

Football

HASKELL

7th, JV Indians vs Albany
Thurs., Oct. 16, 4 p.m.
at Albany
8th Warriors vs Rotan
Thurs., Oct. 16, 5 p.m.
at Rotan
Indians vs Rotan
Fri., Oct. 17, 7:30 p.m.
at Haskell

PAINT CREEK

JH Pirates vs Lueders-Avoca
Thurs., Oct. 16, 5:30 p.m.
at Lueders-Avoca
Pirates vs Lueders-Avoca
Fri., Oct. 17, 7:30 p.m.
at Paint Creek

RULE

JH, JV Bobcats vs Bryson
Thurs., Oct. 16, 5:30 p.m.
at Rule
Bobcats vs Bryson
Fri., Oct. 17, 7:30
at Rule

Calendar

Food distribution

The Haskell County Ministerial Alliance Food Distribution Center will distribute food Sat., Oct. 18 from 10 a.m. til 11:30 a.m. at 206 S. 2nd (building east of Civic Center) in Haskell. Volunteers and boxes are needed.

Ag meat sales

The Haskell FFA will hold their annual fund-raiser selling meat, fruit and cookies until Fri., Oct. 17. Meat will be delivered before Thanksgiving. Cookies and fruit will be delivered before Christmas. For more information, contact a local FFA member or the Haskell Ag Dept. at 940-864-3310.

Support group

The Haskell County Area Cancer Support Group Hands on Love will meet Tues., Oct. 21 at the First Assembly of God Church in Haskell with Suzanne Starr of Hendrick Cancer Center in Abilene speaking. Seating is limited. RSVP to 940-864-5964.

Book sale

Haskell County Library will hold a book sale Fri., Oct. 17 and Sat., Oct. 18 from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the former library building on the north side of the square in Haskell. Books will be \$1 per bag. Proceeds will benefit the Haskell County Library.

Spaghetti supper

The Progressive Study Club will host the chicken spaghetti supper Fri., Oct. 17 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the high school cafeteria. Tickets are \$7 and may be purchased from Study Club members or at the door.

Noah Project

The Noah Project-North Advisory Committee will meet Fri., Oct. 17 at noon in the jury room of Haskell County Courthouse. All members are asked to attend to discuss the poinsettia sales and annual tour of homes.

Quilt show

The second annual "Stitches in Time" quilt show will be held Oct. 25 from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the Weinert School building in Weinert sponsored by the Committee to Help Haskell County. Vendors, a noon meal and demonstrations as well as many beautiful quilts will be on display. For more information, call Susan Cockerell at 864-2851.

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Early voting begins Monday

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Indians defeat 'Dogs, 33-28, in district opener

What a way to start a district football game. Tyler Rodriguez returned the opening kick off some 80 yards to the south end zone and A.J. Benton nailed the PAT kick. Indians 7, Dogs 0.

Haskell took that early lead and finished on top, 33 to 28. Stamford returned the favor by recovering a Haskell fumble and tacking on a 25 yard TD run. Hayden Nauert, the Stamford kicker tied the score on a successful PAT kick.

Two plays later, Haskell's

quarterback Christian Myers raced 68 yards to put the Indians ahead again. The PAT kick was blocked. On the next possession of the football, the Bulldogs moved 42 yards in six plays and the Dogs' quarterback Nauert got the 12 yard TD run plus added on the PAT kick.

The one and only time the Dogs lead in the game! What an electrifying first quarter of play in this important district opener for both teams.

The Indians would score twice during the second quarter. On their first possession of the quarter, Haskell's Tyler Rodriguez capped off an 85 yard drive by the Indians with a one yard TD run. Haskell passed for the two point conversion, but the completion failed one yard short. The Indians would regain the lead 19 to 14. With only two seconds left in the second quarter, defensive back Steven Fillmon recovered a Stamford fumble and raced 85

yards in front of the Bulldogs' bench to the north end zone of Indian Field. Tyler Rodriguez would convert the two point conversion. At the intermission break, Haskell 27, Stamford 14.

The Bulldogs would score on their first possession of the second half. Nauert would get a five yard TD run and on the two point conversion try would complete a pass to put the score at Haskell 27, Stamford 22.

In the fourth quarter,

both teams would finish this electrifying game. The Indians would score on a four yard run by Christian Myers. The two point conversion try failed, but Haskell had a 33 to 22 advantage with only 9:42 left in the game. The Dogs answered with a 58 yard TD run by Jerick Acosta but the try for two points failed on an interception. Haskell shut out the light when defensive back Jonathan Martinez intercepted a Nauert pass. What a way to finish by taking a knee time. How sweet it is! Haskell 33, Stamford 28.

The Indians had 321 yards on 49 carries. Quarterback Myers had 18 rushes for 138 yards and two touchdowns. Tyler Rodriguez had 7 carries for 70 yards and one touchdown from rushing and one touchdown from an 80 yard kick off return. Running back James Williams got 53 yards on 12 rushes. Running back Jonathan Martinez had 34 yards on seven carries. Running back Tony Trevino got 26 yards on five rushes.

Haskell will play Rotan at Indians Field on Fri., Oct. 17. Both teams are 1-0 in district play. The kick off is set for 7:30 p.m.

The 7th Warriors will play in Albany on Thursday. Game time is 4 p.m. The JV Indians will play in Albany at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday. The 8th Warriors will play in Rotan. Kick off is 5 p.m.



MOVING THE BALL-Haskell Indian #1 Christian Myers moves the ball during the Friday game against Stamford. Indian #52 Clint Hamilton helps with the blocking duties.

Myers had 18 rushes for 138 yards and two TD's during the game. The Indians defeated the Bulldogs 33-28, earning the Indians their first district win. Photo by Bill Blankenship

Friends of Faith to meet

The Friends of Faith Fall Fellowship Brunch for all women of the Big Country will be held Sat., Nov. 1, from 9:30 a.m. until noon at the Haskell National Bank Community Room, 602 S. 1st St., Haskell.

Guest speaker will be Melissa Hohnstreiter of Granbury. Hohnstreiter earned a Bachelor's Degree in Interdisciplinary Studies and Master's Degree in Education from Tarleton State University. Hohnstreiter calls Granbury her home as she has basically lived her entire life in the small lake town. Hohnstreiter is a public school teacher and has held many leadership roles in education and business. Through her personal testimony, motivational teaching, and humor, she discusses the real battle that rages among the minds and hearts of women. Through the guidance of God's truth, experience, and tough love, she brings a message of truth and light to women seeking freedom and encourages them to embrace who God created them to be. Hohnstreiter has a warm and thought provoking message for

all ears to hear, men and women alike.

Requiring no structured membership, Friends of Faith is a local group, which comes together as a non-denominational association for all women, offering the added opportunity for fellowship, deeper understanding fulfillment in common bonds of Christian faith. The group embodies all ages of women from all churches in the Big Country who enjoy an informal time of praise and prayers, listening to insightful guest speakers, and who want to grow in their walk with God.

Casual attire is recommended for the day that will begin with prayer, praises led by musician, Judy Underwood, of Throckmorton, and a 'get-acquainted' time of fellowship.

At mid-morning a fall brunch will be served. Anyone attending who wishes to contribute to the finger food fare may bring a covered dish.

There is no charge, but a love offering will be received to cover expenses.

Early voting begins Oct. 20

Early voting in the upcoming November general election will begin Oct. 20 and continue through Oct. 31 at the office of the County Clerk in the Haskell County Courthouse.

Early voting in the Paint Creek ISD school board election will be

held at the administration office at the school, 4485 FM 600 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

To vote, a voter must bring their voter registration card of the required identification documents to the election site.

Club to honor veterans

The Progressive Study Club will honor local military personnel Nov. 13 when appreciation to past and present members of the armed services will be given during the club's Nov. meeting. Loved ones of a military service person are asked to

be present during the Nov. meeting of the club to tell your loved one's name and special story.

Remembrances will be sent to those now serving our community by the club and community, who want to honor them.



EAGLE PROJECT-Haskell Boy Scout Troop 136 has been painting fire plugs in Haskell as an Eagle Scout project for Luke Terry. The project color codes the hydrant connections so firemen can tell at a glance the size of hose to be used. Scouts participating in the project include, front row, l-r, Ryan Pace and Josh Starr; back row, Braden Alves, Max Weise, Aaron Waggoner, Tucker McCormick, Luke Terry, Riley Meinzer, Kyle Fraga, Preston Morrow, Zachary Tatum, James Bowers, Hunter Jordan, David Newton and Trevor Reese.

Eagle project adds color to fire plugs

by Caron Yates

Luke Terry, son of Leland and Pam Terry of Haskell, is on track to earn his Eagle Scout rank with the Boy Scouts of America. Terry is proud to be joining the growing number of young men from Troop 136 who have accomplished this challenging feat. In fact, his two older brothers, Landon and Levi, are both Eagle Scouts.

While almost three million are members of Boy Scouts of America, only about five percent persist in achieving the Eagle Scout rank. To earn the highest rank, a Boy Scout must fulfill requirements in the areas of leadership, service, and outdoor

skills. A scout must work his way through the different levels, while earning specific merit badges and passing skill tests. At each level, the scout will participate in increasingly more responsible service projects.

Terry, a senior at Haskell High School, has been in scouting for six years. One of the requirements to earn Eagle Scout is to complete a service project for the community. His project will include color coding the approximately 130 fire hydrants in Haskell, by painting the caps to indicate the size of hose needed to connect to each hydrant. The fire department will be able to look at the cap and know exactly

which hose is needed, thus saving valuable time. The project had to be approved by the troop leaders, district council and the city.

After the painting is completed, Terry will write a description of the project and obtain letters of personal recommendation to submit for consideration for his Eagle Scout award.

Since 1910, the purpose of the Boy Scouts of America has been to provide an educational program for boys and young adults to build character, to train in citizenship and to develop personal fitness. Luke Terry is another testament to the success of this worthy organization.

Obituaries

Juan Jose Hernandez



JUAN HERNANDEZ

Funeral services for Juan Jose Hernandez, 51, of Haskell were held Tues., Oct. 14 at Saint George Catholic Church in Haskell with Father George Roney officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home of Haskell. Rosary was held Mon., Oct. 13 at Saint George Catholic Church.

Mr. Hernandez died Fri., Oct. 10 in Wichita Falls.

Born May 11, 1957, he was the son of the late Juan Hernandez and Marta Robles. He married Margarita Garcia Oct. 2, 1962. He was a long time derrick hand

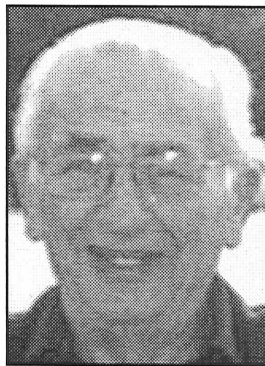
in West Texas oil fields and worked for Bandera Drilling for many years.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.

Survivors include his wife, Margarita; three sons, Abraham Gonzalez and wife Theresa, David Gonzalez and Elvis Gonzalez and wife Vickie; three daughters, Alejandra Gonzalez, Maria Pierce and husband Nathan, and Imelda Contieras and husband Alfonso; four brothers; four sisters; eighteen grandchildren; three great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

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Raymond Markunas



RAYMOND MARKUNAS

A mass of Christian burial was held for Raymond Markunas, 76, of Tolland Sat., Oct. 11 at St. Matthew's Church in Tolland. A burial with military honors was held at South Cemetery in Tolland.

Mr. Markunas, died Tues., Oct. 7 at St. Francis Hospital.

Born Feb. 28, 1932 in Kaunas,

Lithuania, he was the son of the late Kazys and Elenora Morkunas. He graduated from Hartford State Technical College in 1972. He retired from the Metropolitan District Commission in 1990 after 32 years of service as an Assistant Manager of the Utility Service Department. He was U.S. Marine veteran of the Korean Conflict. He co-founded the Tolland Soccer Club for boys and girls in 1972, and served as past vice president of the Connecticut Junior Soccer League Northeast Region. He served as past chairman on the Sewer Authority and Water Pollution Control Study Committee for the Town of Tolland.

He was preceded in death by his first wife of 27 years Edwina Bulgajewski Markunas.

He will be fondly remembered as a loving father and grandfather by his family. He greatly cherished the freedoms and opportunity

America offered him when he immigrated to the U.S.

Survivors include his wife, Gilmary Dubois Markunas; children and spouses, Charles and Gilmary Markunas of Vernon, William and Angela Markunas of Big Spring formerly of Haskell, Ray and Donna Markunas of Middlesex, New Jersey, and Linda and John Curtis of Manchester; his stepchildren and their spouses, Paul and Denise LePage of Spartanburg, South Carolina, Michael LePage of Inverness, Florida, Pierre LePage of Newington and Nicole Kearney of Tolland; two brothers, Vytautas Markunas of Lithuania and Lyman Morkunas of Phoenix, Arizona; 15 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 1 Union Street, Suite 301, Robbinsville, New Jersey 08691-4183. PD. NOTICE

Rev. J.V. Patterson

Memorial services for Rev. J.V. Patterson, 91, of Lufkin, formerly of Stamford were held Thurs., Oct. 9 at St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Lufkin with Rev. Dan Norman and Rev. Robert Faulk officiating. Funeral services were held Fri., Oct. 10 at Avoca United Methodist Church in Avoca with Rev. Dennis Huffaker officiating. Interment was in Spring Creek Cemetery under the direction of Kinney-Underwood Funeral Home of Stamford.

Rev. Patterson died Mon., Oct. 6.

Born Jan. 17, 1917 in Mexia, he was the son of the late John Perry and Lela Isabel Riddle Patterson. He was a life long member of the First United Methodist church and North West Texas Conference. Upon retirement he has resided in Lufkin for the past 14 years. He was always involved in his community, he was an active member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church, volunteered for 10 years at CISC, participate in the Lion's Club, Masonic Lodge and Senior Citizens Center where he enjoyed singing and playing the mandolin. He loved people and gave his life to service.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife of 51 years, Vada Melissa Taylor Patterson; seven

brothers and sisters; and great grandson, Matthew Hailey.

Survivors include his wife of 11 years, Dorothy Freeman Patterson of Lufkin; two daughters, Melissa Abeldt and husband Buford of Lufkin, and Gloria Caton and husband Lynn of Boerne; two stepdaughters, Darla Hood and husband Richard of Lufkin, and Dana Freeze and husband David of Houston; stepson, Duane Freeman and wife Sherri of Lufkin; 12 grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were grandchildren, Buford Abeldt, Jr., Jeffrey Abeldt, Monica Hailey, Meredith Abeldt, David Caton, Jennifer Ritchie and Michael Caton. Honorary pallbearers were Davita Rodgers, Desirae Freeze, Bailey Freeman, Sarah Freeman and Samuel Hood.

Memorials may be made to St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 1505 S. John Redditt Dr., Lufkin, Texas 79504; Pleasant Hills Children's Home, P.O. Box 1177, Fairfield, Texas 75840; or Ceta Canyon Methodist Camp, 37201 FM 1721, Happy, Texas 79042. PD. NOTICE

Paul B. Crawford



PAUL CRAWFORD

Funeral services for Paul B. Crawford, 87, of Bryan were held Fri., Oct. 10 at A&M Church of Christ in College Station with Foree Grove and Jason Fikes officiating.

Mr. Crawford died Tues., Oct. 7 at his home.

Born July 28, 1921 in Stamford, he lived most of his childhood in Haskell. He received his Bachelor of Science from Texas Tech University and Master of Science and Ph.D. degrees in chemical engineering from the University of Texas. He now holds the rank of professor emeritus at Texas A&M University.

In 1947, Dr. Crawford was employed by Mobil Oil Research Laboratories to work on enhanced oil recovery methods. In 1951, Dr. Crawford joined the Department of Petroleum Engineering at Texas A&M University where he served as Associate Director of the Texas Petroleum Research Committee and directed research activities in the high pressure laboratory. A member of the graduate faculty and a professor of petroleum engineering, he also served as a worldwide consulting engineer. Dr. Crawford's great love was working with his students, many of whom became leaders in the petroleum industry.

He is the author of more than 300 publications in petroleum literature and published papers in dozens of the world's oil producing countries. His research led to numerous innovations in the oil recovery process, including insitu combustion and carbon dioxide injection techniques. The methods he developed are still used by the oil and gas industry and have become even more important as our need for energy sources increases.

Dr. Crawford was internationally recognized for his research in oil recovery. He was a Distinguished Lecturer of the Society of Petroleum Engineers, lecturing in over 25 countries. He was awarded the 1977 Italian Interpetrol World Award for American Science. The Senate of the State of Texas passed a resolution citing Dr. Crawford's work and recognizing his accomplishments. In 1982, Dr. Crawford received the Anthony F. Lucas Gold Medal of the Society of Petroleum Engineers, one of its highest awards. He was named the 1982 Distinguished Engineer by Texas Tech University for his career contributions to the petroleum industry.

Dr. Crawford held a long-standing appointment to the Interstate Oil Compact Commission and served on its research committee, directing the collaboration of oil-producing states in recovering our oil and gas resources. He is listed in American Men of Science, World Who's Who in Commerce and Industry, Who's Who in the South and Southwest, Who's Who in Education and American Men of Achievement.

In 1971, he was cited for 14 years of volunteer work for a public elementary school, public library, United Chest, Junior Museum and other community projects in Bryan. Dr. Crawford led the effort to fund and build the

Bryan Public Library building. In 1973, he was selected as Library Trustee of the Year for the State of Texas, for his initiation of the Old Masters Art Lending Library and Worldwide Children's Art Exchange Program for the Bryan Public Library. He was a member of the A&M Church of Christ for more than 55 years.

Survivors include his wife of more than 60 years, Bernice Murray Crawford; three daughters and sons-in-law, Becky Crawford Russell and Dr. B. Don Russell of College Station, Dr. Janice Crawford Hall and Dr. John Hall of Grand Prairie, and Patricia Grace Crawford of College Station; eight grandchildren, Christyn Russell Taylor and husband, Brian, of San Antonio, Jenny Russell Winter and husband, Tim, of Houston, John Paul Russell of Dallas, Elizabeth Anne Russell of College Station, Nathan Hall and wife, Melissa, of Dallas, Jared Hall and wife, Erin, of Dallas, Sara Hall of Grand Prairie, and Benjamin Thomas Sims of College Station; five beloved great grandchildren, Rebecca Elizabeth Taylor, Nicholas Brian Taylor, Alexander Paul Taylor, Caleb Russell Winter and Pierson Everette Hall; two brothers, Duffer B. Crawford of Houston, and Horace R. Crawford and wife, Louise, of Houston; and brother-in-law, Roscoe Murray and wife, Brenda, of Charlotte, N.C. He enjoyed the company of his numerous nieces and nephews that he dearly loved.

Paul B. Crawford may have received many awards in his lifetime, but the joy of his life was spending time with his family and friends. His laughter and love of life were a blessing to everyone who knew him.

Memorials may be made to the Paul B. Crawford Scholarship in the Department of Petroleum Engineering at Texas A&M University. PD. NOTICE

Paint Creek ISD lists honor roll

Paint Creek ISD has released the names of students listed on the A and A-B honor rolls for the first six weeks of the school year.

First grade: A honor roll, A.J. Bailiff, Dawson Barnett, Tanner Booe, Kayla Bosnjak, Madilyn Davis, Baylee Hearn, Bobby Nieto, Madison Sewell, Jaclyn Snelling, Adaline Utley and Heather Volcko; A-B honor roll, Austin Roysdon.

Second grade: A honor roll, Jr. Bogle, Bailey Hawkins, Dakota

Hearn, Chase Thompson, Antonio Yanez and Brittany Yanez; A-B honor roll, Natividad Ipinia.

Third grade: A honor roll, Bayden Graham; A-B honor roll, Abigail Blair, Cheyenne Elias, Felicity Gentry, Clayton Richardson, Heaven Rojas and Caleb White.

Fourth grade: A honor roll, Catherine Lemond; A-B honor roll, Autumn Rogers and Buddy

Trotter.

Fifth grade: A-B honor roll, Rufus Lopez and Ryan Reid.

Sixth grade: A-B honor roll, Joey Bosnjak, Hanna Colley, Randel McDonald, Dillon Nassour, Tristan Salas, Micah Waggoner and Dustin Wyrick.

Seventh grade: A honor roll, Cody Mayfield, Kadie McCord and Shawn Myers; A-B honor roll, Justin Bailey, Samantha Barnett, Ben Groves, Haley Jackson, Caitlin Medford, David Powell, Seth Rock and Tarah

Trotter.

Eighth grade: A honor roll, Travis Cox and Katie Jones; A-B honor roll, Cheyenne Buerger, Danielle Oliver, Krista Powell and Charitie Winterstein.

Ninth grade: A honor roll, Katrina Buerger, Caleb McCord and Haley Myers; A-B honor roll, Katie Bosnjak, Daren Johnson, Victoria Reid and Felysha Walker.

Tenth grade: A honor roll, Shana Armstrong and Curtis Bishop.

Eleventh grade: A honor roll, Sina Lafere, Britney Martinez, Fabio Meier and Brittany Waggoner; A-B honor roll, Lupe Ipinia and Brennan Medford.

Twelfth grade: A honor roll, Ariel Blair, Samantha Lopez, Josh Ramirez, Lacey Stephens and Caleb Whitfield; A-B honor roll, Amber Gilbreath, James Groves, Cidney Jordan, Jens Schoemaker and Brett Siegfried.

City Council report

Members of the Haskell City Council met in a called session Oct. 9. Attending were Mayor Bob Smith and Councilmen Chan Guess, Randy Bowers, Robert Tribbey and Jason Hall.

Terry Klose was nominated to the position of board of directors for the Haskell County Appraisal District Board.

A resolution authorizing the filing of an application with the Office of Rural Community Affairs for a Community Development Block Grant program was approved.

In City Administrator's Brandon Anderson's report it was noted:

- More applications for police chief were received. The deadline for application was Oct. 10. After the deadline, applications will be reviewed and a docket of applicants to be interviewed will be prepared.

- Details with the architect and contractor of the Assisted Living Center are being worked out. The board will meet to discuss the changes. Construction should begin in the next two months.

- Final documents to complete the sale of the prison were signed and the defeasement of the bonds was ordered on Mon., Oct. 6. The sale should be complete by Oct. 15.

- Letters have been sent to area residents about overgrown lots.

- CAPP is encouraging member cities to adopt a resolution to enter into a 24-year contract for electricity. Anderson feels that this would not benefit the city and is requesting to withdraw from CAPP. The city is paying 10.8 cents for electricity and can sign on with TriEagle for 5.7 cents.

- Dangerous driving conditions have been observed on the southeast corner of the square. Yellow lines and arrows will be painted on the brick to help guide confused motorists. Citizens are encouraged to slow down around the square and watch for pedestrians.

- The owners of the Arrowhead Motel have requested the city to take that property. Anderson will check on the legalities and report back to the council.

- The greens at the golf course had to be sanded and reseeded to try to recover from the stressed situation they were due to a scalping they received. The city apologies for the inconvenience, but the treatment was done to ensure the green quality for the future.

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Jennings named Rookie of the Year

Mary Jennings has been recognized as the 2008 TEEA Club Rookie of the Year. TEEA members who have been members for at least two years but no more than four years are eligible for the Rookie of the Year award.

Jennings has just completed her fourth year as a member of Haskell TEEA. During that time, she has served on various committees and helped with fund-raising activities and education events. She attends district meetings and trainings when possible. Jennings, along with Alice Yates took on the task of completing the old Home Demonstration quilt and seeing that it was entered in various quilt shows for others to enjoy.

A rookie to TEEA, Jennings is not new to Extension. She has been involved with the 4-H program for many years working with youth in a variety of projects and activities. This past year, she supervised a group of Haskell County 4-H girls in designing and making a quilt for the "State 4-H Quilt Challenge." She also assists with the 4-H Food Show and fashion show when needed. In August of 2008, 4-H honored her with the "Friend of 4-H Award."

Jennings graduated from Old



MARY JENNINGS

Glory and married her high school sweetheart, Ted Jennings. They recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. They have two children, Todd and Jill and four grandkids.

She retired as a "Community Care Worker for the Aged and Disabled" with the Department of Human Services and is a member of the Haskell Church of Christ.

A few things she enjoys doing in her spare time include yard and garden work, cooking, sewing, quilting, embroidery, camping and watching sports.

Study Club has lengthy meeting

The Haskell Progressive Study Club met Thurs., Oct. 9 where president Dorothy Hartsfield welcomed members and reported on the state convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Club she had attended in Austin recently. Also, she displayed the Texas Clubwoman magazine which displayed the TFWC Scholarship Recipients for 2008 and included the picture of D. J. McCulloch of Mesquite District Progressive Study Club of Haskell, who received the TFWC Billie Lindley McMahon award. McCulloch is a Pre-Pharmacy student at Howard Payne University. Members answered roll call with reply of chicken spaghetti supper tickets sold.

In business meeting, a motion to update the Standing Rules/Constitution was passed. A committee composed of Thula Perry, chairman, Bettie Wainscott, Janoma Stephens and Susan Turner was appointed to work on the project.

Following the discussion, a motion passed for members to do volunteer work with reading projects in grade school of Haskell CISD. Members will contact teachers as to need, time and etc.

Voted into membership was Linda Parsons of Rochester.

Mention was made of the presidential election coming up in November and a poster was displayed recalling when women were allowed to vote for the first time in 1920 and members were reminded to vote.

Announcements were made of the upcoming quilt show to be held in Weinert, Oct. 25, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Haskell County Library Book Sale on Oct. 17-18 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Haskell Community Health Fair to be held Nov. 6, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Haskell Memorial Hospital Education Building and the club's spaghetti supper Fri., Oct. 17, 5:30 to 7 p.m. Also, members were reminded of October as being cancer awareness month with a poster on display.

Giving the Federation report was Stephens who had recently attended a General Federation meeting of Women's Clubs in Little Rock, Arkansas. She spoke briefly of work done by clubs the world over and even down to Mesquite District of which Haskell Progressive Club is a member.

Speaking on domestic violence was Janis Brzozowski who told of the Noah Project, a center for victims of family violence and

their 800 number for victims. There are various forms of abuse and brochures were handed out to inform members of various ways to help persons recognize symptoms and offer help.

Pam Norton spoke of helping the Noah Project with the making of fleece blankets and how blankets made by the club last year had helped and that there was still a need. Anyone wishing to help with making blankets may call her at 940-864-3381.

Women in Texas History was presented by Susan Turner who spoke of Texas women who have done numerous things to help shape the women we are today. Examples were, Cynthia Ann Parker-adopting the way of Indians when she was captured, Clara Driscoll who saved the Alamo from demolition, Molly Goodnight who saved the buffalo from extinction, and women in politics like Barbara Jordan, Ann Richards and Kay Bailey Hutchison.

She elaborated on the life of Hallie Crawford Stillwell who was a true Texas pioneer woman and told of her trials and tribulations as a rancher's wife in far west Texas. Stillwell, a former school teacher, served 13 years as a school trustee, was honored by the Texas Press Association with its 50 year achievement award, was named a Yellow Rose of Texas by the governor, designated a Texas Grande Dame by Texas Monthly magazine and inducted into the National Cowgirl Hall of Fame in 1992. She died two months and two days short of her 100th birthday.

Women over the years through volunteer groups, writing campaigns and circulated petitions formed Women's Christian Temperance Union, in 1897 formed Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, state YWCA, Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers and over the years pursued legislation to improve public health, schools, care for dependent children, secured a pure food law, kindergarten programs, compulsory school attendance, juvenile court system and others.

Hostesses for the evening were Judy Foster, Billie McKeever and Susan Cockerell who served refreshments from a table decorated in a Texas theme with Texas food.

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Jenkins named TEEA Woman of the Year



PAT JENKINS

Pat Jenkins joins the ranks along with 37 previous honoree's dating back to 1966 as the 2008 Haskell County TEEA "Woman of the Year." To be eligible for "Woman of the Year" the nominee must have been a club member for at least five years, be active during the current year as an association officer, committee chairman or member, or district or state meeting delegate, and possess leadership qualities.

Jenkins was raised and graduated from high school in Gonzales. She moved to Haskell in the early 90's and worked for

McGee's Lumber Yard. She is married to Bobby Jenkins. In addition to TEEA, Jenkins is very active with the NOAA Project as well as East Side Baptist Church and the Hospital Auxiliary. "Unofficially" she operates a free taxi service for family and friends needing rides to the doctor or wherever.

An active member of Haskell County TEEA, Jenkins always volunteers to do her part in all club activities. In 2007 she was honored as the Haskell County TEEA "Rookie of the Year."

She has two children, four grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Moeller reunion set

The Moeller reunion is set Sat., Oct. 18 with registration beginning at 2 p.m. at the Weinert High School building in Weinert.

A business meeting will commence at 3 p.m. followed by the auction including canned food, cookies and homemade items brought by those attending.

The supper meal will consist of food brought by those attending and shared by all.

Games of cards and dominoes will be played. Family members are encouraged to bring their pictures.

Quilt show set Oct. 25

The second annual "Stitches in Time" quilt show will be held Oct. 25 from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the Weinert School building in Weinert, located just off of Highway 277 between Haskell and Munday. Sponsored by the Committee to Help Haskell County, the event will feature both hand quilted and machine quilted creations.

Penny Winchester's beautiful, unique quilt took top prize last year among over eighty entries. Goodie bags will be given to the first 100 people, door prizes will be awarded throughout the day

and everyone gets to cast a vote for their favorite entry.

Attendees are invited to enjoy a delicious noon meal, shop from vendors and attend educational demonstration. Amelia Perry of Paint Creek will demonstrate how to make a quilted pillowcase in 15 minutes; Kim Crawford of Tahoka will teach making a bowtie quilt with no set-in corners and Kay Smith of Haskell will have a presentation.

Exhibitors, vendors and anyone wanting more information should contact Susan Cockerell at 940-864-2851.

Museum to honor vets

The annual Veterans Day activities are the next event on the calendar for the Knox Co. Historical Commission. Tues., Nov. 11, the KCHC will sponsor the annual program honoring the Knox Co. Veterans at 11 a.m. at the Knox County Veterans Memorial site in Benjamin.

Following the program will be a hamburger lunch at the Ex-students Memorial Building. Money from the lunch will go to the veterans fund to help with the site expenses and the Veterans Records Collections.

This year veterans related expenses have included an intense effort to collect names of veterans of Knox Co. whose names are not on the Memorial. Sixty-seven names added: Civil War, 4; WWI, 3; WWII, 23; Korean, 9; Vietnam, 20; other military

operations, 7; and 1 killed in action.

The Knox County Veterans Memorial, erected in 2000, included a tremendous effort involving the committee members in every Knox Co. community seeking the names of Knox Co. Veterans. Over 2,400 names went on the Veterans Memorial, yet many veterans were missed.

The KCHC has been listing missed names for years. In 2008, an effort began to re-check that list. Through the years some who had turned in new names died or moved. Re-contacting was difficult and involved many phone calls, letters, e-mails, etc., as lost trails were picked up again. The original application form to put a name on the memorial was revised to make them easier to fill out, yet more complete.

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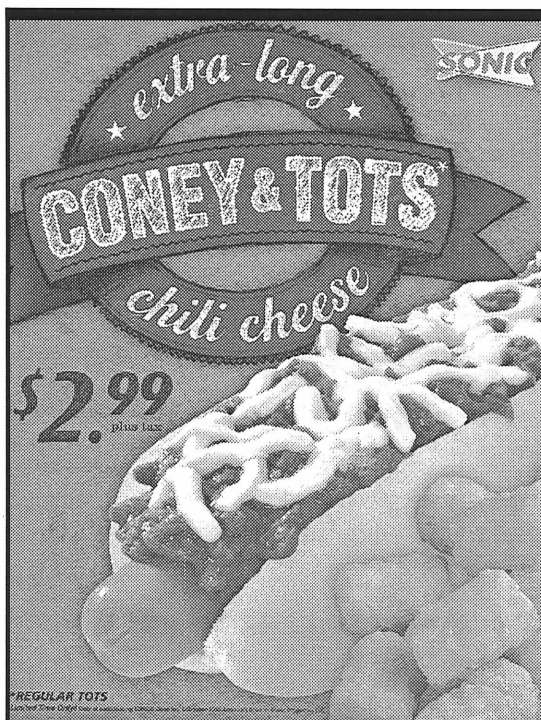
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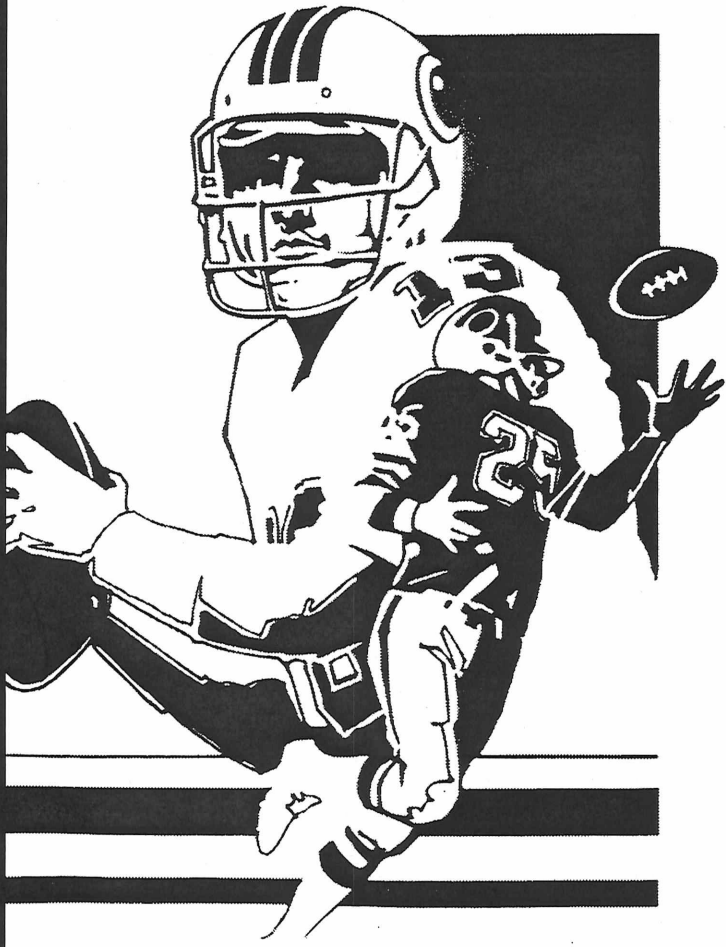
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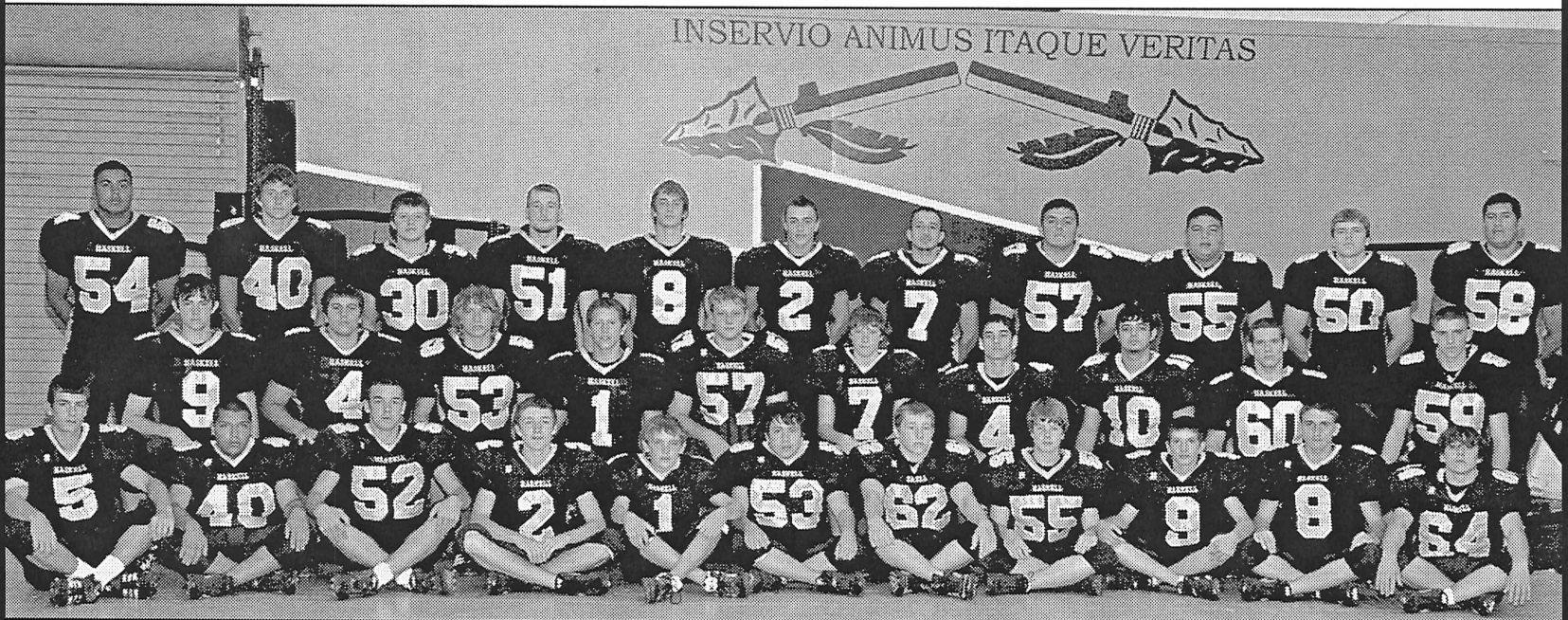
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(JV), Kelson Aguero (JV), Ricky Barrett (JV), Taylor Hull (V) and Ethan Frierson (V); back row, Simon Rodriguez (V), Clint Hamilton (V), James Williams (V), Cody Wyrick (V), Steven Fillmon (V), Tyler Rodriguez (V), Jonathan Martinez (V), Lee Hernandez (V), Scottie Rodriguez (V), A.J. Benton (V) and Ruben Robledo (V).

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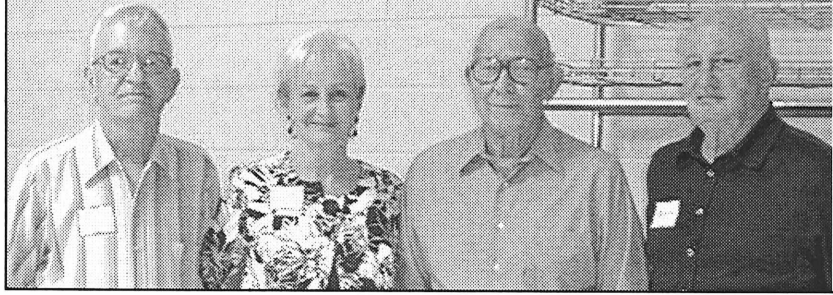
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STRUGGLES FOR YARDAGE—Haskell Indian #30 James Williams struggles for yardage against Stamford Bulldogs in the first district game of the season held Friday night. Williams had 53 yards on 12 rushes against the Bulldogs. The Indians defeated the Bulldogs, 33-28.

Photo by Bill Blankenship



CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY—Troy Gauntt, second from right, recently celebrated his 80th birthday. Gauntt is a former coach, teacher and superintendent of Rochester ISD. Some of his former students who attended the party held on Sept. 27 were, l-r, Dan Burson, Sammie Williams and Jackson Williams.

Haskell School Menu

October 20-24 Breakfast

Juice and milk are served daily on the breakfast menu.

Monday: Blueberry muffin, cheez-it crackers

Tuesday: Pig in a blanket

Wednesday: Cereal, graham crackers

Thursday: Funnel cake

Friday: Bean and cheese burrito

Lunch

Milk and iced tea are served daily at the Secondary campus. Milk is served daily at the Elementary School. Secondary campus: choice of entree or baked potato with cheese and ham.

Monday: Steak fingers, gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli with cheese sauce, hot roll, sliced peaches

Tuesday: Enchiladas, tortilla chips, garden salad, Spanish rice, pinto beans, rosy applesauce

Wednesday: Submarine sandwich, lettuce, tomato, pickles, assorted chips, orange slices

Thursday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, garden salad, bread stick, mandarin orange salad

Friday: Cheeseburger, lettuce, tomato, pickles, french fries, peanut butter cookie



RICK HOLEMAN



THE NEWBERRYS

FBC revival set

First Baptist Church, Haskell will hold revival services, Sun., Oct. 19 through Wed., Oct. 22.

Rick Holeman will preach and Paul and Christy Newberry will lead the worship.

Sunday services begin at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Monday through Wednesday, the evening services will begin at 7 p.m. A nursery will be provided for children from birth to 3 years of age. Lunch time services will be Monday through Wednesday, in the Family Activities Center. Lunch will be served beginning at 11:45 a.m. (cost \$3.00) followed by a time of worship and Bible study. Tuesday night at 6 p.m., supper and fun activities will be held for children in grades 1-6 in the Family Activities Center. Wednesday night at 6 p.m., a pizza supper for students in grades 7-12 will be held in the Cabana.

Rick Holeman received his Bachelor's degree from University of Texas of the Permian Basin in 1991 and then received his Master of Arts in Religious Education from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in 1999. Holeman has served several churches throughout Texas in his ministry, primarily as a Minister to Students, until he was called into the pastorate, and now serves as Senior Pastor at Cotton Flat Baptist Church in Midland, where he has served for five years. He has been married to Cylena for 16 years, and they have a daughter, McCartney.

The Newberrys have been in full time music evangelism since 1981. Since that time, Paul and Christy Newberry have ministered in over 1000 churches throughout the United States, singing together in revivals,

concerts, conferences and camps. They have participated in pioneer mission work in Canada, Ohio, Montana, New York, Wisconsin and Massachusetts, as well as an evangelistic crusade to Brazil. Following high school, Christy toured with the Continental Singers for two summers throughout Europe and South Africa. They both play guitar and Paul also plays the 5-string banjo. Paul and Christy have made five gospel recordings.

The Newberrys were married in 1978 while students at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview, where Paul received his Bachelor of Music degree. While in college at Wayland, they were members of the International Choir and the Spirit of America Singers. Paul and Christy are both graduates of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, where Christy received a Bachelor of Arts degree and Paul obtained a Masters Degree in music. During college, Paul also served as minister of music for six years in Texas Baptist churches.

Since entering music evangelism, the Newberrys have been members of the conference of Texas Baptist Evangelists, where Paul served as Music Director from 1989-91 and Christy served as secretary-treasurer from 1996-2000. Paul also served as Music Director of the Conference of Southern Baptist Evangelists from 1997-98. Paul and Christy have been featured on WTKK television in Washington, D.C., KRPV television in Roswell, New Mexico and a number of local radio programs.

The public is invited to attend all services. For more information, call First Baptist Church at 940-864-2581.

This Week's Devotional Message:



WE WELCOME GOD'S MOST COLORFUL SEASON OF AUTUMN

When summer fun begins to pall
And cooler winds pervade the night,
The temperatures will start to fall
And frost will paint a brilliant sight,
In which the leaves turn red and gold;
A truly colorful display
That signifies a year grown old,
Against a sky of cloudy gray.

It's harvest time from tree and field,
For food on which we all rely;
By reaping what the earth will yield,
Before the snow begins to fly.
Our house of worship makes it clear:
God shows His love in many ways,
From indications that appear
With autumn's beauty all ablaze.

ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

- HASKELL**
- East Side Baptist Church**
Dr. Jim Heflin, interim pastor
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.
600 N. 1st East, Haskell
- Christian Church**
Richard Barr, minister
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 10:45 a.m.; Thurs. 7 p.m.
107 N. Ave. F, Haskell
- Church of God**
Bruce Ray, pastor
Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m., Wed. 7:00 p.m.
714 North First East, Haskell
- Trinity Lutheran Church**
Ron Renegarbe, pastor
Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30
Hwy 380 East, Haskell
- Iglesia Bautista El Calvario**
Art Flores, Interim pastor
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 5 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.
607 S. 7th, Haskell
- First United Methodist Church**
Rev. Tom Long, pastor
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 10:50 a.m. 6 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m.
201 N. Ave. F, Haskell
- First Assembly of God**
Rev. J.C. Amburn
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.
1500 N. Ave. E, Haskell
- St. George Catholic Church**
Father George Roney
Sat. Mass 7 p.m.; Sun. Morn. 9:00 a.m.
901 N. 16th, Haskell
- Church of Christ**
Philip Sims, minister
Sun. 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.
510 N. Ave. E, Haskell
- First Presbyterian Church**
Kelly Pigott, interim pastor
Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m.
306 N. Ave. E, Haskell
- Trinity Baptist Church**
Larry White, pastor
Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p.
114 S. Ave. D, Haskell
- Hopewell Baptist Church**
Sun. 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.
908 N. Ave. A, Haskell

- Greater Independent Baptist Church**
Sun. 9:30 a., 11:00 a., 6:30 p.; Wed. 7 p.
301 N. 3rd St., Haskell
- New Covenant Foursquare**
Bill and Renee Glass, pastors
Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.
200 S. Ave. F, Haskell
- Mission Revival Center**
Rev. William Hodge
Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Tues. 6 p.m.
1600 N. Ave. B, Haskell
- First Baptist Church**
Greg Gasaway, pastor
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:55 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p.m.
301 N. Ave. E, Haskell
- Church in the Wind**
C.C. Curran, pastor
Sun. fellowship 5 p.m. Church 5:30 p.m.
Tues. Bible Class 7:30 p.m.
203 S. 1st East, Haskell
- Cornerstone Fellowship Baptist Church**
Morris R. Johnson, pastor
Sun. 9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.
1600 N. First St., Haskell

- WEINERT**
- First Baptist Church**
Dan Bullock, pastor
Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., Wed. 7 p.m.
Weinert
- Weinert Foursquare Church**
Rev. Robert Harrison
Sunday 11 a.m
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- ROCHESTER**
- Church of Christ**
Steve Willis, minister
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m.
West on Main Street, Rochester
- First Baptist Church**
Joseph Barrett, pastor
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Prayer Time/
Team Kids 5 p.m.; Wed. Youth meeting 7 p.m.
500 Main, Rochester

- Union Chapel Baptist Church**
Clovie Dever
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.
Rochester
- Faith Chapel of Rochester**
Randy Hollingsworth, minister
Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., Wed. 6 p.m.
Hwy 6, Rochester

- SAGERTON**
- Sagerton Methodist Church**
Stephanie Gilkey, pastor
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m.
Sagerton
- Faith Lutheran Church**
Curtis Baker, pastor
Sun. 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m.
Sagerton

- RULE**
- First Baptist Church**
Russell Stanley, pastor
Sun. 9:45 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.
1001 Union Ave., Rule
- Primitive Baptist Church**
Dale Turner Jr., pastor
First & Third Sundays 10 a.m.
Corner of 8th & Robins, Rule

- Church of Christ**
John Greeson, minister
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:40 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.
811 Union, Rule
- First United Methodist Church**
Tom Long, pastor
Sun. Morn. Worship 8:30 a.m.
1000 Union Ave., Rule

- Primera Iglesia Bautista**
Alfa y Omegas
Manuel Marin, pastor
Sun. 10 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m.
500 Elm Street, Rule
- Sweet Home Baptist Church**
Larry Neal, pastor
Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 5 p.m.;
Gladstone Ave., Rule
- West Bethal Baptist Church**
Rev. Clovis Dever
Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 8 p.m.; Wed. 7:30 p.m.
300 Sunny Ave., Rule

- PAINT CREEK**
- Paint Creek Baptist Church**
Sun. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.
Paint Creek

- O'BRIEN**
- O'Brien Baptist Church**
Jim Reid, pastor
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a., 5 p., 6 p., Wed. 6 p.m.
O'Brien

Paint Creek School Menu

Oct. 20-24 Breakfast

Juice and milk are served daily.

Monday: Pancake sticks

Tuesday: Biscuits, gravy

Wednesday: French toast

Thursday: Toast or cereal

Friday: Breakfast burritos

Lunch

Milk is served daily.

Monday: Fish strips, mac and

cheese, salad, bread, fruit

Tuesday: Steak fingers, mashed potatoes, peas, gravy, rolls, pudding

Wednesday: Carne guisada, refried beans, corn, flour tortillas, cherry cobbler

Thursday: Chicken and noodles, green beans, bread, jello

Friday: BBQ sandwiches, pickle spears, corn on cob, chips, pears

ECC Calendar and Menu

Mon., October 20

Lunch—Enchiladas, Spanish rice, pinto beans, garden salad, chips, salsa, choco cake, milk, tea, or coffee

Wed., October 22

Lunch—Ham and beans, onions, pickles, creamy coleslaw,

cornbread, jello, cookie, milk, tea, or coffee

Fri., October 24

Lunch—Sloppy joe on bun, pinto beans, potato chips, onions, pickles, surprise dessert, milk, tea, or coffee

Lamb/goat validation set

by Wes Utley

CEA-Ag/NR, Haskell Co. All 4-H'ers and FFA members with lamb or goat projects will need to meet at the Haskell County Show Barn on Fri., Oct. 24 at 4 p.m. to have their lamb/goat projects validated.

This is mandatory for anyone with a lamb or goat that will be going to any major stock show

during the year 2008-09. The youth exhibitor and a parent/guardian must be present during this validation, so the signature cards can be signed by both.

If you have any questions, contact Wes Utley, County Extension Agent-Ag at 940-864-2658.

To conduct food drive

The next meeting for the Haskell Jr. & Sr. 4-H Clubs will be held Sun., Oct. 26 at 2:30 p.m. The meeting will begin at the Haskell County Extension Office located at 101 S. Ave. D in Haskell, and will conclude at 4 p.m.

The 4-H'ers are asked to come in costume and the leaders

will drive them around town to go "Trick-Or-Treating" for non-perishable items. The non-perishable items will be boxed at the November meeting and delivered to families in need for the holidays.

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Public Notices

ORDER OF ELECTION Paint Creek ISD Board of Education hereby orders a school board election to be held on November 4, 2008 to fill one unexpired term and three full terms.

Location of the polls will be:
Box 3: County Extension Office, S Ave D, Haskell Texas.

Box 10: Sagerton Community Center, Sagerton Texas.

Box 9: Paint Creek ISD, 4396 FM 600, Haskell, Texas.

Precinct 3: Stamford High School Auditorium, Stamford Texas.

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at the Administration office, Paint Creek ISD, 4396 FM 600, Haskell, Texas 79521 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. beginning on October 20, 2008 and ending October 31, 2008 at 3:30 p.m.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to Sarah McCord, Business Manager, 4485 FM 600, Haskell, Texas 79521.

Applications for ballot by mail must be received no later than 3:30 p.m. on October 28, 2008.

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Dist/Div: Abilene

Contract 0006-04-066 for SEAL COAT in TAYLOR County, etc. will be opened on November 5, 2008 at 1:00 p.m. at the District Office.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at www.txdot.gov and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.

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Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TxDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.

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La ubicación de los sondeos será:

Encajone 3: la Oficina de la Extensión de Condado, S Avda D, Caja de Haskell Tejas.

Encajone 10: Centrosocial de Sagerton, Caja de Sagerton Tejas.

Encajone 9: Paint Creek ISD, 4396 FM 600, Zona de Haskell Tejas.

Zona 3: Instituto de Stamford Sala, Stamford Tejas que Los sondeos estarán abiertos de 7:00 a.m. a 7:00 p.m.

Votando temprano por aspecto será realizado cada día laborable en la oficina de la Administración, de Paint Creek ISD, 4396 FM 600, Haskell Tejas 79521 entre las horas de 8:00 a.m. y 3:30 p.m. que empiezan en.

el 20 de octubre de 2008 y terminar el 31 de octubre de 2008 en 3:30 p.m. Las aplicaciones para la votación por el correo serán enviadas a Sarah McCord, el Director comercial, 4485 FM 600, Haskell Tejas 79521. Las aplicaciones para la votación por el correo deben ser recibidas no luego que 3:30 p.m. en el 28 de octubre de 2008. 41-42c

We would like to thank those of you who have helped make this difficult time a little easier. It is such a blessing to know Dad was surrounded by so many friends who loved him. Thank you so much for the outpouring of love shown to us through the love and kind words of encouragement, the delicious food, beautiful flowers, visits and calls you have extended at this time. We are truly blessed. May God bless each and everyone of you.

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EAGLE PROJECT—Haskell Boy Scout Troop 136 assisted Scout Tucker McCormick with his Eagle project finished last May. McCormick's group painted the fences and replaced the wire mesh on the posts at the Little League park. Hoisting the fencing material up the fence posts while the men in the manlift fasten the wire to the posts are, l-r, Daniel Contreras, James Bowers, Tyler Reese, Lance Sloan and in the manlift are Chris Shelton and Craig McCormick.

Eagle project brings new paint and fencing to baseball park

by Caron Yates

Tucker McCormick, fifteen year old son of Craig and Janet McCormick, has completed the required service project to qualify for Eagle Scout rank. McCormick, who is the Senior Patrol Leader for Troop 136, has been in scouting since August 2004.

His list of accomplishments include Crew Leader on Philmont Trek 712G3, which was a backpacking experience in New Mexico. He also received the Fifty Mile award for Philmont and God and Life knot, as well as thirty-five merit badges.

For his community project, McCormick chose to upgrade the Haskell Little League Field. It took two months, twenty-eight hundred dollars and over three hundred man hours to complete this project.

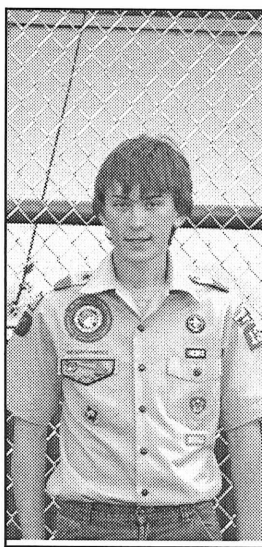
With help from Troop 136 scouts, Haskell Youth Baseball board members, parents, coaches and others, old wire was stripped, pipes painted and new wire hung

around the entire baseball field.

It takes extensive planning, careful organization of materials and physical labor to complete such a project. As an added reward for his effort, Haskell Youth Baseball was awarded the Major League Tournament last spring. The many compliments on the condition and appearance of the field added to the feelings of accomplishment for McCormick.

In choosing to make improvements at the baseball field, McCormick commented, "I played baseball on this field for many years and wanted to be able to give something back that would be good for Youth Baseball in our community."

McCormick will submit a description of his project and a letter outlining his life ambitions to the Board of Review for approval to complete the Eagle Scout requirements. The Court of Honor ceremony will be held later in the year.



COMPLETED PROJECT—Haskell Eagle Scout Tucker McCormick stands in front of his completed fencing project at the Haskell Little League field.



BARN FIRE—Haskell volunteer firemen responded to a barn fire Thursday morning Oct. 9 just before noon. The barn, belonging to Fritz Buerger, was located about six miles north of Haskell on FM 2163. Contents and the structure suffered severe fire damage.

Local families host students

by Caron Yates

Much of learning comes through our experiences in life. For several Haskell County families, those new learning experiences are coming about through their association with the organization, Face the World.

Face the World is a nonprofit educational and cultural exchange organization based in California. Their purpose, since 1980, has been to promote global learning and exchange by offering international high school students an opportunity to experience life in the U.S.

Seven Haskell County families have become host families to eight exchange students for this school year.

The chain reaction began when Katie Wyrick became interested in hosting a student. Host families must have a home study, criminal background check and supply three letters of reference to be considered. As people were contacted for references, they in turn, became interested in hosting students.

Students from many different countries apply for the international exchange. All must meet specific requirements including being between the ages of fifteen and eighteen, being outstanding leaders in their school and community, being able to speak, read and write English, being able to maintain a minimum overall academic average and being mature, flexible and adaptable.

The Wyrick's have two students living in their home. Amanda Kong of Hong Kong is eighteen years old and has a younger brother. She is participating in UIL math and plans to attend college in the

U.S. Lasse Windeck of Hamburg, Germany, is a seventeen year old Junior at Haskell High. He speaks three languages and is looking forward to perhaps trying out for the One Act Play.

Steve and Phoi McGuire are hosting Kitty Chung, who is also from Hong Kong. She is sixteen years old and is a senior at Haskell. She is still uncertain if she will attend a university in her home country or the U.S. McGuire said, "I was interested in a student from Hong Kong, because I plan to take a mission trip there with my dad next summer." Chung has already celebrated one holiday from her country with the McGuires. She brought with her the "moon cake" and lanterns needed for the celebration. Paula and Adam Garcia are hosts to Rocio Reyes of Teneresi, Canary Islands, Spain. She is a fifteen year old senior at Haskell High. Her future plans are to remain in the U.S. and attend college in New York or Boston.

Ty and Martye Williams are hosting Jens Schoemaker of The Netherlands. He is a senior at FFA and yearbook. He plans to attend the International Business Management College, and feels the exchange program will give him valuable experience. Sina Lasere of Germany is being hosted by the Janet Jeffcoat

family. She is also a junior at Paint Creek High School.

From Berlin, Germany, Nils Weigeldt, is staying with Paul and Nicole Shelton of Rule. He is playing football for the first time, and has already made two touchdowns and has a quarterback sack to his credit. Fabio Meier is a sixteen year old Haskell High junior from Switzerland. He is living with host family Joe and Caron Yates of Weinert. He speaks three languages fluently and is studying two others. He hopes to participate in basketball.

The students arrived in mid-August and will spend the entire year here. It is up to the student's home school to decide whether they receive credit or must repeat the year in their home country.

Every effort is made to place the student in a situation as similar as possible to what they know. Most of the students in the Haskell area are from smaller communities and smaller schools. Exchange students must pay their own expenses, including travel, insurance, clothing and extra needs.

According to the host families, the learning experiences have been "awesome." The families feel they are benefiting just as much as the students. They are learning to share a new culture and as a bonus are forming lasting friendships.

Health fair set Nov. 6

The fourth annual Haskell Community Health Fair is scheduled for Thurs., Nov. 6 at the Haskell Memorial Hospital Education Building, sponsored by The Haskell Health Net, a group of individuals concerned about the health and well being of our communities. The group is comprised of healthcare providers, professionals, private citizens, ministerial representatives and county officials planning on the future of the Haskell Community. The purpose of the health fair is

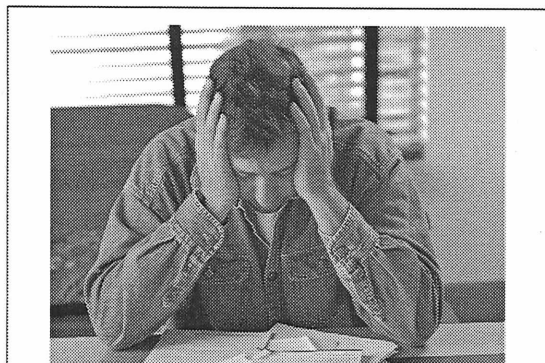
to provide the community at large with information about services available in our community regarding aspects of health care. Information and materials will be available for every age group.

The Health Fair will begin at 11 a.m. and end at 3 p.m. Vendors will be set up to provide education, brochures about services and free items.

The Texas Department of State Health Services will offering flu shots during the fair. A representative of the Wichita

Falls Area Food Bank will be available to help with enrollment into the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIPs) as well as Medicaid.

For more information, contact Susan Cockerell at the County Judge's office at 940-864-2851 during office hours of 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.



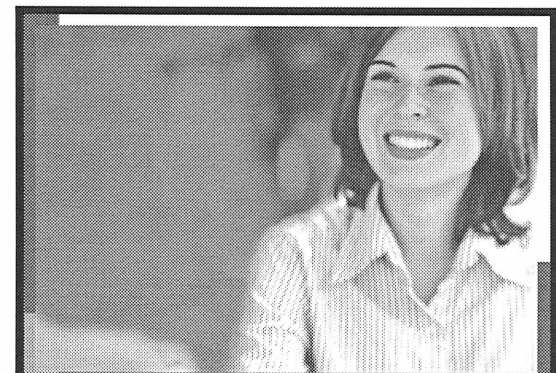
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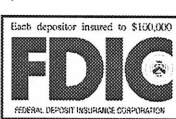
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HIRING YOUR CHILD MAY HELP AVOID THE KIDDIE TAX

Hiring your child to work for the family business can be a tax-smart move made even smarter by recent tax law changes.

When you put your children on the payroll, your taxable income is effectively shifted to the child's lower tax bracket. The business receives a wage deduction, and your child often pays little or no tax on his or her earnings. If the child is under age 18, and the business is unincorporated, the wages are also exempt from social security tax.

This strategy has become especially useful in light of recent changes to the "kiddie tax." The kiddie tax causes a child's unearned income above \$1,800 to be taxed at the parent's higher tax rate. Unearned income typically means passive income, such as interest and dividends.

Last year, the kiddie tax applied only to children under age 18. But beginning in 2008, children who are 18 years old, or age 19 through 23 and full-time students, are subject to the kiddie tax unless they earn over one-half of their support. Therefore, the wages you pay your child, in combination with other wages the child earns, can help the child escape the kiddie tax if he or she makes enough to meet the support test.

Unfortunately, this does not work for kids under age 18. They are subject to the kiddie tax no matter how much they earn.

When hiring your child, it is important that the wages be reasonable for the type of work and hours served. Otherwise, the deduction—and the tax breaks—will be disallowed. The business should document the hours worked by your child, just as you do for other employees.

Employing your children (and avoiding the kiddie tax) requires careful planning. Because the rules can change from year to year, professional tax advice is recommended. Give our office a call for details or any assistance you need.

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