

Rockwall County News

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Rockwall County News Briefs

AG to meet with RC Conservatives
Attorney General Greg Abbott will meet with the all County Conservatives and Coffee group at 9 a.m. at the Rockwall County Library. The group is a grass-roots organization dedicated to a belief in conservative values and betterment of the community. Conservatives of all ages are invited to attend this special meeting.

DAR plans to open new year
The DAR officially begins the new year for the Rockwall County Daughters of the American Revolution. The first meeting will be at 10 a.m. at the East Ridge Church of Christ, 485 N. Rockwall. Coffee and a meet-and-greet will begin at 10 a.m. A film, "Today's DAR," will be shown, outlining the organization's mission and activities. Members and guests are encouraged to attend.

Program to focus on breast cancer survivors
A national program educating and celebrating breast cancer survivors, "Many Faces of Breast Cancer," will be offered from 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Crowne Plaza Suites in Rockwall. Admission, refreshments and parking will be free. The program is sponsored in part by the Dallas County Affiliate of Susan G. Komen for the Cure and Gilda's Club of North Texas. To register call 1-877-265-0606.

Funeral planning class offered
Rockwall ISD Community Ed program will offer Funeral Planning 101, a one-hour course designed to assist families in making smart choices, on several upcoming dates, including Oct. 3, 17 or Dec. 1, 15. Each event will run from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. in Room 2411, RHS. Cost is \$20; Sherri Gunn is the instructor. For more details visit rockwallisd.com.

Boys, Girls Club needs volunteers
Rockwall County Boys and Girls Club needs volunteers to help. Applications and resumes are being accepted from individuals interested in serving on the organization's board of directors. For more information contact Brenda Keilers, 972-772-3322.

RHS senior fundraiser under way
Rockwall High Class of 2010 is conducting its pansy sale. Cost is \$18 per flat, which will benefit the RHS prom. Colors include white, yellow, purple or mixed. Orders will be taken at home football games or from any RHS senior. Pansies will be delivered Nov. 7, and each customer will be eligible for a \$50 Rockwall gift certificate to be given away. For more information contact cyndytermin@aol.com or call 972-670-2229.

Food Pantry needs items
Helping Hands Food Pantry currently has a shortage of food items: oil, flour, peanut butter, jelly, sugar and canned soups. Items may be dropped at Helping Hands' Building A on Main Street or the Rockwall County Library food drive box at the library.

Volunteers needed for upcoming events
Volunteers are needed throughout Rockwall County to assist in the 2009-2010 season and Cities Readiness Initiative training exercise activities. Groups and individuals are welcome to assist in the distribution of seasonal flu and H1N1 public education fliers; participate in the point of dispensing exercise Oct. 24 in Royse City; and participate in Cities Readiness Initiative Core Leader Training exercises (healthcare, logistics, communications, administration). Contact Dave Schwartz with the Rockwall County Sheriff's Office at 972-345-5296 for more details.

Library collecting items for food bank
The Rockwall County Library is working in conjunction with Helping Hands to collect food for the North Texas Food Bank. Perishable food items may be dropped off in the box near the library's information desk.

Republican Lunch Bunch meeting set
The Rockwall County Republican Lunch Bunch will meet at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Luigi's Italian Café, Rockwall. Cost is \$10, including lunch, beverage, tax and tip; pay at the table. All area Republicans welcome. Reservations not required. Contact Dalton Kennimer, 972-636-4034 for more details.

'Family Feud' event slated
Individuals ages 50 and older are encouraged to grab a few friends and play "Family Feud" from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at The Center. For more information about the Rockwall Parks & Rec Department-sponsored event, visit rockwall.com/parks.

Harbor Mail plans Night for Networking
Harbor Mail will host a Night for Networking event from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Harbor Mail Store. The event is scheduled to allow local business representatives to network with each other. Participants are encouraged to bring business cards, samples and coupons. For details call 972-722-3807.

RCC meeting to address identity theft
Officer George Magnuson of the Rockwall Police Department will provide a presentation on identity theft at the 6:30 p.m. meeting of the Rockwall Computer Council Wednesday at The Harbor Mail, Rockwall City Place, 108 E. Washington St. A Q&A session will follow. Meetings are open to anyone interested in computer use for home and/or office use. For details call Joe Conrad, 972-771-8712.

Triple Swing 1 class scheduled
The Rockwall ISD Community Ed program will offer a four-week, couples-only Triple Swing 1 class from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Wednesdays. **More News Briefs on Page 3**

21st Annual Pumpkin Patch opens Saturday in Rockwall

The 21st Annual Pumpkin Patch, co-sponsored by the Rockwall County Friends of the Library and the Council of Catholic Women of Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church, officially opens at the Ridge Road Shopping Center, near Brookshires, at 9 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 3.

The community is invited to attend the ribbon-cutting ceremony and to browse the display of Thanksgiving, Halloween and fall artifacts, pumpkins, mums, lawn art, corn stalks, deli items and much more. The Patch will be open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily throughout the month of October.

Including preparation hours prior to opening day and work hours throughout the entire month of October, more than 500 volunteers, students and adults, will donate thousands of hours to ensure the success of this year's Patch.

A maze of hay bales is in place as a children's play area. Many Saturday Patch children's activities are planned, which include clowns, face painting, balloon twists and children's musical presentations. The Police Department is also planning a children's Pumpkin Decorating contest.

For additional information, please contact Carolyn Duckworth at 972-772-0752, or to volunteer (and we need help) call Becky Achenbach, 972-772-3203, or Bonnie Keese, 972-772-3704.



Harley Hawk and Jackie Jacket prepare for Friday's 2nd Annual I-30 Classic matchup between the Rockwall-Heath HS Hawks and the Rockwall HS Yellowjackets at Wilkerson-Sanders Stadium in Rockwall. A pre-game tailgate party from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the stadium parking lot will feature visits with the RHS Stingerettes and RHHS Highsteppers drill teams, bands and cheerleaders from both schools, a dunk booth with the Hawks and Jackets Guards, food, fun and good sportsmanship for the all-Rockwall match. Harley Hawk is also known as Chandler Cox and Jackie Jacket is Sabrina Ramirez. For more on the game, see pages 9 & 10. Photo Courtesy of Renee Ramirez/Rockwall County News

Rockwall ISD receives top ratings for financial management

by Jo Anna Matejka
For a seventh year in a row, the Texas Education Agency has awarded Rockwall ISD its top rating of Superior Achievement for management of the school district's financial resources.

"One of the district's core beliefs is that high expectations lead to high levels of success," Superintendent Gene Burton said. "This belief applies to our students, staff and financial operations of the district."

The report indicates progress a year behind, so results reflect the 2007-2008 school year.

Among several indicators of success, one is having a fund balance greater than zero, which the district had of \$29.7 million.

The rating system also checks to ensure funds are being allocated appropriately, with requirements for districts to spend at least 65 percent phased over three years on instruction. The district met the 2007-2008 requirements of at least 60 percent, spending 61.63 percent of operating funds on instruction. The district is on track to meet the 65 percent goal for the 2008-2009 school year.

Also, districts are required to maintain particular student-to-teacher and student-to-staff ratios. In Rockwall ISD the student-to-teacher ratio is about 15 to 1 and the ratio of students to total staff is about 8 to 1.

The district has maintained the highest possible rating for all of the seven years the School First (Financial Integrity Rating System of Texas) program has been in place. The rating is based on 21 financial indicators used to rate district compliance with financial standards and benchmarks.

The School FIRST program was created in 2001 by the Texas Legislature. Under the annual review, public school districts can be assigned ratings that range from Superior Achievement to Substandard. Ratings are based on analysis of staff and student data, budgetary and actual figures for the year reviewed, and other Legislative requirements.

As required, the Rockwall ISD Board of Trustees reviewed the district's Financial Integrity Rating during its Sept. 21 meeting. A public hearing was also held.

Rockwall ISD's top rating of Superior Achievement allows the district to obtain the best available interest rates, among other results.

"During these challenging times, maintaining the financial health of the district and modeling accountability is imperative," Burton said.

Airport Road to be widened

Construction to widen Airport Road to four lanes from Industrial Boulevard to John King Boulevard began Monday, according to a news release from the City of Rockwall.

The road has been reduced to a single lane of traffic from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., with flagmen in place to direct traffic. Two-way traffic resumes after 6 p.m.

Completion of the project is scheduled for February.

For more information on this project, contact Tim Duke, City of Rockwall construction manager, or Kathleen Lappen, the city's project manager, at 972-771-7746.

Rockwall street repairs

The City of Rockwall has begun making repairs to the following city streets: Cornelia, Throckmorton, West Quail Run, Lamar and Lillian Streets.

For more information and scheduled construction times, visit the City website at www.rockwall.com/Traffic/index.asp.

According to the City's website, Boydston Street, at the south side of the Post Office, is currently closed to westbound traffic from Throckmorton to SH-205. Traffic is permitted to turn from SH-205 eastbound on to Boydston. This closure will last approximately two months. Goliad (SH205) from Rusk to Olive will be closed to through traffic due to the reconstruction of SH205.

North Country Lane has been closed to through traffic from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily for water line construction since early September. The road will reopen each day after 6 p.m. The project is expected to take approximately six weeks to complete.

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Oct. 8, 15, 22 and 29 in the RHS cafeteria annex. The East Swing incorporates a triple step and dances to a slower music. Cost is \$50 per couple; Rob Baxter will be the instructor. For more details visit rockwallisd.com.

Learn the Foxtrot in October

Rockwall ISD Community Ed program will offer a four-session-only Foxtrot class from 8:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Oct. 8, 15, 22 and 29 in the RHS cafeteria annex. Cost is \$50 per couple; Rob Baxter will be the instructor. For more details visit rockwallisd.com.

Out-to-Lunch Bunch event set Oct. 9

Out-to-Lunch Bunch event for seniors ages 50 and older from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 9 at Mi Cocina in the Galleria. Cost is \$7 for Rockwall residents, \$11 for non-residents; cost of transportation only. For more details on this Rockwall Parks Department program, which takes place the second Friday of each month, visit rockwall.com/parks.

'Talking Tombstones' is next Brown Bag topic

The next Brown Bag Lecture will feature "Talking Tombstones: Rockwall's Past," which has proven to be a crowd favorite. Lectures are presented by the Rockwall County Historic Preservation Society and are conducted at noon in the courtroom of the Historic Courthouse. The events are free and open to the public.

Rockwall Fire Department sets open house

Rockwall Fire Department will host an open house from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 10 at the city's newest fire station, 2915 S. Goliad, next to the new Elementary. Food, fun and fire safety tips will be served at the Fire Safety House with sprinkler activation demonstration and vehicle extrication and children's activities, including fire inspections and bounce houses.

Eloise's Closet open Oct. 10

Eloise's Closet will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Oct. 10 at the Eloise House, 1350 E. Washington St., Rockwall. Free clothing and accessories will be provided to women seeking employment. Call Keilers at 214-500-6332 for more information.

Republican Women plan annual luncheon

Rockwall County Republican Women's 5th Annual Luncheon will be held Oct. 10 at the Hilton Bella Harbor Hotel, Rockwall. Sen. Dan Claitor will serve as speaker. Doors will open at 10:30 a.m. and lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. A silent auction, live auction and raffle are planned. Tickets cost \$30 and may be purchased at the Harbor Post Office, 2850 Shoreline Circle, in Rockwall or at the GOP Office, 105 S. Jacinto, Rockwall. For information visit the website: rcrw.org.

FaithBridge Church schedules Oct. 11 launch

FaithBridge Church is preparing for its Oct. 11 public launch. The church, a new church being launched by the First United Methodist Church in Rockwall, meets at Celia Hays Elementary, corner of FM 552 and FM 1141. On pre-launch Sundays in September, church will be at 9:30 a.m., worship at 10:30 a.m. The public is invited to attend pre-launch and public launch activities. For more information visit faithbridgechurch.net or e-mail the Rev. Frank Rahm at frankrahm@faithbridgechurch.net.

Church to offer flu shots

Flu vaccinations will be offered from noon to 2 p.m. Oct. 15 at the First Christian Church, 3375 Ridge Road, Rockwall, at a cost of \$21 (no cost with Medicare card). Vaccines will be provided for individuals ages 12 and older. Other vaccines (pneumococcal, \$40; hepatitis A, \$75; and hepatitis B, \$65) also will be provided. Corporate Health Management, Dallas, will supply period supplies. To reserve a time, call the church at 972-771-1122 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday or leave a message at 972-771-1122.

RARTA plans Oct. 12 gathering

Rockwall Area Retired Teachers Association meeting will be held from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Oct. 12 at the RISD Administration Complex. A book by Janice Byrd will be given. RARTA is open to all retired teachers and their guests. For more information call Becky Johnson at 972-771-3362.

FOL to have Lunch Basket meeting

Friends of the Library will conduct the first Lunch Basket meeting of the year beginning at 11 a.m. Oct. 13 at Rotary Hall. Lunch will be catered by Jose Molina; cost will be \$15. Reservations are required and must be made by Oct. 9 by calling 972-771-8976 or emailing cplagens65@aol.com.

Library plans Teen Movie Night

Rockwall County Library will host Teen Movie Night from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Oct. 13. The 1953 version of "House of Wax" will be shown as part of this teen movie event.

Police to host Texas Night Out event

Rockwall Police Department will host Texas Night Out, a drug prevention event, beginning at 6 p.m. Oct. 13. Local residents are encouraged to lock their doors, turn on outside lights and time with their neighbors. Block parties, cookouts, flash mobs and youth activities are being planned. Neighborhoods interested in being certified as Crime Watch participants. For details call Sgt. Shippy at 972-772-6708 or Sgt. Andy Villarreal at 972-772-6708.

Class to focus on basic sewing

Basic sewing will be offered through the Rockwall Community Ed program from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Oct. 13, 20 and 27. Nov. 3, 10 in Room 2502, RHS. Sewing machines will be provided; participants should bring fabric and project supplies. Cost is \$40; instructor will be Debbie Devine, a licensed professional counselor. For more details visit rockwallisd.com.

Constitution, law study class scheduled

Constitution and Law Study, will run from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Oct. 13 in the courtroom of the Rockwall County Historic Courthouse. The class is said to be "similar to a college class, but about Constitutional law." Contact Rick Donaldson, 972-7545 or 469-338-1639 for more details.

Class on 'Divorce Recovery' set

A one-hour class on "Divorce Recovery" will be offered by the Rockwall ISD Community Ed program from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Oct. 13, 15, 20, 22, 27 or 29 in Room 2512. Cost is \$40; instructor will be Debbie Devine, a licensed professional counselor. For more details visit rockwallisd.com.

Women are focus of financial management course

Financial Control: A Financial Management Workshop for Women will be offered by the Rockwall ISD Community Ed program from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Oct. 13 or Nov. 5 in Room 2314, RHS. Cost is \$15; instructor will be "Frannie" Gardner, CFP, CFEI, CDFA. For more details visit rockwallisd.com.

RHHS plans homecoming cookout

A class of 2010 of Rockwall-Heath High School will host a homecoming cookout on Oct. 14 immediately following the homecoming parade. Hamburgers, hot dogs, brats, drinks and candy will

The Fulton School welcomes new Head of School

The advent of a new school year always brings excitement, and the beginning of the 2009-2010 school year at Fulton was no exception as it welcomed a familiar face in a new capacity: Matt Burgy, teacher, coach and Head of the Upper School, accepted the position as Fulton's Head of School this year. Loved and respected by parents and students alike, Burgy's vision and guidance are destined to lead The Fulton School to the forefront as offering the area's leading college preparatory education.

Burgy, a graduate of Stephen F. Austin State University, earned his undergraduate degree in Business Administration. In addition to excelling in the classroom, he was a dedicated athlete as a member of the collegiate lacrosse team. After becoming involved in coaching at the high school level, Burgy realized his passion for education and has found his home at Fulton. Believing that the best teachers and administrators are lifelong learners, Burgy is in the midst of completing both his Master's degree and doctorate studies.

The Fulton School, although saddened by the resignation of former Head of School, Joy Greenwalt, enjoyed the benefits



Matt Burgy, The Fulton School's newly appointed Head of School, greets two of his youngest students at the start of the new school year. Burgy replaced former Head of School Joy Greenwalt, who resigned to spend time with her family.

Photo Courtesy of The Fulton School/Rockwall County News

of her intense love of family. Greenwalt saw the Fulton community as an extended family, and throughout her two years as Head of School, worked tirelessly

to provide Fulton with leadership and direction. The Fulton School celebrates Greenwalt's devotion to the school while giving full credence to her decision to retire from her position in order to spend more time with her

family. The Fulton School approaches the future with excitement and hope under the leadership of Matt Burgy and offers an official, public welcome to the new Head of School.

be offered prior to the entertainment. The event will be located in front of the tennis courts on the way to the football field. For more details call Cristi Hudecek at 214-668-1084.

Teen Writers to meet Oct. 14

The teen writers group will meet from 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Oct. 14 at the Rockwall County Library. Those planning to participate should bring samples of their writing to share with the group.

Women's League plans first evening meeting

The Rockwall Women's League will observe its first evening meeting at 7 p.m. Oct. 14 in the home of Stacy Maul. Theme will be "Treasures From Home," and members will bring treasures from home to have them evaluated for worth. For more information on the meeting, call Amy Butler at 214-763-9614.

American Legion meeting planned

The Rockwall American Legion quarterly dinner meeting, with a presentation by Homeland Security, will begin at 6 p.m. Oct. 15 at the Harry Myers Park Community Building. An unclassified Homeland Security intelligence briefing by an officer of the agency will follow the dinner and social hour. All veterans are welcome.

Library to host Fall Film Festival

The Rockwall County Library's Fall Film Festival will run from 6 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. Oct. 15. Ridley Scott's PG-rated "The Duellists" will be screened. Refreshments will be served in the meeting room prior to the screening.

Retirement planning course offered

"Retirement Planning Today" will be offered by the Rockwall ISD Community Ed program from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Oct. 15 & 22 or Oct. 20 & 27 in the RHS Lecture Hall. Couples may attend together for a single registration fee. Cost is \$59; instructor is Don Morrison. For more details visit rockwallisd.com.

Library plans special needs story time

The Rockwall County Library will have a story time designated for children with special needs at 11:15 a.m. Oct. 16. Visual aids and cues will be utilized to assist children with transitions. Story-related activities will incorporate fine and gross motor skills while encouraging interaction. A speech language pathologist, occupational therapist and physical therapist will present the program. For more details or to RSVP, contact Doreen Miller at 972-204-7740 or e-mail damiller@rockwallcountytexas.com.

FunFest slated for Oct. 17

The Roysse City Chamber's 20th Annual FunFest will take place on Oct. 17, with a children's carnival, live bands, arts and crafts booths, food vendors, karaoke contest, Little Mr. and Miss Roysse City Pageant and other contests. Other events include the Stick Robinson Memorial Fun Run, Boy Scout pancake breakfast, Girl Scout spaghetti dinner and an outdoor concert. For details or to reserve vendor space call 972-636-5000.

Farm Bureau convention planned

The Rockwall County Farm Bureau directors and agents are inviting all local Farm Bureau members to the annual county convention from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Oct. 17. For further details call 972-771-6936.

Drummers for Jesus event set

Drummers for Jesus will enjoy a night of dining, guest speakers and music from the Sean McCurley Trio and other guest artists beginning at 7 p.m. Oct. 19 in Room C100 of the Lake Pointe Church. E-mail benson-carlos@hotmail.com for more details.

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Scouts living up to Troop 314's long tradition of excellence

Scout Troop 314 has a long and proud history of developing Eagle Scouts since 1933. Being a good scout means living one's life to its fullest expectations of excellence. The Scout means taking that practice one step further. Each candidate of Eagle must plan and supervise a project that will help his community. In 2008, Eagle candidate Matt Nelson chose to help the new Rockwall Public Library. Nelson distributed more than 5,000 books to the shelves. More than 4,000 books were collected. Some volumes are on shelves, and some are being used as a source of revenue for the library. Scouts can purchase gently used books and videos from a special section in the library.

Scout Seph Stiles achieved his Eagle rank in 2009. His project was a meditation garden for Holy Trinity By The Lake Episcopal Church. First, he had a dinner to raise money for his project. Twenty-six scouts and adults ate spaghetti. The garden came to life on a rainy day with 22 flowers and shrubs then spreading crushed granite to form a pathway. At the end of the pathway the group installed a concrete bench and vines growing up each side.

Troop 314's Eagle candidates undertake ambitious and couldn't be without the troop's strong leadership and commitment of their fellow brotherhood of Troop 314 truly exemplifies what Boy Scouting is all about.



As his parents, Dave and Sandra Nelson, look on, Eagle Scout candidate Matt Nelson (third from right) takes the Eagle Scout Oath with his brother Eagles (left to right) Sean Williams, Matt Piesen, Nick Grinnan, Drew Hollowell, Mitchell Blom and Michael Ross at his June 2009 Court of Honor held at the Rockwall Public Library. Nelson's Eagle project was a book drive for the library, bringing in more than 4,000 books for the new facility.

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Scout Troop 314 member and Eagle Scout candidate Seph Stiles (second from left), along with 22 adult and youth volunteers, worked on a meditation/prayer garden for Holy Trinity By The Lake Episcopal Church in Heath for his required leadership project. The Eagle candidate must plan and carry out a project for the benefit of his community.

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Lake Pointe Church celebrates family with annual Fall Family Festival

Lake Pointe Church in Rockwall will host its annual Fall Family Festival from 5 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., Friday, Oct. 23, in the church's parking lot and at Pier 4:19 Student Center. The church is located at 701 E. I-30 in Rockwall.

The evening will include bounce houses for all ages, carnival rides and games, pony rides, face painting, a petting zoo, a special play area for toddlers, a silent auction, music, food and much more. To get into the festive mood of the event, costumes are welcome.

The entry fee is \$5 for children ages 2-17. Adults and children under age 2 are free.

Tickets may be purchased in advance during Lake Pointe's weekend services beginning Oct. 3 at the south foyer Fall Festival booth. Tickets are also available on weekdays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Children's Ministry office and will be available at the door the night of the event.

Rockwall services times are at 6 p.m. Saturday evenings and at 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Sunday mornings. More information is available at lakepointe.org.

Lake Pointe Church to host Fall Festival for Special Needs Children

The R.E.A.C.H. Ministry at Lake Pointe Church in Rockwall will host a Special Needs Fall Festival from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 10, at the church. The event is open to children with special needs and their families. The event is free, but reservations are required.

The event will feature an inflatable obstacle course, bounce house, a petting zoo from 10 a.m. to Noon only, a hay ride and games and crafts. Hot dogs and cookies will be served as well.

For reservations, contact Wendi Akers, at 469-698-2310 or at wendia@lakepointe.org.

R.E.A.C.H. stands for Reaching Each And Every Child's Heart and is the special needs ministry of Lake Pointe Church. Akers can also be contacted for more information on the ministry.

Eagles vs. Cowboys at annual school faculty softball fundraiser

It's 'Game On' for the 2nd Annual CLP Fall Softball Classic Fundraiser between the Cullins-Lake Pointe Elementary Cowboys vs. the Grace Hartman Elementary Eagles. The faculty vs. faculty game will take to the playing field on Tuesday, Oct. 6.

Festivities will run from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Rockwall High School Baseball Complex. Pre-game activities include a Homerun Derby, Face Painting and more starting at 6 p.m. The first pitch is at 7 p.m.

A raffle will be held for the honor of throwing the first pitch. Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5 and can be purchased at Cullins-Lake Pointe Elementary through Friday, Oct. 2. The drawing will be held Monday, Oct. 5.

Concessions sold by the Cullins-Lake Pointe PTA with proceeds benefitting the school. No concession will cost more than \$3.

Umpires for the game will be members of the Rockwall High School Girls Softball Team.

For more information on the event, contact Lindsay Lindley, VP Fundraising, at 214-695-6828.

Memorial Fund opened for accident victim Kassie Ann Denson

A memorial fund has been established in the name of Kassie Ann Denson, who was killed in an automobile crash in Rockwall on Sunday, Sept. 13. Memorials may be made to the Kassie Denson Memorial Fund, c/o Elkhart State Bank, P.O. Box 427, Elkhart, Texas 75839. The funds will be used to help pay burial costs for Kassie, who was killed on her 21st birthday.

In its initial report of the accident, the Rockwall County News stated the accident occurred on Saturday, Sept. 12. We regret the error and apologize for the mistake.

Rockwall County Farm Bureau

Directors and Agents would like to invite all Rockwall County Farm Bureau members to the annual county convention. This year's convention will be from 6 to 9 p.m., Saturday, October 17. For more information contact our office at 972-771-6936

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On God's Word

by Timothy W. Burnett

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Jesus teaches about receiving the Holy Ghost...John 20:22

During the Lord Jesus' first meeting with his chosen disciples, he showed them his wounded hands and side. Once assured of his identity they became very happy to see him.

Sometime later, "He breathed on them and said, 'Receive the Holy Ghost'" (John 20:22).

This verse appears to say that Jesus blew out air and caused them to receive the Holy Ghost. There seems to be a serious contradiction between the above verse and Acts 1:5, 8 and 2:4.

According to Acts 1:4-5 Jesus told his disciples to not leave Jerusalem and to wait for the promise, "for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost soon." Later in verse eight, part of his response to his disciples' question was, "but you shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you."

If Jesus caused his disciples to receive the Holy Ghost earlier, then why did he afterward tell them to wait for the promise? This is a discrepancy that deserves our undivided attention.

Return to John 20:22. A look at the translations reveals a different picture. The word "on" is translated from the earlier known Greek word "en" which meant the same thing as our English word "in."

A scriptural word study of "receive" in the context of "the Holy Ghost" reveals something amazing. It was translated from the earlier Greek word "lambano" which meant to lay hold of or seize unto something. The same word is also used in Acts 1:8, "...you shall receive power..."

The disciples fulfilled his words on the day of Pentecost as recorded in Acts 2:4, "And they were filled with the Holy Ghost and began to speak with other tongues as the spirit gave the utterance."

We can safely conclude that this was the first record of people receiving the Holy Ghost. In the record of John 20:22 our Lord Jesus was teaching his disciples what to do in the future, as well as giving the meaning. He would have also taught them about being filled with holy spirit and speaking in tongues.

He no doubt taught them that after holy spirit would be poured out, they would immediately be filled with holy spirit upon their next intake of air. Hence we see his demonstration of breathing in.

We understand from Romans 10:9-10 that to be filled with holy spirit is directly related to believing with the heart that God raised Jesus from the dead. It is the same thing as being baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. It is also referred to as cleansed or washed by the blood of Jesus Christ (see also 1 John 1:7 & 9 and Revelation 1:5).

A further study of the Greek word "lambano" will show that to "receive the Holy Ghost" is also directly related to speaking in tongues (Acts 2:4 & Romans 10:9-10). This topic will be covered in greater detail following our series on the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Rockwall County Obituaries

Radell Dabney

Services for Radell Dabney, 69, of Rockwall were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 29, 2009, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel. Burial followed in the Florence City Cemetery in Florence.

She died Sept. 25. Born Dec. 9, 1939, in Killeen to Ernest and Ella (Whiteley) McVey, she lived in Florence prior to moving to the Dallas area where she worked as a financial planner.

Survivors include her sons, Mike Dabney of Forney and Curtis Dabney and his wife, Christina, of Rockwall; her sisters, Doris Jean Mark of Tennessee, Nelda Gunby and her husband, Warren, of Pennsylvania and Glenda Beardmore and her husband, Dale, of Mesquite; her grandchildren, Samantha, Michael Jr. and Joshua; and numerous nieces and nephews, cousins and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother, Leonard McVey.

Dana Skelton Dorotik

Services for Dana Skelton Dorotik, 63, of Rockwall were conducted at 10 a.m. Sept. 10, 2009, in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Rowlett with Father Bob Crisp officiating. Burial followed in the Sacred Heart Cemetery under the direction of the Rest Haven Funeral Home.

She died Sept. 7. Born Sept. 21, 1945, in Fort Worth to Wade Yates and Mildred Forse Skelton, she was a legal secretary and member of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church. She also was a member of the Tale Spinners Story League, the Rockwall Garden Club and the Old Town Rockwall Neighborhood Association. She chaired the National Committee for a Human Life Amendment for the 4th Congressional District during the 1970s and 1980s. Active in the Rockwall PTA, she hosted kindergarten picnics and tours of her home at Christmas.

She taught Faith Formation at St. Anthony's Catholic Church and was a Eucharistic minister at Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church. Since 1990 she won many awards for food and antiques at the State Fair of Texas. She was an accomplished interior decorator and seamstress.

Survivors include her husband, David Dorotik of Rockwall; her sons, Adam Wade Dorotik of Rockwall and Aaron David Dorotik of Flower Mound; her daughters, Allison Eleanor Valachovic of Corinth and Anna-Marie Dorotik of Plano; a sister, Michelle Durocher of Coeur de Lane, Idaho; a brother, Harley Kyte of Lake Whitney; and her granddaughters, Alisha Marie and Kristen Nicole.



Rockwall County Letters to the Editor

We encourage the submission of Letters to the Editor. Publishing of letters is at the sole discretion of the editor. Letters may be edited for brevity, grammar and accuracy. Letters which are considered libelous or an attack of an individual character will be rejected, as well as those promoting political candidates. Letters must be signed and include a telephone number or address for verification.

Let's help our Helping Hands

This beautiful, cool morning I received a telephone call from North Texas Humane Society asking me to donate clothing items for them to pickup this Friday. They will be at the area Friday.

After checking to see if the Rockwall animal shelter benefit from this agency, which it does not, I would encourage citizens to donate the same items to Helping Hands. The animal shelter is one of the many recipients of donations.

Rockwall first!
Judy Hanna
Rockwall

'Building Better Bridges' series at FaithBridge Church

FaithBridge Church, a United Methodist Community Church, announced a new sermon series beginning at its grand opening Sunday, Oct. 11.

The series is called, "Building Better Bridges," and highlights relationships and connections not only between people and communities but between people and God. Many people walk across bridges every day. Bridges connect communities and people seek good healthy connections.

The series will span three Sundays, Oct. 11, 18 and 25. First United Methodist Church of Rockwall is launching the series. The church meets at Celia Hays Elementary School in north Rockwall at the corner of FM 1141 and FM 55. Fellowship opportunities are offered for all ages at 10:30 a.m. Sunday mornings. Worship is at 10:30 a.m.

For more information, visit www.faithbridgechurch.net or contact Frank Rahm at (972) 771-5500, ext. 45.

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Our Opinion

Finally, some Congressional action on the Federal Reserve

I was very pleased that the Financial Services Committee on the Federal Reserve Transparency Act, HR 1207, has 295 cosponsors and there is also strong support for the bill in the Senate. This hearing was a major step forward for the bill passed.

I was pleased that the hearing was well-attended, especially that it was held on a Friday at nine o'clock in the morning. I have been talking about the immense, unchecked power of the Federal Reserve for many years, while the attention was always on other things. It was gratifying to see questions asking probing questions and demonstrating genuine concern about this important issue as well.

My testimony in favor of HR 1207 made some very good points, which was no surprise considering the bill is simply common sense. It was also no surprise that the witness testifying for the bill had no good arguments as to why a full audit should not be conducted promptly. He attempted to make the case that the Fed was already sufficiently accountable to Congress and that the current auditing policy is adequate.

It is that the Fed comes to Congress and talks about only what it wants to talk about, and the GAO audits only what the current law allows to be audited. The really important things however, are not audited. There are no convincing arguments that it is in the best interests of the American people for anything the Fed does to be audited.

It is argued that full disclosure of details of funding facilities and PDCF that enabled massive bailouts of Wall Street firms would damage the financial position of those firms and destabilize the economy. In other words, if the American people knew how much money was at those banks and how terribly they messed up, they would never willingly invest in them, and they would fail. This is not how a free country works. This is not how the economy works. That is crony corporatism and instead of being an economic stabilization, it totally undermines it.

The Fed gave its actual arguments against a full audit, they have mentioned anything about political independence or economic stability.

If they would admit they don't want to be audited because of their current situation too much. Under the guise of maintaining control, they are able to help out powerful allies on Wall Street for lucrative jobs or who-knows-what favors.

It would expose the Fed as a massive fraud perpetrated on the country, enriching a privileged few bankers at the top of the economic food chain, and leaving the rest of us with massively inflated dollars which we are forced to use by law.

It would make people realize that, while Bernie Madoff defrauded a lot of investors for a lot of money, the Fed has defrauded the rest of us by destroying the value of our money. An honest accounting of how the money system really works in this country would mean there is not much of a chance the American people would stand for it anymore.



Is disagreement with Obama Racism?

by Walter E. Williams

Former president Jimmy Carter said, "I think an overwhelming portion of the intensely demonstrated animosity toward President Barack Obama is based on the fact that he is a black man." That's from a man who earlier referred to Obama as "This black boy" on the Jim Lehrer "News Hour." New York Times social critic Maureen Dowd said, in reference to Rep. Joe Wilson's shouting "Liar" during Obama's address on health care before the joint session of Congress, "Some people just can't believe a black man is president and will never accept it." Washington Post's Howard Kurtz said he "began to suspect that race was a factor for at least some critics when I heard them shouting about 'the Constitution' and 'taking our country back.'" Kurtz asked whether the massive tea parties and other public protests reflect a "distinct discomfort with the country's first black president." House Ways and Means Committee Chairman Charlie Rangel, Rep. Eddie Bernice Johnson, New York Gov. David Paterson, MSNBC's Chris Matthews, and other leftists claim that racism is behind criticism of President Obama.

For these people, it is inconceivable that many Americans are outraged by the president's spending policies, budget deficits, industry takeovers, not to mention the appointment of Czars, a term that ought to be alien and offensive to American values whether used by a Republican or Democratic president.

Obama's presidency is truly a remarkable commentary on the goodness of Americans and how far we've come in resolving matters

of race. Obama convincingly won votes in states with insignificant black populations, such as the New England states, Iowa and Minnesota. For the nation as a whole, he managed 53 percent of the popular vote and 365 of the Electoral College votes when he only needed 270 to win. So now Jimmy Carter, Dowd, Rangel and other race-carders want us to believe that the massive discontent with Obama is racism. I say nonsense!

Speaking for the president, Robert Gibbs, White House spokesman, in no uncertain terms said that the president did not think the criticism directed at him and his policies was based on the color of his skin. President Obama refused to answer a reporter who queried him about Carter's comments. When Obama did respond, and much to his credit, he insisted that the "biggest driver" of the vitriol was distrust of government. His response was not only correct but the nation is better off as a result of it. We don't need the kind of divisiveness that would surely arise if Obama himself played the race card.

Race is no longer the problem that it once was. That doesn't mean there are not white and black bigots and that every vestige of racial discrimination has been eliminated. What little racial discrimination remains is nowhere near the insurmountable barrier it once was. For the most part, white bigots are no longer respected among whites and I look forward to the day when black bigots are no longer respected among blacks.

When one says that race is no longer the problem it once was, it is not the same as saying that there are not major problems that confront a large segment of the black population. Grossly fraudulent education is a major problem but it has nothing to do with racial discrimination as evidenced by the fact that the worse education received is in the very cities where blacks dominate the political structure. Crime is a major problem but it has nothing to do with racial discrimination, particularly in light of the fact that blacks commit most of the violent crime in America and well over 90 percent of their victims are black. The fact of a 70 percent illegitimacy rate and only 35 percent of black children raised in two-parent homes is a major problem but it has nothing to do with racial discrimination.

Americans should disavow and not fall prey to the racial rope-a-dope being played on us by the nation's race hustlers.

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Wide World of Chaos

It's time to start channeling Noah and begin building an ark. The world is a huge mess, and it's getting worse every day. Iran is on the verge of developing nuclear weapons, but global warming may incinerate the Israeli-Palestinian hate fest rolls on, and Afghanistan is part. Drug criminals have overrun Mexico, and Third World chaos is as horrific as ever. I think things are OK in Finland.

President Obama implored the United Nations to do something, to combat terrorism and global warming. The UN was blunt: "Consider the course that we are on if we fail to maintain the status quo: extremists sowing terror in pockets of the world; protracted conflicts that grind on and on; genocide and mass killings; more and more nations with nuclear weapons; melting glaciers and ravaged populations; persistent poverty and pandemic diseases. I say this not to sow fear, but to state a fact: The magnitude of the challenges has yet to be met by the measure of our action."

The response from France was to indicate it would no longer support sanctions against Iran.

What we have here, with apologies to Cool Hand Luke, is a global communication problem. But is that Obama's fault? He laid it out clearly: The nations of the world must unite against evil and global warming. The response from China is that it will "look into" its massive energy problem.

The hard truth is that the USA can't force nations to do the right thing. We can't force the Afghans to fight for their country against the Taliban. We can't force India to adopt cleaner energy policies. We can't even persuade Russia to cooperate against Iranian nuclear weapons.

The world must try, but there does not seem to be a plan B. It will be a struggle if tough sanctions are applied against Iran, and even if they are, there's no guarantee the crazy mullahs will end their program. Therefore, Israel will most likely attack them and a world war will break out. Of course, the Muslim world will blame the Jews.

It must be tough for Obama to sleep at night knowing the world is a malevolent place.

The Bush administration basically did what it wanted to do without approval. That made President Bush deeply unpopular, but

it also caused bad people to fear him. The signature achievement of the Bush years was a ruthless campaign against terrorists. And it worked. Al-Qaida was decimated, and no further foreign terror reached American soil.

Now we have a kinder, gentler president who is desperately trying to build world cooperation to solve problems. But President Obama is getting hammered. Europe doesn't help much in Afghanistan, China and Russia actually help Iran, and North Korea can pretty much do crazy things all day long. It's enough to give Uncle Sam a facial tic.

There is big trouble brewing overseas. How much wood does it take to construct that ark?

Veteran TV news anchor Bill O'Reilly is host of the Fox News show "The O'Reilly Factor" and author of the book "Who's Looking Out For You?" To find out more about Bill O'Reilly, and read features by other Creators Syndicate writers and cartoonists, visit the Creators Syndicate web page at www.creators.com. This column originates on the Web site www.billoreilly.com.
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Rockwall County Sports

Something's gotta give: Rockwall-Heath defense vs. Rockwall running back Josh Broach

By Matt McGillen

On the surface it would seem that defending District 10-4A champion Rockwall-Heath's game plan against Rockwall tonight in a key matchup at what is expected to be a packed Wilkerson-Sanders Stadium would be fairly straightforward:

Shut down Jacket running back Josh Broach.

Broach, a 5-9, 185-pound junior, is averaging a DFW area 4th-best 151.5 yards a game for 4A rushers while gaining 606 yards and scoring 11 touchdowns for 3-1 Rockwall (1-0 in district). His 66 points ties him for fifth among area scorers.

And it would seem to be the same plan the Hawks (3-1, 1-0) used last week against Greenville quarterback Alton Dennis. Dennis was averaging 160 yards rushing a game, but was completely stifled by Heath's defense, gaining only nine yards on 13 carries in the Hawk's 38-12 romp.

In fact, the Heath defense has allowed an average of just 57.5 yards on the ground in four games. Overall, the Hawks rank 13th defensively in the Metroplex, yielding an average of 254 yards total per contest.

But according to Heath coach Mickey Moss, things aren't that simple.

"It's a little bit more than just him (Broach)," said Moss. "He's one piece of the puzzle; (quarterback) Adam Dingwell is throwing the ball really well and he has some great receivers. It's actually a three-headed monster."

As quarterback for the Jackets, the 6-4 senior Dingwell has been efficient when called upon to throw, completing 50-of-77 passes for 586 yards with one touchdown and one interception.

His numbers are down so far this season compared to last year,

when he finished with 1,833 passing yards and 16 TDs, but the Jackets are in a better spot in the standings having started out last season 1-4 before finishing 4-6 and out of the playoffs.

Dingwell most often looks for Will Beasley when he does throw, connecting with the 5-8, 150-pound senior 21 times for 283 yards. Wide out Scott Loy is Rockwall's second leading receiver with 10 catches for 161 yards and Dingwell's lone scoring pass.

Defensively, deep back Justin Boss is Rockwall's leading tackler averaging nine stops a game with one interception. Linebacker Zane Knochel tops the Jackets with two sacks.

Heath, which snapped out of its offensive doldrums against previously undefeated Greenville with a season-high 38 points, will look to continue the balanced attack it has shown so far.

With senior QB Kevin Rodgers at the controls, the Hawks have averaged 202 yards rushing and another 220 passing.

"That's the way it has worked out so far," Moss said. "Kevin has thrown the ball really well and he has a couple of pretty good running backs in Dorian Lawry and Jesse Irokwe. Hew has done a great job."

Rodgers has hit on 63 of 119 passes for 882 yards with three scores and a pair of picks. His favorite target is Ryan Peterson, who has 16 catches for 233 yards. Cameron Wilson has 15 receptions for 205 yards.

The Hawks have used their pair of running backs, the senior Irokwe

and the sophomore Lawry, with pretty much equal effect.

Lawry has 357 yards and four rushing TDs as well as an off return for a score while Irokwe has 277 yards and four TDs.

Leading the Hawks' defense is senior David Tanner, ages 9.0 tackles a game and has five sacks already. Just who did not play in the Hawks' 10-6 win over Hillcrest is still a mystery.

Deep back Armando Villa leads Heath with two interceptions.

Who: Rockwall vs. Rockwall Heath

When: tonight, 7:30

Where: Wilkerson-Sanders Stadium

Records: Heath (3-1, 1-0) is coming off a 38-1 Greenville. Rockwall (3-1, 1-0) defeated Roysse City 40-14.

History: Heath won 38-21 in 2008 in the only meeting between the two.

When Rockwall has the ball: QB Adam Dingwell has completed 50-of-77 passes for 586 yards with one score and one pick. RB Josh Broach has 11 touchdowns and 606 yards. WR Will Beasley has 21 catches for 283 yards.

When Heath has the ball: QB Kevin Rodgers has completed 50-of-77 passes for 586 yards with one score and one pick. RB Jesse Irokwe has 277 yards and four TDs. WR Ryan Peterson has 16 catches for 233 yards. WR Cameron Wilson has 15 catches for 205 yards.

Injuries: none reported

Lady Hawks square off with Rockwall in battle for third place in District 10-4A volleyball

By Matt McGillen

With tonight's match at Rockwall marking the half-way point of Rockwall-Heath's journey through the District 10-4A volleyball schedule, the Lady Hawks are pretty much right where they want to be.

Although they got swept by powerful Richardson Pearce 25-12, 25-8, 25-17 at home last Tuesday, Heath upended Greenville 21-25, 25-10, 25-22, 25-15 last Friday to stand at 4-2 in district, putting them in a tie for third place with the Lady Jackets (4-2, 9-10), and improving their season record 19-11.

The top four finishers in district will advance to the playoffs.

"I'm excited, we're battling through," said Heath coach Maggie Younger.

Pearce, the top-ranked 4A team in the Metroplex, is in first place with a 6-0 district mark and is 27-5 for the year while Highland Park is second at 5-1 and 19-11.

The Lady Mustangs made fairly short work of Heath as they have all their district opponents – six straight sweeps – and put on a relentless power display that left the Lady Hawks simply overwhelmed.

"They are defensively and offensively solid," Younger said. "They have a quicker tempo than we usually see. You just have to do what you can, try and put a hand on the ball."

Pearce stuttered a little at the start of the first game, trailing 4-3 before running off an 8-1 streak to go up 11-4 and never looked back.

In the second game, Pearce led 8-5 but then outscored the Lady Hawks 14-1 to take a 22-6 lead. The Lady Mustangs pulled most of their starters before the third game.

Prior to Heath's matchup with Rockwall, both teams will wear pink warm-ups jerseys emblazoned with "Dig Pink – United for one Purpose" to bring awareness to Breast Cancer Awareness month. A silent auction will precede the game.

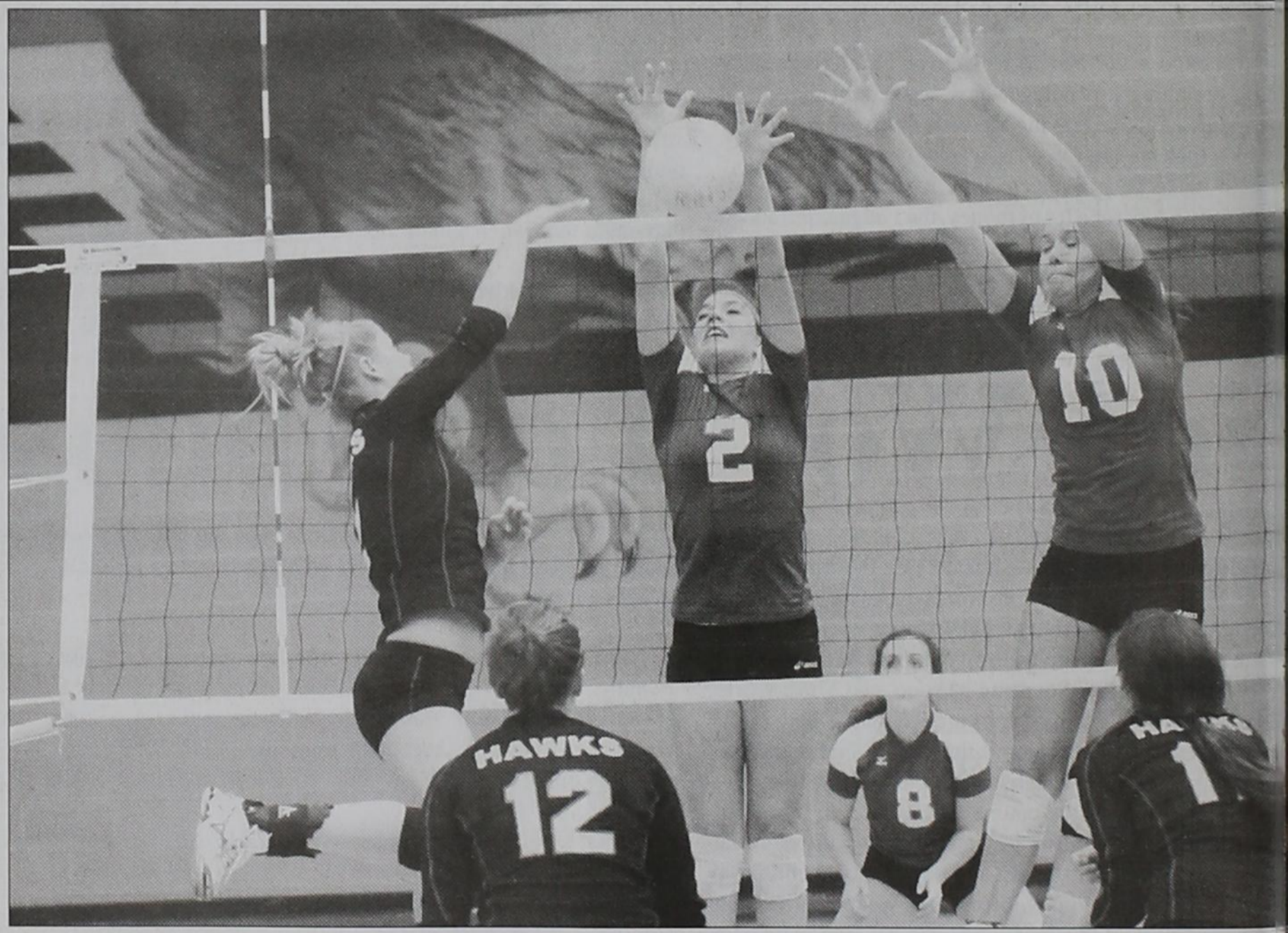
Heath junior Ciara Ryan-Todd (2) goes up for a kill against Richardson Pearce in the Lady Hawks District 10-4A match Tuesday. Rachel Hilton (12) and Katie Peisen (11) wait for the possible block in Heath's 25-12, 25-8, 25-17 loss.

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Katlyn Brown (left) and Brittany Wenger take their team spirit to new heights as the Rockwall-Heath Hawks beat Hillcrest High 10-6 at Franklin Field in Dallas.

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Heath cross country girls place 2nd, boys 3rd at Rowlett Eagle meet

ROWLETT – The Rockwall-Heath girls finished second and the boys took third at the Jim Baker Rowlett Eagle Invitational cross country meet last Saturday at Springfield Park.

With three top-10 finishers, the Lady Hawks ended the meet with 65 points, 15 points behind cross town rival Rockwall, totaling 65 points.

Farmersville was a distant third with 84 points.

Andrea Moeller took fourth with a time of 13:13.4. Beaurline was fifth in 13:16 and Jackie Meyers sixth in 13:17.

Megan Seibert of Richardson Pearce was the individual crossing the finish line in 12:13.

Carlos Zaldivar paced the Hawks, winding up seventh with a time 18:07, as the boys totaled 95 points, trailing on Bishop Lynch (89) and meet champion Rockwall which had only 23 points as all five Jacket runners finished in the top 10.

Rockwall's Jacob Phillips was the overall winner in 17:00. Next up for both teams will be the Rockwall HS State Meet at Harry S. Meyers Park tomorrow.

Rockwall Yellowjackets vs. Rockwall Heath, Oct. 2, 7:30 p.m. Wilkerson-Sanders Memorial Stadium. District 10-4A. 3-1 overall, 1-0 District 10-4A.

Year was the first meeting for the district title, the Hawks broke the 38-21 decision over Rockwall. This should be a hard-fought game. Both are among the top schools.

Jackets enter the season with a 3-1 record. The Lady Jackets won both matches Friday at Roysse City and over the Lady Bulldogs. On Tuesday, Newman Smith 25-21, 25-11, 25-11 improved Rockwall's District 10-4A record to 4-2.

Carrollton swept eight girls' volleyball teams. The boys weren't far behind. Yellowjackets took victory Tuesday at Carrollton. Samantha and Victoria and won doubles.

High School Varsity cheerleaders celebrated the Yellowjackets' victory over Roysse City. Photo by Renee Ramirez/Rockwall County News.

in 3rd place at season's midpoint.

Christian Academy picked up a five-game victory on Tuesday, Sept. 24, against Greenville.

enabled the Lady Eagles to finish in first half of the TAPPS district record (6-15-1) and set a new record for the season. They had lost their previous season's title, Sept. 22, in three games to the division leader Sherman.

runners. The team, which won its first title in 1998, is back in the top 10.

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Jackets face Hawks in cross town battle for playoff spot

Bump
Rockwall Yellowjackets vs. Rockwall-Heath Hawks
Friday, Oct. 2, 7:30 p.m.
Wilkerson-Sanders Memorial Stadium
RHS 3-1 overall, 1-0 District 10-4A; Rockwall-Heath

Last year was the first meeting between the teams. On the district title, the Hawks broke away from a 14-14 tie to a 38-21 decision over Rockwall.
Expect: This should be a hard-fought game between the high schools. Both are among the four 10-4A teams (with

Highland Park and Richardson Pearce) that won their opening district game. They seem evenly matched. Each victory by those four teams keeps them in playoff position. A loss could knock them down to a position where they would be fighting with other contenders such as Greenville, Royle City and Carrollton Newman Smith.

Last year, RHHS' Kendial Lawrence ran for 291 yards and all five of the Hawks' touchdowns against RHS. In that game, Rockwall's fourth consecutive loss, the Jackets discovered wide receiver Will Beasley (four catches, 102 yards) and saw continued progress from running back Josh Broach. Both are back, along with quarterback Adam Dingwell, as seniors to lead the 2009 Jackets' offense.

Rockwall-Heath has found adequate replacements for the graduated Lawrence and quarterback Drew Hollingshead.

In the Hawks' 38-12 victory last Friday over previously unbeaten Greenville, quarterback Kevin Rodgers passed for 183 yards and two touchdowns, and ran for 50 yards and a score. Dorian Lawry, who has run for four TDs this season, scored twice against the Lions.

The Jackets' offense isn't as balanced. Broach has rushed for 605 yards in four games, and has scored 11 of their 15 touchdowns. Beasley leads the team with 21 catches for 283 yards, but has not scored yet this season. Dingwell's only touchdown pass went to Scott Loy.

Rockwall can pass the ball, but didn't have to in last Friday's 42-21 victory at Royle City. The running game was so effective that Dingwell threw just three times, completing one for 10 yards.

The Hawks come in to the game, where their fans will sit on the visiting side in what usually is their home stadium, with a three-game winning streak overall. RHHS lost 40-31 in its opening game to Sherman, a 4A playoff team last season, but since then has shown a stout defense. In four games, the Hawks have outscored opponents 105-68.

Despite scoring just 10 points in a 38-10 loss at defending 5A Division I state champion Allen, Rockwall has outscored Rockwall-Heath, with 114 points. The Jackets have allowed almost as many (113). Their victories have been over three teams that reached the playoff last year - two of them in 5A.

Each team has used two kickers this season. Rockwall's Travis Shinn and the Hawks' Trevor Pinkston are dead even with three field goals and eight extra points apiece.

Friday's game could be just as close.

Jackets enter big week in showdown with R-H

The volleyball team faces one of its biggest weeks of the season with a match at home Friday against Rockwall-Heath and another at Highland Park Tuesday.

At Highland Park, the Lady Jackets won both matches in four games. They won at home Friday at Royle City for a 25-15, 21-25, 25-15, 25-18 over the Lady Bulldogs. On Tuesday, RHS won at home over Carrollton Newman Smith 25-21, 25-16, 23-25, 25-18.

The victories improved Rockwall's District 10-4A record to 4-2, tied

for third place with Rockwall-Heath (19-11 overall) behind Richardson Pearce and Highland Park (22-8). The district's top four teams will reach the UIL playoffs.

At Royle City, the Lady Jackets pulled away after RC tied the match with their second-game victory. In the fourth game, RHS led just 4-3 before taking seven consecutive points on Maggie Brindock's serve. Caitlyn Welch closed the match by serving for the final six points. The last came on a kill by Brooke Harrington.

Yellowjackets overwhelm Newman Smith tennis team 17-2

The Yellowjackets swept eight girls' and the boys weren't far behind. The Yellowjackets took a 17-2 victory Tuesday at

Carrollton Newman Smith. Samantha Haight, Ali Hudson and Victoria Constant all played and won in both girls' singles and doubles.

Logan Metcalf-Kelly, Drew Bryson, Greg Nelson and Kyle Greer had the same success in boys' singles and doubles.

Haight won at No. 1 singles over Newman Smith's Diana Gieng 6-0, 6-2, and teamed with Hudson to win the first doubles match 8-5. Hudson played in the closest singles match at No. 3, rallying to defeat Lorena Vannguyen 4-6, 6-1, 10-7. Constant won at fifth singles 6-2, 6-2 and teamed for an 8-3 victory in second doubles with Meacham, who won her sixth singles match by default.

The other girls' singles winners were Katie French, 6-0, 6-3 at No. 2, and Hailee Housewright, 6-0, 6-2 at No. 4.

Like Hudson, Metcalf-Kelly lost his first set at first singles but rallied to win 4-6, 7-5, 10-7 over Newman Smith's Oliver Willingham. Metcalf-Kelly won at first doubles 8-5 with Bryson, who won his fifth singles match 6-2, 6-2. Nelson and Greer won at second doubles 8-6. Nelson won his second singles match 6-4, 6-4, and Greer took a 6-0, 7-6 decision in third singles.

RHS' other boys' winners were Adam Hogan at sixth singles 6-3, 6-4 and the team of Connor Latus and Garrett Junkin by default in third doubles.

Lady Warriors fall to 0-4 in district

Rockwall Christian Academy's volleyball team completed the first half of its TAPPS District 4-2A season without a victory by losing Saturday's match at Sherman Texoma Christian.

First-place Texoma Christian (4-0 in the district) swept three games from the Lady Warriors (0-4).

To reach the playoffs, RCA would have to overtake fourth-place Greenville Christian (1-3). The Lady Warriors were scheduled to play at Greenville Christian Thursday.

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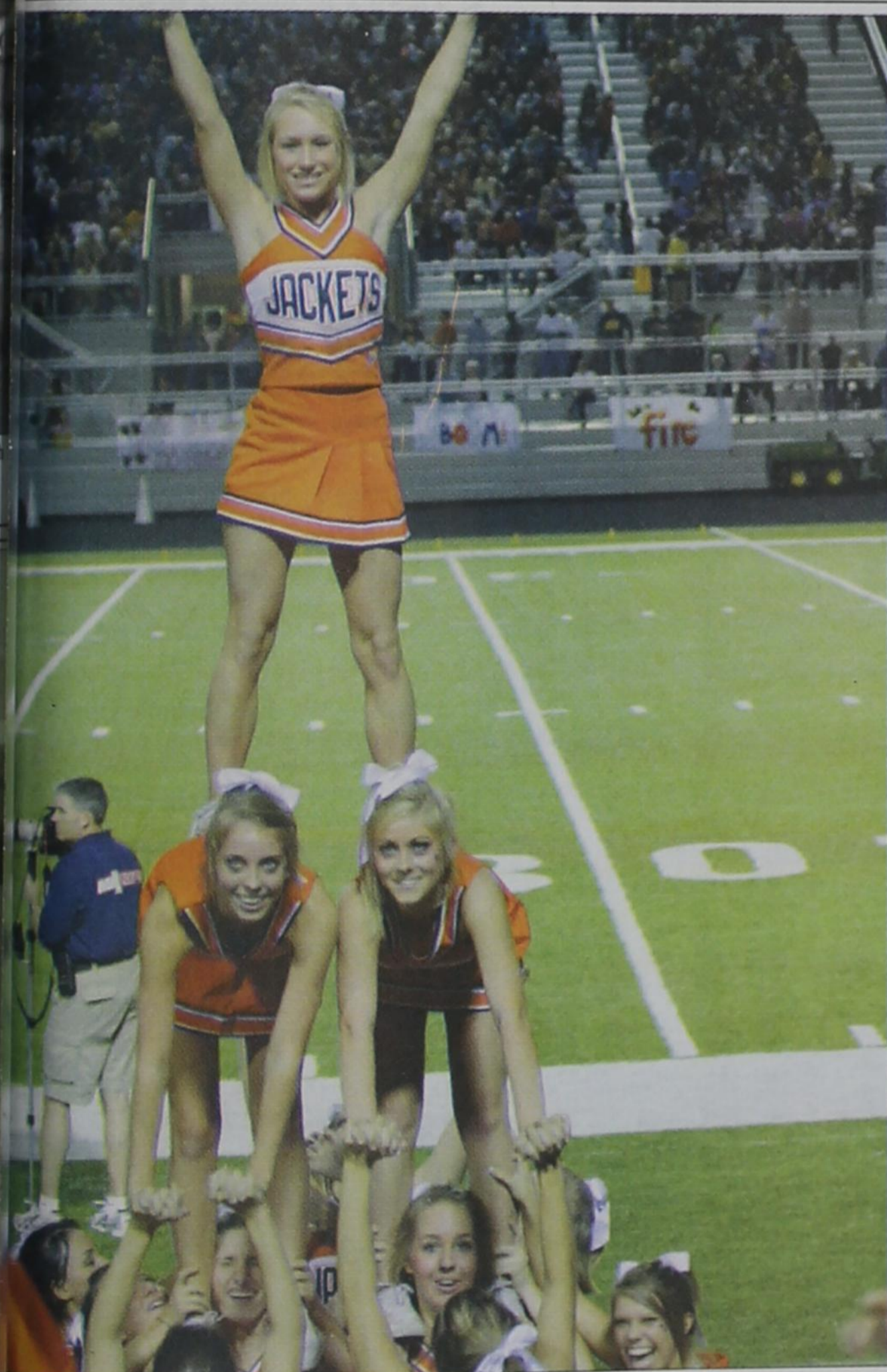
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Rockwall High School Varsity cheerleader Allegra Melton is held high by her fellow cheerleaders at the Yellowjackets' victory over Royle City last Friday, Sept. 25.
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Royse City High School's 2009 Homecoming Queen Rheaanne Howerton was honored at halftime ceremonies last Friday (09/29/09). She was escorted by her father Jeff Howerton. Photo by Roy Heath/Rockwall County News

Bulldogs take to the road to meet high-scoring Richardson Pearce still seeking initial win

By Matt McGillen
ROYSE CITY — They don't play a lot of defense, but then again, they don't really need to.

When Royse City travels to Richardson Pearce for a District 10-4A game tonight, they will face a Mustangs team that gives up 34.5 points a game.

Unfortunately for the winless Bulldogs (0-4, 0-1), Pearce (3-1, 1-0) scores at a rate just shy of 51 points a contest. In their last outing, the Mustangs overwhelmed RL Turner by taking a 44-6 first quarter lead that they stretched to 65-6 at the half on the way to an eventual 75-25 win.

"No question they have some offensive weapons," said RC coach Greg Strahm. "They had them last year, but they were just coming into their own last year after we beat them (38-27). They are executing very well."

Still, the Bulldogs' coach thinks they can slow down the Mustangs. "We believe we're going to be able to move the ball on them and score on them," Strahm said. "We're going to try and keep the ball away from them and eat the clock; give them as few chances as possible."

Driving the Mustangs' scoring machine is quarterback Caleb Lewis. The 6-2, 185-pound senior has passed for 1,022 yards by completing 68-of-100 passes for 10 touchdowns with five interceptions.

Including junior backup QB Mac Morse's 57.8 yards a game, the Mustangs are averaging 313 yards passing.

Senior wide receiver Blake Jumonville has hauled in 23 of those passes for 469 yards and three TDs while wideout/running back Josh Gold has been on the receiving end of 21 throws for 290 yards and four scores.

Gold also has 154 rushing yards and five more scores. His nine TDs put him in a tie for 8th among Area 4A scorers.

Kevin Garvey is the Mustangs' top rusher with 156 yards on 30 carries but has yet to find the endzone.

When Pearce is without the ball, they are led on defense by deep back Connor O'Reilly, who averages 8.3 tackles a game. Mason Harris tops the Mustangs with two sacks while five different players have come up with one interception.

For RC, the struggle to get some offensive production while shutting down the other side's offense continues, as the Bulldogs have averaged just 17.5 points a game while surrendering 37.5.

Strahm did see some things in the Bulldogs' 42-21 loss to Rockwall last week that gave him reason to be encouraged.

"It's hard to say you gained a whole lot out of a loss," said Strahm. "But

we played more consistent on the offensive side. We had drives."

The Bulldogs may be without multi-purpose running back Fedric, who is still recovering from a sprained ankle and will be out of the field for a couple of offensive plays against Rockwall.

"We believe he'll have a real chance to be 100 percent. We see," Strahm said. "We definitely like to have him out there such a weapon. He is definitely not happy not being out there."

Lewis Mapps is the top Bulldogs rusher with 218 yards on 48 carries and has scored three touchdowns.

Quarterback Taylor Corbin has hit on 58 of 101 throws for 1,011 yards and three scores but has been picked off eight times.

Wide receiver Kristopher Smith has 18 receptions for 217 yards and scored twice.

Who: RC at Richardson Pearce
Where: Eagle Mustang Stadium
When: tonight 7:30

Records: RC (0-4, 0-1) lost to Rockwall 42-21. Pearce (3-1, 1-0) won vs. Turner 75-25.

History: RC won 38-27 in 2008

When Pearce has the ball: QB Caleb Lewis has thrown for 222 yards and 10 TDs with five picks. WR/RB Josh Gold has 21 catches for 154 rushing yards with nine total touchdowns. WR Blake Jumonville has 21 receptions for 469 yards and three scores.

When RC has the ball: QB Taylor Corbin is 58-for-101 for 1,011 yards and three TDs and eight interceptions. RB Lewis Mapps has 218 yards on 48 carries and three scores. WR Kristopher Smith has 18 catches for 217 yards and two TDs.

Injuries: RB Ryan Fedric (ankle) will be a game-time decision.

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Heritage Christian Eagles

Tuesday, Sept. 29 — Middle school football: home vs. Fannindel, RISE, 5 p.m.

Middle school volleyball: at Levine, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 1 — Volleyball: home vs. McKinney Christian, middle school 4 p.m., JV 5 p.m. and varsity 6 p.m.

Rockwall Christian Warriors

Thursday, Oct. 1 — Middle school football: at Watauga Harvest Christian, 5 p.m.

Varsity volleyball: at Greenville Christian, 7 p.m.

Rockwall Yellowjackets

Tuesday, Sept. 29 — Varsity boys' golf: at Sachse Invitational, Woodbridge Golf Club, 8 a.m.

Varsity tennis: at Carrollton Newman Smith, 4 p.m.

Volleyball: home vs. Carrollton Newman Smith, JV and freshman A 5:30 p.m., and varsity and freshman B 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Sept. 30 — Varsity 2 and JV girls' golf: at Rowlett Tournament, Mesquite Municipal Golf Course, 8 a.m.

Thursday, Oct. 1 — JV tennis: at Carrollton Newman Smith, 4 p.m.

JV White football: home vs. Rockwall-Heath, Wilkerson-Sanders Stadium, 5:30 p.m.

Freshman football: at Rockwall-Heath, B 5:30 p.m. and A 7 p.m.

JV Orange football: home vs. Rockwall-Heath, Wilkerson-Sanders Stadium, 7 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 2 — JV tennis: at Richardson, 4 p.m.

Varsity football: home vs. Rockwall-Heath, Wilkerson-Sanders Stadium, 7:30 p.m.

Utley Wolves

Tuesday, Sept. 29 — 7th grade football: home vs. Allen Ereckson, Wilkerson-Sanders Stadium, Green 5:30 p.m. and Silver 7 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 1 — 7th grade volleyball: at Cain, C 5:30 p.m., B 6:30 p.m. and A 7:30 p.m.

Williams Wildcats

Tuesday, Sept. 29 — 8th grade football: home vs. Wylie McMillan, B 6 p.m. and A 7:30 p.m.

7th grade football: at Wylie McMillan, B 6 p.m. and A 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 1 — 7th grade volleyball: home vs. Wylie McMillan, C 5:30 p.m., B 6:30 p.m. and A 7:30 p.m.

8th grade volleyball: at Wylie McMillan, C 5:30 p.m., B 6:30 p.m. and A 7:30 p.m.

Heath Hawks

FRIDAY — 10/2

Varsity Football vs. Rockwall @ WSS @ 7:30

JV/Varsity Tennis vs. Tyler Lee @ RHHS @ 4:00

All Volleyball vs. Rockwall @ Rockwall @ 5:30/6:30/7:30

SATURDAY — 10/3

Cross Country @ The Sting Invitational @ Harry Myers Park, Rockwall

Swimming @ Rangers Relays @ SMU @ 11:00 a.m.

Cain 8th graders sweep McMillan in volleyball

All three Cain Middle School eighth grade volleyball teams emerged with victories by sweep against McMillan Sept. 24.

The A team won 25-13, 25-15, the B team 25-10, 25-16 and the C team 25-15, 25-13.

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2009 Radio/Webcast Football Schedule

Date	Radio	Webcast
10/02	Hawks vs Jackets	Hawks vs Jackets
10/08	Jackets @ Turner	Jackets @ Turner
10/09	Hawks @ Newman-Smith	Hawks @ Newman-Smith
10/15	Jackets vs J.J. Pearce	Jackets vs J.J. Pearce
10/16	Hawks vs Royse City (Homecoming)	Hawks vs Royse City
10/23	Hawks @ J.J. Pearce	Hawks @ J.J. Pearce
10/24	Jackets @ Newman-Smith	Jackets @ Newman-Smith
10/29	Hawks vs Turner	Hawks vs Turner
10/30	Jackets vs Highland Park (Homecoming)	Jackets vs Highland Park
11/06	Hawks @ Highland Park	Jackets @ Greenville

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RHS volleyball to host Dig Pink event

The Rockwall High School volleyball team will host a Dig Pink event Friday to help raise awareness for breast health and raise funds to fight breast cancer. A silent auction will be conducted to raise funds and attending is urged to wear pink to the game. The JV/9th graders game is at 5:30 A.M., with varsity set to begin at 6:30 p.m.

Community tailgating event slated

A community-wide tailgate party will be conducted prior to Classic Rockwall vs. Rockwall-Heath football game Friday. The event, which will include carnival games, music, prizes, giveaways and a booth, will begin at 5:30 p.m. and run until the 7:30 p.m. kickoff at the Wilkerson-Sanders Memorial Stadium. Tickets will be sold and proceeds will benefit the RHS and RHHS football booster clubs.

Rockwall plans Fishing Derby

The City of Rockwall Parks & Rec Department's annual Fishing Derby will take place Saturday at Harry Myers Park, 815 E. Washington. The derby will begin at 8 a.m. Cost is \$5 per resident child, \$8 per non-resident child. Children up to age 14 can fish in a fully stocked pond. Prizes will be awarded for Biggest Fish, Smallest Fish and First Fish. Age groups. For more details call 972-771-7740.

School plans Wacky Obstacle Challenge

Grace Hartman Elementary will host a Wild About Halloween Wacky Obstacle Challenge beginning at 8 a.m. Oct. 10 at Harry Myers Park. Participants ages 5 and older will slip, slide, crawl and hop their way through obstacles such as the '50s Slip and Slide, the Body Bopper and the Homerun. To sign up or donate, visit active.com and select the Hartman Wacky Obstacle Challenge. All proceeds will benefit the school.

Outdoor family campout planned

The Rockwall Parks & Rec Department will host an outdoor family campout Oct. 10-11 at Harry Myers Park in cooperation with the Parks & Wildlife Department. The "carefree camping" event will include archery, disc golf, kayaking and other activities. Families will bring a sack lunch for Oct. 10; the evening meal will be provided. The event will conclude with a campfire and a cowboy singer/poet. Participants bring tents and sleeping bags (tents provided for registrants who are unable to bring their own). Continental breakfast will be served on Oct. 11. Camping cost will be \$100 for each Rockwall-resident family and \$150 for non-resident family. For more information or to register call 972-771-7740.

BlastBall season scheduled

BlastBall, an event designed to teach the fundamentals of baseball to children ages 3-5, will be offered by the Rockwall Parks & Rec Department beginning in October. Using a "blastbase," which is a unique honking sound when the base runner stomps on it, children learn the importance of teamwork and exercise. Gloves are not required to be used. Teams will be comprised of five children each; volunteer coaches are needed. Games (about 30 minutes each) will take place Monday evening from Oct. 12 through Nov. 16. A parent meeting is scheduled for Oct. 12 at 7 p.m. at the Harry Myers Park. Registration is prior to the beginning of play. For more information on the program, call 972-771-7740.

RHHS boosters plan golf tournament

The RHHS Hawks Football Booster Club will host its annual golf tournament beginning at 1 p.m. Oct. 24 at the Buffalo Creek Golf Course. Sponsors and players are needed. For more information call 972-771-1740.

Husky Fun Run/Walk scheduled

Celia Hays Elementary will sponsor its 3rd Annual Husky Fun Run/Walk beginning at 8:30 a.m. Nov. 7. A live DJ, games and prizes will be provided. This fundraising event designed to promote healthy lifestyle and the importance of exercise of healthy living. Proceeds will benefit the school. Register visit active.com or call 469-698-2800 or 972-772-9355.

Turkey Shoot set Nov. 7

The Rockwall Parks & Rec Department-sponsored Turkey Shoot ball-shooting contest will run from 10 a.m. to noon Nov. 7 at the Education Center gym. Open to ages 4 and older, the event is a fun contest that pairs parents/guardians with their children to shoot turkey targets in three rounds. The competition is broken into age groups. Prizes are awarded to high-point teams. Cost is \$3 for Rockwall residents and \$5 for non-residents; pre-registration is required. For more details visit active.com/parks.

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position provides quality counseling to persons owning a small business, persons wishing to start a new business, and managing a small business incubator. Bachelor's degree in business related field required. Previous small business ownership required. Research and write grants for the business incubator and rural business development. Conduct feasibility studies. Maintain client records and databases. Visit our website to download an announcement and application packet at <http://www.parisjc.edu/index.php/pjc/hr> or email humanresources@parisjc.edu or contact Paris Junior College, 2400 Clarksville Street, Rockwall, TX 75460 903.782.0483 903.782.0288 (fax). EOE.

Legal Notices

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Bids addressed to Mr. Chuck Todd, P.E., City Engineer, will be received at the office of Purchasing Agent, 385 S. Goliad, City Hall, 1st Floor, October 16, until the hour of 10:00 a.m. on the following project:

Shadydale Roadway Reconstruction Project

Project includes approximately: 4549 SY 6-inch Concrete Pavement, 5163 SY Lime Treated Grade, 2613 LF 6-inch Curb, 293 LF 24" RCP, 706 LF 30" RCP, 1475 LF 8" Class 200 PVC Pipe, 6 Each 8" Gate Valves, 4 Each Fire Hydrant Assemblies, and other miscellaneous items.

Bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope externally marked- Shadydale Roadway Reconstruction.

Bids will be opened and publicly read in the City Council Chambers at the Rockwall City Hall, 385 S. Goliad. No bids will be open or considered if received after the specified time.

Qualification is not required. Completion time is 150 Calendar Days. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any irregularities and/or to accept the bid or bids deemed best for the City.

Bid Bond is due with the bids. A Performance, Payment, and Maintenance Bond (2-year) is required for this project.

Contractors must conform to the Prevailing Wage Rates as established by the City of Rockwall.

Plans and specifications may be examined Rockwall Engineering Office located at the Rockwall City Hall, 385 S. Goliad, 1st Floor, Rockwall, Texas (phone numbers- 972-771-7746/fax 972-771-7748), and procured at the office of the Engineer, PBS&J, 18383 Preston Rd., Suite 110, Dallas, Texas (phone numbers- 972-588-3120/fax 972-380-2609), at a non-refundable cost of \$100, beginning October 2, 2009. Only those Bids received from Contractors who have purchased the plans and specifications for this project from the office of the Engineer and are listed on the Engineer's List Plan Holders, will be opened at the Bid Opening for consideration.

Help Wanted

Local business has an opening for a part-time general office person. Computer skills required. Please call Treva @ 214-771-0765 Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. EOE/MF

Mobile Homes for Sale

3 bedroom 2 bath basic is there, needs repairs. Large 306 ac, fenced yard, some wood & ceramic tile floors. Only \$29,900 call 214-803-3108.

Residential Lots for Sale

Age and health sale. Lot on East Texas Lake Cypress Springs. Next to Lake Bob Sandlin. Beautiful lot full of trees, 1 block from water. Nice homes round. Gated community Pine Valley. \$8,000 or trade for 5th wheel. Paid \$10,000 for lot 20 years ago. 214-457-1209.

Miscellaneous for Sale

October 2 & 3, High performance race car parts, power scooter, clothes and lots of misc. 1301 Launce Drive.

For Sale

Resthaven Memorial Park Lawn Crypt for two persons, Companion Terrace 180, \$5,500. Call Mike at 972-414-9399

Garage Sales

Annual Rummage Sale

In the parking lot of First Christian Church, Sat. October 18, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. No early sales, please. The main fund-raiser of the year for the many charities funded by the Disciples Women's Group. Located at 3375 Ridge Rd, 1.4 miles

Moving Sale

Large oak entertainment unit, holds up to 30" TV, stereo, drawer for extras, \$125. Corner computer desk, \$40. 214-335-3038.

Charity Sale

Rockwall Mom's Group, Fri. & Sat., 10/3, 10/4, 8 a.m. to 2. 534 Savanna Hill Lane (205 South to Pullen Road). Toys, clothes, furniture, tools, too much to list.

Vehicles for Sale

'06 Ford F150 STX, Gray ext/int. Flair side, 5.2 engine 8 cyl. Flo-Master dual exhaust. Tinted windows, Radio/CD 48,773 miles, \$10,095. Call 972-771-0100.

For sale: 2003 T.Bird, black, 61k, \$31,000. Call 972-989-1809.

Commercial Property

For Lease

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Todd Williams puts finishing touches on his creation of the recent Helping Hands Master Gardner Garden. All materials used by the entrants had to come from the Stores of Helping Hands. Judges David Couch and David Williams awarded Williams First Prize.

Photo Courtesy of Judy Evans/Rockwall County News

RHHS Homecoming Cookout date changed to Monday, Oct. 12

The Class of 2010 at Rockwall-Heath High School has changed the date of its Homecoming Cookout to Monday, Oct. 12, immediately following the Homecoming Parade.

Hamburgers, hot dogs, Brats and water will be on sale during the Homecoming entertainment. The food lines will be in front of the tennis courts on the sidewalk near the Heath Center. Please feel free to contact Cris Hudecek at 214-668-1088 for more information. All are invited to stop by and show support for the RHHS Class of 2010.



Rockwall County Health Matters

Do you know someone who?

- Spends a great deal of time alone at home without much interaction with others?
- Forgets to take medications or get prescriptions filled?
- Has a hard time bathing and getting dressed some days?
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Presbyterian Hospital of Rockwall Women's Imaging Center Offers \$75 Mammograms from October 1st thru October 31st

Early detection is priceless. That is why for a limited time only the Women's Imaging Center at Presbyterian Hospital of Rockwall (PHR) is offering mammograms at an incredible price. The value of a normal screening mammogram can cost as much as \$250.00. In honor of Breast Cancer Awareness month, PHR will be offering this screening at a discounted rate of \$75, October 1st through October 31st, 2009. This includes the cost of the client's screening mammogram and the radiologist's fee. Interested clients should call (469)698-1100 Option 2 to schedule an appointment. Saturday appointments are also available on October 17, however limited space is available.

"I am so proud to work in a place where caring for our patients is more important than the price of a mammogram," said Barbara

Nichols, Mammography Technician at PHR. "We are committed to the women of our community and to the fight against breast disease."

Mammograms are X-rays of the breast that are used to see lumps and other changes in breast tissue. The mammography unit at PHR produces optimal images with faster exposure times using the least amount of radiation. The result is less discomfort and a lower probability of re-testing due to motion blur. "Soft touch" mammography pads are used to make the procedure more comfortable for clients.

Breast cancer is the most common form of cancer among women, but the survival rates are increasing due to early detection and the new technology used at PHR. The staff encourages clients to take advantage

of this opportunity by making an appointment and starting your crusade against breast disease.

At the Women's Imaging Center we understand that women have unique health care concerns and those concerns should be addressed with great care and attention. We believe that women deserve to a special place designed specifically for them, where they can obtain highly specialized diagnostic services in a compassionate, caring environment.

The Women's Imaging Center at Presbyterian Hospital of Rockwall is located in the medical office building adjacent to the Presbyterian Hospital. For more information about PHR and the Women's Imaging Center, please visit our website at www.phrtexas.com.

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