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## Letter to the Editor

The Baird High School Student Council sure deserves a lot of praise, accolades, and three cheers for the Veterans Day Patriotism Program they held in the High School Auditorium on Friday, November 10th. And the dinner would pub any home-cooked meal to

shame. It was superb, and very enjoyable.

Too many kids in this great country of ours know too little of where we have come from and where we are going.

The Veterans Day assembly was a great success. Lyman Brigham Baird and Clyde.

## Presentation of Expenses By Constable Bill Young, for the Cross Plains Fire, Top Agenda and Outdoor Fire Prohibition Approved

The Cross Plains expenses due to the Fire last December were resubmitted by Constable Bill Young, less the F.E.M.A. check; on

a motion for public comments, no discussion or action ensued.

The motion to approve the order prohibiting Out-

## A.H. Ringhoffer Receives 20 Year Service Award from Soil and Water Conservation District

Cross Plains-A.H. Ringhoffer was recognized for 20 years of service on the Callahan Divide S.W.C.D. Board at the 66th Annual Meeting of Texas Soil and Water Conservation District held October 23-25 2006 in Arlington, Tx. The annual meeting of soil and Water Conservation Districts (S.W.C.D. s) enables conservation district directors to address issues affecting soil and water conservation programs and their potential impacts on Texas farmers, ranchers and timber producers. There are 217 S.W.C.D.s in Texas. A.H. Ringhoffer, who has served on the Callahan Divide S.W.C.D. has represented zone number 5 of the district since 1986.

The Callahan Divide S.W.C.D. was organized and chartered in 1986 for the purpose of promoting sound soil and water conservation practices on agricultural lands within the district.

The five members serving on the Callahan Divide S.W.C.D. are responsible for the policies and procedures of carrying out its program within the framework of the Texas soil and water conservation District law.

## Callahan County has Reinstated their BURN BAN effective November 20

door Banning was made by Commissioner Farmer and on a motion by Commissioner Holland, the motion carried 4-0.

A motion was made by

## Meals on Wheels in Need of Volunteers

The Meals on Wheels program in Baird is in need of volunteers. The need is in need of volunteers to help in the delivery of meals.

If this need is not filled, we will have to put a limit on the number of folks that need our help Please call the Baird Citizens Center at 854-1937 about when and how many days you will be available to deliver.

4,495 meals have been served in the past 11 months to the folks who eat their lunch at the Baird Center.

Commissioner Hicks to pay approved bills. Commissioner Holland seconded and the motion carried unanimously, by all three commissioners present: Hicks, Farmer and Holland with also Judge Roger Corn, presiding.

Adjournment followed on a motion by Judge Corn and with a second by Commissioner Farmer the motion carried by all present.

## American Red Cross Needs Your Help

With the extreme heat and drought conditions, the American Red Cross has found itself busier than usual responding to a rash of wildfires across the Big Country.

As of August 21, most people are aware that the American Red Cross responds to large disasters such as tornadoes and hurricanes, and that the organization assists with food, clothing and shelter. But fewer people know that the Red Cross is also called on to assist emergency workers such as police and firefighters. Since the wildfires broke out in the Big Country, the American Red Cross has been working hard to provide plenty of bottled water, Gatorade and meals to countless firefighters. Now, the organization needs your help to keep their supplies stocked.

The American Red Cross is asking the community to make financial gifts to the local Disaster Relief Fund. Financial Contributions allow the Red Cross to purchase materials in bulk, stretching

## Continued Inside: Addresses Needed for Baird Ex-Students

We're listing the students from the classes of 2001 through 2005 that that need updated addresses. If you have any information about any of the following, please contact the Baird Ex-Students' Association, P.O. Box 954, Baird, TX or 854-1947.

### 2001-2005:

- Anthony Dean,
- Candace Ellis,
- Shanna Taylor, Casse Cook,
- Ashley Pugh,
- Matthew Ramirez,
- William Ross,
- Jessica Garnett,
- Vickie Blair,
- Blake Mendez,
- Clelsey Hasha

## D.P.S. Report

Nov. 12th to Nov. 26, 2006	Cases Investigated
WARNINGS-	216
COMPLAINTS-	190
D.W.I.....	1

ACCIDENTS-There were four accidents investigated during this time span

loss. "Applications for loans under the emergency designations will be accepted until June 11, 2007, but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing and possibly over into the new farming season," Richard G. Young said.

F.S.A. is a credit agency of the United States Department of Agriculture. It is authorized to provide disaster emergency loans to recognized farmers who work at and rely on farming for a substantial part of their living Eligibility is extended to individual farmers who meet U.S. citizen requirements and to farming partnerships, corporations, or cooperatives in which U.S. Citizenship requirements are met by holding a majority interest.

The F.S.A. office in Anson is open from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

## Baird H.S. Fundraiser

Donate your unused and inactive cell phones and we'll turn it into cash! Nokia, Motorola, Samsung, Nextel-ALL WIRELESS BRANDS

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## Baird '48 Study Club Meets Nov. 13 in Home of Cheryl Roach of Abilene

The Baird 48 Study Club met November 13, 2006 in the home of Cheryl Roach in Abilene. Theme for the night was Where Are My Keys?

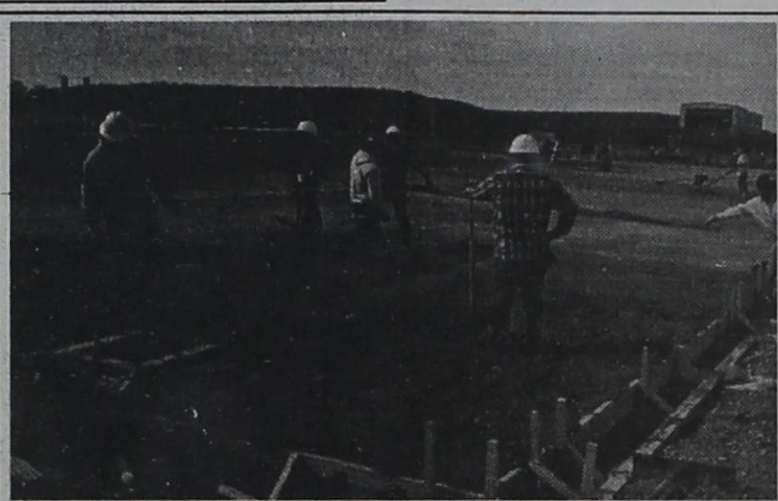
After meeting at the First Baptist Church in Baird, members traveled to Abilene to the Roach Home. Cheryl assisted members in choosing materials and making beaded key rings.

Donna Bell, treasurer, reported on the success of the Tour of Homes and Bake Sale on November 5th.

Linda Hart announced that there is a need for items for teenagers to be used for the Christmas distribution. Members donating may bring items to the December meeting.

Refreshments were served by Dana Voigts and Elaine Stephenson. Other members attending were: Donna Bell, Frances Greenway, Judy Gulley, Linda Hard, Pat Holland, Georgia Manion, Debbie McElmurray, Sally McGregor, Sue McNeil, Joanie Shrader, Dyanne Thompson and Pam Williams.

The next meeting will be held the 11th of December for the Christmas Dinner and Hayride hosted by the Social Committee at the home of Judy Gulley.



Workers Reading the Already Now Completed concrete foundation of the Fed Ex terminal in Baird.

## Texas Department of State Health Services

Immunization Clinics in Callahan Cty.  
Monday, December 11th  
Baird Cafetorium-400 W. 7th.  
10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Cross Plains Housing Authority  
233 N. Main  
from 2 til 4 p.m.

Wednesday, December 13th  
Clyde First Baptist Church  
216 Austin  
from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and  
1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Please Bring:  
Child's Immunization Records

For More Information call  
325-754-4945

## Elliott Park Writes I Loved Her First... Baird P.T.O. Fundraiser 2006

All the Way to the No. 1 Radio and Record and Billboard Country Chart

Clyde commercial artist and songwriter, Elliott Park has got a winner and its a song, I Loved Her First.

The song was four years in the making and describes the co-authors giving his daughter away on her

wedding day, was recorded by the group Heartland.

Walt Aldridge, a veteran song writer from Alabama-Muscle Shoals-and now writing in Nashville cowrote the song and says of Park, that he has a "lot of success...He's a veteran. The independent label, Lofton Creek, recorded the song which was released on the radio, on June 1st of 2006.

According to the Clyde Journal, the song was written 50-50 by Park, who write the second verse and Aldridge.

## Callahan County SWCD is Now Taking Custom Map Orders

The Callahan County SWCD is proud to announce that we have recently purchased a plotter and is now

(Continued Inside as Call Maps)

Baird P.T.O. is excited to announce two new ways that everyone in our community can help raise funds or obtain equipment for Baird schools. The exciting part is that everyone can participate, regardless of their income or whether they have school-aged children. All you need to do is save your cash register receipts from any Lawrence Brothers' grocery store and by clipping the "Box Tops for Educa-

## Emergency Farm Loans Applications Being Accepted

"Applications for emergency farm loans caused by drought, excessive heat and high temperatures on January 1, 2006 and continuing are being accepted at the Farm Service Agency (F.S.A.) office located in Anson, Richard G. Young said today.

"Callahan is one of 17 contiguous counties in Texas recently named by the Secretary of Agriculture eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from drought, excessive heat and high temperatures on January 1, 2006 and continuing."

Richard G. Young said,

"Farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 100% of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue the agricultural business, which ever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest is 3.75 percent."

"As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for a F.S.A. emergency loan," Richard G. Young said. Farmers participating in the Federal Crop Insurance program will have to figure in proceeds from these programs in determining their

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## Obituaries

### Kendall Ray Bullard

CLYDE-Kendall Ray Bullard, 56, died Thursday, November 16, 2006 at his home in Clyde.

Memorial services were at 2:00 P.M. Sunday, November 19th at the Bailey's Funeral Chapel.

Ken was born November 22, 1949 in Winters, Texas to Alford K. and Lena b. (Hancock) Bullard. He grew up in winters and attended school there through his freshman year. He graduated from Abilene High School in 1969. In that same year, Ken joined the U.S. Army, serving as a Buck Sergeant during the Viet Nam War. He married Estelle Rice on April 1, 1977 in Clyde, where they have lived since. He was Maintenance Supervisor for the Texas Department of Transportation until his 30-year retirement. He was a member of the Masonic

Lodge. Ken was highly regarded for his kindness, generosity and love for his neighbors, friends and family. He was a wonderful husband, father and PaPa and will be greatly missed by all that loved him.

Survivors include his wife, Estelle of Clyde; his daughter, Tracy Pugh and husband Bray of Clyde; a sister, Kay Bardin and husband A.C. of Tulsa, OK; a brother Bill Bullard and wife Ella of Cottonwood, TX; two grandchildren, Taylor Bray Pugh and Tatum Kendal Pugh, both of Clyde and several nieces and nephews. Visitation was from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Saturday, November 18th at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of the Big Country, 4601 Hartford, Abilene, Texas 79605.

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**Custom Map Orders Available** offering to design maps for landowners, hunters, and interested individuals. The plotter will produce up to 36" maps in color or black/white. The cost will depend on the size and design of each individual map.

For more information on how to purchase a land map contact the Natural Resource Conservation office located at 141 W. 4th St. Baird, TX or Call (325) 854-1349, EXT 3. Order forms

and information may also be obtained at the Albany NRCS at 325-762-2552, EXT. 3.

### Cowboy Heritage Church Concert Set for December 2nd

Cowboy Heritage Church is planning a concert for Saturday, December 2nd at the Church located north of Interstate 20 in Clyde.

On Saturday, December 2nd, the Yoder Family will be performing beginning at 6:00 p.m. the family country artists have performed

for the White House among other events. There is no charge to attend the concert, however a love offering will be accepted.

Cowboy Heritage Church is located north of Hays Road, approximately 1/2 mile north of the Interstate 20 exit 299. For more information, contact Pastor Greg Clemmer at 3250338-4287.

**Loans Available from F.S.A. in Anson**  
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ships, corporations, or cooperatives in which U.S. Citizenship requirements are met by holding a majority interest.

The F.S.A. office in Anson is open from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

### City of Clyde Seeking Your Ideas On Centennial Celebration in July 2007

The City of Clyde is planning a Centennial Celebration in July of 2007. We are interested in what the citizens of Clyde would like to see for our celebration. On our Web Site, you will find a poll of different activities. Please check this out and see if there is something you would like to vote on. If there is something different you would like to see, please e-mail me and let me know. This event is for the citizens of Clyde.

We want to make this a

very fun and special event. Your input is very important to us so get involved in these decisions. Our web site is [www.clydecityhall.com](http://www.clydecityhall.com) to take the poll and the email is [clydeh2o@clydecityhall.com](mailto:clydeh2o@clydecityhall.com). If you do not have Internet access, you may also send your requests for this through the U.S. Mail. Our address is City of Clyde, Attn: Centennial Celebration, P.O. Box 1155, Clyde, Texas 79510. We are looking forward to your input.

Submitted by  
**Lorrie D. Trammell**

**2006-07 Calendar Baird I.S.D.**

next Teacher Development Workday: **December 22**  
May 25

Staff Development Day: **ends Aug. 11**

\*Compensatory Days: **November 21-22 also January 19.**

Bad: **Weather Day: May 11.**  
Students Holidays: **Labor Day, September 4**

**Thanksgiving, November 20-24**

**Christmas break, December 21-January 7**

**County Stockshow: January 19.**

**Spring Break, March 12-16**

**Easter, April 6**

**TAKS TESTING days: October 17-20, February 13-15, April 4, April 17-20, May 15**

**B.H.S. Graduation: May 25, 2007**  
\*\*\*Three staff development waiver days required during the summer or weekends to compensate the 3 days in November and January.

### BUS SERVICE MINISTRY, Schedule AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH BAIRD, AUGUST

You Will Be HAPPY to learn that the adventure will continue through our bus ministry! The bus ministry will serve children age three through senior adults, who live within the Baird city limits, and are needing a ride to our Sunday School (Bible Study) and Worship Serv. beginning at 9:45 each Sunday. If you or a child in your neighborhood have been unable to attend Sunday School and Worship Services due to lack of dependable transportation, here is your opportunity!

With August 20 only a couple of weeks away, we

encourage you to contact the church office at 854-1574 to receive important information pertaining to pick-up times and enrollment for this serv. We will be eagerly anticipating your calls!

#### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Evening Worship 6:00 pm  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 pm  
Wednesday YOUTH Fellowship 7:00 pm  
(Nursery provided for all services)

### Go Baird Bears-Go, Fight, Win The Tournament

### Cowboy Heritage Church Open Team Ropings Underway

The Cowboy Heritage Church in Clyde will be hosting open team roping at the Church located north of Interstate 20.

The open ropings will be

held every Saturday beginning November 4th. The roping event will begin at 2:00 p.m. until finished.

The cost is \$20 for the no limit/all you want to rope

event.

No alcohol is allowed on the premise.

Cowboy Heritage Church is located north on Hays Rd. approximately 1/2 mile north of the Interstate 20, Exit 299 mile marker.

### Callahan Divide Soil and Water Conservation District Poster Contest

POSTER ENTRIES shall be on standard poster board, cut to half size 22" X 14". Artwork on poster entries should be produced with materials which do not readily smear, crack or chip. If necessary a fixative or lamination may be used. Poster entry artwork should be flat.

Each poster will need an entry form attached to the back of the poster.

Students may choose one of the two themes for this

years contest. #1 "Water Wise."

#2 "Celebrate Conservation". Students will be awarded a ribbon for participation by the district. Area Winners will be presented with a plaque.

A Digital Photograph will be required of each winner from the County competition to be published in the local paper and the SWCD newsletter.

The district will choose three winners from the

Callahan County School Districts 4th, 5th and 6th grades. These posters will be submitted to the Area 5 competition. If one of these posters is selected it will then be sent to the State competition. All posters must be turned into Callahan Divide SWCD no later than January 28, 2006. Please contact Judi Winans at Callahan Divide Soil and Water Conservation District, 141, W. 4th Street, Suite B, Baird, TX 79504. 325-854-1349, Ext 3.

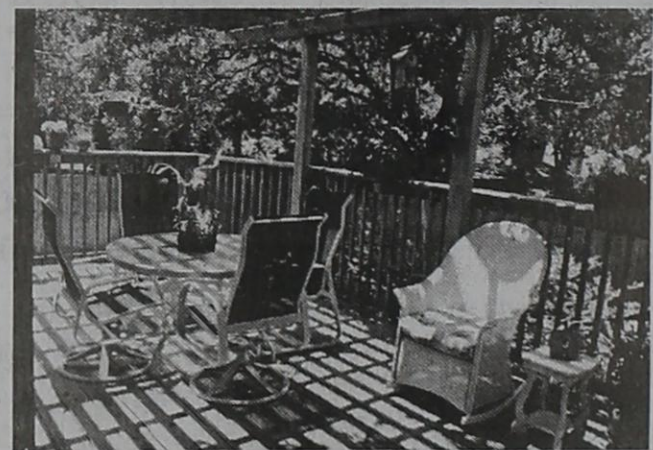


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### Boys High School Basketball

Baird-59, Rising Star-49  
Baird 13 12 17 17-59  
Rising Star 8 11 11 19-48  
Baird-C. Cogburn  
13, J. English 13, Orlando  
8, Jennings 8, C. English 7  
Rising Star--  
Johnson 14, Hollis 12, Foster, 10, Butcher 7, Morgan 4  
RECORDS - Baird 2-1  
J.V. Score Baird 38, Rising Star 15

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# Good Country Wide Classifieds

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Strawn, Mingus, Gordon, Gorman, Flatwoods

### REAL ESTATE

NEW: Carbon-1997 Clayton 16 x 60, 2-2 bath mfg. home, approx. 3/4 acre. \$25,000.

NEW: Gorman-2 houses/1 lot, 3-1 1/2 brick/frame, 1548', and 1-1 frame 648', several carports & storage buildings, app. 1.1 acres, several large trees, will separate. \$52,900.

17 A W DeLeon, wooded, one small pond, **SOLD** some new fence, nice homesite. \$2750 per acre.

NEW: 17.55 A West DeLeon, FM 587, mfg. home, **SOLD** country water, nice.

30 A m/l Gorman, water well, elec. barn, coastal, old pond, good fences, 100s of small pecan trees. \$2,500 acre.

100 A west DeLeon, 3-1 1/2-2 older brick, 1444', C-H/A, fireplace, some remodeling, 3 ponds, 35 A coastal, 2 steel corrals, 2 wells, shop building. \$295,000.00.

160 A m/l NW east Gorman on FM 2921: 65 a m/l coastal, 75 a m/l wooded, water well, pond, steel corral. Indications show lots deer, turkey and hogs, mineral rights. \$2,900.00 per acre.

240 a west of DeLeon, 120 a fields, 80 a wooded, 40 a coastal, 2 small ponds, water well, in a great hunting area, lots of deer sign, great place! \$2,250.00 acre.

Selling Comanche, Eastland and Brown Counties since 1954 and we WANT to sell yours. We solicit and appreciate your listings.

### MOBILE HOMES

At Eastland Mobile Home Park Mobile Home + RV lots available. Shade trees. 254-653-2415 or 254-631-4830. E99

Taking applications on 2 Bedroom, 1 Bath, CH/A mobile home. No pets. Rental & job reference required. 629-1848. E104

1996 MH 16 x 80 3/2, \$20,000. Well cared for/AC replaced and used 1 year. 940-395-1858 or 254-725-4531. E96

Clearance '06 Models! 3 + 2 D/wide w/ acerage, Rock F.P., corner breakfast room \$0 down, \$650 per mo. FHA, 7%, 360 mos. 817-279-8505 RBI 35823 E96

Extra Large 4 + 2 D/wide w/acerage Has den, & parents retreat, Rock F.P., all new block appliances. \$0 down, FHA, 695 per mo. 7%, 360 mos. 817-279-8505 RBI 35823 E96

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### HOMES FOR SALE

Clean spacious 2 BR, 1 Bath Modern Brick Home. Nice neighborhood. \$42K, 700 W. 3rd Street in Cisco. For more information please call 254-595-0230. E101

FOR SALE: 2 Bdrm, 2 Bath house. Waterfront, Lake Leon. Boat house, dock, Lg. workshop, patio, other amenities. Deeded lot. By appointment only 254-629-8695. E99

FOR SALE: Coach Hood's house in Rising Star 4 BR, 2 Bath, 2 living areas, office space, double wide on 2 lots, carport and storage bldg. 254-776-2416. RS104

### HOMES FOR SALE

For Sale in Ranger Newly remodeled Home C/H/A, BIG Yard VERY Nice! Evenings 254-629-3159 104

### MOBILE HOMES

TRINITY HOMES Over 10 Acres of Homes on Display at Exit 292-B www.TrinityHomeSales.com Abilene, TX RBI 34909 325-672-1490, 1-866-672-1499 104

### HOMES FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Brick, 3 BR, 1 & 3/4 bath, CH/A, Garage, \$650 per month. Brick, 2 BR, 1 bath, CH/A, Garage, \$450 per month. Contact Jamie, Agent at Town & Country Real Estate 629-1725. E104

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Need extra Room? New 2000 sq. foot 5/3 -0% down Land Home financing available 254-647-1950 E104

### APTS FOR RENT

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GHOLSON HOTEL APPTS If you are 55 years of age or older, handicapped or disable, and want a nice quiet place to live, come by the Gholson or call Martha at 254-647-1513. R104

### APTS FOR RENT

COUNTRY VILLA APPTS 1-2 bedrooms, kitchen appliances, Central H/A, W/D, pool. On site security and maintenance. (Behind Pizza Inn) 1099 Lago Vista Blvd, Eastland, Texas. Contact Kim Ramsey, Manager 629-2769. E104

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ROYAL OAKS APARTMENTS Unfurnished 1 and 2 Bedroom; Carpet, Drapes, & Kitchen Appliances Furnished. Water, Trash Pickup & TV Cable Paid. Also Laundry Room at complex. Choice neighborhood. See and compare at 1304 Royal Lane, Cisco, or call 442-3232. Vacancies not always available. C104

### APTS FOR RENT

Now hiring Cashiers/ Cook apply in person at 18 Wheelers 100 E. I-20 in Cisco. E103

### APTS FOR RENT

The Eastland County Dispatch is accepting applications for a full-time public safety dispatcher. Good computer, typing, multi-tasking, and communications skills a must. Job requires working nights and weekends, apply at the Eastland County Auditor's Office. E97

### APTS FOR RENT

POSITION OPEN AT RANGER COLLEGE HEAD MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SOCCER COACH Begin work February 2007. Complete job description is available at the RC Personnel Office. Bachelor's Degree preferred; Salary negotiable; coaching or playing experiences at the college or professional level; related experiences and skills that would benefit a two-year college environment. If interested, send a typed Letter of Interest, resume, Unofficial transcripts to: Ranger College Personnel Office 1100 College Circle Ranger, TX 76470 Applications will be considered until January 3, 2007. RC is an Equal Employment Opportunity Institution and Employer. R96

### APTS FOR RENT

The Eastland County Sheriff Office will be accepting applications for a Deputy Sheriff/Courthouse Security position. This person will be stationed at the Eastland County Courthouse. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Anyone interested can pick up an application at 201 West White Street in Eastland, Texas or by calling 254-629-1774. Qualifications for a person interested in the position are must have a current peace officers license. E97

### APTS FOR RENT

Pyramid HealthCare Wants You! Pyramid HealthCare, a leader in the long-term care industry, is looking for qualified candidates to join our progressive team. Due to a recent increase in admissions Heritage Manor of Gorman Currently has the following positions available: LVN Reller RN CNA's Cook Housekeeping Please apply in person at 600 W. Roosevelt Gorman, TX. Pyramid HealthCare EEOC M/F/D/V E97

### APTS FOR RENT

Go for the Green Win \$1000 Call 254-842-5421 Avon Ind. Sales Rep. E96

### APTS FOR RENT

CASHIER Experienced convenience store Cashier wanted in Putnam, TX. Please call 325-662-3328. E104

### APTS FOR RENT

JOB OPENING for person with Web Press Newspaper Experience to fill second slot with small group in Eastland. All applicants subject to drug and alcohol testing. References required. Apply in person by appointment to 254-

### HELP WANTED

**PICK UP EXTRA CASH FOR THE HOLIDAYS!** Housewives, retirees, work at home, get paid in cash. Contact the Telegram for instructions. Must follow instructions. Come by 215 S. Seaman in Eastland and pick up an application or apply in person. 629-1707. E104

### HELP WANTED

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## Holiday Season Could Ring In 'Heartburn Season'

Making merry is often synonymous with overindulging- whether from holiday feasts or rich desserts or alcoholic beverages- ringing in the holiday season as "heartburn season".

**Heartburn-** generally caused by naturally occurring acids splashing back up from the stomach- is often marked by a characteristic burning sensation that sufferers describe as rolling up into their chest. Fatty foods play a starring role in this process.

"Most of the time heartburn is a nuisance, not a tremendous threat to your health," said Dr. Stuart Spechler, professor of internal medicine in digestive and liver diseases at UT Southwestern Medical Center. "I tell most of my patients that it's going to be a tradeoff- is the food going to taste good enough to suffer through the heartburn?"

"If you know you're going to eat something that ordinarily gives you heartburn, there are medications that you can take before eating that food that might help."

### Prevention now emphasized

For decades, the plop-plop-fizz-fizz approach of antacids taken after people already were experiencing heartburn was the only therapy available. Emphasis has since shifted to prevention.

Those who are planning to indulge in foods likely to cause them heartburn can now take a histamine receptor blocker (H2 blockers), which slow the production of stomach acid and are generally available over the counter.

"Most people suffering from heartburn get it every now and then. Those are the people who really benefit from this on-demand therapy," said Dr. Spechler. "If you're going to eat something you know is going to give you heartburn, you can take one of those pills a half hour before your meal, and you may be able to prevent the heartburn."

The most powerful type of medicines, and the ones more suited for people who have ongoing heartburn, are called proton-pump inhibitors. There is only one brand of proton pump inhibitor, Prilosec, available over-the-counter.

"They're very powerful at stopping the stomach from making acid, but it takes a number of hours or even days for them to reach their full effect. So if you want to eat a pizza in the next half hour, it's not going to stop the acid that you're going to make in that time," Dr. Spechler said.

Antacids can help if foods consumed generate heartburn. Antacids act like a sponge to soak up the excess stomach acid, but they do nothing to prevent the stomach from creating more acid. So it may help to take some antacid tablets to soak up acid currently being produced and take an H2 receptor blocker to slow the stomach from producing further acid.

### What is heartburn?

Heartburn is caused most often by the reflux or backwash of acid from the stomach up into the esophagus,

which is the long tube that carries food from the throat to the stomach. A valve at the end of the esophagus is supposed to function as a one-way release, relaxing to allow food into the stomach and closing back up so food and acid in the stomach stay there while the food is digested. If there is a leaky valve, gastroesophageal reflux disease, or GERD, may result. The primary symptom is heartburn.

"As a general rule of thumb anything that tastes really

good is likely to give you heartburn," Dr. Spechler said. "And the reason is the fat content. Fat does a lot of things that promote heartburn. It stops the stomach from emptying well, so now you have more material in the stomach that's ready to reflux. It also further weakens that leaky valve."

### Food myths

Eating or drinking certain types of food, such as milk, in an attempt to reduce stomach acid generally doesn't work, said Dr. Spechler, who is a member of the American Gastroenterological Association's Committee on GI Research.

"We used to use milk as an antacid, but it's really a very poor antacid," he said. "Most of the foods that we eat buffer acid, but they also stimulate the stomach to produce acid later. That's why we don't recommend them as a specific treatment."

Avoiding foods that historically cause heartburn is the better strategy.

"As a group, anything fatty and anything chocolate is likely to be causing a problem," he said.

### When to see a doctor

Unfortunately, there's no simple answer to when heartburn sensations should prompt a visit to the doctor.

Occasional heartburn usually doesn't signal a more complex problem, such as Barrett's esophagus or esophageal cancer. "But if you're taking medications daily, I think you should be concerned about it," Dr. Spechler said.

There are some warning

symptoms that, if associated with chronic heartburn, may be signs of more serious problems. Questions to ask yourself:

- Are you having difficulty swallowing?
- Are you losing weight?
- Does it hurt when you swallow?
- Do you have fevers?
- Do you have signs of bleeding? (Passing black stools is a sign there might be bleeding from the esophagus into the stomach.)

"If you have heartburn associated with those warning symptoms you really should get in to see your doctor as soon as you can," he said.


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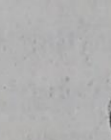


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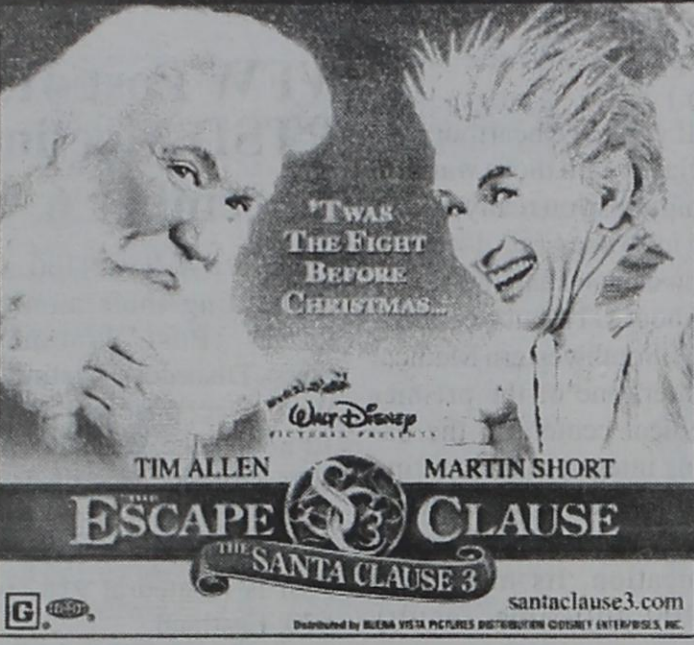
By Vonnie Guthery

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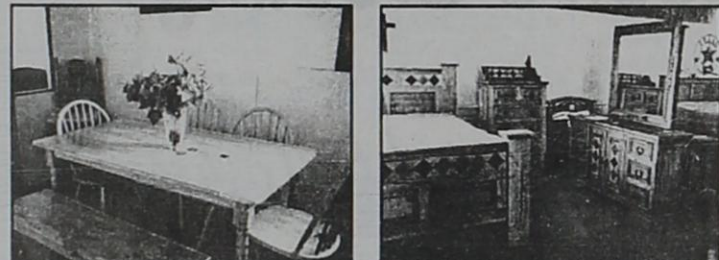
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Colin and Kaley Garcia spent the holiday weekend in Whitney with George and Christal Garcia and Gavin.

Visitors for Thanksgiving weekend with Bernard and Ann Keith were De and Vicki Robinette of DeLeon, Bill and Tami Sanders and daughter, Robyn of Converse, Derek Robinette and Robert Shuster of San Antonio, Billy and Nikki Febinger and children, Christopher, Allison and Erin of Cleburne.

John and Karen Fair and Lorin hosted Thanksgiving Dinner for the family. Those

Dorothy Roberts spent Thanksgiving Day in Granbury with her granddaughter, Mark and Emily Williams and daughter, Kena. Other visitors in the home for dinner were Shelly Horan and son, Sam of Granbury, Jeff Roberts and Henry Rivas of Dallas, Richard and Ulenda Cofsky and all of her family of Fort Worth.

Desdemona Community Center is selling a colorful "throw" for their project. This throw has pictures on it of Boom Days, Magnolia Ball Tanks, old Tabernacle, all three

## Community Christmas Celebration In Brownwood December 10

A "Community Christmas Celebration" will be held Sunday, December 10th at Abundant Life Church in Brownwood. The guest for the celebration will be four time Grammy award winners, "The Imperials." The Christmas tour makes its way through Brownwood on December 10th and culminates with performances at New York City's Carnegie Hall and the White House lawn at the National Christmas Tree. The Community Christmas Celebration will be held Sunday with an afternoon matinee at 4:00 p.m. and an evening finale at 7:30 p.m. The Abundant Life Church auditorium will be converted into a "winter wonderland" featuring many favorite Christmas carols for the entire family. The program will also include some humorous skits and a portion for the children to sing along with "The Imperials."

Admission is free. A love offering will be received to help with expenses. A nursery will be provided for infants. For more information call 325-643-4738 or visit abundantlifebrownwood.com.

Robert and Ima Brown spent Thanksgiving day in Fort Worth visiting with their son, Robert Alton and Jana Brown and children, Preston and Julie.

Jeff Roberts of Dallas and Dorothy Roberts visited Friday thru Monday in Corpus Christi with Kathleen Williams and daughter, Angela.

"Wall of Memories" is located in the entrance hall of the Desdemona School Building. The first wall of memorial bricks has been completed - another wall will be complete real soon. Family and friends are ordering bricks with names of loved ones, classmates etc. If you would like to purchase a brick (cost \$25.00 each)-contact Gay Moore 254-758-2240 or Vonnie Guthery 254-758-2665.

Thought for today- "The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams!"

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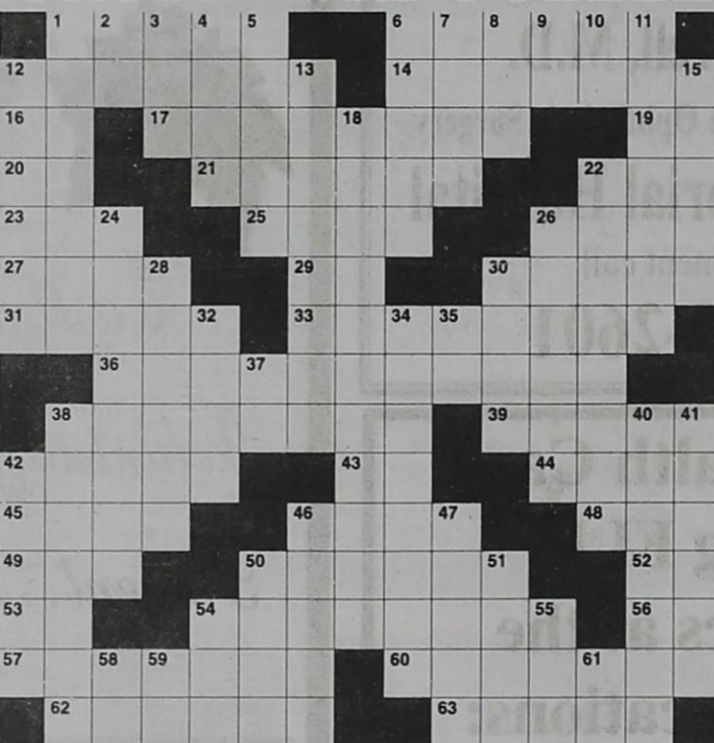
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- Article
- Old age mental infirmity
- Didymium
- Connecticut
- Containing salt
- Marry
- Expresses surprise
- Beaks
- Chinese dynasty
- Employee stock ownership plan
- Chemical Engineer (abbr.)
- Subject of Rowan Williams' book
- Starlings
- Adorn
- Placement
- Streetcars
- Part
- Heavily wooded area
- College degree (abbr.)
- Snake-like fish (pl.)
- Rabbit
- Sicilian city
- A way to drain
- Glacial
- Metal \_\_\_ light bulbs
- E
- Antigen
- Blaming
- Exist
- N. American diving duck
- In a way, sang in the Alps
- Tension
- About the sun

### CLUES DOWN

- Imagination unrestricted by reality
- Rural delivery
- Many subconsciouses
- Brews
- Ernest \_\_\_, French historian
- Whirls
- Tardy
- Town in Cambridgeshire
- Farm state
- Gadolinium
- Place of concealment
- CSD in Holbrook, NY
- Polymer
- A nest or breeding place
- Philadelphia icon
- Neighs
- Conferring distinction
- French dialect spoken in So. Louisiana
- Conditional release of a prisoner
- Friends (French)
- Herrings canned as sardines
- Being rhinal
- Indicates position
- Overhead railway
- Imparts knowledge
- An awkward climb
- Caught sight of
- Fan sound
- Showy ornaments
- Word of farewell (Sp.)
- Type of avocado
- \_\_\_rhin: natural analgesic protein
- An interest in land capable of being inherited
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Pictured are Susan Swindle Schaefer and Carman. Photo by Ruth Schaefer Stewart

## Carman Comes To Carbon

by Ruth Schaefer Stewart  
Who would have imagined that internationally known Contemporary Gospel singer Carman would ever appear in Carbon. At his concert at the Community Baptist Church in Carbon on Saturday, November 25<sup>th</sup> Carman said, I don't think I have ever been to Carbon. He asked if it were pronounced Carbon (with the emphasis on Car) or Carbon (with the emphasis on bon like a French accent).

Although the concert started at 7:00 p.m. Carman Fans arrived for the Concert early. Several were already there at 5:30p.m. Several fans started purchasing items, such as C.D. s, T-shirts, and DVD s before the concert began. Seats were placed on the floor of the old Carbon School gym and they filled up quickly when the doors opened. Fans filled out cards to be placed in a drawing. Excitement mounted as one of the staff members had the audience to play some competitive games. Then finally Carman came in and started to sing some audience participation songs such as I love Jesus, How about you?

Anthem. Take me out the ball game. M-I-C-K-E-Y M-O-U-S-E and others.

Carman narrated a video showing the history of his twenty-five year ministry and shared his dream going to local churches to strengthen them. He also announced his newly re-vamped website [www.carman.org](http://www.carman.org) which has many features such as music to download and personal coaching by Carman to develop a music ministry.

Finally the time came to announce the winner of the drawing for the framed gold record, a gift ordinarily reserved for those who donated \$1000. Carman said that half of that amount would stay with the host church for the concert.

The highly favored winner for the drawing was none other than Susan Swindle Schaefer, wife local pastor Phillip Schaefer of Cross Plains. When asked what she would do with the beautifully framed gold record, she said, I'll hang it in my office. Susan works as a CPA in her office in Cross Plains.

After the delightful concert several fans waited for Carman to appear again

so that he could autograph items. Several were also fortunate enough to have Carman to pose with them for a picture.

Someone asked local pastor Jody Forbus, How did you get Carman to come to Carbon? He said, I don't know. We just asked. It almost seemed to illustrate the Biblical principle, Ask and ye shall receive.

## Writers Club To Meet December 5

The Cisco Writers Club will hold a meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 5 in the Community Room, American State Bank in Cisco. Pete Robertson will be in charge of the program. Visitors are welcome to attend this informative meeting.

## Fund Set For Tim Huckaby

Tim Huckaby of Eastland needs a kidney and pancreas transplant. A fund has been set up for donations at First Financial Bank in Eastland.

## Eastland Civic League Christmas Schedule Begins November 30th

Please join us on Thursday, November 30th at the Majestic Theatre for a Christmas Musical Show to kick off this wonderful Holiday Season! The show begins at 6 p.m. The stage will be decorated with beautiful poinsettias from Jodi's Floral of Eastland. Enjoy the singing by the Siebert Singers and music from the First Baptist Church Hand Bell Choir.

At 6:30 p.m. everyone is invited to the Eastland Courthouse for the traditional Tree Lighting ceremonies. We will be honored by State and Local dignitaries who will conduct the opening ceremonies and tree lighting. Santa and Mrs. Claus are planning to attend; so kids be on your best behavior between now and the big day- December 25th. We look forward to treating you to a picture with

Santa! Christmas Carols will be sung by the Dickens Carolers. Enjoy seeing the Victorian ladies strolling on the square. They are sponsored by Somewhere In Tyme located on the Eastland square.

Our Festive Tour of Homes will be on December 7th. We will meet at 5 p.m. at the Eastland Historical Hotel (formerly the Eastland Bed and Breakfast) on Lamar Street next to the Majestic Theatre. There will be a \$5.00 fee per person for this event. Please join us for refreshments and fun. Tour four gorgeous homes in Eastland County. Amber's Simple Pleasures of Eastland and Jodi's Floral have assisted in the decorating.

On December 20th we will offer our annual Gift Wrapping services. Bring your gifts from 11:30-5:30 to the Women's Building located at 105 West Plummer in Eastland. The ladies do an excellent job wrapping your gifts. You will be proud to place them under your Christmas tree.

Plan to join us and make this Christmas celebration the best one ever! Happy Holidays from the Eastland Civic League and Garden Club!

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### An Important Letter To Seniors And Other Medicare Eligible Persons

By Nina Jo Anderson, CFP

I am a certified financial planner, and have been working in the financial services industry for about 20 years. After retiring from my Investment Advisory business several years ago I began focusing on senior products such as Long Term Care and Medicare Plans. I have had many requests for help in understanding the often confusing options for Medicare Part D plans (PDP or Prescription Drug Plans). When the PDP plans were first offered in 2004, I extensively researched many of the plans being offered. There was one company's plan, which, to me, seemed head and shoulders above the rest. The formulary (list of covered drugs) seemed much more comprehensive than the others, and I found no better premium with any other company. Subsequently I enrolled in what I considered to be the very

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## Think On This

By Wanda Lee Beck Skinner

I want to share some things I have learned from the book, "How to Listen to God" by Charles Stanley. Chapter six deals with "Are You Listening?" Have you heard the Lord speak lately? Samuel did but he thought it was Eli. When he realized it was the Lord his answer was "Speak, for your servant hears."

Listen expectantly for God to speak for God is reliable.

### Sudoku Answers

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8	4	2	1	7	6	5	3	9
7	6	5	2	3	9	4	1	8
3	1	9	5	8	4	7	6	2

speaking for He has time to hear your prayers and wants to answer you.

Listen patiently for God to speak for His patience with us is beyond measure.

Listen actively to hear God speak for His is still active in the word. He is with us and gave the Scripture to impart wisdom.

Listen confidently for God supplies the things we need in our walk with Him.

Listen depending on God who sends the Holy Spirit to help us in every situation.

Prayer is the Holy Spirit in us bearing witness to our spirit straight from God.

Listen openly for God to speak, be willing to hear and obey for Jesus was willing to die for you. Think about the ways God speaks to His people through the Bible, the Holy Spirit, other people and through circumstances.

## CJC Holiday Extravaganza December 8

The Cisco Junior College Wrangler Band, under the direction of Manuel Martinez, will proudly present a holiday concert on Friday, December 8 at 7:00 p.m. The Holiday Extravaganza will be held in the Harrell Fine Arts Auditorium on the Cisco campus and will feature the Jazz Band as well as the Chamber Ensemble and Concert Band. Admission is free, and refreshments will be served following the performance. Everyone is invited to join the CJC band for this night of traditional holiday music and celebration.

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507 W. 7th, Cisco - renovation started, needs finishing, 3 BR, 2 bath, 2 carports, storage shed, 2 lots \$20,000.  
28.177 ac old building, access to electricity and water; one stock tank, no minerals on Hwy. 6 N. of Cisco to right of Country Club Rd., sign on property, \$70,442 firm.  
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Applications for the Region 14 Education Service Center's 2007-08 Alternative Certification Program for Math and Science teachers will be accepted until **February 16, 2007**. The program allows college graduates wanting to be Math and/or Science teachers to earn certification as they train and teach full-time, serving as interns with mentor teachers in area school districts.

Participants complete training in the spring and summer prior to entering the classroom. During the internship year, training is continued:

Applicants are selected from those meeting the following admission requirement:

Received bachelor's degree from an accredited institution of higher education.

For additional admission requirements, contact Region 14 E.S.C. Alternative Certification Program.

The teaching certificate enables recipients to teach anywhere in Texas. Reciprocity is available in some other states.

For information on Region 14's Math and/or Science or EC-12 Special Education programs Contact:

J. Stevens-(325) 675-8603  
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## Baird Depot Second Phase Underway

submitted by Betty Henson, Baird Foundation President

The Baird Foundation, sponsor of the 1911 T&P Railroad Depot Center and Transportation Museum project, is excited to announce that another Major milestone of the Project has been reached.

The Fain Group of Ft. Worth has been selected as general contractor for the restoration of the Depot and all the groundwork has been laid for the construction phase to begin. Larry Grazier, president of the Fain Group, presented his work plan and schedule to the Baird Foundation and Callahan County representatives in a meeting held November 8th. Work is to begin November 20th and expected to be completed in 240 days.

## Baird P.T.O. Fundraiser

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There is even a way for on-line shopping aficionados to help out when they shop at any of the following stores: Avon, Barnes & Noble.com, Best Buy.com, Blair, Cabela's, Discovery Channel Store, Expedia.com, JC Penney, KB Toys, Kohl's, Land's End, Nordstrom, Office Depot, Office Max.com, Oriental Trading, Pottery Barn, Sears, Target, Terry's Village, and Wal-Mart.

be reunited in heaven.

Granny - Billie, as she was affectionately called by her grandchildren, loved them all so very much, as they also loved and adored her.

Mom was blessed so much to have a wonderful daughter-in-law, Flora, whom she loved very much. Her son-in-law Bill was her caregiver this

The initial order of work will be the asbestos abatement and clearance. Once that has been completed a ground-breaking ceremony will be held. A firm date and time will be announced but it will likely be mid-January.

Baird Foundation wishes to thank those who have supported our efforts to bring this project to fruition. We remain committed to helping our community grow and prosper.

## from Pg. One... Custom Map Orders Available

offering to design maps for landowners, hunters, and interested individuals. The plotter will produce up to 36" maps in color or black/white. The cost will depend on the size and design of each individual map.

For more information on how to purchase a land map contact the Natural Resource Conservation office located at 141 W. 4th St. Baird, TX or Call (325) 854-1349, EXT 3. Order forms and information may also be obtained at the Albany NRCS at 325-762-2552, EXT. 3.

past year and there was much love between them both. Danny and Fran want to thank their spouses for their love for their mom.

## Callahan County (Baird) Star Classifieds

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**HELP WANTED:** Experienced, mature woman for home cleaning; Rainbow vacuum cleaning system knowledge helpful. Needed every other week for multiple in-home tasks. Good references required. Please call 254-629-2413 after 6 p.m. to set interview.

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## Stay informed, Read the Star Flooring for Sale From Old Gym

Baird Independent School District is in the process of refurbishing the old gymnasium. One of the main objectives is to replace the wooden floor because it is not level. The hardwood floor has been removed in sections of about 30 square feet. These sections

are for sale to the public for \$1 per square foot. Proceeds from the sales of flooring will help defray the cost of updating the gym.

If interested in owning a piece of history you may call Scott Cooper at 854-1400 extension, 320.

## Obituaries

### Billie Joe McCright

CLYDE-BILLIE JO McCright, 80, of Odessa and formerly of Clyde died Wednesday, November 15, 2006 at an Odessa hospital.

Services were at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, November 18, 2006 at the Clyde Church of Christ with Jim Hall officiating. Burial followed in the Elmwood Memorial Funeral Home. Visitation was from 6:7:30 on Friday, Nov. 17, 2006 at the Funeral Home.

Mrs. McCright was born January 17, 1926 in Brown County to Homer Wilkins and Beulah Smith Wilkins. She grew up and attended school in Roby. She was married on August 29, 1941 in Claremont, Texas. They moved to Clyde from Austin, in 1992. Mrs. McCright moved to Odessa January 15, 2006 to be near her daughter. She was a homemaker and a member of the Eisenhower Church of Christ in Odessa.

Survivors include her son, Danny McCright and wife Flora of Ft. Worth, her daughter, Frances Arbuckle and husband Bill of Odessa, three sisters, Nadine Taylor Youngblood and husband John of Enid, OK, Roberta Warford of Clyde and Faye June Hill of Vera; two brothers-in-law, Tom Knight of New Braunfels and Jim

McCright and wife Amaleeta of Rotan; five grandchildren, James Arbuckle and wife Melinda of Little Rock, Arkansas, Donny Arbuckle and wife Gale of Bedford, Gayla Arbuckle and friend Gary Geneva of Odessa and Amber McCright and Erin McCright, both of Ft. Worth; nine great-grandchildren, Micahel Arbuckle and wife, Jennifer of Odessa, James Arbuckle, Jr., Kathryn Arbuckle, Charles Scott Arbuckle of Austin and Alex Arbuckle and Stephanie Arbuckle, both of Keller; two great-great-grandchildren, Cody Arbuckle and Zachary Arbuckle and one due in April, Christopher Allen Arbuckle.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, one son, Ronald Dean McCright, one brother, Stanley Wilkins, three sisters, Eilene Knight, Bonnie Summers and Darcell Stames.

Mom was the sweetest, caring and loving mom in the world. She was loved by all who knew her.

As a strong Christian lady, she lived by the Word of God. She would want all to live their lives according to God's Word, so we can all

## Announcement

**Brownwood Christmas Festivities...Retail Displays at Lyric Theater. Many shops under one**

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We are sorry to announce that we will not be selling the hardwood trees or the wildlife packets this year due to

the Relocation on the Texas Forest Service Nursery.

Tree orders will be taken until January 26th, 2007 or until supplies run out. Whichever comes first. The trees will be delivered to Baird on Saturday February 17th, 2007, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and Noon. All Orders are pre-paid with a check or money order. These trees are delivered fresh from the Texas Forest Service Nursery on that date.

For more information on planning, planting and maintenance of windbreak trees or how to purchase these low cost seedlings contact the Natural Resources.

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61 Acres mostly wooded with live oak, pond, one 5-acre field, excellent home site or recreation property. **SOLD** deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail. \$1,500 per acre.

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120 Acres mostly wooded with mesquite and oaks, 2 ponds, creek, hill, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, duck, quail. \$1,195 per acre.

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130 Acres mostly wooded with mesquite and oaks, pond, hill, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail. \$1,495 per acre.

151 Acres 75% open in fields with coastal and other grasses, 25% wooded with oak trees, 3 ponds, etc. **SOLD** includes deer, turkey, dove, quail. \$196,490.

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250 Acres mostly wooded with mesquite and oaks, pond, creek, 2 hills, deer, turkey, hogs, dove, quail. \$373,750.

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3 BR, 2 bath brick veneer home with CHIA, large rooms, office, many nice cabinets, WBFP, triple **SOLD** trees, just outside Cisco city limits.

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