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Safe Firearms Storage Campaign

There is no magic solution that will eradicate mass shootings, teen suicides, or accidental shootings with firearms in the home. We can, however, do our part to reduce the likelihood of these tragedies occurring. The National Crime Prevention Council (NCPC), in partnership with the Ad Council and with funding from the Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice, developed a public education campaign that urges firearms owners to “Lock It Up.”

Safety advocates recommend that you safely store firearms from unsupervised

“I’m one of those folks who actually watch the TV ads. And I’m very vocal in letting folks know when they run a bad commercial. It’s time I took the same effort to commend someone on their ads. Your PSA on gun storage safety is very well done - it appeals to the heart and the head at the same time. It won’t prevent all the gun violence we have in this country, but it hopefully will save some lives, by reminding the responsible gun owners about the responsibility that comes with the privilege.”
Emailer, Syracuse, NY, December 24, 2015

children, at-risk youth, potential thieves, and those who intend to harm themselves or others. The campaign website, www.safefirearmsstorage.org, also asks firearm owners to report any lost or

stolen firearms to local law enforcement. Campaign materials were created pro bono by the New York City-based ad agency, Merkley+Partners.

Emphasizing that owning a firearm comes with both rights and responsibilities, the campaign strives to encourage a national dialogue among the general public about firearms and firearms safety, specifically adult firearms owners with children and adults in households where firearms are stored.

The Safe Firearms Storage public education campaign includes TV, radio, and print public service advertising. Visit www.safefirearmsstorage.org to view and share the materials.

Kids: What to do if you encounter a firearm not stored properly

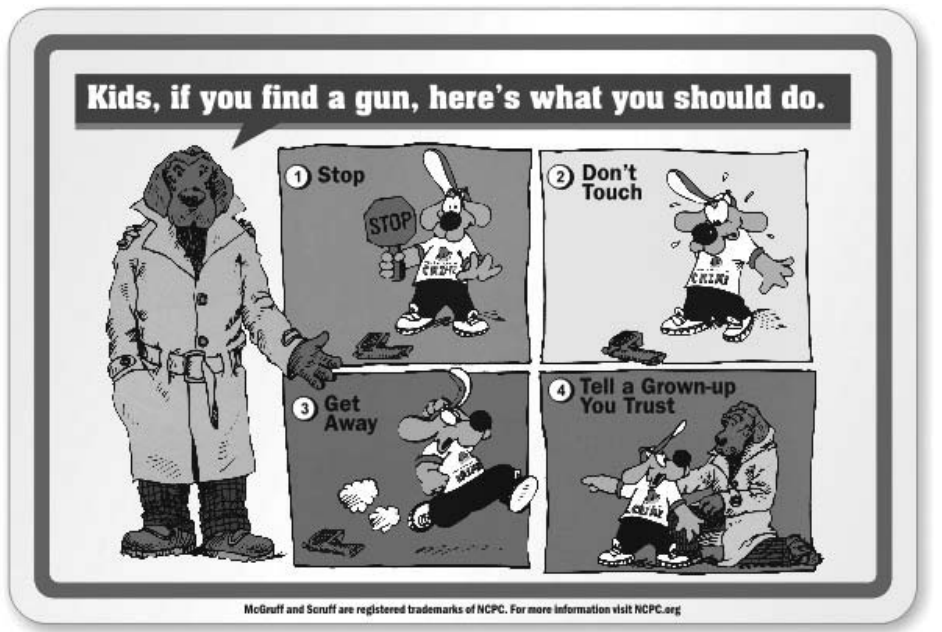
Most adults are allowed to own a gun by law, and many choose to own at least one firearm. You may live in a home where your parents own a firearm. An accident involving a gun can hurt or even kill you or someone you know. You need to know what to do if you see a gun, even if there isn’t a gun in your house.

If you see a gun, follow these four steps:
1. Stop.
2. Don’t touch.
3. Get away.
4. Tell a trusted adult.

You should also follow the four steps if you find a gun in a park or another public place. But, what would you do if a classmate threatened to bring a firearm to school, or talked about harming another student, or if you see a gun in someone’s backpack or locker? You should walk away and tell a trusted adult immediately. It is important to solve problems

peacefully, without guns or violence. How we handle our anger and how we communicate with people who are angry can make the difference between managing conflict effectively and having conflict end in violence. If you need help with handling conflict, see the tips below and if needed, ask an adult for help.

- Conflict Resolution Tips**
- Note that anger is a normal feeling.
 - Be aware any verbal or nonverbal behaviors that result in anger or other negative emotional reactions that can get in the way of resolving conflicts peacefully.
 - Pay attention to your behavior and body language in order to avoid further conflict.



- Use strategies to control your anger. Walk away from the situation.
- Even though your anger may be legitimate, it usually doesn’t help

to show your anger to the other person. Often, the other person will take you more seriously if you remain calm and courteous.

Explore Safe Storage Options

Firearm owners use their firearms safely and understand the need to prevent their firearms from getting into the wrong hands. They also know that firearm safety should be a priority if we want to better protect our children and prevent avoidable injury. The best way to keep yourself, your family, and your community safe is to unload your firearm and store it in a secure container when not in use. Here’s how.

A variety of locking and storage options are available to firearms owners to prevent unauthorized use. To help find the best safe storage solution for the firearms in your household, please review the information below.

Trigger Lock
Trigger locks are available in a variety of configurations, from basic key lock options to those that require combinations to open the lock.



- Cable Lock**
The cable lock can be used on most firearms. The cable is most often placed in the gun barrel, which impedes loading and firing.
- Storage Case**
Storage cases come in various sizes and can be used for both storing and locking up a firearm. The case can be locked, but the lock must often be purchased separately.

- Lock Box / Small Gun Safe**
A lock box is like a small safe that allows you to store your firearm safely and securely via key or combination lock or by a digital keypad, to prevent unauthorized access to the firearm.
- Locking Safe / Vault**
Safes and vaults comes in a number of sizes to accommodate long guns, such as rifles and shotguns and includes spaces for storing handguns as well.

Much like the lock box, the gun safe has the option of a combination lock or digital keypad to lock it.

For more information on firearms storage safety, visit www.safefirearmsstorage.org



OBITUARIES

JOHN CHARLES DuBOSE Sr.

John Charles DuBose Sr. 82, of Gonzales, passed away Sunday, Oct. 22. John was born Feb. 14, 1935 in Lockhart to Whit Moore DuBose and Pauline Louise Gips DuBose.

John was a graduate of Texas A&M Class of 1957, a member of the First United Methodist Church, a charter member of the Gonzales Elks Lodge, a member of the Gonzales Masonic Lodge #30 A.F. & A. M. and a proud member of the 36th Division 141st Infantry Regiment of the Texas National Guard. John married Jacqueline Lee McComan on Oct. 22, 1955 in College Station a union that stood the test of time for 62 years.

John started working for his father at DuBose Insurance Company in 1955 while he was in college. He took over the business in 1964 and continued working until the day of his passing. John had long held a position of distinction at the “Table of Knowledge” where common intellect grew to certain genius the longer each meeting carried on.



John Charles DuBose Sr. is survived by his loving family, wife, Jackie DuBose of Gonzales, daughter and son-in-law, Sissy and Joe Dell Mills of Gonzales, sons and daughters-in-law, John C. DuBose, Jr. and Cathy of Leesville, Ronald Whit DuBose and Cody of Leesville, seven grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and a great-grandchild Sydney Vargo.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 26 in Seydler-Hill Funeral Home with the Rev. John Padgett officiating and Dan Blakemore serving as Eulogist. Honorary Pallbearers: Melissa Vargo, John C. DuBose III, Jeffrey Mills, Ryan Mills, Dustin DuBose, Sterling DuBose and Kale DuBose. Memorials may be made to the Gonzales Animal Shelter or Texas Elks Children's Foundation. Friends may sign the guestbook by visiting www.seydlerhill-funeralhome.com. Services are under the care and direction of Seydler-Hill Funeral Home.

GILBERTO SOTO Sr.

Gilberto “Beto” Soto Sr., age 92, of Nixon, passed away Friday, Oct. 20, in Nixon. He was born July 30, 1925 in Wrightsboro to Julian and Maria (Arce) De Soto.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his daughters Helena, Connie, Sherry, Nancy and Alexandria Soto; son, John Anthony Soto; son-in-law, Paul Dingler Jr.

Beto is survived by his wife, Eulalia Soto; children, Teri Maldonado (Joseph), Patricia Dingler and Gilbert Soto (Janie); grandchildren, Mark Soto (Jennifer), David Cooksey, Stephen Crisp (Amber), Roxie Jaimes (Hector) and Nicole Maldonado; 13 great-grandchildren; brother, Antonio Soto; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A visitation was held Monday, October 23, 2017 from 5-8 p.m. with a rosary vigil recited at 6:30 p.m. at Finch Funeral Chapel, Nixon.

FUNERAL MASS
Tuesday, October 24, 2017
10 a.m.
St. Joseph Catholic Church
Father Kuriakose Ouseph will officiate the mass. Interment will follow in the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery. If desired, memorial contributions may be made in Beto's name to the GRMC Hospice, 1215 E. Court St., Seguin, TX 78155 or to the St. Joseph Catholic Church Building Fund, 207 S. Washington, Nixon, TX 78140. You are welcome to sign the



online guestbook at www.finchfuneral-chapels.com. Arrangements with: FINCH FUNERAL CHAPELS, LLC
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Tuesday, Oct. 24
Blood Drive
Gonzales Healthcare Systems parking lot, 8 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Speaker Jim Comer coming to Presbyterian church
The Presbyterian Church of Gonzales will host the Victoria Region of Presbyterian Churches meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 24. The meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. with a covered dish meal in the Fellowship Hall so bring your favorite dish to share. The guest speaker will be Jim Comer, author of “When Roles Reverse: A Guide to Parenting Your Parents.”

Saturday, Oct. 28
Leesville Fall Festival
Leesville Community Center, 6:30 p.m. Leesville will be hosting a Fall Festival at the community center on Oct. 28 with activities such as a cake walk, hay ride, costume contest, door prizes, raffle and food and drinks. The festival starts at 6:30 p.m.

“Find Your Roots” workshop
GG’s Steak and Spirits, 9:30 a.m. Find Your Roots workshop, sponsored by Thomas Shelton Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be held at GGs Steak and Spirits for \$20 (includes workshop, lunch and refreshments). Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. with the workshop running through 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. for RSVP call GGs at 830-519-0002 (mention Oct. 20 and workshop) or contact Sharon Hall at 361-920-4578 or arhall1945@hughes.net or Josie Smith-Wright at 830-445-9906 or Ruth Guerra at 830-857-4611.

Lutheran Church Fall Festival
First Evangelical Lutheran Church of Gonzales, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m. First Evangelical Lutheran Church of Gonzales located at 1206 St. Joseph will have their Fall Festival Saturday, Oct. 28, in the Fellowship Hall from 8 a.m. - 1 p.m. There will be soup and sandwiches (dine in or take out) and a variety of baked goods for sale (pies, cakes, and cookies) along with craft items. There will be a raffle drawing for two nights stay at Pirates Cove at Port O’Connor, Texas with a fishing guide. Drawing to be held at 12:30 p.m. Raffle tickets on sale for \$5 each. Presence not necessary to win. Call the church office at 830-672-2057 for tickets. Proceeds

to be used to help youth attend Day Camp. Thank you for your support.

Sunday, Oct. 29
Matejek Family Reunion
Yorktown Fire Station Auditorium, 10 a.m. The 38th annual Matejek Family Reunion will be held on Oct. 29, at the Yorktown Fire Station Auditorium located at 107 West Main , Yorktown, Texas. Please bring your favorite casseroles, salads and desserts to share, along with items for the live auction. Doors will open at 10 a.m., with a noon meal, followed by a business meeting with cash prizes to be awarded. For more information, please contact Diane Moeller at 361-275-6069 or Sharon Matejek at 361-564-3851.

Wednesday, Nov. 15
Deadline to pre-pay for Odd Fellow’s meat sale
The Gonzales Odd Fellow’s (Gonzales I.O.O.F. #38 will be holding a smoked meats sale at the lodge building on Dec. 6 between 8-10 a.m. Orders need to be turned in by Nov. 15. Smoked chickens (about three pounds) are \$10 each, smoked sausage (three-pound packages) are \$12 each, smoked turkey (about 8-10 pounds) are \$25 each, smoked pepper ham (five-six pounds) are \$26 each, sliced smoked pepper ham (five-six pounds) are \$28 each and sliced smoked brisket (three pounds) are \$28 each.

Saturday, Dec. 2
Last Sons of the Republic of Texas of the year
Gonzales County Courthouse, 2 p.m. The Gonzales Chapter of the Sons of the Republic of Texas will hold their last meeting of the year on Dec. 2 at the Gonzales County Courthouse at 2 p.m. If you are interested in learning more about the Sons of the Republic of Texas or about joining, please contact us at GonzalesSRT@gmail.com or by calling 361-219-1193 and leave a message.

ONGOING
Gonzales Breakfast Lions Clubs
Every first and third Thursday the Gonzales Breakfast Lions Club meets at Mr. Taco restaurant on Sarah DeWitt Drive at 6:45 a.m. For additional information call Ken or Sandy Moore at 830-672-2500.

Heritage
Ever wonder where you came from, your heritage, and how to preserve it? Let us help you! Call the Archives at 830-672-7970 for more details. Help is available using the free Family Search genealogical program taught by Jerry and Karen Ferguson.

Visit Texas WIC offices for a healthier you
The Gonzales offices at 229 St. George Street are opened Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 8 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and 1:30 – 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays they are open from 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 – 7 p.m. Friday’s they are open from 8 a.m. – noon. On the first and third Saturday of the month they are open from 8 a.m. – noon. They are closed the first business day of the month. For more information, call the offices at 830-672-70832.

The Nixon office is open on the second and fourth Thursday of the month from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. – 4 p.m. The Waelder WIC office is open on the third Wednesday of the month from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. – 4 p.m. The Hallettsville WIC is open on the first and third Thursday of the month from 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. – 4 p.m. For more information call at 830-672-7083 or 888-672-7083.

Master Gardeners fall class registration
Registration is currently underway for Gonzales Master Gardeners fall class. Classes start Sept. 12 and run through May 2018. Classes are held every other Tuesday from 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. at the PACE building located at 623 Fair St., next to Gonzales Elementary. Learn with the experts. Class topics include botany, plant propagation, soils, vegetables, fruit and nut trees, insects, fertil-

izers, rainwater harvesting and many more. Contact the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office at 1709 Sarah DeWitt, 830-672-8531 for an application and more information, or contact Robbie Cole for more information at 281-734-1391. Visit websites at <http://gonzales.agrilife.org> or <http://gonzalesmastergardeners.org>.

Gonzales County veterans service officer hours
Hours will be Tuesday and Wednesday from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. and Thursday from 8 a.m.-noon. To better serve your needs and to ensure private consultations call Juan M. Gaytan at 830-672-3244 to schedule an appointment.

TUESDAYS
Parenting group
Norma’s House Counseling Center, 6-7:30 p.m. Learn new ways to communicate and work with your child, ways to discipline effectively and ways to cope with the stress of parenthood. Located at Norma’s House Counseling Center at 1006 St. Paul Street at the corner of St. Paul and Espinosa every Tuesday from 6-7:30 p.m. Please call Sarah with questions or to RSVP at 830-203-7807.

Gonzales Healthcare Systems prayer
Gonzales Healthcare Systems, noon. Every Tuesday from noon-1 p.m. at the hospital chapel, the prayer team will be available for any patient or individual in need of prayer. For any questions, contact Sascha Kardosz at Gonzales Healthcare Systems at 830-672-7581.

Gonzales County Camera Club
Episcopal Church, 7 p.m. The Club meets the first Tuesday of every other month. The next meeting is in June. Contact Sandy Johnston at 830-857-1833 for more.

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National Physical Therapy Month

October is Physical Therapy Month. The Heights of Gonzales team works closely with the residents and the physicians to design a custom rehabilitation program that keeps you motivated and focused on your way to recovery. Pictured is our therapy department and residents who have completed the Therapy Program. We would like to Thank the Thrive Center and The Heights of Gonzales Therapy Department for taking our residents for a tour of Thrive Health Plex. Your hard work and dedication is greatly appreciated!

Left to right Sonda Cornish, Leah Maltoney, Dawn McGill, Amanda Winton, Therapist Director Gloria Juarez, Dr. Gloria Box, Michelle Calwell, Charlene Crockcroft, and Shannon Helmke.

Congratulations to our residents that have completed the Therapy Program @ The Heights of Gonzales. Great Job Team! .

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LIVING OUT LOUD

In the pink

Most of us are aware that October is Breast Cancer Awareness month and also that the color pink is symbolized with breast cancer. I love the color pink especially with the hope and support it generates to many of us, whether we are the fighters, the survivors or honoring a loved one who may not have their feet on the ground anymore.

I know I feel thankful when I see someone wearing a pink ribbon or a pink shirt representing breast cancer. Next month on the 19th I will be three years in remission and I feel so blessed to have seen this milestone in my life. I think of all the strong women who fought so hard in their own fight but still managed to encourage me on my journey. Candy Bustos was one of my biggest supporters and also a very dear friend. I wrote of her in the past and I still can't help but think of her lovely smile ev-

ery 19th of every month. Candy fought very, very hard and kept her sweet smile to the end.

She was a woman of strong faith and family. She remains my hero, although now her cape has been replaced with wings. Candy was the "Angel flying too close to the ground"

that Willie Nelson sings about in his song:

"I knew someday you would fly away

For love's the greatest healer to be found

So leave me if you need to, I will still remember

Angel flying too close to the ground"

I wear the color pink in support of the courage and the strength that each of us whether we are fighters or survivors. We will not live in fear; we will live in the light and shine the way for those who are just starting their journey. Like the saying goes, "Feed your faith and your fears will starve to death." I know which table my plate is on and it has a pink tablecloth.



Lorrie Grogg

GARDENING Q&A

Mow lawn same length as summer

Q. Did it ever get resolved whether we should mow the lawn lower or higher in the winter than in the summer?

A. It is resolved in my mind. Mow the lawn at the same height in the summer and the winter. My recommendation is 3.5 inches for St. Augustine, 1.5 inches or less for Bermuda grass, 2 inches for zoysia grass and 4.5 inches or taller for buffalo grass. If you are lucky enough to have a dense sod mowing it at the same height preserves it as long as it is growing. Once it goes dormant mowing any weeds that emerge at the same height is effective in maintaining an attractive lawn.

Q. Is it better to plant a wildflower mix or to buy packets of your favorite wildflower species and plant them? This year bluebonnet seeds seem hard to find?

A. The best tactic seems to be to plant a Texas Mix to begin with. See which varieties prosper on the planting site. If one or more species does especially well and you want more of it or to expand its range, you can buy the individual seeds. Bluebonnet seed harvest by producers has been low for several years because of the weather.

Q. We have cabbage loopers in our garden that are controlled well by Bt but there is another gray worm that feeds on the stems and leaves that does not seem to be affected by the Bt product. Do you

have any idea what it is and how to control it?

A. It sounds like cutworms. They hide out in the soil at the base of the plant and then emerge to feed. As the name implies they usually are most damaging because they cut off transplants and seedlings at the soil level. When they feed on foliage a Bt product such as Dipel, Thuricide or Bio Worm Killer usually controls them. To control them at soil level apply a malathion spray at the soil level along the plant row. Follow label instructions for both the Bt and the malathion.

Q. Our fall tomatoes are doing well but it is time to fertilize them again. I know you recommend using "winterizer" fertilizer for the task this time of the year but we have an opened bag of slow-release lawn fertilizer, can we use it up first?

A. Yes, go ahead and use it. The only issue is that the slow release nitrogen (50 percent) will not all be available to the tomatoes before it is time to harvest.

Q. When is the recommended time to plant cyclamen? They are beautiful and hard to resist in the nursery but I understand if they are planted too early and subjected to autumn hot spells, they don't last long.

A. Yes, your understanding is correct. Some years they prosper when planted in October but it is usually best to wait until November.

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POLL QUESTION

Early voting for a state-wide ballot began Monday, with Election Day on Nov. 7. Will you be casting a vote?

- A. Yes. It's my civic duty to vote, no matter how big or small the decision may be.
B. No. I only vote during elections that matter, like electing candidates to positions like the president, governor, down to city council and school board.
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Visit our website www.gonzalesinquirer.com or opinion to tell us your opinion. Opinion poll results will be published in next Tuesday's edition of The Gonzales Inquirer.

Results from last week's poll question:

The Gonzales Apaches knocked off La Grange to open their district season. Looking good at 1-0, how do you think the Apaches will finish in district?

- A. District champs. Apaches taking the title! 8%
B. Second place. Still going to be tough to take down Giddings or a resurging Smithville. 8%
C. Third place. We'll make playoffs, but I still see Gonzales losing probably two games. 27%
D. Fourth place. District 10-4AD2 has already proven to be a tough one. We're playoff bound, but barely. 29%
E. Fifth or sixth. Sure, we knocked off La Grange, but it's going to take more than that to get in the playoffs again. I think we miss out this season. 27%

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

To discuss Gonzales ISD's State Financial Accountability Rating

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Gonzales ISD will hold a public meeting at 5:15 p.m. on November 13, 2017 at the Junior High School Library located at 426 N College, Gonzales, Texas.

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss Gonzales ISD's 2016-17 rating on the state's financial accountability system.

ORDINANCE NO. 2017-18

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GONZALES, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTION 9.4 OF THE TEXAS DISPOSAL SYSTEMS, INC. CONTRACT FOR MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL SERVICES DATED FEBRUARY 15, 2015 BY INCREASING FRANCHISE FEES PAID TO THE CITY ESTABLISHING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the City Council to protect the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the laws of the State of Texas and the Charter of the City of Gonzales, the City Council has the power by Ordinance to grant, amend, renew and extend all franchises of public utilities of every Character operating within the City of Gonzales.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GONZALES, TEXAS:

Section 9.4 of the Texas Disposal System, Inc. Agreement is hereby amended as follows:

9.4 Contractor to Act as Collector - The Contractor shall submit monthly statements to each customer receiving commercial container service, including roll off container and compactors for services provided by the Contractor pursuant to Section 5 including those such accounts that are delinquent. Billing will be in Arrears. See Attachment "A" for rates. Rates will be subject to an added 15% franchise fee which Contractor will remit to City quarterly.

Commercial carts, which are billed by the city will have a franchise fee of 12%.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City and the Contractor, each representing that its signatory hereto has full authority to bind it hereto, have executed this AMENDMENT on the date hereinafter referred.

All other Sections of the Agreement shall remain in effect.

This ordinance shall not become effective until after its publication in the newspaper as provided in Section 10.02 of the Charter of the City of Gonzales, Texas.

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ORDINANCE 2017-16

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GONZALES, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 8.604 ALCOHOL BEVERAGE PERMITS AND FEES OF THE CITY OF GONZALES CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

ORDINANCE 2017-17

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TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE ESTATE: WHEREAS, on the 16th day of October, 2017, in the Gonzales County Court at Law of Gonzales County, Texas, the undersigned duly qualified as the Independent Executrix of the Estate of Bobbie L. Campion, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary of this Estate were granted and this is to notify all persons having claims against said Estate that they are required to present the same to the undersigned within the time prescribed by law. Any person indebted to said Estate is hereby notified to pay same to the undersigned. GLADYS T. CAMPION, Independent Executrix of the Estate of Bobbie L. Campion, Deceased.

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Gonzales Apaches needed a bit more consistency, despite getting a 17-14 win over Columbus on Friday.

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Trevion McNeil (10) broke a tackle during a screen pass as the senior wide receiver ran 49 yards after the reception to get to the end zone for a touchdown. Gonzales would win the game 17-14 to stay on top of District 10-4AD2.

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Apaches escape with win

By José Torres
sports@gonzalesinquirer.com

COLUMBUS — It was a hotly-contested game until the end, but the Gonzales Apaches were able to escape Columbus with the 17-14 victory to stay unbeaten in District 10-4AD2.

A sloppy game throughout, the Apaches' lack of consistency posed a problem, as Gonzales scored three points via a 45-yard field goal by Daniel Cruz, their only points in the first half.

"Penalties were on the rise tonight for the first time in a long time, negative plays were on the rise tonight for the first time in a long time," Gonzales Head Coach Kodi Crane noted. "Those mistakes, we got to eliminate to reach the goals that we set for this football team."

The field goal was the only score in the first half, as the Apaches offense got to the Columbus 1-yard line but the Cardinals' defense was able to force a turnover on downs.

Gonzales finally got their first touchdown of the night immediately after giving up a touchdown midway through the third quarter.

Down 7-3, the Apaches marched down the field on a nine-play, 65-yard drive that ended with a one-yard touchdown by James Martinez.

District 10-4A2			
	W	L	%
Gonzales	2	0	1.000
Giddings	2	0	1.000
Smithville	1	1	0.500
Caldwell	1	1	0.500
Columbus	0	2	0.000
La Grange	0	2	0.000

Five different athletes had carries on the drive while Garrett Rickman found Heber Cardona on a 16-yard reception.

After a three-and-out, Rickman connected with Trevion McNeil who took the ball down 49 yards for a touchdown.

The two touchdown drives showed what the offense is capable of doing when they hit their big plays as well as grind out drives with their rushing attack from multiple runners.

"But it's got to be consistent," Crane warned. "That's where we sit with everything. We're not consistent enough and we got to get to that spot."

With 31 seconds left in the game,

the Columbus Cardinals scored another touchdown to cut the lead to 17-14. But with just one timeout remaining, they tried for an on-side kick, but failed, as the Apaches jumped on it, then went to a victory formation to end the game on a quarterback knee.

The Apaches moved to 5-2 overall, 2-0 on top of the district with Giddings. Columbus went down to 0-2 along with La Grange who is also looking for their first win of the season.

The Apaches host Giddings (3-4, 2-0) this Friday, in a matchup that is vital for a team looking to take the district crown. Kickoff is set at 7:30 p.m.

Late score drops Mustangs to 0-2

From Coach's Report

NATALIA — Nixon-Smiley (2-5, 0-2) are still in search of their first district win after giving up a touchdown midway through the fourth to lose 28-20 to Natalia (6-1, 1-1).

Natalia opened their scoring with a 70-yard touchdown pass, going up 7-0. Nixon-Smiley responded with a 25-yard touchdown pass from Colby Newman to Daniel Rodriguez. In the second quarter, Natalia scored on an 11-yard touchdown run, but Rodriguez responded with an 80-yard touchdown run of his own, to tie the game 14-14. In the fourth quarter, Natalia scored with 11:56 left in the game to go up 21-14, then Devin Hester busted out a 72-yard touchdown run to bring the Mustangs within one after the two-point conversion failed. At 8:50 remaining, Nata-



lia connected on a 52-yard touchdown pass, the final score of the game, with Natalia winning 28-20.

Newman led the team in rushing with 23 attempts for 99 yards. Hester had five attempts for 74 yards and a touchdown. Rodriguez had six attempts for 84 yards and a score. Newman also threw 7-of-15 for 85 yards, one touchdown and two interceptions. Hester caught four balls for 47 yards while Rodriguez caught three balls for 38 yards and a score. Hester also snagged an interception while Newman and Efren Olalde each had a combined sack.

The Mustangs host Dilley (3-4, 1-1) this Friday with kickoff scheduled at 7:30 p.m.

District 15-3A2				
	W	L	%	GP
Poth	2	0	1.000	2
Dilley	1	1	0.500	2
Stockdale	1	1	0.500	2
Natalia	1	1	0.500	2
Karnes City	1	1	0.500	2
Nixon-Smiley	0	2	0.000	2

SPORTS BRIEFS

Lady Apaches dropped against Wimberley

The Gonzales Lady Apaches lost on the road to Wimberley. They host Incarnate Word tonight at 6 p.m. in a non-district match before playoffs.

Nixon-Smiley loses in three

The Nixon-Smiley Lady

Mustangs lost to Luling (25-4, 25-19, 25-11). Shelby Perez led with seven kills while Katy Tschoepe had four. Maggie Mendez came away with three aces. Courtney Lopez had four assists. The Lady Mustangs host Universal City Randolph tonight at 6 p.m.

Cardinals rout St. Gerard Royals to remain undefeated

From Coach's Report

SHINER — Shiner St. Paul (7-0, 4-0) ran all over the St. Gerard Royals (2-6, 0-4) to remain undefeated this season, winning the bout 55-12.

The Cardinals defense showed up as the Royals combined for negative yards rushing and 116 yards passing, with just five first downs throughout the night.

Meanwhile, five different players on the St. Paul offense scored touchdowns, with Conor Kresta leading the way with 12 rushes for 116 yards and three touchdowns. Tre'Zell Jenkins-Perry

TAPPS District 5-DIV III/IV				
	W	L	%	GP
Shiner St. Paul	4	0	1.000	4
Boerne Geneva	2	1	0.667	3
Schertz JP II	2	1	0.667	3
Hall. Sacred Heart	2	2	0.500	4
Austin Brentwood Christian	1	2	0.333	3
San Marcos Academy	1	2	0.333	3
SA St. Gerard	0	4	0.000	4

had five rushes for 80 yards and a touchdown. Joseph Natal rushed five times for 76 yards and one touchdown. Carson Reese added 68 yards on 10 rushes and a score. Kai Giese rushed three times

for 24 yards and two touchdowns.

The Cardinals combined for 42 carries for 393 yards.

Shiner St. Paul take on Hallettsville Sacred Heart on Thursday, with kickoff set at 7:30 p.m.

SUDOKU

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Level: Intermediate

Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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Junior high knocks off Columbus, loses to Cuero

From Coaches' Reports

The Gonzales Junior High teams traveled last week for their football games, with the 7A and 8A teams taking on Columbus and the 7B and 8B teams facing Cuero.

7A TEAM DEFEATS COLUMBUS 42-14
Carlos Verastegui had a great night running the football. Carlos had a six-yard, 72-yard, 48-yard and a 26-yard touchdown run. He also scored on a two-point conversion. Jerin Johnson completed a 51-yard pass to Mason Gonzales for a touchdown. Derrick Garza and Joe Canales both scored a two-point conversion. Jerin Johnson also scored a four-yard touchdown. The 7A team remains un-

defeated at 5-0, 2-0 in district play.

7B LOSES 16-6 TO CUERO
The 7B team lost at Cuero 16-6, with Dalton Pape named offensive player of the game and Angel Martinez and Christian Camarillo named defensive players of the game. Martinez had an interception for a touchdown while Camarillo also came away with a pick.

8A TEAM ROUTS COLUMBUS 44-10
Breck Eleby was the offensive player of the game for Gonzales' 44-10 win over Columbus. Elsby scored on a 46-yard pass and a 38-yard pass from Brett Breitschopf. Eleby also racked up a 56-yard run and a 75-yard touch-

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down run. Cesar Matamoros scored on a 58-yard power run and two two-point conversions. Brady Barfield had two amazing catches from Breitschopf. Barfield scored on a 28-yard pass and a two-point conversion. Jeramiah Hastings scored on a two-point conversion. Hastings also deflected the ball on a pass from the Cardinals to allow Jose Ortega to intercept the ball. Hastings also recovered a fumble. To seal the win, Eleby intercepted

the ball for a 42-yard return. Coaches also praised the offensive line for their outstanding blocking. The Apaches are 2-0 in district play.

8B DROPPED 20-0 AGAINST CUERO
The 8B team lost to Cuero 20-0. Kyle Ellison was praised for his rushing ability as he was named offensive player of the game. Meanwhile, defensive player of the game was Weston Pape.

Donations

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bread and dessert items, such as rolls/biscuits, cakes, pies, pastries and cookies.
Other items to consider include: fresh vegetables, spices, such as salt, pepper, garlic powder, onion powder, red pepper flakes, butter, eggs, flour, sugar, canned pie fillings, etc.

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Council

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Gonzales City Council meets at 6 p.m. tonight, Tuesday, Oct. 24, at Gonzales Municipal Building, 820 St. Joseph Street, in Council Chambers. The next regularly-scheduled meeting is set for 6 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 7.



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