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All this and much more as The Enterprise reports in this week's amazing edition!

## Local students see dual credit savings

Donley County high school students are saving money under a new dual credit scholarship plan at Clarendon College.

Under a plan instituted in August by CC President Robert Riza, high school students residing in Donley County also benefit by having their second and third dual credit class per semester paid for by the college.

With the fall semester now underway, local dual credit students have realized total savings of \$3,310.50

Clarendon High School Principal Larry Jeffers thanked Dr. Riza and the Board of Regents on social media, and said CHS students have saved \$2,437.50 off their original tuition cost of \$7,095.

"This program has resulted in a 34% savings in tuition cost for Clarendon CISD," said Clarendon Superintendent Monty Hysinger. "We appreciate the local college and their efforts to support the local public school system, parents, and community members."

Hedley has fewer students enrolled in dual credit classes, but the savings there is still \$837 off the total tuition of \$2,142.

## Fire Department to hold Open House

The Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department and Clarendon Firebelles will hold an Open House at the Fire Hall this Saturday, October 11, at 10 a.m.

Fire Poster winners will be announced, and everyone is invited to enjoy a hotdog meal cooked by the firefighters. Come learn more about fire safety and the measures you can take to help protect your family.

## Bon Fire to be held this Thursday night

Clarendon High School's annual Bon Fire will be held this Thursday, October 8, at the Ronnie McAnear farm south of Clarendon on Hwy. 70. The festivities start at 8:30 p.m.

## Food distribution will be next Monday

The Bread of Life food pantry at the First United Methodist Church will receive its next shipment Monday, October 13, and, as always, volunteers are needed to help unload the truck.

Next week's truck will have surplus food that will be given away starting at 1:00 p.m.

The regular distribution day, for those that qualify, will be next Thursday, October 16, from 10 a.m. to noon.

## Mounted shooters to be compete here Monday

The Wild West will come to life next Monday, October 13, when a mounted shooting competition will be held at the Clarendon College Livestock & Equine Center. The event is free to the public.

The Columbus Day event will be sponsored by the Texas Panhandle Mounted Shooters, the local chapter of the Cowboy Mounted Shooting Association (CMSA), as they host the first annual Warm Up To Worlds competition.

On display will be some of the country's top horses and high point cowboys and

cowgirls compete against each other in a non-stop, high-speed, action riding and shooting contest as they warm up for the CMSA Tony Lama World Championship held in Amarillo beginning October 15 at the Amarillo National Center.

At least five of the top ranked cowboys and cowgirls including Donley County's, Ethan Wilkinson and the current 2014 Wrangler Patriot Overall High Points leader, Lisa Jean DeGeare will be performing for you.

Cowboy Mounted Shooting is a combination of rodeo, barrel racing, and a Wild

West show where the rider shoots single-action .45 caliber revolvers and rifles at balloons from a galloping horse and is scored on accuracy and speed. It has the fast action of barrel racing with a Wild West flare.

Organizers say this is the fastest growing equine sport in the nation and is fun for all ages.

Riders use especially loaded blank cartridges that break a balloon at a distance of about 15 feet. Penalties are assessed for each missed target, not following the procedures, or dropping a gun. The action is non-stop, with

a rider racing through the course about every 60 seconds.

Come on out and witness the Old West come to life through the sport of Cowboy Mounted Shooting. First shot is at 9:30 a.m. on Monday, October 13, at the CC Livestock & Equine Center.

For more information on Texas Panhandle Mounted Shooters contact Stephanie Wilkinson at 806-930-1252 or visit online at <https://txpms.wordpress.com/>.

For a list of future events and rules go to [www.cmsaevents.com](http://www.cmsaevents.com).



## Tag!

Clarendon High School freshman Jessie Taylor tries to get the ball past junior Amelia Weatherton during last Friday's Powder Puff football games at Bronco Stadium.

ENTERPRISE PHOTO / TARA ALLRED.

## Cotton Festival events begins Friday evening

Hedley's 63rd annual Cotton Festival will be held this weekend, beginning Friday, October 10, with a Chili & Stew Supper at 5:30 p.m. for \$6 per bowl at the Lioness Club.

Bring your own chairs and blanket for good old fashioned country music played on the street by Pat Chesser and others. Bingo will be running at the Senior Citizens from 6 to 10 p.m., and a bouncy house and games will also be running from 6 to 9 p.m.

Anthony Knowles will be the Master of Ceremonies Saturday, October 11, as several local musicians perform, including Danny Mullins, Johnny Woodard, and Pat Chesser.

The high school One Act Play will host BINGO in the Senior Citizens building from 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m., and the Hedley Senior Citizens will serve hamburgers and corn dogs along with dill pickles and candied apples from 10:00 to 5:00.

The bouncy house and games for the kids, popcorn, and cotton candy will run from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and the Lioness Club's free Quilt Show. Everyone bring your quilts to show off.

The Lions Club will serve catered barbecue at 11:30 a.m. with

three types of meat; sliced, chopped and sausage for \$12 a plate.

The Little Princesses will be crowned at 1:00 p.m., followed by the Kiddie Parade at 1:15 and the full Parade at 2:00. If you want in the parade, be at the school at 1:00 with a card telling who you are and what you represent. Grand Parade Marshal is Patsy Spier, Director of the Hedley Senior Citizens.

Hedley ex-students will reunite at 3:00 p.m. at the school. The public is invited to the gym at 3:30 for a "geriatric free throw contest" and a half court "geriatric basketball game." EMTs will be on the ready. There will be a \$12 catered dinner for the Ex-Students at 7:00. Reservations are required.

All drawings will be at the Lions Club at 6 p.m., including the Lioness Club Queen size Quilt with 2 pillow shams; the American Legion (two prizes on one ticket) handmade metal yard swing and a tailgate BBQ grill; the Fire Department's large and heavy Cajun cooking pot; and the Hedley Senior Citizens' 12ga. Benelli Vinci shotgun with case and a hundred dollar bill for ammo.

Also, at 6:00 there will be a Baked Goods Auction to benefit the school Tennis Courts.

## Donley County property owners receiving tax notices

Folks owning property in Donley County began receiving statements for ad valorem taxes Saturday after the Donley Appraisal District put approximately 5,000 envelopes in the mail.

Chief Appraiser Paula Lowrie said she and her two staff members stuffed all the envelopes themselves and said the statements cover about 10,000 parcels of land.

"We could hire a company to stuff them, but it's just about as quick to do it ourselves," Lowrie said.

The combined statements cover taxes owed in Donley County, the Donley County Hospital District (which provides emergency medical services and indigent care), the Clarendon College District, the Clarendon and Hedley school districts, the Panhandle Groundwater

District, and the cities of Clarendon, Hedley, and Howardwick.

Taken as a whole, the entire tax levy this year is \$4,485,422.

Bills are due upon receipt and will become delinquent after February 2, 2015. Discounts are available for those who pay their taxes before January 1, 2015, as follows: three percent off in October, two percent off in November, and

one percent off in December.

Owners of multiple accounts

are responsible for ensuring they have reconciled all of their properties with all of their bills prior to making payment. Owners of multiple properties often have different names on the accounts. Some accounts may be in a company name, a trust or in various forms of a name (such as J. Smith, John Smith, and Jonathan Smith etc.). Some owners have differing mailing addresses as well.

In short, the collectors do not own the property, are not responsible for the tax or to determine how much a person decides to pay. During this phase the collectors receive and post payments and issue receipts upon request. If a person requires assistance in this area they should

See 'Taxes' on page 6.

## Local man enters plea during district court

The 100th District Court heard three pleas when it met in Clarendon on Thursday, September 25.

District Attorney Luke Inman prosecuted the cases for the State of Texas with the Honorable Judge Stuart Messer presiding.

Jody Don Leffew was convicted and sentenced to 12 months in the State Jail Division of TDCJ for the state jail felony offense of forgery.

Leffew, 44-year-old resident of Clarendon, was arrested on March 25, 2014, 2014 for the offense that took place September 16, 2013 in Donley County.

Leffew pled to an information filed by the State on September 25, 2014. Pursuant to the plea

agreement, Leffew is required to pay \$488 in and court costs and \$935.62 restitution.

Also on September 25, Ricky Paul Salgado pleaded true to allegations listed in the State's Motion to Adjudicate Guilt and was sentenced to eight years in the Institutional Division of TDCJ for the third degree felony offense of assault against a family member.

On March 27, 2014, Salgado originally pleaded guilty to offense that occurred on May 4, 2013, in Collingsworth County.

The State filed the motion on September 17, 2014, alleging eight violations of community supervision.

See 'Court' on page 6.



## The reigning queen

Hedley Homecoming Queen Kortney Burton (third from left) smiles with homecoming court members Kati Adams, Becca Butler, and Kelsey Wells last Friday.

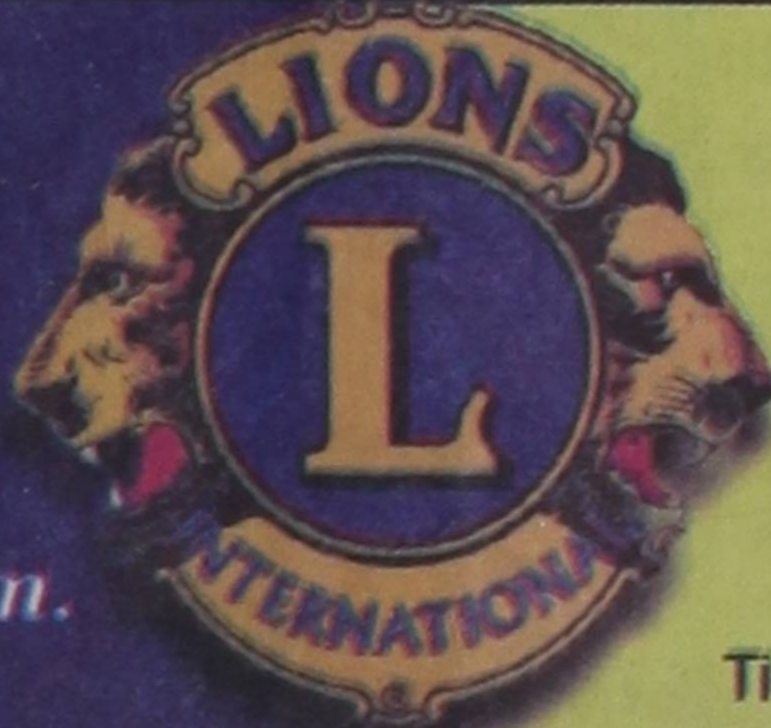
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# Newspapers drive good communities

Some of my earliest memories of my Dad are of him reading the funny pages to me on Sunday morning. I would crawl up in his lap or on the arm of his rocking chair and lose myself in the adventures of Nancy and Sluggo, Alley Oop, Rick O'Shay, the Peanuts gang, Prince Valiant, and Mark Trail.

Dad also read the paper the rest of the week... every day of the week. It was just part of his routine. He took the afternoon Amarillo Globe-Times and read every section of it literally from cover to cover. And, of course, once a week he added The Donley County Leader to that list of "must read" material.

He didn't go to bed until he had read the paper, and as a result, he was one of the most knowledgeable men I ever knew about general information and current events. He stayed abreast of everything that was going on. It was such a part of his daily life. It is no wonder then that his obituary photo - if you could zoom out from the cropping we did on it - is one of him sitting in our den, reading the newspaper.

He took great pride in the work of The Clarendon Enterprise, and I have no doubt that, if he were here today, he would be bragging on his grandson, The Cub Reporter, every chance he was given.

Growing up in my family, the importance of the community newspaper was well understood. But it bears reaffirming in this modern age of iPads, smart phones, Facebook, and text messages. This week marks National Newspaper Week across America, and our industry's theme this year is "Newspapers: The Foundation of Vibrant Communities."

As graduate student at Texas Tech, I spent part of one summer studying the economies of 14 rural communities in the Texas Hill Country. I made it a habit to pick up the local newspaper everywhere I went, and I noticed one common thread right away. The strongest communities and the ones that had the most going on were the towns with the best newspapers. This was true regardless of the population of the town. The vibrancy of the community was reflected in the quality of the newspaper.

If you look around the Texas Panhandle, I think you'll see that the same is true here. If you want to look at towns that are growing or are making things happen, you will likely find a strong voice in the local newspaper.

This is your newspaper. We cover your life from childhood and right up until they lay you to rest. It is in these pages that you find out not only about football games, pancake suppers, and cotton festivals, but also about tax notices, important meetings, and decisions that will impact your daily life. We also want you to think, and we therefore put forth opinions and editorials that are meant to drive positive change, improve our community, and give us all a better quality of life.

And we give you a voice to share your thoughts on important - and sometimes trivial - matters in order to encourage open and honest public debate.

Our job is to report, to editorialize, and to provide a platform for your voice. Your job is to read, to participate, and to pass that tradition on to the next generation. Working together, we will keep Clarendon moving forward and leave our kids with an energetic community that they will be proud to call home.



**editor's commentary**  
by roger estlack

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# Oceans, distances help protect us

Perhaps living in the sparsely populated middle of a magnificent continent, surrounded by two really big oceans is not such a bad thing after all. In light of the spreading Ebola virus, along with the seemingly never-ending, horrific beheadings by the Islamic pond scum in the Levant, it is nice to live in an area of the world that is populated by good, decent folks.

While there are few existential threats to America, including Russia, China, and a wayward asteroid or two, there are still plenty of less than catastrophic things that can make life more miserable for us. Of course, the adolescent Putin, proudly sucking in his stomach and flexing his pectorals, could go off the rails and do us harm with his dangerous military toys.

Then, there are the Chinese, who can - due to their rather large numbers - do us great harm, either with their military, intelligence services, and computer hackers. Conceivably, they, or any other nation state for that matter, could take down our power grid and send us scampering back into the dark ages.

For the most part, however, any significant harm to us will have to cross two large oceans and the great distances of the North American continent, before doing us much harm. The Ebola virus comes to mind, along with other pan-world diseases, like the bird-flu from Asia or a resurgence of a long dormant biological agent of some sort - either occurring naturally, or through an intentionally delivered means by our enemies.

In short, we are pretty safe here, so long as we stay close to home, within our natural borders. Of course, there is a

remote chance that our Islamic enemies could sneak across our southern border and behead a few of us before anyone realizes it. We can't rule out the drug cartels either.

However, pretty much the biggest threat we face is if a tea party type (little Teddy Cruz come to mind) gets in a snit and throws a hissy-fit, which then energizes the fiscal budget obsessions of the junior Texas senator from Canada, eh, and he then cuts funding for schools, infrastructure, or other worthy things - like social security.

Luckily, we do have some extra protection from the Ebola virus that has now spread to Dallas, something that I never dreamed would happen. Should any infected Dallasites decide to head north up highway 287 to procure medicinal ganja in Colorado, our virtual forest of sewer-pipe crosses and "end of the world is nigh" signs will likely cause them to think twice before stopping for fuel and grub. They will likely think that they have driven into a Stephen King novel and drive straight through town, grateful that they survived their encounter with the obvious religious fundamentalists that surely must reside here. We will, of course, be protected from the Ebola scourge.

Now, it is true that the ISIL types continue to behead Americans and Britons, in addition to Muslims, who are foolish enough to intervene in the



**the quick, the dead, & fred**  
by fred gray

civil war in Syria, and the continuing troubles in Iraq. However, in every single case, the victims have chosen to put themselves in harm's way. It is a noble thing to actually go to the Levant in order to lessen the suffering of innocents. However, thinking that helping the people of the Levant will somehow encourage the Islamists to look kindly upon those efforts is both naive and irrational. If people are caught by these animals, they will likely be beheaded, even if they convert to Islam after their capture.

The oceans on both sides of America continue to offer us valuable protection, especially from non-state terrorist like al Qaeda and ISIL. We need to be much more diligent in making sure that people who fly into the country or come in via ship, do not bring Ebola or terrorist threats with them. If we fail to do so, then we will unnecessarily subject Americans to threats that could be prevented, or significantly reduced.

Perhaps it would be beneficial to seriously reduce, stop immigration from Islamic and countries which are enduring Ebola outbreaks, as well as other disease infested lands. Of course, we should do all we can to seal our southern border first.

We have the technology and ability to seriously reduce threats from other lands, whatever the cause. Now is a good time to make it as difficult as possible to enter this great land. If we don't, shame on us. It's not a matter of political correctness, it's a matter of doing all we can to protect Americans.

We need to continue to engage our military and diplomatic forces to eradicate as many threats as possible, and help our allies to do the same.

# Still bringing communities together!



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# Having a hot time in the old thicket

Friends who have known my 102-year-old Uncle Mort for decades say he's a walking contradiction and as stubborn as a billygoat. His brain churns out—as Aunt Maude puts it—"more ideas in a day than some men in a lifetime, and some of 'em are good."

When we talked the other day, he detailed an upcoming event in the thicket he's calling "The East Texas World-Championship Lick-Off." Winner of the hot pepper-licking contest will be awarded a tow sack full of the world's hottest peppers.

"The winner may not know how many peppers have been won, because most folks don't know a tow sack from a trolling motor," Mort laughed....

Actually, it's not causing too much of a stir, since most Texans complain about rarely finding Mexican food hot enough. "And in other states, it's even harder," they contend. He's hoping there'll be braggarts who'll "put their kissers where his peppers are," and most importantly, fill Mort-marked coffers with entry fees.

He's been steadily building toward this moment for years, cross-breeding peppers so many times that some of 'em now glow in the dark.

It is envisioned to be something akin to another East Texas contest a few years ago called "three hands on a hard body." Contestants had to keep at least one hand in contact with a shiny new pick-up truck. The winner--the last one "in touch" with

the vehicle after others had fallen out - drove it home....

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The peppers have hundreds of pin holes, and we'll see who can lick continuously the longest," he explained. "When one pepper is licked bone dry, another one pops up, and so on. I imagine the contest will last a good three hours."

He's going to enter himself, going at it with both hands, licking two peppers at once. By the time the others figure out his technique, he'll be too far ahead for it to matter. At least that's what he thinks.

"I've got a thick, flat tongue to start with," he bragged, emphasizing that he's "practiced up," with fingers on each hand twirling peppers with equal dexterity. "I knew I was 'amphibious,' but maybe I'm a multi-tasker, too," he cackled. I didn't ask him if he meant "ambidextrous"....

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Maude, his wife of more than 80 years, has learned to tolerate his here-brain, off-the-wall, get-rich-quick schemes which -so far- have never panned out.

He forges on, though, in the manner that Wile E. Coyote pursues the cartoon roadrunner, often getting close, but never

capturing the prize.

"I'm happy for him to be out in the workshop," she explained. "I'm sure he is blabbering away out there, too," but if I shut the kitchen door, I can't hear him."...

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Believe it or not, Mort's licking peppers with both hands isn't the first multi-tasking in their home.

Actually, Maude introduced it many years ago when she and Mort became great-grandparents of identical triplets—beautiful baby girls.

"It wasn't easy, and it involved some contortion, but after a little practice, I learned how to kiss all three of those precious babies at the same time."...

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Mort has heard that some leather-lunged Texans want something really hot, complaining that too many peppers "go down like candy." He swears his won't, and predicts that contestants will scream for water. "I'll have it available, stadium-priced at \$6 a bottle," he cackled.

Always looking toward his next challenge, he's drawing up diagrams now for a new app. No, not for computers—it's for aerosol cans.

"It's an app to help shavers get out just a 'smidgen' when that's all they need. Right now, all the cans release blobs only."...

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**the idle american**  
by don newbury

# Visitor impressed with Panhandle hospitality

I am visiting here from Maine and attended the Chuckwagon Cookoff with my friend Judy Burlin. Madeleine Black gave me a tour of the museum and told me she bought the paint for the benches on Kearney Street. Well, guess what? I got here in time to help the Donley County Area Tourism partners paint them. I got to meet Jerri Ann Shields and the friendly ladies at the library. Radio

Shack's Kim Babcock treated us to free sodas, and Bill Stavenhagen helped get minutes on my phone.

The next day, I helped set up three booths for the Panhandle Tourism Marketing Council. Next, I helped set up the Quanah Parker exhibit with Holle Humphries and the Texas Plains Trail Region. I now know a lot more about Texas history than I did when I arrived.

I am impressed with the tourism networking in the Panhandle and how everyone works together to bring visitors

to your area towns. Judy reminds me that this part of Texas is the "real cowboys and Indians" and that it all ended here with the Red River Wars. She says the cool thing about tourists is they come, learn history, spend money in your town, are not allowed to vote, and leave.

I am enjoying seeing the farming and ranching operations and the hospitality of the people in your town.

Connie Tuller,  
Frankfort, Maine

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### Large supply of cotton expected to keep prices down

COLLEGE STATION – Supply is the controlling factor of cotton prices heading into harvest season, according to a Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service economist.

Dr. John Robinson, AgriLife Extension cotton marketing economist in College Station, said, "Supply is the big question."

"As a backdrop in 2014, we've seen a downward move in cotton prices this growing season," Robinson said. "When farmers planted their crops, they were in the 80-cent per pound range. In May, the December contract hit 84 cents and has declined ever since. A lot of that decline was associated with improved growing conditions, rain out west and a lot of dryland regions that germinated and caught speculative traders by surprise."

Since then, prices fell to about 62 cents, recovered to the mid-60 cent range, and are now (down) again testing the area above 61 cents.

"Funds sold all they could and it being harvest time, there's fear at just how much cotton will be harvested," he said. "While we did germinate quite a bit of cotton in Texas, we need dry, sunny weather. Cool temperatures can affect the crop, so a lot of people are waiting to see."

"Looking at the world supply

situation, we thought India was in a drought situation, but it appears they planted a lot more than anticipated. They will weigh in on prices or support prices a bit. The other lingering supply issue is how much China has brought into the equation. They've accumulated over 40 million bales of cotton in reserve. The fear is they would cut back on imports and use that stockpile. Recent news out of China raises fears that they will restrict cotton imports through their new target price subsidy and also by restricting available import quota."

Robinson said everyone is waiting to see how that plays out.

"That situation has been with us for several years now. They could cut imports and use that supply. It could crash prices, but we don't think they think it would be to their best advantage to do so."

In Texas, the harvest is dependent on the weather in the coming weeks. Otherwise, there's potential for good-quality cotton to be harvested in the Lone Star State.

"Looking right now at about 6.1 million bales will prevent shortage of base rate cotton in the world," Robinson said. "Premium cotton could be in short supply, so that might be an opportunity. For base-grade cotton, the question will be how weathered is it, how good is

it? There could be too much of that (supply). If they got some premium cotton, they might get some good prices for that. That could offset lower prices received for some base cotton that is of lesser quality."

The four major Texas cotton-producing regions are the Panhandle, South Plains, Rolling Plains and Coastal Bend.

"This has been a strange year for Texas production," he said. "Up until April and May, producers were setting up for really bad drought until planting. As it turned out, they got a lot of surprising rain around Texas up through Memorial Day and some coolness after that, but all in all everything germinated."

Robinson said the U.S. Department of Agriculture has backed off their estimates of Texas cotton production of 7 million bales in August, coming back with a new estimate of 7.1 million bales.

"That struck a lot of us as being a little high. Then USDA lowered their estimates, partly tied to a revision in certified acres planted, and came back with 6.1 million acres, which is more closely to what folks are expecting in the industry. That would be up over two million bales from 2013, but how much is going to be harvested is to be determined until full harvest is complete statewide."

### AgriLife Extension to host Farm Bill Decision Aid Training

AMARILLO – The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service will host a Farm Bill Decision Aid Training seminar for insurance agents Oct. 10, according to DeDe Jones, AgriLife Extension risk management specialist and co-trainer in Amarillo.

"AgriLife Extension's goal is to establish a network of trained individuals who can help producers if they need assistance working through the farm program decision aid tool," said Dr. Steve Amosson, AgriLife Extension economist and co-trainer in Amarillo.

"A number of insurance agents has stepped up and requested this training so they can assist their clients with program sign-up," Amosson said, "and we are certainly going to honor their request."

Participants can choose between attending the free training from 8:30-11:30 a.m. or 1:30-4:30 p.m., both at the Texas A&M AgriLife Research and Extension Center, 6500 W. Amarillo Blvd. in Amarillo.

This training will focus on the data entry process required to correctly run the farm bill decision

tool developed by the Agricultural and Food Policy Center at Texas A&M University in partnership with the University of Missouri.

This tool is officially endorsed by the Risk Management Association as one of two decision aids in the country that producers should use in evaluating farm program decisions, Jones said.

The RSVP deadline is Oct. 8. Attendance is limited, so early registration is encouraged. For additional questions contact DeDe Jones at 806-677-5667.

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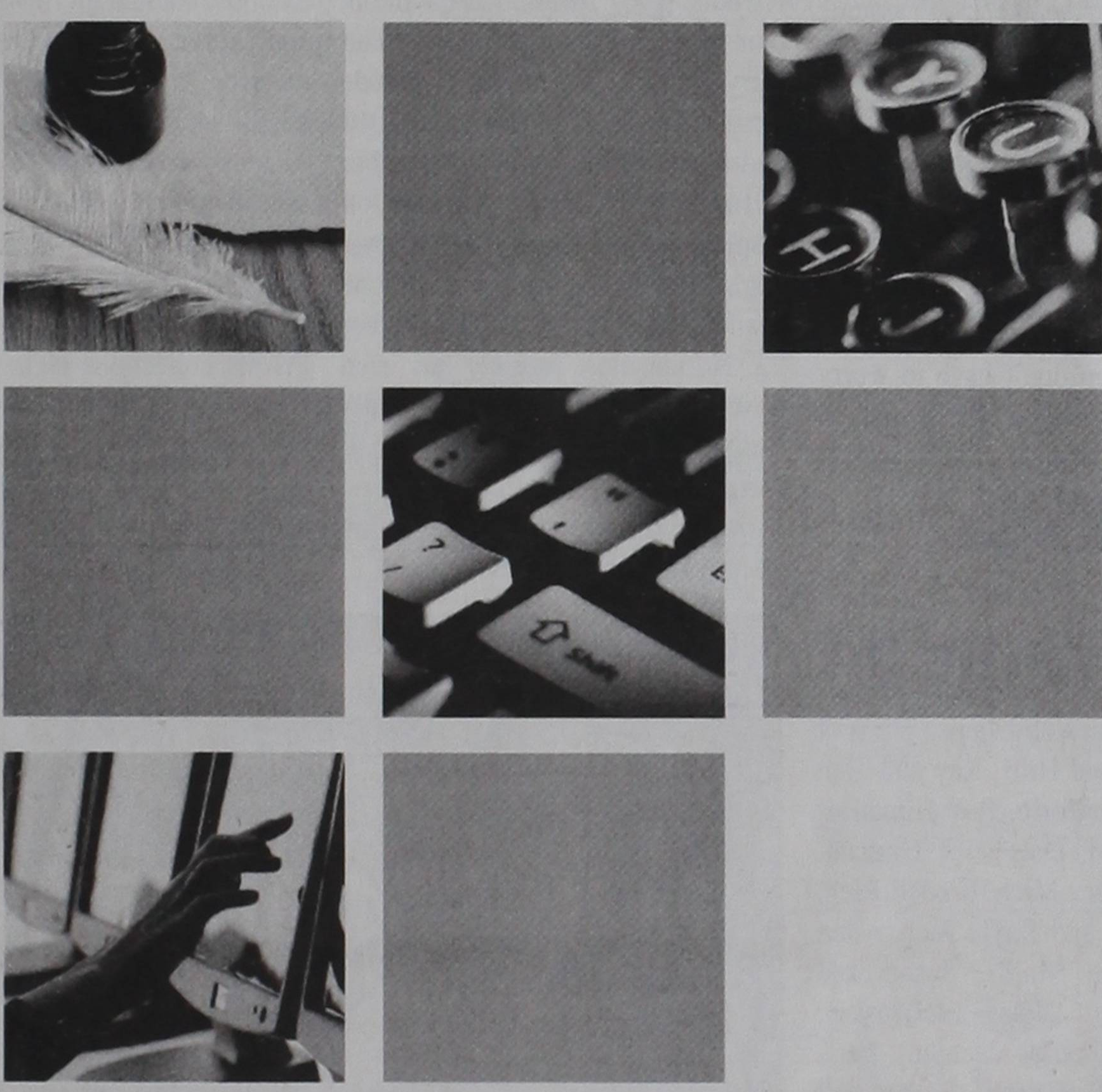


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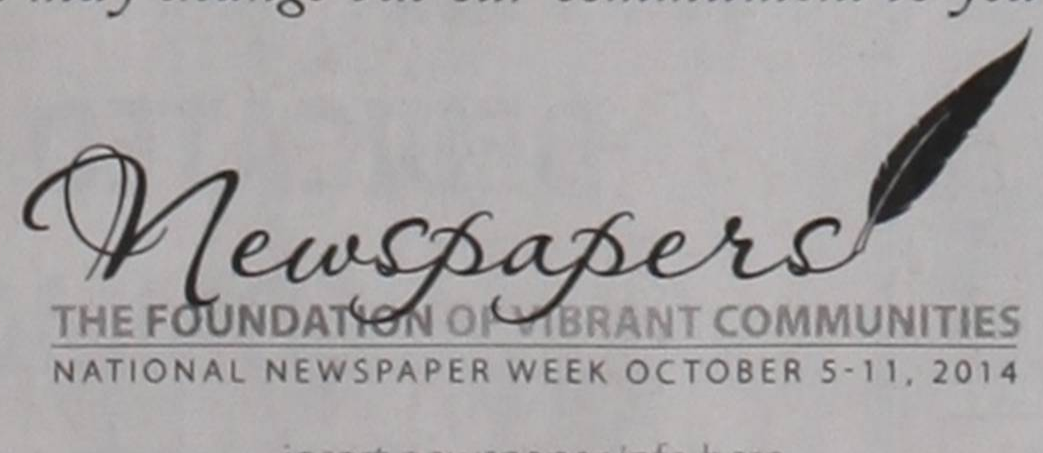
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Community Calendar

**October 10**  
Hedley's 63rd Annual Cotton Festival  
Broncos v Lockney • 7 p.m. • Clarendon

Owls v Ft. Elliot • 7:30 p.m. • Ft. Elliot

**October 13**  
Cowboy Mounted Shooting • 8 a.m. • Clarendon College Livestock & Equine Center

**October 16**  
Boss's Day

**October 17**  
Broncos v Quannah • 7 p.m. • Quannah

**October 24**  
Broncos v Crosbyton • 7 p.m. • Clarendon

Owls v McLean • 7:30 p.m. • Hedley

**October 25**  
Clarendon Arts Festival • Donley County Activity Center

**October 26**  
Clarendon Arts Festival • Donley County Activity Center

**October 31**  
Halloween

Broncos v Rails • 7 p.m. • Clarendon

Owls v Groom • 7:30 p.m. • Hedley

**November 7**  
Broncos v Memphis • 7 p.m. • Memphis

Owls v Silverton • 7:30 p.m. • Silverton

**November 11**  
Veteran's Day

Lady Broncos v Follett • 7 p.m. • Clarendon

**November 24**  
Thanksgiving

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**Menus**

October 13 - 17

**Donley County Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Breaded chicken tenders, mashed potatoes, carrots raisin salad, wheat bread, strawberry short cake, iced tea/2% milk.  
Tue: Beef stew, potatoes, tomatoes, onions, cornbread/crackers, peachy gelatin, iced tea/2% milk.  
Wed: King ranch casserole, Spanish rice, pinto beans, tortilla, Mexican wedding cake, iced tea/2% milk.  
Thu: BBQ beef on a bun, garden salad, baked beans, sliced peaches, cookie, iced tea/2% milk.  
Fri: Fish or substitute, cabbage, German potato salad, cornbread, brownies, iced tea/2% milk.

**Hedley Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Chicken spaghetti, buttered carrots, zucchini, wheat bread, banana pudding, iced tea/2% milk.  
Tue: Pork roast & gravy, black-eyed peas, mashed potatoes, roll, cake, iced tea/2% milk.  
Wed: Polish sausage & cabbage, pinto beans, coleslaw, cornbread, peaches, strawberry bananas, iced tea/2% milk.  
Thu: Sloppy Joes, potato wedges, coleslaw, cake, bun, iced tea/2% milk.  
Fri: Turkey & dressings, candied sweet potatoes, green beans, roll, pineapple tidbits, iced tea/2% milk.

**Clarendon ISD**  
Breakfast  
Mon: No School  
Tue: cheesy toast, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Wed: Biscuits & gravy, scrambled eggs, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Thu: oatmeal, cinnamon toast, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Fri: breakfast burrito, fruit juice, fruit, milk.

**Lunch**  
Mon: No School  
Tue: Beefy queso nachos, refried beans, garden salad, lime sherbet cup, milk.  
Wed: Chicken sandwich, oven fries, fresh veggie cup, fruity gelatin, milk.  
Thu: Chicken nuggets w/gravy, garden salad, mashed potatoes, fresh grapes, breadsticks, chocolate chip cookies, milk.  
Fri: Pizza, tomato & cucumber cup, baby carrots w/ranch, mandarin oranges, milk.

**Hedley ISD**  
Lunch  
Mon: Corn dog, baked beans, broccoli, apple-pineapple delight, milk.  
Tue: Beefy nachos, salad, pears, sherbet cup, milk.  
Wed: Beef & beans burritos, Mexicali corn, veggie cup, fruity gelatin, milk.  
Thu: Chicken nuggets, salad, mashed potatoes, grapes, chocolate chip cookies, milk.  
Fri: Pizza, tomato & cucumber cup, baby carrots w/ranch, mandarin oranges, milk.

**Times of the forgotten war**

After a weekend celebrating Ole Jim's birthday where he was surprised with the presentation of a Quilt of Valor for his 20+ years of service in the Air Force, I am ready for some rest.

While gathering information for a time-line of his service beginning during the Korean War, I decided that war would be a good topic even though the truce had been signed before he joined, his brother George, served there in the Marines.

Today called "The Forgotten War" it was a brutal war between North and South Korea which began with the end of WWII when Korea was liberated from Japan and divided at the 38th Parallel. The north went to the Soviet Union and south to the United States. It was decided in five years' time it would be reunited, but the time was shortened with elections held in 1948, Kim Il-sung was elected leader of the north while the south became democratic. Each side wanted Korea to become united but under their own particular ideology which led to several small skirmishes. On June 25, 1950, the North Korean army crossed the 38th Parallel, beginning the conflict.

The United Nations quickly denounced North Korea and called for military assistance for South Korea with most troops supplied by Gen Douglas MacArthur.

The North Koreans quickly pushed the Southern forces to Pusan but Gen MacArthur's planned landing at Inchon on Sept 15 allowed the forces to break free and push the Northern troops deep into North Korea. The American's hoped to end the conflict by Christmas but in Oct the Chinese crossed the Yalu River with their hoards of troops which pushed the Southern army back. Forced to retreat, losing Seoul to the enemy, MacArthur was able to stabilize his army and counterattacked in Feb 1951.

President Truman and Gen MacArthur had conflicting ideas of the war, and MacArthur was relieved of duty on April 11, 1951, and replaced by General Matthew Ridgeway. Gen Ridgeway kept pushing and repelled the Chinese across the 38th Parallel where he halted.

There began the stalemate, peace negotiations began first at Kaesong and later at Panmunjom in July, 1951. I remember the fuss about the table and who would set where. They finally ended that fuss with a round table like King Arthur did with his Knights. The prisoner

exchange didn't go too well, many North Korean and Chinese prisoners refused to leave, preferring a POW camp to home.

It is bitterly cold in the Korean winters and while negotiations were held in comfortable quarters, fighting continued with the battles of Heartbreak Ridge, White Horse, Triangle Hill, and Pork Chop Ridge fought during this time. Many casualties were the result of the cold.

The negotiations finally ended with an armistice on July 27, 1953, three years after the war began but no formal peace treaty was concluded, instead a demilitarized zone about 250 miles long and 2.5 miles wide was created along the 38th Parallel. It remains one of the most heavily materialized areas in the world, 61 years later. Troops still hate Korean winters.

The short war was one of the deadliest with over 40,000 Americans killed and another 100,000 wounded but that is just a beginning. A total of around 5 million people were killed, over half were civilians, more than 1.5 million were Chinese. This is considered the first battle in the Cold War and an effort to prevent the Soviet Union and communism from taking over the world.

South Korea went on to become one of the strongest economies in the world while North Korea remains isolated and building its army.



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Art by Norma Hinkle



Art by Rafael J. Canizares-Yunez

**Putting together a child protection plan**

Hi, gang! If you've got kids, a child protection plan is a must. Here are some guidelines to consider.

A formal child protection plan is one of those things every parent should draft, but that many of us never seem to get around to. Yet it's an absolutely necessity, so that you can specify who you want to act as your child's guardian if there's an emergency, or if you should die suddenly. Most of us have some idea of who we want to act in our stead, and we may make verbal agreements with those we've selected: godparents, grandparents, aunts and uncles. However, the state has its own ideas about child custody, and you can't be sure they'll honor your wishes unless you put them in writing.

Basically, the idea here is not just to head off well-meaning Child Protective Services agencies and get your kids into a good home, but also to make sure your children get what's coming to them in terms of inheritance. You'll need to spell all

those things out precisely in a legal document that you've had witnessed and notarized. The format doesn't really matter; you can lay it out in plain language or legalese, and can print out appropriate forms from the Internet. The important thing is to make sure you have the document reviewed and approved by a family lawyer. Then, you'll want to file copies with that lawyer, if possible, along with the appointed guardians and other interested parties. Put a copy in your safety deposit box at your bank, too.

Common Mistakes: Even those who do prepare protection plans for their children often make mistakes that trip them up, so that the authorities don't always honor their wishes. For example: let's say you appoint a couple to act as your



bob's whittlin'  
by bob watson

guardian. What happens if they break up, or one dies? It's a good idea to include a few alternates, in case the first person(s) you name can't do the job for some reason. Also, be sure to make specific exclusions if there's someone in the family whom you don't want raising your children. In addition to appointing guardians, don't forget that you really need to provide your kids with enough financial resources, if you can, to help them reach adulthood. This may take the form of investments, insurance, and the like. Don't assume the guardians you choose should have to take care of everything. Be sure to assign someone to take care of your children's assets as well.

Finally, you should specify short-term guardians, just in case you get in an accident or become involved in some other emergency. That way, you don't have to worry about CPS or anyone else stepping in unwanted. Your child protection plan will help keep your kids safe.

Stay Safe Out There.

**Plaska fishing trip reels in some fun**

I went fishing on a Sunday with my church. We went to Danny's friend's pond in Plaska and it was really cool. But at any second you could take the wrong step and sink into the mud and your jeans and shoes would be covered in black mud that stunk and it got hard and your jeans would get hard from it. At point me and my cousins cast out our lines and sunk up past our ankles.

And I got two fish, one giant fish and a little ugly fish. We think there were three snapping turtles there. The preacher grilled hot dogs and hamburgers for supper and some people wanted their fish grilled, too.

I really had a lot of fun and hope we can go again sometime. And I appreciate Danny and Preacher Kirk and everyone who helped us go.

**Class of 58' reunion**

The 1958 Class of CHS will meet to celebrate 56-plus years of life after high school on Saturday, October 11, at the Senior Citizen's Center in Clarendon. Join in between 2:00 and 5:00 p.m. for visiting and tall tales.

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**Rich family holds reunion**

By Mina Ivey  
Some family members of Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Rich met Sunday, September 28, 2014, in Clarendon. The reunion was held at the Senior Citizens building. The day was spent visiting, reminiscing, sharing family history, and enjoying a huge, most delicious noon meal.

Those present were Mina Ivey, Christie Carter, Daniel Ray, Kari, and Bailey Curry, Ashlee Holmes, Niki Ratcliff, Blade Barker, Flint Barker, Gene, Jacob, and Caleb Curry, Naomi Tolbert, Martha Jett, Brandon and Shawna Herndon, Chris, Shelina, Gracie, Klay, and Clara Wilkins all of Clarendon. Robert, Starlet, Shelby, and Elvin Taylor all of Canyon, Gabe Curry of Canyon, Linda Whitt of Panhandle,

Sandy Whitlock and James Harp of North Richland Hills, Ray and Tish Harp of Fort Worth, Roy Hinkle of Tahoka, Ruby Dotson of Graham, Cecil and Mary Mich, Cledeall Rich, Mark, Trina, and Kayla Rich, Allen Rich, Jacque Morin, Susan and Aubrie Kirk, Dallas McCroskey, Mary and Charles Denton, Leon Hinkle, and Shawn Barker all of Amarillo, Clandre Hinkle of Amarillo, Duel and Misty Barker of Stinnett, Lacy and Bryson Barker, Evan and Ryder Allen of Borger and Trooper and Pam Barker of Stinnett.

There were only 58 in attendance this year. Attendance was short. We are looking forward to a great crowd next year.

Thanks to those who could make it.

**Les Beaux Art Club holds meeting**

The Les Beaux Art Club had its monthly meeting at the First United Methodist Church, October 3rd. The hostesses were Patsy Tubbs, Glenda Hawkins, Mary Selfridge, Annis Stavenhagen and Bobbie Thornberry.

The meal was delicious. Several were surprised that the sweet potatoes were not sweet potatoes at all, but carrot soufflé' and the coconut cake was actually bread pudding with a coconut sauce.

We welcomed our new members Shoda Cummins and Louella Slater. The upcoming art festival was discussed and Chris Clifford gave out schedules for everyone listing their part in putting on the art festival. It is

a tremendous job and we all have to out do our part.

Remember to get your preferred buyers certificate. This gives you the opportunity to attend a private showing on Thursday night. So if you need art for your home or as a gift this is an excellent opportunity. You can contact Freddie Moreman, 874-2071 or Chris Clifford, 206-6767. The certificate starts at \$100.00.

The art festival will be open to the public Saturday, 25th from 9 to 5 and Sunday, 26th from 11 to 4.

Our next meeting will be December 5th at The Community Fellowship Church.

**Les Beaux Art Club's artist spotlight**

The Clarendon Arts Festival will be October 25 and 26, and featured artists this week are Norma Hinkle and Rafael J. Canizares-Yunez.

Hinkle grew up in Clarendon and taught elementary education. She started painting in 1965, and has painted with Arlis Ayers, Jack Sorenson, Matt Smith, Rick Nichols, Cicy Turner, Amy Winton, Sam Sidders, John Birdsong, and Jerry Yarnell. Her honors include Artist of the Year in Pampa in 2010 and a one man show in November 2010. Her paintings will be on display in the Dumas Art Center beginning October 26 and will be available for viewing until November 22. Norma most recently has been traveling to Amarillo to study under Emin Abbasova, a Russian artist. Norma's work features landscapes, barns, houses, and churches. She also likes to paint cats, as seen in

her piece of featured art.

A native of Columbia, Canizares-Yunez has been an artist for 20 years, and his work has ranged from paintings, sculptures, and works in wood and clay. His latest works are more impressionistic and have been achieved through prayer and meditation. Rafael's work has been featured in over twenty-five exhibits, including two-man shows and seven solo exhibits. Rafael received a Master of Fine Arts degree in 1997 from the Cranbrook Academy of Art. Rafael's work is in several public collections, such as the Allentown Art Museum, Penn State Berks-Lehigh Valley College and Lehigh University Art Galleries. Private collections include those of Ian Martin (Britain, former secretary general of Amnesty International), Dr. Robert Sandoval (Houston) and Mr. Beall and the late Lenny Fowler (Bethlehem, Penn.).

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## Pheasants Forever focus on east Panhandle population

Pampa — Pheasants Forever recently hired Joseph Bauer as the organization's newest Farm Bill Wildlife Biologist in Texas. The position is derived from a partnership between Pheasants Forever, Quail Forever, the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD), and others. Bauer will be based in the NRCS Field Office in Pampa, providing habitat conservation services to Gray, Ochiltree, Lipscomb, Roberts, Hemphill, Wheeler, Donley, and Collingsworth counties.

According to Pheasants Forever's Regional Director, Steve Riley, "Bauer will be working to provide conservation technical assistance to private landowners, farmers, and ranchers. His work will focus on the wildlife aspects of NRCS's mission, which coincide well with those of PF-QF and TPWD, especially focusing on upland bird habitat.

Specifically, Bauer will be working as a part of the team implementing the Lesser Prairie-Chicken Initiative."

Bauer, a native of Atlanta, Ga., earned a bachelor's degree in wildlife management and biology from Stephen F. Austin State University (SFASU). Bauer has enjoyed the outdoors since early childhood and chose to become a wildlife biologist because of his passion for habitat conservation, restoration, and management. Prior to joining Pheasants Forever, Bauer worked on wildlife management areas in Indiana implementing habitat management practices benefiting quail, turkey, and other native wildlife. He also conducted population surveys with the Michigan Department of Natural Resources and SFASU.

"I have always had a strong interest in working with upland birds, so I am especially pleased to be joining Pheasants Forever," noted Bauer, "I am excited to have

the opportunity to work with such a talented team of professionals who work within the partnership and am looking forward to the new challenges and friendships ahead."

Bauer joins two other Pheasants Forever Farm Bill Wildlife Biologists working to restore lesser prairie-chickens, pheasants, and quail populations in Texas. As partnership positions, these wildlife biologists receive daily instruction and leadership from NRCS and additional guidance from TPWD, but are employed and supervised by Pheasants Forever.

Funding is provided by NRCS, TPWD, Pheasants Forever, and other partners. Bauer can be contacted at (806) 678-8634 / JBauer@pheasantsforever.org.

Pheasants Forever Farm Bill Wildlife Biologist Program

Pheasants Forever Farm Bill Wildlife Biologists are specialized consultants in conservation programs and habitat planning. Their purpose

is to assist landowners in designing, developing, and funding habitat improvements on private lands. Farm Bill Wildlife Biologists possess the knowledge of federal, state, and local programs to assist landowners in finding the right program to meet their personal habitat and land use goals. For more information, please contact Steve Riley at sriley@pheasantsforever.org or contact a Farm Bill Biologist in your area.

Pheasants Forever, including its quail conservation division, Quail Forever, is the nation's largest nonprofit organization dedicated to upland habitat conservation. Pheasants Forever and Quail Forever have more than 140,000 members and 745 local chapters across the United States and Canada. Chapters are empowered to determine how 100 percent of their locally raised conservation funds are spent; the only national conservation organization that operates through this truly grassroots structure.


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Day	Date	High	Low	Prec.
Mon	29	84°	54°	-
Tues	30	90°	55°	-
Wed	1	86°	55°	-
Thur	2	74°	42°	-
Fri	3	68°	38°	-
Sat	4	77°	44°	-
Sun	5	85°	46°	-

Total precipitation this month: .51"  
Total precipitation to date: 13.77"

### weekend forecast

 Fri., Oct. 10  
T-Storms  
77° / 52°

 Sat., Oct. 11  
Partly Cloudy  
71° / 52°

 Sun., Oct. 12  
Mostly Sunny  
78° / 53°

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## Junior Art Exhibit At Clarendon Arts Festival

The Clarendon Arts Festival would like to remind area students and children that we are accepting entries for the Junior Art Exhibit at the Donley County Activity Center.

Eligibility is open to any person who is a senior in high school or younger.

Paintings, photography and sculptures may be entered for a non-refundable fee of \$2.00 per item. An artist may enter two items.

Original works only, no prints. Oils, acrylic and egg tempera, framing is desirable but not required. Photography, watercolor, pastel, acrylic used as watercolor, casein,

pen and ink, charcoal and pencil must be matted, framing under glass is desirable but not required. All framed paintings must be provided with sturdy screw eyes and flexible wire. No saw-tooth hangers permitted.

No work will be accepted with a size of more than 1,080 square inches (30x36).

Art must be delivered to the Donley County Activity Center on the afternoons of Sunday, October 19th and Monday, October 20th between 2:00 p. m. and 5:00 p. m. (CST) with entry fees and labels.

Art will be hung in the gallery

October 24th and will remain open to the public until October 26th.

Awards: Best of Show Award will be awarded to one artist. First, second and third place ribbons will be awarded to the following age groups: Kindergarten and Under; Grade 1 – Grade 3; Grade 4 – Grade 5; Grade 6 – Grade 8; and Grade 9 – Grade 12.

Depending on the number of entries, additional sub-categories may be added as determined by the Jurors after all entries are received.

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## Citadelle Art Foundation to host American hero

The Citadelle Art Foundation in Canadian is pleased to host wounded warrior and American hero Army Staff Sergeant Travis Mills, one of only five surviving quadruple amputee soldiers from Afghanistan.

A story of personal struggle, veterans issues and heroism, come celebrate his inspiring journey to recovery in the award-winning documentary, "Travis: A Soldier's Story." Along with a weekend packed with inspirational speaking engagements, a press conference,

meet-n-greet, VIP dinner and the public film screening, this is an opportunity not to be missed in the Texas Panhandle.

Events will span three days, October 16-18, 2014, at The Citadelle Art Foundation in Canadian. Preceded by a ticketed dinner at The Citadelle, the public film screening will be in the Texas Crown Performance Hall Saturday, October 18, 2014, with a question and answer session with Travis Mills immediately after the film.

All veterans are invited to attend the film screening free of charge. The Veteran Patriot Guard Riders and Honor Flag Brigades from veterans groups throughout the Panhandle will be participating in honor flag ceremonies during the weekend.

We invite your participation during this respectful weekend to honor an American soldier.

For more information, please call Wendie Cook at The Citadelle at 806.323.8899.

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**Drugs in the News**  
**Promising Study about Cholesterol-Lowering Medications**  
A recent study showed that people who were taking one of the cholesterol-lowering drugs commonly called "statins" while in the hospital after experiencing a stroke resulting in bleeding in the brain, were four times more likely to survive the condition than people who were not taking the statin. Also, it was determined that people on the statins were more likely to be released from the hospital after thirty days. Those conducting the research caution that more studies are needed before the current standards of practice related to statin use are revised.  
Statins lower cholesterol by blocking an enzyme in the liver called HMG-CoA Reductase. This leads to less production of the bad cholesterol particles. Highly prescribed statins include simvastatin (Zocor), rosuvastatin (Crestor), and atorvastatin (Lipitor). Since statins work in the liver, serious side effects might include liver damage and even muscle damage. Routine lab work is sometimes performed to make sure that the liver enzymes and blood markers are within normal limits.  
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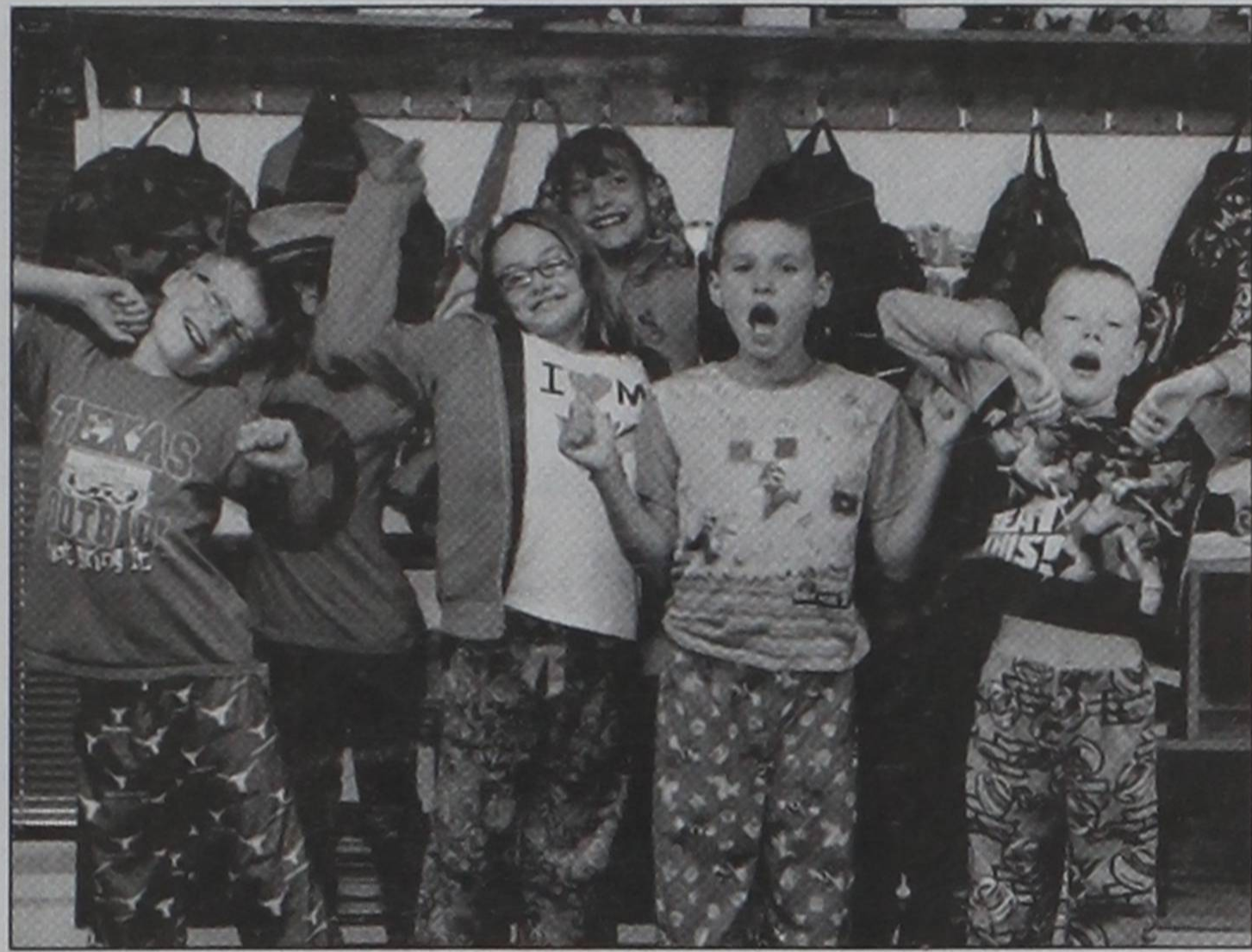
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5th Grade: Ashara Arguello, Matthew Huffman  
8th Grade: Kasie Hinton  
9th Grade: Hannah Branigan, Makinzie Hinton  
10th Grade: Kylee Wood  
11th Grade: Shaylee

Champan, Anna Seifert  
12th Grade: Kevin Munoz  
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2nd Grade: Kyler Booth, Clara Lamb, Koltyn Shields, Janice Valles  
3rd Grade: Shelby Bowman, Liam Branigan, Paris Lamb, Meagan Martin, Steven Mills, Robert Woodard  
4th Grade: Lane Hinton, Kylie Monroe, Hailey Wilson  
5th Grade: Elijah Booth, Kylie McCann, Reese Watt  
6th Grade: Kadee Lockeby, Zachary Wells  
7th Grade: Parla Carreon,

Collin Monrow, Raysha Pineda  
8th Grade: Isaac Booth, Lee Huffman, TJ Leal, Jasmine Lockeby  
9th Grade: Cody Cabler, Tristen Harper, Kallie Lindsey, Nathaniel McCoy, Zarek Mestas, Crystal Ramirez  
10th Grade: Bailey Downingm Brittany Downing, Misti Scott, Karrie Shelp  
11th Grade: Lane Cabler  
12th Grade: Becca Burghart, Leslie Leal

We salute these kids for striving to be the best in our schools. Congratulations and keep studying!  
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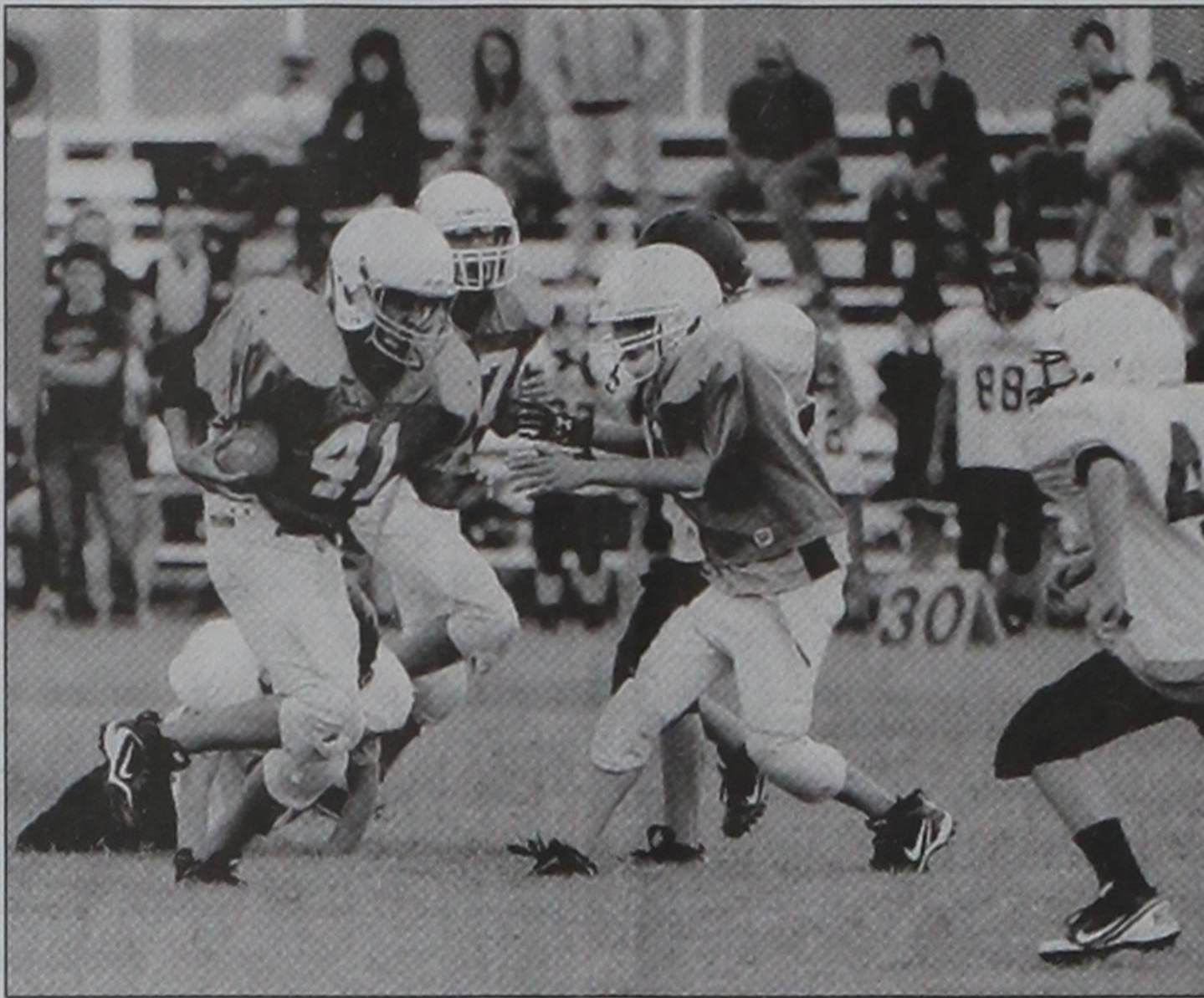




**Sleepy Workers**

Some of the Hedley fourth graders participated in spirit week. Wearing their pajamas on pajama day were Tyler Harper, Skyler Rodríguez, Haley Wilson, Joshua Booth, and Lane Hinton.

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TJ Leal seals up a win for Hedley Junior High in their first home game recently. HJH came away with a 26-13 win.

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**Taxes:** Continued from page one

come to the Appraisal District office early (October-November) in this phase.

If you own property in Donley County and have not received your bill by mid-October, please contact the Donley County Appraisal District's collections department to verify your account information and avoid possible delinquency.

If you did not receive your bill, you are still liable for the taxes. Each year on January 1, a tax lien attaches to all property subject to taxes to secure payment of the tax. The lien exists in favor of the taxing unit(s) having authority to tax the property until the taxes are paid.

The property tax code places the personal liability for the property tax on the owner of the property

on January 1. Further, non-receipt does not affect the validity of the tax. Essentially, if you own property in Texas that is subject to taxation, make sure you are aware of the tax bill amount and the deadline to pay on time.

The District accepts cash, personal check, money orders and cashier's checks. A person can also pay their property taxes online at our website [www.donleycad.org](http://www.donleycad.org). If paying by check, simply detach the stub and mail it with your payment to the address indicated on the stub. If you would like a receipt, please provide a postage paid self-addressed envelope with your payment.

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**Court:** Continued from page one

Salgado is also required to pay \$376 in court costs to Collingsworth County and a \$1,000 fine.

Jessica Silva Rivas was placed on probation for a period of three years for the third degree felony offense of possession of marihuana. Rivas pleaded guilty and was placed on deferred adjudication for the offense.

Rivas, 23-year-old resident of Windsor, Calif., was arrested in Carson County for the offense that took place January 28, 2014 by Danny Dawson. Rivas plead to an information filed by the State on March 24, 2014.

Pursuant to the plea agreement, Rivas is required to pay a \$500 fine to Carson County, \$336 in court costs, \$1,596.50 restitution, and successfully complete 200 hours of community service. If Rivas violates probation, he could face up to 10 years in the Institutional Division of the TDCJ.

In addition to being placed on probation, Rivas' plea of guilty subjects her to her country of origin, which is Mexico.

**Howardwick firemen to fill boots Sunday**

The Howardwick Fire Department will be holding a Fill the Boot campaign to raise money for the Muscular Dystrophy Association this Sunday, October 12, beginning at 9 a.m. Firemen will be stationed near the entrance of Howardwick on Rick Husband Blvd. and would appreciate your support of this effort.

**Elementary reminds parents to bring Tops**

Clarendon Elementary School reminds parents that the Box Top deadline is October 15. Send your Box Tops with any elementary student or drop them off at the elementary office by that date in order for the school to get credit for them this semester.

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To the registered voters of the County of Donley, Texas:  
 (a los votantes registrados del Condado de Donley, Texas.)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m to 7:00 p.m., on Tuesday, November 4, 2014, for voting in a general election to elect presidential electors, the Members of Congress, state and district officers, and Members of the Legislature, and county and precinct offices, as required by Section 3.003 of the Texas Election Code and to adopt or reject the proposed Constitutional Amendments as submitted by the 83<sup>rd</sup> Legislature, 3<sup>rd</sup> Called Session, of the State of Texas.  
 Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales situadas abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m hasta las 7:00 p.m el 4 noviembre de 2014 para votar en la Eleccion General para elegir electores presidencial electors, Miembros del Congreso, Miembros de la legislatura, y oficiales del estado, condado y del precincto y para adoptar o rechazar las enmiendas constitucionales propuestas asi como fueron sometidas por la 83a Legislatura 3a Sesion Especial, del Estado de Texas.

**LOCATION OF POLLING PLACES**  
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 Box 101 - Bairfield Bldg-Clarendon College  
 Box 102 - Howardwick City Hall  
 Box 201 - County Courthouse  
 Box 301 - Assembly of God Fellowship Hall  
 Box 303 - First Baptist Church Hedley  
 Box 401 - Family Life Center-Clarendon Church of Christ

**EARLY VOTING BY PERSONAL APPEARANCE WILL BE CONDUCTED EACH WEEKDAY AT:**  
**DONLEY COUNTY COURTHOUSE ANNEX - CLERKS OFFICE.**

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## Top district 4-H members earn salute

Twenty-seven outstanding 4-H members from the Panhandle area were honored at the 57th annual Gold Star Banquet for District 1 on Oct. 6 at West Texas A&M University in Canyon.

To qualify for the Gold Star Award, the highest 4-H honor at the county level, a 4-H'er must be at least 15 years old, have completed three years of club work, be an active member and complete a record book, said Shawnte Clawson, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension 4-H specialist. 4-H is the youth program of AgriLife Extension.

"The award is intended to stimulate winners to higher

achievement and to encourage other young people to participate in the county 4-H program," Clawson said.

The following recipients were recognized by Brandon Dukes, AgriLife Extension district administrator in Amarillo, and Clawson:

Armstrong County – Alex Eichelmann, McKenna Yauck; Carson County – Jordan Pohnert; Dallam County – Katherine Bezner, Gerret Boer; Deaf Smith County – Cutter Smith; Donley County – Kati Adams; Gray County – Delaney Riggs, Marlee Youree; Hall County – Renee Molloy, Cassy Monzingo; Hansford County – Tyann Hight,

Kailey Whitehead; Moore County – Brady Friese, Rachel Dickey; Ochiltree County – Sarah Huddleston, Jamie Lear; Potter County – Shyanne Bailey, Joanna Lowry, Sean Lowry; Randall County – Clay Burkham, Arianne Cox, Haley Thurman; Sherman County – Adrian du Plessis, Russell Spurlock; Wheeler County – Cassidy Andis, Kayleigh Coomer.

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, North Plains Electric, Swisher Electric Cooperative and Rita Blanca Electric sponsored the annual banquet.

## Skins game to be held at CCC

By Sandy Anderberg

The annual Fall Six-Man Skins game will be held Sunday, October 12 at the Clarendon Country Club at 1:00 p.m. Entries are still being taken at the Pro Shop.

Chris Linguist won low gross in the weekly men's game with a score of 80 and Don Hinton won low net with a handicapped score of 69.

On Saturday, Gail Leathers won low gross with an 87 and Gayle Rogers won low net with a 65 for the 18 holes.

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## Bryce Grahn finishes fourth in CC meet

By Sandy Anderberg

Clarendon varsity runner Bryce Grahn finished fourth in the varsity boy's division of the Canyon Cross Country meet on Saturday.

Grahn received a medal for his effort in the three-mile race. Steven Johnson finished 44th, and Lee Buckhaults was 52nd. Abby Johnson was 28th for the Lady Broncos, and Sarah Williams was 86th. Sklyer White was 94th and Brooke Martin was 99th.

Running for the junior high Colts was Preston Elam 32nd, Gavin Word 33rd, Caton Grahn 56th, Isaac Dunham 58th, Noab Elam 69th, and Tanner Burch 96th. The Colts finished sixth as a team.

Running for the Lady Colts was Kira Weatherton 118th, Mattee Johnson 170th, Darcie Hunsaker 176th, and Braylee Shields 180th.

The next CC meet for the high school will be back in Canyon next Saturday, October 11.

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## Obituaries

### Dickerson

Martha Doris Dickerson, 78, died Thursday, October 02, 2014, in Childress.



Services were held Saturday, October 04, 2014, in Johnson Funeral Home Chapel with Ronnie Shoffner officiating. Burial will be in Hawley Cemetery in Hawley, Tex. Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Funeral Home.

Martha was born on October 27, 1935, in Brice, Tex to Robert Cecil and Alta Irene (Baty) Reed. She married Lloyd "Duck" Dickerson, Jr. on August 17, 1957 in Memphis.

Martha was a giving person who gave food and shelter to anyone who needed it. Over the years, she opened her home and her heart to those less fortunate, providing them not only a warm bed and hot food, but hospitality. She loved to cook, and was a hard worker. Fun-loving and a joker, she was a jolly person who loved to play games, especially

BINGO.

For many years, she was a cook at the nursing home in Clarendon, and worked as a Home Attendant for the Clarendon Home Health. She was baptized in the Lakeview Church of Christ, where she was a member.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 2004, by her parents and by a sister, Dorothy Johnston.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, PO Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718.

She is survived by her three daughters, Jane Odom and husband, Kenneth of Como, Tex, Alice Jones and husband, Darren of Wellington, and Cynthia Heathington and husband, Chris of Childress; two sons Mark Dickerson and wife, Priscilla of Hawley, Tex, Billy Frank Phillips of Clarendon; a Sister - Linda Doss, Childress, Tex; 11 grandchildren, numerous great-grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews and extended family.

### Johnston

James Edward "Slick" Johnston, 86, died Monday, October 6, 2014, in Amarillo.

Graveside services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, October 9, 2014, in Citizens Cemetery in

Clarendon with Don Johnston, officiating.

Burial will follow with US Army Honors will be in Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon.

Arrangements are under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

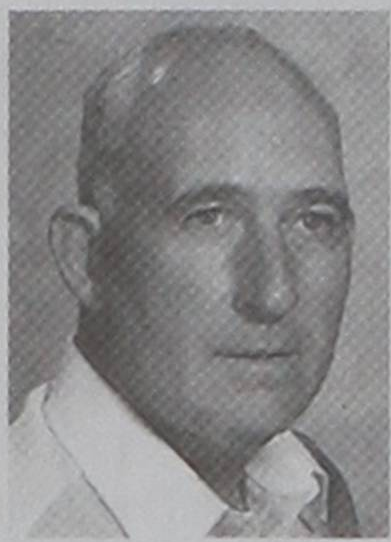
Slick was born April 20, 1928, in Clarendon to Robert and Goldie Johnston. He married Mai Johnston Truong on August 14, 1972, in Vietnam. He had been a US Army veteran and retired after 24 years of service. He had been a resident of Clarendon since 1974.

He was preceded in death by his parents; 3 brothers, Walter, Henry, & William; and a sister, Lucille.

He is survived by his wife, Mai Johnston of Clarendon; a step daughter, Xuan Ho of Austin; a sister in law, Lillian Johnston of Fritch; and several nieces and nephews.

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## Sheriff's Report

### September 29, 2014

11:04 a.m. - EMS assist 5 miles West of Clarendon  
1:44 p.m. - Units paged fire 70 South & Cooke Street  
11:04 p.m. - Requesting fire truck to water down area 70 South & Cooke Street

### September 30, 2014

12:00 a.m. - Loose livestock County Road T  
9:06 a.m. - Out @ Annex  
10:28 a.m. - EMS assist 12600 block Co Rd V  
11:35 a.m. - EMS assist 300 block North McLean

### October 1, 2014

5:53 a.m. - EMS assist 100 block North Sully  
8:54 a.m. - Out @ Annex  
8:55 a.m. - Out @ JP Office  
10:08 a.m. - EMS assist 300 block

North McLean  
11:09 a.m. - See caller 4400 block FM 2162

### October 2, 2014

12:17 a.m. - Courtesy ride to Hall County  
2:31 a.m. - See caller Clarendon College  
6:31 a.m. - See caller northbound Rest Area  
1:40 p.m. - EMS assist Ambulance Station  
2:30 p.m. - EMS assist 1200 block West 3rd  
2:50 p.m. - Out @ Courthouse  
6:46 p.m. - Loose livestock 287 & Rd 17

### October 3, 2014

8:01 a.m. - Loose livestock 287 & Co Rd 17  
9:43 a.m. - Units paged vehicle accident Southside Rest Area  
12:50 p.m. - Report of fight in progress 700 block South McLean

1:21 p.m. - To jail with one in custody  
2:33 p.m. - EMS assist Co Rd 32  
3:04 p.m. - EMS assist EMS Station  
6:08 p.m. - Loose livestock 287 & Co Rd 17  
8:32 p.m. - Welfare check 700 block South McLean

### October 4, 2014

7:30 a.m. - See caller 8 miles west of Clarendon  
3:08 a.m. - EMS assist 300 block South McLean

### October 5, 2014

2:08 p.m. - See caller 700 block South McLean  
2:45 p.m. - Loose livestock 287 & Co Rd 17  
5:17 p.m. - EMS assist 800 block West 2nd  
8:08 p.m. - EMS assist Clarendon College  
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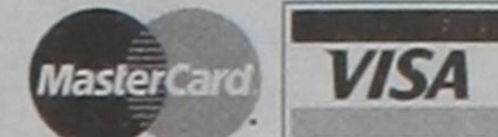
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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Geraldine Land, Deceased, were issued on September 30, 2014, under Docket No. CRP-14-03101, pending in the County Court of Donley County, Texas, to Darlene Sue Masters. Claims may be presented in care of the Independent Executor of the estate, addressed as follows: Estate of Geraldine Land, Deceased c/o Darlene Sue Master, Independent Executor 800 N. Davis # 8 Weatherford, OK 73096 All persons having claims against this estate, which is currently being administered, are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. Dated: September 30, 2014 [s] Darlene Sue Masters

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The school is set from 6-8 p.m., but the doors will open at 5 p.m. so participants can visit exhibits and local vendors, according to Amy Wagner, AgriLife Extension family and consumer science agent for Randall County.

Local celebrity Chef Chad Lardie from Embers will provide a cooking demonstration. Additional cooking demonstrations and tips will be provided by Wagner and AgriLife Extension family and consumer service agents Calley Runnels, Swisher County; Molly Forman, Briscoe and Hall counties; Amalia

Mata, Deaf Smith County; Felice Acker, Castro County; Jill Killian, Sherman County; and Lizabeth Gresham, Prairie View A&M Extension agent in Potter County.

"Our demonstration recipes are cost effective, easy to prepare and fit into a healthy meal plan," Wagner said. "In today's fast-paced lifestyle, nutrition and exercise don't have to be on the back burner. Dinner Tonight! is designed to help busy families enjoy healthy and delicious meals, and we even provide fitness tips to help people become more active."

During the cooking school, everyone will see demonstrations of quick and easy-to-make recipes from the 31-page Dinner Tonight! cookbook. Each participant will be provided a copy of the cookbook in their registration bag, which will be packed with a variety of items, she

said. The unique cookbook contains 14 meal plans, and all recipes include an entrée, sides and dessert – "perfect for busy families," Wagner said.

"We are targeting busy people who still want to make time for meal preparation and feel good about what they are feeding themselves and their family," she said. "Our goals are to promote family mealtime, teach families healthy meal planning and food preparation techniques and promote Texas agriculture."

The cost is \$15 and a can of food. The canned food will be donated to the High Plains Food Bank in Amarillo. There are a limited number of seats available. Seats can be reserved by calling the AgriLife Extension office for Potter County at 806-373-0713. For additional information, contact Wagner at 806-468-5543, [aewagner@ag.tamu.edu](mailto:aewagner@ag.tamu.edu).

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