

The Weather



The High yesterday 72° The Low this morning 65°

As Tropical Storm Beta moves up the Texas Coast, overcast skies and scattered showers are ongoing across portions of Central Texas. There will be very little movement today with Beta, as the steering winds diminish. Look for highs today and tomorrow in the 60's and 70's and the precipitation to end from west to east. Normal highs are expected later in the week.

Today: Cloudy with drizzle this morning then a 40% chance of showers this afternoon. The high will be near 74°, with N winds near 10 mph gusting to 20 mph.

Tonight: Mostly cloudy with a low near 66° and a N-NE wind at 5-10 mph with gusts as high as 20 mph. **Wednesday:** Skies will be mostly cloudy with a high near 77°, and winds N near 10 mph gusting to 20 mph.

Wednesday Night: Mostly cloudy with a low near 61°. Winds will be N-NE at 5-10 mph.

Thursday: Mostly sunny with a high near 81° N-NE winds at 5-10 mph.

Thursday Night: Mostly clear with a low near 59° and light NE wind becoming calm.

Homecoming Events/ Football Games Cancelled



According to Lampasas Radio Sources, two Badger Football players tested positive for Covid-19. Because of close contact a number of other players have now been quarantined. The two that tested positive can return to action in 10 days, but the exposed players in quarantine are out for 14 days. Luckily, the next week after this one is a bye week. With no other exposures perhaps the Badgers will be able to go back to their winning ways after the bye week of October 2nd.

Middle School games scheduled for Thursday will be played at Lampasas High School.

Dr. Hay is working every contact at this time.

Homecoming festivities have been postponed according to Dr. Rascoe.

The following was on the social media page of Lampasas ISD Athletics: "Badger Nation: We are sorry to inform you that due to Covid related issues we are not going to be able to play our scheduled football game vs. Gatesville on Friday. 9th and JV will not travel to Gatesville on Thursday. LMS games at home are still on as scheduled. Thank you for realizing the health and safety of our kids come first. We will keep you updated on Badger Football and we will be ready for district play. Stay positive and keep the faith. Go BADGERS!!"

According to the DSHS/TEA webpage, 995 cases of Covid-19 have been reported in school statewide as of September 13th. The Website states that district level data will be available starting tomorrow.

District Court Notes



Lampasas County Courthouse was the site of a 27th District Court Docket Call on September 18th. Presiding over the Court was 27th District Court Judge John Gauntt. Altogether 14 cases were brought to the court, 12 of them involved men and 2 involved women.

There were 2 cases involving possession of a controlled substance PG1; 1 for under 1 gram, and 1 for 1-4 grams. There were 2 cases for possession of a controlled substance PG2, one for less than a gram and one for 1-4 grams. There was 1 case for DWI 3rd or more. There was one case for burglary of a building, and 3 cases for burglary of a habitation. There was one case of illegal dumping, and one for engaging in organized criminal activity.

Crimes causing personal harm included 1 cases of assault of a public servant, one for deadly conduct/discharge of a firearm, and one for sexual assault of a child. Of the 14 cases presented to the court, one case was settled with Ted Nunn of Lampasas pleading guilty to possession of a controlled substance PG1 less than a gram and was sentenced to court costs, fines and 2 years probation. The remainder of the cases were reset or had trials set for a future date.

TxDOT Back to School

As millions of Texas children return to school this year, the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) asks motorists and parents to exercise caution to prevent traffic crashes and injuries in and around school zones and bus stops.



Last year, 784 traffic crashes occurred in Texas school zones, resulting in one death and 12 serious injuries. The most common causes for these crashes were driver inattention, failure to control speed and failure to yield the right of way at a stop sign or when turning left.

In addition, five people were killed and 76 were seriously injured last year in 2,453 traffic crashes involving school buses in our state. Speed and driver inattention also were the top contributing factors in those crashes.

TxDOT urges drivers to slow down, pay attention and follow all traffic laws in school zones and when approaching school buses.

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Lampasas Day of Prayer & Worship



Please bring your family and friends to join us on
Saturday September 26, 2020
@ 11:00am @ Lampasas County Court House, for a very special day of Prayer and Worship for our great Nation.



Social distancing and masks are requested. Masks and sanitizer will be available. Please feel free to bring lawn chairs

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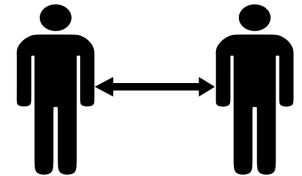
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The Blotter



Lampasas Police Dept. blotter for Monday shows a disturbance in the 400 block of S. Live Oak St. at 8:54am, at 9:08am, a minor accident was reported in the 100 block of Skipcha Trail, then a second minor accident took place at 10:14am in the 400 block of CTE. Deangelo Dunlap, 22, of Killeen was arrested in the 1700 block of CTE at 11:30am for possession of marijuana over 50 pounds, less than 2000 pounds. The afternoon shows a reported theft in the 200 block of E. 2nd St. at 12:44pm, then suspicious activity in the 2700 block of 281S at 2:18pm. Another theft was reported in the 100 block of E. 8th St. at 4:56pm. A possession of drug paraphernalia was reported in the 100 block of Peach St. at 6:55pm, then a 3rd theft was reported in the 1100 block of S. Key Ave. at 9:15pm.

The Lampasas Sheriff's Dept. Blotter for Monday shows Lometa with reported threats and an accident. Kempner shows medical calls, and a reported harassment.

Out in the county there were animal/livestock issues, and a 22.20 medical call. Deputies went into Cove on an alarm call.

The Jail Log shows the arrest of 24 year old Demarcus Tilley for abandoning/endangering a child/criminal negligence.

The County-Wide Burn Ban is lifted until September 28th.

Many schools are opening later than usual this fall because of the pandemic. It's important that motorists be aware of changing traffic patterns around schools to keep children safe and to avoid costly fines and tickets.

Tips for Drivers Sharing the Road with School Buses

- Follow at a safe distance, keeping in mind that school buses make frequent stops.
- Stop for flashing red lights or a stop sign on a school bus, regardless of which direction you're headed. Continue your trip once the bus has moved, the flashing lights stop flashing or the bus driver signals it's okay to pass.
- Always remain alert for children around buses and remember they may not always look for vehicles before crossing the street.
- Violations can lead to a fine of up to \$1,250 for a first offense.

Tips for Driving in School Zones

- Be aware that traffic patterns around schools may have changed since the last school year.
- Stay alert and put your phone away. Using a handheld electronic device while driving in an active school zone is against the law.
- Always obey school zone speed limit signs. Remember, traffic fines increase in school zones.
- Drop off and pick up your children in your school's designated areas, not the middle of the street.
- Keep an eye on children gathered at bus stops.
- Watch for children who might dart across the street or between vehicles.

Tips for Children Walking or Biking to School

- Always walk on sidewalks. If there's not a sidewalk, walk on the left side of the street facing traffic.
- Cross the street at intersections or marked crosswalks. Look left, right and left again before proceeding.
- Always obey crossing guards.
- Make eye contact with drivers before crossing the street. Never assume a driver sees you.
- Look for traffic when stepping off a bus or from behind parked vehicles.
- Always wear a helmet when riding a bicycle.

Don't be distracted by electronic devices that take your eyes and ears off the road.

Sports

Badger Football

The Lampasas Badgers Varsity and Sub-Varsity games for this Thursday and Friday have been postponed. They were postponed due to an abundance of caution concerning Covid-19/ The Superintendent said the Homecoming activities will be rescheduled



Middle School Football

The Lampasas Middle School Badger Football teams will take on Gatesville Jr. High School at the Lampasas High School field. The games will begin Thursday at 4:30pm with rolling starts. At this time the games are slated to go on.

Volleyball

Lady Badger Volleyball hosts Gatesville at Lampasas High School this Friday with games beginning at 5pm. At this time the games are scheduled to continue.

Runnin' Badgers Cross Country

The Runnin' Badgers next event is Saturday at Gatesville High School for the Bill Bradley Invitational.

Badger Tennis

Badger Tennis will travel to Brownwood this Saturday for a district match

