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Thursday **April 6th, 2023**

www.LampasasRadio.com News at 7:10am & 12, 6pm & 10pm

The Weather



The high yesterday 67° This morning's low 67°

Today: Look for cloudy skies, with a high near 58° and a 70% chance of showers and storms. Wind will be N-NE today near 15 mph with possible gusts of 25 mph.

Tonight: Look for cloudy skies, and the low will get down to about 47° overnight with an 80% chance of showers and storms. The wind will be from the NE near 10-15 mph gusting to 25 mph.

Friday: Look for cloudy skies with patchy fog possible in the morning. There is a 90% chance of showers and storms with a high temperature near 55°. Wind will be N-NE at 10-15 mph with possible gusts of 20 mph.

Friday Night: Look for mostly cloudy skies and a low near 48° with a 30% chance of precipitation. Wind will continue from the N-NE near 10 mph.

Saturday: Partly sunny with the high temperature near 68° and wind will be N near 10 mph.

Saturday Night: Partly cloudy skies and a low near 50°. Wind will be E-NE near 5-10 mph.

Good Friday Closings

Lampasas ISD students will have a 4 day weekend as school campuses are closed tomorrow for Good Friday and again on Monday. Lometa ISD will be closed for Good Friday and will re-open on Monday morning.

Lampasas City Hall will be closed tomorrow, and the Lampasas Public Library and Collection Center will be closed tomorrow and also on Saturday April 8th. Trash pick-up will run as usual.

The Lampasas County Courthouse and all county offices will also be closed tomorrow.

The US Post Office will be open. Cadence Bank and the First State Bank of Burnet will be open regular hours on Friday and Saturday. First Texas Bank will be closing at 3pm on Good Friday and will be closed Saturday.

Last Day to Register to **Vote for May 6th Election**

Today is the last day to register to vote in the May 6th General Election.

The Lampasas County Elections office is located at 407 S. Pecan, Ste. 102, if you need to register, or update your records.

TxDOT to do Feasibility **Study for Hamilton Relief Route**

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is conducting a Feasibility Study to evaluate Alternative Alignments for a Relief Route around the City of Hamilton in Hamilton County. TxDOT is also proposing to widen US 281 from US 84 (Evant, TX) to SH 6 (Hico, TX) in Hamilton County.

An in-person meeting will occur on Wednesday, May 3rd, at the Hamilton Junior High School Cafeteria located at 400 S. College St. at 6pm and will be an open house format where the public may come and go at their convenience. Staff will be available to answer questions and accept comments. The virtual meeting can be viewed Wednesday, May 3rd starting at 6 p.m. through Thursday, May 18th at 11:59 p.m. Materials will be posted to the project website: http://www.txdot.gov/projects/projects-studies/waco/ us281.html.

The Feasibility Study is evaluating Alternative Alignment concepts for a new location relief route located around the City of Hamilton to alleviate US 281 traffic congestion in downtown Hamilton. New alignment and widening options would require additional right of way to accommodate the potential US 281 improvements and traffic congestion alleviation being explored by the project and the study. Further environmental studies would be needed to determine environmental impacts. Project and study materials are available online





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The Blotter



The Lampasas Police blotter for Wednesday shows

a minor accident in the 1100 block of S. Key Ave. at 7:37am with minor injuries. The afternoon shows a report of criminal mischief in the 400 block of Brown St. at 1:59pm and a reported runaway in the 800 block of N. Key Ave. at 6:46pm.

The Lampasas County Sheriff's Dept. Blotter for Wednesday shows Lometa with an alarm call. In Kempner there were civil matters, reported disturbances, medical calls, animal issues, and a reported burglary. Out in the county there were medical calls, civil matters, a shots fired call, an accident and a warrant was served. Deputies went into Cove on livestock issues, a reported theft and reports of suspicious activity.

The Jail Log shows the arrest of 27 year old Savannah Lawson of Lampasas on a Lampasas County warrant for Motion to Adjudicate (possession of a controlled substance PG1 1-4 grams). Also arrested was 22 year old Joshua Collins of Copperas Cove for theft of property \$100-750, and 19 year old Justin Dickson of Hico on an out-of-county charge.

Employment Scams in Texas

In the first quarter of 2023 (January thru March), reports of employment scams to the Better Business Bureau (BBB) Scam Tracker from Texas residents doubled and money loss increased substantially compared to the typical rates the (BBB) receives at the beginning of the year. Last year for the months of

January-March the BBB had 59 reports of employment scams for losses of \$15,195. For the same time period in 2023, the BBB saw 231 reports or employment scams and losses of \$128,189.

While most consumer reports BBB receives are regarding fraudulent employers promoting data entry or package reshipment positions, graphic designer, secret shopper, and human resources offers are also frequently used. All reports include a work-from-home or remote working capability.

Contact is made most often through email from someone claiming to represent a made-up or impersonated company who came across the recipient's email through a job board, LinkedIn, or in response to an application they sent in. Shortly afterward, the conversation will move to an online messaging system such as Skype or Telegram to arrange and conduct an interview. Often, the interview will be conducted entirely through text with no voice or video call and finishes with an immediate job offer starting the very next day. After accepting the job offer, employment scams progress down different paths depending on the position and industry.

For more information visit BBB.org

Badger Sports



Badger Baseball

Badger Baseball will host the Burnet Bulldogs this afternoon. Due to the ongoing umpire shortage, there will only be umpires for 1 game at 4:30 today. Coach Evans said they still plan on having 2 games (weather permitting). The Varsity will now play at 4:30pm with JV to follow.

4A Region 3, District 24 Baseball Standings

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Burnet	6-2
Marble Falls	6-2
Jarrell	5-3
Gateway	3-5
Lampasas	2-6
Lago Vista	2-6

Lady Badger Softball

4A Region 3 District 24 in Girl's Softball became a bit more interesting after Tuesday Night's Softball games with Lampasas defeating Lago Vista 20-2, Gateway beating Burnet 4-3 and Marble Falls losing to Jarrell 7-0 the current standings are:

	\underline{W} - \underline{L}
Burnet	5-1
Jarrell	4-2
Gateway	4-2
Lampasas	4-2
Marble Falls	1-5
Lago Vista	0-6

The Lady Badgers host Marble Falls today with first pitch scheduled for 6pm. Also, Jarrell is at Gateway and Lago Vista is at Burnet.

It is our understanding that the Lady Badgers will secure a playoff spot with a win over Marble Falls today.

Cattle Market Report

Lampasas Cattle Auction's weekly sale took place Wednesday and 323 head were on hand, up from the 305 head of the last sale, and down from the 712 a year ago on this day.

Feeder Steers & Heifer Stockers were Steady-\$3 Lower (due to quality)

Feeder Steers & Heifer Feeders were \$5-\$7 Higher Slaughter cows were Steady-\$4 Lower Slaughter bulls were Steady-\$2 Lower

Feeder Steers	Feeder Heifers
200-300lbs \$2.22-\$2.55/lb	200-300lbs \$2.13-\$2.50/lb
300-400lbs \$2.14-\$2.33/lb	300-400lbs \$1.95-\$2.30/lb
400-500lbs \$2.19-\$2.41/lb	400-500lbs \$2.03-\$2.18/lb
500-600lbs \$1.96-\$2.36/lb	500-600lbs \$1.87-\$2.08/lb
600-700lbs \$1.79-\$2.13/lb	600-700lbs \$1.70-\$1.92/lb
700-800lbs \$1.38-\$1.87/lb	700-800lbs No Test
Slaughter Cows	Slaughter Bulls
Under 800lbs No Test	1000-1300lbs 80-1 01/lb

Under 800lbs No Test 1000-1300lbs .80-1.01/lb 800-1100 lbs .30-.92/lb 1300-2100lbs .96-\$1.10/lb 1100-1300 lbs .40-\$1.00/lb Replacements No Test

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Death Notice

Linda Eckermann, 66, of Lampasas passed away on Tuesday. Visitation will be held at Grace Fellowship Church on Saturday from 9:30-11am with services to start at 11am. Burial will be private following the service at Oak Hill. Arrangements by Sneed-Carnley Funeral Chapel.