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### THIS WEEK

2 One reader is happy with the work that Donald Trump is doing for America. 3 Clarendon ISD makes a \$7,500 contribution to the PEAK scholarship plan.

6 Two Clarendon kids have qualified for a state rodeo

competition.
7 And the Broncos' season

comes to a close.

## Early deadlines set for next Enterprise

The Clarendon Enterprise will be closed next Monday for Memorial Day. All news, ads, and classifieds for next week's issue are due in the office by this Friday. May 26, at 5 p.m.

## Local services set for Memorial Day

Two local services are planned next Monday, May 29, to honor America's fallen service

men and women.

Hedley's Adamson-Lane
Post 287 of the American Legion will host its annual Memorial Day service at the Rowe Cemetery Monday, May 29, at 10 a.m.

Post members will partici-pate throughout the service, and Clarendon College President Robert Riza will deliver the keynote address. Post members will also be placing flags on the grave of veterans at the Jericho Cem etery.

In case of inclement weather

In case of inclement weather, the Legion service will be moved to the Lions Hall in Hedley. Also Monday, the Donley County VFW Post will hold a Memorial Day service at 11 a.m. at the War Memorial on the Donley County Courthouse

Square.

Post Commander Nathan
Floyd and George Hall will speak during the ceremony, and music will be provided by Danny Mul-lins and Beverly Burrow.

Following the service, the hot dogs and chili dogs will be served at the VFW Hall on US 287 East. In case of inclement weather, the service will be moved to the VFW

## Citywide clean-up set for June 5-10

A Citywide Clean-Up has been set for June 5-10 and local residents will be able to bring items to the Citizens Convenience Center at half-price for thos

The Clarendon City Council approved the clean-up during their May 11 meeting, and to take advantage of the half-price dumping, citizens will have to show

their city water bill.

Items accepted at the center include garbage, debris, tires, and yard waste. Items not accepted include shingles, construction waste, electronics, paint, and batteries

City Hall is also requesting volunteers to assist residents who are without means to haul off debris. City crews will pick up items at curbside for senior citi zens and disabled residents. Call City Hall for more information at 874-3438.

# A History of Caring Ward retiring after 43 years

By Roger Estlack, Clarendon Enterprise
Ledley's Carole Ward has spent Ha lifetime caring for others a nurse teacher and nurse practitioner. Now after 43 years, she's ready for a rest and will retire Friday, May

As a student at Hedley High, Ward remembers that a nursing recruiter visited the school and sparked her interest in health care

"I just felt like it was the best fit ne," Ward said. Time proved that to be true.

Ward graduated and went to work as a Registered Nurse in 1974, earned her bachelor's degree in 1983, and then went back to school a third time to earn an Advanced Practice degree

"I just kind of went back to school every ten years or so," she

Hall County Hospital where she worked her way up to the Director of Nurses position before she left the hospital to lead Clarendon College's nursing program for five years. She worked in Memphis and Childress before becoming a nurse practitioner and opening the Clinic for Family

Wellness in Memphis 11½ years ago "It's been good," Ward says of her time running her own clinic "I've been blessed to have a good

nurse and a good office manager."

Ward's nurse, Debra Guinn,
has more than 20 years' experience, and office manager Connie Mur-

dock says she has been working in health care for 37 years. Both ladies have been with Ward since the clinic began

Clarendon resident Nancy Kidd is one of Ward's many patients who have fond feelings for Ward and her staff. She and her husband, Doug, have been seeing Ward since 2009

"I like her honesty," Kidd said.
"I could always talk to her about whatever was going on and I would trust her answers."

Kidd says she got teary eyed during her final visit to the clinic last

"I just hate to see her go." Kidd said. "She wasn't just my doctor; she was my friend."

Looking back on her career, Ward says the time has flown but that she would do it all over again.

It's been a long time, but it's gone by fast," she said. "I've been blessed to do it, and it's been nice to be a benefit to people that you

Ward says travel is likely in the future for her and her husband, Leon, who is also retired. She's not fully retiring, however, and plans to continue giving people care with her bioidentical hormone therapy. "I'll take it easy and see what

develops, but I still love what I do.'

A reception for Ward will be held Thursday, May 25, from 3:30 to 5:30 at her clinic at 1645 N. 18th in



Carole Ward



# Volunteer service

Several Scouts and other volunteers assembled in Citizens Cemtery Monday afternoon to place flags on the graves of hundreds of veterans ahead of Memorial Day services next week.

# Mulkey party is Saturday

The fifth annual Mulkey Block Party will be rocking downtown Clarendon this Saturday, May 27 from 6 to 10 p.m., and a special p sentation is planned for inside the

theatre.

The 100 block of Kearney Street will be closed starting Saturday morning as work begins to set up the stage and other amenities for the party.

The evening will be a night of dancing, kids' games, and food and vendor booths in a fun-filled atmosphere to help support continued renovations of the 1946 Mulkey

Theater.

The party begins at 6 p.m. as local singer/song-writer Rev. Black Flowers takes the stage to provide the opening live music before Amarillo's most highly rated band, "Insufficient Funds," comes on at 7 p.m.

During the band's intermission that evening, the crowd will be asked to convene inside the Mulkey where Dusty and Nikki Green will premiere

a new documentary.

The Greens, Howardwick res dents who star in the national PBS series "Two for the Road," inter-viewed local residents for the basis of "Cinema City," which tells the story of Clarendon's Mulkey The-

There is no charge to enter the block party. Kids movies will be showing in the theatre throughout the evening, and popcorn and other concessions will be available in the Mulkey. People are encouraged to bring their own lawn or camp chairs for use either inside watching movies or outside to enjoy the live music.

The Whistle-Stop Trade Days along with the Chamber of Com-merce and the Bronco Cheerleaders will provide a large bounce house for

kids to enjoy.

Food booths run the gamut of everything from baked goods to sliders, and local vendors will also have items for sale.

The Herring Bank car and

motorcycle show will be held again on the bank's parking lot, and all

year models are welcome.

For more information about this year's block party, contact the Visitor Center at 806-874-2421.

# Sign-up deadline is Friday for annual garage sale event

this Friday, May 26, at 5 p.m.

A wide participation is expected again for this year's sale, which is slated for Saturday, June 3. Garage sales in Hedley, Howardwick,

Residents who wish to exclusive "Trash To Treasures" participate in this year's "Trash To garage sale signs. In addition, the

Treasures" are asked to come by the Enterprise before 5 p.m. on Friday, May 26, to sign up for the promotion.

For just \$25, each household

Enterprise will print a map indicating the location of each sale and will promote the event with area ads. "The more people who have number of sales."

The sign-up period for and the surrounding area are also will get a 50-word advertisement garage sales during Trash To Clarendon's 12th annual "Trash To welcome to sign up for the big day. in the Big-E Classifieds and the Treasures, the better everyone will Treasures" garage sale event closes

Residents who wish to exclusive "Trash To Treasures" do," Enterprise publisher Roger do," Enterprise publisher Roger Estlack said. "The sign-up fee covers the cost of area advertising, so we can reach more people and have better attendance if we have a larger

The City of Clarendon requires all garage sales to be permitted.

There is no charge for the permit, but City Hall asks all Trash To Treasures participants to get a copy of the city's rules governing garage sales.

For more information, call 874-

# CC Regents approve 12-month faculty renewals

The Clarendon College Board of Regents approved renewing 13 faculty members who work on 12-month schedules during their regular meeting May 18.

Those faculty members renewed were Jay Anders, welding; Missing Billings, cos-metology; Erinn Campbell, cosmetology; Brent Childers, industrial maintenance; Jana Coats, cosmetology; Betty Couch, nursing; Raylynn Cruz, cosmetology; Dr. Rodney Donahue, theatre; Kaylynn Fasholtz, nurs-ing; Bret Franks, ranch horse/rodeo; Alicia Hunter, nursing; Mandy Poole, intro to nursing; and Tommie Ray, cosmetology.

Regents also ratified the hiring of Donnie Chambless as the Director of Maintenance and acknowledged the resignations of Gabby Gloria, student life coordinator; Connor McKowen, assistant livestock judging coach; Garner Small, assistant men's basketball coach; and nursing instructor Joanne Genn.

In other college business, the board wel-

comed Edwin Campbell as its newest member as he received the oath of office. Campbell was appointed last month to fill the term of the late Delbert Robertson.

Regents approved a plan for improve-ments to the Deyhle House as presented by

chairman Jerry Woodard

In his president's report, Dr. Robert Riza updated the board on the college's cur-rent strategic plan, which he said includes 62 individual items. Eight of those, he said, are ongoing efforts but the remainder have all been completed, and the administration is now planning for the next strategic plan.

It was reported that Dr. Riza has been nominated by the Texas Association of Community Colleges and the Higher Education Coordinating Board to a committee looking at formula funding for community and technical



CC Regent Edwin Campbell receives the oath of office from Regent Darlene Spier



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# City should okay request by Allsup's

The Clarendon City Council should approve a variance request for Allsup's Convenience Stores after it holds a public hearing next Tuesday at 7 p.m.

The company, which has been in business here

for more than 40 years, is in contract to buy a large tract of land on US 287 and says it plans to invest \$2.6 million to develop a larger

So what's the problem with that? Allsup's sells beer and wine, and the new store location is right across the street from the Clarendon public schools, specifically the backside of Bronco Stadium. Unfortunately, city ordinance prohibits establishments from selling alcohol within 300 feet of a church or a school. A business can ask for a vari-



commentary

ance on this issue, and Allsup's has done just that.

The request from Allsup's has led to naysaying and fearmongering from Clarendon's usual Prophet of Doom, who once predicted that we would have drunken bums sleeping in Prospect Park and a host of other maladies if we legalized the sale of alcohol in this town. Now, we're told that Allsup's plans will attract transients, bums, and whores.

The biggest concern the Prophet and others say they have is safety. The proposed site for the new store is about a block and half west of its current location at US 287 and Koogle Street. This site is supposedly too dangerous because speeding traffic coming over the hill will cause accidents with vehicles pulling in and out of the new store.

It would be a crying shame if we had to slow traf-fic in this town. TxDOT and law enforcement certainly have it in their power to do that... if it really is a concern. But where was all this worry when Best Western, Sonic, Dollar General, and Pizza Hut were built acro the highway from this site? In all honesty though, safety would not even be

on anybody's radar if it wasn't for the alcohol issue. If someone wanted to build a hotel or a McDonald's on that property, everything would be just hunky-dory But propose something – anything – that wants to sell beer, and some people will just lose their freaking

minds.

The next supposed problem is that this new will somehow send "mixed messages" to the children anti-drug/anti-alcohol theme. The school board even approved a resolution opposed to the city granting Allsup's variance request.

The school board might want to keep in mind that a \$2.6 million improvement will generate a significant amount of tax revenue for the school. And here's a news flash for the school and the naysayers... the school kids go to Allsup's every day already. So what difference will it really make? None.

People concerned about the new Allsup's location

have also been quick to suggest other more desirable, in their opinions, locations for the store. The Prophet himself has even suggested one location that is outside the city limits and would bring no sales or property that try limits and would using its satisfaction, properly tax revenue to the city, but it is just about as far away from the children as you can get. Ultimately, the loca-tion of a new Allsup's store ought to be up to Allsup's and whoever is selling the property. It's a business decision. Likewise, what happens to Allsup's current property is for that company to determine.

It's important to point out that a majority of people in Clarendon want to see businesses grow and thrive here. Your editor firmly believes that most people want to welcome Allsup's and appreciate the firm's willingness to invest literally millions of dollars in this community.

The City Council must look at the big picture in

this case. All sup's new store will mean more property taxes, more sales taxes, and more jobs. It will also further the image that positive things are happening in this community... just like in the case of the new Family Dollar, the Buckin' Bean, the Whistle-Stop, and other developments. Many other communities our size don't have these things going on. It's a sign of progress. That's what this really means for Clarendon, and that's why the variance should be approved -

Beyond this instance, the council also needs to consider that highway frontage in this town is limited. The distance requirements on establishments selling alcohol are potentially limiting on development and therefore should be abolished altogether. Alcohol sales should be allowed anywhere along the 287 corridor and in the central business district. There shouldn't have to be a fight every time someone wants to put in a business that sells beer or wine.

Clarendon must be open and welcoming to devel-opment. The fate of Allsup's request will determine the message that we send to other potential businesses.



# Galveston's countdown to greatness

Folks given to dreaming some 500 years ago could never have imagined the many dozens of major historical occurrences linked to Galveston Island from then until now. Keep in mind that many historians believe the island was discovered in 1519, so it's time to begin planning celebrations for the coastal playground with the 500th anniversary at hand.

A major milestone in September, 2018, will be a welcome prelude to the celebration. That's when Carnival Cruise Lines assigns its newest and largest vessel, Carnival Vista, to Galveston.

This announcement underscores the corporation's ongoing confidence in the Port of Galveston, which in just 17 years has become Carnival's second-busiest cruise port, and now is number four for all lines in the USA....

In the fading years of the last century, only incurable optimists went public with positive thoughts about the viability of cruising from Galveston. In 2000, Carnival launched Galveston's first year-round cruise program with a smaller ship that served slightly more than 100,000 guests that year. Now, the island is home to three CCL vessels carrying well over half a million guests

We boarded the Vista recently in Miami, where it began US cruises sev eral months ago. It was a spring break week, so bunks were used to accom modate the 1,700 children included among the some 4,700 guests. (Add the 1,450 staff, and the total count exceeded 6,200.)

The cruise dazzled in every way With expanded dining specialties, new activities and additional attractions, the Vista owns many "firsts." Its 187-seat IMAX Theatre is the only one afloat, and the new SkyRide is favored by guests of all



ages. (SkyRide is something akin to bikeriding since
pedaling is required.) It is atop the Vista high above the top deck and even higher above the deep blue sea. With two gomobiles on suspended tracks, riders may compete for racing victories, fastest laps or perhaps set "gazing records" of specor pernaps .... tacular views....

Much about the Vista is subtle. The centerpiece is a colorful, pattern-changing pedestal extending skyward from the ship's center. Truly "gaze-worthy." There's nothing new about deck

numbers imprinted on carpet near eleva-tors. A "first," though, is the "dot" placed at the end of deck numbers "6" and "9." (Who knows? Maybe this is helpful if, perchance, guests walk on their hands, or are otherwise contorted.)

Captain Stefano Battinelli has more

than 30 years with Carnival, and obviously is aware that many guests are first-time cruisers. Early on, he heard guests discussing unfamiliar nautical terms, like "forward and aft," etc. Captain Battinelli made a PA announcement: "Forward is the 'pointy' end of the ship." Such explanations should be helpful in Texas, where inordinate numbers are cruising for the first time. (I still have a hard time accepting a widely-held opinion that

extra time there before ending cruise

vacations.

Many attractions warrant repeat visits. Besides, there's much to be said about arrival at cruise ports a day or more prior to departure.....

Each cruise provides accounts of new experiences. Jim and Trish Demers of Annapolis, MD, provided one of the best, or maybe credit should go to their son. The couple was scheduled to fly to Miami on Friday prior to Saturday cruise departure.

Weather in the northeast can celled hundreds of flights, including theirs. They were forlorn until their son INSISTED on driving them to Miami. Making only gas, rest and food stops, they arrived 20 minutes before the ship left, covering 1,083 miles in about 15

Let's applaud a remarkable son..

While in applause mode, let's hear it for Galveston leaders who held out for

ries of their dogged determination that

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more than 75 percent of Americans have

Miami remains the mecca for the

industry. That's where Carnival began scheduled cruising 45 years ago. Galveston, with its rich history, provides reasons for visitors to spend

the city's becoming a cruise port.

They are true visionaries.

We cruise lovers are the beneficia-

nade it happen.....

The cyberattack prevented me from watching cat videos, updating Facebook and sharing recipes ...





# The Language of Texas Wildflowers

During March and April of this year I was able to travel the entire state for speeches, interviews and meetings. Everywhere I went the wildflowers were spectacular. It all started in early March when I was in Brenham, one of the best places in Texas to see wildflowers in the spring. Bluebonnets were just beginning to burst with color. Later in East Texas the dogwoods and redbuds brightened

the woods with color.

I've never seen such a display of Indian paintbrush and primrose like I saw between Sweetwater and Fort Worth. There were blankets of them along the Interstate where you usually don't find many wildflowers

On the way to and from San Anto-nio in late April the bluebonnets, Indian paintbrush, winecups and gaillardias decorated the fields and pastures. I saw more types of yellow flowers than I can name. Vines, shrubs and trees were also displaying their spring colors.

When we went to California to visit our son and his family in mid-April, our daughter in law gave us a book titled The Language of Flowers" by Vanessa Diffenbaugh that is all about what dif-

convey (ranun culus: you are radiant with charm). Now I know what the advertising slogan "Say It With Flowers"



I began thinking about what meanings some of our Texas wildflowers might have. I went to the internet and various floral dictionaries to discover that primrose conveys childhood, bluebell conveys constancy. Here are others: cactus ardent love, daffodil-new beginnings, daisy-innocence, dandelion-rural deity, lady's slipper-capricious, moss-maternal

love, nettle-cruelty, Indian paintbrushfriendship, bluebonnet-imagination, but-tercup-ingratitude, foxglove-insincerity, scarlet geranium-stupidity, gladiolus-you pierce my heart, grapevine-abundance, hawthorne-hope, honeysuckle-devotion, broom-humility, coreopsis-always careful, goldenrod-encouragement, marigold-grief, sunflower-false riches

e-infidelity, sage-good health and long life, verbena-pray for me, forsythia-anticipation, wisteria-welcome, oleander-beware, bird of paradise-mag-nificence, heliotrope-devoted affection, lavender-mistrust, mimosa-sensitivity, pansy-thinking of you, phlox-our souls are united, queen Anne's lace-fantasy, trumpet vine-fame, zinnia-I mourn your absence, rosebud-betrayal, dogwood-

Knowing all this, I'll be careful the next time I choose a bouquet. I probably won't have any scarlet geraniums, yellow roses, buttercups, foxglove, lavender, rosebud or nettles. I prefer dogwood, bird of paradise, grapevine. hawthorne, phlox, heliotrope, and hon-eysuckle, with maybe some verbena and forsythia mixed in.

Anyway, it was a great time to enjoy the beauty of spring. Texas writer Jack Maguire once said bluebonnets are to Texas what tulips are to Holland, what the shamrock is to Ireland. That beautiful lupine has been our state flower sinc 1901. Not all are blue. Some are pink, purple, red and maroon

# Trump is making America great

Saturday afternoon I watched Fox News showing Air Force One landing in Saudi Arabia with President Trump being given a first class welcome by the leaders of that Muslim nation. Part of the celebration was the signing of an agree ment between the US and the Saudis concerning a \$110 billion purchase of military hardware from our country. Just think of all the jobs that will be created! On Sunday, I watched the events

in the hall where President Trump addressed the leaders of 50 Muslim nations. His message included the fact that all those nations, as well as many other nations of the world, have had bombing attacks, killing people of all faiths. His message was: "Let's work together to defeat the terrorists.

President Trump is moving forward, creating jobs, reversing the negative attitudes our prior president presented to

those nations, and moving our economy forward. Since President Trump is get-ting a lot of negative press from the large media, it appears to me part of the reversal will come when more Americans listen to conservative radio and watch Fox, and pay attention to the economic facts as they are presented. President Trump is making America Great Again.

Tom Stauder,

Clarendon

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### PEAK donation

Clarendon ISD Superintendent Mike Norrell (left) presents a check for \$7,500 to Clarendon Col-lege President Robert Riza last week to support the PEAK Scholarship Program, which benefits Clarendon High School students taking dual credit classes and CHS graduates who attend CC full

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- EMS assist Mutual Aid

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- 21. Los Super Seven
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  38. One billion years
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### May 29 - June 2 Donley County Senior Citizens

Mon: Closed Tue: Chef salad w/dressing, greer peas, buttered corn, crackers/wheat bread, chocolate cake, iced tea/2%

milk.
Wed: Roast beef, roasted potatoes,
carrots & peas, wheat roll, apricot cob-bler, iced tea/2% milk.
Thu: Baked chicken & dumplings,
tossed salad, green peas, peach
Chantilly, iced tea/2% milk.
Thi: BBQ beef on bun, corn salad,
baked beans, sliced peaches, iced

## **Hedley Senior Citizens**

Tue: Homestyle lasagna, garlic bread Brussel sprouts, pears, iced tea/2

milk. Wed: Chicken fajita, fajita vegetables chuckwagon com, Spanish rice, flou tortilla, fruit cocktail, iced tea/2%

milk.

Thu: Roast pork, sweet potatoes, succotash, whole wheat roll, banana pudding, iced tea/2% milk.

Fri: BBQ brisket, ranch style beans, cornbread, buttered carrots, strawberries, iced tea/2% milk.

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# New Medicare cards, fake email scams

Hi, gang! The tornadoes were kind of close last week. Just in case you are not aware, there is a lot of the time and effort, not to mention the danger, our law enforcement officers and volunteers face each time we have a storm approaching. Sheriff Blackburn is out directing the group that includes his Deputies, the DPS officers and volunteers from the Clarendon, Hedley, and Howardwick fire departments and the ambulance service. Other people who play a major role in this is the Sheriff's Office dispatchers who not only keeps up with all the radio traffic but also answer the 911 calls along with many calls just wanting information. I haven't met the evening dispatcher; however, she did a great job, and I speak from dispatching experience. I don't want to forget the Texas Department of Transporta-tion supervisor who also has a radio and is out checking roads for debris on out roads and can send equipment

"New Medicare cards are on the

when needed.

way" by Andrew Johnson, FTC

Changes are coming to your
Medicare card. By April 2019, your card will be replaced with one that no longer shows your Social Secu-rity number. Instead, your card will have a new Medicare Beneficiary Identifier (MRI) that will be used for billing and for checking your eligi-bility and claim status. And it will all happen automatically you won't have to pay anyone or give anyone have to pay anyone or give anyone information, no matter what someone might tell you.

Having your Social Security number removed from your Medi-care card helps fight medical identity theft and protect your medical and financial information. But even



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scams: Is someone calling, claiming to be from Medicare, and asking for your Social Security number or bank information? Hang

up. That's a scam.
First, Medicare won't call you. Second, Medicare will never ask for your Social Security number or bank information. Is someone asking you to pay for your new card? That's a scam. Your new Medicare card is free. Is someone threaten-ing to cancel your benefits if you don't give up information or money? Also a scam. New Medicare cards will be mailed out to you automatically. There won't be any changes to your benefits. For more on the new changes to your Medicare card, visit Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. And report scams to the

New dietary supplement website launched by Cristina Miranda Consumer Education Specialist, FTC

Ever wonder if your dietary supplements are truly safe, effective and risk-free? If you are a member of the military, this question can be particularly important. Service members often are targeted by companies selling supplements: to help members of the military lose weight, enhance workouts, or be in top shape for battle. If you're considering using a dietary supplement, you may be aware of some of the potential



resource with articles, videos, and downloadable educational materials. While mostly intended for the military community, anyone can use it leaders, health care providuse it leaders, health care provid-ers, and civilians at the Department of Defense. OPSS.org has a list of dietary supplement ingredients prohibited by the Department of Defense – which could help ser-vice members maintain their mission readiness. There also is a list of high-risk supplements so that service members can avoid using products that may contain stimulants, steroids, hormone like ingredients, con-trolled substances, or unapproved drugs. Can't find the right information on a particular supplement? Use the handy "Ask the Expert" feature to ask questions, and someone will respond with science-based answers. For more information, visit

OPSS.org, and check out this article on dietary supplements (Bob's note: working on finding out more about OPSS it is a military program and next week, Lord will-ing, I will have most of the column

looking about this web site and its information on dietary supplements.)

"Fake emails could cost you thousands" by Christina Tusan Attorney, FTC

Think you got an email from a business you know? Scammers sometimes use emails that look legit to trick you into sending money to them. The email might say it's from

a real estate professional you're working with, telling you there's a last-minute change and you should now wire your closing costs to a dif-ferent account. Or it could seem to be an email with an invoice from your utility company, telling you to wire payment. Whatever the story, if you wire that money, it goes to the scammer and you may never see your money again.

These scammers might get your

information by hacking into a busi-ness. Once they know about you, they send an email that seems to come from the business, telling you where to send money. So, how can you spot these scams? Never wire money to anyone who emails or calls and asks you to. Instead, check it out. Contact the company through a number or email address you know is real. Don't use phone numbers or links in the email. Don't open email attachments, even from someone you know, unless you're expecting it. Opening attachments can put malware on your computer.

If you've already sent in money to a scammer, act quickly. If you wired money through your bank, ask them right away for a wire recall. If you used a money transfer company, like Western Union or MoneyGram, call their complaint lines immediately. Report your experience to the FTC and to the FBI's Internet Crime Complaint Center at ic3.gov. Give as much information as you can, including all requested banking information. The sooner you get this report in to ic3, the more likely they can help you. If your bank asks for a police report, give them a copy of your report to ic3.gov.

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# Be prepared for spring storms

What a week of weather we a flashlight, have had with me spending last Tues-

day afternoon in the cellar while Ole Jim waited out the storm in Pampa. The sun was brightly shining while I was on the phone discussing the possibility of storms. I pru-dently switched TV channels to Steve Kirsch and watched for several minutes while he warned everyone in the upper counties, Oklahoma and Kansas of impending storms and

"seek shelter immediately.". Leaving the TV on, a few min-utes later, he said, "Howardwick residents seek shelter immediately, a tornado has been spotted." Well, folks, I don't move as "immediately" as I used to, but I grabbed my phone,

treats for Buffy the and got down those cellar steps without a mishap. I

wick picks send could receive and text messages and could talk, but no weather maps

were available in the cellar.

were available in the cellar.

The sirrens were screaming, hail and heavy rain was falling on the metal roof and Buffy the Wonder Dog refuses to come down even with the offer of a good treat. I don't know how many text messages were



a few blocks away, the hail stripped trees and may have caused damage to homes.

The scary part of this story is

how quickly the storm formed with no time to make plans, but no one was injured. For that we are grateful to the Lord and those weather men and genuine storm watchers for all

the reporting they do.

So keep alert, and if one of those weathermen tell you to seek shelter "immediately." move at the

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# Thank You The Monroe and Hoobler Families give a heartfelt

Thank You to all the first responders, Texas Highway Patrol, TxDot, Donley County Sheriff, Donley County Ambulance Authority, Clarendon and Hedley fire departments, Lifeflight of NWTH who helped us after our car accident. Words cannot express our sadness and heartbreak over the loss of our sweet Kylie. We are comforted and blessed by the overwhelming support, generosity, prayers, and love shown to us by the awesome people in our fine communities. God will comfort us all (friends and family of Kylie) in His time and His own special way, for He loves us so deeply. We are so blessed and thankful to live here with so many wonderful folks.

Thank you so much with all our Love,

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Lake. Disc golf

arendon fourth grade class learned to play disc golf at the Greenbelt Lake disc golf course ENTERPRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLACE

drivers can be a fairway or a regular

driver. A fairway will go a bit shorter

distance; but if you have regular disc

# Fourth graders enjoy disc golf be different weights and sizes. The

Earlier this week, me and the fourth grade class got to go out and learn how to play disc golf.

St. Our disc the cub golf course is **reporter**out at Greenbelt by benjamin estla

they will be sharper and lighter and will go farther.

Mr. Owens told us about it and taught us the basics, and then Mr. Balough taught us how to throw the disc and even how to throw it at an

angle to make it turn. is a sport where you have baskets instead of holes like regular golf. Then you have discs – a driver, a midway, and a putter. These can I really enjoy playing disc golf, and this summer I've made a new plan to go out and play some disc golf with my family.

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**CAMPBELL** 

Jan Campbell spent 30 years as an elementary teacher before retiran elementary teacher before retir-ing and has been a long time mem-ber of the First Baptist Church, teaching Sunday school, serving on the worship team, and helping with the College Ministry. She also serves on the Saints'

Roost Museum board and has organized educational activities for youth at the Goodnight Chuckwagon Cookoff and brought in traveling art exhibits for our community to enjoy at the Museum. She has also helped write grants for the

Museum...

She serves on Les Beaux Arts Club and assists in the Art

being more art into our public school. Outreach program to bring more art into our public schoo This year Jan was recognized as the Woman of the Year by the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce for all her volun-

teer work.

The Whistle-Stop and the community salute Jan Camp-bell for her contributions to the education of our young people – past and present – and for her tireless volunteer efforts around town. Thank you, Jan!

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# **Golden Needles club** work on three quilts

Golden Needles Quilters met Thursday, May 18, at the Senior Citizens with Barbara Helms as hostess. The ladies individually sewed together block pieces cut by Louella Slater who gave them out at the last meeting. The task now was to square-off the blocks and sew then together into strips and those into quilt tops. It will make two beautiful Fong & Porter star quilts for veterans. Several of the ladies worked on

this project directed by Louella.

There was joy, laughter, and some movements back and forth between the piercing project and quilting on the unique heritage quilt with its star pattern in lovely soft hues owned by Gay Cole.

Others present were Tiny Alder-son, Annis Stavenhagen, Dortha Reynolds, Suzan Chassande-Baroz, Janan Koontz, Carlene Hollar, William Lindley, Allene Leathers, Dottie Newkirk, Mary Lynn Manning, Eva Lee Swinney.



The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular Tuesday, May 23, 2017, with Boss Lion Tex Buckhaults in

charge.

We had 16 members and
Sweethearts Brooke Smith, Hannah Howard, and Cire Jauregui this

Lion Ashlee Estlack reported on the college where Summer I classes start June 5, CNA and GED classes will also be held in June a Pampa, and a judging alumni dinner is planned for June 10.

Lion David Dockery reminded everyone about the Mulkey Block Party this coming Saturday from 6

to 10 p.m.

Lion John Howard said the inty was working on the budget and also considering maintenance issues for the upkeep of the court-

house.

Lion Mike Norrell reported on the public school where every sport this year made it into the playoffs, including qualifiers in individual

The club voted to elect the following slate of officers to be installed in July: Boss Lion Robert Riza, First Vice President John Howard, Second Vice President Scarlet Estlack, Third Vice President Landon Lambert, Secretary/Treasurer Roger Estlack, Lion Tamer Bobbie Thornberry, Tail

Lion Tamer Bobbie Thomberry, Tail Twister Jerry Woodard, and Song Leader Larry Capranica. There being no further busi-ness, we were adjourned to spread Lionism and good cheer throughout

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Hedley elementary student Justin Widener examines a skunk skin at the Palo Duro Canyon WOWW trip.



# Drugs in the News

# New Multiple Sclerosis Drug Shows Promise

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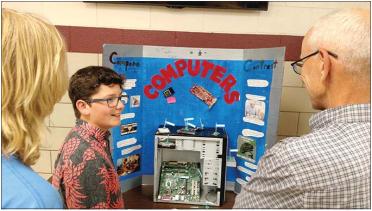
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## GT Showcase

Clarendon sixth grader Taylor Halsell shows his computers exhibit to junior high principal John Taylor last Tuesday during the Gifted & Talented Showcase at Clarendon ISD. Other students showing at the event were Justus McAnear, Bruce Campbell, Hagen Newman, Ella Estlack, Autumn Beal, Elliot Frausto, Brooklyn Lemons, Millie McAnear, Gracie Clark, Ben Estlack, Bella Neal, Maloree Wann, Courtlyn Conkin, Easton Frausto, Avery Halsey, Toby Leeper, JaeAnna Lockeby, Britton Cottrell, Jace Cottrell, Laney Gates, Makenna Shadle, Cate Word, Josiah Howard, Graci Kidd, Sophia Bilbrey, Nathan Matthews, Kailee Osburn, Jayden Monds, Kira Weatherton, Chardy Craft, Tessa Lutters, Christian Wooten, Gavin Word, Harley Jauregui, Philip Monds, O'Rian Neal, Trinity Stribling, Clayton White, Cire Jauregui, Taylon Knorpp, and Jack Moore.

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## Hunsaker named All-District MVP

By Sandy Anderberg Clarendon's Kade Hunsaker has been named the All-District 2-2A Most Valuable Player, according to coach Brad Elam.

Hunsaker was just one of the players instrumental in the success of the Broncos this season. Chance Lockhart was named as the Pitcher of the Year and Brad Elam was

named the Coach of the Year.

Making the first team was catcher, Andy Davis; first baseman Preston Elam; infielder Josh Cobb; outfielders Clay Koetting and Nick Shadle; and utility player Nathan

Noab Elam was named as infielder to the Second Team, and Payton Hicks was named as a utility player. Payton Havens received an Honorable Mention.

Brianna Butler and Briley

Chadwick were named to the 2-2A All-District Softball Team for their work on the field for the Lady Broncos. Jensen Hatley and Hannah Hommel were both named to the Second All-District team and Zaryia Smith, Allyson Hogan, and Emily Johnson received an Honorable

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# Local students qualify for THSRA finals

Rodeo Association State Finals.

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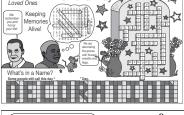
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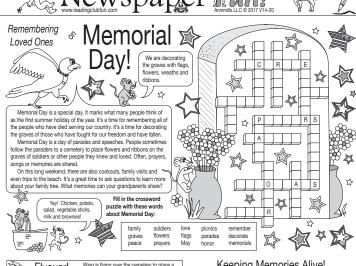
Contestants compete in rodeos throughout the year in one of 10 regions across the state. At the last rodeo of regional level competition, the top 10 competitors in each event are announced. These contestants are then given the opportunity to represent their region on the state level at the THSRA state finals.

The Texas High School Rodeo

Clarendon residents Cole Association is a 501-C non-profit Franks and Dalton Benson will be organization, which is the largest, traveling to Ablinen, June 4-10. to most prestigious state high school compete in the Texas High School rodeo association in the nation. Association is a 501-C non-profit organization, which is the largest, most prestigious state high school rodeo association in the nation. THSRA sponsors over 125 rodeos per year throughout 10 regions across Texas.

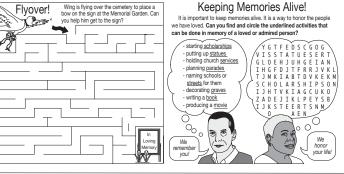
The rodeo year begins in August and concludes with the Texas August and concludes with the Iexas High School Finals Rodeo in June. It is here, at the largest rodeo in the state of Texas, where "The Elite Compete" featuring the top cowboys and cowgirls from each Region. They compete for numerous awards, scholarships as wall as the constead scholarships as well as the coveted honor of representing the state at the National High School Finals Rodeo held each July in Wyoming. For additional information visit www.

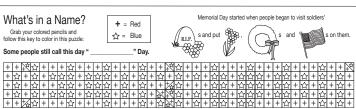






Dalton Benson and Cole Franks have qualified for the state THSRA





# Broncos fall to WTH in **Regional Quarterfinals**

By Sandy Anderberg
The Broncos' stellar post season was cut short last weekend as they fell in three games to number

five ranked West Texas.

The first game was played Friday night at Amarillo High, and the Broncos were defeated 7-8 The Broncos led most of the game with Kade Hunsaker on the mound, but the Comanches rallied back in the sixth inning. Clarendon was up 7-1 until the fifth when WT put three runs on the board to cut into the big

Broncos had their opponent just where they wanted them, with two outs. But bases were loaded, and the hitter found an opening in right field that scored all four runs.

On Saturday, the Broncos were

ready to avenge their loss from the night before. After a back and forth game with six lead changes, the Broncos dug in deep to get the 9-8 win.

WT was on the board first and took a 3-0 lead in the bottom of the took a 3-0 read in the contount of the we just went through. We definitely first innip. But Clarendon got back in it and worked hard to get the win. In the bottom of the seventh, Josh Cobb and Nick Shadle got on back with singles. Hunsaker came up to bat and hit a deep ball to left center, 2017 season 23-3-1.

which allowed Cobb and Shadle to put two on the board for the win. Cobb, Andy Davis, and Hunsaker all

Coop, Andy Davis, and Hunsaker an had multiple hits for the Broncos. Game three was the deciding game for the series. The Broncos struggled to find their rhythm and were defeated 1-5 allowing WT to earn the Regional Quarterfinals trophy.

The Broncos' lone run came

in the second inning. WT put their final run on the board in the fifth, but Clarendon was not able to answer.

In the bottom of the sixth, the nocos had their opponent just re they wanted them, with two coach Brad Elam said. "We had five one-run games out of the last six. We came from behind to win three games and had a walk off double in game two against WT. I would have liked to still be playing, but I can't say enough about how hard these kids played. They never gave up even when behind.

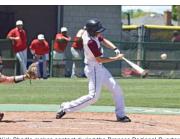
"We had many people say they have never seen anything like what we just went through. We definitely



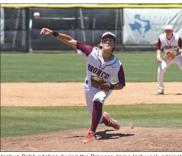
Clay Koetting on the mound for the Broncos during the Regional Quarterfinals last weekend.



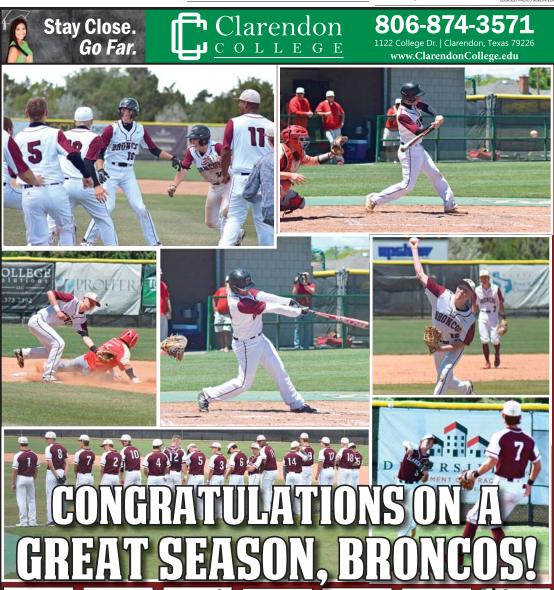
Noab Elam tags a West Texas High runner as he slides into second during the Broncos game last week.



Nick Shadle makes contact during the Broncos Regional Quarte final game last week against West Texas High.



Joshua Cobb pitches during the Broncos game last week against West Texas High.





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Star Schools are those with significant populations of socio-economically disadvantaged stu-dents that have shown a significant increase in grade-level proficiency over time. Scholar Schools are schools that are showing significant levels of academic achievement, but do not have a significant socio-economically disadvantaged student population.

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"Many schools across the coun-try are doing well, even those with high numbers of historically disadvantaged students," said Jim Lanich, ERP President and CEO. "The Honor Roll proves that all schools, no matter what zip code they are in, can achieve this kind of success. School and school district leaders have a great opportunity to find out what's working at these Honor Roll schools and replicate it."

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# Hedley's Eighth grade Salutatorian Cara Lambert and Valedicto

rian Zack Wells



Kenlee Lambert gives the Valedictorian address at Hedley's graduation last Saturday





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## DPS enhances enforcement for holiday weekend

AUSTIN - The Texas Depart-ment of Public Safety (DPS) will ioin law enforcement efforts ac join law enforcement efforts across the state during the Memorial Day weekend to help keep Texas road-ways safe. From Friday, May 26, through Monday, May 29, DPS Troopers will be on the lookout for intoxicated drivers, and drivers violating speed limit, seat belt and other

"As we honor those who gave their lives to protect and serve our country, we are asking all drivers to help us prevent senseless trag-edies on the roadways this holiday weekend," said DPS Director Steven McCraw. "Drive sober, wear your seat belt, slow down, obey traffic laws and use extra caution when you get behind the wheel this weekend. DPS and other law enforcement will do our part by watching for drivers who are violating the law and endangering the lives of other travelers.

During the Memorial Day holiday weekend last year, DPS Troopers

issued more than 45,000 tickets and warnings, including 836 seat belt and child safety restraint citations. DPS enforcement efforts also resulted in 389 DWI arrests, 190 fugitive arrests and 175 felony arrests.

DPS also supports the state's "Click It or Ticket" enforcement campaign, which runs through June 4, to encourage drivers and passen rs to comply with state seat belt

laws.

Drivers can take a variety of measures to enhance safety on our roads this Memorial Day weekend, including:

Do not drink and drive. Slow down – especially in bad weather, construction areas, heavy traffic and unfamiliar areas.

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Buckle up everyone in the vehicle - it's the law. In other words,

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Drive defensively, as holiday travel may present additional chal-

Before your trip begins, make sure your vehicle is properly main-tained and always double-check to make sure all cargo is secure.

Slow down or move over for police, fire, EMS, Texas Department of Transportation vehicles and tow trucks that are stopped on the side of the road with emergency lights activated – it's the law. Also, show the same courtesy to fellow drivers stopped along the road.

Monitor weather conditions wherever you are traveling. In the event of inclement weather, use extra caution on roadways, and never attempt to cross flowing streams or drive across flooded roadways. For more safety tips related to seven storms, visit: http://dps.texas.gov/ dem/ThreatAwareness/weather\_ aware\_severe.htm.

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# AgriLife Extension sets cotton scout school June 1

The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service will conduct a free cotton bug scouting school June 1 in the Oil Room located on the South Plains College campus, 1401 S. College Ave. in Levelland.

The day will open with registration at 8 a.m. followed by the pro-gram from 8:30 a.m.-noon.

Organizers said the curriculum is geared toward crop consultants,

farmers and their workers, AgriLife Extension agents and their interns.

Speakers will be Dr. Suhas Vyavhare, AgriLife Extension entomologist, Lubbock, and Kerry Siders, AgriLife Extension integrated pest management agent for Hockley, Cochran and Lamb coun-

Topics will include cotton Agriculture continui agronomy, plant mapping, insect units will be offered.

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# Claude art show A celebration of the play "TEXAS" and it's setting of the Texas Panhandle as seen through the artistry of Jim Livingston will be the subject of a special showcase at the Armstrong County Museum in Claude Thursday, May 27, from 3 to Live music will be provided by Mason Jar and Shine Brothers, and Cowboy Poetry by Jim Anderson will also be featured.

Terri Gammage, former Rider on the Rim for "TEXAS," will be present with a horse from Panhandle Safe Hayven Equine Rescue. Included in the art are photos of the horses and proceeds from the sale of

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# State plans for safer foster care

AUSTIN - Governor Greg Abbott today Tuesday that the Office of the Governor's Criminal Justice Division will provide \$547,000 in funding to emergency shelters and residential facilities for support services to help reduce the number of high-needs children in foster care currently without placements.

In addition to the funding, the Department of Family Protective Services (DFPS) is also announcing new contracts to qualified residential child care providers under the Emer-gency Procurement Waiver for Chil-dren Without Placement. DFPS will immediately begin negotiations and establish standing contracts with the limitation that such contracts would accept children or youth who are otherwise refused placement.

sleeping in state agency offices is unacceptable," said Governor Abbott. "We must do better, which is why I am taking immediate action to help resolve this problem. Ensuring safe placements for children in the state's care is a top priority, and I will continue to work with the legislature. DFPS and all stakeholders to provide safe and secure placements for those in need."

The Governor and DFPS are committed to solving this important issue by providing emergency fund-ing to secure appropriate placements for high-needs foster children. While this joint effort is designed to serve as a bridge to immediately secure placements for some of Texas' highest-risk foster youth, DFPS and the

"The number of children still Governor's Office will continue to monitor and assess the success o the program throughout the length of each agreement. These beds will be provided for the Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Lubbock, and Amarillo

> "I am extremely grateful to Governor Abbott for his continued generosity and commitment to progenerosity and commitment to pro-tecting Texas children, specifically those in the State's care who need our help the most," said Henry L. "Hank" Whitman, Commissioner of the Department of Family and Pro-tective Services. "A CPS office is no place for a foster child, and through the innovative use of these funds and our ongoing efforts to build capacity, we hope to make it a thing

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# Patrick still pushing on bathrooms, property taxes

By Alexa Ura, The Texas Tribune
After threatening to force a special session of the Texas Legislature unless lawmakers approve a "bathroom bill" and property tax legislation, Lt. Gov Dan Patrick on Monday appeared to be unconvinced by the House's actions on the two

"I share Governor Abbott's convision in Senate Bill 669 on property taxes," Patrick said in a statement about a property tax measure the House passed Saturday. Patrick, like Gov. Greg Abbott, had indicated he wanted the House to approve Senate Bill 2, to require local governments that want to raise property taxes by 5 percent or more to get voter approval, but that proposal stalled in the House

On the hathroom front Patrick said he had concerns about the "ambiguous language" the House approved as an amendment Sunday to address bathroom use by transgen-der Texans in public schools because it "doesn't appear to do much." The measure the House approved would require schools to provide single-stall restrooms, locker rooms

and changing facilities to students who don't want to use facilities des-

ignated by "biological sex."

"There is still time for the
House and Senate to address these concerns – which are both priorities for Texas voters – in a meaningful way," Patrick said.

Throughout the session, Patrick and Straus have been at odds over what should be the Legislature's priorities. The lieutenant governor's House votes on the issues that have emerged as sticking points in his efforts to push for Abbott to call a special session. The regular legisla-tive session ends May 29.

Last week, Patrick had said he

was prepared to go to a special session if the House did not act on the property tax issue and some version of a "bathroom bill." Abbott said both pieces of legislation were also priorities for him, though he has not publicly threatened a special session over the two items.

But following the House's vote on the bathroom amendment, House Speaker Joe Straus said in a statement that the governor made clear "he would demand action on this in a

Patrick had pushed for the House to move on Senate Bill 6, the measure his chamber passed out in March, to regulate bathroom use for transgender Texans or to amend a bill with language from a related House measure. Both mea-sures stalled in the House, which on Sunday approved a more narrow proposal. Over the past few months, Straus was reticent to allow a vote on the Senate's bathroom proposal, saying the issue felt "manufactured

and unnecessary."

And ahead of the House's vote on the property tax measure – which was set on the House calendar ahead of Patrick's special session ultimatum – Straus argued that the House had addressed the issue of offer-ing taxpayers relief by focusing on a measure intended to reform the state's complex school finance system.
"Now it's really time for the

Senate to take care of the many House priorities that they know they've been sitting on," Straus said in a statement Monday evening. in a statement Monun; ... "We'll just have to see what hap-

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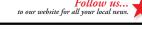
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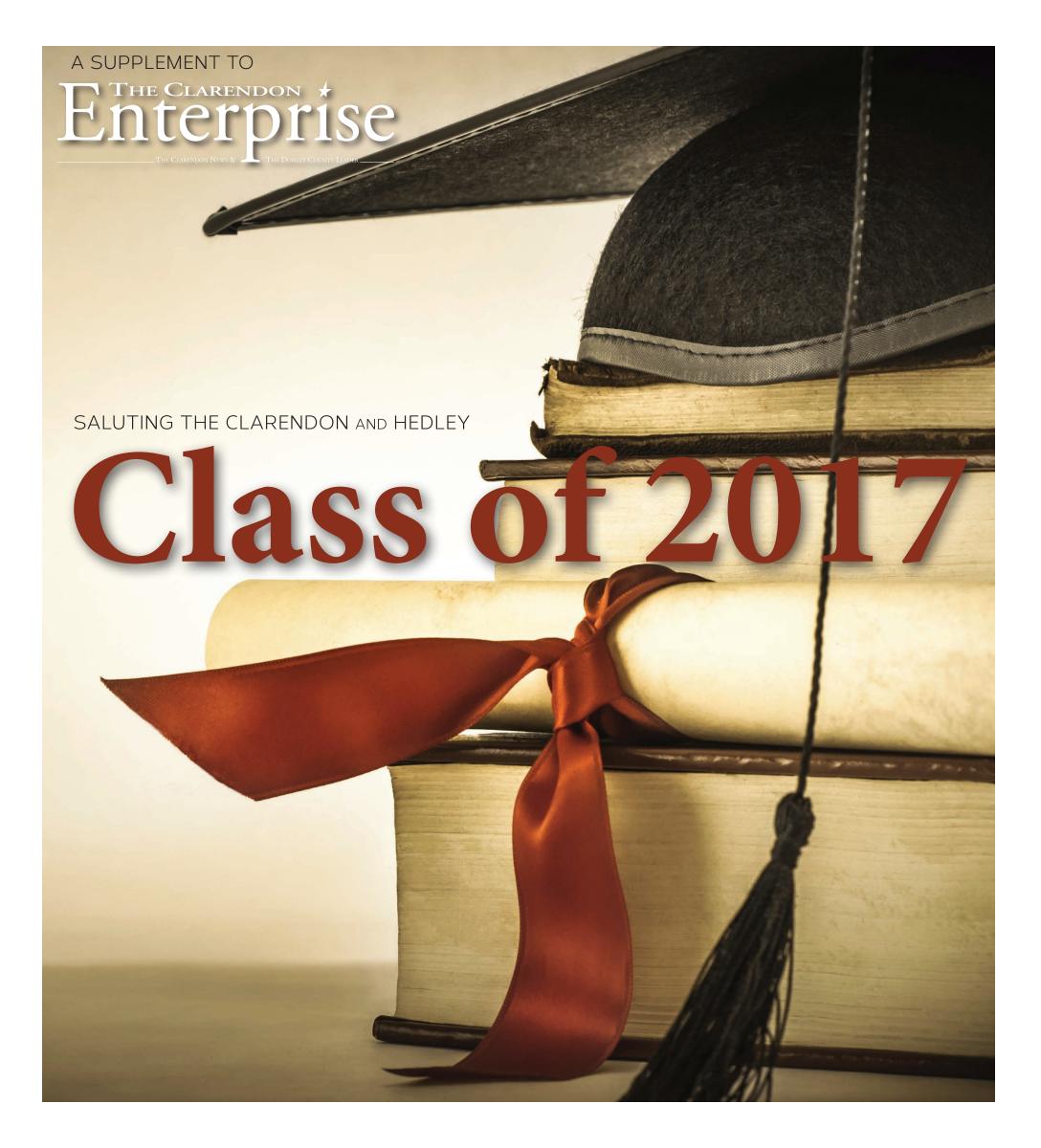


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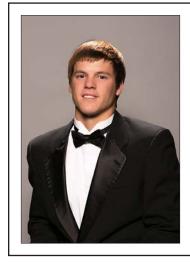




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# **Berkeley Alexander**

Berkeley Alexander, daughter of Stacey Alexander and Chrisy White, played basketball for four years, threw shot and disc for three years, and ran cross country for one year. She has been involved in community service projects working with elementary students, serving the veterans, and participating in fundraisers to support different foundations. Berkeley plans to attend Clarendon College in the fall and then West Texas A&M University, pursuing a degree in nursing.

# **Richard Anderson**

Richard Anderson, son of Brandon and Kathy Goodwin, played baseball for one year and football for one year. He plans on attending Clarendon College in the fall. After Clarendon College, Richard plans on working and trying to find a career.

# **Jacob Anglin**

Jacob Anglin is the son of Loretta Keith. After graduation, he plans on moving to Orlando where he will have an opportunity to do something good with his life.

# **Ethan Ballard**

Ethan Ballard, son of Somer Ballard and Anthony Ballard, competed in powerlifting for three years, played basketball for one year, ran track for one year, and played football for two years. During his free time, Ethan spent three summers volunteering to take care of kids with muscu-



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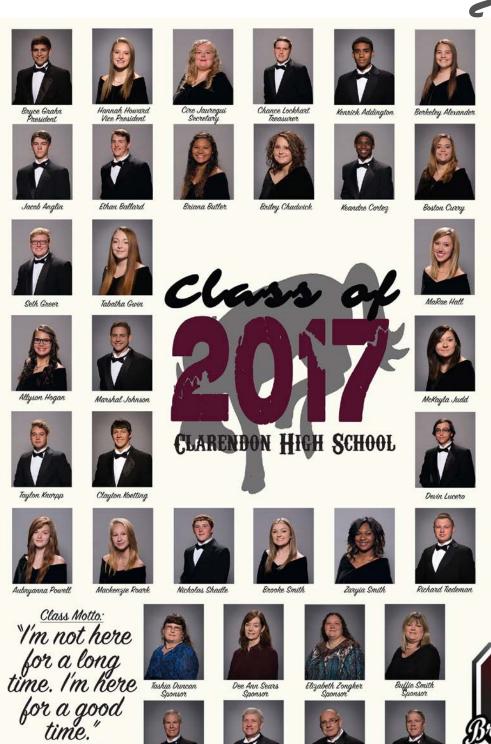




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lar dystrophy and was awarded Medical Sonography degree. Rookie of the Year while there his first year. He plans on attending Clarendon College.

# **Briana Butler**

Briana Butler, daughter of Shanna Herndon and Ebony Butler, played softball and basketball for four years, made All-District First Team in softball and basketball her junior year, and was named Lady Bronco of The Year her junior year. She was moved up her freshmen year of high school for basketball while going to the Regional Tournament in Levelland. This fall, Briana plans to attend Clarendon College and will play basketball for the college while pursuing a Diagnostic

# **Briley Chadwick**

Briley Chadwick, daughter of Billy and Julie Chadwick, played softball and basketball for four years and was a cheerleader for two. She was also involved in Student Council her senior year. Briley has been involved in community service projects such as hanging up signs at the little league fields, helping the softball league with games, and recycling paper. Briley plans to attend South Plains College in the fall to pursue a degree in nursing.

# **Keandre Cortez**

Keandre Cortez, son of Deanna and Loyd Weatherton, played

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years and ran track for two years. Keandre was football captain his senior, making First Team Running Back for two years in a row and making All-District Honorable Mention in basketball his senior year. He also competed in the state tournament his senior year. In addition, he was a member of Clarendon High School Student Council for two years. Keandre is planning on attending college and obtaining his degree in criminal justice.

# Clint Franks

Clint Franks, son of Bret and Darla Franks, played on the football team for four years, played baseball for two years, ran track for two years, was in powerlifting for two years, and played golf for one year. During foot-

football and basketball for four ball, his junior year, Clint was awarded District Utility Player and was awarded All-District Running Back. He is a devoted outdoor enthusiast. Clint will be attending Clarendon College in the welding department as he will have gone through part of the class in the dual-credit class he has attended as a high school student. After college, he plans to join the Marine Corps.

# **Bryce Grahn**

Bryce Grahn is the son of Kalen and Lisa Grahn. During his high school career, academically, Bryce was involved in Student Council, National Honor Society, and Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Extracurricular events involved one act, cross country, track, football, and basketball. While Bryce was at Clarendon,



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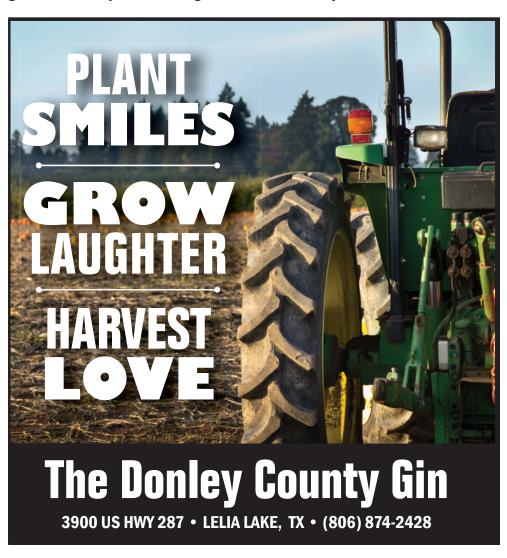




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# Seth Greer

Seth Greer, son of Courtney Halsell, Jimmy Greer, and Josh Halsell, participated in multiple sports during his time at Clarendon High School. He participated in football, basketball, powerlifting, baseball, track, and band. In powerlifting, he was a into the National Honor Society

he was voted Chamber of Com- regional qualifier during both his senior and junior years, as well as a state qualifier his senior year. Two years in a row, Seth was a counselor at MDA summer camp for children with muscular dyslege in Kansas. He will major in trophy. He will attend West Texas A&M with the assistance of a football scholarship. He does not currently have an intended major.

# MaRae Hall

MaRae Hall, daughter of Dan Hall and Andrea Jack, played basketball for two years, ran cross country for three years, and track for three years. She was a member of the Clarendon Bronco Band for four years. In Student Council, she was a representative for three years and the secretary for one year. She was inducted



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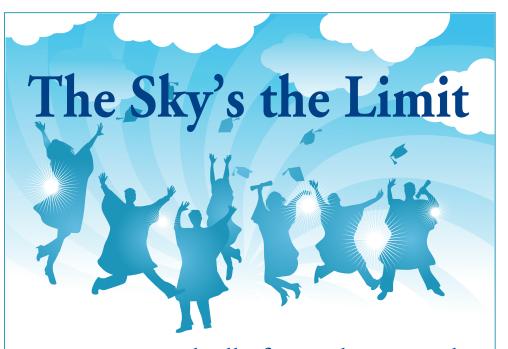




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her senior year, and she received the Honor "C" in Algebra II her junior year. MaRae assisted in highway clean-up and recycle duty, and she has volunteered to help with Special Olympics, read and help first graders, and pack snack packs for elementary kids in need. She will be attending Southwestern Oklahoma State University in the fall to pursue a career in Occupational Therapy.

# **Jensen Hatley**

Jensen Hatley, daughter of Wes and Christi Hatley, ran track for two years, participated in band one year, and cheerleading for four years. She played basketball and softball for four years, making Academic All-District her sophomore and senior years, Honorable Mention her junior and senior years in basketball,

and 2nd Team All-District Softball one year. She participated in annual staff her sophomore and junior years. She was a member of Student Council for four years, serving as Treasurer her senior year. She was inducted into National Honors Society her junior year and served as Treasurer her senior year. She was on the AB Honor Roll her sophomore, junior, and senior years. She was also a homecoming court candidate her junior and senior year. She has been involved in highway cleanups and recycling duty. Jensen plans on attending Texas Tech University in the fall, pursuing a degree in nursing.

# **Allyson Hogan**

Allyson Hogan, daughter of Josh and Tara Allred, and Jeremy Hogan, played softball for three



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years, basketball for two years, and ran track for two years. She was a member of Student Council for one year. She earned All-State Potential and All-District First Team all three years of participating in the softball program. Allyson also received MVP for the Lady Broncos softball team her freshman year. She has participated in various community service projects, such as recycle duty, highway clean up, and preparing and serving meals for veterans and school board members. Allyson plans on attending Clarendon College to study her basics in the fall.

# **Hannah Howard**

Hannah Howard, daughter of Bruce and Gwynne Howard, is the Valedictorian of her class. She has served as a class officer all four years of high school, and she was inducted into National Honors Society her junior year. Hannah participated in Clarendon's Fall Production her junior and senior year. She also was a Lions Club Sweetheart. She played on the Lady Bronco Basketball team four years and served as a team captain her junior year. Hannah was a three time Regional-qualifier in Science UIL. Her senior year, she placed first at district in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Overall, and was a member of the first-place team. At Regionals, she placed second in Chemistry and fifth overall. She won a total of sixteen gold medals her senior year. Hannah plans to attend Clarendon College and then to transfer to WT. She plans on majoring in Child Psychology, and in the future she hopes to work with kids.

# Cire Jauregui

Cire Jauregui, daughter of Larry and Nicole Beames, is this year's Salutatorian. She was a competitor in UIL, qualifying for Regionals in Number Sense her sophomore and junior years, and Mathematics her sophomore through senior years. Before her senior year, Cire developed and ran a summer reading program at the downtown library and looks forward to doing so again. Cire participated in Student Council throughout high school, and during her senior year, was elected to be the Historian, leading the Community Service Committee. Cire was inducted into National Honor Society during her junior year and served as secretary during her senior year. She also served as the Class of 2017 secretary. Cire was selected to be one of three Lions Club Sweethearts during her senior year. Cire will be attending the University of North Texas in the fall, where she has been selected to be a Terry Scholar.

# **Marshal Johnson**

Marshal Johnson, son of Kevin and Cheryl Johnson, played basketball and track all four years of high school and played football for three years. His basketball team was state runner-up and he was awarded TABC All-State, All-Region, 2A Golden Spread Player of the Year, and District 2-2A MVP. He has completed in UIL all four years of high school and has qualified for Regionals in Mathematics his last two years. He has participated in Student Council all four years and his senior year acquired the office of Parliamentar-



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# McKayla Judd

McKayla Judd, daughter of Kyle Judd, spent all of her four years in high school involved in the theatre program. She started out her freshmen year making posters for the fall production, then operated lights for the next play the same year. Her sophomore year she was cast as a lead Mention Linebacker, District in the 2015 One Act Play UIL Defensive MVP, and Newcomer event. That year Clarendon's production of "Fourteen Lines" advanced against four other competing schools. She plans to attend a college with a wellrounded theatre program and to pursue a career in the arts.

# Taylon Knorpp

Taylon Knorpp, son of Ashley Knorpp and Roy Williams III, played football for four years and tennis for two. He was a varsity starter all four years, receiving 1st Team All-District both his junior and senior years, as well as Honorable Mention All-State during his senior year, and he served as Team Captain both junior and senior years. Taylon was a Regional Qualifier in mixed doubles tennis his junior year after placing second in district and advancing to the Regional Quarter Finals in boys' doubles after placing second in district. He participated in UIL, earning fourth place at Regionals in Feature Writing. He also partook in the 2016 Texas Electric Cooperative Youth Tour in Calculator Apps for one year. Washington DC and has an es- He was inducted into National

ian. Marshal plans on attending say being published in their annual magazine. Taylon has been admitted into the Nelson Rusche School of Business at Stephen F. Austin State University.

# Clay Koetting

Clay Koetting, son of Neil and Cheryl Koetting, played baseball, football, and tennis for four years. He played basketball for two years and ran track for one year. In football, he was awarded All-State Honorable of the Year. He was a member of Student Council. He assisted in highway cleanups, recycling duty, and serving veterans and school board members. Clay was inducted into National Honor Society his senior year and was a class officer his freshman and junior years. He plans on attending Clarendon College to get his basics and earn his welding certification.

# Chance Lockhart

Chance Lockhart, son of Brandt and Debby Lockhart, played basketball for four years, tennis for four years, baseball for four years, football for two years, and track for one year. He was awarded All-District Basketball for three years, All-Region his senior year, and Academic All-State his senior year. He was District Pitcher of the Year his junior year and advanced to Regionals for three years in tennis. He advanced to regionals in UIL Number Sense for three years, Mathematics for two years, and



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representative in Student Council for three years, and was the for four years, advancing to Bisenior class Treasurer. Chance District her sophomore year, and plans on attending the University of Dallas to continue his basketball career.

# **Devin Lucero**

Devin Lucero, son of Conrad Lucero and Alicia Carson, was a student at Clarendon High School for four years. He plans on going to Clarendon College in the fall and plans on getting his associate's degree in business.

# **Jack Moore**

Jack Moore, son of Chris and Vicki Moore, played football for four years, threw shot and disc for one year, and was a power lifter for one year. He was in the Gifted and Talented Program, as well as the debate team, and participated in UIL for one year. He was, and still is, a very active member of the mission committee at his church, helping with the building of a church on the Navajo Reservation in Arizona and New Mexico. He enjoys mission work and plans to do a lot more in the future. Jack is planning to attend Bear Valley Biblical Institute for two years, pursuing a career as a minister.

# Aubryanna Powell

Aubryanna Powell, daughter of Matthew and Brandi Powell, played in the band four years, All-Region for three years, and solo and ensemble for two years. She was a member of the Science UIL team for four years, assisting the team in four district wins, and she is a two-time Re-

Honor Society as a junior, was a gional qualifier. She was also a UIL competitor in One Act Play in Computer Apps this previous year. She is a member of National Honor Society, as well as a member of Student Council. She has been an active participant in community service projects: recycling paper, preparing and serving meals for veterans, creating a summer reading program, and fundraising for people with MS. Aubryanna plans to attend Oklahoma University where she will major in chemistry, minor in music therapy, and then hopes to eventually attend medical school.

# **Mackenzie Roark**

Mackenzie Roark, daughter of Phillip and Debbi Roark, was in JROTC her freshman year of high school and assisted in volunteering with the JROTC. She loves to draw and paint. Mackenzie plans to take her first year of cosmetology through Clarendon College. After her first year of Cosmetology is completed, Mackenzie plans to move to a bigger city, continue college, and pursue her dream of opening her own beauty shop.

# **Nicholas Shadle**

Nicholas Shadle, son of Michael and Renee Shadle, played baseball, football, and tennis four years. He received All-District Offensive Lineman and Linebacker, Globe-News Player of the Week, and was awarded All-State Honorable Mention in football his senior year. He also ran track for one year and competed in powerlifting for two years.



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Nicholas was named Student Service Leader of the Month his senior year. Nicholas is an avid hunter and fisher, always having enthusiasm for the outdoors. After high school, he plans on attending Clarendon College to get his basics.

# **Brooke Smith**

Brooke Smith is the daughter of David and Buffie Smith. She has three brothers Taylor, Tyler, and Trent Smith. Throughout the course of her high school career, Brooke has participated in cross country, basketball, band, and annual staff. She was also a cheerleader all four years and was elected cheer captain her senior year. Academically, Brooke participated in student council for four years, acting as treasurer and vice president her junior and senior years, and served as a member of National Honor Society for two years and was chosen vice president her senior year. She was voted as a 2016-17 Lions Club Sweetheart and Chamber of Commerce Young Woman of the Year, and was elected as a candidate for the homecoming queen court of 2016-17. After high school, she plans to obtain a degree in pre-nursing from Baylor University where she will lat-

Nicholas was named Student er pursue her career in neonatal Service Leader of the Month his nursing.

# **Zaryia Smith**

Zaryia Smith, daughter of Shonda and Nathan Lowrie, played softball for four years, played basketball for three years, and was a part of the high school band for three years. She made All-District Honorable Mention in softball her junior year. She plans on becoming a dental hygienist after high school. Within the next ten or so years she hopes to have her own dentist's office.

# **Richard Tiedeman**

Richard Tiedeman, son of Richard and Amanda Tiedeman, has worked hard since he was a preschooler to get to the point of graduation. Richard has been a mechanic for his father since his freshman year of high school, working late nights and still applying himself to school each day. He played football for two years at Highland Park and was a manager for the team when he was injured. Richard plans to attend Amarillo College Truck Driving Academy to gain his CDL, then plans to drive trucks for a living to achieve his lifetime goal of becoming a long haul truck driver.

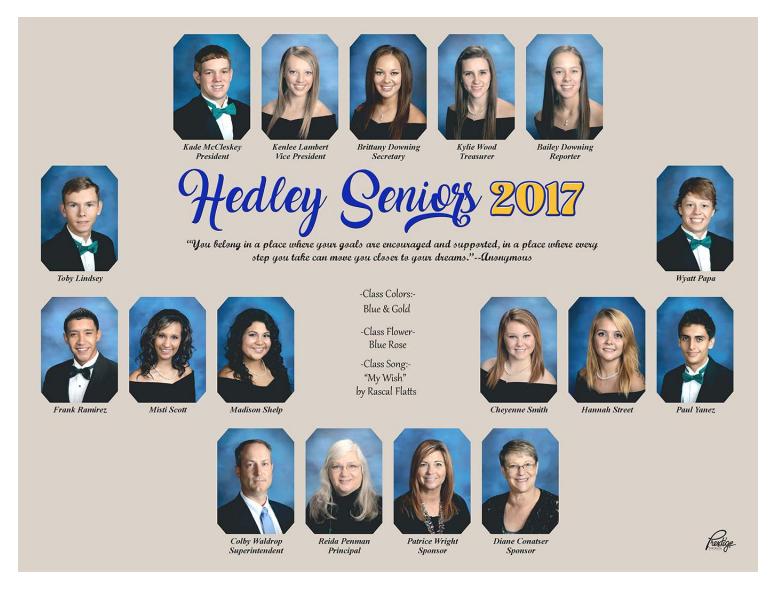
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# **Bailey Downing**

Bailey Downing is the daughter of Tracie and Richard Downing. Bailey has attended Hedley ISD for three years. Throughout these three years, Bailey has been involved in many extracurricular activities such as cross country, basketball, track, golf, tennis, One Act Play, FFA horse judging, Rodeo, Team Sorting, and has also been a member of the National Honor Society. Bailey received Academic and All-District Honors in basketball and cross country, and also advanced to Regionals in golf, track, tennis, and cross country. Bailey is Salutatorian of her Senior class. She will be attending Clarendon College in the fall of 2017 to begin her path of pursuing a career as a veterinarian.

# **Brittany Downing**

Brittany Downing, daughter of Tracy Lee and Richard Dale Downing (deceased), has attended Hedley ISD since her sophomore year. Throughout her high school career she has been extremely involved in cross country, managed basketball, track, tennis, One Act Play, FFA horse judging, and is a member of National Honor Society. Brittany was also voted Homecoming Queen her junior year. She has been involved showing horses, participating in many events, and was rodeo princess her freshman year and queen her sophomore year. Her father, Richard Downing, loved taking his daughters to rodeos. They created a strong bond being able to do the things they loved together. This is one of Brittany's greatest and treasured memories. After high school Brittany will further her education at Clarendon College and then transfer to West Texas A & M University where she will either enter their Nursing Program or work toward a career as a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists.

# **Misti Edwards**

Misti Brianne Scott Edwards is the daughter of Kim and D.J. Edwards. Throughout her high school years she has participated in basketball, cross country, golf, One Act Play, Academic UIL, FFA, and was school mascot. She advanced to Regionals in golf and cross country. Misti plans on attending Clarendon College and will then transfer to a University to obtain a degree in Physical Thearpy. Misti would like to thank her parents for their endless support and her Daddy Levi for helping shape her into the woman she is now.

# **Kenlee Lambert**

Kenlee Lambert is the daughter of Ronnie and Cindy Lambert and the sister to Jayden, Emma, and Cara Lambert. She has attended Hedley High School for three years. Throughout high school she has been very involved in basketball, cross country, track, tennis, golf, and cheerleading. She has received All District and Academic Honors and the Fighting Heart Award in basketball. Kenlee was voted MVP



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to Regionals in golf, track, and cross country. Kenlee competed in Academic UIL and has been a member of FFA, One Act Play, and National Honor Society. She is Valedictorian and President of her graduating class and Universal Technician Institute Hedley's Chapter of NHS. She was award Young Woman of the Year by the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce. Kenlee plans to attend Clarendon College in the fall and pursue a career in Sonography.

# **Toby Lindsey**

Toby Lindsey is the son of Doran Lindsey and Rachel Hardy. He is the step son of Tonya Lindsey and Jerry Hardy. Throughout his high school career Toby has been involved his high school career he has

in track. She has also advanced in basketball, track, FFA, automotive industry, and welding schools. His love for welding has lead him to attend Tulsa Welding School to pursue his dream job as a structural welder. Later in life Toby wants to go to to get his mechanical degree. Throughout his school years he has helped his Dad, Doran, with projects from building fences to helping build structures. He enjoys being outside more than anything.

# Kade McCleskey

William Kade McCleskey is the 18 year old son of Willie McCleskey and Tracie Brinson, stepson of Holly McCleskey and Keith Brinson. Throughout



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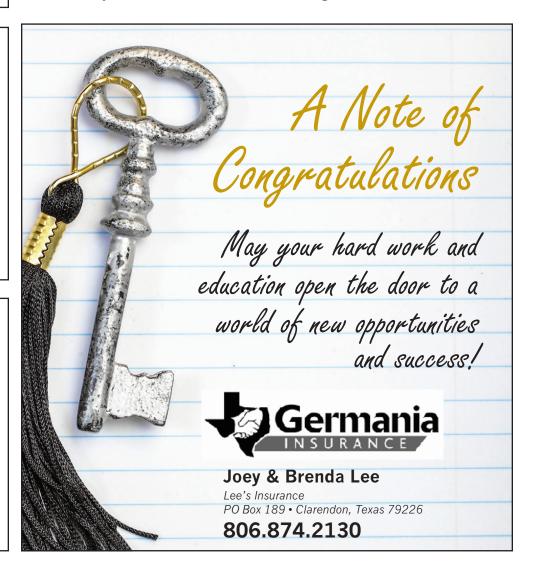




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been involved in many extracurricular activities. He has participated in football, basketball, tennis, track, One Act Play and National Honor Society, receiving All-District Honors in football and basketball. The FFA ers who helped shape him into program has been a major part of his high school career. Kade plans on getting his collegiate career started at Clarendon College then plans to transfer to a University to obtain a Bachelor's Degree in Animal Science.

# **Wyatt Papa**

Robert and Connie Papa. Wyatt has attended Hedley High she has learned in her 4 years of School since his sophomore high school, she plans to go to year. Since coming to Hedley, Wyatt has actively participated basics then transfer to a Univerin OAP, Football, Tennis, Golf sity to major in Psychology. She where as a team, advanced to regionals, and Track where he also advanced to regionals in the 100 and 200 meter races. His passion lies in Physical education and sports, that being said he plans to further his education by attending Clarendon College then going to WT to become a Physical Therapist or Coach.

# **Frank Ramirez**

is the grandson of Frank Ramirez and Consuelo Ramirez. Frank has attended Hedley High School since Pre-K. Frank has been very active throughout his high school career. He was voted The Most Athletic Boy by his peers. He participated in basketball, football, tennis, and track. After high school Frank

plans to serve his country by enrolling in the US Marines. Even though Frank gave every teacher a hard time, he says he will surely miss everyone and he is very thankful for all the teachthe person he is today.

# **Madison Shelp**

Madison Shelp is the daughter of Daron Shelp and Christina Henson. In her 4 years of high school she has been involved in FFA, cheerleading, track, basketball, tennis, One Act Play, National Honor Society, and Wyatt Papa is the son of was also a class officer. With all of her excellent leadership skills Clarendon College to get her wants to thank all her teachers for helping her all these years.

# **Cheyenne Smith**

Cheyenne Smith is daughter of Laura Phipps and has attended Hedley ISD since the fifth grade. She has been active in basketball and OAP until she had her son her Junior year. Her hard work is driven by her goal to set an excellent example Francisco Thomas Ramirez for her son, Hesten. Cheyenne plans to go to Nursing School since she loves caring for others.

# **Hannah Street**

Hannah Street is the daughter of Amanda and Jason Hope. Throughout her high school career Hannah has been active in track, golf, school mascot, and One Act Play, and Academic



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**Kylie Wood** 

Kylie Don Wood is the daughter of Ty Wood and Patrice Wright, step-daughter of Ted Wright. Kylie has been involved in basketball, tennis, Play, FFA horse judging and radio teams, and is treasurer of her Senior class. She has received Academic and All Dis-Player in basketball, All Star Actress in OAP, and advanced to Regionals in golf. She was inducted into National Honor Society her sophomore year and has participated in community service helping with toy, clothing, and can drives, Rowe Cemetery clean-up, and Veterans and Memorial Day Services. Kylie plans on attending Clarendon

UIL events. Hannah's plan for College to obtain her basics her future is to become an el- and then transferring to Amaementary school teacher with a rillo College to pursue a career in the medical field. Kylie has been inspired to go into medical field by her grandmother's, Susie Shields, courageous fight against Endometrial Cancer.

# **Paul Yanez**

Paul Yanez is the son of Macross country, golf, One Act ria Fernando Suarez. Paul is a foreign exchange student from Ecuador attending Hedley ISD for his senior year. Paul has been involved in football as a trict Honors, and Most Valuable kicker, basketball, tennis, track, One Act Play, Academic UIL, and National Honor Society. He qualified for Regionals in tennis with his partner and unconditional friend, Ida Thomason. Paul has continued to hold himself to high standards with his grades and will attend a University in his country where he will become a Doctor.

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