

Calendar

BBQ in the park

The Haskell Area Cancer Support Group will host a BBQ in the park Sat., July 23 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The menu will include burgers and hot dogs. Those attending are encouraged to bring favorite yard games. Proceeds benefit the fund to help cancer patients with medications and information concerning the fight against cancer. For information call 325-864-4466 or 940-864-5964.

Men's Day

East Side Baptist Church in Haskell is celebrating Men's Day July 24 and will host the men of Teen Challenge of Texas. They will lead our free men's breakfast at 9:45 and be a part of our 11 a.m. service. You will be blessed and encouraged by the testimonies of these men who have been delivered from lifelong addictions and are now being restored to their families and communities. Following the service, you will have an opportunity to meet them, and be part of their recovery by purchasing the wood crafts and jewelry they make to help support the ministry. For more information, call 940-864-2738 or go to www.tctexas.org.

Girls' athletic form reminder

All girls who plan to be in athletics at Haskell High or Rochester Junior High schools need to have their physical forms and other necessary paperwork finished and turned in to the athletic office by the time school starts. If forms are needed, they can be obtained at the high school athletic office.

Bible school

Cornerstone Fellowship Baptist Church in Haskell will host its annual Vacation Bible School Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Aug. 1-3, from 6 to 9 p.m. for children entering grades K-7. This year's theme is "God's Word—My Treasure" and will include treasure hunts, scavenger hunts, life-size Bible scenes, games, crafts and food. A come-and-go Registration Rally with bounce houses, hotdogs and guided tours for the whole family will be held Sun., July 31, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. To register early or for more information contact the church office at 940-864-5557 or email vbscornerstone@yahoo.com.

Survey

Public Policy Research Institute at Texas A&M University is assisting the Haskell Memorial Hospital to assess the healthcare needs of families in this area. Please participate in a 10-minute survey at <http://bit.ly/haskellsurvey>.

Summer lunches

Haskell CISD announces the sponsorship of the Summer Food Service program. Meals will be served at Haskell Elementary School Cafeteria, 306 S. Ave. G, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday ending July 29. Anyone ages 6 months through 18 years of age is invited to come eat free. Adults are invited to come and eat for the price of \$3.00 per plate.

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"The People's Choice"

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Dustin Wilhite is new FUMC pastor

by Caron Yates

Small towns are always pleased to have new residents move into town, and it is even more encouraging when young families make their home here.

The First United Methodist Church welcomed their new

pastor, Dustin Wilhite, on June 26, and "he hit the floor running." In a very short time, he has already had the pastoral experiences of Vacation Bible School, a funeral, a church conference, and being a guest reader at the library, to name just a

few.

Wilhite was born and raised in Muleshoe, where his dad, an insurance agent, and his mom, a teacher, still live.

After graduating from Muleshoe High School, he entered college at Southern

Oklahoma State. It was here he met and married his wife Myranda. The Wilhites have four daughters, Mykaylee, age twelve; Addyson, age nine; Emma, age seven; and Palynn, age two.

When Myranda was accepted into nursing school at East Central University, they moved to Ada, Oklahoma where they completed their degrees.

With a degree in education, Wilhite spent the next ten years teaching English and History, first at New Deal and then at Muleshoe High School. Settling into the busyness that goes along with careers and family life, things seemed to be going along as planned.

It was while they were celebrating an anniversary with a cruise, Wilhite says he was awakened in the middle of the night. He felt the voice of God calling him to "Pastor my people." He recalled that he spent the next three days contemplating this call and all it would encompass, while at the same time becoming more sure that God wanted a change in careers for him. After talking with his wife, they both agreed he had to answer God's call to the ministry.

In 2008, the Wilhite family moved to Wilmore, Kentucky, so he could attend Asbury Theological Seminary. There he completed the program of ninety-six hours in just three

years. He says that Wilmore is located in the middle of Bluegrass Country, and is one of the most beautiful places he has seen.

Although First United Methodist Church of Haskell is his first pastorate, Wilhite is very excited to be here. He comments, "Haskell's church has a more traditional form of worship, much like the church I was raised in."

He adds, "The people of this church are so gracious and welcoming. So many have come by to bring food or offer welcoming words." Wilhite noted that many other townspeople have also stopped by to welcome them. The family looks forward to making new friends and becoming involved in the opportunities and activities of the church, as well as the town.

In his free time, Wilhite enjoys gardening and yard work, and loves to add to his collections. As a teenager he worked for a refinishing business, which led to an appreciation of antiques, that he continues to enjoy searching out and restoring. He also has a collection of old hymnals.

His desire is to see where God is at work in his church, and together find new areas of ministry for the church. "The ultimate goal," says Wilhite, "is to listen to guidance to work together for God's kingdom."



NEW PASTOR—Dustin Wilhite, right, is the new pastor at the First United Methodist Church in Haskell. His family includes, l-r, wife Myranda, and daughters, Palynn, Addyson, Emma and Mykaylee.

3 arrested on drug charges

On Thursday night July 14, Chief Deputy Winston Stephens was patrolling on the east side of Haskell when he met a speeding vehicle traveling west toward the city of Haskell. Chief Deputy Stephens made the traffic stop on the vehicle, a female from Haskell was driving and she had two male passengers from Haskell with her.

When Deputy Stephens ran a check of the driver's license, it showed that she had an outstanding warrant from Johnson County for Motion to Revoke Probation. She was placed under arrest for the warrant and was asked if she had any type of contraband on her person or in the vehicle. She stated that she did.

After a short investigation of the persons in the vehicle, it was determined that the two male subjects were also

involved in the transportation of the illegal drugs into Haskell. They were also placed under arrest.

About nine grams of Methamphetamine was located in the vehicle along with some drug paraphernalia.

All three subjects were arrested and transported to the Haskell County Jail and booked in on the charge of Possession of a Controlled Substance with Intent to Deliver, namely Methamphetamine.

Officers Jeff Caparoon, K-9 Loco, Officer Dan Kaszuba of the Haskell Police Department also assisted in the investigation and transportation to the jail.

Arrested were Kym Dier, Joey Martin and Justin Meir.

Haskell County Sheriff David Halliburton says that without the hard work and long hours that the Haskell County deputies and troopers put in on

working to stop the illegal flow of drugs coming through and into Haskell County, the county would be in worse shape than it is now.

Haskell County still has a drug problem and law enforcement officers of the county still need the help of the citizens of the county to help stop this problem. The officers continually work to stop all types of illegal activity, but still need the help of the citizens. You can contact the Tip line or call the Haskell County Sheriff's Office and your name will not be used in any transaction of catching the criminals.

Again, thanks to Chief Deputy Stephens for his diligent work in combating the war on drugs and crimes in Haskell County, and the other officers that continue to work the highways and roads of the county.

87 attend local singing school camp

The Haskell Church of Christ held their annual camp for students who range in age from ten to adult recently. Eighty-seven students attended from Arkansas, Colorado, Georgia, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas. They arrived on Sunday afternoon, July 10 and were met by their host

families and local church.

The camp was under the direction of Thomas Chapin. Instructors were Eugene Chapin, Tom Chapin, John Connel and Randy Daw. Assisting the instructors was Joe Chase.

Many traditions have continued and are enjoyed daily by the students and

staff. Each morning the campers assemble for a time of devotion and the daily joke contest. Daily sessions for all campers include a variety of classes for beginners to those who are more advanced in training. The students had sessions of rudiments of music, song leading, sight reading, song writing, hymn

appreciation, music theory and voice harmony.

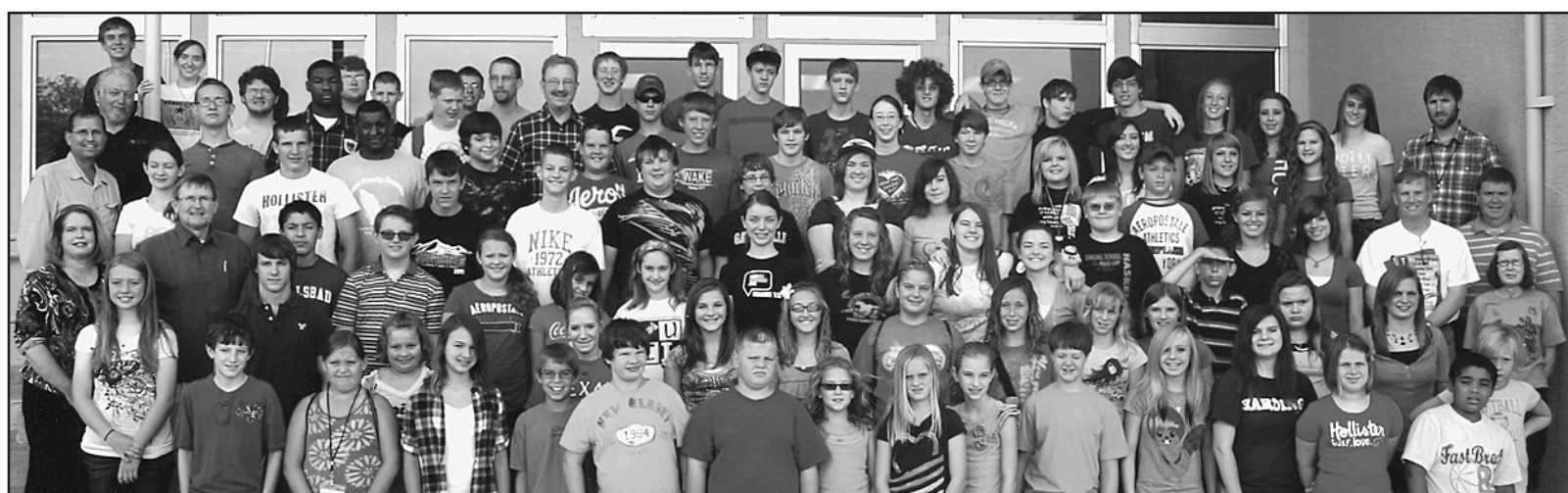
Lunch was catered each day to the church activity building. Evening activities were focused on preparation for the closing program and a time of devotion. An area wide youth service was held Tuesday evening with guest speaker, Wes Horn of

Stamford.

The week concluded with a closing program Friday evening featuring new music. Family and friends attended.

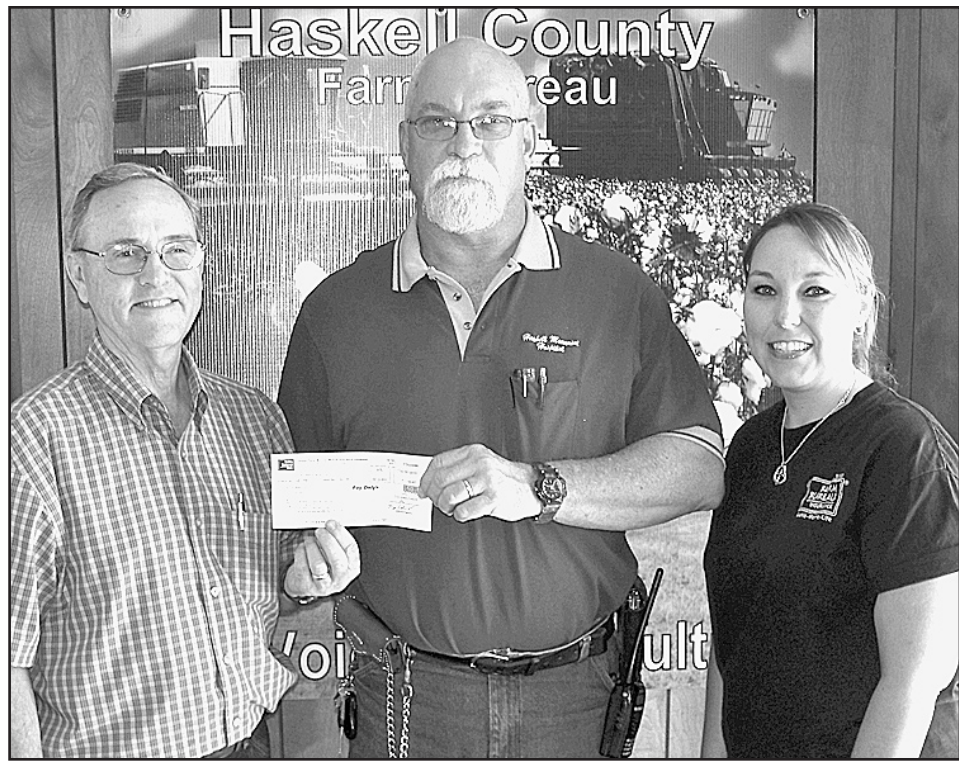
Philip Sims is the church minister. Charlotte Peiser is the secretary and registrar.

The 2012 camp is planned July 8-13.



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CHECK PRESENTED—The Haskell Volunteer Fire Department received a check for \$150 recently from Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies as an expression of thanks for the department's work on the property of Carol Blackwell and will be used in the department's loss prevention program. The Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies pay fire departments this amount when the department works at a fire in rural areas, involving property insured by them. The company believes fire departments have contributed to reduce the amount of loss involved by fire and more importantly, to prevent fires. Haskell Fire Chief Randy Shaw, center, received the check on behalf of the department from Kenny Tanner, Agency Manager, left, and Cynthia Thorson, secretary, right.

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Commissioners' Court report

The Haskell County Commissioners' Court met July 11 with all members present.

County Treasurer Janis McDaniel handed in the monthly and quarterly report and the ECC report for the month. She also reported on the change of electric companies from AEP to Green Mountain Energy Company.

Judge David Davis commented on the contract with Crown Castle and said it was terminated back in October 2008 after he wrote a letter to Crown Castle and told them the County would no longer need their services. All the County equipment was removed at that time also. Crown Castle is reporting that the contract was not fulfilled and sending

Volleyball night

First Baptist Church in Haskell is hosting an open gym for volleyball every Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. Volleyball players of all ages are welcome to come and play. There is no charge. For more information, call the church office at 864-2581.

Cancer support

The Haskell Area Cancer Support group meets every other Tuesday from 5:30 to 7 p.m. in the Haskell Memorial Hospital Educational Building. For more information, call 940-864-5964.

Burn ban issued

A burn ban is in effect for Haskell County. The use of combustible materials in an outdoor environment by any person is prohibited. Combustible materials specifically include, but are

statements for payment. County Attorney Kris Fouts will be sending them a letter to cease and desist.

Sheriff David Halliburton reported that the tile is being laid in the Sheriff's office and will be done in two sections.

A motion to leave the optional county fees from Texas Dept. of Motor Vehicles as they are passed.

A resolution in opposition to the City of Stamford selling water to the Tenaska Plant was tabled due to the fact that there is not enough information to take action at this time.

Other matters tabled were the new software for the District and County Clerks' offices and the Veteran's Service Officer.

Crime of the Week

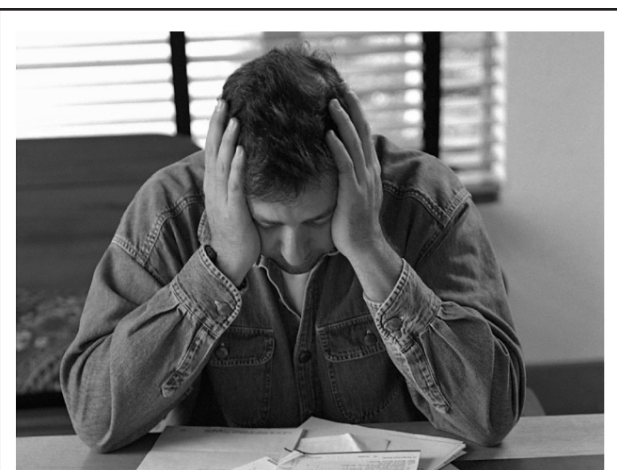
Sometime during the night of July 1 or during the early morning of July 2 person or persons unknown burglarized the Kent County General Store in Jayton. Entry was gained by breaking a glass in the front door. Items taken included a small amount of money and lottery tickets.

Clear Fork Crime Stoppers, in cooperation with the Kent County Sheriff's Department, is offering a cash reward for information that leads to an arrest(s) for

this crime. Anyone with information is urged to call the tipline 800-222-TIPS or text CFCS@CRIMES.

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not limited to, fireworks, camp fires, welding and any other pyrotechnic material, which in the manner or means of its use could result in a wildfire. A person who knowingly or intentionally violates this order commits a Class C misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of up to \$500.

Homecoming

The Haskell-Mattson-Weinert-Rochester Homecoming will be held Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, 2011.

Al-Anon

Al-Anon meets Thursday evenings at 8 p.m. at the AA building across from the RV park in Haskell.

Donations needed

The Haskell Experienced Citizens Center is in dire need of donations. The center needs to cover expenses from the replacement of a dishwasher, \$3,000; the replacement of a convection oven, \$2,500;

and the repair of a large standup freezer, \$1,000 for the parts, not including the labor. If you would like to make a donation, drop by the center at 1404 S. 1st or contact Jennabeth Kimbrough at 864-3875 for more information.

Clay Shoot

The second annual Clear Fork Clay Shoot will be held Sat., Sept. 3 and Sun., Sept. 4 outside of Haskell. For more information contact Steve Alsbrook, alsbrook@srcaccess.net, 325-280-2100; Dudley Cockerell, johannie0h@aol.com, 325-668-0302 or Billie McKeever, bmckeever@srcaccess.net, 940-864-4814. Proceeds will benefit Clear Fork Crime Stoppers and concession stand proceeds will benefit the Progressive Study Club War Memorial Project.

Deadlines

All deadlines for issues of the Haskell Free Press are at noon on Mondays.

Hot weather precautions offered

As Texas areas mark record high temperatures, the Texas Department of State Health Services reminds people to be aware of the signs of heat illness and to take precautions to protect themselves from heat exhaustion and heat stroke.

The elderly, young children, people with chronic diseases and those without access to air conditioning are most at risk.

Staying in an air conditioned area, either at home or at public places like malls, libraries or community centers, is the best way to combat heat. If air conditioning is not available, open windows, pull down shades to keep out direct sunlight and use fans to cool rooms.

The best defense against heat-related illness is prevention. Stay cool, drink plenty of fluids, wear cool clothing and monitor outdoor activities. Other precautions:

Never leave anyone, including pets, in a parked vehicle—even for a short time. Vehicles can heat up to deadly temperatures in minutes. Cracking the windows does little to keep temperatures down. If your child sits in the back seat, put your purse, briefcase, wallet or another essential item

behind you so you'll notice your child is there before exiting the vehicle. Young children are particularly vulnerable to the heat. Call 911 immediately if you see an unattended child in a vehicle.

Check frequently on older friends, neighbors and family members. Visit at least twice a day and watch for signs of heat illness. Assist them with transportation to places with air conditioning and make sure they know what to do if they experience heat illness. Most deaths caused by heat stroke occur in people over 50 years old. They are more likely to have a medical condition or be taking medication that can interfere with the body's response to heat.

Take action at the first sign of heat illness. Symptoms of heat illness include heavy sweating, muscle cramps, weakness, dizziness, nausea, weak but rapid pulse and headaches. People with these symptoms should find shade, drink water slowly and make sure there is good ventilation. If symptoms don't improve, seek medical attention.

Drink plenty of water. Drink liquids 30 minutes before going outside and continue even if you don't feel thirsty. Avoid alcohol, caffeine and sugary drinks.

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Burgess receives academic award



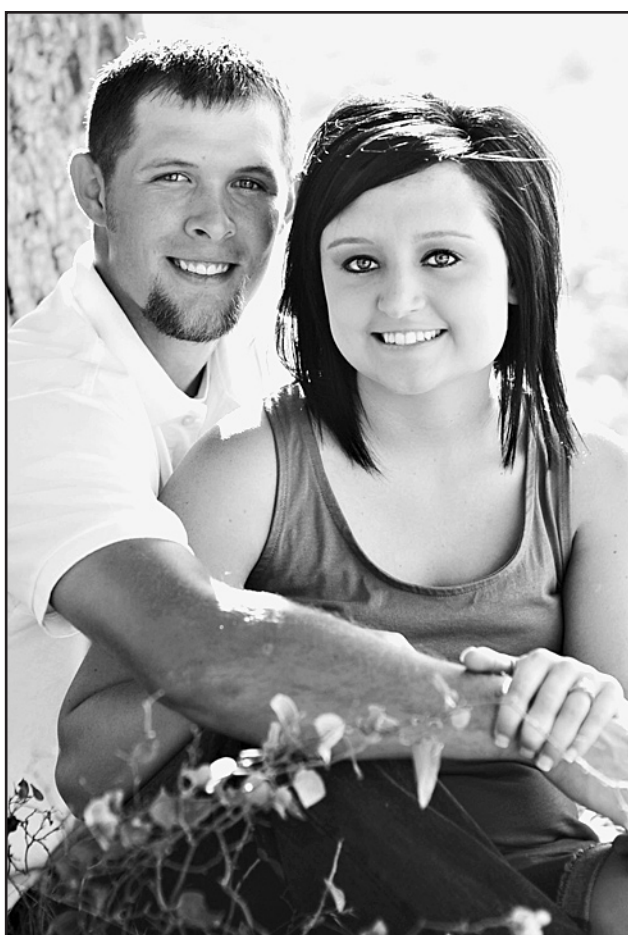
GRACE BURGESS

Grace Burgess of Rule is a recipient of a \$1,500 academic award from Dyess AFB. The Scholarships for Military Children Program is open to qualified sons and daughters of members of the U.S. Armed Services

including active duty, retirees, guard/reserves, as well as children of deceased military personnel.

Applicants were required to maintain a minimum 3.0 grade point average, participate in voluntary school and community activities, demonstrate leadership qualities, and write an essay on "Our nation has a goal of improving health and wellness. What are your ideas, and more importantly, how do you propose to put these ideas into action in your local community?"

Burgess is the daughter of Catharine and Scott Burgess. She plans to enroll at Embry Riddle Aeronautical University. Her school and community activities include BETA Club, vice president; cheerleader, FCA, theatre and varsity sports.



CalLEN PITTMAN - HAYLIE NICOLE HUGHES

Hughes, Pittman to marry Sept. 10

Haylie Nicole Hughes and Callen Raye Pittman, both of Olney, are announcing their engagement and upcoming marriage.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Joe and Kelley Hughes of Olney. She is the granddaughter of Eddie Joe and Margaret Hughes and the late Joyce Hughes, David and Betty Schoeling. Her great grandmother is Evelyn Schoeling.

She is a 2010 graduate of Olney High School and is

attending Vernon College.

The prospective groom is the son of Rex and Camin Pittman, and the grandson of Jewel Pittman and the late Roy Pittman, and Jodie and Mary Kennedy, all of Haskell. He is a 2010 graduate of Olney High School and attended Vernon College. He is employed by Air Tractor of Olney.

The couple plan to marry Sat., Sept. 10, at First Baptist Church of Olney.

Births

Dustin and Lelanya Yates are proud to announce the birth of their son, Waylon Joe Yates. He arrived on July 7 at University Medical Center in Tucson, Arizona, weighing 7 lbs. 3 ozs. and measuring 19 3/4 inches.

Proud grandparents are Joe and Caron Yates of Weinert and Steve and Liz Smith of Edgewood, New Mexico. Waylon's great-grandparents are Toby and Alice Yates and Lindo Guess, all of Weinert.

Summer reading program continues at Haskell Library

It is time for the Summer Reading Program at the Haskell County Library. Children ages five to eleven are welcome and encouraged to come listen to a story, make a craft and have refreshments.

The theme for this summer is "Dig up a good book." The library has lots of good books available for children to read.

The program will be held each Tuesday and Thursday

in July from 10 to 11 a.m.

Come in and register for this summer program and pick up a reading log. Keeping the children's reading skills up during the summer is very important so they don't forget and fall behind when school starts.

This program is sponsored by The Texas State Library and Archives Commission, the Haskell County Library and the Friends of the Library.

Lewis family holds reunion

The descendents of Bob and Flo Lewis met to recognize the importance of family and their heritage and to continue to build new family memories June 25-27.

This year the reunion was in Haskell in the homes of Jimmy and Melissa Burson and Stacy and Jennifer Bridges, daughters of Sparky and Barbara Eckles. A water slide and a pool was provided to cool down those who needed it. The main meals consisted of breakfast burritos, a hamburger and hot dog cook out and a shrimp boil with grilled meats and veggies and all the condiments.

Thirty-two attended with one being a guest. Six family members who could not attend were greatly missed.

Those attending were Jimmy, Mis, Jordan, Taylor, Lane and Logan Burson, Stacy, Jennifer, Brice and Brock Bridges, all of Haskell; Sparky and Barbara Eckles of Spur; Micah, Kim, Paul and Isaac Lewis, Jack and Brenda Martin, all of Canadian; Samuel and Betsy Frederick, Audra, Todd, Britney, Stephen and Brianna Bryant, and Travis Moore, all of Lubbock; Camille, Kate and Amelia Emory of Richardson; Will Martin of Cary, North Carolina; and Trent and Dedra Driggers of Snyder.

ECC Menu

Mon., July 25
Chicken spaghetti, mixed veggies, garden salad, garlic bread, cherry cobbler, tea or coffee

Wed., July 27
Kraut and sausage, creamed potatoes, pinto beans, garlic bread, brownies, pears, tea

Fri., July 29
Pulled pork sandwich, BBQ sauce, pinto beans, potato salad, white cake, tea or coffee

Announcements begin at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch.

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BBQ in the Park set Sat., July 23, meeting July 26

BBQ in the Park is July 23 and serving will be from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Come and bring your favorite yard games and spend the day helping raise money for cancer patients. The Haskell Area Cancer Support Group helps with information and anything cancer patients may need. For more information, call Kim or Glen Hutto at 325-864-4466.

The next meeting will be July 26 with Mayor John Gannaway as the guest speaker. The group is excited to have him speak.

A light meal will be provided at 5:30 p.m. and meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Educational Building at Haskell Memorial Hospital.

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HIGHLIGHTS

By Ed Sterling

Governor signs 'fracking' transparency bill

AUSTIN—While his fellow governors gathered last week in Salt Lake City for the National Governors' Association convention, Gov. Rick Perry was here in Texas, and he ceremonially signed several bills recently passed by the 82nd Texas Legislature.

One of those bills, House Bill 3328 primarily authored by Rep. Jim Keffer, R-Eastland, addresses the use of hydraulic fracturing to break up substrata to find pockets of oil and gas.

With increased exploration in Texas' natural gas-holding Barnett Shale formation, public concern arose over the possibility of toxic substances leaking into water supplies.

On July 15, Gov. Perry signed Keffer's bill requiring well operators to share with the public the list of chemicals used in the process.

"The bill addresses public concern by providing a more transparent process, which will help Texas continue to protect its resources while allowing oil and gas companies to continue safely using the fracturing process in the state, as they have for years," Perry said.

On July 11, Texas Railroad Commission Chairman Elizabeth Ames Jones said it is "geologically impossible for fracturing fluid or natural gas or oil to migrate upward through thousands of feet of rock, sometimes miles, to adversely affect ground water."

The energy-regulating Railroad Commission writes administrative rules that the oil and gas industry must, in addition to state law, obey. Jones said in regards to fracking chemicals the agency hopes to finalize a "common sense disclosure policy" by the end of the year.

Perry blasts federal gun rule

In other business, Perry criticized new U.S. Department of Justice reporting requirements for multiple purchases of semiautomatic rifles within the four U.S. states bordering Mexico.

On July 13 the governor posted a bulletin saying, "Instead of arbitrarily implementing this misguided and constitutionally questionable policy, the Obama administration should target actual criminals rather than law-abiding citizens and immediately secure our southern border against the northbound and southbound illegal smuggling of drugs, humans, cash, guns, fugitives and stolen vehicles."

Official sets ballot order

Secretary of State Esperanza "Hope" Andrade, the chief elections officer of Texas, on July 13 drew at random to

establish the ballot order for 10 proposed amendments (joint resolutions passed by the state House and Senate) to the Texas Constitution.

Summarized here, in order, are the propositions Texans will vote for or against on Nov. 8:

Prop. 1, SJR 14: to exempt from ad valorem taxation of all or part of the market value of the residence homestead of the surviving spouse of a 100 percent or totally disabled veteran.

Prop. 2, SJR 4: to sell additional general obligation bonds by the Texas Water Development Board in an amount not to exceed \$6 billion at any time outstanding.

Prop. 3, SJR 50: to sell general obligation bonds of the State of Texas to finance educational loans to students.

Prop. 4, HJR 63: to sell bonds or notes to finance the development or redevelopment of an unproductive, underdeveloped or blighted area and to pledge for repayment of the bonds or notes increases in ad valorem taxes imposed by the county on property in the area without increasing ad valorem tax rates.

Prop. 5, SJR 26: to allow cities or counties to enter into interlocal contracts with other cities or counties without the imposition of a tax or the provision of a sinking fund.

Prop. 6, HJR 109: to clarify references to the permanent school fund, allowing the General Land Office to distribute revenue from permanent school fund land or other properties to the available school fund to provide additional funding for public education, and providing for an increase in the market value of the permanent school fund to allow increased distributions from the available school fund.

Prop. 7, SJR 28: to authorize the legislature to permit conservation and reclamation districts in El Paso County to issue bonds supported by ad valorem taxes to fund the development and maintenance of parks and recreational facilities.

Prop. 8, SJR 16: to provide for the appraisal for ad valorem tax purposes of open-space land devoted to water-stewardship purposes on the basis of its productive capacity.

Prop. 9, SJR 9: to authorize the governor to grant a pardon to a person who successfully completes a term of deferred adjudication community supervision.

Prop. 10, SJR 37: to change the length of the unexpired term that causes the automatic resignation of certain elected county or district officeholders if they become candidates for another office.

10 Years Ago

July 19, 2001

Funds raised through the Hospital Auxiliary's Thrift Store, have been used to purchase a new stainless steel top-of-the-line Garland range, for use at Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Sandy Forehand, Advisory Committee Chairperson of Noah Project-North, was presented a plaque for her years of dedication and service to the organization. Making the presentation was Service Area Director Donna Sue Anders.

Returning from a mission trip to Romania sponsored by East Side Baptist Church, were Karla and David Page, Michelle Purifoy, Kristen Rodela, Susan Martin, Jillian Thomas, Doug Farber, Jamie Bosnjak, Paula Sammons, Gwen and Rebecca Unger.

20 Years Ago

July 18, 1991

A ribbon cutting ceremony was held by

the Haskell Chamber of Commerce for the formal opening of Merle Norman Cosmetics Studio, owned by Sandy Forehand.

The Haskell High School FFA chapter was represented at the 63rd annual FFA convention by Cole Callaway, Kim Gilly and Blake Henshaw. They were accompanied by Ag Science teachers James Bevel and Duane Gilly.

Haskell High School journalism students Brook Baker, Tiffany Bradford, Nole Hadaway and Amanda Mamykon received certificates of merit for their newspaper coverage of Operation Desert Storm, from the American Student Press Institute.

30 Years Ago

July 16, 1981

The Haskell County Commissioners' Court voted unanimously to appoint Woody Frazier to fill the unexpired term of County

Clerk Rhonda Moeller, who resigned to devote full time to her new daughter.

Receiving degrees in commencement exercises at Texas Tech University, were Haskell residents Stephen Drinnon, Andrew Gannaway, James Markey and Milton Schmidt.

Russel and Hazel Rainey of Weinert were honored with a reception in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. It was hosted by their children.

40 Years Ago

July 22, 1971

Coach Glenn Kreger, son of Mr. and Mrs. O.V. Kreger of Haskell, received his Master's Degree in History and Education from Midwestern State University. He and his wife Bobbie, teach at Welch near Lamesa.

Dr. Riley Pittman, a graduate of Haskell High School, was recently named "Lion of the Year," by the Warrensburg, Missouri Lions

International Club.

Rule school personnel attending the Texas Small Schools Workshop in Austin were Lavon Beakley, Dennis Briles, Mrs. Jimmy New, Linda Simpson and Mrs. C.W. Dunnam. Beakley and Dunnam were on the program for the event.

50 Years Ago

July 20, 1961

Haskell High School tied with El Paso for sixth place in the West Central Texas Junior Olympics Track and Field Meet. Coaches Ray Overton and Jimmy Browning had a group of nineteen athletes who participated in the various events.

Tommy Matthews of this city, is a new barber at Dick's Barber Shop on the west side of the square, Richard Bischofhausen, owner and proprietor of the shop, announced this week.

Cadet James Norman and Cadet Daniel Griffith, both of Haskell, are receiving six weeks of training at the Army Reserve Officer Training Corps at Ft. Hood.

100 Years Ago

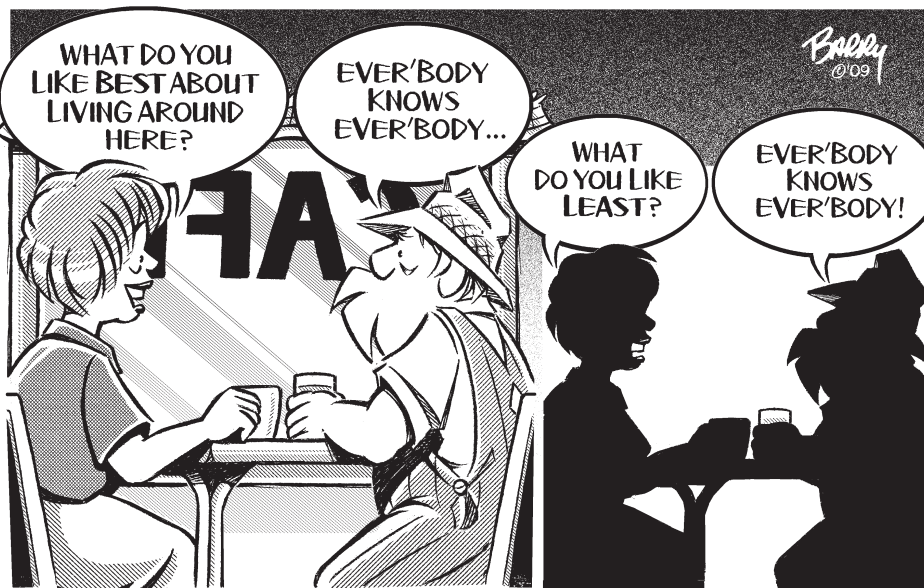
July 22, 1911

Dudley Boone has returned from a prospecting trip to Alpine, his former home.

H.H. Mansfield has returned from Oklahoma, and says he intends to make Haskell his home for the future.

Lee Killingsworth is now an assistant bookkeeper at the Haskell State Bank.

Seawillow Johnson of Marlin is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Frost in this city.



Ask the Mayor

By John Gannaway, Mayor of the City of Haskell

I would comment on the weather but everyone knows what it will be—hot, hot and more hot plus drier than one can imagine. I asked Wes Utley to check the records and see if there has ever been a year since we started keeping records that Haskell County did not have any dry land cotton at all...I mean none, zilch, zero. A poor cotton crop will make it hard on all of us, but we have been there before and survived.

Now, for some good news. Have you noticed what a good job our city employees are doing repairing the streets? I know that you are probably saying that they have repaired everybody's street but your's—not so. They are getting to them as time allows. They have to do the street repairs along with all of their other responsibilities. I am pleased with their ability to prioritize all the things they have to do and still keep the majority of us well satisfied.

We have enough people who walk at the park every morning to almost have a town hall meeting. Some start as early as 5:30 a.m.—that's still a tad early for me. The wife and I try to be there by about 6 a.m. You would think that it would be fairly cool that time of day—maybe it is "fairly" cool even though it is in the upper 80's. Almost all of us who walk at the park pick up trash as we go. I guess there are just some folks who would rather throw their trash on the ground even if they are standing next to a dumpster or a trash can.

I hope that everyone has noticed that the d... crape myrtles are blooming and they are red. I was not aware that just before they bloom the bud appears white. My

first thought was what kind of a mess have we gotten into. Then I thought they were going to be pink. After a few anxious days they popped out red just like they were supposed to. Is there a lesson hidden somewhere in here? Yes, there definitely is and it has to do with patience—this is obviously not my long suit.

Have you also noticed that many of the grassy areas in the park are green? Our city employees have found some sprinklers that were hidden due to many years of not being used plus they have installed some new ones. Our park is getting prettier by the day.

Wild hogs may help Haskell become even more famous. We have a film crew from the A&E channel making a documentary about our wild hog problem. I never realized that wild hogs might be something that would get us some notoriety. If it will bring people in to hunt them, that would be great because those hunters eat, sleep and buy gas and that helps our economy. I was told that the documentary should be shown probably in mid-August. I'll let you know when I find out for sure.

Every town is composed of citizens of all makes and models. I think we have some that feel if they water the street enough that maybe the asphalt will grow. Believe me, it won't. If anything, it will begin to deteriorate and create more potholes that our city employees are trying to repair. Please do your part in trying to keep the water off the streets.

Homecoming (Sept. 30 and Oct. 1) will be here before you know it. It would be nice if we could have a work

day at the park sometime in September. Be thinking about what we can do to spruce up the town. I will keep you posted concerning the date.

The Hospital Health Forum was informative. Too bad it wasn't well attended. There were eight in the 2 to 4 p.m. session and around 11 in the 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. session. Was it well advertised? I think so; paper, radio, this column. Maybe we need a skywriter. Just keep in mind: You get the government and services you deserve.

I visited with Dr. Doug Hodde at the Singing School's final program. He is the son-in-law of Gene and Jo Iva Long (Shelley's husband). We knew Doug from the time he was a young whippers-

snapper in El Paso. He's a fine Christian man on top of being a good physician. It's too bad he's so firmly ensconced in Bowie; he'd be an excellent choice for our hospital as area physician. He has a daughter, Sara, who is entering medical school. Sara already loves Haskell and wouldn't mind living here, if we could recruit her and wait 10-12 years.

Thanks to Dr. McSmith for offering his beautiful backyard, pond, "escape from reality" area to the Singing School for their Thursday night devotional. Just sitting there communing with nature, concentrating on the three lighted crosses and listening to young voices sing praises...Wow! It will fill you up!

Letter to the Editor

Dear editor,
The Noah Project-North would like to thank everyone that participated in our annual "Variety Show" and all of the citizens that came to support the Noah Project. It was a success. The talent in our community is truly amazing.

We would like to thank East Side Baptist Church for providing the cool auditorium for us. A special thank you to Mike Poteet and Kenneth Jarred for the great job on the sound system that made everyone sound so professional. We would like to thank Brian Burgess for the outstanding job that he does emceeding our program and making it so much fun. Thank you to our performers, Vicky Hawkins, Brian Burgess, Kenneth Jarred, Pam Norton, John Pike, Kristi Gibson, Carolyn

Herring, Paula Sammons, Cliff Morris, Tammy Hawkins, Morris Johnson, Lindo Guess, Susan Jarred, Ray Clark, Doris Brock and Bill Overton. You missed a blessing if you were not able to come and hear them.

We want to thank Paula Sammons for having the courage to share her story with all of us. It was very moving and inspiring and touched all of us.

Last and certainly not least, I personally want to thank the great Advisory Committee members for all of their hard work to keep our program going. They truly make a difference to so many people. I could not do what I do without them. Thank you members from the bottom of my heart.

Yours truly,
Donna Sue Anders
Service Area Director

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Overdraft protection programs

Good checking account management means understanding your options, making informed transaction choices, and knowing your account balance. The best account management tool available has been around for centuries. It is balancing your checkbook. Many people don't take advantage of this low-tech marvel.

Of course, in the day and age of dozens of swipes of the debit card every month, balancing a checkbook isn't as easy as it was back in the days when a person would write a couple of dozen checks and grab cash periodically at the ATM every month. The number of transactions has exploded. For that reason, many people rely on overdraft protection to save them from accidental and occasional overdrafts.

There are several options for overdraft protection. Not all banks offer all of them, so you may need to shop around to find the protection that suits your needs:

- Automated overdraft protection. When an item is presented to your bank and your account doesn't have enough money to pay the item, the bank pays the item for you, rather than returning it to the person, business, utility, or merchant the item is paid to. The bank charges a fee every time an item causes your account to overdraft and typically charges for every item it pays until you bring your account back to a positive balance. Most automated programs have a dollar limit that they will pay into overdraft. Even though this is automated, banks retain discretion whether to pay items.

- Ad-hoc overdraft protection. Instead of automated programs, some banks have programs where a bank employee looks at accounts that are overdrafted and determines whether to pay or return the items. The decision is most often based on creditworthiness.

- Hybrid overdraft protection. Some banks have automated programs that become ad-hoc once they reach a certain dollar limit. When an item is presented to the bank that would take your account negative and beyond the automated program's dollar limit, a bank employee looks at your account and your creditworthiness to determine whether to pay the item.

- Third party overdraft protection. Some banks have third party overdraft protection services administer their overdraft protection programs. Generally, these programs are automated, you pay a fee for each item paid into overdraft, and (in states where it is not prohibited) you pay a daily fee until your account is returned to a positive balance.

- Linked accounts. A checking account can be linked to another account so that when your checking account is overdrawn, funds are transferred from your other account to cover the overdraft. More often than not, the linked account is a

savings account, but your checking account can be linked to another checking account or a credit card account. If your checking account is linked to a savings account, current federal rules restrict the number of transfers to six per month. There is usually a small fee per transfer.

- Line of credit. If you are creditworthy, you might qualify for a line of credit to cover overdrafts. A line of credit is a type of loan that pays overdrafts up to a certain dollar limit. As with any other loan, you must

complete an application and qualify for the loan. There is usually a small fee associated with each overdraft and you will pay interest on the outstanding balance of the loan.

Because of a recent federal law, if you wish to have your ATM and debit card transactions covered by overdraft protection, you will need to affirmatively opt in to your bank's overdraft protection program. You should have received an opt-in form last year. If you wanted overdraft protection for these items, but didn't

sign and return that form, contact your bank and ask how you can take advantage of overdraft protection for ATM and debit card transactions.

For those of us who remember the old days, having this protection sure beats having your bank charge a non-sufficient funds fee, returning the item to the merchant, the merchant charging you a bounced check fee, getting turned over to a collection agency, and possibly being referred to the county attorney for a hot check charge.

Keeping good credit during a recession

People are having to make tough financial choices today, but many don't have to wreck their credit scores if they know how the system works.

With the same amount of money, you can make decisions that kill your credit score or ones that keep your score—or at least give you the ability to rebuild your score quickly later. Most people have wrong or little information about how the system works, and that's a big reason scores go down when difficult decisions are made during a recession.

There are three common misconceptions that needlessly lower credit scores.

- Misconception #1: Paying late didn't hurt my credit since I'm caught up now.

Recent late payments are the credit score killers. It's great that you caught up but it doesn't change the fact that you paid late. Anything other than 'paid as agreed' on accounts on your credit report hurts your score."

- Misconception #2: Dollar Amounts Matter in Credit Scores.

An example of bad credit score advice here is "pay the highest bill first." Dollar amounts don't matter in FICO scoring; ratios and recency do. The effect on your score is the same for a \$1 late payment as a \$1,000 late payment. The fewer late payments on your credit report, the higher your score—regardless of their dollar amounts.

A consumer should try to pay all their bills on time, every time. However, if you must pay late and want to avoid damage to your score, pay the accounts that report to credit bureaus first. You can find this information by getting a copy of your credit report.

- Misconception #3: Closing Credit Card Accounts Helps Your Score.

If you cancel a card, you may have just thrown away your chance to increase your score by continuing to build on years of positive credit. Very long term positive account history can really boost your score. It's best for your score to keep cards open and active, using them for small purchases. Next best

is to just keep them open so you can build your score back up quickly by using them later.

- Don't Make a Bad Situation Worse.

In tough economic times, people often buy more on credit than they usually would. The amount they pay in interest on these purchases is largely determined by their credit scores. Poor decisions that lower scores combined with an already tight budget can be very costly, making money problems worse than they have to be. People

Immunization registry now covers adults

ImmTrac, the Texas immunization registry, has expanded to include adults. The Texas Department of State Health Services says the tool that's been keeping track of children's immunizations since 1997 will help all Texans know exactly which immunizations they've had.

With adults able to enroll in ImmTrac, people who provide consent can have their vaccine information stored electronically in a secure, confidential registry. ImmTrac allows people to request a copy of their record at any time, and doctors and schools can look up a person's immunization history on the spot, avoiding unnecessary vaccinations.

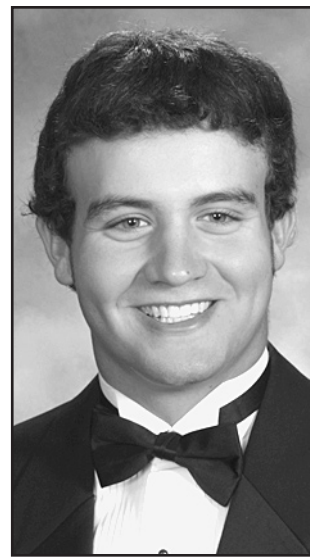
"Most people associate immunization records with enrolling kids in school, but adults may need their records, too," said Dr. Adolfo Valadez, DSHS Assistant Commissioner for Prevention and Preparedness. "ImmTrac keeps records in one place

making it easy to know when you need an additional immunization, and when you don't."

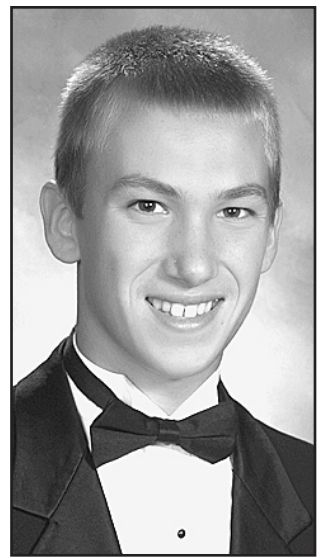
Adults often need copies of their records for work, travel or school or due to concerns about an illness. Over time immunization records may be lost and can be difficult to piece together quickly.

Doctors or other health care providers who are registered ImmTrac users can enroll patients of any age and confirm the consent necessary to have records stored in the system. People who were enrolled in ImmTrac as children must provide consent as adults for their records to remain in the registry once they turn 18. If that consent isn't given by age 19, the childhood records are removed.

Find more information about ImmTrac and immunization schedules for adults and children at www.dshs.state.tx.us/immunize.



CODY REECE



CADE BROWN

Bobcats to play in Sixman Coaches All Star games

Two Rule High School graduates have been selected to participate in the upcoming Sixman Coaches Association all star games.

Cody Reece will be participating in the football game being held at Tiger Stadium on the campus of Frenship High School in Wolfforth Fri., July 22 beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Cade Brown will be participating in the basketball game being contested at the Rip Griffin Center on

the campus of Lubbock Christian University in Lubbock Sat., July 23 starting at approximately 3:00 p.m.

The Rule Independent School District and the Rule Booster Club encourages everyone to attend these games and support these two fine young men.

Anyone who is not able to attend the games in Lubbock can listen to a live broadcast of each game at www.tsrnspports.com.

Harrell family reunion to be held July 22-23

The descendants of Charlie, Ike, Nathan and Will Harrell will meet at the First National Bank Community Room July 22-23.

Festivities will begin Fri., July 22 at 6:30 p.m. Hot dogs, sandwiches, chips, cookies and soft drinks will be served to family members and guests.

Sat., July 23 the doors

will open at 10:30 a.m. with lunch served at noon. Meat, bread, beans, potato salad and tea will be served. Those attending are asked to bring side dishes and desserts to share, along with auction items for adults and children.

Family members and friends are invited to attend.

The Early Bird gets the Worm

If you don't desire to meet the devil during the day, meet Jesus before dawn!

The morning is the gate of the day, and prayer is the key.

Time in the morning with God is an anchor to our soul. Seeking Him before your daily activities start and asking for His hands to be on everything you do would save so much heartache and stress. It lays the foundation for the day. You can get up and go on about your day smiling because God's Light is shining down upon you.

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INVITATION TO BID
The City of Rochester, Texas, will receive bids for construction of the Community Development Block Grant project (TXCDBG #729689) until 4:00 p.m. on August 9, 2011 at the office of the Engineer at 4409 71st Street #6, Lubbock, Texas 79424, at which time and place all bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bids are invited for the renovations of the existing wastewater treatment plant. Major items included, but are not limited to, the following:

New concrete Imhoff Tank (12 feet inside diameter by 15 feet sidewall depth).

Remove steel internal equipment from two existing clarifiers (10 feet diameter).

Build concrete floors on existing sludge drying beds (two each 20 ft. by 20 ft.).

New 6 inch plant piping.

Other miscellaneous items.

Contract documents, including plans and specifications, are available at the office of Carthel Engineering

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Solutions, 4409 71st Street #6, Lubbock, Texas 79424, phone 806-687-8322, fax 806-687-8323. Questions concerning this project should be addressed to Mr. Ricky Russell at the Rochester City Hall (phone 940-742-3411, fax 940-742-3711).

This is a lump sum contract. Method of payment to Contractor will be via check by the municipality after approved requests for payment.

A Bid Bond (issued by an acceptable security), in the amount of 5 percent of the bid, shall be submitted with each bid.

A certified check or bank draft payable to the City of Rochester, or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond. The successful Bidder must furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the amount of the contract, from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas, to act as a Surety or other Surety, or Sureties satisfactory to the Owner. If the total bid is less than \$25,000, a Payment Bond

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will not be required.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally determined prevailing (i.e., Davis-Bacon) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Rural Affairs and contained in the Contract Documents must be paid on the project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.

The City of Rochester reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the City of Rochester for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidder's qualifications prior to awarding of the contract.

Hon. Marvin Stegemoeller, Mayor

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FAIR HOUSING PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Public Service Announcement: Fair Housing, It's the Law

To promote fair housing practices, the City of Haskell encourages potential homeowners and renters to be aware of their rights under the National Fair Housing Law.

Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, as amended, prohibits discrimination against any person on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin in the sale or rental of units in the housing market.

For more information on fair housing or to report possible fair housing discrimination, call the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's toll-free hotline at 1-800-669-9777.

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TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION AND

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INTENT TO OBTAIN WATER QUALITY PERMIT AMENDMENT PERMIT NO. WQ0010728001

APPLICATION. City of Haskell, 301 South First Street, Haskell, Texas 79521, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) to amend Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Permit No. WQ0010728001 (EPA ID. No. TX0026891) to add provisions to authorize the disposal of treated wastewater at volume not to exceed a daily average flow of 700,000 gallons per day via irrigation on 68 acres of land. The domestic wastewater treatment facility is located approximately one mile south and 0.25 mile east of the intersection of U.S. Highway 277 and U.S. Highway 380, in Haskell County, Texas 79521. The disposal site is located approximately 0.64 mile south of the wastewater treatment plant. The discharge route is from the plant site to Rice Springs Branch; thence to Mule Creek; thence to Lake Stamford. TCEQ received this application on May 2, 2011. The permit application is available for viewing and copying at Haskell City Hall, 301 South First Street, Haskell, Texas.

ADDITIONAL NOTICE. TCEQ's Executive Director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application. After technical review of the application is complete, the Executive Director may prepare a draft permit and will issue a preliminary decision on the application. **Notice of the Application and Preliminary Decision will be published and mailed to those who are on the county-wide mailing list and to those who are on the mailing list for this application. That notice will contain the deadline for submitting public comments.**

PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting on this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. TCEQ will hold a public meeting if the Executive Director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING. After the deadline for submitting public comments, the Executive Director will consider all timely comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material or significant public comments. **Unless the application is directly referred for a contested case hearing, the response to comments, and the Executive Director's decision on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments and to those persons who are on the mailing list for this application. If comments are received, the mailing will also provide instructions for requesting reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision and for requesting a contested case hearing.** A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court.

TO REQUEST A CONTESTED CASE HEARING, YOU MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN YOUR REQUEST: your name, address, phone number; applicant's name and proposed permit number; the location and distance of your property/activities relative to the proposed facility; a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the facility in a way not common to the general public; and, the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing." **If the request for contested case hearing is filed on behalf of a group or association, the request**

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must designate the group's representative for receiving future correspondence; identify an individual member of the group who would be adversely affected by the proposed facility or activity; provide the information discussed above regarding the affected member's location and distance from the facility or activity; explain how and why the member would be affected; and explain how the interests the group seeks to protect are relevant to the group's purpose.

Following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the Executive Director will forward the application and any requests for reconsideration or for a contested case hearing to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting.

The Commission will only grant a contested case hearing on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's decision on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on issues that were raised in timely filed comments that were not subsequently withdrawn.

MAILING LIST. If you submit public comments, a request for a contested case hearing or a reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision, you will be added to the mailing list for this specific application to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. In addition, you may request to be placed on: (1) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number; and/or (2) the mailing list for a specific county. If you wish to be placed on the permanent and/or the county mailing list, clearly specify which list(s) and send your request to TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

AGENCY CONTACTS AND INFORMATION. All written public comments and requests must be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, TX 78711-3087 or electronically at www.tceq.state.tx.us/about/comments.html. If you need more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call TCEQ Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. Si desea informacion en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information about TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tceq.state.tx.us.

Further information may also be obtained from City of Haskell at the address stated above or by calling Mr. Brandon Anderson at 940-864-2333.

Issuance Date: July 5, 2011. 29c

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing was held before the City of Haskell City Council on the 11th day of July, 2011 at City Hall, 301 S. 1st Street, Haskell, Texas 79521, to determine whether the following structures are in violation of the Haskell Structural Standards Code:

Case No. 4-2011. Loraine Johnson and Shane Whitt, owners, 206 S. Ave. C, aka Block 12, Lot 1, Original Town of Haskell, Haskell, TX.

Order: Structure is to be repaired, removed or demolished within 90 days; if demolished, then the lot must be cleared, any holes or cesspools filled and any wells capped.

Complete copies of the order may be obtained from the City Secretary at City Hall, 301 S. 1st Street, Haskell, Texas 79521.

John Gannaway, Mayor

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This Week's Devotional Message:



When your house of worship needs your help, offer it

Whenever a friend does you a favor, you should reciprocate it. Your house of worship is the best friend you'll ever have, and if you have been attending it regularly you must have done so because of all the blessings it has brought you. If you or any member of your family have been ill, had surgery or lost a loved one, you know that your clergyman and the entire congregation have been a tower of strength for you. Whenever you

come to a fork in the road where a difficult decision must be made, your clergyman is always ready to listen to your problem and give you the best advice that his experience can provide. In return for these benefits and many others, be prepared to serve your house of worship to the best of your ability, even if only by dialing a few phone numbers. You have received so much there; now it's your turn to help.

ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

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Jay Beerley, Senior pastor
Shawn Smith, Youth Worship pastor
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Frank Slayton, minister
Sun. 10:45 a.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
Rev. David White, 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., 10:45 a., 5 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.
607 S. 7th, Haskell
First United Methodist Church
Rev. Dustin Wilhite, 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., 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.m.
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
First Baptist Church
Rev. Jim McCurley
Jason Daniels, minister of Youth and Music
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:55 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p.m.
301 N. Ave. E, 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
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Mark Wallace, pastor
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Dan Bullock, pastor
Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.
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Rev. Robert Harrison
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Church of Christ
Steve Willis, minister
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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
Clovis 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
Rev. Dr. Keith Palmquist, pastor
Sun. 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
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Manuel Marin, pastor
Sun. 10 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m.
500 Elm Street, Rule
Sweet Home Baptist Church
Russell Stanley, interim pastor
Sunday 9 a.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.
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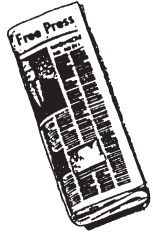
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