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and a shot at the playoffs. A loss to eventual district

Last season's success

hoopsters to 11-1 start

tore for the end of the 1999-2000 eason. The Bulldogs went 17-10

Bulldogs a spark in the front

ignites Bulldog

Bulldogs' baseball team return to playoffs tops list

ike a III... 1999 has been a vintage year for the Bandera and High Schools athletic programs.

Old timers would have a hard time finding a year in which the Bandera Bulldogs qualified for the postseason football, volleyball, boys softball and baseball.

For Medina, 1999 symbolized a year that put the Bobcats back on the right track as its football team played for final week of the season, the volleyball made its first-ever postseason appearance and the fied for the IIII. State Meet - high jumper Matt Bogler and discus thrower Charyli Hyatt.

Medina spikers



appearance and the
Bandera pitcher Kerry Schinder had three complete games during the 1996
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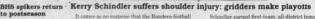
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of the season opener against Dripping Springs. Schindler would miss the next two games as the Bandera offense sputtered until midway through the district campaign. The Bulldogs won six of seven games after starting the season 0-3 and finished in third place in District 27-3A before losing to Hondo

Schindler earned first-team, all-district honors with s. ceiver Andy Blount made his mark on the

district by leading the league in receiving with 35 receptions for 878 yards and 11 TDs.

In all, nine Bulldogs made the first-team squad. In an, none bottongs made the travelent signature of the varies Schindler at quarterback and defensive cack. Adam Knight at punter and defensive end, Blount at receiver, tight end Jerod Fields and offer vive lineman J.R. Faulkner.

Defensively, Zack Stevens at defensive line and inebacker Kenny Manurek were honored.

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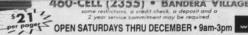
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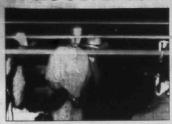
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Jan. 6 - Lakenills teen arrested for slayings Bond has been denied for a 19-jaser-old Lakehills man who has been charged with two counts of capital murder in connection with the stabiling deaths of two Lakehills teams. Logan James Lemmons remains in the custody of the Banders. County Shertling Manuscold Tananay Banders and the County Shertling Manuscold Tananay Banders of the Shertling Shertli

Bandera County Sheriii a Department, accused of killing 18-year-old Tracy Baker and her boyfriend, 17-year-old Michael Bussey at their trailer house near the intersection of 8th and J streets in Lakehilla. Lemmons also allegedly stole Baker's 1991 Chevrolet Lumina. The care J streets in Lakehills. Lemmons also allegedly stole Baker's 1991 Chevrolet Lumina. The care was discovered abandoned at 9-00 am. Sunday on a sparsely populated road about two miles from the trailer home. MacMillan said Lemmons and

Maccomian said Lemmons and Baker had dated more than a year ago, but the sheriff said it is too early to tell whether robbery or some other motive prompted the killings. Shortly afterwards, Lemmons

Emestina Perez Rodriguez convicted of murder

Examiner's Office.

Now, Texas Monthly magazine has increased the seposure
sinfast had been starved to
death, weighing five ounces less local residents and institutions
than its birth weight of five
to its list of the "Best of Small-

drops of liquid were found in his stomach, and his organs had sturned on themselves in order to receive protein. Fitzpatrick, the Frontier Times Museum, Arkey



Three of the efficers - deputies
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and deputy constable Preyishal
was hit once in the leg with a
bullet from a handgun and several times in the facts and need
and head with pellets from
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was called in to handle the
investigation because of the officer-involved booking.

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strings.

April 2. Hobbeat Band
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Bands from Medina School. District have been competing in UIL music contests, off and on, for more than 40 years, and this year the clusive award was finally obtained and brought to Medina High School. The UIL awards a sweepstakes trophy to

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June 18 - RiverFest called a 'great success' Organizers are halling the way. May 5 - Bandera ISD

selected site to the Postal Service.

June 16 - RiverFest called a great success' Organisers are hailing the success of the first-ever Banders RiverFest, which was held compared to the second Saturday in June has already been set for the year 2000 because the event was a great period of the second Saturday in June has already been set for the year 2000 because the event was a great president of the Banders Retail Merchanta Association, which co-hosted the event with the Banders Country Chamber of Commerce.

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June 30 - Lemmons

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near the intersection of 8th andf
J streets in Lakehills on Jan. 2

June 30 - Hamilton to appeal track decision
A Tarpley rancher who sued
the Bandera Independent School

the Bandera Independent School District over its purchase of the defunct Bandera Downs ractrack said Monday he will appeal a ruling against him by a San Antonio court.

All Hamilton told the Bandera Dulletin he will file a motion for reheaving with the Fourth Court of Appeals in San Antonio today, but he will be a support of the same and the

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July 7 - SmartMoney magazine ranks Bandera County among best family travel spots Looking for a good place to go navestion? According to one money is on Bandera County. SmartMoney magazine, a publication of the Wall Street Journal, has named Bandera Journal, has named Bandera family travel spots in the county.

July 14 - Preliminary law enforcement center plan unveiled Bandera County

plan unveiled
Banders
County
Commissioners got their first
look at preliminary drawings for
a new law enforcement and justics-center during a special
meeting on Monday, July 12.
Armand Fisher, an architect
with Huckabee and Associates of
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Aug. 25 - BCRF to part-

in an accident last year, is planned for his parents, Robert and Jacklynn Bowen. This sign tim of an three vehicle accident about two miles south of Piperina announcing the \$30,000 drive,

A LOOK BACK AT THE TOP STORIES OF 19

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Sept. 8 - Admired teen

dies in crash
Bandera County was stunned
Friday by the death of a popular recent Bandera High School

lar recent Bandera High Scnoor graduate.

Sept. 15 - BISD task for recent Bandera Bright School for easks for ngw high to everyone who knew him, school students and adults in the coffunction and control of the students and adults in the coffunction and control of the students and adults in the coffunction and the students and adults in the coffunction and the students and an active such dent, stablets and an active such that the least recent stablets are an active such that the least recent stablets are the stablets and an active such that the least recent stablets are the stablets and the stablets are the stablets and the stablets are the stablets and the stablets are the stablets are the stablets and the stablets are the stab



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Friday, Sept 3, on the anniver-

southbound. He was unable to avoid the pickup and hit the right side of the truck. Turner was pinned under the pickup. Emergency crews from Pipe Creek, Bandera and Lakehills worked to free him

Future Bandera Post Office a report to the board of trustees .to include meeting with com to include meeting with community groups and the community itself and to develop a more detailed site plan and models for the Bandera Downs racetrack site. Board members present at the meeting were President Pat Cleaver, Margaret Paradee, Scott Middleton and Scott

On The Waterfront: Bandera County's Water War

Looking Back and Looking Forward What's to Become of Our Most Precious Resource?

projects that included sewer and

The council awarded contracts

Sept. 1 - Ronny Ray Park will be a place for

The first annual Riverfest was a huge success

Sept. 1- BISD trustees the children change defiant prayer
stand
A park to be built in Lakehills, designed specifically for younger
The Bandera Independent children in memory of Ronny
School District Board of Ray Bowen, who died tragically

The council awarded contracts to Pyle and Richin for a TDHGA. The san Department of Housing and Community Affairs grant Lang for Community Management Services, for grant administration services, and to Noten, for street repairs.

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We say "Hurray for Y2K" Over the

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oinsettia plant and we re the one donated by going. Harry's buddy, Deloras erbread House a couple ago.

and her usual gift of goodies.

From all of us at the Corral, thank you to all these generous people and God Bless.

Mary Portman usually man-

Trades, Jane Amorrous, received some good news recently. She sent in an application for one of Southwest Airlines "Home for the Holidays' free round-trip tickets that the Alamo Area Council of Governments sponsors. Jane Alamo Area Council of Governments sponsors. Jane was the only Bandera County applicant selected. She will fly free to see her sister in Albuquerque, NM. Her grand-son, who lives in Alamogordo, NM, called to say he will bring his new halv to see her while N.M., called to say he will bring his new haby to see her while she is there. This will be the first time she has seen her new great-granddaughter. Wow! That's the way to begin the new millennium. Congratulations, Jane!

And - to the anonymous Santa who left the gift and sweet note on my desk last Wednesday - words cannot into speechlessness. God Bless You! You have certainly made the holidays much brighter for me. Yes, Virginia, there really is a Santa Claus.

Dean's back in Tarpley!

TARPLEY & RIO HONDO NEWS



Dean

op the worst."
Well, I got home this Sunday and must say the weather looks should. "He say, overcast and a finy look at run." The creek and a finy look at run."

but somehow, we never expected husband Elzie came for the him guing, even at 87 years. My family and his grew up close and to leave his sheep, cows and his lowe a bet of my growing up to his parents Aunt Dee and Unche Londe and my dear brother Glenn. While visiting us one day, Glenn feel in the water trough and to his disquist, he had to wear my dress humle What a come down for Glen. Will flewer trough and to his disquist, he had to wear my dress humle What a come down for Glen. Will flewer trough and to have a more part of the come were Patty to his Marche 5 bough and one by one, he chooses well. To his believed wife Link, daughter of his Marche 5 bough, and one by one, he chooses well. To his believed wife Link, daughter of his Marche of AdM and Marchia his come of the company of the comp

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Howdy! We sure hope every-one had as wonderful a Christmas as we did at the Heisler house. We had most of our children home for Christmas Eve along with sev-eral others. There were so many presents, we almost had eral others. There were so many presents, we almost had to move outside! It was so good to share such good fun and good food with so many. With only a few more days left in the year 1999, we wonder how long it will take us to

how long it will take us to remember to say 2000 when we give out the date. As years go, this one wasn't so bad. Kay's wrist is progressing and she has gone back to work. We would like to thank everyone for their thoughtfulness and prayers while she was at bome recover. while she was at home recover-ing. Thanks to each of you for keeping us in your thoughts. The Lakehills Civic Center is

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Remember to sav 2000!

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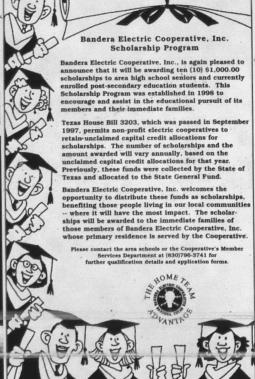


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aineth, I will not stop eating
For the food tasteth so good
The ice cream and the cookies,

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And I shall be "pleasingly

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events. Write and mail thank

are very special people. They are fortunate enough to have a home in San Antonio as well as a home in Pebble Beach. The couple has four children. Ann Marie is a teacher at Bandera

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Corpus to San Antonio in 1983,
George was as abu-contractor.
George would water blast and
sinefer floors. The HES comlexis a part of the National
register of Historic Places. It is
the Arsenal Complex in the King
William's area. George attended
a private school in Canada as his
mother was Canadian. George the 2nd Army Band. Instead of him boasting about being a war hero, you may hear him talking about bagpipes. Harry, George's father from Kentucky, had a big part with the growing of the Ruby Red grapefruits in the Valley.

Valley.

Jeanie Anderson has been working with the United States Census Bureau for the past 21

I can testify that George cleans floors like I have never seen. He has cleaned my floors for the past five years at Medina Lake Country Club and he is Saturday night Adolph's had



were enjoyed by all.
Our prayers are with Juanita
Fuller. She is getting treatment
for her leg and hopefully the
therapy will have her up and
about real soon. We miss you,

Juanita.

Coming soon to Medina Lake
Country Club is "Kaptain
Krusty's Seafood", Joe Matz, the
Took, has had several seafood
restaurants, including one in
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shrimp, senfood of all kinds, get
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Saying that public education and public safety were his top priorities in the last session of the Legislature, State Representative Bob Turner said with both our public school teachers and Department of Public Safety troopers, asid the safety and the safety a

Turner speaks in Bandera

On a campaign stop in Bandera County last week, State Representative Bob Turner (center) spoke to a group of clitzens and county leaders about some of his accomplishments and some of his plans for the future in his district. "One of the most some of his plans for the future in his district. One of the most important issues we face will be urban (needs) yurses suburban (needs) and water is the key that controls the issue," Turner said. "Seniority is more important now than ever." Turner was praised by County Judge Richard Evans for his leadership or rural county issues. Commissioner Jim Mormando commended on Turner's help with the roads issue. "We've got a real problem with roads," Mormando said. "When we envited (Turner)

fession," he said. "In the end, this is the best thing we could do for Texas school children." Turner also voted for expand-ed reading programs, new pro-grams to increase parental involvement, and technology improvements. As Chairman of the House That's why Turner led the flight to provide troopers with their first significant p.D.B's is competitive with the large police departments, which means we should have plenty of dedicated and well-trained troopers patrolling the highways in rural Texas, he said.

Next, Turner said he will focus on the redrawing of the lines for legislative districts. "If the urban and suburban areas get their way, more state representative, when the said with a first provided that they do today." "I intend to fight for rural texas and make sure their focus on the redrawing of the lines for legislative districts." If the work of the said is the controlled by mean would be controlled by mean a result of the said. "It could mean that rural Texas would get far less attention at the capture of the said." It could mean that rural Texas would a feet far less attention at the capture of the said. "It could mean that rural Texas would a feet far less attention at the capture of the said." It could mean that rural Texas would have less that the said that the said that the said. "It could mean that rural Texas would have less that the said the said the said the said the said that the said the said that the said that the said the As Chairman of the House Committee op Public Safety, Turner said he saw first-hand the problem with trooper recruitment. "Over the last nine years, applications to become a trooper dropped more than 50 percent, from 3,500 to 1,500," said Turner.

That's why Turner led the sentative districts will be con

- Peter J. Williams, D.P.M. -

attracting new ones to the pro-fession," he said. "In the end,

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GREETINGS

Spaying/Neutering: The Humane Pet Option

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very year

*61% of all dogs and 75% if all cats entering heters are killed

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cancer. Unlike dogs, cats can (and do) get preg-nant as soon as they have finished nursing their young. You will eliminate cats purying (this is a territorial issue) it neutering is done early. With the pet over population problem not only in our county we all need to be responsible pet owners and have our pets spayed/meutered as soon as pos-sessions.

what they might perceive to be something good might offend someone else? Has M. Cook read all the Constitution or just one line. Do governments across this land really need to be spending money on this kind of message when it is law that agrey otherwise." If you are an animal lover and would like to help use the law of the law of the season as possible and be sure to make it a priority. If you are an animal lover and would like to help use the force religion out of her home or out of her homeless animals of Bandera County, but will stand and fight against you and anyone else who forces their religious views on me and my children. Yes we have come a long way Ms. Cook, but you seem to have some catching up to do.

Gill Mason,

What V2K?

In our western world a day consists of twenty-four in hours, everyone knows that a given day begans with the first faction of a second after midnight, and the died at midnight of hours later.

A year consists of 306 days, the first year of our calendar began on January 1, year 1 and ended at midnight on December 13, year 10.

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Therefore, be it known to one and all that the next millerounism does not start until January 1 in the year 2001.

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Time in a bottle



Sobering thoughts for young drivers this New Year's eve Commission launched a statewide campaign featuring dilibeards, posters and a tollifered hotlines (888) 843-8222 or (888) The state of the state of



New Year's Eve celebrations

road in Texas Few had ever seen an automobile, and nobody had ever heard of an airplant of ai

versities.

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that has gained wide popularity with the approach of the year 2000. The creation of time capsules are opened a measured in a bottle to our students that was important that they are membered, and why. The idea of time capsule is not new Some 7,000 years ago the king of Assyria created a time capsule — maybe the first same to be supposed to the size of Assyria created a time capsule — maybe the first same for the size of the size of the size of the size of Assyria created a time capsule — maybe the first same for the size of the s

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tricts.

Parents and teachers need to

remind teenagers that their futures and their lives depend on what they don't drift. As a parent, I hope this is it sobering and helpful thought for minors this New Year's Eve.

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On the evening before always look forward to stopping
Christmas Eve we had the by to see them at this time of at the end of the road with our opportunity to stike with friends the Copper Lanters gathering at the home of Pete
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Wentworth serving his turnt term in the Tessa Senate where he chairs the Senate Nominations Committee and serves on the Jurisprudence and serves on the Jurisprudence and State Áffairs committees. Wentworth fought successfully at which important policy dec

--Obituaries--

Betty Risinger, age 97, of San Antonio, passed away of Uvalde, two grandsoins, Pri., Dec. 24, in a San Antonio hospital. She was both of San Antonio, hospital. She was both of San Antonio, and born March 9, 1902 in private family graweside and born March 9, 1902 in private family graweside and born March 9, 1902 in private family graweside and born March 9, 1902 in private family graweside and business of the private family graweside and private family graweside and business of the private family graweside and private family graweside and hospital family graweside family grawes

by Mary Bird

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Happy holidays everybody: Here's hoping everybody: Christmas was merry and bright! It creating was a per Bectly beautiful day, wan't it! got a little warm in the blacked, but that's day, it was to be tome fresh air. It was to be tome fresh air. It was supposed by the little warm in the blacked has been collecting these and running up and down there and running up and down the road to Bark Antonio, I hardy in the neighborhood was doing for the holidays. I just hope it was as special for everyone else as it was at the Birdhouse.

Happy holidays everybody!

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Hard Happy holidays everybody were comparing military notes. On Christmas Eve the Birds and was may be don't be highly and dealts exchange gifts and dove. This is the first time and sown hire at the end of the holiday and the same and the man are the same and the

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Utopia businesses have holiday closings

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their government. They want a government that works and serves, them. Government that works and serves, them. Government was the should be responsive and effect the the district, smith added that he was "gratified that Congress passed the landmark immigration which the was "gratified that Congress passed the landmark immigration which the was "gratified that Congress" committees the was "gratified that Congress" committees the was "gratified that Congress" committees the west "gratified that Congress" committees the proposed was state Affairs committees when they important policy decisions are in the proposed to a stony are in the proposed with important policy decisions are in the proposed with important policy decision

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cious vehicle, and one theft.

A police chief pf a small main road and waited for the men. Soon the Indiana town tells the story of station wagon came zooming



While hunting at the Haag Ranch in Kendall County with his grandpa Tatsch, Wyatt Ortiz of Medina, age 10, shot this big whitetall. The buck had 8 points, weighed 121lbs., and had a 21 1/4" spread. Ortiz



SO Arrest Report SHERIFF'S

Robert Brown, age 25, of Banders, arrested 12/21/99, Injury to a Child, Fel. Misd, Assault w/BI; Randolph

Arrest Report
The following persons were arrested and booked into the Bandera County juil recently. It should be remembered that a person is impocent until 2225999 / It. Reagan Ahrens. age 18, of San Antonio, arrest 12/25/99, Poss. Marij.; Nels

Gonzales, age 41, of San Antonio, arrested 12/26/99, PL

Theft 1 Gas Drive/Walk Off Criminal Mischief Forgery Animal Call

make their mark

by James MacMillan, Bandera County Sheriff

Assault Welfare Concern Keep the Peace Civil Matter Structure Fire Vehicle Fire Hazard

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Crescent get-togethers

CRESCENT CARE CENTER OF BANDERA

by Mada Fitzgerald

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Fitzpatrick, and Annette Kalka-schulte from St. Stanislaus (getholic Church Naited, prayed and sang with resident friends Brenda Adam, Jeanetta Adamietz, Sophia Santos, Harry Fleming, Virginia Overstreet, Lillian Bradford, Ann Fontenot.

Martin Smith from the Church

of Christ came Wednesday morn-ing for Bible Reading and singing

hymns with the residents.

The VFW 9176 Auxiliary came and played bingo with the residents Thursday. Marlen Boyce, Anna Teed, Nora Anderson, Lina Curry and Ann Oliver were the adies that came to play bingo sith the residents. They served delicious refreshments to the res-friday and gave communion to members of the church.

gift bags for the residents and the Light House Church from Lakehills gave poinsettias for

sidents. We thank the following people for all they have done for the residents. The residents enjoyed their the Methodist Church shades and the residents. Nora Hinds, Juanite of the residents, Nora Hinds, Juanite ments were served.



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in Peb. 1998. He spent 26 years in the Army Reserve, starting as a truck driver on road maintenance and construction, and finished as a Pirst Sergesant.

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identity, they can apply for cred-it cards, open checking accounts and establish phone services

and establish phone services under your name. Using your identity, they are able to write bad checks and use your credit cards with no intentions to pay; therefore, tarnishing your good credit with delinquent bills you

credit with definquent bills you know nothing about. You can minimize your risk by following these tips:
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make sure all information under your name is correct.
• Pay attention to billing cycles and follow up with credi-tors if bills do not arrive on the control of the control of the billing address on your accounts to buy them some time before you resognize a problem with your bill.
• Before revealing personal information ask how that infor-mation in the control of the control to the control of the control of the technique of the control of the control you keep your file confidential?

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the decision that seems prudent
for this precinct and county to
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aid Keese.

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'Tis the season to announce for office

Don Jones, Chairman of the Bandera County Republican Party Feptred this week that a number of candidates have filled the necessary paper work to have their names placed on the filing deadine for candidates is the filing deadine for candidates is Filing for re-election as Bandera County Sheriff is James McMillan. Bandera Police Chief Lynn Holt has annoued his intention to challed the second of the filing for the filing for the filing for re-election as Bandera County Sheriff is James McMillan. Bandera Police Chief Lynn Holt has annoued his intention to challed the filing for the position of County Attorney or Constable Precinct

The position of County Commissioner for Precinct 1 has Rex Cox vying for the posi-tion currently held by Jim Mormando

Mormando.

The County Commissioner for Precinct 3 has incumbent Ralph Chancy facing a challenge from Richard Keese.

All Constable positions are to be decided in the March Primary race.

e decided in trimary race. Phillip P Tobin has innounced for Constable Precinct 1, Earnest Reich has announced for Constable Precinct 2 and Bill Stanton has

announced for Constable Precinct 4.

Kim Hesley has announced her bid for Bandera County Republican Party Chairman.

Ten very happy with the slate of candidates we have so far.

ward to someone coming forward to file for County Attorney and Constable Precinct 3.

Jones may be contacted at 1830460-7174

Mary Autry, Chairman of the Bandera County Bennecratic Bandera County Bennecratic Carol Lobert is seeking the Bandera County Democratic Party Chairman position. Democrate interested in filing for the positions available may for the positions available may contact Autry at (830)535-4050.

Cox

Rex Cox announced his candidacy for County Commissioner,
Precinct 1, in the Republican

Primary

We are blessed to live in a beautiful part of our state, Bandera County. More and more people are moving to this area, and as we enter into a new century, this flow will continue, said Cox. "I strongly believe the most important issue is to improve our roads. This is why I say, "I want to be your County Road

Bandera's sales tax revenue continues to show increase

Final 1999 figures show anders received \$409,463.19. up 8.8 percent from the 1998 figure of \$376,314.26

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'Tis the season to announce for office

Don Jones, Chairman of the Bandera County Republican Party reported this week that a number of candidates have filed the necessary paperwork to have the Permary realist. The filing deadline for candidates is Mon, Jan. 3, 2000.

Filing for re-election as Bandera County Sheriff is James McMillan. Bandera Police Chief Lynn Holt has annoued his intention to challenge McMillan. Jean Stevens has filed for Bandera County Tax Assessortion of County Tax Assessortion of the County Automated the County Automated Tax Assessortion of County Automated Tax Assessortion of the County Automated Tax Assessortion of County Tax Asses

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Jones may be contacted at Wary Auty. Chairman of the

(830)460-7174
Mary Autry, Chairman of the Bandera County Democratic Party announced this week that Carol Lobert is seeking the Bandera County Democratic Party Chairman position.
Democrats interested in filing for the positions available may for the positions available may contact Autry at (830)535-4050.

easter Auto-38 (2004) a Geo-coat Coat Rex Cox announced his candi-dacy for County Commissioner, Precinct 1, in the Republican Primary. — We are blessed to live in a beautiful part of our state. Bandera County. More and more people are moving to this new century, this flow will con-tinue," said Cox. "I strongly believe the most important issue is to improve our reads. issue is to improve our roads This is why I say, "I want to be your County Road

Bandera's sales tax revenue continues to show increase

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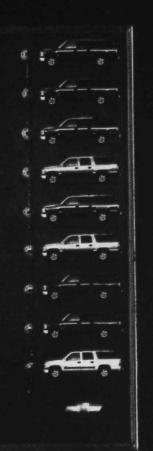
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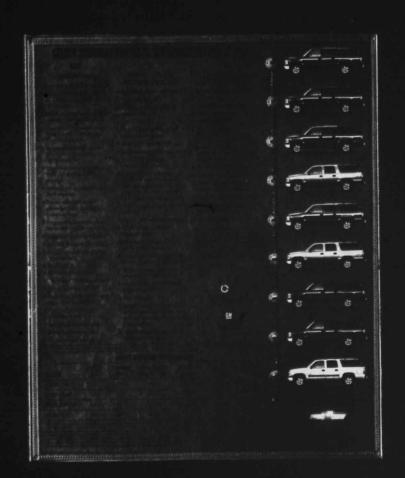
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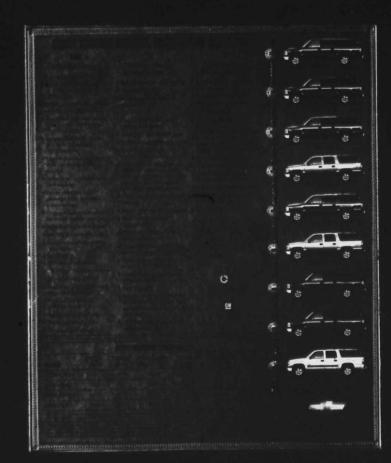


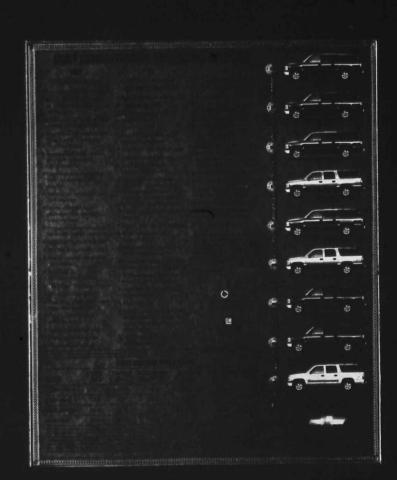
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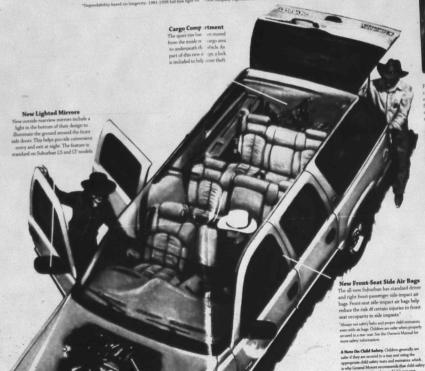
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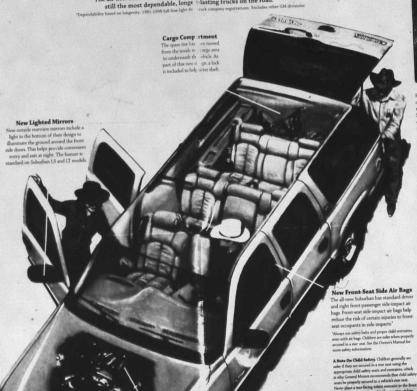
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Tis the Season for **HC Elementary**

Tommy Clark, Amonta Sheppard, David Clark and Orey Klevel. In the back row (I-I) E Fire Klevel. Mre. Kim Mooney and Sarah Jewett. Below, left, Josh Mayfield, Matthew Rodriguez and Travis Combs sings with first graders on the stage behind them. Below, Second grade classes led in singing Christmas carols by music teacher Gay Palmaro. (Photos by Dorcas Brashear)







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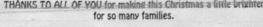
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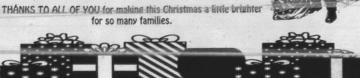
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ago in an obscure village in what for our God. Every valley shall be called And every mountain the called And every mountain to right of the called And every mountain to right of the LORD of hosts will be a never before a factor talls us that Mary named that the rough places shall be made straight And the rough places smooth; the leave of the LORD of hosts will be reform this '50 there would be reformed and thus become the Sacrifice God, would grow to manhood and thus become the Sacrifice Again, we find one of many descriptions of the Savior of the Word. This was the requirement of allow, Rightous God for the rough the complete of mankind. The foreign the called Wonderful, error that the through the three the son many years ago. During this time of Christmans celebrase the mirror of the Savior of the Words. This was the requirement of a loss of the Savior the Words of the Savior of the Words. The Savior of the Words of t

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real Christmas story. For that manner, many adults don't in Issiah The voice of one crymanner, many adults don't in in the wilderness. Prepare Peace. Of the increase of His throw the story either Almost two thousand years ago in an obscure village in what the way of the LORD! Make government and peace there will be straight in the desert A highway be no end, Upon the throne of both throne of the control of



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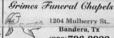
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More Santa Letters...

would drive it to Dairy Queen and get a ice cre Travis Loggett

I wish I had a puppy, a ab. His name will be "Luke" I wish to have a pinata. I wish I had video game, a fighting one. Please bring me a little toy sheep and it could really go. To have a cat, please, Santa Claus. I wish to have some gold, to throw it up and try to catch it. Franze Gruenskiner

Dear Santa.

I want a dog. I will name him "Annabell". I want a cat, a brown cat. I want a puppet and that's all.

Maura Cady

I want a karate uniform for a black belt and a dirt bike with no gas tank. I want a dog, a bloodhound, I would name him "Floppy Ears". I want a wooden gun that shoots a little cork

Ben DeRonde

Dear Santa, Hi, how are you? Merry Christmas. How is every-one at the north pole? Beanie-babies toy bag. Derrick Cheswick

Janelle Perez

Letters to Santa Mrs. Shubert 1st grade, Alkek

Dear Santa, Please bring me some toys. I would like poke

Zachary Hawkins

Dear Santa.

. Hi, how are you? Merry Christmas! How is every-one at the north pole? I Lorraine Ortiz

Dear Santa,

Hi, how are you? Merry Christmas! How is every-one at the North Pole? I would like a dog. Furbies Tabatha Peterson

Dear Santa,

I have been very good Easy Bake Oven. Cheerleader Barbie, cat hed for Bell Pokmon hall thirthteen cart gold Pokemon for Christmas Christine Lister

Dear Santa

Three boxes of Pokemor cards. A game for my

Dustin Lindner

I holve been very good. I would like a yellowand black truck for Christmas Caitlin Kennedy.

Dear Santa.

I have been very good. I would like Gameboy colr, Benjamin Hevenor

Dear Santa.

I have been very good. I want Pokemon Gameboy yellow and Pokemen Gameboy color and 46 Pokemon cards and please

Adam Goodenough

Dear Santa.

I have been very good. I want a Pokemon Gameboy color, crash box building do 64 games, drum set. New Bop It socer goal Arbok movie, football.

I have been very good. I wish for baby spise. I wish for some pokemon cards. I wish for babysitter barbie.

I wish for a lifesize doll. Gretchen Brosz

Dear Santa,
I would like a Pokemon
card, Venusour a new
game. Please bring me a
dog leash, cat leash, Ashs .claus? How is Rudolph? I
hat. want 100 pokemon balls and a new Barbie. Loev, Haley Bates

> Santa Letters Mrs. Sinclair. 1st grade, Alkek

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Isaac Campos ards, please and a 5 story nouse, 3 horses, 3 Hi, how are you? Merry one the north pole? I would like a Furbies.

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Christmas: bicycle, hot wheels track, batman fly-

ing car, toy story 2 tape

A STATE OF THE PARTY. art set that has A Letter to Santa markers, coloers coloered penyou, Santa. Dear Santa. Mills Dera I have been very good. Barbie computer. Easybake oven,

CDs and a 1 pokemon toy.

Jesus Ortiz

Dear Santa, I want 100 Pokemon

my blue Jumper dress.

Love, Mandy Shae

Santa? Thank you for the beanbag you gave

last vear

Rudolph doing? and everybody. Thank you for the glob. I've bin a

faraly good girl. Can I please have a mald of the

How is Rudolph? Rudolph is very Cuote! May I pleas hav a biche

DeRonde

Dear Santa,

Stephanie

Dear Santa How are you? How is Rudolph? How is Mrs.

shampoo. Katie Cällahan Dear Santa,

cleerleader barbie

talking furrbie game

Tea set, doll, ice creammaker, barbie

I want a remote con-trolled boat and new tennis shoes. Bop It Extreme. Neal Hodge

and Bop It. I love you,

I have been very good. I ant skates and new sho

Sarah Lovett sister. I want 1500 pokemon cards. I want 3 jets. I want a bed. I want a football. I want a computer

Dear Santa How are you? Are your reindeer feeling nice. Thank you for the doll you game me last Christmas. Please bring me a Jumper

Preslev

Letters to Santa

2nd grade, Alkek

dress, please get me blue Please bring me a gir puppy with a blue bow Can you bring me a blue and a CD player and a 10 and green scrunchy with

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Rudolph, k like you too. It bring me a bebe gun and a dosinte mater, Rudolph. paint ball gun and poke-

Love, Karen Bates mon snap

Dear Santa,

How is everybody at the North Pole? I saw you at the parade

Saturday. Please bring me a sweatsuit, and a blue

jumper dress like Mandy.

And a blue and green hair

scrunchy and a size 2 ring

for my hand. And some

to go with it. Also a science book, too. Merry

Love, Kelsey Jackson

How are your reindeer? Well, this is what I want for Christmas pleas. Can you give me a CD player and CD's. And a littel

Dear Santa,

Love, Andrew

Dear Santa, How are you? Thank you for Nintendo 64. Pleas bring me a pupy and a poster of a bugy-color blue and a modersicl and a play stashin and a pair of roler-scats and a game boy and a

Letters to Santa Mrs. McFarland 2nd grade, Alkek

I would like a pack of Pokemon cards. Easy Bake oven and a baseball baat, Gameboy color. Luke Williams



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A RESCUE PET'S CHRISTMAS POEM

'Tis the night before Christmas and all through the too Tis the night before Christmas and all through the town, every shelve it full -we nel to but not found, Our numbers are hung on our kennels so bare, we hope every minute that someone will care, They'll come to adopt us and give us the call, "Come here. Mox and Sparite - come fetch your new ball!!" But now we sit here and think of the days we were treated so fondly - we had cute, baby ways Once we were little, then we grew and we grew, low we're no longer young, and were no longer ne

So out the back door we were thrown like the trash So out the back soon we were under into the vicus the reacted to qualkly where they to resthe We "jump on the children," don't came when they foll", we "back when they leave us", climb over the will. We should have been neutrend, we should have been payed, now we suffer the consequence of the error, IFEF made. If only they'd trained us, I only we I'f only they'd trained us, I only we I'f only they'd trained us, I only we I'm when we'd have done what they calked us and wershiped them, too. We were left in the backyard, or worse - left to roam, now we're tired and lonely and out of a home. They dropped us off here and they kissed us good-bye, 'Maybe someone else will give you a try.'

So now here we are, all confused and alone So now here we are, all confused and alone, in a shelter with other who long for a home. The kind workers come through with a meal and a part with a meal and the part of the

If you can't adopt us and there's no room at the Inn could you help with the bills and fill our food bin? We count on your kindness each day of the year, can you give more than hope to everyone here?

and get us something special to eat.
Shelter that cares for us wants up. and more of us will, IF MORE PEOPLE WILL GIVE.

He's Gonna' Find **Out Who's Naughty** or Nice.....

I want a purple bick.

Brittani Shianne

Dera Daddy

I want a Esiz Bakes oven and a caw Gro hat and a caw Gro sht and pans and a faka Grito with faka food. Merry Christmas. Love, Candace.
Candace Fuller

Dear Santa, I want a Pat ball gun. Trey Archer

I want a Jeep queen. I

A m a Shackelford Letters Santa M

Boatright 1st grade,

I have

Bop It, ice skates, picture of Santa, Easy Bake Oven, computer, pict Rudolph. Dana Carman picture

I wwish you would give me Bop It. I want Hot Daniel

Dear Santa,

I hope you can breing me a Brinesper dolle. I hope you can breing me a dolle. I hope you can breing me a Tiffany Maples

Dear Santa,

Dow you now wut? I wut a game boy culr and a mine CD playr and a shany twan and krathre meusik and a kunpeotr thet has CD rome Lauren Finley

Dear Santa. now what I want for Christmas, Santa. I want my easy bake oven to be fixed and I want a new dress and a big teddy bear.

Paris Box

wat for Christman Nindeno chrahn Ben game Cody Williams

Dear Santa

a tatoo baby and a dirie agia prinses, the crown

comes off, a Barbei jeep, a Ptan. school with every thing, a big Barbei and skates

Arianna Loggins

am veery good this year. I wish you a mery Crismis. I woad like a tedy bear, a doll, and a Marekee's, a drom and a boll

Dear Santa

rex and tricer-atops and stra-

and a cat and dog book

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Dear Santa

much acts. I wot lic a Pokemon twer. And a hot weels, and pokemon gamento 64 I wat a cimputr. I wat a metl dtetr. I wat a hors. I

I love you ware veare much. I hope it is not too

Dear Santa

A Letter to Santa

Dear Santa,

wat a pupe. I wat a matin. I wat a dot vipr. I wat a bages. I wat a Poke Casey Phillips Hot Weels, Pokemon cars, boat, bus, game coleo, Dear Santa,

> I lov mi dade. I wont a bic. I wont a dog. I wont a saddl. I wont toys. Hay a merre Crismes. Se

Desmuke

Letters to Santa, Knibbe. grade, 1st Alkek

Dear Santa, I want a fish and a pur nd a reindeer. I love you Jeffrey Jensen

I been very good. Thank you. I want pony, cat, Furby, Barbie, bike, angel Bonita San Miguel

Pokemon Hot Wheels

Pokemon

Dylan Klein

Wil you ples brin a

Dear Santa.

boe an pupu an remot tol Kar an tran set an

remt kuntolr nr plan.

Dear Santa.

I been very good. I want motorcycle, bike, gold gocart, pony and my sister a prestint. Thank you.

Dear Santa. Veronica Fabro

Dear Santa, watet jumper, new bike, a motorcycle, and pony.

Andy Bowles

1 been very good. Thank you. I want culecd dols, Barbe angel, bike, çat,

I been very good. I want Austin Wood

Dear Santa, I love you. I hav bin good. I wot new baby jinsis and a barbe that is a anjl Santa. I wot a baby dol Thank you.

Love, Chelsea

I very good. I want a pony, Shannan's skate-board and cat dog. Chelsey Sutherland

Dear Santa I want something for my family. My family been very good.

Rene Robledo

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I want a real watch and a real knife. I want a real

shotgun. When I kill a deer with my shotgun I'm

gonna gut it. I'll take

it back to

bear and a siraffe and

some bunnies, and mouses, monkey, all stuffed ani-

and elephants. I want some pikachu's and a pina-

ta. I want numbers, 20 of

them. I will count them to my brother. I

A Letter to Santa

Dear Santa,

cards. That's all.

Dear Santa

Dear Santa,
I very good. I want a
dogs. My bro has been
bad. I want a pony.
David Houton

I want a pony and a Furby and a Angel Barbie and a bike and a baby sister. Thank you. Santa Emily King

Dear Santa

I been very good. I want Furby, bike, angel Barbie, pony. Thank you.

I want a pony and a new bike and I want a Angel barbie and I want a crown Jade

I been good something for my brother

want

David

Dear Santa I'm good. Joe and a jeep hummer. Pokiemon gold cards, dog tagz hundyrd dolr motil, turehols lisurd aumarera can flag, Captin X, pokiemon cards, and snow. I want cooce cooce dow, trushr chest, metil dtekter, and a pikatyou toy

Dear Santa

I have been very good Want 100 packs of Poemon cards and Pokemon folder, too. Thank you and a pikachu and a frog. Thank you very much.

Jeffrey Jensen

Letters to Santa Mrs. McGuire Kindergarten, Alkek

gonna let them eat some of my catch a little baby deer and it's going to be my pet. I'm even catching three of

Will Thornton

Dear Santa

I want a 222 gun and I want a pocket knife to throw at deer. Some little Pikachu's, a big ol' trampoline, and a pellet gun Some little teddy bea giraffes, a little teddy bear "S" and an "R" teddy bear because "R" starts my

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Russell Foster

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I want a Barbie. I want some paints that work adn a paintbrush. I want a real pinata so I can bust it outside in my yard. I want my own computer. I want a ball that I can play with

Dear

Santa,

Paige Duggan

I want a rocket I can fly and put it on my back. I want a remote control air and can-move the airplane

Westen Steeghs



want

puppy, Sinker,

will name i

like that name

for a dog. Also a

Jamaz Bakken

I want a bike. I want

want some candy canes want a horn, a blower orn. I want a book that has a locker like Mariana's I want a puzzle like Mariana's. I want a big rocking horse and a teddy bear. I want a doll, a walk-ing doll, a bseball with a ball and that's all.

a remote control race car, and a toy truck, an army tank. I want a little Dear Santa.

puppy Chihuha. I will name him C. W. because ppy Chihuha. I will
me him C. W because
y sister has one named
W. I'd like two little
ppies. I want a sinker
Christmas. He's little
sol 1 can staple stuff. Give
me a toy box because I. my sister has one named W. I'd like two little puppies. I want a sinker for Ghristmas He's little

have an old toy box and my toys in.

Derek Falardeau

Dear Santa, I want a book that has a locker, puzzles, and a box for my toys. Bring me a Mariana Hernandez Dear Santa,

I want a pet dog and I want a lolly pop. I want a pen for my dog and a brush for my dog. I want a suck-er. I want a teddy bear and then a blanket, a cat blanket. I want a car, a corvette, a real one.

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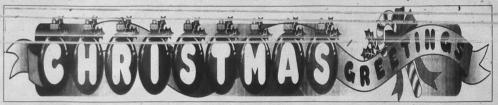
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6th grade Number Sense Cody Kelly placed 5th, Matthèw Montes 4th, and Ryan Hicks 1st.
 7th grade Number Sense Adam Middleton placed 2nd and Travis Chastain 1st.
 8th grade Number Sense Jenailea Howell placed 5th, Bobby Nowell 2nd and Zach Strait

1st.

- 6th grade Celculator Ryan Hicks placed 3rd,
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- 6th Adam Middleton 2rd, and Milchael Wood 1st.

Well, it's good to be home for the holidays

OVER THE BACK FENCE



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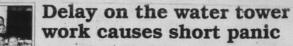
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Well, the joke was on me. And I am supposed to be giving you the Medina news... but when I saw that the Medina water

tower work was postponed, I did

the post office) carefully. So,
the post office) carefully. So,
the post office) carefully. So,
the was an example of kindwhen my water was cut off, I
ran around calling people to see
about paying my bill and trying
to change my billing address. So
folks, don't follow my lead. I had
to laugh after I found out that
every one's water was off and
my bill was paid up all right
ing how many others dropped off
their water bill djecks prompted
by the water being turned off
in Medina.

Here's a Medina teacher
remembered by Clara Tennesse
in De Ferguson Hatfield's me
book, Medina. A Delightful

HC Goat Classic Show Results

Showbarn. Seventy two goats were entered in this year's show. Results are as follows:

• Grand Champion Meat Goat- Lindsey Strickland-

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Reserve Grand
Champion Meat GoatMonica Schmidtki

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Doe- Stephanie Worley

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Goat-Kathryn Miller

Market Goats, Class 1	
Todd Davis	1st
Raven Rucker	2nd
Ashton Braddock	3rd
Jordan Boyson	4th
Melinda Griffin	5th
Tamara Brown	6th
Market Goats, Cl	lass 2
Lindsey Curuso Strickland	1st
Nicole Griffin	2nd
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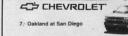
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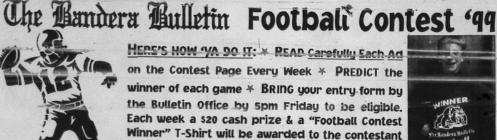
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Notices

Local Little Leaguers have registrations

Bandera County Little League and Lakehills/ Pipe Creek Little League, Inc. will hold baseball and softball registrations for players ages five to 16 as

Thursday, Jan. 6

Lakehills/Pipe Creek LL Hill Country Elementary, 6-8, p.m.

Bandera LL, Norwest Bank, 6-8 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 8 Lakehills/Pipe Creek LL, Pipe Creek Community

Bandera LL, Mansfield Park, 9 a.m. to noon. Monday, Jan. 10

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Lakehills/Pipe Creek LL, Hill Country Elemen-tary, 6-8 p.m.

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Bandera LL, Mansfield

nust register and play with Lakehills/Pipe Creek Little League

\$55 with a \$5 discount for each additional s anal sibling. T

For the best in local sports coverage turn to The

'Dogs down Reagan; Medina fails in tourney

From staff reports

Jerod Fields came off a Joining Fields in the doubtogh shooting weekend at beliefly tough shooting weekend at the Hondo Tournament to be digit club was junior beliefly to the Hondo Tournament to pour in a game-high 24 points a point and point and the Hondo Tournament to pour in a game-high 24 points in lead at halfitime.

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Razor sharp

Bandera for-ward Andy Blount (14)

for a shot

during last

his offensive game this season as the

Bulldogs have raced out to a 10-1 record.

tries to go up

against Ingram's Ryar

Sports stockings

Bandera is such a beautiful town, with the spirit of Christmas beaming with every white light along Main Street A man in a red suit tapped me on the shoulder following the Cowboy Christmas last week. He left a bag sloweside rev notrand.

bag last week with gifts for every sports-man from St. Nick.

So, as one of Santa's little helpers, I am glad to hand out these gifts and wishes to our local and state sports figures as they drift off to sleep with birdie putts, three-point jumpers and 6-4-3 double plays dancing

in their heads.

• for Bandera football coach for Bandera football coach Mike Williamson an instant replay from the NFL. In this case, a replay of this season without all the injuries. Just imagine how far the 'Dogs could have gone in the playoffs if they had been healthy this season.
 Still Williamson's group agm as

Still, Williamson's group earn a trip to the playoffs and a second-place finish in the district. "for Plying L. Guest Ranch
golf pro Pam Strait a January
and February of steady rains.
With this year's drought taking
its toll, nothing would be better
than a nice, slow rain to soak
those fairways and greens.

* the patience of Jobs for
Branders girls basketball coch
Brett Morrish the lumps of a
rebuilding year. A strong subvarsity group will make this
rough ride a short one in the

the upcoming livestock show

• a big pat of the back for

See Petitt: page 9A

Bandera's Andy Blount brings strong work ethic, leadership to hardwood By Bis Pelitt Bandera junior forward Andy Blount sheepishiy admitted earlier this execuse that he do tout sheepishiy admitted earlier this execuse that he do to tout sheepishiy admitted earlier this execuse that he had not tout sheepishiy admitted earlier this execuse that he had not tout sheepishiy admitted earlier this execuse that he had not tout sheepishiy admitted earlier this execuse that he had not tout sheepishiy admitted earlier this execuse that he had not tout sheepishiy admitted earlier this execuse that he had not tout sheepishiy admitted earlier this execuse that he had not tout sheepishiy admitted earlier this execuse that he had not remark the hondo Tournament, we were since per-wee basketball. When I was a fortill earlier than I don't know what to expect. When we started unring this ofference last when we was a sophomore to lead the tearn. After shorting 76 percent during the foot and tout the hondo Tournament, we were the foot all easy and the hondo Tournament, we were the foot all easy and the hondo Tournament, we were the foot and to the transport of the foot and to the transport of the transport of the proposal to the transport of the proposal to the proposal to the transport of the proposal to the proposal to the transport of the proposal to the proposal to the transport of the proposal to the transport of the proposal to Junior girls basketball

have kept the ball under lock me as a sophomore to feed the team.

and key sconer —

The first team all-district performer as a sophomore has reased their conditions as some and in turn, the Bulldogs have raised this level of play this season, and in turn, the Bulldogs have raised this record to 10-1 after a 64-50 win over San Antonio Reagan.

His shooting has improved a lot from last year, said losys backethall coach Steve Kidd of his 6-foot-discovered by the foot-discovered b

coming years.

A chance to play football another year for Medina senior quarterback Clint Singleton. After enduring three tough seasons as the Bobcats QB, Singleton should be rewarded another year to rean the reward.

of Glenn Davis' vastly improved

filled with wishes of joy, success

Blant showed the unselfish play of a lead or against Reagan as he fed senior center Jerof Fields the ball for a 24-point night despite struggling from the field in the Hondo Tournament a week ago. I sat down with him, patted him on the back and told him. Jerod, we're going to need you. I'm not going to stop feeding you the ball. I can't do't all, not one man can ball. I can't do't all, not tone man can't all the state of the state

for distance runners Clifton and Ryan Tierney. These brothers put on more miles than most foreign cars. Clifton's trip to state in cross country is only a prelude to what could come this spring. Ryan has the potential to be the best long distance runner in school history if he keeps progressing.

A season of top go-rounds, big prize money and no injuries for local rodeo favorite Clay

for all those athletes who are also prepping their animals for

Medina volleyball coach Shanna Moldenhauer for leading the Lady Bobcats to the state play offs for the first time in school history.

• a day to sleep late for

Bandera junior Andy Blount. Andy is not only a starter on the Bulldog basketball team, he is then goes home to study until 2 or 3 o'clock in the morning and next morning. Ahhh, the energy

league set to begin

The Kerrville Junior Girls of three divisions — minors Basketball League will take reg-thrid and fourth graders), stration for the 2000 season majors (fifth and sixth graders) from Jan. 4.19, 2000 at the Basketball League will take reg-istration for the 2000 season Cerrville Municipal Auditorium.

Registration hours are from 8

Local golfers donate to 'Gift of Love'

More than \$1,000 was raised ing a golf tournament on Dec. 16 at the Flying L Guest Ranch.
One hundred and ten golfers donated \$10 to play in the one-

donated 310 to pay in the one-day event.

"We simply wanted to express our appreciation to the players who support us on a regular basis, and do something good for the community," said Pam Straight, Flying L Guest Ranch

Straight, Flying I. Guest Ranch golf pro.

The team of Clissy Elkins, Jaque Morrow, Terry Morrow and Carolyn McClellan used their handicaps to fire a round of 52 for a two-stroke win over the team Jerry Smith, Norma Smith, Ray Martel and Marty

Redman.
Flossie Allen, Ray Raymond,
Jerry Russell and John Mc
Clenny claimed third with a 56.
Over 50 Golf Association:
Boerne's Fritz Houston, Lois
Fugit, Dan Rogers and Roland
Bartells combined for a five-

basketball. When I was a freshman I didn't

know what to expect. When we started run-ning this offense last year, (coach Kidd) told me I needed to run the show. I took it as a

Blount

From page 8A

Bandera Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Scholarship Program

Bandera Electric Cooperative, Inc., is again pleased to

scholarships to area high school seniors and currently

encourage and assist in the educational pursuit of its

Texas House Bill 3203, which was passed in September

announce that it will be awarding ten (10) \$1,000.00

enrolled post-secondary education students. This

1997, permits non-profit electric cooperatives to

scholarships. The number of scholarships and the

Previously, these funds were collected by the State of

opportunity to distribute these funds as scholarships,

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Texas and allocated to the State General Fund.

Bandera Electric Cooperative, Inc. welcomes the

retain unclaimed capital credit allocations for

Scholarship Program was established in 1998 to

members and their immediate families.

Louest Runch last weekly tournament played at the Flying tournament played at the Flying at Castroville's Alastian course. Could Boys Golf Louest Runch last week One stroke back was two teams — Charles Olivares, blike Angle, Bill Arraiza and Vern Proctor and the foursome of Jim Terry, Dino D'Martino, Clint Briggs and Charley Huff.

Legar Louest Runch Castroville, the Search With Legar Louest Louest Legar Louest Louest Legar Louest Legar Louest Legar Louest Louest Legar Louest Louest Legar Louest Louest Legar Louest Louest Louest Legar Louest Louest Louest Legar Louest Louest Louest Louest Legar Louest Louest Legar Louest Louest

"Coach Williamson really helped me understand the role of being a leader," said the flower of the flower where he caught for 878 yards and 11 TDs. "I had some big games sid receiver last season. He said it doesn't matter how old you are, leads reship can fall anywhere. He's right, I had the most varsity experience so whenever I tell them something (teanmates) don't get mad. We're so close, we treat each other with the state of the source of the state of the source of the state of the source of the state of

man. We're so case, we reat earth one of the property of the court. He works nights at the local Super S grows atom. A manager dates at spit, we will be super the court of th

complete unfinished studies.

"If toro me that he wanted to ge,"
adding to give something back. I told him
said Blount in response to working the long
hours.

It is that same work ethic that began as a

Beagan had two 6-foot-5 posts and we need of Jerot to play well."

Andy's mental approach to the game is so Hardin. He really did a good job of teaching much ahead of last year," said Kidd. He's a good floor leader and that fact that this group has played together so long has helped.

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Blount would prepare to you have the prepared to you have the young the motion. Its the same type of emotion that Blount wow on the court to raily the Bullouse and the same in the classroom trying to keep his dearning a language, once you learn the beasing you just prepared to you have the prepared to you have you have you have the you have yo



Carolyn

Commission to back holds the Ronnie Ray Park this spring.

• Lots of eager kids and sup-portive, positive parents for the area youth sports such as the Banders Youth Football League and the Bandera County Little League and the Lakebills*Pipe Creek Little League.

• a variety letter for Medina linebacker G.J. Mendeke as big as his heart. After suffering a near-falal illness two seasons ago, Mendeke returned to Aura-ductured all-district accorded.

earned all-district accolades.

• plenty of Power Bait for those anglers who are gearing up for January's trout shocking at the City Part.

• a bigger letter jacket for former Banders standout Katie Jennings, now at Schreiner College in Kerville. She walked on to the Lady Mountaineers soccer team and earned second-

man, She will get her turn at softball this spring.

• an NFL rules change to

• an NFL rules change to shorten games to 55 minutes. This would be called the *Dallas Cowboys rule* since the Cowboys quit playing with five minutes left in the game. That

for the San Antonio Spurs. The oldest team in the NBA may be swinging their foot in a rocking chair come June if they can't

 reversable football uniforms
that convert into band uniforms
for those area gridders that perform in the band at halftime. a big hug and a camera bag full of film to Denise Van Dyke

for providing some great shots o

to make their son/daughter a sandwich for the return trip from an away game. Finally, from everyone at the Bulletin. A very, Merry Christmas and Happy New

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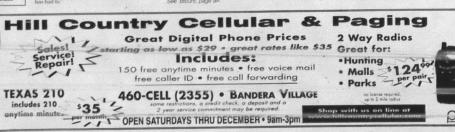
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Silver Sage Christmas Wishes

s would like to share this beaution see; Buth was written by Randi Williams mother, Ruth adson – the story of the birth of Jesus through the sideoper's eyes. Randi sings with the Melodiers of the and her hesband. Mike, own and operate he Main Street Stage. THE INNKEEPER'S STORY

The past fortnight had been hectic enough! My only servent had let in a isai! My only servent had let in a isai! My with had anddonly taken quite ill. She seemed better now, but could do no work stall. She seemed hetter now, but could do no work stall. A wince cank had fallen and bourt on the floor. The man overcharged me for menting the door. Important supplies had arrived late, too. Oh, what could a poor, harred inchesper do'

The guests had reveled for half of the night, But I had been wakened long before light By Travelers hammering on the front door. All the long day they had come, more and more.

They seemed just a part of he hurrying throng. Their donkey was limping as he plodded along. And, just as I had told many before, I told them "No room" when they came to the door.

But the tall, worried man was so gentle and m And the lovely young woman was heavy with chi So I must do something! But what could I do? I pondered a moment – then suddenly knew –

The stable was clean, and the beasts made it warm. They could rest there a while and be safe from harm I gave them a lantern and showed them the way, Then forgot my new guests in the rush of the day.

As the night came down I was busy indeed With so many people to house and to feed. The inn filled with laughter and shouting and song. Oh, I was exhausted, the evening so long!

When finally I could be down on my bed Confusion still reigned in my poor aching head, And I found, alas, that I just couldn't rest, For something – a longing? – still stirred in my breast.

I searched my tired mind, and finally knew – Thereawas something more that I needed to do: The beasts in the stable had not been fed, And surely the Travelers could use drink and bread.

I rose and prepared to go out in the night.

Amazed, I saw that I needed no light.

For a beautiful star shed its beams every where,

And a strange, lovely music was filling the air.

As I walked down the pathway my wonder grew more For the great star was over my own stable door. Some shepberds were entering. Why had they come To Bethlehem City, so far from their home?

I still heard the music as if from afar.
It sounded, I thought, like a beautiful choir.
Or marks the way the angels would sing.

Lost Maples Cafe will be closed on Saturday, December

SABINAL CANYON By a monger meet widt sweet smelling, lary, Where, wrapped in white linen, a new Baby lay.

My tiredness sei from me, I man't know why.
Then I knelt with the shepherds on the stone floor
And felt a marvelous peace I had never know before.

Folks say I have changed; I am kinder, somehow. Not nearly so greedy for money now, So much less impatient, less prone to co. And willing to share with others again.

I gladly and cheerfully give to the poor And never turn strangers away from my door. I deal with the tradesmen more generously, And they, in turn, deal more fairly with me.

I laugh oftener, too – sometimes even sing. I don't fuss and fret now at each little thing. I treat my wife better, I think, and she Seems to find pleasure in being with me

I don't understand it. All I really know I shat after that night my heart seemed to grow And the love flowing in filled it up to the brim. I think it must all be because of Him, For I've found out how wonderful living can be that beautiful Baby smiled at me

Your favorite recipe is being sought by a newly formed committee at the Silver Sage to help raise funds towards building a new, larger facility for senior activities. Simply call the Cookbook Fund Raise Committee, Charperson Namii Weckesser, has taken on the task of organizing recipes collec-ed by the Center a few years ago for this project. Plans are to have a finished cookbook by spring

Over 300 rest;-es have been turned in, but there are several categories that are in need of more recipes and this is where the great cooks of Bandera County can help. If you have a recipe for a special beverage, pastry or appetizer, chance are very good that your recipe, credited to your mane, will be included in the cookbook. If you missed entering a recipe the first time around here is another opportunity to submit yours of any beer is another opportunity to submit yours of any

category
In addition to fabulous recipes, the cookbook will
use its eight food category divider pages to emphasize and bring prominence to each of the eight
major communities in Bandera County
Deadline for recipes is the end of January 2000,
and may be dropped off at the Silver Sage or
mailed to: Recipes, Silver Sage Corral, F. O. Box
2788, Bandera, Texas 27803.

Please rorenbue, the Silver Sage Corrol will be closed on Thursday and Friday, December 23rd and 24th. 'Ou's Birthday Luncheon will be held on Tuesday, December 28, 1999. Happy Birthday to Marjorie Sullivan, Elsie Krisch, Martha Mazurek, Helen Williams, Atlee Ward, Paul Westmeyer, George Meador, Bettie Studstill, Kay Welch, Mary Garcia, Ruth Whitehead, Glen Ingram, Bill Jenson, Nancy Cecil, Gwen McCallough, Randi Williams, Alberta Clark, Willie Simons, Agnes Pouppirt, Bel Bradley, Rob Bendles and Aftonio Rodriguez.

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Dean on the mend TARPLEY & RIO HONDO NEWS



MEDINA LAKE

SPOTLIGHT

Tom Walton called, Lakehills 2-80pm. No charge. Call Mike the State of the Association is have Mills 612-3402 or Iris Mauer at ing a special Christmas party 761-3876 if you know any shut-for the children of the Lakehills ins. Santa will make a mean the party will be from 2 appearance at 2-45pm. Each of 4 p.m. Fruits-bags and child will recieve a stocking the state of the state of the children of the Carly Ladee of Lakehills. Have any of you been to Santa Claus will be arriving. Crafty Ladee of Lakehills. It story is that the spirits still live is will be taken for the children of the same of the story is that the spirits still live is will be taken for the children of the same of t

Year's Eve Party from 8 p.m. 12:30 a.m. Tickets are \$10. san oidea if there are any West Wind's will be playing. Call 612-2818 for reservation. What do the reverse Party of the says you'll have to talk to what do the reverse Party of the water of the management of the water of What do the fetters District is out the manage stand for? National Dysiexics is out the functional could be specified and could be come back in an hour. By not

by Matson 612-3828

What kind of coffee was served on the Titanic Sanka. Some Matson 1. Lakehilla. Since the Aberland Sanka Sa sor to help her with the credit card-gift certificate and they go through several and finally tell you they must have a bunch of cards that aren't good — so you leave and go home. Like I said Christmas shopping is so much







TARPLEY & RIO	Dean on	the mend	ing a special for the childre	Christmas party en of the Lakehills arty will be from 2	751-3876 if you kno ins. Santa will appearance at 2:4	make an fun.	s shopping is so much
HONDO NEWS	it in her mind and then she praye to God." Then little boys talke about how Santa Claus gets dow	d The day concluded with					any of you been to y Spirits" in Boerne?
MONDO INLWS	about how Santa Claus gets dow	n accompaniment by Jan Hartson.	refreshments	will be given out. will be arriving th Pole. Free pho-	filled with goodies : Crafty Ladies of Lal	made by the It's delight	htful. A family used to is large house and the hat the spirits still live
	the chimney. "Well, he sucked i	n The January meeting will be	e from the Nort	th Pole. Free pho-	How do you holy	water? Boil story is t	hat the spirits still live
by	the chimney. "Well, he sucked is his breath and flattened his tummy and back." One boy said	The January meeting will be is held at the home of retiring chair d, man, Shirley Hood. Betti ii- Edwards and Jan Hartson wil	e tos will be to	aken for the chil-	the hell out of it. Isn't Christma	there. It	he holidayts and the
Nettie	"Santa comes down the air cond tioner."	serve as chairman and co-chair		oving wax from	fun? You get to rac	k your mind food is v	ery good. Take your
Dean	Then a sad one. Back in 1969,	a man for the year 2000. as Rev. Gail Long of Hondo will b	holders. The	s freeze the glass on take them from	fun? You get to rac making a list for e need to buy for. dare go to a mall?	Should you enjoy the	ery good. Take your nd go for a drive and country atmosphere of
562-3464	young man remembers Christma when he was six. His dad had lef	t. preaching Sunday at the Tarple	the freezer.	and tap upside	dare go to a mall?	You worry this mys	tic place. It's located
	There were three kiddos, a younger. On Christmas Eve, hi	Il Baptist Church in the absence of	any residue fr	ax pops out. wash ron glass with hot,	try and find a clo	se parking Every	n Boerne. one should have thier
Hi, folks! Well, I'm still here parked in Rosa on Cinnamon Hill! Taking	mom put a blindfold over their eyes and led them outside. The	ir Ginger and son, Philip, and wife n Chris, who will be on a Christma	soapy water.	Shirley Granberry	place so you won't for the first door in	have to run Christma	s cards in the mail by ems you always get
Rosa on Cinnamon Hill! Taking	she said "This is your Christma	a leave to New Mexico for a week	Tuesday, I c	didn't realize she	you get there you look at men shirts.	may stop to cards in	the mail by now.
extra good care of me, since total ole' me fell at 3:30 a.m. a couple of	gift." There were millions of star. She said, "These stars are you		was my neig	ghbor across the es her water ski in			u always get cards in from someone you for-
nights ago. A stupid fall, but I've			y the cove in wa	armer weather and top by. It's nice to	extra large or sma		you are trying to send at the last minute.
has been put on my bed ever since.	Then one more little boy wrote letter to Santa. It said, "I pray for the poor kids. The rich kids sa	a our heavenly Father bless and	f I told her to st	top by. It's nice to eighbors. It turns	try in vain to get a		y cousins, aunts etc, I
has been put on my bed ever since. I tell them I'm in jail. Though I violently insisted at 4:00 a.m. that	the poor kids. The rich kids sa	or keep all of you wherever you are	s out that she i	is friends with my neighbor Shirley	one she says you're selling zone. She c	e not in her only wri	te once a year but I enjoy hearing from d friends are dear and
I had no broken bones, it didn't work! A lot of dark bruises was all.	I'm rich, the poor kids say I's strong. Please, Santa, remembe the poor kids." So at the office	Christmas and a great Y2K Nev er Year or whatever it is! My love,	Wooton. Don	n't forget the Civic	and no one anwe You finally find a c	rs the call. them. O	d friends are dear and
Now the weather - here in	the poor kida." So at the office	a Susan Nettie Dean	Center will	have their New	You finally find a c	clerk to help precious t	to keep in touch with.
Bandera some freeze first of week. Cold nights but not too bad. Most	large amount of gifts came in That night all were stolen. Whe	n in the second	SECTION SE				
of you are getting propane in and wood piled up! In here it's always	word went out, folks drove fo	or 10000000 100.4 1000000 1000000		2	7	A Tho	ught For
wood piled up! In here it's always warm and light. Never know	miles to bring loads of gifts. The came in wrapped in love! Ove		A SECTION	6/2			Week
when dark comes!	2,000 gave! Well, folks, I want you t	The state of the s			1	by John	M. Grimes
It's great fun to go to a huge room for therapy - a deal I've never had. Such as putting nuts on bolts,	remember some folks who are il James "Jimmy" Davenport, who	一种原理性 例形			1	Merry Chr	istmas! Pleasant
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matching funny face, etc. I see folks younger and in much worse	in a care place for two month Next remember my lovely roon mate Jo Ann Hux. She's had brai		T charles		1	recreates every	year is one of life's Christmas is the one
shape, so there really must be an	mate Jo Ann Hux. She's had brai surgery for a fast-growing tumo		B. W.		The state of	greatest joys.	that we take time to
Such as myself. Sorry to hear today of the pass-	surgery for a fast-growing tumo Next she has radiation, the chemo. She never complains but	Bandera Rampage U12 All G	Irla School Tax	n at Thank entities	all and the same	remember, and	that we take time to all of us have memo-
Sorry to hear today of the pass- ing of a 'spiritual warrior', Mrs. Dorothy Cutter. Service was	chemo. She never complains, but do enough of that for both of t	Tourney in Corpus Christi, Ba	ck Row: Caltlin	Schultz, Cherokee	1	Henry Van D	lyke, the late American
Dorothy Cutter. Service was Monday at Utopia Baptist Church	with my weak heart and gout for Her lovely family was here th day. Guess what - her daughte	Tourney in Corpus Christi, Ba Rymers, Danika Reaney, As Brittany Black, Treasa Powel Front Row: Shana McGuire, Ka	shley Jennings,	, Michelle Sharp, anna Black-Miller.	Other Wise Man"	writer and poet whose has brought joy and insp ears. Among his writings	famous "Story of the iration to thousands of
at 10:30 a.m. and interment fol- lowed in Tarpley Cemetery.	day. Guess what - her daughte Sheri, has a cougar. I saw a pi	Front Row: Shana McGuire, Ka	atie Shaver, Haley	y Herbst, Courtney	people over the ye	ars. Among his writings	is a piece named "The
Our deepest sympathy to her	ture of it sitting straight and ta	dl miniet, Kryatan Tripp, Country	Owens and Broo	oke Bradford.	Spirit of Christmas "We are think	". We hope you all will end of you today because it will be the day after,	e it is Christmasand
Our deepest sympathy to her beloved husband, Rolo C. Cutter,	with her husband, John. It's nam	to CLOUN.			tomorrow because	e it will be the day after,	and so on through the
and family and friends. Surely she will be deeply missed. Many Rio Hondo friends laid to rest at	old when Sheri got her from Sa Antonio - a cool \$2,000.00!	in Trees and the second			makes no differen	t be able to tell you abou	h will be here just the
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Tarpley Cemetery. December birthdays: Dec. 1,	My handsome grandso Jonathan, 16 years old, is visitir me since his mom (my daughte	is just	around the	corner	contagiouswhen	s time of year when goo friendly, kind thoughts ar	nd actions are directed
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Opinion

It's hard to imagine what MEMO possibilities that await us in the 2000s

On behalf of the City of Bandera, I wish each and every one of you a very Merry Christmas and a most Happy New Year.

Wow, the last Christmas of the 1900s. Next we will start the

Wow, the last Christmas of the 1900s. Next we will start the 2000s, a new year, a new decade, a new century and a brand new millennium. Possibilities, galore. Unbelevable: Almost unimagin-ied and everyone will have that glass of pristine clear, healthful, deli-coux, cool Bandera water. My faith tells me it will happen along with the continual overall improvements of the quality of life and all it means to each of us-We do need to think globally and act locally because we all live on

MAYOR'S

We do need to think globally and act locally because we all live on this spaceship called earth.

My hope is that we can continue moving forward with these endeavors and bring them each to a successful frution. Who knows, we might even get a sign ordinance that we can all live with Love is the answer. By loving ourselves and each other, we can nake a big difference. Yes, we certainly have our share of problems and challenges and these do cause stress. Without stress, we would have a dull existence. By treating stress as an ally, we can overcome most of those problems and challenges. But remember, if it is to be.

most or unsee pre-tit is up to me (you.)

Lest we forget, may I remind you of that most precious present of all, the wonderful present moment-that is all that any of us really him. I shall take any or and so we have Yes, faith, hope and love, but the greatest of these is love.

Letter to AWS of BC has the Editor

words, the giving, and actions of people carring, for those around them that should remind us of the "Christ" in Christmas. Please let us remember that "Christmas are called upon to be the ambasadors of Christ." In summary, I believe we sometimes forget the blessings we have. With any of the company of the blessings we have. With an wery thankful he is a not fighting on foreign soil, he is with his family, and he's enjoying all of our hometown decorations this year. God bless Bandera and a very Merry Christmas tall. Likes Courthouse Lights
Dear Editor,
I for one am proud of the students' and committee's court re the average age is 83 and I'm accustomed to the "no change" fears. Having worked suraged that some people may asm of the committee that has worked so hard to promote and decorate our "fun to visit" cow-boy town. I suggest Bandera must experience some change and growth to survive, and new growth as a regood. In my religious-sponsored community where I work, prayer is prominent in our daily lives. May I suggest to you that we don't necessarily need lawn decorations to remember the "Christ" in Christmas. It is the kind The Bandera Bulletin

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make a good Christmas giff.

REMEMBER, TO ADOPT A PET, call 751-2886 and leave a message. If anyone needs a tax deduction before the end of the year and would like to make a donation to AWS of Bandera County, you may make a deposit at the Bandera Bank or mail it to P. O. Box 64038,

PLOVEHONE

bittersweet vear

By Wanda Loyd
Animal Welfare Society of Bandera County has had a good 1999.

We have adopted a lot of pets that would have otherwise been put
down. Thanks to all of the people who have opened up their hearts
and home to adopt one of these animals. As we have said before, our
goal is to build a shelter for these homeless animals. We have come
a long way but still have a long way to go.

Also, while we remember our loved ones this time of giving and
Also, while we remember our loved ones the still the extra shelter
from the cold and would need to be brought in on very cold
nights. Let them be a part of your family, especially if they are tied
up out in the yard. If they have to be tied up, they would probably
appreciate a good walk every day.

We did not get to save all of the animals from the county facility,
too many had to be put down. This is really sad. Everyone; in
Bandera county needs to be aware of all the animals that are killed
every week, even puppies and kittens. If everyone that has a pet
would have them spaved or neutrent, this would not be such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the such a probleft of the second should be a summal to the sum

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Twas the night before (Redneck) Christmas

RENAISSANCE REDNECK



I will never forget the first

not very. I tried to explain to them that this was the stuff memories were inade of, but all I managed to do was upoet them by threat-oming to staple their pajamas to the floor if they moved again. Needless to say, I was not a big

fit.

But I believe I have found the solution. The problem was not in the presenter but more in the naterial itself.

I should have realized that my children had no idea what arose meant, they even asked me. You mean you like that perty some paid or Who the heck is some paid or Who the heck is a con relate to.

uch Christmas joy to you and urs as it did me and mine

Twas the night before Christmas Iwas the night before Christmas And all through the trailer

His socks, they were bung

from out in the yard here came such a no That Bubba got scared There was Rufus, 12

Dud goin' on 10, Abr. George and Chucky Were 5,4, and 3 The twins were both girls So they let them be

They jumped in their overalls.
No need for a shirt:
Threw a hat on each head. They ran to the gun rack That hung on the wall There were 17 shotguns. They grabbed them all

"Now hesh up ya'll"
The last thing we wanna do
Is wake up yer Maw "
Maw was expecting
And needed her sleep.

It was Santy Claus on the rod, Darn tootin But the boys didn't know. They was about to start shootin They was about to start shootin They was about to start shootin They aimed their shotpuns And nearly unade a mistake That would have resulted In venson steak. Botha hollered out: "Don't shoot, boy." "That's Santy Claus And he's brought us some toy.

Gust abaker the traver Or you'll make Santy to The dogs kept a-barkin And they trampled poor Pete Who was only a pup.

Santy opened his bait. Bubba got most. But left a few for the boys Santa heaved a great sigh. Since the guns had been dropped. He just might not die Told his reindeer to hurry The trailer started to worble Santa started to worry Just as the reindeer Got into the air. The trailer collapsed. But Bubba didn't care

He was busy lookin He was busy lookin
At all his new toys
Then a thought hit him,
And he said to the boys.
'Go check on yer Maw,
Make sure she's all right
That roof fallin on her
Could-a hurt just a might.

But May was OK But Maw was OR.
And the girls were too
They fixed up the trailer.
It looked good as new
And as for Bubba.
He liked Old St. Nick.
But Santa thought Bubb

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Obituaries Rogers and Beth Keating, both of Medina; eighteen grandchil-dren, fifteen great-grandchil-dren, and two great-great-grand-children.

Tim Walshe Officiating.

Conversion supers held

Canday in the Garden of

Campo. Those who desire may
make memorial contributions to

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Friday at Kerrville Funeral

Home. Funeral services were
under the direction of Kerrville

Puncal Home.

Cutler



R.C. and Dorothy Cutler

to L. R. and Cordelia Soles Memoran. On July 20, 1965. Some months of the Morgan Christi. He aurvives. The Cutlers have lived in Tarpley for the past 22 years, having move the fore monitoring back to Bandera Church and was a member of the Garden Club of Utopia. In addition to her husband, R. C. of Tarpley, survivors include four scans, Earl Cutler and wife Event of San Antonio, Darl' Cutler and street of San Antonio, Darl' Cutler and San Antonio, Darl' Cutler and San Antonio, Darl' Cutler of San Antonio, and was a member of Patterson of Berceder Antonio, and was a member of Patterson of Berceder Antonio, and was a member of Patterson of Berceder Antonio, and was a member of Cord Turble, and Antonio, and was a member of Cord Turble, and Antonio, and was a member of Cord Turble, and Antonio, and was a member of Cord Turble, and Antonio, and was a member of Cord Turble, and Antonio, and was a member of Cord Turble, and Antonio, and was a member of Cord Turble, and Antonio, and was a member



Spirit Santa's Heave-Ho!

Loading up for the annual Spirits of Christmas deliveries is quite a chore. From donors to buyers to wrappers to packers to loaders to deliverers and everything in between, the entire process is quite complex. Yet another year of smilling faces - from kids and adults alike - is the result.

Take the time to slow down during the holidays

WHARTON'S DOCK & LAKE MEDINA SHORES

Tyson
Mrs. Maria Louise Sims
Tyson, ago 90, of Medina, died
Tues., Dec. 14 in a Bandera care

Sims, she had been a resident of Medina since 1976. A home-

maker and mother, she was very active in church throughout her life. She taught Sunday school

ife. She taught Sunday school for 35 years and was a lifetime resident of El Campo. She enjoyed doing arts and crafts of all types and was an avid gardener. She never worked outside of the home. However, she



Here we are just a few days away from Christmas and the close of another year. It's hard to believe that time has passed so

along at a pretty even pace until about the third week in November and then suddenly

November and then suddenly there just isn't enough time to get everything done-before Christmas and New Years?

I hope that everyone can take the time to slow down just a little bit and enjoy the beautiful days of the season. After all, this is the most joyous time of the year. Be the state of the work of the season. After all, this is the most joyous time of the year. Be the state of the year is the property of the year is the property of the year is the year of the year. Be time time we have to share it with the most we love.

vith the ones we love.

It was a very busy weekend lown here at the end of the road. down here at the end of the road.
Lots of friends and family
stopped by the Bird House on
Friday evening to exchange best
wishes and share good times.
There were all kinds of birthday
and anniversary salutations
given. Dick Hinebaugh presented
bis lovely bride of ten years. given Dick Hinebaugh presented his lovely bride of ten years. Anita with a beautiful pair of earrings and approximately 50 people signed their, anhiversary card. A little Birdie told every-

tummies'
The Annual Children's
Christmas Party at the Lake
Shore Voluntary Fire
Department was a raging success on Saturday afternoon
Almost forty-buldren and just som annual data som annual

birthday on the 20th and they presented me with a card and an early gift to .Dr. feed ow sarge search of the fellowship was even better and I think I'm safe saying that a good time was had by all. Phil and Nola Bledsoe had a feed to be the state of the same and the

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Brown, age 20, of Pipe Creek,
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Bandera, Warrant-Edward
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Warrant-Outside Agmy,
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Courty Sheriff

Arrest Report

The following persons were arrested and hooked into the Bandera County jail recently. It should be remembered that a person is innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

Arrest Report (From 12/15)
Robert Cardenas, age 33, of Bandera, Pl. Kristopher Huffman, age 17, of Fpg Creek.

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Jan.2 is the Deadline for Oakstar

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Woodland's Buck is in the Bank



Sully Woodland, president of Norwest Bank, Bandera, harvested this monster whitetall in South Texas on Dec. 10. The buck weighed 155 lbs, had 11 points, 22° spread and measured 165 total points on the Boone and Crockett scale.

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Grand Champs



Lindsey Strickland of Bandera took Grand Champion honors at the Hill Country Goat Classic held last weekend at Mansfield Park. Her goat "Adam" competed with over 75 participants in the open show. For more show results see page 10. (Photo by Frank Shubert)

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Santa was Ho! Ho! Ho-ing his way around Norwest Bank last Friday and capturing the smiles of children and adults alike. With only three more days until Christmas, almost everyone seems to be on their best behavior. Check out our Christmas Greetings section starting with page 18.

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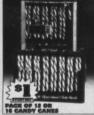






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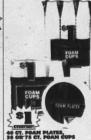














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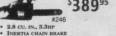
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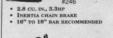
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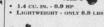






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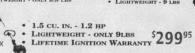
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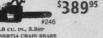
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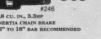
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faire attitude to dire warnings of global disaster. We have recently seen scenarios on tele-vision of what could happen IF

cerned me as a Christian, especially when some of the more verbose warnings come from some well known Christian leaders across the country.
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that we must be prepared with
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to consider the incident. Disaster to loomed on the horizon because of the situation but God prevailed. We find many other occasions in the Word where condition the world in which he lives a world, i.e. he is to be the light of the believer is to be the light of the believer is to be the light of the li

Party" on Dec. 18 and 19. The one act play written by James Brock, and by special rrangement Service, will be performed by the Good Lord and Company consisting of the youth mem-bers of the Church.

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throughout this play. In the end however, they learn what it truly means to be happy from a lowly little clown, No Name. The "Clowns." Christmas Party will be performed on Saturday, Dec. 18 at 7 µm., and on Sunday, Dec. 19 at 3 p.m. (30) 795.6349.

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Frank





Santa set to arrive



bights were lowely in their neighborhood, too! We had a greated time visiting with those fine folks and doing a little early birthday and Christinas celbrating. Gosh, it's un to go their house!

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WHARTON'S DOCK & Hough it was a perfectly beautiful plant and everybody is few that matter! It was a little windy, but who minds good time.

Santa's next stop will be on Saturday, Dec. 18, at the LSVD Fire House. All children between the ages of 0-12 years who live in Wharton's dock and Lord or the week of the children as well as well as the because three the that it is good practice to get of the cooler weather is certainly helping to set the search and the word or the cooler weather is certainly helping to set the under the supervision of Robin on our way over 10 Fat and Jerry Moore's house for dinner. There are so many beautiful lights and decorations throughout the neighborhood on our way over 10 Fat and Jerry Moore's house for dinner. There are so many beautiful lights and decorations throughout the neighborhood to see A B. and Charlene Cover last Friday evening, and I must say, the hights were lovely in their neighborhood, took we had a great time visiting with those find loss and decorated the very head of the burn and Charlene Cover last Friday evening, and I must say, the lights were lovely in their neighborhood. One We had a great time visiting with those find loss and dong a little early the season, and bearing. The little bit of rain that fellower the weeked certaining the week Don't would be the done and every body is welcome at large was a latter date because the every bear and little windly, and little windly in the trucks out. Everyone agreed that it is good practice to get offer that it is good practice to get offer that the trucks out. Everyone agreed that it is good practice to go of practice to get offer that it is good practice to go of that it is throughout the neighborhood to the children as well as the trucks out. Everyone agreed that it is good practice to go of practice to good practice to get that it is good practice to get that it is good practice to go of that it is a decident to the third that the trucks out. Everyone agreed that it is good practice to go of practice to get that it

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Harry Fleming, and Minnie Bolt Bailey. D Parker, Maureen Ryan, and Batte Buralo. They will miss him of the Minnie Bolt Bailey. D Farker, Maureen Ryan, and Batte Buralo. They will miss him of the Batter Baylor Balley. We thank Erns Keenig for bringing the beautiful flowers from the Grace Lutheran Church, which were donated by Alley Balley Balle

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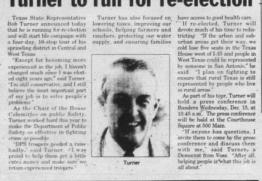
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BHS thespians perform



Last week, the Bandera High School Theatre 1 Class presented three plays at the BHS auditorium. Students per tormed M'A'S'H, The Girl in the Mirror and The Best Christmas Pageant Ever. (Photos By Gary Barrett)





A Thought For

The Week

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Jesus away from in front of the courthouse in Bandera! I said, "Whys" He said, "Someone was offended and complained" We talked a few minutes. He said, "But what about my Christmas, how do I celebrate Christmas" Maybe add so much! It is like looking.

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However, let us not forget the Christ chief, oom in a lowly manger, God's gift, to man. It must not be forgotten that the lirist Christmas song was sung in the night. When the World is dark, the light shines, not from among men, but from heaven-what a comforting fact. As the strains of the old familiant, well-loved Christmas trymms and carols usher in another hose season, may we at Grimes Funeral Chapels wish you the gift of fails, the at Grimes Funeral Chapels wish you the gift of fails, the Looks like Winter has finally arrived sing of hope, and the peace of His love at Christma in Medina. Wet and windy, everyone is inside that can stay inside.

Medina news articles may be dropped off at the SA ROSE in Medina or phone 589-2999. Signs of the times: A man ran up to me in the street (like Paul Revere on a horse and any Lam in slow notion). The continues away from in front of the courthouse in Bandera! "I will be the days away from in front of the courthouse in Bandera!" Just got through reading the through a family photo album with thoughtful stories added for our enjoyment. I will the drop with through a family photo album with thoughtful stories added for our enjoyment. I will be the drop with through a family photo album with throughtful stories added for our enjoyment. I will be a required for our enjoyment. I will be a proposed. The star of the Grimes Funeral Chapels

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White, Mary Conolly,
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McClenny combined for a
six-under-par 66 on
Bandera's Flying L Guest
Ranch course to win the
Over 50 Golf Association's

weekly fournament.
In second place, also with 66, were Jim Terry, Lois Fugit, Charley Huff and Paul Lemon.
In third place with 67 were Sam DeRobertis, H.C. Day, Francis Moss and Clint Briggs. They wen a playoff-over Jerry Smith, Norma Smith, Gerald Persyn and Don Beazley whoralso had 67. The Over 50 Golf

Good Old Boys Golf

Bandera boys drop first game of year; Medina wins own tourney

By Bill Petitt
Bandera Bulldogs
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Bulldogs this season, he
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prepare for Class 5A break and return to play San Antonio Reagan's junior varsity of Tournament Dec. 28. Sturday. The beautiful state of the same of the said Blound, who was anmed to the all-tear said Flound, who was anmed to the all-tear said Flound, who was a good playoff-like contest. And the same by a point the

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(At Hondo Tournament)

Bandera 53, SA Cole 37 Bandera (57): Andy Blount 14, Coy leffer 14, Jerod Fields 10, Kerry hindler 7, Gordon 4, Todd Knutson

SA Cole (37): Lacy 9, France 7, Bingham 6, Taplin 4, Hunter 3, Cannon 2, Allen 2, Richardson 2, Gartoald 2, Halltime: Bandera 35, Cole 15.

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4, Hodriguez 3, T. Polance 2,
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Halftime: Wimberley 27, Bandera

Championship
Hondo 44, Banders 43
Hondo (44): Derek Boehle 15,
Chad Crowell 9, Ernie Tapis 8,
Murnick 4, Meyer 3, Green 3, Greft 2,
Banders (43): Andy Bount 26, Coy
Pfielter 7, Jerod Frields 5, Joey
LaLance 2, Gordon 2.

All-tournament team: Andy

Medina 61, Nueces Canyon 57 Medina (67): Matt Bogler 18, Levi Hubble 1%, Ben Minne 13, Chad Lovelady 11, Matt Little 7, Josh Hicks 2, James Whitehead 1.

(At Medina Booster Club

Medina 66, Natalia JV 22
Medina (66): Chad Lovelady 16,
Levi Hubbe 11, Mart Little 10, Kelly
Gauthern 9, Ben Minne 8, Mart Bogler
8, Josh Hicks 2, Joey Seymour 2,
James Whitehaad 0,
Natalia (22): David Rodriguez 12,
M Rodriguez 2, Chavera 2, Castillo 2,
Argenai 2, Mayberry 2, Mocz O, Smith

Medina 59, Town East 51 (0T)
Medina (59): Ben Minne 20, Chad
Lovelakly 17, Levi Hubble 9, Metti Libra
7, Matt Bogler 4, Josh Hibds 2, Joey
Seymour 0, James Whatehead 0.
Town East (51): Nick Lingua 21,
Sean Roberts 11, Moczygemba 9,
DeLeon 8, Jones 2, Cervantes 0.
Hallisme: Tied at 26. End of regulations. Text 44. tion: Tied at 44.

Medina 52, Natalia 44 Medina 52, Natana 44
Medina [52]: Levi Hubble 20, Ben
Minne 15, Matt Bogler 10, Matt Little
3, Chad Lovelady 3, Josh Hicks 1.
Natalia (44); Johnny Dunn 14,
Domingo Campos 11, G. Alvarez 6,
Guzman 5, Perez 4, Castillo3,

All-teurnament team: Levi Hubble, Medina (MVP): Ben Minne, Medina; Johnny Dunn, Natalia: Justin Guzman, Natalia; Nick Lingua, Town East; Brett Hicks, Bandera JV.

Junior girls hoops league set to begin

The Kerrville Junior Girls Basketball League will take reg-istration for the 2000 season from Jan. 4-19, 2000 at the Kerrville Municipal Auditorium. Registration hours are from 8

a m to 5 pm. weekdays.

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Soccer

Pan Am 7, Hill Country Bicycle Works 3 Bandera Thunder 3, Fred's Reds 2

Girls results

(At Medina Booster Club

Natalia 42, Medina 33

3, Gonzales 1.

Medina (33): Amanda Waters 10, LaNek Sides 9; Alaina Fudge 6, Brooke Beakley 4, Kelle Singleton 3, Ashley Jiton 1.

Hallimer, Natalia 26, Medina 16, All-tournament learn: (MVP) Kate Comer, Boerne JV, Kellie Jeffries, Boerne JV, Kellie Jeffries, Roerne JV, Kesten Miller, Tryy JV.

Uvalde 54, senocer 29
Bandera (26): Britary Blow 15,
Kacee Destre 6, Armanda Mayfield 2,
Despres 2, Mace 1, Aubrey Hearn 0,
Liz Hernandse 0, Robinson 0, Kate
Muphy 0,
Uvalde (59): Teresa Zamarnna 11,
Stone 9, Falkenberg 8, Cox 8, Ray 7,
Eagle 6, Hodges 6, Holloway 4,
Haltime; Uvalde 24, Bandera 15
Record: Uvalde 6-5, Bandera 0-9 Boerne JV 47, Medina 22
Boerne JV 47, Medina 22
Boerne JV (47), Jefferien 11, Davis
10, Comer 10, Tannenberger 7,
Bruinsman 3, Gumbert 2, Ailen 2,
Partusco 2, Leach 0, Steen 0, Smith 0,
Agold 0, Nealias 0
Medina (22), Amanda Waters 12,
Alaina Fudge 7, Kellie Singleton 2,
Brooke Beakley 1, Larkes Kleber 0,
Ashley Jiron 0, Megan LeStourgeon
0, Megan LeStourgeon

(At Ozona Tournament)

Nueces Canyon 37, Medina 35

Medin (35): Amanda Waters 5, Megan töSturgeon 8, LaNek Sides 7, Brooke Beakley 4, Kellie Singleton 4, Alaina Fudge 45, Charyli Hyatt 2,

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Medina's

The Lady

JV boys results

(At Medina Booster Club

(Af Medina Booster Club Tournament) Town East varsity 42, Bandera JV 41 Town East (42: Mck Lingua 15, Sean Roberts 11, DeLeon 8, Mocygemba 8, Martin 0.

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Brett Hicks 8, Stevens 6, Gomez 6,
Mi. Ortiz 2, Ma. Ortiz 2, Binnert 2.
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Montague 0, Moore 0, T.J. Jennings

Bandera JV 53, Natalia 14

JV girls results

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Steer Wrestling
Tenth round-1, Mickey
Gee, Wichita Falls, 3.6
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Utah, 3.9, \$10,202. 3.
Todd Boonset, Canada stephenville, 85, \$6,558 each 5. Steve Dollarhide, Wickieup, Ariz., 84, \$3,331, 6. Dan Mortensen Manhattan, Texas, 82,

54.372 each. 6, Birch Negaard, Buffalo, S.D., 4.2, \$2,082 Average 1, Mickey Gee, Wichita Falls, 42.00 sec-onds on 10 head, \$33,105. 45.2, \$21,237. 4. Ricky

D'Hanis 36, Bandera 17 D'Hanis (36): Sarah Kerrigan 10, Schueling 9, Zapata 4, Sapp 4, Hellinan 3, Zinsmeyer 2, Rivera 2, Koch 2 Bandera (17): Keene 9, Charlesville 3, Cartwright 3, Williamson 2, Herbt 0. Hoesen 0, Olsen 0. Halftime: D'Hanis 20, Bandera 3.

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eb., 52.7, \$11,243

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Rodeo Companys Surprise Package, \$12,909. 2, Rod Hay, Canada, 85, \$10,202. 3 and 4. (tie), Robert Etbauer, Goodwell, Okta, and Ty Murray, Stephenville, 85, \$6,558

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----- Letters to the Editor -----

Still No Room at Inn?

Still No Room at the Dear Editor.

When I noticed the Nativity scene at the outskirts of town instead of on the Courthouse lawn with the longhorns, I assumed it was an extension of the ao prayer at the football games fiasco. I have since the same of the same

Response To The Rev.

placement of the manger scene at City Park. There were many planning meetings of this Chamber of Commerce commit-

Many factors were considered in the selection of locations. City Park now has electricity, is a large, beautiful setting and is prominently focated on a major entradage fo, the city. We were interested in something different at our courtbouse that would involve the whole community, but higher any basters extend dis-

were invited to participate in programs at the courthouse, but all declined due to busy sched-ules. The nativity hosted by the Bandera County Christian Fellowship is scheduled Sunday. Fellowship is scheduled December 19 at 5 p.m. Perhaps a living nativ

ented, great place to live.
A special thanks to the many

J. Pat & Cindy Breedlove.

Liking the Longhorns

Dear Editor,
I really like the longhorns on
the lawn of the courthouse that
the Bandera school art students
made. They give a cheery wel-

made. They give a cheery wel-come to visitors in our communi-ty and help all of us celebrate the holiday season. Since Bandera has become the home of so many religious groups, Christian and non-Christian, it is nice to see that two of our local political subdivi-sions on the season and our county. sions - our school and our county government - can take part in the holiday season without pro-moting one group over another Isn't this what separation of church and state is all about?

itill It was with great sadness that in I saw what happened to the

cowboy way of life. We were pleased with Bunny Erfurt's ren-dition of the manger scene and received a great deal of positive comments and not one negative ment. We donated our time comment. We donated our time and energy to make something beautiful, lasting, and meaning-ful for Bandera. I am sad that the scene was relegated to the park, unlighted and incomplete. I agree with Rev. Thompson that the appropriateness of the oxen and advertising is some-

sidered. I would like to see the oxen on display at the park on PRCA in May or perhaps the 4th of July, even Founder's Day. I would be very happy to see the work of the students on a great deal of other holidays, but Christmas? I fail to see the con-

nection.
Please, if anyone out there

Judy Hawkins.

Bring Nativity Back

Dear Editor, 1, too, was greatly di

lawn. This is not to offend the students who took the time and took of the birth of Jesus Christ. It is much too easy to think if they had worked and made good approprisheness of the advertise. Nativity, where is the reacon.

As one of the manager scene.

As one of the original group phate created the Cowbo Christmas theme, we took time I guess that means that if I get to reflect on the meaning of Christmas, and the birthday of Jesus Christ. We tried to make your scene one that represented Christian citizens, unite! It is both the meaning of Christmas im we we stopped being discribed. to pace or the marger scene to the marger scen

Robin D. Cook

Helping Helping Hands

Dear Editor, This time of year my thoughts turn to those who have much

Disappointed Response
Dear Editor,
I would like to state my disappointment in the response by

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rect in her letter and I commend her for her effort and her dedica-



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semaining in 1999, concerns, should meet the December 31, adealline for YEK compliancy. The comptroller's office, for example, will be able to tellect most departed by song twa-digit dates in computer programs. Because if this faccision, many computers and electronic items may read adjust the electronic items may read adjust the electronic items may read adjust in the Year 2008-142K incorrectly, reject the data and crash the computer. In addition to computer should be prompted to the proposed of the electronic items are outsided own patter chips. Everything from fast machines to fire adams, and reading the proposed of the electronic items and upgrading computer chips and the electronic and prompted computer chips and the electronic items. Any computer chips are computer chips and the electronic and prompted computer chips and the electronic items. Any computer chips are consistent of the electronic items and upgrading computer chips and the electronic items and upgrading computer chips are chips and the electronic items and upgrading computer chips and the electronic items and upgrading computer chips are chips and the electronic items and upgrading computer chips are chips and the electronic items and upgrading computer chips are chips and the electronic items and upgrading computer chips are chips and the electronic items and upgrading computer chips are chips and the elect

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Obituaries



Bessie Ruth Osborn died on KLBJ Radio. Bessie was the c. 9 at home surrounded by groud mother of four children, loving family. Bessie was Captain James C. Osborn, n in Banders on March 25, Robert C. Osborn, Susan G.

Visitation was be held Saturday, Dec. 11 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels, North 3401 Cherry Ridge Dr. San Antonio, Texas. Funeral Schmidtke. Charles Schmidtke Oshem, as well as ten grains was a World War I vetera children. She also had a size and Bessie was the daughter to Bandera and the first permanent settler.

Baptist, and former member of Castle Hills First Oaks Funeral Home in Austin network of Bandera and the first permanent settler.

Baptist, and former member of Castle Hills First Oaks Funeral Home in Austin Baptist and former member of Bandera High School. She Windsor Park Baptist and employed with Dillard's for 26 Austin, Texas. Bessie loved years. Bessie married Bot working with the young children who was manager of Betty Lee also a member of Gldeon's International New York She was who was manager of Betty Lee also a member of Gldeon's North, 2010 herry Ridge Dr. Tetried after 27 years with Austin.



As part of the Cowboy Christmas Roundup this authentically dressed group was part of the parade from the courthouse to Billy Gene's for the ing around the campfire last Saturday

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TARPLEY & RIO HONDO NEWS



Nettle Dean

Editor's Note: On Mon., Nov. 29, Tarpley columnist Nettie Dean suffered a heart attack. She was taken to St. Lukes Hospital in. San Antonio and is recover-ing. At press time she was still recovering from some complica-

Party and New Year's Eve Dance

and the talented Jan Hartson at the keyboard. The tables were weekly column - dictated from the hospital bed. As cliancy and the talented Jan Hartson at the keyboard. The tables were weekly column - dictated from the hospital bed. As cliancy as the hospital bed. On Sunday visitors were Me and Mrs. Harold Jackson of Tarpley, Harold bed. On Sunday visitors were Me and Mrs. Harold Jackson of Tarpley, Harold bed. On Sunday visitors were Me and Mrs. Harold Jackson of Tarpley, Harold bed. On Sunday visitors were Me and Mrs. Harold Jackson of Tarpley and of course my favorite doctor Christmas party last Saturday white and bed. Misser as the state of the hard bed. On Sunday visitors were Me and Mrs. Harold Jackson of Tarpley and of course my favorite doctor Christmas party last Saturday white and bed. Misser as the state of the hard of the living and still be were the state of the hard of the late of

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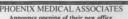
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Hesley files for Rep. Chair

Kim Hesley of Pipe Creek filed this week for Bandera County Republican Party Chairman. Kim and her hus-band Matt have lived in Pipe Creek for 2 years coming here from Dallas where Kim was active in the Republican Party. In Dallas, Hesley served as a precinct chairman, Servatary of Republicans and Newsletter Editor of North Oak Cliff Republican Women. She has also volunteered on various campaigns, served on several

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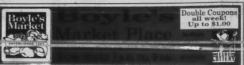
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Council Candidates for Vacancy meeting as recommended can-didates to fill the seat vacated by Mazurek. Fellows recom-mended Pallaske and Cowan, Griffin. In a vote with Councilmember Johnny Pina abstaining, and Mazurek voting no, the council passed a motion no, the council passed a motio brought by Davis to postpon selection of Mazurek's replace ment until the next meeting. Certificate of

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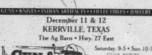


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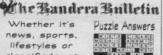
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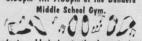
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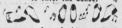
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of awards. Fire Chief Bob food and beverages. There were drawing for one free night at Bucker presented awards to 15 so many, it would be hard to the Marriot River Walk Hotel in Tuesday. Walker Memorial Baptist wellounteer stath that dearned mention all of the names, but San Antonio Children stockes. Walker Memorial Baptist will be sold for sa use Ted to Bandera for last the sent Ted to Bander

The Bandera Middle School and Parent Teacher Organization are holding thier Winter Sock Hop Dance on December 10, 1999, Friday night from 6:30pm 'till 9:00pm at the Bandera



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Christmas lights popping up all over, cool weather has settled in

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Howdy! Isn't it a beautiful day outside? The trees have changed colors, the frost has made even the junk look good, pring up all over, and cool weather seems to have settled in. We went to our first Christman party in Helotes yesterday's family had their annual get-together. There were about 49 people there. We always enjoy the good-food everyone brings!

brings!

Speaking of parties, the Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department will be hosting a Christmas party, pot luck supper on Dec. 14 starting at 7:30 p.m. at the main fire station. All fire and auxiliary personnel.

share the feativities with us.

The fire department will provide the provide that the party of the year. The party of the year with the party of the year. The party per person and table for lome prepared peas and combred the party of the year. The party of the year and combred the party of the year. The party of the year. The party of the year and the party of the year. The party of the year and the party of the year. The party of the year will be party of the year. The party of the year will be party of the year. The party of the year. The party of the year on to have a happy holiday. The year of the year. The year of the year. The year of the year of

the Billy Gene's Restaurant in Bandera.

On the agenda will be instal-lation of officers for 2000, mak-ing plans for the con-ing plans for the con-ing plans for the con-ing plans for the con-ing plans for the con-plishments, setting goals for 2000, and considering the adop-tion of a by-law change that would allow individuals to hold office for up to four years instead of the current two years. The new officers to be dent; Betty Baxter, vice-presi-dent; Betty Baxter, vice-presi-dent; Mety Baxter, vice-presi-dent; Mety Alton, secretary. 6-Month

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Golf — Good Old Boys Golf League, 9 a.m. Flying L Guest Ranch Bandera High school basketball — Bandera gifs at Hondo, 8 p.m.

Notices Local Little League

prepares for season All Bandera Little League coaches and managers are asked to return all equip-ment from the 1999 season so league officials can take an accurate inventory for the

Good Old Boys event

The team of Mel Shook, Jack Tilley, Rodger Taylor and Dan Bodgers combined for an eight-under-par 64 to take top honors at last week's Over 50 Golf Association's

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1:30 p.m. Loser's game, 4:30 p.m. Winner's game, 7:30 p.m. Friday's Games Harper vs. Healy Murphy, 10:30 a.m. Natalia vs. Medina JV, 1:30

The Bandera girls came close, but could not pick up their first win of the season

round of the tournament.
Brittany Blow had 14
Doints and Amanda dropped a 43-16 decision to Mayfield scored 11 for Class 4A Uvalde.
Bandera, now 0-6.
After dropping the open.
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hanging become golf's landscape

Medina wor

He didn't pick up any golf clubs until he left andera, but Joe Munsch has been making as big a lash on America's golf landscape as a Tiger Woods'

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Munsch serves as the chief operating officer for the American Golf Corporation, a management group that oversees more thin 315 courses, including approximately 57 private facilities as well as numer-ous top-quality municipal and affordable public courses.

He beads up all operating divisions where he is responsible for the management, growth and member service at company-managed private clubs. He was recordly recognized by making the feature story of the Boarthroom magazine September issue.

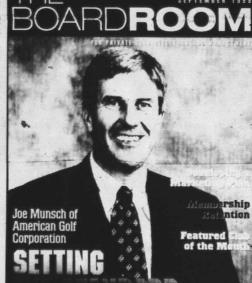
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I started out in the accounting end of the business world, said Munsch, a 1974 accounting major from the University of case at Austin. I realized that the company of the company of

began worken in directors dreaks of the company. I shown been involved in the financial end of the businessis in the financial end of the businessis and the financial end of the businessis and the financial end of the core group of golfers.

We are not adding golfers, said Munch, a bregeler of Londom steers. There are 25 to 26 million players and that number has remained steady.

"One of the initiatives state American Golf has taken is developing learning centers. Were trying to introduce people to the game, with the number of courses going up, we need more golfers out there. Munch beligeres the rapid growth of golf courses, Munch beligeres the rapid growth of golf courses, Munch beligeres the rapid growth of golf courses, from the courses, soid Munch. Every developer feels they need a golf course. Were opening four conjugacy of courses, soid Munch. Every developer feels they need a golf course. Were opening four forms of the courses wort make it and they will become a good acquisation.



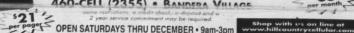
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The Kerrville Junior Girls of three divisions - minors The Kerrville Junior Girls of three divisions — minors Basketball League will take regular three divisions is tration for the 2000 season majors (fifth and sixth graders), istration for Jan. 4-19, 2000 at the and seniors (seventh and eight

Registration hours are from 8 am. to 5 p.m. weekdays.

Girls from all area towns, 2000.

Roundup

From page 8A

Kristen Leonard led Ba

with seven points.

The Lady Bulldogs return to action Friday at the Ozona

At the Har the Medina



Chance Haby led all scorers with 21 points Afon Thorston added 16 and D.J. Faglie pumped in 11 for the Bokeats. Thomas Lyons, Kassy Crowther, J.P. Fuentes and Nathan Campbell all scored two points each as Medina and Nathan Campbel all scored two points each as Medina from the Campbell and the Campbell and Section 19-3 in the finals period.

The Medina Junior High 'A' boys team lost to Rockparings 33-23 recently. Wyatt Lautzenheiser led the Bokeats with nine points.

Medina's record: 5-2.

Medine 68, San Saba JV 64 Medina's leading scorers: Matt Little 16, Matt Bogler 16, Ben Minne 15, Levi Hubble 8, Josh Hicks 6, Chad Lovelady 5.

Lovelady 23, Matt Little 14, Ben Minne 8, Levi Hubble 4, Josh Hicks 3, Joey Symour 3, Matt Bogler 2, Kelly Cauthern 2 Girts results
Bandera Tournament
First round
San Antonio Christian 48,
Bandera 35
Bandera leading scorer: Brittany
Blow 15.

Second round
Uvalde 43, Bandera 16
Bandera (16): Kristen Leonard 7
Amanda Mayfield 4, Kate Murphy 3
Brittany Blow 2, Dexter, Hearr Hernandez, Robinson and Mace de Barborak 5, Jones 5, Tamez 4, Vavala 4, Garza, Garibay, Alvarado Halftime: Bandera 33, St. Anthony

Championship
Bandera 73, Medina Valley 68
Bandera (73): Andy Blount 25.
Shawn Stevens 15, Coy Pfletfer 9.
Jerod Fields 6, Todd Knutson 6, Kerrville Municipal Auditorium (Finders).

Entry fee is \$35 per person.

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Lytie 45, Bandera 42 (OT)
Bandera (42): Brittany Blow 14,
Amanda Mayfield 11, Mace 9, Dexter
6, Murphy 2, Despres, Leonard and Robinson did not score.

Halftime: Tied at 16.

End of regulation: Tied at 40.

Uvalde (43): J. Stone 12 Zamarrippa 8, Eagle 6, Hodges 4 Coronado 4, Ray 4, Falkenberg 4 Holloway 1, Cox 0.

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BC Farm Bureau delegates attend

annual convention in Corpus Christi

Art students pose in front of the longhorns they helped to create for the Bandera Cowboy. Christmas decorations on the courthouse lawn. Pictured are only a few of the students who helped create the styrotoms excluders at the high school, with the help of Mr. Jim Revetl and Mrs. Denise van Dyke. "The styrotom was quite a challenge to work with, and it created a snowstorm in the classroom" said Mrs. von Dyke. "The list to thank the custodians for the patience they showed during this community service project." photo by Brandon Stricker. Library to host book signing

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Utopia Memorial Library will host a book signing party on December 18 starting at 10:00 a.m. Greg Walton, author of the

Delegates from Banders
County Farm Bureau and
Groungbout the state next Nov.
Texas Farm Bureau's 65th
Annual Convention. Delegates
attending were Barbars
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A reception will follow.

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by Mada Fitzgerald 460-3767

Pastor George Schultz from the Grace Lutheran Church used for his text Stunday Hebrews 1, 1.2 Pianist was Betty Schultz and guests were Tollie Burnett, and Mada Fitzgerald. Playing Bingo Monday were Jack Holloway, Mattie Gray, Virginia Overatreet, Eva Freeman, Mollie VanGulick, Event Care

Freeman, Mollie VanGulick, Evelyn Carrise, and Jean Brown. Winhing the coverall was Jack Holloway and Mollie VanGulick. On Monday morning Mary Fitzpatrick, Dorothy, Callaham, Josie Kluna, A. P. Leibham and Annette Kalks-Schule from St. Stanislaus Church visited, prayed and sang swith resident friends Brenda Adam, Jeanetta Triends Brenda Adam, Jeanetta Virginia Overstevet, Lillian Bradford, Nettie Saul, Anne Fontenot, Harry Fleming, Pontenot, Harry Fleming,

came Friday morning and served our home and hope she enjoy communion to members of the her stay with us.

church. We're sorry to report Edna
Some members of Grace
Carter passed away last week.
Temple Christian Academy came
and sang Christmas carols to the

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By Susan Witham The 1999-2000 Medina Elementary students and par-ents may order in the Elementary office from Mrs. Pump, and Secondary students

In addition to Dr. Jenson, representatives, from the community will explain what their entity has done to prepare for the new millennium. Speakers will include: MacVion Meyer, Bandera County Computer Department Head, Boć Cowan, Mayor; Sully Woodland, Mayor; Sully Woodland, Mayor; Sully Woodland, Bandera, Brad Domitrovich, Technology Instructionalist with BISD; Bobby Wald, Bandera Electric Coop Administrative Assistant.

If you would like to participate in the seminar, please RSVF for lunch count to 796-7755. St Stanislaus singers visit family of Bob Wyatt. We will
miss her.

Martin Smith from the Church
of Christ came Wechesday morning
for Bible reading and snigne
bymns with the residents.
Lillian Ray. Virginio
Overstreet, Lillie Lenz, Frankie
Nanny, and Nora Andreson
enjoyed reading angel stories.
Fulton and Bonnie Plache from
St. Stansilaus Catholic Church
St. Stansilaus Catholic Church
we welcome Betty Crawford to
out home and hope she enjoys
will be Dec. 44 at 200 p.m.

Cowboy Christmas Calendar of Events

Wednesday, Dec. 15:

11 a.m.-4 p.m.: Santa and Mrs. Claus pay a visit to Backroads Books;

saunter down to banks of the Medina River at Billy Gene's for Christmas Around the Campfire

Christmas Around the Campfire caroling, coffee and hot checo-late. Festive battery -powered lighted horses, wagons, carts, pets and people welcome Bring your lantern, candles, etc. for caroling. No motorized yehicles please. Shuttle provided between Courthouse and Billy Caroline.

asured Memories' Open

their collectibles and one of a kind items;
5:30 p.m. Reminisce in the days before the automobile and pickup. Join in the Cowboy Christmas Roundup as we gather at the Courthouse and

Saturday, Dec. 18: 4 p.m.-6 p.m.: Gather at the Courthouse Square for an Old Fashion Cowboy Christmas. Christmas crafts for the chil-

Sunday, Dec. 19: 3 p.m. & 7 p.m.: 'Clowns Christmas' at the Bandera

Sunday, Dec. 26: 10:30 a.m.: Lakehills United Methodist Church presents the

Friday, Dec. 31: 8 p.m.: New Year's Eve

please: Shuttle prévided between Courthouse and Billi Gene's. de l'ente de l

Extension's Y2K A Thought For program set for The Week

by John M. Grimes Thurs., Dec. 9 The Christmas Season is a joyous occasion filled with excitement. To families who have experienced a death during the year, however, this season amore days to Jan. 1, 2000! Are you ready? The Bandera County Extension Program Council will be hosting a Y2K Information Seminar on Thursday, Dec. 9, may be particularly difficult, eve Robert Jenson, Texas Agricultural Extension Service Computer Specialist, will explain "What is Y2K", and be available to answer your ques-

vice of Peace and Hope, on December 16, at 6:30 p.m. We



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We will be coming on Saturday, December 18, after 9 a.m. Anything you put on the form will be kept strictly confidential. We must have this information by SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1999.

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Opinion

----- Letters to the Editor -----

Gifts of Love

Dear Editor, The Gifts of Love program will

The Grib of Love program will again be delivering toys, gifts, and food to families who need our help this Christmas.

Note that the control of the control

what their age.

The homes are usually pretty cold and some have no electricity so we also give oil lamps and warm blankets along with a tree

and decreations.

Everything given will be new and of good quality and each child will receive a stocking filled.

and of good quality and each child will receive a stocking filled such fruit and surpries. The families also receive a large ham or turkey and loads of canned goods. flour sugar, potatoes, and other foods they readly need.

It is the good of a stock of the control of the cont

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state roadways

rush hour of transportation, including
On 1-35 from Austin to San
Marcos, for example, traffic has
roads, turnpikes, mass transit,

To alleviate the problem, state should seriously consider,

aviation and passenger rail

Although there are no easy

ces than it did problems commuter rail is a tate was built definite option and one the

Upset with Courthouse

Dear Editor,
I have been a pastor in
Bandera for five years. During
this time we have worked hard
to keep "Christ" in Christmas. I
am upset with what I see hapam upset with what I see hap-pening around the courthques. But I am a preacher and I guess I am supposed to be upset. I would like to hear what other people in our county think about the placement of the manger

Rev. Dennis Thompson Bandera United Methodist

BISD Bond Questions

Dear Editor, I wrote a letter to the editor in the Bandera Bulletin on November 24. My opening paragraphs read:
"We have a new bond to con-

After an architect's presenta-tion and spirited debates the board voted 5-2 to present a \$30,350,000 plan to the public. This is for a new High School that may take us to 2005."

publicly by stating "I believe that I have the responsibility, where possible, to point out inac-

Page Southerland Page, (the architect firm the district has hired) gave a 20-page presenta-tion at an open meeting on November 15 discussing differ-

November 15 discussing differ-ent facility options
Page 19, titled "Project
Budgets" (attached) clearly
states the following
Recommended Plan

his Christmas wish fulfilled.

This can happen through the caring of others. Let's all work together to be sure those shilders on the caring of others. Let's all work to present a 803,039,000 plan for an amount we cannot legally ask for in a bond? to the public. That is incorrect.

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Why would the board vote to pursue a plan for an amount we cannot legally ask for in a bond?

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are misplaced. Two adults feel mature enough to couple, participate in the reproductive act, yet when the fruit of this act is a defenseless child, they regress into a state of immaturity and forget that their defenseless child is dependent upon them to meet their physiological needs the couple of the property of the proposition of the property of

parents. So who takes the place of the absent parent? Usually the state steps in or other family the state steps in or other family members attempt to fill the void in the child's life. Now take into consideration the emotional development of this new life. What kind of stigma will the child grow up with? Will the

Laurie Neff.
Bandera

Honor the Children
Dear Editor.
What a morally depraved
world we live in when parents
standand children or ignore their
very existence. Their priorities
rer misplaced. Thos adults feel
and the contribute of the expenses of
rating a child, but they could be
there to work their child blow out the
candles on their cake or witness

Their actions will determine how well their child develops. How will your children develop? During your celebrations, why not remember your child? Better yet, make a New Year's resolution to be an active mem-ber in their tiny lives. It will

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Letters to the Editor. Letters should be signed and include the writer's phone number and address. All letters are subject to verification and may be edited for length and content. Unsigned letters will NEVER be printed. Send letters to:

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Season of anticipation

Population boom Your Voice IN WASHINGTON



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December is a senson of anticipation. Not only is Christmas
coming, but also this year
even an add millennium madness to
the equation. But neither of the
above has me more proccupied
than the arrival of the cedar!
Ah yes, "cedar fever". The
watery swollen eyes, the congestion, the headache, the doctor bills, which usually leadsto a worse headache after you pay
them.

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THINKING **OUT LOUD**



Elizabeth

tracted from the cedar And of

WRITE TO THEM

the oak begins to intonicate our senses. And I suppose we all support the local economy with our doctor and pharmacy visitar. Perhaps we should declared January our month long Cedar Festival. Median is famous for it's apples so why not cedar? It know we are the "Cowboy Capital of the World" but Till betcha even cowboys sniffle this time of year.

I wan a great place to live, and we should all count ourselves lucky to be able to live in an area of such natural breathtaking beauty. Well, I guess breathtaking is an appropriate term to use during cedar season and I'll enjoy the great outdoors in the great indoors for the rest of the season.

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Obituaries

made many friends. Bob was a charter member of the Fine Arts Club, and a 75-year member of the Eastern Star. A faithful member of the Bandera Methodist Church, she sang in the choir and served on many

Medina Holiday Concert

will be Mon., Dec. 13;

Elementary program is

set for Tues., Dec. 14

On Monday, Dec. 13, the bands of Medina ISD The following eve School District will present Tuesday, Dec. 14, the ele tary classes will present tuesday.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Popham

Kayla Brianna Popham was born Nov 17, weighing in at 6 lb., 2 uz., and 18 1/4 inches Kayla arrived at 1.05 p.m., at Methodist Women's Hospital

She is welcomed by Brian and Christa Pop Brian and Christa Popham of Lakehills, Texas, and big sister Sarah Manse Popham; grand-parents Lisa and Paul Tidwell of Austin, Mike Owens of San

Franklin Wyatt in Menard, ary outreach of the church, time dealth on February 10, 1990. Mrs. Wyatt was a member of Bandera United Methodist Church, member of the Bandera Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, past president of the PTA member of the Senior Cittiens and sang with the Melodieral Survivors include one daughter, Bother R was an extra the Melodieral Survivors includes one daughter, Bachen Start of Senior Company for many years, and control of the PTA senior Se

mother at school, as well as gracious, fun-loving, a loyal being a PTA president for sever-al years, She also owned a dress and beauty shop where she

a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 30, at Grimes Chapel, with Rev. Dennis Thompson and Mr. Martin Smith officiating. Interment followed in Bandera

Aribona.

Ray and Veima Wyatt moved from Menard to Bandera in 1936 with their young daughter. Bobbie Ray. Mrs. Wyatt was lovingly called 'Bob' and she had a great rapport with children and young people. She taught 'Expression' so the main truck stuck in high water and truck stuck in high water and was helped by many friends on the mother at school, as well as gracious, fun-loving, a loyal of the mother at school, as well as gracious, fun-loving, a loyal of the mother at school, as well as gracious, fun-loving, a loyal of the mother at school, as well as gracious, fun-loving, a loyal of the mother at school, as well as gracious, fun-loving, a loyal of the mother at school, as well as gracious, fun-loving, a loyal of the mother at school, as well as gracious, fundamental than the school of the mother at the school of the mother at school o

Murreli, Sr., age 60, of Bandera, passed away Monday, Nov. 29, at his residence. He was born Sept. 23, 1939 in Uvalde County to Ernest H. Mance Murrell. On Aug. 14, 1993, he married Augrey Burdock in Bandera. She survives. He was a member of Bandera Church of Christ, was a past Fire Marshall of Bandera, particle Mondara, in a past Fire Marshall of Bandera, particle Mondara, in a past Fire Marshall of Bandera, particle Mondara, in a past Fire Marshall of Bandera, particle Mondara, in a past Fire Marshall of Bandera, particle Mondara, in a past Fire Marshall of Bandera, particle Mondara, particle Mond



granddaughter Marel, are frequent visitors to Bandera fron Germany. Winter Texans are a welcome site around Bandera as the weather turns colder. The Rodenhorsts own a ranch on Highway 16 and plan to arrive in early Docember.

CCRA sponsors art confest to promote rodeo

The Cowboy Capital Rodeo Association is sponsoring a rodeo art contest. There will be a junior (12-18) and a senior (over 18) division. The prize for the winners of the contest will be a family 4-pack of tickets to the Memorial Day Rodeo 2000.

The rules for the contest are as follows: You must have a rodeo theme, the maximum size should be 8X10, and there is no limit

their annual fall semester tary classes will present their Holiday Concert at 700 gm, in, holiday goggram at 7,00 gm, in the school cafetorium. The beginner, intermediate, and kindergarten through fourth blockal Bandewilp-perform seasons favorites in celebration of the concert, the Medina Bobeat Bande south of the concert, the Medina Bobeat Band Boasters will also be hosting their annual silent auction. Many excellent with the band concert, the media Bobeat Bande Boaster will also be hosting their annual silent auction. Many excellent with all proceeds benefiting the **BC Democratic Chairman** will not seek re-election

Mary Autry, Chairman of the andera County Democratic Candidates must take an Bandera County Democratic Party, announced she will not seek re-election in the March 14, 2000 Democratic Primary Autry has served as chairman

2000 Democratic Primary
Autry has served as chairman
since 1990, succeeding Nick
Johnson, a former Bulletin editor.
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Florida woman can run, Sheriff's Office Arrest Report but she can't think fast

BLOTTER

Police Chief

The Bandera Police and issued six citations for the week of Nov. 29 through Dec 5. 1999. Calls for service included one burglary of a habitation; three assist the public; two assist other agency; four acci-dents, two animal calls; one

about 2.63 cubic feet [per aecond]. Cornett said that he had used a flow meter, but would take another measure using a "six tens method." He said that the Weir test was the most accurate, but that Spring hills "couldn't set up Weirs all over because, for one thing, is "involved damming up the water.

damming up the water. In a contested case hearing, both aides will have a credent of the contest of the contest of the contest of the contest of accurate flow data. But, more is needed, say the landowners. We will need representation (an attorney), to let him have the water, said Fred Berner, one spokesman. The group plans.

spokesman.
The group plans
to hire proposed
lawyers Bruce
Wasinger and
Douglas Caroom
with the law firm of
Bickerstaff, Heath
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two civil matters, one criminal mischief, one found property, one loud noise; one domstite dispute, one fight in progress, one suspicious vehicle, and one public intoxication.

Sherry Hooper Wilcox, 49, of Bandera, was arrested and charged with public intoxication. One balany, Florida day a police officer noticed a car wearing in and out of traffic. The car crossed the center line several times. The officer stopped the car and the driver failed a field sobriety text. The driver was arrested. The female passenger, standard the feet of the progression of an illegal subsarrested. The female passenger, or marijuana. She was arrested for possession of an illegal subsarrested. The female passenger or marijuana species or subsarrested from the product of a small plastic bags of possession of an illegal subsarrested. The female passenger, or marijuana, and less than an

REPORT

County Sheriff

Arrest Report

The following persons were arrested and booked into the Bandera County jail recently. Bandera County jail recently.
It should be remembered It should be remembered that a person is innocent until proven guilty in a court of law Peter Adames, age 40, of Garland, arrested 11/29/99, Warrant, MTRP-Fel; Johnny warrant, MTRP-Fel, Johnny Sizemore, age 18, of Lakehills, arrested 11/29/99, Theft 1,500-20,000; Jack Billings, age 38, of Cedar Park, arrested 11/30/99, Warrant, Outside Agn, Bruce Timms, age 50, of Bandera, 26. of Banders, arrested 11/80/99, Fict Insp Stkr/Ins, Carla Powell, age 26, of Medina, Samuel Pozzi, age 19, of Lakehills arrested 12/2/99

MTRP-Fel, Michael Leyva, age 29, of Bandera, arrested 12/2/99, Order for Incar, Eugene Escalante, age 31, of San Antonio, arrested 12/3/99, Court Order, Gene Bates, age 32, of Bandera, arrested 12/4/99

Activity Report

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Rogge expects to receive Commissioners' decision on cluster systems

he will either have to ane again, or not. But, he says that Roggs said that he thought the says that the says the says that the says that the says that the says the says that the says the says that the says the says the says the says that the says the says the says that the says the say

TARPLEY & RIO HONDO NEWS



by Nettie Dean

Columnist **Dean suffers** heart attack

Editor's Note: On Mon, Nou. 29. Tarpley columnist Nettie Dean suffered a heart attick. She was taken to St. Lukes Hougatal in Side Antonio and is recovering. Nettie hopes to be home by the time this issue of The Bulletin is published. Not one to be stopped by anything, the following is her weekly column-dictated from her hospitul bed. Nettie Dean and her family are in our prayers always and we wish her a speedy recovery.

use usish her a speedy recovery.

Hi, Folks!
While in the hospital recovering from her heart attack, Nettie Dean has had visitors Elizit day to the heart attack of the heart and Jim Carson and John from San Antonio, Larue and Bodie Browning of Bandera, Mickey Caussey and her daughter Janet and wife Lou Ann Jones from Devine and Taleo, and June Faris of Lakehills who was also the heart attack of the heart attack of the heart speed of the heart

prayers.

We are rushing Christmas this year and I hope old Scrooge doesn't come in and mess it up.

Pool to preach at LH Methodist Rev. Fletcher Pool, the dire

tor for Congregational Growth for the Southwest Texas Annua Conference of the United Methodist Church, will be preaching at Lakehills United Methodist Church on Sunday. Methodist Church on Sunday, Dec. 12 at 8 am and 10:30 a m, the title of Rev. Pool's sermon is "The Wake-Up Call" and is based upon Daniel and Revelation. With the new century and new millennium approaching, Rev. Pool will be examining the biblical basis of the call to the Messiah. Rev. Pool will also be calling persons Pool will also be calling persons who have yet to know a relation-ship with Jesus the Christ to respond to the ending of one time and the beginning of new opportunities in life to begin a commitment to Jesus to Messiah Aessiah
Lakebilla United Methodist

Lakehila United Methodis at 8th Street and Avenue J. 8th Street turns off of PR 37, the main access road in Lakehills Worship is at 8 am and 10-30 am. on Sunday with Christian education for everyone at 9-20 am. Come prepared for the gift of Jesus the infant by consuming what this change of year.

On January one,

all you'll need to worry about are your

New Year's resolutions.

Bob Bomer : CHEVROLET

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Many aspects of our operations are already using Year 2000 dates, and much of our plan is already in place and working effectively

While no one knows exactly what will happen when we start ringing Ready for Y2K. And with us safeguarding your interests into the next century, you can get back to worrying





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Christmas Lighting Contest
The Bandera County Chamber
of Commerce is sponsoning a
ighting and decorating contest
his holiday season in several catsporties: Commercial Store
ronts, Resolental, and Farm and
Ranch Gates.

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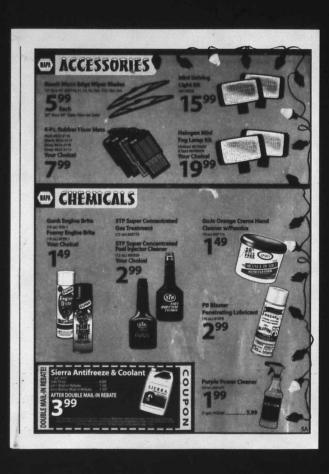




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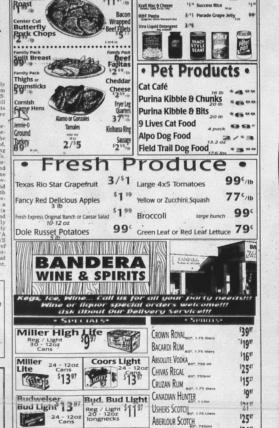
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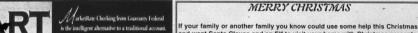
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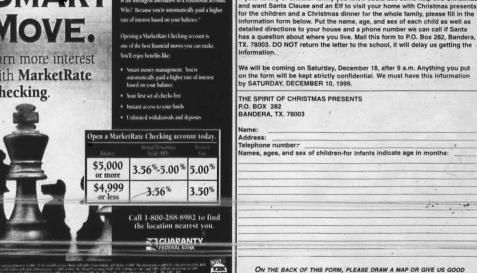
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Bandera golfer wins Good Old Boys event

Bandera's Brittany son, is being relier

Bulldogs land 9 on all-district first-team squad

rom staff reports
The Banders, Bulldog football
Medina's Singleton earns offensive, defensive accolades leading rusher on the team with

From staff reports
The Bander, Bullding football team landed nine players on the Joseph Schindler on offense was his receiving mate, just the ead defensive back Mike Williamson. "All the list start the sum squad, it was announced Monday.

Senior Kerry Schindler landed first-team hones at both quarter-back and defensive back. Senior Adam Knight was named at punter and defensive end.

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Bandera brings veteran club to hardwood

Bandera unbeaten in early going

By Bill Petitt A season ago, as Bandera coach Steve Kidd walked off the court as his Bulldogs were knocked out of the district title contention following a heart-breaking loss at Ingram, he said his team was a season away





Lady Bulldogs eye rebuilding campaign

By Bill Petitt

"We have a lot (of girls) who We have a lot tof girls) who haven't played at the variety level to the control of the control o

A look at the Lady 'Dogs

Head coech: Brett Morris 1998-99 récord: 12:12 1998-99 district recold: 6-4 Returning starter: (1) Brittany I senior; penter (12 points, 10 reb second-team all-District 27-3A)

play a game and they looked ready to play for a championship." Morris will build his team around

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From page 8A

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Johnson toffensive hierarchical good well-rounded kids who-offense. Defensively, linemen good well-rounded kids who-Brent Flack, Johnson and Todd work hard. They put forth a Bandera senior middle blocker Brent Flack Jonnson and 1 ones. Richiew were included Linebacker Richie Aguero and defensive backs Michael Gaffiney and Martin Gaffiney were recognized Pant returner Jacob Peacock was also named to the lat.

Peacock was also named to the list.

Twelve players were named to the academic all-district team. They are: Andy-Blount, Dylan Dakson, Kenny Mauruek, Jason Medina senior quaeterback Chief Stevens, Waltware Market, Jacob Stevens, Walker Stevens, Walker both quarterback and defensive Williamson, Stevens Waltware back.

Seniors Liz Carpenter and Tracey Reed were named to From page 8A

"We need to get her the ball and let her wheel and deal," said Morris, who is 30-25 in two sea-sons with the Lady Bulldogs. Without Blow on the court, Bandera will be a team without much size, but with good quick ness. "We just need to know what to do with that quickness,"

what to do with that quickness, said Morris.

The backcourt will be led by five-foot senior point Liz Carpenter and five-foot-two junior Jenny Robinson.

Morris will be counting on sev-

included Knight (tailback), kids, said Williamson. We are Jason Salesberry (center), Bryan blessed with good kids. I am not until the final week of tle Johnson toffensive lineman; on offense, Defensively, lineman good well-rounded kids who the first-team squad.

1999 Bandera

Lady Dundogs				
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į,	Kacee Dexter	So.	5-5	
	Aubrey Hearn	Jr.	5-6	949
	Christina Hernandez	Jr.	5-3	
	Amanda Mayfield	So.	5-7	G/
ř.	Liz Carpenter	Sr.	5-0	
	Jenny Robinson	Jr.	5-2	
	Kristen Leonard	Sr.	5-11	
	Kristi Mace	So.	5-9	3
į.	Kate Murphy	Jr.	5-10	Sig
0		Sr.	5-8	
	Brittany Blow		5-10	

Morris will be counting on several sophomers to contribute immedately. Five-foot-7 guardforward Amanda Mayfield will give the Lady Bulldogs some height in the backwart. The forward position will be done by committee with senior Kristen Leonard. Kristen Leonard. Kristen Despres and Rate Murphy all proposed from the pr

post line up a post line up a line is easen.

Junior Aubrey Hearn. Following a tough pre-season. Following a tough pre-season. Following a tough pre-season should that includes Uvalde. Seeme and Predericksburg, the Lady Bulldogs will open the district campaign on Jan. 7 when they travel to Burnet. Three of Banderia Kirjas four districts. Bandera's first four distric

The second-team defense Crawley, sophomore C Crowther listed while offense had, senior Faubion Heron and frest Matt McWilliams.

Bulldogs

trict honors last season a picked up where he left of a 29-point effort against N

a 29-point effort against M Valley. Jacob Peacock earned a ty letter last season and Pfeiffer brings an outside to the Bulldogs attack LaLanne will also be cou to provide solid defensive Several players me from the junior varsity a expected to add depth t lineup.

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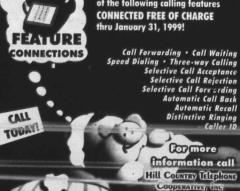
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With "MSN Dream" success BHS Theatre Class sets high goals

By Sunni Allen
The Bandera High School
Theatre Production Class presentation of Shakeseners 2-A
Midsummer Night's Dream
was a tremendous success and

and high standards. Drawing

and nigh standards. Drawing back also have attendance of a BHS theatre production, the play ran for four nights before an attentive and often rousing the play ran for four night seems at the play ran for high the play range of the play the students was complimented by artistic staging and impressive costuming. In a school and community effort to produce a professional level play, the stage set was constructed by the BHS Building Trades and Art Building Trades and Art Departments, and costumes were sewn by the actors' partners and teachers, borrowed from the Smith-Ritch Point Theatre in largam, and taken

The street in Ingram, and taken from the collected costumes of Bobby Stein, donated to the BHS theatre upon his retire. BHS theatre upon his retire and the street of the





Grace Lutheran Bazaar and Country Tea set for this Saturday, Dec. 4

OVER THE BACK FENCE



612-2509

On Nov. 29, 1963, a gold blue norther blew into Helotes just about the time the wedding for Marion Heisler, Sr. and Kay Mayfield was about to begin. We were the first couple married in the Helotes Baptist Church. The pastor did a good job tying the knot, because this year we will mark our 36th anniversary. Happy anniversary, Kay, and Happy anniversary, Kay, and The MLFD looked all made up for a party on Saturday, Nov. 27, Priends and family came together to celebrate the wedding of Ray Heisler and Cheryl Cromer, Unlike our special day, Ray and Cheryl drew warm weather and sunshine. As parents of the

sunshine. As parents of the groom, we looked on with pride while our only son was married. Welcome to the family, Cheryl and little Jace. We already love

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By Judy Bronson

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Obituaries-

Whitley

Andrew Gentry Whitley, age 85 went to be with the Lord on Nov. 22 Whitley figure to many, always there to offer help, love, and support.

Fullest to all who knew him.

Whitley is preceded in death by his first wife, Velma Rachet Whitley, mother, Dora Pullin Whitley, mother, Dora Pullin Whitley, mother, Alox Whitley and John (O. E.) Whitley and John (O. E.)

his wife, Ruth Whitley, three
daughters, Every Universal
husband Gorden, Dori Shaw
Donna Vannes and husband
Wayne, sister, Ruby Hall and
husband Ben, sister-in-law,
Irma Whitley, seven grandshidren
Hand Warten great grandchildren. his wife, Ruth Whitley; three

Funeral services were held at of nature and animals, will long

Healthfest '99 is Sat.

SABINAL CANYON



There will be a Community Christmas Celebration on Monday, December 6 starting at 5.30 p.m. at the town square. Horse and buggy rides, careling. Shelly Cober 1. Shelly Cober 1. Shelly Cober 2. Shelly Cober 2. Shelly Cober 3. Shelly Cober

County who need a little extra help. Each year they provide toys and Christmas meals for about 150 families including about 400 children. Generous contributions from local schools, churches, businesses and clubs plus countless hours of volunteer efforts makes this possible. Wondering how you can share your Christmas Spirit this year? You can make monetary dona-tions at the Norwest, Hondo and Banders Banks or drop your

Bandera Banks or drop your

contributions in the money jars located in local businesses. All contributions will help to buy toys and turkeys. Donations of

canned green beans, sweet pota-toes, corn, cranberry sauce, fruit and gelatin for the food boxes

schools or call Jane Dry, 796-

If you know of a family who



The Bandera Optimist Club selected BHS seniors Jeff Gossman and Robin Thompson as their November Students of the Month.

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Cooper Fiddlers to play Nov. 4



The Coper Fiddlers will give two performances a pecial concert for the Secretary of the Air Force at the upcoming Old Fashioned Cowboy Christmas in Bandera, sponsored by the Bandera Chamber of Commerce, Sat., Dec. 4 at 11 am. and 5 pm. featuring Texas Fiddler and Texas County at the Swing music. Just four years 'young', the Coper Fiddlers, under the direction of Mark Best and Landa Bratton, have been honored with invitations to play in Russia and at the Cherry Blossom Chronot polay in Russia and at the Cherry Blossom Chronot polay in Russia and the Cherry Blossom (George Strait, you are guaranteed a toe-tappin. Highlights of their performances include: Headlining at Branson Livel in Branson, Livel in Branson, Livel in Branson, Sissouri, performing before a standing room only crowed 6 5,000 in San Francisco for the National School Board Association Annual Convention; a

BC Extension lunch meeting

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In order to assist in preparing for an accurate lunch count, please RSVP to Lenna at 796-7755 by Monday, Dec. 6. We hope to see you on Dec. 9.

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Burgler call police on himself Kiwanis Holds Installation

The Bandera Police Department answered 32 calls for service, arrested three persons, and issued 6 citations for Nov. 21. Calls for service included one alarm, four assist the public; two assist other public; two assist other public; two assist other public; two assist other assist, one information; and two 911 hang-up; two assist other was a pwentle was presson over a certain young lady in town and calls; one mental commitment, six suspicious circum-stances; one information; and two 911 hang-up; two assists, one criminal mischief, one possession of drug paraphernalis, one criminal inschief, one possession of store parameters, one information; and two 911 hang-up; two assists, one criminal mischief, one possession of store parameters, one information; and two 911 hang-up; two assists, one criminal mischief, one possession of store parameters, one information; and two 911 hang-up; two assists, one criminal trespass, and one



Members of the newly formed Bandera Kiwanis Club held officer installations attended by members of area Kiwanis Clubs. Local officers for the 1999-2000 year are President, Leanne Saathoff; Vice President, Susan Smoot Sims; Treasurer, Ken Finley; Secretary, Laurie Neff; Directors, Susan Harrison, Lynn Hott, Kirk McMullan and Billy Walker.

Sheriff's Office has busy week

SHERIFF'S REPORT

by James MacMillan, County Sheriff

Arrest Report

The following persons were arrested and booked into the sandera County jail recently. arrested and booked into the Bandera County juil recently. It should be remembered that a person is innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. Jose Gagcia. age 41, of Lytle, arrested 11/22/99, PI; Robert Roach: age 36, of Bandera, arrested 11/22/99, Assault W/BI, Billy Waters, age 46, of Bandera, arrested 11/22/99, Warrant, Outside ACO, Faille, I ID, Warrant, Pagitive, Clifford Smith, age 40, of Bandera, arrested 11/22/99, PI, Disorderly Conduct, Criminal

arrested 11/23/99, Para, Poss Inhale, Gene Bates, age 31, of Iakehilis, arrested 11/24/99, DWLS; Crur Ceniceros, age 21, of Bandera, arrested 11/24/99, Assault by Threat, Robert Bustamante, age 37, of Lakehillis, arrested 11/25/99, Warrant, Traffic, Warrant, Traffic, Warrant, FTA, Edward Jewett, age 46, of San Antonio, Erick Mailebury, age 21, of Holtotes, arrested 11/28/99, Poss Marij; Jerome Herrera, age 45, of Bandera, arrested 11/28/99, Assault by Contact, Lance Andress, age 21, of San Antonio, arrested 11/28/99, Evading Arrested

Activity Report

Criminal Mischie Forgery Animal Call Loose Livestock Dog/Cat Bite Dog/Cat Call Shota Fired Assault Assault Progress Sexual Assault Death Welfare Concern Property

BC Animal Welfare pet list

Guerra Wins City Bridge Contract

Continued from page 1
tonight." He said that be thought settling the bridge issue was the best way for all of the neighbors to get along; that its was the long delay that kept he residents' dispute going. *
Hermander volunteered to per form the next step in the process of replacing the bridge; that of contacting TXDoT. Hermander when construction would actually begin.

In other business, the council voted for, (Mazurek voted

Plateau Group: Who's Water is it?

sensitive information by the Texas Water Development Board. According to Debra Ross. the Water Boards has son, the dall will be widely available for the public and not protected from dissemina-tion to, perhaps, groups or countries and friendly to the

ion to, person to the countries not friendly to the United States. In the countries of the The authoring pens are availables of anospoort.

Shepherd mar. Named Recise, she is exceptionally smart and interes to some commands. Recise has been waiting for a real loving home for a while now. She would give her life for someone she lower. Recis has set little poper that look like Late. All seems are looked and full of energy and rendy to be adopted into a good home.

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**One Border Collie mix, about eight weeks old.

**MSBC, P. O. Box 64098. Pipe Creek, Texas.

**AWSBC, P. D. Box 64098

Raymond Mathews, Jr., ecologist, of the Texas Water 1 p.m. at the Flying L Guest Development Board.

The next Plateau meeting is encouraged to attend.



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Lakehills Civic Center **Christmas Party for Children**

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A Thought For The Week by John M. Grimes

"Light A Candle of Love". are lighting a candle in our funeral home for enjoy this Christmas Season, we hope this lidays past and the importance of famil

ond remembrance", as written by Lesley Grayson. Our hearts at the ecial time of the year are warmed as we remember the beautiful time

Christmas is a time of renewal. It ends the old year and begins to up wonderful memories of the past. Yes, we think Christmas is ristmas will always be in our hearts as long as we treasure this time of

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Manal in TOP 10 Cowboy Christmas Schedule of Events

Wednesday, Dec. 1:

arrival of the holiday season by turning on the Christmas lights and welcoming Santa.

Thursday, Dec. 2:

Cowboy Christmas. Let the children decorate the Christmas req. listen as Carolyn

day breakfast. Taces, pancakes and all the trimmings.

3 p.m. of Mary and Christmas Lighting Ceremony make this Bandera's night to shine and sparkle and remember the reason for the season. Children's fredements graciously provided by the Animal Welfare Sciety. 6 p.m. p.m. 28 Voll along luminaria-like Annual Stoppers Jubilee. Santa is sure to be making appearances.

be making appearances;
7:30 p.m.: Catch the toe-tapping Cooper
Fiddlers, an all-fiddle high school band from
Abilene, at the Main Street Stage.

Saturday, Dec. 4:

7:30 a.m.-?: Camp coffee and chuck wagon cooking get your day started at Hondo National Bank's Cowboy Breakfast. Jeans, oots and hats optional; good cheer and miles required. Breakfast ends when the

8 a.m.-2 p.m.: Head to Medina, Texas for he Medina United Methodist Church's

the Bleuna Chiefe Holiday Bazaar.

'9 a.m.-5 p.m.: Country Crafts presents an Arts & Crafts Extravaganza and Chili Cookoff at the Stampede in downtown

decorated floats, horses and more step it off down Main Street Bandera; 9 a.m.-1 p.m.: Tea Time. Grace Lutheran Church sponsors a holiday 'tea luncheon' at

Church sponsors a holiday 'tea luncheon' at 10 a.m. and crafts bazaar from 9 a.m. 1 p.m.; 10 a.m.: Barrel racers listen up. Exhibition races at 10 am. and competition
at 1 pm. at Mansfield Park. Proceeds benetif th 4H Horse Project;
2 p.m.-4 p.m.: Head over to the Silver
candles, etc. for caroling. No motorized vehi-

Comboy Christmas. Let the children decorate the Christmas Let the Ch

house;
10 a.m.-6 p.m.: Visit Country Accents'
Gazebo and authentic Old Town during
their 'Christmas in the Hill Country' open
house. Sample a wide variety of unique
merchandise under one roof.

Sunday, Dec. 5:

10 a.m.-6 p.m.: Smells of wassail becken you to enter Country Accents and enjoy their Christmas in the Hill Country. 3 p.m.: Choir Concert at Bandera high School Auditorium.

Tuesday, Dec. 7:

7 p.m.: Band Concert at Bandera High School Auditorium

Saturday, Dec. 11:

10 a.m.-6 p.m.: Look for the one of a kind ind during Loves' Antique Mall Market rade Day;

Trade Day;

11 a.m.-4 p.m.: Santa and Mrs. Claus pay a visit to Backroads Books;

4 p.m.-9 p.m.: Enjoy Treasured Memories' Open House as you browse through their collectibles and one of a kind items;

5:30 p.m.: Reminisce in the days before the automobile and pickup. Join in the Cowboy Christmas Roundup as we gather at the Courthouse and saunter down to banks of the Medina River at Billy Gene's for Christmas Around the Campfire - caroling coffee and hot chocolate. Festive battery powered lighted horses, wagons, carts, pet

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Sunday.

Dec. 12: 3 p.m.: Join with St. Stanislaus Catholic church's 'Asoiacion Guadalupana' as they celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Celebration features mariachi

Wednesday, Dec. 15:

8 p.m.: Kick up your heels at Dusty Britches' Annual Gifts of Love Benefit at Arkey Blue's Silver Dollar.

Friday, Dec. 17:

9 a.m.-3 p.m.: Stop by Norwest Bank for a isit with Santa and to get your 2000 Ace

visit with Santa and to get your 2000. Ace Reid calendar, 7 p.m.: St. Stanislaus' Asoiacion Guadalupana presents Las Posadas. A Christmas caroling procession re-enacting Mary and Joseph's search for accommoda-tion. The procession begins at City Hall and ends at St. Stanislaus Catholic Church. Being wore Rabilish. Bring your flashlight.

Saturday, Dec. 18:

4 p.m.-6 p.m.: Gather at the Courthouse Square for an Old Fashion Cowboy Christmas. Christmas crafts for the chil-dren, storytelling by the Haile family and musical entertainment. Bring your lawn 6:30 p.m.: Lakehills United Methodist

Church presents a 'Living Christmas';
7 p.m.: It's a 'Clowns Christmas', a children's play fun for all, at Bandera United Methodist Church's Ryan Youth Center.

Sunday, Dec. 19:

3 p.m. & 7 p.m.: 'Clowns Christmas' at the Bandera United Methodist Church's

Locals visit San Miguel de Allende Bandera area residents took a nine day trip

Hana Manal returned to Bandera after competing in the Distinguished Youth of Texas Pageant held in Dallas the week-end of November 19-21. She was one of over 8,000 girls invited

end or november 19-21. See was one or over 3,000 girs immer to participate statewide. Judging criteria is scholastic record, service to school and community, personality projection and interview. The field was narrowed to 198 girls for the weekend competition. Hana placed in the "Top 10" for girls in grades 6th through 8th. She also won 1st place for Sportswear Modeling

Candidate filing

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cancera area residents took a rinde day tryl to Mexico in November, visiting the pic-turesque city of San Miguel de Allende. Pictured at right are a happy bartender, Betty Lebo, Roz Brown, Marlene Pape and Jan Kelly. At bottom left are Joe and Cindy McMullan and, Pat and Cindy Breedlove.







Wow, What a Great Season. A big Thank You to the Twirlers, Flags, Star Steppers, Cheerleaders, Band, Football Team, Cross Country Team, and Volleyball Team WIDE for making this year so wonderful. GARAGE Everyone did a terrific job.

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Smiles for Santa



On Sat., Nov. 27, The Ranch KRNH brought the big man himself to Bandera aboard Chopper 95. Santa Claus landed at 1:30 p.m. and immediately began taking Christmans lists and requests from all of the boys and girls who had come to see him. After an hour of checking on who'd been naughty and who'd been nice, he climbed on board a Bandera Volunteer Five Truck for a quieck tour of the city. Santa then headed North - but not before giving an early Christmas present ride aboard his funcy sleigh to Bandera Police Chief Lynn Holt and a certain newspaper photographer. See more photos on page 10.

Flying L hosts Water **Planners' Education**

By Judy Pierce
Inside the relaxing, vacation-like surroundings of
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Last month, members of the
Plateau Water Planning
Group concentrated on absorbing an ever-changing maze of
water law and science. They
had to learn well because each
had voluntarily tasked him or
herself with the tough job of
planning for the availability of
Their responsibility includes
joinning for more than
100,000 people living in a six
county area, for their economic dependence on water, and
for the unique variety of
wildlife that may only contin-

To date, the group has completed a "Scope of Work" and "Chapter One, Regional Chapter One, Plateau Homepage, the Jowest Work of the Chapter One, Thomas Briefly, the next tasks to be completed are locating and describing surface and ground water resources, comparing detailing water management strategies to handle various stages of drought and future regional needs.

Cowboy Christmas begins!



This week Cowboy ...

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Christmas events begin with cabing in Bandera County. On Wednesday, Medina welcomes Santa and turns on their Christmas lights; Friday is the Silver Sage holiday breakfast, the reenactment of Mary and Joseph's journey and Bandera's Shopper's completed on Main Street in Bandera. For a complete schedule on Main Street in Bandera. For a complete schedule of these and other Cowboy Christmas parade of these and other Cowboy Christmas person of these and other Cowboy Christmas events, see page 3 of this issue.

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The Board appointed President Lowanna Sides to find an interim superintendent and to present the name to the Board at the December regular meeting for approval. The Medina ISD, Medina Secondary School, and Medina

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School District Board of Academic Excellence Indicator Trustees met Mon., Nov. 22. System reports as prepared by at 5.30 p.m. and accepted the trease Education Agency will be presented for public Gary Ott effective Dec. 31
The trustees vote was unanimous.

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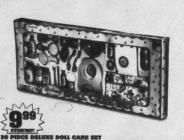






























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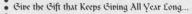
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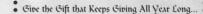
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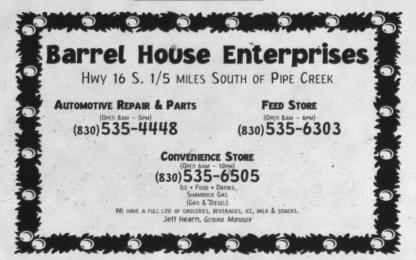
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10 a.m.-6 p.m.: Look for the one of a kind find during Loves' Antique Mall Market Trade Day

11 a.m.-4 p.m.: Santa and Mrs. Claus pay a visit to Backroads Books:

4 p.m.-9 p.m.: Enjoy Treasured Memories' Open House as you browse through their collectibles and one of a kind

5:30 p.m.: Reminisce in the days before the automobile and pickup. Join in the Cowboy Christmas Roundup as we gather at the Courthouse and saunter down to banks of the Medina River at Billy Gene's for Christmas Around the Campfire - caroling, coffee and hot chocolate. Festive battery -powered lighted horses, wagons,



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Sunday. Dec. 12:

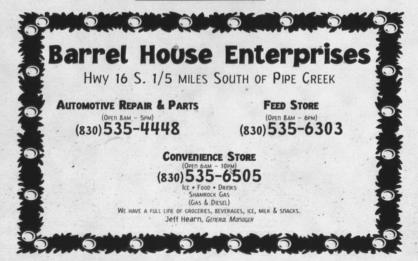
3 p.m.: Join with St. Stanislaus

Catholic church's 'Asoiacion Guadalupana' as they celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Celebration features mariachi

Wednesday, Dec. 15:

8 p.m.: Kick up your heels at Dusty Britches' Annual Gifts of Love Benefit at Arkey Blue's Silver Dollar.

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8 a.m.-3 p.m: Join the Bandera American Legion Post Auxiliary for its Annual Holiday Crafts Sale at the American Legion Post: 1:30 p.m., Gather around the Courthouse Jawn. Santa arrives in KRNH The Ranch' Radio's newfangled contraption called a helicooter:

6 p.m.-12 p.m.. Kick up your heels at the Country Christmas Ball at the Farm Country Club featuring Rodney Hayden



and Ballan Grant. Feast on a selection of smoke meats. For ticket information, call 830-589-2276.

Wednesday, Dec. 1:

5:30 p.m.: Medina, Texas, heralds the arrival of the holiday season by turning on the Christmas lights and welcoming Santa. Thursday, Dec. 2:

7 p.m.: Choir Concert at the Bandera High School Auditorium;

Friday, Dec. 3:

7 a.m.-9 a.m.: Start your morning right. Head to the Silver Sage Corral for their holiday breakfast. Tacos, pancakes and all the trimmings:

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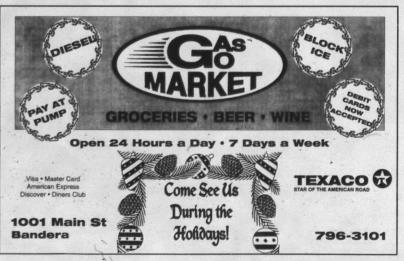


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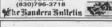
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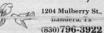
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There were several who wan tue-coverail.

Harvey Rogers came on Nov.

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Ornoldy took the following to a picnic in Kerrville on Nov. 16.

The following enjoyed a trip Mattie Gray, Lillie Lenz, Bennet Morris, Frankie Nany, Lillian Ray, Molly VanGulick, Gertrude Reavis, Harry Fleming, and Beth Brock. Driver of the ACT van that took them to Kerrville was John Werchan.

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forward/center position to give the Bobcats some stability at the

the Bobcats some stability at the position.

Senior post James Whitehead and sophomore Josh Hicks give the Bobcats an athletic maide the property of the Bobcats and the stability of the Bobcats and the slower high men to the basket. They provide enough weapons to keep the opposition from over playing the perimeter.

Make no mistake, Lovidady is that the season, Already this year, Lovelady has led the "Cats in scoring, including a 27-point, 13-rebound effort against Center Point.

"We're trying to work on

We're trying to work on everyone playing multiple posi-tions," said Bogler. "We want guys to be able to step in and fill a role if we need them to." "Our weakness would be our



Sports



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This week's

Monday

Naticas

Ronny Ray Park fundraisers put off until March 2000

been postponed until Marc 11 and 18, 2000, officia

said.

The benefit golf tournament is slated for March 11, 2000 and the sporting clay shoot will be held on March 18, 2000.

Jennings captures ASC all-conference

Good Old Boys event

Bandera's Jim Haverlah tailied nine points better than his handicap and claimed first place at the Good Old Boys Golf League's

Good Old Boys Golf League's weekly tournament at the Flying L Guest Ranch course last week. Marshall Patton finished second with a plus-eight points and Ed Coycault and Wally Klages tied for third with plus-aven points.

Lady Bobcats dominate all-District 29A volleyball squad

From staff reports

Along with Katie Windham of Medina noutside hitter Charyit Hyatt, who helped her Lady Medina landed two players on Bobeats welleyball team to its first-team squad — 6-foot strist-ever post-asson berth, was named the District 29-A Co-MVP

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Lestourgeon and junior outside bitter Amanda Waters. Seniors Tiffany Garza and Alaina Fudge were selected to the condition to the condition of the conditi

Dogs jump

2-0 start From staff reports

off to quick

Bandera junior guard Andy Blount didn't need long to get back into basketball shape as he poured in 29 points to lead the Bulldogs to a 71-65 win over Medina Valley in a non-district game at Bulldog Gym last Friday.

results were available at pressione.

"We just have to ge the foot-party of the pression of th

Fields, senior forward Coy Pfieffer is back to start another

Next week...

Andy Blount

A comprehensive

basketball teams

look at the Bandera

boys and girls varsity

All-district power



Bandera senior middle blocker Brittany Blow returns a serve during the bt-district watch with Lvtie. Blow was named to the District 27-34 vollé-ball souad will be in next week's Bulletin.

Medina tries to rebound from off year

Bobcats' growing pains of '98-'99 turns into experience for new year

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Varsity girls San Antonio Christian 57, Bandera 55 San Artonio Christian 57, Bandera 55
Bandera (55): Britlany Blow 19, Kacee
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7, Amanda Mayfeld 6, Liz Carpenter 6,
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Robinson 0, Christina Hernandez 0,

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Varsity girls Medina (24) — Amanta Waters 14, iffany Cohn and Kellie Singleton 3. lebounds: 8, Charyli Hyatt and Kellie singleton. Steals: 9, Waters, 5, Hyatt. lecord. Medina 0-1. Blanco 28, Medina 21

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Medina (23) — Jenna LeStourgeor tollie Burnam 6, Amy Swanner 3, Iffany Garza 3. Blanco (31) — Newby 8, Prince 6,













1999-2000 Medina **Basketball Schedules**

Nov. 16	Qpp.	Site	Time	Learns
	Natalia	Home	5 p.m.	JVG.VG.VE
Nov. 19	Bianço	Home	4 p.m.	JVG, JVB, VG, VE
Nov. 23	Harper	There	5 p.m.	JVB,VG,VE
Nov. 30	D'Hanis	Home	5 p.m.	JVG,VG,VE
Dec. 2-4	Harper Tournament		TBA	VG, VE
Dec. 7	Nueces Canyon	There	5 p.m.	JVB.VG.VE
Dec. 9-11	Medina Tournament		TBA	VG. VE
Dec. 17-18	Natalia Tournament		TBA	VG, VE
Jan. 4, 2000	Natalia	There	5 p.m.	JVG.VG,VE
Jan. 7	Harper	Home	5pm	JVB,VG,VE
Jan. 11	Falls City	There	5 p.m.	JVG, VG, VE
Jan. 14	Utopia	There	5 p.m.	JVB,VG,VE
Jan. 18	Grace Christian	Here	5 p.m.	JVB, VE
Jan. 21	*San Antonio Stacey	There	5 p.m.	JVB, VG, VE
Jan. 25	*Charlotte	Here	5pm.	JVB, VG, VE
tan, 28	*Sabinal	There	5 p.m.	JVB, VG, VE
Jan. 29	Harper JV Tournamer	nt	TBA	JVG, JVE
Feb. 1	*San Antonio Stacey	Here	5 p.m.	JVB, VG, VE
Feb. 4	*Charlotte	There	5 p.m.	JVB. VG. VE
Feb. B	*Sabinal ct 60-4 games	Here	5 p.m.	JVG, VG, VE

Lady Bobcats Medina From page 8A hope to carry could be lessons well learned heading into this season. "Our biggest strength is our attitude," said Ingram last week. "Our guys wanted to run to get success to court

From staff reports

Canturing its first

A TOUR at the Lady Bobcats

postseason berth in school history in vol-leyball, the basketball squad is comprised largely of the same athletes ready to make a run at the

"That is one of the nings (athletic direc-r and head football tor and head football
coach Glen Davis) has
done — instill a winping attitude," said
boys basketball coach
Rick Ingram
LeStourgeon, 5-10, Jr.

boys basketball coacts 1838,000 per Sick Ingram Surard Armanda Waters will give the Lady Bobcats quickness on the perimeter. Quickness will be the key as no player other than junior center. Megran LeStourgeon stands taller than 5-foot-

has made an early impact with 10 points against the Pirates. Senior Levi Hubble played on the 1997 squad that lost to Port Aransas in the area round of the playoffs. He has moved to the Of the five returnees four are 5-foot-5 or

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School News-

Hill Country holds Talent Fall Show



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Opinion

Last week's Texas A&M Bonfire tragedy evokes universal feelings of grief

As 1862 graduate of Texas A&M University and the fisher A&M University and the fisher of two future

Aggies, the recent bonfire tragedy on campus weighs heavily on my heart.

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sensor wentworn represents Senate District 25, which includes Bandera County and all or part of 16 other counties.
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at 1250 N.E. Loop 410, Suite 720, San Antonio 78209, tele-phone (210) 826-7800, fax (210) 826-0571; and 2121-B Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo 76904, telephone (915) 942-8522, fax (915) 942-862. His toll-free number in Austin is (888) 824-6964. ----- Letters to the Editor -----



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Obituaries-

Willis Swisher, age 82, of landera, passed away Wednesday, Nov. 17, in a Bandera, passed was born Nov. 27, 1916 in Carroll County, Indiana in Human & Dwitch and Esta Lowes Swisher. On May 16, 1946, he married Helen Nov. 27, 1916 the Rech. Alchanna of State Willies and Esta Lowes Swisher. On May 16, 1946, he married Helen Bandera. Swisher Swisher County State Willies and Esta Lowes Swisher. On May 16, 1946, he married Helen County Indiana in Human & Dwitch Swisher. On May 16, 1946, he married Helen Bandera. In addition to his wife. Helen, of Bandera, survivors of Swisher. Willie was a retired Heavy Sary May Maxim Moore of Road. Rock, and Edna Molder of Ingram, four grandchildren. Shane Yates, Dusty Brittain, and Taylor Skim Barrier, and Gary Yates. Helen Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Hiebenberg County of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Hiebenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Hiebenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Hiebenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Hiebenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Hiebenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley, to Walter and Honriest Bausch Holbenberg of Check, Tarpley,

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direction of Grimes Funeral
Chapel of Bandera.

Don W. Schumacher officiating. 1992. She survives. Other surGraveside services will be at vivors include one daughter,
330 p.m., Wednesdy at Tarpley. Linda Anderson and busband.
Cemetery in Tarpley, Texas.

David of Dallas, step-daughter.

Christmas celebration set for Dec. 6

CANYON

Utopia High School Scholarship Fund. There will also be a sign contest. Businesses, families, individuals, groups and organizations, etc. may participate. Homan at 1966-3770 or Bill Nack at 996-2161.

The Annual Utopia Christmas Celebration will be held on Monday, December 6 starting at 5-30 p.m. at the town square. There will be held on Monday December 6 starting at 5-30 p.m. at the town square. There will be held offen discholarship funds for the Middle Rader Scholarship Funds. There will be a chill cook of the lighting of the town Christmas tree. All Utopia businesses will hold open houses before and after the festivities. Denations will be accepted. All proceeds will benefit the There will be given for show manship and People's choice. All proceeds will benefit the There will be given for show manship and People's choice. All proceeds will benefit the There will be prizes given for 1s.

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Conoly speaks at Retired Teachers meeting

after teaching. Darlene shared many of her travel experiences and explained an increasing countries. Included in a travel video shown to the retirees were a trip about a small ship. Thirty retired school person-nel and their guests enjoyed the hospitality of Clay and Diane Conoly at the Dixie Dude Ranch on Nov. 10: Following a bounteous lunch, the group set-tled back for the-dynamic pre-sentation of the guest speaker,

were a trip aboard a small ship to the beautiful waters of the Sea of Cortes off Baja, a train Sea of Cortes off Baja, a train trip through the fascinating Copper Canyon of Mexico, whale watching, and other interesting sites to see and places to visit.

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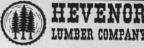
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Police Chief

The Bandera Police Department answered 23 calls Department answered 23 calls for service, arrested two persons, and issued 8 citations for the week of November 13. Calls for service included two criminal mischiefs, five assist the nal mischiers, me public, two assist other agency, hang-ups, one assault, one ter-roristic threat; and one public

hang-ups, one assault: one ter-oristic threat: and one public intoxication.

Mark Roach, 36, of Bandera was arrested and charged with criminal trespass. Kaoki Koizumi, 24, of San Antonio, that no of the normal things

by James MacMillan.

County Sheriff

The following persons were rested and booked into the

SHERIFF'S

REPORT

Sheriff's Office arrest report

Activity Report

Fight Fight in Progress Public Intoxicate

Disturbance Loud Noise/Party

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was arrested for an outstanding traffic warrant. Four officers from the Banders Police Department all the Asteros system, jewel-ference in Austin, Texas. The classes were all very informative and included updates with a state of the control of the transition of the control of the transition of the control of the transition was necessary and the control of the transition was a strength of the control of the transition of the control of th

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On behalf of Isabel Ortega Perez, I would like to thank the sponsors of the Lost Valley Golf Tournament o October 31, 1999. The funds that were raised went towards hospital expenses. I was glad to see how many people came together to help out. I could not thank the public enough for their help.

Alkek Elementary folks dressed up for the annual feast on Thursday. Pilgrims, Indians, children, teachers and parents enjoyed the dinner and costumes.

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By Judy Pierce
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SWMD, EEA Directors, MC District Want Impact Review

BMA/Bexar Met history and revised handouts concerning the contract, Tony Reyes, Assistant District Attorney for Bexar County, provided

Inconsistencies continued between the contract references to the exhibit and two of the exhibits that were handed out at the public hearing last Thursday and the prior public hearing. The exact titles and apparent purpose of the exhibits differ from the table of contents listed in the contract. None of the appendices were made available as listed in the revision exhibits. It is not clear what documents were

at is not clear what documents were put before the board or what changes had been made prior to the vote last Friday morning. An attempt to obtain a reference paragraph or page num-ber about the subject of farmer-irriga-

Friday morning. An attempt to obtain a reference paragraph or page number about the subject of farmer-irrigation-water protection from Williams was not successful before press time. Neither of those conducting the hearing, nor the BMA Directors offered explanations about any changes made explanations about any changes made that was handed out last Thursday. At least one of the people who made a public comment, whose name sounded like "Charles Cup", did not realize, at first, that his copy of the contract was not the same as the one just handed out. After repeatedly asking the BMA directors if they "actually read and understood" the contract, namewerst, "ves," Cup proceeded to refer the Directors to pages and paragraphs that did not match theirs. He asked the Directors to pages and paragraphs that did not match theirs. He asked the Directors the legal meaning of the words: "privilege" verses 'right' reading from his version of the contract in reference to what BMA could do. In the end, neither Barrera nor Thurman, who provided an analogy about the "privilege" of driving a car

on a highway to the Cup's question.
Will Carter, spokesman for a faction of landowners, spoke in favor of Bexar Met over San Antonio Water Systems (SAWS). He said that during the his-state of Texas took Attorney for Beaar County, previded introductory information, and, Leas Litton, law professor, St. Mary's Law School of San Antonia, conducted the fagmat and timing for public comments.

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show on KTSA and said that he owns property at Medina Lake. Gehrlein may have been referring to the current business trend of U.S. based and foreign-based companies, like two giant French utilities. Vivendi S.A. and Suez Lyonnaise des Eaux S.A. to transfer public water supply systems to private hands. The privatization widely publicized in the Wall Street Journal. Last August, the Journal wrote that Donald L. Correll, United Water's chief executive said: "...consolidation was coming rapidly among the 58,000 water systems in the

Bexar Met already has a relationship with Suez. Through its contrac-tual arrangements with United Water Resources Inc. of New Jersey, bought

Contract

on a highway, appeared to answer Cup's question.

Another point made by Gehrlein was that State Representative Frank Cardia, Springhills Water Cord and his staff would be review ing the BMA/Bear Met contract. "I'm Met cowr San Antonio Water Systems with about what happened north (SAWS), He said that during the history of BMA, the State of Teas to all staff would be review.

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Districts' or Individuals' Joint in Nov., according to General Met?

Near the end of the pub lic hearing, around 10 p.m., Reyes read a joint communication addressed to the BMA and Bexar Met Boards of Directors. The brief communication was signed either from Presidents or some

alse said that he was concerned that return the said that he was concerned that return the said that Reyes (Senate Bill One), "allowed a lot of abuse." And he urged BMA's newly only the signatures of the individuals hive general manager, Reith Martin.

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request BMA and Bezar Met to consider the following comments before entering into the proposed 1999 Agreement between BMA and Bezar Met for the delivery of increased volumes of water from Medina Lake. The long-term impacts associated with the proposed contract should be fully evaluated. These may include impacts on recharge to the Edwards and Trinity Aquifers, well levels, and existing contractual agreements. In the contractual agreements of the contractual agreements of the contractual agreements. The state of the contractual agreements are contractually agreements. The contractual agreements are contractually agreements. The contractual agreements are contractually agreements.

Impacts on ratepayers should also be evaluated.

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review of any and all proposals from any interested entity.

A public participation process should be developed and utilized.

The parties should consider evaluating this project as part of the regional planning process currently underway, and the proposal planning process currently underway.

Asy of November. 1999.

James Chastain, President, Springhills Water Management District; Rafael Zendejas, EAA, District S. Susan Hughes, EAA, District J. Susan Buckner, EAA, District, Luana Buckner, EAA, President, Medina County Groundwater District.

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BMA Votes: Yes to Bexar **Met Contract**

By Judy Pierce
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stance to 'go with the flow' and voted with the majority for the contract.

BMA is the Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Control and Improvement District No. One, an old public the property of the control of the c

said that she understood that the contract was not 'cast in concrete' and could be reviewed and changed. "I'm not against Bexar Met," she said She said that she did not think that Chacon Lake nor the Guadalupe 'deal' should have been included in this contract, but should, perhaps, have been in a separate contract.

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Thursday's Public Hearing

About 100 people, pro and con, came to the Bexar Met/BMA public hearing held the night before the vote in the Lytle High School Auditorium About twenty people made comments. Three people ran Continued on page 3

The style show of the season

Thanksgiving Traditions



Thanksgiving Feast Friday. Turkey and If the trimmings were served to parents and sests - who were also



LAMCOS steadfast for minimum Lake level

By Judy Pierce
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LAMCOS members, water district presidents (including
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for Bexar Med's 90-year propoal, LAMCOS remains steadfast
to get a minimum lake level
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Conservation Districts to safeguard the lake and its recharge to the Trainity Aquifer at the Lyde public meeting. Thursday Authority also joined in on a group letter from the three districts to ask BMA/Bexar Met to consider all possibilities and consequences before signing their agreement on Nov. 30. The same second of the same second

Early morning fire damages hotel

Volunteer fire departments from Bandera and Pipe Creek responded to a 911 call at the Texas Star Hotel on Highway 16. South at 4 am Monday morning. There were no nipuries reported but one room of the hotel was severely damaged and the eight families that were guests of the hotel had to be executed. Marchal Raiph Dines, the cause of the fire was ruled accidental Apparently a stereo, television combination was left running coverheated and sparked the early morning blaze.

Before fire personnel reached the hotel, a man identified by the host that is seen. Yunii Minette, I was a seen. Yunii Minette, Russell Poster, and his brother, Darrell, had started a bucket brigade that kept the fire from doing too much damage to the structure. "Each of the hotel rooms had smoke detectors," said Dresser. The smoke detectors in the rooms Volunter unite from Whaterian, Deck and Medina were called, but were not needed at the hotel and sent back their fire houses.

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by Lynn Holt. Bandera Police Chief

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Activity Report

was arrested for an outstanding traffic warrant. Four officers from the Bandera Police Department of the Bandera Police of the Bandera Police Officers on the secondary of the Bandera Police Department of the Bandera Police De

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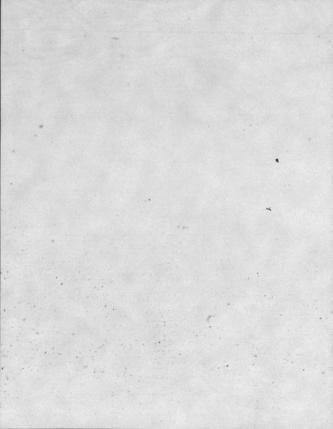
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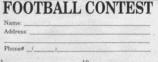
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wanted to be the center of their national life. A simple request, don't you think? Well, history tells us that on every occasion that they had, the nation of Israel turned away from the Lord. In Jeremiah 4, God made an impassioned plea for

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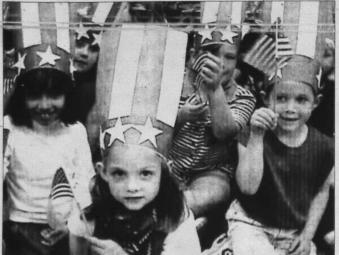
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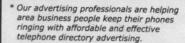
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Glad Hayes, and her mother, Neda, and her friend Ann from Corpus, Gregor Hartung, Matt Lyle, B. G. Watson, and Charley Williams. Sausage, potato salad, coleslaw, beans and rel-

cotton fabrics with chlorine. Researchers say, will kill germs in minutes without irritating the skin.

Have you ever been on a job inderview? You first scan the add in the newspaper. Some some not at all, and some you are over-qualified for. Now they tell you the first five minutes of the interview is when they make a first impression decision. After showering, doing your makeup, squeezing your makeup, squeezing your on your clothes that are too tight. And oh, yee, those superhigh heels that kill your feet. You webble up a flight of stairs to the job stack, stub your to and go flying into the office and safe for a bandaid for your cut arm. Good first impression! Why are to be in the complete of the pool or not. The waiting kill most folks.

And, speaking of job demands, that it is a suit and its for an interview? I think employers should be honest and let you know within a short time whether you get the job or not. The waiting kill most folks.

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Nightingale promoted

Todd "Skippy" Nightingale, member in several central and forester with the Texas Forest west Texas cities; facilitator of Service (TFS) in Crockett, was promoted to District Forester for district seedling coordinator; forester since 1978. Grisham, promoted to District Forester for the Crockett District. In his new position 'Nightingale will have the supervisory responsibility of the five person staff that admin-isters TFS programs over the 1.5 million-acre area of Houston and Leon Counties.

The mission of the Crockett District of the TFS is "to provide leadership, cooperation, and assistance to Houston and Leon assistance to Houston and Leon County residents. Robert Grisham, Deputy Regional Forester of the TFS, stated, "The Crockett District covers a The Crockett District covers a large area and has historically had a high work load. Nightingale has worked diligently toward the mission of the Crockett District over the last two years and is not only deserving of his new position, but also highly qualified to meet its challenges.

Nightingale at 1997 graduate
Nightingale at 1997 graduate on work for the TPS as greater to work for the TPS as greater.

of Texas A&M University, came to work for the TFS as forester in June, 1997. He is originally from Bandera, Texas where his father, Dr. Conrad Nightingale, and his mother, Nancy, run a veterinary clinic together. Nightingale graduated from Bandera High School and went to sellors of both Koraes State. to college at both Kansas State University and Texas A&M While attending Texas A&M. he served as president of the Forestry Club and chair of the student chapter of the Society of American Foresters. He also received a number of awards and scholarships while there including the A D Folweile Scholarship and recognition by the Texas Society of American Foresters as the most outstand

ing forestry student in 1996. While with the TFS numerous landowners in provid-ing forest management advice and assistance. He has also worked extensively in district fire prevention and mitigation efforts. He has served as GIS (Geographic Information Systems) Team Member and Trainer Fire Provention team Tree Farm inspector; 4-H promoted to Deputy Regional Woodland Clinic Trainer, and in Forester in September 1999. many more roles. He is a mem-ber of the First United responsibility of the Trinity Methodist Church in Crockett Branch.

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off by Andy Holostes 18th 12 reception the seasor. The game marked the final flotball game for 18 emitor. They are Jacob Peaceck, Berte Flack, kerry Schnider, Louis Lacey, Martin Gaffiney, John Small, Michael Gaffiney, John Small, Michael Gaffiney, John Small, Michael Gaffiney, John Small, Michael Flattick, Jason Salesberry, Ryan Kenny, J. R. Faulkner, Jerod Fields, Jeep LaLanne, Coy Pitelfer, Geoff Zickler.

Bandera stats

Hondo — Tapia 1 run (Neumann kick), 5:20 Hondo — Trey Bader 2 run (Neumann kick)



Sports



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schen garge --- 8:30 n.m.

Notices Ronny Ray Park fundralisers put of fundraisers put off until March 2000

The fundraising event for the Ronny Ray Park has been postponed until March 11 and 18, 2000, officials

and le. 2000. efficials said.

The benefit golf tournament is slated for March 11, 2000 and the sporting clay about will be held on March 18, 2000.

All tournament entry feels and raffle tickets purchased will be honored at the event or persons may have their domations refunded.

10-under-par wins Over 50 golf event

The foresome of Ed Wilk,
T.L. Přactor, Vern Proctor
and Burl Jacks turned in a
10-ander-par 62 to claim the
top apot at the weekly Over
50 Golf Association's tournament Nov. It at the Flying L
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emon.
In third place with a

But the Bulldog Class of 99 will be known as group that overame adversity and an 0.3 start to earn a trip and its first back-to-back post season appearance since 1983-84. We went through a let of adversity this year, said Bandera coach Mike Williamson, of a squad that won-five of six games after the 0.3 T am proud of the way this team played this season.

this season Bandera (5-6 overall) ran into a salty Hondo team ranked in the Top 26 in the state, according to the Harris Ratings Service. They showed their worth with a physical, ball-control attack led by senior tailback Ernie Tapia. Tapia did a slow waltz through the Bandera

Bulletin Hunters provide meat for charitable program Editor's note: This is the third of a three-part senses By EB Fetti Mama always said 'never leave anything on your plate if you want dessert.' With that in mind, huntes can donate thire extra kills to a group organized to stop hunger. Huntes for the Hungry is a more than \$50,000 pounds of meat that was denated to local charities, which in turn, made sure it reaches the tables of local charities, which in turn, made sure it reaches the tables of local song the program in the network. "It is a program that has been out to be the care the local song the program in the state." "It is a program that has been out to be the care the local song the program in the state." "It is a program that has been out to be the through the program in 1988. The the Uvalde heat Processors was the program in 1988. The lates of the program in 1988. In the Uvalde increased its total by more than \$5,000 pounds in 1988. Amond the great in Hunters for the program and adding other wild game to believe wild game. The like wild hops—on in the Uvalde Meat Processors was treated by a product calcered the Uvalde Meat Processors was treated by a product calcered to the uvalde increased in the Uvalde Meat Processors was treated by a treated by TACAA are: finding corrections the program in 1988. In the Uvalde were involved in the program in 1988. In the Uvalde were involved in the program in 1989. In the Uvalde increased its total by more than \$5,000 pounds in 1989. Leftein rough the processors who articipate in Hunters for the participate in Hunters for the program and siding other wild game to believe the Uvalde Meat Processors was treated by a product calcered the uvald game to believe the Uvalde Meat Processors was treated by a product calcered to the Uvalde Meat Processors was the processing in Kerrulle participate in Hunters for the dead of the program in the two deals was proposed to the two the two the unique processors was the processing in Kerrulle participate in Hunters for the dood as the individual case basis, (1,50,50). The thir

the against Hondo 5-of-18 passing for 113 yards and one teach-in. He finished the season with 1,279 yards passing and 518

Teams tip off Rollercoaster ride comes to end

From staff reports
With the football pads and volleyball nets put away for the another year, the Medina and Bandera basketball teams will take the court this week to begin

the 1999-2000 season.

The Medina girls team's season opener was Tuesday against Natalia. Results were not avail-

able at press time.

The Bandera boys team returns after advancing to the second round of the Class 3A playoffs. The Bulldogs return a playoffs. The Bulldogs return a veteran squad led by junior swingman Andy Blount, senior ceter Jerod Fields and forward Coy Pfieffer. The Bandera girls team opened its season Tuesday against Class 4A Boerne.

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-	Nov. 19	Medina Valley	8 p.m
	Nov. 22	QLytte	8 p.m
-	Nov. 30	@Hondo	8 p.m
	Dec. 2-4	Bandera Tourney	TBA
-	Dec. 7	@ Comfort	8 p.m
-	Dec. 9-11	Hondo Tourney	TBA
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-	Dec. 21	SA Cole	6:30 p.m
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	nes to lead the Owls (10-1). Bandera's front seven could not stop Honda's 1-2 punch of Tapia and fullback Trey Bader. They combined for 269 yards and three	a juggling catch by Martin Gaffney who raced 39 yards for the score to tie the game at 7-7 with 9-56 to play in the first half. Hondo scored twice in final 5-40 of the open- ing half. After a fumble by Kerry Schindler at	Jan. 28 Feb. 1 Feb. 4 Feb. 8 Feb. 11 Feb. 15
ry	"We didn't use half of our weapons," said quarterback Chad Crowell "We can throw the football, but why? They couldn't stop Ernie all	the Bandera 19, Hondo scored in four plays capped off by Tapia's 1-yard run to make it 14- 7. Hondo scored a TD on its part series when Bader bulled over from the 2 to cap off a 52-	Data Nov. 16 Nov. 19
i,	pounded it down their throats.". "I set the football a little more than I expect-	yard, seven-play drive for a 21-7 halftime lead. Bandera's chances were dimmed when Schindler suffered a gash on his right knee following a 42-yard scamper just before the	Nov. 23 Nov. 27 Dec. 2-4
3 k	game for 1.132 yards and 1 7 TDs during the	end of the half. The wound required stitches and kept Schindler from playing defensive back in the second half and limited his mobili-	Dec. 7. Dec. 10-11 Dec. 13 Dec. 18
f l	The ball control style kept the ball out of the hands of Bandera's passing attack. Hondo had	ty at quarterback. He completed just 5-of-18 passes for 113 yards for the game and ran for	Jan. 4 Jan. 7
1	the ball 30:27 to Bandera's 17:33.	just 14 yards in the second half. "He had a big gash on his knee, what a trooper to come out and play in the second	Jan. 11 Jan. 14 Jan. 18
,	game in check Hondo entered the game ranked fifth in the greater San Antonio area	half," said Williamson. Hondo sealed the game in the third period.	Jan. 21 Jan. 25 Jan. 28
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rushing for the Bulldogs who earned their first back-to-back trin to

hoop season this week

A complete season preview will appear in next week's Bulletin.

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Varsity boys

ı	Nov. 22	@Lytte	8 p.m.
	Nov. 30	@ Hondo	8 p.m.
	Dec. 2-4	Bandera Tourney	TBA
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Nov. 19	SA Christian
Nov. 23	SA Reagan
Nov. 27	@ Medina Valley
Dec. 2-4	Bandera Tourney .
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Bandera, Medina Football **Season Statistics**

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Date	Opp.	W/L Score	Rushing										
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Sept. 10	Fredericksburg	L 50-15	Adam Knight			- 11	150	785	5.	26	5.2		71.4
Sept. 17	Devine	L 13-12	Kenny Mazurek				65	256	9	0	3.9		23.3
Sept 24		W 27-21	Martin Gaffney .			11	35	275	3	28	7.8		25.0
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Oct. 8	@Bornet*	L 41-20	Birbia Anuero			4		71	0	24	9.7		19.3
Oct. 15	Liberty Hill*	W 61-14	Michael Gaffney			. 8	14	65	0	9	4.6		8.1
Oct. 22	@ingram*	W 42-20	Billy Lamb			2	6	39	0	11	6.5		.19.5
Oct. 22	@Wimberley*	W 21-7	Brent Flack			2		28	0	n/a	5.6		14.0
Nov, 5	Llano	L 43-36	Andy Blount			7	5	37	1	14	7.4		5.4
Nov. 12	Hondo	L 31-15	Todd Richie			. 2	8	21	1	7	2.6		10.5
	7-3A game		Glen Garcia				- 6	14	0	6	23		2.8
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Bandera	83 . 76 45	92 -296	Travis Mayorga				13	-10	0	13	-0.8		-2.0
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			Zack Stevens			1	1	2	0	2	2.0		2.0
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Fumbles-			Andy Blount	2	15	3	105		Pfieffer	6	120	2	33
Penalties			Adam Knight	2	5	0	40	Jero	d Fields	4	75	0	29
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			Todd Knutson	0	1	0	0	Ada	m Knight	8	48	0	16

Date	Opp.	WL	Score	Rushing
Sept 3	Natalia	L	27-3	Name
Sept 10	@Texas Military	1	21-0	Clint Single
Sept 17	@Runge	L	47-6	Zack Faub
Sept. 24	Harper	L	38-32	J.P. Fuent
Oct. 1	@Charlotte	L	53-8	Nathan Ca
Oct 8	D'Hanis	W	19-0	Bitty Crawl
Oct. 15	Leakey	L	59-36	John Thor
Oct. 22	@Sabinal	W	17-14	Ulisses Or
Oct. 29	open			Chance H
Nov. 5	@LaPryor	L	41-12	Chris Fast
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1999-2000 Medina **Basketball Schedules**

Date	Opp.	Site	Time	Teams
Nov. 16	Natalia	Home	5 p.m.	JVG,VG,VB
Nov. 19	Blanco	Home	4 p.m.	JVG, JVB, VG, VB
Nov. 23	Harper	There	5 p.m.	JVB,VG,VE
Nov. 30	D'Hanis	Home	5 p.m.	JVG,VG,VE
Dec. 2-4	Harber Tournament		TBA	VG, VE
Dec. 7	Nueces Canyon	There	5 p.m.	JVB,VG,VB
PDec. 9-11	Medina Tournament		TBA	VG. VB
Dec. 17-18	Natalia Tournament		TBA	VG. VB
Jan. 4, 2000	Natalia	There	5 p.m.	JVG.VG.VB
Jan. 7	Harper	Home	5 p.m.	JVB,VG,VB
Jan. 11	Falls City	There	5 p.m.	JVG, VG, VB
Jan 14	Utopia	There	5 p.m.	JVB,VG,VB
Jan. 18	Grace Christian	Here	5 p.m.	JVB, VB
Jan. 21	*San Antonio Stacey	There	5 p.m.	JVB, VG, VB
Jan. 25	*Charlotte	Here	5 p.m.	JVB, VG, VB
Jan. 28	*Sabinal	There	5 p.m.	JVB, VG, VB
Jan. 29	Harper JV Tournamer		TBA	JVG, JVB
Feb. 1	*San Antonio Stacey	Here	5 p.m.	JVB, VG, VB
Feb. 4	*Charlotte	There	5 p.m.	JVB, VG, VB
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having coof fellowship and laying the foundation for the meetings to come. The youth will play an active role in choosing the things that are taught and discussed (and how) because it is for them. We will be picking the top 5 things that hurt, confuse, depress, or interest the youth of today and find out (through the Bible) what God has to say. Everybody is welcome; come as you are. All denominations, sinner, saint, and undecided will be served. If you already attend a youth group, we don't want to take you away, we just want to add to your walk with God.

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Lakehills Library notes

Lee speaks to Directors on 'Designated **Funds' policy**

Marion T. Lee, Executive Director of the San Antonio Area Foundation (SAAF) met with the Lakehills Library Board of Directors and also with a representative of the

Board of Directors and also with a representative of the Bandera County Regional Foundation (BCRF) on Priday, Nov. 5, to discuss the purpose and objectives of a Community Allera very informative dis-cussion describing the role that the SAAF has regarding the recent support affiliation developed with the BCRF, questions were asked by the foundation of a Designation of the Members specifically related to the operation of a Designated nbers specifically related operation of a 'Designa Lee stated that the SAAF

Lee stated that the SAAF was managing an asset base of over \$88 million at the end of 1998 and that the total currently stands at over \$93 million. She further stated that designated fund assets would become part of the total fund which are currently being handled by as it nevistment managers. Although SAAF's historical returned have been considerably more than those for checking accounts, attendees. were given the standard reminder that "Past perfor-

Merry Banks, daughter of Jay and Lee Field of Lakehills, pre-sented one of her five books to the Lakehills Library and President Loy Ed Alanis. The book, "Animals of the hight", teaches young children about a variety of nocturnal ranimals, many of which are found in Texas. Banks grew up in San Antonio and is a graduate of the University of North Texas and later studied creative writing at the University of California at Lox Angeles. She is currently the messager of Traffic Safety She lives on Bay Farm Island in Alamedá, California with her husband, Jim, and daughter Jamie Rose.

Lakehills Library Board SAAF Board of Directors the members were particularly concerned about the conditions, upon which any Lakehills Library funds could be accessed. Lee assured members that those conditions would be established by the helicary After requests for funds are approved by the Library. After requests for funds are approved by the

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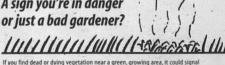
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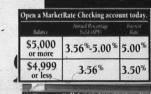
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Volunteers' second park clean up day a success

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ters that showed up at both clean ups and would like to encour-age others to join us at the next one. Next time you cross the bridge, notice how rice it looks now. For more information, con-tact Mike Johnson, 460-7972, or Lee Haile, 562-3612.

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Daisy Belle Clark Lewis
passed away on Mon., Nov. 8, at
a local hospital. Daisy Belle
Clark Lewis was born Jan. 28, 1923 in Tarpley to John and
Tassey Linel. She was in food
service for many years. She was
also a mother and homemaker
for most of hee life.

flict in the U. S. Navy and was a officiating. A Funeral Mass was retired truck driver. In addition held Monday, Nov. 15, at 2 p.m. Honorary pallbearers were to his wife Audrey, survivors at St. Stanialaus Catholic Jacon VanWhide, Bill Loseberg, include one daughter, Deborah Church with Father Sean Elmer Loseberg, and George

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MEDINA BITS

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Please put this on your calendar. The Medina Texas The velopment Corporation will host a Christmas Tree Lightung The Alloc A. Wearden 1999.

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\$1.00 each, which includes set up and take down.

This is the Troop's annual fund-raiser to help them function during the year, to buy equipment for the Troop and to help the boys go to camp, so please be generous when ordering.

For more information, call Nita Pillet at 796-6295 or after 8 pm at 510-4722.

BMS Grass Math

Applying what they learn On Nov. 2 and 3 Mrs. Wagner's Pre-Algebra classes were treated with a visit from Mr. Todd Becker, owner of LUBEC Seeding and Erosian Control. He



Sheriff's Office arrest report

Barnes, age 30, of Bandera, arrested 11/14/99, Warrant,

Activity Report

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by James MacMillan, County Sheriff

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LMSOA Nov. 13 election results

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majority of the ballots were mailed in he added. The results of the votes are as follows:

Place 1: Charlie Phillips Rick Shope Pedro Estrada, Jr. Mark Marcaurele Gil Richardson Francis J. Sill Robert Prats Gil Richardson Place 3: Gil Richardson Mark Marcaurele Sue Lowery Place 4: Jere McCarthy Albert Sanchez



Reading is fundamental

Medina Library Aid Marilyn Ashley reads to Mary Louise Joseph's first grade class. "The children love to listening to Mrs. Ashley read," said Joseph. "She has a wonderful read-ing voice." Here the children listen to the Halloween favorite "Beneath the Ghost Moon."

Clark's Riverside **RV Park Church**

Sunday Service

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Bro. James Ennis - Pastor Come Worship with us!

Bro Jim Giese - Music Director Winter Texans Welcome!

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We'd like to thank Hondo National Bank for the use of their parking lot & porch for our bakesale - car wash. It was a great success.

We'd like to announce the winners of our "Las Vegas Trip Raffle". Jan Stone of Pipe Creek was the lucky winner

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church English Tea & Angel Boutique



held and winners announced for the 1st prize of the beautiful, work-of-art doll house and 2n

prize of a handmade baby quilt. you do not he be present to win. An English Tea will be held for the convenience, and pleasure or boulique shoppers between 3,00 - 5,00 p.m. Hot tea and champagne punch will accomplay a lavish offering of fruit, nger sandwiches, cakes, cockies, mulfins, cheese straws, cre-puffs - and much more. Grazing, English-style, is superb.

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Utopia Lions Club turns table on Tail Twister fines

SABINAL CANYON



Utopia Lions Club met ofn Thursday, November 11 in the school cafetorium. Lion President Jack Farmer opened the meeting at 7:30 pm. Lion Milesanes. Lion Skip Dear led the song, and Lion Ed Jones are the meeting at 7:30 pm. Lion Milesanes. Lion Skip Dear led the song, and Lion Ed Jones are the meeting at the second control of the song, and Lion Ed Jones are the second control of the second cont

Methodist Church. Everyone off by Lion Spannagel is invited to attend. Please of and bring a front with you. announced that the Utopia Birthdays

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Volunteer Fire Department
needs our support by means of
funancial help. Lion Craig
Vandwer read the Lions prayer
and the meeting was adjourned.
There will be a Community
Thanksgiving Service on
Sunday, November 21 at 6:30.
p.m. at Utopia United

Birthdays Chad Feller Nov. 18 Colby Bomer Nov. 18 Johnny Webb Nov. 18 Timothy Triner Nov. 19 Bob Duke Nov. 20 Margaret King Nov. 20 Don Kaiser Nov. 21

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AWS to Hold Pet Adoption Animal Welfare Society of Sandera County will hold an idoption Friday, Nov. 19 at the

MISD to Meet Dec. 9

Milestones

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Medina Lake



Yankee Doodle Dandies

At colorful celebrations at schools all over Bandera County last Thursday, America's veterans. Left, Glenn Rhines, Chaplain of VFW Post 9176, return dren of Alkek Elementary fly the colors. Many more photos from Bandera (12. [Page one photos by Frank and Diane Shubert.)



BISD to hold bond on original facilities plan

The Bandera ISD Board of Trustees voted Monday to accept the recommendation of the Facilities Committee and prepare a \$30 million band election-time in February of 2000.

Jim Brady of BISD's architectural firm Page Southerland Page was the featured speaker at the board's regular November meeting. The main topic of distance of the control of the control of the control of the two facilities plans put before the district by the BISD Facilities Committee and an atternative plan outlined by the HISD Facilities Minority member Cannie Manial and sponsored by trustees Al Hamilton and The Maiority Monday of the The Maiority Monday of the The Maiority Monday of the Page 100 per a property of the Page 100 per a property of the Page 100 per a property of the Page 100 per a pe

later - move the middle school grades seven and eight to the present high school, upgrade the current middle school to house grades five and six and leave the two current elementary schools for kindergarten through fourth grades.

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A scaled-down version, Plan B, called for adding a new ninth grade wing to the present high school and housing the lower spaces at their present plants of the plants of

school year.

Board president Pat Cleaver expressed concerns about the cost estimates for the Hamilton supported plan. "I don't think that all the costs are in the \$19 million estimate of Plan B," said Cleaver. "If you build a new high school (Phase 1), we address the safety and flow issues."

Hamilton felt the middle school situation should be the board's focus. With your proposal (Phase I) we have failed to address the real problem and we have done nothing to the middle school; Hamilton and D'Spain opposed. Site analysis was an early topic of the board meeting and quickly dispatched. Four sites,

the race track, property across from the racetrack, acrosgo in Bandera River Ranch and acrosgo in Prividgo Croek were the sites being considered, the Priveledge Croek location was eliminated from the list to be considered because of accessibili-ty issues. The other sites were not discussed. During the open forum speak-

not discussed.
During the open forum speaker Bobby Jones voiced concerns of the voters in the Wharton's Dock area and their interest and their interest there during the next election. Connie Manal commented on the Phase 1 decision. The recommended plan of \$30 million only gets us two years further than the \$19 million proposal." Manal said

LMSOA elections return incumbents

The Lake Medina by 216 District Court Shores Owners Judge Ables stemming Association elections from lawsiuts filed held Saturday decisive board of directors to office. The Medical Charles of the Medical Cha

and Sue Lowery won there seats and Gil Richardson won the vacant Place 3 posi-tion. With the election results in I think the landslide victory for the United Party is a loud

and clear message that we have been entrusted to carry out LMSOA business," said Phillips. Dorothy Bendele felt that the returning board members' direct Continued on page 3

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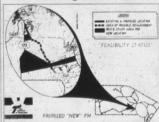
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TXDOT Proposes new FM



At a meeting held on Monday, Texas Department of Transportation voted to fund a feasibility study to connect Highway 172 South of Banders to Highway 182 South of Banders or English Crossing. The BISD also backs the plan as a possible solution to overcrowding at Hill Country Elementary and Alkek Elementary by assigning students from that area to the campus with the most available space.

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Milestones

Birthdays: Lars Elen Smith, Nov. 13 Anniversary: John Jr. and Evelyn Ellett 20 Years, Nov. 24



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At colorful celebrations at schools all over Bandera County last Thursday, everyone paid tribute to America's veterans. Left, Glenn Rhines, Chaplain of VFW Post 9176, returns the salute as the chil-dren of Alkak Elementary III the colors. Many more photos from Bandera County schools on page 12. (Page one photos by Frank and Dians Bhubert.)



BISD to hold bond on original facilities plan

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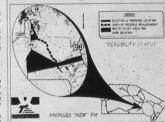
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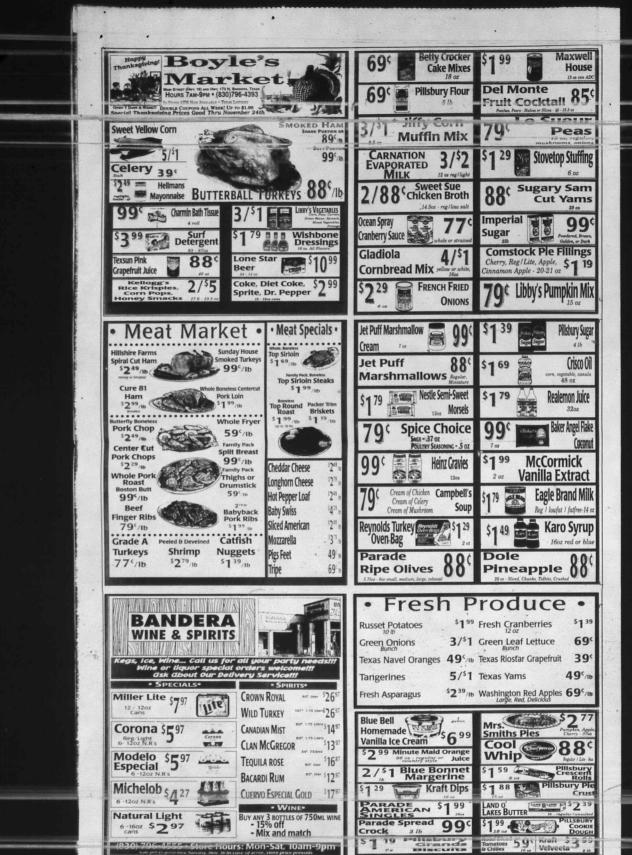
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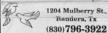
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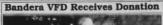


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A Thought For The Week

by John M. Grimes

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men and women

ray for those who have shed so many tears for those who ave so freely of their lives. On this Veteran's Day lets iso, honor those who have lived to make those freedom

eaningful by post-war service to the disabled comrades

vantages we enjoy. Let us count our blessings.

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by Alice A. Wearden 589-2601

Caffah Frying and Bar-B-Que Smokin welcomed hunters on opening season seekend in Medina. They came to hunte but they stayed she, chaken, and beet that was prepared for the hunters. Colorful Medina legend, King Stakes, was in Sid Peterson Johnson, No. 7, Los Derry, No. 8, Max Gentle Stakes, was a residence of the hunters. Colorful Medina legend, King Stakes, was in Sid Peterson Johnson, No. 7, Los Derry, No. 8, Max Bertt, No. 5, Buddy Mills, Susannan Sawyer, Russell Dale, Nov. 6, Leretta Johnson, No. 7, Los Derry, No. 8, Derrs, Jake, No. 9, Sharva, Max Gentle Stakes, No. 9, Sharva, Leigh Ann Stephens, John Kepse, Leigh Ann Stephens, John Kepse,

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For Bandera County as well as the rest of the Edwards Plateau and much of Texas this means "above normal temperatures and below normal precipitation," writes Millwee.

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writes Millwee.
Accordingly, "many climatesensitive businesses and industries" will be effected, said DJames Baker, NOAs spokensan at
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Atmosphere. Tourism, recreation,
fishing, and agriculture are some
of the businesses important to
Bandera County that are expected to continue to be effected by
La Nina "contributes to largescale temperature" and precipitation changes throughout the
world, according to the NOAA's
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In Texas, 'the cooling of surface
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expanded the drought,' stated
dailyee. And, he warns, 'If the
tropics fail to produce something
wet for Texas within the next 30
days, the state will need to brace

St. Mary's **Festival** is set for Nov. 20

SABINAL CANYON



St. Mary's Catholic Church in Yanderpool will hold their Annual Bake & Rummage Sale on Saturday, Nevember 20 starting at 9:00 am. on the church grounds. The sale will last until 4:00 p.m. There will be Hamburgers and BBQ Chicken served at 11:00 a.m. and coincluding at 2:30 p.m. Chicken is an also be sold by the halves and wholes. There will be a smoked turkey raffe with the drawing held at 3:00 p.m. Various Craft booths will be set up for those pteiple who enjoy homemade goodles. There will be proceed from this sale will be proceed from this sale will be received from this sale will be received from this sale will be set. Mary's Building

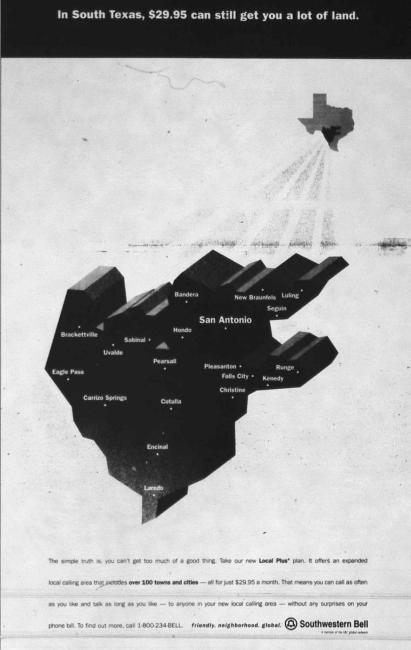
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and leave a message if you wish

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By Rosa Lopez
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Lakehills Library gets \$25,000 from Kronkoski Charitable Foundation

MEDINA LAKE heality time 2) Gifts and 3) Touching, 4) Special projects are one of the SPOTLIGHT Everyone fits in to one of the listed categories. For instancy our wife may want you to express your love by cleanin, out the garage. This makes he feel loved and in return the hus band may want his feet rubbe or a scale pressure. You can't



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and remodeling the restrooms.
Little Jimmy got in trouble in
his computer class for talking to
the gri estima next to him. 'I was just asking her a question,'
Jimmy said. 'If you have a
question ask me,' the teacher
replied. 'Okay,' he answerd.
Do you want to go out with me
Friday night?'
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Quilt Guild sets meeting for Nov. 17

The Bandera County Quilt Guilt will meet on Wed, Nov. The baby quilt project headed fourist and the must be carried in Bandera. On this month's agenda will be the election of differen for next through the stripers on the election of differen for next para. Following the meeting, and the carried that the carried to the sometime of the part of the sometime of the first para of the

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Keen, Hayden to perform at Country Christmas Ball

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Christmas Ball is an old-time
country Christmas dance that
folks look forward to every year
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The opening act at the dance is Bandera's X-Lill Wrangler and State the years. The Country Christmas Ball gives everyone the chance to dress in authentic western style!

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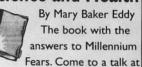
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Bulletin Bucks become wily with age, says Weishuhn

Editor's note: To Nick off the current white-tailed does hursing season, this is the second of a three-part series on hursing type.

By Bit Pett You have been on your share of hunts, harvested a few does to stock the freezer. Now, you are looking for a rack.

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Hondo straight ahead

Bandera open Class 3A playoffs against hard-hitting Hondo

By Bill Piett
The shadows grew long on the Banders practice field as coach Mike Williamson talked with his players late Monday.
Williamson stressed the finer points of the game that cost the Bullogs a 43-36 setback to Llano in the regular season finale. It also cost them the second seed in District 27-3A and a District 27-3A rematch Isam DistAM 50 District 27-3C with 1 District 27-3B 1 District

Buildags Ingram 5-5 2-8 156

main concern is stopping them," said Williamson. "They have a very stingy defense. They blitzed through their dis-

against Ingram, combined on a tackle with an unidentified play-Ernie Tapia has 1,132 yards and 17TDs er to wrap up Ingram rusher Justin Hill for no gain during a

recent game. The Bandera defense will be tested Friday when they face Flondo in a bidistrict matchup at 7:30 p.m. in

Hondo (9-) overall) allowed just 6.8 offense into the teeth of that secondary appears this season. Their secondary has been arithing this defensive below. The secondary has been arithing the secondary has been are secondary has been are secondary has been arithing the foreign and the secondary has been tripled to be a secondary has been tripled to be a second in the favorable target and the favorable tripled to be a secondary has been tripled to be a secondary

Tierney earns trip to state meet

capture fourth place at the Region
IV-3A Meet and qualify for the UIL
State Cross Country Meet Saturday
at Old Settlers Park in Round Rock.

(125th, 21:07) and Paco Perezw



Meet last Saturday. He will compete in the UIL State Cross

its last 12 matches prior to way you want a senior to play. She carried us tonight, said Lytle raced out to an 11-0 lead in Game 1 before Banders also could unbutton their jackets. The Lady Bulldogs reallied to blocker who had 15 kills, 12 digs, could trim the lead to 12-9, but strong serving by Judy Naegelin seadu the first game. We just didn't come mentally ready to play," said Banders a volume to block from Christy Baetz relyear cooks of September Course and Part 'We began the season such an

rienced team and gained row of the Bandera defense ence all season. But with See BULLDOG SPIKERS, 9A

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Bulldog spikers fall in bidistrict

Naegelin had three of her 13 five Bandera seniors — Liz kills late in Game 3. Carpenter. Brittany Blow. Trace

Nageglin had three of her lag five Bandera seniors — Liz Garpente, Brittany Bow, Trace We started playing a little Ged, Yoli Bermudez and Erin Lydle coach Francis Bippert. "I just told our girls it would boil down to who wanted it more and they responded."

The match was the final for round of the playoffs Saturday.



Briefly...

Bandera coffers share to prize at Good Old by the form of the form

in a termale, it is tought to get them its mere, he said. The claffer bucks tend to take care of themselves. Big bucks still its dismissive. Big bucks still its dismissive to get them like before. They will watch and be more protective and not allow themselves to get run down.

Weishuhn said that hunting aids, such as moon charts and seen tare tools of the trade, not deer magnets. The sum of t **CURTIS MICHALCZAK IS** DOWN TWO SIX PACKS TO HIS SON-IN-LAW. SOMEBODY PLEASE STOP

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way you want a senior to play. She carried us tonight," said

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Lytle found holes in the back



By Bil Petitt
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palayoffs, it was like being new
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a prize fighter, delivering
a flurry of
opening shots
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have added another night to our open meeting concerning the formation of a Charter School here Mon., Nov. 15 & Tues., Nov.16, both at 7 p.m., in the Ryan Youth For more information, call Dennis Thompson at 830-796-3849.

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Area bookstores host signings

Backroads hosts local writers

Hastings hosts Y2K book talk

information to dispel their fears and answer questions relating to the Millennium. says Cindy Clapper, book manager for Hastings Bookstore in Kerrville. Janice Rangel, floor manager for Hastings Bookstore in Seguin, remarked, "I want my customers to become informed and nore at

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ANNUAL HUNTERS BEQ - NOY. 5.



enormous croud of visitors to boud-enormous croud of visitors to Bandera on the opening weekend of deer hunting season. Tasty BBQ, the Fish-ARama, the BB Gun Shooting Gallerie, the Expo, the Raffle and the Auction were huge hits. This event is the biggest fund-raiser of the year for the chamber.

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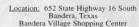
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The Bandera County Sheriff's Department began investigating missing persons case on Oct. 5, hat became a murder case in

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On Oct. 5 relatives of 48 year old Jose Salinas reported him missing. Mr. Salinas was from California but had been fiving in a Bandera County R.V. park for weeks attempting to relocate to this area. The family hard the way of the county had been and they were concerned.

Investigators with the Sheriffs

Investigators with the Sheriffs Office were immediately in contact with the Edwards County Sheriffs Office where a decomposed body had been found just two days earlier. The victim had been short to death. That body was subsequently identified as that of Mr. Saljinas.

Bandera Sheriff's Office Investigators working with the

oped a suspect in the case and on Nov 1, Larry Ayers, a 43 year old friend of the victim, also from California and living in the

same R.V. park, was arrested for Forgery in Kendall County in connection to the case. His bond was set at \$500,000. He is a

murder
Arrest Report
The following persons were arrested and booked into the Bandera County jail recently.
It should be remembered

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Sheriff's Office investigates

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Where Did Our Baby Go? Happy 18th. Kristen!

Kelsey. Gram. Mom, and Daddy



LAMCOS Elects New Board

By Judy Pierce
The Lake Medina
Conservation Society (LAMCOS) has announced the election of 12 new board members
at their 18 October quarterly
general membership meeting.
The non-profit organization is
protection of
Medina Lake.
Newly elected board members
are Tommy Adams, Linda
Bachmeier, Dave Bowman,
Anne Dale, Kester Denman,
Tom Pett, Sam Granberry, Jim
Hannah, Paul Montoya,
and Charlotte Walters. The
board, whose tenure begins Jan.
1, 2000, will elect four officers,
President, Vice-president,
Secretary, and Treasurer to
serve one-year terms. **Edwards County murder case**

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BexarMet is the Bexar Metropolitan Water District, a large water supplier in San Antonio. BexarMet has been seeking more surface water supplies to meet its 50-year state water plan due to pumping restrictions placed on the Edwards Aquifer.

Jim Hannah, LAMCOS Board Member and apokesman, issued the LAMCOS statement.

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Veteran's Day Program - View the mural and attend the as-8:30 a.m. - Grades 3, 4 & 5 9:30 a.m. - Head Start, Kindergarten, Grades 1 & 2

Hill Country Elementary
Veteran's Day "Walk of Fame" - All Day - Laminated pictures
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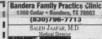
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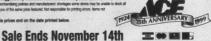


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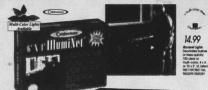


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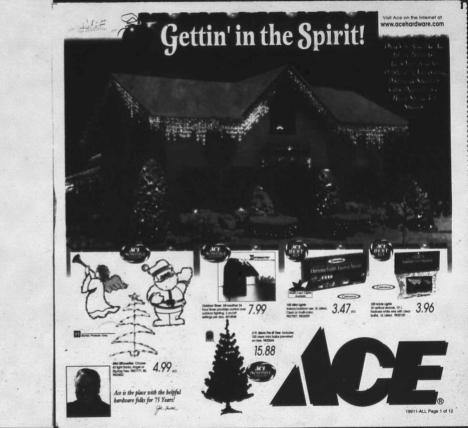
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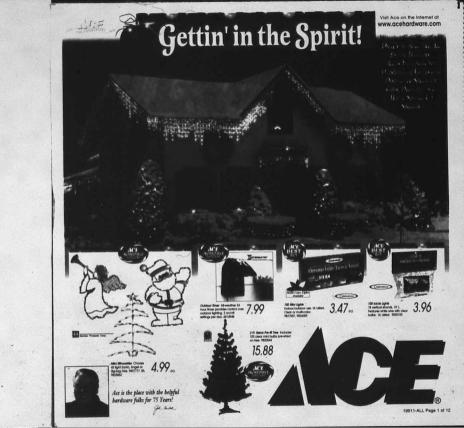
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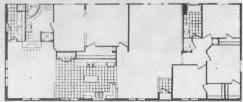
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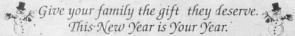
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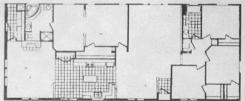
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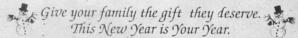
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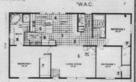
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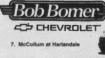


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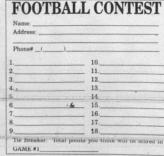
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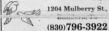
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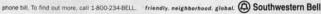
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Alice A. Wearden 589-2601

Yeah! Warm sun and 70 degrees. That is the weather I like and that is what is happening in Medina, Texas. The wind is a little much but the sun is out

and it is a beautiful fall day.

The Motor homes are literally lining the streets today. And bicycles are everywhere with bicyclists in all their showy hats and gear. This great weather is bringing in the visitors. The Christmas holiday decora-

tions are going up everywhere on All Saints Day three weeks before Thanksgiving! The Christmas shopping is about to

I want to encourage all

I want to encourage all Median residents and surrounding area friends to shop Medina! I have been out looking around and we have so many wonderful gift items that other people drive hundreds of miles to buy.

Collins of Texas is our featured Median astore today. They have beautiful leather gifts and heave beautiful leather gifts and from about \$10.00 and up. And from about \$10.00 and up. And they have lay-a-way plans. A person could shop till they drop at Collins of Texas in Median.

The Median Storage business is growing again! They have added a whole new section. Who would ever think that the people of Median have that much to store?

store?
The Fall Festival was a gift given to the area children by the Medina First Baptist Church as an addition or alternative to

Call in your news and leave a nessage: 589-2599.





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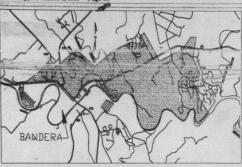


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Bandera Electric Cooperative-Turtle Update

It was reported by the Bulletin in its Oct. 27

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Farm Bureau's Garrison to attend **Waco farm policy conference**

State resolutions approved there will become official policy of the TFB for 2000. TFB Vice President and District IV Director.

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Bandera's Knowles to rodeo in Kingsville

Texas A&M Universityracing, breakaway roping, bull the nation with 600 students. The
Kingsville will sponsor the eighth
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competition. Exposition Center. Preliminary performances will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday and Friday with

7pm nightly

Location: Festival Grounds in Medina



Red River archeology lecture set for Friday

All Lions are encou attend and bring a gu

A Thought For The Week by John M. Grimes

It is a sad truth that too n

Grimes Funeral Chapels

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SABINAL CANYON



Guila will hold their Annual Fall Fair on Saturday in the town square. Starting time will be 9 am. Lunch will be served by the Senior class at 11 am. Entertainment will be provided by Canyon Classics, the Honeybee Square Dancers, and the Kick and Click Classics.

Cloggers.
Lost Maples Cafe would like
all of their customers to know call me at my home (Num
their new winter business above) and leave a message

McVey receives engineering scholarship



KINGSVILLE-Three natural gas engineering students at Texas ABM University-Kingsville received the Dotterweich Memorial Engineering Scholarship recently. Shown from left are Mary Jo-Biddy of Houston, Dr. William Heenan, chair of the chemical and natural gas engineering department, Jason Lee McVey of Bandera and Robert S. Hale of Portland.

Banders and Robert S. Hale of Portland.

The funds for the scholarship come from the Frank H. and June Dotterweich Memorial Trust. The Dotterweich Engineering Bullding on campus is named for the forter natural gas engineering professor who developed the curriculum, which is still the only natural gas doctorate degree available in

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Bobbie Grasser maneuvers her horse around the trail pattern dur-ing the Bandera Open Horse Show on Oct 23.

Bandera Oct. Open **Horse Show Results**

Top Hands at Noah's Ark

Bandera student participates. in Bates College AESOP trip

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Student Outdoor Program
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and the students of th Hair stylists from Top Hands Salon recently visited Noah's Ark Day Care. The children learned about communi-ty helpers. At left, Elise Harbour loved getting her nails painted by Lanelle Lancette. Matthew Halloran, at right, pretended to get a hair cut from Trish Hamilton.

AWSBC has puppies. puppies, more puppies

The Animal Welfare Society
Squadevil Supper on Friday was
equode the dinner and the funds
raised will go toward finding a
home for the abandoned and forgotten pels in Bandeara County.
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THE LAKEHILLS EMS SUPPORT TEAM

will conduct its annual fund drive at "The Intersection" (PR37/FM1283) during Deer Hunting Weekend, as part of EMS Awareness Month. Support Team members and EMTs will be "Shaking our cans" to ask for donations from 9AM until dark on

Saturday, November 6th & 7th Stop by and ask for the details of what your te

did for you during the past year.

Local Television Reception Bad?

Are you unable to receive clear reception from the San Antonio NBC, CBS, ABC, or Fox television stations:

Have you purchased a satellite TV system so you could have clear reception of NBC, CBS, ABC, or Follows

Are you presently paying a satellite TV service provider a monthly fee for NBC, CBS, ABC, or FOX and are frustrated because these are either east coast or west coast stations, so you still cannot get local news, weather and sports?

If you answered yes to any of these three questions; please read the following:

The "Satellite Home Viewer Act" (SHVA) is the law that regulates delivery of broadcast networks to satellite TV subscribers. Under SHVA, subscribers who are 'served' by a broadcast network affiliate TV station are not allowed to receive that particular network's signal via satellite

For example: TV station KENS serves parts of the hill country. KENS is an affiliate of the CBS network. Therefore, satellite-TV viewers in the hill country who are 'served' by KENS are not allowed to receive the CBS broadcast network via satellite.

In determining whether you are 'served' or 'unserved' by a particular broadcast network affiliate TV station, the SHVA uses the Federal Communications Commission's (FCD) predictions of signal strength from that TV sta-fors's transmitting lower. If you are in an area that the FCC predicts can get a signal from a newhork affiliate TV station's transmitting lower, you are considered served and you are not allowed to receive that network's signal via statellier. The prediction does not take into account terrain and weather conditions.

The network access problem for satellite TV subscribers is complicated. Fortunately, the answer is simple. It's called 'local-into-local'.

What is 'local-into-local'? Local-into-local is a term that describes a technology-available today-that can take your local TV sta-tion's signal, beam it up to a satellite, and then beam it back to your home as a crystal-clear digital

Everybody wins: Your local station keeps receiving the advertising revenue that supports free local broadcasting in your area. You get local news, weather, and sports-in addition to network programming for ABC, CBS, FOX, and NBC.

How do we get local-into-local for everyone?

Congress must require that the satellite and broadcast industries work together to provide every home in America with local-into-closal service. (Right now, Congress is about to pass a bill that allows local-into-local service but does not require it.)

If you want local-into-local, you must tell your representatives in Washington flow. (Urgent-They may be voting tomorrow.) To make it easy for you to voice your opinion, there is a tof-free TV Access Now' hottine:

When you call, they will listen to your concerns, explain some options to you, and-if you like-connect you to your Representative's office at no charge:

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Charles A. Gonzalez (D-20)

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New Vision Church of Bandera

THE REAL HISTORY OF HALLOWEEN

You may have read the history of Halloween that was printed in the paper by the Bandera United Methodist Church Youth Group last week to promote their Haunted House-Nightmare dar Street. We would like to inform you of the whole history of Halloween.

Hallowern has its original origins in the ancient Celtic firsh, Scottish, Weish) harvest festival Hallowern has its original origins in the ancient Celtic firsh, Scottish, Weish) harvest festival called Samhain (pronounced so wen), a time when people believed that the spirits of the dead roamed the earth. The Celtic Mecha Samhain (pronounced so wen), a time when people believed that the spirits of the dead roamed the earth. The Celtic New Year, November 1, is also the beginning of the new year for wiccas witches. Bendires were lit on Samhain to light the way for wandering spirits. White the left in wandering spirits of the dead came the custom of preparing offerings of special fools and offerissing up as library was sufficient to the spirits. These customs were widely practiced in ancient Ireland, which was later adopted All Saints Day was inttally recognited in May by the Catholic church, in A.D. 836, Pege Gregory IV designated November 1 as All Saints Day and this was placed on the early church calendar to pay honor to all the saints who did not otherwise have a feast day reserved for them. Many traditional beliefs and customs associated with Samhain continued to be practiced on October 31. This day became known as the Eve of All Saints Day. But it wann't until Irish settlers. Hallowern has been known in North America since Colonial days. But it wasn't until Irish settlers, through their Hallowern customs to America in the 1840's that the festival started growing in popularity. By the mid 1900's it had become mostly a holiday for children. But in the last decade it has exploded into one of the most widely celticated festivals. Halloween has its original origins in the ancient Celtic (Irish, Scottish, Welsh) harvest festival

TRICK-OR -TREATING

Trick-or-treating gops back to the Gaelle practice of giving cakes to the poor at Samhains festival. Sweets and goodies were also given out to entreat the evil spirits to pass them by. Many townspeople believed that evil spirits would come into their houses and sour milk and kill their cattle. COSTUMES

Wearing costumes at flalloween dates back to the time of the Druids. On the evening of October 31, bonfires were built to offer animal, crop and somet "so human sacrifices to the sun god Muck Olla and to Samhain, the god of death, During this ritual the people danced in costumes made of ani mal heads and skin. This was done to frighten evil spirits away.

JACK-O-LANTERNS

This tradition grew out of the Celite belief during the Dark Ages. Jack-o-lanterns were carved out of turnips to ward off evil spirits. The turnip was replaced by the pumpkin in America in the 1805's. Halloween has been carefully planned by Satan to accompliel's several things. First, we must understand that Satan is one of the most intelligent and powerful creatures God ever created. Satan was once the greatest of all God's angels, until the sinned by deciding he wanted to become equal with God. Many people believe that witches, devils and demons are make-believe and just a big joke to appear on Halloween. That is exactly what Satan wants you to believe. If you don't think he exists, then you won't fight him. Satan's greatest desire is to destroy people.

then you won't fight him. Satan's greatest desire is to destroy people. .

Jesus came to earth to destroy Stafan's power. He shed His Jobod to wash our sins away. When you receive Jesus as your personal Lord. Savior and Master, you then have His power to stand firm against Satant. The Bible says. "Subuntly sources's betreefor to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you. "James 4.7] The Bible also says. "Behold. I give you power to tread on serpents and scorpions. and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you. "Like 10.19] and the same proposed to the same proposed to the same proposed to the same proposed to the first the same proposed relationship with four furn." The Bible teaches that people will go to Hell it they down't have a personal relationship with

The Bible tells us: "My people perish for lack of knowledge." (Hosea 4:6) and also: "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge." (Proverbs 1:7).

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Sports



Bulletin Board

This week's

Medina at LaPryor, 7:30 p.m. Saturday

Flag Football results

Division I

Notices

continue next week

For the heet in local sports

Medina falls in tiebreaker; Bandera battles Lytle

away by Leakey

HONDO - Chalk one up for Ho



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'Dogs head to playoffs

Bandera overcomes 0-3 start to advance to postseason

Sitting at 0-3 on the year with starting quarterback Kerry Schindler sitting on the sidelines nursing a bruised shoulder, things looked bleak for the Bandera

ulldogs. But Bandera coach Mike William

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first period, silenced the Texans to 205
total yards for the game Wimberley's only
score of the game came off a 47-yard run
by Brent Slaughter late in the first period
for an 7-0 lead.
Bandera lunior wide receiver Andy

Bandera junior wide receiver Andy Blount had six receptions foir 169 yards. He now has nine TDs receiving this season despite being double teamed by opposing defenses.

defenses.

Bandera concludes the regular season Fraday when it hosts Llano. Kickoff is at 1730 m. Both teams are tied in Datrict.

Bandera senior quarterback Kerry Schindler, shown here against Ingram, tossed two touchdown passes to jurior in 1888 and 188



against Ingram, tossed two touchdown passes to junior receiver Class 3A state playoffs and Blount to lead the Bulldogs to a 21-7, win over Wimberley

they stay the same. In 1978, John Travolta was a

last Friday. The win earned Bandera a return to the upcoming

Medina faces must-win game against LaPryor

haven't seen in a while," said
Medina coach Glenn Davis of the
football and the volleyball teams
football the volleyball tea

District 30-A

real good offensive line and two good running backs. They force-you to stop them on defense-befensively, the have given up some yards and points to certain teams, but their offense is just so much ball control that they can eat up the clock."

Anthony Gallegos, Lupe Lopez and Leave Berman all wished for

and Isaac Bermea all rushed for more than 100 yards in last week's

Soccer champs



Jim Jennings, coach; Phil Acton, coach. Middle row from left:

Bandera harriers advance to regional meet

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Bandera, Medina Football **Season Statistics**

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BHS cross country heads to regionals From page 8A

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Bandera finished sixth with a Lady Bulldog with a 16th-place finish with a time of 13:34.06.

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In junior variety boys action.
Kevin Kenny and Nolan Pike
finished in the top 10. Kenny
took fifth place with a 21.14 on
the two-mile track while Pike
was eighth with a 21.54.
Ryan Tenny beat the eighthgrade boys field with an 11.53.
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Bulldog spikers in playoffs

From page 8A

or hog. We'll run it in the next available

issue of The Bulletin!

Briefly...

Bandera golfers share top prize at Good Old

losing skid, JV eyes district championship

year."

Brett Hicks ran for two TDs and found Scott Jennings on a 65-yard pass-and-catch in the second period as BHS took a 14-0 lead into inter-

Colton Sells, Justin Brooks and Matt Postert.

Defensively, Hicks, Brooks and Dustin Heep recovered fumbles. Heep returned his fumble 15 yards for a TD.

Trey Nugent, Matt Esters, Ryan Groomer, Dodd and Nolan Pike ware recognized by the coaches.

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Moore's run broke open a 7-6 game before halftime. In the second half, Ortiz scored on a 15-vard pass from Knutson and Cyrus Montague rambied 20 yards for a score as Bandera improved to

tournament.
The sporting clay shoot will begin at 1 p.m. on Nov. 17 at the Bandera Gun Club.

Bandera stats

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TARPLEY & RIO

HONDO NEWS

also be on the tour. This year
Thurs., Nov. 4. Since they will
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Country region and the Bandera
all of Bandera County's many ty Convention & Visitors attractions, accommodations, visit after they have departed au is happy to host the shops and esteries, the Bandera The CVB will be happy to for-

from Tarpley this week. We didn't get as much rain here in our area as they did in

coming into the area this

about next week. Call me if you have anything to report in Tarpley or the Rio Hondo area and we'll include it in

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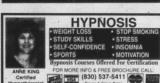
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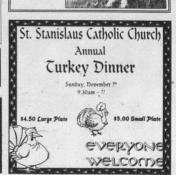
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now and each elemental beautiful and the southwest will be extra dry. We've had more hurricanes this year. The heat has been more intense. Sure sounds seary. One good rain like we had last year would fill the lake up again. I believe this will happen believe this will happen the beautiful fall weather. Did you know the evenisht

Crescent residents

play Monday Bingo

Bradfor, Bob Wyatt, Linnie Sandides, Jean Bearn, Minou Learnolds of abaring the beauti-Adams, and Virginis Overstreet. Playing bring Monday morning was Ruth Whitehead, Patricia Sevalis, Molly VanGulick, Evelyn Carnes, Eva Freeman, Nora Anderson, Lille Lears, Eva Freeman won the coestents with music and songs. David LeStourgeon and Gien Honseck came and entertained the residents with Music and songs. They enjoyed being entertained toutside with the weather being spretty."

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Place 4 - 1 yr. Curtis Bird

Place 5 - 1 yr. Robin Cook

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Students of the Month



Adult detaction classes will start up again at the Bandera Casary Library on Wed. Nov. 10°. The class schoule for this year, however, will be a little different from last year's schedule: GED (General Educational Development: high school equivalency) classes will be held only on Wed. evenings, 5°.7 pm. Class meetings begin on Nov. 10. ESL (English as a Second Language) classes will be held only on Monday evenings, from 5°.7 pm. Classes begin Nov. 15. ESL (English as a Second Language) classes will be held only on Monday evenings, from 5°.7 pm. Classes begin Nov. 15. The Landers of the Company of Sun., Nov. 7. 1999 11:00am - ?

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---- Letters to the Editor ----

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Hunters BDQ Memories
Dear Editor,
What a protinge it is to live in Bandera. So many things to define the parameters of t not only a real threat to the com-munity, they pose significant danger to the UNPAID and POSSIBLY UNINSURED VOL-UNTEER FIREFIGHTER who is laying it on the line to help someone they may not even

a effort to provide learning while meeting their responsibility to promote Public Safety, passed a unique Burn Ban and hear Oct. 29 court session. This MODIFIED BURN BAN gave the County Judge authority to TEMPORARILY SUSPEND the

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Farm Country Club prepares for Christmas Ball, Ballan Grant Keen and Rodney Haden to perform

The Farm Country Club of Banders and Median is presenting the "Country Charlett Banders and Median is presenting the "Country Charlett Banders The Banders Country Christmas Ball is an old-time country Christmas dance that folks look forward to every year. "This is comparable to San Antonio's Cattleman's Ball," and Chamber of Commerce Director Carolyn Minshew. "When Bandera Country folks want to dress up and have a party our heritage charletter of the Bandera Country folks want to dress up and have a party our heritage with the state of the state

tainment, this event offers all-you-can-eat assorted smoked meats, soft drink set-ups and great music and dancing to ring in the Holidays.

Free Visit /



the Holidays.

The opening act at the dance is Bandera's The opening act at the dance is Bandera's Elai Wrangler, Ballan Grant Keen. Keen has been performing western music since before she was a teenager and has had venues from Texas to California and back.

During her high school years and up until she married, Keen worked her solo act at evirtually every event that happened in Bandera County and many others in south Texas. She was billed as the 'Lil Wrangler' Hayden stepped straight out of 2276.

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Pleasanton High School and launched his career in country music under the guidance of Rosetta Management and Robert Earl Keen's wife, Kathleen. Since that time, he has blazed a trail of venues throughout South Texas all the way to Nashville.

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San Antonio, Oct. 10-22nd. I am recovering well. Thanks & God Bless. Margaret Evans

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Sheriff MacMillan announced today that the Bandera County Sheriff's Office received a grant from the Attorney Generals' REPORT prouse assuments to the Victims of Crime through the States' Crime Victims Compensation Program. The grant provided a complete computer system that with the Attorney Generals' Office. This will enable the Sheriffs Office to assist Victims of Crime in applying for assistance over the computer, reducing the time and persevoir precompensation of applying for compensation of a polying for compensation.

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Photography: catch-and-release hunting Program to study effect of brush management

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Wildlife photography shares many of the same challenges and rewards as hunting with a rifle or bow and arrow," says Dr. Dale Rollins, Extension Wildlife Specialist based in San Angelo. And, photography can even top regular hunting in some

respects he says.
"There's no bag limit, you don't need a license, you don't have to clean anything at the end of the hunt, and you can go back tomorrow and hunt the same animal" he continues. "It's sort of a 'catch and release' type

of hunting Rollins, who has been hunting for the last 30 years, says that he first became interested in wildlife photography back in 1976, when he called up a tom turkey to within five steps and "shot" the bird in full strut with a Kodak instamatic. Since that early beginning, his equipment has improved with the addition of several

35mm cameras and telephoto lenses. "The minimum setup that I would recommend to get decent pictures is a good 35 mm camera complete with

"I've been able to take nice photographs of animals like deer and covotes with this equipment. The secret is to get as close as possible without being detected by the subject."

Adequate light is the wildlife photographers bane. Wildlife are most active at dawn or dusk when lighting is limited. "Use the fastest lens and film speed combination possible under such conditions, and a tripod if at all possible" he urges. Film speeds of ASA 400 or higher are recommended under such low light condi-

Rollins equates a good photographer to a skillful bowhunter. Both must be able to get close to their quarry in order to be successful. He recommends the use of camouflage, scents, and attention to other ingredients of stealth. Many of his subjects are lured "up dose and personal" using differ-

ent calling techniques. "I enjoy hunting anything that I can call up" he says. "My repertoire may include everything from an amorous turkey hen, to a rival buck, to a squeaking rodent. Don't let anybody

tell you that calling doesn't work." Rollins says that would-be photogan 80 to 200 mm zoom lens" he says. raphers were given a great gift in

technology about 10 years ago when video carneras became common

"Today's camcorder is ideal for hunting," he says. "They're virtually noiseless, have good zoom lenses, and will shoot in very low light situations. And besides, all you have to do is pop the tape into a VCR and you can enjoy the hunt over and over."

According to Rollins, packing a carncorder has become routine for many Texas hunters. "Many hunters use their carncorders to extend their hunting season, especially before hunting season starts. This is a good way to pattern the buck that you might be hunting during bow or gun season," he advises.

"I've been using my camcorder for

format really enhances such things as dog work, covey rises, and the inevitable miss of an easy shot."

1999 Hunters Guid

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"Wildlife photography shares many of the same challenges and rewards as hunting with a rifle or bow and arrow," says Dr. Dale Rollins, Extension Wildlife Specialist based in San Angelo. And, photography can even top regular hunting in some

respects he says.
"There's no bag limit, you don't need a license, you don't have to clean anything at the end of the hunt, and you can go back tomorrow and hunt the same animal" he continues. "It's sort of a 'catch and release' type of hunting

Rollins, who has been hunting for the last 30 years, says that he first became interested in wildlife photography back in 1976, when he called up a tom turkey to within five steps and "shot" the bird in full strut with a Kodak instamatic. Since that early beginning, his equipment has improved with the addition of several

35mm cameras and telephoto lenses. "The minimum setup that I would recommend to get decent pictures is a good 35 mm camera complete with an 80 to 200 mm zoom lens" he says. tographs of animals like deer and covotes with this equipment. The secret is to get as close as possible without being detected by the subject."

Adequate light is the wildlife photographers bane. Wildlife are most active at dawn or dusk when lighting is limited. "Use the fastest lens and film speed combination possible under such conditions, and a tripod if at all possible" he urges. Film speeds of ASA 400 or higher are recommended under such low light condi-

Rollins equates a good photographer to a skillful bowhunter. Both must be able to get close to their quarry in order to be successful. He recommends the use of carnouflage, scents, and attention to other ingredients of stealth. Many of his subjects are lured "up close and personal" using differ-

ent calling techniques. "I enjoy hunting anything that I can call up" he says. "My repertoire may include everything from an amorous turkey hen, to a rival buck, to a squeaking rodent. Don't let anybody

tell you that calling doesn't work." Rollins says that would-be photographers were given a great gift in

technology about 10 years ago wher video carneras became common

"Today's camcorder is ideal for hunting," he says. "They're virtually noiseless, have good zoom lenses, and will shoot in very low light situations. And besides, all you have to do is pop the tape into a VCR and you can enjoy the hunt over and over."

According to Rollins, packing a carncorder has become routine for many Texas hunters. "Many hunters use their carncorders to extend their hunting season, especially before hunting season starts. This is a good way to pattern the buck that you might be hunting during bow or gun season," he advises.

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Borner brings to Bandera County a long esume of success in the automotive industry as president of the Gunn organization and his own dealership in San

Nick Oliver is serving as vice president and general manager of dealership. "Nick is the sirlving force behind what we do vere." said Borner

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synonymous with the Hunters BBO for over twenty years. Johnny Boyle, owner of BBQ sponsor Bandera True Value Bandera Wine and Spirits and Boyles Market, has been involved with the Hunters extravaganza in one capacity or another since 1977. He is a past president porter of the BBQ for many

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donating a deer feeder and a gun rack to the raffle as well was serving as selling tickets

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Kerrville based distributorship services a wide area of the Hill Country with products from Miller Lite to Milwaukee's Best.

Carson has supported the BBQ with donations of hunting trips and fishing trips as well as cash donations.

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True Value is located at Main Street and Hwy 173 in Bandera. This year's Hunters BBO event kicks off at 3 p.m. at Mansfield Park. For more information call (830)796-3045 or 1-800-364-3833.



BBQing to the Nth Degree

the Hunters BBQ for many years. Sully Woodland and his staff sell tickets, pro note the various raffle items in front of the bank on Main Street and set up a booth at the Outdoor Expo every year. 1998, Georgeann Aycock and many other employees festively decorated the

Bandera County. As president of the SHS athletic support group B.A.C.I.T., Woodland has championed the develop ment of many new facilities, including the recently completed baseball field and oncession stand

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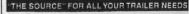




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That report says 515,389 Texas deer An even more disturbing trend is a hunters harvested 392,573 whitetail deer sharp decline in the number of deer last season. That's a 58.79 percent success. hunters-almost 100,000 from the 613,279 ratio, which most other states would love reported in 1998 and 50,000 below the 10-year average of 576,093.

However, the state deer harvest is still in There are a couple of cautions that need a long, slow recovery from the brutal to be tossed in with all this statistical information. First, TPW admits that these are drought of 1996.

Just three years ago, in 1995-96, 582,149 Texas harvested 450,593 white

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Wildlife officials predict good quail hunting for Texas

ALISTIN, Texas--For quall hunters with long memories, this fall's hunting prospects are reminiscent of the 1992. season, according to Texas Parks and Wildlife (TPW) biologists. For those who don't recall, that was a very good

"Favorable spring and summer conditions in South Texas, the Trans-Pecos and the Culf Prairies of Texas have set the table for good quall hunting," said Dr. Cary Graham, TPW Wildlife Division director. "I'm excited about the prospects.

Texas quall hunting season opens Oct. 30 and runs through Feb. 27. If field reports and anecdotal information are indicators. South Texas should be a boon for quail hunters this fall. According to Pleasanton-based TPW wildlife biologist loe Herrera, "Reid staff are seeing a lot of birds right now. It's not quite up to what we saw in 1992, but there are more quall out range conditions there than we've seen in a long

During 1992 and 1993. Texas hunters killed more than 2 million quail each season and averaged nine birds apiece. Last year, the harvest dipped to less than 750,000 quail and

less than six birds per hunter. TPW research has shown that quail populations tend to follow this "crash and boom" cycle based on annual reproduction. Because these birds are prolific, they can rebound guiddy from poor years if habitat and weather conditions are favorable, said Herrera.

"It's attributable primarily to rainfall We had good rains last October and November, which was a critical time because it set up range conditions for the spring," he explained. Then we got some good rains this spring and on into the summer Consequently.

prior to and during the nesting period were excellent and continued to be excellent when young more than 50 quail each. dutches were on the ground; there was good cover and an excellent forage base of insects. We're going to see a higher survival rate this fall as a

good season for quall.

State wildlife officials have estimated quall population from roadside survevs since 1976, and long-term patterns reflect a history of "boom and bust" cycles. Each quall-count survey "line" is a 20-mile route where biolo-

gists record all quail by mile and species. The same under proper range management are routes are counted each year. This trend information is useful in determining quali populations. Quall surveys this year in South Texas showed an average of more than 20 birds per route, as compared to fewer than 10 birds per route just

three years ago. In 1992, the average route revealed

In Central Texas and parts of North Texas where range conditions remain dry, the outlook this fall is not as bright as down south. Survey results indicate

below-average numbers throughout the region. "We could have a problem with quall survival in some areas," said Ron George, TPW Wildlife Division deputy director. "Conditions were not as favorable in the Cross Timbers. Rolling Plains, and Edwards Plateau regions where quall numbers remain. below the long-term average. However, areas within these regions

holding average numbers of birds." According to TPW wildlife biologist Stephen lester, whose area surrounds Brownwood, last year's drought and too many cattle on some ranges will affect this season's quall harvest. "Local quail production is dictated primarily by ranch management practices," lester noted. "We got some rain early in the year and range conditions had improved somewhat, but the rainfall ended in much of the area by

The daily bag limit for quail is 15, with 45 in possession. Shooting hours are one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset. The bag limit is the maximum number that may be killed during shooting hours in

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Feral hogs: an emerging species Many landowners hate the thought of having feral hogs on their property because of the potential for damage to crops, ranch facilities, livestock.

and wildlife But others view feral hogs as an emerging pop-

ular game species for Texas hunters. Since feral hogs are not considered wildlife by

legal definition, no season or bag limit is set by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. As a result, feral hogs can be hunted all year, according to Dr. Billy Higginbotham of Overton, Extension

Since 1539 when Hernando de Soto first introduced feral hogs to this country, and the mid-1600's when the LaSalle expedition brought feral hogs to the upper coast of Texas, the state's population has grown to an estimated 2 million head About 18 other states also have feral hog popula-

Worldwide, 23 subspecies of feral hogs are recognized. In Texas, feral hogs are either domesticated hogs gone wild. Eurasion boars or a cross between the two. Texas is one of the few states that may still have the pure strain of the Eurasian (Russian) boar

Some Texas landowners, already battling to reduce hog populations using snares, traps or dogs, are seizing the opportunities that hunting allows, he said.

A 1993 survey by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service indicated that hog hunters paid \$25-\$1,000, or an average of \$169, per hog hunt.

Hunting is concentrated in the areas with the largest hog populations: the Pineywoods, Hill Country, South Texas and the Rolling Plains, he

Hog hunting is especially popular among bowhunters and black powder enthusiasts. although most hogs are taken with rifles of 25caliber or larger

Although feral hogs may weigh more than 300 pounds, weights of 100 to 150 pounds are more common, he said

A little knowledge about the biology and habits of feral hogs can help make hunters successful. Hogs are extremely intelligent animals with a keen sense of smell. Many deer hunters are amazed at how hard hogs can be to outwit.

Feral hog boars are solitary animals that gener ally don't associate with other hogs except during breeding season. Feral hogs breed year-round, but there are peaks in the breeding cycle where the pigs are born in the fall and spring.

Females and their offspring travel in family groups called sounders, he said.

In general, hogs prefer moist areas in dense cover. During the cooler months, hogs are active during daylight but during the summer are mostly nocturnal. However, hunting pressure can result in a hog population that is rarely seen during the day, regardless of the season.

Hunters can enhance the odds for success by learning to identify hog signs. Wallows in wet areas indicate that hogs are in the vicinity. Hog



rubs that leave mud against power line and fence posts or on trees are another tip-off. Hogs are creatures of habit, so places where they cross under fences can be located by looking for coarse hair left on the wire

The most popular way to hunt hogs is from a stand near a corn feeder. "However, stalking can be an exciting hunt for

those who can manage to stay downwind from the quarry," he said Successful hunters should field dress feral hogs

with the same techniques used for white-tailed

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Wildlife officials predict good quail hunting for Texas

AUSTIN, Texas-for quall hunters with long memories, this fall's hunting prospects are reminiscent of the 1992. season, according to Texas Parks and Wildlife (TPW) biologists. For those who don't recall, that was a very good.

"Favorable spring and summer conditions in South Texas, the Trans-Pecos and the Culf Prairies of Texas have set the table for good quail hunting," said Dr. Gary Graham, TPW Wildlife Division director. "I'm excited about

the prospects. Texas quall hunting season opens Oct. 30 and runs through Feb. 27. If field reports and anecdotal information are indicators. South Texas should be a boon for quall hunters this fall. According to Pleasanton-based TPW wildlife biologist loe Herrera. "Field staff are seeing a lot of birds right now. It's not quite up to what we saw in 1992, but there are more quall out range conditions there than we've seen in a long

During 1992 and 1993. Texas hunters killed more than 2 million quail each season and averaged nine birds apiece. Last year, the harvest dipped to less than 750,000 quail and

less than six birds per hunter. TPW research has shown that quall populations tend to follow this "grash and boom" cycle based on annual reproduction. Because these birds are prolific, they can rebound quickly from poor years if habitat and weather conditions are favorable, said Herrera.

"It's attributable primarily to rainfall We had good rains last October and November, which was a critical time because it set up range conditions explained. "Then we got some good rains this spring and on into the Consequently

prior to and during the nesting period were excellent and 1992, the average route revealed continued to be excellent when young dutches were on the ground; there was good cover and an excellent forage base of insects. We're going to see a higher survival rate this fall as a

good season for quall.

State wildlife officials have estimated quall population from roadside surveys since 1976, and long-term patterns reflect a history of "boom and bust" cycles. Each quall-count survey "line" is a 20-mile route where biolo-

> gists record all quail by mile and species. The same routes are counted each year. This trend information is useful in determining qual populations. Quall surveys this year in South Texas showed an average of more than 20 birds per route, as compared to fewer than 10 birds per route just three years ago. In

more than 50 quall each.

In Central Texas and parts of North Texas where range conditions remain dry, the outlook this fall is not as bright as down south. Survey results indicate

below-average numbers throughout the region. "We could have a problem with quali survival in some areas," said Ron George, TPW Wildlife Division deputy director. "Conditions were not as favorable in the Cross Timbers. Rolling Plains, and Edwards Plateau regions where quall numbers remain below the long-term average. However, areas within these regions under proper range management are

holding average numbers of birds." According to TPW wildlife biologist Stephen lester, whose area surrounds Brownwood, last year's drought and too many cattle on some ranges will affect this season's quall harvest. "Local quall production is dictated primarily by ranch management practices," Jester noted, "We got some rain early in the year and range conditions had improved somewhat but the rainfall ended in much of the area by

The daily bag limit for quall is 15. with 45 in possession. Shooting hours are one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset. The bag limit is the maximum number that may be killed during shooting hours in

Feral hogs: an emerging species Many landowners hate the thought of having

feral hogs on their property because of the potential for damage to crops, ranch facilities, livestock. and wildlife

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But others view feral hogs as an emerging popular game species for Texas hunters.

Since feral hogs are not considered wildlife by legal definition, no season or bag limit is set by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. As a result, feral hogs can be hunted all year, according to Dr. Billy Higginbotham of Overton, Extension wildlife specialist

Since 1939 when Hernando de Soto first introduced feral hogs to this country, and the mid-1600's when the LaSalle expedition brought feral hogs to the upper coast of Texas, the state's population has grown to an estimated 2 million head. About 18 other states also have feral hog popula-

Worldwide, 23 subspecies of feral hogs are recognized. In Texas, feral hogs are either domesticated hogs gone wild, Eurasion boars or a cross between the two. Texas is one of the few states that may still have the pure strain of the Eurasian (Russian) boar

Some Texas landowners, already battling to reduce hog populations using snares, traps or dogs, are seizing the opportunities that hunting allows, he said.

A 1993 survey by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service Indicated that hog hunters paid \$25-\$1,000, or an average of \$169, per hog hunt.

Hunting is concentrated in the areas with the largest hog populations: the Pineywoods, Hill Country, South Texas and the Rolling Plains, he

Hog hunting is especially popular among bowhunters and black powder enthusiasts. although most hogs are taken with rifles of .25caliber or large

Although feral hogs may weigh more than 300 pounds, weights of 100 to 150 pounds are more common, he said

A little knowledge about the biology and habits of feral hogs can help make hunters successful. Hogs are extremely intelligent animals with a keen sense of smell. Many deer hunters are amazed at how hard hogs can be to outwit.

Feral hog boars are solitary animals that generally don't associate with other hogs except during breeding season. Feral hogs breed year-round, but there are peaks in the breeding cycle where the pigs are born in the fall and spring

Females and their offspring travel in family groups called sounders, he said.

In general, hogs prefer moist areas in dense cover. During the cooler months, hogs are active during daylight but during the summer are mostly nocturnal. However, hunting pressure can result in a hog population that is rarely seen during the day, regardless of the season.

Hunters can enhance the odds for success by learning to identify hog signs. Wallows in wet areas indicate that hogs are in the vicinity. Hog



rubs that leave mud against power line and fence posts or on trees are another tip-off. Hogs are creatures of habit, so places where they cross under fences can be located by looking for coarse hair left on the wire.

The most popular way to hunt hogs is from a stand near a corn feeder "However, stalking can be an exciting hunt for

those who can manage to stay downwind from the quarry," he said. Successful hunters should field dress feral hogs

with the same techniques used for white-tailed

However, plastic gloves should be worn during processing since at least one disease called swine brucellosis is carried by some wild hogs can be transmitted to humans

The fun of hog hunting doesn't end with the kill. Prepared properly, feral hog makes excellent table

Hunters should challenge their skills by pursuing feral hogs since hunting is allowed throughout the year, and plenty of landowners are interested in reducing hog populations in their areas, he said.

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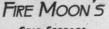
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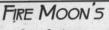
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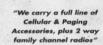


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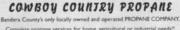
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The Grand Slam is on sale through Nov. 7, 1999, and next year's application period begins immediately thereafter). These make excellent gifts, but be sure to issue them in the name of the recipient and do not use the name/address of the giver.

Non-resident Banded Bird Hunting (Type 120): \$10. Valid to hunt banded birds on private bird hunting areas.

Trapper's: Resident (License Type 106). \$15: Non-resident (License Type 115), \$250. Required for all persons to hunt, shoot, take, or sell those species classified as fur hearing animals or their pelts. (See Fur-bearing Animal Digest for more infor-

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Hunting Lease License (License Types 132, 133 and 134)

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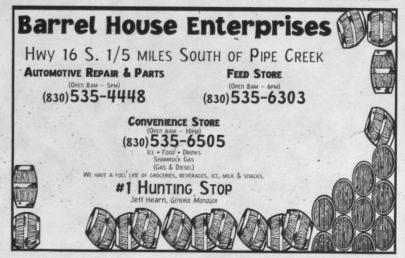
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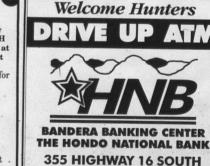
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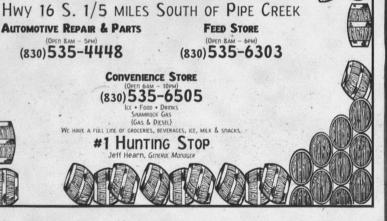






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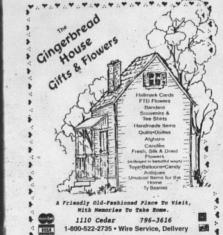
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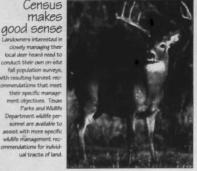
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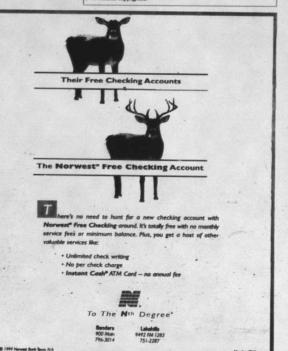
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Give a kid a gift of love: take him hunting

By Lee Leschper Dad didn't hunt.

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He didn't care about deer or ducks or quall.

He didn't own but one single-shot Remington .22 rifle that he'd acquired as a youngster, probably more to shoot varmints in the chicken house than for any recreation.

Yet he was blessed (or cursed) with four sons who lived, breathed, ate and slept for nothing but hunting and fishing.

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Maybe It was because of family friends who gave us all their old copies of "Outdoor Life" and "Field & Stream." Maybe It was bEcause we grew up in the heart of the Texas Hill Country, with deer in the front yard and a spring-fed creek just a quarter-mile out back. Maybe It was because Mom was a confirmed tomboy in her own right who'd grown up fishing with her older brother.

Dad took it all in stride, along with all the other challenges life threw him. As the single most unselfish person I've ever known, he'd go to almost any lengths to do what we asked.

That included taking us fishing or camping on every vacation he ever took. It included spending hundreds of freezing hours with us in a deer stand, down on Granddad's old place in Austin County.

It was back in the days when there just weren't many deer in the Post Oak Savannah. When we were a little older and more trustworthy, it included Dad driving us to other hunting spots before dawn, then sleeping in the truck while we hunted.

I killed my first buck on Granddads' place at 16, hunting with brothers Larry and Lance. I think it was something of a relief to Dad, because it meant I could both drive us to wherever we wanted to go, and could now be trusted more or less to hunt alone.

When I was 17, I applied for and was drawn for a public javelina hunt on the Chaparral Management Area in South Texas.
I'm still surprised Mom and Dad let me drive down, camp and hunt all weekend by

myself, in some pretty wild country.

Even though I didn't
tag a layelina. I saw

other exotic wildlife that calls South Texas

It just whetted my appetite for the first of hundreds of solo adventures outdoors that would follow in the years to come.

Probably because I was so crazed to be outdoors. I pretty much missed the wildness of the '70s.

Just never found time to get into trouble because I was so busy hunting or fishing or planning.

What's the point to this trip down memory

That parents-even parents who don't huntcan do few things better for their kids than introducing them to the outdoors and allowing them the freedom to fall in love with hunting and fishing.

And the State of Texas is working very hard to help, by adding a number of weekend seasons just for the kids.

The big youth-only season, for white-tailed deer and Rio Grande turkeys, will be Oct. 30 - Oct. 31 for Texas hunters age 16 and under. The youth-only season was introduced by TPW in 1997 and was a big hit.

"I realized just how popular (the season was) when I was driving back from San Angelo during the youth weekend last year See Kids page 18

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By Lee Leschner Dad didn't hunt.

He didn't care about deer or ducks or quali. He didn't own but one single-shot

Remington .22 rifle that he'd acquired as a youngster, probably more to shoot varmints in the chicken house than for any recreation.

Yet he was blessed (or cursed) with four sons who lived, breathed, ate and slept for nothing but hunting and fishing.

Maybe it was because of family friends who gave us all their old copies of "Outdoor Life" and "Field & Stream." Maybe it was because we grew up in the heart of the Texas Hill Country, with deer in the front yard and a spring-fed creek just a quarter-mile out back. Maybe it was because Mom was a confirmed tomboy in her own right who'd grown up fishing with her older brother.

Dad took it all in stride, along with all the other challenges life threw him. As the single most unselfish person I've ever known, he'd go to almost any lengths to do what we asked.

That included taking us fishing or camping on every vacation he ever took. It included spending hundreds of freezing hours with us in a deer stand, down on Granddad's old place in Austin County.

It was back in the days when there just weren't many deer in the Post Oak Savannah

worthy, it included Dad driving us to other hunting spots before dawn, then sleeping in the truck while we hunted

I killed my first buck on Granddads' place at 16, hunting with brothers Larry and Lance. I think it was something of a relief to Dad. because it meant I could both drive us to wherever we wanted to go, and could now be

trusted more or less to hunt alone. When I was 17, I applied for and was drawn for a public lavelina hunt on the Chaparral

Management Area in South Texas I'm still surprised Mom and Dad let me drive down, camp and hunt all weekend by myself, in some pretty wild country.

Even though I didn't introducing them to the outdoors and allowtag a javelina, I saw ing them the freedom to fall in love with hunt-

Just never found time to get into trouble because I was so busy hunting or fishing or What's the point to this trip down memory lane? That parents-even parents who don't huntcan do few things better for their kids than

other exotic wildlife that calls South Texas

hundreds of solo adventures outdoors that

would follow in the years to come.

It just whetted my appetite for the first of

Probably because I was so crazed to be out-

doors. I pretty much missed the wildness of

ing and fishing And the State of Texas is working very hard to help, by adding a number of weekend seasons just for the kids.

The big youth-only season, for white-tailed deer and Rio Grande turkeys, will be Oct. 30 - Oct. 31 for Texas hunters age 16 and under. The youth-only season was introduced by TPW in 1997 and was a big

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Barbecue admission tickets which include entertainment, meal, beverages, and desert, will be available at the door hunters. So for seniors with adults at \$7.00.

For additional information, including locations for advance meal tickets and raffle tickets, contact the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce at (830) of 196-3046 or 1960-364-3833 or for more information visit waws banderlease com/hunters.

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at them from one bank of a broad arriver. On one side of the reversion when he had not a contract the second of the contract the two. Brethren, teenagers today know next to nothing regarding. Christianity and its values and moral standards. Unfortunately the world of teenagers. The two sides have never been further apart. The answer as to how to bridge that gulf is to look at the family and the Biblical standards that God expects of each of the Church' that "Religions instruction depends upon the home more than any other social institution, including the church."

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Ograndparents, and Triends do'r. Brethren, of we are going to make a difference in this world that is so full of temptation and things, that will draw us and our children sway from God, then we must have a living relationship with the Bible. We no longer can straddle the fence and play both sides, one foot in sin the offer in the sound of the contract of t

Finally, we may conclude that should. Farents must model spiritual, ethical and moral behavior inpart His standards to our children. The formity in turn learns from the church. It is not enough that powers pray for their children, although they certainly deen, although they certainly deed and in the linguistic standard of the children.

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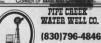
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Jennings stops 17 college soccer team

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On playoff prowl

Bulldogs need one more win for berth

By Bill Poett
INGRAM - Prior to the start of the 1999
season, Bandera coach Mike Williamson
said his defense would be a work in
progress beging it would evolve in time for
district play and the postessoo.
The Bullog defense showed some bite in
the first half of the Bulldogs' 42-20 victory
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Bandera senior running back Adam Knight (32) splits the defense as Ingram's Eric Jacoby (66) and Daniel Coffey (42) look on. Knight rushed for a season-high 148 yards as the Buildings defeated Ingram 42-20 last Friday. Bandera travels to

They're coming around," said Bandera coach Mike Williamson of his defense. "We write of the top spike forty (Schindler) to Mazurek bulled over from the 1 mount of the property of the propert

Whitehead had an interception and a furnible recovery such Clinic Singleton and Licas Habble date had interceptions off Sabinal quarterback Jason Meyer 13-yard feed on a Zach Fashion's 27-yard reception for a score in the second quarter. It was Singleton's sixth of TD passing this season. TD passing this season. To be such that the second quarter is was singleton's sixth of the second quarter of the second quarte Medina rolls past Sabinal, eyes first playoff berth since '78

Middle linebacker C.J. Mendeke

trol game in the second half to eat up the clock.

Lee Buck had an interception and Justin King and Matt Moore were noted for their play. Bandera winds up its 1999 home

Volleyball roundup

y-Wimberley
x-Burnet
x-Banders
Liberty Hill
Ingram
District 29-A



The Bandera volleyball (above) earned a trip to the playoff by virtue of their three-game win over Ingram on Friday. Bandera could have forced a second-place tiebreaker against Burnet with a win

Spikers advance to playoffs

Blow District 27

17 overall, 4-3 in league play) a

From staff reports
Bandera used 10 kills from
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A Bandera win over Burnet
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Hondo a game behind.

Wimberley, a state qualifier in 1998, leads the District 27-3A top seed for the playoffs.

Medina qualified for the play-1996, leads the District 27-3A standings with an 8-0 record.
Meanwhile, Medina earmed its first playoff berth in recent memory as they defeated Harper wo wins in 1998.

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Briefly...

Medina statistics

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Medina runners place

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Medina girls cross country runner lizinabeth Dabney qualified for the Region IV-1A Meet with a time of 14-minutes, 01-seconds at the District 29-A Meet on Oct. 20. The Medina boys and girls cross country teams placed fourth in the meet. Reckappings won the girls meet. Reckappings won the girls have the properties of the properties of top become in the boys race. In the boys competition, Ben Minne finished 11th with a time of Benniutes. 12-seconds. Ben Fuder 19-minutes. 19-seconds. Ben Fuder 19-seconds. 19-seconds. Ben Fuder 19-seconds. 19-

Minne finished 11th with a time of 19-minutes, 12-econds. Ben Fudge was 13th with a 19-46 and Allan Hall timed a 20-94. Besides Dabney, Tracy Lautzenheiser was 20th with a 15:14 and Amanda Eads was 23rd with a 15:18. In junior high competition, Sara Ortiz took second place with a 14:15 Lakehills children's park

Bandera JV gridders rule first half in victory

the second quarter as Bandera (5-3) won for the fourth time in five

to Lakehills will be Nev. 16-17 here.

The golf tournament will be at 1 pm. Nev. 16 at the Flying I. Guest Ranch Course.

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scores.

This event is limited to 18 teams with a \$625 entry fee requested for all five shoots, fees and targets,

Persons wishing to make a contri-The Bandera junior varsity foot-ball team raced out to a 24-0 half-time lead enroute to an easy 30-8 victory over Hondo on Oct. 21. Quarterback Todd Knutson raced 29 yards for a score to begin the game and later connected with Michael Ortic on a 50-yard pass in the second quarter as Bandera (5-3)

stand when it faces Wimberley

Area school to have golf benefit at Bandera course

Hill Country Montessori won for the research on a con-yard games.

- Stand Mark Ortic secred on runs of 7 and 9 yards.

In addition, coaches lauded the play of Nathan Binnert, Pete Shaver, Clint Brown, Clint Walker and Justin Chewick.

Defensively, threagan Peterson, Additional Comments of the Comments of the

Inc. will hold a benefit goff tourna-ment, awards evermony and fajita dinner at the Plying L. Guest Ranch. Molei-inc me prices include trips to. Lake Talner and Cabe San Liura-Scramble flight, specialty holes and doer prices will also be awarded. Inc. is a 601 not-for-profit tas-sexmyte devicational center. All dona-tions are fully use deductible. For additional information, call 600-610-5012 or 110-608-142.

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Ingram rallied with 13 unanswered points to hand the Bandera (5-3, 0-3) frosh their third straight

(5-3, 0-3) frosh their third straight loss on Thursday.

Justin Brooks scored the Bulldogs' only points of the game on a one-yard run in the second period. Scott Jennings added the point-after for a 7-0 lead.

But Ingram answered with a touchdown later in the quarter and then took the lead for good with a score in the third period.

A golf tournament and sporting lay shoot benefit to raise money for the construction of a children's park in Lakehills will be Nov. 16-17 here.

1999 Bandera

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einging of hymns, testimonials, and preaching by the pastors on a draw-by-night basis. The rain and cold weather

and the well-attended services were held at the Living Waters and the Methodist churches in Utopia.

Thirteen members of the Rio Hondo Extension Study Group enjoyed a sack lunch pienic in the park on Thurs., Oct. 21.

The event was hosted by Eunice and Mary Hietalaht. A business meeting preceded the pienic in which the committee for the selection of a "Woman of the Year" reported they will meet to nominate

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Mary Campbell from St. Stanislaus Catholic Church Schulfe from St. Stanislaus Catholic Church wisited, prayed and sang with resident friends and hope she enjoys be stay with us.

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right to give money to good causes as they see fit. But these

financial needs my be as great or greater will not be eligible. Certainly this philanthropist is not alone in singling out peo-ple according to their race.

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Scholarships should not discriminate

minority families.

In America today, eight million school-age children live in poverty and half are not minoriities.

Increasingly, courts are ruling that racial distinctions cannot be made because they violate. Constitution's instruction that every person should receive "equal protection" under the base. To argue otherwise to divide our country along racial lines when we should emphasize racial harmony and equal treatment.

Federal and local governments often award contracts on the basis of color. Colleges admit applicants according to ethnicity on the same proplements according to ethnicity on designated minority programs.

What goes overlooked is that many students from disadvantaged backgrounds need help. Powerty is not found just among and continues to droke America.

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and continues to divide America.

To me, the real need is to improve our schools for all children and the continues of the co

Dear Editor: I would like to provide some

individual were asked to leave a meeting called by Mr. Don Jones AFTER the architect had

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C'MON, ONE MORE GAME OF CHICKEN ... I'M TELLIN'

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---- Letters to the Editor ----

Problem with badges

Problem with badges
Dear Editor,
Imagine a place where a stuImagine a place where a student is
a punished for believing in the Bill
of Rights. Doesn't exist? Yes, it
does, right in Bandera!
My son, John, is in ISS, not
because he's a troublemaker, but
because he traines to wear an ID
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student, is punished for following
his beliefs. What are we learning today, kolds.

Lets shed more light

I would like to provide some information that I was witness to in response to Mr. Rand Hick's letter in last week's paper. It is not my deaire to wage a fight against Mr. Hicks or anyone else but simply to shed light on some truth that deserves telling.

In his letter, Mr. Hicks stated that Mr. Bill Ellis and one other individual were selved to the middle of the control of the state of the st

already given his presentation.
Unfortunately, that is not true.
The meeting began at about
7:30p.m. and I arrived at about

7:35p.m. Upon my arrival, as I said previously, the meeting was already in full swing but there was no Bill Ellis. That must mean that they were asked to leave prior to that. In fact, they be a second of the said swings and swings are reported to the leave prior to that. In fact, they said the said swings are reported to the said swings are reporte was no Bill Ellis. That must imean that they were asked you be yi-20, according to other information. Mr. Hicks stated that the reason that they were alseed to leave was because they were known to was because they were known to the was because they were known to be with the was the

was because they were know to was because they were know to was addened togread that you wish to be a point that anyody wanting to bottain information is important to the future of our community can be denied access to that information simply because they are close friends with the 'wrong people.' That used to be called a better that were present that they are close friends with the 'wrong people.' That used to be called a future meeting of the group would be called as a Trustee is so difficult and anyone interested in learning the information concerning the upcoming bond election. discrimination where I was raised.
Additionally, in that meeting, Mr. Jones stated (and I have this of the Jones stated (and I have this of the Jones of the Jone

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and Isabel MacMurray of hours in the cockpit of N2F.
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de years. Private aircraft flying
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throughout the state.
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was instrumental in overseeing
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ride set for Nov. 13

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by local merchants. A drawing for door prizes will be held after the trail ride. Pre-registered riders will receive a supper tick-et provided by our local restau-rants and two extra door prize

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Jace Alexander Cromer is proud to announce the upcoming mar-riage of his mon, Cheryl Louise Cromer, to Marion Ray Heisler, Jr., both of Lakehills. Cheryl has been Jace's mom for three years and Ray is excited to be his new dad. Chery is the daughter of Harold Leon Cromer, Jr. of San Antonio, and the late Mrs. Pattricia Cromer. Ray is the son of Marion and Kay Heisler of Lakehills. He is a Bandera County Animal Control Officer and Chief of the Medina Lake Volunteer Fire Department. The wed-ding will be on Nov. 27 at the Medina Lake Fire Station. The cou-ple plants to make their home in Lakehills.

Jones-Keeling to wed

Corporation in Seadrift, Texas. The prospective groom is a 199 graduate of Medina High School and spent four years in the Ai



graduate of Medina High School and spent four years in the A Force. He is currently attending Taylor Fire Academy, plannist or graduate Dec. 17. A Nov. 20 wedding is planned in Bander Texas.



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Bandera County Sheriff's Office arrests

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by James MacMillan County Sheriff

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LMSHO controversy continues

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Hulme to star in MSNDream

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The Medina ISD Theatre unlikely, entertaining characteristics. An aimosphere of old-fashpenartiment will soom be performing their fall production, ioned fan will be preserved, as
sudiance participation will be Scheduled show dates and times
"Falled by An Immount Moid" are Thurs. Oct. 28 at 7:30 p.m. and again on Sun., Oct. 31 at 2:30 p.m. (costumes invited). There will be no admission fee.

And particular and a superior and a forestaments will be surved (popcorn, sodas, coffee, etc.) for a small donation. This would be a great start before trick or treating and a wonderful way to celebrate the coming of ful.

The student performers are Ben Fudge, John Rowan, Yanessa Johnson, Tracy Vanessa Johnson, Tracy Flascryk, and Suranne Hudson. Student direction provided by Student direction provided by Allan Hall.

For more information call (830)589-2851.

Country music singer Ronnie Mason to film TV show in Bandera

Production for the new Stage location from 8a.m."Ronnie Mason" television 12pm. The club is owned by show will take place at the Mike and Randi Williams. Main Street Stage in Bandera Mason is a regular on the Go Sat Oct 30th. The weekly Johnnie High Country Music

on Sat. Oct. 30th. He weekly Sonnine right Country stude: program featuring country in the singer and recording artist show launched the careers of Ronsie Mason will be shown LeAnn Rimes and Gagy on San Antonio's Paragon Morris. The show is heard weekly on a nationwide basis on seven 50,000 clear channel 20. videotaped at various loca-tions where Mason will be WBAP 820 AM in Ft. Worth. performing. Taping will take Mason was heard singing his week from 12 midnight till place at the Main Street rendition of "Cattle Call" on 2a.m.



the Saturday October 9th

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Thursday, Nov. 4 will be the 5th Annual Health Fair for Bandera County, sponsored by the Bandera County Health Care Task Force in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. It will be held at the Silver Sage Corral St. Activity Center (11th & Hactivity Center (11th & Hactivity Center (11th & Hactivity) and County County (10th Care 10th Ca

There will be a wide variety health information, exhibits plus free or low-cost health screenings. There will also be fit and pneumonia shots admin-and pneumonia shots admin-tered. Mark your calendars for Thursday, Nov. 4 to be a part in unity event!

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Judge orders new LMS elections; home owners still angry

By Judy Pierce

"All we are asking is to make it fair
and even", said Rick Shope, former
Treasurer of the Lake Medina Shores
Owners Association Board and
spokesman for The Advocacy, a dissatisfied property owners group. He spoke
recently in response to the outcome of
three court cases, in which Bandera
County 216th Jödicial District Court
Judge Ables issued final orders on 3
October. In one, Judge Ables decreed
to be overtured and an eve election be held
before 15 November.
The newer objected to a new election,
said Charlie Phillips, Chairman of the
Association Board, who's position could
be overthrown in the new election scheduled for 13 November.
The Lake Medina Shores Owners
Association is a non-profit property-own-

The Lake Medina Shores Owners Association is a non-profit property-own-ers organization formed by bylaws in 1992. Its conduct has been under fire since about 1998. At that time the make-up of the prior sitting Board was changed by an election. Since then, other changes to the Board and its conduct of business hearn been allowed by respect, senses to

Urvina, the couple was given a Permanent Mandatory Injunction and ordered to remove their mobile home from their Lake Medina Shores Lot by 21 September, 2000 because the 'defendants are in violation of the Subdivision Restrictions...' The restrictions state that a dwelling must be built on the site. 'The going to the site of the

sibly change the restrictions or to change or eliminate the powers of the Association.

The Advocacy is a non-profit group, Chaired by Rick Stippe and formed, 'to the control of the cont

Chamber prepares for 37th Hunters BBQ

ty kicks off at 3 p.m. with the opening of the exhibits, the music of Linda Allen and the Road Runners starts at 4 p.m. and the barbecue dinner is served promptly at 5:00 p.m. Needless to say, it has become Bandera County's social event of the xeer.

Sponsored by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce. Hunters Barbecue began 37 this hunting asson were clearly save ages when a group of cities to prepare a meal to welcome the hunters to the area at the

only signals the opening of white-tail deer hunting season, but also welcomes hunters and visitors from all over to Bandera County and to the Texas Hill Country.

Sponsored by the Bandera County Chamber of Commerce, this hunting season we cele-

tion continues with live enter-tainment and social gatherings for the festive crowds at many of the country-western night-

ity to test their fishing skills t "Fish-A-Rama" - a tank

stocked with over 300 fish, waiting to be snared by a lucky, participant. All fishing equipment will be provided and no fishing license is required.

Back by popular demand, the Turkey Shock 'BB gun shooting gallery will be armed and ready for those who wish to test. their marksmanning, the control of the control of the control of the prompts of the

setting at this recreational Continued on page 20

Bandera City, County tax revenue up

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By Hal Braswell
Special to The Bulletin
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and reported to the Comptroller in September.
Though the first annual Sales Tax Holiday on
August 6-8 suspended state and local sales taxes
or dothing and shoes, the Texas economy is so
strong that August sales tax collections increased

in more than half of Texas' cities," said State Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander. October sales tax disbursement check was for \$34,040 cs. up about 12.27 percent from the \$30,407.26. October 1998 disbursement check. Bandera County's sales tax revenue, not surprisingly, is fourted. The previous year's corresponding fourter.

figures.

State Comptroller figures show that through
the first 10 months of 1999. Bandera County has
received \$213,349.88 in sales tax disbursement
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Bandera County's October sales tax disbursement
increase over the October 1998 figure of
\$184,045.02.
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The class schedule for this year, however, will be a little different from last year's schedule. GED (General Educational Development- high school equivalency) classes will be held only on Wed. evenings. 5-7 pm. Class meetings begin on ESL (English as a Second Language) classes will be held

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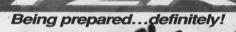
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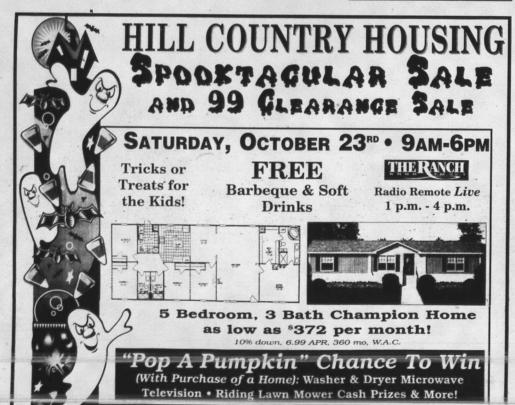
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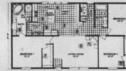
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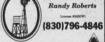
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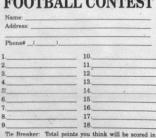
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the Roman Christians, "For the scoot that I swall I do not has the well, shick I would not, that I do." Faul again told us in Romans that "...all have tallen short of the Glory of God..." And again, "There is none that understandeth, there is none that understandeth, there is none that understandeth, there is none that seeketh after God. What a human cry was been." We all the short of the Glory of God..." And again, "There is none that understandeth, there is none that seeketh after God. What a human cry was been." What I was to do. The God would have us to do. The God would have to do

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Pray that he will give God the glory.

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He could not change those things that were behind.
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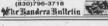
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Tues. 7:30 p.m.

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Worship 8 & 10:30 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST Utopia, 966-3343 J. Paul Bruhn, Min. S.B. 9:45 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m.

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