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The Weather



The High yesterday 85° The Low this morning 72°

Today: Sunny with a high temperature near 92°, and a heat index near 98°. Winds will be light from the S-SE.

Tonight: Look for mostly clear skies and a low near 73°, and S-SE winds at 5-10 mph gusting to 20 mph.

Saturday: Sunny skies and the high temperature will be near 93°. and a heat index near 98°. Wind will be S at 5015 mph with possible gusts of 20 mph.

Saturday Night: Mostly clear, and a low temperature near 74° with a S wind at 5-15 mph with possible gusts of 20 mph.

Sunday: Sunny skies with a high temperature near 95°, and S wind at 5-15 mph gusting to 20 mph.

Overnight Sunday: Mostly clear with a low temperature of 74°, and S wind at 10-15mph with gusts of 20 mph.

TEA Releases Public Health Guidance

The Texas Education Agency (TEA) released its guidelines for the school year.

If an individual who has been in a school is test-confirmed to have COVID-19, the school must notify its local health department. Upon receipt of information that any teacher, staff member, student, or visitor at a school is test-confirmed to have COVID-19, the school must submit a report to the Texas Department of State Health Services. As far as masking, school systems cannot require students or staff to wear a mask, however, other authority to require protective equipment, including masks, in an employment setting is not affected by GA-38, which prohibits the mask mandate. School systems must allow individuals to wear a mask if they choose to do so.

The DSHS rules prohibit students from attending school in person who are actively sick with COVID-19 or who have received a positive test result for COVID-19. Parents must ensure they do not send a child to school on campus if the child has COVID-19 symptoms or is test-confirmed with COVID-19, until the

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conditions for re-entry are met. DSHS mandates the rules for returning to school as well. Remote instruction is allowed for students excluded from classes. School can also test individuals, however parent permission is required to test students.

The CDC decides who would be 'close contacts'. Any vaccinated persons are not considered close contacts. While school do not have to do contact tracing, TEA said the parents should be notified.

If a student is considered a close contact, the parents may opt to keep them at home, the CDC recommends 10 days, or when a PCR acute infection test is negative. These students may also receive remote learning.

Another Special Legislative Session is Set

Governor Greg Abbott today issued a proclamation announcing that he will convene a second special legislative session at 12:00 p.m. on August 7, 2021.

The proclamation identifies 17 agenda items for the second Special Session. They include bail reform, election integrity, federal relief appropriations, education, border security, social media censorship, article x funding, youth sports, primary elections and the state legislature, with legislation relating to legislative quorum requirements.

Coronavirus Update

Statewide, according to the DSHS website, there were 10,912 new and 2,737 probable new cases on August 5th, along with 76 deaths. There were also 8,130 Texans in the hospital .Locally, the DSHS dashboard for cases shows 12 new confirmed cases in Lampasas County yesterday, and 135 confirmed cases in the last 14 days. The DSHS website estimates that there are 169 active cases in our county.

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Upcoming Events

Saturday August 14th:

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Friday August 27th:

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The Blotter



Lampasas Police Dept. blotter for Thursday shows a disorderly conduct reported in the 1200 block of Nix Rd at 5:15am. The afternoon shows a disturbance in the 400 block of N. Broad St. at 12:05pm, a suspicious vehicle in the 200 block of Riverview Dr. at 6:25pm, and a domestic disturbance in the 100 block of E. 8th St. at 6:32pm

Vaccine Opportunity

There will be a vaccine clinic next Wednesday, August 11th at Lampasas High School in the cafeteria. This is open to the public, free of charge, no appointment needed. The clinic will be from 9am to 4pm and they will offer the Pfizer 1st & 2nd shots for those 12 and older, and the Johnson & Johnson shot for those 18 and older.

District Court Jury Trial Cancelled

The Jury Trial scheduled for August 16th for District Court has been cancelled.

Internet Survey

Lampasas County is participating in a Broadband Internet Survey to help improve broadband availability and internet connectivity. The data gathered will assist with grants, expenditure of American Rescue Plan Act 2021 Funds and will be shared with potential retail internet providers. You are encouraged to complete the survey before August

https://myconnectedcommunity.org/lampasas-county/

(((O))) Texas Broadband

As you see in the story above, surveys are being taken across the state about broadband coverage, and this week, Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar announced his agency will operate a newly created Broadband Development Office

(BDO). The BDO will award grants, low-interest loans and other financial incentives to internet service providers who expand access to broadband service in underserved areas.

"Easy, secure internet access is increasingly important in our society, and it was essential during the pandemic. So, I am grateful that lawmakers made the expansion of broadband access across Texas a priority through the creation of the Broadband Development Office at my agency," Hegar said. Greg Conte has been selected to serve as BDO director.

"The COVID pandemic has highlighted the importance of reliable internet access. The linchpin to this office's success will be building meaningful, open relationships with state and local partners," Conte said. "I look forward to supporting the office's mission by fostering and maintaining those connections."

The office, established by House Bill 5 during the recently gaveled regular session of the 87th Legislature, will also do the following:

Create a broadband map indicating areas eligible for financial assistance; set an effective threshold speed for broadband service in those underserved areas at 25 megabits per second (Mbps) download

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and 3 Mbps upload; create and update a state broadband plan; engage in outreach to communities regarding the expansion and adoption of broadband service and the programs administered by the BDO; and serve as the state's subject matter expert for federal funding to help local governments

In December 2020, Connected Nation Texas, a broadband advocacy group, estimated that 316,717 Texas households were "unserved" by 25/3 Mbps broadband, about 89 percent of them in rural areas.

Sports

Badger Football



This Saturday will see the Intra-Squad scrimmage, then a family picnic and other activities from 8am-noon at the Lampasas High School Athletic Complex.

The Badgers take the field for their 1st scrimmage next Friday, August 13th at the Lampasas High School Athletic Complex against Marble Falls, with JV/9th playing at 5pm with varsity at 6:30pm. The 1st game of the season will be in Brownwood on August 27th with kickoff at 7:30pm at Gordon Wood Stadium.

Lady Badger Volleyball

The ladies have their first scrimmage of the season will be this today at Lampasas High School, with JV/9th at 1pm and the varsity at 2pm. The Ladies first game is Monday August 9th in Harker Heights. The JV/9th will play at 5:30pm, and the varsity will play at 6:30pm.

Hancock Park Golf Course

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