

WISE COUNTY MESSENGER

VOLUME 131 - NO. 100

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2010 DECATUR, TEXAS

32 PAGES IN TWO SECTIONS PLUS INSERTS

LAS VEGAS • DECATUR

Jackpot



FAMILY CIRCUS — Trevor Brazile greets fans and press at the red carpet Saturday night at the Mirage Convention Center in Las Vegas for the National Finals Rodeo award ceremony. He's joined by son Treston, 2, wife Shada and daughter Stella Bell.

Brazile wins second triple crown; sets earning record in Vegas

By BRANDON EVANS

For Trevor Brazile, what happened in Vegas didn't stay in Vegas. It reverberated throughout the rodeo world.

The Decatur cowboy hit the jackpot during the 2010 National Finals Rodeo (NFR). Brazile won the prestigious triple crown on the last night of the finals at the Thomas and Mack Center in Las Vegas.

He became the first to win multiple triple crowns in more than 50 years and only the third in rodeo history. He sealed the deal by winning world titles in team roping, tie-down roping and the all-around. In 2007, he took home a triple crown with world titles in all-around, tie-down roping and steer roping.

He also set several earning records along the way, earning more than \$500,000 in a single sea-

He relied on diversity, horsemanship and hard work to set the records.

It means so much to me ... I don't take these championships lightly.

Trevor Brazile

"It means so much to me because everything has gotten so specialized," Brazile said. "Nobody shows up and does three events on the same horse anymore because it's so competitive ... I don't take these championships lightly because I know how tough the field was."

Going into the final round, Brazile and team roping partner Patrick Smith were in second place in the world standings, more than \$13,000

behind the leaders.

In order to snag the title and claim the triple crown, Brazile and Smith needed to time well to place in the team roping average, and have the leader Clay Tryan, of Billings, Mont., fail to finish in the top six. Brazile and Smith remained calm and roped the calf in a steady 7.5 seconds. It proved good enough to place second in the average. Meanwhile, Tryan and partner Travis Graves missed the mark and failed to time. Brazile earned enough on the final night to bring his total to \$201,392. Tryan, after holding the lead most of the year, fell to second with his \$184,739 for the year.

Brazile entered the finals in team roping far from first. It took tremendous concentration, hard work and a little bit of Las Vegas luck to catch up. He'd never won a world title in team roping before.

Continued on page 2A

FORT WORTH

Former **Decatur** resident killed in wreck

By KRISTEN TRIBE

A Fort Worth woman, formerly of Decatur, was killed Monday night in a head-on collision on U.S. 81/287, near Blue Mound Road in Tarrant County.

Terry DeBo, 46, died when her silver Honda was hit head-on by a black Chevrolet pickup driven by Michael Hairston, 61, of Fort Worth. Hairston was also killed. There were no passengers in either vehicle.

Detective Clint Wise with the Fort Worth Police Department said Hairston was driving southbound in the northbound lanes of U.S. 81/287 when he hit DeBo, who was northbound.

Wise said he "had no knowledge of alcohol being in-

volved." "We did not smell any odor of alcoholic beverage on (Hairston) or in the vehicle," he said. "Nor did we see any signs inside the vehicle."

According to Public Information Officer Damon Ing with the Saginaw Police Department, Hairston was involved in a minor accident in Saginaw about 7

"It was a small fender bender ... nothing high speed or anything ... it was actually near

Walmart," he said. The Saginaw fire and police departresponded to the accident. Ing

Cont. on page 3A

WISE COUNTY

Fire danger increases

Grass fires kept local fire for starting a large grass departments busy the early part of this week.

Around mid-morning Monday, a fire was reported in the 400 block of County Road 4421. The fire threatened homes, but only an outbuilding caught fire. East Wise and Decatur fire departments responded.

A backfiring car is blamed

fire on Farm Road 3433 in Rhome around 2:45 Monday afternoon. At least seven fire departments were called to help contain the blaze, and FM 3433 and the southbound U.S. 81/287 service road were temporarily shut down due to heavy smoke.

Continued on page 5A



RHOME FIRE — A brush truck is obscured by smoke at a large grass fire in Rhome Monday afternoon. Messenger photo



Wise County Messenger P.O. Box 149 115 South Trinity Decatur, Texas 76234 www.wcmessenger.com

INDEX

News Briefs 3A Opinion......4A Obituaries 6A Sports......14A Classifieds........7A Wise Business.....13A



RECYCLING **EXPANSION**

Decatur businesses will soon have the option of curbside recycling. See story, page 2A



GET MORE SPORTS

A new monthly sports publication, Athlon Sports, is featured inside this issue of the Messenger

WEATHER

| Wed 12/15 | Thu 12/16 | Fri 12/17 | Sat 12/18 | Sun 12/19 |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| 75/39 | 54/36 | 45/29 | 50/38 | 59/42 |
| nainly ny sky. rm. High und 75F. nds SSW 0 to 20 h. | Mostly sunny. Highs in the mid 50s and lows in the mid 30s. | Few showers. Highs in the mid 40s and lows in the upper 20s. | Mainly sunny. Highs in the low 50s and lows in the upper 30s. | Plenty of sun. Highs in the upper 50s and lows in the low 40s. |

www.wcmessenger.com/weather

Continued from page 1A

"My family knows how hard I worked at that," Brazile said of the header buckle. "I've learned it before, but I learned it again. Hard work pays off."

Brazile's storied season was one of history and records for the NFR and the Professional Rodeo Cowbovs Association (PRCA). He became the first cowboy to win eight all-around world

"Eight is really special, just the fashion we got it done," he said. "It wasn't a struggle. I don't know where you go from here, but winning never gets old."

He also became the first to earn more than \$500,000 in a single season.

"It's just great for the sport," Brazile said of the earnings. "It just shows you that pro rodeo is not going anywhere. They keep adding prizes. Fans have always known it's the true extreme

He did this despite suffering a partially torn tendon in his right elbow that forced him to miss 40 days of competition.

"I had a great year, but I was hurt a lot of the year," Brazile said. "My horses were hurt a lot of the year. It was just getting through those times. I brought two horses I hadn't ridden much at all out here, and I tried not to make any of the situations bigger than they were.

"I've been blessed. I know He was going to bless me with the horse I needed for

these circumstances. I just didn't panic; I just kept doing my job and I knew it would all work out."

Brazile also won the tie-down average, a feat he never accomplished be-



STAYING FOCUSED — Trevor Brazile's horse hold firms as he rushes to tie-up a calf in tiedown roping at the NFR. Brazile won the average and the world title in the Vegas event.

"I've never won the average in the calf roping or steer roping, so it means a lot to me," he said.

PHONE

tips@wcmessenger.com

MESSENGER

Phil Major

President & Publisher

P.O. Box 149

115 S. Trinity

Decatur, TX 76234 940-627-5987

Fax 940-627-1004

www.wcmessenger.com news@wcmessenger.com

Mark Jordan

Vice President/

General Manager

Ken Roselle

Senior Account Executive

EDITORIAL

Brian Knox

Erika Pedroza

Mack Thweatt

Keri Pritchard

Joe Duty

Teresa Mayberry

Kristen Tribe

Julie Neal

Richard Greene

And Brazile was the top earner throughout the 10day finals. He won \$211,509, a PRCA record for most money won at a single rodeo. He shattered his own NFR payday record by more than \$60,000.

During the grueling week and a half of performing nightly and dealing with the stresses of cowboy stardom, Brazile enjoyed support from his wife and their two young children.

ily in your corner, especially when you're on the road, it keeps everything in perspective," he said.

On Monday night, Brazile left the noise and lights of Las Vegas to return to his home on a rural county road near Decatur.

"That's where my heart is," Brazile said. "I love getting up in the morning and roping the goats with Treston or going hunting ... doing things with my family. We just shut the gate and get away from the world for a while."

Towering hotels and casinos covered with millions of lights are replaced with short post oaks on mellow hills. Screeching horns of taxis and the steady din of shuffling crowds vanish. The soft hum of nature and bucolic scenes of cattle grazing in silent, pristine pastures shift into view. And for a few weeks, Brazile gets to relax

and enjoy the landscape that has helped develop the winningest cowboy in

E-mail Brandon at bevans@wcmessenger.com.

Businesses get recycling option

The Decatur City Council approved commercial recycling Monday. It will be voluntary at a fee of \$10 per month for weekly pickup in 96-gallon carts or \$75 monthly in eight-yard containers.

The city already has mandatory residential recycling. Recycling pickup is on Wednesday for residences. That will also be the day for commercial pickup in carts.

IESI Municipal Manager Norm Bulaich said he would have to confirm whether recycling in the large containers would also be on Wednesday, since it requires a separate truck.

Recyclables include plastics, glass, aluminum and metal cans, paper

bags, cardboard (broken down) and newspapers and catalogs.

Carts must be placed curbside by 7 a.m. Procedures for pickup around courthouse square must be worked out.

The council also approved a 3.22 percent cost adjustment for trash pickup rates, which means a residence will pay another 40 cents a month. Commercial container rates will also rise by 3.22 percent. The new prices take effect Feb. 1.

IESI is allowed to adjust rates once per year based on the consumer price index and regulatory factors impacting landfill costs.

Bulaich said Decatur's rates were not raised last year.

In planning and zoning matters, the council affirmed three votes by

the P&Z Commission for the property of Stephen Todd Parks at 400 East Main and 103 South Cates.

Approved were a special exception for lot size and a replat of eight lots

Denied was a variance for curb and gutter.

Parks said he was not opposed to installing the curb and gutter but did not want to be liable for additional runoff water on neighboring property.

"This is something I do not want to deviate from," Mayor Joe Lambert said of the curb and gutter requirement.

Councilman Jay Davidson echoed his feelings that the requirement should be enforced.

The council also heard the first

reading of a zoning change request for 300 East Pecan. The home is proposed for offices for Court Appointed Special Advocates. Among modifications required for the house to be approved as an office is a minimum of five parking spaces.

The council was not able to approve appointments to the Wise Regional Health System Board. Two of the five council members present had family ties to the nominees, leaving less than a quorum available to make the reappointments.

Two-year terms are proposed for Jay Bearden, Chris Forbis, Jon Walker and Stephen Wren.

The council rescheduled its Dec. 27 meeting for Dec. 20 at 5 p.m., when it hopes to make the WRHS appointments.

WISE COUNTY

PUC selects final route

By JULIE NEAL

Nearly a year after Oncor proposed running high-powered transmission lines through southern Wise County, the Public Utility Commission (PUC) has decided upon a final route.

The original preferred route was presented for the Willow Creek-Hicks 345 kilovolt transmission line to landowners in Jan. 2010. Ninety-five alternative routes were also filed. The routes consisted of several "links" that could be combined to form options for the transmission lines.

Starting in June, Oncor notified affected citizens of the line, giving them until July to intervene in protest.

Many interveners were present this past week at the PUC meeting in Austin where the commission settled on the route with a few alterations along

One of the modifications is the use of monopoles in some instances instead of steel lattice ones, said Oncor spokesperson Sabrina Taylor. The lattice structures allow for the poles to be placed further apart, which is more cost efficient.

However, some residents chose the monopoles for the aesthetics.

Landowner Jim Joling is pleased his property will not be included in the transmission route, but he feels bad for property owners who got in on the action too late, he said. The PUC ruled interveners who had not filed a complaint within the summer deadline could not petition the commission

Continued on page 5A



Messenger photo by Julie Duty

PANCAKES WITH SANTA — Camryn Boyd, left, and Ellie Miller, both 4, enjoy pancakes together at the Decatur Fire Station Saturday morning. Firefighters provided pancakes, sausage, juice and coffee, and Santa made an appearance.

"When you've got a fam-

CLASSIFIEDS Donna Bean

BUSINESS OFFICE

Kristi Bennett

ADVERTISING

Lisa Davis

Laura Belcher

Misty Coget

PRODUCTION

Todd A. Griffith

Pierre Moua Peter Franco

SUBSCRIBER SERVICES

Lowell Burkett Blake Simmons

Wesley Robinson

Tim Terrell James Bradshaw

SUBSCRIPTIONS

\$35 a year In-County

\$45 a year Out-of-State \$20 Digital Subscription

Address

Wise County Messenger PO Box 149, Decatur, TX 76234 or call 940-627-5987

> **TIP LINE:** Phone: 940-393-3450

SUBMIT NEWS

Submit News, Sports, Letters to

the Editor, Lifestyle, Obituaries and Update items online www.wcmessenger.com/submit

ADVERTISING Contact Lisa Davis, Lori White, Misty

Coget, Kelly Guess or Laura Belcher at 940-627-5987 www.wcmessenger.com/advertising

USPS Publication No. 688940

ISSN 0746-8679

The Wise County Messenger (ISSN 0746-8679) is published Thursday and Sunday by Wise County Messenger, Inc., P.O. Box 149, 115 S. Trinity St., Decatur, Texas 76234-0149. Periodicals class postage paid at Decatur, Texas. Subscription rates: one year in Wise County \$35, six months \$18; one year out of county \$40, six months \$22; one year out of state \$45, six months \$23. An erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or

Postmaster: Send address changes to: Wise County Messe P.O. Box 149, Decatur, Texas 76234-0149. 940-627-5987.

http://www.wcmessenger.com. E-mail: ne © 2010 Wise County Messenger

Former Decatur resident killed in wreck ...

Continued from page 1A

said Hairston was evaluated by the officers and firefighters, and "they found

him to be perfectly

fine." T h e W i s e County Sheriff's Department received a call at 7:45 p.m.



that pickup traveling at a high rate of speed was southbound in the northbound lanes on U.S. 81/287, just south of Texas 114. Less than 15 minutes later, it was reported to the sheriff's department that the pickup had hit another vehicle.

Precinct 1 Constable Tom Bishop responded to the call. He said he was on DWI patrol near Rhome.

"I never saw him until I arrived at the wreck," Bishop said. "We had been trying to catch up with him. We were going all out and trying to catch up with him and get him off the highway.

"It's a shame that (DeBo) had to suffer for whatever was wrong in his life."

Jason Ticknor of Decatur was one of the first people on the scene of the deadly accident. He is a battalion chief for the North Richland Hills Fire Department, and he was driving home after

"I saw there was significant damage to both vehicles, fluids on the ground and smoke coming from the vehicles," he said.

"There was fire under the hood of the sports utility vehicle (Honda), initially, and I asked the other bystanders to start talking to truck drivers sitting in traffic to get fire extinguishers to get the fire out. A short time later I discovered there was fire under the dash of the pickup," he said.

Ticknor said the other bystanders put out the fires while he checked the vehicles for other occupants and tried to assist the drivers.

"I did what I could until the Fort Worth Fire Department and Medstar arrived," he said. "When you arrive at something like that, having some people who can take care of some things so you can get down to business ...

it really makes a difference. "When you show up without any equipment, you have to improvise to facilitate the best outcome for patients," he said.

News Briefs

CHAMBER LUNCH — The Bridgeport Chamber of Commerce Luncheon is 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 16, at the Bridgeport Community Center. Gilbert Horton with Devon Energy is the guest speaker. Cost is \$10, and reservations should be made by Wednesday by calling (940)

683-2076.

HEALTH FORUM — The Wise County Health Forum meets at 9 a.m. Thursday at the Decatur City Hall Community Room.

CONCERT — The Bridgeport Band Winter Concert is 7 p.m. Thursday at the Bridgeport High School gymnasium. The high school, jazz band and middle school bands will perform.

DeBo grew up in Decatur High School in 1982.

Her sister, Kelly Bramlett, described her as hard-workcated to her family.

"She was the one her chil-

According to Bramlett, and graduated from Decatur DeBo was going home to her daughter and grandson at the time of the accident.

Delinda Buckner met ing, strong-willed and dedi- DeBo while working at First American Bank in Decatur, now Citibank, and she said dren turned to," Bramlett she loved her children and

grandson.

"She and I talked some, and she was just very happy, very, very happy," Buckner said.

Stacy Dunn, who also worked with DeBo at the bank, said she was positive and upbeat about life. She said DeBo enjoyed country

band regularly went to concerts.

"She loved family Christmas was her favorite time of year," Dunn said. "I know it will be hard for the family because of all the gifts she's already bought."

Funeral for DeBo is 2 p.m. wcmessenger.com.

music, and she and her hus- Friday at Coker-Hawkins Funeral Home in Decatur. Burial will follow at Pleasant Grove Cemetery, No. 1.

Visitation is 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral

E-mail Kristen at ktribe@

DUE'S®



While supplies last. See store for details.



Shop for last-minute gifts any way you want.

Let's Build Something Together®

- Go to Lowes.com
- Visit the store near you
- Use your mobile phone

Guaranteed Christmas delivery if ordered on Lowes.com by 12/21/10.

> Parcel shipments only. Excludes Special Order.



Shop online through Christmas Eve and pick up your order before our stores close at 6 pm, Friday 12/24/10.



81-Piece Drill/Driver Bit Set with Contractor Bag #171795 While supplies last.



36-Piece SpeedFit

3-Piece 18-Volt NiCd Cordless Combo Kit #15468 While supplies last.



Let them choose exactly what they want - instantly.

Send a Lowe's e-gift card on Lowes.com or pick up a gift card in store.

Micro Screwdriver and

Precision Knife Set #271891



Receive 20% off Samsung major appliances priced \$227 or more (before taxes) or 10% off other major appliance brands priced \$397 or more (before taxes). Includes in-stock or Special Order. Not valid on previous sales, installation and delivery fees, extended protection plans, water heaters, Electrolux, Dacor® or select Fisher&Paykel® items. Discount taken at time of purchase.



FLOOR CARE AND SMALL APPLIANCES

Machine rentals, coffee and accessories not included. Discount taken at time of purchase. While supplies last.



SPECIALVALUE! now was was

Cast-Iron Chimenea

ALL IN-STOCK RUGS

Discount taken at time of purchase. Offer valid through 12/27/10. Selection varies by store.

DECORATIONS

Applies to indoor and outdoor holiday decorations, live wreaths and garland and holiday electrical accessories. Excludes fresh-cut Christmas trees, poinsettias and holiday storage. Selection may vary by store. Discount taken at time of purchase. While supplies last.



Four-Burner Gas Grill

•48,000 BTUs #134489

You're invited to our Facebook gift-a-thon.

Join 350,000+ fans at our second party December 17-19 at Facebook.com/Lowes.

We're in your neighborhood! For the store nearest you, visit us at Lowes.com or call 1-800-993-4416.

Details on our policies and services: Prices may vary after 12/20/10 if there are market variations. "Was" prices in this advertisement were in effect on 12/9/10 and may vary based on Lowe's Everyday Low Price policy. See store for details regarding product warranties. We reserve the right to limit quantities. While Lowe's strives to be accurate, unintentional errors may occur. We reserve the right to correct any error. Prices and promotions apply to US locations only, and are available while supplies last. +20 Minute Guarantee: In-stock merchandise ordered and paid for on Lowes.com will be ready for pick up within 20 minutes of order completion. Guarantee valid only at store selected by customer when placing order, only during store's normal operating hours, and only on orders completed at least 60 minutes prior to store closing. Orders placed less than 60 minutes prior to closing or outside of normal operating hours will be ready for pickup 20 minutes after store opening on the next business day. 20-minute period refers to preparation of product for pick up and excludes customer wait time. Time of order completion will be determined by Lowe's order confirmation e-mail. Guarantee excludes special orders, orders involving additional services, and LowesforPros orders, and is not valid the Friday following Thanksgiving day. See store or Lowes.com for details. © 2010 Lowe's Companies, Inc. All rights reserved. Lowe's, the gable design and Let's Build Something Together are registered trademarks of LF, LLC. (101291)

JPINION

Our Views

Children offer a lesson on giving

When I arrived at the

By JULIE NEAL

It's the most wonderful time of the year, and my thoughts have been consumed with the gifts I need to buy for my family.

I shamefully admit I have not done any of my Christmas shopping, and it seems Christmas has snuck up on me without my permission. My husband can't decide what gifts he wants and my parents and in-laws are also on the undecided list.

The buying of gifts can be allconsuming until I take a minute to stop and witness genuine

Christmas generosity.

Last week, I had the privilege of going to Carson Elementary School in Decatur and **Bridgeport Elementary** to watch them give fundraiser money to local charities.

At Carson, the kids are participating in a Penny War which combines unique elements to create an incredible learning opportunity. Just like exercise, the kids enjoy donating to a cause more if there is an aspect



NEAL

The sentences came out in pieces as one child would start with a few words, then another child would jump

What were they the most excited

in to tell the rest of the story.

about? Donating the money to a local family.

For these children, giving to the less fortunate became more important to them when they discovered the money would be going to people they knew, rather than through an anonymous charity. The kids were not told which families they were raising the money for, but once a human aspect was introduced, the teacher said the students have thrown themselves into the Penny War.

Instead of going over Christmas shopping lists relentlessly and becoming stressed, there is a lesson to be learned in the selfless giving children practice.

One fifth-grade teacher mentioned one of her students who had donated a large amount of money was actually in need himself. She had to tell the boy politely to stop donating money.

How wonderful it would be for the Wise County charities to have to tell people to stop giving money or time because they were overwhelmed. All it takes is a little collective effort from all of the county citizens to ensure everyone has a merry Christmas.

Your Views

Halt handouts

I would like to respond to Landon Hankins' letter on Dec. 9, regarding extending the Bush era tax cuts to the top 2 percent of earners. First of all, you refer to the "partisan political move" by the Republicans. The fact is during this "lame duck" session of Congress, the Democrats control the Senate, the House and the presidency. The Republicans can do absolutely nothing without the support of at least some Democrats. So, which effort is partisan?

Next, let's address the amount of taxes paid by Americans. According to the National Taxpayers Union, a non-partisan advocate for taxpayers (www. ntu.org), the top 1 percent of taxpayers pay 38 percent of all taxes. The top 5 percent pays almost 59 percent, with the bottom 50 percent paying only 2.7 percent of all income taxes. Therefore, we already have a situation where only half of Americans pay taxes to support the entire country.

Finally, I completely agree that America has been living beyond its means since the 1960s. However, the solution is to stop the out of control spending by both parties of our government. You don't go out and buy a new car when you can't pay the bills you already have.

The truth no one wants to hear is that the government handouts have to stop. Unemployment benefits may be extended from the current 99 weeks to 151 weeks. Yes, that's almost three years of unemployment. Instead, shouldn't we all be finding ways to put those people back to work rather than continue to rely on unemployment benefits?

This president ran on job creation, but once elected, shifted his focus to health care. That doesn't seem to have worked out so well.

Andy Sabo Rhome

Keeping a legacy alive

On Dec. 5, Slidell lost its fairy godmother when Charlotte Fortenberry passed away. I found myself asking, "How do we keep her legacy going without

My question was answered at her funeral. It is up to us, the people who loved her and the people she loved. It is up to our community to keep her legacy

It means being involved in our community, church and school activities. It means caring for our neighbors and taking time for each other, just being better people. The answer is really simple – to love and be loved. That is what Charlotte would do.

Corrie Lloyd Slidell

About Letters

The Wise County Messenger welcomes letters to

The deadline is 5 p.m. Wednesday for publication the following Sunday. The deadline is $5\,$ p.m. Friday for publication the following Thursday.

Letters are printed on a space-available basis on the editorial page.

All letters must be signed, and writers' names will not be withheld. Letters should include a return address and daytime phone number. Letters should not exceed 400 words.

Send letters: To the editor, Wise County Messenger, P.O. Box 149, Decatur, Texas 76234, or drop them by 115 S. Trinity in Decatur weekdays between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Letters can also be sent by fax, (940) 627-1004, or e-mail, news@wcmessenger.com.

E-mail or faxed letters must include a mail address and daytime phone number.

The *Messenger* is not obligated to run any letter, and letters might be altered to meet space or style requirements. Third-party letters will not be accepted, and letters of thanks cannot name businesses. Letters that have appeared in other newspapers will not be accepted.



OTHER VIEWS

The Hammer gets nailed

By JIM HIGHTOWER

For once, I actually agree with something that Tom DeLay said. The former Republican leader of Congress recently declared in his most somber tone, "The criminalization of politics undermines our very sys-

Wow, so true, Tommy.

Of course, what I mean by the "criminalization of politics" is very different than what he means.a DeLay was bemoaning the stunning fact that a Texas jury had just convicted him on two felony counts of money laundering. He wailed that he was a victim of a political vendetta by Texas Democrats, calling his prosecution "an abuse of power."

Amazing. Here's a guy became Congress' most powerful member by blatantly using his position of public trust to broker campaign cash from a myriad of corporations in exchange for passing their legislation.

He went on worldwide golfing junkets with lobbyists aboard corporate jets,

plotted legislative strat- been criminalized. It's been The Hammer's been nailed turned into a criminal enegy with disgraced lobby-

ist Jack Abramoff, enjoyed terprise funded by corporalavish meals on the corporate tab and collected millions of dollars for the campaign GOP's coffers from lobbyists, all while moving the special-interest agenda of his corporate benefactors through Con-

Yet, he's whining

about "an abuse of power"? Yes, Tom, politics has

tions for corporations. Reprobate politicos like you have turned the People's House into a shameful pay-toplay parlor. DeLay was so good at hitting up corporate lobbyists

pounding their wish list into law, that he was nicknamed "The Hammer." But now,

for money, then

— not by Democrats, but by a jury of 12 common citizens, whom his own hotshot lawyers helped select.

These honest people diligently sifted through reams of evidence and ultimately saw him for what he is: a

Jim Hightower, an Other-Words columnist, is a radio commentator, writer and public speaker. He's also editor of the populist newsletter, The Hightower Low-



School receives clean audit

DECATUR

By ERIKA PEDROZA

The Decatur School Board Dec. 9 received a report on the external financial audit for the year ending Aug. 31.

Gary Snow of Snow, Garrett and Company, an independent external auditor from Weatherford, said the district received a clean au-

"It's what you want it to look like," he said.

According to the report, the audited fund balance decreased \$2,381,077 from \$12,068,111 to \$9,687,034 in 2009-2010 fiscal year.

However, the district moved \$4,000,000 to a construction fund making the increase in the combined general fund and za@wcmessenger.com.

new local construction fund \$1,618.923.

The board also approved: ■ the purchase of Scholastic Math Inventory at

approximately \$137,000. However Pam Holland, executive director of instructional services, said she is still negotiating the price. "The initial cost is high,"

Superintendent Townsend said. "But once we buy it, it's ours. The continued cost is not as high,"

■ a \$90,062 quote with J.W. Services of Decatur for Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning work on the middle school field

E-mail Erika at epedro-



DECATUR

SANTA COPS — Mike Picha with the Decatur Police Department loads toys into cars outside of Vincent Investment Management Monday as part of the Santa Cops program. The toys were taken to the police department by members of the Wise County Antique Auto Club. Donations of new, unwrapped toys can be delivered to the department through

NORTHWEST

Students show support for former band director

By ERIKA PEDROZA

A pair of Northwest High School students spoke on behalf of former Northwest High School band director Scott Lewis at Monday night's school board meeting.

Lewis was reassigned to the position of fine arts instructional coach, effective

According to the students who spoke during the public forum, Lewis was escorted out of the band hall Nov. 3, in front of a class.

"It's a pain to me and to all the rest of us to see him humiliated in front of the rest of his class as there was the second jazz band going on at the time of his escort out of the building," Northwest student Mitch Miller said. "He was a fantastic man, taught us all life lessons ... professionalism, and that is a lesson I think that whoever handled the situation could learn from it, as the situation was not handled very professionally."

sentiment.

"The district was not just in the reassigning of Mr. Scott Lewis, and I think I speak for every member of the Northwest High School band when I say we want him back," Tanner White said. "There may

be many reasons for why this occurred, many things the members of the public will never know. But I do find it strange that he was treated like a vile criminal being escorted out, then mysteriously reassigned.

"Yet he has been teaching at Gene Pike Middle School. If whatever he did, in the district's eyes, was so bad, then why is he teaching middle school children?"

White continued, "I believe in a society where people that are capable to make their own decisions should be held accountable for their own actions. I ask the board to look into their hearts and to ask themselves if this situation has been handled correctly.

"How would it make you feel if someone you cared deeply about was plucked away from you for no reason or for someone's careless actions," he said. "I believe that they should punish those at fault. It is not fair to punish Another Northwest High beloved leader for the 10 that vision in Fort Worth, will be ity that took place at the UIL the original landowner of the competition area in Odessa.

"Mr. Lewis is just a human man. He cannot oversee the actions of every student at every minute. And even with a multitude of chaperones examining everyone in sight,

there will always be a few who manage to slip through the cracks," White said.

"Don't hold Mr. Lewis accountable for the selfish actions of those whom he cannot physically see," the student urged trustees.

District spokesperson Lesley Weaver called Lewis' reassignment a "personnel

"I don't think he's seeking reassignment [to band director]," she said. "His new assignment is his new assign-

"We have an instructional coach for the various departments,"Weaver said. "They go in and work with the teachers of that department and talk about how they can improve instructional methods. The fine arts department was the only department that did not have an instructional coach."

The school board approved the naming of three schools under construction. Elementary School No. 15, located the 170 students and their in the Sendera Ranch subdiwere involved in the infidel- named after J.C. Thompson, property where the school is being built.

Elementary School No. 16. located in the Willow Ranch subdivision in Fort Worth, will be named after Carl E. Schluter, longtime district

educator whose son, Mark Schluter, is the current school board president.

The middle school being built in the Sendera Ranch subdivision will be named after Truett Wilson, whose name has been in contention for other schools. According to board member Davis Palmer, the board wanted to make him the namesake of a school closer to his place of residence.

"This is a good one," he

Wilson was a longtime superintendent.

E-mail Erika at epedroza@ wcmessenger.com.



Leslie's Legacy Benefit Concert

Saturday, Dec. 18 - Doors Open at 4:30 p.m. Tyler Caster 5 p.m.



The Brandon Gentry Band 6 p.m.

Six Market BLVD. 8 p.m.



Tickets \$15 in advance \$20 day of show Decatur Civic Center - 2010 W. US Hwy. 380

Silent Auction

For more info. call 940-210-1141 Mail Donations to: Denison & Logan Benefit Concert 250 Private Road 2316, Decatur, TX 76234

WISE COUNTY

PUC selects final route ...

Continued from page 2A

last week.

"People who found out their links were selected, the PUC listened to them and they were very polite, but they said they had no standing because they missed the deadline,"

Because the Willow-Creeks line is a Competitive Renewal Energy Zone (CREZ), the approval time for the route was 181 days.

This ran out Dec. 13.

Landowners had until that date to file an appeal, but Joling doesn't see anyone filing because the route was decided upon unani-

After the Dec. 13 deadline, Oncor agents will begin working with landowners to negotiate fees to use their property.

E-mail Julie at jneal@wcmessenger.com.

WISE COUNTY

Fire danger increases ...

Continued from page 1A

Several departments responded to another grass fire Tuesday morning in the area of Goodnight Trail near New Fairview.

Things might get worse before they get better. Wise County is included in a fire weather watch area from Wednesdaymorningthrough that afternoon. Warm temperatures and dry air combined with winds of 20 miles

per hour are forecast.

If a red flag warning is issued for Wednesday, no out-

side burning will be allowed under the county's burn ban.



Lowest Price in America!

\$ 24.99/mo for over 120 channels!

\$500 Bonus!

Call Now! 1-866-799-8039

REA DEATHS AND FUNERALS

James Lee Walker

1950-2010

Graveside service for James Lee Walker, 60, of Montague was to be 2 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 11, at Cumby Cemetery with the Rev. Ronnie Morgan officiat-

Walker died Saturday, Dec. 11, 2010, in Montague. Born Oct. 3, 1950, in Bridgeport to Junior Lee and Jaunell (Whatley) Walker, he was a law enforcement officer. He married Deborah Harrington May 17, 2003, in Bridgeport.

Walker was a member of the American Legion Bowie Post 252 and Forestburg Riding Club. He served with several organizations including Bridgeport Police Department, Wackenhut Correctional Institution, Bowie Animal Control, Jack County Sheriff's Department and Bowie Industries. He served in the U.S. Marine Corps and was a Baptist.

Walker is survived by his wife; children Jon Forshee and wife, Stacie, of Muenster, Clay Forshee and wife, Tiffany, of Forestburg, Travis Forshee and wife, Kristen, of Denton, Nikki Wright and husband, Randy, of Joshua,



JAMES WALKER

Kevin Walker of Sunset, and Valerie and Becky.

He is also survived by his mother of Tipton, Okla.; brother Jimmy Walker and wife, Brenda, of Sunset; sisters Janice Pritchett and husband, Tommy, of Alvord and Lou Tyler and husband, Mike, of Frederick, Okla.; 17 grandchildren; and nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives.

Honorary pallbearers were to be Michael Tyler, Travis Forshee, Clay Forshee, Jon Forshee, Ryan Tyler, Mike Tyler, Tommy Pritchett, Garrett Johnson and Gary Johnson.

Wise County Messenger, December 16, 2010

Lucille Wilson Drain

1913-2010

Funeral for Lucille Wilson Drain, 97, of Newark, was Dec. 14 at First Baptist Church in Newark. Burial followed at Aurora Cem-

Drain died Saturday, Dec. 11, 2010, in Decatur.

Born Oct. 28, 1913, in Wise County to Abner and Ida Cagle Wilson, she and her husband, Edward Drain, operated a business in Newark. She served on the Newark City Council for 25 years and was mayor pro tem for 10 years. She stepped down was a member of First Baptist Church of Newark.

Drain was preceded in death by her husband in 1978; and sisters Daisy, Vera, Helen and Robbie.

She is survived by son Donald Drain in Newark;



LUCILLE DRAIN

grandchildren Kelly Harris in 2009 at the age of 96 and of Fort Worth and Christi Osteen of Springtown; great-daughters Margaret Keith grandchildren Haydon Harris and Blake Harris of Fort Worth and Raelynn Caldwell and Tessa Osteen of Springtown.

> Wise County Messenger, December 16, 2010

Jack E. Moore 1937-2010

Memorial service for Jack E. Moore, 73, of Paradise is 6 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 16, at Hawkins Funeral Home in Bridgeport with the Rev. Roland Hodges and Johnny Irish officiating.

Moore died Saturday, Dec. 11, 2010, in Decatur.

Born March 25, 1937, in Bedford to Virgil and Mattie A. (Caudle) Moore, he was a retired purchasing agent. He married Carol Sue Underwood Feb. 1, 1992, in Las Vegas. He served in the U.S. Navy.

Moore was a member of Pleasant Grove Cowboy Church, the National Association of Riding Clubs and Sheriff Posses and the Willow Creek Country Club.

Moore is survived by his wife; daughters Von Hawkins and husband, Rob, of Bridgeport, Phyllis Moore-Walden and husband, Dustin, and Jacky Lynne Benton and husband, Keith, all of Tyler; son Jack Robert Moore of Fort Worth.

Grandchildren Dani-



elle Benton of Tyler, Trey Hawkins and wife, Jennifer, of Decatur and Chase Hawkins of Bridgeport; brother Archie Moore and wife, Martha, of Lake Country Estates; sisters Earline Scoggins and husband, Larry, of Weatherford, Leah Moore of Dallas and Fran Noakes and husband, Steve, of North Richland Hills; great-grandchildren Camryn and Hollyn Hawkins; and nieces and nephews.

Wise County Messenger, December 16, 2010

Anna May Tackel Stidham

1927-2010

Mass of Christian burial for Anna May Tackel Stidham, 83, of Bridgeport was to be 2 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 15, at St. John's Catholic Church in Bridgeport with burial at East Bridgeport Cemetery.

Stidham died Saturday, Dec. 11, 2010, in Bridge-

Born Feb. 1, 1927, in Paradise to Jesse Tackel and Mary Francis Butler, she was a retired registered nurse. She was a Rangers fan, played 42, quilted and canned. She was preceded in death

Stidham; and brothers Joe, James and John Tackel. Stidham is survived by

by her husband, James L.

daughters Mary Lois Shelton and husband, Kent, of San Angelo and Susanne Benner of Pataskala, Ohio;



ANNA STIDHAM

sisters Janie Holt and husband, Theron, and Margaret Smith and husband, Derrell; sister-in-law Emilie Tackel of Paradise; grandchildren LeAnn, Melissa, Catie, Amy, Jennifer, J.P. and Scott; and great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Wise County Messenger,

Mildie Elizabeth Keith

1916-2010

Graveside service for Mildie Elizabeth Keith, 94, of Marshfield, Mo., formerly of Boyd, was to be 10 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 15, at Boyd Cemetery with the Rev. Terry Phillips officiating.

Keith died Sunday, Dec. 12, 2010, in Missouri.

Born Aug. 20, 1916, in Washington, Ark., to Claude and Cordia (Collins) Griffin, she was a retired seamstress. She married Marshel Clifton Keith Aug. 19, 1936, in Sulphur Springs, was a member of Trinity Baptist Church and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star for more than 50 years.

She was preceded in death by her husband; an infant grandchild; son-in-law Charles Thompson; half-sisters Opal Griffin Burks and Ruby Griffin Bryan; and brothers Homer, Ray, Harley and D.B. Griffin.

Keith is survived by



MILDIE KEITH

Thompson of Rome, Ga., and Brenda Keith Seay and husband, Bill, of Biloxi, Miss.; sons Marshel Keith and wife, Freda, and Kenneth Daniel Keith, all of Marshfield; 10 grandchildren; five step-grandchildren; great-grandchildren, greatgreat-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Wise County Messenger,

Clarence 'Ed' Walker

1945-2010

Graveside service for Clarence "Ed" Walker, 65, of Fort Worth was Dec. 11 at Aurora Cemetery.

Walker died Monday, Dec. 6, 2010.

Born July 22, 1945, in Decatur to Rip and Virginia Walker, he was raised in Rhome. Walker graduated from Northwest High School and attended Rice University, where he played football. He was in the U.S. Army and served in Vietnam.

When Walker was younger, he roped and spent many weekends team-roping in rodeos across the country. He worked in sales in the trucking and trailer industry, and he married his wife,

Linda, in 1979.

Walker was preceded in death by his wife; son Bobby; his father; and brother Fred.

He is survived by his mother; daughters Melissa Baucum and Kim Bue; grandchildren Ashley, Staci and Piper; great-grandchild Carson; sister-in-law Linda Kay; uncle and aunt Pete and Peggy Reeves of Decatur; and nieces and neph-

Memorials may be made to the Fort Worth Fire Department, Station 40, the Medstar Grant Program or St. Anne's Church.

Wise County Messenger, December 16, 2010

Edwin Klabough

1929-2010

No services are planned for Edwin Klabough, 80, of Bridgeport. Klabough died Saturday,

Dec. 11, 2010, in Bridge-Born Dec. 29, 1929, in

Ohio, he was a veteran of the Korean War, a diesel mechanic for 25 years and a truck driver.

Klabough is survived by

his wife of 40 years, Patsy Tipton Klabough; daughters Dona Cleveland and Patty Morton and husband, Stanley; son Mark Buser; grandchildren Matthew Morton, Alicia Morton and Anthony Bohot; great-grandchildren Cassandra, Angela, Kayla, Tyler, Bryson and Corbyn Bohot. Wise County Messenger,

December 16, 2010

Francisco Daniel Zamaron

1962-2010

Graveside service for Francisco Daniel Zamarron, 48, of Decatur is 3 p.m. Friday, Dec. 17, at Oaklawn Cemetery with Father Sojan George officiating.

Visitation is 6-8 p.m. Thursday at Coker-Hawkins Funeral Home in Decatur.

Zamarron died Sunday, Dec. 12, 2010, in Bridgeport. Born April 2, 1962, in Mon-

terey, Mexico, to Gilbert and Guadalupe Sepulveda Zamarron, he was an electrician. He married Anna Gomez in April 1982 in Bridgeport.

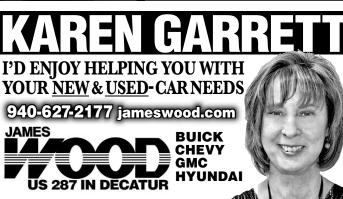
He is survived by his wife;

daughters Florecita Galarza and husband, Jose, and Priscilla Marie Zamarron, all of Decatur; son Daniel Zamarron Jr. of Decatur; grandchildren Adalia, Julian, Fabian, Damian, Amerie and Aubrey: brothers Antonio and Pablo Zamarron; sisters Maria Cruz and Gillermina, Rosa Maria, Ortencia and Irma Zamarron.

Pallbearers are Daniel Zamarron, Omar Gomez, Josh Gomez, Mario Rodriguez, Steven Rodriguez and Homer Benavente.

Wise County Messenger, December 16, 2010





10 Day Tour All-Inclusive RICA Available at Caravan.com.

Fully Guided vacation packages. Priced \$995 to \$1,295 + tax & fees. 8 days Grand Canyon, Zion 8 days Yellowstone Park

8 days New England Canada - Rockies 10 days Canada - Nova Scotia

PANAMA Canal Cruise & Tour 8 day all-inclusive guided vacation. Join experienced travelers and smart shoppers who rely on Caravan.com. **GUATEMALA** with Tikal

10 day all-inclusive guided vacation. Caravan.com makes it so easy and so affordable to explore your world. Free 28 Page Brochure.

Man Goes "TOAD-AL" at High School Reunion

BEXAR COUNTY - After using Thera-Gesic* on aching joints, Tom W. attended last Friday's reunion where, according to 5 amused and concerned classmates, he went TOAD-AL. He squatted, extended both arms to the ground, arched his back and did his best to hop numerous times while croaking.

When asked to explain his behavior, he painlessly replied, "None of your dang business!"



SAVE, LIVE, BUY THERA-GESIC*.



HOME PHONE SERVICE NO Pre-Payment • NO Deposit Required! Rates from \$6.99 per month* (\$17/month including approximate taxes & fees)

FREE 1st Month of Service Caller ID & Call Waiting included in Packages** New-**Talk** 866.934.3448

285+ Channels



Hawkins Funeral Homes



Pecatur - Bridgeport - Boyd Since 1906

Real Estate for Sale Rentals **Employment Services**

Roommate Wanted

Spaces & Lots

·Wanted to Rent

·Wanted to Lease

· Real Estate for Sale ·Acreage Ints · Business Property

Pets

Pets Lost & Found

· Mobile Homes · Condos/Town Homes · Wanted to Buy Duplexes

 Mobile Homes Facilities · Storage Buildings

· Apartments

Business Property

Duplex Housing

· Homes

· Condos/Town Homes · For Lease

Merchandise for Sale

· Business Opportunity · Medical/Dental Employment Miscellaneous Information · Office

· Adult/Elderly Care · Retail/Sales · Childcare Trades · Food Service ·Work Wanted

Transportation

 Business Housecleaning

· Let Me Fix It · Adult/Elderly Care Miscellaneous ·Tutoring

· Farm Equipment Livestock Stud Service · Livestock Supplies Fencing · Lawn & Garden Miscellaneous · Livestock Mowing · Livestock Care · Pasture & Feed Training Poultry

Farm and Ranch

Notices

· Livestock Lost & Found



Business Hours Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Deadlines:

Classified Line Ads

Thursday Edition: 10 a.m. on Tuesday Sunday Edition: 10 a.m. on Friday Classified Gold: 10 a.m. on Friday

Real Estate Ads Thursday Edition: 3 p.m. on Thursday the week before

Sunday Edition: 3 p.m. on Tuesday **Classified Display Ads**

Thursday Edition: Noon on Friday

Sunday Edition: Noon on Wednesday **Special Offers:**

Business Services: Place a paid ad for four weeks in the Business Services classification of the Wise County Messenger for \$50. Receive a bold heading and the fifth week is FREE. Run the same ad in

Classified Gold for an additional \$32 for

five weeks (price based on 20 words or

less ad). For Sale: Place a paid ad with a bold headline for two weeks for \$25, and if you don't sell your item at the end of two weeks, you'll receive the next two weeks

FREE. Run the same ad in Classified Gold

for an additional \$16 for four weeks (price based on 20 word or less ad).

Classified Advertising Policy: Classified ads for the Sunday/Thursday edition are \$12 per week for 20 words or less (each additional word is 60¢). Run the same ad in Classified Gold for an

additional \$8 per week (20 words or less;

Error Responsibility:

each additional word is 40¢).

Customers are asked to check their ad immediately after it appears in the paper and report at once any error found. Claims for adjustment should be made at that time. The Wise County Messenger is responsible for an incorrect ad only the first time it runs, so check your ad carefully.

Classified Gold goes into 21,000 additional homes.

Payments: In person:

115 South Trinity St., Decatur By mail:

Wise County Messenger P.O. Box 149 Decatur, TX 76234-0149





VISA

ADS APPEAR ONLINE AT WWW.WCMESSENGER.COM/CLASS

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Reatured Home of the Week



RARE MINERAL RIGHTS OPPORTUNITY!! Abundant wildlife on 145+ acres across from asslands. Beautiful land, pastures, live oak trees, stock tanks, clean and improve land



1606 W. Bus. 380 Rhome 192 W. Hwy. 380 940-627-3080 817-638-5100 940-683-3080 www.century21sueanndenton.com
WISE COUNTY'S #1 REAL **ESTATE COMPANY**

Get your property listed as the FEATURED HOME OF THE WEEK! Call Lori at 940-627-5987 for more information.

Acreage

14 ACRES

a few miles south of Decatur off FM 51 South. Water well, septic & electricity in place. (940)399-8183.

Alvord 1.7 acres, mobile, Owner Must Sell • W of Sunset 185 acres, large brick home

overlooking bottom land. Beautiful place, call for details. Owner Anxious! • N. Sunset - 20 acres Hwy 101, \$100,000 • Alvord 13.05 acres, 1/2 minerals.

\$6.500 per acre South of Bowie 71 acres, good

South of Bowle 71 acres, good recreational place, hunt, fish, run cattle or horses. \$3,500 per acre
 N of Alvord - 16.41 acres. Prime Hwy 287 frontage & 2 CR frontage. Shop, well. \$250,000

• Lake Bridgeport - Waterfront property.

2/1.5 remodel. \$95.900

Sunset 167 acres, good cattle & horse place, 40x40 building, stock tank, well & septic, \$2,995 per acre

bright general epoint Malureck shop.

Alvord ISD - 4.71 acres, no mobiles. \$9.000/acre

Sunset Hwy 101 30x40 commercial building. Good business or makes a nice home. \$69,500 Seller anxious
Sunset 26+/- acres, new stock tank. \$5,000 acre. Owner Finance.

• Alvord 9.14 acres, heavily wooded area. Owner Anxious! Reduced \$45,000 Decatur 5+ acres, good Hwy 380 frontage \$145,000 • Alvord 5+ acres, Alvord school, heavily

wooded \$35,000
• N of Bowie 160 acres, rough and rugged \$2,595/acre

Sun Set Realty - Jim Boyd, Associate 囼 940-845-2120

FOUR WOODED 10-ACRE LOTS \$65,000/each, 10% down, 10% owner finance. Restricted, CR3451, Paradise. (940)393-1020.

Above Crowd!®

concept, split master. \$165,900 Call Bernadette

covered patio on 8.48 acres with pond. \$269,490 Call Marilyn

\$70,000 Call Marilyn

\$3,000/ac Call Marilyn

94.75 acre tract 3 tanks, barn, electric, fenced, \$3,000/acre Call Marilyn

61.28 acres ideal for housing development or to build your dream home on.

Wow, huge price reduction. Here's the whole package for your horse ranch!! 76.59 acres with a great view. This property is a minute away from the LBJ Grasslands, multiple barns,

horse walker, in ground pool, fenced and cross fenced, and even a house for your ranch hand. Come see all the possibilities! \$495,000 Call Rhonda

Immaculate is an understatement! Newer 3/2/2 granite counters, neutral colors, open

Move to Paradise! 4/2/2 brick with split floor plan, granite counters, large living area, WBFF

266 acres of beautiful rolling hills, elevations, stock ponds, improved pasture and woods.

www.remax-preferredproperties-decatur-tx-us.com

Excellent office or retail location. Corner lot with high traffic count. Zoned C-1.

Homes

\$119,900, 308 RIDGEVIEW DRIVE 3-bedroom, 2-bath, 5-years-old, 1,700 square feet. Best home in Decatur! Robert, Trinity, (940)255-4684.

For all your real estate needs, call PATTI DUTY THRASHER, (940)577-2733. World Wide Real-

FOR SALE BY OWNER

3-bedroom, 2-bath, brick home on 1 acre. Large shop with carport attached. Call (940)399-3333 or (940)389-1923.

FSBO 3-BEDROOM 2-bath, brick home, 5-acres. Work-

shop with mud room, hay barn, remodeled. Sunset, (940)531-0038, (940)366-5570. Owner ready to sell.

FSBO, 3/2/2

home on golf course. 626 Half Moon Way, Runaway Bay. \$198,900. (817)219-6083.

GREAT PLACE

to raise your family in the country! 29 acres, brick, 5/3, gameroom, 50'x30' workshop, coastal & on a paved road in Bowie. \$335,000. Evans & Associates Realty, owner/broker, (940)841-1072.

LAST HOME AVAILABLE

AT \$1,069/MONTH Brand new brick home. Payment includes taxes and insurance. 100% finanancing available.

(817)733-3444.

REMIX Preferred Properties

940-627-1990

1814 S. FM 51 • Decatur

1.5 acres for rent/sale, OBO. Owner finance possible. Over 3,000 square feet. \$1,500/month, \$800/deposit. Negotiable with good rental history. (682)551-0424, (682)559-1512.

BRICK HOUSE WITH LAKE VIEW

SPACIOUS 3-BEDROOM 2-bath home on 3 acres, secluded hilltop view, pond, meadow, fireplace, vaulted ceilings. Seller will fi-

nance. (972)978-1686. **Mobile Homes**

3-bedroom, 2-bath double wide on 4 acres, Boyd ISD. Owner finance. (817)281-4311. 4-bedroom, 2,300 square foot

modular home in country. Will help with financing. (940)367-7542. 4/2 remodeled, site built on 1 acre. HUGE SHOP, very affordable pay-

ments. (940)367-7542. New 4-bedroom in restricted sub-division. Landscaping package included. (940)367-7542.

OWNER FINANCE NO BANKS

Newark, low payments, damaged credit okay. Several to choose from. (682)286-0693. #0036227.

RBMOBILEHOMES.COM Move, set-ups, re-levels. In & out of state. Licensed, bonded, insured.

Repos. Free estimates. (940)683-5547. RBI #36191. Wanted to buy

LOOKING FOR SMALL MOBILE

home lots, up to 2 acres. Paying

cash with fast closing. (940)683-5547 or (940)683-5838. RENTALS



Apartments · Business Property · Condos/Town Homes · Duplex Housing Homes · Mobile Homes Rooms · Roommate Wanted Spaces & Lots · For Lease Lease · Facilities · Storage

Apartments

Cabins & efficiency apartments for rent, including some as low as \$500/month w/all bills paid. Boyd Excellent location. (940)433-3133.

Eighter Decatur Apartments. Furnished, cable, all bills paid. (940)799-7572.

Business property

10,000 SQUARE FOOT BUILDING on 10 acres. Great location on Hwy. 380. Sale, lease or owner finance. Cannon Realty, (940)393-5317.

DECATUR

Office building for rent close to Courthouse. 3 offices, reception, kitchen & bath. \$675/month, 1st, last & deposit. (940)395-8210, (940)389-5588.

Retail/office in historic building off Decatur square. New paint & carpet, display window. Call Robin, (940)627-8080

Condos, town homes

1-bedroom, unfurnished, all appliances, including washer/dryer. HOA Deposit required (940)393-1796, (940)575-2114.

For lease, completely remodeled 1-bedroom condo in Runaway Bay on 13th green, all amenities. Call (940)389-0636.

course nearby. \$750/month plus de-

3/1 duplex in city of Newark. 1.6 acre waterfront lot, Eagle Mountain

Bridgeport, 3-bedroom duplex available. \$760/month, \$600/deposit. Call Donna, (940)389-1615.

DECATUR

Very nice, large 3/2 in great loca-Νo pets/smoking (940)627-9028

square feet, 3-bedroom, 2-bath, 1-car garage, small fenced yard, energy improvements. \$875/month, \$800/deposit. (940)577-0977. For rent. 2-bedroom, 1-bath duplex

in Alvord Washer/dryer connections. \$650/month. (940)393-0696.

Homes

Storage building, fenced yard, no pets, no smoking. \$600/month, \$600/deposit. References. (940)389-1323.

(940)433-3832, (940)389-0689.

furnished, water & Dish TV provided. \$550/month, \$250/deposit. References required. No pets. (940)577-2915.

FOR SALE OR RENT

Decatur High School. \$1,200/month. (940)683-5842

Home for rent near Decatur square.

2-bedroom, 1-bath, CH/A. \$800/month,

appliances, no dogs. Starting at \$450/month. (817)444-3636.

finance possible. Over 3,000 square feet. \$1,500/month, \$800/deposit. Negotiable with good rental history. (682)551-0424, (682)559-1512.

臽

3/2/1 duplex, 3/2/2 brick house, Decatur. 4/2/2 brick, Ponder. 1-bedroom studio apartment, Alvord. Call Cannon Realty, (940)368-1811.

RENTALS AVAILABLE

Spend the winter on the lake! For a weekend (2 nights) for \$157.92 plus tax, or for a month in one of Bay-Landing's cabins. Furnished 1-room cabin on Lake Bridgeport, all utilities, full-size kitchen, Dish TV, (no phones). \$720/month plus tax, \$100/refundable deposit. Call (940)683-3016. Available November-March.

Vacation rental, Cloudcroft, New Mexico. 3-bedroom, 2-bath house, sleeps 9. www.cloudcroftnewmexicocabinrental.intuitwebsites.com or call for details, (940)577-2915.

Mobile Homes

2-bedroom, 1-bath, \$525/month. 2-bedroom, 2-bath, \$600/month. Located in Chico. Call Kevin. (719)660-5992.

3-bedroom, 2-bath double wide on 1 acre lot, Boyd ISD. For rent or sale. Call (817)281-4311.

3/2 double wide mobile home, in

country. With carport, shop. 2 acres

north of Decatur. \$550/deposit,

(940)389-5216, \$800/month. (940)389-0954. For rent, mobile home in Alvord. 3-bedroom, 1-bath, kitchen, livingroom. \$500/month, \$400/deposit.

Nice 1-bedroom trailer, furnished, electric & water paid. Bridgeport. \$520/month. (940)683-244 (940)393-9500 or (940)683-4166. (940)683-2442,

Roommate wanted

(940)627-0165.

2 roommates wanted to share expenses in a house in the country. \$500/month for each room. (940)210-2011.

Storage Buildings

DECATUR SELF STORAGE wise county STORAGE IN WISE COUNTY

Free lock with rental of unit

We sell boxes and moving supplies

• Climate controlled units available U-Haul Dealer - Trucks, Trailers, etc. Ask about our special! 1100 E. Bus. 380 • Decatur

940-627-6434 Toll Free: 877-718-8875 www.decaturselfstorage.net

EMPLOYMENT



Employment Information Adult/Elderly Care Food Service · Medical/ Dental · Miscellaneous Office · Retail/Sales Trades · Work Wanted

Employment information

!!ATTENTION!! Advertising under this classifica-

tion is normally not a bona fide opportunity. Typically, companies advertising here offer information about potential employment. Some are selling this information. We suggest that our readers thoroughly investigate these advertisers before investing any money.

Food service

Dietary aide needed. Contact Tisa Pippin, Sunny Hills Nursing Center, 201 E. Thompson, Decatur. No phone calls, please. EOE.

Experienced cook needed. References required. Call Kate, (940)210-0661.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE:

All real estate advertising in this ewspaper is subject to the Fair Housing Act which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin, or an intention, to make any such preference, limitation or discrimination." Familial status includes children under the age of 18 living with parents or legal custodians, pregnant women and people securing custody of children under 18.

ingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis. To complain of discrimination call HUD toll-free at 1-800-669-9777. The toll-free telephone number for the

entury Sue Ann Denton, Inc.

Decatur 1606 W. Bus. 380 817-638-5100 940-627-3080

Rhome

Bridgeport 192 W. Hwy. 380 940-683-3080 Jana Bearden Lvnn Clav Martha Cleveland Jav Conquest Joey Duncan • Sue Ann Denton • Natalie Gary • Bob Grommesh • Kim Holt
 • Steve Jones • Angie Kasner • Jane Kasner • Robert Meek • Sue Meek • Sandy Onks • Tonya Shaffer • Kay Stanfield • Angie Uselton



Paradise- 3/2/2 situated on over 5 acres with a large Kitchen with granite countertops and tumbled stone and ers. On private cul-de-sac with heavily wooded lot. Great split floor plan for family living. Washer, Dryer and Fridge Waterfront in Chico- Custom waterfront home on Lake

walk ways and retaining walls, sea wall, rock fire pit and fireplace, workshop and 30x30 boat dock with boat lift and 3 wave runner lifts. Water well!

your back door. Complete with pipe fence and entrance. Paved roads Bridgeport- Large oak trees surround this home on 3.14 acres. Home was remodeled approx 4 years ago and is beautiful. The home has faux finished walls, custom wood trim and 1 19 ft valued

Decatur- Unlimited potential for almost any type business. Almost \$67,000 below tax appraisal value. 10x10 walk-in 3 glass door cooler. Being sold with building. Super easy off on access to Hwy 287. Once was used as a beer barn. Sellers can provide information for previous business.

30x30 shop and beautifully landscaped. Beautiful home in good location

Rhome- Building has 710 sq. ft. for a wonderful office space. Large reception area, 2 nice offices and a kitchen area. The warehouse is 2,100 sq.ft. with 2 large rolling doors. Would make a great place for a business

Wise County's#1 Real Estate Company (per MLS statistical data) www.centurv21sueanndenton.com

Pet Care/Training · Pet Stud Services



CLASSIFIED

 Furniture Auctions

Miscellaneous

 Accessories · Recreational Vehicles · Wanted to Buy

· Let's Swap · Lost & Found

· Card of Thanks Personal

Announcements

Public Notices

SPACE FOR RENT

Condo for rent, Runaway Bay.

LAKEFRONT CONDO

3/2 at Runaway Bay, upstairs unit,

swimming pool. Boat ramp & golf

posit. (817)988-3530. **Duplexes**

Lake, \$850/month, (817)903-5976.

Duplex in Runaway Bay, 1,410

2-bedroom, 1-bath in Chico for rent.

Bowie, 2-bedroom, 1-bath, well kept, clean, well insulated, heat pump. Immediate occupancy.

3/2/1 brick, 2-car carport, close to

(817)988-2817, no calls after 6p.m.

NEWARK, 5/3, 2 STORY

Fred Meyers, Broker Mike Jones, Realtor 940-393-5229 III MLS Jared McComis, Realtor • 940-399-7530

1105 HOVEY – Looking to put your business with Hwy frontage, then this building is for you. \$149,900 1111 HALSELL ST – Lots of potential here could be restaurant or office space. \$92,000 158 CR 3432 - Motivated seller in this extremely nice frame 3/2 home on 6.52 acres. \$150,000 1702 EDGEWOOD - Investors look here! Well established apartment complex in Bridgeport.

153 TERRACE CT IN SPRINGTOWN - To be sold "as is". 3/1 home situated on 2.68 acres. \$50,000 SEGUNDO DR - Corner lot in Runaway Bay with scattered trees. \$7,000 **1505 16TH ST** – Fixer upper in Bridgeport. 3/2/1 frame home. **\$58,000** 215 HART CT - Immaculate 2 story brick home on 2 landscaped lots in Runaway Bay.

HALSELL ST - Great commercial possibilities in this building located in Bridgeport. \$199,500

\$420/month, deposit & references. Decatur, North Trinity, 1-bedroom,

\$500/deposit. In Boyd, 2 & 1-bedroom houses. All

BRICK HOUSE WITH LAKE VIEW 1.5 acres for rent/sale, OBO. Owner

MEYERS AGENCY 205 Halsell St, Bridgeport • 940-683-4008

NEW LISTING - Custom 3/2.5/2 rock/brick home with open Ir,dr and kitchen in Bridgeport. \$235,000 403 N. TRINITY - Motivated seller in this great starter 2/1 home in Decatur. \$87,000 144 NOTTINGHAM CIRCLE - Nice 3/2 home in Bridgeport. \$118,500 FAIR OAKS DRIVE - Corner oversized lot in Bridgeport. \$37,000

2205 WOODVILLE - This country 3/2 home that is within minutes of Bridgeport sits on 1 acre. \$172,000 104 HACKBERRY CT – Gorgeous 2 story 4/2.5 home in Runaway Bay. 105 PR 1647 - 100+/- acres with scattered to heavily wooded areas and pasture land. \$3,200/acre CR 3678 – 10+/- acres with a good mix of trees & coastal has that great spot to build your home. \$79,900

587 CR 1743 - Owner says sell this great weekender or permanent 2/1.5 furnished home. \$59,900 TRYALL DR - Golf course lot with scattered trees. \$18,000 RIDGEWOOD DR - Looking to build that dream home on interior lot with several trees in BISD. \$30,000

This newspaper will not know-

hearing impaired is 1-800-927-9275. EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

game room and loft upstairs. Completely Updated glass tile backsplash, updated bathrooms with granite countertops, new hardware, new tiled tubs and show-Convey. Bridgeport. This lake house has it all. Hand scraped alder wood floors, granite counter tops, stainless steel

Decatur- Country peaceful living on partially cleared 10+ acres. Gently sloping and full of mature oak trees. Perfect spot has been cleared to build your custom home and watch the wildlife out of

tongue and groove wood ceiling and a stone fireplace. Sq ft does not include sun room. Home has a

EMPLOYMENT

JOB OPENINGS

for experienced meat cutter and meat wrapper. Apply at Market Place, 1202 FM 51 or: www.marketplacegrocery.com.

Miscellaneous

Mobile home set-up person. Experience required. (940)683-5838.

PARTS DRIVER

Karl Klement Ford is seeking a dependable person with a good driving record & a great attitude. For consideration, please apply to Jodi Dusek, H.R. Manager at 605 N. Business Highway 287, Suite 102,

The Texas Department of Transportation in Decatur has one (1) opening for the following position: TITLE: Transportation Maint Tech II JVN NUMBER: 15418

SALARY: \$12.08 –18.72 per hour JOB DESCRIPTION:

Performs skilled transportation maintenance work. Work requires use of maintenance tools and operation of light equipment and some types of heavy equipment. Has multiple areas of responsibility. Work requires contact with private entities. Employees at this level perform work independently on assignments; however, all unusual issues are referred to the supervisor.

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE: Two (2) years experience in maintenance, construction or roadway equipment operation. (Experience requirements may be satisfied by full-time experience or the prorated part-time equivalent.) You are encouraged to apply on-line

at: http://ww.tx.dot.gov/careers/ap- <u>ply_online.htm</u>. You may also apply at the nearest TxDOT location between the hours of 8a.m. and 5p.m. Only information contained in the State of Texas Application for Employment and the competencies documentation on either TxDOT forms or separate sheets will be accepted and given consideration. No attachments such as resumes, letters of recommendation, references and/or training records or certificates will be accepted.

Applications will be accepted from Thursday, December 9, 2010 until 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 22, 2010. For additional information about the job qualification re-

quirements and application instructions, please call the Decatur Maintenance section at (940)626-3400 or the Fort Worth District office at (817)370-6845.

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY/AF-FIRMATIVE ACTION EMPLOYER.

Retail/Sales

SALES, BRIDGEPORT AARONS Learn the lease purchase business. Electronics experience helpful Good communication skills required. Duties include sales, customer service and store merchandising. Some heavy lifting. Aarons leases name brand furniture, electronics, and appliances. Raise after 90 days. Some overtime. Benefits. Drug screen. Closed on Sunday. \$10/hour, more for experience. Apply in person, 922 Halsell, downtown Bridgeport,

(940)683-5454, ask for Jason.

Trades

Decatur based company seeking experienced heavy/haul driver with Class A CDL. Some overnight travel. Must be able to perform minor repairs and service. Only experienced drivers need apply. \$18/hour. EOE. (940)627-0686.

Experienced tank truck drivers needed. Must have Class A CDL with tanker endorsement, clean driving record. (940)389-8218.

Hiring CDL drivers. Tanker endorsement and end dump. (940)389-2579 or (940)427-4953.

HIRING NOW! Experienced OTR/local drivers with Class A or B CDL, HazMat endorsement required, tanker endorsement a plus! Great benefits & pay. Apply in person, 2497 NE 36th Street, Fort Worth; or call (817)222-0649.

Karl Klement Ford has immediate opening for Ford Certified Transmission Tech. Apply in person to Kery Nelson at US Highway 287 South, Decatur; or call (940)627-1101.

Metal building fabrication company needing experienced help & weldimmediately. (940)748-2006.



Hiring immediately CDL drivers with a minimum 2 years experience, clean driving record, must pass drug test.

Contact: Rex Cross Office: 940-969-2480 • Mobile: 940-577-4731 220 County Road 334, Paradise, TX 76073

Needs a Full-time Professional. Must have extensive experience in Quickbooks, Excel and Payroll. Needs to be able to multi-task, possess good work ethics, excellent customer relation skills and positive attitude.

Kyle Erwin Construction

Send Resome to

jwilliamsfarm@embarqmail.com

or fax **940-433-5018**



C&D Production Specialists Co., Inc.

COMPETITIVE BENEFITS AND EXCELLENT PAY www.cdprod.net Accepting resumes for employment in the Barnett Shale – Ft Worth, Texas area

Experienced Oilfield Production Lease Operators

Experienced IT Communication Person

Experience in at least one of the following areas:
Radio Frequency Design & Installation
SCADA Communication
Tower Construction
Networking – TCP/IP
Telecommunication Project Management

Applicants must live in the Ft Worth, Granbury, Decatur, Bridgeport, Rhome, Texas area or be willing to relocate

PLEASE MAIL RESUMES TO

2336 Gravel Dr.

Fort Worth Texas, 76118 e-mail to: ethomas@cdprod.net • dthomas@cdprod.net Fax: 817-595-0768

Looking for just the right job?



Wise County Messenger Classifieds Online www.messenger.com/class

SERVICES

Adult/Elderly care

Male LVN/CNA looking for private sitting job, preferably nights. Spein Alzheimer's. (940)550-5685, leave message.

Business



Service for Trash & Debris Removal Haz-Mat Containment &

940-683-3770 **Bridgeport, TX 76426**

Removal

BRENDA DUGAN'S PAINTING Interior & exterior. Paint & stain

cabinets. Free estimates. Call Brenda Dugan, (940)389-0845 or (940)433-2557.

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS INSTALLED by off duty firefighter. Michael, (940)367-5790.

JOE TUCKER DRYWALL

Sheetrock . Tape . Bed . Texture. New construction, remodeling, add-ons. Call (940)389-0029.

MR. SWEEP'S

RUSSELL'S REMODELING

Chimney Cleaning Service. Chimney caps, dryer vent cleaning & fireplace repairs. Call, ask for \$20 discount. (817)692-5624.

& Repair. One call for all your needs. (940)389-4943.

WILL DO ODD JOBS Garage/barn cleaning, reorganization. Fence row cleaning, repair.

Yard services and much more. Call

Jeff, (940)577-2717.

Housecleaning

(940)799-7720.

Avant Cleaning Service. It's not clean until it's heavenly clean. Windows, commercial/residential, car detailing, carpet cleaning, upholstery, lawn care. Bonded/insured.

HEART FOR HOMES

Holiday special, coose from 3 cleaning or organizing packages. Gift certificates available. Free estimates. Sharon, (940)389-8883.

LUMPKIN'S CHIMNEY SWEEP Services include chimney inspecting, cleaning, cap installation and re-installation.

www.lumpkinschimneysweep.webs.com (940)435-8518.

PROFESSIONAL CLEANING SERVICES

Residential & commercial. Flat rates. We make it clean. Call Audrey, (940)393-3537.

Let me fix it

ELECTRICAL WORK

Commercial and residential. Lighting, outlets, service and repairs. New construction, remodels, Master license and insured. Free estimates. (940)627-0072.

Handymen with 30-years experience. We do it all! Remodeling, painting, haul-off, and much more. Larry, (817)247-0723; Ronnie, (903)624-9737; Roger, (940)735-1268.

HOME REPAIRS

Carpentry, minor electrical & plumbing. Free estimates. (940)389-0582.

MIKE'S RV SERVICE

Service calls, insurance work, full repairs, parts, washing/detailing. Also work on horse/enclosed trailers. Michael, (940)399-7565.

OVERALL GENERAL CONTRACTING

Storm damage, remodeling, all types fencing, driveways, right of ways, water ways. Commercial/residential. Best prices. (940)595-8133.

SKILLED CARPENTER

20-years experience. Remodeling, repairs, upgrades & additions. Small or large projects. Free estimates, any location. (214)334-6440.

Miscellaneous

FREELANCE WEB DESIGN GRAPHIC ARTIST

Local web designer and graphic artist with more than 15 years experience. Reasonable rates. www.toddagriffith.com.

FARM AND RANCH



Farm Equipment · Fencing Lawn & Garden · Livestock Livestock Care/Training Livestock Lost & Found Livestock Stud Service Livestock Supplies Pasture & Feed · Poultry

Farm Equipment

1965 FORD INDUSTRIAL

tractor with bucket & hay spike, \$6,500/OBO. Utility tilt trailer, \$350/OBO. Utility trailer w/ramp, \$350/OBO. (940)683-2371, (940)644-2545.

91-GALLON FUEL TRANSFER tank, diamond plate aluminum with

E.P.I. pump, hose & nozzle, filled up new. (940)433-3981. FOR SALE 24X6 GOOSENECK Stock Trailer 7,000 lbs. tandem, tor-

sion axles, electric brakes, excellent floor, \$3500. (817)925-3538, (940)389-8191.

NEW HOLLAND 4X4 TRACTOR Model TZ24DA, w/front end loader, like new. Howse 5'-shredder. King Kutter 5'-rake. Male donkey, very

gentle, free. (254)205-0401.

Fencing

3D FARM & RANCH SERVICES

All types fencing, metal buildings, carports, custom gates, entrances, cattle guards, mobile & shop welding. YOU NAME IT, WE DO IT!! (940)210-1242.

AFFORDABLE FENCING

All types, including chain link, wood privacy, vinyl, farm fencing. Installation or repair. (940)626-9290. www.affordablefencing.net.

All types fencing. Free estimates. Over 25-years experience. (817)444-3213.

BOBBY'S FENCE

FARM & RANCH FENCING Pipe & cable, non-climb, barbed wire, entrances, solar gate operators, repairs. Made in USA. Jim, (940)367-7505.

Lawn and garden

TREES TRIMMED & REMOVED 36 years in business, insured. All major credit cards accepted. (817)444-0861 Teater

Livestock

ALL NATURAL BEEF

straight from the ranch. Young, tender, no growth hormones/antibiotics. Grain or grass fed. Whole, half. (940)210-9614.

BUY, SELL & TRADE

All classes of horses, ponies, goats & trailers. (940)224-1470, (940)644-5956.

C BAR M TACK-FEED-HORSES 143 CR4396, Decatur, TX. Cash, credit checks. cards. www.cbarm.net, (817)929-3612.

CHAROLAIS BULLS 14-month-old and one

16-month-old. Ronnie. (817)475-4601.

I BUY & SELL

all kinds of animals & trailers. Horses, cows/calves, pigs, sheep, goats. All kinds poultry. Fred, (817)223-4477.

LLAMAS weanlings (6-months-old), adults, bred females, guardians & pet qual-

ity. We provide training & support for new owners. (940)433-5897. **VARIOUS HORSES**

Heeling horse. Roping horse. Ranch

horse. Cutting, bred mares: Smart Little Lena, Dual Pep, Young Gun. (940)231-5466

Livestock supplies

HORSE STABLE BLANKETS New, up to size 82, hoods, tail bags,

sheets & show equipment. (940)627-2924

Mowing

ACREAGE MOWING Tractor services. Plowing, seeding,

aerating, tilling, fertilizing available. Tommy, (940)482-6578.

WE PRINT

WEDDING INVITATIONS **ENGRAVED NAPKINS**

THANK-YOU NOTES SPANISH AND ENGLISH • QUICKLY AND AFFORDABLY -

Messenger 940.627.5987
OFFICE SUPPLY Public Fax 940.627.1004 7:205.20 Monday-risday 1175 N. Santara Carlo Markana Papers D

FARM AND RANCH

Pasture and feed

2010 COASTAL, 2ND CUTTING 4x5 net-wrapped, \$45. Round & square baling. \$5 discount on 10+ bales. (940)644-6669,

(940)399-8484

5X5 LARGE ROUNDS of coastal. 5 miles west of Decatur. Clean, \$45/bale. Few stickers, \$40/bale. (940)577-2426, Tom

BLACK ANGUS

bulls, 12-15 months. Registered, easy calving, good growth, out of A.I. sires. (940)964-2273. Pictures & details at: www.ntin.net/TruittFarms.

COASTAL HAY

for sale, round & square bales, delivery available. (940)841-2150.

COASTAL HAY 2010 square bales, fertilized, barn

stored. No minimum, you load, \$6/bale. Boyd, (940)433-2335. **COASTAL HAY FOR SALE** Fertilized & herbicide applied. 4x5

net-wrapped & twine-wrapped. Over

400 bales ready to be moved. Spe-

price on quantity. (940)427-2351.

COASTAL HORSE HAY square bales, fertilized. \$5/bale, no minimum. We help load. Delivery available. Between Decatur/Alvord, (817)991-7625

CUSTOM ROUND/SQUARE

baling, mowing, plowing, grain drill, trees trimmed, gardens tilled. Some hauling. Hay for sale. Call (940)393-9616 or (940)683-3148.

HAY FOR SALE Fertilized coastal, 4x5 round bales, \$45. Fertilized Johnson grass, 4x5

round bales, \$35. (940)433-2678,

HIGHLY FERTILIZED square bales coastal horse hay, no weeds, no stickers. 1-50 bales, \$5/each; 100 bales, \$4.50/each.

You load. (940)433-2633, Boyd.

(940)337-1728.

ized & weed free. Square bales, \$6/each; round bales, \$50/each. (940)433-2004.JOHNSON GRASS/COASTAL MIX

Horse quality coastal. Heavily fertil-

Cow hay, net-wrapped 4x5 bales, \$40/bale. Delivered. (940)389-8004.

★COASTAL HAY★ Large round bales, heavily fertilized & herbicided. Near Alvord, will load. (940)872-2197.

PREMIUM HORSE QUALITY hay, round or square. Guaranteed. (817)944-9451

PETS



Pets Lost & Found Pet Care/Training

Pets

!!ATTENTION!!

We suggest that our readers thoroughly investigate any advertiser before investing any money. **AKC GERMAN SHEPHERD**

Beautiful puppies, ready for Christmas. \$450/each. Males & females. (940)210-5919.

AKC LABRADORS White, cream, yellow, males & females. Parents on site. Wormed, shots, chipped. Ready for Christmas. Call (817)913-9164.

AKC registered teacup Yorkie, 11-weeks-old. \$850. (940)627-4574. Will hold for Christmas.

AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD puppies, 2 male black tri's, 12-weeks-old; \$350 each. Call

Renee, (972)746-5758.

(740)817-8021

BEAUTIFUL AKC REGISTERED Boxer puppies for sale. Black brindle and brindle, males and females. One white female. Born 11-21-10. Ready for Christmas. Taking deposits. \$400. Not a breeder, own both parents, family pets. Wonderful dispositions, beautiful dogs. Parents

GOLDEN RETRIEVERS

on premises. Bridgeport area,

Purebred, ready by Christmas, dew-clawed, first shots, complete puppy starter-kit. \$300. Call (940)389-8932; tmariec2@gmail.com

JUST IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS

Boxer puppies. No papers, parents on premises, 1st shots, wormed. \$200/each. (940)644-5701, (940)389-3637

YORKIES, AKC Male/female, shots, wormed, health \$150-\$500. quarantee.

(940)507-0082, (940)567-2800, www.URNextpup.com.

PETS

PRECIOUS LAB PUPPIES

AKC registered. Ready Christmas week. Chocolate, black, yellow. Parents on site. \$350, chocolate; \$300, others. Call for selection, (940)389-2720.

REGISTERED MINI BEAGLES male, 4-months-old, all shots.

Pets lost and found

\$125. (940)683-5223.

Found: Dec. 11, 2 big, white dogs, southwest Wise County. (940)748-2033.

MERCHANDISE FOR SALE



Appliances

\$300. (817)366-2540.

Furniture

MASSIVE BROYHILL QUEEN 8-PIECE BEDROOM SUITE With sleigh bed. PERFECT FOR CHRISTMAS. Sacrifice \$1800, OBO. (940)210-9021 after 3p.m.

SAVE ON LEASE RETURNS

save big. Cleaned and sanitized mattress sets, both for \$139. Sofa and love, both for \$389. 60" Mitsubishi TV, from \$449. Lamp pairs, \$29. 3-piece accessory tables from \$79

Garage sales

!!ATTENTION!!

Garage sale ads must be called in BEFORE 10a.m. Tuesday to run in the Thursday edition. If you want your garage sale ad in All Around Wise also, it MUST be called in before 10a.m. Friday THE WEEK BE-FORE the sale. We do not run garage sales the weekend before the

Road, Thur.-Fri., Dec. 16-17, 8a.m.-4p.m. Clothes: infant girl, boys size 3-4 & 8, women's. Dishes.

Runaway Bay, 1216-A Chestnut Court, Fri.-Sat., Dec. 17-18. 2-families, washer/dryer, queen-sized bed,

Firewood

DECATUR, SPLIT OAK FIREWOOD Delivered. \$200 a cord. Call (940)595-8133.

Seasoned, split, oak firewood. (940)389-6407.

OAK FIREWOOD for sale. Call for details,

for sale. Mowing pastures & acreage. Pole saw work. Reasonable

Miscellaneous

(940)627-2924.

Come pick yours! By appointment only, (940)595-8133. **HP DESIGNJET 500**

nuts, pecan pralines. Texas Nut shellers, Texas Two-step nut crack-Hills Store, (940)683-4959.

never used, original owner. Extras. \$1,400/OBO. (940)859-1013.

Fence Pipe and Supplies $2^{3}/_{8}$ - $2^{7}/_{8}$ - $3^{1}/_{2}$ - $4^{1}/_{2}$ - $5^{1}/_{2}$

> Domed Caps and Springs All Types of Steel

Flusche Enterprises, Inc. 940-759-2203

30/06 Meostar R1 scope. New,

Square & Rectangle Tubing

Muenster, TX

· Clothing/Jewelry Garage Sales

Firewood

Auctions

Miscellaneous

Nice Kenmore washer & dryer.

We leased it first and now you can

Laptop computer from \$289. Appliances and much more. Quantities limited and vary by store. Short on cash? Lease to own in only 12-months with no credit needed. Aarons,1300 FM 51 South, #300E, Decatur, next to Dollar General. (940)627-5043, ask for Miles.

Decatur, 1203 N. Melba Doyle Park

clothes, lots of everything.

FIREWOOD FOR SALE

((40)389-4528. **OAK FIREWOOD**

Seasoned oak & mesquite firewood. Call for details. (940)255-2679.

rates. (940)210-0723.

CHRISTMAS YARD ORNAMENTS Two 3' tall lighted horses. Two 5' tall Santa & Bear cut-outs.

DECORATIVE POSTS rough cedar, 6" to 18" diameter.

24" color plotter, rarely used, paid \$2500, sell for \$550. Hurd 6' x 6'8" wood door, metal clad, atrium style, never used, paid \$1500, sell for \$550. (940)393-8740.

PECANS Whole & shelled. Cashews, pea-

REMINGTON 700XCR

C-Purlin

TRANSPORTATION

Cars

IF YOU NEED

a good, dependable car or truck for \$3,500 or less, come by Cowgirl Auto Sales, 804 Business Highway 287, Decatur, TX; (940)626-0070. Ask about our inventory. Let's do

TOP DOLLAR PAID

for junk cars & trucks. (817)220-5682.

I'LL BUY THOSE YARD CARS

56k miles. \$15,500.

as well as your good used cars. Arvin, (817)925-8768.

2008 VOLKSWAGEN JETTA 1-owner, excellent condition, new

(940)577-5114 Will buy wrecked or not running cars

& pickups. Ford, Chevy & Dodge parts for sale. (940)433-2255

Recreational vehicles

2003 COACHMEN 30' Motorhome, excellent shape, 37k miles, \$34,500. (940)393-8740.

Pickups/Vans/SUVs

USED PARTS

1993 Eplorer, 4-door. 1990 Ford pickup. 1999 Tahoe. 2006 Chevy 4-door. 1987 Suburban. (940)433-2255. 2003 EXPLORER XLT

Sport-Trac, all power & air, 117k miles. Well maintained & serviced Reduced! \$5,850. regularly. (940)466-3577.

Accessories

SUPER CHIPS

HP tuner: AFE air intake system. Both for 2007 GM, 6.5 liter LMM Dudiesel. \$250/each. (817)366-4636

Trailers

Assembled, 5x8 box trailer, metal frame w/wood sides, 1-axle. Asking \$450/OBO. (940)399-9504

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Card of Thanks Lost & Found Personal

Lost and found

Found: Decatur Middle School class ring. Found on College Street. Contact Leisa Gage, (940)627-5987.

If you noticed this ad, then your customers will as well.

Let us build one for you.

115 S. Trinity, Decatur, TX • 940-627-598

NOTICES

Legal notices

The City of Lake Bridgeport has passed an ordinance regulating small wind energy systems and solar energy systems, establishing requirements, a permit process, abandonment criteria, maintenance, inspections, and providing a penalty.

PUBLICATION OF REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER

In accordance with Article 6252-13c.1, Texas Civil Statutes, the Wise County Sheriff's Department is publishing information on registration of a known sex offender who has moved into Wise County.

The offender, Darryl Wayne Pressley, date of birth 11/22/1966, will be residing at 205 Hount, Rhome, Texas 76078. Charged with indency with a child by contact. His victim was a 14 year old female.

PUBLICACION De OFENSOR DE SEXO REGISTRADO

De acuerdo con el Articulo 6252-13c1, de los Estatutos Civiles de Texas; El departamento del Alguacil del condado Wise esta publicando informacion sobre un ofensor de sexo registrado quien se ha movido al condado

El ofensor, Darryl Wayne Pressley, fecha de nacimiento 11/22/1966, residirá en la dirreccion 205 Hount, Rhome, Texas 76078. Indecencia con un niña por contacto. Su víctima fue una niña de 14 año



PUBLICATION OF REGISTERED **SEX OFFENDER**

In accordance with Article 6252-13c.1, Texas Civil Statutes, the Wise County Sheriff's Depart ment is publishing information on registration of a known sex offender who has moved into Wise County.

The offender, Stewart Michael Townley, date of birth 12/28/1962. will be residing at 682 Chisholm Hills Drive, Rhome, Texas 76078. Charged with indency with a child by contact. His victim was a 12 vear old female.

PUBLICACION De OFENSOR DE SEXO REGISTRADO

De acuerdo con el Articulo 6252-13c1, de los Estatutos Civiles de Texas: El departamento del Alguacil del condado Wise esta publicando informacion sobre un ofensor de sexo registrado quien se ha movido al condado

El ofensor, Stewart Michael ownley, fecha de nacimient 12/28/1962, residirá en la dirreccion 682 Chisholm Hills Drive, Rhome, Texas 76078. Indecencia con un niña por contacto. Su víctima fue una niña de 12 año.





THAT'S OUR BUSINESS!

Regardless of Credit Rating or Credit Score...

WE CAN HELP **Visit with Our Professional** Sales Team at

JAMES WOOD FINANCE LOT

We'll qualify you in minutes on the vehicle of your choice! Hwy. 287 south in Decatur

Bids & Proposals

ALVORD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS **COPY MACHINES/PRINTERS December 6, 2010**

Alvord ISD will accept Sealed Proposals for new copy machines with an option of including classroom and office printers as a portion of the submittal. Alvord ISD will accept the Sealed Proposals until 2:00 p.m. on January 14, 2011. All Sealed Proposals must be either mailed or hand delivered to the Alvord ISD Administration Building. The mailing address is Alvord Independent School District, PO Box 70, Alvord, Texas 76225. The Alvord ISD Administration Building is located at 100 Mosley Lane, Alvord, Texas 76225.

All sealed Proposals must be sent to Bill Branum, Superintendent of

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TxDOT) CONTRACTS

Sealed proposals for contracts listed below will be received by TxDOT until the date(s) shown below, and then publicly read. CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/

BUILDING FACILITIES CONTRACT(S) Dist/Div: Fort Worth

Contract 0013-08-122 for HMAC OVERLAY in WISE County will be opened on January 4, 2011 at 1:00 p.m. at the State Office.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at www.txdot.gov and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor. NPO: 35075

State Office Constr./Maint. Division 200 E. Riverside Dr. Austin, Texas 78704 Phone: 512-416-2540 Dist/Div Office(s) Fort Worth District District Engineer 2501 Southwest LP820 Ft Worth, Texas 76133 Phone: 817-370-6500

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TXDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.

Notice to Creditors

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Nellie Vivian Nivens, Deware issued on Dace 8, 2010, in Cause No. PR-3063, pending in the County Court at Law of Wise County, Texas, to: W. David Goodwin.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law to the follow-

c/o: W. David Goodwin 242 CR 2797 Alvord, Texas 76225 DATED the 8th day of December,

Stephen J. Wren State Bar No.: 22018700 WOODRUFF & WREN, LLP PO Box 977

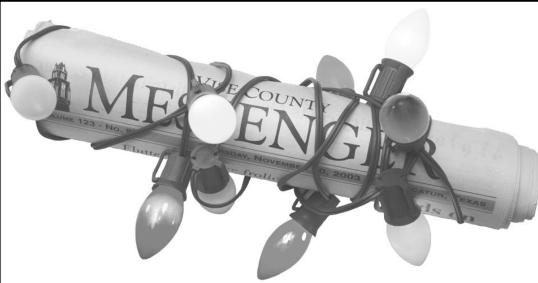
Decatur, TX 76234 Telephone: (940)627-2162 Facsimile: (940)627-1619 ATTORNEY FOR THE ESTATE

Give A Gift that will be remembered all year long!!!



Here's the secret-give a gift subscription of this newspaper to your special friends. We provide a colorful gift card to meet any special occasion announcing you as the giver. Now you don't have to worry about shopping for a hard to find gift for that special person to enjoy. Come by our office or call today for specific details on this convenient, exciting gift!





We will be closed Christmas Eve, **Christmas Day & New Years Eve**

We will have earlier deadlines for News and Advertising on the following dates:

Sunday, December 26 Edition

Display, Classified Display & Legal Notices:

3 p.m. on Tues., Dec. 21 Classified Line Ads:

4 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 22

Thursday, December 30 Edition

All Around Wise Display, Classified Gold Display &

Classified Line Ads: 4 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 22

Paid Circulation Display, Classified Display & Legal Notices:

3 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 22

Sunday, January 2 Edition

Display, Classified Display & Legal Notices:

3 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 29 Classified Line Ads:

4 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 29

Thursday, January 6 Edition

All Around Wise Display, Classified Gold Display & Classified Line Ads:

4 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 29 Paid Circulation Display, Classified Display & Legal Notices:

3 p.m. on Thurs., Dec. 30



P.O. Box 149 • 115 South Trinity • Decatur, TX 940-627-5987 • Fax 940-627-1004

www.wcmessenger.com • Email ads@wcmessenger.com

Messenger OFFICE SUPPLY

115 S.Trinity, Decatur 940-627-5987 Visa MasterCard American Express Discover Public Fax 940-627-1004 7:30-5:30 Mon.-Fri.



2011 Calendars & More

•DayMinders: Daily, Weekly & Monthly GET IT ALL • Erasable Wall Planners

at Messenger Office Supply: ✓ Ease ✓ Value

√Selection

/Service

Yearly Wall Calendars

Monthly Desk Pads

At-A-Glance Refills



FURNITURE SPECIALISTS

Order Online at www.messengerofficesupply.com

BASKETBALL

Eagles claim tourney title

BV RICHARD GREENE

Two weeks ago, the Decatur Eagles struggled offensively to get anything going while being handed a sound defeat by the Denton Ryan Raiders.

Saturday, the Eagles showed they learned their lessons from that loss with a 52-44 victory over Ryan to claim the championship in the Decatur/Farm Bureau Insurance Tournament.

Decatur shot 54 percent, 18-for-33, and led by as many as 20 points, 38-18, in the second half. Three Eagles finished in double figures led by Austin Lamirand's 15.

"We were way more prepared," said Decatur center Nick Linder, who finished with 15 points. "We knew what they did and how they played. We felt more confi-

It was the second straight tournament won by the Eagles. They went 3-0 at the tournament, also scoring wins over Gainesville State School and Byron Nelson.

But Decatur coach Roger Brown was just as impressed by the adjustments the Eagles made to score the win over Ryan.

"It helps playing someone a second time," Brown said. "We didn't play good in Denton. It's a great sign for the team that we can look at them on film and see what corrections we need to make and execute them."

In their first meeting, Decatur struggled against Ryan's zone defense with the 6-9 Adam Choplick in the middle. This time around, Decatur attacked the zone early and hit some shots

on the outside, including Lamirand's three-pointer just 12 seconds into the game. Lamirand hit four of his seven three-point tries.

By the end of the first quarter, Ryan came out of its zone and was forced to play man-to-man.

Linder put in six in the first quarter as Decatur took an 11-7 lead.

Ryan took a brief lead, 16-15, in the second quarter before Decatur took it back for good. Caleb Hogan's basket, followed by a Lamirand three-pointer, gave the Eagles a 20-16 lead with 2:07 left in the half. Decatur ended the half on an 8-0run to take a 23-16 lead.

Decatur held Choplick to just four points in the first half. He finished with just nine on five shots.

"We did a good job of keeping them from dumping the ball in to [Choplick]," Brown said.

Decatur continued the work on the defensive end in the third quarter, holding Ryan without a point until Kevin Ray's drive to the basket with 2:28 left in the frame. Decatur started the second half with a 12-0 run capped by a Lamirand three-pointer.

Ross Walker's threepointer immediately after Ray's hoop put the Eagles up 20. Walker finished with

Decatur led 38-22 going into the fourth quarter.

Forcing 10 Decatur turnovers in the final frame, Ryan got within six, 50-44, with 1:05 remaining. Lamirand put the game away, making it a three-possession game with a pair of free throws with 19 ticks left.



Messenger photo by Mack Thweatt

DRIVING THE LANE — Decatur center Nick Linder fights his way to the basket during the Eagles' win over Denton Ryan in the championship of the Decatur/Farm Bureau Insurance Tournament Saturday.

BASKETBALL

Bulls fall at Venus

The Bridgeport Bulls struggled to stay with a District 7-3A opponent, Fort Worth Castleberry, Saturday in their final game of the Venus Tour-

Castleberry used big runs in the second and fourth quarters to secure the 67-47 win.

Bridgeport (2-11) led early 16-12, but lost the advantage as Castleberry went on a 24-4 run in the second quarter. Castleberry led 36-20 at halftime and took a 45-33 lead into the final frame. Castleberry poured in 22 points over the last eight minutes.

Bridgeport coach Brian Miller said it was a disappointing loss.

"We did a very poor job on defense, and we cannot win when we don't have energy and passion on the defensive end," Miller said. "Poor defense and too many turnovers equal losses."

with 19 points. Alex Samples added 13. Bridgeport also fell to Ve-

Cameron King led the Bulls

nus, 55-21, at the tourna-

The Bulls trailed 24-11 at halftime, then went scoreless in the third quarter. Venus led 41-11 going into the final

"We turned the ball over 20-plus times, and out of our first 30 offensive possessions we only had six shots at the basket," Miller said.

Samples led the Bulls with five points. Drew Miles and Mac Whitcomb each put in three.

BASKETBALL

Boyd eases to win

The Boyd Lady Yellowjackets had a grand final tuneup for District 10-2A play Friday with a 44-31 win over Fort Worth All Saints.

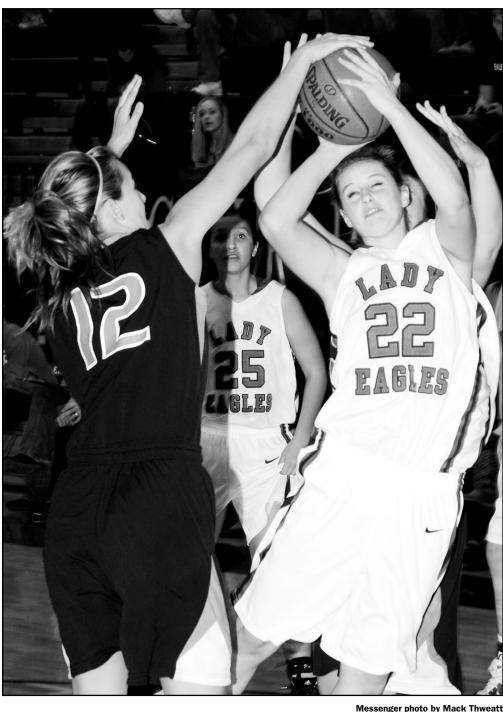
The night was even more special for senior guard Jessica Drake, who poured in 24 points to become one of the few Boyd players to surpass 1,000 points for her career. She hit the mark with a two-point basket with 5:46 left in the game.

Drake also hit seven threepointers, including four in the first quarter.

Drake's long-range shooting helped the Lady Yellowjackets to a 17-5 first-quarter lead. Boyd led 21-16 at halftime.

The Lady Yellowjackets put the game away with a 12-2 lead in the third quarter to take a 33-18 lead.

Stormi McCarter added eight points, four steals and four assists. Shelbi Tidwell put in six points and grabbed eight rebounds.



PATH BLOCKED — An Aledo defender tries to knock the ball away from Decatur's Jaci Isham during the Lady Eagles' loss Saturday in the finals of the tournament.

BASKETBALL

Lady Eagles fall in finals

By RICHARD GREENE

The Lady Eagles couldn't keep the title of the Decatur/Farm Bureau Insurance Tournament at home Satur-

The Aledo Ladycats forced 20 Decatur turnovers and rolled to a 60-44 victory over the Lady Eagles in the championship game.

Decatur ended the tournament at 2-1 with wins over Farmersville and Keller Central.

"We played all right for the tournament," said Decatur coach Billy Garner. "I wish we would have played better today. We had too many turnovers."

Decatur's Joey Redwine and Macie Dane were allselections. tournament Dane led Decatur with 10 points in the championship game. The hustling Redwine finished with eight.

Along with holding on to the ball, the Lady Eagles also had trouble slowing Aledo's Logan Mittie, who poured in a game-high 27

points.

Mittie broke a tie at four with 2:11 left in the first quarter with her first threepointer. The shot started a 6-2 run to end the first frame for the Lady Cats.

Mittie and Aledo continued to pull away in the second quarter. Her threepointer with 3:12 left in the half put Aledo up 20-8. She closed the half with a pair of free throws in the final seconds to give Aledo a 30-14 halftime lead.

Decatur struggled to find offense in the third quarter, committing seven turnovers and hitting just three field goals. Aledo took a 46-21 lead into the fourth quarter.

The Ladycats grabbed their largest lead of 30 points, 57-27, with Hannah Loftin's basket with 4:45 remaining.

Decatur quickly cut the deficit back to 21 on three straight three-pointers. Jordan Alker drained two of the long-range shots. She scored all of her eight points in the fourth quarter.

Decatur outscored Aledo 17-3 over the final 3:58.

BASKETBALL

Panthers claim Poolville crown

The Paradise Panthers brought home the championship from the Poolville Tournament Saturday.

The Panthers (12-2) knocked off Nocona 75-50 to finish a perfect 5-0 in the tournament.

Paradise also beat Slidell, Graford, Poolville and Perrin-Whitt.

"We were pretty consistent throughout the tournament," said Paradise coach Todd McCormick. "We played 10 games in 10 days so it was nice to see that we were able to be consistent."

Paradise point guard Toi Glover earned the tournament's MVP award. Logan Bailey and Connor Berry made the all-tournament

In the championship game, Glover ran the explosive offense, dishing out 16 assists with nine points and six rebounds.

Paradise went on a 19-7 secondquarter run to take a 37-21 halftime lead. The Panthers put up 27 points in the third quarter to build a 64-38 lead.

Bailey led the Panthers with 23 points. Berry added 13. Tyler Overstreet and Kaleb Read had 11

Paradise started the tournament with an 86-34 blowout of Perrin-Whitt. The Panthers started the game on a 22-6 run and led 50-16 at halftime.

Berry put in 23 points. Overstreet added 15, Bailey 13 and

Paradise clipped Poolville 65-63 as Overstreet hit a shot at the final buzzer. Overstreet and Glover scored 15 each. Berry led the Panthers with 16 points and 11 re-

The game was tied at 34 at halftime. Poolville pulled ahead 54-49 going into the final frame, forcing Paradise to rally.

In its third game of the tournament, Glover recorded a tripledouble with 11 points, 13 rebounds and 14 assists as Paradise routed Graford 96-60.

The Panthers scored at least 26

points in three of the four quar-

Bailey finished with 23 points. Berry added 21. Overstreet had 14. Keaton Hickman grabbed 14 rebounds to go along with nine points.

To secure a spot in the championship, Paradise beat Slidell 96-39. Paradise led 56-28 at halftime. The Panthers outscored Slidell 38-11 in the second half.

Glover scored 27 and Bailey 23. Berry added 12 and Hickman 10.

BASKETBALL

Lady Bulldogs start district

Alvord opens with Krum

By RICHARD GREENE

The Alvord Lady Bulldogs' push for a second straight trip to the playoffs will begin Friday.

The Lady Bulldogs open the seven-team District 9-2A schedule Friday at home against perennial power, the Krum Lady Bobcats at 6:15

"It's a big test on Friday," said Alvord coach Rob Schmucker.

But while facing one of the league's top teams in the opener, Schmucker said the team can't put too much emphasis on it.

"We just have to take it one game at a time and no matter the outcome Friday, we can't get too high or low," he said. "It's a long district schedule."

Alvord is coming off going 4-0 at the Highway 114 Tournament over the weekend. Junior point guard Jordan Ward had a strong weekend, scoring 35 and 29 in a pair of games.

The Lady Bulldogs will lean heavily on Ward as they navigate through a tough district schedule with stateranked Ponder, Holliday and Nocona. Ward and Madi Lynch are Alvord's two most experienced players.

"We're young," Schmucker said. "We have to keep doing what we need to do and stav the course.

"Offensively, we have to take care of the ball and get good shots. Defensively, we have to put pressure on the ball. We live by getting deflections, tips and steals."



PUSHING WAY INTO DISTRICT — Alvord point guard Jordan Ward leads the Lady Bulldogs into District 9-2A play Friday. Ward leads the Lady Bulldogs in scoring.

Alvord **goes 4-0** at tourney

BASKETBALL

The extra work in the doubleovertime win over Denton Guyer to begin the Highway 114 Tournament did not slow down the Alvord Lady Bulldogs over the weekend.

Alvord rolled through the tournament at 4-0, hammering Paradise 52-18 in its final

Jordan Ward and Carley King notched all-tournament selections as the Lady Bulldogs also scored wins over Grandview and Frisco Lonestar.

"The first two games we could have played better," said Alvord coach Rob Schmucker. "We played two real good games at the end. We had some girls that really stepped up and did well in their roles."

Against Paradise, the Lady Bulldogs broke the game open in the second quarter, blanking the Lady Panthers and putting up 26 points. Alvord led 39-6 at

Freshman Marissa Schedcik led the way with 16 points King put in 11. Chelsey Steele and Ward scored nine.

Alvord beat Grandview 45-27. The Lady Bulldogs never allowed Grandview to score more than eight in a quarter. Alvord took an 11-point lead in the first quarter, 18-7, and never

looked back. Ward finished with 17 points King added 11.

Alvord toppled Lonestar 61-31 with a huge game from Ward. The point guard, who opened the tournament with a 35-point effort, finished with 29. Schedcik had 10.

The Lady Bulldogs used a 21-7 push in the third quarter to build a 51-24 lead.

BASKETBALL

Sissies sweep 114 tourney

The Bridgeport Sissies closed out a perfect 4-0 run through the Highway 114 Tournament Saturday with a 39-20 win over Lockney. Bridgeport also beat Carrollton Ranch-

view, Millsap and Frisco Lonestar in the tournament to move to 9-2 on the year.

Against Lockney, Haley Meekins poured in 17 points. Emily Price posted a doubledouble of 12 points and 10 rebounds.

Bridgeport limited Lockney to less than six points in all four quarters. The Sissies took an 11-5 first-quarter lead and built the advantage to 19-11 at the break. Bridgeport outscored Lockney 13-5 in the third quarter.

"It was a good win to end our tournament," said Bridgeport coach Eddie Fortenberry. "We're still struggling in certain areas, but

we are showing some improvement." After beating Ranchview to start the

tournament early Thursday afternoon, Bridgeport beat Millsap that night 41-27. Bridgeport jumped out to a 14-3 first-quarter lead and never looked back.

"It was a good start — with a scoring slump of about 10 minutes mixed in there — that made for a closer game than it should have been," Fortenberry said. "The team played excellent defense."

Meekins led the way with 27 points and 10 rebounds. Price added nine points.

Friday, Bridgeport took down Lonestar 45-39. The Sissies trailed 25-16 at halftime. Bridgeport turned the game around in the second half. It outscored Lonestar 10-4 in the third quarter and 19-10 in the final frame.

Meekins scored 22 points. Price had seven. Macy Bishop grabbed six rebounds and made two steals to go along with two points.

BASKETBALL

Bulldogs earn two victories

The Alvord Bulldogs finished with a split over the weekend at the Lake Country Christian Tournament.

Alvord closed the tournament Saturday with a 55-40 win over CHANT Home School of Dallas.

The Bulldogs also beat Willow Park Trinity. Alvord's two

losses came to Dallas Molina and the Dallas Jesuit JV. Alvord coach Larry Hicks

said the tournament provided good experience for his team. "We had the opportunity to

play against some 4A and 5A programs as well as some private and home school teams," he said.

Against CHANT, the Bulldogs

put the game away early with a 21-7 first-quarter run that was followed by an 11-2 second quarter to build a 32-9 lead.

Casen Baker posted a doubledouble of 11 points and 11 rebounds for Alvord. Trevor Hardee scored 10, grabbed seven

rebounds and made four steals. Alvord lost its opening game to Molina 43-34. The Bulldogs started slow, falling behind by

11, 24-13, in the first quarter. Alvord fought back within four in the final frame.

Baker put in 11 and grabbed 12 rebounds. Hardee had 13 rebounds to go along with four points, three steals and five assists.

Alvord topped Willow Park

Trinity 60-47 behind a tripledouble from Hardee. He put up 16 points, 18 rebounds and 10 assists along with four steals.

Hardee led a quartet in double figures. Clay Hopkins scored 12. Baker and Harley had 10. Baker grabbed 20 boards.

Alvord fell to the Jesuit JV 50-41 due to a lack of scoring in the first and third quarters. Jesuit jumped out to a 13-9 lead in the first quarter and led 28-25 at the break.

Alvord managed just four points in the third quarter. and fell down 36-29.

Baker scored 19 points and grabbed 15 rebounds. Hardee finished with 13 points and 15.



Messenger photo by Mack Thweatt

OFFENSIVE FORCE — Alvord's Colton Redman breaks up field on a run in the playoff win over Hico. Redman was named District 3-2A Offensive MVP for his efforts this season.

2010 District 3-2A Football Team

Tyler Cole, senior, Holliday Offensive MVP Colton Redman, senior, Alvord Offensive Newcomer

Carson Earp, sophomore, Jacksboro **Defensive MVP**

Joseph Dowd, senior, Holliday **Defensive Newcomer** DJ Boyd, junior, Holliday

> Offense First Team

Linemen: Joseph Dowd, senior, Holliday; Ryan Todd, senior, Holliday; Zane Stone, senior, Holliday; Harley Davila, junior, Alvord; Hunter Covert, senior, Henrietta

Tight end: Justin Killen, senior. Nocona: Casen Baker, sophomore,

Wide receivers: Luis Maldonado senior, Alvord; Brandon Lavy, senior, Henrietta: Dalton Tisdale, senior. Jacksboro: Taylor Spear, Jacksboro

Wingback: Jacob Hardin, senior, Hollidav: Kolton Booher, junior, Henrietta: Bill Powers, senior, City View

Ouarterback: Jacob Cole, sophomore, Holliday; Stephen Leija, senior. City View

Running backs: Cody Blanscet, enior. Henrietta: Austin Twilligear junior, Holliday; Tate Fenoglio, sophomore, Nocona; DJ Brown, junior, City View

Kicker: Bryce Davis, senior, Hol-

Punter: Bill Powers, senior, City View

Second Team

Linemen: Joseph Storey, junior, Nocona; Steven Talamantes, senior, Alvord; Tri Hoang, sophomore, City View; Stoney Newberry, senior, Henrietta; Chase Wilson, senior, Hol-

Tight end: Tyler Coleman, sopho-

Wide receivers: Jake Sanchez, junior, Henrietta; Colby Baumer, junior, Holliday; Austin Bowen, senior,

Wingback: Joseph Costa, junior,

Quarterback: Trevor Hardee, junior, Alvord; Jake Laster, senior, Henrietta

Running backs: Jesse Brown, junior, Alvord; Dalton Day, sophomore, Henrietta; Taylor Hill, junior, Holli-

Kicker: Jose Luna, sophomore,

Punter: Bryce Davis, senior, Holliday; Joseph Costa, junior, Henrietta

Defense **First Team**

Line: Ryan Todd, junior, Holliday; Dalton King, senior, Alvord; Joseph Costa, iunior, Henrietta: Ben Sauer, senior. Henrietta

Defensive ends: Dustin Griggs, senior, Alvord; Cody Blanscet, senior, Henrietta

Linebackers: Josh Ferguson, senior, Henrietta; TJ Houston, senior, Alvord: Bill Powers, senior, City View; Taylor Hill, junior, Holliday; Jacob Hardin, senior, Holliday: Stoney Newberry, senior; Henrietta; Cody Harrison, senior, Alvord

Defensive backs: Austin Twilligear, junior, Holliday; Luis Maldonado, senior, Alvord: Tate Fenoglio, sophomore, Nocona: Kolton Booher, iunior. Henrietta

Second Team

Line: Mat Anderson, junior, Holliday; Hunter Sereika, senior, Alvord; Coty McKelvey, junior, Henrietta

Defensive ends: Tyler Coleman, sophomore, Henrietta; Maurisio Perez, junior, Alvord

Linebackers: Sam Shirley, sophomore, Holliday; Justin Killen, senior, Nocona; Clay Hopkins, senior, Alvord; Gage Balthrop, junior, Holliday; Justin Kirkendall, senior, Nocona

Secondary: Colby Baumer, junior, Holliday; Matthew Nichols, senior, Alvord; DJ Brown, junior, City View; Brandon Lavy, senior, Henrietta

SWIMMING



FAST SHOWING — Caycee Holson shows off her award after

Holson takes third

Caycee Holson of Quest Aquatics took third in the 50-yard backstroke at the "A" Winter Classic Short Course Invitational held at Addison's Loos Natatorium Dec. 3-5.

taking third in Addison last week.

Holson, 10, swam a personal-best 33.72 in the 10and-under finals.

She achieved her Texas age group standard earlier this year.

FOOTBALL

Redman earns top offensive award

The Alvord Bulldogs rode the legs of senior running back Colton Redman to the second round of the Class 2A playoffs for the first time this past season.

For his efforts, Redman earned the Offensive MVP award in District 3-2A. He was one of 17 Bulldogs to earn all-district honors.

Redman rushed for 1,396 yards in the regular season. He led the Bulldogs to a 32-14 bi-district win over Hico with 243 yards and four touchdowns.

District champion Holliday dominated the superlative awards. Tyler Cole was the league MVP. The Eagles' Joseph Dowd was the Defensive MVP, and DJ Boyd the top defensive newcomer. Jacksboro quarterback Carson Earp was tabbed the offensive newcomer.

Alvord put three players on the first-team offense lineman Harley Davila, tight end Casen Baker and receiver Luis Maldonado. Baker caught 10 passes for 182 yards. Maldonado grabbed

28 passes for 469 yards.

Five Bulldogs made the second-team offense — lineman Steven Talamantes, receiver Austin Bowen, quarterback Trevor Hardee, running back Jesse Brown and kicker Jose Luna.

Defensively, Alvord had five first-team picks — lineman Dalton King, end Dustin Griggs, linebackers TJ Houston and Cody Harrison, and safety Maldonado.

Houston, who came back after missing a year with an injury, made 82 tackles. Har-

rison was in on 67 tackles and made eight sacks. Maldonado led the team with 122 tackles.

Four Bulldogs — lineman Hunter Sereika, end Maurisio Perez, linebacker Clay Hopkins and defensive back Matthew Nichols — made the second-team defense.

Alvord had four players receive honorable mention — offensive lineman Elijah Gardiner, wingback Ty Mc-Daniel, linebacker Scotty Batchelor and defensive back Bowen.



Renew your Wise County Messenger subscription before January 1, regardless of expiration date.



PO Box 149 • 115 South Trinity • Decatur • 940-627-5987 FAX 940-627-1004 • www.wcmessenger.com/subscribe

Save from \$2 to \$10 over 2011 Rates!*

- ☐ One Year In-County \$35
- One Year Out-of-State \$45
- Two Year In-County \$60 ■ Two Year Out-of-State \$80

□ Credit Card □ Check #:____

- ☐ One Year Out-of-County \$40 ☐ One Year Digital Subscription \$20
- ☐ Two Year Out-of-County \$70 ☐ Two Year Digital
- Subscription \$40

Exp.:_

*Offer expires January 1, 2011

| Address: | | | |
|----------|--------|------|--|
| City: | State: | Zip: | |
| Phone: | | | |
| ⊏ Mail: | | | |

Credit Card Type: _ Credit Card Number: __ Submit payment to:

Wise County Messenger PO Box 149 • 115 South Trinity • Decatur, TX 76234

WSED JUSINESS







Professional Quality & Free Quotations

· Screen Printing · Sweatshirts • Bags • Team Uniforms Embroidery • Golf Shirts • T-Shirts • Caps

Gay Read & Kelly Read

940-969-3680

328 Schoolhouse Rd. • Paradise, Tx 76073

TOM'S

NEW CONSTRUCTION. RENOVATIONS & REPAIR

- Custom gunite pools
- Maintenance repair on all pools

OVER 40 YEARS IN BUSINESS

Colby Williams 940-393-3944





- Service
- Small Jobs
- Big Jobs Commercial
- Residential
- Trenching
- Small Backhoe
- Oilfield
- Mobile Homes

940.626.9901

65' Bucket Truck



\$696°

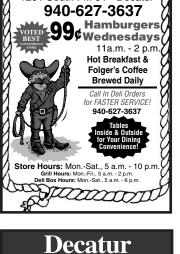
900 W Thompson • Decatur (behind Prada Shops) 940-626-0014

Financing and Late Appointments Available

www.classicfloorcoverings.net







Be Safe...

Be Efficient...

Schedule Your
HEATING • SERVICE • SPECIAL
TODAY!

940-627-1616

Prompt & Trusted Service on all

Makes & Models

www.decaturheat-air.com

DONATE AN UNWRAPPED

TOY & RECEIVE A

FREE HEATING TUNE-UP

ACLA489IC TACLB28913E

DECATUR STORE

KELLY K TIRES

1201 N. Hwy. 81/287

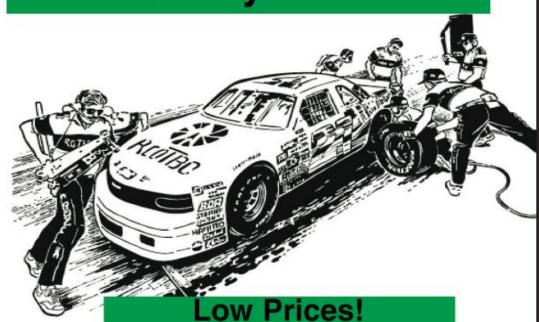
GOOD YEAR

(940) 627-3657

B.W. Stone

Owner

Put us on your team!



Let the knowledgeable staff at Decatur Tire help you select the best tire for your use. We'll be glad to help.

GOOD YEAR

Firestone

DECATUR TIRE STORE

1201 North Highway 81/287, Decatur • (940) 627-3657 • B.W. Stone, Owner Open: Monday - Friday, 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. · Saturday, 7:30 a.m. - 12 noon

CEASE VALUE SELECTION SERVICE Messenge OFFICE SUPPLY

115 S.Trinity, Decatur **940-627-5987**Public Fax 940-627-1004 Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express

Learning Environment

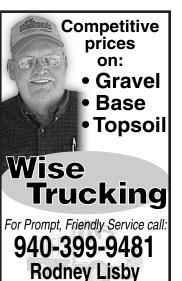
Recently, Messenger Office Supply helped Mann Refrigeration Inc. in Bridgeport with its employee-education program by providing affordable "classroom" furniture, one of our specialties.

"We are strong believers in continuing education for all our employees," explained the firm's president, Deborah Mann. "For years, we've sent them to classes in Dallas. We finally realized it would be more cost-effective if we could have Lennox trainers come to us."

That meant adding a classroom to the firm's facilities. "With 20 employees, we had grown to the point we couldn't even have a company-wide meeting at our office. But now, thanks to Messenger Office Supply, everyone has a comfortable chair when we sit down together," she said.









Rubber Roof Replacement Metal Replacement Collision Repair 1-800-906-6632 940-626-8200

www.smithrvcenter.com



10:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.





Call for details! 940-683-6266 940-627-2278

Insurance Agency

Health • Life • Medicare Supplements

Office: 940-627-4919

Cell: 817-475-3568

RICHARD BLACK

Insurance Agency

Commercial/Business

Property & Casualty • Group Health & Life • Dental • Long Term Care

Office: 940-627-7822

Cell: 940-627-9748

rhbins@embarqmail.com

304 E. Main • Decatur

LENNOX #TACLA009463C



ALL TYPE OF HAULING



needs will be met!

Lisa Caraway 940-393-2476

301 S. Washburn, Suite D, Decatur www.parkerpropertiestexas.com

Parker Properties



\$68.95

GAS VEHICLES: 5 quarts of Mopar Oil+Filter +16-point Service Check

Imports & performance vehicles slightly higher **K**LEMENT

"Doin' Business Right" US 287 North, Decatur

940-627-6700 817-430-8416 SERVICE & PARTS 7:30-6:00 Monday-Friday

RODEO

Final statements



Messenger photo by Joe Dut

FINISHING STRONG — Decatur's Tuf Cooperties down a calf during the National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas. He won the final round Saturday to take second overall in the world rankings. All three Cooper brothers won rounds at the event.

Coopers bookend NFR with victories

By BRANDON EVANS

Decatur cowboy Trevor Brazile always looked to the rodeo stars before him for inspiration.

Only two days into the 2010 National Finals Rodeo (NFR) in Las Vegas, Brazile earned his eighth allaround cowboy world title. With the gold buckle he passed legendary bull and bronc rider Ty Murray, who had seven.

At one point he wondered where he would look to after eclipsing previous rodeo stars. It didn't take him long to find new fuel for inspiration.

"You don't have to look hard in Decatur, Texas, for inspiration," Brazile said. "With Tuf Cooper, Clif Cooper, Clint Cooper, you're getting pushed whether you're in Wise County or Las Vegas. I'm fortunate to practice and be brought to that next level by that next generation instead of just having to meet them at the rodeo.

"When I practice with the young, fresh blood, I get that feeling that they get that can sometimes get stale in seasoned veterans. I see that fire every day, and it helps me not lose it."

On Saturday, the final night of the NFR, as he won his second triple crown in four years, Brazile witnessed that fire flare.

That final night proved prosperous for two more Decatur cowboys when two of the Cooper brothers took the top spots in the tie-down round.

Tuf won the tie-down round with a blazing 6.9-second run. It was the second round he won during the 10-day rodeo.



Messenger photo by Joe Du

FINAL SALUTE — Decatur's Clint Cooper tips his cap after a strong run during the National Finals Rodeo. He took second in his final run Saturday.

As soon as the run was done, he knew he'd won. He tossed his black hat into the air. Then he spotted his mom in the crowd, pointed at her and said, "I love you mom. I did this for you."

you."
At 20 years old, Tuf was the youngest competitor, but he performed like

a veteran.
"I try to look at and use my dad's experience, and take that and succeed with it," he said.

It helped him edge out most of the competition, which was stocked with

world champions, and almost edge out

"The competition is crazy," Tuf said.
"There are all kinds of talented guys
on the field."

Tuf finished second overall in the tie-down average and in the world rankings. He was the top earner in tie-down at the NFR, roping up \$96,598 during the 10-day event. Brazile won \$91,090 during the NFR. Tuf's yearly total was \$203,967, second only to Brazile's \$233,826.

Also on the final night, his oldest

brother Clint placed second with a 7.2-second run.

"Knowing it was the last night, I just had to go for it," Clint said.

It was the first time Clint earned a payday at the finals since winning the fourth round. Even though Clint moved quick on the calves throughout the event, he struggled some nights on the tie-up. Clint won \$27,821 during the finals. He finished 12th in the world. When the NFR started, he was ranked eighth.

"The calves were kicking a lot, and straining," he said.

The finals opened and closed with wins from the Cooper brothers. It was the first time in history three brothers have earned a trip to compete in the finals in tie-down roping in the same year. It was Clint and Tuf's third trip to the finals.

But it was Clif Cooper, 22, who won the round on opening night. It was his first trip to the finals. He won \$49,429 during his 10-days in Vegas. He finished ranked 10th in the world after starting the finals in 14th place.

"They performed well in the arena," Brazile said. "They've conducted themselves like champions outside the arena. I'm so proud of all of them."

Now it's time for a brief break before the new season begins Jan. 10. Clint is already looking forward to next year and another chance at a world title.

"I'm ready to get back to Wise County after 15 days in Vegas," Clint said. "But it's back to training. One of us Coopers is due for a gold buckle. I don't know which one, but one of us is due."

ALL AROUND WISE

Aurora resident Wisconsin. See his christening of the USS Fort Worth in story on page 13. D.A. Sharpe was on hand for the

are published on for local schools ■ Honor rolls

pages 6-10.

JOIN THOUSANDS OF YOUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS FOR A SPECIAL CHRISTMAS PRESENTATION

■ Neil Sperry gives for live oaks in this week's Gardener's Mailbag on page pruning advice

JOIN US FOR ONE OF FIVE POWERFUL PRESENTATIONS

Local Boy and Girl Scouts helped with the annual ceremony.

wreath at the Wise County Veterans Park Saturday.

Stefanie Brown, a Chico High School senior, lays a

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING EACH PRESENTATION

SATURDAY 1PM, 4PM, 7PM & SUNDAY 4PM, 7PM AN ORIGINAL CHRISTMAS PREMIERE FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY. FEATURING A LARGE CAST, COMPLETE WITH MUSIC, DRAMA AND VIDEO. AT GRACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH SANTA'S 5 POWERFUL **PRESENTATIONS**

EVERYONE INVITED. EVERYONE WELCOME.



Grace Fellowship Church 2964 West Highway 114 Paradise, TX 76073

940.969.2427

IT'S WORTH THE DRIVE GFCFAMILY.COM



Celebrations

NEW **A**RRIVALS

Viviana Josefina Cruz Dec. 9, 2010

Graciela Maria Huerta Cruz of Decatur announces the birth of a daughter, Vivana Josephina, on Dec. 9, 2010, at North Texas Community Hospital in Bridgeport. She weighed 6 pounds, 2 ounces and was 19 inches long. She has a brother, Jose Angel Huerta, 4.

Grandparents are Josefina Cruz, Ricardo Rubio and Jose Cruz.

Katelyn Isabella Reyes Dec. 10, 2010

Renier and Silvia Reyes of Rhome announce the birth of a daughter, Katelyn Isabella, on Dec. 10, 2010, at Wise Regional Health System in Decatur. She weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces and was 19 1/3 inches long.

She has two brothers, Renier Jr., 8, and Julian A., 4; and a sister, Cynthia M., 5.

Grandparent is Jean E. Garza of Decatur.

Bayleigh Abigale Medlock Dec. 11, 2010

Randy and Julie Medlock of Boyd announce the birth of a daughter, Bayleigh Abigale, on Dec. 11, 2010, at North Texas Community Hospital in Bridgeport. She weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces and was 21 inches long.

She has two brothers, Dalton, 7, and Lane, 6; and a sister, era-Lvn. 18.

Grandparents are Gale Taylor of Boyd and Leonard Taylor of Jonesboro, Ark.

Alexa Guadalupe Huerta Dec. 9, 2010

Antonio Huerta and Maria Mèndez of Decatur announce the birth of a daughter, Alexa Guadalupe Huerta, on Dec. 9, 2010, at North Texas Community Hospital in Bridgeport. She weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces and was 20 inches long.

She has a sister, Adamari Huerta, 6.
Grandparents are Angel Huerta and Josefina Ramirez, both of San Luis Potosi, Mexico, and Satornina Aguilar of San Luis de la Paz, Guanajuato, Mexico.

Great-grandparents are Soledad Subieta and Manuela Rangel.

Continued on page 4

Walt and Geraldine Amonett

50th wedding anniversary Dec. 17, 2010



WALT AND GERALDINE AMONETT

Walt and Geraldine Amonett of Decatur will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary 2 to 5 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 18, with a reception hosted by their children at the Decatur Senior Citizens Center.

Walt and the former Geraldine Berg were married Dec. 17, 1960, in Decatur.

They have four children, Nelson Amonett of Rockport, Ga., Nacina Cryer of Decatur, Lorenda Hornsby of Chico and Roxanna Shivers of Celina; 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Walt retired from Bridgeport Super Save, Pat's Trucking and Walmart. Geraldine retired from Decatur Indepentent School District. They are members of Immanuel Baptist Church.

Submit YOUR local news...

www.wcmessenger.com/submit

You've got it... Somebody wants it.

Wise County Messenger Classifieds • www.wcmessenger.com/class

Rick's Metal Recycling

3280 S Hwy 101 • Bridgeport, TX 940-683-3770

TOP PRICE ACCURATE WEIGHT ON ALL METALS

• Short Iron \$210/Ton

Aluminum Cans 65¢/lb

• #2 Copper \$2.70/lb

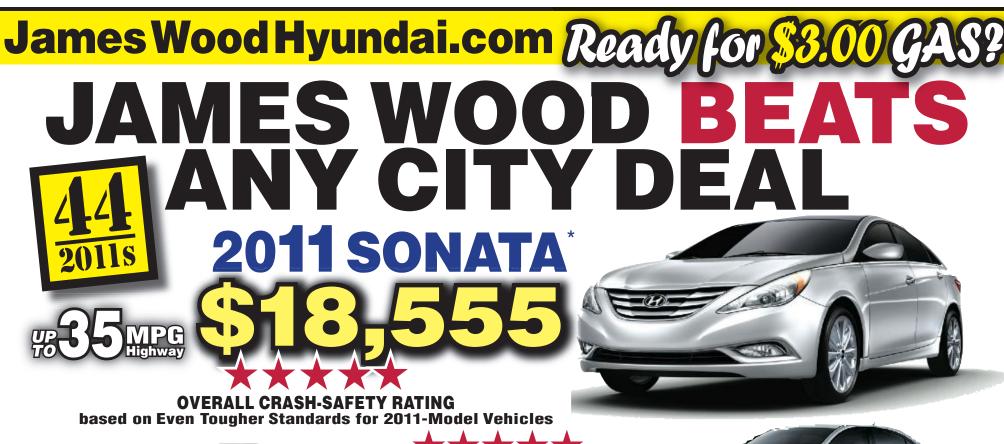
Long Iron \$185/Ton

• #1 Copper \$2.95/lb

Tin \$185/TonCar Bodies w/title \$185/Ton

Mon. - Fri. 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. • Sat. 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.







CRASH SAFETY RATING 2010 ELANTRA 2010 ACCENT

MPG Highway 2010 ELANTRA

UP S MPG Highway 2010 ACCENT





America's Best Warranty*

10-Year/100,000-Mile
Powertrain Limited Warranty



#840



US287 DECATUR 940-627-4600

*OFFERS are Plus Tax, Title and License, and are With Approved Credit. SONATA: #310162. MSRP: \$21,400. Wood Discount: \$2,845. ACCENT: #300226. MSRP: \$16,545. Wood Discount: \$1,570. Hyundai Motor America Rebate: \$1,000. Hyundai Motor Finance Company Bonus Cash: \$1,000. Customer must finance with Hyundai Motor Finance to get all incentives. ELANTRA: Stock #300262. MSRP: \$17,710. Wood Discount: \$1,235. Hyundai Motor America Rebate: \$1,500. Hyundai Motor Finance Company Bonus Cash: \$1,000. Must finance with Hyundai Motor Finance to get all incentives. WARRANTY: See dealer for details. EPA HIGHWAY Estimates for comparison. Actual mileage will vary with options, driving conditions, driving habits & vehicle condition.



Photo submitted

CHRISTMAS PARTY — Pi Kappa chapter of Beta Sigma Phi celebrated Christmas with a day trip to Granbury Dec. 4. Members and their spouses had lunch at Babe's, then attended "Red Skelton's Christmas Special" at the Granbury Opera House with shopping in between lunch and the show. Eighteen attended. Above, from left, Bettye Parker, Betty Schulte, Virginia Wood, Vice President Kathy Stinnett and President Carolyn Marlett enjoy coffee after the show.

Advertise! MESSENGER 115 S. Trinity, Decatur, TX • 940-627-5987

Who should you trust with your OB/GYN care?

Decatur Women's Health Center

offers a full range of obstetrical and gynecological care for women at every stage of life.



(Left to Right) Melissa Bradley, Dr. Douglas Kyle, Kim Mote, Patricia Ruiz

'Friendly, professional and confidential." Your health and well-being as a woman are our concern. We offer a full range of obstetrical and gynecological care. Our emphasis is on making you feel comfortable, confident and reassured.

Call today to schedule your next appointment. 940-627-4216

Christmas

Savings

carhartt 🗳

Largest Supply In North Texas!

Also Available:

Insulated Overalls

Workwear

Insulated

Insulated

Overalls

Ariat, Justin,

Tony Lama

Full Quill

Ostrich

Tony Lama, Justin

Tony Lama and Ariat

Jackpot Roper

SPECIAL!

Ostrich Boot Blowout

Justin Smooth Ostrich Roper... \$ 169.95

& Ariat Smooth Ostrich...... \$199.95

Coats

Men's Hooded

\$65.95

\$81.95

\$89.95

\$3995

\$3995

\$4795

Vests • Hats • Gloves
Ladies' Flannel
Long Johns • Bib Overalls

1713 S. FM 51 • Suite 201 • Decatur

WISE COUNTY



EASTERN STAR DONATION — Members of the Order of the Eastern Star, Boyd Chapter No. 897, present South Wise Services with a \$500 donation. Pictured from left are Tommy Spencer, worthy patron; Beverly Gilbert, South Wise Services volunteer; Freda Barnett, past worthy patron; Brenda Phillips, director of South Wise Services; and Nadine Swindell, volunteer.

WISE COUNTY



GOODS FOR WARM — Area Business Women's Network President Charlotte Bohn-Canion presents Wise Area Relief Mission office manager Angie Gardiner with items collected at their monthly luncheon Dec. 9. Collectively, the 32 members in attendance donated \$100 and more than 100 pounds of non-perishable foods. The ABWN meets the second Thursday of each month at the Decatur Civic Center.



Tron Legacy

Movies Friday, Dec 17 Movies & Times Subject To Change!!!

Small Town Feel With an Uptown Look!

Movie Line 940-627-5522 NOW ON FACEBOOK **ALL STADIUM SEATING!** PG PARENTAL GUIDANCE SUGGESTED

| Sun | 2:00 | 4:30 | 7:00 |
|-----------------------------|---------------|------|---|
| Mon Thur. Dec. 20 - Dec. 23 | 2:00 | 4:30 | 7:00 |
| Tangled | | | PG PARENTAL GUIDANCE SUGGESTED SOME MATERIAL MAY NOT BE SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN |
| Fri Sat | 1:30 | 3:30 | 5:30 7:309:20 |
| Sun | 1:30 | 3:30 | 5:30 7:30 |
| Mon Tues. Dec. 20 - Dec. 21 | 1:30 | 3:30 | 5:30 7:30 |
| Chronicles of Narnia: | Voyage of the | Dawn | PG PARENTAL GUIDANCE SUGGESTED © SOME MATERIAL MAY NOT BE SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN |
| Fri Sat | 12:30 | 3:00 | 5:30 8:00 10:20 |
| Sun | 12:30 | 3:00 | 5:30 8:00 |
| Mon Tues. Dec. 20 - Dec. 21 | 12:30 | 3:00 | 5:30 8:00 |
| Wed Thur. Dec. 22- Dec. 23 | | | 5:30 8:00 |

| Wed Thur. Dec. 22- Dec. 23 | 5:30 | 8:00 | | | |
|-----------------------------|---|------|------|------|------|
| Yogi Bear | PG PARENTAL GUIDANCE SUGGESTED SOME MATERIAL MAY NOT BE SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN | | | | |
| Fri Sat | 1:30 | 3:30 | 5:30 | 7:30 | 9:30 |
| Sun | 1:30 | 3:30 | 5:30 | 7:30 | |
| Mon Tues. Dec. 20 - Dec. 21 | 1:30 | 3:30 | 5:30 | 7:30 | |
| Wed Thur. Dec. 22- Dec. 23 | 1:30 | 3:30 | | | |

PG-13 PARENTS STRONGLY CAUTIONED True Grit Wed. - Thur. Dec. 22- Dec. 23...

PG-13 PARENTS STRONGLY CAUTIONED

Little Fockers Wed. - Thur. Dec. 22- Dec. 23... FM 51 South, Decatur • 940-627-5522 • Box Office Opens at 1:30 p.m. \$7 Adults ~ \$5 Seniors, Children 11 & under & Matinee • www.plazacinema4.com

FOSTER'S

OPEN: MONDAY-SATURDAY 9:00AM TO 8:00PM • SUNDAY 12:00PM TO 5:30PM

Hooded Jackets
Style WJ 130 \$7595

Walls

Entire Stock Cruel Girl &

Rocky Mountain Ladies'



Ladies' Jeans Miss Me **MEK** leans **Cowgirl Tuff**

Ladies' Blouses Long Sleeve T's 1000's To Choose From... Cruel Girl · Cowgirl Tuff · Rock & Roll Cowgirl

adies' Vests, Coats & Hoodies Cowgirl Tuff · Cruel Girl · Cowboy Up · Ariat

\$2095

Boys' & Girls' **Hurley Shirts** 30% off

New Inventory of

· Girls' Miss Me Jeans and • Boys' Cinch & Wrangler Jeans



Selected Group Beaver Felt Hats

Entire Stock Resistol • Stetson • Bailey

20%- 40% OFF

Special Racks Men's Shirts 1000s to **Choose From!**

30% - 70% OFF

20X, Ely, Panhandle Slim and George Strait

Wrangler Western Denium Shirts ... \$2295



Men's Vests

CINCH DOWN VEST



Full Quill Ostrich\$359.95 **Ladies' Western** Justin Stampede\$ 119%

Fashion Boots

ARIAT \$159°5 Twisted X \$ 169°5 Corral Fancy Inlay ...\$219⁹⁵

SUPER BOOT CLEARANCE

Kids' Boots Justin Chukkos^{\$}69⁹⁵ Justin Work Boot\$79% .\$9995 Twisted X Bombers .

Justin Gypsy Ariat Fat Baby styles

Ladies

Ariat All Terrain Justin Stampede\$ 119% .\$ **129**²⁵ Justin Bent Rail

Anderson Bean Horse Power \$ 169°5





WESTERN WEAR



& SADDLE SHOP Hours: Monday-Saturday 9:00 to 8:00 pm & Sunday 12:00 to 5:30 Easy Access off I-35N of Krum Exit 471 • 2 Miles North of University Drive • Front Door Parking

Celebrations

NEW **A**RRIVALS

Continued from page 2

Casey Wayne Kurtz Dec. 6, 2010

Robert Jason and Jennifer Michelle Kurtz of Rhome announce the birth of a son, Casey Wayne, on Dec. 6, 2010, at North Texas Community Hospital in Bridgeport. He weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

He has a brother, Jason Wyatt, 5.

Grandparents are Jerry and Alice Lee of Rhome and Sally Williams of Burnet.

Bentley Michael Lee Lujan Dec. 5, 2010

Brittany Moore and Jonathon Lujan of Decatur announce the birth of a son, Bentley Michael Lee Luian. on Dec. 5, 2010, at Wise Regional Health System in Decatur. He weighed 6 pounds, 6 ounces and was 19 inches

He has a sister, Jennavecia Lujan, 2.

Grandparents are Tricia Coomer of Chico and Michael and Veronica Lujan of Decatur.

Great-grandparents are Ronald Smout of Chico, Kathy Smout of Sunset and Maria Contreras of Denton.

Great-great-grandparents are Nati and Francisa "Kika" Contreras of Levelland.

Serenity Faith Wilson Dec. 1, 2010

Chance and Nadia Wilson of Chico announce the birth of a daughter, Serenity Faith, on Dec. 1, 2010, at Wise Regional Health System in Decatur. She weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces and was 18 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are David and Jerri Flores of Fort Worth and Deanna and Ran Wilson of Chico.

Great-grandparents are Brenda Watson and James Watson of Chico, Juanita Hartsell of Decatur and Jerry and Mary Wilson of Kearney, Neb.

McKinsley Addison Hughes Dec. 7, 2010

Cheryl Martin and Chad Hughes of Bridgeport announce the birth of a daughter, McKinsley Addison Hughes, on Dec. 7, 2010, at Wise Regional Health System in Decatur. She weighed 8 pounds, 9 ounces and was 19 inches long.

She has a brother, Aiden Martin, 3.

Grandparents are Mark Hughes of Fort Worth, Billy Martin and Kerrie Van-Hoose and Kaye and Barry Wood, all of Bridgeport.

Great-grandparents are Frankie and Willie Williams of Boyd, Patricia and David Hughes of Kennedale, and Marvin Polson and Billy J. and Ruby Martin, all of Bridgeport.

Draydon Blaze Kuykendall Dec. 3, 2010

Brad Kuykendall and Tiffany Vislosky of Chico announce the birth of a son, Draydon Blaze Kuykendall, on Dec. 3, 2010, at Wise Regional Health System in Decatur. He weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long.

He has a brother, Darius Kuykendall, 12, and a sister, Chasity Kuykendall, 15.

Grandparents are Elaine and Jay Vislosky of Chico, Daisy Kuykendall of Gainesville and Melvin Wilson of Irving.

Great-grandparents are Mary Price of Chico and Joan Vislosky of Gaines-

Hayley Marie Derouin Nov. 30, 2010

James and Katie Derouin of Paradise announce the birth of a daughter, Hayley Marie, on Nov. 20, 2010, at North Texas Community Hospital in Bridgeport. She weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces and was 21 1/2 inches long.

She has two sisters, Savannah Bullard, 8, and Mykayla Derouin, 5.

Grandparents are Michael and Patti Ridgeway of Reno, Nev., Tony and Melonie Derouin of Pensacola, Fla., and Gary and Cindy Jackson and Paul and Charlotte Chapman, all of Paradise.

Great-grandparents are Sue Lark of Paradise, Betty Bean of Reno, Nev., and Frank and Faye Isele of Albany, Ga.

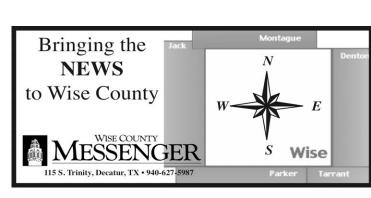
Addie Grace Smart Dec. 10, 2010

Tessa Smart of Bridgeport announces the birth of a daughter, Addie Grace, on Dec. 10, 2010, at Wise Regional Health System in Decatur. She weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces and was 19 inches long.

She has a sister, Gracie McKay, 2.

Grandparents are Darrell and Kay Smart.

Great-grandparents are Herman and Fave Smith, and Houston and Juanita Smart.





\$350 of Home Décor From 2011 Line for \$99! (normally \$149!) ASK ME HOW!

Earn \$25 to \$75 an hour! Purchase wholesale or decorating career! Free training with a great company!

Offer good through December 15, 2010

Linda Brown Celebrating Home Designer (Formally Home Interiors & Home & Garden Party) Cell 940-626-9960

LBsHomeDecor@yahoo.com www.celebratinghome.com/sites/LBsHomeDecor

Let the conversation begin.



Sarampalis, A., Kalluri, S., Edwards, B., Hafter, E. (2009, October) Objective measures of listening effort





Call us to schedule your hearing examination & consultation.

Our promise to you. We promise to provide you with outstanding customer care and state-of-the-art hearing instruments to help you hear better. Satisfaction with your new hearing instruments is our top priority. We will guide you through the important steps to improve your hearing and get you back



ENT & Allergy Clinic, PA 1600 W. US Business 380, Suite Decatur, Texas 76234

940-627-7997

SEE ALL OUR PRE-OWNED AT KLEMENTCJD.COM

E-CHRISTMAS CLEAI



10 F-150 CREW 4x4



08 QuadCab1500



09 RAM CREW 1500 Loaded Hemi Laramie, P1407





09 Ram Crew 1500



07 MEGA15004x4



07 QuadCab 1500



09 RAM QUAD 1500 SLT with 34,000 miles, P1415



07 Quad 3500 4x4



07 Quad 2500 4x4



10 Crew 2500 4x4



05 Dodge 2500 Regular Cab DIESEL, #R1378



05 CHEVY 2500 4x4

2008 Dodge DIESEL 2500 Quad Cab 4x4





2008 CHRYSLER **PACIFICA** CROSSOVER An <u>INCREDIBLE</u> Deal! #P1382





04 Infiniti FX35







10 JEEP COMPASS







07 PT CRUISER



06 Dodge Stratus



10 Mountain!

3 JEEP UNLIMITEDS

2007, 2008 & 2010 Wrangler 4-doors







09 Pontiac G8









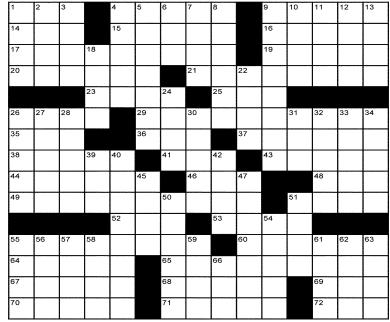
940-627-6700 **US 287 North, Decatur SALES:** 8-7:00 Mon.-Fri. • 8-6:00 Sa.

*Tax, title license extra. With approved credit. Prices do not include dealer adds.

ACROSS

- 1. Filmdom's Alastair
- 4. Errand runner 9. Unstimulating java
- 14. Hollywood's Thurman
- 15. Kate's sitcom friend
- 16. Word with spitting or mirror 17. She played
- identical cousins 19. Hourglass, e.g.
- 1961 Best Actor Maximilian
- 21. Slovenly woman 23. Keister
- 25. In need of sanding or salting
- 26. Top banana "One O'Clock
- Jump" player 35. Bar bill
- 36. Attendance guess: Abbr.
- Smooth as silk
- 38. Shi'ite's deity 41. Sci-fi visitors
- 43. V-formation fliers
- 44. Stay out of sight Ernie of the links
- 48. Berlin's land: Abbr.
- 49. Chief Justice,
- 1953-69 51. Vietnamese
- festivals 52. "This __ stickup!" 53. Suffix with soft
- or hard 55. Result of an
- overactive pituitary 60. Social outcast
- con pollo 65. Director of 'Cabaret" and
- "Evita" 67. Radio hostess
- Hansen
- 68. Griffith of the ring 69. Org. once headed by Bush

Royal Commoners



70. Autumn bloomer 71. Delirious one 72. Say further

DOWN

- 1. Has the third of three squares
- 2. Apple desktop SAT subject 4. Country singer
- Crystal "Arsenic and
- sickout)

 Ant (7. Apt. features, in
- ads 8. Pull out of the water
- 9. Odds-and-ends carrier
- 10. Broadcast 11. Made the scene 12. Antiquing agent
- Frond-bearing plant

- 18. Virgin Is., e.g. 22. Gets off the
- . Cobb topper 26. Like old
- cigarettes 27. Sylvester's
- "Rocky" costar 28. More up to the task
- 30. Put into words 31. Absorbed, as a
- cost 32. Campaign against
- Troy, e.g. 33. Map within a map Oglers
- 39. The whole schmear
- 40. High-trajectory artillery piece 42. Whole bunch
- "Let's see now. where

- 47. Big name in iced tea
- 50. Bacon serving
- 51. Garr or Hatcher 54. Pinker in the middle
- 55. Big bash 56. Colored portion of the eye
- 57. Smell _ (be wary)
- 58. Zilch 59. Doll's word
- 61. Early Peruvian 62. Etcher's supply
- 63. Brewski topper 66. Ullmann of

moviedom

Winners of holiday baking contest announced

Nina White of Decatur won the *Messenger's* annual holiday baking contest with her divinity.

Judges from the Decatur Woman's Club said a wellmade batch of divinity is difficult to beat.

Second place went to Doug Dunlap of Lake Bridgeport with his New York style cheesecake.

Third was won by Joan Klose of Decatur with a rustic apple cranberry pie.

Fourth place winner was Kate Grant of Decatur for her chocolate chip cinnamon

Winners in the other two categories were Ina Ruth Sherman of Decatur with the best bread, a pumpkin pecan bread. And best entry

among appetizers was Bonnie Allin of Bridgeport with Italian sausage stuffed loaf.

In all there were 61 en-

Judges based their decisions on taste, texture, presentation and originality or difficulty. For tie-breakers, they judged the difficulty of the recipe.

COUNTY BURN BAN ORDER

COUNTY OF WISE, STATE OF TEXAS

ORDER PROHIBITING OUTDOOR BURNING

WHEREAS, Section 352.081 of the Local Government Code provides that the commissioners court of a county, by order, may prohibit outdoor burning in the unincorporated area of the county if the commissioners court makes a finding that circumstances present in the nincorporated area create a public safety hazard that would be exacerbated by outdoo burning; and,

WHEREAS, the Wise County Commissioners Court does hereby find that circumstances present in the unincorporated areas of Wise County create a public safety hazard that would be exacerbated by certain outdoor burning during periods in which the National Weather Service has issued a Red Flag Warning for Wise County and,

BE IT THEREFORE ORDERED that the following emergency regulations are hereby established for portions of the unincorporated areas of Wise County, Texas not subject to public ownership or stewardship for the duration of the above mentioned declaration:

(1) Actions Prohibited:

A person violates this order if he/she burns, ignites, or causes ignition of any combustible, vegetative, or metal material outdoors, or orders such burning or ignition by others, during periods in which the National Weather Service has issued a Red Flag Warning for Wise County,

(2) Enforcement:

- (A) Under notification of suspected outdoor burning, a duly-commissioned peace officer, when available, shall be sent to the scene to investigate the nature of the fire.
- (B) In accordance with Section 352.081 of the Local Government Code, a person who knowingly or intentionally violates this order commits a Class C Misdemeanor, punishable by a fine up to \$500.
- (C) If the responding peace officer finds that the person responsible for the burning is in violation of (1) above, a citation shall be issued for: Violation of Burn Ban Order.
- (D) If requested by a peace officer, the fire department assigned to the location of the fire shall respond to the scene and take immediate measures to contain and to extinguish the fire.

This order shall not apply to outdoor burning activities specified in Section 352.081(f) of the Local Government Code

Be it also **ORDERED** that the purpose of this order is the mitigation of the public safety hazard posed by wildfires during periods in which the National Weather Service has issued a Red Flag Warning for Wise County, by curtailing the practice of outdoor burning.

This order prohibiting outdoor burning, shall remain in effect for a period of ninety (90) days, and shall expire at the end of said period, or upon the date the Wise County Commissioners Court, by order, determines that the circumstances present in the unincorporated areas of Wise County no longer create a public safety hazard that would be exacerbated by outdoor burning, whichever occurs earlier.

ORDERED THE 10TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2010

For additional information visit: http://www.co.wise.tx.us/ and click on the link at the top of the page for "BURN BAN INFORMATION"



We will be closed Christmas Eve, **Christmas Day & New Years Eve**

We will have earlier deadlines for News and Advertising on the following dates:

Sunday, December 26 Edition

Display, Classified Display & Legal Notices:

3 p.m. on Tues., Dec. 21 Classified Line Ads:

4 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 22

All Around Wise Display, Classified Gold Display &

Thursday, December 30 Edition

3 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 22

4 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 22 Paid Circulation Display, Classified Display & Legal Notices:

Classified Line Ads:

Display, Classified Display & Legal Notices:

3 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 29 Classified Line Ads:

Sunday, January 2 Edition

4 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 29

Thursday, January 6 Edition All Around Wise Display, Classified Gold Display

& Classified Line Ads: 4 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 29 Paid Circulation Display, Classified Display

& Legal Notices: 3 p.m. on Thurs., Dec. 30



P.O. Box 149 • 115 South Trinity • Decatur, TX 940-627-5987 • Fax 940-627-1004 www.wcmessenger.com • Email ads@wcmessenger.com

Leslie's Legacy
Benefit Concert

Saturday, Dec. 18 - Doors Open at 4:30 p.m. Tyler Caster 5 p.m.



The Brandon Gentry Band 6 p.m.

Six Market BLVD. 8 p.m.



Tickets \$15 in advance \$20 day of show Decatur Civic Center - 2010 W. US Hwy. 380

Silent Auction

For more info. call 940-210-1141 Mail Donations to: Denison & Logan Benefit Concert 250 Private Road 2316, Decatur, TX 76234

Health

Make your calories count

By TANYA DAVIS Wise Co. Extension Agent

This week is the fourth in a series of eight articles that focuses on examples of how Wise County 4-H'ers learned through their foods and nutrition projects to make their calories count more by including nutrientrich foods in their diets.

Jodie Wells, a 16-year-old Slidell 4-H'er, recently received first place honors in the District 4-H Food Show at Vernon.

Jodie's recipe for Mini Spinach Frittatas was entered in the Senior Fruit and Vegetable category and is packed full of nutrients like calcium, folic acid, vitamin K and iron. In addition,

the spinach also contains phytonutrients, which research shows may help prevent chronic diseases such as heart disease, diabetes and some cancers.

I hope you will try this nutritionally dense recipe during the holiday season.

Mini Spinach **Frittatas**

1 c. ricotta cheese 3/4 c. grated Parmesan cheese

2/3 c. chopped fresh mush-

1 egg

1/4 teaspoon salt

1/2 teaspoon dried oregano



for Consumers

Wise Notes

1/4 teaspoon onion powder 1/4 teaspoon pep-

per 1 pkg. (10 oz) frozen

chopped spinach thawed and squeezed dry 24 slices pepperoni

In a small bowl, combine all of the ingredients except pepperoni. Place a slice of pepperoni in each of 24



greased miniature muffin cups. Fill muffin cups threefourths full with spinach mixture.

Bake at 375 degrees for 20-25 minutes or until a toothpick comes out clean. Carefully run a knife around edges of muffin cups to loosen. Remove from pan and serve.

BRIDGEPORT IRON & METAL

C

FOR ALL METALS

Cans- 65¢/lb • #1 Short Iron -\$1.80/ton 4ft. or less **State Certified Scales * Accurate Weights**

OPEN MONDAY - FRIDAY

8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Open Saturday 8:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.

3261 S. HWY 101 • BRIDGEPORT • 940-683-2005

Have you had your Mammogram?

Wise Regional Health Foundation's Mary's Gift is funding mammograms for underserved Wise County women who lack quality health care coverage and do not qualify for indigent care.

To learn more about qualifying, call (940) 626-1329.

Mammograms are funded through the generosity of donors and all donations to Mary's Gift are tax deductible.

Wise Regional Health FOUNDATION

2000 South FM 51 * Decatur www.wiseregional.org



Education

Honor Rolls

Bridgeport Intermediate School Second Six Weeks A Honor Roll

O'Dell, Adrian Caldera-Ortiz, Ariadna Lucia Ortiz Perez,

Third grade — Alexis Allen, Miguel Alvarez, Corbin Bailey, Mason Bane, Haley Barton, Andrew Carstens, Madison Case, Emily Casper, Dylan Coke, Jim Coleman, Kevin Coleman, Maycie Cortez, Cassady Craddock, Jameson Crownover, Samuel Davis, Kobey Dearing, Daniel Delgadillo, Clint Demmitt, Marci Dominguez, Antonio Cano Gamino, Payton Hancock, Halle Holbrook, Kyler Holley, Jair Hubbert, Jenna Huitt, Dalton Huya, Robinson Lane, Jadon Maddux, Alana Maldonado, James Marlett, Jacob Marshall, Careli Martinez, Celine Mendoza, Peyton Micah Phillips, Anna Raby, Victoria Ramirez, Taite Read, Wyatt Reeves, Landry Reynolds, Gabriel Rivera, Kirby Russell, Liberty Singletary, Kaylee Standard, Daja Strickland, Aaron Strom, Zane Tyson, Ariday Velazguez, Yerzain Villegas, Abigail Whisenant, Lane Whitsell, Payton Williams, Brionna Wilson and Catherine Young.

Fourth grade — Ramiro Alvarez, Rigoberto Alvarez, Madison Andreasen, Holli Birdsong, Megan Childress, Christian Coke, Kaleb Cook, Casey Cortez, James Covington, Morgen Davidson, Jasmine Davila, Jose DeLaCerda Acevedo, Jason Faulkenberry, Tanner Forsyth, Samuel Franks, Stetson Franzoy, Ivan Amador Frutos, Alexia Garza, Brooklyn Goines, Kristen Grooms, Brianna

Continued on page 7



on can buy local for less at the FURNITURE STATION.

DINING • BEDDING • LIVING • OUTDOOR FURNITURE Designer & Name Brand

New Home Furnishings for your home. **MONDAY - FRIDAY:** 8 A.M. - 6 P.M. • **SATURDAY:** 10 A.M. - 4 P.M.

Downtown Boyd • 312 E. Rock Island Ave.

940-433-2031 • www.furniturestationtx.com





Prices Good Thru 12/25/10

SHURFINE

BATHROOM 4 ROLL PKG.

BOUNTY

PAPER SINGLE ROLL

SHURFINE **40 COUNT**



COLORTEX PAPER **250 COUNT**

Boyd: Hwy. 114 & Knox Ave. - 433-2185 Bridgeport: Chico Hwy. - 683-5765 Chico: Hwy. 101 - 644-2208 Decatur: Hwy. 380 & Walnut - 627-3444 Decatur: 1305 U.S. Hwy. 81/287 - 627-1549



2 ORDERS OF 3

& 20 OZ. COFFEE















REG. \$2.09/\$2.19 / 1 AT REGULAR PRICE OR SHURFINE EGG NOG s **4** 99 ALLSUP'S SANDWICH BREAD 24 OZ. / 79¢ EACH OR . . ALLSUP'S WHEAT BREAD

24 OZ. / 99¢ EACH OR **KELLOGG'S CEREAL CUPS**

MARS, HERSHEY'S & NESTLE ALL REGULAR SIZE CANDY BARS . . **MENTOS GUM OR ROLLS**

ASSORTED / 1 AT REGULAR PRICE OR AIRHEAD EXTREME BELT LEMONADE OR ORIGINAL / 1 AT REGULAR PRICE OR . . GET ONE FREE **KEEBLER SOFT BATCH COOKIE**

1 AT REGULAR PRICE OR

BUY ONE GET ONE FREE BUY ONE

ALLSUP'S ICE CREAM HALF GALLON TOM'S SELECT GROUP 8 OZ. SNACKS REG. \$2.49 / 1 AT REGULAR PRICE OR FRITO PREMIUM NUTS EACH 6 OZ. TIC TACS, ASST. FLAVORS REGULAR \$1.29

WRIGLEY GUM, ASST. FLAVORS

1 AT REGULAR PRICE OR SPECIAL K BAR

1 AT REGULAR PRICE OR . . .

SONY BATTERIES

Sudoku

Complete the Sudoku grid so that each row, each column, and each 3 by 3 box contains the numbers 1 through 9. Numbers cannot be duplicated in a row or a column.

Sudoku Puzzle #2025-D

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

Difficult

Sudoku Puzzle #2025-M

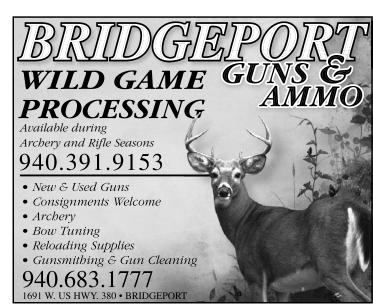
| | | | 1 | | 2 | | 3 | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | | 5 | 3 | | | | | 2 |
| | | | 6 | 7 | | | | 8 |
| 3 | | | | 8 | | 1 | 6 | 9 |
| | | 6 | | | | 8 | | |
| 7 | 8 | 1 | | 2 | | | | 3 |
| 2 | | | | 6 | 9 | | | |
| 6 | | | | | 7 | 4 | | 5 |
| | 3 | | 8 | | 1 | | | |

Volunteer Connection

Volunteer Connection is a weekly column dedicated to connecting non-profit organizations needing volunteers to people willing to help.

To list an opportunity, call

(940) 627-5987 or e-mail volunteer@wcmessenger. com. The Messenger will list specific volunteer needs and times and dates help is



Education

HONOR ROLLS

Continued from page 6

Hicks, Emily Hoffmeister, Jose Huerta, Delaney Ingram, Kayla Jasso, Katelyn Lanfear, Adamaris Lopez, Grant Mahon, Bryson Morrow, John Olveda. Darcv Podzemny, Rebekah Powers, Brayden Read, Katelyn Redder, Ashley Riggs, Hunter Ross, Jeremy Stearns, Leilani Stone, Jolene Torres, Samuel Velasquez, Madison Waldrip, Makenzi Wells, Jessica Whisenant and Anna Winn.

- Brittany Armstrong, Jacquelyn Bailey, Cole Barton. Alyssa Casper, Selena Cervantes, Courtney Cline, Hunter Coleman, Juan Cano Gamino, Giselle Garcia, Elizabeth Gardner, Jayce Hardee, Victor Hernandez, Ethan Herschler, Amanda Hewitt, Abigail Hill, Hayden Holbrook, Andrew Horton. Katie Hudson. Sarah Hurtado. Hanna Huva. Navelly Ibarra. Briana Maldonado, Efrain Martinez, Melissa Mendoza, Donice Monfort, Miguel Olmos, Taylor Oneal, Jennifer Gonzalez Ortiz, Yanet Ortiz, Mallory Owen, Nathanael Phillips, Shelby Preston, Victor Ramirez Garcia, Jett Reynolds, Dustin Riggs, Hunter Rogers, Alyssa Sallee, Sheridan Shallene, Carli Smith, Shane Smith, Heather Splawn, Grace Story, Maddison Strine, Joshua Thomas, Mary Trammell, Colton Waters, Shannan White, Kegan Winn, Michael Young and Travis

A/B Honor Roll

Third grade — Giselle Aguilar, Misael Amador, Freddy Arechiga, Lindsay Carroll, Yadira Cervantes, Evan Cheyne, Mitchell Comer, Crescencio Cortez, shley Craig, Caleb DelAngel, Lesly Delgadillo, Roberto Duran, Carlos Estrada, Macy Flynt, Andrea Fraga, Wendy Rodriguez Fuentes, Cameron Garcia, Carlos Juarez Garcia, Kortni McKnight Garner, Pricila Garza, Jordan Green, Tori Green, Nolan Hernandez, Alexandra Herrera, Bryson Holland, Aleczander Holmes, Chauncy Jones, Kaylee Jones, Jonathan Juarez, Juan Manuel Lopez Juarez, Nicole Juarez, Kaitlynn Koger, Elizabeth Kranz, Mia Macias, Katelyn McComis, Tatum McDaniel, Colt Miles, Kaden Monfort, Armonie Monk, Ashanti Monk, Daylan Moore, Allen Morrow, Eddie Muñoz, Payton Murr, Hannah Musser, Destiny O'Dell, Alan Olmos, Nayeli Ortiz, Roman Ortiz, Samuel Renner, Paola Juarez Rivera, Jillian Roberson, Cesar Romero, Aaron Sanchez, Garrett Smith, Waylon Smith, Yuricela Trejo Solis, Ariana Vargas, Emily Vidal, Morgan Waldrip, Sandra Wallace, Chase Watts, Cody Whitbeck, Sarah Wood-

worth, Jessica Yates, Jason Yelvington and Kirsten Younger. Fourth grade — Claire Acuna, Brianna Armstrong, Emily Bernardo, Sebastian Brown, Gabriel Byrne, Javier Cervantes, Michaela Coleman, James Cooper, Amelia Cortez, Briana Cramer, Cynthia Orellana Diaz, Josie Ensminger, Martha Rosales Espino, Chelsea Ferguson, Jayden Fiebiger, Calvin Ford, Jerica Rosas Fraga, Brooklyn Fuentes, Baltazar Garcia, Gabriela Garza, Reynol Garza, Julie Gonzalez, Maks Gonzalez, Azia Grisham, Melanie Guzman, Amara Halley, Fernando Herrera, Lluvia Herrera, Fernando Huerta, Brianna Hunter, Claire Hutchison, Joycelyn Aguilar Ibarra, Brendon Johnson, Carson Johnson, Brody Jones, Aimee Landers, Mackenzie Long, Charles Martinez, Giovanni Martinez, Ray Martinez, Alex McAnear, Lacy McClure, Erick Mendoza, Jennifer Mendoza, Charles Miller, Makayla Moody, William Myers, Matthew Oldham, Clara Ortiz, Anthony Perez, Mario Pewitt, Deymun Prado, Fernando Rangel, Genesis Reyna, Ryan Roberts, Tristen Roberts, Sevastian Rodriguez, Noah Rogers, Dianjelo Sandoval, Jameson Saunier, Gonsalo Ibarra Sequra, Taylor Smith, Austin Sparks, Amally Stapp, Zackary Stapp, Robert Starnes,

Continued on page 8

RESCUE A CAT OR DOG TODAY!

This 4-year-old male Bloodhound, "Booger," is excellent with kids, housebroken and semi-leash trained. He is neutered and up-to-date with his shots.

> To see other pets available for adoption Call: Tammy Loomis **940-627-7577** or visit our website

www.sheriff.co.wise.tx.us





Sponsored by: Main Street Home & Gardens and Down the Alley Cafe www.mainstreethomeandgardens.com Wise County Animal Services



Sheila Boggs, RN Owner/Administrator

940-389-8942

Super nice mid-sized luxury with all power and conveniences. Beautiful Dark Blue color. *All Prices plus Tax, Title and License Blue Oval Certified

Medium



2009 Mustang Convertible

Christmas present deluxe!. All you need is a bow and you're set. Red with Tan top.

2006 E-350 Econoline Van

Great for Church or daycare. 12-passenger

seating. White color.

2010 Grand Marquis

2004 Chevy Malibu LT



Super nice with leather, auto, air, power and more. Silver metallic color.

2009 Ford Taurus



2010 F-150 Super Crew

4x4, 6" lift, Special tires & wheels.

Super nice. Solid Black color.

2004 Chevy Malibu LT

Reduced!

atinum Series

Silver metallic color.

2009 Lincoln Town Car

Full-sized comfort. Automatic, air, power,

leather. Only 24k. White color.

Test drive luxury and see how it feels. Dark Blue metallic.



Navigation, Sunroof, Leather, loaded and very nice. Silver metallic color.

2010 Expedition EL

Double clean and super nice. Power, room and

comfort. This one has it all. Silver color.









nning boards and more. Maroon color





price tag. White color



Shop 24/7 at klementdecatur.com US Hwy. 287 South • Decatur, Texas • 940-627-1101



A/B Honor Roll

Pedro Gamboa Banuelos, Daisy

Leon, Alejandra Lopez, Fernando

Mares, Karina Muñoz Aldape, Diana

Parra, Jennifer Ramirez Mireles, Lau-

ren Reaves, Mack Rieger, Jaxson

non, Samantha Cantu, Jackson Car-

roll, Rodrigo DeLeon, Daniel Dowler,

Joseph Dunbar, Enycia Fernandez,

Kylei Gauna, Joseph Geron, Antonio

Gonzales Macias, Marian Gordon,

Hailey Green, Carlie Holloway, Cris-

tobal Huerta, Raquel Lara, Cash La-

sater, Isaac Loma, Heath Maddox,

Gloria Martinez, Ayden Mast, Aidan

Matthews, Joseph Mendez, Monica

Morales, Shivani Patel, Stockton

Portales, ShyLa Pressley, Morgan

Reaves, Khiley Roberts, Julian Ru-

bio, Gracie Russell, Autumn Ship-

man, Cheyenne Smith, Adrian Val-

dez, Jacqueline Watkins, Eli Watson

Christina Caldera, Damari De Leon,

Shay DuBois, Brittany Durrett, Nay-

eli Esquivel Macias, Eduardo Fernan-

dez, Emily Fulwood, Maria Gonzalez,

Brandon Griffin, Megan Griffith,

Brendon Harrel, Layton Harris, Heidi

Heiens, Teagan Hill, Ryan Hubbard,

Nayeli Maldonado, Aaron Maltzman,

Lariat Mantooth, Gerardo Mares,

Adam Martinez, Eric McNiel, Anna

Milligan, Cade Montgomery, Kate-

lyn Myers, Ryder Partridge, Michael

Passariello, Dominique Prince, Colby

Raasch, Lea Salas, Esteban Segura,

Marcus Semmelmann, Jordan Taylor,

Pablo Tello, Mary Faith Tune and

Fourth grade — Emily Aldape,

Reiana Andrews, Carsyn Bailey, Pay-

ton Browning, Ridge Burden, Juliana

Carlos, Rodrigo Carrillo, De Chen, Samantha Edgmon, Britney Fernan-

dez, Wyatt Fuller, Brallan Galvan-

Dominguez, Jemima Garcia Mares,

Abby Grimes, Quinn Helm, Clarisa

Herrera, Jake Hodges, Ashton John-

son, Dalton Lasater, Josue Mancilla,

Lizet Mares, Vanessa Morales Coro-

nado, Jennifer Morehart, Christian Najera, Brandon Nelson, Anahi Oliva

Aldape, Braina Perez, Morgan Picha,

Seth Pressley, Avery Quarles, Anna

Resma, Cameron Sereika, Sidney

Shotwell, Ji-Min Song, Anahi Torres, Edgar Torres, Jose Morales Trejo.

Ryan Ussery, Laiza Vega, Benjamin

Continued on page 9

Elizabeth Waskom.

Third grade — Anthony Archuleta,

and Trinity Whitaker.

Second grade — Katelyn Ballard, Tifani Berrier, Ty Britt, KaDee Can-

Speed and Juan Vargas.

First grade — Norberto Aguilar,

Education

Honor Rolls

Continued from page 7

Magen Stinnett, Rebecca Stinnett, Izabelle Tovar, Javier Vargas, Brady Vieth, Stetson Wahlstrom, Kevin Walton, CheyAnne Weirich and Dylan

Fifth grade — Loreli Aguilar, Terence Akard, Jared Brazier, Britain Carrillo, Brittny Carroll, Taylor Carwile, Thamara Moreno Castillo, Calvin Colburn, Jordan Contreras, Haylee Cookston, Stephen Cooley, Caleb Cornelison, Jessica DeLaCerda, Javier DeLeon Uribe, Maria Delgadillo, Yorleny Macias Duran, Madalynn Fagan, Megan Ford, Moriah Alexis Fraga, Shaye Freed, Erika Frutos, Salvador Garcia, Colton Guinn, Juan Hernandez, Noah Hernandez, Samantha Hernandez, Sadyee Herndon, Haley Hicks, Jennifer Huerta, Sara Huitt, Caleb Jennings, Casey Jones, Shelbie Jones, Anahi Lara, Madison Lenhardt, Estefani Lopez, Jose Lopez, Meagan Lopez, Armando Marin, Alandra Martinez, Brooke Matta, John Mauk, Coalten McGuire, Austin Morrow, Josselyn Torres Najera, Seth Nelson, Joseph Norris, Bryan Rodriguez Ovledo, Jared Padilla, Timothy Parker, Willie Payne, Ashlie Peters, Bryan Pewitt, Ashleigh Phelps, Chyna Presley, Brialla Prestidge, Jeremiah Puebla, Jaqueline Ramirez, Will Reeves, Miriam Reyes, Karina Rivera Lopez, Ryan Roberts, David Roe, Martin Ruvalcaba, Juan Amador Sandoval, Ruby Santos, Jason Mannin Schwartz, Dawson Smith, Noah Smith, Trevor South, Zackery Sparks, Timothy Tamplen, Jacob Taylor, Andrew Tovar and Zackery Winebrinner.

Carson Elementary School Second Six Weeks

A Honor Roll
First grade — Alexis Bishop, Cason Blaylock, Kylie Buckner, Cole Cavasos, Madeline Cox, Kevvon Green, Ethan Hines, Hunter Huggins, Tyler Miner, Danielle Navarrete, Kadence Ooten, Kaylynn Perdue, Kaylee Peterson, Jonathan Rios, Samuel Rodriguez, Shalynne Smith, Camden Wallace and Carson Wicker.

Second grade — Michael Arant, Paxton Ashmore, Kamri Bronniman, Christian Brown, Braden Byrd, Sarah Culpepper, Chris DuBois, Emma Duvall, Lindsay Gogniat, Eric Gregoire, Garrett Guess, Camden Hand, Haleigh Hurst, Gregory Leake, Clarissa Martinez, Daniela Martinez, Ethan Mayo, Luke Miner, Haleigh Murillo, Brandon Nieto, Sela Ochoa, Meagan Penny, Maebry Petty, Zoe Sanders, Tanner Scroggins, Seth Selensky, Leigh Ann Sitzman, Kaitlyn Stenzel, Reid Terrell and Sunshine Trotter.

Third grade — Hayden Hurst, Barrett Kelton, Kaitlyn Lane, Synthia Lira, Kora Pennartz, Hatti Shipman, Hannah Sonnenberg, Maddie Thompson and Carson Tibbels.

Fourth grade — Halie Askey, Nicholas Bishop, Reese Cannon, Christian Hand, Garrett Penny, Cameron Pitts, Samantha Robertson, Corin Rodriguez, Madison Scroggins, Madeline Smith and Cami Wicker.

Fifth grade — Hannah Adkins, Emily Baker, Rose Bryan, Savannah Calhoun, Stone Coston, Logan Cullop, Elizabeth Culpepper, Kara Harper, Austin Higgins, Grant Hopper, Emily Kirkelie, Miranda Martinez, Logan McNair, Faith Myers, Chryslyn Perkins, Grace Short and Jasmine Wood.

A/B Honor Roll

First grade — Grady Adkins, Rachel Allen, Zane Allsup, Jaden Coston, Nathaniel Davie, Zahrea Driver, Camryn Evans, Makamdyn Mayfield, Kaylee Miner, Austyn Saldivar, Breanna Stover, Chase Wallen and Winsor Wood.

Second grade — Ava Brotherton, Landon Cone, Anna Evans, Maria Fraga, Collin Gebhardt, Cassie Hall, Ty Hammer, Nick Harper, Kayden Hering, Sam Hopper, Jayden Lara, Weston Leonard, Hannah Little, Yanet Martinez, Celeste Pedroza, Alexia Sellards, Bryce Shetter, Joe Short, Josh Sneed, Brandon Stamps, Corbin Stastny, Carleigh Steele, Jackson Terrell, Andrea Trujillo, Mya

Velasquez, Makayla Walters and Courtney Whitaker.

Third grade — Matthew Ashmore, Sam Bagwell, Journey Bernard, Windy Britton, Dean Brotherton, Trent Byrd, Belle Edgar, Ashlynn Gillispie, Aaron Gonzales, Christopher Gross, Dalton Gross, Seth Hakanson, Zach Levesque, Marcos Martinez, Reagan Mattison, Makinley Mayfield, Victoria McElhaney, Tanner Mote, Jessica Napier, Katelyn Rhoades, Spencer Rodgers, Angelina Sprague, Jesse Sprague and Ashtyn Steele.

Asnryn Steele.

Fourth grade — Armando Benitez,
Joseph Calhoun, Reagan Chism, Sarah Gregory, Tommy Hall, Katie Grace
Henderson, Nancy Martinez, Mandi
McCrary, Mikena Minor, Maria Morales, Krysten Morgan, Bryanna Navarrete, Anahi Pacheco, Jacqueline
Pacheco, Nayeli Pacheco, Oscar
Palomo, Seth Patrick, Kase Pennartz, Garret Potter, Iliana Rodriguez,
Miguel Rodriguez, Mallory Schuring,
Maegan Shields, Ethan Southard,
Charlie Trotter and Zara Wallace.

Fifth Grade — Jorge Aguilar, Dalton Anderson, Gracie Bagwell, Cayla Bertron, Paylynn Crowley, Summer Davis, Thomas Dvorak, Lex Fernandez, Andrea Garcia, Angel Garza, Tia Jones, Rheanna King, Carson Martin, Marisleyzie Martinez, Karen Morado, Lesly Morales, Victoria Nichols, Michelle Paredes, Carlee Reed, Travis Rhoades, Jake Riggs, Hagan Shipman, Jordan Smith, Jonathan Sneed, Sarah Southard, Garrett Thompson, Celeste Vanderbeck and Alissa Walters.

Rann Elementary School Second Six Weeks A Honor Roll

First grade — Davy Addington, Kristen Archuleta, Emma Boatright, Rachel Bowker, Codie Boyd, Riley Braziel, Kassity Cannon, Julyssa Cantu, Riley Christian, Celeste Creswell, Alicia Cruz, Layla Felts, Carlos Gamboa Maldonado, Catcher Gasperson, Jehrra Glover, John Gros, Maggie Hamm, Ariana Hartman, Emma Hartman, Wesley Hornback, Karter Houchin, Eric Hudson, Cody Hughes, Clayton Huston, Alondra Inguanzo, Trinity Joiner, Sienna Kostelecky, Cale Laaser, Jentry Lamirand, Zoe Laverty, Mica McNiel, Avery Miller, Bayli Miller, Scott Miller, Allyson Milligan, Jacqueline Paiz, Henill Patel, Brady Quarles, Jacoby Read, Tatum Reeves, Amea Reyna, Bailey Roberson, Carter Sanders, Jessica Shipman, Jacie Stone, James Summerford, Jacob Taylor, Matthew Thomas, Avery Thompson, Shane Tobias, Ty Woods and Lizbeth Zuniga.

Second grade — Katelyn Ary, Jake Barrow, Colby Berg, Ainsley Boyd, Hayden Browning, Adrian Carrillo, Eben Chandler, Gabriella Cramton, Caden Denny, Shylee Dubois, Joey Dunbar, Colby Fiderlick, Brianna Fraga, Marley Gage, Jennifer Gamboa Maldonado, Bryson Gardner, Marian Gordon, Kreid Hafer, Brison Hesteande, Hunter Higgs, Morgan Hopkins, Kenedy Houchin, Briana Inguanzo, David Juarez, Jessie Knarr, Ella Mallarv. Jenna Roberson. Brianna Rozela, Autumn Shipman, Jack Stone, Emma Tello, Astrid Vega, Luke Villard and Samuel Wren.

Third grade — Caleb Bennett, Samuel Brown, Kambri Buchanan, Dayne Chapman, Gabriel Embree, Makenzie Fox, Lucie Hartman, Rhett Humphries, Dalton Jackson, Connor Jeffrey, Madyson Kellis, Harper Lowery, Diego Mancilla, Justina Ravenstein, Maclain Rhine, Philip Rieger, Mckenly Roberts, Aliyah Smith, Christopher Stalkup, Jaci Ticknor, Sebastian Varnadore and Gustavo

Fourth grade — Noah Bowker, Dodge Brown, Aaron Diaczenko, Gavin Haynes, Ashlee Hudson, Satasha Kostelecky, Hannah Nobles, Alejandra Ruiz, Elizabeth Warren and Chase Wunrow.

Fifth grade — Janelle Aldape, Emily Boyd, Hailey Gardner, Nate Haynes, Madison Kyle, Elijah Miller, Joshua Sij, Haleigh Taylor, Hannah Thomas, Alec Uselton, Madeleine Waskom and Kirsten Wunrow.



Wise County Directory of Area Churches

www.wcmessenger.com/church

Give The Gift of Care

Care Certificates Now Available



Sheila Boggs, RN
Owner/Administrator

940-389-8942

Commitment Runs Deep



We celebrate the spirit of this Christmas season. The spirit that brings families, friends and communities together. Devon extends to you warm wishes for happy holidays.

devonenergy.com

FORTUNE 100 Best Companies to Work For® FORTUNE World's Most Admired Companies®

devon



Your neighborhood store - and so much more. Sears Hometown Store is the best of both worlds - the value, selection and services you want, right in your neighborhood.

FOR AN EVEN GREATER SELECTION SHOP SEARS.COM BUY ONLINE, PICK-UP AT YOUR LOCAL SEARS STORE Excludes Alaska.

Owned and operated by Larry & Ida Kirby

Owned and operated by Larry & Ida Kirby Bus. 380 West • Decatur, TX

Hours: Mon. - Fri. 9 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Sat. 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. • Sun. 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Phone: 940-627-6466

DECATUR



Education

Honor Rolls

Continued from page 8

Waddill and Colby Westbrook.

Fifth grade — Krystal Aguilar, Buddy Bale, Tamara Behringer, Maribel Camacho, Olivia Chandler, Linda Chavarria, Nash Cooper, Craig Daniels, Colton Denman, Lauren Denny, Charles Doubrava, Rebeca Galindo, Miranda Gillespie, Madelynn Goss, Mabel Hartman, Emily Hubbard, Daniel Inguanzo, Jordan Jeffrey, Sydney Jeffrey, Jillian Kevetter, Thaine Laaser, Jonathan Mendez, Nayeli Morales, Sydney Pyland, Alan Rangel Aguilar, Diana Romero, Jesse Romero, Braden Snow, Sara Stephens, Caitlinn Stockton, Marcus Thomas, Reagan Thomas, Adam Villard, Jordan White, Grace Wooten and Caution Young.

Young Elementary School Second Six Weeks

Second Six Weeks A Honor Roll

First grade — Abel Ricardo Aldape, Jimmy Gamino Aldape, Madison Reese Barnett, Caydence Amon Bible, Amberlee Paige Bitner, Jimena Caldera, Haley Danielle Carr, Dylan Renee Foreman, Erik Isaak Gonzalez, Logan Hugh Green, Charlotte Grace Hale, Desirae Dawn Hillary, Tanaya Grace Lunday, Daniel Vargas Mares, Diego Julian Martinez, Victoria Danae Martinez, Dylan Cole McGee, Reese Wynn Montcalm, Hayden Craig Philpot, Bryce Keoni Robinson, Christian Andres Rodarte, Eunice Isabel Ruiz, Clarissa Salinas, Corben Jay Smith, Kelar Hope Sooter, Carter McWilliams Stainton, Emilee Ann Talley, Caden Cole Thomas and Lindsey Alexis Wilkerson.

Second grade — Ryan Douglas Barnett, Jada Nicole Boner, Colby Keith Bryan, Angel Carrillo, Chrystian Joe Chapman, Hayden Robert Copen, Benjamin Lee Cunnius, Nicte Hernandez, Kianna Vanessa Lezcano, Tristan Dwayne Blank Lutes, Daniela Huerta Martinez, Magen Joy McMillian, Sophia Danielle Palomo, Jacob Andrew Rivera, Alvaro Sanchez, Luke Asko Tribe, Brittany Reneé Tye and Madalynn Catherine Van Epps.

Third grade — Antonio Isaiah Galarza, Elizabeth Grace Isham and Marcus Michael Pidgeon.

Fourth grade — Emily Faith August, Keilie Jean Bryan, Nathaniel James Carr, Mallory Linda Downe, Jay Alexander Edwards, Kaitlyn Emilee Flake, Tyler Reed Grantham, Sheadon Avinash Lutes, Bryce Ashton Monett, Marcus Howard Pena, Shaela Erin Raburn, Sadie Judith Seckel, Alyson Grace Skarke and Raeli Brooke Tucker.

Fifth grade — Cody Matthew Baker, Skyler Dane Berryman-Greeson, Becky Lee Davenport, Dimitri Alexander Gilbert, Holden Dean Hacker, Alexis Marie Hanna, Ernesto Huerta, Johnathon Lynn Johnson, Drew Robert Langto, Mason Keith Lee, Marissa Lynn McDuff, Steven Douglas Nichols, Leslie Elizet Palomo, Hayden Mac Perkins, Brayden A. Quinton, Halie Savanna Ramos, Victoria Marie Shrull, Clara Beth Tolleson and Tyler Wade Watson.

A/B Honor Roll

First grade — Gabriela Marie Teneria Ahlstrand, Carla Gabriela Deleon Baez, Derrick Anthony Bible, Braidyn Zane Blythe, Adrian Paul Cecilia Boyles, Aidan Wayne Cagle, Jose Miguel Bermudez Caldera, Aaron Neal Chancellor, Hailey Carolyn Copen, Diane Alexa Douglas, Jace Matthew Edwards, Abigail Escobedo, Brianna Lizzett Gonzalez, Candace Suzanne Greeson, Guadalupe Xavier Hernandez, Nallely Huerta, Joshua Adam Johnson, Ian Thomas Lee, Makayla Lynn Lee, Omar Martinez, Mercedes Olvera-Vidales, Hernan Herrera Ortiz, Piper Page Ough, Genoveva Pacheco, Molly Claire Reed, Jesus Alberto Robeledo, Martha Jacqueline Rodriguez, Luis Eduardo Romo, Emily Raquel Sass, Lucas Christian Scott, Elizabeth Caherine Swanson, Jorge Luis Torres and Jefferey Villarreal.

Second grade — Carlos Alexander Alcaraz, Nive Renee Bowles, Concepcion Caldera, Cheyenne Denise Cook, Angel Misael Fraire Coronado, Kros Ethyn Croxton, Michael Franklin Davenport, Max Lee Downe, Jesse Thomas Dupree, Daniel Martinez Fernandez, Arturo Alejandro Gloria, Kaelee Brianna Gould, Andres Hernandez, Janelly Ramirez Hernandez, Elizabeth Key Highlander, Chloe Leeann Hoskins, Luke Brandon House, Trevor Austin Jones, Kayla Rayne Leal, Cesar Najera Lopez, Antoni Madrid, Brandon Scott Mullins, Rebecca Anne Place, Cameron Lee Powell, Thomas Everett Rainey, Ja-

Continued on page 10

SUDOKU SOLUTIONS

Sudoku Solution #2025-D

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

Sudoku Solution #2025-M

| NAME OF TAXABLE PARTY O | 8 | 9 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 4 |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ************************************** | 4 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 1 | 2 |
| OVERAL PROPERTY OF THE PROPERT | 1 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 9 | 5 | 8 |
| Company of the Compan | 3 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 9 |
| CASSING CONTRACTOR CON | 9 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 7 |
| THE PERSON NAMED AND PARTY OF THE PE | 7 | 8 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 |
| THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN NAM | 2 | 7 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 9 | 3 | 8 | 1 |
| AND REPORT OF THE PROPERTY OF | 6 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 9 | 5 |
| | 5 | 3 | 9 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 6 |

© 2009 Hometown Conter

Submit YOUR local news...

www.wcmessenger.com/submit

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

Royal Commoners

| ••• | u. U | | | | , | , | | | | | | | | , |
|--------|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| S | ı | М | | G | 0 | F | E | R | | D | Ε | С | Α | F |
| U | М | Α | | Α | L | L | ı | Е | | ı | М | Α | G | Е |
| Р | Α | Т | Т | Υ | D | U | κ | E | | Т | ı | М | Е | R |
| S | С | Н | E | L | L | | S | L | Α | Т | Т | Е | R | N |
| | | | R | Е | Α | R | | ı | С | Υ | | | | |
| s | Т | Α | R | | ပ | 0 | U | N | Т | В | Α | s | ı | Ε |
| Т | Α | В | | | Е | s | Т | | S | Α | Т | ı | N | Υ |
| Α | L | L | Α | Н | | Е | Т | s | | G | Е | Е | s | Ε |
| L | ı | Е | L | 0 | w | | Е | L | S | | | G | Е | R |
| Е | Α | R | L | w | Α | R | R | Е | N | | Т | Е | Т | s |
| | | | | ı | s | Α | | w | Α | R | Е | | | |
| G | i | Α | N | Т | ı | s | М | | Р | Α | R | ı | Α | Н |
| Α | R | R | 0 | z | | Н | Α | L | Р | R | ı | N | С | Е |
| L | ı | Α | N | Е | | Е | М | ı | L | Е | | С | ı | Α |
| Α | s | Т | Е | R | | R | Α | V | Е | R | | Α | D | D |
| 2/12/2 | 010 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

RANDY WILLIAMS JAMES US 287 IN DECATUR BUICK • CHEVY • CADILLAC GMC • HYUNDAI • PRE-OWNED 940-627-2177

Let RANDY SAVE YOU MONEY on Your Next NEW or PRE-OWNED Vehicle!

Mark Goss, MD



2014 Ben Merritt Drive, Suite A • Decatur Ph 940-627-0013 Fax 940-627-1900

Push It, Pull It

or Drag It

(We Trade for Anything!)

Messenger OFFICE SUPPLY

115 S.Trinity, Decatur 627-5987
Visa MasterCard American Express Discover

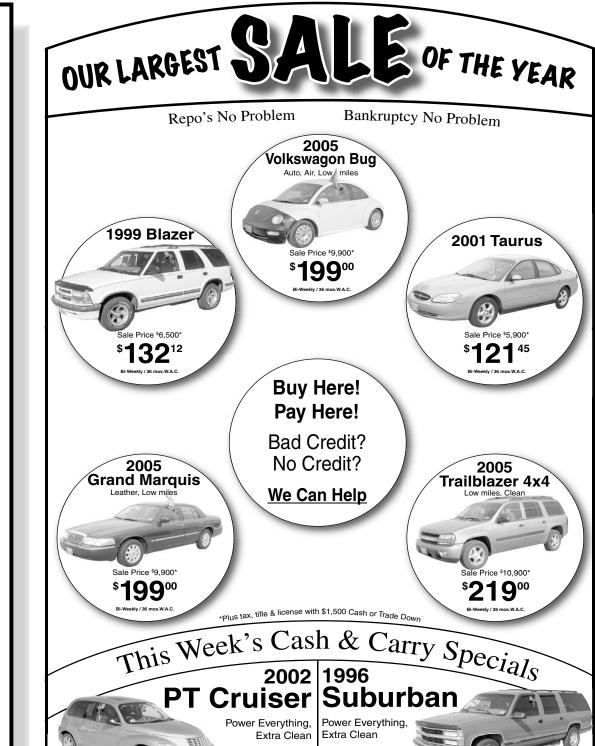
OFFICE SUPPLY WAREHOUSE SALE

MONDAY-FRIDAY 9:30-4:00

SAVE 50%-80%

CASH & CARRY NO DELIVERY CREDIT CARDS

ACCEPTED www.messengerofficesupply.com



Open: Monday - Friday 8-6 and Saturday 9-3

U. S. Hwy. 287 North in Decatur 940-627-5164

WISE PRE-ONNED

2003 Kia Sedona Van

\$3,5<u>00</u>

Education

Honor Rolls

Continued from page 9

cob Isaiah Ramos, MiKayla Alejandra Rodriguez, Yaneth Romo, Mason Tylor Stephenson, Gage Wayne Yarborough and Samuel Enrique Zamora.

Third grade — Trinity D. Ard, Andrew Reeve Bradford, Sean Austin Burba, an Glenn Caporale, Izek Pedro Chavana, Hallie Alise Crabtree, Rodrigo Cruz, Lillian Nicole Hale, Emily Nicole Haney, Lexie Lynn Johnson, Keaton Riley Jordan, Giovanni Isaiah Landeros, Adam Michael Lee, Sebastian Mares, Je sus Inguanzo Martinez, Corrinn Elizabeth Prechter, Abigail Reyes, Vanessa Janelle Sanders, Blake Lee Sill, Sara Chrystina Swanson, Zachary Jaxon Tibbels, Mckenna Irene Van Epps, Jaida Alyse Wesley and Theresa Louise

Fourth grade — Reina Louann Aten, Nicholas Tyler Birmingham, Charles Cox Blount, Colton Lewis Burk, Layton Joseph Chancellor, Macy Charmaine Downe, Logan Patrick Draper, Christopher Fernandez, Jakob Elijah Flores, Riley Elaine Graniczny, Cameron Wesley Hale, Milton Daniel Hardee, Ryan George Haycock, Zachary Thomas Hughes, Jaiden Blayne Johnson, Dylan Robert Langto, Melissa Ivette Lozano, Tanner Lane Maples, Ana Victoria Martinez, Noah Anthony McClure, Scotlan Brooke Meador, Alexis Joel Rodriguez Ortega, Israel Pacheco, Wendy Pacheco, Hannah Gabrielle Palomo, Madison Lauren Palomo, Ashton Reagan Catheri Powell, Autumn Denise Powell, Riley Michelle Ramirez, Joseph Nathaniel Ramos, Marco Antonio Rodriguez, Beverly Ray Ann Schooling, Leighann May Stephenson, Sarah Anne Taylor-Grimes, Savannah Gean Wilson and Shelby Leeanne Marie Young.

Fifth grade — Rebecca Monic Aranda, Elayna Dianne Blythe, Kallie Jean Boner, Jennifer Paige Briscoe, Barrett Quinton Brown, Garrett Lynn Brown, Aspen Nicole Clawson, Zachariah David Cook, Logan Keith Darst, Garrett Austin Douglas, Jose Guadalupe Rome Fernandez, Isaac Aaron Ille, Christian Geovanny Isaac, Alison Dawn James, Tala Marie Johnston, Blake Dakota Jones, Jordyn Leann Jones, Sabrina Celest Leal, Lauryn Kay Luttrull, Olivia Marie Martin, Jared Gage Bigham McBride, Crystal Pacheco, Lindsey Raquel Pena, Sam Dalton Perkins, Stormi Nicole Philpot, Hutson Reed Ralph, Jonathan Romo, Sebastian Serrano, Crystal Brianne Teague, Ayita Nasnan Thacker, Trever James Thompson, Thomas Vincent Tunnell and Justin Wayne Tye

Paradise Elementary School Second Six Weeks

A Honor Roll

First grade — Meghan Bacon, Brady Barnett, Layla Bryson, Carson Carpenter, Elizabeth Collins, Callie Davis, Lexi Fowler, Christy Fuhrmann, Mean Harris, Mackenzie Hart, Brylee Hawkins, Jonathan Horner, Ethan Hunt, Adam Iglesias, Jarrett Isaacs, Julia Karg, Kyler Kelsey, Kayden Loggins, Grace Lowery, Jakob Lowry, Dustin Meadows, Allison Morrow, Brady Nelson, Lane Nelson, Cade Pearson, Dalton Penny, Micheal Pope, David Ramsey, Abigayle Schaefer, Kyle Scott, Casey Shurbet, Bryson Thomas, Martin Vil laneda, Raleigh Ward and Jessie Wright.

Second grade — Cayden Baker, David Benson, Nicole Blue, Mia Caddell, Reighlee Carbajal, Araceli Carrillo, Haiden Clark, Keigen Cornell, Laramie Dearing, Landen Espinoza, Isabella Eudy, Stephanie Gober, Clayton Godwin, Nash Hager, Kolby Hardcastle, Alexis Henderson, Hailey Holt, Heston Holt, Kasi Horner, Desirae Jackson, Shyann Jennings, Kindal Kott, Hunter Largent, Jarred Lee, Nicolas Licea, Laura Livesay, Alondra Loza, Jana Messenger, Hayden Nelson, Lillian Nicholson, John Raynor, Krista Richey, Pacer Ryle, Ava Schuh, Grant Shriver, Clayton Smith, Austin Stephens, Carson Tinney, Dimitrios Tipton, Trey Valentine and Sarah White.

Third grade — Kyndel Beck, Bohner Brackeen, Johanna Buyers, Summer Cobb, Megan Cornett, Kathryn Davis, Hunter Doughty, Matthew Eisen, Jace Essig, Addyson Ford, Jenna Goodger, Dakota Howell, Makenna Hudson, Mariah Kirbie, Taylor Mayes Brumfield, Tiffany Mayes Brumfield, Harley Mayfield, Audrey McDuff, Danae Meadows, Lynsey Medlin, Jaceton Miskiewicz,

Ramsey, Kyle Riggs, Jagr Royse, Kaia Saylor, Brayden Scheller, Kennedy Schneck, Madason Thomas, Weston Tinney and Cheyanne Upton. A/B Honor Roll First grade — Diego Carrillo, Brenlee Gentry, Jacob Goodman, Christa

Hamby, Sierra Mayes, Lauren Moon, Luis Perez, Corey Schaefer, Cheyenne Silvey, Kaylie Simmons and Harley Sterner.

Kara Munn, Gracie Oates, Alexis Penny, Riley Penny, Andre Pineda, Cortney

Second grade — Laramie Brown, Keifer Cornell, Tayte Helton, Kutler Jenkins, Connor Kennedy, David Lara, Savanah Lawson, Landen Mantooth, Kaiden Nolan, Ariana Perez, Nallely Ramirez, Jaeten Reynolds, Jayden Rogers, Alejandro Romo Castro, Natalie Skidmore, Dillon Spencer, Seth Wilbur and

Third grade — Raygan Adair, Savannah Bullard, Nathan Calvery, Cole Carpenter, Canyon Collins, Katelynn Davis, Kylie Deaton, Dakota Dillard, Zackery Downing, Payton Ellis, Julissa Enriquez, Kaleb Evans, Alexis Fernandez, Skylar Gibson, Paizlee Henry, Jack Ishmael, Bailey Johnson, Madison Lowery, Jayden Moody, Breann Neal, Riley Nelson, Isac Perkins, Hayden Proffitt, Kaitlin Rydman, Cordell Scarlett, William Schroeder, Hailey Uselton, Kobe Wakefield, Kamryn Walton, Dillan Watson, Mason Winn and Ashlyn Winters.

Paradise Intermediate School

Second Six Weeks A Honor Roll

Fourth grade — Hadleigh Anthony, Katelyn Blackstock, Bennett Brown, Tadem Brown, Grant Caddell, Kendall Candioto, Mercedes Carrllo, Amanda Cherryhomes, Ethan Choate, Reginaldo Contreras, Colby Cox, Thomas Edwards, Dakotah Fewell, Ray Fultz, Zaida Galaviz, Whitney Hager, Johnathan Heinsen, Ethan Holley, Kelan Jenkins, Savannah Kott, Sergio Licea, Keegan Loggins, Mariah Lopez, Kaycee Martin, Koby Menard, Madison Mitschke, Dakota Moon, Payton Nesby, Hawkins Nessler, Bryson Oates, Kiara Owens, Aubrey Pearson, Davin Riley, Cal Robinson, Ryan Scott, Davis Shriver, Susan Silvey, James Stapleton, Emily Stephens, Maddilyn Terry, Nicolas Thomas, Keylee Winters, Alexis Wright and Christine Wylie.

Fifth grade — Jordan Babcock, Gracie Barnett, Brandon Bowling, Cayden Candioto, Mireya Carrillo, Courtney Cathey, Savanna Cleveland, Elise Cobb, Rebecca Comelt, Martin Crawford, Siclaly Delgadillo, Jimmy Farrell, Allison Foster, Hanna Holden, Halie Ivey, Kaylen Kott, Meagan Lee, Emily Love, Sara Lowry, Caitlin Madden, Lacey Mantooth, Saylea Mayfield, Corbin McBride, Tatum Miller, Hannah Nelson, Marshall Payton, Hannah Pearson, Stormie Pilcher, Rose Powers, Jacob Reid, Danny Richardson, Gage Schneck, Jackson Shriver, Denver Smith, Kaitlynn Smith, Kailey Thomas, Hannah Tilghman, Ryan Upton, Logan Waggoner, Garrett Walsh, Tryston Webb, Kayli White, Judson Wilkening and Michael Yates.

Second Six Weeks AB Honor Roll

Fourth grade — Nichole Anderson, Morgan Baker, Johanna Barnett, Brayden Brewer, Brianna Carsten, Irene Chasteen, Briar Choate, Jonathan Christensen, Madelyn Cross, Alyssa Gaddy, Nevan Graves, Samuel Griffin, Trent Horner, Heather Karg, Skylin Lowe, Damon McBride, Erin McGee, Eain Perkins, Hannah Proffitt, Jaci Reynolds, Shaelyn Spidle, Matthew Taylor, Christina Tipton, Madison Warren, Maecy Williams and Morgan Wilmoth.

Fifth grade — Anne Atkins, Jimmy Barnett, Jakob Beck, Majia Bennet, Blake Cummings, Harley Dickens, Chandler Dugan, Bethany Freeby, Aric Garza, Nolan Graves, Mark Hamilton, Kaylyn Henderson, Carolina Hernandez, Coleton Horner, Samantha Huckabee, Christopher Lopez, Hunter McKee, Mariah McKinley, Ty Meals, Jonathan Paschali, Kenzi Potteiger, Lorenzo Romo, Joey Skidmore, Chelsey Skinner, Michael Swan, Justin Tayor, Carson Tucker, Sydney Tucker, Nathaniel Vickers, Bailey Williams, Madison Williams, Garrett Winters and Matthew Worrell.

Here today...

Wise County Messenger Classifieds • www.wcmessenger.com/class

GONE tomorrow.





One Year Out-of-County...... One Year Out-of-State... ☐ Two Year In-County ☐ Two Year Out-of-County Clip and mail to:
Wise County Messenger
P.O. Box 149 • 115 South Trinity Decatur, Texas 76234

Holiday Special

WWW.WCMESSENGER.COM/SUBSCRIBE

Stay Friday, Saturday or Sunday, Get next night FREE (Only one free night per weekend)

Rack rates apply ~ No other discounts. Offer expires January 30, 2011 Must present or mention coupon at check in.

SUNDAY SERVICE 10:30 A.M. 903-227-7369

DECATUR LIVESTOCK MARKET 2473 NORTH FM 51 DECATUR. TEXAS

Give your kids something good to do this Holiday Offering Holiday Break childcare Monday-Thursday, Dec. 20-23 or Dec. 27-30 for only \$80! Drop-in Rates Available!

FOR MORE INFORMATION,

Momen's Health Issues

by Renee Smith, M.D.

INFLUENCING BIRTH-CONTROL USE

With respect to using birth control, young couples may not always agree about which type to use or even whether to use birth control at all. Research involving couples 18-25 years old who were not pregnant and not planning to be shows that women were more likely to use birth control if their partners were in favor of it. In contrast to this, researchers found that even if women didn't want to get pregnant, most were having unprotected sex. The point is that partners need to seriously discuss the issue and come to some sort of agreement rather than let this very important matter slide. Women in their partners.

For comprehensive ob/gyn care, contact our office. Here, be assured that you will receive personalized attention and care coupled with state of the art practices and technologies. We encourage our patients to feel comfortable discussing their medical, reproductive, and sexual concerns while knowing they are receiving the most current information and excellent care. To schedule an appointment, call WISE OBSTETRICS & GYNECOLOGY P.A. at 940-626-8008. The office is conveniently located at 1713 South Fm 51, Suite. 201, **Decatur**. New patients are welcome.

P.S. A discussion about birth control is more than a man merely asking a woman if she "is on the pill." A real discussion about the matter involves a give-and-take of views, responsibility, and

EDUCATION BRIEFS

Psi Iota chapter of Phi Theta

The liberal arts/general

studies major is the daugh-

ter of Claire Fortenberry

Students must rank in the

top 20 percent of their class

to be invited to the society

and must maintain high

academic standing during

their enrollment in the two-

Students

earn awards

Twelve Decatur High

School students earned AP

Scholar Awards for their

achievements on Advanced

Continued on page 11

Placement exams.

Kappa honor society.

O'Berry of Slidell.

year college.

Students place in competition

Boyd Middle School and the sixth grade competed at the District UIL meet Tuesday, Dec. 7, in Paradise. The following students placed in the competition.

Sixth Grade

Willie Bean — Listening, sixth place

Willie Bean, Noah Day, McKenzie May — Listening Team, third place

Seventh Grade

Braden Thomas — Science, first place

Preston Montgomery — Social Studies, second place Hayden Brown — Mathematics, fourth place

Hayden Brown, Dakota Wolfe, Braden Thomas — Mathematics Team, third place

Braden Thomas — Modern Oratory, third place 8th Grade

Christina Civis — Modern Oratory, fourth place Dillon Rose — Social Stud-

ies, third place Christina Civis — Social Studies, fifth place

Cameron Clark — Listening, sixth place Jackson Basting — Impromptu Speaking, sixth

place

Riley joins group

Heather Riley, a student at North Central Texas College, was inducted into the

FUNERAL HOME BASIC CREMATION \$800 COMPLETE

NO HIDDEN CHARGES 817-282-0858



940-627-2312 • 1817 HWY. 287 N • DECATUR ONE MILE NORTH OF HWY 380

MONDAY - SATURDAY, 8 A.M. TO 7 P.M. HOLIDAY HOURS WWW.AGVANTAGEFARMANDRANCH.COM



"Jesus is the reason for the season"

ALL WRANGLER, PANHANDLE SLIM,

CARHARTT SHIRTS AND JEANS



Boots Starting at \$115.99 Men's Boulet Full Quill Ostrich

Men's Boulet

Caiman Boots

Double H

\$299.99

\$399.99



WRANGLER'S NEW



20%OFF

ALL TOYS, HOUSEWARES & GIFTS INCLUDING **MONTANA SILVER SMITHS JEWELRY**

WE CARRY BIG AND TALL MENS SIZES

Education

EDUCATION BRIEFS

Continued from page 10

Those receiving AP Scholar with Distinction awards are Dillon Fisher, Landon Hankins, Rebecca Roose and Daniel Walker. Each earned an average score of 3.5 on all AP exams taken with a score of 3 or higher on at least five

Carson McCain, Aaron Renaud and Amy Rodden were named AP Scholars with Honor after earning an average score of at least 3.25 on all AP exams with a score of 3 or higher on at least four exams.

AP Scholar awards were awarded to Jonathan Alling, Kevin Chicas, Alexander Forbis, Benjamin Johnson and Daniel Martinek, who earned at least a 3 on three in Fort Worth.

or more exams.

All are 2010 graduates of Decatur High School except Alling who is a senior.

Stevenson completes degree

Joshua Dale Stevenson of Boyd has completed the requirements for receiving his master of science degree



in nurse anesthesia from Texas Wesleyan University

The son of Andy and Lorie Stevenson of Boyd, he is a 2002 graduate of Boyd High School and a 2006 graduate of Texas Tech University, where he received a bachelor of science degree in nursing.

Stevenson and his wife, Kaila, will live in Lubbock, where he will practice anesthesia at Texas Tech University Medical Center.

Granger calls for interns

Congresswoman Kay Granger is seeking internship applicants for her Fort Worth and Washington, D.C., offices for the spring session. Full- and part-time internships are available for college-aged applicants.

A completed application, resume, copy of most recent transcript and a letter of recommendation should be sent to the office where the applicant wants to work.

Visit the congresswoman's website at www.kaygranger. house.gov for information.

Fax application materials to the Fort Worth office at (817) 335-5852. Call Barbara Ragland at (817) 338-0909 for information.

E-mail application materials to sara.rafferty@mail. house.gov at the Washington, D.C., office or call Sara Rafferty at (202) 225-5071.

The Update is just a simple click away.

wcmessenger.com/update

Steak: A Texas Birthright.

Try our fresh cut Filet Mignon with your choice of two sides at lunch for \$17.99, or at dinner your choice of two sides for \$18.99.

LUNCH

Monday Thru Friday 11 to 2 SATURDAY & SUNDAY 11 TO 4 **DINNER**

Monday Thru Friday 5 to 9 Saturday & Sunday 4 to 9

817-232-9251

Gift Certificates available.



On the Square in Decatur - 7 Days (940) 626-4555 sweetiepiesribeyes.com



Voted Fort Worth's Best Place to Buy a Diamond

<u>Outdoors</u>

Mid-winter best time to prune live oaks

By NEIL SPERRY

Dear Neil: I have some live oaks in my front yard that need to have low-hanging branches trimmed. When is the best time to prune

Mid-winter is ideal. Oak wilt fungus and the insects that carry it from tree to tree are inactive at that time. Seal all cuts with pruning sealant from a nursery or hardware

Dear Neil: My lawn care person Root Rot, and that I'll have to remove all the not have to remove your existing grass.



Gardener's Mailbag

old grass, then cover the lawn with compost before planting again. Is that the best way to deal with it?

Oh, no. Thousands of Texas gardeners have had very good results in dealing with TARR by applying a one-inch layer of Canadian sphagnum peat moss across the top of the grass in mid-April.

You have to break up the clods of peat to get it to spread out uniformly, and then you'll want to water it in to settle it down onto the soil surface. If you truly have TARR, you'll see very rapid improvement in the grass. No

told me that my St. Augustine has Take All fungicides are effective on it. You certainly do

THERE'S A NEW PLAYER IN TOWN!

5-YEAR WARRANTY.

PLUS 5 MORE REASONS TO BUY A MAHINDRA.



Our 5-year limited warranty is the best in the industry, and we also offer 5-year financing for qualified buyers². But there are even more reasons to invest in a Mahindra.

1. WE'RE HEAVY-DUTY. Our tractors weigh more. That means more stability, so you can push more, pull more and lift more safely.

2. PROFESSIONAL GRADE. No cheap plastic or flimsy fenders. Just quality, heavy-duty steel from top-to-bottom.

3. 18-83 HORSEPOWER. Some folks need big tractors, some need compacts. So we sell a variety of Mahindras for different needs and budgets.

4. USER-FRIENDLY. Our tractors have a flat platform for easy access and ergonomic controls within easy operator reach.

5. GREAT DEALERS LIKE: **MCMASTER NEW HOLLAND** US Hwy. 287 S. Decatur

940-627-2198 • www.mcmasternewholland.com

SERVICE What We

cMaster

NEW HOLLAND

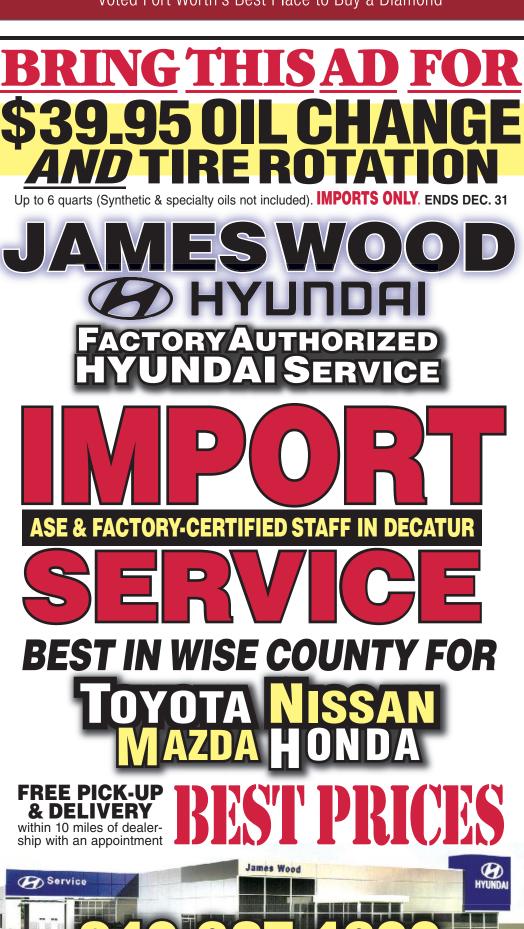


"Your Tractor and Farm Equipment Capitol of Texas"

US Hwy. 287 South, Decatur • 940-627-2198 www.mcmasternewholland.com • 1-877-417-4924 Mon. - Fri., 8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m, Sat., 8 a.m. - Noon

The Mahindra Company ©2010 Mahindra USA, Inc. 1 5-Year limited warranty valid for current models only (excludes Model 2525) WAC See dealer for details





es wood hyundai.com

Focus

on 4-H

By CHRISSY DANIEL Wise Co. Extension Agent

Twenty-two Wise County 4-H youth participated in the District Nutritional Quiz Bowl contest Dec. 1 in Olney.

In this contest, 4-H youth in the Food and Nutrition project are quizzed over nu-

tritional content, kitchen safety, food nutrition labels and MyPyramid.

Participants include Jodie Wells, Marisol Millan, Logan Moore, Christian Cross, Anne Marie Wells, Sydney Keating, Bailey Keating, Slayton Pruett, Caitlin Pruett, Morgan Barnes, Shelby Vanover, Sarah Beavers, Lyndi Luttrull, Fallon Sachse, Emily Egle, Clayton Egle, Cydney Bailey, Katelyn Schedcik and Marisol Chandler.

A team consisted of Ty Watson, Thaine Laaser and Michaela Cross took the

first-place title for the junior division. Great job to all of the Wise County 4-H participants!

District Leaders for Life contest results

Four Wise County 4-H se-

-nior members competed Dec. 9 in the Leaders for Life contest in Haskell. Leaders for Life is a four-part con-

test: Quiz Bowl, Community Service Interpretation, Parliamentary Procedure Demonstration and a question and answer session.

Participants study Robert's Rules of Order, Stephen Covey's "7 Habits for Highly Effective Teens" and various Texas 4-H publications to prepare for the contest.

The team of Bailey Morris, Shawn Herndon, Amber Orr and Kendall Vawter took second place and is looking forward to competing next year. Excellent work, 4-H'ers.

ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME DECISIONS

MICHELLE E. HALLORAN

Attorney and Counselor at Law

DIVORCE • CUSTODY

CRIMINAL DEFENSE • WILLS & TRUSTS

1602 West Business 380, Suite 800 • Decatur, Texas 76234 940-627-0011 or 817-831-3561 Fax: 940-627-6207





*Classifieds...*a place to find what you need and sell what you don't!





RESIDENCES

at Senior Care

Come visit us {today} for your tour

Assisted Independent

RETIREMENT COMMUNITY

• Spacious Apartments

(two bedroom apartment & 2-Studio apartment currently available)

- All utilities paid Housekeeping Linen Service Dining Services
 - Cable Television Local Transportation Daily Activities
 - Individual Heat & Air Monitored Emergency Call System 2106 15TH ST., Bridgeport • 940-683-6307

Community Focus

Ceremony marks big splash for our area

By D.A. SHARPE

The U.S Navy has been developing a new fighting ship to be the most mobile, fastest and versatile to date.

The Littoral Combat Ship has had two editions made so far, the Freedom and the Independence. The third is the LCS 3, "Fort Worth," the first of these ships to be named for a city.

U.S. Congressional Representative Kay Granger, a former mayor, was instrumental in winning for Fort

McKinney, TX

1-800-593-3373 M-F: 7:00 - 6:00

Sat: 7:00 - 4:00

Terrell, TX Sherman, TX Rhome, TX

1-800-593-3373 M-F: 7:30 - 5:30 Sat: 7:30 - 1:00

Mineola, TX Paris, TX Mt. Pleasant, TX Sulphur Springs, TX

> Tyler, TX Athens, TX

1-800-593-3373 M-F: 7:30 - 5:00

Sat: 7:30 - 12:00

www.ag-power.com

5045D Utility Tractor

The USS Fort Worth has been under construction for 20 months, and the 3,000-ton, \$480 million ship, at 80 percent completion, was ready

SHARPE

for christening and launching Dec. 4 at the Lockheed Martin facilities on the Menominee River in Mari-

out through Green Bay into Lake Michigan, then through the Erie Canal to the Atlantic Ocean.

Its most likely homeport will be San Diego.

Activities for this historic event took place Dec. 3 and 4. Many months ago, the USS Fort Worth Committee was formed through the Chamber of Commerce to promote the naming of the new ship and to be a catalyst for ceremonies that would be a show of support by Metropolitan Fort Worth

USS Fort Worth will sail of State Roger Williams, a long-time Tarrant and Park- from Fort Worth and surer County automobile dealer, heads the committee.

rounding counties who were selected to attend the chris-

There were 100 citizens tening. A Lockheed aircraft (a Boeing 737-700) took 60

Continued on page 13



USS FORT WORTH — The 3,000-ton and \$480 million USS Fort Worth was christened and launched Dec. 4. at the Menominee River in Marinette, Wis. The ship is the first of the three editions of the Littoral Combat Ship to be named after a city.



Big Cash Discounts!



- Choose from 83-101 engine HP
- Standard MFWD
- 12F/12R PowrReverser™ transmission
- Standard climate-controlled
- Perfect for commercial buyers or municipalities

The Best Deal in Texas!



- 45HP 3-cylinder diesel engine, 2WD
- Standard power steering
- SyncReverser[™] transmission
- Standard 3-point hitch and 540rpm rear PTO

ends January 31, 2011. Some restrictions apply; other special rates and terms may be available, so see your dealer for details and other financing options. Offer applies only to ne the United States only. ONe fixed rate financing or up to \$1,000 off valid at participating dealers only. ONe finance offer subject to approved credit on John Deere Credit Installmenr dealer for details and other financing options. "Manufacturer's estimate of power (ISO) per 97/68/ED. "Offer end 31/3/2011. Prices and model availability may vary by dealer rates and terms may be available, so see your dealer for details and other financing options. Available at participating dealers.







DECATUR POWER SPORTS

201 W Thompson St. **Decatur, TX** 940-627-0627 **DecaturPowerSportsTX.com**

Plus! Come in to check out HUGE SAVINGS during our 2009 Inventory Blow-Out!







*Customer Cash offer good on select 2010 (and prior year) models between 10/29/10-12/28/10. **Finance offer subject to credit approval, applies to purchases of *Customer Cash offer good on select 2010 (and prior year) models between 10/29/10-12/28/10. **Finance offer subject to credit approval, applies to purchases of new Yamaha Motorcycles, ATVs & Scooters made on a Yamaha Installment Financing loan account from 10/29/10-12/28/10. Minimum contract length is 24 months and maximum length is 36 months. Minimum amount financed is \$5,000. Fixed APR of 3.99% or 12.99% will be assigned based on credit approval criteria. Monthly payments per \$1,000 financed based on 36 month term are \$29.52 at 3.99% and \$33.69 at 12.99%. Offer good only in the U.S., excluding the state of Hawaii. Dress properly for your ride with a helmet, eye protection, gloves and boots. Do not drink and ride. It is illegal and dangerous. Yamaha and the Motorcycle Safety Foundation encourage you to ride safely and respect the environment. For further information regarding the MSF course, please call 1-800-446-9227. ATVs with engine sizes over 90cc are recommended for use only by riders age 16 years and older. Yamaha recommends that all ATV riders take an approved training course. For safety and training information, see your dealer or call the ATV Safety Institute at 1-800-887-2887. ATVs can be hazardous to operate. For your safety: Always avoid paved surfaces.

Never ride on public roads. Always wear a helmet, eve protection and protective clothing; never carry passengers never engage in stunt riding; riding and alcohol/drugs don't mix; avoid excessive speed; and be particularly careful on difficult terrain. ©2010 Yamaha Motor Corp. U.S.A. All rights reserved. • yamaha-motor.com

Community Focus

Ceremony marks...

Continued from page 14

of us on a flight of truly firstclass experience.

I attended as leader of a five-member contingent of admirals in the Texas Navy Association, specifically of the Admiral Chester W. Nimitz Squadron of the Texas Navy. We were able to have our spouses with us. Actually two of the admirals are married to each other.

Our Texas Navy group was eight of the 100. Those admirals were Robert Callanan, Robson Ranch, Denton

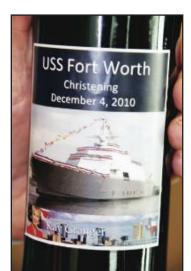
County; Jack Dyess, Diane Bransom-Dyess and Jim Sutton, all of Haltom City, Tarrant County; and me, hailing from Aurora, Wise County.

All three from Haltom City are current or former members of the city council. Callanan is the immediate past vice president of the Texas Navy Association. I am the executive officer of the Nimitz Squadron.

We were taken to the Lockheed Martin Ship Yards for the mast-stepping ceremonies. Coins and memorabilia are put into a metal container, which is welded under the first step on the mast of the ship as a gesture of good fortune. There were 1,000 in attendance for this.

After that, we attended a reception to honor Representative Granger, who was named the ship's sponsor for a lifetime of service. That evening we heard speeches by various luminaries who are part of this whole process.

The second day was all about the USS Fort Worth christening. We gathered in a huge



hangar, which seemed as though it had 1,500 or more people in it. Two Wisconsin congressmen spoke as well as Granger. Several military people of high rank spoke, as well as executives from the Lockheed - Martin team of contractors who built this marvelous ship.

The Littoral Combat Ship is the smallest ship in the arsenal of the US Navy. However, as you stand near it, it seems huge. Its length is 489 feet, and its height is 113 feet from keel to the top

of the mast. It has two gasoline turbine engines and two diesel engines.

The ship is not powered with the traditional blade, but rather by jet streams of water being forced out the rear of the ship. Over 100,000 horsepower is generated, enabling the ship's speeds at over 40 knots per hour (that's over 46 miles per hour). Actually, the real horsepower and speed are classified and are greater than these published

The climax of the weekend was gathering at the pier where the USS Fort Worth was dry docked, waiting to be christened and launched into the Menominee River. A very high scaffolding rig enabled Granger and the three matrons of honor (her daughter and her two daughters-in-law) and a couple of naval personnel and Lockheed officials to be at the level proper for crashing the traditional bottle of champagne. The act was accomplished efficiently and without snags.

Continued on page 18



A Trust as Big as Texas.

We're a Texas company that understands what your needs are. Germania has agents across Texas to better serve you. From Wichita Falls to Sherman to the Metroplex, we know North Texas!

Germania is no ordinary insurance company. We've been insuring Texas homes for over 110 years. We have competitive rates, discount options, and exceptional claim service, 24/7.

Contact us to find an agent near you and discover for yourself why Gemania is

The Insurance Texans Trust.



1-800-392-2202

John H. Kaker Insurance Agency 940-627-2652 (Decatur) The Kaker Agency 940-683-2621 (Bridgeport)

This is **the** brand the mass

merchants don't want vou to know about.

HOMEWARD



2 out of 3 Rehab **Patients** return home in less than 30 days!

Senior Care Decatur Rehab Team

Why Is Our Homeward Bound Program So Successful?

A big reason would be our Rehabilitation Team! Our In-House team which, consists of Physical; Occupational; and Speech Therapy, that focus on you & reaching your goals.



Senior Care is here to meet all your needs: Short Term Rehabilitation, Skilled Nursing Services, or Long Term Care.

2108 15th Street Bridgeport, Texas 76426 940-683-5023



"Experience the Difference"

701 West Bennett Rd Decatur, Texas 76234 940-626-2800

stihlusa.com

"Your Tractor and Farm Equipment Capitol of Texas"

WE SERVICE What We SELL!

US Hwy. 287 South, Decatur • 940-627-2198

Mon. - Fri., 8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m • Sat., 8 a.m. - Noon

www.mcmasternewholland.com

STIHL Farm Boss & **LIMITED TIME OFFER! Great Savings!** MS 170 Chain Saw * While supplies last. See dealer for details BG 55 Blower Our most popular model for homeowners Lightweight, powerful, starts easily Optional Gutter Kit \$3699 Carrying Case and Extra STIHL Chain* With purchase of a STIHL MS 180 C-BE chain saw. iber 1 Worldwide 57/HL STIHL - 8,000 Dealers Strong! McMaster

NEW HOLLAND

AGRICULTURE

Farm and Ranch

Real Estate for Sale



Acreage ·Ints Business Property · Condos/Town Homes

Pets

· Mobile Homes ·Wanted to Buy

 Business Property Duplex Housing Mobile Homes

Appliances

· Furniture

· Clothing/Jewelry

Merchandise for Sale

Rentals

· Spaces & Lots ·Wanted to Rent Facilities Storage Buildings

Firewood

Miscellaneous

FOR

· Employment · Miscellaneous Information Office · Adult/Elderly Care · Retail/Sales ·Trades · Food Service Work Wanted

Transportation

Employment

· Adult/Elderly Care Business Housecleaning

Services

· Miscellaneous Tutoring

Wanted

Announcements

· Card of Thanks

· Let's Swap

· Lost & Found

Fencing

· Livestock Stud Service · Livestock Mowing Training · Poultry · Livestock Lost & Found

Livestock Supplies

Notices



· Legal Notices Public Notices

Business Hours

Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Deadlines:

Line Ads: Thursday Issue: 10 a.m. Tuesday

Sunday Issue: 10 a.m. Friday Classified Gold: 10 a.m. Friday Real Estate and Classified Display: Thursday Issue: 3 p.m. Thursday Sunday Issue: 3 p.m. Tuesday Classified Gold: 3 p.m. Wednesday

Special Offers:

Business Services: Place a paid ad for four weeks in the Business Services classification of the Wise County Messenger for \$50. Receive a bold heading and the fifth week is FREE. Run the same ad in Classified Gold for an additional \$32 for five weeks (price based on 20 words or

For Sale: Place a paid ad with a bold headline for two weeks for \$25, and if you don't sell your item at the end of two weeks, you'll receive the next two weeks FREE. Run the same ad in Classified Gold for an additional \$16 for four weeks (price based on 20 word or less ad).

(940)210-0661.

Classified Advertising Policy: Classified ads for the Sunday/Thursday

edition are \$12 per week for 20 words or less (each additional word is 60¢). Run the same ad in Classified Gold for an additional \$8 per week (20 words or less: each additional word is 40¢).

for an incorrect ad only the first time it runs, so check your ad carefully.

Classified Gold goes into 21,000

Payments:

115 South Trinity St., Decatur By mail: Wise County Messenger

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT

Acreage

· Pets Lost & Found

14 ACRES

a few miles south of Decatur off FM 51 South. Water well, septic & electricity in place. (940)399-8183.

· Pet Care/Training

Pet Stud Services

FOUR WOODED 10-ACRE LOTS \$65,000/each, 10% down, 10% owner finance. Restricted, CR3451, Paradise, (940)393-1020.

Homes

\$119,900, 308 RIDGEVIEW DRIVE 3-bedroom, 2-bath, 5-years-old, 1,700 square feet. Best home in Decatur! Robert, (940)255-4684.

For all your real estate needs, call PATTI DUTY THRASHER, (940)577-2733. World Wide Realtors.

FOR SALE BY OWNER 3-bedroom, 2-bath, brick home on 1

acre. Large shop with carport attached. Call (940)399-3333 or (940)389-1923

FSBO 3-BEDROOM

2-bath, brick home, 5-acres. Work-

shop with mud room, hay barn, remodeled. Sunset, (940)531-0038, (940)366-5570.

Owner ready to sell. FSBO, 3/2/2 home on golf course. 626 Half Moon Way, Runaway Bay. \$198,900.

(817)219-6083.

GREAT PLACE to raise your family in the country! 29 acres, brick, 5/3, gameroom, 50'x30' workshop, coastal & on a paved road in Bowie. \$335,000. . Evans & Associates Realty, owner/broker, (940)841-1072.

LAST HOME AVAILABLE AT \$1,069/MONTH

Brand new brick home. Payment includes taxes and insurance. 100% finanancing available. (817)733-3444.

NEWARK 5/3 2 STORY **BRICK HOUSE WITH LAKE VIEW**

1.5 acres for rent/sale, OBO, Owner finance possible. Over 3,000 square feet. \$1,500/month, \$800/deposit. Negotiable with good rental history. (682)551-0424, (682)559-1512.

SPACIOUS 3-BEDROOM

2-bath home on 3 acres, secluded hilltop view, pond, meadow, fireplace, vaulted ceilings. Seller will finance. (972)978-1686.

Mobile Homes

OWNER FINANCE **NO BANKS**

Newark, low payments, damaged credit okay. Several to choose from. (682)286-0693. #0036227.

RBMOBILEHOMES.COM

Boats

Cars

state. Licensed, bonded, insured. Free (940)683-5547. RBI #36191.

Wanted to buy

LOOKING FOR SMALL MOBILE home lots, up to 2 acres. Paying with fast closing (940)683-5547 or (940)683-5838.

RENTALS



Property · Condos/Town **Dunlex Housing** Rooms · Roommate Wanted Spaces & Lots · For Lease Wanted to Rent · Wanted to Lease · Facilities · Storage

Apartments



Apartments That Feel Like Home

1,2 & 3 Bedrooms Available 940-536-9346

Cabins & efficiency apartments for rent, including some as low as \$500/month w/all bills paid. Boyd Excellent location. (940)433-3133.

Business property

10,000 SQUARE FOOT BUILDING on 10 acres. Great location on Hwy. 380. Sale, lease or owner finance Cannon Realty, (940)393-5317.

SPACE FOR RENT

Retail/office in historic building off Decatur square. New paint & carpet, display window. Call Robin, (940)627-8080.



www.wcmessenger.com

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE:

All real estate advertising in this newspaper is subject to the Fair Housing Act which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin, or an intention, to make any such preference, limitation or discrimination." Familial status includes children under the age of 18 living with parents or legal custodians, pregnant women and people securing custody of children under 18.

This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis. To complain of discrimination call HUD toll-free at 1-800-669-9777. The toll-free telephone number for the





CRESTVIEW PLACE

1-800-927-9275.

Available Jan. 1, 2011 1 Bedroom \$680/Month W/D available

> Come in now with deposit to hold your apartment!

• Small pets okay • Jr. Olympic size pool • On-site courtesy officer Open Mon-Fri, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. • Sat, Noon - 4 p.m.

950 W. Thompson Street • Decatur • 940-626-0032 www.crestviewplaceapts.com

Move, set-ups, re-levels. In & out of The Elegant estimates. Touch

Trailers

· Recreational Vehicles · Wanted to Buy

Be your own Boss!

Now leasing stations for

Day Spa

Nail Techs Esthetician's

Contact Jodi at 940-627-6362

Condos, town homes

For lease, completely remodeled 1-bedroom condo in Runaway Bay, on 13th green, all amenities. Call (940)389-0636.

Duplexes

3/1 duplex in city of Newark. 1.6 acre waterfront lot, Eagle Mountain Lake. \$850/month. (817)903-5976.

Bridgeport, 3-bedroom duplex available. \$760/month, \$600/deposit. Call Donna, (940)389-1615.

Duplex in Runaway Bay, 1,410 square feet, 3-bedroom, 2-bath, 1-car garage, small fenced yard, energy improvements. \$875/month, \$800/deposit. (940)577-0977.

Homes



AVAILABLE NOW Washer/Dryer/Refrigerator New Carpet, Small Storage Shed \$695/month • \$695/deposit **940-372-0634№**

Bowie, 2-bedroom, 1-bath, well kept, clean, well insulated, heat pump. Immediate occupancy. \$420/month, deposit & references. (940)433-3832, (940)689-0389.

RENTALS AVAILABLE

3/2/1 duplex, 3/2/2 brick house, Decatur. 4/2/2 brick, Ponder. 1-bedroom studio apartment, Alvord. Call Cannon Realty, (940)368-1811.

Spend the winter on the lake! For a weekend (2 nights) for \$157.92 plus tax, or for a month in one of Bay-Landing's cabins. Furnished 1-room cabin on Lake Bridgeport, all utilities, full-size kitchen, Dish TV, (no phones). \$720/month plus tax, \$100/refundable deposit. Call (940)683-3016. Available Novem-

Mobile Homes

2-bedroom, 1-bath, \$525/month. 2-bedroom, 2-bath, \$600/month. Located in Chico. Call Kevin, (719)660-5992.

3/2 double wide mobile home, in country. With carport, shop. 2 acres north of Decatur. \$550/deposit, \$800/month. (940)389-5216, (940)389-0954.

rent. \$550/month, \$400/deposit. No (940)210-9158 (214)926-2613.

Roommate wanted

penses in a house in the country. \$500/month for each room. (940)210-2011.



25% OFF 2 1st month's rent Mon. - Sat. 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. 940-627-1147 After Hours: 940-399-7343

Decatur • Hwy 287 S.



Employment Information Adult/Elderly Care Childcare Food Service · Medical/ Dental · Miscellaneous Office · Retail/Sales

!!ATTENTION!! Advertising under this classification is normally not a bona fide opportunity. Typically, companies advertising here offer information about potential employment. Some are selling this information. We suggest that our readers thoroughly investigate

these advertisers before invest-

Food service

Work while your kids are in school. Come to work after they go to school. Be off before they get home from school. Monday-Friday lunch, all positions. Sweetie Pie's Ribeyes, 210 W. Main, Decatur. Apply 9a.m.-6p.m., Mon.-Sat. EOE.



for experienced meat cutter and meat wrapper. Apply at Market Place, 1202 FM 51 or: www.marketplacegrocery.com.

Experienced cook needed. Refer-

ences required. Call Kate,

Medical/Dental



MDS Coordinator

Apply in person at 2108 15th St. • Bridgeport 940-683-5023

Senior Care Health &

Bridgeport

2-10 shift with \$1,000 Sign on Bonus • P/T LVN or RN Wed. & Thur. - 10 pm - 6 am

> Apply in person at 2108 15th St. • Bridgeport 940-683-5023

Bored with your job?

Wise County Messenger Classifieds

- RN's Med/Surg*CCU*Surgery*ER
- * Wound Care
- Med/Surg LVN*PCA Bariatric - Exercise Specialist
- Dialysis Certified Hemodialysis Tech
- Medical Records Clinical Coder Therapy Service - PT*OT*PT Tech
- Bariatric Dietician • Wellness - Aquatics & Zumba® Instructor

Pharmacy - CPht or LVN

City of Newark **Utility Billing**

Customer Service Clerk Part-time Noon - 5 p.m.

310 FM 718, Newark, TX 76071 e-mail:citysecretary@newarktexas.com

flexible scheduling available must pass drug screening/test Brina resume to:



Come Join Our Team!

Brookshire Grocery Company

is currently accepting applications for our new store in Bridgeport, TX.

Must be willing to work various shifts, some weekends and holidays.

First Baptist Church **1204 12th Street**

Call 903-780-7485 with any questions

Error Responsibility:

Customers are asked to check their ad immediately after it appears in the paper and report at once any error found. Claims for adjustment should be made at that time. The Wise County Messenger is responsible

additional homes.

In person:

P.O. Box 149 Decatur. TX 76234-0149



JOB OPENINGS Rehabilitation Center

Now hiring for the following positions • LVNs

• Certified Nurses Aides Offer Shift Differential & Insurance

www.wcmessenger.com/class

Wise Regional Health System • Dietary - Cook/Diet Aide Part Time/PRN

• Behavioral SVCS -RN*LVN*LPC • Lab - MT/MLT



Applications available at City Hall

Part-time office help

950 W. Thompson St., Decatur • 940-626-0032

Brookshire's

Pick up/drop off completed applications at:

Bridgeport, TX 76426

Come visit us at brookshires.com Equal Opportunity Employer - Drug-Free Workplace

Chico. 3-bedroom, 2-bath trailer for

2 roommates wanted to share ex-

Storage Buildings



1st Time Customers

EMPLOYMENT



Employment information

ing any money.

Looking for a job?

Check out the Wise



RN - Director of Nursing Azle Manor, a prestigious nursing facility located in Azle, is now interviewing

Nursing in 37 years of operation. Same Administrator since 1975. Excellent Surveys. Paid vacation. If you are interested in a position with stability, security and a supporting staff, this is the job for you! Salary commensurate with experience

for an energetic, hard working, dynamic, caring individual. For the position of Director of Nursing.

Azle Manor is a privately owned 142 bed skilled facility that has had only 5 Directors of

721 Dunaway, Azle, TX • 817-444-2536

Replies will be kept confidential Contact Kinny Pack, Administrator Azle Manor Nursing Center

Other Company Benefits

EMPLOYMENT



Rehabilitation Center Now hiring for the following positions,

due to growth F/T Certified

Medication Aide • F/T RN

• CNA - 2 - 10 pm

Apply In Person At 701 West Bennett Rd., DECATUR

940-626-2800

DAILY MEAL PROVIDED FOR ALL EMPLOYEES

Sunny **H**ílls Nursing & Rehab **LVN** 10:00-6:00 shift

APPLY IN PERSON AT 201 E. THOMPSON, DECATUR

or FAX RESUME to 940-627-3937 EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

Miscellaneous

Mobile home set-up person. Experience required. (940)683-5838.

PARTS DRIVER

Karl Klement Ford is seeking a dependable person with a good driving record & a great attitude. For consideration, please apply to Jodi Dusek, H.R. Manager at 605 N. Business Highway 287, Suite 102, Decatur.

Retail/Sales

SALES, BRIDGEPORT AARONS Learn the lease purchase business Electronics experience helpful. Good communication skills required. Duties include sales, customer service and store merchandising. Some heavy lifting. Aarons leases name brand furniture, electronics, and appliances. Raise after 90 days. Some overtime. Benefits. Drug screen. Closed on Sunday. \$10/hour, more for experience. Apply in person, 922 Halsell, downtown Bridgeport, (940)683-5454, ask for Jason.

Trades

Karl Klement Ford has immediate opening for Ford Certified Transmission Tech. Apply in person to Kery Nelson at US Highway 287 South, Decatur; or call (940)627-1101.

Local OTR company has current opening for driver with CDL & reefer experience. (940)577-6232.

Metal building fabrication company needing experienced help & weld-Hiring immediately (940)748-2006.

Need a JOB?

www.wcmessenger.com

LANDMARK Elevating Expectations

GMAW & FCAW

Welders Needed Landmark Fabrication is hiring Gas Metal and Flux-Cored Arc Welders—must have solid work experience with an impeccable safety record. These are full time, permanent positions at our

Decatur fabrication facility. Please call Landmark at

1-888-486-6888 or fax your resume to 817-439-9001.

Equal Opportunity Employer

WANTED IMMEDIATELY **PIPE WELDERS & WELDER'S HELPERS**

Pipe Welders need to have B313 Severe 100% X Ray Welding experience and

Must pass the Welding Test and Drug Screer

If you have the knowledge and experience (Get back to work NOW)

Apply in Person at

Barnes Employment Group 2202 Hwy 380, Bridgeport, TX

or call 940-683-9047 for more information.



LOOKING FOR QUALIFIED DRIVERS

Class A CDL with Tanker Endorsement. Clean MVR. Scheduled days off. Driver insurance paid by company (after 90 consecutive days of work). Family insurance benefits available. Please call 940-872-3883



IS HIRING A TOTER TRUCK DRIVER

Minimum 2 yrs. experience required. Moving mobile homes in the oil field. Competitive salary & benefits.

Call Mickey at (713) 857-0093



Now Hiring

Staff Assistant - Bridgeport

Basic Energy Services is seeking an individual to perform office support services in our Bridgeport, TX location.

- Maintain customer files, data entry; accounts receivable/payable • Organize task and ensure timely completion of projects
- · Organize and distribute daily reports
- Customer Service oriented, with good communication skills
- Provide administrative support to local office

Requires strong computer skills (Word and Excel), customer service orientation and good communication skills. Experience with SAP a plus. Fax resumes to: 432-682-2503 or mail to:

Basic Energy Services P.O. Box 10460 • Midland, TX 79702 **Attn: Annette McDermett**

Equal Opportunity Employer - M/F/D/V • Drug Free Environment

SERVICES

Adult/Elderly care

Male LVN/CNA looking for private sitting job, preferably nights. Spein Alzheimer's. cializing (940)550-5685, leave message.

Business

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS INSTALLED by off duty firefighter. Michael, (940)367-5790.



Cox Concrete Construction

Anything & Everything Made of Concrete

FREE ESTIMATES

Ernest Cox 817-897-6785

Since 1978 P.O. Box 741, Chico

MR. SWEEP'S

Chimney Cleaning Service. Chimney caps, dryer vent cleaning & fireplace repairs. Call, ask for \$20 discount. (817)692-5624.

RUSSELL'S REMODELING & Repair. One call for all your

needs. (940)389-4943.

Housecleaning

HEART FOR HOMES

Holiday special, coose from 3 cleaning or organizing packages. Gift certificates available. Free estimates. Sharon, (940)389-8883.

LUMPKIN'S CHIMNEY SWEEP Services include chimney inspect-

ing, cleaning, cap installation and re-installation. www.lumpkinschimneysweep.webs.com

(940)435-8518

PROFESSIONAL CLEANING SERVICES

Residential & commercial. Flat rates. We make it clean. Call Audrey, (940)393-3537.

Let me fix it



NOW OFFERING Dozer Services & Storm Shelters!

LEN ROY DON BUILDERS

A Father & Son Business 1 Roy & Reyn Tractor & **Backhoe Service** 817-366-7990 **Mobile Direct**

ELECTRICAL WORK

Commercial and residential. Lighting, outlets, service and repairs. New construction, remodels. Master license and insured. Free estimates. (940)627-0072.

JESSE KRAL

All around carpenter/handyman. No iob too small. Free estimates. Remodels, wood/tile work, decks, pole barns, fencing/repair, more. (940)627-7414, (913)596-8487.

MIKE'S BY SERVICE

Service calls, insurance work, full repairs, parts, washing/detailing. Also work on horse/enclosed trailers. Michael, (940)399-7565.

OVERALL GENERAL CONTRACTING Storm damage, remodeling, all

types fencing, driveways, right of ways, water ways. Commercial/residential. Best prices. (940)595-8133.

SKILLED CARPENTER

20-years experience. Remodeling,

repairs, upgrades & additions. Small or large projects. Free estimates, any location. (214)334-6440.

Miscellaneous

Go Green Wise County. Appliance removal: washer, dryer, AC, refrigerator, freezer. Free pick up. Call (940)577-4835 for details.



19 Seasons **Full-Service Chimney Sweep**

Locally Owned & Operated by

Steven Pittman -800-375-4535

& CHIP PAVING

By CD Paving & Seal Coating

What is Tar & Chip Seal? Tar & Chip Seal is a less expensive pavement than blacktop or concrete.

It can be applied to a base surface or ar older cracked-up blacktop surface. It is a layer of hot, liquefied asphalt tar which is followed by a layer of 3/8" chip rock and then rolled to compaction.

It stavs clean • It will last 12 to 15 years It will not wash out

• It keeps cool in summer • It is maintenance-free • It has beautiful curb appea



Ranch Roads
 Streets

WE ARE FULLY INSURED

Toll Free

817-291-4679 www.tarnchip.com

We Also Do **Excavating, Grading** & Base Work

Parking Lots • Driveways

1-888-TAR-N-CHIP

Tree Service and Stump Removal • Tree Removal Stump Grinding Storm Damage Experts

- Chipper Service
 - Bucket Truck

FREE ESTIMATES (Senior Citizen Discount)

Fully Insured 940-626-4345

Toll Free 1-866-606-3224 Most Credit Cards Accepted

Wise, Cooke and Montague Counties

VISA

FARM AND RANCH

Farm Equipment

1965 FORD INDUSTRIAL

tractor with bucket & hay spike, \$6.500/OBO. Utility tilt trailer, \$350/OBO. Utility trailer w/ramp, ((40)683-2371. \$350/OBO. (940)644-2545.

NEW HOLLAND 4X4 TRACTOR Model TZ24DA, w/front end loader, like new. Howse 5'-shredder. King Kutter 5'-rake. Male donkey, very gentle, free. (254)205-0401.

Fencing

2 3/8" pipe fence post; 7', \$5.50; 8', \$6.50. Also, 2 3/8", 2 7/8" pipe & 3/4" sucker rod. (940)433-5267.

3D FARM & RANCH SERVICES All types fencing, metal buildings, carports, custom gates, entrances, cattle guards, mobile & shop welding. YOU NAME IT, WE DO IT!! (940)210-1242.

BOBBY'S FENCE All types fencing. Free estimates. Over 25-years experience.

(817)444-3213. **FARM & RANCH FENCING** Pipe & cable, non-climb, barbed

wire, entrances, solar gate opera-

tors, repairs. Made in USA. Jim,

Lawn and garden

(940)367-7505.

TREES TRIMMED & REMOVED 36 years in business, insured. All major credit cards accepted. (817)444-0861. Teater.

Livestock

checks,

One

ALL NATURAL BEEF straight from the ranch. Young, ten-

der, no growth hormones/antibiotics. Grain or grass fed. Whole, half. (940)210-9614.

BUY, SELL & TRADE All classes of horses, ponies,

sheep, goats & trailers. (940)224-1470, (940)644-5956.

C BAR M TACK-FEED-HORSES

143 CR4396, Decatur, TX. Cash,

credit

14-month-old and one

cards

www.cbarm.net, (817)929-3612. **CHAROLAIS BULLS**

16-month-old. Ronnie, (817)475-4601. I BUY & SELL

goats. All kinds poultry. Fred, (817)223-4477.

all kinds of animals & trailers.

Horses, cows/calves, pigs, sheep,

LLAMAS weanlings (6-months-old), adults, bred females, guardians & pet quality. We provide training & support for new owners. (940)433-5897.

Mowing

ACREAGE MOWING

Tractor services. Plowing, seeding, aerating, tilling, fertilizing available. Tommy, (940)482-6578.

Pasture and feed



50 years of actual service in Hay Sales. Try us and see if our prices can be beat! Thank you **Danny Taylor**

940-389-3068 Charles H. Taylor 940-627-3385 • 940-393-2728 940-389-3068 • 940-389-5000

2010 COASTAL, 2ND CUTTING 4x5 net-wrapped, \$45. Round & square baling. \$5 discount on 10+ (940)644-6669,

BLACK ANGUS bulls, 12-15 months. Registered,

(940)399-8484.

easy calving, good growth, out of A.I. sires. (940)964-2273. Pictures & details at: www.ntin.net/TruittFarms.

2010 square bales, fertilized, barn stored. No minimum, you load, \$6/bale. Boyd, (940)433-2335.

HAY FOR SALE

Fertilized coastal, 4x5 round bales, \$45. Fertilized Johnson grass, 4x5 round bales, \$35. (940)433-2678, (940)337-1728.

HIGHLY FERTILIZED

square bales coastal horse hav. no weeds, no stickers. 1-50 bales, \$5/each: 100 bales. \$4.50/each. You load. (940)433-2633, Boyd.

JOHNSON GRASS/COASTAL MIX Cow hay, net-wrapped 4x5 bales, \$40/bale. Delivered. (940)389-8004.



Pets Lost & Found Pet Care/Training Pet Stud Services

Pets

!!ATTENTION!!

AKC LABRADORS White, cream, yellow, males & fe-

AUSTRALIAN SHEPHERD

BEAUTIFUL AKC REGISTERED Boxer puppies for sale. Black brin-

dle and brindle, males and females. One white female. Born 11-21-10. Ready for Christmas. Taking deposits. \$400. Not a breeder, own both parents, family pets. Wonderful dispositions, beautiful dogs. Parents on premises. Bridgeport area, (740)817-8021.

Chihuahua puppies, 8-weeks-old. One female, \$200. Two males, \$175/each. Will hold for Christmas. (817)988-7032.

GOLDEN RETRIEVERS

tmariec2@gmail.com. **JUST IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS** Boxer puppies. No papers, parents on premises, 1st shots, wormed.

\$200/each. (940)644-5701,

Pets lost and found

tattoo on stomach. Please call Dave, (972)342-4137.

MERCHANDISE FOR SALE



Miscellaneous Auctions

\$300. (817)366-2540.

5p.m. (940)683-4685.

Furniture

MASSIVE BROYHILL QUEEN 8-PIECE BEDROOM SUITE

DEPEND ON US!

FOR ALL YOUR PRINTING NEEDS



PREMIUM HORSE QUALITY hay, round or square. Guaranteed (817)944-9451.





We suggest that our readers thoroughly investigate any advertiser before investing any money.

males. Parents on site. Wormed, shots, chipped. Ready for Christ-

mas. Call (817)913-9164.

puppies, 2 male black tri's, 12-weeks-old; \$350 each. Call Renee, (972)746-5758.

dew-clawed, first shots, complete puppy starter-kit. \$300. Call (940)389-8932: email:

Purebred, ready by Christmas,

(940)389-3637.

Lost: solid black Dachshund, near LBJ Grasslands, answers to Jax,



Nice Kenmore washer & dryer.

Appliances

GAS COOK STOVE, \$100; Electric dryer, \$100; Queen size mattress set with frame, \$65.00, Table with 2 chairs, \$50. Call 9a.m.-5p.m. (940)683-2219, after

With sleigh bed. PERFECT FOR CHRISTMAS. Sacrifice \$1800. OBO. (940)210-9021 after 3p.m.

Form Work ♦ Business Cards ♦ Sales Books



(940) 627-5987 • FAX (940) 627-1004 E-mail: officesupply@wcmessenger.com

TRANSPORTATION

You Are Approved!

Cars & Trucks

BMG AUTO

107 S. Hwy. 287 • Decatur

Behind Dairy Queen

940-626-8000

Visit our website

www.bmgautosales.com

Check!

100% Approval

MERCHANDISE FOR SALE

We leased it first and now you can save big. Cleaned and sanitized mattress sets, both for \$139. Sofa and love, both for \$389. 60" Mitsubishi TV, from \$449. Lamp pairs, \$29. 3-piece accessory tables from \$79. Laptop computer from \$289. Appliances and much more. Quantities limited and vary by store. Short on cash? Lease to own in only 12-months with no credit needed. Aarons,1300 FM 51 South, #300E, Decatur, next to Dollar General. (940)627-5043, ask for Miles.

Garage sales

!!ATTENTION!!

If you do not see your garage sale in this section, please look in the paid circulation of the Thursday Wise County Messenger.

Garage sale ads in All Around Wise MUST be called in before 10a.m. Friday, THE WEEK BEFORE the sale, and cost is a minimum of \$20. If you only want your garage sale in the paid circulation, deadline is 10a.m. Tuesday, the week of the sale, and cost is a minimum of \$12.

Firewood

FIREWOOD FOR SALE

Seasoned, split, oak firewood. (940)389-6407

FIREWOOD

for sale, oak. (940)389-3413 or

Seasoned oak & mesquite firewood. Call for details. (940)255-2679

You've got it... Somebody wants it.

Wise County Messenger Classifieds

Miscellaneous

Whole & shelled. Cashews, peanuts, pecan pralines. Texas Nut shellers, Texas Two-step nut crack-Hills Twin Store, (940)683-4959.

Cars

IF YOU NEED

a good, dependable car or truck for \$3,500 or less, come by Cowgirl Auto Sales, 804 Business Highway 287, Decatur, TX; (940)626-0070. Ask about our inventory. Let's do

TOP DOLLAR PAID junk cars & trucks (817)220-5682.

Will buy wrecked or not running cars & pickups. Ford, Chevy & Dodge parts for sale. (940)433-2255.

I'LL BUY THOSE YARD CARS as well as your good used cars. Arvin, (817)925-8768.

You're Approved First Time Buyers Bad Credit, No Credit, Need to Build Credit Make Jeremiah Miller the

Go to Guy for all your used car needs!





940-626-8000

Pickups/Vans/SUVs

USED PARTS

1993 Eplorer, 4-door. 1990 Ford pickup. 1999 Tahoe. 2006 Chevy 1987 Suburban. (940)433-2255

Accessories

SUPER CHIPS

HP tuner: AFE air intake system Both for 2007 GM, 6.5 liter LMM Duramax diesel. \$250/each (817)366-4636.

Wise County Directory of

Area hurches

www.wcmessenger.com/church

Estate/Consignment Auction

9:30 a.m. Saturday, December 18

1977 Chevrolet Monte Carlo: 86,000 original miles. Excellent condition, automatic, power everything, cold air, 350 engine, New tires, Conn Saxophone, Baldwin Piano, Collection of Classic Comic Books, Artwork, Coins, Knives, Antiques, Antique Toys, Furniture, Tools, Collectibles,

Items to numerous to mention.

Hometown Auction Service Boots Cross TX#16794 Judy Norred TX#16795 (940) 683-2925 95 Barnett Shale • Bridgeport, TX 76426

See our website for details: www.hometownauctionservice.com

The Most SUCCESSFUL

Garage Sales Advertise in the





www.wcmessenger.com

NEWS · BUSINESS · OBITUARIES · LIFESTYLE · SPORTS · CELL IN CE



2010 TOWN & COUNTRY



or Get 0.0% apr for 72 Months

2010 WRANGLER $\mathsf{IMITED}\ \mathsf{4} ext{-}\mathsf{DOOR}^*$



or Get 0.0% apr for 36 Months

2010 HEMI CHARGER R/T



<u>or</u> Get 0.0% apr

2010 CREWCAB RAM 1500



(US287/US380) • RIGHT ON

PRICE

<u>or</u> Get 0.0% apr for 60 Months





US 287 North, Decatur • 940-627-6700 • 817-430-8416 • 1-800-723-7227

SALES: 8:00-7:00 Monday-Friday 8:00-6:00 Saturday SERVICE & PARTS: 7:30-6:00 Monday-Friday

*TAX, TITLE, LICENSE, EXTRA. Tranactions are With Approved Credit. Prices do not include dealer adds. "Was" price is MSRP. CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY: #50-10302. Rebate: \$2,000. Klement discoount: \$3,025. JEEP WRANGLER: #48-10320. Rebate: \$1,000. Klement discount: \$1,248. RAM: #39-10202. Requires financing by Ally Bank to qualify for this price. Rebate: \$4,250. Ally assistance: \$1,000. Farm Bureau discount: \$500. Klement discount: \$5,357. DODGE CHARGER: #80-10081. Rebate: \$4,000. Farm Bureau discount: \$500. Klement discount: \$2,356. ZERO APR: 72 payments of \$13.89 per \$1,000 financed., or 60 payments of \$16.67 per \$1,000 financed. Down payment may be required.

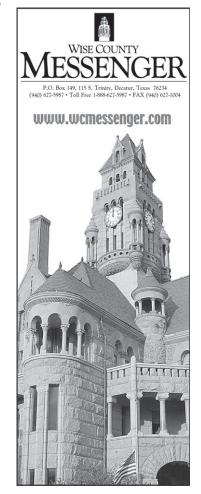
Get More for Less at klementcjd.com

Community Focus



SHIP'S
SPONSOR — US
Congressional
Representative
Kay Granger
speaks before
a crowd at the
christening of
the USS Fort
Worth. Granger
was named the
ship's sponsor
for a lifetime of
service.

Photo by D.A. Sharpe





DECATUR

1101 Eagle Dr. • Suite C Decatur, 76234 940-627-5400 Mon. - Fri., 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Sat., 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

ALVORD

115 E. Bypass 287. • Suite B Alvord, 76225 940-427-2801 Mon. - Fri., 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Closed Sat.

Ceremony marks...

Continued from page 14

Immediately after the broken bottle was smashed on the bow, the ship started its slow, but rapidly increasing slide off to the side and into the river.

The awesome feeling one had was almost overwhelming. To see such a large mass seemingly topple into the river was breathtaking. Amazingly, the ship righted itself like a fishing cork with no trouble at all.

Rear Admiral David Lewis said he'd never seen a ship christening take place that had as much enthusiasm and expressed support from the home area after which it was being named. Fort Worth and area truly represented itself well in this gracious and strong show of support for our US Navy and its mission to defend our nation.

The next 15 months will be a time for testing and completing the ship with all the high-tech equipment and weaponry needed. The actual commissioning with the first crew and the ship's first mission will be in mid-2012. The USS Fort Worth Committee of citizens continues to work for its name-

sake, seeking to have the commissioning take place in Texas.

Many, many more Texans could be present for that.

Other activities are taking place to enhance the future of Fort Worth's association with the crew and its captains. The Ephraim M. Daggett chapter of the Sons of the Republic of Texas in Fort Worth is studying a plan to recognize best sailors each year in some way. It's my honor to be on that committee.

My Nimitz Squadron also is studying a plan to give a replica of the 1836 Colt Revolver to the ship. The Texas Navy of the Republic of Texas was the first military organization to purchase Colt's revolutionary new handgun. Citizens are developing scholarships and other continuing activities.

Friends, this USS Fort Worth ship is really a big deal!

Sharpe is an Aurora resident and former chairman of the Wise County Republican Party.

Victory Christian Academy would like to thank our wonderful sponsors for making possible this years fall festival.

Thank you for supporting Wise County Children.

Agvantage
2-K Pawn and Gun Shop
Armadillo Grill & Boots N Jackets-Bowie
Rawle Chiropractic
Black Eyed Pea-Denton
Bono's
Catfish O'Harlies
Chalet of Jewelry
Chill's
Cici's
Cracker Barrel-Denton
Crosses by Ramp
Dairy Queen
David's Western Store
Decatur Garden Center
Decatur Music
Dry Clean Super Center
Fifth Avenue Salon
Fort Worth Zoo
Freebirds World Burrito-Denton

Garden Path
High Rack Outfitters
IHOP
International Exotic Animal Sanctuary
James Doss
James Wood
Joe's Pasta and Pizza

Magic Pony
Main Street Café and Gardens
Main Street Florist & Twice Around Consignment
Mallory Orthodontics
Mardel Christian Store-Denton
Memory Lane Gifts
Digitron Data Systems
On the Border-Denton

Pel Wel
Plaza Cinema
Rawle Chiropractic
Reata
Red Lobster-Denton
Sams Club-Denton
Sean's BBQ
Spa Pedicures-Denton
Starbucks
Subway
Super Cuts-Denton
Taco Casa
Texas Roadhouse-Denton
The Exchange Gold Store-Dentor
The Gift Shop

Wal-Mart
Wayne's Aircraft Service
Whistle Stop
Wise Service Company-Fuel

VICTORY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

ph 940-627-5820 www.victorychristianacademy.org

