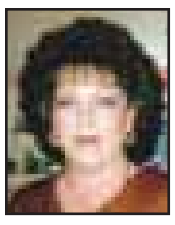
Obituaries



LEE FULFORD
1952-2012

Memorial services for Lee Fulford, 60, formerly of Brownfield, will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, October 25, 2012 at Brownfield First Baptist Chapel with Rev. Randy Land officiating. Burial will be in Terry County Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Brownfield Funeral Home.

The family will receive visitors from 6-7 p.m. Wednesday at Brownfield Funeral Home.

Lee passed away Monday, October 22, 2012 in Lubbock. She was born January 19, 1952 to W.A. "Dub" and Colene "Cody" Fulford in Tahoka.

She graduated from Brownfield High School in 1970. Lee then attended Texas Tech University. She worked at Brownfield First National Bank for over 15 years as a teller. She was a member of Brownfield First Baptist Church.

Lee's joy in life was to be around people and to make them laugh. She loved being outside with the horses and flower gardening.

Lee is survived by a daughter, Teresa Porter and husband Paul of Lubbock; a son, Trent Darby and wife Tiffany of Lubbock; a granddaughter, Taryn Porter; a sister, Fran Ebel and husband Michael of Bellwood, Neb.; her aunt, Marilyn McPhaul and husband Jack of Lubbock and three nieces and a nephew.

JOSEPH GENE RIDGWAY
1932-2012

Services for Joseph Gene Ridgway, 80, of Lubbock were at10 a.m., Tuesday, October 23, 2012 at Brownfield Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Terry County Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Brownfield Funeral Home.

The family received visitors on Monday at the Brownfield Funeral Home from 6-8pm.

Gene passed away Friday, October 19, 2012 in Lubbock. He was born January 13, 1932 to Richard Weldon and Allie Mattie Hamilton Ridgway in Brownfield. He graduated in 1950 from Brownfield High School. He was a retired Air Force Veteran serving in Vietnam. Gene married Jo Ann Zant on September 4, 1953 in Brownfield. He piloted the KC 135, flew JFK and heads of staff to England and was a member of the Civil Air Patrol and Lions Club. He also taught special education students at Monterey High School. He owned and operated a turf business as well. He remained very active even after retiring.

Gene is survived by his wife Jo Ann of Lubbock; a son, Danny Ridgway and wife Ursula of Lubbock; a daughter, Lynna McFarland and husband Dan of Highland Village; 4 grandchildren, Johnathan McFarland and wife Gina, Shawn McFarlin, Ellen Davis and Ginger Young; 4 great grandchildren; a brother, Richard Ridgway of Flower Mound.

ROY L. BURKS
(April 23, 1940 - October 20, 2012)

U.S. Veteran Memorial services for Roy Lee Burks, 72, of Brownfield will be at 10am, Thursday, October 25, 2012 at Calvary Baptist Church with Rev. Steve Carter officiating.

Roy went to be with his Lord Saturday, October 20, 2012 at his home in Brownfield. He was born on April 23, 1940 to Ollie and Della (Jackson) Burks. He graduated from Lovington High School. He was a U.S. Air Force serving in Guam from 1960-1964. Roy married Dottie Agnes on November 4, 1985. He was a supervisor at Brownfield Farmers CO-OP for 43 years. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

Roy is survived by his wife, Dottie of Brownfield; daughters, Kim Thompson and her husband Dale of Yukon, OK, Kim Gafford of Lubbock, Le'Ann Estrada and husband Anthony of Littlefield and Amee Dobson and husband Scott of Levelland; a son, Scott McCutchen and wife Diane of Brownfield; 10 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorials to Brownfield Calvary Baptist Church or the American Cancer Society.

NEWS BRIEFS...

Veterans - To share your story with the *Brownfield News* for our upcoming Veterans Day issue, call Josie at 637-4535 or 559-4283.

Radio fans - If you are interested in joining an antique radio club, contact Stan Baker at 559-4679.

Concert - A free contemporary Christian concert will be held at 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 28 at Calvary Baptist Church with performances by Cindy Hughlett and Jeff Stansberry.

Pet contest - The annual "Howloween" Pet Costume Contest will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 27 at the Coleman Park Amphitheater. The $10 registration fees will benefit the Brownfield Animal Shelter. For more information call 585-6363 or (325) 226-2672.

Police Dispatch

Oct. 21

Assault - A male suspect reportedly assaulted a female victim at the bus station in the 1200 block of Lubbock Road.

Burglary - Suspects reportedly broke into a storage shed in the 1400 block of East Main Street and stole some property.

DWI - A 42-year-old man was arrested for driving while intoxicated about 2 a.m. during a traffic stop in the 400 block of East Buckley Street.

Warrant - A 35-year-old woman was arrested for an outstanding local warrant and driving with no insurance during a traffic stop at 2:24 a.m. in the 100 block of West Hill Street.

Oct. 20

Criminal mischief - A vehicle was found damaged in the 500 block of East Lons Street.

Assault/threat - A male suspect was arrested about 1 a.m. during a traffic stop in the 100 block of West Reppto Street for an outstanding Gaines County-based warrant for assault/threat.

Marijuana - Officers located marijuana residue in a vehicle during a traffic stop about 2 a.m. in the 500 block of South Cedar Lane.

Oct. 19

Fight - Officers investigated a fight about 10:15 p.m. at a night club in the 1300 block of Tahoka Road.

Criminal mischief - A vehicle's tires were found slashed in the 900 block of East Reppto Street.

Assault - A male assault victim was treated for emergency medical attention about 1 a.m.

Oct. 17

Resist arrest/assault - A 21-year-old woman was arrested about 12:30 p.m. in the 1300 block of Tahoka Road on a capias pro fine warrant for assault/family violence and an outstanding motion to proceed with adjudication of guilt for resisting arrest.

Oct. 16

Fail to ID - A 26-year-old New Mexico woman was arrested for failure to identify herself about 12:35 p.m. during a traffic stop in the 1200 block of Lubbock Road.

DWLI - A 38-year-old woman was arrested for driving with license invalid during a traffic stop about 10:15 a.m. in the 100 block of East Broadway Street.

Burglary - A camera was reported stolen from a vehicle.

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