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ARB reduces appraised value of IMAC plant

by Janet Felderhoff

Five taxing entities in Cooke County received an unexpected surprise when the Cooke County Appraisal Review Board (ARB) lowered the appraised value on a piece of property in Muenster by \$727,049 after the certification of the tax rolls. The entities are Muenster ISD, Muenster Hospital District, City of Muenster, Muenster Water District, and North Central Texas College (NCTC).

According to Doug Smithson, chief appraiser for the Cooke County Appraisal District (CAD), this will mean a \$597 levy loss (based on a rate of \$1.32) for Muenster ISD. Smithson notified the CAD board of directors of this occurrence at their Aug. 16 meeting. He noted that he, and others, felt the value placed on this property had been significantly reduced far below its market value. It will be discussed at the CCAD board's regular September 9 meeting.

The original value of the IMAC properties, formerly the AMPI cheese plant in Muenster, was \$933,529. After

the ARB hearing on August 16, the value was set at \$206,480. ARB members deciding the change were Angelo Nasche, Bill Dearing, Bob Henderson, Kevin Sandmann, and Brenda Mobley. The first three voted for the reduction and Sandmann and Mobley were against it.

An article in the June 26, 1998 *Muenster Enterprise* featured the purchase of the former AMPI plant by International Media and Cultures, Inc. (IMAC). Ed Price, plant manager of the IMAC facility in Orchard, Nebraska, had been interviewed by telephone. He said that they weren't yet certain what would be processed in the Muenster plant. According to him, the first choice was to dry soy which is used in a number of applications. Soy or a blend of soy and other products might be used in health foods or milk replacers. The second choice according to Price was an anti-caking agent for cheese products. A dry powder of rice and corn is used in this product. One reason stated for

buying a plant in Texas was that it would be more centrally located to rice.

Pleading the case for IMAC was Steve Dunson, a tax rep from Property Tax Consultants of Dallas. Defending the CCAD decision was Norvell West. This hearing was for the land and improvements only. Personal property was on another roll.

Dunson gave a brief history of the facility. Dairy Farmers of America (DFA) closed the Muenster facility and set up an auction sale for June 1998. The assets were auctioned to various individuals. IMAC is a company headquartered in Denver that Dunson said produces cultures to put on

cheese for the aging process. IMAC negotiated a sale prior to the auction. They agreed to buy the building, 14 acres of land, and certain contents that they deemed necessary for the business they planned to set up. A total of \$800,000 was agreed on. That was \$300,000 for the land and buildings and \$500,000 for the equipment.

Dunson said that someone from the IMAC plant in Tulsa said more of the equipment was needed to run the plant and another \$128,188 was spent on equipment. That made the total paid for equipment \$628,188.

It took some time after the auction for all of the equipment not purchased by

IMAC and sold during the auction to individuals to be taken out. The sale of the real estate was closed in September. That same day IMAC sold to 3.34 acres to Dr. Margie York for \$93,520 or \$28,000 an acre. There were no buildings on that acreage.

Dunson claimed that during the auction much of the equipment required to operate the cheese culture growing plant was sold making the building useless. "My impression was that they didn't know what they were buying," said Dunson. "Now it's totally useless to him (Dr. Reddy)." He added that there was one employee - a maintenance man who mows

and chases rats.

Nasche remarked that it was sad when corporations get involved with things in small towns.

"I don't know why he bought this facility, to tell you the truth," continued Dunson.

Nasche asked what the owner thought the appraised value of the land should be. Dunson gave a figure of \$206,480 which is what ARB eventually approved.

West said that there were 11.15 acres shown on the tax roll, but actually it is 11.94 which IMAC admits. Since \$28,000 per acre was paid for the acreage sold, West said that he thought the remaining IMAC acreage should also be valued at \$28,000 per acre. He added that there were 65,075 square feet of buildings which is valued at \$15 a square foot. That added to the value of the land makes the property worth a market value of approximately 1.3 million dollars. He stated that that is what the property should have been valued at before things were dismantled and sold off.

Nasche said he didn't believe that the land was worth \$28,000 an acre. He said that you have land that includes the buildings and the land that was sold off didn't include buildings. "You can't go inside the other acreage, saw the building in two and sell any more of it," Nasche said. "They bought the prime excess land that didn't have the buildings with it. You can't say the prime land that doesn't have any of the buildings and equipment on it is going to be the same value as the abandoned land sitting there where they're catching rats out of and waiting for somebody to do something with it."

West also said that he had a problem taking the numbers from the sales contract because they could have been

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Sacred Heart Trust Fund dinner scheduled

The Annual Dinner of the Sacred Heart Teachers' Stentation Fund on Sunday, September 12 at the Sacred Heart Community Center has signs on being more than a cashing of numbers and fund balances. The guests at this dinner meal will have a chance to relax and visit with each other over refreshments when the doors open at 11:30 a.m. The meal will be served by the Sacred Heart Student Council.

Peter Wall from Smith Barney will give a brief overview of the fund balances at the end of the fiscal year along with the present balances, and will then introduce John K. Quinlan, who is a Senior Portfolio Manager and Senior Vice President of Smith Barney, Inc. Quinlan has been in the financial services industry since 1973 and joined the predecessor firm of Smith Barney in 1988. His work as a portfolio manager has brought him to handle a portion of the assets held by the Trust Fund. Quinlan should share his views concerning successful investing.

Mr. Quinlan's approach to investing is quite literally "global" in nature. He believes that major U.S. companies with foreign exposure and brand name recognition are excellent for earnings growth throughout the rest of this decade and beyond.

By considering the big

picture of stocks not only in the United States but all over the world, he has formulated an investment strategy that he feels will expand each client's capital.

The afternoon's program will be rounded off with having Mary Ellen Callahan share with the audience a brief



John K. Quinlan

reflection on the importance of a Catholic education for her family. Mary and her husband, Kip Callahan have moved to Muenster, and their daughter, Mary Jane Callahan is presently a freshman at Sacred Heart High School. The Callahans' story of how they came to Sacred Heart School and what their hopes and dreams are for the future should be a treat for all.

The tickets of \$25.00 per plate can be purchased at the door. For reservations and other questions, please call 759-2511, ext. 24.



Muenster quarterback Casey Walterscheid dodges a downed Nocona Indian to take the Hornets first offensive play of the season 76 yards for a Muenster touchdown. The Hornets won their opener last Friday 17-0. This week both local schools play at home, Muenster hosting Paradise and Sacred Heart Saint Jo. Action starts at 7:30 p.m.

Photo by Janie Hartman

Local United Way aims high with \$302,000 goal

Cooke County United Way officially kicks off the start of the 2000 campaign with its annual Pacesetter Kickoff Luncheon today, Friday, Sept. 10, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Gainesville Civic Center. The goal of \$302,000 is the first time in the history that the local United Way has set a goal over \$300,000.

Build a Caring Community is the theme of this year's campaign and was chosen by Campaign Chairman Mike Land. In selecting this theme Land states, "Evidence of a caring Cooke County is throughout our communities. Many projects that include downtown developments,

playgrounds, neighborhood cleanups, work with the youth, food drives, and just plain helping our neighbors could not be achieved without volunteerism in Cooke County."

The campaign begins every year with the Pacesetter Campaign in July. For the past six weeks, volunteers agency representatives, and United Way staff have been busily working with campaign coordinators of 10 organizations in the Cooke county area. The Pacesetter this year are Alan Richey, Inc., City of Gainesville employees, CSR Poly Pipe, Gainesville Independent School District,

Memorial Hospital, Guaranty National Bank, North Texas Central Texas College, Petroflex, Saturn Housing, and Wal-Mart. The goal of the Pacesetter is to start their campaign early and set the pace for the entire community. The results of their campaigns will be given at the Kickoff Luncheon in the form of humorous skits, song and dancing, and presentations. The tickets for this year's Kickoff are \$6.00 and can be reserved by calling the United Way office at 665-1793.

The 15 agencies funded by the Cooke County United Way are American Red Cross, Boys

Baseball of Cooke County, Boy Scouts of America, Community Service Advisor, Cooke County Child Welfare, Cooke County Youth Center, Cooke County Youth Fair, Friends of the Family, Home Hospice of Cooke County, Muenster Youth Council, North Texas Taping and Radio for the Blind, Special Olympics, Southwestern Diabetic Foundation, Texoma Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, and VISTO.

For more information on how you can help your community through Cooke County United Way, call Karen Graham, executive director, at 665-1793.

Cooke County earns safety award for 1998

Cooke County has been awarded a 1998 Safety Award by the Texas Association of Counties (TAC) which administers a Workers' Compensation self-insurance pool for counties and other local governments.

The award was presented to Cooke County on August 31 in the Regional Loss Control Workshop by TAC Safety Specialist, Rod Gibbs. The award was earned for their record of involvement and

commitment to safety in the workplace, as well as for controlling their Workers' Compensation claims.

This honor means that Cooke County, which participates in the counties' pool through TAC, is obtaining substantial savings for their taxpayers as a result of their TAC Workers' Comp coverage. Premiums are reduced for public entities that have lowered their claims rates and participate in other coverages through the self-

insurance pools administered by TAC.

To qualify for this honor, the entity must have a safety program rated in the top 15 percent of approximately 310 governmental entities that collectively self-insure their Workers' Compensation in this pool. Only 32 of these entities were honored this year.

These programs are evaluated by the Texas Association of Counties Safety Specialists who work with each pool member to develop loss control and safety programs. In the evaluation of the program, the following criteria are considered:

- Safety program elements in place;
- Activity and success of program in the 1998 calendar year;
- Support for the program by the upper management, governing board or commission that directs the operations of the entity;
- Recent loss history; and
- Improvement in the safety program since 1997.

The TAC Safety Awards are presented annually.

Lisa Miller joins George O'Grady Agency

The George O'Grady Agency of the Farmers Insurance Group of Companies has announced the addition of Lisa Miller to their sales staff in Muenster. She began working with Farmers Insurance about seven months ago. They sell auto, home, life, and commercial insurance and are located in the Hillcrest Center next to Encore Video. Business hours at Farmers Insurance are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Lisa, the daughter of Glenda and Bryan Russell, was born and raised in Muenster and is a 1993 graduate of Muenster High School. She has attended NCTC, UNT, and Midwestern State University. Before coming to Farmers, she was employed part-time at another insurance office which sparked her interest in this area. She has also been employed as a secretary in a medical clinic which also contributed to her knowledge of insurance.

Lisa and her husband,



Lisa Miller

Randy, are the parents of three children, Kailob, Taylor, and Garrett. She describes her family as an outdoor family. "We enjoy sports, hunting, and nature." All three children like to fish and help Dad with the garden. Lisa enjoys jogging

and, as a lifetime member of the Catholic church, many of their activities center around CCD and school activities.

While studying to pass exams required by the State of Texas to be a licensed agent, Lisa has been assisting customers with policy changes and serving as office manager. She recently passed her exams with the examiner commenting that her scores were the highest she had encountered. Being a licensed agent, she is required to have 30 hours of continuing education classes every two years in order to renew her license. Lisa feels a big part of her job is to review customers' files to make sure that they have the proper coverages. "People's lives change over the years. What was adequate coverage five years ago may not be enough today. I treat customers as if they were part of my family and I feel good knowing my family is protected."

Community Wide GARAGE SALE

Saturday
Sept. 11, 8-5

Maps available at Hwy 82 businesses in Muenster

Senator Haywood earns "perfect" tort reform voting record

A bi-partisan statewide group of civil justice reformers, Texans For Lawsuit Reform (TLR), recently praised State Senator Tom Haywood (R-Wichita Falls) for earning a "perfect" tort reform voting record during the 76th Session of the Texas Legislature. The group singled out Haywood for special recognition.

"Senator Haywood is what we call a 'one hundred percent.' Every time an important civil justice reform issue came up on the floor of the Texas Senate, he stood up for the conscientious citizens of Senate District 30 and voted to eliminate abuses in our legal system," said Dick Weekley, TLR President.

Texans For Lawsuit Reform is a statewide bipartisan coalition comprised of thousands of citizen volunteers. The organization has approximately 5,000 members in over 180 Texas cities, including Wichita Falls. TLR's broad-based membership consists of members from over 300 diverse occupations and businesses, ranging from accountants to zinc recyclers. Local TLR Board member and Wichita Falls physician Dr. Samuel Waters also thanked Sen. Haywood for his outstanding voting record and his legislative accomplishments. "We are grateful for Tom's fine work on behalf of the residents of District 30 and appreciate his commitment to ensuring that Texas has a business climate second to none," Waters added.

NCTC will celebrate birthday

Continuous entertainment, featuring both local talent and professional performers, will highlight the September 18 birthday party festivities at North Central Texas College.

Vocalists, dance teams, various bands, martial art students, drill teams, and a pianist are scheduled to take the stage during the day-long extravaganza, said NCTC Dean of Institutional Advancement Debbie Pounds.

The crowd will be delighted by the musical sounds of the Vintage County Band as they dine on a free barbecue dinner - served from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., or until the supply is gone.

Weather permitting, NCTC officials are anticipating the display of a 30-minute long fireworks show to cap the evening.

Other activities on-going during the 75th Birthday Party include an antique car show, a mini college, arts and crafts exhibits, historical displays, free "Adventure Fun" rides for the kids, a petting zoo, athletic demonstrations and competitions and a vintage fashion show.

NOTICE

Muenster ISD is soliciting community members for participation on the High School/Middle School Campus Site-Based Planning Team. The next meeting will be Monday, Sept. 13 at 7:00 p.m. in the MHS auditorium. Please call James Hopper at (940)759-2281.



Nine cases of brisket or 650 pounds of meat will be available this Saturday evening at the annual Myra Volunteer Fire Department Barbecue Cook-out. Preparing the brisket were from left, Susie Arnold, Tim Hartman, James Whitt, Bill Arnold, and Leonard Hartman. Supper begins at 5:00 p.m. at the Myra Park. Photo by Janie Hartman

PUBLIC NOTICE BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS Special Election NOVEMBER 2, 1999

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 44 - HJR 44 proposes a constitutional amendment that would ensure a clear succession in event of vacancies in the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor. Specifically, the amendment would provide that if after qualifying for the office, the Governor is temporarily unable to serve, the Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until the Governor is able to serve; but if the Governor is permanently unable to serve, the Lieutenant Governor shall become the Governor for the remainder of the unexpired term. The amendment would require a Lieutenant Governor who becomes Governor to forfeit the office of Lieutenant Governor. The amendment would also provide similar succession procedures when a vacancy occurs in the office of Governor before the newly elected Governor qualifies for office, and when the newly elected Governor is temporarily unable to take office. The amendment also would provide that if there is a temporary vacancy in the office of Lieutenant Governor, the President pro tempore of the Senate will fill the position; but if there is a permanent vacancy in the office of Lieutenant Governor, the President pro tempore of the Senate shall serve as Lieutenant Governor only until such time as the whole senate can convene to elect one of its members to perform the duties of Lieutenant Governor. Finally, the amendment would provide that if the Lieutenant Governor, while temporarily exercising the powers of the Governor, becomes temporarily disabled or unable to serve, the President pro tempore of the senate shall exercise the powers and authority of the office of the Governor until such time as the Governor or Lieutenant Governor resumes those powers and duties.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to revise the provisions for the filling of a vacancy in the office of governor or lieutenant governor."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

SJR 12 - SJR 12 proposes a constitutional amendment that would resolve conflicts between the Texas Constitution and federal law relating to the definition, rules, and procedures of reverse mortgages. The amendment would define "reverse mortgage" in part as an extension of credit made against the homestead of a person who is 62 years or older, or whose spouse is 62 years or older. It would expand the list of circumstances under which payment of principal and interest become due and the procedures involved in foreclosure, and would require certain advances to be made according to specific terms in loan documents, including advances by the lender, on behalf of the borrower for payments necessary to protect the lender's interest. Finally, the amendment would require the Texas Supreme Court to promulgate rules of civil procedure expediting court-ordered foreclosures of reverse mortgage liens.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment relating to the making of advances under a reverse mortgage and payment of a reverse mortgage."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 62 - HJR 62 proposes a constitutional

amendment that would simplify and clarify the language of the Texas Constitution. The amendment would make no substantive changes, but would eliminate duplicative, expired, out-of-date, and ineffective terms.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to eliminate duplicative, executed, obsolete, archaic, and ineffective provisions of the Texas Constitution."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 4 - HJR 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would broaden the definition of charitable organizations. The amendment would exempt from ad valorem taxation the property of any organization engaged primarily in public charitable functions, and it would allow such an organization to conduct additional activities to support its charitable functions.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to exempt property owned by institutions engaged primarily in public charitable functions from ad valorem taxation."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

SJR 26 - SJR 26 proposes an amendment that would remove the restriction prohibiting state employees who receive all or part of their compensation from the state from serving as members of a governing body of a school district, city, town, or other local governmental district unless the state employee receives no salary for such service. The amendment would allow state employees to receive compensation from the governing bodies of which they are members.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment allowing state employees to receive compensation for serving as a member of a governing body of a school district, city, town, or other local governmental district."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

SJR 22 - SJR 22 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the maximum size of an urban homestead, which is a homestead in a city, town, or village, from one acre to ten acres and require the urban homestead to be composed of either a single lot or several lots that are adjacent to one another. The amendment also would provide that the urban homestead must be used as a home or as both a home and place of business, whereas current law does not require that an urban homestead that is used as a place of business be used also as a home.

Current law further allows a person to secure a home equity loan on their homestead, provided that the loan does not overburden the homestead. That is, the principal amount of the home equity loan, when added to the total of the outstanding principal balances of all other indebtedness secured against the homestead, does not exceed 80 percent of the fair market value of the homestead on the date the extension of credit is made. The

proposed amendment would clarify current law by specifically allowing home equity loans on all or part of urban homesteads of up to ten acres and subject such loans to the same requirement that the refinanced or new loan not overburden the homestead.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment increasing the maximum size of an urban homestead to 10 acres, prescribing permissible uses of urban homesteads, and preventing the overburdening of a homestead."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 16 - HJR 16 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that if an employee is delinquent in paying court-ordered spousal maintenance, a portion of that employee's wages may be withheld to pay the spousal maintenance. Current law allows such withholding, or garnishment, only for payment of delinquent court-ordered child support.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing garnishment of wages for the enforcement of court-ordered spousal maintenance."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 95 - HJR 95 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that the adjutant general, who is appointed by the Governor and who serves as the governing officer of the state military forces, serves as long as the Governor wishes the appointed person to serve in that capacity rather than serving a specific two-year term set by the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide that the adjutant general serves at the pleasure of the governor."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

SJR 10 - SJR 10 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to create a judicial compensation committee to make recommendations for salaries for the justices and judges of the Supreme Court, the Court of Criminal Appeals, the Courts of Appeals, and the District Courts. The amendment would mandate that the recommendations become law if neither the Senate nor the House of Representatives rejects them by majority vote.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to create a judicial compensation commission."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 74 - HJR 74 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide that the commissioner of health and human services, who is appointed by the Governor, serves as long as the Governor wishes the appointed person to serve in that capacity rather than serving a specific two-year term set by the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide that the commissioner of health and human services serves at the pleasure of the governor."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 69 - HJR 69 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize a county, city, town, or other political subdivision to

Raymond Wimmer attends Minnesota Life's ATA school

Raymond Wimmer, an associate with Martin Financial Group in Dallas, recently completed five days of specialized training at Minnesota Life's corporate headquarters in St. Paul, Minnesota. The school, designed for new agents, focuses on insurance and investment marketing, sales and technical knowledge. Ray specializes in working with individuals and businesses on their insurance and investment needs. His office is located at 620 N. Ash and his phone number is 940-759-5257. Ray is also a Registered Representative with Ascend Financial Services,

Inc., securities dealer, member NASD/SIPC, 400 Robert Street North, St. Paul, MN 55101-2098, phone number 1-888-237-1838.

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PROPOSITION NO. 15 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 36 - HJR 36 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow spouses, by an agreement in writing, to convert all or part of their separate property into community property. Separate property is primarily the property owned or claimed by the spouse before marriage and the property acquired by the spouse during the marriage by gift or inheritance. Community property consists of the property, other than separate property, acquired by either spouse during marriage.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment permitting spouses to agree to convert separate property to community property."

PROPOSITION NO. 16 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 71 - HJR 71 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow a county with a population of 50,000 or more, rather than 30,000 or more, to be divided into four to eight justly of the peace and constable precincts. The amendment also would allow a county with a population between 18,000 and 50,000 to have two to eight justly of the peace and constable precincts, rather than the current maximum of five precincts. Furthermore, the amendment would limit Randall County to not less than two and not more than six precincts. Finally, the amendment would set a minimum of four precincts for any county that as of November 2, 1999, is divided into four or more precincts.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide that certain counties shall be divided into a specific number of precincts."

PROPOSITION NO. 17 ON THE BALLOT

HJR 58 - HJR 58 proposes a constitutional amendment which would require the board of regents of the University of Texas System to manage investments of the permanent university fund (PUF) according to the standards of a prudent investor. Generally, earnings from the PUF are distributed to the available university fund (AUF) and then ultimately distributed to the public university systems of Texas. Under the amendment, the amount distributed to the AUF would consist of distributions, as determined by the University of Texas System board of regents, from the total return on all investment assets of the PUF, instead of consisting only of the dividends, interest, and other income of the PUF minus administrative expenses. The amendment also would provide guidelines for minimum and maximum amounts to be distributed to the AUF, and require that the board of regents manage distributions to the AUF in a manner that will provide the AUF with a stable and predictable stream of annual distributions and maintain the purchasing power of the PUF investments and annual distributions to the AUF.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment relating to the investment of the permanent university fund and the distribution from the permanent university fund to the available university fund."

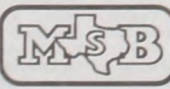
Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el 2 de noviembre de 1999. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, puede obtener una gratis por llamo al 1-800-252-8683 or por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Tx 78711.

Published by Secretary of State Elton Bomer

2-WEEK EVENTS CALENDAR To list your event, call 759-4311 BEFORE NOON WEDNESDAY!

Sunday, September 12	Monday, September 13	Tuesday, September 14	Wednesday, September 15	Thursday, September 16	Friday, September 17	Saturday, September 18
Sacred Heart Trust Fund Dinner 11:30 a.m. - Sacred Heart Community Center	VFW Meeting 8 p.m. MISD Campus site-base planning meeting, 7 p.m., auditorium	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Religious Ed Class 7 p.m. "See You at the Pole", 7:30 a.m. at old Muenster High School	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center MISD Board Meeting	Sacred Heart School - NO SCHOOL Teacher Inservice	NCTC Birthday Celebration
Muenster High School Student Council Book Fair - 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. - Muenster Library						
Sunday, September 19	Monday, September 20	Tuesday, September 21	Wednesday, September 22	Thursday, September 23	Friday, September 24	Saturday, September 25
	Sacred Heart Advisory Council Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Library VFW Auxiliary meeting 8 p.m.	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Muenster Library Board meeting 7 p.m.	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center Religious Ed Class 7 p.m.	Exercise Class, 10:30-11:30, S.N.A.P. Center		Sacred Heart Alumni Vegas Night MMH Health & Safety Fair 8:30 a.m. - noon

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OBITUARIES

Gerald Melvin Reiter 1939 - 1999

by **Elfreda Fette**
 Gerald Melvin (Jerry) Reiter died at age 59 on Sept. 1, 1999, at 11:25 p.m. at his rural residence. He was born on Oct. 1, 1939 to Alfonse Leo Reiter and Margaret Knabe Reiter. On Oct. 26, 1963 he married Rosalie Schmidtkofer in St. Peter's Church of Lindsay. Living his entire life in the Muenster area, he was a member of Sacred Heart Church. He attended Sacred Heart Schools, and St. John's High School in San Antonio; and attended Cooke County College for two years. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army. A member of Cooke County Farm Bureau, he was a farmer and enjoyed working with sheep, and doing all farm work.



Gerald Melvin Reiter

Survivors are his wife Rosalie Reiter of Muenster; one daughter Loretta Reiter of Denton, three sons August Reiter of Dallas, Philip Reiter of Gainesville, and Joseph Reiter of Muenster; his mother Margaret Reiter of Muenster, three sisters, Sister Lillian Marie Reiter of Muenster, Joyce Reed of Texarkana, Gloria Sprenzel of Perrin, Texas and one brother, Larry Reiter of Dallas.

Preceding him in death were his father Alfonse Reiter and a sister Shirley Hess.

Mass of Christian Burial was held on Saturday, September 4, 10:00 a.m. in Sacred Heart Church, officiated by Father Thomas Craig, pastor, and celebrated by Father Nicholas Ahmann OSB and Father Sebastian Beshoner OSB.

Altar servers were Sylvan Alterscheid, Alvin Hartman, and Joe Felderhoff.

Participating in the special general liturgy were Laura Reiter, a niece and Larry Reiter, a brother with Readings from the Old and New Testaments, respectively. Intercessions at Offertory and Offertory gifts of bread and wine were presented at the altar by Kathy Sprenzel and Bonnie Sprenzel, nieces.

Father Thomas Craig delivered the homily.

Eucharistic Ministers were Terry and Stephanie Reiter, a brother and sister-in-law; Rosina Schmidtkofer, a sister-in-law, Sister Anselma Knabe, a aunt and Antonia Hess.

Music Ministers were Stephen Bonin and Jack White. Sacred music included the psalms "Only In God," and "Center Of My Life," "On Eagle's Wings," "Amazing Grace," "I, The Lord," "Under The Weight Of The Wood," and "Saw The Light."

Remarks of Remembrance were given by Katie Reiter, a niece, relating in part "Jerry Reiter lived a simple life, but lived each day to its fullest as a farmer, shepherd, and family man. He was an auto mechanic for 25 years, but, when he quit to be a farmer, he was living his dream. He loved farming and was always worried about how his sheep were doing. He had a lot of them. He was usually a very patient person,

except during harvest when hours could make the difference between getting the crop in or not.

"After he got sick, he worked as long as possible, even putting some tin on the roof of the barn last fall, supervising the harvest this year and driving the tractor some this summer. Jerry was always there for his family when they needed him. This allowed his children to venture out on their own, secure in the knowledge of his support. He took care of his mother's car and went to Denton more than once to take care of cars driven by his children in college.

"He loved tinkering with things. 'New' was not in Jerry's vocabulary. If it wasn't a handyman special, he would not buy it. He would try to figure out ways to take old things and make them work together, like when he incorporated a bicycle handlebar into the engine of the baby blue Ford Fairmont that Loretta drove.

"Throughout his life, he loved kidding around with his cousin Wayne, his younger sisters, and (especially picking on) Sister Lillian.

"When he got sick, he never complained, using his humor to try and cheer up everyone. He did have a strange sense of humor, joking that since he was on the bottom of the prayer list in the parish bulletin, he had quite a while to go yet. When he was halfway up, he said that he must still have a while to go. He had great faith, and he knew he would be O.K. in the next life. But just because we know he's O.K. doesn't mean that we won't miss him."

A Rosary service was held on Friday at 4:00 p.m. at McCoy Funeral Chapel and Vigil at 7:00 p.m.

Burial in Sacred Heart Cemetery was directed by McCoy Funeral Home of Muenster.

Pallbearers were Tony Reiter, Gerald Reed, Kenneth Reed, Rudy Hess, Gary Hess, and Leroy Schmidtkofer.

For those who have asked, the family has suggested memorials sent to Cooke County Home Hospice.

Monk of Subiaco Abbey at Subiaco, Arkansas, strengthened with the Sacraments and the prayers of his brother monks. Father Damian Wewers died August 16, 1999 at the age of 86, in the 62nd year of his priesthood in the 67th year of his monastic profession.

Marking the end of a life divided between teaching, parochial ministry, and 12 years of retirement in the Abbey Health Center, Father Damian Wewers passed to eternal life on August 16, 1999, 86 years after his birth. He was born in Morrison Bluff, Arkansas to John and Theresa Wewers on September 26, 1912. He graduated from Subiaco Academy in 1930 and received his B.A. degree from Subiaco College in 1934. Following his older brother, Father Raymond, to the Abbey, Father Damian made his profession of monastic vows on September 15, 1931 and was ordained to the priesthood May 22, 1937.



Father Damian Wewers, OSB

The schools at which Father Damian taught were all under the care of the Abbey at that time: Subiaco Academy, Laneri High School in Fort Worth, Texas, and Corpus Christi Academy in Corpus Christi, Texas. Parishes in which he ministered were Saint Edward

in Little Rock, Arkansas, Saint Mary in Fort Worth, Texas, Saint Peter in Lindsay, Texas, and Holy Redeemer in Clarksville, Arkansas. In the final year of his retirement, monks in the Health Center gathered in his room to pray the office, and he joined in whenever he was able. In prayer he had revealed the meaning of his life and ministry.

Survivors are his brother and sister, both of Fort Smith, Lawrence Wewers and Sister Benita Wewers, OSB.

A Christian Wake Service was held at 7:00 p.m. on Aug. 18, 1999 and the Liturgy of Christian Burial was celebrated at 10:00 a.m. on August 19 in Saint Benedict Church at Subiaco. Interment was in the Abbey cemetery.

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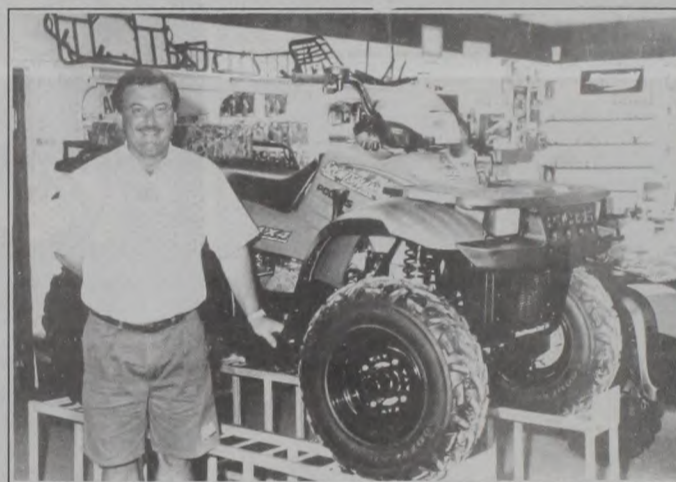
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Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor:

Sheriff Compton seems to have done his best to answer my questions, first published in your paper on August 27, 1999. Many people who have called me are not satisfied, nor am I.

Our biggest problem, that we do not have law enforcement in the county from his department. STILL has not been addressed or answered by him. We've read all the excuses about why the deputies are in Gainesville WORKING IN THE CITY LIMITS, but no reasonable explanation of why he can't answer calls in the county.

He keeps explaining that his objective when he went into office was for all agencies to work together, helping each other out. Just this past Labor Day weekend, two women from the area where I live had tried for 3 days to get an officer to come out and investigate a suspicious person who does not live out here. For two days, no officer was dispatched, and on the second day, an officer CALLED on the phone and told them he had no officers available to come out, that they should CONTACT THEIR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. The City Lake Patrolman took care of their problem, sending the man on his way after determining that they did indeed have reason to be concerned. This wasn't even his jurisdiction, but again, someone else had to do the Sheriff's departments' job. To use the Sheriff's words again, how did they know this wasn't a stolen drug dealer, or someone with intent to rob their business? If he can check these things out in town, he should certainly be able to get out in the COUNTY, his own jurisdiction, and check out the same things for two concerned women.

NOW I understand. THIS seems to be the Sheriff's ultimate plan (as was pretty well spelled out in his first article in your paper, asking for input, and saying he needed more officers)...call your County Commissioners. With the Game Warden AND the Lake Patrolman answering his calls, the County Commissioners are supposed to also?? Is this what he meant by "all agencies working together, helping each other"? The County Commissioners have given Sheriff Compton ALL HE NEEDS to do the job. They just can't give him the leadership ability to do it. The previously elected or appointed individuals who held the office of Sheriff seemed able to patrol the county, had less people to do it, less money to do it with, and even answered calls themselves. They were certainly visible at more places than the local grocery store, or coffee shops. Yes, I know the Commissioners aren't supposed to answer the Sheriff's calls, he just wants the public to put pressure on them to give him more officers. Are we going to fall for that?

Regarding his answer about there being 6 Highway Patrolmen, not 10 as I'd mentioned...I called the Department of Public Safety before writing that letter, asked how many officers were assigned to patrol Cooke County, and how many miles they covered, wanting to know if Sheriff Compton included their jurisdiction in the 900 square miles he says he has to patrol. Their answer to me was 10 officers, 6 out of Gainesville, 4 out of Sanger (who patrol Gainesville), the Red River bridges over the Denton County line to the Red River bridge on 35, and from the Montague County line to the Grayson County line on Hwy. 82. Yet, this is where I see the Sheriff's cars stopped, hear on the scanner checking licenses, and also IN GAINESVILLE.

Who DOES investigate the Sheriff's department when there are misconduct allegations, sexual or otherwise? Sheriff Compton? Who is investigating the deputy who was indicted on 5 counts this past July, of Official Oppression? (Official Oppression is what an officer, patrolman, uses their official authority to commit an offense) This deputy, according to the indictment file (No. 99-115, public record), entered a house in the spanish community, while off-duty, assaulted and subjected two people to mistreatment and arrest or confinement, which he knew was unlawful, while acting under color of his employment as a public servant, namely, a Cooke County Deputy Sheriff". Sheriff Compton complains of having to train officers, only to have them leave and work somewhere else where they are paid more money. Who trained this man? Did the Sheriff look into his employment history? If he had, he would have seen that he probably had a pretty poor employment history. People around town who knew him have said so.

And who investigated the jail break?

The answer given by the Sheriff last week regarding the patrol cars parked for long periods of time at the Tom Thumb store... that prescriptions were being picked up for the inmates, might fly IF they were GETTING them from Tom Thumb. Americare Pharmacy has been filling those prescriptions for several months (again, public record). But, if they were getting prescriptions at Tom Thumb, would it take all day?

I've been asked how I know all this. Sheriff Compton wants to know my source. I've heard all the horror stories since Sheriff Compton took office. More from people who have called me since reading the letters in the Muenster Enterprise. I hear it wherever I go, I SEE when I'm in town where the patrol cars are, and, as we've said, I HEAR it on my scanner, from neighbors, friends and my experiences. I don't have any "hidden sources", I have eyes and ears. I have just gotten mad enough and led up enough to research facts, go to the courthouse and look up information which is PUBLIC RECORD. I just have a LOT of questions, and I'm tired of reading about how much money Sheriff Compton's deputy needs to do the job properly. I'm not blaming all the deputies. I'm holding accountable the Sheriff, for his own inability to run his department successfully. With the amount of money and manpower given him already, he should have all he needs, combined with some good common sense, to do a much better job than he has so far.

It's time for "the privilege of serving Cooke County" to BEGIN. It's been three years now. It's time to get out of the coffee shops and grocery stores, stop visiting and "sharing intelligence" and get to work. How many more women (men or children) are going to be told on the phone when they call the Sheriff's office for help, "call your County Commissioners, we don't have enough officers to send anyone out"? When is a call going to go unanswered and someone get hurt while the officers are answering calls in Gainesville, are checked out together at the same time on the same side of the county, or busy assisting other agencies (as the Sheriff says is his intention to continue doing)? I've heard and read enough excuses, and suggest the public start asking the same questions I am, or go and research just as I have... INSIST our Sheriff get control of his department, start patrolling more himself if he can't put enough officers on the street, or find someone who CAN.

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Legislation Affecting the Homebuilding Industry

The homebuilding industry is a key indicator of the health of the economy. The Texas Legislature passed several laws that will affect homebuilders and home buyers.

Senate Bill 89 - Annexation law. This bill makes a number of changes to municipal annexations which start after 9/1/99. The law limits the size of areas that may be annexed and forbids annexation of long narrow strips less than 1,000 feet wide. Cities must prepare a detailed service plan and then provide full city services within 2½ years after annexation. Prior to annexing land, a city must prepare a 3 year annexation plan and notify each property owner in the affected area of the plan. Voluntary annexations and annexations of smaller areas with less than 100 residences are excepted from many of the requirements.

House Bill 1704 - The "Freeze" Law. In 1997, the "freeze law" was inadvertently repealed and consequently governmental entities could change building and permit regulations after an application for a building permit or a permit was issued. This affected many developments because every change in building and subdivision regulations added to the expense of the developments. This bill prohibits cities from changing rules in mid-stream, so long as progress continues on the site.

House Bill 2054 - Revising mechanic's, contractor's and materialmen's liens. Liens can be placed on new construction to protect contractors and suppliers. This bill will clarify existing laws concerning liens on residential properties. The bill requires a contractor to provide an owner with a list of all the subcontractors working on a residential project and a disbursement statement of all of the persons who subcontracted who will receive funds because of their work on the project. This bill also specifies the time limits for filing a lawsuit to claim a lien. Effective 9/1/99.

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Public meeting to address state mandated regional water planning to be held in Sept.

A public meeting to discuss regional water planning will be held at 3 p.m., Tuesday, September 14. The meeting, hosted by the Region C Water Planning Group, will be held at the Trinity River Authority Central Wastewater Treatment Plant, 6500 Singleton Blvd., Grand Prairie, Texas. Discussion at the meeting will focus on The Region C Water Planning Group's proposed recommendations regarding the population and water use projections for the 16 counties of Region C including: Collin, Cooke, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Fannin, Freestone, Grayson, Henderson, Jack, Kaufman, Navarro, Parker, Rockwall, Tarrant, and Wise. The public is invited to take this opportunity to comment and ask questions about the projections before submission to the Texas State Water Development Board.

"In planning how to meet the long-term water needs of North Texas, our first critical step has been to determine if there have been changes in population and water use within Region C since 1996 when projections were made by the Texas Water Development Board," said Terrace Stewart, chairman of the Region C Water Planning Group. "We have surveyed each city and county, as well as major industrial water users in North Texas, to ensure accurate projections since this information will be the basis for all water planning efforts. It is very important that the various groups impacted by this study voice any concerns or present data as soon as possible that might impact the outcome."

The Region C Water Planning Group is part of The Texas Legislature's "bottom up" water planning process designed to ensure that the water needs of all Texans are met as Texas enters the 21st century. Under Senate Bill 1, which was passed in 1997, the process is divided among 16 Regional Water Planning Groups (RWPG) and will map out how to meet future water supply needs, how to conserve water supplies and respond to future droughts in the planning areas. Regional water plans must be completed and adopted by January 5, 2001, and the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) must approve and incorporate the regional water plans into a comprehensive state water plan by September 1, 2001.

For more information about Region C Water Planning, contact Jim Parks, Region C vice chairman, at the North Texas Municipal Water District at 972-442-5405.

From My Side of the Fence

by Ed Cler

Some 60 years ago when I was breaking in as a swamper on an oilfield truck on one of the leases north of Muenster, I was witness to an event that I have never seen duplicated.

One driver pulled onto the lease late one evening with a load of building material that was to be used in the building of a power house to pump the wells that were being completed every few days. Well, the driver stepped away from the truck cab lamenting the fact that it was late evening, and he still had to unload the rig.

Another driver, Bus Evans who drove Kingery's heavy truck, stopped by and after hearing the first driver's complaints, volunteered to unload the truck, free gratis.

"Well," the first driver said, "that's the best offer I've had all day! Go right ahead!"

With that, Bus loosened the boomers, stepped into the loaded truck, shifted it into low gear, and gunning the engine, he drove into a long arc at a good rate of speed, then turned sharply to his left and jammed the brakes.

Believe it or not, almost all of the load slid off to the right, but I must say, not on a neat stack.

In a minute or two he threw off what little remained on the trailer, and turning to the first driver said, "There ya go!"

Then noting that the first driver was not in a happy mood, he stepped into his own truck and left the scene.



J.P. Doodles

Plant appraised value reduced

juggled any way the parties wanted. "I haven't gotten anything that shows me that the equipment was worth more than the land and buildings," he noted.

A comment was made that unless someone put in a business that was roughly the same as what had been in there it wasn't worth much. Nasche agreed saying that he's been there during the auction and it was his opinion that nobody was going to go in there and make anything out of it because they'd have to redo the whole thing. "I felt that that doomed the whole thing," he said. "It's just land and buildings sitting there. In five years nothing's going to be done with it. In five more years nothing's going to be done with it."

Nasche added that it should be worth something since it is on Hwy. 82 and Main Street.

Mobley asked if there was anyone in the building now. Nasche said there was only the maintenance man. And the rats and mice someone added.

Dunson said that what kills this deal for IMAC is that the deed restriction stipulates that for five years after the sale no dairy product can be manufactured at the facility.

West remarked that property is worth at least

\$300,00 plus for the land alone. The improvements (buildings) should be worth at least \$10 to \$12 a square foot, he said. "The only reason these people sold this at a discount was because they were able to totally depreciate it on federal income tax statements through the years and they can sell it for almost nothing. If they sold it at market value they'd have had to pay capital gains tax on everything that they depreciated through out the years.

Even at \$5 a square foot the buildings would be worth \$300,00, said West.

Dunson responded that when the people who bought the equipment, such as tanks, went to remove them they took out walls and didn't take care not to excessively damage the walls. Some places are now being supported by cinder blocks. He said that the cheese plant is the only building that could be used as a warehouse. Nasche mused that he didn't know of any business in Muenster that could make use of the facility. West said that you have to market it worldwide, not just locally.

Sandmann said that there are houses set at \$300,000 and this property would be shipping through the cracks at \$206,408. "Yeah, it's a plant

that's been disrupted, but that was the choice they made when they went in and disassembled it too," he noted. Nasche responded that they were talking about market value and what in the world could it be used for?

West stated that it takes time to sell a facility like that and that this one had never even been put on the market.

Mobley asked why they couldn't do a value of the building and put a depreciation or a functional obsolescence on it. "I think you're going to have to go with a little bit better value and do the functional obsolescence on it," she noted. Nasche countered that it couldn't be used for any dairy product for five years. Sandmann responded that IMAC bought it with a purpose and that they weren't going to lose money on it. Dunson said that this was the only facility that IMAC has in Texas, that they have about 12 facilities nationwide and that they didn't know that the Stephenville plant would close in November of 1998. It's a better facility, he said.

Sandmann suggested having an appraised value of \$500,000 for the first year, \$400,000 for the second year, third year \$300,000, fourth and fifth

years \$200,000 and keep it at \$200,000 until somebody does something with it. You can't write it off as a total loss because it's real estate and has a value.

Sandmann stated that companies don't go in and buy real estate like that without a plan. "There's a plan, believe me," he said. "We're looking at it from Gainesville and it's more than a Gainesville view, it's an international view even. It's got the I-35 corridor running right through here." Mobley remarked that you'd be declared incompetent if you went around and just threw your money away for the sake of throwing it away with no plan behind it.

Nothing that West, Mobley or Sandmann said could deter Nasche, Henderson and Dearing and the value was lowered to \$206,480.

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Haywood pleased with interim committee charges

State Senator Tom Haywood (R-Wichita Falls), recently received interim assignments from Lt. Gov. Rick Perry, including charges for the Senate Committee on Natural Resources.

"I am excited about the work we will be doing between now and January 2001 in regards to our state's natural resources and agriculture industry," Haywood said. "The Lt. Governor did an excellent job focusing on areas which need to be addressed in the next legislative session."

Committee charges include a study of the Clean Air Act to determine the challenges Texas will face in meeting federal air quality standards. Additionally, it will study the state's groundwater resources, storage and disposal options for low-level radioactive waste and monitor the implementation of House Bill 2, relating to agriculture and state agriculture policy.

"The issue of balancing industry and environment must be addressed," Haywood said. "The implications of non-attainment on future economic

growth could be staggering. My own hometown of Wichita Falls is facing the possibility as we speak with the threat of the metropolis leering over our shoulders."

Perhaps most important to Haywood himself is the committee's charge to evaluate the future of the Texas oil and natural gas production industry. As a former executive vice-president of the North Texas Oil and Gas Association, Haywood has strong ties to the industry and a very personal commitment to protecting the welfare of those involved in it.

"I intend to take an active role in the committee's study of our oil and gas industry," Haywood said. "And I will continue working to eliminate the severance tax on crude oil. Oil and gas production is essential to both my district and to the State of Texas."

Other committees receiving interim charges include the Senate Committees on Health Services and Human Services. The Lt. Gov. is expected to release more charges to other standing committees.

Lifestyle

Abused people find help at Cooke County Friends of the Family



Rin Elizabeth Eberhart of Denton and Mickey William Wolf of Denton have chosen October 2, 1999 for their wedding day. Their engagement and approaching marriage have been announced by her parents, Tom and Patty Eberhart of Lindsay. Parents of the future-groom are Bill and Vinie Wolf of Windthorst. The bride-elect is a 1997 graduate of Lindsay High School and is attending NCTC in Denton. She is employed by The Smokehouse of Denton. Mr. Wolf is 1997 graduate of Windthorst High School and is attending NCTC in Denton. He is employed by United Copper Industries of Denton. The couple plan to reside in Denton.

Family violence is one of the least talked about violent crimes, yet it affects million of people each day. Its silent victims number in the millions and may be someone you know: the next door neighbor, the pastor's wife, the grocery boy, or a teacher in school. Family violence can take many forms as suggested above. Spousal abuse and elder abuse all are part of the topic of family violence. Although family violence is more abundant than first realized, there are some things that you can do to stop it.

First of all, if you or someone you know is a Cooke County victim of violence, tell someone, but make sure that person will respect your privacy. Call Cooke County Friends of the Family hotline at 665-2873, call the police, talk to your pastor, talk to your doctor, talk to your best friend - just talk to someone. If the victim is someone you know, try to get that person to call someone

themselves. Offer to be there to support them, but encourage them to get help.

Secondly, if family violence is a topic you feel strongly about, get involved. Volunteer at a local agency. Friends of the Family needs reliable, willing volunteers to answer the 24-hour hotline and teach safety issues to children. Whatever your interest, never feel that one person can't make a difference. You can. Never think that family violence only happens to other people. It could happen to you or someone you love.

In 1981, the Gainesville Chapter of the League of Women Voters conducted a survey to determine if Cooke County was in need of a crisis hotline to assist victims of violent crime. On June 20, 1983, Cooke County Friends of the Family, Inc., activated its first telephone line and five years later began to utilize a second roll-over phone line in order to be available twenty-

four hours a day.

Eighteen years later, Cooke County Friends of the Family has grown to a staff of seven full-time victims' advocates.

Cooke County Friends of the Family continues to offer to victims of violent crime services that are comprehensive and confidential. These services include: individual and group support counseling, education and information concerning victims' rights and issues, referrals, temporary motel shelter, personal items, transportation, hospital/law enforcement/court accompaniment, explanation of criminal justice procedures, case status and deposition, assistance in return of personal property, assistance in completing Victim Impact Statements, as well as applications for Crime Victims Compensation Benefits, intervention with the Board of Pardons and Paroles, and notification of the release of an

offender. Intervention with employers, schools, and other social service agencies are also provided as needed.

Public education remains an important part of Cooke County Friends of the Family intervention and prevention programs. The W.H.O. "We Help Ourselves" program continues to be utilized by Cooke County Friends of the Family volunteers and staff and is presented to pre-kindergarten through college-age students.

All of these services are attempts to continue growing and stretching to meet the needs of victims of violent crime in Cooke County. Volunteer training will be held September 11, 25 and October 9 and 23 at the NCTC Lyceum. If you are interested in volunteering to help meet these needs, or would like more information, call Shirlee Martindale or Roberta Faulk at 940-665-2873, or the toll free number is 1-877-846-4757.

Library fund raiser garage sales includes two estates

Muenster Public Library will be conducting two "sales" during this Saturday's Community Garage Sale event. Proceeds go to the new library.

At the VFW Hall on South Main, the Library workers have filled the room with a wide variety of donated items: crafts, clothing, toys, small appliances, furniture, liquors, and tools, to name a few. Also books, thousands of books selling for very low prices.

Another feature at the VFW are personal items from the estate of Charlie and Viola Hizer. This includes etched metal, long-stem glasses, liquors, tools, knick-knacks and lots of kitchen and household items.

The library's second sale location is at 217 West 3rd Street. The family of Agatha and Bernard Wolf have generously donated all personal belongings remaining in the estate to the Library Building Fund.

Items were too numerous to move to the VFW location, so items will be for sale throughout the house and carport.

Noted sale items include quilting frames, old garden tools, lawn mower, hospital bed, wheelchair, and other medical supplies. Also hundreds of household items and women's clothing. It's an estate sale worth attending, said library board members.

Both sales begin at 8 a.m., the time set for the Community Garage Sales.

Consumers can log onto the TDH web site at www.tdh.state.tx.us for more food safety information.

Archer encourages consumers who have a meat thermometer to check the internal temperature of ground meat to ensure that it reaches 160 degrees. TDH also recommends the following food safety tips:

- Meat that is ground should be cooked thoroughly.
- Always heat or reheat carry-out meals and leftovers to a minimum of 165 degrees.
- Be sure to check for cold spots in food when using the microwave.

Most foodborne illnesses can be prevented simply by keeping hot foods hot and cold foods cold," said TDH Commissioner William Archer III. "We want to raise awareness for the consumer so that they know

Franciscans meet

The August 19 meeting of the Lindsay Secular Franciscan Fraternity opened with ritual prayers and song, with Theresa Hermes presiding. Marie Zimmerer read from Scripture, John 12, versus 24-26. The treasurer's report was read, including a report of the garage sale. A note from Fr. Tom Gardner expressed thanks for a donation. The prison chaplain from Anderson, Texas thanked them for rosaries and magazines sent. Theresa Hermes sent pamphlets and magazines to Chaplain Vazquez of Lovelady, Texas.

Pat Rose of the fraternity's adopted family in India wrote news about his family. Alan Hill of St. Francis Village expressed gratitude for canceled stamps sent to him. Two letters were received from John Zimmerer, prison chaplain at Beeville, with thanks for rosaries and

magazines sent to him. He related that in three prisons they can use only black rosaries, and in three others any color rosaries are accepted.

Bishop Peter of India sent two letters detailing updates on their new cathedral, and also telling about the monsoon season, which is damaging their shore line. The bishop has been to the Netherlands to study their efforts to keep the sea from claiming their land. The bishop received a round trip ticket from a friend to help him to visit Indian priests and nuns who are working in Germany.

After adjournment, Marie Zimmerer, hostess, served refreshments of apricot cobbler, ice cream, fresh grapes, coffee and tea. Members enjoyed viewing the embroidered quilt top made by members and friends.

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New Arrivals

Russell

Stacy Childress and Jody Russell of Gainesville are parents of a daughter, Emily Renee Russell, born in Muenster Memorial Hospital on Sept. 2, 1999 at 2:47 a.m. She weighed 7 lb. 13 oz. and measured 20 1/2 inches in length. She joins a brother Johnathon Russell and a sister Rachel Russell. Grandparents are Sarah and Thomas Poteet and Gwen and Jim Russell of Gainesville, and Ben and Emma Childress of Collinsville.

Parsons

Kevin and Christy Parsons of Gainesville announce the birth of a daughter, Bethany Lauren Parsons, in Gainesville Memorial Hospital on Aug. 25, 1999 at 8:04 p.m., weighing 9 lb. 1 oz. and measuring 20 inches in length. She joins two

siblings, Ciarra Parsons age 6, and Rhiannon Parsons age 5. Grandparents are Mary Cook of Gainesville and the late Ronald Cook, and Gene and Sharon Hess of Muenster and the late Robert Parsons.

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This message conveys our special thanks to our children, Anita and Mike Lutten, Don and Lovie Gearing, Linda and Mitch Rains, Mark and Carol Gearing, Bill and Katrina Gearing; and to our grandchildren, who all made the hospital time easier, just by being there, or staying, a day or a night, or a visit, making us so proud.

We were never left alone - for that we love you all.

To all our dear relatives, friends in Myra and Muenster, the Myra Volunteer Fire Department, all who helped, visited, prayed with and for us, sent food, flowers, cards, words of sympathy during our great loss of husband, father, grandfather, and friend. We treasure all of you.

Also the staff at Denton Regional Hospital, especially those in ICU, Dr. Carrie Perry, and other doctors and nurses, and especially Crystal who stayed with us till God took Joe home; the chaplains, Father Juan, Father Mel and Father Rhinhard Steenmann and Amy Dangelmay and Brandt Gearing, and the Pink Ladies in the ICU waiting room.

Special thanks to Father Thomas, Father Harry and those who took part in the liturgy; and Rev. Davon Bockman, and our sisters-in-law, Judy Gearing and Carol Gearing, and brother-in-law, Homeie Gearing.

We thank our nephews who were pallbearers, our nephew Glen Gearing for the Remarks of Remembrance, the music ministers, the ladies of the CDA for the family meal and to Nick Walteschaid, Gary Gearing, Gus Ashley and Matt Sching who provided the meat for the meal, and to the Knights of Columbus for use of the hall. Also thanks to McCoy Funeral Home.

If we have missed anyone, remember that you are in our prayers.

God Bless each one
Theresa Gearing

Anita and Mike Lutten
Bill and Katrina Gearing
Mark and Carol Gearing

Linda and Mitch Rains
Don and Lovie Gearing
and the grandchildren

Lions provide free summer camp for children with disabilities

Each summer, as parents begin searching for summertime activities for their children, often, the choices are limited for parents whose children have disabilities. However, thanks to the Lions Clubs of Texas, many children with physical disabilities can look forward to an experience that all children dream about - going to summer camp! The Texas Lions Camp in Kerrville offers special camping programs that serve children who have physical disabilities and diabetes.

This summer, Kailob Miller of Muenster attended the Texas Lions Camp in Kerrville. Kailob was sponsored by Merle A. Currie of the Gainesville Lions Club. He is the son of Randy and Lisa Miller of Muenster and LaBecah and Charles Buris of Gainesville.

The Texas Lions Camp offers camping sessions to children ages seven through 16 who have visual, hearing, or physical disabilities. The camp offers a wide variety of activities for campers' enjoyment, including arts and crafts, field sports, riding horses, swimming, theater, and camping out overnight. All activities are adapted so that each child can succeed! The camp is a nonprofit



Kailob Miller

organization, funded by the Lions of Texas and private donations. Children attend the camp at no cost to themselves or their families.

Further information and camper applications may be obtained by contacting a Lions Club member in your area or by contacting the Texas Lions Camp at P.O. Box 290247, Kerrville, Texas 78029-0247; VTDD 830-896-8500; fax: 830-896-3666. The Texas Lions Camp can also be found on the World Wide Web at www.lionscamp.com.

1999 Watermelon Festival quilt show results provided

by Veda Brogdon
Many beautiful quilts were displayed in the Old Bank Building during the 19th Annual Forestburg Watermelon Festival.

In the category of hand quilted and pieced, "Piece Maker Calendar" won first place by Jaque Hensell. Winning second place, also by Jaque Hensell, was "Earth Angel."

Machine appliqué "Sampler" won first and "Butterflies" won second, both by Mary Brackeen.

Embroidery "Colonial Girls" won first made by Lucile Cummings; "State Birds and Flowers" won second made by Jenny Vann; and "Southern Belle" won third made by Carla Griffin.

In the pieced category, "Log Cabin Among the Stars" won first made by Jimmie Britian; "Flower Baskets" won second made by Debra Dill; "Feathered Bear Claws" won third made by Debra Dill.

In the novelty division, "5th Grade Class" won first made by Mary Whately. Small quilts, first place was won by "Rocking Horse"; second place was won by

"Heart". Both were made by Roberta Price.

Quilts over 50 years old got special awards. "Reynolds Friendship," Reynolds family, made in 1915. "Stamp" quilt, Nelson family, 150 years old. "Star" quilt, over 150 years old, Nelson family. "Friendship" quilt, Riley Lanier family, made in 1935. "Scrap" quilt made by Janie Perryman, over 50 years old. "Flower Garden," made by Wanda Willis, was over 50 years old.

Older Novelty quilts "Hand Prints," Holland family; and "Family Tree," Holland family, also received special awards.

Other quilts received honorable mention. "Bow Tie" shown by Peggy Cain; "Dresden Plate" also shown by Peggy Cain; "Around the World" by Mary Brackeen; "Sampler" by Cindy Martin and "String Quilt" by Ruby Forrester; "Drunkards Path," by Lucile Cummings; "Flowers" by Veda Brogdon; "Lone Star" and "Tumbling Block" owned by Imogene Lynch, made by Mary Lea Kestner of Farm Villa, Virginia.

Judging the quilts were Betty Miller and Virginia Galken.

Valley View News ...

The Valley View Riding Club met for September, voting to have a float in the Fall Festival Parade. They will also sponsor a stick horse rodeo and Little Mr. and Miss Contest on October 16 for fund-raisers.

Valley View Area Chamber of Commerce met September 1. August business of the month

was the Valley View ISD. Cookies were delivered to the campus.

The Senior Citizen Christmas party will be December 4 at 6:30 at the Senior Citizen Center.

Plans were discussed for a duck pond and ring toss games at the Fall Festival, also a parade float.

PHYTOESTROGENS

May Cut Breast, Endometrial Cancer

Scientists are reporting the positive benefits that soy isoflavones (phytoestrogens) have on reducing the risk of endometrial and breast cancer.

Japanese women who consume about 45 mg/day of soy isoflavones have one quarter the breast cancer rate of women in the United States, who consume about 5 mg of soy isoflavones a day.

When Japanese women immigrate to the United States, their diets become higher in fat, and breast and endometrial cancer rates increase.

In vitro data suggest that soy will actually reduce the proliferation of breast cancer lines by 28% to 30%, the same rate as tamoxifen and raloxifene.

So can high soy diets substitute for hormone replacement therapy?

Data supports the benefits of soy for cardiovascular protection and lipid lowering, and bone protection. The relief of menopausal symptoms such as hot flashes and vaginal dryness, is not well documented, so far data has shown a decrease in the severity, but not the frequency of these symptoms.

If you want to boost your intake of soy it is recommended you have one serving of a soy product a day and an increase in fruits and vegetables to improve your intake of isoflavones. In addition, soy is available as a supplement.

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Baptisms

Truebenbach
Avery Nicole Truebenbach, daughter of Floyd and Tammy Truebenbach of Muenster, was baptized in Sacred Heart Church by Father Thomas Craig on August 29, 1999 during the 10:30 Mass. Baptismal sponsors were Bubbah and Melinda Klement.

Avery wore a white christening gown made especially for her by her Aunt Vicki Polson. She also wore a gold cross and chain, a gift from her parents. Avery also used a white christening blanket that her brother Garret used during his baptism.

After the ceremony, all gathered at Floyd and Tammy's house for lunch and a special christening cake made by Avery's mother, inscribed with "God bless Avery." Everyone enjoyed visiting, picture taking and opening gifts.

Special guests were grandparents Nancy Pena, Clifford Truebenbach and Barbara Pierce. Also present were uncles and aunts: Roger and Vicki Polson, Ed and Heather Sanderlin; Julie King, Great-aunt Carla Truebenbach; cousins Aston Sanderlin and Amy Truebenbach. Also special friends and godparents Bubbah and Melinda Klement with Brianna and Zachary; Steve and Julie Sandusky and Skyler.

Unable to attend but sending best wishes were grandfathers Gary King, and great-grandmother Ellanor DeMeyer.

Krahl
Krahl Damian Krahl was welcomed into the Catholic church during baptismal services held Sunday, Sept. 5, 1999 in St. Peter's Church in Lindsay. The sacrament of baptism was bestowed on Louis during a special 11:30 a.m. Mass. Father Nicholas Fuhrmann, OSB of Jonesboro, Arkansas celebrated the Mass and officiated for the baptism. Eddie Schad of Valley View and Jennifer Otto of Lindsay are the infant's godparents.

Louis is the son of Damian and Lucy Krahl of Lindsay. Grandparents are Joe and Marie Fuhrmann of Lindsay and Martin and Nancy Krahl of Valley View. He wore a treasured family baptismal gown, also worn by all of the children and grandchildren of his Fuhrmann grandparents.

Following the Mass, a reception was held in the home of Chuck and Alice Schumacher of Lindsay. Those attending included his parents, sister Lucinda, and brother Travis, grandparents and numerous other relatives. The special baptismal cake was baked and decorated by Claudia Zimmerer of Lindsay.

Father Nicholas was in Lindsay for the week visiting relatives before returning to Jonesboro, Arkansas.

Area Happenings

Saint Jo Opry set for Sat., Sept. 11

The next Saint Jo Opry is scheduled for Saturday night, September 11, at 7:30 in the school auditorium.

Special guests this month will include a talented young singer from Montague, Ashley Hester, who has appeared twice on the Johnny High Revue in Arlington and at various events in the area. Mae Wade from Sunset will also appear. Besides the Country Cut-Ups who perform on the Opry regularly, Marty Bartlett will be featured on fiddle and Jerry Reynolds on drums.

A \$2.00 admission is charged adults, with children 12 and under admitted free, as are nursing home residents and other special groups. The Opry donates regularly to community service organizations such as Volunteer Fire/EMS Dept. and other nonprofit groups.

Concessions will be available.

Saddle up for the Bowie, TX trail ride

The Bowie, Texas Trail Ride is Saturday, September 18. Sponsored by Main Street Bowie, the trail ride features private ranch riding on the 3,000-acre JA Ranch, located on Highway 59 South just 2.25 miles south of the intersection of U.S. Highway 287 and Highway 59. Saddle up your own horse for the ride, or take the hay ride around the ranch.

Trail riders will journey through sections of Tall Grass Prairie and Cross Timbers terrain, as well as wildlife areas populated with deer, quail, and turkeys. A portion of the historic Butterfield Stagecoach route also crosses the JA Ranch.

Gates open for the trail ride at 7:30 a.m. on September 18, and the ride begins at 9:00 a.m.

A rest stop is scheduled for 10:30 a.m., with lunch slated for 12:30 p.m. Riders will saddle up again at 1:30 p.m. and ride until 3:30 p.m.

Cost for this fun-filled day is only \$20 per person, or \$10 for persons age 13 and under. These registration fees include lunch.

Proceeds from the Bowie, Texas Trail Ride benefit Main Street Bowie projects. Main Street Bowie is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to support and assist revitalization and historic preservation through community participation and collaborative partnerships.

Deadline to register for the Bowie, Texas Trail Ride is September 10. For a registration application call Main Street Bowie at 940-872-6246 or stop 309 N. Smythe St.

Quilt exhibit scheduled

Those who enjoy viewing the handi-work of quilters will want to mark Friday, Sept. 24 and Saturday, Sept. 25 on their calendars. That's when the Busy Bee Quilt Show takes place at the Post Oak Community Center in Post Oak. Post Oak is located on FM 2127 between Hwy. 59 and Hwy. 148.

A quilt drawing will be held at 3:40 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 25. Food, crafts and quilts will be sold at the event. For more information contact Wanda Davis at (940)567-2771.

Raptor rehab is focus of presentation

On Wednesday, September 15, Pierre Bradshaw, a license raptor rehabilitation expert will present "On the Wing Again" at the River Bend Nature Works Prothro Pavilion. "On the Wing Again" is a non-profit organization located in Ennis, Texas dedicated to rehabilitation of orphaned, injured, and sick birds of all species.

Mr. Bradshaw will explain how he rehabilitates birds of prey so they can be returned to the wild. With the assistance of hawks, kestrels, falcons, owl and vultures, he provides an entertaining and educational program for all ages. This outreach program has been seen by more than 250,000 people in the state of Texas this year.

Program times are from 1 a.m. - 11 a.m., 11 a.m. - noon and again from 1 p.m. - 2 p.m. The fee for the program is \$1.00 per person.

Call River Bend Nature Works at 940-691-0482 for more information. River Bend is located at the corner of Sunset Drive and Third Street adjacent to the main entrance of Lucy Park.

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School News

Grants enhance technology in Texas public schools

Muenster ISD has received a non-Competitive Grant for Texas Public Schools in the amount of \$45,000 from the telecommunications Infrastructure Fund Board, a state agency in Austin. These Public School Technology Advancement and Distance Learning Grants will allow Muenster ISD to purchase the necessary equipment to enhance Internet access or to improve distance learning capabilities. Non-competitive grants for up to \$10,000 will fund workstations, networking hardware, ISP costs, conferencing equipment and other related telecommunications costs in order for the qualified public schools to expand upon their existing network. These grant projects began September 1, 1999. Muenster ISD received

the maximum amount for schools in their size classification. The public school applicants were required to complete a detailed application. These public school districts and campuses were also required to provide, in matching funds, a minimum of 10% of the funds requested from the TIF Board. "We are very pleased to receive this award," said Mr. Jerry Eckart. "We will use TIF Board funds, along with the matching funds we have committed to the project, to enhance our current infrastructure. This grant will give us the opportunity to purchase equipment for expanded Internet access and the means to move towards using distance learning as an advanced teaching tool." Since its creation by the 74th Legislature in 1995, the TIF

Board has awarded approximately \$202 million in telecommunications grants to 1018 school districts and charter schools (out of 1145), 57 community colleges (out of 57), 69 public and private institutions of higher education, 592 public libraries and branches (out of 789), 300 public and not-for-profit healthcare facilities (out of 742), 11 collaboratives of model projects, and 13 collaboratives of rural school districts. The agency receives approximately \$150 million per year in revenues from telecommunications assessments to disburse over a ten-year period. For more information, please contact the TIF Board at 512-344-4300 or 1-888-533-8432. Additional information is available at <http://www.tifb.state.tx.us>.

School Lunch Menus

WEEK OF SEPT. 13-17

SACRED HEART S.N.A.P. MENUS

- Mon. - Pizza pockets, peas, salad, fruit.
- Tues. - Chicken spaghetti, corn, lettuce, fruit, bread.
- Wed. - Chili mac, nachos, ranch style beans, cole slaw, fruit.
- Thurs. - Corn dogs, beans, salad, fruit, iced graham crackers.
- Fri. - No school. In service.

LINDSAY ISD

- Mon. - Sloppy Joes, baked beans, carrot and celery sticks, apple crisp.
- Tues. - Chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, oranges.
- Wed. - Steak fingers, creamed potatoes, corn, grapes, bread.
- Thurs. - Meatballs, broccoli and rice, cole slaw, pineapples, bread.
- Fri. - Hamburger with trimmings, French fries, ice cream.

ERA ISD

- Mon. - Chicken fried steak or fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, tossed salad, green

- beans, hot rolls.
- Tues. - Crispy tacos, shredded cheese, trimmings, pinto beans, sugar cookie.
- Wed. - Spaghetti w/meat sauce or egg roll, black-eyed peas, tossed salad, fruit mix, breadsticks.
- Thurs. - Nachos w/ground beef, corn, tossed salad, peaches, chocolate cake.
- Fri. - Hamburgers, sliced cheese, trimmings, French fries, ice cream.

MUENSTER ISD

- Mon. - Hot dogs, chili and cheese, beans, potato wedges, fruit, pumpkin bread.
- Tues. - Steak fingers, creamed potatoes w/gravy, corn, fruit, hot rolls, vanilla wafers.
- Wed. - Chicken patty on a bun, potato salad, lettuce and tomatoes, carrot sticks, fruit, animal cookies.
- Thurs. - Fried chicken, creamed potatoes w/gravy, peas, hot rolls, fruit.
- Fri. - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles and onions, cheese slices, French fries, fruit, ice cream.

Youth Fair board meets

The Cooke County Youth Fair Board has named committee leaders for the 2000 Youth Fair. They are: Goats, Lynn Peters; Sheep, Don Made; Beef, Ott Kuykendall; Swine, T.J. Martin; Rabbits, Richard Dangelmayr; Poultry, Rudy Paalik; Shop, Rudy Koessler; Awards/buyers luncheon, Denise Pearce; Sale, Danny Anderson and Ryan Norwood; Home Ec, Linda Ellender; Equine, Jodie Vance. Entry deadlines were given, rule books and entry forms were delivered to 4-H leaders and Home Ec and Ag instructors. Next meeting will be in November.

Conserve H₂O

Water your lawn only when it needs it. You don't have to water on a set schedule. Watering too frequently can actually damage your lawn.

Green Tips

Fact: The average American consumes twice the energy of the average European and eight times the energy to those in developing countries. **Tip:** When cooking small portions, use your microwave. While it may use the same energy per minute, it can usually cook much faster.

Sacred Heart students attend exciting Ranger game

Three T-shirts, free pom-poms, a grand slam, four home runs, and a big Ranger win were some of the highlights of Sacred Heart field trip to Rangers-White Sox Game at the Ballpark in Arlington on Monday, September 6. Before the game, the student group stopped at CiCi's Pizza in Arlington. Arriving at stadium early, the students strolled to the outfield seats, batting practice, and 5 key students came up with

baseballs. Ranger hitting and shaky pitching made for an exciting 8-6 win over the Chisox. Prior to the game, the students wrote down their predictions for the score. Junior Nick Taylor predicted the exact score and won a Rangers T-shirt. Chaperones for the trip were Joe and Shellie Hoedebeck, Jack and Donna Biffle, Gene Yosten, and Joe Caserta.

Conserve H₂O

Turn off the water after you wet your toothbrush or when you shave.

Four new teachers for Sivells Bend ISD

Sivells Bend ISD has acquired four new teachers for the district. They are Claudia Melugin, Linda Hill, Gwen Hillard, and Marjorie Gauntt. Mrs. Melugin's position is with the third and fourth grades. Her husband is employed as a Professor of Government at North Central Texas College. He recently shared some of his knowledge of Texas Counties with the third, fourth, seventh and eighth graders. Ms. Hill is single, teaches all subjects on the fifth and sixth grade level. She has a son who is attending college at Texas A&M at Corpus Christi and one married daughter. Mrs. Hillard comes from Nebraska. She is married and her husband is manager at On Cue in Gainesville. She serves as P.E. teacher. Mrs. Gauntt is married to Turner Gauntt, Jr. Together they have five children; all

grown. Her son recently received the honor of being selected as Senior Graphics Designer for the Winter Olympics at Salt Lake City, Utah. Mr. Gauntt's daughter is Janine Turner, formerly of Northern Exposure. She just recently finished filming a movie for CBS to air in late October of this year. Mrs. Gauntt teaches Reading/Language Arts.

Facts About Skin Cancer

African-Americans and other dark-skinned people usually get skin cancer on the lighter (less pigmented) areas of their body such as palms, soles of their feet, and fingernails.

Be aware of true credit card costs

Ask a group of college students about the annual fees, grace periods and annual percentage fees on their credit cards and you may be greeted with blank stares. When it comes to charge cards, credit counselors say many students could use a crash course in credit. "You should see the looks when they find out how much interest they are paying," says Brenda Smith, Money Management International (MMI), a non-profit organization that provides debt and credit counseling. "For example, if you borrow \$1,000 at a 17 percent annual interest rate and pay the debt off at the

rate of \$20 a month, you will pay in excess of \$700 in interest over 7 years." Part of the problem is that many students don't take the time to read all the terms and conditions on their credit card applications. If they had, students would know that credit comes with a price and that price is interest. In general, the longer you take to pay the more you will pay. "Credit cards are great for emergencies and for items that you can pay off within the interest free grace period," said Smith. "However, many students end up with large balances on their credit cards that take years to pay off."

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Sports

Hornets shut out Nocona

The Muenster Hornets opened the '99 season with a bang. Not only did they get a 7-0 win over Nocona, they scored on the first offensive play of the season.

"Our offense sputtered, but we hope to get back on track and be more productive," Coach Gordon Martin commented. "We felt our defense played extremely well - they were the key to the win. I'm very pleased with a first contest victory."

Nocona took the opening kickoff to midfield, getting several short runs. A bad snap landed into a quarterback sack by Craig Hartman for a 13 yard loss, forcing an Indian punt.

From their own 24 yard line, the Hornets first offensive play, quarterback Casey Walterscheid found an open end and raced 76 yards for a Muenster touchdown. Nick Silmon added the extra point for a 7-0 score with 7:50 remaining in the first quarter.

Muenster's defense held the Indians to no gain, and they punted. Josh Luke returned the ball 25 yards to the Indian 45 yard line. Darren Hennigan ran for 5, but back to back penalties and an incomplete pass put Muenster in a 3rd and situation. A half-back pass by Mitch Endres was completed to Greg Johnson for a 59 yard touchdown play. Silmon booted the extra point for a 14-0 Muenster lead with 5:22 still on the quarter clock.

The Hornets again held Nocona to no gain, forcing a punt, but a fumble on the punt turn gave the Indians possession on their 49 yard line. Four plays later, Casey Walterscheid picked off an Indian pass on Muenster's 26 yard line. Hennigan got in two runs for 17 yards before the quarter ended. Then two hornet penalties forced a punt. Two plays later, Muenster gained possession when Silmon covered a fumbled pass.

The teams exchanged punts. Muenster fumbled, then Nocona moved to the Hornet 20 yard line. On 4th and nine, an attempted field goal was blocked by Danny Felderhoff. Silmon covered the ball on the punt, and Muenster let the clock run out.

Short runs by Luke and Walterscheid picked up a little yardage, but Muenster had to punt. The teams exchanged punts, with Nocona then starting a long drive on their 3rd yard line. Several good runs,

eight plays later, the Indians were knocking on the Hornets door with a first and goal at the 8 yard line. A flag moved the ball to the four. Three unsuccessful plays were followed by a pass interference call that gave Nocona another chance, playing the ball on the one yard line.

The Hornet defense took a stand knocking the Indians to a 6 yard loss, then a 12 and a 1 yard loss. On 4th and 24, an incomplete pass returned the ball to Muenster as the final quarter got underway.

Hennigan and Luke took turns running the ball to pick up 45 yards in 6 plays. A Johnson pass reception added another 16 yards to the Nocona 15. Two passes fell and Muenster attempted a field goal that flew wide left. The Indians took over on their 20.

Muenster's defense held their opponents to a minus 7 yards, forcing the punt. From midfield, Walterscheid ran for 31 yards, Hennigan 5, then another 12 from Walterscheid. From the 8, Hennigan and Luke each gained two. On 4th and goal, Nick Silmon's 22 yard field goal added 3 points to the Hornet score, 17-0 with two minutes of play remaining.

The Indians went airborne, throwing three incomplete, then getting one for 18 yards. Justin Walterscheid sacked Nocona's quarterback for a 10 yard loss, decreasing any threat of a score, as time ran out for Nocona.

"Our defense shut Nocona out and gave us the victory," noted Coach Martin, naming Blake Garrison, Jim Stoffels, and Angel Hernandez as standouts.

Offensive standouts included Casey Walterscheid, Greg Johnson, and the offensive line.

Next Action - Paradise

This Friday, the Hornets will host the Paradise Panthers. The Panthers lost 23 players from last seasons 4-5 team, having only 8 lettermen return. The Hornets struggled last year against this team, falling 31-6.

"Another quality 2A team," said Coach Martin. "I anticipate another tight ball game. Nocona lost a lot, but their JV was very good last year."

Panther players to watch include running back Jacoby Gentry, full back Jacob Mayberry, and tackle Wesley Holland. These three are also strong leaders on defense.

"It should be another tough, physical game," Coach Martin concluded.

Action begins at 7:30 p.m. at Hornet Stadium.



DISTRICT 17-A
LAST WEEK'S SCORES

Muenster 17, Nocona 0
Savoy 20, Sacred Heart 6
Saint Jo 21, Aubrey 7
Collinsville 13, Celeste 27
Era 28, State School 8
Valley View 0, Gunter 42



Muenster defense, including Grant Hartman, Justin Fleitman, and Jason Lutkenhaus, cause Nocona to lose control of the ball on a kick return. The Indians recovered possession. Photo by Janie Hartman

Cubs get opener win

The Sacred Heart Cubs got a come-from-behind victory last Thursday, from the Mustangs of Saint Mary's.

The Mustang offense took to the field after Casey Coker chased down the opening kick return at midfield. Motion flags and a quarterback sack by Clayton Truebenbach slowed down the Mustangs, but only temporarily. A 71 yard run by Keith Dieter put Saint Mary's on the two, then into the end zone. Clint Stoffels' touchdown and Stephen Wiese's extra points run gave Saint Mary's an 8-0 lead with 6:27 on the clock.

The Cubs fought back. From their 38, ten runs by Kevin Walterscheid and Chris Hoedebeck, steadily moved Sacred Heart to the three yard line. Hoedebeck then scored, but the extra points attempt failed for an 8-6 game with 1:33 remaining in the first

quarter. Now it was Saint Mary's turn. Five plays, and they scored again. Wiese ran 44 yards to find pay dirt. The extra run failed for a 14-6 score seconds into the second period.

Wes Wimmer returned the kick 65 yards, but a flag put the ball on the Mustang 40. Again Hoedebeck and Walterscheid took turns running the ball, picking up 24 yards in 5 plays, to the 16 yard line. A fumbled play and incomplete pass was followed by a reverse run around the right side by Wes Wimmer for the touchdown score. Again the extra run failed and Sacred Heart closed the score to a 14-12 gap.

The Cubs forced a Mustang punt, starting on their 42 yard line. A holding flag delayed advancement, but a Wimmer run picked up 25 yards to the Mustang 35. Hoedebeck and

Walterscheid got another 10, but a sack and an interception by Gary Anderle ended any scoring threat and the first half.

The third quarter was scoreless, with teams exchanging possessions. The Cubs were moving the ball early in the final period, but a fumbled ball, covered by Jason Henry, put a stop to any threat.

A 13 yard loss, caused by Adam Taylor forced a Mustang punt. From the 29 yard line, Wimmer scored on a reverse up the center. Hoedebeck ran in the extra points and Sacred Heart took a 14-20 lead with 1:19 remaining in the game.

The game ended with two outstanding defensive plays by Andy Davis, the final, an interception.

The Cubs traveled to Saint Jo on September 9 to take on the Panther Cubs.

TEAM STATS

M	N
9	9
30/207	Rushes/yds. 20/-14
80	Passing yds. 141
3/10/0	Comp./att./int. 13/33/1
5/48	Punts/avg. 7/36
4/2	Fumbles/lost 3/1
10/74	Penalties/yds. 2/10

M	14	0	0	3	17
N	0	0	0	0	0

Individual Stats:
RUSHING: M, Casey Walterscheid, 9/117; Darren Hennigan, 14/66. N, Chris Gonzales, 8/19. RECEIVERS: M, Greg Johnson, 2/75. N, C. Gonzales, 6/50. TURNOVERS RECOVERED: Nick Silmon, Casey Walterscheid.

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Sacred Heart falls to Savoy

Last Friday's contest in Savoy was a flag throwing, turnover game for Sacred Heart. The Tigers were penalized 127 yards, threw 4 interceptions and lost two fumbles during their 20-6 defeat by the Cardinals.

"We got better this week as a team, but still not at the mental level we need to win," noted Coach Kris Hogan. "We were in a position to win, but didn't quite get it done."

The Cardinals, after taking the opening kick, fumbled on the second play of the game. Matthew Nasche covered the loose ball. Sacred Heart's first possession included three flags, two incomplete passes and an interception.

Savoy moved the ball against the Tigers for several plays, assisted by a holding penalty. On fourth down, Travis Fuhrmann caught the quarterback for a loss, giving the Tigers the ball on the 40 yard line. Another holding flag backed Sacred Heart to the 30. Keith Felderhoff ran for 11, then a Felderhoff pass to Chris Smith was good for a first down at the 50.

The Tiger offense then went into reverse. After losing 16 yards in two plays, Sacred Heart quick-kicked, putting Savoy on their 25. The defensive Tigers held the Cardinals to 5 yards, forcing a punt, but two plays later, Savoy picked off another pass, as the first quarter ended scoreless.

From their 34 yard line, the Cardinal quarterback was sacked by Kenny Grewing and Stephen Hofbauer for an 8 yard loss. The next play, a double reverse pass from Don Ferguson to Dusty Burkhalter was good for 6 points. The extra point pass failed.

Matthew Nasche returned Savoy's kick 10 yards to start a good drive by the Tigers. From the 27, Charlie Moster ran for 6 and Josh Walterscheid another 4 yards in 2 runs. Moster gained another 16 yards to midfield. It was Moster for 3 runs for gains of 5, 9, and 12 yards to the 29 yard line. The drive stopped there, when Savoy covered a fumbled ball.

The Cardinals moved from the 29 to midfield before throwing an interception to Josh Walterscheid. From the 49, Felderhoff to Walterscheid passes gained 11 and 25 yards.

From the 15, Nasche gained 4, Walterscheid 3, then a quarterback keeper saw Keith Felderhoff enter the end zone. The extra points attempt failed for a 6-6 game with 34 seconds on the clock.

Time ticked off the clock, but not before three more holding and a late hit flag were thrown.

Sacred Heart couldn't gain any ground as the 2nd half began. Savoy, from their 33, went flying with pass gains of 41 and 20 yards to the 5 yard line. With 8:17 on the clock, Terry Lewis ran in for 6 points. The Burkhalter to Jeremy

Reynolds pass gave the Cardinals a 14-6 lead.

The Tigers fumbled away their next possession, then allowed the Cardinals to move against them, except for one play when Hofbauer and Lee Skinner caught the quarterback for a 6 yard loss. A flag the next play moved Savoy to the 12. Hofbauer then stopped any scoring threat when he covered a loose ball on the 10.

Two quarterback keepers put the Tigers on the 21. Nasche broke away for a 45 yard run, but another holding flag brought the ball back. Flagged again for holding, the Tigers line was set back to the 17. Two plays later, Savoy picked off a Tiger pass, giving the Cardinals possession near midfield.

Six plays and another holding flag later, Savoy was sitting on the Tiger 21. A Burkhalter to Ferguson pass gave the Cardinals a 20-6 lead entering the final period. Charlie Moster ran 4 consecutive plays for 15 yards before Sacred Heart was forced to punt. Savoy slowly moved down field, with good tackles from Jeff Hartman, Walterscheid, and John Yosten forcing a punt after 10 plays.

Two plays later, the Cardinals picked off another Tiger pass, but the following play, Sacred Heart regained possession when Yosten covered a loose ball at midfield. Another holding flag hampered the Tigers, punting the ball away. Savoy's offense played out the remaining time.

"As a team, we have to learn the level of competition it takes to win high school football in

Texas. We're now struggling a bit with the sense of lack of experience at winning. That's something that comes with time, when in a building mode," concluded Coach Hogan.

TEAM STATS		S	
SH	8	1st downs	15
31/83	Rushes/yds.	16/64	
39	Passing yds.	229	
15/4/4	Att./comp./int.	16/9/1	
4/33	Punts/avg.	2/43	
2/2	Fumbles/lost	3/3	
14/127	Penalties/yds.	1/10	
SH	0	6	0
S	0	6	14
		0	20

Individual Stats:
RUSHING: SH, Charlie Moster 11/54; S, Terry Lewis 8/29, Dusty Burkhalter 3/21;
RECEIVERS: SH, Josh Walterscheid 2/36; S, Dan Ferguson 3/59; Jeremy Reynolds 2/61. **TURNOVERS:** Matthew Nasche, Josh Walterscheid, Stephen Hofbauer, John Yosten.

Next Action - Saint Jo
 The Tigers will host the Panthers of Saint Jo this Friday.

The Panthers are coming off a big 21-7 win over 2A Aubrey. "They started out with a big win, only to improve as the season goes on," noted Hogan. "Saint Jo has a good team, good offensive and defensive lines. To get a win we'll have to play all four quarters."

Saint Jo lost 12 lettermen, but have several younger starters returning from a 6-4 team.

Players to watch include: in the backfield Greg Reeves, Tim Sampson, and Scott Harris, and linemen Tobe McCann and Josh Raymond.

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- ✓ Wear polarized sunglasses to cut glare off the water and enable you to locate certain fish when sight casting.



SOURCES: Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, (www.window.state.tx.us), and Texas Parks and Wildlife.

Young Tigers begin with victory over Savoy 8-6

Fourteen Sacred Heart junior varsity Tigers hosted Savoy's JV last Thursday and took a come-from-behind, 8-6 victory.

John Knabe booted the opening kick, putting the Cardinals on their 9 yard line, but three plays later, Savoy took off down field on an 83 yard touchdown run. The extra point failed for a 6-0 score with 4:14 on the quarter clock.

The teams exchanged punts, with Sacred Heart sitting on the 17 yard line. Luke Endres gained 18 yards as the second period began. Michael Voth added another 17 to midfield.

The Tigers continued to move down field, an Aaron Walterscheid pass to Chris Fuhrmann, two short Endres runs and an interference flag took Sacred Heart to the 29. Then the drive stalled. Three unsuccessful plays were followed by a fumble, giving Savoy possession on their 31. The next play Matt Donahue covered a loose ball and the Tigers regained control.

Sacred Heart's passing attempt failed three times, but a personal foul and interference call placed the ball on the 20. On fourth and 6, the Tigers fumbled again, and the Cardinals played out the remaining first half.

Luke Endres returned the 3rd quarter kick to midfield. Mixed runs by Walterscheid, Endres and Voth and short pitches to Endres and Voth moved the ball to the 30. A Walterscheid to Endres pass behind the blocking of Clint Fuhrmann, took the Tigers to the 5 yard line. An interference call gained four yards, followed by a quarterback keeper by Aaron Walterscheid to tie the game. A Walterscheid to Chris Fuhrmann pass gave the Tigers an 8-6 lead with 2:40 remaining in the 3rd quarter.

Sacred Heart defense led by Cloy Baldwin, Thomas Whitecotton and Endres forced a Savoy punt, which the Tigers blocked. From the 32, a flag assisted the Tigers to the 20 as the final period began, but another fumble stopped any chance of scoring.

Again the teams exchanged punts. An intercepted pass by Clint Fuhrmann put the Tigers in control to end the night with a 6-8 victory.

Luke Endres led all rushers with 51 yards. Michael Voth added 25.

Lady Hornets begin cross country training

The Lady Hornets of Muenster High have started workouts for cross country. In 1998, the Lady Hornets finished second in district and fourth at regional - missing a trip to state competition by three points. This season, the girls have a goal of making it to state, but they know it will not be an easy task.

Leading the cross country team this season are four year veterans, Allison Endres and Kelly Felderhoff. Returning for another year are juniors Kerri Felderhoff, Kristie Lutkenhaus, Megan Hennigan, and Kacie Garcia, and sophomores Krystal Hale, Brittany Haverkamp, Laci Endres, Pamela Lutkenhaus, Ashley Klement and Ashley Hess. Freshmen joining the team include Jamie Gerstberger, Lisa Felderhoff, Amanda Felderhoff, Kami Klement, Megan Lippe, and Marion Booth.

Saturday, September 4, cross country fielded two teams at the Marcus Invitational meet held in Denton. There were 14 teams and 150 runners in Class IA and 2A. Results were:
 M. Hennigan 37 14:36
 J. Gerstberger 45 14:47
 K. Felderhoff 55 15:08
 Kerri Felderhoff 58 15:09
 A. Endres 59 15:11
 K. Lutkenhaus 60 15:12
 M. Booth 81 15:40
 A. Felderhoff 89 15:57
 K. Garcia 101 16:15
 K. Hale 105 16:33
 B. Haverkamp 109 16:57
 L. Felderhoff 113 17:19
 K. Klement 119 17:55
 L. Endres 127 18:51

Muenster finished in 7th place overall with 254 points. District rivals Alvord placed 2nd with 53 points, and Era 6th with 242 points. Cross Country Coach Jeff Teague commented that he was proud of his teams, but they will all have to practice intensely to meet their goals.

Football contest begins

With the beginning of the 1999 Muenster Enterprise Football Contest last week, contestants may have noticed one slight change. Due to the lack of advertising support, the number of games each week was dropped from 40 to 36. All other rules and procedures remain the same.

Week One had only 27 entries. Hopefully competition will strengthen as the word spreads that the contest has begun.

Many returning contestants entered the first week, with quite a few new entrants.

Veteran Dave Reiter broke a three-way tie to win first place. The top score was 29. Reiter missed the tie breaker score by 11 points. Charles

Edwards of Forestburg finished second with a 13 point spread and Bob Ambrose was third with 26 points in the tie breaker.

Guessing 28 games were Wayne Klement, Brian Herr, Matthew Nasche, and Karen Moster. Barbie Barnhill, Edna Hermes, and Nick Walterscheid picked 27 winners, while Tim Bindel, Ted Heers, and Edgar Dyer each missed 10.

Wayne Klement and Edna Hermes correctly guessed the final score of the Sacred Heart versus Savoy game.

Twenty-four contestants picked Era, 20 Gamesville, 18 Muenster, and 17 Lindsay. Eleven believed Sacred Heart and Valley View would win, while 10 correctly picked Callisburg and only one entry had Saint Jo as a winner.

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Sacred Heart	6, Savoy 20
Rockwall	30, Quinlan Boles 0
Lakehill	21, Ambassador 14
Balch Springs	14, Rising Star 0
American Heritage	?

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- 1 - Wheeler
- 2 - Bartlett
- 3 - Aspermont
- 4 - Dawson
- 5 - Detroit
- 10 - Muenster
- 11 - Wink
- 23 - Windthorst
- 41 - Era
- 59 - Valley View
- 63 - Chico
- 70 - Saint Jo
- 75 - Alvord
- 83 - Savoy
- 109 - Collinsville

Region III Top 10

- 1 - Dawson Bulldogs
- 2 - Detroit Eagles
- 3 - Muenster Hornets
- 4 - Wortham Bulldogs
- 5 - Tenaha Tigers
- 6 - Karnack Indians
- 7 - Blue Ridge Tigers
- 8 - Era Hornets
- 9 - Meridian Yellowjackets
- 10 - Celeste Blue Devils

Predictions

Muenster by 6 over Paradise Savoy by 18 over Fruitvale Era by 7 over Chico S&S by 13 over Collinsville Saint Jo at Sacred Heart, no firm Jacksboro by 40 over Valley View

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Craig Hartman (45), Jim Stoffels (70), and Danny Felderhoff move in and block an attempted Nocona field goal. Justin Fleitman caught the ball and returned it to the 35 yard line. Photo by Janie Hartman

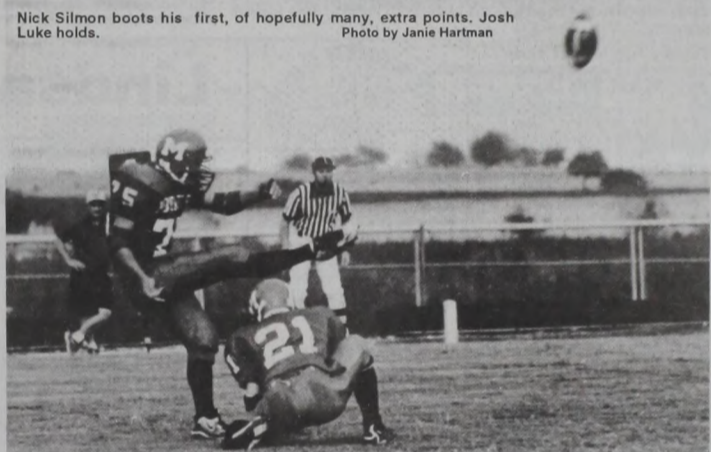
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Greg Johnson, alone at mid-field, catches a half-back pass from Mitch Endres for a 54 yard touchdown. Photo by Janie Hartman



Nick Silmon covers a ball dropped after a Nocona pass completion. Photo by Janie Hartman



Nick Silmon boots his first, of hopefully many, extra points. Josh Luke holds. Photo by Janie Hartman



1999 Sacred Heart Tigers

1999 Muenster Hornets Varsity Football Schedule

We	They			
17	Sep. 3	Nocona	H 7:30	0
	Sep. 10	Paradise	H 7:30	
	Sep. 17	Lindsay	T 7:30	
	Sep. 24	Alvord	H 7:30	
	Oct. 1	Windthorst	T 7:30	
	Oct. 8	Collinsville	T 7:30	
	Oct. 15	Valley View	T 7:30	
	Oct. 22	Saint Jo *	H 7:30	
	Oct. 29	Savoy	T 7:30	
	Nov. 5	Era **	T 7:30	

* Homecoming ** Parents' Night

1999 Sacred Heart Tigers Varsity Football Schedule

We	They			
8	Aug. 27	Southwest Christian	T 7:30	41
6	Sep. 3	Savoy	T 7:30	20
	Sep. 10	Saint Jo	H 8:00	
	Sep. 17	Santo	T 7:30	
	Sept. 24	Open		
	Oct. 1	Notre Dame	T 7:30	
	Oct. 8	American Heritage +	H 7:30	
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Knights win joust with Trojans

The Lindsay Knights pulled out a 19-12 victory Friday night over the Windthorst Trojans. "It's a win," said Lindsay Coach Charlie Meurer. "But we have a long way to go."

Lindsay began on their 16 yard line the first drive of the game. The Anderle brothers, Adrian and Adam, exchanged runs for 50 yards gained in three plays. But two fumbled plays and a quarterback sack forced a punt on 4th and 34. Cody Secrest's 43 yard punt put the Trojans on their 15 yard line.

Windthorst slowly moved down field, taking ten plays to get to the Knight 43. On third and 7, Jason Veitenheimer took off for a 43 yard touchdown run. The PAT kick failed and the Trojans had 6 points on the board with 2:43 on the quarter clock.

Lindsay bounced right back, starting with a 47 yard pass play from Trent Endres to Adrian Anderle to the Trojan 23. Adam Anderle picked up 3 and Nicholas Fuhrmann 6, but the Knights couldn't get the last needed yard, allowing Windthorst to take over as the 1st quarter ended.

Lindsay regained possession when Adrian Anderle covered a loose ball on the 27. Skyler Shauf then scored the next play to tie the game. Blake Crutsinger booted the extra point to give the Knights a 7-6 lead 5 seconds into the period.

Starting on their 20, the Trojan offense pounded away, taking 14 plays to get to the Knight 21 yard line. The drive ended when Ryan Kasperek covered a fumbled ball. The Knight offense was unable to make any gain. Secrest's 67 yard punt buried the Trojans inside their 20.

Again Windthorst moved at ease against Lindsay's defense, getting in 10 plays to the Knight 31. A quarterback sack by Crutsinger and Lindsay's pass defense stopped the Trojans at the 35. The next play, a loose Lindsay ball was covered by Issac Schank on the 10 yard line. Pressured by Crutsinger, a pass fell incomplete, but with 14.8 seconds on the clock, Matt Lindemann's pass to Nathan Anderle found pay dirt. The PAT failed for a 7-12 half-time score.

The teams exchanged punts, with the Knight defense tightening up on the Trojans 2nd drive. Kasperek, Crutsinger, Randy Sikes, and Ryan Tabbert combined tackles put Windthorst in a punting situation. A fake punt pass failed, putting Lindsay in good field position on the 26 yard line.

Adrian quickly picked up 11, then a Fuhrmann to Tabbert pass put Lindsay on the 2 yard line. The Knights were unable to score when a fumbled ball was covered by Brad Wolf.

The Trojans moved out to the 24. An illegal kick put them on the 19. The punt was then blocked by Blake Crutsinger and covered by Lindsay on the 11. The next play Adam Anderle went in for the score. The extra pass attempt failed for a 13-12 Lindsay lead with 2:11 remaining in the 3rd quarter.

The Knight defense, led by Secrest, Sikes, and Adam

Anderle, held the Trojans to 3 yards, forcing a punt. A 37 yard run by Adrian Anderle quickly moved Lindsay to the Trojan 24 as the final period began.

Again the Anderles took turns running, Adam gaining 11 and Adrian 12. From the 3, Adam scored. The extra kick failed for a Lindsay 19-12 lead with 9:33 left on the game clock.

The Trojan offense fought back, taking nine minutes off the clock, running 14 plays, gaining 64 yards to the 17 yard line. Any threat to win the game was taken away when Daniel Hellinger covered a fumbled ball. The Knights then killed the clock and got the victory.

"Both teams played hard," noted Coach Meurer. "Our

Tabbert. **TURNOVERS:** Adrian Anderle, Ryan Kasperek, Daniel Hellinger.

Next Action - Bells
The Knights will travel to Bells on Friday to take on the Panthers from district 12AA.

Only 6 lettermen return from last season's 4-6 team. "They play hard. They're a young team, ready to play," said Meurer. "It's going to be a battle."

Jason Reeves, Coach Gary Reeves' son, is a double threat as quarterback and defensive back. His favorite target is Pat Crites.

Meurer noted that the Knights must play better defensively and cut down on mistakes to get their second win of the season.

Action begins at 7:30 p.m. at Bells. Advance tickets are available at the school office.



Jonathan Bengfort (48), Adrian Anderle (22), and Ryan Tabbert (89), knock down Trojan Eric Schlumpf no gain. Photo by Janie Hartman



Adam Anderle takes advantage of the big opening made by the Knights offensive line to get into the endzone. Photo by Janie Hartman

offense moved at will, but our defense struggled. We have to improve every week.

TEAM STATS

L	W
8	1st downs 16
32/145	Rushes/yds. 55/261
60	Passing yds. 37
2/40	Comp./att./int. 3/13/0
3/45	Punts/avg. 2/31
5/2	Fumbles/lost 3/3
3/11	Penalties/yds. 6/26

L	W
0	7 6 6 19
6	6 0 0 12

Individual Stats:
RUSHING: L, Adrian Anderle, 11/98; W, Jason Veitenheimer 16/112. **TACKLES:** Blake Crutsinger, Adam Anderle, Randy Sikes, Cody Secrest, Tommy Arendt, and Ryan



Ryan Tabbert completed a sideline pass, then was pulled down by his facemask, moving the Knights a little closer to the endzone. Photo by Janie Hartman

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Lindsay Knights



Trojan Jason Veitenheimer picks up two yards before getting wrapped up by Cody Secrest (79), Blake Crutsinger, and Randy Sikes. Photo by Janie Hartman



Blake Crutsinger blocks an attempted Eric Schlumpf punt. Lindsay covered the ball on the Windthorst 11 yard line to set up a 3rd quarter touchdown. Photo by Janie Hartman

1999 Lindsay Knights Varsity Football Schedule

We	Th	Aug	Sep	Celina	UNT	They
14	19	26	3	Celina	7:30	49
			10	Windthorst	H 8:00	12
			17	Bells	T 7:30	
			24	Muenster **	H 7:30	
			31	Valley View	T 7:30	
		7		OPEN		
		14		Jacksboro	H 7:30	
		21		Boyd	T 7:30	
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"Each year, Farm Bureau honors an individual from each of the organization's 13 districts," Tim said. "There is also a retired staff person selected each year."

Only a County Farm Bureau Board of Directors may place a name in nomination, Tim said, but input from Farm Bureau members is welcome. Nominees must be Farm Bureau members, or in the case of a posthumous nomination, a member at the time of their death.

Leonard Hartman of Muenster was the Texas Farm Bureau Pioneer Award recipient in December 1997.

The deadline to apply for the Texas Farm Bureau 1999 Outstanding Young Farmer & Rancher award is September 17.

"The purpose of the award is to surface, identify and reward exceptional young people in agriculture," Tim said. "This is a tremendous opportunity for young farmers and ranchers with very lucrative prize packages."

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The contest is open to producers who are age 35 or younger by Jan. 31, 2000. For more information contact the Cooke County Farm Bureau at 940-665-1763.

Forage bermudagrass varieties

by Rod Reed of the Noble Foundation

Bermudagrass is a warm-season perennial grass that was introduced from Africa as early as the mid-1700s. It has been used for grazing, hay, turf, and erosion control. In the United States, improved varieties have been developed for over fifty years. This article will discuss some of the basic information about these varieties, focusing on those that are adapted to The Noble Foundation service region. Effort was devoted to making sure all regionally adapted varieties were included, however some varieties may have been inadvertently omitted.

Alicia is a bermudagrass adapted to the eastern portions of Oklahoma and Texas. Alicia has a yield potential similar to Coastal; however, forage quality of Alicia is lower than most other bermudagrasses. In addition, it is susceptible to rust. The reason for planting Alicia in the past was that it establishes easily from tops.

Brazos bermudagrass was developed by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and jointly released with USDA-Soil Conservation Service (USDA-SCS), USDA-Agricultural Research Service (USDA-ARS), and the Louisiana Agricultural Experiment Station (LAES). Brazos is well adapted south of the Brazos River and survival

is adequate in north Texas. It is somewhat slower to establish than Coastal and is lower yielding on sandy soil. Brazos is better adapted to heavy-textured soils than Coastal. Brazos has higher forage quality and animal performance than Coastal. It has larger leaves and stems than Coastal producing coarser hay that may not be as easily marketed.

Cheyenne is a selected line that has performed well in Georgia and may have potential in Oklahoma and Texas where a seeded variety is desired. Adaptation to Oklahoma and Texas conditions is not well understood at this time.

Coastal was the first hybrid bermudagrass developed in the United States. It was released by the Georgia Coastal Plain Experiment Station (GCPEES) and USDA-ARS. Coastal is widely adapted in the lower South. In Oklahoma its range of adaptation is limited primarily to the first tier of counties along the Red River.

Grazer is a low growing bermudagrass that was released by the LAES and USDA-ARS. It is adapted to a wide range of soils and produces a dense stand. Because of its low growth habit it is not well suited as a hay crop. Grazer tends to have lower yields but higher forage quality than Coastal, Brazos, Midland, and Tifton 44. A northern limit to its range of adaptation has not been established; it may be slightly less winter-hardy than Coastal bermudagrass.

Greenfield is an intermediate common type released by the Oklahoma Agricultural Experiment Station (OAES). It is a winter-hardy variety that is well adapted to Oklahoma. Greenfield forms a dense sod and has a lower yield potential than Midland.

Guyton bermudagrass is a seeded variety released by the OAES primarily for erosion control and soil stabilization. It is adapted to all of Oklahoma. Forage yield of Guyton is less than that of other adapted varieties such as Midland and Midland 99.

Hardie bermudagrass was also released by the OAES. It has higher forage quality than Midland and similar yield potential. Hardie tends to perform poorer than Midland in the summer with better performance in spring and fall. In addition, Hardie is susceptible to leaf spot diseases and does not tolerate acid soils limiting its adaptation in eastern Oklahoma and states further east.

Jiggs is a new variety whose range of adaptation is not yet fully known. It will most likely be limited to south of Interstate 20. Jiggs has rapid establishment and is somewhat susceptible to leaf rust.

Midland is a hybrid between Coastal and a winter-hardy common bermudagrass that was released by the OAES, GCPEES, and USDA-ARS. It has earlier greenup than Coastal; however, yields are lower than Coastal when grown where Coastal does not suffer winter injury. Midland is well adapted to all of Oklahoma and is recommended for the northern portion of the bermudagrass-producing region.

Midland 99 is a new variety of bermudagrass that was released by the OAES, Noble Foundation, and USDA-ARS. Midland 99 is adapted to a wider area than Midland. Yields in southern Oklahoma have been similar to Coastal. It has consistently out-yielded Midland and Greenfield and yields have been equal to or greater than Tifton 44.

Quickstand bermudagrass was jointly released by the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station and USDA-ARS Plant Materials Center. It is more winter-hardy than both Midland and Hardie. Quickstand establishes quickly, and is low growing (5-6 inches) making it better suited for grazing than for hay.

Russell bermudagrass was released by the Alabama Agricultural Experiment Station and LAES. It is adapted to sandy loams and appears to be somewhat more winter-hardy than Coastal. Russell has out-produced Coastal and other hybrid bermudagrasses in high rainfall areas. However, yield potential under drier conditions is not known.

Suwannee was released by the GCPEES and USDA-ARS. It has a more open sod than Coastal. Suwannee has improved yields on deep sands

as compared to Coastal. Adaptation of this variety outside of the southeast United States has not been reported.

The GCPEES and USDA released **Tifton** bermudagrass. It is a winter-hardy variety that is well adapted in Oklahoma and north Texas. Tifton 44 has finer stems than Coastal and forms a denser sod. Forage quality is higher and yields similar to Coastal in areas where both are adapted. It is more resistant to leaf disease than Midland.

Tifton 85 bermudagrass was released by the GCPEES and USDA-ARS. It is adapted to sandy and well-drained soils. Its northern limit is not well established but will most likely not extend into Oklahoma. Tifton 85 has improved yields and digestibility when compared to Coastal. Its leaves and stems are darker green and larger than those of Coastal bermudagrass. Yields in establishment year are potentially higher than in other bermudagrasses.

Wrangler is a new variety of bermudagrass that is established from seed. Forage yields of Wrangler are potentially higher than yields of Guyton. It is a variety that has not been widely evaluated at this time.

World Feeder and **Gordon's** **Giant** bermudagrasses are proprietary products of Agricultural Enterprises of Oklahoma City. They are both winter-hardy and adapted to much of Oklahoma as well as other states.

There are several seeded varieties available that are blends with giant bermudagrass. Giant bermudagrass is not winter-hardy and stands tend to become dominated by the other component of the blend. **Ranchero Frio** is a mixture of Cheyenne and giant. **Texas Tough** is 33% giant and 67% common, while **Tierra Verde** is 50% giant and 50% common. These varieties are currently being evaluated. The place these varieties are on shallow or rocky soils where the hybrids can not be planted or on soils where the hybrids cannot reach their yield potential.

As you can see, there is much to consider in selecting a variety. Any mention of a specific variety does not imply endorsement by The Noble Foundation.

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Attend Your County Convention Sept. 13, 1999

Dear Farm Bureau Members,

The Cooke County Farm Bureau invites you to attend the Annual County Convention on **Monday, Sept. 13, 1999** starting at 6:30 P.M. at **The Center Restaurant in Muenster, Texas.**

All county Farm Bureau members are invited to attend this meeting.

Due to limited seating availability, you are asked to contact either the Muenster office at 940-759-4052 or the Gainesville office at 940-665-1763 prior to Monday, Sept. 13th by noon to confirm that you will be attending.

Guest speaker will be Bob Stallman, President of Texas Farm Bureau.

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Sold at Friday's sale were 1,185 head of cattle compared to 1,417 head of cattle the previous week. Tuesday, the market conducted the sale of 348 goats, 89 sheep and 145 hogs. The numbers for last week were 320, 155 and 162 respectively. Results of both sales follow:

Feeder Steers (per lb.) 200-300 lbs.: No. 1, 99-114; Nos. 2 & 3, 78-99; 300-400 lbs.: No. 1, 95-112; Nos. 2 & 3, 75-95; 400-500 lbs.: No. 1, 90-100; Nos. 2 & 3, 70-90; 500-600 lbs.: No. 1, 80-89; Nos. 2 & 3, 70-80; 600-700 lbs.: No. 1, 73-79; Nos. 2 & 3, 65-73; 700-800 lbs.: No. 1, 69-71; Nos. 2 & 3, 60-69.	Feeder Heifers (per lb.) 200-300 lbs.: No. 1, 92-102; Nos. 2 & 3, 70-92; 300-400 lbs.: No. 1, 88-92; Nos. 2 & 3, 68-88; 400-500 lbs.: No. 1, 80-89; Nos. 2 & 3, 65-80; 500-600 lbs.: No. 1, 72-81; Nos. 2 & 3, 60-72; 600-700 lbs.: No. 1, 70-74; Nos. 2 & 3, 60-70; 700-	800 lbs.: No. 1, 62-70; Nos. 2 & 3, 55-62.	220-275, 25-30: Sows: US 1-3, 300-650, 17-23; Boars: US 1-3, 200-650, 05-12; Feeders: US 1-3, 100-175; \$30-\$40 per head.
Slaughter Cattle (per lb.) Slaughter bulls: yield grade 1-2, 1,200-2,050 lbs.; 43-50. Slaughter cows: utility 1-3, 26-35; cutter, 35-40.	Stocker Cows (per head) Pregnancy-tested, 3- to 9-year-olds-large frame: \$525-\$600; medium frame, \$450-\$525.	Cow-calf pairs w/calfes under 250 lbs. - large frame, \$675-\$785; medium frame, \$600-\$675.	Sheep (per lb.) Lambs: 65-90; Ewes: 32-50; Bucks: 30-40.
Hog (per lb.) Barrows & Gilts: US 1-2, 2,220-275, 30-33; US 2-3,	Dairy Goats (per head) Kids: \$10-\$50; Nannies: \$30-\$60; Billies: \$50-\$80.	Meat Goats (per head) Kids: \$25-\$55; Nannies: \$50-\$85; Billies: \$50-\$100.	

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Cattleman's conference set for Sept. 24

This year's Metroplex Cattlemen's Conference will be held Friday, September 24, at the Texas A&M Dallas Research and Extension Center in North Dallas, from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Registration and trade show open at 7:45 a.m.

Subjects include working with nature - forage production, cattle performance health, marketing and cost control.

Three hours of continuing education units (CEU's) will be given for integrated pest management training.

Registration is \$15 received before September 1 and \$20 at the door.

The fee includes a copy of the proceedings, refreshments a breaks and lunch. For more information contact Fred Burrell, Dallas County, Extension agent at 214-904-3050.