

Calendar

WHPD BBQ Cook-off
The WHPD BBQ Cook-Off, presented by the Haskell Chamber of Commerce and sponsored by Bailey Toliver Chevrolet, will be held June 2-3. The steak cook-off is Fri., June 2 and Bloody Marys, beans, chicken, ribs and brisket will be on Sat., June 3. A corn hole tournament will be held Friday and Saturday. For more information, call Tell Stevens at 214-500-4506.

Summer reading

The Haskell County Library, 300 N. Ave. E, will host a summer reading program titled "Build a Better World" June 6 through July 27. Storytime will be held on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. for ages three to first grade. The reading program will be held on Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. for ages second grade to fifth grade. For more information, call 940-864-2747.

FBC Haskell VBS

Vacation Bible School will be held at First Baptist Church, Haskell Mon., June 5 through Fri., June 9 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. for completed 4 year old Pre-K through fifth grade. For a ride call 940-864-2581 by Fri., June 2.

Canner dial testing

Pressure canner dial gauge testing will be conducted by Texas A&M AgriLife Ext. Service-Haskell Co. Bring your canner lid with dial gauge to the Ext. Office, 101 S. Ave. D, Haskell, by 5 p.m. Tues., June 13. Gauges will be tested and ready for pick up on Thurs., June 15.

Remembrance dinner

A remembrance dinner, honoring the black citizens of Haskell both past and present, will be held Sat., June 17 beginning at 1 p.m. and Sun., June 18 beginning at 11 a.m. at the Haskell Memorial Civic Center in Haskell. For more information, contact Minnie Itson 325-691-1727, Juanita Wheeler 925-439-9216 or Minister Regina Billington, 15oholyspirit@gmail.com.

Pool hours

The Haskell City Pool will be open Tues.-Sat. from noon to 6 p.m. Cost is \$4 for adults, \$2 for ages 4 years to 17 years; and 3 and under free. Pool parties are two hours long and the cost is \$75 paid at City Hall. Two lifeguards are required at each party at a cost of \$20 each. Parties are after pool hours only Mon. through Friday. For more information, call City Hall at 940-864-2333.

Homecoming

Haskell-Mattson-Rochester-Weinert 2017 homecoming date has been changed due to UIL changes in the schedule. Homecoming will be held Oct. 20-21. If you have questions, call 806-773-8715. Make your plans to attend.

Storm sirens

The City of Haskell will test the storm sirens Fridays between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., weather permitting.



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Welcome to Wild Horse Prairie Days

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Saddle up for Wild Horse Prairie Days Ranch Rodeo events to be held June 2-4

by Caron Yates

The 22nd edition of the Wild Horse Prairie Days Ranch Rodeo is on its way. The big event will take place Friday through Sunday, June 2-4 in Haskell.

Organizers have once again scheduled a full weekend of fun activities.

The WHPD Ranch Rodeo was one of the first ranch rodeos sanctioned by the Working Ranch Cowboys Association or WRCA. The WRCA is committed to preserving the heritage and lifestyle of the Working Ranch Cowboy.

Through the years changes have been made to the list of activities. Sammy and Casey Larned, who spearhead the event, are supported by an amazing group of workers, sponsors and competitors.

Kicking off the event was the John Wallace Memorial Double Mugging at the Haskell County Arena on Sunday, May 28.

Making its debut last year, the WHPD Project Fair will once again take place at the Civic Center. County Extension Agent Darlene Hopkins is once again heading up this event. All entries will be accepted on Thursday, June 1 from 4:30 to 6 p.m. or Friday, June 2 from 8 to 9:30 a.m. Judging will begin at 10 a.m. on Friday, and entries will be open for public viewing from noon on Friday through 5 p.m. on Saturday. For more information call (940) 256-3625. A list of categories is located elsewhere in this week's paper.

On Friday, June 2, the WRCA team roping will take place.



2016 WHPD RANCH RODEO WINNERS—The Sandhill Cattle ranch team was the first place winner of the 2016 Wild Horse Prairie Days Ranch Rodeo. Presenting the awards were, Carl Hopkins, left, Kaycee Hooper, second from left,

WRCA representative, and Sammy Larned, far right. Team members accepting the awards were, center, Randy Knight and Tripp Townsend. Other team members were Riley Smith, Tyler Rice and Trail Townsend.

On both Friday and Saturday, from 8 a.m. until 8 p.m., inside the Civic Center, there will be a Trade and Craft Show. As a special treat, live music will be performed by both local and outside artists during the day on Saturday. A chuck wagon meal will be served from 5-7 p.m. each night, inside the Haskell Civic Center.

The WHPD BBQ Cook-Off, presented by the Haskell Chamber of Commerce and sponsored by Bailey Toliver Chevrolet will have a welcome event and corn hole tournament beginning at 6 p.m. Friday, June 2. The steak cook-off gets underway at 7 p.m. New this year is a kid's steak cook-off (under 15 years old), sponsored by Modern Way/Ace in Haskell. Saturday's cook-off begins at 8 a.m. with categories to include

brisket, ribs, Bloody Marys, chicken and beans. The corn hole tournament continues at 10 a.m. For more information contact Tell Stevens at (214)500-4506.

The main event, the rodeo, will begin at 7 p.m. both nights, with twenty ranch teams competing for top honors. Ranches on the list for Friday will be Goldsmith, Treadwell/McPhail, Whitmire Land & Cattle Co., Rocker B, Smith Cattle Co., R.A. Brown Ranch, Driver Land & Cattle, WT Waggoner Estate Inc., Pitchfork Cattle Operations LLC and Diamond H/Plus C.

Saturday night competitors will be Thompson Ranch, Bonds Ranch, Burns Ranch, Circle Bar, Cook Canyon, Sandhill Cattle Co., Swenson Land & Cattle Co., Tongue River,

Stewart-S and Triangle Veale. The competition will be tough again this year, as many of these teams have previously advanced to the World Finals.

A ranch horse competition will be held at 9 a.m. on Saturday.

Saturday's activities will conclude with the awards ceremony held in the Civic Center. Everyone is encouraged to attend and congratulate these teams.

On Sunday, popular cowboy preacher Jeff Gore will conduct church services beginning at 10:30 a.m. at the God Loves You Ministries building, on the west side of the square. A barrel race competition will be held at 9 a.m.

For more information on any of the planned events or to find out how you can help, contact Sammy or Casey Larned

at 864-2749.

It is through the very generous donations of the sponsors that prizes can be awarded to the winning cowboys. In addition to many other prizes, sixteen saddles donated by local and area businesses are being awarded. These beautiful saddles are on display at First Bank Texas. Modern Way/Ace and The Kent Companies are donating a shirt to each cowboy participating and Twisted X Boots will give five pairs of boots. In addition, Sport About of Haskell is donating five pair of Red Wing working boots.

This is a big weekend for Haskell, and you won't want to miss any of it. So round up your family and friends and come be a part of the fun at the 22nd annual Wild Horse Prairie Days.

A Day in Downtown Rochester kicks off Saturday, June 3

"A Day in Downtown Rochester," hosted by Rochester Neighborhood Watch, will be all day Sat., June 3, in Rochester.

Activities include a city-wide garage sale, bake sale, ice cream freeze-off, chuck wagon, trade booths and vendors, music all day, dance, and concession stand. The Classic Collection

Warehouse, the Rochester Museum and The Yellow Rose Event Center will all hold open houses. A quilt show will be hosted by Rochester Museum, Inc.

For more information, or to inquire about being a vendor, call Lonnetta Farrar at 940-743-3446, or visit the Rochester, Texas or Rochester Museum Inc. pages on Facebook.



STORY TIME—Haskell Student Council members, Sarah Fouts, left, and Lane Burson, right, lead the weekly story time at the Haskell County Library recently. Enjoying the story, were, front row, l-r, Julianna Davis, Hadley Turner, A.J. Davis and Ben Davis. Hard to see on the back row is Brooke Turner.

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by Darlene Hopkins, CEA-FCS, Haskell Co.

Vegetables A to Z: Cucumber

Did you know?
 Cucumbers are available from May to October. Per cup, cucumbers provide 22% of your daily Vitamin K. Cucumbers have a water content greater than 95%.

Fun fact!

The inside of a cucumber measures 20 degrees cooler than the outside.

What am I looking for?

Look for firm cucumbers that are heavy relative to their size. Cucumbers should be well shaped and well developed but not too large in diameter. Wash cucumbers well before use. Avoid cucumbers that have a dull color or are turning yellow.

Cream Cheese 'n Herb

1 carrot, shredded (about ½ cup)
 ½ cup chive & onion cream cheese
 2 cucumbers, cut

lengthwise in half, seeded
 Reserve 2 tablespoons of carrots. Mix remaining carrots with cream cheese. Spoon into cucumber shells. Top with reserved carrots.

Cut each cucumber half into 2 pieces to serve.

Preparation time, 10 minutes. Cook time, 0

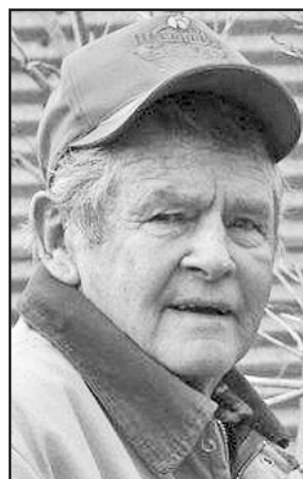
minutes. Serves 4.

Nutrition facts:
 Calories, 90; Total fat, 6 g; Cholesterol, 20 mg; Sodium, 180 mg; Total carbohydrate, 8 g; Protein, 3.

For a copy of this recipe or more information on healthy and nutritious recipes go to www.haskell.agrilife.com or like us on Facebook at Haskell County 4-H and Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service. Also, contact Darlene Hopkins—the Haskell County Extension Agent for Family and Consumer Sciences at 101 S. Ave D, Haskell, phone 940-864-2658.

Obituaries

Jerry Dean Hannsz



JERRY HANNSZ

Graveside services for Jerry Dean Hannsz, 76 of Haskell were held Fri., May 26 at Willow Cemetery in Haskell with Randy Hise officiating. Services were under the direction of Haskell Funeral Home, 2 Ave. D, Haskell.

Mr. Hannsz passed away Tues., May 23.

Born June 3, 1940 in Haskell, he was the son of the late Albert Roy Hannsz and Mary Doris Felker Hannsz. In 1958, he graduated from Rule High School. Jerry attended Lawton Junior College for two years and later graduated from Sul Ross State University with a

Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education and a minor in English. After graduating college, he moved back to the home place in Rule, where he was a lifelong farmer and rancher. In 1998, he married Carla Dahlquist in Haskell. Jerry was a member of Pinkerton Baptist Church and later attended East Side Baptist Church. He served on the Haskell CISD school board for many years, also serving as president, and the Haskell Co-op Gin Board. Jerry also enjoyed hunting and fishing.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Albert and Doris Hannsz; Joseph Sterling Hannsz, son of Jerry Hannsz and Maxine Hannsz Farmer; brother, Jimmy Hannsz; and father-in-law, Don Whitfield.

Survivors include his wife of 18 years, Carla Sue Hannsz of Haskell; children, Cary D. Hannsz and wife Vicki of Barstow, Texas, Casey W. Hannsz of Kent; Kerrie Larkin and husband Ricky of Crosby; Tony Dahlquist, Jr., and wife Kristie of Baytown; grandchildren, Justin D. Hannsz and wife Lindsay

of Stephenville, Sterling L. Hannsz of Lubbock, Aubrey, Blake, Cole Larkin, Kaylee and Kenner Dahlquist; great grandsons, J. Dean Hannsz of Stephenville, Brazos L. Hannsz of Stephenville; sister, Janet Earle of Haskell; mother-in-law, Coleta Whitfield of Haskell; family/co-worker Fidel Salinas and family of Haskell; numerous nieces, nephews and dear friends.

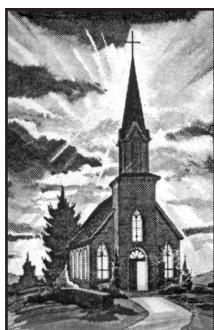
Pallbearers were Scott Williamson, Steve "Bullfrog" Livingston, Rob Kittley, Eddie Chambers, Jimmy Roberts, Jimmy D. Browning, Robert Browning and Joseph Browning.

Honorary pallbearers were Steve Hickman, Mike Wilcox, Rod Jeter, Max McMeans and David Frierson.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Haskell County Junior Livestock Association, P.O. Box 911, Haskell, TX 79521 or American Heart Association.

Condolences may be made at www.haskellfuneralhometx.com. PD. NOTICE

This Week's Devotional Message:



The word 'conservation' should become increasingly a part of our everyday vocabulary; not just as an expression but as a mandate to preserve our environment and ultimately, life itself. When God gave us this planet for our home, He did so as a sacred trust, expecting us to take care of it as conditions warrant. For example, in a normally dry area or during a periodic drought, it is only

common sense not to waste water. And with our landfill disposal sites growing into towering mountains, it behooves us to recycle containers or re-use them as best we can, to at least slow down the process. Learn at your house of worship that the earth is ours to inhabit and enjoy, but also to maintain; so let us assume, our share of the responsibility for it. It's the only home we'll ever have.

ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

—HASKELL—

East Side Baptist Church
 Terry Bunch, pastor
 Sun. 9:45 a., 11 a.; 6 p.; Wed. 7 p.
 600 N. 1st East, Haskell

Christian Church
 Sun. 10:45 a.m.
 107 N. Ave. F, Haskell

Church of God
 Bruce Ray, pastor
 Sun. 10:30 a.m. Thurs. 7:00 p.m.
 714 North First East, Haskell

Trinity Lutheran Church
 Rev. David White, pastor
 Sunday 9:30 a., Worship 10:30
 Hwy 380 East, Haskell

Iglesia Bautista El Calvario
 Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a, 5 p; Wed. 7 p
 607 S. 7th, Haskell

First United Methodist Church
 Rev. David Johnson, pastor
 Sun. 9:45 a., 10:50 a, 6 p. Wed. 6 p
 201 N. Ave. F, Haskell

First Assembly of God
 Rev. J.C. Amburn
 Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p
 1500 N. Ave. E, Haskell

St. George Catholic Church
 Father Angelo Consemينو
 Sat. Mass 7 p.m.; Sun. 9:00 a.m.
 901 N. 16th, Haskell

Church of Christ
 Philip Sims, minister
 Sun. 9:30 a., 10:30 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p
 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; Wed. 6:30 p
 114 S. Ave. D, Haskell

Hopewell Baptist Church
 Sun. 9:30 a., 11:00 a.; Wed. 7 p.
 908 N. Ave. A, Haskell

Greater Independent Baptist Church
 Ollie Johnson, pastor
 Sun. 9:30 a., 11:00 a., 6:30 p; Wed. 7 p
 301 N. 3rd St., Haskell
 940-863-4405

New Covenant Foursquare
 Bill and Renee Glass, pastors
 Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 6:30 p. Wed. 7 p.
 200 S. Ave. F, Haskell

First Baptist Church
 Ollie Pierson, pastor
 Juddson Smith, Family Life Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 a.m., 10:55 a.m., 6 p.m.;
 Wed. 6:30 p.m.
 301 N. Ave. E, Haskell

Cornerstone Fellowship Baptist Church
 Sun. 9:30 a., 10:45 a., 5 p., Wed. 6 p.
 1600 N. First St., Haskell

God Loves You Ministries
 Mark Wallace, pastor
 Church Service 10 a.m.
 West side of square, Haskell

—WEINERT—

First Baptist Church
 Dan Bullock, pastor
 Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 6 p., Wed. 7 p.
 Weinert

Weinert Foursquare Church
 Rev. Robert Harrison
 Sunday 11 a.m
 Weinert

—ROCHESTER—

Church of Christ
 Mitchell Greer, minister
 Sun. 10 a.m., 10:45 a.m.
 West on Main Street, Rochester

First Baptist Church
 Terry Moffett, Interim 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; Wed. 7 p
 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
 Cory Graham, pastor
 Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m.
 Sagerton

Faith Lutheran Church
 Anna Robbins, pastor
 Sun. 10:30 a.m.
 Sagerton

—RULE—

First Baptist Church
 Scott Hensley, pastor
 Sun. 9:45 a., 11 a., 5 p.; Wed. 7 p.
 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
 Paul Leonard, minister
 Sun. 9:45 a., 10:40 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p
 811 Union, Rule

Primera Iglesia Bautista
 Alfa y Omegas
 Manuel Marin, pastor
 Sun. 10 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.; Wed. 6 p.
 500 Elm Street, Rule

Sweet Home Baptist Church
 Russell Stanley, pastor
 Sunday 10 a.m.
 Gladstone Ave., Rule
 940-997-2296

West Bethal Baptist Church
 Rev. Clovis Dever
 Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 8 p.; Wed. 7:30 p.
 300 Sunny Ave., Rule

—PAINT CREEK—

Paint Creek Baptist Church
 Sun. 10:00 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.
 Paint Creek

—O'BRIEN—

O'Brien Baptist Church
 Jim Reid, pastor
 Sun. 9:45 a., 11 a, 5 p, 6 p, Wed. 6 p
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by Darlene Hopkins, CEA-FCS, Haskell Co.

Don't let the screens take over: 8 tips for families

Screens have become so embedded in daily life that it's hard to imagine turning them off for a whole week. Besides the fact that many, if not most, children use them for homework, they are also how we get work done, get questions answered, communicate, shop, and relax. For many families, they are also how they calm children down and keep them occupied. How do you go a day without all that—let alone a week?

According to the Campaign for a Commercial-Free Childhood (CCFC), 8 to 18-year-olds spend an average of seven hours a day on screen media. Some of that is homework, but clearly it's not all homework. Preschoolers spend two to four hours, toddlers two hours, and a third of babies under a year are spending more than an hour watching videos every day.

It's not all awful, of course. There is certainly high-quality educational content out there. However, children aren't always watching that high-quality educational content. And even if they were, when you are watching a screen you are generally sedentary, not interacting with others, and relying on the screen to entertain or guide you rather than entertaining or guiding yourself.

This has implications for the health and development of children. Excessive screen time is associated with a higher risk of obesity. It can lead to poorer problem-solving and social skills, and poorer grades. It's been linked to attention-deficit

hyperactivity disorder and other behavioral problems. Here are some suggestions:

1. Rearrange the living room so that the television isn't the center of attention. This is a tip from the CCFC that I really like. Sure, watching TV together is fun; my family really enjoys our family movie nights. But if all the furniture faces the TV, not only is the natural tendency to turn it on when you sit down, but the message is that it's what the living room is for—rather than talking to each other, playing a game, or doing anything else but watching TV.

2. Keep TVs out of bedrooms. They just don't need to be there. Once it's bedtime, laptops and phones should be out of there too; increasingly, screens are interfering with sleep, especially for teens.

3. Don't turn on the TV during meals—and put the cell phones aside. Talk to each other instead. Family dinners have all sorts of benefits for children, from increasing their vocabulary to improving their nutrition to building better bonds between children and parents to helping keep teens out of trouble. While you're at it...

4. Don't have automatic screen times. So many families have the habit of turning on screens in the morning, or after school, or during dinner prep. Now, it's not always terrible to do this; having a child watch one age-appropriate program while you do a few chores or just relax yourself can be helpful to many families. But be thoughtful about it. Does this really help? (I found

that when our mornings became screen-free, things worked more smoothly, as my children paid better attention.) Is there an alternative, like engaging the child in cooking, or having them get homework done? Make sure it's the best choice for the moment.

5. Make sure you've got supplies for creativity. Like paper, crayons, markers, and paints. Head to a craft store; bring your kids along and invest in some supplies for making things. Buy toys that encourage creativity and imagination, like building blocks, cars, or dollhouses. There should be lots to reach for when you are tempted to reach for a screen. Speaking of times when you are tempted to reach for a screen...

6. Pack books, small toys, playing cards, or paper and crayons whenever you head to anywhere you may get stuck waiting with your child. In my office, it seems like the only thing parents ever have on hand is their phones. There are so very many alternatives; help your child learn that.

7. Head outside. In general, children spend much more time indoors than they used to (we all do). Whether it's heading to the

park, going for a bike ride, walking around the block, or kicking a soccer ball in the back yard, make a concerted effort to make some outdoor time at least every week (every day is even better). It naturally disengages you from screens and literally engages your children with the world.

8. Make a family media plan. The American Academy of Pediatrics has some great interactive tools to help you take stock of and plan how and when your children and family use media.

Because, ultimately, that's the point: you should be in charge of media, not the other way around.

Source: Harvard Health Blog

Music Jubilee

The Haskell Country Music Jubilee will be held the second Monday of the month from 6:30 to 9 p.m. at the American Legion Hall in Haskell. Those interested in playing and listening are encouraged to come and enjoy the fun. A practice session will be held the Thursday before the Jubilee.

Deadlines

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

Haskell Co. Arrest Report

The following arrest was reported by the Haskell County Sheriff's Office during the week of May 22-28: Krista Zalisa Reed, assault. Thirty-three calls were made to 911.

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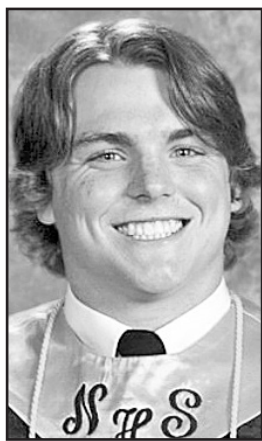
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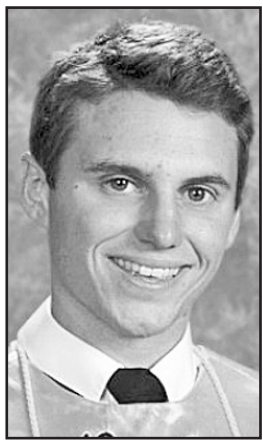
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ATPE, \$250; UIL Haskell High School, \$250; Hazel and Robert Reynolds Memorial (FBC), \$300; Rotary Club, \$500; Haskell County Farm Bureau, \$750; Haskell-Mattson-Weinert Exes, \$750; National FFA, Wilbur-Ellis Company, Agribusiness Division, \$1,000; Texas Tech University, College of Agriculture Dean's, \$1,200; Texas Tech University, Rodeo Austin, \$4,000 per year renewable for 4 years for a total of \$16,000; Texas Tech University, Presidential, \$5,000 per year renewable for 4 years for a total of \$20,000 plus a \$4,000 first year bonus for a total of \$24,000.



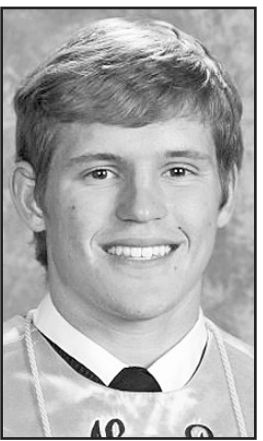
ASHLYN BEVEL
Joel Bevel Memorial, \$200; ATPE, \$250; Haskell Country Club Golf, \$250; George Mullino Memorial, \$250 Spring Semester; Short Farms, \$250 Spring Semester; UIL Haskell High School, \$250; Hazel and Robert Reynolds Memorial (FBC), \$300; Smith Family Funeral Homes, \$500; Young Homemakers, \$500; Haskell TSTA, \$600; Haskell County Farm Bureau, \$750; ACET, \$1,000; Jillian Hope Thomas Memorial, \$500 per semester renewable for 2 semesters for a total of \$1,000; Rolling Plains Texas Tech University Exes, \$1,000.



KYLIE ADAMS
Haskell Student Council, \$200; ATPE, \$250; UIL Haskell High School, \$250; Young Homemakers, \$250; Hazel and Robert Reynolds Memorial (FBC), \$300; Haskell CISD Educational Foundation—in memory of Abe Turner, Roberta High and Wallace Cox, \$500; James Bevel Memorial, \$500; Haskell County Farm Bureau, \$750; Haskell-Mattson-Weinert Exes, \$750; Jillian Hope Thomas Memorial, \$500 per semester renewable for 2 semesters for a total of \$1,000; Hibbs Trust, \$1,000 per year renewable up to 4 years for a total of \$4,000.



SAM FOUTS
Sagerton Community Center, \$200 Spring Semester; Sagerton Hobby Club, \$200 Spring Semester; First United Methodist Members, \$250; Haskell CISD Memorial, \$500; Haskell Soil & Water Conservation District Essay, \$500; Rolling Plains Texas Tech University Exes, \$1,000; San Antonio Livestock Exposition, Inc., \$10,000.



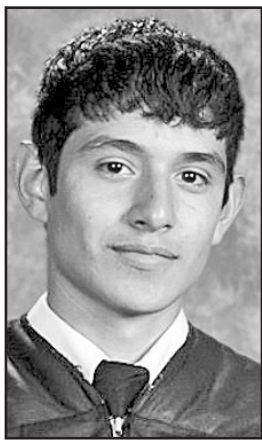
HAYDEN HUDSON
Haskell Soil & Water Conservation District Essay, \$500; Lawrence Hall's West Texas Ford and Ford Motor Company Built Ford Tough FFA, \$1,000; Minnie Piper Stevens, \$4,000 per year renewable up to 4 years for a total of \$16,000; Angelo State University, Carr, \$3,000 per year renewable up to 4 years for a total of \$12,000.



JACEE GUESS
Hazel and Robert Reynolds Memorial (FBC), \$300; Rotary Club, \$500; First Bank Texas, \$600; Haskell-Mattson-Weinert Exes, \$750; Dr. H.R. and Louise Crawford Endowed, \$1,000; Jillian Hope Thomas Memorial, \$500 per semester renewable for 2 semesters for a total of \$1,000; Young Homemakers, \$1,000.



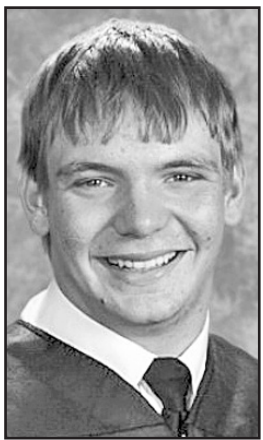
ALYE STEWART
Haskell Student Council, \$200; Dr. Joe Thigpen and son Joseph Thigpen Memorial, \$500; Haskell County Jr. Livestock Association (sponsored by The Drug Store), \$500; Haskell County Farm Bureau, \$750; Texas Tech University, CASNR, \$1,500; Texas Tech University Presidential, \$16,000.



ALEX ALVAREZ
ATPE, \$250.



LAURA BROWN
Haskell Heroes, \$500.



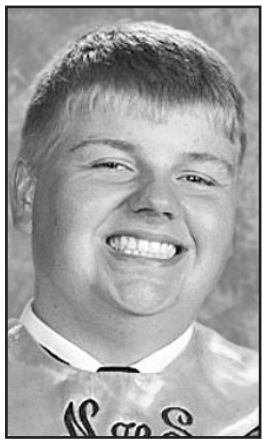
HAYDEN LEACH
McKenney Trust, \$678.78.



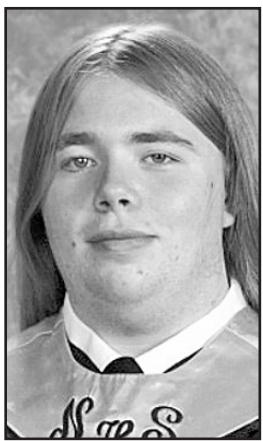
DAPHNI LEONARD
Coach David Middleton Outreach, \$250; Short Farms, \$250 Spring Semester; UIL Haskell High School, \$250; Haskell CISD Memorial, \$500; Rotary Club, \$500; Dr. H.R. and Louise Crawford Endowed, \$1,000.



KATIE NEWBERRY
UIL Haskell High School, \$250; Hazel and Robert Reynolds Memorial (FBC), \$300; Haskell CISD Educational Foundation—in memory of Mattie M. Felker English, \$500; Baylor University Dean's Gold, \$60,000.



CHASE GIBSON
First United Methodist Members, \$250; Big Country Athletic Hall of Fame, \$1,000; National FFA, The Salter Trust, \$2,500; Terry Foundation, \$120,000 est. (full ride).



COLTON WRIGHT
Wendell Gideon Band, \$250; Keep Haskell Beautiful, \$500; UIL Haskell High School, \$500; Hardin-Simmons University Big Country, \$44,000.



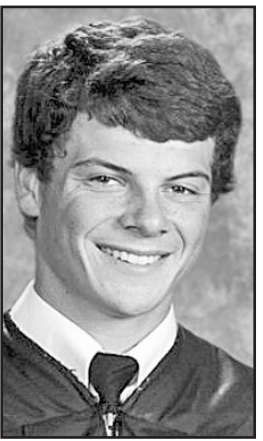
LAURA FUENTES
Clark Memorial, \$250 Spring Semester; Modern Way Food Store, Sam and Gayle Bitner, \$500; Banner Well Service, \$2,000.



MACEY COKER
Sandra Larned Wallace Memorial Class of 1962, \$300; Dr. Joe Thigpen and son Joseph Thigpen Memorial, \$500.



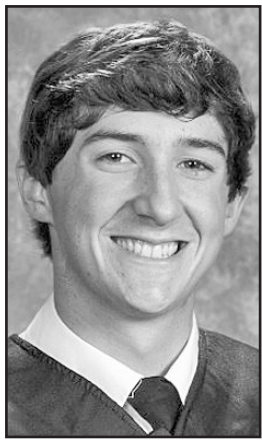
VICKY HERTEL
Trinity Lutheran Church, \$500; Haskell County Farm Bureau, \$750; Masonic Orient Lodge #905, \$1,000.



ALEX ROEWE
ATPE, \$250; Haskell Country Club Golf, \$250; First United Methodist Members, \$250; First Bank Texas, \$600.



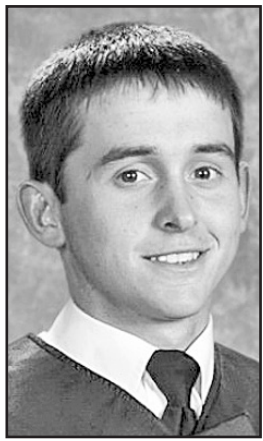
KRYSTA WINEGEART
Haskell CISD Memorial, \$250; Haskell CISD Educational Foundation—in honor of Doyle High, \$500.



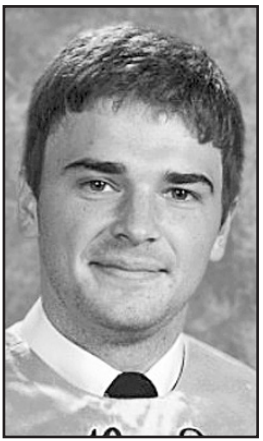
AUSTIN ALSBROOK
Modern Way Food Store, Sam and Gayle Bitner, \$500; Young Homemakers, \$750.



LUPE OLVERA
FCCLA, \$200; Haskell CISD Memorial, \$250; Haskell Progressive Study Club, \$700.



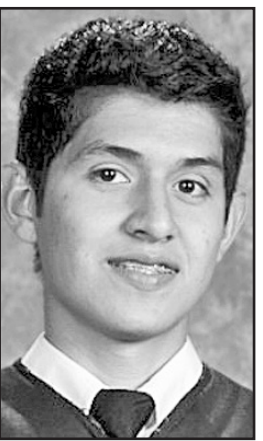
KELLEN PARKS
ATPE, \$250; Haskell Country Club Golf, \$250; First United Methodist Members, \$250.



PAYTON THOMAS
Texas Tech University Valedictorian, \$10,772; Terry Foundation, \$120,000 est. (full ride).



KASIE ISBELL
Haskell CISD Memorial, \$250; South Plains College Founders Opportunity, \$1,000.



ISAIAH ALVAREZ
ATPE, \$250; Rotary Club, \$500; Haskell CISD Memorial, \$400.



COLBIE MCKOY
Haskell CISD Memorial, \$250.



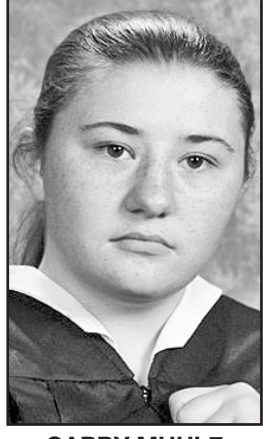
GABBY MENDOZA
Haskell CISD Memorial, \$400.



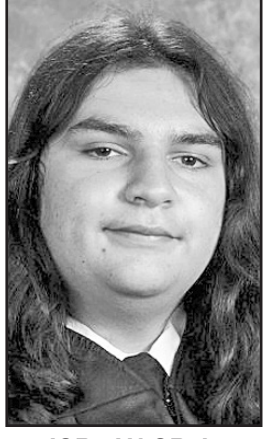
SHAYLEE RODRIGUEZ
Rotary Club VoTech, \$500.



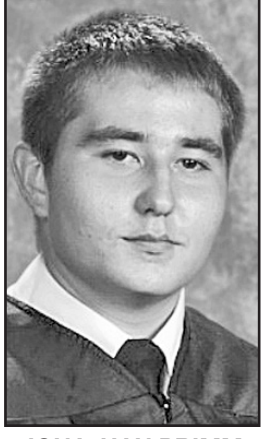
DEANN CONNER
Haskell Heros, \$500.



GABBY MUHLE
Haskell Heros, \$500.



JORDAN ORTIZ
Haskell Heroes, \$500.



JONATHAN PRIMM
VTC, \$200.



COURTNEY WHITT
VTC, \$200.

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From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

10 Years Ago
May 31, 2007

Lealonnie Alvarez, daughter of Bert and Julie Alvarez, was crowned Wild Horse Prairie Days Queen. She is a freshman at Haskell High School.

Rule High School teacher Kent DeVille was named Teacher of the Year by the Stamford Walmart. The award, given as part of Walmart's twelfth annual Teacher of the Year program comes in honor of National Teachers' Day.

Haskell fifth graders earned a trip to Abilene to see a movie, as a reward for scoring 100% passing on the Math TAKS test. They were accompanied by teachers Sherry Adams, Bonnie Fouts, Trish Johnson and Tammie Wallace.

20 Years Ago
May 29, 1997

Top graduates at the Haskell County high schools are Sarah Cothron and Lyle Fouts, Haskell High School; Amy Barbour and Cathy Prickett, Paint Creek High School; Charlie Parks and Jodi Andress, Rochester

High School; and Stephanie Stegemoeller and Michael Murray, Rule High School.

Students presented awards during the Haskell High School Awards Program for having the highest averages, were Philip Huff and Marcie McSmith, eleventh grade; Bree Burgess and Cy McGuire, tenth grade; Kevin Patton and Mitchell Cox, ninth grade.

Local 4-H members winning at the District 3 4-H Fashion Show were Amanda Crawford, first in formal construction; Jennifer Smith, first in intermediate construction; J.J. Comedy, first in junior dressy construction; and Lindsay Reel, third in junior casual.

30 Years Ago
May 28, 1987

The Double Mountain District Future Farmers of America presented Jim Hudson with the honorary Lone Star Farmer degree. Hudson is the Haskell County Soil and Water District conservationist and is very active with the youth of the county.

Two Haskell natives have graduated from the Department of Public Safety Training Academy, and have been commissioned as officers. Chris Love has been assigned to Austin and Robert Rodriguez will work in Brownfield.

40 Years Ago
June 2, 1977

Two HHS band students were recognized at the annual Spring Concert. Junior Connie Frierson received the Arion Award, presented to an outstanding junior bandsman. Mona Bledsoe received the Distinguished Musicians Certificate sponsored by the United States Marines Youth Foundation and the National Band Association.

Linda Jean Caddell received a Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education degree from Angelo State University. Karen Pippin received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from the University of Texas at Austin.

Haskell winners in the All-Around at the Stamford Sheriff's

Posse Playnight were Leiza Morales, second 8 and under; Tina Morris, second and Shawn Chambers, third, 9-12 year division; and Debra Morris, first, James Hopkins, second and Carl Hopkins, third in the 13 and over division.

50 Years Ago
June 1, 1967

Captain Charles Hugh Smith of the U.S. Air Force, along with his family, are in the states visiting relatives and friends. They have been stationed for the past three years in England. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Smith of Mattson.

W.E. George announces the grand opening of the Mobile Station on the Rule highway. The station was formerly operated by Victor Lowery.

90 Years Ago
June 2, 1927

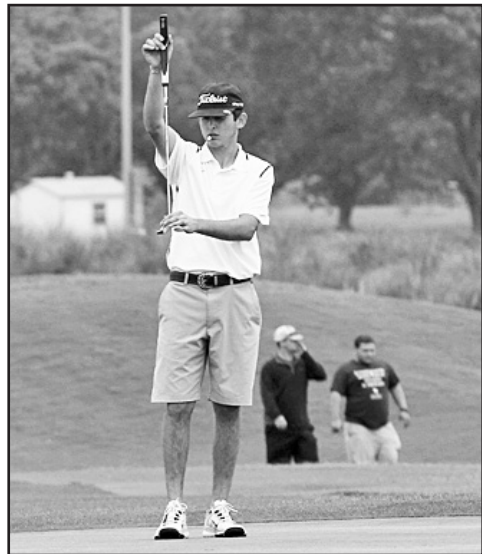
John L. McCollum is at home for vacation days from A&M College, Bryan.

Mrs. G.H. Morrison announced that those of her music pupils who did not appear in the program at the high school, will be presented in a recital at the library next Wednesday afternoon.

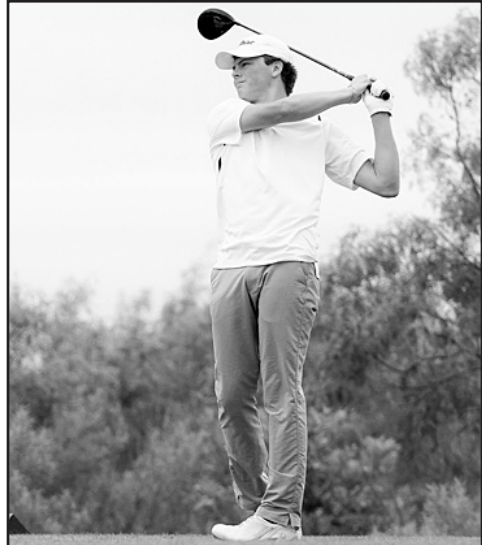
Kenneth Oates and John W. Pace, Jr. are at home in Haskell from the medical school in Dallas.



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STATE GOLF TOURNAMENT—Haskell Indian Kellen Parks, left, lines up his putt during his third appearance at the state golf tournament. Indian Reed Roewe, right, looks at the green to line up his putt.



STATE GOLF TOURNAMENT—Haskell Indian Alec Roewe, left, drives the ball during his third appearance at the state golf tournament. Taking a look at a chip shot to the green is Indian Taylor Sossaman, right.

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CHUCK WAGON MEAL NITELY 5 PM - 7 PM
JOHN WALLACE MEMORIAL DOUBLE MUGGING MAY 28, 2017 2 PM

CIVIC CENTER CRAFT SHOW DAILY 8 am - 8 pm
PROJECT FAIR DAILY 12 NOON - 8 PM

JUNE 2, 2017
TEAM ROPING 9 AM
BBQ COOK OFF 7 PM

JUNE 3, 2017
BBQ COOK OFF 8 AM - 5 PM
RANCH HORSE COMPETITION 9 AM
RANCH HORSE COMPETITION FINALS 10:30 PM
AWARDS AT THE CIVIC CENTER

JUNE 4, 2017
BARREL RACING 9 AM
JEFF GORE, COWBOY PREACHER 10:30 AM
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