

Clint Kelley awarded KC Good Neighbor for 2015

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News Editor

Muenster Knights of Columbus Council 1459 selected Clint Kelley as the recipient of their Annual Good Neighbor Award for 2015. Kelley was recognized as the recipient during the 8 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart Catholic Church by Grand Knight Chris Fuhrmann. He was also the guest of honor at the KC-sponsored awards breakfast that followed in the KC Hall.

In observance of Columbus Day, the Knights of Colum-

bus hold their annual Good Neighbor and Awards Breakfast. Every year, they honor someone of another faith in the ecumenical spirit of encouraging greater harmony among creeds. The award is presented to someone whose pursuit of excellence is exemplified by his or her love of God and love of his or her fellow men, whose generous contributions and extensive services to the community are performed in a gentle, quiet manner, shunning all publicity.

They also acknowledge members for their dedica-

tion and years of service.

At the KC Hall, Fr. Ken Robinson gave the invocation and Bill Bayer led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Dr. Rafael Rondon introduced Clint Kelley and told some of his history. He said that Clint Kelley grew up in Palestine, TX where he lived until graduating from high school in 2000. He then moved to Athens, TX to attend college. He graduated from Trinity Valley Community College in 2003 with an Associates of Art in Music, and then completed a Bachelors of Music Education from The University of Texas at Tyler in 2005.

Clint taught music privately at The Charlotte Floyd Studio in Tyler and did his student teaching at Robert E. Lee High School. He also worked as a chorus See NEIGHBOR, pg. 2



Courtesy photo

Grand Knight Chris Fuhrmann, left, presents the 2015 KC Good Neighbor Award to Clint Kelley at the Muenster KC's Good Neighbor and Awards Breakfast on Sunday, Oct. 11.



Janet Felderhoff photo

Dolores Mosman Friske celebrated her 100th birthday on Oct. 1. During the family birthday celebration, she was presented this T-shirt. All attending also wore special shirts which said "Dolores Friske 1915 - 2015 100 years and counting."

Friske celebrates 100th

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On Thursday, Oct. 1, most of us marked the turning of the calendar from September to October. For Dolores Elizabeth Mosman Friske, it was a much more significant day. She turned 100 years old that day and began the second century of her life.

A gentle, soft-spoken lady, Dolores firmly states that she has been blessed in life. She grew up on a farm near Lindsay and attended St. Peter's School in Lindsay. Dolores was the second of 14 children. Her parents

were Peter and Elizabeth Mosman.

Dolores remarked happily, "I had my job with them babies. Every Saturday, I'd get to be home with them. Mom, Daddy, and Leona went to Gainesville to buy groceries. I had neighbors (children), too." While the neighbors went to buy groceries on Saturday, Dolores also watched four of their children and her Aunt Annie's children. She said that she preferred baby-sitting over going to town. Recalling those happy Saturdays, Dolores said her brothers wanted her to play baseball with them. There

were not enough boys to play. She would play baseball with them while the baby was placed in a bassinet in the yard.

Christmas is very special to Dolores. She treasures the memories of her childhood Christmas celebrations. She recalled that a week before Christmas the tree would be set up in the parlor which was then locked. Nobody was allowed to go in until their Christmas Eve celebration.

"We could smell the Christmas tree in there but we could not go in that living room," remembered Do-

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County applies for dam repair grants

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The Court approved Cooke County applying for Emergency Watershed Protection Program Matching Funds Grants with the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board to pay 95% of the County's 25% matching from the USDA Grant to repair the Soil Conservation dams.

This is to help pay for damages done to soil conservation dams in Cooke County during the May flooding. What is not covered by State and Federal grants will be taken out of the Permanent Improvement Fund. This was approved as part of the 2015-16 budget.

County Judge Jason Brin-

kley said that The total assessment by NRCS for the conservation dams was a total of just under \$1.6 million for 7 dams. This is just the damage report that is submitted through NRCS to the USDA in applying for federal assistance to fix the dams at issue

They also approved ratifying the County Judge's signature on Damage Survey Reports on NRCS sites

relating to the May flood disaster.

Judge Brinkley noted that there are two grants. One is a state grant and the other a federal grant. There is not a specific dollar amount at this time. The dollar amount will be largely contingent on the funding level for the item USDA grant. He said, "This item is a secondary grant that the state has to assist the county in any

matching funds that we as a county will need to pay in accordance with the USDA grant."

Commissioner Leon Klement asked about what the County would owe after the grants. Atteberry said it would be \$95,000 instead of the \$400,000 it would have been. The County has not yet been awarded the grants.

The Court proclaimed Oc-

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Janie Hartman photo

Cooke County United Way held Blitz Day in Muenster last Thursday. They visited local businesses to collect their United Way pledges. They hosted a hot dog meal in front of Muenster State Bank offering a free lunch to volunteers. Pictured in the serving line are, from left, Kevin Sebade, Justin Silk, Anna Brazier, John Walterscheid, and Pam Sidwell.

Bringing down the old to make way for the new



Janie Hartman photo

Demolition on the Muenster Building Center lot began earlier this week to clear the location for the future home of the Muenster Volunteer Fire Department. The old C.D. Shamburger Lumber Co. wording was uncovered when the lean-to was removed. The lumber yard was constructed at 421 N. Main Street in 1926, and managed by Henry Luke and Leo Henscheid. After several managers, Rufus Henscheid began his lumber career in 1948 as assistant manager for Shamburger. Henscheid purchased the business in 1979 and changed the name to Muenster Building Center. It was owned and operated by Henscheid family members until its closing to the general public in 2006. The lot was purchased by the City of Muenster and MVFD in March of this year and will be an ongoing project for the Fire Department. MVFD and Henscheid are working closely on the removal of the balance of the store's merchandise.

DAYS GONE BY.....

**Henry Sandmann
1921 - 2015**

Funeral Mass for Henry Joe Sandmann, age 94 of Valley Valley, was held at 10 a.m., Thursday, Oct. 15 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Gainesville. Burial followed in Valley View Cemetery under the direction of the Geo. J. Carroll & Son Funeral Home. Rosary and visitation were held at the funeral home Oct. 14.

Henry was born Oct. 12, 1921 in Lindsay to Bernard "Ben" and Catherine Hermes Sandmann. He married Lorene Lutkenhaus April 4, 1945.

Henry died Oct. 12, 2015 in the Renaissance Care Center in Gainesville.

Survivors are his children and in-laws: daughter Laquita Sandmann Neu and husband Leon Neu of Gainesville; son Kevin Sandmann and wife Lynda of Valley View; son Gary Sandmann and wife Betty of Gainesville; daughter Janet Sandmann Womack and husband Richard of Valley View; and son Carl Sandmann and wife Cindy of Valley View. He also has 23 surviving grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren. He is survived also by brothers Max Sandmann of North Richland Hills, Bernard Sandmann and wife Joan of Sherman, and James Sandmann of Lindsay; and sister Ethel and husband Gene Schmidkofer of Gainesville.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 70 years, Lorene; his parents; son Alan Sandmann; great-granddaughter Gabriel Taylor of Pennsylvania; grandson Leon William Henry Neu; and brothers and sisters and in-laws: Mary Sandmann, Anne Sandmann Bayer and husband George, Rose Sandmann Klement and husband Edward, Julius Sandmann and wife Marie, Joe Sandmann, Clem Sandmann and wife Rita, Herman Sandmann, and baby sister Agnes Sandmann.

Henry, all his life, helped other people, loved life in general. He was a farmer at home. Raised all sorts of different animals. He worked at National Supply for over 20 years and retired. He was one of the first men hired when National Supply came to Gainesville. He was a No. 1 Welder there. When he retired, he would go fishing with Brother J.S. Jones and catch all kinds of fish.

He was good to his family and friends. There was not much that he did not know how to do. He made merry-go-rounds for kids in three different places. Kids loved them.

Pallbearers were Lorne Neu, Kristopher Sandmann, Brandon Utley, John Ballard, Chad Sandmann, Nathan Sandmann, Michael Sandmann, Matthew Sandmann, and Casey Futch.

**Anna Mae Bezner
1923 - 2015**

Funeral Mass for Anna Mae Bezner, age 91 of Lindsay, will be held at 10 a.m., Saturday, Oct. 17 at St. Peter's Catholic Church with Fr. Phil Petta and Fr. Raymond McDaniel officiating. Burial will follow in St. Peter's Catholic Cemetery. A wake service will be held at 7 p.m., Friday, Oct. 16 at Geo. J. Carroll & Son Funeral Home.

Anna died Oct. 13, 2015 in Lindsay. She was born Oct. 21, 1923 to Alphonse John and Azilie Valerie Ordoyne Hebert in Thibodaux, LA.

Anna, the youngest of four children, moved from Thibodaux to Marrero, LA before her first birthday. She met Joseph Bezner while he was stationed in New Orleans in late 1944. They married May 20, 1945 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Marrero and moved to Lindsay where they began their married life.

Anna was a loving wife and mother. She spent her early years as a stay at home mother and housewife, but opened the Beauty Bar in her home in 1958 for about five years. After closing the beauty shop, she worked at Gibson's, then Weber Aircraft, before joining her husband working with Germania Insurance as the chapter secretary.

Anna is survived by her husband of 70 years, Joseph John Bezner of Lind-

say; daughters and sons-in-law Judy and Roy Morisak of Flower Mound, Barbara and George Taylor of North Richland Hills, Kathy and John Garrett of Gainesville, Jo Ann and Lynn Huchton of Gainesville; sons and daughters-in-law Skipper and Barbara Bezner of Lindsay, Michael and Jan Bezner of Georgetown, Kenny and Suzanne Bezner of Lindsay, Chuck and Cathy Bezner of Gainesville; 24 grandchildren; 45 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Anna was preceded in death by brother Elmo Hebert; and sisters Nellie Hebert Thomasse and Mildred Hebert Richardson.

**Blood Drive
set for Oct. 22**

Texoma Regional Blood Center will hold a blood drive on Thursday, Oct. 22 from 1 to 7 p.m. at Muenster High School. Photo identification is required.

**65 YEARS AGO
Oct. 13, 1950**

Four Cooke County 4-H boys team members win State Grass Judging Contest; they are Ray Luke and Donald Bayer of Sacred 4-H, Lee Wolf of St. Mary's, and Frank Haverkamp of Lindsay. Wedding: Betty Lucore and C.L. Williams, Jr. New Arrivals: Michael to Pat and Alice Hennigan; Alana to the Vincent Beckers; Wayne to the Earl Shephards. Loretta (Mrs. J.B.) Wilde is new president of the Get-Together Club.

**50 YEARS AGO
Oct. 15, 1965**

Patsy Hartman wins the title of Miss Muenster. Obituaries: Joe M. Bernauer, 72; Catherine (Mrs. Herman) Luttmeyer, 72; Ann (Mrs. Ben) Derichsweiler, 74. New Arrivals: Wesley and Warren to the Louis Sickings; Michael to Raymond and Dorothy Hermes; Norma Jean to Richard and Mary Hellinger;

a son to the George Swirzyskiss. Sally Sherrill is sick with pneumonia. Bridget Jaska sustains deep cut on leg which requires a number of stitches. Leo Hess finishes a short course in Rochester, New York for Xerox Corp.

**25 YEARS AGO
Oct. 12, 1990**

Muenster Telephone Corporation to have extensive upgrading of telephone service. Muenster State Bank receives 5 star rating. Vickie Schmitt purchases local hair-dressing salon. Emily Corcoran crowned Lindsay High School Homecoming Queen. Obituaries: Virgil Vandusen, 75; Leonard Dyer, 82; H.D. Hoover, Jr., 47. Leo and Martha Sicking celebrate 50th anniversary. College Graduate: Sandra Walterscheid, Texas Woman's University. New Arrivals: Kara to George and Sheila Kleinart; Jimmie to David and Patricia Steadham

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areas are fortunate to have! Many visitors to the Library have remarked, "For the size and population of this town, this is an extraordinary library!"

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The Library offers excellent junior fiction and elementary reading departments. Readers will be happy to discover new books each month in both areas, as well as treasured favorites. Parents of young children

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Viola Bezner 1933 - 2015

Viola Rose Bezner of Irving passed to her eternal reward on Oct. 12, 2015 at the age of 82 surrounded by the love of many family and friends.

Viola was born March 2, 1933, the eighth of nine children, to Jake and Elizabeth Bezner in Lindsay. She was educated at the public school in Lindsay, which was run by the Sisters of Divine Providence, San Antonio. She graduated from high school in 1950. She stayed at home with her parents, helping on the farm, washing dishes mostly for the hired hands, especially during the harvesting months in the summer. In September 1950, she went to nurses training at St. Joseph's Hospital in Fort Worth, graduating in 1954.

After graduation, she went back to Lindsay and lived with her parents. She worked as an RN in the hospital at Gainesville. She was the only registered nurse in the hospital at the time, and as a new graduate, it was quite a frightening experience.

At the end of 1954, she decided to further her education and went into Anesthesia School at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis, MO., because it was the best hospital at that time for Nurse Anesthetist training. After her graduation in 1957, she stayed on staff, teaching anesthesia for 18 months.

From 1960 until 1969, she worked as a Nurse Anes-

thetist in various hospitals all over the United States, South Dakota, Utah, Tennessee, Arkansas, Colorado to name a few. In 1967, she retired from her work as an Anesthetist for many reasons, but most importantly because of the moral and ethical issues going on in the field at that time.

In late 1967, she moved to New Orleans, LA., where she taught herself how to be a court reporter. While there, she worked for the government as a court reporter.

At the end of 1969, she again went back to her home roots in Lindsay and worked for a while as a registered nurse in the same little hospital she had worked in 1954.

But then God intervened in her life and on Sept. 13, 1969, she was baptized in the Holy Spirit and her life was never the same. She became a member of the Christian Community of God's Delight in Dallas, and became the secretary of that community April 1975, and worked in that position until her death.

Viola selflessly served in whatever capacity she was asked. Her intelligence and tenacity were invaluable to the Community and the work God was able to do through her love and service.

Preceding her in death were her parents; and brothers Lambert, Wilfred, James, and Arnold.

She is survived by brother Weldon of Lindsay; sister and brother-in-law Kathleen and Michael Caponi of Park Ridge, IL; Sisters Anna Rose and Ramona Bezner of San Antonio; sisters-in-law Johann Bezner of Gainesville, Laurie Bezner of Hurst, and Joan Bezner of Lindsay; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Rosary and celebration wake for Viola was held on Thursday, Oct. 15 at 7 p.m. at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Lindsay. Mass of Christian Burial is set for Friday at 10 a.m. also at St. Peter's.

A reception will be held following Mass. Viola will be interred at St. Peter's Catholic Church Cemetery.

Hermes dies

Funeral services for Julius Hermes of Lindsay are pending. Julius died Wednesday, Oct. 14, 2015. Services are pending with Geo. J. Carroll & Son Funeral Home.

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- Sonia Choquette



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Kiwanis Club of Muenster installed new officers on Oct. 7. Doing the installation was Fred Funk, Lieutenant Governor. From left, the new officers are Kevin Sebade, treasurer, Joey Anderson, president-elect, Robert Weinzapfel, president, Fred Funk, and Barbara Rohmer, secretary.

Judge swears in CASA advocates

Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of North Texas recently completed its training academy required for the new CASA Volunteer Advocates. District Judge Janelle Haverkamp administered their oaths, officially "swearing in" newly trained volunteers Kaitlyn Cantrell, Sharon Cummings, Kim Hofbauer, Susie Holamon, and Vicki Thurman. Each took an oath to objectively represent the best interests of the children they are assigned and to maintain confidentiality. All are now qualified to work on behalf of Cooke County's abused and neglected children who have been taken, for their protection, into foster care.

To become a CASA volunteer, a person must be 21 years of age or older and have clear criminal and CPS histories. CASA volunteers come from all walks of life, from all races and creeds. There are no gender, econom-

ic, or educational requirements. CASA volunteers are asked to commit one year to a child, giving on average, 10 to 15 hours per month working with and for the children they are assigned. Time commitments vary with each case. Children are often placed into foster homes outside this area, and so the ability to travel outside of Cooke County at times is important.

CASA volunteers independently investigate the situation and conditions that led to the removal of the children, and monitor both how the children are doing in their foster homes and how the parents are doing in making the changes necessary to assure the children will be safe if returned to the family. They report their findings back to the District Judge, in a sense acting as "the eyes and ears" of the Court on behalf of the children. CASA volunteers help

to assure that the children they are assigned don't "slip through the cracks" of the overburdened child welfare system and that the Judge has information about that child gathered by someone who is only there because they care about what happens for that child.

Today, CASA is serving the number of children the agency used to serve in a whole year. This increase has left 36 children in need of a CASA volunteer, and CASA simply doesn't have enough advocates to fill those slots. The constant challenge is to continually serve all of the children who come into the State's care. CASA has New Advocate trainings coming. Daytime training will start on Oct. 20 and evening training will start on Oct. 27.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer, contact call the CASA office at (940) 665-2244 or by email at mail to jmetzler@casant.org.



CASA photo

Pictured are, from left, Vicki Thurman, Susie Holaman, CASA Advocate Supervisor Kaitlyn Cantrell, Advocate Supervisor Sharon Cummings, Kim Hofbauer, and District Judge Janelle Haverkamp (front, center).

Donations needed for garage sale

Are you interested in helping a great cause? How about local senior citizens?

Donations are now being accepted for the garage sales to end all. Bring your items to the Stanford House at 401 W. Garnett in Gainesville. No shoes or clothing please.

Then plan to attend the 16th Annual Fundraiser Garage Sale, lunch, cake walk, and fun day. It will be held on Saturday, Oct. 24 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Stanford House.

All proceeds benefit the Stanford House.

Notice

Diabetes Support Group

The Diabetes Support Group will meet Tuesday, Oct. 20 from 7 to 8 p.m. at the North Texas Medical Center Classrooms. Dr. V.K. Agarwal will present "Dialogue with Dr. Agarwal - Focusing on Pre-Diabetes and answering all your questions about Diabetes." Dr. Agarwal is Board Certified in Internal Medicine.

Individuals with diabetes, family members, or anyone interested in learning more about diabetes are encouraged to attend this free program.

For more information, call Joan at 940-768-8120.

NCTC named finalist for Star Award

The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) recently announced the names of the seven finalists for its 2015 Star Awards for exceptional contributions toward meeting one or more of the goals of the soon-to-be-completed Texas higher education plan, Closing the Gaps by 2015.

Star Award winners will be revealed on Nov. 20 during the annual State of Higher Education luncheon. The luncheon and Star Awards ceremony will be held in conjunction with the 2015 Texas Higher Education Leadership Conference focusing on 60x30TX, the next long-range strategic plan for Texas higher education.

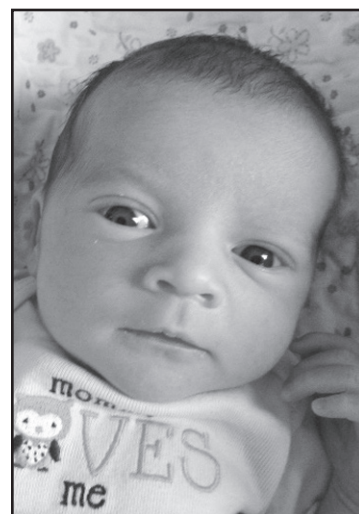
The Coordinating Board received 48 nominations and 42 applications for this year's Star Award program. North Central Texas College was one of seven finalists that also included Alamo Colleges, Amarillo College, Houston Community College, Lone Star College-Montgomery, Lone Star

New Arrivals

Bowen

Michael and Jessika Bowen of Winters, TX joyfully announce the birth of their daughter Emily Pearl Bowen. Emily was born Thursday, Oct. 1, 2015 at 1:21 a.m. in Abilene Regional Medical Center weighing 6 lb. 15 oz. and measuring 20 inches in length. Welcoming Emily to the family are sister Nikole Bowen, age 7, and brother David Bowen, age 3. Grandparents are Tim and Janie Hartman of Muenster, and Mike and Sandra Bowen of Dye Mound. Great-grandparents are Mary Ann Arendt of Lindsay and the late Andy Arendt, the late Leonard and Emily Hartman, Butch and Pearl Bowen of

Winters, Darlene Allison of Odessa and the late Ray Allison.



Emily Bowen



Harper Hess

Hess

Marianne Shirley and Brandon Hess of Richland Hills announce with joy the birth of their first child,

a daughter, Harper June Hess, born June 21, 2015, on Father's Day, at Baylor Frisco Medical Center at 7:03 p.m., weighing 6 lb. 5.4 oz. and measuring 18 inches long. Proud first-time grandparents are Lisa and Darrell Hess of North Richland Hills, Christina and James Grintz of McKinney, and Darren Shirley of North Richland Hills. Proud first-time great-grandparents are Rachel Hennigan of Muenster and the late Arthur Hennigan, Cathy Hess and Roger Ramsey of Lewisville and the late Dale Hess, Sharilyn Wilson of Springtown and the late Chuck Wilson, and Trudy Baffic and David Shirley of White Bluff.

College-University Park, and the University of Texas at Arlington.

NCTC was nominated for the Project Xtreme Academic Makeover program.

"These finalists represent the state's most effective efforts for closing the education gaps that challenge our state," said Commissioner of Higher Education Raymond Paredes. "The Coordinating Board is proud to recognize the people and the institutions that develop and implement these pro-

grams, as well as the organizations and others who support them. Thanks to the innovative and dedicated efforts of Texas higher education institutions, the state is about to achieve our Closing the Gaps goals. These types of initiatives will play a vital role in meeting the goals laid out in our new strategic plan, 60x30TX. We look forward to announcing this year's Star Award winners in November."

The Star Award was established in 2001. Represented by STAR, pg. 8

Home Hospice offers volunteer training Oct. 22

Home Hospice of Grayson, Cooke, and Fannin counties will be conducting a Patient and Family Support Volunteer Training at their office, 316 S. Chestnut St., Gainesville, on Thursday, Oct. 22 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Lunch and all materials will be provided.

Training participants will become familiar with the Home Hospice team concept, philosophy, and approach to end-of-life issues, as well as gain an understanding of the role of the volunteer.

Home Hospice is looking for volunteers in Cooke County. It doesn't take special nursing skills to become a Patient and Family Support Volunteer. It takes a willingness to spend time with a patient. It could be reading to somebody, listening with a compassionate heart, holding their hand, or just being a friend to provide

support to someone facing end-of-life issues. Volunteering to sit with a patient while a caregiver runs an errand can be a rewarding experience for all involved!

This training is free and open to all in the community who are interested in spending social time with hospice patients. Hours are flexible and can fit your schedule.

Registration is required by Oct. 20. Those volunteering for the Patient and Family Support Volunteer program are asked to be a minimum of one year out from any loss experience of an immediate family member or loved one.

Contact Cathy Kinsella at (940) 665-9891 or cathy.kinsella@homehospice.org to register or if you have any questions. To learn about other ways you can volunteer with Home Hospice, visit <http://www.homehospice.org>.

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Goosebumps in 3D (PG)
Fri 1:55, 4:25, 7:00, 9:40
Sat 11:20, 1:55, 4:25, 7:00, 9:40
Sun 11:20, 1:55, 4:25, 7:00
Mon-Thurs 1:55, 4:25, 7:00

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Fri 1:45, 4:35, 7:20, 10:20
Sat 11am, 1:45, 4:35, 7:20, 10:20
Sun 11am, 1:45, 4:35, 7:20
Mon-Thurs 1:45, 4:35, 7:20

Pan in 3D & 2D(PG)
Fri 1:40*, 4:20, 7:00, 9:40
Sat 11am, 1:40*, 4:20, 7:00, 9:40
Sun 11am, 1:40*, 4:20, 7:00
Mon-Thurs 1:40*, 4:20, 7:00

The Martian in 2D (PG13)
Fri 2:30, 6:45, 9:45
Sat 11am, 2:30, 6:45
Sun 11am, 2:30, 6:45
Mon-Thurs 2:30, 6:45

Hotel Transylvania in 2D(PG)
Fri 2:15, 4:50, 7:30, 10:00
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Dolores. "That's where Santa Claus was. We had a great Christmas Eve!" The tree reached from floor to ceiling was adorned with candles, apples, oranges, and other decorations.

There was a big dinner. Santa Claus visited and they would sing Christmas carols for him. Santa would have the children kneel and say prayers.

One year, Santa had a mishap. While reaching for a gift under the tree, he got too close to the candles on the tree. His beard caught fire, but the flames were quickly extinguished.

Easter brought another wonderful family celebration. On Easter morning, each child found an Easter nest with their name on it that was filled with a variety of eggs - dyed and candy. Each child got the same amount of eggs.

For part of the time that Dolores went to grade school, she stayed in town with her grandmother. Her daughter Gwen Trubenbach explained that at different times when the children were preparing for something special like their Solemn Communion, they were required to attend certain classes and Masses. During that time, they would stay with their Grandmother Mosman. She lived in Lindsay close to the church. This also gave her some company. "I loved her to death. She was so good to me," said Dolores.

One time when Dolores was riding to school in a horse-drawn cart, she had a unforgettable experience. She said the horse was sick. It was experiencing loose bowels. Knowing this, Dolores covered herself with quilts and blankets. The horse raised her tail and Dolores was covered in smelly horse manure. She went to her grandmother's to clean up. "I came to school late that morning. Everybody was wondering where I'd been. I didn't get to go to Mass because Grandmother wouldn't let me go that morning. She walked up there alone," said Dolores.

Growing up, there was a merry-go-round and see-saw that their dad built for the children to play on. "Oh, it was gorgeous! I had a great life," Dolores remarked.

Dolores' siblings were Leona, Francis, Herbert, Stella, Alfred, Clarence, Leo, Alfred, Anna, Alleen, Juanita, Robert, and Henry Raymond "Ray." Three of the children died when they were infants. Now, the only two surviving siblings of Dolores are Alleen Anderson and Ray Mosman.

The family farm was near Van Slyke School. After attending St. Peter's School, Dolores attended Van Slyke School and then completed her education at Newsome Daughtry High School in Gainesville.

At a dance in the Muenster KC Hall, Dolores met Arnold Friske. The year was 1935. The two were good friends who loved to dance. The friendship blossomed into love and the couple married on Oct. 18, 1938 in St. Mary's Church in Gainesville. They made their first home in a bungalow in Ar-

nold's parents' home two miles west of Muenster.

The couple raised a garden, milked cows, and raised small grains, pigs, geese, chickens, and turkeys.

In 1938, the first rural electric line was built in Muenster. This allowed them to purchase some appliances such as a refrigerator. Their first child Gwen was born in 1939. In 1941, they bought a farm five miles south of Gainesville. Their second daughter Elaine was born in 1942.

Dolores tells of a terrible storm that took place there in the 1950s. Gwen added that it was the storm that flattened Myra. Dolores said the storm took the windows out of one room, blowing them to another room that was 24 feet long. She and her two young daughters were in a bedroom trying to hold the door shut. Dolores worried why her husband was not there to help them. She found out that he was in the living room holding the door shut. Gwen added that the storm blew tree limbs into the house. Her dad couldn't get them out through the windows or the doors. He had to saw the limbs into smaller pieces to get them outside.

Painting was one of Dolores' hobbies. She painted scenes and painted color into the photos that were

black and white at the time. Many of her paintings and the family photos touched up with color grace the walls of her home in Muenster. The first painting that she ever did is hanging on the wall of her bedroom.

Other hobbies enjoyed by Dolores over the years include making rosaries, crocheting, visiting the sick and rest homes, raising fruit trees, and quilting.

Asked what she felt the secret was to living a long life, Dolores replied, "I had a great life! I had a good life. We worked hard." She also believes in daily exercise, not smoking, raised her own fruits, vegetables, and meats, and she kept moving. Dolores tries to stay busy.

She celebrated her 100th birthday with two parties. Her granddaughter Jean Walterscheid hosted a Mexican supper for family. As a surprise, everyone wore blue T-shirts that proclaimed 100 years and counting.

She enjoyed dinner out with her daughter Gwen and son-in-law Loyd Trubenbach on her birthday. On the Sunday after her birthday, Dolores celebrated with a come and go reception in the Community Center after the 8 a.m. Mass. Cake and coffee were served by her granddaughters. There are nine grandchildren and many great-grandchildren.

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note that the Library has a preschool story hour each Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. You do not have to register or sign up for this; just bring your children!

Muenster Public Library has adult programs throughout the year. The Fourth Saturday Book Club meets the fourth Saturday of each month from 12:30 - 2 p.m. Book Club selection for Oct. 24 is the *Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society* by Mary Ann Shaffer and Annie Barrows. Come join the fun each month as they read and discuss good books!

New for fall 2015 - E books are here! Muenster Public Library joined Northeast Texas Digital Consortium, which allows them to offer e-books to their patrons. Over 16,000 e-books are available to download, as well as e-audio books, and streaming video.

The Library offers a lounge area adjacent to the magazine section for quiet reading and relaxation. The lounge area is also a good place to sit with your laptop and use their free WIFI.

Computers are available at the Library for adults and children to use. There are five computers for adult use, whether checking e-mail, job hunting, or surfing the Internet. Children will enjoy the computers in the children's section, which are loaded with educational software and games.

Muenster Public Library has a meeting room which can be reserved for nonprofit groups.

Muenster Public Library has one paid director, Stephanie Wright, and 14 wonderful volunteers. They have openings for new volunteers for Wednesday and Thursday mornings. Call the Library for more information.

The Library is located at 418 N. Elm Street and the phone number is 759-4291. Hours are Tuesday and Thursday 10 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday 10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. The website is <https://muenster.ploud.net/> and their online catalogue is <http://muenstertx.booksys.net/opac/muenstertx/>.



Courtesy photos

Photos from various times in Dolores Friske's life are, clockwise from top - Dolores holding one of her brothers and surrounded by her brothers and sisters whom she enjoyed baby sitting; Dolores and a friend on the Red River Bridge during a picnic; Dolores on her husband's spunky horse while he was stationed in Japan during World War II; Dolores and her two young daughters Gwen, center, and Elaine.



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Sacred Heart prepares for 2015 Homecoming

Sacred Heart Catholic School's 2015 Homecoming celebration is Friday, Oct. 16. SHCS alumni, friends, and fans are encouraged to join the festivities as the Tigers battle the Liberty Academy Mustangs at 7:30 p.m. on Tiger Field.

Special guests for the Homecoming game are graduates of Sacred Heart High from the Classes of 1945, 1955, 1965, 1975, 1985, 1995, and 2005.

The pre-game program will begin at 7 p.m. with the presentation of the 2015 Homecoming Queen Candidates and Princesses.

Students at Sacred Heart have been getting in the spirit of Homecoming all week. Their activities for the week are as follows:

High School
Monday: America (dress in patriotic wear or camo). Pow-

der puff game at 6 p.m. (Seniors and Freshmen against Sophomores and Juniors);

Tuesday: Tacky tourist day (dress like a tacky tourist or a nerd);

Wednesday: Multiplicity Day (get a group of friends and dress alike). Pep rally at 8 p.m.;

Thursday: Formal Day; Friday: Extreme Spirit Day (dress in red and white).

Elementary
Tuesday: crazy sock day; Wednesday: crazy hat day;

Thursday: crazy shoe day; Friday: extreme spirit. The Student Council will be offering face painting after lunch on Friday.

Immediately following the game, all adult SH families, alumni, and supporters are invited to the KC Hall for a social.



Officers pictured from left, front to back, for Muenster FCCLA are Haiden Shook, VP of Achievement; Paige Saucer, VP of Public Relations; Bailey Anderle, VP of Parliamentary Law; Macie Pagel, Historian; Morgan Eldridge, President; Bailey Klement, VP of Records; Zoe Klement, VP of Competitive Events; Karli Mouring, VP of Programs.

MISD photo

County Library to host Jumpstart's "Read for the Record"

The Cooke County Library will be participating in Jumpstart's "Read for the Record" on Thursday, Oct. 22. This year celebrates the 10th anniversary of Jumpstart's "Read for the Record" program. This global campaign generates attention on the importance of literacy and the love of reading.

This year's featured book is *Not Norman: A Goldfish Story* by Kelly Bennett. This wonderful children's book is a humorous tale about a child who finds a new friend in an unexpected place.

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Muenster FCCLA holds 56th installation

Muenster FCCLA installed 18 new members and eight officers on Sept. 25 at a noon meeting of all members in the Family and Consumer Sciences classroom.

Before the installation ceremony, it was noted by Advisor Joni Sturm that this was Muenster High School's 56th ceremony for Muenster FCCLA, formerly FHA. The first ceremony was held in September of 1949 with 40 charter members.

New members for 2015-

16 are Lea Tarnowski, Sonya Eichenhofer, Itzel Meza, Chloe Hellman, Jenna Hudspeth, Brooke Hammer, Kacie Grewing, Kaitlin Hennigan, Chase McMinn, Will Gibson, Brittany Green, Jon Schinigo, Noah Clure, Anna Proffer, Alex Deeken, Taylor Knabe, Bernardo Meza, and Brenton Wilson.

Will Wilson was recognized as outstanding member of the month for his participation in Good Deed Day on 9-11.

Refreshments were prepared by FCS students which included fruit and veggie trays, chips and dips, and lime sherbet punch.

There are 58 members for Muenster FCCLA ready to participate at the local, region, and hopefully state and national level this year.



MISD photo

The Muenster ISD faculty and staff wanted to do their part in helping the family of Josey Schad. Little Josey was born deaf and in need of bi-cochlear implants. This surgery was definitely going to be a huge financial burden to the Schad family. At the Elementary Awards Ceremony on Thursday, Oct. 8, Josey's dad Shannon and siblings Wade and Ayden presented a check for \$670 from Elementary Principal Lou Heers. Heers stated, "We stress on a daily basis how important it is to do a 'simple act of kindness' to our students. However, it's important to remember that doing a 'simple act of kindness' applies to adults as well. The teachers and staff at MISD were more than happy to lend a hand to help Josey and his family."

Flowers always make people better, happier, and more helpful; they are sunshine, food, and medicine for the soul.

Luther Burbank



MISD photo

Members of the Muenster Elementary Student Council for the 2015-16 school year are, from left, bottom row - Taylor Reed, Stormi Richardson, Landri Richardson, Erica Endres; middle row - Nathan Hartman, Haley Flusche, Eli Saucer, Devon Bindel, Derek Cox, Connor Walterscheid; top row - Lenzie Sandmann, A.J. Christopher, Martie McCoy, Hillary Klement, Gracyn Fields, and Logan Stewart.

Muenster Elementary elects new Student Council

Muenster Elementary held their student council elections on Friday, Sept. 11. Students in grades 4 through 6 were given the opportunity to run for a position on the 2015-16 Muenster Elementary Student Council. It takes a lot of courage to try out for this organization, and they are proud of everyone who ran for a position. The MESC is truly excited to start the 2015-16 school year off with a great group of students.

The following students were elected for officer positions: President Eli Saucer; Vice President Hillary Klement; Secretary Haley Flusche; Treasurer Martie McCoy; Reporter Landri Richardson; and Historian Gracyn Fields.

Class representatives elected were: 4th grade - Preston Kubis, Taylor Reed, Stormi Richardson, and Lenzie Sandmann; 5th grade - Devon Bindel, Erica Endres, Derek Cox, and Connor Walterscheid; 6th grade - A.J. Christopher, Nathan Hartman, and Logan Stewart.

Faculty sponsors Marlene Fisher and Cicily Waneck, are very pleased with the energy and attitude this Student Council has, and are looking forward to an amazing year full of activities that will serve the school and community to the best of their abilities.

Submitted by Landri Richardson, MESC Reporter

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Who Can Enter: This contest is open to everyone! Tell your friends and neighbors!!

Prize: Winners will be announced on Facebook and our website on October 29, 2015. Winner will also be contacted directly and a time will be arranged to pick up the prize.

Contest Rules:

1. You may submit as many pumpkins as you choose. Teams may enter, but only one prize will be awarded.
2. Entrants may decorate and/or carve their pumpkins.
3. Pumpkins will be voted on and a winner will be chosen by independent judges.
4. By entering the contest, entrants agree to allow Muenster Hospital District to use images of the pumpkins for publicity and/or promotion.
5. Pumpkins will be judged according to age group.

Entry Deadline: October 27, 2015

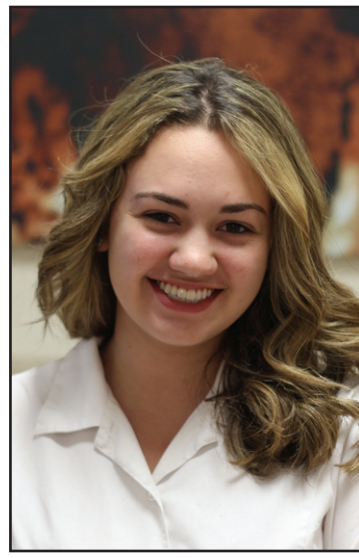
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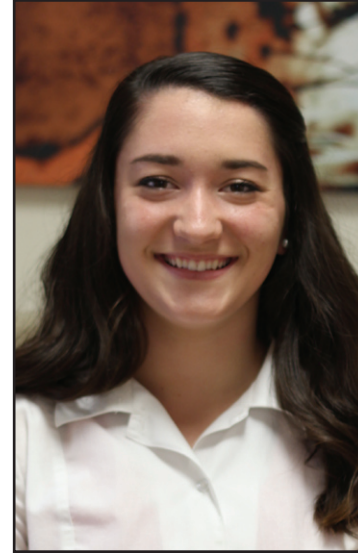
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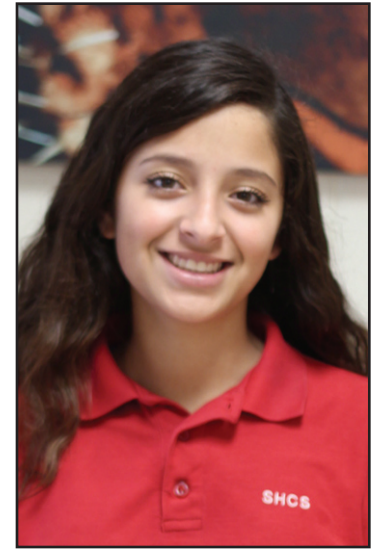
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MUENSTER ELEMENTARY "CAUGHT WITH GOOD CHARACTER" WINNERS FOR THE 1st SIX WEEKS are, from left, row 1 - Tyler Smith, Wyatt Muller, Ayden Schad, Zeb Grewing, Nate Grewing; row 2 - Della Hartman, Emma Walterscheid, Garrett Hess, Brady Walterscheid, Adysen Carney, Branson Voth; row 3 - Rosemary Hartman, Emily Muller, Haley Flusche, Martie McCoy, Cassy Acayan, and Meadow Walterscheid.

Muenster ISD surveys available

The Muenster ISD community and school surveys became available on the MISD website on Oct. 15. Parents, teachers, and community members can go to the MISD website and click on the appropriate button to take the 15 to 20 minute survey.

"This will give the Board and Administration information in addition to test scores and other data provided by the State of Texas to better serve the students and the community of Muenster ISD," stated Superintendent Steve Self. If community members lack internet access, the District will open its computer labs one evening in October from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and paper and pencil versions are available at the Administration Building and campus offices.

Students in grades 4 through 12 will be able to take the survey at school. The survey will be available until Nov. 3.

Survey questions will deal with such things as school programs, curriculum, instruction, communication, extra-curricular programs, and community relations. Surveys will consist about 40 to 50 questions. Education Resources will assist with the survey tabulation and reports to the Muenster Site Based Committee and School Board. The results will be used for planning and should be available by the December Board Meeting.

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tatives of institutions, organizations, and groups from all over Texas have been recognized for their efforts to develop and implement the state's most successful programs, projects, activities, and partnerships. These efforts are helping Texas close the gaps in student participation and success in higher education, excellence in programs and services, and research development and expansion.

"We are extremely honored and excited to be a finalist for the THECB Star Award," said Amy Klohn, NCTC's Quality Enhancement Coordinator. "Our team of dedicated faculty, student services, and student success staff have all contributed to the success of the program. Project Xtreme Academic Makeover has made an impact in the Closing The Gaps Initiative in the area of student participation, engagement, and student success through many of the program objectives. Increasing student success through structured intervention and services, both in and out of the classroom, the project has a profoundly positive impact on students and our institution."

Donna Uptergrove, NCTC's Senior Director of Grants, agreed. "The success of Project Xtreme is easily attributed to broad-based teamwork on behalf of NCTC leadership, faculty, and staff," she said. "Students directly benefited from the added support services they received, and from the success strategies that were embedded in their core courses. It's rewarding to see the positive results that have been generated through NCTC's Project Xtreme efforts during the last four years, and we expect greater student achievements yet to come. Being recognized as a finalist for this prestigious 2015 Star Award is an honor, and this inspires us to continue moving forward with new initiatives."

The Coordinating Board's annual Texas Higher Education Leadership Conference, scheduled Nov. 19-20 in Austin, is designed to bring together regents, trustees, chancellors, presidents, and other higher education leaders to share information on topics of interest, such as board governance, accountability, accelerating progress in meeting the goals of Closing the Gaps by 2015, and increasing the affordability of higher education for both students and the state.

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Children are invited to come celebrate reading, enjoy this fun story, and help set a record for reading the same picture book with people around the world.

You can visit the Jumpstart's Read for the Record website for more information on this international event, <http://www.jstart.org/campaigns/read-for-the-record>.

This free children's class will take place at 10:30 a.m. at the Library at 200 S. Weaver Street in Gainesville. If you have any questions about this children's class, you can call the Library at 940-668-5530.

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Hornets on the road



A Lubbock Eagle is about to be grounded by a pack of Sacred Heart Tigers, including Tyler Spruill (21), Stephen Kessler (56), Daniel Hesse (3), Garrett Truebenbach (62), Mark Davis (52), and Nick Tice (63).

Courtesy photo

The Muenster Hornets will be traveling to Detroit this Friday night to take on the Eagles after a week off.

"Our long bus ride to Detroit is always a concern," noted Muenster Coach Brady Carney. "Watching them on film, they're better than last year. They have 13 seniors coming off a big win over Cumby last Friday." The Eagles pulled out a 28-24 District victory over the Trojans.

"Cumby put Detroit in the hunt for a 4th place playoff spot. That will give them something to play for," Coach Carney added.

The Eagles have District losses to Lindsay (48-7) and Era (43-20), also no wins from Blue Ridge (47-6), Rivercrest (16-14), and Cushing (22-7), and a victory over Bowie (20-12) for a 2-6 season record.

Muenster runners finish on top at the Rabbit Run

Four Muenster Varsity Cross Country runners finished in the top 10 in the Bowie Rabbit Run last week Wednesday. Lady Hornet Bailey Anderle came in 2nd place with a time of 14:13.27. Alaina Kubis was in a close 4th, clocking in at 14:45.76. "Both are making progress to better times for District on Oct. 19," noted Coach Amy Binder. "Hayden Otto ran his best meet time (18:59.08) which landed him a 3rd place medal," Binder added. "As did Blair Waneck, placing 8th (19:38.50)."

Also finishing on the top half of the runners were Lady Hornets Lauren Trubenbach and Megan Rohmer finishing 17th and 21st with times of 16:02.58 and 17:08.07. Hornet Jacob Hesse placed 16th with a 20:58.12 clocking and Kyle Wolf 44th with a 25:23.08 finish.

See related photos on page 11

Tigers win west Texas battle

The Sacred Heart Tigers brought home a 28-7 District victory over Lubbock Christian last Friday night. The win breaks the Tigers' two District game losing streak to put a notch under the District win column.

"Best game we played all year," noted Tiger Coach Dale Schilling, "as far as a complete game from the offense, defense, and special teams, especially the offensive and defensive lines."

The Tigers earned 313 total yards in 58 plays while holding Lubbock to 124 yards. Sacred Heart had no turnovers, but were flagged for a loss of 70 yards.

After a good opening kick return, the Eagle offense was held to 4 yards by tackles from Thomas Hennigan and Tyler Spruill, and forced to punt, starting the Tigers' first drive at their own 26 yard line.

Runs by Spruill, Kason Reeves, and Zach Flusche moved the ball to the Eagle 2 yard line in 11 plays. With 5:24 on the clock, Reeves scored. Reeves added the PAT for a 7-0 score.

Lubbock's offense used up the remainder of the clock, moving the ball into the 2nd quarter. On 4th and 2, a run was stopped short by Stephen Kessler, giving the Tigers possession.

The Tigers gained only 7 yards, giving the Eagles the ball at midfield. Ten plays later with 5:10 remaining in the 1st half, Lubbock tied the game 7-7.

A 16 yard return by Sam Hesse started the Tigers' next drive on their 35. Ethan Henry, Spruill, and Reeves gained yards on the ground, assisted by a Reeves to Wyatt West pass completion to get the ball to the 2 yard line. With 2:16 remaining in the 2nd period, Reeves found the end zone for a touchdown. Reeves then added the point after for a 14-7 Tiger lead.

Tackles by Jake Kemna, Mark Davis, and West forced an Eagle punt on 4th and 13. Sacred Heart got in seven plays before the 1st half ended.

S. Hesse took the 3rd quarter kick to the Tiger 28. Three runs and a flag carried the ball to the Lubbock 47. A Reeves to Flusche pass found paydirt with 9:43 on the clock. Reeves booted the PAT for a 21-7 Tiger lead.

A touchback kick placed the Eagles on their 25 yard line. Two plays later, Daniel Hesse covered a fumbled ball on the 20. Henry ran two plays, scoring from 6 yards out. Reeves' PAT gave the Tigers a 28-7 lead with 8:27 remaining in the 3rd period.

The teams exchanged a few punts as Sacred Heart carried the ball to the Lubbock 18 yard line to start the final quarter, but were unable to find the end zone.

The Eagles punted, then Tigers, Eagles, and Tigers in the 4th quarter, with Lubbock working in four 1st downs to Sacred Heart's one.

SH	7	7	14	0	28
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Team Stats					
SH	17	1st downs	9		
	38/172	Rushes/yds	34/60		
	141	Passing yds	64		

TAPPS Division 3 District 1

Sacred Heart 28
Lubbock 7

Covenant 63
San Jacinto 0

Temple 69
Calvary 0

Lake Country 56
Fellowship 14

UIL District 9-2A Division 2

Detroit 28
Cumby 24

Era 36
Celeste 7

Lindsay 42
Collinsville 14

Muenster - Open

9/20/0 Comp/att/int 5/17/0
3/31.7 Punts/avg 7/29.4
1/0 Fumbles/lost 1/1
6/70 Penalties/yds 9/80

Individual Stats

RUSHERS: Ethan Henry, 12/75; Tyler Spruill, 13/41; Kason Reeves, 11/37; Zach Flusche, 1/14; Jeron Juntao, 1/5. RECEIVERS: Zach Flusche, 3/72; Hunter Hess, 4/55; Wyatt West, 2/14. TACKLES: Tyler Spruill, Mark Davis, Stephen Kessler, Jake Kemna, Nick Tice, Thomas Hennigan, Wyatt West, Garrett Truebenbach. TURNOVER: Fumble Recovery - Daniel Hesse.

Next Action

Sacred Heart will celebrate Homecoming this Friday night, hosting the Fellowship Academy Mustangs of Kennedale.

"Fellowship runs a spread offense and likes to throw the ball," Coach Schilling commented. "They have two really tall receivers. The key to the game will be to put pressure on the quarterback."

The Mustangs won their opening non-conference game 40-34 over Garland Christian, but have been defeated the past five games - Legacy Prep 43-32, Coram Deo 42-12, and in District - Temple 42-6, Covenant 51-6, and last week Lake Country 50-14.

Game time is 7:30 p.m. after the pre-game Homecoming festivities.

DISTRICT STANDINGS

UIL District 9-2A Div. 2

Era 3-0
Muenster 2-0
Lindsay 2-1
Detroit 1-2
Celeste 1-3
Cumby 0-2
Collinsville 0-3

TAPPS Div. 3, District 1

Temple 3-0
Lake Country 3-0
Sacred Heart 1-2
San Jacinto 1-2
Lubbock Chr. 1-2
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An early Muenster business was the Schmitz Brothers Blacksmith Shop on Main Street. These two photos were given to Joseph Raymond Thomasson of Hays, Kansas, from his mother Mary Magdalen, daughter of Henry Schmitz, pictured at right (with his son Matt) and above (left) with brother Joe. Both pictures were taken about 1910. The building still stands today on the west side of the 300 block of North Main, across from Fischer's Meat Market. Knabe Tire and Radiator occupied the building for many years. An outside picture of the blacksmith shop can be found on page 54 in *Muenster, Texas - A Centennial History*.

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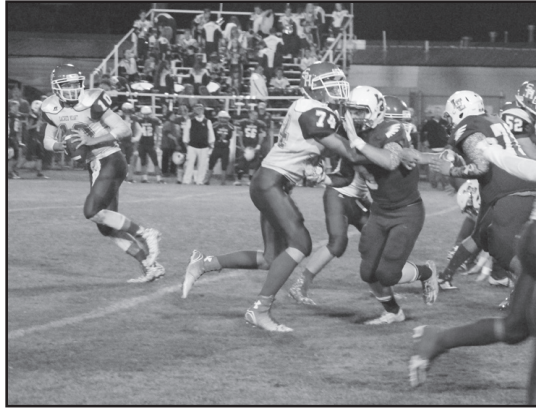
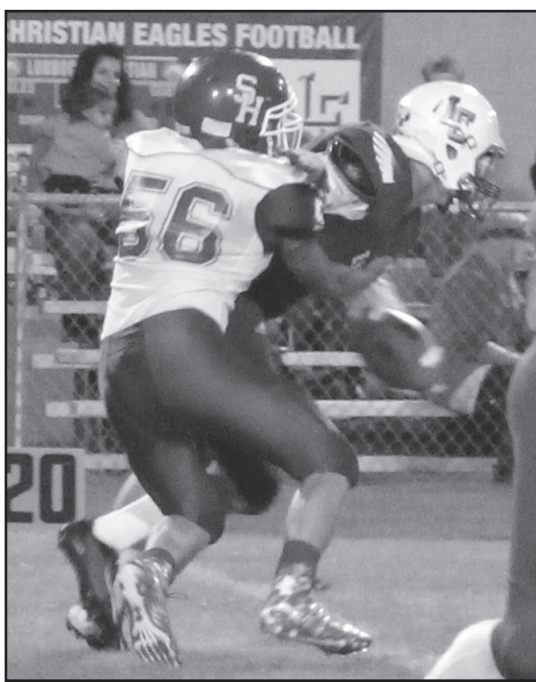
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Muenster Girls are meet champions - again

The Muenster Junior High Girls Cross Country team won their third meet of the season last week Wednesday when they brought home the Championship title from the Rabbit Run in Bowie. The young Lady Hornets also won the Slidell and Saint Jo meets.

"Our girls prove to be tough on any course thrown at them, including this course on the country club golf course with plenty of hills to challenge them," commented Coach Amy Binder. Four of the Muenster girls brought home 10 of the medals awarded - Abby Walterscheid, Hannah Lamar, Jada Binder, and Chloe Hacker. "Our top five runners in junior high could have placed in the varsity girls division, considering their times, comparatively," the coach added.

Walterscheid's time of 13:51.15 was good for 2nd

place. The winning time was 13:40.56. Lamar and Binder came in 4th and 5th, clocking in at 14:38.89 and 14:43.55. Hacker finished 10th with a 15:01.81 time.

Others running, their places and times were: 13, Annie Anderle, 15:15.27; 17, Kaley Berkley, 15:47.90; 18, Audrey Kubis, 16:02.15; 20, Bailey Otto, 16:09.36; 26, Alec Becker, 16:32.94;

27, Makenna Aldriedge, 16:36.29; 30, Ashleigh Deweber, 16:47.88; 38, Shae Budish, 17:46.22; 39, Alexa Waneck, 17:46.48; 40, Sarah Monday, 17:51.61; 55, Kelsey Hennigan, 19:30.02.

The two junior high Hornets competing in the Bowie meet, Brenton Wilson and Cole McMinn finished in 15th and 33rd place, clocking in at 14:21.38 and 16:48.21.

JV Tigers lose battle with Celina Bearcats

Last week Thursday, the Sacred Heart JV Tigers hosted the Class 4A Celina Bearcats freshman team in a close-fought contest that ended with a 21-8 Tiger loss.

Celina's offense had the opening drive that ended when Lane Baldwin covered a fumbled ball. The Tigers couldn't make a gain and punted away their first offensive attempt. Five plays later, the Bearcats scored, 6-0.

Again the Tigers failed to get 10 yards and again punted. Celina carried the ball into the 2nd quarter, moving inside the Tiger 20 before Julian Hesse and Baldwin stopped the drive. Several plays later, the Bearcats picked off a Tiger pass. Celina got within a yard to scoring a touchdown, but the Sacred Heart defense held as time ran out at halftime.

After the teams exchanged punts, the Tigers worked in nine plays, with runs by Sam Hesse and Roy Endres to the Celina 8 yard line before running out of downs. Sacred Heart's defense allowed only 5 yards, forcing

a punt.

A good return by Zane Schoppa put the Tigers on the Celina 16 yard line to begin the final quarter. Endres picked up 3 yards, followed by an S. Hesse touchdown. Endres ran in the extra points for an 8-6 Tiger lead with 9:27 remaining in the game.

The Bearcats worked the clock, taking a dozen plays to find the end zone and to take back the lead, 14-8 with 2:45 on the clock. Two plays later, Celina intercepted a Tiger pass. It took the Bearcats just four plays to score another touchdown and extend their lead to 21-8 with 1:16 on the game clock.

CORRECTION

Sacred Heart Catholic High School graduate Hayden Schilling, son of Babe and Lisa Schilling, was omitted from last week's news brief of local athletes playing for the Austin College Kangaroos. Schilling, a freshman, plays defense on the Roos varsity traveling team.

Interception returns costly to Cubs

Two turnovers cost the Sacred Heart Cubs a win last Thursday night when the Texoma Christian Eagles intercepted two passes that were returned for touchdowns, adding to the 20-12 Sacred Heart loss.

After a scoreless 1st quarter, Texoma scored for an early 2nd period 6-0 lead.

Cub quarterback Rhett Sprouse led a drive to the Eagle 7 yard line. An intercepted pass was returned for 6 points for a 12-0 score.

The Cubs, after a short kick to midfield, took only three plays to find the end zone. Sprouse scored on a 4 yard run. With two minutes on the clock, the teams had a 12-6 score leading to the halftime break.

After defensive plays by Jacob Walterscheid, Cole Carson, and Sprouse, Hunter Hennigan returned Texo-

ma's punt to the Cub 39 yard line. Sprouse ran for 8, followed by a Sprouse to Hennigan pass play to the Eagle 4 yard line. On 3rd and goal, Texoma picked off another pass and returned it for a touchdown and increased their lead to 20-6.

Jared Walterscheid and Sprouse each got in a good run to the Eagle 26, but a lost fumbled ball stopped the drive.

The Eagles carried the ball into the final period where Koby Hogan intercepted a pass, placing the Cubs on the Eagle 40. Four plays later, Sprouse scored on a 27 yard run. With 4:37 remaining in the game, Sacred Heart closed the point spread to 20-12.

Texoma worked the clock, keeping the ball away from the Cubs to claim the win.



Amy Binder photos

Both Hayden Otto (above) and Blair Waneck (at left) ran their best meet time at the Rabbit Run in Bowie.

Texas prevails in Red River Showdown with Oklahoma



Governor Greg Abbott Monday released a statement following the University of Texas Longhorns' victory over the Oklahoma Sooners, resulting in 600 meals being served on behalf of Head Country Bar-B-Q to the Capital Area Food Bank in Austin in accordance with Governor Abbott's Red River Rivalry wager with Oklahoma Governor Mary Fallin.

Although Texas won the wager, Governor Abbott announced that the city Rescue Mission in Oklahoma City will still receive a shipment of barbecue from Railhead in Fort Worth.

"As the old saying goes, don't mess with Texas," said Governor Abbott. "I commend the Oklahoma Sooners on a well fought game and congratulate the Longhorns on a hard-earned victory. More importantly however, this wager resulted in meals being provided to those in need in both Texas and Oklahoma."



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Severe storms, tornadoes, straight-line winds, and flooding have caused excessive damage in Cooke County.

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- Will be so costly to rehabilitate that Federal assistance is or will be needed to return the land to productive agricultural use.
- Is unusual and is not the type that would recur frequently in the same area.
- Affects the productive capacity of the farmland.
- Will impair or endanger the land.

A producer qualifying for

ECP assistance may receive cost-share levels not to exceed 75% of the eligible cost of restoration measures. No producer is eligible for more than \$200,000 cost sharing per natural disaster occurrence. The following types of measures may be eligible:

- Removing debris from farmland.
- Grading, shaping, or releveling severely damaged farmland.
- Restoring permanent fences.
- Restoring conservation structures and other similar installations.

Producers who have suffered a loss from a natural disaster may contact the local FSA County Office and request assistance from Oct. 15, 2015 to Nov. 16, 2015.

To be eligible for assistance, practices must not be started until the following are met:

- An application for cost-share assistance has been filed.
- The local FSA County Committee or its representative has conducted an onsite inspection of the damaged area.
- The Agency responsible for technical assistance, such as the Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS), has made a needs determination, which may include cubic yards of earthmoving, etc., required for rehabilitation.

To apply for assistance or for more information, please contact the Cooke County FSA at 940-668-7794 or visit www.fsa.usda.gov.

Drought intensifies, expands

Nearly 30% of Texas is now experiencing dry or drought-like conditions.

According to the latest drought monitor from the Texas Water Development Board, 27% of the state is now at least abnormally dry.

That number remains unchanged from last week, but is an improvement over the 57% of the state that was covered in drought this time last year.

The drought has intensified and expanded over the last week. There are now several areas of moderate drought in West Texas. The area of East Texas suffering from extreme drought has also grown.

The latest U.S. Seasonal Drought Outlook shows there is reason for hope. The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) predicts drought conditions will improve through the end of the year.

Meat supply improves, expect prices to drop

Record meat production in the United States and a swing in the international net trade balance are signaling a change in protein supply that could cause an erosion in meat prices for years to come, according to a new report from CoBank's Knowledge Exchange Division.

The report, titled "U.S. Protein Supply Heading Higher in 2015-16," looks at the aggressive expansion in production levels of beef, pork, and chicken in 2015. Sparked by profitability in 2014, total red meat and poultry production in the U.S. is forecasted at 95 billion pounds in 2015, which is an all-time high.

"This abundance of supply will be reflected in an erosion of meat prices over the next two years," said Trevor Amen, an economist in CoBank's Knowledge Exchange Division and author of the report. "Production levels are forecasted to continue to expand, albeit at a slower pace in 2016 as margins contract."

Beef per capita supplies are expected to be flat in 2015 as today's herd rebuilding efforts promise to bring sizable increased output in the future, but most likely not until 2017 and beyond.

Pork and broilers are expected to each contribute nearly 6% growth rates in per capita supplies in 2015 as both industries are recovering well from productivity issues faced in 2014.

Amen noted that the outlook for U.S. meat production growth remains positive, but several factors are combining to dampen the robust growth rates the industry is experiencing in mid-2015, including a stronger dollar which is encouraging imports and hindering exports to the international market.

As the economic incentive shrinks to grow supplies as prices adjust downward, industry participants will need to adjust production plans accordingly as they seek to find supply and demand equilibrium.

Federal government funded through Dec. 11

The Senate has passed H.R. 719, a short-term Continuing Resolution (CR), by a vote of 78-20.

The CR will fund the government through Dec. 11 and contains no controversial riders. The House also passed the CR and the president has signed it into law. This short-term extension opens the door for Congress and the president to begin negotiations to remove sequestration caps and raise funding levels.

Closely related, Congress needs to raise the debt limit

as part of the end-of-year legislative calendar.

The debt limit is the total amount of money the U.S. government is authorized to borrow to meet its existing legal obligations, including Social Security and Medicare benefits, military salaries, interest on the national debt, tax refunds, and other payments.

The Treasury Department is currently using "extraordinary measures" to avoid default and preserve borrowing capacity. Treasury Secretary Jacob Lew anticipates the

department has the ability to use extraordinary measures through early December. Congress must raise the debt limit before then or the country will default on its obligations.

Is it a good time to buy?

Last year, higher than normal land prices were fueled by gains in crop and livestock markets.

But that's changed in 2015.

The falling oil and commodity prices caused would-be cropland investors to pull back, leading to an increased real estate inventory, according to Texas A&M University's Real Estate Center.

"When you see corn prices taking the dive they've taken and oil prices sitting where they're at and even timber prices are still suppressed, you know it begins to take a toll on the market," Tyler Jacobs, a broker for Hall and Hall, told the Texas Farm Bureau (TFB) Radio Network.

But that doesn't necessarily lead to lower land prices.

Higher quality farm and ranch land will still bring premium prices.

"Within every market, you have high quality properties and low quality properties. I think that's where you're going to see the continued distinction in pricing," Jacobs said.

You can hear the full report on Texas News and Views: <http://bit.ly/1PSldUO>.

Just a thought

When you can think of yesterday without regret, and of tomorrow without fear, then you are on the path to success.



Frankenfoods For Fun

It's likely the anti-GMO crowd is giddy today about the news Monsanto's profits are down. The big seed maker will lay off about 12% of its workforce after a forecast drop in profits, but the company's actions have nothing to do with its products and everything to do with a slumping farm economy.

It's amusing that one company attempting to increase crop yields becomes associated with the derogatory "Frankenfoods" moniker, while another company gains style points for launching a seasonal marketing campaign featuring a disgusting menu item. We're referring to Burger King's new Halloween-themed Whopper with a black bun that apparently turns your poop bright green. Judging by the reaction on Twitter, lots of folks thought the strange hue in their daily poo was "the bomb." No thanks, we'll stick with the regular GMO-laced buns with our burgers.

It's the Bacon

The world's oldest woman gives credit to bacon. Susannah Mushatt Jones, 116, eats bacon, eggs and grits for breakfast every day. A sign in her kitchen reads: "Bacon makes everything better." Jones was named the world's oldest woman by Guinness World Records in July. 10.7.15

Wet Prince Of Bel Air

Although California officials decline to reveal who used an incredible 11.8 million gallons of water over the past year in the Bel Air neighborhood, we predict he/she won't be anonymous for long. That's because the big water guzzler in the 90077 ZIP code is making national headlines, and the residents of that glitzy enclave are not known for keeping secrets. The water would fill 18 Olympic-sized swimming pools and cost an estimated \$90,000.

Sneaky reporters using publicly available information from the L.A. Department of Water and Power have found 100 mega customers that use over 1 million gallons of water per year. Last we checked, there were no feedyards with the 90077 ZIP code. 10.8.15

Republicans in the House of Representatives will try to find the man who will replace outgoing Speaker of the House John Boehner. Kevin McCarthy threw himself out of the running, while another potential candidate, Mac Thornberry, chairman of the Armed Services Committee, tweeted, "I'd rather be a vegetarian." Ouch! 10.9.15

Prison Pork Prohibited

Don't like prison food? Don't go to prison. That seems to be the sentiment of most folks after the Bureau of Prisons announced last week they have removed pork from the menu for 206,000 federal inmates based on a survey of the prisoners. Edmond Ross, a spokesman for the prison bureau, says, "Pork has been the lowest-rated food by inmates for several years." Say what? Prisoners don't like bacon? Hard to swallow. Rumors circulated that President Obama was behind the pork ban due to the increasing number of Muslim inmates, but there's no evidence the decision was made any higher up than the Bureau of Prisons. 10.16.15

Timex Cattle Market

For 50 years, Timex used the tag line "It takes a licking and keeps on ticking" to advertise the durability of the company's watches. AgWeb blogger and market analyst Alan Brugler thinks the tag line could also apply to what has gone on with the cattle market this past year. "Cattle took a major licking (beating, pounding, hammering, pick your own) from October 2014 to October 2015," he writes. During that time, futures markets lost \$51.95 cwt, but the market kept ticking and it rallied \$7.70 or 5.9% this past week. 10.16.15


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- ASSORTED FLAVORS
Kool-Aid Jammers 10 PACK **3 FOR \$5**
- SHURFINE 100% JUICE
Apple Juice96 OZ. **\$1.88**
- REGULAR \$3.49 SIZE
Fritos®/Cheetos® 7-9.5 OZ. **2 FOR \$5**
- FRITO-LAY®
Canned Dips9 OZ. **2 FOR \$5**
- SELECT VARIETIES CANNED
Shurfine Vegetables 14.5-15.25 OZ. **58¢**
- SHURFINE ASSORTED FLAVORS
Cake Mixes 16.5 OZ. **98¢**
- SHURFINE ASSORTED FLAVORS
Cake Frosting 16 OZ. **4 FOR \$5**
- GLADIOLA WHITE OR YELLOW
Cornbread Mix 6 OZ. **2 FOR \$1**
- OLD FASHIONED OR QUICK 1-MINUTE
Quaker Oatmeal 18 OZ. **\$2.99**
- KELLOGG'S ASSORTED FLAVORS
Pop-tarts 10.5-14.7 OZ. **2 FOR \$5**
- BLACKBERRY JELLY OR ASSORTED
Blackburn's Preserves 18 OZ. **\$1.89**
- SHURFINE ASSORTED VARIETIES
Hot Cocoa Mix 10 CT. **99¢**
- BUSH'S BEST
Pinto Beans53 OZ. **\$1.69**
- CAMPBELL'S SELECT VARIETIES
Chunky Soup 15.25-18.8 OZ. **\$1.88**

- PIONEER ORIGINAL, PEPPER, OR SAUSAGE
Country Gravy Mix . . . 2.75 OZ. **79¢**
- TRUE PALS SELECT FLAVORS
Dry Cat Food 3 LB. **\$1.89**
- SHURFINE HEAVY DUTY 10 INCH
Paper Plates 25 CT. **2 FOR \$5**
- WESTERN FAMILY MEGA ROLL
Paper Towels 6 ROLLS **\$5.99**
- INSTANT COFFEE
Café Legal 3.5 OZ. **2 FOR \$5**
- WESTERN FAMILY
ASSORTED VARIETIES
Utility or Candle Lighters EACH **\$2.49**
- SHURFINE ASSORTED VARIETIES
Baking Chips 11.5-12 OZ. **\$1.99**
- QUAKER ASSORTED FLAVORS
Instant Oatmeal 9.8-15.1 OZ. **\$3.49**
- NATURE'S VALLEY OR FIBER ONE ASSORTED
Granola Bars or Thins 7-8.9 OZ. **2 FOR \$5**
- ASSORTED VARIETIES - PRE-PRICED \$3.99
Hostess Snacks 10-13.5 OZ. **\$2.99**
- SHURFINE ASSORTED FLAVORS
Mashed Potatoes 4 OZ. **89¢**
- HUNT'S SELECT VARIETIES
Tomato Sauce 8 OZ. **2 FOR \$1**
- ORANGE OR LEMON DISHWASHING **\$1.09**
- Ajax Liquid** 12.6 OZ. **\$1.09**
- ASSORTED FLAVORS 1/2 LITER BOTTLES **\$2.49**
- Coca-Cola** 6 PACK. **\$2.49**

- PREFERRED TRIM BNLS.
New York Strip Steaks LB. **\$6.99**
- BONELESS BEEF
Stew Meat LB. **\$3.99**
- BALL PARK REGULAR OR BUN LENGTH
Meat Franks 1 LB. **2 FOR \$5**
- Bar S Franks** 12 OZ. **89¢**
- BAR S
Beef Franks 12 OZ. **\$2.99**
- Bar S Bologna** 12 OZ. **89¢**
- BAR S
Cotto Salami 8 OZ. **99¢**
- BAR S 4X6
Ham or Turkey 12 OZ. **\$2.49**
- SEA BEST BREADED OR COCONUT
Jumbo Shrimp 9-10 OZ. **\$3.49**
- SEA BEST
Swai Fillets 2 LB. **\$5.99**
- APPROX. 6 LB. LOAF
Muenster Cheese LB. **\$2.49**
- HICKORY, MAPLE, APPLEWOOD SMOKED
Wright Bacon 24 OZ. **\$7.49**

Fresh Produce



RED DELICIOUS
Premium Apples **69¢**
LB.

- DELICIOUS ALONE OR IN SALADS
Kiwifruit 5 FOR **\$1**
- FRESH JACK-O-LANTERN
Pumpkins EACH **\$3.99**
- FARM FRESH
Cantaloupe 2 FOR **\$4**
- CARAMEL, CINNAMON CARAMEL, OR WACKY
Happy Apples 4 FOR **\$5**

- FRESH EXPRESS SELECT VARIETIES
Caesar Salad Kits 9.7-10.1 OZ. 2 FOR **\$6**
- SWEET
Yellow Onions LB. **89¢**
- FRESH BUNCH
Green Onions EACH **79¢**
- RED OR GREEN
Seedless Grapes 2 LBS. **\$4**

Dairy & Frozen Foods



SELECT FLAVORS
NON-DAIRY CREAMER
**Café
Complements**
32 OZ. BTL.
2 for \$5



BLUE BUNNY
ASSORTED FLAVORS
**Blue Ribbon Classics
Ice Cream**
56 OZ. SQR. CTN.
\$3.48

- ASSORTED VARIETIES
Hungry-Man Dinners 13.1-18.1 OZ. **\$2.79**

- SHURFINE COUNTRY STYLE OR SOUTHERN STYLE
Hash Browns 30-32 OZ. **\$1.88**

Health & Beauty Care

WESTERN FAMILY
**Non-Coated
Aspirin**
500 CT. BTL. **\$2.99**



- WESTERN FAMILY ASSORTED VARIETIES
Antacid Liquid 12 OZ. **\$3.49**
- WESTERN FAMILY 12 OZ. MAX-STRENGTH OR 16 OZ. REG.
Stomach Relief .. YOUR CHOICE **\$3.49**
- PEPSODENT OR AIM SELECT VARIETIES
Toothpaste 6-6.4 OZ. **99¢**

**RISE AND SHINE
BREAKFAST
SPECIALS**

**Log Cabin
Syrup**
assorted 24 oz.
or 12 oz. sugar free **\$2.18**

VALUE SIZE
Kellogg's Cereal
Smacks, Corn Pops, Cimabon
Apple Jacks, Frosted Flakes,
or asstd. Froot Loops
9-15.3 oz. **4 FOR \$10**

Shurfine Yogurt
assorted
6 oz. **2 FOR \$88¢**

Shurfine Waffles
assorted
10 count **\$1.88**

Breakfast Bowls
Jimmy Dean assorted
7-9 oz. **2 FOR \$4**

24-PACK CANS
**Milwaukees
Best Light**
\$1.14

30-PACK CANS
Natural Light
\$2.20

30-PACK CANS
Natural Light
\$2.99