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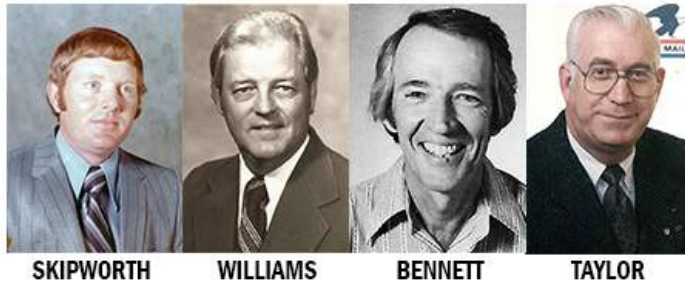
Although this is the biggest week for the chamber leading up to the Hall of Honor and the Founders Day Festival, the chamber and EDC office will be closed all week due to the EDC Director taking classes at the University of Oklahoma EDI.

What a week for Howe sports as the Lady Bulldogs win the regional championship in golf, win the bi-district championship in softball, send Ally Harvey to state in the high jump just to name a few accomplishments. Not to be left out, the Bulldogs also had a good week by clinching a playoff spot with a big win.

Today is National Honesty Day which means that apparently Washington D.C. might as well take the day off. I'm not sure anything can get done. It also must be a major day off for networks like CNN, MSNBC, and newspapers such as the Washington Post, New York Times, and magazines like Newsweek, and others.

We broadcast the Lady Bulldogs softball playoff games this weekend and we had some help from Howe's former athletic director. No, Zack Hudson was not on the air with us, but he did help walk us through a breaker box emergency at the softball field that dealt with press box power. Hudson was gracious to help his old stomping grounds and it was much appreciated.

## Howe Chamber set for big downtown weekend



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It's not every day that the Grayson County Sheriff, Commissioner, Justice of the Peace, and other officials are in town, but Friday night's 4th Annual Howe Hall of Honor Ceremony brings out the dignitaries from the county and city. Mayor Jeff Stanley will welcome honored guests along with the Howe Area Chamber of Commerce who is the official host of the night. The four members to be inducted into this year's class are Tommy Skipworth, Bob Williams, Norman Bennett, and Harold Taylor. The chamber will also announce the winner of the 2017

Norma J. Wallace Citizen of the Year as well as the Howe Business of the Year and the Howe Volunteer Organization of the Year.

The families of Mr. Skipworth and Mr. Williams will be in attendance to accept the honor and give remarks. Bennett and Taylor are each expected to be on-hand to personally accept the honor and give a few remarks. Donna Jarma is scheduled to introduce Bennett as he returns to Howe for the honor.

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## Lady Bulldogs headed to state in golf



Lady Bulldogs Golf team L-R: Head Coach Derek Lands, Kriston Harris, Meradith Ross, Peyton Streetman, Charlse Carter, and Molly Wilson.

Howe's team score of 797 two-day score was best in the region which advances the Lady Bulldogs to the state tournament.

Charlse Carter's consistent swings that led the girls with a score of 94 in each of the two rounds played at Oak Hurst Golf

Not surprisingly, it was

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## Concrete truck rolls over in Howe mobile home park



Multiple fire and rescue teams help the driver of the rolled over concrete truck to safety.

At approximately 8:45 am Tuesday morning, the Howe Police Department received a call of an overturned concrete truck in the creek at Howe Estates mobile home park. Howe Police Lieutenant Michael Hill

stated that the driver of the concrete truck crossed a bridge that compromised while he was driving across. As the truck rolled to the driver's side, the

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Van Alstyne Fire and Rescue workers help the driver to safety.

driver attempted to exit through the passenger side door. The man was trapped in the vehicle for the better part of the morning but was rescued by multiple fire and rescue agencies from the area. He was being care-flighted to a Medical City in Plano.

airlifted there.”

Maniet said the truck was carrying a full load which was wet at the time of the collapse which equates to roughly 70,000 pounds.

Howe Fire Chief Robert Maniet said that the cement truck was at Howe Estates pouring new slabs for new construction. When attempting to cross a small concrete bridge over a drainage ditch, the bridge gave way.

Emergency crews from Howe, Van Alstyne, Tom Bean and Grayson County were on the scene. Lone Star Hazmat crews were working until late in the evening to cleanup possible water contamination from the area over the drainage ditch.

“It flipped on its roof, so it probably rolled a good eight to 10 feet until it came to a rest on its top,” Maniet said of the truck to the *Herald Democrat*. “The driver was trapped inside and was extricated. Last we heard, he was doing well at Medical City Plano. He was

Howe Fire Department's Facebook page post read in part, "We would like to thank the Howe Police Department, Van Alstyne Fire Department, Sherman Fire - Rescue, CareFlite, Tom Bean PD, Lone Star Hazmat Response, Adams Automotive & Towing, and Lone Star Heavy Rescue for coming out to help."



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Mayor Jeff Stanley and Councilman Darren Foster at the 2017 Founders Day Festival. Staff photo.

Master of Ceremonies for Friday night will be City of Howe EDC Director and Chamber Board Member Monte Walker.

Nominees for the Business of the Year are Howe Family Dentistry, Palio's Pizza Cafe, and Independent Bank of Howe.

Nominees for Volunteer Organization of the Year are Howe Fire Department, Keep Howe Beautiful, and Peggy's Porch.

Nominees for the 2017 Norma J. Wallace Citizen of the Year are Anna Anderson, Monte Walker, and Donna Wormsbaker.

Tickets are \$15 and are available online at <https://goo.gl/qNuvS7>. Tickets will be available at the door.

On Saturday, Howe's 32nd Annual Founders Day Festival will kick off at 2pm and attendance is expected to surpass the 2016 event that was the largest ever. Headlining the festival is the band "Texas Flood" thanks to sponsor Tomlin Investments. Texas Flood is a tribute band to Stevie Ray Vaughan and the blues in general. They will take the stage at 5:30 pm and play until 8 pm. Bent Creek will return to Founders Day from a year ago and will open the festival at 2pm and play until 4:30 pm.

The festival has drawn interest from not only Howe and surrounding cities, but the entire North Dallas region. Vendors have filled up all of the street spaces a month ago and now overflow spaces have been issued for spaces near City Hall and the FBC Howe parking lot which will feature a Kid Zone. The Kid Zone will include a bounce house, inflatable obstacle course and the popular Interurban Kid Train.

At least four local wineries have

committed to be present in the Howe Chamber office starting at 5pm for a wine tasting. Tickets are \$10 to enter the building which gives patrons six wine tickets and a commemorative Howe Chamber wine glass as well as Palio's Pizza. The local wineries are Homestead Winery, Landon Winery, Lenoir Sage, and Cooley Bay.

A new event this year will be limbo which will take place in front of the stage at 4:30 pm. Another new event is an old-fashioned turtle trot to which will take place at the Keep Howe Beautiful booth near Don's Smokehouse. At 5:10 pm a water balloon toss will be held near the stage area.

The 4th Annual Lawnmower Race sponsored by Advantage Business Machines will take place at 5:20 pm. Several contestants have already registered and some lawnmowers have been upgraded just for the race.

As far as food, there's already yummy restaurants in town such as Abby's Restaurant and Gabriela's Mexican Cocina in downtown Howe along with Palio's Pizza Cafe within walking distance. Festival food options will be Pop Pop Popcorn, B-Dawgz Street Doggz, and Sparky's Bar-b-que. Cool refreshment options are Chill Out Shaved Ice, Howe Girl Scout Lemonade, and Mackenzie's Mississippi Sweet Tea.

The chamber will be hosting a "selfie-booth" and will announce a Founders Day Festival King and Queen from those that take photos at the booth with the hashtag #howefoundersday.

Spectators are encouraged to bring lawn chairs to watch the band as the street will be blocked off and available for chairs.

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- 12:30 pm - Vendor check-in. Vendors must be set up by 1:30
- 2 pm - Founders Day Festival begins. Bent Creek begins playing on the stage.
- 4:30 pm - Limbo will begin in front of the stage
- 4:50 pm - Turtle Trot begins in front of the stage
- 5:10 pm - Water balloon toss
- 5:20 pm - Lawnmower race (sponsored by Advantage Business Machines)
- 5:30 pm - Texas Flood goes LIVE ON STAGE (sponsored by Tomlin Investments)
- 5:30 pm - Wine-tasting begins in the chamber office.
- 7 pm - Interurban Kid Train shuts down
- 8 pm - Texas Flood closes the show and Founders Day Festival

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2017 Hall of Honor inductee Jean Norman (left) with Justice of the Peace Rita Noel, Debbie and Grayson County Sheriff Tom Watt, and Monte Walker. Staff photo.





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## Bulldogs headed to playoffs with win over Leonard

Peyton Reagan got the call to be the starting pitcher in the Bulldogs' biggest game of the season to date. Playing in honor of his great uncle Ronnie Barcheers who recently passed, Reagan pitched a gem allowing only one earned run on six hits in his six-and-two-thirds innings. He struckout 10 and only walked one Tiger hitter.

Four Bulldogs had multi-hit games with Mason Riggs and Cirby Coheley each going 2-for-3 with a run scored and an RBI. Cade Courtney and Dyson Dillard each went 2-for-4 on the night. Spencer Akins drove in two runs and Kyler Anderson scored two runs.

Howe took the first lead of the night when they scored in the top of the third inning when an Akins bunt resulted in Riggs and Coheley scoring the games first two runs.

In the top of the fourth, Howe again scored on a bunt - this time by Coheley who reached on an error that resulted in Anderson scoring from third and Howe taking a 3-0 lead.

The Bulldogs took a commanding lead in the sixth inning when a Coheley double drove in Anderson and a Reagan double drove in Coheley. Riggs followed with a

single that drove in pinch runner Chase Barnett. Howe took the 6-0 lead to the bottom of the sixth and needed the big inning prior as Leonard tried to steal the game with four runs in the inning.

Reagan gave up a leadoff homer to the Tigers to cut the gap to 6-1. Two ensuing errors led to three unearned runs and Riggs came in to finish the game for Reagan and earn the save.

Howe (12-7, 7-5) will face Whitesboro to open the playoffs in a series at Anna. Game 1 is at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Game 2 is 7:30 p.m. on Friday and Game 3 would be at noon on Saturday.



Peyton Reagan



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# Lady Bulldogs are back-to-back-to-back-to-back bi-district champs



Torrey Stubblefield is congratulated by teammates Madisyn Mosier, Courtney Hopper, and Karsyn Fleming after the final pitch of the game Saturday afternoon. Photo by Loretta Anderson.

The Lady Bulldogs have clinched four straight bi-district titles and have done so thanks in part to the outstanding pitching of four-year starting pitcher Torrey Stubblefield. The senior hurler got the nod in the circle for both games of the three-game series which turned out to be only two thanks to the girls from Howe winning the first two games.

In Friday's contest, Howe raced out to a 1-0 lead in the first inning when senior shortstop Erin Blackburn walked to leadoff, stole second base and then advanced to third on a wild pitch. She later scored on a sacrifice fly by senior Peyton Streetman.

Stubblefield was effectively wild throughout the evening constantly having to pitch out of jams thanks to putting the leadoff hitter on base frequently via the walk. But her hard fastball and changeup kept the S&S hitters off balance as she took a no-hitter into the sixth inning.

Howe's second run of the game didn't take place until the bottom of the fifth when Stubblefield singled home Streetman. Howe led 2-0 after five.

The Lady Bulldogs added a third run in the sixth inning as Payton Griffin laced a line drive down the left field line that went passed the left fielder. The ball rolled to the wall allowing Griffin to race around the bags for an inside-the-park-homer.

the seventh inning to narrow the gap to 3-1, but the game ended on a line drive to Blackburn.

Stubblefield ended up walking eight and striking out eight in the 2-hit seven inning performance. She also had the only multi-hit game for the Lady Bulldogs, going 2-for-3 with an RBI.

On Saturday it was a rematch of pitchers Stubblefield and Lauren Jaresh for S&S who had struckout 13 Lady Bulldogs on Friday night.

Howe, missing Blackburn due to her competing at a regional track meet, found themselves down 4-0 in the first inning as the visitors at Sadler. Three singles, a double, and a walk led to the 4-run first for the Lady Rams. But Stubblefield settled down nicely throughout the remainder of the contest.

Howe finally got on the board against Jaresh in the third inning as Courtney Hopper started a rally with a single up the middle followed by a single by Cassidy Anderson. Hopper scored on an error by the Lady Rams left fielder which also allowed Anderson to advance to second base. Moments later, Stubblefield hit a blast over the left field wall for a 2-run homer to bring Howe within a run at 4-3.

Howe tied the game 4-4 in the top of the fifth when Hopper again started things with a single. She later scored on an error by the second baseman. Howe had a

S&S finally punched a run across in

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# Howe Police seek public's help with homicide investigation



Persons of interest in the Howe US Highway 75 shooting in Howe from August 2017. Photos from Howe Police Department.

The Howe Police Department is asking for the public's help in identifying two persons of interest in a 2017 homicide investigation. On August 24, 2017, at approximately 6:30 p.m., Howe Police was called to a shooting scene along U.S. Highway 75 just south of Hall Cemetery Road in Howe, Texas. Preliminary investigation indicates a vehicle year and model of 2012 to 2014 black Toyota Camry was following a gray 2017 Hyundai Veloster when the Veloster was struck by several bullets believed to have been fired from the Camry.

A passenger in the Veloster, Tahbari Collins, 20, of Houston, died as a result of gunfire.

Investigators are looking for two persons of interest in the case. Security footage from a service station clearly shows the individuals occupying the black Toyota Camry (pictured above). Anyone with information on the identity of those pictured is asked to call the Howe Police Department at 903-532-9971 or by email at [howepdtips@cityofhowe.org](mailto:howepdtips@cityofhowe.org).



The vehicle the Howe Police are interested in. Photo from Howe Police Department.



The vehicle owned by the late Tahbari Collins who was killed in the shooting on US Highway 75 in Howe. Staff photo

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## First United Methodist Church of Howe

**Tuesday**  
 9:30 am - Women's Bible Study  
 6:30 pm Boy Scouts  
**Wednesday**  
 9:00 am - Wednesday Workers  
 6:30 pm - Jr.High and Sr. High Youth  
**Saturday**  
 9:00 am - Feed My Sheep (1st and 3rd Sat each month)  
**Sunday**  
 8:40 am - Fellowship and Donuts  
 9:00 am - Sunday School  
 10:00 am - Worship service  
 3:00 pm - Cub Scouts

## First Baptist Church Howe

**Tuesday**  
 7:00 pm - Bible Study  
**Wednesday**  
 6:30 pm - Kids Ministry  
 6:45 pm - Adult Bible Study  
 7:00 pm - Youth Bible Study  
 7:30 pm - Choir  
**Sunday**  
 8:30 am - Traditional Worship service  
 9:45 am - Bible Fellowship  
 11:00 am - Modern Worship service

## First Baptist Church Dorchester

**Wednesday**  
 6:00 pm - Meal (Donations for adults and kids eat free)  
 6:30 pm - Praise service  
 7:00 pm - Youth Bible Study  
 7:00 pm - Adult Bible Study  
 7:00 pm - RA's/GA's/children's group  
**Sunday**  
 9:00 am - Men's Prayer Time  
 9:45 am - Sunday School  
 10:45 am - A.M. Worship Service  
 5:00 pm - Adult Chior Practice  
 6:00 pm - Evening Worship

## Howe Church of Christ

**Wednesday**  
 7:00 pm - Bible Classes (all ages)  
**Sunday**  
 9:00 am - Bible Classes (all ages)  
 10:00 am - Worship Service  
 5:00 pm - Worship Service

## New Beginning Fellowship

**Wednesday**  
 7:00 pm - Radiate Youth  
 7:00 pm - Sanctuary of for prayer  
**Sunday**  
 9:30 am - Sunday School (kids, youth, women, men)  
 10:30 am - Worship Service  
 10:30 am - Kids Church

## A Christian Fellowship, Luella

**Wednesday**  
 6:30 pm - Potluck Meal  
 7:00 pm - Worship Service  
 7:00 pm - Jr & Sr High Youth  
**Sunday**  
 9:30 am - Sunday School (all ages)  
 10:30 am - Worship Service  
 10:30 am - KidZone Children's Service (5yr - 12 yr)

## Community Bible Fellowship

**Wednesday**  
 6:30 pm - Food and Fellowship  
 7:00 pm - Community Kids (ages 3 - 6th grade, nursery available)  
 7:00 pm - Youth and Adult Bible Study  
**Sunday**  
 10:30 am - Worship Service

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# Ally Harvey wins regional high jump; qualifies for state



Above: Ally Harvey leaps to state with a high jump of 5'-4". Right: She stands with her high jump coach Eric Johns. Submitted photo

Ally Harvey has improved each week and not long ago was jumping 4'-10" in the high jump, however, her 5'-4" jump will send her to state as the regional champion.

Her brother Ty Harvey finished fourth in the high jump at 6'-4" while her teammates Erin Blackburn placed fourth in the 100 meters (12.05) and Bethany Masters sixth in the triple jump (34'-11.5" and in the 300 meters (46.5).



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## Golf

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The Victory Light was turned on in honor of the Lady Bulldogs golf championship that sends them to state.

Course in Bullar, Texas. Meradith Ross followed with by shooting a 93 and a 98 in the tournament. Molly Wilson broke 100 on one of the days by shooting a 109 and a 96. Peyton Streetman, who also had a busy by playing centerfield in the bi-district championship in softball, shot a 108 and a 105, respectively. Kriston Harris followed suit with an outing

consisting of scored of 116 and 117.

Late Thursday evening upon arrival back in Howe, the girls were surprised with the lighting of the "V" in tribute to their outstanding performance. The victory light's traditionally designated for Friday night football wins, but this is special.

## Marvin Cate, 1957-2018

Van Alstyne- Funeral services for Marvin Ray Cate will be held at 10:00 AM Thursday, May 3 at the First Baptist Church in Howe. Eric Bayer will officiate. Burial with military honors will follow at Hall Cemetery. Rodney Cooper, Robert Cate, Collin Lankford, Caleb Lankford, Tyler Hill, and Cameron Lankford will serve as pallbearers. Mr. Cate, 60, passed away unexpectedly Thursday, April 26 in Van Alstyne.



Marvin was born October 20, 1957 in Grapevine, Texas to the late RL and Martha (Cloninger) Cate. He graduated from Howe High School in 1976 and joined the US Navy. After a 22-year career in the Navy, Marvin retired in 1998 as Senior Chief. On November 22, 1985 he and Sherry Niday were married in Pasadena, Texas. Marvin was a lifelong fan of the Dallas Cowboys. He enjoyed cooking, especially smoking briskets for family gatherings. He also enjoyed camping, boating, and fishing. He was of the Christian Faith.

Rodney Cooper and Maggie Yuen of Pottsboro, Michael Cate of Houston, and Robert Cate and wife Binta of Sherman; six grandchildren, Collin Lankford, Caleb Lankford, Tyler Hill, Cameron Lankford, Makenna Cooper, and Naomi Cate; sister, Kathie Fenton and husband Joseph of Muenster; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, and one sister, Martha Jean Cate.

Mr. Cate loved his family and was extremely proud of his sons. He is survived by his wife Sherry of Van Alstyne; four sons, Michael Hill and wife Michelle of Howe,

The family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 PM Wednesday at Waldo Funeral Home. The register book can be signed online at [waldofuneralhome.com](http://waldofuneralhome.com).

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**Should I keep or replace my car?**



**Taylor Kovar**

Hey Taylor - I'm thinking about buying a certified used car, but want to make sure it's the right choice. I've got an older car with 120,000 miles and there's a 2014 BMW with less than

50,000 for \$17,000 I can get good financing on. My total car payments would be less than what I'm putting in savings each month, and it wouldn't affect my ability to pay down my student loans. Your thoughts? - Eric

Should you decide to take on a car payment, those are dollars that could be getting you out of debt, but instead, are going to a leasing agent.

3. What's your real motivation? Are you interested in this BMW because of the excellent price tag, or because it looks better than your current ride? I've driven nice cars and beaters, and I totally understand the desire to sit behind the wheel of a car you love, but if your desire to get a new car stems from superficial reasons that aren't financially motivated, you should probably try to resist the urge of making this purchase.

Your budgeting seems solid and you seem to have a good grasp of your financial situation. I think you could get this new car without setting yourself back too far, but I think it's a better decision to hold off and keep putting miles on your current vehicle. Best of luck, Eric!

Hey Eric - This is an interesting situation and I'm glad you reached out. On the one hand, it's great to get a good deal on a good car. On the other hand, cars are always a financial drain, and you need to be in the right situation before taking that on.

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1. What are you replacing? You need to replace your car for the right reasons, and being tired of whatever you're currently driving isn't a good reason. If the car you've got starts, drives, and doesn't put you at risk, you've got no real reason to replace it. Now, if you were facing a deal that was so good it would ensure you saved money over the next 10 years, that's definitely worth considering. However, 120,000 miles isn't that much these days. As long as you take care of your car, you should be able to get it over 200,000, which is hopefully another four or five years of driving.

2. What are you taking funds away from? When you're debt free, you get to think about buying all sorts of things with your extra income (provided you're taking care of your investments). However, since you still have student loan debt, you're paying money on interest each month.

**Taylor Kovar - Family Man. Wealth Manager. Author. Speaker. Serial Entrepreneur. Travel Lover. Chick-Fil-A Fanatic. Kovar is the CEO and founder of Kovar Capital Management LLC of Lufkin, Texas.**

**» Softball**

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**Torrey Stubblefield displays her home run ball. Photo by Loretta Anderson.**

had walked. Moments later Griffin scored on a fielder's choice off the bat of Lofice. That gave Howe the 6-4 lead needing only three outs to advance past the first round for the fourth consecutive year with four different head coaches.

S&S did not go quietly into the night as the Lady Rams battled for two singles in the last frame and scored on a Taylor Maxwell single to left. Stubblefield, with the winning run at the plate in Jaresh, who is also their toughest hitter, got the strikeout on three pitches and Jaresh looked at the last one.

Stubblefield finished with seven innings pitched, striking out seven, walking three and giving up five earned runs on nine hits.

Jaresh, who struckout 13 on Friday night, struckout 11 Lady Bulldogs on Saturday. She went all seven innings allowing five earned runs on 10 hits and walking only two.

chance to blow the doors off of the game with the bases loaded and two outs, however, Chloe Lofice's bunt was fielded near home plate by the third baseman who easily stepped on the plate to force out the runner at third and end the threat.

Stubblefield again had the big day at the plate with her 2-for-2 performance, scoring two runs and driving in two. Karsyn Fleming and Hopper also had multi-hit games with two each.

Howe finally battled all the way back and took the lead in the top of the seventh inning Griffin doubled home Stubblefield who

Howe will now play Alba Golden and Sunnyvale in Commerce at 5:30 pm, however, the date has not yet been determined as of publication time.





## Giving cheerfully and accepting gratefully



**Dr. Billy Holland**

Success is a popular subject and an exciting attitude that fuels the imagination and drives our motivation. The fervent desire to succeed seems to be embedded within our DNA and I see nothing

wrong with an honest inspiration to accomplish certain goals. Even the Bible talks about “pressing toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus” and refers to winning and being victorious as a spiritual blessing in accordance with God’s perfect will. Yes, success can be satisfying if our motives are pure but the real objective may be to understand what it really means. It’s not a sin to be proud of our accomplishments, in fact, we pray for our children’s success and encourage them as they pursue their dreams. However, good fortune even though associated with a healthy and normal progressive lifestyle can be interpreted differently according to whether we are pursuing our desires or following God’s instructions.

Wealth is usually associated with accomplishment but true success is not always dependent on money. Finances are a vehicle that can do amazing things when God is allowed to be in control and since He wants to be the ultimate decider of each individual’s direction, we acknowledge Him as the one who allows success to manifest. For those who claim to yield their will unto God, this obedience also includes all decisions including our business affairs. When Christ is allowed to become Lord of our heart we are also inviting Him to be our financial adviser. His vision is to use us as a vessel to pour through instead of us building huge bank accounts and hoarding earthly treasures. Our heavenly Father manages everything with perfect wisdom and holy truth and His plans are constantly trying to weave the paths of men and women together for the good of all. Unfortunately, we have a

tendency to be selfish and rebellious and are usually so focused on ourselves that we rarely comprehend or care what God is trying to tell us. Some might say they would be generous and help others if they had more resources but this is usually only an excuse for not giving a part of what they already have. Winston Churchill is quoted, “We make a living by what we get – we make a life by what we give.” It has been said that waiting until we are rich to bless others is a smokescreen trying to hide our lack of faith and love. Mother Teresa once said, “It’s not how much we give but how much love we put into giving.” So, we can conclude that giving has everything to do with an attitude of compassion.

There are reasons why the Lord of heaven might open a door to wealth but there are many others that could explain why He keeps them locked. Whatever the case may be, He has the power and authority to bless us with rooms of gold but thankfully He also has the divine discernment to protect us from being ruined by it. He knows our intentions and what we will do before we are given success and I also believe there are special situations where we are tested to see if we have any inclination whatsoever to seek the bigger picture of why this is happening. God longs for His children to wake up and realize that we are just a spoke in the wheel and having our barns filled with plenty is His plan to use us as a distribution center. One of our Lord’s most notable attributes is giving and everyone who claims to be filled with His nature will recognize and cheerfully follow His promptings. We cannot out-give God as He is pleased when we become a trusted steward. Collecting and accumulating can be a result of pride and create a false sense of power and security. An obsession to accumulate could also possibly hinder our spiritual relationship with Christ and distract us from our divine destiny. Maya Angelou said, “when we give cheerfully and accept gratefully, everyone is blessed.” Instead of thinking that life is a game to see who can accumulate the most, may we

realize from His perspective it’s actually about who can give the most away.

Find out more about Dr. Holland’s book, “A Lifestyle of Worship” and his free scripture CD offer at [billyhollandministries.com](http://billyhollandministries.com)

### Verse of the Week

“How can I know all the sins lurking in my heart? Cleanse me from these hidden faults.”

— Psalm 19:12 (NLT)





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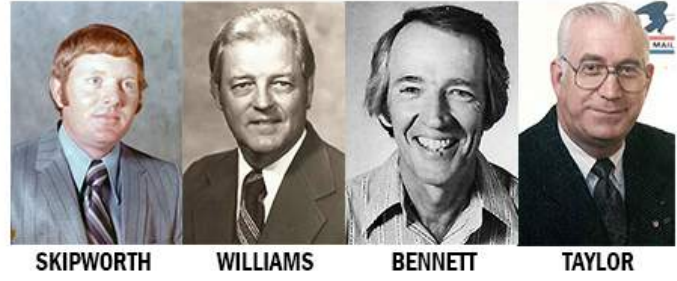
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2 Cavender Home Theater	44 Kevin Sarlis - Exalt Realty
3 Origami Owl/Norwex - Jana Ford	45 AT&T
4 Just Jewelry/JJ Boutique	46 Runway Starr Boutique
5 Tupperware Cindi Broudrick	47 Southern Cookie Co.
6 Debby Edwards Pink Zebra	48 Ranch 455
7 Unchain'd Jewelry	49 Matilda Jane Clothing
8 Howe Mercantile	50 Pappazzini Jewelry
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21 Serengeti/Lipsense Heather Silen	
22 Scentay Michelle Brockelman	<b>FOOD</b>
23 Anna Bling Queen-\$5.00 Jewelry	B-Dawgz Street Dogs
24 Dusty Rows Farm	Chill Out Shaved Ice
25 Arbonne - Lindsey Harmon	Pop Pop Popcorn (POP)
26 Cookies By Lillie	Magic Smoke BBQ
27 Amanda's Homemade Gifts	Sparky's Bar-b-que
28 Howe PTA	
29 New Beginnings Fellowship Church	<b>STAGE</b>
30 FJMC	BENT CREEK BAND, 2p - 4:30p
31 Kathy's Stained Glass Creations	TOMMY KATONA, 5p - 8p
32 Vincent Realty Group	
33 Howe Band Boosters	<b>DEPOT - INTERURBAN KID TRAIN</b>
34 Girl Scouts/Attitudes	Sara Jerome - Vincent Realty
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42 Ed Meacham State Farm	Kevin Sarlis - Exalt Realty

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

12:30 pm - Vendor check-in. Vendors must be set up by 1:30  
 2 pm - Founders Day Festival begins. Bent Creek begins playing on the stage.  
 4:30 pm - Limbo will begin in front of the stage  
 4:50 pm - Turtle Trot begins in front of the stage  
 5:10 pm - Water balloon toss  
 5:20 pm - Lawnmower race (sponsored by Advantage Business Machines)  
 5:30 pm - Texas Flood goes LIVE ON STAGE (sponsored by Tomlin Investments)  
 5:30 pm - Wine-tasting begins in the chamber office.  
 7 pm - Interurban Kid Train shuts down  
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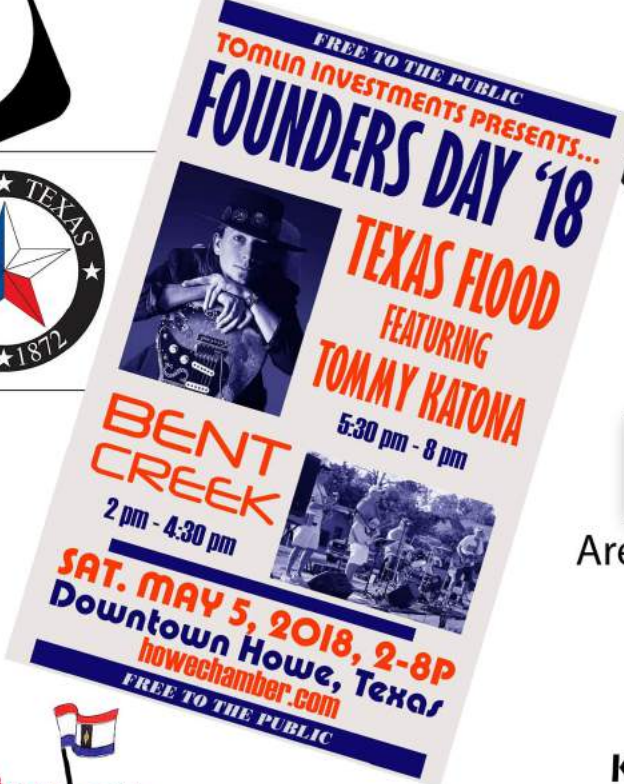




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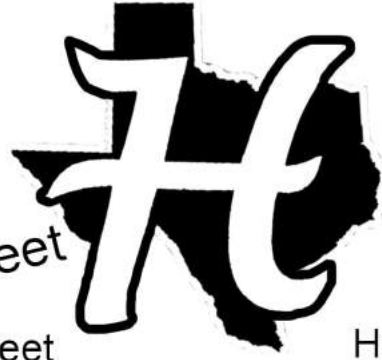


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# Howe Athletic Banquet Awards

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Ty Harvey and Peyton Streetman were named the 2017-18 Norman Dickey Award for best male and female athlete.



Volleyball MVP  
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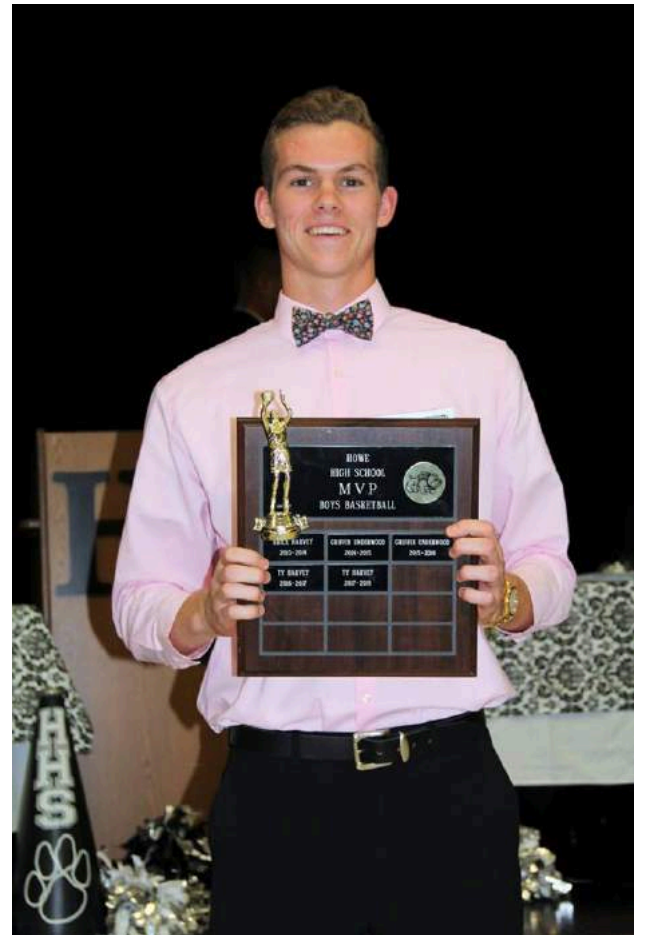
Cross Country MVPs  
Boys - Ryan Carney  
Girls - Kristian Sutherlun



Football MVP  
Clay Marshall and Andrew Griffin



Girls Basketball MVP  
Peyton Streetman



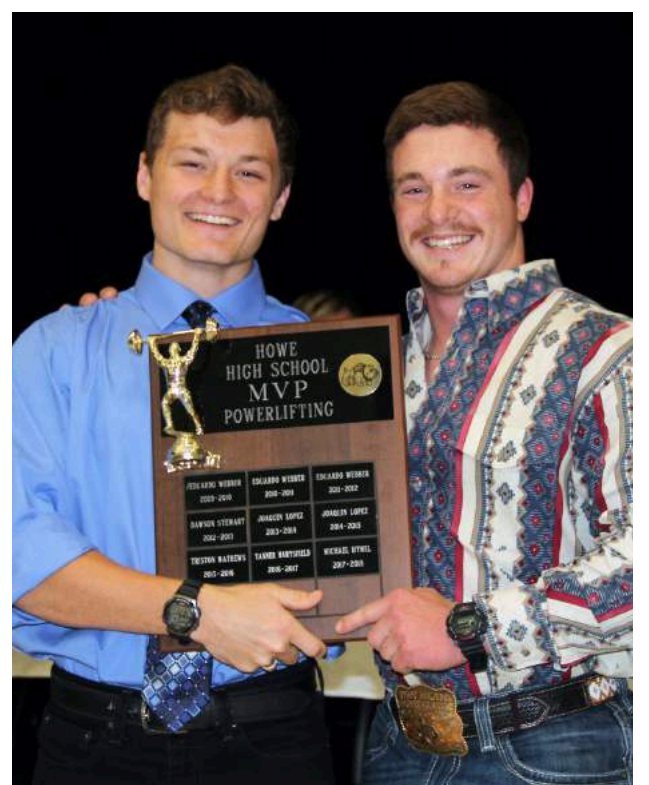
Boys Basketball MVP  
Ty Harvey



Track MVP  
Boys - Hunter Cheatham, Cade Courtney  
Girls - Bethany Masters



Girls Powerlifting MVP  
Payton Griffin



Boys Powerlifting MVP  
Mikey Hymel and Andrew Griffin



# Howe Athletic Banquet Awards

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Howe Athletic Booster Club Scholarship Recipients  
Dylan Moreau and Winston Mosse



Girls Tennis MVP  
Ashley Pelt and Aspen Porter



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(pictured with Leon Thornhill)



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# Texas History Minute



**Dr. Ken Bridges**

The days of the old frontier produced men whose legend grew bigger than the dusty plains. In those wild years where the West was still growing, who was in the right

in the eyes of the law was often decided by who had the fastest gun. One of the most notorious figures of South Texas in this era was King Fisher, a man who crowned himself the head of a cattle-theft ring and eventually became a lawman himself.

John King Fisher was born on his parents' farm in Collin County in 1854. He knew much loss early in his life. His mother died when he was only two years old, and his stepmother died only a few years after that. The hardships of the years after the Civil War forced the family to move to Williamson County, just north of Austin, where his father still had family.

By the time he was 15, he ran afoul of the law. In two separate incidents just weeks apart, he was arrested on charges of horse theft. In 1870, he was convicted and sentenced to two years in prison but only served four months. After his release, he fell into a gang of cattle rustlers and gunslingers in the Rio Grande Valley. He learned their ways quickly and began dressing in flamboyant outfits and going by the name "King."

He soon took over his own gang, killing three Mexican men leading their own horse theft ring in the area. He soon built a network of hundreds of men dealing a brisk trade in stolen livestock. Before long, he owned his own ranch and routinely traded with such men as future Mexican President Porfirio Diaz in trading stolen cattle and gunning down anyone who stood in his way.

Fisher was known for his ruthlessness and his quick draw. Reportedly, he once said, "Fair play is a jewel. And I don't care for jewelry." Texas Rangers attempted to break up his criminal empire in 1876 and 1877, but local sheriffs refused to cooperate, making legal cases all but impossible. By 1877, he had been indicted for murder six times and for horse theft twice. Each charge was ultimately dismissed.

He married in 1876 and soon had four daughters. His life shifted dramatically as a result. By 1881,

Uvalde County officials were anxious to get the area under control and hired him as a deputy. In spite of his shady reputation and previous criminal conviction, Fisher was respected and popular in the area. And the thinking was that there was no one better to out-think or out-shoot a criminal than Fisher himself. He was noted for his efficiency and dedication. By 1883, he was acting sheriff and looked to run for the position in the 1884 election.

On March 11, 1884, he went to a vaudeville theater in San Antonio with his friend Ben Thompson. Thompson himself had a notorious reputation. He had previously served as the city marshal of Austin until an incident in San Antonio in 1882. An argument over a card game with Jack Harris, who owned the vaudeville theater, erupted into a gunfight in which Thompson shot and killed Harris. Thompson resigned and was acquitted of murder.

Now the two gunmen strolled into the theater. Presumably the two were there to enjoy the show, but San Antonio was far from home for both. They had both made enemies in the city, but the two were skilled enough with the gun that enemies were never a problem for long. The two went to find their seats in a balcony section with one of the owners, a former partner of Harris, Joe Foster, and a local law officer, Jacob Coy. But trouble found them first.

As they went to sit, Fisher and Thompson were shot down in a blaze of gunfire from another balcony section. Fisher was hit by 13 bullets. Fisher pulled his gun and shot Coy, severely wounding him. As Fisher fired with his dying strength, Simms pulled his own gun and shot himself in the leg, dying days later. Fisher and Thompson died at the scene.

In the aftermath, a Bexar County coroner's jury ruled that the deaths of Fisher and Thompson were a result of self-defense. The entire details of the ambush were never made clear, and San Antonio police were anxious to drop the matter. Fisher has been portrayed in television and movies in the years since. Like many characters of the Old West who lived by their wits and the speed of the draw, he left behind little and faded into legend.

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# Howe Elementary Top Dogs



Fourth grade - Nicholas Hildebrand, Conner Bakken, Quinn Owens, Addie Leakey, 4th-Noah Christman  
 Third grade - Mason Sutherland, Ezekial Austin, Abby Petty (not pictured), Braylon Johnson, 3rd-Brenyn Oswalt  
 Second grade - Jaden Strunc, Taylor Brunner, Chloe Self  
 First grade - Lilly McDaniel, Brinley Zolfaghari, Emma Alvarez, Bree McBride  
 Kindergarten - Juan Perez, Aubree Finney, Ibet Garcia-Posada

# Howe Elementary Students of the Month of April



Addy Garrison, Zane McCollum - Kindergarten  
 Kiahlynn Caddell, Price Hays - First grade  
 Tatum Lindly, Aydan Chantaca -Second grade  
 Bridgette Montgomery, Charles Fuhr - Third grade  
 Amarise Morris, Travis Watson - Fourth grade

# Howe Elementary Employee of the Month - Darby Bryant



I am honored to be HES's Employee of the month! I have been a teacher for 16 years and 12 of them have been in Howe. I love being in Howe and working with the staff here. Everyone helps each other out and the students are the reason we work so hard at what we do. It's a pleasure to come to work every day and receive so many hugs from the students. They definitely know how to make you feel special!  
 - Darby Bryant



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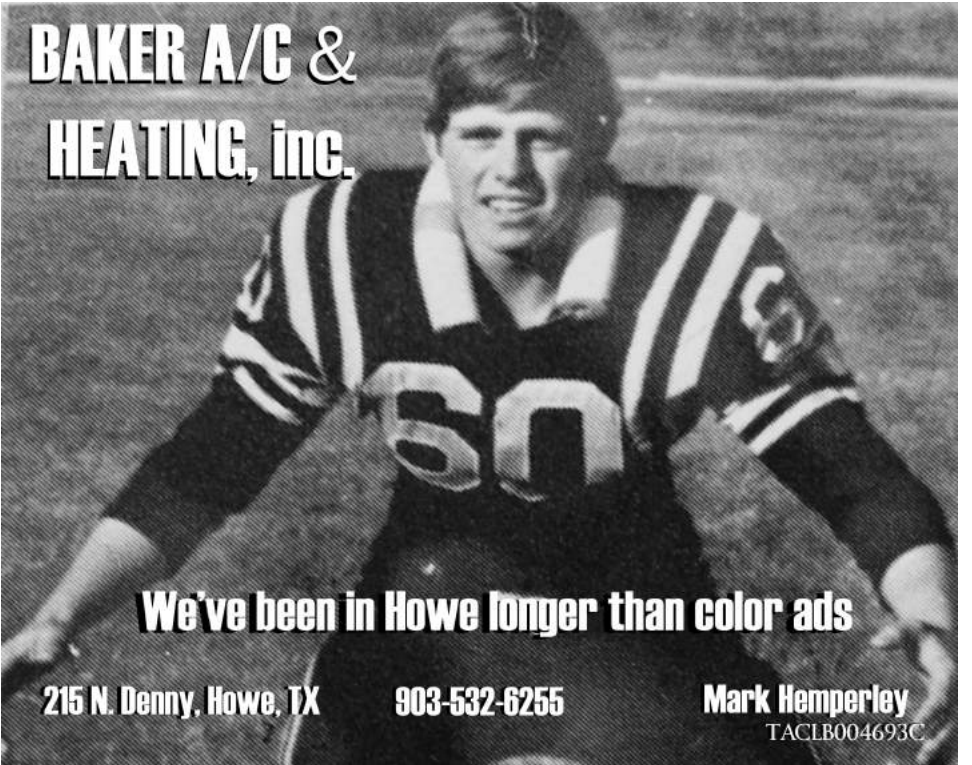
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## Honoring a life well-lived



**Samuel Moore-Sobel is a freelance writer. He is currently working on a memoir and publishes a blog which can be found by visiting [www.holdingontohopetoday.com](http://www.holdingontohopetoday.com) Follow him on both Facebook and Twitter.**

Much has been written about Barbara Bush in the wake of her passing. Her tenure as First Lady, her authentic demeanor - even her fake pearls. Her passing has moved the nation, a particularly divided one at the moment, into a state of respectful celebration of the life she lived. She seemingly transcends both party and political ideology, her memory being honored by people all across the country.

Perhaps this is due in part to the incredible debt of gratitude we owe to those who assume the unelected position of First Lady. Despite the fact that Americans vote solely for the President, a First Lady plays an important role in the life of every Presidential administration. As First Lady, Bush opted to support her husband while carefully avoiding any involvement in major policy decisions. Yet her decision to adopt the cause of literacy was an impactful one, an effort that will live on through the Barbara Bush Houston Literary Foundation. Her work contributed to the education of thousands, a legacy directly impacting the lives of those all across America.

Her advocacy arguably helped pave the way for a more open and authentic nation. Much has been made of her decision to hug an AIDS patient just weeks into her term as First Lady - helping to prove once and for all that this devastating disease could not be contracted through physical touch. A jittery nation proven wrong in their assumptions. She even spoke openly about her struggles with depression, helping to chip away at the stigma surrounding seeking help. "...I really feel free to say to people, 'Get help. There's help out there,'" she said.

In the wake of her death, Peggy Noonan wrote, "She is being celebrated so warmly in part because she reminds us of how normal American political figures used to act before this garish age." Our political discourse has certainly changed since the days when George and Barbara Bush resided in the White House. In 1988, Bush ran with the campaign

slogan, "A Kinder, Gentler Nation." Whether we got it then is up for debate. Whether we have it now is not. Can her example be used as an opportunity to inject a more bipartisan spirit into the politics of today?

Her legacy aside, Barbara Bush lived a remarkable life. She walked alongside her husband as he ascended in both business and politics, enduring a "multitude of moves," as Jeb Bush told us in his moving eulogy. "During her husband's eight years as vice president, she traveled 1,629 days, visited 50 states and 65 foreign countries..." writes James McBride in The New York Times. Through it all, her husband and five living children seemingly never failed to feel the strength of her love.

I wonder if Barbara Pierce knew from a young age what life had in store for her. If she knew that she would marry a man who would one day become the President of the United States. That she would have both a front seat and play an active part in the formation of what would one day become the history of this country; and, that four former presidents and four first ladies would attend her funeral.

If she knew, she never betrayed it; and, one gets the sense that it hardly mattered. Her love for George Bush transcended any desire for acclaim. She likely would have followed him anywhere, playing both a supportive and active role in whatever vocation he chose. In the end, she was undoubtedly grateful for the life they had shared. "George Bush gave me the greatest life ever any living human being could have ever had, truthfully," she said.

Perhaps her greatest legacy is not her devotion to the cause of literacy, or her exemplary service as First Lady. Her lasting legacy may be the love she shared with George Bush. She fell in love with him at the tender age of 16 - a love that they would share for seventy-three years. They exchanged letters during their courtship, writing beautiful words to one another, their love apparent to all.

I once read that in the wake of his 1992 election defeat, George H.W. Bush commented that he felt Americans failed to understand his "heartbeat." Perhaps they didn't; but, he knew then that there was one person in the country who understood his heartbeat better than anyone. Even with the sting of defeat, that likely meant more to him than losing the most powerful job in the world. To Barbara Bush, a woman who loved and was loved, by both her family and an adoring nation. May she rest in peace.

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## Living with children



**John Rosemond**

**Q:** We are having no success getting our 3-year-old (her third birthday is in a couple of weeks) to do what we tell her to do. She defies us at every opportunity, whether it's just ignoring us or telling us "no" or even physically fighting us. We've tried time-out, but she won't sit, and if one of us tries to hold her in her "happy chair," she screams and kicks and arches her back and we're afraid we'll hurt her if we don't let her go. We've tried taking away privileges, but there really aren't that many to take away and she doesn't seem to care anyway. Are there consequences we haven't thought of that might turn her around?

**A:** There are probably consequences you haven't thought of, but I'm sorry to inform you that consequences are not the key to the effective discipline of a child. Rewards and punishments work very reliably and predictably with dogs and other animals. They do not work such with human beings. When it comes to the discipline of children, behavior modification has been a complete bust (along with every other psychological parenting theory).

The key to effective discipline is a proper parental attitude. Breaking it down, it's one-third proper body language (as opposed to what the parent-babblers advise, stand up straight and tall when addressing a child), one-third proper speech (when giving instructions, use the fewest words possible and preface them with authoritative phrases such as "It's now time for you to..." and "You need to..."), and one-third refusing to engage in non-productive back-and-forth (arguments).

To be more specific with regards to the latter, do not explain your reason for giving a child an instruction. The lack of explanation provokes the universal

invitation to battle: "Why?" There is one proper response to that invitation: "Because I said so." That very time-honored phrase is nothing more than an affirmation of the legitimacy of the parent's authority. After delivering that affirmation, walk away. Do not hover over a child, waiting for her to begin complying. That is sure to draw resistance. If one is in a situation where walking away is impossible, then turn away and pay attention to something else.

My finding is that the proper parental attitude described above, which identifies the parent as the Alpha in the relationship, minimizes discipline problems. They quickly become small potatoes. Consequences may sometimes be necessary, but two facts are pertinent to this discussion:

1. Without an authoritative attitude on the part of the parent in question, no consequence will work for long.
2. With that authoritative attitude, consequences are rarely necessary.

In the life of nearly every child who is a major behavior problem in the home there is at least one adult who has no problems with the child at all. That is proof that the problem is not located "inside" the child in the form of biochemical imbalances and other equally spurious fictions. It also proves that the child is not the problem.

So, to parents like yourselves, I advise: find that person and watch him or her. You'll save yourself a lot of money that you might eventually spend on therapy.

Family psychologist John Rosemond: [johnrosemond.com](http://johnrosemond.com), [parentguru.com](http://parentguru.com).

*John Rosemond has worked with families, children, and parents since 1971 in the field of family psychology. In 1971, John earned his masters in psychology from Western Illinois University and was elected to the Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society.*

## Walker speaks to Rotarians



**City of Howe's Economic Development Director Monte Walker gave a talk to the local Hurricane Creek Rotary Club about current and future developments in Howe. He is also scheduled to speak to the Howe XYZ Club on May 10 at 10:30 at FBC Howe.**



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## This Week In the News

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STATE—

Robert Sherman Lazenby, 74, eminent chemist and discoverer of the formula for the drink known as Dr. Pepper, died last Thursday at his home in Dallas.

The Texas House of Representatives Tuesday voted to borrow \$1,250,000 from the revolving account of the county and road district highway fund to provide money for paying old age pensions. The action will prevent a threatened \$3 a month slash in pension checks made necessary by the addition of a number of names to the pension rolls.

NATIONAL—

It was announced last Thursday that automobile manufacturers would not change the designs of their models for next year and that production would be cut 20 per cent in order that machines and material might be available for defense purposes.

An agreement was reached Sunday night by President Roosevelt and Canada's Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King, for cooperation between the two countries on production of defense materials.

Thousands of acres of woodland and hundreds of homes were destroyed by fires which raged over six eastern states during the week end. At least two persons are known to have died in the blazes.

President Roosevelt appealed Monday night for settlement of the soft coal strike "because the public interest demands it and the public interest is paramount." Despite the President's plea, however, the strike was still in progress Thursday and there was talk of rationing supplies.

President Roosevelt Tuesday gave his endorsement of Congressman Lyndon B. Johnson of Johnson City, Texas, as a candidate to succeed the late Senator Sheppard. Johnson made the announcement from the steps of the White House after conferring with the chief executive. Johnson was elected to a congress a few years ago on an out and out New Deal platform and since his election has gone down the road for any New Deal proposal.

It was reported Wednesday that plans have been made for the establishment of a patrol halfway across the Atlantic ocean by the United States navy.

It was revealed Wednesday that 20 fast naval motor torpedo boats have been made ready for delivery to Great Britain and may possibly be already on the way.

A riot broke out among 15,000 persons gathered at a New York City hall Wednesday night to hear Col. Charles A. Lindbergh speak at an America First committee rally. Circulars distributed at the scene of the disorder charged that the committee was a Nazi organization.

INTERNATIONAL—

Germany's conquest of Greece appeared virtually at an end Thursday after surrender of a large part of the Greek forces and flight of King George and the government to the island of Crete. British troops and part of the Greek army continue to fight as they retreat to the Greek coast but there is little doubt that the German army will soon occupy the mainland.

The surrender of the Yugoslav army was announced by Germany last Friday and the removal of this fighting force proved too heavy a blow for the Greeks and British to withstand. At 6 p. m. Wednesday 300,000 Greeks surrendered their arms and the end was in sight. Germany is believed to have paid dearly for the victory, however, reports indicating that German losses in men and equipment were high.

It is reported that Hitler is now endeavoring to bring Spain into the Axis camp in its entirety in order that he may march against Portugal, thus completing the conquest of the European continent.

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## UNDER THE Dome at Austin

By GORDON K. SHEARER, United Press Staff Correspondent

Austin—(UP)—The race for United States Senate to succeed the late Sen. Morris Sheppard will be a free-for-all in more ways than one.

The election will be a special one without party primary. It will cost a candidate only a three-cent stamp to enter from any part of Texas. If he is in Austin he can save the stamp by filing his candidacy in person at the office of the Secretary of State. Unless he has a friend who is a notary public he may have to pay a 50 cent acknowledgment fee.

To become a candidate he must furnish the Secretary of State with a certified statement setting forth:

- (1) That he is a candidate for United States senator.
- (2) His age, occupation, the county of his residence and his post office address.
- (3) That he is a member in good faith of the political party upon whose ballot he wishes his name to appear, that if a voter at the preceding election, he voted for the nominees of said party.
- (4) That he will during his term of office, if elected, endeavor to truly respect the wishes of his constituency and to abide by and support such measures as may be endorsed by the primary voters of his party in this state, and that he will use all honorable means at his command to secure the appointment for such applicants for positions in the federal service as received a majority of the votes at any primary held by the members of his party to determine their wishes with reference thereto. Said application to be signed by the candidate and properly acknowledged before some person authorized to take acknowledgements.

Speaker Homer Leonard interrupted proceedings in the Texas House of Representatives recently to announce:

"There is a page at Col. Jo Ed Winfree's desk with a coke and change for a dollar, which some member gave him to buy the drink. The boy can't remember who gave him the money and ordered the coke, and wants the person to raise his hand."

At least half of the 150 house members raised their hands, as laughter broke out.

"Somebody's lying," observed young Rep. Jack Love of Fort Worth.

There are some new restrictions on the proposed spending of \$28,000,000 for support of state departments for two years. The appropriation bill, sent to the house from the senate, includes a provision that no department or bureau shall maintain any publicity department or have an employee who has duties as a public relations agent, or press agent. The restriction is loosened somewhat by a provision that this shall not prevent departments issuing useful information.

The late Judge George Christian of the Court of Criminal Appeals seldom spoke of his World War record and as a result some of the biographies printed about him failed to mention that point.

Former Gov. Dan Moody, one of Christian's closest friends, recalls that Christian's reputation as a soldier was high among those who served with Christian's machine gun unit in the A. E. F. during the bloody campaign in the Argonne forest and at St. Mihiel.

Christian became an officer after training at Leon Springs in 1917. He had resigned as district attorney at Burnet to enter military service.

One of Christian's relatives explained the late judge's reluctance to talk about his war service.

"He told me that he had seen more of death than of life," the relative said.

Lloyd W. Davidson, former state's attorney before the Court of Criminal Appeals, was selected by the Court to be the late Judge Christian's successor. The new Judge Davidson claims no kinship

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## Fifty Attend Club Meeting

ORGANIZATION COMPLETED AND NAME CHOSEN AT BUSINESS SESSION

About 50 persons turned out Thursday night for the meeting of the Howe Community club. Ernest McBece presided over the business session in the absence of Y. R. George, president. A vice-president and corresponding secretary were elected to complete organization as provided in the constitution and by-laws. Mr. McBece, original vice-president, was named third vice-president and chairman of the welfare committee. Russell W. Bryant was elected fourth vice-president and chairman of the publicity committee. W. M. McCoy was elected corresponding secretary.

The committee on the constitution and by-laws reported on the contest for a name for the organization and submitted three names to the membership. The name selected was proposed by Mrs. Russell W. Bryant.

Supt. W. B. Wheeler, chairman of the program committee, presented Mrs. J. H. McCoy who, with the assistance of Miss Billie Ferguson, led the group in singing of two songs, after which two volley ball games were played with the men opposing the women. The men won both games.

Next meeting of the club will be Thursday, May 8, at which time another surprise program will be presented.

## TWINS CONVENTION IN SESSION AT WACO

Waco—(UP)—There'll be a lot of 'sein' double" around the Baylor University campus April 25 and 26 when 150 sets of twins two-time their way through the annual Texas twins convention.

The Baylor University Twins club, presided over by Lois and Louise Bailey of Waco, will be host to the convention.

Governors of all states have been invited to send twin representatives to the conclave and special invitations have been issued to such nationally known duos as the Stroud twins of Hollywood. Actress Laraine Day and her twin brother, and Bing Crosby's twin boys.

Business sessions, social events and medical discussions are on the calendar for the two-day convention. Dr. D. C. Rife of Ohio State university, biologist specializing in twin births, and Dr. Iva Cox, head of the Baylor psychology department, will supervise medical tests on the double-delegates.

Similar tests in the two previous conventions have contributed to scientific knowledge of twinning and actions of twins.

Viron and Byron Higgins, students at Texas A. and M. college, are president of the Texas organization.

Edward and Edwin Luper, sons of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Luper of Howe, are members of the Baylor twins club.

## LARGE ATTENDANCE AT OPERETTA

A large attendance was reported at the operetta given by pupils of the first four grammar grades at the school auditorium Monday night. More than 125 students took part in the program. Proceeds went for shrubbery on the school grounds.

## ENTERTAIN WITH DINNER AND 42 PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Erskine entertained with a dinner and 42 party at their home in North Howe one evening last week. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Nolin Edsall of Whitesboro, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Morris of Whitewright, Mr. and Mrs. Lowe Williamson Jr. of Dallas and Mrs. Omega Barnett

## FIFTH GRADE STUDENTS SHOWER CLASSMATE

Pupils of the fifth grade gave a shower Wednesday afternoon for Jeanette Terry, who has been forced to quit school for the remainder of the term because of ill health. A committee composed of Geraldine Davis, Sue Walling, Helen Bryant, L. D. Pruitt and Paul Malone, carried the gifts to Jeanette at her home north of Howe.

## Fifth Howe Honor Roll Released

The honor roll for the fifth six-weeks period of the Howe school was released by Supt. W. B. Wheeler this week as follows:

First grade—C. V. Davis, Jr., Billie Janet Jordan.

Second grade—Louis Wayne Ailgood, Charles Robert Harrell.

Third grade—Nelda Jones, Joan Hamons, Dohryn, Julien.

Fourth grade—Mary Kathryn Green, Shirley Nelson, Margie Ruth Tolbert.

Fifth grade—Helen Bryant, Martha Gray, Imogene Green, Wanda Hamilton, Martha Stephens, Sue Walling.

Sixth grade—Leon Hatfield, James Johnson, Charles Thompson, M. L. Walling, Betty Jewel Cavender, Norma Jane Davis, Billie Jean Duke, Doris Todd.

Seventh grade—Bonnie Jo Howell, Nova O'Neal, Larene Beard.

Eighth grade—Martha Ann Butler, Joyce England, Linda Miller, Dorothy Jean Smith.

Ninth grade—Dixie Lou Coffey, Evelyn O'Neal.

Tenth grade—Arle Vinyard.

Eleventh grade—Clarence Sexton, Iris Brinkley, Dorothy Jane Davis, Lena Belle Stout.

## EDITOR GETS EXCITED AT FATHERHOOD

Editor's Note—The following article was written by Clifton Tooley, associate editor of the Van Alstyne Leader, and forwarded by him to all newspapers in this area. The rapid observations expressed therein are the writer's and are to be excused on the grounds of inexperience. Confidentially, Tooley, your experience is nothing new. Children have been born in pretty much the same manner since Father Adam's first born let out a howl.

Van Alstyne—A new society editor for the Van Alstyne Leader was added to the Van Alstyne census rolls Sunday morning at Wilson N. Jones hospital, Sherman.

Virginia Ann Tooley, a six pound, 2 1/2-ounce girl, was born at 11:20 a. m. Sunday, accompanied by a crying hallalulu to Mrs. and Mrs. Clifton Tooley. This is the first child and the proud papa cannot sit still very long at a time in the editor's chair this week.

With an extra quantity of long, black hair and blue eyes, the newest addition to Van Alstyne's baby parade dozed off into a sound sleep and doesn't arouse any too easily.

If pictures, ads and news stories appear criss-cross, up-side-down or backwards this week, please overlook any connection that the Leader has to the new papa-editor.

The mother is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vivion of Toy Bean but formerly of Van Alstyne. The old man is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Tooley of Van Alstyne and this is their (Editor's note—the senior Tooley's) fourth grandchild.

He (the father) is 25. She (the mother) is 24.

## "PATRIOTISM" THEME OF JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET

"Patriotism" was the theme of the annual junior-senior banquet held at the school gymnasium Tuesday night. Red, white and blue was used throughout the color scheme while miniature "Uncle Sam's" were used as place cards.

## REVIVAL DATES SET FOR CELTIC CHURCH OF CHRIST

R. F. Ball, editor of Word and Work and minister of the Church of Christ at Louisville, Ky., will conduct a revival meeting at the Celtic Church of Christ from July 9 to July 20, it was announced this week.

## Grammar Honor Graduates Named

J. E. Poindexter, principal of the Howe grammar school, announced honor graduates of the seventh grade this week.

Nelda Jean Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith, was high student with an average of 93.2. Other honor students in the order of their scholastic standing are: Nova O'Neal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. O'Neal; Bonnie Jo Howell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Howell; Mildred Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Foster; Don Stout, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stout, was high boy student.

Commencement exercises for the seventh grade will be held May 22, Mr. Poindexter said.

## Wife of Former Howe Pastor Dies in Dallas

Dallas—Mrs. Emma L. Naugle, 71, wife of the late Rev. L. L. Naugle, Methodist minister of the North Texas conference, died Saturday at a hospital after a short illness. She had lived in Dallas for 25 years with her daughter, Mrs. V. A. Ford, 2526 Catherine.

The former Emma L. Parker of Collin county, Mrs. Naugle was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Parker. She was born in Arkansas, and went to Collin county with her parents when a child. After her marriage she and her husband lived in several towns in the North Texas conference of the Methodist church, including Denison, Howe and Wylie, where Mr. Naugle held pastorates. She came to Dallas following her husband's death.

Surviving Mrs. Naugle are her daughter, Mrs. Ford, and a son, Key M. Naugle, also of Dallas; a granddaughter in Venezuela; two brothers, Jim Parker of Merit-Hunt county, and W. L. Parker of Lubbock, and a sister, Mrs. Mabel Reynolds of Los Angeles.

Rev. Robert Smith conducted funeral services at 2 p. m. Sunday at a Dallas funeral chapel and burial was in Bethel cemetery at Frisco, where her husband is buried.

Mrs. Naugle was a sister of the late R. R. Parker, who died at Princeton 10 days before the death of his sister.

## ORGANIZE YOUNG PEOPLE AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Mrs. John Blaine of Sherman, in charge of Baptist young people's work in Grayson county, met with the Women's Missionary society at the Howe Baptist church Monday afternoon and assisted in the organization of three young people groups here.

A Girls' Auxillary was formed for the older girls with Miss Lena Grace Rutherford as sponsor. Mrs. W. H. Long is sponsor of the Sunbeam Band, for the younger girls and Rev. Nat Farley is sponsor of the Royal Ambassadors, a boys group.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening was attended by 15, it was reported, and 21 women of the church attended a workers conference at Van Alstyne Thursday.

An invitation is extended the public to attend all services at the church.

The Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA, reports the number of turkeys on hand February 1 for breeding in the United States was 14 percent lower than on the corresponding date a year ago.

Approximately a quarter of a million evergreens have been planted in the shelterbelts of Northwest Texas.

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## HOWE'S THAT ?

It'll be an hour earlier this time Sunday—

That's when this Daylight Savings time bit goes into effect again.

You can set your clock up an hour at midnight April 27, or if you prefer, before bedtime Saturday night.

Last year, Grayson County folks experienced the same situation—some liked it, and some didn't.

Like it or not, we're going to have to put up with Daylight Saving Time another year, since it would take an act of the State Legislature to do away with it, and the Legislature doesn't convene in regular session again until next year.

One thing that should make Daylight Saving Time easier to get along with this year is the fact that there is a move on to abolish "Standard Time" altogether. So, but putting up with what might be the lesser of two evils, we might be able to forestall the other.

Last year, most of the nation went on Daylight Saving Time uniformly for the first time. Now, it is being asked, why not enjoy the established benefits of DST all year?

A bill to establish year-round Daylight Saving Time in New York State was introduced in the legislature there back in 1963. It was endorsed unanimously by the Traffic Advisory Committee by the Department of Motor Vehicles as an accident deterrent.

Other state have shown enthusiasm for the plan, but have taken no action yet.

So, unless we want to go from the frying pan into the fire, let's not complain too much this year about DST which is from April until October. What if we had it the year-around? Or would it be better that way?

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Speaking of time, changes Ray Houston mailed out ballots with letters this week, advising Chamber of Commerce members of the forthcoming meeting when new directors are to be elected.

The meeting is scheduled tonight (Thursday), April 25 at City Cafe.

Don't pay any attention to Ray's letter, which gave the date as May 25.

Glad we don't ever make mistakes.

## C of C DIRECTOR ELECTION TONIGHT

Four directors will be elected tonight (Thursday) at the regular monthly meeting of Howe Chamber of Commerce. The group will meet at 7:30 at City Cafe.

In a called meeting Tuesday, plans were furthered for the annual banquet, scheduled May 11 at the high school. Speaker for

the occasion will be Lee Harrington.

Ballots for the director election were mailed this week, and should be returned by meeting time. Members unable to attend the meeting should leave ballots at the City Cafe, or give to any member planning to attend.

## Roberts To Speak At TP&L Program

Texas Power and Light Company will formally dedicate its 550,000-kilowatt Valley Generating Unit No. 2, located near Savoy, Friday.

Cong. Ray Roberts will deliver the dedicatory address to the invited guests. Included in the dedication will be a luncheon and tour of TP&L's Valley facilities.

Construction of Valley No. 2, the largest on the TP&L system was begun in 1965 and was placed into service in late 1967. It is located adjacent to the 125,000 kilowatt Valley No. 1 unit.

T. L. Austin Jr., TP&L president, said the new unit represents "a continuing phase of our construction program which is designed to have at all times

abundant power for all the needs of the areas we serve. New generating facilities are planned as much as ten years ahead so that ample power will always be available to meet every requirement for electrical service."

The new unit at Valley will be tied into a 345,000 volt transmission line system which serves the TP&L area and extends from Houston to North Texas and west to the Permian Basin area of West Texas.

The unit is an outdoor-type generating unit and features the latest design in large steam electric generating equipment.

Electric power has been produced at Texas Power & Light at Valley since 1962 when Valley No. 1 was placed into service.

The new generating unit is part of a long-range growth plan by TP&L in which expenditures in 1968 and 1969 are expected to total about \$135 million.

## Young People To Conduct Baptist Services Sunday

A team of young people from the Grayson County College Baptist Student Union will conduct services at the First Baptist Church Sunday night, it was announced this week. The Baptist Student Union is an organization of Baptist Students which meets for inspiration and fellowship on the campus.

Baptist churches in Grayson County are presently engaged in a fund-raising campaign to build a building to house BSU on campus. An accredited Bible Chair, which will teach Bible courses to all interested students, will also be housed in the building. The Rev. James Swedenburg, pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church of Sherman, is BSU Director.

## Council Authorizes Improvement Of Streets; To Begin Work Immediately

Contractor has also undertaken the project of permanently repairing a large hole in the intersection just east of the post office, members were told.

In other business, the city entered into contract with the county for rural fire protection with reimbursement in the amount of \$650 for the year;

Discussed the temporary dump area on the Earl King property, with city workmen to clean the area and roadside where citizens have dumped garbage.

Council is seeking a permanent location for a dump.

A city-wide street improvement program was voted Saturday by Howe City Council in a called session.

Councilman Carl Thompson

## County Council Discusses Road Bond Program

The Grayson County Development Council discussed at its regular meeting last Thursday night, a highway improvement program, which has been turned down on three occasions by Grayson County voters.

The council will sponsor a county-wide meeting, to be held in Sherman May 9 for a preliminary discussion of a new road bond issue. Each community and area of the county will be urged to have representatives present for the meeting.

Spokesmen stressed that the highway expansion was essential to the growth of the area. County Judge Les Tribble told the group that State Highway Department officials here and in the district office at Paris are anxious for us to "get to work."

Actual voting was not discussed at the meeting. The group left details to be worked out at the countywide meeting. The feeling was voiced, however, that the program should be divided on the ballot into major components, each subject to separate acceptance or rejection by the voters.

The 37-member group heard a report by Dr. Harry M. Shytles of Sherman-Denison Metropolitan Area Regional Planning Commission, which he heads.

Shytles traced the organization of the planning panel. He said it is another Metropolitan Area step to keep Grayson from becoming a satellite of the Dallas-Fort Worth Area.

was named to head the project, which is scheduled to begin as soon as weather permits.

The council voted to purchase 20 tons of hot mix, cold lay and RC2 mix for the program.

## FFA Judging Team To Compete In State Meet May 4

The Howe FFA Livestock Judging Team won third place in the bi-area judging contest at East Texas State University in Commerce. Team members are Lynn Cavender, Ray Lankford, Taylor Strawn and Garry Gray.

The third place award qualified the team to represent Area V FFA Association at the State Livestock Judging Contest to be held at Texas A & M Saturday, May 4. There were more than 50 teams at the area contest and only the top ten are eligible to compete in the state contest.

Ray Lankford was fifth high individual at the contest.

The Freshman Dairy Judging team also competed in the bi-area contest at Commerce, and placed 18th. Team members are Butch Thornhill, Bob Taylor, and Keith Morrison.

## Man Reports Shooting Here Tuesday Night

A Euless man, Harold Edmond Sitton, was taken to Wilson N. Jones Hospital Tuesday night suffering from a gunshot wound in the abdomen.

Sitton told investigating officers he was walking on the highway south of Howe, and felt a sting in his abdomen. He said he stuck his hand under his shirt and learned that he had been shot, after discovering blood on his hand.

Sitton told officers he flagged down a car, which took him to Tillett's Service Station in Van Alstyne, then was removed to a Sherman Hospital in a Flesher Funeral Home ambulance.

A .22 calibre bullet was removed from the man's abdomen in a surgical operation, officers said.

Officers are continuing an investigation of the shooting.





# 45 years ago this week



HOWE'S THAT

## The Howe Enterprise

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Some wise guy called last weekend and said we had the Howe Clean-up week in the wrong month. Now that's not true--Howe does have a clean up week scheduled May 7-12.

We had the month right--just had it misspelled. Dictionary says, However, that you spell next month May" instead of "April" as we had it.

Couple of years ago the Department of Health, Education and Welfare was spending around \$4.4 million annually to discourage smoking.

At the same time, according to our Washington correspondent, the Department of Agriculture was spending \$28 plus million to subsidize the tobacco experts and another \$5 million a year for research into ways to generate more tobacco sales.

With that kind of government reasoning, it's not difficult to see why AMTRACK decided to put around \$80 million down the hole to try to reroute passenger service away from Howe.

Sunday, April 29 is that time of year again. And the exact time is 2:00 a.m. That is the time to advance, move the hour hand forward one hour, set the sun dial up one hour, inform the roosters, and all that, so you can take advantage of daylight savings time again.

Daylight savings time was taken from an old Indian tale-like cutting off the top of a blanket and sewing it onto the bottom to make it longer. It's about the same situation.

Why does the President get all the publicity by reducing the value of the dollar by 10%? The dollar has been reducing by that amount at intervals during the past several years, without the help of el Pres.

Value of money used to be based on gold, but inflation has also hit the gold market, and now that stuff is almost as high as meat. We've even noticed that housewives have begun to do their shopping in the early morning hours to avoid the price increases for that particular day. Everything costs more these days.

You can spend three days in the hospital, and if you aren't lucky enough to have a good insurance policy, it takes about two years to fully recover from the costs.

Guess it's still better than working for 25¢ an hour, according to some people. I wouldn't know.

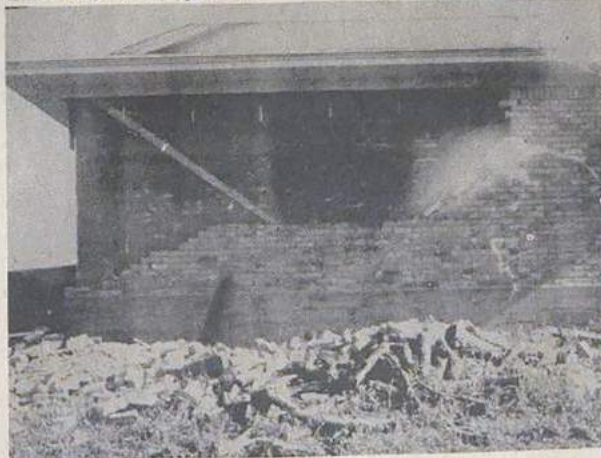
Know one newspaperman who always starts off his personal (continued on page six)

### Wind, Hail, Rain Hit Area

An early morning storm, accompanied by high wind, rain and hail, did considerable damage in Howe and the surrounding area Tuesday morning. The storm struck around 3:00 a.m., felling antennas, trees, and upending yard furniture and small buildings. A patio roof at the D. C. Gray home on South Maple was

blown over the house and into the street. Brick wall on the south end of the George Baker home, also on south maple, collapsed under the force of the high wind.

A grain storage bin on the Bobby Sollis farm was blown into the yard. A window and storm door was destroyed at the Leon Thornhill home on



High wind, tornado or whatever, removed brick from the south end of the George Baker home on South Maple Street during storm Tuesday morning. Storm also destroyed a metal utility building at White Auto Store, owned by the Bakers.

North Denney Street.

Reports from farmers in the area said the hail destroyed wheat crops, which were already headed out.

Reports of one inch of rain and more accompanied the high winds and hail. Rain has fallen in the area 15 of the last 23 days, dropping an estimated six inches of moisture.

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### It Can Happen Here!

Editorial (Courtesy of The Indianapolis News)

#### IT HAPPENED

"Can you imagine a school teacher's being fired for daring to issue the mildest possible criticism of Communist Angela Davis?"

"Incredible as it may seem, that is exactly what occurred a short while back at a junior high school in the Bronx, New York. According to researchers at the anti-Communist Cardinal Mindszenty Foundation, a social studies teacher at this school had asked his students to write an essay about someone they admired. One student responded by offering a statement in behalf of Angela Davis, asserting that 'monuments should be built' in behalf of Miss Davis, who is of course a self-avowed Communist.

"The teacher, one William Burke, gave the student a B+ for the composition, but wrote in the margin that in the future he hoped that the student would find 'someone else, black or white' to admire. His audacity in making this suggestion provoked a furor in the Communist Party press, brought pressure on the school where Burke taught, and, finally, led to his dismissal.

"The Communist Daily World pounced on the incident and ran a story entitled, 'A Child Teaches a Racist Teacher. A committee including a Black Panther leader, the student's mother, and staff employees of government-funded poverty projects descended on the school and demanded that the principal fire teacher Burke. The principal said he lacked the authority to discharge the teacher.

"Five days later, however, the Daily World reported that 'Dr. Felton Lewis, Superintendent of District 12 of the Bronx school system announced yesterday that William Burke, seventh grade teacher at J.H.S. No. 98, in the East Bronx, 'is no longer with us.' The Daily World headlined the story: 'Bronx Racist Teacher Ousted for Vilifying Angela Davis.' The paper proudly noted that 'the story first broke in the pages of the Daily World.'

"So there is a taste of newfangled civil liberties in action--teacher harassed and ousted from his job for daring to suggest that an American school child should have more appropriate heroes than acknowledged Communists! The irony is deepened by the fact that the persecution of this teacher was aided by employees of government programs--working in tandem with the publicity apparatus of the U.S. Communist Party.

"When things like this can occur in the United States, we have gone a long way toward deprivation of our liberties through intimidation by Marxist revolutionaries and their friends. It can happen here--and obviously has started happening already."

### Easter Egg Hunt Re-set Saturday

Easter egg hunt scheduled for last Saturday afternoon has been re-scheduled this Saturday. Time is set for 2 p.m. on the N. D. Moses property on the old Farmington road.

Bad weather caused postponement of the hunt, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

#### CHAMBER MEETING

Regular monthly meeting of the Howe Chamber of Commerce, Thursday night, April 26, 7:30, High School Library.

### High School 1973 Honor Graduates Named

Honor students of the 1973 graduating class are Deborah Suzan Melton, valedictorian, Cynthia Ann Cloud, salutatorian, and William Davis Finney, honor boy. Announce-

and homemaking.

Miss Cloud has been a member of the drill team four year member of the National Honor Society; Class officer; Future Homemakers; volleyball team member; and served on the staff of the Bulldog Bark. She finished the senior year with an average of 94.51. Cindy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bryant Cloud.

Davis Finney was named Honor Boy, concluding four years of high school with an average of 93.80. The son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Finney he participated in football program four years; FFA member four years; Choral club four years; member of the annual staff two years; U.I.L. two years and participated in Interscholastic league competition in the science department

The three will be honored during graduation activities next month.



DEBORAH MELTON



CINDY CLOUD



DAVIS FINNEY

ment was made this week by High School Principal L. H. Linker.

Miss Melton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Melton. Her four-year high school average is 95.27. She has served as President of the National Honor Society, Junior Class President; Co-editor of the high school annual; Betty Crocker Homemaker of 1973; FFA sweetheart her Freshman year; member of the choral club; Future Homemakers; Student Council and pep squad, serving as drummer and cheerleader. She has also received scholastic awards in typing, history

### May 1 Final Date for Wheat Signup Certification

Grayson County farmers who have signed up in the 1973 Wheat Program have through May 1 to certify compliance at the Grayson County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Office (ASCS) according to J. T. Key, Jr., County Executive Director.

He pointed out that this final wheat certification date applies to all who signed up in the wheat program, even if they are substituting feed grains for wheat.

July 1 has been set as the final certification date in Grayson County for 1973 Feed Grains (corn, grain sorghum) and cotton.

Key stated that farmer certification means that the producer certifies to his crop acreage, set-aside acreage if any, and that he is in compliance with all program regulations and will continue to comply throughout the year. Correct certification is very important to a producer, since an error can result in loss of some or all of the farm program payment.

Producers who have any questions about certification are urged to call or come in to the ASCS office to get the questions fully answered before certification. Every farmer should be fully aware of what he is certifying before he signs his name.

### Trustees Elect Officers; Attend Workshop

Billy Joe Wheeler was seated as a new member of the Howe School Board at a recent called meeting, during which officers were elected for the coming year.

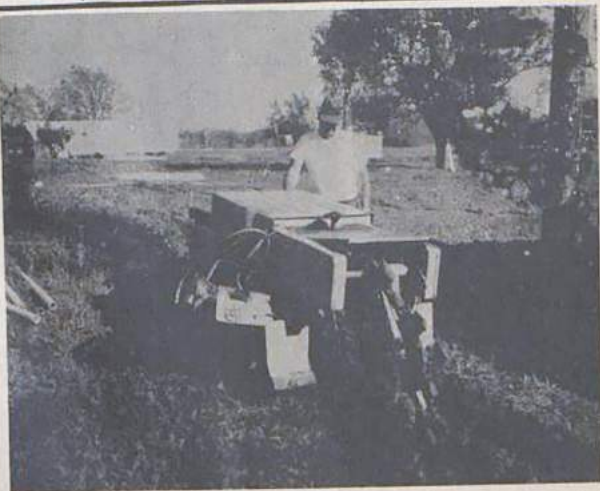
Dr. Ned Culp was re-elected President of the Board, with Jim Sutton named Vice-President and Jack Norman, secretary.

The board Monday attended a regional school board workshop held at East Texas State University, with members attending different meetings.

Covered during the workshop were "New Board Member Orientation" attended by Wheeler; "Development of a

Local Budget" attended by Sutton and Supt. Glen Mitchell; "Communications for Public Understanding" attended by Ray Bledsoe and Grady Lankford; "Assessment of Community Needs" attended by Culp; "Development of Evaluation Policies" attended by Leon Thornhill and Norman;

During other sessions, Thornhill attended the "Year-Round Schools" program. Sutton and Norman "Board Role in Policy Implementation." Mitchell Bledsoe, "Counseling and Career Education," and Dr. Culp and Wheeler, "Development of Evaluation Policies."



Trenching machine recently purchased by the city is shown in operation by city employee John Clark. The machine operates a lot easier than a shovel, Clark says. The motorized digger moves along under its own power as the trencher removes dirt to the sides.

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### Howe's that...

IT HAS BEEN REMARKED that it is a whole lot different sitting at the council table than in the audience. It is always easy to criticize elected officials because "there's a pot hole in front of my house" or "my water bill is too high" or some other complaint. I would like to take this opportunity to commend elected officials in the Howe city government...first of all for volunteering their time to help solve problems that may arise, but also a commendation is given to elected officials who take the time to "do their homework." In other words, they come to meetings prepared -- having studied the issues on the agenda, willing to give constructive comments. That takes more than just the two or three hours spent at regular meetings once a month.

I believe this is the right time to give a special commendation to our new mayor - Jerry Kirby. Most people in town know that I strongly supported R.L. Cate for this position. Mr. Cate's service and dedication to this town cannot be disputed. Because of his performance for the past 12 years, I knew he would make a good mayor. On the other hand, I have spoken with Mr. Kirby on only a few occasions and was unaware of his capabilities. But after observing him in action at the last two council meetings, I believe it is not premature to say his is the kind of leader Howe needs. He had studied the items on the agenda. Indeed, he spent his first 20 days in office learning all he could about how the city is run, and he intends to keep on learning. While there is much to be said for experience, there is also a case to be made for the fresh ideas of someone who has been on the outside. I am confident that Mayor Kirby will do the job of mayor to the best of his ability.

I would like to insert here a special thanks to J.W. Reed, R.L. Cate, and Jack Floodas for the hard work they put in for the city. They gave their time and their ideas to help the City of Howe. We owe them our appreciation.

We have two new councilmen who will be learning over the next weeks and months just how different it is to be at the council table and on the receiving end of criticism - just or unjust. I hope they will also take the time to do their homework. It is important to approach issues with minds open to all solutions -- then use these open minds to make decisions that are best for the city and its citizens. I would especially commend Councilman Mills for his concern for the teenagers - that they have appropriate activity available. He, along with Mr. Burns, Mr. Haigis, and Mr. Huckaby, listened attentively to the issues and made suitable comment or question from time to time.

I just wish I could commend all of the councilmen for their actions last Thursday night. However, I feel that Councilman Jack Berry approached most of the matters on the agenda with a flippancy and/or hostile attitude. At one point Mayor Kirby asked council to recommend which city streets need repair next. Berry's reply - a sarcastic "All of them!" - was uncalled for. If the City of Howe possessed a magic wand to wave over the town, then all of the streets would immediately be in great shape. Unfortunately, Howe has neither a magic wand or sufficient funds for an instant cure.

Sure, we've been saying for just under two years that the street dept. will fix the roads. A lot of work has been done - getting streets ready for major repair. Part of the problem on street repair has been lack of funds. Another problem is too few employees. And finally, good warm weather is needed for the work. Councilman Berry even advocates a quick fix for potholes - material that the state highway dept. uses in cold weather. This quick fix costs four times as much as the repair the city is currently using and it lasts until a good rain washes it out. (Personally, Jack, I don't want my tax money wasted on a quick fix - no fix!)

I have always enjoyed attending city council meetings. It is interesting to watch democracy in action. Every citizen in town should attend at least one meeting. You can learn a lot of things about how your tax money is spent and how the government is run. I believe Howe's city government is in good hands; come and see for yourself.

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**PATCHING STREETS** - The city crew has been spending time patching streets. City Administrator Joe Fenton estimates the crew can patch about two blocks in a day during good weather.

### Library Variety Show To Be Annual Event

Approximately 75 people attended the general meeting of the Friends of the Howe Public Library and Variety Show last Thursday. The installation of the new Board members, (Juanita King, David Wortham, Darlene Cherry, and Penny Floodas) followed the invocation given by Steve Cherry. Glenna Hutchins, also a new board member, was unable to attend.

A report was given by President Jean Norman on the fund raising efforts of the Friends as well as future building programs, projects, and memorials. The Friends greatly appreciate those who have made memorials to the library. New and interesting books have been added to the collection through these donations.

Librarian Paula Boyd reported that 168 books were checked out in January and 190 in February. In March 123 books were checked out. During January and February 26 VHS cassettes were checked out; 46 were checked out from March 1 through April 21. Large print books have also been taken to the SNAP Center to be checked out there. Also, large print books are available at the library. The VHS cassettes and large print books are received through the North East Texas Library System of which the Howe Library is a member.

The Variety Show consisted of:

Stacy Burk of Van Alstyne, who played the guitar and sang "Old Flame Burning" and "Amarillo By Morning."

Tracy Powers who played a piano solo, "The Young and the Restless."

Kristi Banner who gave a poetry reading of "Love Song," "False Friend,"

and "Little Old Lady in Lavender Silk."  
Jean Norman who sang "It Was Almost Like a Song" (accompanied by her daughter, Kelli).

Kristi Roby who presented a twirling routine.

Marcy Helms who played piano solos of "Chariots of Fire" and "The Old Rugged Cross."

Darlene Cherry who sang "Praise the Lord, He Never Changes" (accompanied by Marcy Helms)

Susan Stoffregen who gave a poetry reading, "Patterns."

The Teacher and His Pets (Mr. Schenk, David Whitefield, Mike Nichols, and Adam Hamner) who performed "The Eye of the Tiger."

The evening was enjoyed by all, and the Friends plan to make it an annual event each spring. Make your plans to participate.

Donations and memberships collected for the library reached about \$150. Over 250 people are on the membership of the Friends, according to Sondra Williams, membership chairman.

In order for the library to be progressive and up-to-date, the support of the entire community is needed. Be a Friend, and help the library grow, grow, grow.

### Becky Fenton Joins Enterprise Staff

The Howe Enterprise has added a new staff member, Becky Fenton, to the newspaper. Mrs. Fenton will be writing feature articles on local people as well as giving aid in proof-reading and page layout.

Mrs. Fenton, who is married to Howe City Administrator Joe Fenton, attended a private college in Marshall, Missouri for her undergraduate work. Graduate work was done at several universities in Missouri.

She started out as a theater major, but taught journalism at a high school in Trenton, Missouri and decided to get into journalism.

In Missouri she worked as an investigative reporter in criminal courts, local and state government. She has also served as the managing editor of a daily newspaper in Missouri. Juanette Blanchard will continue to work for the Enterprise as bookkeeper and in advertising sales. Since Mrs. Blanchard has another part time job, she will do most of her work for the Enterprise from her home.

### City Administrator's Duties Discussed

A lengthy discussion of supervisors, street department, and responsibility preceded an executive session on evaluation of personnel at the Howe City Council meeting Thursday, April 21.

The executive session was put on the agenda by Councilman Jack Berry to help those new to council understand "the duties" of each of the 11 city employees. City Administrator Joe Fenton requested that any discussion of his position be done in open session.

Berry began the discussion of Mr. Fenton's job by asking why there are three supervisors and one worker listed for the city. Fenton explained that the title of supervisor refers to fulltime "leaders" of each department. In the summer when part time people are hired, they will be under these men.

Berry then shifted the questions to the streets. "We've got potholes in our streets and I know you were requested to repair these a month ago," he said to Fenton.

Mayor Jerry Kirby said, "I'll take the responsibility for not getting more done." He explained that for the past 20 days Fenton "has been taking orders directly from me and I've had him on other jobs."

Kirby explained that he had requested the street department do repairs following an organized approach. He said there is no point bouncing all over town wasting time, gas, and oil to do a pot hole in the north end and then over to the south end. "We need to have a system," he added.

Berry said, "Under that system, we haven't got anything done...I have nothing else."

Jim Huckaby stated he had been seeing pot holes filled and he didn't understand the complaints. Sam Haigis said that although new pot holes are popping up, he has also seen improvement.

Mayor Kirby added that he has had lengthy discussions with Fenton on what is expected of him and what is not. He also said the streets should be repaired "clean as you go" and not drive over 14 holes to fix one somewhere.

Haigis said, on the subject of title, "The word supervisor doesn't mean he sits with his feet in the air. At least it better not. He's a working supervisor."

The mayor said that on Monday (April 18) Fenton was on the working end of the shovel with the street repair crew. "I told him I wanted everybody on the truck and he included himself."

Kirby cited some problems that have prevented street repair - a broken water main was one. Also the state highway dept. was cleaning bar ditches on N. Denny on the state right-of-way and he asked Fenton to have city crew there to make sure the bar ditches were fixed so people could mow them. Also several tin horns were replaced (under contract) and gravel was put on driveways.

Kirby said, "If the council will give me the authority to operate the street dept., I'll take the flack." Haigis said, "You have the authority" (mayor is in charge of city administrator).

Berry addressed the mayor, "Let's get these chugholes fixed and not the streets that we just spent \$10,000 on. Some of the pot holes are axle deep. It doesn't take that long to throw something in it."

Mayor Kirby said that with time and better weather, he expects the city crew will get the street repair done.

Berry asked what type of street repair the state uses in cold weather. Fenton answered that they put in a dry, loose material and they don't compact it. It is a quick fix, but it costs four times as much (as cold lay asphalt) and it doesn't last.

Fenton added, Haigis said, "Why should we waste the mayor's time with a public hearing. I don't see any point in sitting here and grandstanding this (issue)." He added he felt the council should give the mayor another 30 days to see what can be done.

Huckaby asked the mayor if he is satisfied that the city crew is doing their best to get the work done. When the mayor said he believe they are busy, Huckaby said, "Then if we get any complaints we can call you." He added that since the council has five members there are five different ideas on how

things need to be done and they should set some goals. The mayor said he has asked Fenton to have two miles of road ready by the middle of June for the county road crew to shoot (an oil seal and chipped rock). He also requested the council to bring him recommendations to the next council meeting on streets that need to be patched next.

Berry said, "All of them!" Kirby asked for specific streets, but Berry repeated "All of them need to be repaired." Then Berry made a motion to go into executive session to discuss the evaluation of the other personnel.

### Council Discusses Many Items

The Howe City Council held the regular monthly meeting Thursday, April 21, with Mayor Jerry Kirby presiding. Council present were Jack Berry, Jim Huckaby, William (Sonny) Burns, Duward Mills, and Sam Haigis.

Mayor Kirby reported plans for the city street department to prepare 1 1/2 to 2 miles of street for the county road department to come in and "shoot" (spray with oil and spread chip rock). This will cost about \$8,000, the amount budgeted for contract street work. The project is set for the middle of June.

City Administrator Joe Fenton reported on several items: (1) the new dump truck is in good working order and is being used for street repair work. (2) All city vehicles are in good running order. (3) On the matter of code violations for weeds and junk cars, a case by case follow up is being made on those who have not responded to the letters that were sent out.

(4) In reference to a water problem at the Tommy Wall residence on Davis St., Fenton said no city lines are leaking and a bill is past due (since October). (5) In a discussion of wiring work to be done at the Christian Church building, two bids have been received, one for \$1500 and one for \$3252. The matter was tabled until more study could be done. (6) Texoma Regional Planning Commission has said the maps needed by the Planning and Zoning Board would cost between \$2,500 and \$3,000. Only one-third of this would come from the city and could be stretched over two budget years. Council passed a motion to accept the offer for the work to be done.

Police Chief Ken Vickers gave the following report for March 17-April 21: arrest-2, tickets written-18, warnings-24, complaints-10, motorist assist-12, police dept. assist-12, alarms & open doors-4, cattle on roadway-2, disturbances-2, accidents-2, burglary-2, emergency messages-1, runaways-2, items recovered - 1 bicycle & 1 tractor, and prowler-1. Average miles covered in a 24 hour patrol were 108.3.

Motion was passed to allow J.W. Reed to put in a water line from a fire hydrant at the southeast corner of the Methodist Church property extending 1300 feet north of that line. Reed said a 4" line will serve his needs, but council voted to put in a 6" line for future expansion and need. The city will pay the

difference between the 4" and the 6" lines. Council also agreed to allow a septic tank since the property will not sewer.

J.W. Reed also donated property in Western Hills to the city for use as a playground area. A \$300 donation for playground equipment was also presented to the city by Reed.

Joyce Petty of General Telephone spoke to the council concerning deregulation and the purchase of phones by customers. She said customers may now purchase phones from GTE or from any other source. She added that customers are required to contact the phone company and give the FCC number to insure that the phones are compatible with the network.

Council voted to grant a zoning change to Buddy Baker for Lots 13-22, Block 4, O.T.P. from R-1 to C-2 for existing business at that area.

Lana Rideout presented a recommendation from Planning & Zoning to amend the Zoning Ordinance, Section 19 - Signs, paragraph 4, District C-2, M-1, M-2 to read "Signs limited to those listing name of, or products, activities, or services offered on the premises. Such signs shall comply with height and yard regulations of the district in which they are located." The council voted to approve the change on the ordinance.

Nominations were made for members for the Planning and Zoning Board for three places. Those whose terms expire this year are Don Tjernlund, Bill Mullins, and Carol Cox. Tjernlund told council he wishes to resign from the P&Z. Mullins and Cox had both told council members they would like to continue on the board. Jack Berry made a motion to reappoint Mullins and Cox. The vote was three for and two opposed. Sam Haigis and Jim Huckaby, who voted against the motion, said they were not prepared to vote on the issue and thought that nominations would be made at the April meeting and the actual appointments at the May meeting. They both said they wanted time to talk to those whose terms were expiring to see how they feel about continuing. Both councilmen told the Howe Enterprise that their vote against the motion was not an objection to appointing Mullins and Cox, but rather that they were not prepared to vote on the issue. Also they felt the

### "Ask The Mayor"

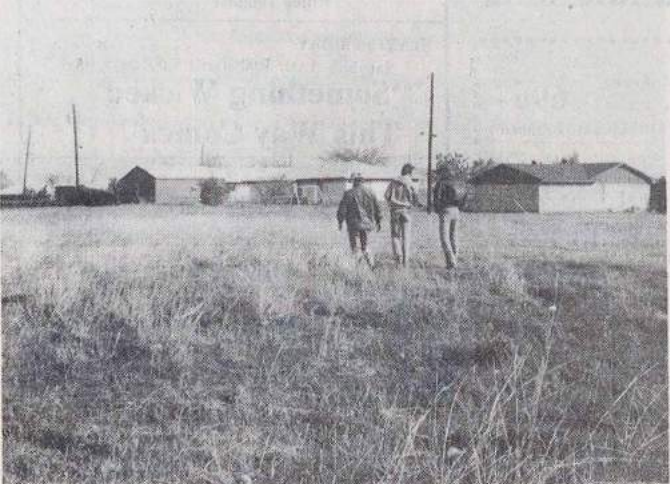
Do you have a question you would like to "Ask The Mayor"? Mayor Jerry Kirby has agreed to answer any question from the citizens of Howe in a weekly newspaper column to be printed in the Howe Enterprise. If you have a question, suggestion, compliment, or gripe, please send them to either Mayor Kirby at Rt. 2, Box 197, Howe or to the Howe Enterprise at Box 488, Howe. Please sign your letter. The name may be withheld from publication if requested.

### Honor Rolls

Due to a lack of time and space, the honor rolls will not appear in this issue of the paper. The list will be in the next issue of the Howe Enterprise.

### Paper Drive

Howe Scouts will hold a paper drive Saturday, April 30, beginning at 9 a.m. Scouts, parents and others who would like to help are requested to meet at the Methodist Church. If you have newspapers to donate, please leave them near the curb. It is helpful if you can have the papers tied in bundles or in sacks.



**PLANNED PLAYGROUND** - This area in Western Hills was donated to the City of Howe by J.W. Reed along with \$300 to help make a playground area.



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## Letters To Editor

To the Editor,

I wonder how long the tax payers of Texas will continue to believe the lies of those in Austin who continue to manufacture ways to get new TAX REVENUES. Now the big spenders in Austin are trying to tell the voters that the Constitution has to be amended to allow a State Property Tax to avert an educational funding crisis. "The simple truth is that the Robin Hood amendment is the largest potential tax increase in the history of Texas. The Robin Hood amendment has very little to do with education. It has everything to do with raw power, state bureaucratic control of local schools and getting you and I to pay for every new spending project in Austin in a huge transfer of taxes and power" (copied from Texas Grassroots Coalition, April 1993 special edition letter).

The courts have said that "We do not have to have a constitutional amendment to fix the school funding problem ... this problem is a creature of statute and can be solved by statutes."

Why should we as tax payers give the Governor and Legislature huge NEW taxing powers and MORE CONTROL over our local schools by approving the Robin Hood constitutional amendment. NO! NO! NO! NO! We must speak out and then VOTE AGAINST the Robin Hood Amendment on May 1.

Sam Haigis, Howe

Letter to Editor:

Senator Phil Gramm has an ongoing vision for America which is solidly grounded in a desire to enhance the economic status of ALL Americans ... not merely the "pork-barrel" special interest groups! His support of the Super Conducting Super Collider and the space station programs are

but two examples of significant projects which will reap lasting, long term benefits for all Americans. Each of these major economic development initiatives exemplify his desire to build an America that has a sound footing in high technology, sustained growth programs that provide REAL jobs.

I know there are special interest groups who vocally take exception to these worthy programs, and want us to believe these projects are merely further examples of excessive government spending. I believe it is vividly clear to all Texans that we desperately need scientific, advanced technology programs which create jobs ... REAL jobs! At the same time it is equally clear to all that we must "man" the watch towers and assist Phil Gramm in eliminating government programs which "look" like worthy projects, "feel" like worthy projects, and "smell" like worthy projects, but which are in fact wasteful "pork-barrel" public works projects which have no earthly value today, tomorrow, next year, nor in the years to come.

The attempt by the current administration to raise taxes to create temporary, low level jobs is a clear example of bureaucratic folly! Texans are real people who need real jobs so they can put food on their table and a roof over their head for themselves and their family. They don't want temporary charity ... they want the dignity that only comes with worthy long term jobs!

I am glad Phil Gramm is standing up for fiscal responsibility, and is taking the lead in separating the "wheat" from the "chaff!" He knows that we need government funded projects that have lasting value for ALL Texans! Let's help him get the job done!

Sincerely,  
Eugene Lund, Sherman

## Parent Asks Board To Reconsider Decision To Drop JV Cheerleading

Sherry Kelley, parent of a girl who will be a freshman at HHS next year, addressed the Howe School Board on Monday, April 19, concerning the decision by the superintendent, high school principal and cheerleading sponsors to drop the JV cheerleading squad for the upcoming year. She asked the board to re-consider this decision.

Board president Alton Norman said that since the matter was not on the agenda, the board could not take any action. He added that the decision was an administrative one, not requiring board approval or ratification.

Mrs. Kelley presented each board member with a copy of information concerning the decision and stated that she feels the girls are being discriminated against since freshman girls will not be allowed to participate in the new power cheerleading squad. (No other program is being cut for freshmen students.) She asked the board to read the materials she presented to them and change the decision.

During the public comment time, Norman stated that on the advice of the school's attorney, the board would not answer any of the questions that were presented at the March board meeting (concerning the firing of Tim Smithart and other matters).

The board took the following actions:

- \*Accepted resignations of Chrissy Wood (1st grade), Vickie McQueen (3rd grade), Mike Middleton (HS math & science), Christy Ellis (4th grade) and Kathy Hall (MS computer teacher).

- \*Set meeting for Monday, May 3, at 5:30 p.m. to canvass the election results.

- \*Approved a Life Skills Document as presented by the District Wide Improvement Council for recommendations for presenting a positive attitude and promoting self esteem. The plan recommends the employment of a fulltime certified counselor.

- \*Approved a five-year Technology Plan as presented by a committee of school personnel and parents. The school will



The Seventh Annual Founders' Day will have a large number of activities available for people of all ages this Saturday, May 1, in downtown Howe.

The festivities will begin at 10 a.m. when the booths open and the horseshoe contest begins. The parade will begin at 11 a.m. leaving from the Howe High School parking lot area and march past the reviewing stand at the corner of Denny and Haning Streets near the band and post office. In the parade will be the Howe High School Marching Band, Grayson County Sheriff's Posse, the Elementary children, children on bicycles and the Howe Volunteer Fire Dept. Mr. and Mrs. Coy Pooi will ride in the parade as Grand Marshals, because of their selection at Howe Citizens of the Year by the Howe Chamber of Commerce.

Many booths have been scheduled including a number of food booths, crafts, Discovery Toys, games and activities. A moonwalk for young people has

been planned.

At noon the winners of the poster contest will be announced.

At 1 p.m. the winners of the cake baking contest will be announced and the cakes will be auctioned. Money from the auction will benefit the McCarthy Memorial Park.

At 1:15 there will be the famous lawnmower race around downtown Howe.

For persons who want to enter the cake contest, simply bring two identical cakes to the cake booth that morning. One will be used for judging, and the other for the auction. Prizes will be given for the best appearance, best tasting, and the most unusual. Contact Judy Gentry at 532-6547 for more details.

For persons who want to enter the lawnmower race, bring your riding lawnmower downtown at 1 p.m. and register with Duane Peters.

For more information about the horseshoe contest, contact Jim Ogle.

## Council Accepts Bid On Chevy Blazer

On April 15, the Howe City Council voted to approve several ordinances and accepted a bid on the 1985 Chevrolet Blazer.

An ordinance on junked vehicles was approved on second reading and adopted. Ordinances concerning powers and duties of the police chief, powers and duties of the city

administrator and regulating lot width and front, side, and rear yards were approved on first reading. Second reading and adoption is set for the May meeting.

The council opened three bids on the Blazer, a city vehicle that has been used by the city administrator in recent months. They voted to accept the bid by Dwain Roberts for \$1301, which was the highest of the three bids offered.

In other business, the council approved a resolution urging that prayer be returned to the public schools and that cities across the State of Texas join in an effort to reinstate prayer in the public schools by passing similar resolutions and uniting in a grass roots movement for that purpose.

The council also set salary for election workers at \$5 an hour and tabled action on the municipal attorney position.

The following departmental reports were given:

City Administrator Ray Houston reported that the limb pickup and clean up efforts all over town were going well. He also noted that the GTE franchise tax paid to the city is down from \$4000 to \$1700 and he is inquiring into how they are figuring the amount due to the city.

Police Chief Bob Zivec reported that for the month of March there were 5 arrests, 120 citations issued, 20 warning citations, 4 complaints taken, 18 motorist assists, 9 police agency assists, 14 open doors/alarms, 6 disturbances, 1 livestock on roadway, 1 prowler call, 3 thefts, 1 act of vandalism, 124 vacation house checks, 1 dog call and 53 other misc. calls. Total miles driven per 24 hour period. Average miles per gallon for the police cars is 11.00 for the Crown Victoria and 14.5 for the Mustangs for a total average of 13.8.

The Municipal Court report submitted by Dana Nixon, court clerk, contained the following information: 111 non-parking and 2 parking traffic misdemeanors filed for March. Also 7 state law

**SPRING HAS SPRUNG** - Have you noticed all the pretty flowers blooming all over Howe. Lots of folks have been putting out flowers and making their yards look nice. I always love the green GREEN of spring along with all the colorful flowers. I guess it's my favorite time of year. After gray, rainy, cold days of winter, it is nice to finally be outside, enjoying fresh air and the beauty of the season.

**SATURDAY MAY 1st** is an important day for Howe. First of all, it's election day for local mayor, city council, and school board. (Go to Howe Middle School to vote on these races). Also to be voted on Saturday are the three amendments to the Texas Constitution, the Senator to replace Lloyd Bentsen, and Grayson County College board of trustees. (Go to the First Baptist Church Youth Building to vote for these.)

After you vote, come on to the downtown Howe area for the annual Founders' Day. Lots of excitement is being planned. See schedule elsewhere in today's paper. This event, sponsored by the Howe Chamber of Commerce, is a fun event for the entire family with activities, food, arts & crafts, and fun, fun, fun.

**IS THERE SOMEONE LIVING** in the outside mailboxes at the Howe Post Office? Grandson Jordan thinks so. Last week he colored a picture to send to someone special. Then he went with Mommy to mail it. They put it in the outside mail box. The next day Jordan walked with me to the Post Office. When we got to the outside mail boxes, he pointed and said, "(Name of the person who is special to him) is in there."

He also got some new clothes. His favorite is his "Aladdin" shoes. He had to show them off to everyone and to tell folks that there's a genie in the lamp on his shoes.

Amber has advanced to eating some table food - mashed potatoes, pizza crust, etc. She is also learning how to drink from a cup. She's a good eater. When I keep her, I get to feed her and she finishes off what Mommy has told me to feed her.

When you find the Howe Enterprise office closed on Thursdays or Fridays, I am probably babysitting with Jordan and/or Amber. When I just have Jordan, I bring him to the office for a while, but I don't get much work done. Jordan thinks my "job" is to play with him!

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**HOWE ELEMENTARY VOLUNTEERS HONORED** - Elementary volunteers were honored recently with certificates and refreshments. Those attending were celebrating the success of this first year of a formal volunteer program. Ms. Bourland, HES principal, plans to expand the program next year.

## Mark Your Calendar

**NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER** is Thursday, May 6. Watch the paper for more details on this.

**SCHOOL & CITY ELECTION DAY** is Saturday, May 1, 7 a.m. - 7 p.m. Early voting ends April 27.

**FOUNDERS' DAY CELEBRATION** is set for Saturday, May 1, in downtown Howe.

**HOWE AG BOOSTERS** will meet Monday, May 3, at 7 p.m. in the ag building. Scholarship recipients will be selected at this meeting. Officers for the coming year will also be elected. Everyone is invited to attend.

**HOWE MASONIC LODGE** annual bean dinner is set for Saturday, May 8, from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. for all you can eat red beans with ham, cornbread, drink and dessert. Tickets are \$3 each at the door or from Masons. \$1.00 of each ticket will go to the HHS scholarship fund.

**HMS BAND CONCERT AND DINNER** featuring a Mexican dinner will be held Thursday, April 29, beginning at 5:30 p.m. The concert begins at 7 p.m.

**HOWE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE** will meet Monday, May 10 at 5:15 p.m. at Krantz Floor Covering. Everyone is welcome.

**HOWE LIONS CLUB** meets the first and third Wednesday of each month at 6:30 a.m. at Flanders Community Room.

**HOWE COMMUNITY LIBRARY** is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Saturdays, 9 a.m. to noon. The library, located on the campus of the Howe ISD elementary and high schools, is a community-school library and is open to adults and children in the Howe ISD school district. Call 532-5519 for more information.

**COUNTYWIDE MEETING** for United We Stand America, Thursday, April 29, 7 p.m. in the east courtroom of the Sherman Courthouse. Open to the public.

**ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW** - sponsored by Grayson County Frontier Village, May 1 (9am-6pm) and 2 (9am-5pm) at National Guard Armory in Denison (1700 Loy Lake Rd.), featuring 65 crafters and food booth. Door prizes hourly.

## Notice

Sunday, May 2, is Decoration Day for the Elliott Cemetery which is approximately six and one half miles west of Van Alstyne.

There will be a business meeting at 2 p.m. at which time there will be an opportunity for questions or suggestions and the election of officers for the next year.

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## Howe's that...

by Lana Rideout

I received this from a  
friend via the Internet. It is  
only part of the sweet de-  
scription of grandparent  
relationships with their  
grandparents. Enjoy!

Grandmas are moms with  
lots of frosting. ~Author  
Unknown

What a bargain grand-  
children are! I give them  
my loose change, and they  
give me a million dollars'  
worth of pleasure. ~Gene  
Perret

Grandmothers are just  
"antique" little girls. ~Au-  
thor Unknown

Perfect love sometimes  
does not come until the first  
grandchild. ~Welsh Prov-  
erb

A grandmother is a  
babysitter who watches the  
kids instead of the televi-  
sion. ~Author Unknown

Never have children, only  
grandchildren. ~Gore Vidal

Becoming a grandmother  
is wonderful. One moment  
you're just a mother. The  
next you are all-wise and  
prehistoric. ~Pam Brown

Grandchildren don't stay  
young forever, which is  
good because Grandfathers  
have only so many horsey  
rides in them. ~Gene Perret

When grandparents enter  
the door, discipline flies out  
the window. ~Ogden Nash

Grandma always made  
you feel she had been wait-  
ing to see just you all day  
and now the day was com-  
plete. ~Marcy DeMaree

Grandmas never run out  
of hugs or cookies. ~Author  
unknown

Grandmas hold our tiny  
hands for just a little while,  
but our hearts forever. ~Au-  
thor Unknown

## HOWE ISD Board approves election judges, accepts teacher resignations

School and city to hold joint meeting on April 29

On Thursday, April 17, 2008, the Howe School Board hired Christina Griffith as a 7th grade math teacher/coach and accepted resignations from Mark and Linda Keene.

The Howe City Council and School Board will hold a joint meeting on Tuesday, April 29, at 6:30 pm at the community center-police dept. building, 700 W. Han-

ing. Early in the meeting, HMS UIL winners and participants were honored. HMS earned second place this year and the One-Act Play took third place.

In addition, several first grade students displayed projects depicting the solar system and space. These projects were done independ-

ently and the students were very creative. Language Arts teacher Linda Keene was honored a Howe Middle School Teacher of the Month.

Keene has taught for many years at Howe ISD and is retiring at the end of this year.

The board approved election judges and clerks for the May 10 Trustee Election: Wayne Parham will be judge and Ruth Lankford will be clerk for Dorchester. Marilee Renfro will be judge and Betty Gouard and Georgia Richardson will be clerks for Howe. These people will also serve as the election ballot board for counting the early and election day ballots. Their pay was set a \$8.50 per hour.

In other reports, Supt. Kevin Wilson listed the current enrollment as 987.

High School Principal Blake Stiles thanked Leonard Huntsman, Bobby Solis, Eric Akins and William Powell for donating 13 trees to Howe High School. Mr. Huntsman planted 3 Live Oaks, 5 Bradford Pears, and 5 Red Oaks.

## GRAYSON COUNTY COLLEGE

### Senior Skip Day activities planned

Many area high school seniors who have completed their exit testing requirements will find themselves with some extra time when they receive a "Senior Skip Day" on April 30. Grayson County College is offering some fun and informative activities to introduce the soon-to-be-graduates with the college.

The free day offers campus tours, career and degree information, door prizes, free lunch, sand volleyball games

and music. The activities will be available between 9 am and noon on the Main Campus. The group is also invited to watch the winning Viking Baseball team play at 1 pm.

To help organizers plan, students should make a reservation at <http://www.grayson.edu> and click on the "Senior Skip Day" button. Reservations may also be made by contacting Tana Adams at [hallta@grayson.edu](mailto:hallta@grayson.edu) or 903-463-8627.

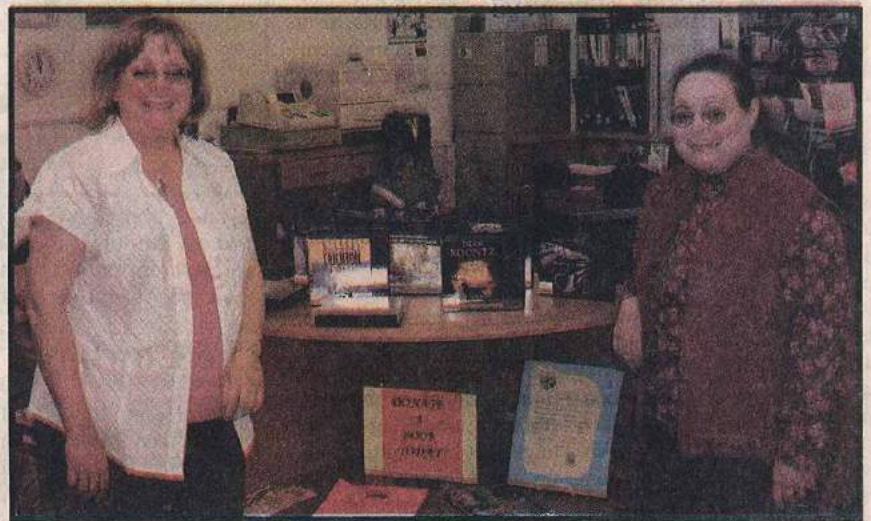


## Gunter High School takes the prize

Gunter High School placed first in Deloitte's Virtual Team Challenge for High Schools (VTCHS), a national online business simulation and classroom curriculum competition for pre-college students. Go to <http://www.brandgames.com/event> to view a demo of the competition.

Competing against 5,500 students in 225 classrooms across the country, the winning team "virtually" raised money for United Way's "Operation Graduation."

Shown above is Teacher Wanda Watson with the winners: Zach Lewis; Preston Thomas; Andi Thomas; and Tyler Lowing.



Becky Hogenson with the Howe Community Library and Juanita Hazelton with the Van Alstyne Public Library display an audiobook collection that will be rotating among the Grayson County Rural Libraries.

## GRAYSON COUNTY

### Audiobooks rotating among rural libraries Tocker Grant provides funding for the project

The rural libraries of Grayson County have recently added a rotating audiobook collection. This collection is available for use by all residents of Grayson County. Due to funding cuts, local libraries recently lost access to a rotating books-on-tape collection provided by the Northeast Texas Library System. Individually, the separate libraries are not able to purchase enough audio books to meet the current demand. The newly created rotating collection will enable the rural libraries to continue providing this valuable service for patrons.

Funding for this collection was provided by the Tocker Foundation. The Tocker Foundation was established in 1964 by Phillip and Olive Tocker as a general

philanthropic foundation. The foundation began providing grants to small rural libraries in Texas in 1992. During 2007, the Tocker Foundation provided over \$865,000 in grants to assist libraries to serve as community information referral centers and provide literacy and bilingual programs.

For more information about the rotating audiobook collection, please call Becky Hogenson with the Howe Community Library, 903-532-5519; Juanita Hazelton with the Van Alstyne Public Library, 903-482-5991; or Ginger Gavin with the Whitesboro Public Library, 903-564-5938.

## HOWE HIGH SCHOOL

### Students excel at District UIL Meet

HHS students competed recently at the District 14-AA Academic UIL Meet

Listed below are results from that event:

Gerzon Rodriguez placed first in mathematics (tenth in the regional contest), second in number sense (twelfth in regional), and eighth in calculator applications

Derek George placed third in prose interpretation, and Catlan Fearon placed fourth in prose interpretation. George was a regional qualifier and Fearon was a regional alternate.

In current events Zach Allen placed fifth (and was a regional alternate) and Kenny Herbert placed eighth. The current events team was a regional wild card team.

Jenna Burchfield placed sixth in science (and was a regional alternate).

Paige Potter placed ninth in spelling & vocabulary.

The science team placed took third place; the spelling & vocabulary team placed third; and the calculator applications team placed fourth. The journalism team placed first.

In editorial writing, Cassie Henderson was first (and fifth at region-

al); Skylar Graves was eighth, and Hannah Holt was ninth.

In news writing and in headline writing, Cassie Henderson was first and in feature writing she was second (regional qualifier in all three events).

In feature writing Hannah Holt was first (regional qualifier) and Skylar Graves was fourth (regional alternate).

In headline writing, Madeline Potter was fourth (regional alternate)

The UIL One-Act Play - The History of Tom Jones advanced as an alternate to regional competition.

District honors included: Les Bennett, Jr., and Derek George - All-Star Cast

Catlan Fearon, Jordan Locke, and Chris Poe - Honorable Mention/All-Star Cast

John Buchanan - Technical Award

The HHS Symphonic Band competed in the UIL Region 25 Concert/Sight-reading contest at Pottsboro on March 13. The band received a first division rating in both concert and sight-reading.

Next week - results from the District Track Meet



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## Howe's That

by Monte Walker



**L.B. Kirby drawn by Carl Hudman**

Howe Police Chief Carl Hudman is in the process of drawing each individual that was inducted into the inaugural class of the Howe Hall of Honor. His amazing work will be displayed in the new HDA/Chamber/KHB office upon completion.

This unbelievable portrait of L.B. Kirby is near completion with Hudman working hard to put the finishing touches on the artwork. He also is near completion with A.M. Ferguson and W.P. Thompson.

## Grand opening for new chamber building

Several county officials were in town despite the threat of bad weather on Friday night. On-hand for the ribbon cutting opening of the office that will house The Howe Area Chamber of Commerce, Keep Howe Beautiful, and Howe Development Alliance was County Judge Bill Magers, District Attorney Joe Brown, County Commissioner Jeff Whitmire and Justice of the Peace Rita Noel. Also in attendance were each of the city council members other than Dennis Bozeman, who was out of town. Each member was recognized as well as Howe Mayor Jeff Stanley and City Administrator Joe Shephard.



**Howe Development Alliance Director Monte Walker cuts the ribbon**

The ribbon was cut at exactly 7pm on Friday, April 24, 2015 by Howe Development Alliance Director Monte Walker.

Immediately following the ribbon

cutting was a dedication ceremony. After a few words from Chamber President Robert Cannaday, Keep Howe Beautiful Executive Director Laura Duree and Mayor Jeff Stanley, the induction ceremony began with Jabez Hanning being honored first.

Hanning was the owner of the land that donated a portion for the townsitewhich eventually became known as Howe. He was represented by his great great granddaughter Teresa Hanning Pheifer. The spelling of the

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## Attendance lower than expected at Founders Day



The 29th Annual Founders Day event was moved up to the last weekend in April after years of being in the first or second weekend of May. The result was not what the Fire Department, Keep Howe Beautiful and Chamber of Commerce was expecting.

After tumultuous rain that even proved to be too muddy for the Earth Day 5K Mud Run, some vendors must have been concerned about the event itself as several vendors were no-shows.

The event was heavily attended from 10:00 am

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