Carrie and Candy at the Fair



Carrie Nasura and her "project" Candy take a break before entering the arena last Friday at the Cooke County Youth Fair. Candy was one of many swine shown at the annual event. See page 7 for related story and more Youth Fair pictures.

Dr. Knight does not seek re-election

By Janet Felderhoff
There will be at least one new face at the Muenster Hospital District Board table in May. Dr. Walter Knight confirmed at the Feb. 17 Board meeting that he has decided not to seek a third term on the Hospital District's Board of Directors. He has served on the Board since May 2003. The other two members, Kenny Klement and Ronnie Weinzapfel, with expiring terms have signed up seeking another three year term.

The Board voted to order an election on May 9 for three places, each for a three year term, on the Board of Directors. Sign up time is now until Monday, March 9 at 5 p.m. Applications for the Board positions may be picked up during business hours at the Administration office in the Hospital's south wing. Administrator/CEO Lynn Heller was appointed early voting judge. Early voting ballots can be cast from April 27 through May 1.

At the February Medical Staff meeting, Dr. James Stephen Jones was elected chief of staff.

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\$184,339. In January there were 285 patient days; 105 ER visits; 394 outpatient visits; 476

Clinic visits; and 727 Home Health visits.

In other business, the MMH Board:

• Approved application of Capital Improvement Grant to ORCA (Office of Rural)

• Community Affairs) for \$50,000 with \$5,000 match from MMH to be used for new beds, computers, and generator.

• Approved write off of Bad Debts totaling \$48,633.55.

City residents protest rezoning Pine Street property to a B2

Come see the new addition at Open House



The new classrooms, cafetorium, and entry (pictured above) of the latest addition to the Muenster ISD campus, will be open to the public on Tuesday, March 10, as part of the Public Schools Week celebration. The District's annual Open House will be held from 6:30 to 8 p.m. A community wide chili supper will be held in the new cafetorium from 5 to 7 p.m.

Janie Hartman photo

Report on Commissioners' Austin meeting

Submitted by Com. Gary Hollowell
On March 3, Commissioners Leon Klement and Gary Hollowell met with Rep. Hardcastle and Lewis Simmons, Sen. Estes 'chief of staff. They presented the Cooke County Commissioners' Court Resolution requesting they support the Court's position to create a single county GCD.
Both representatives were supportive, but both less than optimistic the bill would pass. Both shared their concerns based on their years of combined experience, conversations, and interaction with fellow legislators. There is strong opposition to create any additional single county GCD legislation.

Many of us had heard that the single county legislation wouldn't get out of the Natural Resource Committee, so Klement and Hollowell went by to follow up with Rep. Averitt, the Committee Chair. They learned from Tulsi Reddy, one of Rep. Averitt's in the William of the didn't have enough influence and authority to block the single county GCD legislation single handedly, but indeed the Committee Chair with several other committee the Committee Chair.

Tulsi stressed Averitt's opposition by See AUSTIN. pg. 5

County commits to TAC employee Program

By Janet Felderhoff
Cooke County employees
now have the opportunity
to enter a 10-week program
that offers benefits and a
healthier body. Texas Association of Counties (TAC) has
partnered with Cooke County
ty to offer employees the innovative wellness program
with the goal of reducing
health care costs by making
a healthier lifestyle a habit.
A report, Counting Costs
and Calories, released by
the State Comptroller's Office, shows that at least 50%

of health care expenditures
are lifestyle related and potentially preventable. Statistically, employers who
offer wellness programs see
in absenteeism,
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Jennifer Eberle, employees
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is funding the program.
Shannon Ing, Cooke
See COUNTY, pg. 4

for chromesoners Court approved a resolution supporting the TAC program at their regular meeting held Monday, Feb. 23. Eberle is serving as the program coordinator, which will start the first week of April. It will start with a kick-off brunch. TAC is funding the program.

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Truck to pick up waste paper, citizens urged to cooperate in drive for this vital war material. Obituary: Bertha (Mrs. AT.) Hoehn, 59. Herbert Meurer, F.A. Kathman, and C.J. Kaiser make business trip to Dallas. George Bayer has appendectomy. Wilfred Walterscheid joins staff at Magnolia Station. Wedding: Angeline Knabe and Cpl. Roy Shumaker.

50. YEARS AGO

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March 6, 1959
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known to require a change, they noted.

Councilman Greg Bohl reported on the last Commissioners Court meeting. He spoke to the Court offering Muenster's support of a single-county Groundwater Conservation District (GCD). The Court did vote 4-1 to seek a single-county GCD designation. Bohl urged the City to contact their Representatives in Austin to ask them to support the single-county GCD. He said that as of Monday, there was less than 10 days to take action since the Legislative Session ends then and will not meet again for two years. Rick Hardeastle and Craig Estes are the two to contact.

Curbing on Fourth Street from Mesquite Street to Magnolia Streets was discussed. Businesses are located in the Air Force. H.D married Betty Jo Thompson on Gress, 10, 1943 in Saint Jo. They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in They purchased the farm on FM163

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Obituaries H.D. Cook

Funeral Services for H.D.
Cook of Forestburg, were held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, March 3 at the First Baptist Church in Forestburg with C.E. Cole officiating, Burial followed in Hardy Cemetery. A visitation was held Monday evening at McCoy Funeral Home of Saint Jo. Mr. Cook died at the age of 87 on Sunday, March 1, 2009 at 2:40 a.m.

Born July 9, 1921 in Saint Joto Odus Russell and Vashti Wilson Cook, H.D. along with two sisters, was raised in the Forestburg area with the exception of the three years he spent in the Air Force, being stationed in California and in Shanghai, China. He was an aircraft mechanic while in the Air Force, H.D married Betty Jo Thompson on Sept. 10, 1943 in Saint Jo. They purchased the farm on FM1630 in 1954 where they had lived until her death in 1996. He continued living there until his death. H.D was a farmer most of his life and worked for other farms, dairy farms, and ranches throughout his life. In his early and mid-life, he was a person who was continually busy either doing his farm

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and ranch work or working for others. He really enjoyed working with his cattle.
H.D was nicknamed by Fischer's Market as Honey Bun Man because of his love for, and many purchases of honey buns. H.D was a man whose company was enjoyed by anyone who knew him. He was a good person with a wonderful and positive attitude.

Survivors include his sis-



H.D. Cook

ter Helen Ellzey and hus-band Dick of Forestburg; nephew Gaylon and wife Karol Thompson of Forest-burg; and several other nicc-es, nephews, cousins, and friends.

es, nephews, cousing, friends. Preceding him in death were his wife, parents, and sister Wilda Jones. Pallbearers were Paul Thompson, Charles Cook,

Dustin Hughes, Eric Ellzey, Ruben Daley, and Kyle

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be made to Hardy Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund, c/o Gaylon Thompson, 10272 FM 1630, Forestburg, TX 76239 or leave with McCoy Funeral Home.

Virginia Sibley

Virginia Anderson Sibley of Clayton, Louisiana died Feb. 19, 2009 in Houma, Louisiana Alongtime visitor to Muenster, she is the mother of Karen and Sam Endres of Gainesville, Rick and Neeva Sibley of Montrery Louisiana, and Susan and Alan Tompkins of Houma. Funeral services were held at the Clayton Baptist Church in Clayton, Sunday

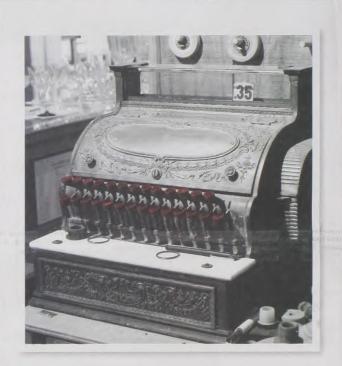
morning, Feb. 22. Mrs. Sibley was a founding member of the church in Clayton.

Grandchildren of Mrs.
Sibley, formerly of Muenster,
are Mark and Angie Eason of
Kaleigh, Allyssa, and Luke
of Lindsay; Jennie and Sam
Almerico, Rex and Noni of
The Woodlands; Becky Endres of Gainesville; and Jacob Endres of Gainesville.

Public meeting set by TxDOT

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will conduct public meetings to allow public input into the Unified Transportation Program (UTP) and the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) preparation process. A list will be provid-

ed of upcoming state projects selected in the UTP and TIP. Maps and drawings will be on display. A meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 11 at 1:30 p.m. at the Gainesville Area Office located at 2615 West Hwy 82 in Gainesville.



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Muenster Museum Open 1-4 p.m. Daylight savings time begins	VFW Mtg 7:30 p.m. Muenster 4-H Mtg - 6 p.m.	Muenster Public Library open 10 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. MISD Open House – 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. Community-wide Chili supper New Cafetorium - 5 – 7 p.m.	Muenster Public Library open 1:30 p.m 5:30 p.m. MISD Board Mtg -7:30 p.m. SH Alumni & Supporters Mtg 7:30 p.m SNAP Room Religious Ed Class - 7 p.m. 	Muenster Public Library open 10 a.m 6:30 p.m. Muenster Historical Mtg - 8 a.m Museum C of C Lunch Mtg - noon - Rohmer's Blood Drive 12-8p.m. MISD Gym	Muenster Museum Open 1-4 p.m. AARP Luncheon 11:30 a.m Stanford House	Muenster Public Library open 10:30 a.m 2:30 p.m.
Sunday, Mar. 15, 2009	Monday, Mar. 16, 2009	Tuesday, Mar. 17, 2009	Wednesday, Mar. 18, 2009	Thursday, Mar. 19, 2009	Friday, Mar. 20, 2009	Saturday, Mar. 21, 2009
Muenster Museum Open 1-4 p.m.		Muenster Public Library open 10 a.m 6:30 p.m. MMH Board Mtg 7p.m. Cooke Co. Seniors Spring Social, 4-6p.m. SH Comm. Ctr	Muenster Public Library open 1:30 p.m 5:30 p.m. No Religious Ed Class	Muenster Public Library open 10 a.m 6:30 p.m. St. Joseph's Day	Muenster Museum Open 1-4 p.m. Spring begins	Muenster Public Library open 10:30 a.m 2:30 p.m.

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Hennigan, Walterscheid wed in Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Megan Helena Hennigan and Casey Don Walterscheid were united in holy matrimony on Jan. 10, 2009 at two o'clock in the afternoon at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Muenster. The bride is the daughter of Mike and Janie Hennigan of Muenster, and the groom is the son of Terry and Dianne Walterscheid of Muenster. Grandparents of the bride are Pat and Alice Hennigan and Trudy Felderhoff, all of Muenster, and the late Vince Felderhoff. Grandparents of the groom are Willie and Queenie Walterscheid and



Mr. and Mrs. Casey Walterscheid ... 'nee Megan Hennigan ...

Mr. and Mrs. Cas ... 'nee Megan tory Gifts were the Godparents of the bride and groom, Tim Hennigan and Brenda Simpson along with Kim Walterscheid and Dr. Laura Pels. Serving as Eucharistic Ministers were Claude and Deb Klement, Tim and Kristi Schneider, and Vicki Scott, all family friends of the bride and groom's parents. Garrett Walterscheid and Claire Schneider, cousins of the groom, were altar servers. Natalie Walterscheid, Shelby Simpson, and Paige Hennigan handed out ceremony programs before the Mass. During the recessional, an Air Force Honor Guard from Sheppard Air Force Base in Wichita Falls presented an arch of swords at the end of the church aisle. The passage through the arch of swords by the bride and groom is a timeless military tradition that is meant to ensure the couple's safe transition into their new life together.

Escorted by her father and given in marriage by her parents, Megan wore a

sey Walterscheid
In Henrigan ...
strapless, ivory colored gown
designed by La Sposa. The
dress was an a-line, empire
waist silhouette with an
ivory satin ribbon under the
bust. The dress featured a
Chantilly lace overlay, and
had light Swarovski crystal,
pearl, and sequin accents
throughout. It also had a
sweep train that was French
bustled after the ceremony
for the reception. During
Mass, the bride wore an
ivory, chiffon bolero jacket
with cap sleeves. The ivory,
cathedral length tulle veil
worn by the bride during the
ceremony featured crystal
beads throughout. Megan
carried a bouquet containing
a variety of ivory flowers.
The bride wore two garters,
and both were special for
different reasons. One garter featured a purple TCU
design, and the other garter was a homemade gift to
the bride from the groom's
great-grandmother, Laverne
Homsley. It took care of the
bride's "something old" and
"something blue," as it was

made out of light blue lace from a slip Mrs. Homsley wore as a young woman Pearl earrings, which were a wedding gift from the groom, served as the bride's something new."

ATTENDANTS

The bridal party wore cocktail length, Anne Klein dresses from Nordstrom. The dresses featured subtle, vertical stripes of navy blue dupioni silk and sheer black organza, with a surplice neckline, spaghetti straps, and a wide sash. Black tulle lining created a full skirt for the dress. The bridesmaids also wore black, cap sleeved, cropped cardigans that had black beading and sequin detail on the front. Each critedsmaid carried a small bouquet of fuchsia hydrangeas and roses tied with anay blue ribbon.

Serving as Maid of Honor was Debra Sicking, friend of the bride. Bridesmaids included Michelle Hennigan, and Meredith Hennigan, sisters of the bride. Bridesmaids included Michelle Hennigan and Meredith Hennigan, sisters of the bride. Serving as Best Man was Doug Ferrata, friend of the groom. Groomsmen were Tyler Walterscheid, Jordan Malterscheid, and Lee Walterscheid, all brothers of the groom. Ushers included Scott McLaughlin, John Swint, and Kellen Vaughan, friends of the groom.

Ringer bearers were Dylan Huchton, cousin of the bride, and Carter Sicking, friend of the bride. The flower girls wore ivory, empire waist dupioni silk dresses with black organza sashes. They carried pomanders of fuchsia hydrangeas.

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Immediately following the creemony, a reception was given by the parents of the bride and Carter Sicking, friend of the bride. The flower girls wore ivory, empire waist dupioni silk dresses with black organza sashes. They carried pomanders of fuchsia hydrangeas.

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the engagement and approaching marriage of Debra Dangelmayr, aughter of Joe H. and Pam Dangelmayr, to Keith Dunlap, son of Iden and Mary Jo Dunlap, have been announced by parents of the ride-elect. The wedding will be held ton May 2, 2009 at 2 p.m. in Sarride-lect he wedding will be held ton May 2, 2009 at 2 p.m. in Sarride Heart Church of Mirenster, officiated by Father Ken Robinson, astor. The bride-elect is a 2000 graduate of Sacred Heart Catholic hool and 2003 graduate of the University of North Texas. The tuture-groom is a 2001 graduate of Cooper High School in Abilene da 2005 graduate of Texas A&M University. Both are employed y Liberty Mutual Insurance in Irving. MUENSTER PHARMACY

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Hold 'em benefit set

Ronnie Dieter, has recently been diagnosed with leukemia. The Lily Dieter Benefit Fund has been established at the First State Bank for donations.

The Hold 'em Tournament will take place at the Gun ad on page 4.

You are invited to give a gift from the heart

Texoma Regional Blood Center will be in Muenster on Thursday, March 12 from noon to 8 p.m. for a blood drive. The event is sponsored by the Muenster High Student Council and will be held in the foyer of the Muenster High School gymnasium.

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Ruff, Trachta marry in Plano

Amanda Ruff and Travis
Trachta of Plano, were married Aug. 23, 2008 at D'Vine
Wine of Plano. Amanda is
the daughter of Tammy and
Brian Rubarts and Greg and
Dottie Frye. Travis is the son
of Sue and Herbie Fisher of
Muenster and the late Tom
Trachta.

Bridesmaids were Britt
Doyle and Rachel Boswell,
friends of the bride, and
Kyleigh Anderson, niece
of the groom. Groomsmen
were Rick Wakely, friend
of the groom, Jeff Rouleau,
brother-in-law of the groom,

The rehearsal dinner,
hosted by Sue and Herbie
Fisher, was held at "Rafain"
in Dallas.

NTMC, Kiwanis sponsor **Blood Drive March 6**

The Texoma Regional Blood Center will be conducting a blood drive at North Texas Medical Center in Gainesville on Friday, March 6, from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The drive is sponsored by NTMC and the Gainesville Kiwanis Club. The public is invited to participate.

The Texoma Regional of the blood bank and supports it regularly with blood drives for its employees and the public.

For more information on the blood drive, contact Gaylar Blanton, director of Community Relations at NTMC, 40-612-8373, or any Gainestille Kiwanis Club member.

COUNTY



Mr. and Mrs. Travis Trachta

Community greets new MMH physician



Dr. James Stephen Jones, left, greets Sandy and Leon Fuhrman at a reception hosted by the Muenster Hospital Auxiliary an Muenster Memorial Hospital on Sunday, March I in Sacre Heart Community Center. More than 150 people came to mee MMH's newest physician. Guests were treated to fruit, cookies and punch or coffee.

New Arrivals

Sicking Lannifer and Cody Sicking Jennifer and Cody Sicking of Argyle joyfully announce the arrival of their son, Ben-jamin Lane Sicking on Tues-day, Jan. 27, 2009. Benjamin was born in Denton Presby-

terian Hospital at 2:35 p.m., weighing 8 lb. 1 oz. and measuring 20 inches in length. Welcoming him to the family are his brothers Jacob, age five, and Seth age one. Grandparents are Yvonne and Bob Ambrose and Kathy and Clifford Sicking, all of Muenster. Great-grandparents are Jake Schilling and Dorothy Swirczynski, both of Muenster, and Mary Sicking of Gainesville.



Myers
Luke and Stacie Myers are proud to announce the birth of their first child, Mason Lane Myers. Mason was born Sunday, Feb. 8, 2009 at 9:39 p.m. in Presbyterian Hospital of Denton, weighing 7 lb. 8 oz. and measuring 20 3/4 inches in length. Grandparents are Ronnie and Gay Sandmann of Lindsay, and Joe and Cindy Myers of Valley View. Great-grandparents are James Mollenkopf of Muenster, Raymond and Rosalie Sandmann of Lindsay, and Bob and Bobbie Johnson of Valley View.

Baptisms

Commissioners Court issued a proclamation encouraging everyone in the County to participate in preparing for severe weather.

In other business, Commissioners Court:

• Appointed Kathy McColly to the Cooke County Child Welfare Board, Place 4 (treasurer).

• Accepted resignation of Bernice Cason, Cooke County Child Welfare Board, Place 3.

Lily Dieter GUN RAFFLE & POKER BENEFIT Lily has recently been diagnosed with Leukemia. She is the 5 yr. old daughter of Laura and Ronnie Dieter of Lindsay.

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Gun Raffle Drawing for Ruger M77 .25-06

will be held after the tournament

The Lily Dieter Benefit Fund has been established at First State Bank for donations

Those 1,350 cases are only from the County Court and do not include those from the District Court. Net-Data sends out collection notices. Cases 61 days old would automatically download to Net-Data's system. A 30% charge is tacked on to the overdue fine to cover Net-Data's cost. Feb. 22-28 is Severe Weather Awareness Week.

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Rouleau

Rouleau

Braden Winters Rouleau, son of Jeff and Michelle Rouleau of Fort Worth, received the Sacrament of Baptism on Saturday, Feb. 7. Fr. John Hennessy, pastor of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Cathoic Church in Keller, officiated. Braden's Godparents are is aunt and uncle Danelle and Stan Rouleau of Carrollon. Braden wore the baptisnal gown worn by his father and big brother David. Also ttending were proud grandarents Pam and David Rousen Carrollon.



Bayer
Garrison Maverick Bayer,
son of Brandon and Holly
Harris-Bayer of Lindsay,
received the Sacrament of
Baptism on Sunday, Feb.
15, 2009 in Sacred Heart
Church of Muenster with
Rev. Ken Robinson officiating the ceremony. Maverick's
Godparents are his grandmother Rebecca Harris and
his uncle Michael Bayer.
Maverick's Godparents presented him with special
gifts to commemorate his
Baptism. Maverick wore an
embroidered white garment
given to him by his greatgrandparents Coy and Mary
Nell Mosley. Following the
ceremony, Maverick's parents honored him with a celebration held at The Center
Restaurant where his fam-

is the son of David and Myris Hesse who reside in Virginia Beach, Virginia. His father is in active duty in the Navy. His grandparents are Victor and Lu De La Cruz of Madison, Wisconsin, and Bernard and Agnes Hesse of Muenster His great-grandparents are the late James and Angeline Eckart. A baptismal breakfast was served at the home of Bernard and Agnes Hesse. Those attending were his parents, the paternal grandparents, Godparents, and Neil, Anne, Matt, Kaitlin, and Sam Hesse, Stephen, Janet, Sarah, Kyle, Nolan, and Connor Vogel. Adrian was born Oct. 1, 2008. He was baptized while here on Christmas vacation with his parents. ily gathered to enjoy lunch, a specialty dessert made by his great-grandmother Mary Nell Mosley, as well as the opening of gifts.

Maverick Bayer

Hesse
The Sacrament of Baptism for Adrian Louis Hesse took place on Sunday, Dec. 20, 2008 at Sacred Heart Church in Muenster. Fr. Ken Robinson officiated at the Baptism. Adrian's Godparents were his aunt Janet Vogel and uncle Ken Hesse, Adrian wore the baptismal gown made by his great-aunt Betty Simmel, and it was worn by his father and his aunts and uncles and many in the Eckart family. Adrian



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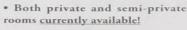
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Sacred Heart Youth Fair winners





enster FCCLA sponsored "Ready, Set, Read" during FCCLA ek to emphasize the importance of reading to young children. ndan Bindel, a senior and FCCLA member, read to kindergarten dents, from left, Timothy Luttmer, Debra Huchton, and Charley ssler. MISD photo

Valliere wins CCEC Youth Tour Contest

Chris Valliere, a Muenster High School junior, as won an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. by entering the Cooke County Electric Cooperative's Government-in-Action Youth Tour Contest. The essays were read and the five finalists were chosen on Feb. 19, with the interview portion of the contest being held at CCEC in Muenster on Sunday, March 1. Both events were judged by independent panels.



ous memorials, Smithsonian Museums, the National Cathedral, Arlington Cemetery and the Ford Theater, as well as other sights around Washington, DC.

Shelby Graham, a junior at Muenster High School, was the runner-up of the contest. She is the daughter of Dudley and Dora Graham of Muenster. Other finalists were Samantha Endres, daughter of Danny and Jan

Endres of Muenster; Jordanne Hellman, daughter of Damie and Deanna Hellman of Muenster; and Christina Wiese, daughter of Don and Kim Wiese of Gainesville.

Chris, Shelby, Samantha, and Jordanne are students at Muenster High School and their English teacher is Martha Koesler. Mrs. Koesler's classes have participated in the CCEC Government-In-Action Youth Tour Contest since inception. Other contest winners from Koelser's classes included Marlene Hess, Andrea Klement, Lauren Dangelmayr, Krystal Hale, Amber Fuhrmann, and Melissa Cox.

This is the 19th year Cooke County Electric Cooperative has sponsored the Youth Tour Contest. This contest is open to all juniors and seniors from local area schools who live in homes served by Cooke County Electric Cooperative.

Tyler Anderle captured the most "hearts" during Quiet Day of FCCLA Week. He is pictured with his giant cookie prize. Also pictured are, from left, Ashley Archer, Bianca Yelasquez, Jessica Luttmer, and Sara Walterscheid.

telling us during the last legislative session that two single county GCDs were formed within Rep. Averitts's own district, but both were created under the "Sunset Rule" which means they have two years to join another district or be subject to the state's discretion.

Rep. Hardcastle plans to support our efforts and sponsor Cooke County's legislation to form a single county GCD.

In addition, discussions are taking place between representatives of Cooke, Denton, and Collin to create a multi-county district as a fallback position to the single county GCD.

These discussions have been cordial and progress—

sive, allowing for more equal representation of the entities involved.

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Students observe National FCCLA Week .cont. from pg. 1

The Muenster Family, Career and Community Leaders of America celebrated National FCCLA Week from Monday, Feb. 9 to Friday, Feb. 13. The officers held a planning meeting to discuss the activities that would incorporate state and national programs.

Monday the 9th was "Ready Set, Read!" day which is a program that promotes literacy for young children and their families by emphasizing the importance of reading to children. Monday was also Pajama Day and everyone was allowed to wear comfortable PJs to school.

Tuesday the 10th was Occupation for a day, It was also Campus Clean-treffection Day, in the teacher workroom by the officers to show respect to the entire faculty for their hard work. Quiet Day is a traditional game designed by Muenster FCCLA. The girl members received a heart at 8 a.m. and had to keep from talking to any of the boys the heart. The boy with the most hearts at the end of the day received a giant decorated chocolate chip cookie. This year's winner was Tyler Anderle. The girls who kept their hearts received a treat bear to see the officers, seniors, and class presidents' luncheon was on Wednesday at their hearts received a treat bags. Treating the ABBA Traffic Safety Day. Members passed out Smarties candies to those students who wore their seat belt to school and Dum Dum suckers to those who didn't. An announcement was made to remind students to wear their seat belts, omit cell phone use when driving, stop behind buses unloading, and to slow down to 15 mph in the school

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eans, carrot sticks, appleauce, cheese sticks,

es, bread.

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sandwich w/trimmings, potato chips, fresh fruit, rice
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Tues. - Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, brown gravy, hot roll, strawberry applesauce.
Wed. - Chicken and dumplings, green beans, breadstick, peaches.
Thurs. - Cook's choice.
Fri. - No lunch served.
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Lindsay Honor Rolls

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9th Grade - Lucinda Krahl, Ianthin Huston, Megan Caillier, Iaroline Dieter.
8th Grade - Darryl Block, Cassidy Gum, Anna Rose Hamlton, Dylan Hughes, Jacob Kesler, Megan Schumacher.
7th Grade - Shea Garner, Savanna Hall, Matthew Huston, Cendall McLeod, Nicole Popp, Anna Rose Rohmer, Sabrina Stoffels, Elizabeth Zwinggl.
6th Grade - Jessica Laster, Elle Lurry, Camdon Maydew, Emily Otto.

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5th Grade - Caitlin Corcoran, Hannah Davis, Alexandria Harrell, Garrett Martin.
4th Grade - Jonathon Bell, Brenna Fleitman, John Michael Fuhrmann, Ashley Hedrick, Reece Holt, Zachary Hundt, Cohen Hunter, Logan King, Caden Maydew, Luke Metzler, Sarah Otto, Roshan Patel, Ashtyn Polk, John Rohmer, Austin Schully, Campbell Williams.
3rd Grade - Sarah Corcoran, Brandon Craigie, Kody Hermes, Luke Meece, Jenna Tharp.
2nd Grade - Sarah Corcoran, Brandon Craigie, Emily Davis, Alaina Dennison, James Dennison, Kirsten Dennison, Aaron Fleitman, Ashley Fleitman, Makenzie Fleitman, Justin Fuhrmann, Jacob Hellman, Olivia Hertel, Katelynn Huchton, Nathan Huston, Jillian Martin, Colby Metzler, Hannah Metzler, Maddie Myrick, Macie Neu, Skyler Neu, Kyle Ott, Merrick Parkhill, Kyle Popp, Forrest Russell, Raegan Schofield, Alex Sims, Trevor Sims, Karsyn Taylor, Theresa Wyrick, Kyle Zwinggi

"A-B" HONOR ROLL

12th Grade - Marcus Case,
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9th Grade - Katie Arendt, Taylor Atkins, DJ Buffington, Cassidy Clark, Drew Cooney, Kayla Davis, Dean Fleitman, Alie Fogle, Grant Gregory, Amelia Haverkamp, Lauren Hicks, Dawson Holt, Marti McNeill, Ranee Morrison, McKenzie Neu, Valerie Nystrom, Taylor Pelzel, Ashton Reynolds, Tyler Schofield, Taylor Stringfellow, Jace Wann, Stephanie Zwinggi.

8th Grade - Natasha Agarwal, Emily Ambuell, Trevor DeBord, Rachel Fuhrmann, Hud Harrison, Megan Holt, Tanner Kuhn, Stephen Marion, Katelyn Neu, Chisam Reiter, Brianne Sandmann, Taylor Strings, Emily Tamplin, Caylee Turner, Claire Williams.

7th Grade - Jalyn Anderle, Garrett Cooper, Lauren Gibbs, Madison Green, John Haverkamp, Suzanne Kaden, Travis Krahl, Dalton Metzler, Zachary Milnar, Chance O'Shel, Conner Polk, Caleb Rains, Philicia Vogel, Elizabeth Wallace.

6th Grade - Tara Atkins, Mathew Block, Sarah Dieter, Neal Fleitman, Jicole Fleitman, James Fuller, Kaliei Klement, Mark Krahl, Mason Morrow, Bailey Murrill, Mackenzie Myrick, Courtney Neu, Sydney Ott, Taryn Stringfellow.

5th Grade - Travis Almon, Matthew Burrus, Collin Clark, Paisley Cornett, Erin Early, Kaleigh Eason, Hunter Ellender, Leah Fuhrmann, Nate Hamilton, Jessica Metzler, Tylor Morris, Colton Rains, Jacob Reynolds, Alan Richards, Catlynn Schumacher, BreAnna Voglesong.

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4th Grade - Dawson Anderle, Lindsey Gibbs, Abby Haverkamp, Elizabeth Hellman, Kyle Hermes, Blake Hoepfner, Louis Krahl, Raye Ann Morgan, Molly Myrick, Yancey Otto, Kinzy Turbeville, Logan Wann, Laura Wyrick.

3rd Grade - Natalie Alcala, Mia Burrows, Nathan Dieter, Dawson Fogle, Gabrielle Hamilton, Kate Henley, Cameron Hughes, Caleb Inglish, Parker Jones, Alaina Klement, Hayley

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Dangelmayr vies for Miss Teen Texas

By Janet Felderhoff
Rashae Dangelmayr is nervous and excited as she prepares to compete in the Miss Teen Texas International 2009 and will represent this region at the competition to be held in San Antonio on March 22. The competition affords her the opportunity to compete for more than \$15,000 in cash and prizes and the chance to proceed to the Miss Teen International Competition in July.

Rashae lives in Muenster with her family. She is the daughter of Mike and Kerry Dangelmayr and Bennie and Mickey Haverkamp. She is a junior at Sacred Heart Catholic School.

Rashae credits her grandma Mickey with inspiring her to enter the Miss Teen competition. She asked Rashae to try it and so she did. Rashae recalled, "I just got a letter in the mail and she was the first person I called and told!"

To win the Miss Teen North Texas title, Rashae submitted the required information. She was asked to select a topic to speak on throughout the year and submitted that along with her application and a photo of herself. "Since this area is so small, they don't have a pageant," Rashae explained. Her chosen topic for talks is "Be true to yourself by showing integrity through morals and beliefs."

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Making a difference in yourself by showing integrity through morals and beliefs."

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pageant. assist with civic and A press release noted that profit oriented projects



Rashae Dangelma



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2009 Cooke County Youth Fair draws hundreds to Muenster

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day and Friday. The Show was open to all Cooke County 4-H, FFA, FCCLA, and Home Ec members, and included breeding and market poultry, sheep, cattle, goats, rabbits, and swine, and a wide variety of foods, clothing, art, metal, and wood projects.

The concluding auction began with the sale of champions. Grand champion sale prices included: goat, \$1,450; rabbit, \$350; broiler, \$1,050; food, \$425; clothing, \$900; wood shop, \$400.

Of projects shown this year, there were 475 entries in the Home Ec division, which included food, clothing, \$375; creative art, \$400; visual arts, \$275; metal shop, \$1,200; wood shop, \$1,050.

Sacred Heart, and Lindsay participants were as follows:
POULTRY BEEDING:
Grand, Kendall Evins, Red
River 4-H (RR4-H); Reserve,
Katie Cannon, Valley View 4-H
(VV4-H).
POULTRY MARKET:
Grand, Keilah Blakey, Valley
View FFA (VVFFA); Reserve,
Simon Williams, VVFFA, OTHERS: Amelia Wyrick, Lindsay
FFA (LFFA).
DAIRY CATTLE: Grand, AbeFuhrmann, MFFA; Reserve,
Whitney Taylor, RR4-H.
METAL SHOP: Grand, Quinton Rosson, MFFA; Reserve,
Haylee Andrew, VVFFA, OTHERS: MFFA, Jared Flusche, Andrew Koesler/Matt Bain, Quinton Rosson, Abe Fuhrmann;
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James Kelley, Benjamin Zim-

ily Copeland, Rachel Brewer/ James Kelley, Benjamin Zim-merer, Clayton Williams. WOOD SHOP: Grand, Ken-dra Walterscheid, MFFA; Re-serve, Quintin Boaz, VVFFA. DAIRY GOAT: Grand, Ryan Ramirez, RR4-H; Reserve, Joni Howard, VVFFA. MEAT GOATS - BREEDING: Grand, Shelby May, Callisburg FFA (CFFA): Reserve, Shelby

Grand, Shelby May, Callisburg FFA (CFFA); Reserve, Shelby May, CFFA, OTHERS: MFFA, Brandy Dangelmayr, Hannah Bayer Kendra Walterscheid

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BEEF - MARKET: Grand Steer, Dustin Rucks, VVFFA; Reserve, Aaron Fleitman, Era 4-H (E4-H), OTHERS: MFFA

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LFFA, Kayla Hess, Natalie Rose, Clayton Williams; L4-H, Campbell Williams. RABBITS - BREEDING: Grand, Cooper Alexander, VV4-H; Reserve, Elizabeth Shirley, VV4-H. RABBITS - MARKET: Grand, Benjamin Zimmerer, LFFA;

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my Abner.
SWINE - MARKET: Grand,
Morgan Reed, CFFA; Reserve,
Carson Norton, CFFA; Senior
Showmanship, Cole McAden,
MFFA; OTHERS: MFFA,
Trevor Hess, Sawyer Sanders,
Ashley Fleitman, Tony Schniederjan, Justin Ashley, Carrie
Nasura, Jimmy Abner; M4-H,
Eli Dangelmayr, Cody Dangelmayr, Darian Peters, LFFA,
Liz Martin.

gelmayr, Darian Peters; LFFA, Liz Martin. CLOTHING: Grand, Ste-phen Wallace, E4-H; Reserve, Lisa Miller, Sacred Heart (SH); OTHERS: SH, Lisa Miller, Eliz-abeth Marshall, Natalie Endres; Dangelmayr, Shelby Dan-yr, Olivia Haverkamp, Hellman, Lana Heers, Felderhoff, Andi Hess, Hennigan, Paige Morgan, n Pagel, Nicole Pagel,

Allison Pagei, Nicole Pagei, Rishi Patel, Landon Presnall, Chloe Schneider; M4-H, Tori Dyess.

CREATIVE ARTS: Grand, Darian Peters, M4-H; Reserve, Sam Wimmer, SH. OTHERS: MFCCLA, Cathy Aston, Briana Bindel, Logan Cheaney, Brandy Dangelmayr, Michelle Henscheid, Taylor Klement, Jilian Magee, Diana Velasquez, Garrett Walterscheid, Hannah Weger, Tori Wright, Noel Barnhill, Shaina Felderhoff, Lia Heers, Jessica Porter, Delana Rohmer, Leaha Smith, Natalie Valliere, Amanda Dangelmayr, Jackie Klement, Emily Stoffels, Tori Dyess, Paige Herr, Miranda Pagel, Lauren Rohmer, Sadie Stoffels, Brooke Walterscheid, Alley Trubenbach; M4-H, Mackenzie Mason; SH, Rebekah Hesse, Natalie Endres, Kirk Felderhoff, Brad Hennigan; LFCCLA, Anna Hogan, Matt Reed, Paisley Cornett, Erika Davis, Ashley Hedrick, VISUAL ARTS: Grand, Dawson Terry, VV4-H; Reserve, Amanda Dangelmayr, MFCCLA; OTHERS: SH, Amelia McBride, VICUAL ATCO.

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ers; M4-H, Mackenzie Mason, Tori Dyess, Tressa Jones, Dar-ian Peters; L4-H, John Price, Paisley Cornett, Erika Davis, Campbell Williams; LFCCLA, Kayla Hess, Matt Reed, Kristan Hoberer, Lucinda Krahl. FOOD: Grand, Lisa Miller, SH; Reserve, Elizabeth Mar-shall, SH; OTHERS: M4-H, Bailey Walterscheid, Tyler Walterscheid, Mackenzie Ma-son, Kathryn Davidson, Sara Davidson, MFCCLA, Winter Dittfurth, Toby Dyess, Devon Kubis, Jessica Lutturer, Bianca

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Lamb	No sale	\$1,200
Food	\$ 500	\$ 350
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SPORTS

Tigerettes fall to TAPPS Champs

The Tigerettes of Sacred Heart ended the 2008-09 basketball season last Friday night with a disappointing loss in the TAPPS 2A State Semi-Final round at Nolan Catholic High School in Fort Worth.

The final journey into the playoffs started with the Tigerettes winning District with an undefeated 6-0 record. Continuing with an 50-40 Bi-District win over Greenville Christian, the Tigerettes dominated the Lutheran Lady Mustangs of San Antonio 76-30 in Area. A close 45-41 Regional victory over Arbor Christian sent Sacred Heart to the State Final Four last weekend.

The Tigerettes faced the Texoma Christian sent Semi-Final game. Sacred Heart to the State Final Four last weekend. The Tigerettes faced the Texoma Christian Lady Eagles from Sherman in the Semi-Final game. Sacred Heart to Texoma last year in the final championship game. This year, the Lady Eagles took a State re-

only 15 defensive rebounds, but put up 71 shots. "Our points per possession percentage was much below our season average. When you put up 71 shots, you have a very limited number of turnovers and we had only nine for the game."

Samantha Wimmer ended the game with 24 points, six steals, and two assists. Kristin LeBrasseur added 6 points, pulled down six rebounds, and had two assists. Lisa Miller added 5, with Kalyssa Pollard, Karli Anderle, and Sydney Hoedebeck each scoring 2.

"I was very pleased with our effort. These girls had a great season (29-4) and we just fell a little short," added Coach LeBrasseur.

The Tigerettes lose three seniors - Samantha Wimmer, Lisa Miller, and Kalyssa Pollard. "I sure wanted them to bring home that gold ball. Our underclassmen will have some big shoes to fill next season."



Muenster Senior Lady Hornet Jenni Luke competed in the Regional Po earning a trip to the State Meet.

Luke and Hogan advance to State

Two local Class A power lifters have earned the right to advance to the State Power lift-ing Meet to be held March 21 in Corpus Christi.

Muenster Lady Hornet Senior Jenni Luke earned a repeat trip to State after compet-ing at the Region 6 Meet last Saturday at Leonard High School. She had a total lift of 625 pounds in her weight class, squatting for 260, a 135 bench press, and a 230 dead-lift. A 3A lift of 900 pounds took top honors.

Lindsay Lady Knight Danielle Hogan lifted 645 pounds at Regional to take 1st in her weight class and earn a trip to the State Meet. She bench pressed 120 pounds, deadlifted 255, and had a 270 squat.

Lady Hornet Alley Trubenbach also competed at the Regional Meet, but did not qualify for State. She had a total lift of 665 in her class. Alley squatted at 250, bench pressed a 145, and deadlifted 270 pounds. The heaviest total lift in the class was a Class 3A lift of 850 pounds.

Lady Hornets fall to Goldthwaite

The Muenster Lady Hornets traveled to Ablene last weekend to compete in the UII. Region 2 Class 1A Basketball Tournament. After the two days of competition, only four teams continued to the State final round. Muenster will not be one of those four.

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The Lady Hornets faced the Lady Eagles of Goldthwaite in the Regional Semi-Final round Friday at Abilene Christian University. Goldthwaite came out with a strong 1st period, taking an 11 point lead that Muenster could not close. The Lady Eagles handed the Lady Hornets a 65-51 loss. "They (Goldthwaite) played well, making seven 3s, while we missed 14 free throws," noted Muenster Coach Jason Atcheson. "We closed it to 7 points with 5 minutes in the 4th, had our chances, but couldn't do it. Goldthwaite played their best game - we didn't."

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Samantha Endres led the Muenster scorers with 20 points. Taylor Klement add-ed 14 and Shaina Felderhoff 10. Lana Heers hit 4, Lia Heers 3, and Allison Pagel

Samantha Endres led the Industry School basketball program with a Tournament," added Coach oints. Taylor Klement add-d 14 and Shaina Felderhoff of Lana Heers hit 4, Lia deers 3, and Allison Pagel

"This was a good seam. We over-achieved and thad a big accomplishment of the sum of the s



Muenster Coach Amy Binder and the Lady Hornets on the bench watched as Muenster's basketball so come to a close last week at the Regional Tournament.

Photo courtesy of Melvin Luke

Sacred Heart holds golf tournament Monday

Tigerette Sydney Hoedebeck (41) battles for a turnover in Sacred Heart's State playoff loss to Texoma Christian. Also pictured are Samantha Wimmer (10) and Karli Anderle (33). Courtesy photo

It was a cool, windy day Monday for the boys competition of the Sacred Heart Invitational Golf Meet held at Turtle Hill Golf Course. Tee-time was delayed due to frost. The Tigers of Sacred Heart pulled out a 2nd place finish with a team total of 373. Pilot Point won the tournament with a score of 354. Texoma Christian finished 3rd at 385. Miles Hertog of Turner, Oklahoma took the 1st place medal with a score of 77. Tiger Kevin Kulle finished in 6th with 82 and Kirk Felderhoff 9th at 93. Other team members and their scores were Ben Walterscheid 99, John Krawietz 99, and Austin Springer 101. Playing as individuals were Nick Popovich scoring 97, and Nick Tillman 115.

Lady Hornets softball report

Last weekend, the Muenster Lady Hornets were handed three losses - Krum 9-1, Alvord JV 10-1, and Argule JV 8-5 in tournament glay. Jadi Abner was named to the All-Tournament Team. Abner and Tori Wright were Muenster's leading hitters. Coach Jeremy Jenkins was the Lady Hornets leading batter.

Hole in one

James Brunson of Lindsay joined an elite club last week at Buncombe Creek Golf Course in Willis, Oklahoma when he landed a hole-in-one on a par three of the nine hole course.

Hole three at Buncombe Creek is a 141-yard drive and, according to course officials, Brunson landed the mark with a pitching wedge.

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All-District Lady Hornets - from left, back - Allison Pagel, Shaina Felderhoff, Coach Jason Atches Taylor Klement, Leaha Smith; front - Lana Heers, Lia Heers, Samantha Endres, Jackie Klement. Not p tured, Jenni Luke.

Girls 10-A All-District Basketball

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MVP - Sam Enders, Sr., M; Offensive
Player of the Year Taylor Klement, Soph., M;
Defensive Player of the
Year - Sidney Ashton, Jr.,
AC; Newcomer of the Year
- Cammi Neu, Jr., L; 6th Man
Award - Lana Heers, Fr., M;
and Kelsey Hise, Soph., W;
Coach of the Year - Jason
Atcheson, M.

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Coach of the Year - Jason
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1st Team: Myka McDonald, Sr., P; Whitney McCorkle, Sr., W; Rose Hermes,
Sr., L; Cheree Kiser, Soph.,
E; Samantha Schenk, Sr.,
AC; Morgan Willett, Jr., AC;
Shaina Felderhoff, Jr., M.
2nd Team: Jensen Williams, Jr., P; Courtney Widener, Sr., P; Nicole Hoff, Sr.,
W; Beverly Knabe, Sr., L;
Marissa Schreiber, Sr., W;
Kristin Martin, Jr., L; Shae
Knabe, Fr., E; Chyann Malone, Sr., AC; Lia Heers, Jr.,
M; Jenni Luke, Sr., M.

Honorable Mention:
Muenster - Leaha Smith,
Jr.; Allison Pagel, Fr.; Jackie

sica Block, Soph; Bethani Shaina Felderhoff; Lind-Eberhart, Soph.; Katie Dietsay - Beverly Knabe, Rose er, Jr.; Kaylee Murphree, Jr. Hermes, Elizabeth Martin, Academic All-District: Jessica Block, Cammi Neu. Muenster - Sam Endres, Jackie Klement, Amanda - Lindsay; E - Era; AC - Archer Dangelmayr, Lia Heers, City, W - Windthorst; P - Petro-Lana Heers, Taylor Klement,



Muenster - Leaha Smith, Lady Knights named to the All-District Basketball Team include, from left, front - Rose Hermes, Bethalder, Allison Pagel, Fr.; Jackie Eberhart, Jessica Block; back - Beverly Knabe, Katie Dieter, Kristin Martin, Liz Martin, Kaleigh Mur Klement, Jr.; Lindsay - Jesphree, and Cammi Neu.

Lindsay settles for 3rd at Alvord

softball team won five out of six games, scoring 65 to 9 runs, to take 3rd in the Alvord Tournament last week. After winning pool play on Friday over Jacksboro, Peaster, Alvord, and Muenster, Lindsay had to play Alvord again to make it to the championship round of the tournament, but came up short. They beat Jacksboro in the final game for 3rd place. In the tournament, the Lady Knights committed only eight errors and had 17 stolen bases.

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Lindsay 7 Jack.

In game one, Taylor Atkıns faced 16 batters, allowed 1 run, 2 hits, 2 walks, and had 5 strikeouts. Scoring for Lindsay were Megan Cail-Bathington, Jessicz Krahl had o strikeouts. Survive Lindsay were Megan Caillier, Alyx Ethington, Jessica Thurman, Lucinda Krahl, and Beverly Knabe. Knabe also had 5 POs.

Lindsay 13 Peaster 0

Ethington pitched to 11

Lindsay 13 Peaster 0
Ethington pitched to 11
batters in game 2, allowing
1 hit, 1 walk, and 2 strikeouts. Ethington also had 3
runs. Caillier, Knabe, and
Bethani Eberhart all added
2, while Rose Hermes, Kayla
Hess, Lucinda Krahl, and
Katie Dieter scored 1 apiece.
Ethington, Krahl, Hess,
and Hermes all hit triples,
while Caillier and Dieter got
doubles. Natalie Rose had 6
POs.

Lindsay 6 Alvord 1 Getting runs in game

and Ethington. Atkins faced 16 batters, allowing 1 run, 1 hit, 0 walks, and 5 strike-outs. Thurman, Dieter, and Atkins also got hits.

Lindsay 25 Muenster 0
Atkins faced only 7 bat-

Atkins faced only 7 batters in game 4, allowing only 1 hit. Hermes scored 4 runs, Eberhart, Knabe, and Caillier 3 each, and Ethington, Thurman, and Atkins 2

apiece.

Lindsay 4 Alvord 6
Twenty-three Lady Dogs
went up to bat against Lindsay pitcher Taylor Atkins,
who allowed 6 hits, 2 walks,
and 2 unearned runs, while

striking out 4. Hitting singles in the game were Hermes. Caillier, Atkins, Knabe, Krahl, and Ethington.
Lindsay 10 Jacksboro 0
The final game gave the Lady Knights a 3rd place finish in the tournament. Getting runs were Ethington, Atkins, Hess, Hermes, Caillier, and Rose. Dieter and Knabe also got hits. Atkins faced 14 batters, allowed 1 hit, struck out 6, and walked 0.

All-Tournament

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Rose Hermes and Megan
Caillier were selected to the
All-Tournament Team.

Lady Knights fall to Krum

Lindsay's softball team suffered a loss at home Monday night, coming up short on the scoreboard 7-6 against Krum. "We hit the ball well, we just had some costly errors late in the game," noted Coach Robin Hess.

Taylor Atkins faced 33 batters, allowed 6 hits, struck out 6, and walked 1. Atkins POs.

Collinsville Track Meet

Girls' Results

3200 Meter Run Hermes, L, 12:56 1600 Meter Run 1000 Meter Run
1) Hermes, L, 5:43,96.
800 Meter Run
1) Caillier, L, 2:34,16.
Hermes, L, 2:35.12.
Hess, L, 2:43.06.
200 Meter Dash
2) Eberhart, L, 28.26.
Koelzer, M, 29.25.
400 Meter Dash
2) Caillier, L, 1:01.10.
1200 Meter Relay

2) Caillier, L, 1:01.10 1600 Meter Relay 800 Meter Relay

3) Lindsay. (no times) 400 Meter Relay

400 Meter Relay
6) Lindsay, 56, 12.
100 Meter Hurdles
2) E. Martin, L, 17.38.
300 Meter Hurdles
3) E. Martin, L, 52.80.
Shot Put
5) Neu, L (B), 30'.5". 6)
Krahl, L (B), 29'10.5".
Long Jump
5) Arendt, L, 15'2".
High Jump
4) Martin, L, 4'10", 5) Dangelmayr, SH, 4'6".

Boys' Results

3200 Meter Run 2) Hesse, SH, 11:50. 5) Di-eter, L, 12:12. 1600 Meter Run 3) Dieter L, 5:12.56

3) Dieter, L, 5:12.56. **800 Meter Run** 2) Bartush, SH, 2:17.60. 3) Dieter, L, 2:19.06. **100 Meter Dash** 1) Arend, L 11.33. 3) Bartush, SH, 11.55.

1) Arend, L 11.33. 3) Bartush, SH, 11.55.

200 Meter Dash
2) Arend, L, 23.73. 4)
Krawietz, SH, 24.73.
1600 Meter Relay
4) Sacred Heart, 3:45.14.
Discus
6) Popovich, SH, 117'11".
Shot Put
2) Flusche, SH, 43'1".
Triple Jump
3) Krawietz, SH, 38'11.5"
Long Jump
3) Krawietz, SH, 20'1". 4)
Barnhill, SH, 19'1"
Pole Vault
5) Dieter, L, 9'6".

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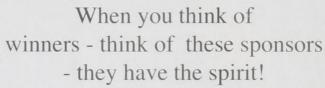
















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AgriLife Extension specialist: Don't wait too late to use prescribed burning as tool

more often with the simple goal of reducing hazardous five loads, he said. These heavy amounts of vegetation dry out and become a wild-fire hazard.

When utilizing prescribed burning as a tool to mitigate the negative effects of wildfire, landowners should not wait until the wildfire is bearing down upon them before they hastily begin removing the fuel load by burning blacklines and backfires, Cadenhead said.

It was well known following the massive wildfire of 1988 (around 360,000 acres burned in numerous counties), that if substantial acres had not already been burned in Shackelford County with prescribed fire during the few months leading up to that fateful March, many more acres, structures, livestock, and possibly human lives would have been lost, he said.

"Fortunately, the fuel load (grasses and other vegetation) had already been reduced through prescribed burning on various ranches across the county that the wildfire's advance was often impeded in just the nick of time." Cadenhead said.

The main objective of using prescribed set of conditions to accomplish certain goals for the landscape, he said.

This prescription and goals should be written down in a fire plan that is followed by the actual burn.

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varies according to the landowner's goals and objectives, but can be highly variable according to the type and makeup of the vegetation as well as topography of the landscape," Cadenhead said. An important and often overlooked goal should be to reduce the potential of a wildfire. Prescribed burning can and should be utilized more often with the simple goal of reducing hazardous fuel loads, he said. These heavy amounts of vegetation dry out and become a wildfire hazard.

"Whether you are burning for range management purposes or burning to reduce wildfire hazards, proper and advanced planning is required for safe and effective burns to occur," Cadenhead said.

He provided some tips for

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advanced planning and dollars.

— As the burn date nears, follow the fire plan in securing help and in notification of neighbors, emergency personnel such as local and county fire departments, county sheriffs offices, highway patrol, oil and gas lessees, grazing lessees, and hunters.

— "Obviously, if one is simply trying to reduce wildfire potential around a homestead or smaller home site adjacent to rural areas, you do not need the enormity of preparation required for burning rangeland and large landscapes,"

— Cadenhead said.

— Some potential problems

burning rangeland and large landscapes, Gadenhead said.

Some potential problems and safety tips that small landowners should consider, preferably before the vegetation begins to completely dry out, are:

— Contact neighbors in the subdivision, the local subdivision authorities, and local law enforcement authorities, secure the proper permission, and plan how to work cooperatively to reduce the wildfire hazards threatening the area.

— Examine all structures around the home and outbuildup. Grass is the main fuel for fire, but dried weeds can also burn. Closely shred or mow areas leading up to structures or to other fuel loads, and possibly consider plowing or burning some areas to make a fireguard. The taller the grass, the wider the fireguard needs to be. A rule of thumb is to make the fireguard approximately four to five times wider than the vegetation is tall.

— Avoid driving and parking equipment tand venicles in tall, dry grass. Move equipment and venicles in tall, dry grass. Move equipment on a safe area and/or closely mow the parking area or ranch roads. If needed, closely shred ditches along ranch roads and camping areas prior to hunter access.

— Watch for sparks from rocks when shredding or mowing. If needed, wet down rocks when shredding or mowing. If needed, wet down

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COUNTY AGENT REPORT

weeds in our lawn this summer; the big question is how to control them. Pre-emergent herbicides can work well for many weeds, and post-emergent herbicides work on others.

— Maintain adequate pasture fireguards, especially those along public roads.
— Be aware of county burn bans.
— Maintain spray equipment and keep the water tank full and sprayer ready for emergencies. Check for a good battery and full fuel tank.
— Be sure the 9-1-1 address is clearly visible from the road.
— Cadenhead said most rural fire departments are familiar with the concepts of prescribed burning. They had much rather see the smoke from a well-planned prescribed burn than be called out to extinguish a poorly planned 'controlled' burn that got out of control.

— Tet's be responsible citizens, 'he said. 'We must take the necessary time, do the proper planning, acquire the proper help and often permission, and then be willing to follow the 'prescription and proper conditions when we do burn.

— If the fire plan is designed and conducted correctly, then the chances of accomplishing a safe and effective burn are greatly enhanced, Cadenhead said. 'We owe it to our firefighters and to our neighbors."

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TDA market recap

For the week ending Feb. 28, feeder cattle price trends at Texas auctions were mixed, from \$4 lower to \$5 higher per hundredweight. Fed cattle prices were \$2 higher.

Corn and grain sorghum prices were higher as gains early in the week more than offset later declines.

As for futures markets, feeder cattle, finished cattle, corn, and lumber ended the week higher, while cotton and wheat were lower.

Little or no rain was recorded statewide. Topsoil moisture remains in mostly short to very short supply and in need of rain.

Corn and grain sorghum planting are underway in many areas. The wheat crop was reported to be in very poor to fair condition in most areas.

Grain prices impact entire livestock production cycle

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Catfish Fillets	4	BALL PARK REGULA
Breaded Catfish Nuggetsus.	_	Meat Frank
Jumbo Shrimp9-10 OZ.		GLACIER GOLD HAS
Colby Cheese	200	Potato Pati
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POTATO OR MACARONI Reser's Salads	\$ 19
Price's Pimento Spread	\$2 ⁵⁹
PRICE'S PIMENTO ZESTY Jalepeno Cheese Spr	
Peyton's Bologna	\$ 49
Ball Park Franks	\$299
Meat Franks	
Bar S Bacon	\$ 79
Potato Patties	\$ 79
OSCAR MAYER SELECT VARIETIES Maxed Out Lunchables 13.9	-15.75 OZ. 2 FOR 5

Fresh Produce

Avocado	s 3 \$ 1
0	for
FRESH TENDER	\$ 99
Asparagus	
FRESH	10¢
Green Cabbage.	LB.
Granny Smith A	pples19¢

D'Anjou Pears	LB. 99¢
Green Onions	2 \$
Cucumbers	
Plums	000
Yellow Onions	69¢
Green Beans	a \$3
Red Potatoes	2 .s. I

Dairy & Frozen Foods



FOR BOWN	1
Blue Bunny Novelties	EAM BAR \$499
Breakfast Bowls	8 0Z 2 FOR 4
Pot Pies	7 0Z 3 FOR 2
Patio Burritos	5 0Z. 5 FOR 2

ASSORTED Tombstone Pizzas



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REAM BAR \$499	Fish Sticks 24 0Z	299
2 \$4	Promise Spread15 OZ. 2	\$5
70Z 3 FOR 2	Can't Believe It's Not Butter 2 CT./7 OZ. OR 2	\$5 FOR 5
5 OZ. 5 FOR 2	Shurfine Yogurt 2 2 FOR	39¢