

Baseball games

Haskell V vs Hawley
Tues., March 25, 7 p.m.
at Hawley

Softball games

Haskell JV-V vs Windthorst
Fri., March 21, 4:30 p.m.
at Haskell

Haskell JV-V vs Hawley
Tues., March 25, 5 p.m.
at Hawley

Track

Rochester JH
Badger Relays
Tues., March 25 at Merkel
Indians and Maidens
Roby Invitational
Sat., March 22 at Roby

Calendar

Skywarn class

The National Weather Service will present a Skywarn class Mon., March 24 at 7 p.m. at the Haskell Fire Station. All who are interested in weather watching, including area firemen, law enforcement officials and citizens, are invited to attend.

Wind farm meeting

Peak Wind will host a follow up meeting to discuss wind development opportunities in Stamford and Haskell areas Thurs., March 20 at 6 p.m. at the Cliff House.

Revival

Hopewell Baptist Church, 908 N. Ave. A in Haskell, is in revival through March 21 each evening at 7 p.m. Sat., March 22 at 7 a.m., the public is invited to join them in a free pancake breakfast.

Baseball

Those wishing to participate in Haskell Youth Baseball League, ages 5-12, should fill out a form available from Rhonda Hanson at Haskell Elementary or from Sport-About. Fee is \$25 for one athlete/\$40 for two. Deadline for registration forms and fees is Wed., April 2 with no exceptions. Return to Hanson at Haskell Elementary or to Sport-About. A copy of the child's birth certificate should also accompany the form and payment. Birth certificate information will be kept on file for age verification and tournament purposes, if applicable.

Peach cobblers

The Experienced Citizens Center of Haskell will bake peach cobblers and cornbread dressing in time for Easter Sunday. Orders may be placed by calling 864-3875. Orders may be picked up on Fri., March 21. Proceeds benefit the Experienced Citizens Center.

Sunrise service

An Easter Sunday sunrise service will be held beginning at 7:30 a.m. Sun., March 23 at the Sagerton Community Center in Sagerton, hosted by the Sagerton Methodist Church. Breakfast will be served following the service.

'Changing' lives!

Jugs to collect change are located on the Haskell Elementary, Haskell Jr. High and Haskell High campuses and around town. Help 'Taylor's Team' and 'Will's Walkers' collect coins to benefit Autism Speaks. They will be walking to raise money April 5 at the Abilene Zoo during the 4th annual West Texas Walk for Autism.

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Happy Easter

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"The People's Choice"

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Best of Show honors held by 2001 Corvette

Fifty-seven classic cars and trucks were entered at the 12th annual Haskell Volunteer Fire Department's Classic Car Show held Sat., March 15 around the Haskell courthouse square.

The Best of Show entry was the 2001 Chevrolet Corvette belonging to Gary McLendon of Wichita Falls.

Traveling the farthest distance was David Ray of Waco to show his 1956 Ford Town Sedan.

Taking the People's Choice trophy was Robert Spalding of Hamlin with his 1957 Chevrolet Bel Air.

Entries winning after the judging for presentation, cleanliness, paint and interior quality included:

Cars Pre-'64: 1. Ronnie Anderson of Abilene, 1957 Chevrolet Nomad; 2. Wayne Burrow of Breckenridge, 1955 Ford Crown Victoria; 3. Robert Spalding of Hamlin, 1957 Chevrolet Bel Air.

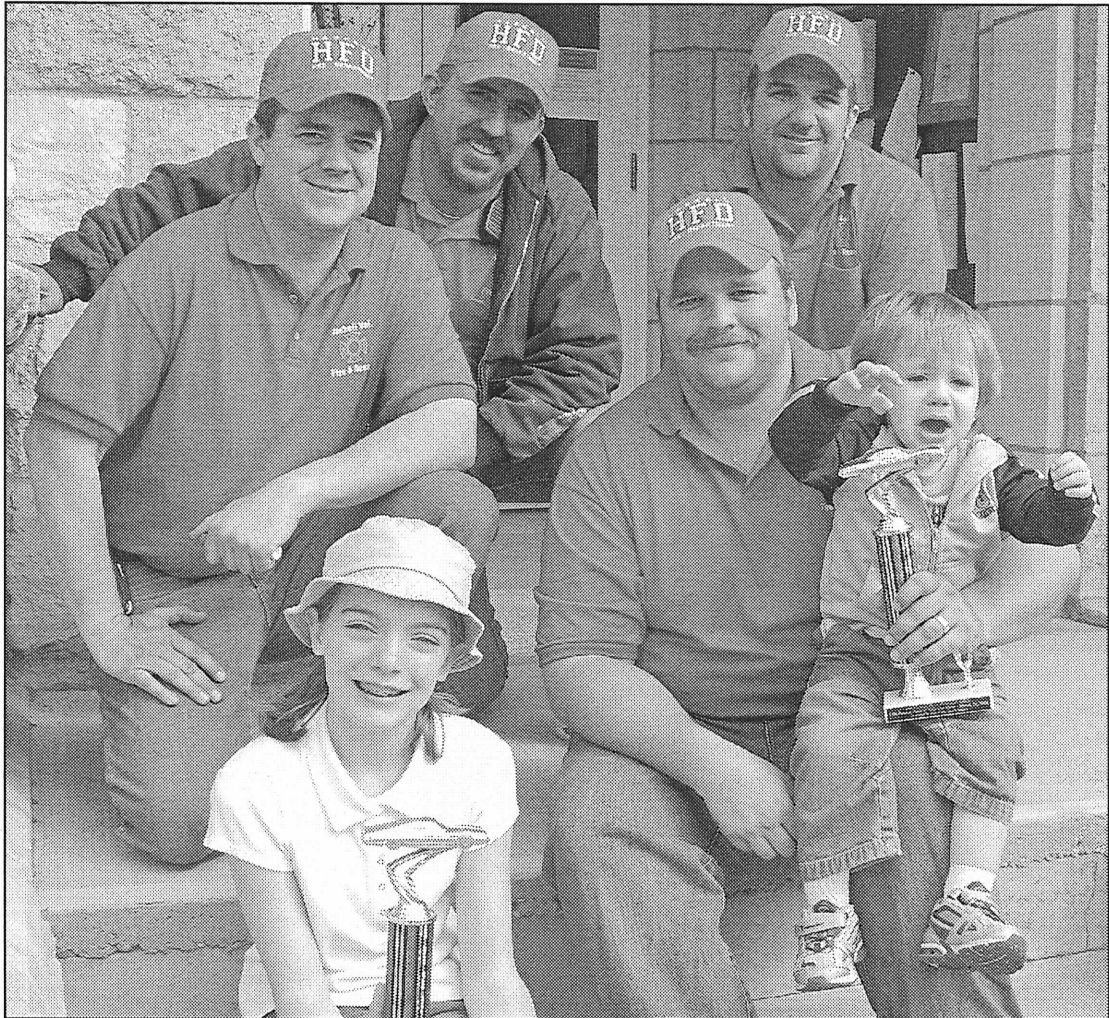
Cars '65 to '75: 1. David Craft of Wichita Falls, 1966 Shelby GT350H; 2. Joe Corne of Abilene, 1970 Mercury Cougar; 3. Matthew Birkla of Albany, 1970 Chevrolet Chevelle SS.

Cars '76 and up: 1. Gary McLendon of Wichita Falls, 2001 Chevrolet Corvette; 2. Arlene Nendler of Abilene, 2005 Chevrolet Corvette convertible; 3. Ryan Carigran of Abilene, 2003 Chevrolet Corvette.

Antique Cars, Trucks: 1. Glen Large of Knox City, 1957 Ford Fairlane 500; 2. John Smith of Abilene, 1948 Ford pickup; 3. Gladys Patterson of Breckenridge, 1926 Chevrolet Couple.

Street Rods Pre-'49: 1. Randy McLearn of Mansfield, 1941 Willy; 2. Randy Hayes of Albany, 1938 Chevrolet Master Delux; 3. Barry Banner of Hawley, 1947 International pickup.

Older Pickups Pre-'84: 1. Charles Patterson of Breckenridge, 1970 Chevrolet pickup; 2. Donnie Anderson of



HOT WHEELS RACE WINNERS—Elizabeth Bowers, front left, took the first place Hot Wheels Race honors on Saturday during the annual Classic Car Show. Carson Crosson was

the second place winner. They are pictured with Haskell fireman, l-r, Stephen Wright, James Martin, Justin Arendall and Casey Moeller.

Albany, 1972 Chevrolet pickup; 3. Ruben Aldape Jr. of Hamlin, 1964 Chevrolet C-10.
Pickups '85 and up: 1. Ruben Aldree III of Hamlin, 1996 Chevrolet S-10; 2. Ruby Sessions of Haskell, 2008 Chevrolet Avalanche; 3. Roger Johnson of Munday, 1990 Chevrolet pickup.
Sport Compact: 1. Tony Gallardo of Abilene, 1999 Mazda Protege.

Motorcycles: 1. Don Ballard of Haskell, 2002 Honda Goldwing.

Restoration in Progress: 1. Donny Camp of Buford, 1965 Chevrolet Nova. 2. Kenneth Jarred of Haskell, 1971 Mercury Cougar; 3. Robert Snyder of Albany, 1949 Chevrolet pickup.

In the children's Hot Wheels race, Elizabeth Bowers took first

place and Carter Crosson was second.

The Texas Pedal Pullers held a sanctioned Pedal Pull Sat., March 15 in conjunction with the Haskell VFD Car Show.

Boys and girls that qualified to compete at the State Championship Pedal Pull will receive qualification letters later in the year. Results from Saturday's pull are:

12 year old, 430 lbs.: 1. L.J. Hammond; 2. Elizabeth Bowers.

11 year old, 430 lbs.: 1. Jeremy Hardamon (full pull); 2. Justice Dever; 3. Warren Fly; 4. Kyle Fraga; 5. Rudy Gonzalez, Jr.; 6. Reed Lee.

10 year old, 380 lbs.: 1. Blake Elieff; 2. Taylor Hunt.

9 year old, 280 lbs.: 1. Richard

Rodriguez; 2. Victoria Hertel; (four pull offs, final weight 430 lbs.); 3rd, Brandon Gonzalez; 4. Colton Wright.

8 year old, 280 lbs.: 1. Kyler Hoover; 2. Faith Sikes; 3. Tommy Gonzalez.

7 year old, 100 lbs.: 1. Colton Wright; 2. Evan Green; (three pull offs, final weight 280 lbs.) 3. John Anderson; 4. Caleb Wright; 5. Casey Arendall.

6 year old, 90 lbs.: 1. Colton Chandler; 2. Autumn Gibbs; 3. Jordan Westerman.

5 year old, 90 lbs.: 1. MaKayla Arendall

4 year old, 40 lbs.: 1. Addison Ivy; 2. Rowdy Raynes; (two pull offs, final weight 90 lbs.) 3.

Chayse Wilson; 4. Samuel Cox; 5. T.J. Court.

Haskell School Board candidates named; City election cancelled

The City of Haskell will not be required to hold an election in May. One person filed for each available position.

Bob Smith filed for the position of Mayor. Present Mayor Ken Lane did not file.

Two places on the City Council were available. Robert Tribbey and incumbent Jason Hall filed for those places. Tribbey will hold the council seat of Bob Smith.

The election for the Haskell CISD School Board will be conducted on Sat., May 10.

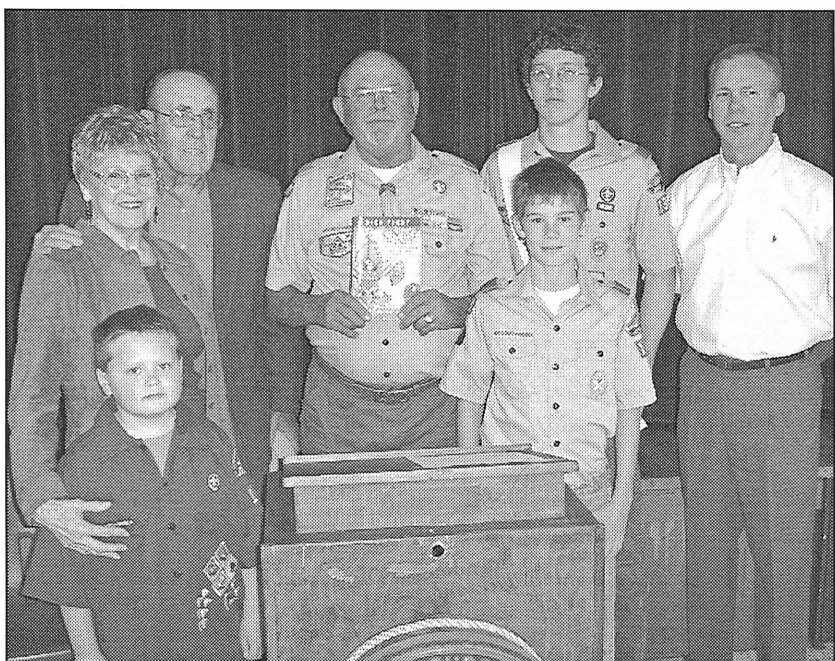
Filing for the Single Member

District #2 position were incumbent Donnie Rieger, Leonard Howard and Debbie Earles.

Filing for the Single Member District #3 position were incumbent Mynea Short and Joey Thomas.

To vote in the election, voters must live in Single Member District #2 to vote for that school board member and voters must live in Single Member District #3 to vote for that school board position.

Early voting begins April 28 and ends May 6.

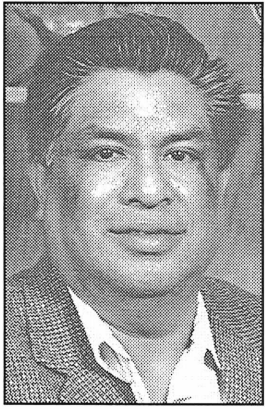


BOOK DONATED—Amelia and J.R. Perry of Paint Creek, parents of Governor Rick Perry, donated the Governor's recently penned book "On My Honor" about his views on the Boy Scout program to Wallar Overton, son of Perry's Scoutmaster Gene Overton. Gene Overton served as Boy Scout leader of Troop 48 for many years where Perry earned his Eagle Scout rank. Overton presented the book to Paint Creek School principal Jim Raughton to be placed in the Paint Creek School library. Boy Scout and Cub Scout members, who are Paint Creek Pirates, were on hand for the presentation. Pictured are back row, l-r, Amelia and J.R. Perry, Wallar Overton, Life Scout Brennan Medford and Principal Jim Raughton. Scouts on the front row include Wolf Scout Devery Reed and Star Scout River McTasney. Gov. Perry is a graduate of Paint Creek High School.

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Obituaries

Raymond Nava



RAYMOND NAVA
Funeral services for Raymond Nava, 60, of Haskell were held

Mon., March 17 at First Baptist Church of Haskell. Services were under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home of Haskell.

Mr. Nava died Thurs., March 13.

Born Nov. 10, 1947 in Mexico City, Mexico, he was the son of the late Ramon Nava Lara and Guadalupe Ramirez. He married Juanita Hernandez Nov. 5, 1967 in Mexico City. They moved from Mexico to Haskell and have been members of the community for 25 years. He was employed by the City of Stamford and a member of Alfa Y Omega Church in Rule.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and two brothers, Gill

Lievanos and Jesus Pulido.

Survivors include his wife, Juanita of the home; sons, Edward Nava and wife, Norma of Stamford, and Edgar Nava and wife, Matilda of Austin; daughters, Christina Nava and husband, Tony Fernandez of Stamford, and Martha Nava and husband, Marcello Villegas of Haskell; brothers, Emilio Lievanos, Enrique Lievanos, Arturo Pulido and Alberto Nava, all of Mexico City and Mario Nava of McAllen; sisters, Carmen Lievanos, Rosa Maria Lievanos, Celia Lievanos, Lupe Nava and Irene Nava, all of Mexico City; and six grandchildren. PD. NOTICE

Louise Taylor Josselet



LOUISE JOSSELET
Funeral services for Louise Taylor Josselet, 81, of Haskell

were held Fri., March 14 at First United Methodist Church with Lauren Gardner officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home of Haskell.

Mrs. Josselet went to be with her Lord and Savior Mon., March 10.

Born March 22, 1926 in Knox County, she was the daughter of the late Clarence Taylor and Annie Stevens Taylor. She married Herman Nathan Josselet May 26, 1943 in Munday. He preceded her in death in 1972. She worked for 15 years as a

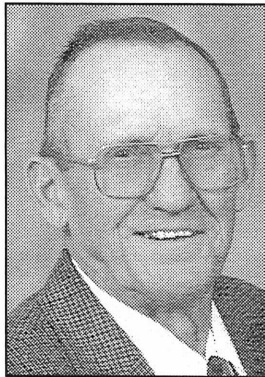
pediatric nurse in Anchorage, Alaska and attended Anchorage Baptist Temple during her time there. She moved back to Haskell from Alaska in 1991.

Mary was known by her grandchildren as Mam-Ma.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband and two brothers.

Survivors include sons, Philip Josselet, Johnny Josselet and wife, Linda, all of Haskell; daughter, Donna Bynum and husband, Jimmy of Haskell; sister, Ruby Cowan of Temple; eight grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. PD. NOTICE

Willie William Buerger



WILLIE BUERGER

Funeral services for Willie William Buerger, 81, of Haskell were held Sat., March 15 at First United Methodist Church in Haskell. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home of Haskell.

Mr. Buerger died Wed., March 12.

Born Oct. 15, 1926 in Ericksdale, he was the son of the late Friedrich Wilhelm Buerger and Selma Henrietta Thane Buerger. He married Lena Estell Suggs in 1947, and Lillian Suggs in 1957. Both preceded him in death. From 1945 to 1947, he served in the U.S. Army. He was a farmer and a member of the First United Methodist Church. In Haskell County, he had served as a board member for Soil and Water Conservation, Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Services, and Haskell Co-Op Gin. He also served as a director for Haskell County Farm Bureau 1983-84. He was voted Haskell County Soil and Water Conservation Farmer of the Year in 1990.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Lena Estell in 1956; sons, Larry Wayne Buerger and Wendell Craig Buerger; wife, Lillian Daphnia in 2002; and

sister, Alma Polk.

Survivors include daughters, Brenda Gayle Evans of Abilene and Vivian Leigh Luster of South Lake; son, William Fredrick Buerger of Haskell; sister, Bonnie Davis of Hawley; brother, Walter Buerger of Stamford; grandchildren, Jena Sedberry Vaughn, Joseph James Pace, Christy Sedberry Doughty, Benjamin Pace, Melissa Buerger, Monica Buerger, Wendell Buerger, Matt Pace, Daniel Buerger, Michael Buerger; great grandchildren, Morgan and Brenden Vaughn, Maggie and Evan Pace, Hunter Doughty, Danielle and Alicia Buerger.

Memorials may be made to Mary Crowley Cancer Center, 3535 Worth St., Suite 202, Dallas, Texas 75246 or Gideons International, 11249 E. 26th Place, Yuma, Arizona 85367. PD. NOTICE



QUILLA LACKEY

Quilla Lackey

Funeral services for Quilla Lackey, 93, of Haskell were held Sat., March 15 at East Side Baptist Church in Haskell. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home of Haskell.

Mrs. Lackey went to be with her Lord and Savior Wed., March 12.

Born Dec. 6, 1914 in Winters, she was the daughter of Joseph and Miranda West.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Cecil; daughter, Barbara Jenkins; son, Johnny; and daughter-in-law, Ruby Lackey

Jenkins.

Survivors include her sisters, Rene Speaks and Opal Honeycutt; brother, Duard West; son-in-law, Bobby Jenkins; daughter-in-law, Ramona Lackey; sisters-in-law, Lois Nicholson and Fern Lackey; brother-in-law, Rob Lackey; grandchildren, Rob Lackey and wife, Teri, Annette Mooney and husband, Jason, Darrell Jenkins and wife, Cindi, Glenn Jenkins and wife, Becky, Karen and Donald Henthorn and Brad Coe; 16 great grandchildren; and six great great grandchildren. PD. NOTICE

Dean 'Gee-Gee' Blakney



DEAN BLAKNEY

Graveside services for Dean 'Gee-Gee' Blakney, 86, of Haskell were held Wed., March 19 in Odessa.

Mrs. Blakney went to join her Lord on Sat., March 15 in Haskell.

Born at home Sept. 2, 1921 in Sumner, Lamar County, she was the daughter of Robert and Mary Phillips. She graduated as Valedictorian from Pattonville High School in Pattonville in 1938. She attended San Marcos College where she earned an Associates Degree in Physical Education. She married Harry E. King, Sr., in Washington, D.C. Dec. 24, 1942.

She was a bookkeeper until she retired in 1999. She was a charter member of Second Baptist Church in Odessa, where she taught young teenage girls for many years. She was a member of the American Business Women's Association, and was a lifelong Democrat, involved in state and local politics and in the 1960's served as Democratic precinct chairperson for several years.

In 1999 she moved to Hawley to be nearer to her oldest son's family. At the time of her death, she was a resident of Haskell Healthcare Center, where her grandson, Stephen King is the administrator.

She is survived by sons, Harry E. King Jr. and wife, Patti of Hawley, and Gaylon E. King and wife, Anita of Austin; grandsons, Rodney King of Lubbock, Stephen King Sr. of Haskell, and Spec. 4 Gregory King of Hawaii; granddaughters, Amber Harryman of Victoria and Gwen King of Austin; three great grandsons and one great granddaughter.

Memorials may be sent to the Texas Alzheimer's Association, 3429 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Austin, Texas 78731 or the donor's favorite charity. PD. NOTICE

Carol Jo Kierepka-Jones

Carol Jo Kierepka Jones, 61, of Abilene died Mon., March 3 at her residence. Private family services will be held at a later time.

Born Dec. 15, 1946 in Haskell, she was the daughter of the late Walter and Louetta Kierepka. She married Robert F. (Bobby) Jones. He preceded her in death Jan. 23, 2008. She was a retired executive bank secretary for First National Bank of Abilene.

She was preceded in death by her step sister,

Karen Howeth and her step brother-in-law, David McGhee.

Survivors include her two brothers, Michael Kierepka of Aspermont and Danny Kierepka of Haskell; step mother, Mary Kierepka of Haskell; step brother-in-law, Eddie Howeth of Haskell; two step sisters, Sandy McGhee of Galveston and Kathie Whitener and husband, Tony of Georgia; and one step brother, David Bartley of Haskell. PD. NOTICE

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Please join the family of
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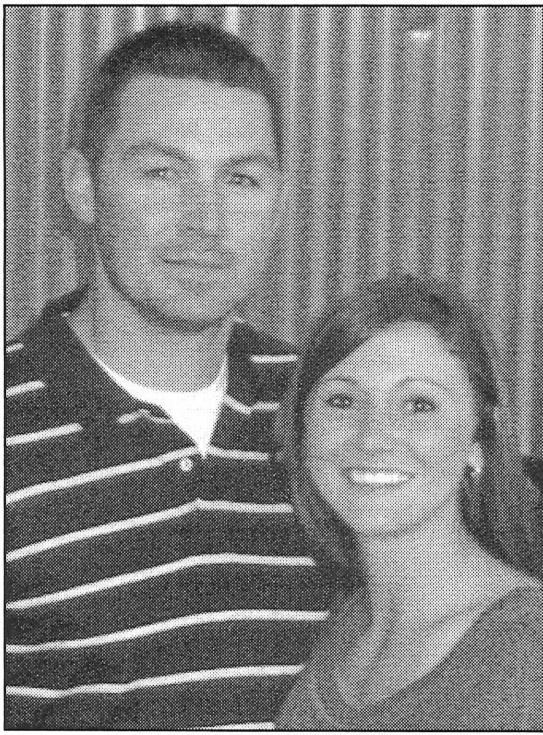
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CHARLIE PARKS - LYNZIE HARLAN

Harlan, Parks to marry June 7

Karen and Barry Ratliff of Haskell along with Ricky and Karen Harlan of Seymour announce the engagement of their daughter, Lynzie Harlan, to Charlie Parks, son of Bill and Billie Parks of Rochester.

The bride-elect is a 2004 graduate of Haskell High School and attends Texas Tech University. She plans to graduate in May with a degree in multidisciplinary studies. She

plans to teach math and science.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1997 Rochester High School graduate. He graduated from Texas Tech University in 2002 with a degree in finance. He is employed by Wells Fargo Bank in Lubbock as a branch manager.

They plan to marry Sat., June 7 at Vintage Villas on Lake Travis in Austin.

The couple plans to reside in Lubbock.

Weinert Baptist Church to hold 100th anniversary

Weinert Baptist Church will celebrate its 100th anniversary on the weekend of April 5-6. Activities will begin at 6 p.m. on Saturday with a hamburger and ice cream supper followed by an old-time singing and lots of visiting. The anniversary choir will practice at 8:30 p.m. Saturday evening.

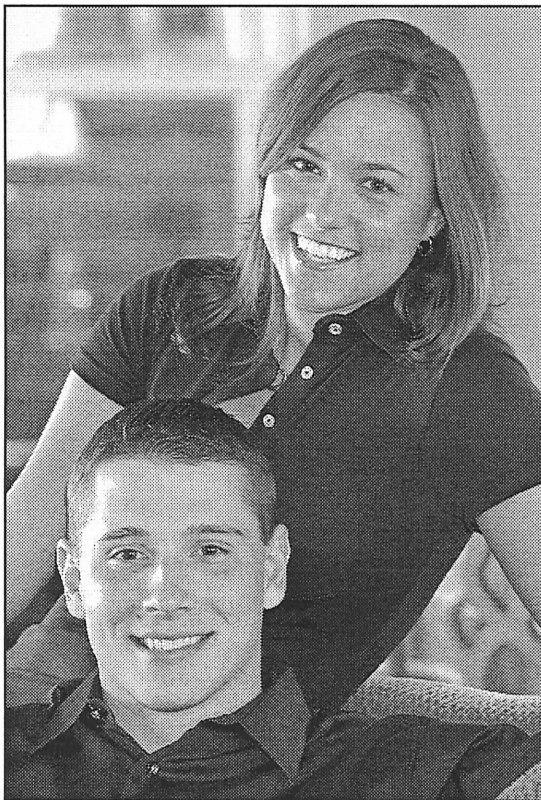
Sunday's program will begin at 10 a.m. in the church sanctuary with former and present pastors and members sharing their memories and special music selections. A group photograph will be taken in the sanctuary before dismissal for lunch in the fellowship hall.

The afternoon session will

resume at 1:30 and will include a DVD slideshow of the church history. Memorabilia available will be a cookbook, "Feeding the Flock, 100th Anniversary of Weinert Baptist Church," a computer CD containing church activity pictures taken over the years, a DVD movie of the history slideshow, and a DVD of Sunday's activities.

For more information, contact Wanda Hester, anniversary chairman, at 940-673-8262, Mary Murphy, program chairman, at 940-673-8269 or Dan Bullock, pastor, at 940-673-8310.

Cookbook chairman is Caron Yates.



ADAM LAYNE PIPER-MANDY ROBERTS

Roberts, Piper plan July wedding

Morris and Loyce Roberts of Andrews are announcing the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Amanda "Mandy" Nicole Roberts of Dallas to Adam Layne Piper of Canton, son of Mart and Debbie Burson Piper of Euless and Pat and Jenneane Pucket of Canton.

The bride-elect is a 2002 Andrews High School graduate and a 2006 Texas State graduate. She is a student in the Texas Women's University Masters Program in Physical Therapy. She plans to graduate in 2008.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Lee Burson of Bedford, formerly of Haskell, Hoyt and Freddie Russell, and the late "Toar" and Grace Piper, all of Paducah. He is a 2001 Canton High School graduate and a 2005 Texas State graduate in business with a degree in finance. He is

employed by Edward Jones as a financial advisor.

The couple plans to marry Sat., July 12 at Possum Kingdom Lake at Cliff's Resort and reside in Canton.

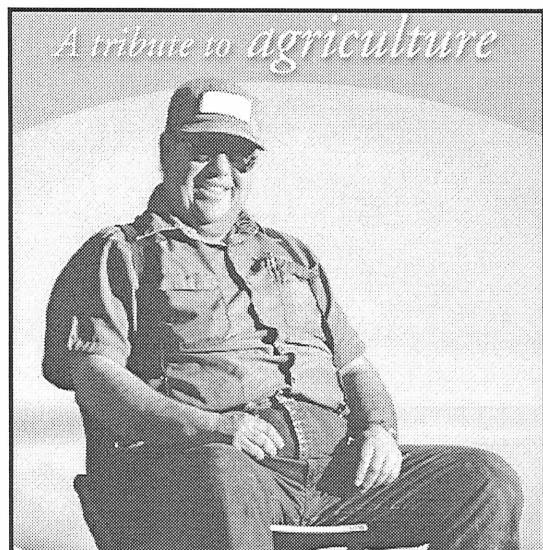
Crime of the Week

Clear Fork Crime Stoppers, in cooperation with the Stamford Police Department, is offering a reward for information leading to the arrest of the person or persons involved in a drive-by shooting on the morning of Dec. 24, 2007.

The shooting occurred around 3 a.m. at 603 E. Vanderbilt in Stamford.

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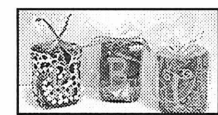


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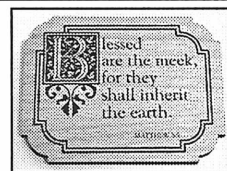
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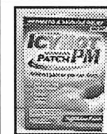
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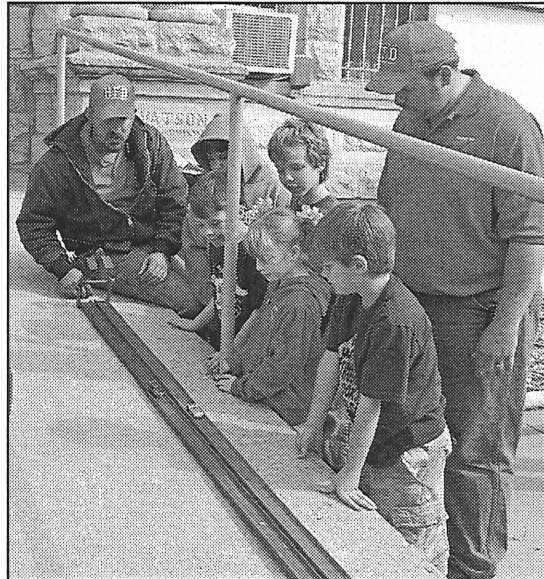
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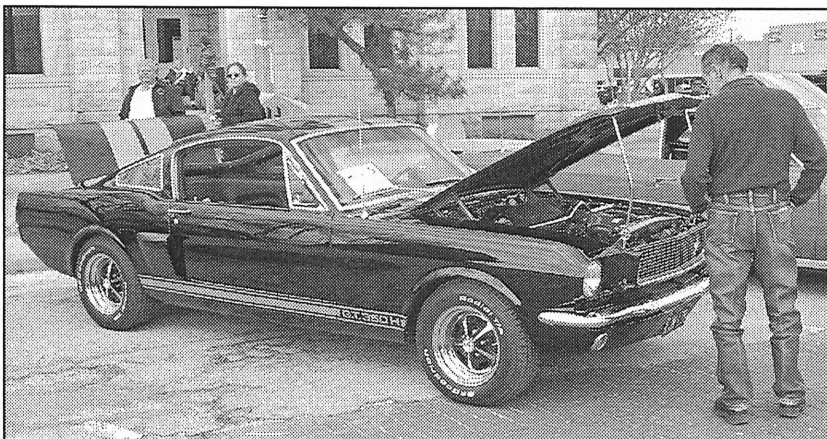
HOT WHEELS RACES



KIDS' TRAIN RIDES



PEDAL PULLERS EVENT



1ST PLACE CARS '65 TO '75-1966 SHELBY GT350H, DAVID CRAFT OF WICHITA FALLS



1ST PLACE CARS PRE-'64-1957 CHEVROLET NOMAD, RONNIE ANDERSON OF ABILENE

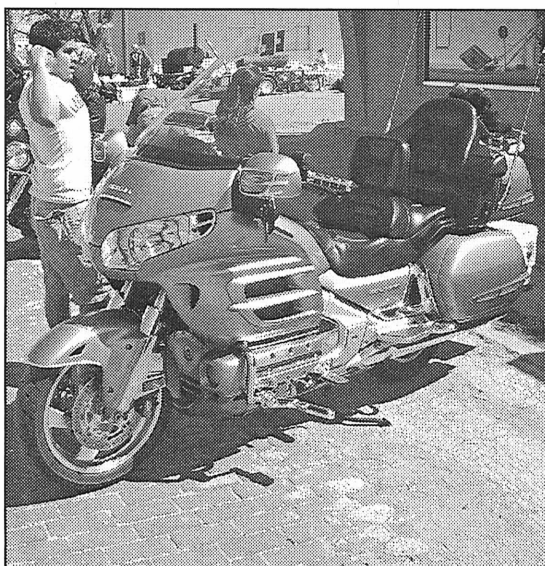


FARTHEST DISTANCE TRAVELED-1956 FORD TOWN SEDAN, DAVID RAY OF WACO



ANTIQUE CARS, TRUCKS-1957 FORD FAIRLANE 500, GLEN LARGE OF KNOX CITY

**Next Car Show
set March 21, 2009**



1ST PLACE MOTORCYCLES-2002 HONDA GOLDWING
DON BALLARD OF HASKELL



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National Ag Week, March 16-22, recognizes American farmers efforts

For more than 225 years, agriculture has been the vital thread in the fabric of our nation. America's farm and ranch families represent the cornerstone of our freedom and way of life—now and in the future.

Two generations ago, more than 30 million Americans lived on farms and ranches. Today only 4.6 million Americans share that heritage. Today our nation has less than 2 million farms, down substantially from the peak of 6.8 million farms in 1935. Although the numbers are down, America's family farmers continue to be more efficient. Contrary to popular belief that family farms are long-gone, 90 percent of U.S. farms are operated by individuals or family corporations. Many more people are employed in the agricultural sector. Fifteen percent of the U.S. population is employed in farm or farm-related jobs, including production agriculture, farm inputs, processing, marketing and wholesale and retail sales.

Farmers and ranchers maintain their prominent place in our society, in part, by providing the American people with an abundant supply of safe, high-quality food. Our farm community contributions allow American consumers to enjoy a quality of life that is the envy of the world.

American agriculture is so successful that the essential role played by farmers and ranchers in our economy is often taken for granted.

Americans have numerous opportunities each day to remember the nation's farm and ranch families—the day's first glass of cold milk or orange juice, the vast array of fruits and vegetables, the juicy steak, pork

chop or chicken breast on your dinner table.

Beyond food, many aspects of our daily lives are connected to what happens on America's farms and ranches—from building materials and medicine to paper and ink. Don't forget your favorite cotton shirt that started in a farm field or the fuel in your car that contains ethanol made from American grain. Our health is our greatest agricultural success story, because of our diet and discoveries in disease prevention.

Agriculture will play an even bigger role in our everyday lives as technology helps develop new uses and specialized products from our farm commodities. Research and advancements in biotechnology are now in the market place with tastier fruits and vegetables that stay fresh longer and are not damaged by insects. A new technique called "precision farming" boosts crop yields and reduces waste by using satellite maps and computers to match seed, fertilizer and crop protector applications to local soil conditions.

The future is bright for America's consumers and farmers.

So join in the commemoration of National Ag Week (March 16-22) and National Ag Day (March 20). These days celebrate the dedication of the men and women involved in American agriculture. It's an opportunity for Americans to re-discover the role agriculture plays in our everyday lives. It offers insight on what's required to feed our growing world. Americans must never forget that farmers' and ranchers' contributions are the key element to our future as a nation.



NAMED TO ALL STATE TEAM—Haskell Indian D.J. McCulloch has been named to the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches All Region team and All State team.

Photo by Bill Blankenship

McCulloch named to All Region and All State teams

D.J. McCulloch, a senior at Haskell High School, has been named to both the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches All Regional Team and All State Team.

Coach Toby Villa said that McCulloch is the first player he has coached to be named to the All State Team.

McCulloch will be in action in the 9th Texas Roundup All-Star game this Sat., March 22 in Maypearl.

One of the state's most prestigious events, the top 24 boys and 24 girls from Class 1A, 2A and 3A are selected from hundreds of nominations statewide.

The girls will play at 3 p.m. followed by the boys at 5 p.m. Admission is \$5.

Maypearl is located on FM 66, approximately 10 miles west of Waxahachie and 15 miles north of Hillsboro.

Cattle Market Report

The market at the Haskell Livestock Auction was on a run of 638 head of cattle at its sale on Sat., March 15, according to B.D. Rainey, reporter.

226 steers and bulls; 203 heifers and 208 cows and bulls. 56 sellers and 29 buyers were present.

Cows: fat, 52-57; cutters, 53-59; canners, 38-44.

Bulls: bologna, 63-73, feeders, 80-92.

Steers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., 111-133; 300-400 lbs., 122-132; 400-500 lbs., 122-125; 500-600 lbs.,

115-122; 600-700 lbs., 107.50-115; 700-800 lbs., 93-107.50; 800-up lbs. 83-93 lbs.

Heifers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., 100-110; 300-400 lbs., 105-110; 400-500 lbs., 100-105; 500-600 lbs., 96-100; 600-up lbs., 82.50-96.

Bred heifers: medium frame 700-875.50.

Bred cows: young to middle aged 985-1,080; aged or small, 380-600.

Cows with calves: medium frame No. 1 young and middle aged, 910-1280; aged or small, 560-810.

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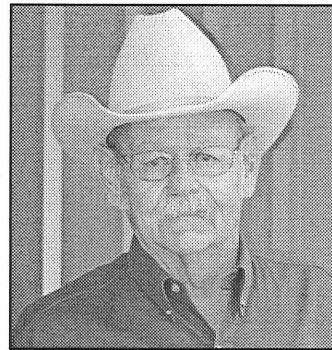
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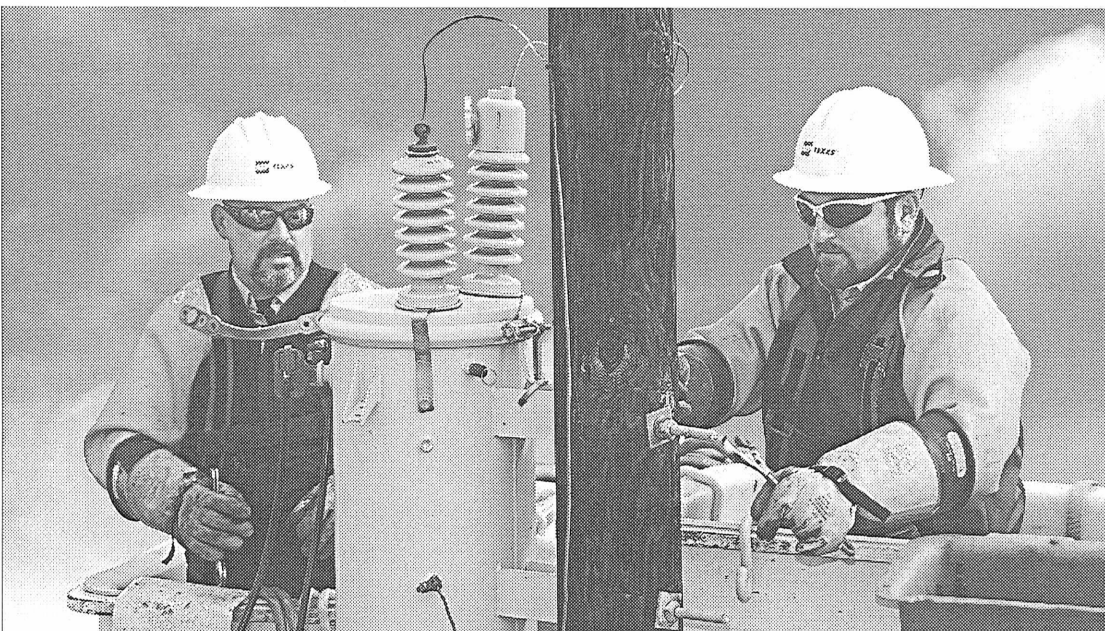
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