, with 115.

422—Number of U.S. establishments that manufactured nonchocolate confectionary products in 2008. These establishments employed 16,860 people. California led the nation in this category, with 47 establishments.

24.3 pounds—Per capita consumption of candy by Americans in 2009.

1,814—Number of costume rental and formal wear establishments across the nation in 2008.

Editor's note: The preceding data were collected from a variety of sources and may be subject to sampling variability and other sources of error. Facts for Features are customarily released about two months before an observance in order to accommodate magazine production timelines. Questions or comments should be directed to the Census Bureau's Public Information Office: telephone: 301-763-3030; fax: 301-763-3762; or e-mail: <pio@census.gov>.

Omniflight Helicopters' Native Air introduces new air medical transport to area

Snyder and Abilene, Texas, September 23, 2010—Omniflight Helicopters, Inc., a leading national provider of air medical services, and its Native Air subsidiary, announced today that it has introduced membership program, OmniAdvantage, which provides air medical transport services to members and their family in the event of an emergency.

Locally, Omniflight operates as Native Air from three bases: one each in Snyder, Abilene and Midland. Snyder and Abilene each operate a helicopter while Midland boasts a fixed-wing aircraft. These bases are all offering the program, which extends to residents in the aforementioned cities as well as others throughout West Texas including Albany, Colorado City, Sweetwater, Rotan, Eastland, Breckenridge, Clyde, Baird and Putnam.

Omniflight membership alleviates the high costs typically associated with air medical transport services in the event they are required by a member and/or their dependent. Membership encompasses all family members listed as dependents on an official tax return. With the OmniAdvantage membership, if a member and/or their dependent(s) require a medically necessary air medical interfacility transfer or transport from an emergency scene by an Omniflight program, insurance payment to Omniflight will be accepted as full payment for the member's transport. No additional air transport costs will be incurred for the transfer. However, insurance is not required to be an OmniAdvantage mem-



OMNIFLIGHT HELICOPTERS, INC. PROVIDES AIR MEDICAL SERVICES IN ABILENE AREA

ber. Ground ambulance transports, are not covered under the OmniAdvantage membership program.

Omniflight is \$49.00 per year per family for standard membership and includes transport by an Omniflight or its affiliated program helicopters, which will provide transport services to the nearest applicable medical facility base deemed appropriate by an attending medical professional. Other benefits include a wallet card with program information and a vehicle sticker that enables emergency medical workers to easily identify the OmniAdvantage affiliation members in the event of an accident. A special rate of \$39.00 annually is available to groups of 10 or more as well as fire/police/EMS/hospital personnel and Automobile Association of America (AAA) members.

"The OmniAdvantage program allows members to feel confident and secure that in the event of an emergency or medical necessity, Omniflight will trans-

port them to the nearest medical facility. Just as millions of Americans use AAA to ensure they are covered in the event of an automobile emergency, Omniflight members rely on this program to achieve that same comfort level should they ever require air medical services. This is very reassuring to our members, and we are rapidly gaining membership as more and more people recognize the importance of this type of safety net for themselves and their loved ones," said Mehesh Sadarangani, program director of OmniAdvantage.

Joel Hochhalter, vice president at Omniflight, added, "We are seeing enrollment increase because many members of our communities are familiar with Omniflight and Native Air and know what we stand for. It is important and comforting to know that all relevant details and resources have been put in place, should there ever be a reason to access them. We are glad to bring this program to

communities throughout West Texas and offer all area residents the chance to be safely transported with no concern of cost should the need ever arise."

The OmniAdvantage program is offered in all markets served by Omniflight, which include specific areas in Alabama, Arizona, Georgia, Idaho, New Mexico, South Carolina, Texas and Florida. For program information and coverage details, please visit <http://omniadvantagemember.com/about-us.php> or call 972-715-4637.

Native Air provides air medical services throughout Arizona. With 18 bases in the state, Native Air has been providing medical transport services to local communities for more than 12 years. Native Air's helicopter and airplane bases in Arizona include those in Mesa, Chandler, Gilbert, Casa Grande, Parker, Lake Havasu, Prescott, Prescott Valley, Show Low (2), Payson, Globe, Kearny, Deer Valley (2), Whiteriver and Springerville. For more information, please visit www.omniflight.com/nativeair.

Addison, Texas-based Omniflight Helicopters, Inc. is a leading provider of air medical services throughout the U.S. The company operates about 100 aircraft nationally from 77 bases in 18 states, with a strong presence across the Southwest, Midwest and Southeast regions as well as certain Mountain State areas. Its focus is primarily on interfacility and on-site emergency scene response using both rotor- and fixed-wing aircraft. For more information, please visit www.omniflight.com.

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Chuckwagon chicken fried steak dinner to benefit senior center

The 2010 Chuckwagon chicken fried steak dinner co-hosted by JL Cattle company and the Callahan County Nutrition Project will be held November 20, 2010.

The event will be held at the Baird Activity Center, located in the 200 block of Walnut Street in Baird and serving will begin at 5:00 p.m.

Tickets for the Dinner will be a donation of \$15.00 and all tickets must be paid for by November 16th. This is done in order to let the cooks know how much

food to purchase. Johnny and Leonna Adkins will be setting the chuckwagon up in about the same location as last year. They will be looking forward to seeing all of you again.

The Adkins donate their cooking skills and the use of the chuckwagon for everyone in Callahan County to enjoy. So come on out and enjoy some great food.

Tickets can be picked up at the following locations: the Baird

Senior Center, Clyde Senior Center, from program director, Katie Dunn, Dorothy Petty, Harold Hass, Jim Dobbs, or Harvey Burns. Also, you may call the following telephone numbers and nutrition officials will see that tickets are delivered to you. Please call (325) 854-5858, (325) 854-1937, (325) 854-1662, and (325) 893-4556.

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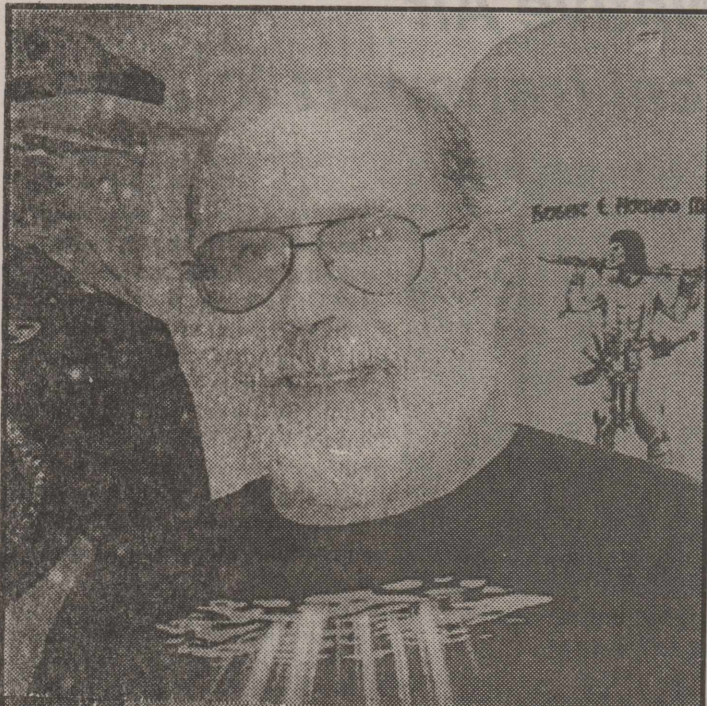
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Barb's Cues

By Barbara Holmes Worcester

We Are All Special And Unique

We should always remember that we are special and unique and we each have gifts and talents that differ from anyone else around us. We are created as unique human beings who are meant to make an impact on this world. Many times we start off believing in ourselves and knowing that we can accomplish great things, but because of some setbacks or shortfalls we begin to doubt ourselves and think that we are nothing special. What we must always keep in mind is that setbacks and shortfalls are a normal part of life so we should learn the lesson, become better and use what we've learned to help others not make the same mistakes. A quote I like says "A fool learns from his mistakes, a wise man learns from the mistakes of others." When we help others not fall down on the same path that we fell, we are moving their life in a positive direction without having to take the detour that we did. That is a beautiful thing to do for someone.

No matter what is in your past, know that you are special enough to begin again. You can

revive that dream that was so vibrant in your heart. You can reach that goal that you had set your mind to, but have since forgotten about. A new beginning is always possible with God. As long as we have breath, our story isn't finished yet. Believe in yourself again, help others believe in themselves because it is in sharing our similar stories with one another that we can learn and grow and become better than we were before.

I hope this message encourages and inspires your heart to always be one who is willing to share their life so that someone else's life may be made better.

By Dwayne Savaya
From the Internet

My Daddy's (J. T. Holmes) Steak Sauce

2/3 cup Worcestershire sauce
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1 T Garlic powder 4
1 T Liquid smoke
3 or 4 t. Prepared mustard

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Callahan County DPS Report

Calls received by the Callahan County Department of Public Safety from October 17, 2010 through October 23, 2010 include:

Cases Investigated
Warnings—114
Complaints—59
DWI—3
Driving While License Invalid—8
Fugitive Arrest-Theft by Check—1

Vehicle Accidents
There were six vehicle accidents investigated during this time span.

WAKE UP CALL to City Hall

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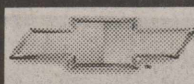
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Cross Plains City Council Minutes

This was a regular meeting of the Cross Plains City Council. Members of the council present were Mayor Ray Purvis, Lewis Fortune, Jerry Cassle, Bob Kirkham, & Peg Terrell. Employees present were Teresa Kennedy, Debbie Gosnell, Jan Yeager, & Don Gosnell. Members of the public meeting were Davy Daniel and Don Clark. Ray Purvis called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. Don Clark gave the invocation. Mayor Purvis asked for citizen comment. None were received. By general consent the minutes were approved as presented. By general consent the police report was approved as presented. By general consent the judge's report was approved as presented. Jerry Cassle moved to approve the bills as presented. Bob Kirkham seconded and motion

carried. Davy Daniel, Allied Waste Representative, met with the council to discuss the Convenience Center. He explained to the council that the center has been a source of trouble for the company for many years and has become a problem for not only the Company but also the City as well. He explained that on a normal weekend they have only a very few customers and the fees charged do not cover the expense of salary much less the hauling or disposal fees. He commented that the TCEQ has very stringent rules concerning allowing garbage on the ground and that citizens will throw garbage over the fence during hours that the center is not in operations causing them to be in violations of the rules. Peg Terrell asked about recycling and Mr. Daniels stated that in theory

recycling sounds good, but that there is no money in recycling. He stated that a recycling center must be manned at all times when open to the public to make sure all recyclable products goes in their proper place and even then, it won't pay for the labor costs of collecting the goods. He asked that the Council consider allowing Allied to close the center. He informed the council that the citizens outside the city limits can get on pickup service at their homes if they so desire and he will provide three extra roll offs annually for the City making a total of twelve (12) roll offs at no extra costs to make up for the loss of this service to the community. Peg Terrell discussed the city wide clean ups and asked if Allied would consider doing curb side pickup for the clean ups. He informed

the council that the curb side pickups has never been a great way of doing the clean ups simply because the citizens continue to put items out and call the office wanting them to return to pick up the extra items. He also talked about having the citizens bring the items to a central place and the fact that it makes for a much cleaner community. Also discussed was having the Civic Organizations and school kids involved in the clean ups. Allied likes to partner with the community by providing gloves, water, etc. for the work day. He also discussed the citizen complaint about the stench of the center and talked about the fact that this would alleviate this problem all together. Lewis Fortune moved to allow Allied Waste to close the convenience center permanently. Jerry

Cassle seconded and motion carried. Don Clark met with the council to ask that they consider freezing the tax rate for senior citizens who are over sixty-five and have a homestead exemption. Mr. Clark spoke to the council about the economic difficulty for senior citizens on fixed incomes. Jerry Cassle moved to freeze the taxes for citizens over sixty-five years of age with a homestead exemption at the 2010 tax rate of .38021. Lewis Fortune seconded and motion carried. Peg Terrell, representing the Centennial Planning Committee asked that the council appoint Teri Brown to the Centennial committee and explained how beneficial Teri has been to the organization. Jerry Cassle moved to appoint Ms. Brown to the committee. Bob Kirkham seconded and motion carried. The council asked that a

representative of the committee begin meeting with the council on a monthly basis to update and keep the council informed as to what is taking place with the centennial celebration. By general consent the council approved the financials as presented. Peg Terrell moved to adjourn. Jerry Cassle seconded and motion carried.

Ray Purvis, Mayor
ATTEST:
Debbie Gosnell, Secretary

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Diabetes Texas Style Workshop set for November 6th in Abilene

November is American Diabetes Month and to help spotlight this serious disease the Diabetes Texas Style workshop will be held Saturday, November 6, 2010. This is the sixteenth year for the workshop which will be held in the Shelton Building at Hendrick Medical Center, 2000 Pine Street in Abilene. Registration and exhibits will open at 8:00 am and the workshop will conclude at 11:45 am.

Speakers for the event will be Arturo Gaytan, member of the sanofi-aventis A1C Champions Program and Ralph McCleskey MD, FACP, Medical Director Cardiac Rehabilitation and Heart Failure Program. Mr. Gaytan will be sharing his personal experience with living with diabetes. Some of the topics he will address include: achieving good glucose control, learning about effective self management, developing a balanced, healthy lifestyle, planning and prioritizing diabetes management, overcoming fears surrounding diabetes, and finding resources for diabetes support. Dr. McCleskey will speak on "Salt and Sugar. Which matters the most?" There will be time for questions and answers at the end of each presentation.

During the workshop participants will have an opportunity to visit the exhibits which will offer diabetic supplies, patient education materials, and pharmaceuticals with company representatives who can answer questions. The refreshment break will feature diabetic foods and a cookbook. Door prizes will be given throughout the morning.

The workshop is free and open to anyone wishing to learn more about diabetes and the management of it. Sponsors for the workshop are Hendrick Medical Center, Self Management Education and Texas AgriLife Extension Service in Coleman, Jones, Nolan and Taylor Counties. If you are interested in having a booth at the workshop, call Donna Goble at (325)670-2421. For more information on the workshop contact Martha Alice Sprabery at (325)672-6048 or by e-mail, msprabery@tamu.edu.

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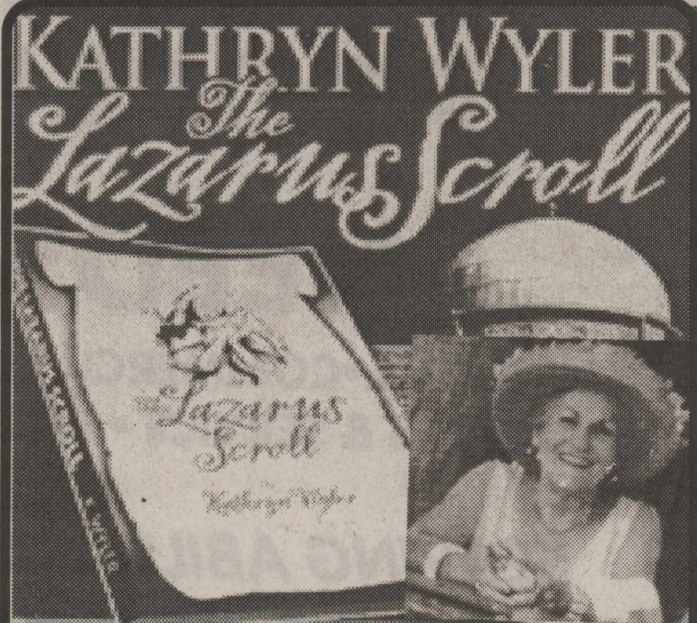
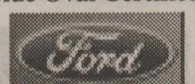
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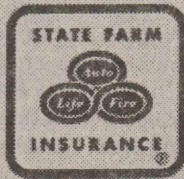


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Callahan Divide SWCD now taking Windbreak Tree orders

The Callahan Divide Soil & Water Conservation District is once again offering windbreak trees to individuals and landowners throughout the area. Our seedlings come from the Texas Forestry Service in Idalou. We have several varieties this year.

In the evergreen category we have Afghanistan Pine, Eastern Redcedar, Pinyon Pine, Italian Stone Pine and Crapemyrtle. Each of these are 5 for \$20.00 or 30 for \$105.00. This price includes tree protectors and stakes for your planting convenience.

The hardwood category includes Green Ash, Shumard Oak, Bur Oak, Chinkapin Oak and Pecan. These trees sell 5 for \$20.00 or 25 for \$65.00. Additionally this year we are offering wildlife packets Turkey, Deer, and Quail and Pheasant for \$120.00 per packet. Each packet contains four different varieties of trees for a total of 100.

Orders will be accepted until January 28, 2011. Expected delivery is February 11, 2011.

For further information contact Genea Menke 325-854-1349 ex. 3 or go by the NRCS office in Baird located at 141 W. 4th Suite B.

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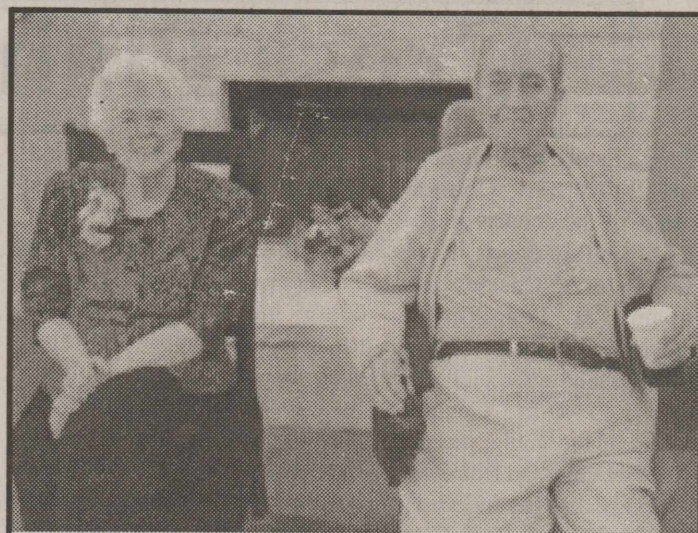
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70TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY — Donald and Frances Baird celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary, Saturday, October 10th in Georgetown, where they now live. The reception was hosted by their children; daughter Becky and Jerry Overstreet of Georgetown; son Mark and Kim Baird of Houston; and daughter-in-law Annabel Baird of Dallas. Donald and Frances have seven grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Baird lived in Cross Plains in 1955-1961 where they operated a tractor business and Donald was a volunteer fireman. They were active members of First Baptist Church.



BROWNS CELEBRATE 65TH ANNIVERSARY — William Don Brown and Autna Deen (Havens) Brown were married June 25, 1945 at First Methodist Parsonage in Odessa. They have three daughters, Donna Clark and husband Tex of Midland; Ellen Walthall and husband Lynn of Sweetwater; and Darcy Knight and husband Donny of Midland. They also have five granddaughters - Denise Clark Hightower and husband Terry, Donita Clark Williams, Morgan Walthall Sanders and husband Kyle, Casie Walthall, Jessica Walthall, Krista Knight, and Trina Knight. They also have three great-grandsons and two great-granddaughters. Don is retired from Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Co. and Deen is retired from Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. After living in San Angelo for 29 years, the Browns moved to Midland in 2008.

Remember to vote in November

It's time to make your final decisions and get out and vote!

Early voting will end on Friday, October 29. There are three early voting locations and any Callahan County registered voter can vote at any of the three locations.

Early voting can be done in Baird at the Callahan County Court House, 100 W. 4th, Suite 102, in Clyde at the Justice of the Peace Office at 208 Oak St. and in Cross Plains at the Justice of the Peace Office at 424 S. Main. Early voting offices are open from 8AM to 5PM weekdays and the Clyde office is closed during lunch time.

Election Day is Tuesday, November 2, 2010 and all precincts will be open from 7 AM to 7PM. You must vote in your precinct on Election Day.

Precinct 1: The Women's Club, S. 1st St., East of Dollar General, Clyde

Precinct 2: Eula Old School Administration Bldg., 6040 FM603, Eula

Precinct 3: The Activity Center, 228 Walnut St., Baird

Precinct 4: The Community Center, 108 Beech St., Cross Plains

Precinct 5: The Community Center, 120 W. Travis, Putman

Precinct 6: Southside Baptist Church, 641 Hunt St., Clyde

Precinct 7: The Community Center, 8990 FM 2926, Oplin

The next meeting of the Callahan County Tea Party is set for Thursday, November 11th at 7PM, in the building across the street from the Church of Christ at South 4th and Austin St. in Clyde. Everyone is invited!

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