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Father Larry Gosselin joins others in Rome to celebrate the beatification of Mother Teresa last month at the same time 100,000 people gathered for a peace march at Assisi

COURTESY FATHER LARRY GOSSELIN

The road to Calcutta

Local priest talks about his friendship with Mother Teresa

This is a two part story on Father Larry Gosselin, the new priest at St. Joseph's Apache Mission in Mescalero, and of his extraordinary relationship with Mother Teresa of Calcutta.

BY DIANNE STALLINGS

Dreams, signs and prayer prompted many of the decisions in Father Larry Gosselin's life.

They brought him to Mescalero and propelled him around the world to Calcutta and a lasting friendship with Mother Teresa, a champion of the poorest in India, founder of the missionaries of charity and winner of the Nobel Prize for Peace.

He recently returned to St. Joseph Apache Mission in Mescalero and said it feels like he's back home.

His life's journey started in Puyallup, Wash., a small town named for a Native American tribe, where he attended Catholic school. He served on a cargo transport in the military in Vietnam and taught school when he was discharged.

"I planned to get into educational television. That was kind of my dream," Gosselin said. "I wanted to work on Sesame Street. Bill Cosby was my idol."

However, while backpacking in Europe, "I had a very spiritual experience."

He returned to America, landed a

job in Tacoma, Wash., with an educational channel, but never made it there.

"When I came to the door, she said, 'We've been waiting for you to come.'"

Father Larry Gosselin on his first meeting with Mother Teresa

"Just before I was to leave, I felt called," he said. He was 24. "I have been a Franciscan for 27 years. I was raised with Jesuits and had gone to a Benedictine high school, so I had a strong life in religion. But the Franciscans attracted me. Maybe it was their freedom and there was a peacefulness about them. They are very people-oriented and I think that their sense of simplicity attracted me — and the life of St. Francis himself."

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Downs nixes larger council

BY MARTY RACINE
FOR THE ALBUQUERQUE NEWS

Ruidoso Downs residents do not want a larger city council.

At least that's the desire of a small minority of citizens who turned down a proposal Friday to expand the council from its current four members to six.

The vote against was 56-32, by slightly more than 9 percent of the Downs' 995 registered voters.

"We're still a small town," said a City Hall employee of the thinking that perhaps swayed the "no" voters.

New Mexico law allows municipalities to set the size of their governing body from four to 10 members. The Downs once had seven councilors, but a lack of candidate interest scaled that to the present four.

The council in September expressed a desire for two additional members, passing a motion to hold the referendum, with the idea of increasing citizen input and representation.

The official tally was announced at Monday's council meeting, as certified by Magistrate Judge Martha Proctor. An air of incredulity was in the room when Municipal Clerk Carol Virden announced the low turnout.

Monday's meeting was moved up from Thursday because of Thanksgiving. In other council action, the board approved Virden's resolution establishing March 2, 2004, for the city's general election. The election will decide four-year terms for mayor, two councilors and one municipal judge.

The vote will be held in the Hubbard Room at City Hall, 122 Downs Drive. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Those wishing to vote must register with the county clerk no later than Feb. 3, 2004. Those voting by absent-

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Man-made snow enables ski area to open Thursday

BY DIANNE STALLINGS

Families headed up Ski Run Road will find plenty to do at Ski Apache on Thanksgiving Day as the staff wants to welcome them to the resort that opens for the season at 8:45 a.m.

"We're looking forward to seeing them," said Denny Grover, who took over management of the Mescalero Apache operation in early October after 36 years of experience with the local slopes.

Chair lifts 3, 4 and 5 will be running with skiing off each one. The restaurant, bar and snack bar will be cooking up burgers and pouring beverages. The ski school, rental shop with snowboards and skis, and the sports shop will be open.

For the younger set ages four to six,

the Kiddy Korral will be available.

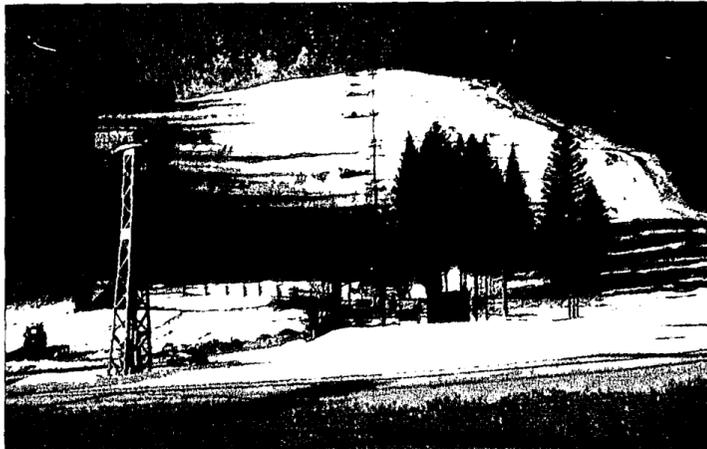
"We're in the game," Grover said, referring to the hard work of his snow-making crews. "They've made snow at every opportunity since the first of November. And they didn't cry when the rain washed away a bunch."

Earlier this month when the top of the mountain received about 1 1/2 inches of snow, the ski area was pelted with about 2 inches of rain, washing away 40 percent to 60 percent of the man-made snow accumulated up to that point.

"They could have gotten discouraged, but they did a super job and kept with it," Grover said.

After the rain came the wind, but Grover said cold temperatures prompted crews to start the guns right in the

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COURTESY RIKER DAVIS

Not much snow has come from the sky yet, but weather conditions have allowed Ski Apache workers to make enough powder to open on Thanksgiving

Hole near 'Y' could be filled before Christmas, official says

BY DIANNE STALLINGS

Peering over the edge of the new sidewalk on U.S. 70 near the intersection with Sudderth Drive isn't recommended for anyone with vertigo.

On the other side of some flimsy orange netting lurks a drainage ditch deep and wide enough to swallow several cars. But most of the drivers passing by don't even know it's just the width of a sidewalk away.

Dave Dawson, project manager for the state Transportation Department, hopes before Christmas that huge hole will be filled in and all people will see is a dirt lot.

In the interim, he'll discuss the possibility of putting up some concrete wall barriers, he said Friday.

Filling the hole wasn't in the original intersection

design given to J.R. Hale Construction, Dawson said.

"It was my idea to fill it up," he said. "That hole had been there for 20 years. We extended the drainage and made it a little longer to accommodate the sidewalk. We actually filled in a bit. It was bigger. But it had trees and bushes growing there before. You wouldn't have seen it unless you were standing in the parking lot of (the former Big Boys' Toys store).

"Now it stands out."

The original design called for a guardrail and leaving the hole, Dawson said.

"I said, connect the drainage pipe and fill it up. We

don't need that hole there," he said. "It will be a nice dirt parking lot."

"That hole had been there for 20 years. ... But it had trees and bushes growing there before."

Dave Dawson project manager

Because of the steep slopes on the drainage ditch, barrier walls would have to be placed on the sidewalk, he said.

If the schedule for filling the ditch could be speeded up just a bit, that might not be necessary, he said. The project will take a couple of weeks to finish and Christmas is only a month away, he pointed out.

Rusty Gordon, supervisor on the U.S. 70 West project to the turnoff to the Inn of the Mountain Gods and Casino, said it will take two to three weeks until the

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Fire destroys apartment; none hurt

BY MARTY RACINE
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

Fire destroyed an apartment unit at the 29 Pines Motel, 1811 Sudderth, Monday.

Flames erupted in Room 5 in the southwestern corner of the complex shortly after 9 a.m. Ruidoso firefighters extinguished the blaze within an hour but by then the apartment had been gutted.

The three occupants escaped without injury and the fire did not spread. Several trees in front were singed and smoking but did not burst into flames. Crews were aided by a lack of wind.

A fire hose hooked to a hydrant near the Circle J barbecue occupied one lane of Sudderth but traffic in either direction was not disrupted.

"The evolution of the fire was pretty

good considering" the proximity of the adjacent structures, said Fire Prevention Officer James Mason at the scene. Interior wooden beams had "lost their structural integrity," he said, but the rock and cinderblock exterior walls "held up very well."

The structure, he added, would probably not have to be razed.

The Fire Marshall's report said the fire was accidental, caused by a lamp with a broken light bulb.

Sabrina Buckmaster, 22 and an employee at Denny's who has lived at the apartment for about six months with her young son and daughter, said she saw a man running from the scene.

"Me and my kids were sleeping and my son was crying," she said. "I noticed it was real hot in my house so I turned down the heater and went back to sleep. And I don't

know how much longer it was from the time I went to sleep till when the fire started, but my daughter and my son were screaming, so I woke up, and I looked over and the whole back of the couch was on fire.

"My first instinct was to grab the kids and I ran out and I noticed the window was cracked and there was a guy in all black and he ran around the corner.

"I didn't see his face, I just saw the back of him run. I opened the door and I seen him run."

She lost everything, she said. "My son only has the shirt he's wearing. My daughter has the shirt she's wearing."

A bank account has been set up to help the family. Those wishing to donate should ask for the Sabrina Buckmaster benefit account at First National Bank in Ruidoso.



SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

29 Pines was the site of a fire Monday morning that left a mother and her two children without a home and smoke-damaged the apartment next door, according to James Mason, public information officer for the Ruidoso Fire Department. Fires also caught near the tops of two pine trees nearby.

Problems don't stop valley tower construction

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Desperately trying to finish up a communication tower project, Lincoln County commissioners suggested the county manager call on his old buddies at the Pentagon for helicopter support.

County manager Tom Stewart, who spent years directing programs at the Pentagon before retiring from the military, told commissioners last week that he has changed the title of the project meant to improve emergency services communication in Hondo Valley from the Stevens' Tower to "The Tower from Hell."

From the start, the project was plagued by problems ranging from how to pay for the structure, to site selection and later to access and hitting solid granite during excavation for the foundation.

Electricity to the top of a hill on the Stevens' Ranch on U.S. 380 was completed by Otero Electric, the concrete base was poured and cured, the tower parts were delivered to the site and the equipment shack is there, he said Tuesday.

"The difficulty now is finding a crane operator willing to negotiate the hill," Stewart said. "The delays in the project have been caused by the unique nature of the site (granite) and the steepness of the road to the top of the hill."

According to Bill Keck, president of Key Communications, company officials tried many

concrete providers before they found one willing to take trucks up the steep hill.

"Now, they have reportedly contacted every crane operator in the state and have been turned down, to get the first two sections of tower into place," Stewart said. "Once these bottom two sections are erected, the rest of the tower can be erected by hand."

Commission Chairman Rex Wilson suggested one of the military's large transport helicopters might be able to handle the task.

"With all of Tom's connections, he should be able to find one at Fort Bliss," said Commissioner Rick Simpson.

Stewart said one of the problems is the inability from strong winds at the top of the hill, but added that Key Communication officials contacted him Monday saying they found a crane operator and by Wednesday the bottom 100 feet of the tower should be up.

That mission was accomplished as planned, Stewart said Thursday.

"Eighty feet of the tower is up and the rest will go up by hand," he said. "It's really nice because you can barely see it on the hill. It sits far back from the road. I don't think it takes anything away from the scenery."

In other business, Stewart reported that:

• He visited the new Corona

health Clinic and Administration Center, which consists of three examination rooms, a dental room, a pharmacy, a laboratory, restrooms, storage rooms, chiropractor's office, break/conference room, an office and a reception area. At the conclusion of the project, which should be soon, the county will have contributed \$60,000 from a

special property tax levy as a match for a Community Development Block Grant over the last few years.

• Overtime for fire department volunteers who participated in the

the Ski Run Fire last month will be paid from state and federal sources, but he is working on a final agreement to cover extra time put in by sheriff's deputies. The state has agreed to pay a portion. He said watching the first night of the fire Oct. 27, as it raced through the trees, was "impressive." The fire burned 271 acres and was concentrated in Carlton Canyon north of Oak Grove Campground.

• For the last several weeks, telephone solicitors have called local businesses about advertising in a "Lincoln County Community Magnet." His research indicated the venture is not endorsed or conducted by any of the governmental entities in the county. He's written the Arlington, Texas company about complaints received and

"I don't think it takes anything away from the scenery."

Tom Stewart
county manager

Ashes and dumpsters don't mix, Ingle says

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Winter's here. Debra Ingle can tell by the aroma of burning dumpsters.

The operation superintendent for the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority said with cold weather comes hot fireplace ashes from people who apparently can't figure out the potential for a fire when glowing embers meet garbage.

"We lost three dumpsters," she said. "We had two truck fires. Not only are we in high fire season and a drought, but dumpster fires

are really dangerous for our equipment and the people around them.

"We have ash dumpsters around the county. We put out seven more last year. If someone needs one, call and we'll deliver. Keep the ashes out of household trash."

But the best way to handle ashes - already written into both county and Ruidoso regulations - is to mix them with water and dump only when they are cold, cold, cold.

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SKI: Man-made snow makes good base

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middle of wind gusts up to 50 mph.

"I figured the snow had to land someplace," he said.

That human effort created a base of eight inches to 16 inches over the trails that are open, and as much as 5 feet over creeks and other depressions.

For the past 15 years, Grover accumulated more than 150 snow-making "guns" at the resort.

"We pump the same amount

of water as Vail or Beaver Creek pumps and that says something for our system," he said Tuesday.

Thanksgiving skiers also can take advantage of reduced prices on lift tickets, Grover said.

Although he recalled other years when no significant snow fell before Thanksgiving, Grover said the resort postponed its opening date in those cases.

"This is the first time we opened solely with man-made

snow," he said. "We're not facing any problems we never faced before. It's not, as they say, our first rodeo."

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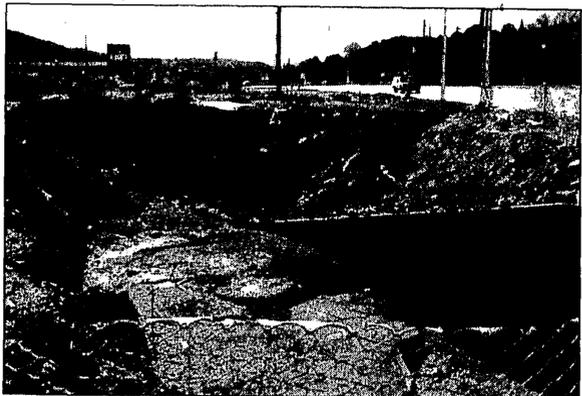
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DIANNE STALLINGS/STAFF

Only the width of a sidewalk separates drivers heading east on U.S. 70 from a huge and deep drainage ditch fenced off by a flimsy orange netting.

HOLE: Safety issue

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pipes and structures are in place. He also projects a pre-Christmas finish date.

"The design didn't address this issue," he said.

He considers the biggest danger to people in the Big Boys' parking lot possibly backing into the hole. The sidewalk and barrier curb should deflect most vehicles, he said.

"We have a schedule and

when you add things, you can't just drop everything," he said. "It's their (DOT) design and they pay for it. They are the customer. If the design is deficient, we have to negotiate the price of a change order, tuck the project into the schedule and go on and do it."

That's what Dawson said he hopes to see before Christmas.

"It was an ugly hole before and it's still an ugly hole," he said.

VOTE: Very low turnout

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tee ballot must obtain an application from the municipal clerk's office and have them completed and accepted by the municipal clerk by Feb. 27, 2004.

All declarations of candidacy must be filed with the municipal clerk during business hours on Jan. 6, 2004.

Some discussion Monday centered on how the possibility of annexation, to be determined next month, might impact the election. The New Mexico Boundaries Commission is expected to complete its public hearing and render a decision on the city's petition for annexation on Dec. 18.

Should annexation be OK'd, "I'm assuming ... that all rights and privileges that are reserved for citizens of the municipality then (extends to annexed citizens) as well," City Administrator John Waters said. "I assume that as long as it's past the 30-day challenge period that those citizens can then vote in municipal elections and run for municipal office."

"If we get approval ... the Municipal Boundaries Commission can place an order in their approval to allow those people to vote," Virden said. "All we have to do is notify the County Clerk of those areas being included."

Barbara Green, president of the newly formed City of Ruidoso Downs Chamber of Commerce, addressed the council to ask for \$7,500 in start-up money and to announce a new, if perhaps temporary, location for the chamber.

The original Parker Road

location for the chamber's portable building would be too costly for water and sewer hookups, she said. In the meantime, she added, they found another portable building site across from Disco Taco on U.S. 70 equipped with city utilities.

The catch: "My understanding is it is for sale," Green said. "If they do sell it, then of course we will have to relocate."

The council then approved Margie Morales' motion to commit \$6,000 from non-promotional lodger's tax revenues to the chamber with the understanding that the council will approve the remaining \$1,500 "as soon as we can."

The first outlay was capped at \$6,000 because that's all that remains in the non-promo balance, Waters said. He added, however, "We're a little bit ahead on our revenues for our lodger's tax in general." He also said there could be a surplus from renovation projects at All American Park, depending on what happens to the planned basketball court. "We may have a little bit more in surplus for that (of \$30,000-\$40,000)," he said. "Right now that's kind of up in the air."

Green announced that the chamber's Web site, www.ruidosodownschamber.com, will "hopefully be up and running in the next week or so. If (citizens) have any ideas on what we should have, please contact any of us. We're open to anything."

Police Chief Robert Logan reported that, with two officers newly graduated from the Law Enforcement Academy, "That makes 100 percent of our officers certified in the state for the first time in nobody knows how many years."

FATHER: Dreams, prayer have led priest

FROM PAGE 1A

St. Francis of Assisi is the patron saint of animals and ecology.

Gosselin entered the order in Oakland, Calif., and lived in a Portuguese barrio. After two years there, he went to Berkeley, studied with a theological consortium and earned a master's degree in divinity.

"My dream was to work with Native American people, so I went to Arizona and the Gila Indian Reservation outside of Phoenix," Gosselin said. His next assignment brought him back to Seattle, where he started a shelter for the homeless that operates today, offering safe harbor at night for up to 200 men.

Just as the shelter was gearing up, his supervisor called, saying help was needed at Mescalero.

"I really felt I couldn't leave the shelter at that time, but I told him I would pray about it," Gosselin said. "As I was praying about it that night, I had an experience. An Apache living on the streets of Seattle helped me as I was being attacked by two guys. I wanted to thank him and he said, 'You don't have to thank me. Maybe someday you can do something for my people.'"

"I was praying for a sign that night, that God would tell me what I should do, if



COURTESY FATHER LARRY GOSSSELIN

Father Larry Gosselin and Sister Joel of the Missionary of Charity reminiscenced during the celebration of Mother Teresa's beatification.

I should go to Mescalero. And so I felt that was a sign."

He arrived in Mescalero for the first time in 1984 and stayed until 1990. After that, he worked on the Yakima Indian Nation in Washington, close to his two sis-

ters, following the deaths of their parents.

Then he took a six-month sabbatical, part of the time hiking the Himalayas.

"One of the reasons I went there is that one night I dreamt that I was saying the Mass at Mother Teresa's bedside, at her feet in a hospital room and in the Mass we were giving thanks to God for the gift of her life," Gosselin said. "I felt somehow I was to do that, even though I had never met her at the time. In my mind, I was being sent there and I couldn't figure it out."

She was sick at the time, going through some serious health problems thought to be caused by malaria.

"When I first came, she was in Delhi, and they were saying she would probably die," he said. "She survived and went back to Calcutta. I met her there."

"It was very beautiful. When I came to the door, she said, 'We've been waiting for you to come.'"

Gosselin was startled because he hadn't told anyone he was going there.

"When Mother said that to me when I first came, it was kind of like a confirmation," he said. "She was so intuitive. As she was turning away after our initial greeting, she said, 'You know there is something I can't understand.' I said what's that and she said, 'I can't understand how God could be so humble that he would love me.' I thought that captured my time with her."

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OUR OPINION

Will that Hobbs track
be good for Ruidoso?

R. D. Hubbard gets a chance to prove his case

When talk about a new racetrack and casino in Hobbs started three years ago, and when the word was that R. D. Hubbard and his associates would like to build it, not everybody in Ruidoso thought it was a good idea.

They were concerned that Texas race fans, and gamblers, might just make a shorter trip to do their thing, and that the Ruidoso Downs Race Track and Billy the Kid Casino would see less action.

But when it came to crunch time this year, the Ruidoso Valley Chamber of Commerce and lots of other entities

stepped up and supported the Hubbard bid.

Zia Partners (Hubbard and associates) must prove that they probably is; co-ownership of two tracks and casinos will give a chance to build racing purses, and an extended racing season in southeastern New Mexico is a plus.

Yes, racing purses do feed off of casino operations, as the Zia Partners have noted. They even want to get that Hobbs track ready.

The net effect should be positive for Ruidoso Downs, but only time will tell.

Figuring out what to be thankful
for — in dogdom

One of the things I am thankful for as of Holiday Season 2003 points into high gear is that I do not have to write holiday editorials. During a newspaper career spanning 30 years, holidays would find me at the keyboard composing lame seasonal messages.

Let us take time this Thanksgiving Day to remember it is not all about turkey and stuffing, but about the many blessings we enjoy.

Let us take time this Christmas Day to remember it is not all about the giving and the getting, but about the many blessings we share.

Let us take time this Easter Sunday to remember it is not about eggs and chocolate, but a time of beginning and a time to reflect on the many blessings we hold dear.

Let us take time this Labor Day to remember the working men and women of our country and the many blessings they have given us.

There is a time when I thought I might chuck it all and go to work for Hallmark. Better pay, shorter hours. And your readers aren't mad at you all the time.

Look, it is not that I do not believe all that stuff. I am as sentimental about a Thanksgiving family gathering as the next guy, probably more so. More to the point, the messages are so obvious as to be trite.

It was my good fortune this country never adopted a formal holiday having to do with dogs, because I would have had trouble writing that tribute. It is a foolhardy outing, admitting to public you are not a dog lover. Let me hasten to add I really like little kids, but that gains few points with dog lovers who immediately question the character of one who does not want to snuggle their poodle.

Cast in the middle of a group of people fawning over their pups, I feel like a pair of faded jeans at a formal wedding.

Were I to write an editorial about lovable canines, the subject

would be Thunder, a neighborhood dog with whom I have actually established something resembling friendship. Thunder's great dog, and I think he likes me, too.

To Thunder's credit, he keeps to himself the knowledge all other dogs seem to share, that I fear them. If Thunder knows I underwent rabies treatment, a 14-day horror of shots to the stomach with a needle the doctor borrowed from a torture chamber, or if Thunder knows in later boyhood I was rushed to the emergency room when a chow mistook my neck for a piece of steak, Thunder, to his credit, is keeping my mum.

There is no doubt in my mind Thunder knows that when I was a young kid delivering mail on my little post office bike, a single dog would sound the alarm, a yelp alerting the other dogs, "here comes the idiot." And they would chase me around my little bike. Thunder ignores all this and gazes at me with soulful eyes.

So, I guess, this Thanksgiving season, I would like to write I am thankful for Thunder. There I go again.

Ned Cantwell - ncantwell@charter.net - is a retired newspaper living in Ruidoso. He is thankful for reader response.

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Thanks giving

YOUR OPINION

Change necessary at Ruidoso Middle School

To the editor:

I am a parent of a 14-year-old girl. I had to take her out of the Middle School last year due to the bully problems and fights.

It's not going to stop unless they put in a new principal. We had told Mr. (Ron) Bennett time and time again the problems that were happening during school hours at his school grounds. I asked him if he could guarantee my child's safety if I left her at school.

The answer was "No." And ... he replied "I couldn't guarantee her safety to cross the street and not be hit by a car."

So, therefore, my feelings are very strong that the staff there at the middle school is uncaring, and and just there for a paycheck.

I say, let's clean up the Middle School right now, before it's too late.

And a child shouldn't have to be scared to walk through the school doors, much less tell an adult what is happening to them. Because, first hand I know the problems get worse if you tell Mr. Bennett.

This issue should be further addressed. And, parents, speak up now. Tell your side of the story, and let's all make the Middle School a safer place.

My child no longer attends school there, but I'm willing to stand up for the ones that do. If you don't protect your child, nobody else will either.

Alyssa Lujan
Ruidoso Downs

Consider the turkeys

To the editor:

Thanksgiving is upon us. For most, this holiday is a joyous and festive event — at least for the humans involved.

Ben Franklin called turkeys "true American originals." He had a tremendous respect for their resourcefulness, curiosity, agility and beauty. Unfortunately, these beautiful creatures will end up on most Americans' plates this Thursday, with the majority of people not having a clue as to what took place to get it there.

On modern factory farms, tens of thousands of turkeys are crammed into warehouses, where disease and smothering are common. Turkeys are de-beaked and de-clawed, without anesthetics, because of tight conditions. Since they are purposely bred to gain an enormous amount of weight in a short period of time, they suffer from leg deformities and heart attacks.

After a ride to the slaughterhouse, often through weather extremes, their lives end and their throats are slit, often while they're fully conscious. If they don't die then, they die in a tank of boiling water used for feather removal. All of this, hidden behind the neatly packaged turkey at the store.

This Thanksgiving, give yourself and a turkey a reason to be thankful — eat compassionately this holiday season.

Myra Romero
Alto

A dumpster mess in Alto

To the editor:

I would like to apologize to our good neighbors in Alto Village, Kokopelli and High Mesa. We own the property next to the Alto dumpster.

As all of you who live in this area know, our property corner is covered in garbage!

Ever since the dumpsters were placed in their current location we have had mounds of trash brought onto our property by bears.

Only once, in all these years, has the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority sent someone out to help remove the trash.

My husband has quietly been tending to this matter alone.

He has contacted LCSW on numerous occasions.

His phone calls have not been returned.

A LCSW employee stopped by one time to tell us they couldn't come onto private property, and that they would meet with us and New Mexico Game and Fish. Nothing has come of that.

If you are as tired of this unhealthy eye-sore as we are, we encourage you to also contact LCSW and voice your concern.

Something needs to be done about this and we need your help to get things cleaned up. Thank you!

Deanna Martin
Alto

GUEST COMMENTARY

Talking turkey on Thanksgiving

BY JULIAN WELLS

A REGULAR HOLIDAY ESSAY CONTRIBUTOR

There was once an old turkey gobler, who by circumstances not of his making, did not live to the Thanksgiving dinner. A group of young turkeys began to question why he was still around, for they all were eagerly waiting to fulfill their desire to be the best turkey dinner ever.

The old gobler sighed, and said to them: "My fate was decided by a bunch of distorted political turkeys. They fed me so much political garbage and false promises that my whole body became so tough no one wanted me. They are also the same narrow-minded turkeys who are bashing our President and our nation and for the freedom of our democracy and spirituality which our nation was founded upon.

"The very foundation our founding fathers confirmed that our nation be a nation under God. Even so, the 'way out' wild turkeys in our higher courts have added to this effort to destroy that which is sacred to the majority of Americans."

The old gobbler's final words were: "Young turkeys stand firm and you will reap the reward intended for you by God."

Well, that most surely applies to us as well. Well, I suppose it's Thanksgiving. Yes, we are a nation under God, thank God.

Even the first Pilgrims knew that after surviving the awesome perils of the journey to America and that first year, they truly had something to be thankful for, and so do we today.

Our Pilgrim fathers might have said that they deserved their daily bread, with swollen pride. They might have thought that what they had, their hands had prepared. The pilgrims might have chosen to profess that by their wits they won success.

Instead they humbly knelt in prayer and thanked God for the gifts that He provided so abundantly for them.

Without question, our abundance is far greater here in America than almost anywhere in the world. Our wealth no doubt has affected our image in parts of the world. This is in spite of the fact that we have always gone to great lengths to share our resources with other nations.

The greatest tool that brings marvelous insight into Thanksgiving is love. Some people do great things, others have good health, others, rich pos-

sessions. But, when we get the view of Thanksgiving from a spiritual or comparison view, all sense of separation or comparison disappears in the unity of the whole. We can celebrate the all-good of God that is manifested in all people. Knowing "all that the Father has in mind," we can celebrate the order, beauty, and affluence everywhere in our Thanksgiving, a nation under God.

Thanksgiving is being thankful that we live in America and have the freedom that we have.

It is being thankful for all the people who serve us: our police, fire department, our emergency ambulance crews, and so many others, especially our street department crews that are up so early in the cold snowy mornings.

It is being thankful that every sunrise is a gift from God, wrapped with scarlet ribbons and tied with bows of love.

It is being thankful for all our blessings in life, whether they seem simple or complex; each one, let us remember, is a powerful reminder of God's love for us.

Thanksgiving is adding to our prayer of thanksgiving acts of thanksgiving by doing for others.

Happy Thanksgiving.

LCSWA looks to dump liability

Permit could be required for large land owners to dispose of own garbage

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Eliminating an exemption for large land owners to dispose of their own garbage or imposing more requirements may be necessary to protect the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority.

But before the county commission moves ahead with modifications to the county's solid waste ordinance, county attorney Alan Morel needs to check with federal and state environment officials.

Members of the authority, an independent entity formed by the county and its municipalities to collect garbage, asked for a change to eliminate any liability of the coalition when people granted exemptions fail to follow state and federal regulations.

"We had a request from the (SWA) attorney to modify our ordinance regarding the 300-acre exemption that allows people to bury their own solid waste on their property," Morel said. "They are concerned that by issuing that (exemption), they might have some liability for authorizing the use (if it is not handled correctly)."

SWA officials already ran into problems with the federal Environmental Protection Agency and state Environment Department over someone who dumped improperly and spilled onto

federal land. The land owner was fined and the authority ended up hauling off the dumped material.

But Morel didn't seem too concerned at a county commission meeting last week.

"Even if we have an ordinance saying you can do it, doesn't mean it's legal if you don't follow other state and federal regulations," he said. "We could amend our ordinance, but it hasn't been an issue as long as the authority has been in effect."

"It's my understanding the state statutes drive that anyway and we're not out of compliance," said Commission Chairman Rex Wilson.

If a state permit is required, the county granting an exemption to its ordinance would not supersede that requirement, Morel said.

"You'd still have to comply with state and federal laws even though we may allow for something in our ordinance," he stressed.

Commissioner Leo Martinez, the commission's representative on the SWA board, said members of the coalition were worried if someone dumped in an arroyo or riparian area that the state would hold

the authority responsible. The 300-acre exemption may not "wash anymore," he said.

The exemptions are not permits, they are waivers from being charged a fee, said Commissioner Rick Simpson, who previously sat on the authority and was its general manager. "It's all a billing thing. If someone owns more than 300 acres and wants to dispose (of garbage) themselves instead of using dumpsters, they are allowed to do it. Any permits come from the state ED. All they are asking here is that people have a permit from ED before they are eligible for an exemption."

Morel said the ordinance could be amended to require a state permit before an exemption could be granted.

But Wilson, a rancher, said that ED staff doesn't come out and inspect the property.

"Where does that leave the person?" he asked, directing Morel to check into the situation in more depth and report back.

The attorney said the state recently revised its environmental regulations and something may have changed in reference to standards for individuals handling their own garbage.

"...It hasn't been an issue as long as the authority has been in effect."

Alan Morel
county attorney

Farmers are eligible for drought relief

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Lincoln County is among 32 New Mexico counties awarded a natural disaster designation by the U.S. Department of Agriculture last week.

The action means farmers throughout the state will be eligible for federal assistance because of losses caused by drought.

Staff with the office of U.S. Sen. Pete Domenici confirmed that U.S. Agriculture Secretary Anne Veneman officially granted the designation with the exception of Los Alamos County. The designation was based on losses of at least 30 percent resulting from drought conditions since Jan. 1.

"This is an appropriate action for an industry that, like every other aspect of New Mexico, has suffered through

years of drought," Domenici said. "These conditions make farming and ranching, never easy occupations, all the more difficult. This designation will allow farmers to choose to tap into the aid offered by the USDA."

Eligible farmers will be able to file for Farm Service Agency low-interest emergency loans based on the extent of their losses, the security available and their repayment ability, he said.

The senator is the chief Senate sponsor of the National Drought Preparedness Act, which will create a National Drought Council within the USDA to improve drought preparedness, mitigation and response efforts. The council will formulate strategies to alleviate the effects of drought by fostering a greater understanding of what triggers widespread drought conditions.

Commission helps community radio with \$9,000

The group is 'in debt up to our ears,' according to KEDU's general manager.

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

Lincoln County's new community radio station received a \$9,000 boost from a special tax designated to advertise and promote the community.

Although County Commissioner Earl Hobbs voiced some alarm at the amount of money requested from the county's lodgers tax proceeds, in the end, he voted last week with the rest of the commission to approve the allocation.

Harvey Twite, general manager of KEDU-LP, at 102.3 FM on the dial, said the aim of the station is to encourage visitors to stay an extra day by telling them about the history, attractions and activities of the county.

The station is under the umbrella of the non-profit Fort Stanton Inc., and was originally visualized as a way to promote the preservation and development of the historic 1855 fort and former tuberculosis hospital as well as the rest of the county's history.

"We're privately held and cannot be bought or sold," he said. "We can only turn in our license. Our tower is on top of

Pikes Peak Drive near other operators and ham radio towers."

"I'm a little concerned about the amount of money," Hobbs said. "I think we can handle it, but I suggest we split (the payments) in two. You're a non-commercial station, but maybe we have to look at what we provide commercial stations (to be fair)."

Twite explained that the non-profit station cannot "bait and invite people as commercial broadcasters can. We can offer services for another non-profit such as booster clubs, churches and groups. We can raise money twice a year for ourselves and we can accept donations."

"We're willing to show exactly how the money is spent to highlight things in Lincoln County."

Eventually, the station will offer Webcasting on air, he said. A telephone line will operate 24 hours a day with emergency information or for people who missed a headline on the news or want the ski report or found a dog, Twite said. Emergency services managers will be able to dial directly into the station on air for disaster and fire announcements.

Broadcasts in English and Spanish, and possibly Apache, are anticipated, along with several hours a week dedicat-

ed to Spanish music.

"We're open to a commissioner's hour or for the tax assessor or other elected officials and we will never charge anything," Twite said.

County attorney Alan Morel said the only requirement is that lodgers tax money has to be used for tourist-related activities, not Spanish music or bilingual broadcasts.

Twite said the computerized station will be able to track exactly the time devoted to tourist-related broadcasting versus local news and uses.

"We will publicize attractions and promote events," he said.

Rick Anderson with KEDU said several one-hour programs are planned, focusing on different tourist attractions. A telephone number will be available to hear about activities in Carrizozo, Capitan, Ruidoso and other parts of the county, he said.

To guarantee no down time, power generators function at the studio and at the transmitter, Twite said.

Although the broadcasting "reach" of the station is limited with 100 watts, it will touch visitors already in the area and can provide valuable information for word-of-mouth to potential visitors in other places, Twite said.

Commissioner Maury St. John offered the motion for approval, but rejected Hobbs' request to split the payments in six-month installments.

Twite said the radio group "is in debt up to our ears" with 20 percent of the dollars they really need to start up the station, "but you never get a second chance to make a first impression and we wanted to keep our word."

Commissioner Leo Martinez congratulated the volunteers for their hard work and nearly three years of effort to bring the station on air.

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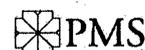
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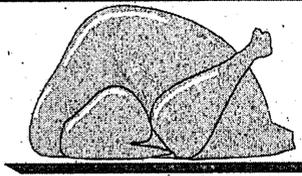
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EDUCATION

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COURTESY HONDO SCHOOLS

Beth Nosker's first-grade class in Hondo won the Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF contest among kindergartners through sixth graders. They are, from left, back row, Patrick Barela, Anthony Martel, Jonatan Rodriguez and Jacob Zinn; front row, Bobbi Chavez, Lauren Gomez, Mylissa Maclin, Ziar Apodaca, Billy Candelaria and Roberto Nores.

Hondo aids UNICEF

Hondo Elementary School collected \$483.69 to donate to UNICEF in October, through a Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF money-raising contest between grades kindergarten through sixth grade. Beth Nosker's first-grade class raised the most money. UNICEF funds help provide needy children around the world with medicine, school supplies, nutrition and clean water.

Veronica C. Garcia shared her 12-point entry plan for public education with the New Mexico Public Education Commission at its meeting Nov. 19 in Santa Fe.

"We will create a system for public education in New Mexico that will become a flagship educational system in the nation," Garcia said. "We will uniformly implement a rigorous, engaging and relevant educational curriculum and performance standards and provide our students with the appropriate support system so that all students will be successful."

"We can and will become a state where all children will be able to graduate from our K-12 public education system prepared to competently participate in post-secondary education and in our workforce."

Recommendations for the New Mexico Public Education Commission have included the development of a five-year strategic plan to be updated at least every two years.

The next meeting of the NMPEC will be at 8 a.m. Jan. 7 in Mabry Hall, 300 Don Gaspar, in Santa Fe.

ENMU-Ruidoso closed

Eastern New Mexico University-Ruidoso will be closed for the Thanksgiving recess after 5 p.m. today and until Dec. 1. All campus offices, including computer labs and the college library, will be closed and classes will not be held on those days. Instruction will resume and the campus will reopen on Dec. 1.

For more information, contact the ENMU office at 257-2120 or (800) 934-3668.

Education entry plan

Secretary of Education

CARRIZOZO HONORS

First nine weeks, Carrizozo Middle and High School Superintendent's Honor Roll (Straight A's) — Grade 6, Alena Borowski and Tessa Hendricks; Grade 8, Erin Hightower; Grade 10, K.C. "Lo-Lo" Tricks; Grade 11, Stephanie Brewer; Grade 12, Francesca Rossi and Ariel Vallejos.

Carrizozo Middle and High School Principal's Honor Roll — Grade 6, Scott Barela, Shandy Grider, Tanner Huston, Mariah Vallejos, Ashley Ventura and Cody

Ventura; Grade 7, Elizabeth Bingerman, Kathleen Schlarb, Jennifer Shafer and Sonny Jogan; Grade 8, Hannah Corley, Vera Grider, Autumn Kratochvil, Greg Vigil, Jessica Wardand Kendal Wilson; Grade 9, Jace LeBlanc Ventura and Kaitlyn Vega; Grade 10, Ryan Gaines, K.C. Hendricks, Jimmy Morris and Whitney Whitaker; Grade 11, Cory Lopez, Brandon Morales, Nathan New and Jake Riddle; Grade 12: Ariel Burr, Victoria Rossi, Sam Ungaro, Chris Vallejos and Brent Dixon.

SCHOOL MENUS

Capitan Schools

Thanksgiving holiday Nov. 26-28. Middle School, High School and adults choose one of two items listed for lunches; elementary students will be served the first item listed.

Monday, Dec. 1 — Breakfast: Waffles, syrup and sausage patty, fruit or fruit juice

Lunch: Sub sandwich, corn dogs, celery and carrot sticks, peach crisp

Tuesday, Dec. 2 — Breakfast: Boiled egg and toast, fruit or fruit juice

Lunch: Pizza, chef salad with crackers, salad with dressing, fruit

Carrizozo Schools

Thanksgiving holiday Nov. 26-28.

Monday, Dec. 1 — Breakfast: French toast stick with syrup, cold cereal and fruit juice

Lunch: Beef stew, crackers, veggie sticks, applesauce

Tuesday, Dec. 2 — Breakfast: Pancakes with syrup, cold cereal and fruit juice

Lunch: Taco salad, pinto beans, peaches

Ruidoso

Elementary schools

Wednesday, Nov. 26 — Breakfast:

French toast sticks, yogurt, banana half, fruit or fruit juice

Thanksgiving holiday: half day

Nov. 26; 27 and 28

Monday, Dec. 1 — Breakfast:

Cereal, graham cracker, fruit

Lunch: Cheesy beef macaroni, mixed vegetables, roll, apple, salad

Tuesday, Dec. 2 — Breakfast:

Muffin, yogurt, fruit or fruit juice

Lunch: Hot dog, pork and beans, salad, diced fruit

Ruidoso Middle School

Wednesday, Nov. 26 — Breakfast:

Donut, scrambled eggs with toast, manager's choice, fruit or fruit juice

Thanksgiving holiday: half day

Nov. 26; 27 and 28

Monday, Dec. 1 — Breakfast:

Cereal, graham cracker, fruit

Lunch: Cheesy beef macaroni, mixed vegetables, roll, apple, salad

Tuesday, Dec. 2 — Breakfast:

Muffin, yogurt, fruit or fruit juice

Lunch: Hot dog, pork and beans, salad, diced fruit

Ruidoso High School

Wednesday, Nov. 26 — Breakfast:

Jell-O, diced pears, donut, scrambled eggs with toast, manager's choice, fruit or fruit juice

Thanksgiving holiday: half day

Nov. 26; 27 and 28

Monday, Dec. 1 — Breakfast:

Cereal, graham cracker, fruit

Lunch: Cheesy beef macaroni, mixed vegetables, roll, apple, salad

Tuesday, Dec. 2 — Breakfast:

Muffin, yogurt, fruit or fruit juice

Lunch: Hot dog, pork and beans, salad, diced fruit



SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Middle School students performed "This Little Light of Mine" with the Young Americans after three days of workshops and classes.

YOUNG AMERICANS make music happen in Ruidoso

BY SANDY SUGGITT
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

The Young Americans® breezed into town last week to give three days of classes and workshops to 251 Ruidoso students in grades 4 through 12.

The intensive workshops in musical theater, performance, vocal techniques, sound and recording techniques and stage movements ended with a performance in the Ruidoso High School gymnasium Nov. 22.

Some comments from the young performers:

"It's awesome because they're so cool. They're teaching us all different things — there's teaching us to be scared to get up there." Haley Reid, sixth grade.

"It's a great opportunity for all of us. Ruidoso is a small town but it's so cool we get these people teaching us to stand up in front of other people without being afraid." Courtney Kessler, seventh grade.

"The Young Americans make it so it's fun." Allison Speights, sixth grade.

"It's fun because I get to experience new stuff." Brequel Corman, sixth grade.

Ruidoso music teachers Waynta Wirth, Sue Vinsant and Laura Bryant worked with the students, monitoring and observing.

"We're just taking it all in," Wirth said.

"We brought the Young Americans here and want to learn what we can from them — to help kids doing this much fun working hard and have music."

Vinsant said she took seven of the Young Americans to the doctor while they were here. They'd been on the road since September and some of them were sick with upper respiratory illnesses, but still performing. The Young Americans stayed in some 15 or 20 homes in the area.

"I thought it was incredible," Vinsant said. "The kids had such a wonderful time. It's just a good experience for our kids to be around the Young Americans because all of them are such wonderful kids."

Vinsant said she and the other local music teachers use a lot of the same "tricks," but there are 40 Young Americans and only one teacher in a class to model for the students.

Patty White, director of instructional support, took care of the administrative part of having the Young Americans workshops and performance, and Patsy Paige compiled the lists of students.

"I just think that our kids did wonderful," White said of the final performance. "It was amazing to see how they pulled it all together in such a short amount of time."

Some students auditioned for a chance to perform with the Young Americans, and will find out later if they made it, White said.



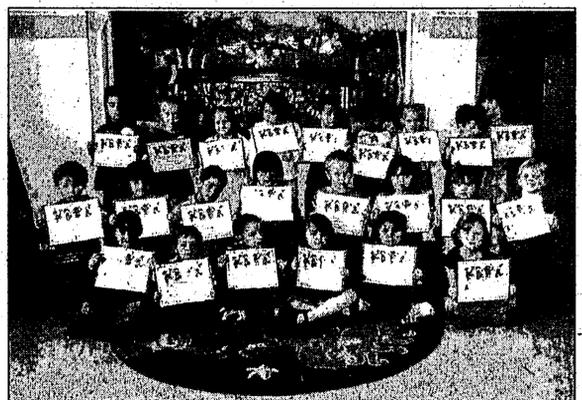
SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

GOOD CITIZENS



COURTESY NOB HILL ECC

Nob Hill Good Citizens for October, from left, back row, Kai Taylor, Alex Gomez, Cody Schlabach, Anna Birdsong, Bailey Warren, Carlitos Chavez and Jorge Enriquez; middle row, Alicia Pena, Felicia Watkins, Isaiah Soto, Taylor Mowdy, Landon Taylor, Donnie Stephens and Derrik Davis; front row, Sonia Sanchez, Heather Leahy, Jesus Adrian Reyes, Josey Graham, Noel Price, Kaylor Grado and Brandon Jenkins.

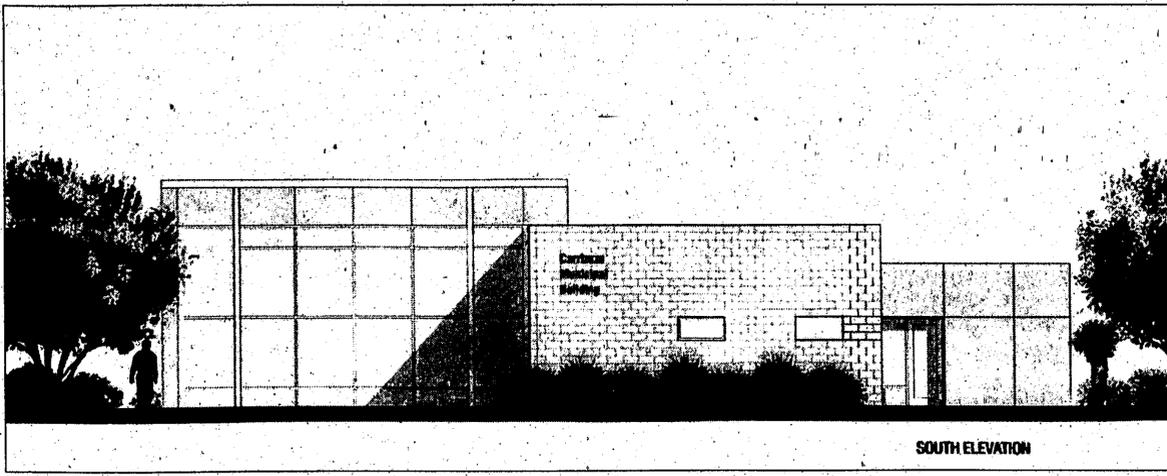


COURTESY NOB HILL ECC

November Nob Hill Good Citizens are, from left, back row: Fidel Figueroa, Colton Robertson, Reilly Easter, Alexia Barragan, Joeray Valencia, Arion Pollock, Anna Parker, Elijah Daland and Heaven Dunn; middle row, Jared Pollock, Jade Devara, Andres Aguirre, Alejandra Mendoza, Riker Graham, Jessica Gochenour, Zabrina Jones and Cameron Treptow; front row, Jessica Padilla, Patrick Nelson, Rocky Vigil, Alyssa Edwards, Karyssa Phillips and Michala Caywood. Not pictured: Tyler Orocco.

Ruidoso elementary school children worked with Young Americans on a Disney sequence for the performance Saturday night.

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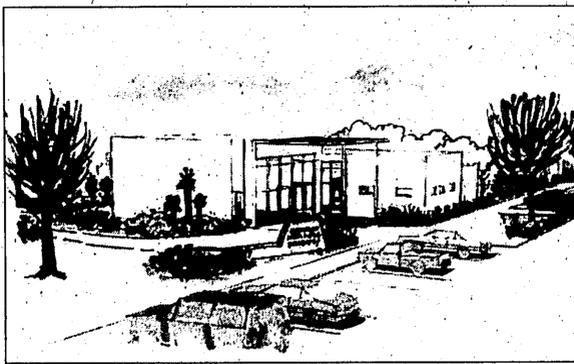
Architects from Dekker/Perich/Sabatini, the firm designing Carrizozo's new town hall, presented a preview of the new building set to open in January 2005. The front view is above, and a side view is shown below.

Council gets peek at its new home

BY JULIE CARTER
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

The Carrizozo town council held a special meeting on Thursday to approve the plans for the new city hall building. Architects from the firm of Dekker/Perich/Sabatini displayed drawings and floor plans of their proposal. With a few changes in room layout and suggestions on southwest colors to go with the landscaping, the council unanimously

approved the plans. Next in the process will be making changes to layout plans. The firm will then go into the design development phase, to be followed by the construction document phase. The bidding process will take place in early spring with construction to start right after that. The official move-in date is January 2005, but city hall officials are doing all in their power to move that date up to a fall 2004 move in.



Santa Rita Church marks its 50th year

BY JULIE CARTER
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

On Sunday, Nov. 30, the Santa Rita Catholic Church in Carrizozo will celebrate its 50th anniversary. After the 10:30 a.m. mass there will be a reception with cake, punch and finger foods.

The church is asking that anyone with old photos of the interior, exterior or events at the church over the past 50 years bring them and share the memories on Sunday.

The roots of the Santa Rita Catholic Church can be traced back to the early 1900s. The parish headquarters was located in Lincoln and included Carrizozo, Fort Stanton, Lincoln, Capitan, and Corona. The Carrizozo mission was established in 1921.

At that time, the mission was established with a church, convent and school under the name of St. Wilhelmina. The mission included Capitan and Corona. The original convent building was located on what is now Third Avenue with the school across the street. Both of these structures are still standing.

The school began operating

in 1932-33 under the instruction of the Sisters of Mercy. Prior to this, the sisters taught in the Carrizozo Public Schools. Grades 1-8 attended until the school closed in the late 1960s. The Sisters of Casimir replaced the Sisters of Mercy in 1948.

In 1924 the parish of Carrizozo took the name of St. Rita. The church and rectory were originally located on Aspen Street and the structure is now a private dwelling. A new church, school and rectory were built in 1953 at 213 Birch Street, where they stand today. On Nov. 29, 1953, the new building was blessed by Archbishop Edwin Byrne.

As the church celebrates its 50th anniversary in 2003, it is in the process of an interior remodeling and re-roofing. Stained glass windows are being installed in the east and west walls. The ceiling has been raised to showcase the beautiful structural beams (each weighing 2,500 pounds) and unique architecture.

Restoration of the Stations of the Cross are being undertaken by two of the parishioners to further preserve the historical character of Santa Rita Church.

CARRIZOSO BRAVO WINNERS



PHOTOS BY JULIE CARTER

Carrizozo Schools' Bravo Award winners in grades 3-5 for October were, bottom row from left, Analia Beltran, Shayna Zamora, Victoria Ventura, Eric Luera, Tavi Nash, Patrick Ryan, Nikko Ryan, Andrea Vigil. Second row: Sara McNatt, Justin Vega, Justin Greer, Catalena Vega, Mariah Ventura, Lane Carter, Sierra Anaya. Third row: Lauren Smith, Fernando Najera, Joel Ferguson, Mark Vigil, Cori Gore, Sergio Ramirez. Top row, Jordan Hill, Stephanie Zamora, Destiny Dutchover, Katina Maldonado, Roper Webb, Troy Niederstadt. Not Pictured: Marshal Wilson and Andrea Beltran.



Carrizozo Schools' Bravo Award winners in grades K-2 for October were, bottom row from left, Dillon Walema, Kadee Sedillo, Dominique Zamora, Desirae Zamora, Jerry Davis, Christian Najer, Cirsten Barela, Emily Comstock, Leslie Ryan, Veronica Ochoa, Cheyanne Apodaca. Second row: Samantha Vermillion, Patience Anaya, Micah Hamilton, Lisa Ventura, Branson Vega, Erick Culley, Gene Gore, Jaclynn Ortiz, Tiffany Vega, Zhane Vega, Zeb Maldonado, Jeremiah Sedillo. Third row: Alexis Zamora, Joshua Ventura, Jacob Porter, Jace Hill, Shayna Gallacher, Rylah Zamora, Shayne Ventura, Erica Vega. Top row: Jose Romero, Alex Randolph, Fantasia Dennis, Mason Huston, Sarah Ferguson, Isaac Vega, Devon Arceche, Johnathan Smith. Not pictured: Caleb Ventura and Zachary Zamora.

Woman's Club added to historic site list

The club's history and design helped it make the national registry.

BY JULIE CARTER
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

The Lincoln County Historical Society, via Van Shamblin, received notification last week stating the Carrizozo Woman's Club was officially entered in the National Register of Historic Places.

The National Register is the official federal list of historic properties worthy of preservation. The Register is administered by the National Park Service.

Last June, the New Mexico State Historic Preservation division voted unanimously to list the Carrizozo Woman's Club to the New Mexico State Register of Cultural Properties. The Committee also voted favorably to forward the nomination to the National Park Service for

consideration for listing on the National Register of Historic Places.

To qualify for federal registry, the property must meet "significance" criteria in at least one of four aspects. The Carrizozo Woman's Club met all four as listed:

1. Association with historic events or activities.
2. Association with important persons.
3. Distinctive design or physical characteristics.
4. Potential to provide important information about pre-history or history.

The Carrizozo Woman's Club was built in 1939 for the club and was a WPA project. The adobe structure was built from bricks made from the dirt excavated for a partial basement.

The land the building sits on was donated to the club by Truman A. and Frances McDonald Spencer. Frances was the daughter of New Mexico's first governor, William McDonald. Truman and Frances are the grand-

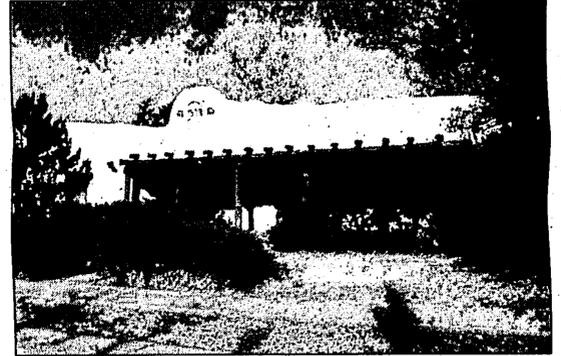


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The Carrizozo Woman's Club, built in 1939, was recently added to the National Register of Historic Places.

parents of Carrizozo's Bar W Ranch owner and probate judge, Stirling Spencer.

Unique to the structure is its round room and the hand-hewn vigas in a starburst pattern. The logs were recovered from a fire area in the Capitan Mountains, cleaned up and used in the structure. J.D. Garrison designed and built the round room addition saying, "They said it couldn't

be done, but I proved them wrong."

The Carrizozo Woman's Club was started in 1920 and averages 25 yearly members. Throughout history, the members have been responsible for movements that created the Valley of the Fires State Park, the paving of the town streets and the introduction of water, sewer and natural gas to the city.

That's a good meatball straight from Pizzazozo

The menu at Pizzazozo Café is surprisingly diverse. Chef and owner Fran Altieri offers a unique variety of ethnic Italian pasta dishes from old family recipes and her specialty, stone-oven-baked pizza. Customers are pleased to discover, however, that Italian food is only a small part of the menu.

The daily specials of down-home entrees like chicken fried steak, grilled pork cutlet and fried chicken with real mashed potatoes would satisfy the palates of everyone from truck drivers to gour-

mands. Pizzazozo Café is known for its unique



Hints for the Home
BY MARSHA PALMER
LINCOLN COUNTY
EXTENSION AGENT -
HOME ECONOMICS

seven-vegetable fresh garden salad, as well as chef salads and hot and cold subs including meatball and chicken cutlet.

The house specialty is hot garlic knots soaked in garlic butter. Folks have driven for miles to buy them by the dozen.

In addition to the home cooking, Pizzazozo Café offers fresh desserts, including cakes, pies and cookies. Altieri is taking orders for custom gift baskets and reservations for private holiday parties.

The Café, located at 205 Central Ave. (U.S. 54), serves lunch and dinner Monday through Friday from 11

a.m. to 8 p.m. Chef Altieri also caters private home parties and can be reached at 648-2025.

Pizzazozo Café Italian Meatballs

- 2 lbs. Lean ground beef
 - 2 eggs
 - 3/4 cup Italian flavored bread crumbs
 - 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
 - 1/4 cup parsley flakes
 - 4 Tbs. Granulated garlic
 - 2 Tbs. Ground black pepper
- Mix, by hand, all the ingredients in a large bowl. Form mixture into 2 oz. balls and place, not touching, on ungreased cookie sheet or baking tray. Bake at 350 degrees until very brown, approx 25-30 minutes, or fry until brown and all juices run clear. Yields 24, 2-oz meatballs.

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Manners build strong foundation for respect

QUESTION: Do you think a child should be required to say "thank you" and "please" around the house?

DR. DOBSON: I sure do. Requiring these phrases is one method of reminding the child that his is not a "gimme-gimme" world. Even though his mother is cooking for him and buying for him and giving to him, he must assume a few attitudinal responsibilities in return. Appreciation must be taught, and this instructional process begins with fundamental politeness at home.



Dr. James Dobson
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should be seen as a warning sign of possible persistent emotional problems. It also appears to be associated with sexual abuse in childhood. I don't want to alarm you or overstate the case, but adults committed to a life of violent crime were often cruel to animals in their childhood. This fact was verified in a recent study by the American Humane Association.

I suggest that you take your son to a psychologist or other behavioral specialist who can evaluate his mental health. And by all means, do not tolerate unkindness to animals.

QUESTION: I've heard that attention deficit disorder (ADD) is controversial and that it may not even exist. You obviously disagree and believe that ADD does exist.

DR. DOBSON: Yes, I disagree, although the disorder has become faddish and it tends to be overdiagnosed. But when a child actually has this problem, I assure you his or her parents and teachers don't have to be convinced.

QUESTION: What does behavioral research tell us

about the best way to raise children? Have scientific studies spelled out what works and what doesn't, especially regarding how to discipline properly?

DR. DOBSON: My answer may sound like heresy coming from a man who spent 10 years of his life as a professor of pediatrics, responsible for medical and behavioral research, but I don't believe the scientific community is capable of determining the best parenting techniques. There have been some worthwhile studies, to be sure, but the subject of discipline almost defies definitive investigation.

Why? Because the only way to study this topic scientifically would be to place newborns randomly in "permissive" vs. "disciplined" families, and then keep them under close observation for 10 or 15 years. Since it is impossible to do that, researchers have tried to tease out information where they could find it. But family relationships are so multidimensional and complicated that they almost defy rigorous scrutiny.

Indeed, most of the studies reported are scientifically useless. For example, Dr. David Larson, psychiatrist and formerly a researcher at the National Institutes of Health, reviewed 132 articles in professional journals that pur-

ported to investigate the long-term consequences of corporal punishment. He found most of them flawed in design. Ninety percent of the studies failed to distinguish between good homes where spanking was administered by loving parents, and those bordering on (or actually inflicting) child abuse. This distinction is critical for obvious reasons. Dr. Larson concluded that the findings were invalidated by this failure to consider the overall health of family relationships.

To repeat, the consequences of various approaches to parental discipline appear to be beyond the reach of social research. It is simply not possible to study this complex subject scientifically without warping families to set up the research design. Even if such studies were conducted, the researchers would be studying contrived families -- not typical parent/child relationships.

Send your questions to Dr. Dobson, c/o Focus on the Family, P.O. Box 444, Colorado Springs, CO 80903. These questions and answers are excerpted from books authored by Dr. James Dobson and published by Tyndale House Publishers.

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Better days await a Nigerian state

While in Nigeria, Mr. Bob Lin and I made an appointment to see the governor of the Cross River state in Calabar, the state capitol.

As a part of the purchase agreement for the rubber plantation, the government was to install two 500-megawatt transformers to power the plantation.

Without the electric power, it is difficult to operate the school, hospital, and rubber-processing plant. The transformers had not been installed.

We had a 3:30 afternoon appointment with Gov. Donald Duke. We were ushered into see him at 6:45 p.m. It was a long wait as government officials, tribal leaders, and others were moved ahead of us to see the governor. Gov. Duke certainly had his plate full. He was doing his best to govern well and meet the needs of those who depended on him.

We were ushered into his office, and he asked us for 15 minutes to refresh himself. Then we met with him. Donald Duke was educated at the University of Pennsylvania and he had returned to Nigeria to be a very successful businessman.

A little more than four years ago, he decided to make a difference in Nigeria, and with no political experience, ran for governor. He was elected to a four-year term and just two months ago, re-elected

for four more years. He is personable, handsome, and very sharp. I certainly could see that one day he might be president of Nigeria.

I'm sure that every day he was pulled at, asked for favors, and sought to use his power on behalf of many. He has transformed the Cross River state. In four years he has literally cleaned up the state... politically, physically, and economically. Cross River is a relatively new state in Nigeria and Donald Duke has it moving forward.

I made an appeal to him for the transformers to help the children and workers on the plantation.

Immediately, he called the Attorney General and the Director of Public Works to his office to view the contract and to require the installation of the transformers. As they left, I asked Gov. Duke if I could pray for him.

He accepted the offer with thanks and I prayed for God to give him wisdom and discernment, strength and stamina, and time for his family.

The Bible tells us that we should pray for those in authority over us... President Bush, Gov. Richardson, Mayor Eggleston, etc. They need our prayers and we need to pray.

Thank God for prayer. Without it we would have no help for today and no hope for tomorrow.



Clary-fications
By CHARLES CLARY
RUIDOSO PASTOR

Use kindness in prayer, even toward enemies

QUESTION: This may seem like a strange question, but would it be wrong for me to pray that some of the people who have hurt me won't make it to heaven? I never want to see them again, and I'm not sure I'd enjoy heaven if they were there. - Mrs. V.J.

ANSWER: I appreciate your honesty -- and so does God, even if your attitude falls short of what He wants it to be.

After all, God already knows your feelings -- and yet He still loves you. The Bible says, "Nothing in all creation is hidden from God's sight" (Hebrews 4:13).

But it would be wrong for you to pray

that God will keep those who have hurt you out of heaven. For one thing, God loves them just as much as He loves you, and Christ died for them just as surely as He died for you. Their greatest need is to have their sins forgiven, and to have their lives changed by Christ's transforming power.

Shouldn't this be your prayer for them? Of course it should.

Jesus said, "Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you" (Matthew 5:44).

It would also be wrong because you misunderstand what heaven will be like. One of the glories of heaven is that we will be changed -- totally

and completely. Your enemies won't be like they are here; they will be perfect! And so will you! The Bible says that in heaven, "we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is" (1 John 3:2).

But don't wait until you reach heaven to be reconciled to those you consider enemies. Instead, ask God to help you see them through His eyes, and to pray for them and love them in spite of what they have done -- just as He loves you.

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Volunteers sought for DWI council

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

With only four people appointed and 11 seats to fill on the DWI Planning Council, Mayor Leon Eggleston said he needs volunteers to get the program in Lincoln County back in shape.

They must represent different aspects of the problem such as the judiciary, the schools, law enforcement and emergency medical services, he said. The program collapsed earlier this year when the state withdrew funding.

The mayor also announced his appointments to a Development Task Force formed to come back with ideas for the use of nine acres the village is purchasing for special events and possible parks.

Members of the task force are Councilors Deborah Marcum-Byars and L. Ray Nunley, village manager Lorri

McKnight, the mayor, Angel Shaw and Debbie Haines with Zia Natural Gas, businessman Dean Fowler, Ruidoso school board member Susan Lutterman, Kitty Jelovski with local hospice care, village planning board member Phillis Barnett, Royce Bernard, formerly in real estate and ranching in Texas and now active in community issues, Jimmy Millar with Kawliga's, community booster Jo Perryman, village parks and recreation director Rafael Salas, photographer and Lions member Mark Jones, author Lynn Kidder, Ruidoso Arts Commission coordinator Mary Lee Lane, former village planning director Mike Runnels, Scott Muhn with Ruidoso Printing, motorcycle rally promoter Ron Andrews, village deputy manager Cleatus Richards, village planning director Charles Rennick, village fire information office James Mason, Doug Fuqua, Ruidoso Valley Chamber of

Commerce executive director Brad Treptow, village planning commission chairman Glen Barrow, businessman Burt Brunell and cabin-owner Doug McAlister.

Reporting on the Lincoln County Community Center Task Force, Councilor Ron Hardeman said the next meeting is set for Dec. 1. Several subcommittees were established at the last meeting, including finance, personnel, programs, services, architectural design and location.

"We've brought together people from all over the county," he said. It's the start of a process of cooperation he said one day will lead to construction of a community center.

Realistically, a bond issue probably will be needed to build and possible supplement operation of the center, he said.

For more details on the DWI Planning Council, call the village administration office at 258-4343.

STAR STUDENT



SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Ruidoso High School senior Brendan LaCounte was honored as an Advance Placement Scholar at the Ruidoso School Board meeting Nov. 11. Counselor Joy Taylor-McCollum presented him with an award by the College Board in recognition of exceptional achievement on the college-level Advance Placement Exams. Fletcher Herring, Collin Leslie, Kelly Paton and Adrian Salas, who graduated last year, were also recognized as AP Scholars. Only about 15 percent of the students who took AP exams in May received such recognition.

RUIDOSO POLICE

Child abuse charged

Ruidoso police arrested Bill A. Daly, 24, of Ruidoso Nov. 19, charging him with child abuse, false imprisonment and aggravated battery against a household member.

DWI arrests

After Donald Ray Glidewell turned in front of a patrol officer at 9:05 p.m. Monday, almost causing a crash, the 61-year-old Ruidoso man's blood-alcohol level tested twice at .16. He was charged with driving under the influence of intoxicating beverages. He was also cited with no driver's license, no insurance, no registration on his vehicle and careless driving. Glidewell told the officer the last time he had a driver's license was in 1993. His registration also expired in 1993, the report states.

Police arrested Erik M. North, 23, Ruidoso, Nov. 22, charging him with third-offense DWI, expired registration, suspended or revoked driver's license, no insurance and having an open container in his vehicle.

• An El Paso man who told

police he drove his vehicle into a brick wall at Sudderth Drive and Main Road about 2 a.m. Nov. 22 and tried to drive away with a flat tire was stopped by police at Third and D streets and charged with DWI and five traffic violations. Jorge Luis Salazar III, 30, had the hazard light flashing and damage to the passenger side of his vehicle when police officers dispatched to the site of the accident stopped him. Salazar was charged with second-offense driving under the influence of alcoholic beverages, failure to give notice of an accident, no driver's license, not giving notice of an accident involving damage to a vehicle, not giving notice upon striking property on a highway and careless driving.

• Police arrested Ronald Arthur Wright II, 23, of Ruidoso, Nov. 22, charging him with second-offense, aggravated driving under the influence of intoxicating beverages, not staying within the traffic lane and not stopping at a stop sign.

• Police arrested Brian Dean Painter, 20, of Capitan, Nov. 22, charging him with driving under the influence of intoxicating beverages, reck-

less driving, racing on highway and minor allowing self to be served alcohol.

• Police arrested Marcus Steven Epperson, 24, of Ruidoso, Nov. 20, charging him with second-offense, aggravated DWI and speeding 51 mph in a 35-mph zone.

Electronics stolen

Someone took two amplifiers valued at \$250 each, an X-Box valued at \$250 and \$120 cash from a residence in the 100 block of Roswell Street sometime Nov. 21, according to police reports. The front door had been left unlocked.

Beer run

A clerk at Allsup's Convenience Store, 2820 Sudderth Drive, reported that a white male walked out of the store between 9:20 and 9:26 p.m. Nov. 20 with a 30-pack of beer from the cooler.

Artistic dumpster?

Someone painted graffiti on a dumpster belonging to the Village of Ruidoso at 302 Keyes Drive, according to a report

Nov. 21.

Window broken

Criminal damage to property of the Cree Meadows Golf Course was done between 2 p.m. Nov. 21 and 6:30 a.m. Nov. 24, police report. A double-pane window of the maintenance building was broken out and the housing box with the intercom system was smashed. Damages were estimated at \$250 for the windows and the Plexiglas cover to the intercom system.

Elevated entry

A house in the 100 block of Spruce Drive was broken into between Nov. 13 and 20. A ladder had been moved to the back window, which was found opened. Apparently nothing was stolen or damaged, the report states.

Alarm set off

An alarm was activated in a residence in the 200 block of Hull Road between 4:54 and 5:47 p.m. Nov. 21, when a glass window valued at \$50 was broken.

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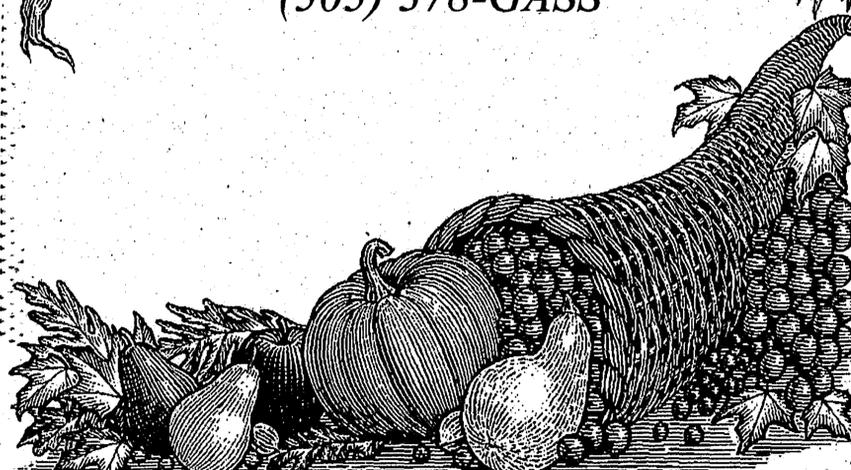
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Lodging auditor asks for bigger businesses next time

BY DIANNE STALLINGS
RUIDOSO NEWS STAFF WRITER

■ Dan Austin thinks he's not getting the full picture when it comes to the unincorporated areas of the county.

The next time he audits lodging businesses in unincorporated areas of Lincoln County, Dan Austin would like the random sample to include some big operations for a more comprehensive overview.

County commissioners select the businesses to be audited by drawing numbers from a hat. Identities are never revealed and Austin sends his report to the state Department of Finance and Administration.

Lodging establishments include recreational vehicle parks, as well as motels,

hotels and cabins. The county has far fewer than the major municipalities within its borders.

"One of the five (he audited) was in not so good shape," Austin told commissioners earlier this week. The owners were unaware of some of the regulations governing the businesses and gross receipts taxes, and he ensured they were properly registered and would comply in the future, the auditor said.

"But I'm concerned that the ones picked were extremely small," Austin said. "The total revenue in the audits was \$125,000. In the future, I suggest you create two different pools to get better audit

coverage."

Commissioners pick four operations and County Manager Tom Stewart selects one.

"The one I selected was based on an analysis of what's going on, so we are monitoring," Stewart said.

Commissioner Earl Hobbs asked how the owners could register as a business and not pay gross receipt taxes.

Austin said they were licensed and in existence for a while, but because they had some long-term renters that don't have to be charged the tax, they didn't realize they must register for the short-term portion of the business.

Austin said he has not uncovered any pattern of abuse in the audits. He uses comparisons of tax returns and GRT paid as a way of detecting discrepancies.

The county collects one-eighth of a cent in gross receipt tax, forecast this year to generate about \$525,000. The money is used to meet detention center construction bond payments and to fund the county's indigent health care program. Anything in excess of those requirements is used to run the detention center.

The county charges a 4 percent lodgers tax, budgeted to produce \$73,894 this fiscal year.

FUNERALS DEATHS

Pat Lanik

Funeral Mass for Patricia "Pat" Elaine Lanik, 64, of Ruidoso will be held at St. Eleanor's Catholic Church at 10 a.m. today. A memorial service will be held at Zoeller Funeral Home in New Braunfels, Texas, and burial will be at Crane's Mill Cemetery in Canyon Lake, Texas.



Pat Lanik

Mrs. Lanik died of pancreatic cancer on Saturday, Nov. 22, 2003, at Albuquerque Regional Medical Center after a brief illness.

The former Pat Turner was born on Feb. 23, 1939, in Mathis, Texas.

She finished high school at Sinton, Texas, and graduated from Southwest Texas State Teacher's College (now Texas State University) in San Marcos, Texas. After graduating from college, she married Robert Henry Lanik in 1960 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Sinton.

She worked for more than 25 years teaching English and business classes in San Antonio, McAllen and Corpus Christi, Texas. She retired from teaching in San Antonio in 1994 and moved to Cloudcroft. In 1998, she and her husband, Robert, moved to Ruidoso.

Active in the community, Pat was a member of St. Eleanor's Catholic Church, the Cloudcroft Garden Club, the Native Plant Society of New Mexico, the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority-Alpha Alpha Chapter,

the Southwest Designers Guild, the Ruidoso Garden Club and the Sierra Blanca Swingers square dance group.

Over the years, Mrs. Lanik taught Sunday school at churches in San Antonio, Corpus Christi, and McAllen, Texas, and was an active member in her local church parishes.

An avid gardener, she contributed to a number of garden projects in the Ruidoso community, including the Nob Hill Native Plant Educational Garden, the Ruidoso Senior Center, the Lincoln County Medical Center garden and other planting and beautification projects in the community.

She was a gifted designer, decorator and crafter, and took pleasure in making her various houses into homes. She won a number of awards for her floral designs and she was a nationally accredited judge for floral design competitions on the state and national level. She and her husband loved to travel, particularly in the Southwest, and her home reflected her love of the region.

Survivors include her husband, Robert, of Ruidoso; her mother, Hazel Turner, of New Braunfels, Texas; sons Stephen and his wife, Bonnie, of Ruidoso, and Robert Henry Jr. (Hank) of Big Sandy, Texas; grandchildren Savannah Kish, Cheyanne Nicole and Mariah Lorraine of Ruidoso and her brother, Michael W. (Mike) Turner of Kerrville, Texas; nieces Melinda Sink of New Braunfels, Stefanie Alexander and Lyn Patterson of Houston, Texas, Rachel Turner and Laura Waage of San Antonio; and her nephew, Jared Turner, of Kerrville.

She was preceded in death by her father, Marshall E.

Turner; and a brother, Marshall E. Turner Jr. (Corky).

The family suggests contributions or memorials to: The Pines Catholic Camp, c/o Hank Lanik, 300 White Pine Road, Big Sandy, TX 75755; or to the Pat Lanik Scholarship Fund at Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, Alpha Alpha Chapter in Ruidoso, Jan Lincoln, 103 Timberline Court, Ruidoso, NM 88345.

Alfred McTeigue

Visitation for Alfred McTeigue, 72, of Hondo will be from 5-7 p.m. Friday at St. Jude's Catholic Church, followed by a prayer service at 7 p.m. The funeral Mass will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, also at St. Jude's Catholic Church, with burial to follow at the Hondo Cemetery.

Mr. McTeigue died Monday, Nov. 23, 2003, in Albuquerque. He was born May 27, 1931, in Roswell and had lived in Lincoln County all of his life.

He served in the Army during the Korean War and did road excavation for many highways in New Mexico.

He was a member of St. Jude's Catholic Church.

He married Ramona Salas on Nov. 17, 1962, in Hondo, and she preceded him in death.

Survivors include sons Fred McTeigue and his wife, Marcia, of Austin, Texas, Gerald McTeigue and his wife, Eva, of Ruidoso Downs, Frank McTeigue and his wife, Valeria, of Ruidoso Downs, Bobby Joe McTeigue of Hondo; daughters Barbara Pound and her husband, Johnny, of Las Cruces, Sharon Contreras of Las Cruces, Geraldine McTeigue of Hondo; brothers McKinley McTeigue of Las Cruces, Bill

McTeigue of Hondo and Jimmy McTeigue of Arabella; a sister, Lucia Sanchez, of Hondo; 18 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

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

William 'Joe' Mosley Jr.

Funeral services for William "Joe" Joseph Mosley Jr., 59, were held in Dallas at Forest Lawn Funeral Home Chapel today, with burial following at Nacona City Cemetery in Nacona, Texas.

Mr. Mosley died at home in Dallas on Sunday, Nov. 23, 2003.

He was born Jan. 21, 1944, in Wichita Falls, Texas.

A 1962 graduate of Ruidoso High School, he earned his B.A. at Texas Tech, and his M.A. at the University of Arkansas. A college English professor, he taught in West Virginia at Stephen F. Austin State

University and, since 1974 in Dallas at Richland College.

He loved cats, books, genealogy, opera and the Sidekicks. He will be long remembered by family, friends and colleagues for his kindness, intellect and dry wit. He was an active member of the Democratic Party, and past treasurer of the Lesbian/Gay Political Coalition of Dallas.

Survivors include a sister, Gem Elizabeth Hogan, a nephew, Richard Hogan, a niece, Lisa Hogan Campbell, and their children.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Nelle Priddy Mosley and William Joseph Mosley Sr.; and a sister, Shirley Sue Mosley.

In lieu of floral tributes, the family suggests contributions in his name to the National Trust for Historic Preservation Society, 1785 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20036; or to The Nature Conservancy, 4245 Fairfax, No. 100, Arlington, VA 22203-1606.

Arrangements are under the direction of Forest Lawn Funeral Home of Dallas.

Closing of Medical Practice

Vickie S. Williams, D.O., F.A.C.O.G.

To my patients, my friends
The years I have spent in Ruidoso have given me the most wonderful experiences in my life. To have the pleasure of taking care of, caring for, and knowing so many as patients and friends, is an immeasurable treasure I will forever hold. My office will be closing December 19th, I hope to see you in the community, enjoying our beautiful village.
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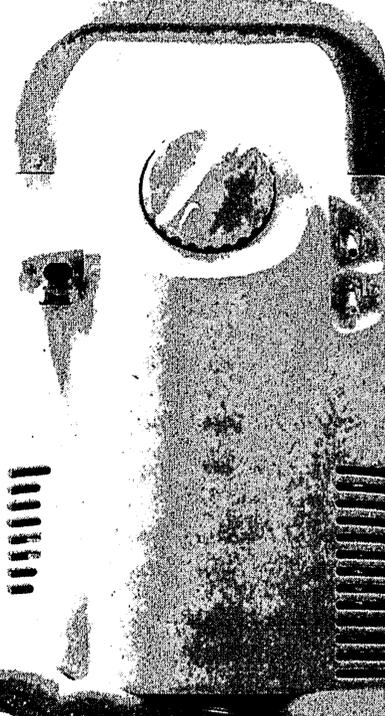
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Warriors brave cold, turnovers in playoff win

BY NICOLE BAKER AND TODD FUQUA
FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

BLOOMFIELD — The wacky weather Saturday afternoon led to a playoff game that was almost as strange.

Bloomfield and Ruidoso vied for advancement in the 3A state football playoffs in weather that shifted from blustery snowy winter to freezing sunshine.

In a game that could have gone either way, the defending 3A state champion Ruidoso Warriors came out on top in a hard-hitting 14-7 win.

"The weather was a factor, of course it was a factor for both sides," Bobcats coach Larry Satcher said, adding that it was a tough loss for the Bobcats.

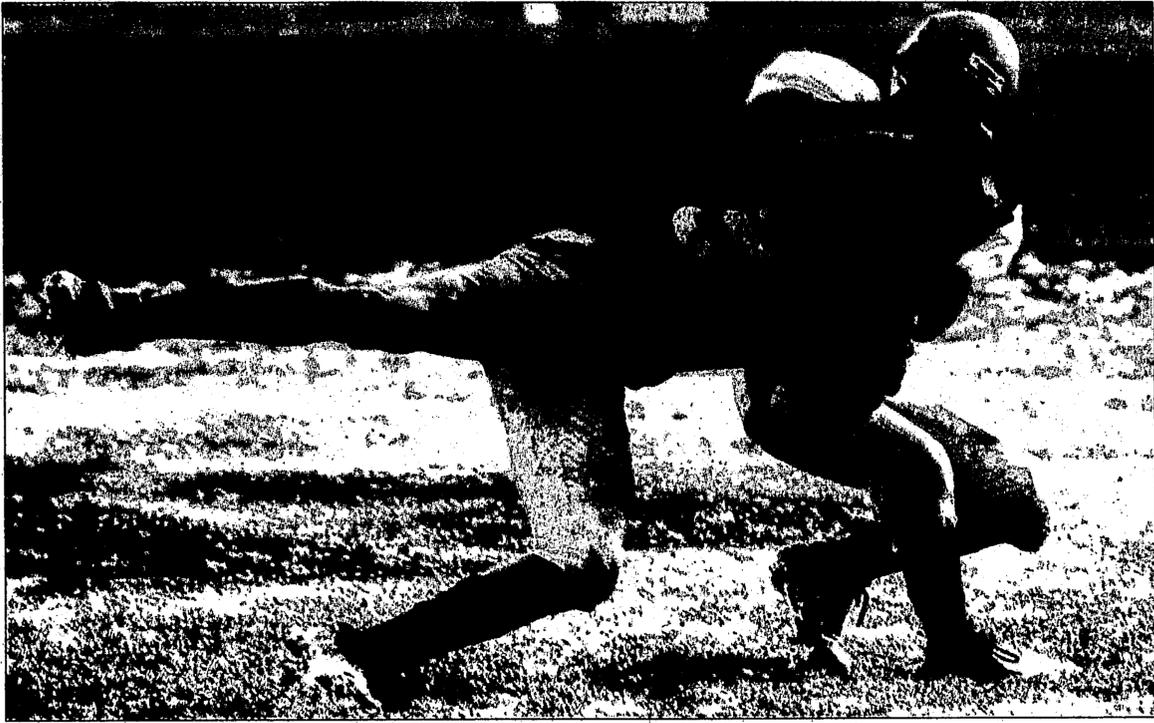
For the Bobcats (6-6) it was the end of a great season. For the Warriors (8-3), it was one step closer towards defending a title.

Ruidoso will play host to St. Michael's, which beat Hot Springs 41-6 on Saturday. The state semifinal game is scheduled for Nov. 29 at W.D. Horton Stadium at 1 p.m.

"It was a good game to watch," Satcher said of the Warrior-Bobcat match. "It was a thrill at the end there. A play here or there and it would've been a different game."

However, it was the Bobcats that struck first.

After Bloomfield's defense



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Bloomfield's Bryan Mascarenas (34) intercepts a pass in the endzone intended for Ruidoso's Jaime Urban in the fourth quarter of the Class 3A semifinal game in Bloomfield Saturday. The Warriors eventually won the contest, 14-7.

held the Warriors on its opening drive, Bryan Mascarenas intercepted Ruidoso's Casey Mirau on a halfback pass attempt.

After the Bobcats defense went three and out, on their first drive, Ruidoso looked to move the ball.

But the Bobcat defense, stepped in again, hitting hard and causing a fumble.

Michael Bryan returned that fumble 30 yards to the Warrior 7-yard line. Mascarenas capped it off with a 1-yard touchdown dive.

Nick Corbett's PAT was

good, putting the Bobcats up 7-0 with 14 seconds to go in the first half.

"(Ruidoso is) a pretty good team," said Bobcat senior lineman Doug Mize. "We played our hearts out, which is all we can ask of ourselves."

The Warriors, though, responded on the ensuing possession, driving 80 yards in 11 plays. Quarterback Marcus Williams, who kept 10 times for 77 yards to lead Ruidoso in rushing, plunged in from one yard out for the touchdown with 8:33 still to go in the first

Warriors 14, Bobcats 7		
Ruidoso	0 6 8 0 — 14	
Bloomfield	7 0 0 0 — 7	
Scoring Summary		
First Quarter		
Bloomfield	— Bryan Mascarenas 1 run (Corbett kick), 0:14	
Second Quarter		
Ruidoso	— Marcus Williams 1 run (kick failed), 3:27	
Third Quarter		
Ruidoso	— Chance Hooper 38 pass from Williams (Casey Mirau run), 2:53	
Game Statistics		
	Ruidoso	Bloomfield
First Downs	14	6
Rushes-yards	49-252	30-117
Passing-yards	119	18
Comp.-Att.-Int.	8-10-3	2-9-1
Total Offense	371	135
Penalties-yards	8-80	5-50
Fumbles-lost	3-2	1-1
Individual Statistics		
Rushing:	Rui: Marcus Williams 10-71, Casey Mirau 13-61, Bloom: Bryan Mascarenas 12-80.	
Passing:	Rui: Williams 4-9-1108, Troy Saenz 4-10-2-11.	
Receiving:	Rui: Chance Hooper 4-91.	

half. His point after attempt though was no good, as the Bobcats held onto a narrow 7-6 lead.

"Bloomfield has a good team," said Ruidoso coach Ridge Bowden. "We underestimated them. They did some good things against us. They had a good game plan."

"It was frustrating in that we were moving the ball offensively and stopping them defensively," he added. "But

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What a difference a year makes: Hondo boys finish second

Corona Cardinals lose close one to Vaughn

BY TODD FUQUA
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

HONDO — If Friday's finale in the Eagle Classic on Saturday is any indication, basketball in the Hondo Valley could prove to be exciting this season.

The Hondo boys lost in the championship game to the Tularosa junior varsity, 65-54, but the game was a close one throughout.

In fact, the Eagles — a team which won only three games last year — were leading 32-27 at the half.

"We had the fast break going the way we wanted in the first half, but then got away from it," said Hondo coach Eddie Chavez. "We just didn't have much time to work on our zone offense or full-court press."

Chavez knew his Eagles (1-1) would have to press and run to have a shot at winning, given their slight size overall. But they were attempting to press and run against a program that had been doing that for several years.

Hondo, however, had the advantage early, scoring the game's first basket, then opening up a 9-4 lead with 4:16 left in the first quarter. The Wildcats (2-0) eventually cut the lead to two points at the end of the first quarter, but Hondo continued their assault in the second frame and went on a 10-5 run for the halftime lead.

"This game last year would have been a 40-point blowout," Chavez said. "Everything has been turned around in this tournament."

The Eagles played well in the first half, but were unable to sustain their drive in the second, as Tularosa began getting big three-point shots from Cisco Gomez and overpowering play inside by Justin Centrella to streak ahead of Hondo and take the tournament championship.

Gomez had 16 points to lead the Wildcats, while Centrella had 15 points and 18 rebounds.

Eddi Valenzuela scored 15 and pulled down seven rebounds to lead the Eagles, while Humberto Lerma added 11 points.

"We'll work to perfect what we need, but there's nothing that can't be fixed right now," Chavez said. "We've got a heck of a start to the season."

Hondo really started off in fine fashion on Friday with a first-round game against Lincoln County rival Corona.

The Eagles never trailed in the game, scoring the first six points and cruising the rest of the way to a 72-39 victory.

Things got so bad for the Cardinals in the third quarter that they forgot which baskets were theirs. After scoring a goal on themselves to give Hondo another two points, the Cardinals in-bounded the ball under their own basket, and went up for a score on their goal again.

That ball didn't fall through the hoop, and Corona eventually got its bearings straight the rest of the way.

The Cardinals were able to put up 20 points in the fourth quarter, but most of those points came against Hondo's second string, whom coach Chavez had brought in for valuable experience.

Valenzuela again led the Eagles with 16 points, while Derek McTeigue added 10. Taos Muncy scored 16 points for Corona and teammate Keith Shafer had 13 points and 17 rebounds.

Improvement for Cards

Corona's game against Vaughn on Saturday was a different story. The two teams were evenly matched throughout the game, and the Eagles had to hold off a determined charge by Corona to secure a 47-45 victory.

These were two teams that played as one during the six-man football season, and many of the same top players were in evidence.

Muncy and Shafer again starred for the Cardinals (0-2) — Shafer led his team with 17 points despite fouling out of the game with 4:56 left — but the true star was Vaughn's Chris Matson.

Matson — a running-back/receiver for the Corona/Vaughn Wings — flew to the basket time and again to lead the Eagles (1-1) with 23 points, 20 rebounds



TODD FUQUA/STAFF

Hondo guard Eddi Valenzuela, center, drives past Corona defenders J.R. Shafer (20), Taos Muncy (12), Patrick Palomarez (30) and Keith Shafer, back, during the Eagles' 58-36 victory Friday in the Hondo Eagle Tournament.

and two blocked shots. It was only his first game of the season, having sat out Friday to fulfill a suspension incurred when he was kicked out of the final Wings football game for fighting.

"I wish he had chosen our game to sit out," said Corona coach Tommy Mulkey, who guided Matson as the Wings' co-coach with Vaughn's Leonard Velasquez. "He was just out-hustling us on rebounds."

Shafer's departure near the end also affected the Cardinals, as they were without a big presence in the middle to counter Matson's strength on the boards. The Eagle center's four straight points in the middle of the third quarter broke a 24-all tie and gave Corona a lead for good.

Still, it was a lead that was in jeopardy with 12 seconds left in the game. Vaughn had the ball at that point, but J.R. Shafer was able to come up with a critical steal and began running the other way.

Unfortunately for Corona, an errant pass went out of bounds just four seconds later, and Vaughn was able to run out the clock to secure the win.

"We still made some mistakes, but that's where we need to be at the end of the game," Mulkey said. "We have to give ourselves a chance to win at that point."

Muncy and Keith Shafer were named to the all-tournament team for Corona, while Eddi Valenzuela was given the all-tourney nod for Hondo.

side line

Ski Report

Ski Apache
New snow past week: Trace
Weather at report time: Snowing
Road at report time: Clear
Midway depth: 8-16 inches on open slopes
Surface conditions: Machine groomed
Trails open: Capitan, Deep Freeze, Easy Street, Chair 5 Beginning Slope and Kiddie Korral
Lifts open: Chair 3-5 and two surface lifts. Also, the gondola will be open for sightseers Friday through Sunday.
Snowmaking Past 24 Hours: Yes
Forecast: Partly cloudy Wednesday and mostly sunny Thursday.
The \$200 weekday season pass is back. Kiddie Korral for 4-6-year-olds will be open daily beginning on Thursday. Beginners get a free lift ticket with their lesson purchase.
Cold temperatures have allowed great snowmaking conditions. Lift tickets will be reduced to \$37 for adults and \$25 for children.

Prep Results

Friday, Nov. 21
Hondo Eagle Tournament
Tularosa JV 67, Vaughn 20
Hondo 58, Corona 36
Girls Basketball
Mescalero 57, Cloudcroft 45
Hondo Eagle Tournament
Tularosa JV 46, Vaughn 13
Hondo 72, Corona 39
Saturday, Nov. 22
Football
Class 3A State Quarterfinals
Ruidoso 14, Bloomfield 7
West Las Vegas 44, Socorro 6
Lovington 63, Thoreau 6
St. Michael's 41, Hot Springs 6
Hondo Eagle Tournament
Vaughn 47, Corona 45
Tularosa JV 65, Hondo 54
Hondo Eagle Tournament
Corona 26, Vaughn 20 (OT)
Tularosa JV 62, Hondo 45

Preps on Tap

Saturday, Nov. 29
Class 3A State Semifinals
St. Michael's at Ruidoso, 1 p.m.
West Las Vegas at Lovington, 1:30 p.m.
Monday, Dec. 1
Girls Basketball
Socorro at Ruidoso, 7 p.m.
Tuesday, Dec. 2
Boys Basketball
Hagerman JV at Hondo, 7 p.m.
Capitan at Carrizozo, 7:30 p.m.
Tularosa at Ruidoso, 7:30 p.m.
Girls Basketball
Hagerman JV at Hondo, 5 p.m.
Capitan at Carrizozo, 6 p.m.
Mescalero at Mesilla Valley, 7 p.m.

Lady Eagles stopped by tall Tularosa team; Corona girls outlast Vaughn in OT

BY TODD FUQUA
RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

HONDO — The Hondo girls basketball team — like the volleyball team before it, — is ready to move out of district and into regional play this season.

They got a good start Saturday, finishing second in the Hondo Tournament with a 62-45 loss to the Tularosa junior varsity.

"We've only had five days of practice, and our offense needs to be fine-tuned," said coach Julie Montoya, who also led the volleyball team to a regional berth. "Halfway through the season, we'll be in good shape."

The final score of Saturday's game belies the beginning, in which the Lady Eagles (1-1) were fairly close throughout much of the first half.

Hondo actually had a 10-7 lead in the first quarter, and were tied at 21-all in the second quarter following a rebound and putback by Melanie Miranda with 4:28 left in the first half.

But the Lady Wildcats (2-0) had a decided size advantage over Hondo. Christa Wohlgenuth, Sarah Vigil and Allesha Allen were each six feet tall or better, and combined for 21 points in the game. Wohlgenuth had 10 rebounds to lead the Wildcats, while Ellen Chavez had 16 points.

Hondo tried to counter this, size by running, and they ran well initially. Josephine Gutierrez led the Lady Eagles with 19 points in the contest,

while Santana Gonzales added 13.

But fouls began to haunt Hondo. Near the end of the first half, Angelica Chavez, Jamie Garcia, Gutierrez and Mercedes Lopez were all on the bench with three infractions each.

Tularosa took advantage of the Lady Eagles' experience deficit at that point, and banged the ball in repeatedly to its big trio, eventually taking a 34-28 lead at the half.

Near the end of the game, fouls became the Lady Wildcats' problem. Wohlgenuth and Vigil each fouled out in the fourth quarter, and Hondo did its best to take advantage.

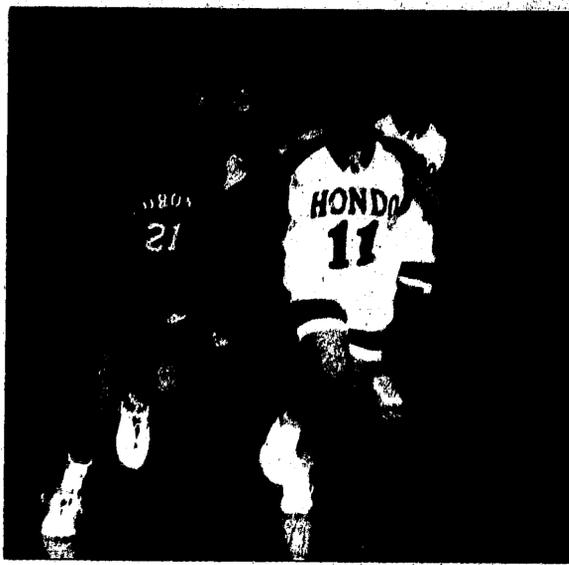
In the end, Tularosa's numbers — they had 16 players on the roster at game time — simply wore the Lady Eagles down.

"We're not too bad; we were able to get back in it when their big girls were out," Montoya said. "We just can't play half-court with those big trees."

Hondo ran its offense very well in the opening game on Friday against Corona, defeating the Lady Cardinals 72-39.

The Lady Eagles spotted their opponents a 2-0 lead in the beginning, and were tied at 8-all with 2:39 left in the first frame. But Chavez scored a jumper with 1:49 left to give Hondo a lead it would never relinquish.

Chavez had 29 points to lead all scorers, while Gutierrez added 22 points. Stacy Merritt had 14 points to



TODD FUQUA/STAFF

Corona's Jordan Muncy, left and Hondo's Santana Gonzales scramble for the ball during the teams' first-round matchup in the Hondo Tournament Friday at Hondo.

lead the Lady Cardinals (1-1) before fouling out of the game with 2:53 left in the third quarter.

Overtime against Vaughn

Corona played a closer game against Vaughn in the third-place game on Saturday — a game so close it was tied 20-all at the end of regulation and needed an extra frame before the Lady Cardinals could secure the 26-20 victory.

There wasn't a whole lot of scoring in the game — Vaughn led 3-2 after one quarter — and the lack of scoring to be attributed both to Corona's youth and Vaughn's lack of numbers.

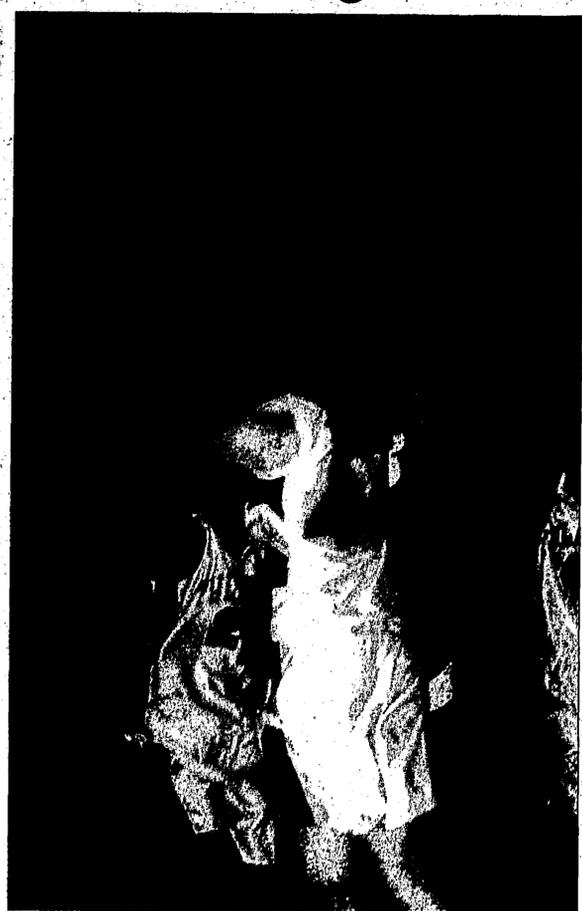
The Lady Eagles (0-2) had

only five players for the whole game, thanks to illness and injury. The Lady Cardinals' biggest problem was their lack of experience.

"This is only the second game most of these girls have played," said Corona coach Denise Martin. "They're eighth-graders stacked up against juniors and seniors. They didn't have time to think."

There was plenty of time to think about scoring — or lack of it — on Saturday, as Sadie Madrid led all scorers with nine points, and Ana Ramos had eight points for the Lady Cardinals.

Madrid scored the tying



TODD FUQUA/STAFF

Hondo's Josephine Gutierrez, in blue, fights for Tularosa JV's Sarah Vigil (44) for a rebound during the girls championship game of the Hondo Tournament Saturday in Hondo.

points with 1:35 left in the game which sent it into overtime, but that was the last bucket the Lady Eagles would get in the contest.

Janet Torres put in a shot a minute into the extra frame,

and Corona shut out its opponent the rest of the way.

"We have all the time in the world, we just need the experience," Martin said. "There's so much talent on this team, they're just young."

Hondo fall athletes honored

Coaches recently announced the All-District 4 and All-State six-man football honorees, which included a number of Hondo Eagles.

Steven Chavez, Eddie Valenzuela, Derek McTigue, Teka Salcido, EJ Sanchez and Benjie Romero made the All-District list, while Valenzuela and Chavez were honorable mentions on the All-State team as running back and linebacker, respectively.

The Eagles finished 2-6 this year, coming within one game of the state six-man playoffs. They are coached by Brandon Devine.

The Hondo Lady Eagle volleyball team also landed several players on the All District 8-1A team for the past season, led by Josephine Gutierrez and Harmony Haun. Jamie Garcia and Mercedes Lopez were named as honorable mentions.

Making the team for Mescalero were Augusta Lang and Torri Torres.

All-District 4 Second Team offense

Quarterback: Steven Chavez
Running back: Eddie Valenzuela
End: Derek McTigue
Punter: Teka Salcido

All-District 4 Second Team defense

Defensive Lineman: Teka Salcido
Linebacker: Steven Chavez
Defensive back: Eddie Valenzuela
Kicker: EJ Sanchez

All-District 4 honorable mention

Quarterback: Benjie Romero
Upback: EJ Sanchez
Center: Teka Salcido

All-State honorable mention

Running back: Eddie Valenzuela
Linebacker: Steven Chavez

HONDO TOURNAMENT SCORES

Friday, Nov. 21

Lady Eagles 72, Lady Cardinals 39

Corona (0-1 after Friday)

Ana Ramos 11-3-3, Jordan Muncy 2 0-0 4, Alexandra Stewart 3 1-4 7, Stacy Merritt 5 4-4 14, Janet Torres 4 0-0 9, Margarita Ortiz 0 0-0 0, Tysa Davidson 1 0-2 2, Meghan Proctor 0 0-0 0. Totals: 16 6-13 39.

Hondo (1-0 after Friday)

Santana Gonzales 2 1-2 5, Angelica Chavez 12 0-0 29, Jamie Garcia 0 1-2 1, Angie Garcia 0 1-2 1, Josephine Gutierrez 9 3-7 22, Mercedes Lopez 4 0-1 8, Lauren Richardson 2 0-0 6, Melanie Miranda 0 0-0 0, Maegan Parmley 0 0-0 0, Alicia Gallegos 0 0-0 0. Totals: 29 6-14 72.

Corona 8 11 7 13 — 39

Hondo 15 20 19 18 — 72

Three-point goals: Corona 1 (Torres), Hondo 8 (Chavez 5, Richardson 2, Gutierrez). Rebounds: Corona 35 (Merritt 8, Stewart 7, Ramos, Torres 6), Hondo 39 (Gutierrez 9, Gonzales 6). Steals: Corona 12 (Stewart 4, Ramos 2), Hondo 13 (Gutierrez 4, Chavez 3). Turnovers: Corona 37, Hondo 25. Total fouls: Corona 15, Hondo 18. Fouled out: Corona, Merritt (2:53, 3rd); Hondo, J. Garcia (6:02, 4th).

Eagles 58, Cardinals 36

Corona (0-1 after Friday)

Taos Muncy 5 4-11 16, Keith Shafer 2 9-15 13, Quirt McDaniel 0 0-0 0, J.R. Shafer 2 0-2 4, Greg Walker 1 0-0 2, Frankie Sanchez 0 0-3 0, Ross Davis 0 0-2 0, Luke Proctor 0 1-2 1, Patrick Palomarez 0 0-0 0, Omar Martinez 0 0-0 0. Totals: 10 14-35 36.

Hondo (1-0 after Friday)

Eddi Valenzuela 7 2-3 16, Saul Acosta 2 1-2 5, Derek McTigue 4 2-3 10, Humberto Lerma 1 0-0 2, Teka Salcido 3 0-1 7, David Miranda 0 0-0 0, Joseph Ontiveros 2 2-2 6, Steven Chavez 3 0-0 6, E.J. Sanchez 0 0-0 0, Ruben Stokes 0 0-0 0, Leo Salcido 2 0-1 4, Pancho Ontiveros 0 0-0 0, Patrick Chavez 1 0-0 2, Benji Romero 0 0-0 0, Joseph Brady 0 0-0 0. Totals: 25 7-12 58.

Corona 4 10 2 21 — 36

Hondo 10 16 11 20 — 58

Three-point goals: Corona 2 (Muncy 2), Hondo 1 (Salcido). Rebounds: Corona 42 (Shafer 17), Hondo 48 (Valenzuela 9). Steals: Corona 8 (K. Shafer, J.R. Shafer 3), Hondo 20 (Acosta 5). Blocks: Corona 2 (K. Shafer 2), Hondo 1 (Salcido). Turnovers: Corona 38, Hondo 38. Total fouls: Corona

15, Hondo 28.

Saturday, Nov. 22

Lady Cardinals 26, Lady Eagles 20 (OT)

Corona (1-1)

Ana Ramos 4 0-4 8, Jordan Muncy 2 0-0 4, Alexandra Stewart 1 2-2 4, Stacy Merritt 0 2-6 2, Janet Torres 3 0-0 6, Margarita Ortiz 0 0-2 0, Tysa Davidson 1 0-0 2. Totals: 11 4-14 26.

Vaughn (0-2)

Felicia Sanchez 0 0-2 0, Erica Guerrero 3 2-11 8, Stephanie Marquez 0 0-1 0, Nadie Aguilar 1 0-2 3, Sadie Madrid 4 1-4 9. Totals: 8 3-20 18.

Corona 2 6 8 4 6 — 26

Vaughn 3 4 6 7 0 — 20

Three-point goals: Corona 1 (Torres), Vaughn 1 (Aguilar). Rebounds: Corona 43 (Ramos 15), Vaughn 61 (Madrid 18, Guerrero 16). Steals: Corona 13 (Ramos 5), Vaughn 5 (Madrid 3). Turnovers: Corona 28, Vaughn 33. Total fouls: Corona 19, Vaughn 14. Fouled out: Corona, Merritt (4:31, 4th).

Eagles 47, Cardinals 45

Corona (0-2)

Taos Muncy 5 2-6 12, Keith Shafer 8 1-1 17, Quirt McDaniel 0 0-0 0, J.R. Shafer 0 0-0 0, Greg Walker 0 0-0 0, Frankie Sanchez 3 1-7 7, Ross Davis 1 1-2 3, Luke Proctor 0 0-0 0, Patrick Palomarez 0 0-0 0, Omar Martinez 3 0-0 6. Totals: 20 5-16 45.

Vaughn (1-1)

Elijah Sanchez 0 0-0 0, Mikal Duran 1 0-2 2, Kevin Garcia 0 0-0 0, Eddie Guerrero 1 0-0 2, Justin Archibeque 1 0-0 2, Benjamin Romero 0 0-0 0, Justin Perry 5 2-6 12, Richie Guerrero 2 2-6 6, Chris Matson 11 1-5 23. Totals: 21 5-19 47.

Corona 10 8 8 19 — 45

Vaughn 11 8 12 16 — 47

Three-point goals: Corona 0, Vaughn 0. Rebounds: Corona 41 (K. Shafer 8, J.R. Shafer 8, Martinez 7), Vaughn 51 (Matson 20, Perry 12, Guerrero 10). Steals: Corona 21 (J.R. Shafer 5), Vaughn 7 (Matson, Duran 3). Turnovers: Corona 24, Vaughn 29. Total fouls: Corona 18, Vaughn 20. Fouled out: Corona, K. Shafer (4:56, 4th).

Lady Wildcats 62, Lady Eagles 45

Hondo (1-1)

Santana Gonzales 4 5-8 13, Angelica Chavez 1 2-2 4, Jamie Garcia 1 0-0 2, Angelie Garcia 0 1-2 1, Josephine Gutierrez 5 7-9 19, Mercedes Lopez 0 0-6 0, Lauren Richardson 2 0-0 4, Melanie Miranda 1 0-1

2, Maegan Parmley 0 0-0 0, Alicia Gallegos 0 0-0 0. Totals: 14 15-28 45.

Tularosa JV (2-0)

Megan Baca 2 0-4 8, Stephanie Guzman 0 0-0 0, Casey Danly 0 0-0 0, Rachel Chino 5 0-2 12, Nathanie Valdez 0 0-0 0, Amanda Herrera 0 0-0 0, Ellen Chavez 7 2-3 16, Sarah O'Connor 3 1-2 7, Christa Wohlgenuth 4 1-4 9, Yvette Hernandez 0 0-0 0, Allesha Allen 2 3-6 7, Sarah Vigil 2 1-2 5, Darla Syling 0 0-0 0, Sabrina Herrera 0 0-2 0, Danny Granada 1 0-0 2, Ruth Gomez 0 0-0 0. Totals: 26 8-25 62.

Hondo 12 16 12 5 — 45

Tularosa JV 14 20 14 14 — 62

Three-point goals: Hondo 2 (Gutierrez 2), Tularosa JV 2 (Chino 2). Rebounds: Hondo 37 (Gonzales 6), Tularosa JV 36 (Wohlgenuth 10). Steals: Hondo 5 (Richardson, Gonzales, Lopez, Gutierrez, Garcia), Tularosa JV 12 (Wohlgenuth, Chino 3). Turnovers: Hondo 43, Tularosa JV 24. Total fouls: Hondo 19, Tularosa JV 26. Fouled out: Hondo, Chavez (5:06, 4th); Tularosa JV, Vigil (2:37, 4th), Wohlgenuth (2:17, 4th).

Wildcats 65, Eagles 54

Hondo (1-1)

Eddi Valenzuela 5 5-8 15, Saul Acosta 3 2-4 8, Derek McTigue 4 1-2 9, Humberto Lerma 3 4-8 11, Teka Salcido 3 0-1 7, David Miranda 0 0-0 0, Joseph Ontiveros 0 0-0 0, Steven 1 0-2 2, E.J. Sanchez 0 1-2 1, Ruben Stokes 0 0-0 0, Leo Salcido 0 1-2 1, Pancho Ontiveros 0 0-0 0, Patrick Chavez 0 0-0 0, Joseph Brady 0 0-0 0. Totals: 19 14-29 54.

Tularosa JV (2-0)

Spencer Cojo 2 0-2 4, Nick Marrujo 0 0-0 0, Matt Chavez 1 0-0 2, Derek Voorbach 0 0-0 0, Pat Gonzales 0 0-0 0, Richard Pacheco 0 0-0 0, Cisco Gomez 6 0-0 16, Steven Williams 3 0-0 7, Justin Cairns 5 1-2 13, Michael Silva 0 0-0 0, Daniel McNeel 0 0-0 0, Tel Trammel 4 0-0 8, Justin Centrella 7 1-2 15, Edwin Calhoun 0 0-0 0. Totals: 28 2-6 65.

Hondo 15 22 6 11 — 54

Tularosa JV 13 14 18 20 — 65

Three-point goals: Hondo 2 (Lerma, Salcido), Tularosa JV 7 (Gomez 4, Cairns 2, Williams). Rebounds: Hondo 31 (Valenzuela 7), Tularosa JV 44 (Centrella 18). Steals: Hondo 14 (Lerma 7), Tularosa JV 2 (Cojo, Cairns). Turnovers: Hondo 27, Tularosa JV 30. Total fouls: Hondo 11, Tularosa JV 25. Technical Foul: Tularosa JV, Cojo (6:49, 3rd). Fouled out: Tularosa JV, Gonzales (1:30, 4th).

Fishing report for Ruidoso area, Nov. 26, 2003

Rio Ruidoso: Decent fishing for stockers, from Chamber of Commerce to Gavilan Canyon bridge with pheasant tails and copper johns.

Upper Canyon: Fair for browns on small, beadheads.

Reservation waters are closed.

Bonito Lake: Fly fishing has slowed late evenings at Rio Bonito inlet. Best with small midges. Closes Dec. 1.

Grindstone: No recent fly reports. Good reports on power bait.

Best fly for week: Best place is Rio Ruidoso with Beadhead Nymphs.

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Lobos to go bowling for a second straight year in Las Vegas

LAS VEGAS — University of New Mexico director of athletics Rudy Davalos and head football coach Rocky Long announced Monday that New Mexico (8-4, 5-2 Mountain West Conference) has accepted a bid to play in the Las Vegas Bowl scheduled for Dec. 24.

The Lobos will return to Las Vegas for the second consecutive year to face the fifth-place Pac-10 team in a match-up to be televised live on ESPN beginning at 5:30 p.m.

New Mexico finished the season with seven wins in its last eight games to secure the berth in the Las Vegas Bowl. The Lobos culminated the season Saturday with a convincing 26-3 victory over Wyoming in Laramie.

UNM will make consecutive bowl appearances for the first time in 57 years (1946 Sun Bowl and 1947 Harbor Bowl).

"We found out this morning that we were the unanimous choice of the Las Vegas Bowl board to participate in the Las Vegas Bowl on Christmas Eve,"

Davalos said. "This bowl game is the culmination of a season for the best Lobo football team probably since the Bill Weeks era in the early '60s.

"Rocky has done a tremendous job, as well as his staff and players," he added. "We're thrilled to death to be going. We deserve to go and I think we're the best team in the conference."

The Lobos will make their eighth bowl appearance, including their third in the last seven seasons. In its previous seven bowl games, New Mexico has a record of 2-4-1. Last year, UCLA hoisted the Las Vegas Bowl championship trophy after defeating New Mexico 27-13 before a paid attendance of 30,324, the second most in Las Vegas Bowl history.

"We had a great time last year and the people in Las Vegas took great care of us," said Long. "Last year we used the game as a celebration — we're going out there to win this year."

Las Vegas Bowl executive director Tina Kunzer-Murphy said that Oregon State University will likely

UNM secures bowl berth with big win over Wyoming

LARAMIE, Wyo. — Snow was piled up five and six feet on the sidelines, and the conditions were pretty miserable for a football game.

New Mexico made things even more miserable for Wyoming Saturday, as the Lobos used 153 yards for DonTrell Moore and 127 yards from D.D. Cox to win each teams' 26-3 Mountain West Conference finale.

UNM (8-4, 5-2 MWC), had 413 yards as a team in the game while holding the Cowboys (4-7, 2-4) to just 122 — 23 of those yards on the ground.

Lobos quarterback Casey Kelly threw for only 77 yards in the biting wind, but two of his completions were touchdown passes to Moore and Adrian Byrd.

Wyoming opened the game's scoring with a 22-yard field goal by Deric Yaussi, but it was the only score the Cowboys would get. UNM came back with Kelly's 9-yard pass to Moore with 6:46 left in the first quarter, and the rest was on.

The Lobo defense even got in on the act, scoring a safety when Wyoming quarterback Casey Bramlet was called for intentional grounding from his own endzone. Lobo Nick Speegle applied the pressure that led to the safety.

With the win, UNM secured it's second-straight trip to the Las Vegas Bowl, to be played Dec. 24. Their hopes for a conference title were dashed, however, when Utah shut out Brigham Young, 3-0, to secure the MWC trophy.

represent the Pac-10 Conference in Las Vegas.

"I have some ties to Oregon State and our defensive coordinator (Osia Lewis) has ties to Oregon State," said Long, who served as the Beavers' defensive coordinator from 1991-95. Current UNM coordinator Osia Lewis is a 1986 OSU grad, playing line-backer for the Beavers from 1982-85.

Lewis later coached with Long in Corvallis, serving as the outside linebackers/special teams coach from 1991-96.

"If it is Oregon State, it'll be an interesting match-up," Long said. "Two great running backs (UNM's DonTrell Moore and OSU's Steven Jackson) and two great rushing defenses would make it a fun game to

watch. "We've always said that we wanted to select a team that was playing well at the end of the year and New Mexico has won seven of eight," Kunzer-Murphy said. "I think we picked the best team that's playing in the Mountain West Conference today and we're excited to have New Mexico once again in our bowl game."

Mescalero girls open hardwood season in style

BY KEI FOR THE RUIDOSO NEWS

MESCALERO — Basketball season has officially begun and Friday night in the opener, the Cloudcroft Lady Bears traveled to Mescalero to take on the Lady Chiefs, who downed the Bears 57-45.

The Bears had only four days of practice. (Most of the team was coming off the state volleyball championship, where the Bears finished fourth.)

The Lady Bears were off a little in their shooting. Much to Mescalero's credit, the Lady Chiefs played a swarming defense in the first half that had the Bears disoriented, playing catch up, and a much faster paced game than they wanted. It took its toll late in the fourth quarter while the Bears were trying to make a run, but were just too tired. The Chiefs' combination of inside, outside scoring, with a total team effort, benefited its tenacious defense.

"We look like we need practice," Cloudcroft Coach Wendell Lane said. "I thought that they showed some good things and had their moments. They showed at times the kind of team that they can become. I think they settled down a little after that initial full court pressure. The turnovers in the first half reflect that. Obviously we had way too many turnovers."

Late in the game, the Lady Bears were able to get the ball inside, Lane said, but were unable to capitalize.

"If you look at the talent that we have compared to their (Mescalero) talent, we ought to be able to score inside," he said.

What also hurt was that Cloudcroft's Kara Goss, whom Lane termed "an important part of our team," was ill.

Mescalero Coach Rol Bradford called his team's victory "a good win."

"Our outside shooting kind of carried us through most of the game and we rely more on the inside game," Bradford said. "I looked at our stats at half-time and noticed Augusta (Lang) was only 1-4, and we want her to have her hands on the basketball quite a bit. We kind of felt this is going to be our best year so far ever since I have been here. That first game is usually sloppy, and we had our share of turnovers, but we played pretty smart basketball — which is a good sign."

For Cloudcroft, Emily Hunter had 14 points, a good rebounding night, and dribble penetration. Megan Gordon had 16 points, most of those on the inside game. Much of her scoring came off of rebounds and second shoots.

"Mescalero, a good basketball team for sure, well coached, played with a lot of discipline," Lane said. "I think we are looking forward to a good season. We are not going to dwell on a game that we played after four practices."

Mescalero scoring: Yvette Martinez 10; Torie Torres, 13; Augusta Lang, 14; Hilary Sago, 10; Sheriene Davis, 7.

WARRIORS: Big win in cold conditions

FROM PAGE 1B

when we'd start moving the ball, we'd shoot ourselves in the foot with a turnover."

Ruidoso attempted to take over the lead late in the second quarter, when Chance Hooper made a spectacular catch in the back corner of the endzone. However, the touchdown was called back on a questionable penalty, as Hooper was called for offensive pass interference.

A play later Mascarenas intercepted Williams in the endzone with 20 seconds remaining in the first half, allowing the Bobcats to hold onto a one-point lead at half-time.

That lead came despite only

one first down and 36 yards rushing for the Bobcats, to Ruidoso's 90 yards rushing and six receptions for 89 yards.

With the snow swirling hard in the second half, the Bobcats were unable to further their lead.

Ruidoso, though, was able to come up with a couple of big plays.

"Our kids hung in there," said Ruidoso coach Ridge Bowden. "It was one of those games that was real sloppy both sides of the ball. But we felt like we could move the ball."

"Just great extra effort," he added. Despite several kids sick or hurt, "they got after it. It was a great example of their

perseverance." That included a 36-yard pass from Williams to Hooper — on a 4th-and-6 situation — for a touchdown with 2:53 to go in the third quarter. Mirau ran in the two-point conversion for a 14-7 lead.

"It was a hard-fought game," Mirau said. "It was a rough game, all snowy and stuff, but we're used to it. We got through it. We fought until the end."

Neither team was able to score again for the remaining 15 minutes, giving Ruidoso the win and ending Bloomfield's season. The Bobcats ended the game with a total of 135 yards while Ruidoso finished with 371 total yards.

Wrestling 'scrimmage' nets Warriors valuable experience

BY TODD FUQUA RUIDOSO NEWS SPORTS EDITOR

The first wrestling meet of the year for Ruidoso turned out to be little more than a scrimmage, but that suits Warrior coach Brian Brown just fine.

"All the guys had four or five matches in one day, and there was a lot of good competition," Brown said. "Considering where we are as a team, we did really well."

The Warriors were in Cobre for the Cobre Invite Friday and Saturday, but the meet

was downgraded to a rules clinic, meaning all results from the meet were deemed unofficial.

Every Warriors that wrestled in Cobre got at least one win and — more importantly — some valuable time on the mat.

Ruidoso is still without some of its crucial members, who are still playing for the football team in the Class 3A playoffs.

Thus, the Warriors weren't quite ready for some real "offi-

cial" competition.

"On Friday, as the day progressed, I became even more pleased," Brown said. "We made fewer mistakes as it went on."

"This is a good chance for our younger kids to get some experience."

The Warriors open their real competition this Saturday when they travel to Belen for a tournament. They then head to Roswell Dec. 9 for a dual with District 4-1A/3A rival New Mexico Military Institute.

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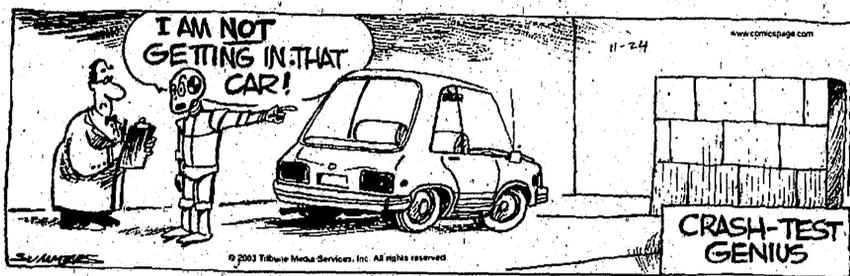
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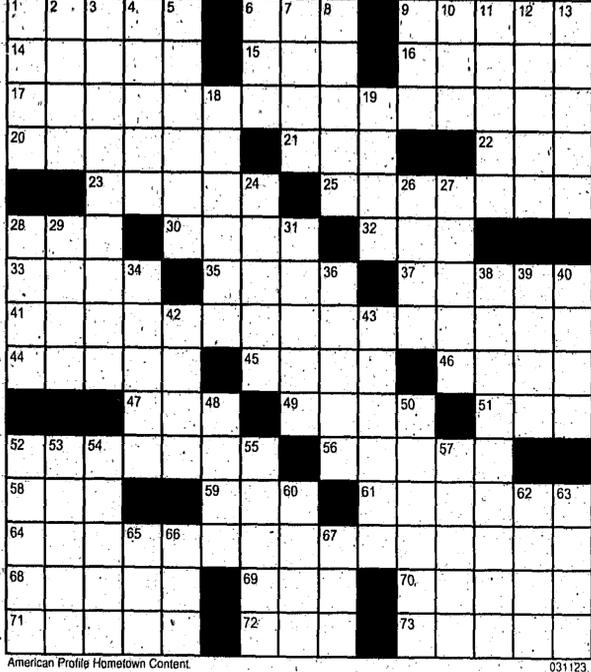
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- 11. Teaser ad
- 12. Sign up
- 13. Brief fight
- 18. Sarge, e.g.
- 19. Tim of "Sister, Sister"
- 24. Delhi wraps
- 26. Mama ___ Elliot
- 27. Scolds, with "out"
- 28. Oriole or Blue Jay, for short
- 29. Clare Boothe
- 31. Colorful 50-Down
- 34. Dishonest sort
- 36. Medieval strings
- 38. Red wine choice
- 39. Pt. of a monogram
- 40. FBI workers: Abbr.
- 42. Holds title to
- 43. Word preceding justice or license
- 48. Way in
- 50. Mocking bird
- 52. Namely, in legalese
- 53. Bakery lure
- 54. Pasta, potatoes and such
- 55. Wild West knot
- 57. TV exec Arledge
- 60. Seer's sign
- 62. Psyche parts
- 63. Artist Magritte
- 65. Scheduled to arrive
- 66. Not "agin"
- 67. In a blue funk

DOWN

- 1. One of the Cartwrights
- 2. Condo, e.g.
- 3. Nat Turner led one
- 4. Austrian actress Palmer
- 5. Attacks "la Ghostbusters"

LOLA



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FOUR RACK TOTAL TIME LIMIT: 20 MIN

DIRECTIONS: Make a 2- to 7-letter word from the letters in each row. Add points of each word, using scoring directions at right. Finally, 7-letter words get 50-point bonus. "Blanks" used as any letter have no point value. All the words are in the Official SCRABBLE® Players Dictionary, 3rd Edition.

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JUMBLE

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

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ITTYD
SCONED
ARRQUY

Answer: QUARRY, DITTY, LAUGH, JUMBLES

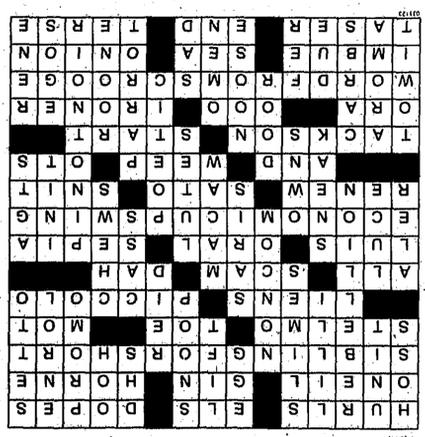
THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
by Henri Arnold and Mike Argiron

Will you help our fundraiser?

No problem - I'll bake 20 loaves

EASY FOR A BAKER TO DO.

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.



PAR SCORE 150-160
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RACK 4 = 74
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Think Snow!!!

Jumbles: LAUGH DITTY SECOND QUARRY
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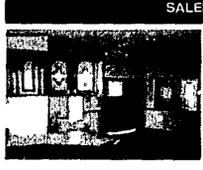
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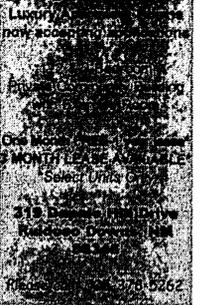
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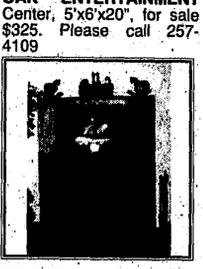
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NOTICE OF INVITATION FOR BID RFP No. 2003-06
PURCHASE, DISMANTLING AND REMOVAL OF CARRIZOZO FORMER TOWN HALL
 NOTICE is hereby given that competitive sealed proposals will be received by the Town of Carrizozo from qualified individuals or entities for the purchase, dismantling and removal of the former Town of Carrizozo Town Hall.

654 SPORT UTILITY
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The highest responsive offer shall be required to pay the bid price in full prior to dismantling and removal of the former town hall. The minimum responsive bid is \$6,000.00. The selected offeror shall not be required to remove the floor or foundation.

All proposals are to be received at Town of Carrizozo, PO Box 247, 105 6th Street, Carrizozo, New Mexico, 88301 by Friday, December 3, 2003 by 4:00pm. All proposals must be clearly marked on the outside of the envelope with the RFP number shown above. The Town of Carrizozo reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all proposals and/or negotiate with any offeror.

Erwann Weibrecht, CMC
Town Clerk/Treasurer
Town of Carrizozo

#5823 1T (10)26
LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF NAMES APPEARING TO BE OWNERS OF ABANDONED PROPERTY

Pursuant to Section 7-8A-1 NMSA 1978, notice is hereby given that the persons listed below appear to be the owners of unclaimed property or other personal property. To obtain information concerning these properties, address all inquiries to the New Mexico Taxation & Revenue Department Unclaimed Property Office, PO Box 25123, Santa Fe, NM 87504. The notice must include the name and address of the owner, the identifying check policy number, or other number as shown in the notice. Satisfactory proof of claim must be presented to the New Mexico Taxation & Revenue Department to file a claim. If you are in need of any assistance, please call the Unclaimed Property office at (505) 327-0769.

Ron Cruz, Deputy Director Administrative Resolution & Services Bureau Revenue Processing Division

PROPERTY ID OWNER
OWNERS STREET
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OWNER NAME

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2104489 BAKER LANA J BOX 237 RUIDOSO DOWNS NM 88346 STATE OF TEXAS

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2104520 CURTIS TARA RENAE PO BOX 2533 RUIDOSO DOWNS NM 88346 STATE OF TEXAS

2107816 DAVID VITY ROXANNE VITY RUIDOSO NM 88345 LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

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2102586 DEBERGE CHANEL KAREN PO BOX 189 CARRIZOZO NM 88301-0189 WELLS FARGO BANK NEW MEXICO, N.A.

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2102746 DEBERGE FRANCESCA KAREN PO BOX 189 CARRIZOZO NM 88301-0189 WELLS FARGO BANK NEW MEXICO, N.A.

2109314 DREYFUS TRUST COMPANY MASON, BETTY G 125 N LOOP RD RUIDOSO NM 88345-7627 DREYFUS A BONDS PLUS

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2102582 GAINES RAE PO BOX 1562 RUIDOSO

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2104054 PHILLIPS JEREMY J 175 JUNIPER RD. RUIDOSO NM 88345 WAL.MART.STORES INC

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LEGAL NOTICE

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN

MACRINA CANDELARIA, Petitioner,
No. DM-03-154

vs.
FRANK CANDELARIA Respondent,

NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to the above-named Respondent, GREETINGS: You are hereby notified that the above-named Petitioner has filed a civil action against you in the above-entitled court and cause, the general object

LEGAL NOTICES

thereof being to dissolve the bonds of matrimony between the parties and to determine what debts or property to the parties.

Unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 18th day of Dec, 2003, judgment by default will be entered against you.

Name and address of Petitioner:
Macrina Candelaria pro se
PO Box 235
Ruidoso Downs, New Mexico 88346

WITNESS the Honorable Karen L. Parsons, Judge of the Twelfth Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, and the Seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, this date: 10-16-03 Seal)

/s/Jan Perry
District Court Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICE

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LINCOLN

CROWN POINT OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., a New Mexico corporation.

Plaintiff,
-v- No.CV-03-165
Div. III

JOSEPH A. BROWN and SANDRIA F. BROWN,
SABAS E. CANAVITI and MARIA T. de CANAVITI,
KATHY SUE MOORE CARNEY and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, if any, DEBORAH LEE MOORE BROWN, and KAREN BETH MOORE MEYERS,

MICHAEL H. CARPER and SHARON CARPER1
OSCAR DIMAS CONTRERAS and DOLORES CONTRERAS

DOLPH C. COSPER and MARIA COSPER,
CROWN POINT CORPORATION, a Texas corporation,

JOETTA C. DANIELSON and UNKNOWN SPOUSE,

LEGAL NOTICES

THE ESTATE OF JOHN R. DAVIDSON, deceased, and his UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES and ASSIGNS,

ANNETTE M. DeGRAAF and UNKNOWN SPOUSE if any,

LUIS A. GAMILLO and ALEJANDRA A. GAMILLO,

EDUARDO GIRALT and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, if any,

NATIVIDAD J. GONZALEZ and SARA A. GONZALEZ,

PATRICK J. IRWIN and DARLENE F. IRWIN,

MICHEL L. JOHNSTON and AMY DIANE JOHNSTON, ROBERT E. KEITH and PATRICIA H. KEITH,

THE ESTATE OF H.B. MOORE, deceased; THE ESTATE OF RUTH MAXINE MOORE, deceased, and their UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES and ASSIGNS,

ANNETTE HANCOCK PEREZ and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, if any,

DAVID SANZ and CATALINA ABRIL de SANZ,

RUDOLPH G. SELLERS and ILLA LOUISE SELLERS,

TONG KANG SONG and MARCENA MAY SONG,

PATRICK L. STEPHENS and BETTYE A. STEPHENS,

LOU ANN THOMPSON and UNKNOWN SPOUSE, if any,

MA. VIRGINIA GONZALEZ TORRES and JOSE ANTONIO AREVALO V.,
RICHARD G. WARRINER and YOUNG AF WARRINER,
ALBERT G. WRIGHT and CHARLOTTE THOMAS WRIGHT, Defendants.

AMENDED SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:

EACH AND EVERY DEFENDANT NAMED IN

LEGAL NOTICES

THE CAPTION OF THE ABOVE ENTITLED CAUSE OF ACTION

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that the above styled and numbered cause of action has commenced and is now pending in the Twelfth Judicial District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico.

The general object of the action is to foreclose a Notice of Assessment of Lien filed against owners or reputed owners of unit weeks of real property described in Plaintiffs Complaint which unit weeks are a part of the Crown Point Condominiums Project located or real property in Ruidoso, Lincoln County, New Mexico.

You are further notified that unless you file an answer or responsive pleading to the Complaint, on or before December 17, 2003, judgment will be entered against you by default and the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Plaintiffs attorney:
Lee Griffin
LEE GRIFFIN & ASSOCIATES, P.C.
1096 Mechem Drive, Suite 102
Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345

WITNESS my hand and seal this 3rd day of November, 2003

/s/JAN PERRY
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

By: Elizabeth Ysasi
DEPUTY CLERK

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ADOPT

ORDINANCE 2003-09

Notice is hereby given that the Governing Body, Village of Ruidoso shall conduct a public hearing in conjunction with a special meeting scheduled on December 12, 2003 at 9:00 a.m. at the Ruidoso Administrative Center for the purpose of adopting the following ordinance:

ORDINANCE 2003-09
AN ORDINANCE OF THE

COPIES OF ORDINANCE 2003-09 are on file in the office of the Village Clerk and are available for public review Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Village of Ruidoso this 26th day of November, 2003.
(SEAL)
/s/Irma Nava,
Village Clerk

LEGAL NOTICES

GOVERNING BODY OF THE VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO, NEW MEXICO, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF A LOAN AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO, NEW MEXICO (THE "VILLAGE"), AND THE NEW MEXICO FINANCE AUTHORITY, EVIDENCING A SPECIAL LIMITED OBLIGATION OF THE VILLAGE TO PAY A PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$1,297,195, TOGETHER WITH PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST THEREON, FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAYING THE COST TO PURCHASE AND IMPROVE APPROXIMATELY 9.8 ACRES OF LAND TO BE USED FOR A VILLAGE SQUARE AND EVENTS PLAZA FOR THE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT AND TO FUND THE LOAN AGREEMENT RESERVE ACCOUNT; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST DUE UNDER THE LOAN AGREEMENT SOLELY FROM THE REVENUES RECEIVED BY THE VILLAGE DERIVED FROM THE LODGERS, TAX IMPOSED BY THE VILLAGE PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 3-38-13 TO 3-38-24, NMSA 1978 AND VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO CODE OF ORDINANCES SECTIONS 78-1 THROUGH 78-44; APPROVING THE FORM OF THE LOAN AGREEMENT AND OTHER DETAILS CONCERNING THE LOAN AGREEMENT; RATIFYING ACTIONS HERETOFORE TAKEN; REPEALING ALL ACTION INCONSISTENT WITH THIS ORDINANCE; AND AUTHORIZING THE TAKING OF OTHER ACTIONS IN CONNECTION WITH THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF THE LOAN AGREEMENT."

Plaintiffs attorney:
Lee Griffin
LEE GRIFFIN & ASSOCIATES, P.C.
1096 Mechem Drive, Suite 102
Ruidoso, New Mexico 88345

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(SEAL)
/s/Irma Nava,
Village Clerk



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VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO, NEW MEXICO NOTICE OF MEETING, PUBLIC HEARING, AND INTENT TO ADOPT ORDINANCE

The Village of Ruidoso, New Mexico, hereby gives notice of a special Village Council meeting for Friday, December 12, 2003 at 9:00 a.m. at the Ruidoso Village Hall, 313 Cree Meadows Drive, Ruidoso, New Mexico. At such meeting the Village Council will hold a public hearing concerning and will consider for adoption the ordinance described below. Complete copies of the proposed ordinance are available for public inspection during the normal and regular business hours of the Village Clerk, Village Hall, 313 Cree Meadows Drive, Ruidoso, New Mexico.

The title of the proposed Ordinance is:

ORDINANCE NO. 2003-09.

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF A LOAN AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO, NEW MEXICO (THE "VILLAGE"), AND THE NEW MEXICO FINANCE AUTHORITY, EVIDENCING A SPECIAL LIMITED OBLIGATION OF THE VILLAGE TO PAY A PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$1,297,195, TOGETHER WITH PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST THEREON, FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAYING THE COST TO PURCHASE AND IMPROVE APPROXIMATELY 9.8 ACRES OF LAND TO BE USED FOR A VILLAGE SQUARE AND EVENTS PLAZA FOR THE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT AND TO FUND THE LOAN AGREEMENT RESERVE ACCOUNT, PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND INTEREST DUE UNDER THE LOAN AGREEMENT SOLELY FROM THE REVENUES RECEIVED BY THE VILLAGE DERIVED FROM THE LODGERS TAX IMPOSED BY THE VILLAGE PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 3-38-13 TO 3-38-24, NMSA 1978 AND VILLAGE OF RUIDOSO CODE OF ORDINANCES SECTIONS 78-1 THROUGH 78-44; APPROVING THE FORM OF THE LOAN AGREEMENT AND OTHER DETAILS CONCERNING THE LOAN AGREEMENT; RATIFYING ACTIONS HERETOFORE TAKEN; REPEALING ALL ACTION INCONSISTENT WITH THIS ORDINANCE; AND AUTHORIZING THE TAKING OF OTHER ACTIONS IN CONNECTION WITH THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF THE LOAN AGREEMENT.

The title sets forth a general summary of the subject matter contained in the Ordinance.

This notice constitutes compliance with Section 3-72-3, NMSA 1978.

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<p>'04 FORD ESCAPE XLS</p> <p>OFF MSRP \$17,999</p> <p>Price includes \$1,500 factory rebate, \$1,866 dealer discount from \$21,365 MSRP. TT&L extra. OAC.</p>	<p>'04 FORD SPORT TRAC</p> <p>OFF MSRP \$19,499</p> <p>Price includes \$1,500 factory rebate, \$2,691 dealer discount from \$23,690 MSRP. TT&L extra. OAC.</p>	<p>'04 FORD EXPLORER</p> <p>OFF MSRP \$21,499</p> <p>Price includes \$3,000 factory rebate and \$2,431 dealer discount from \$26,930 MSRP. TT&L extra. OAC.</p>
<p>'04 FORD F150 XLT</p> <p>OFF MSRP \$25,999</p> <p>Price includes \$3,816 dealer discount from \$29,815 MSRP. TT&L extra. OAC.</p>	<p>'04 FORD EXPEDITION</p> <p>OFF MSRP \$25,999</p> <p>Price includes \$4,736 dealer discount & \$2,000 factory rebate from \$32,735 MSRP. TT&L extra. OAC.</p>	<p>'04 FORD F250 4X4</p> <p>OFF MSRP \$28,499</p> <p>Price includes \$4,866 dealer discount & \$2,000 factory rebate from \$35,365 MSRP. TT&L extra. OAC.</p>

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COURTESY THE BUTLER FAMILY

Mark Butler, before he lost his hair to chemotherapy.



SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Mark, left, and his brother, Tyler, both 17, play video games in Mark's room.

WAITING

A junior at Ruidoso High wasn't feeling well during the summer, and then learned that he had a rare kind of cancer. Treatment followed, in Albuquerque and Ruidoso, but the prognosis is not good.

BY SANDY SUGGITT
ruidoso news staff writer

Ruidoso High School junior Mark Butler wasn't feeling too well for awhile this summer. Then in July his family found out he had a cancer lump the size of a basketball under his right lung that had moved his heart two inches to the left.

Mark had been complaining that his chest and back hurt and he couldn't sleep, his stepmother, Sharon Butler, said. He went to the emergency room of Lincoln County Medical Center and was told he had pneumonia in the lung. But a barium scan revealed the cancerous mass, and he was transported to Presbyterian Hospital in Albuquerque, where he received chemotherapy for a week until a specific diagnosis could be made.

The diagnosis was that Mark has a mediastinal germ cell tumor, a rare form of cancer

that afflicts young women and males under the age of 25. His father, Bob Butler, said five children Mark's age out of 100,000 will be afflicted with this type of cancer.

"We got lucky because of the cold," his stepmother said. "Usually they tell me they find out too late."

Mark returned home to continue chemotherapy at the New Mexico Oncology Hematology Consultants clinic in Ruidoso, then returned to Albuquerque Nov. 19 to see what the next step would be.

Unfortunately, the tumor had gone "ballistic" in the last two weeks, Sharon Butler said Friday. It encased the heart and is growing there as well as in the lungs and chest. Mark underwent surgery Nov. 19 and enough of the cancerous matter was removed from the trachea to allow him to breathe.

"They give him about three weeks," his

stepmother said.

Although the specialist said he couldn't cure it, Mark was given a choice of more chemotherapy, bone marrow or medication. He said no.

Mark's father lived in the room with him during this last stay at the hospital in Albuquerque, and his mother, stepfather and an aunt were also with him at the hospital. He and his father returned home Monday evening.

Between the initial diagnosis and this last information, Mark continued his school work with daily tutoring by Barry Nelson, an instructor at Gavilan Canyon School. Mark's brother, Tyler, helped take care of him when he returned from Albuquerque the first time and was very weak, Bob Butler said. Tyler fixed food for him and sat in his room and played games with him.

"It made the family a lot stronger," he said.

"I didn't understand all of it," Mark said. "It went by too quick. My lungs started hurting and I couldn't breathe. I'd go to work and come home and sleep and finally I told my dad it hurts too much. I didn't really want to go (to the hospital) because I'm afraid of needles and stuff."

Mark worked at KFC part-time and was a Junior Volunteer Firefighter in Ruidoso.

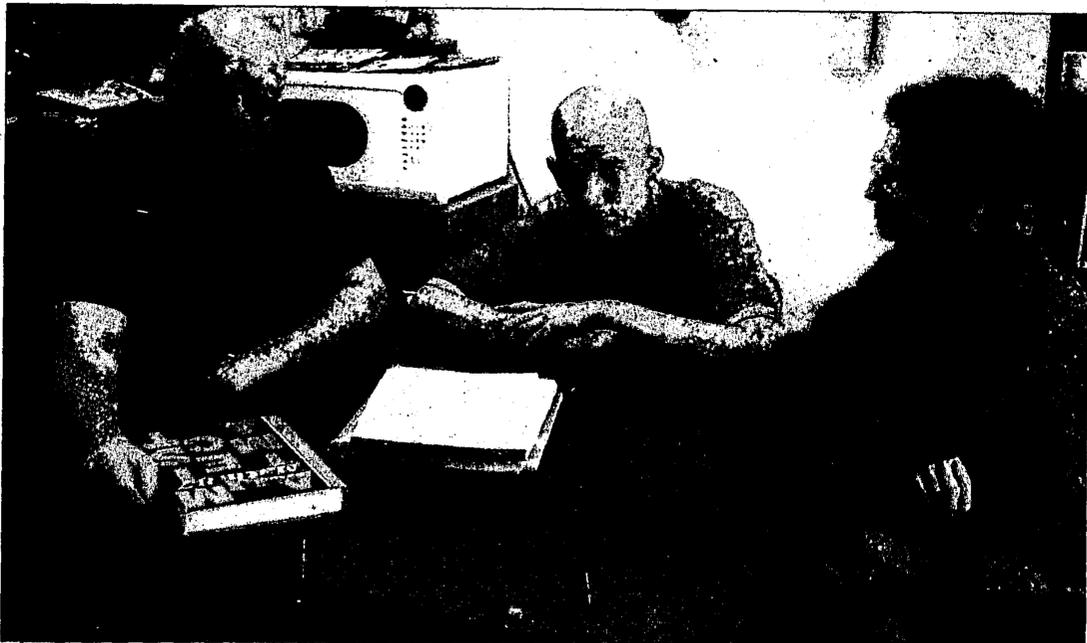
"He's been through so much; he finally got the last of the tubes out. I can't believe it's going to happen," Sharon Butler said. "This is the third child (Bob will) have lost."

"Bob is bringing his angel home," Sharon Butler said Monday.

His family will be visiting, and friends and anyone who knows Mark and wishes to visit him may call him at 258-1760.

A service will be held at some time in Ruidoso, but when the time comes, the funeral will be in Clovis.

Flowers or memorials then may be sent to Steed-Todd Funeral Home, 800 E. Mañana, Clovis, NM 88101.



SANDY SUGGITT/STAFF

Mark and his father, Bob Butler, and stepmother, Sharon Butler, after a tutoring session with Gavilan Canyon School instructor Barry Nelson a few weeks ago.

looking back

LINCOLN COUNTY SCRAPBOOK
Nov. 27, 1953

Bank accounts wanted

The community of Ruidoso will enter upon a new era next Tuesday with the opening of the Ruidoso State Bank — a milestone towards which many people have contributed long hours of study, work and time. The bank will start in business at 9 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 1, and supporters of the project have called upon the community to make it the biggest day the bank will have, in the amount of dollars deposited and the number of accounts offered.

Nov. 29, 1963

Gas system for villages

The Village of Ruidoso trustees and the Village of Capitan trustees in a joint meeting Monday night, voted on a resolution enabling the creation of a Natural Gas Distribution Association. ... Village attorney John Thompson stated the principal of the association would be to make available a transmission system of benefit to both villages.

Nov. 30, 1973

State, district players named

Once again Ruidoso High School has been honored by having three of its football players named to the AP All-State Football Team. They are Harlan Butts, All-State offensive tackle; Dick Underwood, All-State linebacker; and Joe Everett, second team All-State defensive nose guard. ... Six RHS football players were chosen to the All-District first team Wednesday by 2AA coaches meeting in Las Cruces. Besides Butts, Underwood and Everett (all three on offensive and defensive lists), on the first team are Jobe McGuire, offensive cornerback; Teddy Durham, defensive end; and Sonny Pool, fullback.

Dec. 1, 1983

Student at TVI

James G. Uhlein of Glencoe is among the 12,479 students enrolled at the Albuquerque Technical-Vocational Institute for the fall semester. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Uhlein of Glencoe and a 1983 Ruidoso High School graduate.

Dec. 2, 1993

Looking for pork

State Rep. John Underwood, D-Ruidoso, put his political clout on the line Tuesday when he told the Ruidoso Village Council their Capital Improvement Program packet was the best he had ever seen.

Last year the village was shut out of legislative money when former village manager failed to submit a (request).

A windy but wonderful art and craft show in El Paso



LINCOLN TRAILS
ROSALIE DUNLAP

The 33rd Presbyterian Church Arts and Craft Show in El Paso, Texas, had no problems with wind and dust for those with inside booths.

Lincoln County was well represented at the show. They included Craig Daughtery, Lincoln, glassware (featured in the Vamonos this past Friday); Vickie Conley, pottery, Ruidoso Downs; Georgia VanPelt, hand-woven items, Alto; Karen Pritchett, Animalia Pottery, Capitan; Maureen Quemada, Ruidoso, and the Mountaintop Turners, Lincoln, Alto and Nogal.

Those showing their wares from the woodturners group were Frank Amigo, Alto; Madeleine and Steve Sabo, Nogal; Jennie and Rollen Powell, Capitan; Howard Aycock, Alto; Ralph Dunlap, Lincoln; Ken Gurschke, Alto; and Dick Lee, Capitan.

The wind came up, and it kept four to five people holding the tent up to keep it from blowing away.

The tent next to them did come apart. They finally decided to close shop as it was impossible for customers to see because of those trying to hold the tent down.

They received permission to shut down as the weatherman predicted it would be worse the next day.

After loading up, nearly everyone headed for home. Others outside also closed down.

Elizabeth and Frank Amigo and friends from Ruidoso stayed to attend the concert in El Paso and returned home Sunday.

Also had a nice visit with former Ruidoso residents Gloria and Bill Rakocy at their booth.

What a windy, dusty weekend almost everywhere in New Mexico! Those coming from Arizona by way of Pie Town had severe winds, and also those from the Albuquerque area.

But I haven't heard of much damage.

Jay Walley is holding his own.

He is still in the Alamogordo Hospital waiting for a bed at the Veterans Hospital in Albuquerque.

And the Rev. Ron Thomson is having to take it easy, but is progressing.

TV GUIDE

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WEEKDAY MORNING											
	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00
2 KASA	Paid Program	Divorce Court	Judge Hatchett	Judge Hatchett	Good Day Live	Varied Programs	John Walsh Show	Home Improvement	Crossing Over	Family Feud	
3 KENW	Mister Rogers	Between the Lions	Barney & Friends	Teletubbies	Instructional Programming	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Sit and Be Fit	Varied Programs	Dragon Tales	
4 KOBR	(7:00) Today	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Living It Up! With All & Jack	Martha Stewart Living	News	News	News	Days of Our Lives	Days of Our Lives	
6 CNN	CNN Live Today	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	News From CNN	Live From...	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
7 KOAT	(7:00) Good Morning America	Live With Regis and Kelly	The View	Varied Programs	All My Children	Varied Programs	News	Varied Programs	One Life to Live	One Life to Live	
8 E!	Style Star	Varied Programs	Melrose Place	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
9 USA	(6:00) Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
10 KBIM	(7:00) Early Show	Ellen DeGeneres Show	As the World Turns	Price Is Right	Varied Programs	News	Bold, Beautiful	Young, Restless	Young, Restless	Young, Restless	
12 KASY	Recipe TV	Paid Program	Texas Justice	Paid Program	Texas Justice	Paid Program	Jerry Springer	Jerry Springer	Ricki Lake	Ricki Lake	
13 DSC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Assignment Discovery	Christopher Lowell	It's Christopher Lowell!	Rally Round	Rally Round	Rally Round	
14 TNN	(9:00) Miami Vice	The A-Team	Varied Programs	Real TV	Real TV	7 Days	Star Trek: The Next Generation	Star Trek Gen.	Star Trek Gen.	Star Trek Gen.	
15 FAM	Digimon	Beysblade	Power Rangers	Varied Programs	Growing Pains	Living the Life	700 Club	7th Heaven	Full House	Full House	
17 HBO	(7:30) Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
20 SHOW	(7:00) Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
21 MAX	Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
23 TNT	ER	ER	Judging Amy	Varied Programs	Law & Order	NYPD Blue	NYPD Blue	NYPD Blue	NYPD Blue	NYPD Blue	
24 AMC	(7:50) Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
25 KRPV	Varied Programs	Believer's Voice	Duane Sheriff	Varied Programs	John Hagee Today	Update/Israel	Make Your Day Count	Varied Programs	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest	
27 COM	Paid Program	Paid Program	Movie	Varied Programs	Daily Show	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Late Night	Late Night	
28 TLC	Wedding Story	Wedding Story	Dating Story	Dating Story	Makeover Story	Makeover Story	Second Chance	Perfect Proposal	Wedding Story	Wedding Story	Baby Story
29 TCM	(7:00) Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
32 UNI	Marta Susana	Mujer... Casos de la Vida Real	Frenesi	Engañada	Rebeca	Clase 406	Clase 406	Clase 406	Clase 406	Clase 406	
33 DISN	Rolie Polie Olie	Rolie Polie Olie	Out of the Box	PB&J Oter	Wiggles	JoJo's Circus	Stanley	Rolie Polie Olie	Winnie-Pooh	House of Mouse	House of Mouse
36 ANPL	That's My Baby	That's My Baby	Pet Story	Pet Story	Emergency	Emergency	Wild Rescues	Adoption Tales	That's My Baby	That's My Baby	Pet Story
38 ESPN	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
39 NICK	Oddparent	Rocket Power	Rugrats	SpongeBob	Max & Ruby	Rubbadubbers	Dora the Explorer	Blue's Clues	Dora the Explorer	Blue's Clues	Little Bill
40 SciFi	(9:00) Sentinel	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
41 FX	Buffy the Vampire Slayer	Buffy the Vampire Slayer	Beverly Hills, 90210	Extreme Dating	Extreme Dating	Practice	Practice	Practice	Practice	Practice	Movie
42 H&G	You're Home	Treasure Makers	Room by Room	Carol Duval	Country Style	This Small Biz	Decorating Cents	Bed & Bath	Kitchen Design	Room by Room	Design on a Dime
43 CNN-FN	(7:00) Market Call	Flipside	Flipside	Flipside	Flipside	Flipside	Flipside	Flipside	Flipside	Flipside	Street Sweep
44 WTBS	Dawson's Creek	Varied Programs	Dawson's Creek	Saved by the Bell	Saved by the Bell	Cosby	Cosby Show	Cosby Show	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince
45 WGN	Matlock	In the Heat of the Night	Rockford Files	News	News	News	In the Heat of the Night	Street Smarts	Street Smarts	Street Smarts	Any Day Now
46 LIFE	Golden Girls	Nanny	Mad About You	Mad About You	Golden Girls	Nanny	Movie	Varied Programs	Any Day Now	Any Day Now	Any Day Now
48 FSSW	Best-Sports	Paid Program	Paid Program	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
49 ESPN2	(7:00) Cold Pizza	PBA Bowling	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
50 OUTD	Varied Programs	Photo Safari	Wild Survival	Wild Survival	Varied Programs	High Five	Adventure Quest	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
51 HIST	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Modern Marvels	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
52 A&E	Murder, She Wrote	Varied Programs	Murder, She Wrote	City Confidential	American Justice	Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
53 GOLF	(7:44) Paid Program	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
54 CNBC	Morning Call	Varied Programs	Power Lunch	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	CNBC's Open Exchange	Closing Bell	Closing Bell	Closing Bell	Closing Bell	
58 TRAV	Varied Programs	Famous Homes	Famous Homes	Great Hotels	Great Hotels	Epicurious	Great Chefs	Varied Programs	Great Hotels	Great Hotels	

WEEKDAY AFTERNOON											
	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30
2 KASA	Pyramid	Hollywood Squares	Be a Millionaire	Extra	Inside Edition	The Sharon Osbourne Show	Simpsons	Becker	Friends	Friends	
3 KENW	Sagwa-the Cat	Arthur	Reading Rainbow	Varied Programs	Zoboomafoo	Liberty's Kids	Zoom	News	Business Rpt.	NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	
4 KOBR	Days of Our Lives	Passions	Montel Williams	People's Court	News	NBC News	News	Access Hollywood	Access Hollywood	Access Hollywood	
6 CNN	Inside Politics	Crossfire	Wolf Blitzer Reports	Lou Dobbs Tonight	Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now					
7 KOAT	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Varied Programs	Maury	Oprah Winfrey	News	ABC Wild News	News	Ent. Tonight	Ent. Tonight	
8 E!	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
9 USA	(12:30) Movie	Texas Ranger	Varied Programs	Walker, Texas Ranger	Varied Programs	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit					
10 KBIM	Young-Restless	Guiding Light	Dr. Phil	News	News	CBS Evening News	News	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Wheel of Fortune	
12 KASY	(1:00) Ricki Lake	Extreme Dating	Extreme Dating	Judge Joe Brown	Judge Joe Brown	Judge Judy	King of Queens	King of Queens	Every-Raymond	Every-Raymond	
13 DSC	Rally Round	Surprise by Design	Surprise by Design	Surprise by Design	Rally Round the House	Double Agents	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
14 TNN	Star Trek Gen.	Highlander	Real TV	Real TV	Real TV	Real TV	Cheers	Cheers	Star Trek: The Next Generation	Star Trek: The Next Generation	
15 FAM	Growing Pains	Family Matters	Family Matters	Step by Step	Step by Step	So Little Time	Full House	7th Heaven	Switched!	Knock First	
17 HBO	(1:15) Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
20 SHOW	(1:15) Movie	(1:15) Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
21 MAX	(11:45) Movie	(1:15) Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
23 TNT	NYPD Blue	Judging Amy	Angel	Charmed	Law & Order	Varied Programs	Law & Order	Varied Programs	Law & Order	Law & Order	
24 AMC	(11:40) Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
25 KRPV	(1:00) Light of the Southwest	Varied Programs	J.R. Church	Varied Programs	John Hagee Today	Update/Israel	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
27 COM	(12:00) Late Night	Saturday Night Live	Kids in the Hall	Kids in the Hall	Movie	Varied Programs	Saturday Night Live	Saturday Night Live	Saturday Night Live	Saturday Night Live	
28 TLC	Baby Story	Trading Spaces	While You Were Out	Clean Sweep	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
29 TCM	(12:30) Movie	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
32 UNI	Clase 406	El Gordo y la Flaca	Primer Impacto	Viviana	Noticiero Univision	El Manantial	Velo de Novia	Velo de Novia	Velo de Novia	Velo de Novia	
33 DISN	Recess	Lilo & Stitch	Recess	Kim Possible	Proud Family	Sister, Sister	Even Stevens	Sister, Sister	Lizzie McGuire	Movie	
36 ANPL	(2:00) Pet Story	Emergency	Emergency	Animal Videos	Animal Videos	Crocodile Hunter	Funniest Animals	Funniest Animals	Funniest Animals	Varied Programs	
38 ESPN	Varied Programs	Around the Horn	Interruption	SportsCenter	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
39 NICK	Varied Programs	Bob the Builder	Dora the Explorer	Rugrats	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Hey Arnold!	Oddparent	U-Pick	SpongeBob	Amanda
40 SciFi	Varied Programs	Battlestar Galactica	Varied Programs	Battlestar Galactica	Varied Programs	Stargate SG-1	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
41 FX	(1:00) Movie	Cops	Cops	Married... With Children	Married... With Children	Buffy the Vampire Slayer					
42 H&G	Designers' Challenge	Divine Design	Sensible Chic	Across America	If Walls Could Talk	This Old House	Extreme Homes	House Hunters	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
43 CNN-FN	Street Sweep	Money & Markets	Your Money	Lou Dobbs Tonight	Your Money	Flipside	Flipside	Flipside	Flipside	Flipside	
44 WTBS	Steve Harvey	Steve Harvey	Drew Carey	Drew Carey	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Friends	Movie	Varied Programs
45 WGN	Happy Days	Cosby Show	Cosby Show	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Home Improvement	Will & Grace	Becker	Home Improvement	Movie	
46 LIFE	Any Day Now	Division	Varied Programs	Strong Medicine	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
48 FSSW	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	54321	You Gotta See This!	Football Today	Varied Programs	54321	54321	54321	54321	
49 ESPN2	Varied Programs	PBA Bowling	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
50 OUTD	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
51 HIST	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Modern Marvels	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
52 A&E	Movie	Murder, She Wrote	Murder, She Wrote	City Confidential	American Justice	Movie	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
53 GOLF	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
54 CNBC	(1:00) Closing Bell	Closing Bell	Business Center	Varied Programs	CheckPoint	News With Brian Williams	Kudlow & Cramer	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	
58 TRAV	Great Hotels	Varied Programs	Varied Programs	World's Best	World's Best	World's Best	World's Best	World's Best	World's Best	World's Best	

THURSDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 27, 2003											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2 KASA	** "Dr. Dolittle 2" (2001, Comedy) Eddie Murphy, Kristen Wilson. Premiere. (DVS)	News	News	Simpsons	Cheers	Dharma & Greg	Drew Carey	Blind Date	Blind Date	Blind Date	Blind Date
3 KENW	Skinwalkers: An American Mystery! Special (DVS)	Grace	Red Green	Farm Aid 2003: A Soundstage Special Event (DVS)	News-Lehrer	News-Lehrer	News-Lehrer	News-Lehrer	News-Lehrer	News-Lehrer	
4 KOBR	Friends: The One With the Boobies (1:15) Friends (N)	Harry for the Holidays (N)	News	(35) Tonight Show (N)	(37) Just Shoot Me (N)	(12:07) Late Night					
6 CNN	Larry King Live	NewsNight With Aaron Brown	Lou Dobbs Tonight	Larry King Live	NewsNight With Aaron Brown	Paula Zahn Now					
7 KOAT	My Wife and Kids	George Lopez	According to Jim	Hope & Faith	Primetime Thursday	News	(35) Will & Grace	Ent. Tonight	(35) Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel	
8 E!	Celebrities Uncensored	Love Chain	It's Good to Be Naughty	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Wild On... Sun City 2002	Saturday Night Live	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	
9 USA	(6:00) *** "The Rock" (1996, Adventure) Sean Connery, Nicolas Cage. (DVS)	*** "Terminator 2: Judgment Day" (1991, Science Fiction) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Linda Hamilton. (N)	*** "GoldenEye" (1995) Pierce Brosnan. (N)	*** "The Untouchables" (1960, Drama) Robert Montgomery, Robert Strauss. (N)	*** "The Untouchables" (1960, Drama) Robert Montgomery, Robert Strauss. (N)	*** "The Untouchables" (1960, Drama) Robert Montgomery, Robert Strauss. (N)	*** "The Untouchables" (1960, Drama) Robert Montgomery, Robert Strauss. (N)	*** "The Untouchables" (1960, Drama) Robert Montgomery, Robert Strauss. (N)	*** "The Untouchables" (1960, Drama) Robert Montgomery, Robert Strauss. (N)	*** "The Untouchables" (1960, Drama) Robert Montgomery, Robert Strauss. (N)	
10 KBIM	Cold Case: Look Again (DVS)	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (DVS)	Without a Trace	Revelations (DVS)	News	(35) Late Show Moby (N)	(37) Late Show (N)	(37) Late Show (N)	(37) Late Show (N)	(37) Late Show (N)	
12 KASY	WWE SmackDown! Scheduled Kurt Angle Returns John Cena (N)	Married... With Children	Coach	Eliminate	Eliminate	M*A*S*H	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	
13 DSC	Life of Mammals	Life of Mammals	Food for Thought	Kandula: An Elephant Story	Walking With Cavemen	First Ancestors	Kandula: Ele.	Kandula: Ele.	Kandula: Ele.	Kandula: Ele.	
14 TNN	*** "The Living Daylights" (1987) Timothy Dalton	*** "The Living Daylights" (1987) Timothy Dalton	*** "The Living Daylights" (1987) Timothy Dalton	*** "The Living Daylights" (1987) Timothy Dalton	*** "The Living Daylights" (1987) Timothy Dalton	*** "The Living Daylights" (1987) Timothy Dalton	*** "The Living Daylights" (1987) Timothy Dalton	*** "The Living Daylights" (1987) Timothy Dalton	*** "The Living Daylights" (1987) Timothy Dalton	*** "The Living Daylights" (1987) Timothy Dalton	
15 FAM	Family Matters	7th Heaven	Hoop Dreams	*** "Stuart Little" (1999) Geena Davis. Human parents adopt a mouse into their family.	Whose Line? Whose Line?	700 Club					
17 HBO	*** "Batman Forever" (1995, Adventure) Val Kilmer, Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13	*** "Batman Forever" (1995, Adventure) Val Kilmer, Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13	*** "Batman Forever" (1995, Adventure) Val Kilmer, Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13	*** "Batman Forever" (1995, Adventure) Val Kilmer, Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13	*** "Batman Forever" (1995, Adventure) Val Kilmer, Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13	*** "Batman Forever" (1995, Adventure) Val Kilmer, Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13	*** "Batman Forever" (1995, Adventure) Val Kilmer, Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13	*** "Batman Forever" (1995, Adventure) Val Kilmer, Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13	*** "Batman Forever" (1995, Adventure) Val Kilmer, Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13	*** "Batman Forever" (1995, Adventure) Val Kilmer, Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13	
20 SHOW	(5:30) *** "Texas Rangers" (2001) James Van Der Beek. PG-13	*** "Texas Rangers" (2001) James Van Der Beek. PG-13	*** "Texas Rangers" (2001) James Van Der Beek. PG-13	*** "Texas Rangers" (2001) James Van Der Beek. PG-13	*** "Texas Rangers" (2001) James Van Der Beek. PG-13	*** "Texas Rangers" (2001) James Van Der Beek. PG-13	*** "Texas Rangers" (2001) James Van Der Beek. PG-13	*** "Texas Rangers" (2001) James Van Der Beek. PG-13	*** "Texas Rangers" (2001) James Van Der Beek. PG-13	*** "Texas Rangers" (2001) James Van Der Beek. PG-13	
21 MAX	(6:00) *** "Collateral Damage" (2002) R. Prince Jr. PG-13	*** "Collateral Damage" (2002) R. Prince Jr. PG-13	*** "Collateral Damage" (2002) R. Prince Jr. PG-13	*** "Collateral Damage" (2002) R. Prince Jr. PG-13	*** "Collateral Damage" (2002) R. Prince Jr. PG-13	*** "Collateral Damage" (2002) R. Prince Jr. PG-13	*** "Collateral Damage" (2002) R. Prince Jr. PG-13	*** "Collateral Damage" (2002) R. Prince Jr. PG-13	*** "Collateral Damage" (2002) R. Prince Jr. PG-13	*** "Collateral Damage" (2002) R. Prince Jr. PG-13	
23 TNT	NBA Basketball: Knicks at Pacers	NBA Basketball: New Jersey Nets at Los Angeles Clippers	NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Los Angeles Clippers	NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Los Angeles Clippers	NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Los Angeles Clippers	NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Los Angeles Clippers	NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Los Angeles Clippers	NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Los Angeles Clippers	NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Los Angeles Clippers	NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Los Angeles Clippers	
24 AMC	(6:00) *** "The Shawshank Redemption" (1994) Tim Robbins, Morgan Freeman.	(8:55) *** "The Untouchables" (1957) Kevin Costner. (N)	(8:55) *** "The Untouchables" (1957) Kevin Costner. (N)	(8:55) *** "The Untouchables" (1957) Kevin Costner. (N)	(8:55) *** "The Untouchables" (1957) Kevin Costner. (N)	(8:55) *** "The Untouchables" (1957) Kevin Costner. (N)	(8:55) *** "The Untouchables" (1957) Kevin Costner. (N)	(8:55) *** "The Untouchables" (1957) Kevin Costner. (N)	(8:55) *** "The Untouchables" (1957) Kevin Costner. (N)	(8:55) *** "The Untouchables" (1957) Kevin Costner. (N)	
25 KRPV	Light of the Southwest (Live)	Hour of Healing	Hour of Healing	Hour of Healing	Hour of Healing	Hour of Healing	Hour of Healing	Hour of Healing	Hour of Healing	Hour of Healing	
27 COM	(5:00) "Dogma" (N)	Saturday Night Live (N)	Saturday Night Live (N)	Late Night With Conan O'Brien: 10th Anniversary Special (N)	South Park (N)	South Park (N)	South Park (N)	South Park (N)	South Park (N)	South Park (N)	
28 TLC	Trading Spaces: Family (N)	Trading Spaces: Family (N)	Trading Spaces: Family (N)	Trading Spaces: Family (N)	Trading Spaces: Family (N)	Trading Spaces: Family (N)	Trading Spaces: Family (N)	Trading Spaces: Family (N)	Trading Spaces: Family (N)	Trading Spaces: Family (N)	
29 TCM	"Little Markers" (1966, Drama) Virginia McKenna, Bill Travers. Premiere.	*** "The Black Stallion" (1979, Adventure) Mickey Rooney, Kelly Reno. (N)	*** "The Black Stallion" (1979, Adventure) Mickey Rooney, Kelly Reno. (N)	*** "The Black Stallion" (1979, Adventure) Mickey Rooney, Kelly Reno. (N)	*** "The Black Stallion" (1979, Adventure) Mickey Rooney, Kelly Reno. (N)	*** "The Black Stallion" (1979, Adventure) Mickey Rooney, Kelly Reno. (N)	*** "The Black Stallion" (1979, Adventure) Mickey Rooney, Kelly Reno. (N)	*** "The Black Stallion" (1979, Adventure) Mickey Rooney, Kelly Reno. (N)	*** "The Black Stallion" (1979, Adventure) Mickey Rooney, Kelly Reno. (N)	*** "The Black Stallion" (1979, Adventure) Mickey Rooney, Kelly Reno. (N)	
32 UNI	Juan Gabriel: La Trayectoria	Primer Impacto	Primer Impacto								

SATURDAY MORNING NOVEMBER 29, 2003. Grid of TV programs for Saturday morning, including channels like KASA, KENW, KOBR, CNN, KOAT, EI, USA, KBIM, KASY, DSC, TNN, FAM, HBO, SHOW, MAX, TNT, AMC, KRPV, COM, TLC, TCM, UNI, DISN, ANPL, ESPN, NICK, SciFi, FX, H&G, CNN-FN, WTBS, WGN, LIFE, FSSW, ESPN2, OUTD, HIST, A&E, GOLF, CNBC, TRAV.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON NOVEMBER 29, 2003. Grid of TV programs for Saturday afternoon, including channels like KASA, KENW, KOBR, CNN, KOAT, EI, USA, KBIM, KASY, DSC, TNN, FAM, HBO, SHOW, MAX, TNT, AMC, KRPV, COM, TLC, TCM, UNI, DISN, ANPL, ESPN, NICK, SciFi, FX, H&G, CNN-FN, WTBS, WGN, LIFE, FSSW, ESPN2, OUTD, HIST, A&E, GOLF, CNBC, TRAV.

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POOP SCOOP BY DIANNE STALLINGS. Continuing this week with the subject of tethering dogs, the Humane Society of the United States the act could only be considered humane in very limited applications. To become a well-adjusted companion animal, a dog should interact regularly with people and other animals, and should receive regular exercise, according to the society.

Pet Corner. These pets are currently up for adoption at Lincoln County Humane Society. Sponsored by the RUIDOSO NEWS. Hours: Tuesday through Saturday 11 A.M. - 6 P.M. Closed Sunday & Monday. 257-9841. Includes photos of Panda and Jennel.

SUNDAY MORNING NOVEMBER 30, 2003. Grid of TV programs from 8:00 to 1:00 AM across various channels like KASA, KENW, KOBR, etc.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON NOVEMBER 30, 2003. Grid of TV programs from 1:30 to 6:30 PM across various channels like KASA, KENW, KOBR, etc.

SUNDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 30, 2003. Grid of TV programs from 7:00 to 12:00 AM across various channels like KASA, KENW, KOBR, etc.

PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS. Week of Nov. 26 - Dec. 2. Includes zodiac signs (SAGITTARIUS, ARIES, LEO, CAPRICORN, TAURUS, VIRGO, AQUARIUS, GEMINI, LIBRA, PISCES, CANCER, SCORPIO) and a photo of Judith L. Christopher.

MONDAY EVENING											
DECEMBER 1, 2003											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2 KASA	***The Wedding Singer (1998, Comedy) Adam Sandler, Drew Barrymore, Elton Presley	News	News	News	News	News	Simpsons	Cheers	Dharma & Greg	Draw Carey	Blind Date
3 KENW	Gospel Bluegrass Homecoming	He Touched Me: The Gospel Music of Elvis Presley	Fiesta at the Philharmonic	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News-Lehrer
4 KOBR	Fear Factor (N)	Las Vegas Year of the Tiger (N)	Average Joe (N)	News	News	News	(35) Tonight Show (N)	(37) Just Shoot Me	(12-07) Late Night	(12-07) Late Night	(12-07) Late Night
6 CNN	Larry King Live	NewsNight With Aaron Brown	Lou Dobbs Tonight	Larry King Live	NewsNight With Aaron Brown	Paula Zahn Now	News	News	News	News	News
7 KOAT	NFL Football Tennessee Titans at New York Jets. From Giants Stadium in East Rutherford, N.J. (Live)	News	News	News	News	News	(35) Will & Grace	Ent. Tonight	(35) Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel	Jimmy Kimmel
8 EI	Celebrities Uncensored	Carmen Electra: True Hollywood Story	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Wild On... A party for Cindy	Celebrities Uncensored	Celebrities Uncensored	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Howard Stern
9 USA	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	Peacemakers 'A Town Without Pity'	Nash Bridges '25 Hours of Christmas'	Paid Program	News	News	News	News	News
10 KBIM	Yes Dear	Still Standing	Every Raymond	Two and a Half Men	CSI: Miami 'Blood Brothers'	News	News	(35) Late Show (N)	(37) Late Show (N)	News	News
12 KASY	Parkers	Eve	Girls! Girls! Girls!	Half & Half	Married... With Children	Coach	Eliminate	Eliminate	M*A*S*H	Cops	Cops
13 DSC	Prosecutors: In Pursuit of Justice	MythBusters 'Biscuit Bazooka'	Monster House 'Ode to English House'	Monster Garage (N)	Monster Garage (N)	American Chopper 'Comanche 3'	News	News	News	News	News
14 TNN	WWE Raw (Live)	Video Game	Elimination	Blind Date	Blind Date	Highlander: Revenge of the Sword	Blind Date	Blind Date	Blind Date	Blind Date	Blind Date
15 FAM	Full House	Full House	Movie	Santa Claus Is Coming to Town	Whose Line? Whose Line?	700 Club	News	News	News	News	News
17 HBO	(6:00) Mr. Deeds	Last Samurai	***"Sleepers" (1996, Drama) Kevin Bacon, A revenge crime reunites four friends from Hell's Kitchen.	***"The Last Castle" (2001, Drama) Robert Redford, James Gandolfini	Controversy: The Reagan (TV)	NYU Filmmakers 'KNOV HIV/AIDS' (TV)	News	News	News	News	News
20 SHOW	(7:55) ***"Legally Yours" (1988) PG	(7:55) ***"The Sum of All Fears" (2002, Suspense) Ben Affleck, TV. PG-13	Controversy: The Reagan (TV)	NYU Filmmakers 'KNOV HIV/AIDS' (TV)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
21 MAX	***"Banger" (On Set: Gothika)	***"Ocean's Eleven" (2001, Adventure) George Clooney, Matt Damon, PG-13	***"Total Romance: The Initiation" (2002) Alexander Lindqvist, NR	Pleasure Zone	American Psycho II	News	News	News	News	News	News
23 TNT	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	X-Files "Pusher"	X-Files "Tesco Dos Bichos"	"Pretender"	News	News	News	News	News
24 AMC	***"The Horse Whisperer" (1998, Drama) Robert Redford, Kristin Scott Thomas, Sam Neill.	Nicole Kidman: Amer. Cinematheque Tribute	(45) ***"Scent of a Woman" (1992, Drama) Al Pacino, Chris O'Donnell.	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
25 KRPV	Light of the Southwest (Live)	Hour of Healing	Rev. J. Hansen	Tommy-Corner	Update/Isr ael	Nathan McBride	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest
27 COM	Late Night	Daily Show	***"Dazed and Confused" (1993, Drama) Jason London, Wiley Wiggins, Sasha Jenson.	South Park	Reno 911!	Reno 911!	Daily Show	Daily Show	Daily Show	Daily Show	Daily Show
28 TLC	Resident Life Kidney donor (N)	Maternity Ward "Roller-Coaster" (N)	Trauma: Life in the ER	Resident Life Kidney donor	Maternity Ward "Roller-Coaster" (N)	Against the Law	News	News	News	News	News
29 TCM	(6:00) ***"Pillow Talk" (1959) G	***"Adam's Rib" (1949, Comedy) Katharine Hepburn, Spencer Tracy, (DVS)	***"The Shop Around the Corner" (1940) "I Was Born"	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
32 UNI	Niña... Amada Mia	Cristina	Primer Impacto	Noticiero Univision	Hasta en las Mejores Familias	Angela	Vivo por Elena	Vivo por Elena	Vivo por Elena	Vivo por Elena	Vivo por Elena
33 DISN	(6:00) "Zenon: Girl of the 21st Century"	Sister, Sister	Boy Meets World	Kim Possible	Proud Family	Even Stevens	Sister, Sister	Boy Meets World	Recess	Boy Meets World	Boy Meets World
35 ANPL	Crocodile Hunter Close calls	Animal Cops: Houston "Courtroom Drama"	King of the Jungle "Day 8"	Crocodile Hunter Close calls	Animal Cops: Houston "Courtroom Drama"	Funnies Animals	News	News	News	News	News
38 ESPN	Wild Rules	Wild Rules	New American Sportsman (N)	Totally Hooked	Offshore Adv.	SportsCenter (Live)	Outside-Lines	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)
39 NICK	U-Pick	Hey Arnold!	All Grown Up	SpongeBob	Oddparent	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne
40 SciFi	Stargate SG-1	Stargate SG-1	O'Neill uncovers a plot.	***"The Darwin Conspiracy" (1999, Science Fiction) Jason Brooks, Robert Floyd, (DVS)	***"Sphere" (1998, Science Fiction) Dustin Hoffman, Sharon Stone.	Experts investigate a spaceship on the ocean floor.	Crossing Over	Twilight Zone	X-Files "Squeeze"	News	News
41 FX	Married... With Children	Married... With Children	Cops	Cops	Designers' Challenge	Designers' Challenge	Designers' Challenge	Designers' Challenge	Designers' Challenge	Designers' Challenge	Designers' Challenge
42 H&G	Curb	Designers' Challenge	Design on a Dime	Design on a Dime	House Hunters	Ground Rules!	Dream House	Divine Design	Divine Design	Divine Design	Divine Design
43 CNN-FN	(6:00) Flipside	Bliz	Lou Dobbs Tonight	Your Money	Business	Business	Business	Business	Business	Business	Business
44 WTBS	(6:00) ***"Jack Frost" (1998, Fantasy)	(10) ***"Honey, I Shrunk the Kids" (1989) Rick Moranis, Michael Keaton, Kelly Preston, (DVS)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
45 WGN	(6:00) ***"She-Devil" (1989) G	News	Becker	Will & Grace	The Sharon Osbourne Show (N)	Eliminate	Street Smarts (N)	Rockford Files	News	News	News
46 LIFE	(6:00) "Comfort and Joy" (2003, Comedy-Drama) Nancy McKee, Dixie Carter, (DVS)	***"Comfort and Joy" (2003, Comedy-Drama) Nancy McKee, Dixie Carter, (DVS)	Nanny	Nanny	Mad About You	Mad About You	Mad About You	Mad About You	Mad About You	Mad About You	Mad About You
48 FSSW	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	SW Sports Rpt.	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	SW Sports Rpt.	You Gotta See This!	News	News	News	News	News	News
49 ESPN2	College Basketball Notre Dame at Marquette. (Live)	College Basketball Kansas at Texas Christian. (Live)	NBA Fast-break	NFL's Greatest	NFL's Greatest	News	News	News	News	News	News
50 OUTD	SAS: Are You Tough Enough? (N)	Beach Ambush	Outdoor Outtakes	Shogun Journal	American Shooter	SAS: Are You Tough Enough? (N)	Beach Ambush	Outdoor Outtakes	Power Hour	Power Hour	Power Hour
51 HIST	Car Tech of the Future	Concept cars of the past: futuristic designs, progressive autos. (N)	UFOs: Then and Now? "The Innocent Years"	Mail Call	Guts & Bolts	Car Tech of the Future	News	News	News	News	News
52 A&E	Cold Case Files	City Confidential (N)	Third Watch "Officer Involved"	Biography "Will Smith"	Cold Case Files	City Confidential	News	News	News	News	News
53 GOLF	Playing Lessons	Green Plugged In (Golf Central)	LPGA Top 10	Tiger's Top 10	PGA Top 10	Top Ten Shots	Golf Fitness	Golf Central	Plugged In	News	News
54 CNBC	Special Report With Maria Bartiromo	News With Brian Williams	Kudlow & Cramer	Special Report With Maria Bartiromo	News With Brian Williams	Guthy-Renker	News	News	News	News	News
58 TRAV	Hidden Ancient civilizations lie frozen in time.	Food Crazy Premium pizza.	Weird Travels Suicide victim.	Hidden Ancient civilizations lie frozen in time.	Food Crazy Premium pizza.	World's Best	News	News	News	News	News

TUESDAY EVENING											
DECEMBER 2, 2003											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2 KASA	That '70s Show	Simple Life (N)	24 "Day 3: 6:00PM - 7:00PM" (N)	News	News	News	Simpsons	Cheers	Dharma & Greg	Draw Carey	Blind Date
3 KENW	American Soundtrack: Rock at 50	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
4 KOBR	Tracy Morgan	Tracy Morgan	Frasier (N)	Happy Family (N)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Escape"	News	News	News	News	News	News
6 CNN	Larry King Live	NewsNight With Aaron Brown	Lou Dobbs Tonight	Larry King Live	NewsNight With Aaron Brown	Paula Zahn Now	News	News	News	News	News
7 KOAT	Charlie Brown Christmas	According to Jim	Less Than Perfect (N)	Line of Fire "Pilot" (N)	News	(35) Will & Grace	Ent. Tonight	(35) Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel	Jimmy Kimmel	Jimmy Kimmel
8 EI	(6:00) Christina Aguilera	It's Good to Be a Chain	Love Chain	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Wild On... Party Central	Saturday Night Live (N)	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Howard Stern
9 USA	***"Ransom" (1996, Suspense) Mel Gibson, A wealthy executive turns the tables on his son's abductor.	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	Dead Zone	Nash Bridges "Double Trouble" (N)	News	(35) Late Show (N)	(37) Late Show (N)	News	News	News	News
10 KBIM	JAG "Pulse Rate" (N)	***"Miss Congeniality" (2000, Comedy) Sandra Bullock, Michael Caine, (DVS)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
12 KASY	One on One	All of Us	Rock Me Baby	Half & Half	Married... With Children	Coach	Eliminate	Eliminate	M*A*S*H	Cops	Cops
13 DSC	Moose: Spirit of the North Woods	Justice Files Con men and the elderly.	New Detectives: Forensic Science	New Detectives: Forensic Science	FBI Files "Internal Affairs" (N)	New Detectives	News	News	News	News	News
14 TNN	Star Trek: The Next Generation	Mo'Joe Schmo Show	Stripperell	Gary the Rat (N)	Blind Date	Blind Date	Blind Date	Blind Date	Blind Date	Blind Date	Blind Date
15 FAM	Full House	Full House	Frosty's Winter	Twins	Year Without a Santa Claus	Jack Frost	Whose Line? Whose Line?	Whose Line? Whose Line?	Whose Line? Whose Line?	Whose Line? Whose Line?	Whose Line? Whose Line?
17 HBO	***"Drumline" (2002, Comedy-Drama) Nick Cannon, Zoe Saldana, PG-13	***"A Woman's a Helluva Thing" (2001) Angus MacFadyen.	***"Legally Blonde" (2001) Reese Witherspoon, PG-13	***"Night and the City" (1992) Robert De Niro, (R)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
20 SHOW	(15) ***"Clockstoppers" (2002, Science Fiction) Jesse Bradford, TV. PG	***"A Woman's a Helluva Thing" (2001) Angus MacFadyen.	***"Legally Blonde" (2001) Reese Witherspoon, PG-13	***"Night and the City" (1992) Robert De Niro, (R)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
21 MAX	(6:15) ***"100 Women" (2002) R	***"Spider-Man" (2002, Action) Tobey Maguire, Willem Dafoe, PG-13	***"Forbidden" (2001, Adult) Renee Reg. Dillon Silver, (NR)	Hot Line	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
23 TNT	Law & Order: DWB (N)	Charmed "Chris Crossed" (N)	Angel "Long Day's Journey" (N)	X-Files "Hell Money" (N)	X-Files "Jose Chung's From Outer Space" (N)	X-Files "Avatar"	News	News	News	News	News
24 AMC	(6:00) ***"Colors" (1988) Sean Penn, Robert Duvall, Premiere.	(25) ***"Joe Kidd" (1972, Western) Clint Eastwood, Robert Duvall, John Saxon.	(20) ***"Colors" (1988, Drama) Sean Penn, Robert Duvall, Maria Conchita Alonso.	Hour of Healing	Rev. J. Hansen	Chaim Richman	Update/Isr ael	Richard Booker	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest
25 KRPV	Light of the Southwest (Live)	Hour of Healing	Rev. J. Hansen	Chaim Richman	Update/Isr ael	Richard Booker	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest	Light-Southwest
27 COM	Late Night	Daily Show	Saturday Night Live (N)	Crank Yankers	Wake Up Your Smile	South Park	Crank Yankers	Kid Notorious	Daily Show	Daily Show	Daily Show
28 TLC	Mostly True Stories: Urban Legends	Facelifts From Hell	Wild Weddings	Mostly True Stories: Urban Legends	Facelifts From Hell	Scene of the Crime	News	News	News	News	News
29 TCM	(6:00) ***"The Lady Eve" (1941)	***"The Tender Trap" (1955, Comedy) Frank Sinatra, Debbie Reynolds.	***"It Started With a Kiss" (1959, Comedy) Glenn Ford, Debbie Reynolds.	***"Every Girl"	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
32 UNI	Niña... Amada Mia	Cristina	Primer Impacto	Noticiero Univision	Hasta en las Mejores Familias	Angela	Vivo por Elena	Vivo por Elena	Vivo por Elena	Vivo por Elena	Vivo por Elena
33 DISN	(6:00) "All Dogs- Carol"	Lilo & Stitch	Sister, Sister	Boy Meets World	Kim Possible	Proud Family	Even Stevens	Sister, Sister	Boy Meets World	Recess	Boy Meets World
35 ANPL	That's My Baby (N)	Animal Cops: Houston "Cruel Neglect" (N)	Awesome Pawsome	That's My Baby	Animal Cops: Houston "Cruel Neglect" (N)	Funnies Animals	News	News	News	News	News
38 ESPN	College Basketball Illinois at North Carolina. (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	Season (N)	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	News	News	News	News	News
39 NICK	U-Pick	Hey Arnold!	All Grown Up	SpongeBob	Oddparent	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne	Roseanne
40 SciFi	X-Files "Apocrypha" (Part 2 of 2)	X-Files "Pusher" (N)	"Nick Fury: Agent of S.H.I.E.L.D." (1998) David Hasselhoff, Sandra Hess, (DVS)	Crossing Over	Twilight Zone	X-Files "Condu"	News	News	News	News	News
41 FX	Cops	Cops	Cops	***"The Client" (1994, Suspense) Susan Sarandon, A boy with a mob secret hires a lawyer to protect him.	Shield	Cherry Poppers	Trash to Cash	Trash to Cash	Trash to Cash	Trash to Cash	Trash to Cash
42 H&G	Sensible Chic	Divine Design	Designers' Challenge	Designers' Challenge	Date With Design	Design on a Dime	Decorating Cents; Holiday Style	Sensible Chic	Divine Design	Designers' Challenge	Designers' Challenge
43 CNN-FN	(6:00) Flipside	Bliz	Lou Dobbs Tonight	Your Money	Business	Business	Business	Business	Business	Business	Business
44 WTBS	(6:00) ***"Fire Down Below" (1997) (PA)	(10) ***"The Terminator" (1984) (PA) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Linda Hamilton, (DVS)	(10) ***"A View to a Kill" (1985) Roger Moore, Agent 007 fights a genetic superman bent on world conquest.	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
45 WGN	(6:00) ***"Naked Gun 2 1/2: The First Wives Club" (1994) G	News	Becker	Will & Grace	The Sharon Osbourne Show (N)	Eliminate	Street Smarts (N)	Rockford Files	News	News	News
46 LIFE	***"I'll Be Home for Christmas" (1997, Drama) Ann Jillian, Jack Palance, (DVS)	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Nanny	Nanny	Mad About You	Any Day Now	It's Not You, It's Me	News	News	News
48 FSSW	(6:30) NBA Basketball Washington Wizards at Dallas Mavericks. (Subject to Blackout) (Live)	SW Sports Rpt.	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	SW Sports Rpt.	You Gotta See This!	News	News	News	News	News	News
49 ESPN2	College Basketball Wisconsin at Maryland. (Live)	Streetball	NBA Fast-break	Outside-Lines	Winter X-Games Classix (N)	NFL Live	News	News	News	News	News
50 OUTD	X-file "Phoenix Rising" (N)	Bragging Rights	Beach Ambush	Lumberjack	2002 Lumberjack	X-file "Phoenix Rising" (N)	Bragging Rights	Beach Ambush	Shotgun Journal	Shotgun Journal	Shotgun Journal
51 HIST	Tactical to Practical (N)	Modern Marvels "Extreme Gadgets" (N)	UFOs: Then and Now? "Cause for Alarm"	Deep Sea Detectives "B-29"	Tactical to Practical	Modern Marvels	News	News	News	News	News
52 A&E	(6:00) "Horatio Hornblower: Loyalty" (2003, Historical Drama) Ioan Gruffudd, Robert Lindsay, (DVS)	"Horatio Hornblower: Loyalty" (2003, Historical Drama) Ioan Gruffudd, Robert Lindsay, (DVS)	"Horatio Hornblower: Loyalty" (2003, Historical Drama) Ioan Gruffudd, Robert Lindsay, (DVS)	"Horatio Hornblower: Loyalty" (2003, Historical Drama) Ioan Gruffudd, Robert Lindsay, (DVS)	"Horatio Hornblower: Loyalty" (2003, Historical Drama) Ioan Gruffudd, Robert Lindsay, (DVS)	"Horatio Hornblower: Loyalty" (2003, Historical Drama) Ioan Gruffudd, Robert Lindsay, (DVS)	News	News	News	News	News
53 GOLF	Big Break	Bobby Jones	Golf Central	Big Break	Golf Academy Live	Golf Fitness	Golf Central	Big Break	News	News	News
54 CNBC	Capital Report	News With Brian Williams	Kudlow & Cramer	Capital Report	News With Brian Williams	Guthy-Renker	News	News	News	News	News
58 TRAV	Uganda: The Presidential Tour (N)	Kings of the Road	Secrets "Princess Diana's Athorpe"	Uganda: The Presidential Tour	Kings of the Road	World's Best	News	News	News	News	News

WEDNESDAY EVENING											
DECEMBER 3, 2003											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00
2 KASA	That '70s Show	Simple Life (N)	The O.C. "The Best Christmas Ever" (N)	News	News	News	Simpsons	Cheers	Dharma & Greg	Draw Carey	Blind Date
3 KENW	American Soundtrack: This Land is Our Land: The Folk Rock Years II	Duttons Holiday Special Live From Branson	Soul of Healing With Deepak Chopra, M.D. (N)	News	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
4 KOBR	Christmas in Rockefeller Center	West Wing "Abu El Banal" (N)	Law & Order "Conceived" (N)	News	News	News	(35) Tonight Show (N)	(37) Just Shoot Me	(12-07) Late Night	(12-07) Late Night	(12-07) Late Night
6 CNN	Larry King Live	NewsNight With Aaron Brown	Lou Dobbs Tonight	Larry King Live	NewsNight With Aaron Brown	Paula Zahn Now	News	News	News	News	News
7 KOAT	My Wife and Kids	It's All Relative	Trista and Ryan's Wedding (N)	Extreme Makeover: Home Edition (N)	News	(35) Will & Grace	Ent. Tonight	(35) Nightline	Jimmy Kimmel	Jimmy Kimmel	Jimmy Kimmel
8 EI	Dr. Phil: The El True Hollywood Story	Celebrities Uncensored	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Wild On... A party for Cindy	Celebrities Uncensored	Celebrities Uncensored	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	Howard Stern	

BRING IT HOME...

Shop Locally!

*This holiday season,
shop Lincoln County!*

- It's convenient.
- It's fun.
- It supports the local economy.

Give gifts that reflect the flavor of the Ruidoso Valley rather than the monotony of the Internet or metroplex shopping malls!



Watch this newspaper in the weeks between now and Christmas. Look for local merchants offering great local gift ideas in ads featuring the "Bring it Home" Santa (see above), and visit those stores! While you're there looking at all their wonderful holiday merchandise, enter to win \$25 gift certificates, given away each week in December! Your entry will also automatically enter you to win the **GRAND PRIZE - \$250 IN CASH!**

Look for a list of participating merchants this Friday and every week until Christmas! Visit these

stores... shop locally... save... **WIN!**

Merchants! This year, the *Ruidoso News* will make it easier than ever for you to make the **MOST** of the holiday shopping season! Participate in the "Bring it Home" program and you'll be able to advertise throughout this critical season while enjoying tremendous discounts. *There's still time to sign up!*

Call 257-4001.

The plan is simple:

- Run at least once per week, Nov. 26 through Dec. 24 - ensuring you won't miss the chance to reach Ruidoso-area locals and visitors alike as they plan their shopping outings!
- Ads may be changed each week
- All ads will contain the "Bring it Home" Santa logo
- Ad sizes may be increased at the customer's discretion
- No other discounts apply

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