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The Weather

The High yesterday 62° The Low this morning 38°

Today: Sunny, a cool morning, but warming up with a high near 71° and S-SE wind at 5-15 mph and gusting.

Tonight: Clear, a low around 51° and S-SE wind at 10 mph.

Wednesday: A 20% chance of rain after 8am, otherwise mostly cloudy with a low around 68° with S-SE wind 10-15 mph, with gusts to 20. Overnight, the rain chance is still there with clouds, a low of 61° , and south wind 10-15 mph with gusts to 20.

Rest of the week: Thursday brings continued light rain chances early, then sunshine and a high up to 85°.

Friday will be nice with a high up to 83° and light wind but overnight the rain chance is 50%.

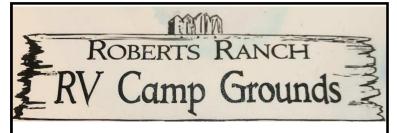
Saturday rain chances, as of now, look like 60%. The temperatures should be mostly in the 60s and mid-70s in the afternoon. Sunday brings a 20% chance of rain and up to 84° in the afternoon.

LISD Board Meets

The LISD Board met Monday evening and worked their way through the agenda in less than a half hour. Art work from Kline Whitis Elementary was on display in the Board chamber, and appropriately the Campus Report later in the meeting came from Kline Whitis.

Actions taken by the Board in their meeting included: ●accepted in the Consent Agenda, including the minutes of the March 4th Board meeting;

- •accepted the List of Bills for the month of February totaling **\$599,415.48**;
- •approved the Superintendent's recommendation for the offering and renewal of contracts for the succeeding year for the teachers and professional staff and authorized the Superintendent to distribute employment contracts to those employees;
- •received the announcement of the president of the Board, Sam Walker, that all of the Board members have completed and exceeded the annual continuing education requirements;



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- •approved the selection of a contractor for the Lampasas Middle School gym roofing project. A contract not-to-exceed **\$233,000** will be awarded to A-LERT for a new metal roof covering with a 20-year warranty;
- received the Campus Report from Kline Whitis Elementary School Principal Wesley Graham. Mr. Graham noted that the school ranked well above the State average for third grade reading, a key indicator. Much of the presentation detailed an impressive array of activities beyond the classroom, including ACE (after school enrichment) focusing on math, science, and reading; Marathon Kids; Future Fridays; Veterans Day Honor Walk, a robotics program that involves 60 students; and acknowledged with appreciation an active PTA that provided the school with a new blacktop and striping for the parking lot and a new projector system for the gym.

The Board adjourned their regular meeting to go into a Closed Session for consultation with attorney and consideration of Petition for Detachment/Annexation.

Agronomy?

The FFA Agronomy Team was established this year at Lampasas High. Agronomy is defined as the science and technology of producing and using plants for food, fuel, fiber, and land reclamation. In FFA we could see it as a technical and scientific education challenge where biology, earth science, plant genetics and other subjects are learned.

Lampasas Agronomy Team members Angela Holverson, Ethan Forrester, and Shelby Case traveled to the March 29th Agronomy CDE, at West Texas A&M in Canyon.



They placed 8th overall, out of 28 teams, in their second ever competition (Angela Holverson's first contest)! Angela was 10^{th} - place high point individual in today's Career Development Event.

They are working toward success at the upcoming Texas FFA State Agronomy Contest , to be held April 27^{th} at Texas Tech University.

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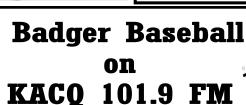


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Lampasas Health & Welness Partnership meeting. 2pm @ County Annex conference Room.

Thursday April 4th:

Senior Adult Game Day First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. 11:30am

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Wednesday April 10th:

Homeless Coalition Meeting 12pm @ the Mission. For info: **512.734.1296**

Saturday April 13th Teddy Bear Tea Party @ Lampasas County Museum. 2-3pm. RSVP 512.556.2224

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The Blotter



Lampasas Police Dept. blotter for Monday shows the arrest of a 45 year old man on a Lampasas Municipal warrant for Possession of Drug Paraphernalia at 2:24am. Later in the morning there was a suspicious person in the 400 block of N. Broad St. At 11:33am there was a minor accident on N. Hackberry St. At 11:34 a 52 year old Lampasas man was taken into custody in the 1000 block of S. Walnut St on a Municipal warrant for Public Intoxication with 3 or more convictions.

In the afternoon a suspicious person was reported in the 600 block of E. Ave F at 1:49. The evening brought a reported reckless driver on 1st St. at 8:36pm and the arrest of a 39 year old Lampasas resident in the 400 block of N. Broad for DWI 2nd offense at 9:17pm

Lampasas Sheriff's Dept. blotter shows Lometa attended to a civil matter. Kempner showed a animal complaints, a civil matter and a couple of livestock issues.

Out in the county deputies were sent out on a disturbance, responded to an alarm, attended to a report of a stolen vehicle, and a few civil matters. Deputies went to Cove on a report of a suspicious person.

The Jail Log showed no arrests by the county

Report from the DPS makes you think...Slow down! A family from Huntsville, five of them in a new Toyota car, are mostly dead. Last Friday they were stopped at an intersection near Bastrop, waiting to turn, when they were rear ended by an 18 yr old male in a Ford pickup truck - DPS says the young man failed to control speed. Four of the five innocents in the Toyota car are dead, the other in critical condition. The 18 yr old male will have to live with the memory of the accident.

Speed kills!

The Burn Ban is lifted until 7pm April 15th.

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For more information please contact Jacque Ortiz, Workforce Specialist at the Lampasas Workforce Solutions office. 512-556-4055 – ext 5501 or <u>jacqueline0317@workforcelink.com</u>.

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Badger Sports

Baseball

The Badger Baseball team gave Burnet a pretty solid licking in last Friday's game in Lampasas, the first in the two game series for the friendly Hwy 281 rivalry. The Bulldogs had trouble on the mound, much of the same problem Taylor had when they lost a two game series with Lampasas recently. Lampasas did not have those problems, simply because Lampasas finds itself with a bullpen of several moderate to really good pitchers.

Lampasas and Liberty Hill now seem to lead the district with 3-0 records as they move through the remaining 7 games in district play. The Badgers will try to get their second win against Burnet tonight in Burnet.

The game starts at 7pm and will be carried live on **KACQ 101.9** and at lampasasradio.com.

Division 27-4a Standings -2019District Overall WLLampasas Badgers 30 Liberty Hill Panthers 30 **Burnet Bulldogs** 2 1 Salado Eagles 12 **Taylor Ducks** 03 Austin Eastside Memorial 0.3 **Panthers**

Softball

The Lady Badgers, coming off two wins in a row, after run-ruling both Burnet and Eastside Memorial will play at home tonight, taking on the Salado girls.

JV games will start at 5pm, followed by Varsity at 7pm.

Tennis

Varsity Tennis was at Liberty Hill on Monday with the cool weather. Coach Kenneth Peiser reports that David Neary/Joel Allan played 3 matches and finished as District Champions. They too control over the #2 seeded Taylor team and won in straight sets, then came out in the final match against Liberty Hill where they traded games, then broke out to take it 6-4 They kept it up and won 6-1 against #1 seeds. Dani Claussen/Jade Beavers finished 3rd in girls doubles, Shanice McCain/Exavier Gonzales took 3rd in mixed doubles.

Today, Megan Dwamena and Micah Bellanger are playing in the singles finals. The JV team will also play today.