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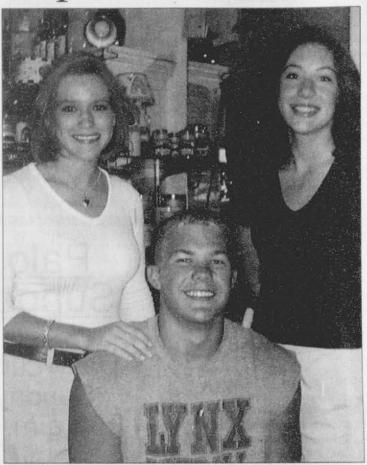
# Local Students Attend Leadership Conference

by Kathryn Murphy

Two girls, a guy and the chance of a lifetime. This was just the beginning of a wonderful experience for me and two of my friends. Earlier in the year, Kelsey Henton, Syd Woodington and myself were selected to be sponsored by the Spearman Rotary to attend the World Affairs Seminar in Whitewater Wisconsin. At first, we all had visions of serious seminars and intense intellectual stimulation, but once we got there, we discovered that it wasn't just world affairs we would be learning about.

On Saturday, June 17, three unlikely travelers met at the Amarillo Airport and boarded a plane that would take us to DFW and eventually on to O'Hare Airport in Chicago. There was no sponsor with us and the thought of navigating around the busiest airport in the US was a bit intimidating, but after collecting our baggage and meeting up with about a hundred other seminar students we quickly fell into the groove. Whitewater, Wisconsin is a small town not unlike Spearman. It is the campus for Whitewater College and is in the middle of nowhere with just a few restaurants and stores lining its streets Kelsey, Syd and I felt right at home. We easily made a large group of friends from all over the US and even a few from other countries. As the week began, I could see that this was going to be one of the most unique experiences of my life.

Our days were quite routine. In the mornings we all walked to breakfast and then on to morning seminar. Seminars consisted of a speaker that talked on a specific topic, a world affair that he/she specialized in. After his talk, there would be a question and answer



Syd Woodington, Kelsey Henton and Kathryn Murphy

or Burger King, afternoon sessions began. It sounds like a rigorous schedule, yes, but it was not overwhelming at all. Actually, it was quite fun. At night, we would meet up with our new found friends and go to the activity center where there was dancing, refreshments, and videos. After 11:00, everybody had to be in their dorms, not necessarily in their own rooms, but just in their dorm building. So for hours on end the girls in my dorm would congregate in the basement, order pizza and soft drinks, and visit about our geographical locaperiod where the students were tion, the kinds of lifestyles we led, encouraged to ask about anything and the funny accents everyone they did not understand. After else had, I guess I really didn't Seminar, we would break up into realize just how severe my accent small groups and discuss in detail was until I heard everybody else future of their world, I became the speaker, the issues, and what speak. I constantly heard giggles comforted by the thought that all we could do to help with this prob- after I talked aloud in a group. It we need is people that want to didn't bother me though, learning make a difference, and the rest will After a great lunch at Taco Bell about other cultures and lifestyles

was one of the most enriching aspects of the trip.

Needless to say, after a week of staying up late and getting up early to go to seminar in the morning, Kelsey, Syd and I were quite beat. The plane ride home was quiet this time, with each of us absorbed in our thoughts and memories of the trip. It was an educational camp, yes, but it wasn't just lessons in politics and the environment that I learned. Of all the different types of individuals around the world, there is a tie that binds: the fact that we are all living on Earth and we are all faced with the same problems. As I looked over an auditorium full of 1500 high school seniors concerned with the fall into place.

# Big Brothers/Big Sisters Serving the Panhandle

submitted

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Texas Panhandle Hansford/Ochiltree Counties Satellite office and four area matches enjoyed an outing at Lake Palo Duro on

SERVING HANSFORD COUNTY SINCE 1907

"We are very grateful for the volunteers we have, both those who are Big Brothers or Sisters and those who serve on the Advisory Committee," said Robert Holland, III, Chair of the Committee, as he welcomed everyone. Other members, Pat Wilson, Charles Kelly, Jose Cano, Paula Kelly and their families were also present. Debbie Townsend, a Waiting Big Sister and member of the agency's Recruitment Subcommittee, helped organize the event.

Along with Committee members, local matches including Glynell McCoy and Dalia, Theresa Brillhart and Elise, Pam Ellis and Liliana, and Wilson and Jose enjoyed hamburgers and hot dogs, the many park amenities and getting to know one another. "It was a good opportunity to see how the work that goes into recruitment and fundraising really makes a differ- may call 434-0016 or 1-800-687-8282." ence in children's lives," said Holland.

"One of the reasons that BBBS is so suc-Members of the Advisory Committee of cessful is the careful follow-up after matches are made. We talk to the parent, child and volunteer every month for the first year of the match just to keep up with how things are going and to offer encouragement. We also provide match activities like this picnic at the lake so that they can not only have a good time but also realize they aren't lone rangers, there are other matches around and people who support them," explained Kimberley Lopez, case manager.

> Big Brothers Big Sisters is a volunteer driven organization dedicated to placing children ages six to fourteen from single parent homes in relationships with qualified mentors for the development of positive life skills and social values. "We have seven local matches and two Big Sisters and one Little Brother who are ready to be matched. We need caring people to volunteer to serve as Bigs, especially Big Brothers, and on the Advisory Committee," said Lopez. "Anyone interested in more information about the program

## Frost Retires



Lowe's Employees (Back Row, L-R) Ron Gibson, June Spencer and Paul Lopez (Front) Retiree Joyce Frost

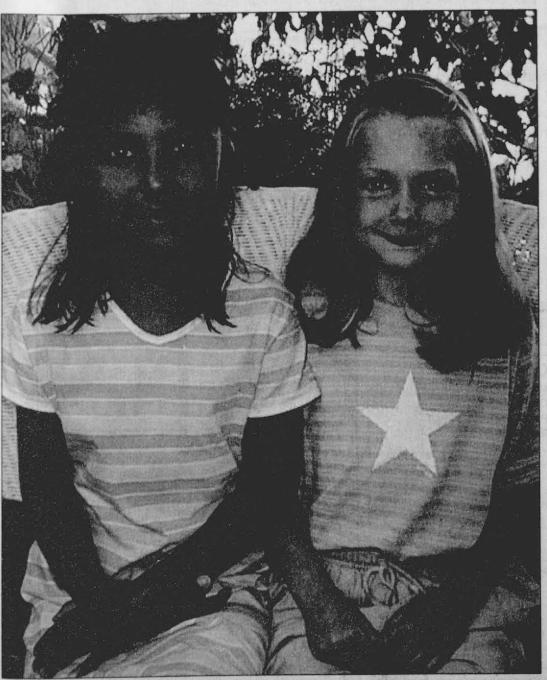
Joyce Frost retired from Lowe's Marketplace on July 1, 1999 after 20 years in grocery retail.

Frost began work for the grocery in 1979 when the business was owned by Pete Fisher and was named Thriftway. She became associated with Lowe's Marketplace in 1989 when the grocery's ownership changed.

All of Frost's twenty years of work were in the produce department where she has served as

Produce Manager the past six years. Frost states that she has enjoyed her job and her association with the store. Upon her retirement, Frost was given a money tree from the store's employees and a scrapbook of photographs made by Wanda Shields on behalf of all the employ-

Joyce is married to Harold Frost and the couple has two children and four grandchildren. Their son Robbin Keetch and his wife Lisa and their children Brittany and Laci live in Perryton, and daughter Tracie and her husband Joey Burcham and their children Robyn and Weston live in Sublette, Kansas.



The 1999 winners of the Bookmark Contest at the Hansford County Library are Britani Vasquez, the six-year-old daughter of Israel and Rosa Vasquez and Sutton Garnett, the seven-year-old daughter of Jon and Kelli Garnett. The winning bookmark designs have been sent in for printing. These bookmarks should be available for distribution at the Hansford County Library sometime in late August or early September. These young ladies are to be congratulated for their creative efforts!

# BIRTHDAY

Editor's Note: This Happy Birthda list is run as a public service by the Hansford County Reporter-Statesman. We apologize if any names are misspelled. If you know of a name that needs to be changed, added or deleted, please 659-3434. Thank you, Catherine Smith

July 22 - Frances Cudd, Birthday -Robert Reid, Joe Cole, Tiffany Hand, Luke Pittman, Flavil Ayers, Freddie Largent, Edith Phillip, Jack Karlin, Johnny Pelcher, Grace Kirk

Walter & Anniversary Dorothy Wooley, Mr. & Mrs. Jim Davis, Mr. & Mrs. Roy Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. Don Dillow

July 23

Birthday - T.J. Bergin, Linda
Beeson, Becky Leach, Peggy
Winegarner, Travis Bennett, Elivina Rodriquez, Robert Blevins, Mark Schoenhals Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Howard Barkley

July 24 - Kaylee Holt, Birthday - Kaylee Holt, Christina Sanchez, Neil Pack, Irven Barber, Tammy Freman, Glen Ray Mackie, Maria Maria Arjona, Ray Gressett, Sophia Salgado, Mary McIntyer, Wanda Schubert, Nathan Pipkin, Mary Martinez, Aaron Winegarner, Adam Cherry, Shannon Acker, Mattie Yanke, Taylor Tice

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Lynn Boyd

July 26 Birthday - Raquel Matthews Whitehead, George P. Odom, P.D. Swink, Jolain Ball, Jerry Long, Nell Benton, Ronnie Bullard, Mrs. J.D. Wilbanks, Tammi Holmes, Traci Scribner, Misty Payne, Cayla Smith, Oscar Valdez, Mini Largent, Dellarosa, Jennifer Dede

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs George Rook, Mr. & Mrs. Sergio Vaquera, Mr. & Mrs. Danny Henson, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Stayton

July 27 Birthday - Tracy Bevill, Misty Kauffman, Marvin Jones, Bobby Don Smith, Nancy Kauffman, McIntyre, Kay Beeson, Bob Dennis, Frank Salgado Jr., Olivia Renteria, Michael Olivia Renteria, Michael Wayne Ross, Carl Kizzar, Donny McMahan, Alice Lackey, Josh Lackey, Robin Capps, Ashley Swan, Bill Hand, Ryan Phillips, Able Eaton, Valerie Burnum

Anniversary - Bos & Sis Staton, Keith & Jodie Hight, Ed & Tanja Whitefield, Ronald & Elaine Swan, Mr. & Mrs. Owen Montgomery, Mr. & Mrs. Sonny Patterson, Tom & Beth Dortch, Jimmy & Lois Shieldknight, Mr. & Mrs. Lonnie Clemmons, Mr. & Mrs. Marlos May

Birthday - Letecia Favela, Holly Hart, Jordan Hicks Rodriquez, Wendy Gibson, Francis Williams, Jo Garcia Jr., Lee Shaver, Marlane Taylor, Maria Ochoa, Wendy Reagan Karlin, Rodriquez, Patsy Reddin, Verlin Winegarner

Anniversary - Harry & Hazel Stumph, Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Bayless, Mr. & Mrs. Clay Fewell, Mr. & Mrs. Ted Vela July 29

Birthday - Macee Casdorph Rex Ralston, Brent Stedje Scott Stedje, Martin Ochoa Jr. Kammy Goodheart, Hagerman, Robert Graham, Christi Close, Tracy Wilson Mrs. Jack Whitson, Kenny Red, Carol Dickens, Valorie Shields, Aaron Witten, Mae Wofford, Tanner Hand, Kristi Ramón, Jessica Montgomery, Richard Trantham, LoRee Booth, Ruth Mary Whitson, LoRee Mae Wofford, Dallas Trosper,

Marlee Castillo Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Jack Sparks, Teddy & Mary Lou Vela, Betty & Ron Dunaway, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Dahl Richey & Karen Thompson

July 30 Birthday - John Reed, Bob Skinner, Pat Tucker, Jim Nicholson, Lynn Ann Sanders, Ronda Cook, Pamela Cates, Cummings, Kara Sandra Pipkin, Raquel Saldivar, Alec Ceniceros, Alice Cook, Katie Gibson, Johnny Bennett

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Davin Winger, Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Mr. & Mrs Avila, Mr. & Mrs. Hoyle Holliday July 31

Birthday Mary Kathy Connelly, Vanlandingham, Bonnie Jones Danna Close, Sherry Brand. Jessie Burke, Jody Harnish Hector Nava, Mike Slater, Ronnie Lusby, Cary Collier, Cecil Biggers, Jennifer Marrs, Cody Reynolds, Nancy Garcia August 1

Birthday - Cap Benson, Lisa Kyle Irwin, Frankie Leatherman, Annie Mayhew, Benjamin Gyene Spivey, Williams, Johnnie Williams, Ronnie Williams, Tommy Lovett, Jo Brown, Leann Swan Yvonda Stokes, Clemmons, Kevin Kirk, Rob Barber, Kelli McWhirter, David Swan, Jim Scarborough, Kiki West, Hershey Martin, Joyce Crooks, Alfonso Ceniceros, Larry Trosper, Patricia Quillin, Gabriel Lopez, Sara Wright

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Mike Minter, Mr. & Mrs. Tommy Cathey, Jr., Stephen and Rae Lynn Cook

# With Deepest Sympathy

Fay Palmer Holt

Fay Palmer Holt, 77, of Spearman, died in her home on Thursday, July

Graveside services were held on Saturday, July 17, 1999 at 3:00 p.m. at the Holt Cemetery with the Rev. Beverly Cook officiating. Interment was in Holt Cemetery, under the direction of Boxwell Brothers Funeral

Mrs. Holt had lived in the area for 35 years, moving from Pampa. She married Nolan Holt on May 16, 1987

She had lived in the Texas Panhandle all of her life. She was a graduate of Stinnett High School. She was a member of the Gladiola Flower Club, Twentieth Century Club, Holt Home Demonstration Club, and First United Methodist Church. Fay was past Worthy Matron of the Order of Eastern Star Chapter #721 in Spearman.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Coy Palmer and her mother. Louie Sampson.

She is survived by her husband, Nolan Holt of Spearman; two sons, Brice Palmer of Benson, VT and Michael Palmer of Middlebury, VT; one stepdaughter, Linda Jarvis of Spearman; one stepson, Larry Holt of Spearman; two brothers, Elmer Conley of Booker, TX and W.D. Conley of Oklahoma City, OK; five grandsons, six granddaughters; and three

The family requests memorials be to the Holt Cemetery Association or Hansford Hospice.

Charles Gail "Charlie" Smith

Charles Gail "Charlie" Smith, 80, of Lubbock, died on Thursday, July 15, 1999 at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock.

Services were held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 17, 1999 at Calvary Baptist Church in Lubbock with the Rev. Chris Sutton, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery with graveside services at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, with the Rev. Anthony Sisemore, pastor of Floydada First Baptist Church officiating. Services were under the direction of Adams Funeral Home of Crosbyton.

Ms. Smith was born on October 9, 1918 in Cooper, Texas. She married Alvin L. "Flukie" Smith on October 20, 1937 in Clovis, NM. He preceded her in death on March 19, 1990.

She was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church and the Lydia Sunday School Class. She worked for Dillard's for several years in the cosmetic department. She and her husband moved to Lubbock in 1974 from Crosby County. While living in the Lakeview Community, she was a member and Sunday School Superintendent at the Mt. Blanco Baptist Church. She was a farmer and rancher, alongside her late husband. They lived in the historic Hank Smith Rock House in Blanco Canyon, until it

She was also preceded in death by three brothers, one sister, and her

Survivors include one son and his wife. Choise and Kay Dean Smith of Floydada, TX; one daughter and her husband, Scarlett and George "Punk" Jackson of Spearman; two brothers, Tom Oats of Lubbock and Scott Oats of McAllen, TX; three sisters, Pansy Sever of Lubbock, Sue Cobb of Boiser City, LA and Billie Tucker; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Thank You

Words just are not enough to express how we were so touched by the outpouring of love expressed to us in the passing of our father and grandfather, Billy Boatwright. All one needs to do to realize what a great place Spearman, TX is, is to move. What Spearman has is so very rare! When you need help, people are just there.

There are so many people to thank that not all can be listed. However, special thanks must go out to Sonny Patterson, Charles and Fred Shieldknight, Carl, Cameron and Dan Kunselman, David Boyd, Joel Shields, and everyone at Five Star Equipment.

We will never be able to repay all of the things you have done for us. We can only say thank you.

Love.

Jerry, Vivian, Little Billy, Lindsey, Brandon Boatwright; Jim, Donna and Amy Murray

### Thank You

Dear Friends,

We want to express our gratitude and love for all the acts of kindness to our family during the loss of our dad, Lester McLain. The many prayers, visits, phone calls, cards, flowers, memorials, food - all of these things comforted and warmed our hearts. All the services given by the caregivers to our dad, we will never forget, for they were given in love and concern for our whole family and certainly above and beyond anything that we could have hoped. To our church family and extended church family, we are so grateful; to Dr. Bublis and the entire staff of the Hansford Manor and the Hansford Hospital we say thanks; to the Hospice staff, we will never forget your tender loving care; to the emergency ambulance staff and volunteers; and to all who took their time to love our dad, we say thanks. We are in danger of leaving someone out that took their time, and to you we say thanks. This is a wonderful community and we are so fortunate to be among caring friends.

Sincerely.

The Lester McLain Family

Don & Gwen McLain & Family; Mary & J.L. Brock & Family; Mona & Don May & Family; Reva & Ron Money & Family; Les Harlan & Samantha Harlan; Cheri & Terry McGovern & Family

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In conclusion be strong - not in yourselves but in the Lord, in the power of His boundless strength. Put on God's complete armor so that you can successfully resist all the devil's craftiness. For our fight is not against any physical enemy: it is against organizations and powers that are spiritual. We are up against the unseen power that controls this dark world, and spiritual agents from the very headquarters of evil. Therefore you must wear the whole armor of God that you may be able to resist evil in its day of power, and that even when you have fought to a standstill you may still stand your ground. Take your stand then with truth as your belt, integrity your breastplate, the gospel of peace firmly on your feet, salvation as your helmet and in your hand the sword of the Spirit, the Word of God. Above all be sure you take faith as your shield, for it can quench every burning missile the enemy hurls at you. In all your petitions pray at all times with every kind of spiritual prayer, keeping alert and persistent as you pray for all Christ's men and women.

My prayer for you, my very dear friend, is that you may be as healthy and prosperous in every way as you are in soul.

Taken from 111 Jn., Jas. 5, Rom. 8, Eph. 6, The Phillips Translation, The Living Bible, and The New King James.

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First Assembly of God 401 N. Bernice \* 659-2295 Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship: 10:35 a.m. Kid's Church: 10:35 a.m. Evening Worship: 7 p.m. Wed. Worship: 7:30 p.m. Youth: 7:30 Wednesday Pastor - Walter Greaser, Jr.

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) 29 S. Bernice \* 659-2036 Sunday School: 945 a.m. Worship: 10:50 a.m. Evening Bible Study Worship: 6:30 p.m. Sun. Minister - Joseph Weaks

First Baptist Church 3 N. Bernice • 659-5557 First Baptist Church
123 N. Bernice \* 659-5557
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
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Wed. Fellowship Meal: 6 p.m.
Wed. Disc. Time: 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Youth Mtg.: 8 p.m.
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Youth/Ed. Min. - Brian Foster

Church of Christ
121 S. Haney \* 659-3244
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Bible Study Wed.: 7:30 p.m.
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Faith Lutheran Church (ELCA) 1101 Bernice • 659-2252 (Worships with First Presbyterian Church)

First United Methodist First United Methodist
407 S. Haney • 659-5503
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High School: 6 p.m., Sunday
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Pastor - Ken Cole

Union Church
31 S. Endicott • 659-2644
Sunday School; 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship; 6 p.m.
Bible Study: 7 p.m. Wed
Pastor - Bill Sparks

Fellowship Baptist 1102 S. Archer \* 659-2783 Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Sun. Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Youth/Adult Serv.: 7:30 Wed. Pastor - Gene Foster

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Wednesday
Pastor - Scott Curry

Church of Christ 209 King • 733-2760 Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship: 10:20 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Wed. Worship: 7:30 p.m.

First Christian Church 510 King • 733-2960 Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship: 11 a.m. Youth: 7:30, Sunday Adult Bible Study: 7:30, Sun. Wed. Bible Study: 8:00 p.m. Pastor - Gary Gumfory

Oslo Lutheran Church (ECLA) 6 Miles West & 12 Miles North-of Gruver 339-7709 Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m.

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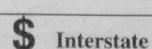
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by Gary C. Smith gcs@ren.net



A high government official sent me these shower tips. I am withholding his name for his personal protection.

How to Shower like a Woman

1. Take off the fourteen layers of clothing you put on this morning because there was a distinct chill in the air due to the temperature dropping below 73 degrees. Carefully fold and place in clothes hamper. 2. Walk to bathroom. If you see your husband along the way, cover up any exposed flesh immediately. 3. Look at your womanly physique in the mirror and stick out your gut so that you can complain and whine even more about how you're getting fat. 4. Position the shower nozzle away from you and turn on water. 5. Get in the shower, once you have found it through all that steam. 6. Look for facecloth, armcloth, legcloth, long loofah, wide loofah and pumice stone. 7. Wash your hair once with Cucumber and Lamfrey shampoo with 83 added vitamins. 8. Wash your hair again with Cucumber and Lamfrey shampoo with 83 added vitamins. 9. Condition your hair with Cucumber and Lamfrey conditioner enhanced with natural crocus oil. Leave on hair for fifteen minutes. 10. Watch fallen hair accumulate on drain & fret. 11. Wash your face with crushed apricot facial scrub until red. 12. Wash entire rest of body with Ginger Nut and Jaffa Cake body wash. 13. Complain bitterly when you realize that your husband has once again been eating your Ginger Nut and Jaffa Cake body wash. 14. Rinse conditioner off hair (this takes at least fifteen minutes as you must make sure that it has all come off). 15. Shave armpits and evaluate if there is time left for legs. 16. Slick hair back and pretend you're like Bo Derek in 10. 17. Use pumice stone to soften rough spots on feet. 18. Use massage mitt to reduce cellulite on thighs. 19. Use nail brush to clean toe nails. 20. Scream loudly when your husband runs faucet and you get a rush of cold water. 21. Cover your entire body in baby oil. 22. Turn hot water on full and rinse off, making shower dangerously slippery for husband. 23. Dry with a towel the size of a small African country. 24. Check entire body for the remotest sign of a spot, or new hair in an uncommon place. 25. Apply body lotion from the neck down. Moisturize. Moisturize! 26. Return to bedroom wearing long dressing gown and towel on head. If you see your husband along the way, gover up any exposed flesh immediately, and then rush to bedroom.

How To Shower Like a Man

1. Take off clothes while sitting on the edge of the bed and leave them in a pile on the floor. 2. Walk to bathroom wearing a towel. If you see your wife along the way, flash her. 3. Look at your manly physique in the mirror and suck in your gut to see if you have pecs. 4. Turn on the water, get jet blast in ear. 5. Check for pecs again, 6. Get in the shower, 7. Don't bother to look for a washcloth. (you don't use one) 8. Wash your face (not compulsory). 9. Whistle a few bars of the Irish Spring song. 10. Wash your armpits (not compulsory). 11. Wash your groin area. 12. Wash your behind. 13. Cough up anything that might be lodged in the back of your throat. 14. Shampoo your hair with the blue bar of deodorant soap. (no need for conditioner) 15. Make a shampoo Mohawk. 16. Open the door and look at yourself in the mirror. 17. Sample your wife's Ginger Nut and Jaffa Cake bodywash. 18. Pee 19. Blow your right nostril. 20. Blow your left nostril. 21. Rinse off and get out of the shower. 22. Return to the bedroom wearing a towel, if you pass your wife, flash her.

> Until Next Time, May God Bless. GCS

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### Engagement Announcement

Tracie Bruning of Robert Lee and Bruce Bruning of San Angelo, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Tara Michelle Bruning to Jacob Rickey Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Chapman of Henderson, Tx. Tara is the granddaughter of Venita Womack and Bud and Rose Marie Bruning, all former residents of

The future bride, formerly of Spearman, is a 1998 graduate of Robert Lee High School. She attends Blinn College in Bryan. The future groom is a 1991 graduate of Henderson High School and a 1995 graduate of Texas A&M University where he majored in agricultural development. He is employed with the United States Department of Agriculture-Farm Service Agency.

The couple will exchange wedding vows at 7:00 p.m. on August 14, 1999, at Perini Ranch in Buffalo Gap. Tx

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Panhandle Crisis Center

The Panhandle Crisis Center offers services free of charge to men or women who are victims of domestic violence, whether physical or verbal. The Panhandle Crisis Center offers counseling, support, and information to these victims, plus a shelter to those who feel themselves to be in danger at home. Help is available 24 hours a day, at 435-5008. For more information, call from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. For those who must call long distance, the toll-free number is 1-800-753-5308.

Kid's Day Out

Kid's Day Out began on Friday, June 4th at the First Christian Church in Spearman, and will be held every Friday during the summer from 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Kid's who have completed kindergarten through 6th grade are invited to bring \$1.00, and come enjoy crafts, games, Bible study, snacks and lots of fun.

Junior High Night At The O'Loughlin Center

Beginning June 15th, Tuesday nights at The O'Loughlin Center are devoted to junior high students. The gym will be reserved for students who will be in junior high (incoming 6th, 7th and 8th graders) during the 1999-2000 school year. No reservations are needed, however, there will be a one-time fee of \$5.00. Participants will receive a "Good Time Ticket" that will give them entrance to all Tuesday nights. (This ticket is good only for Junior High Night.) This will be a supervised time to just hang out, play basketball, hackie sack and other games. Remember, Junior High students, Tuesday nights are your night, so call your friends and come to the O'Loughlin Center every Tuesday night through July 27th. You won't want to miss any of the Tuesday Specials.

Yards of the Week

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce has announced the Yards of the Week for July 18th-24th. They are: Joey Woolley. 222 S Hazelwood; Travis Swink, 1110 Wilmeth; Jim Shirley, 719 S. Barkley; and Jim Jones, 104 S. Barkley.

SHS Class of 1995 Website

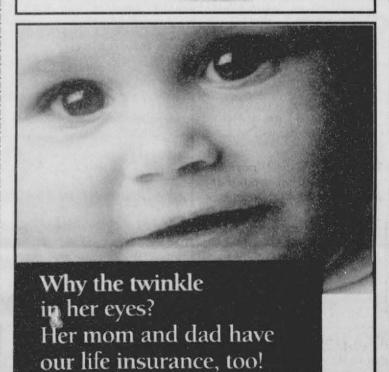
The Spearman High School Class of 1995 now has an official website: http://users.dwx.com/hutch/shs.htm (This is a corrected address. The previous address was incorrect.)

> Frank Phillips College Cosmetology Program Registration

The Frank Phillips College Cosmetology Program is hosting Registration on Monday, August 9, 1999, at 8:15 a.m., in the Classroom Learning Complex, Room CLC-23. A personal interview with the Program Director should be arranged prior to registration. The Cosmetology Program is a TASP-waived. one-year certificate program Once the program is successfully completed, students may take the State Licensing Exam. A listing of Class Offerings is available on the Frank Phillips College web site at http://www.fpc.cc.tx.us/Offerings/. To arrange for an interview, or for more information, contact the Cosmetology Department at (806) 274-5311 or 1-800-687-2056, ext. 747.

Wolf Creek Concert Featuring Ed Montana

The Wolf Creek Advisory Board will be sponsoring a free concert for the public on Saturday, July 24, 1999 from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. at Lake Fryer. Ed Montana will be the guest singer Montana hails from Amarillo, Texas. Raised in a musical family he began playing guitar and banjo at the early age of seven. By age ten he was recording and touring with his father's polka band throughout the Midwest in Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Illinois. For more information, contact Peggy Cudd at 435-5263 or Michael Ladd at 435-2354.





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Editor's Note: This Happy Birthday list is run as a public service by the Hansford County Reporter-Statesman. We apologize if any names are misspelled. If you know of a name that needs to be changed, added or deleted, please call 659-3434. Thank you, Thank you, Catherine Smith.

July 22 Birthday Frances Cudd, Robert Reid, Joe Cole, Tiffany Luke Pittman, Flavil Ayers, Freddie Largent, Edith Phillip, Jack Karlin, Johnny Pelcher, Grace Kirk

Anniversary - Walter & Dorothy Wooley, Mr. & Mrs. Jim Davis, Mr. & Mrs. Roy Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. Don Dillow

July 23

Birthday - T.J. Bergin, Linda
Beeson, Becky Leach, Peggy
Winegarner, Travis Bennett,
Elivina Rodriquez, Robert Blevins, Mark Schoenhals

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Howard Barkley

July 24
Birthday - Kaylee Holt,
Christina Sanchez, Neil Pack, Irven Barber, Tammy Freman, Glen Ray Mackie, Maria Arjona, Ray Gressett, Sophia Salgado, Mary McIntyer, Salgado, Mary Salgado, Schubert, Nathan Pipkin, Mary Martinez, Aaron Winegarner, Adam Cherry, Shannon Acker, Mattie Yanke, Taylor Tice

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Lynn Boyd

Birthday - Raquel Matthews Whitehead, George P. Odom, P.D. Swink, Jolain Ball, Jerry Long, Nell Benton, Ronnie Bullard, Mrs. J.D. Wilbanks, Tammi Holmes, Traci Scribner, Misty Payne, Cayla Smith, Oscar Valdez, Mini Largent, Dellarosa, Jennifer Dede Covington

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. George Rook, Mr. & Mrs. Sergio Vaquera, Mr. & Mrs. Danny Henson, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Stayton

July 27 Birthday - Tracy Bevill, Misty Kauffman, Marvin Jones, Bobby Don Smith, Nancy McIntyre, Kay Beeson, Bob Dennis, Frank Salgado Jr., Olivia Renteria, Michael Wayne Ross, Carl Kizzar, Michael Donny McMahan, Alice Lackey, Josh Lackey, Robin Capps, Ashley Swan, Bill Hand, Ryan Phillips, Able Eaton, Valerie

Burnum Anniversary - Bos & Sis Staton, Keith & Jodie Hight, Ed & Tanja Whitefield, Ronald & Elaine Swan, Mr. & Mrs. Owen Montgomery, Mr. & Mrs. Sonny Patterson, Tom & Beth Dortch, Jimmy & Lois Shieldknight, Mr. & Mrs. Lonnie Clemmons, Mr. & Mrs. Marlos May

Birthday Holly Hart, Jordan Rodriquez, Willi Birthday - Letecia Favela, Jordan Hicks, Gibson, Francis Williams, Jo Jr., Lee Shaver, Marlane Taylor, Maria Ochoa Reagan Karlin. Rodriquez, Patsy Reddin, Verlin Winegarner

Anniversary - Harry & Hazel Stumph, Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Bayless, Mr. & Mrs. Clay Fewell, Mr. & Mrs. Ted Vela July 29

Birthday - Macee Casdorph, Rex Ralston, Brent Stedje, Scott Stedje, Martin Ochoa Jr. Kammy Goodheart, Lucille Hagerman, Robert Graham, Christi Close, Tracy Wilson, Mrs. Jack Whitson, Red, Carol Dickens, Valorie Shields, Aaron Witten, Mae Wofford, Tanner Hand, Kristi Ramón, Jessica Montgomery, Richard Trantham, LoRee Booth, Ruth Mary Whitson, Mae Wofford, Dallas Trosper, Marlee Castillo

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Jack Sparks, Teddy & Mary Lou Vela, Betty & Ron Dunaway, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Dahl, Richey & Karen Thompson July 30

Birthday - John Reed, Bob Skinner, Pat Tucker, Jim Nicholson, Lynn Ann Sanders, Ronda Cook, Pamela Cates Cummings, Sandra Pipkin, Raquel Saldivar, Alec Ceniceros, Alice Cook, Katie Gibson, Johnny Bennett

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Davin Winger, Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Avila, Mr. & Mrs. Hoyle Holliday July 31

Birthday Ruth Mary Connelly Kathy Vanlandingham, Bonnie Jones Danna Close, Sherry Brand Jessie Burke, Jody Harnish Hector Nava, Mike Slater Ronnie Lusby, Cary Collier, Cecil Biggers, Jennifer Marrs Cody Reynolds, Nancy Garcia August 1

Birthday - Cap Benson, Lisa Link, Kyle Irwin, Frankie Leatherman, Annie Mayhew, Benjamin Gyene Spivey, Williams, Johnnie Williams Ronnie Williams, Tommy Lovett, Jo Brown, Leann Swan Yvonda Stokes, Anita Clemmons, Kevin Kirk, Rob Barber, Kelli McWhirter, David Swan, Jim Scarborough, Kiki West, Hershey Martin, Joyce Crooks, Alfonso Ceniceros, Larry Trosper, Patricia Quillin, Gabriel Lopez, Sara Wright

Anniversary - Mr. & Mrs. Mike Minter, Mr. & Mrs. Tommy Cathey, Jr., Stephen and Rae Lynn Cook

# With Deepest Sympathy

Fay Palmer Holt

Fay Palmer Holt, 77, of Spearman, died in her home on Thursday, July

Graveside services were held on Saturday, July 17, 1999 at 3:00 p.m. at the Holt Cemetery with the Rev. Beverly Cook officiating. Interment was in Holt Cemetery, under the direction of Boxwell Brothers Funeral

Mrs. Holt had lived in the area for 35 years, moving from Pampa. She married Nolan Holt on May 16, 1987.

She had lived in the Texas Panhandle all of her life. She was a graduate of Stinnett High School. She was a member of the Gladiola Flower Club, Twentieth Century Club, Holt Home Demonstration Club, and First United Methodist Church. Fay was past Worthy Matron of the Order of Eastern Star Chapter #721 in Spearman.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Coy Palmer and her mother, Louie Sampson.

She is survived by her husband, Nolan Holt of Spearman; two sons, Brice Palmer of Benson, VT and Michael Palmer of Middlebury, VT; one stepdaughter, Linda Jarvis of Spearman; one stepson, Larry Holt of Spearman; two brothers, Elmer Conley of Booker, TX and W.D. Conley of Oklahoma City, OK; five grandsons, six granddaughters; and three great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the Holt Cemetery Association or Hansford Hospice.

Charles Gail "Charlie" Smith

Charles Gail "Charlie" Smith, 80, of Lubbock, died on Thursday, July 15, 1999 at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock.

Services were held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 17, 1999 at Calvary Baptist Church in Lubbock with the Rev. Chris Sutton, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery with graveside services at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, with the Rev. Anthony Sisemore, pastor of Floydada First Baptist Church officiating. Services were under the direction of Adams Funeral Home of Crosbyton.

Ms. Smith was born on October 9, 1918 in Cooper, Texas. She married Alvin L. "Flukie" Smith on October 20, 1937 in Clovis, NM. He preceded her in death on March 19, 1990.

She was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church and the Lydia Sunday School Class. She worked for Dillard's for several years in the cosmetic department. She and her husband moved to Lubbock in 1974 from Crosby County. While living in the Lakeview Community, she was a member and Sunday School Superintendent at the Mt. Blanco Baptist Church. She was a farmer and rancher, alongside her late husband. They lived in the historic Hank Smith Rock House in Blanco Canyon, until it burned in 1948.

She was also preceded in death by three brothers, one sister, and her

Survivors include one son and his wife, Choise and Kay Dean Smith of Floydada, TX; one daughter and her husband, Scarlett and George "Punk" Jackson of Spearman; two brothers, Tom Oats of Lubbock and Scott Oats of McAllen, TX; three sisters, Pansy Sever of Lubbock, Sue Cobb of Boiser City, LA and Billie Tucker; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Thank You

Words just are not enough to express how we were so touched by the outpouring of love expressed to us in the passing of our father and grandfather, Billy Boatwright. All one needs to do to realize what a great place Spearman, TX is, is to move. What Spearman has is so very rare! When you need help, people are just there.

There are so many people to thank that not all can be listed. However, special thanks must go out to Sonny Patterson, Charles and Fred Shieldknight, Carl, Cameron and Dan Kunselman, David Boyd, Joel Shields, and everyone at Five Star Equipment.

We will never be able to repay all of the things you have done for us. We can only say thank you.

Jerry, Vivian, Little Billy, Lindsey, Brandon Boat wright; Jim, Donna and Amy Murray

Thank You

Dear Friends,

We want to express our gratitude and love for all the acts of kindness to our family during the loss of our dad, Lester McLain. The many prayers, visits, phone calls, cards, flowers, memorials, food - all of these things comforted and warmed our hearts. All the services given by the caregivers to our dad, we will never forget, for they were given in love and concern for our whole family and certainly above and beyond any thing that we could have hoped. To our church family and extended church family, we are so grateful; to Dr. Bublis and the entire staff of the Hansford Manor and the Hansford Hospital we say thanks; to the Hospice staff, we will never forget your tender loving care; to the emergency ambulance staff and volunteers; and to all who took their time to love our dad, we say thanks. We are in danger of leaving someone out that took their time, and to you we say thanks. This is a wonderful community and we are so fortunate to be among caring friends.

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In conclusion be strong - not in yourselves but in the Lord, in the power of His boundless strength. Put on God's complete armor so that you can successfully resist all the devil's craftiness. For our fight is not against any physical enemy: it is against organizations and powers that are spiritual. We are up against the unseen power that controls this dark world, and spiritual agents from the very headquarters of evil. Therefore you must wear the whole armor of God that you may be able to resist evil in its day of power, and that even when you have fought to a standstill you may still stand your ground. Take your stand then with truth as your belt, integrity your breastplate, the gospel of peace firmly on your feet, salvation as your helmet and in your hand the sword of the Spirit, the Word of God. Above all be sure you take faith as your shield, for it can quench every burning missile the enemy hurls at you. In all your petitions pray at all times with every kind of spiritual prayer, keeping alert and persistent as you pray for all Christ's men and women.

My prayer for you, my very dear friend, is that you may be as healthy and prosperous in every way as you are in soul.

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First Assembly of God 401 N. Bernice • 659-2295 Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship: 10:35 a.m. Kid's Church: 10:35 a.m. Evening Worship: 7 p.m. Wed. Worship: 7:30 p.m. Youth: 7:30 Wednesday Pastor - Walter Greaser, Jr.

First Christian Church First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) 29 S. Bernice \* 659-2036 Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 10:50 a.m. Evening Bible Study Worship: 6:30 p.m. Sun. Minister - Joseph Weaks

First Baptist Church N. Bernice • 659-5557 First Baptist Church 123 N. Bernice \* 659-5557 Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 7 p.m. Wed. Fellowship Meal: 6 p.m. Wed. Disc. Time: 6:30 p.m. Wed. Youth Mtg. 8 p.m. Pastor - Rick Patrick Youth Ed. Mis. Brian Easter

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Pastor - Johnny Taylor

First Presbyterian Church (Worships with Lutheran) 1021 Cotter • 659-2033 Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. at Lutheran Church Worship: 11 a.m. (alternates monthly between Lutheran & Presbyterian Church Bldg.) Pastor - Beverly Cook

Faith Lutheran Church (ELCA) 1101 Bernice • 659-2252 (Worships with First Presbyterian Church)

First United Methodist 407 S. Haney • 659-5503 Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 8:30 & 11 a.m. Jr. High Youth: 5 p.m. Sunday High School: 6 p.m. Sunday Kids Club: 3 p.m. Wed. Pastor - Ken Cole

Union Church
31 S. Endicott • 659-2644
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Evening Worship; 6 p.m.
Bible Study: 7 p.m. Wed
Pastor • Bill Sparks

Fellowship Baptist 1102 S. Archer • 659-2783 Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Sun. Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Youth/Adult Serv.: 7:30 Wed. Pastor - Gene Foster

Primera Mision Bautista 502 E. 7th • 659-3991 Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m.; Evening: 6 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m. Thurs. Visitation: 7 p.m.

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Wednesday Pastor - Scott Curry

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First Christian Church 510 King \* 733-2960 Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship: 11 a.m. Youth: 7:30, Sunday Adult Bible Study: 7:30, Sun Wed. Bible Study: 8:00 p.m. Pastor - Gary Gumfory

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Gruver United Methodist Broadway & Garrett 733-2651 Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 8:30 & 10:50 a.m. Eve. Worship & UMY: 6 p.m. Pastor - Jerry Moore

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How to Shower like a Woman

1. Take off the fourteen layers of clothing you put on this morning because there was a distinct chill in the air due to the temperature dropping below 73 degrees. Carefully fold and place in clothes hamper. 2. Walk to bathroom. If you see your husband along the way, cover up any exposed flesh immediately. 3. Look at your womanly physique in the mirror and stick out your gut so that you can complain and whine even more about how you're getting fat. 4. Position the shower nozzle away from you and turn on water. 5. Get in the shower, once you have found it through all that steam. 6. Look for facecloth, armcloth, legcloth, long loofah, wide loofah and pumice stone. 7. Wash your hair once with Cucumber and Lamfrey shampoo with 83 added vitamins. 8. Wash your hair again with Cucumber and Lamfrey shampoo with 83 added vitamins. 9. Condition your hair with Cucumber and Lamfrey conditioner enhanced with natural crocus oil. Leave on hair for fifteen minutes. 10. Watch fallen hair accumulate on drain & fret. 11. Wash your face with crushed apricot facial scrub until red. 12. Wash entire rest of body with Ginger Nut and Jaffa Cake body wash. 13. Complain bitterly when you realize that your husband has once again been eating your Ginger Nut and Jaffa Cake body wash. 14. Rinse conditioner off hair (this takes at least fifteen minutes as you must make sure that it has all come off). 15. Shave armpits and evaluate if there is time left for legs. 16. Slick hair back and pretend you're like Bo Derek in 10. 17. Use pumice stone to soften rough spots on feet. 18. Use massage mitt to reduce cellulite on thighs, 19. Use nail brush to clean toe nails, 20. Scream loudly when your husband runs faucet and you get a rush of cold water. 21. Cover your entire body in baby oil. 22. Turn hot water or, full and rinse off, making shower dangerously slippery for husband. 23. Dry with a towel the size of a small African country. 24. Check entire body for the remotest sign of a spot, or new hair in an uncommon place. 25. Apply body lotion from the neck down. Moisturize. Moisturize! 26. Return to bedroom wearing long dressing gown and towel on head. If you see your husband along the way, gover up any exposed flesh immediately, and then rush to bedroom.

How To Shower Like a Man

 Take off clothes while sitting on the edge of the bed and leave them in a pile on the floor. 2. Walk to bathroom wearing a towel. If you see your wife along the way, flash her. 3. Look at your manly physique in the mirror and suck in your gut to see if you have pecs. 4, Turn on the water, get jet blast in ear. 5. Check for pecs again. 6. Get in the shower. 7. Don't bother to look for a washcloth. (you don't use one) 8. Wash your face (not compulsory). 9. Whistle a few bars of the Irish Spring song. 10. Wash your armpits (not compulsory). 11. Wash your groin area. 12. Wash your behind. 13. Cough up anything that might be lodged in the back of your throat. 14. Shampoo your hair with the blue bar of deodorant soap, (no need for conditioner) 15. Make a shampoo Mohawk. 16. Open the door and look at yourself in the mirror. 17. Sample your wife's Ginger Nut and Jaffa Cake bodywash. 18. Pee 19. Blow your right nostril. 20. Blow your left nostril. 21. Rinse off and get out of the shower. 22. Return to the bedroom wearing a towel, if you pass your wife, flash her.

> Until Next Time. May God Bless. GCS

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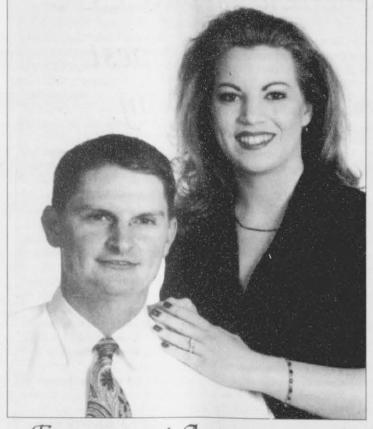
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The future bride, formerly of Spearman, is a 1998 graduate of Robert Lee High School. She attends Blinn College in Bryan. The future groom is a 1991 graduate of Henderson High School and a 1995 graduate of Texas A&M University where he majored in agricultural development. He is employed with the United States Department of Agriculture-Farm

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The Panhandle Crisis Center offers services free of charge to men or women who are victims of domestic violence, whether physical or verbal. The Panhandle Crisis Center offers counseling, support, and information to these victims, plus a shelter to those who feel themselves to be in danger at home. Help is available 24 hours a day, at 435-5008. For more information, call from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. For those who must call long distance, the toll-free number is 1-800-753-5308.

Kid's Day Out

Kid's Day Out began on Friday, June 4th at the First Christian Church in Spearman, and will be held every Friday during the summer from 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Kid's who have completed kinder garten through 6th grade are invited to bring \$1.00, and come enjoy crafts, games, Bible study, snacks and lots of fun.

Junior High Night At The O'Loughlin Center

Beginning June 15th, Tuesday nights at The O'Loughlin Center are devoted to junior high students. The gym will be reserved for students who will be in junior high (incoming 6th, 7th and 8th graders) during the 1999-2000 school year. No reservations are needed, however, there will be a one-time fee of \$5.00. Participants will receive a "Good Time Ticket" that will give them entrance to all Tuesday nights. (This ticket is good only for Junior High Night.) This will be a supervised time to just hang out, play basketball, hackie sack and other games. Remember, Junior High students, Tuesday nights are your night, so call your friends and come to the O'Loughlin Center every Tuesday night through July 27th. You won't want to miss any of the Tuesday Specials.

Yards of the Week

The Spearman Chamber of Commerce has announced the Yards of the Week for July 18th-24th. They are: Joey Woolley, 222 S Hazelwood; Travis Swink, 1110 Wilmeth; Jim Shirley, 719 S. Barkley; and Jim Jones, 104 S. Barkley.

SHS Class of 1995 Website

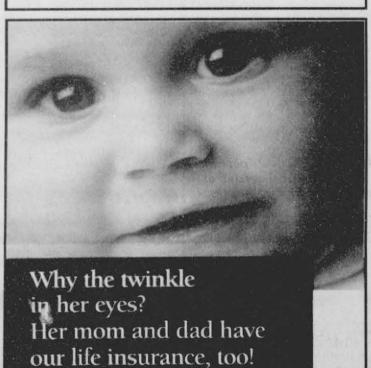
The Spearman High School Class of 1995 now has an official website: http://users.dwx.com/hutch/shs.htm (This is a corrected address. The previous address was incorrect.)

> Frank Phillips College Cosmetology Program Registration

The Frank Phillips College Cosmetology Program is hosting Registration on Monday, August 9, 1999, at 8:15 a.m., in the Classroom Learning Complex, Room CLC-23. A personal interview with the Program Director should be arranged prior to registration. The Cosmetology Program is a TASP-waived, one-year certificate program Once the program is successfully completed. students may take the State Licensing Exam. A listing of Class Offerings is available on the Frank Phillips College web site at http://www.fpc.cc.tx.us/Offerings/. To arrange for an interview, or for more information, contact the Cosmetology Department at (806) 274-5311 or 1-800-687-2056, ext. 747.

Wolf Creek Concert Featuring Ed Montana

The Wolf Creek Advisory Board will be sponsoring a free concert for the public on Saturday, July 24, 1999 from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. at Lake Fryer. Ed Montana will be the guest singer. Montana hails from Amarillo, Texas. Raised in a musical family he began playing guitar and banjo at the early age of seven. By age ten he was recording and touring with his father's polka band throughout the Midwest in Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Illinois. For more information, contact Peggy Cudd at 435-5263 or Michael Ladd at 435-2354.





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Jill (Lusby) and Ben Butler





### GHS Graduates Receive Scholarships

Holly McCloy and Lucas Johnson, 1999 Gruver High School graduates, have been selected as recipients of University Interscholastic League Foundations scholarships. Holly, who will be a student at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos, was awarded the Abell-Hanger Foundation Scholarship for \$3,000 over a two-year period. Lucas, who will be a student at Texas A &M University in College Station, was awarded the Clark Foundation Scholarship for \$1,000 for his first year of higher education. To be eligible for a UIL scholarship, students must exhibit strong academic backgrounds and participate in a state UIL academic event. Holly competed in state UIL spelling in 1998 while Lucas competed in state UIL ready writing in 1999.

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> > honoring

Brandon & Trinket Rex

on Saturday, July 31, 1999 from 2:00-3:30 p.m. at The O'Loughlin Center 502 S. Brandt . Spearman, TX

# Lusby/Butler Wed

Jill Lusby and Ben Butler were united in holy matrimony on July 3, 1999 at the First United Methodist Church in Spearman. The Rev. Todd Dyess of Pampa, formerly of Spearman and Perryton, officiated the ceremony.

Jill is the daughter of Ronnie and Donita Lusby of Spearman. Ben is the son of Tom and Gayle Butler of Farnsworth.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Ronnie.

The maid of honor was Mandi Lusby of Spearman, sister of the bride, Bridesmaids were Michelle Garff of Salt Lake City, UT, lifelong friend of the bride, Tara Barnes of Oklahoma City, OK and Jill Blake of Stillwater, OK, sorority sisters of the bride, and Mendy Riggins of Lubbock, TX, lifelong friend of the bride.

The flower girl was Taylor Varnon, niece of the bride.

The best man was Sam Whittenburg of Lubbock, TX, lifelong friend of the groom. Groomsmen were Brad Butler of Lubbock, brother of the groom. Michael Lusby of Spearman. brother of the bride, Spencer Satterlee of Joplin, MO, fraternity friend of the groom.

Candlelighters were Allison Lusby and Albert Lusby of

Ushers were James Lusby of Amarillo, TX, cousin of the bride, Ty Taylor of Hollis, OK and Blake Meyer of Stillwater, OK, fraternity brothers of the groom, and Chris Carson of Amarillo and Albert Lusby of Canadian, cousins of the bride.

Jill is a 1993 graduate of Spearman High School. She is a graduate of Oklahoma State University with an Elementary Education Degree. She is a teacher and coach at Perryton I.S.D.

Ben is a 1994 graduate of Perryton High School. He is also a graduate of Oklahoma State University with a degree in Construction Management. He is a

A wedding reception was held at the O'Loughlin Center in Spearman following the ceremo-

A lingerie brunch was held in the home of Marti Garnett on Friday, July 2nd.

A hamburger cookout was held on Saturday, July 3rd for the bridesmaids, friends and family in Dorothy Lusby's beautiful backvard. The cookout was hosted by Jill's aunts and uncles, Monte and brother of the groom, and Donald Catherine Lusby of Canadian, Gooch of Dallas, TX, lifelong Gary and Peggy Culp of Amarillo, and Becky Byers and Dorothy Lusby of Spearman.

Following a wedding trip to Canadian, TX, cousins of the Hawaii, the couple will reside north of Waka.

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Tracy Stoner bride-elect of Wendell Ralston

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# College News

Southwestern Oklahoma State University

Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, Oklahoma has announced a total of 193 students completing requirements for either bachelor's or master's degrees . Participating in May graduation ceremonies was Mary Winger with a Master's degree in business administra-

### West Texas A&M University

Lexy (Spivey) Glass was named to both the fall 1998 and the spring 1999 Dean's List. The Dean's List is composed of students carrying a minimum course load of 12 hours with a grade point average of at least 3.25 but less than 3.85.

### Texas Tech University

Jill Ann Odom was named to the President's List for the Spring 1999 semester. The President's List is comprised of students carrying a minimum of 12 course hours with a 4.0 grade point average.

Tarleton State University

Lori Michelle Schrayer of Morse and Heath D. Archer and Carrie J. Burton of Spearman have been named to the Distinguished Student List for the Spring 1999 semester. Distinguished Students include freshman and sophomore students who have a minimum grade point average of 3.25 with no grade lower than C, and juniors and seniors who have a minimum grade point average of 3.5 with no grade lower than C and are in good standing.

### Amarillo College

Lance Swan of Perryton was among 290 students named to the Honors List for the spring semester.

The Honors List includes students who are enrolled in 12 or more hours of academic courses and make a grade point average of 3.6 or

Lance is the son of David and Sharon Swan of Spearman.

### Hansford Hospice Met

Hansford Hospice met in the LaCasita Room of Gruver State Bank on Monday, July 12th, with Verna Lee Shirley presiding over the business

After the reading of the minutes by Jolinda Hutchinson, Richey Thompson gave the treasury report.

In the business meeting, a report was given on the near completion of the interior room decorations of the hospice rooms at Hansford Hospital. Plans for a garage sale on September 24-25 in Spearman were discussed. It was announced that a new wheelchair had been received to be used by hospice patients.

Paul Matney will present a lesson on "How To Deal With Difficult People" on September 13th at 7:00 p.m. at the O'Loughlin Center.

Ken Cole and Charla Roberts will go to Colorado for a Bereavement Seminar later this month.

Annual TB tests were given to members by Charla and Rosetta.

The video "Touched By An Angel" was shown, and popcorn, cookies and cokes were served to Anita Marquez, Beth Phelps, Ruth Bryan, Mike Hergert, Doyle Jackson, Carolyn Hicks, Richey Thompson, Connie Gammill, Garland Hopper, Betty Davis, Roberta and Ken Cole, Verna Lee Shirley, Jolinda Hutchison, Opal Wallin, Charla Hargis, Rosetta Barerra, LoRee Booth, Beverly Cook and Anna Beth Wood.

The nest meeting for the group will be on Monday, August 9th at the First State Bank in Spearman.

## **Hansford County Community Calendar** July 22-August 4th

Thursday, July 22

10:00 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Arts & Crafts/Covered Dish Lunch

9:30 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Exercise

3:00 p.m. - Hansford Manor Church Service

Monday, July 26

2:00 p.m. - Games and Crafts at Hansford Manor

Tuesday, July 27

12:00 p.m. - Spearman Lions Club Meets - Ivey's Hungry Cowboy

6:00 p.m. - Tuesday Night Golf Scrambles - Hansford Golf Club

6:30 p.m. - Bingo at Hansford Manor

6:30 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Covered Dish Dinner & Games

Vednesday, July 28

9:30 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Exercise

9:45 a.m. - Trinity Fellowship Bethesda Outreach Center Food Service

10:00 a.m. - Bible Study at Hansford Manor 1:00-4:00 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - "42"

2:00 p.m. - Games and Crafts at Hansford Manor

Thursday, July 29

9:15 a.m.-12:00 & 1:00-3:45 p.m. - Department of Public Safety representatives at Spearman City Hall 10:00 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Arts & Crafts/Covered Dish Lunch

Friday, July 30 9:30 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Exercise

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. - Kid's Day Out at First Christian Church Sunday, August 1

3:00 p.m. - Hansford Manor Church Service

Monday, August 2

9:30 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Exercise 10:00 a.m. - Hansford County Commissioner's Court Meets 12:00 p.m. - Spearman Rotary Club Meets - Ivey's Hungry Cowboy

2:00 p.m. - Games and Crafts at Hansford Manor

2:00 p.m. - Museum Board Meets - Ft. Zulu Museum

Tuesday, August 3

12:00 p.m. - Spearman Lions Club Meets - Ivey's Hungry Cowboy 2:00 p.m. - Palo Duro River Authority Board Meets

6:00 p.m. - Tuesday Night Golf Scrambles - Hansford Golf Club 6:30 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Covered Dish Dinner

6:30 p.m. - Bingo at Hansford Manor

Wednesday, August 4

6:30 a.m. - Mug 'n' Muffin Women's Fellowship - First Christian Church, Spearman

9:30 a.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - Exercise

9:45 a.m. - Trinity Fellowship Bethesda Outreach Center Food Service 10:00 a.m. - Bible Study at Hansford Manor

1:00-4:00 p.m. - Golden Spread Senior Citizens - "42"

2:00 p.m. - Games and Crafts at Hansford Manor

# Among The Neighbors

by Helen Fisher

Marguerite and Roscoe Nelson enjoyed a week recently with the arrival of her sister, Virginia White, from Green Ridge, MO. niece, Terri Bacon of Litchfield, IL, and a cousin, Helen Reynolds, of Sedalia, MO.

For the weekend they were joined by Jack and Donna Vanderburg, Dalhart; Johnnie Fuller, with Brant, Kaysha, Bryson, and Kierson of Dumas. From Spearman family members Cayla and Don Schroeder with Blayne and Brock, Joanne and Charles Eaton.

Guests of Olive Pendergraft over the previous weekend were relatives from Wichita, KS. Mark and Connie Tindal with Shanna enjoyed the quiet countryside in

spite of the hot, dry weather.

Frances Williams received the sad word of the passing of her brother, Leroy Brown, 95 on Thursday, July 15th at Cleburne, Texas where they lived. In addition to Frances and two other sisters, he is survived by his wife, Inez, and their daughter. Leroy Brown and wife, Inez, lived in Spearman from 1937 thru 1939. He was pastor of the Methodist church here.

Sympathy is extended to Frances.

How delightful to greet the tall, lovely young lady-Allison Behney, last Friday for an all too brief a visit. Allison, daughter of Jean Ann and Larry Behney, left here four years ago - a child and returned as a young woman. She had flown to Texas from their home in Bloomington, IN to visit with friends in Plainview - the Melba and Richard Oleson family.

The Olesons are also former residents of Spearman where they were a principal and teacher in the school. She brought Allison and also visited old friends. Allison and her family had just ended a trip to the east - Williamsburg, Washington, and other places of historical interest. Her sister, Monica, was on a trip to Canada while Allison preferred returning to the Panhandle.

Miranda Lopez with little daughter are back in Spearman with her parents, Duane and Kaye Loomis for six months.

Her husband, Gunners Mate-2nd, Cresencio "Chris," sailed aboard the USS Sacramento for West Pac Cruise. The ship is a designated AOE-l (Ammo-oiler fuel) and left port Thursday for Pusan, South Korea, enroute to Japan.

The USS Sacramento is the first

of its type built.

15 month old Jordan Isabel Lopez will have changed much in the coming six months when her dad sees her again, but with videos, Miranda probably will make sure he keeps up with Jordan's growth. \*

The reunion of the Harbour brothers and sisters a couple of weeks ago had the festivities dampened the first afternoon by the sudden illness of one sister, Leota Giblin, of Morse. They were at South Fork, CO and she apparently had a heart attack. She was taken to Del Norte, then transferred to the hospital at Alamosa. After several days she was stabilized enough to be brought to Baptist St. Anthony's in Amarillo by Air Ambulance.

Her daughters, Robbie Reed of Morse and Peggy Dobbs of Ft Worth, arrived the next morning and have been with her. She is out of the hospital and remaining in Amarillo at Crestview until she regains her strength.

Members of the Harbour family at the reunion were Monte Harbour, Ira Harbour, of Spearman; Mary Nell Webster, New Carlyle, Ohio; May Lee Smith, Perryton and Avis Smith, Dimmitt.

Services were held at Holt Cemetery for Faye Palmer Holt, 77, on Saturday. Her obituary is elsewhere in this issue.

During her 35 years in Spearman, Faye was active in civic and social affairs. She leaves many friends and will be much missed.

Condolences to the family.

Mozelle Sparks is back at home now trying to follow doctor's orders by curtailing activities after treatment of a heart condition. She was hospitalized in Spearman before being transferred to Amarillo. She stayed with her son Gene during her treatments.

A recent Amarillo Daily News business section noted that Linda Butt is now associated with Superstar Realty. She was qualified as an experienced realtor with four years experience. Linda is a former resident of Spearman, and is the daughter of Ron and Colleen Schaefer.

What is schwag rock? Is that a geology term? Or is it that noise referred to as music by some of the

misguided?

Dwayne Smith reads his weather records for the week of July 12th to 7 a.m. on July 19th, which indicates that the highest temperature was on July 15th at 98; the lowest on the 13th at 62; on the 17th there was .05 moisture; for the month a total on one inch.

### Gladiola Flower Club News

The Gladiola Flower Club met at the home of Ann Flowers on Thursday, July 15, 1999.

Members in attendance were reminded that the club has bingo at the Manor in August.

Dickie Allen presented the pro-

Members present were Estelle Jackson, Lorene Kunselman, Rose Cummings, Virginia Head, Dorothy Buzzard, June Jackson, Verna Brown, Betty Davis, Margarette Evans, Charlsie Baker, Wanda Brown, Virginia Trindle, Pam Schnell, Dickie Allen, and hostess Ann Flowers.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, August 5, 1999 in the home of Rose Cummings.

Subscribe to the Reporter-Statesman.

> Cal 659-3434 for details.

### Bankers Golf Tournament Held

The 25th Annual Bankers Golf Tournament was held June 19th and 20th at the Hansford Golf Club. This annual event is cosponsored by First State Bank of Spearman and Gruver State Bank.

Championship Flight

1st - Justin Boyd and Hank Sutterfield (118); 2nd - Toby Thompson and Cass Lasater (123); 3rd - Bob Hardy and Kurt Ashmore (130)

First Flight

1st - Ross Donahue and Craig Morris (132); 2nd - Brett Hobbs and Rod Been (133); 3rd - Troy James and Richie Thompson (134) Second Flight

1st - Tony Harper and Craig Kelly; 2nd - Mike Yanke and Tim Stedje; 3rd - Terry Sherrill and Kirk Proctor

Third Flight

1st - David Tomlinson and Roma Tomlinson; 2nd - David Grotegut and David Foster; 3rd -Clay Schnell and Monty Blackman

Fourth Flight

1st - Gary Flowers and Damon Goodheart; 2nd - David Boyd and Earl Goodheart; 3rd - Randy Hearon and Rodney Kimmel

Fifth Flight

1st - Rex Shook and Danny Henson; 2nd - Johnnie Williams and David Lowe; 3rd - Curtis Covington and Alan White

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Monday, July 29 Beef/Chicken Fajitas

Monday, July 30 Chicken Fried Steak

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## Swim Team Results



1999 Spearman Swim Team

The Spearman Swim Team attended the Western Kansas Swim Club's Championship Meet last Saturday and Sunday, July 17 and 18, 1999 in Dodge City, KS.

The team placed 6th over-all out of 12 teams. Listed below are the results. (1st through 8th place were awarded points and medals.)

Girls 8 & Under

100 M. Free Relay: A Team -Amy Boyd, Destiny Fisher, Alyssa Team - Lindsay Clark, Nikki Boyd, Leanna Espinosa, Callie Adamson - 7th: 25 M. Free: Bond Pittman - 1st, Destiny Fisher - 2nd, Amy Boyd - 4th, Alyssa Boynton -6th; 25 M. Butterfly: Bond Pittman 1st, Amy Boyd - 3rd, Alyssa Boynton - 8th; 25 M. Back: Lindsay Clark - 2nd, Destiny Fisher - 4th, Callie Adamson - 6th; 25 M. Breast: Bond Pittman - 1st. Amy Boyd - 2nd, Destiny Fisher -5th; 100 M. Free: Bond Pittman -1st. Lindsay Clark - 5th, Amy Boyd - 8th; 100 M. Individual Medley: Bond Pittman - 1st; 100 M. Medley Relay: Lindsay Clark, Bond Pittman, Amy Boyd, Destiny Fisher - 1st

Boys 8 & Under

100 M. Free Relay: Jackson Curry, Hunter Cox, Zackary Hughes, Tyler Schnell - 4th; 25 M. Free: Tyler Schnell - 3rd; 25 M. Butterfly: Zack Hughes - 7th; 25 M. Back: Tyler Schnell - 6th; 100 M. Free: Tyler Schnell - 3rd

Girls 9 & 10 200 M. Free: Kylee Howard -

Boys 9 & 10

50 M. Breast: Tyler Boynton -7th; 200 M. Free: Tyler Boynton -7th: 100 M. Individual Medley: Tyler Boynton - 8th

Girls 11 & 12

50 M. Butterfly: Christina Ochoa - 5th (Div. II); 50 M. Breast: Christina Ochoa - 8th (Div. Boynton, Bond Pittman - 1st; B II); 800 M. Free: Kaylee Golay -6th; 200 M. Individual Medley Christina Ochoa - 7th; 400 M. Free: Kaylee Golay - 5th; 200 M. Free Relay: Abby Winegarner. Nicole Sander, Chambrey Cox. Christina Ochoa - 5th; 200 M. Medley Relay: Trista Cotney, Ochoa. Christina Winegarner, Chambrey Cox - 4th

Boys 11 & 12 50 M. Free: Jeff Whitworth - 3rd (Div. II): 50 M. Butterfly: Jeff Whitworth - 7th; 50 M. Back: Jeff Whitworth - 5th (Div. II): 100 M. Free: Jeff Whitworth - 5th; 400 M. Free: Jeff Whitworth - 4th

Girls 13 & 14

50 M. Free: Jentry Edwards 2nd (Div. II); 100 M. Butterfly: Cheryl Gibson - 4th; 100 M. Free: Michel Huffaker - 6th; 200 M. Individual Medley: Jentry Edwards - 1st. Cheryl Gibson -7th; 400 M. Free: Jentry Edwards -1st; 200 M. Individual Medley:

Jentry Edwards - 1st; 200 M. Free Relay: Michel Huffaker, Meggan Whitworth, Cheryl Gibson, Jentry Edwards - 5th; 200 M. Medley Relay: Jentry Edwards, Meggan Whitworth, Cheryl Gibson, Michel Huffaker - 5th

Boys 13 & 14

50 M. Free: Colton Miller - 1st (Div. I): 100 M. Butterfly: Colton Miller - 1st (Div. 1); 100 M. Breast: Colton Miller - 1st (Div. I); 100 M. Free: Colton Miller - 1st (Div. I); 200 M. Free: Colton Miller - 1st (Div. II); 800 M. Free: Daniel Longoria - 7th; 200 M. Individual Medley: Colton Miller - 2nd (Div. II): 400 M. Free: Colton Miller -1st (Div. II)

Girls 15 - 18

Winegarner, Amber Ramon, Amber Elliott, Darcy Golay - 2nd Boys 15 - 18

50 M. Free: Landon Miller - 2nd (Div. I), Tanner Beedy - 8th (Div. II); 100 M. Butterfly: Tanner Beedy - 6th; 100 M. Free: Landon Miller - 3rd (Div. II), Tanner Beedy - 7th; 400 M. Free: Tanner Beedy - 5th

Also swimming at the meet were: Clayton Smith, Travis Sander, Jarick Howard, Kylee Jentry Edwards - 1st (Div. II); 200 Howard, Lisa Espinosa, Jessica M. Free: Jentry Edwards - 1st, Jarvis, Lauren Scroggs, and

Gordon Anderson Visit the Spearman Swim Team's website www.angelfire.com/ tx2/spear-



by Dorothy Hudson

Lake Depth-July 19, 1999--61 feet and 6 inches.

The recent scattered showers brought only a sprinkle to the lake area and nothing appreciable to the watershed, so 7 inches down this week. Fishing has been mainly catches of crappie and catfish. From the lanterns on the lake at night, several are fishing from boats after sundown.

Both Mandy Derington and Joan Hawkins have seen the short-eared doe with her twin fawns. They have been back of the Derington house and in the backyard at the

Last weekend there were 2 RVs on the office side and 12 behind the dam. The Spearman Church of Christ had the shelter on Sunday and the Big Brothers-Big Sisters

feed there Tuesday evening.

Last week Irene Baker of Spearman told me about having a strange animal eating their cat food on the patio some time ago. Friends told them they were seeing a 'possum. The next morning after I talked to Irene, Marguerite Nelson told me about going over to the Lake the night before. They saw deer, turkeys, herons, and egrets, but the real surprise was when they got home to Gruver that night and found a 'possum on their driveway. It was a first for Archie to see one of these animals in Hansford County.

This made me wonder about the possum population of our county. Joel Stavlo said he used to trap them on the Palo Duro, and I can remember as a child, my father entertained the Little Brothers and killing a female with the little tiny

Little Sisters with a hamburger hairless babies clinging to her. Jim has never seen one at the Park, and my grandchildren that live on the creek have yet to see one there.

Slightly larger than the average house cat, the opossum is America's only native marsupial. After 12 days of gestation the tiny bean-sized babies crawl from the birth canal up to the mother's pouch, where the lucky ones latch on to nipples that swell and hold the babies in place. There may be up to 23 young with only 13 nipples, so the strongest survive. They stay in the pouch for more than 2 months. When about mouse size, they crawl out and ride around on the mother's back with times out for refreshment. When their legs are strong enough to hold up the little fat bodies, they toddle beside their mothers until large enough to go it alone.

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# Swim Team Picnic Held

their end of the season picnic on 5th - Amy Boyd (78 points); 6th -Thursday, July 15, 1999 at the Christina Ochoa (75.5 points); 7th Swimming Pool Park, Swimmers - Stuart Martin (69 points): 8th and their families enjoyed a cook- (three-way tie) - Landon Miller, Division II were recognized. They out of hot dogs and hamburgers, Tanner Beedy and Tyler Schnell are: Colton Miller, Landon Miller, cooked by Harry Stumpf

Jan Howard was in charge of performed by the swim team mem-

lowing awards

Top Ten Points for Spearman

1st - Colton Miller (168 points undefeated for the year); 2nd -Jentry Edwards (99.5 points); 4th - Whitworth; 13 & 14 - Jentry

The Spearman Swim Team held Jeffrey Whitworth (80.5 points); Edwards and Colton Miller, 15

The Top Male Swimmer was entertainment in the form of a skit Colton Miller; Top Female Jeff Whitworth, Stuart Martin and Swimmer - Bond Pittman and Jentry Edwards: Best New Coaches Dillon Miller and Swimmers - Destiny Fisher and the swimmers qualifying will Marlene Miller presented the fol- Alyssa Boynton; Most Improved attend. Swimmer - Clayton Smith

Awards for Male and Female Swimmers (combined points Swimmer in Each Age Group: 8 & earned in the meets they attended) Under - Bond Pittman and Tyler and Tyler Boynton; 11 & 12 -Bond Pittman (100 points); 3rd - Christina Ochoa and Jeffrey

&18 - Tanner Beedy and Landon

Swimmers qualifying for Cheryl Gibson, Christina Ochoa, Amber Elliott. This meet will be held in Topeka, KS, but none of

Swimmers qualifying for Division I were also recognized. They are: Colton Miller and Landon Miller. They will compete Schnell; 9 & 10 - Kylee Howard in Kansas City, KS July 30th-August 1st.

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# The Gruver Grapevine

by Harletta Carthel

Four Injured in Accident

Four people were injured in a pickup rollover on Highway 15, four miles east of Gruver on Sunday evening.

According to DPS Patrolman Davis, a late model Chevrolet Silverado pickup driven by a 23 year-old female was traveling east when the vehicle veered into the oncoming lane before traveling 130 feet in the ditch on the north side of the highway. The rollover occurred when the driver attempted to correct the vehicle. The accident was witnessed by a driver from Oklahoma who had been following the pickup.

Alcohol was not a factor in the

The driver of the vehicle was partially-ejected while the other three occupants were ejected. None of the victims were wearing

The four victims were taken to Hansford Hospital where the 23 year-old driver was released. Fifteen-year old passenger Alicia Alvarez of Gruver, a four-year- old female, and a 16 month-old female were air-lifted to Amarillo. None of their injuries were reported to be life-threatening.

The vehicle came to rest on its top crushing the cab of the pickup so badly that it was imperceivable whether the vehicle was a suburban or a pickup.

A minor accident resulted from the confusion of emergency vehicles responding to the emergency when a fire truck backed into a car parked along the roadway

### Roberts to Teach in Japan

Marci Roberts, a 1991 graduate of Gruver High School and a 1995 graduate of Baylor University, will be working as an assistant to the English teacher in the public schools in the Japanese Embassy. Marci's specific assignment will be teaching junior high English.

Previous to her move to Japan, Marci worked for the Girl Scout Council in Agama Guamer She is the daughter of Jim and Betty

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1999 in the Gruver Clinic beginning at 1 p.m. The exams will be free of charge to the athletes and will be conducted by Dr. Paul Bublis.

Male athletes requiring physicals include all incoming seventh graders, all incoming freshmen, and others, who were injured in a sport or whose questionaires indicate a physical is required.

GHS cheerleaders were busy on Monday morning preparing the first of 45 banners of inspiration they will use during the football season. The group also stated that homecoming would be Friday, September 24, against Stratford.

### Get Well Wishes

Josephine Ayers was taken to Hansford Hospital last week with severe pain. At press time, she had not been released.

Mike Floyd returned home from an Amarillo hospital on Wednesday evening, June 14. He is slowly progressing and continues with at-home dialysis.

La Moyne Cator was hospitalized last week.

Ellen Babbs, the mother of Larry and Mike Babbs, had stints implanted in her heart last week.

### Former Resident in NFR

Wade Sumptner, 18, who lived in Gruver as a child, competed in steer wrestling in the high school National Finals Rodeo this past weekend.

### Mission Trip Planned

Thirteen teens and their sponsors Lance and Connie Wood and Curt and Trisha Fitzgerald will be involved in mission work July 25 -August 1 in Albuquerque, New Mexico. The teens will be working with former Gruverite Larry Miller, now of the Eastern Hill Baptist Church, in a backyard Bible school and also a ministry of feeding the homeless.

### City Commission Meets

**Short Sleeve** 

The Gruver City Commission Physicals for boys involved in met on Wednesday, July 14. After

minutes and pay bills for the month of June 1999, they approved an existing ambulance contract with Hansford County, authorized the city manager to begin obtaining quotes for the purchase of natural gas. The group also passed ordinance #270 for the protection of the public water supply wells within the corporate limits of the city. The group tabled the issue of the assessment and collection contract for the 1999-2000 year with Hansford Appraisal

Cazares Update Cody Cazares, who is currently

working in Austin on the Bush for President campaign, faxed the Reporter-Statesman his sadness over the death of John F. Kennedy. Jr. Cazares, who was inspired to enter politics at age nine after reading a biography of John F. Kennedy, met Kennedy, Jr. in 1996. At that time, he was able to express to John, Jr. the inspiration President Kennedy had been to him. Cazares reports that John, Jr. was very gracious, took the time to thank him, and also encouraged him in his efforts. This was a special moment Cazares cherished then and even more so, now.

# Chamber News

On Thursday, July 8, the Spearman Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors met for a regular meeting at the Palo Duro Cafe.

Members present were: Carolyn McLeod, Tami Kunselman, Dr. Scot Martin, Jim Younger, Jan Williamson, Elaine Cook, Eulalia Blankenship, and Gina Gillispie. Absent were: Kim Brock Tindle Ramon, Robert Patrick and Bruce Stinson.

Special guest was Jamy Akins representing Frische Bros. Chamber Business Spotlight for July.

Gina Gillispie called the meeting to order by introducing Jamy Akins. Tami Kunselman made a motion to

approve the minutes of the last meeting. Carolyn McLeod seconded. Motion carried

Jan Williamson made a motion, with a second from Jim Younger, to accept the financial statement and pay the July bills. Motion carried

Elaine Cook had no report for WDSCC as they do not meet in the summer months.

Eulalia Blankenship reported for Retail Merchants. She announced that Linda Coombs had been elected as the new president. Linda will be taking Carolyn McLeod's position. Retail Merchants meet the first Thursday of each month.

Gina reported that the new web site was working very well with nearly 600 hits since the first of May.

Other business included discussion about the Chamber helping to pur chase new flags to fly on Main Street and Hwy 207. Jim Younger stated that the VFD put the flags out each holiday, and the flags were getting in bad shape. Gina will place an article in the paper and on the radio to ask for private individuals or businesse to Adopt a Flag

With no further business the meeting was adjourned

Summer

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Quentin Harper of Gruver displays the handmade saddle he won in the H-T-H July 4th. Rodeo in Amarillo. Harper and his teammate, Will Groves of Amarillo, were winners in a four head progressive roping in a field of over 400 teams. Harper served as header of the team while his partner served as heeler.



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101 N. Cooper - 3BR, 2 3/48, 2 Car Gar. 602 Womble - 2BR, 1 3/4B, 1 CG, C H/A 906 King - 4BR, 1B W/170 Acres 401 Cluck - 2BR, 1B W/170 Acres 401 Cluck - 2BR, 1B King & Hwy, 15 - Vacant Lots 404 E, 4th St. - 2BR, 1B - Great 307 King - 3BR, 1 3/4B, Garage

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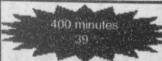
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids for the sale of real property being described as Lots 10 & 11, Block 14, Original Town, City of Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, addresses being 311 and 313 Main Street, will be received by the City of Spearman, Texas, until August 11, 1999, at 11:00 a.m. and then publicly opened and read.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive informalities and to accept the bid deemed to be the most advantageous to the City. All bids received after the above closing hour will be returned unopened.

Further information and bidding documents may be secured from City Hall, P.O. Box 37, Spearman, Texas 79081.

### PUBLIC NOTICE **ORDINANCE \$698**

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Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967. Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792)

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All Junior High School boys who plan to participate in athletics for the 1999-2000 school year (any sport) should report to the SHS Fieldhouse on Tuesday, August 10th for physicals. The schedule is as follows: 7th Grade - 1:00 p.m.; 8th Grade - 2:00 p.m.

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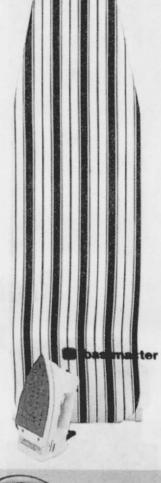
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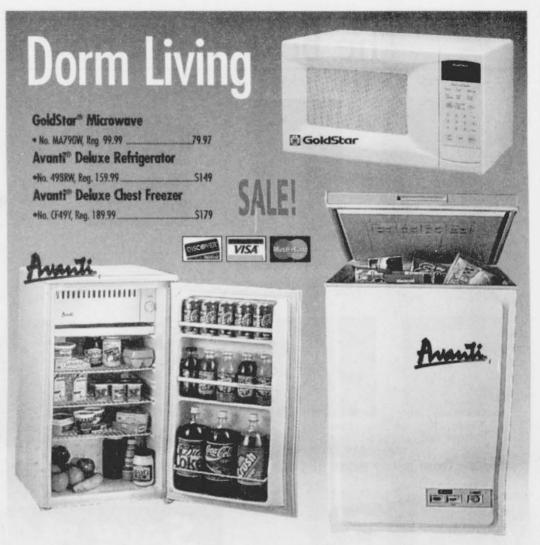
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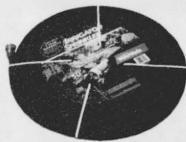








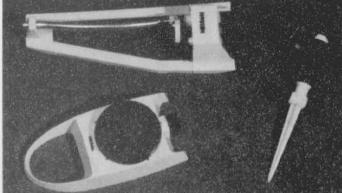




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