

e Trico 'ony," a Melges 20 owned and skippered by Jacque Roy of the Dallas Corinthian Yacht , at left th the blue spinnaker and sailing in the A fleet, finished in 5th place for the week during last 's Dall Race Week on Lake Ray Hubbard. "Hotter Tuna" finished in 1st place, A fleet, for the week. "Wings" finished tied for 2nd place in the C fleet for the week. The Melges 24 in front of Wings is "Surfin' Bird," owned and skippered by Dwight Kruse out of Rush Creek Yacht Club. "Surfin' Bird" would finish 6th in the Melges 24 fleet for the week. For more Race Week news, see page 14. Photo Courtesy of Dan Malak/Rockwall County News

cyse City ISD trustees update district rig testing policy, student dress codes

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ges too gh school dress code and drug testing policies, as high ool remodel progress and district personnel matters, nong as considered by the Royse City Independent School Board Trustees at the July 12 meeting.

ed by ard secretary Julie Stutts in place of absent board nt Dod almer and vice president Rhonda Phillips, the meetcons a ed but tabled until the July 26 meeting the admission of-distry students to Royse City schools.

fied superintendent Randy Hancock's receipt of resns froo Kari Ann Marquis, middle school teacher; Crystal middl chool teacher; and Jennifer Boniol, middle school and ch. Trustees also approved contracts for seven personnel: Marie Adamson, art teacher; Jaci Chasteen, special education teacher; Alexander Guerrera, teacher and coach; Jill Hart, special education teacher; Brent Moseley, teacher and coach; and Elizabeth Seay, music teacher.

In their report to the board, Bobby Philips of Gallagher Construction and Nathan Morgan of architects Claycomb and Associates detailed progress on high school additions and remodeling. All projects except gym seat installation are scheduled for completion by school opening Aug. 23. Because of a color change, the stadium-style seats are scheduled to arrive by Sept. 1 and to be installed soon afterward.

Contractors are working on final lists in the auditorium, classroom science and visitor locker room additions, Morgan told the school board. The wood floor and bleachers have been installed in the gymnasium, and painting, mechanical and plumbing work is continuing. The weight room addition and field house remodels are almost complete.

Acting on a study by district personnel comparing RCISD drugtesting policy to other districts in the area, the board passed changes to the RCISD policy. It will now allow for random drug testing at the high school level (previously "monthly") and extend drug testing "to the end of the student's high school career" (previously "to the end of the school year").

"Not that we are trying just to catch or punish someone," said Hancock, "but instead we hope to give a kid one more reason to say no, and, if necessary, to get help for him or her to get out of a situation

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County Commissioners set meeting to propose tax rate, public hearings

The Rockwall County Commissioners will meet at 9 a.m. Tuesday to set a proposed tax rate for the coming fiscal year and schedule the related public hearings.

In a Tuesday news release from Bill Sinclair, Rockwall County treasurer, the county announced the effective tax rate for the 2010 tax year is \$0.3864 per \$100 valuation. The effective tax rate compares to the adopted tax rate of \$0.3750 for tax year 2009, an increase of \$0.0114 per \$100 tax rate is a fairly complex process," Sinclair wrote in the release, "however, the intent is to determine the tax rate required in the new tax year to raise the same amount of taxes as were raised in the prior tax year on properties that are subject to taxation in both years."

Commissioners were informed during a workshop meeting this week that on average, about 80 percent of properties that were on last year's tax roll experienced a 1 percent to 3 percent drop in new county library and the funding of road projects, which together account for 34 percent, or \$1,768,139 of the \$5,144,143for debt service to be funded in the next fiscal year's budget. Library operating expenses will require an additional \$1.4 million, and only \$13 million of the \$117 million of road bonds authorized by the voters have been issued.

"The discretionary items either absorb resources required to meet the mandated duties of the county or must be funded with a

More in 90 young girls and members of the Rockwall High School Stingerettes drill team were ed" at the annual Stingerettes dance camp held last week at Williams Middle School. For r days 'Is ages K-8 learned dance techniques from the RHS dancers. They learned several dance tines to they performed Friday afternoon for family and friends at the WMS gym. With "Ship their theme, the girls danced to Surfin'USA, A Pirate's Life for Me and Theme from ates of a Caribbean. Showing true Stingerette style, 2010-2011 officers (left to right) Lt. Emily talie Trollinger; 1st Lt. Michelle Mason; Captain Chelsey Crawford; Lt. Marley Lites; Wan and Lt. Chandler Due ended the day with a dance performance to Adam Lambert's

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valuation, or \$11.40 per year on a \$100,000 residence.

Sinclair also released the Truthin-Taxation property tax forms required by the state. These forms provide the effective and rollback tax rates as calculated by the Central Appraisal District, as well as a statement of tax increase or decrease that would result from adoption of the effective tax rate.

"Calculation of the effective

assessed value, according to the news release.

"Although the county's financial affairs can be sliced and diced in many different ways, I have learned over the four years I've worked in this office that there are basically two forces that steer the course: those things mandated by the state and those discretionary things levied by the voters," Sinclair's release states. Examples of the latter include the tax rate increase," the press release states.

County funds are initially earmarked for courts, law enforcement, recordkeeping/management and collecting and distribution of funds for the state and state agencies, said Gene Terry, executive director for the Texas Association of Counties as quoted in the press release. County commissioners are charged with carrying out these mandates.

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Page 2 Rockwall County News • Friday, July 30, 2010 **Rockwall ISD** trustees laud student recognitions

At their July 19 meeting members of the Rockwall Independent School District Board of Trustees celebrated the accomplishments of Doris Cullins-Lake Pointe Elementary School students who participated in the Destination Imagination Global Finals.

The team of fifth-grade boys and one second-grade girl competed against 60 teams from 30 counties and several states at the University of Tennessee and came home with eighth place.

Among other events, the students competed in building in which they designed and created a load-bearing structure using only newspaper and glue. The student's cylinder held more than 500 pounds, beating the team's performance a regionals with a similar design that that held about 340 pounds.

The trustees also celebrated the winning of a Bronze Telly Award by the Rockwall ISD Educational Foundation with an entry of its Prize Patrol video. The Telly is an honor for video production for both nonbroadcast and broadcast video.

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Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News

Royse City Main Street program tapped for national accreditation

Royse City Main Street has been designated as an accredited organizations and demonstrate their ability in using the National Main Street Program for meeting the commercial district revitalization performance standards set by the National Trust Main Street Center, according to a news release issued this week. Each year, the National Trust and its partners announce the list of accredited Main Street programs that have built strong revitalization

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Rockwall ISD hear early report on TA

At its June 21 meeting members of Rockwall Independent District Board of Trustees heard a preliminary summary d performance on the TAKS test from assistant superintenter Koehn.

According to Koehn, the district can expect a "recognized from the Texas Education Agency with all campuses as recognized or exemplary.

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trict's recent flat growth rates, due at least in part sing the ins area-wide, the board agreed to reconsider the nic dow ision of out-of-district students transferring into e year Previou growing at 12 percent to 17 percent annually, the ographic changes that have left some classroom as seen year, according to Jerry Richardson, board secs in the

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to make :cisions based solely on money," Hancock said. k at this again. We need those students." The he policy at the July 26 board meeting. gnizing troubled students and designing early in-

lies for ans for t is the topic of a seminar administrators, counselhers will attend Aug. 2-3 in Kaufman, Hancock several

The goal, he said, is to "prevent any potentially harmful incidents on our campuses that would cause us to say, 'If only we'd known'." He referenced a book titled 'If Only I'd Known: A True Story,' which chronicles the 1997 deadly school attack in Pearl, Miss., and strategies that have since been used by schools and local agencies to help prevent other such violence.

"We don't want to be in a position of asking after the fact, 'How did we, as administrators and as a system, fail this kid?," Hancock said. "Likewise we want to give kids with adjustment difficulties every opportunity to move in a positive direction and get encouragement and help."

City finalizes cemetery details

The Rockwall City Council has agreed to assume ownership and take over operations of the Rockwall Burial Club Cemetery located at State Highway 205 and Damascus Road.

The action was taken recently following a request from a group of residents that has maintained the cemetery for decades but could no longer do so.

The city has assisted with maintenance at the cemetery for several months, but a more formal agreement was required before other operations requested by the residents could be assumed.

By law there is waiting period of 60 days after the council's approval and after the resolution is published in a local newspaper before the ownership change is final. The information gathered during the waiting period will be used in gaining historic designation for the cemetery.

Ragland studying abroad in Florence

Rachel Ragland of Rockwall is spending the summer semester viewing art from the Renaissance Era, bartering in open-air markets and enjoying day trips across Italy.

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from Harding University, where Ragland is a student, the sophomore kinesiology major is part of a group of students studying abroad in Florence, Italy, with the university's International Programs.

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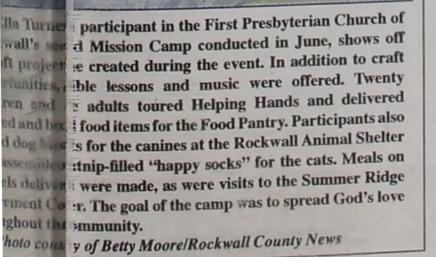


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Rockwall County Obituaries

Rosezella June 'Sunny' Lang

Memorial services for Rosezella June "Sunny" Lang, 80, of Heath will be conducted in Oregon at a later date. The Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

She died July 25, 2010.

Born May 19, 1930, in Beltrami, Minn., to William and Violia (Burk) Hafterson, she had worked as a machine operator in the printing industry.

Survivors include her daughter, Rox Ann E. Copple and her husband, Jim, of Heath; three sons, Gary Premo of Portland, Oregon, Wayne Premo and his wife, Ann, of Portland and Joey Lang and his wife, Joan, of Lake Ellison, Calif.; nine grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and one brother, Del Hafterson.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one daughter, Michelle.

Dr. Hylan Benton Lyon Jr.

Memorial services for Dr. Hylan Benton Lyon Jr., 74, of Heath are scheduled for 10 a.m. Saturday, July 31, 2010, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel.

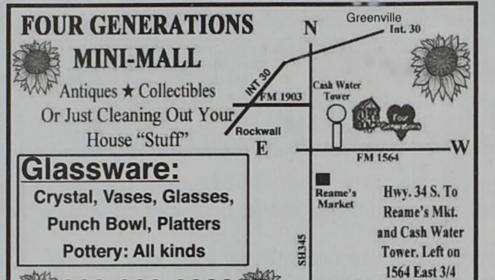
He died July 20.

Born July 20, 1936, in New London, Conn., to Hylan Benton and Wilma Naomi Lyon, he was a 1958 Naval Academy alumni and served as

a U.S. Naval Air pilot during Vietnam. He was a member of the Cosmos Club in Washington, D.C., the Park Cities Rotary, the Rockwall Republican Men's Club and the Rockwall Power Team. He enjoyed sailing.

Survivors include his wife, Sandra Starr (Allen) Lyon of Heath; his sons, Matthew Lyon and his wife, Jasmine, Andrew Lyon, Jonathan Lyon, Christopher Staff and his wife, Rebecca, and Kenneth Starr and his wife, Jennifer; one daughter, Karen Rogers; several grandchildren; one sister, Sharon Lyon Gugat and her husband, Kevin; a nephew, Mike Gugat; a niece, Kathy Gugat Oates; and several cousins, including Betsy Vanderlan.

His parents preceded him in death.



Lorenzo Montalvo

Services for Lorenzo Montalvo, 44, of Garland were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday, July 26, 2010, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel. Burial followed in the Rest Haven Memorial Park.

He died July 19.

Born Aug. 9, 1965, in San Luis Potosi, Mexico, to Andres and Fortunata Ibanes Montalvo, he was a supervisor in the construction industry. Survivors include his children,

Andrew, Crystal, Rudy and Lorenzo Montalvo Jr., all of Garland; his bro-

thers, Arturo Montalvo of Mexico and Saturnino, Luis and Lidio Montalvo of Garland; and his sisters, Baldomera, Savina and Martha Montalvo, all of Mexico, and Reyna Montalvo of Garland.

His parents and one brother, Magdaleno Montalvo, preceded him in death.

Hugh Albert Thomas

Services for Hugh Albert Thomas, 88, were conducted at 3 p.m. Saturday, July 24, 2010, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel. Burial followed at a later date in the DFW National Cemetery.

He died July 21.

Born April 25, 1922, in Sevier County, Tenn., to Arthur and Sara (Shewbird) Thomas, he served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was a Heath resident for 37 years and was owner/operator of a construction company until his retirement.

Survivors include his wife of 68 years, Mildred Thomas of Heath; three sons, Jerry Thomas and wife, Marsha, of Rockwall, William Thomas of Port Arthur and Gary Thomas and his wife, Karla, of Crawford; four daughters, Darlene Gillenwater of Heath, Sue Cromeems of Rockwall, Debbie Hill and her husband, David, of Forney and Anita Inman and her husband, Willie, of Royse City; 21 grandchildren; 44 great-grandchildren; and five great-greatgrandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one daughter, Wanda Barry; two grandchildren, Toby and Tara; 10 siblings; and two great-grandchildren.



Golf tourney, rega benefit Helping H

A pair of upcoming events - the Ambassadors Golf T George Griffith Regatta - have been organized to benefit Helping Hands.

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The Holiday Market event will feature wreaths, garlands lights, holiday clothing and new and vintage holiday line is low prices and great selections, Oct. 23 also will be a tar-1 at Helping Hands.

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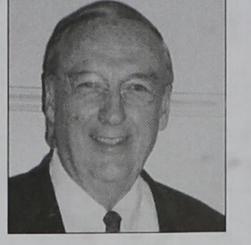
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Several local residents were among students who were during SMU's 2009-2010 commencement ceremonies, ac versity news release.

Those receiving degrees included Alejandra Zapata of] ter's degree in accounting; Chris Castleberry of Royse (gree in security engineering; Timothy Constant of Rocky gree in security engineering; Chris Cooprider of Rockwall in security engineering and Tracy Martin of Rockwall, m security engineering.

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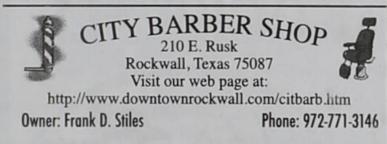
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God's Word

by Timothy W. Burnett

ak g in Tongues...John 4:22-24

the Buffile, one (Esus' journeys, he left Galilee because it was necessary ugh Samaria. Upon his arrival to Samaria he stopped to I of land that Jacob gave to his son Joseph. About six he was weary and sat on Jacob's well. A woman from araw water out of the well and found Jesus sitting there. ve him some water. At the time he was alone because his I o the city for food.

nan d'itly asked Jesus how it was that he, being a Jew, would rive a water. This was because the Jews had no dealings with itan ; sus began to lovingly open her heart up concerning the er the ould be available in the future. What wonderful scripture John 1-42. Notice how he meekly served his Daddy by open-🔁 🖻 Samaritan woman.

g Hat the Samaritans were outcasts in the eyes of the Jews. The kly went and shared the truth with the others in Samaria ding erse 39, "many of the Samaritans of that city believed on arking that the woman told them. Let's look at what Jesus taught to God's word in the Epistles.

10 is said to the woman, "if you knew the gift of God, and t = to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked of him, helping Han buld] e given you living water." What is the "gift of God" and iter ne gift is defined in Acts 2:38, "Then Peter said unto them, nd 🛯 aptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for ion ins, and receive the gift of the Holy Ghost." The words 23 also wills Ghe refer to holy spirit. The gift from God is holy spirit. wates also referred to in John 7:38, "He that believes on me, as

is assistant are Hi aid, 'Out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.'" sa-1 pout the blessed man, "and he shall be like a tree planted rs C ater, that brings forth his fruit in his season." In Matthew Melody brop It John compared earthly water with spiritual water, "I inize with water unto repentance, but he that comes after me with [holy spirit], and with fire." The living water can

hr1 0-24 and see how the subject of "worship" is introduced. ra ly explained to Jesus that all were to worship God on mount n. Jesus then revealed to her that the time would come we neither worship God in this mountain, nor at Jerusalem. - a plainly stated, "But the hour comes, and now is, when orsH ers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth for the g students with se to worship Him. God is spirit: and they that worship Him ment ceremship (1 in spirit and in truth."

rds ' spirit and in truth" are a figure of speech which meant, Alejandra 7 he set, or truly spiritual. If we understand that to "worship" stlebeny gine an "pray," we can see how God defines spiritual worship y Constant dthiami 4:14-15, "For if I pray in an unknown tongue, my spirit poprider of hat i then? I will pray with the spirit, and I will pray with the artin of Ronding D."

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To worship with the spirit means to pray with the spirit. To pray with the spirit means to speak in tongues. This can only mean that to worship with the spirit means to speak in tongues. This is the fantastic rivers of living waters referred to in John 7:38.

When Jesus spoke with the Samaritan woman, the Old Testament scriptures had not been fulfilled concerning his death and resurrection. It was not yet available for people to be filled with holy spirit and truly worship God with the spirit. Jesus was teaching the woman about something that would be available at a later time.

It is very possible that after Jesus ascended to heaven and the spirit was poured out on the day of Pentecost, the woman could have believed, been filled with holy spirit and started truly praying with the spirit of God.

Rockwall County Republican Women Women of Influence Tea

August 21, 2010 · Occasions at Stone River 1250 FM 2453, Royse City, Texas 75189 Doors open at 10:00 a.m. Program 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Tickets are \$25.00 each and may be purchased at www.rcrw.org or by calling (469) 698-7788.

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Our special guest speakers are Ralph M. Hall, U.S. Congressman, CD4 and Leslee Gilbert, Republican Staff Director U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Science and Technology

Form 50-211 (Rev. 05-06/8) Notice of Effective & Rollback Tax Rates

2010 Property Tax Rates in Rockwall County [Fiscal Year 2011]

This notice concerns 2010 property tax rates for County of Rockwall, Texas. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:

	M&O and I&S Funds		
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 18,633,415		
Last year's debt taxes	\$ 4,901,548		
Last year's total taxes	\$ 23,534,963		
Last year's tax base	\$ 6,275,990,305		
Last year's total tax rate	\$ 0.3750 / \$100		

This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 23,368,196
Divided by this year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 6,046,745,159
= This year's effective tax rate	\$ 0.3864 / \$100
Total effective tax rate	\$ 0.3864 / \$100

(Maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearings.)

This year's rollback tax rate:

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g and oning issues dominated the July 19 Rockwall City Counig, in ding a requested amendment to the ordinance governing irements along the shoreline of Lake Ray Hubbard. The so w 1 to proceed with Rockwall's annexation of several propvious exempted under an agricultural extension agreement, and part z issues for two new downtown businesses.

r of 1 nning Robert LaCroix said that the Takeline Overlay Disstanoi s for structures and landscaping along the lake edge, espeth real to obstruction of neighbors' views of the lake. A request nnim 1d Zoning office by Scott Jungels of Crestcove Drive for a actual n his lakeside property below the 438 feet mean sea level "pteor P&Z to bring the issue before the council.

972-771 Pe ju iction for lakeside use belongs to the City of Dallas under ement with the city of Rockwall. The Rockwall City Counthe requested change to Dallas for approval.

usiness, the council approved a preliminary plat for a 13-Road Rr Pass residential development on Ridge Road. This first required 771/280 Tant jected lot size, setbacks from the street, as well as such ge and water and utility connection plans, LaCroix said. eplat of lots on the southeast corner of SH 205 and SH 276)ved along the planned construction of a Racetrac business he 7-11 store planned for the southwest corner of FM 3097 received its final plat approval from council members.

w db itown district businesses, a spa and salon at 204 N. West b by Carol at 303 N. Alamo, got the nod from the council for ra; plans developed by the businesses and P&Z. The plans • WW nhing n of on-street and off-street parking for those locations.

uncil :0 voted 4-2 to proceed with annexation of several parcels h and delops and. One parcel is 162.88 acres on the south side of Clem Short and store 1 549 and the other 1496.66 acres south of SH 276 west property was previously exempt under annually-renewed FN 0 50. T CINIOphin agreements with property owners.

kway, 8 ix sa a tere would be probably be "some minimal change to taxes" . Far more a , but that the properties would fall under city police and action ad be eligible for city trash collection and eventually city

OdSO il mos ers Glen Farris and Mark Russo voted against the annexa-

opposition was based on having had "made a promise to City, It sa that if they didn't develop, the city wouldn't annex."



	Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate, and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$ 18,455,990	
	Divided by this year's adjusted tax base	\$ 6,046,745,159	
	= This year's effective tax rate	\$ 0.3052 / \$100	
in informer in a	x 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	\$ 0.3296 / \$100	
	+ This year's debt rate	\$ 0.0844 / \$100	
	= This year's rollback rate	\$ 0.4140 / \$100	
	This year's total rollback rate	\$ 0.4140 / \$100	

Property Tax Form 50-179

Statement of Increase/Decrease [FY 2011]

If County of Rockwall adopts a 2010 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$ 0.3864 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2009 taxes by \$ 369,039

Schedule A – Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund

Balance

Maintenance & Operations (M&O) Debt Service (I&S)

\$21,000,000 293,400

Schedule B – 2010 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal Payment	Interest Payment	Admin Fees	Total Payments
\$ 950,000 Capital Projects LTN 2004	175,000.00	3,071.25	1,000.00	179,071.25
\$ 550,000 Capital Projects LTN 2005	100,000.00	5,967.50	1,000.00	106,967.50
\$11,500,000 County Library PIB 2007	420,000.00	456,205.00	1,000.00	877,205.00
\$ 1,250,000 Land & Capital Projects LTN 2007	175,000.00	26,306.00	1,000.00	202,306.00
\$ 2,000,000 County Svcs Building LTN Series 2008A	270,000.00	54,806.00	1,000.00	325,806.00
\$24,705,000 Courts Building LTN Refunding Series 2009	640,000.00	1,026,556.26	1,000.00	1,667,556.26
\$10,620,000 Road Improvements UTB Series 2009	270,000.00	454,862.50	1,000.00	725,862.50
\$ 2,460,000 Road Improvements UTB Series 2010	50,000.00	114,071.88	1,000.00	165,071.88
\$ 8,815,000 LT Refunding Bonds Series 2010	475,000.00	418,296.88	1,000.00	894,296.88
Total required for 2010 debt service		\$		5,144,143.27
 Amount (if any) paid from funds listed i 	n Schedule A	\$		0.00
 Amount (if any) paid from other resource 	es	\$		0.00
 Excess collections last year 		\$		0.00
= Total to be paid from taxes in 2010		\$		5,144,143.27
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Amount added in anticipation that the unit will 104,983.00 collect only 98.0% of its taxes in 2010 Total Debt Levy 5,249,126.27

Schedule D – State Criminal Justice Mandate (For Counties)



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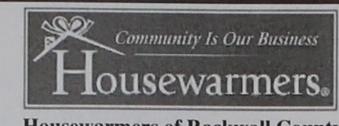
The County of Rockwall County Auditor certifies that Rockwall County has spent \$ 0.00 in the previous 12 months beginning January 1st, 2009 for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. County of Rockwall County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.

Schedule F – Enhanced Indigent Health Care Expenditures

The County of Rockwall spent \$ 258,949.33 from July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2010 on enhanced indigent health care at the increased minimum eligibility standards, less the amount of state assistance. For the current tax year, the amount of decrease from last year's enhanced indigent health care expenditures is \$63,743.51.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 841 Justin Road, Rockwall, TX 75087. Name of person preparing the data supporting this notice: Ray E. Helm. Title: Chief Appraiser. Date supporting data prepared July 27, 2010.

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Six local residents take Tarleton honors

Six area students were among those named to the Distinguished Students list for the spring semester at Tarleton State University in Stephenville, according to a university news release.

Students making the list included Shelby Adamson, Lauren Oster, Christine Perkins and Julie Woods

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of Rockwall and Laura Bell and Lawrence Hampel of Royse City.

Students on the list included freshman and sophomore students who have a minimum 3.25 grade point ratio and no grade lower than a C, as well as juniors and seniors who have a minimum 3.5 GPR with no grade lower than a C. All must be in good standing with the university.

Two from RC earn degrees at Tarleton

Two Royse City residents were among spring graduates at Tarleton State University in Stephenville, according to a university news release.

Laura Bell of Royse City earned a BBA degree in marketing, while Lawrence Hampel, also a Royse City resident, received a BS degree in ag services and development.

Media technology students from Rockwall High p video shown at the Rockwall ISD Education Foundation Celebration, and this year the foundation entered last eo, Prize Patrol 2009, in the Telly Awards competition. captured the 2010 People's Telly Bronze Award in their al competition, which included entries from CBS Tele tribution, Discovery Channel, ESPN, FOX Sports, Micro Weather Channel and other notable media representa tured is RHS instructor Jennifer Faunce, who assisted : preparing the 8-minute video. Students involved includ Cayce, Nick Conway, Jason Cowan, Matt Crawford J son, Kristy Goode, Nick Martin, Austin Nevels, Micha Trent Rhodes, Bradley Smith and Kelley Hawley.

Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News



by Jo Anna Matejka

2010 Property Tax Rates in CITY OF FATE

This notice concerns 2010 property tax rates for CITY OF FATE. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes Last year's debt taxes Last year's total taxes Last year's tax base Last year's total tax rate

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This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)

- This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)
- This year's effective tax rate -

This year's rollback tax rate:

Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)

- This year's adjusted tax base
- This year's effective operating rate
- 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate
- This year's debt rate
- This year's rollback rate 2,58

Statement of Increase/Decrease

If CITY OF FATE adopts a 2010 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.216900 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2009 taxes by \$ 52,361.

Schedule A: Unencumbered Fund Balances:

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	
M&O, I&S	

Schedule B: 2010 Debt Service:

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Principal or

Interest to

Description of Debt

	Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Paid from Property Taxes	Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
General Obligation Bonds	20,000	24,063	0	44,063
Combination Tax & Revenue Cos 2010	20,000	160,188	0	180,188
Tax Anticipation Note 2010	72,837	2,600	0	75,437

Total required for 2010 debt service

Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A

\$890,288

\$410,421,202 0.216900/\$100

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Balance 3,838,576

Members of the Heath City Council found good news intl Inabdistrict employ reports at the July 20 meeting, considered the city's requirer to trait came up for sonry structures, looks at designs for entry corridors and re and inistration and and commission appointments. trant of a new tax ra

According to city engineer Pedram Farahnak building pen at lorge from \$1.0 least 5 percent growth in value in the city so far this year, be allow he stat steres that a district's t goal of 3 percent.

"Building has picked up and we expect to meet our goal and print kinging the ind 20 to 30 percent more," Farahnak said.

In Heath, people are building docks, guest houses and poo bring Hancock, to cording to records. That building is added to the constructio prima 2005-2006 Suites dog grooming and boarding facility.

Council members also heard from the zoning commission dilinerase in loca masonry requirement regulations and decided to bring it upin ("basid. "But the later meetings.

At issue is whether there should be a masonry requireme ormory approved in 2 and whether that requirement would apply to replacement or H Illinoxk, as that m existing structures or whether existing non-masonry structur your maintenance and "grandfathered in."

Council members also looked at concepts for corridor entr offloge City would in by architect Jim Cooper.

Cooper is proposing the city collaborate with the City of I vot with the appraisal the Chandler's Landing home owner's association to take adv great ation deadline portunities presented by the FM 740 reconstruction to create a oddool board voted 4 ture.

The city comprehensive plan places "emphasis on roadways net distict-wide and to reflect the quality, positive aesthetics and unique character residents and visitors as they utilize roadways."

Roadway aesthetics might include landscaping, public art, sig in Includers were not features that might indicate the city boundaries, incorporate the all's 26 meeting who or parks.

Also on the council agenda was board and commission appo Text Instees Rhor much discussion was centered around how new people couldbe states voted again to serve on boards.

Councilman Steve McKimmey advocated for considering ins that the years, if the limits on boards or required rotations to make way for new vol worded situation we Councilman Rich Krause said the council has no term im im chastroom space

dered if there would be enough applicants to fill all the boar municipal of 16 per mission seats if sitting members were rotated off, and McKimu being board to recor council faces elections and his feeling is that people are discou over bid the board t status quo.

Mayor Pro-Tem Lorne Liechty and McKimmey and other a for additional bers repeated that they had no dissatisfaction with anyone cur the calme and subseq ing. With the mayor absent, council members suggested bring and anger of n back on a future agenda and reappointed a list of board and mathem closing off tra members who had expressed a desire to continue service.

The city has boards for planning and zoning, economic devels and the 132 transf nicipal benefits, parks, special events, adjustments and take are will keep student-te More information about boards and the application is available a who move to the di website at heathtx.com.

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Total Debt Levy

\$299,688

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 841 Name of person preparing this notice: Ray E. Helm Title: Chief Appraiser Date prepared: July 27, 2010

A number of area residents were among those receiving de the University of North Texas' spring commencement exercise recently in Denton.

Graduates from Heath included Larry Brett Bush, BAAS in and sciences; Stacy Lynn Green, BS in health promotion; and Houpt, BFA in fashion design, according to a university news in Royse City graduates included Sara Elizabeth Bieker, BA Christine Michelle Schmidt, BAAS in applied arts and science Latrice Tyler, BA in biology.

Graduates from Rockwall included Jose Luis Ballesteros, B ology; Michele M. Boerder, MS in applied technology and I improvement; Todd Erin Camplin, MFA in studio art, Finkenbinder, BS in kinesiology; Ana Lynda Fonrigmao, BA Bailey Ryan Haeussler, BA in history; Katrina Elizabeth Have terdisciplinary studies; and Megan Marie Haynes, BS in pavel Also, Cari Ellyn Heinen, BS in criminal justice; Reest Mo MS in biology; Kristen Leanne Huckeba, MA in radio, telev Kenneth Roderick Kosterman, BM in performance; Andrea A BA in psychology; Garrett Wade Lee, BA in English; Emily Ma BS in interdisciplinary studies; Anissa Marie Mascorro, BBA Kristin Michelle Moon, BS in interdisciplinary studies; and Nielsen, BAAS in applied arts and sciences.



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ree y 3 ago to close the district to transfers. Aond b meeting, Superintendent Randy Hancock expressed apfound good to dial st employees for trimming \$1.5 million off the proposed Just Say You Saw It In the "County News"

2010 Property Tax Rates in CITY OF HEATH

This notice concerns 2010 property tax rates for CITY OF HEATH. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes Last year's debt taxes Last year's total taxes Last year's tax base

This year's effective tax rate

\$3,044,806 \$707,103 \$3,751,909 \$1,092,895,231

red the ap for e i i me up for adoption. Cutbacks included the elimination of admin ration and faculty positions.

tion to new tax rate of \$1.56 per \$100 valuation is set for a Sept. arahnak mareas rom \$1.04 to \$1.17 maintenance and operations (M&O) ity so far bowab c y the state under its 2005 public school financing plan,

es that district's funding is based on average daily attendance and t to met with state funds and the increased M&O rates are rewarded with state funds the am nt raised locally.

guest housing too ncock, total district revenues per student were frozen by ed to the mature a)05-2006 levels.

by ocal H erty taxes go up, Royse City does not get the increase. For 200mg amar inor se in local tax revenue, there is a dollar decrease in state cided to he sat "But the additional tax from a TRE is not subject to the al dolle in-state dollar-out' action."

mason money v roved in 2005 provides no relief for current budget shortly to rais Hanoi, as that money by law may be used only to build facilities non-many r main nance and operations.

rty ov(rs approve the proposed rate, taxes on an average \$132,000 epts for an loyse a y would increase about \$172 per year, or less than 50 cents

axes : hose ages 65 and older will not increase. Disabled persons te with the within appraisal district also will be exempt from tax increase. sociation negistran a deadline for the TRE is Aug. 30.

astructure lool b d voted 4-3 to open the district to transfers following a liscusa about the need to fill nearly 800 vacancies in student

phasison at dista -wide and how the decision will affect future classroom nd unique di

rays." ard hat efferred action on the proposal at the July 12 meeting when caping, ph memin were not present.

aries, in uly 2.9 setting where the issue was re-opened, board president Don s wel trustees Charlie Carroll and and Mike Stone, voted against d commissure. 7 tees Rhonda Phillips, Jerry Richardson, Julie Stutts and new per ammer oted against it.

roiceo: ncern that re-opening the district to transfers could mean d for compart three ars, if the demographics are correct, we'd have the same ake way in we had in the past."

rilhant clase an space allows for a student population based on past s to fill the b d to reconsider the issue of transfers. ed off, is ck tolk is board that, having built to accommodate growth, "we

at people ce anon cilities we didn't have in the past, and we have the opporpick dditional students", which increases the district's average inner and subsequent allotted funds-per-student from the state. on man not i anger of running out of space. And there's nothing to prerom o ng off transfers in the future. Districts do it all the time," list of M: said ...

time strict 1 132 transfer students, 86 of whom are employees' children. g, come will kel student-teacher ratio caps in place to retain space for new who re to the district.

plication oard a approved raising the annual transfer fee from \$1500 to er stuo

val by : board grants permission to receive transfer applications. itratory ill fine tune the guidelines and reserve the right to assign W to can ses and grades where there is space for them.

lent's 4 t to remain in the district also will be contingent on attenhd behi pr.

Ver active school board considered a request from Royse City for adright--- ray on district property between the stadium and CR 2515, t to put :ted commercial building by Imperium Development. The (Franted: : easement with the stipulation that any required amend-) the db ct's concrete drainage ditch near the road would be funded hose mity or development company, not the district.

Last year's total tax rate	0.343300/\$100
This year's effective tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted taxes	
(after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$3,752,389
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	

\$1,069,430,421 0.350800/\$100

This year's rollback tax rate: Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)

- This year's adjusted tax base
- This year's effective operating rate
- 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate

(after subtracting value of new property)

- This year's debt rate
- This year's rollback rate =

Statement of Increase/Decrease

If CITY OF HEATH adopts a 2010 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.350800 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2009 taxes by \$ 64,230.

Schedule A: Unencumbered Fund Balances:

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
M&O	1,775,840
Debt Service	1,209,601

Schedule B: 2010 Debt Service:

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
290,000	61,108	0	351,108
411,866	450,369	0	862,235
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	Total required for 2010 debt service	\$1,213,343
-	Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A	\$0

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- district is spent considerable money and time with the Corps of ITS gets that drainage right, and if any changes are necessitated, it Bas l't be a e district's expense," Hancock said.
- propoard as appointed Russell Summers to serve as a district representahe R all County Central Appraisal District Board of Directors. book sais ummers is "well respected in the community and the school and I I ave he'll do a great job."

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able for Davis, Fort, Scott and Vernon elementary schools, PPCD & Life Skills, Cherry Intermediate fifth and sixth tand it with the school supply order form, Herndon school sup-I and I hiddle school supply list. more d ls, visit reisd.org/news.html.

Amount (if any) paid from other resources \$0 Excess collections last year \$0 Total to be paid from taxes in 2010 \$1,213,343 Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 100.000000% of its \$0 taxes in 2010 \$1,213,343

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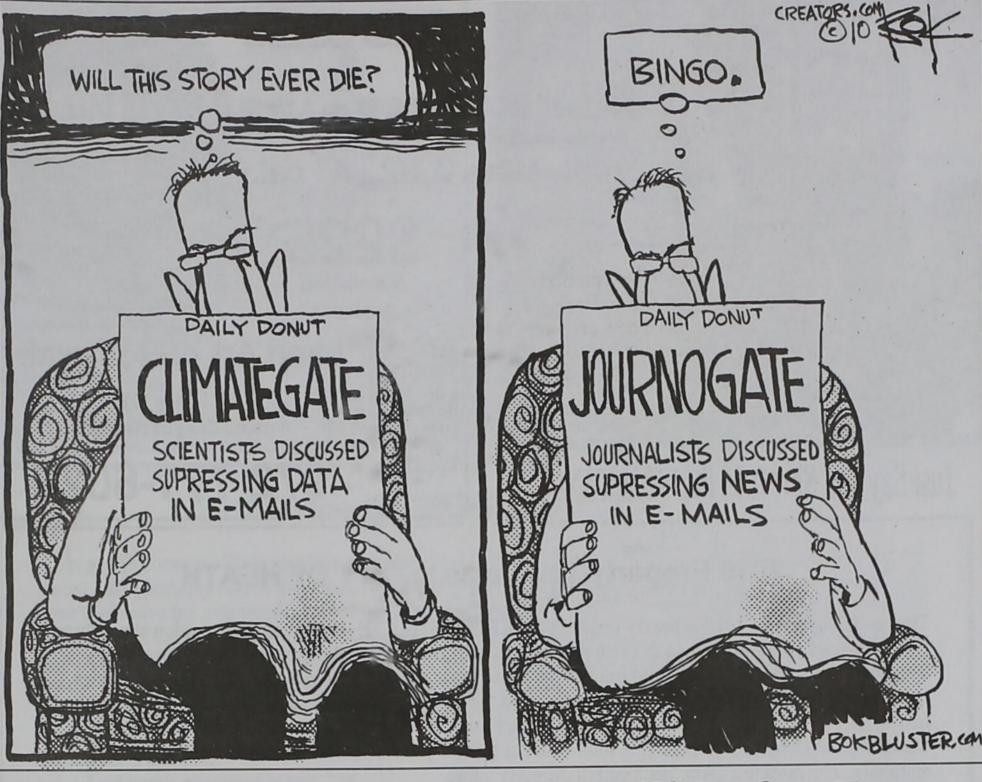
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Rockwall County News Opinio



Fairness for Shirley

Racism Stupidity

by Walter E. Williams

A black or white person, now dead, who lived during struggles of the 1930s, '40s or '50s, might very well b disgusted by black behavior accepted today. Yesteryear, it or White Citizens Council who showed up at polling place Root black voters. During the 2008 elections, it was the New Blac showed up at a Philadelphia polling place to intimidate white them, "You are about to be ruled by the black man, cracker,"1 the U.S. Department of Justice has decided to not to prosecut F

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nned. For 1 Black intimidation of voters, to my knowledge, is rare, butble of Asians is not. Recent reports out of Philadelphia and San F black students beating up Asian students. The Asian American m classes and Education Fund, in the wake of serious black-on-Asianyi man 10:45 a.m. Philadelphia High School, charged the district with "deliberal to the harassment of Asian students and with "intentional disp welfare.

The violence is not restricted to Asian youngsters. As critical County I included, such as the recent bludgeoning to death of an 83-ye man in San Francisco and the pushing of a 57-year-old Asian 1 -+ subway tracks.

A white Charleston, S.C. teacher frequently complained of calling her: white b----, white m-----f----, white c--- and w people would judge that to be racism and demand it to end Ch a more officials told the teacher this racially charged profanity was sir and This week's students' culture, and if she couldn't handle it, she was in the rentals, which beg The teacher brought a harassment suit and the school distric units or lawn cha court for \$200,000.

What about black youngsters who hit the books and stud arruts in the Rock instead of hitting the streets? Sometimes they are ridiculed a manare reminded negro or acting white and the ridicule is often accompary metshould turn in threatening physical violence. Many blacks, particularly blac instorrewards. arrived at the devastating conclusion that academic excellenc Wells to a of their black identity. 1976 Sof KSKY-AM

The pathology seen among a large segment of the black po in the Rockwall (

This time last week, few Americans had ever heard of Department of Agriculture official Shirley Sherrod. Now she is a household name in households that actually follow the news. A few days ago, Sherrod was fired by the Obama administration for admitting that more than 20 years ago -- as an administrator in Georgia -- she did not treat a white farmer as fairly as she would have treated a black farmer. Her admission came as part of a speech she made before the NAACP in March. Sherrod is black.

The problem was Sherrod was relating the story as part of an epiphany she said she'd had. After mulling things over, she came to the conclusion that what she had done was wrong. Unfortunately, that message was overlooked in the initial reporting, and I was one of the culprits.

Regrettably, I did not examine the full transcript of Sherrod's remarks closely enough, and after hearing that the white farmer had been hosed, I said she should resign. Secretary of Agriculture Tom Vilsack made the same mistake; so did the NAACP. Like all Americans, Sherrod deserves to be treated fairly, and she should be reinstated at the Department of Agriculture. However, the situation deserves a top-to-bottom examination by the feds

Shirley Sherrod is a longtime liberal activist who peppered her NAACP speech with racial references, such as this: "So I figured if I'd take (the farmer) to (a white lawyer), that his own kind would take care of him." Own kind?

Now, we all make mistakes, and that just might be a harmless comment. But if a white federal official referred to an African-American by using the term "own kind," you know what would happen.

Then Sherrod went on to tell the NAACP audience this: "I haven't seen such a mean-spirited people as I've seen lately over this issue of health care. Some of the racism we thought was buried. Didn't it surface? Now, we endured eight years of the Bushes, and we didn't do the stuff these Republicans are doing because you have a black president."

The Hatch Act prohibits federal employees from endorsing political parties while on the job. Sherrod was invited to speak at the NAACP meeting because she was in the administration. So you make the call.

There are two main points here: First, Shirley Sherrod was not initially treated fairly by me, some other journalists, the NAACP or the Obama administration. She deserved better.

And secondly, Sherrod may not be a great fit for the USDA. She is obviously a very political person with a strong point of view. Public servants are supposed to look out for all the folks; it is tough for polarizing people to do that.

So this is a fascinating story on many levels. We have not heard the last of it.

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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likely to change because it's not seen for what it is. It has is arround, state and slavery, poverty and racial discrimination. Let's look at it is Royse City. Const illegitimacy rate is about 70 percent. When I was a youngs 1940s, illegitimacy was around 15 percent. In the same per armer Robison Histor percent of black children were born inside marriage. In fact, his TT-2" event beginn Gutman, in "Persistent Myths about the Afro-American F regintertainme Journal of Interdisciplinary History (Autumn 1975), reports 1 CS of black two-parent families, depending on the city, ranged 75 primet by the L Today, only 35 percent of black children are raised in two-pare arear. This week' The importance of these and other statistics showing greate there admission t less pathology among blacks in earlier periods is that they put a remute urged to b excuses. Namely, at a time when blacks were closer to slav # Eton more discrimination, more poverty and had fewer opportunit RCC not the kind of chaos, violence, family breakdown and black one City Chamb see today. 13 at Occas

Intellectuals and political hustlers who blame the plight of st commic developed on poverty, discrimination and the "legacy of slavery" are to this events. Ticket socioeconomic and moral decay. But as Booker T. Washingt 2-500

"There is another class of coloured people who make a busine the troubles, the wrongs, and the hardships of the Negro ra sectoral County L public. Having learned that they are able to make a living differentiation for A troubles, they have grown into the settled habit of advertising the English as a -- partly because they want sympathy and partly because it p a stills in classes these people do not want the Negro to lose his grievances, bei nor nore details. The not want to lose their jobs." TX Lountytexas.

Walter E. Williams is a professor of economics at George Max To find out more about Walter E. Williams and read features by 0 10THE NAMI support Syndicate writers and cartoonists, visit the Creators Syndicate R = First United Met www.creators.com.

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Declaring Independence from the Federal Governm

by Ken Sturzenacker

The thousands of 4th of July celebrations did not focus much on our 1776 Declaration of Independence from England. Listening to the list of complaints against England's King George would sound too much like the complaints against our own Congress and presidents over the past five decades or so. Instead, the official part of the festivities focused on our supposed status as 50 united states.

Most historians would claim that the issue of states' rights was settled in favor of the central government during Lincoln's presidency nearly 150 years ago, in the so-called Civil War.

Not quite so fast. On close examination we may not be nearly as united as the political propagandists would have us believe. Recent events suggest that moves to separate ourselves from the central government are accumulating at an accelerating pace.

Perhaps we can trace the growing trend toward a new independence from the central government to California, which in 1996, in defiance of federal law, approved the nation's first medical marijuana law in a statewide voter initiative. Despite near hysteria by anti-marijuana forces, 13 other states so far have also approved medical marijuana laws, including New Jersey earlier this year.

Concerned about its potential violations of privacy, the costs of funding, and other issues, 25 states led by Maine have acted to denounce the George W. Bush-era law known as the Real ID Act. The law remains on the books, but its implementation has been "delayed" repeatedly, and it is, in practice, null and void.

In the past two years, Tennessee and Montana have passed laws that exempt from federal control any weapons and ammunition made entirely within those two individual states, challenging federal interpretation of the Constitution's Interstate Commerce Clause.

order an audit of the Federal Reserve. No wonder: The highly secretive nonfederal, non-reserve has been claiming it can cure the current economy of its years of artificially low interest rates, easy credit, and printing money with even lower interest rates, easy credit, and printing larger quantities of money. How bad is it? Since the Fed was created in 1913, the value of the dollar has dropped 95%. (www.usinflationcalculator.com)

Schooling is considered by many to be a bedrock function of government. Some 55 million children in the United State are of K-12 age. But the parents of roughly 15% of school-age children - some 8.5-9.0 million - have chosen alternatives to government schools. Parents have put 6.5 million of them in private, that is, non-government schools. Another two million are homeschooled, a number that this decade has been growing 6-7% a year.

One group which does not seem to be making as mot ment," The Patriot independence as it probably ought to consists of younger adults' Redwall Philhar now surely realize that the amounts being confiscated from the start for Social Security are not being set aside for their retirement U politics is that people vote by age. That is, 70% of the 70-year-0 only 20% of the 20-year-olds vote. Seniors will turn out in good anezer. This week bad to protect their benefits, but the young can't seem to get worl a atomity. Admissi the fact that they're being ripped off every time they get paid. Gr d= brigblankets of federal government has done, and continues to do, to the America delle Billon of July is a perfect time for a wave of new declarations of indep

Ken Sturzenacker is a former chairman of the Liberture in County Choral Pennsylvania.



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On the same basis, some 18 states are suing to overturn the recent approval of the so-called Obama Care health bill.

Amid much controversy, Arizona recently enacted a law that challenges the federal government's exclusive control over illegal immigration.

Rejection of and challenges to the federal government's claim to power come from individuals as well.

A recent poll found that some 80 percent of Americans want Congress to

Abolish all taxes: The quickest and surest way to "stimulate" the U.S. economy.

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ackwall County Jews Briefs

Broadway tribute planned

ckwa mmunity Playhouse will offer "That's Entertainment - A Broadway" on the RHS Main Stage Theater July 30-31 62 and 8. Tickets are available by calling the box office at 3990 mline at rockwallcommunityplayhouse.org. RCP Student ets a / ailable.

Register now for ESL, GED classes

e reterested in enrolling in ESL or GED classes are urged Ro /all County Library's literacy area in August to register. d placement tests are required. Classes will begin the day or D= 'or more details contact Gloria at 972-204-7705.

Adventures in Art Camp set

ventur in Art Camp for youths ages 5-13 will be offered from 2 Aug. 2-5 at The Center. Cost will be \$120 for Rockwall r non-Rockwall residents. For more information, visit mal IS

Youth camp to focus on chemistry

s. Sm. & Explosions will be offered to youths ages 6-12 from 9 00n /= 2-6 in the RISD Education Center gym. Participants will ad, who he rysta den, synthesize slime, build a rocket and learn about the s, might tem. - t is \$165 for Rockwall residents, \$248 for non-residents. ed today yet info- tion, visit rockwall.com/parks.

egistration Extravaganza set Monday

wed up at pile ns, it was buockwe Parks & Recreation Department will host its Fall lace to inter, ion E waganza from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday at The Center, eblack may vashing n. Those attending may sign up for such new programs cided to tor, tall, C tive Movement, Ballet & Tap or family favorites such as lowledge Famia 'ampout, Fishing Derby and others. Children's games and Philadelphin are E ned. For more details call 972-771-7740. ts. The Asim

Cardio Ballroom classes slated

Balle a classes, open to individuals ages 16 and older, will run district with a.m. to :45 a.m. Wednesdays Aug. 4-25 at The Center. Cost is \$32 dwith wall dents, \$48 for non-residents. For more information, visit comas ss.

Republican Lunch Bunch to meet

Asian yours ng to deal ockway County Republican Lunch Bunch will meet at 11:30 a.m. lay ar igi's Italian Café, Rockwall. Cost will be \$10, includ-1, bew ge, tax and tip; pay at the door. No reservations required

inform social gathering open to area Republicans. Call Dalton r. 97:1 6-4034 for more details. ---- white

Pit Pops to perform

oncen; y the Lake series continues Thursday at The Harbor eater.7 is week's band is the Pip Pops, a variety band. Admission ncerte hich begin at 7:30 p.m., is free. Participants are urged to and the sch nkets lawn chairs to the amphitheatre behind the Hilton.

Aug. 7 marks end of Ticket to Ride

hit the book a hes they and pants a he Rockwall County Library's Your Ticket to Ride readram as eminded that Aug. 7 marks the end of the program. Adult the is often ints shift d turn in reading logs by that date in order to participate in lacks, parting fo wards. hat academic:

7ells to address Conservatives & Coffee

ells oc KY-AM will be the guest speaker at the 10:30 a.m. Aug. 7

2010 Property Tax Rates in CITY OF ROCKWALL

This notice concerns 2010 property tax rates for CITY OF ROCKWALL. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate: \$7,546,298 Last year's operating taxes \$7,930,843 Last year's debt taxes \$15,477,141 Last year's total taxes \$3,076,354,789 Last year's tax base 0.503100/\$100 Last year's total tax rate This year's effective tax rate: Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property) \$15,230,478 This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property) \$2,936,769,005 = This year's effective tax rate 0.518600/\$100 This year's rollback tax rate: Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures) \$10,509,367 This year's adjusted tax base \$2,936,769,005 0.357800/\$100 This year's effective operating rate 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate 0.386400/\$100 × This year's debt rate 0.246900/\$100 0 633300/\$100 = This year's rollhart rate Statement of Increase/Decrease

If CITY OF ROCKWALL adopts a 2010 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.518600 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2009 taxes by \$ 397,658.

Schedule A: Unencumbered Fund Balances:

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund

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gment of the ckwall County Conservatives & Coffee group. Wells will for what it nation state and local issues at the meeting at The Well, 103 E. tion. Let's Roy Lity. Conservatives of all ages are invited to participate. When I was

'Tall Tales or True' set in RC

rcent In the aner FI son Historical Museum will offer its second annual "Tall de marriage True'=' int beginning at 7 p.m. Aug. 12. Cost will be \$8 per person the Afrodier and ertainment. For details visit roysecitymuseum.com. utumn 1975.

CS&N cover band to play

on the moncers y the Lake series continues Aug. 12 at The Harbor are raised neater. is week's band is the Crosby, Stills & Nash cover band tistics show treet. mission to all concerts, which begin at 7:30 p.m., is free. eriods is mants any rged to bring blankets or lawn chairs to the amphitheatre ks were dis he Hill

RC Chamber plans Casino Night

preakdown moyse " Chamber of Commerce Casino Night & Silent Auction at Occasions at Stone River. The event will provide fund-: Aug_! blame trisconori development efforts, scholarships and other chamber and acy of surgity events. Tickets cost \$35. For more details call Julia Bryant at Booker 1-500CD

Library to train volunteer tutors

County Library will provide training for new volunteer tuships of Blockw.y ble to me the BH ing for Adults program from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Aug. 14. d habit dinelp Er ish as a Second Language learners improve reading and d party skill a classes. Potential tutors should visit with Gloria at the se his paior more letails. To pre-register call 972-204-7705 or e-mail gbishkwall ntytexas.com.

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Mental illness support groups to meet

and real stree I support groups will meet from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Aug. he Creatin le Firs ited Methodist Church, 1200 E. Yellow Jacket Lane. One viduals with mental illness (Room 121) and the other is s for i their families (Room 123), B Building. Call Hal or Dee nbers

1d, 97 2-6030 for more details.

Rockwall MusicFest plans event

Rockwall MusicFest plans event wall M cFest will present An Evening of John Williams at The beging z at 8 p.m. Aug. 14. The event will include the music of be min ars," . e Patriot," "Superman" and other works performed by the sts of your Rock I Philharmonic Orchestra. The show will end with a fireconfiscualispla

Final concert to feature Texas country

70% of Conce by the Lake series concludes Aug. 19 at The Harbor willin theaten us week's performer is Tommy Alverson, who specializes an'tsen s course Admission to the 7:30 performance is free. Participants are inches o bring ankets or lawn chairs to the amphitheatre, which is located to da, us the Hil

Tri-County Choral auditions slated

an of the Tri-Con y Choral Society is inviting singers ages 18 and older to group r its fall concert. Auditions will run from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. 4 at Cil Iall in Royse City. The concert is set for Dec. 10 at the RC Schord for more details visit tri-countychoralsociety.art.officelive. e-mail countychoral@gmail.com.

Library closing for Labor Day

Rockw County Library will be closed Sept. 4-6 in observance of Day. III ibrary will open at 10 a.m. Sept. 7.

Vendors needed for craft shows

lors are seded for three upcoming craft shows at Rockwall High. A will st its annual event from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 13. The RHS raft fairs on Sept. 11 and Dec. 11 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. will hot rs are n ed for one, two or all three events. Contact Liz Tarter, 972-46 fort re details.

Exclusively in the

General Fund	8,494,181
Water & Wastewater	7,964,917
Debt Service	359,002
Harbor Debt Service	0
Cemetery	138,883
Police Investigations	162,915
Recreational Development	193,439
Radio	1,796
Street Improvement	1,437,864
Fire Equipment	120,780
Aviation	24,487
	15,987
Recycling	0
Special Crimes Unit Worker's Compensation	959,338

Schedule B: 2010 Debt Service:

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment	
	Property Taxes				
2003 G O Refunding Bonds	268,000	69,700	0	337,700	
2005 G O Refunding Bonds	760,000	504,194	0	1,264,194	
2006 G O Bonds	795,000	1,151,486	0	1,946,486	
2007 G O Bonds	495,000	951,988	0	1,446,988	
2008 G O Bonds	315,000	401,750	0	716,750	
2009 G O Bonds	490,000	326,250	0	816,250	
2002 Certificates of Obligation	115,000	9,005	0	124,005	
2006 Certificates of Obligation	115,000	33,363	0	148,363	
2007 Certificates of Obligation	135,000	5,737	0	140,737	
2008 Certificates of Obligation	100,000	6,150	0	106,150	
2009 Certificates of Obligation	330,000	150,064	0	480,064	
2006 ES Corp-Gun Range	66,483	18,813	0	85,296	
Total required for 2010 debt service				\$7,612,983	
- Amount (if any) paid from funds lis	\$0				
- Amount (if any) paid from other resources					
- Excess collections last year				\$0	
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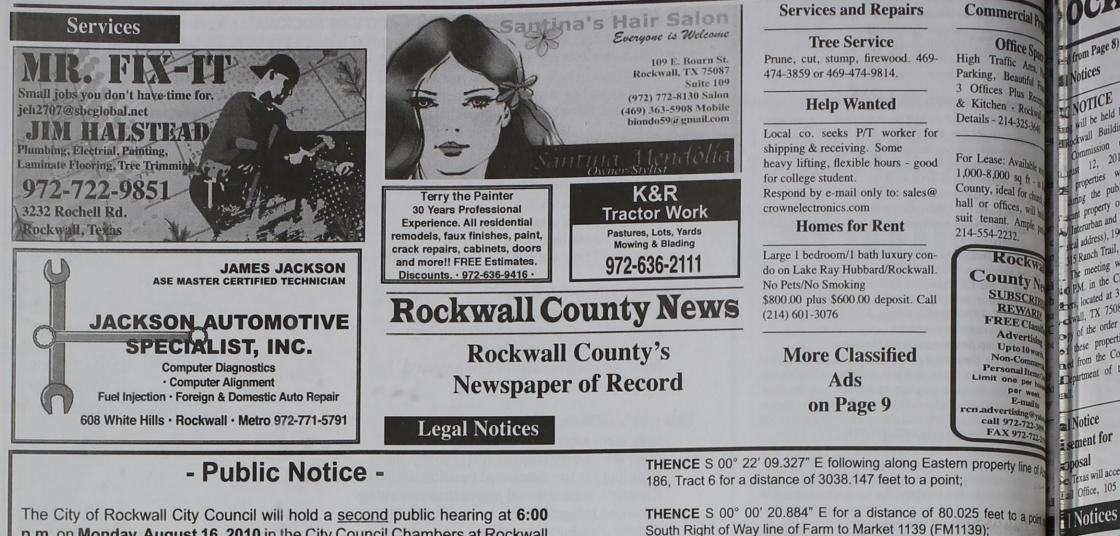
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Schedule C - Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For hospital districts, cities and counties with additional sales tax to reduce property taxes) In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$ 3,296,459 in additional sales and use tax revenues. For County: The county has excluded any amount that is or will be distributed for economic development grants from this amount of expected sales tax revenue.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 841 Justin Road, Rockwall, TX 75087. Name of person preparing this notice: Ray E. Helm Title: Chief Appraiser Date prepared: July 27, 2010

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p.m. on Monday, August 16, 2010 in the City Council Chambers at Rockwall City Hall, 385 South Goliad, Rockwall, Texas, to consider the proposed annexation described below.

A2010-001

Hold a public hearing and consider a City-initiated request to annex four (4) areas totaling approximately 824.91-acres overall and contiguous to the existing City of Rockwall city limits line, and more specifically described as follows:

Area 1

(538.90 acres located West of SH 205, South of FM 549 and Northeast of Hanby Lane)

BEING a 538.90 acre tract of land situated in the W.M. Ford Survey, Abstract No. 80 in the County of Rockwall, Texas and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point of intersection in the Eastern Right of Way line of Jeff Boyd Dr and the Northern Right of Way line of East Cullins Rd:

THENCE N 43° 43' 2.574" E following along said Northern Right of Way line for a distance of 2149.24 feet to a point;

THENCE N 45° 18' 36.140" W following along the Western Right of Way line of East Cullins Rd for a distance of 1143.621 feet to a point lying in the Southern Right of Way line of Farm to Market Rd 549 (FM549);

THENCE N 48° 08' 10" E following along said Southern FM549 Right of Way line for a distance of 792.06 feet to a point;

THENCE N 44° 28' 10" E for a distance of 2101.60 feet to a point;

THENCE S 88° 43' 47.153" W following along the South Right of Way of

for a distance of 1542.069 feet to a point;

THENCE N 01° 05' 01.431" W for a distance of 80.001 feet to a point lin North Right of Way of FM1139;

THENCE N 01° 05' 01.426" W following along the Western property Abstract 186, Tract 6 (eastern split portion / RCAD # 12255) for a data 3031.679 feet to a point;

THENCE N 88° 30' 29.735" E following along the Southern subdivision Wooldridge Estates for a distance of 1581.491 feet to the Point of Bean and containing 111.80 acres of land (4,870,139.842 square feet) more ar

Area 3

(81.96 acres located along the west side of Rochell Road south of SHT is county reserves

BEING a 81.957 acre tract of land situated in the J.A. Ramsey Survey, Abelia rance of bid and No. 186 in the County of Rockwall, Texas and being more particularly des = hall be made th as follows:

BEGINNING at the Southwestern most corner of Timber Creek Estate point of beginning;

THENCE N 88° 13' 19" E following along Southern boundary of Timbel Estates (nearest Lot 22) for a distance of 837.35 feet to a point;

THENCE N 89° 05' 11" E following along said Southern boundary for add of 1307.46 feet to a point;

THENCE N 89° 03' 14.504" E following along said Southern boundary

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THENCE N 47° 30' 10" E for a distance of 508.30 feet to a point;

THENCE N 49° 59' 08.255" E for a distance of 402.341 feet to a point;

THENCE S 45° 51' 18.989" E for a distance of 1444.543 feet to a point;

THENCE N 00° 13' 23.433" E for a distance of 80.101 feet to a point intersecting the Northern Right of Way line of State Highway 205;

THENCE S 45° 57' 59" E following along the eastern right of way line of State Highway 205 for a distance of 2274.809 feet to a point;

THENCE S 44° 37' 29" W following along the southern property line of Abstract 80, Tract 17-13 (50 acres) for a distance of 2323.70 feet to a point;

THENCE S 43° 54' 01" W following along the southern property line of Abstract 80, Tract 17-15 (134.33 acres) for a distance of 1583.26 feet to a point;

THENCE S 43° 01' 55" E following along the eastern property line of Abstract 80, Tract 17-02 (9.75 acres) for a distance of 184.44 feet to a point;

THENCE S 43° 56' 36" W following along the southern property line of Abstract 80, Tract 17-02 (9.75 acres) for a distance of 838.18 feet to a point;

THENCE S 46° 07' 12" E following along the southwestern property line of Abstract 80, Tract 17-01 (158.248 acres) for a distance of 2180.48 feet to a point;

THENCE S 43° 58' 49" W to the southern corner of Abstract 80, Tract 13-01 (19 acres), a distance of 1329.13 feet to a point;

THENCE N 45° 29' 27.396" W following along property lines and Northern Right of Way line of Hanby Ln. for a distance of 4085.376 feet to a point;

THENCE N 44° 43' 49.089" E for a distance of 9.216 feet to a point;

THENCE N 44° 54' 7.509" W following along the Eastern Right of Way line of Jeff Boyd Dr for a distance of 917.893 feet to the Point of Beginning and containing 538.90 acres of land (23,499,869.50 square feet) more or less.

<u>Area 2</u>

(111.80 acres located north of FM 1139 and east of FM 549)

BEING a 111.80 acre tract of land situated in the J.A. Ramsey Survey, Abstract No. 186 in the County of Rockwall, Texas and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at the Southeastern most corner of Wooldridge Estates for a point of beginning;

distance of 24.318 feet to a point intersecting the Eastern Right of WaydR Rd;

THENCE S 00° 40' 26.223" E following along said Right of Way line for a dis 🗯 i re available f of 1677.693 feet to a point;

THENCE S 89° 29' 25.076" W following along the Southern property Abstract 186, Tract 16 for a distance of 2158.35 feet to a point;

THENCE N 01° 02' 33.865" W following along said Tract 16 western P line for a distance of 1649.821 feet to the Point of Beginning and com 81.957 acres of land (3,570,043.269 square feet) more or less.

Area 4

(92.25 acres located along southeast side of FM 550 south of SH 276

BEING a 92.25 acre tract of land situated in the J.W. Pitman Survey, All No. 181 in the County of Rockwall, Texas and being more particularly des as follows:

BEGINNING at the Eastern most corner of Abstract 181, T1-9 for a p beginning:

THENCE S 44° 32' 39.223" W following along property lines for a dista 1762.363 feet to a point;

THENCE N 45° 40' 13.669" W following along said Western boundary of Ab 181, Tract 1-5 for a distance of 2270.382 feet to a point intersecting the No Right of Way line of Farm to Market Rd 550 (FM550);

THENCE N 44° 17' 30.519" E following along said Right of Way line for a del of 804.627 feet to a point;

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THENCE S 31° 48' 50.655" E crossing to the south Right of Way line of F for a distance of 82.41 feet to a point;

THENCE S 45° 26' 51.569" E following along Abstract 181, Tract 16 northe property line for a distance of 2191.674 feet to the Point of Beginning containing 92.25 acres of land (4,018,211.185 square feet) more or less.

Note: The above descriptions shall follow all existing City of Rock City Limit boundaries where noted.

All interested parties are encouraged to attend. Please contact City of Rockwall Planning and Zoning department at (972) 771-714 visit our website at www.rockwall.com/planning/annexation.asp. questions.

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Council, the City of Fate reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, waive minor technicalities or to proceed otherwise when in the best interest of the City.

Please direct all inquiries to: Joe A. McFadin, LHIC, Wellspring Insurance Agency, Inc., 817-430-7102.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING **CLAIMS AGAINST** THE ESTATE OF RAY ELLIS RICHARD, JR., DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Independent Administration for the Estate of Ray Ellis Richard, Jr., Deceased, were issued on July 22, 2010, in Docket No. PR10-075 pending in the County Court at Law of Rockwall County, Texas, to

Jaunisha R. McKinney,

Independent Administrator The residence of Jaunisha R. McKinney is Rockwall, Texas. The post office address of Jaunisha R. McKinney is:

c/o The Law Offices of A. Christian Klemme

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Date: Thursday, August 5, 2010 Time:

6:30 p.m. Place: City Hall

1248 S. Highway 205

At such time and place the Planning

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Re-Plat of Kingsbridge Phase II And The City Council, in the City of

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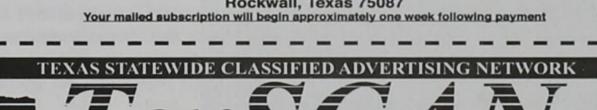
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Hungry Harry Restaurant Review

Hungry Harry 'sneaks' into Kabob Hut

by Hungry Harry

Some of the best places I have ever eaten in were not the ones that stuck out like a sore thumb. Driving down Goliad I noticed a rather plain looking building with a not too flashy name, Kabob Hut.

Kabob Hut has been open one year and yet it has apparently eluded my perceptive food vision. However, Momma Hungry always told me to never judge a book by its cover. In this case, she was absolutely correct.

Once you enter the door, you will find yourself in a very colorful and inviting restaurant. Within seconds I was welcomed with a warm and friendly smile. My mission was to try a variety of things. The decision came down to the Gyro Special and Chicken Kabobs.

It was also recommended to try the Chef Specials. Admittedly, the menu was lacking that enticing visual appeal to just order anything. However, once was the order in place, the wise choices of my decision-making would come to in the form of edible bliss. The Gyro was fantastic and then came the Chicken Kabobs. The flavor was amazing and cooked to near perfection. After the delightful main course, came the sweet reward... Bakhlava.

What more can a person as ask for? It was a perfect compliment to the meal.

I can tell you if you are looking for an affordable and pleasant experience, Kabob Hut just may be the place for you. It was a clean, fast, and one that is deserving of a try.

Atmosphere: Cozy and colorful. Quiet. Clean.

Service: Excellent. Prompt and Friendly. Menu could be better.

Food: Excellent

Price: Excellent

Overall: Three out of four smiles

Location: 2014 South Goliad Street # 140

Rockwall, Texas 75087

Phone: 972-722-0786

(Editor's Note: "Hungry Harry" is a local resident who loves to eat out, and will from time to time share his "eating out" experiences. He pays his own way and he gets no benefits from any of his chosen eating spots nor from the Rockwall County News.)

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Abramczyk gradua from Baylor Dentis

Crystal Robyn Seaman Abramczyk received the doctor of degree from Texas A&M Health Science Center Baylor Col during May 27 commencement exercises at the Morton Symphony Center in Dallas, according to a news release free During her tenure at HSC-BCD, Abramczyk was a m Christian Medical and Dental Society, the Hispanic Dental Student Research Group. She also was the HSC-Baylor College student representative to the Hinman Student Research Symmetry is a national meeting that features research study presentation students and graduate trainees.

Abramczyk is a 1991 graduate of Rockwall High School in a 1995 graduate of Baylor University with a bachelor's dem tion; and a 2006 graduate of the University of Texas Health sa Houston with a master's degree in biomedical sciences.

She plans to practice dentistry in Royse City at Comfort Carr Dr. Henry Wachtendorf.

Abramczyk is married to Eugene E. Abramczyk III and has mother is Wanda Sarver of Rockwall.



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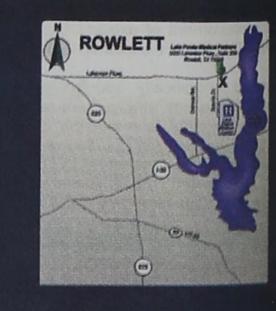
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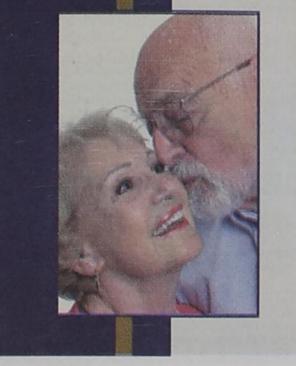
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Nitro Swimming from south Texas finished first overall, scoring 618 team points, while second place North Texas Nada ores finished with 511.5 points. Rockwall finished 38th with 13 points.

In the 11-year-old girls division, Emily Manly (11), won medals in three of her seven qualifying events. In the 50-meter breaststroke on Friday, she came into the finals in the 6th place position. During the finals, one second was dropped from her prelims time to earn her a third place medal, clocking 38.46.

On Saturday's 100-meter breaststroke event, she dropped place medal position with a time of 1:24.15. She won her third medal in the 200-meter breaststroke finals where she placed eighth in her last event on Sunday with a time of 3:05.78. She had dropped two seconds from the morning prelims to earn her that spot.

She narrowly missed the finals in the 200-meter individual medley by finishing ninth in 2:44.71. She finished 12th in the 100 fly with a time of 1:16.55; and in the 400-meter free she finished 15th in 5:05.73. She finished 22nd in the 50 backstroke (37.51).

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Sports Notes

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the Rockwall County YMCA's Flag Football program, ages 5 and 6, and Tackle Football, ages 7-12 and not on urrently is under way. Early registration runs through registration will run Aug. 1-10; and late registration bewill end when all teams are full. Fees are posted at rockjuickscores.com/rockwally. Every child is a starter, either ense, by rule. Practices will be limited to two per week in aree in a non-game week. A football/cheerleading coaches 1 p.m. Aug. 14. For more details call 972-772-YMCA.

Register now for YMCA Soccer

r the Rockwall County YMCA's Small Fry Soccer pro-Idren ages 3 and 4, and Youth Soccer, ages 4-12, currently ly registration ends Saturday; regular registration will run te registration begins Aug. 11 and will end when all teams g players who register prior to Aug. 1 are guaranteed to reeam. Fees are posted at rockwallymca.org or quickscores. A coaches meeting is set for 11 a.m. Aug. 14. For more -)ckwal 72-YMCA.

Volleyball camp planned at RCHS

structional volleyball camp for future Lady Bulldog volset for 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Aug. 9, 10 and 11 in the nbers of the high school volleyball team and their coaches th, fifth and sixth grade students. Cost is \$30; sign up the Call Robyn Hill at 903-227-1936 for more details.

Ambassadors Golf Tourney slated

ors Golf Tournament benefiting Rockwall County Helping sug. 16 at the Buffalo Creek Golf Club. To register contact 2-771-4357, ext. 222, or e-mail kaydutta@rockwallhelp-

Little Kickers scheduled

ters soccer program, open to youths ages 3 1/2 to 5 years, s from 6 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. Aug. 30 through Oct. 4 at Harry 1-building, age-appropriate drills and exercises are taught. sses are non-competitive; the final two will include games. will receive a T-shirt. Cost is \$30 for Rockwall residents, lents. For more information, visit rockwall.com/parks. or non-

Little Sluggers T-ball dates set

gers T-ball program, open to youths ages 3 1/2 to 5 years, s from 6 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. Aug. 31 through Oct. 5 at Harry ildren will learn fundamental skills - throwing, fielding, running - and the final two weeks will include "games." will receive a T-shirt. Parent participation is encouraged. ation, visit rockwall.com/parks.

George Griffith Regatta planned

riffith Regatta will take place Sept. 24, sailing from Rush Lay Hubbard. The event will benefit the Rockwall County To register contact Kay Dutta at 972-771-4357, ext. 222, or Prockwallhelpinghands.com.

The Fulton School

sion, Jessica Iggo (10) finished as second alternate in 10th place as she dropped 1.5 seconds in the 50 backstroke (38.47) from her earlier seed time. On Sunday she dropped an additional two seconds in the 100 backstroke to finish in 16th place (1:24.05).

Also, in the same division, Rachel Hyvl (10) finished 16th in both the 50-meter free (34.03) and 50-meter back (39.01), and finished 18th in the 50 fly (37.26).

In the 13-14 combined boys division, Jeremiah Kim (13) placed 10th overall in the consolation finals of the 100-meter breaststroke (1:14.45). This time ranks him as the 1st fastest 13-year-old in the

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This notice concerns 2010 property tax rates for CITY OF MCLENDON-CHISHOLM. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$161,914
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(after subtracting value of new property)	\$163,889,915
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ed indigent health care expenditures)

If CITY OF MCLENDON-CHISHOLM adopts a 2010 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.098700 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2009 taxes by \$ 3,449.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at \$41 Justin Road, Rockwall, TX 75087. Name of person preparing this notice: Ray E. Helm Title: Chief Appraiser Date prepared: July 27, 2010

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Greenwood won three races, to

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Rockwall High School student

Adam Hogan was one of the 100

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Governor's School June 6-16 on the

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Hogan tapped

Robert Williams finished first in three of the six sailing races on Lake Ray Hubbard to win the top prize at Dallas Race Week.

In Hotter Tuna, he won the first race Sunday, July 20, then came back to win the final two races Thursday and Friday, July 24 and 25. Williams, who sails out of Bayview Yacht Club, finished no worse than fourth in any of the races.

Nigel Brown was the runner-up in Soap Opera, totaling 13 points (one point for each place finished) to 10 for Williams. Brown didn't win a race, but was no worse than fourth in races that counted for him. In the scoring format, each boat's worst finish was thrown out.

Placing third was David Butler in Shotglass, followed by David Carter in Geronimo, fourth, and Jacques Roy in One Trick Pony and Jack Progelhof in Senior Moment, who tied for fifth.

First-place finishers in the other fleets were Jeff Greenwood in au-

Swim meet results

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state in the 100-meter breaststroke. In the 200-meter breaststroke he recorded a 2:44.93 time in the prelims and went on to finish 14th overall in the consolation finals with a time of 2:46.03.

Bentley Gilbert (14) finished 23rd in the 50-meter freestyle with a time of 27.10.

The 13-14 boys 200-meter freestyle relay finished in 10th place with a time of 1:50.17. Leading off was Justin Tokuz (27.90), Jeremiah Kim (28.44), William Rapp (27.38), and anchoring was Bentley Gilbert (26.45).

Their 200-meter medley relay dropped almost four seconds from their seed time to finish in 13th place. Leading off with the backstroke was William Rapp (32.77), Jeremiah Kim swam breaststroke (34.82), Justin Tokuz swam butterfly (29.64), and anchoring with the freestyle was Bentley Gilbert (26.75).

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Alex Rodriguez (12) took off a half second in the 200-meter breaststroke (3:04.32) to finish 16th in the 12-year-old boys division.

Raena Eldridge (13) matched her seed time in the 50-meter freestyle (28.75) to finish in 20th place in the combined 13-14 girls division.

Brooke Arnold (11) swam the 50-meter butterfly (34.59) finishing in 20th in the 11-year-old girls division.

This weekend, the Rockwall RACE team will host the BB Championships at the Rockwall Aquatics Center July 30 - August 1.

Swim team coaches will be holding tryouts from 4p.m. to 5 p.m., Wednesday, August 25, and Thursday, August 26, at the Rockwall Aquatics Center, located next to the football stadium on Townsend Drive.

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