Lady sheriff mourned

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The new Sheriff for Panola County, O. R. "Bob" Price, Jr., was found dead in his Heflin home on Thursday, May 1, 2003. Mrs. Price was a long-time resident of the county and served as a deputy for many years. She was a dedicated public servant and leaves behind a legacy of service to the community.

County still competing for I-69

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Late this year, a decision is expected to be made regarding the route of the proposed I-69 highway in our area. The decision will be based on a variety of factors, including community input. The state is currently seeking feedback from Panola citizens on the proposed route through our county.

Voters determine school, city seats

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Panola County residents will go to the polls on Election Day to vote on the school bond referendum and city elections. The school bond referendum will affect the future of education in our area, while the city elections will determine the leaders for our local government.

Trailer ride dates set

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Members of the Panola County Chamber of Commerce have announced the dates for the annual Trailer Ride. The ride will take place on July 13 and 14. The event features a variety of activities and attractions, including a parade, live music, and food.

Trade highway deemed economic boost

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Breast cancer mammograms set for May

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May is designated as Breast Cancer Awareness Month, and the Panola County Health Department is offering free mammograms for women ages 40 and older. The mammograms will be available at the Panola County Health Department on May 15th. For more information, call the Health Department at 933-2400.
Breast cancer patients have options

By Tony Cap

Early detection vital

The national breast cancer awareness month is October. It's important to be aware of the symptoms and take action if you or someone you know has breast cancer.

Women over 40 are at a higher risk for breast cancer, so it's important to get screened regularly. The American Cancer Society recommends annual mammograms for women age 45 and older. Men can also get screened, but it's not as common. The Society recommends a breast exam every three years for men age 40 and older.

Symptoms of breast cancer can include:

- A lump or thickening in the breast or underarm
- A change in the size or shape of the breast or nipple
- Redness or irritation of the nipple or breast skin
- A discharge from the nipple
- Nipple inversion or dimpling

If you or someone you know has any of these symptoms, it's important to see a doctor right away. Early detection is key to successful treatment.

For more information, please visit the American Cancer Society website or talk to your healthcare provider.

Panola College graduation exercises to be held May 15

Announcement was made recently by Dr. Edward D. Donaldson, President of Panola College, that the 1998 graduation exercises for students of Panola College will be held at 10 a.m. on May 15 in the college's auditorium.

Donaldson said that the college will award associate degrees in two programs: Associate of Applied Science in Architectural Technology and Associate of Applied Science in Automotive Technology.

In addition, Donaldson said, the college will award 39 Bachelor of Arts degrees, 10 Bachelor of Science degrees, 10 Bachelor of Science in Nursing degrees, 10 Bachelor of Education degrees, 10 Bachelor of Business Administration degrees, and 10 Bachelor of Fine Arts degrees.

Panola College students and alumni were recently awarded plaques for special achievements. Those recognized are: 

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Religion

East Texas New Life Crusade scheduled for May 17-20

Christians of all denominations are invited to participate in the East Texas New Life Crusade scheduled for May 17-20.

The event is organized by the East Texas New Life Crusade Committee, which is led by local faith leaders.

Tickets are available at the door. For more information, contact the committee at 555-1234.

Sports

Dawgs rally to nip Henderson late, 7-5

Dawgs' rally late in the game to come back against Henderson and win, 7-5.

The Dawgs were down 5-0 at the start of the 6th inning, but rallied to take the lead with a 7-run inning and held on for the victory.

Game summary:

- The Dawgs scored 7 runs in the 6th inning to take the lead.
- Henderson scored 1 run in the 9th inning to make it 8-6, but the Dawgs held on for the win.
- The Dawgs' rally was led by player X, who had 3 hits and 2 RBIs.
- The game was played in front of a sold-out crowd.

Religion

Ladies' retreat set at Daniel Springs

A ladies' retreat is being planned at Daniel Springs in May. The event will be held at the retreat center located at 1234 Retreat Rd.

The retreat will be open to all women and will include devotions, workshops, and fellowship. Registration is now open.

Contact the retreat center at 555-1234 for more information.

Cemetery memorial day planned

The cemetery memorial day is planned for May 17th. The event will be held at the local cemetery and will include a service and a luncheon.

For more information, contact the cemetery office at 555-1234.
Hamilton hurls 9-1 win; Brewwster’s double sets school record at 21

Ponies end season by avoiding cellar

 Hits two in 10-2 win over Lon Morris

Ponies lose chance to play up to third

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