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Wind farm construction to start next month THIS WEEK



**Clarendon College wins** marketing recognition

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## 2015: The Year In Review

#### **January 1, 2015** Thornberry prepares to lead **Armed Services Committee**

Congressman Mac Thornberry will make history next week.

On Tuesday, January 6, he will be sworn in for his eleventh term in the US House of Representatives, and then the passage of a resolution will make the boy from Clarendon the first Texan to lead the House Armed Services Committee.

Thornberry never expected to be in Congress this long when he was first elected with the Republican revolution in 1994, but his longevity has led him to a position of influence that few Americans will ever realize.

"You feel a certain weight to do the most you can with the job," Thornberry told the Enterprise last week. "It is only because of the support of people at home that you can rise in seniority."

#### **January 8, 2015 Red River Inn receives** TripAdvisor excellence award

Clarendon's Best Western Plus Red River Inn announced this week that it has received a "TripAdvisor"

Certificate of Excellence Award.

The accolade, which honors hospitality excellence, is given only to establishments that consistently achieve outstanding traveler reviews on TripAdvisor, and is extended to qualifying businesses worldwide. Establishments awarded the Certificate of Excellence are located all over the world and represent the upper echelon of businesses listed on the website.

#### **January 15, 2015** Hommel, Tucek win beef division

Koyt Tucek and Hannah Hommel exhibited the top animals in the Beef Division during the annual Donley County Junior Livestock Show last Saturday, January 10, at the Donley County Activity

Tucek showed the Grand February 12, 2015 Champion Steer, and Hommel had the Grand Champion Heifer.

#### **January 15, 2015 CISD** names Norrell as finalist

Mike Norrell of Adrian was named as the lone finalist to be the next superintendent of Clarendon ISD tonight.

The CISD Board of Trustees met behind closed doors for about an hour at their regular meeting this evening before selecting Norrell, who has held the top job in Adrian for four and a half years and was attracted by Clarendon's reputation.

"People are drawn to good schools," he told the Enterprise, "and Clarendon is a good school with a good history and potential."

#### **January 22, 2015 College making strides**

Clarendon College is back in session this week with late registration continuing through Friday.

Students began their spring classes on Tuesday, but college faculty and staff were back in force last February 19, 2015 Thursday during All College Day for orientation.

President Robert Riza addressed his employees that day and gave them a positive outlook on a college that he said is headed in the right direction.

"We are changing the culture of this college," Riza said. "That's a positive thing, and we're making strides."

#### **January 29, 2015 City taps Dockery as** administrator

David Dockery was named the next Clarendon City Administrator during the regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen Tuesday night, January 27.

City officials made the decision after meeting behind closed doors for about 40 minutes. Dockery later accepted the position and office. is expected to meet with Mayor Larry Hicks soon to finalize contract details.

Hicks said Wednesday morning that a start date for the former

Johnson City administrator has not College President Robert Riza was and also for the work he's done to word is spreading among academic

#### **February 5, 2015** Two-county high-speed chase ends in Clarendon

A high speed chase that ended in downtown Clarendon was one of several cases that had local law enforcement busy last week.

Donley County Sheriff Butch Blackburn said Armstrong County dispatchers got a call of a subject throwing litter out of a car west of Claude on Friday evening, January 30; and when a deputy responded the subject evaded and led officers on a chase into Donley County on

Donley County deputies successfully spiked three of the vehicle's tires but were not able to stop the vehicle until it got downtown in front of City Hall.

Matthew Andrew Dunscombe, a 24-year-old resident of Tucson, Ariz., was placed under arrest for Evading Arrest and was subsequently arraigned before being returned to the custody of Armstrong County.

#### **February 12, 2015** Stavenhagen Video closing

Clarendon's main street will have one fewer businesses in a short time after Stavenhagen Video owner Bill Stavenhagen announced this week that he will soon be clos-

After 27 years, Stavenhagen says he has no complaints about his relationship with RadioShack. Instead, he says the Internet was ultimately the demise of his store with Netflix cutting into the video rental business and shoppers saving money online.

"The Internet killed us," he said. "I never thought it would happen. At Christmas everyone goes online to beat the crowds. That hurts Amarillo stores, but it really hurts local businesses."

## **CC** spring enrollment down

Clarendon College reports spring enrollment is down slightly following the 12th day of class last Wednesday, February 5, but contact hours, which determine CC's state funding, were up slightly.

CC President Robert Riza said the strong economy in Gray County impacts the college's Pampa Center with more students going into the workforce than pursuing education.

#### **February 19, 2015 Clarendon EDC names King** interim director

Jack King was named the Interim Director of Tourism and Economic Development by the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation last week.

The CEDC Board met in called session Monday, February 9, and interviewed King before voting to approve his appointment. King's first day on the job was Monday, February 16, and says he sees several positives for Clarendon.

## **Chamber honors Selvidge**

Former mayor Tex Selvidge was honored by the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce with the 2014 Saints' Roost Award for his lifetime of service and commitment to the community during the annual Chamber Awards Banquet last Thursday, February 12.

Man of the Year honors went to Jacob Fangman, and Denise Bertrand was named the Woman of the Year.

Selvidge grew up in Stinnett and joined the Clarendon College family in 1965. He served several positions but is best known for his two-decade stint as Dean of Students, until his retirement in 1998. Through the years he also ran a small business on Kearney Street, served as an adult probation officer, and has been elected to public

#### **February 26, 2015 CC** Regents extend Riza's contract

The contract of Clarendon

extended when the CC Board of Regents met in regular session last Texas Rangers. Thursday, February 19.

Regents met behind closed doors for nearly an hour and a half discussing college personnel, evaluating the president, and discussing real property leases in Childress and Amarillo.

When they resumed in open session, regents approved extending Dr. Riza's contract through June 1, 2018, and approved an increase in salary for the president as well.

#### March 5, 2015 Friends help woman during

A Clarendon woman is grateful for her neighbors and local firemen this week after a fire threatened her home last Friday, February 27.

"I started to go get my purse (in the back bedroom), but then I thought 'get out of here.'"

The 90-year-old, who uses a walker to get around, made it to the front porch about the same time that a neighbor noticed what was hap-

Clarendon College freshman Sarah Luttrell was across the street in her parents' home with her friends, Deborah Howard and Zhanae Bassett, when she noticed what she first thought was fog outside the kitchen window. She soon realized it was smoke coming from Gray's house, alerted her friends, and took off out the front door.

Luttrell and Howard each took an arm and helped Gray to safety in the nearby car of Jack Barton, who had pulled up in time to see Luttrell dashing across the street. Meanwhile, Bassett was calling 911.

#### March 12, 2015 County agrees to delay in tax abatement

A wind farm tax abatement was pushed back for a one-year period when Donley County Commissioners met Monday, March 9.

County Judge John Howard said the abatement agreement with Cielo Land & Cattle remains unchanged except for the start date. Cielo's project construction schedule has shifted one year to accommodate the extension of the federal production tax credit and to secure appropriate financing.

#### March 12, 2015 **Johnson carries Texas Admiral title**

You don't have to salute Clarendon's Kevin Johnson the next time you see him, but he carries a new title that few people ever get. and that some didn't even know existed. He's an Admiral in the

Texas Navy. Of course, it's been a long time since actually had a navy. These days being a Texas Admiral is honorary title bestowed by the governor. It's position very much like that of a Kentucky Colonel.

Congressman John Culberson of the Seventh District and State. Rep. Dwayne Bohac of the 138th District worked to nominate the local spur maker and artist for the honor for the work he has done to promote Texas history and culture

make badges and other things for circles.

Local woman sentenced to 18 months One woman was sentenced to state jail after a district court hearing on Friday, March 6.

March 12, 2015

Patricia Danielle Moffett pleaded not true to allegations listed in the State's Motion to Adjudicate Guilt and was sentenced to 18 months in the State Jail Division of Texas Department of Criminal Justice for the state jail felony offense of forgery.

On September 17, 2012, Moffett, 30, from Amarillo, originally pleaded guilty to offense that occurred on August 15, 2012, in Donley County.

#### March 19, 2015 Services held for former Clarendon city alderman

Former Clarendon Alderman Terry Lee Noble was laid to rest Monday during services that dealt openly and honestly with a subject too often pushed into the shadows.

Noble took his own life in Pampa last Wednesday, March 12, marking the end of a lifelong struggle with depression.

Rev. Charles Lowry, pastor of CrossPointe Church in Pampa, officiated the service and addressed the topics of suicide and depression while eulogizing his friend.

"I don't want to make anyone uncomfortable, but we better start talking about this," Lowry said.

#### March 26, 2015 Dockery to review city's water system plan

The Clarendon Board of Aldermen put the brakes on an extensive water system improvement plan last Tuesday, March 17, in order to give new City Administrator David Dockery time to review the project.

Dockery commended the board for the work the city has done to identify issues of concern that need addressing and finding a way to pay for those improvements, but he asked the aldermen to give him one month to review the project before proceeding.

#### **April 2, 2015** City names judges for May election

The Clarendon Board of Aldermen appointed election judges for the upcoming May election during the city's regular meeting March 26.

Bunny Owens will serve as the election judge, and Wilma Lindley will the alternate judge.

Election day is May 9. Mayor Larry Hicks is unopposed for reelection, and three men are running for two places on the board. Aldermen Doug Kidd and Sandy Skelton are joined on the ballot by Britton

#### **April 9, 2015 CC** changing approach to developmental education

Clarendon College is changing the way development education is taught and putting students on a fast track to success, and now the

Last fall, CC undertook a new math pilot program where students needing developmental education were enrolled directly into college level courses paired with a supplemental lab, rather than the typical one- to three-semester route of taking developmental level courses and labs and then the college level course afterwards.

This shortened path has proven to increase the percentage of entering developmental students that successfully complete a collegelevel course and has cut the time to complete that college-level course by up to three semesters. Additionally, this has resulted in a significant tuition savings to students and a greater overall chance of graduating from college.

#### **April 9, 2015 HISD** names Waldrop as lone

Hedley ISD trustees named Colby Waldrop as their lone finalist in their search for a new school superintendent last Thursday, April 2, during a called board meeting.

Interim Superintendent Bill Wood said the board was unanimous in its selection of Waldrop after considering four applications and interviewing two candidates.

#### **April 16, 2015** Jones 5K draws 117 runners

Clarendon's Gavin Word and Jennifer McIntosh were the top men's and women's finishers of the third annual Chance Mark Jones Roar 'N Run 5K last Saturday, April 21, at Clarendon College.

The race sponsored by the Clarendon Lions Club in conjunction with National Child Abuse Awareness Month, drew nearly 200 registration with 117 actual runners and walkers as well as dozens of spectators, supporters and workers.

#### **April 23, 2015 County sees rise in foreign** residents

Like most of the United States, Donley County saw an increase in the number of foreign-born residents over the last decade.

From 2000 to 2012, the number of Donley County residents who were born in a foreign country grew by 28 people to an estimated 91, according to U.S. Census data.

The percentage of county residents who are foreign born also increased during the period, from 1.6 percent to an estimated 2.5 per-

The findings could be important locally because a new study by the Daily Yonder indicates rural counties with a higher percentage of immigrants are doing better eco-

#### **April 23, 2015** Donley courthouse turns 125 this year

The Donley County Courthouse is turning 125 years old this year, and officials are taking steps to make sure the Jewel of the Plains is in tip top shape.

Twenty-four trees were planted on the Courthouse Square Saturday,

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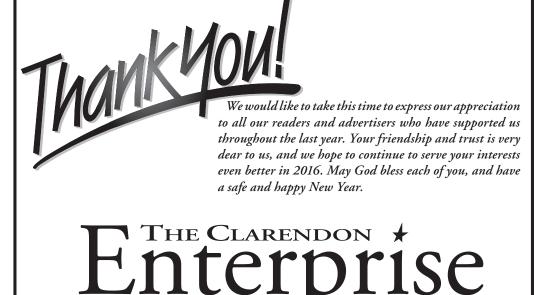
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## **2015:** CC boosts area economy

and planning for future shade on the and other activities. west side of the square.

#### **April 30, 2015** Bees slow work on old house

The old house at Sixth and held its regular meeting last Thursday, April 23.

more than five months ago when the May 30, at 10 a.m. owner of the house, Linda Lewis, was given six months to address specific code concerns.

Lewis did not attend last week's meeting, but sent Julie Russell to speak on her behalf. Russell said removal of one old balcony on the house had gone smoothly but attempted removal of a second balcony had revealed an infestation of bees. Work on the house has since been hindered because of the risk of agitating the bees.

#### May 7, 2015 JRCA says 200+ will rodeo this weekend

More than 200 kids will put their cowboy skills to the test this weekend when the Junior Rodeo Cowboys Association hosts a spring competition at the Clarendon College Livestock & Equine Center on Saturday and Sunday, May 9 and 10.

JRCA officials say kids ranging in ages from three to 19 are registered for more than 1,100 runs over the two-day period. Events will run from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. each day, and admission is \$5.

#### May 7, 2015 CC adds \$45 million to economy

Clarendon College added an estimated \$44.5 million to the economy of Donley County and seven neighboring counties that make up the CC service area in fiscal year 2013, according to a new study.

Those figures were presented by CC President Robert Riza to the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation Board at its regular meeting Monday evening.

The 78-page reports finds that CC had \$6.5 million in direct spending during the study period, which included \$5.6 million in payroll for 121 full-time and part-time employees. Much of that figure was spent in the service area to purchase groceries, clothing, and other household goods and services.

#### May 14, 2015 **County receives lighting** donation

**Donley County Commissioners** discussed upcoming improvements and activities on the Courthouse Square when they met in regular session Monday, May 11.

The Courthouse Lighting Committee reported that the Clarendon **Economic Development Corporation** had approved a request to provide \$5,000 for electrical improvements and additional lighting for the holiday season. Most of that money will go towards adding new outlets to the backs of floodlights on the courthouse lawn that can be used for

May 14, 2015

**HHS** names top grads

Kati Adams and Kortney Bugbee was again on the agenda Burton have been named the Hedley when the Clarendon City Council High School valedictorian and salutatorian for the Class of 2015.

Both girls will be recognized The structure narrowly avoided during commencement exercises at condemnation by the city a little the HHS Gymnasium on Saturday,

#### May 21, 2015 Johnson, Hysinger lead CHS **Class of 2015**

Clarendon High School announced this week that Abigail Johnson and Montana Hysinger are the top honor students of the Class of 2015.

Both Johnson and Hysinger will be recognized during graduation exercises next Friday, May 29, at 8 p.m. in the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center at Clarendon College.

#### May 21, 2015 Mulkey party is Saturday

Rain or shine the show will go on Saturday as the third annual Mulkey Block Party heralds the start of Memorial Day weekend.

Party organizers are keeping an eye on the forecast but say they intend to keep the party going unless weather becomes dangerous.

#### May 21, 2015

**Storm spawns tornadoes** 

A Saturday afternoon storm system produced tornadic active that tore across part of Donley County.

The storm was first warned by National Weather Service in Amarillo as it entered in to the county near Brice. When emergency personnel spotted rotation, storm sirens were sounded in Clarendon, Howardwick, and Hedley as the system

that three separate tornadoes occurred Saturday afternoon with the first being an EF-1 just south of US 287 between Lelia Lake and Hedley about 2:20 p.m. and lasting for 18 minutes as it tracked northeast.

occurred at 2:40 p.m. and continued for 27 minutes, continuing the northeast track into Collingsworth County. The third tornado was an EF-0 that occurred west of Shamrock and was on the ground for about lege in Texas, and flexibility. 11 minutes.

#### May 28, 2015 **Broncos' stellar season ends** in Regional Quarterfinals

The Clarendon Broncos had a **June 25, 2015** great baseball season but fell to West Texas High in the Regional Quarterfinal round.

WT in a best two-out-of-three series last week and despite going into an extra inning in the first game they were defeated by only one run each

#### June 4, 2015 **Grant will update CVFD's** extrication tools

The Clarendon Volunteer Fire

replacing some trees that have died Christmas lights, July Fourth booths, Department recently received an \$11,000 grant for a set of extrication tools through Texas A&M Forest Service's Rural VFD Assistance Pro-

> "Our department replaced a set of cutters, jaws, rams and a power unit that was in excess of 30 years old," Fire Chief Jeremy Powell said.

The tools can cut through car metal, apply over 10,000 pounds of force and allow rescuers to reach trapped occupants.

#### June 11, 2015 Services held for Selvidge

Hundreds of mourners filled the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center Sunday afternoon, June 7, to remember the life of Leonard "Tex" Selvidge, - a man who personified Clarendon College for decades.

Selvidge, the college's former dean of students and the former mayor of Clarendon, died Tuesday, June 2, 2015. Sunday's services were led by Rev. Chris Downer and Rev. Lance Wood with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

"Tex was totally invested in youth," Rev. Wood said, "and he never lost touch with youth across multiple generations."

Clarendon College President Robert Riza also memorialized Selvidge and discussed the long-lasting impact of his 50-year relationship with the institution.

Rev. Downer eulogized Selvidge as the man who influenced him as a young man, saw potential in him, and gave him a chance. He also touched on Selvidge's own challenges as a youth who faced hard times and said those early experiences made Selvidge the great man and the great leader that he was.

"Tex said 'community' was what raised him and so he spent his life investing in 'community," Downer said.

#### **June 18, 2015** The NWS reported this week **CC ranks second among Texas community colleges**

A recent ranking by Schools. com lists Clarendon College as the #2 Community College in the state

Sixty-six colleges were ranked A second EF-1 tornado and scored on a 10-point scale, using data including the percentage of students enrolled in distance education, student-to-faculty ratio, cost of attendance, graduation rate, the number of transfer to four-year public col-

> The article praises the College's online course offerings and low student-to-faculty ratio, which is one of the lowest in the state.

## **CEDC** awards two storefront

grants

Renovations continue on two The Broncos faced off against historic buildings in downtown Clarendon after the owner of the properties received assistance from the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation.

> David Koehler of Dallas received the 19th and 20th awards, amounting to \$2,000 each, under the CEDC's Façade Grant Program for improvements to properties at 206 S. Kearney and 300 S. Kearney.



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January 2

Broncos & Lady Broncos v Fritch • 2 p.m. & 3:30 p.m. • Bronco Gym

#### January 5

Broncos & Lady Broncos v White Deer • 4,5, 6:30, & 8 p.m. • White

Owls & Lady Owls v Shamrock • 6

#### January 8

Lady Broncos v Quanah • 5 & 6:30 p.m. • Quanah

Lady Owls v Lefors • 6:30 p.m. •

#### January 12

Lady Broncos v Wheeler 5 & 6:30 p.m. • Bronco Gym

Broncos v Ascension Academy 6:30 & 8 p.m. • Bronco Gym

Lady Owls v Silverton • 6:30 p.m. • Hedley

#### January 15

Lady Broncos v Memphis • 4,5, 6:30, & 8 p.m. • Memphis

Owls & Lady Owls v Groom • 6:30 p.m. • Groom

January 18

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

#### January 19

Broncos & Lady Broncos v Shamrock 4.5. 6:30. & 8 p.m.
 Shamrock

Owls & Lady Owls v McLean • 6:30 p.m. • McLean

#### January 22

Broncos & Lady Broncos v Wellington • 4,5, 6:30, & 8 p.m. • Bronco Gym

Owls & Lady Owls v Valley • 6:30 p.m. · Hedley

#### January 26

Broncos & Lady Broncos v Quanah • 4,5, 6:30, & 8 p.m. • Bronco Gym

Owls & Lady Owls v Lefors • 6:30 p.m. • Hedley

#### January 29

Broncos & Lady Broncos v Wheeler • 4,5, 6:30, & 8 p.m. • Wheeler

Owls & Lady Owls v Silverton • 6:30 p.m. • Silverton



#### January 4 - 8

## **Donley County Senior Citizens**

Mon: Cheeseburger, potato wedges, tomato wedge salad, hot cinnamon apricots, iced tea/2% milk.

Tue: Swedish meatballs, parsley noodles, mixed vegetables, whole wheat roll, angel food cake, peaches, iced tea/2% milk.

Wed: Roast beef, baked potatoes, buttered carrots, whole wheat roll, chocolate pudding, iced tea/2%

Thu: Ham & beans, cornbread, spinach, seasoned corn, cookies, iced tea/2% milk.

Fri: Hamburger steak/gravy, roasted potatoes, garden mix vegetables, garlic roll, apple cobbler, iced tea/2%

#### **Hedley Senior Citizens**

Mon: Chicken fajitas, fajitas vegetables, chuckwagon corn, Spanish rice, flour tortilla, fruit cocktail, iced tea/2% milk. Tue: Chicken fried steak, mashed

potatoes, fried okra, corn, pumpkin square, iced tea/2% milk. Wed: Beef stew, turnip greens, corn-

bread, black forest parfait, iced tea/2% milk. Thu: Charboil beef patty with pep-

pers and onions, beets, bread, mandarin oranges, iced tea/2% milk. Fri: Chicken tenders/gravy, garlic mashed potatoes, turnip greens, wheat rolls, mandarin oranges, iced tea/2% milk.

#### **Hedley ISD**

Breakfast Mon: Pancakes, bacon, fruit, fruit juice, milk Tue: Cheesy toast, fruit, fruit juice,

milk. Wed: Biscuits & gravy, scrambled

eggs, fruit, fruit juice, milk. Thu: Oatmeal, cinnamon toast, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Fri: Breakfast burrito, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

#### Lunch

Mon: Chicken on a bun, fries, fresh veggie cup, oranges smiles, milk Tue: Grilled cheese and soup, petite tomato cup, garden salad, milk. Wed: Corn dog, baked beans, broccoli bites, apple-pineapple delight,

Thu: Salisbury steak, biscuits, brown gravy, mashed potatoes, garden

salad, milk. Fri: Pepperoni pizza, crunchy broccoli, baby carrots with ranch, fresh grapes, milk.

## **2015:** Benefactor makes gift toward water park

#### July 2, 2015

High wind rips across city

did considerable damage to trees and property in Clarendon. What started as a sprinkle

A late afternoon storm Monday

quickly turned into a driving rain that filled street gutters and dropped visibility to almost zero on city streets.

As the wind picked up, a sudden strong east wind hit briefly and left its mark in several places.

At the historic McMurtry house at Sixth and Allen, where the Todd Knorpp family lives, the remains of a huge elm tree was knocked over, crushing a wrought iron fence and doing considerable damage but apparently missing the home itself. The tree itself had already died during the long drought of the last few years

On the opposite side of the block, at the old Stina Cain house at Sixth and Sims, large limbs of an evergreen tree were torn off; and other nearby properties also lost tree limbs of various sizes.

#### July 9, 2015 Fair weather greets annual

## **July Fourth celebration**

Beautiful, weather greeted a patriotic crowd gathered on the Courthouse Square last Saturday, July 4, for the 138th annual Saints' Roost Celebration.

The Kids' Parade started the day with the youngsters peddling or driving from Third Street down Sully Street in front of the Courthouse. In the 0-4 age group, Haylin Bivens was first, Matthew Newhouse was second, and Gage Kidd was third. Kyndall Shields won the 5-8 age group with Mason Jackson second and Aubrey Stidham third. The 9 and up age group was won by Alexa Ralston, Finley Cunningham was second, and Jayde Gribble was third.

The Herring Bank Parade delighted kids of all ages as floats, riding units, emergency vehicles, and other entries wound their way from the baseball fields through downtown. Christ's Kids Ministry took Grand Champion and best float, Redell and Sherol Johnston won best car or truck, Jerry Green won best tractor or farm equipment, best animal entry went to the Clarendon Outpost, and best "other" entry went to Bikers Against Child Abuse.

#### **July 16, 2015** Neece house gets city's 'OK'

The old Neece House at 602 Bugbee Avenue is no longer in imminent danger of condemnation after the Clarendon City Council reviewed progress at the property

last week. During the council's regular meeting July 9, aldermen recessed from City Hall to visit the property and see for themselves what work had been done.

City Administrator David Dockery said this week that the city council felt property owner Linda Lewis had met her obligations for Phase One code compliance issues. Mrs. Lewis now embarks on Phase Two of compliance issues, which involves a three-year rehabilitation of the property.

#### **July 16, 2015** Whistle-Stop setting big plans for trade days

The former Chamberlain Motor Co. property in east Clarendon is expect to have new life and a new purpose when the Whistle-Stop Trades Days & Farmers Market opens this fall.

Kimberly Britten told the Enterprise this week that she plans to reopen the former car dealership as an indoor and outdoor marketplace that will be open the weekend before the second Monday of each month, starting with a grand opening in October.

#### July 23, 2015

**CEDC** authorizes continued work on Mulkey

Work continues on the rehabilitation of the Mulkey Theatre following action taken by the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation last Monday, July 23.

CEDC board members gave the go-ahead to Pioneer General Contractors to take further steps on Phase 3 interior work for a cost not to exceed \$74,905. Half of the cost will be covered by money privately donated to the Mulkey Project and held by the Clarendon Community Fund. The remaining cost will be split between economic development sales tax funds and Hotel Occupancy

The approved scope of work includes electrical wiring to restore house lights and cove lights in the theatre, replacement of rear exit doors, construction of a platform for handicapped accessible seating at the rear of the auditorium, and extension of the theatre's stage to eventually accommodate live performances and conferences.

#### July 23, 2015

Rains helping replenish lake

Conditions at Greenbelt Lake have improved, but more rain is needed get the reservoir completely out of drought status.

Greenbelt General Manager Bobbie Kidd said this week the lake has come up 11 feet for the year and has actually moved out of Stage Four drought conditions but is not quite out of Stage Three.

"We lack about a foot and a quarter before we get to Stage Two," Kidd said.

#### **July 30, 2015** Sirens ready to scream in Howardwick

The City of Howardwick is getting ready to make some noise after installing three new storm sirens this

The \$57,000 project replaces five older sirens and is being paid for largely by grant funds from the US Department of Agriculture, according to City Secretary Tammy Jordan.

The USDA provided \$41,137.50 for the new sirens, Greenbelt Rural Electric Coop. provided \$3,100 for poles and power, and the city paid the balance. Iordan said.

#### July 30, 2015

CC grads ace the RN exam

The first graduating class of the new Clarendon College Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) Program has achieved an outstanding pass rate of 93.75 percent on the NCLEX-RN licensing exam, the gateway exam for receiving an RN license and practicing as a Registered Nurse in the State of Texas.

Sixteen students graduated from the College's first class of ADN students this May, and in addition to the licensing, these students have earned an Associate of Applied Science Degree in Nursing, which requires general education course work in addition to the nursing courses.

#### **August 6, 2015 CEDC** boosts disc golf effort

Disc golf - one of the fastest growing sports in America - is coming to Donley County with the help of two local men and the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation.

Melvin Balogh, one of the now sits on. organizers of the Green Belt Disc Golf Club, is a longtime player of the sport and says it's a great family outdoor activity.

Balogh and fellow disc golf enthusiast Yancey Gill first officially brought the game to Greenbelt Lake this summer when their newly

formed club hosted a tournament at day, August 25. Kincaid Park June 13-14. Twenty temporary baskets.

#### **August 13, 2015** Schools get best ratings

The Clarendon and Hedley school districts met the state standards according to state accountability ratings released last week.

Districts, campuses and charters receive one of three ratings under the accountability system: Met Standard, Met Alternative Standard, or Improvement Required. Both Clarendon and Hedley were rated as "Met Standard."

#### **August 13, 2015** Possible pool for Clarendon?

The Clarendon City Council learned tonight that an anonymous benefactor has approached the city about contributing \$500,000 to a possible water recreation facility, such as a pool.

City leaders say this is all very preliminary, that much research must still be done, and that no obligations or donations have been made at this

City council will be forming an exploratory committee to study the opportunity and move forward.

#### **August 20, 2015 Howardwick board okays** annexation

The City of Howardwick expanded its boundaries with a vote of the Board of Aldermen last Tuesday, August 11.

The Saints Roost Section was annexed by the city, Mayor Mike Rowland said.

The Saints Roost Section 1 and 2 was originally intended to be part of the city, Rowland said of the area that is bounded by Hwy 70 on the east, Rick Husband Blvd. on the south, and the existing city limits on the west. It encompasses about 0.8 square miles and is already platted with streets and has the same water system as the city.

#### **August 20, 2015** City council approves

sanitation rate hike The Clarendon City Council approved a 14 percent increase in sanitation rates during its regular meeting last Thursday, August 13.

Mayor Larry Hicks said the city had been struggling to keep up with expenses in the sanitation department for several years.

#### **August 27, 2015** Sandell to mark 60th year with Elvis night

The Sandell Drive-In will mark its 60th anniversary this Saturday, August 29, with an Elvis Presley double-feature to benefit the Mulkey

Theatre. "Love Me Tender" will be screened at dusk followed by "Spinout," and admission will be free but a \$6 donation for the Bring Back the Mulkey project will be requested at the gate. The donation will also put you in the drawing for door prizes between features.

The Sandell began as dream of Gary and Nell Barnhill, who had met at a Dalhart theatre. They married, moved to Turkey, Texas, and were raising two young girls – Sandra and Adele - when they purchased the land in Clarendon where the drive-in

#### August 27, 2015 **Local nursing home closes**

The Enterprise has confirmed that the owner of the Community Care Center of Clarendon nursing home closed the facility here yester-

The 60-bed facility was purparticipants and 30 total attendees chased by Royce Freeborn in 2006, from around the Panhandle were on and the home had 19 residents when site for the tournament, which used it closed. Facility administrator Susan Hodges said 17 residents were relocated Tuesday and the final two residents are expected to be moved

> Community Care Center employed about 40 full-time and four part-time employees, Hodges

> Hodges said the closure was the voluntary decision of Freeborn.

#### **September 3, 2015** Local clinic under new management

When Sarah Burcham arrived in Clarendon in 2008 as the community's newest Physician's Assistant, she never imagined owning and operating the local clinic. And yet, that's exactly what happened.

Burcham and her husband, Daniel, took over the ownership and management of Clarendon Family Medical Center on July 2, but patients probably haven't noticed much difference.

#### **September 17, 2015 Donley County officers**

participate in manhunt

The Donley County Sheriff's Office participated in a manhunt in Armstrong County Sunday afternoon and evening after a man fled from state troopers in Conway.

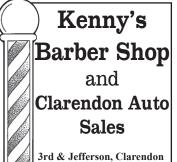
At approximately 12:05 p.m., DPS Troopers stopped a silver Cadillac for a traffic violation on IH-40,

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## Drugs in the News

### **New Type of Flu Vaccine Approved**

Fluad is the name of the first seasonal flu vaccine approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) that contains an adjuvant. Fluad has been approved in other countries since 1997. It is used to help prevent bouts of the seasonal flu in people sixty-five years of age and older. This vaccine is produced from three different influenza virus strains and is manufactured from a process that uses chicken eggs. The vaccine contains an adjuvant called MF59. Adjuvants are used in some vaccines to help the body produce a better immune response.

In trials, Fluad demonstrated similar response compared to another FDAapproved, non-adjuvanted flu vaccine. Those trials took place in over seven thousand participants aged sixty five and older in a multicenter, international clinical trial. Fluad was also evaluated in twenty-seven thousand individuals sixty five years and



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## 2015: H-wick fire chief arrested

in Conway. During the traffic stop, a providers. scuffle broke out and three troopers were injured.

One person was arrested and taken to the Carson County Jail, but the driver of the Cadillac was able to get into the vehicle and flee the scene.

The vehicle was later located in Armstrong County, and several agencies participated in the search for the driver, later identified as Victor Apodaca, 25, of Clovis New Mexico.

The search was called off Sunday night, and Apodaca was later involved in a standoff with authorities and eventually taken into cus- project for Clarendon was the topic tody in Amarillo Monday.

#### **September 17, 2015** Local woman is sentenced to 20 years

The District Court gave a Donley County woman a 20-year sentence this week after she led law enforcement on a high-speed chase through three counties August 31.

Shields was sentenced to 20 years in the institutional division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice for violating the probation she started June 1 for a second degree charge of Possession of a Controlled Substance.

#### **September 17, 2015 CC** posts third highest enrollment

Clarendon College is reporting the third largest enrollment in its history this week, following the 12th class day of the fall 2015 semester.

CC President Robert Riza said total enrollment is currently at 1,350, which is an increase of about 12.6 percent over last fall's number.

#### **September 24, 2015 Manhunt captures five** illegals

Five illegal aliens were captured after they fled from a routine traffic stop in Donley County this past weekend.

Sheriff Butch Blackburn said a Texas Department of Public Safety Trooper attempted to pull a vehicle on US 287 west of Clarendon over late Saturday, but the vehicle fled north on County Road 8.

#### **October 1, 2015 Enterprise, Chamber present** new city Welcome Guide

Clarendon Enterprise in cooperation with the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce.

The Welcome Guide has maps for Clarendon, Hedley, and Howardwick with locations of popular attractions and landmarks marked; lists important information and contact numbers for those cities and the county; and provides contact numbers and information for local schools, daycares, and health care

#### **October 1, 2015** C Bar C repeats cookoff

The C Bar C Ranch gave a repeat performance at the 21st annual Col. Charles Goodnight Chuckwagon Cookoff last Saturday, September 26, winning the event for the second year in a row.

#### **October 8, 2015 Town Hall fields project**

A proposed water recreation of a town hall meeting attended by more than 50 people Monday night at the Bairfield Activity Center.

Clarendon Alderman and project steering committee chairman Sandy Skelton welcomed those attending and gave a brief overview of the opportunity before the com-

#### **October 15, 2015 Trades Day delayed until**

Local and area shoppers will have to wait a few months for the grand opening of the Whistle-Stop Trades Days.

The new business was expected to open this fall in the former Chamberlain Motor Company building on east US 287 in Clarendon, but business owner Kimberly Britten now says that won't happen until next

"We want people to have the best experience possible," Britten told the Enterprise.

#### **October 15, 2015 Community rallies for Riley**

Local and surrounding communities are rallying prayers for a Clarendon High School junior who remains hospitalized this week following a life-threatening injury he sustained during the Broncos' football game with Lockney Friday night, October 9.

Riley Shadle suffered two broken and dislocated vertebrae when he collided head on with a Lockney player, his grandfather, Jim Shadle, told the Enterprise Tuesday

The Shadle family was giving thanks for the prayers that have offered from far and wide, and Jim said Riley was getting some sensa-A new Welcome Guide is tion in his upper body and able to greeting visitors and newcomers shrug his shoulders but that only to Donley County courtesy of The time would tell the extent of his injury or length of his recovery.

#### **October 22, 2015 CC** clears accrediting visit

Clarendon College cleared a significant step last week in its decennial accreditation review by the Southern Association of Colleges & Schools (SACS) Commission on Colleges.

A ten-member SACS on-site

team spent three days in Clarendon reviewing 27 compliance issues an off-site team had flagged six months ago and found only two issues that still needed to be addressed.

#### **October 22, 2015** Howardwick fire chief, wife face charges

Two former Howardwick Fire Department officials are facing felony charges this week after an embezzlement investigation resulted in two arrests October 16.

Fire Chief Rickey Parrish and his wife, department treasurer Shella Parrish, were arrested last Friday and booked into the Donley County Jail, according to Sheriff Butch Black-

#### **October 29, 2015 Cannon sentenced in** death of Cornell

A Clarendon woman was found guilty of intoxicated manslaughter last week in the 2014 death of C.W. "Dude" Cornell.

Gina Gail Cannon was sentenced to 12 years in prison by a Childress County Jury, which returned its unanimous verdict after a four-day trail, ending Thursday, October 22.

#### **November 5, 2015** CC's ADN pass rate among Texas' top 10

Clarendon College's Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) Program has achieved one of the top 10 pass rates in Texas, according to data released last week by the Texas Board of Nursing.

With a pass rate of 93.75 percent on the NCLEX-RN licensing exam, Clarendon ranked #9 in Texas and was one of only 17 of the state's 69 ADN programs to achieve at least a 90 percent pass rate.

#### **November 5, 2015 CEDC** hires TTU for downtown master planning

The Clarendon Economic Development Corp. gave final approval to an agreement with Texas Tech University to assist with downtown master planning Monday night.

The \$17,004 agreement with the TTU College of Architecture and Dr. Elizabeth Louden will include laser scanning of selected blocks in

### **Marriages**

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## **New Arrivals**

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## **2015:** Donley County wind farm construction begins in December

the central business district to obtain out of 150 of the state's best runners. Green said. detailed measurements.

Tech students will then prepare drawings and posters depicting what a rehabilitated and revitalized downtown would look like based partly on historic photos from before 1930. That work is expected to be completed in phases by August 2016.

#### **November 5, 2015** CC, Texas Tech partner on bachelor's degree

Students can now earn three years of a bachelor's degree in Health Science at Clarendon College and finish the fourth year online through Texas Tech University.

CC and the Texas Tech University Health Science Center (TTUHSC) School of Health Professions announced last week the new agreement for the Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences.

The degree is designed for people who have already earned certificates to work in health care and want to pursue a bachelor's degree while staying close to home, CC President Robert Riza said.

#### November 12, 2015 **Grahn runs 6th at state**

Country Meet and won sixth place turbines will be in Donley County, damage," King said. "Then our summer/fall sports like volleyball in

Grahn's time was 19:00.60.

#### **November 12, 2015 Clarendon College wins** marketing recognition

Clarendon College received a Medallion Award from the National Council for Marketing and Public Clarendon after City Hall discovered Relations at the NCMPR District 4 last week that the restaurant actually annual conference in Galveston last

Clarendon was awarded the Silver Medallion of Excellence for has held that Grumpy's is too close the College's Ranch and Feedlot to the Agapé Christian Church to be Operations print ad from Summer

Ashlee Estlack has done and this ment that has opened the door for the award just validates her hard work and dedication to the College," CC President Dr. Robert Riza said.

#### **November 12, 2015** Wind farm construction to start next month

Construction on a 224 Megawatt windfarm along the Donley and house building at the corner of US Gray county border should begin 287 and Kearney Street. next month and be completed by the end of 2016, according to a report Jack King said the deal was closed Monday at the Donley County Com- last week for a final price just over missioners' Court meeting.

The project will see a total of runner Bryce Grahn conquered the erected in northwestern Donley ness to go in there," King said. horrendous conditions in Round and southwestern Gray county near Rock last weekend at the State Cross Interstate 40. Ninety-five of the roof on it to prevent any structural gymnasium was not built with later

#### November 19, 2015 **Grumpy's can pursue alcohol**

Beer and wine sales are on the horizon for Grumpy's Pizza in is in compliance with the local alcohol ordinance.

For more than a year, the city able to sell alcoholic beverages, but a third approach to the City Council "We are very proud of the job last week resulted in a new measurerestaurant to receive a permit.

#### November 26, 2015 **CEDC** purchases former steakhouse building

The Clarendon Economic Development Corporation has purchased the former Clarendon Steak-

CEDC Executive Director

"It is not our intent to keep the Clarendon High School junior 112 two-Megawatt wind turbines building but rather to attract a busi-

Tech University to put the front back tion system creates sweltering condi- Medical Center Nursing Home seven to something in keeping with the histions for athletes and spectators. toric look of downtown."

#### November 26, 2015 Fire damages Hedley home

A Hedley couple's home suffered major damage last Wednesday, November 18, when a fire broke out in the master bedroom.

Emergency personnel were dispatched at 8:55 a.m. to the home of approval to begin offering an LVN Jerry and Pat Farris in the 400 block of Line Avenue.

The Farrises were not home at the time of the blaze. The family did lose a dog, a cat, and a bird in the

#### November 26, 2015 **CC** regents approve project to cool gym

\$1.2 million job will replace aging equipment and conserve Thanksgiving morning when the

Clarendon College Regents last week approved a \$1.2 million project to heat and cool the Bulldog Gym and upgrade other equipment around campus to result in a net energy sav-

The centerpiece of the project will be air-conditioning and heating the Bulldog Gym, also known "We're going to put a new as the "Dawg House." The 1968

#### **December 3, 2015 CC** expanding ADN program to Childress

Clarendon College is pleased to announce the expansion of the Associate Degree Nursing (ADN) program to its Childress location.

The College has received to ADN bridge program in Childress starting in May 2016.

#### **December 3, 2015** Services to be held Saturday for Gordons

A memorial service has been planned for this Saturday, December 5, for a Clarendon couple who died in automobile accident last week.

The couple was traveling on accident occurred.

Wayne Gordon and wife, Colette Hope Pavelka Gordon, 50, were both pronounced dead at the scene by Gray County Justice of the Peace Kurt Curfman.

#### **December 10. 2015 Hospital board considers** buying building

The Donley County Hospital District is working towards purchas-

intent would be to work with Texas mind, and the lack of a good ventila- ing an office building it sold with the

years ago. At two recent meetings, the hospital board and Dr. Richard Sheppard have discussed buying the professional services building for \$85,000 with the district paying \$60,000 and the dentist contributing

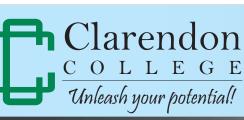
\$25,000. The district has become concerned that if a disaster ever struck the Hwy. 70 Bridge over the BNSF railway, it could cut off ambulances from getting to town.

#### **December 17, 2015** Designer now consulting on water park

The effort to build a water recreation facility in Clarendon is making progress as a steering committee continues to pursue that goal.

City Administrator David Dockery says local officials are now working with Waters Edge Aquatics Design to develop preliminary designs and site evaluations for the local project.

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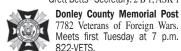
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