

## The Weather



**The High yesterday 78°    The Low this morning 51°**

This is the weather we all like as it started this morning with a cool upper 50s and started warming up to what we expect should be a high 70s or perhaps 80° afternoon.

**Today:** Clearing with a high near 80° this afternoon. Winds will be easterly at around 5-10 mph.

**Tonight:** Clear with a low near 56° and an east wind at 5-10 mph becoming light and variable.

**Thursday:** Sunny with a high near 86° and a south wind at 5-10 mph. The wind should become gusty in the afternoon and increase to 15-20 mph.

**Thursday Night:** Increasing clouds and a low around 67° in the overnight. The south wind should get up to 20-25 mph.

**Friday:** Showers are a possibility with a 20% chance of rain before 1pm. Otherwise it will be mostly cloudy and up to 76° with a west wind of 15-20 mph at first, then it will shift to N-NE in the afternoon. Wind gusts could hit 30 mph.

**The weekend:** It should be sunny and nice on Saturday and warmer yet on Sunday, up to 80°.

## Good News!

**You can get a haircut, starting on Friday (May 8<sup>th</sup>).**

Governor Greg Abbott said that Texas hair salons, barber shops and nail salons, etc., can reopen on Friday. Gyms can reopen on May 18<sup>th</sup>.

The social distancing rules for the hair salon businesses are that stylists/barbers can only work with one customer at a time and they must maintain a 6-foot distance between one another. The customers waiting for a chair must also be seated 6 ft. apart. For the gyms on the 18th, it's 25% capacity, everybody must wear full finger gloves, and showers and locker rooms shall remain closed. The equipment has to be disinfected after each use. Stores, movie theaters and malls were allowed to open at 25% capacity last week, and unfortunately for those who are used to stopping by their favorite bar in the evening, not yet. The "Gov" wants to reopen bars, but hasn't figured out how to do that one yet.

## Coronavirus Numbers

According to the Dept. of State Health Services there are now 33,369 cases of COVID-19 in the state, and 906 people have died. According to the Dept. of State Health Services, 427,210 tests have been given to Texans.

Lampasas County has now confirmed its 5th case of COVID-19, though 2 of those are now reported as recovered.

Neighboring Coryell County and Copperas Cove reported on Sunday that they had 180 cases with two deaths from COVID-19.

Most of the cases were Cove residents.

## City of Lampasas Economy

Lampasas City Manager Finley deGraffenried says, in his regular Wednesday interview this morning, that reopening of Lampasas businesses are taking place in the coming days.

Lampasas has generally followed right along with Governor Greg Abbott's policy directives and the reopening of the economy is no different. The restaurants here, for the most part, carried out the "pick up and go" procedures as requested by authorities, and the reopening at 25% capacity of restaurants and non-essential stores are doing the same. The salons and barber shops will open as directed on Friday.

When questioned on how the pandemic problems affect the City Government's finances, the City Manager said that although the City will lose some sales tax and utility income, it won't be that bad. The sales tax income is actually a small part of the treasury input and the "hit" they will take on utilities might not be that bad. At any rate, he says, the City is lucky to have some reserves on hand as we go into the unknown economic downturn.

## LISD Teachers of the Year

Administrators were out making presentations in person this week, and we join them in congratulating our Lampasas ISD "Teachers of the Year" for 2020!

These are the kind of teachers that make Lampasas' school system the best place possible for our young people to grow into adulthood.

The selections below were made in a cooperative way by staff members and by parents, students and community members.

Here are our "Teachers of the Year" by campus:

Lampasas High School - **Dondi Hinds and Jason Walsh**

Lampasas Middle School - **Tracy Taylor and Misti Harrell\***

Hanna Springs Elementary - **Kim Odom**

Kline Whitis Elementary - **Christine Brown\***

Taylor Creek Elementary - **Crystal Mickan**

**The DISTRICT "Teachers of the Year" for 2020 are:**



**LISD Elementary "Teacher of the Year" - Christine Brown, 3<sup>rd</sup>** from left. She teaches at Kline Whitis Elementary, and was presented by Superintendent Dr. Chane Rascoe (left), Sherrie Berry, Instructional Technologist, and on the right, Christine's boss, Kline Whitis Principal Wes Graham.

## Personal Classifieds

### Miscellaneous

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**Tuesday, May 12th :**  
**Kindergarten Round Up** at Kline Whitis. Hanna Springs will be May 13<sup>th</sup>, and Taylor Creek will be holding their Kindergarten Round Up on May 14<sup>th</sup>. On the days specified, the schools will be open from 9am to 6pm. If you have any questions, please call the campus you will be registering at.



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## The Blotter

**Lampasas Police Dept.** blotter for Tuesday shows a harassment report from the 300 block of east 4<sup>th</sup> at 10:11am and a domestic disturbance in the 1000 block of W. Ave. E at 12:19pm. The rest of the afternoon brought a fraud report in the 100 block of Ohnmeiss Dr. at 4:39pm and the evening saw a disturbance report in the 900 block of W. 4<sup>th</sup> at 11:47pm. There were 8 animal complaints during the day.

**The Sheriff's Dept. Blotter** for Tuesday shows Lometa with a quiet day while Kempner had suspicious reports, 4 civil matters, an assault case and some animal problems. Out in the county there was an unattended death, trespassing, civil matter, fish and game, utility problems and more. There were no arrests made.

**The Burn Ban** has been lifted indefinitely but it is getting drier and caution in outdoor burning is important.



**LISD Secondary "Teacher of the Year" - Misti Harrell** (Lampasas Middle School) Pictured above are Middle School Principal Dana Holcomb, Instructional Specialist Carrie Shahan, Misti and Supt. Dr. Rascoe.

\*These TWO teachers, Christine and Misti, will go on to represent Lampasas ISD at Region 12 this year

## Funeral Notice

Alvin Jay Pavey passed away peacefully at his home in San Saba, Texas, on May 1, 2020 after a brave battle with cancer. He was surrounded by many of those he loved so much.

Memorial service will take place May 16<sup>th</sup> at 11am at Blaylock Funeral Home, San Saba, TX (782 CR 110)

Born at home, midnight February 2, 1945 in Lampasas to parents Jay Pavey and Minnie Welch.

He was a gifted guitarist who enjoyed sharing his music. For years he visited area nursing homes to play gospel music for the residents. His talents were also heard at the Gatesville Country Hall of Fame. Alvin loved old country music. He had a deep sense of joy playing gospel songs that projected his Faith in the Lord. He was a kind and bold witness of that Faith to his family and to most anyone he met.

He was a great San Saba citizen. Week-end diners at Young's BBQ in San Saba often enjoyed his radiant personality and guitar music. As a fifteen year retired City Employee he was well known and respected. Alvin pulled into town the suspension bridge, which now sits at San Saba City Park. He and his wife, Brenda, were married March 6, 2009, under the canopy of San Saba's famous, historic Wedding Oak Tree. Both of them were baptized in the San Saba River, though at different times.

Alvin is survived by his devoted wife, Brenda Jean Pavey, son, Ray Pavey and daughter, Virginia Bunting and husband, Shaun. He is also survived by two grandchildren and several adopted grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, sisters, Bonnie Lou West and Vera Inez Welch and his brother Kenneth Pavey.

In Lieu of Flowers family ask that you please donate to the American Cancer Society in Remembrance of Alvin.



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