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Harassment suspect arrested in sting

Mescalero man charged with 24 counts; previously jailed for similar crimes, rape

BY SANDY SUGGITT RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

The "secret admirer" of at least 22 women who reported harassing phone calls from a soft-spoken male is behind bars after a sting operation by the Ruidoso Police Department Tuesday.

A check of the National Crime Information Center's data showed that Darwin Kinzhuma, 37, of Mescalero, was incarcerated from 1983 to 1991 for rape, spent a year at Lincoln County Detention Center in 1996 for telephone harassment, and that he was released March 11 pending trial in Alamogordo

for use of telephone to harass. Kinzhuma was charged Tuesday with 22 counts of use of telephone to intimidate, threaten, harass, annoy or offend, one count of stalking and one count of impersonating an officer — for telling a victim's husband he was a state police officer.

Ruidoso police officer Dyke Sullins coordinated the investigation of reports of telephone harassment coming in since January. He also led the sting Tuesday that resulted in the suspect's arrest.

Sullins credits the arrest to cooperation among law enforcement personnel

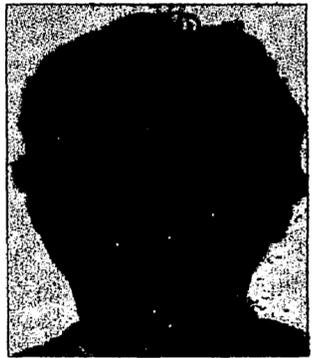
at the police department in Ruidoso, Bureau of Indian Affairs Chief Troy Bolen, tribal attorney Richard Rocha and the district attorney's office.

"He set up a pattern of harassment of women throughout his life, indicating he's a fairly dangerous individual," Sullins said. He explained that the sting crystallized when one of the women who had received calls from Kinzhuma received another, on Monday. While they were on the phone, another call came in on call waiting, and she asked for the subject's telephone number so she could call him back, and he gave it to her, giving the

police a way to find the source of the calls.

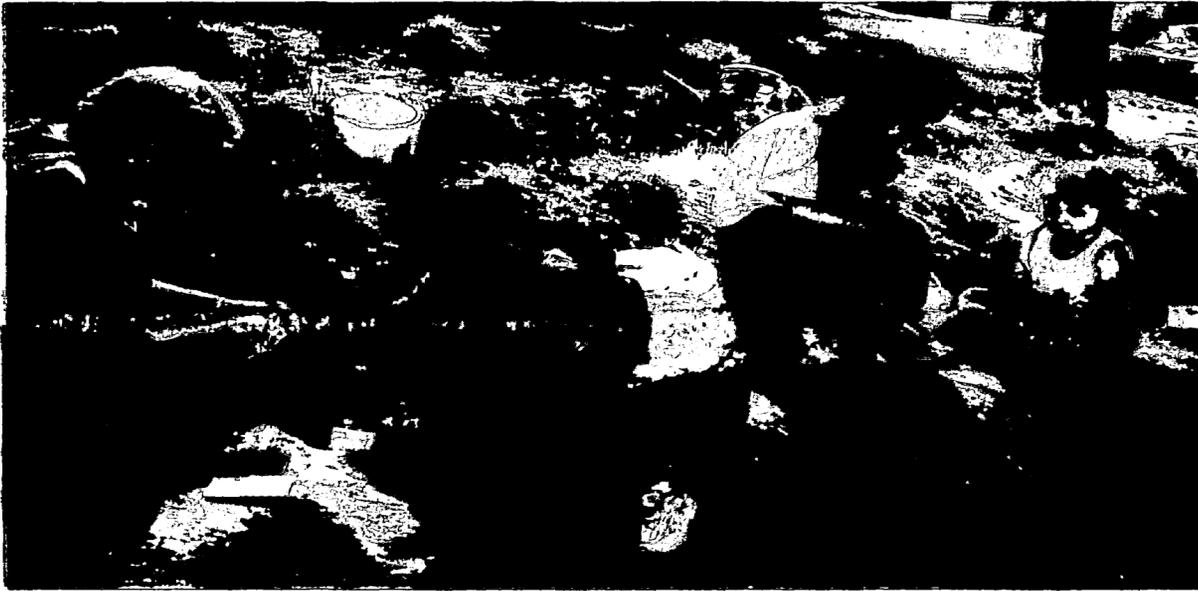
A tape recording device was hooked up to her telephone and she called the suspect back. Police then got a subpoena to get the address and telephone number from Mescalero Telephone Company Inc. The suspect gave his name and spelled his last name to another victim, saying he lived with his mother, who was verified to be the phone holder of the number given to the first victim.

On April 8, six victims listened to the recording and positively identified See ARREST, page 7A



Kinzhuma

SPRUCING UP THE EARTH



SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Children at the Starlite Montessori School celebrated Earth Day by planting 20 blue spruce trees along Virginia Canyon Road, after spending the week learning about tree culture. Shown above, from left, are teacher and director Shaula Cull, Walker James Marion, 5, student aid Dominique Sanchez, 9, and Sydney Stevens, 5.

Affordable housing in jeopardy

Debts mount for 150-unit development

BY DIANNE STALLINGS RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

A 150-unit affordable housing project started nearly two years ago may be junked by the Ruidoso Village Council because the figures are floating in red ink.

Dan Stanger, who heads Bridge Partners Inc. based in Utah, delivered the bad news during a workshop on the project Tuesday.

"I feel anything but comfortable with this deal because the figures are way too tight," he told council members. "I'm not taking it on the chin. My partners are not in the non-profit business and I have a fiduciary responsibility to them and you. No one wants to be sucking wind in three or four years. I'm not going out of the chute believing that will be the case."

With architectural drawings of the complex displayed behind him, Stanger sat at a table in front of the board, which has three new members and a new mayor from a March election. No matter how the numbers are worked, the project will lose money unless the village com-

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Village mulls more water limits

Lack of precipitation prompts officials to consider Level Two restrictions

BY DIANNE STALLINGS RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

If Ruidoso doesn't receive more precipitation soon, village officials will jump residents to a higher level of water conservation. Tuesday, they asked residents to conserve water and abide by restrictions.

Although the village received just under half an inch of rain Sunday and Monday — and the mountains around the village picked up a few inches of snow, that's not enough to offset an accumulative drought, an extremely dry November and moderate winter snowfall.

Village Manager Alan Briley reported to councilors that even with ample rain

and snow, the village remains in Phase One conservation mode restricting watering of lawns and bushes to odd and even days of the week to match a home's address. Watering also is prohibited between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

"We're close to once-a-week watering. We don't want to get there."

Alan Briley Village manager

If the village moves up to Phase Two officers and the police will be looking for violators, he said. Offenders will receive a warning the first time, but "on a second offense, we will go after them heavily because it's a precious

resource," Briley said.

Fire restrictions also are in effect, banning charcoal grills, outside flames of any sort, fireworks and smoking except in designated places.

"People always wonder where those designated places are," Briley said. "It wouldn't be on the walking path or just wandering outside. It could be on a porch, deck or inside a building in a designated area."

Councilor Ron Anderson questioned why warnings are given on a first offense when the danger of fire is so extreme. Briley said many visitors honestly don't know about the restrictions.

"They drive up here from El Paso with charcoal to grill, so we give them a notice first," he said, adding that local grocery and hardware stores have posted the fire

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MORE TEA?



SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Miranda Janique Romero, 5, and her doll pals, from Captain, attended a doll tea party at Lincoln coordinated by Elizabeth Becker of the Hubbard Museum of the American West April 7.

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# Downs applying for grants

## Council approves policies to meet federal CDBG requirements

BY TODD FUQUA  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Several purchases designed to enhance the Ruidoso Downs Fire Department and preliminary agreements regarding the village's upcoming application for development grants topped the Ruidoso Downs village council meeting Tuesday.

Following a public hearing on the Community Development Block Grant program, the council began the meeting by approving village policies adhering to federal requirements for CDBG.

The plans effectively set ground rules for the process and increase the village's chances of having its applications approved.

The first plan adopted by the council requires the village to comply with Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of

1968. Under this act, Ruidoso Downs is encouraged to use small local businesses to fulfill contracts and hire low-income residents of the community.

The council also passed plans regarding displacement and relocation of residents who might be forced to move from their homes to accommodate any future CDBG improvements.

The council also passed several requests by the Ruidoso Downs Fire Department for new wild land fire equipment and gear and 12 sets of bunker gear. The department has currently been borrowing bunker gear from Otero County.

- In other business, the council:
- Awarded a bid for \$200,000 to fund sewer line extension to 41 homes in the Heights/Las Lomas area;
  - Approved an advertisement for an annual bid for 3/8" chips for street improvements.

# Sidewalk ideas not concrete

Village councilors discussed some solutions to the cracked walkways, but a fix could take a while.

BY DIANNE STALLINGS  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Collected moisture, along with alternating hot and cold temperatures are cracking sidewalks along Sudderth Drive, especially through mid-town.

Although at least one business owner, Larry Wimbrow of Candle Power, used the crack in front of his shop as an advertising gimmick, no one was laughing Tuesday as the Ruidoso Village Council tried to come up with a fix for the problem.

Village Manager Alan Briley suggested as an interim measure that a rubber silicone sealant be used and then he collected cost estimate and sidewalk replacement and repair into the village's capital improvement project requests that are submitted to the state Legislature.

Briley said he was a liaison on the MainStreet project, which used state Highway and Transportation Department construction specifications for

the sidewalks.

Problems started showing within one year, he said. Some areas were deeply excavated. Workers found muck and mud indicating underground spring activity. Although high-grade fill was put back in and the concrete met all tests, "we're getting a lot of moisture under the three-feet of material and we're getting a lot of heating," Briley said.

Some sub-structure reinforcement material was not installed at the time, such as wire mesh or rebar, because the bids came in so high, he said.

He considered grinding down the portion of the sidewalk that swelled up this winter, but then in the summer, the area will flatten and wind up lower, continuing the same danger for someone to trip, Briley said.

He also thought about installing a drain to release trapped moisture, floating a slab or replacing the substructure.

Some springs are so active within a two-block stretch of

the road that the substructure consists of silt with a lot of water, he said.

Street Department administrator J. R. Baumann said in checking the worst section of sidewalk, he found 17 bad cracks on the south side of the street and six on the north side.

"A lot of the problem is that snow stays all winter long," he said.

He ruled out using drains because some already are present. Floating a slab also involves major problems. The segment in front of Candle Power would be especially expensive to redo.

because the problem lies below the double-deck sidewalk, installed to meet Americans with Disability rules.

"We could add them into our capital improvement projects and could ask the highway department for more money," Briley said. But he's not optimistic because the village probably won't be eligible for more MainStreet money for three to four years, he said.

**"A lot of the problem is that snow stays all winter long."**

J.R. Baumann  
Street department official

## COMMUNITY BRIEFS

### Blood drive

The Ruidoso High School Student Council will have its annual blood drive in the public meeting room a the high school from 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Wednesday, April 17.

### Skateboard demo

The Libeck Skateboard Demo Team will put on a skateboarding demonstration at the White Mountain skate park Sunday starting at 5 p.m. The demonstration will last approximately two hours. Skaters include Dan Pageau, Aron Artist, Brandon John and "Alien" of El Paso, Texas.

### FACT

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Battles of Velarde and Glorieta Pass fought, ends Confederate occupation of New Mexico.

### Correction

A story in the Wednesday, April 3, edition of the Ruidoso News entitled "Ruidoso man bleeds to death after suffering arm laceration" contained incorrect information. Alden Hughes was 41 and died on March 30.

## THE PLAY'S THE THING



COURTESY

The drama departments of Ruidoso and Monahans, Texas, high schools will present two contest plays at 7:30 p.m. today at the Spencer Theater. Admission is \$5 at the door for the performances of "Second Class" and "An Uncertain Hour." Ed Spurr of the Spencer Theater allowed the students to perform there, "especially since April is Student Performance Month," said Ruidoso drama teacher Marilyn Orr.

# Water, drainage possible for CDBG

BY TODD FUQUA  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

The first of several scheduled public hearings Tuesday in the Ruidoso Downs Village Hall concluded with a plea to residents for input and support for this year's Community Development Block Grant application.

Among those in attendance on Tuesday, several expressed the village's need for water, sewage and drainage improvements; particularly in light of problems in the southeast portion of the village, where residents have been without water for most of the past three days.

The village, which hasn't had a CDBG project for more than four years, hosted the public hearing and welcomed Tony Elias, executive director of the Southeastern New Mexico Economic Development District, who discussed what the CDBG program is and how it can benefit small communities such as Ruidoso Downs.

"There are several communities in this area competing for these funds," Elias explained. "\$15 million is a lot for the program, but they get \$45 million in requests each year."

## Judge candidate cited for battery, animal nuisance

Phillip R. Smalley, a candidate for Division II Magistrate Judge in Ruidoso, is accused in municipal court of battery against his landlord and of animal nuisance.

According to court documents, Smalley, 36, was cited April 4 with pushing his landlord through a screen door. On April 10, he was cited for allowing piles of horse waste to build up around a corral on property he rents.

Smalley declined comment Thursday, but a police report from the April 4 incident stated that Smalley and his mother, Marilyn Smalley, wanted landlord Gerald Welch, 68, cited for criminal trespass.

"Water and drainage are the most popular requests for this grant," Elias stated. "They're also the most expensive."

Of all the communities in the state, only four — Albuquerque, Las Cruces, Santa Fe and Rio Rancho — are not eligible for CDBG funds.

Because of the obvious amount of competition among the rest of New Mexico communities, Elias urged Downs residents to become active in the program and attend as many public hearings on the projects as possible.

One thing which bodes well for any application made by the Downs is its proximity to the Mexican border, which makes the village eligible for Colonias status. As a result of this recognition, Ruidoso Downs can apply for an additional \$500,000 for projects, and won't face as fierce competition for those funds.

Whatever the village council eventually decides to submit for block grant funds, Elias urged those in attendance Tuesday to get to work immediately, as the applications will be due in November.

The next of five total public hearings on the subject will be held before the Downs' next council meeting April 23.

According to the report by Officer Dewayne Goar, Welch went to the property on Meander Drive that he rented to the Smalleys to check on their status after giving them a 30-day eviction notice. He told police that while standing near the front door, Smalley "pushed him in a rude and insolent manner without any reason."

The Smalleys countered in the report that Welch and his son were harassing Mrs. Smalley and they would not leave.

Smalley pleaded not guilty in municipal court Wednesday and the case will be set for trial, a court spokesman said.

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Thank you also to all of the thoughtful friends that organized, made arrangements, and worked so hard on April 6th to clear the dead trees and work on the land restoration. Thank you Jack Johnson, and Bob and Cindy of Eagle Creek Construction, for the fast clean up of our burned home, and working so quickly to make arrangements to build our new home. Thank you Dr. Becky Washburn for taking such great care of Bam-Bam, our cat. You are so kind and understanding. We appreciate all of you.

We know that God has a great plan for our future, Jeremiah 29:11. We have always been thankful to live, work, and worship, in a community that supports and cares for one another. We know without a doubt how rich this blessing is today.

There are so many people that we have not listed by name, but please know that we are so thankful for everything you have done to make our situation easier to bear.

With our greatest appreciation,

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### OUR OPINION

## Get with the program on village fire safety

The authorities are about to pick up a big stick

Authorities in Ruidoso are warning property owners to get serious now about reducing the risk of wild fire on their land. The warning comes with the implied threat that, if property owners drag their feet or refuse to act, the weight of law will come down on them.

The recent losses associated with the Kokopelli Fire should by themselves serve as an object lesson for those who believe the "look" of their property outweighs public health and welfare. But apparently some landowners aren't getting the message.

Mike Runnels, director of zoning and planning for the village, had some strong words for balky property owners. "We have to confront that attitude as selfish, shortsighted and narrow-minded, and tell them, 'You're placing your lives and your neighbors' lives at risk, and that interferes with the public health, safety and welfare.'"

Consider yourselves told. The village's existing Uniform Fire Code provides enforcement power to ensure mandatory thinning, brush clearing and other measures needed for fire safety. But the village already is rolling out additional measures because, as Runnels stated, the area faces a "clear and present dan-

ger" from wildfire. Perhaps those who hesitate to make their property safer weren't here when the flames raced through the treetops northeast of Alto, reducing 29 homes and a barn to ashes in a frighteningly short time. Perhaps they don't realize that areas within Ruidoso bear the same high risk of wildfire. The safety, and economic, implications of such a fire within the village's downtown area are staggering.

The village intends to see just what's on the ground. That alone will take time and money.

But property owners can see what's on their ground, too. Those wedded to the idea that any and all growth on their property is outside the village's scope of authority should consider the dangers to themselves and their neighbors inherent in that view.

The village's proposal is simple: Achieve fire safety the easy way or the hard way. But for the good of the entire community, it must be achieved.

Go with the village officials on this one and make an effort to create the type of "defensible space" they're speaking of. Listen to their recommendations and then carry them out to the best of your ability. Don't force them to make the exercise of law the final word.

## Of Spring Break's end and the tax filing deadline

A reporter came into the newsroom on Tuesday and said, "I just drove through Midtown at high noon, and nobody was in sight!"

Exaggerated, maybe, but there's no question that our ubiquitous and essential "Spring Break" is over...

All those college students have left their money and gone back to Lubbock and El Paso and Midland and points east and south; even Ruidoso's kids have returned to the classroom for the last push to graduation for seniors and, finally, the end of another endless school year for all the rest.

If the absence of Midtown shoppers casts a shade of anxiety on some of our retailers...well, consider the semi-bright side: Income tax returns are due on Monday, and maybe this slow time gives everybody one last shot to dream up some deductible expenses that might have been overlooked in an effort to find and document all that income.

Speaking of income taxes and forms and such, one thing that's always been a bit frightening to us is the size of the figure sitting beside the line labeled Social Security on that W-2.

Over the years, that figure has gotten bigger, and bigger, and bigger.

What reminded us of that wasn't merely the tax deadline, but a flyer that showed up on our desk this week with a bold and intriguing headline: "The Social Security Penalty." And the sub-headline: "The Tax Migraine."

That's the name of a talk to be given Tuesday from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Ruidoso Senior Citizens Center by a man named Brian Mirau, who's reportedly been working with residents of New Mexico and southern Texas for the past 19 years.

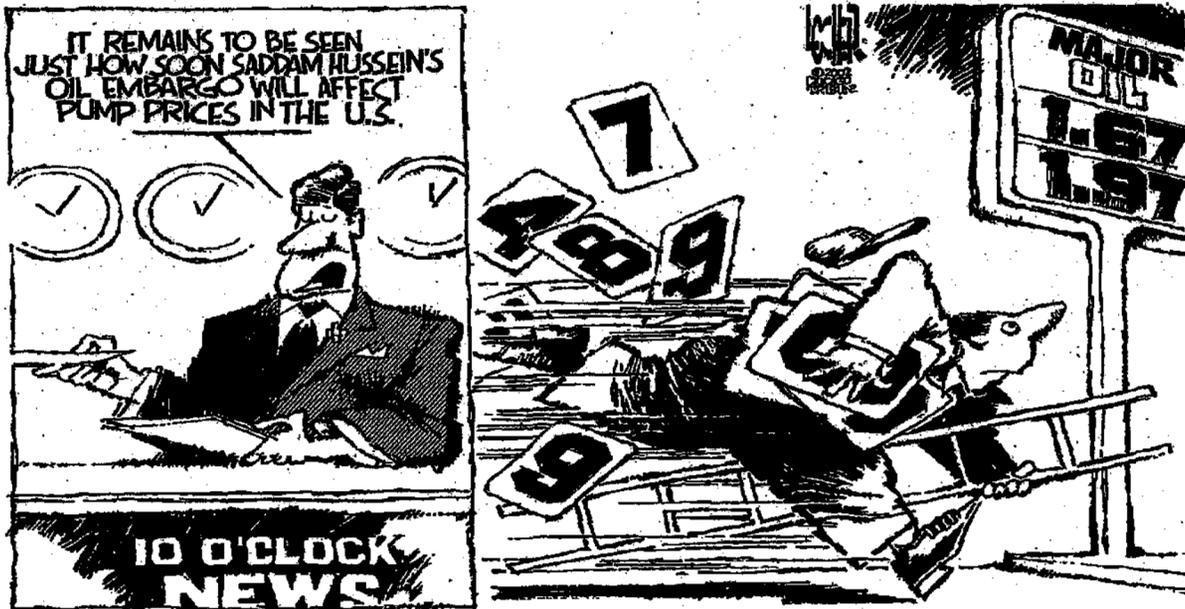
The pitch focuses on why up to 85 percent of Social Security income can be taxed (yes, it's in the tax code), and "what you can do so it's not taxed."

We're not in the habit of reporting things of this nature in this space, but that double-tax reference did get our attention, and besides the flyer insists the program is free and that "absolutely no selling" is involved.

So, OK; but no guarantees. The small print does indicate that the lecturer is a registered representative for a securities firm.

Well, anyway, with the spring break crowds long gone and the tax deadline already dead (on Monday), maybe that Tuesday talk will entertain some of our seniors suffering with tax migraines, even if it's too late to impact their federal returns.

But it seems to us there's a bigger headache for much of the senior population in these three little and mysterious words: Alternative Minimum Tax.



### YOUR OPINION

## Where have all the gross receipts taxes gone?

To the editor:

Noting the article in the Friday (April 4) paper regarding the possible shortfall of gross receipts taxes for Ruidoso, I would like to make this observation about our present gross receipts situation.

- Ruidoso has managed to lose the gross receipts taxes from Wal-Mart to Ruidoso Downs
- Ruidoso has managed to lose the gross receipts taxes from the motorcycle rally to Ruidoso Downs
- Ruidoso has managed to lose the gross receipts taxes from the car show to Ruidoso Downs
- Ruidoso has the Pinestock event outside the village limits
- Ruidoso has the Jazz Fest event outside the village limits
- Ruidoso has two casinos just outside its village limits that gobble up a fair percentage of visitors' expendable cash

Understanding that there is a trickle-down effect for gross receipts to all business in the Ruidoso area, it is a burr under my saddle to know that Ruidoso has lost well in excess of one half million dollars in gross receipts per year due to just these situations.

Perhaps we need to reevaluate what missed opportunities we presently have and do what is needed to bring these and other activities back into the Village of Ruidoso.

James H. Shoop  
Ruidoso

### The fear lingers

To the editor:

We live in the Rancho Ruidoso Valley Estates. Thanks to all for their prayers and concerns.

God was good to us in the Kokopelli Fire. Not even smoke damage — what a blessing.

If you have never been in a fire loss of any kind, please remember it is a scare and stress that never go away.

My husband and I thank all volunteers, food donations from Schlotzky's and Wal-Mart...

Looking out my front window today, I saw a large billow of white, and I froze for a short time and looked closer and saw a tractor grader working an area and ... clearing off a burned place, but I got scared and then sank inside with relief.

Again, thank God and all His people and remember, reach out to each

other once in a while.

Lillian Earl  
Rancho Ruidoso  
Valley Estates

### The final concert

To the editor:

Alison England's program, presented by the Ruidoso Community Concert Association on April 5, was superb. Her voice, her selections and her acting and theatrics made for a great concert that was enjoyed by everyone.

The concert concluded the regular 13th season of the Ruidoso Community Concert Association.

Now we are looking forward to the 14th season.

Robert K. Rowe  
Ruidoso

### Getting rid of slash

To the editor:

Again this spring our area has been hit by devastating fires. And again as my husband and I try to remove brush, lower limbs, and smaller trees from our land we are faced with what to do with the slash. We have three alternatives:

1. Burn. This is only possible during a 'good' winter with lots of snow cover, and right now is banned anyway (with very good reason).

2. Chip. This reduces the volume, but we still have to dispose of huge piles of wood chips.

3. Pay someone to haul off the slash. This is a good alternative for those who can afford to do so. But there are many that live in the county who cannot.

Lincoln County needs to provide a dumpsite for this slash now, not after another fire prompts state officials to again say that we have not addressed the problem.

Janice Sawyer  
Alto

### STREET TALK

QUESTION: What should be done about affordable housing in Ruidoso



"We need it. We're going to lose some of our workers simply because they can't afford to live here; it's too expensive. Either landlords dropping rent to make it affordable or build the complex they were talking about."

Joe Baker  
Ruidoso



"I have problems here with my employees. I don't have an answer. I'm not sure the government's the answer. I would hope private enterprise could take care of it."

Jimmy Goodwin  
Ruidoso



"Low-income housing requires you to be extremely low-income and middle-income people are suffering because they can't qualify for low-income housing and can't afford the rest of the housing that's available."

Sammi Allen  
Ruidoso

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## Immunization clinic helps children

The rate of immunizations for New Mexico children 2 years old and younger has fallen from 80 percent in 1996 to 72 percent in 2001. In an effort to increase immunization rates, the state is rolling out a new program "Make Every Visit Count" which will be started during National Infant Immunization Week, April 14 through 19, and Ruidoso is taking part.

The Rotary Club in Ruidoso and the Public Health Department are planning a special immunization day during National Infant Immunization Week. It will be Monday at the Public Health Department, 105 Kansas City Road (next to the public library), from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

The health department will provide free childhood immunizations and goodies to children from birth to age 18.

Any child coming in Monday also will have a chance to win a \$100 U.S. savings bond in a drawing sponsored by the Rotary Club.

Millie Aproda, immunization nurse with the health department, said the goal is to increase immunization rates by 75 percent in 2002, increase awareness and encourage parents, caretakers, daycare providers, managed care organizations, church communities, and local providers to immunize.

Parents who are not sure a child is up to date may either call the public health department at 258-3252 or drop by and they will be glad to check the child's shot record, Aproda said. Children coming for immunizations should be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian and should have a copy of their shot record with them. Parents want chil-

dren to grow up healthy, and one of the easiest ways they can do that is to make sure they get all of their childhood shots at the recommended ages, Aproda said.

Childhood immunizations protect a baby from these diseases: measles, mumps, German measles (rubella), diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (whooping cough), polio, haemophilus influenzae type b (HIB disease), pneumococcal infection, varicella (chicken pox) and hepatitis B.

There is also a vaccine available to prevent Hepatitis A. Today we might not think of these diseases as being very serious because, thanks to vaccines, we don't see some of them as often as we used to. But they can still be deadly. Measles used to kill hundreds of people a year and in the 1920s more than 10,000 people a year died from diphtheria. In the 1940s and 50s, tens of thousands of children were crippled and killed by polio.

Even today, these diseases can lead to pneumonia, choking, brain damage, heart problem, blindness and even death.

New Mexico has a very high rate of whooping cough, compared to the rest of the country, still having about 100 cases a year. It also has one of the highest rates of hepatitis. Every state has laws that require children to be vaccinated before entering school. But that may be too late. Most of these immunizations should be given to children during the first two years of their lives, Aproda said. If you have questions, call your physician or the public health department. Learn all you can about childhood diseases and then make certain that your children are protected.

## Emergency telephone system tested today in Ruidoso area

An interactive emergency communication system that automatically dials telephones in a designated area will be tested today by Ruidoso's Emergency Manager Thomas Chavez.

"When people pick up, a voice will come on explaining that it is the communicator with

an important message," Chavez said. "Then I will explain that if it had been a real emergency, they would have received instructions on what to do and where to go."

The system was used successfully in an extended area northeast of the village during the Kokopelli Fire three weeks ago.

## HOUSING: Project is in limbo

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either to donating the land, finding a less expensive, flatter site or to switching all the units to 100 percent market rent, he said.

The project was prompted by a need for reduced rent housing built specifically for people who work in Ruidoso, a resort community that depends on a traditionally lower-paid service industry. One of the aims was to create competition for what Stanger said are existing overpriced or substandard rental units in the village by encouraging rents to decrease overall.

Bridge, a successor corporation to CDS Investments, which is developing a golf and equestrian community called Rainmakers north of Ruidoso, was picked 18 months ago to design and build the complex on 12 acres near Grindstone Reservoir.

The company bought the land for \$325,000 with the caveat that if the project fell through, the deal was void, Village Manager Alan Briley said Wednesday.

During the regular council meeting that followed the workshop, Councilor Deborah Marcum-Byars said she favored

dropping the current effort and starting over again with a new request for proposals. She questioned if the village should proceed on its proposal to rezone the property from single-family residential to residential planned unit development.

"I have concerns, and other people do too," she said. "I wonder if the RFP was broad enough. It's a waste of time to go for a public hearing when neither the developer nor this village feel comfortable about it at this time."

Charles Rennick, assistant village attorney, said denying the request would end the project. Any reapplication would have to wait one year to be submitted, he said.

Mayor Leon Eggleston responded, "From what I heard before, this project is not going ahead at this site."

"Unless the village is willing to give more," said Councilor Bob Sterchi.

"I think we're wasting our time," Eggleston replied.

Rennick recommended scheduling a hearing, but delaying it for a month or two to allow more discussion by the council. Even if rezoning is approved,

the project still could be abandoned. The property already was replatted as one lot, said village planning and zoning director Mike Runnels.

Sterchi offered a motion to schedule the public hearing for rezoning in June, which passed unanimously.

Reviewing the elements of the affordable housing complex at the earlier workshop, Stanger said the apartments would be a mix of full rent and reduced rent based on either 50 percent or 60 percent of the median income for the county. For a family of four that would range from \$17,450 to \$21,650. Affordable no longer means low-income housing, he said.

More realistic rent could be charged if the median income was based on the village alone and did not take in the primarily rural areas around it, he said.

Runnels said the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development could issue a waiver restricting income calculations to the village, and he agreed with Stanger that no matter the outcome of this effort, the village should pursue a waiver for future affordable housing projects.

## COUNCIL: Hot ash disposal discussed

the shelves containing grilling equipment and accessories.

In a related matter, the council agreed to set a public hearing on May 14 for an ordinance dealing with disposal of hot ashes. The idea sprang from early reports that the Kokopelli Fire, which three weeks ago destroyed 29 homes and a barn and burned more than 900 acres, was started by someone dumping ashes from a fireplace.

Investigators have since ruled out ashes as a cause, but councilors said some rules still probably are needed.

Charles Rennick, assistant village attorney, proposed amendments to the solid waste chapter of the municipal code that already deals with ash disposal.

"The amendment clarifies the procedure and provides penalties," he said. "This chapter was chosen because it more directly relates to the activity at hand -- disposal of waste -- and the chapter dealing with offenses already has provisions concerning improper handling of fire."

One of the provisions specifically makes it unlawful to dispose of hot ashes "in any manner." The ashes must cool in place for at least

24 hours and be inspected to determine that no live embers capable of spontaneous combustion are present. A person also could extinguish the ashes with water or sand, stirring them until no embers capable of spontaneous combustion are present, the amendment reads.

But Rennick also proposed a requirement as a condition of business registration for sellers of firewood and charcoal. Owners of those businesses would be required to inform their customers of proper ash disposal techniques.

Under the consent agenda, the board approved without discussion:

- \* A contract for the Alto Raw Water Intake structure to Carl Kelley Construction for a low bid of \$79,444.

- \* A contract for the Thrill Hill Lift Station replacement to White Cloud Pipeline Corp. for \$54,500.

- \* A contract for Grindstone Dam face joint repairs and resealing to CWD Services for the low bid of \$60,558.

- \* Selection of a proposal for banking services to First Federal Bank. Councilor Bob Sterchi abstained on the vote because he serves on the board of directors of one of the banks that bid on the service.

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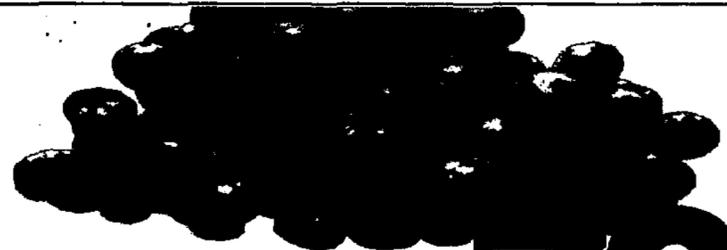
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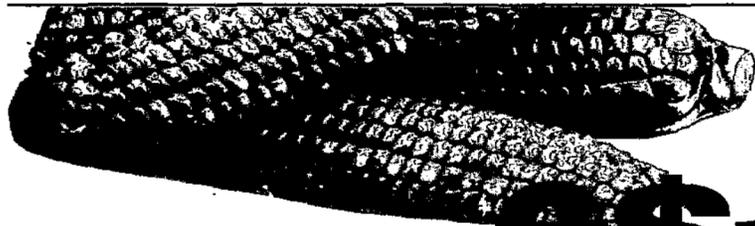
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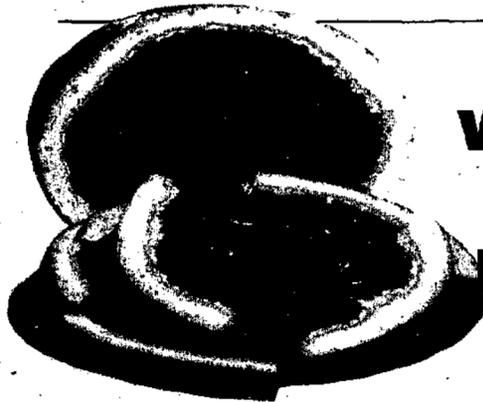
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## BUSINESS BRIEFS

### Casa Alegre marks 10 years in Ruidoso

Mend, Inc., which does business as Casa Alegre, on March 22 marked 10 years of service to disabled individuals in Ruidoso.

Vicky Warwick, the owner/administrator, said Casa Alegre opened in 1992 to provide shelter for the disabled, but now provides a variety of other services, such as job coaching, all on an individualized basis.

Funding is through the New Mexico Department of Health under its developmentally disabled waiver program.

It now has a staff of 25 people. The office for the past three years has been at 229 Rio Street.

The firm recently expanded its services to the Albuquerque area, Warwick said.

### Trolinder honored

Jim Trolinder, investment representative with the Ruidoso office of Edward Jones, has been named to the President's Club of The American Funds Group, a mutual fund family. President's Club is one of the organization's highest honors for stockbrokers and financial

planners.

Trolinder has been with Edward Jones since 1998 and in the financial services field for 21 years.

### Beef Council project offers nutrition tips

To help women understand their family nutrition needs better, Lincoln County beef producers are bringing busy women three new information sheets of advice on key nutrition issues.

The information sheets — "Eating for 2? Eating Smart," "Relax, Recover, Renew," and "Childhood Nutrition" — were developed by the \$1 per head beef checkoff program and the Council for Women's Nutrition Solutions, an all-woman advisory board of health and nutrition experts.

"Women want to know what's best for them and their families," says Dina Reitzel, executive director of the New Mexico Beef Council. "They should find these sheets full of useful tips about how to maintain their own health and the health of their family."

Reitzel said the council plans to distribute more than 500,000 sheets through health professionals and interested consumers.

## The Economy and the Markets Why expensive oil?

BY SUNG WON SOMM  
CHIEF ECONOMIST, WELLS FARGO

Demand last year, the global economic slowdown kept the worldwide demand stable. This year, economic

rebound here and abroad will boost demand by about 1 percentage point, exerting an upward pressure on prices. In

the longer run, the demand for oil will continue to rise at a steady pace.

To be sure, the U.S. economy has become more energy efficient. Compared to the 1970s, it takes only 60 percent of energy today to produce a dollar's worth of output.

Energy efficiency, the increased production of high tech goods which do not use a lot of energy to produce, and the growing importance of services in the economy are some of the reasons. At the same time, the demand for energy continues to rise as gas-guzzling SUVs become popular, houses gets bigger and more gadgets are plugged in.

Supply: Oil producing nations cut production quotas by 5.0 million barrels per day. The latest cut of 1.5 million bpd came after some non-OPEC nations agreed to production cuts. Assuming OPEC compliance of the production cuts is 75 percent, the price of crude oil should stabilize at about \$22 per barrel; this is far below \$70 a barrel, which prevailed in 1970s (in today's dollars).

In the longer run, OPEC production will become increasingly more important as it owns a lion's share of the proven reserves.

Middle East: The turmoil there has added a premium of about \$5 per barrel to the price of oil. Even before the latest escalation of the conflict in Israel, the fear of a possible war in Iraq had boosted the price of oil. A further escalation

of the conflict there would mean higher prices, possibly disrupting the supply of oil.

"Oil: Derail recovery?" A higher oil price is equivalent to a tax hike, draining purchasing power. A part of the tax represents a redistribution of income from oil-consuming regions to oil-producing areas in the U.S.

The U.S. imports about 4 billion barrels of crude oil per year. A \$10 dollar increase in the price of crude oil means an additional oil-import bill of \$40 billion per year, or 0.4 percent of GDP in a \$10 trillion economy. By the time the multiplier effect of the decrease in buying power and the spillover effect into other forms of energy, like natural gas, are taken into consideration, the total effect is much larger.

For example, the direct weight of energy in the CPI is 6.3 percent. Our calculation shows that a sustained \$10 increase will shave economic growth by 0.5 percentage point, not enough to derail economic recovery. However, some sectors are affected more than others. Energy intensive industries, including transportation, construction, food and agriculture, government, trade, chemicals, etc. have the most to lose from rising oil prices.

As to inflation and interest rates, the key is whether the higher price of oil leads to wage increases. Studies show that the correlation between oil prices and compensation is about 55 percent, while the correlation between compensation and inflation excluding energy, is about 70 percent.

Employers tend to grant wage increases based on a broadly based inflation, not just higher oil prices. Also, the slack labor market generally leads to a deceleration in wage gains during the first year of recovery. Without a wage-price spiral, inflation and interest rates should not be affected a great deal.

These are not investment recommendations. Consult your financial advisors.

## Construction activity still showing strength

■ Year-to-date building permits are up nearly 12 percent from the prior year, but March showed some weakness.

BY KEITH GREEN  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Construction activity in Ruidoso and its planning area wrapped up the first quarter of 2002 with a double-digit percentage gain over the prior year, according to figures released this week by the village of Ruidoso planning department.

The Kokopelli Fire, which destroyed 29 homes in the Alto-Little Creek area in late March, might have impacted permit activity, but no measure was available. The fire loss has

been estimated at as much as \$15 million.

Building permits for the three months ending March 31 reflected a construction value of \$10.3 million, up 11.61 percent from \$9.2 million in 2001. Single-family residences continued to pace the pack, accounting for \$7.87 million for the period, up 20.74 percent from the prior year.

However, the biggest percentage winner was in new commercial construction, with \$632,329 this year, compared with \$90,400 a year ago — a gain of almost 600 percent.

About a third of that total came in March with a \$220,000 permit for a new building at 1311 Mechem Drive. Doug Lant is the listed contractor.

So far this year, 195 individual permits have been issued in all cate-

gories, up 8.94 percent from the 179 issued a year ago. Only three of the permits were for commercial buildings.

But March activity showed a lesser gain than the quarter, with construction permit values up just 3.56 percent from 2001 — \$3.587 million vs. \$3.453 million. Single-family residences accounted for about 80 percent of the total, at \$2.82 million vs. \$2.186 million. The average value of 18 residential permits in March was \$176,272; the most expensive, \$276,460 for a house in Ranches of Sonterra. Six of the permit values exceeded \$200,000 in value.

During the quarter, the village collected permit fees totaling \$50,863, up 10.74 percent from the prior year's \$45,939.

## N.M. small businesses feel optimistic

First-ever survey of state's small firms finds many emphasizing increased marketing

ALBUQUERQUE — The results of a needs-assessment survey sent to New Mexico small businesses last July by the New Mexico Small Business Development Center network show that a majority of the state's small business owners expect higher profits this year, while nearly two-thirds report having adequate capital investment.

The survey was distributed by Small Business Development Centers, which serve every region of New Mexico. The Service Centers surveyed a variety of businesses in order to represent a cross-section of business types.

This is the first such statewide survey; the SBDC plans to repeat it every two years. The survey is part of the implementation of Malcolm Baldrige Quality Standards, developed from the Baldrige National Quality Awards established by Congress in 1987 as a program of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

State SBDC Director J. Roy Miller is a board member of Quality New Mexico, an organization devoted to promoting Baldrige quality standards in business.

The survey's stated purpose is to help the 18 statewide Service Centers stay informed, develop expertise and offer appropriate business counsel-

ing to its clients. A total of 935 responded, their sizes ranging from one employee to 33, with 10 as the median. The average business surveyed had been in business 11 years, and about a third were home-based. Among subjects business owners were asked about were marketing, product lines, business planning, technology, cash flow and access to capital, and potential deficits such as taxes and regulations, labor costs, employee benefits including health care, and economic downturns.

Optimism was a keynote of the survey. The majority of responding businesses said they expected their profitability to increase and their liabilities to remain the same or decrease, while believing that their workforce and rate of employee pay is going to hold steady or increase.

Reflecting the local-market orientation of most New Mexico small businesses, 67.4 percent saw the local economy as crucial to their success, while 45.4 percent cited the national economy.

Marketing stood out as the issue on which most businesses are focused, with 63.5 percent of respondents planning to put more of their resources into marketing. Product development is the intended investment focus of 21.4 percent, while 37 percent plan to



Village Hardware was getting spruced up for spring business this week — one of the many small businesses that make Ruidoso function.

invest in physical plant/facilities, 33.4 percent in general equipment, 18.2 percent in inventory and 10.5 percent in telecommunications.

New Mexico's small business owners regard technology as an important issue, with 32.4 percent intending to spend more on computer hardware, 36.1 percent on software, and 20.4 percent on web site development.

More than 40 percent already have their own web sites, and 22.9 percent sell their products or services online, while 30 percent use

the web for research, 29.9 percent to buy products or services, and 10 percent to recruit employees. Two-thirds of the businesses reporting said they use the Internet for e-mail.

Less than 20 percent said they didn't use the Internet. The report states: "This reflects a willingness to embrace new technology by small business in the state of New Mexico, perhaps influenced by the large number of high-tech industries located in the so-called 'Silicon Corridor'."

## Focus on Agriculture

### Bias in the media all too familiar

BY STEWART TRULSEN  
AMERICAN FARM BUREAU

Anyone reading Bernard Goldberg's best-selling book, "Bias," may say, "Aha, just what I thought. The news media has a liberal bias."

It's not a new charge. What makes Goldberg's book unique is that he is the first network television insider to write about it. He did so only after the network ignored his pleas for balance.

Goldberg was an esteemed news producer at CBS and worked closely with Dan Rather and top network brass. He first shared his ideas publicly in an op-ed piece published by The Wall Street Journal. After that, Andy Rooney was about the only one at CBS who would talk to him. Dan Rather felt betrayed.

The ironic thing is that CBS and its "60 Minutes" crew polished the art of putting corporate whistle-blowers on the

air. That was fine, as long as it was a tobacco company or meat packer or giant utility that was being skewered. "If I had worked at Firestone and blown the whistle on defective tires, CBS would have immortalized me," says Goldberg. "Unfortunately, the defective product I was making noise about wasn't tires; it was network news." This respected newsmen was asked for an apology, kept off the air and labeled a political activist with wacky ideas. His career was virtually over.

Among Goldberg's criticisms is that the news media make liberal views appear to be in the mainstream while conservative choices are portrayed as being far out. "Why is it that the word 'left-wing' has virtually vanished from the media's vocabulary? 'Right-wing' is doing quite well, thank you," he says.

One specific example is a 1996 CBS news report about

presidential candidate Steve Forbes' plan for a flat-tax. The reporter flattened the flat tax and made Forbes out to be some kind of nut for proposing it.

Goldberg makes it clear that this is not some news media conspiracy. It's not a bunch of news chiefs sitting around deciding how to slant the news. No, worse yet, it just comes naturally.

Another example is the coverage given to the plight of the homeless. Goldberg says the media make it seem that Republican spending policies are a leading cause of people being homeless and not alcohol and drug abuse and the closing down of state mental hospitals.

He says daycare is an issue manipulated by a liberal media so feminist groups won't be offended. "The problem is that they don't let the other voices on. The ones who say that most toddlers are bet-

ter off with their own mothers than with day-care workers and that most adolescent kids would do better if a parent were home after school instead of being alone and 'feeding for themselves,'" says Goldberg. He adds that the AIDS epidemic gets similar treatment in deference to the gay community.

The liberal bias in the news media comes down to this in Goldberg's opinion — "It's about how they frame the big issues of the day."

Farmers know what he is talking about. They've seen issues like private property rights, tax relief, energy development and environmental regulations get reported more often from a liberal perspective.

Stewart Trulsen is the director of broadcast services for the American Farm Bureau Federation.

# ARREST: Phone harasser found

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the caller as the one who had been calling them. Features in common included using the woman's first name, saying he didn't want trouble and just wanted someone to talk to, and identifying himself as a "secret admirer."

During the last conversation with the suspect, the victim set up a meeting with him for 6 p.m. April 9 at the Allsup's Convenience Store at Sudderth Drive and Mescalero Trail, describing her vehicle so he would recognize her. Ruidoso Police Department communications officer Tina Mahoney drove the victim's car to the appointed place.

"About 5:58 p.m., Officer (Randy) Haskins saw the suspect come around the south side of Allsup's on foot and come around to the car. All of the officers (who had been concealed) closed in as the subject got to the vehicle window and asked if she was ready," Sullins said. "Then the subject walked to the passenger side of the vehicle and as he reached for the door handle, she drove away and we arrested him without incident and brought him to the Ruidoso Police Department."

In Kinzhuma's backpack, police found paperwork from the magistrate court in Alamogordo for use of telephone to harass in Tularosa, with a release date of March 11,

pending trial.

Kinzhuma is being held at Lincoln County Detention Center on \$150,000 cash-only bond and can only make collect telephone calls from his cell, personnel at the jail said.

"He did an excellent job," Chief of Police Danny Maddox said of Sullins' investigation and the sting operation. "He showed a very high potential for leadership and team effort was successful in taking this predator off the street, who was endangering our entire community."

Sullins said identification of the suspect and his ultimate arrest would not have been possible without the help of officers Ray Merritt, Haskins, Mahoney and Shane Barnett.

Sullins faxed information on this arrest and prior incarcerations to the magistrate court in Alamogordo so that the court will consider upgrading its misdemeanor charges to felony charges, as is possible for a second offense.

Traps and traces had been placed on all the victims' telephones to obtain the phone number and address of the caller, but because the call was made from Mescalero, the number could not be traced and did not show up on caller ID systems, Sullins said.

"We found out that because of the way the (Mescalero Apache Telephone Inc.) system was built, the number won't show up on caller ID and on trap and trace."

## POLICE BRIEFS

### Juveniles arrested

Following a routine traffic stop, Ruidoso police arrested three juveniles about 1 a.m. April 10 at mile marker 280 on Highway 70. Each of the youths, ages 14, 15 and 17, were charged with minor allowing self to be served, concealing identification and resisting an officer. The 17-year-old driver was also charged with DWI.

### Aggravated DWI

Ruidoso Downs police arrested Joel Gonzalez, 39, of Ruidoso Downs, on Highway 70 on April 6, charging him with first-offense aggravated DWI driving on a suspended or revoked license and speeding, 52 mph in a 40-mph zone.

## FUNERALS DEATHS

### H.L. Cox

Graveside services for H.L. Cox, 81, of Brownwood, Texas, formerly of Ruidoso, will be at 2 p.m. today at the Rose Hill Cemetery in Tulia, Texas.

Mr. Cox died Tuesday, April 9, 2002, at Brownwood Regional Medical Center. He was born in Mobeetle, Texas, Sept. 6, 1920, to the late Olive and Lilly Cox.

He married Marjorie Warren in Clovis in 1941. He was a United States Air Force veteran and retired manager and president of Pecos Valley Southern Railway.

He had been a resident of Brownwood for only a short time. He spent the last 20 years living in Ruidoso, and

was from Pecos, Texas, before that. He was a Methodist and a member of the United Methodist Church in Ruidoso.

Survivors include his wife, Marjorie Cox, of Brownwood; a son, Ralph, and his wife, Carla Cox of San Saba, Texas; a daughter, Kay, and her husband, John Boyd of Channelview, Texas; four grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

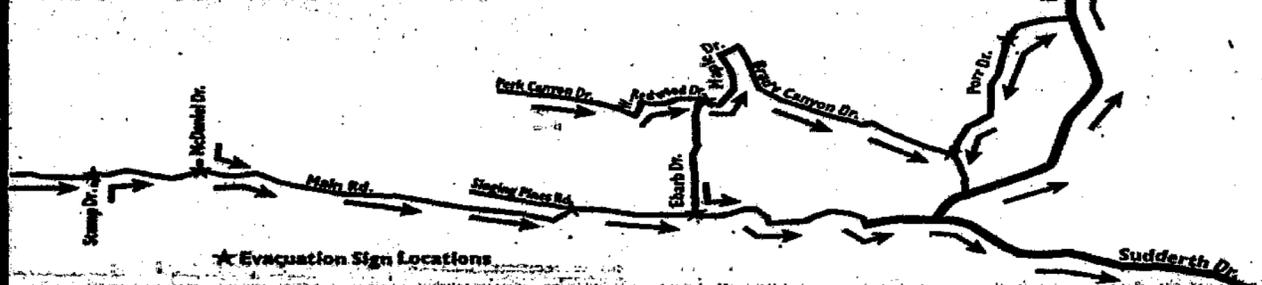
He was preceded in death by his parents Olive and Lilly Cox; six brothers; and two sisters.

Hardland Funeral Home of Early, Texas, is in charge of arrangements.

Memorials are suggested to the Make-A-Wish Foundation of Amarillo, Texas.

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## SOMETHING TO PROVE

### Ruidoso golf teams want to win Leroy Gooch, badly

BY TODD FUQUA  
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

It's widely recognized as one of the largest — and most challenging — golf tournaments in the state. And the Ruidoso boys and girls teams are anxious to show they have what it takes to win on their home turf.

The Leroy Gooch Invitational starts Monday on three golf courses — Alto Lakes, The Links and Cree Meadows — and features 24 teams from around the state.

The tournament will be split into large and small-school categories and will take place over two days — and could be a good preview of this year's state tournament in Socorro.

Joining the Warriors in the 1A-3A division will be Cloudercroft, New Mexico Military Institute, Hot Springs, Socorro, Grants, Lovington, Portales, Sandia Prep and Tucumcari.

Representing the 4A-5A schools will be Hobbs, Clovis, Carlsbad, Los Lunas, Alamogordo, Las Cruces, Mayfield, Oñate, Roswell, Goddard, Artesia, Los Alamos, Piedra Vista and Farmington.

The boys will play at Alto Lakes on Monday and conclude the second round at the Links. The girls will play both days at Cree Meadows.

"We've not won this tournament in the last two years," said Ruidoso boys coach Eric Eggleston. "Some of the older kids know this and are eager to do that this year."

"State is the most important



Ruidoso golfers Lee Anne Henson, left, and Colton English will lead their teams into competition Monday when the Warriors host the Leroy Gooch Tournament. The boys will play at the Alto Lakes and Links golf courses, while the girls will be at Cree Meadows for both rounds of the two-day tourney.



TODD FUQUA AND TODD BUTTS/STAFF

tournament in the state, but now the kids feel they can win every tournament they're in," he continued. "We want to win this one."

It's more a matter of pride than anything else, as the Leroy Gooch will be played on courses the Warriors have played on since they were little. They know these links well, and want to prove they're good enough to beat anybody in the state.

Both the boys and girls are in similar positions, as both have already achieved their state qualifying legs and are now simply playing to improve their standing and individual games.

The Lady Warriors come into this tournament after taking third at Truth or Consequences behind Socorro and Hot Springs, with team leader Lee Anne Henson winning the individual medal with

a score of 83.

Landree Siddons had a 95, Courtney Gibson shot a 98, followed by Lee Anne Gibson's 102 and a 107 from Kelly Riggsby. As a team, the Lady Warriors finished with a 380.

"We played well, but can play a lot better, we just need to take care of business," said Lady Warrior coach Les Carter. "We saw two of the better 3A teams in the state (Socorro and Hot Springs), and I'm sure

that's who we'll have to deal with."

Another player for the Lady Warriors, Clarissa Silva, shot a 101, which could have helped the team score, had she been listed as a member of the team at the tournament.

The fact that a player who isn't even on the official team could shoot a score like that gave Carter hope that kind of

See GOOCH, page 2B

## side line

### Prep Standings

Baseball Standings District 4-3A		
District	Overall	
NMMI	8-0	10-2
Lovington	5-0	8-3
Portales	3-5	7-8
Ruidoso	2-5	5-8
Santa Teresa	1-7	1-14

Tuesday, April 9  
NMMI 13, Ruidoso 1  
NMMI 13, Ruidoso 1

Softball Standings District 4-3A		
District	Overall	
Lovington	6-0	11-3
Portales	4-2	4-7
Ruidoso	3-4	4-11
Santa Teresa	0-4	1-9-1

Thursday, April 11  
Ruidoso at Santa Teresa (2), late

### Preps on Tap

Friday, April 12  
Softball  
Ruidoso vs. Socorro (2), 4 p.m.  
Track  
Ruidoso in Ruidoso Invitational at RHS, 3 p.m.

Saturday, April 13  
Baseball  
Ruidoso vs. Portales (2), 11 a.m.  
Track  
Corona in Fox-Viken Relays at Fort Sumner

Monday, April 15  
Golf  
Ruidoso in Leroy Gooch Classic. Boys at Alto Lakes, girls at Cree Meadows

Tuesday, April 16  
Baseball  
Ruidoso at Santa Teresa (2), 3 p.m.  
Softball  
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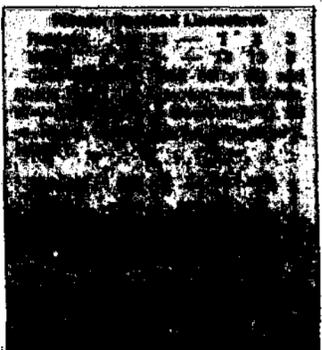
### On Deck

Sierra Blanca Scramble  
The 10th Annual Sierra Blanca Scramble, benefitting Optimist International of Ruidoso, will be held Saturday, May 11 at the Cree Meadows Country Club. Entry fee is \$35 per golfer, and there's included green fee and prizes. For more information, contact Eric Eggleston at 257-5815 or Lane Adams at 257-4033.

Gus Macker in Alamogordo  
The 26th Annual "Saturday in the Park" in Alamogordo will feature a Gus Macker 3-on-3 basketball tournament, and calls for teams are going out. The tournament will be held May 18, and anyone interested in participating can call 437-8120.

Senior Olympic Events  
Several qualifying events for the State Senior Olympics in Las Cruces will be held in the Lincoln County area. For more information on registration, contact Bart Young at 257-3193 or e-mail at mbyoung@zianet.com.  
Table Tennis — May 3 at the Ruidoso Senior Center, 10 a.m.  
Bowling — May 8-10 at the Ruidoso Bowling Center, 1:30 a.m.  
Horseshoes — May 14 at Carrizozo Country Club, 1 p.m.

Goodwill Tour Seeking Players  
Sports For Youth Foundation, Inc. is currently accepting applications for boys and girls age 15-20 who are accomplished volleyball players to represent the U.S. on the 2002 Goodwill Ambassadors World Tour. This year's tour will be to Europe, and the dates are scheduled for July 1-22. For additional information, contact the Foundation at info@sportsforyouth.com. Visit the Tour web site at www.volleyballtours.com to see photos from previous tours, see the daily itinerary or sign up at the on-line registration form. For additional information, call the Foundation at (425) 255-8102.



## Heavy hitters in town for Warrior Track Invitational

BY TODD FUQUA  
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

The Warrior track invite is coming today at 3 p.m., and Ruidoso coach Ronny Maskew has referred to the field, jokingly, as a "bunch of small schools."

The best of these "small" school are Carlsbad and Alamogordo, whose boys and girls teams Maskew feels will be the teams to beat today.

Adding to the list are Las Cruces, Mayfield, Oñate, Artesia and Socorro.

As one of the smallest schools at this meet, the Warriors might not make a

lot of noise in the final standings, but that doesn't bother Maskew in the least.

"We always try to have a tough meet and make it tough for our kids," Maskew said. "We think that competition helps them."

"We don't win our meet very often, but we're looking to improve," he added. "It would be nice to win, but we really need to see this kind of competition."

The Warriors haven't competed since March 28 at the Socorro

Invitational, having canceled out of the Moriarty meet April 5 for a variety of reasons.

Ruidoso needed the rest, as they were missing several important people to injury, such as Kayci Brunell in the girls relay events and Jose Linares and Nathaniel Hedin for the boys relays.

Brunell and Linares will be back in action today, but Hedin will still sit out this week and be back for next week's trip to Artesia.

Even without those important cogs in the wheel, the Ruidoso boys showed

a great deal of improvement in their relays due to some unexpected surprises.

"Still without some of our top sprinters, we knocked 5/10 of a second off our 400-meter relay," Maskew said. "We're just 4/10 of a second away from qualifying there. We feel like we've got a shot in that one this week."

The Warrior Invitational gets started at Ruidoso High at 3 p.m. with the preliminaries in the girls 100-meter hurdles, and continues until about 10 p.m., concluding with the boys 400-meter relay finals.

## Ruidoso nine drops two district games at NMMI

BY TODD FUQUA  
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

The second half of the District 4-3A season is coming up, and the Ruidoso baseball team has their back up against the wall.

But at least coach Mike Morris can look forward to the upcoming second half of the season with a completely different and — hopefully — lethal pitching combination they need to take advantage late in the season.

"We still have our stalwart (Chad Swanner) and Reese Parkinson," Morris said. "Now we'll have Willie Lundquist, Wes Adaza, Jamie Urban, Josh Adams..."

And so on. Lundquist, Adaza and Urban all join the team after sitting out most of the season, and Morris hopes that new line-up will be enough to throw other district teams off kilter.

"That's a pretty formidable combination on the mound, now we just need to hit," Morris said. "Hitting was something the Warriors definitely did not do at

"We saw what a defending state champion plays like, that's for sure."

Mike Morris  
Ruidoso High baseball coach

New Mexico Military Institute Tuesday, dropping both games of a double-header by identical scores of 13-1.

"Well, we saw what a defending state champion plays like, that's for sure," Morris said of the Colts. "They're a good team, and — other than us — I can't see them losing another game. I really want to beat them."

Ruidoso (5-8, 2-5) could muster only five hits in the two games off Colt pitchers J.J. Donovan and Luke McKelvy. The NMMI pair combined for 19 strikeouts and only six baserunners in ten total innings.

The Warriors' lone scores came on a single by Kendal

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## FISH STORY



Local angler Steve Torres proudly displays the 23 1/8-inch rainbow trout he caught April 9 in Grindstone Lake. Torres, who was using what he termed "Wal-Mart special" bait when he hooked the prize, said it's the largest trout he's ever caught, and was certain it's one of the largest rainbows ever caught at Grindstone Lake. "I'm not an expert and the net I used was a 7-foot net," Torres said.

**DEALING SOME HEAT**



**Lisa Spurr**, pitcher for the Ruidoso softball team, fires one to the plate during her team's game April 4 against Goddard. The Lady Warriors, still winless in District 4-3A at 0-4, tried to get back on track with a double-header at Santa Teresa on Thursday. They play a home twin-bill today at 4 p.m. against Socorro. Full results on all games will be in a future edition of the Ruidoso News.

TODD HUTTON/STAFF

**GOOCH: Ruidoso teams eager to win at home**

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Internal competition can only make the team better.

"When you've got a girl who could take you off the team with her score, it pushes them to get better and improve," Carter said. "There was probably a difference of 12 strokes from the second through fifth players. That's not a lot over 18 holes."

This tournament may not feature some

of the better schools from the north side of the state, but Eggleston said the field is still a strong one.

"Everyone's pointing to Eldorado or Sandia as the teams to beat in 6A, but I think Clovis is going to be a sleeper," Eggleston said. "There's still a lot of good talent here."

It's that kind of talent the Warriors want to be up against — as they want to toughen themselves in preparation for the state match.

**Ruidoso JV at Socorro**  
The Ruidoso junior varsity boys and

girls teams competed at Socorro Thursday, and several Warriors shot scores that show they might be ready for varsity competition right now.

Brandon Behringer led the boys with a score of 79, followed by P.J. Smith at 85, Michael Jordan at 86, and Cody Sisson and Elijah Tossie each with an 88 for a team score of 338.

For the girls, Jennifer Cannella led with a low if 108 and almost had a hole-in-one, missing the cup by inches. Aimee Powers shot a 114 and Britany London had a 139 on the day.

**BASEBALL: Rough twin-bill for the Warriors**

FROM PAGE 1B

Bishop in the fifth inning of game one to score Adams, and single by Adams in the fourth inning of game two to score Swanner.

NMMI (10-2, 6-0) did plenty of damage at the plate, pounding out 13 hits in each game. All but two Colts got at least one hit in each game.

"We didn't have that many errors, we just could not hit the ball," Morris said. "That's what we're working on now."

Swanner, normally the Warriors' big gun on the mound, could only pitch two innings in game one before succumbing to

a sore arm.

No one else had much better luck against NMMI, and now Ruidoso is looking to Saturday's games against Portales as a chance to get back into playoff contention.

In fact, the Warriors might have a slight advantage, as they still have one game to make up at home against Lovington. Ruidoso was ahead of the Wildcats last Saturday 3-2 in the second inning when the game was called because of darkness.

"Overall, I still thought the boys did OK," Morris said. "They're still fighters and they know what they're up against. Saturday starts the second half of the district and we'll be ready."

That twin-bill against the Rams starts at 11 a.m. at the White Mountain Recreation Complex.

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# Forest health addressed

BY DIANNE STALLINGS  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

A Forest Health Task Force was formed Tuesday by new Ruidoso Mayor Leon Eggleston to bring recommendations back to the village council on issues ranging from disaster escape routes to fire prevention. Although village representatives

serve on several different groups dealing with similar aims, Eggleston said the council needs one clearinghouse that report directly to the council.

He will assigned specific tasks and deadlines, but the task force members also can proposed assignments, the mayor said.

Among those appointed to the task force were urban forester Rick

DeLaco, Councilors Ron Anderson and Deborah Marcum-Byars, former council member Al Junge, Smokey Bear District ranger Jerry Hawkes, Sherry Barrows and Van Patton, who deal with the product left from tree thinning projects, village planning and zoning commission member Bill Hirschfeld and Dave Parks, representing the private insurance industry.

# Bear carving competition is June 15

The event will benefit local fire departments and could become annual.

BY DIANNE STALLINGS  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

A bear carvers competition to benefit local fire departments is set for June 15.

Although no motion was required, the Ruidoso Village Council concurred Tuesday with the proposal that 100 percent of sales from items carved for the competition would be donated and

30 percent from other items sold during the event.

The idea was proposed by carver Robert Adams, whose Grizzly's Bears business is at 2804 Sudderth Drive across from the Visions complex of shops. Parking there would be allowed for the event, Mayor Leon Eggleston said. He has lined up fourteen carvers, the mayor

**"He'd like to make it an annual event."**

Leon Eggleston  
Ruidoso mayor

Mike Runnels, director of planning

and zoning, said Adams came in that day to start the process of obtaining a permit for a special event.

"He'd like to make it an annual event," Eggleston said. "He's not asking for any money, not even from Lodgers Tax (used to promote the community to tourists). He'd do raffles on carvings. I understand that quite a few will be carving at the same time so people can go down and watch."

# Wolfpacks put in temporary pens

Two wolf packs, each consisting of an alpha male and a pregnant female, were placed in temporary pens in the Gila Wilderness in southwestern New Mexico last week.

Victoria Fox, who monitors the wolf reintroduction program under the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, said one pack is in the McKenna Park area and another at Lilley Park. The wolves will stay in their nylon mesh, low impact temporary acclimation pens for up to two weeks. If they have not self-released by that time, they will be freed. The wolves are radio collared and monitored closely using telemetry equipment. They will be supplementary

fed until it is apparent that they are hunting on their own.

Both females are expected to give birth around April 19.

"Once released, we expect the wolves to settle down and den near their pen sites," said H. Dale Hall, the Southwest regional director for the Service. Wolves generally give birth to between four and six pups. Mexican wolves typically breed during the month of February and after a 63-day gestation period, pups generally are born in mid-April to mid-May.

The wolf releases are part of an interagency program started in 1998 to reintroduce the endangered Mexican gray wolf to a por-

tion of their historic territory in southwestern New Mexico and southeastern Arizona.

"Before 1998, Mexican wolves only existed in captive breeding facilities," Hall said. "The Mexican wolf recovery program is the most difficult and complex wolf reintroduction the Service has undertaken. We've made good progress by working closely with the public and a variety of tribal, state, federal, private and Mexican partners."

Mules were used to carry the wolves over the rough terrain in the Gila. Specially designed panniers hold a wolf on each side of the mules.

"Surprisingly, the mules

remain very calm despite the nature of their cargo," Hall said.

As required by the rules under which the program operates, all four wolves previously were released in the primary recovery area but were recaptured for different reasons. Three of the four wolves being released were members of packs that killed livestock.

Fox also updated the situations for eight wolf packs, including a wolf missing from the Wildcat Pack, who apparently is doing fine. His collar is working, but the frequency drifted, she said. The fate of 13 other wolves and three uncollared Hawk's Nest pups is unknown.

# Council member to meet with LEPC

The agreement adheres to federal rules for the committee:

BY DIANNE STALLINGS  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

With a commitment from the Ruidoso Village Council that a member will attend future meetings of the Local Emergency Planning Committee, treasurer Steve Olson walked away satisfied Tuesday.

A council representative is required under federal rules establishing LEPCs, he explained. Member Ron Anderson accepted the appointment by Mayor Leon Eggleston. Councilor

Deborah Marcum-Byars said she also plans to attend and will sit in for Anderson when he can't be there.

The next meeting of the committee is set for 1:30 p.m., April 17 at village hall on Cree Meadows Drive.

Olson briefed council members on the function of the committee, which includes preparing a community for disasters such as fires, floods, severe storms and hazardous waste spills.

A major goal is to determine what training needs to be done, identify the personnel to be trained and find the money to pay for it, he said.

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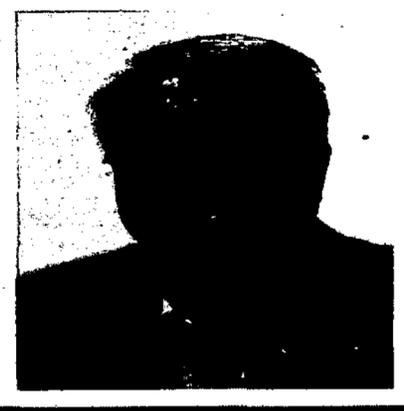
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Five acres plus. Fully fenced, great views, garage, workshop & barn. Accessible to forest for riding. 5 Br, 3 Ba with views of Capitán, valley and wood. \$342,500. #96982 CALL JOSEPH A. ZAGONE

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Cabin in Palmer Gateway with updates. Two fireplaces, one in master bedroom. Beautiful pine floor in kitchen. \$70,000. #96538 CALL DEVIN MARSHALL

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The City of Alamogordo is accepting applications until 4/26/02 for **Fire Equipment Operators**, \$9,279/yr and **Public Safety Officer Trainees**, \$9,565/yr (\$12.15/hr after academy). The City pays for your training, plus offers a great benefit package. For an application, call 505-439-4399. EOE

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**LINCOLN COUNTY** is now accepting applications for a **RECORDS COORDINATOR** in the Lincoln County Sheriff's Department, located in Carrizozo, New Mexico. Applicant must have skills in book-keeping, use of personal computer and records maintenance. Employment will be conditional upon applicant's successful completion of a physical examination and substance abuse test. Obtain applications and job description at the Lincoln County Manager's Office in Carrizozo or by calling 505-648-2355. Applications must be received no later than 5:00 P.M. Monday, April 22, 2002. Lincoln County, Equal Opportunity Employer and in Compliance with ADA Requirements, Title II-A.

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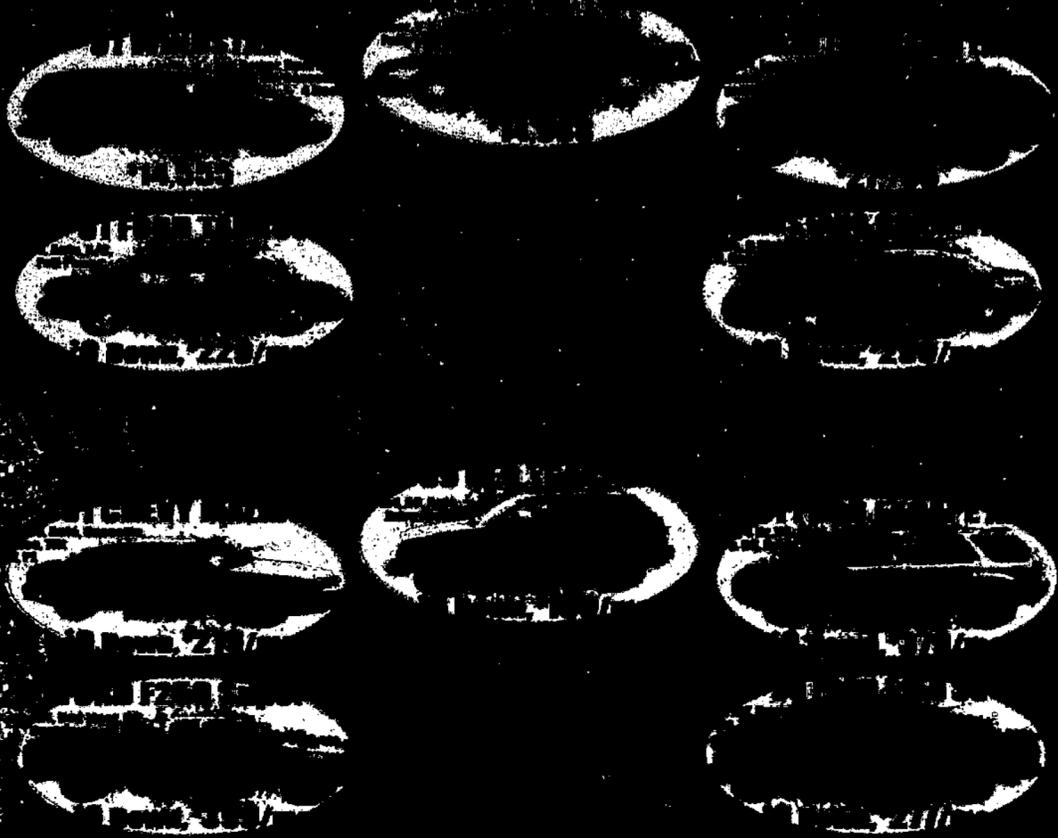
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An area program has made it possible for three local venues to put on display

## Art for the public

BY SANDY SUGGITT  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

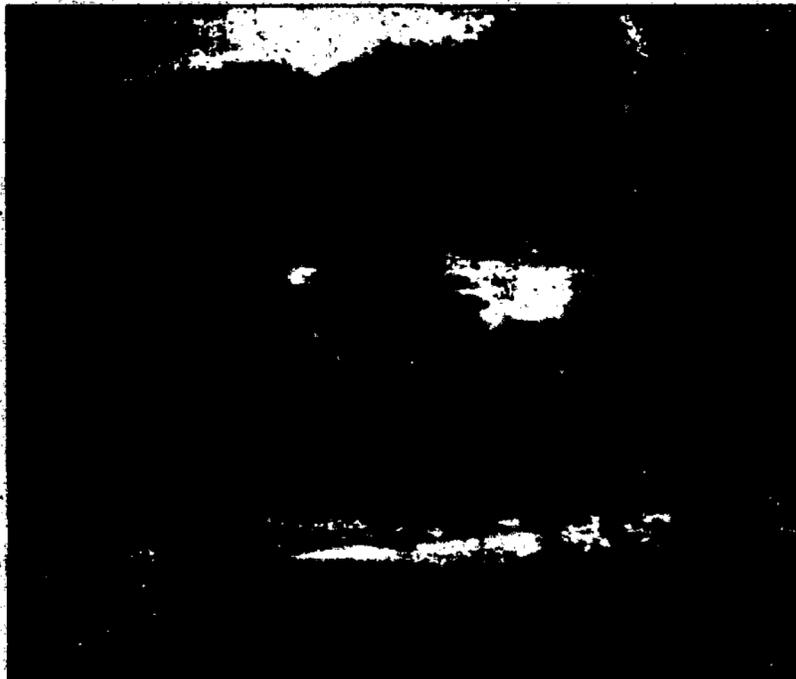
The Art in Public Places Program has expanded to three venues for exhibiting the work of local artists, all of which will celebrate exhibits with a reception from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. today.

Newly added is the Ruidoso Senior Center, where Betty Joiner's historic quilts are exhibited, with background information on each quilt. (For more on Joiner's quilts, see page 6C.)

### Village Hall

At Ruidoso Village Hall are the paintings of Marceal Reeves, which hail back to her childhood on a farm in West Texas: rural scenes with animals and still-life compositions with flowers and landscapes.

Reeves began studying with



Marceal Reeves prefers rural landscapes in her work.

Susanne Sweepes and went on to work with Jerry Williams and Billie Long of Ruidoso. She also studied with Lois Shaw, a retired art teacher from Abilene Christian College, and in 1988, she began painting workshops with Lorene Gaywood in Capitan, and continues studying with her.

Reeves has exhibited at Gallery La Luz in La Luz. Several of her paintings were selected for the gallery's National Miniature Art Show in 1994. Her work was accepted into the Fall American Art Show at the Hubbard Museum of the American West in 1997.

### Ruidoso Public Library

Jim Mack's larger-than-life, luminous and flowing paintings grace the walls of the library upstairs, executed with liquid acrylics used like watercolors, which was his art form



Artist Jim Mack lets the colors be his guide.

SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

of choice for 25 years.

"My indirect reference to nature ... suggests landscapes that transcend specifics and tend toward the universal. My own spontaneous gestures and the flowing of the paint itself indicate the direction the painting will take," he wrote in his artist's statement.

Mack calls his technique a stain process, in which he pours the liquid colors onto unprimed, pre-stretched canvas, allowing the colors to guide his process.

He studied at the University of Biarritz in France, Southern Oregon College, Institute Allende in Mexico, the college of Notre Dame, receiving a bachelor's and master of fine arts at San Jose State University. His paintings have been exhibited in the Rotunda and Russell Senate Building in Washington, D.C., and he's had numerous solo exhibitions around the country.

He and his wife, Fran, helped initiate the White Oaks Studio Tours when they lived there from 1993 to 1995, and in 2001 the couple moved

to Carrizozo, where he has a studio, after spending six years in the Northwest.

The sculptures of Mescalero Apache artist Jordan Torres pay tribute to the enduring Apache people and the ways they lived, commemorating their history and lifestyle. Torres' bloodlines include Mescalero, Chiricahua and Lipan Apache.

**"My indirect reference to nature ... suggests landscapes that transcend specifics and tend toward the universal"**

Jim Mack  
Artist

His work ranges from representational to expressionistic, with each piece taking from 40 to 70 hours to complete.

As his Web site puts it, "With his hammer and rasp, Jordan reaches into the heat of alabaster, pulls out its ancient spirit and transforms it into a new creature that speaks of an old time. He seeks to freeze in time the hot war cry of an Apache

warrior, a buffalo roaming on the range, a brave prepared to battle an unseen enemy ..." (www.legendstone.net)

Lee M. Van Pelt's wood turnings in pecan, oak, apricot and walnut are incredibly delicate and show a skill honed by many years of work.

During 30 years as a metal shop teacher in Los Angeles, Van Pelt got hooked on wood turning by driving his mother-in-law to a carving class, where he met a wood turner and became interested in the equipment.

After he built his first lathe, he tested it on a Christmas log, a piece of eucalyptus, and was hooked.

His bowls are naturally decorated by holes left by insects, and the edges are irregular, often with bark from the trees. One of the features that makes them unusual is their tripod bases.

Van Pelt won Best of Show in wood awards at the 2000 Tucson Art Fest and the 1999 Henderson Art Festival, and the Merit Award at the 1999 Lubbock Art Festival. He operates Weathered and Turned, or W.T.Ltd., locally.

In the Children's Department, the works of Megan Rabourn's Middle School and Suzy Goza's Tularosa Middle School students are on display, and in the corridor, Teresa Montez's "Fairy Art" will continue to be on display.

## Sniffing out an awesome weapon is no sweet task

The United States is developing an Odor Bomb.

"Why? you are saying. 'Don't we already have New Jersey?'"

Fine, make your little jokes. But this happens to be a serious matter of National Security. According to news items sent in by several alert readers, the Department of Defense has asked scientists to develop an odor that is repulsive to all humans, regardless of culture. This odor could be used by the military to harmlessly clear people out of a given area.

On the other hand, it would attract dogs. The more disgusting something smells, the more a dog wants to take a hearty whiff. I recall one time when I was home playing host to a hostile stomach virus, and I suddenly had an urgent need to (as we used to say in college) talk to Ralph on the big white phone. I made it as far as the hallway before I went down on all fours and released most of my bodily contents, including I am pretty sure, my

spleen. It was beyond repulsive, but it caused my dog, Earnest, to go into a state of wild dog elation, vibrating with happiness and barking joyfully into my right ear, as if to say: "THIS is the best Christmas EVER!"

So the Odor Bomb would not be effective against dogs. But it would definitely work on humans. I know this, because I was present, decades ago, at a historic demonstration of the power of stink. This was in 1982, when my class at Harold C. Crittenden Junior High School of Armonk, N.Y., took the annual ninth-grade class trip to the Boston area. This included Salem, Mass., where we toured The House of the Seven Gables, the setting used by the prominent boring author Nathaniel Hawthorne for his famous book, "Portnoy's Complaint."

No, seriously, the book was called "The House of the Seven Gables," and as you recall (SURE you do) the house contains a secret passage. While my class was

tromping through this passageway, one student - whom I will refer to here as "Clifford" - because his name was Clifford - released a MAJOR odor. One theory was that it was a stink bomb that Clifford had purchased from the famous Jack's Joke Shop in Boston.

Another theory was that it was organically produced by Clifford, who had a gift for that kind of thing. Whatever it was, it smelled so bad that they had to evacuate the entire house, including all seven gables. That was the last Boston class trip ever taken by students from Harold C. Crittenden Junior High. So let me just say, on behalf of my classmates, by way of sincere apology to all the succeeding classes: Neener neener.

But my point is that the Pentagon's Odor Bomb concept is theoretically sound. According to an article in National Geographic Today, odor scientists are studying a mixture of aromas from vomit, human waste, body

odors, burnt hair, and rotting garbage." The scientists report that when volunteers sniff this mixture, they - prepare for a startling scientific finding - do not care for it. Perhaps some day, our troops will use such an odor to force the enemy to flee an area. If that doesn't work, we'll escalate to less-humane weapons, such as videos of the "comedian" Carrot Top.

But here's what has me worried about odor weapons: OTHER COUNTRIES MAY ALREADY BE AHEAD OF US. I say this because of two alarming foreign products brought to my attention by alert reader Tom Lemley, who sent me empty containers for these products, which I swear I am not making up.

One product is called "Drastic Toilet Air." It comes in a spray can, on which the only English words are "Drastic Toilet Air," "New" and "Produced by Johnson Wax Egypt." All the other words are in a foreign language, so we don't know whether this product is sup-

posed to combat drastic toilet air, or - this is what scares me - it actually IS drastic toilet air, which could be a powerful weapon, in addition to an excellent name for a rock band.

The other product is an Iranian laundry detergent called "Barf." Right on the box, in big red letters, it says: "Barf." It also says: "To obtain best result soak very dirty clothes in a solution of Barf for a few minutes and then proceed normally."

I'm sorry, but I don't see how we, as a nation, can "proceed normally" knowing that the Iranians have Barf, and the Egyptians have Drastic Toilet Air. The logical question is: What does Iraq have? I hate to be an alarmist, but I am frankly scared. Because neither I, nor anybody I know, has any idea whatever became of Clifford.

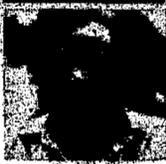
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# Gunfight at Blazer's Mill, part 2

It was sheer chance. The Regulators, sworn to get the men who rode in the posse that killed John Tunstall, knew it. And Andrew L. "Buckshot" Roberts knew it. While Roberts was one of the men on the Regulators' "dead list," it was just bad luck that had brought him face to face with them that morning of April 4, 1878. The place was Blazer's Mill, a going concern at the time that was — and is — on the Mescalero Apache Reservation. In fact, the ruins of the place are in what is now "downtown" Mescalero.



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### Opening shots

Last week, it was related in this column just exactly how Roberts had come upon his enemies. It is interesting to note that in most versions of this battle, Billy the Kid somehow comes out the hero. In actual point of fact, Buckshot Roberts more or less made mincemeat of the Regulators — all by himself.

Proving once more that height is not the measure of a man, the diminutive Roberts and his blazing Winchester had knocked Charlie Bowdre down, effectively putting him out of the fight for a few minutes. That same bullet had ricocheted off of Charlie's belt buckle and right into George Coe's hand, mangle his trigger finger so badly that it had to be removed later.

Even though Bowdre's bullet, fired at the same moment as Roberts', had penetrated Buckshot's groin and left a barn door of an exit wound on the other side, Roberts had maintained a heavy fire as he backed into one of the Blazer's buildings.

And, as he had backed into that building, he had also creased the Kid with one of his bullets, causing Billy to become more than a little circumspect for the next few minutes. And

he had put another bullet into John Middleton's chest, creating a nasty, but ultimately not fatal, wound. Still another round from Roberts' deadly Winchester had torn a swath down Doc Scurlock's leg. In short, Buckshot Roberts had, in spite of what the movies may

tell you, single-handedly whipped a group of more than a dozen Regulators.

### Brewer's Rage

Dick Brewer, captain of the Regulators and close friend of John Tunstall, was enraged that Roberts had so effectively whipped his men to a standstill. Remarking that he would now get Roberts "at any cost," Brewer took a position down the hill from where Roberts had taken shelter, behind a pile of logs next to the sawmill. If Brewer had known what the cost of getting Roberts was to be, he would have undoubtedly thought better of it.

Dick Brewer was, by no means, what we would call a "bad guy." His reputation in Lincoln County was that of an honest, hard-working man. In addition to his own spread (where the Coe Ranch now stands), Dick was employed by his friend John Tunstall as foreman at Tunstall's ranch, which is how Dick and Billy the Kid first met. (Note: It was not until after the Lincoln County War that Henry McCarty would become known as Billy the Kid. During the festivities in Lincoln, he was known as "Kid Antrim," or simply "The Kid." To the Hispanic population, who loved him, he was "El Chivato.")

It had been Brewer who had recovered — or at least attempted to recover — Tunstall's stock when some was stolen by that charming group of gentlemen, led by Jesse Evans, known as "The Boys." Dangerous men

every one, it was rumored that Billy the Kid had spent a little time riding with them prior to his employment with Tunstall.

Additionally, in his letters home, Tunstall gave an account of how he had once ridden to the Brewer place only to find it apparently besieged, smoke drifting from the area around the ranch house. Drawing his pistol, Tunstall had charged down into what he thought was a battle, only to find that it was just an innocent fire that had been deliberately set to burn some refuse. However, it illustrates how fond Tunstall was of Brewer, as he was obviously prepared to risk his life for the man. It seems reasonable to assume that Brewer was equally fond of the Englishman. Therefore, Dick may have been letting his emotions get the better of him during the Regulators' hunt for Tunstall's killers. Allowing his men to execute Morton and Baker, two of the triggermen in Tunstall's death, rather than take them to the authorities, was quite out of character for Dick Brewer.

On the other hand, it should be noted that his men had a pretty good argument in favor of this execution. They pointed out that if the Regulators were to take their prisoners all the way to Lincoln and turn them over to the County Sheriff, he would, in all probability, release the prisoners and arrest the Regulators, as the Sheriff did not acknowledge their authority as constables. Besides, the posse that the Regulators' prisoners had ridden with, the very same posse that had killed Tunstall, had been deputized by the very same Sheriff Brady.

William McCloskey, a Regulator who had formerly ridden as a Murphy man and was not entirely trusted by the other Regulators, made the terminal mistake of attempting to defend the two prisoners. When he insisted that the prisoners be brought to justice in Lincoln, McCloskey sealed his

own fate. His bullet-riddled body, along with the bullet-riddled bodies of Morton and Baker, had been left where they fell at a place near modern-day Arabela, about 15 miles from Lincoln.

### A vacancy for the position of Regulator captain

That day in Mescalero, the pile of logs seemed to Dick, at least, to be a good place from which to fight. Carefully looking up over the top, he had a clear shot at the doorway into which Roberts had vanished just minutes before.

Dick looked up over his impromptu breastworks and thought he saw Roberts in the doorway. He fired immediately, his bullet shaving part of the door facing off, and then ducked back down. Dick did not know whether he had hit Roberts or not, and spent a few moments debating whether or not he should risk looking up over the top of the woodpile.

Roberts had watched as the door facing splintered and had heard the bullet thud dully into the wall behind him. Peering out the door from the prone position he had assumed, he could see a puff of smoke down by the pile of logs next to the sawmill. Very carefully, Roberts took aim with the .45-70 Springfield rifle he had found inside the building.

Below, Dick Brewer finally elected to take a chance and look over the top of the woodpile to see if he had, in fact, hit Roberts. He began to rise...

Above him, Roberts had sighted on the puff of white black powder smoke that Brewer's shot had left hanging in the air. When Roberts saw a man's head appear over the woodpile, he squeezed off a shot. The bullet shaved the bark off of one of the logs on top of the pile and then slammed into Dick Brewer's eye, taking off the back of his head as it exited. Brewer fell backwards.

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## Johnson to run for County Commissioner, District 4

Bob Johnson announced his candidacy for County Commissioner District 4, Lincoln County, subject to the Republican Primary election June 4.



Bob Johnson

He is no stranger to politics having served as Chairman of the Curry County Republican Party and later as Chairman of the Roosevelt County Republican Party. He also served as a State Representative in the New Mexico Legislature in the late 60's and early 70's. Johnson is one of the few legislators to have a son to follow in his footsteps into the New Mexico Legislature and become a State Representative in the 90's.

"I pledge to the people of Lincoln County and District 4 that as their Commissioner, I will hear and study the ideas of any individual or group without regard to race, occupation or economic level and will represent each constituent to the very best of my ability," said Johnson. He feels that his experience in land and people resources. His experience in the State Legislature, where he served on the Taxation and Revenue Committee will help him guide Lincoln County into this new Century with its many problems trying to use its limited resources to help its very diverse population grow and prosper. Johnson, whose family first

came to Lincoln County in 1916 and has been property owners in this area almost continuously since 1920, has been a resident of the district he will serve since 1997. He attended public schools in New Mexico and graduated from New Mexico State University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Agriculture.

Johnson has been an active farmer, rancher and businessman in Eastern New Mexico and was employed by the New Mexico State Land Office as a Land Use Specialist before retiring in 1997. As a Land Use Specialist for the State he was custodian of over 600,000 acres of State Land, its natural resources as well as its people resources. In that capacity he was a Certified Appraiser, Naturalist, Environmentalist and Developer.

His hobbies include trail riding and back packing into the mountains of Lincoln County. A pleasure he has availed himself to since he was old enough to mount a horse. He is also a published author having an article published in the Guidepost Magazine and a short story in the Serape, an anthology of New Mexico Authors published by Nightjar Press and supported by NMSU. Your vote and help in the campaign will be appreciated.

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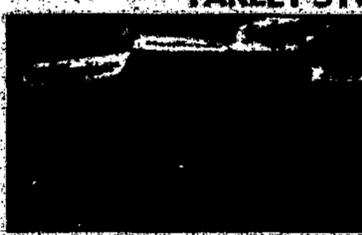
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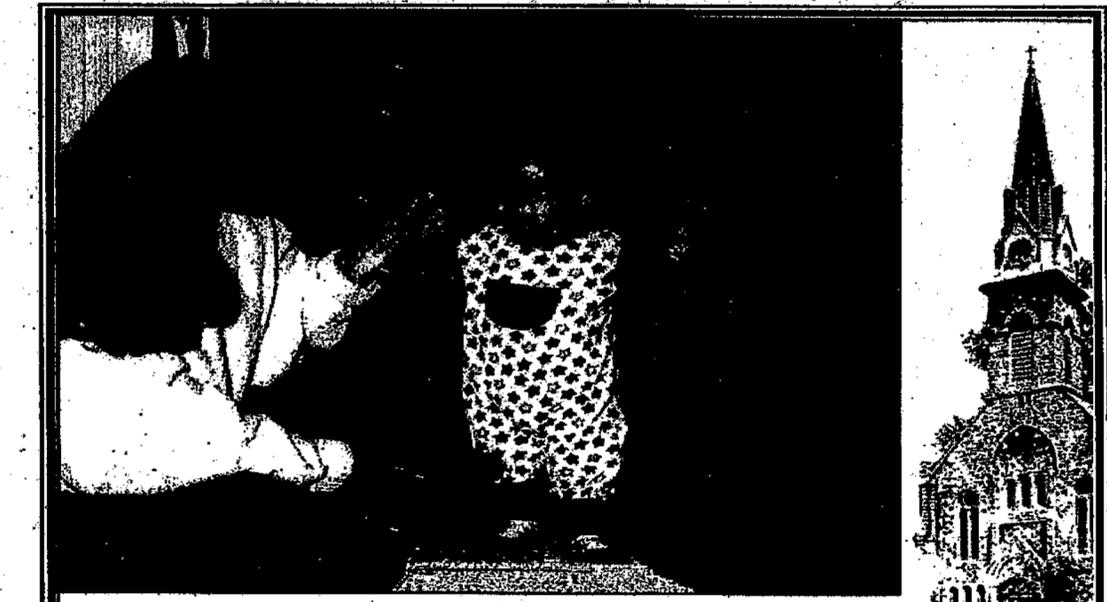
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**First Assembly of God**  
El Paso Road, Ruidoso. Rev. Bill Lenard, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday morning worship, 10:45 a.m. (includes children's church); Sunday evening praise: 6 p.m.; Wed. family night: 7 p.m.

**BAPTIST**  
Bent Tree Baptist Church  
Sunday, 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday 7 p.m.  
White Mountain Plaza on Mechem. 336-1979.

**First Baptist Church**  
420 Mechem Drive, Ruidoso, NM 88345. (505) 257-2081. Tom Gilliland, Pastor. Service times: Sunday - 7 p.m. Praise & Worship: Sunday - 9:15 a.m. Praise & Worship, 9:45 a.m. Sunday School All ages, 11 a.m. Traditional Worship, 5:30 p.m. Youth Power Hour, 6:30 p.m. Prayer Service Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. Discipleship classes for all ages.

**First Baptist Church**  
Ruidoso Downs. Randy Widener, Pastor. Sunday: Worship hour 11 a.m. Sunday school 9:30 a.m. Eve. worship: 6 p.m. Wed. Prayer meeting 7 p.m.

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420 Mechem Drive. Gunahine Classroom. Rainon Robledo, Pastor. Canto de Predicacion 3 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 Spanish Church  
126 Church Drive. Pastor 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.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Gateway Church of Christ  
415 Sudderth, Ruidoso, 257-4381. Jay Wilson, Minister. Sunday Bible study: 9:30 a.m.; Sun. worship: 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible study: 7 p.m.

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St. Theresa Catholic Church  
Corona. Sunday Mass: 6 p.m.  
St. Joseph Apache Mission  
Mescalero. Father Paul Botenbagen. Sunday Mass: 10:30 a.m.  
Our Lady of Guadalupe  
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**CHRISTIAN**  
Crosspoint Christian Fellowship  
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First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)  
Hull and Gavilan Canyon Road.  
Rev. James M. Smith, Pastor. Sunday School, K-12/Adult: 9:30 a.m.; Sunday Worship: 10:45 a.m.; Chancel Choir: Wednesday 7 p.m.

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Mescalero Branch, 671-4630. E.W. Gunkel, President, 354-3388. Sunday: Sacrament meeting 10 a.m.; Sunday School and Primary: 11:20 a.m.; Priesthood Relief Soc. & Young Women, 12:10 a.m.  
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**LUTHERAN MO.** Synod  
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1120 Hull Road, 258-4191, 257-5296. Kevin L. Krohn, Pastor. Sunday: Worship 8:30 a.m. (May-Oct.), 10:30 a.m.; Sun. School & Adult Bible Class 9:30 a.m. Thurs. Eve. Bible Study: 7:00 p.m., call for location.

**METHODIST**  
Community United Methodist Church  
Junction Road, behind "The Coffee House". Bob Sawyer, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 8:30 a.m., 10:55 a.m.

**PENTECOSTAL**  
The Apostles of Lincoln County  
Cornerstone Square, 613 Sudderth, 354-4906 or 430-6654. Pastor, Art Dunn. Sat. evening worship 6 p.m.

**NAZARENE**  
Angus Church of the Nazarene  
Angus, 12 miles north of Ruidoso on Hwy. 48, 336-8032. Charles Hall, Pastor. Sat. Alternative Worship, 6:30 p.m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Tuesday Prayer Meeting, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Youth Worship, 6:30 p.m.

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Mountain Ministry  
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Rick Smith, 682-2999. Monday: Women's Bible study 6:30 p.m. at Schlotzsky's Deli. Tuesday: Ruidoso men's Bible study noon at Pizza Hut, Mechem Drive. Wednesday: (Sept. through May) Captain Jr. High and Sr. High Youth Groups 6:30 p.m. at Christ Community Fellowship. E-mail: Rick@amercommissionary.org  
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.  
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Ruidoso Downs, 378-9464. Al and Marty Lane, Pastors. Sunday: 8:00 Sun. a.m., 10:45 a.m. Children's ministries concurrent with late Sunday services. Sat. outreach at 1pm, at church.  
Thornstone Church  
Cornerstone Square, 613 Sudderth Drive, 257-9265. John & Joy Wyatt, Pastors. Sunday School, 9:45. Church, 10:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. with Children's Church Sun. Eve. Handicap Services 11 a.m. Wed. Leadership Class 6 p.m. & Prayer 7 p.m. Wed. Bible Study Adult 7 p.m. Thurs. and Youth, Thurs. 7 p.m.  
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**CATHOLIC**  
Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
Capitan, 354-9102. Saturday Mass: 5 p.m.; Sunday Mass: 9 a.m.; Monday Adult Bible Study: 6 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Capitan - Highway 48. Les Eastwood, Minister. Sunday Bible study: 10 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study: 7 p.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.

**METHODIST**  
Capitan United Methodist Church  
Pastor Johanna Anderson and the congregation of Capitan United Methodist Church welcome Lincoln County residents and visitors alike to attend Bible study Sunday morning at 8:30, followed by worship service 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. 305-648-2846.

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

**CARRIZOZO CHURCHES**

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
The Word of Life Church  
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**BAPTIST**  
First Baptist Church  
Waylon Smith, Pastor. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; Sunday worship: 11 a.m., 7:15 p.m.; Church training: 6:30 p.m. Sunday

**CATHOLIC**  
Sahia Rita Catholic Church  
648-2853. Father Dave Bergs, Pastor. Saturday Mass: 6:30 p.m.; Sunday Mass: 11 a.m.; Tuesday Adult Bible Study: 6 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Perry Zumwalt, minister. Ave. C at 12th, Carrizozo, NM. Sunday School 10:50 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 1:15 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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

**METHODIST**  
United Methodist Church Parish  
Trinity - 1000 D. Ave. 648-2893/648-2846, Carrizozo. Johanna Anderson, pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a.m.; Sunday worship 11:00 a.m. Choir Practice (Thurs.) 6:30 p.m.; United Methodist Women Every 3rd Wed. 1:00 p.m.; Fellowship Dinner 4th Sun. of month 12:30 p.m.

**NON-DENOMINATIONAL**  
Carrizozo Community Church (A/G)  
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# Check out Library Week

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In a mini library in my spare bedroom hangs a framed sign: "Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body." - Sir Richard Steele.

The sign is a bookmark created by my artist friend and fellow library enthusiast, Barbara Culler of Carrizozo. The sign remind me to be grateful for the libraries in my life - Carrizozo Public School Library; Capitan Public Library; Ruidoso Public



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I am afflicted with "biblioholism," the habitual longing to borrow, purchase, read, store, and admire books in excess. I am told that the first step to recovery is admitting that I have a problem. From there I just have to take it one page at a time. So far I have made no effort to cut back on my addiction.

Early written communications were pictures drawn or pecked on rocks or cave walls. If drawn or painted, such symbols are called pictographs. Those pecked into rocks are called petroglyphs. Papyrus was an early form of paper made of plant fibers and used by

Egyptians, as early as 2100 B.C. Alphabets were developed. Paper was invented in 105 A.D.

In the Middle Ages, monks copied books by hand. The difficult process took a long time to produce a single book. Books on those days had pages of parchment - thinly scraped animal hide. Inks were made from plant and mineral substances. Quill pens were made from feathers. Many books of the Middle Ages were works of art. Often initial letters on pages were hand-decorated with gold and colors. Such letters are known as illuminated letters. Most books of that period were religious texts. Few people in those days could read, write or own a book. Few books were produced.

In the 16th Century, Johannes Gutenberg of Germany developed the first printing press. More people could own books; more people learned to read and write. Books and writing links us with cave dwellers - the first artists.

# GOMBER: Roberts left mark on Regulators

FROM PAGE 2C  
arms and legs spread, and lay motionless in the dust.

## Retreat

The Regulators, along with nearly everyone else in Lincoln County, had been fond of Dick Brewer. To see him so horrifically sprawled in the dirt was more than they could bear. With Brewer dead and at least two men in dire need of medical attention, the Regulators rather hurriedly decided that they had had quite enough of Buckshot Roberts, thank you very much.

Frank Coe brought John Middleton, with his nasty chest wound, down to the spring that furnished water for the Mill.

"He got down and drank until I had to turn him over to keep him from getting into the water," said Coe. "We got an ambulance down there and brought him and George Coe (back to what is now the Ruidoso area) in it."

On the way up to Apache Summit, the Regulators encountered Lieutenant Daniel Appel, a surgeon at Fort Stanton. Appel did what he could for Middleton's chest wound and took off the dangling remains of George Coe's trigger finger, sewing up the stump. He then continued on to Blazer's Mill.

Meanwhile, back at the Mill

The people at the Mill had shouted to Roberts, inside the building, that the Regulators had departed, but he had not come out. Needless to say, no

one was particularly anxious to go in and check on him. Finally, Johnny Ryan, who worked at the Dolan Branch Store, began to approach Roberts' fortification. Waving a white cloth, Ryan, described as "a gnome-like old fellow with a bald head and a long white beard," hesitantly approached Roberts' position. Luckily for Johnny - as Roberts was in a "nothing to lose" state of mind - Buckshot recognized him and allowed him to enter. Ryan, along with the family of Indian Agent Frederick Godfrey, tried to make Roberts as comfortable as possible while they awaited the arrival of Doctor Appel.

When he got there, Appel found Buckshot Roberts in a state of increasing agony. Anyone who has ever had the bad luck to experience a bullet wound (and survive) will tell you that the two WORST possible places to be shot - as far as pain goes - are the kneecap and the belly.

With a bullet in the groin, Roberts qualified for the latter category. Appel knew that there was nothing to be done and that the wound was terminal. The bullet had entered just above the left hipbone and then ranged downward. When Roberts was informed that he was not going to make it, he accepted the news stoically and was able to talk for a few hours before the pain became so intense it required two men to hold him down.

## The End

The chilly morning had grown into a hot day. Dick

Brewer had been lying dead since just before noon and it was decided to bury him immediately. A coffin (not just a box) was made in the carpenter's shop, lined with white muslin and covered in black. Dick was buried in the little Blazer cemetery at the top of the hill. That night, Buckshot Roberts lapsed into a coma and died just after noon the next day. He was buried next to Brewer.

It had been the classic western shootout, with armed men facing each other and pulling firearms. And, for a touch of irony, this writer was told by the late Art Blazer, descendant of Joseph, that "no one in the family has ever been able to hit a thing with that gun." Buckshot Roberts had killed Dick Brewer with a lucky shot at a distance of



## Drama performance

The drama departments of Ruidoso High School and Monahans (Texas) High School will perform two plays at the Spencer Theater for the Performing Arts at 7:30 p.m. today.

Admission to the performance of the two contest plays, "Second Class: Scenes from Life in High School" and "An Uncertain Hour: The Story of Two Holocaust Survivors," is \$5 at the door.

## Struggling to Survive

The community is invited to join the Struggling to Survive task force and the Child Abuse Prevention Task Force in exploring youth services in Lincoln County from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday at First Christian Church on Hull Road. For more informa-

tion, call Frankie Jarrell at 258-4250.

## ENMU Faculty Art

The Eastern New Mexico University-Ruidoso Faculty Art Show opens at the Chamber of Commerce Monday, April 15.

## Library open house

Capitan Public Library will hold an open house from 3 to 6 p.m. Monday, April 15, to celebrate National Library Week. Refreshments will be served.

## Lecture series

Josef Dominguez continues his three-part lecture series on changes heralded by the Aquarian Age from 7-8:30 p.m. Thursday, April 18 at Sierra Dove Center for

Healing in Alto. The fee is \$15.

## Wind in the Willows

Lincoln County Children's Theater Company presents "Wind in the Willows" at the Spencer Theater for the Performing Arts at 7 p.m. April 19.

Tickets are \$5 for children under 12 and \$10 for adults, available at the door or by calling 336-4800 or (888) 818-7872.

## Craft Show and Silent Auction

The second annual Craft show and Silent Auction at Nob Hill Early Childhood Center will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, April 20. For information, call 257-9041.

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# White Oaks tour features variety of county artists

The ninth annual Artists of White Oaks Studio Tour weekend takes place April 20 and 21 in White Oaks.

This year, four artist studio/galleries will be open along with the recently improved "Brown Store," the Schoolhouse Museum and the Miner's Home Museum.

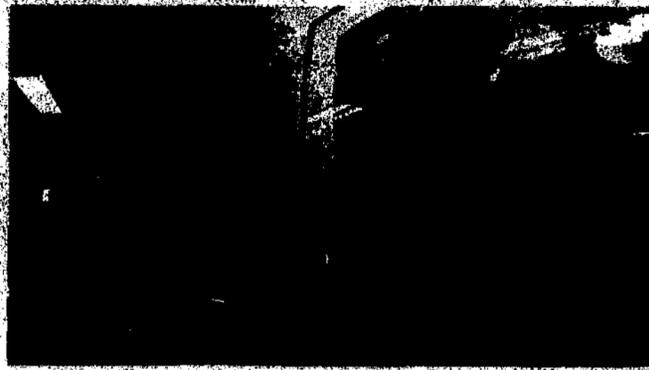
Falla Duncan, who grew up in Pleasant Valley, N.Y., began studying art at the age of 23, apprenticing with French impressionist Jean Richard. Her influence comes from the old masters of impressionism. Her airy studio in the attic of the Taylor House (once the residence of the White Oaks blacksmith, circa 1895) overlooks White Oaks. For larger work, she uses a space on the top floor of the old Lutz Building in Carrizozo.

Eclectic is too soft a word for Bob Reynier's talent. He can paint from abstract to realism, and do them all well. He has an art degree from the

University of Kentucky and (with his Kentucky upbringing) once specialized in equine paintings. One artist tour weekend, he carved things with a chain saw. This year he and his neighbors are setting up a gold mining operation and will be offering actual White Oaks gold nuggets for sale. His painting will also be on display in the historic Brown Store.

Ruth Birdsong is the driving force behind the White Oaks Miner's Day celebration held annually on the first Saturday in June. She opened "Birdsong's Crafty Cages," open May 1 through Oct. 1, in 1990. She has written and published numerous works on the region. Largely self-taught, she began painting in 1985 and has since participated in workshops by artists Cleo Hastings and Jerry Yarnell. She'll be showing her work, including intricate needle artistry, at the Brown Store during the tour.

Raised in the south, Ivy



COURTESY

Artist Gary Eklund will be a guest artist at the White Oaks Studio Tour.

Heymann got hooked on pottery in high school. She continued her education for six years, passing through Miami Dade Junior College, the University of Miami and the University of Tennessee. Influences on her work include Asian and American folk pottery. Her work is made of porcelain,

thrown by hand and slab-built. Fired to 2,400 degrees, all glazes are homemade in a palette representative of the White Oaks environment. Brick by brick, she also built her White Oaks Pottery studio by hand.

Craftsperson Valerie Thomas, an RN who spends

her days at the Carrizozo Clinic, has a small Ghost Town Whimsies Gallery in what used to be a bunk house on a ranch on the edge of White Oaks.

David and Barbara Spencer's Moondance Gallery will feature a number of artists. Barbara is a retired language arts teacher who holds a degree in French from Penn State. The Massachusetts native got into tinwork after attending a workshop at Ghost Ranch and has expanded her craft into jewelry making. Dave is a life-long union carpenter. He is an Ohio native who spent much of his life in Arizona. He carves, creates and also builds Southwestern furniture.

Donna Willoughby holds an art degree from the University of Tennessee/Jackson, and will be displaying her recent forays into pottery as well as rope baskets at Moondance Gallery.

The tour will also have three guest artists, including Gary Eklund. The hugely imagina-

tive and hugely huge pen and ink/watercolor works of the Carrizozo artist and gallery owner will be featured in the big room of the White Oaks Schoolhouse Museum.

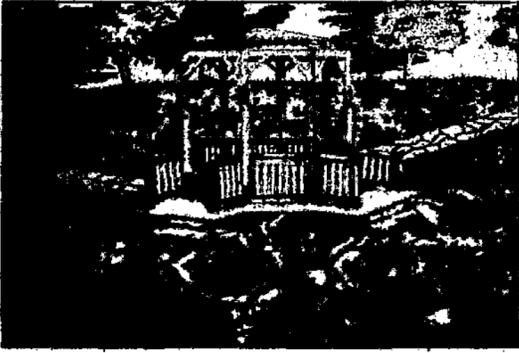
Karen Callahan, another guest artist, is a psychologist-turned-candle-maker. Her Carrizozo Candle Company is on the front line of the 12th Street revival in Carrizozo. She'll be showing her waxen work at Moondance Gallery.

Guest artists Marty and Lisa Davenport, a husband-wife team, make tile furniture out of sculpted, hand painted and air brushed tiles. The pieces are also incorporated into jewelry boxes, cutting boards, and larger mural designs. The couple, which works out of a shop on Ski Run Road, will be displaying their work at White Oaks Pottery.

The hand-painted ceramics of Carrizozo guest artist Bill Kerr will also be on display at White Oaks Pottery.

# Ruidoso, Mescalero kids earn top spots at high school art show

14 area students received honors for their pieces displayed at an art festival last week



SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Jennifer Cannella's untitled pen and ink took the top spot.

BY SANDY SUGGITT  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Artist Oliver Enjady chose winners and 11 honorable mentions for the high school division of the Henriette Wyeth Memorial School Art Festival at a reception for artists and the public Sunday at the Hubbard Museum of the American West.

First place went to Ruidoso junior Jennifer Cannella's untitled pen and ink. Second place went to Mescalero junior Warren Sago's "Sacred Circle," also pen and ink. Ruidoso junior Gina Magoosh was awarded

third place for her untitled oil pastel.

Enjady awarded honorable mentions to 11 works of art:

From Capitan, senior Dorethee Von Winning, "Predator," scratchboard; freshman Jared Wilson, "Wolf Totem," clay.

From Camp Sierra Blanca, junior Abraham Hannah, untitled pencil.

From Carrizozo, sophomore Monique Morales, "Scandalous Night," collage assemblage; and sophomore Kimberly Vega, "Mystical Universe," collage assemblage.

From Cloudfcroft, senior Amanda Parry for "Introspection," watercol-

or. From Mescalero, senior Raquel Padilla for "Self Portrait II," colored pencil; senior Donovan Bignouth for "Red, White and Blue, United Warriors," mixed media; 11th and 12th grade group piece, "Earth Coil," mixed media.

From Ruidoso, freshman Gus Fajardo, "In the Beginning," pencil; junior Tamara Pelkey, "Textured Fruit," pencil.

Only two students were present to receive their awards at the reception, said Elizabeth Becker of the Hubbard Museum, who coordinated the event.



SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Gina Magoosh won third for this oil pastel.

# Children's theater to play at Spencer

Thirty-two area children with Lincoln County Children's Theater Company take the Spencer Theater stage at 7 p.m. April 19 in the musical adaptation of "Wind in the Willows," Kenneth Grahame's classic children's story about a hero's journey.

When the children in the one-year-old theater company take the stage, patrons will immediately recognize the artistic development these young thespians gained over the past year.

"It's amazing to watch them grow and learn as actors," says "Wind in the Willows" producer and musical director Sandy Kashmar. "Most of these children have been with us for more than a year and their skills have really developed with confidence and enthusiasm."

The tale is essentially a children's version of "The Odyssey," featuring animals that dress like humans. The hero is Toad, who is cast on an unpredictable

journey. Because his friends stick by his side, he is victorious.

Gathering twice a week at Nob Hill School in after-school workshops, children ages 6 to 14 have been rehearsing since mid-January, learning stage presence, voice projection, credible expression and improvisation.

"We're meeting two times a week, two hours at a time," said children's theater instructor Paul Adamian of the Artists Collaborative Theatre (ACT), who also serves as "Wind in the Willows" director, set designer and builder. "So we do have some restrictive parameters, making it more challenging."

With original costumes by Shelley Sweet, set construction by Gary Meyer and set painting by Patricia Woodson (both fellow artists with ACT), this is the third production by Lincoln County Children's Theater at the Spencer Theater. Hopes for the repertory theater group are to eventually find a permanent

home space in which to rehearse and train.

Adamian says he looks forward to seeing the children grow into their "own actor selves," tapping into their personal approach and expression.

"There is so much to learn about being comfortable on stage," he adds. "When they grow into themselves and become a long-term theater group, plays would then be cast out of the workshop, not the other way around. It's an exciting program and I'm glad, as a representative of ACT, to be collaborating with ENMU on it."

"Wind in the Willows" stars Starnes Reveley as "Toad," Kendall Kelley as "Mole," Tyler Jones as "Ratty," Hannah Kashmar as "Badger," Rhettford Romack as "Otter," Shelby Rist as "Judge," Jordan Kelley as "Clerk," Aimee Babcock as "Policewoman," Mackenzie Mobley as "Jailer," Nikkee Johnson as "Jailer's Daughter,"

Michelle Wood as "Washer Woman," James Pruett and Cameron Rist as "Ferret Guards," Kathryn Kinder as "Fox," Baron Kinder as "Chief Weasel," Cody Jones as "Old Grey," Josie Parsons, Juliette Sicard and Jacqueline Sicard of the "Mouse Family," Lindsey Brown, Juliann Lamb and Andrea Shackelford of the "Rabbit Family," Juliette Amber and Samantha Bailey of the "Squirrel Family," Samantha Knox, Bethany Sweat and Billy Kinder as "Weasels," Connor Reveley as "Ferret," and Samantha Bennett, Rhylan Romack and Caine Brock as "Stoats."

Tickets are \$5 for children under 12, \$10 for adults. Call 336-4800 or toll free (888) 818-7872 for ticket information, or visit the theater's Web site at www.spencertheater.com.

Lincoln County Children's Theater Company is sponsored by ENMU-Ruidoso. Spencer Theater performances of "Wind in the Willows" are sponsored in part by Ruidoso News.

# Handbell choir chimes in at ENMU Sunday

BY SANDY SUGGITT  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

The bells will ring at 8 p.m. Sunday when the Eastern New Mexico University-Ruidoso handbell choir gives its sixth performance at the First Christian Church on Hull Road.

The group will perform various folk songs including "Scarborough Fair" and "Old Irish Aire" ("O! Danny Boy"), and radio personality Harvey Twite will narrate "Noah and the Ark," with the bells representing different animals.

The handbell choir was added to the university's music program in the fall of 1999, using the First Christian Church's set of handbells in three octaves, and adding a fourth octave after the first year of classes and performances.

None of the 13 choir members is "brand new," said director Sue Vinsant, elementary

music instructor for Ruidoso Schools and director of music at First Christian Church. Juanita Smith and Charlene Grooms have played since the beginning, and several other choir members have been with other musical groups. Although anyone from ninth grade on up is eligible to join the choir, many of the members are teachers and homemakers, Vinsant said.

The performance is free to the public.

## CHIROPRACTIC OUTLOOK

by Dr. Jack V. Waters  
Chiropractic Physician



### THE JOYS AND "OUCHES" OF GARDENING

Crocuses and forsythia are signs of spring. The trees once again bloom, and gardeners will be itching to get outdoors and dig in the dirt. After a winter-long hiatus of lying on the couch and watching TV or reading a few good novels, they will be anxious to clean up old branches and plant new seeds.

Most gardeners realize how strenuous this job is. It is too much to attempt in one day, even on one weekend. But enthusiasm replaces common sense, as the gardener bends, squats, lifts, and turns. Most likely the body will be a mass of sore muscles the following day.

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## THIS WEEK'S MOVIES

### Panic Room

Thriller  
Rated R for violence and language.  
Trapped in their New York brownstone's panic room, a hidden chamber built as a sanctuary in the event of break-ins, newly divorced Meg Altman (Jodie Foster) and her young daughter Sarah (Kristen Stewart) play a deadly game of cat-and-mouse with three intruders — Burnham (Forest Whitaker), Raoul (Dwight Yoakam) and Junior (Jared Leto) — during a brutal home invasion. But the room itself is the focal point because what the intruders really want is inside it.  
Starring: Jodie Foster, Forest Whitaker, Dwight Yoakam, Jared Leto, Kristen Stewart  
Directed by: David Fincher  
Written by: David Koepp, Andrew Kevin Walker, Gavin Polons  
Showtimes: 7:15 p.m., 9:30 p.m.  
\* Friday and Saturday only

### High Crimes

Drama and Thriller  
Rated PG-13 for violence, sexual content and language.  
A happily married, successful female lawyer is shocked to learn that her husband has a hidden past as a classified military operative, and is accused of committing a heinous war crime. She must wrestle with her own doubts about his guilt as she defends him, with the help of a private investigator, in a top-secret military court where none of the rules she knows so well apply.  
Starring: Bruce Davison, Tom Bower, Juan Carlos Hernandez, Michael Weston, Ashley Judd  
Directed by: Carl Franklin  
Produced by: Jesse Jackson, Lisa Hanson, Arnon Milchan, Janet Yang, Jesse Jackson-Franklin  
Written by: Yusef Khatami, Cary Bickley, Susan Shinkay  
Showtimes: 1:30 p.m., 4 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 9 p.m.  
\* Friday and Saturday only

### Blade II

Action/Adventure and Suspense/Horror  
Rated R for strong pervasive violence, language, some drug use and some alcohol.

### Blade

2 hrs. 05 min.  
Exploding from the pages of Marvel Comics comes the follow-up to the blockbuster Blade. Blade (Wesley Snipes) is half man and half vampire and consumed by a desire to avenge the curse of his birth and save the human race from a blood-drenched Armageddon. In this newest adventure, Blade must align himself with a high-powered team of vampires to take on a greater evil than either has ever faced — a new kind of super-vampire that is bent on a vicious hunt to eradicate both races.  
Starring: Wesley Snipes, Kris Kristofferson, Tcheky Karyo, Daz Crawford, Luke Goss  
Directed by: Guillermo del Toro  
Produced by: Wesley Snipes, Peter Frankfurt, Victor McGauley  
Written by: Guillermo del Toro, David S. Goyer  
Showtimes: 2 p.m., 4:30 p.m., 7 p.m., 9:15 p.m.  
\* Friday and Saturday only

### Ice Age

Comedy and Kids/Family  
Rated PG for mild peril.  
Twenty thousand years ago, the Earth was being overrun by glaciers, and creatures everywhere were fleeing the onslaught of the new Ice Age. In this time of peril, we meet the wildest band of any Age: a fast talking but dim witted named Sid (voiced by John Leguizamo); a moody woolly mammoth named Manny (voiced by Ray Romano); a devilish saber-toothed tiger named Diego (voiced by Denis Leary); and an acorn-crazy saber-toothed squirrel known as Scrat. This quartet of misfits unexpectedly, and reluctantly, comes together in a quest to return a human infant to his father. Braving boiling lava pits, treacherous ice caves, freezing temperatures and a secret evil plot, these "sub-zeros" become the world's first heroes!  
Starring: Ray Romano, John Leguizamo, Denis Leary, Goran Visnjic, Jack Black  
Directed by: Chris Wedel  
Written by: Michael G. Wilson, Michael Berg, Peter Ackelman, Steve Young  
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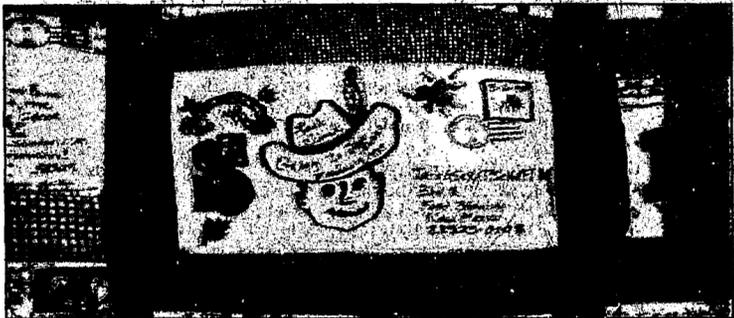
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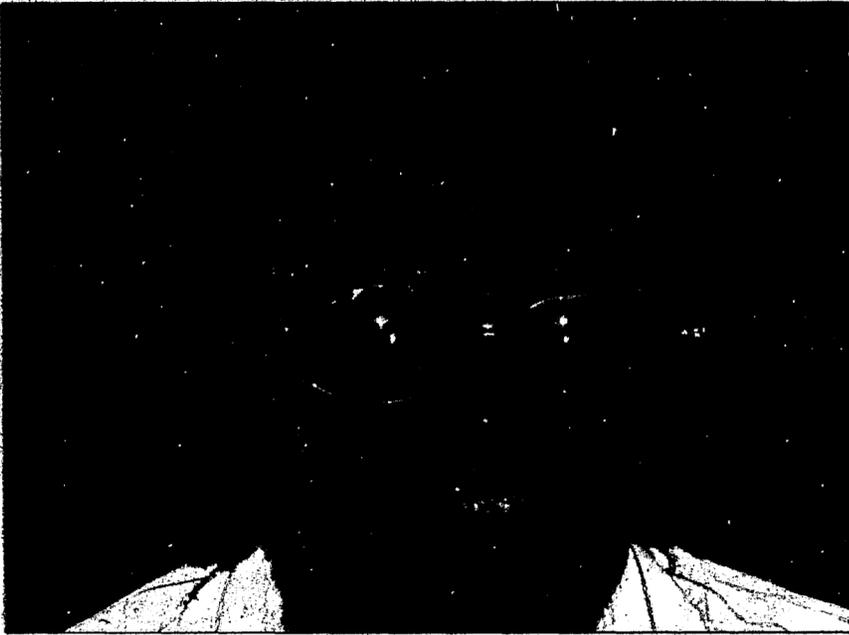
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# HOME & FAMILY



Fort Stanton Hospital employees made blocks like envelopes with their addresses.



Quilting historian Betty Joiner

SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

## QUILTING HISTORY

■ Glencoe's Betty Joiner stitches for a colorful record — and maybe for therapy — but 'it's not art.'

BY SANDY SUGGITT  
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Part of the very history of Lincoln County she chronicles with her quilts and the scraps of cloth she takes to every epochal event in the area to be signed by local celebs, Betty Joiner shrugs off any notion that her quilts are art.

"It's not the quilting; it's the history," she said recently at the Glencoe Post Office, one of the locales where she has worked as postmaster. "I'm not a perfectionist. This is my therapy."

Her therapy documents Capitan's 100th anniversary, the closing of the hospital at Fort Stanton, the Lincoln County Sheriff's Posse, the Pony Express, Miner's Day in White Oaks, the Capitan Junior Rodeo Club, Smokey Bear's history and many others.

For the Smokey quilt, made in 1995, Joiner got the signatures of people directly involved in rescuing the bear cub and making him famous. Rudolph Wendelin, the Smokey artist, drew a picture of the bear on a square of cloth and sent it back to her. Wendelin, Joiner said, drew all the pictures in use of Smokey. Ray L. Bell, the forest ranger who took care of Smokey and who died this year, did a square for the commemorative quilt. Dean Earl, the forest ranger in the Capitan district in charge of the Capitan Gap Fire that orphaned Smokey, did a square. Pearl Soderback, who owned Pearl's Cafe in Capitan in those days and who fed the firefighters, did a square.

Smokey's "grandmother," Dorothy Guck, who wrote all the Smokey stories and whose husband, Ed Guck, was a forest ranger at the time, did a square.

The pilot Homer C. Pickens wrote on his square: "In 1950 when I flew Smokey to the zoo in Washington, D.C., I was the assistant director of New

Mexico Department of Game and Fish. Along with U.S. Senator Dennis Chavez, we presented Smokey to the children of the United States."

For Capitan's 100th anniversary celebration in November of 2001, Joiner attended with squares to be signed by all the participants with the date they came to Lincoln County. The earliest date was Fletcher Hall's, 1915, along with Cora Dutton and Roy LaMay, and there are signatures by LaMoynne Peters, 1920, and Opal Peters, 1919.

For the Camp Sierra Blanca quilt, Joiner got 33 people to sign squares with the number of years they'd worked there, which came to a total of 350 years. Joiner was postmaster at Fort Stanton at the time (1986-96), and the quilt bears an information sheet that states: "It will always be her favorite place in Lincoln County and she only wishes she had the knowledge to help 'Save the Fort.'"

Another quilt is devoted to Fort Stanton itself, and fearing that Governor Johnson would close it, she had the employees create blocks with information on them and their families.

The information sheet appended to the Lincoln County Sheriff's Posse says, "Betty has always been active in the Pony Express Race from White Oaks to Lincoln 1969-94. When it was to be discontinued because no one wanted to keep it going, she asked them to change it to a trail ride instead of a race. The first year, 13 riders made it in 12 hours to Fort Stanton. Since then, a quilt has been done each year with people signing a block."

There are other historical quilts on exhibit at the Ruidoso Senior Center as part of the Art in Public Places project, including the San Patricio Senior Center, the Lincoln County Cowboy Symposium and quilts of postage stamps

Born in Carrizozo in 1945 to Milt and Bessie

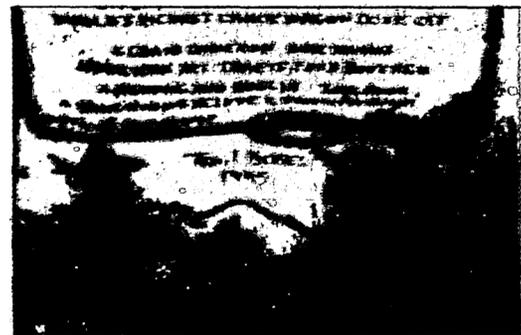
Jones, Joiner was raised on a ranch 35 miles north of Capitan. She graduated from Capitan High School and later married Pat Joiner from the Hondo Valley, and they bought a ranch north of Capitan. In 1971, she helped start the Lincoln County Rodeo Club, and her daughter was one of the first members. Now her grandchildren are members.

She joined the Lincoln County Sheriff's Posse in 1994 and served as secretary in 2001. Through all those years, Betty Joiner has been recording history on cloth.

"Mother showed me how to do it — my first quilt was a baby-doll quilt," Joiner said. "After I married in 1963, I started quilting seriously, and from there I've quilted just constantly. I don't sell them because you couldn't get the money for the time it takes to make one."

Joiner said it takes her two to four weeks to complete a quilt once she has all the blocks. And she isn't slowing down any on her projects: At the Ruidoso Senior Center where her quilts are displayed, she has blocks of cloth for seniors to sign for a quilt. She also wants to make the 50 state quilts before she dies, although she thinks she'll be about 80 by the time she's done, she said. To celebrate the 100th anniversary of 4-H, she's going to ask the Sheriff's Posse to serve at Smokey Bear's birthday party May 9 and get a cancellation stamp for that event. In October, when 4-H in New Mexico is celebrated, she'll contact all the collectors and send for their historical cancellations through the U.S. Post Office.

For a colorful and creative local history lesson, be sure to visit the Ruidoso Senior Center between 5 and 7 p.m. today for the reception of Joiner's exhibit there, as well as the other exhibits of the Art in Public Places project at Ruidoso Village Hall and the Ruidoso Public Library.



Joiner got all the participants of the 1995 Cowboy Symposium to make a block for a quilt.



The original Smokey Bear artist sent this square to Joiner to create a quilt.



The quilter plans to do a quilt for each of the 50 states. The one she's holding is for New Mexico.

## looking back

### LINCOLN COUNTY SCRAPBOOK

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#### Storm, Nicholas to speak

Dan Storm of the Ruidoso Valley and his friend, Dan Nicholas, a Mescalero Apache Indian, will represent Lincoln and Otero counties at the joint meeting of the Texas and New Mexico Folklore societies to be held today and Saturday in El Paso.

Storm's subject will be "A Sketch of Southeastern New Mexico Folklore." Nicholas will speak on "Apache Myths."

APRIL 13, 1962

#### Scholarship awarded

The annual Hollywood Lumber scholarship of \$500 was awarded Ruidoso High School senior Clifford Watley today. Watley was selected by the faculty to receive this cash gift. He recently received the Balfour award, to graduate with honors from Ruidoso High School.

Watley, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Watley, is active in school organizations and civic affairs and has been enrolled in Ruidoso schools since the seventh grade.

APRIL 14, 1972

#### Earth Week cleanup slated

An Earth Week and area cleanup campaign has been scheduled for April 24-29 with students of local schools scheduled to be released from classes on April 26 to assist.

The committee for the campaign consists of Dub Williams, Ab Gunter, Frank Potter and Mike Richardson.

APRIL 15, 1982

#### Beavers resigns

Ruidoso Downs Trustee Lois Beavers resigned from the board Monday night, citing "little option to continue to work for the betterment" of the village with the present elected board.

(She said) "the present elected board leaves little option to continue to work for the betterment of the entire village."

APRIL 16, 1992

#### Skeen scoffs at N-waste

Congressman Joe Skeen reassured his constituents Tuesday that he is solidly opposed to storing high level nuclear waste in Lincoln County.

He reassured them again and again — in meetings, private interviews and more meetings — but a lot of Skeen's neighbors weren't buying it.

Skeen said the MRS, already facing almost unanimous opposition, isn't going to happen.

## Lincoln's many museums now open for the season

The museums are all open now for the summer season. The Dr. Woods home and the Tunstall Store along with the other museums are open from 8:30 to 4:30 daily.

La Cocina was the setting for the 80th birthday celebration of Johnny Dakin, of T or C. The party, hosted by his daughter, Wilba Dakin, was attended by more than 90 relatives, and friends. Customers who came in were invited to participate in the celebration. The guests were from Carlsbad, Ruidoso, Tularosa, Capitan, Roswell and White Oaks.

One of Johnny's nephews took him

thoroughly enjoyed the day.

Harriet McGinnis, formerly of Lincoln and who now lives in Big Spring, Texas, celebrated her 90th birthday recently. Her party was held at the home of her daughter, Nancy, who lives in Hobbs.

Isn't it amazing what a little celebration can do? The party turned green overnight. Most fish were not blooming, but the catfish were. One was seen in front of the house in Hobbs last year.

Newly arrived at La Cocina are

Shane is the son of the Andy Colemans. He is working on weekends and goes to school during the week.

The Lincoln County Sheriff's Posse held its meeting at the Capitan Fairground Sunday.

The home of Kay and Lee Bodger was the scene of a small family reunion Easter Sunday. More than 17 family members were present.

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from the Roswell hospital.

Don Redditt is doing great. Isn't it wonderful how quickly all our "patients" are recovering from surgery and injuries?

Those who attended the NASCAR race in Dallas were disappointed as it was rained out Sunday.

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## WHITE MOUNTAIN ESTATES



### NEW CONSTRUCTION • \$185,000 906 Hull Rd.

Super location in nice subdivision, private and paved entry drive right to double garage. Pleasing earth-tone stucco exterior and metal roof. Big back patio for entertaining or relaxing. Home completed in 2000, one level, 3 bdrm/ 2 full baths. Fine tile and carpet throughout shows attention to detail. Open kitchen w/breakfast bar to living room and view of forest from all angles. Give us a call today, this home is a real value! #96180

## RANCHES OF SONTERRA



### BAILEY-AMEEL • \$650,000 352 Tierra Nueva

NEW EXECUTIVE STYLED HOME! Built in 2000 and located on beautiful 5.10 acres. Huge panoramic views! This 3 bdrm/4 bath home includes another large room that could be used as gameroom, guest room or multi-use room, has its own bath. Master suite with private deck and hot tub. All other bedrooms have their own full baths and are accented with tile-glass enclosures. Living room has 26' ceilings, fireplace, and fantastic view of the valley and Capitan Mtns. Kitchen is open concept to breakfast nook w/sun porch and living room. All the modern appliances for complete functionality and loads of storage throughout. Spacious 3 car garage, lots of deck area, exquisite window coverings. LUXURY GALORE! #94670

## YOUNG HEIGHTS



### GRAVES • \$450,000 116 Grove Dr.

EVERYTHING ABOUT THIS HOME IS TRULY ON A GRAND SCALE! Very well appointed floorplan includes 4 bdrms/ 4 baths. Private electric entry gate with remote leads you into a 2-car carport and RV port w/hook-ups. Nice large deck for fun entertaining, gazebo, and opens to 2.08 (+/-) acres. Enter into large, sunny kitchen and breakfast area then right into spacious living room w/fireplace. Step out into the sunroom for casual visits or into formal dining room on special occasions. All bedrooms are like a master bedroom but one has a fireplace so you choose. Owner has maintained the quality and integrity of this fine home, please come see! #94015

## RANCHO RUIDOSO VALLEY



### STATE NATIONAL BANK • \$74,900 #4 Mustang Ct.

WHAT A DEAL, THIS ONE IS UNDER APPRAISAL AND BANK OWNED! Generous 3 bedroom/2 bath 1999 Manufactured Home on comfortably wooded lot. Contemporary style, brand new carpet, tons of windows to enjoy the valley views and has flat parking area. PRICED COMPETITIVELY WITHIN THE SUBDIVISION. Summer retreat, great year 'round get-away or move in permanently, don't let this one slip by! #95713

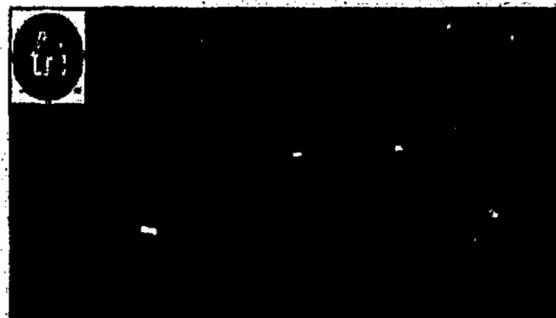
## ACROSS FROM CREE MEADOWS COUNTRY CLUB



### PARR • \$249,900 102 Cedar Creek Rd.

Nicely situated in a cul-de-sac on the creek. This home has charm deluxe, 5 bdrm/2 full bath and 2 fireplaces. Upstairs has an open concept into big dining area and living room w/fireplace. Downstairs has living room w/fireplace, guest bedrooms and baths. Lots of decks, windows, and a hot tub on open deck. Completely furnished, what a deal! #95417

## MIDDLE CEDAR CREEK



### CLEAR • \$129,500 102 Musket Ct.

Tucked away in the pines this home sits atop its own little mountain. It's cute as can be with very functional floorplan. Nice living room w/fireplace that opens out to covered concrete slab for BBQ. Roomy 2 bedroom with 2 baths plus sleeping loft. Cabin style with skylights and lots of windows plus much wood accents throughout. Situated on nice wooded lot and has gravel drive. Exciting possibilities for permanent home or weekend retreat! #96242

## RANCHES OF SONTERRA



### GERRON • \$585,000 61 Sandesta Dr.

HOME WITH ACREAGE ON RIO BONITO RIVER! Absolutely beautiful Southwest Stucco home with acreage. Approximately 5.17 acres and 3326 +/- sq.ft. home built in 1998. 4 bedrooms, 1 full bath and two 3/4 baths. Family room with 18 ft. ceiling and large, inviting fireplace. Great patio for outdoor entertaining, formal dining area and nice open kitchen concept for family gatherings. Truly outstanding home: #96255

## RUIDOSO SPRINGS



### RUCH • \$129,900 114 Texas St.

Ruidoso charm at its best! Very short walk to midtown yet secluded on a quiet street. 3 bedroom/2 bath home with large rock fireplace in living room, lots of windows, private enclosed patio with big hot tub! What a find this is. Darling set-up, comes fully furnished. Perfect weekend retreat or move in permanently today! #95899

## CAPITAN



### WILLINGHAM • \$189,900 M.M. 83.9, U.S. Hwy. 380

VERY CLASSY 1997 manufactured home. Roomy 2103 sq.ft. 4 bdrm/3 full baths, sits on gorgeous 6.5 acres in the Capitan area. Big views from all angles. Large master bdrm w/separate shower and big whirlpool tub. Nice fireplace in roomy den. Refrigerated air, satellite, domestic well, propane gas, partially fenced and lots of covered and uncovered decks. Country living at its best! #96317

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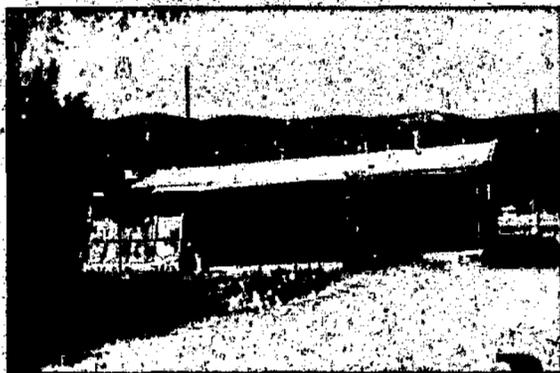


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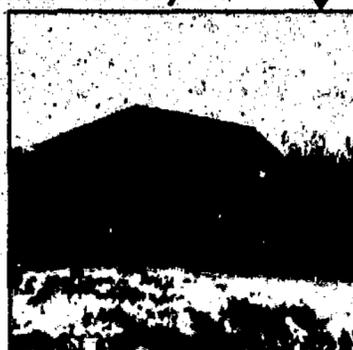
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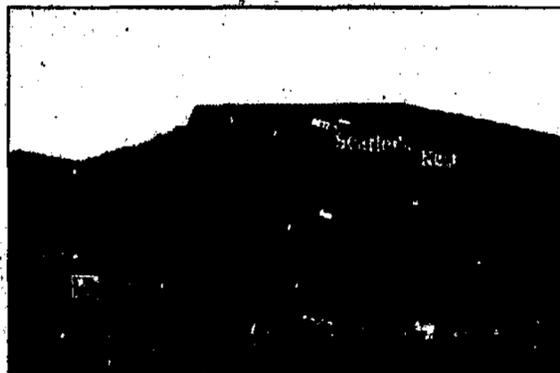


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Griffith Dr. & Hwy. 70

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**WILLINGHAM • \$75,000**  
612 US Hwy 380

**GREAT WORKSHOP, GREAT LOCATION!**  
Commercial building w/4 bays, 2304 sq.ft., heated interior. Office inside w/one half bath, slab foundation, metal roof approximately 2 yrs. old. High visibility and lots of potential! See by appointment today! Currently operating as Andy's Mechanic. #96623

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## LOZEAU • \$209,900 104 Ft. Stanton Rd.

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## RANCHO RUIDOSO VALLEY



## WEILER • \$174,000 Chisholm Trail

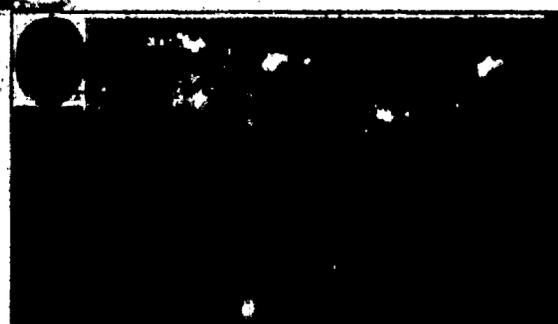
**PRETTY MODULAR WITH ALL THE EXTRAS!** Spacious 3 bdrm/2 full bath on lovely 3/4 acre corner lot location. Very bright and sunny interior, kitchen has lots of cabinets and island for even more room to utilize. Covered back deck facing giant valley views, big detached workshop and two car garage. Property is fenced, lots of fruit trees and adjoining lot is included in sale for a total of 1.144 acres +/- or may be purchased separately. Let me show this one to you today! #96518



## MATSLER • \$425,000 9 Pine Meadows Drive In the Eagle Creek area

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## CAPITAN



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## SPARKS • \$93,500 708 White Mountain Drive

**CORNER LOT, GREAT LOCATION NEAR THE LINKS!** Very nice and clean doublewide with 4 bedrooms and 2 full baths. Master bath has oversized tub. Two covered decks will allow you to enjoy the seasons. Carport, fenced back yard and storage galore outside and inside. What a deal for this price range! Call me to see today! #96491



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**1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.**

**Senior Citizens Center**

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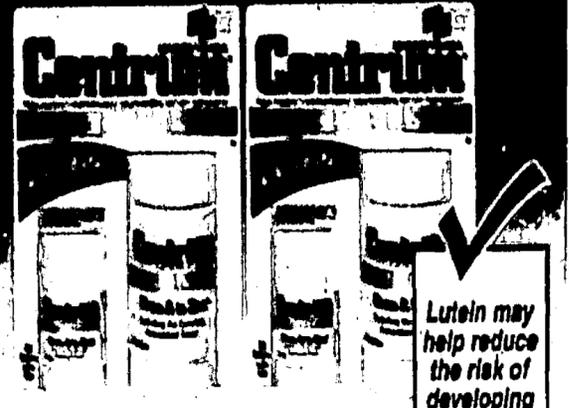


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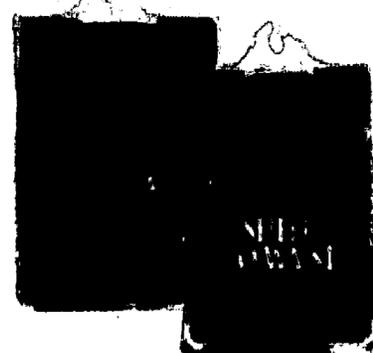
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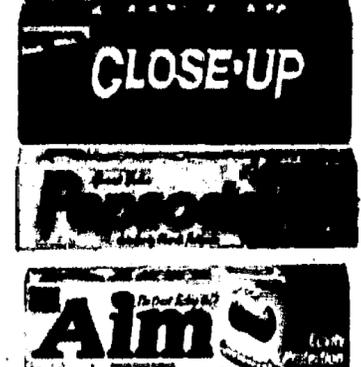
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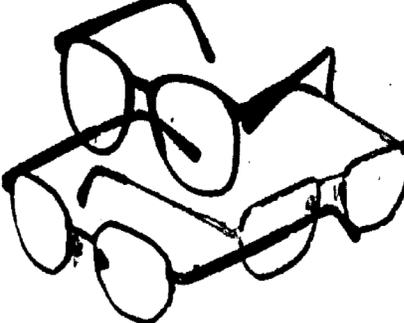


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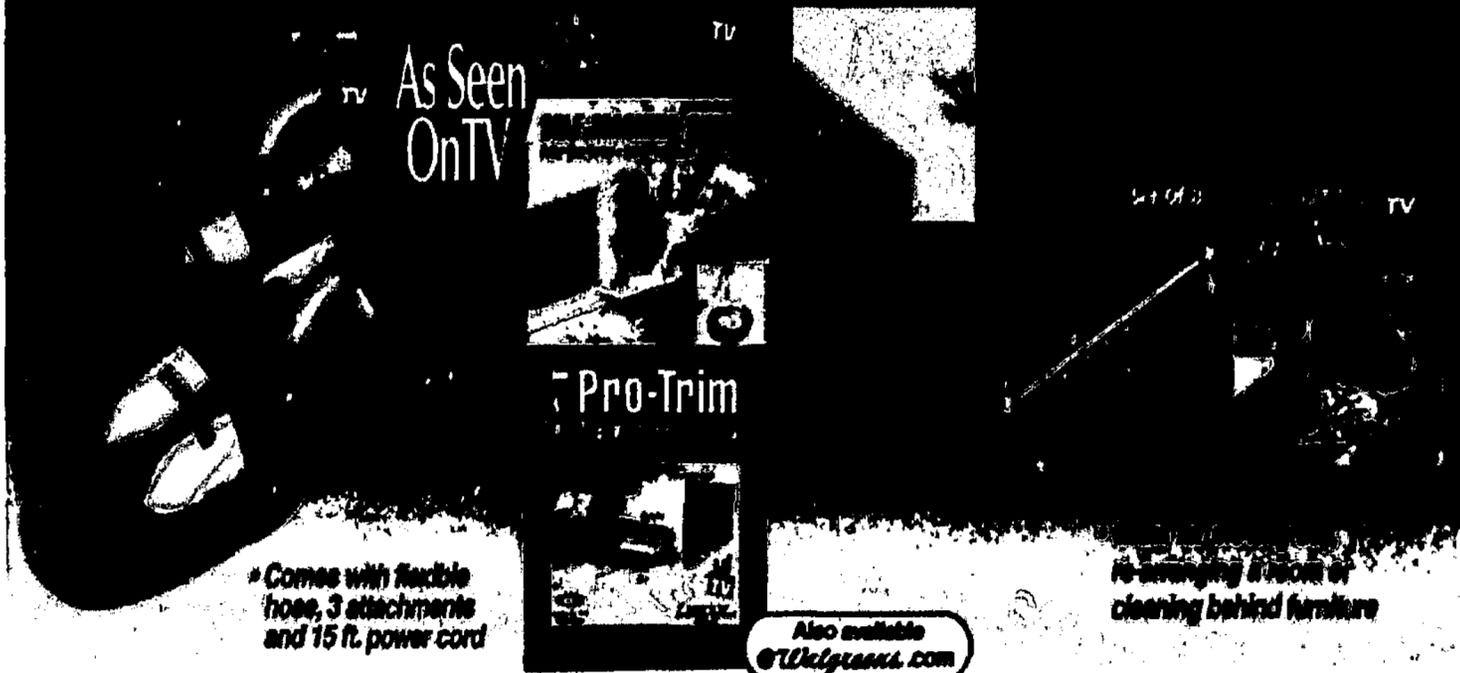
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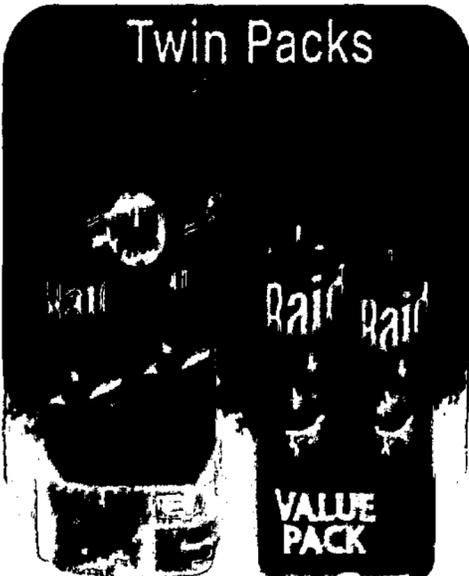
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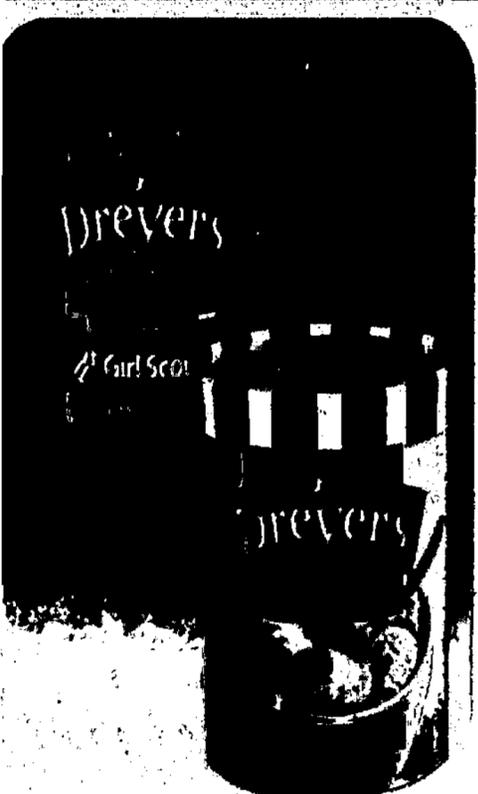
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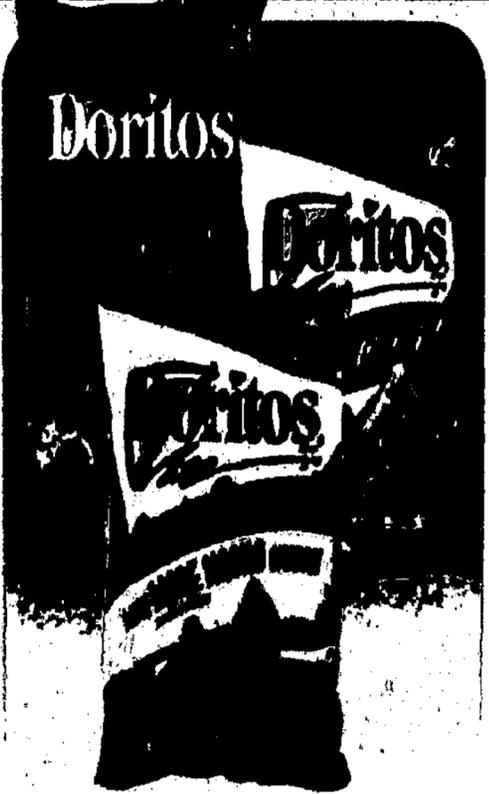
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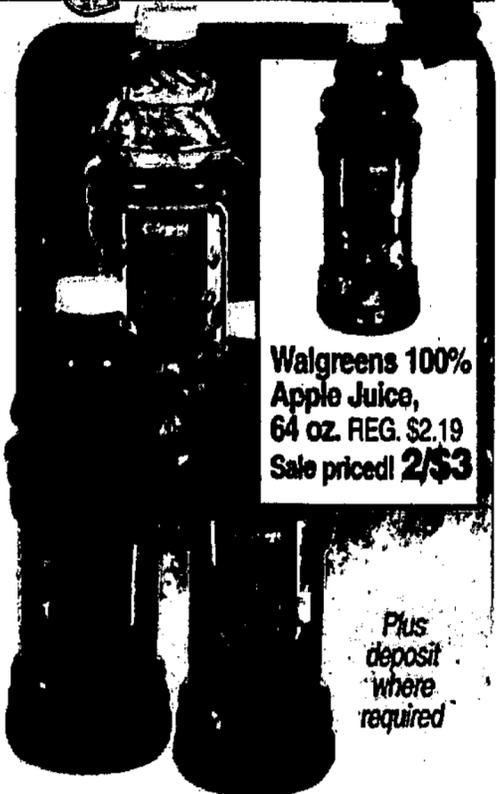
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**79¢** Sale priced!  
REG. \$1.29  
Theater Candy, 3.5 to 9.2 oz.  
Choice of varieties.



**99¢** Sale priced!  
REG. \$1.59  
Pearson Nips, 6.7 oz.  
Choice of flavors.  
Includes 20% more FREE.

**Price Buster**  
Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02

REG. \$1.29  
**59¢**  
Gummy Candy, 4.5 to 5 oz.  
Black Forest. Choice of varieties. Limit 3

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**Price Buster**  
Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02

REG. \$1.99  
**1.59**  
Velamints or Everest Mint Gum, 2.8 to 3 oz.  
Choice of flavors. Limit 4

**BONUS PACK!**  
Includes one tin FREE

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**Price Buster**  
Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02

REG. 99¢  
**79¢**  
Krack-O-Pop Caramel Corn Tub, 8 oz.  
Limit 3

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**Price Buster**  
Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02

REG. 49¢, 59¢  
**3/\$1**  
Jiffy Muffin Mix Blueberry, 7 oz. or Corn Muffin Mix, 8.5 oz. Limit 3

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For Convenient Shopping & Online Specials, visit [Walgreens.com](http://Walgreens.com)

Picture Maker

# Kodak PICTURE MAKER

Enlargements & Reprints Without Negatives!



Everyday Low Price!

**6<sup>99</sup>**  
Per Sheet

Kodak Picture Maker Sheet

Prints from your digital camera available from SmartMedia™ and CompactFlash™ Cards

# ONE HOUR SERVICE

35mm and APS Film Processing

35mm Film Processing

3 1/2 x 5 or 4 x 6 in. Prints



Everyday  
Low  
Price!

**6<sup>99</sup>**  
Single Set  
24 exp.

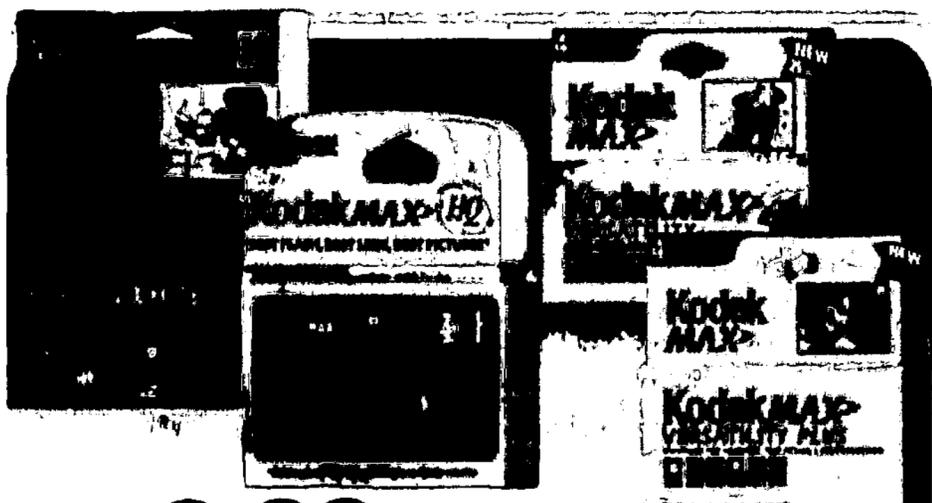
APS Film Processing

Panoramic, 4x6 or 4x7 in. Prints



**9<sup>99</sup>**  
Single Set  
25 exp.

\*Limited to machine capacity



**9.99** Sale priced!

Kodak Film or One-Time-Use Camera

• 3 pack Black & White 35mm film, 72 total exp. • Max HQ One-Time-Use Flash Camera, 27 exp. • 4 pack Max 400 or 800 speed film, 96 total exp.



**9.99** Sale priced!  
Polaroid 600 Film Singles  
Total of 10 exposures.

## Restore Your Old, Torn and Faded Photos

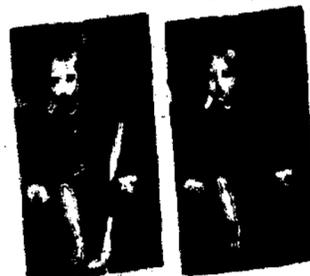


Compare the price of this service elsewhere... it can be up to **\$100!**

**34.99** AFTER COUPON AT RIGHT  
Photo Restoration

Our Price **39.99** Less \$5 Coupon Final Cost **34.99**

## Walgreens Photo Coupon Photo Restoration



**\$5 Off**

Submit coupon with order. One coupon per order. Coupon may not be combined with any other offer. Thru Sat. 4/27/02. 21 Day Service

# Where America Takes Its Pictures

## NEXT DAY SERVICE

35mm and APS Film Processing

35mm Film Processing

3 1/2 x 5 or 4x6 in. Prints



Special Offer!

Walgreens Next Day Photo Coupon

REG. \$5.99

**4.99** Two Sets  
3-1/2x5 in.  
24 exp.



Bring coupon with order. Not to be combined with any other offer. Excludes One Hour Service and Kodak Picture Processing. Limit 4 rolls per coupon. Thru Sat. 4/20/02.

Walgreens Next Day Photo Coupon

REG. \$7.99

**5.99** Two Sets  
4x6 in.  
24 exp.



Bring coupon with order. Not to be combined with any other offer. Excludes One Hour Service and Kodak Picture Processing. Limit 4 rolls per coupon. Thru Sat. 4/20/02.

APS Film Processing

Panoramic, 4x6 or 4x7 in. Prints

Kodak Picture Processing

**8.99**  
Single Set  
25 exp.



## E-Mail your Photos

Get a single set of prints and a Kodak Picture CD

**9.99**  
AFTER COUPON BELOW

Walgreens Quality Print Processing  
Single Set of 4x6 in., 24 exp. Prints and  
Kodak Picture CD made from 35mm film

Our Price **12.99** Less \$3 Coupon Final Cost **9.99**



Special Value!

2 Day Service

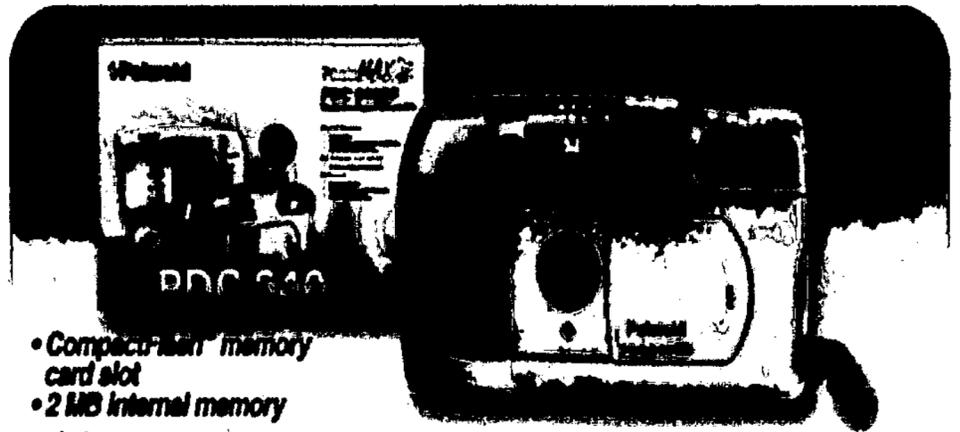
Walgreens Photo Coupon

**\$3 Off** Kodak Picture CD

Present coupon when receiving completed order.  
Good Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/27/02.



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- CompactFlash™ memory card slot
- 2 MB internal memory

SAVE **\$50**

**79.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$129.99

Polaroid PhotoMax Digital 640CF Camera

Complete digital camera kit. Includes 640x480 pixel camera, AC adapter and cable, USB and serial interface software. Easy up-load to the internet. Creative templates.

Walgreens Photo Coupon

Reprint Special!



4x6 in.  
REG. 35¢

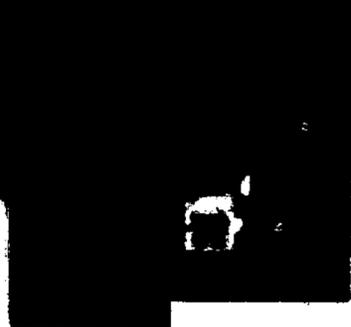
**4/\$1**

3 in.  
REG. 28¢

**5/\$1**

From 35mm, 110 or C-41 color negatives. Bring coupon with order, one coupon per order. No half-frames, Panoramic, Kodak Picture Processing or One Hour. Thru Sat. 4/20/02. NO LIMIT.

Format Frames For Your Favorite Photos



**1.99**

4x6 or 5x7 in.  
Sale priced!



**2.99**

8x10 in.  
Sale priced!



**3.99**

11x14 in.  
Sale priced!

Walgreens Photo Coupon

Enlargement Special!



5x7 **\$1**

8x10 **\$2**

11x14 **\$6**

Color enlargements from your 35mm color, C-41 negative only. Bring coupon with order. One coupon per order. No One Hour Service or Kodak Picture Processing. Thru Sat. 4/20/02. NO LIMIT.

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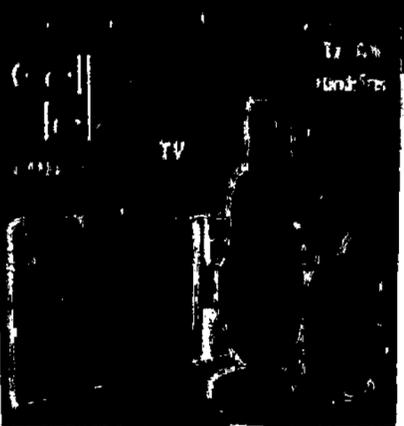
Over 16,000 Kodak Certified Photo Specialists

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# School and Office Supplies, Telephones & More!

Hands Free

As Seen On TV



**14<sup>99</sup>** Sale priced!  
REG. \$19.99

Cell Tek Hands Free Speaker  
Emson. Universal cell phone holder and speaker.



**Instant Value Coupon**

**Save \$3**

8 Pack AA or AAA Energizer e<sup>2</sup> Batteries

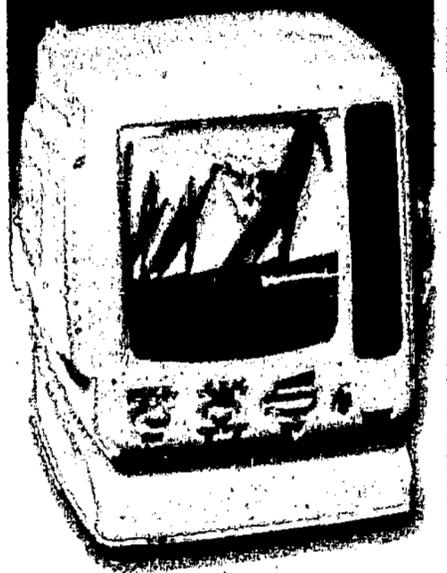
Good 4/14 thru 4/20/02  
Good only at Walgreens.

Not valid with any other offer. Customer pays any sales tax. Void if copied or where prohibited. Cash value 1/100c. Void where prohibited.

**4.99** AFTER INSTANT COUPON BELOW

8 Pack AA or AAA Energizer e<sup>2</sup> Batteries

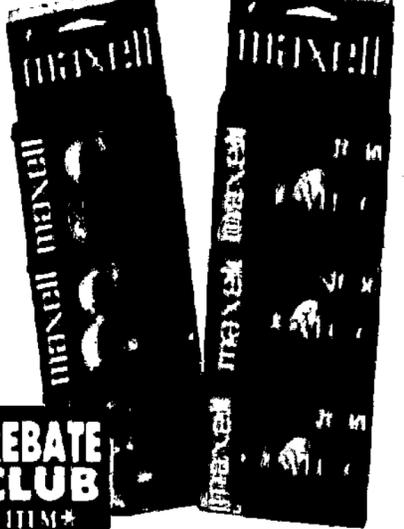
Sale Price **7.99** Less Coupon **\$3** Final Cost **4.99**



**26<sup>99</sup>** Sale priced!  
REG. \$32.99

5 in. Black & White Portable TV with AM/FM Radio Spectra.

• 3 way power AC/DC 12 volt car cord

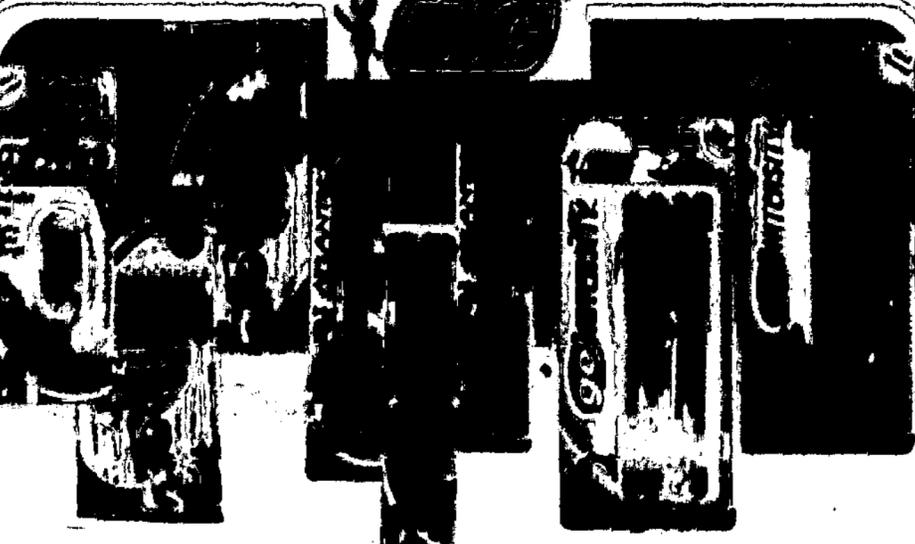


**REBATE CLUB**

**4.99** AFTER MAIL-IN REBATE\*

3 Pack Maxell 120 Minute 8mm or 30 Minute VHS-C HGX Camcorder Tapes

Sale Price **7.99** Less Mail Rebate **\$3** After Rebate **4.99**



**99¢** Sale priced!  
REG. \$1.99, \$2.19

Choice of Blic

- Write-Out Corrections Tape
- 10 pack Round Stic Grip Pens, includes 2 FREE!
- 2 pack Atlantis Pens
- 5 pack Mechanical Pencils

**1.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$3.99

4 Pack Blic Gel Intensity Pens  
Choice of bright, vibrant colors.



**9.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$15.99

15 Pack TDK CD-R Data, 80 min.

**TDK**

**Price**

Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02

REG. \$1.49

**69¢**

2 Pack Heavy Duty Power Cell Batteries

Walgreens. C or D. Limit 4

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Perfect for any artist from beginner to professional

**50% Off** Our Regular Price\*

Roaring Spring Art Paper  
Sketchbook, Drawing Pad, Tracing Pad, Sketch Diary, or Wire Bound Sketchbook. Choice of paper size.

\*REG. \$2.99 to \$4.99 Sale priced! **1.49 to 2.49**

**Price**

Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02

REG. \$4.99

**2.99**

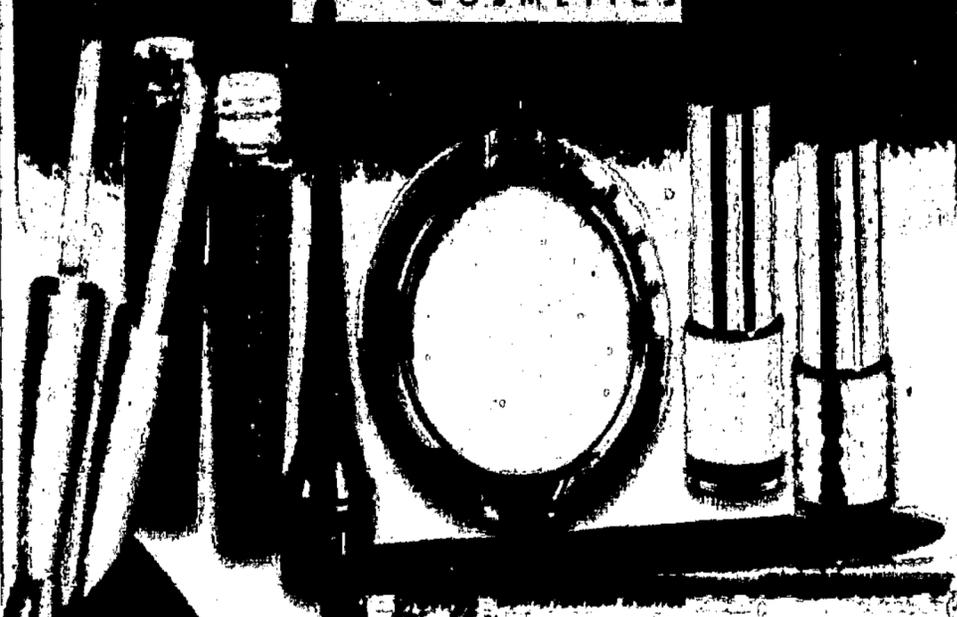
400 Sheet Laser & InkJet Paper. Multi-purpose. 8-1/2x11in. Limit 3

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# Save on Cosmetics! Price

NEW at Walgreens!

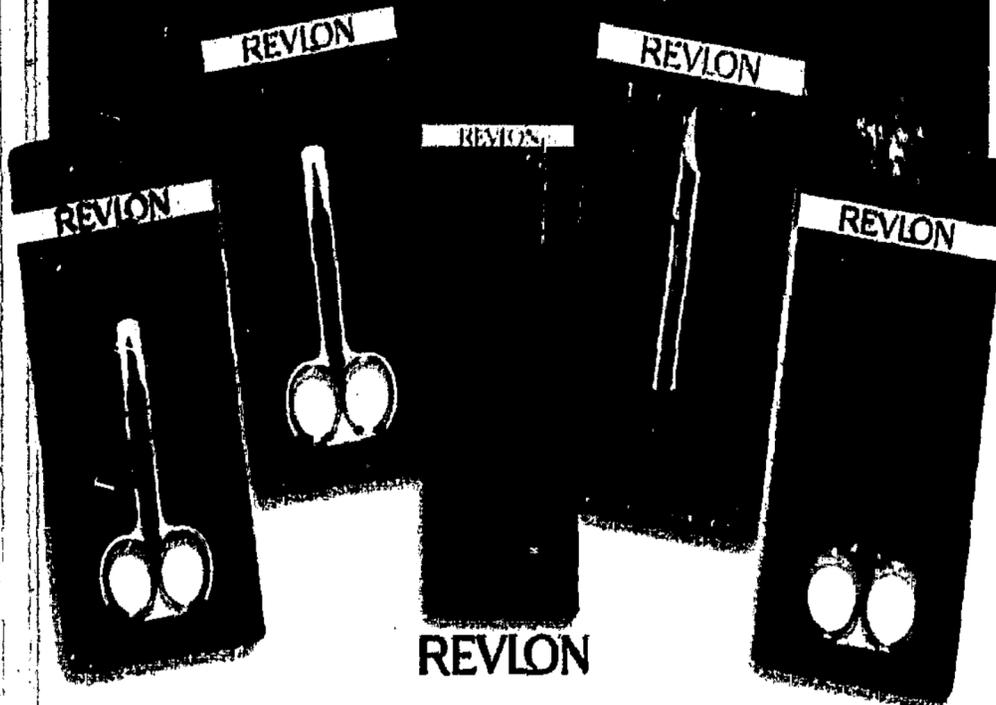
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COSMETICS



NEW!

**25% Off** Our Everyday Low Price

Entire Line of Prestige  
REG. \$1.89 to \$5.89 Sale priced \$1.41 to \$4.41



REVLON

**50% Off** Our Everyday Low Price

Entire Line of Revlon Scissors  
REG. \$10.59 to \$14.99 Sale priced \$5.29 to \$7.49



**5.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$6.59 to \$8.49

Revlon ColorStay Mascara,  
Lipcolor or Lipline

**8.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$11.29,  
\$12.19

Revlon ColorStay Makeup  
Liquid foundation or stick.



**3.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$4.99

Choice of Sally Hansen  
• Advanced Hand Care  
• Diamond Strength Instant Nail Hardener  
• Age Correct Nail Growth Treatment

**4.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$6.59

Sally Hansen Multi-Vitamin  
Nail Solutions



**1.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$2.99

Sally Hansen Teflon Tuff  
Nail Color

**NEW!**

Includes: sugar wax, 8 oz., 30 hair removal strips, applicator and soothing skin relief lotion, 1 oz.

**6.99** AFTER INSTANT COUPON IN REBATE CATALOG\*

Sally Hansen Sugar Wax Hair Remover Kit

Sale Price	7 <sup>99</sup>	Less Coupon	\$1	Final Cost	6 <sup>99</sup>
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**Price Buyer**  
Coupon

Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02

Buy 1 at \$2.99 Get 1 **FREE**  
200 Pack Quilted Cotton Squares  
Walgreens. Limit 2  
**2/\$2.99**

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Fun and Unique Garden Decor

Approx.  
11 in.

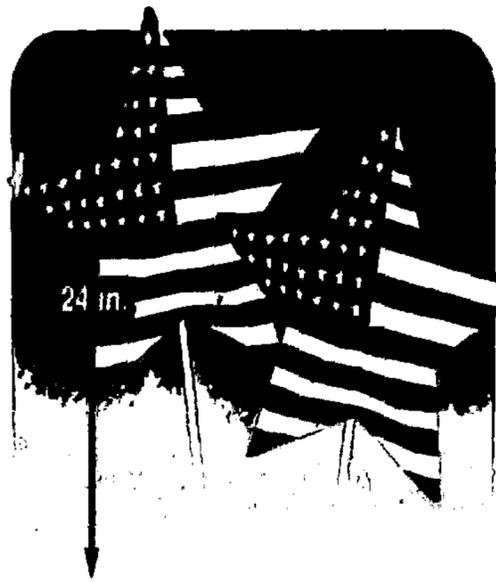


**2/\$10**

Garden/Yard Frog or Turtle  
Accent your garden with a critter.

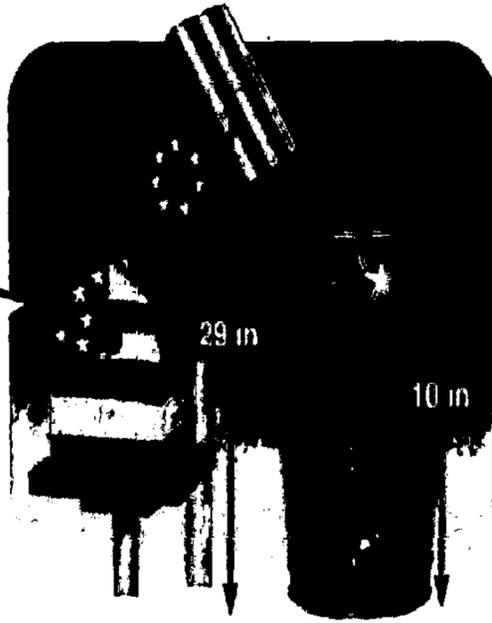
**9.99**

Gnome Figurine, 11 in.  
Choice of styles.  
Indoor/outdoor decoration.



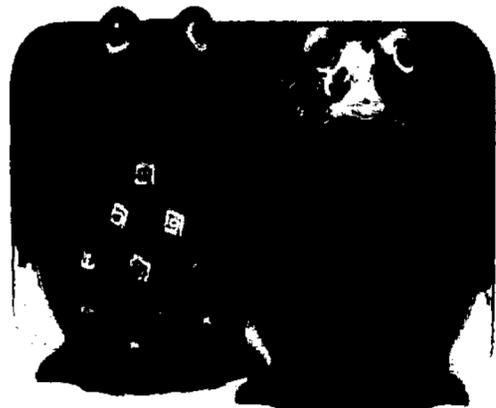
**2/\$5**

Americana Planter Stake  
Show your pride in America.



**3/\$10**

Americana Birdhouse Yard  
Stake or Metal Pail with Handle



**3.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$4.99

Ceramic Frog Bank, 6.5 in.  
A fun place to save up your change.  
Choice of designs.



**2/\$5** Sale priced!  
REG. \$4.99

Glass Paperweight, 2.5 in.  
An elegant desk accessory.

# Spring Home

Stack of 50  
Serving Bowl, 12 in. REG. 7.99, Sale priced **3/12**  
Planter, 10 in. REG. 7.99, Sale priced **3/12**



**3/\$2** Sale priced!  
REG. 99¢

24 Pack Plastic Party Cutlery  
or 75 Pack Flexible Straws



Price

Wicklow Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02

REG. 99¢  
**69¢**

Pot Holders  
Choice of designs.  
Limit 3



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# Home Accessories!

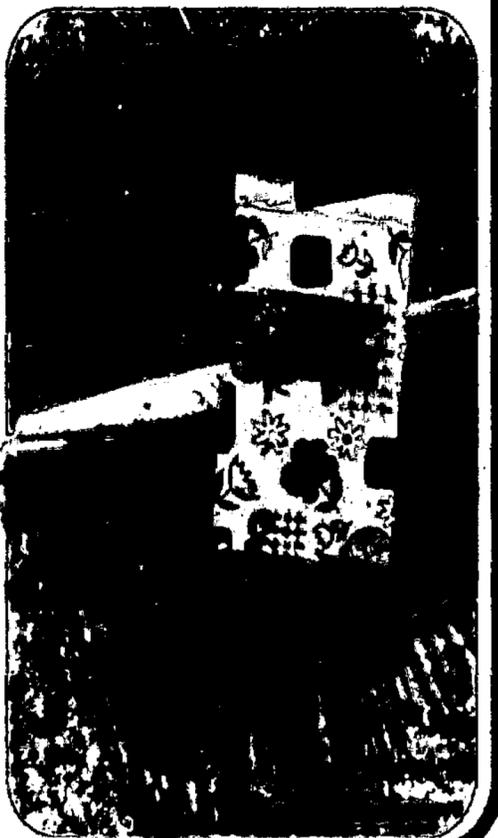


Choice of colors

Choice of colors

**3**

Plastic Sealed  
Qty. 10 ea.



**Price**

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REG. \$1.09  
**99¢**

Oven Mitt, 12 in.  
Choice of designs.  
Limit 3



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Choice of spring designs

**1.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$2.99

Cotton Kitchen Towel

# Cool Summer Sandals in Colorful Styles

Choice of fun summer colors!



**REBATE CLUB**  
ITEM\*

**7.99** AFTER MAIL-IN REBATE\*

Okabashi Sandals  
Assorted styles for men or women.

Sale Price **8.99** Less Mail Rebate **\$1** After Rebate **7.99**

**3.99**

Beachcomber Sandals  
Assorted styles for men or women.

Everyday Low Price

**3.99**

Children's Sunglasses  
Choice of styles for boys and girls.

**REBATE CLUB**  
ITEM\*

**FREE** AFTER MAIL-IN REBATE\*

Sea & Ski Sunblock Lotion, 2 oz.

Our Price **2.49** Less Mail Rebate **2.49** After Rebate **FREE**

Choice of sizes and colors

**2/\$3** Sale priced!  
REG. \$1.99

Rubber Flex Sandals  
For men, women and children.

Buy 1 at \$1.99 Get 1 **FREE**

Cool Aqua Lip Balm  
Walgreens. Sale priced! **2/\$1.99**

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# Great Savings on Cosmetics! Price

\$2 Coupon Good On All  
Neutrogena Acne Products



**2.99**  
AFTER INSTANT COUPON  
IN REBATE CATALOG\*

**Choice of Neutrogena**  
• Multi-Vitamin Acne Treatment, 2.5 oz. • Oil-Free Acne Wash, 6.7 oz. • Body Clear Body Scrub or Wash, 8.5 oz. • 27 pack On-the-Spot Acne Patches

Sale Price **4.99** Less Coupon **\$2** Final Cost **2.99**



**11.99** AFTER INSTANT COUPON IN REBATE CATALOG\*  
L'Oréal Plénitude Age Perfect, 2 to 2.5 oz.

Sale Price **13.99** Less Coupon **\$2** Final Cost **11.99**

**17.99** Sale priced!  
L'Oréal Plénitude Visible Results, 1.6 oz.



**2/\$3** Sale priced!  
Dove or Degree Antiperspirant, 1.6 oz.



Buy One Get One Free!

Buy One Get One **FREE\***  
Choice of Suave Body Wash, 12 oz. Sale priced! **2/\$2.49**  
3 pack Soap, 4.5 oz. ea. Sale priced! **2/\$1.49**  
Antiperspirant, 2.6 oz. Sale priced! **2/\$1.99**

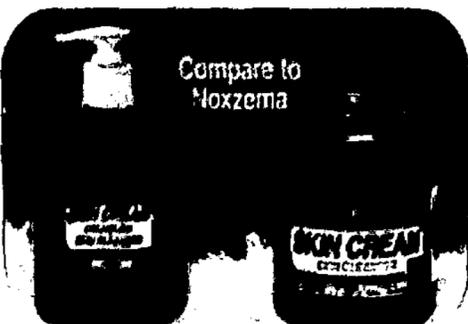
\*Must Be Of Same Price



\$1.50 Coupon Good On All Nivea Q10

**7.49** AFTER INSTANT COUPON IN REBATE CATALOG\*  
Nivea Visage Q10 Wrinkle Control, 1.7 oz.

Sale Price **8.99** Less Coupon **1.50** Final Cost **7.49**



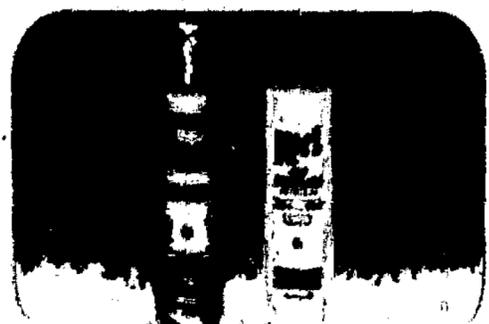
Compare to Noxzema  
Buy 1 at \$2.49 Get 1 **FREE**  
Skin Cream, 10.5 to 15 oz. Walgreens. Choice of formulas. Sale priced! **2/\$2.49**



Buy 1 at \$4.29 Get 1 **FREE**  
Sea Breeze Astringent, 10 oz. Sale priced! **2/\$4.29**



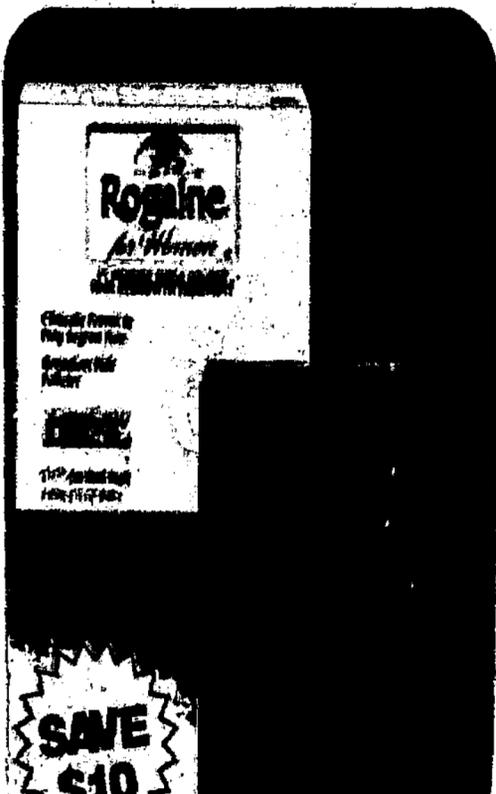
Buy 1 at \$9.99 Get 1 **FREE**  
Choice of Soylutions • Lip Pumping Gel, 1 oz. • Cracked Hands & Feet Repair Cream, 4 oz. Sale priced! **2/\$9.99**



Buy 1 at \$4.59 Get 1 **FREE**  
Keri Lotion, 6.5 oz. Choice of formulas. Sale priced! **2/\$4.59**

# "Maybe Your Hair Can Achieve the Perfect Body."

That's Life. This is **Walgreens**™



**SAVE \$10**

**39.99** Sale priced!  
REG. \$49.99

3 Pack Rogaine Hair Regrowth Treatment, 2 oz. ea.  
5% extra strength for men or 2% regular strength for men or women. 90 day supply.



Buy 1 at \$3.49 Get 1 **FREE**

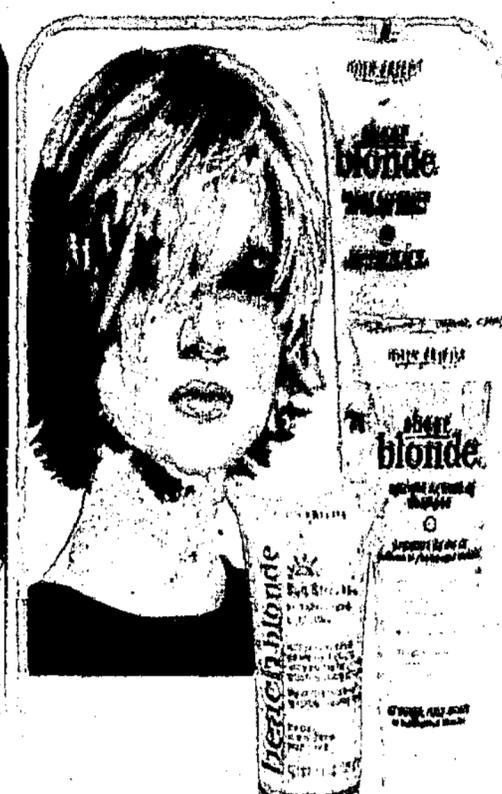
L'Oréal Kid's Shampoo or Conditioner, 9 oz.  
Sale priced! **2/\$3.49**



Buy the shampoo get the conditioner Free!

Buy 1 at \$3.99 Get 1 **FREE**

Clairol Herbal Essences Intensive Blends Shampoo or Conditioner, 12 oz.  
Sale priced! **2/\$3.99**



**2/\$9** Sale priced!  
REG. \$6.49

Beach Blonde or Sheer Blonde Hair Care, 4 to 8.7 oz. Shampoo, conditioner or styling products.

**Lowest Price Ever!**

• Great for any time you're on-the-go

**\$12.99 VALUE**

**6.99** Sale priced!

Mini Folding Hair Dryer, 1200 Watt  
Perfection. Soft Touch.

**NEW!**

**4.99** Sale priced!

Schick Xtreme 3 Triple Blade Razor or 4 Pack Cartridges

• Choice of sizes and shades

**2.99** AFTER INSTANT COUPON IN REBATE CATALOG\*

Just My Size Naturally Bare or Bare L'eggs Pantyhose

Our Price	<b>3.99</b>	Less Coupon	<b>\$1</b>	Final Cost	<b>2.99</b>
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**Price Buster**

Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02

REG. \$2.39, \$2.49

**1.99**

Edge or Skintimate Shave Gel, 9.3 oz. Includes 2.3 oz. FREE! Limit 2

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**1.49** AFTER INSTANT COUPON IN REBATE CATALOG\*

5 Pack Schick Slim Twin Razor Disposable. No-slip rubber grip.

Sale Price	<b>2.49</b>	Less Coupon	<b>\$1</b>	Final Cost	<b>1.49</b>
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**2.99**

Scunci Claw Clip  
New French designs.

**Price Buster**

Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02

REG. \$7.39

**3.99**

Clairol Natural Instincts Hair Color For men or women. Limit 2

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# Savings to Give You the Brightest, Whitest Smile



**1.99** Sale priced!

Choice of Oral-B  
• Stages Toothbrush or Toothpaste, 4.2 oz. • Advantage Toothbrush



\$4.98 VALUE

**1.99** Sale priced!

Colgate Toothpaste, 8.2 oz.

**2/\$10** Sale priced! REG. \$5.99

Colgate Motion Toothbrush  
Non-slip grip. Battery operated.



Also available at [Walgreens.com](http://Walgreens.com)

REBATE CLUB TIME

**19.99** AFTER MAIL-IN REBATE\*

Water Pik Flosser  
Gently cleans away plaque. FL-110

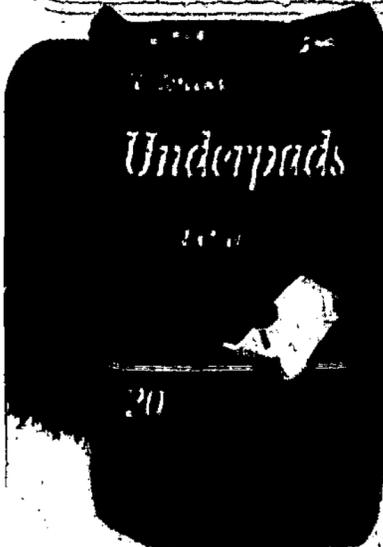
Sale Price **22.99** Less Mail Rebate **\$3** After Rebate **19.99**



Also available at [Walgreens.com](http://Walgreens.com)

**5.99** AFTER INSTANT COUPON IN REBATE CATALOG  
12 Pack Trojan-Enz®

Sale Price **7.99** Less Coupon **\$2** Final Cost **5.99**



• Choice of sizes

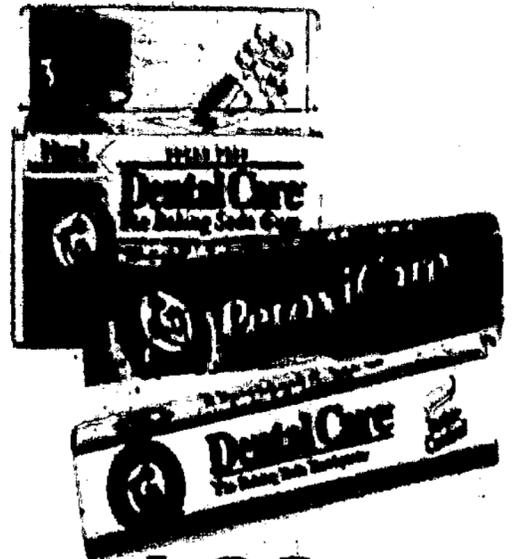
**5.99** Sale priced! REG. \$7.99

10 to 40 Pack Disposable Underpads  
Walgreens.



**9.99** Sale priced! REG. \$10.99

14 to 20 Pack Disposable Protective Underwear  
Walgreens. For men and women.



**1.99** Sale priced!

Arm & Hammer Dental or PeroxiCare  
30 or 36 pack Dental Gum or Toothpaste, 6 to 6.3 oz.

Price

Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02



REG. 99¢  
**3/\$2**

22 Pack Pantliners  
Walgreens. Unscented or deodorant. Limit 3



Price

Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02



REG. \$2.79  
**1.99**

18 to 24 Pack Maxi Pads  
Walgreens. Choice of absorbencies. Limit 2



Price

Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02



REG. \$3.79  
**2/\$5**

Baby Magic Lotion, 15 oz. or 80 Pack Wipes  
Playtex. Limit 4



Price

Walgreens Sale Sun. 4/14 thru Sat. 4/20/02



REG. \$3.49  
**2.99**

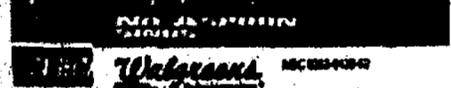
Dentu-Creme, 3.9 oz. or 40 Pack Polident  
Limit 3



# Springtime Allergy Relief Price

Compare to Tylenol Sinus

TYLENOL SINUS



**NO-ASPIRIN SINUS**

• Choice of formulas

Buy 1 at \$3.99 Get 1

**FREE**

24 Pack No-Aspirin Sinus or Allergy Sinus Walgreens.

Sale priced! 2/\$3.99

Special Twin Pack

Special Twin Pack

Compare to Tylenol

TYLENOL

**NO-ASPIRIN**

**NO-ASPIRIN**

**NO-ASPIRIN**

**NO-ASPIRIN**

• Includes 100 pack FREE!

Compare to Motrin IB

MOTRIN

**Ibuprofen 200**

**Ibuprofen 200**

**Ibuprofen 200**

**Ibuprofen 200**

• Includes 100 pack FREE!

**5.99**

200 Pack Extra Strength No-Aspirin Walgreens. Choice of formulas.

**6.99**

200 Pack Ibuprofen Walgreens. Caplets or tablets.

Ask your doctor or pharmacist about the benefits of aspirin



Buy 1 at \$4.99 Get 1

**FREE**

50 Pack Bayer Aspirin Choice of formulas.

Sale priced! 2/\$4.99

Compare to Lotrimin AF

**CLOTRIMAZOLE**

**CLOTRIMAZOLE**

**4.99** Sale priced! REG. \$5.99

Clotrimazole Antifungal Cream 1%, .5 oz. Walgreens. Cures Athlete's Foot.

Powerful Pain Relief for Arthritis and Sore Muscles

**14.99**

P-K-5 Powerful Pain Relief, 2 oz. Lotion or roll-on.

**NasalCrom ALLERGY PREVENTION**

Non-drowsy formula

**6.99** Sale priced!

NasalCrom Allergy Prevention, .44 oz.

Special Twin Pack

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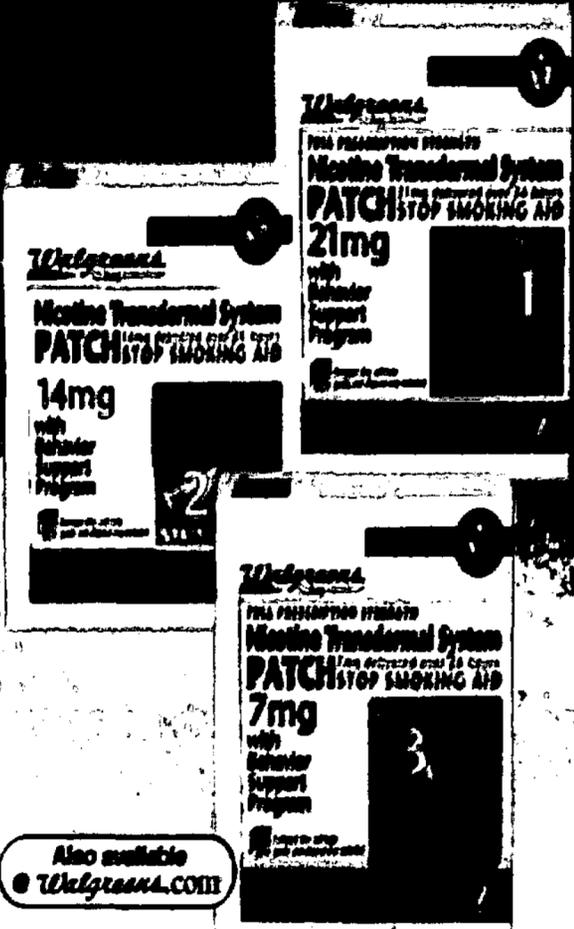
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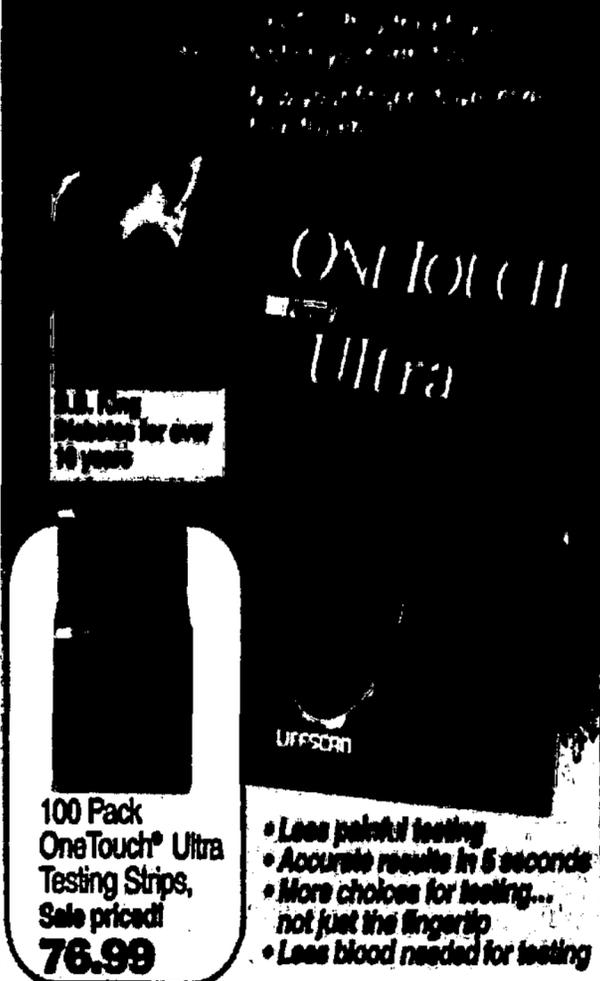
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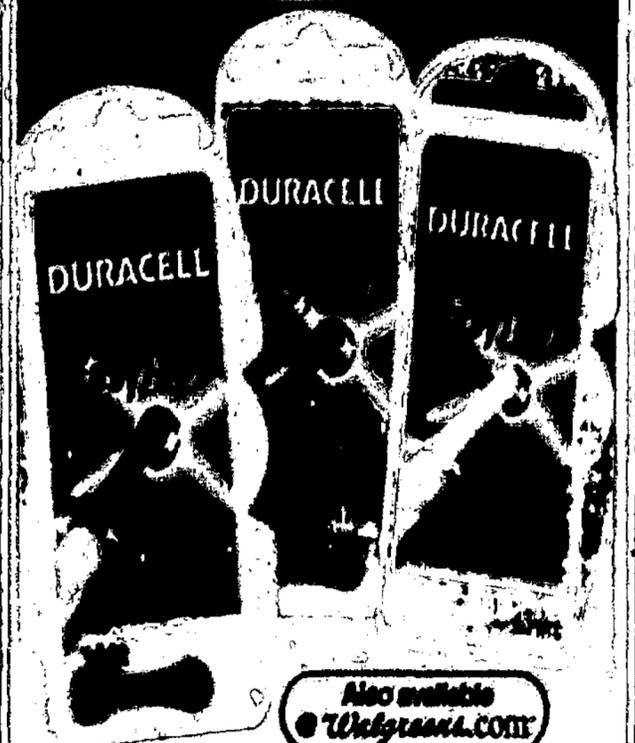
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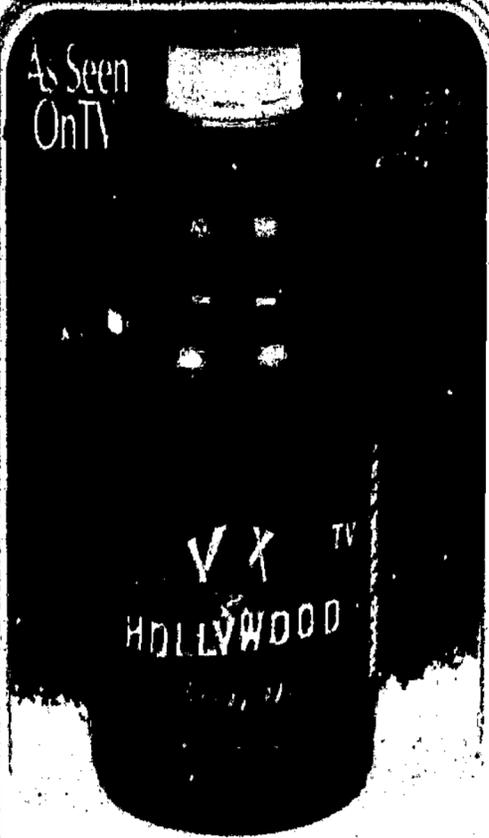
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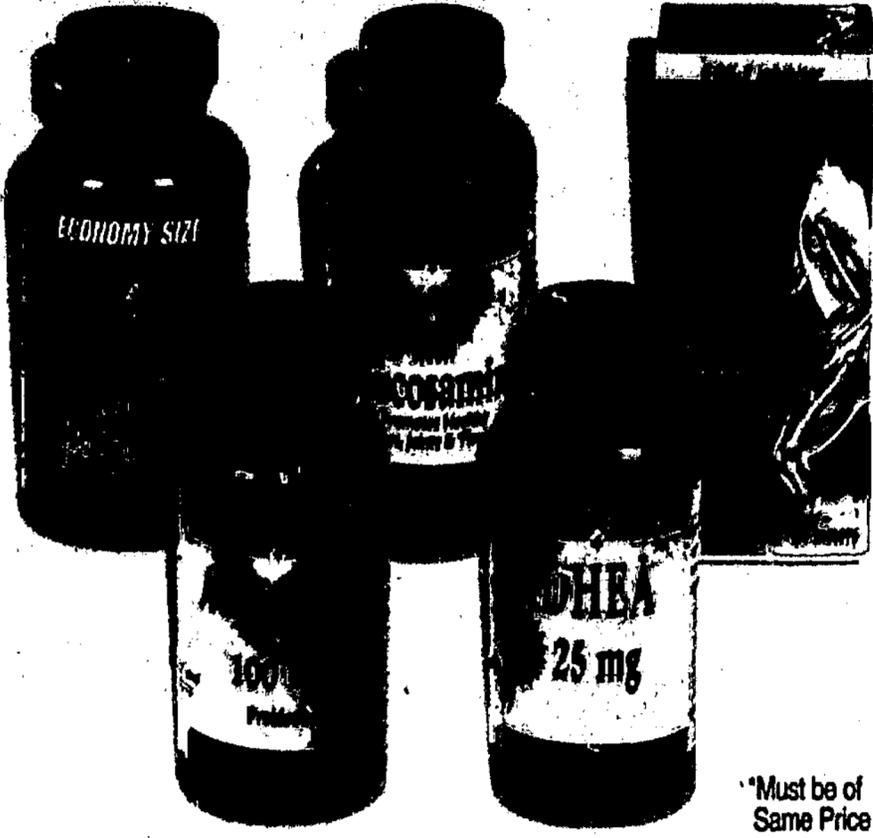
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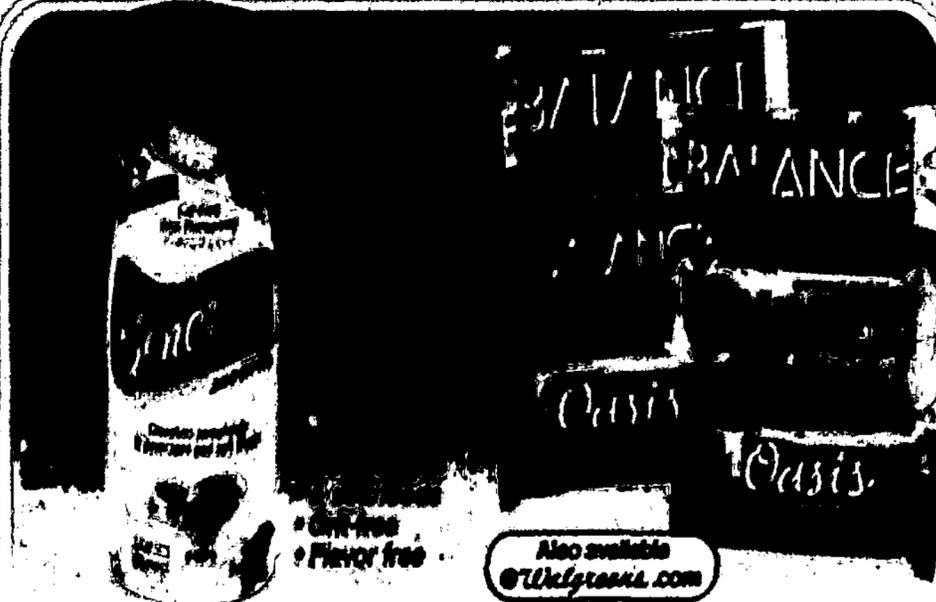
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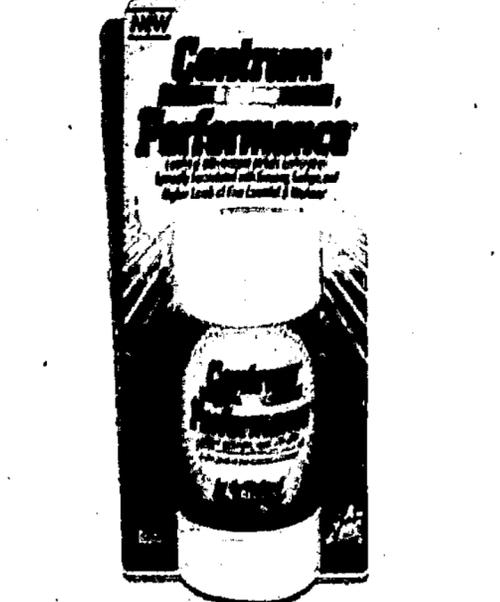
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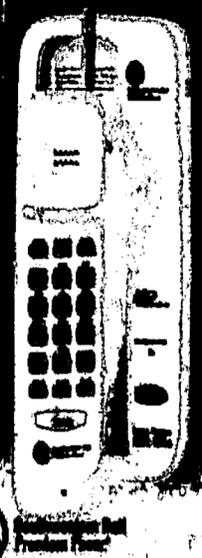
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Slim-Fast  
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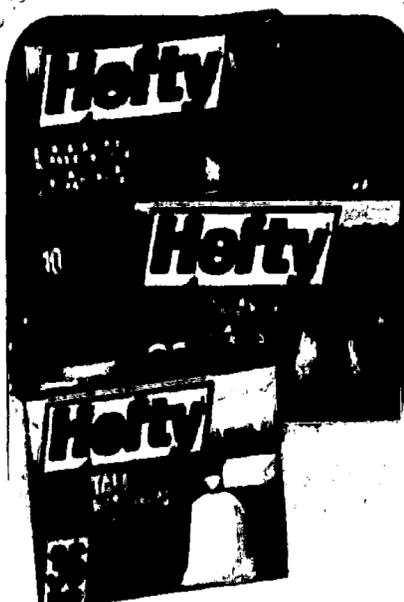


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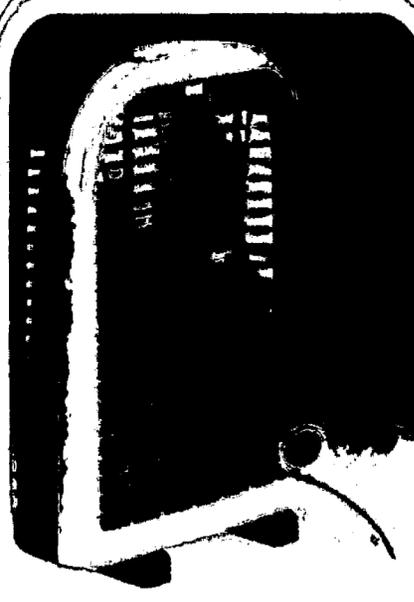
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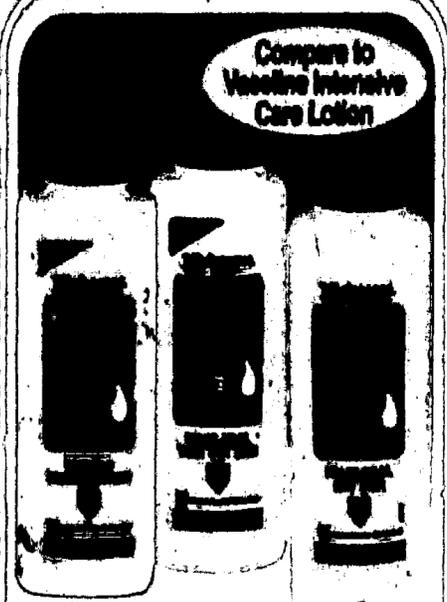
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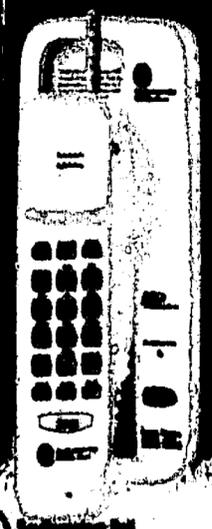
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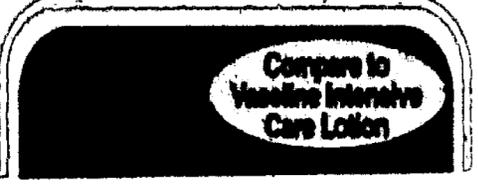
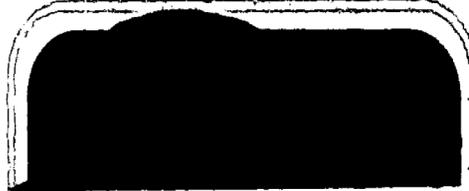
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