

Football

HASKELL

JV Indians vs Anson
Thurs., Sept. 1, 6 p.m.
at Anson

V Indians vs Anson
Fri., Sept. 2, 7:30 p.m.
at Haskell

PAINT CREEK
Pirates vs Rotan
Fri., Sept. 2, 7:30 p.m.
at Rotan

RULE

Bobcats vs Knox City
Fri., Sept. 2, 7:30 p.m.
at Rule

Cross Country

HASKELL

JH, JV, V at Eula
Tues., Sept. 6, 4 p.m.

Calendar

Early deadline

Deadline for news and advertising for the Thurs., Sept. 8 issue of the Haskell Free Press will be Thurs., Sept. 1 at 4:30 p.m.

Rule garage sales

The City of Rule will hold a community-wide garage sales event Sat., Sept. 3 from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. To add your sale to the map, go by, or contact, Rule City Hall, 701 Union Avenue; or call 940-996-2214. Maps will be available on the north door of the old Lions club building, located at the west end of the city park.

Fair entries due

4-H and FCS creative arts and crafts entries for the West Texas Fair (Abilene) from Haskell County will be taken to enter Tues., Sept. 6, if delivered to the Extension Office by 9 a.m. For more information, contact Darlene Hopkins at 940-864-2658.

Study Club

The Progressive Study Club will meet Thurs., Sept. 8 at 7 p.m. at The Women's Space, 108 N. Ave. C, in Haskell for a review of the year's itinerary. Members are asked to bring their favorite snack food. Plans for the spaghetti supper will be discussed and tickets given.

9/11 memorial

The 9/11 memorial service will be held Mon., Sept. 12 at 8:00 a.m. at the flag pole on the square.

Jamaica

St. George Catholic Church in Haskell will host Jamaica Sun., Sept. 18 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Food and games will be available. Come join the fun! Call Abby Salinas at 940-203-2376 for more information.

Warpath 5K

The Haskell Lions Club is sponsoring the Warpath 5K, a fun run and walk Sat., Sept. 24, starting at 8 a.m. The first 150 entries will receive a Warpath 5K t-shirt. To request registration forms, contact haskelljazzfan@yahoo.com or any Lions Club members. All funds raised will be used to benefit local organizations and Lions Club International.

Toy drive

God Loves You Ministries is conducting its first annual toy drive. New and slightly used toys, cash donations and volunteers are needed. Contact Bobbi Long at 325-338-2292 for information.



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Have a safe Labor Day

The Haskell Free Press

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"The People's Choice"

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Indians defeat Roscoe, 42-41, in season opener

by Michael Lindsey

Well, Haskell fans if you failed to make the trip to Roscoe on Friday night you missed a heck of a showdown between the Indians and Plowboys. If you went by the rankings going into the game, Roscoe was probably slightly favored, but in a shootout the Tribe brought home the victory, 42-41.

Scoring the game winning touchdown, with just over three minutes to play, in a game with not much defense, coming up with a huge stop, senior Hayden Leach forced a fumble that was recovered by senior Chase Gibson.

In a game where the defense gave up points, they did force turnovers that played a huge part in

this victory. Senior Kellen Park came up with two interceptions, while seniors Sam Fouts and Leach each forced a fumble. There were some moments early in the game where some emotional mistakes were made by the Indians, but these kind of mental errors happen from time to time especially in the first game of the season.

When it comes to the offense, first year starter at quarterback Alec Roewe had a very good game all around, showing he is a true dual threat. He completed 12 of 17 for 139 yards and three touchdowns. While also doing work on the ground, he had 14 carries for 179 yards and three more touchdowns. With a

quarterback rating of 134.6 and six total touchdowns, Roewe is showing great potential for an amazing season.

Defensively Parks came up big for the Indians with two drive killing interceptions, keeping points off the board for the Plowboys that turned out to be huge. The first of those interceptions was returned more than 80 yards for a touchdown that was called back due to a celebration penalty. Senior Bryce Rodriguez was sound as well with 14 total tackles, one sack and three tackles for loss.

After the game Coach Benton said, "We had some guys show some guts. Really impressed with how level-headed we stayed through the ups and downs. This was a good win for my guys." Now the Indians will turn their attention to their next opponent the Anson Tigers, who are also 1-0 coming off a dominating win over the Hamlin Pied Pipers.

So, let's go Indian fans. I hope to see you in Haskell this coming Friday to support the Tribe. When the clock strikes 0:00 on Friday let's expect to see Haskell 2-0. Come on Indians let's "Be Phenomenal."

Haskell	14	7	7	14	= 42
Roscoe	28	7	0	6	= 42



INDIANS WIN—Indians Bryce Rodriguez and Riley Sloan bring the Roscoe ball carrier to a halt in the 42-41 win last Friday night. The Indians open their home season Friday night, Sept. 2 in a matchup against the Anson Tigers. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m. at Indian Stadium.

Local church to celebrate 84th anniversary, Sept. 25

by Caron Yates

The Greater Independent Baptist Church will be celebrating its eighty-fourth anniversary Sunday, September 25th.

It was in 1932, when a group of citizens, under the guidance of Rev. Willie Washington, felt God calling them to establish the church. Those charter members are now gone, however a couple of the original members have offspring still in the area. The daughter of John and Oncie Lee William, Lee Alta Harris, lives in Knox City, while the grandson of Bessie Hanson, Rev. James Webb, is a pastor in Abilene.

Through these eighty-four years of doing God's work, the church has been blessed with twenty pastors. Mae Lou Yeldell, who has

been a member since 1942 when her family moved to Haskell, has seen five generations of her family be a part of the membership. She says, "Some of the pastors planted, others watered, but God gave the increase."

The current pastor, who has been serving the church for almost four months, is Ollie Johnson. Rev. Johnson, the son of Alice and L.C. Johnson, Sr., has come back home. He is a 1975 graduate of Haskell High School, and had a seventeen year career in the United States Air Force, before surrendering to preach in 2009. Coming to Haskell from Arlington, Rev. Johnson says, "We are expecting great and mighty things from our Almighty God, to do great things in this community." Yeldell says

that the church membership has doubled in these last months.

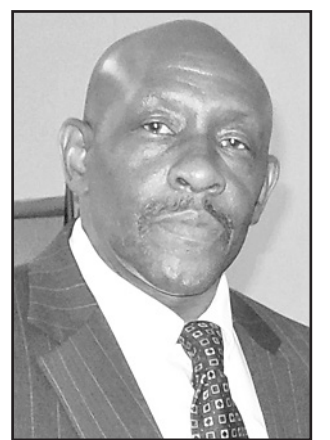
The original church was located in the north part of town, and moved to its present location in 2002. Yeldell, one of the church's oldest and always faithful members, said that through a series of efforts, they were able to raise the money and pay off the building in 2004. The final push was a missions program in memory of Alice Lewis Johnson, Yeldell's sister. They were still a little short of funds, when Jim and Louise Isbell offered a generous donation to complete the amount needed. Alice Johnson had worked

for them, and they wanted to honor her memory.

The church has just added a handicapped ramp. The ramp was given by Kim Hutto, in memory of her husband Glen. The Huttos moved to Haskell in 2004, and Glen served as a deacon in the church until his passing in 2011. Kim says, "There was nothing Glen loved more than his church."

The anniversary event begins at 3 p.m. on Sunday, September 25. Included on the program will be several local residents and pastors, with the anniversary message by Rev. Ollie Pierson of the First Baptist Church in Haskell. The Greater

Independent Baptist Church, located at 301 N. Ave. C, invites the community to join them as they praise God, and recognize His blessings over the past eighty-four years.



REV. OLLIE JOHNSON

Benefit dove hunts set

The Clear Fork Crime Stoppers will hold Dove Hunt 2016 Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays in September and October.

Charge is \$50 per hunter per day, plus a \$3.00 processing fee.

Only 100 hunters will be accepted each day, first come-first served. Hunters are encouraged to reserve their spots early.

Hunts will be in sunflower and wheat field leases in Fisher, Haskell, Jones and Shackelford counties.

Hunters under age 14 will not be accepted. All hunters under age 18 must be accompanied by a parent/guardian.

Hunters are responsible for providing their own

transportation and picking up all shells and other trash. No ATVs or glass bottles will be allowed.

Hunters are responsible for following all state and federal laws, rules and regulations.

Hunters should be courteous and considerate of fellow hunters and demonstrate true sportsmanship.

Hunters will meet at the Stamford square by the marquee on the day of the hunt. Guides will leave at 6 a.m. to escort you to your lease.

If rained out, your money will be refunded or an alternative day will be offered.

For more information, call 940-864-4814, 325-668-0302 or 325-260-4913.



NEW RAMP—A new handicapped ramp was given to the Greater Independent Baptist Church in Haskell by Kim Hutto, right, in memory of her husband Glen, who served as a church deacon. Trying out the new ramp were, l-r, Rev. Ollie Johnson, Robert Johnson Jr. and Mae Lou Yeldell.

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

Plan for a sober ride during Labor Day

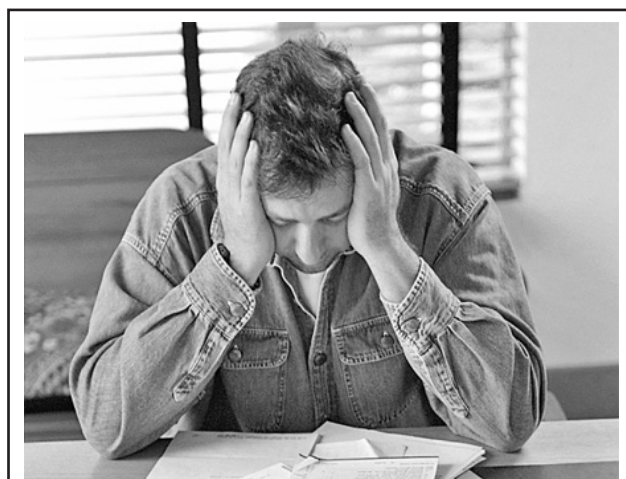
As celebrations are finalized to mark the last days of summer, the Texas Department of Transportation urges drivers to make a plan leading up to the Labor Day holiday—a plan for a safe and sober ride home. “Drinking and driving remains a big problem in Texas,” said TxDOT

Executive Director James Bass. “If you plan to drink, you must plan ahead for a safe and sober ride home. It’s a plan that could save a family—even you own—from the heartbreak of losing a loved one.”

TxDOT’s “Plan While You Can” campaign has kicked off and runs through Sept. 5 to coincide with Labor Day and increased DWI enforcement in Texas. During the Labor Day holiday period in 2015, there were 359 alcohol-related crashes that led to 12 fatalities and 36 serious injuries.

As always, TxDOT strongly encourages everyone to plan for a sober ride before going out. In addition to potentially life threatening crashes, drivers under the influence of alcohol could face up to \$17,000 in fines and fees, jail time and loss of their driver’s license. Visit SoberRides.org to find alternatives to drinking and driving, such as:

- Calling a taxi or using a transportation app on your smartphone.
- Using mass transit.
- Asking a sober friend or family member for a ride home.
- Stay where you are and spend the night.



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- Review your will periodically.

What questions regarding home care do you have for the nurse? Send your questions to Haskell Home Health Agency, 417 S. First, Haskell, TX 79521 or call 940-864-5074 or 1-877-864-5074.

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Obituaries

Alta Faye Harvey



ALTA FAYE HARVEY

Graveside services for Alta Faye Harvey, 92, a lifetime resident of the Haskell area, were held Fri., Aug. 26 at Willow Cemetery in Haskell with Rev. J.C.

Amburn officiating. Services were under the direction of Tankersley Funeral Home of Stamford.

Mrs. Harvey died Wed., Aug. 24 at Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Born June 25, 1924, she was the daughter of Joe and Florence (Tidwell) Larned. She graduated from Haskell High School in 1941 at the age of 16. On Oct. 24, 1942 Alta and Jack Chelcy Harvey were united in marriage in Haskell. The Harveys celebrated 62 years of marriage prior to Jack passing away Dec. 10, 2004.

Alta was a loving wife, mother and grandmother. She was a homemaker and

outside of the home she was employed by Johnson's Pharmacy, Cofield's Department Store and Fout's Dry Goods. She joined the East Side Baptist Church in 1940.

Survivors include two sons, Jackie Harvey and wife Joy of Odessa, and Bennie Harvey and wife Connie of Haskell; one brother, Jerry Larned; four grandchildren; Debra Harvey, Michael Harvey, Paul Harvey and Paula Harvey Channell; and great grandchildren Ava Clair, Lillie and Emma.

On-line condolences may be made at www.tankersleyfuneralhome.com. PD. NOTICE

Bobbie Welsh



BOBBIE WELSH

Bobbie Welsh, 61, died in March 2016.

Born July 23, 1954 in Haskell County at the Haskell County Hospital, she was the daughter of Ruby Welsh of Haskell and William Robert Welsh.

She was a member of the Haskell Baptist Church while attending her senior year at Paint Creek High School. Her senior year,

she was nominated senior class favorite and most popular.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents, Travis and Opal Hadaway.

Survivors include her mother, Ruby L. Edwards Welsh; and sisters, Terri Welsh and Rhonda Welsh of Waco.

She was precious to many. PD. NOTICE

Rubye Marie Rainey Wooten

Rubye Marie Rainey Wooten, a longtime Haskell resident, passed away Mon., Aug. 29 at an Abilene hospital. Funeral arrangements are pending with Smith Family Funeral Homes in Haskell. PD. NOTICE

Know your financial vocabulary

While the financial world is full of acronyms and other terms that can be confusing, it's important to be well versed. Below is a list of common financial terms that you've most likely heard, some more frequently than others, but may not understand their meaning.

401(k) Plan: A qualified retirement plan through an employer in which eligible employees can make salary deferral contributions on a post- or pre-tax basis.

Adjustable-Rate Mortgage (ARM): A type of mortgage with an interest rate that periodically changes. There may be an initial “teaser” rate, which will go up after a specified period. After that, the rate will adjust with an index. Usually rate and payment adjustments are made annually after the initial term.

Amortization: A schedule of paying off debt, including the principal and interest, in regular payments over a period of time.

Annual Percentage Rate (APR): The cost of credit, including all fees and interest, expressed as a percentage.

Annual Percentage Yield

(APY): A percentage rate reflecting the total amount of interest paid on an account. It may differ from the interest rate as it also takes into consideration the frequency of compounding.

Bankruptcy: A legal proceeding in which a debtor's assets are liquidated and the debtor is released from further liability.

Bear Market and Bull Market: These describe stock market conditions related to investing. In a bear market, securities are falling and investors have a pessimistic outlook on the market as a whole. In a bull market, securities rise faster than historic averages and investors are confident making buys.

Bond: A debt instrument used by corporations, governments and others to generate capital. The issuer owes the holders a debt and is obliged to pay them interest as well as repay the principal at the maturity date.

Capital Gains and Losses: A capital gain is realized when an investment's selling price exceeds its purchase price. If you sell for less than your original

purchase price, it's a capital loss. The IRS taxes capital gains at a special rate.

Credit Report and Credit Score: A credit report is a summary of a person's financial history, specifically related to their ability to repay. A credit score is a measure of credit risk based on activities such as credit use and late payments. The higher number, the more creditworthy the person is considered.

Diversification: Spreading risk by investing in a range of investment tools such as securities, commodities, real estate, bonds, stocks, etc.

Fixed-Rate Mortgage: A type of mortgage with an interest rate that remains the same through the term of the loan.

Individual Retirement Account (IRA): Another type of retirement savings account. Unlike 401(k)s, IRAs can be opened by individuals instead of being sponsored by an employer. Individuals can contribute income up to a set maximum dollar amount in a traditional IRA, Roth IRA, Simple IRA or SEP IRA.

Liquidity: The ability of an asset to be converted to cash quickly without sacrificing value or giving a discount on the price.

Mutual Fund: An investment-operated by money managers who invest capital and try to create gains for the investors—made up of a pool of funds from

multiple investors who want to invest in securities like stocks, bonds, money market accounts and other assets.

Prepayment Penalty: The fee a borrower pays a lender when the borrower repays a loan before its scheduled time of maturity. These are not very common.

Prime Rate: The prime rate is the best rate available to a bank's most credit-worthy customer.

Recession: An economic condition defined by a decline in the Gross Domestic Product (GDP) for two or more consecutive quarters. During a recession, the stock market generally drops, unemployment increases and the housing market declines.

Stock: A type of security that signifies proportional ownership in a corporation and represents a claim on part of the corporation's assets and earnings.

Tax Deferred: Postponing taxes until a later date. Common tax-deferred vehicles include IRAs, 401(k) and pension plans.

Listed above are 20 of the most common financial terms, but there are many more. If you would like in-depth information on any of these (or others not listed) or guidance about the financial impact of one of these terms in a specific situation, your local community banker would be happy to talk with you.

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Relay for Life event to be held Sept. 17 in Munday

by **Caron Yates**

According to statistics from the American Cancer Society, some 595,690 United States residents are expected to die of cancer this year—that's over 1600 people per day.

It is estimated that 1.6 million Americans will learn they have cancer this year. And if that number includes you personally, a family member, a co-worker or a friend, the diagnosis can be devastating.

Breast cancer and Lung and Bronchus cancer lead the list of expected new cancer diagnoses for 2016. The search for a cure for all types of cancer continues daily. According to their website, the American Cancer Society is making progress toward a world without cancer.

The ACS, has for more than sixty-five years worked to find answers that save lives through their research. They also provide American Cancer Society Hope Lodge facilities, comfortable places patients and caregivers, who must travel for treatments, can stay for free.

The Society's Road to Recovery program, matches cancer patients with specially trained volunteer drivers to transport them to and from treatment centers. In addition they offer Look Good...Feel Better and Reach to Recovery programs to cancer patients.

All they have accomplished and hope to accomplish in the fight against cancer, can only happen through the dedication and fund-raising efforts of us all. Because cancer will touch almost every family in one way or another, we all have a stake in fighting back. One way we can help is through the Relay for Life event. This is the American Cancer Society's national signature fund-raising activity. It is a fun-filled event that allows communities throughout the country to celebrate survivors, remember loved ones and empower others to fight back against a disease that takes too much.

The Knox/Haskell Relay for Life will take place Saturday, September 17th at the Munday Track Field. The "Carnival for a Cure" event will begin at 4 p.m. and conclude at 10 p.m. In addition to promoting cancer awareness and raising funds to fight the disease, it will be an evening of fun and camaraderie. It is a life changing experience.

At the Relay for Life, every person in the community has a chance to celebrate, remember and fight back to end cancer. This year the Relay will include the traditional Opening Ceremony, Survivors' Lap, Caregivers' Lap, Luminaria Ceremony and Closing

Ceremony. There will also be games and activities conducted by the teams, hamburgers and hot dogs for sell by the Munday Firemen and great entertainment.

Leann Harlan is the event chairman for the

Knox/Haskell Relay for Life. She and her committee are asking others to join them by volunteering, donating, joining or forming a team, holding and supporting upcoming fund-raisers and then taking part on

September 17.

Each person who shares in the Relay experience, can take pride in knowing that they are working to create a world where this disease no longer threatens the lives of our loved ones.

For more information contact Leann Harlan at (940) 203-0142 or visit www.relayforlife.org/knoxhaskelltx to connect with other relayers in this area and find ways you can get involved.

Essential oils—a poisoning danger for young children

Essential oils, popular home remedies for everything from digestive ailments to insomnia, increasingly are being accidentally ingested by small children, sending them to emergency care, a new study found.

A study of calls to the Texas Poison Control Center Network found more than 1,200 calls concerning exposure to essential oils during a recent 10-year period, with the incidence continuing to rise, according to Dr. Kurt Kleinschmidt, Professor of Emergency Medicine at UT Southwestern Medical Center and Parkland Health & Hospital Systems. The oils, which are highly concentrated "essence" of the flowers, herbs, and trees they are extracted from, have pleasant aromas that can be alluring to children. "The oils often smell very nice—they may even smell like food—which can lead kids to drink

them. But then the taste is bitter so they often choke and aspirate them into their lungs," Dr. Kleinschmidt says.

Taking these liquids into the lungs can lead to pneumonia.

There are scores of essential oils, and while some may be relatively harmless when swallowed, many can have serious consequences, including agitation, hallucinations, liver damage, and seizures. Even skin exposure can, in some cases, be harmful to children, who have thinner skin than adults and may absorb them more easily into the blood stream.

To be safe, Dr. Kleinschmidt says, treat essential oils as you would medicine. Refrain from using essential oils on children and, most important, store them safely in a place where young children cannot get to them.

Required Food Handlers course being offered in Abilene Sept. 22

by **Jane Rowan**

CEA/FCS, Taylor Co The "Texas Food Establishment Rules (TFER)" were revised and updated and became effective October, 2015. A major change in the revision now requires all food employees to complete an accredited food handlers training program within 60 days of employment, effective September, 2016.

A food handler course accredited by the Texas Department of State Health Services is being offered by Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Taylor County. Food Safety: It's In Your Hands is scheduled for Thurs., Sept. 22. The course will begin at 2:00 p.m. at the Extension office, 1982 Lytle Way, Abilene. The Extension office is located on the Taylor County Expo Center grounds.

This two-hour course will now be required for all food service employees to help promote the service of safe food. The certificate is good for two years and is valid anywhere in the State of Texas. The course is a basic overview of food safety practices that are necessary to ensure that safe food is served at your establishment. Practices discussed include good personal hygiene, cross contamination, and time and temperature abuse. The class is taught in English but Spanish handouts are available if requested in advance.

To register for the course, call the Taylor County Extension office at 325-672-6048. Registration can also be done in-person the day of the course. Cost is \$20.00 per person and must be paid in full before the course begins.



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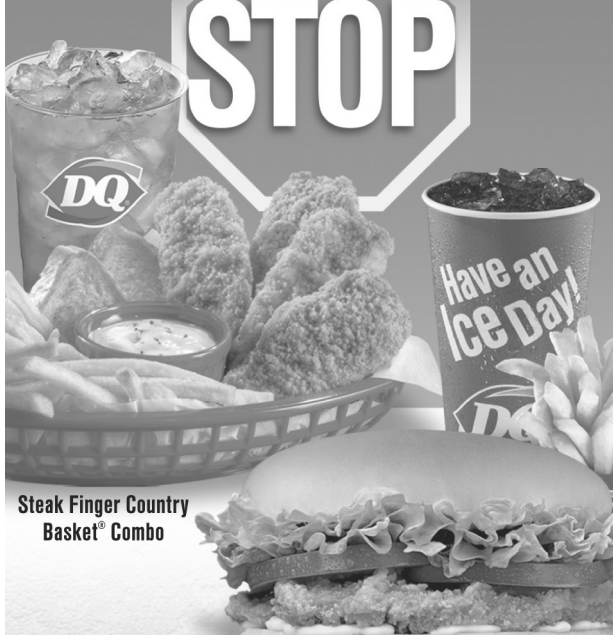


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Services where available. Speeds may vary in different service areas. Some restrictions may apply. All customers paying their SRTC bill in full by September 16, 2016 will be entered in a drawing to win one (1) set of four (4) tickets to attend the Texas Rangers game on October 2, 2016.

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The Drug Store will be closed Monday, September 5, in observance of Labor Day.

From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

10 Years Ago August 31, 2006

Attending the livestock judging camp at Oklahoma State University were Haskell FFA students James Williams, Paige Adams and Lauren Newton. They were the fourth place team overall.

Sixty-two members of the Ivy and Clara Cypert family met at the Fort Phantom lake cabin of Bobby and Rowena Hester of Haskell. They enjoyed a weekend of fishing, boating, skiing, games and delicious food.

Jason and Tiffany Gibson of Abilene announce the birth of their daughter, Gracie Lynn. Maternal grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Cadenhead of Haskell and Dr. and Mrs. Frank Cadenhead are great-grandparents.

20 Years Ago August 29, 1996

Joyce and Ronald Howard, both native West Texans, are the new owners of Lane-Felker, ladies' apparel and accessories store in Haskell. The couple's daughter, Linda Stavely, will assist with the day-to-day operation of the store.

The Haskell County Commissioners' Court approved the appointment of David Davis as Haskell County Judge. He will serve out the unexpired term of Judge B.O. Roberson, who has tendered his resignation.

Members of the first Baptist Church in Rochester welcomed a new pastor, Rev. Ed Buerkle. Rev. Truett Kuentler and wife Laverne, served the church for fourteen years, until his recent retirement. Rev. Buerkle and Sherry have three children, Nathan, Karin and Joey.

30 Years Ago August 28, 1986

Several area residents have returned from a three week trip to the Fiji Islands, New Zealand and Australia. They include Helen Boykin of Weinert, as well as J.C.

Haskell Co. Arrest Report

The following arrests were reported by the Haskell County Sheriff's Office during the week of Aug. 22-28:

Myranda Lee Sefcik, possession of drug paraphernalia and failure to appear, Throckmorton County warrant.

Bennie Lee Yeck Jr., driving while license invalid. Eighteen calls were made to 911.

Yeary, Bailey and Nancy Toliver, all from Haskell.

According to Kay Smith, chairman, the second annual Ice Cream Crank-off resulted in a three-way tie of the Lions Club, Kiwanis Club and Rotary Club. The event was sponsored by the Haskell Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mercer celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a small dinner party. The couple has one daughter, Billie Ann and Roger Bond, four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

40 Years Ago August 26, 1976

Dale Pennington, a 1957 Haskell High School graduate, has completed a Doctor of Philosophy in Soil Chemistry degree from Texas A&M University. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pennington of Haskell, he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in 1962 and a Master of Science in 1971.

Tommy Matthews, owner of the South Side Barber Shop in Haskell, has recently purchased the Barber Shop in Rule, from Floyd Norman. A barber for fourteen years, he will be in Rule on Wed. and Thurs. to cut hair.

Jerry Ray Barbee of Rule received a Master of Science Degree from Sul Ross State University during commencement exercises.

50 Years Ago September 1, 1966

Rev. Troy Culpepper, who has been pastor of the First Baptist Church at Linden, has accepted the pastorate of the First Baptist Church in Haskell. Rev. Culpepper 37 years of age, is married to the former Kay Miller of Abilene and they have two sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Perry, Chrysler-Plymouth dealers in Haskell, along with Wallace Stark, sales representative, were in Fort Worth last week to view the new 1967 Plymouth and Chrysler lines.

100 Years Ago August 26, 1916

Cotton is opening very fast. The Myers community can boast of having two premium bales this season. John Harrison took the first bale to Weinert, while I.S. Grindstaff had the first bale at Haskell.

M c C a l l , t h e photographer, has decided to stay in Haskell until Sept. 1 and still offers 1/3 off on all pictures. We will positively close Sept. 1, as we are going to move away. If you have Kodak work at our studio, please call and get same, as your films will be destroyed.

Hawkins is 4-H Gold Star recipient

by Darlene Hopkins
CEA/FCS, Haskell Co.
and Jason Westbrook
CEA-Ag, Haskell Co.

On Sat., Aug. 20, Haskell County 4-H held its annual awards banquet at the Haskell Memorial Civic Center. Over seventy-five 4-Hers, adult leaders and supporters were in attendance. Riley Sloan, 4-H Livestock Ambassador, was the keynote speaker of the night and Bailey Hawkins, Senior Club President, was the Mistress of Ceremonies.

Haskell Co. 4-H Club officers for the 2015-16 are Bailey Hawkins, senior 4-H club president; Riley Sloan, vice president; Jaycee Ferguson, secretary; Kenna Ferguson, reporter; and Cody Dutton, parliamentarian.

Junior 4-H club president is Colton Hopkins; Madilyn Moore is vice president; Brody Letz serves as secretary; Evan Enriquez, is treasurer; Shalee Dunnam is the reporter; and Hadley Sloan serves as parliamentarian.

4-Hers receiving project pin awards for completing project record forms for their respective projects were Hadley Sloan, swine; Evan Enriquez, rabbits; Madysen Salinas, poultry; Riley Sloan, leadership; and Nathan Martin and Colton Hopkins, shooting sports.

Haskell County 4-H members recognized for completing record books with trophy plaques and project pins were Colton Hopkins, health, 2 year; Shalee Dunnam, citizenship, 1 year; Madilyn Moore, personal development, 2 year; Hadley Sloan, personal development, 1 year; Riley Sloan, personal development, 1 year pin; Bailey Hawkins, health, 2 year; Nathan Martin, poultry, 1 year; Colt Moore, goats, 1 year; Grant Ferguson, swine, 1 year; Jaiden Trussell, foods and nutrition, 1 year.

Also receiving certificates of recognition for more than one year involvement in their respective project that they completed a record book in were Madilyn Moore, Colton Hopkins and Bailey Hawkins.

Without the enthusiasm, support and dedication of our 4-H leaders, the 4-H program would not be as successful as it is. Dale Bullinger, Joey

Kimbrough, Leiza Morales, Cherie and Darrel Dutton, Amy and Lance Sloan, Tammi Hawkins, Keith Hannsz, Shawn and Jamie Ferguson, Michelle Thane, Wes Alsbrook, Carl and Darlene Hopkins, Angela Jordan, Randall and Amy Martin, Steve King, Michelle Moore, Terri Klose, Eric and Marissa Drager, Joey and Elaina Mathis, Chris and Brittany Williams, Hew Carmichael, Jerry Hearn, Melody Townsend and David Hollingsworth were recognized.

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

The Outstanding 4-H Leader Award was presented to Steve King.

We are very fortunate in Haskell County to have several 4-H families where both the parents and the 4-H members are actively involved in several areas of the 4-H program. Carl, Darlene and Colton Hopkins were recognized for all their support, dedication and faithfulness to the Haskell County 4-H program with the Outstanding 4-H Family Award.

Each year the Rookie of the Year Award is given to one first year 4-H member who has shown excellence in 4-H work. The 2015-2016 Rookie of the Year Award was given to Colt Moore.

The Clover Award is given to one or two deserving junior 4-H members who have excelled in his or her project work. Madilyn Moore and Colton Hopkins won the Clover Award.

To be eligible for the Bronze Award, the member must have completed at least two years in 4-H, submit a record book, completed at least two projects, exhibited leadership skills by serving as a 4-H Council Member and participated in one or more community service opportunities. Shalee Dunnam has exceeded these criteria, therefore is the Bronze Star winner.

The Danforth "I Dare You" Award is offered to 4-H members as recognition of excellence in character and well-balanced personal development as well as leadership skills. This year's Danforth "I Dare You"

Award went to Riley Sloan.

The Gold Star Award is the highest award a 4-H member can receive from the county and can be awarded only once in a member's 4-H career. Bailey Hawkins has shown excellence in leadership and citizenship as well as excelling in many other areas of 4-H as the winner

of the Haskell Co. 4-H Gold Star Award.

We live in a loving and giving town that thrives when the youth are active and strong. Without these businesses, the banquet would not have been possible: Central Texas Farm Credit, Haskell National Bank, First Bank Texas and Rule Banking Center.



BAILEY HAWKINS
4-H Gold Star Award



DARLENE, COLTON AND CARL HOPKINS
Outstanding 4-H Family



SHALEE DUNNAM
4-H Bronze Star Award



STEVE KING
Outstanding 4-H Leader



COLTON HOPKINS
4-H Clover Award



MADILYN MOORE
4-H Clover Award



RILEY SLOAN
4-H Danforth
"I Dare You" Award



COLT MOORE
4-H Rookie Award

Bright Horizons

Updates from the DCOH, Chamber and KHB

by Mynea Short
Chamber Manager

The Chamber is working on the 2017 TMCN (Texas Midwest Community Network) guide. The TMCN was founded in 1994 to provide means by which communities in the region could work together to accomplish what one community cannot do alone. Membership is comprised of communities within the West Central Texas region where each member is represented by a delegate and alternate. TMCN Guide proceeds benefit TMCN programs, Community Awards and the Youth-based Leadership TMCN program.

Each community member displays information about the upcoming events, places to shop, eat and things to do in the towns throughout the guide. TMCN covers 52 cities in 31 counties in our region. Each year 45,000

copies of the TMCN Guide are printed and delivered at no charge. These guides are placed in hotels, recruiting packets, 11 Texas Travel Information Centers along state borders, State Travel Shows and a digital version can be seen at www.tmcn.org. Come by the Chamber and pick up a copy of the TMCN Guide from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday or we have some in the outside boxes to the right of the door where you can get one anytime.

Haskell has a two page spread that highlights our town, the events we have each year and what Haskell has to offer. We also add an extra page call Shop & Dine for businesses to buy an ad. Check out the affordable rates on the ads by calling the Chamber at 940-864-2477. This is a great way to put TMCN's resources to work for your business.

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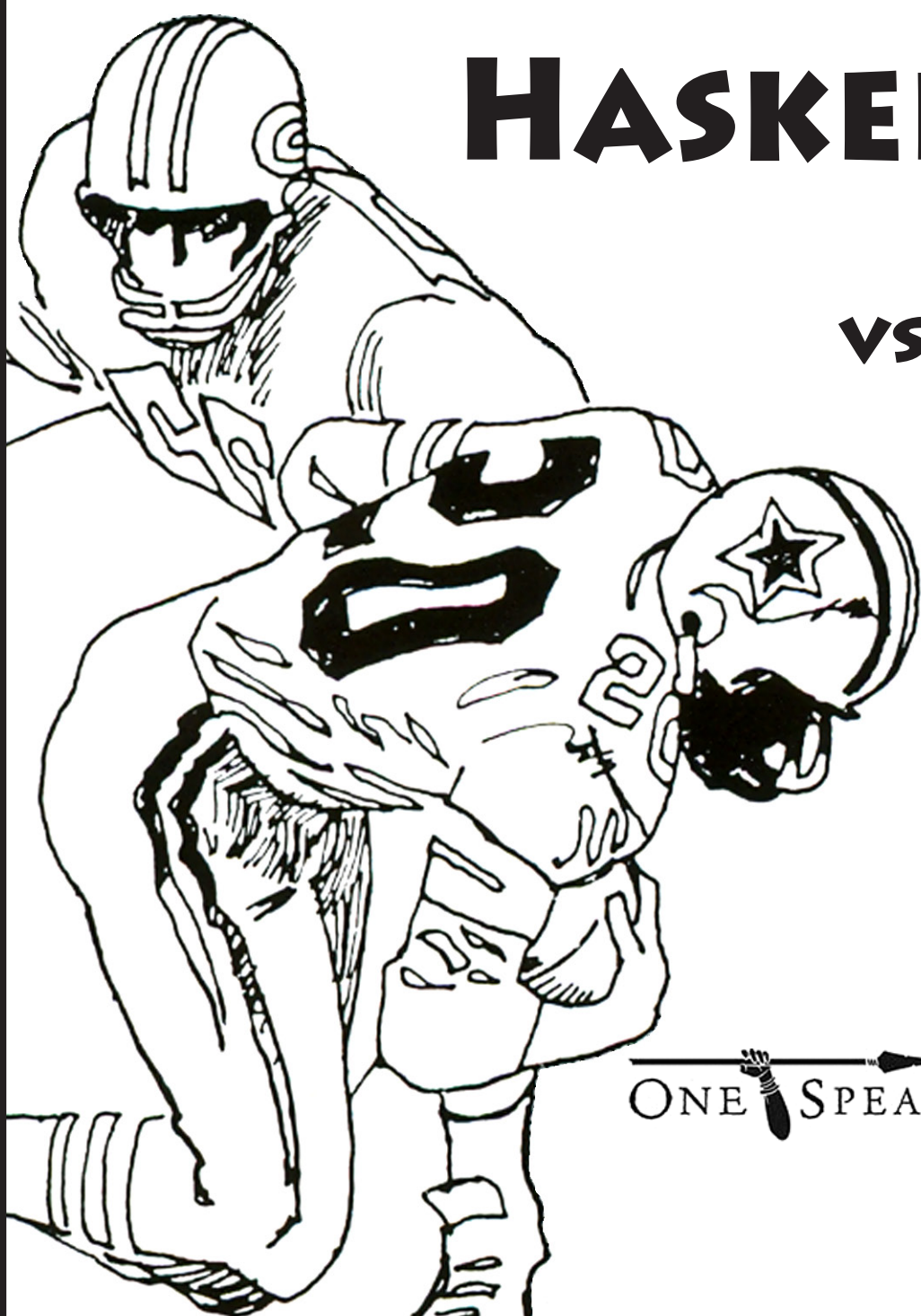




2016 Haskell Indians



2016 HASKELL INDIANS—front row, l-r, #20 Sam Fouts, #60 Riley Sloan, #7 Caleb Wheat, #12 Ezell Woods, #2 Dalton Meinzer, #33 Rocky Haggard and #15 Kellen Parks; middle row, Coach Chet Forehand, #70 Hayden Leach, #21 Tanner Thomas, #10 Arron Skiles, #17 Alec Roewe, #9 Hayden Hudson, #75 Xavier Bruce, #59 Bryce Rodriguez and Coach Matt Garvin—Defensive Coordinator; back row, Coach Tully Brown, #84 Alex Alvaraz, #54 Colton Wright, #4 Kyler Hoover, Coach Grady Benton—AD, Coach Kevin Compton, #22 Lane Burson, #55 Chase Gibson, #50 Caden Tatum and Coach Dusten Mackey—Offensive Coordinator.



HASKELL INDIANS

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FRI., SEPT. 2

7:30 P.M. AT

HASKELL

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Texas A&M University AgriLife Extension Service

by Darlene Hopkins, CEA-FCS, Haskell Co.

Salty Situations— Moving Beyond the Salt Shaker!

Do you ever find yourself asking whether you should focus on reducing sodium or

salt? We hear many different messages about reducing the amount of sodium, salt and sodium containing ingredients in the foods we eat. Surprisingly, sodium

is found more often in processed foods, such as casseroles, pizza, and cold cuts, than the salt shaker. One message is clear, Americans tend to consume more sodium than what is recommended and should limit the amount of sodium eaten daily.

The Dietary Guidelines for Americans (2010) recommends limiting daily sodium intake to less than 2,300 milligrams. Eating too much sodium may lead to high blood pressure, which may increase the risk for a heart attack and stroke. Reducing sodium, which includes salt or other sodium containing ingredients, is beneficial in reducing risks for these health related conditions. Follow these tips to reduce daily sodium intake.

Read the nutrition label. The nutrition facts label is one way to identify foods low or high in sodium. The percent daily value listed on the nutrition facts label can

help you quickly determine if a food is low or high in sodium. Remember this rule for sodium, if the percent daily value is five or less this is a good bet! If the percent daily value is twenty percent or more leave it at the store! Be sure to choose foods with five percent sodium more often.

Know foods with sodium. Knowing common foods high in sodium can help to make choosing lower sodium options easier. Major sources of sodium include processed foods like canned products, breads, deli meats, snack foods, and mixed dishes. Look for foods labeled as “low sodium” or “reduced sodium” and choose these foods.

Choose lower sodium foods at the store. Choosing foods lower in sodium can help reduce your daily sodium intake. When you are at the store, compare different brands for condiments, canned foods, breads and other sodium containing foods. Different brands of foods can have different sodium levels. Choose the lowest sodium between the foods you compare.

Reducing sodium in the foods we eat can take a little practice. The tips listed are just a few of the many ways to begin reducing sodium. If you would like to know more about sodium and health, tips on reducing sodium, or how to identify sodium in foods, contact Darlene Hopkins, Haskell County Extension Agent at 940-864-2658.

Haskell School Menu

**Sept. 5-9
Breakfast**
1% milk, fat-free flavored milk, 100% fruit juice variety and fruit are available at every meal.
Weekly: Cereal, toast, muffin, yogurt, PBJ, animal crackers, cheese stick
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Chicken-n-biscuit
Wednesday: French toast, sausage
Thursday: Breakfast pizza
Friday: Dutch waffle, bacon
Lunch
Milk variety is available at

every meal.
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Pizza, baby carrots with ranch, steamed broccoli, pineapple, cookie
Wednesday: Tex-Mex stack, lettuce and tomato garnish, refried beans, salsa, tiny tomato cup, cinnamon applesauce
Thursday: Pulled pork sandwich, coleslaw, multigrain chip, savory green beans, fresh apple slices
Friday: Cheeseburger with garnish, oven fries, veggie cup, oranges

Calendar

Weinert HC-2016

Plans for the Weinert Homecoming 2016 are being finalized. The “Coming Home” celebration will be held Sept. 30, Oct. 1 and 2. The classes of 1966 and 1967 are being honored. All Weinert Bulldogs, teachers and patrons are encouraged to attend.

Need help with bills?

Double Mountain Outreach Services/ASBDC will be in Throckmorton and Haskell Tues., Sept. 6 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the library in Throckmorton and in Haskell from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the courthouse. If you need help with utility bills,

eyeglasses, dental (filling or extractions) or help overcoming poverty come by and see us. If you have questions call 940-989-3538 or 940-200-0864.

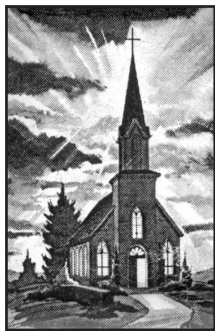
Operation Recovery

Operation Recovery, a faith-based 12-step meeting, will be held Fridays at 7 p.m. at God Loves You Ministries on the west side of the square.

Music Jubilee

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

This Week's Devotional Message:



Faith gives credit to work for our enviable lifestyle

The work we've done has been the way We've earned the life we live today. The farmer with his fields of wheat Provides the food for us to eat. The worker in the factory Assembles with efficiency Each necessary home appliance That's conceived by modern science.

Bible passages we read Declare that man must earn his bread: And we've become, by this decree, A model for the world to see. Thus, from the way that we've progressed, Our nation has indeed been blessed. So on the Sabbath, go and pray, Then celebrate on Labor Day.

ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

- HASKELL—
- East Side Baptist Church**
Terry Bunch, pastor
Sun. 9:45 a., 11 a.; 6 p.; Wed. 7 p.
600 N. 1st East, Haskell
 - Christian Church**
Sun. 10:45 a.m.
107 N. Ave. F, Haskell
 - Church of God**
Bruce Ray, pastor
Sun. 10:30 a.m. Thurs. 7:00 p.m.
714 North First East, Haskell
 - Trinity Lutheran Church**
Rev. David White, pastor
Sunday 9:30 a., Worship 10:30
Hwy 380 East, Haskell
 - Iglesia Bautista El Calvario**
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a, 5 p; Wed. 7 p
607 S. 7th, Haskell
 - First United Methodist Church**
Rev. David Johnson, pastor
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:50 a, 6 p. Wed. 6 p
201 N. Ave. F, Haskell
 - First Assembly of God**
Rev. J.C. Amburn
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p
1500 N. Ave. E, Haskell
 - St. George Catholic Church**
Father Angelo Consemينو
Sat. Mass 7 p.m.; Sun. 9:00 a.m.
901 N. 16th, Haskell
 - Church of Christ**
Philip Sims, minister
Sun. 9:30 a., 10:30 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p
510 N. Ave. E, Haskell
 - First Presbyterian Church**
Kelly Pigott, interim pastor
Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m.
306 N. Ave. E, Haskell
 - Trinity Baptist Church**
Larry White, pastor
Sun. 10 a., 11 a, 6:30 p; Wed. 6:30 p
114 S. Ave. D, Haskell
 - Hopewell Baptist Church**
Sun. 9:30 a., 11:00 a.; Wed. 7 p.
908 N. Ave. A, Haskell

- Greater Independent Baptist Church**
Ollie Johnson, pastor
Sun. 9:30 a., 11:00 a, 6:30 p; Wed. 7 p
301 N. 3rd St., Haskell
940-863-4405
- New Covenant Foursquare**
Bill and Renee Glass, pastors
Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 6:30 p. Wed. 7 p.
200 S. Ave. F, Haskell
- First Baptist Church**
Ollie Pierson, pastor
Juddson Smith, Family Life Pastor
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 10:55 a.m., 6 p.m.;
Wed. 6:30 p.m.
301 N. Ave. E, Haskell
- Cornerstone Fellowship Baptist Church**
Sun. 9:30 a., 10:45 a., 6 p., Wed. 6 p.
1600 N. First St., Haskell
- God Loves You Ministries**
Mark Wallace, pastor
Church Service 10 a.m.
West side of square, Haskell
- WEINERT—
- First Baptist Church**
Dan Bullock, pastor
Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 6 p., Wed. 7 p.
Weinert
- Foursquare Church**
Rev. Robert Harrison
Sunday 11 a.m
Weinert
- ROCHESTER—
- Church of Christ**
Mitchell Greer, minister
Sun. 10 a.m., 10:45 a.m.
West on Main Street, Rochester
- First Baptist Church**
Jim McCurley, pastor
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.;
Prayer Time/Team Kids 5 p.m.;
Wed. Youth meeting 7 p.m.
500 Main, Rochester
- Union Chapel Baptist Church**
Clovis Dever
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p
Rochester

- Faith Chapel of Rochester**
Randy Hollingsworth, minister
Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., Wed. 6 p.m.
Hwy. 6, Rochester
- SAGERTON—
- Sagerton Methodist Church**
Cory Graham, pastor
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m.
Sagerton
- Faith Lutheran Church**
Anna Robbins, pastor
Sun. 10:30 a.m.
Sagerton
- RULE—
- First Baptist Church**
Scott Hensley, pastor
Sun. 9:45 a., 11 a., 5 p.; Wed. 7 p.
1001 Union Ave., Rule
- Primitive Baptist Church**
Dale Turner Jr., pastor
First & Third Sundays 10 a.m.
Corner of 8th & Robins, Rule
- Church of Christ**
Paul Leonard, minister
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:40 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p
811 Union, Rule
- Primera Iglesia Bautista**
Alfa y Omegas
Manuel Marin, pastor
Sun. 10 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.; Wed. 6 p.
500 Elm Street, Rule
- Sweet Home Baptist Church**
Russell Stanley, pastor
Sunday 10 a.m.
Gladstone Ave., Rule
940-997-2296
- West Bethal Baptist Church**
Rev. Clovis Dever
Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 8 p.; Wed. 7:30 p.
300 Sunny Ave., Rule
- PAINT CREEK—
- Paint Creek Baptist Church**
Sun. 10:00 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.
Paint Creek
- O'BRIEN—
- O'Brien Baptist Church**
Jim Reid, pastor
Sun. 9:45 a., 11 a, 5 p, 6 p, Wed. 6 p
O'Brien

Rule School Menu

**Sept. 5-9
Breakfast**
Fruit, juice and milk are offered daily.
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Chicken, biscuit
Wednesday: French toast, sausage
Thursday: Breakfast pizza
Friday: Dutch waffle, bacon
Lunch
Milk is served daily.
Monday: No school

Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, roll, salad, Tuscan veggies, fruit choice
Wednesday: Tex Mex stack, salad, refried beans, tomato cup, hot cinnamon apples
Thursday: Hamburger with or without cheese, garnish, fries, veggie cup, orange smiles
Friday: Pulled pork slider, chips, coleslaw, green beans, apple slices

Paint Creek School Menu

**Sept. 5-9
Breakfast**
Milk and juice are served daily.
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Pancake sticks
Wednesday: Biscuits, sausage, gravy
Thursday: French toast
Friday: Early bird sandwich
Lunch
Milk is served daily.
Monday: No school
Tuesday: Chicken fajitas, beans, salad, fruit
Wednesday: Pulled pork slider, chips, coleslaw, hot apples
Thursday: Chicken Parmesan, breadsticks, green

beans, salad, peaches
Friday: Hamburger, fries, ranch style beans, pears

Weather

by Kim Hutto
National Weather Service Volunteer Co-op Observer Temperature
Mon., Aug. 22.....70°/90°
Tues., Aug. 23.....72°/91°
Wed., Aug. 24.....73°/90°
Thurs., Aug. 25.....71°/90°
Fri., Aug. 26.....73°/94°
Sat., Aug. 27.....73°/95°
Sun., Aug. 28.....72°/94°
Precipitation
Fri., Aug. 26......93" rain

NOTICE OF 2016 TAX YEAR PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX RATE FOR THE CITY OF HASKELL

A tax rate of \$0.562375 per \$100 valuation has been proposed for adoption by the governing body of The City of Haskell. This rate exceeds the lower of the effective or rollback tax rate, and state law requires that two public hearings be held by the governing body before adopting the proposed tax rate. The governing body of The City of Haskell proposes to use revenue attributable to the tax rate increase for the purpose of performing the duties required by the Texas Constitution, Statutes and the citizens of Haskell.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.562375 per \$100
PRECEDING YEAR'S TAX RATE	\$0.5365 per \$100
EFFECTIVE TAX RATE	\$0.521638 per \$100
ROLLBACK TAX RATE	\$0.578369 per \$100

The effective tax rate is the total tax rate needed to raise the same amount of property tax revenue for The City of Haskell from the same properties in both the 2015 tax year and the 2016 tax year.

The rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate that The City of Haskell may adopt before voters are entitled to petition for an election to limit the rate that may be approved to the rollback rate.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE ABOVE RATES CAN BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:
property tax amount = (rate) x (taxable value of your property) / 100

For assistance or detailed information about tax calculations, please contact:
Leah Robertson, Chief Appraiser
Haskell County Appraisal District
604 N. 1st, Haskell, Texas 79521
940-864-3805
www.haskellcad.org

You are urged to attend and express your views at the following public hearings on the proposed tax rate:

First Hearing:
Monday, Sept. 12, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. at
The Council Chambers at 301 South 1st, Haskell, Texas.
Second Hearing:
Monday, Sept. 26, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. at
The Council Chambers at 301 South 1st, Haskell, Texas

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Relying on readings from smart phone health apps may not be a smart idea

Examining 100 healthy volunteers, Dr. John Alexander, Assistant Professor of Anesthesiology and Pain Management at UT Southwestern Medical Center, compared vital signs readings from four smart phone apps with readings from a standard

medical monitor and found worrisome differences. The four routine measurements taken were heart rate, systolic blood pressure, diastolic blood pressure, and oxygen saturation. Researchers found substantive differences in all four types of readings

by the apps. "The lack of correlation suggests that the applications do not provide clinically meaningful data," Dr. Alexander said. Particularly concerning was the fact that the gap between app-reading and standard monitor-reading

for blood pressures widened as blood pressure numbers increased, suggesting that hypertensive patients who need to monitor their blood pressure more frequently are also the most likely to get inaccurate readings from apps. "It's not surprising that

these apps did not perform as well as standard medical equipment," Dr. Alexander said. "When you think about it, in a clinical setting you wrap a blood pressure cuff around the arm and you are actually measuring the

pressure of the blood flowing through the arm, so you would expect that to be more accurate than touching your finger to a phone." The study appeared in the Journal of Clinical Monitoring and Computing.

Phosphates in processed foods may hike your blood pressure

A diet high in phosphates, which are often present in large quantities in processed foods and cola drinks, may lead to increases in blood pressure, especially during exercise. Dr. W a n p e n V o n g p a t a n a s i n, a hypertension specialist at UT Southwestern Medical Center, said the

typical American diet includes about double the amount of phosphate as recommended. "Inorganic phosphates are added in large quantities to processed foods as preservatives and flavor enhancers," says Dr. Vongpatanasin, Professor of Internal Medicine. Phosphates occur naturally in many foods,

including dairy products, meat, fish, and baking powder, but it is the consumption of fast foods, processed foods, and bottled drinks that can push phosphate levels up, she says. For example, a block of Parmesan cheese contains phosphates, but when Parmesan is sold in a grated or shredded form, additional phosphates may

be added to keep it from sticking. When examining food labels, look for anything that contains "phos," such as calcium phosphate, disodium phosphate, or monopotassium phosphate. Dr. Vongpatanasin holds the Norman and Audrey Kaplan Chair in Hypertension.

Players of the week

Haskell Indian Alec Roewe was named as the first Abilene Reporter-News Big Country Player of the Week for the new school year Tues., Aug. 30. Roewe, a senior quarterback, led the Indians in a thrilling 42-41 come-from-behind win against Roscoe. Roewe had a huge night, finishing with 318 yards of total offense, including 179 yards rushing and three

touchdowns on 14 carries. In the passing department, he finished 12 of 17 for 139 yards and three additional scores. He scored the game-winning touchdown on a 15-yard keeper with 3:52 to play. Indian Bryce Rodriguez, a senior linebacker, was named to the Other Top Performers list. He had five solo tackles, nine assists, three tackles for loss and one sack against Roscoe.

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Garage Sale

COMMUNITY WIDE Garage Sales, City of Rule, Sat., Sept. 3, 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Maps will be available on the north door of the old Lions Club building, located at the west end of the City Park. 32-35c

MUSEUM GARAGE SALE: Sat., Sept. 10, 8 a.m. Perry Patton Center, 131 West Cisco St., Munday, Texas. Hamburger lunch benefits Wichita Brazos Museum. 35-36c

GARAGE SALE: 1403 North Avenue G. Sat., 10-5. Chairs, desks, tables, blankets, misc. stuff. 35p

Miscellaneous

BLATTNER Energy, Inc. is actively seeking solicitations from Haskell County local vendors, suppliers and subcontractors to provide services and products for an upcoming wind energy project located North of Abilene in Weinert, TX. The project is anticipated to begin in April 2017. In order to give local and DBE businesses the opportunity to procure a piece of the work, interested parties are strongly encouraged to respond to the following address, stating your product/service and contact information: sarab@blattnerenergy.com. 34-36c

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NURSES UNLIMITED, INC. is seeking attendants in the Hamlin area to assist clients in the home with personal care, meal prep and light housekeeping part time. EOE. Call 1-888-859-0640. 35-36c

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 Haskell CISD is accepting bids for the Rochester School to replace the roof tiles with a metal roof. All bid information is available at the Haskell CISD Adm. Office. The bids will be due on Thursday, September 1, 2016 at 5:30 p.m. and will be opened by the HCISD Board that evening. Any questions need to be directed to Supt. Bill Alcorn at 940-864-2602. 34-35c

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RULE ISD offers career and technology education programs in Agriculture, Technology, Home Economics, and Health Education. Admission to these programs is based on interest, aptitude, age

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appropriateness and class space available. It is the policy of RULE ISD not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex or handicap in its vocational programs, services or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended. RULE ISD will take steps to assure that lack of language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs. For information about

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your rights or grievance procedures, contact Tim Holt, Title IX and Section 504 Coordinator at 1100 Union Ave., Rule, TX 79547, 940-997-2246. Forma De Muestra Rule ISD ofrece programas vocacionales en Agricultura, Economicos de case, Tecnologia, Educacion de salud. Es norma de Rule ISD no discriminar por motivos de raza, color, origen national, sexo o impedimento, en sus programas, servicios o activades vocacionales, tal como lo requieren el Title VI de la Ley de Deprechos Ciciles de 1964, sequen enmienda; el Titulo IX de las Emiendas en la Education, de 1972, y la

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Seccio 504 de la Ley de Rehabilitacion de 1973, sequin enmienda. Rule ISD tomara las medidas necesarias para asegurar que la falta de habilidad en el uso de la lengua ingles no sea un obstaculo para la admission y participacion en todos los programas educativos y vocacionales. Para informacion

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sobre sus derechos o procedimientos para quejas, comuniquese con el Coordinador del Titulo IX, y/o el Coordinador de

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la Seccion 504, Tim Holt, 1100 Union Ave., Rule, TX 79547, 940-997-2246. 35-36c

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45' Man Lift \$250 per day
Dump Trailer \$75 per day
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STOLEN

from 900 Block of N. 2nd St. Haskell, Thurs., Aug. 25

Samsung 32" flat screen TV; X Box 360; 9 mm Highpoint pistol, black plastic grip; .22 Heritage Ruff Ryder revolver, wood grain handle; Poulan chainsaw; Murray lawn mower; Antique mandolin/ukulele #22959 15 Weymann Keystone State; Ibanez acoustic/electric guitar, black model #V70CE-BK-2Y-01, serial number GS070908929; 2 tool boxes, black on top, yellow on bottom; small safe, 16x12x6; 9 mm ammo and .22 ammo; cowboy boots with riding heel.

If you have any information about these items, please contact the Haskell County Sheriff's Department

We are deeply grateful for your prayers, cards, phone calls, texts and visits during the long illness and passing of our loved one. Thanks to First Baptist Church, Rochester and Pastor Jim McCurley for hospitality and the meal prepared by the ladies. Thanks to Bro. Matt Dossey for the very special services at the church and cemetery and Smith Family Funeral Home for making everything just right. We were blessed and honored by our many friends and family at the visitation and service with words of encouragement, smiles and hugs, the beautiful flowers and the memorials in James' name.

We love you all,
 The Family of James (Jimmy) Reid
 Martha-Matt
 Larry-Karen
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 162.9 +/- AC. NW HASKELL CO. - Ideal dryland farm on CR 188. \$1050/Ac. - **NEW**
 219.5 +/- AC. WEST OF O'BRIEN - Dryland farm amongst pivots. \$1050/Ac. - **NEW**
 158.6 +/- AC. - Irrigated farm west of O'Brien on CR 185. \$1650/Ac. - **NEW**
 380 +/- AC. SE KNOX CO. - Mainly cultivated with current cash lease. \$1350/Ac. - **REDUCED**
 48.2 +/- AC. NORTH OF RULE - Nice, smaller farm made up of old CRP. \$1300/Ac. - **NEW**
 231.1 +/- AC. - Prime Haskell Co. dryland farm located on FM 618. \$1150/Ac. - **REDUCED**
 30 AC. WEST OF O'BRIEN ON 2229 - \$1500/Ac.

HASKELL RESIDENTIAL

804 N. 9TH ST - 2/2 on oversized lot and large shop. \$72,000 - **NEW**
 402 N. AVE. D - 4/2 with open floor plan and new CH/A. \$59,900 - **NEW**
 1206 N. 9TH - 3/2 on oversized lot w/fireplace. \$67,000 - **NEW**
 800 N. 3RD E - 3/2 on large shaded lot. \$95,000 - **NEW**
 1904 N. AVE. F - Large 3/3 on oversized lot. \$165,000 - **NEW**
 231 CR 106 - 3/3 on 4 ac. \$249,000 - **SOLD**
 1600 N. AVE. F - \$170,000 - **SOLD**
 607 N. 5TH ST - 3/2. Excellent location. 2 car garage. \$115,000 - **NEW**
 307 N. AVE. D & 405 N. 4TH ST. - Two for the price of one. \$27,000 - **NEW**
 708 S. 7TH ST. - 3/1 with new CH/A. \$44,500 - **NEW**
 1009 N. AVE. J - 2/1 on corner lot. \$25,000
 1 N. AVE. P - 3/2. \$57,000 - **MAKE AN OFFER**
 1405 N. AVE. H - 2 or 3/2 Some furniture included. \$48,500
 1009 N. AVE. H - 4/2 on large corner lot. \$99,900 - **REDUCED**
 307 N. AVE. D - 2 houses. \$27,000 - **NEW**
 1203 N. AVE. K - 3/2. Great patio. \$54,500 - **REDUCED**
 821 HWY. 380W - 4/2 on 6 +/- Ac. Large rooms and pellet stove. \$179,900 - **REDUCED**
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 1407 N. AVE. E - Historic 4/2. \$175,000 - **REDUCED**
 1507 N. AVE. F - 4/2. \$137,500 - **REDUCED**
 703 N. AVE. E - Large 4/3.5 with a pool. \$212,500
 308 S. AVE. L - New 2/2. \$39,000 - **REDUCED**

BIG COUNTRY RESIDENTIAL

500 CARDIFF AVE, RULE - 3/2 on large corner lot. \$2000 flooring allowance. \$59,900 - **NEW**
 704 SUNNY AVE., RULE - 3/1 with 2 car detached garage and cellar. \$57,500 - **NEW**
 11781 ST HWY 6 S, KNOX CITY - 4/2 on 6 +/- ac. \$130,000 - **NEW**
 1212 ADAMS, RULE - 3/2. Clean, move in ready. \$32,000 - **NEW**
 703 N. 16TH, RULE - 3/2 on corner lot. \$62,900 - **NEW**
 841 S. 5TH ST., MUNDAY - 3 or 4/2. \$32,000 - **NEW**
 2381 ST. HWY. 283, SAGERTON - 3 or 4/3. \$89,900 - **PENDING**
 1209 UNION, RULE - Cute 2/1. \$42,500 - **REDUCED**
 220 S. 12TH AVE, MUNDAY - 3/3. \$68,900 - **REDUCED**
 530 MAIN ST., MUNDAY - 3/2. \$64,000 - **REDUCED**
 1008 SE 5TH ST., KC - 3/2. \$59,900 - **REDUCED**

COMMERCIAL

30 +/- AC. N OF HASKELL - Commercial land on the bypass of US 277. Contact for info. - **NEW**
 419 S. 1ST ST. WILD HORSE TRADING POST - Prime Haskell real estate location. \$85,000.
 551 US HWY 277, MACIAS BALLROOM - \$212,500

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CLEAR A PATH—Haskell Indian #22 Lane Burson clears a path for Indian quarterback Alec Roewe.

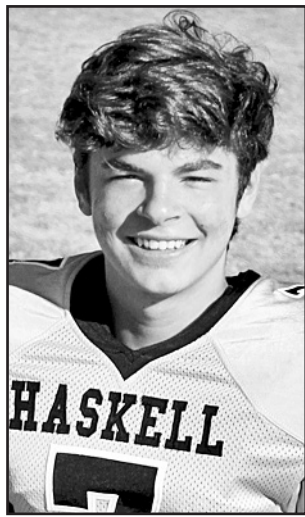


MAKES A MOVE—Haskell Indian Lane Burson looks determined to plow through the Roscoe Plowboys defender.



YARDAGE GAIN—Haskell Indian Rocky Haggard cuts through the Roscoe defense to gain yardage for the Indians.

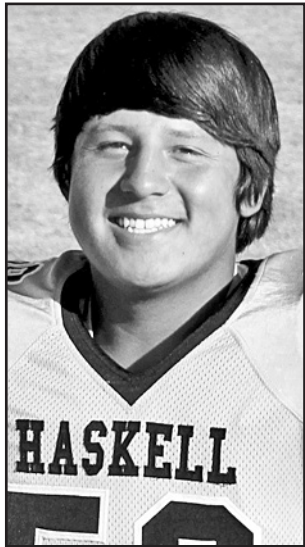
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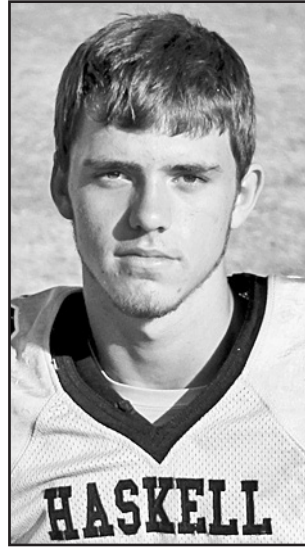
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Special Teams
Player of the Week



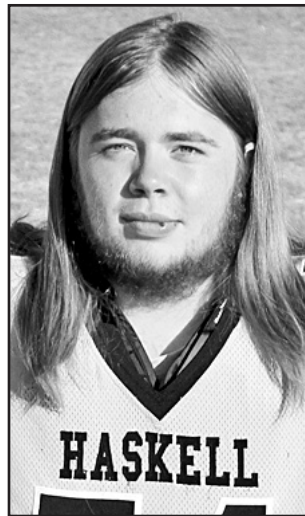
#17 ALEC ROEWE
Red Carpet Team Award
Offensive Player of the Week



#59 BRYCE RODRIGUEZ
Defensive
Player of the Week



#33 ROCKY HAGGARD
Big Hit



#54 COLTON WRIGHT
Big Block

Six-man scores

The Rule Bobcats dropped their season opener against Nazareth, 57-12 in the Jayton Gridiron Classic.

Bobcat Chase Thompson scored touchdowns on runs of 35 and 40 yards, leading the Bobcats.

The game was called on the 45-point rule in the third quarter.

The Paint Creek Pirates lost a close game to Vernon Northside, 24-19 in their season opener played at Vernon.

Pirate Frankie Masias had 4-27 in the rushing department and 3-189 receiving. Pirate Bryce Likes posted 9-17-205-0 for passing.

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NOTICE OF 2016-17 TAX YEAR PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX RATE FOR HASKELL COUNTY

A tax rate of \$0.59432 per \$100 valuation has been proposed for adoption by the governing body of HASKELL COUNTY. This rate exceeds the lower of the effective or rollback tax rate, and state law requires that two public hearings be held by the governing body before adopting the proposed tax rate. The governing body of HASKELL COUNTY proposes to use revenue attributable to the tax rate increase for the purpose of update software and computers for e-filing and additional cost for prisoner housing.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.59432 per \$100
PRECEDING YEAR'S TAX RATE	\$0.5825 per \$100
EFFECTIVE TAX RATE	\$0.550361 per \$100
ROLLBACK TAX RATE	\$0.59437 per \$100

The effective tax rate is the total tax rate needed to raise the same amount of property tax revenue for HASKELL COUNTY from the same properties in both the 2015-2016 tax year and the 2016-2017 tax year.

The rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate that HASKELL COUNTY may adopt before voters are entitled to petition for an election to limit the rate that may be approved to the rollback rate.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE ABOVE RATES CAN BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:
property tax amount = (rate) x (taxable value of your property) / 100

For assistance or detailed information about tax calculations, please contact:
Leah Robertson
604 N. 1st or P.O. Box 467
Haskell, Texas
940-864-3805
lrobertson@haskellcad.com

You are urged to attend and express your views at the following public hearings on the proposed tax rate:

First Hearing:
September 8 at 5:30 p.m. at
Haskell County Courthouse in Commissioners Courtroom.

Second Hearing:
September 12 at 5:30 p.m. at
Haskell County Courthouse in Commissioners Courtroom.

Commissioners Court will meet
September 15 at 9 a.m. to
approve the budget and tax rate in the Commissioners Courtroom.

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