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Mrs. Richards third grade class look at the peeling paint on the REH Museum..



Mrs. Richards third grade class visited REH Museum

# hird graders visit Museu

grade class for a return visit to the Robert E. Howard Museum this week as part of their study of communities. The students had toured the inside of the Museum several months ago to see what a house was like in the 1920's and to see where Howard had written his hundreds of stories and poems.

The purpose off their visit this time was to look at the repair work that is necessary to keep the 100 plus year old house in good condition. After actually peeling some of the loose paint off and looking at window areas that need scraped and painted, the students noticed the same problem up high on the

Mrs. Richards took her third peak of the north end. However the problem that really caught their eye was one of the porch posts that is rotted up high enough on the inside for a little hand to feel around.

Once again the of tourism was discussed with the students and how important it is to keep our town clean and attractive. The students were as amazed as Project Pride members are at the number of visitors from foreign countries who come to the USA for the express purpose of visiting Cross Plains and the REH

The visit was to be the focal point of a unit of helping their community. The students will be creating posters and decorating

cans to be placed around the school and community to encourage everybody to help the museum.

Recent donations for the repair work and for on-going maintenance of the museum have totaled \$3400.00 to date with the vast majority of this money coming from beyond Cross Plains. Local residents are encouraged to join the kids in their efforts to help repair the major tourist attraction in town and can send donations to Project Pride, PO 534 or via PayPal

ProjPride@yahoo.com

# **Buffaloes Defeated** by Panthers

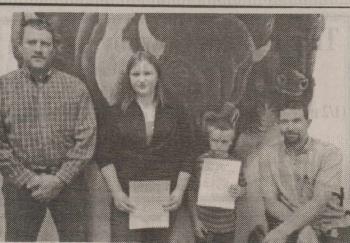
The Cross Plains Buffaloes were defeated 11-6 by the Gorman Panthers baseball team. The Buffaloes are scheduled to play the May Tigers on Saturday, April 5th at 12:00 p.m. in Cross



Early Release on Thursday, April 17th, at 1:00

For Easter. Buses will run at 1:10 p.m. School will begin at regular time on April 21, 2014

This ad is being run as a Public Service of the Cross Plains Review



# **Cross Plains Elementary** Students of the Month of February 2014

Ellis were named the February Students of the Month. Katelynn is a 6th grader and was nominated by her homeroom teacher Casie Morgan. Cullen is in Kindergarten and was nominated by

Katelynn Parker and Cullen his teacher Janice Phillips. Pictured are School Board Secretary Bryan Bennett (From left), Katelynn Parker, Cullen Ellis, and School Board Vice-President Michael Cowan.



LAP and Lapsit directors, parents and children donned eye patches to "Experience True Grit" and colored pictures of cowboy boots for their coloring contest. Participants all received a "gritty" treat of a giant Pixy Stix.

# **Cross Plains ISD** Early Childhood Screening

Cross Plains ISD Early Childhood Screening for children 3-5 years old with a suspected disability will be held on Tuesday, April 15, 2014 from 12:00 noon until 2:00 p.m. at Cross Plains Elementary School in Cross Plains, TX.

Call Jana or Cecil at Comanche Special Services SSA at (254)893-2130 if you have any questions.

# Area Report

receive rain. However when we do, it something to shout about. We would like to share the area rain totals for your area. Call in and give your name and location and how much rain received that day. We will run the rain totals reported in the newspaper.

Call the Cross Plains Review at (254) 725-6111

# It's not often that we

# **Cross Plains VFD** Fish Fry April 25th

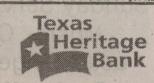
Friday, April 25th for the Cross for the dinner. The dinner will Plains Volunteer Fire Depart- be held at the First Baptist Churment's Annual Fish Fry! Your ch Family Life Center. local firefighters will be frying

Mark your calendar now for fish and preparing all the fixing

#### Baird FFA **Rabies Clinic** The Baird FFA will be hosting

a Rabies Clinic on Monday, April, 14th at 4:00 P.M. behind the Ag Building, after the buses

Shots will be \$15.00 or Combo Shots for \$30.00. NO CATS PLEASE! Proceeds will benefit the Baird FFA.



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# Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten Roundup

Cross Plains ISD will be conducting a Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten roundup Tuesday, April 15, 2014 for the 2014-2015 school year. There will be two different times that you may attend, 9:00-11:00 a.m. and 12:00-2:00 p.m.

Cross Plains Elementary offers Pre-Kindergarten to all children who will be four years of age on or before September 1, 2014. Pre-Kindergarten will be offered if a sufficient number of four year olds register for the

It is important that parents participate in the roundup in order to plan classes for 2014-2015. Class sizes for Pre-K may be limited.

Students who will be five years of age on or before September 1, 2014 are eligible for Kindergarten. Kindergarten is a full day program. kindergarten

School system and the service is available to all students. If your child is currently enrolled in Pre-K at Cross Plains Elementary, you will NOT have to go through the screening process. If your child has not been enrolled in Pre-K, and will be attending Kindergarten in the fall, please come to this meeting.

Early Childhood screening will be during the afternoon session from 12-2 p.m. The early childhood program is a program to help those children ages 3-5 who show to be developmentally delayed or have a suspected disability. If you have questions about the Early Childhood screening, please call Jana or Cecil at Comanche Special Services SSA at (254)-893-2130.

Parents are reminded that, in order to enter school in Texas the student MUST HAVE a state ap-

is a basic part of the Cross Plains proved birth certificate, social security card and a current immunization record. Immunization requirements:

> Hepatitis B- 3 doses by age DTap-5/4 doses with one on/

after 4th birthday. Polio-4 doses with one on/

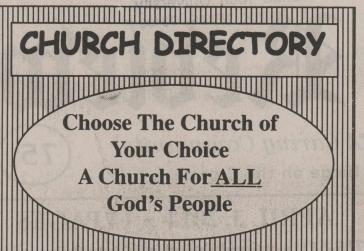
after 4th birthday, 3 doses if 3rd dose is given on or after 4th Measles/Mumps/Rubella

(MMR)- 2 doses with 1st dose on or after 1st birthday. Varicella- 2 doses with 1st

dose on or after 1st birthday. Hepatitis A- 2 doses with 1st dose on or after 1st birthday.

Please bring the birth certificate, immunization record, and social security card for the child when you come to the roundup so that we can make copies.





# **Triple Cross Cowboy Church**

Every Sunday at 10:30 am Services held at 18071 CR 421, Cross Plains (1/2 mile North of Cross Plains city limits on Hwy 206)



Al Taylor, Preacher Phone: 254-725-7522 Cell Phone: 325-370-6680

# **Pioneer Baptist Church**

Pastor:	Music Director:
<b>Dwaine Clowers</b>	Barbara Jo Medley
Sunday School	10:00am
Sunday Morning Worship.	11:00am
Sunday Evening Worship.	6:00pm
Wednesday Prayer Service	7:00pm

#### **Living Water Ministries Fellowship**

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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

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Bible Teaching

# First Presbyterian Church

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# **CROSS PLAINS CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**433 North Main Street** Cross Plains, Texas 76443 **Minister: RICK AUSTIN SUNDAY:** 

Morning Worship: 10:45 A.M. Bible Class: 9:45 A.M. Evening Worship: 6:00P.M.

Wednesday: Evening: 7:00P.M. Ladies Class - Wednesday:

10:00A.M. (at the church activity center on East Hwy 36)

Office: (254-725-6117) Cell Phone: Rick - (918) 348-6859



Thank You From Cross Plains Youth Basketball

The Cross Plains Youth Basketball teams have recently ended their season and have been very successful. We would like to thank all solutions are considered to the control of the cross Plains Youth Basketball teams have recently ended their season and have been very successful. of the moms and dads for allowing your child to participate in the basketball games. We would like to thank all the coaches that gave up numerous hours of their day to help the players. We would also like to thank Coach Cosby for letting us use the gym and the high school basketball players that helped ref games, keep books, and run the clock. We would like to thank the Cross Plains Athletic Booster Club for providing a concession stand, and would like to thank Fullen motor Company out of Eastland for donating the medals for our teams.

# **Annual Howard** Days plans underway

The annual Robert E. Howard Days, planned jointly by the Robert E. Howard United Association, the REH Foundation and Project Pride is just 2 months away. June 13-14 will find between 75 and 100 guests in town from around the world for the conference. Patrice Louinet of France has been named guest of honor for the event. He is by far, the leading scholar of Howard studies on the international level, garnering numerous awards for his research and for his translation of Howard's works into the French language. He is currently working on the translation of our local museum brochure to be added to the Japanese and German versions we already have.

In addition to a variety of panel discussions focusing on Howard's use of historic events and ancient people in his fictional stories, the attendees will

enjoy special tours of the Museum, a tour around the area, a special postal cancellation, silent auction, celebration dinner, poetry throw-down and lots of sharing of new ideas and newly discovered resources.

Project Pride mailed out nearly 400 invitations this week and local folks are invited to put the event on their calendars also. The only cost for the event is \$15.00 which covers the Friday evening dinner. All the panel discussions and tours are open and free to all who are interested. Although there is no charge for the activities, the out of town visitors are more than generous with donations, which routinely amount to several thousand dol-

More information about making reservations for the dinner will be available next month. For additional information, please contact Arlene at (254)-725-4994 or Era Lee at (254)-725-6562.

### Alzheimer's Caregive Seminar is April 11th in Abilene

ciation - North Central Texas caregivers. Continuing educa-Chapter announces the annual Alzheimer's Association 2014 ity professionals, assisted living Church of Christ, 3666 Buffalo Gap Rd., in Abilene.

gram is designed to help family caregivers and health care professionals better understand dementing illnesses and experiwith persons with dementia.

Guest speaker, Noreen Gray, currently serves as Director of Lifestyle Programming for HCR ManorCare. Ms. Gray is a licensed nursing facility administrator and certified assisted livof experience working in dementia care facilities.

12:30 p.m.; walk-ins will be ad-

ABILENE, TX - March 26th, mitted space permitting. There 2014 — The Alzheimer's Asso- is a \$10 charge for family tion credit is available for activ-Caregiver Seminar, entitled Un- administrators, long-term care derstanding Dementia: Making administrators, social workers therapeutic Connections. The and nurses, for \$35. Program half-day event will be held from cost for other professionals not 12:30 to 5:00 p.m. on Friday, needing continuing education April 11th, at Southern Hills credit is \$20. Respite assistance is available for qualifying family caregivers through the West This interactive training pro- Central Texas Area Agency on Aging, at 325-672-8544 or 1-

For more information about the Caregiver Seminar, registraence meaningful interactions tion or to request a brochure, call 325-672-2907 or toll-free at 1-800-272-3900, or visit http:// www.alz.org/northcentraltexas/ to register on-line.

800-928-2262.

The mission of the Alzheimer's Association is to eliminate's Alzheimer's disease through the ing manager with over 15 years advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to Registration is required for all reduce the risk of dementia participants. Check-in begins at through the promotion of brain

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# Love Fund

A love fund at Texas Heritage Bank has been established for Tiffany Phillips for property loss due to a fire.

# Chamber of Commerce

The Cross Plains Chamber of Commerce has now moved our future meetings to every third Thursday of the month

# Love Fund

Has been established at Texas Heritage Bank

Owen Turner son of Joseph and Allison Turner and grandson of Greg and Dannes Turner

#### **LOVE FUND**

A love fund has been set up at Texas Heritage Bank In Memory of Ricky Smith to help the family with expenses. Ricky is the son of Ileen Smith and the father of Holly Smith both of Cross Plains.

# Love Fund

There is a Love Fund set up for the family of Billy Bell at the Texas Heritage Bank

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**Sunday Evening** 6:30 p.m.

**Sunday School** 9:30 Wednesday

6:30 pm Prayer/Worship Student & Children Ministries 6:30 p.m.

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Joe Terstegge, left, and Don Childers, right, check the burgers on the grill.



Susan McNeel Childers and Cindy Payne working the door and greeting guests



Big Check From Hamburger Night-Members of the Barbarian Festival Committee present a check for \$2025.00 to the Cross Plains Senior Center for the proceeds of Hamburger Night. Hamburger Grillers Joe Terstegge and Don Childers present the check to Vivian Wooten and Carie Wheeler of the Senior Center. Pictured Left to Right: Dannes Turner, Joe Terstegge, Don Childers, Vivian Wooten, Carie Wheeler, Diana Miller and Deana Terstegge.



The Senior Center held a full house last Tuesday night for Hamburger Night. Guests enjoyed hot-of-the-grill hamburgers and live music from the bad The Class of '57.



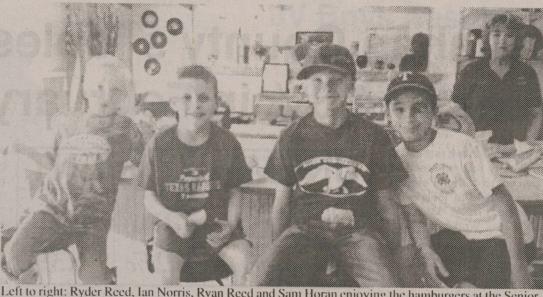
Joe Terstegge, left and Don Childers, right, chief hamburgers grillers for Hamburger Night.

# Scranton Musical this Saturday

Scranton Musical will be held Saturday, April 5th at the community center. The kitchen opens at 5:00 to begin serving. Joanie Shrader of Baird is the hostess with Robert and Sue Shrader of Austin helping. The special will be Hamburger Goulash, salad and homemade garlic bread. The special is \$5.00 and includes a drink of your choice. Sandwiches and homemade pies are available also.

Buddy Johnson will have a full line up of music that will start at 5:30. The weather is predicted to be nice so drive out for a wonderful meal and great entertainment.





Left to right: Ryder Reed, Ian Norris, Ryan Reed and Sam Horan enjoying the hamburgers at the Senior Center. Ryder and Ryan's grandmother, Debbie Reed is looking on.

# Hamburger Night at the Senior Center a **Great Success**

Hundreds of people came out to the Senior Center last Tuesday night, March 25th, and enjoyed the live performance by the band, the Class of '57. The group played a variety of songs spanning several decades that kept the audience humming along.

The dinner was a huge success and raised \$2025. dollars for the Senior Center. All of the expenses for the dinner were paid for by the Barbarian Festi-

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val Committee who sponsored the event. Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, bottled water and other beverages were donated for the dinner by the local Pepsi distribu-

Everyone enjoyed the hamburgers cooked outside the center on a large grilling rig borrowed from Rusty Reed. Joe Terstegge and Don Childers grilled the burgers. Erik Woodard and Russ Miller were

in charge of the buns. Vivian Wooten, Carie Wheeler, Leslie Wyatt, and Becky Collier prepared and served the "fixin's" for the hamburgers. Jordan Lea Collier and Lexia Bagley served the banana pudding. Susan McNeel Childers and Cindy Payne worked the door. Diana Miller, Deana Terstegge, Gene Dillard, Teri Brown and others helped out in various ways to make this dinner such a success!



The band "The Class of '57" entertained the crowd at the Hamburger Supper. Left to right: Jack Bowen, John Kirby, Horace Hounshell and Mack Pyburn.



Cousins Rylan and Kutter Reed



Ready to cook- The Barbarian Festival Committee borrowed Rusty Reed's Box R Outfitters Cooking Rig, complete with a huge smoker. Photo by Susan McNeel Childers

# **Denzel Holmes** Rescheduled for "Meet the Author" April 24th

Due to inclement weather, the Cross Plains Public Library postponed its "Meet the Author" featuring Denzel Holmes. Now it has been reschedule for Thursday, April 24th, at 7:00 p.m., in the library conference room. Holmes was born and grew up in Sheffield, Texas, near the Pecos River. Electricity had not reached south to the family home in 1940, so he was born at 3 a.m. to the light of kerosene lamps. The rural upbringing influenced his desire to write Western in later years.

After harboring the idea for forty years Denzel retired from his career as a Federal auditor and took up the pen. His first

novel, co-authored with Tom Schliesing, was an epic of the German immigration to Texas, titled Texas Victory, published in 2003. His book Last Race is based on the history of Belton, TX, where he now resides. Holmes has just published his 7th book, Concho, where two men from different worlds converge on the West Texas Concho River. Each has dreams that both conflict and blend. The myriad of outside dangers press both men to the breaking point.

Mark your calendars to join us. Admission is free and light refreshments will be served. Holmes will be available to autograph his books.



**BAIRD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANKHEAD DAYS** 

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SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 2014

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# Callahan County's jobless rate rises to 4.3% in February 2014

The unemployment rate in Callahan County rose one-tenth of one percent to 4.3% in February 2014, according to jobless figures released Friday, March 28th by the Texas Workforce Commission. The unemployment rate in Callahan County one year ago in February 2013 was 5.2 percent.

Callahan County's unemployment rate was 4.2% in January, 2014.

Previous monthly jobless rates in Callahan County included: 4.1% in December 2013, 4.3% in November, 4.5% in October, 4.9% in September, 4.7% in August, 4.7% in July, 5.3% in June 2013, 5.2% in May, 4.5% in April, and 4.8% in March, according to the unemployment figures.

Big Country area counties, bordering Callahan County, and the counties' unemployment rates for February 2014 include: Brown, 5.1%; Coleman, 5.5%; Eastland, 5.1%; Jones, 5.4%; Runnels, 4.9%; Shackelford, 2.9%; Stephens, 4.7%; and Taylor County, 4.5%.

The Abilene MSA (Metropolitan Statistical Area) unemployment rate, which includes Taylor, Callahan and Jones Counties, stood at 4.6% in February, 2014, according to the Texas Workforce Commission. The Abilene MSA Combined Labor Force is 84,500. There were 80,600 employed during February 2014, while 3,900 were unemployed, giving the Abilene MSA an unemployment rate of 4.6%.

The Abilene MSA reported the workforce was 83,800 in January, 2014. Total employment of 80,000 was reported in January 2014, while 3,800, or 4.5% were unemployed in January 2014.

The Abilene MSA unemployment rate for February, 2013 was 5.2%. The total workforce was reported at 84,000, with 79,600 employed and 4,400 or 5.2% unemployed in February, 2013.

The state's unemployment rate for the month of February, 2014 was 5.9 percent. The total Texas labor force was 12,907,100 in February 2014. The total number of Texans employed is 12,150,600. The total number of unemployed Texans was 756,500 in February 2014.

Last month's statewide unemployment rate was 5.8 percent. The state's unemployment rate in February of 2013 was 6.6 percent.

The United States unemployment rate for February, 2014 was 7.0 percent. The nation's

**UNEMPLOYMENT** 

Callahan County Unemployment Jan. 4.2% Feb. 4.3%

unemployment rate for the previous month of January, 2014 was 7.0%. The United States unemployment rate one year ago in February, 2013 was 8.1%.

#### Highlights of the Texas Labor Force (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

• The February unemployment rate increased one-tenth of a percentage point to 5.9 percent. This was the lowest February unemployment rate since 2008. The unemployment rate fell by 0.7 percentage points over the year. The national unemployment rate remained unchanged over the month, posting a rate of 7.0 percent.

• The Civilian Labor Force grew by 88,600 individuals to a total of 12,907,100 people. This was the largest February labor force growth since the beginning of the series. The five-year average January-to-February labor force increase was 30,400 persons. Over the year, the Texas labor force expanded by 194,100 individuals, a growth rate of 1.5 percent.

 The number of employed increased by 75,700 individuals to 12,150,600 Texans. This was the largest February gain in the number of jobholders since 2002. The five-year-average gain for employed Texans in February was 56,300 people. The number of employed increased by 275,500 individuals over the year. In February, the number of jobseekers increased by 12,900 persons to a total of 756,500 people. This was the first February increase for individuals seeking work since 2009. Since February 2013, the number of unemployed persons declined by 81,400 individuals.

• The number of Texans continuing to seek unemployment insurance benefits declined by 5,100 persons to reach a total of 129,100 claimants. This was the first drop in the number of continued unemployment insurance claims since October 2013. Over the year, the number of individuals seeking unemployment insurance benefits remained un-

changed at 129,100 claimants. A decline of unemployment claim activity was shown in 22 Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs). The McAllenEdinburg-Mission MSA experienced the largest drop in unemployment claims with a 14.0 percent decline. Two MSAs had an increase in unemployment claim activity with the Waco MSA leading at 5.7 percent. The Laredo

#### HAPPENINGS AROUND THE STATE

MSA remained unchanged.

Telecom Supplier Relocates to DFW

ROCKWALL, TX (Dallas Business Journal—Candace Carlisle)—A California-based telecommunications supplier plans to move its headquarters and manufacturing operations to a new \$20 million facility in Rockwall. The nearly 100-year-old company, Channel Commercial Corporation, has decided to develop its new corporate offices and manufacturing operations at a 175,000-square-foot building. The move will initially create 200 jobs in North Texas.

The new facility will house the largest structural foam machine in the Lone Star state, company officials say. CEO Bill Channell said, "Our customers located east of the Rockies, in Canada, and throughout Latin America will greatly benefit logistically from our decision to build in Rockwall. From a quality of life perspective, we believe Rockwall will allow us an advantage in recruiting top talent nationally."

## HID Global Opens New Austin Facilities

AUSTIN, TX (Austin American-Statesman)—Security technology company HID Global Corporation unveiled its new facility in North Austin that is expected to bring 300 jobs to Central Texas. HID Global officials also said they plan to move the company's corporate headquarters from California to the

Austin operations center as well. HID Global, which designs and produces high-end security, identification and authentication technologies, said it expects its Austin operations center to be fully operational by the third quarter of 2015. The \$35-million facility includes 250,000 square feet of manufacturing, office, and warehouse space.

#### TRC Hiring Workers

SAN ANTONIO, TX (San Antonio Business Journal)—TRC Staffing Services Inc. has opened a new office in San Antonio with plans to hire 200 people to work in customer support in 2014. The company already hired 60 employees. The balance of the new hires will come online throughout 2014. "TRC Staffing Services has had a presence in Texas for years, and we are thrilled to expand into San Antonio," TRC Staffing President and CEO Brian Robinson said. Atlantabased TRC Staffing has 45 locations in 13 states

## Belk to Hire at New Flagship Store

DALLAS, TX (Dallas Business Journal)— Belk Inc. plans to hire nearly 200 employees for its new flagship store at the Galleria Dallas. The Charlottebased retailer is hiring for the Dallas store, Texas' first flagship store that will occupy Saks Fifth Avenue's former space. The location is slated to host its grand opening April 9th. The new location will feature three floors of apparel, accessories, shoes, and cosmetics.

## Oilfield Services Firm Opens Facility

LA VERNIA, TX (San Antonio Business Journal)— Alberta, Canada-based Rapid Rod Services Ltd. has opened a facility a half hour east of San Antonio with plans to hire as many as 160 workers providing oilfield services in the Eagle Ford Shale. Rapid Rod, which leased an existing building in La Vernia, provides sucker-rod services, or the insertion of pumping gear The company is primarily active in Western Canada, where it operates 17 pieces of equipment, including truck-mounted rigs. It now has one truck in the Eagle Ford.

# **Experience the foods** from "True Grit"

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Remember the corn dodgers from True Grit in both the book and both movies? Those and several other foods mentioned in the book by Charles Portis, as well as foods mentioned by Robert E. Howard in several of his books and letters, will be served at one of the Experience True Grit events sponsored by the Cross Plains Public Library.

Mark Finn, noted Howard scholar and frequent visitor to Cross Plains, will be in town on Thur. April 10 to discuss the similar writing styles of both Portis and Howard in their western stories at a Meet the Authorstyle evening beginning at 7:00 in the library conference room.

As a prolific writer of many different subjects, Howard wrote 49 true western style stories and poems. Finn will be discussing both writers as they relate to the development of characters, story line, descriptions of terrain, weather, action and closure. One of Howard's stories is centered around *The Ghost of Camp Colorado*, and another one is titled *Golden Hope Christmas*.

The evening promises to be an eye opener for those who are aware only of Howard's Conan character and his innovative spear and fantasy style of writing.

Project Pride members will be serving refreshments like the corn dodgers, chicken and dumplings, taffy, dried fruit, cheese, sausage in biscuits and ginger bread, which were all mentioned in Portis' book. Howard claimed that he loved pimento cheese sandwiches and never drank coffee, thus the drink of the evening will be tea. Because Finn runs a movie theater in Vernon, caramel popcorn will also be available as a tribute to his generosity in sharing his knowledge of, and respect for, Howard's contributions to the literary world.

As part of his visit to Cross Plains, Finn will also visit the high school English classes that are studying True Grit and share his expertise with them on Friday, April 11.

So join us for an enjoyable and informative evening!

# Cross Plains Public Library Celebrates Volunteer Appreciation Week

Volunteer Appreciation Week is April 6-12, and the Cross Plains Public Library will host a brunch on Saturday, April 12th from 10:00 a.m. to 11 a.m. to honor our volunteers for 2013-2014. Invitations were mailed last week, but we are missing a few addresses-if you did not receive an invitation, please contact us at (254)-725-7722.

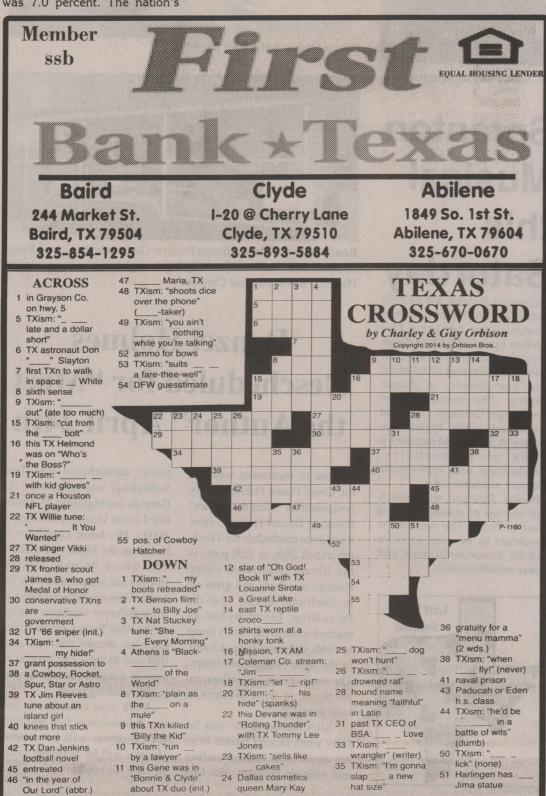
The library has been privileged to have 46 volunteers over the past year who gave a total of 3,789 hours of their time to the library. Many volunteered at the circulation desk each week, while others provided maintenance for the building and grounds, and others provided programs for Summer Reading, LAP/Lapsit, After School Adventure, Meet the Author, Book to Movie and various other programs.

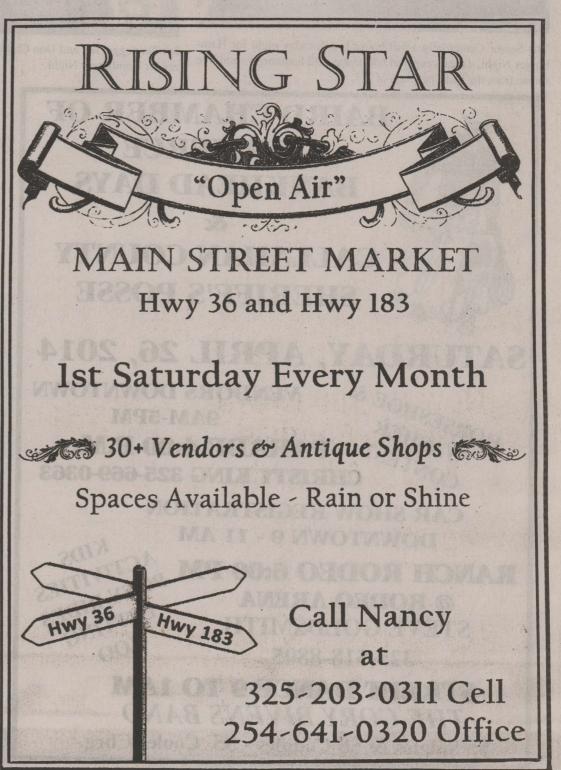
The Library board and staff are pleased to be able to show their appreciation to these dedicated folks.

# **Burn Ban Reinstated**

The Callahan County Commissioners made the decision to reinstate the County Burn ban this morning during Commissioners Court. Cross Plains Review

April 3, 2014





# **Varsity Girls Results** from San Saba Track Meet

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100 M Dash Kristin Wright	4th	13.75
200 M Dash Ariel Sneed	6th	28.96
400 M Dash Lindsey Ames	6th	1:09.78
800 M Run Shelby McWilliams	1st	2:30.00
300 M Hurdles Grace Goode	6th	53.42
4X100 M Relay Grace Goode Shelby McWilliams Kristin Wright Ariel Sneed	2nd	52.78
4X200 M Relay Loralei Woodard Lindsey Ames Allanta Wheeler Ariel Sneed		1:56.92
4X400 M Relay Grace Goode Kristin Wright Atlanta Wheeler Shelby McWilliams	1st	4:20.37
Field Events		
Shot Put Alyssa Wheeler Taryn Estes	2nd 3rd	38'11.25 34'6.5"
Discus Jurnee Thomas	4th	87'9"
Triple Jump Shelby McWilliams	3rd	30'9"
High Jump Kenzie Halsel Lindsey Ames	3rd 4th	4'8" 4'6"
Pole Vault Allanta Wheeler Shelby McWilliams	3rd . 5th	8'6" 6'6"
Kristin Wright	6th	6'0"

# JV Girls Results from San Saba **Track Meet**

800 M Run		
Inez Salazar	6th	3:11.15
100 M Hurdles		
Cheynne Hass	2nd	20.97
Alexus Mauricio	5th	23.60
4X200 M Relay		
Alexus Mauricio		
Cheynne Hass	4th	2:13.20
Inez Salazar		
Teagan Fortune		
4X400 M Relay Alexus Mauricio		
Inez Salazar	3rd	5:24.93
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Cheynne Hass		
Field Events		
Shot Put		
Cheyenne Boma	3rd	28'2.24"
Discus		
Kelli Bennett	3rd	64'6"
Cheyenne Bom	5th	46'6"
Wald mean back by		
Triple Jump		The state of the s
Cheynne Hass	1st	27'6.25"

# **Vendors RSVP** Now for the Cisco Folklife Festival, April 26th-27th

Come and join us for the Cisco Civic League Folklife Festival held on the grounds of the Cisco College. We look forward to celebrating our 41st year of the festival and are happy to announce that all indoor booths are AIR CONDITIONED!!! That's a great bonus for vendors able to procure those spots for their booths!

If you or your organization wishes to be a vendor at this year's festival, contact one of the ladies listed below AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. They will explain

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Your Cisco Civic League contacts are:

Food- Lacey Johnson at (254)-442-3418

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Other Cisco Folklife Festival inquiries- Cisco Civic League President, LeAnn Barron at (254)-443-9461 or email llab88@cebridge.net



Josh Branch participates in the triple jump

# **Varsity Boys Results** from San Saba **Track Meet**

100 M Dash		
Rylan Laminack	6th	11.67
200 M Dash		- Homa Equal Co
Tristen Stephenson	6th	24.57
110 M Hurdles		
Josh Branch	5th	18.39
300 M Hurdles		
Colton McWilliams	3rd	42.23
4X100 M Relay		
Rylan Laminack		
Colton McWilliams		
Tristen Stephenson		
Tyler Henderson	2nd	44.91
4X200 M Relay		
Rylan Laminack		
Tyler Henderson		
Tristen Stephenson	1st	1:34.39
Field Events	igo El	

Discus Bronc Dillard	4th	105'10"
Triple Jump Josh Branch	4th	36'10"
High Jump Josh Branch	1st	5'10"

#### Cross Plains Review **Leifton Hunter** Scholarship April 3, 2014

The Leifton Hunter Scholarship Fund was established by Leonard Wilsonin Memory of Leifton Hunter, a 1998 graduate of Cross Plains High School. A graduating senior will be awarded a \$250.00 Scholarship to assist with tuition, books and/or fees to further his or her education.

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**Application Deadline:** 

The application deadline is April 25, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. Please return the application with the essay attached to Debbie Edington at Texas Heritage

# JV Boys Results from San Saba **Track Meet**

		1
200 M Dash Colton Bradley Dalton Gilliam	3rd 4th	25.16 26.12
400 M Dash Tyler Wright Sean Armer	4th 6th	59.63 1:01.33
800 M Run Holden Senclair	2nd	2:25.53
1600 M Run Charles Thompson Billy Woodard	2nd 3d	5:55.64 5:58.77
3200 M Run Charles Thompson	lst	13:26.62
110 M Hurdles Ben Branch James Briggs	5th 4th	19.61 19.43
4X100 M Relay Colton Bradley Phoenix Sanders Sean Armer Zach Gartman	5th	49.58
4X100 M Relay Zach Gartman Colton Bradley Phoenix Sanders Dalton Gilliam	3rd	1:43.89
Field Events		
Triple Jump Holden Senclair Sean Armer	2nd 4th	34'9.5" 32'5"
High Jump Holden Senclair Ben Branch	3rd 1st	5'2" 5'2"
Discus		

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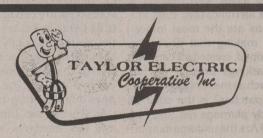
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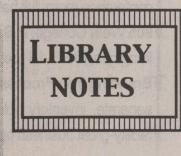
Let your light shine before others... Matthew 5:16

# Glowin' for Owen Fun Run scheduled for April 19th

Glowin' for Owen Fun Run to be held at Cross Plains High School track on April 19, 2014. Registration for the two mile run/ walk is \$25.00 for ages 13 and up or \$18.00 for ages 12 and under. Registration fee includes a t shirt (if registration is received before April 10th) and two glow necklaces and two

glow bracelets. Check in at 7:00 p.m. with a short meeting to follow, and the run/walk starts at 8:00 p.m. Registration can be on-line garymosesfitness.com/5kcr or by contacting 325-998-1044. There will be a prize for the best glow outfit and T Shirts will be available for purchase for \$15.00.

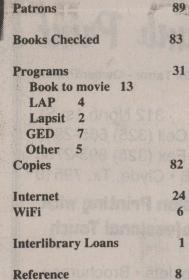
All proceeds go to Owen Turner, an 11 month old currently fighting Leukemia at Cooks Children's hospital. Owen is the son of Joseph and Allison Turner of Godley, and grandson of Greg and Dannes Turner of Cross Plains, and Wayne Ann Davis of Godley.



#### **Library Hours**

Monday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. **CLOSED FRIDAY** 

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Sylvia King of DRT presents new book to Librarian Linda Burns.

# "The Daughters: A dozen Decades of **DRT**" presented to Library

Sylvia King and Donna Irby visited the Cross Plains Public Library on March 18, 2014 to present a copy of "The Daughters: A dozen decades of DRT" to Linda Burns, Librarian. The book covers the 121 years history of the organization. Sylvia and Donna are members of the Picketville Chapter of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas that meets in Breckenridge.

Founded in 1891, The Daughters of The Republic of Texas is the oldest patriotic women's organization in Texas and one of the oldest in the nation. To be a member you must be the descendant of a citizen of the Republic of Texas (1836-1846). The DRT mission is to perpetuate the memory and spirit of those who achieved and maintained the independence of Texas, to provide educational

# "Experience True Grit" with Jeff **Bridges**

Join us at the library on Thursday, April 3rd, to view the 2010 movie "True Grit" at 5:00 p.m., followed by a book discussion at Jean's Feed Barn. We will review last week's movie and discuss both versions as adapted from the book.

programs of the highest caliber in coordination with Texas school districts and the Texas Education Agency, as well as programs for the public, to encourage research into early Texas records, preserve historic documents and encourage the publication of historic records, and to secure and memorialize historic

The Daughters work with the GLO of Texas to preserve the Alamo and the French Legation at Austin. The French Legation was originally built by the French diplomat to The Republic of Texas, Alphonse Dubois de Saligny.

Be sure to take a look at the new book the next time you are in the library. If you would like to know more about becoming a member of the DRT, go to their website at www.drtinfo.org.

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# Baird couple to receive **Community Builders Award**

The Baird Masonic Lodge 522 is proud to announce the recepients of the Community Builders Award for 2014 are Charlie and Frances Greenway. Mr. and Mrs. Greenway have been helping youth groups such as 4H, FFA, Girl and Boy Scouts and church groups for half a century in Baird and

Callahan County. The Award will be presented on Saturday, April 5, 2014 at the Senior Center in Baird at 2:00 pm. We invite the Greenway's many friends, family and the many youth they have helped throughout the years to attend the ceremony.



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# Birdwatching 101

Generally speaking, most people have a hobby or two in which they enjoy participating in aside from their daily routines. For some it is sports, for others it may be something like stamp collecting or coin collecting, and for others it may be fishing or hiking. There is a hobby that has really taken hold in the United States over the past several decades and that is birdwatching, or birding for

It has been estimated that more than sixty million people in the United States participate in birding annually. Western Texas is a prime area to birdwatch due to favorable weather conditions, as well as geographical place-

As I begin to generalize a short overview about this hobby, let me just say that the space allotted for this column is not nearly enough to cover all of the how, what, when, where and whys of birding. It is meant to literally be an overview of a tremendous opportunity to get outdoors!

If one is interested in birding, there are several items that can be considered necessities to obtain before beginning. The first is a good bird identification book. There are several quality books to choose from, and making that selection depends largely on how serious you see yourself participating in the hobby. One of my favorites is the Birds of Texas by Fred J. Alsop III. This is one of several field quides by the Smithsonian Handbook series. The next item to obtain would be a good set of binoculars. These are needed for those hard-to-see species that are small or too far away to make a positive ID. Another item would be a good digital camera. A few years ago, a digital DSLR with a large telephoto lens was the way to go. Now, there are several point and shoot cameras that have up to twelve times zoom capabilities, as well as several megapixels, available for a third of what a single DSLR telephoto lens costs. Digital cameras are really good to use in the field as they allow you to photo a bird, then zoom in for a closer look to aid in the identification. When in the field birdwatching,

#### there are several questions to One Hour Can Save Lives

Do you have an hour a week you could volunteer to help others? The Cross Plains Senior Center delivers meals to homebound Monday-Friday and are needing volunteers for the 2nd and the 4th Monday of each month. If you would like to deliver on Mondays or would be willing to be a substitute if needed, please call the Center. 725-6521



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body to assist with making a ing habitat like? What kind of positive identification. First im- voice does the bird utilize? What pressions are the most impor- is its behavior? Does it hop on tant in making that ID. Is the the ground, does it fly from bush head striped, crested, or capped? Are markings present on the face, such as masking, eye rings, or ear patches? Is the color of the body plumage red, blue, or brown? Are the underparts spotted or streaked? Is the tail forked, rounded, long, or short? Are with the mastery of these elethere distinctive markings on the tail such as spots, bands, or bars? What about the bill? Is it needlelike, or is it hooked, or is it cone-shaped?

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ask and answer about a bird's observe. What is the surroundto bush, or does it soar? What is its flight pattern? Does it exhibit a direct straight line flight? Or does it hover or zig-zag?

As you can see, there are several key elements in learning how to be a birdwatcher. But ments, then you are well on your way to become an experienced birder.

Editor's Note: Michael Price would love to hear from folks! There are also other things He can be reached by email at

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# MusiClyde coming to downtown Clyde May 2nd-3rd

MusiClyde, a two day music festival, is coming to downtown Clyde during the weekend of May 2nd-3rd. Three exciting events will happen in those two days. This is the first year for this event and we hope that it is the first of many years. Tickets available musiclyde.ticketleap.com.

A Friday night party, May 2nd, called Ignite starts in Callahan Hall at 7:00 p.m. Admission is \$10. The line up of musicians incudes, Zach Harmon, Tim Palmer, Carlton Dillard and several surprises. It should be a night of fun and interaction between musicians and guests. Volunteers will be cooking hamburgers and wings for sale. Ca-

**Buttermilk Biscuits and Blues** premieres on Saturday morning, May 3rd, at 10:30 a.m., also at Callahan Hall. Catered by Sandstone Catering, the event incudes a mouth-watering musicians yet to be announced. Southern brunch and music by the Soul Stirrers, members of music industry. Sam Cooke came out of this group. Tickets are \$50 with all proceeds going this a tradition. to downtown Clyde. Capacity:

On Saturday night, May 3rd, the party moves to the new Plattown Clyde. Admission is free.

Food vendors will set up and the music starts at 7:00 p.m. Bring your lawn chairs. Saturday night there will be music by the Soul Stirrers, Possum Posse from Austin Texas, and various other

Years from now, it is hoped that MusiClyde will be a familiar the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. name around the world. Citi-These guys are legends in the zens of Clyde have a lot to be proud of, so it is encouraged that all work together to make

If interested in attending the MusiClyde festival, tickets are available for BUTTERMILK BIS-CUITS AND BLUES and the form Pavilion on the corner of PLATFORM PARTY at Cedar and North First in down- musiclyde.ticketleap.com. Prices

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# "Experience True **Grit" Happenings**

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Stop in the library and pick search.

up a new puzzle this week. Bring your completed entries to the library by Thursday, April 3rd, where correct entries will be entered in our drawing for a movie pass for 2 on April 12th. Last week featured a crossword puzzle and this week is a word

# **Teens "Experience** the True Grit of **Bethany Hamilton**"

The Cross Plains Public Library will host an "Experience True Grit" event at the Main Street Pool House and Surf Shop on Saturday, April 5th at 7:00 p.m. Teens will enjoy "Soul Surfer" the story of teenage surfer Bethany Hamilton, who overcame the odds and her own fears of returning to the water after losing her left arm in a shark attack. FREE copies of the book are available now at the library. Participants will receive a free T-Shirt and be eligible for a drawing of free movie passes and "True Grit" T-Shirts. Pizza and drinks will be served during the movie, followed by a discussion of the "gritty" aspects of the

# **Cottonwood News** By: Beverly Brown

Burkett Volunteer Fire Department's Annual Brisket Dinner and Open House is this coming Saturday evening from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Christian Community Center in Burkett. If you haven't been to the Burkett event before, it's a lot of fun with prize drawings, a cake auction and great food. Many folks from Cottonwood always attend the Burkett Brisket Dinner. It's important that we support all the area fire departments, as well as our local Fire Control Group and Cross Plains VFD. You never know when we'll need them. Burkett, Baird, and many of the other surrounding departments have come to Cottonwood before to lend mutual aid.

Mark your calendars now for the upcoming Cross Plains Garden Club plant sale scheduled for Friday, April 11th in front of the CP Public Library. The event begins at 9:00 a.m. and will end at 4:00 p.m. The assortment will include house plants, outdoor plants and seedlings. You'll be able to find cactus, succulents, iris, daylilies, periwinkle, herbs, flowering annuals and much more. All proceeds are donated back into the community and also help support the Garden Club's annual \$500.00 scholarship program. After a cold dry winter, April will be the perfect time to spruce up your planting beds and gardens with new plants.

The next Game Night at the Cross Plains Senior Citizens Center is on Tuesday, April 15th. If you'd like to mark your calendar, Game Nights are the first and third Tuesdays. Everyone has a great time

playing dominoes and Mexican Train, shooting pool and just visiting with their friends. You'll spot many current and former residents of Cottonwood at Game Night.

The Hamburger Night at the Senior Center was as success. Thanks to the community for their support. Cottonwood residents Joe and Deana Terstegge, Russ and Diana Miller and Erik Woodard, all members of the Barbarian Festival Committee, worked at the event. You still can bring can goods to the center for the Canned Food Drive.

The Cottonwood Volunteer Fire Control Group has made progress on converting the 5-ton military truck.

Easter is coming late this year. Good Friday is April 18 and Easter Sunday, April 20. Cross Plains Volunteer Fire

Department's Annual Fish Fry is Friday, April 25 at the First Baptist Church Family Life Center in Cross Plains. Mark your calendar now so you won't miss out on the fish dinner.

The Burn Ban is ON. No burning is allowed. Welding is permitted, as long as you have a spotter, two wet fire extinguishers, a large supply of water and a water sprayer. You'll need to wet down the area often while you are welding. Outdoor grilling is permitted, as long as you cook in an enclosed cooker or keep the lid closed on the grill, have a supply of water available and stay with the cooker while it's cooking. Wind can easily spread embers from your barbeque pit. If you have questions about the Burn Ban or if you see smoke - call the Sheriff's office at 325-854-1444.



Cross Plains Public Library Event- Pictured are some of the guests who attended the Cross Plains Public Library's Book to Movie event of "True Grit." Left to right: Wilma Lawrence, Ginny Hoskins, Gayle and Ken Lowry, Arlene and Tom Stephenson, Judy Luter and Nora Odom. Attendees viewed the 1969 movie with John Wayne, then traveled to Jean's Feed Barn for a Meal and Discussion. Join us at the library this Thursday, April 3rd, to view the 2010 movie with Jeff Bridges at 5:00 p.m.

# Owen **Turner** Sale This Saturday

On Saturday, April 5th, the library will hold its regular every-other-month book sale on Hwy 36 across from Lawrence Farm & Ranch Supply from 8:00 a.m. + 2:00 p.m. Experience the True Grit of Owen Turner will have all proceeds going to Owen Turner's Love Fund. In addition, we have been spring cleaning at the library and have some items for sale: computer parts, T-shirts, framed pictures, craft supplies, and other miscellaneous items, in addition to our books, CDs, and tapes. Please stop in and buy something to benefit this worthy

## Courthouse News

Callahan County Court Roger Corn, presiding

Misdemeanor Minutes

End of term order discharging defendant under misdemeanor probation: Edgar U. Hernandez; Javier Hernandez; Zachary Meehan.

Janet Lynette Maxwell, motion to dismiss to theft by check granted in the interest of

Jeulian A. Staggs, order dismissing motion to revoke probation and amending conditions of probation granted.

Michael D. Webb, plea of guilty to assault, 90 days in jail, \$264 court costs.

Derek A. Podlevsky, motion to dismiss to theft by check granted in the interest of justice. Michael B. Brafford, plea of

guilty to possession of marijuana, 20 days in jail, \$329 court costs. Kimberly L. McConnell, plea of guilty to interfering with

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#### Immunization clinic at Cross Plains Housing Authority on April 14th

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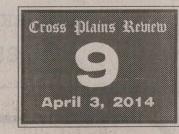
Clyde High School Project Graduation will be hosting a Hole-In-One Golf Contest as a major fundraiser for Project Graduation. The tournament will be held at Shady Oaks Golf Course, Baird, Texas, on April 24-26, 2014.

Prizes will be awarded to the top ten contestants who place w closest to the hole, with a Grand Prize of \$100,000 for a HOLE-IN-ONE in the final

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The Grand Ole Oplin is

The Grand Ole Oplin would hosted by the Oplin Community Center and is located at the intersection of F. M. 604 South and F.M. 2926. Our Friday night dance begins at 7:30 p.m. and ends at 10:30 31st - April 4th. Residents are p.m. Admission is still only encouraged to take advantage of \$5.00 per person. Snacks are invited to be shared by all during the band's break.

Alcohol and smoking are not allowed at any of our functions. So gather the family and all of your friends, come on out to the GRAND OLE OPLIN, show our bands your support and dance the evening away !

# **Cross Plains Garden Club News**

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Spring is here so it's time to bring out your well oiled hoes, shovels and spades and finish up last minute soil preparation in your beds, herb gardens and containers. The Cross Plains Garden Club's annual plant sale is scheduled for Friday, April 11th from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. The sale will be set up in front of the Cross Plains Public Library and will offer a wide selection of indoor and outdoor

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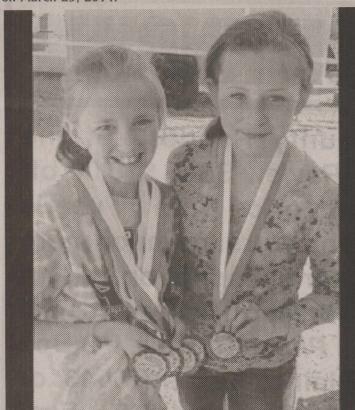
Kids from all over Texas cameout to participate in the Charlie Greenway Silhouette Match held on March, 29, 2014 at the Callahan County Shooting Range. Pictured-(L-R)-Megan Taylor -Coleman Co., Kailey Hart - Callahan Co., Deanna Utz - Falls Co., Taylor Gibich - Travis Co.



Signature pose of some of the Callahan County Shooting Sports members having fun stricking a pose at the Charlie Greenway Silhouette Match held on March 29, 2014.



Large crowd gathered at the morning orintation of the Charlie Greenway Silhouette Match held



Raven Ratliff and Haley McAlmonds showing off their medals at the Charlie Greenway Silhouette Match held on March 29,

#### **Pioneer Historical** Assoc. Semi Annual **Cemetery Board** Meeting

The first semi-annual meeting of the Pioneer Historical Association and Cemetery Board will be held at 6:00 p.m. Monday, April 14, 2014 at the Dairy Queen in Cross Plains, Texas. If possible, all board members should be in attendance for this important meeting. Visitors are welcome and all with family ties to the Pioneer Cemetery are especially welcome.

- Lou Brooks, Secretary





Chalaxin after a long day at the Charlie Greenway Silhouette Match, held on March 29, 2014.

# Callahan County 4-H Shooting Sports hosted 7th Annual Charlie Greenway Silhouette Match on March 29, 2014

The Callahan County 4-H Shooting Sports hosted their 7th Annual Charlie Greenway Silhouette Match on March 29. 2014.

There are approximately eighty 4-H competitors from around the state who are signed up to shoot pistol, or rifle

Competitors from as far away at Kent County, Travis County and Ector County, also the Metroplex; and as close as Taylor, Shackelford, Brown, Coleman, Jones and Runnels Counties will come to Callahan County to compete in the Silhouette Match.

The silhouette match is coach and 4-H leader in 2014. Callahan County, Charlie Greenway of Baird.

Greenway Coach recognized as an expert black powder and pistol competitior and the young Callahan County competitors are lucky to have him as a coach.

If you have never been to the 4-H Shooting range we invite you to visit our facilities. The 4-H Shooting range is located about midway between Clyde and Baird on FM 18. Watch for

Members and Parents have worked on the range continuously, and it is one of the best 4-H ranges in the state.

The Callahan Shooting Sports will host the District 3 P Match on April 12, 2014. (There were 100 competitiors in this event in the 2013 Match).

The Fun Shoot will be on May 17, 2014 and the Texas High School Rodeo Trap and 22 Rifle Competition will be June 7, 2014.

The grand finale for the season, the State 4-H Match, will be held for the second year here again in July!

As you can see it is shaping up to be a busy Shooting Sports

Please come support the local Shooting Sports Program if



Monty and Hayley at the awards ceremony Saturday afternoon named in honor of longtime at the Charlie Greenway Silhouette Match held on March 29,



**Taylor Gibich of Travis county** shooting black powder at the Charlie Greenway Silhouette Match held on March 29,



Raven Ratliff shooting during the air rifle competion at the Charlie Greenway Silhouette Matchheld on



Morgan Fulgham shooting black powder at the Charlie powder rifle. She won first **Greenway Silhouette Match** 

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Kailey Hart shooting a black place, at the Charlie Greenway Silhouette Match held on March 29, 2014.

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Wednesday-9th Exercise, Blood Pressure Check

Thursday -10th Exercise 11:00 Movie Marathon

Friday -11th Exercise 11:00

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#### SENIOR CITIZENS MENU

#### **April 7-April 11**

Monday 7th-Hamburger Steak/ Thusday 10th - Beef Strogagravy, Potatoes, Green Beans, Bread, Dessert

Tuesday 8th - Baked Beef Sausage, Macaroni & Tomatoes, Corn, Bread, Dessert.

Wednesday 9th - BBQ Chicken, Cornbread Salad, Turnio Greens, Bread, Dessert noff (Noodle, Meat ,Sauce) Broccili, Bread, Dessert

Friday 11th - Ham & Cheese, (lett/tom/pickles) Pasta Salad,

> **MEAL IS SERVED -**11:45 A.M. - 12:30 P.M

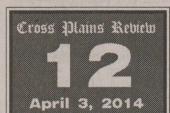
Monthly Menu may be picked up at the Senior Citizen Center

## Gospel Meeting in Cisco

The 4th Street Church of Christ in Cisco, Texas invites you to a week end meeting on April 11th, 12th, and 13th. Services will start at 7:00 p.m. on Friday and Saturday evening and at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday morning. There will be a potluck dinner on Sunday after church.

Our speaker will be Adam Teer from Sulpher Springs, Texas. This young man is a dynamic teacher and an enthusiastic worker for the Lord and all who come will be edified by being there. Please come and join us as we study a portion of God's word and praise Him in song.

The Church is located at the corner of 4th and J Street in Cisco, Texas. For information call Robert Allen at (254)-442-4519 or Don Cantrell at (254)-210-2102 or Aldon Westbrook at (254)-643-3223.



# **Texas Historical Commission news briefs**

AUSTIN TO HOST SOCI-**ETY FOR AMERICAN ARCHAEOLOGY** CONFERENCE

AUSTIN, Texas-Be part of an exclusive "behind the scenes" tour of a 17th century French shipwreck, or learn more about the state's Hispanic heritage at Casa Navarro in San Antonio during the 79th Annual Meeting of the Society for American Archaeology, April 23-27 in Austin. Many events at this year's conference are designed specifically with students in mind, including a speed mentoring session and resume review. A special student day on Saturday, April 26th will introduce high school and undergraduate students to archeology, including an archeology career panel and hands-on ar-

cheology activities. The opening session will focus on the challenges of archeology publishing, and an evening reception will introduce attendees to officers, board members, and other Society members. Proceeds from a silent auction will benefit Native American scholarships. Off-site excursions infrom the Belle shipwreck, sailed Cavelier, Sieur de La Salle, and Commission (THC) archeologists in 1995. The group will ship being reassembled for ex- vation Summit. hibit, and learn about the ship's excavation.

Antonio; another tour takes visitors to the Gault site—the largtoric Clovis peoples, where a ing heritage. block affords tour participants a download a nomination form, 512.463.6092. view into the past. Workshops visit www.preservationtexas.org.

and symposiums cover everything from prehistoric Texas to how to get a job in archeology.

staff members are participating toric resources, and is a strong in this year's conference, which takes place at the Austin Convention Center and nearby Hilton hotel. To register or learn more, visit www.saa.org or contact the THC's Archeology Division at 512.463.6096.

#### **MOST ENDANGERED** PLACES DEADLINE **EXTENDED TO APRIL 11TH**

AUSTIN, Texas—Do you know of a historic building or site that is threatened with demolition or extinction? This is your chance to nominate that location for Preservation Texas' annual Most Endangered Places List. By calling attention to endangered places in Texas, Preservation Texas encourages local action Main Street designation. Historic while there's still time before the neighborhood commercial diswrecking ball swings or age takes tricts are also eligible to apply. its toll. Nominations are open to With the designation, commuthe public until midnight April nities become part of a powerful 11th. Inclusion on previous lists statewide and national network, has provided groups and indi- and receive a range of services viduals who are concerned about from the Texas Main Street Proclude a trip to the nearby Bul- the future of a site the support, gram staff, including design and lock Texas State History Mu- expertise, and guidance to technical consultation, strategic seum to view artifacts recovered strengthen preservation efforts. New this year, consulting serby French explorer Robert vices will be provided to accompany sites making the list. Sediscovered by Texas Historical lected locations will be an- Texas travels to newly announced on the steps of the nounced Main Street communi-State Capitol in Austin on May ties. This year, First Lady Anita view the actual timber of the 22nd during the Annual Preser-

recovery from the Gulf of Mexico considered, from public residenby Dr. Jim Bruseth, who led the tial buildings to neighborhoods, The tour is sponsored by the bridges, and landscapes. Previ- Independent Bankers Associa-The Texas Tejano Tour is a trip ous lists have included Texas tion of Texas (IBAT). This is through Spanish Colonial San Capitol view corridors, the 1896 Texas State Railroad, a rare tour. moveable jail cell in Hays For more information, and to est and most complex known County, and historic homesteads download an application, visit site of occupation of the prehis- that captured the state's ranch- www.thc.state.tx.us or call the

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Preservation Texas is the only private, nonprofit membership organization in the state dedi-Several current and former THC cated to protecting Texas' hispartner with the Texas Historical

#### **DEADLINE APPROACHING** TO BECOME A MAIN STREET COMMUNITY

AUSTIN, Texas—Applications to become a designated Texas Main Street community are accepted only once a year. Communities of all sizes with a historic downtown are eligible to become a Main Street community, and that process begins with a Letter of Intent that is due to the Texas Historical Commission (THC) Main Street office by May 15th.

Each year, the THC may select up to five Texas cities for official planning, on-site manager training, and more. There is no application fee.

Each year, the First Lady of Perry recently visited the newest Main Street communities of A wide range of sites will be Sealy, Caldwell, and Waco with THC commissioners and staff. IBAT's 20th year to sponsor the

THC's Community Heritage Dethree-meter-deep excavation For more information, or to velopment Division at

# Girl Scouts send 9,769 Boxes of cookies to 40th squadron deployed out of Dyess Air Force Base this month

Girl Scout Troop 7200 from Abilene, Texas sold 9,769 boxes of Girl Scout Cookies during the 2014 cookie

Of those boxes, 468 of them were sent overseas to our troops through our Project Troop to Troop through Girl Scouts of Texas—Oklahoma Plains. They were sent with the 40th squadron that deployed out of Dyess Air Force Base this month!

Troop 7200 has 27 active girls from 1st grade to 8th grade and 50% of these girls have an active military parent and one of them is currently deployed and several more deploy in the next couple of months!!

Last year the girls sent over 200 boxes to our military overseas and this year's goal was 400 boxes which they met; and then sent several boxes over their quota! Way to go Girls!!



The Picture Above-represents the amount of cookies sent overseas! We had pictures taken at Dyess Air Force Base and a local photographer, Marti Wade with Marti Wade Photography donated her time to take the pictures of the troop! They are beyond thrilled and excited that the people of Abilene helped the troop with this huge accomplishment to pay it forward and help out our local military and we wanted to spread the news!

#### **Vendors RSVP Now for the Cisco** Folklife Festival, April 26th and 27th

Come and join us for the POSSIBLE. They will explain Cisco Civic League Folklife Festival held on the grounds of the Cisco College. We look forward to celebrating our 41st year of the festival and are happy to announce that all indoor vendor booths are AIR CONDITIONED!! That's a great bonus for vendors able to procure those spots for their booths! If you or your organization wishes to be a vendor at this year's festival, contact one of the ladies listed below AS SOON AS

how you can guarantee a spot to share your unique goods and interests at this event.

Your Cisco Civic League contacts are:

 Food—Lacey Johnson at 254-442-3418

• Crafts—Harryette Purvis at 254-442-1522 Or email at harryette@sbcglobal.net

· Other Cisco Folklife Festival inquiries—Cisco Civic League President, LeAnn Barron at 254-443-9461 Or email llab88@cebridge.net

#### **Baird Church of Christ will host its** second Spring Lectureship this Sunday

The Baird Church of Christ will host its second Spring Lectureship starting this Sunday and continues through Wednesday night.

Five visiting ministers will present the lessons based on Why Do We Do What We Do?" Three of the speakers were on last year's program, Michael Light of Bangs, David Peterson of Clyde and Chris McCurley of Abilene's Oldham Lane congregation, Wes McAdams of Baker Heights in Abilene and Roy Daniel Hardesty of Colorado City, a chaplain in the prison system there and the son of Baird minister Loy Hardesty.

The session opens Sunday morning at 10 a.m. with Bible classes, and Hardesty will speak during the 10:45 worship on "Why We Preach Unity, not Union?" That night

at 5:30 p.m., Light's topic is "Why Do We Need Right Choices". The remaining three nights will start at 7 p.m. Peterson will discuss "Why Do We Need to Know God?" McCurley's sermon on Tuesday is "Why Do We Worship As We Do?" and McAdams closes the lectureship when he discusses "Why Do We Need the Bible?" A fellowship dinner is planned at noon Sunday and refreshments will be served after the other services.

The public is invited to any or all of the service and the noon meal.

The church is located on Farm Road 2047 and behind Hanner Trailer Sales on the left of Interstate 20 if driving to Baird from the West. Those coming from out of town should get off at Exit 306.

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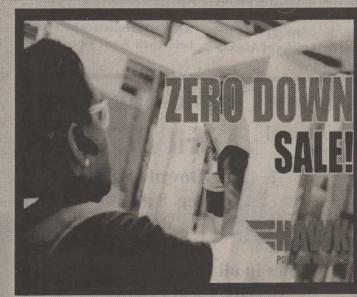
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# History of Mt. View Cemetery

This quiet rural cemetery was established in January 1891 at the base of Robinson's Peak and for many, many years was cared for by families of those who were buried there. The cemetery sits on part of a 6 acre tract of land donated by George William Baker to the county in the late 1880's for use as a school. Families in the area built Mt. View School, which was also used as a church. After many years, the school was closed; the building fell into disrepair and was finally razed. The cemetery was all that remained of the community that had once existed. Unbeknowst to the general population, the property on which the cemetery is located reverted back to the heirs of George William Baker.

The heirs had no desire to have the property and taxes were not paid for many years. The property was sold for back taxes on April 25, 2005, to a disinterested buyer who promptly put a "no trespassing" sign on the gate to the cemetery. At a gathering of interested individuals on April 30, 2005, the Mt. View Cemetery Association was created with directors and officers elected. The directors were authorized to seek out the buyer and negotiate the purchase of the land by the Cemetery Association. Mrs. Gussie jennings advised the Board she would arrange for an accurate survey of the cemetery and the six acres which included the one acre cemetery.

To make a long story short, it was Mrs. Jennings who ultimately purchased the land bought at the tax sale (as it adjoins the property owned by her and her late husband, Arthur Jennings). Mrs. Jennings then donated the cemetery property and an additional 1/2 acre on the back side of the cemetery to the cemetery association. She also contacted Mrs. Jane Stephens Greer who actually owned the property from the front of the cemetery to the county road. Mrs. Greer donated that area to the cemetery association also. After recording these donation deeds giving the land to the Mt. View Cemetery Association, a separate document was recorded with the Coleman County Clerk dedicating the land as a cemetery, so it is no longer subject to taxes.

In September of 2005, the first official meeting of the Mt. View Cemetery Association was held at the cemetery. At this meeting the Articles of Associa-



tion and Bylaws were approved by those attending. Edwina Early offered to prepare the application to the Texas Historical Commission for an official designation of Mt. View Cemetery as a Texas Historic Cemetery. significant donation was made at that time by the Templeton family and those funds and other donations have sustained the operations and projects of the cemetery to the current date.

In December of 2005, ground penetrating radar was performed over the entire area of the fenced cemetery, and on certain portions outside the fence where graves were believed to be located. The locations of known graves were verified, and a number of previously unknown graves were identified, one of which was outside the fence.

In 2006, Directors Joe Faries and Robert Wayne Low undertook and completed the task of erecting a pavilion near the front gate of the cemetery. The Board of Directors took an action to call it the "gussie Jennings Pavilion" in honor of her donation of the property and other efforts to provide for the land to be protected under the control of the Associaert also marked the graves of unknown persons identified by the GPR results and new fencing was erected on the south and east sides of the cemetery.

Annual meetings and workdays for the cemetery have been held each April since 2006.

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General maintenance has been performed in keeping brush cleared from the fences and trees trimmed and brush cut inside the cemetery. In 2008, the Board agreed to investigate the option of installing a gate in the back section of the cemetery to allow vehicle traffic to enter from that point. Some gravestones are being damaged each time funeral vehicles and grave-digging equipment come through the

In 2010, the Association received word that the Texas Historical Cemetery designation was granted by the State Historical Commission.

In 2011 and 2012, there was discussion to move forward with clearing the half acre of land at the back of the cemetery that had been donated by Mrs. Arthur V. (Gussie) Jennings and also the brushy land at the front of the cemetery. Also under investigation was the cost of obtaining and installing a tinhorn in the ditch by the county road to accommodate putting a new gate at the back of the cemetery.

November of 2013 brought a great deal of activity. The brush and trees on the back half-acre of tion. During 2006, Joe and Rob- the cemetery and that on the front around the parking area were bulldozed. Additional work needs to be done to clear the brush piles that are left. The tinhorn and new gate at the back of the cemetery were also installed in November.

In addition, in mid-November, an application was submitted to the Texas Historical Commission for the placement of a Texas Historical Marker at Mt. View Cemetery. Word was received in January of 2014 that

the ceremony dedicating the marker will be held. We hope you will be able to attend this dedication ceremony.

Over the past few years, the participation at the annual workday and annual meeting has dwindled to a small number of people. We hope you will consider attending our next meeting this spring. Ordinarily, meetings are held the 3rd weekend of April. This year, however, that is Easter weekend and the meeting date has been changed to the 3rd weekend of May which is Saturday, May

There are still a number of items on the project list to do at Mt. View: 1) clear the three brush piles left by the bulldozing and have those areas smoothed out; 2) add more base material at and around the new gate to facilitate water runoff; 3) build/ install a sign at the main driveway off the county road; 4) buy additional pavers to mark identified graves of unknown persons; and 5) obtain materials to clean and reset gravestones on an as-needed basis. We expect these projects will cost approximately \$1500-\$3000 dollars over the next few years.

We are asking you to consider making a donation to help with these projects so that our regular donations can continue to support the routine maintenance and upkeep of Mt. View Cemetery. Any amount would be very much appreciated. Please mail your contributions to Mt. View Cemetery Association, Attn: Faye Faries, Treasurer, P. O. Box 324, Coleman, TX 76834-0324.

Mt. View Cemetery is as peaceful and beautiful as it has always been, maybe even more so. We hope you will help us to

### Abilene area Aggie Moms' Club invites you to our monthly meeting

Tuesday, April 15, 2014 at 6:45 pm at the Coldwell Banker Panian & Mash Building located on 2500 S. Willis (S. 27th and Willis, 1/2 block N. on

Please join us for a light meal. You will get to meet other Aggie Moms and learn a little more about Texas A&M and all of its traditions! Whoop!

We meet the third Tuesday of

each month, at 6:45 pm for refreshments and fun.

If you can't make the meeting but would like more information, please call or email either of the following:

• Venita Teal (President) -669-0886

vltmini5@gmail.com Kathy Hocke (Membership) 721-3131 hockeig@cama-

# 12th Annual Youth Job Fair **Assists Youth & Employers With Summer Employment Opportunities**

to assist young job seekers in employment, Workforce Solutions of West Central Texas, and the Abilene Chamber of Commerce will sponsor "Hot Dog-I Got a Job!" Area Youth Job Fair on Thursday, April 3rd, 2014 from 1:00-5:00 p.m. at the Abilene Civic Center, 1100 N. 6th Street. Job seekers, age 16-21, are invited to attend, meet representatives from businesses and to complete applications for employment. Many Abilene businesses have registered to attend and have multiple job opportunities available. Job opportunities include, media, security, law enforcement, retail sales/customer service, cooks, and wait staff. Registration is FREE to all job seekers and employers seeking to hire for summer job openings. Appli-

Abilene, Texas—In an effort cants will receive assistance from professional staff in completing finding summer and part-time applications and marketing themselves to potential employers. In preparation for meeting employers and completing applications, job seekers should bring a list of references, dates/ types of previous work history and skills, their social security number, and dress appropriately for a possible interview.

> Sonic Drive-In's of Abilene will be serving hot dogs at the event to all job seekers. "This event allows us to assist local employers in obtaining summer help and provides applicants the convenience of applying for a number of jobs in one location. It's a win-win opportunity for employers and applicants," states Mary Ross, Executive Director of the Workforce Solutions of West Central Texas.



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