

## The Weather



High yesterday was 85° Low this morning was 71°

Look for a warm humid day with gusty winds. The forecasters say we may see a pop-up shower or two this afternoon. The first part of next week should be warm and breezy, and temperatures will be on an increase with the heat index Tuesday and Wednesday moving into heat-advisory range.

**Today:** Clearing skies with S winds increasing this afternoon to 10-15 mph gusting to 25 mph. The high temperature will be near 92°.

**Tonight:** Mostly cloudy with S-SE winds near 10-15 mph with possible gusts to 25 mph. The low will be near 74°.

**Sunday:** Mostly cloudy with a high temperature near 92° and a 20% chance of showers in the afternoon. Winds will be S at 10-20 mph with gusts as high as 30 mph.

**Sunday Night:** Mostly cloudy with a low temperature near 75° and S wind near 15-20 mph gusting to 30 mph.

**Monday:** Skies will be partly sunny with the high temperature near 94°. Winds will be S at 15-20 mph gusting to 25 mph.

**Monday Night:** A low near 75° and mostly cloudy skies. Wind will be S at 15 mph with gusts as high as 25 mph.

**The Sahara Dust Cloud** nicknamed 'Godzilla' due to its size is sitting on top of us today. Puerto Rico saw the highest concentrations of dust particles recorded in the past 15 years. The EPA website shows today to be unhealthy for sensitive groups, but the skies are supposed to clear a bit today. Tomorrow is forecast to have moderate air quality. Another plume of dust will also track across the Caribbean this weekend. Some of that dust might reach the U.S. Gulf Coast next week.

## Most of Spring-Ho Cancelled

The Spring Ho Committee posted this to their website yesterday:

With the recent increase in the number of confirmed cases of Covid-19 in the state and surrounding counties and in response to Governor Greg Abbott's Executive Order GA-28 released today, the Spring Ho Committee in conjunction with Lampasas County Health Authority Dr. Georgia Hay, City of Lampasas Mayor Misti Talbert and Lampasas County Judge Randy Hoyer have unanimously agreed that in the interest of the health and safety of our community to cancel Spring Ho 2020 with the exceptions of the following events:

\*Spring Ho Beauty Pageant (Closed event – See below)

\*Lampasas County Museum Exhibit (Hosted by the Lampasas County Museum)

\*Toughest 10K, 5K & 1 mile run (Hosted by the Lampasas County Chamber of Commerce)

\*Passport to the Past (Hosted by Lampasas Heritage Foundation)

\*Please contact event hosts for more information.

\*We want to ensure our sponsors that we will be in contact concerning your generous donations to Spring Ho 2020. We are extremely grateful for everyone's support.

**CANCELLED**

## 2020 Spring Ho Beauty Pageant

Covid-19 Precautions

\*The pageants will be held at the LHS Auditorium.

\*Each pageant contestant will be allowed only 4 family members to enter the auditorium.

\*Chair clusters for each family will be spaced 6-feet apart.

\*Masks or face coverings are strongly encouraged.

\*Immediately following the Little Miss pageant, the auditorium will be emptied and chairs will be disinfected prior to the Miss Spring Ho pageant family members entering.

\*The Little Miss Queen, runner ups, along with their families will be the only individuals allowed to stay for the Miss Spring Ho pageant.

\*Sanitary precautions for bathroom cleanliness will be taken.

\*Pageant contestants will be required to following social distancing guidelines.

\*Additional precautions to be taken regarding microphones for the contestants and emcees.

\*During the pageant rehearsal, only one parent per contestant will be allowed to enter.

\*The pageant will be live streamed (details to come).

\*The pageant will be broadcast on KCYL 1450am and KACQ 101.9fm radio, as always.

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Soup Kitchen 11:30am-2pm

**Wednesday July 1st**  
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## The Blotter.

**The Lampasas Police Dept. Blotter** for Friday shows an early morning report of a suspicious person in the 700 block of W. Ave E at 12:08am. Suspicious activity was reported in the 900 block of Campbell St. at 4:22am. There was a reported public intoxication in the 1500 block of S. Key Ave at 10:41am. The afternoon shows a reported forgery in the 200 block of S. Key at 3:46pm. A missing person was reported on Perkins St. at 5:57pm (they were found). In the 300 block of N. Hackberry there was a reported disturbance at 7pm. A DWI was reported in the 1600 block of 281S at 8:43pm, and a disorderly conduct was called in from the 600 block of N. Key Ave at 8:46pm.

**The Sheriff's Dept. Blotter** for Friday shows Lometa with a juvenile problem. Kempner shows animal issues. Out in the county there was a reported fraud, medical calls, animal issues, and a report of suspicious activity. Deputies went into Cove on juvenile problem and a request for extra patrol.

**The Jail Log** shows the arrest of 33 year old Michael Brackett Jr., of Kempner on an out-of-county charge.

*\*(There is no burn ban, however the county guidelines prohibit burning if the wind is 15 mph or greater)*

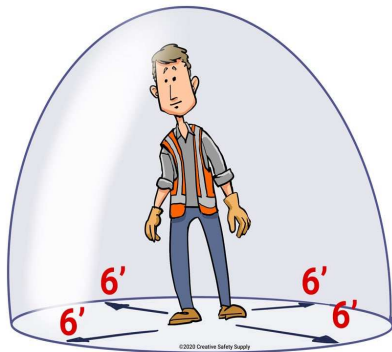
## Covid-19 Concerns

**Texas Governor Greg Abbott** yesterday issued a proclamation closing bars in Texas and allowing restaurants to operate at 50%. Rafting/Tubing businesses had to close, and gatherings of more than 100 people are to be guided by local officials.

The numbers read like this; As of Friday, 137,624 Texans have tested positive for the corona virus. This is 5,707 more than the day before and 34,319 more than a week ago. Friday Texas had 5,102 patients hospitalized as well. Texas has reported more than 32,000 confirmed new cases in the last week, an average of 4,600 per day, with record high positive tests of 5,996 on Thursday. When COVID-19 started, it took Texas 76 days to reach 50,000 cases, yet it only took 31 more days to reach 100,000. So in half the time Texas racked up an additional 50,000 cases.

Lampasas County currently has 23 cases with 11 active and 12 recovered. However, our neighboring Bell County is having a large increase. In the last 7 days Bell County has had 298 residents test positive. With 525 active cases, the 298 positive cases of the last week now make up over 50% of the active cases in Bell County.

On Friday the state reported 12,398 available staffed beds which includes 1,284 staffed ICU beds. Dr. Hay, the Lampasas County Health Authority, shared that we really don't have many hospitalizations, but hospitals in larger counties are scaling back to have better capacity. As of yesterday afternoon our area (Trauma Service Area L) had 264 available hospital beds, 26 available



# Happy Birthday

**James Sawyer-80**

# Happy Birthday Sunday

**Aidan Nuckles-13**



ICU beds, and 171 ventilators. According to KCEN news, Bell County Judge Blackburn is concerned about this “. Bell County alone had 15 corona virus patients in hospitals but 11 of those patients were in the ICU as of Wednesday. Meanwhile, the entire trauma service area only had another 12 ICU beds free for additional patients. So if just 12 of the more than five hundred cases Bell County is currently tracking take a turn for the worst, Bell County would have a problem.

Governor Abbott had an interview on NBC DFW, and said “If we are unable to slow the spread over the next few weeks, then we will have to reevaluate the extent to which businesses are open, because if it's not contained in the next couple of weeks, it will be completely out of control and Texas will have to ratchet back,”

So we wait and see...again...

Meanwhile, wash your hands, wear your mask, social distance and **STAY HOME!**

## UIL Activities 2020-2021

Any plans regarding UIL activities and events for the 2020-21 school year will be dependent upon guidance from local and state authorities and will be released by UIL when more information is available. UIL will continue to work with state officials and monitor CDC and other federal guidance to determine any potential modifications for activities.

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