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Members of the Munday team that won the regional track title.

# teams state contenders

Four generations for Mother's Day

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the Class 1A regional event at Levelland, winning the 4x100 and 4x400 relays and finishing second in the 4x200 relay.

With three relays qualifying for state along with long jumper Day'veon Dockins, the Moguls are expected to be contenders for team medals. Dockins along with Alex Thorn and Temerick Reagins are members of all three relays. Joining them for the 100 will be Trever Swearengin while Dee Hemphill and Holt Bivens are the fourth members of the

other two units.

The Munday Mogulettes could also con-The Munday Moguls claimed the title in tend for the team title as they will be sending Karla and Kayla Taylor to state in the 200 and 400 and have their 4x100 and 4x400 relay units also advancing. Charity Hunter will join the Taylors on these relays while Skylar Gomez and Emily Scott will be the fourth members.

Other Knox County athletes headed to Austin include Myca Flowers and Debra Alvarado of Knox City and Emily Brown of Benjamin

(See related stories, pages 3, 4 and 6.)

### Bond proposal headlines ballot By James McAfee en Longan and Trey Singleton in running for The Knox County News-Courier three places on the Munday City Council.

Headlining Saturday's election for residents of the Munday Consolidated Independent School District will be an \$8 million bond proposal. In other voting, places on the city councils and school boards are at stake.

If passed, the bond would pay for the construction of a new gym and a new junior high building, using monolithic domes, along with adding two classrooms to the elementary school and making other improvements at the schools.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m until 7 p.m. at Munday City Hall.

More than 100 had cast ballots at the Munday CISD by last Friday. Early voting ended Tuesday.

Angela Herricks and Richard Don Thompson join incumbents Ryan Cottingham, Kar-

Anthony Adkins and Fred Ledesma join incumbents J.R. Hodges and Gary Schnable in a race to determine three places on the Knox City council.

Randy Hibdon will run against current mayor Glenna Decker in Goree while Pat Wilde will have competition from Jonathan Ramirez for the place 5 position.

No election will be necessary in Benjamin after incumbent Ronnie White decided to not run again for mayor. Joy Lynn Pool was the only other candidate.

Jason Bowman, Chris Mendoza and Ida Jo Watson join incumbent Nancy Birkenfeld in running for two spots on the MCISD board of trustees.

No election will be necessary for either the Knox City-O'Brien or Benjamin school



James McAfee/ The Knox County News-Courier Jimmy Don Moore is shown working in his office on his second day as the new administrator for the City of

# Taylor 8th in state golf



**TAYLOR THOMPSON** 

**By James McAfee** The Knox County News-Courier

AUSTIN -Munday High senior Taylor Thompson posted 91-89-180 here at Lions Municipal Golf Course last

week to finish in eighth place in the Class 1A state golf tour- Knox Notes

I wanted to, but that's just golf," she said. "You can't plan it. I'm thankful I had the opportunity to play at state the last two years and I am looking forward to playing at the collegiate level."

The rounds took more than six hours, but Thompson didn't think that affected her concentration. "I've played in many other tournaments that took

just as long," she added. "Taylor battled on a tough course both days," said Coach Scott Riley. "While she didn't post the numbers she had targeted, I was proud of her play. She showed some gumption by facing adversity and throwing down some marvelous shots, Call 940 658-3911 to but ultimately couldn't grab enter. control of the greens. I'm excited for her to build on her chapter in her career at Hardin First Baptist Church will Simmons next year."

As expected, Shaley Goad Norway! vacation bible of Fort Elliott repeated as the school from 9 a.m. until medalist, posting 77-75-152, 3 p.m. on June 9 for 13 strokes ahead of Skylar kids age 3 through the Must of Richards.

Happy captured the boys ahead of Douglas, while Luke Kinkaide of Blanket took medalist honors with 75-75-150, three better than Mitchell Downing, runnerup for the second straight year.

"I definitely didn't play how Please notify the News-Courier about your upcoming events. Emailed submissions to kcnewscourier@gmail are preferred. The deadline for inclusion will be the Friday before the following week's issue.

> KC Fire Department plans golf tournament KNOX CITY - The Knox City Volunteer Fire department will hold its golf tournament here Saturday at the Knox City Country Club. The tee time will be 1 p.m. The format will be a threeperson scramble. Entry fee will be \$90 a team.

### **Expedition Norway!**

success as she starts a new WEINERT - The Weinert host a one-day Expedition sixth grade. "It'll be like Utopic claimed the team taking a trip to Norway," title with 395-394-789, 49 said Brother Dan Bullock, strokes in front of Robert Lee. noting that a video visit with kids from Norway title with a 673 total, 51 strokes was part of the program. Call 940 673-8310 for more information.

### News on the go



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Urbancyzk and great granddaughter Avalee McGaughey, all of Knox City. Up, Up & Away recital scheduled

Knox County has four generations who can join in and celebrate Mother's Day on Sunday.

Pictured with Shirley Gass of Goree are daughter Marsha Quade, granddaughter Tamara



Dancers got in some last minute practice last weekend in preparation for the 11th annual Movement Space Up, Up & Away recital, scheduled at 2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at the Munday High School Auditorium. Over 100 performers from Benjamin, Bomarton, Crowell, Goree, Haskell, Munday, O'Brien, Rhineland, Rochester, Rule, Seymour, Stamford and Weinert will be involved.



## Triangle Ranch earns repeat title

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MUNDAY - The Triangle Ranch from Paducah repeated as champions of the Ranch Rodeo here last weekend at the Munday Roping Arena, narrowly edging the Thompson Ranch, 64-63.

Triangle compiled 17 points in mugging and branding, 14 in milking, 10 in stray sorting and 6 in sorting/doctoring while Thompson had 16 in milking, 15 in branding and sorting/doctoring, 8 in mugging and 9 in stray gathering.

Rounding out the scoring: Circle Slash Ranch 56, RA Brown Ranch 48, Pitchford Ranch 47, Hager Ranch 44, Clark Ranch 42, Cook Canyon Ranch 40, Circle Bar Ranch 36 and Stewart Ranch 14.

The event was a fundraiser for the Munday Volunteer Fire De-

The Ranch Horse Association also held a show Saturday morning.

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Letters may be edited as to content and will be printed or not printed at the discretion of the editor.

### 2 THURSDAY, MAY 5, 2016

### Obituaries **Viola Cornett**

Viola Cornett age 95, of Meridian, passed away on Monday, May 2, 2016 in a Clifton care facility.

Funeral services are scheduled for 2:30 p.m. Friday, May 6, 2016 in the Lawson Funeral Home Chapel in Meridian. Rev. Colin Errington will officiate. Graveside services are going to be at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, May 7, 2016 at the Knox City Cemetery in Knox City.

Viola Cornett was born in Munday on April 27, 1921 to George and Mary Zeissel. She was raised in the country and met the love of her life B.F. Cornett at a track meet. They married and moved to Knox City on Nov. 24, 1939. Together the couple had four children. Viola was a wonderful wife and mother who loved her children dearly. She was very artistic and her love of flowers led her to be president of the garden club. She won many awards for her flower arrangements. She was active in her children's schools and went on school trips. She not only held down the house duties, but also helped her husband on the farm. After moving to Kansas, she and



**VIOLA CORNETT** 

B.F. collected antiques as their hobby and farmed 640 acres. After his death she moved to Meridian to be near her son Kenn. She loved her hillside home. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in

She is survived by her daughter Charolette Pool and husband Elvin of Magnolia, Ark.; her sons Jerry Cornett of Throckmorton, Kenn Cornett and wife Karen of Meridian; grandchildren Karla Oden, Kerri Lynn Day, Jerry Ann Shelly and husband Doug, Chance Cornett and wife Kendra, Casey Shilling and husband Steve, and Sherry Reynolds and husband Lee; and great-grandchildren.

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THANKS!

I just wanted to thank everyone

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of encouragement after the death

of my son Angel.

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-Mati Quintero

First Baptist Church

Preceded in death by her husband B.F. Cornett; parents, George John and Mary Hanke Zeissel; daughter, Jean and son-in-law James Sanderson; and daughter-in-law Martha Cornett.

Memorials may be made to the Meridian First Baptist Church: P.O. Box 467, Meridian, TX 76665.

peace may be sent to the family at www.lawsonfuneralhome.net.

Arrangements were made A by Lawson Funeral Home, Meridian.

# **Claud Myers**

Claud Lee Myers, 64, a barber in Munday, died Wednesday, April 27. He was born Aug. 13, 1951 in Knox City. Services were held Tuesday at the Womack-Manard Funeral Home Chapel in Crowell. Burial followed in the Truscott Cemetery.

Survivors include daughters Tonya Lee Edwards of Weatherford and Tracy Lynn Sturdivant of San Angelo; son Shane Myers of Vero Beach, FL.; and brother Leonad Dale Myers of Paradise.

### **Freddie Carver**

Freddie Mann Carver, 74, passed away April 25, 2016, at the Abilene Regional Medical Center in Abilene. Funeral services were held last Thursday at the Benjamin Community Center in Benjamin. Burial took place immediately after the service at Benjamin Cemetery under the direction of Smith Fam-Words of comfort and ily Funeral Home. Visitation was held Wednesday evening Mike of Benjamin and Anna City located at 210 Avenue

(Anderson) on May 7, 1960. for the Spike Box Ranch, a spotter for the Knox County 1980 to 2014, a farmer/ rancher and the city council manager for Benjamin.

grandfather and great-grand-

by his parents Odell and Dor-Paisley Antilley Laird; and brother Travis Craig Carver.

wife of 55 years, Jan (Anderson) Carver; daughters Tammy Kay Lyles and husband



**FREDDIE CARVER** 

at the funeral home in Knox Stasia Antilley and husband Gary of Winegate; 10 grandchildren Ricky Joe Carver of Freddie was born May 21, Fort Bragg, California, Jacy 1941, in Knox City to Odell Collins and wife Jara Collins Carver and Dorothy Vir- of Munday, Cassie Wainscott ginia Carver. He married Jan and husband Cody of Raeford, NC, Tyler Collins and Freddie was a cattle foreman wife Kelly of Lubbock, Joy Lynn Pool and husband Kip steer superintendent and a bid of Benjamin, Tom Lyles and wife Micah of Amistad, NM, Junior Livestock Show from Ryan Antilley and Kallie Antilley both of Wingate, Shelly Antilley Guevara and husband Lupe of Winters and Ja-He was a loving and caring mie Antilley also of Winters; son, brother, husband, father, five great-grandchildren Bella Carver, Ashburn Carver, Talan Collins, Ryder Antilley, He was preceded in death and Lexi Collins; brother, Johnny Carver and wife Patti othy Carver; son Ricky Taylor of Taft; in-laws Den and Ev-Carver; great-granddaughter elyn Anderson of Abilene, Jerry Don and Barbara Anderson of Hewitt and Susan Freddie is survived by his Carver of Spring; and numerous nieces and nephews.

If desired, memorials may be made in Freddie's name to the charity of your choice.

Online condolences can be shared with the Carver family at www.smithfamilyfh.com.

## **Philip Homer**

Philip Frederick Homer passed away April 28, 2016 in Wichita Falls at the age of 95. He was born May 2, 1920 in Knox County to Killian and Mary Homer. He was a resident of Knox County most of

He served in the U.S. Air Force and was a WWII Veteran. Philip was a farmer/ rancher for 50 years. He also served as county commissioner and on the board of firectors of First National Bank. He was a member of the Munday Chamber of Commerce and Munday Lions Club.

Philip is survived by one son Stephen Homer, one daughter Lenie Homer Honza, one grandson Nicolas Homer, one granddaughter Meredith Hacker and one great-grandson Matthew Fowler.

A rosary was held last Friday at the funeral home. Funeral Mass was held Saturday at St. Josephys Catholic Church in Rhineland. Interment followed in St. Josephys Cemetery under the direction of McCauley-Smith Funeral Home in Munday.

### Obituary policy

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From the Preacher's Desk

Can we all be one?

Newspapers and billboards often advertise: "Attend the church of your choice." These suggest, and many tell us, that one church is as good as another. To those who are moving into new communities and searching for churches to attend, it may be an impressive building that attracts their attention or a friend might invite them, but most seem to believe that one church is as good as another.

If one church is as good as another, then to attend the church of one's choice would be correct, but what do the Scriptures say (Rom. 4:3)?

The Lord said He would build His church (Matt.16:18). Could a man-built church be as good as the church Christ built? Christ is the foundation of His church (I Cor. 3:11). Could any other foundation be as good as this foundation? Christ established His teaching in His church (Matt. 28:18-20). Could the division and confusion of denominationalism made by the creeds of men be as good as the unity of the Spirit (Eph. 4:1-6, Matt. 15:13)? Christ shed His blood to save man and purchase His church (Heb. 2:9, Acts 20:28). Can any man claim that his blood could purchase his church and cleanse as Christ's blood does? Christ proclaims that He is the Head of His church (Eph. 1:22-23, Col. 1:18).

The Lord commanded His apostles to teach people who obeyed the Gospel by faith, repentance, confession, and baptism, "...to observe all that I have commanded you: and lo, I am with you al-ways, even unto the end of the world. Amen" (Matt. 28:20). This included the commands for His worship. He commanded them in worship to sing, preach, give, take of the Lord's Supper each Lord's Day, and pray (Acts 2:42, Acts 20:7).

It is possible to be united as one church today if we follow ONLY what the Scriptures teach and do away with all manmade teachings. (Gary Colley)

-Wayne Speer, Munday Church of Christ

# Free Ear Cleaning and Hearing Screen Clinic

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# Estrada third in 300 hurdles Two Houndettes advance to state

LEVELLAND - Knox City's Anthony Estrada earned a bronze medal in the 300 meter hurdles with a 42.78, his fastest time of the year, here last Saturday at the regional track meet at South Plains College, but did not earn a wild card spot to state.

Estrada finished behind Karsten Bryan of Happy and Jonathan Michael Solis of Springlake Earth, who advanced to Austin.

The Greyhounds scored 23 points to finish 10th while their Knox County rivals from Munday claimed the championship by winning two of the relays and finishing second in the other one.

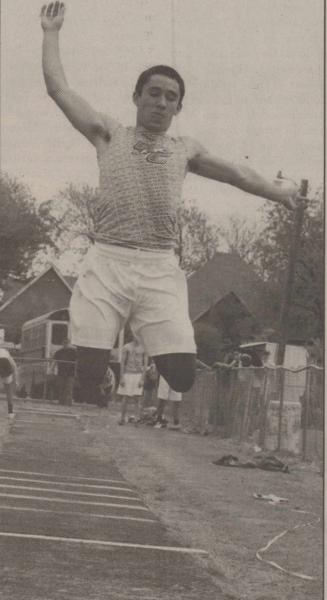
The Greyhounds' foursome of Preston Lynn, Skylar Neil, Elias Nevarez and Eastrada claimed fourth in the 4x100 relay with their

45.57, trailing Munday, Springlake Earth and Wellman-Union.

With Sheldon Baty replacing Preston Lynn and running with Neal, Nevarez and Estrada, the Hounds also placed fourth in the 4x400 relay with their fastest time of the year at 3:41.13, trailing Munday, Turkey Valley and New Home.

Ryan Heard finished sixth in the high jump with a 5-10

Three athletes picked up two gold medals. Jake Merrell of Turkey Valley won the 800 in 1:51.86 and the 1,600 in 4:30.49, Clendon Hill of Guthrie won the shot put and discus with throws of 52-9.5 and 149-5 and Martin Loewen of Wellman-Union claimed the long jump with a 20-10 effort and won the 100 in 11.26.



Sheri Baty/The Knox County News-Courier Anthony Estrada wins bronze medal at regional.

### Poster, essay winners

Silli Milita





Kyleigh Hernandez of O'Brien Middle School claimed the grand prize in the Wichita Brazos Soil and Water Conservation contest while Hope Donham, Chelsey and Evlen Barnum were the e

# The Paperboy Celebrating Cinco de Mayo

Like other days of cel-Cinco de

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we are cel-CHRIS ebrating? from his-

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of Cinco de Mayo: ican War, a poorly supplied born General Zaragoza, the Zaragoza defeats a French the French assault. army attempting to capture Puebla de Los Angeles, a

Mexico. Puebla represented a great and began their assault from moral victory for the Mexican government, symbolizing the country's ability to defend its sovereignty against threat by a powerful foreign nation.

In 1861, the liberal Mexithan 100 Mexicans killed. can Benito Juarez became president of a country in financial ruin, and he was forced to default on his debts to European govern-

In response, France, Britain, and Spain sent naval forces to Veracruz to demand reimbursement.

Britain and Spain negotiated with Mexico and withdrew, but France, ruled by Napoleon III, decided to use the opportunity to carve a dependent empire out of Mexican territory.

Late in 1861, a wellebration, armed French fleet stormed Veracruz, landing a large French force and driving President Juarez and his government into retreat.

Certain that French victory would come swiftly what in Mexico, 6,000 French General troops under Charles Latrille de Lo-The fol- rencez set out to attack Puebla de Los Angeles.

From his new headquartory.com in regards to the ters in the north, Juarez Mexican National Holiday rounded up a rag-tag force of loyal men and sent them During the French-Mex- to Puebla. Led by Texasand outnumbered Mexican 2,000 Mexicans fortified army under General Ignacio the town and prepared for

On the fifth of May, 1862, Lorencez drew his army, small town in east-central well-provisioned and supported by heavy artillery, Victory at the Battle of before the city of Puebla the north.

The battle lasted from daybreak to early evening, and when the French finally retreated they had lost nearly 500 soldiers to the fewer

Although not a major

strategic victory in the overall war against the French, Zaragoza's victory at Puebla tightened Mexican resistance, and six years later France withdrew.

The same year, Austrian Archduke Ferdinand Maximilian, who had been installed as emperor of Mexico by Napoleon in 1864, was captured and executed by Juarez' forces.

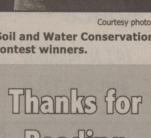
Puebla de Los Angeles, the site of Zaragoza's historic victory, was renamed Puebla de Zaragoza in honor of the general.

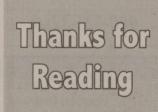
Today, Mexicans celebrate the anniversary of the Battle of Puebla as Cinco de Mayo, a national holiday in

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# Sheri Baty/The Knox County News-Courie Debra Alvarado claims silver in 300 hurdles.

**By James McAfee** 

The Knox County News-Courier

LEVELLAND — The Knox City Houndettes will send two athletes to the state track meet May 13-14 after finishing fourth in the regional event here at South Plains College last

Myca Flowers and Debra Alvarado claimed silver medals in the high jump with a leap of 4-10 and in the 300 hurdles with a time of 50.45

Alvarado just missed qualifying in the 100 hurdles as her 18.47 earned a bronze medal. Temi Flowers also finished third in the high jump with a 4-8 effort. Neither earned wild card

The Houndettes scored 49 points, finishing behind New Home (50), Munday (62) and Anton (83), thanks to 60 points from a sweep of the three relays.

"I was really proud of the girls and how they competed," said Coach Mindy Flowers. "All three relays ran their fastest times of the year, which is what our goal was. It has been a successful year for the program and we have many returnees for next year. We are looking to build on the successes of this track season for even more success next year."

The Houndettes' foursome of Temi Flowers, Brooke Jones, Myca Flowers and Zinziley McCrary finished fourth in the 4x400 relay with a 4:19.79 while Amy Harrington, Caitlyn Baxter, Kirsten Tuckness and Alvarado was seventh in the 4x200 relay in 1:51.21.

Other top 10 finishes for Houndettes included a fifth in shot put for Kaylie Steele, a fifth and sixth in the discus for Chloe Grimsley and Jordyn Eaton, a seventh and eighth in the 3,200 and 1,600 meters by Britney Hawkins and a seventh by Temi Flowers in the 800 meters.

Double winners for the girls were Izabelle Smith of Spur in the 1,600 and 3,200 and Mollie Mounsey of Follett in the discus and shot put. They loom as medal contenders at Austin.

### Weather Whys

What causes hail to form? Hail is caused when raindrops are lifted up into the atmosphere during a thunderstorm and then superof Texas A&M University. "The faster the updraft on these balls of ice, the bigger they can grow," he explains. "On some hailstones, you can actually see rings inside them which show they were

cycled through the thunderstorm more than once. What starts out as a tiny raindrop becomes a pea-size chunk of ice and some eventually get cooled by temperatures below to be the size of baseballs or freezing, turning them into softballs. When these stones ice balls, says Richard Orville fall to earth, the damage can be devastating, even deadly. Large hailstones have been clocked at more than 90 miles per hour and there have been reports of humans and livestock being killed by large hailstones.

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# GO MOGULS & Parton, Waters FCA all-stars

Munday High School were selected as FCA All-Star athletes for basketball and cheerleading, respectively.

Cole will play for the FCA South basketball team at the Brownwood Coliseum at 8 p.m. on June 4. Brenley will cheer at the FCA volleyball and football games on June 11. The volleyball game will take place at noon at Wylie

MUNDAY- Cole Par- High School and the footton and Brenley Waters of ball game will kick off at 7 p.m. at Shotwell Stadium in

> Cole, the son of Troy and Renee Parton, will attend Tarleton State University and major in Business. Brenley, daughter of Shannon and Heather Waters, will attend Vernon College to pursue a nursing degree to become a medical missionary.

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**Brenley Waters, Cole Parton** 

## Taylors also qualify

# Two relay units advance for Mogulettes

By James McAfee

The Knox County News-Courier Munday Mogulettes had to College last Friday and Sat-

settle for second place in the Class 1A regional track LEVELLAND-The meet here at South Plains urday with 62 points, 21 less than Anton

> Coach Cory Stephenson will have two individuals advancing to the state meet in Austin as Karla Taylor captured the gold medal in the 400 meters in 59.49 while sister Kayla earned a silver medal with a 26.91 in the 200 meters. The Mogulettes will have a pair of relay units competing in Austin, too.

The 4x100 unit of Skylar Gomez, Karla Taylor, Charity Hunter and Kayla Taylor clocked a 51.63 to finish second to Anton's 51.28.

The 4x400 foursome of Kayla Taylor, Hunter, Emily Scott and Karla also earned silver medals with a 4:16.02 clocking, trailing only An-

In addition, Kimberley Shahan, Hunter, Scott and Gomez picked up points for a fifth in the 4x200 relay.

"I am very pleased with the things we got to state," said Stephenson. "The girls are excited to go and run and see what we can do down there. The best I can tell the field at the state meet is as fast as its ever been since they split the 1A division. It will be fun to watch the teams compete."

Picking up points for the Mogulettes at regional were Hunter with a fourth in the long jump at 15-6.75 and Kristen Kuehler with a fourth in the discus with a throw of 111-1.5.

Top 10 finishes were accomplished by Shahan in the 100 meters and Kasey Lowrance in the shot put.

lie Mounsey of Follett in two longer races.

Relays help Moguls



Sheri Baty/The Knox County News-Courier Kristen Kuehler finishes fourth in discus.

Double winners in the the shot put and discus and girls competition were Mol- Izabelle Smith of Spur in the

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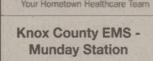


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### By James McAfee The Knox County News-Courier

LEVELLAND The Munday Moguls established themselves as one of the contenders for the Class 1A state title when they claimed two of the relays and finished second in the other one here last Saturday en route to the championship of the regional track meet at South Plains College.

The Moguls finished with 79 points, 11 more than Turkey Valley and 12 more than Нарру.

"Our relays ran their fastest times of the year," said Coach Jeffery Toliver. "We are expecting to be very competitive at the state meet and hope to end up on the medal stand."

The 4x100 unit of Day'veon Dockins, Alex Thorn, Trever Swearengin and Temerick Reagins clocked a 44.27 to finish in front of Springlake Earth and Wellman-Union and take home gold medals

The 4x200 foursome of Dee Hemphill, Dockins, Thorn and Reagins had to settle for silver medals with a 1:32.56, trailing Happy's 1:31.14. The 4x400 unit of Heath Bivens, Dockins, Thorn and Reagins returned to the winner's circle with a 3:30.34 to finish ahead of Happy and New Home. Dockins also advanced as an individual with second in the long jump, edging Stetson Chadwick of Follett on fewer jumps as both leaped 20-9.

Bivens picked up a bronze in the pole vault at 11-6, but did not earr. a wild card spot at state.

Also picking up valuable points for the Moguls were Hemphill with a fourth in the triple jump at 41-11.5, Reagins with a fifth in the high jump at 6-0 and Julio Vitolas with a fifth in the discus at 130-1.

Earning top 10 finishes were Kade Sanders in the discus, Christian Araujo in the 800 and Trevaul Mitchell in the 300 hurdles.

Double winners at regional incuded Jake Merrell of Turkey Valley in the 800 and 1,600, McClendon Hill of Gunrie in the shot put and discus and Martin Loewer of Wellman-Union in the long jump and 100.

# Regional Track Results

3,200-Izabelle Smith, Spur, 12:34.99; Angelica Gonzalez, Hartley, 13:02.12; Kelly Wireck, Hartley, 13:09.78; Michaela Leaton, Hartley, 13:40.89; Averi Stanley, Whiteface, 13:54.68; Hayley Smith, Motley County, 13:56.31

relay-Anton, 51.28; 4x100 Munday (Skylar Gomez, Karla Taylor, Charity Hunter, Kayla Hunter), 51.63; New Home, 52.11; McLean, 52.89; Turkey Valley, 53.24; Follett, 53.61

800-Gracen Key, Wellman-Union, 2:26.13; Jessica Sosa, Anton, 2:28.24; Caitlin Kleman, Nazareth, 2:31.37; Reagan Maxwell, Guthrie, 2:31.94; Brooke Earth Springlake, Arenas, 2:32.99; Yeirvanaly Minairez, Hart, 2:33.39

100 hurdles-Mattison Hester, Lazbuddie, 17.17; Morgan Byrd, Petersburg, 18.30; Debra Alvarado, Knox City, 18.47; Payton Medlock, Ropes, 18.93; Johanna Schmidtcheck, Hartley, 19.12

100-Mikala Weavers, Happy, 12.86; Callie Crockett, McLean, 12.90; Sydney Ritter, Groom, 12.97; Danni Uriegas, Spur, 13.20; Taviane Waller, Silverton, 13.23; Kennadee Buchanan, Turkey Valley 13.27

4x200 relay-Anton, 1:47.88; New Home, 1:49.80; Happy, 1:50.53; Knox City (Amy Harrington, Temi Flowers, Myca Flowers, Zinziley McCrary), 1:51.21; Munday (Kimberley Shahan, Charity Hunter, Emily Scott, Skylar Gomez), 1:52.62; Paducah, 1:54.24

400-Karla Taylor, Munday, 59.49; Sydney Ritter, Groom, 59.65; Nayei Salinas, Follett, 1:01.50; Autumn Byron, McLean, 1:01.58; Emily Rodriquez, Meadow, 1:02.50; Shania Schacher, Nazareth, 1:03.48

300 hurdles-Darrian Caswell,

Ropes, 49.27; Debra Alvarado, Knox City, 50.45; Brianna Pautsky, Chillicothe, 50.61; Allianna Villalpando, Meadow, 50.67; Morgan Byrd, Petersburg, 52.49; Autumn Woolsev, Motley County, 53.69

200-Callie Crockett, McLean, 26.87; Kayla Taylor, Munday, 26.91; Kaitlyn Clardy, Anton, 27.43; Kennadee Buchanan, Turkey Valley, 28.31; Sydney Ritter, Groom, 28.53; Kayli Rowland, Ropes, 29.22

1,600-Izabelle Smith, Spur, 5:39.09; Gracen Key, Wellman-Union, 5:46.31; Kelly Wieck, Hartley, 5:55.91; Angelica Gonzalez, Hartley, 6:00.73; Reagan Maxwell, Guthrie, 6:03.59; Hope Moon, McLean, 6:08.35

4x400 relay-Anton, 4:12.67; Munday (Kayla Taylor, Charity Hunter, Emily Scott, Karla Taylor), 4:16.02; Happy, 4:19.38; Knox City (Temi Flowers, Brooke Jones, Mya Flowers, Zinziley McCrary), 4:19.79; Nazareth, 4:20.69; New Home, 4:27.13

Discus-Mollie Mounsey, Follett, 131-6.50; Kayli Rowland, Ropes, 117-9; Angela Parsley, White Deer, 112-2.50; Kristen Kuehler, Munday, 111-1.50; Chloe Grimsley, Knox City, 103-11; Jordyn Eaton, Knox City,

High jump-Jasmine Placencia, New Home, 4-11; Myca Flowers, Knox City, 4-10; Temi Flowers, Knox City, 4-8; Angel Darden, Earth Springlake, 4-8; Mattisun Hester, Lazbuddie, 4-8; Kasadie

Baggett, Miami, 4-8 Long jump-Taviane Waller, Silverton, 16-5.75; Teah Patton, Silverton, 15-10.50; Kasadie Baggett, Miami, 15-10.25; Charity Hunter, Munday, 15-6.75; Kaitlyn Clardy, Anton, 15-3.25; Alejandra Coronado, Anton, 15-

Pole vault-Jacie Fowler, New

Home, 8-6; Riley Patterson, White Deer, 8-3; Devin Cox, Happy, 8-3; Kaitlan Price, Spur, 8-3; Alani Juarez, Anton, 7-6; Madison Fanelli, Crosbyton, 7-0

Shot put-Mollie Mounsey, Follett, 45-0.75; Emily Brown, Benjamin, 39-8; Myeshia Thomas, Amherst, 36-3.75; Ashlee Graves, Southland, 34-11; Kaylie Steele, Knox City, 31-6.50; Angela parsley, White Deer, 31-6.25

Triple jump-Sydney Ritter, Groom, 34-10.75; Taviane Waller, Silverton, 34-6.25; Kenna Bryan, Happy, 32-6.50; Alejandra Coronado, Anton, 32-5.25; Ashleigh Jones, Patton Springs, 31-8; Jacy Rowden, Wellman-Union 31-.50

Team-Anton 83, Munday 62, New Home 50, Knox City 49, Happy 46, McLean 31, Hartley 30, Silverton 28, Follett 28, Spur

3,200-Dustin Dominey, Spur, 10:40.72; Ethan Fernandez, Patton Springs, 10:51.47; Alejandro Chavez, Hartley, 10:55.43; Jordan Luna, Ropes, 11:01.41; Kailys Barron, Whiteface, 11:24.57; Jesus Guerrero, Hart, 11:27.94

4x100 relay-Munday (Day'veon Dockins, Alex Thorn, Trever Swearengin, Temerick Reagins), 44.27; Earth Springlake, 45.08; Wellman-Union, 45.52; Knox City (Preston Lynn, Skylar Neill, Elias Nevarez, Anthony Estrada), 45.57; Crosbyton, 45.61; Turkey Valley, 45.70

800-Jake Merrell, Turkey Valley, 1:51.86; Logan Swires, Lefors, 2:03.31; Ethan Fernandez, Patton Springs, 2:07.12; Marcos Reyes, Darrouzett, 2:08.44; Ricky Ramirez, Crosbyton, 2:08.90; Cesar Amador, Earth Springlake,

110 hurdles-Joseph Garibaldi,

White Deer, 16.27; Caleb Inman, Miami, 16.41; Kevin Dorman, Southland, 16.75; Zack Stumbo, Turkey Valley 18.13; Daniel Roberson, Miami, 18.19

100-Martin Loewen, Wellman-Union, 11.26; Stetson Chadwick, Follett, 11.49; Sean McCoy, Channing, 11.62; Bryant Taylor, Motley County, 11.80; Ray Aguilar, Meadow, 11.81; Kevin Dorman, Southland, 11.83

4x200 relay-Happy, 1:31.14; (Dee Hemphill, Munday Day'veon Dockins, Alex Thorn, Temerick Reagins), 1:32.56; Turkey Valley, 1:33.77; Groom, 1:36.26; Chillicothe, 1:36.47; Spur, 1:36.67

400-Zack Baker, Lefors, 53.06; Marcus Ortiz, Motley County, 53.08; Tyriece Mooring, Crosbyton, 53.53; Jackson Davis, Happy, 54.08; Miguel Gomez, New Home, 54.19; Carson Ritter, Groom, 55.38

300 hurdles-Karson Bryan, Happy, 40.35; Jonathan Michael Solis, Earth Springlake, 41.80; Anthony Estrada, Knox City, 42.78; Zack Stumbo, Turkey Valley, 43.24; Austin Odell, White Deer, 43.43; Patrick Smith, Darrouzett, 43.63

200-Zachary Adee, Happy, 22.64; Martin Loewen, Wellman-Union, 23.34; Sean McCoy Channing, 23.61; Adrian Espinoza, Turkey Valley, 23.63; Treyir Jackson, Earth Springlake, 23.66; Jose Hernanez Jr., Wilson, 23.92

1,600-Jake Merrell, Turkey Valley, 4:30.49; Alejandro Chavez, Hartley, 4:47.98; Logan Swires, Lefors, 4:48.26; Dustin Dominey, Spur, 4:48.71; Nate Roskens, Groom, 4:55.76; Austin Birdsong, Channing 5:06.05

4x400 relay-Munday (Holt Bivens, Day'veon Dockins, Alex Temerick Reagins), Thorn, 3:30.34; Turkey Valley, 3:32.86; Paducah, 16.05; Austin Odell, New Home, 3:38.74; Knox City

(Sheldon Baty, Skylar Neill, Elias Nevarez, Anthony Estrada), 3:41.13; Anton, 3:41.64; Happy, 3:41.75

Discus-McClendon 149-5; Guthrie, Matthew Wheeler, Miami, 136-11; Dallyn Fogerson, Southland, 135-4; Cooper Gray, Happy, 131-10; Julio Vitolas, Munday, 130-1; Landon Wheeler, Miami, 128-3

High jump-Stetson Chadwick, Follett, 6-3; Jake Merrell, Turkey Valley, 6-2; Dylan Reagan, Chillicothe, 6-2; Daniel Roberson, Miami, 6-1; Temerick Reagins, Munday, 6-0; Ryan Heard, Knox City, 5-10

Long jump-Martin Loewen, Wellman-Union, 20-10; Day'veon Dockins, Munday, 20-9; Stetson Chadwick, Follett, 20-9; Slade Downs, Happy, 20-2.50; Joseph Garibaldi, Paducah, 20-0.75; Albert Alaniz, Wellman-Union, 19-6.50

Pole vault-Landon Roberts, Guthrie, 12-3; Hadley Freeman, White Deer, 12-0; Holt Bivens, 11-6; Carson Ritter, Groom, 11-0; Caleb Gomez, Whiteface, 10-6; Brandon Ivins, Whiteface, 10-6

Shot put-McClendon Hill, Guthrie, 52-9.50; Cooper Gray, Happy, 48-9.75; Kutter Gill, Miami, 44-5; Dalton Gray, Happy, 44-2; Jacolby Burns, Paducah, 44-1.75; Kaven Alvarado, Munday, 41-1.75

Triple jump-Daniel Roberson, Miami, 44-9.50; Martin Loewen, Wellman-Union, 43-6.75; Tristin Garza, Petersburg, 42-0.25; Dee Hemphill, Munday, 41-11.50; Jonathan Michael Solis, Earth Springlake, 41-3; Karson Bryan, Happy, 40-5.75

Team-Munday 79, Turkey Valley 68, Happy 67, Wellman-Union 49, Miami 36, Guthrie 30, Earth Springlake 29, Lefors 24, Follett 24, Knox City 23

# The 501

# A toast to hoaxes

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hoax about the see-through isn't. Thank you technology. some parasites on the label parasites in a particular But the clear worm-looking plus some bacteria, notably believe have a name: leptocephali. for gypsum - hydrated cal- Knox County it. Oth- They are eel larvae, essen- cium sulfate. erwise, tially transparent except the stuff for their eyes. You wouldn't wouldn't want to meet one in a dark Drink bottled water from on alley.

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ing - not accompanying pictures are laxative. the hoax probably not what they the claim to be either.

from eels.

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Not to worry. Fish lay a little blip for them and a eggs. Caviar really is fish buying opportunity for me. eggs, just not yet laid. As for larvae, the word can My standards aren't that mean more than baby inhigh. As long as it doesn't sects. Larvae can also be taste like our well water, I'm immature beings in metamorphosis, like a tadpole on After my purchase, I its way to froghood.

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Doyle, Kimberly brand of bottled water, things really do exist and E. coli, plus the fancy name 3/28/16, Dob 7/20/78, Assault (M-A)

> Wallace, Traci Lynn, 4/5/16, Dob 5/17/66, Assault w/deadly weapon, (F-1)

4. Ramirez, Traycee, 4/5/16, Dob the Seymour Aquifer. Full 3/6/81, Assault/Family violence, (M-B)

Jones, Jon, 4/5/16, Dob 8/27/81,

Castro, Frank Howard, 4/6/16, What hoax could harm Dob 4/1/70, Public Intoxication (M-C), us? A story that claims our Indecent Exposure (M-C) Knox County Kimberlin, William Author,

4/8/16, Dob 9/8/69, Assault/Family Violtoo pricey didn't. I thought they came ria and gypsum? That you lence, (M-A) Knox County Lewis, Monte Alan, 4/14/16, Dob

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Kingston, Kylie Michelle, Fargo, we've got a ready- 4/14/16, Dob 11/2/92, theft (M-B) Knox

10. Carrizalas, Lupe, 4/16/16, Dob 12/12/56, DWI 1st, (M-B) Knox County

11. Lane, Paul Charles, 4/19/16, Dob 3/7/71, Criminal Trespass, (M-B) Foard County

Mendiola, Jose Jr., 4/21/16, Dob 12. 12/26/81, Assault (M-C) Knox County

13. Thomas, Damon Ramon, 4/24/16, Michelle, Dob 5/18/69. Agg assault w/deadly weapon, (F-2), Interfere w/emergency call, (M-A) Foard County

> Patterson, Donna, 4/26/16, Dob 1/24/61, TBC (M-B) Knox County

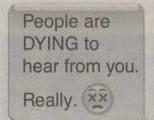
15. Gonzales, Thomas Paul, 4/27/16, Dob 2/13/90, Assault causing bodily injury/Family member, (M-A) Baylor County

16. Trevithick, Mark Allen, 4/28/16, Dob 9/13/90, TBC (M-B) Baylor Coun-

17. Hernandez, Pedro Jr., 4/30/16, 12/25/82, Public Intoxication (M-C), Possess Drug Paraphernalia (M-C) Knox County, Burglary of Habitation (F-2) (Kerr County warrant)

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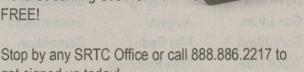
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## **Benjamin News**

**By Gladene Green** 

Sunday was a cool, showery afternoon, not good for anything but resting and watching TV. Looked more like early Fall than late Spring, but I'm thinking in July and August we will want a few days like that.

Regarding our ill

News of our ill is encouraging. Dick Dickson is improving at last report. He's still in ICU in Covenant in Lubbock. Charles Griffith visited with him last Saturday and said he had a good conversation with him and if all continues to improve he may get to come home this week. That will probably be about as good for him as any medicine. There's no place like home after several days in the hospital.

Dennis Duke is having some health problems, visiting a couple of doctors last week and is on some strong antibiotics for his lungs. Doctors think he has a case of pneumonia and will take a while to clear it up. He's out and around but tires fast, so he has to rest a lot. That is probably good for him, because up until now he just never stopped. He was always working, helping others with every project that came along. He doesn't take feeling bad very well.

Matt Tyson, the Griffiths and the Tolsons grandson of Houston had a corrective procedure on his back last week and is doing great. He's finally free of pain, something he hasn't known for quite some time. It will be awhile before he can drive his car but he can deal with that, just to feel better is such a relief to him. We're glad to hear that.

Brent Vanderpol had some surgery one day last week in Abilene. I'm not sure just what kind but understand he is doing well and should be home before long, barring any complications. I tried to reach them at home, but did not get an answer. Please remember

all these friends in prayer.

Here 'n there

It's congratulations to Emily Brown as she's headed to state after taking second place at the regional track meet. We had a couple other regional qualifiers, but they failed to make it any further. We're proud of them all and wish Emily well as she heads down to Austin in a couple of weeks.

Several from here made it out to Levelland to the track meet. Michele Brown, Kelsey Brown and Zane, Chad and Kathy Rainwater were there to cheer our kids on. Mark Brown of Knox City didn't get to go. He was in the hospital. He is Emily's dad and is not doing well at all these days. I understand he may have to start dialysis before long. Mark needs our prayers also.

My sincere sympathy to the family of Philip Homer. Philip died last Thursday in Wichita Falls where he had lived for a year or so. His funeral was Saturday. He was a friend to everyone and he will be missed.

I had a nice visit with Bobby Baker Saturday night. He was in the area for Philip's funeral. It's always good to see him. He's the son of Charles and Betty. I also visited with former Knox City resident, Mozelle Ward. She lives in Dublin with her son Ronnie and his wife. Also had a visit with Trent Driver. He lives in the Dallas area but has been working at Sundown. His wife Peggy met him in Knox City for the weekend. He said he doesn't especially like working away from home but at least he still has a job. He's in the oil business. He said his dad Michael will be here for homecoming in June.

Judy and John Robinson of Sherman were here last week for the funeral of Fred Carver and remained for a visit with her mom Betty Lyles. Betty had an appointment in Wichita Falls on Monday to see and eye doctor. She's having some retina trouble.

# Brown earns repeat trip to Austin

Special to The News-Courier

LEVELLAND — Emily Brown earned a repeat trip to the state track meet in Austin by earning a silver medal in the regional competition here at South Plains College last Friday with a throw of 39-8.

Mollie Mounsey of Follett captured th gold medal with a 45-0.75 effort and appears the favorite in Austin. She also won the discus with a throw of 131-6.50.

"Emily represented BHS very well at regionals," said Coach Cody Propps. "I was beyond proud of her. Chances look good for her at the state meet, but we aren't looking at that. We are just thankful we are headed that way. If she works hard the next two weeks and performs to her potential in Austin neither her or I will be disappointed."

Freshman Tsryn Strickland finished eighth in the regional. "It was a great learning experience for her," added

The boys 4x100 relay unit of Damian Landini, Daniel Jackson, Justin Rainwater and Lincoln Sgrickland clocked a 47.79 in the prelims, placing





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# Museum attracting more visitors



BENJAMIN- As spring and summer draws nearer and the weather begins to get warmer, people have begun to travel more and are stopping by the Wichita Brazos Museum, here in Benjamin.

With the end of school just around the corner, some schools are making a trip over here as part of their end of the year activities.

Mary Jane Young reported that a group of 35 elementary students visited last month. "These students were "A Honor Roll" students and showed much interest in learning more about Knox County history, and

finding names of relatives that had served in the military on the Veterans Memorial," Young said. "They were a very well behaved group and we're glad they chose the Museum and the Memorial as part of their field trip." She noted that they also visited the courthouse and Sheriff's office while

In other news, the Historical Commission and Friends of KCKC are making plans for their 'Breakfast on the Porch" held in conjunction with the Benjamin Homecoming, beginning at 7 a.m. on June 11. Burritos, sweets and drinks will be served.

"It's a good time to have an enjoyable, relaxing meal with a chance to visit with friends you haven't seen for a while," said Young.

The museum will also be open from 1-4 p.m. this Saturday for the Knox City Homecoming, allowing visitors to come to the museum to also check out school annuals and other school memorabilia.

"While we have a good selection of annuals from all Knox County schools, some years are missing, so if you would like to donate your old annuals, regardless of the year published, please bring them," added Young.



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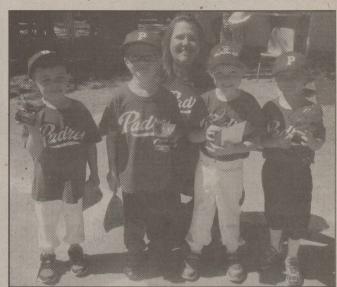
**Munday Tire & Appliance Little Rascals** 

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**Casablanca Padres** Team members: Gabe Bonham, Hudson Stephenson, Reyna



Rose, Derrial Rose, Isabella Zavala, Garrett Wilde, Weston

Herring, Jon Hunter and Lee Flores

SignOn Small Stars

Team members: Luke Bowman, Aaryn Urbanczyk, Braylynn Myers, Jenson Myers, Tucker Josselet, Hayden Johnson,



Whitten Wilde, Adam Myers.

### On the Tee Pro golfers withdrawing from Olympics While the Olympics is the the likelihood that it would Championship are scheduled

pinnacle of most sports, such isn't really the case for golf.

Golf was added for this year's games in Rio Janeiro and most of the big names, including Jordan Spieth, Jason Day and Rory McIlroy, will be there playing for gold, silver, bronze medals or maybe just pride.

However, at least four major champions have indicated they will not participate because of family and scheduling issues. Included were Adam Scott, Louis Oosthuizen, Charl Schwartzel and Vijay Singh, all among the world's top 20.

There may be other in-Bubba Watson indicated he would participate despite mean playing six events in a seven-week period.

"This is probably my only year to have that shot because I'm getting older," he said, pointing that it is another four years before the Olymics will be played again.

Such withdrawls would be rare in any other sport, but golf is different in that there are four majors and a Ryder Cup that are at its pinnacle, meaning more to the players in the long run. In other sports, winning gold in the Olympics is the ultimate achievement.

Perhaps it would have been easier for the stars ternational players to follow who dropped out if the golf considering the tough travel schedule wasn't so full dur-British Open and the PGA come out of the games.

within a six-week period from June through August. In addition, PGA Tour players only have a week after the Olympics before the start of the \$35 million FedEx Cup playoffs, featuring four events in a five-week period. Then there's the Ryder Cup, which the U.S. desperately needs to

Since the Olympic games are held every four years, important.

helping grow the game, espe- ered in 2020. cially in countries where it is



Personally, I would have maybe the powers of golf liked for some kind of team should have tweeked the competition included instead schedule if they felt it was of just another 72-hole individual tournament. That Was it worth getting golf would have added some pride back in the Olympics? Abo- to be playing for your counlutely! It does a lot of good in try. Let's hope this is consid-

schedules, but American ing the summer and fall. seldom played. Who knows, days when the Olympics was Instead, the U.S. Open, the maybe a few new stars will for true amateurs, not professional athletes.



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AUSTIN - On average, a motorcyclist dies in a crash on Texas roads every day. To mark Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month in May - and to remember the 455 motorcyclists lost in crashes last year - the Texas Department of Transportation is launching its "Share the Road: Look Twice for Motorcycles" campaign.

"Motorcycles can be dif-

ficult to see so it's important for drivers to look twice, especially before turning at intersections or changing lanes," said TxDOT Executive Director James Bass. "Motorcyclists are extremely vulnerable because they don't have seat belts, airbags and surrounding steel doors to protect them."

Motorcyclists are nearly five times more likely than car or truck occupants to be injured in a crash and 26

times more likely to be killed. Besides last year's 455 fatalities, another 1,867 motorcyclists were seriously injured in 2015. About half of fatal motorcycle crashes result from a collision with a car or truck. Drivers cite not seeing the motorcycle or misjudging how fast it is traveling as the reason for the collision.

Each year at the end of April, many Texas cities issue proclamations that observe May as Motorcycle Safety

Awareness Month. During this period, TxDOT's "Share the Road: Look Twice for Motorcycles" campaign reminds drivers to:

Look twice for motorcycles, especially at intersections. Use turn signals when

changing lanes. Check your mirrors before changing lanes.

Don't follow a motorcycle too closely.

Always assume motorcycles are closer than they appear.

by Wilson Casey

ANSWERS: 1) New; 2) Nebuchad-nezzar; 3) Two daughters; 4) Jezebel; 5) Pleasant; 6) Asenath

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Scramble

June 25: 3 Lady Scramble July 9-10: 3 Person Scramble

Aug. 7: Guys & Dolls Aug. 21: 1 Person Scramble Sept. 10-11: 3 Person Scramble

# Knox City CC Golf Schedule

May 7: Knox City Fire Department Scramble

May 30: Memorial Day play day June 4: 22nd annual Ladies Wild Hog Classic

June 18: Par 3 Classic I July 2: Bill Baker Memorial July 4: July 4th play day

July 30: Knox City Festival Aug. 13: Ag-Oil Aug. 27: Glow ball Sept. 5: Labor Day play day Sept. 10-11: Guys & Dolls Sept. 24: Par 3 Classic II Oct. 8: Guys & Dolls

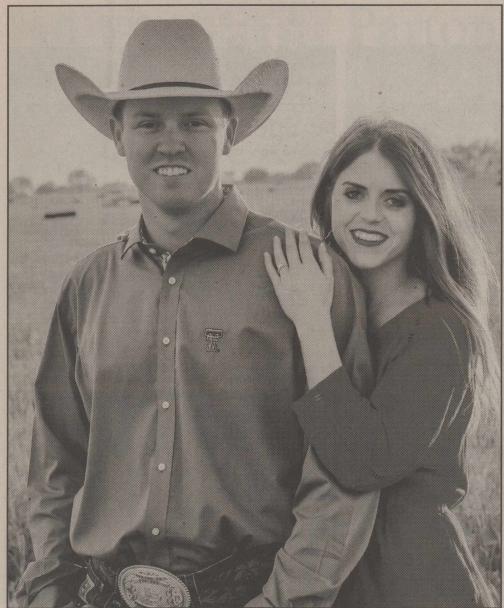
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PATE STEWART, KEELIN WILEY

## Stewart, Wiley announce engagement

Danny and Donna Wiley of Granbury are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Keelin Wiley to Pate Stewart, son of Mike Robyne Stewart of Mun-

The two met and graduated from Texas day.

Tech University in Lubbock. Keelin is currently employed by the Munday CISD. Pate is currently employed by Stewart Ranch.

The couple is planning a wedding at the Stewart residence on July 23, 2016 in Mun-

# Recipe Corner

By Vonda Carter

This Sunday is Mother's Day, so I'd like to say Happy Mother's Day to my mom who lives in Fort Worth (I love you mom) and to all of the mothers here in Knox County and everywhere, why not. We have a lot of out of county subscribers to our paper. People who used to live here, or have family and

friends who live here, or have a granddaughter and daughter who lives here and happens to work for the newspaper and writes this recipe column. I'm just saying!

Okay, okay yes I have recipes, don't be so impatient. I think you'll really like the ones I have this week. But alas, they do not involve the crock pot (sad face), but one of them does involve the barbecue grill, which I'm also quite fond of. So try these out and remember to make mom feel special this weekend.

Bacon, Pineapple, Chicken Kabobs

2 large boneless, skinless chicken breasts 1 large pineapple, cut into 1 ½ inch chunks

2 large red bell peppers, cut into 1 1/2 inch pieces

1 large onion, cut into 1 1/2 inch pieces 12 strips of thick cut bacon

6 long skewers (soak in water while prepping other ingredients, to avoid burning, unless using metal)

For Hawaiian Sauce

1 ½ cups pineapple juice

½ cup brown sugar

1 ½ tbsp. cornstarch 2 tbsp. soy sauce

½ tsp. salt To make the Hawaiian sauce: combine all ingredients in a medium saucepan and stir until the cornstarch is dissolved. Bring the mixture to a boil, reduce heat to medium and simmer for two minutes. Set aside until ready to use. Thread skewers: weave the bacon around each piece of chicken and pineapple, stick the bell pepper and onion together and weave the bacon around both of those. You'll need two strips of bacon per skewer if using four pieces of chicken and three pieces each of pineapple, bell pepper and onion. Brush some olive oil or vegetable oil evenly over each kabob. Grill the kabobs for 10-15 minutes, turning a couple of times, until done. Slather with hot Hawaiian sauce and serve immediately.

Potato Pasta Caesar Salad

1 box Betty Crocker™ Suddenly Salad Caesar pasta salad mix

2 cups chicken broth

1 cup frozen peas

10 slices bacon, cooked and chopped 2/3 cup mayonnaise

1 cup grape tomatoes, halved ¼ cup fresh dill, finely chopped

6 medium red potatoes, boiled until tender, cooled and cut into desired size pieces In a large pot, stir together Suddenly Salad™ pasta and broth. Bring to a boil and cook for 13-15 minutes, stirring often, until pasta is tender and broth is cooked off. Place pasta in a large serving bowl with potatoes, peas, tomatoes, bacon and dill. In a bowl, stir together mayonnaise and Suddenly Salad™ spice packet, add to serving bowl. Toss to coat. Refrigerate

If you're enjoying my little recipe corner, let me know, and send some recipes of your own to kcnewscourier@gmail.com or mail them to P.O. Box 151, Munday, TX 76371.

# Day, Carmona exchange vows



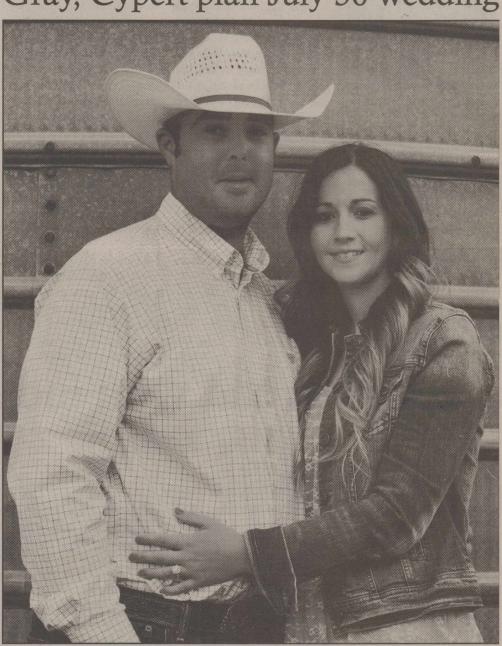
**NATALIE CARMONA** 

Natalie Day and Taylor Carmona were married on Saturday, April 30, 2016 at the First United Methodist Church in Lubbock with Dr. Gary Kirksey officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Bobby and Patsy Day of Lubbock. She is the granddaughter of the late Roy and Essie Day of Knox City. The groom is the son of Marcos and Kathy reside in Dallas.

Carmona, and Leslie Carmona of Beaumont. Natalie and Taylor both graduated from Texas Tech University. Natalie is a real estate investor with Day and Company Inc. Taylor is a commercial real estate appraiser with Ambrose Appraisal Group. After a honeymoon trip to Antigua, the couple plan to

# Gray, Cypert plan July 30 wedding



**KEITH CYPERT, TANYA GRAY** 

Mr. & Mrs. Terry Gray of Goree announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter Tanya Faye Gray to Gary Keith Cypert, son of Mr. & Mrs. Gary Cypert of Munday.

The couple will exchange wedding vows at 3 p.m. July 30 2016 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Rhineland.

Tanya graduated from Munday High School in 2010. She is a part time student studying Business at Midwestern State University and helps Keith with his cattle

business. She is the granddaughter of the late Louis and Margaret Urbanczyk of Goree and the the late Joe Gray of Munday and Margueritte Gray of Vernon.

Keith is a 2009 graduate of Munday High School and is the owner and operator of -C Cattle Company in Munday. He is the grandson of Joyce Hardin and the late Ray Lynn Hardin of Munday and the late Ralph and Frances Cypert of Munday.

Tanya and Keith are proud parents of

their son Kelby Cypert.

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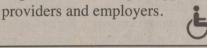
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# **Vlac's Views** Drink more water

I'm definitely drinking more water these days in an effort to stay hydrated and maybe you should do the same. Doing so just makes it easier to help

your body work better.

I learned the lesson about the importance of staying hydrated a few years ago on a trip to La Paz, Mexico. Playing 36 holes in 100-degree weather on a day when myself and another writer were the only ones on the course, I just forgot about drinking enough water. There was no cart girl driving around that day to offer us anything to drink,

JAMES but I should have picked up something. MCAFEE But, of course, I was busy concentrating on my golf.

Finishing up after the round, I collapsed in the pro shop. Several guys picked me and the chair I had been sitting up in and carried me to the boat dock. The course was on the bay and a boat ride was necessary to get to a waiting ambulance at the marina on the other side. The ER doctors quickly got me stabilized and I had to spend a night in the hospital. Although we still had five more days of golf scheduled in Los Cabos, I was told to not golf. However, I did check out the courses, staying in the shade and in the golf cart, so I could write about them, even playing the 18th holes on a couple of

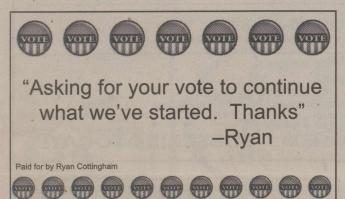
But back to my advice. It's important to remember about two-thirds of our bodies are made up of water and that alone should tell us we need to be constantly replenishing what we use throughout the day.

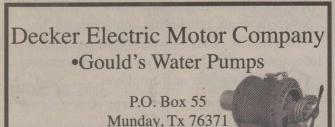
Exactly what does all that water do in our bodies? It's really essential. It helps alleviate headaches, boosts your immune system, helps regulate your mood, prevents constipation, improves skin complexion, flushes toxins from your body plus a few other things I'm sure.

It's also useful for those who aim to lose a little weight. Drinking water instead of soft drinks, tea and alcohol purchase of some new equipment that with a meal is one way to accomplish that.

Another good thing as far as I'm concerned, water is offered free with meals unless you ask for those fancy bottled water served at some restaurants. I usually just add a squeeze of lemon myself.

So as summer approaches, drinking plenty of water should definitely be a part of everyone's plans.





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## Class of '57 had a dream



The Munday High School class of 1957 held a reunion last weekend in Abilene, reflecting on their school years and adventures since then. Eight of the 12 remaining members were in attendance. Pictured are: Patsy Lain Spann, Carla Mae Booe Vaughn, Margaret Yandell Tidwell, Patsy Parks Guffey, Ronald Coody, Bobby Cude and Dick Morrow. Not pictured was Don Bowman. Missing were Gayle Littlefield, Glen Amerson, Rudy Martinez and Lee Bruce.

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KNOX CITY -The Pink Ladies voted to contribute \$17,500 to the Knox County Hospital to help with the

hospital administrator Stephen Kuehler felt needed to be added during its April meeting. President Glenda Huff indicated that Mike Horrell had assisted the Pink Ladies with assistance in filing the first quarter tax report.

Carol Judichek agreed to assume the duties as treasurer going forward.

Lance Kilgore of Knox City donated more than 1,000 books to the store. A few of them were donated to the Roch-

MUNDAY- The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Center will host a pond management workshop at 6 p.m. here March 12 at the Munday Events Center. The registration fee is \$10 and RSVP is appreciated. Two continuing education units will be available to those who need them.

Billy Higginbotham, professor and extension wildlife and fisheries specialist, will present information on water quality, aquatic vegetation, fish stocking and management while Charlie Schur, soil conservationist with the NRCS in Knox County, will present information on pond

design and planning.

"Since the timely rains over the past year have filled many of our area ponds, this will be a great opportunity to obtain some good firsthand knowledge about fish and pond management," said Jerry Co-

This is a multi-county event

hosted by Knox, Haskell, and Baylor Counties. For more information, please contact the Knox County AgriLife Extension Service at 940-459-2651, the Haskell County AgriLife Extension Service 940-864- 2658, or the Baylor County AgriLife Extension Service 940-889-5581.

StarWalk set Saturday

CROWELL- StarWalk, the nationally acclaimed public astronomy program, will be presented here at Copper Breaks State Park around 8 p.m. Saturday, Terry Paridon will re-

turn as presenter and will lead participants in a naked eye exploration of the night sky beginning at sunset, around 8 p.m. in the Big Pond camp-

Foster will again offer Sun Fun at 5 p.m. Foster, a NASA Solar System Ambassador, will lead a close up tour of our own star, the Sun, exploring the spectrum, solar prominences, and In addition to the after-dark pro- viewing through telescopes fitted grams, Sky Guide volunteer Earl with filters for safe observation.

# Golf event set in Costa Rica

A Costa Rica Partnership Course. golf tournament is planned Robert Trent Jones Jr.-de-Conchal

for July 31-Aug. 6 at the 1996, the 6,956-yard, par-71 course has provided golf signed Westin Playa Con- aficionados with an extraorchal Golf & Beach Club's dinary eco-golf experience Golf and was the first in Costa Rica to be recognized by Audubon International for its environmentally friendly efforts.

> The event is open to mixed couples or pairs of

Since its inauguration in is \$1,995 and includes golf, accommodations and meals at the all-inclusive resort. Non-golfers may join the activities for \$1,395.

In addition, there will be a preliminary mixed foursome competition at the Arnold Palmer-designed Four Seasons Golf Course.

James McAfee, former executive director of the

men and women. Entry fee Northern Texas PGA and the Dallas District Golf Association who served as the director of golf at the resort for 30 months, will be the tournament director.

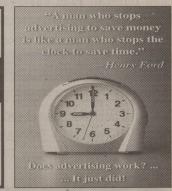
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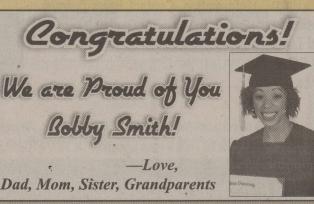


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