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New kids' ministry

The Community Fellowship Church will begin its Wednesday night children's ministry on September 19, 2007.

Children's choir will begin at 5:15 p.m., dinner at 6 p.m., and boys' and girls' Bible lessons and arts and crafts will be from 6:30 - 7 p.m.

The Church invites all children, ages kindergarten through 5th grade to attend. ACTeens will also be starting for all middle school girls.

Call the church at 874-0963 or Pastor Roger Smith at 206-9773 for information.

St. Mary's barbecue

St. Mary's Catholic Church is going to have its annual Bar-B-Q on September 9 at the Lions Hall from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m.

Adults tickets are \$7, and tickets for kids under 12 are \$4.

Referendum sign-up

Cotton producers and importers who want USDA's Agriculture Marketing Service (AMS) to conduct a referendum regarding the Cotton Research and Promotion Program can sign-up at their local Farm Service Agency (FSA) office September 4 through November 30, 2007.

Producers and importers will receive correspondence from FSA regarding the cotton referendum sign-up.

More information will be published next week or call the Donley County FSA at 806-874-3561.

State tax seminar set

Comptroller Susan Combs' office will offer a free seminar to assist local taxpayers with their state taxes on Tuesday, September 18, from 6 to 8 p.m.

At the seminar, taxpayers can learn about sales tax forms, taxability issues, taxpayer responsibilities and the array of services and information available from the Comptroller's office to assist taxpayers. Comptroller representatives will answer questions and provide assistance to attendees.

The seminar will take place at the Comptroller's Amarillo Field Office at (806) 358-0148.

Tax forms and tax information can also be found on the Comptroller's website www.window.state.tx.us.

Mexican pile-on

The Clarendon Bronco Band is having a Mexican Pile-on dinner September 14 at 5 p.m. for homecoming. Donations will be accepted.

Bronco Boosters

The Bronco Booster meeting will be held Tuesday, September 11, at 7:30 in the Bronco Gym.

Foster parents

Foster care provides a temporary safe haven for children as Child Protective Services (CPS) caseworkers and foster parents work toward uniting children with their families.

There is an urgent need for more families to become foster and adoptive parents. To learn more about fostering and adoption, attend an informational meeting the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Meetings are held at the CPS office located at 6200 I-40 West, in Amarillo.

CISD kills personal property tax

Christmas came early for taxpayers in the Clarendon school district when school trustees eliminated the personal property tax last Thursday.

Clarendon ISD officials said new funding and new rules from the State of Texas gave the school an opportunity it had not had before.

"The only reason we can afford to do this is because it's not tied to Tier II funds now," Superintendent Monty Hysinger said. "If we had done this last year, it would have cost us \$450,000 (in local and state funds)."

Under the new funding rules, eliminating the personal property

tax will cost the district \$147,498 in local money, but the state will make up \$95,794 of that, leaving the district with a net loss of \$51,704.

"That is less than one percent of our budget," Hysinger said.

School trustees said they understood the tax on cars, trucks, boats, and other personal property was unpopular and that they felt like this was a rare chance to get rid of the tax.

"We can't predict three years from now; but at one percent of the budget, I'm confident to say we can do away with it," said Trustee James Shelton. "It creates good public relations, and we won't have this oppor-

tunity again."

Board President Wayne Hardin said the board was trying to be good stewards of the tax dollars they are entrusted with.

"I hope people trust us with the job we've done," Hardin said. "We're doing what we think is best for the students, the district, and the taxpayers."

A group known as the Concerned Citizens of Donley County was outspoken last year about its opposition to the personal property taxes. The group's spokesman, Brad Dalton, said the state deserved more credit for CISD's action than the Concerned Citizens did, but he was

pleased with the news.

"I think it's wonderful, and I wish the other entities would follow suit," Dalton said. "It's a hardship - especially with the price of gas - because a car is a necessity. But this is great news."

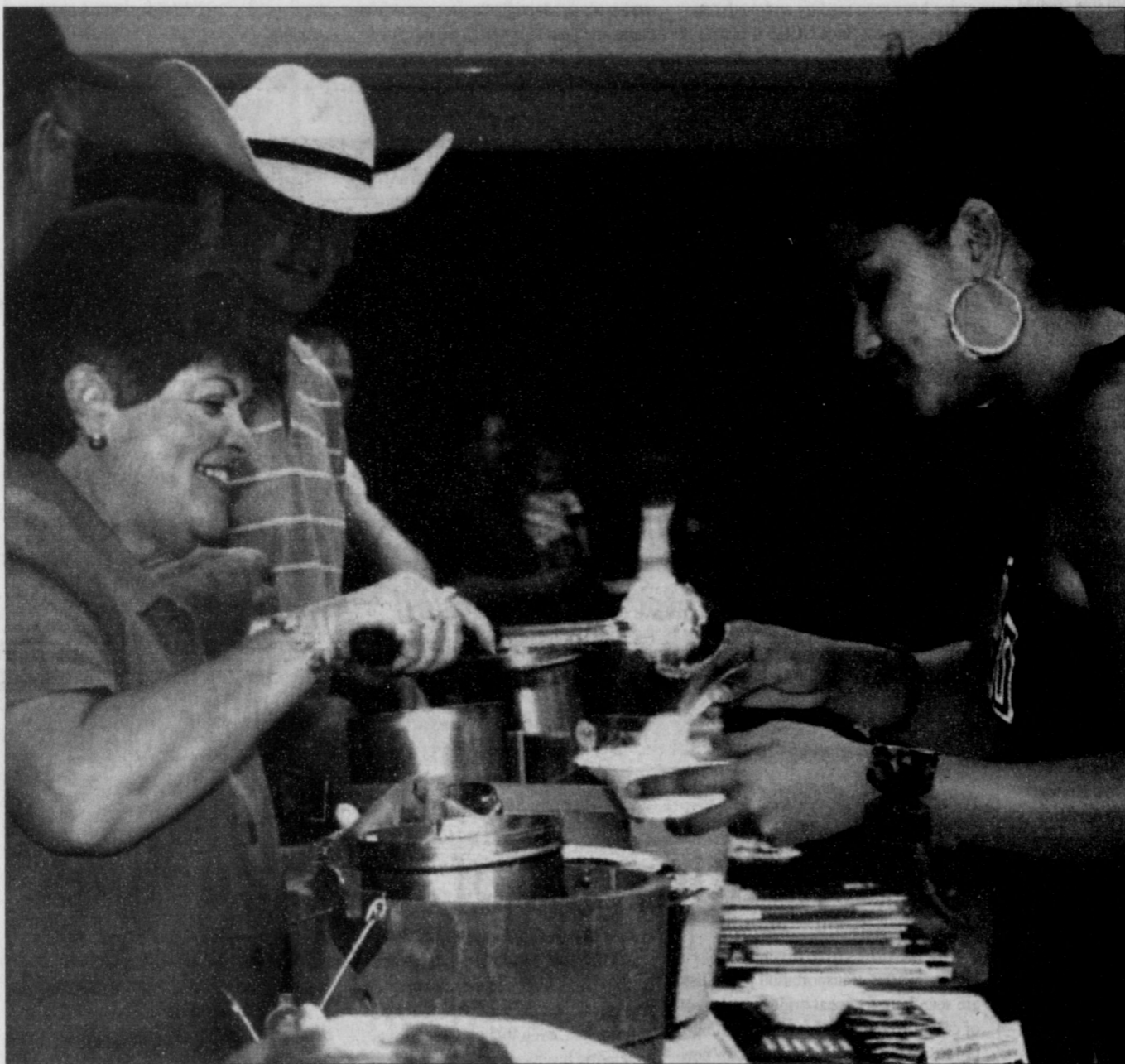
The district's move is part of the school tax rate compression coming from the State Legislature, which pumps more state money into local schools while driving down the local tax rate. The state wants school districts to get their ad valorem rates down to \$1 per \$100 of valuation, although districts are allowed up to four cents more than that rate, and it could be higher based on bonded

indebtedness.

CISD Trustees adopted a tax rate of \$1.04 per \$100 valuation. That's down 21 cents from last year's rate of \$1.258325. Taxes on a \$100,000 home will drop \$218 under the new rate.

Board members did voice concerns about eliminating the personal property tax because it removes a revenue source for the school and because the state will require the school to go to the voters if it ever wants to go above the new \$1.04 cap.

"You hope if it ever comes to that, the voters will remember you
See 'School Tax' on page 3.



Good eatin'

Valorie Ashcraft represents the First Baptist Church as she serves up homemade ice cream to a Clarendon College student during the annual ice cream social at the Bairfield Activity Center last Wednesday evening. New and returning CC students were also welcomed with brownies, cookies, and other treats as well as free school supplies.

PHOTO COURTESY CC MARKETING OFFICE

New water system work gets started

Work is scheduled to begin this week on a \$300,000 water system upgrade that will install new lines and a new pressure system on the west-side of Clarendon.

City Superintendent Jim Roberts expected a contractor to begin boring under city streets Wednesday but did not know when the project will be completed.

"It will be a lengthy project," Roberts said.

A grant is paying for the materials, engineering, and boring on the job. The city will provide the labor to install the system, which is aimed at correcting pressure problems in that part of the city.

Roberts said the job includes connections to 172 meters and 17 bores under the streets. A new booster pump station with two pumps will be installed at the west water tower to maintain the pressure on the system. The grant calls for 12,250 feet of six-inch pipe.

According to the grant application, the project will benefit 224 people, of which 136 are in households with low to moderate income.

Water lines will be installed on McLean and on Collinson from Eighth to the alley at Third; on Johns, Leroy, and Cottage from Eighth to Fifth; in the alley near Third between Collinson and McLean; on Fifth from Collinson to Cottage; and on Eight from McLean to Cottage.

The grant contract expires July 6, 2008.

USDA announces sign-up dates for natural disaster programs

WASHINGTON - The U.S. Department of Agriculture has announced sign-up dates for the new Livestock Compensation Program, Livestock Indemnity Program, and Crop Disaster Program.

The three ad hoc disaster programs provide benefits to farmers and ranchers who suffered losses caused by natural disasters in recent years.

Eligible ranchers and other livestock producers can apply to receive benefits under the Livestock Compensation Program (LCP) and Livestock Indemnity Program (LIP) beginning Sept. 10, 2007. Eligible farmers can sign-up for the Crop Disaster Program (CDP) beginning Oct. 15, 2007, if they suffered quantity losses to their crops. USDA will announce and conduct CDP sign-up for quality losses as soon as possible.

LCP compensates livestock producers for feed losses occurring between Jan. 1, 2005, and Feb. 28, 2007, due to a natural disaster. This can include producers who suffered losses resulting from blizzards that started in 2006 and continued

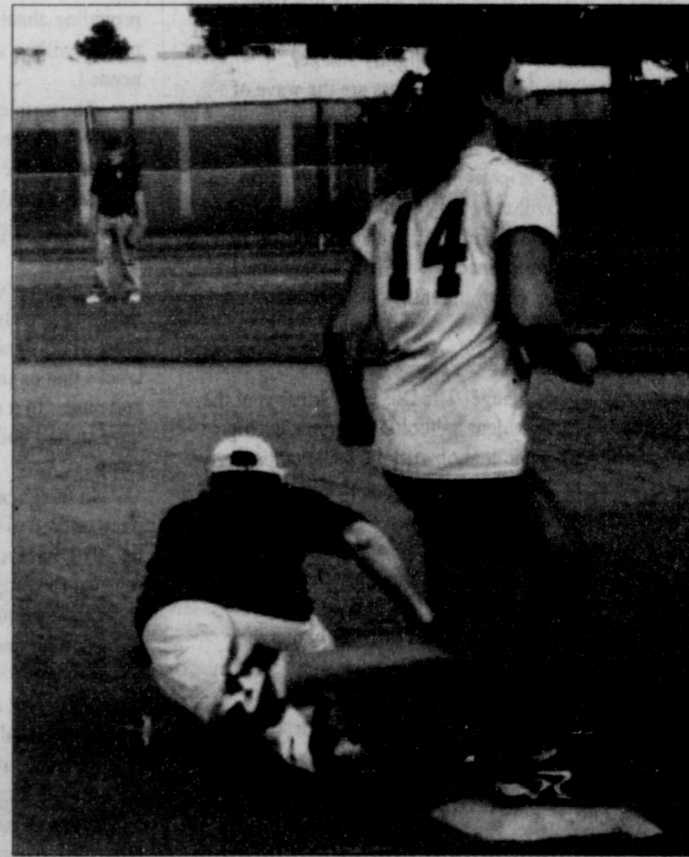
January 2007. Livestock producers may elect to receive compensation for calendar year 2007 grazing season losses that are attributable to wildfire natural disaster occurring during the applicable period as determined by the Secretary of Agriculture. Producers in primary counties declared secretarial disaster areas or certain counties declared presidential disaster areas between Jan. 1, 2005, and Feb. 28, 2007, are eligible as are producers located in counties contiguous to those counties. Also, producers in a primary (or contiguous) county that received an Administrator's Physical Loss Notice directly associated with a disaster declaration made by President Bush may also be eligible. Producers incurring a loss in more than one of the 2005, 2006, or 2007 calendar years must choose only one year for which they want to apply for benefits.

LIP compensates livestock producers for livestock losses between Jan. 1, 2005, and Feb. 28, 2007, that resulted from natural disasters, including losses due to blizzards that started in 2006 and continued

into January 2007. Producers in primary counties declared secretarial disaster areas or certain counties declared presidential disaster areas between Jan. 1, 2005, and Feb. 28, 2007, are eligible as are producers located in counties contiguous to those counties. Also, producers in a primary (or contiguous) county that received an Administrator's Physical Loss Notice directly associated with a disaster declaration made by President Bush may also be eligible. Producers incurring eligible livestock losses in more than one of the 2005, 2006, or 2007 calendar years must choose only one year for which they want to apply for benefits.

CDP provides benefits to farmers who suffered quantity and quality losses to 2005, 2006, or 2007 crops from natural disasters if the crop was planted before Feb. 28, 2007, or, in the case of prevented plantings, for crops that would have been planted before Feb. 28, 2007. Producers who incurred qualifying losses in 2005, 2006, or 2007 must choose only one year to apply

See 'Disaster' on page 3.



Safe!

Clarendon College Dean of Students Tex Buckhaults twists to catch the ball as Lady Bulldog Kayla Deherrera, a freshman from Bloomfield, New Mexico, arrives at first base during the Faculty vs. the Softball Team game Monday afternoon. The faculty won 9-6 with only minor injuries.

ENTERPRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLAACK

WARNING: The following column is an editorial (i.e. an opinion, a point of view) and may contain ideas with which some readers may freely disagree. It could be harmful to liberals, socialists, and other small mammals. Read at your own risk.

Change arrives at Enterprise

This week marks the beginning of a new era for THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE.

Your newspaper has succumbed to the whims and fancies of the modern era and had the publishing equivalent of a gastric bypass. The ENTERPRISE is now slimmer and trimmer, leaner but certainly not meaner.

No longer will we wildly consume so many virgin trees to bring you the news each week. No, our appetite has been curtailed, and we'll be doing more with less in this new 25-inch format that you hold in your hands.

The astute observer already noticed it. But chances are most of you would never have known the difference had I not said anything. If you look at the width of the paper across a two-page spread, you'll see its 25 inches wide. Last week, it was 27 inches.

The ENTERPRISE prides itself on being at the forefront of change in the newspaper industry. We typically endeavor to stay if not in front of everyone then at least even with those who are leading. But this change was different. We resisted. But ultimately we learned that resistance is futile.

For years — decades really — this newspaper has utilized the six-column SAU format. The SAU or Standard Advertising Unit was developed in 1984 as a way to unify broadsheet newspapers and give national advertisers one set of standards when it came to placing ads.

Our paper was right in the thick of things back then. Former publisher Helen Woody adopted the SAU in what was then called THE CLARENDON PRESS on July 5, 1985. That itself was a big change. Previously, the paper used an eight-column format first adopted by THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER in 1968.

For 22 years, our columns have remained the same size. The name of the paper has changed three times, and the design of the paper has changed more than that. But essentially if we built you an ad 10 or 15 or 20 years ago, it would have still fit our columns last week. Now everything must be re-built.

This new PASS format has been around for a while now. (Don't ask what PASS stands for.) We were first faced with the prospect of adopting it in 2001, but we put it off. When the ENTERPRISE celebrated its 125th anniversary and underwent a major redesign in 2003, we considered converting to the 25-inch width but ultimately decided we too much going on at the time. Then this past spring, we looked at it again but decided to put it off until 2008. Then last month, it became apparent that it was time to fish or cut bait.

The reason behind newspapers adopting this narrower width is simple economics. We'll save money on printing, our printer will save money on newsprint, and as a bonus we can all feel warm and fuzzy about how we're helping the environment. We'll also save some on postage to send the paper to our subscribers, but I think that savings will be negligible and certainly won't offset how the United States Postal Service violated us this summer with its outrageous rate increase. But I digress...

Will this new format have the staying power that the SAU format did or the eight-column format did before that? Will you pick up the Enterprise in 2030 and still see this 25-inch standard? Not likely.

The newspaper industry is changing rapidly. Already newspapers are adopting a 24-inch width. Corpus Christi this year went all the way down to 23 inches. I don't think we'll ever go there... but six years ago I never thought we'd be where we are today.

Our industry is changing in other more dramatic ways also. More than 10 percent of our subscribers won't be affected at all by the width of this page. They get their paper digitally. The only thing they will notice is that the file size is slightly smaller.

But while digital newspapers are the wave of the future, you can rest assured that there will always be a newspaper you can hold in your hands. We may change the way it looks or the way we put ink on paper, but we will always be here in a familiar format to bring you the news of friends and family just like we've always done since 1878. Some things don't change, and that commitment is one of them.

Meanwhile...

Talk about change! The Board of Trustees of the Clarendon Independent School District made a big one last week when it abolished the personal property tax, which undoubtedly is the most hated tax in all of Donley County.

Changes in the way the state funds public schools gave CISD the chance to kill the dreaded car tax, and they did it. Killed it dead and danced on its grave. And then silently prayed to all that's holy that they wouldn't have to resurrect the beast at some point in the future.

If your family has two or three vehicles valued at a total of \$20,000, your school tax on that personal property this year was \$251.67. This coming year it will be zero.

Other local entities probably cannot follow suit since they aren't being blessed with a huge influx of state money, but CISD taxpayers can at least rejoice in knowing the single biggest tax burden on their cars and trucks has been lifted.

The next time you see any of the school board members — Wayne Hardin, Jim Shelton, Lance Thornberry, Joe Lemley, Robin Ellis, Weldon Sears, and Marvin Thompson — be sure to thank them.

Helping children succeed in school

Like moms and dads all across Texas, I spend time each fall shopping for school supplies and filling backpacks with crayons, safety scissors, and number two pencils. As parents we do our best to prepare our children for the year ahead and to help them succeed in school. But, this success depends on quality education.

America's leadership in an increasingly global economy was built, in part, on the collective genius of our science and technology innovators. Our children, the next generation of Americans, have the ability to maintain and expand this competitive edge. However, as Benjamin Franklin once said, "genius without education is like silver in the mine." Unless we provide our children with the knowledge and skills they need, their potential to better themselves and our nation will go untapped and unfulfilled.

The No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act of 2001 has greatly improved educational opportunities for millions of American families. Every child deserves a chance to succeed, and this legislation holds educators accountable to provide results for the federal funding they receive. The non-partisan Center for Education Policy affirms that many states have seen reading and math test scores increase since NCLB was passed.

And, under this Act, discretionary funding for the U.S. Department of Education has increased by more than 36 percent to support key programs that help our children succeed in school, from pre-kindergarten to college.

Development experts tell us that the earlier a child begins learning to read, the better their future academic performance will be. For this reason, I voted to allocate \$6.88 billion to the Head Start early childhood reading program for fiscal year 2007, more than doubling its budget since I came to the Senate in 1993. Texas educators have used this funding to introduce the program in their communities, and thousands of our children have experienced its benefits.

We also know that each child learns at a different pace and in a different way. I strongly support giving parents the power to choose options that best fit their child's needs. Single-sex schools, for example, can offer a less intimidating and more productive classroom environment and help children flourish with a



capitol comment

by sen. kay bailey hutchison

non-traditional approach. After witnessing the success of such schools firsthand, I sponsored an amendment to NCLB that gives local districts the flexibility to better serve their students.

Well-trained teachers are crucial to quality education. The "Transition to Teaching" program I helped create through an additional amendment to NCLB helps individuals with ten or more years of military service become certified to teach and pass on their valuable skills. This initiative has placed thousands of qualified teachers in high-need subjects such as math, science, computer science, and foreign languages in more than 40 states.

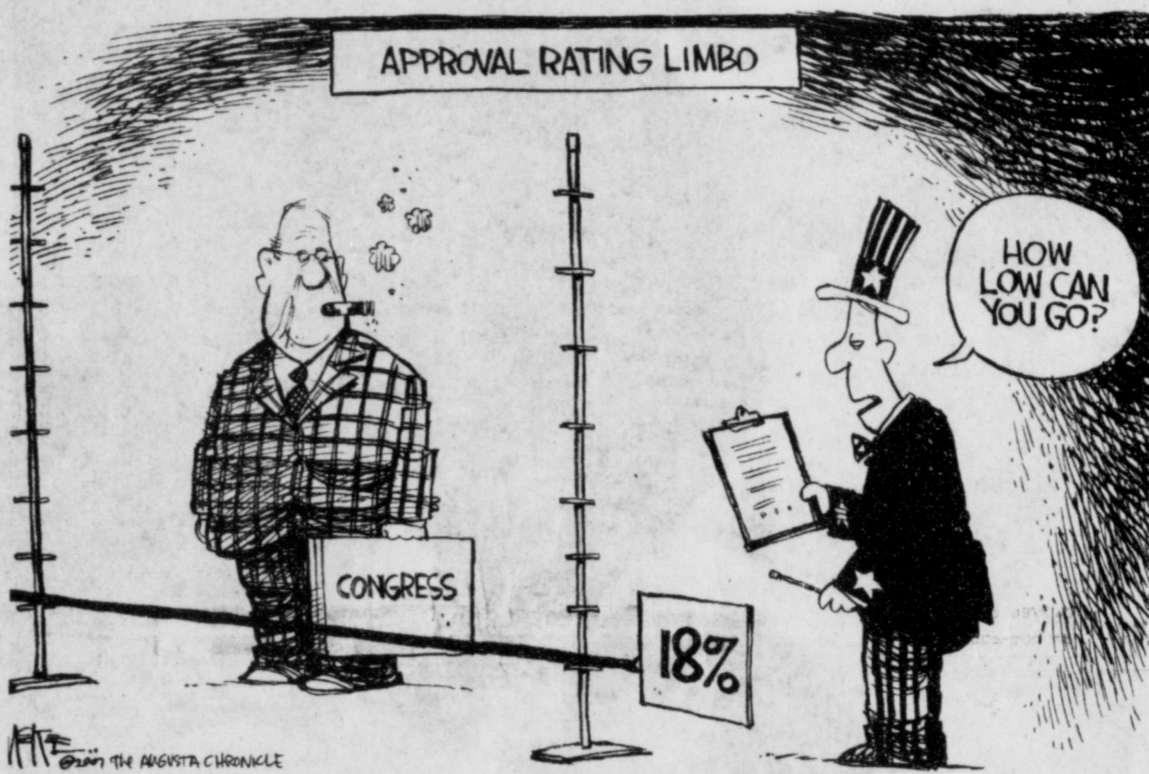
Nevertheless, NCLB does have its critics. I welcome your suggestions on how the bill can be improved. But, we must maintain the major emphasis on accountability and early detection of children not performing at their grade level.

As the Senate considers reauthorization of this vital legislation this month, I will work to continue the progress we have made on behalf of our children's education, and I will also want to amend the elements of the Act that require improvement. Our nation's future depends on their success, and they depend on our support.



editor's commentary

by roger estlack



Take politics out of infrastructure

By Randal O'Toole

In the wake of the Minneapolis bridge disaster, transportation journalists are searching for local bridges in danger of collapse. This is already stimulating proposals for huge tax increases for new infrastructure.

The American Society of Civil Engineers estimates that the U.S. has a \$1.5 trillion backlog of infrastructure projects. But this number should be taken with a grain of salt, as it merely sums the wish lists of more than a dozen different interest groups. Efforts to fulfill these wishes would become pork fests providing absolutely no assurance that money will be spent where it is really needed.

The problem is not inadequate funding. The real problem with deteriorating bridges and highways is a ponderous transportation planning process under which it takes decades to do anything.

Case in point: a 2004 inspection of the Sellwood Bridge in my old hometown of Portland found it so riddled with cracks that engineers closed it to trucks and buses. In a sane world, they would have started building a replacement right away.

In fact, a private company offered to replace it by 2010, but local planners rejected the proposal. They expect to take until at least 2017 to plan and build a replacement.

Moreover, the planning process allowed parochial local interests to prevail over the best interests of the region as a whole. A recent Portland news article quotes a Sellwood neighborhood resident saying that, when they finally do replace the Sellwood Bridge, the new one cannot have any more capacity than the old because "we're not interested in becoming a freeway" for people who live

outside the neighborhood.

This is an all-too familiar refrain. In 2001, the Oregon legislature approved the replacement of hundreds of Oregon bridges. But, even though Oregon's population has more than doubled since most of those bridges were built, transportation planners decided no new bridge should have any more capacity than the bridge it replaced.

Automobiles provide more than 80 percent of American passenger travel and have greatly contributed to our wealth, health, and social well-being. Yet transportation planning in too many cities has been taken over by anti-auto groups aiming to divert billions of dollars of highway user fees to rail transit projects that will never carry more than 1 or two percent of urban travel.

In 1996, for example, Minneapolis-St. Paul planners decided that future "expansions of roadways will be very limited" in that region. "As traffic congestion builds," planners hoped, "alternative travel modes will become more attractive."

Since I-35-W is one of the most congested routes in the Twin Cities, proposals to replace and expand the bridge there would have been opposed by anti-

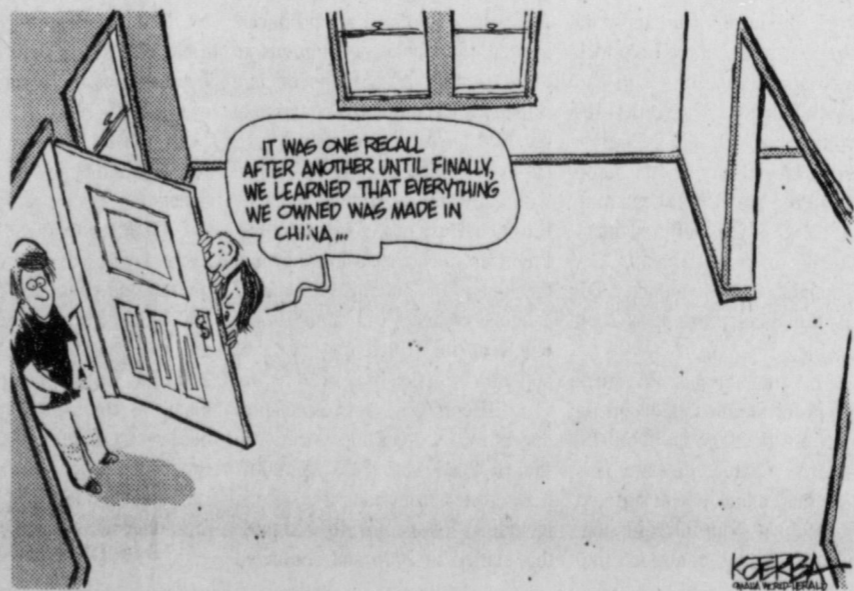
auto interests. Instead, they built a costly light-rail line that actually increased congestion on parallel highways.

Rail transit offers an illusion of being environmentally sound. But today's cars are as safe, clean, and energy efficient as any transit system in the country. If we need to reduce greenhouse gases, we will do it through new auto technologies, not by reducing our automobile.

As a matter of principle, infrastructure spending should be based on markets and user fees, not political whims and caprices. If users are not willing to pay the cost, we don't need the infrastructure. But when users will pay, government shouldn't prevent them from getting the facilities they need.

Local, state and national legislators who want to meet America's transportation needs should replace transportation planning laws that delay needed improvements with systems of user fees that ensure funding for the things we really need — like bridges that don't fall down.

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On May 25, 2007, President George W. Bush signed into law the "U.S. Troop Readiness, Veterans' Care, Katrina Recovery, and Iraq Accountability Appropriations Act, 2007" (2007 Act). The 2007 Act authorizes LCP, LIP and CDP. It also authorizes funding for the Emergency Forestry Conservation

Reserve Program (EFCRP), Emergency Conservation Program and Dairy Disaster Assistance Program III (DDAP-III). USDA recently announced sign-up for EFCRP and the distribution of funds to 18 states under ECP.

USDA will announce and conduct sign-up for DDAP-III as soon as possible. USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) is charged with administering the programs.

More information about LCP, LIP and CDP is available in a fact sheet titled, Agricultural Assistance Act of 2007, found on FSA's Web site, <http://www.fsa.usda.gov>; click on Disaster Assistance Programs. USDA is developing individual fact sheets about these programs that will be posted online.

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did away with the personal property tax," Hysinger told the board.

Dalton said he thinks that will be the case.

"I think they will (remember)," he said. "I would be willing to give something back to the school if they needed it."

Hedley School Superintendent Bryan Hill said his district considered doing away with personal property tax also, but that HISD could not afford to lose the net \$20,000 that would have resulted.

"I'm proud (Clarendon) did it," Hill said. "I'd love to do it, but we can't afford to lose the money when we have a declining average daily attendance."

Hill said the Hedley school needs the money generated by the personal property tax to help buy a new school bus this year, which is expected to cost \$25,000.

HISD is looking at a tax rate of \$1.065 for the coming year. Six and one-half cents of that is for the school's bond payment.



the lion's tale by roger estlack

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular Tuesday noon meeting September 4, with Boss Lion Richard Sheppard wielding the gavel.

We had 20 members and six guests - Roger Smith, guest of Lion David Smith; Matthew Carter, guest of Lion Jerry Woodard; prospective members Ashlee Estlack and Mike Word; and Rusty Kennedy and Tony Starnes, guests of the club.

The Lions Dove Hunt is this Friday and Saturday, and interested hunters are urged to call Lion Mark C. White at 874-2080 to sign up.

Clarendon College Coaches Rusty Kennedy and Tony Starnes were our program this week. Kennedy coaches the women's basketball team and is the athletic director. Coach Starnes heads up the men's basketball program and encourages everyone to get involved with the college players.

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Total precipitation this month: 0.00"
Total precipitation to date: 19.08"
Total precipitation in Sept. last year: 3.42"
Total YTD last year: 14.93"

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Did the Lord command it?

The above question needs to be asked before we do anything pertaining to worship or obedience to God.

(Leviticus 10:1-3) Then Nadab and Abihu, the sons of Aaron, each took his censer and put fire in it, put incense on it, and offered profane fire before the LORD. And Moses said to Aaron, "This is what the LORD spoke, saying: 'By those who come near Me I must be glorified.'" So Aaron held his peace. Let us notice a few things here.

Nadab and Abihu were punished even though they were worshipping God. They were worshipping God in an unauthorized manner. God doesn't accept every kind of worship, no matter how sincere. The scriptures indicate that they may have possibly been drinking (vs. 9-10). Whether they were drinking or not, they did not burn their incense in the way that God prescribed.

God told Moses in verse 3 that people who approach Him must regard Him as holy. Nadab and Abihu's offering a man-made method of worship condemned them by ignoring God's methods. Can we not see the application?

The New Testament or the New Covenant that we live under today gives us all things that pertain to life and godliness (2Peter 1:3). Anything we add to or take away from God's word puts us in jeopardy of eternal condemnation (Rev. 22:18-19). Let us all search the Bible for only what God authorizes for salvation, Christian living, and worship practices. Our eternal lives depend upon it.

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September 6
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Colts scrimmage Memphis
5:00 p.m. • Clarendon

Hedley JV v. Samnorwood JV
4:30 p.m. • Samnorwood

September 7
Brocos v. Bovina
7:30 p.m. • Bovina

Hedley Owls v. Samnorwood
7:30 p.m. • Samnorwood

September 9
St. Mary's Catholic Church Bar-B-Q
11 a.m. - 2 p.m. • Lion's Club

September 13
Clarendon Colts v. Wheeler
5 p.m. • Wheeler

Hedley Jr. High v. McLean
6 p.m. • McLean

September 14
Homecoming Broncos v. White Deer
7:30 p.m. • Clarendon

Hedley Owls v. McLean
7:30 p.m. • Hedley

September 22
Chuckwagon Cookoff • Saints' Roost
Museum

October 8
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Menus
September 10-14

Donley County Senior Citizens
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Wed: Mexican pile-on, rice, pinto beans, tossed salad, tropical apple crunch, chips & salsa
Thu: Chicken spaghetti, vegetable medley, peaches, jellp, garlic toast

Fri: Hot steak sandwich/gravy, french fries, green beans, waldorf salad, chocolate cake, toast

Hedley Senior Citizens

Mon: Chicken strips, gravy, mashed potatoes, Harvard beets, pea salad, apricot halves, biscuits

Tue: Ham, butter beans, fried okra, potato salad, baked apple, corn bread

Wed: Steak, gravy, mashed potato, buttered carrots, waldorf salad, muffin, roll

Thu: Meat loaf, macaroni and cheese, California blend vegetables, jello salad, lemon pudding, roll

Fri: Buffalo wings, baked beans, corn nuggets, cucumber/onion salad, cookies, hush puppies

Clarendon CISD

Breakfast
Mon.: Cereal, toast, pears, milk
Tue: Sausage, biscuit, gravy, peaches, milk

Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk
Thu: Eggs, toast, jelly, apricots, milk
Fri: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk

Lunch

Mon: Chicken sandwich, oven fries, salad, fruit mix, milk.
Tue: Corn dog, black eye peas, salad, peaches, milk.

Wed: Baked ham, potatoes, green beans, pineapple, roll, milk.
Thu: lasagna, salad, corn, pears, garlic bread, milk.

Fri: Pig in the blanket, baked beans, salad, strawberries, milk.

Hedley ISD

Breakfast
Mon: Toast, peanut butter, jelly, fruit, cereal, juice, milk.

Tue: Pancake on a stick, dry cereal, toast, jelly, juice, milk.
Wed: Ham, eggs, toast, butter, jelly, cereal, juice, milk.

Thu: Biscuit, gravy, sausage patties, butter, jelly, cereal, juice, milk.
Fri: Cinnamon rolls, cereal, peanut butter, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch

Mon: Salisbury steak, scalloped potatoes, peas, carrots, rolls, grapes, milk.
Tue: Subs, sun chips, lettuce, tomatoes, apples slices, juice, milk.

Wed: Chicken strips, mashed potatoes, cut green beans, diced peaches, rolls, milk.
Thu: Fish trips, tossed salad, fresh fruit, mac and cheese, hot rolls, milk.

Fri: Cheese burger, oven fries, lettuce, tomato, apple sauce, pudding, milk.

CC faculty edges Lady Bulldogs

Classes are in full swing this week at Clarendon College, and "Howdy Week" is officially behind us.

The faculty and staff took on the college softball team on Monday, September 3, in a wildly entertaining game. Russell Estlack made quite the slide. Dr. Auvenshine took a spill while heading from first to second, and other players had scrapes and cuts; but in the end, the faculty and staff came out on top with a score of 9-6.

It was fun to see the students in the crowd cheer for their teachers and administrators, and I think the softball girls were very good sports for playing.

Thanks to everyone who came out to play and watch the game. If you missed the match, you should definitely make plans to attend next year.

Casting begins on Monday,

September 10, for the fall main stage production "Let's Murder Marsha." Audition will be held at 3:30 p.m. on September 10 and September 11. The production will feature three men and four women. Show dates are set for November 16, 17, and 18. Check back soon for more details.

Students can choose between Bingo Night and Movie Night on Tuesday, September 11. Bingo Night will be held at the BAC for the students, and Movie Night will be held in the Fine Arts Center Auditorium at 7 p.m.

The volleyball team will be in Vernon this weekend for a tour-

namment and will have their home opener on Wednesday, August 12, at 7 p.m. against Western Texas College in the Dawg House. We want to pack the gym for this opener and invite everyone in the community to come out and cheer the Lady Bulldogs on.

Softball and baseball will have games on Saturday, September 15. The Lady Bulldogs will play in Vernon while the Bulldogs will play in Lubbock.

The Bulldog baseball team will play at home on Sunday, September 16, at 1 p.m. against Frank Phillips.

If you haven't yet registered for fall classes, you still have until September 10 to register or add/drop a class and take care of payment arrangements.

Anyone needing a schedule of the fall classes can visit our website at www.clarendoncollege.edu or pick one up on campus.



happenings on the hill
by ashlee estlack,
cc marketing coordinator

Sign-up underway for quilting project

By MaryRuth Bishop

Quilt Quest is coming. Quilt quest is for those who would like to learn to quilt, sew, or design quilts. Each Quilt Quest meeting will be lots of fun for everyone of any age or ability.

Here's how it works: Register for "Quilt Quest" by September 14th and pay the \$10 registration fee.

The first meeting is September 20 to be held at the Burton Memorial Library at 6:00 pm.

There are a few simple rules you must follow:

On September 20th you will receive a fabric kit and instructions for the first of 12 blocks to be completed throughout the year.

Thereafter on the 3rd Thursday of each month, you must bring your completed block from the previous month's kit.

You must personally attend the free 30-45 minute instruction to receive your next fabric kit free; there will be no exceptions and no late comers.

During the session you will receive a demonstration on constructing that month's block, as well as a demos/discussion on new and exciting products to help you with this or other projects, ideas for quick gifts, and more.

Your free fabric kits are only available during the Quilt Quest class. If you cannot attend, you may purchase the missing kit for \$5 and continue.

Each participant registered before and attending the first meeting will receive a "Skip one class Free" card which can be used to purchase a missing kit at any time during the year.

This year's quilt quest will have additional classes you can sign up for free of charge in the area of applique, how to set a quilt together, hand quilting, machine quilting, use of various fabrics, and design.

Invite your friends and neighbors for a fun time together. The fabrics for the quilt are available for viewing at the Extension Office. We will be using jeans/denim in this year's project.

If you have any questions, please contact MaryRuth at 874-2141.



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Aldermen to consider privatized trash service

Clarendon Aldermen will consider a proposal for privatizing the city's trash service after a presentation from Allied Waste last Tuesday night.

At the invitation of Alderman Tommy Hill, representatives for Allied Waste (formerly BFI) addressed the board and said many cities use their services as a way to save money and raise quality of service.

Ray Allen said his company could either pick up the city's Dumpsters as they are, implement a plan to replace those Dumpsters with new ones, or convert the city to a polycart system, in which the homeowners would be responsible for wheeling trash bins to the street on designated pick up days.

The advantage to the polycarts is that it helps eliminate illegal dumping in residential areas.

Allen also said Allied Waste charges cities in the area in a range from \$9.35 to \$13 per household. He said a rate for Clarendon would be based on the numbers of containers, pick ups, and commercial customers.

City Superintendent Jim Roberts said Clarendon had used BFI from 1985 to 1990 and that the rates

just went up every year. Allen said rates would increase based on different factors such as the cost of fuel.

Allied Waste will present several proposals to the city at a later date.

In other city business, Aldermen adopted an ad valorem tax rate of \$0.500289 per \$100 valuation. That's an increase in the tax rate from last year's \$0.49555, but the new rate will bring in about the same amount of revenue due to a drop in valuations.

The board approved a health insurance bid from First Care, which increased deductibles for city employees to \$1,000 per year but keeps the same benefits.

The board discussed the proposed city budget, and Alderman Janice Knorpp reviewed the city's contract with the Donley County Sheriff's Office for law enforcement and code enforcement. She said she feels like the terms of the contract are not being met. The board will discuss this item more at a future date.

The board met with Roberts and discussed several changes regarding city policies. Roberts reported that the seal coat project would start August 30.

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Obituaries

Simpson

Marilyn Jo Burkhalter Simpson, 60, died September 2, 2007, in Amarillo.

Services will be held today at 10:30 a.m. in the First United Methodist Church in Shamrock with Rev. Terry Lowe, pastor and Rev. Joe G. Jernigan, Calvary Christian Fellowship, officiating. Burial will be in Shamrock Cemetery.

Mrs. Simpson was born December 12, 1946, in Shamrock to N.J. and Ferrol Bradley Burkhalter. She had worked in Wheeler Co. as Chief Appraiser. She was a realtor, a teacher's aide and had lived in Clarendon since 2002. She married James Simpson, May 15, 1992.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Richard Darren Copeland of San Angelo and Trenton Derik Copeland of Chillicothe, Mo.; one daughter, Jayme Allison Leatherman of Fritch; two step-daughters, Lourena Kay Ellis of Ft. Worth and Donda Michelle Simpson of Clarendon; two sisters, Coralene Henderson of Clifton, Co. and Jaye Nell Schlegel of Shamrock; one brother, Donald Burkhalter of Plano; nine grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

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Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
US 287 E • 874-3156
Rev. Rob Seale
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sunday Service: 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 7 p.m.
Wednesday: 7 p.m.

Church of Christ
300 S. Carhart • 874-2495
Minister: Chris Moore
Sun. Bible Class: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

Church of Nazarene
209 S. Hawley • 874-2321
Pastor: Bill Hodges
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
Wednesday: 7 p.m.

Community Fellowship Church
12148 F.M. 2162 • 874-0963
Rev. Roger Smith
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sunday Service: 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.

First Christian Church
120 E. Third Street • 874-3212
Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.

Church of Christ
110 E. Second St.
Minister: Bright Newhouse
Sun. Bible Class: 10 a.m.
Sunday Service: 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

Howardwick

First Baptist Church
222 Sherwood Blvd. 874-3326
Reverend: Dave Stout
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sunday Service: 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
Wednesday: 6 p.m.

Martin

Martin Baptist Church
US 287 W • 874-2025
Pastor: Darrell Burton
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sunday Service: 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
Wednesday: 7 p.m.

Brice

Brice Deliverance Tabernacle
867-3029 or 867-2012
Pastor: Louis Bennett
Sun. Service: 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
Wednesday: 6 p.m.

First Assembly of God
4th St. & Hwy. 70 South
Pastor: Matthew Sidham
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Service: 10:40 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study: 7 p.m.

First Baptist Church
300 Bugbee Ave • 874-3833
Rev. Lance Wood
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Service: 10:55 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
Wednesday: 5:30 p.m. GA & Team Kid Ministry
6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study
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First Presbyterian Church
Fourth & Parks • 874-9269
Pastor: Rev. Robin Gantz
Fellowship: 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.

First United Methodist Church
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Pastor: Tom Garmon
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Sunday: 8:30, 10:50 a.m.

Clarendon Family Christian Center Church
511 E. 5th St.
Pastor: R.W. Ellerbrook
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m.

Hedley

First Methodist Church
200 N. Main St.
Pastor: Gary Boles
Sunday Service: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.

Old Paths Primitive Baptist Church
416 S. Kearney • 874-5374
Pastor: Lyman Little
Sunday Services: 10:30 a.m.

St. John The Baptist Episcopal Church
Rev. Jim Aveni
301 S. Parks St. • 874-2511
Sunday Service: 11 a.m.

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St. Stephens Baptist Church
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Pastor: Melvin Brooks
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sun. Service: 11:15 a.m.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. (weather permitting)

True Church of God in Christ
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Pastor: Jeff Riles
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sun. Service: 11:15 a.m.
Wednesday: 7 p.m.

Jesus Name Apostolic Church
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Rev. Calvin Burrow
Sunday Services: 3 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church
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The COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT is scheduled to vote on the tax rate that will result in that tax increase at a public meeting to be held on September 10, 2007, at 9:00 a.m. at the COMMISSIONERS' COURTROOM, DONLEY COUNTY COURTHOUSE, CLARENDON, TX.

Broncos open season by beating Boys Ranch

By Sandy Anderberg

It was the first road trip of the season, and the Broncos clearly dominated their opponent and earned their 1-0 season start. The Broncos racked up over 400 total yards, 280 of which came on the ground. Quarterback Nathan Gribble threw for 121 yards and one touchdown.

"We were very pleased with the win," head coach Gary Jack said. "It was good to get the 'W' in our first game." Several Broncos played well, according to Jack, and posted good numbers in their first outing. "Johnny Ballard played a great game for us," Jack said. "He had 12 tackles and one QB sack. He is really maturing into a good player."

Jack also praised the guys on both lines for making some keys blocks and great tackles.

"Stephen and Scott Fowler, Derrick Shelton, Danzel Wilson, and Tre Brown did a great job on the line," Jack said. "Derrick had five or six tackles and good blocks offensively. Dylan Wright recovered a fumble, and Glen Weatherton grabbed an interception for us. Kaleb Shadle

also had a good defensive game."

Alton Gaines returned a punt for 60 yards to put six on the board, Jack said.

"Mike and Chris Crump came into the game and played well for us," Jack said. "And TJ Brown caught the ball well and had over 100 yards with a touchdown."

Weatherton racked up 133 yards on the ground and two touchdowns, and Gaines contributed approximately 80 yards and two touchdowns as well. The other score came from a one-yard run from Mike Crump.

"It was just a solid game for us," Jack said. "They were huge, but we wore them down in the first half."

The Broncos will travel again next Friday night for the second time in a row as they travel to Bovina. The game will begin at 7:30 p.m.

There will be no junior high game Thursday, September 6, but the junior varsity will still play Memphis at home on the September 6 beginning at 5:00 p.m. The Colts will resume their schedule September 13 at Wheeler beginning at 5:00 p.m., and the JV game will follow.

Drugs in the News

Pain Reliever May Aid Heart Stenting

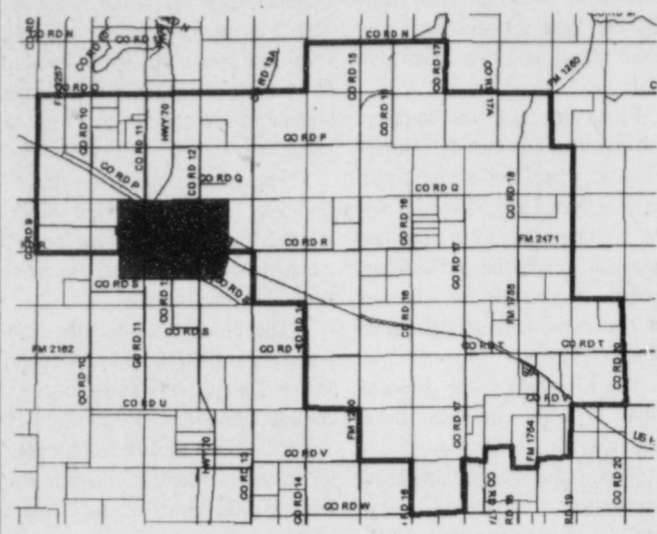
A popular prescription pain reliever is in the news. According to a study reported in a recent issue of the Medical Journal *The Lancet*, Celebrex (celecoxib) may be used in the future by heart specialists to aid in heart stenting procedures. Stents are small lattice-shaped, metal or plastic devices inserted into an artery or blood vessel. Drug-coated stents are designed to prevent arterial scarring and keep the blood vessel open. In a study of 274 individuals who had previously had drug releasing or drug-coated stents implanted, Celebrex (400 mg daily) taken for 6 months following the stenting procedure lowered the incidence of stenosis (reclosure) of heart blood vessels compared to those who did not receive Celebrex. Researchers added that further studies are needed to confirm these findings. Celebrex is a Cox-2 inhibitor type pain reliever and is the only drug in this pain reliever class. Some health experts suggest that the anti-inflammatory and antiproliferative effect from Celebrex may be the factor contributing to the beneficiary effect in persons with drug-coated stents.



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Santos wins men's game

By Sandy Anderberg

Mike Santos dominated the field of 14 players last Wednesday in the weekly men's game at the Clarendon Country Club.

Santos plays to a zero handicap and finished at eight under par. Larry Lincycumb, Dan Ashford, and Bill Spier tied for second with a 68. Dan Ashford (87) shot under his age with an 85.

Maxine McLaughlin and Susie Dale and Ruth Jackson and Sherol Johnston tied for first in the Blind Draw/Doubles on Thursday with a total net score of 133. McLaughlin shot a gross 89, and Dale turned in an 84. Johnston shot a 79, and Jackson finished with a 92.

Mary Ann Sawyer (93) and B.J. Johnson (114) were third with a 140, and Bonnie Crofford (101) and Wanda Nazworth (83) took fourth with a 145.

The team of Neil and Bobbie Conrad, Sherrie Mann, Dee Bighsel, and Bob Kelly won the nine-hole scramble after a putt-off to win the Friday night scramble at six under par. Jarad Lax, Michael Thompson, Quida Gage, Rex Morris, and Cody Watson were second at six under as well.

The Friday night scrambles begin at 6:00 p.m., and you may call the Pro Shop at 874-2166 to enter.

Owls open season against Lefors

By Tangela Copelin

The 2007 Hedley Owl football team began their official season Thursday, August 30, playing at Hedley Memorial Field against the Lefors Pirates.

The Owls kicked off to the Pirates, with the Pirates quickly scoring. The Owls retaliated with Senior Brandon Montgomery scoring. The Owls and Pirates played a first tough half with both teams playing tough defense that did not allow their opponents much opportunity to run the ball.

In the second quarter Senior Tyler Pepper intercepted the ball giving the Owls the opportunity to try passing the ball; but unfortunately Brandon Montgomery took some tough hits and had to be carried off the field due to some bruised ribs.

Coach Montgomery held the rest of his young team together for the remainder of the game using his young players alternately with the Owls being unable to score save one more time when Pepper connected to Danny Garcia for a TD and Isaias Ramirez running in the extra point. The Owls tried valiantly to hold off their opponents with Peter Howard having one interception, and R.J. Marshall blocking a PAT but to no avail. The Pirates won the game.

The Owls will play on Friday, September 7, against the Samnorwood Eagles in the Eagles' territory. Game time is 7:30.

Bronco Football

2007 Bronco Roster

1	Johnny Ballard	Jr.	5'9	170
2	Alton Gaines	Jr.	5'9	165
3	Aaron Gordon	Jr.	6'1	150
5	Stephino McCambell	So.	5'11	165
9	Nathan Gribble	Jr.	5'8	150
15	TJ Brown	Sr.	6'1	190
19	Jesus Hernandez	Jr.	5'9	130
25	Glenn Weatherton	So.	5'5	130
32	Brad Sanchez	Sr.	5'4	135
34	Kaleb Shadle	Sr.	6'2	185
50	Dylan Wright	So.	5'11	160
54	Chris Herndon	Sr.	5'10	195
55	Stephen Fowler	Sr.	5'10	220
56	Tre Brown	So.	5'10	240
60	Nick Tiedeman	So.	6'1	230
63	Scott Fowler	Sr.	5'10	240
73	Danzel Wilson	Jr.	6'3	280
75	Lae Tolbert	So.	5'10	200
77	Derrick Shelton	Jr.	6'4	225
80	Dustin Ford	Fr.	5'6	140
85	Nathan Judd	So.	5'9	140
88	Ryan Hill	So.	6'0	140

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- the value limitation agreements economic impact upon the school district
- and the proposed economic development projects impact upon the school district and local community
The meeting will take place on Monday, September 17, at 7:00 p.m. in the Functional Living Center Building located at the corner of 4th and Patrick Street, Clarendon, Texas. This

hearing will be combined with the regularly scheduled meeting of the local board of trustees. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.

NOTICE CLARENDON COLLEGE PROPOSED TAX RATE
Clarendon College will hold a meeting at 12:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 23, 2007, in the VIP Room of the Bairfield Activity Center, Clarendon College Campus, Clarendon, Texas to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for the year 2007. The proposed tax rate is .21930 per \$100 of value. The proposed tax rate would increase total taxes in Clarendon College District by 1.0795% over the effective tax rate.

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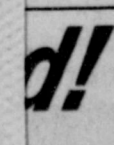
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Sheriff's Report: Calls of gunshots signal first two days of dove season

August 27, 2007
 9:41 a.m. - At Sheriff's Office
 9:48 p.m. - Check reported stranded motorist; Hwy 70 N. milepost 111

August 28, 2007
 9:04 a.m. - Out at residence 200 Blk. S. Hawley St.
 9:16 a.m. - 200 Blk. S. Goodnight St.; serve legal papers
 9:19 a.m. - Transport to municipal court
 10:00 a.m. - Out at 600 Blk. Jackson St.
 1:24 p.m. - 600 Blk. Jackson; attempt to obtain statement
 7:35 p.m. - Check reported fire Hwy 70 N. milepost 123

August 29, 2007
 9:38 a.m. - Vehicle accident Hwy 287 at S. Koogle St.
 9:53 a.m. - At municipal court
 11:38 a.m. - 600 Blk. Jackson St.
 2:04 p.m. - Out with semi blocking roadway at Hwy 287 between S. Koogle & S. Taylor St.
 4:03 p.m. - See complainant 400 Blk. S. Taylor St.

August 30, 2007
 6:36 a.m. - See complainant 700 Blk. S. Goodnight; loose dogs
 8:11 a.m. - Out 700 Blk. S. Goodnight St.
 8:53 a.m. - At courthouse
 11:22 a.m. - Co. Rd. 13; illegal dumping
 12:28 p.m. - Escort witness to Amarillo Airport
 3:25 p.m. - Clerk's Office

4:00 p.m. - One vehicle rollover; Hwy 287 E. of Hedley
 7:24 p.m. - See complainant; 1st St., Clarendon
 8:53 p.m. - EMS assist 400 Blk. W. 2nd St.

September 1, 2007
 7:57 a.m. - See caller Hwy 70 N.
 8:23 a.m. - Complaint of gunshots N. of town; Opening Day of Dove Season
 1:54 p.m. - Vehicle accident; parking lot Hwy 287 at S. Koogle St.
 4:23 p.m. - Check report of juveniles rollerblading on Hwy 287 E.

September 2, 2007
 12:35 a.m. - Report of fight in progress; Sandy Beach, Greenbelt Lake
 12:40 a.m. - To jail with 3 in custody
 7:32 a.m. - Reported gunshots N. of town; Dove Season Day 2
 12:48 p.m. - Standby Hwy 287 milepost 180 eastbound with DPS
 3:53 p.m. - Hwy 287 at Co. Rd. 3; conductor putting off trespasser
 5:53 p.m. - Had complaint of adult male not fully clothed; Howardwick
 5:53 p.m. - Stand by Howardwick entrance; children exchange
 6:19 p.m. - See caller 200 Blk. Montgomery St.
 7:00 p.m. - 2nd Location 200 Blk. Anderson St., Hedley

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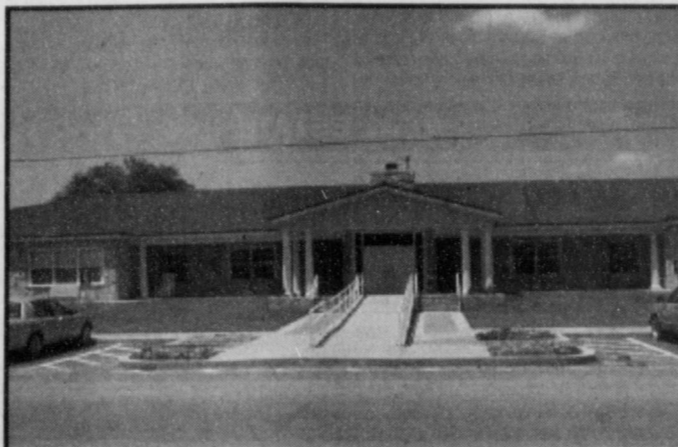
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The Donley Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 2008 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on September 11, 2007, at 7:00 p.m. at the office of the Donley Appraisal District at 307 S. Sully, Clarendon, Texas

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget.	\$218,975.
The total amount of increase from the current year's budget.	\$16,370
The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget.	3
The number of employees compensated under the current budget.	3

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, the proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities, and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district office.

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PUBLIC HEARING

SEPTEMBER 17, 2007
 6:30 p.m.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss HEDLEY ISD'S RATING on the state's financial accountability system.

{s} Bryan Hill, Superintendent
 Hedley CISD