

Have a safe Labor Day

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Football

HASKELL
JV Indians vs Cross Plains
Thurs., Sept. 3, 6 p.m.
at Haskell
V Indians vs Ranger
Fri., Sept. 4, 7:30 p.m.
at Ranger
PAINT CREEK
Pirates vs
Plainview Christian
Thurs., Sept. 3, 7:30 p.m.
at Jayton
RULE
Bobcats vs Paducah
Fri., Sept. 4, 7:30 p.m.
at Paducah

Calendar

Early deadline

Deadline for news and advertising for the Thurs., Sept. 10 issue of the Haskell Free Press will be Thurs., Sept. 3 at 4:30 p.m. The Free Press office will be closed Mon., Sept. 7 in observance of Labor Day.

Canning class

Texas AgriLife Extension Service-Jenna Anding, Associate Department Head for Extension, Professor and Extension Specialist, along with Haskell County Extension Agent DaLinda Black will hold a jelly canning class Fri., Sept. 4 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Haskell High School Home Ec Building. Please RSVP by calling 864-2546 on Friday from 8:30-4:30.

Benefit sale

A benefit sale will be held Sat., Sept. 5 from 9 a.m. til sold out at 1504 N. Ave. B at the home of Mae Lou Yeldell. The sale is sponsored by the Greater Independent Baptist Church of Haskell.

Free hunter's lunch

Sat., Sept. 5

A free lunch for all hunters, sponsored by the Haskell Chamber of Commerce and the DCOH, will be held Sat., Sept. 5 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the American Legion in Haskell. Hamburgers, chips and a drink will be served to hunters, who will be required to show a valid hunting license to receive a free lunch. For more information, call the Chamber at 940-864-2477.

Cantata rehearsals

Haskell's community wide Christmas Cantata rehearsals will begin Sun., Sept. 6 at 4 p.m. in the First Baptist Church Chapel.

Pink Ladies to open Sept. 10

The Pink Ladies is closed for renovations. Donations will not be accepted at this time. It is suggested that persons wishing to donate items may do so to the Pink Ladies in Stamford or the Pink Ladies in Knox City. We apologize for the inconvenience, but it is necessary for renovations to be made. The Pink Ladies will re-open Thurs., Sept. 10 with regular hours from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with the regular first of the month bag sale.

9-11 memorial

A 9-11 memorial service will be held Fri., Sept. 11 at 7:30 a.m. at the Haskell County Courthouse.

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Indians find second half resurgence successful

by Michael Lindsey

Indian fans, I'm going to cut straight to the point. If you didn't make the trip, or you left after a disappointing first half, you missed an exciting second half of football. Haskell not only got back in the game, but gained control of the game by the fourth quarter. It almost looked like a different team

on both sides of the ball.

Before I start throwing out stats and recognizing some individual players who played very well, I first would like to point out my personal opinion on a key factor allowing the Indians to win this game. That would be the play in the trenches. Yes, that's right, the big guys up front, and really on both

sides of the ball. The offense was led by the rushing attack that opened up to an almost unstoppable point in the second half. The success of the rushing game was largely due to the holes that were being opened up by the Indians' offensive line.

When I say the Tribe had a dominating attack on the ground, ladies and

gentlemen, I'm not just being nice. Haskell ran the ball 33 times for 210 yards, averaging 6.36 yards per carry. The rushing attack was led by senior QB Dylan Hanson, who had 19 carries for 178 yards and three touchdowns, in a player of the game type performance.

The Indians weren't shabby through the air either

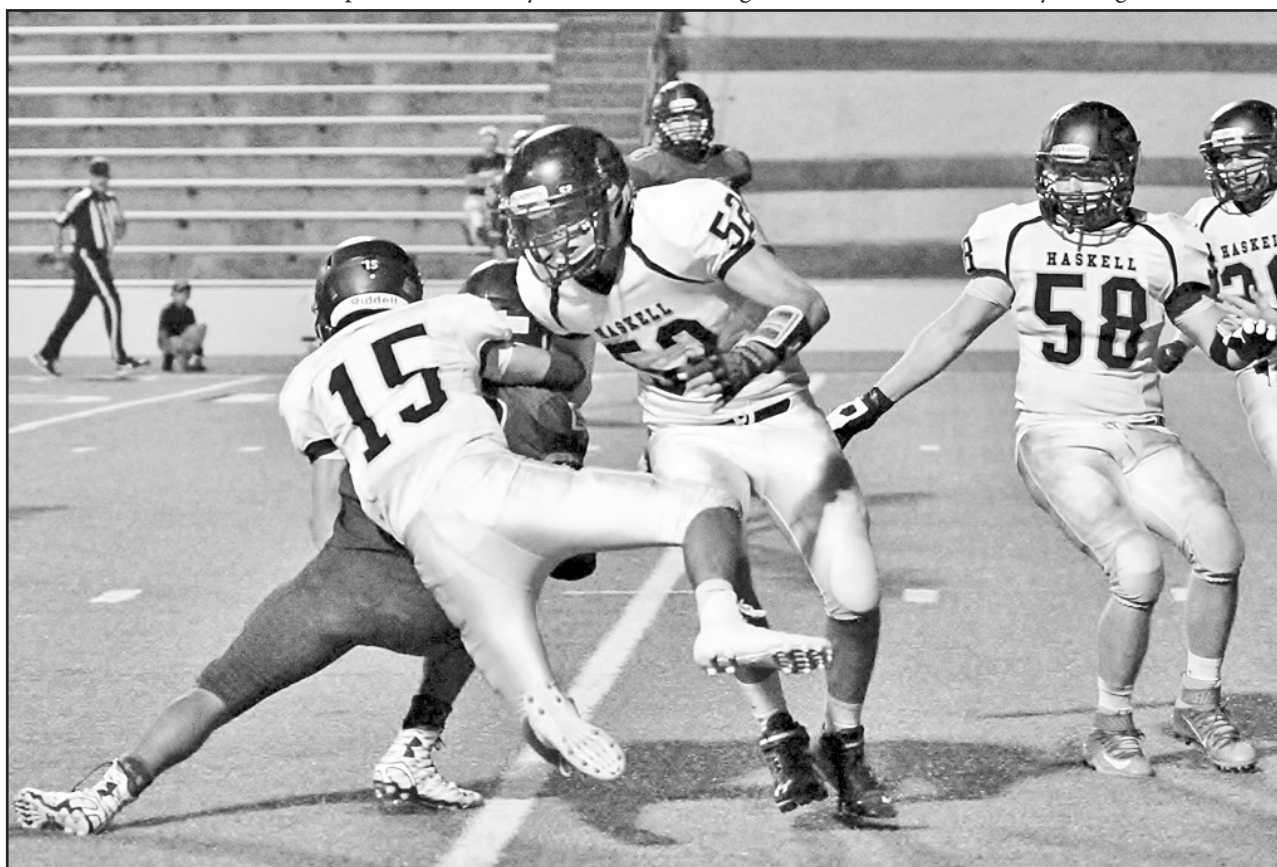
as Hanson completed six of 14 passes for 120 yards and one amazing touchdown pass to WR Sam Fouts. Hanson completed four passes to Kadin Seeliger for 89 yards, averaging more than 22 yards per reception for Seeliger, who also had one carry on the day for 41 yards. Also Seeliger made one of the better off balance catches I've seen in some time, which also gained 41 yards. Then, there was Sam Fouts with two catches for 21 yards, and one highlight reel quality touchdown catch.

I can't stop without mentioning the Indian defense, who after giving up 13 points in the first quarter only gave up 12 in the second half. I can mention several players who need some spotlight, but I'm going to shine that light brightly on sophomore Rocky Haggard, who in his first varsity game was in on 10 tackles and recovered one fumble. Haskell forced two Grape Creek turnovers, one fumble and one interception, which would put them at +1 in the turnover category. This led to a 38 to 28 Haskell victory.

Speaking with Coach Grady Benton after the game, he made some very key points on what he said of his players as a whole. "As a coach you are always wanting to teach your players not only the sport in which you coach, but relate things from sports to real life, that might help these young men down the road." I believe Coach Benton and the rest of the Indian coaching staff are doing just that. Here is what Coach Benton had to say after that season opening win. "My guys never panicked after falling behind early. We believe in what we do and stayed the course in all phases. In life things aren't always going to go the way you want and the way you respond is vital. That's a good 3A football team my guys beat. We are going to enjoy it for a second and refocus quickly on preparing ourselves for the next challenge."

The JV lost to Grape Creek 24-27.

The Indians will play Ranger Fri., Sept. 4 at 7:30 p.m. in Ranger. The JV Indians will face Cross Plains Thurs., Sept. 3 at 6 p.m. in Haskell.



STOPPED BY AN INDIAN-Haskell Indian #15 Kellen Parks makes the stop against a Grape Creek Eagle in last Friday's 38-28 win for the Tribe. The Indians will play Ranger Fri., Sept. 4 at 7:30 p.m. in Ranger.

New funeral home to host open house tonight

by Caron Yates

Sue's Flowers, which has stood on the southeast corner of the square in Haskell for many years, has been beautifully transformed into the site for the Haskell Funeral Home.

Haskell Funeral Home, Haskell's newest business, is expected to open its doors within the next few weeks. The new business is owned by James Campbell, who also owns Robert Massie Funeral Home and San Angelo Funeral Home, both in San Angelo, as well as Abilene Cremations in Abilene.

Managing the new business will be Haskell native Christina Isbell, who is an experienced licensed funeral director. A Haskell

High School graduate, she graduated from the Dallas Institute of Funeral Service in 2001. While there, she was a member of the academic fraternity, Pi Sigma Eta. After completing her licensing testing, Isbell did a twelve month apprenticeship with Harper-Talasek in Temple.

She became manager of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home here in Haskell in November 2005. She continued in that role until 2011, when she and her family moved to Carlsbad, New Mexico and Isbell went to work for Denton-Wood Funeral Home.

Wherever Isbell has lived and worked, she has been very civic minded and willing to take an active role. Previously

while working in Haskell, she served on the Chamber of Commerce board, the Wild Horse Prairie Days board and was a member of the Rotary Club. She also was a board member for the West Texas Funeral Directors. She plans to become involved in these organizations again.

In Carlsbad, she was a member of the Lions Club, an Ambassador for the Chamber of Commerce and served on the Assistance League. Isbell was honored as one of the "40 Under 40" business people in Carlsbad. This award recognizes young business men and women under the age of forty, who have distinguished themselves in their work and civic involvement.

Isbell says that last March she and her husband Tommie Dale, also a Haskell native, decided they wanted to move their family back home. They preferred the small town lifestyle for their children,

Kasie, Hagen, Kelsea and Kolby. Unbeknownst to her at the time, Campbell had decided to pursue opening the business in Haskell. A mutual friend of Campbell and Isbell put them in touch with each other, and the plan for a joint business venture was put in motion.

It took several months to find a location that fit the size and specifications required. With Isbell and her family doing much of the work, the remodeling began June 15. More than two months later, they are ready to open for business. Haskell Funeral Home will offer full funeral services, as well as pre-paid and pre-arranged funerals. They will also offer monument selections.

An open house is planned for Thursday, September 3 from 4 to 6 p.m. Isbell invites the public to come by to visit and view the new facility.

We welcome this young family back to Haskell.

Dove hunts, set Sept. 12-13 and Sept. 19-20, to benefit Clearfork Crime Stoppers

The Clearfork Crime Stoppers Dove Hunt will be held Sept. 12-13 and Sept. 19-20. Cost is \$50 per

hunter per day (plus \$3.00 processing fee).

Hunting will be on sunflower and hailed out wheat field leases in Fisher, Haskell, Jones and Shackelford counties.

Only 100 hunters will be accepted each day, first come first served. Reserve your spots now.

For more information and to register go to www.clearfork.crimestoppersweb.com, contact any CFCS board member or call 940-864-4814 or 325-260-4913.

All proceeds benefit Clear Fork Crime Stoppers.

Weather

by Kim Hutto
National Weather Service
Volunteer Co-op Observer

Temperature
Mon., Aug. 24.....74°/97°
Tues., Aug. 25.....72°/94°
Wed., Aug. 26.....75°/96°
Thurs., Aug. 27.....75°/94°
Fri., Aug. 28.....73°/94°
Sat., Aug. 29.....72°/96°
Sun., Aug. 30.....65°/98°

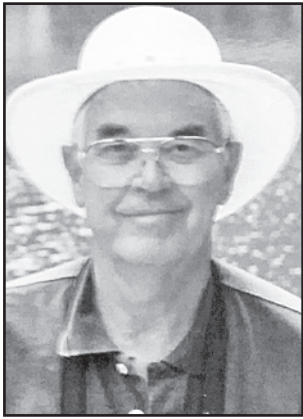


FUMBLE-Haskell Indian #9 Hayden Hudson causes a fumble behind the line of scrimmage with Indian #33 Devon Barrios in pursuit.

FOR NEWS ITEMS OR TO SUBSCRIBE, CALL 940-864-2686

Obituaries

Waymond Hollis 'Mac' McBroom



MAC McBROOM

Waymond Hollis "Mac" McBroom, 78, of Boerne passed away Fri., Aug. 28 after a brief battle with cancer.

Mac was born to parents John and Iva McBroom April 26, 1937 in Stonewall County. He was the youngest of eight children. In 1957,

he married Bettye Elizabeth Hester, and they were blessed with four children.

Mac was a farmer, carpenter, electrician and all-around handyman. He enjoyed being a volunteer fireman, small aircraft pilot, Little Dribblers basketball coach, deacon in the First Presbyterian Church in Haskell, member of the Jaycees, and serving the people of his community. Our fondest memories are camping with him. They were full-time RVers for seventeen years, traveling, making good friends and seeing amazing America.

Survivors include his wife, Bettye; daughters, Lisa (Tommy) Watson, Renae (Bruce) DeAngelis, Holly

Jennings; son, Walter (Karen) McBroom; grandchildren Ashley (Aaron) Christian and J.R. Watson, Niki and Jodi DeAngelis, Gretchen (Brian) O'Gorman and A.J. Stieren, Kenzie and Jace Jennings; and great-grandchildren Jenna and Alana Christian, and George O'Gorman.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hill Country Memorial Hospice (Fredericksburg), or your local hospice, for the wonderful work they do. Other donations to the charity of your choice are also encouraged. Mac was a giving man and would love to see kindness spread with acts of care for others.

PD. NOTICE

Daniel 'Danny' Allen Isbell



DANNY ISBELL

Funeral services for Daniel 'Danny' Allen Isbell, 67, of Potosi were held Fri., Aug. 28 at Beltway Park Church in Abilene with Bro. Keith Clifton officiating, assisted by Tommy Holmes and Cecil Davis. Burial was at the Potosi Cemetery, under the direction of The Hamil Family Funeral Home of Abilene.

He passed away Sat., Aug. 22 at Abilene Regional Medical Center due to medical complications.

Born April 20, 1948 in Haskell, he was the son of Allen (Jiggs) and Lyla Mary (Mickler) Isbell. Danny attended Paint Creek Schools throughout his school career. When he was 16, Danny suffered a broken neck in a high school football game. The next six months were spent in Baylor Medical Center in Dallas. When Danny was able to return home, his therapy began at West Texas Rehabilitation Center in

Abilene. After graduation from high school, Danny attended and graduated from Hardin-Simmons University. Danny's first, and only, job was at WTRC. Shelley V. Smith was his mentor and was a significant inspiration in Danny's life. Danny completed 42 years with the Rehab in July.

While he was attending HSU, Danny met Janice Rainey from Weinert. They were married on Aug. 17, 1973. They were blessed with two sons, Jonathan Allen and Daniel Mark. The family moved to Potosi in 1985. They are members of Potosi Baptist Church.

Danny never met a stranger. He never complained. He was always more interested in the well-being of others than himself. Even with physical limitations, Danny got the job done. He enjoyed his cows, the Dallas Cowboys, the Wylie Bulldogs, the Texas Rangers, and the PBR. Danny loved his family very much, and he always wanted the very best for everyone.

Danny was a member of the Abilene High/Cooper High Agriculture Science Advisory Committee, Potosi Water Board, Wylie Livestock Show Committee, and an Honorary Member of the Wylie FFA. Danny was the Agricultural Coordinator

for West Texas Rehab Center.

Preceding him in death were his dad and maternal and paternal grandparents.

Survivors include his wife, Janice, of Abilene; his sons, Jonathan (Corinne) of Gulf Breeze, Florida and Mark of Abilene; his grandson, Finley Ambrose Daniel (Finn) of Gulf Breeze; his mother, Lyla Mary (Tata) of Haskell; his sisters, Nene (Don) Comedy of Marble Falls and Janice (Frank) Dutton of Munday; many nieces and nephews, several cousins, and innumerable friends. Special buddies were Lady and Punkin, Bonnie and Clyde.

Pallbearers were Randy Carson, Mike Alexander, Woody Gilliland, Archie Jobe, Sonny Dillard, Randy Murphree, Brett Strickland, H.T. Gleason, Darren Carson and Bob Moorhouse.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be sent to West Texas Rehab Center, 4601 Hartford, Abilene, TX 79605.

The family would like to thank the nurses on Fourth Floor and ICU for their tender care of Danny. A special thanks goes to Dr. Keith Robinson and Dr. Thomas Headstream.

Online condolences may be posted at www.HamilFamilyFuneralHome.com. PD. NOTICE

Daniel Riley presents the

Yellow Dog Reunion

at

Macias Ballroom

Fri., Sept. 25
after the football game

Sat., Sept. 26
The dog barks at 8 p.m. til

Remember how much fun you had?!!!
Can you 'member!!
See you there!

No high school students allowed.

Haskell Co. Arrest Report

The following arrests were reported by the Haskell County Sheriff's Office during the week of Aug. 24-30:

Thomas Trevino, burglary of a vehicle; also, prohibited substance in correctional facility.

Brett Kimmel, driving while intoxicated second.

Dillon Scott Gardner, purchase/deliver alcohol to a minor.

Samuel Long, driving while license invalid with previous conviction.

Travon Dessivia, minor in possession.

Jessica Hodge, non payment of child support.

Ashley Marie Anderson, unauthorized use of motor vehicle third, felony evading with a motor vehicle third degree felony.

Ryan Mendez, unauthorized use of motor vehicle, felony evading with a motor vehicle third degree felony; also, driving while license invalid with previous conviction.

Forty-six calls were made to 911.

Haskell Co. DA Dispositions

Case Dispositions

Felony Court

Haskell County Texas Month of August, 2015

Destiny Shantell Hartwick. Offense: Possession of controlled substance, PG 1, namely Methamphetamine (under 1 gram). Motion to revoke probation. Plead guilty. Sentenced: 13 months confinement TDCJ-State Jail Division plus court cost, plus fine.

William Wayne Scates. Offense: Possession of controlled substance, PG 1, namely methamphetamine (under 1 gram). Sentenced: 14 months confinement to TDCJ-State Jail Division plus restitution, plus court cost.

Jamaica

St. George Catholic Church in Haskell will celebrate Jamaica Sun., Sept. 20 from 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Games, food and a volleyball tournament will be available.

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Haskell Co. 4-H Club holds annual awards banquet



RILEY SLOAN
4-H Gold Star Award



HADLEY SLOAN
4-H Silver Star Award



MADILYN MOORE
4-H Bronze Star Award



SHALEE DUNNAM
4-H Clover Award



ANGELA JORDAN FAMILY
4-H Family Award (Angela, Blessing, Faith)

by DaLinda Black
CEA/FCS, Haskell Co.

Haskell County 4-H held its annual awards banquet at Haskell's First Baptist Church Activity Center Sat., Aug. 22.

Receiving the Food and Nutrition Award were Shalee Dunnam, Leann Manske and Lenzi Manske.

Colton Hopkins won the Health Award.

Zhenia McTasney received the Horse Award.

Both Reagan Daniels and Brody Letz received the Rabbit Award.

The Shooting Sports Award went to Faith Jordan and Felicity Hannsz.

Several won the Swine Award, including Hadley Sloan, Riley Sloan, Bailey Hawkins, Cory Mathis and Austen Sanford.

Madilyn Moore received the Storyboard Award.

Blessing Jordan and Zoe Shiplett won the Food Challenge Award.

Alyssa Stocks won the Photography Award.

Receiving the Robotics Awards were Carter Crosson, Zae Mays, Nathan Martin, John Townsend and Justin Townsend.

Five Haskell County 4-H members won a trophy and annual pins. They were Colton Hopkins, Health, 1 year; Shalee Dunnam, Clothing and Textiles, 1 year; Madilyn Moore, Personal Development, 1 year; Hadley Sloan, Swine, 1 year; and Riley Sloan, Swine, 2 year pin.

Without the enthusiasm, support and dedication of our 4-H leaders, the 4-H program would not be as successful as it is. Adult leaders recognized were Dale Bullinger, Joey Kimbrough, Leiza Morales, Cherie and Darrel Dutton, Amy and Lance Sloan, Tammi Hawkins, Keith Hannsz, Michelle Thane, Wes Alsabrook, Darlene and Carl Hopkins, Angela Jordan, Amy and Randall Martin, Steve King, Michelle Moore, Terri Klose, Marissa Drager, and Elaina and Joey Mathis.

The Friend of 4-H Award is given annually to an individual or group of individuals who have shown dedication and support to the Haskell County 4-H program. This year's recipient was Tommy Matthews.

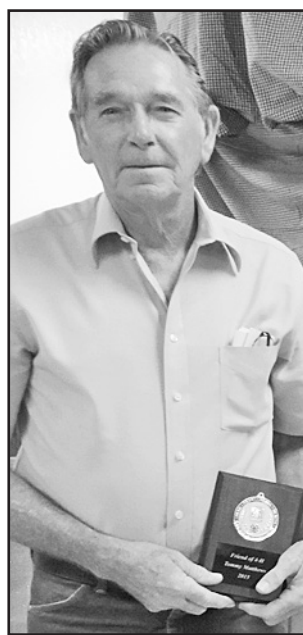
The Outstanding 4-H



COLTON HOPKINS
4-H Rookie of the Year



MICHELLE THANE
4-H Adult Leader Award



TOMMY MATTHEWS
Friend of 4-H Award

Leader Award was presented to Michelle Thane.

We are very fortunate in Haskell County to have several 4-H families in which both the parents and the 4-H members are actively involved in several areas of the 4-H program. The Angela Jordan family was recognized for all their support, dedication and faithfulness to the Haskell County 4-H program.

Each year the Rookie of the Year Award is given to one first year 4-H member who has shown excellence in 4-H work. The 2014-2015 Rookie of the Year Award was given to Colton Hopkins.

The Clover Award is given to one deserving junior 4-H member who has excelled in his or her project work. Shalee Dunnam won the Clover Award.

To be eligible for the Bronze Award, the member must have completed at least two years in 4-H, submit a record book, complete at least two projects, exhibit leadership skills by serving as a 4-H Counsel Member and participate in one or more community service opportunities. Madilyn Moore has exceeded these criteria, and is the Bronze Star winner.

The Silver Star Award is given to 4-H members who have demonstrated achievement in project areas, leadership, citizenship and community service. This year's Silver Star Award went to Hadley Sloan.

The Gold Star Award is

the highest award a 4-H member can receive from the county and can be awarded only once in a member's 4-H career. Riley Sloan has shown excellence in leadership and citizenship as well as excelling in many other areas of 4-H.

We live in a loving and giving town that thrives when the youth are active and strong. Without these businesses, the banquet

would not have been possible: Capital Farm Credit, Central Texas Farm Credit, Haskell National Bank, First Bank Texas and Rule Banking Center.

Also, OCI Solar Power, Marissa and Eric Drager, Steve and Wes Alsabrook, Beth and Hew Carmichael and Richardson's were recognized for their monetary donation to the Shooting Sports team.



Sign-up for a new or additional SRTC telephone, television or Internet service and receive a \$50 credit to your bill.

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Some restrictions may apply. Services where available. Nascar Fall Race will be held November 8th at the Texas Motor Speedway. 2 year service agreement required. Customer account must be in good standing at the time of prize drawing to qualify.

Taste of Country set Tues., Sept. 15

The Taste of Country/ Silent Auction, sponsored by the Noah Project-North, will be held Tues., Sept. 15 at the Haskell Civic Center. Silent auction bidding opens at 4:30 p.m. and will close at 6:30 p.m. Taste of Country will serve from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$12.50 and will be sold until Sept. 8. A limited number will be available at the door.

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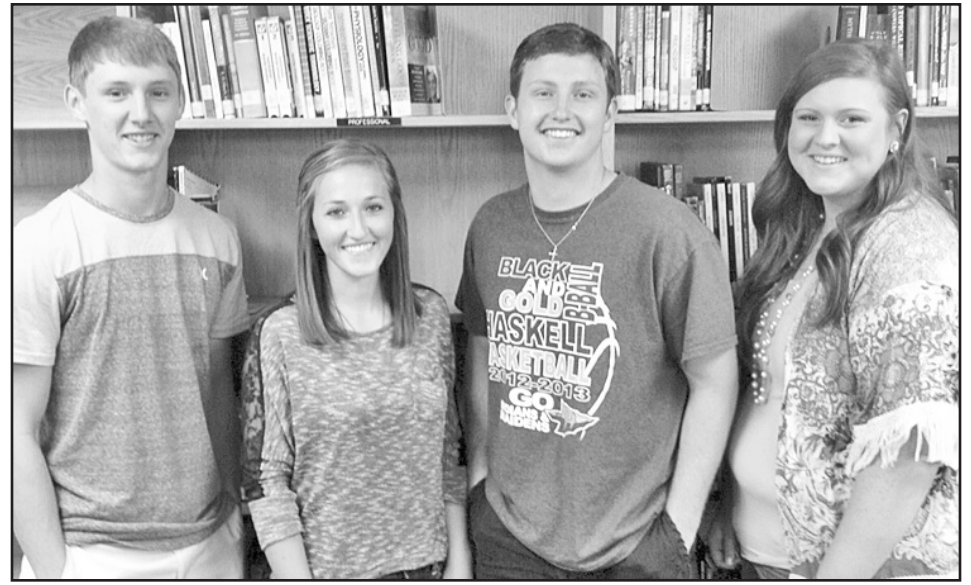
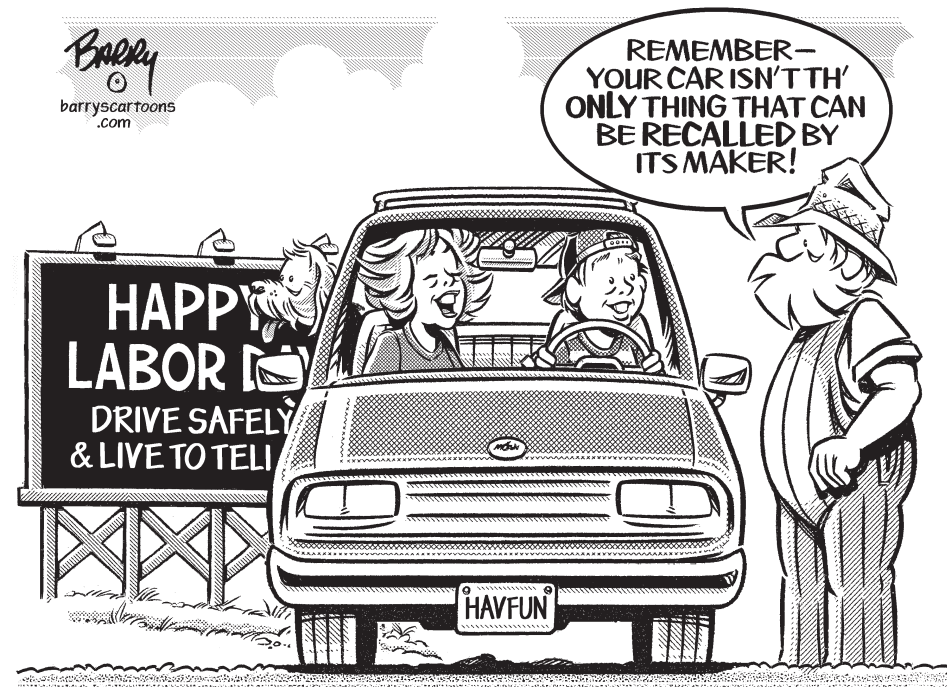
BLOCK PARTY

Wednesday, September 9
5:30 - 7:00 PM
First Baptist Church Parking Lot
Join us for food and fun!

GAMES

FACE PAINTING

You will be able to sign your child up for TeamKID here!



CLASS OFFICERS—The Haskell High School Senior Class of 2016 elected class officers recently. Officers are, l-r, Dylan Hanson, president; Hannah Foster, secretary/reporter; Pryce Stewart, vice president; and Kourtney Howard, Rotary chairman.

From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

10 Years Ago September 8, 2005

Lori Rodriguez, chairman of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade, has announced that the parade will be held at night this year. Floats will display lighting to reflect the theme of "The Light of Christmas."

Haskell High School cheerleaders for this year are Allison Mitchell, Lauren Newton, Stephanie Grand, Haley Chavez, Jasmine Thomas, Kerri Newton, Amber Bingham and Ashton Rutkowski. Caleb Hudgens is the Indian mascot.

Leading the cheers for the Rule High School teams are Molly Dudensing, Ashley Lisle, Morgan Lisle, Joanna Lehrmann, Kortney Kupatt, Keli Smith and Lacey Stephens.

20 Years Ago September 7, 1995

A reception honoring DPS Trooper James Davis, was hosted by the Texas Department of Public Safety. Davis is retiring after 27-1/2 years with the department, all in Haskell County.

The Haskell High School sophomore class elected the following officers: Amy Burson, president; Vanessa Miller, vice-president; Amanda Cothron, sec./treas.; and Breann Peiser, reporter. Class sponsors are Cathy Bartley, Darlene Bellinghausen, Duane Gilly, Dwayne Gray and Christie Stapleton.

Leading cheers at Paint Creek High School for the upcoming year are Leigh Ann Reel, Halee Walton, Capella Tsoodle, Amanda

Crawford, Crystal Hill and Amy Barbour.

30 Years Ago September 5, 1985

Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Lyles opened a jewelry store in Haskell on the east side of the square in 1935, and 50 years later, the store is still in operation in the same location by Mrs. Lyles.

Martin and Lena Rueffer were honored with a double birthday celebration. Both were born on September 4. All eight of their children were present, as well as nineteen grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Total enrollment for Haskell ISD was up on the first day of classes. Haskell junior high and high school reported 285 students, while the elementary school registered 389 students.

40 Years Ago September 4, 1975

Glenda Gayle Chapman, twenty year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman of the Mattson community, was crowned Miss Rodeo Texas during the pageant held in Stephenville. She will travel to PRCA rodeos throughout the year to promote the sport of rodeo.

The Haskell High School senior class elected the following officers: Randy Pheister, president; Jamie Mickler, vice-president; Johnny Hawkins, student council representative; Christie McAdams, secretary; Chris Love, treasurer; and Kendra Sams, reporter.

The "Yankee Doodle Girls" performed at the West Texas Fair in Abilene with a program musically

tracing the history of our country from the American Revolution through 1975. The group includes Roberta High, Mary Kennedy, Becky Richardson and Nelda Lane.

50 Years Ago September 9, 1965

W.H. Baccus, Jr. became the owner of Bob Dulaney's Drive-In Grocery on Monday when he assumed management of the business. It will now operate under the name of Baccus Drive-In Grocery.

Captain Arvie Bergstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Bergstrom of Paint Creek, has completed the orientation course for officers of the U.S. Air Force Medical Service. Dr. Bergstrom has been assigned to the medical staff at Hof Air Station, Germany.

Donna Josselet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Josselet of Haskell, will be the Drum Major for the Indian Band.

100 Years Ago September 4, 1915

J.W. Gholson, manager of the local store of A.F. Rutherford & Co., has returned after a visit to Anson. While at Anson, he made preparation to move his family to this city in the near future.

There was another alarm of fire turned in shortly after 11 o'clock from the Sherill Elevator. The blaze was discovered to be a huge pile of straw and chaff. For a time it looked like there might be something doing. Just preceding the fire alarm, a stiff norther struck town and the wind was blowing a veritable gale.

Haskell hosts daycare conference

by DaLinda Black CEA/FCS, Haskell Co.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service-Family and Consumer Sciences Program Area Committee partnered with Haskell Early Learning Center to offer the first annual regional daycare conference during

the month of August. The daycare conference provided Continuing Education Units or clock hours to those who work in the daycare, foster or Early Head Start industry.

Several subjects were covered throughout the day, starting with DaLinda Black, Haskell County Extension

Agent, presenting ER Preparedness for Daycares; Dr. Francine Stuckey, Professor of Family and Consumer Sciences and Director Child Development Center at Eastern New Mexico University, presenting Guidance and Discipline for Young Children; Dana Tarter, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Central Region Program leader for Family and Consumer Sciences, presenting Partnering with Community Organizations; Linda Haynes, CPS Investigations Supervisor, presenting SIDS and Shaken Baby Syndrome. Lastly, Texas State Licensing gave an over-view of the Texas State Daycare Minimum Standards.

Local business and non-profits were able to set up booths either to sell merchandise or to create awareness.

Music Jubilee

The Haskell Country Music Jubilee will be held the second Monday of the month at 7 p.m. at HTS in Haskell. Those interested in playing and listening are encouraged to come and enjoy the fun. Practice sessions are held on Thursday nights at HTS.

Food manager certification training course set in Abilene

by Jane Rowan CEA/FCS, Taylor Co.

Statistics indicate that foodborne illness continues to be a health issue in the United States. Each year, one in six Americans will become sick, 128,000 will become hospitalized, and 3,000 will die due to a foodborne illness.

If under the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) jurisdiction each food establishment is required to have one certified food manager on site.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service in Jones, Taylor and Nolan Counties, is offering a professional food manager certification training course. This two day program will be offered for \$125.00 on Oct. 19 and Oct. 26 at the Taylor County Extension Office. Cost includes training, materials, and the ServSafe

food manager certification examination. The food manager's certification will be valid for five years. Registration deadline is Oct. 5.

This program is designed to not only prepare foodservice managers to pass the certification examination; it will provide valuable education regarding the safe handling of food. Almost 50 cents of every dollar Americans spend on food is spent on meals prepared away from home. Therefore, careful attention to food safety will help keep customers safe and satisfied.

Foodborne illnesses are estimated to cost thousands of dollars in lost wages, insurance, and medical bills. With these statistics, knowledge of how to prevent foodborne illness is essential. The benefits of improved food safety include:

- Increased customer satisfaction
- Improved relationships with health officials
- Prevention of bad publicity and law suits due to foodborne illness
- By attending the course, foodservice managers will learn about:
 - identifying potentially hazardous foods and common errors in food handling
 - preventing contamination and cross-contamination of food
 - teaching and encouraging personal hygiene for employees
 - complying with government regulations
 - maintaining clean utensils, equipment and surroundings
 - controlling pests
- Foodborne illnesses can be prevented by following simple food safety practices. For more information about the Professional Food Manager Certification Training course of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, called "Food Safety: It's Our Business," call Jane Rowan at 325-672-6048. You may also access a downloadable registration form at <http://taylor.agrilife.org>.

City of Rule to hold city wide cleanup

The City of Rule will have a city wide clean up Sept. 14-18.

Dumpsters will be located at the Rule Fire Department. One dumpster will be designated for tires only—no rims or wheels allowed. One dumpster will be designated for scrap metal and iron only. Two dumpsters will be designated for all other garbage and debris. This is for city of Rule residents only.

A current city of Rule water bill stub is required for proof of residency before using dumpsters.

Unauthorized persons caught using dumpsters will be subject to a fine and/or jail time. Security cameras will be in place. All A/C's, refrigerators, freezers, or any unit containing Freon must be tagged by a licensed technician that the Freon has been removed.

Please do not leave or throw garbage, appliances, tires, furniture, etc., on the ground outside these dumpsters. The City asks that anyone witnessing such

Rule garage sales set Sat., Sept. 5

The city of Rule will have a community wide garage sale Sat., Sept. 5, from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Maps will be available at the old Lions Club Building, west end of Rule city park, the day of the event. For more information, call Teresa at 940-996-2214.

Warpath 5K

The Haskell Lions Club is sponsoring the Warpath 5K, a fun run and walk Sat., Sept. 26, starting at 8 a.m. To request a registration form, contact haskelljazzfan@yahoo.com or any Lions Club member. All funds raised will be used to benefit local organizations and Lions Club International.

action to please report it to City Hall or the Rule Police Chief immediately. Rule City Hall phone number is 940-996-2214.



Texas A&M University AgriLife Extension Service

by Jason Westbrook, CEA-Ag, Haskell Co.

by Jason Westbrook CEA-Ag, Haskell Co. Show pig sale

The 2015 Show Pig Sale will be held Mon., Oct. 5 at 7 p.m. at the Wylie FFA Showbarn, located behind the football field on Antilley Road in Abilene. The sale benefits the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Pigs purchased at this sale will be eligible to show at the Jackpot Show Dec. 5.

For more information, call Denny Heathcott, 325-977-0008; Allen Richburg, 325-236-5666; or Archie Jobe, 325-660-8334. More information may also be found at WestTexasRehab.org.



PIRATE AWARD—Paint Creek pre-K student, Kavan Adams, was selected for the "most authentic pirate award" during the Paint Creek pep rally Fri., Aug. 28. Kavan is the son of L.P. and Lynndy Adams of Haskell.

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HASKELL INDIANS vs Ranger

**Fri., Sept. 4
7:30 P.M. at
Ranger**



2015 HASKELL INDIANS—Members of the 2015 Haskell Indian football team include, front row, l-r, Sam Fouts, Rocky Haggard, Marc Guzman, Kadin Seeliger, Dalton Meinzer, Bryce Rodriguez and Hayden Hudson; middle row: Coach Grady Benton, Devon Barrios, Lane Burson, Pryce Stewart, Garret Tatum, Alex Alvarez, Alec Roewe,

Kellen Parks, Hayden Leach, Dylan Hanson, Coach Matt Garvin; back row: Coach Chet Forehand, Coach Jeremy Kirk, Rudy Espinoza, Colton Wright, Chase Gibson, Kyle Glass, Kyler Hoover, Cody Strickland, Caden Tatum, Coach Tate Thompson and Coach Dusten Mackey.



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ECC Menu

Mon., Sept. 7
Closed for Labor Day
Wed., Sept. 9
Sloppy Joes, pinto beans, chips, onions, pickles, white cake, tea or coffee
Fri., Sept. 11
Hamburger steak and brown gravy, scalloped potatoes, ranch style beans, chocolate cake with Coke icing, tea or coffee
Announcements begin at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch.

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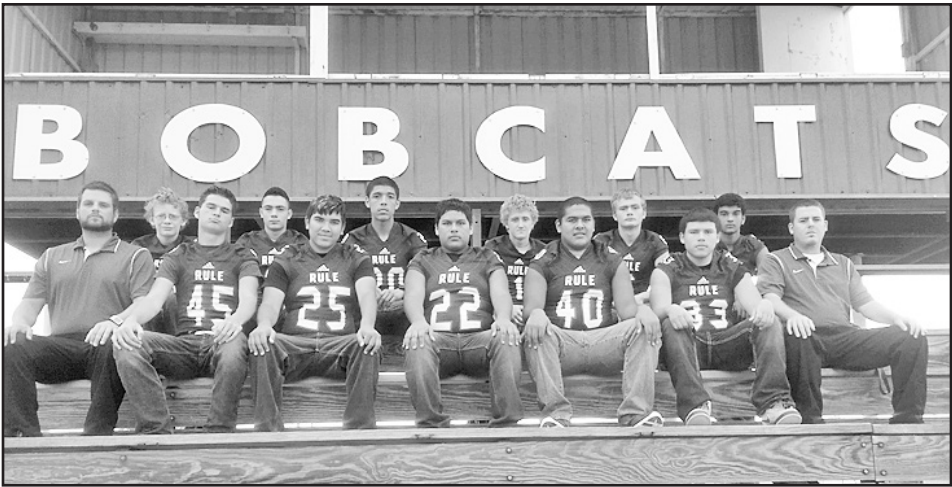
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Haskell School Menu

Sept. 7-11 Breakfast
Milk variety and 100% fruit juice is available at every meal.
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Chicken-n-biscuit or cereal variety and toast
Wednesday: French toast and sausage or cereal variety and toast
Thursday: Breakfast pocket or cereal variety and toast
Friday: Dutch waffle and bacon or cereal variety and toast

Lunch
Milk variety is available at every meal.
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Pesto chicken flatbread, baby carrots with ranch, steamed broccoli, pineapple, sugar cookie
Wednesday: Tex-Mex stack, Spanish rice, refried beans, salsa, garden salad, petite tomato cup, apples
Thursday: Chicken Parmesan, breadstick, savory green beans, garden salad, fresh apple slices
Friday: Cheeseburger with garnish, oven fries, western beans, diced pears



RULE BOBCATS—The Rule Bobcats team members include, front row, l-r, Coach Josh Conner, Chase Potter, Isaiah Castillo, Joseph Chavez, Rinaldo Chavez, Gasper Magallon and Coach Mark Weaver; back row, Del Fritzler, Adolfo Gonzalez, Jacob Navarrette, Brandon Mitchell, Ron Mitchell and Chase Thompson.

Bobcats defeat Gorillas, 67-36

The Rule Bobcats defeated the Trent Gorillas 67-36 Friday night.

Chase Thompson scored five times and Chase Potter scored four times for the

Bobcats. Potter had 202 yards rushing and Thompson caught three passes for 124 yards.

Thompson scored on a 57 yard run in the first quarter, with Ron Mitchell adding the PAT with a pass from Chase Potter.

In the second quarter, Potter scored on a 59 yard run followed by the PAT kick by Brandon Mitchell. Ronaldo Chavez caught a 21 yard pass from Brandon Mitchell. The kick failed. Thompson then caught a 45 yard pass from Potter. The

kick failed. Thompson scored twice more in the quarter with a 39 yard pass from Mitchell and a 43 yard run. The kick failed.

In the third quarter, Thompson pulled down a 40 yard pass from Ron Mitchell. Ron Mitchell had a successful kick for the PAT.

The fourth quarter saw Potter score three touchdowns on runs of 3 yards, 57 yards and 50 yards. Mitchell added the PAT kick.

The Bobcats will face Paducah Fri., Sept. 4 at 7:30 p.m. at Paducah.

Paint Creek School Menu

Sept. 7-11 Breakfast
Milk and juice are served daily.
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Pancake sticks
Wednesday: Biscuits, sausage, gravy
Thursday: French toast
Friday: Early bird sandwich

Lunch
Milk is served daily.
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Chicken fajitas, beans, salad, fruit
Wednesday: Pulled pork slider, chips, coleslaw, hot apples
Thursday: Chicken Parmesan, breadsticks, green beans, salad, peaches
Friday: Hamburger, fries, ranch style beans, pears

Haskell CISD to present Aim For Success program

Aim For Success, Inc. will present their nationally acclaimed program to the students and parents of Haskell CISD. The Aim For Success motivational programs have educated over two million teens, parents and educators across America since 1993 on topics such as abstinence education, drug prevention and anti-bullying.

Haskell junior high and high school students will attend presentations on these topics on September 9 during the school day. Students will be divided into appropriate age groups for the presentations.

A parent preview program will be presented on Tues., Sept. 8 at 6:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The upcoming program addresses the problems of teen pregnancies, the escalating STD epidemic and the traumatic, emotional pain that is often associated with teen sexual activity. The program will clearly demonstrate to the students that avoiding sexual activity until marriage provides freedom from pregnancies, STDs and regret while giving them the freedom to fulfill their dreams and goals.

The Empowered To Defend presentation informs students how they can overcome the words and actions of bullies by teaching the one proven way to stop bullying. The program will illustrate through riveting, true stories the affects bullying has on its victims and will empower students to defend those being bullied. Whether it's cyber-bullying or a face-to-face confrontation, students will learn how they can disarm the situation and turn it into good.

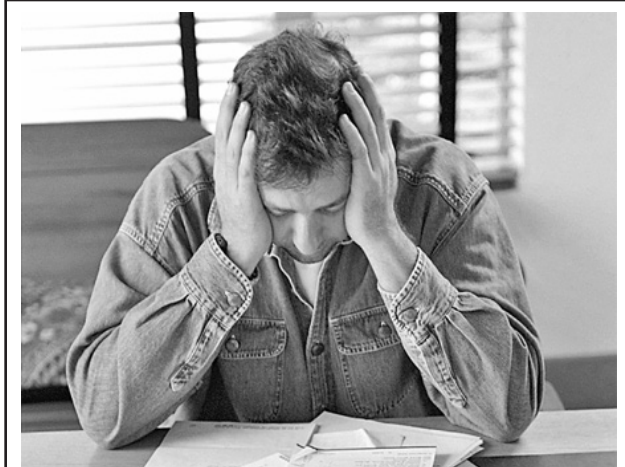
The parent program is a preview of the student presentation where parents will learn creative ways to talk to and encourage their child about these important social issues.

Parents of junior high and high school students, as well as other interested community members are encouraged to attend.

Rule School Menu

Sept. 7-11 Breakfast
Fresh fruit, juice or milk are offered daily.
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Chicken-n-biscuit
Wednesday: French toast sticks, sausage
Thursday: Breakfast pocket
Friday: Dutch waffle, bacon

Lunch
Milk is served daily.
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Ravioli with meat sauce, roll, salad, veggie cup, fruit
Wednesday: Pulled pork slider, chips, coleslaw, tomato cup, cinnamon apples
Thursday: Pigs in a blanket, fries, ranch style beans, pears
Friday: Italian paste bake, breadsticks, green beans, salad, apple slices

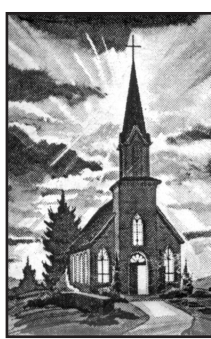


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This Week's Devotional Message:



Faith commands us to work with our hands and our brains

Now the Lord had a reason for giving us hands,
Since we use them in earning our bread;
And an honest day's work our religion demands
As our method of getting ahead.
There was also a reason for giving us brains:
To absorb what the Lord had to say;

For we see in each lesson the Bible contains
The instruction to work and to pray.
So whatever you do in your chosen career,
Just be sure that you give it your best;
Then when Labor Day's big celebration is here,
You'll enjoy every moment of rest.

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**
Rev. Earnest Flanders, Jr., pastor
Sun. 9:30 a, 11:00 a, 6:30 p; Wed. 7 p
301 N. 3rd St., Haskell
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- 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
Jason Daniels, minister of Youth and Music
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**
Morris R. Johnson, pastor
Sun. 9:30 a., 10:45 a., 6 p., Wed. 7 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**
Jim McCurley, 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
O'Brien

Calendar

Vet office open

The Veterans Service office in Haskell is now open. The office, located on the first floor of the west wing of the courthouse, will be open on the first and third Thursdays of each month from 10 a.m. to noon. For information, call 940-256-1125 any time or email Haskell vaso@yahoo.com.

Al-Anon

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

Homecoming set Sept. 25-26

Haskell-Mattson-Rochester-Weinert homecoming will be held Sept. 25-26.

Storm siren tests

The City of Haskell Emergency Management will test the tornado sirens every Friday at 11:30 a.m. barring bad weather during storm season. The tornado sirens will be used in conjunction with storm watchers and the Code Red phone notification system. Should you have any questions please contact 940-864-2333.

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Garage Sale

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MUSEUM GARAGE SALE: Sat., Sept. 12th, 8 a.m., Munday Event Center (near elevator off Bus. US 277), Munday, Texas. Hamburger lunch. Benefits Wichita Brazos Museum. 36-37c

GARAGE SALE: Sat., Sept. 5, 7 a.m. til ? 1010 McCarty Avenue, Rule. John Deere and western decor, bedroom furniture, space heaters, tool boxes, misc. small farm items, 2 way radio. Too much to list. 36p

TOOL SALE: Chipper, gas weed eaters, electric hedge trimmer, pushmower, new generator, small tools, kids' clothes, household things. Lots of toys. Cash only. 700 Simpson, Rule. Sat., Sept. 5. 36c

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CORRECTIONAL OFFICER: Rolling Plains Detention Center is hiring correctional officers. Responsible for the supervision of inmates and detainees. Must have either a high school diploma or GED, valid state issued driver's license and a U.S. citizen. Applications can be picked up at Rolling Plains or completed online at www.emeraldcompanies.com. 36-37c

LVN: Rolling Plains Detention Center is hiring a LVN. Job responsibilities include providing nursing care to offenders at the facility. Education and certifications: Graduation from high school or GED required. 1-2 years experience desirable; licensure by the respective State Board of Nurse Examiners is required. Certification by the American Heart Association as Basic Life Support Provider. \$25,000/hour starting pay with

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differential pay for night shift and Spanish speaking applicants. \$750 sign on bonus after 6 months of employment. Applications can be completed at Rolling Plains. For questions, please contact DON or HSA at 940-864-5694. Applications can be completed online at www.emeraldcompanies.com. 36-37c

NURSES AIDE: Rolling Plains Detention Center is taking application for nurse's aide. Job responsibilities: To assist LVNs and RN in providing basic nursing care to offenders at the facility, according to Facility Administration Policies and Local, State, and Federal Regulations. Graduation from high school or GED required. Spanish-speaking ability is required for this position 1-2 years experience desirable, preferably in a correctional setting. Certification by the American Heart Association as Basic Life Support Provider. Applications can be completed at Rolling Plains or online at www.emeraldcompanies.com. For questions, please contact DON or HSA at 940-864-5694. 36-37c

Public Notices

CITATION BY PUBLICATION-TRCP 109 & 114 CAUSE NO. 12178 Randy Campbell vs. Unknown Heirs of Bessie Graham, A/K/A Frances Graham, deceased In the 39th Judicial District Court of Haskell County, Texas TO: Unknown heirs of Bessie Graham, A/K/A Frances Graham, Deceased, Defendant Greeting: Notice to Defendant: "You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of 42 days after the date this citation was issued, a default judgment may be taken against you."

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday, October 5, 2015 before the Honorable District Court of Haskell County, at the Courthouse in said County in Haskell, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 18th day of August, 2015 in the above entitled cause. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for quiet title on real property,

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described as follows: Being 1/2 acre of land out of the Out Lot No. 2 of the Brown and Roberts Addition to the town of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, said 1/2 acre of land being described as follows: Beginning at the SE corner of said Out Lot No. 2 for the SE corner of this tract; Thence North 140 feet; Thence West 155.6 feet; Thence South 140 feet; Thence East 155.6 feet to the beginning, containing 1/2 acres of land being the land conveyed to J.C. Courtney by Mr. Katherine Turcker a widow, by deed dated March 1st, 1924, recorded in Volume 96, Page 473 of the deed records of Haskell County, Texas as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Haskell, Haskell County, Texas on this the 18th day of August, 2015. Attorney for Plaintiff or Plaintiff: L.W. (Bill) Jones, Attorney at Law, P.O. Box 1058, Haskell, Texas 79521 Clerk of the Court: Penny Anderson, Haskell County District Clerk, P.O. Box 27, Haskell, Texas 79521 35-38c

NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF WEINERT The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has notified the City of Weinert water system that the drinking water being supplied to customers has exceeded the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for Nitrate. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has established the MCL for Nitrate at 10 mg/L, and has determined that it is a health concern at levels

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above the MCL. Analysis of drinking water in your community for Nitrate indicates a level of 20.4 mg/L.

Infants below the age of six months who drink water containing nitrate in excess of the MCL could become seriously ill and, if untreated, may die. Symptoms include shortness of breath and blue baby syndrome.

You do not need to use an alternative water supply. However, if you have health concerns, you may want to talk to your doctor to get more information about how this may affect you.

At the present time we are currently looking into ways to correct this problem. An engineer has been hired and is awaiting approval for a filtration system. If you are pregnant or have an infant under six

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months included in this public water system as a customer, we have made arrangements with local grocery store in Haskell (Modern Way) so that you may get bottled water at the City of Weinert's expense. Please go by Weinert City Hall to pick up ID card before charging water.

If you have any questions or would like to know if you are currently being served as a customer of this public water system please feel free to call or contact the City Secretary Patricia Horan, c/o City of Weinert, Box 248, Weinert, Texas 76388 at 940-673-8223.

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**Comm. Pct. #2	\$25,304.00	\$26,504.00	\$10,800.00 Travel
**Comm. Pct. #3	\$25,304.00	\$26,504.00	\$10,800.00 Travel
**Comm. Pct. #4	\$25,304.00	\$26,504.00	\$10,800.00 Travel
**Tax A/C	\$26,268.00	\$27,468.00	\$ 240.00
**Co. Clerk	\$26,268.00	\$27,468.00	
**Treasurer	\$28,292.00	\$29,492.00	\$ 3,840.00 Prob. Ofc Sup \$1,200.00
Justice of the Peace	\$26,268.00	\$27,468.00	\$1,200.00
**District Clerk	\$26,268.00	\$27,468.00	\$ 600.00
**Co. Attorney	\$35,907.00	\$37,107.00	\$23,333.00 St Supplement
**Constable	\$17,342.00	\$18,542.00	
**Sheriff	\$34,004.00	\$35,204.00	\$ 6,000.00 Monitoring fee

*\$10,200.00 increase in Co. Judge state supplement
**This includes a \$1,200.00/yr increase to each officers salary

Thank You
The American Legion would like to thank everyone for attending the Haskell Gun & Knife Show. The continued support for this event ensures the vendors will return. This not only helps the Haskell American Legion, Post 221, but also helps local businesses (food, gas and lodging).
I would also like to thank David Davis, Donna Davis, Jennabeth Kimbrough, Delight Jones, Travis Dewey and Brenda Frye. Without their help this event would not have been possible.
Thanks to all the vendors, those local and those from surrounding areas, who made the show a huge success. We look forward to seeing you in March for the next show, which will be held March 26-27.
Ernest Fry

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1506 N. AVE. M-3/2 with carport. \$109,900-NEW
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1507 N. AVE. E-Historic 4/3. \$149,000
1702 N. AVE. G-3/2. \$61,500
604 15TH ST.-3/2 on corner lot. \$79,500-REDUCED
116 EAST AVE. J-Large 3/2. \$74,500-SOLD
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672 +/- ACRES MUDDY CREEK- US Hwy 277, diverse mix of 397 acres native pasture, 56 acres CRP and 211 acres cultivation. 4 tanks, 1 acre lake, seasonal creek.

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2 +/- ACRES EAST ROAD-Perfect Home site! \$9,500 NEW
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700 N 3RD ST-\$4,900
506 N LITH-\$6,900
1601 DERRICK DRIVE-\$8,500
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1602 ROBBYN LANE-\$7,500
1608 ROBBYN LANE-\$8,500
1601, 1603, 1605, 1607, 1609 ROBBYN LANE-\$5,000 EACH
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110 S AVE M-Residential Lot. \$3,250.00

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706 N 18TH-Stunning Custom Home on Edge of Town! 5/4.5. \$325,000 NEW
121 Hwy 380 W-Outskirts of Town w/ 3.5 Acres! 3/2. \$229,000 UNDER CONTRACT
701 N AVE L-Country Living in Town on 1 +/- Acre lot! 4/3.5. \$197,500
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2245 FM 2163-ROCHESTER-Country Living at its Best! 12 +/- ACRES. \$165,000 UNDER CONTRACT
1604 ROBBYN LANE-2013 Built Custom Home! 3/2. \$132,500
904 N AVE G- Newly Updated! A Must See! 3/2. \$92,500 NEW
3121 HWY 6 ROCHESTER-Country Living at its Best! 3/2. \$92,000
1005 N AVE F-Something Special 2/2. \$89,900 REDUCED
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1605 N AVE E-Fabulous WOW Factor! Possible Owner Finance 3/2. \$92,500 UNDER CONTRACT
200 S AVE H-Sweet Deal! 3/3. \$84,900 UNDER CONTRACT
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110 W M ST, MUNDAY- Family Friendly Neighborhood! 3/2. \$69,900 SOLD
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1009 N 6TH-Great find! 2/2. \$49,900 NEW
500 S 3RD E-Room to Roam, Possible Financing! 3/2. \$52,000
504 S AVE F-Great Curb appeal! 4/1. \$44,900
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130 MADDEN LANE-Lake Stamford Vedas Camp-fully furnished 3/2. \$36,500

9-11 memorial service to be held Sept. 11 at 7:30 a.m.

It has been fourteen years since nineteen militants associated with the Islamic extremist group al-Qaeda hijacked four airliners and carried out suicide attacks against targets in the United States.

Like many others held across the nation, Haskell will hold a 9/11 Memorial Service. Friday, September 11, residents are asked to

meet at 7:30 a.m. at the flagpole at the Haskell County Courthouse, for a time of remembrance for the more than 3,000 people killed during the attacks, to support our armed forces engaged in combatting terrorism, as well as to show pride in our great country.

The short ceremony, sponsored by Haskell

County will include a welcome by Justin Cox, music, flag raising by the Haskell Volunteer Fire Dept., 21 gun salute by American Legion members, Taps by Kim Bassett and a closing prayer.

As a country and individually, it is important never to forget the lessons learned on that fateful day in 2001.



IT'S GOOD—Haskell Indian #7 Caleb Wheat puts the first of five through the uprights in the win against the Grape Creek Eagles.



TACKLE FOR A LOSS—Haskell Indian senior #99 Garret Tatum brings down a Grape Creek Eagle for a loss during Friday night's game.

Paint Creek Pirates lose to Cowboys

The Paint Creek Pirates had a tough season opener against Woodson Friday night, losing 71-26.

Everett Priddy scored twice for Paint Creek and Frankie Masias had three touchdown passes and 166 yards passing.

Priddy scored with a six yard run and a pass from Dylan Webb to Masias secured the PAT in the first quarter.

In the third quarter, Manual Acosta scored on a 17 yard pass from Masias. The PAT failed. Priddy pulled down a 20 yard pass from Masias for a touchdown. The PAT failed. Ethan Harper scored on a Masias pass of 17 yards. The PAT failed.

The Pirates will meet Plainview Christian Thurs., Sept. 3 at 7:30 p.m. at Jayton.

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Water conservation

The City of Haskell has dropped all water restrictions for water customers as of June 1. We have been blessed with rain and do not anticipate the need to continue restrictions at this time.

Water conservation

The City of Rule has lifted water restrictions for water customers. However, the council urges citizens to voluntarily conserve water when possible.

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2015 Property Tax Rates in Haskell Hospital District M&O

This notice concerns 2015 property tax rates for Haskell Hospital District M&O. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's *effective* tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's *rollback* tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 property value.

	General Fund
LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 895,636.74
Last year's debt taxes	\$ 0.00
Last year's total taxes	\$ 895,636.74
Last year's tax base	\$ 379,025,281.00
Last year's total tax rate	\$ 0.236300/\$100
THIS YEAR'S EFFECTIVE TAX RATE:	
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 902,714.67
÷ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 394,454,008.00
= This year's effective tax rate	\$ 0.228851/\$100
(Maximum rate unless taxing unit publishes notices and holds hearings.)	
THIS YEAR'S ROLL BACK TAX RATE:	
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate, and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$ 889,534.00
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 394,454,008.00
= This year's effective operating rate	\$ 0.225510/\$100
x 1.08 = This year's maximum operating rate	\$ 0.243550/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$ 0/\$100
= This year's rollback rate	\$ 0.24355/\$100
STATEMENT OF INCREASE/DECREASE	
If Haskell Memorial Hospital District adopts a 2015 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$.2899 per \$100 of value, taxes would INCREASE compared to 2014 taxes by \$18,561.00.	
SCHEDULE A – UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES	
The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.	
Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance As Listed
Haskell Memorial Hospital District	\$ 0.00
SCHEDULE F – ENHANCED INDIGENT HEALTH CARE EXPENDITURES	
The Haskell Memorial Hospital District spent \$27,697.00 from July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014. The Haskell Memorial Hospital District spent \$21,826.00 from July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015. The above amounts are for enhanced indigent health care at the increased minimum eligibility standards, less the amount of state assistance. For the current tax year, the amount of increase above last year's enhanced indigent health care expenditures is -\$5,871.00.	
This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at	
HASKELL COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT	
604 North First Street, Haskell, Texas 79521	
Name of person preparing this notice: Leah Robertson, Chief Appraiser Date prepared: 08/26/2015	