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Here we go again!!



Highway construction began both east and west of Muenster this week as crews started tearing out the new surface placed last fall on Hwy. 82. According to the Texas Department of Transportation, specifications were not correct in that the mix was not dense enough, or compacted properly. The delay on the contractor redoing the job was that the hot mix season ended with the cold weather. It was noted that the job is being done at no cost to the State or

Candidates still sought by entities' in May elections

By Janet Felderhoff

With only a week remaining to file as a candidate on the MISD School Board, City Council, and Hospital Board, all still need candidates. The deadline to file is at the close of business on Monday,

MISD positions up for election are Place 3 held by Ben Bindel and Place 4 held by Bert Walterscheid. As of Tuesday afternoon, only Doug Hermes had filed and he filed for Place 4. Anyone wishing to pick up an application to file as a MISD Board trustee may do so at the Administration office during regular business

Muenster City Council will have a new mayor since John Pagel's term ends in May and he announced at the February meeting that he will not seek re-election.

terms expiring. Only Flusche Becker, Mary Dangelmayr, had filed as of Tuesday af-ternoon. Anyone wishing to The sole candidates to file serve on the City Council may file at City Hall during regular business hours.

The Sole candidates to like the sole of those at-large positions is Jon Reed. Application packets are available at the

trict has three Board posi- during business hours.

Two aldermen, Jack Flusche tions up for election. They and Joey Anderson, have are currently held by Paul Muenster Hospital Dis- MMH Administration office

Having a hog of a time



Nathan Hacker was just one of hundreds of Cooke County participants in this year's Youth Fair held last week. See page 4 for more on the Show. **Mindy Arendt photo**

County considers adding vehicle for IT

By Janet Felderhoff

To efficiently get its work done, the Cooke County IT department requires reliable transportation to the various County offices and precinct barns. The vehicle must be such that it can transport computers and ladders. Currently, IT Director Dana Sons has access to an Explorer that is shared with the maintenance department. She said she can't depend on it because it is often in use when she needs it. She uses her personal vehicle, but can't carry ladders in it. She is reimbursed for

A possible solution would be to transfer a Trailblazer from the Sheriff's department to the IT department. The vehicle is slated to be

he like increasing the hudget. vehicle to the motor pool. Just since he's been in office, they have added four vehicles in support of facilities. Precinct #4 Commissioner Leon Klement wondered if the numbers would drop. it would be cheaper to pay mileage or to add another

County Judge John Roane noted that the problem is that she can't haul equipment with her vehicle. Pre-

Hollowell felt that the Ex- than we had through the plorer should be dedicated to the IT department.

It was also noted that one has major motor problems.

Following discussion, it was decided to take no acnext meeting. Judge Roane appointed Commissioners it and bring a recommenda-tion to the March meeting.

Following an executive session, the Court voted unanimously to approve a temporary position for the District Attorney's office effective immediately until March 30. This will provide sufficient office help while an employee is on leave and several trials are scheduled.

Al Smith felt they needed to against the need to instate a Right now, most yards are know more because it would burn ban. The KBDI (Keetch- starting to get some green in copier maintenance agree-Byram Drought Index) indi- them and any place that has ment with Dustin Office Mafor the year to add another cates that 230 is the average been grazed is starting to get and the low 106 with a high some green in them. There is of 384. This did not include still some high, old growth Sunday night's rain which out there and some native Fletcher noted was more along Hwy. 82 and north so tial is certainly manageable

> account the state of vegetation and we do still have there," observed Fletcher. ness." "Although, in my travels I've

cinct #1 Commissioner Gary seen quite a bit more green report for the County Jail. In winter. I think we are starting to enter that time."

According to Fletcher, fire of the maintenance vehicles activity over the past several weeks has been low. "The few we've had have been the result of careless burning," tion on the matter until the he said. "People who light brush piles in the morning when it is nice and damp Smith and Hollowell to study and calm and by afternoon the humidity goes down and the wind picks up and so we end up out there putting out their pastures. Those we've had have been easy to control. They've been able to get a handle on it pretty quick."
At this point Fletcher did

not recommend a burn ban. "I think it is an action that we use only when the conditions really do dictate or warrant uctioned. Cooke County Fire Mar- and we have the opportu-Precinct #3 Commissioner shall Ray Fletcher spoke nity for that disastrous fire. stuff, but I think the potenright now....People are paying attention and hopefully "KBDI does not take into being smart for the most part. Right now, people are being relatively responsible some dormant grasses out and taking care of their busi-

> Most people are calling when they plan to burn brush piles, etc. On high fire danger days, they are encouraged not to burn.

Fletcher accepted another appointment by the Court for a two-year term as Cooke County Fire Marshal. He said he has fulfilled all of the qualifications necessary for

gave the monthly population CR 281.

January, the average population was 32 from Wichita County, Denton three. Money paid by Wichita County in January was \$37,800 and Denton \$3,187.50.

 Approved Treasurer's Report for January showing cash on hand, money market accounts, and short-term investments of \$21,340,173,74.

• Approved bid spec for Cooke County Depository contract and advertising for bids. Bid specs are sent out to all local banks and any out-of-county bank that requests them. This is for a two-year contract.

• Appointed Judge Roane as the member of the Court to supervise the Cooke County Maintenance Department, replacing former Commissioner Steve Key.

• Approved renewal of

• Appointed Judge Roane as the P-3 representative for Cooke County.

Approved interlocal agreements with Lake Kiowa Volunteer Fire Department and with Rosston Volunteer Fire Department.

• Approved an interlocal agreement with TCOG for a communications planning

• Approved exemption from racial profiling report from Terry Gilbert, constable Pct. 1.

• Approved contracts with Woodbine Water Supply for the installation of a fresh water line on CR 263 and CR 262, and for installation of a fresh water line at the intersection of CR 123 and CR 194, and for the installa-Sheriff Mike Compton tion of a fresh water line on

Abigail's Arms gets \$190,000 from grant

In order to close gaps in Lindsay Police Department, services to victims of sexual City of Muenster Police Deassault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking, Abigail's Arms – Cooke County Family Crisis Center applied for funding to the U.S. Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women under the OVW Fiscal Year 2010 Rural Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence and Stalk-ing Assistance Program grant in order to establish, credential, and provide the services of a Sexual Assault Response Team (SART) and a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) programs in and for Cooke County.

Abigail's Arms – Cooke County Family Crisis Center made this application with 11 collaborative community partners. These partners include: City of Gainesville Police Department, City of

partment, City of Oak Ridge Police Department, City of Valley View Police Department, Cooke County Sheriff's Office, Cooke County District Attorney's Office, Cooke County Attorney's Office, North Central Texas College - School of Health Sciences, the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services – Cooke County Regional Office, and North Texas Medical Center.

This was a competitive application process beginning in February of 2010 and continued through the late fall of last year. Nationwide, there were 226 applications filed, with only 24 program applications funded. This grant has been awarded to Abigail's Arms for service in and to Cooke County and providing services to surrounding counties as needed and requested. Abigail's Arms is one of only three applications funded in the State of Texas under this process.

The specifics of this grant are as follows:

Total grant award of

\$190,000.00 over two years; • Provides funding for the purchase of all needed equipment for the SANE program and the forensic interview program - \$107,000 of the to-

tal budget; Provides for training expenses related to the collaborative partners, nurses, and other stakeholders;

 Provides salary support for a program coordinator;

 Provides for supplemental payments to nurses while they undergo training; Provides for the plan-

ning and credentialing of both the SART and SANE Permanently establish-

es these programs as part of

the victim services available in Cooke County. Currently, all victims of sexual assault from Cooke

County are transported out of county for SANE exams and See ABIGAIL, pg. 2

Lady Hornets return to Austin



The Muenster Lady Hornets celebrate their Regional victory over the Kerens Lady Cats last Saturday, and their return trip to the State Final Four Basketball Tournament. Muenster faced number one ranked Smyer Thursday morning in Austin. Deanna Hellman photo

Spring peeks out early



Census reveals facts on County

By Janet Felderhoff

Statistics from the U.S. Government's 2010 Census count has recently been released. A QuickFacts report on Cooke County revealed that the County's population rose 6.3% from 36,365 in 2000 to 38,650 in 2009. Of that number, 7.5% were under the age of five, 25.7% were under age 18, and 14.9% were 65 years old or older. Females were 50.4% of the population.

In 2009, the census shows that 93.5% of the County's population was white with white persons not Hispanic at 78.9%. Others races show the County to have 3.3% blacks, 1.3% American Indian and Alaskan native, 0.7% ment was 9.7%.

Asian, no native Hawaiians or other Pacific Islanders, 1.3% reported being two or more races, and 15.2% Hispanic or Latino origin. In 2008, 11.9% of Cooke

County's population was below the poverty line compared to 15.8% across Texas. The median household income in 2008 was reported at \$49,705 and across Texas \$50,049. Per capita money income in 1999 was \$17,889 in Cooke County and \$19,617 across Texas.

Private nonfarm establishments in 2008 showed to be 896 nd private nonfarm emploayment that year was 13,039. The percent of change from 2000 to 2008 in private nonfarm employ-

Falcon Lake has been the scene of several robberies and a U.S. citizen's murder, and DPS is again warning boaters to steer clear of the Mexican side of the lake. Cartel activity remains high "While drug cartel violence

is most severe in northern Mexico, it is prominent in other parts of the country as well," said DPS Director Steven C. McCraw. "Various crime problems also exist in many popular resort areas, such as Acapulco and Cancun, and crimes against U.S often go unpuncitizens

So far this year, an ICE agent was killed and another injured in a suspected ambush near San Luis Potosi Feb. 15. Two El Paso teens were gunned down Feb. 5 in Ciudad Juarez. In January, a Texas missionary was shot in the head when she and her husband ran an illegal road block in Nuevo Leon. In addition to U.S citi-

zens killed so far this year, preliminary figures show as many as 65 Americans were killed in Mexico in 2010. Kidnapping, sexual assault, robbery, and carjacking also are threats in parts of Mexico. Suspects have not been prosecuted in many of the Meanwhile, more than

30,000 Mexican citizens have died in drug-related violence since 2006, and the violence shows no signs of abating

"Drug violence has not discriminated - innocent bystanders and people who may have been in the wrong place at the wrong time are among the casualties. Underestimating the violence in Mexico would be a mistake for parents and students," said McCraw. "Our safety message is simple: avoid traveling to Mexico during Spring Break and stay alive.

DPS acknowledges that many travel to Mexico without incident, but the risks cannot be ignored. Travelers are encouraged to carefully research any planned trips.

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Travelers should always check the U.S. State Department website for the most upto-date information related to security issues in Mexico. (See http://travel.state.gov/ travel/cis_pa_tw/cis/cis_970. html or http://mexico.usembassy.gov/eng/eacs_MexicoSecurityUpdate.html.)

U.S. citizens living or traveling in Mexico are urged to register with the nearest U.S. Embassy or Consulate through their website at https://travelregistration. state.gov/ibrs/ui/.

The only people with whom you should try to get even are those who have helped ~ John E. Southard

DAYS GONE

65 YEARS AGO March 1, 1946

Membership in the Muenster Cooperative Hospital Association now numbers 120. J.M. Weinzapfel is appointed to the Rivers and Harbors Advisory Committee. Leo Haverkamp buys well cleaning rig. Wedding: Charles Reiter, Sr. and Mary Rosenthal. New Arrival: Billie Jean to the J.M. Barnetts. Endres Brothers (Gilbert and Urban) advertise "See Us For Tanks - Terraces - Channels, Roads Built & Graveled, Lots Leveled." 50 YEARS AGO

March 3, 1961

Cement grandstand replaces wooden seats at the City's baseball park. A recreation center for high school boys and girls of Muenster is in the making at 206 N.

Obituaries: Cecil Cain, 37; Mrs. C.J. (Cecilia) Berend, 48; P.J. Rollman, 70. New Arrivals: Eugene to Ferd and Gertie Luttmer; Leslie to Charles and Mary Neu. Gene Hartman passed his Master Barber's license exam; he is employed at College Barber Shop in Denton. More than 100 rosaries made by Mrs. H.S. Fuhrmann are sent to needy missions.

25 YEARS AGO Feb. 28, 1986

Fire damages Tony's Seed & Feed dock. Muenster Memorial Hospital welcomes Dr. Kozura and Dr. Nobles to its staff. Obituary: Margaret C. Hermes, 81. Wedding: Suzanne Forgey and Lawrence Hocevar. Marie Endres is new president of Garden

Free online training for 'healthy' watersheds Watershed site. There is no cost for the Steward program recently online training and no time

steward training course course materials. available online, according to program coordinators. If you are unable to at-

benefit from all of the inforour materials online," said Nikki Dictson, Texas AgriLife Extension Service program specialist and Texas Watershed Steward program coordinator. Dictson said the online

course can be found at http:// tws.tamu.edu/online-course. The course consists of five modules, a glossary of terms and acronyms, and additional information on water quality agencies and information sources.

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made its popular watershed limit for completing the

"Visitors can view the materials as a guest user or may enroll in the course to receive tend one of our many wa- a certificate of completion, tershed steward workshops which requires completing across the state, you can still all the course modules and a quick pre- and post-test," mation simply by viewing she said. "They'll also have access to all of the same information supplied in the face-to-face workshops hold around the state. Dictson said the training

gives participants the basic knowledge and tools they need to form a watershed action group, participate in watershed protection activities, and become more involved in protecting and enhancing their community water resources.

She added that all water-Those wishing to take the sheds in Texas are threatcourse can register on the ened by nonpoint sources of

and state water-resource management agencies have adopted a watershed-scale approach for managing water quality.

"One vital component of this approach involves engaging local stakeholders to become actively involved in planning and implementing water resource management and protection programs in their watershed," Dictson said. "The Texas Watershed Steward program was initiated to provide sciencebased, watershed education to help citizens identify and take action to address local water quality impairments."

She said the online watershed steward course currently may be viewed in Internet Explorer or Mozilla Firefox, and that course module sections can be viewed by clicking on the individual links found below each module.

For more information on Texas Watershed Steward program, visit http://tws. tamu.edu.

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forensic interviews. There is and service providers relittle or no cohesive plan for sults in potential re-victimcommunication among vari- ization, degradation and/ous agencies working with or loss of physical evidence, victims including, but not and wastes precious time, limited to, sharing informaas well as (and most importion on cases, staffing cases tantly) causes further emoin a comprehensive manner, tional trauma to the victim. or follow up with victims' This grant award will close post-adjudication. This lack these gaps and allow Cooke of resources for law enforce-County and Abigail's Arms ment, the judicial system, to more fully meet the needs victims' rights advocates, of victims of sexual violence.

Charles Stoffels dies

Charles Stoffels died Sunday, Feb. 27, 2011 at Renaissance Care Center. Mass of Christian Burial was held Wednesday March 2 in St. Peter's Centennial Hall in Lindsay. The complete obituary will be in next week's *Enterprise*.

If we had no winter, the spring would not be so pleasant: if we did not sometimes taste of adversity, prosperity would not be so welcome.

- Anne Bradstreet

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA **MEETING DATE - MARCH 7, 2011** The following is the Agenda for the regular meeting of

the Muenster City Council to be held at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall meeting room on Monday, March 7, 2011. Call meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Opening prayer.

Approve minutes of the regular meeting on February

Recognize visitors and invite them to attend the entire

Council meeting and to discuss their business. Consider any other business to come before the

Council. **OLD BUSINESS**

 Hold the Second Reading of the Resolution Authorizing the Muenster IDC to Borrow Funds for Water & Sewer System Improvements. Take action as needed. **NEW BUSINESS:** • Steve Gilland will give audit report on the last fiscal

 Discuss and possibly approve a Resolution for setting the criteria for establishing Tax Abatements in the City of Muenster.

• Set a date for a Public Hearing to discuss establishing a Reinvestment Zone and possible tax abatement. Consider and possibly approve terminating the contract

 Approve contract with Countywide Inspection Services for building inspections.

with Bureau Veritas for building inspections.

Discuss the City Fire Marshall Position, take action as

 Discuss and possibly take action on the Burning Policy within the City Limits.

 Receive status report on City projects and activities. Take any needed action.

• Review and act on monthly bills.

• Adjourn.

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Sunday, March 6, 2011 Monday, March 7, 2011 Tuesday, March 8, 2011 Wednesday, March 9, 2011 Thursday, March 10, 2011 Friday, March 11, 2011 Saturday, March 12, 2011 Muenster Museum open- 1-4 pm City Council mtg. 7:30 pm Library open 10am-6:30 pm Library open 1:30-5:30 Library open 10 am - 6:30 pm Muenster Museum Open 1-4 p.m Library open 10:30 am - 2:30 pm Hornet Band Booster Spaghetti MISD Open House 6:30-8 pm Kiwanis mtg. noon Center Muenster Museum open 1-4pm AARP member luncheon 11:30 am ASH WEDNESDAY Mass 7pm Lunch, 12:30, MISD cafatorium M. Historical Comm mtg. 8 am SH Alumni & Supp Mtg 8 pm Co-Ed V'ball M old gym 7:30 Public Schools Week Sunday, March 13, 2011 Monday, March 14, 2011 Tuesday, March 15, 2011 Wednesday, March 16, 2011 Thursday, March17, 2011 Friday, March 18, 2011 Saturday, March 19, 2011 VFW mtg. 8 pm Library open 10am-6:30 pm Library open 1:30 -5:30 pm Muenster Museum open 1-4 pm Muenster Museum open- 1-4 pm Muenster Museum open- 1-4pm Library open 10:30 am - 2:30 pm 4-H mtg. 3:30 pm, Ag Room Kiwanis mtg. noon, Center Daylight Savings time begins Library open 10 am - 6:30 pm Mass for Feast of St. Joseph 9 am MMH Aux mtg. 5:30 pm NO Religious Ed class KMB mtg. 6:45 pm Co-ed V.ball 7:30 MISD old gym **SCHOOL SPRING BREAK**

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Melvin and Lisa Schilling of Muenster announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Jessica Schilling to Cody Bartram of Iowa Park, son of Tim and Sandra Bartram. The couple chose to exchange wedding vows on Saturday, March 12 at 7 p.m. in Sacred Heart Catholic Church with Fr. Ken Robinson officiating. Miss Schilling is the granddaughter of Leonard and Joan Haverkamp of Muenster, the late Carl J. and Rosalie Schilling, and Don and Rosemary Jablonsky. She is a 2007 graduate of Sacred Heart Čatholic School and attended Midwestern State University and North Central Texas College. The future groom is the grandson of Clifford and Brenda Bartram. He graduated from Iowa Park High School in 2007.

Adelaide celebrates first!

Adelaide Bayer, daughter of Heath and Olivia Bayer of Muenster, celebrated her first birthday at her home on Feb. 20. The party had a barnyard theme. The cake was decorated by Adelaide's cow. Keeping with the barnyard theme, guests were served snacks that included rice crispy treats created to look like hay bales, cubes,

Those attending included Adelaide's parents; her siblings Isaiah, Erik, and Melanie; grandparents Clinton and Barbara Bayer and Rickey and Tracye Barthold; Godparents Jared and Leah dad to look like a Holstein Bayer; aunts and uncles Weldon and Loren Bayer, Lucas Bayer, and Barry and Brooke Barthold; and cousins Emily, Corbin, Ówen, Elijah, Katie, Clayton, Peyton, and Mad-

CASA announces Four Seasons raffle winner

After the initial date of CA-SA's 2011 "Justice is Served" dinner was rescheduled due to weather, the group was able to host the event on Friday, Feb. 18. The Gainesville Civic Center was filled with very important people gathered for a very good cause, abused and neglected children within the foster care system. Local judges and other professionals within the justice system acted as celebrity waiters in CASA's fifth annual "Justice is Served" dinner fundraiser.

A part of the event was the drawing for the Four Seasons resort raffled off by the orga-Lake Kiowa. The Four Sea- "Cowboys for CASA."

sons package included a two night stay at the resort with several options for things to do, including a guided tour of Cowboys Stadium, spa services, or golf.

The dinner raised more than \$13,000 dollars for the Agency whose mission is to provide volunteers to advocate for the best interests of abused and neglected children within the legal and foster care systems. CASA is a non-profit organization supported by the Cooke County United Way, Cooke County Commissioners Court, the City of Gainesville, other state and federal victim nization. Judge John Roane monies in addition to funds urday Nature Program at Hall, Jefferson Street en- to be present for the final unique story to tell. They



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Grewing, Combrink exchange vows Dr. Kelly Grewing became degrees in Chemistry and

the bride of Dr. Mark Combrink on Saturday, Oct. 23, 2010 at Vesica Piscis Wedding Chapel in Tulsa, Okla-

Kelly is the daughter of Wayne and Peggy Grewing of Muenster and a 2003 graduate of Muenster High

Mark is the son of Jerry and Linda Combrink of Durant, Oklahoma. He is a 1997 graduate of Boswell High School and 2002 gradhoma State University with is residing in Tahlequah.

Biology.

Both Kelly and Mark are 2009 graduates of Southwestern Oklahoma State University College of Phar-

Kelly is currently the pharmacy manager at Walgreens in Muskogee, Oklahoma, and Mark is a clinical pharmacist for Indian Health Services Cherokee Nation Hospital in Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

Following a honeymoon trip to Antigua, West Indies uate of Southeastern Ökla- in the Caribbean, the couple

Spaghetti lunch planned by Hornet Band Boosters

Muenster Hornet Band Boosters are planning a fundraiser for Sunday, March 6. They will serve a Spaghetti Lunch consisting of spaghetwith meat sauce, salad,

water, and dessert beginning at 12:30 p.m. in the Muen-ster ISD Cafetorium

Everyone is welcome. Tickets are \$5. Children under three eat free. Band students in grades

garlic bread, tea, lemonade,

6-12 will provide entertain-



Mr. and Mrs. Mark Combrink

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patients Legacy Training

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patient's life is an entire book executive director. "Each of for which we are privileged our patients have their own

Adelaide Bayer

Pageants on slate in Bowie

Girls ages zero to 18 are invited to participate in Baby, Youth, and Teen pageants in Bowie March 12. If interested, call Kim at 580-504-4306 or email kimmercedes@hot-

Arts Council plans musical fundraiser

Council fundraiser program "Art for the Heart" will be held Saturday, March 12 at the First State Bank Center for the Performing Arts at the Gainesville campus of North Central Texas College. It will start at 6:30 p.m. with refreshments and drinks in the lobby.

At 7:30 p.m., the concert begins with a short program with Butterfield Stage reflecting old radio and television shows. Another show by Butterfield is planned for the intermission. Gainesville Swing Or-

chestra will perform music of the "Rat Pack" and other selections. North Central Texas Chorale will perform songs reflecting the theme of

"Art for the Heart" fundraiser will showcase the many talents of the group.

The Cooke County Arts All members will partici- in Gainesville. Raffle tickets pate. There will be an art exhibition in the lobby by Gainesville Area Visual Arts. Garden decorations at the ends of the stage and in the lobby are provided by the Gainesville Council of Gar-

den Clubs. There will be a raffle of art pictures with winners announced that evening. Janet and Frank Morris donated a framed print of a painting with a calvary theme entitled "Two Indian Horses" by Bev Doolittle, 1985. G.A.V.A. artists donating pictures include Gerri Bauhaus Williams, a framed watercolor seascape; Oscar Gutierrez, an acrylic adobe southwest painting; and R. Littlefield Schafer, a framed watercolor

The pictures are on display at the First State Bank lobby

for the art pictures are available at First State Bank or at the event at a cost of \$1 each or six for \$5.

Admission is \$15 for adults, \$10 for seniors (60 and older), and \$10 for students. Tickets are available at the doors.

Arts Council President Janet Morris is host for the event. The Arts Council contributes to the community through many avenues: growth, awareness, beauty, learning, and creativity. The entertainment has a positive

The Arts Council has a 30-year plus history making numerous contributions to the area. First State Bank is sponsoring the fundraiser. Submitted by Linda

Lutkenhaus Coursey

Area Events

Second Saturday Nature Program

uge Road in Sherman. Dr. juice. Byron Clark, Southeastern Oklahoma State University, will present a program about bats on Saturday, March 12 at 10 a.m. in the AV Class-

The youth program for ages 6 to 12 years of age will be hands-on nature activities and crafts. Reservations are required.

For more information or to make reservations, call 903-786-2826.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

On Tuesday, March 8 from 5 to 7 p.m., St. Paul's Church

in Gainesville is sponsoring The public is invited to a pancake supper. The meal attend the free Second Sat- will be in St. Paul's Parish

do not deserve it.

drew the winning ticket raised locally in events such Hagerman National Wildlife trance, and will include pan-chapter. In the years I have have lived interesting lives belonging to Linda Ford of as "Justice is Served" and Refuge located at 6465 Ref-cakes, sausage, coffee, and been with Home Hospice – they have loved and been that has certainly proven to

Children need love, especially when they ~ Harold Hulbert

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loved and laughed and cried, and they each have much to The volunteers who par-

ticipate in Legacy go to the patient's home and encourage them to talk about those aspects of their life that they would want recorded in order that a tangible memory - a book or a tape - be created for their loved ones to have after they have died. If you are interested in

this volunteer opportunity, or if you need additional information, call the Home Hospice office (940) 665-9891 and speak with Kathi Kirby, volunteer coordinator.



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Local youths participate in Cooke County Youth Fair

With more than 500 projects entered in the 2011 Cooke County Youth Fair, only 148 were chosen to be sold at the Premium Sale last Friday afternoon.

Hundreds of youth, parents, and supporters converged last week at four different locations throughout the County for the annual Youth Fair and Premium Sale. The Fair opened Tuesday with the Equine Show held at NCTC.

On Wednesday, poultry and swine were shown at the Callisburg Ag Barn. Thursday began judging of shop, food, clothing, and art projects in the Knights of Columbus Hall in Muenster, with the sheep, lambs, and goats shown in the Muenster Ag Barn. Friday, rabbits and cattle were shown at the Valley View Ag Barn. On Saturday, the Sale of Champions was held at Valley View. Grand Champion prices

included: Rabbit \$1,000; Broiler \$,1000; Steer \$2,000, Swine \$2,000, Lamb \$900, Goat \$1,500, Metal Shop \$1,500, Food \$550, Clothing \$750, Creative Arts \$300, and Visual Arts \$600.

Reserve Champion prices were: Broilers \$800, Rabbit \$700, Steer \$1,500, Swine \$1,500, Lamb \$900, Metal Shop \$1,200, Wood Shop \$900, Food \$500, Clothing \$550, Creative Arts \$800, Visual Arts \$400.

Grand and Reserve Champions, along with Muenster and Lindsay participants were as follows:

EQUINE - Not available. VIŠUAL ARTS - Grand, Caitlin Beavers, Muenster FCCLA (MFCCLA); Reserve, Landon Terry, Valley View 4-H (VV4-H). OTH-MFCCLA, Collin Pagel, Aaron Davis, Kalyn Dangelmayr, BriAnna Bayer, Tori Dyess, Lana Heers, Brooke Hess, Demi Koelzer, Lauren Rohmer, Payton Sanders, Michelle Sicking, Sadie Stoffels, Rishi Patel, Brooke Walterscheid, Kendi Bayer, Paige Herr, Jessee Rosson, Alexis Trubenbach; Lindsay 4-H (L4-H), Ashley Hedrick, MacKenzie Fleitman, Tanner Corcoran, Nathan Dieter, Cassidy Grewing, Jocelyn Grewing, Travis Whitcraft, Alicia Hellinger, Carolyn Timmins, Kaylee Colwell; **Lindsay FCCLA** (LFCCLA), Shea Garner, Natasha Ágarwal, Emily Krahl, Savannah Stoffels, Weber, Dakota Butler, Megan Holt, Nikita Agarwal, Valerie Nystrom.

CLA (VVFCCLA); Reserve, Adrian Rohmer, MFCCLA. OTHERS: MFCCLA, Kevin Barnes, Hannah Bayer, Tori Dyess, Emily Hellman, Andi Hess, Rishi Patel, Landon Presnall, Kassie Dangelmayr, Lana Heers, Paige Herr, Erin Hess, Payton Sanders, Mikaela La-mar, Demi Koelzer, Chloe Schneider, Amber Walterscheid, Caroline Gressett, Sydney Huchton, Sadie Stoffels, Chance Herr, Shelby Dangelmayr, Brooke Walterscheid, Lauren Rohmer, Kalyn Dangelmayr; L4-H, Tanner Corcoran, Alicia Hellinger, Nathan Dieter, Ashley Hedrick, Campbell Williams, Elizabeth Hellman, Jake Hellman, Carolyn Timmins; LFCCLA, Valerie Nystrom, Brianne Sandmann, Philicia Vogel, Hannah Zimmerer, Kassidy Gum, McKenzie Neu, Savannah Stoffels, Rose Wyrick, Megan Holt, Amelia Wyrick.

CLOTHING -Grand, VV4-H; Lindsey Ritchey, Reserve, Taylor Ritchey, VV4-H. OTHERS: MFC-CLA, Michelle Sicking, Sadie Stoffels, Hannah Bayer, Kendi Bayer, Jeonglim Cho, Sydney Huchton, Jori Magee, Kalyn Dangelmayr, Andi Felderhoff, Paige Hennigan, Michelle Henscheid, Brooke Hess, Allison Pagel, Rishi Patel, Catlynn Schumacher, Llogan Cheaney; L4-H, Jocelyn Grewing, Ashley Hedrick, Laura Wyrick, Theresa Wyrick, Cassidy Grewing,

CREATIVE ARTS: Grand, Garren Fletcher, Red River 4-H (RR4-H); Reserve, Amelia Wyrick, LFCCLA. OTH-ERS: MFCCLA, Jeonglim Cho, Kendi Bayer, Erin Hess, Cathy Aston, Rishi Patel, Emily Hellman, Paige Herr, Andi Hess, Brooke Hess, Lauren Rohmer, Michelle Sicking, Amber Walterscheid, Brooke Walterscheid, Caitlin Beavers, Sadie Stoffels; LFCCLA, Amelia Wyrick, Rose Wyrick, Philicia Vogel; **L4-H**, Tanner Corcoran, Maggie Krahl, Carolyn Timmins, Kaylee Colwell, Ashley Hedrick, Makenzie Fleitman, Laura Wyrick, Theresa Wyrick.

POULTRY: BREEDING Grand, Kendall Evins, RR4-H; Reserve, Kyle Evins, RR4-H. MARKÉT - Grand, Keilah Blakey, Valley View FFA (VVFFÁ); Reserve, Lindsay Bullard, Callisburg FFA (CFFA). SHOWMAN-SHIP - Junior, Lauren Bierschenk, VVFFA; Senior, Caly Chase Hacker.

SWINE: BREEDING Grand, Jacob Harmon, CFFA; Reserve, Payton Ing, CFFA. MARKET - Grand, Madison Reed, CFFA; Reserve, Karley Rohrbough, CFFA. SHOW-MANSHIP - Junior, Riley Wilkerson, VVFFA; Senior, Cole McAden, Muenster FFA (MFFA). BREEDING OTH-ERS: MFFA, Nathan Hacker. LFFA, Drew Cooney. MARKET OTHERS: MFFÅ, Sawyer Sanders, Nathan Hacker, Steven Flusche, Traci Vogel, Cole Walterscheid, Justin Ashley, Scott Porter, Jordan Buddy, Carrie Nasura, Blayne Styles, Cole McAden, Tanner Silmon, Demi Koelzer, Trey Anderle, Kody Walterscheid, Morgan Flusche, Clayton Hess, Andrea Hess, Allie Walterscheid, Jared Endres; LFFA, Stetson Duke, Nathan Huston, Anna Hogan, Cassidy Clark, Ty Mauldin, Dawson Holt, Kyleigh Duke, Elijah Walker. LAMBS:

Grand, Zac Williams, VVFFA; Reserve, Amber Hess, Lindsay FFA (LFFA). MARKET - Grand, Lindsay Ritchey, VV4-H; Reserve, Taylor Ritchey, VV4-H. SHOWMANSHIP - Junior, Jacob Sprouse, L4-H; Senior, VV4-H. Lindsay Ritchey, MARKET OTHERS: MFFA, Allison Haubold, Blake Haubold; LFFA, Nicholas Dieter, Christina Mathis, Vanessa Hess, Amber Hess, Jacob Sprouse, Travis Block, Claire Williams, Cody Thurman, Kevin Conaway, Dakota Ellender, Dalton Metzler, Alicia Hellinger, Evan Anderle, Caleb Anderle; L4-H, Tanner Corcoran, Campbell

Williams, Alicia Hellinger. DAIRY GOATS: Grand, Amber Lane, VVFFA; Reserve, Amber Lane, VVFFA. OTHERS: MFFA, Dane Huchton, Kendra Walterscheid, Dean Walterscheid, Zach Klement, Blair Waneck, Billy Felderhoff.

GOATS: BREEDING Grand, Caroline Darbro, CFFA; Reserve, Julia Blankenau, VV4-H. MARKET Grand, Kendra Walterscheid, MFFA; Reserve, Ken-Walterscheid, MFFA. SHOWMANSHIP - Junior, Julia Blankenau, VV4-H; Senior, Jordan Hall, Gainesville FFA (GFFA). ÓTHERS: MFFA, James Dangelmayr, Curtis Haverkamp, Olivia Haverkamp, BriAnna Bayer, Abby Walterscheid, Sterling Walterscheid, Jared Dangelmayr, Savannah FOODS - Grand, Lexis Wilson, VVFFA. OTHERS: Hermes, Kyla Haverkamp, Carpenter, Valley View FC- L4-H, Rose Wyrick, Laura Darrell Hermes, Hannah

vis Dangelmayr, Tori Dyess, Dane Huchton, Natalie Dangelmayr, Zachary Klement, 4-H (E4-H); Reserve, Coo-Shelby Dangelmayr, Blair Waneck, Briana Klement, Kalyn Dangelmayr, Stephen Dangelmayr, Dean Walterscheid, Brooke Walterscheid, Kassie Dangelmayr; LFFA, Marti McNeill, Taylor McNeill; **L4-H**, Garrett Mor-

METAL SHOP: Grand, Colton Wilson, VVFFA; Reserve, Ben Zimmerer, LFFA. WOOD SHOP: Grand. Kendra Walterscheid, MFFA; Reserve, Hannah Bayer, MFFA. OTHERS: MFFA,

RABBITS: BREEDING -Grand, Ashley Downe, Era per Alexander, VVFFA. MARKET - Grand, Sydney Reynolds, VV4-H; Reserve, Laci Muller, E4-H. SHOW-MANSHIP - Junior, Hunter Ellender, LFFA; Senior, Meagan Fleming, Wood-bine 4-H (W4-H). OTHERS BREEDERS: Muenster **4-H** (**M4-H**), Darian Peters; **MFFA**, Carrie Nasura; LFFA, Benjamin Zimmerer. OTHERS MARKET RAB-BITS: MFFA, Audrey Taylor

Samantha Muller.

CATTLE: BREEDING Grand, Madison Perkins, CFFA; Reserve, Alex Harrell, LFFA. MARKET - Grand, Stacie Schumacher, Era FFA (EFFA); Reserve, Aaron Fleitman, ŔR4-H. ŚHOW-MANSHIP - Junior, Alex Harrell, LFFA; Senior, Cody Perkins, CFFA. OTHERS HEIFERS: **MFFA**, Sawyer Sanders; LFFA, Alex Harrell, Katelyn Weber. OTH-ERS MARKET STEERS: MFFA, Sawyer Sanders; LFFA, Ben Haverkamp, Jeff Hellman, Alexandria Har-

NCTC singers, jazz band take stage for "Sounds" concert

Saavedra, Traci Vogel, Jus-

ten Ashley, Carrie Nasura,

The timeless music from America's big band era will be the theme of this year's annual "Sounds of NCTC" concert on March 4 at North Central Texas College.

Sponsored by the NCTC Music Department, the concert program will begin at 7:30 p.m. on the main stage of the First State Bank Center for the Performing Arts on the NCTC Gainesville

Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for youth, high school age and younger, and NCTC students may attend at no charge by showing their student ID. Tickets may be purchased at the door. All proceeds benefit the NCTC Music Department Scholarship Fund.

In the spotlight will be both the NCTC Singers, directed by Dr. Mike Linder, and the NCTC Jazz Band. directed by Marty Kobuck.

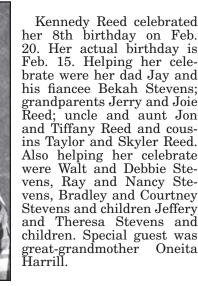
"Musical styles come and go, some never to be revived," said Dr. Linder, "but this wonderful big band era music seems to attract a whole new audience of enthusiastic fans with every new generation. Its appeal

truly is timeless."
The NCTC Singers will be performing some of the era's favorite vocal jazz se-lections including "Trickle, Trickle," "Birdland," "Don't Get Around Much Anymore," "Harlem Nocturne," "Step-pin' Out With my Baby," Java Jive," and "Once Upon a Time."

'Sounds of NCTC' tradition with our Singers to do reviews based on Broadway musicals," Dr. Linder said, but doing a program of all these great big band jazz vocals seemed to be a natural fit for a program also featuring our great Jazz Band. A combo of Jazz Band members will accompany the Singers on several numbers."

Kennedy turns eight!





"cool" IIth birthday **Dominic** has

Dominic Xavier Nervo celebrated his 11th birthday on Donna Nervo of Arlington.

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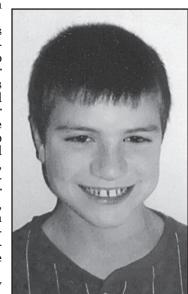
est and passion for wildlife, he was fittingly the perfect guide. A blizzard theme was in progress, as evidenced by hanging snowflakes from the ceiling and snowflake confetti in shades of blue, silver, and white on the main

Even the white cake was covered with white crystalline sugar snow. A cake igloo was situated on one corner with Eskimos and red sleds nearby. A blue sugar pond was on the opposite corner with fish in it. Miniature Arctic animals were on top of the cake which included reindeer, wolves, polar bears, penguins, and a walrus sitting on top of a vanilla wafer rock. A blue banner stating, "Chill Out on Dominic's 11th Birthday" was hanging behind the main table. Snowflake balloons added to the winter decor.

Guests enjoyed a rosemary chicken lunch, followed by cake and ice cream. Children

playing outdoor games in the cool weather.

Special guests included Rachel Hennigan, maternal grandmother of Muenster, older brother Alexander, and younger brother Zachary.



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from left, Payton Sanders, Alley Trubenbach, Tori Dyess, and Demi Koelzer. MISD photo

Muenster HS and NCTC to host **College Financial Aid Workshop**

North Central Texas College will be Monday, March 7 from 6-8 p.m. in the MHS Computer Lah for high selections of the mark of the m puter Lab for high school seniors and their parents. The second night available will be Wednesday, March 9 also from 6-8 p.m.

Parents of seniors and also those with current college students are welcome to attend. Michelle Winters and others from NCTC Financial Aid Office will be

on financial aid, grants, and plication for Federal Student Aid) will be available on-line for parents to submit.

Parents of 2011 seniors are encouraged to complete income tax returns as early as possible, although information can be estimated from the 2009 returns. Financial aid offices at all colleges and universities suggest completing the FAFSA early allows for a better chance in obtaining financial assistance.

Many parents and students hesitate to even apply because they do not think they will qualify for financial aid. The problem with that is, even if you do not qualify for a PELL Grant, you must

present to assist. NCTC will have the FAFSA form sent in have the latest information to qualify for other student assistance, such as stateaided grants, work-study programs, student loans, scholarships, and other opportunities for attending college. Many times there are special circumstances in a family that do not show up on a financial aid report that colleges will honor; such as changes in the family income during the year, illness, disability, job displacement, and other issues. The FAFSA is now simpler to fill out due to the on-line version and is well worth the time and ef-

What can take hours to complete on your own can be completed in a very short amount of time with the assistance of the NCTC staff! Bring your completed tax return and get completely CONFIDENTIAL assistance that evening. For further assistance and information on financial aid, call Kristi Schneider at 759-2282, ext. 602.

Mayor Pagel encouraged Back in the old days, it was the student rather than the teacher who had to why they explain

Cy N. Peace

Lindsay ISD Honor Roll

4th six weeks
12th Grade - Chris Klement, Christina Mathis, Allison Met-zler, Carol Ann Dickerson, Amelia Wyrick, Jordan Lane.

11th Grade - Lucinda Krahl. 10th Grade - Megan Schumach-er, Kassidy Gum, Natasha Agarwal, Darryl Block, Chisam Reiter, Shannah Daymude, Jay Porter.

9th Grade - Shea Garner, Madi-

son Green, Kendall McLeod, Sabrina Stoffels 8th Grade - Lyndon Cook, Sarah

Dieter, Jessica Martin, Camdon Maydew, Emily Otto. 7th Grade - Caitlin Corcoran,

Paisley Cornett, Hannah Davis, Kaleigh Eason. 6th Grade - Cole Barnes, Lo-

gan Cook, Brenna Fleitman, John Michael Fuhrmann, Bob Gomulak, Abby Haverkamp, Elizabeth Hellman, Zach Hundt, Cohen Hunter, Caden Maydew, Luke Metzler, Sarah Otto, Roshan Patel, John Ro-

5th Grade - Sarah Corcoran, Brandon Craigie, Dawson Fogle, Cameron Worth.

4th Grade - Brianna Craigie, Emily Davis, Alaina Dennison, James Dennison, Ashley Fleitman, Makenzie Fleitman, Jacob Hell-man, Hannah Metzler, Macie Neu, Merrick Parkhill, Kyle Popp, Trevor

Sims, Karsyn Taylor. **3rd Grade** - Elizabeth Bradshaw, Kaylee Colwell, Kloe Copeland, John Gomulak, Cade Hellman, Matthew Hellman, Kade Hermes, Mia Hweidi, Kate Jones, Maggie Krahl, Logan Martin, Payton Örr, Kaitlyn Popp, Terah Skipworth,

2nd Grade - Gage Bezner, Lauren Colwell, Tyler Cook, Braxton Craigie, Lily Dieter, Nash Dieter, Kylee Fleitman, George Gomulak, Allison Hedrick, Mackenzie Hess, Parker Hillis, Avery Hughes, Alexandria Hunter, Marshall Jones, Shelby Lawson, Brooke Martinson, Mya Meece, Rachel Metzler, Macey Ott, Derek Parsons, Jack Popp, An-drew Schully, Tyler Yancey, Damian

1st Grade - Emalyn Beverage, Kaden Bullock, Alexis Butcher, Chad Corbell, Jacob Dulock, Anna Fleitman, Loren Freeman, Molly Fuhrmann, Stephen Fuhrmann, Andrew Goldsmith, Shelby Grewing, Tyler Grewing, Natalie Hell-man, Makenna Hermes, Victoria Martinson, Sofia McFadden, Jesse Medina, Kirten Patel, Colton Popp, Jessalyn Reiter, Madison Reiter, erah Škipworth, Henry Thurman,

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Taylor McNeill, Katie Nortman, Madison Parkhill, Thomas Rohmer, Jason Schumacher, Travis Skinner, Katie Weber, Sean Willard. 11th Grade - Taylor Atkins, Me-

gan Caillier, Cassidy Clark, Drew Cooney, Erin Copeland, Kayla Da-vis, Caroline Dieter, Dean Fleitman, Jordan Fleitman, Alie Fogle, Connor Fuhrmann, Alicia Hellinger, Mandy Hess, Lauren Hicks, Dawson Holt, McNeill, Ranee Morrison, McKenzie Neu, Valerie Nystrom, Ashton Reynolds, Taylor Stringfellow, Jace Wann, Hannah Zimmerer, Stephanie Zwinggi.

10th Grade - Emily Ambuehl, Chris Bell, Travis Block, Trevor DeBord, John Eastman, Bryan Harrison, Cade Hess, Megan Holt, Dylan Hughes, Jacob Kessler, Em-Dylan Hughes, Jacob Ressier, Emily Krahl, Tanner Kuhn, Katherine Lewis, Stephen Marion, Katelyn Neu, Neely Rose, Nick Rose, Brianne Sandmann, Taylor Springs, Emily Tamplin, Cody Thurman, Makaylie Ward, Claire Williams, Rose Wurick

9th Grade - Jalyn Anderle, Jessica Burns, Lexi Carson, Briley Fleitman, Lauren Gibbs, Savannah Hall, John Haverkamp, Matthew Huston, Travis Krahl, Ty Mauldin, Zachary Mlinar, Chance O'Shel, Conner Polk, Nicole Popp, Anna Rose Rohmer, Philicia Vogel, Elizabeth Wallace, Elizabeth Zwinggi.

8th Grade - Caleb Anderle,
Tara Atkins, Brad Bezner, Matthew

Block, Jack Butcher, Neal Fleitman, Nicole Fleitman, James Fuller, Ryan Hoepfner, Lauren Kirk, Kailei Klement, Jessica Laster, Mackenzie Myrick, Courtney Neu, Justin Ott, Sydney Ott, Keleigh Pearson, Connor Pelzel, Troy Robertson, Taryn Stringfellow, Chloie Tackett, Brandon Worth. 7th Grade - Travis Almon, Doug-

las Case, Collin Clark, Erika Davis, Hunter Ellender, Leah Fuhrmann, Zach Green, Alison Gunderson, Alexis Hamel, Alexandria Harrell,

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Maegan Burr, Mia Burrows, Grace Dieter, Nathan Dieter, Bolton Fortune, Jocelyn Grewing, Chase Hacker, Michael Hellman, Kate Henley, Kody Hermes, Cameron Hughes, Caleb Inglish, William Inglish, Parker Jones, Alaina Klement, Hayley Marion, Luke Meece, Abi-gail Miller, Patricia Neusch, Alyssa Noggler, Chase Otto, Bhavin Patel, Kalyn Pulte, Jenna Tharp, Laura Womack.

4th Grade - Preston Brewer, Karlye Case, Kirsten Dennison, Aaron Fleitman, Justin Fuhrmann, Olivia Hertel, Nathan Huston, Emilee Krahl, Jillian Martin, Colby Metzler, Madeline Myrick, Skyler Neu, Forrest Russell, Raegan Schofield, Alex Sims, Theresa Wyrick, Kyle Zwinggi. 3rd Grade - Amanda Almon,

Daniel Bell, Emma Bounds, Jonathon Dowell, Alyssa Eason, Nicholas Fisher, Cassidy Grewing, Lauren Henley, Madison Huchton, Mikayla Johnson, Lily Jones, Jake Metzler, Ryan Neu, Elizabeth Otto, Grace Otto, Casey Pounds, Cayden Rains, Casey Schumacher, Clint Wallace, Hunter Wolf, Hanah Womack. **2nd Grade** - Riley Anderle, Emily Darwin, Elliot Dowell, Anthony

Ellender, Heidi Fleitman, Elizabeth Gilmer, Nichole Hacker, Lindsey King, Ravyn Lewis, Lily Mason, Chad Shauf, Dylan Sprouse, Mi-chael Sprouse, Nicholas Timmins, Austin Trammell.

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University, Dolores teaches Journalism, and 7th and 8th grade Lit-

erature. She's taught a variety of subjects and classes including 5th

grade Social Studies and Math, 7th grade Math and Texas History,

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ris, Emily Hunter, Reece Mills,

MISD open house marks **Public Schools Week**

The Muenster Indepenparents and the community to celebrate Texas Public Schools Week by attending an open house from 6:30 to 8 the leaders of tomorrow. p.m. on Tuesday, March 8.

an opportunity for everyone to get a first-hand look at how local students are being inspired to become future

Muenster Mayor John Pagel proclaimed that today's students in Texas public schools hold the promise of being tomorrow's leaders and that Muenster ISD provides a solid foundation to ensure children's future success through a quality education. The dedicated efforts of parents, educators, and the community is the cornerstone of support and strength for our schools. The higher level of achievement experienced by students is a direct result of the commitment to excellence from the teachers and a vision of continued improvement.

dent School District invites all citizens to take time to visit their child's campus and find ways to contribute and help children become

m. on Tuesday, March 8. For more information. The open house provides about the open house or other Texas Public Schools Week could not read. activities, call Lou Heers at

Lunch Menus

WEEK OF MARCH 7 - 11 SACRED HEART

Mon. - Hot dogs, ranch style beans, carrot sticks, Tues. - Fiesta salad w/

trimmings, pinto beans, sal-Wed. - Catfish, potato sal-

ad, cole slaw, pears.
Thurs. - Beef spaghetti, green beans, apricots, garlic

Fri. - Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato soup, crackers, pineapple tidbits.

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fries, pinto beans, peaches, muffins. Tues. - Salisbury steak, creamed potatoes w/gravy, corn, pineapple, hot rolls.

Wed. - Tuna sandwiches, chips, apples, carrots, cook-

Thurs. - Chicken nuggets, creamed potatoes w/ gravy, green beans, pears, hot rolls.

Fri. - Cheese pizza, lettuce salad w/dressing, pork and beans, carrots, applesauce, ice cream

LINDSAY ISD Mon. - Soft tacos w/trim-

mings, refried beans, Spanish rice, apple crisp.
Tues. - Italian meatball

sandwich w/mozzarella, potato chips, fresh fruit, cook-Wed. - Fish nuggets, black-

eyed peas, macaroni and cheese, coleslaw, peaches. Thurs. - Hamburger w/

trimmings, oven fries, ice

Fri. - Cheese pizza, corn, lettuce salad, pears. **ERA ISD**

Mon. - Chicken sandwich, potato wedges, trimmings, pickle spears, fruit.

Tues. - Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, roll,

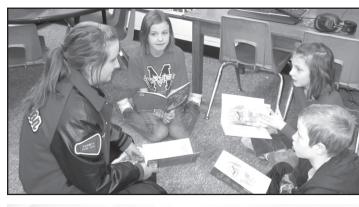
applesauce. Wed. - Pizza sticks, marinara sauce, corn, tossed sal-

ad, pears. Thurs. - Chicken fajitas,

bell pepper and onions, pinto beans, cornbread, pineapple. Fri. - Chicken spaghetti or

fish sticks, California blend peaches, ice vegetables, cream.

Above - Teacher Appreciation Day at MISD, from left, Coach Atcheson, Mrs. Lutkenhaus, Mrs. Hess, Erin Hess. Below from left, FCCLA member Sydney Huchton reads to Elementary students Hannah Lamar, Brooke Hammer, and William McMinn. MISD photos



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Falcon Lake has been the scene of several robberies and a U.S. citizen's murder, and DPS is again warning boaters to steer clear of the Mexican side of the lake. Cartel activity remains high "While drug cartel violence

is most severe in northern Mexico, it is prominent in other parts of the country as well," said DPS Director Steven C. McCraw. "Various crime problems also exist in many popular resort areas, such as Acapulco and Cancun, and crimes against U.S often go unpuncitizens

So far this year, an ICE agent was killed and another injured in a suspected ambush near San Luis Potosi Feb. 15. Two El Paso teens were gunned down Feb. 5 in Ciudad Juarez. In January, a Texas missionary was shot in the head when she and her husband ran an illegal road block in Nuevo Leon. In addition to U.S citi-

zens killed so far this year, preliminary figures show as many as 65 Americans were killed in Mexico in 2010. Kidnapping, sexual assault, robbery, and carjacking also are threats in parts of Mexico. Suspects have not been prosecuted in many of the Meanwhile, more than

30,000 Mexican citizens have died in drug-related violence since 2006, and the violence shows no signs of abating

"Drug violence has not discriminated - innocent bystanders and people who may have been in the wrong place at the wrong time are among the casualties. Underestimating the violence in Mexico would be a mistake for parents and students," said McCraw. "Our safety message is simple: avoid traveling to Mexico during Spring Break and stay alive.

DPS acknowledges that many travel to Mexico without incident, but the risks cannot be ignored. Travelers are encouraged to carefully research any planned trips.

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U.S. citizens living or traveling in Mexico are urged to register with the nearest U.S. Embassy or Consulate through their website at https://travelregistration. state.gov/ibrs/ui/.

The only people with whom you should try to get even are those who have helped ~ John E. Southard

DAYS GONE

65 YEARS AGO March 1, 1946

Membership in the Muenster Cooperative Hospital Association now numbers 120. J.M. Weinzapfel is appointed to the Rivers and Harbors Advisory Committee. Leo Haverkamp buys well cleaning rig. Wedding: Charles Reiter, Sr. and Mary Rosenthal. New Arrival: Billie Jean to the J.M. Barnetts. Endres Brothers (Gilbert and Urban) advertise "See Us For Tanks - Terraces - Channels, Roads Built & Graveled, Lots Leveled." 50 YEARS AGO

March 3, 1961

Cement grandstand replaces wooden seats at the City's baseball park. A recreation center for high school boys and girls of Muenster is in the making at 206 N.

Obituaries: Cecil Cain, 37; Mrs. C.J. (Cecilia) Berend, 48; P.J. Rollman, 70. New Arrivals: Eugene to Ferd and Gertie Luttmer; Leslie to Charles and Mary Neu. Gene Hartman passed his Master Barber's license exam; he is employed at College Barber Shop in Denton. More than 100 rosaries made by Mrs. H.S. Fuhrmann are sent to needy missions.

25 YEARS AGO Feb. 28, 1986

Fire damages Tony's Seed & Feed dock. Muenster Memorial Hospital welcomes Dr. Kozura and Dr. Nobles to its staff. Obituary: Margaret C. Hermes, 81. Wedding: Suzanne Forgey and Lawrence Hocevar. Marie Endres is new president of Garden

Free online training for 'healthy' watersheds Watershed site. There is no cost for the Steward program recently online training and no time

steward training course course materials. available online, according to program coordinators. If you are unable to at-

benefit from all of the inforour materials online," said Nikki Dictson, Texas AgriLife Extension Service program specialist and Texas Watershed Steward program coordinator. Dictson said the online

course can be found at http:// tws.tamu.edu/online-course. The course consists of five modules, a glossary of terms and acronyms, and additional information on water quality agencies and information sources.

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made its popular watershed limit for completing the

"Visitors can view the materials as a guest user or may enroll in the course to receive tend one of our many wa- a certificate of completion, tershed steward workshops which requires completing across the state, you can still all the course modules and a quick pre- and post-test," mation simply by viewing she said. "They'll also have access to all of the same information supplied in the face-to-face workshops hold around the state. Dictson said the training

gives participants the basic knowledge and tools they need to form a watershed action group, participate in watershed protection activities, and become more involved in protecting and enhancing their community water resources.

She added that all water-Those wishing to take the sheds in Texas are threatcourse can register on the ened by nonpoint sources of

and state water-resource management agencies have adopted a watershed-scale approach for managing water quality.

"One vital component of this approach involves engaging local stakeholders to become actively involved in planning and implementing water resource management and protection programs in their watershed," Dictson said. "The Texas Watershed Steward program was initiated to provide sciencebased, watershed education to help citizens identify and take action to address local water quality impairments."

She said the online watershed steward course currently may be viewed in Internet Explorer or Mozilla Firefox, and that course module sections can be viewed by clicking on the individual links found below each module.

For more information on Texas Watershed Steward program, visit http://tws. tamu.edu.

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forensic interviews. There is and service providers relittle or no cohesive plan for sults in potential re-victimcommunication among vari- ization, degradation and/ous agencies working with or loss of physical evidence, victims including, but not and wastes precious time, limited to, sharing informaas well as (and most importion on cases, staffing cases tantly) causes further emoin a comprehensive manner, tional trauma to the victim. or follow up with victims' This grant award will close post-adjudication. This lack these gaps and allow Cooke of resources for law enforce-County and Abigail's Arms ment, the judicial system, to more fully meet the needs victims' rights advocates, of victims of sexual violence.

Charles Stoffels dies

Charles Stoffels died Sunday, Feb. 27, 2011 at Renaissance Care Center. Mass of Christian Burial was held Wednesday March 2 in St. Peter's Centennial Hall in Lindsay. The complete obituary will be in next week's *Enterprise*.

If we had no winter, the spring would not be so pleasant: if we did not sometimes taste of adversity, prosperity would not be so welcome.

- Anne Bradstreet

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA **MEETING DATE - MARCH 7, 2011** The following is the Agenda for the regular meeting of

the Muenster City Council to be held at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall meeting room on Monday, March 7, 2011. Call meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Opening prayer.

Approve minutes of the regular meeting on February

Recognize visitors and invite them to attend the entire

Council meeting and to discuss their business. Consider any other business to come before the

Council. **OLD BUSINESS**

 Hold the Second Reading of the Resolution Authorizing the Muenster IDC to Borrow Funds for Water & Sewer System Improvements. Take action as needed. **NEW BUSINESS:** • Steve Gilland will give audit report on the last fiscal

 Discuss and possibly approve a Resolution for setting the criteria for establishing Tax Abatements in the City of Muenster.

• Set a date for a Public Hearing to discuss establishing a Reinvestment Zone and possible tax abatement. Consider and possibly approve terminating the contract

 Approve contract with Countywide Inspection Services for building inspections.

with Bureau Veritas for building inspections.

Discuss the City Fire Marshall Position, take action as

 Discuss and possibly take action on the Burning Policy within the City Limits.

 Receive status report on City projects and activities. Take any needed action.

• Review and act on monthly bills.

• Adjourn.

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Melvin and Lisa Schilling of Muenster announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Jessica Schilling to Cody Bartram of Iowa Park, son of Tim and Sandra Bartram. The couple chose to exchange wedding vows on Saturday, March 12 at 7 p.m. in Sacred Heart Catholic Church with Fr. Ken Robinson officiating. Miss Schilling is the granddaughter of Leonard and Joan Haverkamp of Muenster, the late Carl J. and Rosalie Schilling, and Don and Rosemary Jablonsky. She is a 2007 graduate of Sacred Heart Čatholic School and attended Midwestern State University and North Central Texas College. The future groom is the grandson of Clifford and Brenda Bartram. He graduated from Iowa Park High School in 2007.

Adelaide celebrates first!

Adelaide Bayer, daughter of Heath and Olivia Bayer of Muenster, celebrated her first birthday at her home on Feb. 20. The party had a barnyard theme. The cake was decorated by Adelaide's cow. Keeping with the barnyard theme, guests were served snacks that included rice crispy treats created to look like hay bales, cubes,

Those attending included Adelaide's parents; her siblings Isaiah, Erik, and Melanie; grandparents Clinton and Barbara Bayer and Rickey and Tracye Barthold; Godparents Jared and Leah dad to look like a Holstein Bayer; aunts and uncles Weldon and Loren Bayer, Lucas Bayer, and Barry and Brooke Barthold; and cousins Emily, Corbin, Ówen, Elijah, Katie, Clayton, Peyton, and Mad-

CASA announces Four Seasons raffle winner

After the initial date of CA-SA's 2011 "Justice is Served" dinner was rescheduled due to weather, the group was able to host the event on Friday, Feb. 18. The Gainesville Civic Center was filled with very important people gathered for a very good cause, abused and neglected children within the foster care system. Local judges and other professionals within the justice system acted as celebrity waiters in CASA's fifth annual "Justice is Served" dinner fundraiser.

A part of the event was the drawing for the Four Seasons resort raffled off by the orga-Lake Kiowa. The Four Sea- "Cowboys for CASA."

sons package included a two night stay at the resort with several options for things to do, including a guided tour of Cowboys Stadium, spa services, or golf.

The dinner raised more than \$13,000 dollars for the Agency whose mission is to provide volunteers to advocate for the best interests of abused and neglected children within the legal and foster care systems. CASA is a non-profit organization supported by the Cooke County United Way, Cooke County Commissioners Court, the City of Gainesville, other state and federal victim nization. Judge John Roane monies in addition to funds urday Nature Program at Hall, Jefferson Street en- to be present for the final unique story to tell. They



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Grewing, Combrink exchange vows Dr. Kelly Grewing became degrees in Chemistry and

the bride of Dr. Mark Combrink on Saturday, Oct. 23, 2010 at Vesica Piscis Wedding Chapel in Tulsa, Okla-

Kelly is the daughter of Wayne and Peggy Grewing of Muenster and a 2003 graduate of Muenster High

Mark is the son of Jerry and Linda Combrink of Durant, Oklahoma. He is a 1997 graduate of Boswell High School and 2002 gradhoma State University with is residing in Tahlequah.

Biology.

Both Kelly and Mark are 2009 graduates of Southwestern Oklahoma State University College of Phar-

Kelly is currently the pharmacy manager at Walgreens in Muskogee, Oklahoma, and Mark is a clinical pharmacist for Indian Health Services Cherokee Nation Hospital in Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

Following a honeymoon trip to Antigua, West Indies uate of Southeastern Ökla- in the Caribbean, the couple

Spaghetti lunch planned by Hornet Band Boosters

Muenster Hornet Band Boosters are planning a fundraiser for Sunday, March 6. They will serve a Spaghetti Lunch consisting of spaghetwith meat sauce, salad,

water, and dessert beginning at 12:30 p.m. in the Muen-ster ISD Cafetorium

Everyone is welcome. Tickets are \$5. Children under three eat free. Band students in grades

garlic bread, tea, lemonade,

6-12 will provide entertain-



Mr. and Mrs. Mark Combrink

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Adelaide Bayer

Pageants on slate in Bowie

Girls ages zero to 18 are invited to participate in Baby, Youth, and Teen pageants in Bowie March 12. If interested, call Kim at 580-504-4306 or email kimmercedes@hot-

Arts Council plans musical fundraiser

Council fundraiser program "Art for the Heart" will be held Saturday, March 12 at the First State Bank Center for the Performing Arts at the Gainesville campus of North Central Texas College. It will start at 6:30 p.m. with refreshments and drinks in the lobby.

At 7:30 p.m., the concert begins with a short program with Butterfield Stage reflecting old radio and television shows. Another show by Butterfield is planned for the intermission. Gainesville Swing Or-

chestra will perform music of the "Rat Pack" and other selections. North Central Texas Chorale will perform songs reflecting the theme of

"Art for the Heart" fundraiser will showcase the many talents of the group.

The Cooke County Arts All members will partici- in Gainesville. Raffle tickets pate. There will be an art exhibition in the lobby by Gainesville Area Visual Arts. Garden decorations at the ends of the stage and in the lobby are provided by the Gainesville Council of Gar-

den Clubs. There will be a raffle of art pictures with winners announced that evening. Janet and Frank Morris donated a framed print of a painting with a calvary theme entitled "Two Indian Horses" by Bev Doolittle, 1985. G.A.V.A. artists donating pictures include Gerri Bauhaus Williams, a framed watercolor seascape; Oscar Gutierrez, an acrylic adobe southwest painting; and R. Littlefield Schafer, a framed watercolor

The pictures are on display at the First State Bank lobby

for the art pictures are available at First State Bank or at the event at a cost of \$1 each or six for \$5.

Admission is \$15 for adults, \$10 for seniors (60 and older), and \$10 for students. Tickets are available at the doors.

Arts Council President Janet Morris is host for the event. The Arts Council contributes to the community through many avenues: growth, awareness, beauty, learning, and creativity. The entertainment has a positive

The Arts Council has a 30-year plus history making numerous contributions to the area. First State Bank is sponsoring the fundraiser. Submitted by Linda

Lutkenhaus Coursey

Area Events

Second Saturday Nature Program

uge Road in Sherman. Dr. juice. Byron Clark, Southeastern Oklahoma State University, will present a program about bats on Saturday, March 12 at 10 a.m. in the AV Class-

The youth program for ages 6 to 12 years of age will be hands-on nature activities and crafts. Reservations are required.

For more information or to make reservations, call 903-786-2826.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

On Tuesday, March 8 from 5 to 7 p.m., St. Paul's Church

in Gainesville is sponsoring The public is invited to a pancake supper. The meal attend the free Second Sat- will be in St. Paul's Parish

do not deserve it.

drew the winning ticket raised locally in events such Hagerman National Wildlife trance, and will include pan-chapter. In the years I have have lived interesting lives belonging to Linda Ford of as "Justice is Served" and Refuge located at 6465 Ref-cakes, sausage, coffee, and been with Home Hospice – they have loved and been that has certainly proven to

Children need love, especially when they ~ Harold Hulbert

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loved and laughed and cried, and they each have much to The volunteers who par-

ticipate in Legacy go to the patient's home and encourage them to talk about those aspects of their life that they would want recorded in order that a tangible memory - a book or a tape - be created for their loved ones to have after they have died. If you are interested in

this volunteer opportunity, or if you need additional information, call the Home Hospice office (940) 665-9891 and speak with Kathi Kirby, volunteer coordinator.



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Local youths participate in Cooke County Youth Fair

With more than 500 projects entered in the 2011 Cooke County Youth Fair, only 148 were chosen to be sold at the Premium Sale last Friday afternoon.

Hundreds of youth, parents, and supporters converged last week at four different locations throughout the County for the annual Youth Fair and Premium Sale. The Fair opened Tuesday with the Equine Show held at NCTC.

On Wednesday, poultry and swine were shown at the Callisburg Ag Barn. Thursday began judging of shop, food, clothing, and art projects in the Knights of Columbus Hall in Muenster, with the sheep, lambs, and goats shown in the Muenster Ag Barn. Friday, rabbits and cattle were shown at the Valley View Ag Barn. On Saturday, the Sale of Champions was held at Valley View. Grand Champion prices

included: Rabbit \$1,000; Broiler \$,1000; Steer \$2,000, Swine \$2,000, Lamb \$900, Goat \$1,500, Metal Shop \$1,500, Food \$550, Clothing \$750, Creative Arts \$300, and Visual Arts \$600.

Reserve Champion prices were: Broilers \$800, Rabbit \$700, Steer \$1,500, Swine \$1,500, Lamb \$900, Metal Shop \$1,200, Wood Shop \$900, Food \$500, Clothing \$550, Creative Arts \$800, Visual Arts \$400.

Grand and Reserve Champions, along with Muenster and Lindsay participants were as follows:

EQUINE - Not available. VIŠUAL ARTS - Grand, Caitlin Beavers, Muenster FCCLA (MFCCLA); Reserve, Landon Terry, Valley View 4-H (VV4-H). OTH-MFCCLA, Collin Pagel, Aaron Davis, Kalyn Dangelmayr, BriAnna Bayer, Tori Dyess, Lana Heers, Brooke Hess, Demi Koelzer, Lauren Rohmer, Payton Sanders, Michelle Sicking, Sadie Stoffels, Rishi Patel, Brooke Walterscheid, Kendi Bayer, Paige Herr, Jessee Rosson, Alexis Trubenbach; Lindsay 4-H (L4-H), Ashley Hedrick, MacKenzie Fleitman, Tanner Corcoran, Nathan Dieter, Cassidy Grewing, Jocelyn Grewing, Travis Whitcraft, Alicia Hellinger, Carolyn Timmins, Kaylee Colwell; **Lindsay FCCLA** (LFCCLA), Shea Garner, Natasha Ágarwal, Emily Krahl, Savannah Stoffels, Weber, Dakota Butler, Megan Holt, Nikita Agarwal, Valerie Nystrom.

CLA (VVFCCLA); Reserve, Adrian Rohmer, MFCCLA. OTHERS: MFCCLA, Kevin Barnes, Hannah Bayer, Tori Dyess, Emily Hellman, Andi Hess, Rishi Patel, Landon Presnall, Kassie Dangelmayr, Lana Heers, Paige Herr, Erin Hess, Payton Sanders, Mikaela La-mar, Demi Koelzer, Chloe Schneider, Amber Walterscheid, Caroline Gressett, Sydney Huchton, Sadie Stoffels, Chance Herr, Shelby Dangelmayr, Brooke Walterscheid, Lauren Rohmer, Kalyn Dangelmayr; L4-H, Tanner Corcoran, Alicia Hellinger, Nathan Dieter, Ashley Hedrick, Campbell Williams, Elizabeth Hellman, Jake Hellman, Carolyn Timmins; LFCCLA, Valerie Nystrom, Brianne Sandmann, Philicia Vogel, Hannah Zimmerer, Kassidy Gum, McKenzie Neu, Savannah Stoffels, Rose Wyrick, Megan Holt, Amelia Wyrick.

CLOTHING -Grand, VV4-H; Lindsey Ritchey, Reserve, Taylor Ritchey, VV4-H. OTHERS: MFC-CLA, Michelle Sicking, Sadie Stoffels, Hannah Bayer, Kendi Bayer, Jeonglim Cho, Sydney Huchton, Jori Magee, Kalyn Dangelmayr, Andi Felderhoff, Paige Hennigan, Michelle Henscheid, Brooke Hess, Allison Pagel, Rishi Patel, Catlynn Schumacher, Llogan Cheaney; L4-H, Jocelyn Grewing, Ashley Hedrick, Laura Wyrick, Theresa Wyrick, Cassidy Grewing,

CREATIVE ARTS: Grand, Garren Fletcher, Red River 4-H (RR4-H); Reserve, Amelia Wyrick, LFCCLA. OTH-ERS: MFCCLA, Jeonglim Cho, Kendi Bayer, Erin Hess, Cathy Aston, Rishi Patel, Emily Hellman, Paige Herr, Andi Hess, Brooke Hess, Lauren Rohmer, Michelle Sicking, Amber Walterscheid, Brooke Walterscheid, Caitlin Beavers, Sadie Stoffels; LFCCLA, Amelia Wyrick, Rose Wyrick, Philicia Vogel; **L4-H**, Tanner Corcoran, Maggie Krahl, Carolyn Timmins, Kaylee Colwell, Ashley Hedrick, Makenzie Fleitman, Laura Wyrick, Theresa Wyrick.

POULTRY: BREEDING Grand, Kendall Evins, RR4-H; Reserve, Kyle Evins, RR4-H. MARKÉT - Grand, Keilah Blakey, Valley View FFA (VVFFÁ); Reserve, Lindsay Bullard, Callisburg FFA (CFFA). SHOWMAN-SHIP - Junior, Lauren Bierschenk, VVFFA; Senior, Caly Chase Hacker.

SWINE: BREEDING Grand, Jacob Harmon, CFFA; Reserve, Payton Ing, CFFA. MARKET - Grand, Madison Reed, CFFA; Reserve, Karley Rohrbough, CFFA. SHOW-MANSHIP - Junior, Riley Wilkerson, VVFFA; Senior, Cole McAden, Muenster FFA (MFFA). BREEDING OTH-ERS: MFFA, Nathan Hacker. LFFA, Drew Cooney. MARKET OTHERS: MFFÅ, Sawyer Sanders, Nathan Hacker, Steven Flusche, Traci Vogel, Cole Walterscheid, Justin Ashley, Scott Porter, Jordan Buddy, Carrie Nasura, Blayne Styles, Cole McAden, Tanner Silmon, Demi Koelzer, Trey Anderle, Kody Walterscheid, Morgan Flusche, Clayton Hess, Andrea Hess, Allie Walterscheid, Jared Endres; LFFA, Stetson Duke, Nathan Huston, Anna Hogan, Cassidy Clark, Ty Mauldin, Dawson Holt, Kyleigh Duke, Elijah Walker. LAMBS:

Grand, Zac Williams, VVFFA; Reserve, Amber Hess, Lindsay FFA (LFFA). MARKET - Grand, Lindsay Ritchey, VV4-H; Reserve, Taylor Ritchey, VV4-H. SHOWMANSHIP - Junior, Jacob Sprouse, L4-H; Senior, VV4-H. Lindsay Ritchey, MARKET OTHERS: MFFA, Allison Haubold, Blake Haubold; LFFA, Nicholas Dieter, Christina Mathis, Vanessa Hess, Amber Hess, Jacob Sprouse, Travis Block, Claire Williams, Cody Thurman, Kevin Conaway, Dakota Ellender, Dalton Metzler, Alicia Hellinger, Evan Anderle, Caleb Anderle; L4-H, Tanner Corcoran, Campbell

Williams, Alicia Hellinger. DAIRY GOATS: Grand, Amber Lane, VVFFA; Reserve, Amber Lane, VVFFA. OTHERS: MFFA, Dane Huchton, Kendra Walterscheid, Dean Walterscheid, Zach Klement, Blair Waneck, Billy Felderhoff.

GOATS: BREEDING Grand, Caroline Darbro, CFFA; Reserve, Julia Blankenau, VV4-H. MARKET Grand, Kendra Walterscheid, MFFA; Reserve, Ken-Walterscheid, MFFA. SHOWMANSHIP - Junior, Julia Blankenau, VV4-H; Senior, Jordan Hall, Gainesville FFA (GFFA). ÓTHERS: MFFA, James Dangelmayr, Curtis Haverkamp, Olivia Haverkamp, BriAnna Bayer, Abby Walterscheid, Sterling Walterscheid, Jared Dangelmayr, Savannah FOODS - Grand, Lexis Wilson, VVFFA. OTHERS: Hermes, Kyla Haverkamp, Carpenter, Valley View FC- L4-H, Rose Wyrick, Laura Darrell Hermes, Hannah

vis Dangelmayr, Tori Dyess, Dane Huchton, Natalie Dangelmayr, Zachary Klement, 4-H (E4-H); Reserve, Coo-Shelby Dangelmayr, Blair Waneck, Briana Klement, Kalyn Dangelmayr, Stephen Dangelmayr, Dean Walterscheid, Brooke Walterscheid, Kassie Dangelmayr; LFFA, Marti McNeill, Taylor McNeill; **L4-H**, Garrett Mor-

METAL SHOP: Grand, Colton Wilson, VVFFA; Reserve, Ben Zimmerer, LFFA. WOOD SHOP: Grand. Kendra Walterscheid, MFFA; Reserve, Hannah Bayer, MFFA. OTHERS: MFFA,

RABBITS: BREEDING -Grand, Ashley Downe, Era per Alexander, VVFFA. MARKET - Grand, Sydney Reynolds, VV4-H; Reserve, Laci Muller, E4-H. SHOW-MANSHIP - Junior, Hunter Ellender, LFFA; Senior, Meagan Fleming, Wood-bine 4-H (W4-H). OTHERS BREEDERS: Muenster **4-H** (**M4-H**), Darian Peters; **MFFA**, Carrie Nasura; LFFA, Benjamin Zimmerer. OTHERS MARKET RAB-BITS: MFFA, Audrey Taylor

Samantha Muller.

CATTLE: BREEDING Grand, Madison Perkins, CFFA; Reserve, Alex Harrell, LFFA. MARKET - Grand, Stacie Schumacher, Era FFA (EFFA); Reserve, Aaron Fleitman, ŔR4-H. ŚHOW-MANSHIP - Junior, Alex Harrell, LFFA; Senior, Cody Perkins, CFFA. OTHERS HEIFERS: **MFFA**, Sawyer Sanders; LFFA, Alex Harrell, Katelyn Weber. OTH-ERS MARKET STEERS: MFFA, Sawyer Sanders; LFFA, Ben Haverkamp, Jeff Hellman, Alexandria Har-

NCTC singers, jazz band take stage for "Sounds" concert

Saavedra, Traci Vogel, Jus-

ten Ashley, Carrie Nasura,

The timeless music from America's big band era will be the theme of this year's annual "Sounds of NCTC" concert on March 4 at North Central Texas College.

Sponsored by the NCTC Music Department, the concert program will begin at 7:30 p.m. on the main stage of the First State Bank Center for the Performing Arts on the NCTC Gainesville

Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for youth, high school age and younger, and NCTC students may attend at no charge by showing their student ID. Tickets may be purchased at the door. All proceeds benefit the NCTC Music Department Scholarship Fund.

In the spotlight will be both the NCTC Singers, directed by Dr. Mike Linder, and the NCTC Jazz Band. directed by Marty Kobuck.

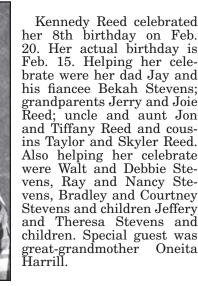
"Musical styles come and go, some never to be revived," said Dr. Linder, "but this wonderful big band era music seems to attract a whole new audience of enthusiastic fans with every new generation. Its appeal

truly is timeless."
The NCTC Singers will be performing some of the era's favorite vocal jazz se-lections including "Trickle, Trickle," "Birdland," "Don't Get Around Much Anymore," "Harlem Nocturne," "Step-pin' Out With my Baby," Java Jive," and "Once Upon a Time."

'Sounds of NCTC' tradition with our Singers to do reviews based on Broadway musicals," Dr. Linder said, but doing a program of all these great big band jazz vocals seemed to be a natural fit for a program also featuring our great Jazz Band. A combo of Jazz Band members will accompany the Singers on several numbers."

Kennedy turns eight!





"cool" IIth birthday **Dominic** has

Dominic Xavier Nervo celebrated his 11th birthday on Donna Nervo of Arlington.

of inviting his guests to accompany him on his "Arctic Birthday Adventure." Since he has such a peaked inter-

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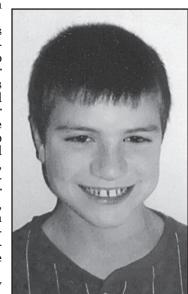
est and passion for wildlife, he was fittingly the perfect guide. A blizzard theme was in progress, as evidenced by hanging snowflakes from the ceiling and snowflake confetti in shades of blue, silver, and white on the main

Even the white cake was covered with white crystalline sugar snow. A cake igloo was situated on one corner with Eskimos and red sleds nearby. A blue sugar pond was on the opposite corner with fish in it. Miniature Arctic animals were on top of the cake which included reindeer, wolves, polar bears, penguins, and a walrus sitting on top of a vanilla wafer rock. A blue banner stating, "Chill Out on Dominic's 11th Birthday" was hanging behind the main table. Snowflake balloons added to the winter decor.

Guests enjoyed a rosemary chicken lunch, followed by cake and ice cream. Children

playing outdoor games in the cool weather.

Special guests included Rachel Hennigan, maternal grandmother of Muenster, older brother Alexander, and younger brother Zachary.



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Muenster HS and NCTC to host **College Financial Aid Workshop**

North Central Texas College will be Monday, March 7 from 6-8 p.m. in the MHS Computer Lah for high selections of the mark of the m puter Lab for high school seniors and their parents. The second night available will be Wednesday, March 9 also from 6-8 p.m.

Parents of seniors and also those with current college students are welcome to attend. Michelle Winters and others from NCTC Financial Aid Office will be

on financial aid, grants, and plication for Federal Student Aid) will be available on-line for parents to submit.

Parents of 2011 seniors are encouraged to complete income tax returns as early as possible, although information can be estimated from the 2009 returns. Financial aid offices at all colleges and universities suggest completing the FAFSA early allows for a better chance in obtaining financial assistance.

Many parents and students hesitate to even apply because they do not think they will qualify for financial aid. The problem with that is, even if you do not qualify for a PELL Grant, you must

present to assist. NCTC will have the FAFSA form sent in have the latest information to qualify for other student assistance, such as stateaided grants, work-study programs, student loans, scholarships, and other opportunities for attending college. Many times there are special circumstances in a family that do not show up on a financial aid report that colleges will honor; such as changes in the family income during the year, illness, disability, job displacement, and other issues. The FAFSA is now simpler to fill out due to the on-line version and is well worth the time and ef-

What can take hours to complete on your own can be completed in a very short amount of time with the assistance of the NCTC staff! Bring your completed tax return and get completely CONFIDENTIAL assistance that evening. For further assistance and information on financial aid, call Kristi Schneider at 759-2282, ext. 602.

Mayor Pagel encouraged Back in the old days, it was the student rather than the teacher who had to why they explain

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Lindsay ISD Honor Roll

4th six weeks
12th Grade - Chris Klement, Christina Mathis, Allison Met-zler, Carol Ann Dickerson, Amelia Wyrick, Jordan Lane.

11th Grade - Lucinda Krahl. 10th Grade - Megan Schumach-er, Kassidy Gum, Natasha Agarwal, Darryl Block, Chisam Reiter, Shannah Daymude, Jay Porter.

9th Grade - Shea Garner, Madi-

son Green, Kendall McLeod, Sabrina Stoffels 8th Grade - Lyndon Cook, Sarah

Dieter, Jessica Martin, Camdon Maydew, Emily Otto. 7th Grade - Caitlin Corcoran,

Paisley Cornett, Hannah Davis, Kaleigh Eason. 6th Grade - Cole Barnes, Lo-

gan Cook, Brenna Fleitman, John Michael Fuhrmann, Bob Gomulak, Abby Haverkamp, Elizabeth Hellman, Zach Hundt, Cohen Hunter, Caden Maydew, Luke Metzler, Sarah Otto, Roshan Patel, John Ro-

5th Grade - Sarah Corcoran, Brandon Craigie, Dawson Fogle, Cameron Worth.

4th Grade - Brianna Craigie, Emily Davis, Alaina Dennison, James Dennison, Ashley Fleitman, Makenzie Fleitman, Jacob Hell-man, Hannah Metzler, Macie Neu, Merrick Parkhill, Kyle Popp, Trevor

Sims, Karsyn Taylor. **3rd Grade** - Elizabeth Bradshaw, Kaylee Colwell, Kloe Copeland, John Gomulak, Cade Hellman, Matthew Hellman, Kade Hermes, Mia Hweidi, Kate Jones, Maggie Krahl, Logan Martin, Payton Örr, Kaitlyn Popp, Terah Skipworth,

2nd Grade - Gage Bezner, Lauren Colwell, Tyler Cook, Braxton Craigie, Lily Dieter, Nash Dieter, Kylee Fleitman, George Gomulak, Allison Hedrick, Mackenzie Hess, Parker Hillis, Avery Hughes, Alexandria Hunter, Marshall Jones, Shelby Lawson, Brooke Martinson, Mya Meece, Rachel Metzler, Macey Ott, Derek Parsons, Jack Popp, An-drew Schully, Tyler Yancey, Damian

1st Grade - Emalyn Beverage, Kaden Bullock, Alexis Butcher, Chad Corbell, Jacob Dulock, Anna Fleitman, Loren Freeman, Molly Fuhrmann, Stephen Fuhrmann, Andrew Goldsmith, Shelby Grewing, Tyler Grewing, Natalie Hell-man, Makenna Hermes, Victoria Martinson, Sofia McFadden, Jesse Medina, Kirten Patel, Colton Popp, Jessalyn Reiter, Madison Reiter, erah Škipworth, Henry Thurman,

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8th Grade - Caleb Anderle,
Tara Atkins, Brad Bezner, Matthew

Block, Jack Butcher, Neal Fleitman, Nicole Fleitman, James Fuller, Ryan Hoepfner, Lauren Kirk, Kailei Klement, Jessica Laster, Mackenzie Myrick, Courtney Neu, Justin Ott, Sydney Ott, Keleigh Pearson, Connor Pelzel, Troy Robertson, Taryn Stringfellow, Chloie Tackett, Brandon Worth. 7th Grade - Travis Almon, Doug-

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Maegan Burr, Mia Burrows, Grace Dieter, Nathan Dieter, Bolton Fortune, Jocelyn Grewing, Chase Hacker, Michael Hellman, Kate Henley, Kody Hermes, Cameron Hughes, Caleb Inglish, William Inglish, Parker Jones, Alaina Klement, Hayley Marion, Luke Meece, Abi-gail Miller, Patricia Neusch, Alyssa Noggler, Chase Otto, Bhavin Patel, Kalyn Pulte, Jenna Tharp, Laura Womack.

4th Grade - Preston Brewer, Karlye Case, Kirsten Dennison, Aaron Fleitman, Justin Fuhrmann, Olivia Hertel, Nathan Huston, Emilee Krahl, Jillian Martin, Colby Metzler, Madeline Myrick, Skyler Neu, Forrest Russell, Raegan Schofield, Alex Sims, Theresa Wyrick, Kyle Zwinggi. 3rd Grade - Amanda Almon,

Daniel Bell, Emma Bounds, Jonathon Dowell, Alyssa Eason, Nicholas Fisher, Cassidy Grewing, Lauren Henley, Madison Huchton, Mikayla Johnson, Lily Jones, Jake Metzler, Ryan Neu, Elizabeth Otto, Grace Otto, Casey Pounds, Cayden Rains, Casey Schumacher, Clint Wallace, Hunter Wolf, Hanah Womack. **2nd Grade** - Riley Anderle, Emily Darwin, Elliot Dowell, Anthony

Ellender, Heidi Fleitman, Elizabeth Gilmer, Nichole Hacker, Lindsey King, Ravyn Lewis, Lily Mason, Chad Shauf, Dylan Sprouse, Mi-chael Sprouse, Nicholas Timmins, Austin Trammell.

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erature. She's taught a variety of subjects and classes including 5th

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MISD open house marks **Public Schools Week**

The Muenster Indepenparents and the community to celebrate Texas Public Schools Week by attending an open house from 6:30 to 8 the leaders of tomorrow. p.m. on Tuesday, March 8.

an opportunity for everyone to get a first-hand look at how local students are being inspired to become future

Muenster Mayor John Pagel proclaimed that today's students in Texas public schools hold the promise of being tomorrow's leaders and that Muenster ISD provides a solid foundation to ensure children's future success through a quality education. The dedicated efforts of parents, educators, and the community is the cornerstone of support and strength for our schools. The higher level of achievement experienced by students is a direct result of the commitment to excellence from the teachers and a vision of continued improvement.

dent School District invites all citizens to take time to visit their child's campus and find ways to contribute and help children become

m. on Tuesday, March 8. For more information. The open house provides about the open house or other Texas Public Schools Week could not read. activities, call Lou Heers at

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trimmings, pinto beans, sal-Wed. - Catfish, potato sal-

ad, cole slaw, pears.
Thurs. - Beef spaghetti, green beans, apricots, garlic

Fri. - Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato soup, crackers, pineapple tidbits.

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Wed. - Tuna sandwiches, chips, apples, carrots, cook-

Thurs. - Chicken nuggets, creamed potatoes w/ gravy, green beans, pears, hot rolls.

Fri. - Cheese pizza, lettuce salad w/dressing, pork and beans, carrots, applesauce, ice cream

LINDSAY ISD Mon. - Soft tacos w/trim-

mings, refried beans, Spanish rice, apple crisp.
Tues. - Italian meatball

sandwich w/mozzarella, potato chips, fresh fruit, cook-Wed. - Fish nuggets, black-

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trimmings, oven fries, ice

Fri. - Cheese pizza, corn, lettuce salad, pears. **ERA ISD**

Mon. - Chicken sandwich, potato wedges, trimmings, pickle spears, fruit.

Tues. - Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, roll,

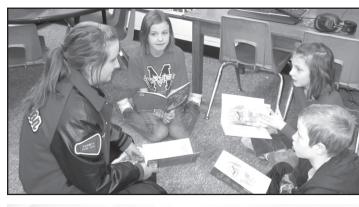
applesauce. Wed. - Pizza sticks, marinara sauce, corn, tossed sal-

ad, pears. Thurs. - Chicken fajitas,

bell pepper and onions, pinto beans, cornbread, pineapple. Fri. - Chicken spaghetti or

fish sticks, California blend peaches, ice vegetables, cream.

Above - Teacher Appreciation Day at MISD, from left, Coach Atcheson, Mrs. Lutkenhaus, Mrs. Hess, Erin Hess. Below from left, FCCLA member Sydney Huchton reads to Elementary students Hannah Lamar, Brooke Hammer, and William McMinn. MISD photos



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SPORTS

Tigerette season comes to an end

The Sacred Heart Tig-erettes traveled to Plano Saturday morning for the TAPPS Regional Final Basketball Playoffs, facing the DeSoto Canterbury Lady

"We ran into a buzz saw," commented Tigerette Coach Jon LeBrasseur. "The Lady Cougars have such great ball speed, something we have not seen this season." The Tigerettes came up short 63-48 to end their season.

Canterbury

The teams played a close 30-6, Rebekah Hesse 5, Kaitlin 31 2nd half, which didn't al-Hesse and Mikaela Bartush low Sacred Heart to close the 4 each, Kelsey Reeves 2, and point spread.

sions and with that many Hesse five assists. opportunities, if we just shot the ball a bit better we would SH be continuing the season," added Coach Jon. "Early in the game, we had some great looks and the ball just did group of young ladies to end not drop. We liked the pace of the game, but we just were cord after dropping the first unable to finish early."

Karli Anderle led the strong the 1st quarter, tak- team with 18 points and 13 ing a 9 point lead and ex-rebounds. Karleigh Reeves Rebekah Hesse and Sydney tending it to 14 at halftime. added 8, Sydney Hoedebeck Hoedebeck.

oint spread.

"We had over 90 posses"Bevan Henry 1. K. Hesse also had five steals and R.

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"I am very proud of this the season with a 28-8 retwo games of the season," Coach Jon concluded, noting the leadership of seniors



Sacred Heart Tigerette Karli Anderle works through two defending Lady Cougars in playoff action Saturday morning. **Courtesy photo**

MUENSTER HORNET BASEBALL

Flusche knocks in two to lead Muenster Hornets past Trenton

A strong effort by Steven Flusche carried the Muenster Hornets to a 7-3 victory over the Trenton Tigers on Monday, Feb. 21 at Muenster. Flusche doubled in the second inning, scoring Mason Binder and Blayne Styles.

Styles baffled Trenton, striking out seven batters over six innings. He allowed two earned runs, three hits, and two walks.

Muenster Hornets cruise

past Trenton, 12-4 Trenton posed no problem for the Muenster Hornets Trenton in the S&S Tourna-

The Muenster Hornets did most of their scoring in the 5th inning, scoring six runs.

In the inning, Kevin Long gave up one run on a double by Garrett Hanes. Later, two runs came in when Steven five during his two innings Flusche tripled, and runs came in when Blake Voth and

on Thursday Feb. 24, as the Muenster Hornets captured a In addition to his single. In addition to his single 12-4 dominating victory over in the fifth, Voth hit into a fielder's choice in the 2nd in-

ning, scoring JJ Horsman. Blayne Styles kept Trenton off balance while he was on the mound. The Tigers managed one hit off of Styles, who allowed no earned runs, walked two, and struck out



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Muenster Hornet Jason Luke (5) attempts to make the shot with two Wampus Cats guarding the basket.

Hornets win Area round

On Thursday, Feb. 24, into an early lead, gaining the Itasca Wampus Cats at Aledo High School for the 1A Division II Area basketball The Cats closed that gap, playoff game. When the final second cleared the clock, the Hornets had a 67-54 victory Hornet victory. and advanced to the next round of the playoffs.

Muenster jumped

the Muenster Hornets met ground for three quarters, having a 26 point lead going into the final period of play. out-scoring Muenster 27-15 in the 4th for the final 67-54

> Cole Walterscheid led all scorers in the game with 25 out points. Scott Porter added

JV SOFTBALL

Lindsay 7 Henrietta 8 The JV Lady Knights lost a close game to Henrietta last week. Down by a score of 8-3 with bases loaded, Haley Skinner hit a grand slam, scoring the final 4 runs.

Also scoring were Katelyn Neu, Nicole Popp, Maisoun Hweidi, Philicia Vogel, Sara Clark, and Lexi Carson.

Nocona Tournament

The Lindsay Lady Knight JV team competed in the Nocona Varsity Softball Tournament this past weekend. They went 0-5 in the tournament. They lost to Nocona 9-4, Chico 15-1, Pottsboro 14-3, Chico 9-0, and to Nocona in the 3rd place game Eula, Stamford, Christoval, by a score of 8-7. The girls Albany, Hubbard, and Keimproved throughout the rens.

16, Andy Flusche 10, Garrett Walterscheid 8, and 4 apiece by Jason Luke and Tyler Anderle. The Hornets hit 15 of 20 free throws and only two 3-pointers.

I 19 17 16 15 **67** 8 11 8 27 **54** As Area Champions, the Hornets advanced to the Regional Quarterfinal round against the Dallas Gateway Gators. Gateway, District 14 Runner-up, defeated Lind-

say 62-58 in Bi-District and Moody 61-47 in Area.

The Hornets and the Gators met Wednesday, March 2 at Denton High School. The winner advances to Regional.

Other teams still alive in Region 2 at press time (Wednesday) were Clyde

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LADY HORNETS WIN REGIONAL GAMES, RETURN TO AUS'

For the second straight vear, the Muenster Lady Hornet basketball team will be traveling to Austin as one of the final four Conference 1A, Division II girls teams.

Last weekend's trip to Abilene was profitable for Coach Jason Atcheson's Lady Hornets with two big playoff victories over Hamlin and Kerens. The Region 2 Tournament

began Friday morning at the campus of Abilene Christian University in Abilene with Kerens defeating Goldthwaite 43-37. A little after noon, the Muenster Lady Hornets faced the Hamlin Lady Pied Pipers, champions of District 9A, who defeated Winters (48-31) in Area and Seymour (40-38) in the Regional Quarterfinals to earn the tournament spot.

Hamlin got the opening tip and scored the first basket, but Muenster followed with 10 straight points. The 1st quarter ended 12-8.

Early in the 2nd quarter, Taylor Klement was fouled that should have put Muenster in the bonus to shoot 1 and 1 from the line. The officials didn't get the word from the score bench until almost a minute of play ticked off the clock. After a long discussion, TK went to the free throw line, making both for a 16-10 score with 5:25 remaining in the 1st half.

The Lady Pipers could not figure out Muenster's press, and turnovers continued as the Lady Hornets extended their lead to 26-12 with a minute and a half to play. A few more baskets and the half ended 30-17.

A 3-pointer by Allison Pagel got things going as the 3rd quarter started. After getting a 20 point advantage at the 3:30 mark, Muenster allowed Hamlin back into the game with a quick 4

point run, but it halted with feet and the clock ticked to the Regionals after de- Lana Heers, Pagel, Klement, a Pagel 3 point play and a down for a 51-35 Muenster Demi Koelzer lay-up. The Regional Semi-Final Chamquarter ended 44-26.

The Lady Pipers got a Only four Lady Hornets quick 2 points to start the scored. Demi Koelzer led the shot. Six points by Koelzer and a Klement free throw kept Muenster in the lead H 51-33. Turnovers gave Hamlin a couple of chances, scoring 2 just under 2 minutes. The Lady Hornets dribbled and passed the ball as the

pionship.

final period as Muenster with 17, Taylor Klement worked the clock, looking for added 15, Laura Pagel 12, and Lana Heers 7. 12 18

> 9 **35** Advancing to the Regional Final round, the Lady Hornets (31-5) were matched against the Kerens Lady Cats (27-7) for the next play

feating Era in the Quarter Finals.

Muenster controlled the tip as the game began. The first minute was turnovers and missed shots. Allison Pagel scored the first basket, with Demi Koelzer and Taylor Klement adding free throws to give the Lady Hornets a 5-0 lead, before the Lady Cats scored.

Muenster remained out front, keeping around a 9 point lead the majority of the Andi Felderhoff, and Emily Hellman all scoring for a 20-13 1st quarter score.

Kerens opened the 2nd quarter with an 8-1 run to tie the game 21-21 with 4:45 on the clock. Three-pointers by Heers and Pagel helped push Muenster to a 27-22 halftime score.

The 2nd half opened with Muenster scoring 8 and Kerens 4 in the first 2 minutes to get the Lady Hornets back to a 9 point lead. The

Muenster their largest lead 46-35. Halfway through the final period, the Lady Hornets hit two free throws and Kerens a 3-pointer for a 48-38 score as Muenster worked on the clock.

At the 4 minute mark, Klement scored in the paint, but another Lady Cat 3 put the score back within 9. From the free throw line, Koelzer and Klement added more points. Two minutes away from a return trip to Austin, Muenster led 53-43.

Klement hit another free at 1:14 as the Lady Hornets began to wrap this game up, running the clock. Pagel added another point as the celebration of a return trip to Austin began with a 55-43 Regional Final victory for the Muenster Lady Hornets.

Klement, Pagel, and Heers once again led the scoring with 19, 13, and 12 points. Koelzer added 8, with Felderhoff scoring 2, and Hellman 1.

M 13 8 **43** The Lady Hornets advance to the final four State Playoffs representing Region 2. They will play the Smyer Lady Bobcats (33-2) from Re-

gion 1 at Frank Erwin Cen-

ter, UT Austin. Also at State

will be Martins Mill (38-3) from Region 3 and Falls City (26-3) of Region 4. State action began Thursday with Muenster and Smyer, followed by Martins Mill and Falls City. The winners

will meet Saturday at 8:30 a.m. for the State Championship. Smyer started off Regional play by defeating Panhandle by a score of 56-50, then Su-

dan 34-30. Smyer is a small west Texas town, two counties from New Mexico with an approximate population of 500.



State Bound Muenster Lady Hornets!! From left, front - Demi Koelzer, Shelby Dangelmayr, Emily Hellman, Lana Heers, Paige Hennigan, Paige Herr; back - Allison Pagel, Andi Felderhoff, Amber Walterscheid, Michelle Sicking, Taylor Klement, Kalyn Dangelmayr, and Lauren Rohmer.

Deanna Hellman photo

Lindsay, Howe, Gunter, and Lindsay win Lindsay Jr Hi Meet

Last Friday, Lindsay hosted a junior high track and field meet. Nine schools competed in four divisions. The Lindsay 7th grade girls and 8th grade boys won their divisions. Howe won the 7th grade boys and Gunter the 8th grade girls divisions.

Results for Muenster and Lindsay participants and team standings were as fol-7TH GRADE GIRLS

2400m: 1, Cooper, L, 11:04; 4, Inglish, L, 11:36. 800m: 6, McCage, L, 3:18.

100m: 1, Cornett, L, 15.54. **400m Relay**: 2, Lindsay, 60.5; 6, Muenster, 62.85. Rile 110m Hurdles: 5.

22.04; 6, Walterscheid, M, 800m Relay: 2, Lindsay, 2:10.56; 6, Muenster, 2:19.08.

400m: 1, Morris, M, 1:12; 5, Davis, L, 1:21.47. **200m**: 2, Eason, L, 32.95;

4, Davis, L, 33.53; 5, Davis, L, 1200m: 5, Walterscheid, M,

300m Hurdles: 1, Early, L, 59.67; 2, Anzaldua, L, 1:01.26; Riley, L, 1:01.72; 4, Schneider, M, 1:01.8.

5:27.20.

1600m Relay: 4, Lindsay, 5:19.61; 6, Muenster, 5:29.59. **Shot Put**: 1, Fangman, M, 27' 9.5"; 2, Gunderson, L, 26' 4"; , Horsman, M, 23' 8.5". **Discus**: 2, Snider, L, 57' 0.5";

3, Schumacher, L, 56' 10"; 4, Fangman, M, 54' 6".

Triple Jump: 1, Early, L; 3, Cooper, L; 4, Anzaldua, L. Long Jump: 1, Early, L, 13' 9"; 6, Cooper, L, 13'.

TEAM STANDINGS: Lindsay, 160; 2, Gunter, 97 1/3; 3, Howe, 97 1/6; 4, Valley View, 78 1/6; 5, Collinsville, 53 1/6; 6, S&S, 51; 7, Muenster, 43 1/6; 8 Blue Ridge, 2; 9, Denton Cal-7TH GRADE BOYS

2400m: 4, Martinson, L,

800m: 2, Klement, M, 2:48. **100m**: 3, Morris, L, 14.39. 400m Relay: 6, Muenster,

400m: 2, Richards, L, 1:12.1; 4, Bartel, M, 1:12.3.

300m Hurdles: 3, Klement, M, 58.83; 4, Deeken, M, 59.71; 6, Reynolds, L, 1:02.40.

1200m: 3, Martinson, L, Shot Put: 6, Lancaster, M,

200m: 4, Sprouse, L, 28.21. 1600m Relay: 4, Muenster,

Long Jump: 5, Bartel, M, 14' 800m Relay: 4, Muenster,

TEAM STANDINGS: Howe, 173; 2, Valley View, 82; 3, Gunter, 75.5; 4, Blue Ridge, 69; 5, S&S, 46; 6, Muenster, 44; 7, Lindsay, 35; 8, Collinsville, 33;

8TH GRADE GIRLS

2400m: 3, Martin, L, 10:28; 6, Triple Jump: 2, Fleitman, L, 1200m: 2, Morrow, L, 4:28.81; 28' 4"; 4, Klement, L, 27' 11". **Long Jump**: 4, Atkins, L, 13'

; 5, Ott, L, 13' 2.5"; 6, Martin,

High Jump: 6, Martin, L, 4'

Flusche, M, 12:08. **800m**: 5, Hare, M, 3:17. ?; 6, Cooper, L, 13'.

100m: 1, Haverkamp, M, High Jump: 4, Walterscheid, 13.95; 6, Schofield, L, 14.99 400m Relay: 5, Lindsay,

100m Hurdles: 2, Gressett, M, 19.26; 3, Myrick, L, 20.43; 5,

Fleitman, L, 21.24. **800m Relay**: 5, Lindsay, 2:10;

6, Muenster, 2:15. 400m: 4, Walterscheid, M, 200m: 5, Klement, L, 32.37;

6, Ott, L, 32.75. 1600m Relay: 3, Lindsay, 5:11.67; 5, Muenster, 5:23.25. 300m Hurdles: 1, Myrick

3.44. L, 59.16; 3, Dangelmayr, M, **110m Hurdles**: 3, Reynolds, 1:02.16; 5, Neu, L, 1:04.62; 6, **1200m**: 1, Martin, L, 4:57.44.

Shot Put: 4, Ott, L, 29' 2"; 5, Fuhrmann, L, 27' 9.5".

Discus: 6, Fuhrmann, L, 54'

TEAM STANDINGS: Gunter, 142; 2, Howe, 103; 3, Collinsville, 92; 4, Lindsay, 87; 5, S&S, 59; 6, Denton, 34; 7,

Muenster, 31; 8, Valley View, 30; 9, Blue Ridge, 1. 8TH GRADE BOYS 2400m: 2, Herr, M, 9:51; 3,

Anderle, M, 10:06; 4, Hellman, 800m: 5, Morrow, L, 2:35.

100m: 2, Robertson, L, 12.55. 400m Relay: 1, Lindsay, 48.78; 5, Muenster, 52.41. 110m Hurdles: 5, Dieter, L, 20.40.

400m: 1, Anderle, L, 57.39; 5, Springs, L, 1:06.90.

300m Hurdles: 4, Dieter, L, 52.21; 5, Fleitman, L, 52.8.

6, Hellman, L, 4:39.98. **Shot Put**: 1, Pelzel, L, 39' 3/5"; 3, Krahl, Ĺ, 36' 11.75"; 4, Robertson, L, 36' 2".

200m: 1, Krahl, L, 25.06. 1600m Relay: 1, Lindsay, 3:59.20; 6, Muenster, 4:38.93. **Discus**: 3, Pagel, M, 91' 8"; 4, Pelzel, L, 88' 3"; 5, Trubenbach,

Long Jump: 1, Krahl, L, 18' 2"; 2, Anderle, L, 17' 8.5"; 3, Robertson, L, 17'8".

High Jump: 2, Cheaney, M, 5' 4"; 3, Ott, L, 4' 10"; 5, Boaz, L, 4' 10"; 6 (T), Morrow, L, 4' 4". **800m Relay**: 5, Lindsay, 1:52;

6, Muenster, 1:53. Triple Jump: 4, Boaz, 33' 3.5"; 6, Fleitman, L, 31'.

STANDINGS: TEAM Lindsay, 158; 2, S&S, 147.5; 3, Gunter, 87; 4, Collinsville, 40; 5, Valley View, 40; 6, Muenster, 38; 7, Blue Ridge, 37; 8, Howe, 36.5: 9. Denton Calvary. 4.

State **Basketball**

With the Final Four this weekend in Texas high school basketball, the Conference 1A - Division I Texas Girls Coaches Association Top 10 Basketball Poll shifted positions.

poll

The Muenster Lady Hornets rose to #3 after two more playoff victories. Smyer moved to #1, with Martins Mill in 2nd and Falls City 4th. Goldthwaite dropped to #5 and Kerens is #8.

Lindsay teams in S&S Tournament

The Knights and Lady Knights competed in the S&S Inritational Tournament this past weekend.

The girls were 1-3 in the tournament, losing three games with less than 2 runs in each game. "Errors caused us a game and striking out is looking high on the list," noted Coach Robin Hess. "We left several runners stranded on bases in the games we lost.

Game one was a 4-2 loss to Bonham. Lindsay left bases loaded in the 2nd and 4th innings. Scoring were Alyx Ethington and Ranee Morrison. Taylor Atkins took the loss on the mound, facing 20 batters, allowing 4 hits, 6 strikeouts, and 2 walks.

Game two was plagued with strikeouts, with Lindsay pulling out a 6-4 win over Leonard. Bethani Eberhart had 2 runs, with Elizabeth Zwinggi, Megan Caillier, Kayla Davis, and Lucinda Krahl also scoring. Morrison took the win for the Lady Knights, allowing 7 hits, no walks, and striking

The third game of the tournament put Lindsay against their host S&S. The Lady Knights hit two over-the-fence home runs, but allowed the Lady Rams to score 5 runs, ty-

ing the game and forcing extra innings that ended in a 7-6

Lindsay loss. The final game was a 3-2 loss to Dodd City. "This game, we were plagued with errors," said Coach Hess. The Lady Knights had 10 strikeouts. Erin Copeland and Eberhart scored. Atkins faced 29 batters, allowed 4 hits, 4 walks, and struck out 11 batters.

The Knight baseball team went 2-1 in the tournament. In game one, the Knights racked up 8 runs on 10 hits for an 8-5 victory over Howe. Dylan Hughes, Travis Skinner, and Trevor DeBorde led the offense.

The Knights continued their good play in game two with a 10-0 win over Trenton. John Haverkamp allowed no runs on 2 hits from the mound. Hughes, Tyler Hundt, and Todd Bezner led the team.

In the Championship game, the Knights came up a little short, allowing mistakes, including nine strikeouts, to get them in the end, falling 2-1 to Bland. Bezner pitched five innings, facing 20 batters, striking out 7, walking 1, and allowing only 3 hits. Dean Fleitman made the score that tied the game at 1 apiece. The 2 runs that Bland scored on were

Lady Knights over Gainesville

The Lady Knights took an 11-1 win over the Gainesville Lady Leopards last week. Lindsay committed only 2 errors and recorded 13 hits with 8 RBIs.

Scoring for the Lady Knights were Ranee Morrison and Lucinda Krahl 2 each, Alyx Ethington, Erin Copeland, Taylor Atkins, Bethani Eberhart, Kayla Davis, and Kassidy

Morrison faced 21 batters, allowed 5 hits, struck out 6, walked 5, and had 1 unearned run.

Watch for Muenster Lady Hornets State Basketball special next week!!

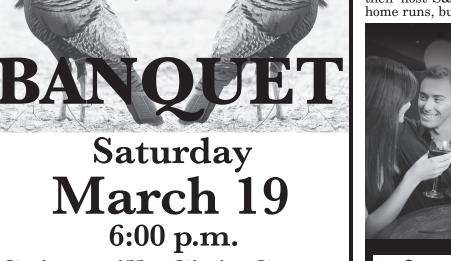
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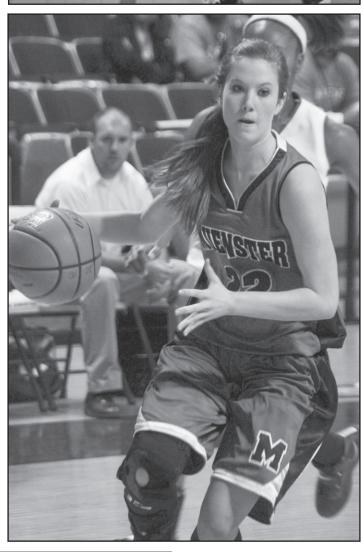






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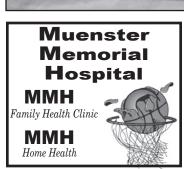












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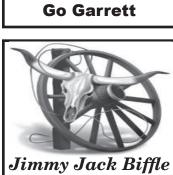


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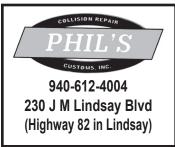


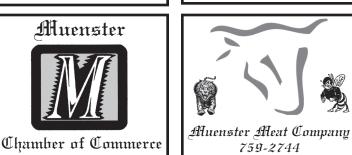
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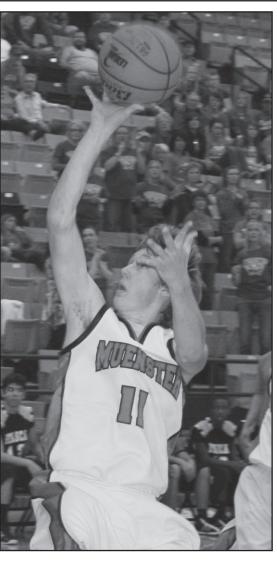
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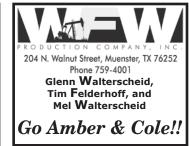






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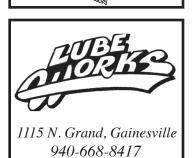
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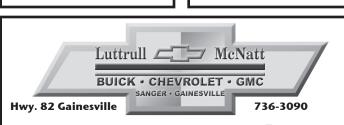


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The residence of the Independent Executor is in Cooke County, Texas, and the post office address is:

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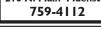
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though a few lower prices

were noted later in the week.

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cattle continue to support the

market. Fed cattle prices fol-

lowed wholesale beef values

cattle and corn were higher

while feeder cattle, cotton,

wheat, and lumber were

reported adequate to short

in most of East Texas and

mostly short to very short in

West Texas. Warmer weather

during the week boosted

wheat growth, though much

of the crop remains stressed

by dry conditions and earlier

rated in mostly fair to very

poor condition. Preparations

for spring planting are un-

derway in many areas with

some corn and grain sorghum

planted in South and Central

Texas. Pastures were rated in

mostly fair to poor condition

and need moisture in many

areas. The extremely dry con-

ditions and very high winds

the High Plains.

Statewide, the crop was

Soil moisture supplies were

As for futures markets, fed

FARM & RANCH

NCBA opposes dust regulations

of dust by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) could cripple farmers and ranchers, as well as rural communities, according to the National Cattlemen's Beef Association (NCBA). The organization released a statement indicating the EPA regulations would be twice as stringent as the current standard and could push several compliant, attainment areas into noncompliance or nonattainment.

NCBA commissioned John Richards, Ph.D., P.E., of Air Quality Control Techniques, to evaluate the potential impact the added EPA regulations would have on farmers and ranchers and rural com-

"Regulating dust at levels twice as stringent will wreak havoc in rural agricultural

resource for America's ru-

ral communities—bringing

livelihood to crops, as well

as providing a basic need to

residents. American Farm

Bureau Federation (AFBF)

will join the National Ground

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water management dur-

ing National Groundwater

Awareness Week, March

"Although groundwater is

critically important every-

where, nowhere is it more im-

portant than in rural Amer-

ica," said AFBF President Bob Stallman. "Groundwater

is the lifeblood of our rural

families and our agricultural

Stallman added that 96%

of rural Americans depend on

groundwater for their water

supply and crop irrigation.

However, he also noted that

responsible groundwater

areas in the country that or weather conditions could would have to purchase new, expensive technologies to control dust," Tamara Thies, NCBA chief environmental counsel, said of Dr. Richards' findings. "If EPA moves forward with a proposed rule as we anticipate, farmers and ranchers could be fined for driving down a dirt road, moving cattle from one pasture to the next, or tilling a

Rural communities across the country that currently have attainment status will move to nonattainment status, including areas of

"In our industry, dust is inevitable, but if EPA moves forward, entire states could be thrown into nonattainment or be on the brink of nonattainment where slight changes in dust emissions

urban residents, as well.

"This is not just a rural is-

ter through public water sys-

areas can do much to harm

groundwater quality," Stall-

man said. "It is to everyone's

benefit to adjust their habits

to protect groundwater."

Groundwater Awareness

Week, March 6-12

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) is projecting record output for the 2011-12 U.S. corn harvest. Economists speculate that strong commodity market prices and ethanol production are two reasons for the corn acreage increase, reaching more than 90 million. Corn production for ethanol use

Groundwater is a precious management is critical for compared to \$88 billion in sue. Urban areas can consume large amounts of groundwa-

USDA calls for record corn yield

throw them into nonattain-

ment," Thies added. "The

bureaucrats at EPA may not

understand our industry, but

this study is further proof

that regulating dust at such

unprecedented levels will be

financially devastating for

production agriculture.

is projected at five billion USDA projects the U.S. soybean crop to yield more than three billion bushels while wheat projections are estimated at 2.08 billion bushels. Total U.S. agricultural exports are estimated at a record \$135.5 billion,

Overall, economists see supplies remaining tight this tems, and heavily populated year, due to biofuels and demand. Some industry experts contend that the USDA's estimates are high and output could fall short of the acreage

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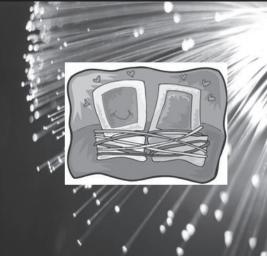
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If every lawn was a rectangle, this would be an easy process. However, very few of us have that scenario, therefore the calculation can be done one of several ways: calculate the entire lot and subtract non-lawn areas, or break the lawn down into sections and calculate the area of each, then add

them together.

I believe the second suggestion may be the most straight forward. Simply decide what geometric shape each section of lawn is and use the formula for that shape to determine area. Examples of this are: squares and rectangles = length x width; triangles = (length of base x height)/2; circles = 3.14x(½ distance across circle x ½ distance across circle).

In order to apply products in an appropriate manner with an environmentally friendly approach, one must take the time to measure and calculate the surface area of their site. It is an easy task to perform, it doesn't take a lot of time, and the calculations are relatively easy. In addition, you will normally only need to measure the site once. Record the information and save it. So, do the right thing and measure the surface area of your landscape. More importantly, use this value when applying products to your lawn.

Dates to remember

March 8 - Cooke County Marketing Club Meeting, Cooke County Farm Bureau Building - 7 p.m.

contributed to wildfires in the March 25 – Quail Appreciation Day (Quail Education and Tour) Mt. Springs Area, 8:30 - 4:00. RSVP (940) 668-5412. Cross Timbers region and on

U.S. cattle inventory experiencing record lows

Increased demand and higher input costs are causes for concern about the nation's shrinking cattle herd size. According to a San Angelo Standard Times article, the herd is down to about 92 million head, the lowest number in more than 50 years.

Higher beef prices are slowing demand as the first quarter of 2011 is over halfway done. Live cattle futures are trading near the record high set last month at the Chicago Mercantile Exchange. A recent Reuters report said consumers are grappling with

Bucks (per lb)

<u>Lambs</u>: NT; <u>Ewes</u>: .45-.90; <u>Bucks</u>: .90 - 1.25.

Goats (per head)

Kids: 25-55 lbs., \$35-\$65; 35-55 lbs., \$50-\$85; 55-75 lbs., \$65-\$1.10.

Yearlings (per head) 75-120 lbs., \$1.00-\$1.80.

Nannies (per head) Stocker: \$75-\$1.10; Milk Type: \$1.50-\$1.80; Slaugh-ter, 1.10-\$145; Thin, \$30-\$65.

Billies (per head) 120 lbs-up Breeders: \$140-\$185. Slaughter: \$.95-\$150.

Boer Goats (per head)

1/2 Nanny: NT; 3/4 Nanny: NT: Full Nanny: NT. 1/2

Billy: NT: 3/4 Billy: NT:

Thin: .NT; Fat: NT.
Barbardo (per head)

higher food prices and turning to normally economical choices, including select beef cuts such as the chuck or round commonly ground into hamburger meat.

According to a USDA forecast, beef production is projected at 25.66 billion pounds in 2011. Select beef last week averaged \$168.22 per hundredweight or 55 cents more than the choice beef priced at

"The decline in the national cattle herd has been ongoing since the mid-1970s," said James Hunt, with Amarillobased Texas Cattle Feeders Association, in the article. 'There are many factors involved in this contraction. Availability of affordable land is an issue. Prolonged droughts in various regions of the country have been a problem. High prices for calves and feeder cattle have given cow-calf operators an incentive to not hold back heifers for breeding purposes. And bad government policies, such as excessive estate taxes and burdensome environmental regulations that are not founded on sound science, have helped to drive some cattlemen and cattlewomen

out of the business.' Market experts say that while this year is predicted to be good for ranchers, they need to start building herds and keeping replacement breeding stock for years



& bulls N/T. Calves & yearlings N/T. Sold at Friday's sale FEBRUARY 25 were **1732**, compared to **2641** the previous week. Sold at Tuesday's sale MARCH 1 were **254** Goats, **101** Sheep, and **213** Hogs. The numbers from last week were 302 Goats, 41 Sheep, and 81 Hogs. Results Stocker: N/T; Thin: N/T; Fat: NT.

Stocker Cows (per head)

Pregnancy-tested, 3 to

500-600 lbs.: No. 1, 1.40-1.70; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.00-1.20; 700-800 lbs.: No. 1, 1.15-1.39; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.00-1.05. Feeder Heifers (per lb.) 200-300 lbs.: No. 1, 1.40-2.00; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.00-1.35; 300-400 lbs.: No. 1, 1.40 Nos. 2 & 3. 1.05 25; 400-500 lbs.: No. 1.35-1.55; Nos. 2 & 3, 05-1.20; 500-600 lbs.: No. , 1.25-1.49; Nos. 2 & 3, .00-1.25; <u>600-700 lbs.</u>: No.

Slaughter Cattle (per lb.)
Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade #1-2, 1,200-2,050 lbs., .75-.97; <u>Slaughter</u> <u>Cows:</u> #1&3, .65-.75; <u>Cut</u>

9-year-olds - Large Frame: \$1100-\$1500; Medium Frame: \$800-\$1000. Cow/Calf Pairs w/calves under 250 lbs. - Large Frame: \$1250-\$1575; Medium Frame: \$900-\$1100. Baby Calves: Holstein: \$40-\$70; Cross Breds: \$150-

Barrows & Gilts (per lb.) US #1, 230-270: .55-.68; US #2, 220-280: 45-.55 Feeders (per head): 100-175 lbs.: .65-1.20; 25-90 lbs.: .35-.80

Sows (per lb.) Seeder, 400 or less: .30-.48 Light wt., 400-500: .42-.48; Med. wt., 500-600: .45-.48; Heavy wt., 600+: .45-.45
Boars: (per lb.) 300 lbs.: .30-.35; <u>Light wt.</u>:

Sheep (per lb.)

lambs: 1.40-1.55

<u>Feeder lambs:</u>, 1.40-1.60; <u>Light lambs:</u> 1.40-1.80; <u>Fat</u>

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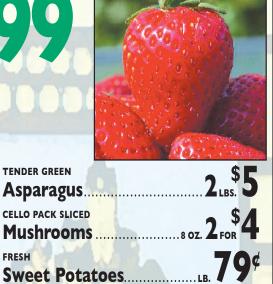
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