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Monday February 18th 2019 <u>www.LampasasRadio.com</u> News at 7:20am & 12, 6pm & 10pm

The Weather



The High yesterday 57° The Low this morning 39°

Today: Mostly cloudy and cool today with mostly 40s and at the high near 50°. The wind is NE, light this morning early but getting up to 10-15 mph and gusting to 30 by mid-day.

Tonight: A 20% chance of rain after midnight, otherwise cloudy and cooler, down to 36°. The NE wind will continue at 10-15 and gusting to 20 mph.

Tuesday: The rain chances go up significantly at 80% for the day, probably earlier than later, but the chances seem to continue for days. The high Tuesday will only make it to about 42° and the wind will be NE but light.

Overnight the same 20% chance of rain, clouds and a drop to about 36°. The wind may shift to W-NW.

Rest of the week: A 20% chance of rain up to Friday, when it goes up to 40%, then 30% on Saturday. It may clear up on Sunday. Temperatures look like 50s most of the day Wednesday, 40° low overnight; the same on Thursday; then on Friday it will warm up to the low 60s in the afternoon and upper 60s on Saturday. Sunday, it may be a couple of degrees cooler, but sunny.

Ain't Life Wonderful

Ronnie Witcher

It's President's Day Honoring the birthdays of President's George Washington (our first) and President Abraham Lincoln (our most revered). The third Monday in February is annually observed as a catch-all day.

What? It's not true? OK, ok, we understand that it is not really "President's Day" according to federal law. It is actually a George Washington's Birthday holiday today. Yes, we know that it is not really George Washington's birthday today. That's on Friday of this week, the 22nd. But the Congress of the United States declared a special holiday celebrating Washington's birthday on the third Monday in February so everybody could have a long weekend. Of course if it was on Friday of this week, it would actually be his birthday, and everybody could still have a long weekend...?

You see, when I was a kid, way back when, we celebrated Lincoln's birthday on the 12th and Washington's birthday on the 22nd of Feb., their real birthdays. We talked about Lincoln's studying by candlelight in the log cabin after he split logs all day, and the noble way he led the country through the Civil War, and about the Gettysburg address and Emancipation. A few days later on the 22nd we'd talk about Washington's cherry pie and "I cannot tell a lie" and looked at the "crossing the Delaware" picture.

But, somebody in Washington must have decided that was too much to bear, having to celebrate two birthdays that often came in the middle of the week. So, in 1971 they figured out the three day weekend thing and chose a date, in the middle between presidential birthdays. But, it seems they named it the Washington's Birthday holiday. Somebody thought better of it and introduced a bill that would have named it "President's Day" to celebrate both Lincoln and Washington's birthdays and everybody talked about it, and

thought that's what they did...but as often happens, that bill got lost in a committee or sub-committee or something.

Now, even though today is really Washington's Birthday-day, most of us call it President's Day, so we can honor ol' Abe too. Sometimes, it seems like it's easier to just go your own way and ignore some of what comes out of Washington. It just goes to show what a mess our governments can make of things s ometimes, even with perfectly good intentions.

Here's hopin' you enjoy the holiday, and spend lots of time thinkin' about both hard working ol' Abe and honest George, and please don't tell any lies.

We're rootin' for ya. Rus

The Week

Today is Washington's Birthday and school is closed, as well as many governmental offices. That includes City Hall, the City Library and Lampasas County offices.

National FFA Week runs through Saturday, Feb. 23rd. Lampasas Radio and several local businesses will be saluting the event throughout this week with local FFA member radio appearances on KACQ and KCYL Radio.

Ag Science/FFA members across America will celebrate the history and heritage with over 500,000 High School students enrolled in Ag Education classes. FFA was chartered in 1928 and is the largest school student youth organization in the nation.

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Lampasas **FFA** member Bryli Wilson started **FFA** Week Saturday on a high note, participating in the San Angelo Livestock Show's annual Premium Sale. Bryli is the daughter of Penny and



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Wednesday February 20: **Blood Drive.** @ Rollinsbrook Hospital. 10am-2pm. 608 N. Key. For info: 512.556.3682 Preschool Story Time @ Lampasas Public Library 10am.

Thursday February 21: Saratoga Lodge meets @ 7:30pm. For more info:

512.560.4511 USDA & Hill Country Soil & Water Conservation District

Meeting. 10am @ Courthouse Annex. For info: 512.556.5572 Cancer Support Group 6pm.

1502 E. Hwy 190. For info: 512,752,3542

Senior Adult Game Day 11:30am 1st Baptist Church Fellowship Hall

House of Forgiveness free meal. Next to Mission on 4th St. 12-2p.

Saturday February 23: Learn to Crochet and make granny squares for Dell Children's Medical Center. 3pm @ Lometa Garden & Civic

happinesssyarnco@gmail.com Monday February 25th:

club. For info:

Lampasas County Democratic Party meeting 5:15pm @ Courthouse room 101. For info: 512.632.1526

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Thursday February 28th: **Beekeeping 101.** 5:30pm @ Lampasas Public Library Saturday March 2nd:

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The Blotter



Lampasas Police Dept. blotter for Saturday showed suspicious vehicle reports in the wee hours in the 1200 block of W. 3rd and 1700 block of CTE.

Saturday afternoon 28 yr old Jesse James Knight of Hockley,TX was arrested for theft over \$100, under \$750 in the 1700 block of CTE at 4:42pm. There was a disturbance in the 800 block of E. Northridge Dr. at 5:07pm and another one in the 1100 block of E. Ave F at 8:07pm.

There was a burglary of a motor vehicle report in the 900 block of Old Georgetown Rd. at 8:24pm, then an arrest at 9:04pm. Michael Clayton Robinson, 41 of Belton, was charged with burglary of a motor vehicle and unauthorized use of a M.V. at 9:04pm in the 500 block of S. Key.

There was a suspicious person report in the 600 block of CTE at 9:49pm and another burglary of a M.V. report in the 1700 block of CTE at 10:17pm.

The Sunday blotter showed a disturbance in the 600 block of S. Spring at 1:25am, then at 2:03am a 42 yr old local man was arrested in the 900 block of E. Ave. C on a police warrant for violating probation.

Theft reports came in from the 1700 block of CTE at 3:06pm and 4:58pm. There was an arrest at 3:48pm on a 29 yr old Lampasas woman in the 1700 block of CTE. She was charged with fraudulent destruction, removal or concealment of writing. A burglary of a habitation report came from the 700 block of S. Western at 5:36pm and at 6:58pm there was a domestic disturbance in the 1100 block of E. Ave F.

Lampasas Sheriff's Dept. blotter shows Lometa had a quiet weekend. Kempner settled a disturbance, worked a theft case and went out on a call of threats. County deputies investigated a burglary, worked a theft case and rolled out to Cove on a disturbance.

The Burn Ban is lifted until Tuesday, Feb. 19th at 6pm.

Sports Baseball

13-3 was the blow-out score from Friday's varsity game against Killeen. The badgers were able to score periodically throughout the game and in almost every inning. The Badger Varsity boys have a home non-conference game vs. Gatesville today at 4:30 pm and JV will follow.



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Softball

The Lady Badger Varsity softball team (below) played in the Killeen tournament this last Weekend and worked their way up to second place in the Gold bracket. It was a great tournament for the lady Badgers They are now 8-2 overall for the season.



Tennis JV

Played last week at Cove. Lyla Skiles/Breanna Sanguinet went 3-1 and got 2nd place. While Emma Jones played singles for the first time this year making it into the consolation-semi's. Kelsea Moyer/ Julia Hariston also went 3-1 to get 2nd place. Kailr Clements played singles for the first time and was able to place second. Larissa Sneed/Abriana Flores won consolation in a come from behind win in the finals. Sarah Jarboe/ Jesica Miller went 2-1 on the day while Abby Valdez/Caylin Wattson went 1-1. Bredon Burgress went 0-2, Brendon Burke 0-2 and Travis Calk/Elias Arellano 0-2

Powerlifting

Coach David Brister reports that his boys powerlifting team took a first place Thursday at Lago Vista. They took away 34 points in the match, ahead of Burnet with 26 and Liberty Hill with 24. This was the last invitational. The next regional meet for the team is March 9th. The qualifiers for that match will be announced next week. Right now, coming out of the Lago Vista match, Preston Fox was #1, along with Jack Jerome, in their individual classes. In a number 2 slot was Kyle Arriola, and number 3s were KJ Stephens, Rudy Esparza and Jeremy Rodgers.



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