



An outdoor amphitheatre features a projection wall for night-time viewing.



The new high school is a composite of buildings arranged together around a courtyard.

BMT's new gem

The new Dallas High School is not quite ready for public viewing but The Dallas Post got a sneak peek on July 28.

The 230,000 square foot building features a three-story classroom wing, acoustically outfitted band and chorale rooms and a media center with great views and lots of space. An outdoor courtyard area, expanded auditorium and buffet-style cafeteria are just some of the highlights of this state-of-the-art facility.

The \$43 million project is receiving final inspections and touch-ups before its formal dedication at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 28. The following week, public tours will be held during afternoon and evening hours to accommodate residents and parents.

For more information on the dedication and public tours, contact the district's administration office at 675-5201.



The new gymnasium has acoustical features that make it quiet and a floor decal designed by a student. Dallas School District maintenance supervisor Mark Kraynack shows off the new gym floor.

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The view from the new library will improve as the old high school building is demolished to make way for a parking lot.



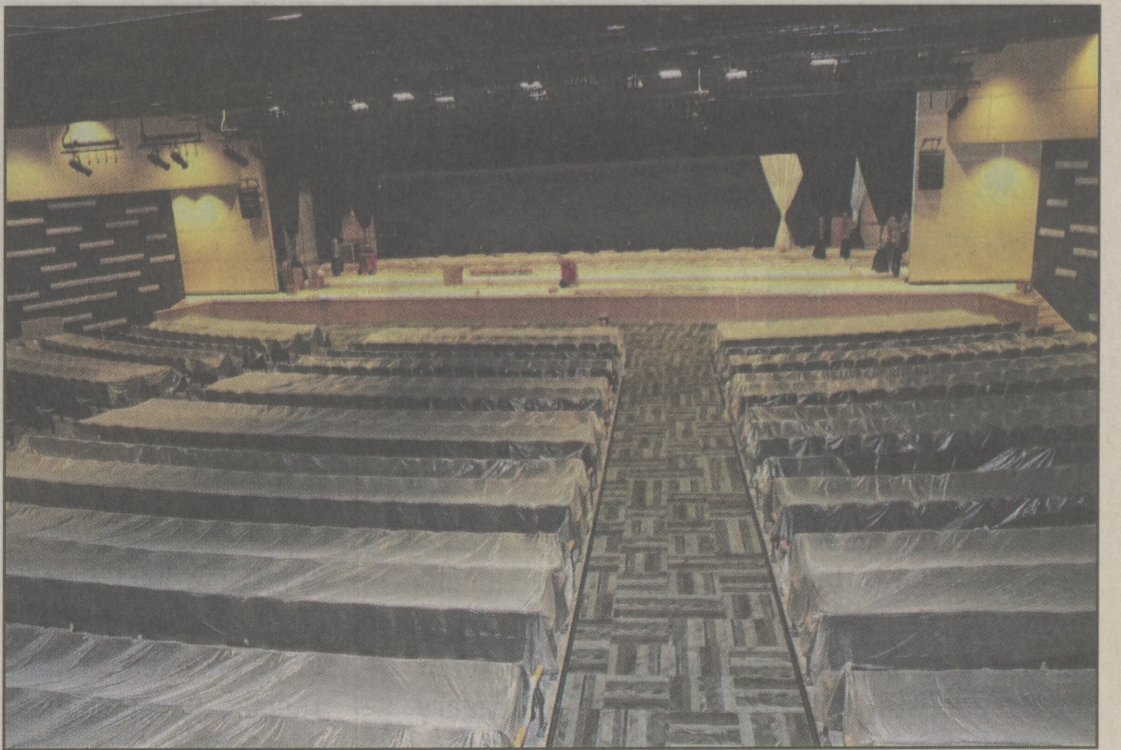
The new cardio-fitness room offers an outside entrance for possible access by the public.



The interior courtyard will have drop-down TVs and an enclosed store where students can buy Dallas t-shirts and merchandise.



Workers hurry to finish setting up state-of-the-art computer labs.



The new auditorium will accommodate 2,000 people.