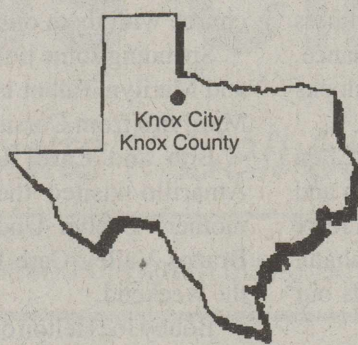


Absentee voting for the November general election started on Oct. 21 and ends on Nov. 1.... have you voted yet ?

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RUNNING BACK GEMILE ROBERSON (32) is shown last Friday night running the ball against Paducah behind a wall of Greyhound blockers that include (L to R) Sedrick Roberson (2), Dominique Collier (33), Caleb Carver (64), Brandon Espinosa (72), Sean Duncan (55), Scooter Thompson (41) and Kendrick Green (21). KC ran the ball 36 times for 369 yards, Paducah ran 53 times for 198 yards.

Greyhounds topple Paducah's Dragons, 47-14 in a wet and windy district game

'Hutch's Hounds are 2-0 in District, 6-1 for the season

Cold, wet and windy weather seemed to suit the Knox City Greyhound football team just fine as they dominated the Dragons from Paducah, 47-14 during an important district game played here in Knox City last Friday night.

With strong winds, cool temps and light rain causing the fans on both sides of the field to scramble for jackets, blankets and umbrellas, the Greyhounds did not seem to notice the weather down on the field. Picking up a total of 369 yards on the ground and another 63 yards in the air, Knox City's offense dominated the Paducah defense. Riley Spells led the team on the ground with 157 yards on just 9 carries. Scooter Thompson added another 78 yards on 10 carries, while varsity teammates Sedrick Roberson had 56 yards on 7 carries, Dominique Collier had 29 yards on 5 carries, Gemile Roberson had 27 yards on 1 carry, Quentin Spells had 13 yards on 1 carry. The Junior Varsity was also suited up for the game and saw action during the fourth quarter. Derrick Magana picked up 9 yards on 2 carries and Ty Chisum ran the ball once, but was brought down for a loss of 4 yards. The Dragons ran the ball 53 times for a total of 198 yards, with Patrick Hemphill, their 216 pound fullback accounting for 130 yards on 31 carries.

In the air, quarterback Sedrick Roberson passed the ball six times, with 2 completions for a total of 63 yards. Paducah threw the ball 10 times for 68 yards, with 6 completions and 3 interceptions.

Sedrick Roberson was the Greyhound's big scorer of the night, with 3 touchdowns to his credit. Knox City lit up the scoreboard first when Sedrick ran the ball in from 1 yard out with 4:15 left in the first quarter. Dom Collier kicked the extra point in to put the Greyhounds ahead 7-0. Knox City scored again in the



SEDRICK ROBERSON (2) added 21 points to the game total with three touchdowns. Sed also picked up 56 yards on 7 carries.

second quarter with a 38 yard pass from Sedrick Roberson to Kendrick Green with 7:23 left in the first half. Once again, Dominique Collier added the extra point with a kick.

Just about 2 minutes later, Paducah scored on a 21 yard pass from Coy Whitaker to Demetrick Jones. The kick attempt for extra point failed. The remainder of the

The Greyhounds play this Friday at Crowell. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

The Greyhounds appreciate your support.

See you there !

second quarter belonged to Knox city as Sedrick Roberson scored on a 10 yard run with 2:48 left on the clock, then again with a 19 yard run and 1:06 left on the clock for the first half. Both kick attempts for extra points failed.

Riley Spells excited the home crowd with a 72 yard run and a touchdown in the third quarter, Quentin Spells kicked the extra point straight between the uprights. Still in the third quarter, Scooter Thompson punched the ball across the goal line on a 1 yard run with 6:12 left on the

clock. Spells again kicked the extra point in.

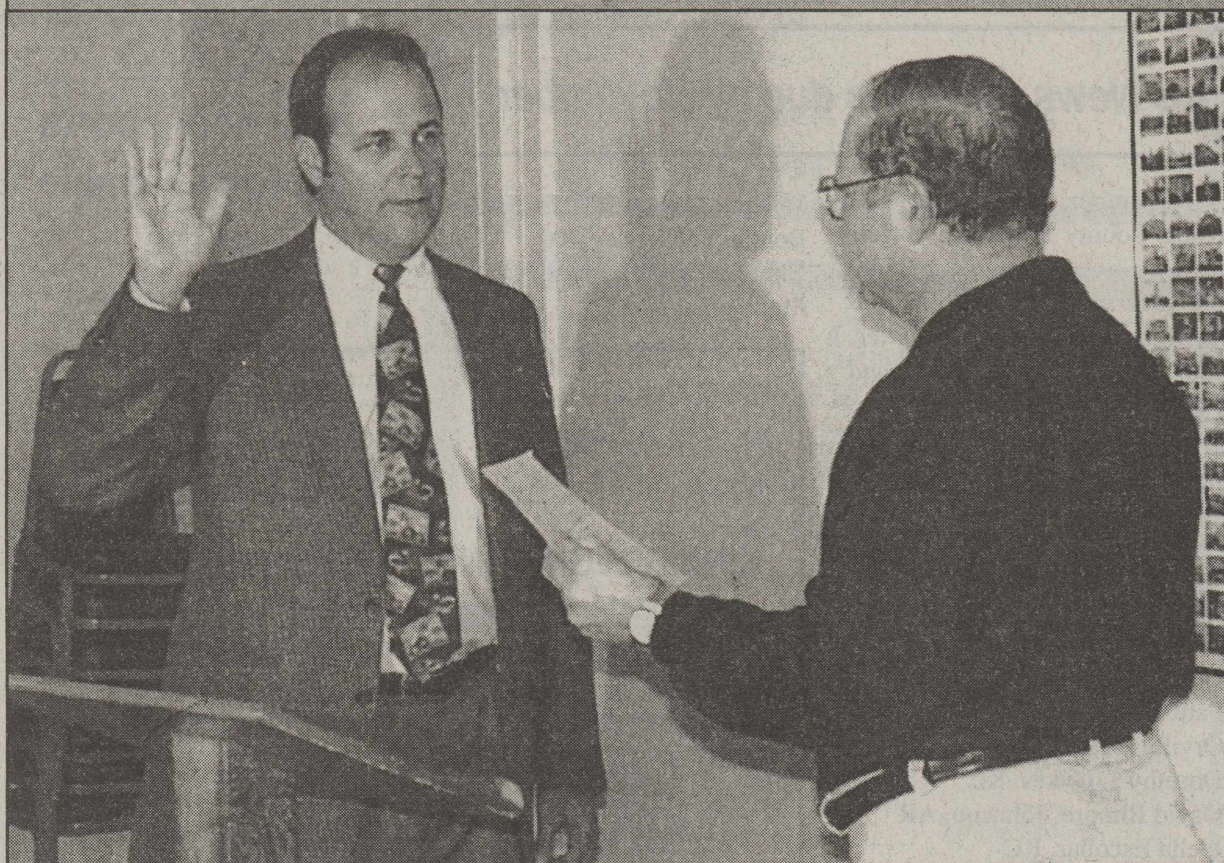
Knox City scored again, this time with 4:55 left in the game when Dominique Collier broke several tackles and scored on a 4 yard run. Quentin Spells added the extra point with another good kick. Paducah managed to score before the end of the game when Dexter Hurst received a 19 yard pass from Whitaker with just 2:37 left in the game. Paducah ran in the extra point attempt for 2 points, making the final score of the game 47-14 in Knox City's favor.

On defense, Scooter Thompson had 12 tackles, C.J. Bruce had 11, Sedrick Roberson had 10, Caleb Carver had 10, Dom Collier had 10, Kendrick Green had 10, Gemile Roberson had 7, Carlos Ruiz had 7, Sean Duncan had 5, Cameron Hutchinson had 5, Quentin Spells had 4, Riley Spells had 4, Wes Parker had 3, Logan Morrow had 2, Rickey Gonzales had 2, Derrick Magana had 2, Josh Ivie had 2, Tomas Myers had 2, Ben Simmons had 2, T.J. Richardson had 1, Brandon Espinosa had 1, and Ricky Dale Smith had 1, Kylin DelValle had 1, Kendrick Green and Riley Spells each had an interception, while Sedrick Roberson and Kylin DelValle each had a sack.

Knox City travels north to Crowell this Friday night to take on the Wildcats in another district 9A contest. Kickoff is set for 7:30 p.m. The KCHS Athletic Booster Club urges everyone to continue and support the Greyhounds by making the short drive to Crowell. The team has been impressed with the number of fans at each game, and players really notice the noise level that the fans generate.

All local and area reyhound fans are also reminded that the pre-game pep rally will be at 3:05 on Friday afternoon in the gym on the high school campus. Everyone with an interest in the Greyhounds is both invited and encouraged to be there !

New Knox County Judge sworn into office



TAKING THE OATH OF OFFICE as Knox County Judge, Greg Clonts (left) of Knox City is shown here being administered the oath by Knox County Clerk Ronnie Verhalen last Wednesday at a special ceremony at the county courthouse in Benjamin. Judge Clonts was picked for the office by the Knox County Commissioner's Court to fill the unexpired term of the late David N. Perdue.

ACS three-person golf scramble set for Saturday

The Knox County Unit of the American Cancer Society will sponsor a three-person golf scramble benefit on October 26 at 1:30 p.m. at the Lake Creek Country Club in Munday. Entry fee is set at \$20.00 per person. Entries may be called to Mary Smith at

940-422-4746.

Prizes will be awarded for closest to the pin and door prizes. A light meal and drinks will be served following the tournament.

All area golfers are invited to participate for a fun day of golf and at the same time help out a

worthwhile charitable organization.

According to Valera Hertel, the unit did not have a crusade drive this year, so individuals and businesses are asking to help with this benefit. For more information call her at 940-422-4990.

FUMC sets Nov. 2 for annual bazaar and dinner

The First United Methodist Church will be holding its Annual Bazaar and Turkey Dinner on Saturday, November 2, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

The traditional dinner of turkey, dressing and all the trimmings will be available from 11:00 to 1:00 p.m. in the church dining room, with takeouts available.

Always a big holiday event in our community, the Bazaar will consist of Granny's Attic, Bake Sale, Used Books, Crafts and a Silent Auction.

KC Chamber of Commerce planning community Christmas Celebration on Saturday, Nov. 30

The Knox City Chamber of Commerce is planning a Christmas Celebration on Saturday evening, November 30, in downtown Knox City.

According to chamber director Marla Hawkins, the chamber's

idea is to create a festive atmosphere with white lights on top of the buildings, furnished by the Chamber, with the merchants displays in their store windows.

Businesses will be open from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m., the Saturday

after Thanksgiving.

At this time, plans for the downtown holiday celebration include Santa Claus, craft booths, refreshments, downtown lights, late evening shopping and Santa Claus dollars.

County Veterans to be honored November 11 in Benjamin

Veterans of Knox County will be honored at an 11:00 a.m. program at the Knox County Veterans Memorial, Monday, November 11, 2002.

The Knox County Historical Commission is interested in information about veterans of all wars and conflicts. Those with letters, war souvenirs, and other memorabilia are invited to display them in the courthouse on November 11. A table will be set aside to display photographs of veterans.

A hamburger, beans and cobbler meal will be served at noon that day at the Benjamin Ex-Stu-

dents Center to help support ongoing projects related to the Veterans Memorial. These include engraving additional names and the collection of information about each veteran for their future book. A search through the 1966 Knox County History provides information wanted about Knox County veterans. The following is an example.

In World War I, Michael Watson Perry served in the "36th Infantry" of the 90th Division while his brother, Charles Stuart Perry was in the Quarter Master Corps, U.S. Army. Sending the two brothers to service was not all

the J.J. Perry family contributed to the war effort. The two girls in the Perry family entered government service in Washington, D.C. in September 1918. They were Katie Finch (Dorothy) and Elizabeth (Bess) Perry.

Plans were underway for a new hospital building at Knox City when the U.S. entered the war and many doctors and nurses were called by the army, delaying the building of a county hospital until 1926. Rufus McClain and Henry Jones bought a Knox City drug store in 1916, but in 1917 they closed their store to answer Uncle Sam's call to WWI.



It's time to fall back . . .

remember to set your clock back Saturday night before going to bed. Daylight Savings Time ends Sunday at 2:00 a.m.

O'Brien happenings

By Audie Johnston, O'Brien Correspondent

"Love Follows You - Have you ever left your Saviour, have you ever failed to pray, Have you ever been so burdened - That God's love seemed far away? Well, let me reassure you, This never will be true, For when you leave our Father, He'll be coming after you, With a love so understanding, Even if you've gone astray, He can win you with forgiveness, Till you'll long with Him to stay."

Here and There - Cliff Banner was in O'Brien to visit his sister Laura Wade, brother Joe and mother Billie.

Lucy Jimenez, her granddaughter and fiancée visited with Lucy's sister, Irene Bernal and Billie Walker.

October 27 is designated as

"Great Day For O'Brien". The church hopes to have all members and many visitors in attendance. Remember to turn your clocks back Saturday night.

Spending some time with Clara Hanson is her daughter Joan and they visited with Clara's son Jerry Hodges, who lives in Graham, and is pretty sick and needs our prayers.

Kenneth and Sammie Roberts of Plainview attended the "Goree Homecoming" over the weekend and they came and visited with me and my daughter Laura Proffitt and husband Billy on Sunday and we all attended church together.

Cecylee and Hadley Hicks of Hawley spent the weekend with their grandparents, Eddie and

Claudia Bryant, and attended church with them on Sunday.

Spending some time with Dan and Marilyn Talbot is a sister of Marilyn's from Corsicana.

Bob and Carol Lanham of Amarillo visited their "grandmother" Evelyn Underwood in Brazos Valley Care Home over the weekend.

Bobby Joe Helton of Knox City visited some time last week with Billy Proffitt, my son-in-law, of Lancaster, California, in my home at O'Brien. They seem to have really enjoyed going through old times of the past.

Richard and Mary Lou Palma returned home last week after attending the wedding of Richard's son in California.

Aging center lunch menus

Oct. 28th thru Nov. 1st

Monday, October 28 - Salmon croquettes, mashed potatoes, sweet peas, Harvard beets, hush puppies, pudding.

Tuesday, October 29 - Meat loaf, butter beans, turnip greens, cole slaw, cornbread, dessert.

Wednesday, October 30 - Cream of potato soup, ham and cheese sandwiches, lettuce, tomato, onions, pickles, cookies.

Thursday, October 31 - Chicken strips with gravy, potato wedges, blackeyed peas, okra and tomatoes, biscuits, birthday cake.

Friday, November 1 - Beef spaghetti, whole kernel corn, green beans, salad, bread, cobbler.

(All menus subject to change without notification. It is important to contact the site manager in order that meals can be prepared.)

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KC News renewals due by November 1

November renewals at The Knox County News are as follows.

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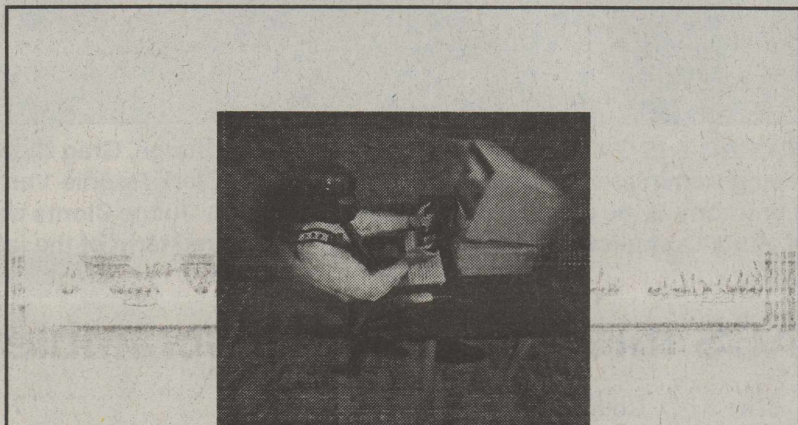
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(22)
Quentin
Spells



Big Block
(41)
Scooter
Thompson



Big Block
(64)
Caleb
Carver



Big Play
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Sedrick
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Big Play
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Students should bring several high quality black and white negatives. All other supplies will be provided. Hands-on darkroom instruction will be featured.

The workshop is scheduled to meet on Saturday, November 9, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. This will meet at Mr. Meinzer's studio in Benjamin. Registration fee is \$175.00 which includes lunch and snacks.

Class size will be limited to ten students, so early registration is recommended. Registration forms are available by calling the Office of Continuing Education of Vernon College at (940) 552-6291, ext. 2209 or 2210.

Chellie Clayton in Louisiana's All-State Choir

Chellie Clayton, nine year old daughter of Cyle and Denise Clayton of Many, Louisiana, was chosen to participate in an All-State American Choral Directors Choir for the state of Louisiana.

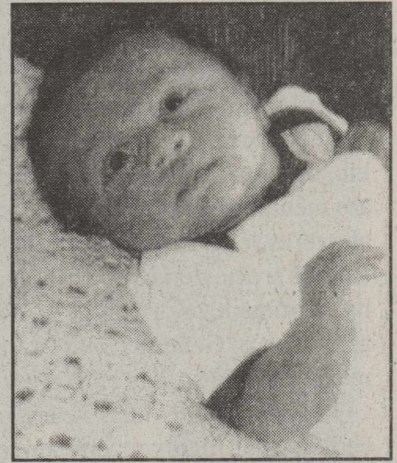
Six hundred and fifty children, ages nine through twelve, auditioned and 120 were chosen. The children learned and memorized their music at their homes and then came together for testing and practices before the concert presentation in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, on October 19.

The choir sang "Persoiesi Suite" in Latin, "She Shall Have Music" and "Fancie" in English; "Camino Caminante" in Spanish and "Mayim, Mayim" in Hebrew.

Performance director was Dr. Sandra Snow, Professor of the School of Music at the University of Michigan. A high school choir also performed at the concert.

Chellie's parents and brother met her grandmother, Martha Sue McCurley, and aunt, Christi Snodgrass, in Baton Rouge for the concert.

New Arrivals It's a girl!



Gavin Rene Estraca

From Love... Springs Life

Gloria and Leonard Estraca are proud to announce the birth of their baby boy, Gavin Rene Estraca.

Gavin was born at Washoe Medical Center in Reno, Nevada, on August 24, 2002, at 1:32 p.m. He weighed eight pounds, four ounces.

The grandparents are Rosie and Emiliano Nevarez of Knox City and Pedro and Rosa Estraca of Seymour.

**Thanks for
choosing the NEWS!**

Thank you...

to all who contributed in any way to the benefit Golf Tournament for Lyndon Baty. For those who donated items, who donated time, who gave money, or played in the tournament, your help is greatly appreciated. We may be a small community, but the hearts of our people are big!!

**Knox City
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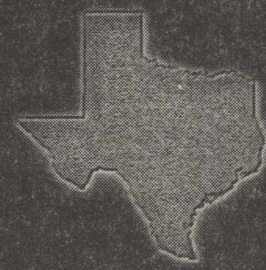
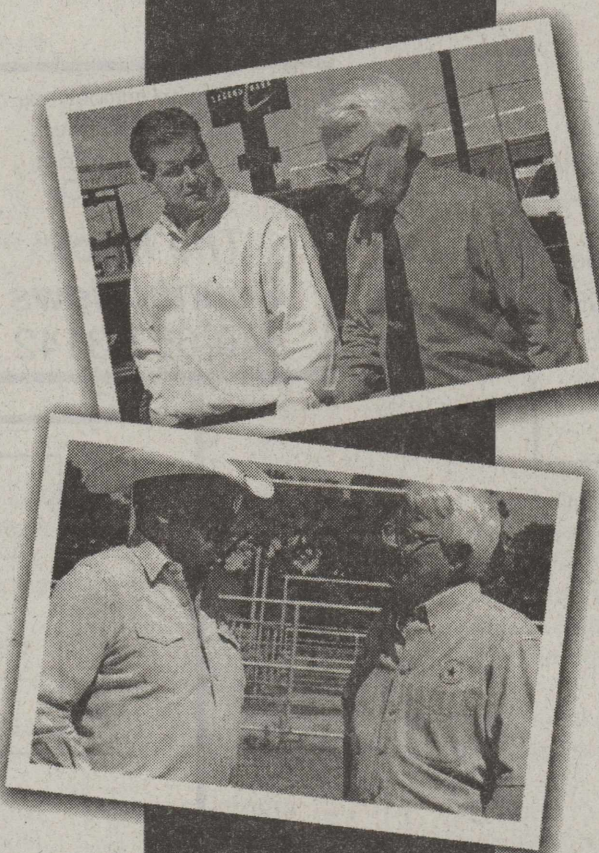
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Veteran's News

By John Gillispie - Knox County Veterans Service Officer

Important facts on discharge upgrades

Former service members who were discharged with other than honorable service may request the military re-exam the conditions leading to the less than honorable character of service as can former members who were dismissed from active duty.

Discharge Review Boards Each branch of service has their own review boards. Application is made with a DD form 293. The request can be made by the former service member, surviving spouse, next of kin, or legal representative. Former members of the armed forces who are mentally incompetent may have their request signed by any of the above as long as proof of legal incompetence is submitted. Review Boards are powerless on issues of re-enlistment code changes, disability retirement, or discharge recalls to active duty and discharges issued as a result of General Court Martial. Application for discharge Review must be made within 15 years from date of discharge.

Review Boards hold hearings at several locations throughout the country. It is highly recommended applicants personally appear before the Board in order to put a human face to what otherwise would be strictly a review of military record and any new material submitted to support the request. Expenses related to travel, lodging and meals are the responsibility of the applicant.

Information regarding available counsel and hearing locations can be had by writing the appropriate board at the addresses listed or the back of the DD Form 293. Boards from both the Air Force and Army travel to Texas. Applicants seeking in-state representation should contact the nearest office of the Texas Veterans Commission or the nearest County Veterans Service Officer.

Addresses to contact the various Military Boards are as listed below:

ARMY - Army Review Boards, Agency Support Division - St. Louis
ATTN: SFMR-RBR-SL, 9700 Page Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63132-5200
NAVY & MARINE CORPS - Naval Council of Personnel Boards, Bldg. 36
Washington Navy Yard, 901 M Street, SE, Washington, DC 20374-5023
AIR FORCE - SAF/MIBR, 550-C Street West, Suite 40,
Randolph Air Force Base, Tx 78150-4742
COAST GUARD - Commandant WPM-60, U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters,
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Three (3) Person Scramble
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1:30 p.m.

Lake Creek Country Club
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Light Meal following Tournament

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Saturday, October 26, 2002
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Lucille Curbo Estate Auction, outside Munday

• Selling at Auction - the Estate of Lucille Curbo, former Munday resident. Limited consignments welcome. Please call Scott at 940-256-2068. Directions to the sale location: From Munday, TX, take FM 222 west one mile to FM 267. Take FM 267 North 7/10 mile to rock house on left. Look for signs.

Also offering Munday's oldest standing home, the "Barton House", circa 1900 - two story, four BR, one bath, 10 ft. ceilings, two car garage, three covered porches on three lots with water well. House is located at 1313 W. Main. Property will sell pending owners' acceptance. All announcements on sale day take precedence over all printed material.

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Child Welfare Board News

By Peggy Guinn

The Knox County Child Welfare Board met to begin a new year. Our county has ten children in foster care. The Board provides some school clothes, special needs, birthday gifts and Christmas gifts for each of these with the contributions from the com-

munity. We are also in the process of preparing a Rainbow Room. This will provide clothing items for caseworkers at any time there is a need. We are able to do this because of the contributions of many, donations of jury fees and especially a very generous gift of one anonymous contributor. The jury fees may not be a large amount, but when added together

it really makes a difference. The memorial contributions that many send makes it possible for the help to our children to continue.

The Board has begun plans for Christmas. We will be providing clothing, toys and food again for the families and children of our community that otherwise might not be able to do so. This is possible because of many giving

people in our community who remember us at Christmas time. Again, we plan to have the Angel Tree in the Art Stall with children's clothing sizes and gift wishes that anyone can pick one or more angels and buy for that child. Our businesses will be providing food. We usually provide help for thirty or more families and seventy to ninety children.

Bill slashes \$274,869,000 from Texas road budget

House Republicans late last week passed legislation that cements a previous Appropriations Committee cut of \$274,869,000 from Texas's highway repair and construction budget.

Specifically, the House GOP leadership attached the cut to the Continuing Resolution - an unrelated bill that ensures that the entire federal government does not shut down because of the ongoing budget battle in Congress. Democrats attempted to strip the highway cut out of the continuing resolution, but were voted down on a straight party-line vote (Roll Call Vote 459, 10/10/2002). The final vote was 225-193 against the Democratic effort to remove the cut.

Last year, Texas received \$2,083,394,000 in federal highway funding, but the House Republican and Bush budget provides only \$1,808,525,000. Democrats attempted to overturn this huge cut, but were voted down by just two votes.

The American Road and Transportation Builders Association (ARTBA) estimates that this cut to Texas's highway budget will mean a net loss of 10579 jobs in Texas. This cut could mean that road repairs and upgrades already underway in Texas could be terminated, or take much more time than originally planned to complete.

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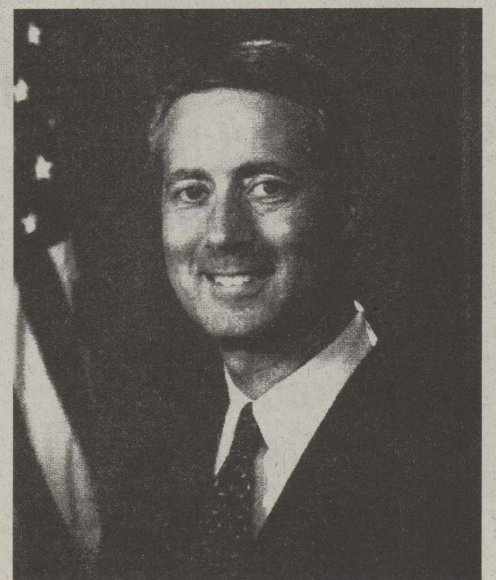
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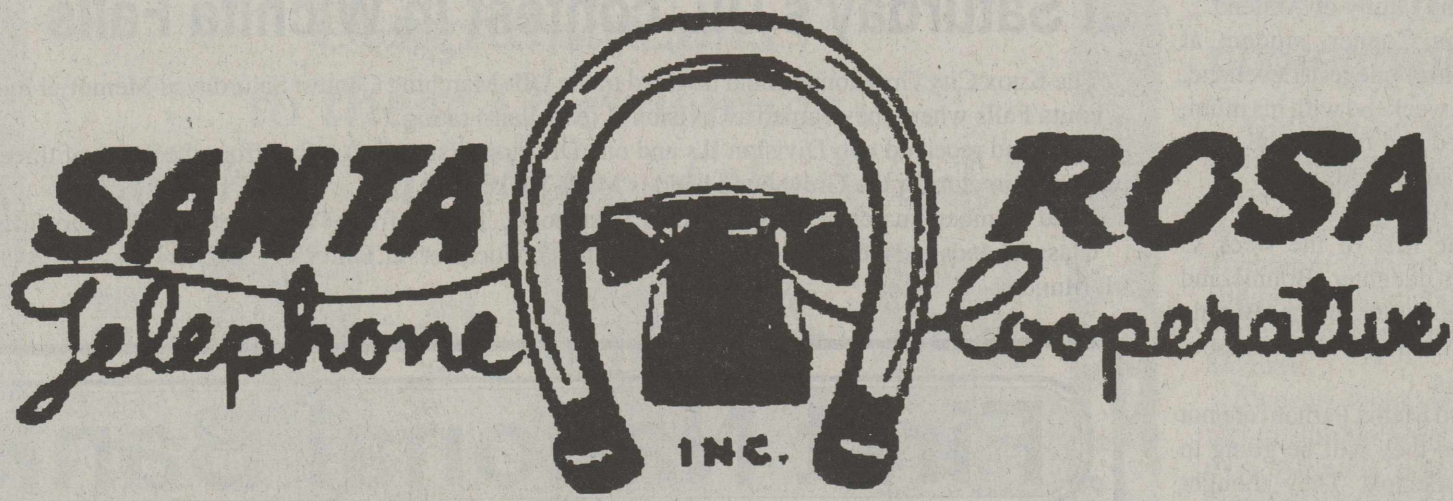
On Tuesday November 5, we have an opportunity to do something very important. That opportunity is to vote for the people we want to represent us. From United States Senator to Justice of the Peace, every race is important to our future.

Please join Sally and me on November 5 by voting. Let's do our part to keep America the greatest, freest, richest, most blessed Nation on earth. Voting is our privilege and our responsibility.

Sincerely,

Mac Thornberry
Mac Thornberry



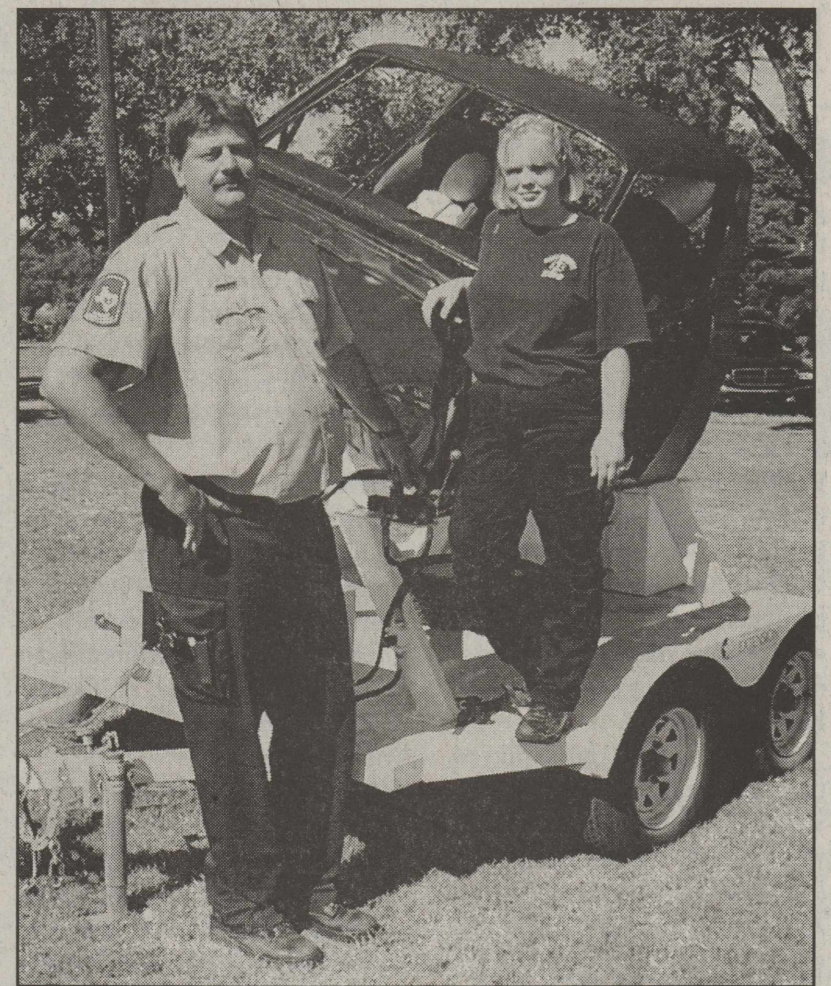


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RONNIE BROWN, EMS Director, of Munday, and Tanya Ledesma of O'Brien, who also works with the Knox County EMS, were on hand Saturday at the Knox County Hospital Health Fair to demonstrate how deadly a vehicle rollover can be if seat belts are not worn. The demonstration trailer simulated vehicle rollovers.

KC Elementary PTO FALL FESTIVAL
 Saturday, Oct. 26
 KC School Gym

• Costume Contest •
 Registration - 4:30 p.m..
 Contest begins at 5:00
 Booths open from
 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

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The Ward Children
 5401 Cimarron Rd NW
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 October 22, 2002

Citizens of Knox City & Vicinity

Dear Ones,

We, the children of Leon and Nettie Ward, send you our heartfelt thanks for all of the support you have given Mom and Dad over the many, many years they have lived in Knox City. We readily realize that what you have done for them was not a requirement - you did it because you are just good people, and we appreciate that.

We send special thanks to people such as Betty Williams, Maurine Reeder, Norma Sutton, Mary Francis Shannon, Thelma Burt, just to name a few. We know there are others -- too many to name. All of you, the Citizens of Knox City and vicinity, will always have a special place in our hearts. And, we're sure Mom and Dad will treasure each of you the rest of their lives.

Again, thanks for everything. May God's richest bounty pursue and overtake each of you all the days of your lives.

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Benjamin news

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

These Mondays are coming pretty regularly and some weeks not much is going on. It was a good "Friday nite" football night this past week as all three teams in the county, once again, came out winners. Over here we had a good nite as the Mustangs "took care of" the visiting Northside (Vernon) team by winning 64-34. Several got in on the scoring. Bubba Benson had 5 TD's - that's half of the number scored. Anthony Lamb had 2 and Tyler Collins, Seth Kuehler and John reed each had 1. Everyone played well and we stand 2-0 in district now. This coming Friday, we play Harrold, there.

The volleyball girls played twice last week. On Tuesday, they went to Rochester and tho played well and won the first game, lost the next 2. Saturday nite, Aspermont came over here and our girls defeated them. So we still are beaten only by Rochester. With just a couple or three more regular season games, we'll have to wait and see who goes to the playoffs.

Sympathy to Ila Mae and Kenneth Benson today. Her mom, Mrs. Styles, passed away Thursday in Seymour and her funeral was Saturday, also in Seymour.

We are glad to report that we do not have much news concerning ill of the community. Seems everyone is feeling better.

Did hear on Saturday that Bobby Hudson may be coming home today. He has been in Covenant in Lubbock for almost three months and I'm thinking when he does get to come home, it will be a welcome change. Bobby continues to need our prayers as he will have a pretty good while of recuperation once he does leave the hospital.

The fall festival will be Saturday night, the 26th. School folks invite everyone who will, to come over and enjoy.

We always have a good crowd and it's a pretty good time to visit

as well as have fun.

Here 'N There - Steve Conner of Colorado City spent Friday night and Saturday with home-folks.

Dillon Carroll of Childress spent the weekend with his grandmother, Debbie Moorhouse and family. His parents came on Sunday and he returned home with them.

Weekend guest of Raul and Reyes Barrientez were their daughter and family, Sean, Mary and Hannah Widmer of Argyle.

Jim Bob and Mixie Conner and Charlie of Slaton visited his grandparents, Bobby and Philomae Roberson and other relatives and friends, Saturday.

Sarah Meinzar visited her parents, Julie and Tommy Thomas, during the weekend. Sarah has been living in Lubbock but is moving to California to make her home. We wish Sarah well as she makes this change.

John Shaw of Seymour visited Anthony Lamb during the weekend.

Weekend guests of Jonnie Williams and Mary Bohannon were Joyce Nix of Hewitt, Charlie Barker of Lubbock and Brandi

Hacker and family of Abilene.

Clayton Conner, student at South Plains College in Levelland, spent last weekend with his mom, Janet Reed and family and other relatives and friends.

Betty Bohannon was in Nebraska the first of the week to return her daughter, Bonnie and little, son, Cutter, home. Bonnie had been visiting in Nebraska several weeks.

Bill and Melba Parham are not sure when they will be going to M.D. Anderson. They thought they would be going last week, then after that delay the thought this week for sure but now it looks like it could be another two weeks. The hold-up is the fact that the medicine they will be using to treat his leukemia has not got there yet. Mel said today Bill is feeling pretty well. Tired and very anxious to get to Houston and started on is treatment.

WANT TO RUN WITH THE BIG DOGS ?

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BENJAMIN PTO FALL FESTIVAL

SAT., OCT. 26

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FALL FESTIVAL BEGINS AT 5:30 TO 7:30
CORONATION AND SENIOR 'SLAVE' AUCTION- 7:30 TO 8:30
PROGRAM 8:30 - ?

BINGO FOLLOWING PROGRAM IN CAFETERIA

Greyhound band receives 'excellent' rating at Saturday's UIL contest in Wichita Falls

The Knox City Greyhound Band traveled to the UIL Marching Contest Saturday at Memorial Stadium in Wichita Falls where they earned a Division II (excellent) rating.

The band received two Division II's and one Division I (superior) rating from the panel of three contest judges. Director for the Greyhound band is Mark Tucker.

Band members marched to 'New World Symphony', 'Jupiter' from The Planets and 'Simple Gifts'.

Class A bands and their ratings were Windthorst - I, Muenster - II, Petrolia - I, Archer City - I, Throckmorton - I, Munday - I.

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Joyce Green, W.E. Green and Sandra McInturff, if living, and if any or all of the above named defendants be dead, the unknown heirs of each or all of said above named persons who may be dead, and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said above named persons, and the unknown owner or owners of the hereinafter described land, and the executors, administrators, guardians, legal representatives, legatees and devisees of the above named persons, and any and all other persons including adverse claimants, the unknown stockholders of any defunct corporations, their successors, heirs and assigns, owning or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property, delinquent to Plaintiff herein, for taxes, all of said property being located in said County and State, to-wit: Lot 7, Block 13, Warren Addition to the City of Knox City, Knox County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 202, Page 793 of the Deeds Records, Knox County, Texas; 4.00 acres, Block 45, H & TC Survey 82, out of Abstract 1812, Knox County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 187, page 1078 of the Deed Records, Knox County, Texas; Lot 12, Block 18, Original Townsite to the City of Goree, Knox County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 197, Page 253 of the Deed Records, Knox County, Texas; Lot 11, Block 18, Original Townsite to the City of Goree, Knox County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 197, Page 253 of the Deed Records, Knox County, Texas; Lot 11, Block 18, Original Townsite to the City of Goree, Knox County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 197, Page 253 of the Deed Records, Knox County, Texas; Lots 1, 2, 3, Block 26, Original Townsite to the City of Goree, Knox County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 197, Page 79 of the Deed Records, Knox County, Texas; and Lots 4, Block 112, Original Town of Goree, Knox County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 187, Page 1080 and Volume 187, Page 1078 of the Deed Records, Knox County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiff for taxes in the following amount: \$4,897.21, exclusive of interest, penalties and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes, all said interest, penalties and costs therein allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the Knox County Appraisal District, Plaintiff, against the above named persons, as Defendants, by petition filed on August 24, 2001, in a certain suit styled the Knox County Appraisal District et al vs. Joyce Green et al, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Knox County, Texas, 50th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is 8600, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit are NONE.

Plaintiff and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, and in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiff, Defendants, and Intervenor, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which may hereafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance of this citation as set out below, said appearance and answer date being the 2nd day of December, A.D., 2002, (Which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Knox County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiff and the taxing units parties thereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

This citation is issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Benjamin, Knox County, Texas, this the 18th day of October, A.D., 2002.

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WITH A WET FIELD AND LIGHT RAIN FALLING at times, Friday night's game against the Paducah Dragons turned into a ground attack and what seemed to be a battle of the fullbacks. In the above photo, the Knox City defense worked hard all night stopping Paducah's fullback, Patrick Hemphill (23). The Dragons used the 216 pound fullback 31 times for a total of 130 yards rushing. In the above photo, Greyhound defenders (left to right) Rickey Gonzales (10), Sedrick Roberson (2), C.J. Bruce (50), Dominique Collier (33), Riley Spells (24), Caleb Carver (64), and Scooter Thompson (41) all close in on Hemphill during a play in the second quarter. Paducah ran the ball a total of 53 times for a total of 198 yards on the ground. In comparison, Knox City ran the ball 36 times for 369 yards.



RUNNING THROUGH A HOLE provided by good blocking from the Greyhound offense, Scooter Thompson (41) is shown here picking up 8 yards on this play early in the second quarter. The 216 pound Greyhound fullback ran the ball 10 times for a total of 78 yards and one touchdown. Also shown on the play in the above photo are (left to right) Sedrick Roberson (2), C.J. Bruce (50), Caleb Carver (64), Drew Barnard (73), and Dominique Collier (33). Riley Spells led the game on the ground with a total of 157 yards in just 9 carries, Sedrick Roberson picked up 56 yards on 7 carries, Dominique Collier picked up 29 yards on 5 carries, Gemile Roberson picked up 27 yards on 1 carry, Quentin Spells had 13 yards on 1 carry, Derrick Magana ran for 9 yards on 2 carries and Ty Chisum ran for -4 on 1 carry.

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The KCHS Junior Varsity Football Team will suit out with the Varsity on Friday night.

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Team	Season	District	Collier/Sharp (State)	DataPoll (Region)
Knox City	6-1	2-0	20. Knox City	6. Knox City
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Hamlin	5-2	1-1	87. Paducah	18. Crowell
Crowell	4-3	0-2	98. Crowell	21. Paducah
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Note - While we would like to quote the Harris Poll, it is not updated weekly until after our press deadline. For Knox City's big win over Hamlin a week ago, the Harris Poll listed that game as their Game Of The Week for last week.

Post game honors from the Abilene Reporter News

These post game honors after last week's game with Paducah were published in the Tuesday, October 22 edition of The Abilene Reporter News:

Big Country Player Of The Week Offensive Honorable Mention
 RB Riley Spells, Knox City - 9 carries for 157 yards, 1 touchdown rushing

Big Country Player Of The Week Defensive Honorable Mention
 LB Scooter Thompson, Knox City - 12 tackles including 3 behind the line
 FS Kendrick Green, Knox City - 10 tackles, intercepted a pass and broke up a pass

Big Country Player Of The Week All Around Honorable Mention
 QB-DB Sedrick Roberson, Knox City - 7 carries for 56 yards, 3 touchdowns rushing, Passing 2-6-0 for 63 yards, 1 touchdown passing; On defense, 10 tackles including 3 behind the line.

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