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Mentone Feature Businesses

processes to come out of HIPAA is the all patients will be given the opportunity to Facility Directory. Participation will allow you by name to learn your location in the condition (good, fair, etc.). If you choose not hospital will not acknowledge your presence, and will return cards or flowers to plan to visit a family member or friend in order to ask for the patient by name.

a common misconception that the Facility members of the clergy from visiting members. However, members of the clergy are able to learn of an individual's location in as their religious affiliation provided the to participate in the Facility Directory. The implement a password system that will allow family or friends that may be given more provided by the Facility Directory.

a misperception is that patients will not be es of their laboratory or radiology reports. ed that physicians won't be able to release ysicals or immunization records to parents r, HIPAA gives the patient the right to both a copy of their health information, includ- or child. Individuals requesting copies of ation will be asked to complete an autho- now photo identification. In a day in which the rise, health care providers must be both the authority and the identity of the ng the health information as well as the e information, if it is someone other than

l of HIPAA is to protect the privacy of the protecting the privacy of the patient may tion on the part of family members. When ed under a spouse or significant other's years old, the patient must give their per- hospital or physician may discuss their ding detail bills, with the insured. This s away at college will have to be contacted physician's office for their permission to care or health care bills with the parents. consumers encounter new paper work, s, it is important to remember that they all ect an individual's personal health infor- e information about HIPAA, contact nity Hospital's privacy officer at 269-8324, n: Privacy Officer, 2101 E. DuBois Drive,



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Drawn Into A Picture Now Open

Drawn Into A Picture, which opened in November 2002, offers classes in Mentone on one stroke painting, decorative painting, water colors, kids' crafts and stamping and scrapping. More than 1,000 rubber stamps are available for use. Hours are Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information or to sign up for a class, call Georgena Mitchell, 866-353-7177. Pictured are (L to R): Amy Cohagan, Cookie Gakstatter, Karen Francis, Orabelle Meredith, Rita Simpson, Georgena Mitchell, Tammie Davis and Julia Gilbert.



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Mentone Day Care To Open In Summer

Mentone Day Care, a nonprofit organization, will open this summer. The Mentone Chamber recently donated \$2,500 to the day care. For more information, call Pam, 353-7521. Pictured are (L to R): Amy Cohagan; Cookie Gakstatter; Karen Francis, Orabelle Meredith; Rita Simpson; Lisa Aguilo, director; Pam Brower, president; Donna Crill, treasurer; and Cindy Law, vice president.





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Juanita Wagner, Jeni Hire, Mary Mills and



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Pictured at the Viking Video ribbon-cutting are: Amy Cohagan; Cookie Gakstatter; Karen Francis; Orabelle Meredith; Rita Simpson; and owners Tammy and Jim Eads.

Viking Video Offers Videos And More

MENTONE - Viking Video opened at 121 E. Main St., Mentone, in November. They are open Monday through Saturday, noon to 9 p.m. and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m. In addition to videos, they offer tanning beds and apparel.

Daily specials are available Monday through Thursday and there are two any time specials.

Tanning sessions are available singly or in a 10-session package.

Bulldog and Valley Viking apparel recently arrived.

For more information, call 353-7275.

Business Pages usually appear each Thursday and Saturday. There is no set deadline for business briefs. For more information, call the **Times-Union**, M.J. Rhodes, 267-3111, Ext. 213.

better able to fulfill the s area," said Lucas. "We to offer complete assis- may be moving out of the bal Relocation Services ith the top notch service C."

Business Networking Tuesday at the Holiday gave a short presenta- Mr. Rooter of Milford. tion won the door prize ting gave out the most

ux of the meeting and or their business is wel- orning.

Getting The Dental Care You Need Doesn't Have To Be Painful!

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