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News at 7:10am & 12, 6pm & 10pm

The Weather



The high yesterday 96° This morning's low 71°

Today: Look for mostly sunny skies with a high temperature near 94° and a heat index near 100°. Wind will be S near 10 mph.

Tonight: Look for mostly clear skies tonight and the low temperature will be near 74°. Wind will be S overnight near 10-15 mph gusting to 20 mph.

Saturday: Look for sunny skies and a high temperature near 98° with a heat index as high as 104°. S wind will be around 10 mph.

Saturday Night: Look for mostly clear skies with a low temperature near 76°. S wind will be near 10-15 mph gusting to 20 mph.

Sunday: A high temperature near 100° with sunny skies and S-SW wind near 10 mph.

Sunday Night: Mostly clear skies with a low temperature near 77°. Wind will be S near 15 mph gusting to 25 mph.

The Spring Ho Report

The Annual Spring Ho Dance contest took place last night at Putters-n-Gutters.

Paul & Laura Cline won the two-step and the polka. Tommy & Amy Lamb won the waltz. Evan & Alice Stubbs won the Jitterbug, and Shia & Dealyn won the fast dance. The winners of the Tejano division were Albert & Peggy Perez. The



youth division was won by Chase Hart & Olivia Gouak.

The County Fair Judging took place yesterday and the Best in Show winners were: Adult division: Best in show-Shawna Harrison with a counted cross stitch and reserve best of show-Marilyn May with an art entry. In the intermediate division, Katelyn Martin was best in show with her Coat & Dress entry and Daphne Davenport was reserve best of show with a painting. In the Junior division, Braxton Swinford won best in show with a craft entry, and Rollo Purdy won reserve best of show with a horticulture entry.

Congratulations all!



Spring Ho Today

Spring Ho Today got started early this morning with the diaper derby (below, and Rowan with parents Logan & Travis Chamberlain)

and pet parade on the courthouse square, and boy was it fun for all! KACQ broadcasted the events live.

The vendors will be open at WM Brook park from 9am-8pm, and the kids attractions will be available from

available from
11am-7pm. The county
fair judging was yesterday and the
exhibits will be on display from
10am-2pm today, and the Lampasas
county museum will be open
from 1-4pm. The Annual Kids Day
activities will kick off at noon at the
Garrett Soccer fields And will
include water polo with the
Lampasas Volunteer Fire Dept. and
a children's barnyard.



There will be live entertainment at the Gazebo in the park from 2-6pm and the day ends with McBride & The Ride concert on the square with guest Kin Faux. Tickets are \$20 at the gate, you can bring your cooler and lawn chair (no glass containers). Enjoy the day!

Spring Ho Grand Parade Tomorrow

Tomorrow, Spring Ho Saturday, starts bright and early with the Toughest 10K (5K & 1 mile run) beginning registration beginning at 5:30am at the Hancock Park Golf Course Pavilion. The race will begin at 7am and KACQ 101.9FM will be broadcasting live with the broadcast brought to you by Alfredo's Restaurant and Coming Home Furniture.

The Grand Parade will kick off at 10am, and is rumored to have over 100 entries. The Parade Marshalls are Bill & the late Katherine Mezger. As always, our own Ronnie Witcher will be broadcasting the parade live on KACQ 101.9FM.

The Vendors will be open beginning at 9am, the Lampasas County Museum will be open at 1pm and there will be entertainment at the Gazebo in the Park from 2-6pm. The Kids Attractions will be open at WM Brook Park from 1am-7pm.

The Washer Pitching & Cornhole Tournament will be having registration at 11am at the Garrett Soccer Fields with play beginning at noon. (cont'd on back)

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Spring Ho: Diaper Derby/Pet Parade Courthouse Square 8:30am, Vendors @ WM Brook Park 9am-8pm, County Fair Exhibits 10a-2p @ Courhouse Annex, Kids Attractions @ WM Brook Park 11am-7pm, Kids Day @ Garrett Soccer Fields 12pm-2pm, Lampasas County Museum open 1-4pm, Entertainment @ Gazebo in the Park 2-6pm. The day ends with McBride & The Ride Concert on the Square with guest Kin Faux. Tickets are \$20 at the gate, you can bring your cooler and lawn chair (no glass containers).

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The Blotter



The Lampasas Police Dept. Blotter for Thursday shows a reported suspicious act in the 900 block of E. 4th St. at 12:53am, a suspicious person was reported in the 600 block of E. 4th St. at 2:25am, and there was a minor accident on Sue Ann Dr. at 11:57am. The afternoon shows a domestic disturbance reported in the 1400 block of W. 1st St. at 2:49pm, a theft was reported in the 200 block of Hillcrest Dr. at 3:29pm and a suspicious person was reported in the 300 block of Creek St. at 11:08pm.

The Lampasas County Sheriff's Dept. blotter for Thursday shows Kempner with medical calls, a repossession, a sex offense, illegal dumping, a reported fraud and a reported trespassing. Out in the county there was a requested welfare check and civil matters. Deputies went into Cove on a repossession and a reported disturbance.

The Jail Log shows the arrest of 17 year old Angel Long of Kempner for assault causing bodily injury/family member.

(cont'd from front) The Kayak Races will begin at 12pm with an 11:45am registration and will be broadcast live on KACQ. 3pm tomorrow brings the Watersports and Cardboard Regatta at Hanna Springs Pool with the broadcast brought to you exclusively by Hoffpauir Outdoor Store in Goldthwaite. To finish your Saturday, Josh Ward will be playing on the square from 8pm to midnight with special guest Triston Marez, and tickets are \$30 at the gate with no cooler fee. (BYOB, no glass containers).

Kempner Water Issues Notice



Kempner Water issued the following notice this morning:

"Stillhouse Lake, which is our only source of water, is at a critically low level. Currently it is at 607.6 feet elevation and is dropping 1 inch every 2 days. When the water level reaches 605 feet elevation, water production at our plant will slow down and 604 feet, production will stop. We are installing an extension in August that will give us a lower intake level and potentially buy us some time. Please be aware that we are not seeing much conservation of water in our system. If the lake level drops to 606 feet elevation, we will be forced to implement stage IV Water Conservation restrictions which are stricter and will not allow you to use your irrigation systems or fill a pool, only hand watering with a bucket will be authorized. Conservation enforcement will include fines for excessive use.

Thanks to those of you who currently are conserving. If you see a possible leak, please notify the office or on call person as soon as possible, so we can get the leak repaired."

Lampasas Radio reached out to the City of Lampasas regarding this notice and how it might affect local water customers. They are verifying water conditions with the Central Texas Water Supply Corporation and how all this might affect the City of Lampasas.

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Texas to Receive Grant for the Electric Grid



(Texas Tribune) The Texas Division of Emergency Management will receive \$60.6 million from the federal government to help utilities strengthen infrastructure on the state's electricity grid. The U.S. Department of Energy announced

Thursday that it will award the funds so that Texas' power grid might better withstand extreme weather events. "These grants will help modernize the electric grid to reduce impacts of extreme weather and natural disasters while enhancing power sector reliability," U.S. Secretary of Energy Jennifer Granholm said in a statement.

State emergency officials will develop parameters for how to use the money. The funds could go toward programs such as trimming trees around power lines or improving how equipment functions in extreme heat or cold, for example.

Grid resilience has been top of mind for Texans since the 2021 winter storm forced power grid operators to call for electricity cuts to millions in the state. Hundreds of people died as the freezing weather took hold and residents could no longer heat their homes.

Texas legislators later required power generators to better prepare their equipment for extreme weather, but recent storms have showed the ongoing vulnerability of the transmission system.

A winter storm in late January and early February knocked out power in various parts of the state, including Austin, where tree limbs weighed down with ice fell onto power lines. Severe storms in June took out power lines in East Texas.

The Department of Energy plans to give out \$2.3 billion over the next five years to states, territories and tribes to address power grid resilience issues.

Spring Ho Sunday

The vendors at WM Brook Park will be open Sunday from 9am-2pm. And don't forget the Rockin' Rides & Smokin' Swing event to the Lampasas Courthouse Square from 12-4pm. The plan is to recreate a photo of 3rd Street on the square in 1929! The Model T Fords and Model A Fords are coming in from all over Texas. The square will be open for business, just like it was for Lampasas Market Days, and the Hot Texas Swing Band will be there bringing the music of Bob Wills from 1-3pm!.

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