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THREE DEATHS A DAY IN TEXAS DUE TO DRUNK DRIVING

TxDOT campaign aims to deter drunk driving this summer

AUSTIN – Drunk driving deaths increased again last year in Texas, and TxDOT is urging all Texans to save lives and reverse this trend by choosing a sober ride.

Monse Montoya's family was destroyed when a drunk driver ran through a stop sign and T-boned her parents' car. The crash instantly killed her father and her 15-year-old brother. Her mother survived, but she spent a week in the ICU.

The driver of the other car had been drinking with his coworkers before getting behind the wheel, instead of arranging a sober ride. He's now in prison, while Monse's family has been left broken because of his reckless choice.

It's a tragic but disturbingly common story — 1,162 people were killed in drunk driving crashes in Texas in 2022, a 2% increase from the year before.

That's equivalent to three people dying every day of the year. TxDOT is sharing stories like Monse's as a part of its Faces of Drunk Driving campaign. Through these stories, TxDOT hopes to remind Texans that behind every statistic is a person from our community—a brother or sister, a parent, a neighbor, a friend.

"Numbers can sometimes feel abstract," said TxDOT Executive Director Marc Williams. "But these are real people whose lives were either lost or forever altered by someone's decision to drink and drive. We hope that the stories featured in our Faces of Drunk Driving campaign will inspire Texans to always arrange a sober ride home."

Last year, a staggering 26% of all traffic deaths in Texas involved a drunk driver. Those crashes led to one person dying every 7 hours and 32 minutes.

The Faces of Drunk Driving campaign reminds us that driving under the influence can have serious and often irreparable physical, emotional and financial consequences for survivors and offenders alike. Beyond the all-too-real possibility of taking a life, a DWI/DUI can be expensive and can lead to difficulty finding or keeping a job, loss of trust from loved ones, and a lifetime of regret.

This year's campaign will feature events around the state to share stories from Texans who deal every day with the consequences of a drunk driving crash. Events will include an exhibit of powerful video testimonials. Full video stories and other impaired driving information are available online, at <https://www.soberrides.org/>.

TxDOT's Faces of Drunk Driving campaign is a key component of #EndTheStreakTX, a broader social media and word-of-mouth effort that encourages drivers to make safer choices while behind the wheel to help end the streak of daily deaths. November 7, 2000, was the last deathless day on Texas roadways.



Serving those who serve others

These Lindale youngsters recently provided refreshments to some Lindale Police officers at their lemonade stand near the Lindale Volunteer Fire Department downtown. With summer now upon us, these youngsters will probably have plenty of business.

Courtesy photo

Commissioners OK issuance of courthouse parking lot bonds

Smith County Commissioners unanimously passed a motion to issue bonds for the construction of the parking lot for the new county courthouse downtown during their weekly meeting on Tuesday, June 13.

The parking lot, which will cost an estimated \$19 million, is the first construction project associated with the new courthouse, which voters approved in November, 2022.

During the meeting, commissioners heard from Steven Adams of Specialized Public Finance Inc., who said out of eight bids submitted to sell the bonds, the firm chosen was Mesirov Financial Inc. and its 3.9 percent rate.

Adams said the county has a AA rating for the project from Standard and Poors.

Smith County Assistant District Attorney Thomas Wilson told commissioners that the state mandates that in projects such as these there has to be pledge of revenue for the project.

"There has to be a special event fee associated with those wanting to use the parking lot," Wilson said. "It will be a tiered level and space will be allocated."

Wilson added the fee assessment will come into play when there is a minimum of 1,000 people at an event.

Smith County Judge Neal Franklin noted that while this is a taxpayer-funded project there

must be a source of revenue.

"One of the things we discussed in the beginning was we didn't want to double-dip because the taxpayers are paying for (the parking lot)," he said. "But we have to show a source of revenue and didn't want to charge the general public to use the facility."

A total of 550 parking spaces will be available when the lot is completed, Franklin said. The bid closing is scheduled for July 15.

Commissioners also heard a presentation from Sandra Brazil-Hamilton, coordinator of the Texas Judicial Commission on Mental Health Community Diversion program for Smith County jail.

She said Smith County was one of three counties in Texas (Grayson and Denton are the others) chosen for the jail diversion program, which is charged with providing alternative treatments for inmates who can't stand trial because of mental health issues.

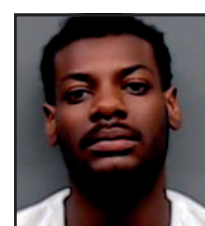
The JCMA has supplied guidelines for alternative treatments, she said, with 14 determined well enough to stand trial from 2022 and an additional 23 from 2023.

"We've been able to help (the inmates) get the assistance they need," she said. "There are those in the system with long-term men-

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Smith County resident arrested in two separate shooting incidents

Ashton Ashod Smith, 21, and a resident of Smith County, has been arrested and charged in connection with two separate shootings in June in the county, said Smith County Sheriff's Office spokesman Larry Christian.



Deputies arrested Smith on Thursday, June 15 and he was jailed

on a \$500,000 bond in connection with shootings on June 2 and June 13, Christian said.

On June 2, the sheriff's office received a call from someone reporting being shot at near the intersection FM 16 and FM 14 in northern Smith County.

On June 13, another unrelated caller reported a similar shooting incident and after reviewing video of the suspect's vehicle determined the two shootings were related.

During the investigation, security footage was obtained capturing the suspect vehicle on June 2 following the victim's vehicle. After shooting at the victim's vehicle, the suspect vehicle is observed turning east on FM 16 from FM 14. The vehicle, a black Jeep Renegade, matched the description of the vehicle given by both victims.

According to one of the victims, this was road rage on the part of the suspect concerning an incident in Tyler. The victim was able to describe the victim as a black male with dreadlocks.

Deputies also located spent .22 shell casings in the roadway at the intersection of FM 14 and FM 16.

On June 13, the second incident occurred in which a black Jeep Renegade followed the second victim from the Bunny's Convenience store located at Loop 323 and FM 14 in Tyler.

The Jeep followed the victim past the FM 14/FM 16 intersection toward Hawkins. The victim pulled into a business on FM 14 and the suspect fired rounds from the Jeep before speeding off. Witnesses on scene stated it sounded like a .22 caliber firearm.

During their investigation, Smith County Detectives were able to locate a black Jeep Renegade registered to an individual residing on FM 16 just east of the two previous incidents.

Detectives drove by this address and observed the Jeep Renegade covered by a tarp behind a shed in an apparent attempt to hide the vehicle.

On June 15, investigators presented an arrest affidavit to the Honorable 7th Judicial District Judge Kerry Russell who issued a warrant on Ashton Smith for the criminal offense of Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon and set a bond of \$500,000.

Shortly thereafter, Smith was taken into custody at his residence located at 10900 block of FM 16 East near Tyler.

For more information on the Smith County Sheriff's Office visit www.smithcountysheriff.com. The Sheriff's Office also has a FB page and can be followed on Twitter at @SmithCSO.



Legion provides scholarship

Robert Johnson was presented with a \$1,000 scholarship from the Lindale chapter of the American Legion Auxiliary during the group's meeting on June 12. Officers include, from left, Shanna Richardson, president; Amanda Fletcher, secretary; Nancy Smith, sergeant at arms; Kathy Mathews, treasurer and Linda Williams, vice president.

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OPINION/COMMENTARY

The Great Escape...

Jim and I are bona fide goat ropers. Yep, we hitched up our jeans and chased three goats last Wednesday morning in our flip flops. As soon as we would get them in the fence one would jump the wire.

Our son and daughter-in-heart sold their home at Caddo Lake, thanks in great part to their Real Estate Agent and our friend Farrell Alexander. They moved in with us last Tuesday night. They both have new jobs in Tyler and they are looking for a homestead with a few acres in this neck of the Piney Woods.

With them came two shetland pony-sized rescue dogs named Mort and Dozer who think they are lap puppies (they are extremely lovable and well trained), as well as three 'rescue' goats that are not in the least well trained but are highly intelligent and entertaining. Just ask my 88-year old Mom who is staying with us while recuperating from a heart attack. She has a lawn chair front and center of a newly built goat pen for her daily dose of entertainment.

I hadn't planned to be a goat roper last week. In fact I had had a 6 a.m. hair appointment to get beautified for the Texas Press Association Leadership Retreat at a Lake Monroe resort. With my tamed and trendy hairdo I came home to escaped, as our son laughingly calls them, our grand 'kids'. (Get it? Kids? That's another word for goat if you aren't familiar with farm culture.)

I pulled in the driveway feeling chic and together, and there those entertaining goats were chomping down on the magnolia tree on the wrong side of the fence. So, I grabbed a broom and my hiking stick and used all my old rancher's daughter skills to round those rowdy suckers up.

Except they weren't cows. They were willful and nimble. And perversely opposed to herding. I quickly wilted and shouted for Jimmy. My hair frizzed and the goats ran, but we persevered. There was no way we were going to let Betty Goat, Lloyd Lee or Sandy head to the road to be hit by a car, or to the woods for a coyote picnic. My son and daughter-in-heart love their goats and we weren't going to let the little escape artists get our goat or break their hearts.

Goat wrangler Jim came running and we managed to keep those rebellious kids corralled until our son could

The Best of Suzanne Bardwell



make it from his job in Tyler to the 'goat ranch' to literally wrestle his troublesome pets back into the fence that had allowed the Great Escape. One cloven-hooved darlin' even had to be roped and pushed...thereby the earning of the 'goat roper' badge for wrangler Jim.

By this time my hair do that had been subjected to the heat and humidity looked more like Jimi Hendrix at his most electric than the sleek, professional cool I was going for.

My industrious son and hubby proceeded to string another wire or two in the 95 degree, 90 percent humidity heat and then off Josh went back to work. Meanwhile, my wily hubby cleverly used a wrench, bailing wire and a pickup truck to stretch and place a last line of prison wire to hold the Houdini-like critters. I eyeballed the goats who were testing the fence as fast as it was being improved. But there they stood at last, frustrated, behind the wire. Right where they belonged.

Jim, who by this time was drenched in sweat, breathlessly told me to cancel our hotel reservations; and frizzy, sweaty and sad I called up the resort to gleefully discover that they had a 72-hour cancellation policy. That nailed it. Mr. Fence Builder extraordinaire showered, packed and off we headed to the resort praying that the fence would hold after we left. And it did.

The further we got from the goats the funnier it got. By dinner at lakeside we were highly entertained by our goat-scapade adventure.

You know that this is going to be one of those priceless, legendary stories for the human grand-kids someday if I am fortunate enough to be so blessed. I think it will start something like this:

"Tell me if you've heard this one...what do you get when you put three 'rescue' goats, four dogs and five adults of three generations together in one home?"

The answer? Family."

Abbott vetoes bills; feud with Patrick grows

Lt. Gov. Dan Patrick claimed last week that Gov. Greg Abbott is sabotaging the Senate's work because of their ongoing feud over which approach to property tax reform is best, The Dallas Morning News reported. Abbott vetoed three bills by Sen. Paul Bettencourt, R-Houston, who has been Patrick's point senator on increasing homestead exemptions in order to provide tax cuts. As of Friday afternoon, he had vetoed 31 bills.

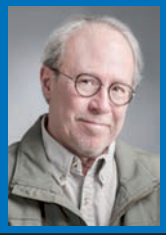
Abbott has threatened a string of vetoes if the House and Senate can't agree on a compromise on property tax relief. In each veto proclamation, Abbott has issued the following statement: "This bill can be reconsidered at a future special session only after property tax relief is passed."

Patrick took issue with that. "The governor's suggested threat today to veto a large number of Senate bills is an affront to the legislative process and the people of Texas," he said.

Will the state's electric grid hold

Much of Texas is in the throes of a sweltering heat wave, prompting concern

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that the electric grid will be strained as Texans try to keep cool. However, the Electric Reliability Council of Texas, which operates the grid, predicts it will be able to handle forecast peaks in energy usage, the Austin American-Statesman reported.

The biggest factor is demand for air conditioning of homes and businesses, according to Robert Hebner, director of the University of Texas Center for Electromechanics.

"Any rapid change in temperature causes great difficulty. If you have a gradual change, (companies) usually adjust to it fairly well," Hebner said. "This summer, there's a good chance they've anticipated well enough that we'll be able to get through."

The first official day of summer is Wednesday, June 21.

New law bans paper license plates

Temporary paper "dealer

tags" will soon be a thing of the past after Abbott signed House Bill 718. The new law phases out the tags and requires dealers to issue \$10 metal plates to buyers purchasing vehicles, the Houston Chronicle reported. Paper Texas tags have been criticized by law enforcement officials for years, since they are easy to fake and often used on vehicles used to commit crimes. A report by KXAN in 2021 found that selling of fake Texas tags had become a \$200 million illicit business.

The Department of Motor Vehicles has until December of next year to come up with a plan for creating and distributing metal plates to dealerships. The law itself goes into effect on July 1, 2025.

Bill restricting local control signed

Cities and counties will be further restricted from implementing ordinances or regulations on issues nor-

mally addressed by the state after Abbott signed House Bill 2127, the Statesman reported. According to the bill's language, it is a means to "provide statewide consistency by returning sovereign regulatory powers to the state where those powers belong."

Previously, regulations put into place by cities were unenforceable if found to be in violation of a state code..

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THE ECONOMIST

By Dr. M. Ray Perryman

Happy birthday Dr. Smith ...

It's Adam Smith's 300th birthday (June 5th, 16th, or 18th, depending on the calendar that you choose)! He was one of history's most influential thinkers, basically articulating the framework of capitalism. It's a moment worthy of reflection.

A brilliant Scottish philosopher who lived with his mother and was notoriously absent-minded, Smith set forth many of his fundamental ideas in *An Inquiry into the Nature and Causes of the Wealth of Nations* in 1776. It is an incredibly laborious tome to absorb, but an instant best-seller when published. It conceptualized the market as an "Invisible Hand" guiding the decisions of producers, workers, and other economic actors based on self-interest yet producing optimal social outcomes.

There have been notable refinements to the framework over time, such as introducing the concept of comparative advantage in the early 1800s, identifying the importance of marginal decisions (those based on the last unit consumed or produced) in the 1870s, graphically depicting market phenomena in 1890, incorporating the actions of others through game theory in the 1950s, and an increasing focus of late on expectations and dynamics. Nonetheless, the core principles promulgated in 1776 remain profoundly impactful not only on the United States but other nations around the globe.

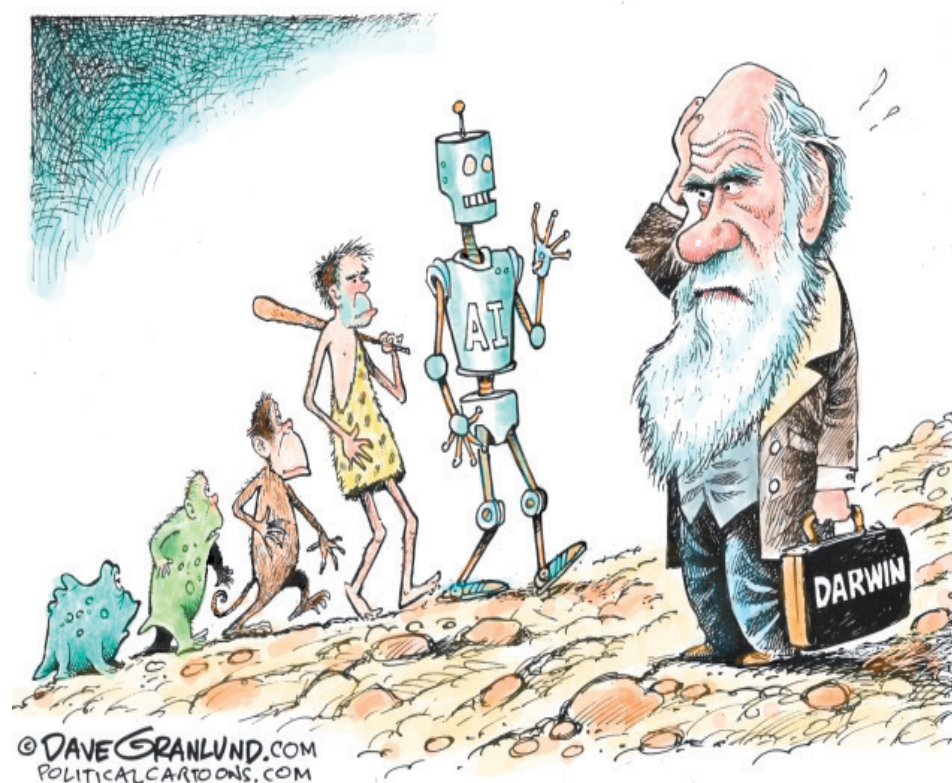
Smith's ideas were influenced by philosophers such as John Locke and the natural law sentiment of the day, as well as the belief in "natural rights" – life, liberty, and property – which prescribed a relatively restrained role for government. He applied such ideas to markets and the economy in a more systematic manner than his predecessors.

Thomas Jefferson spent much of the 1780s in Europe and became familiar with Smith's work, which had a profound role in the unique establishment of the United States as not only a democracy but also an economy based largely on capitalism. (I've been privileged to hold both of Jefferson's copies of *Wealth of Nations*.)

Smith is generally associated with "laissez faire" and the belief in very limited government (the Texas translation is "let the fur fly!"). In reality, he recognized that there were shortcomings in the capitalist approach and a legitimate and necessary role for the public sector. He essentially viewed a market-based economy as one that would work well (but not perfectly), and he was right on both fronts.

Though written at the dawn of the American Revolution (which he described as the "present disturbances"), Smith's framework has had an enormous and continuing impact. The US economy is the primary example, having generated more opportunities and innovations than any other. While we must constantly strive to make it better and more accessible for everyone, the system that he set forth is profoundly significant and an enduring legacy.

Happy Tricentennial, Dr. Smith!
Stay safe!





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Free press essential to our republic

One of the many things my friend, my boss and all around good egg Jim Bardwell got right in his nearly seven decades on this big, blue marble was he managed to convince Suzanne to marry him a long time ago.

She left this earth way too soon because (and I'm sure of this) God needed another angel. But when she was on this mortal coil, she proved to be the best thing in not only his life but to countless others along the way.

Your faithful correspondent was one of those fortunate ones who crossed her path, way back in the 1970s. We shared some classrooms in the history department of East Texas State University and it soon became apparent she was clearly the person I wasn't. She was mature, serious and dedicated to becoming a teacher and perhaps most importantly, a mentor.

This is a story I've told before but it bears repeating: there were countless times when she tracked me down in the campus cafeteria and literally dragged me to class. She figured that at least if I was in class, maybe I'd learn something by osmosis.

Anyway, her persistence paid off for this genuine slacker. She helped set me on the road to the profession of which I am extremely proud to be a member.

Since her untimely passing a couple of years ago, Jim made sure her columns have appeared on page 2 of our gazette. He knows her wisdom and insight are timeless.



Terry Cannon
Editor

Which brings me to her column from last week, when she pointed out the necessity of journalism and, specifically, the importance of a free press in a republic. The facts she discussed, especially where newspapers are concerned, are as pertinent today as they were years ago.

Unless you've been living under a rock, you should know our country has been roiled by viciousness and vitriol of which a good portion is aimed at the free press. I have a suspicion that the Founding Fathers understood that a free press – and later – unfettered media including the electronic kind was a key element to forming a viable republic.

In fact, as Suzanne points out last week, Thomas Jefferson said (paraphrasing) "that given the choice between government and no newspapers or newspapers and no government, I'll take the newspapers."

In order to be responsible stewards of our republic journalists, from small publications such as ours to larger, metropolitan dailies as well as TV and other electronic media outlets, have a responsibility to be fair and impartial.

Which is why my teeth grind when cable outlets

such as Fox "news" claim things such as "we report, you decide" when in reality these talking heads are simply spouting inane and inaccurate platitudes from a good portion the lunatic, far right fringe.

Even though our Founders were far ahead of their time when it came to making a republic, for all their brilliance they couldn't have imagined the unmitigated deluge of misinformation available today.

Social media, for whatever benefits it may have, can also be poisonous. People can sit anonymously behind keyboards, type malicious and vicious lies and never be held accountable, which fuels the dangerous rumor mill.

Bona fide journalists care about facts and remain in the middle.

The only exception is when a certain portion of a newspaper or broadcast is labeled "opinion." We have two opinion pages in our publication, one in which Suzanne's brilliance is showcased each week and another where my and Rusty Mitchum's musings are featured as well as the occasional letter to the editor.

(We don't have enough space to discuss Rusty but

suffice it to say they broke the mold with him.)

From time to time, my views have rankled several of our readers and I've heard from them, which is something I welcome. Other viewpoints are valuable and while I may disagree with what they say, it doesn't mean they are wrong, just as it doesn't mean I'm wrong simply because I don't share their opinion.

For more than 45 years I've taken my professional responsibilities seriously and will not hesitate to report on something or someone that could cause consternation among our readers in our news stories.

My aim now as it has been for decades is to present both sides of an issue, with fairness always being paramount.

One important reason of well balanced news stories is taxpayers and voters have a sacred right to know if their elected representatives are working on their behalf. Citizens have a right – and a duty – to make sure their tax money is spent in a responsible manner.

Local governments, including Smith County Commissioners, the city of Lindale council and the Lindale ISD Board of Trustees, are proper stewards of taxpayer funds.

If they fail in this responsibility, it is the duty of a newspaper to let taxpayers know.

Citizens of a republic, regardless of where they reside, deserve nothing less, which is something a free, responsible and unfettered press will ensure.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Trump must be held accountable

Dear Editor,

When someone shows you who they are, believe them. The federal grand jury that recently indicted Donald Trump certainly did.

Trump publicly and repeatedly confirmed that he intentionally took classified documents, hid them in his private residence, and tried to prevent law enforcement from obtaining what he stole.

According to the indictment, those documents contained highly classified information about America's defense and weapons capabilities, our nuclear secrets, and our potential military vulnerabilities. A group of everyday Americans, fulfilling their civic duty by serving on a grand jury, reviewed mountains of evidence—including testimony from dozens of witnesses, documents, and more. They came together and decided there was enough evidence that crimes had been committed to bring felony charges against Trump, 37 of them in fact. The rule of law is a basic principle that everyone must be held to equally. When others have committed crimes of this nature, they were prosecuted. Even if he is rich, famous, and a former president, Trump should be treated like everyone else and held accountable for his crimes against our country.

Sincerely,
Linda Stegall

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ONE YEAR AGO, June 23, 2022

The Lillie Russell Memorial Library hired Penny Turner, a native of Virginia and resident of Lindale since 2021, as its new Children's Librarian.

Born in the rural area of southwestern Virginia, Turner has lived in Kentucky and South Carolina before her move to Lindale.

She worked as attorney for 13 years before going back to school to pursue a Master of Arts degree in Elementary Education.

Turner taught second grade and taught reading intervention for grades K-5th.

She and her husband Joe have three children, Joseph, 21, Jane 19 and Heidi 13.

FIVE YEARS AGO, June 21, 2018

Alexandra Mollehauser of Lindale was named to the Dean's List at Anderson (S.C.) University for the spring semester.

To earn Dean's List distinction, a student must maintain a 3.5 grade point average or higher.

10 YEARS AGO, June 20, 2013

Lindale's sales tax receipts showed a healthy jump of 12.56 percent for May of 2013 over last year at the same time, indicating the city's strong retail base continues to hum along.

Texas Comptroller Susan Combs' office released statewide figures last week, which showed a \$2.26 billion jump – 7.9 percent – from May of 2012.

Locally, city officials have watched the arrow make a steady move upward on the sales tax chart for several months.

"We've seen a record pace each month," said Lindale Economic Development Corporation President John Clary. "Obviously, this is something we are very happy about."

While retail businesses are ringing up lofty sales tax figures, other businesses are doing their part as well, Clary said.

"As an example, we've got a concrete plant that when they sell their concrete to build houses there's a sales tax associated with it," Clary said, referring to the plant owned by Red Baron Building Company.

Several new retail businesses have opened their doors during the past couple of years in Lindale, which adds to the sales tax coffers. Yet, Clary said, established businesses such as Walmart and Lowe's are also providing a good amount to the till.

"It's true we have a number of new businesses in Lindale but the established ones are also doing well," he said.

Shopping for a new husband? Maybe

EDITOR'S NOTE: Rusty has briefly left the premises and this week his better half, Janet, was generous enough to fill in.)

Rusty is headed somewhere, so I thought I'd take the helm this week, whatever a "helm" is. He told me where he was going, but I probably wasn't paying attention. Sometimes it's nice when he's away. I can use the solitude. There is no solitude when Rusty's home. It's like living with a Tasmanian Devil.

When he gets home the first thing he will do will be to kiss me. Then he'll throw his stuff on the floor, and then go and hang on the pantry door.

"How come there's never anything in here to eat?" he'll say. He always says that.

"The pantry is full of things to eat," I'll say, as I always do.

Then he'll say. "But it's all foo foo stuff. There ain't no real food in here."

This routine has happened too many times to count. Once, I told him that I was going to let him pick out the groceries. Anything he wanted. Here's how that trip went.

"OK," said Rusty. "Now, you push the buggy, and I'll fill'er up."

"Fine," I said.

"OK. Where's the Vienna sausage aisle?"

"They don't have an aisle just for Vienna sausages."

"You know, that's why these places go out of business all the time, they don't take care of their customer's needs. I wonder where the Viennies are."

"I'm pretty sure they will be in the canned meat section. But why don't we



Rusty Mitchum
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work our way down each aisle?"

"Why would we do something stupid like that?"

"Never mind."

Arguing with Rusty is like arguing with a toad stool. Of course a toad stool will listen.

We found the Vienna sausages.

"Would you look at this? We hit the mother lode! There's Viennies, potted meat, deviled ham, and hey looky here, right there are the sardines. Man, they could just have this aisle and get rid of the rest of the junk in this place."

"I can't believe you eat that junk," I said.

"Hey, looky here," he said, ignoring my comment.

"Smoked oysters! Look around and see if you see St. Peter, 'cause I think we may be in Heaven."

"Brother," I said. "If you keep eating that stuff, you'll be in Heaven sooner than you think."

"Yeah, well a lot you know. I heard on the radio that if you eat a can of sardines a day, you'd live to be a hunnerd."

"You mean a hundred."

"That's what I said. Hey looky here, they got kipper snacks."

"What?"

"Smoked herring in a can. Man, you mash'em up, slop some Louisiana hot sauce in there with it, and then slap it on a cracker and you've got a meal fit for a king?"

"Yeah, a king crab."

"Man, I can taste it now."

"Yeah, and I can smell your breath now."

"We got any Louisiana hot sauce at the house?"

"Yes Rusty, we have plenty. You always write in on my shopping list. By the way; Louisiana is not spelled, L-U-C-Y-A-N-N-A."

"You sure we got some?"

"Pretty sure."

"Well, if you say so, but we better pick up a few bottles just in case. Hey, we got any crackers?"

"Yes, we've got crackers."

"Well, we better pick up a couple of boxes just in case."

"Hey, we got any mustard for the sardines?"

"Yes," I sighed. "We have plenty of mustard."

"Well, we better get a couple of bottles just in case. Hey, by the way, what kind of Louisiana hot sauce do we have?"

"Rusty," I growled. "You are driving me crazy."

"Hey Momma, that ship's already sailed. Now, what kind of Louisiana hot sauce do we have?"

"Every kind they've ever made," I replied.

"You know I'm kind of picky when it comes to my hot sauce."

"You use a different brand every day."

"Well, each one has a different ambiance."

"Ambiance?"

"Yeah, you probably don't know what that means."

"Do you know what it means?"

"Of course I do."

"Tell me."

"Well... it means.... uh....heck, if you don't know, I don't have time to tell you."

"Yeah, right."

"Hey, looky here. They've got shrimps in a can. Wonder what they taste like?"

"Probably like canned shrimp," I sighed.

"You think? Hmmm, I'll try a can."

"How about some tuna?" I asked.

"Tuna fish? Nah. It don't taste the same since they quit puttin' dolphins in there with it."

"What?"

"Yeah, those dolphins are what gave it the flavor."

"You're an idiot."

"As Popeye says, 'I yam what I yam.'"

I rolled my eyes. Yes, I do roll my eyes. If you were married to Rusty, you would, too -- a lot.

Then we went and picked up some more hot sauce, mustard, and crackers.

"OK Rusty," I said.

"Where to now?"

"I'm through," he said.

"That's it?"

"Yep. Let's go."

"But all you have is a bunch of canned meat?"

"So?"

"So, this stuff isn't good for you."

"Remember what I told you about the sardines?"

"Look, this stuff is going to kill you."

"Hey, you've got to die of something."

"I am so sick of hearing you say that. If you say that one more time, I'm going to kill you myself."

He grinned and said, "Hey, you've got to die of something."

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Examining seriousness of rose rosette disease

By Greg Grant
Smith County Horticulturist

Rose rosette is a serious rose disease that deserves our serious attention.

It's a huge issue in the Dallas/Fort Worth area and since we don't want it to become one in East Texas, it's very important to learn all we can about it.

The symptoms of this virus disease are quite distinct. The most noticeable sign is a deformed, dense clustered, "witches' broom" growth habit, often with an abnormal red-orange coloration.

The color alone is not totally diagnostic as many roses produce burgundy (colored) new growth. The plant basically goes crazy, as if it had been sprayed with a broadleaf herbicide.

The stems might also be flattened, enlarged, or elongated, with excessive leaf growth or thorniness. The symptoms of rose rosette might only occur on a single branch or a few shoots at first.

The rose may die or may linger stunted for years, spreading to other roses in the area.

Rose rosette virus spreads to other roses in two ways. In

gardens it is spread by a tiny eriophyid mite that feeds on an infected live plant then spreads it to an uninfected plant that it later feeds on. These mites are so small that they can be spread by the wind.

To be on the safe side, make sure roses are spaced so that they do not touch each other. The mite itself doesn't cause the disease. It only spreads it.

The other way of spreading this disease is through plant propagation. Any rose propagated from an infected plant will have the disease as well, as the virus is flowing through its tissue.

There is no cure for rose rosette. Pruning out the noticeably infected branches won't cure the plant and treating the bush or soil with assorted concoctions won't get rid of this disease.

By the time you see the symptoms, the disease is being replicated inside the plant with no way for you to rid it. All rose cultivars to date are unfortunately susceptible.

The only option is to completely remove and dispose of the entire infected plant, roots and all (in a sealed garbage bag), preferably at



Roses with rose rosette must be destroyed to prevent the disease from spreading. (Courtesy photo)

the first sign of infection.

A burn pile is an option in rural areas. If you allow an infected plant to live, you are unfortunately risking the life of all your other roses along with all Tyler and East

Texas roses.

The disease is in infected living plants only, not the soil, so you can grow roses again in the same area.

If you suspect you have an infected rose, a sample can be

sent to the Texas A&M Disease Diagnostic Laboratory. More information and submission forms can be found at plantclinic.tamu.edu. There is a fee for testing rose rosette samples.

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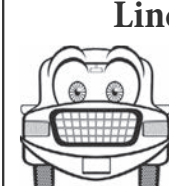


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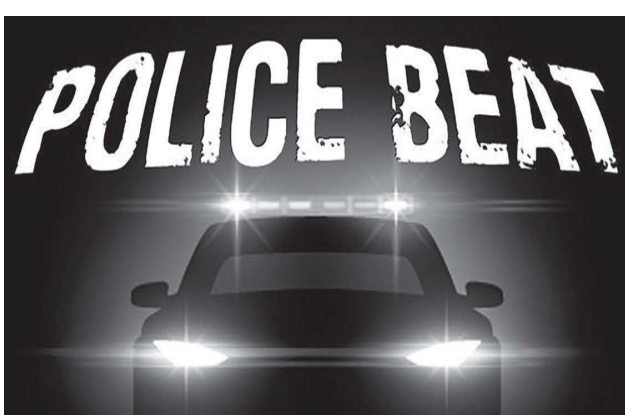
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SATURDAY, JUNE 3: 1:03:06 AM, Public Service, 3500 block South Main Street; 1:05:18 AM, Threats, 50 block Miranda Lambert Way; 3:08:30 AM, Suspicious Vehicle, 13000 block Interstate 20 East; 7:53:58 AM, Missing Juvenile/runaway, 400 block Husky Drive; 7:59:05 AM, Suspicious Person, 200 block Cannery Row; 10:53:33 AM, Animal Complaint, 400 block York Drive; 11:26:12 AM, Escort, 200 block West South Street; 12:42:57 PM, Assist Another Agency, 13000 block Interstate 20 West; 1:29:06 PM, Accident, 3500 block South Main Street; 3:05:19 PM, Alarm Residence, 200 block Shanna Terrace; 4:32:01 PM, Welfare Concern, 17000 block Interstate 20 West; 8:43:16 PM, Assist SCSO, 17000 block Countrywood; 8:50:45 PM, Verbal Disturbance, 400 block Mallory Street; 9:11:49 PM, Welfare Concern, FM 849/Woodstock Road; 9:58:45 PM, Suspicious



Vehicle, 21000 block Highway 69 North; 10:57:21 PM, Motorist Assist, 13000 block CR 472; 11:10:42 PM, Loud Noise Complaint, 11000 block CR 4102; 11:19:01 PM, Suspicious Vehicle, 900 block South Main Street.

SUNDAY, JUNE 4: 3:37:14 AM, Motorist Assist, 17000 block Interstate 20 East; 4:45:38 AM, Suspicious Vehicle, 2700 block South Main Street; 1:02:59 PM, Alarm Business, 1400 block South Main Street; 1:07:37 PM, Disturbance 200 block West Centennial Blvd.; 1:49:37 PM, Parking Violation, 100 block East Centennial Blvd.; 6:18:25 PM, Theft, 100 block East Centennial Blvd.; 6:33:52 PM, Suspicious Vehicle, 300 block South Main Street; 7:04:12 PM, Disturbance, 13000 block Interstate 20; 10:48:16 PM, Alarm Business, 2600 South Main Street.

MONDAY, JUNE 5: 8:33:35 AM, Suspicious Person, 13000 block Interstate 20 East; 10:56:05 AM, Alarm Business, 300 block North Main Street; 12:55:58 PM, Accident, 100 block South Main Street; 2:46:20 PM, Attempt To Serve, 900 block South Main Street; 5:26:13 PM, Disturbance Stewart Street/Highway 69 North; 5:46:51 PM, Alarm Residence, 800 block Bentwood Circle; 8:24:14 PM, Welfare Concern, CR 472/South Main Street; 9:35:31 PM, Suspicious Circumstance, Stewart Street/Highway 69 North;

10:19:13 PM, Suspicious Vehicle, 200 block Cannery Row; 11:59:55 PM, Suspicious Vehicle, 200 block Cannery Row.

TUESDAY, JUNE 6: 12:00:40 PM, Public Service, 900 block Lynn Street; 12:02:15 PM, Welfare Concern, 300 block Cooper Street; 12:14:39 PM, Verbal Disturbance, 1000 block Karen Drive; 2:07:13 PM, Deadly Conduct, 13000 block Interstate 20 East; 3:16:21 PM, Harassment, 100 block Ballard Drive; 5:17:53 PM, Public Service, 900 block Abbey Road; 7:36:30 PM, Suspicious Circumstance, 300 block Eagle Spirit Drive; 8:25:01 PM, Assist SCSO, 20000 block Interstate 20 West; 10:14:12 PM, Disturbance, 13000 block Interstate 20 West; 11:36:05 PM, Suspicious Vehicle, 200 block Cannery Row.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7: 1:08:37 AM, Suspicious Vehicle, 100 block Mount Sylvan Street; 1:17:06 AM, Suspicious Person, 13000 block FM 16 West; 2:14:24 AM, Suspicious Person, 500 block South Main Street; 9:22:21 AM, Information, 16000 block Interstate 20 West; 9:40:12 AM, Public Service, 200 block Half Street; 9:47:45 AM, Warrant Service, 400 block South Main Street; 10:45:28 AM, Welfare Concern, 13000 block Interstate 20 East; 10:58:07 AM, Accident, 3500 block South Main Street; 11:01:49 AM, Civil Matter, 500 block Sunset Drive; 1:27:50 AM, Assist EMS, 500 block Sunset Drive; 1:46:41 PM, Welfare Concern, 200 block East Hubbard Street; 1:55:29 PM, Public Service, 500 block North Main Street; 2:28:16 PM, Criminal Trespass, 500 block South Main Street; 6:11:50 PM, Suspicious Circumstance, 200 block West Centennial; 9:02:41 PM, Reckless Driving, 900 block North Main Street.

THURSDAY, JUNE 8: 9:29:49 AM, Accident, 500 block South Main Street; 9:35:36 AM, Public Service, 17000 block CR 4112; 2:14:15 PM, Accident, 16000 block DR 4191; 2:39:45 PM, Suspicious Circumstance, 17000 block Highway 69 North; 3:37:16 PM, Traffic Hazard, 15000 block CR 4191; 4:25:54 PM, Accident, 14000 block Interstate 20 East.

Tyler man gets 10 years for drug trafficking

A Tyler man has been sentenced to 10 years in federal prison for drug trafficking violations in the Eastern District of Texas, said Davilyn Walston, spokesperson for U.S. Attorney Damien M. Diggs.

Devonte Ladarius Davis, 29, pleaded guilty to possession with intent to distribute and distribution of fentanyl near a school or college and was sentenced to 120 months in federal prison by U.S. District Judge J. Campbell Barker.

According to information presented in court, on August 18, 2021, Davis sold approximately 102 pills to a person working with law enforcement. The pills were found to contain approximately 55 grams of fentanyl. This distribution occurred at a Tyler location within 1,000 feet of a public junior college.

In all, Davis was responsible for the pos-

session and intent to distribute 109 grams of pills containing fentanyl and 98 grams of methamphetamine. Davis was indicted by a federal grand jury on March 24, 2022 and charged with drug trafficking violations.

This case was investigated by the FBI, the Tyler Police Department and the Smith County Sheriff's Office and prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Alan Jackson.

Gregg County resident sentenced on drug charges

A Longview man has been sentenced to nine years in federal prison for drug trafficking violations in the Eastern District of Texas, Walston said.

Dimitri Aaron Reynoso, 48, pleaded guilty on Nov. 28, 2022, to possession with intent to distribute and distribution of metham-

phetamine and was sentenced to 108 months in federal prison by U.S. District Judge J. Campbell Barker.

According to information presented in court, Reynoso was trafficking various types of controlled substances, including methamphetamine, cocaine, marijuana, and pills laced with fentanyl in and around Longview and Tyler. During the course of a joint state and federal investigation, law enforcement officers purchased methamphetamine from Reynoso on multiple occasions. On January 25, 2022, Reynoso sold 82.63 grams of methamphetamine for \$1,000. On February 9, 2022, Reynoso sold 7.7 grams of methamphetamine for \$140. Reynoso aborted the sale of one pound of methamphetamine on March 1, 2022. On May 19, 2022, Reynoso agreed to sell 8 ounces of methamphetamine to law enforcement. Upon observing

Reynoso before the meeting in Longview, Reynoso was arrested and found to be in possession of 211.3 grams of methamphetamine and approximately one ounce of marijuana. Reynoso was held responsible for distributing and possessing with intent to distribute 301 grams of methamphetamine. On July 20, 2022, Reynoso was indicted by a federal grand jury and charged with drug trafficking violations.

This case was investigated by U.S. Department of Homeland Security-Homeland Security Investigations, Texas Department of Public Safety-Texas Highway Patrol, Smith County Sheriff's Office, Longview Police Department, Gregg County Sheriff's Office, Gregg County Organized Drug Enforcement Unit, and the East Texas Anti-Gang Center. The case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Allen Hurst.

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Former LHS volleyball standout Pierce headed to Oklahoma school



Kalaya Pierce, a four-year starter and standout for the Lindale High School Lady Eagles as well as a recent All-America volleyball selection, has signed with the University Science and Arts in Oklahoma, publicity officials announced.

She was chosen to the Division III Second Team All-America squad after her second season with Dallas College Cedar Valley.

In 2022 with Cedar Valley, she totaled 1,033 assists, ranking second in the nation.

Cedar Valley advanced to the NJCAA DIII Southwest District championship match for the first time since 2003.

She was a First Team All-Dallas Athletic Conference selection and was named the league's Setter of the Year. Pierce finished her two-year Suns career with 1,814 assists, 583 digs, 73 blocks and 73 aces.

Pierce had a career-high 56 assists in a five-set win over Seminole State College Sept. 24. She recorded 40 or more assists in six matches this season and reached 30 or more in 15. The Suns finished 15-21 overall, 6-4 in the DAC. In her senior season with Lindale in 2021, Pierce helped the Lady Eagles to a 27-1 record, which propelled them to the No. 2 team in the state during the season.

In her senior year at LHS, she had 762 assists, 43 kills, 21 blocks and 171 digs. Pierce was named Setter of the Year by the district's coaches after her senior season.

She also played for the Lady Eagles' basketball team that finished 24-5 in 2021.

In addition, Pierce was named Women's Volleyball Player of the Week from Sept. 25-Oct. 1 by the Dallas Athletic Conference with 12 kills, 146 assists, 41 digs, five solo blocks and five block assists in 15 sets. Pierce was also named as a First Team All-DAC selection

Certain foods can trigger migraines

By Claudann Jones
Smith County Extension Agent
Family and Community Health



In June, we observe Headache and Migraine Awareness Month, a time to recognize that many are living with this most common nervous

system disorder.

We have all had a headache here and there, however, for several the headaches might worsen and develop into a migraine. Symptoms such as sensitivities to light, smell, and sound are triggers of migraines, but believe it or not, many migraine symptoms are triggered by food or an individual's diet.

Migraine symptoms can begin as early as four days before a headache. Irritability and frequent yawning are some signs that a migraine at-

tack will be starting soon.

Most migraines begin with a dull steady ache that leads to throbbing and pulsating pain in the forehead and on the sides of the head. The pain can linger for 4-72 hours depending on if medication is used to ease the pain.

Here are some food-specific triggers that can cause migraines:

- Alcohol - especially red wine
- Chocolate
- Citrus Fruit-natural acid
- Aspartame Sweetener
- Cheese and Yogurt
- Caffeine (Coffee)
- Tyramine containing foods such as beans
- Monosodium glutamate (MSG) - found in soups and sauces
- Sulfites, such as in processed meats, like bacon, ham, sausage

Making some changes to your diet to minimize the chance of a migraine is the best way. Try keeping a food

journal of all meals and snacks throughout the day.

Slowly limit foods that may trigger a migraine to help determine the cause of an attack. Always make sure to stay hydrated and avoid skipping meals. Keep the same daily meal routine and enjoy 6 smaller meals throughout the day instead of larger ones.

If you have made some of the suggested changes and have continued to suffer with migraines, contact your healthcare provider for a migraine relief plan. For more information about Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Family and Community Health programs, contact the Smith County Extension Agent for Family and Community Health at 903-590-2980 or email at cmjones@ag.tamu.edu. Like our Facebook page: Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Smith County. Stay well and stay safe.



Team Swamp Stomp presentation

The Lindale Rotary Club featured Jason and Kayla Misenheimer as their guest speakers during this past week's regular meeting. The Misenheimer's business, Team Swamp Stomp, LLC, guides hunting and fishing trips across the state, helps landowners with feral hog problems and has outdoor products for sale. Jason is also the worship leader for Christ Point Methodist Church in Lindale. Club member Charlene Wilkerson Burton presented the Misenheimers to the meeting. (Courtesy photo)

A&M hosts large 4-H gathering

By Paul Schattenberg
Texas A&M AgriLife
Extension Service

Earlier this month, Texas A&M University in Bryan-College Station was the site of the largest gathering of 4-H members and supporters in the country.

More than 1,580 high school-level 4-H members attended the Texas 4-H Roundup, touted as the pinnacle annual event for the Texas 4-H program. About 2,000 parents, volunteers, donors and other supporters also attended.

Roundup, hosted by Texas 4-H Youth Development, the largest youth education and development component of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, has been held almost every year since 1946.

This year, 242 scholarships were awarded to 4-H members throughout the state.

As the largest 4-H scholarship program in the nation, members were awarded just over \$2.7 million in scholarships at the event.

About the Texas 4-H Roundup

Texas 4-H Roundup is an annual invitational and qualifying event for 4-H senior members who placed in a district-level contest or signed up to compete in one of its invitational events.

Texas A&M AgriLife faculty and staff from the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences are involved in planning, developing and implementing the annual event.

Roundup is typically held on the Texas A&M campus and at other locations in the Bryan-College Station area, and includes diverse competitions and educational workshops compatible with the wide variety of 4-H projects.

"Roundup brings together youth from 4-H clubs throughout Texas to share in a week of fun, educational activities and camaraderie, plus it allows them the opportunity to participate in about 50 diverse competitions," said Jana Barrett, AgriLife Extension specialist, 4-H and youth development, Bryan-College Station.

Barrett said contests held at the state level are both qualifying — requiring competing and advancing from a county and district level to state — and invitational, which are open contests for any high school 4-H member.

"No matter the contest type, all have significance and many provide the opportunity to advance to compete at a national level, representing Texas," she said.

This year's competitions related to agriculture and livestock, horses, STEM topics, health and wellness, food and nutrition, photography, consumer sciences, public speaking, wildlife, outdoor sports and more.

"We held 50 contests over three days, in addition to presenting a college and career fair, interactive trade show, workshops and various educational opportunities," Barrett said.

She said some of the most popular contests were Livestock Judging, Food Challenge, Wool Judging, Consumer Decision Making and various public speaking competitions.

Barrett said it took the efforts of more than 550 AgriLife Extension county agents, volunteers and Texas A&M faculty to present this year's event.

"Roundup was well attended this year, and was an exciting time for everyone," said Callie Cline, Texas 4-H marketing and communications specialist based in College Station. "Evening assemblies brought all participants together to celebrate award

winners, scholars and the Texas 4-H Council. We saw growth across the board in all contests, and we are grateful for the efforts all youth, parents, volunteers and AgriLife Extension personnel put toward making this event a reality."

For more information on 4-H Roundup contest winners and scholarship recipients go to <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/events/roundup/>.

Defining educational and career goals

Texas 4-H clubs are dedicated to cultivating confident, responsible kids with good character who can help tackle the issues that matter most in their communities.

"The Texas 4-H Council chose 'Define' as this year's 4-H Roundup theme when thinking about what the program means to them and what it can also mean for younger 4-H'ers," said Montza Williams, Ed.D., Texas 4-H Youth Development program director.

Texas 4-H members can define their goals, achievements, friendships and memories as they progress through every level of the program, Williams said.

"The week of Texas 4-H Roundup competitions and educational opportunities will be defining moments for our members as they push themselves to be their best and grow by expanding their boundaries," he said.

MA sea of green. Texas 4-H members wearing their green shirts gather as a group for the 2023 Texas 4-H Roundup. (Texas A&M AgriLife photo)

4-H is the nation's largest youth development and empowerment organization, and Texas 4-H, with more than 46,000 youth enrolled in community clubs throughout the state, boasts the largest number of active 4-H members in all 50 states.

Along with 4-H members, another 400,000 Texas youth are involved in Texas 4-H programs and activities through unique educational opportunities at schools or neighborhood and youth centers.

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Delightful benefits from growing children, gardens

Brandon Pate
Smith County Master Gardener

"Daddy, can we go outside?" It is one of the first things I hear every morning and one of the things I can almost always answer "Yes!"

There is just something about being outside: the sounds, the smells, crisp breeze, warm sun. You breathe in deeply and are instantly calmer and happier.

I could do some yard work while the children run and play but as Benjamin Franklin said, "tell me and I'll forget. Teach me and I'll remember. Involve me and I'll learn." And so, I call the kids over to shed, we all grab some tools and head to the garden together.

The benefits of children gardening have been well researched and documented: Reduced stress and anxiety, improved attention span, improved social interaction and increased self-esteem just to name a few. What I love the most is how engaged my kids become when tending the garden. They work together, with focused determination, toward a common goal. When the task is complete, they stand proud and share in the joy together. I see the spark of imagination in their eyes when I teach them about a new plant. How tall will it get? What color will it be?

An additional benefit of children in the garden is learning to be selfless. I can see them putting others first when they ask me, "Do you think the butterflies will like the flowers?" or, "Maybe we will have enough fruit to make a pie for the neighbors."

Proverbs 22:6 tells us "Teach a child in the way he should go and even when he is old, he will not depart from it." I believe that the time spent with my children in the garden will provide warm memories and life lessons that will stay with them forever. With a lot of love and a little bit of labor we can successfully grow beautiful gardens and children. Are you ready to go outside?

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TO: ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS IN THE ESTATE OF KENNETH VAUGHAN MIXON, DECEASED: On the 9th day of June, 2023, CARLEE TENNISON filed an APPLICATION TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP in a proceeding styled IN THE ESTATE OF KENNETH VAUGHAN MIXON, DECEASED and bearing the number 47504P in the County Court at Law #3 of Smith County, Texas.

The Court will hear the aforesaid APPLICATION TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP on the Monday next after the expiration of ten (10) days from the date of publication of this citation, in the Courtroom in the County Courthouse Annex of Smith County, in Tyler, Texas.

All persons interested in the aforesaid Estate are commanded to appear at or before the time set for said hearing by filing a written contest or answer to said Application.

Said written contest or answer shall be filed in the office of the County Clerk of Smith County, Texas in Tyler, Texas.

In compliance with the law, this citation shall be served by publication once in a newspaper of general circulation in this, the County in which such proceeding is pending, not less than ten (10) days before the return date hereof, exclusive of the day of publication, and the date of publication said newspaper bears shall be the day of publication.

If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of office, the 9th day of June, 2023, at the office in Tyler, Texas.

KAREN PHILLIPS, COUNTY CLERK
Smith County, Texas

BY: Katherine Beard,
Deputy Clerk

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KAREN PHILLIPS, COUNTY CLERK
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BY: Katherine Beard, Deputy Clerk

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Independent Administration for the Estate of Lawrence F. Radler, Deceased, were granted to Wendy R. Parkhill on June 5, 2023, in Cause No. 47363P, pending in the County Court at Law No: 3, Smith County, Texas. All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to Independent Administrator c/o: Michael C. Coker, Attorney at Law, 4540 Kinsey Drive, Tyler, Texas 75703, within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of FRANCES STILES, Deceased, were issued on June 5, 2023, in Cause No. 47458P, pending in the County Court at Law 3 of Smith County, Texas, to MICHAEL SPENCER STILES.

The address for the Independent Executor is:
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NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: "You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by Ten O'clock (10:00) A.M. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance of this citation, a default judgment may be taken against you. In addition to filing a written answer with the Clerk, you may be required to make initial disclosures to the other parties of this suit. These disclosures generally must be made no later than thirty (30) days after you file your answer with the Clerk. Find out more at TexasLawHelp.org."

TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES OR ASSIGNS OF MANUEL ESPARZA, DECEASED, DEFENDANT

GREETINGS: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear by filing a written answer to the ORIGINAL PETITION at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two(42) days from and after the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 24TH day of JULY, 2023, in the 7th Judicial District Court of Smith County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County located at 100 N. Broadway, Tyler, Texas, 75702. Said ORIGINAL PETITION was filed in said Court on May 24, 2023, in this case, numbered. 23-1242-A, and styled:

**ANA H. GONZALEZ VS. ANTONY JAMES
ESPARZA, JOSE MANUEL ESPARZA, AND
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES OR ASSIGNS
OF MANUEL ESPARZA, DECEASED**

The Plaintiff is ANA H. GONZALEZ. The Defendants are ANTONY JAMES ESPARZA, JOSE MANUEL ESPARZA, and the UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, OR ASSIGNS OF MANUEL ESPARZA, Deceased. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Ralph E. Allen, whose address is 100 East Ferguson Avenue, Suite 901, Tyler, TX 75701.

The nature of the suit of said suit being substantially as follows: This is a suit to determine the balance due, if any, on a promissory note from Ana Gonzalez to Manuel Esparza and for a judgment releasing a lien against property located at 1308 N. Ross Avenue, Tyler, Texas.

The Officer executing this process shall promptly serve the same according to the requirements of law, and the mandates thereof. If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after it sued, it must be returned unserved.

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ATTEST:

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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of John Marshall Sims, Deceased, were granted to Samuel N. Stokes on June 5, 2023, in Cause No. 47374P, pending in the County Court at Law No: 3, Smith County, Texas. All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to Executor, c/o: Michael C. Coker, Attorney at Law, 4540 Kinsey Drive, Tyler, Texas 75703, within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Guardianship for the Estate of George A. Allen, an Incapacitated, were issued on the 8th of June, 2021, in Cause No. 44,680-G, pending in the County Court at Law #3 in Smith County, Texas, to: Artis Newsome.

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

c/o: **Stephen Hubbard Attorney at Law**
100 E. Ferguson St. Suite 714
Tyler, Texas 75702

DATED the 15th day of June, 2023.

Stephen Hubbard/10140515
Attorney for Artis Newsome
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Dependent Administration for the Estate of Pattye Sue Swann, Deceased, were issued on the 17th of April, 2023, in Cause No. 46,340-P, pending in the County Court At Law No. 3 in Smith County, Texas, to: Shelley Swann.

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

c/o: **Stephen Hubbard Attorney at Law**
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DATED the 17th day of June, 2023.

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Find air conditioning, if possible.



Check on family members and neighbors.

Avoid strenuous activities.



Drink plenty of fluids.

Watch for heat illness.



Watch for heat cramps, heat exhaustion, and heat stroke.

Wear light clothing.



Never leave people or pets in a closed car.

**HOW TO STAY SAFE
WHEN EXTREME HEAT THREATENS**



Find places in your community where you can go to get cool.

Try to keep your home cool:

- Cover windows with drapes or shades.
- Weather-strip doors and windows.
- Use window reflectors such as aluminum foil-covered cardboard to reflect heat back outside.
- Add insulation to keep the heat out.
- Use a powered attic ventilator, or attic fan, to regulate the heat level of a building's attic by clearing hot air.
- Install window air conditioners and insulate around them.

Learn to recognize the signs of heat illness. For more information visit: www.cdc.gov/disasters/extremeheat/warning.html.



Never leave a child, adult, or animal alone inside a vehicle on a warm day.

Find places with air conditioning. Libraries, shopping malls, and community centers can provide a cool place to take a break from the heat.

If you're outside, find shade. Wear a hat wide enough to protect your face.

Wear loose, lightweight, light-colored clothing.

Drink plenty of fluids to stay hydrated. If you or someone you care for is on a special diet, ask a doctor what would be best.

Do not use electric fans when the temperature outside is more than 95 degrees. You could increase the risk of heat-related illness. Fans create air flow and a false sense of comfort, but do not reduce body temperature.

Avoid high-energy activities.

Check yourself, family members, and neighbors for signs of heat-related illness.



Know the signs and ways to treat heat-related illness.

Heat Cramps

- **Signs:** Muscle pains or spasms in the stomach, arms, or legs.
- **Actions:** Go to a cooler location. Remove excess clothing. Take sips of cool sports drinks with salt and sugar. Get medical help if cramps last more than an hour.

Heat Exhaustion

- **Signs:** Heavy sweating, paleness, muscle cramps, tiredness, weakness, dizziness, headache, nausea or vomiting, and fainting.
- **Actions:** Go to an air-conditioned place and lie down. Loosen or remove clothing. Take a cool bath. Take sips of cool sports drinks with salt and sugar. Get medical help if symptoms get worse or last more than an hour.

Heat Stroke

- **Signs:** Extremely high body temperature (above 103 degrees) indicated by an oral thermometer; red, hot, and dry skin with no sweat; rapid, strong pulse; dizziness; confusion; and unconsciousness.
- **Actions:** Call 9-1-1 or get the person to a hospital immediately. Cool down with whatever methods are available until medical help arrives.

Lady Eagles land several players on All-District basketball team

Lindale High School's Lady Eagles placed two players on the first and second teams and three on the honorable mention squad as the District 16-4A basketball coaches voted on the top players for the 2022-23 season.

Seniors Marley Keith and Brooke Everest were named to the first team, while Madison Luster and Makenna Burks were chosen for the second team.

Honorable mention selections from Lindale included Jillian Ortiz, Allie Davenport and Elise Pierce.

Lindale also placed several on the Academic All District team. They were Jillian Ortiz, Allie Davenport, Elise Pierce, Brooke Everest, Makenna Burks, Marley Keith, Madison Luster, Landri Laing, Lydia Payne, Whitney Dao, Felicity Thiem, Kayli Vickery and Abigail Lee.

Landry Jones of Van, which won the District 16-4A title this year, was selected as the league's Most Valuable Player while Khrya Garrett and Khalya Garrett of Brownsboro were named Offensive and Defensive Players of the Year, respectively.

Tiykeah McKenzie from Brownsboro was the Newcomer of the Year and Caroline Stern from Canton was chosen Sixth Man of the Year.

Van's Kay Bachert was voted as the district's Coach of the Year.

The Lady Eagles finished fifth in district

this year with a 4-8 mark. They were 14-18 overall.

16-4A GIRLS ALL DISTRICT BASKETBALL TEAMS

FIRST TEAM

Van: Marisa Richardson, Mikyla Bachert, Jordan Ryan; Canton: Amari Welch, Allison Rickman, Airianna Pickens, Payton Bray; Lindale: Marley Keith, Brooke Everest; Mabank: Savannah Wagner, Bailey Litchfield.

SECOND TEAM

Van: Ella Barrett, Shelby Burns; Brownsboro: Michelle Lewis, Bradie Cooper; Canton: Lily Cervantes, Katrina Morphis; Lindale: Madison Luster, Makenna Burks; Mabank: Jacey Jones, Brooklyn Roberts; Athens: Alajah Minfee; Cumberland Academy: Makinsey Beaudoin, Alyssa Birdwell.

HONORABLE MENTION

Van: Cassidy Stewart; Brownsboro: Natalee Smith; Canton: Halle Hawes; Lindale: Jillian Ortiz, Allie Davenport, Elise Pierce; Mabank: Taylor Granger, Chloe Ingram, Brylee Miller, Madisyn Roberts; Athens: Alizjah Davis, Kiara Fossis; Cumberland Academy: Geaniyah Hawkins, Cori Wortham.

ACADEMIC ALL-DISTRICT

Lindale: Jillian Ortiz, Allie Davenport, Elise Pierce, Brooke Everest, Makenna Burks, Marley Keith, Madison Luster, Landri Laing, Lydia Payne, Whitney Dao, Felicity Thiem, Kayli Vickery and Abigail Lee.

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