

## The Weather



The high yesterday 75° This morning's low 72°

**Today:** Look for partly sunny skies, and a high temperature near 84°. Winds will be S near 15-20 mph with possible gusts of 35 mph. There is a 30% chance of showers today.

**Tonight:** Cloudy skies and a low near 65°, with a 90% chance of precipitation in the overnight, and heavy rainfall is possible, the forecasters say 2-3 inches. Winds will become W-NW overnight at 5-15 mph gusting to 20 mph

**Thursday:** Look for mostly cloudy skies, with a high temperature near 75°, and a 60% chance of storms early in the morning. Wind will be N at 5-15 mph gusting to 20mph.

**Overnight Thursday:** Mostly cloudy skies with a 30% chance of showers or storms, and a low near 59°. Winds will be N at 10-15 mph, gusting to 20 mph.

**Friday:** Mostly sunny with a 20% chance of showers and storms, and a high temperature near 73°. Wind will continue from the N at 5-15 mph gusting to 20 mph.

**Friday Night:** Mostly cloudy skies with a low temperature near 55°, and a slight chance of storms. Winds will be light from the NE.

**The Weekend:** It looks like unsettled weather this weekend with some rain chances.

## Early Voting Ends

**Early Voting for the May 1<sup>st</sup> City Elections** ended yesterday. At this time, the Lampasas County elections office reports 328 early votes in the Lampasas/Kempner elections, and 35 in the Lometa elections. We are waiting on Tuesday's totals.



The general election will be held from 7am-7pm this Saturday May 1<sup>st</sup>. The polls will be open from 7am to 7pm. In Lampasas, you can vote at the Courthouse Annex, 407 S. Pecan Suite 102; In Kempner, the polling location is Kempner VFD 315 S. Pecan; and in Lometa, you can vote at City Hall at 100 E. San Saba St.

Remember...YOUR VOTE COUNTS!!!

## National United

### Merging with Bancorp South

**BancorpSouth** has announced that it has received approval and will be merging with National United Bancshares, the parent company of National United.

The Merger is anticipated to close on May 1<sup>st</sup>.

BancorpSouth operates approximately 305 full-service branch locations as well as additional mortgage, insurance, and loan production offices in Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Tennessee and Texas, including an insurance location in Illinois. BancorpSouth is committed to a culture of respect, diversity, and inclusion in both its workplace and communities

According to the National United website, on August 21, 1889 the Treasury Department of the United States issued Charter # 4097 to The First National United of Gatesville. The bank opened immediately for business. It was called The First National United. Although there have been many consolidations and mergers, National United still operates under the original charter dated August 21, 1889. There are 6 National United locations.

## Highway Work Zones

Even with less traffic during the pandemic, Texas work zone fatalities increased 9% in 2020 compared to 2019.

TxDOT's "Be Safe. Drive Smart." campaign is marking National Work Zone Awareness Week, April 26–30, with safety tips to reduce work zone fatalities. Last year, there were more than 22,000 traffic crashes in Texas work zones with 186 people killed, including four road workers.



"We know driving through work zones can be challenging," said TxDOT Executive Director James Bass. "There can be slow-moving heavy equipment, temporary barriers, and vehicles that make sudden stops. We can't stress enough how important it is to give driving your full attention and slow down—for your own safety and that of the people who work alongside the road."

Drivers and their passengers account for the majority of those who have died in work zone crashes. In 2020, 147 motorists and vehicle passengers were killed in Texas work zones, along with 35 pedestrians and bicyclists and four road workers.

The Texas Mutual Insurance Company, which helps employers prevent workplace incidents and their consequences, is partnering with TxDOT to promote safe driving. The "Be Safe. Drive Smart." campaign outlines five key steps drivers can take to safely navigate a work zone: **Slow down.** Follow the posted speed limit and drive to conditions. Unsafe speed is one of the main causes of crashes in work zones. **Pay attention.** Avoid distractions, keep your mind on the road and put your phone away. **Watch out for road crews.** The only protective gear they wear is a vest, a hardhat and safety boots. **Don't tailgate.** Give yourself room to stop in a hurry if you need to. Rear-end collisions are the most common kind of work zone crashes. **Allow extra time.** Road construction can slow things down. Count on it, and plan for it. *Traffic fines double in work zones when workers are present and can cost up to \$2,000.*

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**16 Powell** Friday & Saturday, 8-2pm. 3 Family yard sale. Clothes, Décor, Guitars, lamps, flower pots, toys & large rugs.

**354 CR 3069 Lampasas.** Friday & Saturday, 8-? Whole house clean out. Toys, clothes, furniture.

**1378 CR 1045 Lampasas.** Friday 8am-?, Saturday 8am-2pm. 1963 Chevrolet Corvair, a wide tools, plumbing, electrical, and up hunting blind, desk, chairs, vacuums, must see lot of household items & miscellaneous. 512.556.6389

**902 w. Ave D** Saturday 8-? Antiques, collectibles, jewelry, a little bit of everything.

**CR 3081 (Cripple Creek)** Friday & Saturday 8am-2pm. Multi-Family-furniture, collectibles, handicap toilet and lots of miscellaneous.



*upcoming*

## EVENTS

**Thursday, April 29th:**  
**Dominoes/42 Club** moved to Gypsy Sisters @ 6pm.

**Saturday May 15th:**  
Oakalla Old Home Day @ Oakalla Library. 10am-4pm.

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### Class A Experienced

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## The Blotter



**Lampasas Police Dept. blotter for Tuesday** shows suspicious activity reported in the 100 block of EE Ohnmeiss Dr. at 9:40am. The 10am hour was busy with, a possession of drug paraphernalia reported in the 100 block of Ave D at 10:14am, A reported harassment in the 1300 block of CTE at 10:15am, an assault by threat was reported in the 300 block of E. 4<sup>th</sup> St. at 10:25am, and suspicious activity was reported in the 600 block of N. Hackberry at 10:41am. The 200 block of E. Ave D saw a theft report at 11:02am. The afternoon shows a suspicious person reported in the 1800 block of Diamond Ridge Dr. at 1:12pm, a reported criminal trespass was reported in the 600 block of N. Key Ave at 2:47pm, There were reported thefts, one in the 2700 block of 281S at 3:14pm, an done in the 500 block of E. North Ave at 3:15pm. Another criminal mischief was reported in the 1200 block of W. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. at 4:27pm, and there was a reported harassment in the 2700 block of 281S at 4:48pm. A minor accident took place in the 100 block of EE Ohnmeiss Dr. at 5:33pm, and later a prowler was reported in the 900 block of N. Ridge St. at 10:17pm.

**The Lampasas Sheriff's Dept.** blotter shows Lometa with a reported disturbance and a reported theft. In Kempner, officers dealt with medical calls, animal issues, and reports of suspicious activity. Out in the county there were medical calls, a reported harassment, civil matters, and a requested welfare check. Deputies went into Cove on an animal issue.

**The Jail Log** shows the arrest of Bryce Barron, 24, of Lometa for possession of marijuana less than 2 oz. Also arrested was 27 year old Joel Nelson Hopkins of Copperas Cove on a bond revocation and out of county charges in a nearby county for possession/controlled substance/PG1/4-200 grams, and unauthorized use of a motor vehicle x2. Samuel Clarence Anthony Page, 38, was arrested on a bench warrant out of Lampasas County for possession of a controlled substance PG1 less than a gram.

The Pitcher for the Yellowjackets, Case Kuykendall, threw 110 pitches in 6 innings, allowing 11 hits, 7 runs, and 4 strike-outs. Now the Badgers wait to see who they play in the 1<sup>st</sup> round of playoffs.

## Lady Badger Softball

**Lady Badger Softball** begins their 1<sup>st</sup> Playoff Series in a best 2 out of 3 tomorrow against Burkburnett High School at Brock High School at 6pm. There will also be games on Friday at Stephenville High School at 6pm, and May 1<sup>st</sup> at Brock High School at 1pm,

## Death/Funeral Notice

Patricia Jean Randles, 60, passed away on Wednesday, April 21st, at her home in Lampasas, Texas.

Visitation will be held 3pm-9 pm on Friday, April 30<sup>th</sup> at Sneed Funeral Chapel and will be come and go. Funeral services will be held at 2pm Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup> at Christ the Rock Church with interment to follow at Oak Hill Cemetery.

She was born April 23, 1960, in Lampasas, TX to Clarence Edward Randles and Martha Jane Randles. Patricia grew up in Killeen, TX, and attended Killeen High School. She then moved to Oklahoma City and attended Platt College. Soon after she realized her love for people that she took a job in home health care. After a while, she decided to move back to Harker Heights where she resided for 10 years prior to coming back to Lampasas to be with her great-grandmother, Rachel Dent. She worked at McDonald's for a while expressing her loving, caring, and joyful heart with everyone she encountered. Later after she transitioned from McDonald's to Troupsies for four years she continued to express her love, kind-heartedness, and hard work ethic.

Patricia was a member of Christ the Rock Church and she loved God, enjoyed good music, and loved to dance and put a smile on everybody's face. She was never married.

Patricia's loving family members are, Clarence Ray LeMonte Randles, Thomas Jamie Wright, Byron Ray Randles, Christopher Eugene Randles, Tiffany Hayes, Erica Mozee, Celissa Randles, LaTanya Wright, Ester Randles; 10 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; siblings, Carlos Hamilton, Clarence Edward Randles, Jr., Elisha Jean Randles, Theresa Jean Randles, Sharon Mathis and a host of aunt's, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews.

## It's Sale Day at Lampasas Cattle Auction!



Andy Baumeister and company's cattle sale at Lampasas' auction barn at the intersection of Hwy 281/190/183 will start at 12:30pm today

## Badger Sports

**The Varsity Baseball team** defeated the Llano Yellowjackets yesterday evening 7-2. The Badgers' pulled ahead in the 2nd inning with 3 runs and never looked back, helped by a double by Nate Borchardt. The Badgers had 11 hits with Logan Coleman leading with 3 this in 4 at bats.

Ace Whitehead and Nate Borchardt each scored 2 runs, with Tak Stinnett, Keagan Richardson, and Dax Brookreson each scoring 1 run.

On the mound for Lampasas was Logan Coleman, who allowed 3 hits, 2 runs and struck out one in 2 innings, Nate Borchardt in 2 innings threw 32 pitches with 18 strikes allowing 3 hits. Tak Stinnett, also in 2 innings threw 37 pitches with 22 strikes and no hits. Gauge Gholson threw 11 pitches in the last inning, with 5 strikes and no hits.



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