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News at 7:20am & 12, 6pm & 10pm

## The Weather



**The High yesterday 76° The Low this morning 44°**

*We are under a wind advisory until 4pm today.*

**Today:** Sunny skies and a high temperature near 70°. Wind will be NW at 15-20 mph with possible gusts of 40 mph. The National Weather Service shares that breezy and dry conditions will increase the threat for wildfires today west of I-35. Please avoid any activity that will promote fire development this afternoon.

**Tonight:** Look for mostly clear skies and the low will be near 40°. Winds will become light and variable.

**Saturday:** Sunny skies and a high temperature near 77°. Wind will become S near 5 mph in the morning.

**Saturday Night:** Look for mostly clear skies and a low temperature near 45°. Wind will be S-SE at 5-10 mph, with gusts as high as 20 mph.

**Sunday:** Sunny skies and a high temperature near 78°. Winds will be from the S at 15-20 mph gusting to 25 mph.

**Overnight Sunday:** Mostly cloudy skies with a low temperature near 56°. Wind will be from the S-Se at 15-20 mph with possible gusts of 25mph. There is a 30% chance of precipitation.

## Badger Baseball on KACQ 101.9

The Lampasas Badger Varsity baseball team will continue district play tonight on the road against the Stephenville Yellow Jackets. First pitch is at 7pm. JV will get underway at 4:30pm.

If you can't make the game you can catch all the play by play action on KACQ 101.9fm beginning at about 6:30 tonight with KACQ broadcast team.

## Eastland Fire Complex

(AP) — Low humidity and gusty winds fueled multiple wildfires Friday in West Texas, burning homes and other structures and prompting evacuations of small communities.

Several wildfires merged to form what fire officials call a "complex" that was burning near Eastland, about 120 miles (195

kilometers) west of Dallas.

As of Friday morning, the fires had burned about 62.5 square miles (162 square kilometers) or (39,833) acres according to Texas A&M Forest Service. It was only 2% contained and fires were burning in thick brush and grass fields.

Other smaller fires were burning throughout other areas of Texas, and Thursday's low humidity and high winds created an ideal scenario for the blazes to quickly grow out of control. Texas A&M Forest Service had warned of a wildfire outbreak this week because of the forecast. There were no reports of injuries.

A nursing home in Rising Star was evacuated and residents were taken to a community center, Eastland County Today reported.

In the small town of Ranger — about 10 miles (16 kilometers) northeast of Eastland — a church and several downtown buildings burned Thursday, Dallas TV station WFAA reported.

"We had everything ready throughout the county," Ranger Fire Department Chief Darrell Fox said. "But when we have the winds like there was ... and the humidity down to nothing, this is what you're going to get."

Lometa Lions Club 50th Anniversary

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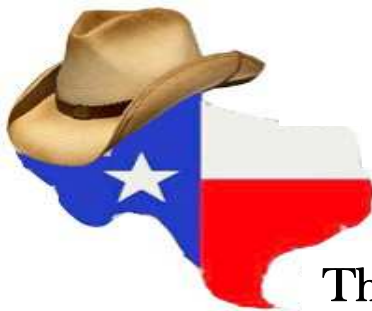
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## The Blotter



**Lampasas Police Dept.** Blotter for Thursday shows the arrest of Tammy Greenberg, of Lampasas in the 1100 block of E. 4<sup>th</sup> St. on a Burnet County Warrant for dangerous drugs-possession of a controlled substance PG3 less than 28 grams at 1:28am. There was a suspicious person reported in the 100 block of E. Ave B at 2:54am, and an unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported in the 600 block of White St. at 4:39am. At 7:14am Mary Sanchez, 49, of Lampasas was arrested in the 1200 block of Barnes St. on 5 Lampasas PD warrants (3 for theft and 2 for forgery). There was a disturbance in the 600 block of White St. at 8:11am. At 9:52am there was a major accident in the 1700 block of E. 4<sup>th</sup> St. with 2 transported to the hospital, and the afternoon shows a minor accident in the 1100 block of E. 4<sup>th</sup> St. at 3:28pm. A disturbance was reported in the 1100 block of E. Ave E at 5:39pm. Naythen Jackson, 34, of Lampasas was arrested in the 100 block of E. Ave B for manufacture/deliver of a controlled substance PG1 1-4 grams and possession of marijuana less than 2 oz., at 10:13pm. There was a reported assault by threat in the 800 block of N. Key Ave at 11:18pm.

**The Lampasas County Sheriff's Dept.** Blotter for Thursday shows Kempner with civil matters, animal issues, reported disturbances, a reported harassment, medical calls, reports of suspicious activity and a warrant was served. Out in the county there were medical calls, civil matters, an accident, and animal issues. Deputies went into Cove for a repossession, a requested welfare check, animal issues and a warrant was served.

**The Burn Ban is in Effect!!**

## The Orbeez Challenge

TEMPLE, Texas (KWTX) - Police across Central Texas are warning of a new TikTok trend that teens are participating in. The so-called "Orbeez Challenge" involves teens using airsoft-type pistols to do drive-by style shootings with airsoft pellets or water iced pellets namely from the brand Orbeez. The teens record their "drive by" and post a video of it on TikTok with the hopes of getting likes.

Social media trends like this seem to be popping up more frequently lately and experts say part of it is a psychological impact of the pandemic. "We've had such issues with kids feeling social isolation during the pandemic," said Amy Mersiovsky, a pediatric nurse of 24-years and the director and chair for the Department of Nursing at Texas A&M Central Texas.

"Social isolation has just exploded, and social media has been one of the ways that the kids have been combatting that. They're getting that attention. They're getting that belonging feeling that they may not be

feeling otherwise," Mersiovsky said.

Meanwhile, police say it's important for children, teens, and their parents to understand the consequences of participating in this dangerous challenge, especially, if they injure someone. "They could face criminal charges such as assault and they or their family members can face civil penalties if an injured person were to sue them," said Allen Teston, a chief deputy at the Temple Police Department.

Police warn that kids could put themselves in danger, too, by using toy weapons that police say often look very realistic. "It could result in either police officers or citizens protecting themselves against what they think is lethal force being used against them and engage them and result in significant injuries or death," Teston said.

Coppers Cove Police, Marlin Police and Temple Police have all issued warnings about the trend but no Central Texas police departments has reported instances of the Orbeez challenge happening locally.

Police, however, are urging parents to be proactive in talking to their kids and monitoring their social media

## Badger Sports

### Badger Soccer

### Lady Badger Softball

The ladies fell to Salado yesterday 10-8. Harley Wakeman led things off on the rubber for Lampasas Lady Badgers Varsity. The pitcher went three innings, allowing eight runs on 12 hits, striking out one and walking zero. Caitlyn Sanguinet threw three innings in relief giving up 2 runs on 2 hits.

The Ladies begin District Play Tuesday March 22<sup>nd</sup> in Gatesville. The Game will be broadcast on 1450 KCYL am.

### Badger Powerlifting

Lampasas High School took a group of regional powerlifting qualifiers to West on Saturday. They placed 7th with a total of 12 points.

Two qualified for state- Westen Reid and Domonique Wooten. Westen was first in the 198 class. He was Heavy-Weight lifter of the meet and also had the outstanding deadlift of the meet.

Domonique had the outstanding light weight bench press of the meet. He was second in his weight class.

The state meet will be held in Abilene on March 26<sup>th</sup>

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