

The Weather



The High yesterday was 62° The Low this morning 31°
Today: Mostly sunny day but sometimes breezy with a N-NW wind 5-10 mph and gusting to 20. The high should be around 62° again.

Tonight: Mostly clear with a low around 34° and N-NW wind around 5 mph and turning calm.

Sunday: A change comes as the wind will shift to coming out of the west at 5-10 mph and it will warm up to about 70° in the afternoon. It will get down to 35° overnight with light SW wind, then Monday a short warm up of a day or two comes in.

Next Week: Monday we'll be up to 72°, then the north wind comes back Monday night and it will be mostly 50s or low to mid-60s highs for the rest of the work week. No freezes are seen in that period. The "but" part of the forecast is that no moisture is seen in the future week for our drought-ridden area and, the long range forecast seems to show another cold front hitting late in the next weekend, perhaps on Sunday.

An Evening In the Park Christmas On The Creek



There will be lights and Santa's Village and a Nativity Scene and a giant lighted Santa. There'll be music and hot chocolate and food and fun, strolling in the park and friends and friendly conversation.

There's more than enough reason to make your way to Brook Park this evening. From 6 to 8pm there, the Christmas on the Creek festival will be taking place. Ronnie, with microphone in hand, and the old Lampasas Radio van, will be there to take it all in. Hope to see you there.



The lights – Courtesy of the City of Lampasas and Vision Lampasas' Christmas Lights committee.

The Christmas displays – Courtesy of Vision Lampasas' mural painters.

The bandstand music – From The Elderly Brothers, The Rivera Brothers, and none other than B.B. Starr.

Emcee – Chuck Williamson, Mayor Pro Tem

And – It will all wrap up at 8pm with the drawing for the Polaris and shot gun at 8pm. (Raffle tickets are available right up to the drawing)

Next Week



Monday, Dec. 11th

Lampasas County Commissioners will meet at 9am in the courthouse. On the agenda is a recognition of School Choice Week, then a memorandum of understanding with the Texas Attorney General's office. Sable Reynolds will be considered for membership in the Lampasas County Historical Commission. There will be discussions related to the new county jail project and the draft ideas for a construction contract, and there will be an executive session with an attorney.

There will be an additional "called" meeting of the court with department heads at 1:30pm in the Annex Conference Room. Lampasas City Council will meet at 5:30pm for a workshop. Much of it will include a 2018 Council Work Plan, then the idea of the City being a Credit Card Friendly Destination.

In the 7pm regular session there will be the usual reports, then possible action appointing Mandy Walsh to the Development District of Central Texas as the City's representative, a possible agreement between the City and the Lampasas County Riding Club concerning the 580 Sports Park's Rodeo Arena property, and a vendor agreement with Hill Country Community Action Association regarding pledges for utility accounts. There will also be budget amendments and a possible agreement on a Bark for Life event at Hanna Springs Sculpture Garden on Jan. 28th.

Tuesday, Dec 12th

Kempas City Council will meet at 7pm for a regular session in City Hall. In addition to regular financial matters they will discuss a PEC Franchise Agreement, a stoplight issue at 190 and FM 2808, the CAD Board Members Election, a note on COPsync's bankruptcy proceeding, and the Texas Senate Commendation for Police Chief Spence.



Perception Creative Art School will have its 3rd Annual 12X12 Dinner and Show at 6:30pm. This year it's the Yumm Rocks ART event with a Private Dinner by Yumm Again catering. It's all taking place at the school and Yumm Again location on Third Street. There'll be with Live Music & Viewing of the art with the music by Derek Groves, Cord Jackson, John Groves and Allison Hendrick. After the dinner and viewing, there will be a sale of the 12X12 canvas art that has been on display. Reservations are required for the dinner with BYOB. Make 'em at PCAS or Yumm Again at 415 E. 3rd.

Hanna Springs Elementary will have its Christmas Family Night at 5:30pm.

Thursday, Dec 14th

The Lometa ISD Trustees will meet at 6:30pm at the school library in Lometa. On the agenda is a public hearing on the First Financial report for the school, financial matters, possible declaration of the house at 102 N. 8th as surplus, along with regular monthly reports. (cont. on back)

12/12

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Saturday, December 9th

Christmas on the Creek, at WM Brook Park. 6pm-9pm.

Books & Badgers @ Lampasas Public Library starting at 10:30.
Sunday, December 10th

Lampasas Christmas Cantata @ 5pm . 1st Methodist Church. Taste of Christmas to follow.

Tuesday, December 12th

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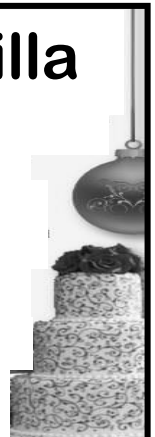
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The Blotter



Lampasas Police Dept. blotter report shows a prowler report in the 900 block of E. 3rd at 3:21am Friday morning. Later, at 10:03am a noise complaint came from the area of 700 block of S. Broad, at 10:14am an arrest for burglary took place.

17 yr old Ulyses Fabian Rodriguez of Lampasas was charged in the 300 block of E. 4th with burglary of a habitation. At 10:55am there was a suspicious vehicle report in the 400 block of CTE. In the afternoon, at 3pm, a reckless driver was reported in the 100 block of CTE. At 3:05pm criminal mischief was reported in the 100 block of W. North. At 4:49pm a theft was reported in the 400 block of W. Ave. B.

At 5:11pm, a 31 yr old Duluth, GA male, Justin Allen Clark, was arrested in the 400 block of E. 4th on a warrant for aggravated sexual assault of a child.

Overnight last night there seems to have been a breakin to a business vehicle parked at the Eagle Auto Parts.

Lampasas Sheriff's Dept. blotter shows Lometa had a suicidal person call and a couple of civil matters, Kempner had three crashes and some traffic stops. Out in the county there were traffic stops, threats, fish and game calls, some civil matters and some livestock problems.

The jail log shows the arrests of two Denver Co. people on drug possession. 29 yr old Boyan Nicholas Athanassov was charged with possession of a PG2 substance 4g, and for over 2 oz of marijuana. Also arrested at the same time was 31 yr old Kathleen Ann Mongero, on the same drug possession charges. Also arrested a 30 yr old San Saba man on a commitment and a 33 yr old Copperas Cove man on a bond revocation on an out of county charge.

The Burn Ban is lifted until Sunday at 6pm.

Sports



Badger Basketball

The Varsity Boys (11-4), playing in the Hamilton tournament, beat Brownwood 66-54 Friday morning.

Lampasas led big in scoring in the first quarter 21-11, then faded by about the same amount in the 2nd 14-25. They came back in the 3rd 21-10 and tacked on more in a 10-8 4th quarter to finish with the win. Kyle Sims led with 16 points, 7 rebounds, 3 assists and 3 blocks. Tyler Quarles had 13 points and 3 steals and Xavier Nix 12 points, 3 rebounds and 3 steals.

In game 2 they beat Llano (Coach Nuckles team last year) 45-33. Coach said it was a game where neither coach really wanted to show much before district competition begins. Tyler Quarles led with 14 points, 3 rebounds and 2 steals. Philip Blackstock had 5 points, 4 rebounds and 5 assists.

Today, at 7:30pm, the team will play Dublin again. Lampasas had beat Dublin 85-57 on Thursday, on their way to their undefeated status up to now. Dublin had taken that loss, but went on to fight their way back to the championship game tonight.

Go Badgers!

The Boys JV team, under Coach Allison, beat Brownwood on Thursday and then beat Stephenville on Friday. They also head to a championship game today at 6pm.

The Boys 9th grade team beat Dublin on Friday and are heading for the Consolation Championship game at 10:15 this morning.

Lady Badgers Basketball, under Head Coach Mark Myers, ran over Austin Savio on Friday 52-15.

The Lady Badger JV team also beat Savio, this time it was 42-14.

Happy Birthday

Brandi Payne, 39

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Badger wrestling was back on the mats Friday. Coach Brandan Rosa reported on the matches, featuring the JV and Lady Badger teams. "... both teams putting on an impressive show. Badger Nation came home today with five champions, eight runner ups, and five consolation champions."

Champions: Mackenzie Best, Carlie Groves, Daunte Cuffie, Owen Davis, and Seth Fraughton.

Runner Ups: Alex Hamilton, Alyson Lancaster, Daisy Goldston, Nathan Calvery, Austin Kielpinski, Austin Fields, Dylan Kannan, and Peyton Underwood.

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The Badger Varsity team will compete again today in the Ellison Dual Tournament.



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