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## NEWS at a glance

### Estes, Underwood to face runoff vote

Republican state senate candidate Craig Estes won the most votes in last week's special election, but he will still face a runoff election next month because he did not receive more than 50 percent of the ballots cast.

Estes received 16,864 votes district-wide or 47.2 percent - more than twice the total of his nearest competitor, Democrat Greg Underwood, who garnered 8,286 votes or 23.2 percent.

In canvassing local returns Monday by the Donley County Commissioners' Court, Estes picked up another 17 votes, bringing his county total to 153.

A date for the December runoff between Estes and Underwood was not set as of press time Tuesday. The winner will fill the vacant seat of the late Sen. Tom Hayward.

### Alliance to hold combined service

The Ministerial Alliance of Clarendon Churches will hold their yearly Thanksgiving Combined Service November 18 at the First Baptist Church at 6 p.m.

The offering that is taken during the service is the main resource used to do the mission work of the alliance. That work includes purchasing gasoline and feeding travelers passing through Clarendon, helping those too poor to pay bills for life's needs, and other good works throughout the year.

Plan to attend and worship with us and participate in praises of Thanksgiving to the Lord for the bounty of this country and the love that He shows daily.

### Valor offers new services locally

Valor Telecom announced this week that its customers in Clarendon can now take advantage of voice mail service.

Three service packages offer varying options for voice mail from a wake up service to individual message boxes for up to five individuals.

Those interested in the new service should call Valor toll free at 1-877-520-5210.

But don't call at the end of next week because no one will be there. Valor says its Customer Service Center will be closed November 22 and 23 for the Thanksgiving holidays.

The Repair Center will still be open, and customers can reach it by calling 611 or 1-877-520-5210. The Customer Service Center will resume regular hours on Monday, November, 26.

### Inside:

- 2 Normalcy returns to Washington as our government starts spending money like it grows on trees.
- 3 Howardwick got its new fire truck last week.
- 7 The CC men and women are riding high after a series of wins.
- 8 And the Broncs end the 2001 football season with a loss to West Texas High.

All this and much more in this week's exciting edition!



### Remember

Raymond Hopper and M.O. Weatherly carry a wreath to be placed on the War Memorial in Rowe Cemetery during services conducted there Saturday by the Adamson Lane Post of the American Legion.

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## Services honor sacrifices of our nation's veterans

Small crowds attended veterans programs in Hedley and Clarendon last weekend as America marked its first Veterans Day during a time of war in a generation.

The first service was held Saturday, November 10, at the Rowe Cemetery near Hedley with the Adamson Lane Post 287 of the American Legion in charge. Twenty-five people attended.

Raymond Hopper and M.O. Weatherly laid a wreath on the cemetery's war memorial, the colors were posted, and Barbara Collins sang the national anthem.

Post Commander Jack Moreman spoke of the historical significance of the holiday, formerly known as Armistice Day, and related it to modern events.

"We've avoided war on this continent for over 100 years," he said. "Then right before our eyes we saw what happened on September 11."

Moreman said when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941, it took several months before the United States took action.

"Now, in two months, we've made somebody pay a price."

The War on Terror will not be over quickly, the commander said; and he urged Americans to learn the virtue of patience.

The commander said he and VFW Quartermaster Bill Holden had spoken to students at Clarendon High School last week and were impressed because for the first time the kids

were very attentive.

"I think they realize now they are not bulletproof," he said.

Saturday's ceremony was the first Veterans Day service to be held at the Rowe Cemetery.

On Sunday, November 11, approximately 30 people attended services at the Donley County War Memorial on the Courthouse Square with the Donley County Post 7782 in charge.

"It was difficult to plan this program this year because it fell on Sunday," VFW Quartermaster Bill Holden said. "I'm just so happy that so many people turned out."

Jim Cockerham addressed the crowd and shared something he had written to some friends of his.

"Let us cherish the good memories of our past and honor those who have gone before," he said. "Let us also honor those who follow the same path we took, for we, of all people, know the trials they face."

"Let us show our appreciation and support [for these young people], for we know how lonely it is to be away from those we love and those things we are familiar with. Let us stand tall and be forever proud of who we are: Americans, Patriots, Warriors, and Brothers."

The program was closed with the usual VFW ceremony of honoring fallen comrades, followed by those in attendance placing flags near the names of friends or loved ones in the stone walkway.

## Christmas Cash program offers 0% interest loans for holidays

Shopping at home for the holidays is easy and affordable as local banks have again teamed up to provide 0% interest "Christmas Cash" loans this year.

Interested parties must make application for a loan up to \$3,000 with any of the participating banks. Once a Christmas Cash loan has been approved, the borrower will be issued specially printed Christmas Cash Dollars, which may be spent like US currency toward new purchases of products and services (excluding Lottery tickets, gasoline, and tobacco products) at all of the participating businesses. Businesses display posters indicating they are participants of the promotion.

There will be no exchange of

U.S. currency to make change. For example, if someone purchases items valued at \$72.95 and gives the merchant \$80.00 in Christmas Cash, the merchant can give them \$7.05 in-store credit. The customer may also pay \$70.00 in Christmas Cash and the remaining \$2.95 in U.S. currency.

Christmas Cash Dollars are available in three denominations: \$10, \$20, and \$50. There are two signature lines, the same as there are on traveler's checks.

The borrower's signature is placed on the signature line before they leave the bank, and then they must sign on the endorsement line when they spend the "Cash."

Christmas Cash must be spent at the participating merchants by

December 31, 2001. Unspent Christmas Cash may be applied toward your 0% loan at the bank through January 7, 2001.

This cash may not be used as a regular monthly loan payment. It can only be applied toward the principal amount due at the end of the Christmas Cash note.

Christmas Cash notes are paid back in ten equal monthly installments. After January 5, 2001, Christmas Cash becomes worthless.

It's amazing the variety of products Christmas Cash can purchase. Some of the items purchased in years past include: replacement windows, vehicle repairs, groceries, furniture, entertainment equipment, cook-tops, dry cleaning for summer bedrolls,

catered goodies, Christmas dinner, car stereos, special gift items, centerpieces, clothing, and much more.

The Donley County State Bank, The Herring National Bank, and Community Bank will buy Christmas Cash from participating merchants at a rate of 95¢ for every \$1.00. Participating businesses are "interested in keeping your business here in Clarendon."

This year's participating merchants are: Accustom Scent Candles, Alexander's Diner, Amigo's Mexican Restaurant, B&R Thriftway, Chamberlain Motor Co., THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE, Clarendon Outpost, Cornell's Country Store, Clarendon Veterinary Hospital, Country Bloomers Flowers & Gifts, Duckwall's, Floyd's

Automotive Supply, Eads Furniture & Appliance, Every Nook & Cranny, Floyd's Motor Co. & Body Shop, Greenbelt Cleaners, Guys & Dolls Salon, Henson's, The Hitchin' Post, J&W Lumber, Janie's Beauty Shop, Mike's Pharmacy, Kidd Texaco & Clarendon Auto Supply, Naturally Texas T's, McKinney Motor Co., Poor Boy's Antiques, Saye's, The Shop, Thompson Upholstery, and White's Feed & Seed.

This is the seventh year banks have participated in the Christmas Cash program. The idea of 0% loans up to \$3,000 began in 1995 through the cooperation of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce, the Clarendon Merchants Association, and local banks.

## Preconstruction conference outlines work on courthouse

Work continues on the restoration of the 1890 Donley County Courthouse following a pre-construction conference hosted by the project contractor.

Dale Sellers, president and CEO of Phoenix 1 Restoration and Construction, Ltd., addressed sub-contractors and county officials Monday and gave an overview of the project.

Phoenix officials are looking to hire local people to help with the project and are encouraging their sub-contractors to do the same. Craftsmen may call Phoenix at 214/902-0011 or contact any of the sub-contractors to apply to work on the project.

Hiring local help should insure that some of the money of the \$3 million project gets pumped into the local economy. Phoenix had lunch catered by a local restaurant Monday prior to the conference.

Most of the sub-contractors are from the Panhandle area, and Sellers said all of them are reputable, financially sound companies capable of carrying out the work. Electrical work

is being done by Cherry Electric, Inc., of Childress, Scottco Mechanical Contractor, Inc., of Amarillo will handle the plumbing as well as the heating and air-conditioning work, and Richard Obenhaus of Lubbock is the carpentry subcontractor.

Dee Brown, Inc., of Garland will handle the new masonry work, particularly on the tower's third story. Sellers said Dee Brown is one of the best stoneworking firms in the business and has been responsible for stonework on high-rises in Dallas.

The general contractor will handle other specialties, such as concrete restoration, paintings and finishings, and ornamental metals.

Phoenix 1 is currently involved in nine courthouse projects around the state; and Sellers said that although his company has a 12-month contract, he expects the Donley job to be completed in eight to nine months.

Safety and communication between the general and sub-contractors were the focus of Monday's meeting. Sellers emphasized a team



Phoenix 1 president Dale Sellers and project manager Stephen Dodge (standing) address Monday's preconstruction conference. Seated are project architect Chris Hutson, Phoenix plaster division manager Matt Henons, and a representative of Cherry Electric of Childress.

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effort to complete the project quickly and economically.

Phoenix has a safety rating 70 percent better than the industry average. Safety meetings for employees will be held weekly. Drug and alcohol use will not be tolerated, and food and drink will not be allowed in the building to prevent damaging surfaces undergoing restoration. Smoking will be prohibited in the building.

The courthouse will be swept down daily to keep the building as clean and as safe as possible.

Phoenix employees will work eight days on for 10-hour days and then have six days off.

Items to be accomplished right away on the courthouse include removal of the remaining windows next week. Footings will be poured for the new tower this week.

## Tax rebates up in state, locally

AUSTIN - Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander announced last week that she has sent \$291.9 million in local sales tax revenue to Texas cities and counties.

November allocations are up 3.6 percent compared to November 2000. The allocations represent sales taxes collected in September by monthly filers and in July, August and September by quarterly filers.

Clarendon's rebate of \$27,477.78 is up more than 20 percent from the same period last year, and Hedley saw an increase of more than 10 percent to \$919.24. Howardwick was down 21.5 percent to \$1,095.15.

"These local sales tax figures confirm, even more strongly, what our state sales tax figures showed last week. The September 11 terrorist attacks reduced sales tax collections for a few days, but we bounced back," Comptroller Rylander said.

Of the 20 Texas cities that receive the greatest amount of sales tax revenue, only six saw declines: Dallas, Austin, El Paso, Irving, Amarillo, and Round Rock.

editor's  
Commentary



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# Congress uses attacks to go on spending spree

Just two months after September 11, things are pretty much back to normal now in Washington, DC. The rest of the country is back to normal too – almost. Most of the American people are still a little shy about boarding a plane, and the news media absolutely freaked out when a plane crashed in New York, apparently due to mechanical failure.

"It's not inconceivable that this is another terrorist act," one reporter said. No, it's not inconceivable, but until he knows something from a source or witness, I wish the guy wouldn't speculate. It may turn out to be malicious, but let's not jump the gun. But I digress...

Washington's return to normalcy is evidenced by the "oinking" sound emanating from Capitol Hill as fat politicians belly up to the pork trough to squander the taxpayers' money. Everything is okay now as long as it is for "security" or packaged as a "stimulus."

For example, a bill sponsored by Montana Democrat Max Baucus in the Senate proposes tax credits for companies that make electricity from poultry waste. Now my family has a lot of authority on both poultry and electricity, and I can say unequivocally that that sounds like a real chicken s\*\*\* of an idea to me.

North Dakota Democrat Byron Dorgan wants us to pony up \$5 billion to "preserve the continued viability of the United States travel industry." Dorgan's not alone in his concern for that industry. FoxNews.com says Sen. Barbara Boxer (D-California) and Rep. Robert Underwood (D-Guam) want to create a travel and tourism promotion bureau in the Commerce Department to the tune of \$60 million. (When the heck did Guam get the privilege to introduce legislation? Did someone admit them to the Union when I was asleep?)

Citizens Against Government Waste has criticized Reps. Larry Combest (R-Texas) and Charlie Stenholm (D-Texas), saying most of the \$187 billion Farm Security Act will go to large agriculture companies instead of family-owned farms.

Fox reports a total of \$700 million was secured by Rep. James Walsh (R-New York) for block grants in lower Manhattan. Congressmen of both parties from the Empire State have gotten \$11 billion tagged onto a defense spending bill for all kinds of "aid" to the Big Apple. Walsh's spokesman admitted to Fox News the money had "little to do with defense." Big surprise there. The last I knew, we were still paying mohair subsidies in the Texas Hill Country so that the army could have wool uniforms to keep fighting World War II.

Reports also say Sen. Hillary Clinton (D-New York, if you forgot) and her buddy Sen. Chris Dodd (D-Connecticut) want \$141 million to "protect America's children." Ah, yes. At press time, I still hadn't found out exactly what that wad of cash would really be used for.

John McCain (the Democrat-in-Republican-clothing from Arizona) wants \$3 billion to beef up security for Amtrak. I've got a better idea. Why don't we sell that train and get out from under that cost? Nothing in the Constitution authorizes the federal government to operate a train service. It just crashes all the time any way.

Sen. Robert Byrd (D-West Virginia) wants \$20 billion for "homeland defense," which apparently will be mostly for infrastructure – probably in West Virginia.

President Bush is now threatening to use his veto stamp to corral the congressional feeding frenzy, but frankly I doubt it will work. Our government has already used the threat of terrorism to erode our personal liberties, now it seeks to further bloat its influence with pork-barrel spending projects.

The need to reduce the size of our government has not changed. It is still too big, taxes are still too high, and it is still operating outside of its constitutional limitations.

Congressmen who vote for pork for their district during a time of crisis or try to create a new bureau or office of this or that should be ashamed of themselves. The president should do all he can to control this spending spree, and the American people should demand their representatives act responsibly.

## Meanwhile up on the hill...

The Bulldogs didn't quite "Jam the Gym" with local fans two weeks ago, but what was lacked in numbers was made up for in terms of enthusiasm. The CC men put the stomp on Wayland Baptist and have followed that up with two more wins on the road.

If you want to see some fast-paced, non-stop, edge-of-your-seat basketball, the Bulldogs can and do deliver. My own mother attended the last home game and couldn't stop talking about it for days afterward.

Now, the guys are back in town, and this week's shameless bit of self-promotion is called "Pack the Palace" for the 2001 Pizza Hut Clarendon College Classic. The Bulldogs play at 7 p.m. on both Friday and Saturday, and all elementary students in the continental United States get in free.

(Coach Starnes is still reportedly trying to come up with a phrase to "\_\_\_\_\_ the Arena" for the next home game.)

# America begins campaign against terrorism

Since the very first days after the September 11 attacks, we have come to realize that our country has been attacked, and our freedom must be defended. This is truly a battle between good and evil, and in the process of holding accountable those responsible, the United States will act in a united, conscientious, and determined manner.

The President recently stated, "We will not rest until terrorist groups of global reach have been found, have been stopped, and have been defeated." It is why the United States, with the assistance of the British, is bombing military targets in Afghanistan.

This is the first critical phase of what will be a long campaign against terrorism. This will not be a swift battle, with a conclusive and immediate end, like the Gulf War. This will take a great deal of time and sacrifice, but we will prevail. We will fight not just today, not just tomorrow, but next month and the years after that as well.

I know that if we remain steadfast and dedicated to our goals and united in our hearts and our will, victory will come.

Meanwhile, we are providing human-



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itarian assistance, including food, to the innocent Afghan people - people who have starved, suffered, and lost loved ones at the hands of the extremist Taliban regime. We are only targeting those who have committed evil and those who support them. We will not let any stone remain unturned - and we will not let this horrible act go unanswared.

It is our responsibility to make sure all of those who have died these past months and in the 200 plus years before that to maintain the freedom of this country will never, ever, have died in vain.

From the very beginning of our history, we have faced the challenges presented to us with courage and integrity - and we have defended freedom no matter the crisis. This difficult time reminds me of the very first great challenge our nation faced - the battle for our very indepen-

dence. During the Revolutionary War, a brave young patriot, Major General Joseph Warren, fought against the Redcoats at Bunker Hill. He battled with the other American irregulars against an enemy more than twice their size - causing the Redcoats to lose more than a third of their troops - but, in the end, the ammunition of the Americans ran out.

While the bulk of the Continental Army retreated, the last units stayed in their trenches to hold off the British. They fought hand-to-hand. That is where Major General Warren was last seen fighting.

Before his death, though, in the quiet before the battle, Joseph Warren gave the men under him a simple command:

"Our country is in danger now, but not to be despaired of. On you depend the fortunes of America. You are to decide the important questions upon which rest the happiness and the liberty of millions not yet born. Act worthy of yourselves."

That command applies to all of us now - and it is a challenge I know we are all capable of living up to and even exceeding. God Bless America!



# Thanksgiving will have special significance

America was under siege. For many people, it was the first time they had seen violence on our own soil. Cities were being attacked. Americans were living with fear. And in the midst of the devastation and turmoil, the President of the United States called on the Nation to give thanks to God for His many blessings.

The year was 1863. The President was Abraham Lincoln. And the country was in the middle of a great civil war. Recognizing his limitations to face the trials before him, President Lincoln called on God for strength and proclaimed a National Day of Thanksgiving.

In his proclamation Lincoln asked God to "heal the wounds of the nation and to restore it as soon as may be consistent with the Divine purposes to the full enjoyment



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of peace, harmony, tranquility, and Union."

Now, more than 130 years later, Lincoln's words still ring true. If America could persevere through those challenging times, we can surely make it through the challenges we face today.

The aftermath of September 11 will be with us for a long time. But the good that has come in the days since has given us so many reasons to be thankful.

We are thankful for the firefighters

who risked their lives to save others. We are thankful for our Nation's military men and women who are being deployed to points around the globe to rid our world of terrorism.

We are thankful for the children all over the United States who have given generously to the Afghan children's fund. And we are thankful for our Faith, our freedom, and the blessings in our lives that remain constant even in turbulent times.

This year, as families gather and the smell of turkey, dressing, and dinner rolls fill the air, Thanksgiving will take on a special significance. We will understand, better than we did on September 10, that we truly are "one Nation, under God" and that even in these tumultuous times, we are blessed beyond measure.



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**Now on duty**

After a long wait, the Howardwick Volunteer Fire Department received its new truck last Thursday. The reconditioned 1977 Ford F-700 was mostly paid for by a grant from FEMA. Shown here are Alderman Nancy Davis, Fire Chief Joe Zeyen, Mayor Billy Woods, and Alderman Vernon Byars. Not pictured is Theresa Zeyen, who wrote the grant application for the city.

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**Church earns high extension rank**

COLLEGE STATION — Leon J. Church of Clarendon has earned the highest professional rank conferred by Texas Cooperative Extension, an agency of the Texas A&M System.

"Leon is one of 53 Extension educators across the state recognized as a County Extension Agent IV, the highest rank in a new, four-level career ladder that we established this year for our county faculty," said Chester P. Fehlis, deputy director of the agency.

"As public servants, county agents perform a very demanding job that is the front line in Extension's mission to provide quality, relevant outreach, and continuing education programs and services to the people of Texas," said Fehlis.

"Leon is truly a model agent in the way he involves local citizenry and reaches out to diverse audiences to address the issues that affect Donley County."

Church has 29 years with Extension, five in Donley County.

Among his accomplishments is his work to improve cotton fertility in Donley County, which includes a result demonstration of soil testing, differing rates of fertilizer application, and yield measurement.

"The most satisfying thing to me about being a county agent is seeing people, whether youth or adult, develop skills that make them more productive and happy with their position in life," Church said.

More than 600 county agents statewide participated in the inaugural ranking process, although faculty with at least 27 years of experience did not have to take part.

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**weather report**

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|------|------|------|-----|-------|
| Mon  | 5    | 72°  | 49° | -     |
| Tues | 6    | 74°  | 51° | -     |
| Wed  | 7    | 78°  | 49° | -     |
| Thur | 8    | 80°  | 45° | -     |
| Fri  | 9    | 57°  | 31° | -     |
| Sat  | 10   | 66°  | 32° | -     |
| Sun  | 11   | 73°  | 37° | -     |

Total precipitation this month: 0.82"  
 Total precipitation to date: 25.12"  
 Total precipitation in November last year: 0.52"  
 Total YTD total last year: 23.61"

**weekend forecast**

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|  | Friday, Nov. 16<br>Mostly Cloudy<br>65°/37°   |
|  | Saturday, Nov. 17<br>Partly Cloudy<br>65°/36° |
|  | Sunday, Nov. 18<br>Mostly Cloudy<br>58°/35°   |

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**The Lion's Tale**  
By Allen Estlack

The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting on November 13 with Boss Lion Protem Dr. Miles Shelton in charge.

We had 15 members and 7½ guests.

Our guests were Stacie Hall and daughter Leslie, guests of Lion Denise Bertrand; and Lion Dwight Smith, guest of Lion Roger Estlack.

Our program guests were Coach and Mrs. Tony Starnes, Coach Gonzalo Garza, Jr., Jayne Shelton, Raymond Shaw, and Jamaal Shell.

We voted to let the Girl Scouts have the use of the Lions Hall for two days this month.

The coaches and players talked about the goals for the team. The boys have won the first two games this year against Wayland Baptist University and Ranger Junior College. Both games they scored over 100 points with 15 and 14 3-point goals respectively. These boys are unbelievable to watch. They just out play the other team.

**Looking Back**

**20 Years Ago**

THE CLARENDON PRESS, Nov. 19, 1981  
 • The Clarendon Bronchos won the district title Friday night when they defeated long-time rival Memphis 41-3 in Broncho Stadium.

• The new Donley County Jail will be completed and open for business November 22, 1981. It will hold ten prisoners and may prove to be too small at times.

**50 Years Ago**

THE DONLEY CO. LEADER, Nov. 15, 1951  
 • Emmett Allen and his Sunset Ramblers will furnish the melodies for a USO benefit dance to be held in the American Legion Hall on November 20, 1951. Mrs. Mildred Ritter is the Clarendon USO Chairman. We have over a hundred boys from this area in the service, and we have only been asked to contribute \$480 from this county to the state USO campaign.

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## ¿Qué Pasa?

Your guide to "what's happening" around Donley County.

**November 15**  
United Christian Men's Breakfast • Methodist Church • 7 a.m.

**November 16**  
CHS v. Claude • Bronco Gym • 6:30 p.m. girls, 8 p.m. boys

**November 16-17**  
Bulldog Classic Tournament • CC Gym • 7 p.m.

**November 18**  
Community Thanksgiving Service • First Baptist Church • 6 p.m.

**November 19**  
Immunization Clinic • TDH Office • 9 a.m.

Breast Cancer Screening • Medical Center • 356-1905

Broncos v. Memphis • Bronco Gym • 6:30 p.m.

**November 20**  
Lady Bulldogs v. Ranger JuCo • CC Gym • 6 p.m.

CHS v. River Road • there • 6 p.m. girls, 7:30 p.m. boys.

**November 22**  
Thanksgiving

**November 26**  
Crown of Texas Hospice "Sunshine Lunch" • Sam Hill BBQ • 11:30 a.m.

**November 27**  
CHS v. Hedley • here • 6:30 p.m. girls, 8 p.m. boys.

**November 29**  
CHS in Floydada Tourney

**November 30**  
Community Tree Lighting and Merchants Lighting • TBA

**December 1**  
Donley County Old Fashioned Christmas • Downtown • All day

Saints' Roost Museum Benefit Christmas Party • Clarendon Community Center

## Community Menus November 19-23

**Clarendon Schools**  
Breakfast  
Mon: Rice, toast, fruit, milk  
Tues: Breakfast burritos, juice, milk  
Wed: Thanksgiving Holiday  
Thur: Thanksgiving Holiday  
Fri: Thanksgiving Holiday  
Lunch  
Mon: Frito pie or PBJ sandwich, beans, tossed salad, applesauce, milk  
Tues: Chicken nuggets or pizza, French fries, hot roll, green beans, chocolate cake, milk  
Wed: Thanksgiving Holiday  
Thur: Thanksgiving Holiday  
Fri: Thanksgiving Holiday

**Hedley Schools**  
Breakfast  
Mon: Breakfast sandwich, toast and jelly, dry cereal, fruit juice, milk  
Tues: Biscuit and gravy, sausage patties, butter and jelly, cereal, juice, milk  
Wed: Thanksgiving holiday  
Thur: Thanksgiving holiday  
Fri: Thanksgiving holiday  
Lunch  
Mon: Beef taco, pinto beans and rice, green chili casserole, tossed salad and fruit, corn bread muffins, milk  
Tues: Box lunch - chicken or steak, fries and gravy, toast, salad, fruit, milk  
Wed: Thanksgiving holiday  
Thur: Thanksgiving holiday  
Fri: Thanksgiving holiday

**Donley County Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Sweet and sour pork chops, squash casserole, peas and carrots, tropical apples, butterscotch pudding with topping, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
Tues: Oven fried chicken, corn dressing, spinach, carrot and raisin salad, cheesecake, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
Wed: Mexican pile on, rice, pinto beans, tossed salad, spice cake, tortillas, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
Thur: Thanksgiving holiday  
Fri: Thanksgiving holiday

**Hedley Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Chicken strips, potato soup, steamed cabbage, tossed salad, corn muffin, milk, tea, coffee  
Tues: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, Waldorf salad, banana pudding, roll, milk, tea, coffee  
Wed: Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, and pickles, ice cream, milk, tea, coffee  
Thur: Thanksgiving Holiday  
Fri: Thanksgiving Holiday

## Football weather keeps up with switching days

Well, after I got through laughing at the headline the editor of this fine publication put on my column last week - and it took some minutes to stop laughing, given that it was a perfect summation of what the column was about (If you don't know, you'll just have to get a copy of last week's paper) - I had to start thinking about what I might be able to write in the column this week. And it appears that this column may be much shorter than the previous version, because while I didn't actually attend any of the events around Halloween, there were actually events taking place. There wasn't much this past week.

I think there has been some kind of weather conspiracy taking place

this fall. All of the cold fronts have come through on football nights. Or at least it has certainly seemed that way. Every Friday night, right on schedule, the wind picked up, the cold swooped in, and everyone had to bundle up in coats and sleeping bags and quilts to watch the game. Then, when the game was on Thursday night, as it was last week, for the last game of the season, the cold front decided not to wait until Friday. Oh, no, it had to come swooping in on Thursday night and freeze everybody at the football game again. When the wind makes your eyeballs cold enough that your eyelids feel warm when you blink, you know it's blowing darn cold. I'm not going to say



around Town  
By Gall Shelton  
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anything about snow, because sure as shooting, if I comment that we haven't had any yet, it's going to snow just to spite me. So I'm not saying anything about that. I still have bulbs to get in the ground.

And Friday was the first official basketball practice of the season. It lasted long enough that several parents, although warned this first practice would probably run long, went up to the school to check that their boys were actually still at school and

not hanging out somewhere playing video games, drinking Dr Pepper. At least basketball doesn't require parents to freeze half to death to watch their sons and daughters play. The bleachers do get awfully hard, though, don't they?

Monday was Veteran's Day. It's hard to realize sometimes here in America's heartland that a long way away from us our country is at war, but it's something we can't forget. Freedom is not free, and we owe the freedoms we have to those who have made the sacrifices over the years to ensure their continuance. Tell someone thank you because we do thank all the veterans who have served from the bottom of our hearts.



Sara Britten and Chris Linquist

## Britten, Linquist will exchange vows

Howard and Jan Britten of Groom announce the engagement of their daughter, Sara Elaine, to Christopher Linquist.

Linquist is the son of Robert and Cheryl Linquist of Howardwick.

The couple plans to be married December 15 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Groom.

The bride-elect graduated in 1999 from Groom High School. She currently attends Clarendon College.

The prospective groom graduated in 2000 from Clarendon High School. He currently attends Oklahoma Panhandle State University.

## Couple celebrates 70-year marriage

Mr. & Mrs. W. C. Quisenberry of Hedley, Texas, were honored with a reception on their 70th wedding anniversary at the First Baptist Church of Hedley on October 28, 2001.

Mr. Quisenberry married the former Jewell Dickson October 31, 1931, in Hollis, Oklahoma. They have resided in the Hedley community since their marriage.

Mr. Quisenberry retired from farming, heavy equipment operating, and management of the former Hedley Lumber Company. Mrs. Quisenberry retired from the Hedley School District.

They have one son and daughter-in-law, Jack and Carroll Quisenberry of Tyler, Texas. They also have four grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

## Foundation presents 'Lone Star Rising' tour

The Audie L. Murphy Rural Preservation Foundation, Inc., of Memphis, will present *Lone Star Rising* at the Canadian High School Auditorium on November 18 at 2 p.m.

The auditorium is located at 404 South 6th in Canadian. The tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children 12 and under.

The show is produced by the Center for Texas Culture and is directed and choreographed by Niel Hess. The show is family style entertainment, completely original, and full of music, dance, and comedy. The production is an example of cultural tourism and reflects the impact of the Spanish, Mexican, Cowboy, and Indian influences on early Texas History.

For more information, call Janie Farnsworth at 806-259-3068.

## PCS taking applications for Angel Tree

Panhandle Community Services are taking applications for their annual Angel Tree Project for Donley County residents through November 30.

There are two kinds of angels - children ages 0 through 12 years of age and elderly.

At the time of application, please have age, clothes and shoe size.

November 26 through December 12, interested citizens of Donley County may come and choose their angel or they may give a donation to help with the purchase of gifts. The gifts need to be wrapped and back to Panhandle Community Services on or before December 14.

## Panhandle Transit offers half price rides in town

Panhandle Transit will be offering half price rides for the rest of the year for all in-town transportation.

Call 874-2573 and set up rides so you can do your home town holiday shopping.

## Highway department making important plans

I recently read some information that is of extreme importance to me regarding... bathrooms - more specifically, reststop bathrooms along the highways. If you are a young person, you might find this humorous. If you are my age or older, you understand!

It seems as if the older I get, the shorter the time span between - now how can I put this delicately - bathroom breaks! I had this problem early in life while pregnant with my two daughters. I assumed after giving birth to the last one, the need to always be close to a bathroom was behind me. (No pun intended.)

Turns out, I was wrong. I began to notice a couple of years ago that the first thing I did when entering an eating establishment was to visually locate the sign which said "Restrooms." From there, I progressed to always wanting to be seated in close proximity to that sign. My family wasn't too happy about sitting two feet from the bathroom to eat a meal, but I insisted.

This problem progressed to the point that if I leave my home, I am always planning ahead... mentally plotting the course to the nearest reststop. So, I was delighted to read in the Amarillo newspaper that more bathrooms are being built along our highways.

Tonya Detten of the Texas Department of Transportation said that two new safety reststops were being built on I-40 between Alanreed and Jericho. She stated that the number one complaint received by TxDOT is that there are not enough reststops. Hear, Hear!

I'm not sure why they call them "safety" reststops, but it might be because of the arguments that break out between husbands and wives on the highway.

"Dear, I need to go to the bathroom!"

"You should have gone before we left the house! We've only traveled 45 miles, for crying out loud!"

"I really need to go right now!"

## New book focuses on Rowe

A few weeks ago Cynthia Hall wrote an article about doing stupid things. You do something stupid and someone asks you why you did it, you say, "I don't know."

Well sometimes you don't do something you've done regularly for years; and when the boss asks why you didn't do it this week, the only thing you can say is, "I forgot."

I thought about last week's column Sunday when Betty Morgan and I were eating lunch at Eunice Dickson's café, and when I got home I never thought about it again.

My only excuse is that I'd got a new Tony Hillerman book and it took me all the rest of Sunday to read it.

Oh, well, I didn't really know anything of much interest anyway.

Delbert Trew has a new book out about the RO ranch and Alfred Roe called *RO Brand*. It goes into detail about how Mr. Rowe acquired all the land and how he started the towns of McLean and Alanreed.

The books are on sale at the Burton Memorial Library for \$8.00 each. Mr. Trew told me he'd sold out of copies he had and was expecting another printing any day.

I'll have to wait until it comes out on tape before I get to read it



watt's Happening  
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because I don't see well enough to read regular size type, and my closed circuit TV machine makes me sick if I read too much on it.

The wind has really been blowing. The leaves in our yard blow one way, then blow another way. I'll be glad when they're all off the trees and somebody can rake, bag, and haul them away.

Saturday morning Keith came by, and we went out to the Veteran's Day ceremony at the cemetery. Adamson-Lane Post 287 of the American Legion conducted it, and Barbara Collins sang the *Star Spangled Banner* and *My Country 'Tis of Thee*.

Members of the Legion placed a wreath on the memorial. Jack Moreman made some inspiring remarks. All in all, it was an impressive ceremony.

Afterward Keith let me go with him to brand some cattle. Mike and Lori Wallendorff helped him with the work while I watched. I always enjoy watching my boys work cattle.

## Apply now for weatherization assistance program

The Texas Department of Community Affairs provides services to make homes warmer in the winter and cooler in the summer through the Weatherization Assistance Program of Panhandle Community Services.

The Weatherization Assistance Program is not a renovation or rehabilitation program; therefore the program does not address cosmetic improvements.

An assessment will be made of the house to identify the location of cracks, holes, and areas where air

escapes.

The Weatherization Assistance Program limits the amount of money that can be spent on a house for weatherization improvement. Weatherization costs and the work done on a house will vary based on the condition of the house and availability of funds.

Contact the local Panhandle Community Services' office located at 416 S. Kearney St in Clarendon for an application and complete details or call 874-2573.

## Senior Citizens Center annual membership drive drawing to a close

By Vida O'Neal  
It's holiday time again. We need all our good cooks and workers to help out with our bake sale Tuesday, November 20, at B&R Thriftway. Please call Pattye or Vida at the center to get on our list.

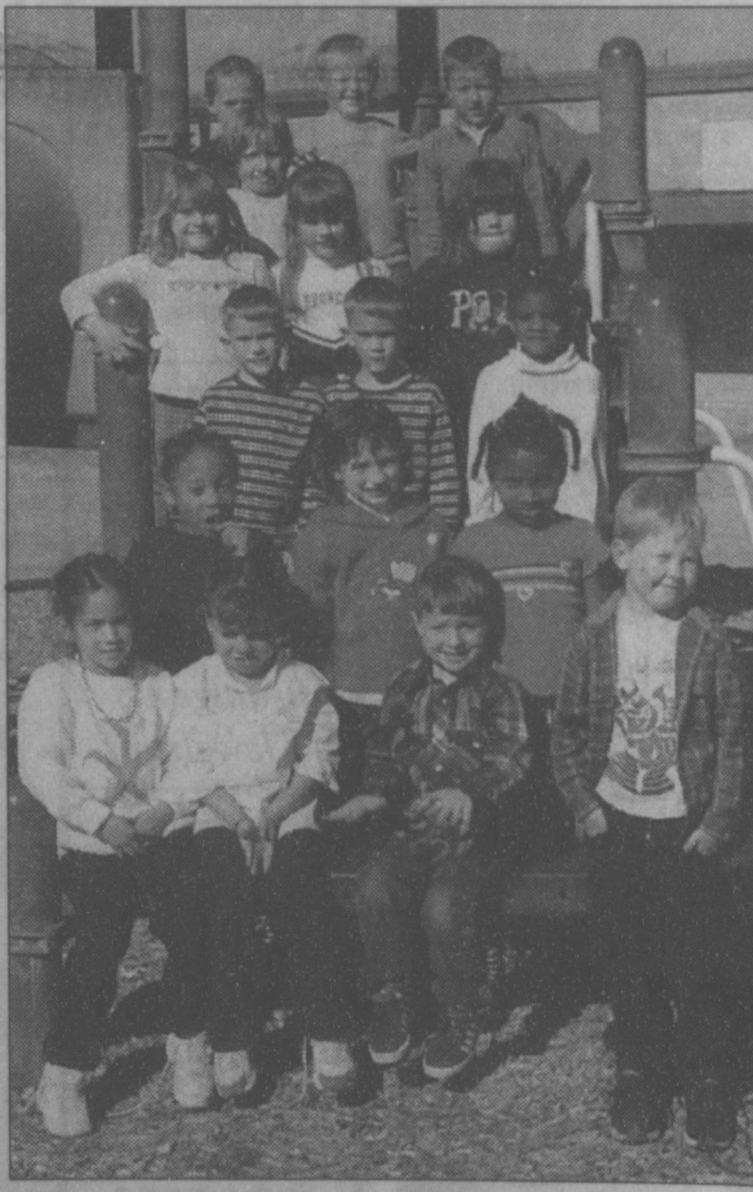
The birdhouse donated by Paulette Kidd for our Friday fundraiser was won by Joan Kidd.

Our 2002 Membership Drive to

the Senior Citizens is drawing to an end. The fee for our membership remains just \$1.00. If you have not paid your dues, please try to get this done. The members will be voting on a few new board members soon. In the next few weeks, we will inform you of the member's vacancies and those running for the places to be filled.

The Donley County Senior Citizens will be closed November 22-23 for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Our condolences to Lacy Noble (loss of a sister) and Pauline Jones (loss of son - Danny). Get well wishes go to Marjorie Rowe and Mary Beth Nelson. We hope you two have a speedy recovery.



## Head Start helps out

The winner of the Head Start Can Drive at Clarendon Elementary was Mrs. Michelle Ray's kindergarten class. They class collected 550 cans. They will receive treats and a movie for their efforts, and Panhandle Community Service is providing a Build Your Own Sundae Party for the class. Second place was awarded to Mrs. Karen Simmons' PPCC class with 179 cans, and third place was Mr. B.J. Owens' fourth grade class with 130 cans. The total number of perishable items collected this year was 1,323. Head Start appreciates everyone who contributed.

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Reminders:  
Nov. 19, 26: Dance Club, 7 p.m.  
Nov. 20: Game Night, 6:30 p.m.; Bake Sale at B&R  
Nov. 22-23: Closed for holiday.  
Nov. 30: Blood Pressure Clinic, 11 a.m.



**Native lessons**

Brit Patten presented information, photographs, and stories about the Kaw Indian tribe to Clarendon third graders on October 18, 2001. Mr. Patten is the father of third grader Annie Patten.

Digital photo courtesy of Linda Shade.

**WRCA helping student at CC**

AMARILLO - When ranch kid Tye Chesser started thinking about going to college, he looked to the Working Ranch Cowboys Association for help.

As one of six scholarship recipients this year, he's grateful to the group for helping him through college. The 19-year-old is a freshman this year at Clarendon College. He grew up on the Chesser Ranch, 30 miles south of Roswell, New Mexico, and graduated from Dexter High School.

Chesser hopes to get his bachelor's degree and become an ag teacher back in his home state. He hasn't decided which four-year university he'd like to transfer to, but "with the help of the WRCA, they're making my choices easier. I can go to some of those bigger schools."

after is the crisis fund and the scholarships."

Indeed, that's the focus of the WRCA, and the championship rodeo raises money to make it possible. The crisis fund assists ranch cowboys or their families who suffer significant hardships. Scholarships help ranch hands or their families further their education.

Scholarship applications are available at [www.wrca.org](http://www.wrca.org) or by calling (806) 374-WRCA. The deadline is April 1.

Requirements are as follows: • Must be a working ranch cowboy, or the son, daughter or spouse of a working ranch cowboy. • Must have a high school diploma, a GED or be a high school senior with a minimum grade point average of 3.0. • Must maintain 30 semester or 45 quarter hours or their equivalent in the educational program each year and maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0 each semester.

Scholarships awarded by WRCA vary from \$500 to \$2,500 and may be applied for on an annual basis.

**CJH eighth graders prepare to Gear Up**

Local eighth graders will soon Gear Up for high school and beyond.

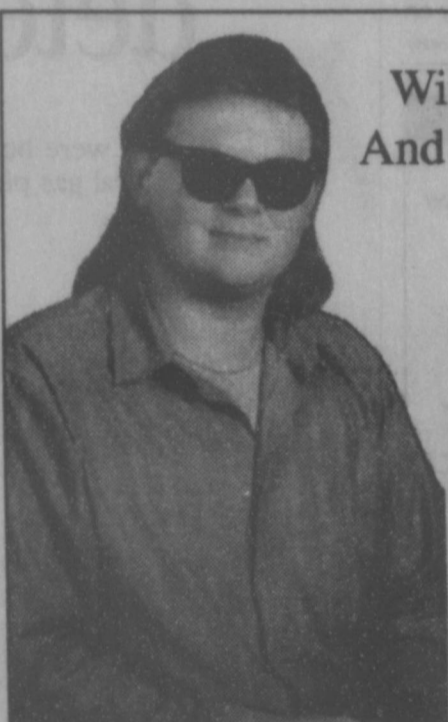
GEAR UP (Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs) will give information to parents and students so good decisions can be made for the students' futures. The theme for this year is Get Up, Cheer Up, and Gear Up.

CISD counselor John Taylor says "Get Up" means it is time for eighth graders to awaken to the fact that high school is approaching and they have to prepare for the challenge. "Cheer Up" means while much will be required as they go through high school and prepare for post secondary education, there are many payoffs, such as grants and scholarships. "Gear Up" means all the necessary steps from getting through eighth grade to planning for graduation and beyond must be made.

The GEAR UP process begins as students meet with Taylor and get information about graduation plans and the Texas Grant Program. Students will take a career/interest inventory, which is required by the state before graduation plans are made.

On November 29, at 6:30 p.m., Taylor will meet with eighth graders and their parents in the CHS auditorium to discuss the GEAR UP process, focusing on graduation plans, graduating in the top 10%, financial aid, and the new TAKS test which replaces TAAS in 2002-03. Parents of eighth graders are urged to attend.

The process ends December 3 when eighth graders turn in their graduation plans. Parents with questions can call Taylor at 874-3241 or come by his office in the junior high.



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**Boll weevil foundation changes its web site**

ABILENE - The Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation has recently made some positive changes to its Web site. These changes should make it easier to find important information on the site, and some new information has been added that will be beneficial to producers.

The section explaining the program, its history, and program procedures has been expanded. Each eradication zone also has a page detailing its start in the program and its progress.

Producers can go to the site to obtain information for their zone, including weevil counts and the number of acres that have been treated. The site also has a page listing all the job openings and an online application for downloading. A page is available listing department directors and their extension numbers.

Producers can see all these new changes by logging on to the site at [www.txbollweevil.org](http://www.txbollweevil.org)

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**REFUGIO BENAVIDEZ**  
Refugio has been on the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department for 13 years and has been a quick attack captain for the last five years. He is a certified basic firefighter and a certified Level II Instructor. He is also a member of the Panhandle Area Rescue Team and a member of the Clarendon Dive Team. He attends St. Mary's Catholic Church, and his family members include Kathy, Cierra, and Mariah. Refugio works as a crew chief for the Texas Department of Transportation.

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**Friday, Nov. 30**  
5-7:00 County Wide Lighting  
6:00 Scouts Tree Lighting, Lions Club

**Saturday, Dec. 1**  
9:00 Community Church Children's Breakfast & Story of Christmas Play  
9:30 Craft Show Opens  
10:00 Merchants Open  
Decorated Tree Viewing - Downtown Ministries  
Entertainment, Art Club Cake Walk, Kids Crafts, PTA Bake Sale & Sodas

11-2:00 Tour of Churches  
1-4:00 Tour of Homes  
2-5:00 Saints' Roost Museum Open  
4:00 Decorated Tree Auction  
6:00 County Tour of Lights - Howardwick, Clarendon, Lelia Lake, Hedday  
7:00 Saints' Roost Museum Dance  
VFW Bingo

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**Water science**

Bart Wyatt from Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District visited with the fifth graders at Hedley on November 9, 2001.

Digital picture courtesy of Karl Lindsey

**C of C holds breakfast**

The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce held a member appreciation breakfast last Wednesday, November 7, from 7 to 8 a.m.

Chamber board members prepared homemade cinnamon rolls, sausage balls, muffins, and other tasty foods. Member turnout was light, but officials say they had a great time and received a helpful exchange of ideas.

The purpose of the breakfast was to encourage Chamber members to vocalize their desires to the board members. The board wants and needs participation of members in its several activities.

Keep in mind the next After Hours Business Connection in March, and, in the meantime, visit with your Chamber board members to volunteer your time and ideas.

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**Obituaries**

**Seago**

Gladys Noble Seago, age 92, of Waco, died Wednesday, November 7, 2001, in her home. Graveside services were held Saturday, November 10, at 10 a.m. in Clarendon at Citizens Cemetery with Rev. Gene Moore, her beloved son-in-law, officiating.

Gladys was born September 5, 1909, in San Augustine, Texas, to Isaac and Susan Francis Noble. She received her BA and MA degrees from West Texas State University. Gladys married Nelson Seago in 1933, and they were active members of the Lelia Lake community for many years.

She was preceded in death by her husband Nelson; her son, Rodney Nelson; four brothers; two grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

She is survived by two daughters: Bobbie Moore of Waco and Sue Payne of Pleasanton, Texas; ten grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren; one brother, Lacy Noble of Clarendon; and many nieces and nephews.

Gladys spent her life serving others. She taught in Texas public schools for 34 years and in Colorado schools for six years. She and Nelson were active members in Eastern Star, serving as Worthy Matron and Patron in the Clarendon chapter. Just recently she received her 50-year pin.

Gladys lived her life for others and was the truest friend one could have. When health kept her from doing for others, she made sure her daughters carried on her mission.

Her roots in Texas history date back to the early days of the Republic of Texas. The four unchanging tenets of Gladys were, "I love my God, I'm a Texan, I'm a Methodist, and I'm a Democrat." However, in the last presidential election she accompanied her daughters to the Republican headquarters. As she was about to cast her vote she said, "I thought I was a Democrat," but her Texas spirit superceded party lines as she voted for her fellow Texan, George Bush.

**Cearley**

Danny Ray Cearley, age 48 of Quanah, died Tuesday, November 6, 2001, at a local hospital. Services were held at 2 p.m. on Friday, November 9, 2001, at the First Baptist Church officiated by Rev. Harold Elliott of Arlington, Texas. Burial was held at the Quanah Memorial Park under the direction of Price-Jackson Funeral Home.

Mr. Cearley was born December 30, 1952, in Clarendon to Pauline (Foster) Jones and the late John T. Cearley. He was a graduate of Clarendon High School. He and Vickie Rine were married August 28, 1971 in Quanah. He lived in Quanah for 24 years and worked for Red River Sheet Metal. He coached Quanah Kid League Football for nine years and was loved and respected by his players. He was a member of the Quanah Volunteer Fire Department and First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Vickie Cearley of Quanah; two sons and daughters-in-law, Greg and Stephanie Cearley of Vernon and Doug and Krysti Cearley of Quanah; one daughter, Kimberly Cearley of Quanah; his mother, Pauline Jones of Quanah; a brother, John Cearley of Amarillo; five grandchildren, Brayden, Jackson, Pajje, Aubrey, and Hunter.

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## Broncos end season with loss to WT

By Sandy Anderberg

The Broncos faced a tough West Texas team in their season finale Thursday night at Bronco Stadium. WT came out on top, 45-7.

The Comanches scored early and continued that pattern the remainder of the game. West Texas scored twelve points in each of the first and second quarters and went on to score twenty-one points in the third quarter. The Broncos fought hard to hold them scoreless in the fourth period and then delivered a score of their own on a 53-yard pass from senior quarterback Jeremy Ray to Todd Hoeltzel. Hoeltzel also kicked the extra point, giving the Broncos their only score of the game.

"We struggled offensively," said head coach Roger Hoeltzel. "We just couldn't put an offensive series together."

The Broncos put 176 total yards on the board with 160 of those as passing yards from Ray. This compares to 308 total yards for WT.

But Hoeltzel and his coaching staff are very proud of the Broncos' effort to continue to fight the entire game.

"It was a tough game early on," he said. "Not being able to put points on the board early put us at a definite disadvantage. Our mistakes allowed a good WT team to put lots of points on the board."

Two bright spots according to Hoeltzel was the Broncos' ability to limit WT's scoring as far as extra points were concerned and that the Broncos ended the year not having a game where they didn't score at least once.

"This was our seniors' last game for this year and their football career at CHS," he said. "We are very proud of them. They all gave great efforts all year long, and they should be proud."

Hoeltzel also notes that it was a disappointing year as far as wins and losses, but there were good things that came out of the 2001 season.

"Our guys never quit, even when things got bad," said Hoeltzel. "Again, this just shows the incredible character of these young men to give their very best effort in every game. Our District was tough this year, and the kids worked hard to improve every week. We're very proud of them."

The Broncos will begin their 2001-02 basketball season this week. They will play the Claude Mustangs Friday night at home beginning at 5:00 p.m.



Bronco Cameron Word tries to break away from the WT defense during last Thursday's game in Bronco Stadium. Enterprise Photo

## Road construction closes parts of Palo Duro park

The park road down onto the floor of Palo Duro Canyon State Park will be closed for repairs from December 1, 2001, to March 1, 2002.

No vehicles, hikers, bikers, campers, horseback riders, etc. will be allowed down onto the canyon floor during the road repair. All campgrounds on the floor of the canyon will be closed.

Palo Duro Canyon State Park will remain open and visitors will be able to visit the rim of the canyon, including the visitor center and scenic overlook.

Admission to the canyon during the road repair will be reduced from \$3 per person to \$1 per person.

For the latest information, contact the park at 806-488-2227.

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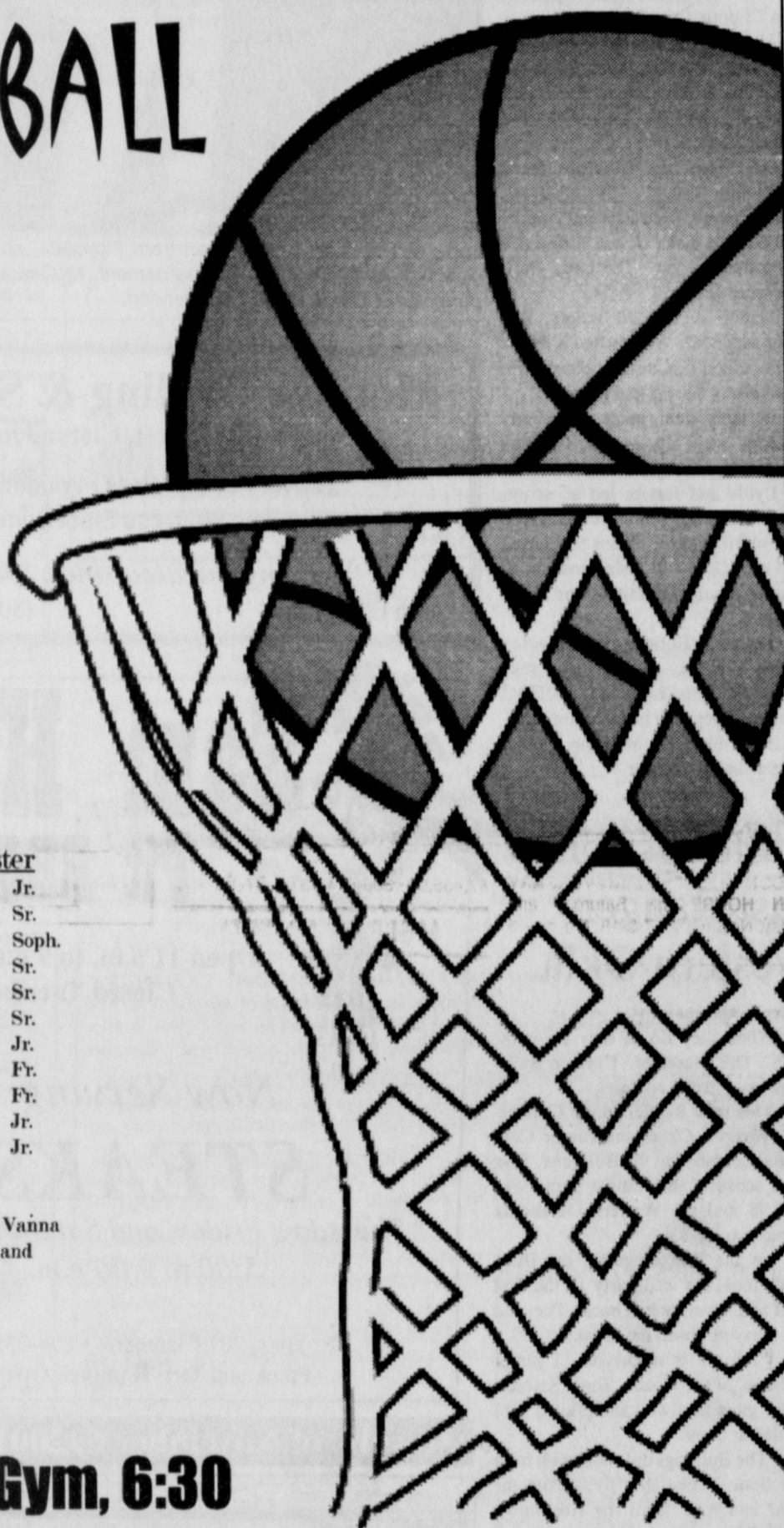


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### Bronco Roster

|                           |       |
|---------------------------|-------|
| Jeremy Ray                | Sr.   |
| Cody Watson               | Sr.   |
| Jarad Lax                 | Sr.   |
| Micah Sparks              | Sr.   |
| Landon Shields            | Sr.   |
| Antonio Wilson            | Sr.   |
| James Williams            | Jr.   |
| Todd Hoeltzel             | Jr.   |
| Cameron Word              | Jr.   |
| Judge Smith               | Jr.   |
| Dusty Martindale          | Soph. |
| Head Coach: Wade Callaway |       |

### Lady Bronco Roster

|   |                    |       |
|---|--------------------|-------|
| 3   | Kylen Karr         | Jr.   |
| 5   | Claire Rodriguez   | Sr.   |
| 10  | Lacey Eads         | Soph. |
| 12  | Kelley Lemley      | Sr.   |
| 14  | April Bryley       | Sr.   |
| 20  | Janey Adaddell     | Sr.   |
| 24  | Lacey Anderberg    | Jr.   |
| 32  | Destiny Weatherton | Fr.   |
| 34  | Paige Drackley     | Fr.   |
| 40  | May Butler         | Jr.   |
| 42  | Brandi Betts       | Jr.   |
| Head Coach: Mary Karr   |                    |       |
| Asst. Coach: Kathy Barton   |                    |       |
| Managers: Lydia Hartman, Vanna Holton, Brandie Lockhart, and Laura Dziedzic |                    |       |

## Friday, Nov. 16

**Lady Broncos v. Claude, Bronco Gym, 6:30**

**Broncos v. Claude, Bronco Gym, 8:00**

## Monday, Nov. 19

**Broncos v. Memphis, Bronco Gym, 6:30**

## Tuesday, Nov. 20

**Lady Broncos v. River Road, there, 6:30**

**Broncos v. River Road, there, 8:00**

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# BIG E

# Classifieds

**Big-E Deadlines:**  
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**Clarendon Lodge #700 AF&M** Stated meeting: Second Monday each month, 7:30 p.m. Refreshments served at 6:30 p.m. Practice sessions: Fourth Monday, 7:00 p.m.  
Allen H. Estlack - W.M.  
Larry Hicks - Secretary

**Clarendon Order of the Eastern Star #6** Stated meetings: First Thursdays, 8:00 p.m. Refreshments served at 7 p.m.  
Margaret Ann Pettit - W.M.  
Opal Ramsey - Secretary

**Clarendon Lions Club** Regular meeting each Tuesday at noon.  
Jerry Woodard, Boss Lion  
Monty Hysinger, Secretary

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Denise Bertrand, Membership Specialist, 874-2846

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Bingo - Saturdays, 7:00 p.m.

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District: Childress  
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### THANK YOU

Words can not begin to tell you how much I appreciate all of the cards, calls, visits, flowers, and above all else your prayers offered in my behalf. This has been a very humbling experience and am being allowed to live and teach here in Clarendon makes things easier at this time. Thank you. Your continued prayers are asked and thank you again for everything.  
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**HUNTING - PLUS CRP PROPERTY** - Clarendon farm, 271 acres 9 miles S/E of Clarendon - 173.8 acres in CRP at \$33.00 with seven more years remaining (\$5,735.00 annual payment), one domestic well, frontage on large major ranch provides unobstructed view from building site and makes this a favored feeding ground for deer and quail. Offered at \$400 per acre.

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State Office: Construction Division, 200 E. Riverside Dr., Austin, Texas 78704, Phone: 512-416-2540.  
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**Sheriff's Report:**

**Caller reports teenagers throwing pumpkins from pickup truck**

**Nov. 5**  
 5:17 a.m. - Assisting EMS call in 200 Block of Main St. in Hedley.  
 6:03 a.m. - Advise all is okay at residence just off SH 70 where caller advised family out of town and their dogs were barking excessively.  
 6:06 a.m. - Dispatched to bus pick up at US 287 at S. Jefferson St. Driver reported problems with adult male who was put off an earlier bus.  
 6:48 a.m. - Following bus to county line.  
 1:11 p.m. - Responding to call at museum.  
 5:37 p.m. - Checking south part of town where caller reported vehicles speeding and were very loud.  
 7:10 p.m. - Caller advising several teen males throwing pumpkins from back of pickup truck and making a lot of noise. Deputy back to south part of town.

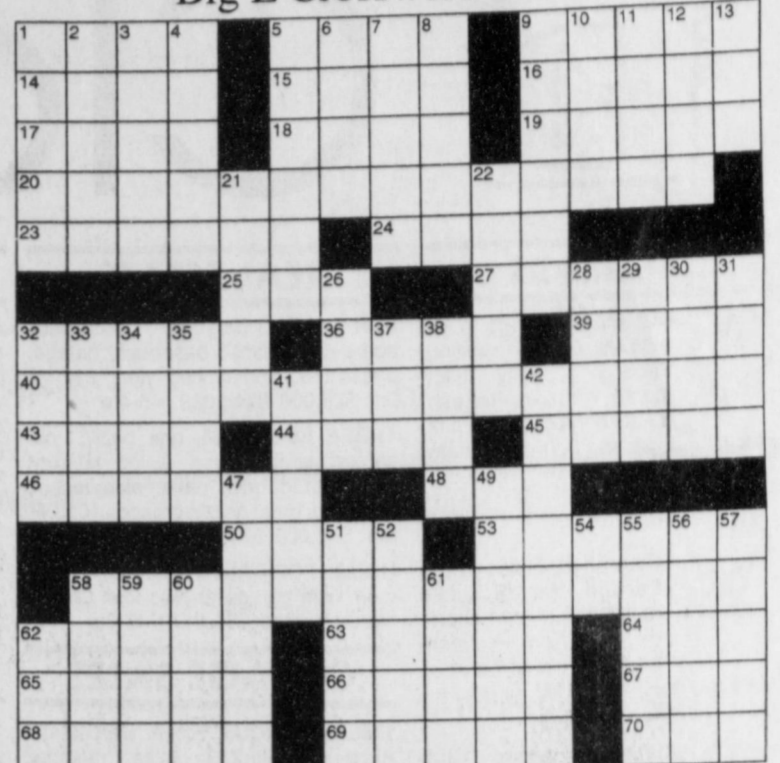
**Nov. 6**  
 1:59 a.m. - En route to check on adult female walking approximately 1/2 miles W. of Hedley.  
 5:26 a.m. - Dispatched to US 287 at S. Taylor where caller reporting he'd struck a deer one-mile W. of Lelia Lake.  
 5:39 a.m. - Removing deer carcass from roadway.  
 3:14 p.m. - Responding to trespass call at college.  
 4:50 p.m. - Checking report of vehicle being driven recklessly on 5th St.  
**Nov. 7**  
 3:29 a.m. - Assisting stranded motorist N. of Clarendon.  
 6:24 a.m. - Out at E. city limits with car carrier dragging something causing sparks.  
 9:28 a.m. - All units responding to acci-

dent on S. SH 70 at US 287.  
 1:50 p.m. - En route to jail with one male in custody.  
**Nov. 9**  
 10:36 a.m. - Out at residence on Oleta St. in Howardwick.  
 3:48 p.m. - Responding to accident in 300 block W. 3rd.  
 6:33 p.m. - Checking unoccupied residence on Janny St. in Howardwick where the lights were on.  
 6:49 p.m. - Dispatched to resident on Arthur St. in Howardwick.  
 8:34 p.m. - Checking disabled vehicle at Lelia Lake.  
 10:23 p.m. - Taking report on stolen vehicle.  
**Nov. 10**  
 8:41 a.m. - Assisting EMS in 800 block of S. Carhart.

10:47 a.m. - Reporting being flagged down by driver at 4th and Koogle.  
 12:02 p.m. - Taking report of a burglary of a vehicle at US 287 at S. Taylor.  
 7:15 p.m. - Deputy advising unable to locate accident on US 287 of a vehicle vs. a deer.  
 7:42 p.m. - Deputy out with driver of semi parked inside turning lane on US 287 at flashing light in Hedley.  
**Nov. 11**  
 1:49 a.m. - Out with pedestrian in 200 block of Parks.  
 6:28 a.m. - Deputy reports completion of welfare concern.

**Summary**  
 Arrests - 2  
 Ambulance Calls - 8  
 Fire Calls - 2

**Big E Crossword Puzzle**



- ACROSS**
- 1. Gull-like jaeger of northern seas
  - 5. Make move
  - 9. Marten
  - 14. Compact engineer
  - 15. Field
  - 16. Electronic communication
  - 17. Businessmen
  - 18. Egyptian goddess
  - 19. Elias \_\_\_\_, Nobel prize chemist
  - 20. Swizzlesticks
  - 23. Inactiveness
  - 24. Graphite
  - 25. Soviet labor camp inmate
  - 27. Crystals
  - 32. African title of respect
  - 36. Inflammatory disease
  - 39. Ancient Greek City
  - 40. Couple's decision
  - 43. Prevarication
  - 44. Pastries
  - 45. Awkward
  - 46. Separates with an instrument
  - 48. Jawless fish
  - 50. Arthropod genus
  - 53. Chordophones
  - 58. Laws
  - 62. Expression
  - 63. Anchorage
  - 64. Cookie
  - 65. Emil von \_\_\_\_, Czech engineer
  - 66. Enameled metalware
  - 67. Give temporarily
  - 68. Helicopters
  - 69. Type genus of the Otididae
  - 70. Thomas \_\_\_\_, British composer, 1700]
- DOWN**
- 1. Attacks
  - 2. Expressed gold
  - 3. Shade
  - 4. Niche
  - 5. Fabric finish
  - 6. Kiln
  - 7. Run
  - 8. Turn out
  - 9. Break up
  - 10. Egyptian god of life
  - 11. Cartoon prankster
  - 12. Consists
  - 13. Town in Cambridgeshire
  - 21. Indian title
  - 22. David \_\_\_\_, U.S. playwright
  - 26. Japanese persimmon
  - 28. 13 to 19
  - 29. Protocist
  - 30. Brainstorm
  - 31. Flavor
  - 32. Bacon-lettuce-tomato snacks
  - 33. Harm
  - 34. King of Huns (Scandinavian)
  - 35. 1
  - 37. After B
  - 38. Birthplace of Constantine
  - 41. Recesses
  - 42. Sunk in the sea
  - 47. Curatives
  - 49. Homes
  - 51. Novo seaport
  - 52. Traveling by foot
  - 54. City in North Zambia
  - 55. Panelist
  - 56. Water
  - 57. Rock
  - 58. Turkish brandy
  - 59. Wife
  - 60. Venice beach
  - 61. Colombian Town
  - 62. Seasoner

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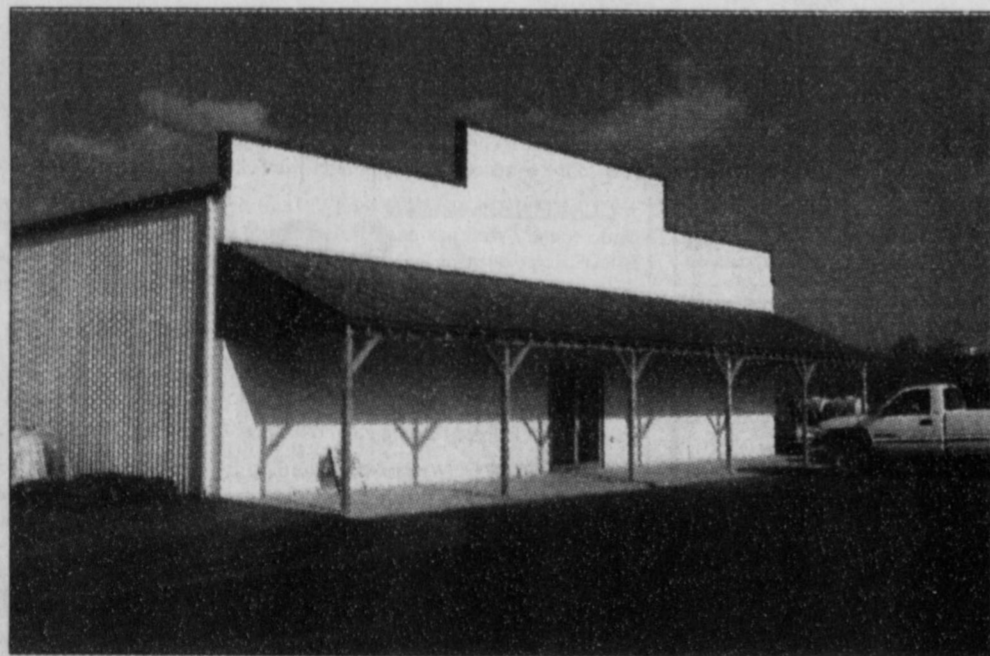
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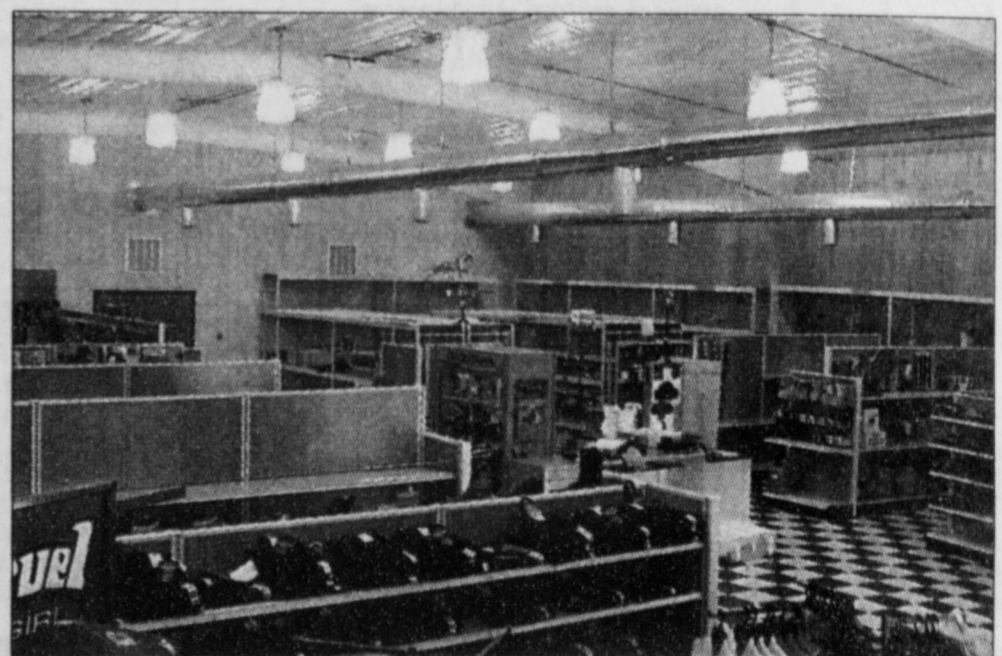
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