Like the Taj Mahal

By Maddy Brown-Clark

As I sat on the beach
The setting sun looked
Like the Taj Mahal
Sinking into the sea,
As the moon rose in the sky
It looked like a china plate
On a dark blue tablecloth.
I used my imagination
To get past the things
That worried me like
How to make ends meet
And keep from living
On the street
And hope was resurrected
From the tomb
Within my heart.

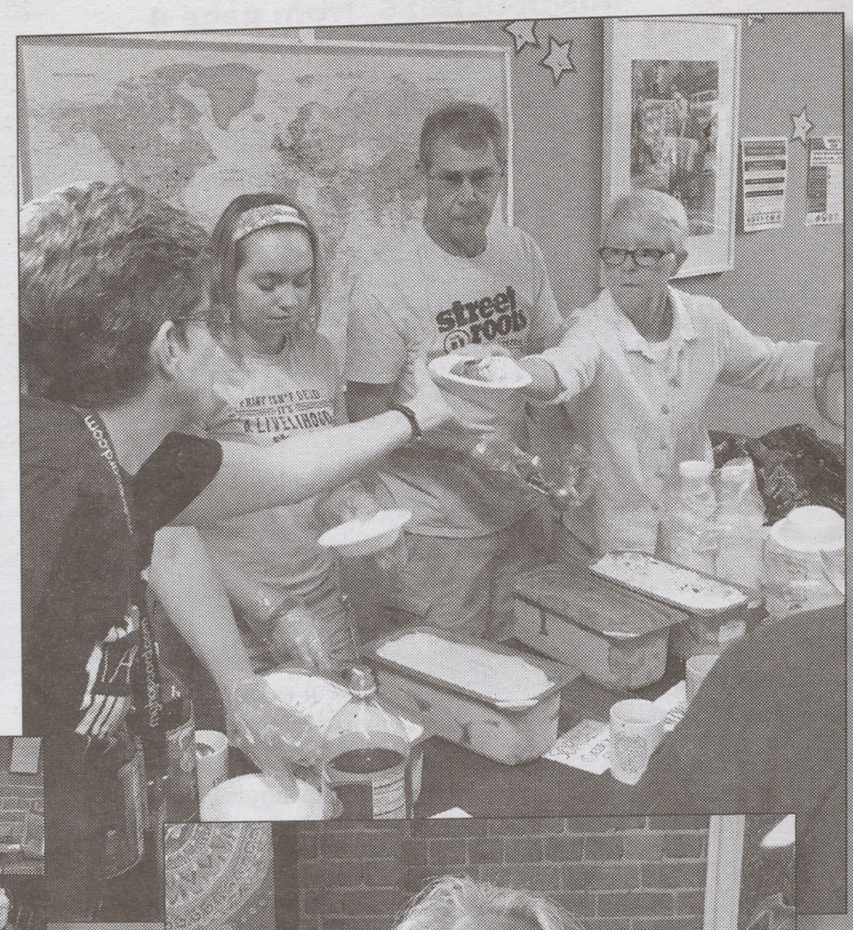
Ice cream social

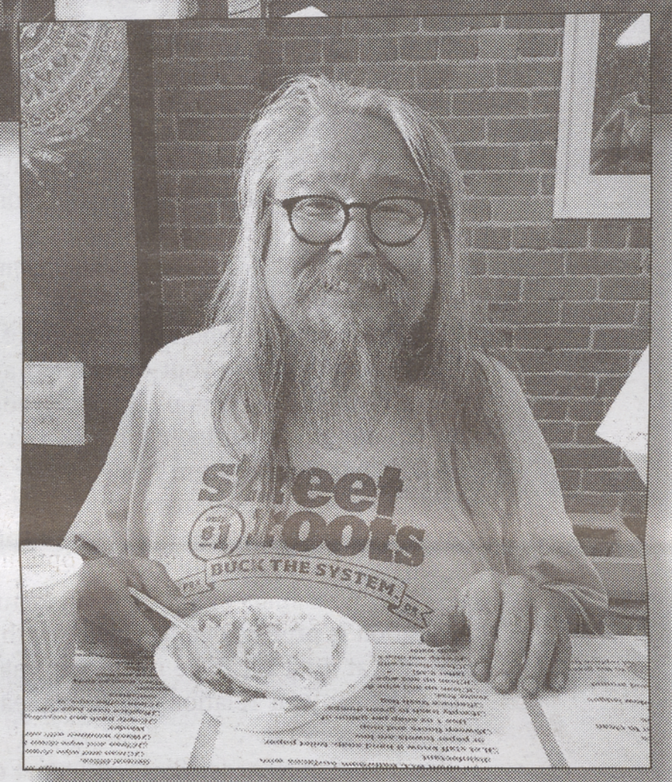
Street Roots vendors enjoyed an ice cream party on Friday afternoon Aug. 25 catered by What's the Scoop? on North Williams Avenue. Forty vendors attended the party, held in the Street Roots office, taking a break from selling the new paper on a hot afternoon.

"The party was awesome! I loved the brown butter almond brittle ice cream. It was delicious! I know most of the vendors who were there and it was good to have an afternoon to catch up with them," said vendor Katie Amberson.

The party was July's Health, Wellness and Leisure event for Street Roots vendors. The Health & Wellness program was designed to provide a monthly event to build community among Street Roots vendors and to reward them with some hard-earned time off.

Many thanks to Mary Anne Joyce, long time friend of the vendors for making the party possible.





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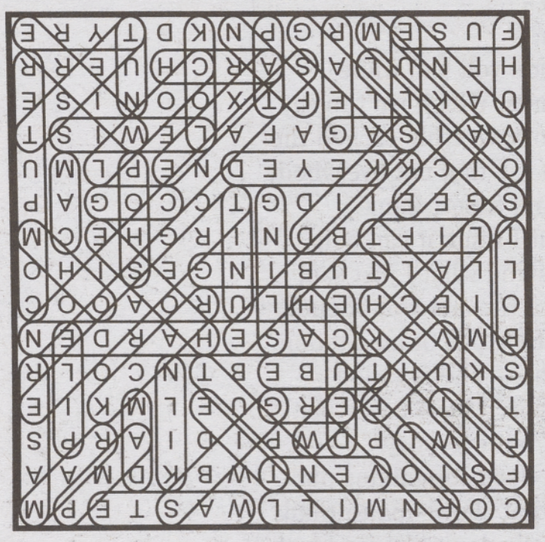

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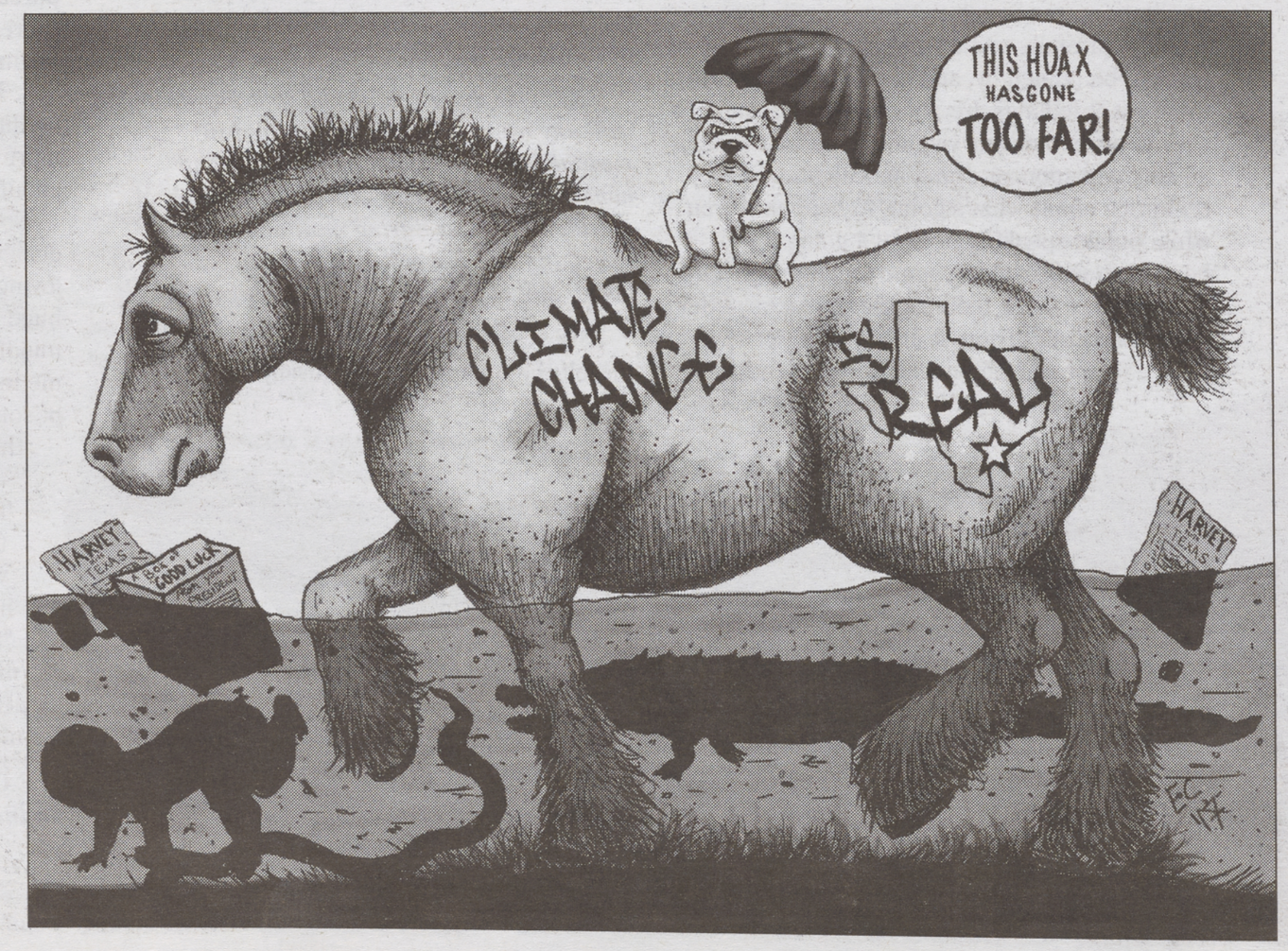
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