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Wednesday
September 30th 2020

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The Weather



The High yesterday 79° The Low this morning 49°

Look for temperatures to climb quickly in the 80's and lower 90's this afternoon. A cold front is expected to move through the area Thursday, after a high in the 80's in the afternoon. No precipitation is forecast with this front. Quiet weather is expected through the beginning of next week, with a slight chance for showers Saturday night.

Today: Sunny with a high of 86° this afternoon. The wind will be W-SW at 5-10 mph.

Tonight: Mostly clear skies and the low will get down to a chilly 58° by morning. Light westerly winds.

Thursday: Sunny with the temperature topping out at near 85°. Winds will become light from the E-NE in the afternoon.

Thursday Night: Clear and cool, dropping to 56° or so. The Light breezes from the E-NE.

Friday: Sunshine and a high near 82°. Winds will be NE at 5-10 mph shifting E-SE in the afternoon.

Friday Night: Clear skies and a low near 58°. Winds will be light from the SE.

City Manager Notes

Lampasas City Manger Finley de Graffenried was in Lampasas Radio studios this morning for his weekly visit with Ronnie Witcher.



They spoke about items discussed in the most recent City Council meeting; Police Chief Sammy Bailey proposed an ordinance that will create a no-parking zone on the shoulder of 281S from 10th St to the county line. Mr. deGraffenried stated this has become a safety concern, where people are loading and unloading on the side of the highway. Chief Bailey created the ordinance, and had the 1st reading Monday night. It will have the 2nd reading at the next City Council meeting.

Mr. Witcher questioned why a procedure done at a spa (microblading) needed City Council approval. The city manager explained that a lot of the new ordinances are written because you have to have definition. Microblading did not have a definition, and could be considered tattooing, which does require a SUP from the city.

Along these lines was also mentioned that a change of definition for some ordinances will probably be taking place. You have to think, when these ordinances were written, many things did not exist that exist today.

For the City Manager's Report, the recent WCID (water control improvement district) meeting. This the group that is in charge of the upkeep and care of our flood control dams. The City Manager said the dams did their job during the last rain event, where parts of the county received 17-18 inches of rain over a 4-5 day period. The Lampasas Public Library is providing limited services, you have to make an appointment to use a computer, but they are allowing people to check out books. The Skate Park in Campbell Park was brought up, and LAFTA will be advising the city. There

have been meetings with LAFTA and the Wings of Eagles Outreach concerning the park.

The tax rate and budget were approved. In the public works sector, the city manager said the next major project will be E. 3rd St. for the street, sidewalk/access improvements, and possibly some street lighting.

The City Manager encourages all Lampasas residents to continue being diligent in the case of Covid-19.

District Court Notes



Lampasas County Courthouse was the site of a 27th District Court Docket Call on September 25th. Presiding over the Court was 27th District Court Judge John Gauntt.

Altogether 18 cases were brought to the court, 14 of them involved men and 4 involved women. Patrick Boutelle of San Marcos failed to appear on the charge of accident involving bodily injury, Dwonta Davis of Temple failed to appear on fraud charges, and Johnny Keeter of Lampasas failed to appear on the charge of assault of a family/household member.

There were 4 cases involving possession of a controlled substance PG1; 2 for under 1 gram, and 2 for 1-4 grams There was 1 case for DWI 3rd or more. There was one case for theft of a firearm, and 3 for evading arrest with a vehicle.

Crimes causing personal harm included 1 cases of one case involving unlawful restraint of a person under 17 years of age, and 2 for accident causing bodily injury, there were 2 cases of assault of a family/household member.

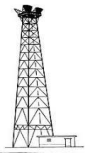
There was one sexual assault case, on for indecency with a child/sexual contact, and on for continuous sexual abuse of a child under 14.

Of the 18 cases presented to the court, two cases were settled with Anthony Martinez pleading guilty to evading arrest with a vehicle and theft of a firearm. Mr. Martinez received 5 years probation on the evading charge, and 3 years probation on the theft of a firearm charge.

The remainder of the cases were reset or had trials set for a future date

On the Radio Waves

Tune in tomorrow at 8am on KACQ 101.9fm to hear Police Chief Sammy Bailey with Ken Gontarek about National Night Out.



The Mid-week Coronavirus Report

Dr. Georgia Hay, Lampasas County Health Authority advises Lampasas Radio that at this time Lampasas County has 335 total cases, and 25 active cases. The state of Texas reported 3,812 new cases yesterday, and 3,251 Texans are hospitalized with Coronavirus.



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The Blotter



Lampasas Police Dept. blotter for Tuesday shows the arrest of 49 year old Felix Ybarra of Lampasas in the 100 block of W. 1st St. at 1:47pm on a Lampasas County Warrant for possession of a controlled substance PG1 less than a gram in a drug free zone and a probation violation.

A report of criminal mischief came in from the 2700 block of 281S at 2:06pm. There was a reported theft in the 1600 block of S. Key at 2:11pm, and a reported fraud in the 1300 block of CR 1045 at 3:34pm.

The Sheriff's Dept. Blotter for Tuesday shows Lometa with an animal issue. Kempner shows animal issues, an alarm call, suicidal person calls, and a medical call. Out in the county there was a request for extra patrol, animal issues, a noise complaint, medical calls and an accident. Deputies went into Cove for an animal issue.

The Jail Log shows the arrest of 26 year old Brandon Fitzwater of Copperas Cove for possession of marijuana less than 2 oz

The Burn Ban has been lifted until October 19th at 5pm



Happy Birthday



Debbie Witcher-65

Daniel Witcher-39

Zach Keller



Lady Badger Volleyball

The Lady Badger Volleyball teams were in Brownwood yesterday where the varsity Lady Badgers lost in 3: 20-25; 13-25; 9-25. The Stat Leaders were: Kills: Quarles 5, Lovejoy 4, Chandler 3. Assists: Poole 14.

Blocks: Roedler 4, Lovejoy 3, Quarles 1. Digs: Castaneda 9, Bender 7 Poole 5

The JV won in 2: 25-20 & 25-21.

The Freshmen won in 2: 25-20 & 25-23

The Lady Badgers will be back in action this Friday with home games against Stephenville.

Badger Tennis

Badger Tennis lost last night 3-16 to a very good Gatesville team. With this win it puts Gatesville 1st, Brownwood 2nd and Lampasas 3rd and Stephenville 4th. Bi District was pushed back two weeks so now playoffs do not start until 26th of October. We will have practice matches until then and work on things to improve our tie breaker record and match focus. We will know more middle of October who we play first round

Badger Golf

Badger Golf will next be playing on October 9th and 10th for the Badger Fall Classic, at Hancock Golf Course in Lampasas and Delaware Springs Golf Course in Burnet.

Runnin' Badgers Cross Country

Badger Cross Country hosts the Lampasas Invitational beginning at 8am on Friday. Coach Wiemers said Due to covid, it will be a slightly smaller meet than usual, but will have 15 teams participating this year in two small school varsity heats and one JV heat.

Election Notes



Early Voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at Lampasas County Annex One, Conference Room, 409 S. Pecan, Lampasas, TX, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

beginning on October 13 and ending on October 30.

Additional early voting will be held at the same location as follows: October 20 and October 27 (Tuesdays) from 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
Mark Bishop, Elections Administrator
407 S. Pecan, Suite 102
Lampasas, TX 76550

Application for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on October 23, 2020.

The City Ballot is as follows:
Councilperson Place 3; Gordon Nelson, Chuck Williamson
Councilperson Place 4; Catherine Haby Kuehne
Councilperson Place 5; Bob Goodart, Zach Taylor

Badger Sports



Badger High School Football

Badger Varsity Football Our undefeated Varsity Badgers have a scheduled bye-week this week, as well as our Badger sub-varsity.

Badger Middle School Football

Notice:

On Thursday October 1st, there is a modification to Middle School Football games: 8th A/B will play at Badger Field beginning at 4:30. 7th A/B will travel to Fredericksburg with a 4:30 start as well.

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