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## The Weather



Yesterday's high 104° This morning's low 78°

Lampasas County is under a Heat Advisory until 9pm tonight

The Heat Index reached 106° in Lampasas at 5:15pm yesterday

**Today:** Skies will be sunny with a high temperature near 103°. Winds will be from the S-SW at 5-10 mph gusting to 20 mph.

**Tonight:** Look for partly cloudy skies with a low near 76°. Wind will be from the E near 10-15 mph gusting to 20 mph, shifting S-SW overnight.

**Sunday:** The high temperature will climb to near 103° with mostly sunny skies. Wind will be W-SW at 5-10 mph shifting SE in the afternoon with gusts as high as 20 mph.

**Sunday Night:** Overnight it gets down to 78° with mostly clear skies. Wind will be SE near 10 mph.

**Monday:** Look for sunny skies with a high temperature near 105°. There will be a S-SW wind near 10 mph.

**Monday Night:** Mostly clear skies with a low around 78°. Wind will be S-SE near 110-15 mph with possible gusts of 25 mph.

## What's Goin' on?

**The Britches & Bows Golf Tournament** will begin at 8am at Hancock Park Golf Course today and tomorrow. The course will be closed 30 minutes prior to event. For information contact 512-556-3202.

## ERCOT Issues 2<sup>nd</sup> Weather Warning



ERCOT has issued a Weather Watch for July 16-18 due to forecasted higher temperatures, higher electrical demand, and the potential for lower reserves. Grid conditions are expected to be normal and can be monitored on ERCOT dashboards. For more information, visit our TXANS site.

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What do I need to do?

No action is needed. You can monitor current and extended grid conditions on [ercot.com](http://ercot.com).

## Lometa ISD School Board to Meet

**The Lometa ISD School Board** will meet Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm in the Lometa School Library. The agenda will include consideration of the following: a resolution to recognize the Lampasas County Texas 4-H organization as approved for recognition and eligible for extracurricular status, adjunct faculty members, the bank depository contract with Cadence Bank, fencing bids, opening a new I & S account for ATC Bond funds, student activity insurance for the 2023-2024 school year, review of RFQ submissions and consideration of design build firms for the new construction, the board planning meeting, budget amendments, administrative and personnel reports.

## Property Tax Bills Headed to Governor Abbott

(Texas Tribune) A landmark \$18 billion tax cut for property owners in the state was headed to Gov. Greg Abbott's desk late Thursday, with a deal that drew near-unanimous support from legislators.

Both chambers adjourned Thursday evening, ending the second special session Abbott had called this summer to hammer out an agreement on property tax relief. There are 3 bills that make up the package: Senate Bill 2 details the proposed property tax cuts; Senate Bill 3, a franchise tax relief bill; and House Joint Resolution 2, a constitutional amendment required to authorize the tax cuts.

The package puts \$12.6 billion of the state's historic budget surplus toward making cuts to school taxes for all property owners, dropping property taxes an average of more than 40% for some 5.7 million Texas homeowners, and offering brand-new tax savings for smaller businesses and other commercial and non-homesteaded properties. The voters would need to approve the package in November for the cuts to take effect this year. During floor debate Thursday, Democrats attempted to insert benefits for renters, teacher pay raises and more money for public education into the tax-cuts package in a series of floor amendments but were unsuccessful.

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## The Blotter



**Lampasas Police Dept.** blotter for Friday shows two arrests at 6:20am in the 1200 block of Barnes St.: Anthony Rivera, 35, of Killeen was arrested on 2 Lampasas Municipal Court warrants (possession of drug paraphernalia and no driver's license). Brent Gallagher, 34, of Harker Heights was detained on 4 Lampasas Municipal Court warrants (no driver's license, possession of drug paraphernalia, parked facing traffic and parked with wheels more than 18" from the curb). A suspicious vehicle was reported in the 300 block of E. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. at 7:06am and there was a minor accident in the 400 block of E. 4<sup>th</sup> St. at 10:41am. The afternoon shows a report of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle in the 100 block of E. Ave B at 5:51pm, and a disturbance at that location at 7:10pm. At 9:30pm, Hunter Biddy, 19, of Lampasas was arrested in the 700 block of S. Key Ave. on 3 Lampasas County warrants (failure to appear-criminal mischief, failure to appear-criminal trespass and motion to adjudicate-unauthorized absence from a correctional facility).

**The Lampasas County Sheriff's Dept.** blotter for Friday shows Lometa with a requested welfare check. In Kempner there were medical calls, a reported disturbance, an alarm call, a reported theft and livestock issues. Out in the county there were medical calls, a reported disturbance and an accident.

**The Jail Log** shows the arrests of 29 year old Amanda Satterfield and Eugene Souza, 61, both of Lampasas for assault causing bodily injury to a family member.

**Note:** The Radiogram reached out to the Lampasas County Sheriff Department regarding the domestic disturbance in Kempner yesterday that resulted in officers searching for a suspect. Since it is an active investigation, they would not release the name or any details, only that a suspect is in custody. A press release is said to be forthcoming and Lampasas Radio will share the information with our readers and listeners at that time.

*(cont'd from front)* The most novel part of the plan, an idea introduced publicly for the first time on Monday, is a first-ever temporary 20% cap on appraisal increases for properties valued at \$5 million or lower that aren't considered homesteads. Those would include second homes, vacation properties, rental houses, or commercial retail or business properties.

If the property tax deal marks a new era of cooperation between the House and Senate, they will need much more collaboration going forward. Abbott's "school choice" special session will center on another highly contentious proposal — and Abbott has suggested he will continue to tie it to more popular education issues, like teacher pay raises. While Abbott has not announced the specific timing of the next special session, lawmakers are eyeing October of this year.

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## Happy Birthday Tomorrow

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## Texas House Bill 3: School Safety



According to a story in the Texas Tribune, heeding Abbott's call, state lawmakers passed House Bill 3. The broad legislation expands and reinforces several existing school safety efforts, like requiring mental health training for more school staff, and outlines more ways schools can use funding for school safety. The law will go into effect in September, but lawmakers gave schools some flexibility to meet the requirements for armed guards and staff mental health training.

Despite the renewed focus on school safety, state lawmakers largely ignored calls from Uvalde parents for more gun regulations. During this year's regular session, the families pushed for a bill that would've raised the minimum age to buy an AR-style weapon from 18 to 21. The bill saw some traction in the Legislature, but it failed to pass along with several other proposed firearm safety measures.

HB 3 also creates a new safety and security department within the TEA to be led by Abbott's appointed chief of school safety and security. That department will be tasked with monitoring school districts' compliance with safety requirements, including the intruder detection audits ordered by Abbott. If a district fails to submit school safety information or address any concerns, the new law gives the commissioner of education the power to appoint a conservator to oversee the district's school board and superintendent and correct the issues. The law says this corrective action would not apply to school districts that fail to have an armed officer at every school.

## Local Sports Camps Begin Next Week



**The 2023 Lady Badger Youth Basketball Camp** will take place Monday and Tuesday of next week at the Lampasas High School Gym. Incoming 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade will meet from 9-11am and 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> grade from 1-3pm. The cost is \$35 and students are advised to bring money for the concession stand.

**Badger Volleyball Camp** will take place from Wednesday July 19-Friday July 21 at the Lampasas High School Gym for incoming grades 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>. Volleyball camp will meet from 10am-noon and the cost is \$35.

**Lampasas Badger Football Camp** for incoming 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> grades will take place the following week from July 24<sup>th</sup>-July 26<sup>th</sup> from 8-10am at Lampasas High School. The cost is \$40.

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