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The Little Peoples Paper
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Tuesday December 1st, 2020

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The Weather

The high yesterday 52° This morning's low 26°

According to the NWS, Eastland, northwest of here was the coldest spot this morning with a temperature of 21°. The forecasters say a cool and breezy day is expected today as strong southerly winds will bring the temperature up to near 60°. However, another cold front is expected to move through overnight tonight. The cold airmass is expected to be strong enough to see temperatures drop significantly, and the high temperatures in many areas may occur in the morning.

Today: Mostly sunny and the high should make it to near 59°. Wind will be S at 10-15 mph gusting to 20 mph. **Tonight:** Mostly clear skies and a low around 40°. The wind will become light and variable.

Wednesday: It will be mostly sunny and up to 56° with a slight chance of showers in the morning. Winds will be NW at 5-15 mph with possible gusts of 25 mph.

Overnight Wednesday: Partly cloudy and 31°. Winds will be N-NW at 10-15 mph.

Thursday: Mostly sunny and a high temperature near 50°. Winds will continue from the N-NW at 10-15 mph gusting to 20 mph **Thursday Overnight**: Mostly cloudy with a low near 30°. Winds will be N-NW at 5-10 mph.

Today is 'Giving Tuesday'

According to their website, "Giving Tuesday was created when two organizations, the 92nd Street Y and the United Nations Foundation came together in 2012, about a month before that year's Thanksgiving. Their intention was to set aside a day that was all about celebrating the

generosity of giving, a great American tradition. The Lampasas Police Dept. posted the following:

"WE give locally. During this season of giving you can help by donating toys to children that may not otherwise receive them--they can be dropped off at the Lampasas Fire Department or the Lampasas Police Department."

There are many other worthwhile causes that residents can donate to, and many can be found online.

Lampasas Graduate Critically Injured

Lampasas High School Graduate Rogue Amber (Dowdy)
Calkins was critically injured in a one-vehicle rollover accident
on her way home from work at the TDCJ Hughes unit on
Saturday morning.



The accident took the life of the son (Atlas) that she and husband, Caleb Calkins were expecting. Ms. Calkins was 34 weeks pregnant, with the birth expected by

January 15th. She is in the Scott & White ICU in Temple and

has a long road to recovery ahead of her. She has undergone multiple surgeries since the accident.

The family is accepting physical donations at: Refuge Ministries Church, 2602 S FM 116, Copperas Cove. Monetary donations can be given online at https://refuge-ministries.com/give/. Please put "Calkins" in the memo. The family would like to say "Thank You" to the whole community that has already sent their love and prayers. She is a fighter.

Carol of Lights

Dec. 5th, 2020 * 10am - 8pm Lampasas Courthouse Square

Lighted Christmas Parade, bake sale, craft market, classic car show, Snow Queen Pageant, Methodist Church Choir performance

> Dec. 6th, 2020 * 1pm - 5pm Lampasas County Museum tour of homes

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*info@visionlampasas.org information

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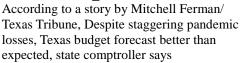
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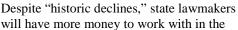
Lampasas Police Dept. blotter for Monday shows a quiet day, then in the evening, a DWI was reported in the 1700 block of CTE at 6:05pm. One arrest was made as David Lackey, 62, of Kingsland was arrested in the 100 block of EE Ohnmeiss Dr. for DWI 3rd or more at 6:30pm. A disturbance in the 600 block of N. Key Ave. rounded out the day.

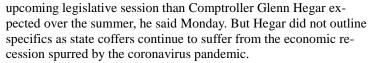
Lampasas Sheriff's Dept. blotter for Monday shows Lometa with animal/livestock issues and a reported open door/gate. Kempner saw an alarm call, a reported assault, livestock/animal issues, and medical calls. Out in the county there were alarm calls, a reported fraud, animal/livestock issues, a requested welfare check, and medical calls. Deputies went into Cove on a livestock issue and a medical call.

The Burn Ban is lifted until 5pm today.

State Budget Better than Expected.







Sales tax revenues, by far the largest part of the state budget, fell by 4.8% in the second half of the 2020 fiscal year compared with the same stretch last year, Hegar said. It was a much softer hit than he anticipated, thanks to Texans staying home and spending money on "staycations instead of vacations."

Other revenue streams, such as taxes related to alcohol, hotel occupancy, and oil and gas, were down more than 40% in the same period this year compared with last, Hegar told lawmakers Monday during a Legislative Budget Board meeting at the Capitol.

"Revenues remain down significantly relative to a year ago, and well below what we expected to collect when the Legislature wrapped up work on the budget in 2019," Hegar said.

Legislative budget writers decide how much money will be allocated for large state expenses like how much school districts get, how well health care programs are funded, which transportation projects get built and what amount state law enforcement gets based on how much the comptroller says will be available during the next two-year budget cycle, which runs from September 2021 through August 2023. Hegar will likely unveil that number as the session nears.

On Monday, Hegar presented virtually to some of the state's political leaders, including Lt. Gov. Dan Patrick and House Speaker Dennis Bonnen, who co-chair the budget board and who appeared in person at the Capitol along with eight other colleagues from both chambers.

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Lampasas County Annual Museum Festivities

It's that time of year. Lampasas County Museum is holding it's traditional events. The theme this year is "Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree"

The Christmas trees for the Christmas Tree Contest

The Christmas trees for the Christmas Tree Conte have been delivered, and will be judged on December 5th during the Carol of Lights.

The Gingerbread house contest will take place

and they may be delivered to the museum on Thursday and Friday from 4-6pm. They will be judged Friday evening.

The tour of homes will be Sunday December 6th from 1-5pm. Tickets are \$10 per person 12 and over. Masks must be worn and social distancing observed. For more information call the museum at 512-556-2224 or Amy McDaniel at 254-290-6111.

Badger Sports Badger Sports

Due to the remote only learning this week, all practices and games have been postponed or cancelled for Lampasas High School.

Lampasas Middle School

Lampasas Middle School basketball will host Taylor today with games beginning at 5pm. The Lampasas Middle School Girls will travel to Taylor with games beginning at 5pm. The link for tickets to the LMS girls basketball game is on their social media pages.



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