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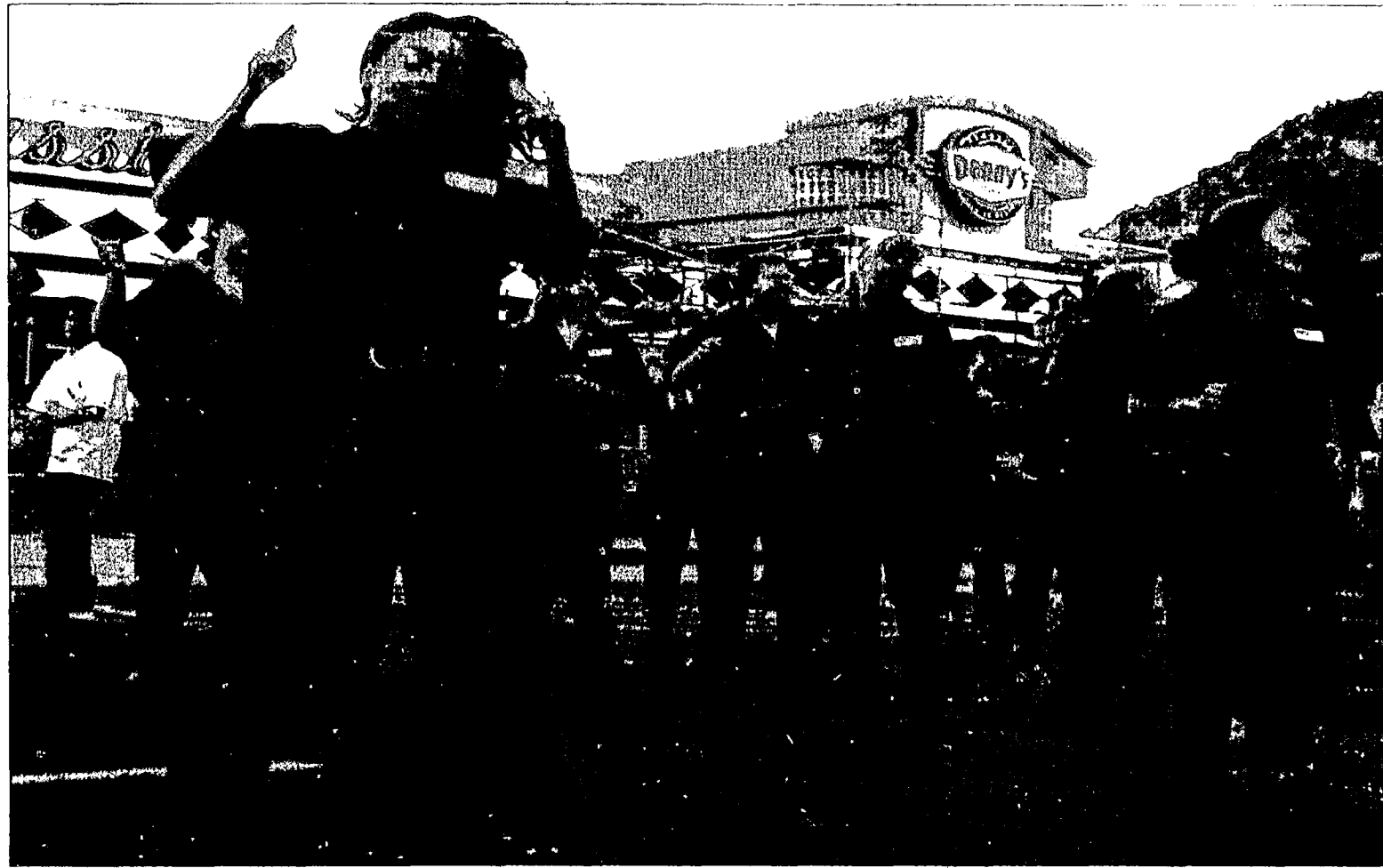


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## Dancing in the street



Staff at the Classic Denny's Diner on U.S. Highway 70 boogied down Wednesday afternoon outside the new restaurant, which is to open for the first time Sunday evening.

Toni K. Laxson/Ruidoso News

## Bradley discusses the local worker shortage

BY TONI K. LAXSON  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Labor force shortages topped the list of local concerns expressed Monday to Walter Bradley - which came as a surprise to the state's lieutenant governor.

"They said Ruidoso needs a properly trained work force with adequate housing for their wages," Bradley said. "It's a surprise because it's the first time we have run into a community not having a work force."

Bradley was in Ruidoso this week as part of a program sponsored by the state Labor Department to gather input from communities on how to improve state services. He visits 14-20 cities a year in the program. His last visit to Ruidoso was three years ago, he said.

"Back then the main concern was economic growth," Bradley said. "Well, it looks like you've had the growth, because now you don't have the labor force."

People at the meeting, composed more of business representatives than government officials, told him the available work force doesn't have the necessary skills or incentives to work, Bradley said. He was told half of the employees applying for positions in Ruidoso could not pass company drug tests.

"Here's what they said: 'We need employees who can read, write and who are willing to work,'" he said.

The labor shortage problem peaked this past summer, when "Help Wanted" signs were posted on businesses throughout Ruidoso and Rui-



While in the area, Lt. Gov. Walter Bradley, left, visited with the local Republican leadership, including State Rep. Dub Williams.

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doso Downs. According to the Aug. 31 issue of the New Mexico Labor Market Review, Lincoln County's July unemployment rate dropped to 3.8 percent, the fourth lowest in the state.

Bradley said solutions to the labor shortage could be a combined use of government programs for affordable housing as well as private industry developments. In addition, the state's new Welfare-to-Work program is designed to put people who have never worked into the labor force with the necessary skills, Bradley said.

His tour of cities around the state

has been effective in gathering useful information for state leaders, Bradley said. The information is compiled in a workbook every year and distributed to legislators, state department heads and members of the business community, he said.

Changes have resulted from the visits, either through regulatory amendments or legislation. For instance, complaints about inconsistencies between the state Motor Transportation Department and the Department of Public Safety precipitated a move to create a motor vehicle division under the Department of Public Safety, he said.

## Influenza hits early

Elderly should not wait for flu shots

BY DIANNE STALLINGS  
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Public health officials from Colorado to Massachusetts are urging people to vaccinate against an early bird flu strain that arrived in the continental United States about a month ahead of schedule.

Four cases linked to an outbreak on an Alaskan cruise ship were reported by Thursday, according to Dr. Steven Mostow, associate dean of the University of Colorado Medical School. Colorado pushed its flu vaccine campaign up by two weeks to counter the spread of the infectious disease that is expected to move from Colorado to the East Coast by Thanksgiving.

Although the staff of the Lincoln County Health Department will be giving flu shots at the health fairs they co-sponsor with the Lincoln County Medical Center, Nov. 4 and Nov. 5, public health nursing director Theresa Luna said some people shouldn't wait.

"Especially those at risk such as the elderly or asthma sufferers, or people who are traveling a lot, should consider getting their shots early," Luna said Thursday.

The Family Practice on Sudderth Drive has vaccine on hand, which should cover the strain seen on the cruise ship, said office manager Paul Vordermann. The shots cost \$18.22.

The same practice of Dr. Arlene Brown and associates also plans a special package for \$10, which covers a flu shot, a one-time pneumonia shot, a tetanus shot and a bone density screen on three consecutive Saturdays, Oct. 16, Oct. 23 and Oct. 30.

A random sampling of other physicians in Ruidoso shows that most expect to receive the vaccine later this month.

As much as 20 percent of the American population contracts the flu every season and 20,000 die from flu complications, officials with the U.S. Center for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta estimate. Outbreaks follow a travel and timing pattern, defined over a 30-year period, that begins in Asia and heads east usually arriving in the United States next month, they said.

Julie Sterchi, assistant administrator of Lincoln County Medical Center in Ruidoso, said the emphasis from her staff at the health fair will be on arranging prostate screening for men.

Blood samples will be taken at the fair and if test results indicate a follow-up appointment with a urologist or other specialist is needed, the person will be contacted, she said.

"It's a very treatable cancer and

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## Tire businesses see profits from road work

• Automotive business has been brisk this past summer season as tires pick up stray nails from construction and hit potholes while navigating highway work.

BY TONI K. LAXSON  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

A collection of bent nails and screws accumulates every week in a bin next to the tire machine at the Dan Fender Tire Co. on Mechem Drive.

"And we empty it out about once a week," Doug Reynolds, general manager of the tire store, said recently of the assorted collection pulled from tire treads of local motorists. "We fix a bunch of flats everyday, and, to tell the truth, it's not just the road construction - it's the construction going on all about town."

It even could be a combination of the booming construction industry and ongoing road work along Mechem Drive and U.S. Highway 70, Reynolds suggested. Nails bounce out of con-



Owners of local tire companies say the increase in road construction and construction in general has led an increase in business.

Toni K. Laxson/Ruidoso News

tractors' truck beds which, in turn, bounce down bumpy roads.

Tire repairs, tire sales and front-end alignments have kept the cash registers ringing at several automotive businesses for the past two sum-

mers. While some business owners say road construction has resulted in dropping sales, five out of seven local companies contacted in the tire and/or

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## Parade winners



Children get a lift on the Ruidoso Baptist Church float in the Aspenfest Parade last weekend. The float won top honors in the parade competition.

courtesy

## RUIDOSO'S THREE-DAY WEATHER OUTLOOK

SUNDAY

High ... 75  
Low ... 32

Sunny

SATURDAY

High ... 69  
Low ... 29

Sunny

MONDAY

High ... 74  
Low ... 34

Sunny

## WEATHER ALMANAC

Ruidoso Readings	High	Low	Precip.
Tuesday	77	39	.00"
Wednesday	78	37	.00"
Thursday	73	40	.00"

Regional-Friday	High	Low	Forecast
Albuquerque	76	46	Showers
El Paso, TX	82	48	Mostly cloudy
Lubbock, TX	78	49	Showers
Midland, TX	81	54	Mostly cloudy

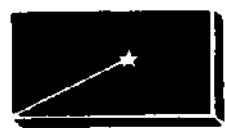


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### Oct. phases of the moon



## STARDATE



A large region of the eastern sky on autumn evenings is known as "the Sea," because many of its constellations are related to water. One example is Pisces, whose two fish are shaped like irregular diamonds. To find Pisces, look above the brightest star-like point of light in the evening sky, the planet Jupiter.

StarDate courtesy of McDonald Observatory, Univ. of Texas at Austin. For more information call 1-800-StarDate

# Survivor espouses 'living for the moment'

BY DIANNE STALLINGS  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

At her sickest, hair falling out and constantly nauseous, Becky Crown never gave up, never stopped thinking about tomorrow.

"I understand when the treatments get worse and worse, why some people may think about giving up, but it never entered my mind," said Crown, a breast cancer survivor.

She dove into literature on her illness and took charge of decisions about her options. Although she underwent a mastectomy on her left breast, her tumor metastasized twice, spreading to her spine once and to her lungs the second time. Her doctor ran out of treatment recommendations, but she kept looking.

"You need to know what's going on," she said. "The more involved you are in your treatment the better."

She found the Cancer Treatment Center of America in Zion, Ill., which uses a holistic approach to cancer: drugs, surgery, radiation, diet changes, nutritional supplements, support groups and visualization.

"They incorporate the mind and body connection," she said.

The nightmare began in 1995, but for the past two years, Crown has shown no sign of the disease. She examines herself regularly and gets annual mammograms.

Crown found the tumor while doing a self-examination in the summer of 1995. It appeared quickly and was about two-fingers in diameter. Al-

though she didn't fit the "at-risk" profile, she saw a doctor immediately.

"I had none of the risk factors," she said. "I didn't smoke, I exercised, didn't eat a high-fat diet and no one in my family had breast cancer," said

Crown, who was 35 when she detected the lump. "So you just never know. You can't dwell on why, you just have to get on with it."

Becky and her husband Paul Crown were attending a cable convention in Aspen when her doctor called and said the tumor was malignant and at an advanced stage.

She went directly to Albuquerque, where the left breast was removed.

The first round of chemotherapy took six months, but the cancer spread to her spine. The next step was high dose chemotherapy and a bone marrow transplant using Crown's own stem cells cleaned from recycling her blood.

"After they nearly kill you with the chemotherapy, they give it back to you so you can generate white and red blood cells," she said.

The couple lived in Albuquerque during that treatment, made possible by community donations and contributions of sick leave time by her fellow workers at the Ruidoso office of the state Environment Department, where Crown is a compliance officer and environmental specialist.

"I worked hard to have that job," she said. "I went back to



Becky Crown

school in my 30s and I wasn't going to let it go. It was a distraction for me. You can't just sit at home."

She was released from that treatment in January 1997 to "wait and see." Six months later, she had a full body scan and spots were found in her lung.

When she arrived at the cancer center in Zion, doctors suggested Taxol, a new drug and she underwent six more months of chemotherapy.

"It was really high dosage," she said. "You lose your hair and feel awful, but you live for the good things like the fact that you don't have to shave your legs."

By the end of 1997, tests show the cancer cells were either dead or absent.

"I never say I'm cancer free," Crown said.

She takes Tamoxifen, an anti-estrogen drug, because pathology tests showed her tumor was estrogen positive - possibly generated by estrogen - something she didn't find out until she asked to see the test results.

"If this doesn't work, I will go on to something else," Crown said Wednesday. "You should be ready at any point to be told that there's nothing more they can do. But they're only people and can't know everything."

Crown takes dietary supplements.

"I don't know if they work," she said. "I just know I'm here."

But most important is her positive attitude and laughter, she said.

"You think I better get on with my life and is this the way I want to spend it," she said.

Be informed, but don't dwell. Crown had little choice in that arena. Her mother ended up in the hospital with a heart attack at the same time she was being treated.

"Something like that pulls you away from self-centered thoughts," she said.

Don't refuse help out of pride, Crown said. Everyone needs support and many are eager to give it. Having someone to help allows a patient to use his or her energy to get better.

"My husband made the experience so much easier for me," she said. "We hadn't been married that long and I'd heard horror stories about husbands who left their wives, but he took care of everything. He was a rock."

In observance of National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, Altrusa, a women's service organization, and Lincoln County Medical Center are providing reduced-cost mammograms for \$55. During October, women between 30 and 64 years old are eligible for the special program. Members of Altrusa will coordinate the screenings. To schedule an appointment, call Diane Vowel at 258-4210.

# Ruidoso village councilors look to hire an urban forester

BY TONI K. LAXSON  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Ruidoso should not wait until fire hazards and forest issues become tantamount - the village should act now to hire an urban forester, Village Councilor Ron Anderson said recently.

"Just like the water issue snuck up on us and sewer snuck up on us, I think this is another situation that we have put on the back burner all these years," Anderson said at the council's Sept. 28 regular session. "I know we believe in it. Maybe it's time we look at this position."

In an informal consensus, Ruidoso village councilors said creation of an urban forester position will be considered at their

first December meeting. At that time, a complete job description can be prepared, and the council will have a better picture of available funding for the position, councilors said.

John Morton, a representative of the Forest Health Coalition of Lincoln County, brought the appeal for an urban forester before the council. According to federal reports, the Lincoln National Forest is ranked among the highest risks of catastrophic fires because of overgrowth and overall poor forest health.

"We have to remove the overgrowth of trees to preserve this forest, or as documented, in 20 to 30 years there will be no forest, or at least there will not be a Ponderosa pine forest,"

Morton said. "The future of Ruidoso depends on the health of the forest."

National forestry reports also show that 57 percent of the Ponderosa pines in the Lincoln National Forest are infested with round-headed beetles and 64 percent with dwarf mistletoe, Morton said.

Mayor Robert Donaldson first resisted the proposal, saying the village can work with national forestry officials to maintain Ruidoso's 400-500 acres of public land. The village cannot propose extensive regulations for private property forest management until a majority of residents back such actions, he said. Because of fire dangers, the village is proposing the first such

imposition to allow utility companies to remove trees and brush that are too close to electrical lines.

Donaldson changed his mind about an urban forester after Morton pointed out that the job could include overseeing various aspects of forest health such as erosion control, identification of trees that pose hazards and public education about forest health.

Additional duties brought out in discussion include applying for grants applicable to watershed improvements and forest health, acting and working with private construction on landscaping that promotes forest health.

# BUSINESS: One shop experienced an all-time high in alignments, repairs

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front end alignment business reported an increase.

"Considering everything, I am very happy with the way things went," Scott Schrader, owner of Western Auto, said.

Right in the thick of Mechem Drive road work, Western Auto experienced a decline in discretionary sales, but the alignment and tire repair business was at an all-time high, Schrader said.

Roger Figueroa, owner of Figueroa's Alignments and Brakes on U.S. Highway 70, has seen his share of road construction orange barrels as well, but his customers were not deterred.

"To be honest with you, it really didn't affect us much," Figueroa said of the road construction. "If people need an

alignment, and you are someone they trust, they are going to get in here."

His customers come in complaining about the road work, but most do so with a sense of humor, even though a lot of his business has been repeat business - an alignment is only good until the next pothole. If it weren't for new competition in town, Figueroa said he probably would have seen record sales this summer as well.

Shawn Cannon is a co-owner of that new competition, a Big-O Tires franchise that opened this year on U.S. Highway 70 almost across the street from Figueroa's. Business, Cannon said, has been good.

"It's probably been a little bit better than we expected it to be for only being open six months," he said. "We are averaging more than typical for tire

repair on a daily basis, that's for sure."

The challenge for the new enterprise has been finding and keeping staff rather than attracting customers, he said. Even without road construction, the Ruidoso area is rough on tires and front end alignments, Cannon said. But the road work makes its contribution, too.

"It has definitely, without a doubt, brought us people that we wouldn't have had if it wasn't for the road construction," Cannon said.

Back at Dan Fender Tire, Reynolds said tire repairs and purchases have been brisk over

the summer, but not a record for the 7-year-old company. Last year may have been a record, because there was not as much competition, he said.

It was his impression that many cars were picking up nails and screws from areas off the main road, such as a supermarket parking lot. Damage directly from the roads is usually in the form of tire side fractures, he said.

While nails are mostly a matter of chance, Reynolds did offer some advice to motorists who want to avoid troubles because of bumpy roads: "Drive slower."

# Flu: Identifying the bug

When the sniffles begin, the stomach is uneasy and the joints ache, people feel miserable and don't really care if they have a cold, influenza or stomach flu.

But there is a difference. Influenza is an acute respiratory infection that can sweep through an entire community and usually starts in November or December, targeting children from five to 14, according to the Life Extension Foundation.

The flu, spread by airborne viruses, is characterized by a quick show of symptoms and can create life-threatening complications for the elderly, those with compromised immune systems, children and those with chronic respiratory conditions such as asthma.

Otherwise healthy individuals usually recover within one week and vaccines can help protect against infection.

Influenza symptoms usually don't include vomiting, nausea and diarrhea that goes with stomach flu.

The most common treatment is bed rest, fluids and aspirin or acetaminophen to relieve fever and aching. Antibiotics don't work against the influenza virus, but can impact bacterial infection that often accompany viral infections.

Influenza symptoms include fever and chills, weakness and aching in legs, arm and back, headache, nasal congestion, loss of appetite, sore throat, dry cough and burning eyes. Cold symptoms are less severe.

# FLU: Area health fairs are scheduled for the beginning of November

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there's no reason a man shouldn't be checked," Sterchi said.

In addition to free flu and tetanus shots, cholesterol screening also will be performed for a small fee. Information on mammograms and cervical cancer will be available, Luna said. Counselors for suicide prevention and addictions will hand out literature and set up appointments. Rep-

resentatives of alternate health options also will be there, she said.

In Ruidoso, the clinic will run from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Nov. 5 at the Convention Center.

Clinic times Nov. 4 are 8 a.m. to 10 a.m., at the multipurpose room in the Carrizozo School complex; 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., at the old gymnasium in the Capitan School complex; and from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the senior citizens center in San Patricio.

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# Three commission candidates lined up for interview with governor

BY DIANNE STALLINGS  
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A former state representative, a Republican Party official and a local restaurant owner will be interviewed Oct. 18, by Gov. Gary Johnson for a vacancy on the Lincoln County Commission.

Joe Ben "Jody" Ashby, Ben Hall and Leo Martinez were contacted to set up the interviews out of a field of 11 applicants who submitted resumes for the District III position left open by the traffic death of Wilton Howell Sept. 1.

Ashby is an active Republican Party official, who moved to Ruidoso eight years ago and bought a home six years ago in the district that covers a portion of Ruidoso.

"I spent 37 years in Dallas in auto parts and distribution," Ashby said Thursday. "I'm a conservative and a businessman."

Although he's never run for or been in public office, Ashby

said he knows how to campaign and will run a strong race for election next year if Johnson appoints him.

"I conducted a big and successful political campaign for my daughter, Ann Ashby for the 134th District Court in Texas," he said.

A graduate in personnel management and business administration from the University of Texas, he moved to Ruidoso after he retired, because he loves horse races and to ski, but he was tired of the drive from Texas.

He applied to fill the commission vacancy, "because I want to pay back my community," Ashby said, noting that he is a supporter of his church, the county humane society, the Spencer Theater and the Hubbard Museum of the American West.



Joe Ben Ashby

He would be a good commissioner because he knows many of the people in his district and would listen to their opinions, keeping in mind he represents the entire county, Ashby said.

Communication is the key, he said. Former Ruidoso Mayor Lloyd Davis and Chaves County Commissioner Jim Craig of Roswell submitted letters of support for his selection, he said.

Hall has been there before, having served as a Lincoln County Commissioner from 1978 to 1982.

A life-long Republican, he then was elected state representative in District 56, when it covered the counties of Eddy, Chaves and Lincoln. The boundaries now include all of Lincoln and a portion of Otero County. He was in office from 1984 to 1990.

"I've held the position before and have lived in the district nearly all of my life,"

Hall said Thursday. "I keep up with things going on in the county. Some of the things the city and county are concerned about, such as the jail and the hospital, are special interests of mine."

"I think I can serve the people in the district well."

Born in Fort Sumner, Hall moved to Ruidoso in 1947 and graduated from high school here in 1954.

He attended New Mexico Western University for two years and received his building contractor's license in 1961.

Hall and his wife, Wanda, have three grown daughters and six grandchildren.

Martinez owns Chileo's Restaurant in Ruidoso and ran unsuccessfully for the commission against L. Ray Nunley two years ago when he lived in a

different district.

Born in Albuquerque, he spent many years in Santa Barbara, Calif., first as a business agent for a union and then as owner of a plastering and stucco company.

He served on the Santa Barbara City Council for four years and for eight years on the State Boating and Waterways Commission.

He also earned a bachelor's degree in political science at the University of Santa Barbara.

He began investing money in New Mexico in 1979 and moved to Ruidoso in 1991.

Initially, he operated a second restaurant in Alamogordo, but now is based strictly in Ruidoso, where he also does some stucco work and owns rental homes.

His background in union work and as a business owner makes him uniquely qualified to bring together city, county and state officials and agencies to ensure residents "get more bang for their buck," Martinez said.

"The same people are paying all three taxes," he said, adding that double taxation was a major irritation for the late Wilton Howell.

"You can ensure more efficiency if all three levels of government work together," Martinez said. "That's going to be my role, to try to work with everybody, but you also can be sure I will speak out when necessary."



Leo Martinez

## FUNERALS DEATHS

### Sylvia Deppe

Visitation for Sylvia Pearl Deppe, 97, of Weed, will be from 1:15-2 p.m. today, Friday, Oct. 8, at the Weed School Gymnasium, where the funeral service will also be at 2 p.m., with Pastor Don Brown officiating. Burial will follow at Weed Cemetery.

Mrs. Deppe died Tuesday, Oct. 5, 1999 at Casa de Oro Care Center.

She was born Aug. 5, 1902 in Carlsbad to S.A. and Addie Watkins.

She married Ervin (Erb) Deppe on July 14, 1920 and he preceded her death on June 22, 1958. They moved to the Weed area around 1925 and she was postmistress there for many years.

Survivors include four generations of nieces and nephews, including a nephew, Dean McKinney of Rio Rancho; nieces Billie Dentler and Betty Pippin of Ruidoso; a great-nephew, Don Cooper of Rowlett, Texas; great-nieces Sibley Sharp of Las

Cruces and Kay Needham of Artesia.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Erb; brothers Tommy, Ray, Lloyd and Charles Watkins; and sisters Hattie McKinney and Florence Campbell.

The family requests donations to your favorite charity in lieu of flowers.

### James Urban Crouse

Graveside services were scheduled for James Urban Crouse, 89, of Nogal, at 11 a.m., Oct. 7 at Memory Lawn Memorial Park.

Mr. Crouse died Sunday, Oct. 3, 1999 at Eastern New Mexico Medical Center.

He was born Dec. 15, 1909 in Lebanon, Ill. to Eli and Mayme Crouse, both of whom preceded him in death.

Roswell was his home from 1927 to 1967. On Nov. 14, 1931 he married Agnes Burkstaller at the Trinity Methodist Church.

As a young man he worked for John-

son Lodewick, owned and operated a feed store on Second and Sunset, and owned and operated a transfer and storage company. Then he drove the U.S. mail and passenger route from Roswell to Socorro.

Semi-retired, he moved to the mountains, where he delivered the Roswell Daily Record to Capitan, Nogal and Carriazo. He enjoyed the tranquility of his home among the apple trees in Nogal.

Survivors include his wife, Agnes, of the home; a son, James Crouse, and his wife, Bama, of Nogal; a daughter, Faye Stokes of Roswell; a sister, Vera Massey of Tucson, Ariz.; three grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

His brother, Robin, preceded him in death.

The family suggests donations in his memory to Home Health Services of Lincoln County, 119 El Paso Rd., Ruidoso, N.M. 88345.

Arrangements are under the direction of LaGrone Funeral Chapel of Roswell.

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## The Aspenfest Weekend Gratitude List!

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### OUR OPINION

## Success at Camp Sierra Blanca

Consider the numbers emanating from Camp Sierra Blanca, and think about the message.

In the past two years — since August, 1997 — some 180 young men with a troubled past have lived (or “served time” in prison parlance) at the camp at the behest of the state judiciary. About 120 of those youths went through the program and returned to their home communities for participation in an “aftercare” program that might be called parole or probation if they were adults.

Now please note that 55 of the 120 juveniles received have high school (or GED) diplomas and 56 went on to college. Figure the percentage: A good 30 percent of those kids in trouble with society barely two years ago now are enrolled in college.

Admittedly, these young people aren't your typical hardcore offenders like those behind walls at the New Mexico Boys School at Springer (once referred to as “Prison Prep”). The students — not inmates — at Camp Sierra Blanca got crosswise with the law at some point, in a non-violent way, and became the wards for a time of the state's Children, Youth and Families Division (CYF). Most of them were screened at the Springer school for transfer south.

Camp Sierra Blanca, near old Fort Stanton, had been a somewhat troubled minimum-security adult prison until the state Corrections Department closed it.

People in the CYF saw it as a made-to-order “boot camp” location for youth and took it over, then found a private operator of juvenile programs called Associated Marine Institutes, Inc., to run it. The program does include a good dose of military-style discipline and vocational training along with state-certified classroom work.

The success of the program would appear to be self-evident. Indeed, it might be the best example around of the Johnson administration's effort to privatize the state's corrections system — maybe the only one that, day in and day out, does what it is supposed to do.

Nothing, of course, is perfect. Through last June four youths were returned to Springer and four others absconded or otherwise escaped and still are at large.

But most institutions, including Ivy League colleges, would consider such a failure rate as very marginal.

It wouldn't surprise us that, if the state allows Camp Sierra Blanca to keep operating, sometime in the future there will be a reunion of graduates who take as much pride in their alma mater as any high school, anywhere.



### YOUR OPINION

#### Lillie Langtry, a beauty

To the editor:

How delighted Mrs. Lillie Langtry would have been to know that she could still make front page news more than 100 years after her heyday. She would have been extremely flattered to have been referred to as a song siren, as she rarely sang.

She performed short plays on the London stage, even did an American tour, but readily admitted that she was not as proficient an actress as she was beautiful... She was a P.B. (professional beauty) of the late Victorian age and came to epitomize the standard of beauty for the time.

When she first appeared on the London social scene in 1876, she was “breathtaking.” The soon to be famous (and infamous) writer, Oscar Wilde, described her as “arising from the island of Jersey like Venus from the foam” and penned an epic poem to her entitled “The New Helen.” By 1879, she had caught the eye of her most important lover, Edward, Prince of Wales, and she became his first officially recognized mistress.

I am interested to know who was the artist of the stolen painting. She sat for many of the famous artists of her time, James Whistler, John Millais, Frederick Leighton, Frank Miles, Edward Poynter and G. F. Watts. In fact, she became so fatigued from all the sittings, she had to refuse some requests. The artist Edward Burne-Jones ... stood outside

her apartment serenading her till she finally relented. She was quite the sensation!

How I wish that women of her size were still recognized as strikingly beautiful in today's society. It is sad that her voluptuous, hourglass figure, her “mouth, shaped as if it were the mouthpiece of an instrument of music,” her “augustly pillared throat” would never have made it into the current fashion magazines.

Betsy Hambrick  
Ruidoso

#### Why change recycling?

To the editor:

The Aug. 27 Ruidoso News article covering Ruidoso's failure to work out an agreement with the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority (LCSWA) to use the transfer station and the takeover of the recycling program by the Village opens up some questions of just how our trash system is being managed.

The Village, after almost a year of trash operation, decided that the \$4.50 cubic yard for hauling trash to the landfill, furnished by Mr. Jerry Wright, LCSWA manager, at the time of the split-up, was inaccurate since a new survey by the Village showed the cost to be \$8.97 per cubic yard. Question: In planning the separation, why didn't the Village make a study at that time? Why wait so long to question Wright's cost figure? Perhaps the higher cost was the result of a higher cost by the village. For the LCSWA to buy a truck to haul

waste to Otero County when Ruidoso has a capable transfer system to do the job makes no sense and indicates a lack of communication and discussion between the two parties. It appears that the decision made by the Village Council in both matters was predetermined as there was very little discussion when the decision was made.

The Village trash operation is the responsibility of the village manager and trash supervisor (Leonard) Corona. Why is the mayor personally involved in a management problem?

About recycling: If the LCSWA has done such a poor recycling job for the past year, why has this failure been kept under wraps? The apparent eagerness on the part of the LCSWA to shed all connections with the Village supports the fact that there is a strong animosity between Ruidoso and her sister cities in Lincoln County. This fact does not serve well for any of us. The LCSWA has performed the recycling job for many years.

The LCSWA has installed equipment, special to recycling, in a building to handle the job, in Ruidoso Downs. Now the Village faces the cost of buying and operating the same equipment, including an aluminum crusher and a cardboard baler, and finding a space somewhere to house the recycling operation. Makes sense? I doubt it.

There is a lot more to be said about the trash situation but that will have to come later.

J. A. “Al” Junge  
E. & O. E. / Ruidoso

## Just looking ahead

The prediction business, of course, is a growth industry. Politicians have been predicting for years, knowing very well that by the time it matters (as Sir Winston Churchill often demonstrated during his struggle to save England in the 1930s) things will have totally changed and predictive errors would go unnoticed.

A whole industry, centered on Wall Street and in brokerage houses around the country, is based on trying to predict the future, then selling those predictions to people like you and me who admit we can't guess very well. (Not that they can either.)

Some predictions, of course, are given: Ten years ago at public meetings in Ruidoso, state highway officials were talking up the widening project of State Highway 48 from Sudderth to Ski Run Road.

People were concerned about the negative impact on Mechem Drive businesses during construction, and those predictions came true in spades, eight years later.

Not long ago, public meetings uncovered some dire concerns about what will happen to the valley sometime in the next millennium when those highway folks start reworking U. S. Highway 70 from Ruidoso Downs to Riverside.

We hasten to note that in this case we're predicting human behavior, not events. And so, we timidly put a toe in the prediction pool with every expectation that human nature will assert itself in a predictable fashion:

1. The brilliant exterior lights around the new Ruidoso Post Office — glaringly visible from many of the hillsides around White Mountain Road — will become a bone of contention if they stay on all night.

2. For all the protestations by his office that Gov. Gary Johnson will be “non-partisan” in choosing a Lincoln County commissioner to take Wilton Howell's seat, the governor finally will pick a Republican with fine partisan credentials.

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BY C. DAVID KELLY  
AMERICAN FARM BUREAU FEDERATION

Life in rural America has been anything but tranquil during the past 36 months. Prices for some commodities have hit lows not seen since the Great Depression. Foreign market opportunities are being squeezed. Regulatory costs are shooting through the roof. Many family farmers, seeing production costs far exceed their returns, aren't sure whether they will still be in business a year from now.

Now, another wrinkle has been thrown into producers' bowl of worries. The recent purchase of Murphy Family Farms by Smithfield Foods, which will combine two of the nation's largest hog companies, is the latest of a growing list of major mergers in the agribusiness industry. The purchase comes on the heels of Cargill's acquisition of the grain operations of Continental Grain Co., which combined two of the world's largest grain companies.

The growing list of mergers fuels farmers' fears that unless they are under contract with a large conglomerate, they will

have no place to market their products. It's a concern Farm Bureau is focusing a sharp eye on.

“Farm Bureau is concerned about consolidation,” said Joe Miller, a policy specialist with the American Farm Bureau Federation. “The real concern at this point is whether there will be visible marketing alternatives to farmers. The real concern has been if there are only four major packers for cattle and 10 for hogs... what could easily happen is if you don't have a contract with these packers, you will not have any place to sell.”

“The same is true for grain. If you don't have a contract with, say, Cargill, will you be able to sell your product?”

Preventing such consolidations would not guarantee that all operations would stay in business, according to Miller. “There's always the possibility that farmers could lose more markets faster by trying to prevent consolidation than by allowing them,” he said.

Farm Bureau, however, believes the government should play a role in overseeing that anti-trust laws aren't being violated by such mega-mergers.

Farm Bureau is adamant that market opportunities for all farmers be protected. Farm Bureau has called on the Justice Department to review all mergers, including the Murphy/Smithfield deal.

“The time has come for the Justice Department to have someone with agriculture expertise to oversee such concentration issues,” said AFBF President Dean Kleckner. “Agriculture ... requires someone with the experience and background to ensure anti-

trust laws are not being violated,” he said.

Bipartisan legislation has been introduced in Congress calling for a one-year moratorium on agribusiness mergers. This would allow Congress and the Justice Department to determine just what impact such mergers have on agriculture.

Farmers have enough to worry about during these hard economic times. The last thing they need is to have a product ready for market, but no place to sell it.

### GUEST COMMENTARY

## Mergers pose threat to marketing by farmers

### LETTERS POLICY

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## Bradley moves to review state contracting rules

Highway contractors were 'not prepared' for the job in Lincoln County

BY TONI K. LAXSON  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Ruidoso and Ruidoso Downs are not the only municipalities in the state with serious highway construction woes.

Lt. Gov. Walter Bradley this week said Fort Sumner and Raton are experiencing similar problems with road work projects.

"These three communities have had bad highway construction experiences in the past two years," said Bradley, who was in the Ruidoso area for a meeting with community leaders and business owners on improving state government services.

"The common tie — all three had contracts let by the state procurement code to the lowest bidder. But in these cases, the highway contractors were not prepared for the project," Bradley said, adding that none of the contractors have technically broken their contracts with the state.

"Before we let another contract, we are going to implement some regulatory changes to give us more flexibility in selecting the bidder," he said. "We need to check out who is bidding on these projects."

"According to our legal staff, there's not a thing we can do under the (current) procurement code."

Difficulties with the state highway projects on Mechem Drive and U.S. Highway 70 were among the top problems presented to Bradley by local residents Monday. Complaints

have ranged from highway work that removes or drastically reduces customer access to businesses, to flooding problems reportedly resulting from road work.

The three state highway construction projects currently underway in Ruidoso all are being done by the same contractor, Meadow Valley Contractors Inc., a Phoenix-based firm. The state is paying the company roughly \$26 million to widen Mechem Drive and repave 6 miles of the highway.

Bradley said Meadow Valley is not the contractor on either the Raton or Fort Sumner highway project.

His office has received many complaints about highway construction in Ruidoso, Bradley said. He, in turn, has contacted Pete Rahn, secretary of the New Mexico Highway and Transportation Department about the complaints.

Rahn said Bradley, "personally got involved" with the projects and has added staff to the Ruidoso office that oversees highway construction. The additional state employees are to help the contractor expedite the work and improve

communications with the community. "to let people know what is going on," he said.

Ernest Sanchez, who heads the state highway office overseeing Mechem roadwork, has said his team is trying to expedite the road work, but added that the public should understand Meadow Valley has encountered several setbacks and problems since the project began, such as unstable soil and additional water line work. Road construction projects in mountainous areas are always more difficult, Sanchez said.

Bradley said he did not know if new policies for selecting a contractor would be in place before two pending highway projects would be put out for bid — one extends work on Mechem Drive, also known as State Road 48, to the turn off to Bonita Lake. The other project is to widen U.S. Highway 70 from two to four lanes from the Inn of the Mountain Gods east to Ruidoso.

New bidding regulations should be in place before construction on U.S. Highway 70 to Roswell goes out to bid, Bradley said.

## Meadow Valley hires new superintendent

BY TONI K. LAXSON  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Last week, Harry Campbell introduced himself publicly for the first time to Ruidoso residents.

Campbell is the new superintendent of highway construction on Mechem Drive for Meadow Valley, the company hired by the state for two projects to widen Mechem from Sudderth Drive to Ski Run Road.

At a public meeting last week on highway projects, Campbell announced dates for specific tasks to be accomplished on the lower job, which extends from Sudderth Drive to just past White Mountain Drive. Campbell also said work on Mechem Drive is to be completely finished before the July 4th weekend next summer.

Campbell also told resi-

dents the company would not start any work that could not be completed before Meadow Valley "but-tons up" the project for a winter hiatus, beginning in late November depending on weather conditions.

Though most road work will be on hold during winter months, Meadow Valley will continue working on areas of the project not affected by the weather, company officials said.

The state road projects have attracted public criticism in the almost two years since they started, especially in regard to their effect on local businesses. The projects are close to running out of scheduled work days, though the state is expected to add work days because of additional work on the projects.

In the four weeks he has been in Ruidoso, business

operators on Mechem Drive have appeared supportive, he said.

Mechem highway construction schedule: (contingent on weather conditions)

- Pave Mechem Drive from Buckner to Porr by today or Saturday.

- Finish curb and gutter in front of Lucille Drive (by Dan Fender Tire Co.) by today and in front of the Remax Center by Oct. 13.

- Complete curb and gutter in White Mountain Drive area by Oct. 13.

- Pave White Mountain Drive turn out by Oct. 22.

- Complete traffic light bases at White Mountain Drive and Cree Meadows Drive in the next four weeks.

- Put up traffic lights at White Mountain Drive intersection before winter hiatus.

- Pave Mechem from Rio Arriba Road to White Mountain Drive by Oct. 15.

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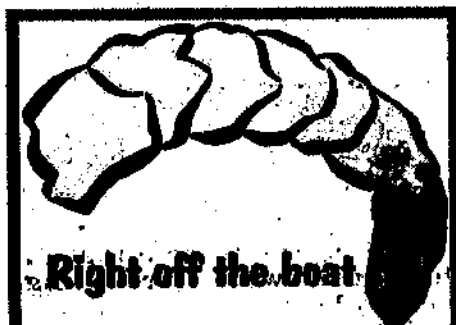
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## Tall Pines clear of E. coli

Residents in the Tall Pines subdivision are now cleared to drink tap water.

John Burns, operator of the water system for the northern Ruidoso subdivision, said Thursday a second round of water samples came back that afternoon clear of any E. coli contamination.

Samples taken last week were contaminated, prompting state environmental officials to put the subdivision on a "boil water" notice. E. coli, though not necessarily harmful itself, can indicate the presence of harmful bacteria.

Two rounds of water samples were tested — four taken Monday and five samples taken Wednesday, Burns said. Both came back free of any E. coli contamination.

He said, the source of the contamination is still unknown. The water system, which serves about 25 homes, currently does not have a chlorination system, Burns said.

"We are replacing our pump house, and we will be installing a chlorination system — as soon as we can get one and know what we are doing," he said.

## Mescalero ballot recount request denied

BY DIANNE STALLINGS  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

The Mescalero Apache election board denied a request for a recount by a candidate with the third highest vote total in the Sept. 28 primary for tribal president.

Carleton Palmer, who received 121 votes to Ben Martinez' 123 votes asked for a recount to determine if an error occurred, because 992 people voted in the election, but all of the votes for president added up to 990.

The turnout represented about half of the tribal members eligible to vote in the elec-

tion. Martinez, 28, is a portfolio manager for Chase Bank of Texas, but maintains a family home on the reservation that abuts Ruidoso.

Incumbent president Sara Misquez garnered the most votes with 425 votes. Martinez will face her in the general election Nov. 2 for a two-year term.

"They said there weren't enough persuasive factors involved to have a recount," said Palmer, who has a master's degree and was back at work Thursday as grant writer for the tribe.

Candidates are required under tribal code to take leaves

of absence while they are running for office.

"I decided to leave it at that," Palmer said of the board's decision. "There's no reason for me to pursue it any further. I don't think they will change anything."

An electronic ballot counting machine supplied by a Rio Rancho firm was used in the election and was supervised by a company employee with 10 years of experience.

The primary was only the second time an electronic voting machine was used in a Mescalero election. In other elections, paper ballots were hand counted.

### DOWN'S AGENDA

The Ruidoso Downs Village Council will meet at 5:30 p.m. Monday for the following agenda items:

- A public hearing and vote on an ordinance amendment to approve requesting a loan increase from the state for an improvement project at the sewer plant shared by Ruidoso and Ruidoso Downs.

- Consider approval to buy a pick up truck for the village's planning and zoning department at a cost of \$20,299, the lowest of three bids.

- Consider approval to let a resident payout a water bill of \$43 over monthly installments because of a water leak.

- Consider adopting a resolution for the village's list of infrastructure capital improvement projects, which is sent in to the state. Ruidoso Downs' priorities are: water storage tanks, water system upgrades, sewer line improvements and streets improvements, Village Clerk Leann Weibrecht said.

- Consider approving a street paving bid projected to cost about \$12,000 to pave all of Parker Road and North Central Drive. State funding will be used to pay for part of the cost, Weibrecht said. One bid has been submitted for the work.

- Requests to purchase assorted equipment for the fire department.

### NEWS BRIEFS

#### Ruidoso Trek for Trash set for Saturday

Ruidoso's Trek for Trash Clean will be on Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to noon.

Those who want to participate will meet at Schoolhouse Park, by the swimming pool, for area cleanup assignments.

Free gloves and other items will be distributed.

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#### Meeting to address attention deficit

Dr. John M. Turnbow, from Lubbock, Texas, will speak on attention deficit disorders in adults and in children Saturday at Ruidoso High School.

The program, which will begin at 7 p.m. at the public meeting room of the school, is hosted by the local chapter of the Attention Deficit Disorders Association Southern Region.

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From the Ruidoso Police Department



# Former Ruidoso police officer sentenced to two years in prison

BY DIANNE STALLINGS  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

A former Ruidoso police officer was sentenced to 2 1/2 years in prison Thursday for stealing money from a purse.

Luis Torres' attorney, J. Robert Beauvais, argued that the sentence was excessive for a first offense, fourth-degree felony, but District Attorney Scott Key said that to maintain the public trust, a police officer must be held to a higher standard.

Judge Frank Wilson, the only judge in the 12th Judicial District not recused from the case, handled the sentencing in Carrizozo. He allowed Torres to remain free on bond while an appeal is filed. But Wilson admonished distraught Torres family members to be sure Torres doesn't do anything while he's waiting for the appeal to compound his problems.

Beauvais said if his client ends up in prison, it will be somewhere out of state where he is not known as a police officer.

"There always is a concern about a former officer in prison, but it happens occasionally," Beauvais said. "If it becomes known that he was an officer, it's my understanding, he would finish his time in protective custody."

"In my view, it was a proper sentence," Key said after the hearing. "We don't view a case in a vacuum. The way a first felony for some person on the street is handled will be different than a violation of public trust by a public officer."

"The public expects and de-

mands that I and the court hold him to a higher standard. If we didn't, there would be no trust in the system."

Torres hasn't accepted responsibility for anything he did, Key said.

"He's saying, 'The cops did something wrong and made me commit a crime,'" Key said. "I think he's listening to his attorney too much, instead of his heart."

Beauvais said he submitted to Wilson a compilation of 1998 sentences on first offenses, fourth-degree felonies by the district's three judges in Alamogordo. Not one was sentenced to prison time, regardless of the crime, he said.

"What concerns me is the state was asking for Torres to be imprisoned, because they must set a higher standard

when a police officer breaks the public trust. But I pointed out that Ruidoso Police Chief Lanny Maddox lowered the bar with the handling of another police officer who breached the public trust, but still is on staff."

Key pointed out that Maddox was acting on the advice of the village attorney in dealing with an officer who pleaded no contest to misdemeanor shoplifting.

"If Chief Maddox was forced to retain that officer, I owe him an apology," Beauvais said. "But I doubt it was over his strenuous objections."

Torres, who also served as Belen police chief during his 20-year law enforcement career, was convicted of felony embezzlement and criminal trespass in June. He was acquitted on an aggravated burglary charge in

another incident.

Torres' appeal will be based on an argument of excessive police involvement in the manufacture of the crime for which Torres was convicted. Beauvais said he will contend Torres' civil rights were violated.

"He may have committed the crime in fact, but not in law," Beauvais said.

A sting was set up with a purse containing \$279 that was turned in as lost to Torres while he was on duty alone the night of July 1998. Maddox approved the sting after a shop owner said she caught Torres coming in the back window of her business. He was armed and did not identify himself as a police officer, the shop owner told police. He left without incident when he was confronted, she said.

## RUIDOSO AGENDA

The Ruidoso Village Council will meet at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday for the following agenda items:

Consent regular items: (approved by the council in an umbrella vote)

- Approve a bid for the lease/purchase of a motor grader, rust tractor for a monthly payment of \$1,450 for five years.

- Approve an agreement with the New Mexico Highway and Transportation Department to put signal lights on Sudderth Drive at Center Street and Eagle Drive.

Mayoral reports and presentations:

- Report on the Lincoln County DWI program.

Public hearings:

- Hearing and vote to request a loan increase from the state for an improvement project at the Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Regular items:

- Preliminary and final plat approval for a two-lot subdivision in the southeastern section of Ruidoso.

- Reports from municipal officials

- 1999 Drinking Water Quality Report

## VILLAGE BRIEFS

### Ruidoso assumes ETZ administration

As of this week, administration of the Extra-Territorial Zone officially switches from Lincoln County to the Ruidoso Planning Department.

Questions regarding the 1-mile zone around Ruidoso should be directed to the planning department, which can be reached at 258-4343.

### Construction of new runway delayed

The village of Ruidoso will seek additional federal funding for the construction of a \$8 mil-

lion crosswind runway and other improvements to the village-owned Sierra Blanca Regional Airport in Alto, Village Manager Alan Briley said.

The crosswinds runway is to allow planes to land and take off without having to battle side winds. A portion of the project's total cost, specifically for dirt work on the runway and other airport improvements, have increased by 9.5 percent over the original projected \$1 million, Tim Morris, airport director, said. The reason for the increased cost is due to more rock beds in the runway area than had been anticipated.

### Village priorities outlined

Ruidoso's top needs in terms of infrastructure capital improvements are the same as last year: water, parks and recreation and senior citizen center facilities, Village Manager Alan Briley said recently.

He sent those priorities to Santa Fe recently as required by state law. State legislators consider priorities from each city when divvying up state money. Briley apologized to village councilors for not holding a public workshop on priorities. But it was due in Santa Fe, and village department heads made recommendations about the list, he said.

## Villages seek sewer plant loan

The board overseeing the sewer plant used by Ruidoso and Ruidoso Downs will request a loan increase from the New Mexico Environment Department for a renovation project now estimated to cost just under \$1.2 million when associated costs are added in.

The Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant Joint Use Board recently agreed to ask to increase the loan from \$850,000 to \$1.2 million, Ruidoso Village Manager Alan Briley, also a member of the wastewater board, said.

The actual renovation project, which primarily is to improve the removal of solids and thus increase capacity, is now

estimated to cost \$964,000, Briley said. But that figure does not include fees for engineering consultants or other costs.

If the state does not approve the loan increase, the villages will have to pay for the additional costs out of their own budgets.

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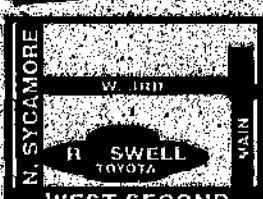
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# Saddles, songs, soups and stories

The tenth annual Lincoln County Cowboy Symposium starts today. And while the location — the Ruidoso Downs Race Track — is new, the event promises to uphold traditions of the Old West.

There will be chuckwagons, riding demonstrations, a reenactment of life in the Fourth U.S. Cavalry, as well as a variety of musical entertainment.

Lee Gilliam and Larry Scott will handle the main stage under the tent starting at 9 a.m. today and Saturday.

Stages two and three are located on the second and third floor of the main building, stage five is in the Jockey Club and strolling performers also will entertain.

Dances will be at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Admission is \$12.50 per person and \$10 for symposium members.

Admission to the symposium is \$10 per day or \$5 for members of the symposium or the Hubbard Museum of the American West. Children 12 and under are free.



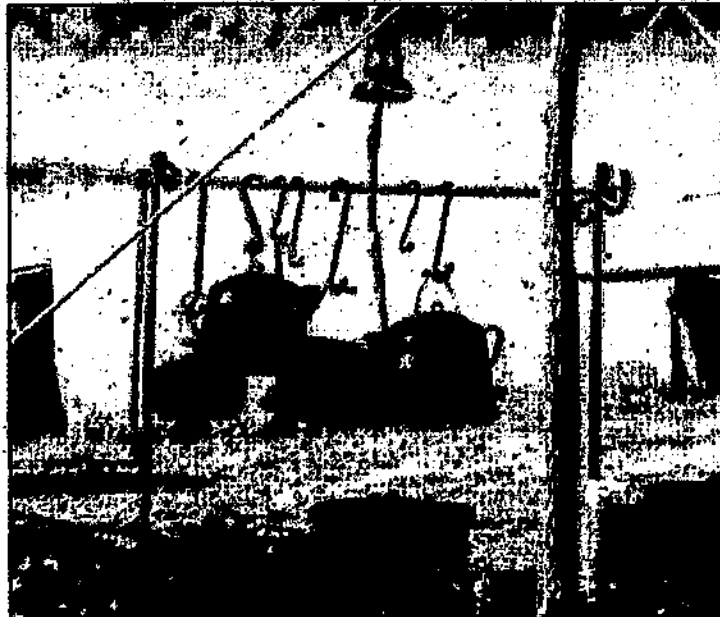
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Participants in the Lincoln County Cowboy Symposium come from all over the region to celebrate the Old West.



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## Scoreboard

**Tuesday**  
Prep volleyball  
Hot Springs def. Ruidoso, 15-10, 8-15,  
15-10, 16-14  
Dexter def. Capitan, 11-15, 15-11, 15-  
13, 15-4  
Prep soccer  
Hatch 4, Ruidoso 3 (OT)

## This week

**TODAY**  
Prep football  
Reserve at Carrizozo 7 p.m.  
Santa Teresa at Ruidoso 7:30 p.m.,  
W.D. Horton Stadium  
Mesalero at Capitan JV 7:30 p.m.,  
Tiger Stadium  
**Saturday**  
Prep volleyball  
Ruidoso vs. Silver (Fr. JV, V), 1 p.m.  
Prep soccer  
Ruidoso vs. Santa Teresa 2 p.m., W.D.  
Horton Stadium  
Prep cross country  
Ruidoso at NMML Invitational, 9 a.m.

## Pecking order

A.P. Football Polls	Rec.	Pts.	Pos.
Class AAA			
1. St. Plus (9)	6-0	115	3
2. Artesia (2)	3-3	97	2
3. Ruidoso (1)	5-1	96	1
4. Piedra Vista	6-0	75	7
5. Lovington	4-2	74	4
6. Silver	4-2	65	6
7. Raton	5-1	55	8
8. Kirtland Central	4-1	38	5
9. Aztec	4-1	38	5
10. Moriarty	4-2	17	10

Class A	Rec.	Pts.	Pos.
1. Jal (11)	6-0	119	1
2. Loving (1)	5-0	109	2
3. Animas	5-1	86	3
4. Escalante	5-0	79	5
5. Fort Sumner	3-3	53	-

District 4AAA Football Standings	District	Overall
Ruidoso	0-0	5-1
Lovington	0-0	4-2
Artesia	0-0	3-3
Portales	0-0	2-4

District 4A Football Standings	District	Overall
Jal	0-0	6-0
Loving	0-0	5-0
Hagerman	0-0	3-3
Capitan	0-0	1-5

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## Loss backs RHS into the corner

BY LAURA CLYMER  
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

The Ruidoso volleyball team's task Saturday grew a bit taller Tuesday.

That day, the Warriors dropped their second District 3AAA match of the season, this time to Hot Springs in Truth and Consequences. Hot Springs posted a 15-10, 8-15, 15-10, 16-14 win over Ruidoso.

Now with Silver, the district leader and favorite to win state, paying Ruidoso a visit Saturday, the Warriors need an upset win to get back on course.

"It is big. It is very big. We lost Tuesday night, so it is even bigger," Ruidoso coach Fran Webb said Thursday.

Tuesday's wake-up call, as Webb described it, weighs heavy on the Warriors.

"They realize how important Saturday is," she said.

After forging a 7-2 mark through mid-September, the Warriors are 2-3 since starting the district campaign.

Erratic serving has hurt the Warriors as much as anything. Ruidoso committed 17 errors from the service line against the Hot Springs Tigers. Never was that more important than in the fourth game when Ruidoso held a 14-10 lead but squandered away three service opportunities, the game and the match to the Tigers.

Not too surprising, Ruidoso has focused its efforts in practice on serving as well as hitting and blocking.

The latter two points come into play for the Silver match. The Colts have senior Julie Whetton to lead a balanced attack. Ruidoso middle hitters Leah Miller and Julie Miller face the task of slowing down Whetton, Silver's big hitter.

Ruidoso and Silver begin play Saturday at 1 p.m. with the freshmen match, followed by the junior varsity and varsity matches.

**DRUMBEATS:** In Truth or Consequences Tuesday, the Ruidoso freshmen stayed undefeated with a 2-1 victory over Hot Springs. The junior varsity also won, 15-6 and 15-1, to improve to 2-1 in district play.

## GRUDGE MATCH IN STORE



Arturo Quiroz battles with a Hatch Valley Bear for control of the ball during Tuesday's game.

## Control of district soccer race on the line for Warriors

BY LAURA CLYMER  
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS

The Ruidoso Warrior soccer team's showdown with Santa Teresa has new meaning after the Warriors booted away a victory against Hatch Valley Tuesday at W.D. Horton Stadium.

The Warriors fell to 8-5-1 and 2-2 in district play when they lost to Hatch, 4-3 in overtime. Ruidoso held a 3-1 halftime lead on goals from Solomon Barnett (2) and Edgar Magna, but then its wall of defense came tumbling down.

"The defense fell, crashed," Ruidoso coach Dave Anderson said. "We made some simple mistakes that shouldn't have

been made."

As a result, Ruidoso's 2 p.m. meeting with district-leading Santa Teresa takes on greater importance.

"It's just extremely important," Anderson said of Saturday's game. "We win that and we're still alive."

Alive and still kicking for a berth to the state soccer tournament. The Warriors must finish in the top two of their district to qualify for state.

Saturday's contest with Santa Teresa will be the rubber match between the two teams. Ruidoso

shocked the Desert Warriors at the start of the season with a 4-2 win at the Roswell High Tournament.

Santa Teresa responded with a 7-0 shelling of the Warriors Sept. 21 in the first district meeting between the two schools.

Santa Teresa can all but take control of the district race with a win. Ruidoso needs the win for a boost of confidence and to keep alive its hopes to win the district.

"It sure would be a lot more comfortable for us," Anderson said.

## Pre-district campaign ends today for Ruidoso

BY LAURA CLYMER  
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

For the fifth time in seven games, the Ruidoso Warrior football team will go up against an opponent with multiple personalities.

Ruidoso head coach Les Carter had a hard time describing what exactly his team will face when the Santa Teresa Desert Warriors (0-6) take the field at 7:30 p.m. today at W.D. Horton Stadium.

Carter said he and his coaching staff have seen three game films of Santa Teresa and the Desert Warriors run a variety of offensive attacks. They'll line up three receivers on one side and run the sweep and lead.

"They've got a bunch of guys who look pretty scrappy," Carter said.

The No. 3-rated Ruidoso Warriors (5-1) will counter with their bread and butter — a quick-hitting offense that will try to score whenever presented with the opportunity and a swarming defense.

"We're not a ball control team," Carter said. "We've got a bunch of receivers and we have to get them the ball."

Ruidoso suffered its first loss of the season a week ago in Hobbs where the Eagles outshot the Warriors 56-28. The setback knocked Ruidoso off the top spot in the Associated Press Class AAA Top 10 poll. The Warriors are back to where they started the season at No. 3.

Practice this week for Warriors has focused on defensive fundamentals — containment and tackling.

Ruidoso senior Frizzell Frizzell said his teammates are showing no ill-effects from giving up 56 points to Hobbs.

"We had a good game," Frizzell said. "The big plays killed us. Like in the first half, they only had four plays over five yards. It was only the big plays that killed us."

The Ruidoso offense has stuck to its basic plan of using turning its receivers into ball carriers.

"We know that a 5-yard pass for us could turn into a 70-yard gain," Carter said.

The Warriors will welcome back senior running back Frank Dorame who has returned to practice with the team this week after injuring his knee. Dorame will see some playing time against Santa Teresa.

"We want to get him dusted off and get the cobwebs cleaned off him," Carter said.

Dorame's return should add some punch to a dormant Ruidoso running attack that gained a mere 14 yards in the Hobbs game.

## The Whole Enchilada is about a whole lot of madness

Five days after my team was eliminated from the Las Cruces Whole Enchilada softball tournament and I'm still yawning and catching sleep in my grounders ... I mean, catching grounders in my sleep.

FROM  
THE BENCH



BY LAURA CLYMER  
SPORTS EDITOR

heaven on all levels — and closer to a bit of insanity as well.

I was taken aback when I found out that softball tournaments around here run around the clock. You know, win at 10 p.m., play next at 4 a.m. It was no big deal to everyone else. I called up my old teammates in Illinois and said, "You won't believe this. Tournaments run all night and all day out here."

They didn't believe me, I explained.

Players parked their recreation vehicles at the Eagle Creek Sports Complex for accommodations, or slept in their cars. At the track of dawn, the smell of camp fires and scrambled eggs and bacon mixed with the smell of dew on the outfields and dust kicked up by arriving and departing cars.

The wild West, indeed. Imagine my reaction to my first Whole Enchilada softball tournament.

Generally considered the 'last weekend of the softball summer season not to get any sleep,' the Whole Enchilada features some 240 teams from across the Southwest — New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, Texas — and Canada. Yes, a Canadian team made it down to this year's tourney, so did teams from Wisconsin, Louisiana and California.

Play at three complexes on 12 fields started at 7 p.m. Friday night and didn't stop until about 10 p.m. Sunday. Like an enchilada, it's softball wrapped up with endurance and smothered by insanity.

It's all about survival. Who can play the longest with glassy eyes and no sleep. Who can make sure everyone is there by game time so you don't have to forfeit. Who has the most reliable alarm clocks and most dedicated players. Let me tell you,

dedication wanes when you're losing or operating on catnaps.

As the weekend wears on, people will do whatever it takes to stay alive and winning, because you sure don't want to "get your money's worth" battling through the losers' bracket of a 113-team double elimination tournament like this year's men's recreation division.

One of our local teams entered in this year's tourney met up with some deceivingly nice folks. Scheduled to play at 7 p.m., our local boys were at the complex by 6:30 p.m. The player-coach had turned in a line-up card and the guys were warming up on a vacant field in the same complex. They even met some of players from the team they were to play.

It was all for naught, however. Our guys were on the wrong field, just one over, about 50 feet, from where they were supposed to play. Two minutes past 7 p.m., the game is



They came from as far away as Canada to play in the Whole Enchilada.

a forfeit and that other team walks off with smug faces and an easy win, all along knowing where their opponent is. Our guys are done. It's their second loss of the tourney. It's a cold cruel world in hot Las Cruces this time of year.

Meanwhile, my team wins its first at 10 p.m. Friday, loses the next at 4 a.m. Saturday and wins again at noon Saturday. We get to come back

and play at 8 p.m. Saturday. I can't sleep, only nap. My age is becoming apparent. At least we don't have to play in the heat of the day; only the dead of night.

It seems I'm not the only one to reach empty by 8 p.m. Saturday. My teammates are dragging as much as I am. Our opponent crushes us. I can't even remember the score. We're done. Our Whole Enchilada experience lasted about 24 hours, longer than about half the other teams in our 47-team bracket.

As our teams line up to shake hands, I say, "nice game, good game, good luck" as we high-five our foes one by one. When I get near the end of the line a smile crawls across my face of disappointment. I remember something that makes losing not so bad after all.

"Congratulations," I tell the other team's coach. "You've just earned the right to play at 4 o'clock this morning."



## FISHING REPORT

## For bait fishing -

**RIO RUIDOSO:** Fair on salmon eggs.  
**GRINDSTONE RESERVOIR:** Fishing is good on powerbait and pistol pete's.  
**BONITO LAKE:** Fishing is fair on powerbait.  
 Eagles Lakes are closed for the season.

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## For fly fishing -

Little change in this week's report. The weather has been great with the temperatures dropping a little bit each day. The summer fishing pressure is behind us and we find most of the folks on the lakes and streams to be mostly locals. The German browns are beginning to show signs of their fall spawn. If you should catch a brown in the next three months, please release him for all the browns in our watershed are native fish and are here through natural reproduction.

**RIO RUIDOSO:** The river is fishing well throughout the day and evening. The best we found this past week has been prince nymphs or pheasant tail nymphs. Streamborn caddis and henryville caddis flies have working well late afternoons and evenings. We ran into several large trico hatches this past week, the spinner falls were incredible to see.

**BONITO CREEK:** The south fork has fished well with numerous small native fish. The fish are not picky on the south fork so grab the best of what your fly box holds and toss it. It is hopper season, so

be sure to take along a few grasshopper flies.

**BONITO LAKE:** Water level is good with reports of early and late fishing good on dry flies. Try a small dry fly on the surface and a nymph dropper trailing about 18 inches behind. Best reported patterns are blue wing olives and light cahills. The spin caster will do well with a bubble rig and a propeller fly tied on the business end. The hot propeller flies the past few weeks seem to be one with a pink body and white hackle, gold and silver have caught fish. Try a double renegade prop fly with a prince nymph or a pheasant tail dropper dragging about 18 inches behind.

**GRINDSTONE LAKE:** Late evening fishing will produce the better fishing here. Take advantage of the midge and damselfly hatches. Several evenings this past week dry flies such as light cahills, parachute adams, gray midges and griffin's gnats have provided numerous surface takes.

**LAKE MESCALERO:** The lake level is good. Shoreline and boat fishing have produced nice fish in the evening hours. Dry flies that have been working are parachute adams, hendricksons, mosquitoes and midges. Prop flies with a bubble rig have done well for the spin casters. One customer reported a 16-inch cutbow caught last week.

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## Sports editor collects awards for race coverage

Ruidoso News sports editor Laura Clymer is the winner of two journalism awards from the American Quarter Horse Association.

The AQHA announced Monday the winners of the 11th Annual AQHA Racing Council Sprint Awards. The Sprint Awards recognize excellence in the coverage and promotion of American quarter horse racing.

Started by the AQHA Racing Council in 1988, the awards cite outstanding journalism and artistry of the professionals who report on quarter horse racing as well as the successful promotion of quarter horse racing by race-tracks, state racing associations, farms, ranches and other racing-related organizations.

Clymer won first place in the news reporting division for her coverage of the 1999 All American Futurity race and honorable mention for her photograph of jockey Joe Badilla Jr. jumping into the arms of trainer John Bassett, who conditioned A Delightful Dasher, winner of the 1999 All American Futurity.

Nine Sprint Award categories were open to contestants this year. However, only seven awards were made. No award was given for radio news/feature production or public relations/publicity campaign.

There were 13 entries made in the newspaper/magazine feature category, 21 entries for newspaper/magazine news reporting, eight entries for newspaper/magazine commentary, nine photography entries, six video production entries, six newsletters and nine marketing/promotional campaigns.

Each winner will receive a limited-edition bronze of a racing American quarter horse by renowned artist Lisa Perry and will be flown to Los Angeles for the AQHA Racing Conference to be held Oct. 27-30. They will be honored Oct. 30 during the Sprint Awards Luncheon at the Disneyland Hotel in Anaheim.

Judging this year's competition were: Bob Curran, director of special communications services, The Jockey Club; Keith Chamblin, vice president of marketing, National Thoroughbred Racing Association; and Gary West, turfwriter, Dallas Morning News.

This year's winners and honorable mentions are:

**Newspaper/Magazine Feature Article:**  
 "Lukas Stables - Operation reopens its quarter horse division," Jennie Rees, The Backstretch. This magazine feature looks at the life of D. Wayne and Laura Lukas and D. Wayne's jump back into American Quarter Horse racing where both their roots and hearts have been for years.

**Honorable Mention:**  
 "Running the Good Race," Richard Vara, Houston Chronicle

**Newspaper/Magazine News Reporting:**  
 "A dashing 'outlaw' steals 41st Futurity," Laura Clymer, Ruidoso News. Clymer reports on the results of the 41st running of the All American Futurity.

**Honorable Mention:**  
 "A Delightful Finish," Pete Herrera, Associated Press

**Newspaper/Magazine Commentary:**  
 "Nobody Asked, But... Suspensions & Shortening Up," Stacy Pigott, Quarterweek. The Suspensions magazine commentary generated discussion and debate on the issues of current rules and regulations surrounding trainer suspensions while offering an opinion on the

current suspension system. The Shortening Up commentary generated discussion and debate on the issue of racing 2-year-olds, focusing on the distances of races as per AQHA's recommendations.

**Honorable Mention:**  
 "Quarter Horse gain ground at fast rate," John P. Lopez, Houston Chronicle

**Photography:**  
 "Over Easy," Shawn Cody. This action photo is of jockey Mark Villa escaping serious injury when his mount, Peek A Boo Pie, stumbled and lost his seat during an Oct. 9, 1998 claiming race at Turf Paradise. Villa rode two races the following day, receiving a standing ovation from Turf Paradise fans. The photo appeared in both The Quarter Racing Journal and Speedhorse magazines.

**Honorable Mention:**  
 "An All American Winner," Laura Clymer, Ruidoso News.

**Video Production News/Feature:**  
 "Jack Brooks & the All American," Chris Lincoln, Winner Communications, Inc. This video which aired on "America's Horse," a television magazine show airing on ESPN and espn2, highlights the accomplishments and life of seven-time All American Futurity winning trainer Jack Brooks.

**Honorable Mentions:**  
 "The New Team Lukas," Tom Dawson, Winner Communications, Inc. - "America's Horse"

"Oldahoma Tornado," Tracie Wilson, Winner Communications, Inc. - "America's Horse"

**Newsletter:**  
 "SHRP Shooter," Sam Houston Race Park. This newsletter is a monthly employee newsletter published to inform and entertain the track's 600 employees about events at the track and the American quarter horse racing season at Sam Houston Race Park.

**Marketing/Promotional Campaign:**  
 "Good Neighbor Direct Mail Marketing," Sam Houston Race Park.

**Honorable Mentions:**  
 "KLUV Lone Star Derby Radio" & "MBNA America Challenge Championships Campaign," Lone Star Park at Grand Prairie.

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**4BDRM/1BA;** available November 1st, fireplace, \$600/mo, plus utilities. Deposit & references. 378-4596

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## 10 Condos for Rent

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## 12 Mobile Spaces/Rt

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## 13 Room for Rent

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## 30 Yard Sales

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YARD SALE: OCT 9 & 10, 8am-3pm. Tools, kitchen accessories, women's clothes; sizes 18-22, children's clothes; sizes 3 & 4, plus lots of good stuff. Behind Big O Tires, across bridge, follow signs.

SAT & SUN, 8AM-7 PM Circle B Campground, right on Canyon Rd., follow signs.

## 30 Yard Sales

GARAGE SALE SAT & SUN A-Frame Ski Shop, 1016 Mechem, 9:30-7. Used sofa sleepers and misc items.

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## 31 Household

BASSETT Rocker/Recliner \$250. Two coffee tables; large wooden \$50, glass and brass \$25. 258-4206

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## 31 Household Goods

QUALITY FURNITURE: Rowe overized sofa with large chair and ottoman; matching table and sofa; stools and a coffee table. Frost-free upright freezer. 336-1810

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## 45 Auctions

**AUCTION "Recollections"** going out of business. Antique, Collectible & Gift store. 147 W. Hwy 70, Ruidoso, NM. 2-day tent sale, Sat & Sun, Oct 16 & 17, 1999, 10:00 A.M. Doors open for viewing at 8:30 A.M. Call for a listing of items to be sold. Mike McDaniel, Auctioneer. (505)437-9367.

## 46 Lost &amp; Found

**SUPER REWARD FOR** Lost jewelry in plastic zipper bag. Last weekend of Sept 24th, 25th. Contact 505-392-3289.

**LOST ON HULL ROAD,** around Warrior Dr. Saturday about 9:30 a.m., purple bike bag. Reward. Call 258-4798 or 420-2577, ask for Frank.

**LOST 2 YEAR OLD** female German Shepherd. Last seen in the vicinity of Bonanza and Pizza Hut on Mechem. \$200.00 reward. Call 258-4798 or 420-2577, ask for Frank.

## 49 Personals

**WHY WAIT?** Start meeting New Mexico Singles tonight. For more information call toll free 1-800-768-2623 Ext 6148.

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**Nursing Assistants**  
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needed at  
**RUIDOSO CARE CENTER**  
contact Human Resources  
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Lincoln County is now accepting applications for the position of DEPUTY SHERIFF in the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department, located in Carrizozo, New Mexico. Applicant must be 18 years or over, must possess a New Mexico Basic Police Officer's certification or be certifiable by waiver, and willing to work anywhere in Lincoln County. Obtain application at the Lincoln County Manager's office in Carrizozo or by calling 505/648-2385. Applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. Friday, October 29, 1999. Lincoln County, Equal Opportunity Employer and in Compliance with ADA Requirements, Title II-A.

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## LEGAL NOTICE

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
The Tall Pine Subdivision Public Water Supply System wishes to advise its consumers that the maximum contaminant level for fecal coliform /E. coli in drinking water was exceeded during its most recent reporting period of 8/28/99.

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) and the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) set drinking water standards and have determined that the presence of fecal coliforms or E. coli is a serious health concern. Fecal coliforms and E. coli are generally not harmful themselves, but their presence in drinking water is serious because they usually are associated with sewage or animal wastes. The presence of these bacteria in drinking water is generally a result of a problem with water treatment or the pipes which distribute the water, and indicates that the water may be contaminated with organisms that can cause disease. Disease symptoms may include diarrhea, cramps, nausea, and possibly jaundice, and associated headaches and fatigue. These symptoms, however, are not just associated with disease-causing organisms in drinking water, but also may be caused by a number of factors other than your drinking water. EPA has set an enforceable drinking water standard for fecal coliforms and E. coli to reduce the risk of these adverse health effects. Under this standard, all drinking water samples must be free of these bacteria. Drinking water which meets this standard is associated with little or none of this risk and should be considered safe. State and local health authorities recommend that consumers take the following precautions:

Do not drink the water. Use bottled water or boil tap water for at least (10) minutes.  
The system is being decontaminated at this time and on going work and results. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated.  
John Burns (505)257-4205  
Operator/Manager  
2414 1T(10)8

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**ORDINANCE 99-6**  
The Village of Capitan Board of Trustees will hold a public hearing on October 19, 1999 at 6:00 p.m. at the Village Hall Building for the purpose of discussing amending Section 3-1-3 of the Capitan Municipal Code, defining and limiting the number of structures served by a single meter, and repealing section 3-1-8. Ordinance 99-6 will then be considered for adoption at this same special meeting, October 19, 1999, 6:00 p.m. at the Village Hall Building. The public is encouraged to attend.  
Kathryn E. Griffin  
Village Clerk  
Village of Capitan  
2407 4T(10)8, 8, 13, 15

## LEGAL NOTICE

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that the Lincoln County Extraterritorial Zoning Commission will hold a special meeting on Monday, October 18, 1999. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 5:00 p.m. at the Village Administration Building, 313 Cree Meadows Drive in Ruidoso, New Mexico. Copies of the agenda for the meeting will be available at the Planning Office of the Village of Ruidoso prior to said meeting. Auxiliary signs are available upon request; please contact Tim Vega at 258-4343 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting to make any necessary arrangements.  
2417 1T(10)8

## Legals

## LEGAL NOTICE

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**  
The Ruidoso Municipal School District will receive sealed lump sum bids for: Classroom Addition at Nob Hill School, Ruidoso, New Mexico. Bids will be opened publicly in accordance with the following:

Date: Thursday, October 28, 1999  
Place: Ruidoso Municipal Schools Administration Building, 200 Horton Circle, Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345  
Time: 2:00 PM, local time  
A Pre-Bid Conference will be held at Nob Hill School at 2:00 pm, local time, Thursday, October 14, 1999. Attendance is not required but is strongly advised of all General Contractors bidding the work. Contractors will have an opportunity to view the existing facilities and will be expected to be familiar with all visible existing conditions. Bid Documents may be obtained after 1 pm on Tuesday, October 5, 1999, from Greer Stafford/SJCT, Inc., 6020 Academy N.E., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109, and may be viewed at the following locations: Builders News & Plan Room 3435 Princeton, NE Albuquerque, NM 87107 505/894-1752 Construction Reporter 1609 Second Street, NW Albuquerque, NM 87102 505/243-9793 Dodge Reports 1815 University Blvd., NE Albuquerque, NM 87102 505/243-2817 Dodge Reports 7500 Viscount, Suite 106 El Paso, Texas 79925 905/778-5097 A deposit of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) will be required for each set of documents issued for bidding purposes. Only complete sets of documents will be served for the Bidders and

major suppliers. Make check payable to: Ruidoso Municipal Schools.  
2408 2T(10)6,8

## LEGAL NOTICE

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS**  
NOTICE is hereby given that competitive sealed Proposals will be received by the Lincoln County Manager at the Lincoln County Courthouse, P.O. Box 711 (300 Central Avenue), Carrizozo, New Mexico 88801, until 2:00 P.M. Wednesday, November 3, 1999. Proposals received after the date and time for receipt of Proposals will be returned unopened. RFP NO. 99-00-021: PERSONAL COMPUTERS MAINTENANCE SERVICES. The Lincoln County Board of Commissioners will review and make their final determination during a regular County Commission meeting on Thursday, November 18, 1999 at 9:00 a.m. at the Ruidoso Convention Center, 111 Sierra Blanca Drive, Ruidoso, New Mexico. Specifications are available at the Office of the Purchasing Agent, Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, or by calling Martha Guevara at 505/648-2385. All Proposals must be clearly marked on the outside of the sealed envelope with the Project Title, RFP number, date of opening and time of opening. If the Proposal is sent by mail, the sealed envelope shall have the notation "Sealed Proposal Enclosed" on the face thereof. Lincoln County reserves the right to accept or reject all or any part of any proposal, waive minor technicalities and award the proposal to best serve the interest of Lincoln County. MARTHA GUEVARA, ASSISTANT COUNTY MANAGER  
2404 1T(10)6

## LEGAL NOTICE

**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO**  
IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF CHARLES ROSS BECKER AND RONDA LEE BECKER FOR CHANGE OF NAME

No. CV-99-219 Div. III  
**NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME AND NOTICE OF HEARING**  
COMES NOW the Petitioner and hereby gives notice that a Petition for Change of Name was filed in Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, the 30th day of September, 1999, requesting that the names of the minor children be changed from CHARLES ROSS BECKER to CHARLES ROSS LACOE and RONDA LEE BECKER to RONDA LEE LACOE. Furthermore, Petitioner hereby gives notice of a hearing on the Petitioner's Petition for Change of Name, which shall be held before the Honorable Karen L. Parsons at 8:30 o'clock a.m. on the 1st day of December, 1999, at the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo, New Mexico, whereby the Petitioner will request the Court to sign the final Order changing the minor children's names from CHARLES ROSS BECKER to CHARLES ROSS LACOE and RONDA LEE BECKER to RONDA LEE LACOE. CLYDE HULL, Trial Court Administrative Assistant to THE HONORABLE KAREN L. PARSONS District Judge  
2415 2T(10)8, 15

## LEGAL NOTICE

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations will conduct an accreditation survey of Lincoln County Medical Center on November 30, 1999. The purpose of the survey will be to evaluate the organization's compliance with nationally established Joint Commission standards. The survey results will be used to determine whether, and the conditions under which accreditation should be awarded the organization. Joint Commission standards deal with organizational quality of care issues and the safety of the environment in which care is provided. Anyone believing that he or she has pertinent and valid information about such matters may request a public information interview with the Joint Commission's field representatives at the time of the survey. Information presented at the interview will be carefully evaluated for relevance to the accreditation process. Requests for a public information interview must be made in writing and should be sent to the Joint Commission no later than five working days before the survey begins. The request must also indicate the nature of the information to be provided at the interview. Such requests should be addressed to: Division of Accreditation Operations Service Specialist Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations One Renaissance Boulevard Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181 The Joint Commission will acknowledge such requests in writing or by telephone and will inform the organization of the request for an interview. In turn, notify the interviewee of the date, time, and place of the meeting. This notice is posted in accordance with the Joint Commission's requirements and may not be removed before the survey is completed. Date Posted: Wednesday, October 6, 1999  
2418 8T(10)8, 15, 22, 23 (11)5, 12, 19, 26

## 38 Help Wanted

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**Laundry Staff, Housekeepers & Prep Cooks**  
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## 40 Services

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2823 Sudderth  
Ruidoso, NM 88345  
257-7540

**Restaurant** is now accepting applications for experienced food servers & cooks.  
Apply in person between 2 p.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m., Saturday and Sunday. Applications taken any time during business hours. Health benefits, 401(k), paid vacation, employee meals and the best compensation in the area.

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Legals

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on August 24, 1999, Enchanted Forest Water Corp., P.O. Box 241, Alto, New Mexico 88312, filed application numbered H-722-S-2 with the STATE ENGINEER for permit to change location of well by ceasing the use of well No. H-722-S-2, located in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 22, Township 10 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M., and drilling a well 8 inches in diameter and approximately 500 ft in depth, at a point in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 22, Township 10 South, Range 13 East, N.M.P.M. for the continued diversion of up to 28.0 acre feet per annum of shallow ground water for domestic use in a subdivision. The old well is to be plugged. The points of diversion are located north of Alto, Lincoln County, New Mexico. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be detrimental to the objector's water right shall have standing to file objections or protests. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity objecting that the granting of the application will be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state and showing that the objector will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application shall have standing to file objections or protests. Provided, however, that the state of New Mexico or any of its branches, agencies, departments, boards, instrumentalities or institutions, and all political subdivisions of the state and their agencies, instrumentalities and institutions shall have standing to file objections or protests. The objections or protests shall be in writing and shall set forth specific reasons why the application should not be approved and must be filed, in triplicate, with Tom C. Turney, State Engineer, 1900 West Second St., Roswell, New Mexico 88201, not later than ten (10) days after the date of the last publication of this Notice. If no valid objection or protest is filed, the state engineer will evaluate the application for impairment to existing water rights, public welfare of the state, and conservation of water within the state. cc: Santa Fe CRRR No. Z 263 823 710 2413 3T(10)8,15,22

LEGAL NOTICE

**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF LINCOLN STATE OF NEW MEXICO**  
**SONYA K. GIORDANO, Petitioner,**  
**vs.**  
**JAMEY V. GIORDANO, Respondent.**  
No. DM 88-120 Div. III  
**NOTICE OF SUIT**  
To: Jamey V. Giordano  
Notice is hereby given that there is now pending in the above referenced court a case in which Sonya K. Giordano is the Petitioner and you are the Respondent. The nature of the case is divorce and property and debt division. If you do not enter your appearance or file a responsive pleading with the court by November 3, 1999, judgment may be entered against you by default. The Petitioner represents herself in this case and can be contacted at: Sonya K. Giordano 410 George P. White Ruidoso, N.M. 88345 505-338-4751 Cheryl Castro Court Administrator by: s/Eugenia Vega Clerk/deputy 2374 4T(9)17,24(10)1,8

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Village of Capitán is accepting sealed bids for pine lumber that was removed from Village Hall. The following is what is to be bid on:  
9'-12" 1"x12"  
6'-10" 1"x12"  
4'-4" 2"x4"  
2'-12" 2"x4"  
3'-10" 2"x4"  
3'-8" 1"x12"  
1'-5" 1"x12"  
2'-12" 1"x6"  
Interested parties may come by Capitán Village Hall at 114 Lincoln and make an appointment to look at this lumber. Bids will be accepted until 4:00 p.m. October 15th. Bids will be opened at a Special Council Meeting on Tuesday, October 19, 1999 at 8:00 p.m. at Village Hall in Capitán. cc: Kathryn Griffin, Village Clerk 2411 4T(10)8,13,15

45 Auctions

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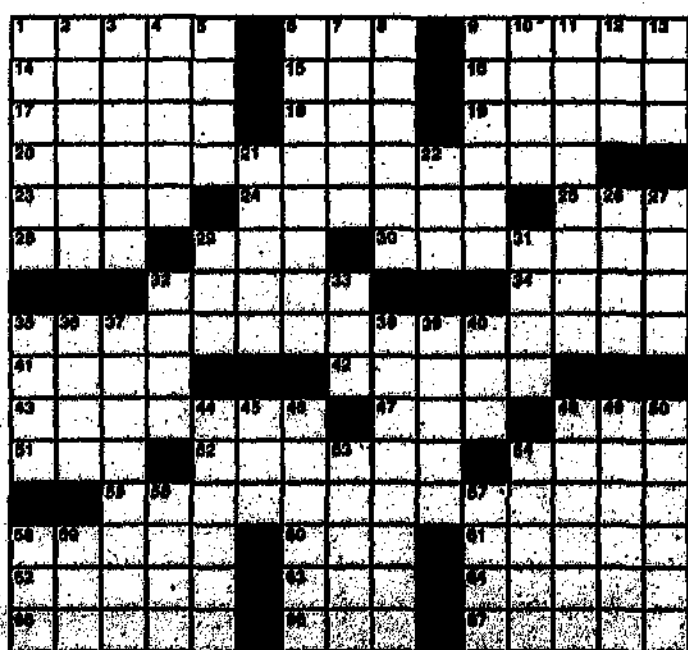
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Oct. 7, 1949

## Ruidoso Roundup by Mary Nell Barber

Louis Spain, publisher of the News, seemed to enjoy the fish fry given by the Farrars and Pickering's Saturday night more than all the other guests put together, gave him a good taste of real Ruidoso hospitality and fun, and next time you see seed him, ask "can Pat Farrar cook red beans," or "how hot can beans get?"

Oct. 9, 1959

## Ruidoso Lions purchase church for clubhouse

The Ruidoso Lions Club Wednesday morning completed negotiations for the purchase of the old St. Eleanor's Catholic Church and grounds, located a short distance south of Main Road.

Don Sovell, member of the Lions Club and cashier of the Ruidoso State Bank, handled final details of the transaction with Father Aumen, pastor of St. Eleanor's parish, which recently completed construction of a new Catholic church building in Gateway.

Oct. 10, 1969

## Too many hospital beds in county now

According to the New Mexico State Planning Board for Hospitals and Related Health Facilities, the area encompassing all of Lincoln County and including two county hospitals, has too many hospital beds now.

There are 26 beds in the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley General Hospital and 20 beds in the Lincoln County Municipal Hospital in Carrizozo, a total of 46 beds in the area.

Oct. 8, 1979

## The Dreamer by Dannie Storm

The moon of October has a golden majesty all its own — and the October moonlight casts a special glowing benediction down to us, turning the early evening and the night into an autumn celebration. There seems to be a special brightness to the ... October moon as it shines down upon shocks of corn, pumpkins and apples red and gold on the trees. This must be one reason for the name given by our forefathers, "The Harvest Moon."

... On Oct. 12, let us remember Christopher Columbus who had the courage and faith to set out from Spain that day in 1492 in his three little boats, the Niña, the Pinta and the Santa Maria...

Oct. 9, 1989

## Road redo could impact Mechern businesses

A public meeting, Thursday evening, on the reconstruction of New Mexico Highway 48 from Sudderth Drive to Ski Run Road, left a lot of questions unanswered by Highway Department representatives.

About 70 people attended the meeting at the White Mountain Intermediate School cafeteria.

## CORRECTION

A story about Dorothy Gray Guck on the Oct. 1 "Here & There" page incorrectly spelled her last name. The Ruidoso News apologizes for the error, which occurred in the editing process.

Kim Smith  
of Topaz Technology  
checks out National  
Software Testing  
Lab's YMark2000  
web site that offers  
a simple, five-step  
compliance test  
free of charge.

Laura Clymer/  
Ruidoso News



# Getting the Y2K 'bugs' out of your computer system

BY LAURA CLYMER  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Think the Y2K bug is a problem for big business, public utilities and the government?

Compute again. "As a personal computer user, it's my job to fix my machine," said Chet Gourley of Y2K Tech Services in Alto. "It's really up to us to do it. The resources are out there."

Gourley, who delivers for United Parcel Service by day, is a computer technician by night and weekends. He said people who use personal computers at home should concern themselves with three things before the clock strikes midnight Jan. 1, 2000:

- Make sure their computer's hardware is Y2K compatible;
- Make sure the installed software on the computer is Y2K compatible; and;
- Make sure any existing data that uses a date field is in a four-digit year format.

Gourley recommends to first update a computer's hardware. This requires checking the computer's three levels of keeping time. Those levels are: 1) the real time clock (the basic machine clock), 2) the BIOS system (basic input output system), and 3) the operating system.

Software reads date and time information directly from the hardware or through the operating system. If the hardware and O/S aren't compliant, then the data produced by the application software may not be either. The most susceptible software applications are databases, spreadsheets and accounting/bookkeeping packages that are popular with both business and individuals.

A simple, five-step Y2K compliance test is available from the National Software

Testing Lab's YMark2000 web site, free of charge. YMark2000 tests a personal computer's clock and the BIOS for compliance. This test also checks for the upcoming leap year, said Gourley, who added that some programs aren't doing that. (See information box with web site information.)

Additionally, all major hardware producing companies such as Gateway, Dell, IBM, Intel and NEC have Y2K information on their web sites, Gourley said, as do the major BIOS vendors and software vendors, such as Microsoft, Intuit and Corel.

To upgrade software, Gourley suggested using Norton 2000, a Symantec (www.symantec.com) program that checks software applications for date and time discrepancies. Norton 2000 costs about \$49. It doesn't fix the discrepancies, but it flags them.

Another good program is Intellifix 2000. Not only will it scan and correct application programs and data, it has a software work-around for machines with non-compliant BIOS chips. This may allow some of the older machines to be used past 2000. It is available locally through F1 Computer Services in Alto. Microsoft also has a product evaluating program that can be downloaded from its Web site.

Then you must go to the software vendor's site for information about patches. Some patches all you to correct the date. For example, Gourley said, Microsoft has a download for its Excel 97 program which highlights incorrect date fields in its spreadsheets and allows you to correct the information. It has another that monitors your work on-the-fly for year-ambiguous dates and formats. Internet users can get

patches for Netscape and Explorer from Web sites as well.

There are a host Y2K compliance Web sites that offer software at a cost. Gourley suggests you first try the vendor sites because they should provide patches and other information free of charge.

For those who rather not invest the time in fixing the problem themselves, they can choose to pay someone to upgrade their computers.

Dave Westmacott, owner of Progressive Computers in Ruidoso, said now is the time to take care of the millennium bug.

"The longer you wait, the less chance you'll be able to find help," Westmacott said. "You just need to cough up a few bucks for some software, or have a technician come to your house."

Once you have exterminated the millennium bug, you have to make sure it doesn't surface again, Gourley said.

"A lot of newer programs allow you to use a two-digit or four-digit program. Be sure and use a four-digit date format in all date-related digit entry," he said. "Even the latest version of Windows 98 installs by default with a two-digit 'short date' year and needs to be changed."

If all you use your computer for are games, don't think Y2K isn't a problem.

"I would worry about it no matter what especially in a business or home/office environment. Once you make it Y2K compatible, then you're done with it," Gourley said. "The old adage 'garbage in, garbage out,' applies. It really doesn't take long to fix and then you can forget about it."

## RX for your computer

Software gets its date information from the hardware. If it's not Y2K compliant, neither is your software. First, take care of your PC.

### Free Hardware Tests

• Chet Gourley recommends National Software Testing Lab's YMark2000. Originally developed for the Canadian government and now endorsed and used by dozens of major hardware vendors, YMark2000 easily and thoroughly tests a PC's clock and BIOS for Y2K compliance.

Information: <http://www.nstl.com>  
Download: <http://nstl.com/downloads/y2000.exe>

• Other free hardware tests

Ami2000.com:

[http://www.megatrends.com/y2k/ami\\_2000.html](http://www.megatrends.com/y2k/ami_2000.html)

Y2K Test Utility:

<ftp://ftp.firmware.com/y2k/y2kst.exe>

Test2000.Exe:

<http://www.righttime.com>

Millennium/Pro Check:

<http://www.unicore.com/millennium.html>

Check 2000:

<http://www.gmt-uta.com/welcome.efm>

### Desktop Software Tests

Hundreds of vendors offer software that will check your spreadsheets, databases, source code and other critical areas. You'll find information on every Y2K product reviewed by WINDOWS Magazine and its sister publications by searching the WinMag Web sit at [www.winmag.com](http://www.winmag.com), or the CMP Media archives at <http://www.cmpnet.com>

### Selected Vendor Sites

All major hardware and software vendors have Y2K information on their web sites. Just visit the vendors' home page. Here are some of the more high-profile vendor sites.

• Hardware vendors:

Compaq: <http://www.compaq.com>

Dell: <http://www.dell.com>

Gateway: <http://www.gateway.com>

Hewlett-Packard:

<http://www.hp.com>

IBM: <http://www.ibm.com>

Intel: <http://www.intel.com>

Micron: <http://www.micronpc.com>

NEC: <http://www.nec.com>

Tandem: <http://www.tandem.com>

Toshiba: <http://www.toshiba.com>

• BIOS vendors:

AMI: <http://www.mega-trends.com>

Award:

<http://www.award.com>

MicroFirmware (many brands):

<http://www.firmware.com>

Phoenix: <http://www.phoenix.com>

• Software vendors:

Corel: <http://www.corel.com>

IBM: <http://www.ibm.com>

Microsoft: <http://www.microsoft.com>

Netscape: <http://home.netscape.com>

Novell: <http://www.novell.com>

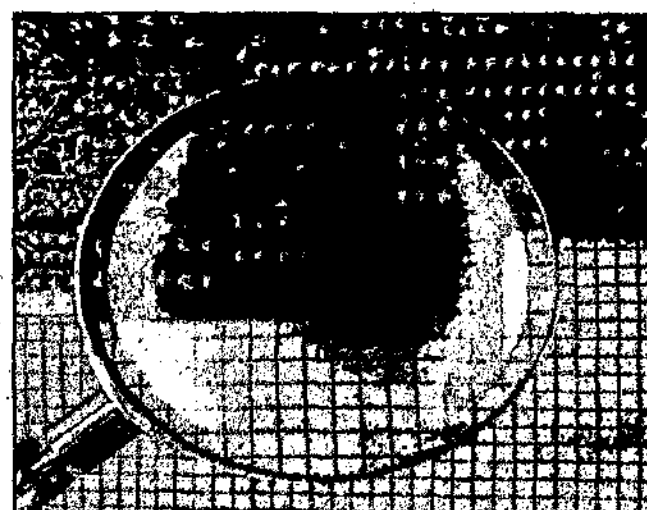
Oracle: <http://www.oracle.com>

Source: Chet Gourley, Y2K Tech Services

## They 'thunk' different

Unlike most other computer companies, the folks at Apple Computer thought ahead way back in 1984. Macintosh computers use a four-digit date code, so chances of a major computer meltdown on a Mac are slimmer compared to their counterparts.

But, it's important, nonetheless, to check out your Mac. The best way to do that is to visit Apple Computer's web site at: <http://www.apple.com>.



## County Farm Bureau told of need for agriculture to develop good media relations

The Lincoln County Farm Bureau's annual meeting was at the fair building in Capitan Sunday.

### LINCOLN TRAILS



ROSALIE DUNLAP  
Ruidoso News

Following the barbecue furnished by Rustie Roots, the meeting was called to order by President Duane Frost.

Eric Ness, editor of New Mexico Farm and Ranch magazine, was the guest speaker for the

meeting.

He emphasized the need for farmers and ranchers to develop a relationship with various news media. Some coverage in the past few months has been the Roswell snowstorm, drought followed by too much rain, and the chili crop failure in the Las Cruces area.

New Mexico chili is used in most of the salsa that is made, with Louisiana hot sauce using the New Mexico chili almost exclusively.

Overall, the farmer and rancher ranks high with the public for their credibility.

Becca Ferguson, Mary Jane Cooper and Tiffany Mannix were

recognized for their work with the ag classroom. Also, Tiffany for her work with the ag lab, which shows children how plants are grown and the care they need.

It also was reported that Jennifer Hopper increased agricultural contact with the public from 128,000 in 1998 to 382,376 for 1999. She received a grant last year, which was a great help in getting the agriculture story to the public.

She held a three-day seminar for the teachers and their response was very positive.

Bernar Treat gave a report on the awards, scholarships and other projects Farm Bureau has given to bring recognition to agri-

culture and its contribution to the county.

Lincoln County made its membership quota as of Aug. 31.

The annual scholarship award given to a junior or senior at New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, was awarded to Garrett Goodloe, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Goodloe.

Our thoughts and prayers to the families of Bill Ward, and to the father of our county treasurer, Joan Parks.

Bill Ward will be remembered in Lincoln county for his interest in the race track, his mule races, work with the annual Pony Express Race, and his garden in Lincoln.

The garden produce was used at the Wordley Hotel when his wife, Pat, was the curator for the State Monuments Division in Lincoln. At that time the state still had the hotel.

Lincoln County 4-H and FFA members have been busy showing their animals and other projects at the State Fair and the Eastern New Mexico State Fair.

Lou Turner, Arabella, and Helen Lock, Roswell (formerly of Carrizozo) judged the 4-H clothing at the ENM fair; Rosalie Dunlap, Lincoln, and Ken Coburn, Roswell, judged 4-H photography. Some of these youngsters are great photographers.



## BUSINESS BRIEFS

### State unemployment insurance upgrade due

New Mexico's Department of Labor (DOL) has been awarded the largest grant award in the country to upgrade its unemployment insurance system, according to the department.

New Mexico received a \$7 million federal grant to replace its 30-year-old system. Wisconsin received the next largest grant at \$2.5 million.

Through a national competitive grant proposal process, states requested a share of \$37 million, which was made available by the U.S. Department of Labor for one-time unemployment insurance capital outlays and final Y2K compliance activities. More than \$100 million in grant requests were submitted.

"The funding will allow us to replace our out-dated unemployment system which was developed in Louisiana in the 1960s and transferred to New Mexico in 1970," Secretary of Labor Clinton D. Harden Jr., said.

"The current computerized system is now at a stage where it could simply have a data collapse under the weight of 30 years of changes made to the programming code. This mission-critical system has lived well beyond the industry standard of a 7- to 10-year system life cycle and has been due for replacement for quite some time. Up until now, funding has not been available for replacing this system."

Paper filing now is the only option New Mexico claimants have to initiate an unemployment claim. The proposed system will use new technology and will allow the New Mexico labor agency to offer telephone and eventually Internet filing.

The New Mexico DOL also received \$1 million for virtual call centers, which allow people who have lost their jobs to file claims by telephone.

### Federal bill for forest/watershed quality

U.S. Sen. Jeff Bingaman, D-NM, has won Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee approval of legislation he wrote that will help restore New Mexico's forests. Committee approval clears the way for a full Senate vote on the legislation. Bingaman is the top Democrat on the committee.

Bingaman introduced his Community Forest Restoration Act because New Mexico's forests are densely stocked with small-diameter trees that increase the risk of forest fires and reduce the quality and quantity of water in streams flowing from forested watershed.

"This bill has three main goals: to promote healthy watersheds, to cut down on the risk of wildfire and to increase availability of wildlife habitat. I believe by reducing the number of small-diameter trees in our forests we will accomplish those goals," Bingaman said.

### Wells Fargo signs go up

Wells Fargo signs are going up in New Mexico at 94 Norwest Banks, according to a company release.

The two banks began a merger last fall. On Sept. 24, work to combine systems of the two bank systems was completed.

The Norwest (now Wells Fargo) bank in Ruidoso is at 401 Sudderth Drive.

Customers of both organizations may now conduct business at any one of nearly 100 locations in the state, Larry D. Willard, chairman and CEO of Wells Fargo in New Mexico and Texas, said.

### Ribbon cuttings

The Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce scheduled a ribbon cutting ceremony last Wednesday for Enterprise Rent-A-Car.

More ribbons cuttings are planned for next Tuesday, including the Park Place Bed and Breakfast, Home Again Antiques and Collectibles, K&M Engraving & Trophy and a business called 102 Center Street.

### Y2K help for business

Aida Alvarez, the head of the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), has urged the nation's small business owners to act now to ensure that their computer hardware and software is Y2K-compliant.

SBA launched its Year 2000 web site - [www.sba.gov](http://www.sba.gov) - in 1998. The web site is the central resource for small businesses and offers specific "how-to" information on diagnostic and corrective measures.

Celebrating change, The Sierra Bank in Lincoln Tower on Mechem Drive became State National Bank last Friday. The Sierra group in New Mexico teamed up with two El Paso, Texas, independent banks to create the new enterprise. That was one of many business changes taking place along Mechem in the past 18 months, as entrepreneurs jockeyed for position to be ready for completion of the highway widening project.

Terrance Vesta/Ruidoso News



## Preliminary summer business figures positive

*If August gross receipts figures keep the margin of June and July, the summer of '99 should top out as one of the best, despite weather and highway construction complications*

• Gross receipts tax revenue is the best quick guide to what's been happening in the retail economy. Lodgers' taxes also tell part of the story.

BY TONI K. LAXSON  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Despite earlier reports of losses because of road construction, many local businesses say the summer of 1999 was a banner season.

"Tremendous. Absolutely tremendous. We had an increase in sales of about 20 percent over last year," David Ellis, a supervisor at the Allsup's convenience store at Mechem and Sudderth drives, said.

From lodging operators to midtown merchants, local business owners' descriptions of the summer season ranged from delirious to so-so.

Michael Williams, manager at Pappy's, a restaurant on U.S. Highway 70, said he has not compared this summer's revenues with those from previous years. But he knows they are down. Potential customers were unwilling to negotiate an obstacle course of road construction and orange barrels.

"I was too irritated to look at what I did in previous years," Williams said this week. "I didn't want to get any madder."

An accurate picture of the summer season, historically the most lucrative of the year, can be seen through gross receipt revenues. While the tallies for June and July are in, August numbers will not be available until later this month, Lorri McKnight, Ruidoso finance officer, said.

In Ruidoso, June gross receipts increased by 2 percent — from \$627,907 to \$638,519. In July, Ruidoso's gross receipt revenues declined less than 1 percent — from \$641,764 to \$636,377.

"It's kind of hard to put a wrap on the summer season until we get the final numbers in," McKnight said.

In Ruidoso Downs, gross receipt tax revenues present a clearer optimistic picture. June's receipts increased 11 percent — from \$160,469 to \$177,631. July jumped even more with a 17 percent increase, from \$170,541 to \$199,605, according to information provided by Ruidoso Downs Village Clerk/Treasurer Leann Welhbrecht.

Businesses on Mechem Drive in Ruidoso also reported a decline in sales during the summer months because of road construction. But for many businesses in the area, the number of people in town and their willingness to spend counterbalanced any detrimental effects of road construction.

At the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce, a record number of visitor inquiries came in during July — 7,605 phone calls and 7,032 visitors. Previous high counts had been 5,530 phone calls in July 1995 and 5,529 walk-ins in early July 1998, according to information provided by the chamber.

"It felt like an overwhelming month for us, but we were somewhat shocked ourselves when we added up everyone's counters at the chamber for a total count," Joan Zagone, executive director, said at the time.

Zagone recently said inquiries at the visitors center have not slowed down as much to typical fall levels. She said Ruidoso more and more is attracting a year-round crowd of visitors, especially an older market of tourists who wait until the summer season is over.

"They have discovered that weather and crowd-wise this is the ideal time to come," she said. "It wasn't that long ago that after the racetrack closed that the number of visitors declined. Our tempo here — we maintain about the same tempo here year-round, now. ... It's just kind of fast and furious."

Zagone said she had not heard as many comments from business owners about the summer season as about their

troubles in finding and keeping employees, an ongoing problem that seems to be getting worse, according to business owners.

Another good measuring stick of the summer season is the total for lodgers' tax revenues, which also will lack August numbers until mid-October. The lodgers' tax for June and July mirrored gross receipt taxes for the same period in Ruidoso, according to information provided by the village finance office.

Bruce Kernodle, president of the Ruidoso Lodgers Association and owner of Story Book Cabins, said that without complete figures, it is difficult to say how the season went for the more than 50 lodging operations in the area.

"What happens is you sort of just get people's feelings," Kernodle said. "The feeling around town, as best as I can tell, is that everybody had a good summer."

He said despite that forecast, road construction may have had a negative effect, along with the abundance of rain from July through August. Ann Bolton, owner of the retail shop J. Roberts in midtown Ruidoso, echoed Kernodle in concerns that the daily rains may have impacted sales.

"We didn't have the number of people we usually have during the summer, but what people we did have spent more," Bolton said. "I heard some people say they were down (in sales), but most overall said they were up."

Both Bill Joiner, owner of Whispering Pine Cabins in the Upper Canyon, and Peter Reum, owner of the Aspen Tree Bookstore, said they are seeing a shift in the geographic market of their summer customers.

"We always get the Texas people and some nationals from Mexico," Joiner said. "But it seems like every year in the last three to five years, we see more from Arizona, California and Oklahoma."

## Can strong growth with low inflation continue?

BY SUNG WON SOHN  
CHIEF ECONOMIST, WELLS FARGO

It has become a mantra that repeats over and over—fast growth, tight job markets, low inflation. When the chips are counted, 1999 will end up looking almost exactly like the three years prior: economic growth of nearly four percent, unemployment rates slowly falling, and prices refusing to rise more than a meager two percent. Economists will be awfully tempted to extrapolate more of the same for 2000. Already, long-held rules on the economy's sustainable long-term growth and on how stocks are valued have been rewritten to fit the latest facts.

What will it take to keep up this favorable streak? In short, four recent trends must continue to coexist.

1. Productivity Gains: Capital investment must keep lifting long-term output per worker.

2. No Pass-Through of Inflation: Early stage prices are rising, but they must not reach consumers.

3. A Strong Dollar: The dollar must stay close to the highs that keeps import prices in check.

4. Sufficient Liquidity: Plenty, but not too much money must be supplied to the economy.

It's quite possible that we are in a new era—of higher productivity, benign business pricing practices, American hegemony and where money growth no longer leads inflation. But it's a tall order to presume that all of the old rules have been repealed. It's certainly risky to bet that they have. For the last year we have seen increasing strains on the dollar and far too much liquidity being pumped into the domestic economy. The last six months have seen prices surge at early stages of production.

### MARKET GLANCE

Productivity gains have not yet been tested when output slows faster than work hours can be cut.

### Misplaced expectations

Even if productivity is moving onto a higher plane, that does not imply lower short-term interest rates are desirable. Just the opposite may be needed. If an economy is operating at full capacity with inflation at its desired level, the federal funds rate should be set in line with nominal GDP growth. So if output is raised higher by better productivity, interest rates must follow suit. Potential growth of 3.5 percent with inflation at 2.0 percent implies a target rate of 5.5 percent. The benefits from higher productivity come when growth lies above potential—the Fed does not have to raise rates by as much to preempt

inflation. The bond market could stabilize, not because Fed rates will get lower, but because the yield curve doesn't need to be as steep once inflation expectations fall.

The stock market benefits from a strong economy that helps maintain earnings growth through increased sales. The problem is that a continuation of very rapid earnings growth has already been built into prices. More ominously, equities are now priced higher than their underlying value because foreign investors have not yet bolted and as Americans have started to believe that an investment based solely on price gains is equally risky to one with a guaranteed pay out.

This market really needs lower interest rates to thrive. With inflationary pressures lurking, the dollar tottering and liquidity ample, it's not going to get them.



Bryan and Theresa Smith (right, with the chamber's Joan Zagone) credit their staff with providing award-winning service to customers.

## Team effort wins monthly award for Carpet Market

The whole staff at the Carpet Market in Ruidoso — Bryan Smith, Theresa Smith and Sean Morlack — won the Champion of Customer Service award for September.

Located at 1500 Sudderth Drive, the Carpet Market was opened in March, 1991, by Bryan and his brother Chad.

In 1998, Chad left the store to expand his own business. Bryan and Theresa Smith now own the business, and don't mind saying they are hard-working and honest people who enjoy helping others. And, "our store is very affordable."

Both Smiths and their

family enjoy snowboarding in the winter. Come summer, their Harley Davidson motorcycle awaits.

The "mystery shopper" for the competition-sponsoring Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce, the Greeters and the Ruidoso News had this to say about the Carpet Market:

"They were honest, happy to have you as a customer. Mr. Smith did what he said he would do when he said he would do it. Ruidoso is lucky to have this business."

That was good enough for the store to win the "champion" title.



## CHURCHES

## ASSEMBLY OF GOD

**Apache Indian Assembly of God**  
Mescalero, 671-4747. Donald Pettit, pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 10:45 a.m.; 7 p.m.; Wednesday services: 7 p.m.

**First Assembly of God**  
El Paso Road, Ruidoso, Rev. Bill Leonard, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Sunday morning worship: 10:45 a.m. (includes children's church); Sunday evening praise: 6 p.m.; Wednesday family night: 7 p.m.

## BAPTIST

**Bent Tree Baptist Church of Alto**  
Sunday: 9 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wednesday: 6 p.m. Mile marker: 1, Hwy 220, 3/4 mi. up Airport Rd. Rev. James Crowder, 336-4080.

**First Baptist Church**  
Carrizozo, Hayden Smith, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m., 7:15 p.m.; Church training: 6:30 p.m. Sunday

**First Baptist Church**  
420 Mechem Drive, Ruidoso, NM 88345. (505) 257-2081. Tim Gilliland, Pastor. Sunday: 8:30 a.m.; Contemporary Praise and Worship: 9:15 a.m.; Contemporary Breakfast: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday School/Bible Study: 11 a.m.; Worship Service: 6 p.m.; Prayer/Worship Service, and St. High School Fellowship, Monday: Noon; Tuesday Bible Study and Fellowship: 7:30 a.m.; Wednesday: 7 p.m.; Thursday: 7 p.m.; Friday: 7 p.m.; Saturday: 7 p.m.; Sunday: 7 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
Ruidoso Downs, David Jordan, Pastor. Sunday: 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Evening worship: 6 p.m.; Wednesday: Prayer meeting: 7 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
Tinnie, Bill Jones, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m.

**Iglesia Bautista Vida Eterna**  
Hwy. 70 Ruidoso Downs, Ramon Robledo, Pastor. Domingo: Escuela Dominical 10 a.m.; Culto de Predicacion, 11 a.m.; Culto de Predicacion 6 p.m.; Miercoles: Escuela Biblica 7 p.m.

**Mescalero Baptist Mission**  
Mescalero, Sunday: Sunday school 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m.; 7:15 p.m.; Training union 6:30 p.m. Wednesday services 6:30 p.m.

**Ruidoso Baptist Church**  
126 Church Drive, Palmer Gateway, Wayne Joyce, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 10:45 a.m.; 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study: 7 p.m.

**Trinity Southern Baptist Church**  
(south on Highway 48) M. Capitan Rd. 354-2044. Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.; Worship: 11 a.m.; Stonecroft Friendship Bible Coffee: Wed. 9:30-11 a.m.; Advance: Wed. 6-8 p.m. (5 yrs. through 5th grade); Thurs 7 p.m.; Body-Life Fellowship.

## BAHA'I FAITH

**Baha'i Faith**  
Meeting in members' homes. 257-2987 or 336-7739

## CATHOLIC

**St. Eleanor Catholic Church**  
Ruidoso, 257-2330. Reverend Richard Catnach, Sacrament of Penance: Sat. 4:30 p.m. or by appointment; Sunday Mass: 6 p.m.; Sunday Mass: 10 a.m. (English), 11:30 a.m. (Bilingual); Sacrament of Reconciliation: Sat. 4:30

p.m. Sunday Mass, St. Jude Thaddeus, San Patricio 8 a.m.

**Sacred Heart Catholic Church**  
Capitan, 354-9102. Saturday Mass: 5 p.m.; Sunday Mass: 9 a.m.; Monday Adult Bible Study: 6 p.m.

**Santa Rita Catholic Church**  
Carrizozo, 418-2853. Father Dave Berge, Pastor. Saturday Mass: 6:30 p.m.; Sunday Mass: 11 a.m.; Tuesday Adult Bible Study: 6 p.m.

**St. Theresa Catholic Church**  
Corona, Sunday Mass: 6 p.m.

**St. Joseph Apache Mission**  
Mescalero, Father Tom Herbst, Pastor. Sunday Mass: 10:30 a.m.

**Our Lady of Guadalupe**  
Beit, Father Tom Herbst, Pastor. Saturday Mass: 6 p.m.; Sunday Mass: 8 a.m.

## CHRISTIAN

**First Christian Church**  
(Disciples of Christ)  
Hull and Gavilan Canyon Road, Rev. James M. Smith, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m., 7:15 p.m.; Church training: 6:30 p.m. Sunday

**Church of Christ**  
Capitan - Highway 48, Les Earywood, Minister. Sunday Bible study: 10 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study: 7 p.m.

**Gateway Church of Christ**  
415 Sudderth, Ruidoso, 257-4381. Jimmy Sponteman, Minister. Sunday Bible study: 9:30 a.m.; Sunday worship: 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study: 7 p.m.

**Church of Jesus Christ LDS**  
Ruidoso Branch, North on Hwy. 48, between mile markers 14/15, 336-4859 or 257-9691. Sunday: Sacrament meeting 10 a.m.; Sunday School 11:10 a.m.; Priesthood Relief Soc. 12:10 p.m.; Primary/Young Women: 11:10 a.m.

**Church of Jesus Christ LDS**  
Mescalero Branch, 671-4630. Wray Schilder, President, 671-9506. Sunday: Sacrament meeting 10 a.m.; Sunday School and Primary 11:20 a.m.; Priesthood Relief Soc. & Young Women, 12:10 a.m.

## EPISCOPAL

**Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount**  
121 Mescalero Trail, Ruidoso, Father John W. Park, Rector. Sunday: 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday: 6 p.m.; Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 10:45 a.m.; 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study: 7 p.m.

**St. Anne's Episcopal Chapel**  
Glencoe, Sunday: Holy Eucharist 9 a.m.

**St. Matthias Episcopal Chapel**  
Carrizozo, 6th & E Street. Sunday: Holy Eucharist 9:30 a.m.

## FOUR SQUARE

**Capitan Four Square Church**  
Highway 48, Capitan, Harold W. Perry, Pastor. Sunday School: 10 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m., 7 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study: 7 p.m.

## FULL GOSPEL

**Mission Fountain of Living Water**  
San Patricio, Sunday School 10 a.m.; Evening services: 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Tuesday and Friday.

## JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

**Ruidoso - Kingdom Hall**  
106 Alpine Village Road, 258-3659; 257-3871. Sunday: Public Talk 1:30 p.m.; Watchtower: 2:20 p.m. Monday: Bible Study 7:30 p.m.; Thursday: Ministry School 7:30 p.m.; Service Meet 8:20 p.m.

**Congregacion Hispana de los Testigos de Jehova**  
106 Alpine Village Road, 258-3659; 336-7076. Dom. Reunion Publica 10 a.m.; Estudio de la Biblia 10:50 a.m.; Martes, Escuela del Ministerio Teocratico 7 p.m.; Reunion de servicio 7:50 p.m.; Jueves, Estudio de libro 7:00 p.m.

## LUTHERAN MO. SYNOD

**Shepherd of the Hills**  
1120 Hull Road, 258-4191, 257-5296. Kevin L. Krohn, Pastor. Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 9:30 a.m.; Third Sunday Evening Bible Study, 8:30 p.m., call for location.

## METHODIST

**Community United Methodist Church**  
Junction Road, behind Daylight Donuts; Harry Risher, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 8:30 a.m.; 10:55 a.m.

**Capitan United Methodist Church**  
Pastor Tom Woodward and the congregation of Capitan United Methodist Church welcome Lincoln County residents and visitors alike to attend Bible study Sunday morning at 9:10. Communion is offered during worship on the first Sunday of every month, and a potluck luncheon is served the third Sunday at 12:30. White Oaks and Third in Capitan. 505-648-2846.

**United Methodist Church**  
Trinity - Carrizozo, Tom Woodward, Pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a.m.; Sunday worship 11:10 a.m.

## PENTECOSTAL

**Spirit of Life Apostolic/Pentecostal Tabernacle**  
Lincoln Ave., Capitan, 257-4864. Allan M. Miller, Pastor. Sunday School: 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening Services: 6 p.m.; Tuesday Bible Study: 7 p.m.

## NAZARENE

**Angus Church of the Nazarene**  
Angus, 12 miles north of Ruidoso on Hwy. 48, 336-8032. Charles Hall, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 10:45 a.m.; 6:00 p.m.; Wed. fellowship: 6:30 p.m.

## PRESBYTERIAN

**First Presbyterian Church**  
101 Sutton Drive (Nob Hill), Ruidoso, 257-2220. Vernon Edmondson, Pastor. Sunday: Church school 9:45 a.m.; worship 11 a.m. Potluck fellowship after worship the third Sunday of every month.

**Mountain Ministry Parish Community United Presbyterian Church**  
Ancho, Sunday worship: 9 a.m.; Sunday School: 10 a.m.

**Corona Presbyterian Church**  
Worship 11 a.m.

**Nogal Presbyterian Church**  
Adult Sunday School: 10 a.m.; worship 11 a.m.

## REFORMED CHURCH

**Mescalero Reformed**  
Mescalero, Bob Schuch, Pastor. Sunday: Church school 9:40 a.m.; worship 10:30 a.m.; Mon. Junior high youth 6:30 p.m.; Wed. high school meeting 7 p.m.; Thurs. Kids Club (grades 1-5) 3:30.

## SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

**Seventh Day Adventist**  
207 Parkway, Agua Fria, Ruidoso Downs, 378-4161. Pastor Rick Lytle 443-1904; Assoc. Pastor Wilburn Morrow 622-1206. Saturday: Sabbath school 9:30 a.m.; Church service: 11 a.m. Wednesday: Prayer meeting 7 p.m.

## NON-DENOMINATIONAL

**Abundant Life Family Church**  
2810 Sudderth Drive, Suite 210, 257-1188. Mark Gentry, pastor. Sunday worship 6 p.m. Thursday Bible study 7 p.m.

**American Missionary Fellowship**  
Rick Smith, 682-2503. Monday: Ruidoso men's Bible study noon at Pizza Hut, Mechem Drive; Women's Bible study 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Women's Bible study 6:30 p.m. at Scholastic's Deli, Capitan. High and St. High Youth Groups 6:30 p.m. at Christ Community Fellowship.

**Calvary Chapel**  
433 Sudderth Drive in the Gateway Center, 257-5915. Pastor John Marshall. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday: Mid-week bible study 7 p.m.

**Centro Cristiano Casa de Oracion**  
2818 Sudderth (Pinetree Square), Ruidoso, 257-6142. Pastor Carlos Carrion. Reunion General Jueves 6:00 p.m.; Domingo 10:45 a.m. Club Amistad Sabado 1:00 a.m. (nillos).

**Christ Church in the Downs**  
Ruidoso Downs, 378-8464. Al and Mary Lape, Pastors. Children's ministries concurrent with Sunday Services 9:30 a.m.; worship 8 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.; Thursday: services 7 p.m.

**Christ Community Fellowship**  
Capitan, Highway 380 West, 354-2458. Ed Vinson, Pastor. Sunday school: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship, 10:30 a.m.

**Cornerstone Church**  
Cornerstone Square, 613 Sudderth Drive, 257-9265. B.A. Thurman, Pastor. Sunday services: Adult and children's church, 10:30 a.m.; Bible Study Adult and Youth, Wednesday: 7 p.m.

**Cowboy Church**  
Noon Sundays at the Glencoe Rural Events Center. Everyone welcome. Preacher: Buster Reed of Amarillo. Call 378-4840 for more info.

**Living Word Church**  
441 Mechem, 257-3470. Pastors: Terry and Suzanne Lewis. Sunday: Review services Sunday 10:30 a.m. and 8 p.m. Wednesday: Intercessory prayer noon; mid-week services 7 p.m.

**Peace Chapel Interdenominational (ULC)**  
Also North, 336-7075. Jeanne Price, Pastor. Morning chapel: 6:50 a.m. (Sept. - June); Sunday Services: 11 a.m.

**Trinity Mountain Fellowship**  
Gavilan Canyon Road, 336-4213. Sunday: morning prayer 6:30 a.m.; Sunday school 9 a.m.; service 10 a.m. Thursday: home Bible study 7 p.m.

## CLUBS

**Adult Attention Deficit Disorder Self Help/Support Group**  
7 p.m. first and last Thursday of each month in the conference room at the Lincoln County Medical Center.

**All American Duplicate Club**  
7 p.m. Thursday in the Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center for weekly open and novice games. For more information call 257-9228.

**AL-ANON of Ruidoso**  
8 p.m. every Tuesday at the Gateway Center, 439 Sudderth, Ruidoso. 257-7124

**Alcoholics Anonymous**  
Noon and 8 p.m. every day at the Gateway Center, 439 Sudderth, Ruidoso. 257-9397

**Alto Women's Association**  
11 a.m. Tuesdays at the Alto Club. Noon lunch and cards at 1 p.m. Business meeting the first Tuesday of every month.

**Altura Club**  
7 p.m. the first Tuesday of every month for program and at noon the third Tuesday of every month for lunch at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount, 121 Mescalero Trail, 258-4851

**Alzheimer's Monthly Support Group**  
7-9 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at Ruidoso Care Center. 257-9228

**American Legion**  
Robert I. Haged, Post 79. 7 p.m. the third Wednesday in the American Legion Building at U.S. Highway 70 and Spring Road in Ruidoso Downs. 257-5796

**American Sewing Guild of NM**  
Neighborhood group meeting, 258-3926. 7:30 p.m. the first and third Thursdays of every month in the Elk's Lodge Building, Hwy. 70.

**B.O.D. No. 2086**  
7:30 p.m. the first and third Thursdays of every month in the Elk's Lodge Building, Hwy. 70.

**Boy Scouts of America Troop 59**  
7:30 p.m. Mondays at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Mount, 420-1487

**Children's Teamwork Discipline Program**  
6:30-7:45 p.m. every Wednesday (Sept.-May) at the First Baptist Church (420 Mechem). For children 4 years-6th grade.

**Choir Group**  
6:45 p.m. Tuesdays at 1089 El Paso Road, Las Cruces. Possible carpool. 258-5621

**Christian Horseman's Association**  
336-1341. photo@lookingglass.net. www.christianhorseman.org

**Co-Dependents Anonymous**  
7 p.m. every Tuesday at Texas-New Mexico Power Company. First Tuesday of the month step study meeting; topic meeting all other weeks.

**Community Friends of the Vietnam War**  
6 p.m. the first Monday of each month at the VFW Post 7686-Auxiliary Hall, 700 Hwy. 70 West, Alamogordo.

**Baughters of the American Revolution**  
Second Thursday of the month Sept. through May. For more information call 258-5875 or 258-3622.

**Disabled American Veterans Coe-Curry Chapter 23**  
7 p.m. the first Tuesday of every month in the American Legion Hall at Hwy. 70 and Spring Road, Ruidoso Downs. 257-5796

**Domestic Violence Victims Support Group**  
Noon Tuesdays at the office of Diane Harmon, LISW, RN, Lincoln Tower, 2nd floor suites, Conference Room. 258-4708

**Family Crisis Center**  
24-hour crisis line 257-7366

**Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #26**  
Meets at K-Bob's Steak House Restaurant at noon every Thursday.

## Friends of the Library

4 p.m. the first Monday of every month at the Ruidoso Public Library.

**Friends of Smokey-Capitan, Inc.**  
12:30 p.m. at the Smokey Bear Cafe in Capitan. The public is welcome to attend all meetings and events.

**Gambler's Anonymous**  
3 p.m. every Sunday at the Gateway Center of Christ, 415 Sudderth Drive, Ruidoso (near entrance). For more information call 257-9289.

**Golden Age Club**  
Noon the first and third Wednesdays of every month at the Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center - covered dish lunch and games.

**HIV+ Support Group**  
Second Monday of every month. Loving Others Support Group for friends and family of HIV+ meets the third Tuesday of every month. 257-2236.

**Hunziker Society of Lincoln County**  
10 a.m. the third Saturday of every month at the Alto Country Club.

**Kids Club**  
11 a.m. every Saturday at the Gateway Center at 415 Sudderth, 257-4381 or 378-1113

**Kiwans Club**  
Noon every Tuesday at K-Bob's restaurant on Hwy. 70. Visiting Kiwanis members are always welcome.

**Knights of Columbus**  
Felix E. Dolan Council 7 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in the parish hall at St. Eleanor's Catholic Church. William F. Studer, grand knight.

**La Junta R.C.E.**  
10:45 a.m. the third Wednesday of every month at San Patricio Senior Citizens building, (505) 653-4912

**Libertarian Party of Lincoln County**  
7 p.m. on the second Thursday of every month at the Texas New Mexico Power Building.

**Lincoln County Adult Singles Group**  
6:30 every Thursday for social time or varied program. Additional activities are also planned for weekends. 354-2635. www.nogal.com/icasg

**Lincoln County Bird Club**  
Meets once a month. 257-5352

**Lincoln County Democratic Party**  
Meets once a month. 257-9090

**Lincoln County Food Bank**  
7 p.m. the third Thursday of every month Board meets in St. Eleanor's Catholic Church. Food bank hours: Mon-4 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday. 257-4624

**Lincoln County Homebuilders**  
7 p.m. general meeting every Tuesday of each month at the "Texas Club" 6 p.m. Board of Directors meeting. 257-9090

**Lincoln County Medical Center Auxiliary**  
9:30 a.m. first Tuesday of every month in the LCMC conference room.

**Lincoln County Prides**  
Lincoln County's gay, lesbian and bisexual groups meet at various times throughout the year. 257-0135.

**Lincoln County Sheriff's posse**  
2 p.m. the first Sunday of every month at the Lincoln County Fair Building in Capitan. 354-4263

**Lincoln County Youth Suicide Prevention Task Force**  
6:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of the month at Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church.

**Lions International Evening Lions Club**  
Tuesdays in the Lions Hut on Skyland behind Mountain Laundry for supper.

**Masonic Lodge #73**  
6:30 p.m. dinner; 7:30 p.m. meeting on the first Monday (second Monday if first is a holiday) of every month in the Masonic Family Building at the corner of Mescalero Trail and Nob Hill Drive. 257-9604

**Model Rocket Association**  
First Thursday of every month at the Space Center's Hubbard Space Science Education Building. 800-545-4021.

**Narcotics Anonymous**  
Meets 8 p.m. Tuesday and 1:30 p.m. Sunday at Gateway Church, 415 Sudderth Drive, Ruidoso (near entrance). 378-5621, P.O. Box 1943, Ruidoso Downs NM 88346.

**National Association of Retired Federal Employees, Chapter 139**  
10 a.m. the second Tuesday of every month at the Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center. 258-3493 or 378-4669.

**New Mexico Christian Horseman's Association**  
Trail rides, Bar-B-Que's, fellowship activities, Christian programs. For more information on membership and volunteer positions for the 1998 summer please call 505-336-4675.

**Nocturnal Anonymous**  
8 p.m. Tuesday and 1:30 p.m. Sunday at Gateway Church, 415 Sudderth (entrance behind church). 378-5621.

**Noisy Waters Sertoma Club**  
5:30 p.m. every second Wednesday of the month at K-Bob's. For more information call Evelyn Shaw at 257-9277.

**Optimist Club (Friends of Youth)**  
Noon every Tuesday at Cree Meadows Country Club. New members always welcome. 258-5969 or 258-9218.

**Order of the Eastern Star Ruidoso Chapter #645**  
7:30 the second Thursday of every month in the Masonic Family Building, 144 Nob Hill Rd., Ruidoso.

**R.E.G. Chapter Art Meetings**  
2nd and 4th Tuesdays September thru May. 257-1465

**Photographic Society of Lincoln Co.**  
7:00 p.m. the third Thursday of each month in the Public Meeting Room, 1st floor at the Ruidoso High School. 258-4003

**Pine Top Rod & Custom Car Club**  
7:00 p.m. every second Wednesday of the month in the meeting room at the Texas-New Mexico Power Building, Ruidoso. 257-4451

**Prepared Childbirth Classes**  
7 p.m. Mondays at the Church of the Holy Mount, 121 Mescalero Trail, Ruidoso. 257-4451 (ask for OB dept.)

**Republican Party of Lincoln County**  
6 p.m. the first Monday of each month. 354-4230 or 258-4780

**Republican Women of Lincoln County**  
1:30 a.m. the fourth Tuesday of each month. Board meeting at 10:00 a.m. 257-9851 or 258-9109.

**Rotary International Ruidoso-Mondo Valley Club**  
Noon on Tuesdays at the Swiss Chalet Inn.

**Ruidoso Book Review and Discussion Group Meeting**  
10 a.m. the first Thursday of every month at First Christian Church 1211 Hull Road. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**Ruidoso Care Center Auxiliary**  
11:30 a.m. the third Thursday of every month in the Ruidoso Care Center dining room for free lunch with 24-hour advance reservations. 1:15 program for residents and guests.

**Ruidoso Chess Club**  
6:00 p.m. Tuesdays at Cree Meadows Country Club. New players and all levels welcome. 336-4219, 258-4757.

**Ruidoso Downs Auxiliary**  
7 p.m. the first Monday of every month in the Auxiliary Building, 123 Downs Avenue, Ruidoso Downs. 378-4184 or 378-4766.

**Ruidoso Duplicate Bridge Club**  
1 p.m. every Saturday at the Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center. 257-7411

**Ruidoso Federated Woman's Club**  
1:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month Sept. through May in the Woman's Club Building, 116 Evergreen Road, Ruidoso. 258-1239

**Ruidoso Garden Club**  
10 a.m. the third Tuesday of every month at various locations. 258-5509 or 257-7157

**Ruidoso Gun Club**  
7 p.m. first Monday of each month at the Church of the Holy Mount, Mescalero Trail, Ruidoso.

**Ruidoso Piesmakers Quilting Group**  
7 p.m. the third Tuesday of every month. 257-2446 or 336-8064

**Ruidoso Public Library Board**  
Noon the second Wednesday of every month at the Ruidoso Public Library.

**Ruidoso Shrine Club**  
6:30 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of every month at Cree Meadows Restaurant. 257-3062

**Ruidoso Valley Noon Lions Club**  
Meets 1:30 a.m. every Tuesday for lunch and a short meeting at Cree Meadows Country Club. 258-9169

**Ruidoso Vegetarian Club**  
Meets the third Thursday of each month at the Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center for their monthly potluck. Please bring a meatless dish or suggested donation for the club. 257-2172

**SHHH! - Self Help for Hard of Hearing People, Inc. - Smokey Bear Chapter**  
7 p.m. the fourth Thursday of each month at the Texas-New Mexico Power Company, 1100 Mechem Drive, Ruidoso. 258-1082.

**Sierra Blanca Amateur Radio Club**  
9 a.m. every Saturday. Location to be announced on 146.920 MHz after 8 a.m. 257-2135

**Sierra Blanca Duplicate Bridge Club**  
1 p.m. Tuesday at the Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center for weekly open and novice games. 257-9228

**Sierra Blanca Swingers**  
8 p.m. the first and third Thursday of each month at Nob Hill Elementary for basic and mainstream square dancing. 257-3193; 336-4808

**Stress Management Group**  
4 p.m. Mondays at The Counseling Center, 206 Sudderth Drive, Ruidoso. This group is free and open to the public. 257-5038

**The Party Bridge Group**  
1 p.m. Wednesday and Friday at the R



## Cowboy Life comes to school



• "Cowboy Life" was a recent study and reading theme for Carrizozo's fourth grade class. Mrs. Rima Davis of Alto, a new teacher, encouraged her boys and girls to try newspaper reporting on the subject, after some 'hands on' experience with a presentation by parent Rex Wilson, a rancher from Ancho.

BY ERIN HIGHTOWER  
CARRIZOZO FOURTH GRADE

Our 4th grade class a few weeks ago had a week of learning about cowboys.

1. In the first picture, Andreas Garcia and our teacher, Mrs. Davis, show off his homemade jerky.

2. In the next picture, Autumn Kratochvil and Erin Hightower are mixing "Trash". Some of its contents are marshmallows, pork skins, and cheese puffs.

Mmmmm!...Delicious!!!

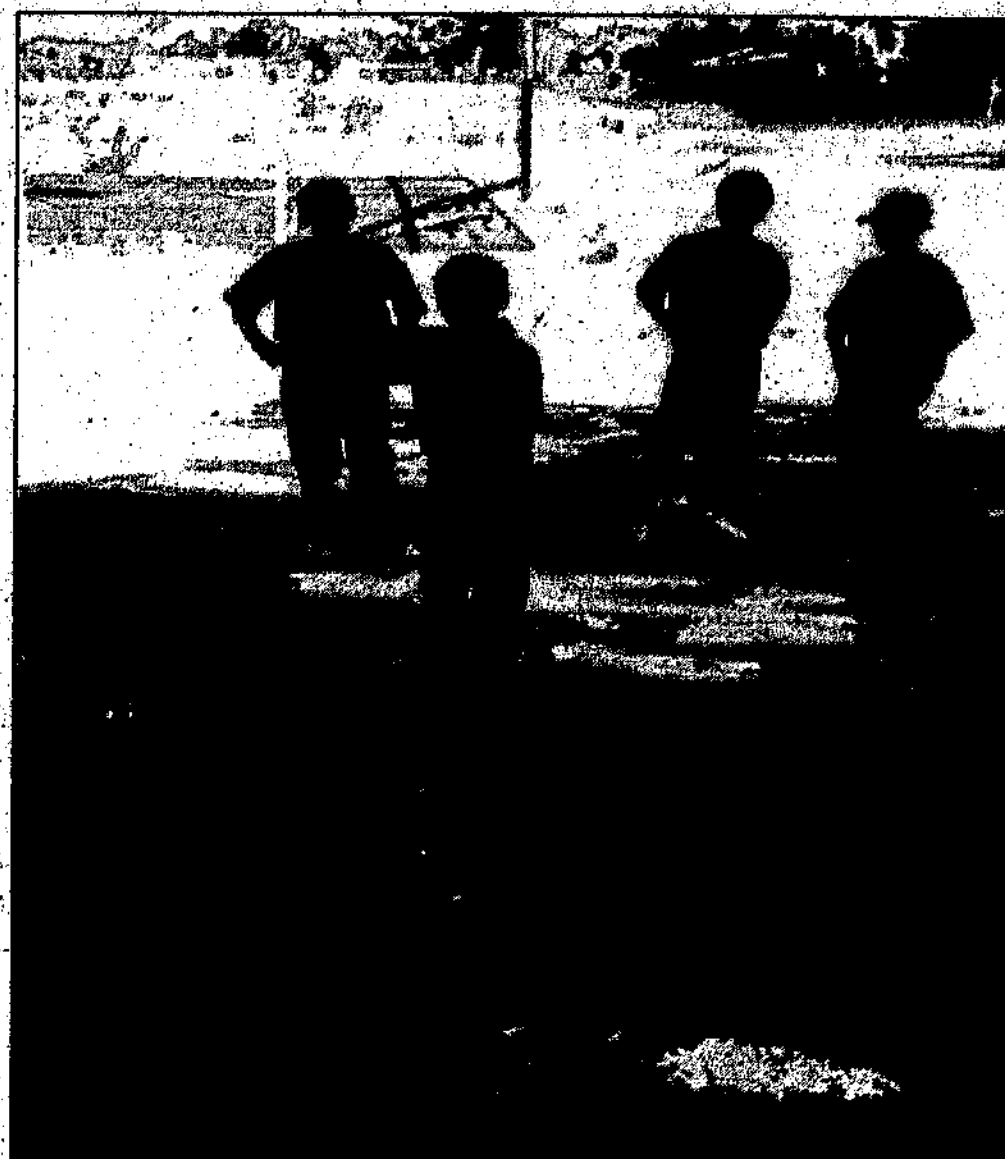
3. The third picture shows Mr. Rex Wilson showing Robert Morales how to hold a rope. Other than a rope, Mr. Wilson also brought a saddle and branding irons.

4. We had a lot of fun roping Casey. Autumn Kratochvil, Sara Comstock and, Erin Hightower are practicing roping and Erin is showing Sara how to hold the rope.

5. Kevin Gore, Robert Morales, Kendal Wilson, Andreas Garcia, Casey Barela, Matthew Zamora, Jude Renney, Greg Vigil and Gabriel New are posing for the camera."

6. Kyle Labelle, Chilo Rimple, and T.J. Furness are standing back for Greg Vigil to throw the rope.

NOTE: "Trash" is trail mix, and Casey is a roping dummy.



Photographs by  
Rima Davis



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I am requesting enrollment in your Retirement Deposit Protection Plan. I understand that I must have a checking or savings account with Ruidoso State Bank that has been open at least three (3) months by December 1, 1999, and that you have received at least two (2) electronic retirement payments for credit to my account. Immediately qualifying plans include all federal and state retirement programs. Other plans will require approval on a case by case basis.

I understand that in the event my electronic retirement deposit is delayed or fails to be transmitted by my designated agency:

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SATURDAY EVENING					OCTOBER 9, 1999						
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2	KASA Cops (In)Anapols	Cops (R) (In)	America's Most Wanted: Fights Back		X-Files "At Souls" (In)		Mad TV (In)		Outer Limits: A Jailed Inventor Is Back in the Machine		Polettergeist
3	KENW Lawrence Walk Show "Strike Up the Band"		Austin City Limits "Boz Scaggs" (R) (In)		Nova "Fall of the Leaning Tower of Pisa" (R)		Frontline "Secrets of the SAT" (In)		In the Wild "Zoo Babies With Whoopi Goldberg"		Austin City Limits (R)
4	KORR Major League Baseball Playoffs: Div. 2 - Teams TBA		Sinfeld (In)		Connecting With Kids		Dateline (In)		Saturday Night Live (In)		Xena: Warrior
5	CNN Larry King Weekend (In)		People Count: 6 Billion (In)		Sports Tonight (In)		World Beat		Moneyweek (R) (In)		Sports Tonight (In)
6	KOAT A.C. "The American Revolution of Sports: How to make it on a track and field"		1998 Super Bowl: A Party in the Heart of the Nation		Russell: The Party, A Party		News (In)		(35) ER "Masquerade" (In)		(35) New York Undercover (In)
7	ET True Hollywood Story (In)		True Hollywood Story (In)		Wild On Spring break spots on North America		Playmates of the 1990s		Wild On Jules Asner heads to Australia (R)		Coming Attractions
8	USA A.C. "The American Revolution of Sports: How to make it on a track and field"		Police Story Part 2: Crime Movie Screening (In)		(1998) Action Movie: Tuna (In)		A.C. "Strike Day: A black minister preaches on the people's experience"		(1998) Action Movie: The People's Experience		Police Story Part 2: Crime Movie Screening (In)
9	KBIN College Football New Mexico at San Diego State, (Live)						News (In)		Balloon Fiesta		(10:50) Amazon "Suffer the Little Children" (In)
10	KASY A.C. "Coming to America: A Comedy" (In)		Storm Warning! (R)		Ultimate Guide "Dolphin" (R)		Sharks of the Golden Triangle		Justice Files "Doing Time"		New Detectives
11	DSC Why Dogs Smile: Primary Caretaker (R)		Storm Warning! (R)		Ultimate Guide "Dolphin" (R)		Sharks of the Golden Triangle		Justice Files "Doing Time"		New Detectives
12	TNN Ryman Country Homecoming (In)		Oak Ridge Boys Live From Las Vegas (R) (In)		Opry Backstage		Ryman Country Homecoming (R) (In)		Oak Ridge Boys Live From Las Vegas (R) (In)		Week-County
13	FAM Police Story Part 2: Crime Movie Screening (In)		Police Story Part 2: Crime Movie Screening (In)		Police Story Part 2: Crime Movie Screening (In)		Police Story Part 2: Crime Movie Screening (In)		Police Story Part 2: Crime Movie Screening (In)		Police Story Part 2: Crime Movie Screening (In)
14	HBO Sex and the City (R)		Sex and the City (R)		Sex and the City (R)		Sex and the City (R)		Sex and the City (R)		Sex and the City (R)
15	HBO-2 Inside the NFL (In)		Inside the NFL (In)		Inside the NFL (In)		Inside the NFL (In)		Inside the NFL (In)		Inside the NFL (In)
16	HBO-3 The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)		The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)		The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)		The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)		The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)		The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)
17	SHOW Rude Awakening (In)		Rude Awakening (In)		Rude Awakening (In)		Rude Awakening (In)		Rude Awakening (In)		Rude Awakening (In)
18	MAX Pleasure Zone (In)		Pleasure Zone (In)		Pleasure Zone (In)		Pleasure Zone (In)		Pleasure Zone (In)		Pleasure Zone (In)
19	DISN Zorro (In)		Zorro (In)		Zorro (In)		Zorro (In)		Zorro (In)		Zorro (In)
20	TNT Spin and Marty (In)		Spin and Marty (In)		Spin and Marty (In)		Spin and Marty (In)		Spin and Marty (In)		Spin and Marty (In)
21	AMC Wall Street Presents "Disneyland Story" (R)		Wall Street Presents "Disneyland Story" (R)		Wall Street Presents "Disneyland Story" (R)		Wall Street Presents "Disneyland Story" (R)		Wall Street Presents "Disneyland Story" (R)		Wall Street Presents "Disneyland Story" (R)
22	KRPV Luz de Suoroste		Luz de Suoroste		Luz de Suoroste		Luz de Suoroste		Luz de Suoroste		Luz de Suoroste
23	COM South Park (R)		South Park (R)		South Park (R)		South Park (R)		South Park (R)		South Park (R)
24	TLC Billion Dollar Fun (R)		Billion Dollar Fun (R)		Billion Dollar Fun (R)		Billion Dollar Fun (R)		Billion Dollar Fun (R)		Billion Dollar Fun (R)
25	TCM The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)		The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)		The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)		The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)		The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)		The Untouchables (1960s Western) (In)
26	UNI Sábado Gigante Internacional		Sábado Gigante Internacional		Sábado Gigante Internacional		Sábado Gigante Internacional		Sábado Gigante Internacional		Sábado Gigante Internacional
27	ESPN College Football Georgia at Tennessee		College Gamenight		Major League Baseball Playoffs Divisional Round Game 3 or 4 - Teams to Be Announced (Live)		College Gamenight		College Gamenight		Sportscenter
28	NICK Cartoon Network		Cartoon Network		Cartoon Network		Cartoon Network		Cartoon Network		Cartoon Network
29	SciFi The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files
30	FX The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files
31	H&G Room for Change (In)		Room for Change (In)		Room for Change (In)		Room for Change (In)		Room for Change (In)		Room for Change (In)
32	CNN-FN (Off Air)		(Off Air)		(Off Air)		(Off Air)		(Off Air)		(Off Air)
33	WTBS The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files
34	WGN The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files
35	LIFE The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files		The X-Files
36	FSSW (6:00) College Football Iowa State at Nebraska		(6:15) College Football Pac-10 Game - Teams to Be Announced. (Live)								
37	ESPN2 (6:00) College Football Clemson at North Carolina State, (Live)										
38	OUTD Complete Rider		Wonderdog		Equestrian: NCHA Derby		College Gamenight		NFL 2Night		Sportscenter
39	HIST Wrath of God: Disasters in America		Century: America's Time (R)		Century: America's Time (R)		History's Lost & Found (R)		Wrath of God: Disasters in America		Century: Amer.
40	A&E Touch of Frost An old adversary of Frost's becomes suspect in an attempted armed robbery.		Top 10 "Greatest Television Commercials"		Biography "Martha Raye: In Love and War"		Touch of Frost "Private Lives" (R)		Touch of Frost "Private Lives" (R)		Touch of Frost "Private Lives" (R)
41	CNBC (6:00) National Geographic Explorer		Tim Russert (R)		National Geographic Explorer (R)		Ushuaia		Ushuaia		Squawk Box
42	CMAA2 A.C. "The American Revolution of Sports: How to make it on a track and field"		Police Story Part 2: Crime Movie Screening (In)		(1998) Action Movie: Tuna (In)		A.C. "Strike Day: A black minister preaches on the people's experience"		(1998) Action Movie: The People's Experience		Police Story Part 2: Crime Movie Screening (In)

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**WEEKDAY MORNING**

	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00
2 KASA	Mad About You	Family Feud	Donny & Marie		Marla Short		Judge Mathis		Divorce Court	National Enquirer	Inside Edition
3 KENW	Miller Rogers	Puzzle Place	Banney & Friends	Teletubbies	Instructions	Varied Programs		SH and Be Fr	Varied Programs		Dragon Tales
4 KOBR	(7:00) Today		Later Today		Letta		Janney Jones		News		Days of Our Lives
5 QNN	(7:00) Morning News			CNN & Company	NewsDay	Burden of Proof	CNN Today				Talkback Live
7 KOAT	(7:00) Good Morning America		Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee		The View		All My Children		News		One Life to Live
8 EI	True Hollywood Story		Varied Programs		News Daily	Varied Programs		Fashion Emergency	Talk Soup	Too Close for Comfort	Kate & Allie
9 USA	Ned and Stacey	Fired Up	Wings	Wings	Working	Naked Truth	Single Guy	Boston Common	Movie		
10 KBIM	Sally		Martha Stewart Living		As the World Turns		Price is Right		News	Bold, Beautiful	Young-Forestess
12 KASY	Doug	Hercules	Mummies Alive!	Ext. Ghostbstr	P/I	Hogan's Heroes	Forgive or Forget		Roseanne Show		Sally
13 DSC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Assignment Discovery		Home Matters		Design		Christopher
14 TNN	Alice	Real McCoy's	Dallas	Varied Programs	Aleane's Creative Living		Waltons		Dallas		Crook & Chase
15 FAM	Varied Programs		Donkey Kong	3 Friends, Jerry	It's Icky Bitty Time!	CBN Special	700 Club	Varied Programs	Baby Knows	It's Icky Bitty Time!	It's Icky Bitty Time!
17 HBO	Movie			Varied Programs							
18 HBO-2	Movie		Movie	Varied Programs					Movie	Varied Programs	
19 HBO-3	Movie		(15) Movie	Varied Programs			(15) Movie	Varied Programs			
20 SHOW	(15) Movie	Varied Programs			(15) Movie	Varied Programs					
21 MAX	(15) Movie	Movie	Varied Programs			Movie	Varied Programs		(15) Movie	Varied Programs	
22 DISN	Bear in House	Little Mermaid	Winnie the Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of the Box	Bear in House	Madeline	Katie and Orbie	Amazing Animals	DuckTales	Timon & Pumbaa
23 TNT	In the Heat of the Night					Varied Programs	Movie				Kung Fu: Legend
24 AMC	Movie	Varied Programs									
25 KRPV	Varied Programs	Life in the Word	Kenneth Copeland	Duane Sheriff	Varied Programs		News	Make Your Day Count	Varied Programs	John Hagee Today	Light-Southwest
27 COM	Paid Program	Paid Program	Soap	Make Me Laugh	Daily Show	Stain's Money	Movie				Daily Show
28 TLC	Big Garage	Jay Jay the Jet	Pappyland	Skinamarink TV	Wedding Story	Reunion	Dating Story	Dating Story	Baby Story	Baby Story	Wedding Story
29 TCM	Movie	Varied Programs					Movie	Varied Programs			
32 UNI	Malle		Navasura del Corazon		Luz Maria		El Pais de las Mujeres		Cuando Hay Panlon		El Gordo y la Peca
38 ESPN	Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter	Varied Programs					
39 NICK	Franklin	Rock's Life	Hay Arnold	Rugrats	Kipper	Blue's Clues	Little Bear	Franklin	Gullah Gullah	Busy World	Little Bear
40 Sci-Fi	Forever Knight		Dark Shadows	Dark Shadows	Night Night	Beyond Reality	Twilight Zone	Twilight Zone	Lost in Space		Quantum Leap
41 FX	MPA'S'H	MPA'S'H	MPA'S'H	MPA'S'H	Picket Fences		Beverly Hills, 90210		Beverly Hills, 90210		90210
42 H&G	Decorating With Style	Room by Room	Topical Mary Ellen	Smart Solutions	Appraise III	At the Auction	Home Grown	All in Good Taste	Carol Duvall	Simply Outfits	Today at Home
43 CNN-FN	(7:30) Market Coverage					Market Coverage					
44 WTBS	Little House: A New Beginning	Rock's Life	Hay Arnold	Rugrats	Kipper	Blue's Clues	Little Bear	Franklin	Gullah Gullah	Busy World	Little Bear
45 WGN	Knight Rider		Dark Shadows	Dark Shadows	Night Night	Beyond Reality	Twilight Zone	Twilight Zone	Lost in Space		Quantum Leap
46 LIFE	Party of Five		Chicago Hope		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie				Party of Five
48 FSSW	Varied Programs	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Sports Source	Varied Programs			
49 ESPN2	Varied Programs		NFL 2Night	RPM 2Night	Varied Programs						
50 OUTD	Adventure Quest		Horse World		Varied Programs	Fat Traxx	In-Line America	Surfer Magazine	Sport Driver	Cance & Kayak	Outdoor Prod.
51 HIST	In Search Of...	In Search Of...	FBI: Untold St.	Crimes & Trials	Weapons at War		Varied Programs		20th Century		In Search Of...
52 A&E	Equalizer		Murder, She Wrote		Simon & Simon	Varied Programs	Law & Order		Northern Exposure		Quincy
54 CNBC	Market Watch				Power Lunch				Street Signs		
55 CMAX2	(7:00) Movie	Movie	Varied Programs			Movie			(05) Movie	Varied Programs	

**WEEKDAY AFTERNOON**

	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30
2 KASA	Divorce Court	Judge Mills Lane	Magic School Bus	Power Playbook	Beast Wars	Digimon-Digital	Power Rangers	Home Improvements	Friends	Baseball	Varied Programs
3 KENW	Reading Rainbow	Arthur	Sesame Street		Zoboomatoo	Imagination Station	Wishbone	News	Business Rpt.	NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	
4 KOBR	Days of Our Lives	Passions		Montal Williams		Rose O'Donnell		News	NBC News	News	Seinfeld
5 CNN	(1:00) Talkback	Street Sweep	Showbiz Today	Inside Politics		Worldview	Moneyline Newshour		Crossfire	World Today	
7 KOAT	(1:00) One Life to Live	General Hospital		Maury		Oprah Winfrey		News	ABC Wid News	News	Ent. Tonight
8 EI	Mysteries & Scandals	True Hollywood Story		Varied Programs		Talk Soup	News Daily	Fashion Emergency	Model	Talk Soup	Mysteries & Scandals
9 USA	(12:30) Movie	Baywatch		Pacific Blue		Xena: Warrior Princess		JAG		Walker, Texas Ranger	
10 KBIM	Young-Realness	Guiding Light		Dr. Joy Browne		Hollywood Squares	News	CBS Evening	News	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune
12 KASY	(1:00) Sally	Jerry Springer		Dream Maker		Judge Joe Brown	Judge Joe Brown	Ricki Lake		3rd Rock-Sun	3rd Rock-Sun
13 DSC	Christopher	Home Matters		Design		Christopher Lowell		Great Chats	Great Chats	Crime Shelter	
14 TNN	(1:00) Crook & Chase	Real McCoys	Real McCoys	Dukes of Hazzard		Alice	Alice	Waltons		Varied Programs	
15 FAM	Wiggles	Storytime With	Bobby's World	Life With Louie	3 Friends, Jerry	Varied Programs		Beth Gr. Allen	Big Wolf on Campus	New Addams	Two of a Kind
17 HBO	(1:00) Movie	Varied Programs		Movie		Varied Programs				Movie	
18 HBO-2	(12:30) Movie	Varied Programs		Varied Programs		Movie	Varied Programs			Larry Sanders	Dennis Miller
19 HBO-3	Varied Programs	(1:15) Movie		Varied Programs		Movie	Varied Programs				
20 SHOW	(12:30) Movie	Varied Programs		Movie		Varied Programs		(1:15) Movie	Varied Programs		
21 MAX	(12:15) Movie	Movie		Varied Programs						Movie	
22 DISN	Aladdin	Going Wild!	Ready or Not	Almost Home	Growing Pains	Growing Pains	Smart Guy	Movie	Varied Programs		(1:45) Movie
23 TNT	Kung Fu: Legend	L.A. Heat		In the Heat of the Night		Due South		ER		Movie	
24 AMC	(12:30) Movie	Movie		Varied Programs		Movie				Varied Programs	
25 KRPV	(1:00) Light of the Southwest			Varied Programs				News	John Hages Today	Light of the Southwest	
27 COM	VS.	Saturday Night Live		Kids in the Hall	Kids in the Hall	Varied Programs	Stein's Money	Movie			
28 TLC	Wedding Story	Baby Story	Wedding Story	Hometime	Hometime	Home Again	Home Again	Clinton - A Marriage of Power		Varied Programs	
29 TCM	Varied Programs	Movie							Varied Programs	Movie	
32 UNI	El Bialdazo	Cristina		Primer Impacto		Fuera de Serie	Noticiero Univision	Sofadoras		El Privilegio de Amar	
38 ESPN	Baseball Tonight	Baseball		Varied Programs							
39 NICK	Blue's Clues	Franklin	Kipper	Doug	Doug	Hey Arnold!	Ace Ventura	Garfield-Friends	Rocko's Life	You Asked? Kenan & Kel	
40 SciFi	Star Trek: Voyager	Star Trek: Voyager		Star Trek		Hercules: The Legendary Journeys		Varied Programs			
41 FX	Sex and the City	Sex and the City		MP4-H	MP4-H	MP4-H	MP4-H	MP4-H	MP4-H	MP4-H	MP4-H
42 H&G	Homeless	Decorating With Style	Varied Programs	Grow It	Design's Landscape	Fit It Up!	Dream Builders	The Old House	Yankee Shop	Varied Programs	
43 CNN-FN	Market Coverage	Street Sweep		Capital Ideas	Take It Personally	Big Buzz	Moneyline Newshour	Digital Jam		Business Unusual	
44 WTBS	(1:00) Cosby Show	(1:00) Cosby Show	(1:00) Cosby Show	(1:00) Full House	(1:00) Full House	(1:00) Roseanne	(1:00) Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	(1:00) Movie	
45 WGN	(1:00) MacGyver	Full House	Full House	Cooby Show	Parents Hood	Wayans Bros.	Fresh Prince	Caroline in the City	Caroline in the City	Movie	
46 LIFE	(1:00) Party of Five	Ellen	Ellen	Designing Women	Designing Women	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait		Chicago Hope	
48 FSNW	Varied Programs							FOX Sports News	Last Word	Varied Programs	
49 ESPN2	Varied Programs			ESPN News	Varied Programs				NFL 2Night	Varied Programs	
50 OUTD	Golf Fishin'	Fish'n Caridee	Sportshin' G	Amr Outdoors	Hooked on Scotland	Complete Angler	Sports, Inc.	Varied Programs			
51 HIST	In Search	FBI: Unsub	Crimes & Trials	Weapons at War		Varied Programs		20th Century		Varied Programs	
52 A&E	(1:00) Quincy	Equinox		Murder, She Wrote	Sharon	Varied Programs		Law & Order		Biography	
54 CNBC	Street Signs	Market Wrap		Market Wrap		Edge	Business Center	Unlton Tonight		Hardball	
55 CMAX	Movie	Movie						Movie		Varied Programs	



MONDAY EVENING											
OCTOBER 11, 1999											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
KASA	(6:00) Major League Baseball Playoffs: Divisional Round Game 5 - Teams to Be Announced.				Stargate SG-1 (Part 3 of 3)		Simpsons (R)	Change of Heart (R)	Change of Heart (R)	(35) Blind Date	Access Hollywood
KENW	Antiques Roadshow (Part 2 of 2)		Red Files (Part 3 of 4)		Horstler (Part 3 of 3)		All About (R)	Treasures (R)	Antiques Roadshow (Part 2 of 2)		News-Letter
KOBH	Suddenly Susan (R)	Veponica's Susan (R)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Hysteria"		Dateline (R)		News (R)	(35) Tonight Show (R)	(37) Frasier (R)	(12:07) Late Night	
CNN	Larry King Live: Inna Trump (Live Phone-In)		Newsstand		Sports Tonight (R)	Moneyline (R)	Larry King Live: Inna Trump (R)		Newsstand (R)		Sports Tonight (R)
KOAT	NFL Football: Jacksonville Jaguars at New York Jets. From Glens Stadium in Jacksonville, Fla. (Live)				News (R)	(35) Chasers (R)	(35) Extra (R)	(35) Nightline (R)	(12:06) Victory Love		
ET	True Hollywood Story: "Sean and Madonna"		Truth About Blondie (R)		Howard Stern (R)	Howard Stern (R)	El Rocio: The wide world of eroticism (R)	Talk Soup (R)	Mysteries & Scandals (R)	Howard Stern (R)	
USA	Wrestling: WWF Raw (R)	Wrestling: WWF War Zone (R)	GRE: "Sunday Night Evil" (R)		Silk Stalkings: "Pirates of Palm Beach" (R)		News (R)	(35) Late Show (R)	(37) Judge Judy (R)	(12:07) Late Night	
KBIM	King of Queens (R)	Ladies Man (R)	Everybody Loves Raymond (R)		Family Law: "Prisoners" (R)		News (R)	(35) Late Show (R)	(37) Judge Judy (R)	(12:07) Late Night	
KASY	Mooshy: "Fired Up"	Parkers (R)	Grown Ups (R)	Madeline (R)	M*A*S*H (R)	Cops (R)	Jerry Springer (R)	Real TV (R)	Newsradio: "Sleeping" (R)	PI	
OSC	Your New House (R)		Wild Discovery: "Giant Otter" (R)		On the Inside: "U.S. Navy SEALs" (R)		Transplant (R)	Ultimate Guide "7-Row" (R)	On the Inside (R)		
TNN	Prime Time Country (R)		Funny Business: "With Charlie Chase" (R)		Dallas: "Love and Marriage" (R)		Duke of Hazzard: "Farewell, Hazzard" (R)	Prime Time Country (R)	Funny Business (R)		
FAM	Who's the Boss? (R)	Who's the Boss? (R)	Wild Animals: "Show Me the Funny" (R)		"Dead, the Angel & Me" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	Famous Families (R)	700 Club (R)		
HBO	Autopsy: "Secrets of the Dead" (R)		Autopsy: "Secrets of the Dead" (R)		Reverend (R)		Chris Rock: "The Art of the Stand-Up" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
HBO-2	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
HBO-3	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
SHOW	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
MAX	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
DEN	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
TNT	(6:00) Wrestling: WWF Monday Nitro (Live)										
AMC	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
KRPV	(6:00) Light of the Southwest		Richard Roberts		Life in the Word (R)		Faith Pleases God	Light of the Southwest			
COM	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
TLC	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
TCM	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
UNI	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
ESPN	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
NICK	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)		
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KENW	Nova: "Time Travel" (R)		Frontline: "Mafia Power Play" (R)		You Should Know (R)		Voyage to the Milky Way (R)	Going Places: "Miami" (R)			News-Letter
KOBH	Major League Baseball Playoffs: National League Championship Series Game 1 - Teams TBA				Fraser (R)		News (R)	(35) Tonight Show (R)	(37) Frasier (R)	(12:07) Late Night	
CNN	Larry King Live: Live Phone-In		Newsstand		Sports Tonight (R)	Moneyline (R)	Larry King Live (R)		Newsstand (R)		Sports Tonight (R)
KOAT	Spin City (R)	It's Like, You (R)	Dharma & Greg (R)	Sports Tonight (R)	Once and Again: "Lars and Other Strangers" (R)		News (R)	(35) Chasers (R)	(35) Extra (R)	(35) Nightline (R)	Headline News (R)
ET	True Hollywood Story: A chronicle of the triumphs and tragedies of a royal family of Monaco (R)		Howard Stern (R)		Howard Stern (R)		Wild On: "Wild on the South Seas" (R)	Talk Soup (R)	Mysteries & Scandals (R)	Howard Stern (R)	
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KASY	Dilbert (R)	Shasta McNasty (R)	The Strip: "Games Without Frontiers" (R)		M*A*S*H (R)	Cops (R)	Jerry Springer (R)	Real TV (R)	Newsradio: "Sleeping" (R)	PI	
OSC	Your New House (R)		Wild Discovery: "Wild Dogs" (R)		On the Inside: "Marine Corps Boot Camp" (R)		New Detectives: "Case Studies: Forensic" (R)	FBI Files: "Hired Gun" (R)	On the Inside (R)		
TNN	Prime Time Country (R)		To Be Announced		Dallas: "Young lawyer encouraged to marry Lucy" (R)		Duke of Hazzard: "Duke's Shadow" (R)	Prime Time Country (R)	To Be Announced (R)		
FAM	Who's the Boss? (R)	Who's the Boss? (R)	Wild Animals: "Show Me the Funny" (R)		"Dangerous Waters" (R)		1999: "The Last Days of the Titanic" (R)	Exploring the Unknown (R)	700 Club (R)		
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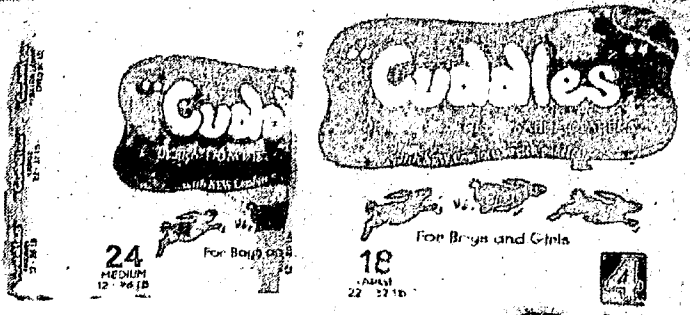
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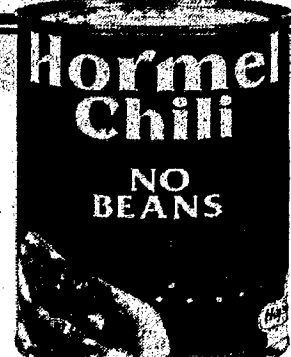
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*Dianne Stallings*

THE LINCOLN COUNTY Cowboy Symposium kicks off today and lasts through the weekend. There will be food, music and more. For more information, please see page 3D.

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*The Arts*

VAMONOS!



Dianne Stallings

COOKIN' UP some grub for the Lincoln County Cowboy Symposium.

## Stirring up tradition

by Dianne Stallings  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

*A* BLACK DUTCH OVEN stuffed with sour dough biscuits browning in a bed of hot embers and a bubbling dish of peach cobbler cooking to a finish over a fire draw visitors to the Texas Cowboy Outfitters chuckwagon each October during the Lincoln County Cowboy Symposium.

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# THE ARTS

## TRADITION

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Dianne Stallings

PAULA MORRIS AND TED CREWS cook up some meat and potatoes for the Chuckwagon Cook-off.

Manning the pots full of beans and pans stuffed with meat and gravy this weekend are Glenn Moreland and Brad Whitfield from Fort Davis, Texas.

"I've been up there every year, first with the Prude Ranch and then I worked for the Cow Camp Cattle Company, but the last few years it's been the Texas Outfitters," said Moreland, who also works as a blacksmith, restores chuckwagons and caters Western dinners.

The chuckwagon competition is one of the focal points of the symposium that started today and runs through Sunday, celebrating the life of the cowboy in song, fiddle, poetry, demonstrations, food, clothing and accessories. This year, the symposium moved to the Ruidoso Downs Race Track to spread out and bring in more activities and exhibitors. Entertainment is scheduled simultaneously on five stages inside and outdoors.

A children's activity area is new, as well as an encampment of a cavalry regiment enactment group. Exhibitors are tucked all around the main building selling the exotic, such as buffalo bone art, and the useful, like tack and other leather goods.

Concession food, a buffet at

the Billy the Kid Casino and 41 chuckwagons guarantee visitors will be well fed.

Moreland grew up in rural Fort Davis, working on his mother-in-law's ranch. Off hours, he stayed busy creating with wood and metal. He started collecting wagons in the 1960s before the days of cooking and authenticity competitions. He used his wagons in parades and to display his wood and metal designs.

While working for Chipper Prude, Moreland heard about chuckwagon cook-offs, but after a few years, Prude burned out. Moreland didn't.

"Authenticity of the wagon was my first concentration and then I got into cooking," he said.

The chuckwagon he's using at the symposium came from Fort Bend, Texas and Moreland rebuilt it twice in the last 30 years.

After reading scores of books on the subject, he's confident the last version is more authentic.

"The wheels are the hardest and most critical for the right fit," he said. "A lot of the hardware no longer exists and I have to make things like the metal pins."

By last week, Moreland hadn't settled firmly on his menu, but planned on preparing beef tips, mashed potatoes, beans, cobbler



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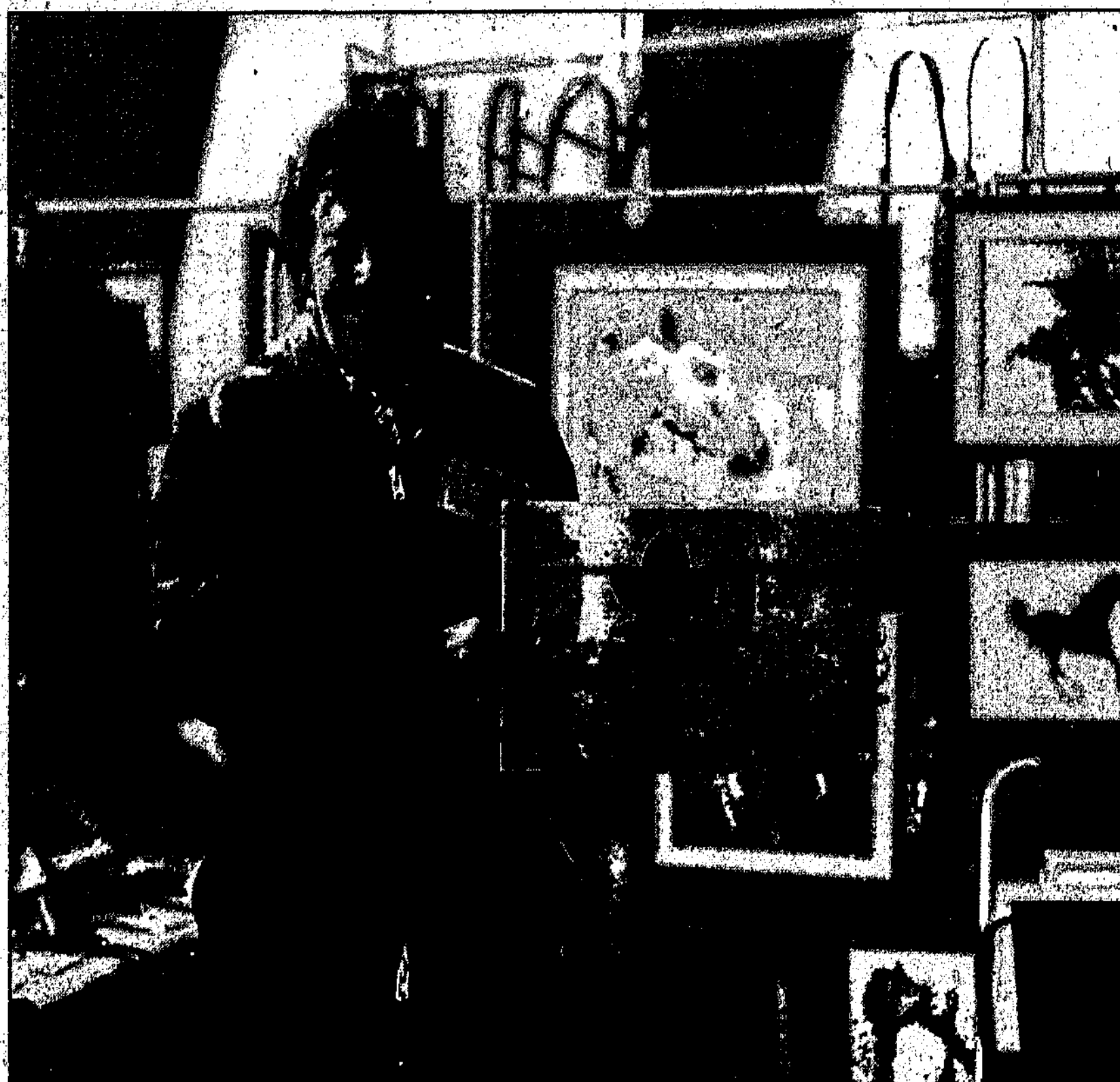
Dianne Stallings

PARTICIPANTS IN AN ARENA EVENT during last year's Cowboy Symposium.



Linda Wallace

ARTIST JUDY WELCH from Chaparral, New Mexico participates in the symposium every year.



and sour dough bread.

Preparations begin about five hours before judging at noon Saturday. Beans cook the longest, then the beef. Cobblers can be fixed three hours ahead and kept warm. Timing for the bread is critical.

"We're trying to win first place," Moreland said. "We won second a few years ago. But either way, we love coming to Ruidoso."

They compete in about six cook-offs a year, he said. During judging, only bed rolls are scattered around Moreland's camp. Later, he adds a few chairs for guests, who pay \$12.50 to sit down for a hardy lunch.

Moreland said he acquired his cooking skills by watching and talking to old camp cooks in his area — and convincing them to part with their recipes. To hone his skills, Moreland cooks for a deer camp during hunting season. His wagon is easy to find. It's close to the stage in the chuck-wagon area.

Authenticity scoring is based on the overall impression of the wagon, said Katy Bowen, event coordinator with the Hubbard Museum of the American West. This includes the condition of a wagon and its brakes, the wagon seat, the condition of the canvas sheet and tie-down, the chuck box, the water barrel, the coffee grinder, the tongue and harness and the food.

Meat can be prepared in any style, but can't have additives such as barbecue or chili, she said. Cooks have a choice of sour dough or plain biscuit or cornbread. Preparation of dessert, beans and potatoes is wide open, except no potato salad or scalloped potatoes, because dishes must conform to what a camp cook could prepare on the trail.

General admission to the symposium is \$10 a day for adults, \$5 for members of the Hubbard Museum or the Symposium. Children 12 and under are free. Dances at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday are \$12.50, \$10 for members.



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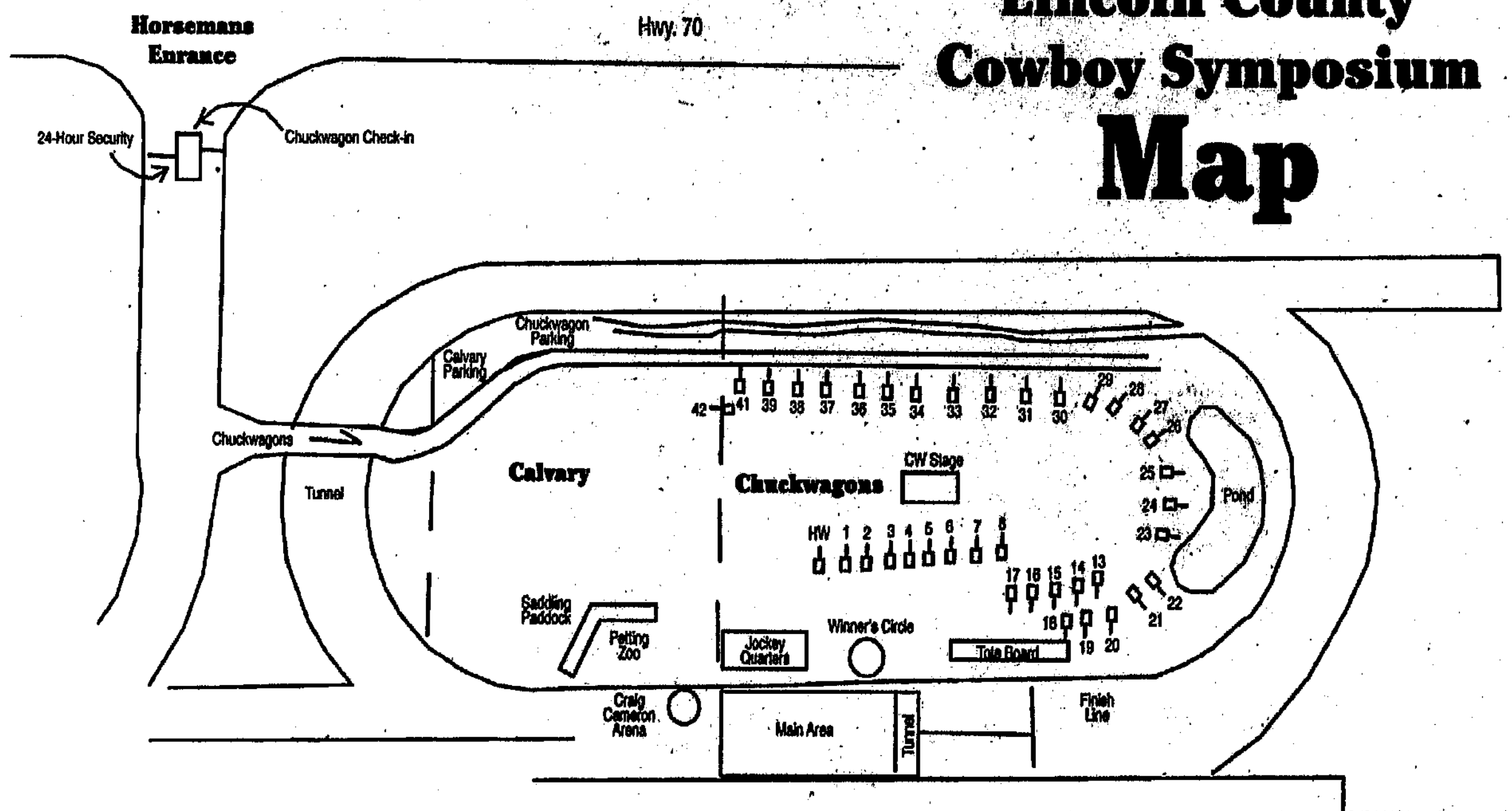
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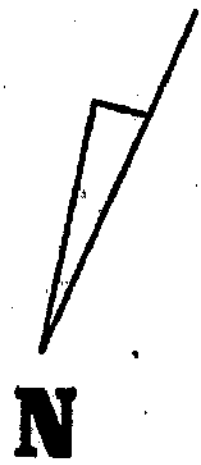
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KAREN REEDER'S work dabbles in fantasy and the surreal.

### Ruidoso teacher is Chamber artist for October

Karen Reeder, the art teacher at the Ruidoso High School, has her work on display at the Chamber of Commerce this October. Karen Reeder was a 1975 graduate of Texas Tech University where she received a Bachelor of Science degree in Education. Her major area was art, with an emphasis in drawing and painting. She began a teaching career and has followed that profession ever since. She completed her Masters from Parson School of Design and Bark Street College of Education in 1991. Her work has developed from an emphasis on pen and ink to a mastery of colored pencil. Her works unfold in a fantasy or surrealist manner to express feelings and emotions of all people as seen through a woman's view.

Paintings by her have been displayed in galleries and art shows in Texas, New Mexico, and California. In completing her Masters, she also wrote and illustrated a book of poetry entitled, Beneath My Dreams. One painting from this series, "Transitions," won Best of Show in the Fall American Art Show at the Hubbard Museum.

In the summer of 1999, Reeder showed in an art show sponsored by the National Endowment for Women in the Arts.

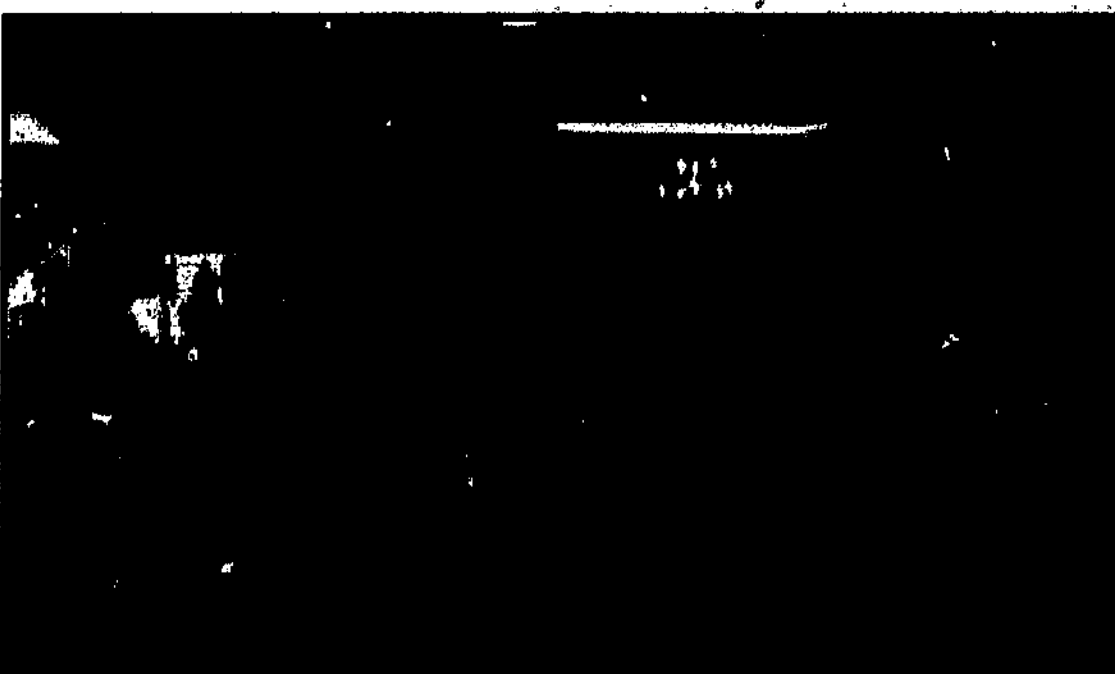
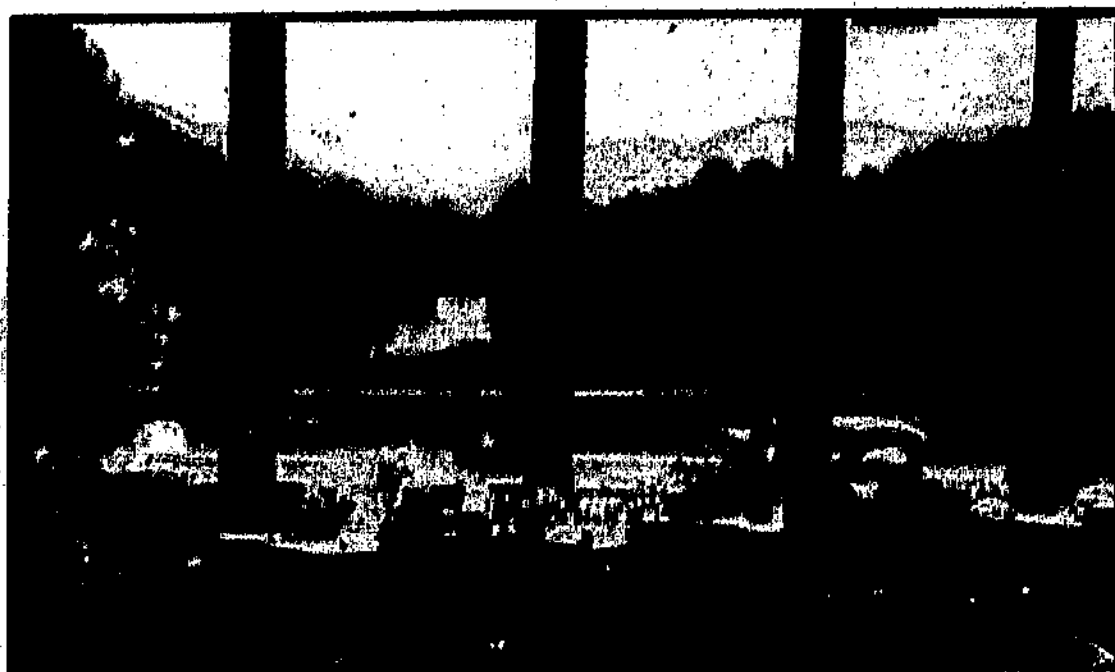
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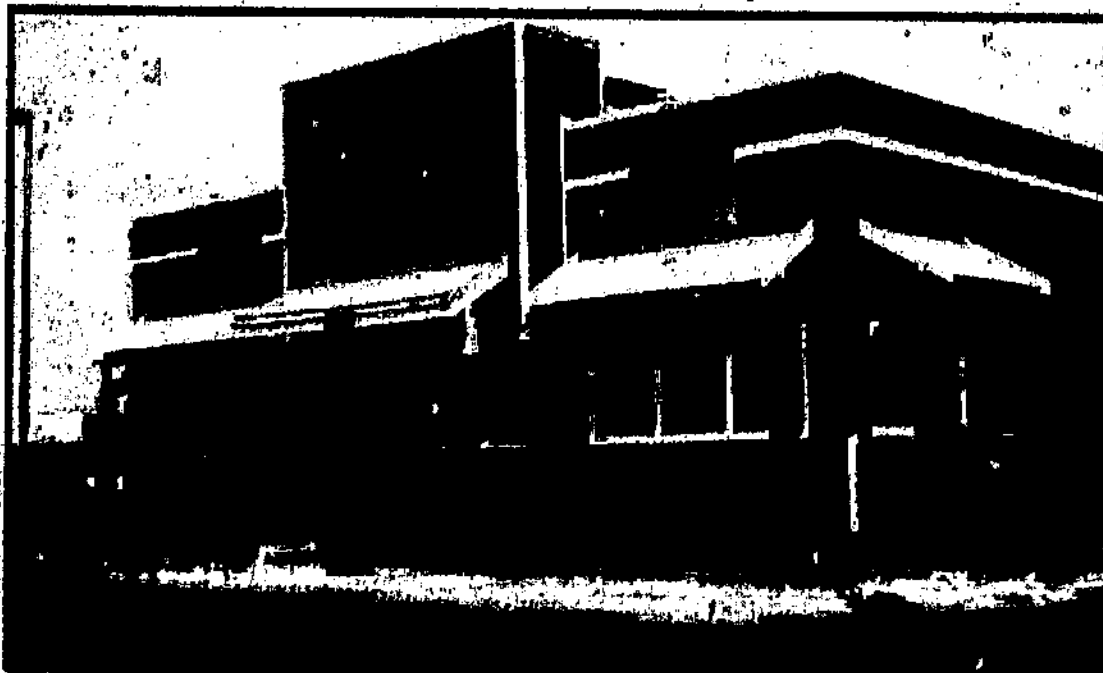
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THIS YEAR'S LINCOLN COWBOY SYMPOSIUM will feature the U.S. Fourth Cavalry (Memorial) Regiment from Lubbock, Texas.

## Here Comes the Cavalry

by *Joni K. Larson*  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

From the buttons on their uniforms to the color of their horses, the 4th U.S. Cavalry (Memorial) Regiment is all about historical authenticity. "We are pretty particular about that I guess you could say," Gary Terrell, commander of the regiment, said. "Our group promotes historical preservation, accurate interpretation and authentic living history of the period."

### music

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### performances

#### The Czech Philharmonic Chamber Orchestra

Saturday, Oct. 16, at the Spencer Theater for the Performing Arts. In its first North American tour the all-male orchestra is under the leadership of artistic director Pavel Prantl and features the young Welsh pianist Richard Ormrod as soloist. For more information call (505) 336-4800.

#### Blood, Sweat and Tears

David Clayton-Thomas and Blood Sweat & Tears are coming to Alamogordo for one night only, Friday, Oct. 29 at the Tays Special Events Center.

All proceeds of this classic rock 'n roll event will go to benefit the Flickinger Center for the Performing Arts. Tickets on sale now! Call the Flickinger at 505-437-2202.

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## Cavalry

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This weekend, 40-50 volunteers in the non-profit group will reproduce historical cavalry life at the annual Lincoln County Cowboy Symposium, held this year at the Ruidoso Downs Race Track in Ruidoso Downs.

The regiment, based in Lubbock, Texas, fits in with the old west theme of the symposium. Formed in the 1980s, the regiment strictly adheres to recreating cavalry life during a time shortly after the Civil War called the Indian Wars period, circa 1869 to 1876.

They are based on the actual 4th Cavalry Regiment that Col. Ranald Mackenzie led across the Texas Panhandle and southern plains, Terrell said.

The regiment will offer two cavalry performances Saturday and one Sunday. Those performances consist of Quadrille, or precision riding, and recreations of cavalry movements the mounted regiment used when traveling, in parades and during battles. Music from the 1870s is played during the performance while a narrator explains the movements.

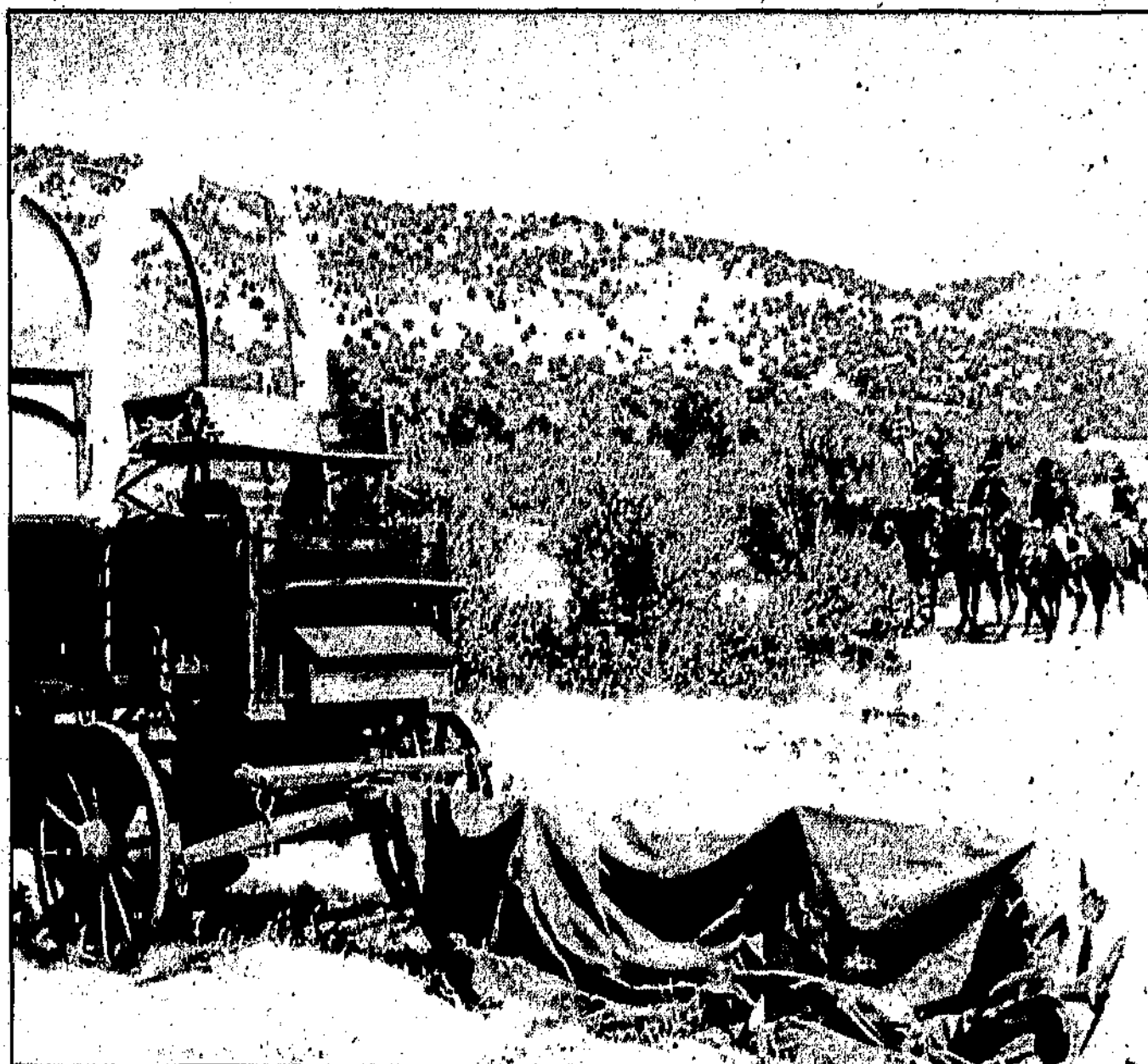
The group will set up a cavalry camp at the symposium, where the 4th Cavalry Garrison Ladies will recreate family life at a frontier fort.

The regiment has been featured on an A&E program called "Crossed Sabers," and also rode in the inaugural parade for President George Bush, Terrell said.

Authenticity is important to the group of volunteers composing the regiment, Terrell said. Those volunteers spend their own dollars acquiring exact reproductions of the uniforms, hats, weapons and riding tack used by the 4th U.S. Cavalry Regiment. Besides which, there are the horses, horse trailers and the weekends devoted to either practicing or performing, Terrell said.

Regiment members come from a diverse range of fields, including surgeons, lawyers and school teachers — but all share a love for military history, he said.

"There is something noble and romantic about being in a uniform and mounted on horseback," Terrell said.



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AUTHENTICITY AND ACCURACY in uniforms and equipment is a must for the regiment.

## Break out the beer steins — it's time for Oktoberfest

The changing colors of Fall will soon be visible throughout the mountains of New Mexico.

The cooler nights and warm days that herald the golden aspens are welcomed with a traditional German celebration in the resort community of Ruidoso.

The 17th Annual Ruidoso Oktoberfest will be held this October 15 and 16 at the Ruidoso Convention Center.

The world's first Oktoberfest was held in 1810 as a wedding celebration for Bravaria's King Ludwig I and Princess Therese of Saxony-Hildburghausen. It didn't take long for the fun-loving Bavarians to replace the horse races, agricultural shows and other distractions with a focus on great

beer and food. The wedding reception was such a success that Ludwig issued a royal decree making October festival time in Munich, Germany. The festival was dedicated to the fall harvest and to the region's most famous product, beer.

The party originally held outside of Munich continues today, and Oktoberfest celebrates its 185th birthday this year.

Although Ruidoso's Oktoberfest did not begin as a wedding reception, it has become an annual celebration. Entertainment includes the Albuquerque bands Swingshift and Die Polka Schlingels. Authentic folk dance troupes entertain the crowds when the live "oom pah pah" bands take a break. On tap are the Enzian Schu-

platters and the Olympia Flame Creek Dancers. A favorite of the kids, the "Kinderhall" offers games, prizes, and this year, a pumpkin painting contest. Sprinkled throughout the hall are arts and crafts booths.

Oktoberfest purists shouldn't worry. The libations that have made Oktoberfest famous the world over are in abundant supply at the Ruidoso event. "We have plenty of imported German beer and authentic German food," said organizer Lisa Muhn. "We're known for the wonderful food and drink that our vendors provide. This is a really fun family celebration. You'll see kids aged 2 to 90 out there doing the chicken dance or the polka, and it's all for a good

cause." Partial proceeds from the Ruidoso Oktoberfest benefit a variety of Lincoln County charities. For attendees who really want to get into the "Bavarian Mood", the Ruidoso Oktoberfest is hosting a contest for the person wearing the most authentic or creative German attire.

Tickets to the Ruidoso Oktoberfest are \$5 per day or \$8 for two days. Those under 18 are free. Event hours are Friday, October 15 from 5 PM to midnight and Saturday, October 16 from noon to midnight. For more information, call 505-257-6171 or toll free 877-877-9322. You can also visit the Ruidoso Oktoberfest website at [www.zianet.com/valley/Oktoberfest](http://www.zianet.com/valley/Oktoberfest).

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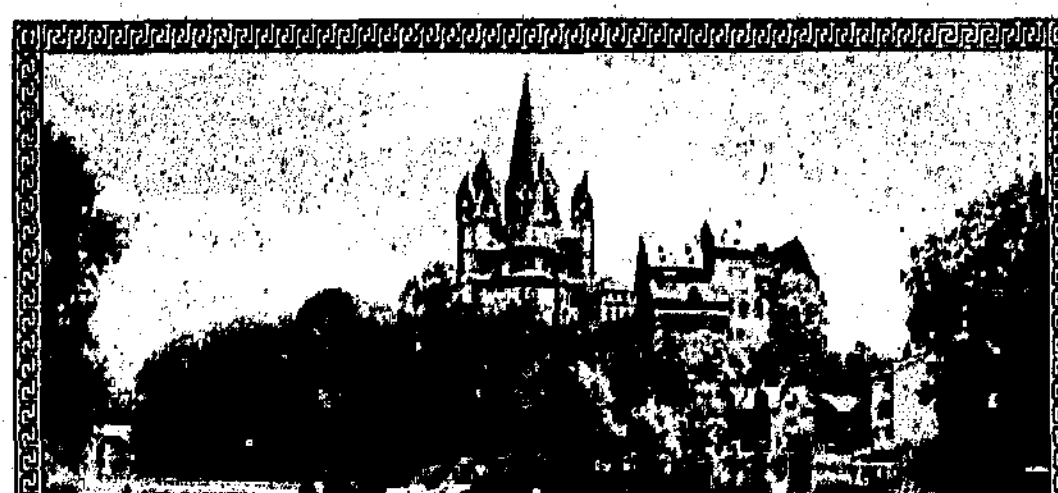


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# Nogal artists celebrate Harvest Festival

by Dianne Stallings  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

The artisans of Nogal will celebrate their Harvest Festival Saturday at the Nogal Store & Gallery and surrounding fields on State Highway 37.

The festival mixes home baked goods and preserves with fine art and innovative designs, says Georgia Lagg, one of the organizers.

"It's a beautiful drive from Ruidoso and an easy stop for visitors

going there for other events this weekend," she said. For those who preferred a laid-back day to stroll and shop, the festival starting at 10 a.m. is perfect, she said.

"The idea of having a festival in Nogal originated in the summer of 1998 when several community members decided we need one last opportunity to get everyone together before the winter," said Pat Brazie, who owns the Nogal Store & Gallery. "There are a lot of

interesting and creative people here, but we're pretty well scattered across the hillsides. We were looking for an excuse to get together, share some new ideas, meet our neighbors and socialize.

"We didn't know if anyone outside of Nogal would come out for this event, but we put some signs on the highway and put out some flyers. We were all very surprised by the turnout last year. People came from all over. It seems that a lot of people love to visit Nogal."

Nearly twice as many artists will participate this year — about 20. The list of sign-ups include wood carvers, sculptors, painters, ceramicists and live music. Pies, preserves and home grown mel-

ons also will be sold.

"Woodworkers Mike and Georgia Lagg will show a new line of work, as will stained glass artist Maureen Quemada," Brazie said. "Robert Moellen, our local chess master, will have his board set up and is ready to take on all challengers. His wife, Susan, will be showing her work this year also."

Sculptor Pam Topper will bring her stone and metal work. Her husband, Elliott Topper, and Marcella Garcia will provide music.

Jewelry maker LeRoy Anderson, an adopted member of a Lakota Sioux family, will display his leather and bead creations. Richard and Coleta Lively will bring their carved wood doors

and panels. They also weave baskets using an ancient Peruvian technique and they'll sell official Nogal Harvest festival T-shirts printed by wood block.

Children will be amused with face painting and bobbing for apples, Brazie said. The Nogal Fire Volunteer Department will cook burgers to raise money and recruit new members.

The day will wind down with a "very amateur" sing-along, she said.

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## Kid's play

• where to take the children •

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• **FUNTRACKERS**, located at 101 Carrizo Canyon Road (257-3275), is an amusement park that offers bumper boat rides (children 7 or older), three tracks for go-carts (children 14 and up only on the "pro" track), 18 holes of miniature golf, video arcade, and a snack bar. Bumper boats, go-carts and miniature golf cost \$4 each; the "pro" track costs riders \$4. Funtrackers is open Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

• **PLAYGROUNDS AND PARKS** Also at Schoolhouse Park is a playground. It features 15 different play equipment, some of which are accessible to wheelchair-bound children. The play equipment includes a slide and jungle gym. Four, lighted tennis courts, picnic tables, three pavilions and restroom facilities are available as well.

A short jaunt west on Sudderth takes you to Two Rivers Park, located behind the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce. Carrizo Creek meets the Rio Rui-

doso at Two Rivers Park, which offers a playground with swings, a slide, a circular ride and picnic pavilion area. The park closes at nightfall.

Skateboarders and roller bladers can skate, jump and hotdog to their hearts content at Northpark, another relatively new village addition. Northpark is next to Fire Station No. 2 on White Mountain Drive. It's open from 8 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Sunday through Thursday, and 8 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday. A parent or legal guardian is required to be in attendance at all times with children under 13 years of age.

### In Alamogordo

The Space Center is located at the top of New Mexico Highway 2001 in Alamogordo. The International Space Hall of Fame and the John P. Stapp Air and Space Park is open from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. daily.

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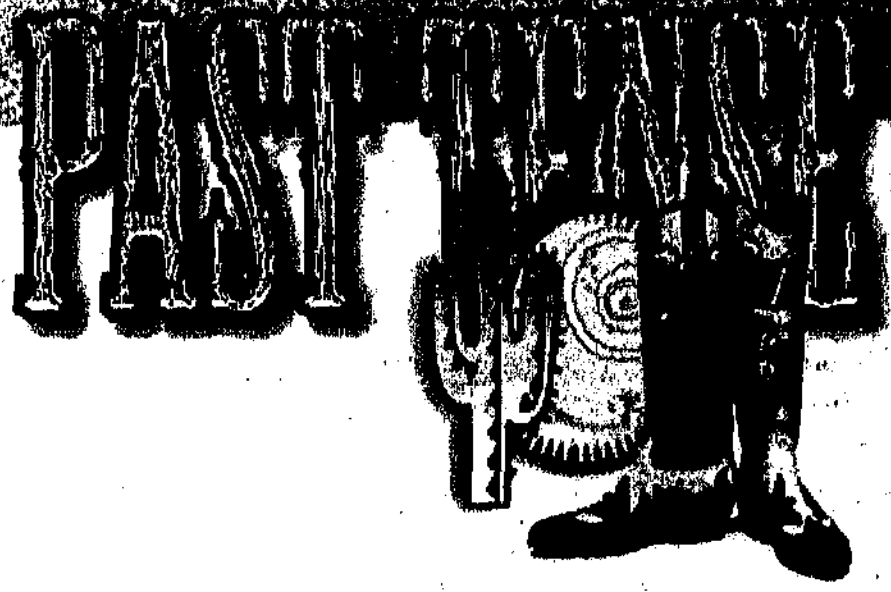
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## The Murphy Men

Part 4 in a series

The identities of the trigger men in the death of John Tunstall have never been known for certain, but it is a good bet that it was Jesse Evans, Billy "Buck" Morton and Frank Baker - and perhaps more. Now Evans, I discussed previously, but not Morton and Baker.

Evans, with the possible exception of John Kinney, was the most noted outlaw to fight in the Lincoln County War. But Frank Baker was definitely one of his right hand men, and I would be greatly surprised if Buck Morton had never found the time to ride with "The Boys" — as Evans and his band of ne'er-do-wells were known.

### Frank Baker and Billy Morton

According to Lincoln County pioneer Lily Casey Klasner, Frank Baker came from a "good family" from Syracuse, New York. This was apparently true, as the last letter that Baker wrote was addressed to a woman named Lizzie Lester from Syracuse.

Billy "Buck" Morton was born near Richmond, Virginia in 1856. The son of a tobacco planter who fought for the South and lost everything in the war, Morton reportedly headed west at the age of 20. Everyone seems to have had a different idea about Morton's origins. A Roswell resident said that Buck was from Missouri; Rob Widermann claimed he had



photographer unknown

JESSE EVENS, thought to be one of John Tunstall's executioners, with unknown companion in an original tintype.

come here from Arizona, but the best evidence seems to be that he came west from Washington, D.C., where he had been living with an uncle.

Lily Klasner claimed that there was a bitter feud between Morton and Billy the Kid, stemming from the time, shortly after the Kid's arrival in Lincoln County, when Morton rather contemptuously threw the Kid out of the Dolan cow camp on Black River. Apparently the situation was further exacerbated by the Kid breaking up a budding romance between John Chisum's niece Sallie and Morton. Clearly, there was no love lost between Morton and the Kid.



From March 1877 until his death a year later, Buck Morton was employed as the foreman of Dolan's Pecos cow camp.

### The Death of Tunstall

Most sources agree that it was actually Morton that fired the rifle shot that ripped into John Tunstall's chest and blasted him out of the saddle. Morton was supposedly drawing a bead as Tunstall advanced on he and Jesse Evans, Frank Baker and Tom Hill. It was Hill who told Morton to wait until the Englishman was closer. When they felt he was close enough, Morton opened fire. As Tunstall tumbled to the ground, Hill (or possibly Evans) dismounted, walked over and blew the Englishman's brains out. Then they shot his horse.

After the death of John Tunstall, his former friends and employees, now calling themselves the "Regulators," left Lincoln loaded for bear and with blood in their eyes. They were looking for trouble, and they weren't long in finding it.

Late in the afternoon of March 6, 1878, the Regulators saw some riders down near the Peñasco (the exact location has never been made clear). Correctly assuming them to be Murphy/Dolan adherents, the Regulators took off in pursuit. The riders saw them coming and split into two groups. The Regulators, possibly by chance, took off after the group that included Buck Morton, Frank Baker and a young fellow named Dick Lloyd.

After a five-mile running gun battle in which over 100 shots were reportedly fired, Lloyd's horse was the first to give out. But by that time, the Regulators had recognized the men that they were chasing and chose to ignore Lloyd. He stood nervously near his horse and watched as the Regulators thundered by in pursuit of his two compadres.

When Morton and Baker's horses also gave out, the two men rushed into some tule reeds for cover until the Regulators threatened to burn them out.

With no option other than surrender, the two men gave up, expecting to be dealt with in short order. But Dick Brewer was still attempting to be law abiding, although he *did* tell them that he really had not wished to take them alive. Brewer insisted, over the objections of some of the other Regulators, that the two men be taken prisoner and handed over to the proper authorities.

### Disposition of the prisoners

The Regulators, with their prisoners in tow, headed for Chisum's South Spring Ranch. When they

arrived there, they were treated to a rumor that Jimmy Dolan was raising a posse of more than 20 men with whom he intended to intercept the Regulators and rescue Morton and Baker. While this rumor undoubtedly raised a glimmer of hope in the hearts of the two prisoners, it was actually their death knell.

The only reason that they were still alive at all was because that was what Dick Brewer wished. Brewer really had intended to turn over the prisoners to the proper authorities. But upon hearing this rumor, he *had* to have reconsidered his stance. It is a good bet that Brewer was agonizing over what was to be done. He had realized, from the beginning, that the proper authorities, namely Sheriff Brady, would undoubtedly release his prisoners and take the Regulators into custody. Now, upon hearing about Jimmy Dolan's 20 men, he began to re-think his strategy entirely.

Both Morton and Baker had no illusions by the time that they left the Chisum ranch. Both men had posted letters to their respective loved ones predicting their own deaths.

### William McCloskey

William McCloskey was a man who had been making a living working for anybody who needed a hand at branding or roundup time. His only real connection to the Regulators was that he had done some casual work or Tunstall. On the morning of the day that Tunstall was killed, McCloskey had been sent by the Englishman to inform the posse that would later kill Tunstall that no resistance would be offered. McCloskey had done as bidden, but had then stayed with the posse that was led by Billy Mathews and ridden in pursuit of Tunstall. There were those among the Regulators who felt McCloskey was a traitor.

As the Regulators and their prisoners made their way upriver, McCloskey had appeared and attached himself to the group, much to the annoyance of several of the Regulators. Then, just to make matters worse, he had loudly informed the prisoners that he would die himself before seeing them murdered.

Dick Brewer had bigger problems than Will McCloskey to worry about, however. Working on the assumption that the rumor about Dolan's 20 men was true, Brewer led his men back toward Lincoln on a road less taken, in the hopes of avoiding interception. It was a slightly longer route that would have the added attraction of getting the Regulators into Lincoln after night had fallen.

### Agua Negra

And what happened next, after Brewer and his men got back into the hills, near a place called Agua Negra Spring, we will never know.

According to the Regulators' story, which no one believed, then or now, Morton suddenly leaned over and snatched McCloskey's pistol, shot him with it and then, in the company of Baker, tried to escape. Why Morton would shoot the only man claiming to be on his side defies logic.

As the Regulators' story goes, they then took off in pursuit of Morton and Baker, shooting them out of their saddles.

Jimmy Dolan, never one to miss an opportunity to smear his enemies, immediately announced that Morton and Baker had been killed while on their knees, begging for mercy. Of course, neither the Regulators or Dolan's stories are correct.

What little evidence that has surfaced over the years seems to indicate that what took place was an execution. Brewer had undoubtedly been agonizing over what to do, and finally, and probably regretfully, he had to agree with the other Regulators, most notably Billy the Kid, then known as Kid Antrim, that the two prisoners had to be killed.

And that was what they did. After killing Morton, Baker and McCloskey — all we can do is assume that McCloskey tried to intervene and paid for it with his life — the Regulators rode to the nearby camp of a shepherd and made arrangements for the bodies to be buried. Then they rode on — into history.

And Dick Lloyd, the man who had been left with his dead horse down on the Pecos? Well, old Dick decided to head over Tombstone way a year or two later. As one might expect, he fell with in bad company.

Dick's favorite sport had always been to get tanked up on tonsil paint and "hoorah" the nearest town. In Arizona, he did this in a little settlement called Maxey, near Camp Thomas, which turned out to be a mistake of herculean proportions.

Spurring his horse into a saloon, Dick blazed indiscriminately away with his six-shooter and wounded the bartender. Now, there had been a serious poker game going on in the corner and among the players were Johnny Ringo and Curly Bill Brocius. Neither Ringo, Brocius, or any of their friends appreciated having their card game interrupted. Without even leaving their seats, the group blasted Lloyd right out of his saddle and into eternity. He had over a dozen bullets in him.

And what have we learned from Dick's experience? 1) Never get drunk and ride your horse into a saloon. 2) Never interrupt a card game in which Curly Bill and John Ringo are involved. 3) Never leave Lincoln for Tombstone. 4) All of the above.

If you picked number 4, you win, which means that you would

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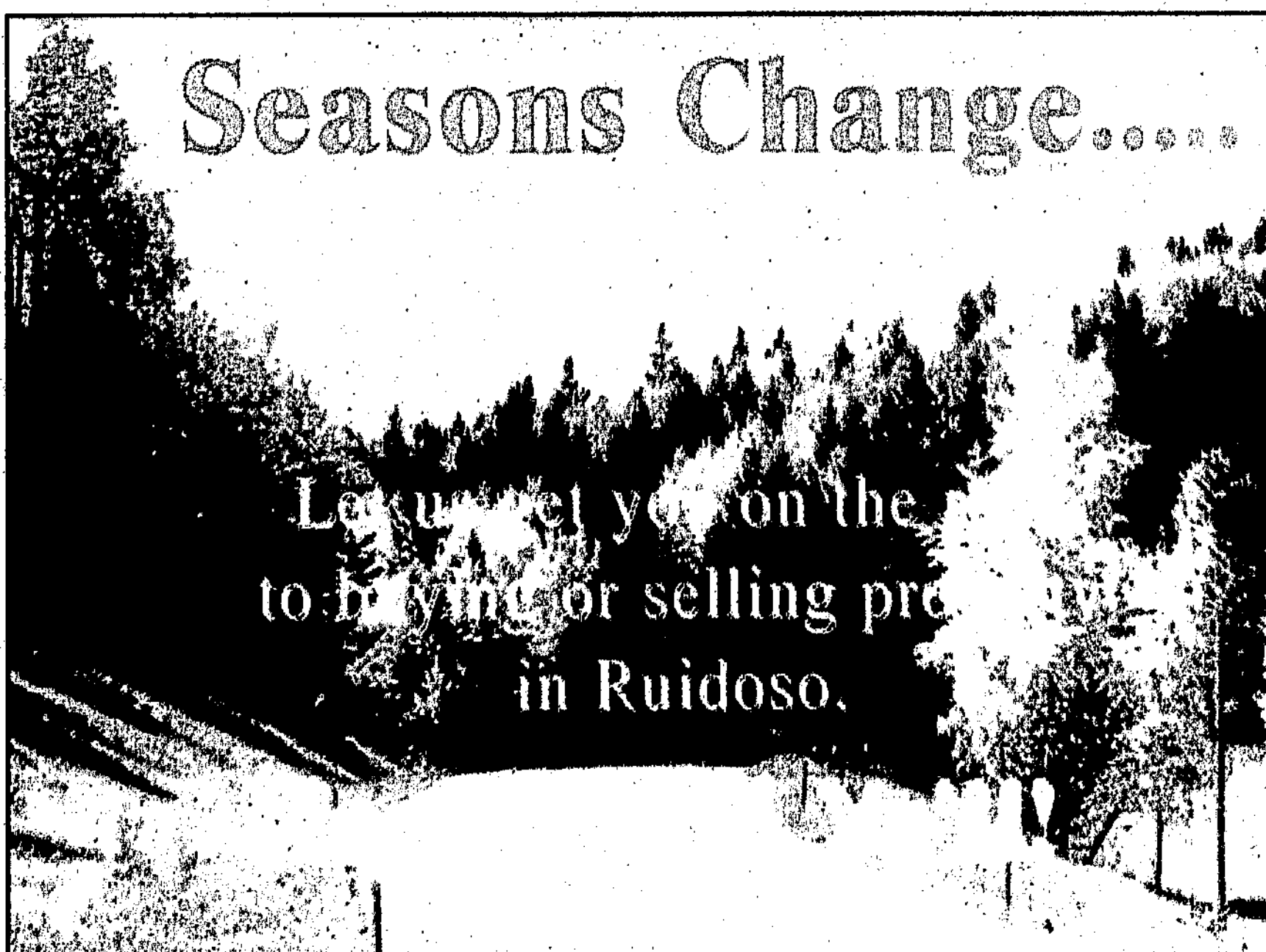
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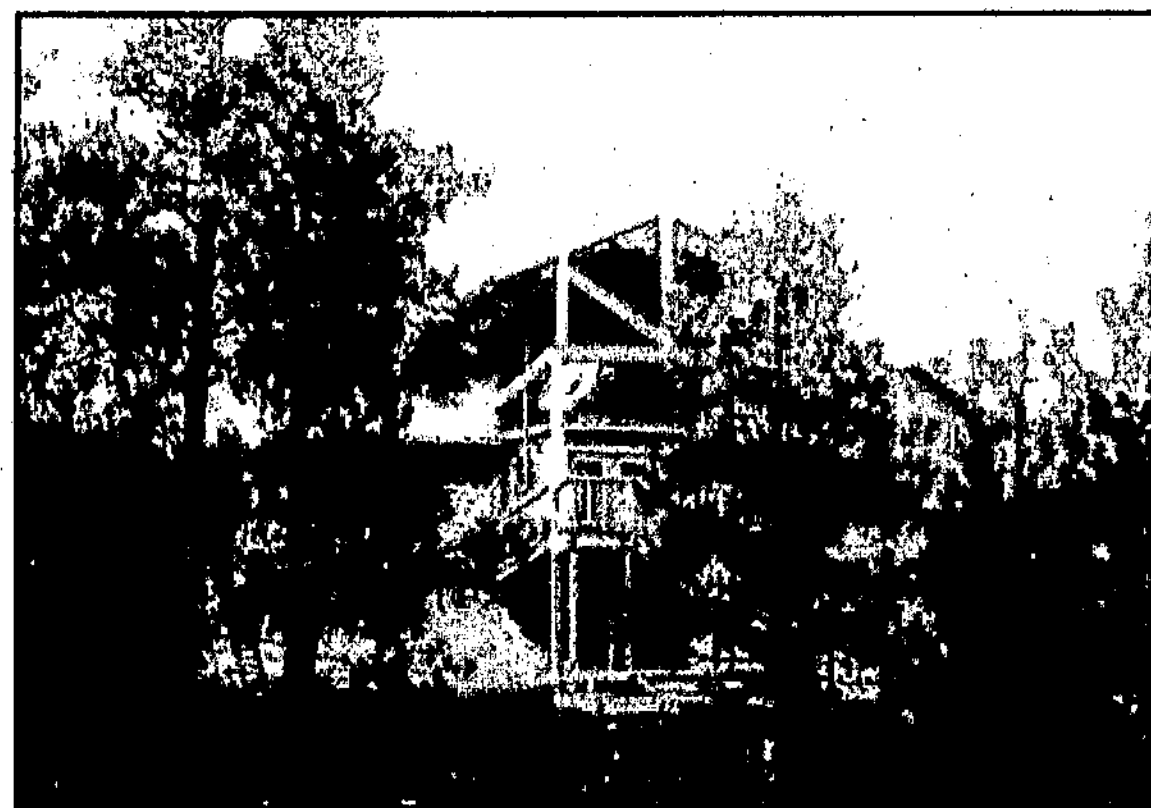


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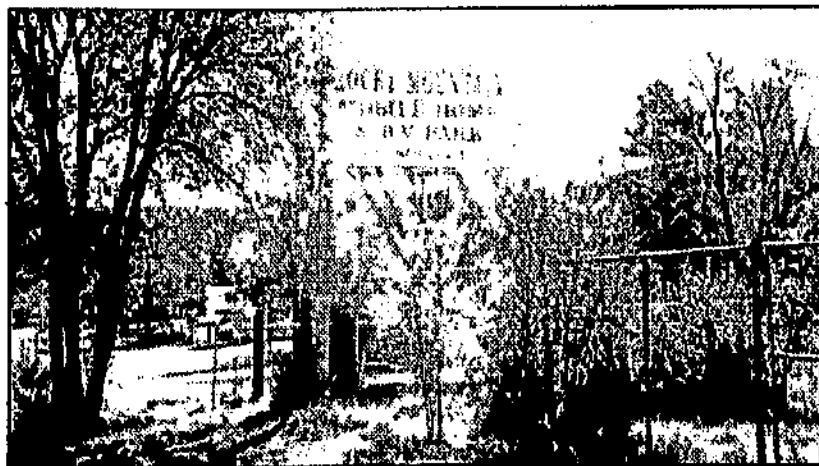
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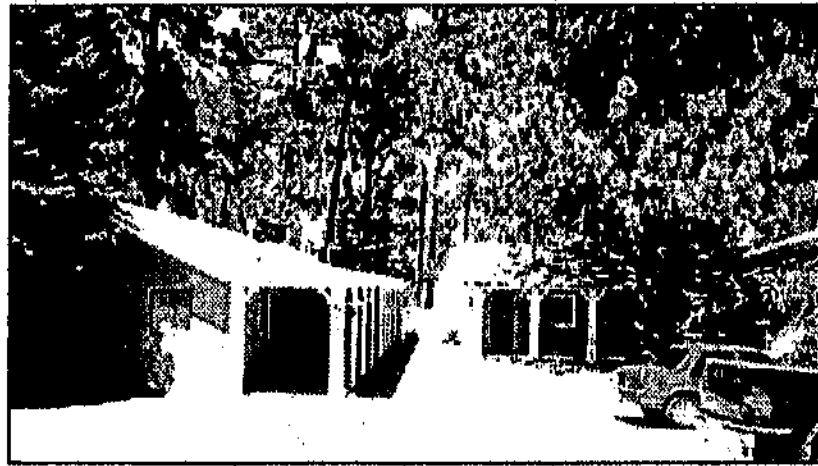
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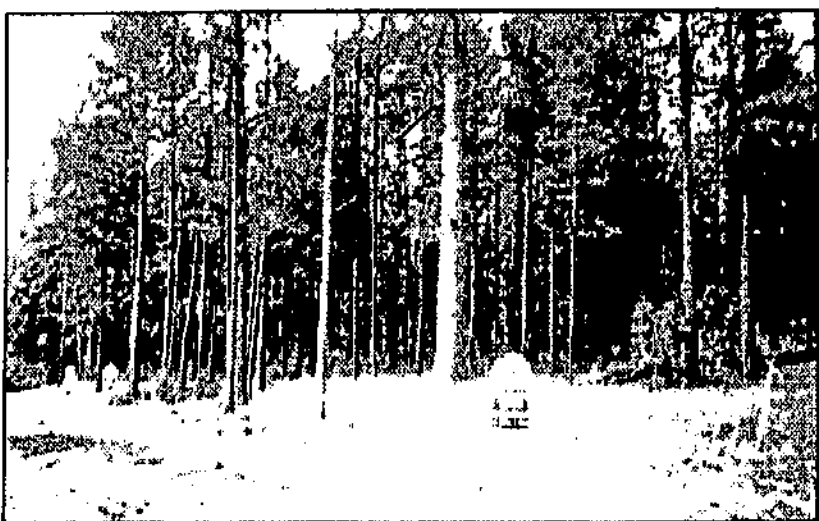
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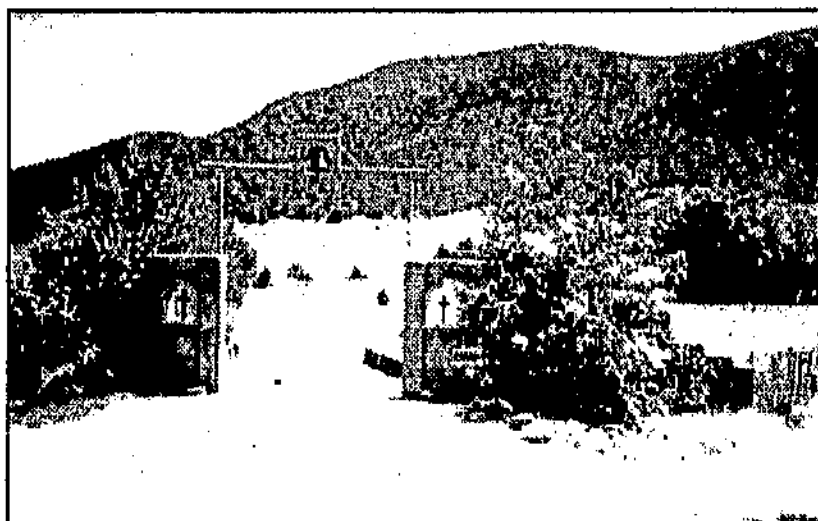
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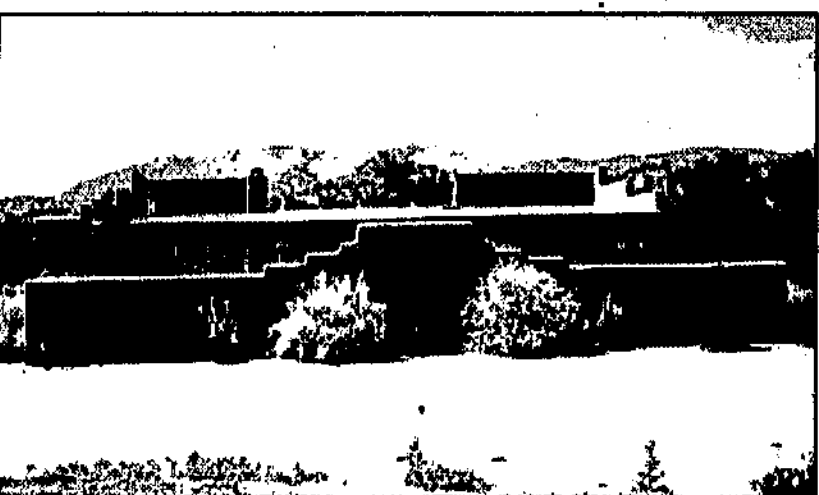
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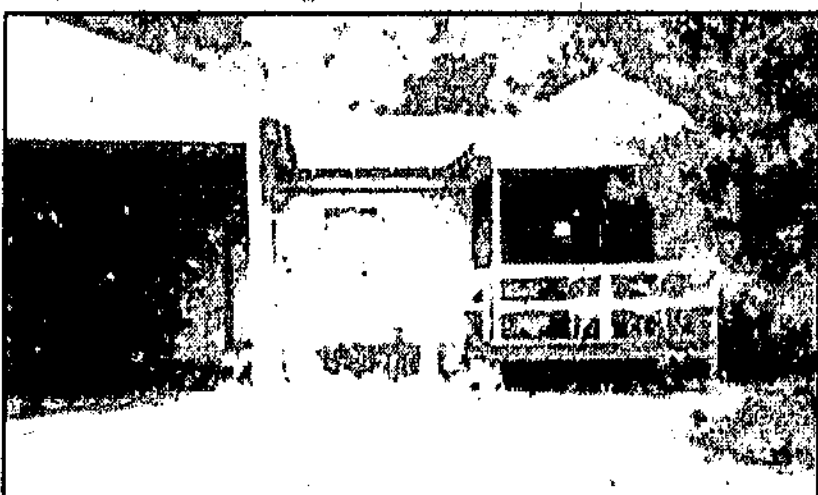
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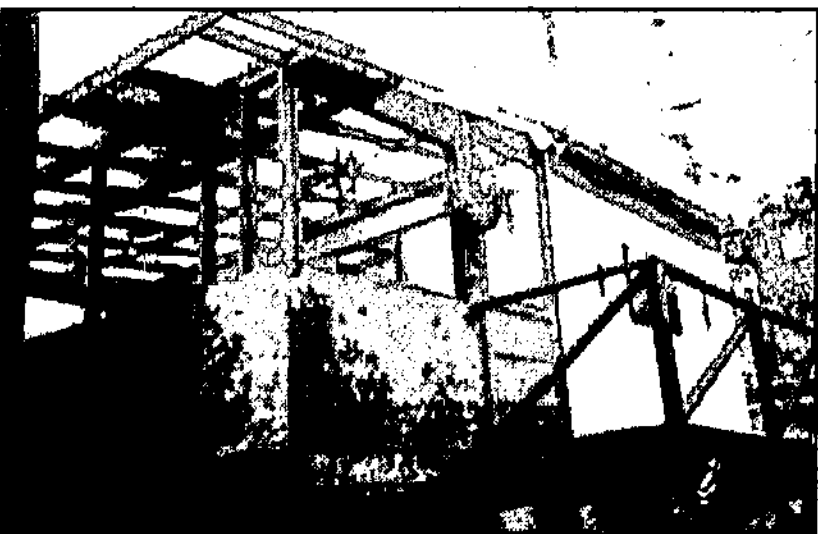
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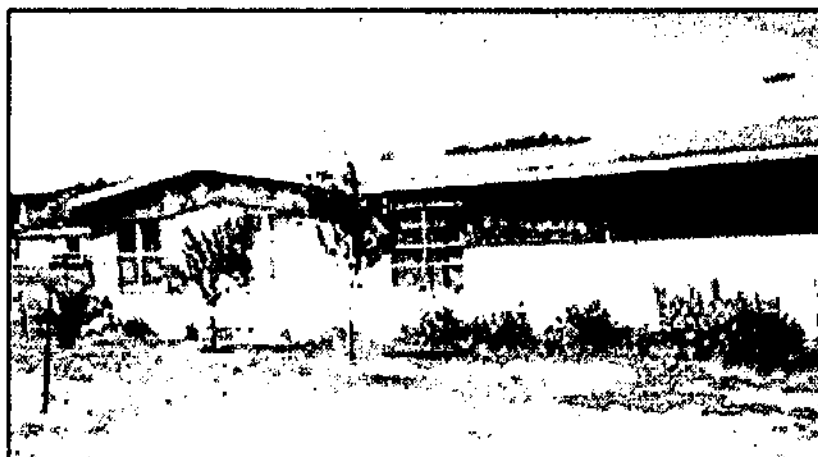
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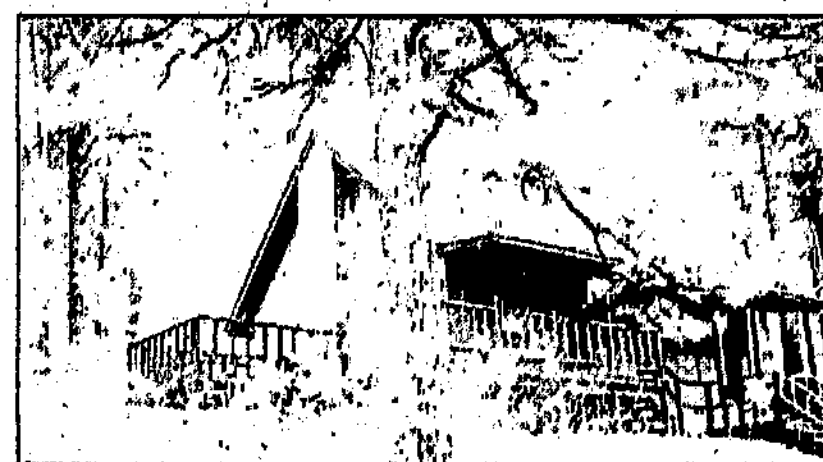
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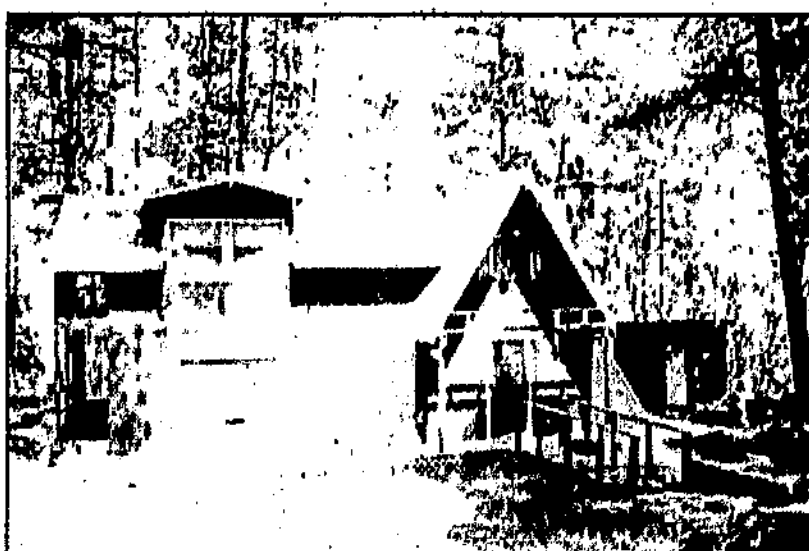
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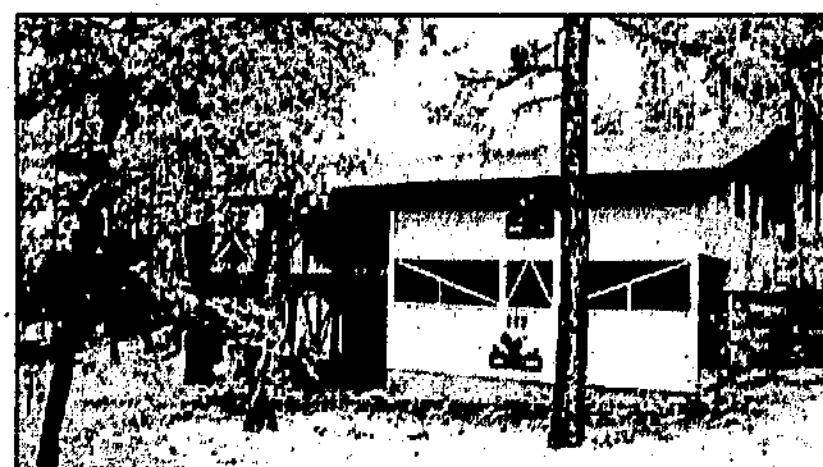
#### DOLL HOUSE

Two bedrooms, 1 3/4 baths, 1-car carport. Remodeled, wood floors in kitchen/living area. Den can be a third bedroom. Freestanding fireplace. Nice corner lot. Appliances only—MLS#91919. \$115,000. Call Joyce.



#### CLOSE TO CARRIZO CREEK

Large home on level lot. Furnished. Great for family or group. Priced at \$89,900. Ask for Frances.



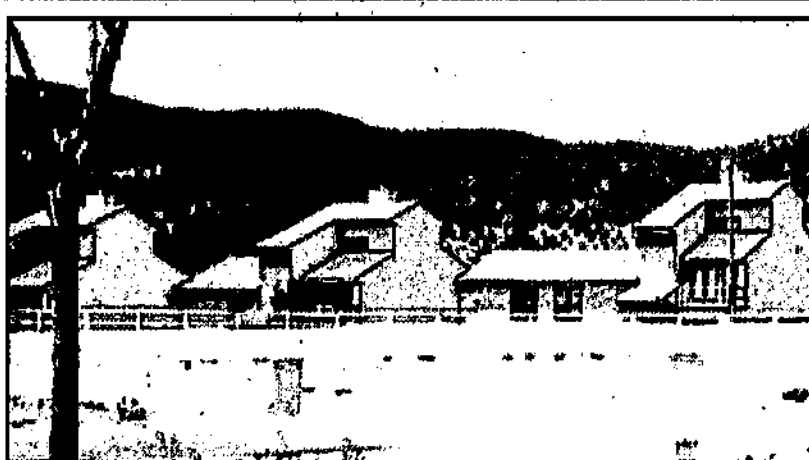
#### TRADITIONAL NEIGHBORHOOD, RUIDOSO CHARM

in beautiful Ruidoso near shopping and all activities. Easy year round access, lovely older home, very well maintained. 3 BDRMS, 1 3/4 BA, completely furnished, workshop, and wooded area. Asking \$125,000. MLS#91602 Ask for Rofi.



#### 210 ANGELES DR.

4 bedroom, 3 bath home in a great neighborhood. 3 decks, fenced backyard. Beautiful rock fireplace. Appl. only. In a great secluded area. MLS#92074. Priced at \$129,900.



#### CHAMPION RUN CONDOS

Next to the race track! Air conditioned! Unit #211—3 BDRM, 3.25 BA, 2 FP, mostly furnished, views. \$94,900. #81978 Unit #204—3 BDRM, 3.25 BA. Fully furnished, 2 FP, \$85,000 #91316. Unit #414—2 BDRM, 2 BA, fully furnished, FP, 2 levels. \$72,500. #91298. Ask for Mike.



#### CREE MEADOWS TOWNHOUSE

3 BDRM, 2 BA, all one level, flat lot, in 4-plex. No dues or association fees. Cree Golf Course is "right there". Enjoy a super location to live in or use as a rental. Priced right at \$61,500. MLS#92052. Rented now, please call Jan for appt. to see.



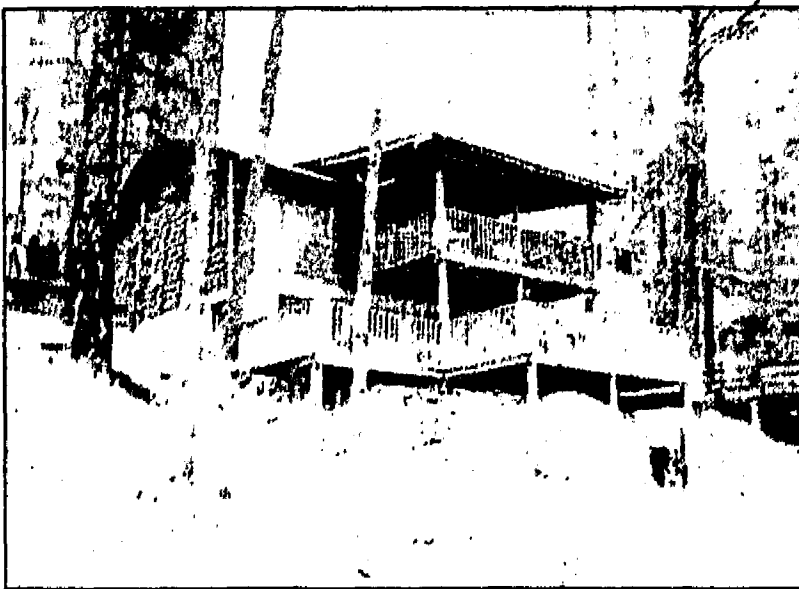
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**PICTURE YOURSELF**

in this serene setting at the edge of the Rio Ruidoso! On your deck be enchanted by river sights & sounds. Deer stroll by. Retreat inside to the studio/gallery. Dabble in some artwork. Cozy up by the fireplace, take a snooze. It's all yours with this 2 BDRM., den, 2 BA home with ambiance galore. MLS#91563. \$247,500. Call Jan for appt.



**RELAX ON RIO RUIDOSO**

Awesome 3/2 home on the river, sits on 2.5 lots, fully furnished, fabulous kitchen, large master, antique looking built in fireplace, 2-car carport, 2 storage rooms. Approx. 133 ft. of river frontage. MLS# R91353. Price-\$279,900. Ask for Mike.



**EDWARDS ESTATE**

Historic Southwest style adobe, situated on the banks of Rio Ruidoso. Luxurious main house, 3 BDRMS, 2 BA, spacious living room w/FP, large master w/FP, formal DR. Serene sunroom, portal connects private guest house to main house, also separate caretakers quarters. This is simply one of a kind estate of old NM tradition. #98-81520. Price reduction, \$599,000. Ask for Mike



**TIME TO FALL BACK AND RELAX!**

Warm split level with 3 bedrooms (Master suite on main level). Master and guest bath have spa tubs and separate showers, 1/2 bath off of laundry room. Huge family room with neat tile, pecan wood cabinets, "see thru" fireplace to master bedroom, southwest style handrails, skylights, loft and office area, 4 decks, oversized garage, mud room and tons of storage. Just reduced to \$239,900. Ask for Kathy O.



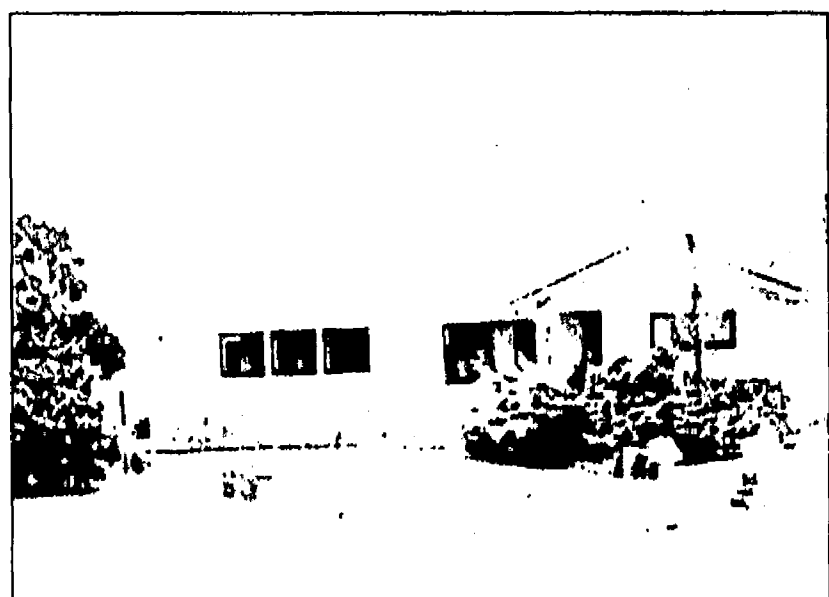
**108 MEADOWS COURT - ALTO**

New home home with level access on quiet cul-de-sac. Three bedrooms with a bath in each plus a powder room. An office for the computer user. A must see. Owner/agent. \$329,000. Ask for Frances.



**ALTO VILLAGE—LET'S MAKE A DEAL!**

A nice home featuring 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths and a full membership. Large workshop or garage. Separate dining, well arranged kitchen and living area, with fireplace. In the trees. Large deck for entertaining. The carpet is new. A plant room or hot tub room. Only \$167,400. MLS#7-71895. Owners want to sell. Please submit all offers.



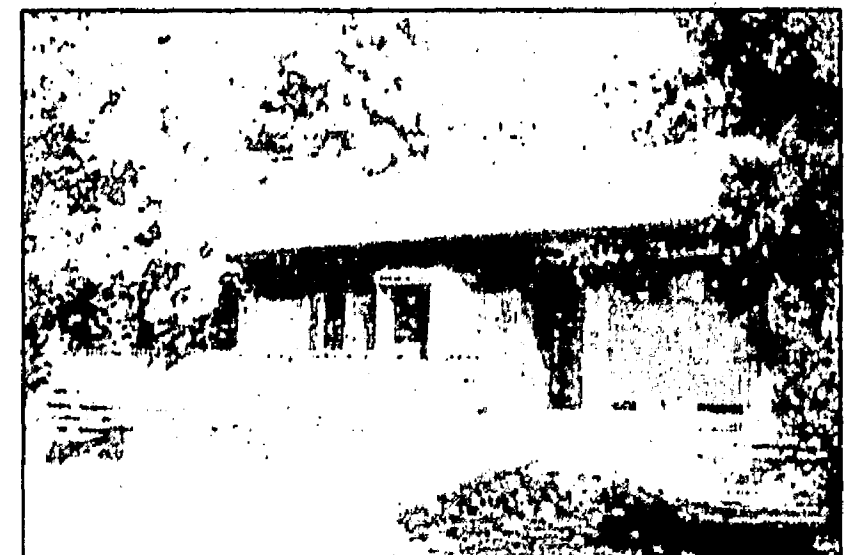
**1002 HIGH MESA DRIVE —ALTO**

Get inside and see the views. Fully furnished three bedrooms and two baths with attached garage, full golf. Priced at \$189,000. Ask for Frances



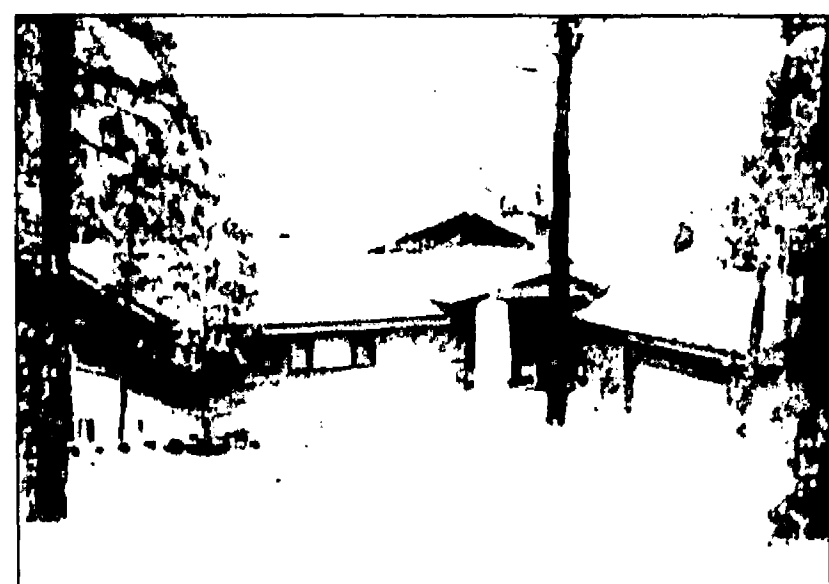
**ALL TREAT, NO TRICK!**

Price reduced! Wonderful home in Alto Village, 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, double garage, level entry, master on main floor, wood floors, berber carpet, covered decks and much more. Full "golf" membership. Open layout with tall ceiling and windows in living area. Neat decorative touches all around. Now just \$209,000. Call Kathy to see.



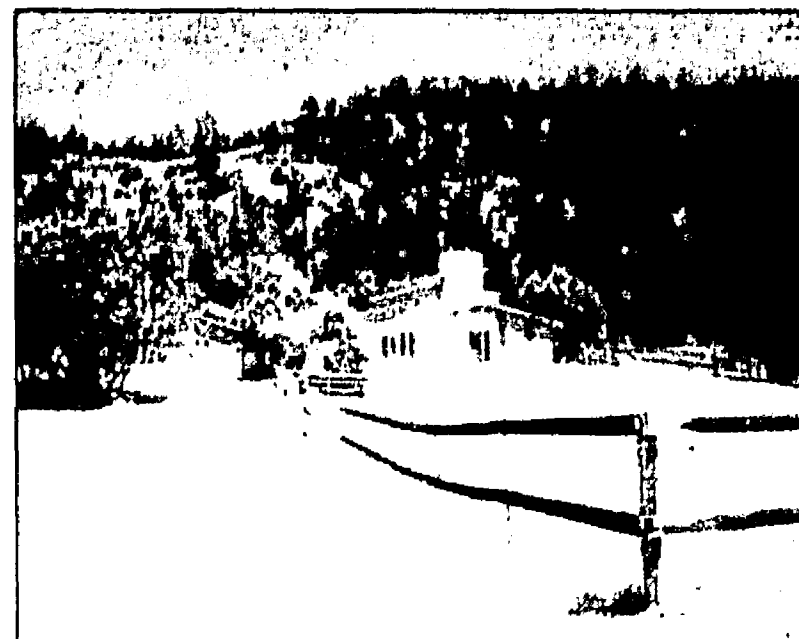
**FULLY FURNISHED, FULL GOLF**

Don't miss out on this beautifully finished 3/2 in High Mesa. Complete with garage & workshop w/golf cart storage, over 1300 sq. ft. decks with sunken Jacuzzi on back deck. All bedrooms and family room private entry from back deck. Call Watt for info & appt. on #92082.



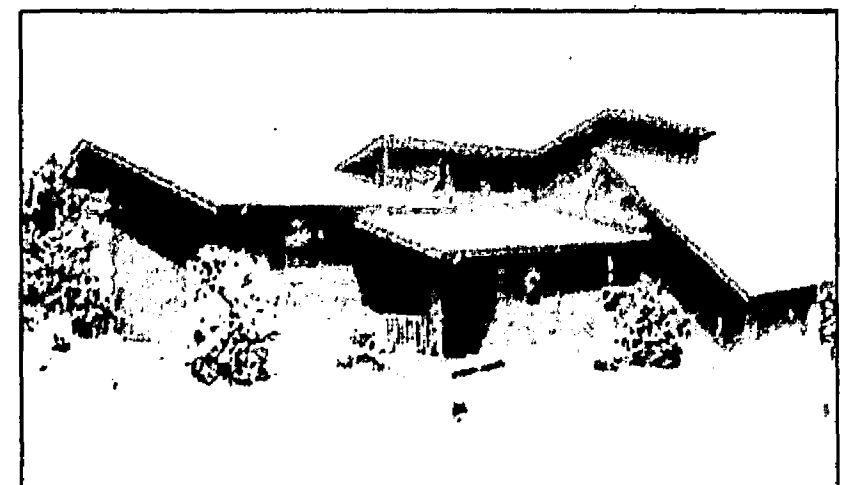
**BEAUTIFUL DEER PARK HOME**

Large home with all the amenities. Great views from the back decks. Over 4500 sq. ft. One acre of land, 2 levels. For the discriminating buyer. Shown by appointment only with the listing office. Drive by 929 Deer Park Woods Dr. Priced at \$629,000. MLS#R91822.



**SHANGRI-LA**

On two and one-half acres. A great place for horses. House has new carpet, paint and windows. Price reduced to \$249,000. Ask for Frances.



**IMAGINE HOW YOU'LL FEEL...**

Waking up each morning to the majestic view of Mt. Sierra Blanca. Turn a little and the valley comes into panoramic view! This home has it all. 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, office, open floor plan. Separate MBR, large kitchen. Lovely stone fireplace in living room, decks in the back yard to enjoy your get-together. Horses are allowed on this 3 acre gem. \$249,000. #91296. Call Ron.