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“Wheeler: town of friendship and pride”



**Glen Turvaille**

... Chamber of Commerce 2017 Man of the Year  
Presented by Josh Britt



**Debra Finsterwald (center)**

... Chamber of Commerce 2017 Woman of the Year  
Presented by Kristen Moudy and Josh Britt



**Clay Wilson**

... Chamber of Commerce 2017 Teenager of the Year  
Presented by Josh Britt



**Lynette Hastey**

... Chamber of Commerce 2017 Employee of the Year  
Presented by Josh Britt



**Johnny Velasquez**

... Chamber of Commerce 2017 Pioneer Spirit  
Presented by Josh Britt



**H. & H. Tire & 7-H Angus, Chad & Jack Helton**

... Chamber of Commerce 2017 Business of the Year  
Presented by Josh Britt



Once again, the Wheeler Chamber of Commerce 4th of July Celebration was a great success. It was very well attended with heavy participation in the numerous events.

— cwe —

It would not have been possible without the tireless efforts of **Kristen Moudy** and her MANY VOLUNTEERS.

— cwe —

This would not be possible without the cooperation of the community as a whole.

— cwe —

The shrimp boil was a huge success, even though a dirt storm blew in the rain that

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**2017 1st Lt. BEN BRITT FUN RUN/WALK WINNERS:**  
Females: Holden Holwick, 10 & under; Rudy Tiburcio, 11-18; Taylor Sparks, 19-30; Amanda Rives, 31-55; Cathi Gillette, 55 & over. Male: Soren Holt and Tazlan Brown, 10 & under; Rylon Clark, 11-18; Josh Britt, 19-30; Justin Holt, 31-55; Jack Helton, 55 and over.

## USDA Seeks Local Input From Locals On Natural Resource Concerns July 20

The USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) and the Wheeler County Soil and Water Conservation District invite the public and any agencies with an interest in conservation issues to participate in a Local Work Group meeting to be held at the Wheeler USDA Service Center. This meeting

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## Wheeler, Texas Chamber of Commerce 32nd Annual 4th of July Celebration Winners & Honorees Named

By Kristen Moudy

SATURDAY, JULY 1ST

(9:00 AM – 9:00 PM) Wheeler Co-Ed Softball Tournament  
o Winners: VIP out of Childress, TX won and MURK out of Pampa was runner-up  
(10:00 AM - DUSK) “Let’s Rodeo” 2nd Annual Goat Roping o Winners of Rope & Tie: Wade Butler and Cody Lewis, Ike Hanes won High Money Header and Skyler Mitchell won High Money Heeler and Leslie Mendoza won dummy roping  
(6:00 PM) 1st Annual Corn Hole Tournament – Janette Umsted Scholarship  
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## Pre-K Registration Day Is Friday, Aug. 1; Pre-K Registration Forms Available

Starting July 1, parents may obtain Pre-K Registration Packets in the foyer of Wheeler ISD during business hours, M – F, 9:00 – 12:00 and 1:00 -3:00; the packets are being offered for parents who wish to fill out the documents in the privacy of their homes, as both the amount of information necessary (some of which may require phone calls) and the time needed to fill out all the documents is lengthy. Parents are welcome to wait to fill out these documents until

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## STORM REPORT



As Reported by...  
**Stormie Meriwether**,  
Eighth Grade Student

Dear Friends, It was the best Fourth of July ever! I had a great time with my cousins. Everyone, except my mom, “ran” in the race. She got burritos for our breakfast and took pictures. The Hartlines (Chuck, Phoebe and Aaron) brought their cannon to the courthouse. Ada (Les-  
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## Commissioners’ Court Minutes

The Commissioners’ Court of Wheeler County, Texas, met in regular session on Monday, July 10, 2017, at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners’ Courtroom of the Wheeler County Courthouse at 401 Main Street, Wheeler, Texas, to consider prior bills and discuss matters of mutual concern.

Court reconvened at 10:00 to address the 14 items on the

agenda.

• The minutes of the previous meetings were approved as presented.

• The reports of following county offices were accepted: Wheeler County Clerk, \$9,292.65; District Clerk, 7,989.10; Justice of the Peace, Pct. 1, \$10,400.50, and Justice of the Peace, Pct. 2, \$45,520.45.

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## Outdoor burning Prohibited inside the City Limits

Texas State law prohibits burning of trash, debris, leaves or any other rubbish within the city limits of any incorporated city. The city furnishes disposal of these items when they are properly disposed of at the city facilities.



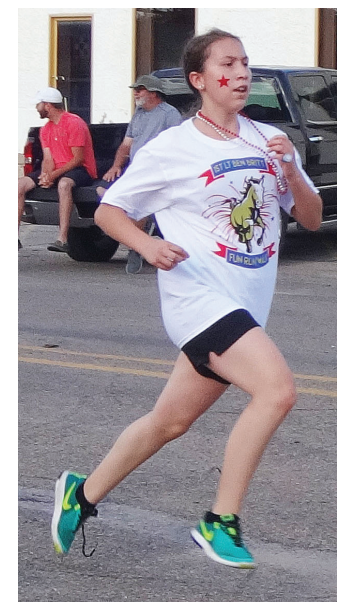
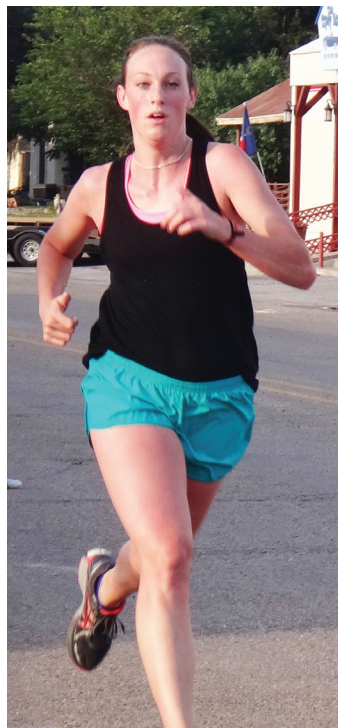
**NEW BUSINESS:** The ribbon cutting for Kim’s Barber Shop was June 27, 2017; the new business is located at 1870 Hwy 83, the south edge of Wheeler. Owner and operator of the barber shop is Kimberly Angeley. Pictured here are (l-r) Tania Gallegos, Dale Kidd, Chalone Hefley, Bobby Jennings, Kaysha Carter and Ava Allen, Larry Jennings, Jasmyrn Ratliff, Monica Kidd, Larry Lister, Rance Angeley, Gage Angeley, Kim Angeley, Kenneth Abernethy, Judy Abernethy, Ryder Angeley, Mandy Abernethy, Josh Britt, Yvette Venzor, Deb Finsterwald, Jackson Allen, Kiley Allen, Kristen Moudy Jim Beck. Kim has had the Barber Shop in Wheeler county for about 17yrs., opening and operating in Shamrock since 2000.



**SUPPORT YOUR CUSTOMERS & SHOP AT HOME:** First State Bank of Mobeetie and Wheeler believe in supporting their customers and shopping at home. Each bank official and employee either renewed their subscription or subscribed to the Times. Show here are (back row, l. to r.) Carol and Randy McCurley, Bill and Carla Howard, Stephanie Coulter, Marycruz Rocha, Matt McCurley, (front) Bailey Meadows, Melba Darnell, Melie Kelley and Diane Dukes. Not pictured: Sandra Almeraz, Tammy Maddox and Tracy Winter.



# 2017 1st Lt. Ben Britt Fun Run/Walk




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## Exciting Times at Wheeler Public Library

By: Vicki Ferguson, Librarian

What a busy, busy week it has been! People are really making use of the library and that is a wonderful feeling. Our first Summer Reading Program was a hit but it was a little windy for the kites we made. I think our children were amazed that kites had their history in China and not Japan and that it was over 2000 years ago. Also, we were so amazed to learn that the United States was the very last country to have kites.

This next Thursday on the

1st at 10:00 a.m. we will be doing chalk art a new and different way! So please don't wear anything special because we will get very dirty!

We are working on a new checking out system here in the Library. When you come in make sure you have or know your library card number. The card is green and the size of a credit card, so make sure you can do that for us to make the process easier. We are putting all your checkouts under your number now instead of by author. So please be patient with us as we finish working out the kinks. You will be shown all the books you have accumulated under your number so we can keep track of all books and you can too. We have many that are out and if you could please return them we would appreciate that. There are several children's books that have not been returned and if you would look around your

home, car or other places and find and return them it would be most appreciated.

May you all have a wonderful summer and be careful out

there! Hope you put the library on your agenda and catch a Good Read!

Vicki Ferguson/Librarian  
 Cindy Hartsfield/Assistant

## July 4 (from Page 1)

o Doubles Winner: Brennan Umsted & Megan Reed / Runner-Up: Casey Childress & Joe Sewell

o Singles Winner: Megan Reed

**SUNDAY, JULY 2nd**  
 (4:00 PM) 4th Annual Mr. & Miss Firecracker Pageant

o Winners:

Mr. Firecracker 0-3 years: Jordan Medlock

Miss Firecracker 0-3 years: Chloe Shreffler

Mr. Firecracker 4-6 years: Nathan Cooper

Miss Firecracker 4-6 years: Braylee Koepke

Miss Firecracker 7-10 years: Ava Toney

(6:00 PM - 9:00 PM) Knock-  
 erball Soccer Tournament

o Winners: Chupacabra's

**MONDAY, JULY 3RD**  
 (12:00 PM) Dodgeball Tournament

Elementary champs: Face-  
 breakers—Braxton Scott, Chloe Scott, Kailyn Hankins, Keegan Sullivan, Sawyer Schlabs, Jake Houska

Jr High champs: Chupa-  
 cabras—Sean Wright, Alex Retana, Justin Moon, Clayton Moss, Reese Foreman, Selena Lopez, Hadlee Gomez

High School Champs:—  
 Average Joes, Diego Pichardo, Marcos Herrera, Daniel Rascon, David Rascon, Hesson Marshall, Reese Foreman, Hadlee Gomez

Adult Champs: Nameless—  
 Cassidy Carter, Helen Catlett, Paul Wright, Sean Wright, Dalton Wright, Alex Retana

Most Patriotic Team: Face-  
 breakers

Best Group Costume: The  
 Natura—Bryce Melton, Breken Melton, Damien Glasgow, Patien Armstrong, Kameron Johnson, Aniah Eggers, Ricky Eggers

Best Team Name: Hammer-

in' Holts—Justin Holt, Courtney Holt, Soren Holt, Georgia Holt, Mike Holt, Ty Taylor

**TUESDAY, JULY 4TH**  
 (7:00AM - 7:35 AM) 12th  
 Annual 1st Lt. Ben Britt Memorial  
 RWB Color Fun Run/Walk

o Female Winners:

i, 10 & Under: Holden Hol-

wick, 11-18 years: Ruby Ti-

burcio, 19-30 years: Taylor

Sparks, 31-55 years: Amanda

Rives, 55&Older: Cathi Gillette

o Male Winners:

i, 10 & Under: Soren Holt &

Tazlan Brown, 11-18 years:

Rylun Clark, 19-30 years: Josh

Britt, 31-55 years: Justin Holt,

55&Older: Jack Helton

(8:15AM - 10:00AM) Parade

o Winners: Wellington State

Bank, Kim's Barber Shop,

Market Square Thriftway, The

Rock Performing Arts and

Fitness, The Andris/Water's

Family, Machille Henson, the

Scott's and the McMudder's

(10AM) Opening Ceremon-

ies & Park Activities/Booths

o Location: At the City Park

& Pavilion (Grove Street, be-

tween 7th and 8th street)

• 3-on-3 Carolyn Sabbe

Basketball Tournament Win-

ners: 30for30 (Dagen Moore,

Kallen Moore, Jared Messer

and Jansen Moore)

• Sand Volleyball Tournam-

ent Winners: How I Set

Your Mother (Jessica Jack-

son, Laramie Lancaster, Car-

rissa McCarter, Britt McCarter,

Ashleigh Armstrong and Brock

Sabbe)

• Punt, Pass and Kick Win-

ners:

• Turtle Race Winners:

o Finals (left to right, back

to front): Kamryn Ledbetter,

Jake Houska, Braxton Ange-

ley, Nathan Cooper, Christian

Shiple, Braxton Ramirez and

Jesse Wilks

o Grand Champion: Braxton

Ramirez

• Kickball Slip n Slide Win-

ners:

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## Wheeler County COURT RECORDS

List of instruments filed in the Wheeler County Clerk's office from July 3, 2017 to July 7, 2017.

JULY 3, 2017

RDT-FirstBank Southwest to Cheryl Brennan, 6-18-15, Lots 9 & 10, Blk. 59, Woodley's Southside Addition, Shamrock.

AFF.-Joseph Donlon to Samuel M. Miller, 6-21-17, W/2 W/2 Sec. 1, Blk. A-3, H&GN Ry. Company Survey, (Mineral Interest).

DEED-Debra Joy Bonner to Mary Jane Tate, 6-5-17, Bldg. Lot 15, Outlot 1, Shamrock.

JULY 4, 2017

Holiday

JULY 5, 2017

RELEASE LIS PENDENS-County of Wheeler to Henry Virgil Jay Unzen (Estate), 6-14-17, See Instrument.

LP-County of Wheeler to Sarah P. Pyle Trust, 6-29-17, Incomplete Land Description.

MD-Susanna Key Weiser to Susanna Key Weiser Property Trust, 2-1-17, Lot 9, Blk. 1, Brooks & Burleson Survey; Plus Any Other Interest in Wheeler County.

CERTIFICATE OF TRUST-Susanna Key Weiser, et al to Susanna Key Weiser Property Trust, 2-17-17.

JULY 6, 2017

CEMETERY DEED-Wheeler Community Cemetery Association to Debbie Glassey, 6-30-17, Space 2, W/2 Lot 3, Blk. I-1 1st Addition, Wheeler Cemetery.

DEED-Curtis Davis, et ux to Eddie Lopez, 6-19-17, E 72' of N/2 Lot 1, Blk. 35, Original Town, Shamrock.

DVL-Finley's Real Estate Investments LLC, et al to Riverland Auto Parts LLC, 6-13-2017, Pt. Lot 1 & All Lots

2 & 3, Blk. 1, Tarbet's Addition, Shamrock.

DT-Riverland Auto Parts LLC to First Bank, 6-13-2017, Pt. Lot 1 & All Lots 2 & 3, Blk. 1, Tarbet's Addition, Shamrock.

DVL-Dustin James Hicks, et ux to Jacob A. Widener, et ux, 7-3-17, Pt. Sub-Division #4 in Wheeler out of SE/4 Sec. 60, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DT-Jacob A. Widener, et ux to Churchill Mortgage Corporation, 7-3-17, Pt. Sub-Division #4 in Wheeler out of SE/4 Sec. 60, Blk. A-8, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

DEED-Secretary of Housing and Urban Development of Washington DC to Jerry D. Scott, et ux, 6-30-17, Pt. S/2 SE/4 SW/4 Sec. 6, Blk. A-4, H&GN Ry. Company Survey.

JULY 7, 2017

DVL-Philip E. Pendleton, et ux to Ryan R. Stambaugh, et ux, 7-6-17, Lot 10, Blk. 2, Original Town, Shamrock.

DT-Ryan R. Stambaugh, et ux to AimBank, 7-6-17, Lot 10, Blk. 2, Original Town, Shamrock.

DEED-Teddie Ray McCurley, et ux to Jerry D. Hefley, et ux, 7-5-17, Lots 9, 10 & S 16.2' Lot 11, Blk. 37, Original Town, Wheeler.

Park Visitor



Gene and Judy Coward have been married for 55 years. They have been blessed to be able to Dance through life.

## Facebook or the Newspaper

Now days, when people schedule an event; their family has something they want the world to know, they immediately think of facebook. The *Times* does not reach the world, but it does reach a big part of our community of people, who are

interested.

And in years to come, these items will still be available and easy to find in the *Times*. Our files go back to the beginning of the newspaper, December, 1938. Individuals come in and quickly look something up and spend the afternoon or as much time as they have available reading the papers and looking at the pictures. Most of the older files are available on the internet through Southwest Collections/Special Collections Library.

At Southwest Collections you can lookup names dates and/or events. You can highlight what you want and print

it out. They are in the process of loading all our files through 2007; they have all been photographed, but may not be available. If you look something up and it is not on file, try at a later date.

Eastern Panhandle Ins., has a space each week if you would like a picture of your kids and/or grands. We like to see them and watch them grow.. Include name, age, parents, grandparents, etc., with the picture.

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Our misprints are also on file.

Let's hear from you.

Louis \_\_\_\_\_

### Jean Kerr:

The only reason they say "Women and children first" is to test the strength of the lifeboats.

**Sunday Nite Live**  
**KPDR-FM, 90.3**  
... Live from Canadian  
9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.



**TURTLE RACE WINNERS:** Finals (left to right, back to front): Kamryn Ledbetter, Jake Houska, Braxton Angeley, Nathan Cooper, Christian Shipley, Braxton Ramirez and Jesse Wilks. Grand Champion: Braxton Ramirez

— Photo by MPR Photography

### Chat

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was threatened. They served 390 people before the weather forced them to stop; the waiting line stretched from the front of the Topsy Bird to the far northeast corner of the property when serving had to stop.

— cwe —

The Wheeler Lions Club and a group of volunteers had Britt Memorial Park in tiptop shape

for the 4th of July's evening activities.

— cwe —

The Saline Fiddlers gave a fantastic performance to kick-off the evening's list of events. The group was making a trip across the United States via Old 66 and happened to be in the area at the right time. A large audience enjoyed the music.

— cwe —

Congratulations to those receiving awards from the Chamber. They were each very deserving. Wheeler is very fortunate to have these individuals as a part of our community.

— cwe —

I cannot say "Thank You" enough to **Kristen**. The list of winners and participants were provided by her.

### USDA

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will be on July 20, 2017 at 8:30 a.m.

The purpose of this meeting is to receive input from a broad range of local agencies, organizations, businesses, and individuals that have an interest in natural resource concerns and needs in Wheeler County. Input received will allow the Local Work Group to make recommendations on resource concerns to be addressed, eligible practices, and ranking for county based funding. These recommendations will be used in implementing the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) and other conservation programs offered by NRCS.

The 2008 Farm Bill stipulates that conservation programs must continue to be locally led. Through stakeholder meetings, the public is given an opportunity to help local conservation leaders set program priorities. These meetings are open to the public.

For more information, call the USDA-NRCS office in Wheeler at (806) 826-3565. NRCS office locations and program information can be found on the Texas NRCS Web site at [www.tx.nrcs.usda.gov](http://www.tx.nrcs.usda.gov).

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— cwe —

Kristen, I think you deserve a month's paid vacation to get rested up from the 4th.

— cwe —

**Gina Seitz** and the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum group will be working hard for the next two weeks, getting everything ready for the Old Mobeetie Music Festival. Hard to believe that is so close.

— cwe —

Wheeler Banking Center has the 2017-18 School Calendars w/football and basketball schedules in the lobby.

— cwe —

Homecoming is the first game of the season, September 1.

— cwe —

Once again, Thanks to everyone, who worked to make the Annual 4th of July Celebration a success.

— cwe —

Our rains July 3 and 4 measured 1.35" for Wheeler. That was much needed and appreciated.

— cwe —

The Burn Ban is once again in effect. And, citizens are reminded that it against the law to burn within the city limits.

— cwe —

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Who? Everyone is welcome

## Wheeler County Stage One Burn Ban Order Prohibiting or Restricting Outdoor Burning

WHEREAS, the Commis-  
sioners' Court finds that cir-  
cumstances present in all or  
part of the unincorporated  
area of the county create a  
public safety hazard that would  
be exacerbated by outdoor  
burning;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED  
by the Commissioners Court  
of Wheeler County that all  
outdoor burning is prohibited  
in the unincorporated area of  
the county for 90 days from the  
date of adoption of this Order,  
unless the restrictions are  
terminated earlier based on a  
determination made by the  
Texas Forest Service or this  
Court. This Order is adopted  
pursuant to Local Government  
Code Sec. 352.081, and other  
applicable statutes. This Order  
does not prohibit outdoor  
burning activities related to  
public health and safety that  
are authorized by the Texas  
Commission on Environmental  
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- (2) Planting or harvesting  
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mum of 25 feet and clear of



Week of June 26-July 2

Intents to Drill  
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Cleveland, MORSE, Cleveland  
S.) Le Norman Operating LLC,  
#1H Renner-Pearson 173,  
(640 acres) 250' FNL & 660'  
FWL, Sec 176, Blk 45, H&TC  
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Morse TD 9000', (BHL: 467'  
FNL & 660' FWL Sec 173,  
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Sec 55, Blk 4T, T&NO, A-393)  
(sgd. Rebecca Dunn 806-665-  
0338) Horizontal

HEMPHILL (BUFFALO  
WALLO, Granite Wash)  
Tecolote Energy Operating,  
LLC, #2H Meadows-Clifford  
31-30 MD EX, (1280 acres)  
1330' FEL & 300' FSL, Sec 31,  
Blk M1, H&GN Surv, A-140,  
12 mi SE from Canadian TD  
12750', (BHL: 1100' FEL & 150'  
FNL Sec 30, Blk M1, H&GN,  
A-1387) (sgd. James Clark  
512-415-4191) Horizontal

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL,  
Douglas) Le Norman  
Operating LLC, #3H Madeline  
55-26 A, (761.7 acres) 2407'  
FSL & 898' FWL, Sec 55, Blk  
A1, H&GN Surv, A-87, 13 mi  
SE from Canadian TD 9000',  
(BHL: 200' FSL & 500' FWL  
Sec 26, Blk A1, H&GN, A-850)  
(sgd. Greg Bilbro 512-476-  
1245) Horizontal

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL,  
Douglas) Le Norman  
Operating LLC, #1H Flowers  
A 27, (646.2 acres) 234' FNL

vegetation, if possible, and  
kept wet. The welding diam-  
eter must be three times the  
height of the actual welding.  
Example: if welding is oc-  
curring ten (10) feet off the  
ground, a diameter of thirty  
(30) feet must be protected.

(c) A minimum of 200 gal-  
ons of pressured water must  
be available on site.

(d) Each welding vehicle  
must have at least one (1)  
fully charged 10 lb. Class  
ABC chemical fire extinguisher  
on site.

& 244' FWL, Sec 14, Blk A1,  
H&GN Surv, A-907, 14 mi  
SE from Canadian TD 9000',  
(BHL: 200' FNL & 1200' FWL  
Sec 27, Blk A1, H&GN, A-73)  
(sgd. Greg Bilbro 512-476-  
1245) Horizontal

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL,  
Douglas) Le Norman  
Operating LLC, #1H Black  
Jack 14, (644.5 acres) 234'  
FNL & 265' FWL, Sec 14, Blk  
A1, H&GN Surv, A-907, 14 mi  
SE from Canadian TD 9000',  
(BHL: 200' FNL & 1170' FWL)  
(sgd. Greg Bilbro 512-476-  
1245) Horizontal

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL,  
Douglas) Le Norman  
Operating LLC, #5101H Pyeatt,  
(640 acres) 270' FSL & 2390' FEL,  
Sec 51, Blk A1, H&GN Surv,  
A-85, 12 mi SE from Canadian  
TD 9000', (BHL: 200' FNL &  
2640' FEL) (sgd. Greg Bilbro  
512-476-1245) Horizontal

HEMPHILL (HEMPHILL,  
Douglas) Le Norman  
Operating LLC, #504SL Ramp,  
(640 acres) 120' FSL & 875'  
FWL, Sec 50, Blk A1, H&GN  
Surv, A-911, 12 mi SE from  
Canadian TD 9000', (BHL:  
200' FNL & 900' FWL) (sgd.  
Greg Bilbro 512-476-1245)  
Horizontal

HEMPHILL (RENEGADE,  
Atoka) Apache Corporation,  
#2H Nix 83 Unit, (642.41  
acres) 251' FNL & 868' FWL,  
Sec 82, Blk 42, H&TC Surv,  
A-914, 4 mi W from Canadian  
TD 12500', (BHL: 2123' FNL  
& 939' FWL Sec 83, Blk 42,  
H&TC, A-290) (sgd. Belinda  
Wolf 210-678-3960) Horizontal

Field Transfer  
HEMPHILL (RENEGADE,  
Atoka) Apache Corporation,  
#2H Urschel 71, (640 acres)  
320' FSL & 500' FWL, Sec  
71, Blk 1, G&M Surv, A-501,  
2 mi SW from Glazier TD  
16000', (BHL: 498' FNL & 876'  
FWL) (sgd. Belinda Wolf 210-  
678-3960) Horizontal

Field Transfer  
HUTCHINSON (PANHANDLE,  
Hutchinson County Fid.) PG-M  
International Operating, LLC,  
#324 C.L. Dial et al, (5973  
acres) 2151' FSL & 394' FEL,  
Sec 1, Blk 1, H&GN Surv,  
A-50, 4.8 mi SE from Stinnett  
TD 3900' (sgd. Taylor Hickman  
806-274-9517) Vertical

Amended  
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TD 3900' (sgd. Taylor Hickman  
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(e) If the work area can-  
not be cleared of vegetation,  
proper precautionary mea-  
sures must be taken (example:  
protecting brush, etc., by utiliz-  
ing fire resistant tarps).

(f) Each site will have  
cellular telephone communi-  
cations for emergency response.

(g) Welding in an enclosed  
area is acceptable.

In accordance with Lo-  
cal Government Code Sec.  
352.081(h), a violation of this  
Order is a Class C misde-  
meanor, punishable by a fine  
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#304 C.L. Dial, et al, (5973  
acres) 1100' FNL & 1320'  
FWL, Sec 90, Blk Z, GC&SF  
Surv, A-663, 4 mi SE from  
Stinnett TD 3900' (sgd. Taylor  
Hickman 806-274-9517) Vertical

Amended  
MOORE (TEXAS Hugoton)  
Pantera Energy Company,  
#2015 Baer-Et-Al, (640 acres)  
330' FEL & 2640' FNL, Sec 15,  
Blk Q, H&GN Surv, A-1037, 7  
mi W from Cactus TD 3800'  
(sgd. Bonnie Burklund 512-  
799-4057) Vertical

MOORE (PANHANDLE, West)  
Pantera Energy Company,  
#5191 Rubert, (320 acres)  
330' FSL & 330' FWL, Sec 191,  
Blk 3T, T&NO Surv, A-282, 6  
mi SW from Sunray TD 3600'  
(sgd. Bonnie Burklund 512-  
799-4057) Vertical

OCHILTREE (HAYWOOD,  
Atoka, WILDCAT) Courson Oil  
& Gas, Inc., #1 Flowers -B-,  
(727 acres) 688' FNL & 725'  
FEL, Sec 308, Blk 43, H&TC  
Surv, A-1156, 18 mi S from  
Perryton TD 8907', (sgd. Zach  
Helfin 806-435-2910) Vertical

Recompletion  
OCHILTREE (PAN PETRO,  
Marmaton) Mewbourne  
Oil Company, #M002CM  
Rifenburg, (322 acres) 200'  
FNL & 1600' FWL, Sec 58,  
Blk 13, T&NO Surv, A-819,  
6 mi SE from Farnsworth TD

8000', (BHL: 100' FSL & 1200'  
FWL Sec 58, Blk 13, T&NO,  
A-1379) (sgd. Rebecca Dunn  
806-665-0338) Horizontal  
OCHILTREE (PAN PETRO,  
Cleveland) Mewbourne Oil  
Company, #C002PA Harrelson  
'313', (640 acres) 280' FNL &  
730' FEL, Sec 304, Blk 43,  
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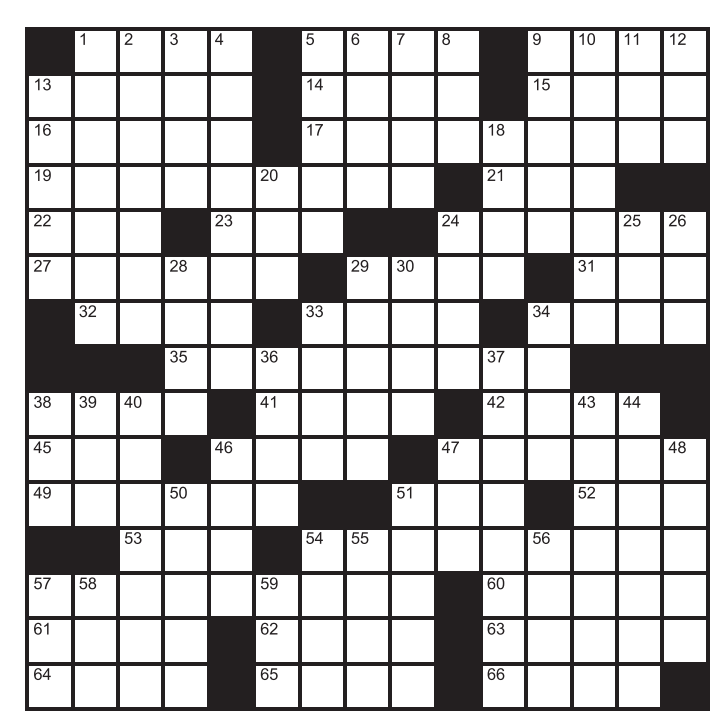
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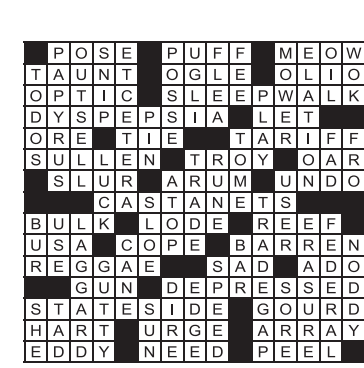
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- Across
1. Sit for a photo
  5. Dragon's name, in a song
  9. Feline line
  13. Razz
  14. Lecher's look
  15. Mixture
  16. Sight-related
  29. Helen of
  31. Crew need
  32. Disparage
  33. Calla lily family
  34. Take apart
  35. Spanish dancers' accessories
  38. mail
  41. Rich supply
  42. Coral formation
  45. "Give \_\_\_ break!"
  46. Make do
  47. Like a wasteland
  49. Bob Marley genre
  51. Down in the dumps
- Down
1. Scroll material
  2. Best in the market
  3. Barbershop sound
  4. Yadda yadda yadda

5. Sheriff's group
6. Large tangelo
7. Dog biter
8. Service charge
9. Lawn tool
10. Jubilation
11. Engine need
12. Stir-fry pan
13. Footaraws
18. Broadway offering
20. Bowling target
24. Heavy reading
25. Furby's, once
26. To and \_\_\_
28. Gambler's lady?
29. Barter
30. Ancient alphabetic character
33. At the summit of
34. Addict
36. Plumlike sour fruit
37. Common economic indicator
38. Prickly seed cover
39. "It's no \_\_\_!"
40. Dawdler
43. Sign of an error
44. National (government)
46. Walking stick
47. Setting for many a joke
48. Simpleton
50. Courageous
51. Go over the limit?
54. In \_\_\_ straits
55. Barely beat
56. Like some losers
57. "Ain't \_\_\_ Sweet"
58. Tiny amount
59. Sky light



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**Pre-K** (from Page 1)  
Pre-K Registration Day.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE DAY FOR PRE-K REGISTRATION IS NOT THE SAME DATE AS THE REGISTRATION DATE FOR THE REST OF THE SCHOOL.

Registration day for Pre-K IS Friday, August, 11 from 9:00 – 12:00 in the Wheeler ISD school cafeteria. Students must be 4 on or before Sept. 1, 2015 to attend Pre-K; parents must furnish copies of the child's state certified birth certificate, up to date immunization records and social security card.

PRE-K dia de inscripcion viernes 11 de Agosto

PRE-K Paquetes de inscripcion disponibles en Julio 1ero Comenzando 1ero. de Julio

Los padres pueden obtener Los Paquetes de Inscripcion de Pre-K a la entrada de la escuela Wheeler ISD durante las horas de oficina de Lunes a Viernes de 9:00am -12:00pm y de 1:00pm- 3:00pm.

Los paquetes estaran siendo ofrecidos para los padres que desean llenar los documentos en la privacidad de sus casas, como ambos, la cantidad de informacion necesaria (alguna de la cual pude requerir de llamadas telefonicas) y el tiempo necesario para llenar todos los documentos es largo.

Los padres son bienvenidos a esperar para llenar estos documentos hasta el dia de la inscripcion de Pre-K.

**POR FAVOR NOTE QUE EL DIA DE LA INSCRIPCION PARA PRE-K NO ES LA**

**MISMA FECHA DE INSCRIPCION QUE PARA EL RESTO DE LA ESCUELA**

El dia de inscripciones para Pre-K es el Viernes Agosto 11 de 9:00am a 12:00pm en la cafeteria de Wheeler ISD. Los estudiantes deben de ser de 4

**Comm** (from Page 1)

- One budget amendment was approved.
- Two line item transfers were made.
- No action was taken on the Wheeler County Policy Manual.
- Wheeler County Burn Ban, Stage 1 was put into place. See Page 4 in this issue of the Times.
- The check from the Regional Pool Alliance Service Center in the amount of \$250,000 for

anos en o antes de Septiembre 1ero. del 2015 para asistir al Pre-K; los padres deben de proveer copias del acta de nacimiento del nino certificada por el estado, record de vacunas hasta la fecha y tarjeta del seguro social.

the burned motor grader was accepted by the council.

- Scott Porter, Tax Assessor requested permission to declare three computers, three monitors, three printers and three keyboards as surplus property. The court agreed.
- The Court allowed Ken Daughtry, Emergency Management, to declare one computer as surplus property.
- County Judge, Jerry Hefley had nine old courthouse doors declared surplus property.
- The county judge was given permission to take bids for the purchase and installation of a security door and window for the District Judge's office.
- The court agreed to the renewal of the maintenance agreement with Tascosa Office Machines for a Canon IRC-5235A copier.
- David Simpson, Commissioner, Pct. 3, was given permission to place a 35 mph speed limit sign on CR 10 from Old Route 66 to the county line.

• The court voted to pay the bills for 06-27-2017 and ending 07-10-2017 in the amount of \$118,077.44. The county's gross payroll was \$117,081.08.

**July 4** (from Page 2)

- Horseshoe Tournament – 14 teams in Doubles and 8 in singles.
  - o Doubles 1st: Cody and Rich; 2nd: Jason Warren and Chris Archibald
  - o Singles 1st: T.A. Taylor; 2nd: Drew Thomas (8:30 PM)

• Quilts of Valor Presentation to area Veterans and presenting of colors

- o 1 of 3 WWII Veterans were presented with Quilts of Valor
- o 4 local Korean Veterans were presented with Quilts of Valor

• Appreciation and recognition to ALL our 1st Responders – (Allison VFD, Briscoe VFD, Kelton VFD, Mobeetie VFD, Shamrock VFD, Wheeler VFD, EMS crews, Wheeler County Sheriff's Office and Shamrock Police Department, Greenbelt and Xcel Linemen and Wheeler County Precinct Hands

- Announcement of the Chamber of Commerce Awards - "Man, Woman, Teen, Business, Employee and Pioneer Spirit) of the Year"
  - o Man – Brother Glen Turville
  - o Woman – Debra Finsterwald
  - o Teen – Clay Wilson
  - o Business – H&H Tire, 7H Angus – Jack & Chad Helton
  - o Employee – Lanette Hasteley
  - o Pioneer Spirit – Johnny Velasquez

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Sunday School—9:45 a.m.  
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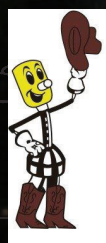
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H&TC Surv, A-639, 16 mi SE from Perryton TD 8000', (BHL: 330' FNL & 1000' FEL Sec 313, Blk 43, T&TC, A-178) (sgd. Rebecca Dunn 806-665-0338) Horizontal OCHILTREE (PAN PETRO, Marmaton) Mewbourne Oil Company, #M001AP Jackson 82, (640 acres) 250' FNL & 1100' FEL, Sec 82, Blk 4T, T&NO Surv, A-1073, 10 mi SW from Farnsworth TD 8000', (BHL: 100' FSL & 1100' FEL) (sgd. Rebecca Dunn 806-665-0338) Horizontal POTTER (AMARILLO, NORTH, Canyon Lime) Le Norman Operating LLC, #1H Bivins 37-36 East, (640 acres) 50' FSL & 1980' FEL, Sec 51, Blk 1, BS&F Surv, A-111, 6 mi N from Amarillo TD 9000', (BHL: 2640' FSL & 1980' FEL Sec 36, Blk 1, BS&F, A-1356) (sgd. Greg Bilbro 512-476-1245) Horizontal Gas Completions LIPSCOMB (LIPSCOMB, Cleveland) Jones Energy, LLC, #26HX Willis D. Price, 9 mi NE of Lipscomb, Sec 622, Blk 43, H&TC Surv, A-761, spud 11-13-2016, compl 2-18-2017, tested 4-18-2017, potential 238 mcf, 86 bbls cond, 216 bbls wtr, 82# ftp, 943# SIWHP, TVD 7827', MD 17094' API 42-295-34294, Horizontal LIPSCOMB (LIPSCOMB, Cleveland) Jones Energy, LLC, #12H Reba N. Miller, 5.5 mi NE of Lipscomb, Sec 715, Blk 43, H&TC Surv, A-288, spud 11-26-2016, compl 3-5-2017, tested 4-17-2017, potential 377 mcf, 83 bbls cond, 69 bbls wtr, 200# ftp, 552# SIWHP, TVD 7722', MD 12420' API 42-295-34307, Horizontal LIPSCOMB (LIPSCOMB, Cleveland) Jones Energy, LLC, #6937H Schultz Brothers B, 4 mi NE of Lipscomb, Sec 693, Blk 43, H&TC Surv, A-277, spud 11-12-2016, compl 2-20-2017, tested 4-24-2017, potential 80 mcf, 3 bbls cond, 52 bbls wtr, 141# ftp,



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502# SIWHP, TVD 7845', MD 12450' API 42-295-34309, Horizontal LIPSCOMB (LIPSCOMB, Cleveland) Jones Energy, LLC, #6938H Schultz Brothers B, 4.5 mi NE of Lipscomb, Sec 716, Blk 43, H&TC Surv, A-864, spud 12-13-2016, compl 2-18-2017, tested 4-11-2017, potential 2406 mcf, 109 bbls cond, 334 bbls wtr, 378# ftp, 1239# SIWHP, TVD 7808', MD 12833' API 42-295-34311, Horizontal Oil Completions OCHILTREE (ALLEN-PARKER, Marmaton) Quanh Panhandle, LLC, #101H Rice-Black Stone Unite, 2 mi NW from Farnsworth, Sec 52 Blk 4, GH&H Surv, A-1023, spud 3-22-2017, compl 5-11-2017, tested 5-18-2017, potential 120 bbls-oil, 0 mcf, 688 bbls wtr, 2900# ftp, 37# CP, TVD 6628', MD 11835', API 42-357-33636, Horizontal POTTER (AMARILLO, NORTH, Canyon Lime) Le Norman Operating LLC, #1H Bivins 52-38 East, 3 mi N of Amarillo, Sec 52, Blk 1, BS&F Surv, A-1123, spud 3-14-2017, compl 5-15-2017, tested 6-13-2017, potential 660 bbls cond, 287 mcf, 1668 bbls wtr, 3800# ftp, 85# SIWHP, TVD 7048', MD 14320' API 42-375-31868, Horizontal POTTER (AMARILLO, NORTH, Canyon Lime) Le Norman Operating LLC, #1H Bivins 52-17 East, 4 mi N of Amarillo, Sec 52, Blk 1, BS&F Surv, A-1123, spud 2-17-2017, compl 5-7-2017, tested 6-27-2017, potential 777 bbls cond,

**Storm** (from Page 1)

ter) pulled the string to fire the cannon to start the parade. That was exciting! Stratton (Lee) was on a tractor with his grandmother, Mrs. Henson. He is so cute! The Hampton twins are adorable. They rode on the front of a fire truck like little firemen. After the parade we played all day and went swimming at the new pool. The boys went fishing with Tate (Musae). I loved the fiddlers! Their music was excellent! They played all types of music and I enjoyed it all! I really wanted to dance. It was nice to have the evening at Britt Ranch. It was different and I missed Colten Moore, but it was a great night. It was very nice to give the beautiful quilts to the veterans. I think they really liked them. It was very beautiful to watch the balloons floating across the clouds at sunset. We remembered Layne (Meriwether) and we miss him all the time. When it got dark, the fireworks started. Good job firemen! That was an awesome show! We are so lucky to live in Wheeler. We have the most fun! We went to see our friends Bob and Elaine (Martin). Bob broke his leg and he is tired of staying in the house so we took him a wheelchair that my mom used when she broke her leg. I hope he can go to the rodeos to see the boys (Logan and Wesley Martin). In the city (OKC) we went out to eat with Michael, Kelly and Logan (Meriwether). Logan brought a friend, Karly (Johnston). After we ate they came to visit at the city house. That's it!

**Think About it.**

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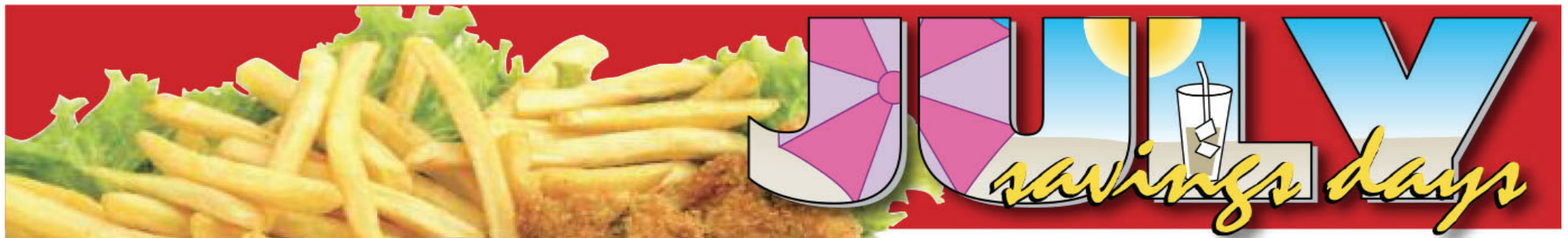


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