

Local kids will show livestock Saturday

Clarendon's 2013 County Fair will be held at the Clarendon County Fairgrounds on Saturday, August 10, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The fair will feature a variety of livestock shows, including cattle, horses, sheep, and goats. There will also be a pigpen, a chicken show, and a turkey show. The fair is free and open to the public. For more information, call 806-251-1234.

Cities to consider rules on alcohol

Clarendon, Donley, and Garfield counties are considering new rules regarding alcohol sales. The rules would require retailers to obtain a license to sell alcohol and would limit the hours of operation for alcohol sales. The rules would also require retailers to display alcohol in a secure container. The rules are expected to be adopted by the county commissioners in the next few weeks.

Seven local government

The seven local governments in Clarendon County are: Clarendon, Donley, Garfield, Haskell, Mitchell, Sherman, and Woodward counties. Each county has its own set of laws and regulations. The county commissioners are responsible for overseeing the operations of the local governments.

Small farms fading across Texas as trend co

Small farms are fading across Texas as a trend continues. The number of small farms in Texas has declined significantly in recent years. This is due to a variety of factors, including the loss of land to large agribusinesses, the consolidation of farms, and the migration of young people away from rural areas. The loss of small farms is a concern for many in the agricultural community.

Clark's effort to be

Clark's effort to be a better citizen is a testament to his dedication to his community. Clark has spent countless hours volunteering at the local library and participating in community events. He has also worked to improve the local economy by starting a small business. Clark's efforts have made a significant impact on the community.

Local GOP candidates sound off in forum

Local GOP candidates for the upcoming election gathered for a forum on Tuesday night. The forum was held at the Clarendon County Courthouse and was moderated by local news anchor John Smith. The candidates discussed their views on a variety of issues, including the economy, education, and healthcare. The forum was well-attended and provided a valuable opportunity for voters to hear from the candidates.

City drafting rules on alcohol sales

The City of Clarendon is currently drafting rules regarding alcohol sales. The rules would require retailers to obtain a license to sell alcohol and would limit the hours of operation for alcohol sales. The rules would also require retailers to display alcohol in a secure container. The city council is expected to vote on the rules in the next few weeks.

Curbing plan at city street project

The city is planning to curb traffic at a major street project. The project involves the construction of a new bridge over the Clarendon River. The city is concerned that the project will increase traffic volume and lead to congestion. To address this concern, the city is planning to implement a curbing plan that will include the construction of additional lanes and the installation of traffic signals.

CC now offering

Clarendon County is now offering a variety of new services to its residents. These services include a new online portal for residents to access government services, a new mobile app for reporting issues, and a new website for the county's social media channels. The county is committed to providing the highest quality of service to its residents.

Job well done

The Clarendon County Sheriff's Office has successfully completed a major operation. The operation involved the arrest of several individuals who were suspected of being involved in a series of crimes. The sheriff's office is proud of the hard work and dedication of its officers and staff.

Local boards still signing up candidates

Local boards are still signing up candidates for the upcoming election. The boards are responsible for reviewing the qualifications of candidates and determining whether they are eligible to run for office. The boards are currently accepting applications for a variety of positions, including city council members, school board members, and county commissioners.

Two Mood drives to be held next week

Two Mood drives will be held next week in Clarendon County. The drives are being organized by the local Mood Chapter and are intended to raise funds for the organization. The drives will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday nights. The Mood Chapter is a local organization that provides support and resources for individuals who are struggling with mental health issues.

Clarendon faces

Clarendon County is facing a number of challenges in the coming months. These challenges include a projected budget deficit, a decline in the local economy, and a loss of population. The county commissioners are working to address these challenges and are seeking input from the community.

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CHS athlete

Clarendon High School (CHS) has a star athlete who has excelled in a variety of sports. The athlete has been named to the All-State team and has won several awards. The athlete's success is a testament to his hard work and dedication to his sport.

Early vote in runoff starts on Monday

Early voting in the runoff election will begin on Monday. Voters are encouraged to vote early to avoid long lines on election day. The runoff election will be held on Tuesday, and the results will be announced on Wednesday.

Wilson Cattle

Wilson Cattle is a leading producer of high-quality beef cattle. The company has a long history of excellence and is committed to providing the highest quality of beef to its customers. Wilson Cattle is a family-owned business and is proud to be a part of the Clarendon County community.

City's

The City of Clarendon is currently working on a number of projects. These projects include the construction of a new bridge over the Clarendon River, the installation of new streetlights, and the improvement of the city's parks and recreation facilities. The city is committed to providing the highest quality of services to its residents.

es Liner, Wood as top seniors of 2014

Two individuals have been named as the top seniors of 2014. The individuals are a student from Clarendon County and a student from Donley County. They were recognized for their academic achievements and leadership skills.

Canyon museum to display work of late Clarendon artist

The Canyon Museum is planning to display the work of a late Clarendon artist. The artist's work is a testament to his talent and creativity. The museum is proud to be able to showcase the artist's work to the community.

Kids' College classes begin on Monday at CC

Clarendon County College (CC) is offering a variety of college classes for high school students. The classes are designed to help students get a head start on their college education. The classes are held on Monday nights and are free of charge.

Deadline near for citywide garage sale

The deadline for the citywide garage sale is near. The sale is being held on Saturday and is intended to raise funds for the city's parks and recreation facilities. The sale is open to all residents and is a great opportunity to declutter your home.

Never forget

Never forget the sacrifices of our military veterans. The Clarendon County Veterans Center is a place where veterans can find support and resources. The center is a testament to the community's commitment to its veterans.

Cattle conference set in Wichita Falls

A cattle conference is being held in Wichita Falls. The conference is intended to provide producers with the latest information on the cattle market and to discuss the challenges facing the industry. The conference is a valuable opportunity for producers to network and learn from each other.

State plans three

The state is planning three major projects. These projects include the construction of a new highway, the installation of new water treatment facilities, and the improvement of the state's parks and recreation facilities. The state is committed to providing the highest quality of infrastructure to its residents.

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Ready for play

The Clarendon County Youth Center is ready for play. The center is a place where children can find fun and excitement. The center is open to all children and is a great place to spend your free time.

States to hold shoot

States are planning to hold a shoot. The shoot is intended to raise funds for the state's parks and recreation facilities. The shoot is open to all residents and is a great opportunity to support your state.

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Regents consider FY '15 budget

The State Regents are considering the FY '15 budget. The budget is a plan for the state's financial future and is a key document for the state's leadership. The regents are working to ensure that the budget is balanced and that the state's resources are used wisely.

CC library to host

The Clarendon County library is hosting a variety of events. These events include book clubs, author readings, and children's storytimes. The library is a great place to spend your free time and to learn something new.

Saving Sophie

Saving Sophie is a heartwarming story about a young girl who is determined to save her dog. The story is a testament to the power of love and the strength of a young girl's determination. The story is a great read for children and adults alike.

School supplies to be distributed

School supplies will be distributed to students in need. The supplies include notebooks, pencils, and backpacks. The distribution is being held at the Clarendon County Courthouse and is open to all students in need.

Back to basics

Back to basics is a new initiative that is focused on providing the highest quality of education to all students. The initiative is a testament to the community's commitment to its children's education.

School children to be

School children are being encouraged to participate in a variety of activities. These activities include sports, arts, and music. The activities are a great way for children to learn and to have fun.

The Love of Jesus

The Love of Jesus is a heartwarming story about a young boy who is determined to spread the love of Jesus. The story is a testament to the power of faith and the strength of a young boy's determination. The story is a great read for children and adults alike.

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Clarendon sales tax revenue increases

Clarendon County's sales tax revenue has increased significantly. This is a testament to the county's economic growth and the success of its businesses. The county is proud to be a part of the state's economic success.

Proper salute

A proper salute is a sign of respect and honor. The Clarendon County Veterans Center is a place where veterans can find support and resources. The center is a testament to the community's commitment to its veterans.

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Sawyer defeats Rattan in race for Pct. 4 commissioner

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2014: The Year In Review

January 2, 2014

Fire sends man to hospital

A mid-day structure fire severely injured a Donley County man December 17.

Clarendon Fire Chief Jeremy Powell said volunteer firemen were paged about 1:23 p.m. that day to a report of smoke northwest of the city.

Donley County Sheriff Butch Blackburn got the victim to safety while several rounds of ammunition were exploding inside the structure. Firemen found the structure fully engulfed, and the blaze also started a grassfire that burned 20 to 30 acres, Powell said.

January 9, 2014

Cities consider alcohol rules

Two months after Donley County voters approved the sale of alcoholic beverages, local businesses are still waiting for city governments to take action on the subject.

Voters authorized the sale of all alcoholic beverages, including mixed drinks, on November 5, 2013, but the cities of Clarendon and Hedley have not yet adopted rules governing such sales. That may change soon, however.

Clarendon officials will meet with representatives of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission on Friday afternoon, January 10, at 3:00 to discuss what the city can do and what other cities have done.

January 16, 2014

Committee forming to plan decorations for courthouse

Local volunteers are being sought to make plans for decorating the Donley County Courthouse for Christmas this year.

The county commissioners' court last month appointed Justice of the Peace Denise Bertrand to recruit and organize a volunteer committee to decorate the lawn in 2014 and forward. And the hope is that the lawn will be lit in a manner to give the respect and dignity the historic courthouse deserves.

January 16, 2014

Stock show nets \$55k

Koyt Tucek and Kati Adams exhibited the top animals in the Beef Division during the annual Donley County Junior Livestock Show last Saturday, January 11, at the Donley County Activity Center.

Tucek showed the Grand Champion Steer, and Adams had the Grand Champion Heifer.

January 23, 2014

CC offering Amarillo class

Clarendon College has opened its Amarillo cosmetology center with its first group of students this month and will start a second group next month, according to information presented to the Board of Regents' meeting last Thursday, January 16.

January 23, 2014

Curbing plan at center of city street project debate

Clarendon Aldermen debated curbing plans for streets slated to be paved this year during their regular meeting last Tuesday, January 14.

City voters in May of 2012 approved a bond election that authorized \$700,000 for street improvements, but the project was delayed when the board of aldermen later authorized an additional \$700,000 in tax revenue notes to replace water and sewer lines under the targeted streets.

At last week's meeting, Mayor Larry Hicks and city engineer Clayton Scales of KSA Engineers presented aldermen with plans for curbing for the street project. As presented, the project would narrow the streets down to 32 feet wide and use mostly "rollover" curbs to define the streets.

January 30, 2014

Fire damages rural home

Several personal possessions and a family dog was lost during a house fire on County Road W this week.

Clarendon Fire Chief Jeremy Powell said his department was paged to the fire Monday, January 27, at 10:41 a.m. and were on the scene by 10:55. The home which is owned by Jim Mitchell was being rented by Joel Layton.

Powell said a female and child were inside the residence when the home caught fire and were unable to suppress the fire and were forced to evacuate and call 911.

February 6, 2014

City okays rules governing alcohol sales

City Hall has signed five applications for alcohol sales permits following last Tuesday's passage of an alcohol ordinance by the Board of Aldermen.

Mayor Pro-tem Will Thompson presided in the absence of Mayor Larry Hicks as Ordinance 426 was unanimously approved by the board after questions over distances and measuring were addressed with the city attorney.

The law allows for alcohol sales along US 287 within the city, along State Hwy. 70 from US 287 to the north city limit, and in the Central Business District. Sales are prohibited within 300 feet of the main house of worship of a church, a public or private school, and licensed daycare or child care facilities. Variances may be applied for.

Most measurements will be done from front door to front door in straight lines along street fronts, but measurements from schools will be done in a straight line from property line to property line.

February 13, 2014

GOP candidates sound off

Republican candidates for county office sounded off during a public

forum last week as voters prepare for the start of early voting next Tuesday, February 18.

Voters heard from all unopposed candidates first before the floor was turned over to candidates who are facing opposition with each of them given seven minutes to speak. With their statements and questions from those in attendance, most of the evening was given over to the four men running for county judge.

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February 20, 2014

Hardaway accepts plea deal on assault

A man accused of attacking a Clarendon woman has been sentenced to prison after accepting a plea agreement in district court last Monday, February 10.

Devonte Deshun Hardaway was convicted and sentenced to 10 years in the Institutional Division of Texas Department of Criminal Justice for the second degree felony offense of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

According to published reports, a 17-year-old woman was severely beaten and stabbed early Sunday morning, November 3. Sheriff Butch Blackburn said the woman, identified by social media sources as Shantel Harris, was walking home from a birthday party when she was attacked in a vacant lot near the North Ward Park and beaten and stabbed in the neck.

February 27, 2014

Beer now available at stores

The natural drought still lingers, but Clarendon long "dry" spell came to an end last Thursday, February 13, with the first package sales of beer since 1902.

More than three months after Donley County voters approved a local option to legalize the sale of alcoholic beverages, Budweiser trucks rolled up to Allsup's convenience store and Lowe's Family Center to stock coolers that had been running in anticipation for weeks.

Allsup's sold the first beer in the city to Billy Curry and Danny Nugent at 11:25 Thursday morning, and sales since then have been brisk, the store says.

March 6, 2014

City finalizes street project

The Clarendon Board of Aldermen are expected to consider bids on a street curbing and paving project next month after they approved the scope of the project last Tuesday, February 25.

City engineer Clayton Scales reviewed plans for the project, and the board discussed curb placements and street widths. Officials will likely place bid notices for the project next week with bids tentatively being due back to

City Hall by April 1 for board consideration on April 8.

The project will include Sixth Street from Koogle to Goodnight Street; Third Street from Allen to Bugbee Avenue; Allen Street, from Third to Fifth; Sims Street from Third to Fourth (west side of Bronco Stadium); Carhart Street, from Sixth to Hwy. 287; and Wood Avenue.

March 6, 2014

Runoff election for Howard, Bond

The four-way race for Donley County Judge came down to Dr. John Howard and Randy Bond after no candidate received more than 50 percent of the vote in the Republican Primary Tuesday.

Howard and Bond will square off in a May 27 runoff election, and the winner will have no Democratic opposition in November.

Howard was the top vote getter with 353 but only got 40.4 percent of the total votes. Bond was second with 230 followed by Jack Craft with 152 and Gary Campbell with 138.

In the race for the Republican nomination for Precinct 2 County Commissioner, Daniel Ford was the clear winner and avoided a runoff with 178 votes compared to 96 for Mitchell Martin and 26 for John Grady.

March 13, 2014

Clarendon EDC awards 17th storefront grant

A local business' renovation more than six months in the making has been capped off with new doors paid for in part by a grant from the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation.

Robertson Funeral Directors at 212 S. Sully received \$1,627.50 as the 17th award under the CEDC's popular Façade Grant Program, and this mark's the programs first award that is not on Kearney Street.

Chuck Robertson said the CEDC money specifically helped pay for the purchase and installation of custom-made doors for the funeral home as well as some glass work. The business has also repainted its awning and exterior as part of a complete remodeling.

March 20, 2014

CEDC working with museum to expand hours

The Saints' Roost Museum is now open for business five days a week thanks to a new partnership between the Museum and the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation.

Madeline Black began working March 1 at the Museum on, which can now be visited Tuesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

"We want to welcome Madeleine Black to our team and look forward to working with her," said Museum President Derlene Graham. "We look forward to working with CEDC to make improvements and make our commu-

nity proud."

March 20, 2014

Mulkey Project moving forward

The Clarendon Economic Development Corporation embarked on Phase 2 of the Mulkey Project this week, authorizing Pioneer General Contractors to proceed with the first interior renovations of the theatre.

Phase 2 work will focus on restoring the 1946 building's lobby, ticket booth, and restrooms and is expected to cost a maximum of \$148,515.

Funding for this work will come from the Clarendon Hotel Occupancy Tax fund, CEDC funds, and funds donated privately to the Clarendon Community Fund.

March 27, 2014

City to welcome 2,000 visitors Saturday

Clarendon will be bustling with people this weekend when the annual Clarendon College Invitational Judging Contest is held Saturday.

The contest doubles the town's population and regularly attracts around 2,000 high school FFA students and 4-H students from around Texas and nearby states and as of Tuesday afternoon more than 1,663 students had pre-registered, which is higher than last year at this point. This number doesn't include the hundreds of parents and coaches who accompany the students to the contest.

According to the 2010 US Census, Clarendon has a population of 2,026.

April 3, 2014

City hikes trash rates in face of rising costs

Garbage rates in the City of Clarendon will be going up eight percent as the city tries to keep up with rising costs of the service, and water rates may be going up soon also.

At their regular meeting last Tuesday, the Board of Aldermen approved the trash increase, which City Hall says will amount to about \$1.39 per month for most residential customers.

City leaders also began consideration of raising and restructuring water rates last week.

Greenbelt Water Authority General Manager Bobbie Kidd told aldermen that the wholesale cost the city pays for water has gone up several times since Clarendon last adjusted rates in 2009. And, Kidd said, at that point the city did not raise rates but only lowered the base usage from 5,000 gallons to 2,000 gallons.

April 10, 2014

Remains positively identified, new charges filed

Bryan Police this afternoon confirmed that two bodies recovered from an arson in that city are indeed those of former Clarendon residents Noel Devin and her father, Dr. Thomas Mac Devin.

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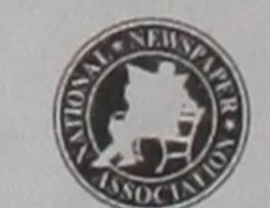
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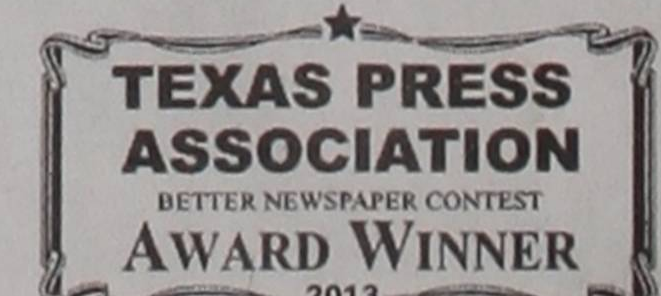
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2014: 5K raises playground cash

Dennis Wayne Brown III was served at approximately 1:47 p.m. with arrest warrants for Burglary of a Habitation and Arson in the First Degree for the fire at Noel Devin's home in Bryan. Brown was already being held on a charge of Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle.

A medical examiner has positively identified Noel Devin, age 32, of Bryan and Thomas Mac Devin, age 63, of College Station.

April 17, 2014 Clarendon ISD preparing for tornado safety

After several trial runs, Clarendon public school students had their first unannounced tornado drill Tuesday morning, taking advantage of improved shelter facilities.

In less than seven minutes, 350 students from Pre-Kindergarten through junior high as well as teachers and other school personnel were safely ensconced in an area under the school cafeteria and library known by alumni as "the bomb shelter."

Meanwhile, 125 high school students and other personnel got to safety in the high school basement in about three minutes.

Clarendon ISD Superintendent Monty Hysinger said the shelter provides ample room for students to get situated by class and for teachers to take roll.

April 17, 2014 Dinner to support CC judges going 'down under'

The Clarendon College Meats Judging Team has had three members qualify to attend a global competition in Australia this summer.

Scotta Faulkenberry, Cody Shannon, and Morgan Boyer, along with their coach Tate Corliss, will take part in the Australian Intercollegiate Meat Judging (ICMJ) Contest in Armidale, New South Wales, for two weeks in July.

The students were invited to this competition due to their membership on the Academic All-American First Team for the "A" division. Of the 5 students on this team, 3 will represent Clarendon College.

April 17, 2014 Jones 5K raises funds for playground

A new playground is on the horizon for Clarendon's Prospect Park following the success of last Saturday's second annual Chance Mark Jones Memorial 5K.

The Clarendon Lions Club hosted the event and announced that they had secured the \$33,000 needed to purchase and install the new equipment.

Plans call for a bed of woodchips to be installed for safety around the new playground, but a grant application is pending that, if awarded, would pay for a more permanent and safer rubberized surface.

April 24, 2014 CC signs deal with wind farm for \$800k

A wind energy company will pay Clarendon College more than \$800,000 in direct payments and other contributions in lieu of property taxes.

CC Regents approved the deal with Cielo Land & Cattle, doing business as Salt Fork Wind, during their regular meeting Thursday, April 17. The proposed wind farm will be located along Interstate 40 in the northwestern corner of Donley County.

CC President Robert Riza said the company had agreed to pay \$800,000 cash in equal payments over a ten-year period. In addition, Cielo will cover any legal fees associated with the agreement and provide scholarships to CC students.

April 24, 2014

District convention recognizes local Lions

The Clarendon Lions Club received high honors Saturday when fellow Lions from all over the Texas Panhandle congregated here for the District 2-T1 Convention.

District Governor Ryan Hodge presented the Lions Legacy award to the Clarendon club for its dedication to Lionism, community service, and help given to put on this year's convention.

DG Hodge noted that this is only the second time that the award had been given to an entire club.

April 31, 2014

Family affair at State Meet

Cousins Sarah Luttrell and Abby Johnson are headed to the state track meet with recent accomplishments in the Regional Track Meet held in Levelland.

Luttrell competed and qualified in the 100-meter dash and Johnson qualified in the 400-meter dash. Bronco Charles Mason earned a wildcard spot in the long jump and qualified for the state meet.

April 31, 2014

H'wick pair nabbed for burglary

Two Howardwick residents were in the Donley County Jail for burglarizing the Sandell Drive-In as the Enterprise went to press Tuesday.

Sheriff Butch Blackburn said Brenda Blevins and Jeffrey Wyrick were arrested Monday, April 28, for Possession of Stolen Property after officers executed a search warrant at their home at 258 Palacia Drive in Howardwick.

April 31, 2014

Chamber honors Carters, Hall

The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce honored Steve and Janet Carter as its Man and Woman of the Year for 2013 during an awards dinner last Thursday, April 24, at the Bairfield Activity Center.

Ten people were honored by the Chamber, including the Carters and Donley County Judge Jack Hall, who received the Chamber's highest honor, the Saints' Roost Award.

May 8, 2014

CHS names top students

Clarendon High School this week announced that Deborah Howard and Darbe Woodard are the top students of the Class of 2013.

Howard is this year's Valedictorian with a GPA of 98.00. Deborah is the daughter of Bruce and Gwynne Howard. Woodard is this year's Salutatorian, and she is the daughter of Bobby Woodard and Amy Rowell. Darbe has a GPA of 96.38.

May 15, 2014

HHS names top students

Hedley High School has named Kristen Nicole Liner and Bailey Brook Wood as the top students for the Class of 2014, and both will be recognized during graduation ceremonies May 31.

Liner, the granddaughter of Chris and Teresa Liner, is the Valedictorian of the Class of 2014. Kristen has an average of 95.76. Wood is the Salutatorian and is the daughter of Ty Wood and Patrice Wood and has an average of 95.08.

May 15, 2014

CHS athletes in top ten at state

Three Clarendon High School athletes earned the right to compete in the State Track Meet in Austin last weekend, and they all represented their school and community well, finishing in the top ten of their events.

Charles Mason is the fifth best long jumper in the state as he went a distance

of 21'5/4" on his second attempt. Abby Johnson ran the 400-meter dash and finished seventh with a time of 1:01.74. Senior Sarah Luttrell finished a respectable eighth place in that event with a time of 12.85. The winning time posted was 11.51.

May 22, 2014

City aldermen discuss truck purchases

Clarendon city aldermen approved purchasing two new pickups during their regular meeting last Tuesday, May 13.

The purchase of the Ford pickups for \$21,500 was approved on a 4-1 vote, with Alderman Doug Kidd voting against the measure. Kidd later said he would have preferred to wait until the new budget year for any more major purchases.

Alderman Larry Jeffers voted for the measure but said in the future he would prefer to see bid notices put in the local paper for the sake of transparency, whether it is legally required or not. According to state law, cities don't have to give publish a bid notice if the purchase is less than \$50,000.

May 29, 2014

Howard defeats Bond

Dr. John Howard is set to be the next judge of Donley County following Tuesday's Republican runoff election.

Howard received 58.9 percent of the vote over Donley County Chief Deputy Randy Bond. The final tally was 412 for Howard and 288 for Bond.

With no Democratic opponent for November's General Election, Howard is set to succeed County Judge Jack Hall, who is retiring at the end of his current term after more than 17 years in office.

May 29, 2014

Mulkey draws crowd

Fair weather greeted hundreds of supporters of the Mulkey Theatre Saturday evening when Clarendon held its second annual Mulkey Block Party.

Several kids' activities were available as well as food booths, and a temporary screen and projector allowed cartoons to be shown inside the theatre with popcorn and drinks available at the concession area. It was the first movies on a big screen in the Mulkey in nearly 30 years and the first time the smell of fresh popcorn wafted through the lobby since 1986.

June 5, 2014

City turns focus to street job

City workers this week began work on the long-awaited paving plan that was approved by voters in 2012. Work began on Sixth Street, in keeping with what city aldermen were told last Tuesday that the order of work would be Sixth, Parks, Carhart, Jackson, and Third streets.

The city expects the job to take 120 days during the months of June, July, August, and September.

June 12, 2014

CEDC to help fund survey of CC Impact

The Clarendon Economic Development Corporation will provide half the funding needed to conduct a study of the economic impact of Clarendon College following Monday's meeting of the CEDC board.

CC President Robert Riza said the study, conducted by the private firm EMSI, will look at value the college has to its eight-county service area and to Clarendon in particular by examining payroll, purchasing, student spending, and other factors such as event hosting. The survey will also gather information to see what workforce skills are needed in the area.

The CC study will cost \$9,900, and the CEDC will provide \$4,950 for the information.

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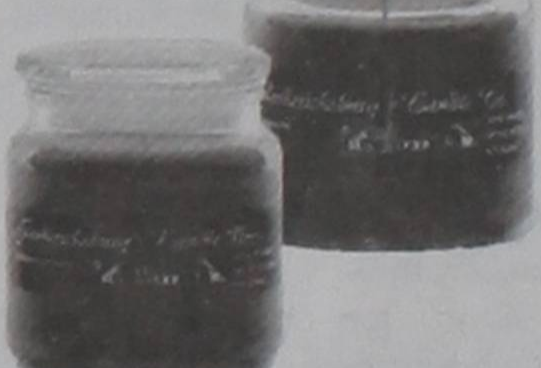
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December 24
Christmas Eve

December 25
Christmas Day

December 30
Lady Owls & Owls v Chillicothe • 1 p.m. • Chillicothe

January 2
Lady Broncos & Broncos v Fritch • 2 & 3:30 p.m. • Fritch

January 5
Lady Bulldogs v Connors State College • 2 p.m. • Dawg House

January 6
Lady Broncos & Broncos v White Deer • JV 4 & 5 p.m. • Varsity 6:30 & 8 p.m. • Clarendon

Lady Owls & Owls v Shamrock • 6 p.m. • Hedley

January 9
Lady Broncos v Quanah • JV 5 p.m. • Varsity 6:30 p.m. • Clarendon

Lady Owls & Owls v Lefors • 6:30 p.m. • Hedley

January 10
Lady Bulldogs & Bulldogs v Howard College • 2 & 4 p.m. • Dawg House

January 12
Lady Bulldogs & Bulldogs v South Plains College • 5:45 & 7:45 p.m. • Dawg House

January 13
Broncos v Ascension Academy • JV 6 p.m. • Varsity 7:30 p.m. • Amarillo

Lady Broncos v Wheeler • JV 5 p.m. • Varsity 6:30 p.m. • Wheeler

Lady Owls & Owls v Silverton • 6:30 p.m. • Silverton

January 16
Lady Broncos & Broncos v Memphis • JV 4 & 5 p.m. • Varsity 6:30 & 8 p.m. • Clarendon

Lady Owls & Owls v Groom • 6:30 p.m. • Hedley

January 19
Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Bulldogs v Western Texas College • 7:45 p.m. • Dawg House

January 20
Lady Broncos & Broncos v Shamrock • JV 4 & 5 p.m. • Varsity 6:30 & 8 p.m. • Clarendon

Lady Owls & Owls v McLean • 6:30 p.m. • Hedley

January 23
Lady Broncos & Broncos v Wellington • JV 4 & 5 p.m. • Varsity 6:30 & 8 p.m. • Wellington

Lady Owls & Owls v Valley • 6:30 p.m. • Valley

★ Menus

December 29 - 31

Donley County Senior Citizens
Mon: Chopped steak, mushrooms, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, wheat roll, iced tea/2% milk.
Tue: Pinto beans with ham, breaded zucchini, tossed salad, cherry crisp, iced tea/2% milk.
Wed: Sloppy Joe on a bun, baker potato, corn, cookie, sliced peaches, iced tea/2% milk.

Hedley Senior Citizens
Mon: Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, brownie, bun, iced tea/2% milk.
Tue: Chicken & dumplings, fried squash, tossed salad, cake, roll, iced tea/2% milk.
Wed: Enchilada, pinto beans, fried squash, chips, tossed salad, peach cobbler, iced tea/2% milk.

2014: Church celebrates centennial

June 19, 2014
Robertson honored for 50 years on CC board

Clarendon College Regent Delbert Robertson was honored for more than 50 years of service during the annual Community College Association of Texas Trustees meeting in San Antonio recently.

Robertson was appointed to fill an unexpired term in 1962 at the age of 28 and was later elected to his own full term in 1964. A half of century of service is rare on any board and more so on community college boards.

June 19, 2014
City to adopt new water rate structure

In their regularly scheduled meeting on June 10, 2014, the Clarendon Board of Aldermen began consideration of a new water rate structure designed to bring in more revenue and encourage conservation while protecting small water users from higher rates.

The overall philosophy of the rate increase is "Use More Pay More." The proposed rate increase will create a projected surplus of \$21,000, but 34 percent of water customers (303 accounts) who use only the base 2,000 gallons or less would see no increase in their water bills. The next largest segment, 23 percent of customers (207 accounts) who use 3,000 to 5,000 gallons, would see only a slight increase.

June 26, 2014
CC launches RN program

The first LVN to ADN bridge cohort at Clarendon College started classes Monday morning in Pampa. Dr. Robert Riza, president of CC, welcomed the students and shared his excitement about this being the first class in the new ADN program at CC.

Twenty students from all around the Panhandle make up this first cohort. After successful completion of their courses next summer, these students will sit for the RN exam.

June 26, 2014
Church celebrates centennial

The Clarendon Church of Christ will celebrate its 100th anniversary this Sunday with a special service.

Members of the Church of Christ began worshipping in 1914 in Clarendon, Texas. The small number grew to 14 members in 1917 and worshipped in the T.M. Little home at the end of Carhart Street. The present congregation is very active in teaching through the World Bible School and in helping the Navajo nation teach their people the Bible.

July 3, 2014
CISD inks appraisal limitation deal with wind farm

Clarendon ISD is the latest local entity to sign an agreement hoping to benefit from a proposed wind farm in northwestern Donley County.

Superintendent Monty Hysinger said the project under development by Cielo Wind Energy, doing business as Salt Fork Wind, LLC, will be valued at between \$120 million and \$140 million for the portion that lies in the local school district, but the agreement will limit the appraised value of the project at \$5 million.

Clarendon schools would still levy its ad valorem tax on the \$5 million, generating \$58,500 in new revenue for the district. In addition, Salt Fork would pay the district directly \$100 per student per year, a deal worth \$40,000 to \$45,000 annually.

July 3, 2014
Two hospitalized after accident here

Three local people were injured – two seriously – during a car accident on US 287 in Clarendon Saturday evening, June 26.

According to records of the Donley County Sheriff's Office, Gina Canon was

driving a 2014 Chrysler when she rear-ended a 2003 Toyota Sequoia driven by Dude Cornell and carrying Ruth Hancock at about 7:41 p.m.

The report by Deputy Mike Spier says that Cornell, age 86, was eastbound in the lefthand lane of US 287 near the intersection of US 70 South when Canon, age 34, did not swerve in time and hit the slowed vehicle.

July 10, 2014
Wilson Cattle Four-peats at Ranch Rodeo

Cowboys from Wilson Cattle made a four-peat performance as they took top honors for the fourth year in a row during the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association's annual Ranch Rodeo last Friday and Saturday.

Wilson Cattle's scores beat out 29 other local and regional teams as working cowboys put their skills to the test as part of the 137th annual Saints' Roost Celebration. The team was made up of Roddy Wilson, Tyler Rice, Jody Satterfield, Jason Thomas, and Jesse Valdez.

The Top Hand for the rodeo was awarded to Brady Clark, and the Top Horse award was won by Chance McAnear.

This year's attendance for the two-day ranch rodeo was 1,436 and Thursday's junior rodeo was 369.

July 10, 2014
Fair weather greets annual July Fourth celebration

Beautiful, calm weather greeted a patriotic crowd gathered on the Court-house Square last Friday, July 4, for the 137th annual Saints' Roost Celebration.

The annual Craft Fair drew a big crowd to the courthouse square with an impressive number of vendors; and the Chamber of Commerce recognized several pioneer citizens during the Old Settlers gathering. The following honorees received t-shirts from the Chamber: Steve Reynolds, Don Smith, Jewel Judd, Mary White and Floy Smith.

The Al Morrah Shrine Club served 750 plates of barbecue, up significantly from 543 last year. A portion of the proceeds from the annual barbecue are used in conjunction with the Khiva Shrine Temple in Amarillo to help pay for the transportation of kids to the Shriners' burns and crippled children's hospitals.

July 18, 2014
Three CC athletes earn national awards

Three Clarendon College athletes were among 1,800 student-athletes from across the nation named to the NJCAA Academic Student-Athlete Awards list released recently.

Clarissa Elizondo (women's basketball) received the NJCAA Award for Superior Academic Achievement for a GPA between 3.80-3.99.

Ryan Backus (baseball) and Brandon Turner (baseball) received the NJCAA Award for Exemplary Academic Achievement for GPAs between 3.60-3.79.

July 18, 2014
Traffic stop leads to 3 drug arrests

Three people were arrested Tuesday, July 1, after a traffic stop led to the discovery of more than a pound of heroine.

According to arrest reports at the Donley County Sheriff's Office, Texas Department of Public Safety Trooper Darrin Bridges stopped a black 2005 Jeep Liberty for speeding west of Clarendon on US 287 near mile marker 166 and observed "several indicators of criminal activity."

Trooper Bridges arrested Alyssa Hodges, age 28, of Clarendon; David Andrew Vinson, age 38, of Clarendon; and Rosa Maria Garcia, age 37, of California. All three were charged with Possession of a Controlled Substance greater than 400 grams and booked into the Donley County Jail.

July 18, 2014
CEDC awards 18th grant for storefront improvement

A longtime Clarendon restaurant is sporting a bright new look thanks in part to help from the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation.

JD SteakOut received \$2,000 under the CEDC's Façade Grant Program, which helped cover the cost of painting the business at the intersection of US 287 and Jefferson.

Restaurant owners Jesus and Dora Hernandez have been doing business in Clarendon for 17 years, but they found that their current location wasn't getting the attention of travelers. A change to an orange and green color scheme fixed that problem.

July 24, 2014
Enterprise wins national, regional press awards

The Clarendon Enterprise has been recognized on both the national and regional levels this month for its work on open government issues, column writing, and editorials.

The local newspaper was recently notified that it has received a third place award and two honorable mentions from the National Newspaper Association, awards that will be presented during the NNA conference this October in San Antonio.

The Enterprise won third place for Best Editorial Page among daily and non-daily papers of circulations less than 6,000 for entries from April 18 and 25, 2013. Those pages featured editorials written by Roger Estlack focused on open government, columns by Fred Gray on child abuse and local elections, and letters written by Chris Moore and Tom Stauder.

Estlack's editorial on the open records and the Hedley school board received an Honorable Mention among daily and non-daily papers for circulations less than 3,000; and the Enterprise also earned an Honorable Mention among papers of all sizes for Freedom of Information efforts regarding open records and open meetings issues with Hedley ISD and the City of Clarendon.

July 31, 2014
City moves to regulate gaming businesses

The City of Clarendon moved to regulate gaming businesses last Tuesday, although none are currently operating locally.

The Clarendon Church of Christ invites you to watch "In Search of the Lord's Way" every Sunday morning at 7:30 on KAMR Channel 4.

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2014: Storm hammers Howardwick

Discussions about regulating eight-liner games started months ago, and the only known gaming establishment in town has since closed.

Ordinance 435 as approved July 22 will require gaming businesses to have a permit, and eight-liner machines would also be subject to initial and annual fees.

August 12, 2014

Storm hammers Howardwick

Howardwick residents were battered by high winds Saturday evening, August 9, resulting in thousands of dollars in property damage.

No human injuries have been reported. Trees in the community took the biggest toll with some limbs and trunks of approximately ten-inch diameters being snapped, although many were already weakened due to persistent drought and disease.

Two mobile homes were destroyed near Haskell and Columbia, and the residence of Billy and Lois Woods suffered heavy damage at the corner Haskell and Pampa. A the couple's wood structure carport was collapsed onto their vehicles, and their two-car carport that covered their boat and was anchored in concrete was ripped from its location and came to rest in a nearby field about a quarter of a mile away.

August 21, 2014

Students receive gift from CC

Students in Donley County received a gift last week when Clarendon College announced plans to scholarship dual credit classes and cap tuition on regular classes.

CC President Robert Riza revealed the plan during the regular meeting of the Board of Regents on August 14 and said it was a way for the college to give back to the people of Donley County.

Under the plan, tuition charges would be capped at 12 hours per semester for Donley County residents, allowing students to take additional classes at no extra charge.

August 28, 2014

Smith gets ten years for attack

An Amarillo man was sentenced to ten years in prison last Thursday, August 21, for his role in attacking a local woman last year.

Tyler Lee Smith entered a plea of guilty when the 100th Judicial District Court met in Childress. He was convicted for the second degree felony offense of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon and was sentenced to 10 years in the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

The crime occurred in the early hours of November 3, 2013, when 17-year-old Shantel Harris was severely beaten and stabbed in the neck in Clarendon's North Ward park while walking home from a birthday party. She later identified her attackers as Smith and Devonte Hardaway of Clarendon.

Sept 4, 2014

No action on alcohol varnace

The city's first variance request under its alcohol zoning rules resulted in no action being taken by the Clarendon Board of Aldermen last Tuesday, August 26.

Patricia Krichhoff, representing Grumpy's Pizza, addressed the board in public comments and said they have received no negative comments from the public since posting their notice of intent to apply for an alcohol permit back in May.

Grumpy's Pizza hopes to open in October in the former Howell's Chili House building next to the Donley County VFW Post on the southeast corner of US 287 and Faker Street. However, rules adopted by the city earlier this year prohibit the sale of alcohol within 300 feet of a church. Grumpy's, the city says, is 8.5 feet too close to the Agapé Church located on the southwest corner of the same intersection, when the distance from front door to front door is measured by state guidelines.

Sept 4, 2014

Funnel cloud sends students to shelters

A sudden weather shift gave Clarendon residents a fright last Thursday, August 28, and sent people scrambling for shelter.

A tornado was the last thing on people's minds when shortly before 3 p.m. a funnel cloud was reported on the ground west of the city.

Clarendon ISD Athletic Director was on the football field when he spotted rotation in clouds and contacted Superintendent Monty Hysinger who ordered students to take cover before any alerts or official warnings were issued.

"It took us about five minutes to get everyone to shelter," Hysinger said. "It worked great."

September 11, 2014

Chamber names Campbell as manager

The new manager of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce has a familiar face and is no stranger to the job she's been hired to do.

Former Chamber president Bonnie Campbell formally stepped into her new title last Tuesday, September 2, and is keeping regular hours inside the Clarendon Visitor Center at the Mulkey Theatre.

September 18, 2014

City restores funding to Chamber

The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce got a boost last Tuesday, September 9, when the City of Clarendon restored funding to the organization.

For many years the Chamber had received 25 percent of the city's Hotel Occupancy Tax (HOT) revenues, but in 2011 the city raised bookkeeping concerns and ultimately pulled the funding until the organization could reorganize.

Since then, the Chamber has moved into the Clarendon Visitor Center at the Mulkey Theatre to share office space with the Clarendon Economic Development Corporation, rebuilt its reputation, adopted new bylaws, and last month hired its former president, Bonnie Campbell, as Chamber Manager.

September 25

Bridge to cut ribbon on local office

The Bridge will host a ribbon cutting for the newest satellite office in Clarendon on Tuesday, September 30, at 10 a.m. at 111 W. 4th (next to the Post Office).

"Child abuse prevention is a community responsibility. Ending the cycle of abuse requires involvement, intervention and knowledge", says April Leming, Executive Director of The Bridge.

The Clarendon location of The Bridge will primarily serve the communities of Carson, Donley, Childress, Collingsworth and Hall counties.

October 2, 2014

C Bar C sweeps cookoff

No cookoff ever had better weather than when the Saints' Roost Museum held its 20th annual Col. Charles Goodnight Chuckwagon Cookoff last Saturday, September 27.

C Bar C won Overall Wagon & Cooking and Overall Cooking by placing in every single food category, including first place Beans, first place Dessert, third place Potatoes, third place Meat, and fourth place Bread.

October 16, 2014

Former aldermen settle with mayor out of court

Legal action against Clarendon Mayor Larry Hicks was resolved out of court this week when the city's chief executive fulfilled terms of a settlement crafted at a court-ordered mediation last Thursday, October 9.

Three former members of the Board of Aldermen – Debbie Roberts-Hillis, Jesus Hernandez, and Tommy N. Hill – sued Hicks last November, listing several complaints against the mayor and requesting the district court remove him from office.

Eleven months after the suit was filed, the terms of mediation came down to one issue – the installation of an exterior elevator on the front of City Hall in 2012. The plaintiffs initially claimed the lift was installed without board approval. They later produced a report from A Home Elevator, Inc., that the elevator was basically obsolete and would be very costly to make operational.

The plaintiffs in mediation last week agreed to drop all action if Hicks would call a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen and recommend the elevator be removed. Hicks agreed, and a called meeting was held Monday afternoon.

October 16, 2014

Fire damage costs \$1.5 million

A diesel-fueled fire caused more than \$1.5 million worth of damage to a road construction plant west of Clarendon last Wednesday, October 8.

The Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department and Donley County EMS were dispatched at 11:53 to the reported diesel fuel tank fire at the J. Lee Milligan Plant on FM 2362 just south of US 287. Five trucks and nine firemen responded.

Firemen discovered an 8,500-gallon diesel tank was leaking and a large ground fire was heating the tank. The same tank in a different compartment contained 11,000 gallons of burner oil, and the fire was also affecting several drums of oil, a 300-gallon diesel tank, a 300-gallon propane tank, and a tank of liquid asphalt heated to 350°F. A large electrical generator was also in the vicinity.

October 23, 2014

City aldermen look at signs and crosses

The Clarendon Board of Aldermen last week took its first official look at religious markers that have been turn-

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New Arrivals

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New Approach to Blood Clot Prevention

An investigational anti-factor XI agent (FXI-ASO) may be better than the traditional medication used to help prevent blood clots in the vessels after a knee replacement surgery. These results of a phase II trial with over three hundred participants were recently reported at the annual meeting for the American Society of Hematology and published in the New England Journal of Medicine. The blood clot rate in this trial shows for those on FXI-ASO had a twenty-seven percent clot rate while those on the comparator, enoxaparin, had a thirty percent clot rate. The bleeding rates between the two medications were not significantly different from each other. These results are promising for providing additional options in the prevention of clots after knee replacement surgery, but an overall assessment of the medication should only be made after more research.

FXI-ASO works by reducing the amount of genetic material that is made in the liver to limit the risk of clot formation. FXI-ASO is an injection that is administered in the fat under the skin and was administered up to three or four times daily in clinical trials.

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2014: Thornberry first Texan to lead Armed Services Committee

ing the heads of travelers on US 287 for more than two years.

The discussion about 40 or more ten-foot crosses and more than a dozen four-foot by eight-foot religious signs was brought to the table at the October 14 city meeting by Alderman Sandy Skelton.

Skelton said that was not proposing anything be done about the signs and crosses that are existing but that rules should be considered for the future. He also said he thinks most residents would agree that too many signs within the city limits with the same message is excessive and takes away from the attractiveness of the city.

October 30, 2014 Hysinger to lead Dumas ISD

Clarendon ISD Superintendent Monty Hysinger was named the lone finalist to be the next superintendent at Dumas by the Dumas ISD Board last night.

Hysinger, who is in his 16th year at Clarendon, told the Enterprise today that the move is a good opportunity for him but that moving will be bittersweet.

"It won't be easy leaving Clarendon," Hysinger said. "The staff here are like family. I feel like the district is in good shape, and we'll just need to find a good person to take it and lead it."

Dumas must wait 21 days to before formally hiring Hysinger. That's expected to happen on November 19.

November 6, 2014 Red River Inn undergoing \$400k makeover

Clarendon's Best Western Red

River Inn will soon have a new look inside and out as hotel owner Steve Hall carries out a \$400,000 renovation of the facility.

"It's necessary to this business to stay fresh and new and give the consumer what they deserve," Hall said. "The consumer today is also a lot more discerning now than in the past."

Planning for the renovation began in the middle of 2013, and much of the interior has been renovated since that time.

November 6, 2014 City enacts new garage sale permit ordinance

Garage sales in the city limits will now require a permit following the meeting of the Clarendon Board of Aldermen last Tuesday, October 28.

In drafting Ordinance 439, aldermen rejected requiring any fees to be collected for a permit and also struck requirements that would have limited the hours of operation of a garage sale.

November 13, 2014 Sawyer defeats Rattan

Donley County Commissioner Dan Sawyer was re-elected by Precinct 4 voters last week in the only real contested local race of the November 4 General Election.

The Republican incumbent defeated his Democratic challenger, Rick Rattan, by a margin of 133 to 89.

Precinct 1 and 2 voters formally elected Republican Pam Johnston Mason to succeed the late Democratic incumbent, Connie Havens, for justice of the peace, 420 to 85. Havens passed away

in September, but her name remained on the ballot.

November 20 CEDC approved Phase Three work on Mulkey Project

Phase Three work on the Mulkey Theatre project is expected to get underway next month following a called meeting of the Clarendon Economic Development Corp. Board Monday, November 17.

Phase Three, will focus on finishing out the Clarendon Visitor Center office in the former Mulkey barber shop and development of a handicapped accessible bathroom in the vestibule of the theatre.

Workers will also put a new ceiling in the Visitor Center office, install central heating and cooling, and also put new lights in the office.

The cost for Phase 3 is expected to be \$76,763 with funds coming from the sales tax and Hotel Occupancy Tax revenue administered by the CEDC board.

November 19, 2014 Thornberry named armed services chair

Congressman Mac Thornberry of Clarendon has been chosen to chair the House Armed Services Committee for the 114th Congress. Thornberry is the first Texan - Republican or Democrat - ever selected to lead the Committee or its predecessors.

Thornberry was selected to serve as Chairman by the Steering Committee of the House Republican Conference. The entire House Republican Conference ratified his selection this morning.

November 20 Woman faces two felonies

A Clarendon woman is facing felony charges from a June 26 accident that resulted in the death of a longtime local businessman.

Gina Canon was arrested last Friday, November 14, and charged with intoxicated manslaughter, a second degree felony, after medical experts agreed that C.W. "Dude" Cornell died from injuries he sustained in the accident.

Canon also was charged with intoxicated assault, a third degree felony, because Cornell's passenger, Ruth Hancock, was also injured.

Donley County Sheriff Butch Blackburn said Canon was arraigned by County Judge Jack Hall on Friday with a total bond set at \$60,000. She was released from jail after posting bond Saturday.

November 27, 2014 CISD names Lemons as interim superintendent

Former Bushland superintendent John Lemons will take the helm of the Clarendon Independent School District on an interim basis when Monty Hysinger leaves for Dumas in January.

CISD Trustees hired Lemons last Thursday, November 20, after meeting with him in closed session for about an hour. Lemons will also assist the district with its search for a new superintendent for a fee of \$4,000. Hysinger is leaving the position after 16 years.

December 4, 2014 Firemen fight H'wick blazes

Several homes were threatened Friday afternoon, November 28, when a grassfire raged through a portion of the Howardwick community.

Fire Chief Joe Hall said the cause of the fire near Dawn and Bell remains under investigation but the damage to property was extensive.

Three boat docks were destroyed, and four one was damaged by the fire, which spread across five properties and endangered six homes.

Another fire was reported at Howardwick Monday in the 500 block of Nocona Hills. Hall said a fire started in the attic of a residence where a stovepipe goes through the ceiling.

December 11 Public chimes in on CISD superintendent search

At least 15 applicants have already applied to be the next superintendent of the Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District, according to information presented at a public forum Monday night.

Sixteen people attended the meeting intended to gather public feedback in the school's search for a new superintendent. The audience included six school employees, one school board member, five parents of kids in school, and two students.

Interim Superintendent John Lemons conducted the meeting and discussed web-based surveys of school employees and the public that are being conducted to gather input on what the district should look for in its next superintendent.

Lemons encouraged people to take the survey at www.clarendonisd.net.

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| 4 | Marae Hall | Soph. |
| 5 | Shaelyn Owiti | Soph. |
| 10 | Carlee Johnson | Soph. |
| 11 | Amelia Weatherton | Sr. |
| 12 | Taylor Gaines | Sr. |
| 15 | Hannah Howard | Jr. |
| 20 | Jensen Hatley | Soph. |
| 21 | Skyler White | Sr. |
| 22 | Karlee Adams | Sr. |
| 22 | Sterling King | Sr. |
| 23 | Taylor Degrate | Sr. |
| 24 | Sarah Williams | Jr. |
| 25 | Allyson Grahn | Sr. |
| 33 | Hannah Hommel | Jr. |
| 35 | Allyson Hogan | Soph. |
| 40 | Damara Brown | Sr. |
| 50 | Berkeley Alexander | Jr. |

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| 3 | Charles Mason | Sr. |
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| 10 | Colt Wood | Fr. |
| 12 | Riley Shadle | Soph. |
| 15 | Chance Lockhart | Soph. |
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CLARENDON CISD will hold a public hearing for discussion of the school district's 2013-2014 Texas Academic Performance Report on Monday, January 15th, 2015, at 7:00 P.M. in the Administration and Technology Building located at 416 South Allen Street, Clarendon, Texas. In addition to the TAPR reports, the district will discuss: PEIMS Financial Standards Reports, Campus Performance Objectives, a report of any violent criminal incidents that might have occurred during the 2013-2014 school year, and information received from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) for Clarendon High School. This hearing will be combined with the regularly scheduled meeting of the local Board of Trustees. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.

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