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## The Weather

The High Yesterday: 59° The Low This morning 56°

**Today** Patchy fog this morning, then a chance of drizzle most of the day. Otherwise cloudy with a high temperature topping out near 67° and a 20% chance of showers this afternoon. Wind will be S-SE at 5-10 mph gusting to 20 mph.

**Tonight:** Look for cloudy skies and a 40% chance of precipitation after midnight. The low temperature will be near 59°. Wind will be S-SE at 10-15 mph with possible gusts of 30 mph.

**Tuesday:** There is a 50% chance of showers and storms in the morning and cloudy skies with clearing in the afternoon and a steady temperature near 66°. Wind will become W-NW at 5-10 mph gusting to 25 mph.

**Tuesday Night:** Partly cloudy skies with a low temperature near 45°. Wind will be W near 5 mph.

**Wednesday**: Sunny skies with a forecast high near 61°. Look for W-NW wind at 5-10 mph with possible gusts of 20 mph.

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# Hit and Run Fatality in Mills County

From Texas DPS: On 12/10/22 at 6:09pm Texas DPS Troopers responded to a report of a fatality hit and run crash involving a tow truck driver. A tow truck driver, identified at 61-year-old Patrick Morin, of Buchanan Dam, Texas, was loading and securing a vehicle onto his tow truck on US 183 near Goldthwaite. An unknown pickup truck failed to move over or slow down and struck Moran. The vehicle sustained damage and failed to stop and render aid. Morin was pronounced deceased on the scene by Justice of the Peace, Kim Avants. Next of kin notification has been made. The crash investigation is active and open. Suspect vehicle is believed to be a 2011 to 2015 metallic brown Toyota Tundra 4X4 pick-up truck. Evidence left at the scene shows that the vehicle had aftermarket fender flares that were painted to match, as well as factory trailer tow mirrors. The suspect vehicle is missing the right front fender flare and right trailer towing mirror. Anyone with information about this crash please contact DPS Waco Communications at 254-759-7131.

## **Commissioners Court**

**The Lampasas County Commissioners** held a regularly scheduled meeting today at 9am in the Commissioners Courtroom at the Lampasas County Courthouse.

The agenda included the consent agenda to include quarterly departmental reports. Also on the agenda was accounts payable and payroll, to receive & provide information and evaluate demographics and take possible action regarding redistricting of County political boundaries, the vacant lot of old jail/sheriff's office, a fireworks ban order and recognizing the retirement of County Clerk Connie Hartman.

## **Lampasas City Council**

**The Lampasas City Council** will hold regularly scheduled meetings this afternoon, beginning with a Workshop Session at 5:30pm.

The agenda for the Workshop Session includes discussion and explanation of solar interconnection to the City of Lampasas Electric System, discussion of City projects and discussion regarding the Solar Eclipse Event 2024.

The regular session is scheduled to begin at 6pm. The agenda for the regular session includes presentations and proclamations to include Community Champion recognition and Annual City Council recognition. There will be a public hearing to receive citizen comments considering granting a request to rezone the property from commercial to single family residential, and approve a final plat with variances of resubdivision of 1001 Bridge St. There will also be a public hearing regarding the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Agriculture for a Texas Community *Cont'd on back*)

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# upcoming

#### **Tuesday December 13th:**

35th Annual Pierian Christmas Concert. 4pm at First Baptist Church Lampasas.

#### **Wednesday December 14th:**

**Lampasas Community Gardens** is sponsoring a class on trees. Facilitated by Lucien Hodges @ 4PM on Wed 12.14, at the Co Extension conference room. Bring questions and a \$5 suggested donation. Refreshments will be served.

#### Friday December 16th:

St. Mary's Food Pantry 9:30-11am.

#### **Saturday December 17th;**

**Book Signing** (Past and Present: Lampasas County) @ Lampasas Museum 11am-1pm.

#### **Sunday December 18th:**

**School Creek Baptist** Christmas Cantata. 11am.

#### December 9th, 10th, 16th, 17th, 18th:

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## The Blotter



The Lampasas Police Dept. blotter for Saturday shows a suspicious vehicle reported in the 100 block of EE Ohnmeiss Dr. at 2:41am. At 5:22am Lorena Rangel, 23, of Lometa was arrested in the 800 block of E. 4<sup>th</sup> St. for DWI. There were noise complaints in the 100 block of N. Summer St., one at 7:59am and one at 12:36pm. Otherwise, the afternoon shows a reported harassment on Park Ln. at 6:23pm, a missing person was reported in the 100 block of EE Ohnmeiss Dr. at 6:47pm, a suspicious vehicle was reported in the 2700 block of 281S at 11:11pm, and a domestic disturbance was reported in the 1600 block of E. Ave G at 11:28pm.

Lampasas Police Dept. blotter for Sunday shows an early morning report of a domestic disturbance reported in the 1600 block of E. Ave G at 12:36am and a disturbance reported in the 200 block of Hillside Ln. at 4:02am. There was a minor accident in the 100 block of W. 9<sup>th</sup> St. at 12:10pm, suspicious activity reported in the 1100 block of E. 4<sup>th</sup> St. at 1:36pm, and a suspicious person was reported in the 200 block of E. Riverview Dr. at 5:11pm. There was a traffic hazard reported in the 1400 block of 281S at 6:09pm, a disturbance was reported in the 700 block of Old Georgetown Rd. at 7:10pm, and a unauthorized use of a motor vehicle report came in from the 1000 block of E. 4<sup>th</sup> St. at 10:03pm.

The Lampasas County Sheriff's Dept. Blotter for the weekend shows Lometa with animal issues and an alarm call. In Kempner there was a requested welfare check, medical calls, a fish & game call and a report of lost/found property. Out in the county there were accidents, medical calls, livestock/animal issues, reports of suspicious activity, an alarm call and a reported disturbance. Deputies went into Cove for an accident, medical calls, livestock/animal issues, and an alarm call.

**The Jail Log** shows the arrest of 43 year old Jacob Blanchard of Euless, Texas on 2 out-of-county charges. Also arrested was 33 year old Althea Yazzie of Lometa for DWI 3<sup>rd</sup> or more.

(cont'd from front) Development Block Grant Program grant. Also included on the agenda is the consent agenda, the City Manager's Operational Report to include airport planning, railroad grade, the EMS monthly report and First Street. The agenda also includes discussion and possible action to consider vacate, abandon and convey .24 acres of un-opened Deb Lynn St. which is part of 1003 S. Howe St., and discussion and possible action to approve by resolution the request for waiver of Local Match Fund Participation Requirement on Federal Off-System Bridge Program Project.

## Lometa ISD School Board to Meet

**The Lometa ISD School Board** will meet today at 6:30pm in the Lometa School Library.

The agenda includes student and staff recognition, community input, a public hearing on the Financial Integrity Rating System of Texas report, consideration of the 2022-2023 summer nutrition program, consideration of delegating to the Superintendent the authority to purchase track equipment above current purchasing limits, the monthly investment report, consideration of budget amendments and monthly bills and administrative reports.

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## **Sports**

#### Lady Badger Basketball

**The Lady Badgers** defeated perennial 5A playoff team Leander Rouse 64-32 on Friday. Top scorers were Tatum with 16 points, White with 13 points, and Lovejoy with 9 points.

The Lady Badger Varsity Basketball team is now 15-6 on the season. The Lady Badger teams travel to Salado tomorrow night for games there .

**The Lady Badger JV** fell to Rouse 27-29 and the Lady Badger Freshmen won 45-20.

#### **Badger Basketball**

**Badger Varsity Basketball** won the consolation championship Saturday at the Hamilton Tournament over Hamilton 60-49. This was a game full of highs and lows, as we stormed ahead 16-2 after 1 quarter, but a defensive shift by Hamilton slowed the game. Late in the 4th we moved ahead by 16 (56-40), but Hamilton did not stop playing. Overall, it was a solid 3 days for our kids, as we improved greatly in a short period of time. Also, Aidan Nuckles was chosen for the all-tournament team. The Varsity is now 7-7 on the season.

**The JV Badgers** ended the Hamilton Tournament with a 47-38 victory over the Eastland Mavericks. The JV Badgers are now 4-4 on the year and play Waco Robinson at home on Tuesday.

**The Badger Freshmen** basketball team lost to Gatesville 34-33 Saturday. The leading scorer was KJ Reed with 15 points, Beau Patterson added 10 points.

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