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# County approves grant for patrol equipment

#### **Sheila Hernandez** Winters Enterprise

ALLINGER, Texas.- The regular meeting of the commissioners court was held Tuesday, July 20, 2010. Once the meeting was called to order the minutes from the meeting held on July 13, 2010 were read by County Clerk, Elesa Ocker. The minutes were unanimously approved by the court.

request for approval of payment of all current accounts and ratifying payments of any

accounts that have been preapproved between court dates by members duly appointed by the Commissioners Court. The approval came with an unanimous vote. The Tax Collector monthly report was next on the agenda and was also approved with an unanimous vote.

The Commissioners next issue on the agenda was the consideration of accepting the grant from Kickapoo Springs Foundation for the First on the agenda was the equipment for the Sheriff's Office new patrol vehicle. The grant is for the amount of \$4,314.95 and require

the Sheriff's Office to match the funds of \$2,500.00. The matching funds are still in the budget. The Commissioners all voted to approve the acceptance of the grant.

Commissioner James T. Self had put in a request to trade in a 1994 Ford Pickup on a new pickup and the request was approved. The next items that was approved was the County Treasurer's Quarterly Investment report as well as the Line Item/Budget amendments to the 2009-2010 Fiscal year budget.



RUNNELS COUNTY Commissioners Court held a regular meeting last Tuesday.



### FIFA Convention and State Finalist

The 82nd Annual Texas FFA Convention was held this past week in the beautiful city of Corpus Christi at the American Bank Center. Winters FFA was proudly represented by six local members; Hannah Franklin, Jack Pritchard, Michelle Kruse, Bryce Mikeska, Jordan Busher, and Shelby Gehrels. Over 11,000 FFA members in their blue corduroy jackets from all across Texas were in attendance at this monumental event. The week was filled with concerts, speaking competitions, talent shows, world renowned guess speakers, state officer elections, and a convention dance. It was a great week for students to participate in leadership development, community relations, and social outreach. While at the state convention, Hannah Franklin competed as a state finalist in the FFA Soil Stewardship Public Speaking Event. Hannah has previously won the speaking event on the district and area levels, before advancing to the state level competition. The event has contestants give a public presentation of a six to eight minute speech and answer questions related to the conservation of our natural resources. The event is sponsored by the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board. Congratulations Hannah! (By Joel Bush)

# **Runnels** County Farm Bureau membership drive

#### **Winters Enterprise** Staff Report

WINTERS, Texas.- The Runnels County Farm Bureau will be having a membership drive the week of July 26-31. Any one who is not a member of the Runnels County Farm Bureau can take advantage of this opportunity and become a member of the largest agriculture organization in the United States of America. Becoming a member indicates that you are concerned about the production of the safest, most inexpensive, and for members to be apart of. produced in the world. Production agricultural is also in the early stages of research and development of cleaner and more efficient energy sources in order to reduce the dependence on fossil fuels. As a member of the county farm bureau your dues also make you a member of the Texas Farm Bureau which is over 400,000 member families strong in 207 Texas counties. The Texas Farm Bureau is affiliated Bureau Federation, which has over 6 million member families in all 50 states. Texas Farm Bureau's purpose is to be the Voice of Texas Agriculture. The vision of Texas Farm Bureau is to benefit all Texans through promotion of a prosperous agricultural industry, protecting private property rights, preserving the land and environment, and enhancing food safety and supply. The membership work together from the county level to the state and national level to accomplish these goals. Policies are proposed at the county and are use by the legislative staff

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of Texas Farm Bureau in Austin and Washington D. C.

The Farm Bureau is working on numerous items through the legislative process. Some of the high priority issues are: obtain high net income for farmers and ranchers, ensure the right to own and control private property, develop, expand and protect foreign markets, reduce ad valorem tax burden, protect water rights, and reduce burdensome regulations on agriculture.

There are many programs best quality food and fiber There is a Young Farmer and Rancher Program to develop young leadership, AgLead to educate young leaders, FarmLead to educate existing leaders, youth leadership programs and scholarships, rural fireman training programs, 23 commodity divisions to help producers make policies and educate them. Being a member entitles you to many organizational benefits and services. Some of these are as follows: Vehicle discount, Rental car with the American Farm discounts, Hotel room discounts, Banking services, Prescription drug discounts, all types of Insurance services. If you are not a member of the Farm Bureau, the Runnels County Farm Bureau invite you to the Ballinger City Park on July 26, 2010 at 11:30 a.m. for a hamburger lunch prepared by the County Board of Directors and office staff. Come join us and learn more about becoming a member. For more information call the County office at 325-365-2562. If you would like more information on Texas Farm Bureau go to www.txfb.org.



## hristian Day Care currently enrolling

**Amanda** Collom For The Winters Enterprise

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Winters Area Chamber of Commerce wants to remind everyone in our community that we now have a non-profit Christian Day Care available. The daycare does accept CCPO if you qualify.

Got News?

Visit Linda at the Lonestar Video,

Send by mail to P.O. Box 34,

Email to: news@wintersenterprise.com,

or call: 325-754-4958

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from CCPO contact 325-795-4283 for questions or any other information. Texas.-

The daycare has a Christian based curriculum at a reasonable rate of \$95 per week. They provide two nutritional snacks and educational activities. The Winters CDC is currently enrolling students from six

In order to get assistance weeks to 5 years old and is 4871 or go by and see for open from 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday-Friday.

> They also provide drop in service so you can get your chores done or treat yourself while your children are cared for. After school care is only \$10 a day for Pre K - 6th grade. For more information please call Cheryl at 754-

> > The

yourself. The daycare is located right behind the Church of Christ, off of N Main Street.

Winters CDC is currently selling Little Caesar's Pizza to raise money. You can order your pizza at the daycare or at the Winters Area Chamber of Commerce at 100 West Dale.

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#### **Estela Vara** 1975-2010

Estella Vara, 35 of Winters, was born on May 28, 1975 to Juan M. Vara and Cecilia V. Vara. A devoted mother, daughter, sister and friend went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, July 18, 2010 after a courageous fight with cancer.



She is preceded in death by her father Juan M. Vara and one brother Ralph Vara.

Estella is survived by the loves of her life. Her daughters: Garcia, Domingue Nichole Adrianna Nichole Garcia, Maribel Padilla and her son Otilio Padilla. Her mother Cecilia V. Vara of

Wingate, three brothers: Cruz Vasquez of Abilene, Tony (Cathy) Vasquez of Winters, and Joe Vara of Wingate. Two Sisters: Lupe V. Sanchez (Caesar) of Santa Anna, and Delores (David) Sanchez of Winters. And her caregiver Maria Trevino and her four daughters: Linda Lee Trevino, Crystal Marie Trevino, Bianca Nichole Trevino and Brianna Nichole Luera all of Winters.

Her nieces and nephews: Samantha M. Sanchez of San Angelo, Kendra Michelle Sanchez and Cesar G. Padilla, Jr. of Santa Anna, Sonya and Daniel Vasquez of Wingate and David Jr. and Damaris Sanchez of Winters. As well as many other friends and family.

A memorial service will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 22, 2010 at the First Baptist Church of Winters with Pastor Danny Martinez officiating.

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## **Library Corner**

#### News and events at the Winters Public Library

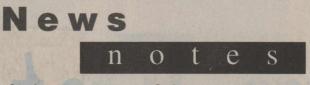
#### The Winters Public Library received donations from:

Gary and Dinell Jacob	Memorial for Mary Jean Patrick
Dawson and Pat McGuffin	Memorial for Ozzie Reed
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Scotty and Peggy Belew	Memorial for Cliff and Joe Poe
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Betty Colburn	Memorial for Jo Poe
Gary and Dinell Jacob	Memorial for Kat Hope

#### New adult books:

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Sizzling Sixteen	Janet Evanovich
Family Ties	Danielle Steel
61 Hours	Lee Child
Dangerous	Diana Palmer
Innocent	Scott Turow
Whiplash	Catherine Coulter
Return to Sender	Fern Michaels
Storm Prey	John Sandford
Hannah's List	Debbie Macomber
In The Name Of Honor	<b>Richard North Patterson</b>
The Girls Who Played With Fire	Stieg Larsson
The Girl Who Kicked The Hornet's I	Nest Stieg Larsson



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#### Bradshaw community reunion

The Bradshaw ex-students will meet at the Methodist Church in Bradshaw on July 25, 2010 with a pot-luck meal at noon. The meeting is held in conjunction with Bradshaw Cemetery Association. All residents of the Bradshaw community are welcome as well as former students, their children and grandchildren. For more information call 325-673-2853 or 325-723-2853.

#### Car show in Bronte

Come out and enjoy a day of fun in downtown Bronte on August 21. Car show and arts and crafts booths will be open at 10 a.m. and end at 2 p.m. Registration for the car show starts at 8 a.m. in the bank parking lot

Bronte Volunteer Fire Department will be serving lunch around 11:30 under the trees at the Depot. And for the grand finale, the Bronte Chamber of Commerce will have a special showing in the Texas Theater at 2:15 p.m. For more information contact: www.brontetexas.org or City Hall (325) 473-3501.

#### A/C funding available

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc. serving Brown, Callahan, Comanche, Eastland, McCulloch and Runnels counties has funding available to purchase portable cooling units for clients that are in situations that are life threatening particularly to the elderly, disabled, or children age five and younger

A doctor's statement is required stating that a health condition of household occupants require climate control. If you or someone you know fits this descriptions and does not have any cooling in home already, please contact Community Services Offices by calling 800-625-4167 ext. 239 for further details

#### Class of '58 annual reunion

The Class of 1958 will have their 52nd class reunion on Friday and Saturday, July 23 and 24, 2010, at the Winters Community Center beginning at 10 a.m. both days. For more information, call Kay Busher at 754-5315 or Dianne Davis at 723-2098. Friends of the class are invited to attend.

#### Playday at Winters rescheduled

Due to so many riders having conflicts with the regularly scheduled Playday date, we have decided to reschedule the July Playday to Saturday, July 24th. Hopefully this change will allow more riders to participate. The time has not changed, we will sign up at 4:00 and ride at 5:00.

Questions or comments can be sent to Steve Pritchard, President of WRA at steveandpenny21@verizon.net.

#### **First United Methodist Church**

Since July 4, 2010 regular Sunday morning Worship Service will be at 10:45 a.m. and Sunday School will precede at 9:30 a.m. We have Sunday School for both the children and adults in our community. Everyone is welcome to attend Sunday School or worship service

We have a new Pastor ministering to FUMC. He is Pastor Jayme Palady. Jayme, his wife Laura and their five children have made our pasonage their home. They moved here from Gatesville Texas. If you have the opportunity, please show the Palady family a warm Winters welcome

#### **Runnels County historical book**

The Runnels County Historical Commission released the book "Runnels County, A Look Back". The publication has created a lot of interest, with the first printing being sold and has now gone to reprint.

Book price is \$20.00 plus postage if mailed. To place your orders, please call any of the following persons: In Norton, Anthony Lange at 786-2140; in Ballinger, Linda Duggan at 365-3145, or Diana Rozmen at 365-2784; in Rowena, Beverly Teplicek at 442-4841, in Winters, Ruth Cooper at 754-5183.

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#### ANIMAL CONTROL - PART I

ach year several cases of rabies develop in Texas. Rabies seems to thrive where there is an abundance of wildlife and unvaccinated domestic animals. However, it is possible to control the disease and the more we understand about the issue, the easier it is to overcome.

In the next few articles, I will be share information about rabies in an effort to educate our public and hopefully prevent an incident of rabies infection in the Winters area.

#### Historical fact and fiction

Rabies, sometimes called "hydrophobia", was identified centuries before the birth of Christ. Documents written during the lifetime of Aristotle recorded cases of rabies with amazing clinical accuracy. The name hydrophobia, meaning "fear of water," was given to rabies at that time because the ancient Greeks observed rabid animals' "aversion" to water. Actually, the reason animals with rabies do not drink water is because of throat paralysis. It was this fact that produced the classic picture of a beast "foaming at the mouth". Saliva accumulates in the paralyzed throat and drools from the corners of the mouth, giving the impression of "mad-dog foam". Ancient people were terrified at the sight of these animals and thought they were "demon-possessed".

Through the years, superstition built and remains today to a smaller degree. Even in modern times, many people believe that the bite of a small spotted skunk invariably leads to rabies. Actually, while all skunks are susceptible to rabies, laboratory studies have shown not all spotted skunks are rabid.

#### What is rabies?

Rabies is a virus that affects the central nervous system. The virus can be transmitted by the bite of a rabid animal, through the saliva of a rabid animal to a fresh scratch, and rarely by other contact. If you think you have been in contact with an animal that could be rabid, you should immediately see your doctor.

#### Where is rabies found?

Your Source

Rabies has occurred in almost every part of the world. An interesting exception is Australia, where there has never been a confirmed case diagnosed. Some countries that were once affected by rabies have successfully eliminated it by stringent control and enforcement measures. Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Hawaii, and the British isles have been free of the disease for many years. Prior to World War I, rabies was eliminated from England, but it was reintroduced and had to be re-eradicated. Currently, rabies is most prevalent in Russia, Belgium, France, the United States, Africa, Mexico and the lower Americas

The Winters Police Department is committed to doing everything we can to inform the public on ongoing health and safety issues. We want to remind the public the City of Winters Code of Ordinances require all domestic animals within the city to be vaccinated and registered. Your local veterinarian can vaccinate your family pets, and animals can be registered at city hall.

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#### **AA Meetings**

AA meeting are held at 204 W. Truitt behind church on Main St. Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p.m.

#### **Ministerial Alliance**

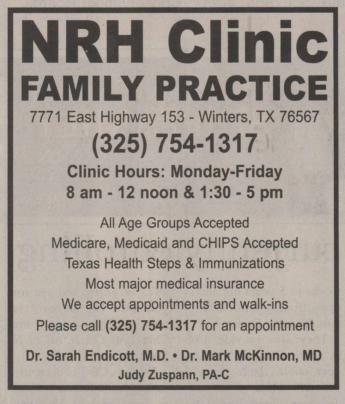
Winters Ministerial Alliance meets the first Monday of every month at 9 a.m. at Samaritans House on the corner of E. Dale and Grant.

#### **Chamber of Commerce**

Chamber of Commerce meets at 5:30 p.m. first Monday of the month at 100 West Dale Street.

For more information, you can also access the Zoonosis Control website at www.texaszoonosis.org and select "rabies" - "rabies topics". The Zoonosis Control website can provide statistical information on rabid animals by county that may be of interest to Winters residents.

> Semper Fi, Chief Johnson



**Chatting with Paw Paw** 

By John DeMoss Jr.

Burt Mustin was a ninety plus actor who was a popular guest on the old "Tonight Show." As he was being interviewed one night, Mr. Mustin began telling a fishing story. Mr. Mustin told of the man with oles in the ice, he would begin attempting to catch some fish. No luck. So, the man type of the some fish. No luck. So, the man kept cutting holes in the ice in different places on the lake, hoping to catch some fish. As he was laboring around the ice, he would drop his hook into the water. After several hours of frustration, the avid fisherman walked over to the older man. When he got to the highly successful fisherman, he

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The older man looked up and mumbled

Burt Mustin was a ninety plus actor who was a



up and spit, saying, "Keep the worms warm!" Needless to say, bedlam broke out on the "Tonight Show" set. Johnny Carson was so sur-prised by the punch-line that began laughing so hard that it looked as if he was going to fall off of his chair. his chair. As we all walk through this life, we will encounter obstacles. How do we get through all of the obstacles? Do as Burt Mustin toid Johnny Carson, "Keep the worms warm." The Lord Jesus Christ, the precious only begot-ten Son of God, has come to this world in order to give us the ability to overcome the obstacles that seem to overwhelm many of us.

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that seem to overwheim many of us. God's Word promises all of us that we "can do all things through Christ, who strengthens us." Phil. 4:13. Also, the Apostle John wrote that the victory that overcomes the world is our FAITH! Remember, Romans 8:37 says, "Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him that loved us." Lot's loved us." Let's keep the "worms" warm

omething to the younger man. The younger nan looked at the older gentleman and told him hat he couldn't understand what he had said. At about that time, the older fisherman looked **Rev. Bob DeMoss** Winters Assembly of God Church 304 Wood Street • Winters Texas 940-923-1377 Services 10:45am Sundays



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FOLLOWING A TRADITION started in 1923, the Davis and Nichols families held their 87th annual reunion. (Photo: Contributed)

# **Davis-Nichols** family reunion

Winters Enterprise Staff Report

INTERS, Texas.-It started way back when three Davis brothers married three Nichols sisters. The results of these unions met for the 87th time Sunday, July 18, 2010 at the Winters Housing Authority. One can only imagine the resulting "double cousins" and the mixup of descendants that followed. Understandably, it is increasingly difficult for even the ones closest to the families to keep up with "who is who."

The trails of both families started at different times and from different states. W. T. Nichols moved his family from Selma, Alabama to Milam County. W. S. Davis moved his family to Milam County from Mississippi. The two families were close neighbors and close friends. It was not so far fetched what happened then. Three Davis brothers married three Nichols sisters.

Both families then moved to Runnels County in 1900.

W. T. Nichols had a deep appreciation and love for his family as did W. S. Davis. However, it was W. T. Nichols that is credited by the family for starting the annual reunion during 1923. For 87 years it has been held on the third Sunday in July.

Twenty three attended this 87th reunion. From left to right in the picture is Hunter Jay Davis, Curtis Michalewicz, Slade Ross Davis, Sally Sue Davis, Elton (Tuffy) Smith, Jim Davis, Marlene Smith, Foy Nic Davis. Jr., Martha Michalewicz, Nolo Gene Davis, Maurine Davis, Arnold Bryan Davis, Jill Davis, Doxie Lou Marks, Gena Denise Means, Dan Pate, Lauren Pate, Stacey Pate and Ala Joy Davis. In front is Blaine Davis and the youngest Davis of all-Keigan. Davis Michalewicz came later. Don Davis took the picture.

Little blond headed blue eyed Keigan mesmerized everybody there and a good time was had by all.

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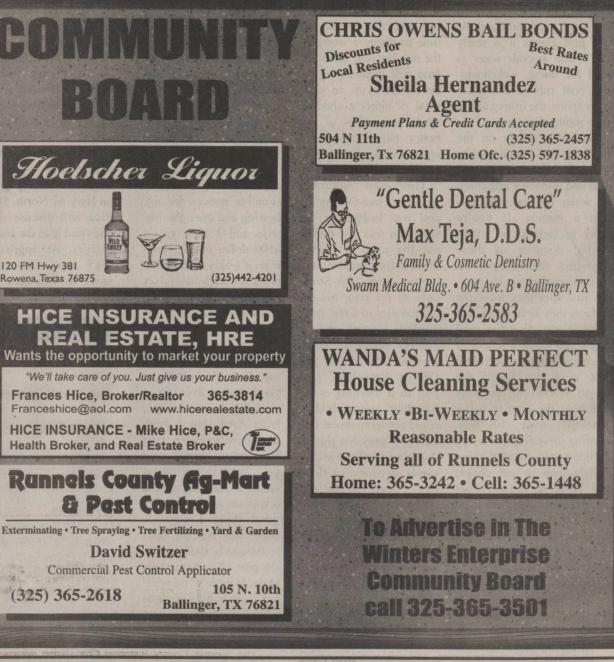


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# **Last-minute reminder**

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noticed, it's summertime and it is hot. While the mornings are bearable, just after noon it begins to get hot, and if the wind guits and the lake gets glassy, it is really hot. While smooth water is good for skiing, wakeboarding, boat riding, and other water sports, the fishing seems to go south--way south.

The only things on the move are the schooling white bass which surface chasing shad and minnows and churn the water for generally less than a minute. If you're lucky enough to be within casting distance of these schooling fish, they'll hit anything that gets in the meylay. Just after they leave the surface, they head down and move in any direction until they again locate a school of lunch and surface again. This past week we found the largest schools in the main lake near the dam in water generally over 70 feet. Chasing these fish and trying to figure them out will cause a fisherman to eat cheese bait. While we did get about 50 whites, nearly all of them came off deep shelves near the super deep water. So we get on a 30-50 foot drop and just wait until they find us.

The bass, which now have an over abundance of cover due to the weed growth on all banks, can still be caught along the outside edges and over the top on surface lures. but greasy. Debbie had

case you haven't It does seem that as the sun gets up the fish tend to move closer to the weeds and take a nap. However, if one sees whites surfacing near the weeds, it's time to throw a worm in the mix because the black bass will generally come out to pick up an easy meal of either a shad or white bass. Most of our better bass, those over eight pounds, have come

> from this scenario. This past Saturday morning I had the day off and was headed to the store and was also taking out the trash. I parked close to the dumpster and looked down 13th Street only to see two, not-soold females in a fast walk headed toward me. I quickly identified them as Dot Hoelscher and Debbie Earnshaw, getting in a morning walk. As they approached, I could see a big sweat line on Dot's gray tee shirt. I thought I'd offer water or a ride to shade to these two sweaty exercisers. Upon their approach I greeted them in my usual cheerful way, only to be washed down by Dot and her water bottle. I grabbed her by the arm, and she slipped away. It appeared she had been swimming in the oil spill and was not only sweaty

> > See you on the lake.

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to it either.

on white, but I suspect

she also needed a shower because of the high heat and humidity. But

on this encounter I was the only one who got a

bath. Being somewhat of a gentleman, I offered to

get cold water, Gatorade,

paramedics, or a haz-

ardous wash down.

After a brief, spirited

but fun conversation,

they continued their

walk with my thanks for

the bath. It goes to show

that you never know

what you might find

Also this past week I

was notified by mail that

I'd been pre-selected for

several memberships and

also received several

stimulus notices for my

hearing and eyesight. My

wife and I both got a

\$500 dollar check; how-

ever, it's only redeemable

at the sender's office. Not

being the brightest candle

on the cake, I can still fig-

ure out that these guys are

trying to sell me some-

thing and trying to make

me think I'm getting a

good deal. I even got a

roadside assistance deal

from AAA, but I think

they have to come from

Houston to change your

tire. You do get assis-

tance; it just might be a

few hours away. The only

good thing I can see

about this type of sales

technique is that it gives

the post office something

to do. Is there a "no mail"

list? Probably no one

would pay any attention

near a dumpster.

# Forage tour set for Runnels Co

Ballinger Miles Norton Rowena Wingate Winters

Winters Enterprise Thursday July 22 2010

#### Marty Gibbs, Agrilife **Extension** Agent

For The Winters Enterprise

ALLINGER, Texas.-The Runnels County Ag and Natural Resources Committee will host at Forage Tour at the Glen Halfmann Farm in Miles on Friday, August 6th beginning at 8:00 a.m. near Miles.

The program will begin with a tour of the Forage Sorghum Variety Test Plot on Hwy 67 North. Dr Ricky Rice will discuss the varieties and lead the tour of the forages. At approximately 9:45 a.m., the tour will move to Wetherby Hall in Miles where several guest

### Agenda

**Runnels County Forage Tour** 

8:00 a.m. Meet at Glen Halfmann Farm, Hwy 67 north out of Miles

#### 8:15 a.m.

Sorghum Variety Test Plot Ricky Rice

#### 9:45 a.m.

Meet at Wetherby Hall in Miles Chemical Brush Control for Mesquite and Prickly Pear Dr Alan McGinty Laws and Regulations for **Pesticide** Applications Jan Hatler

11:00 a.m. Complimentary Noon Meal provided by B&H Services

speakers will talk including: Dr Alan McGinty, AgriLife Extension Range Specialist, "Chemical Brush Control options for Mesquite and Pricklypear", and Jan Hatler, Texas Department of Agriculture, "Laws and Regulations for Pesticide Applicators".

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A complimentary noon meal will be served beginning at approximately 11:00 am. Three hours of continuing education credits will be given to pesticide applicators in attendance. For more information or to register for the meal, call the Runnels County Extension Office at (325)365-2219.

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Oncor Electric vs Pat Gully & Carolyn Gully	Injunctive Relief	July 13
Oncor Electric vs Janice Bundas	Injunctive Relief	July 13
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Mario Albert Esquivel	Assault	July 15
Patricia G. Campbell	Theft by check	July 15
Harrold M. Sheppard	Theft by check	July 14
Maurilio Nava	Theft by check	July 12
Kristen L. Weber	Theft by check	July 12
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BIDDER esta accept bids for MEAT, FOOD **ITEMS** and por NON-FOOD PRODUCTS reу Yejecutada en Superintendent el <u>14</u> dia de <u>Ju-</u> JUDY MCNEIL Service Independent District P.O. Box 308 Tenth Street Miles, Texas 76861 mark Α. SERVICE de PRODUCTS, OPEN 9:00 en A.M. AUG. 9, 2010 BID NO. 08-16-10-5-30-11 All bids must be RUNNELS COUNTY submitted on the "Bid Sheet" CLASSIFIEDS provided by the district. Bids not submitted on



## **Honor graduated** from Texas Tech

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On May 22, 2010, Kindy Walker graduated Summa Cum Laude from the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center with a Bachelor of Science in Clinical Laboratory Sciences. Her four years of hard work and dedication paid off as she was given the academic excellence award in the fields of Chemistry, Bacteriology, Parasitological/Mycology, Immunohematologyand Hematology. She was also named the Outstanding Clinical Laboratory Scientist for the graduating class of 2010.

She has currently secured a job inthe Hematology department of Hendricks Regional Laboratories. She is also in the process of applying for Medical School and hopes to be a member of the entering class in the fall of 2011.



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## Winters Athletic Report **Football season** already 'in the air'

**Stephen Hermesmeyer** For The Winters Enterprise

WINTERS, Texas.- Are you ready for some football? The first day of high school football practice will be at 7:30 a.m. on August 2, 2010 at the track field. Make sure that all student athletes entering the 9th, 11th grades have an updated physical. All incoming 7th, 9th, 11th grade boys and girls are required by UIL rule to receive a new physical in each of those years. The JH boys will begin afterschool practice on the first day of school (August 23, 2010). Cross country practice will also begin on August 2 in the evening. Contact Coach Whittenburg for times and location.

### **Football activity**

August 2	
7:30 a.m. August 6	First day of high school football and cross country
August 14	First day of full pads and contact
10:00 a.m. August 19	First scrimmage against Roby (here)
6:00 p.m. August 23	Second scrimmage at Junction
August 26	Day of school and JH football practice begins.
	Football season begins with JV against Coleman a

Got a news tip? Call The Winters Enterprise at 325-754-4978



#### **RUNNELS COUNTY GALA** August 7, 2010 • 6:00 p.m. to Midnight St. Joseph's Hall, Rowena, Texas \$2000 Tickets Grand Prize "Desperate Measures" Per couple Drawing **LIVE BAND • STEAK DINNER** All proceeds benefit the youth of Runnels County

## A new neighbor in Runnels County

**Ruben Cantu-Rodriguez** Winters Enterprise

ALLINGER, Texas.-Brought to Ballinger by business opportunity, and with a wide knowledge of the regional needs, a new insurance company held a grand opening ceremony last week hoping to serve Runnels County and surrounding area. Doug Little, an insurance agent raised in Albany, said Ballinger represents a great niche for the insurance business, with a lot of potential in the auto, home and agricultural markets. The agency, located on

Hutchings, started operations



CAROLE AND DOUG LITTLE cut the ribbon at the grand opening ceremony held on Wednesday, July 14. (Photo: Ruben Cantu-Rodriguez)

on March 1 and held a ribbon cutting ceremony on July 14. "This is a good community, we saw a good opportuni-

ty here and we picked Ballinger, here is where we wanted to be... feels like and the surrounding areas a home and it felt like home place much like the land they

Doug and his wife Carole have a background in the area, he grew up in Albany and she comes from Ranger. They also have family in Eastland County.

They found in Ballinger since the first day we were grew up at, a community

has plenty of experience with the insurance business after six years working with State Farm management, in Midland.

The Littles have two sons, David, who is working on his mechanical engineering degree in Las Cruces, at New Mexico State University, and Joe and

