

Muenster Angels experience the joy of giving to others

Janet Felderhoff
News Editor

Their eyes sparkled with joy and smiles brightened the faces of the 16 students in Michele Knauf's 4th grade class at Sacred Heart Catholic School. They were talking about Christmas morning and gifts, but it was not what they would find under their own Christmas trees, but that of a family they have never met in another city. A family with very little in the way of basic needs and comfort.

The students were excited about the wonderful Christmas that they are helping to

make happen for a family in south Texas.

Knauf's daughter Kristen Knauf Harris, a CPS (Child Protective Service) investigator in the Austin/Killeen area, encountered a family in need of help and called on her mother for help. She told the story as revealed to her by Kristen, who must take care to protect the children's privacy. CPS was contacted by a school about two boys whom they felt might be being abused. When Kristen investigated, she knew immediately that it was not abuse, but dire poverty. The boys Jeffrey and Johnny, age 10 and 11, are living with

their grandfather and an adult uncle. The boys' mother was killed several years ago and their grandmother was awarded custody of them. The grandmother died recently.

Knauf remarked, "It's too late to get through the system and get help for them for Christmas and she knows how good the people of Muenster are and how good they have been to the CPS children before. So, she called me and said, 'Is there anything you can do?' I said, 'Yes.'

"All I did was write a letter

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CHRIST in CHRISTMAS!



NOTICE

Muenster ISD basketball games scheduled to be played in the competition gym have been moved to the practice gym. Temporary bleachers were moved in to accommodate fans. During the recent ice storm, pipes froze and burst, flooding the gym and damaging the floor. It will take about six weeks to repair and should be finished in mid February. The last basketball game is Feb. 11.

Muenster Elementary School on the move



Janie Hartman photo

On Tuesday, Muenster ISD Elementary made the move from their old building to the new Elementary campus. Assisting the staff and students in the move were numerous family and friends with their dollies, pick-ups, trailers, and most important - man power. "The Muenster community is so blessed to have this beautiful facility and our wonderful volunteers," noted MISD Elementary Principal Lou Heers. "It was a beautiful day. God had a good plan. The hard part is over. We still have lots of boxes and little hiccups, but everything is falling into place." Heers compared the last year of preparations to one's wedding day - "You plan and you plan for the day - and then it finally happens." The campus will be open to the public during Public Schools Week in March. See page 6 for more pictures.

HOFBAUER FINDS SANTA'S FACE BY FOLLOWING THE WOOD

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What do you see when you look at a piece of driftwood? Marsha Hofbauer gazes at a piece of driftwood and sees potential. Most recently, she has been inspired to paint a variety of Santa faces on the driftwood.

"Some of them (driftwood pieces) are so crazy that you have to go where the wood tells you to go," admitted Marsha. "Some are simple and straightforward, but some you have to get a little creative and follow the wood. I used Mike (her husband) a little bit for a Santa face. He's got the beard and red cheeks - he could be a Santa."

"It's amazing where you see a Santa face," remarked Marsha. Her quest for a suitable piece on which to paint begins with a ride on the Kubota down to the Red River. "We find driftwood and whatever the River happens to wash up," Marsha said. "If it looks like it has a little Santa potential, we carry it home and clean it up and I get to painting." Acrylic paints are what she uses for the Santa faces.

The cleaning process may involve a wire brush and air hose depending on how dirty the selected piece of wood is. Some are so bleached and dried by the sun that not much cleaning is required. Some are small and wet when Marsha finds them. These are bleached before using. All the painted pieces are sealed with polyurethane. This protects the

painting and gets rid of any bugs that may have made their homes in the driftwood.

The driftwood Santa faces have become popular. Marsha painted 34 or 35 this year. Many have already been sold, but there is a good selection available to purchase at Main Street Art Gallery in Saint Jo. The holiday creations are displayed on one wall of the gallery near a front window. Marsha also works at the Art Gallery.

Asked what the most unusual Santa she'd made looked like, two quickly came to mind. One was a piece of driftwood with a long tree root. "I just extended his beard down the root," she said. "I like that one. I guess the most unusual one is a twisted piece of wood that you'd have to hang on a post or a corner because it kind of wraps around. It looks like the wind is blowing him. That was Mike's favorite."

It was a request from her daughter Karli that got Marsha started making these unusual art pieces. Last Winter, Karli showed her mother a picture of a cartoon-type Santa that someone had painted. Marsha said it had Spanish moss and was painted on an old board. Karli asked Marsha if she could paint one like it for her.

The request seemed reasonable to Marsha, so she went to the River to find something to paint it on. "I wanted to make them realistic instead of cartoony," commented Marsha. "I've done some of them to make them look really vintage like old vintage Santas and then some of them not so

much. It gets tough to be different every time." Marsha painted one for herself that was seven foot long and curved. It leaned nicely on her front porch.

To test the market for her creations, Marsha put the first batch she finished on Facebook and sold several.

Marsha noted that she's done a few witches at Halloween and a few other things.

Marsha and her husband Mike Hofbauer reside in the Bur Oak community near the southern bank of the Red River. They have been married for 35 years and have four children and seven grandchildren.

After about a dozen years in a nursing career as an LVN, Marsha was going to return to college to get her RN degree. Instead, she found herself burned out and seeking something different. Mike encouraged her to find something that she wanted to do.

"I had always piddled and wanted to do art stuff, but it never occurred to me to go get an art degree and use art for a living and friend of mine talked me into going explained Marsha of her career change. "I had no clue that I wanted to be a sculptor. All I'd ever done was piddle with painting and drawing. In my first sculptor class, I thought, 'This is what I want to be doing.' So, sculpting is what I love to do. I love playing in clay. Hours can go by and I don't even know it." The shelves in her studio are lined with art projects, some

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Janet Felderhoff photos

Marsha Hofbauer in her Mars Studio, at left, paints Santa's face on a piece of driftwood found along the Red River. Above, Marsha shows some of the Santas on display at Main Street Gallery in Saint Jo.



Courtesy photo

Rednecks with Paychecks recently organized a golf tournament with a portion of the proceeds going to the Muenster Chamber of Commerce. They raised \$10,000 for the Chamber. The Chamber plans to use a portion of these funds toward the completion of the Heritage Park facility. Pictured are, from left, Derrick Morse, Kelsey Ready, Christopher Reeves, Matt Sicking, John Broyles, and Josh Walterscheid.

Letter to the Editor

To the Editor,
THE DEATH OF A SHOP CLASS AS WE KNOW IT.
 This letter is to all the great people of Muenster ISD. As a student of graduating Class of 1969, I thought I knew everything. I could not have been more wrong. If I had known I was going to need a better education, I would have studied harder. I learned basic math, history, English and science and one very important class, woodshop. I loved woodshop and agriculture. We learned about crops, welding, drafting, scales, electricity and some blue print reading.
 What I learned in these classes I have used most of my adult life. I will never forget the skills and safety procedures that were taught. I know there are quite a few other residents that took these classes and have benefited from what they learned. Some have used these skills to start their own business, some do part time woodworking as a hobby.
 My point to all this is that the shop building at MISD is going to be torn down and woodshop as we knew it will be lost forever. I am asking the citizens of Muenster to join in with me in an effort to save the building and reinstate woodshop class. The skills that our kids learn in woodshop and ag create a better American workforce.
 I am going to pass around a petition asking the school board and administration to hold off on tearing down the building and meet with the tax paying citizens of Muenster to discuss this.
 Time is running short, so if you are in favor of keeping the woodworking class alive and want to be heard contact me if I don't reach you. Cell 940-736-3810.

Herbert R. Fisher
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NCTC hires architects for new projects

By Darin Allred
NCTC Public Relations
 Regents of the North Central Texas Community College District took more steps toward construction of a new Health Sciences building on the Gainesville campus at Thursday's regular meeting. The regents approved Eikon Consultant Group to serve as Construction Manager-Agent to provide representative service for construction of the new Health Sciences Center, expansion of the Career and Technology Center, and new parking on the Gainesville campus. The Board then approved PBK Architects to design the construction of the three new projects. The proposed architectural fee from PBK is 7.5% of the total construction cost.
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DAYS GONE BY.....

65 YEARS AGO Dec. 17, 1948

Proposed farm to market road south of Muenster is scheduled for construction in 1949. Paul Luke is employed at the Katy Depot in Gainesville. New Arrivals: John Henry to John and Sophie Mae Streng; Gary to the J.C. Barrs. Ray Tempel has painful foot injury after dropping a piece of iron on it (no broken bones). Lena Streng fractures left wrist in a fall. Discussion at Com-

munity Council meeting of paving streets in Muenster amounts to an agreement that all Muenster thinks paved streets would be wonderful, but nobody is enthusiastic about the cost; residents will vote on the issue on Saturday.

50 YEARS AGO Dec. 20, 1963

Alvin Hartman is named fire chief. Joe Hartman earns Eagle Scout award. New Arrivals: Carol to Norbert and Ella Mae Rohmer; Pamela to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Rogers; a boy to the Richard Hellingers. Claude Klement is back to school on crutches after a fall from a load of hay in late November. Kathy Selby has measles. Wedding: Joyce Haverkamp and Gilbert Boydston. Obituary: Lawrence "Butch" Bruns, 14, after brief illness. Cathy Arendt, 10, has broken arm after a fall at school. State Theatre advertises *McLintock* starring John Wayne and Maureen O'Hara.
**25 YEARS AGO
 Dec. 16, 1988**
 Muenster Christmas pa-

rade rescheduled for Dec. 17 due to rainout. Ribbon cutting for Muenster Museum held Dec. 8. Jimmy Jack Biffle appointed to Cooke County Tax Appraisal Review Board, replacing Jerry Wimmer who finished his term. Obituaries: Marie Felderhoff, 91; Joseph Fisher, 85. Wedding: Donna Luke and Benjamin "Pete" Roman. Bishop Augustine Dangelmayr is honored on 90th birthday. New Arrival: Ashley to Carl and Rhonda Pagel.

Notice

Due to the holidays, Thursday trash pick up in Muenster has been moved to the Friday after Christmas and the Friday after New Year's Day.



Janet Felderhoff photo

Marsha Hofbauer works on a sculpture of a fawn. Sculpting is her favorite form of art and what she majored in while attending Northwestern State University.

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 finished, others in progress. She has many items that she sculpted, from faces to a buzzard and a tiny fawn.
 "My goal is to sculpt a series of animals indigenous to right here on the Red River and do some bronzing."
 Of her career, Marsha remarked, "I just love it. It is just something in you that you've just got to do!"
 One day while painting Santa faces, Marsha reflected on Christmas as a child. She said, "I remember being a kid and drawing Santa faces every Christmas. That was just one of my favorite things to do. It is kind of funny that here I am painting Santa faces again. I've always loved Santa."
 She earned a Bachelor

of Fine Arts degree from Northwestern State University with a major in Sculptor and minor in Ceramics. She earned her LVN from North Central Texas College.

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 Fri-Tues 12:00, 2:25, 4:50, 7:15

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 Fri- Tues 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 10:00

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2-WEEK EVENTS CALENDAR

To list your event, call 759-4311 BEFORE NOON WEDNESDAY!

| Sunday, December 22, 2013 | Monday, December 23, 2013 | Tuesday, December 24, 2013 | Wednesday, December 25, 2013 | Thursday, December 26, 2013 | Friday, December 27, 2013 | Saturday, December 28, 2013 |
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**Wendell Richey
1936 - 2013**



Wendell Richey

Memorial service for Wendell Richey is set for Friday, Dec. 20 at 3 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Muenster with Rev. Ralph Gourley officiating. Mr. Richey died at the age of 76 on Monday, Dec. 16, 2013 at Denton Regional Hospital. Visitation was held Thursday, Dec. 19 from 7 to 9 p.m. at First Baptist Church.

Wendell Ray Richey was born to Herman and Irene Tuggle Richey on Dec. 20, 1936 in Marysville. As an all-around athlete and avid sports fan, Wendell lettered in football, basketball, track, and baseball. Throughout his high school career, Wendell also spent time working at a cheese plant, and driving a milk truck and a school bus.

In 1955, Wendell graduated from Muenster High School and then attended Ranger Junior College, where he was a kicker for the football team. But, despite a successful freshman year, Wendell followed his heart and returned home to marry his high school sweetheart, Rita Joyce Cain, on Feb. 4, 1956.

Wendell was a former member of the Jaycees and enjoyed coaching his sons' little league baseball games. He also loved fixing things around the house and taking care of his animals. Then, after years as a loyal, devoted member of the First Baptist Church in Muenster, Wendell became a Deacon - a position he had held since 2000.

Wendell and Rita were married over 56 years, during which they raised five children - two sons and three daughters. He later became known as Popi to 18 beloved grandchildren and three great-grandkids, all who loved him dearly and will continue sharing the stories he told for generations to come.

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Survivors include his wife Rita of Muenster; sons and

daughters-in-law Craig and Ann Richey of Austin and Todd and Michelle Richey of Corinth; daughters and sons-in-law Robynn and Nick Walterscheid of Muenster, Stephanie and Garry Felderhoff of Gainesville, and Melanie and Mark Hesse of Muenster; 18 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; sisters Deanna Dean and Linda Muller.

He was preceded in death by his parents, sister Wanda Riley, and brother Hubert Richey.

Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 581, Muenster, TX 76252.

**David Boone
1934 - 2013**

Funeral for David Ward Boone, age 79 of Fort Worth and formerly of Saint Jo, is set for 2 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 15 at Saint Jo First Baptist Church. Visitation is from 10 a.m. to noon Sunday at McCoy Funeral Home of Saint Jo. Mr. Boone died Dec. 12, 2013 in Fort Worth.

Born in Fort Worth on July 15, 1934 to Daniel and Elizabeth Boone, David was raised and graduated high school in Saint Jo. He attended TCU and graduated with a Bachelor's degree from Texas Wesleyan in Fort Worth. After college, David entered the U.S. Army for a two year tour. There, he became a training instructor and also flew the remote controlled targets (RCAT) for training missile units.

After the Army, he worked for Texas Instruments for 33 years. Much of this time, he was a group manager. He also, for some 21 years, was the owner of the Fort Worth Gasket Supply Company. While working at TI, he was stationed in Taiwan. There he met Chi-Yeh, who became his wife Feb. 7, 1984 in Taipei, Taiwan. Together, they were the parents of 6 sons and 8 grandchildren.

David was a lover of nature, enjoying camping in

Colorado, fishing, traveling with the family and some hunting with the boys. He was a loving husband and father and a friend to many.

Survivors are wife Chi-Yeh of Fort Worth; sons David of Colorado Springs, Edwin and Andy of Austin, Danny of Houston, Derek of Fort Worth, and Tony of Colorado; sister Cathy Bourgeois of Dallas; and eight grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother Daniel Boone.

**Antonetti
services set**

Dr. Alfredo Antonetti died Sunday, Dec. 15, 2013. A Rosary and a memorial Mass will be held in Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Muenster on Saturday, Dec. 21. The Rosary will be recited at 9:30 a.m. followed by the memorial Mass at 10 a.m. Following Mass, those who wish to visit with the Antonetti family will gather at the Sacred Heart Parish Community Center Cafeteria for visiting and reminiscing.

**Marjorie M. Tittsworth
1924 - 2013**

Funeral for Marjorie M. Tittsworth, 89, of Lake Kiowa, was held Dec. 16, at Geo. J. Carroll & Son Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery. Mrs. Tittsworth died Friday, Dec. 13, 2013 in Gainesville.

Born May 1, 1924 in Kane, IL to Ira Herman and Goldia Emily Painter Moore, Marjorie has been a resident of Lake Kiowa since 1975. Prior to her recent illness, she spent countless hours volunteering at Lake Kiowa, as well as all of Cooke County, with such agencies as Home

Hospice of Cooke County, Meals on Wheels, Habitat for Humanity, Lake Kiowa Fire Dept. Auxiliary, and others.

She is survived by 13 nieces and nephews.

Marjorie was preceded in death by her husband Ralph George Tittsworth; her parents; brothers Richard and Merle Moore; sisters Helen Roussin and Pearl Ashlock.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Anice Rhodes Scholarship Fund, c/o Lake Kiowa Women's Club. day,

**Adeline Rohmer Pettit
1924 - 2013**

Adeline Louise Rohmer Pettit died on Dec. 10, 2013. She was born in Muenster on Sept. 11, 1924, the daughter of Leo and Anna Koelzer Rohmer. She married Raymond Pettit on Valentines Day, Feb. 14, 1948.

On Friday, Dec. 13, a Rosary was recited at 12:30 p.m. in St. Mary's Catholic Church in Sherman led by sister-in law Imelda Rohmer. Mass and Christian Burial followed with Rev. Antonio Aureus as officiant with Deacon Albert Miller assisting. Interment was in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery.

Casket bearers were Brady

Pettit, Shane Pettit, Chandler Crouch, Jason Pettit, Jeff Pettit, and Jon Pettit.

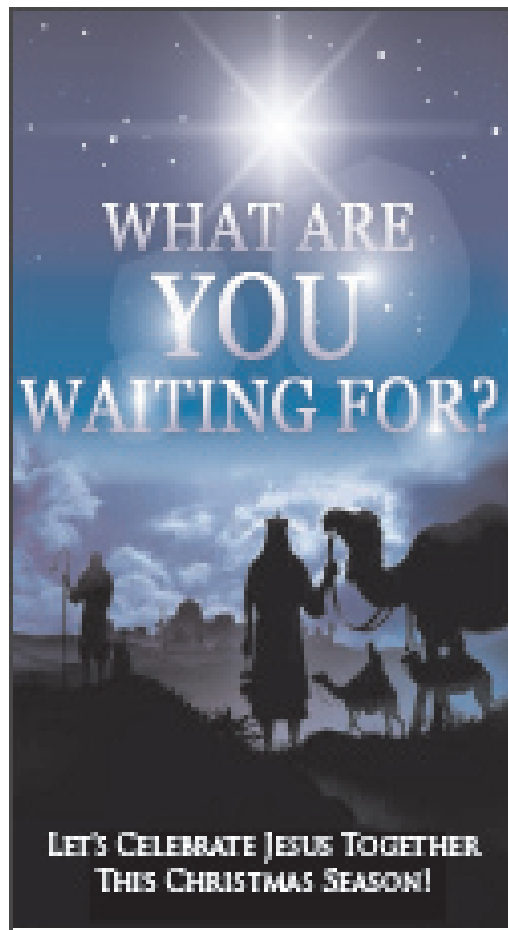
Survivors include her sons Danny and wife Glenda of Euless, and Stephen and wife Cecilia of Flower Mound; and daughter Lisa Kerr and husband Jeff of Sherman; brother Norbert Rohmer and wife Ella Mae of Muenster; sisters Gertie Voht of Muenster and Agnes McCallion and husband Scotty of Tucson, Az; sisters-in-law Imelda and Viola Rohmer of Muenster; eight grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death

by her parents; husband Raymond; daughter Karen Welch; brothers Albert, Alois, Ed, Arnold, and Urban; sisters Bertha Wooten, Eleanor Sicking, Mary Rohmer, Martha McKinney, and Rita Becker.

Adeline attended Sacred Heart School in Muenster. She became a nurse and worked in Sherman hospitals during her career.

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Relay For Life captures Division Awards

Relay For Life of Cooke County and other Relay For Life events were honored at the High Plains Division American Cancer Society Relay For Life Leadership Workshop in Fort Worth on Nov. 9.

The Society awarded Relay For Life of Cooke County with the Top Net Income Award during the special awards ceremony. This award is presented to the Top 25 Relay For Life events across the High Plains Division based on their net funds raised. The High Plains Division of the American Cancer Society includes Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Texas, Hawaii, and Guam.

Relay For Life of Cooke County ranked #22 in the division out of 594 events. Relay For Life of Cooke County also received the Top 5 Event Award for having the #3 earning event in the North Texas region. Other awards

received included the All American Award, Five Star Challenge Award, and the Goal Buster Award.

"The outstanding support received proves that the people of Cooke County are truly committed to the fight against cancer," said Stacy Dickerson, last year's event chair. She expressed appreciation to the many Relay For Life committee members, volunteers, and corporate sponsors who worked to make this event a success.

Relay For Life in Cooke County was held on May 3 at Leopard Stadium in Gainesville and raised over \$177,000 with 41 teams and 114 registered survivors participating. More than 500 local community members came out and supported this event, raising much needed funds for cancer research and to assist local cancer patients going through treatments.

"We are very proud and ex-

cited for Cooke County," said Christi James, senior manager - Relay For Life, for the American Cancer Society. "They worked extremely hard to make the 2013 Relay For Life event successful, and these awards are proof that their work paid off."

"These prestigious awards are a reflection of the exceptional level of support received from our community," said Tamara Sieger, public relations and marketing chair for this year's event in Cooke County.

At the Leadership Conference, Relay Committee members took part in informative and inspiring general sessions and educational workshops where they acquired the skills needed to implement a successful 2014 Relay For Life event. The theme for the Leadership training was "Unmask a Cure and Finish the Fight" and the Relay For Life of Cooke County Leadership Committee dressed in support of the theme.

"For more than 29 years, Relay has given cancer survivors, cancer patients, caregivers, family, friends, and entire communities a place where their voices can be heard in the fight against cancer," added Sieger. Disease that takes too much.

"Dollars raised through Relay For Life help support the American Cancer Society's mission of eliminating cancer by helping people stay well, helping people get well, by finding cures, and by fighting back," added Sieger. This is important because almost everyone knows someone who has been diagnosed with cancer.

For information about how to form a team or become involved in the 2014 event, visit the Relay For Life of Cooke County website at www.RelayForLife.org/CookeCoTX. You can also "Like" the Relay For Life of Cooke County Facebook page. For more information on cancer or for cancer patient assistance, call the American Cancer Society at 1.800.227.2345 or visit the website, cancer.org.



Courtesy photo

Pictured, from left, front to back - Joseph Gehrig, Wyatt Shaffer, Dorysmar Blar, Allison Becker, Zoe Gregg, Marydell Koval, Chance Forshee, and Teresa Boles with 235th District Judge Janelle Haverkamp.

CASA awards art prizes

District Judge Janelle Haverkamp awarded prizes for CASA's 2013 children's art contest. Winners Teresa Boles, Marydell Koval, Dorysmar Blar, Wyatt Shaffer, Alison Becker, Joseph Gehrig, Zoe Gregg, and Chance Forshee were presented art kits and certificates in the District Courtroom.

"This is our eighth year to do this contest. We had entries from Lindsay, Gainesville, Callisburg, Valley View, and Muenster. It's always difficult to choose winners, but the art was so good, we couldn't choose just three winners, as in other years," said CASA Director Vicki Robertson. "Judge Haverkamp always makes presenting the awards something the children will remember. She's really great about visiting with each child, making it special for them."

"CASA will use the winning artwork and incorporate it into our annual campaign. These children helped us to present what we do for hurting children in a very sweet, visual way. We appreciate their contribution to the abused and neglected children we serve."

CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) is a non-profit organization that recruits, trains, and supervises everyday volunteers who look out for the best interests of abused and/or neglected children while they

are a part of the foster care system. CASA volunteers give their time to get to know the children and their families. They check on the children while they are in foster care, check up on the efforts of parents as they work to make the changes necessary to have their families reunited. CASA volunteers then report their findings back to the District Judge, who has the tremendous responsibility of making decisions that affect the lives of these vulnerable children. In a sense, a CASA volunteers act as "the eyes and the ears of the Court" on the children.

CASA has served 135 children whose homes were not safe places to be this year, through the efforts of 56 volunteer advocates and a very small staff. Today, there are several Cooke County children in foster care who do not have a CASA volunteer and need one. CASA is again facing the very real possibility of turning these children away. CASA will be training new advocates in mid-January. Anyone interested in getting involved with CASA may call 940-665-2244, email cjohnson@casant.org, or visit www.becomeacasa.org.

CASA is supported locally by the United Way, Cooke County Commissioners Court, and the City of Gainesville as well as local foundations, individuals, businesses, and churches.

New Arrival



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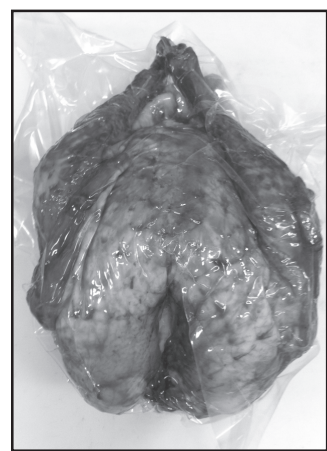
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Shop with a cop

By Daris Howard

My son Scott has always wanted to serve his community and his country, but he didn't see the military as an option for himself. So, when he learned that the local sheriff's department was looking for some reserve deputies to help when needed, he decided that might be his opportunity. After weeks of intensive training, the day of graduation finally came. It wasn't long before he was going on patrols with the regular deputies, and helping where he could.

But then came an assignment that he hadn't considered before. Through the year, the community raised money for "Shop With A Cop" to allow police officers to take underprivileged children Christmas shopping. A local fast food restaurant also donates food for them.

Usually there are far more children in need than funds to go around, but this particular year there were extra fund raisers, and enough money was collected to help all of the children. But this meant that there were not enough regular officers to fill the need, so the reserve deputies were asked to help out.

Scott gladly accepted the opportunity to spend time with one of the children, and was assigned to take an eight-year-old boy named David. When Scott took David out to eat, David, accustomed to having very little money, only ordered a small hamburger and a water. Scott, knowing that wasn't sufficient, more than quadrupled the order for him. David was amazed at the amount of food, but happily ate it.

When it came time to go shopping, Scott took David to the local department store. He was sure David would want some toys for himself, so that was where they started. But David was not interested in that.

"Would you like to look at something else?" Scott asked. David nodded. "Can we look at clothes? I would like to get a new coat."

That was when Scott noticed how threadbare the coat was that David was wearing, and he thought that he should have realized David would want a new one. But when Scott took him over to the boys' clothing section of the store and showed him the coats, David was still not interested. Instead, he walked over to the girls' section. Suddenly his eyes lit up. He pulled a beautiful coat from the girls' rack.

"Do you think this would fit a six-year-old girl?" David asked.

"Who is six years old?" Scott asked.

"My sister," David replied. "She really needs a new coat."

Scott instantly gained a deeper appreciation for this little boy and his situation. But he wasn't sure what size a six year old girl would wear, so he called our home to talk to his mother. She helped them figure out the right size, and soon they had the perfect coat. There was still money left, so Scott suggested that David buy a coat for himself. Instead, he wanted to use what was left to buy coats for his mother and his father. When that was done, the money was gone and David was happy.

But Scott was not. He had watched this little boy selflessly thinking of his family and never thinking of himself. David's coat was far too small for him, too light to hold out the extreme Idaho cold, and tattered and worn.

Before they turned to go, Scott said, "David, there is one more thing we need to buy."

"Is there more money?" David asked.

Scott shook his head. "No, but this is my present."

Scott took David to the coat rack for boys and chose out the warmest coat he could find. They tried a couple before they found the perfect one. Although Scott was a college student and on a tight budget, the smile on David's face was more than pay.

That year, although Scott thought he was doing a good service in helping a little child, he instead became the beneficiary as an eight-year-old boy taught him what Christmas was all about.

Daris Howard, award-winning, syndicated columnist, playwright, and author, can be contacted at daris@darishoward.com; or visit his website at <http://www.darishoward.com>.



NCTC photo

Members of the NCTC Community Relations Committee bought presents for families in the Littlest Angel program. Pictured are, from left, Yvonne Sandmann, Nancy Kirk, Sharon Murphree, Eva Beck, Debbie Frost, and Joan Pulte.

NTMC announces Childbirth Class schedule for 2014

North Texas Medical Center in Gainesville will kick off its 2014 offering of free childbirth education classes with a session scheduled Saturday, Jan. 11.

Other class dates for 2014 are: March 1, May 10, July 19, Sept. 13 and Nov. 15.

It is recommended that mothers participate in childbirth classes at 32 weeks of pregnancy, so expectant moms are encouraged to plan ahead and register for the class scheduled closest to that time.

Leah Fuhrmann, MSN, RN, clinical education specialist for Norman (OK) Regional Health System, is instructor for the class. Leah is a Cooke County native who worked as a nurse at NTMC and a clinical instructor at North Central Texas College before returning to school to obtain her Master's degree in nurse education and moving to Norman.

The classes utilize a streamlined, one-day instructional format which allows for greater flexibility for expectant parents.

Class is held on designated Saturdays, beginning at 10 a.m. and continuing through 4 p.m. Lunch is provided.

Topics to be discussed include: Labor Management; Understanding Labor and Delivery - Anatomy and Physiology, Signs of Active Labor, True Labor vs. False Labor, Pain Management; Delivery - First Look, Cesarean Birth, Post Delivery Changes. A tour of the Women's Center is also featured.

The classes are offered at no charge, but pre-registration is required. Come by the NTMC cashier office prior to the selected date or call 940-612-8669. Classes are not restricted to those delivering at NTMC; however, priority will be given to those utilizing the local facility.

For additional information, contact the Women's Center at 940-612-8400.

Auxiliary holds Christmas meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary VFW Post #6205 held its regular meeting on Dec. 16. President Frances Bayer conducted the meeting. Opening ritual was given by Chaplain Sandra Hennigan pro tem, Conductress Linda Knabe, Patriotic Instructor Hilda Sicking with Secretary Ida Bindel reading the minutes and calling roll. Lucille Hesse's treasurer's report was given by Agnes Hesse.

Bayer told of delivering the mid-year reports to Denton, also a picture of the Patriots Pen winners. She sent 170 Campbell's labels to the National home.

A thank you note was read from the Texas VFW Foundation for the donation to help Veterans in need.

There will be a special meeting Jan. 10-12 at Belton-Copperas Cove. The Mid-Winter Roundup will be Thursday, Jan. 30 through Saturday, Feb. 1.

VFW members held their separate meeting and then joined the Auxiliary members for a dinner. The men furnished the meats and the ladies brought covered dishes.

Monday, Jan. 20 at 7:30 p.m. is the next meeting.



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Moving Day - Muenster ISD Elementary into new building



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Sacred Heart Catholic School 4th graders and their teacher Michele Knauf show the many items they will be donating to a family in need, hoping to give them the best Christmas ever and a happier new year.

ANGELS

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to the parents telling them of the situation, and the way Muenster is, my classroom is full of items for this family. Everything from food to bicycles to toys to even two bicycles in my garage. She knows that she can count on us in Muenster to come through."

Items began arriving the very next morning after the note went out. Some are wrapped, some came in sacks. Clothing sizes were provided for the young boys, but little is known about their grandfather and uncle. Because of this, the students brought in food and other items they felt the grandfather and uncle could use. There was special concentration on clothing since the children's appearance at school had led teachers to wonder if the boys were abused.

There were some cash donations and Kristen plans to use this to purchase ham and other items for the family's Christmas meal. She will be in Muenster this weekend and will take all of the donated items back with her to present to the family.

The students were asked how they felt about helping this family. Some of their comments follow:

"I think it is fun to help people and give them something that they might need and also let them have something to do." Alison Becker

"I think it was fun because I really don't get to shop for boys that much and it was fun shopping. I really enjoyed it because I knew that I was helping someone in need." - Jena Dangelmayr

"I think it was a fun project because you could make or buy things and it was really helping the needy." Briannah Keeling

"I think this project is fun because we're helping people that really don't get much stuff." Wade Sprouse

"I think that it's nice to help people." - Dawson Jones

"It's fun to help people. It's really great to help someone." Max Ganzon

"It was pretty cool." Devon Dickerson

"I just like it because it is giving things to someone who needs a lot of things. I just really wish I could see their faces whenever they see these presents." Emma Bayer

"Helping people who are living a really poor life because their mom has died and nobody knows what happened to their dad - they must feel really good this Christmas. - Weslee Sprouse He added that he would be thinking of that family on Christmas when he opens his gifts and how good this Christmas would be.

"I think it is really good to help this family because they really need the stuff and they really don't have anything. I really would like them to have the best Christmas they can have. I really hope that when they see all these things that they think, 'Wow! We're their Angels from Muenster.'" - Lauren Miller Their teacher noted that the class had decided to call themselves the Muenster Angels.

"They'll know somebody loves them." Alison Becker

The students said that they had heard sad stories of people in need like Jeffrey and Johnny's family all the time, but never had an opportunity like this to help them out.

"When you get to help them out, it makes us feel better. We don't really get the chance to do this." - Ryenne Reiter

The students added that they were excited to get to help someone who was in such need and that they would like to help more people, but do not always get such an opportunity. It is a privilege to help them, they said. They felt that the boys would be very happy to wear

their new clothes to school when they go back after the Christmas break.

"I think it is really nice to help them because you don't really get a chance to. Whenever I hear that I need to help somebody, it makes me feel really good. I'm like 'Mom, I need to go to the store. I want to do this.' I just think about what they are going to see when they open those presents and they'll do a victory dance and to see the look on their face just makes me feel so good. I'm like 'This is the BEST Christmas I and they have ever had!'" Ruth Ann Eddleman

"It is a privilege to help these people in need because not everyone gets to do it. Every Christmas you have an angel in church, but not everyone is there. It was fun doing it and looking for the boys and I think they are going to have the best Christmas ever." - Emily Flusche

"I just really think it was a really fun project. It makes you think about how much you have and I'm very thankful that we could help them because they really need it. I want them to have the best Christmas ever." - Joie Kintz

Members of the SHCS 4th Grade Class are, Emma Bayer, Alison Becker, Jena Dangelmayr, Devon Dickerson, Ruth Eddleman, Jacob Felderhoff, Emily Flusche, Max Ganzon, Dawson Jones, Briannah Keeling, Joie Kintz, Lauren Miller, Ryenne Reiter, Jerrod "Weslee" Sprouse, Wade Sprouse, and Connor Vogel.



MISD photo

STAR Event team member Mariah Rocha, right, observes Trey Anderle as he participates in one of the stress reduction activities during a presentation at Muenster ISD in November. Mariah and Makayla Pumphrey presented helpful information about stress to the students.

Patriots Pen essay winners announced

The Muenster Ladies Auxiliary VFW #6205 announces the local Post winners of the Patriots Pen essay contest. The 2013-14 theme was "What Patriotism Means To Me." The contest is conducted nationwide and is sponsored by the National Veterans of Foreign Wars. The top 46 national winners all receive at least \$500. The 1st place award is currently \$5,000 plus an all-expense paid trip to Washington D.C. for the national winner and a parent or guardian.

All entries begin at the local post level. Post winners advance (one for every 15) to the VFW District (Regional) level where the one 1st place winner is advanced to Department (State), then competes for the national prizes of Patriots Pen. The contest is open to 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students enrolled in private, public, or parochial schools in the U.S. and its territories.

The 1st place winner for Muenster VFW Post #6205 was Sophia Jones, 8th grade student at Muenster, Sacred Heart Catholic School (SHCS). The 2nd place was Rhett Sprouse, 6th grade student at SHCS, and 3rd place went to Harper Crisp, 8th grade student at SHCS.

About 40 students participated, with 11 making

the first cut for local competition. They were: Sophia Jones, Harper Crisp, Robert Jones, Tanner Eddleman, Shane Sicking Ian Kintz, Megan Ploeger, Emma Ploeger, Keith Bezner, Rhett Sprouse, and Madison Ladzinski.

The teacher giving guidance and advice in presenting the contest to the students was Glenda Mitchell. Patriots Pen chairperson for the VFW Auxiliary #6205 was Frances Bayer. David Fisher is the commander of Post #6205 VFW.



Courtesy photo

Patriots Pen winners, from left, Harper Crisp, Rhett Sprouse, and Sophia Jones.

Jones is District winner in Patriots Pen contest

Sophia Jones has been announced the District I, 1st place winner of the Patriots Pen essay contest. Her winning essay has advanced to State competition for District I which is composed of 19 posts including Muenster, Gainesville, McKinney, Allen, Denton, W. Tawakoni, Sherman, Denison, Greenville, Plano, Bonham, Roanoke, Farmersville, Lake Brown, Honey Grove, Frisco, Princeton, Lewisville, and Dallas.

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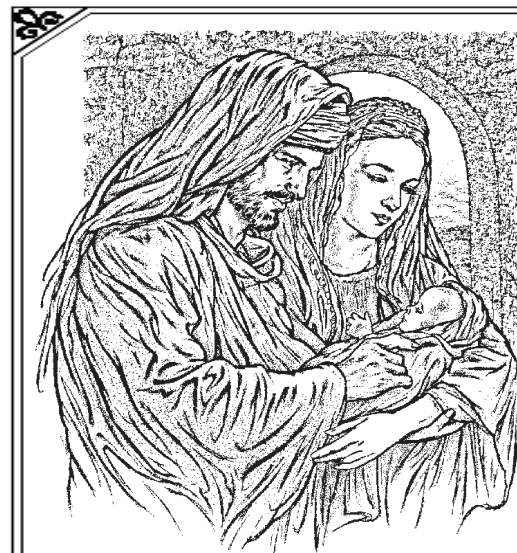
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tion costs for all three projects that were recently approved by voters in the bond election.

Regents then authorized the issuance of the bonds in two installments including \$5.5 million through private placement this month,

and \$9.3 million through the open market in January 2014. The splitting of the bond into two installments should provide significant interest savings to the taxpayers, according to Brian Grubbs of Southwest Securities, Inc.

Tom Schalk of Schalk & Smith, P.C. was on hand to present the annual audit report. Schalk said his firm was able to offer a "clear opinion" of the College's financial standing. "You are fiscally-sound," Schalk told the Board.



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Hornets are Mesquite Pit Champs

After a day of practice Wednesday due to the ice and school closings, the Muenster Hornets traveled to Poolville to take part in the annual Mesquite Pit Tournament. The Hornets played Jim Ned, Smyer, Springtown, and Poolville over the three days. "The Hornets gained some valuable experience," noted Coach Lynn Cook. "They responded well to the challenge of playing increasingly tougher opponents as they advanced the bracket." Muenster came away with the Championship trophy with Lyndon Cook named tournament MVP and Cole Walterscheid to the All-Tournament Team.

Game one on Thursday was a 65-42 victory over Jim Ned. Muenster dominated the 1st quarter and never looked back.

Cole Walterscheid led the Hornets with 22 points. Lyndon Cook added 16 points, pulled down 16 rebounds, and had five steals, four assists and four blocks. Blake Hoepfner also had 16 points. Logan Cook added 7, Brandon Hennigan 3, and Ryan Hoepfner 1.

M 28 12 14 11 65
JN 7 18 3 14 42

Friday saw Muenster get wins over Smyer and Springtown. In the Hornets' 53-45 win over Smyer, Ly. Cook scored 22 points and pulled down 15 rebounds. Walterscheid added 11 to the scoreboard, Lo. Cook and B. Hoepfner 8 each, Trey Anderle 3, and Clint Sidwell 1.

M 12 13 13 15 53
S 6 12 6 21 45

Also on Friday, Muenster squeaked out a 46-44 defensive battle victory over Springtown. Ly. Cook scored 26, B. Hoepfner 13, Walter-

scheid 4, Lo. Cook 2, and Hennigan 1.

M 14 11 13 8 46
S 6 15 14 9 44

In the Championship final game on Saturday, Muenster was challenged by their host Poolville. The Hornets took the home turf with a 53-37 Championship victory.

Ly. Cook put 15 points on the boards followed by 14 from Anderle. B. Hoepfner added 9, Walterscheid 8, Sidwell 4, Lo. Cook 2, and Hennigan 1.

M 20 8 12 13 53
P 12 5 11 9 37

The Muenster Hornets hosted the Bonham Warriors on Tuesday night. Despite holding a slim lead late in the 4th quarter, Bonham's Dre Smith proved too much

for the Hornets as he scored his team's last 18 points and led them to a 38-34 win.

Ly. Cook and B. Hoepfner led the Hornets in scoring with 14 and 13 points. Walterscheid added 6 and Trey Anderle 1.

"Bonham did a really good job of taking away our inside game, while at the same time putting pressure on our guards and causing turnovers. We squandered too many offensive opportunities in the second half because of fouls and turnovers," noted Coach Lynn Cook. "This was a good learning experience for the team. We still have a lot of work to do on both sides of the ball."

M 8 9 8 9 34
B 10 5 4 19 38



Earning All-Tournament honors were, from left - Cole Walterscheid, Sydney Huchton, Kristen Reiter, and Lyndon Cook.



Sacred Heart Tigers - Tournament Champions

Courtesy photo

Tigers win Red River Shoot-out

Sacred Heart hosted the 2013 Muenster Knights of Columbus Red River Shoot-out last week. The Tigers of Sacred Heart were the Champions and the Tigerettes took Runner-up.

Isac Walterscheid was tournament MVP. Keith Metzler, Kason Reeves, and Hayden Schilling were named All-Tournament along with Tigerettes Kinzie Hess, Peyton Reiter, and Michelle Zimmerer.

"The boys are gaining more confidence and are starting to understand the importance of team defense," noted Coach Jon LeBrasseur. "I like the way this team is developing on the defensive end. If we continue to improve, we will be very competitive in District play."

The Tigers started with a 56-31 victory over the Forestburg Longhorns. Eleven Tigers put points on the board. Kason Reeves scored 10 and pulled down nine rebounds. Keith Metzler also scored 10. Tyler Spruill added 8, Grant Springer 5, with Hayden Schilling, Zach Flusche, Brady Endres, and Isac Walterscheid each scoring 4. Stephen Kessler put in 3 and Will Boyd and Daniel Hesse 2 apiece.

SH 21 18 9 8 56
F 6 4 9 12 31

On day two, the Tigers tangled with Turner, dominating the scoreboard for a 36 point halftime lead and a final 57-22 Sacred Heart victory.

Reeves led the scoring with 11 points. Walterscheid added 8, Schilling 7, Endres 6, Metzler and Spruill 5 each, Flusche, Kessler, and Springer 4 apiece, and Hesse 3. Flusche was leading rebounder in the game with eight, while Walterscheid got five steals and seven assists.

SH 24 19 2 12 57
T 4 3 10 5 22

In the Championship game Saturday, the Tigers sent Notre Dame home in defeat and 2nd place after a 58-35 final. Schilling led the Tigers with 18 points and 11 rebounds. Walterscheid added 8 points with six steals. Metzler scored 7, Spruill 6, Kessler and Endres 5 each, 4 apiece by Flusche and Reeves, and 1 by Springer.

SH 16 16 17 9 58
ND 5 6 10 14 35

The Tigerettes took 2nd place after losing to Turner in game two. "This was a good tournament for us. We made a run at a very good Turner team. We had a rough night

shooting the ball," Coach Jon added.

The Tigerettes started with a 49-25 win over Calvary. Peyton Reiter was the game's high scorer with 17. Karleigh Reeves added 11, Michelle Zimmerer 8, Bailey Walterscheid 5, Alane Bartush 4, and 2 each by Kinzie Hess and Kate Davidson. Zimmerer also pulled down 11 rebounds, Reeves had five assists, and Hess six steals.

SH 14 15 12 8 49
C 8 11 2 4 25

Friday evening, the Tigerettes were handed a 53-33 loss by the Turner team. Reiter scored 8, Walterscheid and Kylie Hess 7 each, Bartush 6, Zimmerer 4, and Kinzie Hess 1.

SH 6 15 3 9 33
T 17 14 7 15 53

The Sacred Heart girls earned the Runner-up trophy with a 47-32 game three victory over Notre Dame. Reiter and Reeves were leading scorers with 14 and 11 points. Ki. Hess added 8, Zimmerer 6, Mikenzie Fleitman 3, Leah Knabe and Walterscheid 2 each, and Bartush 1.

SH 16 7 9 15 47
ND 2 10 10 10 32

The Turner girls won their division of the tournament.

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Brady Endres
Punter
Brady Endres
SECOND TEAM
Offense
Lineman
Grant Springer
Back
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Kicker
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JUNIOR VARSITY ACTION

SANGER TOURNAMENT

The Muenster JV Lady Hornets participated in the Sanger JV Tournament Dec. 12 - 14, winning three of four games.

Muenster vs Sanger
The opening game on Thursday was a tough loss to the host, 48-39. Bailey Klement led the scoring for the Lady Hornets with 17 points. Courtney Stephens added 10, Morgan Eldridge 5, Nicole Rains 4, Sarah Binford 2, and Macie Pagel 1.
M 7 15 3 14 39
S 13 13 12 10 48

Muenster vs Krum
Game two was a 64-37 win over Krum. Eldridge and Klement were high point makers with 20 and 18 points. Binford added 6, with Rains and Pagel getting 2 apiece.
M 12 13 10 13 48
K 6 9 15 7 37

Muenster vs Sanger
A rematch with the host allowed Muenster to get revenge and a 40-30 victory. Eldridge was high scorer with 14. Binford added 9, Rains 7, Klement 6, and Pagel 4.
M 10 11 8 11 40
S 6 9 8 7 30

Muenster vs Aubrey
A strong 3rd quarter boosted the Lady Hornets to a 47-26 win in the final tournament game. Klement put 17 points through the hoops. Eldridge and Stephens each added 9, Binford 4, Pagel and Zina Haverkamp 3 each, and Rains 2.
M 10 10 19 8 47
A 6 12 4 4 26

Lady Hornets add five wins to season

The Muenster Lady Hornets took five wins and were handed one loss the past two weeks.

In the iced-out Jacksboro Tournament, the Lady Hornets won 47-24 over Ponder. Scoring was spread out among nine players. Hannah Bayer was high scorer with 8 4th quarter points. Mady Burnett, Katie Pagel, and Sydney Huchton each added 6. Morgan Flusche, Allie Walterscheid, and Kristen Reiter all scored 5, Kassie Dangelmayr 4, and Claire Schneider 2.
M 6 8 21 12 47
P 6 3 6 9 24

Last week, the Lady Hornets made the drives over to Poolville, playing four tournament games in three days.

Game one was a 4th quarter victory with a 45-43 final score over Graham. Reiter and Huchton led the scoring for Muenster with 17 and 13 points. H. Bayer added 6, Page 3, and 2 each by Dangelmayr, Kendi Bayer, and

Schneider.
M 10 14 12 9 45
G 11 11 17 4 43

Game two went into overtime after a 45-45 score in regular play against Jacksboro. Hitting nine of 11 free throws in the extra period gave Muenster a 55-50 victory. Reiter dropped in 18 points and H. Bayer 12 to lead the point making. Schneider dropped in 8 points, Pagel and Huchton 5 each, Walterscheid 3, and 2 apiece by Dangelmayr and Burnett. The Lady Hornets hit 16 of 24 free throws in the game.
M 9 10 9 18 9 55
J 11 12 11 11 5 50

In Friday's contest with Springtown, Muenster couldn't pull out a win, falling 40-31. Scoring for the Lady Hornets were Reiter with 7, Huchton 6, Walterscheid and Burnett 5 each, Schneider 3, 2 apiece by H. Bayer and Dangelmayr, and free throw by Pagel.
M 10 2 6 13 31
S 11 2 14 13 40

The final game of the tour-

namment matched Muenster with their host. A strong 2nd half gave the Lady Hornets a 57-34 win. Reiter and Pagel were high point makers with 11 and 10 points. Schneider and Dangelmayr each added 7, Huchton 6, K. Bayer and Walterscheid 5 apiece, H. Bayer 4, and Flusche 2. Muenster hit 11 of 20 free throws.
M 14 12 17 14 57
P 12 11 2 9 34

On Monday, Dec. 16, Muenster played host to the Olney Lady Cubs, playing in the "practice" gym due to water damage in the gym. After a slow 1st period, the Lady Hornets controlled the next two quarters and earned a 43-28 victory. Eight Muenster players put points on the board. Hannah Bayer scored 9, Kristen Reiter 8, Katie Pagel and Mady Burnett 7 each, Sydney Huchton 5, Kendi Bayer 3, and 2 apiece by Allie Walterscheid and Kassie Dangelmayr.
M 6 19 12 6 43
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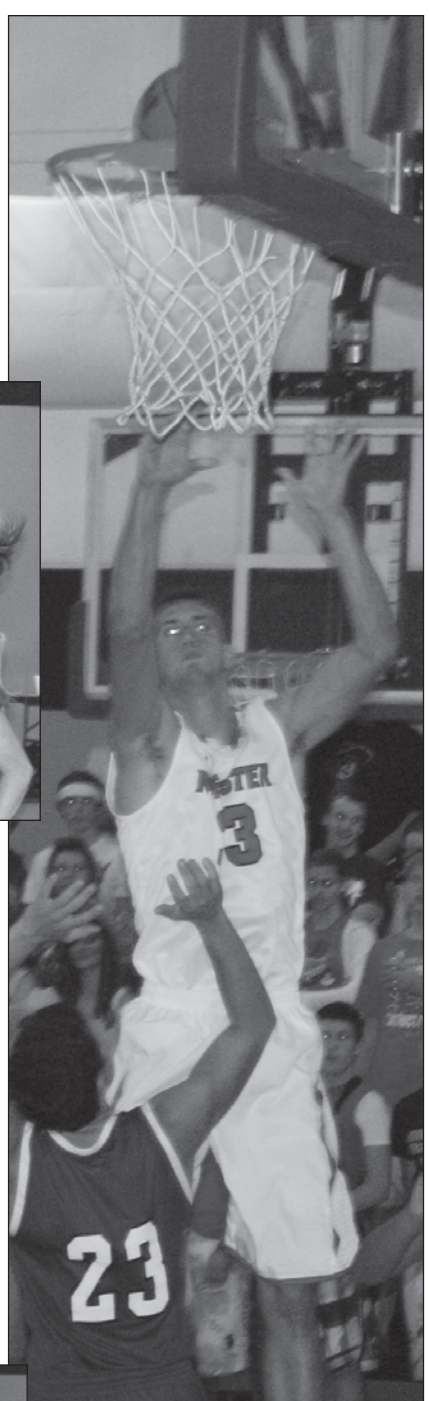
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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ALBERT B. SISSON, Deceased, were issued on December 16, 2013, in Cause No. PR17065, pending in the County Court at Law of Cooke County, Texas, to: LARRY KREMLING.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

c/o: **WM. B SULLIVANT Attorney at Law**
P.O. Box 1517 Gainesville, Texas 76241

DATED the 16 day of December, 2013.

/s/Wm. B. Sullivan
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COMBINED NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

Date of Publication: December 20, 2013
CITY OF MUENSTER, COOKE COUNTY, TEXAS
 400 N. Main, P.O. Box 208
 Muenster, Texas 76252
 940.759.2236

These notices shall satisfy two separate but related procedural requirements for activities to be undertaken by the City of Muenster, Cooke County, Texas.

REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or after January 7, 2014, the City of Muenster, Texas, will submit a request to the Texas Department of Agriculture's Office of Rural Affairs for the release of Texas Community Development Block Grant Community Development funds under Section 104(g) of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended (42 U.S.C. Sec. 5301 et seq), to undertake the following project:

Project Title: Muenster Sewer Improvements
 Project - TxCDBG Contract #712241

Purpose: The City of Muenster is intending to replace sewer line to prevent frequent blockages and maintenance issues. The City plans to install approximately 2,184 LF of 6-inch, 8-inch, and 10-inch sewer lines, approximately 11 manholes, 210 LF of encasement pipe for 6-inch and 8-inch sewer line, 190 LF of destruction and closure of existing sewers, pavement repair, service reconstructions, trench safety, storm water pollution prevention plan, and all associated appurtenances. These activities shall benefit 368 persons, of which 191 or 52% are of low to moderate income.

Location: Alley west of Maple Street, between 3rd and 4th Streets (from Manhole to Maple St.); Maple Street (from Alley between 3rd and 4th Streets to Approximately 275 LF south); To location located southwest cross-country (from Maple St. South to Manhole on 2nd St.); 6th Street (from Alley between Maple & Willow Streets to Alley between Willow & Ash Streets); Alley between Maple & Willow Streets (from Manhole located north of 9th St. to 8th St.); Cross-country (from A manhole approximately 320 LF north of 9th St. and approximately 18 LF east of Cherry St. to A manhole approximately 89 LF southeast) within City Limits of Muenster, Cooke County, Texas

Estimated Cost: Total Project Cost Approx. = \$149,576
 (\$125,000 TxCDBG funds; \$24,576 local funds)

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

The City of Muenster, Texas, has determined that the project will have no significant impact on the human environment. Therefore, an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) is not required. Additional project information is contained in the Environmental Review Record (ERR) on file at City Hall, 400 N. Main, Muenster, Texas, and may be examined or copied weekdays 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. and 1:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the City of Muenster, Texas, City Hall, Attn: Mayor Joey Anderson. All comments received by January 6, 2014, will be considered by the City of Muenster, Texas, prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds. Comments should specify which Notice they are addressing.

RELEASE OF FUNDS

The City of Muenster certifies to the Texas Department of Agriculture that Joey Anderson in his capacity as Mayor consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The Texas Department of Agriculture's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows the City of Muenster to use HUD program funds.

OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

The Texas Department of Agriculture will accept objections to its release of funds and the City of Muenster's certification for a period of fifteen days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following bases: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer of the City of Muenster; b) the City of Muenster has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR part 58; (c) the grant recipient or other participants in the development process have committed funds, incurred costs or undertaken activities not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by the Department; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Sec. 58.76) and shall be addressed to Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas, 78711. Potential objectors should contact the Department to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

Date: December 20, 2013
 Joey Anderson, Mayor
 City of Muenster
 12.20-1

The **CITY OF MUENSTER** will receive bids for **TxCDBG Sewer Improvements**, until **2:00 PM on January 14, 2014**, at **City Hall, City of Muenster, 400 N. Main, Muenster, TX 76252**, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bids are invited for several items and quantities of work as follows: **TxCDBG Sewer Improvements**

Bid/Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at City Hall, City of Muenster, 400 N. Main, Muenster, TX 76252

Morris Engineers, 225 E. Houston St., Sherman, TX 75090

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Copies of the Bid/Contract Documents may be obtained upon a non-refundable payment of \$50.00 to Morris Engineers, 225 E. Houston, Sherman, TX 75090 for each set of documents obtained. Engineer assumes no responsibility for incomplete or incorrect bidding documents, plans, specifications, contract documents, and/or addenda, which are not distributed from office of the Engineer.

A bid bond in the amount of 5 percent of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check or bank draft payable to the **City of Muenster** or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than, the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Agriculture's Office of Rural Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, age, or national origin.

The **City of Muenster** reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by City of Muenster for a period not to exceed 30 days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders qualifications prior to the contract award.

CITY OF MUENSTER By: Joey Anderson, Mayor
 12/20/2013

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LEGAL NOTICE

Final Notice and Public Explanation of a Proposed Activity in a 100-Year Floodplain and Wetlands

To: All interested Agencies: USACE, FEMA; USEPA; NRCS; USFWS; THC; TPWD; TCEQ; TCOG; Cooke County Historical; Cooke County Emergency Management Coordinator; City of Muenster Floodplain Administrator

This is to give notice that the City of Muenster, Responsible Entity under Part 58, has conducted an evaluation as required by Executive Orders 11988 and 11990, in accordance with HUD regulations at 24 CFR 55.20 Subpart C Procedures for Making Determinations on Floodplain Management, to determine the potential affect that its activity in the floodplain and wetland will have on the human environment for the Texas Community Development Block Grant Program (TxCDBG) for non-entitlement cities and counties through the Texas Department of Agriculture's Office of Rural Affairs under contract number TxCDBG Contract #712241. The proposed project is located as follows: Alley west of Maple Street, between 3rd and 4th Streets (From Manhole To Maple St.); Maple Street (From Alley between 3rd and 4th Sts. To approx. 275 LF south); To location located southwest cross-country (From Maple St. south To manhole on 2nd St.); 6th Street (From alley between Maple and Willow Sts. To alley between Willow & Ash Sts.); Alley between Maple & Willow Streets (From manhole located north of 9th St. To 8th St.); Cross-country (From a manhole approx. 320 LF north of 9th St. and approx. 18 LF east of Cherry St. To a manhole approx. 89 LF southeast) within City Limits of Muenster, Cooke County, Texas.

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The area proposed for construction will comprise approximately 0.996 acres (±) and of that area approximately 0.711 acres (±) will be in the floodzone and of that area 0.496 (±) acres in Zone AE and 0.275 (±) in Zone X. Immediately adjacent to the construction area is a NRCS Soil Conservation Lake and associated dam constructed primarily for flood control and soil conservation.

The sewer lines to be replaced were installed in the 1940's and the lake in the mid-1950's. The lake, although silted in, at its deepest point is about 10 feet deep. Wildlife consists of ducks, geese, deer, rabbits, squirrels, skunks, some fish, and other small animals associated with floodplain and wetland areas.

City of Muenster, the Responsible Entity, has considered the following alternatives and mitigation measures to be taken to minimize adverse impacts and to restore and preserve natural and beneficial values: 1) Alternatives considered: a) Re-locating the sewer lines outside of the floodplain considered and rejected since it would create new and larger disruptions of the environment; the cost involved would exponentially exceed available funding due to the depth of the lines, lack of alternative routes, and number of service re-connections required; b) Take No Action; considered and rejected since the lines to be replaced are severely deteriorated clay tile and blocked cast iron that if allowed to remain will eventually break or collapse resulting in significant health and safety issues; or, c) Obtain a LOMR or LOMA from FEMA; considered and rejected since only sewer line construction is involved; and, 2) Mitigation measures: a) Best Management Practices (BMP's) will be utilized to prevent construction site run-off, erosion and downstream sedimentation of water bodies and wetlands, and to control post-construction total suspended solids; and, b) the City has complied and will comply with state and local floodplain protection procedures and Ordinances. The proposed project is authorized by US Army Corps of Engineers Nationwide Permit 12-Utility Line Activities.

City of Muenster, the Responsible Entity, has reevaluated the alternatives to building in the floodplain and has determined that it has no practicable alternative. Environmental files that document compliance with steps 3 through 6 of Executive Orders 11988 and 11990 are available for public inspection, review and copying upon request at the times and location delineated in the last paragraph of this notice for receipt of comments. This activity will have no significant impact on the environment for the following reasons: 1) US Fish and Wildlife Service has determined that the project is highly unlikely to have any impact on endangered species; 2) No Historic properties are affected; 3) Construction BMP's will be utilized; 4) the construction sites will be returned to pre-construction contours and vegetation with native plants as appropriate; and, 5) the design/scope of the proposed action is the most practical and cost-effective means of sewer system improvements for area residents.

The City of Muenster published an "Early Notice and Public Review of a Proposed Activity in a 100-Year Floodplain and Wetlands" on May 17, 2013 and conducted a public hearing regarding the project on May 30, 2013 during which no comments were received. The following agencies were also consulted on the project: US Army Corps of Engineers-Ft. Worth, US Fish & Wildlife Service, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, FEMA, Texas Water Development Board, Texas Parks & Wildlife Dept, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Texoma Council of Governments, Cooke County Emergency Management Coordinator, Cooke County Historical Commission and the City of Muenster.

There are three primary purposes for this notice. First, people who may be affected by activities in floodplains and those who have an interest in the protection of the natural environment should be given an opportunity to express their concerns and provide information about these areas. Second, an adequate public notice program can be an important public educational tool. The dissemination of information about floodplains can facilitate and enhance Federal efforts to reduce the risks associated with the occupancy and modification of these special areas. Third, as a matter of fairness, when the Federal government determines it will participate in actions taking place in floodplains, it must inform those who may be put at greater or continued risk.

Written comments must be received by City of Muenster, the Responsible Entity, at the following address on or before December 30, 2013, Attention: Joey Anderson, Mayor, City of Muenster, P.O. Box 208, 400 N. Main, Muenster, TX 76252-0208 and 940-759-2236, during the hours of 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM and 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM. Comments may also be submitted via email at cityofmuenster@ntin.net

Date: December 20, 2013
Joey Anderson, Mayor
City of Muenster, Texas

12.20-1

FARM & RANCH

Texas Agricultural Market Summary

For the week ending Dec. 14, Texas feeder cattle auctions reported that prices early in the week were mostly steady to \$8 lower per hundredweight (cwt) due to lingering impacts of a severe winter storm. Later in the week, prices, along with the weather, improved, and were steady to as much as \$12 higher. Texas direct feeder cattle sales were steady. Fed cattle cash prices were \$1 lower, and wholesale beef values were lower.

Corn and grain sorghum prices were lower amid ongoing concerns about large U.S. supplies, uncertain Chinese demand, and possible changes to U.S. ethanol policies. Corn export sales for the

week were up 17% from the previous week and more than double the weekly average needed to meet USDA export projections for the marketing year; however, sales were down 26% from the prior four-week average.

Wheat prices declined as large world supplies and export competition from other suppliers continued to pressure the market. However, weekly export sales were up 62% from the previous week and higher than the weekly average needed to meet expectations for the marketing year.

Futures markets were higher for feeder cattle, fed cattle, cotton, and lumber, but lower for corn and wheat.



When Roosters Crowed

From the Muenster Historical Commission
Preserving the Past for the Future

Christmas

Christmas was always an exciting time. On Christmas Eve, kids would find their longest, largest stockings to hang on the back of chairs, (not everyone had a fireplace chimney) hoping they would be filled with goodies the next morning.

At daybreak, the kids would find their stockings full of hard candy, chocolate, candy canes, oranges, apples, and small toys, like spinning tops, dominoes, and checkers. They could also receive some much needed everyday work clothes.

At Christmas time, families always got together, growing as the children began to marry. It was a way to keep close and know of each other's joys and sorrows.

This is the last crowing rooster column.
Thanks for sharing the memories.

Cover crops use water, but benefit soil

A Texas A&M AgriLife Research study of cover crops in the Rolling Plains determined cover crops use water, but don't necessarily reduce cash crop performance.

According to AgriLife Today, there has been much interest nationwide in cover crops and the effects they have on soil health. Dr. Paul DeLaune, an AgriLife Research environmental soil scientist, has worked on two studies using cover crops in the Rolling Plains.

By studying conventional tillage without cover crops, no-till without cover crops, and no-till with various mixtures of cover crops, DeLaune's initial findings indicate the water use differs among cover crop species. The multi-species cover crop also produced the greatest biomass. Stored soil moisture was greater in some cover crop treatments compared to treatments without cover

crops after the initial rainfall, indicating cover crops could be encouraging infiltration.

But DeLaune warns that results from implementing cover crops won't be immediate. "It is something the farmer is going to have to be dedicated to, committed to, and understand that it is a long-term process before possibly seeing the benefits of this system," he said.

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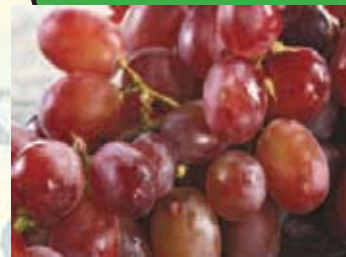
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