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On the side of truth and the common  
Lampasan.

Friday  
January 29th 2021

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## The Weather

The High yesterday 50° The Low morning 33°



**Today:** Mostly sunny skies with a high temperature near 64°. Winds will be S at 5-15 mph with possible gusts f 20 mph.

**Tonight:** Look for increasing clouds overnight with a low near 54°. Winds will be gusty from the south increasing to 15-20 mph after midnight with gusts to 30 mph

**Saturday:** Cloudy, the gradual clearing around noon and a high near 73°. Winds will be strong from the S at 15-20mph shifting W behind a front in the afternoon, with 30mph gusts. Wind advisories are a possibility.

**Saturday night:** Look for clear skies and a low near 43° with W winds at 5-10 mph gusting to 20 mph.

**Sunday:** Sunny with a high near 64°, and blustery N-NW winds at 10-15 mph gusting to 25mph

**Overnight Sunday:** Clear and cold with a low near 35° and a N-NW wind at 5-10mph

## It's Friday !

Come Early, Stay Late and Be LOUD!  
(and wear your mask)

### Badgers on the Road

### Badgers at Home

Badger Basketball hosts the Stephenville Honeybees tonight in a home district game. Coach Nuckles in his morning interview said "Come Early, Stay Late, and Be Loud! Tonight is also LMS night.

### Lady Badger Basketball

The Lady Badgers travel today to Stephenville tonight for district play. Tune in to KCYL am 1450 with Darrell Brooks and the Lampasas Radio Broadcast team as they keep us updated on all the action.

### Badger Soccer

Lady Badger Soccer is scheduled to host Lake Belton today, while Badger soccer is scheduled to travel to Lake Belton for a game starting at 6pm.

## Ain't Life Wonderful?

Ronnie Witcher

As if we didn't have enough problems with the COVID virus and the economy and political infighting...

My cell phone is driving me nuts; how about you? It goes off every five minutes with some kind of message telling me that I won a prize from Walmart or Paypal, or that some account of mine is gonna be closed. I never even heard of that account before. And what about that one that says, "Hello, my name is Jenna and I'm a health professional..."? It's driving me nuts! I don't need any health insurance, I don't want any mail order drugs either, especially those, I'm too old to want to be enhanced, I like me the way I am. Get off my phone!!!!

I'm even getting the same stuff on my email. And hey, I've got a question! If there's no way to get this stuff off my phone and email, how come you don't see it on Twitter and Facebook? If they can keep it off their sites, why can't I keep it off mine? G-r-r and grumble!

OK, seriously, there are a lot of problems with all of this. The FTC and Better Business Bureau tell us there are a lot of reports and complaints coming in about identity theft and financial loss – all coming in from use of cell phones and computers.

They say that these calls and emails are not all innocent sales pitches, many of them are gathering our information for future scams. The BBB says 70% of the financial scams reported to them began with the phone calls or messages. They begin with the calls that are "phishing" scams to gather information. They attempt to get your identity information, then turn it over to scammers who go after everything from your social security account to your bank account.

So, the lesson is: If you don't know who is calling, hang up, or at least be sure you don't reveal your name or address and, never, ever, give anyone a social security number or a bank account or even the name of the bank you trade with and never, ever give your credit or debit card number to anyone unless you are really sure who you are talking to.

It is really surprising how easy these scams can happen. I've personally had several experiences of fraud with a credit card or bank account. I only caught them by carefully going over monthly bank statements and credit card statements.

Once I discovered somebody in New York was using my credit card (presumably just my number or a counterfeit card) to pay toll fees, rent cars, and to purchase clothes in stores. Luckily, the credit card company covered my losses. Other times I've caught charges against my bank account which I couldn't recover, and even had a hard time stopping them. The lesson again, don't give out your information to anybody you wouldn't want to lend your car to.

Good luck, and if you figure out a way to stop all these calls, tell me. Oh yeah, I hope you can find vaccine for you and yours.

We're rootin' for ya! **RWS**



## Personal Classifieds

### Miscellaneous

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### Lampasas VFW Post 8539.

Welcoming new Members. Private Canteen open to the public, annual membership \$5. Coldest beer in Lampasas County. Billiards, shuffleboard, friendly environment. Daily noon-11pm. <sup>25</sup>



## Business

To the Public: If you need a funeral preached, call me. Brother Gene Lane.

**512.556.9940** <sup>24</sup>  
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Yoga Monday 8:30am, 4:15pm, 5:30pm; Tuesday, Thursday 5:30am; Wednesday 6:30pm; Saturday 9am, 10:15am. Booking Required! [Stretchedbyfaithyoga.com](http://Stretchedbyfaithyoga.com) 1507 S. Key Ave. #C <sup>130</sup>

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### Benny Boyd Dodge

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AgroTech is seeking a local delivery driver. Full time position. CDL is required. Farm/Ranch and previous driving experience a plus. Apply in person at **1752 N. 281** <sup>31</sup>

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## The Blotter

**Lampasas Police Dept. blotter for Thursday** shows a suspicious vehicle reported in the 900 block of e. Ave F at 6:42am, then there was a reported theft in the 600 block of S. Willis St. at 7:09am. The morning finished with an assault by threat in the 1900 block of 281S at 10:19am. The afternoon brought the arrest of Brandi Frazier, 43, of Lampasas in the 600 block of Old Georgetown Rd. for possession of a controlled substance/PG1/4-200 grams w/intent to deliver at 12pm. An assault was reported in the 2700 block of 281S at 2:34pm, a reported fraud in the 100 block of EE Ohnmeiss Dr. at 3:33pm, and suspicious activity was reported in the 200 block of N. Key at 4:19pm.

**The Sheriff's Office Blotter** shows Lometa with a busy day with animal/livestock issues, medical calls, a reported illegal dumping, a reported fraud, a civil matter and a report of suspicious activity. Kempner shows a civil matter and a shots fired call. Out in the county there was an accident, medical calls, and a reported theft.

**The Jail Log** Shows the arrest of 35 year old Donnely Frank Richey of Las Cruces, New Mexico, for possession of a controlled substance/PG1/4-200 grams. 39 year old Billy Tate Shoaf on a bond surrender, Cedric Smith, 31, of Brownwood for possession of marijuana less than 2 oz., Scott Summers, 50, of Kempner for DWI, and Ricky Williams, 49, of Temple for fraudulent use/possession identifying information.

*The Burn Ban goes into effect today at 5pm.*

## Coronavirus Update

Dr. Hay shared this morning the sad news that Lampasas County now has 1456 total cases, an increase of 37 cases reported since Wednesday. The number of active cases in our county is 148, 22 more than Wednesday, and 8 residents of Lampasas County are in the hospital. Dr. Hay shares that sometimes hospitalizations are hard to track, as many are in hospitals in other cities.

The State of Texas saw 14,445 new confirmed cases yesterday, and 2,929 new probable cases. 12,380 Texans are hospitalized with Covid-19.

### Vaccinations...

The DSHS website shows that as of yesterday at 1:05pm, Lampasas County has had 620 people vaccinated with one dose, and 75 residents have been vaccinated with the second dose.

## A Badger Needs Our Support

In the second week of January, Lampasas Badger Caden Melton was in a serious car accident. He is now in rehab and needs our good wishes. "Here is the address if anyone wants to send something to Caden. They said he can pretty much have anything, cards, flowers, balloons, food."

Encompass Health & Rehabilitation  
Attn: Caden Melton Rm 125  
1400 Hesters Crossing Rd

Round Rock TX 78681

An account has been established for Caden and his family at First Texas Bank to offset expenses. Any teller can take your donations or checks can be mailed to:

1st Texas Bank 501 E. 3rd St. Lampasas, TX 76550.  
Make Payable to Joleen Cowdrey.

## Happy Birthday



Camri Lynn Davis-17



## Badger Sports

### Lady Badger Basketball Tonight!



The Lady Badgers, coming off their first district win against the Brownwood team, is headed to Stephenville today for what they hope will be the upset of the season.

Coach Mark Myers says that, although Stephenville lost to Glen Rose the other night, he still thinks they're the best team in the district. And he hopes his girls can rise to the occasion. The team will head for Stephenville for another shot at the Honeybees that they lost to in the first round by a disappointing 39-63. That game was a bit marred by the Lady Badgers missing some players, but even with all hands on deck it will be an uphill battle.

The Honeybees have 3 girls that make over 50% of their shots. A senior named McClendon, a junior - Withers, and one freshman girl, Mya Wesley, who is their 3 point shooter.

The game will likely get underway about 7:30pm, depending on what happens with the freshmen and JV games. And, the game will be broadcast live on KCYL Radio and on [lampasasradio.com](http://lampasasradio.com). Darrel Brooks and Kenny Murray will bring you all the action.

District standings are:

Glen Rose, Stephenville, Gatesville, and Brownwood and Lampasas are tied for last place.

**Badger Basketball** is at home in Badger Den tonight.

Coach Nuckles' Badgers lost their last district game to Brownwood and they go up against Stephenville tonight. The Badgers beat Stephenville in their first district game by a 65-60 edge and the Yellow Jackets will be coming for some retribution tonight. The winner will get out of a 3 way tie for 2<sup>nd</sup> place.

The standings are:

Glen Rose 4-0, Brownwood 2-2, Stephenville 2-2, Lampasas 2-2, and Gatesville has the cellar.

**Tonight's game should be the one** you put on your mask and buy a ticket for. It could be a really good matchup.

## The Lutheran Hour

Sunday: at 9:06

KCYL am 1450

Lampasas 1st Baptist Church

Sundays at 11am

KCYL am 1450