

SHEPHERD COMMUNITY NEWS



Community October Feast
October 26, 2017 12:00 p.m.
Shepherd Community Center
Everyone is welcome to attend.
Each year we gather as a community to eat, laugh and visit. This is a pot luck dinner and is provided by local citizens and employees on their own accord.

ATTENTION ALL GOBLINS



SJC ANNEX PKY. 2
WILL BE HANDING OUT CANDY ON
HALLOWEEN NIGHT
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2017
5:30 P.M. - UNTIL CANDY IS GONE!

CHEERS & BASKETBALL

Sign-Ups

October 7, 14, 21, 28
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Registration
Basketball: \$85
Cheerleader's \$95
Only 15 Cheerleaders Will Be Taken

Soup Day!

Fund Raiser For Shepherd Senior Citizen's Center

Sunday
October 22, 2017

12:00 P.M.
Until We Run Out!

\$5.00 includes Bowl of Soup, Crackers or Cornbread, Dessert and Tea or Lemonade. Come and Enjoy!

102 North Liberty Loop 424/Byrd Ave. and Bell St.
(Behind The Fire Station)

Answers to Last Weeks Crossword

FEMALE	CHALETS	DAPPLE
RUINED	HIDEOUT	ODIOUS
ADDING	ATLANTA	RESORT
NOGS	ELITE	SUNSPARKA
CREEP	INERT	CARTLET
EAT	LAKER	REDEYE
TOWED	SAGA	SOME
SCRAWLS	DEIGNS	PISTIL
THEMES	BEANS	PRESSURE
OOZED	MALLS	COINS
PROS	BIKES	LOOPS
PAN	PILED	BASKS
ELEVATOR	WAITS	HOLLER
RESENT	SMIRKS	LAWLESS
TEEM	OLGA	HIRES
BOSS	RUSTLE	GAVEL
INN	SNIP	STARE
ALOHA	RUST	WINDS
SIRENS	ROMAINE	HOLDER
ENTREE	TRANCES	ARDENT
DESERT	SANDERS	HEARTH

Arp ISD to the Rescue

Representatives from Arp ISD made a long road trip to Shepherd High School on Thursday, September 28, 2017. They came bearing gifts from their Middle School students. Arp students decided they wanted to reach out to a school district that was affected by Hurricane Harvey. They chose to help Shepherd High School, where one of their teachers, Kim Whitmire Hardy, is an ex-student. The students gathered 30 backpacks along with enough supplies to stuff them with and lots more! What a great act of love from their district to ours.



Pictured above: Kim Whitmire Hard, Bryan Hurst, Principal of Arp Junior High School, Leah Huffstetter



Pictured to left :
Judy Porter,
Holly Harrison,
Kim Whitmire Hardy,
Leah Huffstetter

WEEKLY CROSSWORD

Answers to Crossword will be in Next Weeks Paper

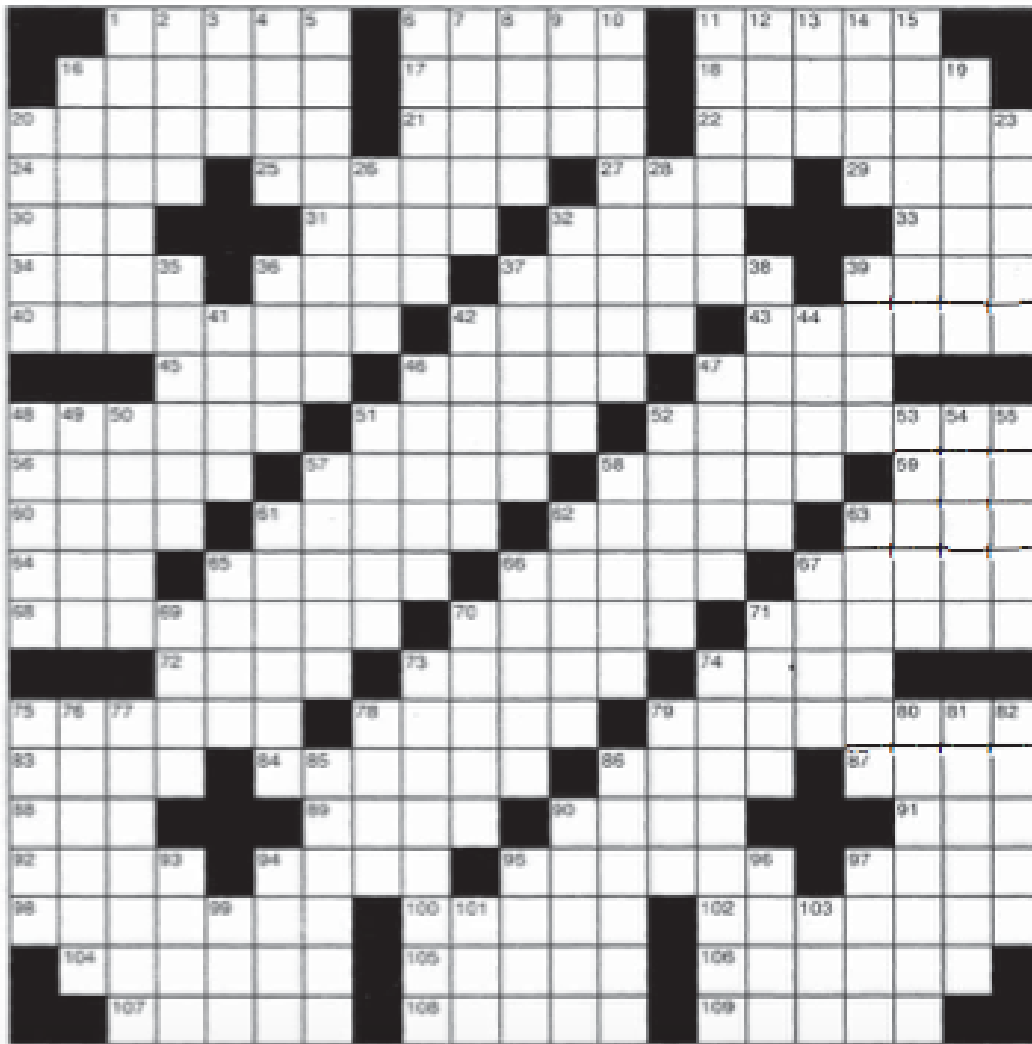
ACROSS

- 1 Vreeland of the publishing world
- 6 Dieter's lunch
- 11 Black chickens
- 16 Hippie's word of condolence
- 17 Vernon's partner
- 18 Benefits
- 20 Hopelessness
- 21 Sparse
- 22 TV's cagey Atlanta lawyer
- 24 Small amphibians
- 25 Meager
- 27 Prepares to fire
- 29 C- (cable network)
- 30 Actor George
- 31 Spore
- 32 Greenish-blue
- 33 Mature start?
- 34 "Pearl of Island" (Stowe)
- 36 Suffix with young or old
- 37 Dry
- 39 Ten: prefix
- 40 Closed again
- 42 Primp's pal

DOWN

- 1 Maids, at times
- 2 Match points, in bridge
- 3 Drs. gp.
- 4 Playwright Simon
- 5 Apprehended
- 6 Nun
- 7 Shaped like a rainbow
- 8 Mrs. Sprat's no
- 9 Miller of "On the Town"
- 10 Held
- 11 Improvised, slangily
- 12 Gardner et al.
- 13 Large tank
- 14 Has the vapors
- 15 Splashed
- 16 Previously
- 19 In short supply
- 20 "Metropolitan Home" subject
- 23 Make dough
- 26 Deprivation
- 28 What the Little Engine thinks
- 32 Boxer Max et al.
- 35 Burned
- 36 Dispatch
- 37 Short-billed rail

- 38 One of Honda's big sellers
- 39 "Phooey!"
- 41 Beaux
- 42 The terrible twos, fortunately
- 44 Envelope abbr.
- 46 Coins
- 47 Crook's false name
- 48 Boggle
- 49 Silas Marner, at first
- 50 Rugged ridge
- 51 Strips
- 52 Author Chayefsky
- 53 Raise one's spirits
- 54 Fare
- 55 "Tonight" guests, often
- 57 Teen hangouts
- 58 Hits, slangily
- 61 Removes dirt
- 62 Crew
- 63 Narrow body of water
- 65 Book after II Chronicles
- 66 Bugs
- 67 Kiln
- 69 Wired dis-patches: abbr.
- 70 Locket shape, perhaps
- 71 Coddled critters
- 73 Braggarts
- 74 Made a difference
- 75 Change color again
- 76 Certain "Enterprise" crewmen
- 77 The Great One
- 78 Like Pinocchio, at the end of the story
- 79 Sky: Fr.
- 80 Messengers' jobs
- 81 SWAT team specialties
- 82 Weighty works
- 85 Insultingly slight
- 86 Hunted game
- 90 Winner's reward at Pimlico
- 93 Koran chapter
- 94 Red vegetable
- 95 Progress, on a pile of work
- 96 Bank (on)
- 97 "The Trail of the Lonesome"
- 99 Amtrak et al.
- 101 "Police Academy": Mission to Moscow
- 103 Goat-horned god



DID YOU KNOW?

by Yvonne Ryba

Do you know what Zumba is? It's a "combo of fun and fitness", an exercise where you dance to music and get fit. Soon you will be able to attend a Zumba class at Shepherd Community Center! For a nominal fee of \$3 or \$4 you can join the hour long class with an instructor, who is so successful, her class needs a much larger space. Shepherd City Council agreed to allow the class to use the center without charge till the instructor found it to be "working out." (Yes, that is meant to be funny!)

Classes will be for all ages and both sexes. The instructor brings weights for those who want to use them and for those of us who can't keep up, they are very welcome to come and do what they can. Watch for more information next week.

If you went to last year's Doggie Contest in Coldspring, it is that time again. This is a Dog Costume Contest held on the Courthouse Square lawn, the side with the Gazebo. If you want to enter with your dog, which must be leashed, call Danielle who is president of C.A.B.M.A, the Coldspring Area Business and Merchants Association, which hosts

the Socials On The Square, at (832) 646-9888. The Doggie Costume Contest is a lot of fun. Come out to see the entrants and socialize with everyone. Bring your own chair and drinks, everything else is free! The event starts at 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Shepherd Family Clinic has moved into their new premises in Shepherd. They are at the end of the shopping strip on Loop 424, Byrd Avenue. This is across from the traffic lights, in the strip with El Taquito.

Christmas is coming! Both Chambers of Commerce celebrate with parades and vendors selling their wares. Santa comes to both places and is available for photographs for some of the time. Shepherd has its event first on December 2, while Coldspring follows the next Saturday, December 9. The theme for both events is "Christmas Stories", which gives those people decorating their floats plenty of ideas. The theme can be from a modern story or an old one. It can be biblical or from a movie. You choose. Call the chamber for more information and look on line at their web sites for forms and routes for the parade. There will be entertainment for both cities.

Coldspring Chamber of Commerce had a ribbon cutting for Ken Savoy recently. He is a surveyor of 40 years experience in every kind of surveying, which includes boundary surveying, topographic, construction staking, expert testimony, GPS and much more. He worked in every place you can think of from swamps to deserts, so if you need his services, give him a call at (936) 756-7447.



Shepherd Chamber of Commerce

Mail to PO Box 520 Shepherd, 77371

(936) 628-3515

www.greatershepherdchamberofcommerce.org

Coldspring - San Jacinto Chamber of Commerce

31 N. Butler, Coldspring 77331

(936) 653-2184

www.coldspringtexas.org

Shepherd Senior Citizen's Center Menu

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
16 SMOTHERED CHICKEN & MUSHROOM GRAVY, GREEN BEANS, RICE, CORNBREAD, SALAD, PUDDING	17 BREADED PORK CUTLETS, GRAVY, MASHED POTATOES, NORTHERN BEANS, CORNBREAD, SALAD, FRUIT	18 CHICKEN TENDERS, CREAM GRAVY, SWEET POTATO TOTS, APPLE RAISIN SLAW, ROLLS, SALAD, FRUIT	19 BEEF STEW WITH CARROTS & POTATOES, TOSSED SALAD & DRESSING, CORNBREAD, COOKIE	20 COUNTRY PORK RIBS, BROWN GRAVY, CREAMY MASHED POTATOES, FRIED OKRA, ROLLS, SALAD, FRUIT
23 CHICKEN & DUMPLINGS, OKRA & TOMATOES, CORNBREAD, SALAD, FRUIT	24 BBQ CHICKEN, POTATO SALAD, BAKED BEANS, WHEAT BREAD, SALAD, FRUIT	25 SALISBURY STEAK & GRAVY, MASHED POTATOES, SQUASH & ONIONS, CORNBREAD, SALAD, FRUIT	26 CREAMY CHICKEN POT PIE, BEETS, TOSSED SALAD & DRESSING, FRUIT	27 HOME MADE CHILI WITH BEANS, CRACKERS, TOSSED SALAD & DRESSING, FRUIT
30 CHICKEN SPAGHETTI, GREEN BEANS, TOSSED SALAD & DRESSING, GARLIC BREAD, FRUIT	31 HAM SLICE, POTATOES & ONIONS, CORN CASSEROLE, ROLLS, SALAD, FRUIT	1 MEATLOAF, MACARONI & CHEESE, BLACK EYED PEAS, CORNBREAD, SALAD, FRUIT	Second Tuesday of each month dessert includes Birthday cake! Menu's are subject to change due to availability. Call (936) 628-3733 by 9:30 a.m. to reserve a meal!	



Chocolate Chip Cookie Brownies

Ingredients:

- 1 stick unsalted butter (1/2 cup, very soft)
- 3/4 cup white sugar
- 1 egg
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
- 1 cup + 2 tablespoons flour
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup chocolate chips
- 18.9 ounce brownie mix (Betty Crocker brownie mix on sale 4/\$5.00!)
- Eggs, oil, and water for brownie mix (Lou Ana Vegetable Oil 48 oz. on sale 2/\$5.00!)
- Milk for dipping! (Hiland 1/2 gallon milk on sale 2/\$4.00!)

Directions:

- With an electric mixer, cream butter and sugars in a small mixing bowl. Add vanilla and egg; cream again until smooth. Add the flour, baking soda, and salt. Stir gently until incorporated. Stir in chocolate chips. Store in refrigerator until ready to use.
- Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Prepare brownie batter as directed. Pour batter into a glass 8x8 or 9x9 baking dish. Scatter pieces of cookie dough over the top of the brownie batter. In my 8x8 square pan, I was able to get about 2/3 of the cookie dough to fit over the brownies and I just saved the rest for regular cookies. Press gently on the dough just until it starts to sink down into the batter a little bit.
- Bake for 35-40 minutes (35 for gooey, 40 or more for fully baked), covering with foil if you need to keep the cookies from getting too brown on top. Let stand for 15-20 minutes and cut into pieces for serving. Recipe found at www.pinchofyum.com



Shepherd Senior Citizen's Center would like to wish a **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to Don Thiele (pictured) Linda Bridges, Calvin Cowart, Eddie Ek, Carolyn Ferrell, Paul Hooker, Clara Keller, Anna Phillips, and Jo Yarbrough

Church EVENTS

SPRING HILL BAPTIST CHURCH: Please come and join us! Mission on the Move for Christ; Theme: "Following Jesus Meeting the Needs!" on Saturday **October 21, 2017** at 9:30 a.m. Meditation: Lake Station Youth Mission; Powerful Anointed Women of God; Spiritual Need: Minister Ericka Sykes; Minister Aliene Cruz, North Mount Olives M.B.C. Wrap Up Speaker **DREW'S LANDING BAPTIST CHURCH:** Having trouble finding a good Bible based Church that preaches the Word of God straight from the Bible without sugar-coating it? Come join us at Drew's Landing Baptist Church located about 2 1/2 miles east of Hwy 59 North down FM 1127 at 161 Thomas Castleberry Rd. We are the Big Blue Church you can see from the road. We will welcome you with open arms. Our pastor is Rickey Withers and he preaches straight from the Bible. Sunday School at 9:45-10:45 a.m. and Sunday Worship at 11 a.m.—1:00 p.m. Children's Church also available. Wednesday night Bible Study for men and women from 6:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m. Now offering Celebrate Recovery Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. Adults, youths and children welcome! Come as you are! Be prepared to be filled with the Holy Spirit and feel the love of God! That's who we are! Church phone number: 936-483-2717, or for more information call Jimmy Herron at 936-933-8769. Looking forward to seeing you!

CALL TO CALVARY MINISTRIES: A church that preaches the message of the Cross. 793 Thomas Castleberry Rd., Shepherd S.S. 9:30a.m., Services 10:30a.m. and 6:30p.m. Thursday, 7:30 p.m. (936) 628-1059 All are welcome! **TEMPLE OF FAITH:** Come one; Come all to our Annual Soul Saving Revival October 23, 24, 25 at 7:30 p.m. at the Temple of Faith (1334 Shepherd Tram Rd.) The Rev. Stan Lewis of Houston will be our guest speaker. Please come out and be blessed as the Lord revives our souls.



Classifieds

DOG FOUND: Found a female weenie dog on FM 2666 that would really like to go home! Please call 832-579-4709.
GARAGESALE: United Pentecostal Church garage sale Friday, October 20 from 8AM - 4PM and Saturday, October 21 from 8AM - 2PM Toys, baby items, clothes, furniture, and misc. items.
FOR RENT: 3BR/2BA mobile home for rent. \$850.00 monthly plus \$400.00 deposit. Address is 561 Dogwood Trl. Shepherd, TX. Please call Mary at 832-250-6154 or Monica at 832-997-7350.
FOR RENT: 2BR/1BA mobile home for rent. \$650.00 monthly plus \$250.00 deposit. Lights and water included. Address is 561 Dogwood Trl. Shepherd, TX. Please call Mary at 832-250-6154 or Monica at 832-997-7350.
FOR RENT: 2BR/1BA home for rent; \$675.00 per month plus \$500.00 deposit. Please call 870-688-0787.
FOR SALE: Panasonic video camera with extra battery and blank cassettes. Includes a nice leather case, AC adapter, remote and VHS adapter. \$30.00 for all. Please call 281-728-3500.
FOR SALE: Still using your cassette player? I'm selling my entire collection of over 160 cassette tapes along with some cases, etc. Includes C&W, many sets as seen on TV, religious, rock & roll. \$30.00 for all. Please call 281-728-3500 for more info.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR



10/16: School Board Meeting, 7pm
10/20: Friday Senior Resale Shop Bag Day
10/21: Farley Chapel Cemetery Annual Meeting; 10AM; Cemetery
10/23: Shepherd Chamber of Commerce; 6PM; Shepherd Community Center
10/25: Bridge of hope community church "Community Fellowship Dinner"; 11104 SH 150 (right across from the snowcone trailer); 7PM.
10/31: Halloween
Every Monday & Tuesday: SISD Bilingual Parent Involvement 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. at the Shepherd Middle School Library

Shepherd City Council voted to increase water and sewer rates at the Public Hearing on September 25, 2017 as part of the budget process for the 2017-2018 fiscal year. The new rates will take effect starting with the November 2017 billing.

BUSINESS NEWS

FAMILY RECREATION

BOWling Center

(936) 365-2732

2 miles South of Livingston on Hwy 59, behind Lone Star Charlie's

FREE BOWLING

FRIDAY - SATURDAY

Bring this Ad for **TWO FREE Games!**

Leagues Open Bowling Pro-Shop Snack Bar Video Games Group Rates Birthday Parties

Limit one per person, per day. Expires 11/11/17

New Releases Coming to McClain's DVD Kiosk

Spider-Man: Homecoming (PG-13) action/adventure: Peter Parker balances his life as an ordinary high school student in Queens with his superhero alter-ego, Spider-Man, and finds himself on the trail of a new menace prowling the skies of New York City. **Starring: Tom Holland, Michael Keaton, Robert Downey Jr.**

Girls Trip (R) comedy: When four lifelong friends travel to New Orleans for the annual Essence Festival, sisterhoods are rekindled, wild series are rediscovered, there's enough dancing, drinking, bawling, and romancing to make the Big Easy blush. **Starring: Regina Hall, Queen Latifah, Jada Pinkett Smith**

McClain's does not maintain Cajun DVD movie kiosk and therefore cannot guarantee all movie releases

NEW!

Shoog's Place

Hair Salon, Nail Salon, Tanning & More

Walk-ins Welcome!

Come Get Your Hair, Nails, and Tan On!

5550 Hwy 59 N, Shepherd, TX 77371

We also cut men's hair!

Please send all submissions to mcclains.shepherdnews@gmail.com