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Local Homeschool students returning with high rankings from the recent Future City Competition in Washington, D.C. are (left to right) Sarah Grace Seggerman, Joy Mitchell, Lucy Metheny and Joshua Richardson. The team represented the North Texas region. Along with their teacher, Kimberly Mitchell, and volunteer mentor and retired Raytheon engineer MaryJo Marvin the team took second place overall for their futuristic city called Bedford Falls. The students, pictured above, also won two special awards: Most Innovative Design of Infrastructure Systems sponsored by American Society of Civil Engineers and Best Model sponsored by DiscoverE.

Last fall more than 40,000 middle school students tackled the Future City Competition's sustainability challenge – Waste Not, Want Not. The students were asked to design an innovative citywide solid waste management system that was safe, environmentally sound and energy efficient. Using SimCity software, they designed a virtual city. They also researched and wrote a city description detailing their solution, with a \$100 budget built a tabletop scale model with recycled materials and presented their ideas before a panel of judges. As a part of Engineers Week, 37 regional winning teams faced off in the Future City National Finals, which took place at the Capital Hilton in Washington, D.C.

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Orozco, Carter, RHHS Buddies tapped for RISD recognition

The Rockwall Independent School District announced its 2016 Diversity Leadership Award winners at the Feb. 15 Rockwall ISD Board of Trustees meeting.

The first Diversity Leadership Award was presented to Lisa Orozco, ESL teacher at Ouida Springer Elementary, according to information posted on the RISD website. For the past four years, Orozco has been the ESL teacher at Springer where she oversees the largest population of bilingual and ESL students in the district. She is the TELPAS coordinator and is involved in many community outreach efforts. She also has co-developed an ongoing parent education curriculum for Hispanic families called Padres en Accion.

Orozco is the lead committee member for the Lake Rockwall Estates Task Force and the Springer Community Outreach. She is the campus contact for the Concilio Parent Education Program and campus contact for the St. Vincent DePaul Society Food 4 Kids program. She is also the campus lead for the Food Backpack program.

The second award was presented to Mary Carter, community member and mentor for Sharon Shannon Elementary. According to Principal Carla Bennett, Carter has been a committed mentor who is dedicated to helping children from all walks of life.

Carter volunteers at the Rockwall Parks and Recreation Department and previously served on the Heath Parks Board, according to information on the RISD website. She is the founder for the Rockwall charity One Man's Treasure Clothes Closet that began 11 years ago.

The final award was presented to the Best Buddies Leadership Team at Rockwall-Heath High School with Natalie Harris serving as the 2016 president of the group. Best Buddies is an international organization dedicated to establishing a global volunteer movement that creates opportunities for one-to-one friendships, integrated employment and leadership development for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. This past summer, the RHHS Best Buddies club received the award for the most outstanding Best Buddies program in the state of Texas.

This campus organization is completely student-initiated and student-led. These students form bonds with their buddies while creating formal and informal events and gatherings for our special needs students to interact with their peers and with the community, according to information on the RISD website.

The Diversity Leaders Awards seek to recognize leaders in our district who have fostered the improvement of relations and understanding between individuals, races, cultures, ethnicities and religions during the school year.

Republican, Democratic primary elections slated Tuesday, March 1

Election Day is Tuesday, March 1, for the Republican and Democratic primaries.

Polling places for the day, open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., are as follows.

- Precinct 1 – Reinhardt Elementary, 615 Highland Dr., Rockwall
- Precinct 1A – Based on the events of Dec. 26, all Precinct 1A voters who wish to vote on Election Day must appear at Precinct 2B (Cullins-Lake Pointe Elementary), according to the county's elections department website.
- Precinct 1B – Ridgeview Church, 1362 E. FM 552, Rockwall
- Precinct 1C – Nebbie Williams Elementary, 350 Dalton Rd., Rockwall
- Precinct 2 – Student Ministry Building, First Baptist Church, 710 S. Goliad, Rockwall
- Precinct 2A – Our Savior Lutheran Church, 3003 Horizon, Rockwall
- Precinct 2B – Cullins-Lake Pointe Elementary, 5701 Scenic Dr., Rowlett
- Precinct 2C – Heath City Hall, 200 Laurence Dr., Heath
- Precinct 3 – Expansion Church, 418 E. Bourne Ave., Rockwall
- Precinct 3A – Amanda Rochell Elementary, 899 Rochell Court, Rockwall
- Precinct 3B – Dorris Jones Elementary, 2051 Trail Glen, Rockwall
- Precinct 3C – Pullen Elementary, 6492 FM 3097, Rockwall
- Precinct 3D – Chisholm Baptist Church, 1388 S. Hwy. 205, Rockwall
- Precinct 4 – Rockwall Independent School District Administration Building, 1050 Williams St., Rockwall
- Precinct 4A – First Baptist Church of Fate, 813 Holiday (Hwy. 66), Fate
- Precinct 4B – Royse City Hall, 305 N. Arch St., Royse City
- Precinct 4C – Ernest Epps Education Center, 812 E. Old Greenville, Royse City

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Friday is last day for early voting

Early voting in the March 1 primary elections will run through Friday, Feb. 26.

Registered voters may vote at any early voting location in their county of residence, according to the votetexas.gov website maintained by the Texas Secretary of State office.

Early voting sites, dates and hours, according to the Rockwall County Elections Department website, are as follows:

- Rockwall – Rockwall County Library, 1215 E. Yellow Jacket Lane, Rockwall; Royse City – Royse City City Hall, 305 N. Arch St., Royse City; and Heath – Heath City Hall, 200 Laurence St., Heath -- Thursday, Feb. 25, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., and Friday, Feb. 26, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.
- Rowlett – Cullins Lake Pointe Elementary, 5701 Scenic Dr., Rowlett -- Thursday, Feb. 25, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., and Friday, Feb. 26, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

City-organized workshop draws 150 area realtors

The City of Rockwall hosted its second realtor workshop last week to educate, inform and empower area realtors with up-to-the-minute information about what Rockwall has to offer.

The seminar, which took place on Wednesday, Feb. 17, at The Center, drew about 150 area realtors, as well as city employees, educators and local leaders, according to a city news release. Rockwall partnered with the North Texas realtor association MetroTex to help facilitate the event.

Presentations included residential and commercial growth, parks and recreation programs, economic development and school district information. Among the day's presenters were Rockwall Mayor Jim Pruitt, Mayor Pro-tem Dennis Lewis and Rockwall Independent School District Superintendent Jeff Bailey, according to the release.

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ARC to conduct Feb. 28 Rockwall blood drive

The American Red Cross will host a blood drive in Rockwall from noon to 6 p.m. on Feb. 28 at Half Price Books, 959 I-30, Rockwall. All blood types are needed to ensure a reliable supply for patients. A blood donor card or driver's license or two other forms of identification are required at check-in. Individuals who are 17 years of age, weigh at least 110 pounds and are in generally good health may be eligible to donate blood. To make an appointment, download the free ARC app at redcrossblood.org/bloodapp, visit redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

RSVPs due for Newcomers & Friends meeting

Rockwall County Newcomers & Friends will host its March luncheon and program beginning at 10 a.m. on March 10 at Occasions at Stone River in Royse City. Janet Smith from the Arboretum will speak on pollination in a talk entitled "Sex in the Garden." Attend the event by calling Barbara at 972-771-1057 or Cathy at 942-400-9934 or visit newcomersrock.com. RSVP by Feb. 29.

Republican Lunch Bunch to meet March 2

The Rockwall County Republican Lunch Bunch will meet at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, March 2, at Luigi's Italian Café, Rockwall. Cost will be \$10, which includes lunch, beverage, tax and tip; pay at the door for this informal gathering open to all area Republicans. No reservations required. For more information call Dalton Kennimer at 972-636-4034.

Democratic Men's Group plans March meeting

The Democratic Men's Group of Rockwall County will meet for lunch at noon on Saturday, March 27, at the Rockwall Country Club. (Continued on Page 2)



University scholastic honors

Slayton included on Pepperdine Dean's List

Pepperdine University student Stuart Slayton, a Rockwall native, was listed on the Seaver College Dean's List for the fall semester, according to a news release from the Malibu, California, university.

To earn Dean's List honors, students must be in the upper 10 percent of their class and maintain a 3.5 or better grade-point average.

Slayton was one of only 304 students to receive the honor, according to the release.

Davis named to UALR Dean's List

Rebecca Davis of Rockwall was named to the University of Arkansas at Little Rock's Dean's List for the fall semester, according to a news release from the Little Rock, Arkansas, university. Students whose academic performances meet the following qualifications are eligible for the Dean's List:

- Achieve at least nine credit hours with a grade of A, B, C or "credit"
- Maintain at least a 3.5 grade-point average for the semester
- No D, F, I or "no credit" grades on the semester grade report

Davis is majoring in American Sign Language studies, according to the news release.



Seven new CASA volunteers were sworn in as advocates for Lone Star CASA by Judge Brett Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 16. Pictured above, from the left, are Jackie Slinkard; Karel Holloway; Becky Collie; Patrice Johnson; Hall; Laurie Coles, CASA board member; Cynthia Allen; Hilda Page; and Dee Carter. Volunteers complete 30 hours of training, observe court and visit a CPS office and children's emergency shelter. All prospective advocates must pass criminal, CPS and motor vehicle background checks, along with fingerprinting. Lone Star CASA advocates for children in foster care in Kaufman and Rockwall counties. Another new volunteer training begins in May. Information sessions are scheduled for late March. For more information call 972-772-5858 or visit lonestarcasa.org.

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Rockwall County Obituaries

Deborah Kay Brown

Services for Deborah Kay Brown, 59, of Greenville were conducted at 10 a.m. on Monday, Feb. 22, 2016, in the Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church in Rockwall with Father James Joseph officiating. Burial followed in the Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Fort Worth under the direction of the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel.

She died Feb. 15.
Born Dec. 11, 1956, in Wichita Falls to Albert and Veronica (Journey) Parker, she attended the Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Azle. She was salutatorian at Owasso High School in Owasso, Oklahoma, and received a bachelor's degree from Tulsa University in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

She enjoyed riding bikes with her husband and reading and sewing. She was a perfectionist who was funny, intelligent, thoughtful, selfless and humble.

Survivors include her husband of 37 years, Daniel Brown; her daughter, Amie Stacy, and her husband, John; her grandchildren, Jude, Gabriel and Luke; her father; her brothers, Scott and Brian Parker; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her mother and her sisters, Kathleen Parker and Karen Real.

T.J. Epperson

Memorial services for T.J. Epperson, 87, of Rockwall, formerly of Dallas, were conducted at 11 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 19, 2016, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel with Bro. Richard Brunson officiating.

He died Feb. 14.
Born Dec. 29, 1928, in Lawton, Oklahoma, to Sidney J. and Junia M. (Walker) Epperson, he was a Methodist and had lived in Rockwall for 38 years.

He served in the U.S. Navy and retired from American Airlines after 42 years as a flight engineer. He was a 32nd Degree Mason, a Shriner and a private pilot.

Survivors include his wife of 53 years, Laverne Epperson; his children, Scott James Epperson and his wife, Suzanne, Thomas James Epperson and his wife, Pamela, Mark James Epperson and his wife, Toni, and Lynda Chauncy; his grandchildren, Aaron James Epperson, Natalie Paige Hawley, Ashley A. Epperson, Brandy Beurdick, Sarah Epperson, Brian James Epperson, Danny Chauncy, Hilarie Suzanne Hawley and Taylore Gregory Hawley; and many other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Norma Soday-Thorn Bacon; and two nephews, Michael James House and Ronald James House.

(Thelma) Jeanne Crawford Isbell

Memorial services for (Thelma) Jeanne Crawford Isbell, 88, of Austin will be at 1 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 28, 2016, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel with the Rev. Karl Hanschen, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow in the Rockwall Memorial Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. prior to services at the funeral home.

She died Feb. 21.
Born Nov. 18, 1927, in Fate in her Grandmother Lowry's home to Cleon and Jewel Elizabeth (Lowry) Crawford, the family moved to Levelland when she was 6 weeks old. They resided there two years and returned to Rockwall where she grew up around cousins and friends. After graduating from Rockwall High School, she attended Texas State College for Women (TWU) in Denton where she enjoyed many friendships and trips to Texas A&M. She fell in love with James Frank (Jim) Isbell and the two married before she finished school.

She worked for several years in downtown Dallas. When couple's first child was born, they purchased their first home and became lifelong friends with the Estacado Drive Neighborhood Bridge Couples. They also were active members of St. Mark's Presbyterian Church.

After having four children, the couple moved to El Paso for health reasons. It was there that they joined St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and she went back to college, finishing her degree at Texas Western (now UTEP), fulfilling her parents' dream of having their six children graduate from college.

After graduation, the couple landed teaching jobs in Midland where they became members of the First Presbyterian Church. She taught kindergarten and first grade as a reading specialist and worked on her master's degree. After 20 years she retired from teaching.

The couple lived in Rockwall for a couple of years before returning to El Paso to enjoy their retirement.

They were active in the Pebble Hills Presbyterian Church and celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at Walt Disney World. Following her husband's death, she moved to Austin in 2007 where she participated in the Westlake Hills Presbyterian Church. She lived in Austin for 10 years. At the time of her death, she was a 14-year lung cancer survivor, having been declared cancer free the 10th year and remaining that way until her death.

Survivors include her children, Amy Isbell Hanschen, and husband, Steve, of Austin, John Reese Isbell of Austin, Karl Isbell Marszycki and her husband, Roy, of El Paso and Brett Al Isbell and his wife, Chris, of Salt Lake City, Utah; a sister, Max Costello of Forney; a brother, Robert Crawford and his wife, Carol of Dallas; her grandchildren, Karl, Elizabeth, Jennifer, Josh, Kathleen, Patrick and Melissa; her great-grandchildren, Kaitlin Peyton, Abigail, Rachel, Preston, Rebecca and Alex; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her husband; a granddaughter, Allison Isbell; her brothers, John Crawford and Edward Crawford; a sister, Jewel Bonner; and a niece, Cathy Jo Crawford.

An online guestbook is available at resthavenfuneral.com.

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5, at Johnny Carino's Italian restaurant, 819 E. I-30 Frontage Road in Rockwall. The group meets on the first Saturday of each month at local restaurants. Open-minded, progressive men concerned about the future of Rockwall County and Texas are invited to attend.

Spring Break Rock Camp set March 7-11

The Rockwall Parks & Rec Department has organized a Spring Break Rock Camp that will run March 7-11. Participants will venture to destinations throughout the area, including the Heard Museum, Texas Skatium/Bowl-o-Rama, Dallas Arboretum, Cowboys Stadium and more. Visit rockwall.com/parks/index.asp for more details.

Spay/neuter mobile hospital scheduled

The Spay Neuter Network's hospital bus, in the I-30 Wal-Mart parking lot, offers surgery performed on site the second Friday of every month. Next date is March 11. A \$20 spay for female dogs is available, as are low-cost surgery packages. Walk-up vaccinations offered at reduced prices from 10 a.m. to noon. Specials available at spayneuternet.org. Services available throughout the Metroplex in Crandall, the Hope Mobile or via transport. Free spay/neuter is offered in selected ZIP codes. For appointment/information call 972-472-3500 or 817-423-5500. Be sure dog's collar cannot be slipped, cats are in secure carriers. Promoted by Rockwall PAWS (Rockwall PAWS @att.net).

Believe It or Not is lecture topic

Tall tales of Rockwall County will be the topic at the Stodghill Lecture Series presented by the Rockwall County Historical Foundation and the Rockwall County Historical Commission from noon to 1 p.m. in the third floor in the historic downtown courthouse on March 11.

Rockwall's Got Talent auditions scheduled

Auditions for Rockwall's Got Talent will run from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. March 26 at the Rockwall Community Playhouse, 609 E. Rockwall (two blocks off the square in downtown Rockwall). Semi-finals scheduled for April 8; finals will be April 15. For more details visit rockwallcommunityplayhouse.org.

'What's Your Superpower?' focus of conference

The Rockwall Area Chamber of Commerce and the Executive Women's Alliance will play host to the What's Your Superpower Women's Conference & Business Expo on Friday, April 1, at the Castle at Rockwall, 2071 Clem Rd. Ext. The event, which will run from 7:45 a.m. to 3 p.m., will focus on "innovative and effective ways that women can make a mark in all aspects of their lives from the office to home and their communities." Tickets cost \$50 for Rockwall Chamber partners and \$109 for prospective chamber members. For more details, contact the chamber at 972-771-5700 or visit rockwallchamber.org/events or facebook.com/rockwallchamber.

RWL accepting grant requests from nonprofits

The Rockwall Women's League is accepting grant requests from nonprofit agencies that provide services to Rockwall County. To be considered, organizations must be tax-exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Grant requests should include program name, program description, program beneficiaries, amount requested. Grant requests should be submitted in writing and mailed to P.O. Box 383, Rockwall, TX 75087, attention: Patti Poole. Contact Poole at 972-771-7343 or ppoole@bjpoolelaw.com for more details. Grant requests also may be emailed to Poole. Deadline for submission is April 1.

Texas History in 1861 is topic of April 8 event

To secede or not to secede was the question posed by Gov. Sam Houston (aka Mike Donegan) and Texas Ranger John Salmon "Ranger" Ford (aka Jay Webb), which will be explored April 8 at the Stodghill Lecture Series presented by the Rockwall County Historical Foundation and the Rockwall County Historical Commission from noon to 1 p.m. in the third floor in the historic downtown courthouse. The presentation will explore the cultural, economic and political issues driving forces during this time period.



Members of the Aspasians, pictured above, recently delivered new household goods to the Rowlett Tornado Relief Donation Center. Donations included new sheet sets, towels, dishes and cookware sets to help the affected families. The donations were collected at the organization's February meeting, dubbed "For the Love of the Community," and delivered to the Tornado Relief Center on Saturday morning. For more information about Aspasians, visit aspasians.com.

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Students from the Poetry Community Christian School participated in the Christian Soldiers Karate black belt testing on Saturday, Feb. 20, in Azle. Karate masters were on hand to grade participants. Sydney Hefley, Morgan Horan and Mikayla Poole earned second-degree black belts, while Daniel Cato, Luke Foreman, Joseph Glick and Austin Townsend earned first-degree black belts. Pictured at front are Horan, Hefley and Townsend, and, in the middle, Poole, Cato and Glick. At back are Luke Foreman and Steve and Lisa Harrell, PCCS Christian Soldiers Karate instructors. The organization, a part of the American Martial Arts Association, conducts black belt testing events annually.

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TEXAS CROSSWORD

by Charley & Guy Orbison
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<p>ACROSS</p> <p>1 TXism: "tall dog in the _____"</p> <p>5 "those" south of the border</p> <p>6 TXism: "_____boose" (jail)</p> <p>7 Bowie's Alamo bed (2 wds.)</p> <p>8 TXism: "neither here _____ there"</p> <p>9 TXism: "it don't _____ up"</p> <p>12 Paul Anka hit</p> <p>17 UT grad distance runner _____ Larrieu-Smith</p> <p>19 Galveston's Ave. B nickname _____</p> <p>21 sign over a check</p> <p>22 historic TX trail: "El _____ Real"</p> <p>23 ex-cafeteria chain started in TX</p> <p>28 TX 6-man football former LA casino for East TXns: "_____ of Capri?"</p> <p>30 some TX chill? (2 wds.)</p> <p>31 TXism: "_____ as the top line on an eye chart"</p> <p>35 this Moore started with TX Swayze in "Ghost" (1990)</p> <p>36 TXism: "hot as _____"</p> <p>42 Chevy truck _____ his cards close to the vest"</p> <p>46 certain land auction (2 wds.)</p> <p>48 "fathers" south of the border</p> <p>49 TX Whitfield who won five Olympic medals</p> <p>50 "Santa _____ National Wildlife Refuge"</p> <p>51 told a "windy"</p> <p>52 pig's casa</p> <p>53 Jackson Co. seat</p> <p>54 TXism: "she could _____ furnace to the devil" (persuasive)</p> <p>56 TXism: "another _____ another dollar"</p> <p>57 modern bank teller (abbr.)</p> <p>58 TX Johnny Nash sang "I Can _____ Clearly Now"</p> <p>DOWN</p> <p>1 San Saba event (2 wds.)</p> <p>2 TXism: "rough _____ cob"</p> <p>3 _____ City, TX</p> <p>4 San Antonio TV</p> <p>9 TX land measure</p> <p>10 TXism: "_____ a coyote with a rubber chicken"</p> <p>11 Sandra of TV film "Houston, We've Got a Problem!"</p> <p>12 a combat medal won by TX Audie in WWII (abbr.)</p> <p>13 TXism: "if the saddle squeaks, _____ for"</p> <p>14 TXism: "he has short _____ and deep pockets"</p> <p>15 TXism: "fought tooth and _____"</p> <p>16 TX '40s "scream queen" Gwynne</p> <p>18 _____ leaded gas</p> <p>20 TXism: "that'll _____ nicely"</p> <p>23 Cowboy Dez Bryant position (abbr.)</p> <p>24 "_____ Olde Shoppe"</p> <p>25 TXism: "do my sums" (plural)</p> <p>26 belief in God</p> <p>27 co-author of "The King Ranch"</p> <p>32 Yo _____ Digo Creek</p> <p>33 TXism: "grabbin' _____ straws"</p> <p>34 TXism: "get while the gettin' _____ good"</p> <p>35 TXism: "his facts _____ elastic" (liar)</p> <p>37 poppa</p> <p>38 Fort Worth developer/promoter</p> <p>39 in Eastland Co. on I-20</p> <p>40 Hebrew given name meaning "rose"</p> <p>41 TXism: "beats a poke in the _____ with a sharp stick"</p> <p>43 _____ Paso, TX</p> <p>45 Ranger Elvis Andrus' position (abbr.)</p> <p>47 TXism: "a _____ and a dollar short"</p> <p>48 DA's bargain</p> <p>55 tick bite disease</p>	
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Nature, STEM-based camps offered in Dallas

Registration is open for new nature and STEM-based (science, technology, engineering and math) camps set March 7-18 at the Dallas Arboretum. Organized by grade level, camps are designed based on age and interests and led by Arboretum teachers. Spring break camps are new to the Arboretum. For details visit dallasarboretum.org/education/summer-camps or call 214-515-6515.

Free Water Efficient Landscape course offered

Texas A&M AgriLife will offer free courses in Water Efficient Landscape in Dallas and Terrell. A course will be offered from 9 a.m. to noon on April 2 at the Dallas Center, Bldg. E auditorium, 17360 Coit Rd., Dallas. In Terrell, the event will be conducted at the same time on April 9 at the City of Terrell Service Center, 400 Industrial Blvd., Terrell. Register online at Dallas.TAMU.edu/courses for either location.

Royse City Lions Club conducts Recycling Day

by Millie Jean Coppedge
The Royse City Lions Club conducted its annual Fundraising Recycling Day from 10 a.m. to noon on Saturday, Feb. 20, in the parking lot on North Arch across the street from the C.F. Goodwin City Library.

The Lions Club partners with Bubbs Fundraising to collect money to go toward community needs and events. Items donated, whether working or non-working, consisted of electronics, office equipment, computers and LCD monitors, cell phones, sporting equipment, non-fiction books, movie and music CDs, video games, power tools and more.

"The donated items are broken down for the recyclable parts," Lions Club president Kimberley Wheeler said. "The idea is to keep those items out of the landfills and protect the environment."

The truck, which appeared almost empty at the time the photo was taken, was totally full less than two hours by noon. The Lions received check for more than \$500 before the truck took the items away.

Funds raised will go toward community needs, projects and events.

The Lions and Leos also sponsor bingo from 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of every month at The Well Coffee Lounge on Main Street. Proceeds go to benefit the Royse City Animal Shelter. In the last two years, the club has raised more than \$3,000 for the shelter.

RISD to host April 9 job fair

The Rockwall ISD will host its annual job fair from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday, April 9, at Rockwall High. Representatives from each campus and administrative department will be on site. Job applicants may bring resumes and fill out online applications at rockwallisd.com/event/job-fair.

February Ribbon-cuttings/Grand Openings

- Willis Fine Jewelry Gift & Collectibles, 2091 Summer Lee Dr., Suite 111, Rockwall
- Drees Custom Homes, 795 Featherstone Dr., Rockwall
- Fireside Chicken & Tacos, 2332 Greencrest Blvd., Rockwall



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Royse City Lions Club members, who conducted the annual Fundraising Recycling Day event on Saturday, Feb. 20, are pictured. At back, from the left, are Ada Mooney, Robert Mooney, Jason Roland holding his daughter MacKenzie, Deborah Davis, club president Kimberley Wheeler and Dylan Caviness; second row, standing, are Kathleen Tyre and Bonnie Hannon; and third row, Allison Roland and Christine Harvey. The Lions frequently conduct fundraisers and other events to help with the needs of the community.
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"Let every thing that hath breath praise the Lord. Praise ye the Lord."
Psalm 150:6

"That if you will confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord', and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved."
Romans 10: 9-10

"Have I not commanded you; be strong and of a good courage. Be not afraid, neither be dismayed; for the Lord thy God is with thee wherever you go." Joshua 1:9

"A fool's mouth is his destruction, and his lips are the snare of his soul."
Proverbs 18:7

"Trust in the Lord with all thine heart, and lean not unto thine own understanding;"


"In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy path;"
Proverbs 3:6

"Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known ..."
Proverbs 3:6

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Opinions

Intervention fail: Back to Libya

Ron Paul

Ron Paul Institute (ronpaulinstitute.com)
The use of the US military overseas seems to have become so commonplace that the Obama Administration can bomb a country with no Congressional input and very little media interest at all. Such was the case on Friday, when the US military killed some 49 people in a bombing run near Tripoli, Libya.
If we had to bomb Libya, we are told, because Libya has become a hotbed of ISIS activity. The group has been moving training facilities into the country, taking advantage of the chaos. Ironically, it was five years ago this week that the "Arab Spring" uprising began in Libya, an uprising that was supported by US military force and led to the overthrow of the Libyan government and the murder of its leader, Muammar Gaddafi.
We were told that the US had to intervene to overthrow Gaddafi so that democracy and human rights could flourish, yet five years after the US-led intervention no one would argue that the country is better off. Instead of bringing Libya democracy, US intervention brought ISIS. So now the US has to go back and bomb Libya some more to take care of ISIS.

Will this work? No. Logic tells us you cannot do more of what caused a problem and expect it to fix the problem.

As Middle East analyst Hillary Mann Leverett observed after Friday's US attack on Libya, "the problem is, for each one of these targeted killings, what we have seen in the data that at least two more people sign up to join."

The United States has made a habit of lecturing other countries about the need to follow the rule of law, yet this seems to be a matter of "do as we say, not as we do." How else can we explain a US attack overseas with no Congressional input? Certainly there was no Congressional authorization for Friday's bombing. The Administration claimed that its authority came from the 2001 authorization to use military force against al-Qaeda in retaliation for the attacks of 9/11. But ISIS did not even exist on 9/11. How can the 2001 authorization be twisted to include bombing Libya in 2016?

Libya has been in chaos since its 2011 "liberation," but the country's interim government strongly objected to Friday's US bombing, claiming they were not consulted before the US attack. They called US air strikes a violation of Libya's sovereignty and of international law.

They have a point. But the most important point we must learn from the destruction of Libya – and of Syria, Iraq, Afghanistan, and so on – is that US interventionism has been a complete failure. Hundreds of thousands have been killed in the last 15 years, societies have been broken apart, economies have been destroyed, and property has been flattened. There are no success stories. The neocon plan to remake the Middle East has only succeeded in destroying the Middle East. As a consequence, we are far less safe than before the "war on terror" was launched. ISIS and other terrorist groups have expanded their territory and have even been able to attack in Europe and the US. Our currency has been debased to pay for the trillions of dollars spent in this no-win war. The connected elites have gotten rich while the middle class has gotten poorer.

Intervention has failed. It is time to stand up to the neocons and their liberal interventionist collaborators and say "no more!"

Simple solutions for major political problems

Timothy W. Burnett, Publisher

Rockwall County News
The 2016 Primaries Elections approach, many people are talking for their favorite candidates and causes.
Organizations host special forums for the people to hear the candidates express ideas and field answers to hard questions.
During the George W. Bush and Barack Obama administrations, elections appear to have been much more vibrant and highly charged experiences.
The Bush administration included the criminal pulverization of the World Trade Center towers and murder of over 3000 people, the start of multiple wars in the Middle East, and alas, the massive bailout of major corporations.
The Obama administration began with questions over legal qualification to serve as President of the United States. It turns-out, he did not provide proof that he was born in the United States. Nor did Congress press him to provide the proof.
Obama introduced his initiative to support and promote green energy development. The green initiative included administrative actions designed to disrupt the industry that offers a far better form of energy – oil and gas.

Of course it was during this same time period when Obama committed his second possible crime by accepting a \$1M gift in the form of a Nobel Peace Prize, for his stance on green energy initiatives.
An organization closely regulated by the government of Sweden, he is enough information to investigate and prosecute Obama for accepting a monetary gift in his official capacity as President.
It wasn't long after Obama introduced the green initiative until the British Petroleum explosion crippled the oil and gas industry.

Obama has yet to end the wars in the Middle East. The term Al-Qaeda faded from the national dialogue, and was replaced by the term ISIS as the new enemy.

Based solely on the Presidential campaign, it's no wonder, people are fervent about the 2016 election.

Criminal prosecution

Certain candidates in the 2016 campaign are raising a new hot issue for discussion - criminal prosecution of government officers.

In short, the candidates are talking about simple and real-world solutions through the judicial system.

Such solutions bring to light the power of the people to hold government officials responsible and accountable for statutory violations and unlawful conduct.

The power of the Grand Jury and the judicial system is one check & balance that can put people at ease when there are no good choices in candidates.

This is especially true in local government.

When more people wake up to the power of the Grand Jury, the elections may drop in popularity. In fact, more candidates may find no marks next to their names on the ballots. Why?

Because the first time elected officials vote to authorize appointed officers to violate state or federal laws, those elected officials can be summoned by the Grand Jury for questioning, be investigated and possibly indicted, tried and convicted for accessory to criminal offenses under Texas Penal Code Chapter 39.

Moreover, such violations may very well include fraudulent use of tax dollars.

Okay – if the votes of elected officials constitute accessory to a criminal offense, then it stands to reason that the appointed officers who execute the actions of the government, in violation of state law,

would logically be the party charged with the criminal offense.

An important part of federal, state and local governments is the Oath of Office and Certificate of Commission. Those two documents hold the individual officials personally responsible, in their official capacity, for complying with state law. The Oath of Office is a legal joinder between the people and the officials.

Recently, we received a letter addressed to Rockwall County Sheriff Harold Eavenson from Rockwall resident Jacqueline Frank Strickland.

The writer politely asserted that the "county Sheriff is the senior law enforcement officer both in terms of rank and legal authority in a county..."

Ms. Strickland went on to explain that "Six years ago the Sheriff Association of Texas in Austin notified the state's populace of the importance of Sheriff 1st legislation which formally declares that all federal agents and officers must give notice of, and seek permission before, any arrest, search, or seizure occurs. Thus, federal agents and officers seeking to enforce unconstitutional laws must go through the county sheriff first."

As the highest ranking law enforcement official in the county, the Sheriff is also bound to a duty to investigate statutory violations committed by all government officials from municipalities, school districts, and even officials within the county government.

And just as all law enforcement officers will intervene and investigate simple violations such as speeding, without receiving complaints from others, so also does the Sheriff have a duty to do the same when aware of any government officer committing statutory violations or engaging in unlawful conduct including misuse of tax dollars related to statutory violations.

The Sheriff is an extremely important official in the checks & balances of the Texas political system.

Petition

Recently, the City of McLendon-Chisholm voted to increase taxes for the building of a new city hall, without going to the people for approval. In response, the people filed a petition for a Roll-Back Election. In essence, the May 7 election will include an opportunity for the "body politic" people of McLendon-Chisholm to roll back the action of their representatives.

Another example of petition power might be where a government unit swindles the people into a bond election that is really designed to support local commercial and residential development.

In essence, the property owners are held hostage by the masses of registered voters who want to enjoy certain benefits from the loan.

The property owners have the option of filing a civil and/or criminal complaint against the elections administrators for not limiting the bond elections to property owners. They may legally petition for an election to remove the original action.

The people have the power to petition the removal of any ordinance.

The people can petition for an election to remove a government official.

In fact, the people have the power to petition for an election to altogether dissolve the government unit.

Imagine the people actively organized to file petitions.

Grand Jury

Imagine the people actively organized to file individual and group documents informing the Grand Juries of statutory violations committed by local appointed officials.

Imagine the people waiting in line for the opportunity to serve on the Grand Jury.

You see, Texas law states that each member of the Grand Jury has a duty to inform the Grand Jury when aware of a criminal offense. This means the individual Grand Jury member may be aware of unlawful conduct or statutory violations by elected and/or appointed government officials, or someone else may inform the Grand Jury of the same.

In case there are doubts about whether the Law Enforcement officials, District Attorneys and District Courts would attempt to shield the officers from prosecution, the Grand Jury has the option of appointing special investigators, prosecutors and judges. The Grand Jury may also investigate and indict the above mentioned officials for shielding other officers from prosecution.

Moreover, state law clearly states that the District Attorney serves at the will of the Grand Jury. This means the Grand Jury has a duty to not be influenced by the District Attorney.

Let's finish with the below true story.

After listening to testimony about a matter before a Grand Jury in Texas, a District Attorney attempted to steer the Grand Jury in a certain direction. Immediately, the well-informed Grand Jury Foreman saw what was happening, and instructed the District Attorney to leave the chambers until called upon by the Grand Jury.

After the D.A. refused to leave the chamber, the Foreman asked the District Judge to order the D.A. to follow the instructions. It wasn't long before the D.A. walked out of the chamber.

According to Texas law, the D.A. serves at the will of the Grand Jury.

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Republican, Democratic primary elections ...

Republican Primary

The following is a list of candidates and items to be considered:

President – Ted Cruz, Ben Carson, Carly Fiorina, Rand Paul, Marco Rubio, Jeb Bush, Elizabeth Gray, John R. Kasich, Lindsey Graham, Rick Santorum, Chris Christie, Donald Trump

U.S. Representative, District 4 – John Ratcliffe, Lou Gigliotti, Lou Hall

Railroad commissioner – Weston Martinez, John Greytok, Lance Christian, Doug Jeffrey, Ron Hale, Gary Gates, Wayne Christian

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3 – Debra Lehmann, Michael Bengale

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 5 – Rick Green, Paul Green

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 9 – Joe Pool, Eva Guzman

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2 – Chris Oldner, Mary Keel, Ray Wheless

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 5 – Brent Webster, Sid Haze, Scott Walker, Steve Smith

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 6 – Michael E. Keasler, David Davis

Member, State Board of Education, District 9 – Keven M. Ellis, Lou Bruner, Hank Hering

State representative, District 33 – Justin Holland, Lorne Liechty, Keating

Justice, 5th Court of Appeals District, Place 4 – Lana Myers

Justice, 5th Court of Appeals District, Place 7 – David James Schen, David John Schenck

District judge, 382nd Judicial District – Brett Hall

District judge, 439th Judicial District – David E. Rakow

Judge, County Court at Law – J. Brian Williams

Sheriff – Andrew Hawkes, Harold W. Eavenson

Tax assessor/collector – Kim Sweet

County commissioner, Precinct 1 – Cliff Sevier, Doug Hamilton

County commissioner, Precinct 3 – Dennis Bailey

Justice of the peace, Precinct 3 – Mark Russo, Jennifer Jeffus, David White

Justice of the peace, Precinct 4 – Liana Bell Whitten

Constable, Precinct 1 – John Benedetto

Constable, Precinct 2 – Trey Chaney

Constable, Precinct 3 – Tom Egan

Constable, Precinct 4 – Randy Earl Parks

Proposition 1 – Texas should replace the property tax system with an alternative other than an income tax and require voter approval to increase the overall tax burden.

Proposition 2 Texas cities and counties should be required to comply with federal immigration laws or be penalized by loss of funds.

Proposition 3 Texas should prohibit governmental entities from collecting dues for labor unions through deductions from public employee paychecks.

Proposition 4 Texas and its citizens should strongly assert 10th Amendment Rights guaranteed by the U.S. Constitution which states powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, or prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people."

Democratic Party

The following is a list of candidates and items to be considered by voters in the Democratic primary, according to sample ballots:

• President – Martin J. O'Malley, Bernie Sanders, Willie L. Wilson, Keith Judd, Star Locke, Hillary Clinton, Calvis L. Hawes, Roque "Rocky" De La Fuente

• Railroad commissioner – Lon Burnam, Grady Yarbrough, Cody Garrett

• Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3 – Mike Westergren

• Justice, Supreme Court, Place 5 – Dori Contreras Garza

• Justice, Supreme Court, Place 9 – Savannah Robinson

• Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2 – Lawrence "Larry" Meyers

• Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 5 – Betsy Johnson

• Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 6 – Robert Burns

• Member, State Board of Education, District 9 – Amanda M. Rudolph

• State representative, District 33 – Karen Jacobs, Cristin Padgett

• Justice, 5th Court of Appeals District, Place 4 – Gena Slaughter

• Justice, 5th Court of Appeals District, Place 7 – Dennise Garcia

• Justice of the peace, Precinct 3 – Tim Wells

• Referenda Item #1 on Economic Security & Prosperity -- Should the Texas Legislature and the United States Congress pass an economic security and prosperity plan for families that includes higher incomes by raising the state minimum wage to a livable wage, passing the Paycheck Fairness Act to ensure equal pay for equal work, guaranteeing paid family leave to care for a child or ill loved one, fully funding public neighborhood schools, and making a debt-free community college education a reality for hardworking students?

• Referenda Item #2 on a Fair Criminal Justice System -- Should the Texas Legislature and the United States Congress pass criminal justice reform legislation that ensures equal justice throughout our society without respect to race, socioeconomic status, geographic location, or other factors unrelated to behavior, ensuring as well common sense policies to protect the rights of law enforcement officers, the community, and defendants in the criminal justice system?

• Referenda Item #3 on Climate -- Should the Texas Legislature and the United States Congress encourage the transition to renewable, non-polluting energy as a means to slow down climate change and its impact on the planet?

• Referenda Item #4 on the Voting Rights Act -- Should the United States Congress pass the new Voting Rights Advancement Act to protect all American voters?

• Referenda Item #5 on Campus Carry -- Should the Texas Legislature allow each public institution of higher education (not only private universities) to opt out of the ability to carry guns on campus?

• Referenda Item #6 on Comprehensive Immigration Reform -- Should the United States Congress pass a just and fair comprehensive immigration reform solution that includes an earned path to citizenship for law-abiding immigrants and their children, keeps families together, protects DREAMers and provides workforce solutions for businesses?

Jacket Classic hosts first track & field meet in Rockwall

Jacket Classic Track & Field Meet was held Saturday Feb. 20, 2016 at Wilkerson-Sanders Stadium in Rockwall. Total of 7 women's teams competed. Rockwall-Heath team placed fourth with 86 points. Rockwall women varsity team placed fifth with 78 points. First place team was Allen with 177 points. Rockwall varsity men placed 5 among 10 teams with 49 points. Rockwall-Heath finished eighth with 15 points. Roysse City placed 9 with 6 points. The Rockwall J.V. men's team finished in sixth place with 43 points. Rockwall-Heath logged a seventh place finish with 38 points. Roysse City finished in tenth place with 8 points.

UIL State Wrestling Tournament results

Rockwall-Heath

Zarik Anderson (120) advanced to the State Championship with a win against Cerar Ramirez of El Paso Del Valle in the Semi-finals. Anderson lost to Gabe Costa of Prosper 6-2 Decision.

Lane Hunt (132) lost to Casey Clair of Frisco Centennial in the first round of the State Tournament with a 7-5 Decision. Mario Vasquez of Amarillo Palo Duro won the Championship against Virley Session of Frisco Liberty.

Nocholas Rose (138) defeated Carter Dorsett of Forth Worth Boswell in the 1st round of the State Tourney with a Fall in 1:26. He was defeated in the next round by Riley Jacops of Austin Vandegrift with a 7-0 Decision. Jacob Moore of Frisco Centennial defeated Jacops for the Championship (4-3).

Jordan Noble (145) lost to Christian Hernandez of El Paso Bel Air (MD 10-0).

Stephen Duncan lost to Jordan Robison of Frisco Liberty in the Semi-finals round. Robison advanced to defeat Adam Wachnin of Austin Vandegrift for the Championship.

Zachary Dobbins (195) advanced to the Championship after wins against Hunter Robinson (Springtown), Miguel Rangel (Border) and Saul Rodriguez (El Paso Riverside). Dobbins lost to Noah Sims (Frisco Centennial) in the Championship round.

Zacc Marek advanced to the semi-finals round with wins against Hollis Ready (Lubbock Estacado) and Joe Montemayor (PSJA). Marek lost to Khali Gipson (Amarillo Palo Duro), who later defeated Alex Hernandez (Frisco Centennial) for the Championship.

Desmon Williams (So, 285) advance to the 2nd round with a win against Christian Boyd (Vista Ridge). Williams lost to Brian Andrews (Grapevine), who went on to win the Championship.

Rockwall

Chase Howerton (So, 113) lost to Christian Moreno (Austin Bowie) in the 1st round.

Brandon Smith (Sr, 120) lost to Connor Madnerfeld (Arlington Martin) in the 1st round.

Carson Lipsey (Fr, 126) lost to Colin Tierney (Austin Lake Travis) in the 1st round.

Jonathan Jonas (Sr, 145) lost to Michael Seijo (Round Rock Cedar Ridge) in the 1st round.

James Taylor (Sr, 152) lost to Austin Fox (Keller Timber Creek) in the 1st round.

Jackson Gray (Sr, 170) lost to Payton Turbyfill (San Antonio Reagan) in the 1st round.

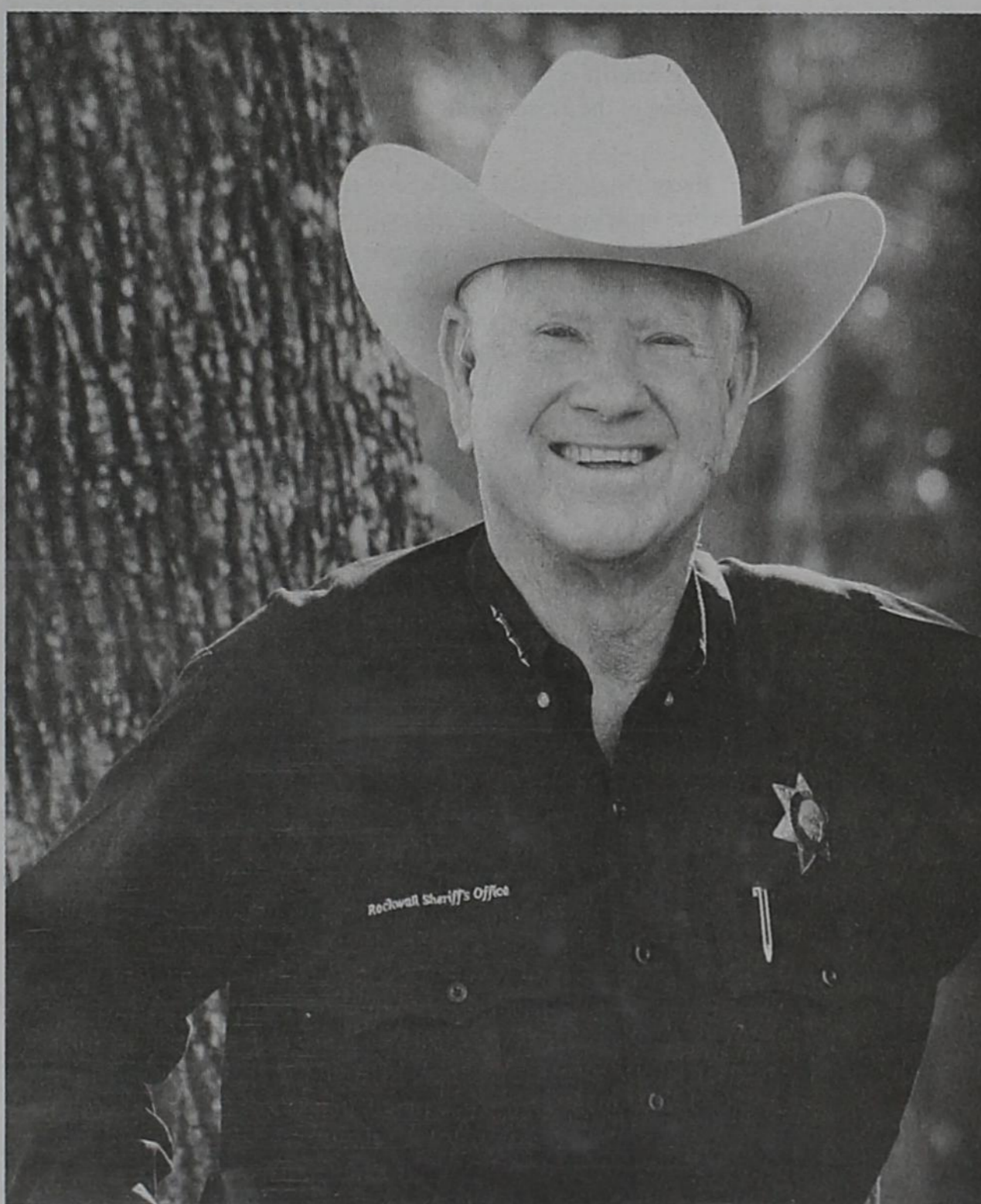
Varsity women

3200M Run (1st - Lauryn Barrientos, Forney, 11:21.89)
 RHS - Kaitlyn Stark (2) 11:48.01; Sarah Rippy (3) 12:15.42; Annie McKee (8) 13:45.09.
 RHHS - Dani Deuble (9) 13:54.26; Samantha Deuble (10) 14:24.00.
 4x100M Relay (1st - Uplift Hampton Prep, 47.74)
 RHHS - Quaniee Burns, Destiny Perry, Kirah Tippens, Chiamaka Ene (3) 50.12.
 800M Run (1st - Danielle Beckstead, 2:20.22)
 RHS - Ariell Hopkins (2) 2:25.59; Liah Collins (5) 2:30.00; Amanda Thornton (11) 2:48.53.
 RHHS - Samantha Deuble (12) 2:50.53; Dani Deuble (13) 2:51.97; Megan Lohmiller (16) 3:06.69.
 100M Hurdles (1st - Camri Austin, Uplift Hampton Prep, 14.79)
 RHS - Savannah McKenzie (5) 17.08; Olivia Born (6) 17.40.
 RHHS - Burns (3) 16.43.
 100M Dash (1st - Chelsey Cole, Allen, 12.22)
 RHHS - Kirah Tippens (12) 13.46; Kemy Usanga (14) 13.83.
 4x200M Relay (1st - Allen, 1:42.44)
 RHHS - Clark, Perry, Tippens, Chukwukelu (5) 1:53.02.
 400M Dash (1st - Esther Ekeanyanwu, Allen, 57.06)
 RHS - Collins (5) 62.56; Rachel Hyvl (9) 64.76; Robyn Hearn (15) 69.80.
 RHHS - Morgan Burks-Magee (2) 57.81; Ene (4) 59.73; Delaney Davis (17) 70.32.
 300M Hurdles (1st - Caroline Pruitt, Allen, 44.79)
 RHS - Born (5) 51.54; McKenzie (6) 52.93.
 RHHS - Burns (7) 53.52; Grace Howell (9) 56.02.
 200M Dash (1st - Daja Gordon, Uplift Hampton Prep, 24.34; Burks-Magee, Rockwall-Heath, 24.58)
 RHHS - Perry (11) 27.71; Ashlee Clark (15) 29.32.
 1600M Run (1st - Lauryn Barrientos, Forney, 5:21.11)
 RHS - Hopkins (3) 5:26.96; Kaitlyn Stark (5) 5:32.72; Rippy (7) 5:42.07.
 RHHS - D. Deuble (10) 6:33.38; S. Deuble (11) 6:33.52; M. Lohmiller (12) 7:39.26.
 4x400M Relay (1st - Allen, 4:04.40)
 RHS - Collins, Hyvl, Rose Njoku, Hpkins (4) 4:11.65.
 RHHS - Chukwukelu, Davis, Ene, Burks-Magee (5) 4:07.39.
 Discus Throw (1st - Lacey Toynes, Dallas Skyline, 124-01)
 RHS - Courtney Reynolds (5) 90-08; Calista Ukeh (6) 89-04.
 High Jump (1st - Morgan Christon, Allen, 5-04)
 RHS - Njoku (2) 5-04; Nicole Pugsley (5) 5-02; McKenzie (7) 4-10.
 RHHS - Burks-Magee (3) 5-04; Davis (6) 4-10.
 Long Jump (1st - Chelsey Cole, Allen, 18-03)
 RHS - McKenzie (6) 14-07.
 RHHS - Burks-Magee (2) 18-01; Burns (4) 15-11.50; Chukwukelu (8) 13-09.50.
 Pole Vault (1st - Micaela Vavra, Rockwall, 9-06)
 RHHS - Macy Matthews (3) 8-06.
 Shot Put (1st - Asia Abron, Richardson, 39-10.50)
 RHS - Reynolds (3) 34-11.25 (Finals); Ukeh (7) 32-00.50 (Finals); Sydney Secrease (11) 27-10.50.
 RHHS - Grace (4) 34-00.25 (Finals); Usanga (12) 25-10; Petersen (13) 22-04.25.
 Triple Jump (1st - Tywashoney Higgins, Forney, 33-05)

RHHS - Burns (3) 32-06 (Finals); Chukwukelu (3) 30-04 (Finals).

Varsity Men

3200M Varsity
 RHS - Damon Lewis, (6) 10:36.05; Austin Shumake, (11) 10:55.21;.
 RHHS - Jay Shisler, (15) 11:22.65; Jacob Wood, (20) 12:28.29
 Louis Aranda, (21) 12:35.27.
 Roysse City HS - Tanner Townsend, (7) 10:37.59; John Biffar, (14) 11:02.50.
 800M Run Varsity
 RHS - Austin Whitaker (16) 2:15.48; Cole McCrary (18) 2:17.88
 RHHS - Zachary Johnson (19) 2:18.98.
 RCHS - Keaton Forsyth (17) 2:17.30.
 110 Hurdles Varsity
 RHS - Campbell Kutac (10) 17.48.
 RHHS - Jacob Herrscher (12) 24.03.
 4x200M Relay Varsity (1st - Allen HS 1:27.69)
 RHHS - Garrett Swiney, Kendell Jimerson, Ntchobo, Tanner McCalister, (6) 1:35.47.
 400M Dash Varsity (1st - Jostyn Andrews, Dallas Skyline, 47.54)
 RHS - Cane Morales (16) 55.45.
 RHHS - Zachary Johnson (22) 59.39.
 RCHS - Barrett Anderson (3) 50.71.
 300M Hurdles Varsity (1st - Bryce Douglas, Allen, 38.94)
 RHS - Mathew Marx (10) 44.91; Kutac (11) 48.12; Riley Stewart (12) 48.19.
 RHHS - Herrscher (13) 48.53.
 200M Dash Varsity (1st - David Davis, Duncanville, 21.74)
 RHHS - Giadolor (6) 22.76.
 1600M Run (1st - Jake Johnson, Allen, 4:38.19)
 RHS - Damon Lewis (2) 4:42.20; Shumake (16) 5:05.73; Jonathan Clem (19) 5:12.02.
 RHHS - Shisler (25) 5:25.38; Wood (26) 5:33.56; Aranda (27) 5:37.34.
 RCHS - Biffar (13) 5:02.11; Townsend (14) 5:05.02; Forsyth (23) 5:22.46.
 4x400M Relay (1st - Allen, 3:22.82)
 RHS - Marx, McCrary, Sewell, Kutac, (8) 3:45.99.
 RHHS - Giadolor, Johnson, Ntchobo, Swiney, (6) 3:41.48.
 Discus Throw (1st - Gregory Little, Allen, 164-07)
 RHS - Caleb Estes (8) 121-04
 High Jump (1st - Mallik Woods, Forney, 6-02.00)
 RHS - Noah Sewell (2) 5-10.00; Estes (8) 5-04.00; Stewart (11) 5-04.00.
 Long Jump (1st - Cassian Foreman, Mesquite Horn, 21-09.25)
 RHS - Paul Emordi (12) 18-01.50; Estes (14) 17-07.50; McCrary (16) 17-00.50.
 Pole Vault (1st - Noah Sewell, Rockwall, 15-06.00)
 RHS - Clark Norris (2) 13-06.00; McCrary (5) 12-06.00; Estes (11) 12-06.00; Stewart (7) 12-00.00.
 RHHS - Brandon Nichols (3) 13-00.00; Herrscher (4) 13-00.00.
 Shot put (1st - Joseph Wallace, Dallas Skyline, 48-00.00)
 RHS - Korrey Barron (2) 46-06.25; Donik Smajli (7) 39-00.00
 De'Jaun Ochulor (14) 37-08.00.
 Triple Jump (1st - Gregory Chikaeze, Allen, 46-03.00)
 RHS - Austin Whitaker (4) 38-00.00.



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