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### Camp available for high school athletes

The Bronco Summer Speed Camp Program 2004 is now underway and will continue until July 15. The camp is designed to help athletes use weights. Due to recent UIL rules, athletes may be supervised by their school coaches in weights and conditioning for two hours per day, Monday through Thursday until July 15, 2005. Athletes may attend only one session per day. The camp is open to all high school boys and girls. It will be held Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday mornings from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. The camp is free, and all athletes are invited to attend.

### Enterprise will close for Reagan's funeral

THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE office will be closed from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. this Friday, June 11, in memory of former president Ronald Reagan and in honor of his passing. The ENTERPRISE will re-open at 2 p.m. Deadlines for next week's issue will remain unchanged: Monday at noon for news and photos and Monday at 5 p.m. for all advertisements.

### City urges dog owners to get tags for pets

City Hall is reminding all dog owners that the code of ordinances requires every dog in Clarendon to have a city tag. The cost of the city tag is only \$1 per year, and having such a tag enables local animal control personnel to locate a dog's owner if their pet is picked up. For more information, contact City Hall at 874-3438.

### Fund established to assist Mincey family

A fund has been established for Jim and Jodee Mincey to help with medical expenses. They will be going to MD Anderson soon. Donations can be made to the fund at Donley County State Bank or Texas SteakOut in Clarendon.

### Fund established to assist Harris family

A fund has been established for the family of the late Neal Harris to help with any expenses following his tragic drowning last weekend. Donations can be made to the fund at Community Bank.

### Clarendon Class of '74 seeking all classmates

The Class of 1974 is planning a reunion for July 4 at 6 p.m. If you could help them locate any of these class members, please call Terry Askew at 874-5001 or Sheila White at 874-0529.

## CISD students meet TAKS expectations

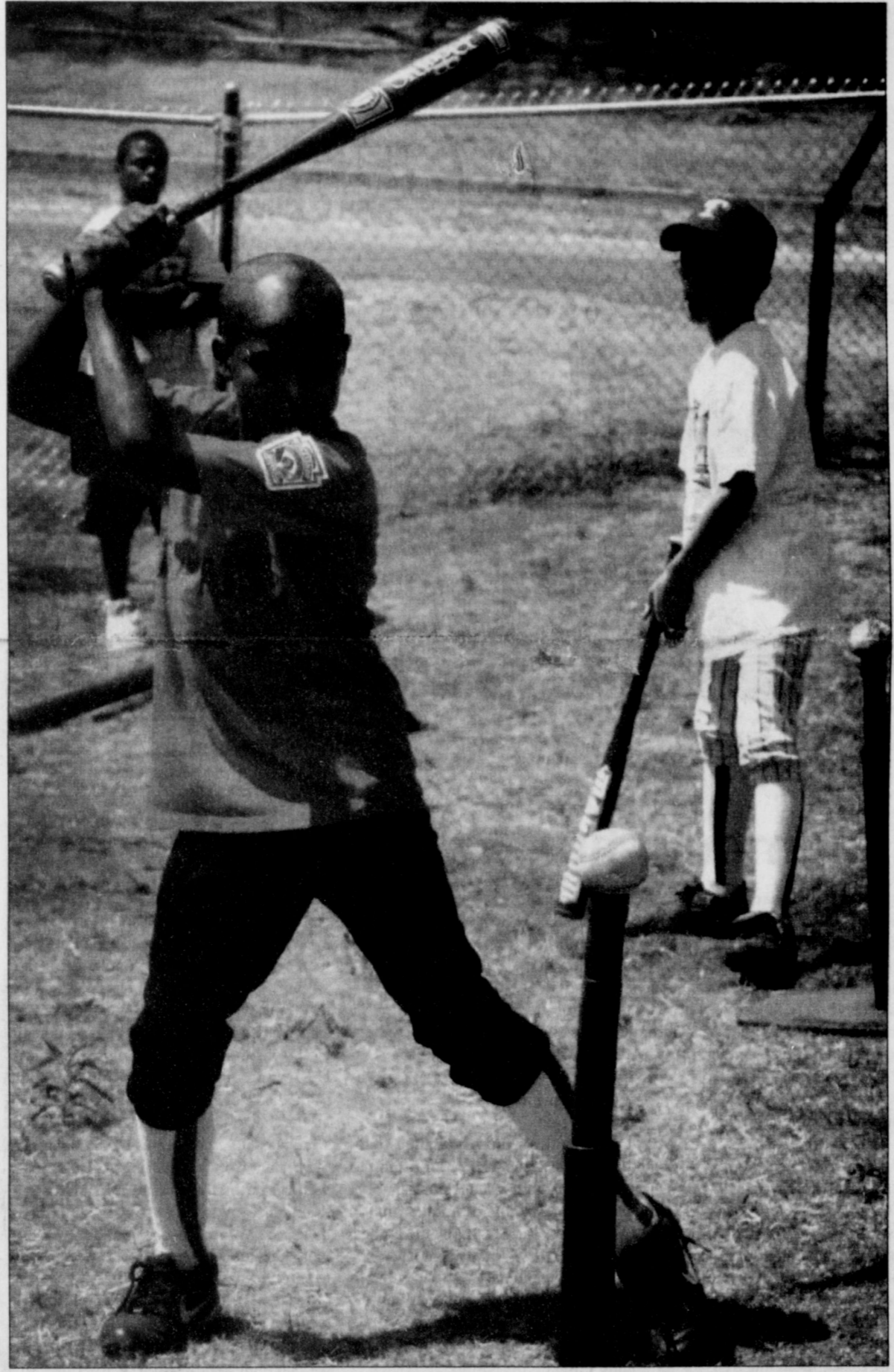
By Ashlee Kidd, Clarendon Enterprise  
The TAKS results are in, and Clarendon public school officials are mostly happy with the scores of local students. Students in grades three through eleven were given the Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills (TAKS) exam this year with the main concern noted by administration being the math portion of the exam. "We are very pleased with how the students performed this year," CISD Superintendent Monty Hysinger said. "But our math needs to

improve." "At the elementary level, we have a few concerns we're going to address, and at the Junior High and early high school levels statewide and across the region, there are math concerns as well." State law requires that third-graders must pass the reading portion of the exam to be promoted to fourth grade, and 100 percent of the third-graders at Clarendon Elementary passed. The third grade students also were tested in math and scored 86

percent, which is below the state average of 90 percent. Clarendon fourth graders scored above the state average of 85 percent in reading with 91 percent passing, but fell below the state averages in math and writing. 76 percent passed in math compared to the state average of 86 percent, and in writing 88 percent passed compared to the average of 90 percent. The fifth grade students in Clarendon were tested in reading, writing, and math and scored above state and regional averages in all

three. "You always want better scores," Clarendon Elementary Principal Mike Word said. "It's a hard test now, and I know that in each group, our kids came up on an individual basis." Word also said that he met with his staff and looked over the test results to determine which areas needed improvement. "We need to focus more on math, and we'll do that," Word said. Sixth grade students at Clarendon Junior High were tested in reading and math. They fell below the state

average of 86 percent in reading with 84 percent passing, but scored higher than the state average of 77 percent in math with 79 percent passing. The seventh graders were tested in three areas and scored 93 percent in reading, 73 percent in math, and 90 percent in writing. The scores were higher than the state averages of 83 in reading and 70 in math, but fell just below the average of 91 percent in writing. CISD's eighth graders exceeded the state averages in all three of the See 'TAKS results' on page 3.



**Batter up**  
Johnny Gaines and Brayden Phillips practice their swing during the Bronco Baseball Camp held last week at the baseball fields. Boys in third through ninth grades worked on the fundamentals of baseball during the four day camp.

## Local boy drowns at Lake Greenbelt

By Roger Estlack, Clarendon Enterprise  
A ten-year-old Clarendon boy drowned at Lake Greenbelt Sunday, and officials have ruled the death an accident. Neal D. Harris and three young friends rode their bicycles from Clarendon to go swim on the north side of the Greenbelt Dam near Sandy Beach, according to information from the Donley County Sheriff's Office. Sheriff Butch Blackburn said Harris had asked his mother to take them swimming and she had told them no and said she would take them later. They boy and his friends then went without her knowledge. Harris had told a friend that he was able to swim but apparently got into trouble in an area where the depth of the lake changes quickly. Emergency personnel were dispatched at 4:50 p.m. with units responding from the sheriff's office, the Greenbelt Lake Patrol, Texas

Department of Public Safety, the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department Dive Team, and the Associated Ambulance Authority. Dive team members recovered Harris at 5:37, and he was transported to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, where he was pronounced dead. An autopsy performed in Lubbock on Monday gave the cause of death as an accidental drowning with no signs of foul play. No charges are pending in the case, Blackburn said. Chief Deputy Randy Bond called the accident a tragedy for Clarendon and Donley County but praised the work of the dive team. "We are really blessed to have a local dive team," Bond said. "There ain't nothing harder than pulling a child out like that. They have to live with that. That's a hard job." Services for Harris will be held at 11 a.m. this Saturday at the First United Methodist Church.

## Paving plan requires residents' assistance

By Roger Estlack, Clarendon Enterprise  
Clarendon city officials this week are asking for the assistance of local residents as plans for paving parts of West Fourth and West Seventh streets continue to take shape. "We need to know where people want their driveways located," said city engineer Che Shadle. "They need to mark where they want them." The paving project, which is slated to start later this summer, will be modeled on work done last year in southeast Clarendon. The project will cover West Fourth Street between Koogle and Jefferson streets and West Seventh Street from the western city limits to Sims Street. Streets will be 31-foot wide and will include curbs and gutters to direct storm water. For the gutter work to do its job, city officials say its necessary to control the number of cuts in the curbing. Otherwise, water will not flow properly.

"People need to understand that they can't have a full lay-down curb in front of their property," Shadle said. Driveway openings will ordinarily be 10 to 12 feet across, but making them wider or having two openings is not a problem. For people with existing drives, the cuts will be made to meet those drives. Shadle urges people to either mark their drives or let City Hall know what they want as soon as possible. "The more we know now the more we can put on the plans," he said. Shadle said he hopes to have a draft set of plans ready for the next meeting of the Board of Aldermen on June 22. Citizens needing more information or having questions about the curbing are asked to call City Administrator Sean Pate at 874-3438.

## Plans shaping up for Saints' Roost Celebration

By Cheryl Johnson, Clarendon Enterprise  
Events are being lined up for the 126th anniversary Saints' Roost Celebration and Ranch Rodeo to be held in Clarendon July 1, 2, and 3. Kicking off the celebration will be the Star Spangled Small Town Celebration held at participating merchants in Clarendon. Businesses will have sales, give away prizes, and hold special events each day of the celebration. For more information, call Terry Saye at 874-3844. An Open Ranch Bronc Ride will be held on Thursday night at the Rodeo Grounds. The Ranch Rodeo will be held Friday and Saturday night with ten teams competing each night. Events include Bronco

Riding, Wild Cow Milking, Team Branding, and Team Doctoring/Team Sortin'. The rodeo will begin at 7:30 p.m. each night. There will also be a RHAA Ranch horse Competition at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday. The Outdoor Entertainment Association will also hold an open Junior Calf Ride for ages 0-8 and a Steer Ride for the older kids each night of the rodeo. The entry fee is \$20. They will also have the Donkey Ride and Open Calf Scramble. These events are sponsored by Donley County State Bank, Walco, and West Texas Western Store. Several giveaways will be announced during the rodeo, including a \$200 beef certificate drawn

each night. The National Finals Rodeo Trip and the Utility Trailer Giveaway will announce their winners on Saturday night. The Rodeo Dance will be held throughout the celebration with Gary Alan Bruce performing on Thursday and Friday nights. The band for Saturday night has not been announced. On Friday, the Donley County Horse Club will hold its annual Stick Horse Rodeo for the kiddoes at the parking lot by the Post Office beginning at 10:00 a.m. The Depression Lunch will also be held on Friday beginning at 11:30 a.m. A meal of beans, cornbread, and dessert will be served in front of the Downtown Ministry building. Later

that day, that will also be the site for the Battle of the Praise Bands, which will begin at 2:00 p.m. For more information about the Battle of the Praise Bands, please call Joburta Helms at 874-2528. The celebration swings into full motion on Saturday with the Arts and Crafts Fair at City Park. The event is being organized by the Donley County 4-H. Booths are \$25.00 each, and you can get your entry form today by calling 874-2141. The fair will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Bicycle Parade will begin at 10:00 a.m. Entry forms are available at the Chamber of Commerce Office or will be printed in THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE next week. Registration

will begin at 9:30 a.m. at 601 S. Kearney, which is across the street from the City Park. The annual old Settlers Reunion and Shriners barbecue will be held at the City Park beginning at 11:00 a.m. under the pavilion. The parade starts at 2 p.m. Entries need to line up at noon near City Park. Entry forms are available at the Chamber Office. The deadline for entry forms is June 25. Kids, get your turtles ready for the annual Turtle Race to be held at 4:00 p.m. at Henson's. Registration will begin soon at Henson's. Mark your calendars now for the celebration and bring the whole family out to enjoy the festivities.

WARNING: The following column is an editorial (i.e. an opinion, a point of view) and may contain ideas with which some readers may freely disagree. Read at your own risk.

## Reagan leaves lasting legacy for America

One of my heroes died Saturday. He was a man revered by millions for his courage and his convictions. He emboldened a nation's self image and set the stage for the world to be freer and more prosperous than ever before. That man was Ronald Reagan.

Over the last several days, many tributes have been made to the fortieth president. His accomplishments have been repeatedly enumerated with the death of Soviet communism and America's robust economic growth being always at the top of the list.

But for me, my admiration of Ronald Reagan has always been more personal. From the day he took office, I looked up to him and respected him. Even though I was very young, I knew that he was special as a leader, and that belief would only be reinforced as time went on.

Sitting in Mrs. Gooch's fourth grade class, I can clearly remember the day in January 1981 when our principal came over the speaker and announced that President Reagan had taken the oath of office... and that the American hostages in Iran had been set free. Just like that, a long ordeal for our nation had come to an end.

Months later, an assassin tried to kill our president. I remember watching as newscasts replayed the tape of that shooting over and over. I remember how much it distressed my mother, who had admired Reagan since the 1960s, and I remember being impressed with his speedy recovery and his sense of humor throughout that ordeal.

By 1984, I was one of the students in charge of Reagan's campaign (even though he didn't know he had one) during the mock election at Clarendon Junior High. Like the real election, we won a very lopsided victory. Later that year, the president delivered remarks on the 40th anniversary of D-Day, which to this day can still bring tears to my eyes.

Like millions of other Americans, I turned to the president in 1986 for comfort following the loss of the space shuttle *Challenger*. Always the consummate communicator, Reagan spoke for all of us and to all of us as he honored those seven astronauts and reminded us "The future doesn't belong to the fainthearted; it belongs to the brave."

All modern presidents have speechwriters. Certainly Reagan did, but the difference with him was that he held core values, which reinforced what he was saying and made the listener know absolutely that his remarks were more than just words on paper. If joy or anger or sadness were in his voice, it was because that was what he was feeling. He was an actor by trade, but there was no acting when it came to what he stood for.

Reagan could always touch our hearts. Even his political enemies will admit that. While many of today's politicians focus on what is wrong with America or try to sully the qualities that have made this nation great, Reagan appealed to our best angels, showed us our strengths, and said that it is freedom — not some government program — which makes this the best nation on Earth.

It was his belief that government should tackle obstacles before us to clear the path for opportunity and then let people work their own way to prosperity. He knew that left to their own devices, the American people could and would do great things.

For Reagan, things were often simple. Representative government was good; communism was evil. Over-taxation was bad; more money in people's pockets was good. Free enterprise was the best economic system; government regulation was bad. Those basic philosophies guided Reagan then, and they are still beacons for many of us today.

Ronald Reagan was the quintessential American. He came from humble beginnings and worked to make a life for himself. He had a keen sense of humor and could laugh at himself. He held a deep faith in God and cherished freedom for all people. He knew that this country is special and always said that her best days are in front of her.

For all the above characteristics as well as his many accomplishments in office, Reagan stands out as the single greatest president of the 20th century. While other presidents have enacted laws and programs inconsistent with America's foundations, Reagan always stood for liberty — both economic and personal.

These last several years have been difficult for those of us who admire this great man. Alzheimer's disease slowly took him from us and from his family. For that reason Saturday's news brought with it both a sense of great loss and of great relief.

The president, who gave back America her pride, who unbridled her people, and who liberated millions around the world without firing a shot, has now himself been set free.

We wish you eternal happiness, Mr. Reagan. We thank you for what you taught us. We will look after your "shining city on a hill," and we promise that we will never let that light flicker out.

"My mother... told me that everything in life happened for a purpose. She said all things were part of God's plan, even the most disheartening setbacks, and in the end, everything worked out for the best. My mother, as usual, was right."  
— President Ronald Reagan



editor's commentary by Roger Estlack

## Cheating is best part of playing cards

We all have strange ways of relaxing or working out tension. Some of us play golf or we read, we watch TV, or maybe we call up a friend and talk on the phone. I have heard that some people actually clean when they get tense.

Personally, I sleep. When I find myself being short with people, I hide out for a while and catch a ten- or twelve-hour nap. I'm good to go after that. You will find that I'm downright lovable when properly rested.

My dad tried golf in his youth, but now he plays Free Cell.

Maybe you have played Free Cell. It's a computer card game that comes standard with most versions of Windows, and my dad can play it for hours at a time.

I've never tried to figure out how to play it, but apparently it has the same relaxing qualities as a long bath or a massage. At the end of a hard day, Dad takes his glass of iced tea to the computer and settles in for a few hours of hard-core card playing.

I don't know, but I think the game probably takes some strategy, some planning, and some brain activity. In fact, I think the basis of its appeal is that it occupies almost all of his brain. Instead of

thinking about bills and irrigation wells and the weather and cottonseed, all he can see are spades.

I don't understand how he can stay at it for so long. I hate computer card games. They frustrate me because you absolutely cannot cheat. It can give you a hint and you can undo moves, but that's not cheating. That's just playing courteously.

Cheating is half the fun of playing cards; getting away with it is the other half. I am a champion cheater. I am the one who will go blind nello on every hand of Spades. I will lay down two or three cards at a time in Uno. I will change the rules with no notice. When I play dominos, I keep the draw pile next to me and exchange tiles at will.

My sister and I have developed this elaborate code for talking across the table. Whenever I have a lot of diamonds, I ask her about her allergy to nickel. "Did that ring I loaned you give you a rash?"

"No, I love it," she'll reply. I know that means she doesn't have a lot of high dia-



life's lessons by Carrie Helms

monds and I should lead with hearts.

When I have a lot of trumps, I ask her if she was ever into that show *The Apprentice* with Donald Trump. Of course, I'm smart enough not to say "Trump" out loud across the table. That would just be silly.

I am sneaky, underhanded, conniving, and darn good at it, too.

But my dad is a wise man. He's no cheater. He says that playing Free Cell can teach you a lot about life.

There are times in the course of a game when nothing seems to be falling into place. You cannot find the one card you think you need.

If you could just find the two of clubs, life would be perfect. There would be no more pain, no more car payments, no more leaky faucets. It would be a veritable Shangri-La.

You've worked yourself into a corner. You have only one legal move left. With no other choice, you point and click. One click and the cards disappear! You win!

Life doesn't promise us a two of clubs. The only guarantee we get is that life is going to seriously stink from time to time. The beauty of real life is that unlike computerized card games, if all else fails, you can still cheat.



## WWII Memorial honors great Americans

This past Memorial Day weekend, thousands of Americans descended upon the National Mall in Washington, D.C., to pay tribute to the Greatest Generation and celebrate the dedication of the World War II Memorial. It has been nearly 59 years since the end of the Second World War, and at long last our nation has a place that honors the 16 million who served in the Armed Forces, the more than 400,000 who died, and the millions who supported the war effort here at home.

Following 11 years of fundraising, public hearings, and construction, the memorial finally stands staid and respectful of its historic surroundings, nestled between the Lincoln and Washington Monuments on the Mall. Representative of the importance the American people placed on this memorial is the fact that it was primarily funded through private donations — \$195 million to be exact, including \$16 million from the federal government.

The Memorial is an amazing structure — beautiful, strong, and representative of the great heroes of World War II. The Memorial Plaza, a wide open expanse that encourages visitors to wander freely and enjoy the site, and the Rainbow Pool are the principal design features of the memorial. The bases of granite and bronze are adorned with the military service seals of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Army Air Forces, Coast Guard and Merchant Marine. A series of bronze panels along the entrance depict America's war years, at

home and overseas. Visitors can reflect upon the memorial while sitting on the benches that align the outside structure.

Adorning the north and south ends of the plaza are two 43-foot arches representing battles won in both the Atlantic and Pacific theatres. Here four bronze American eagles hold a suspended victory laurel to memorialize the triumph of the World War II generation. Below the arches is the World War II victory medal, surrounded by the years "1941-1945" and the words "Victory on Land, Victory at Sea, and Victory in the Air."

Outlining the entire memorial are fifty-six granite pillars representing each state and territory from that period to celebrate the unprecedented national unity during the Second World War. To show the power of this extraordinary bond, a bronze sculpted rope connects every pillar. These pillars are strategically placed so that the center of the memorial is open, allowing ample space for viewing into and across the site.

Within a commemorative area at the western side of the memorial lies a field of 4,000 sculpted gold stars called the Freedom Wall, representing the more than 400,000 Americans who gave their lives. During the war era, the gold star was the

symbol of family sacrifice.

One of my favorite aspects of the exhibit is a quote engraved upon the memorial's wall from Colonel Oveta Culp Hobby, a native Texan who served as director of the Women's Army Corps (WAC). The WAC was created to enlist women as auxiliaries for noncombatant duty in the U.S. army, where they served in roles such as medical technicians and secretaries in all the theaters of war. Col. Hobby's words were chosen to commemorate and pay tribute to the effort and sacrifice of American women during the war era. The inscription reads, "Women who stepped up were measured as citizens of the nation, not as women. This was the people's war, and everyone was in it."

The World War II Memorial is a masterpiece of art and history. It will inspire future generations of Americans and deepen their appreciation of what this great generation sacrificed and accomplished in securing freedom and democracy. Above all, the memorial will stand as an important symbol of American national unity, a timeless reminder of the moral strength and great power that can flow when a free people are united in a just cause.

If you or someone you know helped win the war, whether as a veteran or on the home front, that person is eligible for the World War II Registry, which will be forever linked to the memorial's symbolic representation. To register, visit [www.wwiimemorial.com](http://www.wwiimemorial.com)



capitol comment by sen. kay bailey hutchison

## Denver couple praises people of Clarendon

My wife and I were stranded on Highway 287 about 20 miles northwest of Clarendon on Memorial Day at about 1 p.m. when the alternator in our car quit working.

I called our auto club for a tow and was told one would show in about an hour, but no tow truck showed. About 4:00 p.m., I tried to flag down a car for help, to no avail (I thought). A young lady (I failed to get her name) from Clarendon, on her way

home from work in Claude, saw me and turned back to help. She was an angel in disguise. She called the sheriff in Claude, who sent out a deputy who was able to get Chadwick Towing to send out help. She would not leave until the tow truck showed up.

We got back to Clarendon at 8:30 p.m. where Billy Chadwick, his wife, the tow truck driver, and another young man worked until about 10:30 p.m. to get us

going but couldn't so they got us to the Best Western Motel for the night. We were treated wonderfully by everyone we met in Clarendon. Finally, on Tuesday, Billy was able to get us going again about 1:30 p.m.

I just want to publicly thank these very kind people and let the whole town know what wonderful people we met.

Tom Collison, Denver, Colo.

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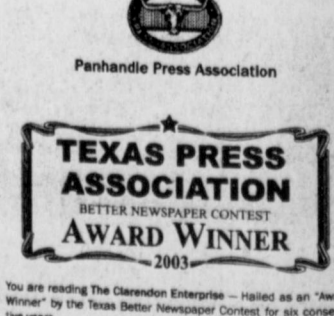
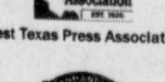
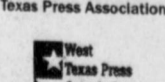
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### TAKS results:

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Clarendon Junior High Principal Marvin Elam said the students came close to the level of performance that was expected in both reading and writing, but in math the students still needed improvement.

"We were pretty close to where we thought they'd be and where we set our goals," Elam said. "In math we're still struggling, but we'll get there."

Clarendon ninth graders exceeded the state averages in both reading and math, while the tenth graders surpassed the state averages in writing, math, social studies, and science.

Clarendon juniors scored above state averages on all four portions of the exam, with passing rates of 88 percent on the writing exam, 97 percent on math, 100 percent on social studies, and 97 percent on science. The state average scores were writing 87 percent, math 85, social studies 97, and science 85, according to information from CISD.

When asked how he felt the high school students did on the TAKS exam, Clarendon High School principal Larry Jeffers simply responded "Vini, Vidi, Vici."

"We were really pleased with the juniors' results," Jeffers said. "We have some that will retake the test this summer and hopefully pass, and the freshmen's weakest test was math, but that was statewide."

"The sophomores did a great job overall and probably did better than any other class. The teachers did a great job, and we know where we need to go from here to continue to get better," Jeffers said.

Districtwide, Clarendon students stayed above the state averages in reading, math, writing, social studies, and science.

The school administrators are in agreement that the students did well, but they now see the areas that need improvement.

"We're starting to break down the test results to see what areas we need to address," Hysinger said.

"We plan to continue to stay above the state and regional levels to make the students as well as the community proud," he said.

### Tech to host Crop, Livestock Systems Field Day June 18

Agricultural producers and the general public are invited to participate in a field day on Friday, June 18, at the Texas Tech University Farm east of New Deal, Texas.

The event will begin at 5:00 p.m. with a brief program, followed by tours of integrated crop and livestock systems established in 1999, comparing a conventional drip irrigated cotton system and an alternate integrated crop/livestock.

The field day will be management-friendly, where researchers, participating producers, infrastructure vendors, and input suppliers will be available for addressing questions. Information on productivity, profitability, and the impact on natural resources will be shared. By concentrating cotton production on the most fertile soil with the best

irrigation possibilities and planting forages on the more marginal land, producers may be able to achieve equivalent cotton yields on less acreage. Research to date reveals that the inclusion of grazing cattle on wheat, rye, and WW B-Dahle while alternating between fields of cotton, increases profits while using less water and nitrogen fertilizer. With cattle prices on the rebound and a social environment leaning toward greater amounts of meat consumption due to the popularity of low carbohydrate diets, integrated systems may create new economic opportunities for producers.

Following the tours, a chuckwagon meal will be served. For meal planning purposes, participants are encouraged to notify project coordinators at 806-742-2838.

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Wed	2	95°	54°	0.03
Thur	3	94°	58°	-
Fri	4	83°	60°	-
Sat	5	92°	63°	0.35
Sun	6	89°	59°	0.16

Total precipitation this month: 0.54"  
Total precipitation to date: 7.82"  
Total precipitation in June last year: 8.08"  
Total YTD total last year: 10.37"

#### weekend forecast

Friday, June 11  
Mostly Sunny  
90°/63°

Saturday, June 12  
Mostly Sunny  
91°/62°

Sunday, June 13  
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### Looking Back

#### 15 Years Ago

THE CLARENDON PRESS, June 8, 1989

• Offices for the Department of Agriculture's ASCS, Soil Conservation Service, and Farmers Home Administration, opened this week at the corner of Fourth and Sully.

• Mayor Jim Sharrar signed a Proclamation this week stating that June 12-16, 1989, is the official period celebrating the 50th Anniversary of Little League Baseball.

#### 50 Years Ago

THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER, June 10, 1954

• At a regular meeting of Clark-Brock Post, American Legion, the following officers were elected for the year of 1955: Post Commander, Pat Slavin; First V. Commander, Maurice Hart; Second V. Commander, Emmett Simmons; Chaplain, H.T. Burton; Sgt. at Arms, Harlie Gordon; Service Officer, Curtis Mears; Historian, Jack Gray; Executive Committee, Ernest Kent, J.R. Porter, and Clyde Putman. The officers appointed by the Commander were: Adjutant, B.C. Antrobus and F-Officer, Rayburn Smith.

• The first load of 1954 wheat arrived in Clarendon early Wednesday morning. The wheat is owned by W.J. Lewis, Jr., and J.L. Sisk and was grown in the Antelope Flat area. The wheat weighed 60 lbs. per bushel and had a moisture content of 12.87. Clarendon Grain Co. handled the wheat, which went into government storage.

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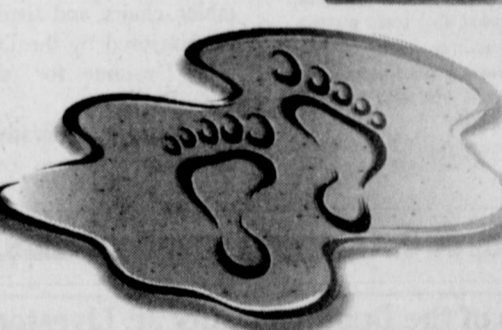
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**June 7 - 10**  
Bronco Basketball Camp • Bronco Gym • 9 a.m.

**June 9, 16, 23, 30**  
Summer Reading • Burton Memorial Library • 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

**June 11**  
Saints' Roost Museum Member Appreciation Barbecue • Museum grounds • 7 p.m.

**June 15**  
Immunization Clinic • TDH Office • 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

**June 17**  
United Christian Men's Breakfast • Methodist Fellowship Hall • 7 a.m.

**June 20**  
Father's Day

**July 1 - 3**  
Saints' Roost Celebration • See page one for details.

**July 4**  
Independence Day

CHS Class of '74 Reunion • Call 874-5001 for info.

**August 6 - 7**  
ACS Relay for Life

**September 25**  
Col. Charles Goodnight Chuckwagon Cookoff • Saints' Roost Museum • Details TBA

**Community Menus**  
June 14-18

**Clarendon Summer Lunch**  
Mon: Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, potato chips, carrot sticks, fruit, milk  
Tues: Ham and cheese sandwich, potato chips, carrot sticks, fruit, milk  
Wed: Fried chicken, French fries, green beans, fruit, milk  
Thur: Bologna and cheese sandwich, potato chips, carrot sticks, fruit, milk  
Fri: Ham salad sandwich, potato chips, carrot sticks, fruit, milk

**Donley County Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Lasagna, turnip greens, corn salad, banana pudding, garlic toast, tea, coffee, lowfat milk  
Tues: Peppered steak, rice, Tuscan blend vegetables, carrot raisin salad, cheese cake, bread, tea, coffee, lowfat milk  
Wed: Chicken strips, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn dressing, stewed tomatoes, Italian crême cake, roll, tea, coffee, lowfat milk  
Thur: Enchilada casserole, Spanish rice, tossed salad, Jell-O with fruit, chips and hot sauce, tea, coffee, lowfat milk  
Fri: Pork roast with brown gravy, creamed potatoes, broccoli au gratin, cranberry salad, chocolate cake, roll, tea, coffee, lowfat milk

**Hedley Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, Tuscan vegetables, apple ring, strawberry short cake, roll, coffee, tea, milk  
Tues: Sausage and cabbage, fried squash, beet and onion salad, apricot halves, cornbread, coffee, tea, milk  
Wed: Chicken strips and gravy, baked potato, fried okra, Jell-O salad, orange, roll, coffee, tea, milk  
Thur: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, mixed greens, deviled egg, bread pudding, cornbread, coffee, tea, milk  
Fri: Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, sweet potatoes, green beans, fruit salad and cookies, roll, coffee, tea, milk

**CHS band members do well in San Marcos**

Late last Tuesday, the last public school activity of the 2003-04 school year came to an end. The students who went to State Solo and Ensemble Contest in San Marcos came home again.

The woodwind trio composed of Otis Scrivner, Brandie Lockhart and Andra Helms earned a One rating with their performance. The other groups and solos earned twos and threes - but at the State Level, that's still quite impressive. It's amazing to me that such a small school sends so many band students to this State competition not "every so often", but

every single year. This is a tribute to the quality of instruction, the quality of students, and the quality of behind-the-scenes support here in Clarendon. Congratulations, guys.

Clarendon was catching its collective breath last week, I think. Reveling in the rains. (Fortunately, it held off Saturday night until "Shrek 2" was over at the drive-in. Don't know about Friday, though.) Enjoying the warm - but not too warm - weather. Resting up. Because events will start up again soon.

The Summer Reading Program at the library starts this week on

Wednesdays.

And the Saint's Roost Museum barbecue is this Saturday, after the "ingathering" of donations for the community-wide garage sale for this fall's crusade. It shouldn't be too terribly difficult to find two or ten or twenty items you don't need any more that you can donate to the cause. Collection points are downtown. Clean out



**around town**  
by gail shelton  
Clarendon • 874-9186

**Howardwick couple wrestle with big catfish**

With Memorial Day past, I think summer is here. Summer homes are opened and visitors are everywhere. Ken and Carol Carden had a big group for Memorial Day weekend with thirty-one in attendance. Those visiting were children Ken Jr. and Joyce Carden from Arizona; Darrell and Lara Owens, Tim and Rayne Swedzie from Alma, KS; Dustin and Nikki Blair, Cade and Alicia Carden from Pittsburgh, KS; 12 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. They enjoyed the park and the Community Center with fun and food, food, food.

Did you hear about the one that didn't get away? As I heard the story, Tom and Rhonda Jaramillo had taken their little aluminum boat out to do some fishing and found the real meaning of "be careful of what you wish for." Tom hooked a big old catfish, then tried to land it after breaking the landing net.

When he finally got that fish into the boat, it was flopping around so much Rhonda had to lie on it to keep it in the boat. Then they had to weigh it and try to get it home. That fish weighed 30½ pounds, so I hear. I also hear the couple had seen all

they wanted to of that fish and gave him away. I wonder if they both still smell like fish.

We truly appreciate the efforts of the Sheriff's department in helping with our vandalism problem; they know better than most that nothing good happens after midnight. These men have spent many hours



**'wick picks**  
by peggy cockerham  
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**Hedley residents get visitors from all over**

It rained two nights last week, and we got about an inch and a half. We got high winds, but not enough to do any damage. It blew some small limbs off the trees is about all. The grass is growing and looking good.

Jason Conatser killed a rattlesnake in his grandmother's front yard a few days ago. Dorine sees about as good as I do, so it's good that he was there. She might have stepped on it.

Langly spent a few days in Dallas with some friends. Since the powers that be did away with the senior trip, he went on his own.

Patsy and Kathy Spier have returned Patsy's great grandchildren home to Burleson. The big kid is named Emory, and I can't remember the little one's name, but she's got one.

Terry Bailey told me he was expecting his daughter, Kristi, to bring Todd's little boy down over the weekend. Kristi's brother is named Todd, and so is her husband. Evan Bailey belongs to brother, Todd.

Juanita Brown had most of her kids here for a family reunion last weekend. Johnny and KayBeth

Brown came here from May, Texas; Kay Miller came from somewhere; Helen Ford came from Clarendon; and a bunch of grand kids came from everywhere.

Juanita has a great grandbaby. It was born in Childress last week, and



**watt's happening**  
by peggy watt  
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your garage, then clean all those cobwebs out of your hair (my garage has cobwebs anyway - yours might not) and head out to the museum grounds for some supper and socializing.

I started this column, thinking I didn't know of a thing to write in it - and look how wrong I was.

Friends of the Library will meet next Tuesday, June 15, at noon, rather than Wednesday, because Summer Reading is on Wednesdays in June. Come join us.

And don't forget swim lessons for the non-swimmers in your family. Give Robert a call.

on patrol out here; and with fast cars, loud mufflers, loud music, stealing and mischief-making still a problem, looks like summer has just begun.

Sadly another child drowned in our lake, this time a ten-year-old local boy who rode his bike with buddies for a quick swim. Please, please be careful when swimming in the lake and keep your children safe.

Hot Shots meet June 15 at 7 p.m. at City Hall. They will be drawing for the quilt; but in the meantime it is on display, and tickets are still available at City Hall. All money raised goes toward the Fire Department grant.

I can't remember what Grace told me what it was or what its name is.

Kim King is home from the hospital and is improving. I talked to her Sunday morning before church, and she gave all the glory to the Lord. She said if He hadn't been with her, she would have died.

Our sympathy to Oreatha Potts, Joyce Woodard, Helen Lindsey, and Tracy Sanders on the death last week of their cousin, Mearl Parker.

Mearl was the son of the late Johnny and Ola Parker and the nephew of the late Flora Sanders.

**New FCS agent provides update on activities**

By Mary Ruth Bishop, County FCS Agent  
Hello from Texas Cooperative Extension - Donley County!

Summer is here, and there are plenty of activities planned for everyone! The Saints' Roost Celebration Annual Arts, Crafts, and Gifts Fair will be held on Saturday, July 3. The fair schedule is 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in City Park.

If you did not receive the information letter and remittance form and would like to participate, please come by the Extension office. The office is located at 414 S. Kearney, or call 874-2141, and we will mail you the letter and form. The booth fee for a 10'x10' booth is \$25. You will furnish all set-up needs such as tables, chairs, and display. This event is sponsored by the Donley County 4-H. Deadline for participation is June 25.

Texas Cooperative Extension has many resources available on the

Internet. For starters we will be utilizing the county web address: <http://donley-tx.tamu.edu/> more in the days ahead. Please check it for program information, dates for activities, specific information, and newsletters. You do not have to be a member to access this site.

For information and educational resources, you can order the <http://tcebookstore.org> website offered through the Texas A&M University System. Topics include 4-H, Agriculture, Animals, Family and Personal, Government and Community, Lawn and Garden, and more. There is even a place where you can "Ask An Expert" for those questions not available in the current publications.

There is always room for new members in the Donley County 4-H club. If you are interested in joining 4-H, new and old member enrollment will start in August. To be eligible you must be nine years old or eight

years old and in the third grade and have not reached your 19th birthday as of September 1, 2004. The first 4-H meeting will be in September and will continue to meet once a month through May 2005.

Volunteers are always needed and welcome. You don't have to have a child in 4-H to share your knowledge!

If you would like to join 4-H and are interested in having an animal project, please feel free to contact Leonard Haynes so that he can set up a time to visit with you and get you on the right track. It is starting to be the time to select some animals and order identification tags which are required to show your animals, so please don't hesitate to give him a call.

You do not have to show animals to be a 4-H member. There are numerous other projects a 4-Her can participate in during the fall and spring. Coming up in the fall will be

Public Speaking and Talent events along with the Foods and Nutrition projects.

4-H Craft Project meeting is the last Tuesday of every month. These meetings are held in the Panhandle Community Services Building beginning at 5:15 p.m. There is a \$1 fee to cover the cost of supplies.

This month's meeting is on June 29th. Please pre-register with Linda Horton at 874-2573. Remember these crafts can be entered in the Tri-State Fair, which is coming up in September.

Coming up: Donley Doin' Days for all youth ages 8-13 (kids in the 3rd-6th grades this coming fall). 4-H membership is not required to participate. Watch the newspaper for dates and times.

Please call or drop by the Donley County Extension Office. Let us know how we can better serve the citizens of Donley County.

**Seniors citizens still selling beef chances**

By Marlee Sharp

By now everyone knows about our half beef raffle. We would like to send our appreciation to Crow Hollow on generously donating the beef for us to raffie off. If it weren't for their generosity and others like them, we couldn't raise the money needed to help with our meals on wheels program.

Economy Hearing Aid will be here on June 15. Anyone needing their hearing checked can do so on that day.

Our birthday wishes go to Lorene McAnear, Wes Thomas, June Morain, Ann Robinson, Bennie Garman, and Bill Powell.

Get well wishes go to Betty Molder.

We send our condolences to the family of Johnny Morrow.

Reminders:  
Mondays: Dance Club, 7-9 p.m.  
Tuesdays: Game Nights, 6 p.m.  
M-W-F: Exercise Group, 9 a.m.  
2nd & 4th Sundays: Inspirational Singing, 2 p.m.

**Dance Club meets**

Lena Maxey was treated with a party celebrating her birthday at Seniors Dance Club Monday night, May 31, 2004.

Dancing was the entertainment for the evening.

Following the dance, the group was served ice cream, cake, coffee, and punch. May Mayer provided ice cream, coffee, and punch. Bobbie McQueen and Ruby Dell Estlack baked cakes.

"Happy Birthday" was sung, and Lena was showered with cards and wishes for many more birthdays.

**Christian Men to hold breakfast next week**

The United Christian Men's breakfast will be Thursday, June 17, at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall at 7:00 a.m.

Marlee Sharp, director of the Donley County Senior Citizens, will bring the program. She will discuss the services available through this important program.

Please come and enjoy fellowship and breakfast with Christian friends. Everyone is invited.

**Alanreed to hold annual homecoming**

The 68th annual Alanreed Homecoming will be held on Sunday, June 13, at the Alanreed School Gym.

Registration begins at 10:00 a.m. The program begins at 11:00 a.m. followed by a potluck lunch. Everyone is invited to attend.

**Hospice offers session**

BSA Hospice in Pampa will offer BSA: What to Expect, a one hour informational session designed to help bereaved individuals understand the grief process. Sessions are presented the second Wednesday of each month starting June 9, 2004.

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## TDA hosting workshop to revitalize downtowns

AUSTIN — The Texas Department of Agriculture will host a workshop in Childress for those interested in breathing new life into their downtown areas and boosting rural economic development.

The workshop will be from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 15 at Fair Park Auditorium, located at the city park on North Commerce Street in Childress. The morning session will include a presentation on Small Business Administration financing programs; the afternoon session will cover TDA's new Downtown Revitalization Improvements Program. Lunch will be onsite from 11:30 to

noon. The Downtown Revitalization Program is a matching fund program designed to foster and stimulate economic development in the downtown area by providing financial assistance to non-entitlement cities for public infrastructure improvements. Projects must help eliminate slum or blighted areas in non-entitlement communities, and improvements must directly support the city's downtown revitalization. Non-entitlement cities are those that do not receive direct funding from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's Community

Development Block Grant program and typically have populations of less than 50,000. There are more than 1,000 eligible cities in the state.

The program is part of the Texas Capital Fund, which provides about \$12.5 million in competitive awards each year to small Texas cities and counties for economic development.

"This workshop is geared toward communities that want to improve their downtown areas and create new opportunities for growth and development," said Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs.

"The Downtown Revitalization Program is a great way to get the ball

rolling."

The awards, which can be worth between \$50,000 to \$150,000, may be used for downtown projects including the construction of roads, water and sewer facilities, traffic signals, gas lines, sidewalks and parking lots. The money can also be used for projects that eliminate architectural barriers for the disabled.

For more information on the workshop, contact TDA's Rural Economic Development Specialist Sheila Martin at (806) 358-7285. To RSVP, call the Childress Economic Development Corporation at (940) 937-8629.

## Project Graduation held for Clarendon High Class of 2004

The Clarendon High School Class of 2004 celebrated the Project Graduation all night alcohol/drug free party Friday, May 28, after graduation at the Donley County Community Center at the rodeo grounds.

Project Graduation is sponsored by the Texas Department of Transportation and by the local and area merchants.

At this party, 23 of the 27 graduating seniors were in attendance

with two graduating juniors unable to attend. The party began at 11:00 p.m. with eight early bird drawings for cash prizes. The party includes a midnight fashion show featuring lovely "Laurencia" Jeffers, darling "Danielle" Hall, sassy "Sandra" West, sunny "Scottina" Landis, and that brazen hussy "Bradletta" Elam.

There were slot machines, two sleepy poker dealers, a roulette wheel, and a cash wheel that each

grad got to spin twice to win cash. Over 75 gifts were donated by the generous merchants of Donley, Hall, and Potter Counties.

The kids sang Karaoke, played "Mad-Libs, fought nearly to the death for the last seat in musical chairs, and enjoyed food provided by Pizza Hut, Subway, and Moms 2004.

Memories and messes were made, and the Class of 2004 made it safely through graduation night.

Project Graduation 2004 had a fun and successful all-night party thanks to the concern and generosity of TxDOT and the merchants of Donley, Hall, and Potter counties. There were 65 civic-minded individuals who helped with the success of this project, and each one was mailed a card signed by each graduate in attendance.

## Kidd receives annual Estlack scholarship

Clarendon High School graduate Terra Kidd was named the recipient of the annual Homer Estlack Memorial Scholarship during commencement exercises last Friday.



Kidd

The award, in the amount of \$250, is given annually to a graduating CHS student who plans to attend Clarendon College. It is given by the Estlack family in memory of Homer Estlack, who was a member of the Clarendon school board and was a dedicated supporter of the public school system and the college and their programs.

## Simmons, Helms named on HSU honors lists

Hardin-Simmons University announces that Elizabeth Simmons and Carrie Helms, both of Clarendon, have been named to the spring 2004 honor lists.

Simmons was named to the HSU President's List, which honors students who completed at least 12 semester hours with a 4.0 grade point average.

Helms was named to the HSU Dean's List, which honors students who completed at least 12 semester hours with a grade point average of 3.75-3.99.

## Chamberlain graduates from Austin College

Catherine Chamberlain received her Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology from Austin College during commencement on Sunday, May 16.

Chamberlain graduated with magna cum laude honors. She also received an "Honors in Psychology" for completing a senior honors thesis or project in psychology through the Departmental Honors Program. She was invited to complete honors work by the department faculty.

Chamberlain is a graduate of Clarendon High School and is the daughter of Trey and Diane Chamberlain of Clarendon.

## Locals on AC honor list for spring semester

Clarendon residents Stan Lefew and Joshua Ward and Hedley resident Charles Lowell Tiemann were named to the spring 2004 honor roll at Amarillo College.

Students on the list must have been enrolled in 12 or more hours in academic courses and have earned a grade point average of 3.6 or higher.

## Broncos will wash cars

The Bronco Basketball Team will hold a car wash on Saturday, June 12, from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Lowe's parking lot.

The team is raising funds to attend a basketball camp on June 20. Come out and support the Broncos!

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## Clarendon Honor Roll

**3rd Grade:** Zachary Lafree, Lauren Medina, Zachary Watson, Taylor Gaines, Cedrick McCampbell, Kristin Miller, Kaylee Sciacca, Tate Slavenhagen, and Addison Warren

**4th Grade:** Pharaa Berry, Zachary Cornell, Kaylee Hoeltzel, Felicia Miller, Tyler Smith, Jacy Hill, Camra Kilmert, Chance McAnear, Camra Smith, Ryan Starnes, Minnie Buckhaults, Haley Ferguson, Emberli Holland, Audra Thomas, and Savannah Topper

**5th Grade:** J.D. Baxter, Maritta Brady, Kenzie Perryman, Jency Burton, Anna Cenicerros, Gabby Rodriguez, Jentry Shadle, Audrey Shelton, Adam Topper, and Cole Ward

**6th Grade:** Mikayla Shadle

**7th Grade:** Neil Devin, Maegan Hysinger, Miranda Miller, Dominique Brady, Kelsey Mullins, Natalie Rodriguez, Bradley Watson, and Daniel West

**8th Grade:** Nelson Devin, Erika Edwards, Brandi Mays, and Tony Sisomsook

**9th Grade:** Charlea Hoeltzel, Morgan Hysinger, Audrey Jones, Abbie Massingill, and Amelia Taylor

**10th Grade:** Erin Holland and Abby Patten

**11th Grade:** Haley Carter, Tamara Holland, Regan Lemley, and Jake Miser

**12th Grade:** Carmen Hamilton and Anndria Kidd

**13th Grade:** Uthala Abdullah and Shanna Shelton

**14th Grade:** Lacey Eads and Joaena Horn

**AB Honor Roll**

**1st Grade:** Dustin Crump, Casey Jo Harney, Montana Hysinger, Lee Roy Buckhaults, Destiney Lenz, Matthew Lunsford, Brittney McAnear, and Stone Schwertner

**2nd Grade:** Sarah Barker, Zhane Bassett, Jonathan Cartwright, Shannon Jordan, McKayla King, Charles Mason, Christian Ramirez, Tony Saitta, Taylor Smith, Lynzee Bryley, Ty Butcher, Shantel Harris, Jacob Miller, Leslie Stone, Jessica Cenicerros, Cody Harjo, David Johnston, Austin Lowry,

**3rd Grade:** Emilee Bolton Blum, Holly Butcher, McKayla Cartwright, Trevor Cobb, Lee Cook, McKabry Dyer, Trajan Johnson, Elizabeth O'Rear, Dusty Rice, Jonah Sell, Rowdy Speed, Iesha Trevino, Maci White, Nicco Bennett, Tyler Burch, Joey Lawson, Channing Maul, Bryce McCary, Diego Santos, and Cameron Wright

**4th Grade:** Brooklyn Bailey, Elizabeth Christopher, Trevela Dronzek, Torie Garrard, Jordan Luna, Andrew Tiedeman, Nathan Dziedzic, Skyler Greer, Kae Lea Hewett, Brandon Mcafee, Cynthia Medina, and Summer Petrie

**5th Grade:** Savannah Harkness, Charleston Harris, Quincy Harris, Shantel Harris, Bryce Hatley, Cody Hill, Jacy Hill, Cori Hinijosa, Kaylee Hoeltzel, Emberli Holland, Tres Hommel, Hannah Hommel, Maegan Hysinger, Montana Hysinger, Reanna Jackson, Joseph Jaramillo, Raymond Jaramillo, Trajan Johnson, David Johnston, Shannon Jordan, Edward Graham, Kiki Hill, Blayne Layton, John Levario, Doran Lindsey, Austin Lowry, Jerah Luna, Matthew Lunsford, Charles Mason, Channing Maul, Brandon McAfee, Brittney McAnear, Kelsey McAnear, Patrick McAnear, Cedrick McCampbell, Shaquille McCampbell, Alicia Medina, Cynthia Medina, Paul Medina, Brandon Miller, Miranda Miller, Kimbra Mills, Kelsey Mullins, Thomas, Destiney Pate O'Neill, Rhonda Olivias, Annie Patten, Taylor Perryman, Payge Petrie, Brayden Phillips, Amanda Powell, Bianca Ramirez, Chandace Ritchie, Gabby Rodriguez, Natalie Rodriguez, Steven Saitta, Diego Santos, Stone Schwertner, Kaylee Sciacca, David Scott, Jonah Sell, Audrey Shelton, Clayton Shields, Kameron Shields, Alyse Simpson, Safiq Sindhia, Taylor Smith, Rowdy Speed, Ryan Starnes, Tanner Stavenhagen, Tate Stavenhagen, Jordan Stone, Brandon C. Thomas, Brandon R. Thomas, Richard Tiedeman, Adam Topper, Savannah Topper, Ashley Tubbs, Addison Warren, Bradley Watson, Zachary Watson, Amelia Weatherton, Kaleigh West, Maci White, Skyler White, and Terance Wilson

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**8th Grade:** Billy Aaron, Jill Cornell, Paul Goetze, Trisha Hewett, Austin Howard, Tim Landis, Amanda Peterson, Kaylee Phillips, P.J. Ray, Camille Riles, Madison Shields, and Smith Sisomsook

**9th Grade:** Katie Askew, LaDez Captain, Erica Depew, Chelsea Hoeltzel, Kelsea Hoeltzel, Jessica Howard, Becky Peterson, Sarah Scribner, Brad Sell, Todd Thompson, and Shelby Watson

**10th Grade:** Will Betts, Gaitan Hall, Michael Henderson, Kaitlyn Howard, Stephanie Fowler, Jessica Hernandez, Tim Sears, Robert Shelton, Jamie Simmons, Destiny Weatherton, and Angel Williams

**11th Grade:** Matt Aaron, J. C. Blackburn, Blake Frye, Brittney Hall, Lydia Hartman, Adam Leeper,

**12th Grade:** Dakota Mayo, Sandra Ramirez, Drew Sell, and Equilla Weatherton

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**High School:** Katie Askew, Audrey Bennett, LaDez Captain, Thomas Elliott, Lance Ford, Chris Harris, Dakota Hill, Chelsea Hoeltzel, Kelsea Hoeltzel, Joel Horn, Jessica Howard, Jeremy Jeffers, Jon McGlaun, Martin Oliver, Ashley Petty, Brandon Phillips, Chad Carmel Hamilton, Kaitlyn Howard, Andrew Thomas, Todd Thompson, John Vaughn, Clint Watson, Shelby Watson, Will Betts, Will Drackley, Calvin Edwards, Stephen Ford, Carmen Hamilton, Kaitlyn Howard, Kristin McAfee, Edie Mincey, Ryan Petty, Juan Ramirez, Andy Roberts, Cody Scribner, Haley Shelton, Claudia Thomas, Chase Thornberry, Caitlin Wing, Amina Abdullah, Uthala Abdullah, Jessie Anderberg, Sarah Depew, Laura Dziedzic, Andrea Findley, Jesse Gowdy, Meghan Gribble, Andrea Helms, Jessica Hernandez, Tyler Lewis, Marissa McFarland, Tim Sanchez, Tim Sears, Robert Shelton, Shanna Shelton, Jamie Simmons, Lacey Eads, Blake Frye, Brittney Hall, Lydia Hartman, Joaena Horn, Jeremy Howard, Adam Leeper, Dakota Mayo, Ottavio Scribner, Drew Sell, Gary Utsey, and Equilla Weatherton

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

## Clarendon Insurance Agency

**Obituaries**  
**Harris**



Neal Devon Harris, age 10, died Sunday, June 6, 2004.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 12, 2004, at the First United Methodist Church in Clarendon with Rev. Melvin Brooks officiating. Burial will be in Citizens Cemetery under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc.

Neal was dead on arrival at Amarillo Emergency Receiving Center on Sunday after drowning at Greenbelt Lake. He was born February 6, 1994, in Amarillo and had been

a lifetime resident of Clarendon. He had just completed the fourth grade at Clarendon Elementary School. He was involved in Pee-Wee Football and Little Dribblers Basketball and loved riding and working on his bicycle. He was a Boy Scout and attended the First United Methodist Church summer camp. He was a member of St. Stephen's Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his grandfathers, Neal Smith and Alphonso Finney, and a brother, Timothy Jackson.

Survivors include his mother, Martha Harris of Clarendon; his father and stepmother, Tony and Cassandra Finney of Amarillo; seven sisters, Jaqueda Harris and Reanna Jackson of the home, Tamekia Whitely of Newark, New Jersey, Latoya Finney, Adriane Woods, and Alessandra Finney, all of Amarillo, and Bada Jasso of Houston; four brothers, Staff Sgt. Laron Moore of Ft. Hood,

Kileen, Texas, Alphonso Mills, Kendrick Mayes, and Ja'Toris Finney, all of Amarillo; his grandmothers, May D. Harris of Clarendon and Ruby Finney of Amarillo; a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, friends; and a special cousin, Wesley Williams.

**Morrow**

Funeral services for Johnny Dwayne Morrow, age 43, were held at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, June 9, 2004, in Robertson Chapel of Memories with Rev. Bryan Knowles, Pastor of the Community Fellowship Church in Clarendon, officiating. Burial was held in Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc., of Clarendon.

Mr. Morrow died Monday, June 7, 2004, in Amarillo. He was born in Groom on February 13, 1961. He was a 1979 graduate of Post High

School and had lived in Amarillo for approximately 20 years. He was a computer technician at BSA and Northwest Texas Hospitals in Amarillo and at the time of his death, was employed by Hastings in the shipping and receiving department. He was a Methodist.

Survivors include his father, John Tom Morrow and wife Mary Louise of Clarendon; his mother, Barbara Ford and husband Earl of Clarendon; one sister, Missy McKeever and husband Carroll; a niece Kyleigh and nephew Tyler, all of Burkburnett; and numerous loving aunts, uncles, and cousins.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial donations be made to BSA Hospice in Amarillo.

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 **the lion's tale**  
by allen estlack

Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting June 8 with Boss Lion Marvin Elam in charge.

We had 17 members and two guests present - Coach Gary Jack, guest of Lion Monty Hysinger, and Mary Ruth Bishop, guest of Lion Judy Burlin.

A club delegation will take off at 4 a.m. next Sunday to take our camper to meet the bus for the Texas Lions Camp in Kerrville.

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

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**THANK YOU**

Words cannot express how blessed we are. Thank you for the visits, flowers, food, cards, gifts, and most of all your prayers. May God bless you richly.

Sue Howard

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The family of Nathan Estlack would like to thank the entire community for everything you did through thought, word, or deed during his recent hospitalization. Your countless prayers and many acts of kindness have moved us beyond words, and we will never forget them. With your support and by the grace of God, Nathan's health has been restored, and we look forward to watching him grow up among friends like all of you.

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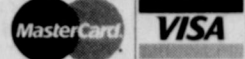
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**Clarendon Lions Club** Regular meeting each Tuesday at noon. Marvin Elam, Boss Lion. Monty Hysinger, Secretary

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## Country Club hosts Memorial Day scramble

By Sandy Anderberg

Summer seems to be in full swing as the Clarendon Country Club has been busy hosting several tournaments over the last week.

The Club held an 18-hole scramble on Memorial Day with 69 players participating, making up 16 teams. Taking first place with 16 under par was Mike Santos, Quida Gage, Jason Myers, Mindy Watts, and Janet Davis.

Second place winners were Butch Schollenbarger, Ken Shelton, Gail Leathers, Kam King, Wade King, and Taylor Shelton with 14 under par. Brian Brown, Wayne Taylor, Sherol Johnston, Simon

Walsh, Greta Byars, and Mike Butts finished in third place with 13 under par; and coming in fourth with twelve under par was Jeremy Hicks, Ty Jack, Theresa Shelton, Jay Sherrill, Cody Whittington, and Brad Land.

The winners of the 29-team Two Guys and a Gal tournament held June 5-6 in the championship flight were Dick, Russell, and Holtzclaw with a 114. Graves, Stroud, Messenger came in second with a 116. Finishing third were Donahue, Donahue, and Beck with a 123.

There was a three-way tie for first in the first flight with all of the teams turning in a 128 and a play off on the card decided the win-

ners, which were Hertel, Hertel, and Palmer. Johnston, Johnston, and Schollenbarger finished second; and Edwards, Kidd, and Dodson came in third. The second flight winners were Ramsey, Hawkins, and Cain with a 136. Maples, Maples, and Stephens were second with a 137, and Baker, Baker, and Stevenson took third place shooting a 140.

Butch Schollenbarger won the weekly men's game with a 66. Ellis Knight and Wendol Miller won second place with a 67; and Dan Ashford was fourth, turning in a 69. Ashford also shot under his age once again with an 82. Sherol Johnston won the women's game on Thursday

with a 68, and Frances Skelton and Quida Gage tied for second, with 70.

The Friday night scramble ended in a carry over with the team of Jerry Gage, Greta Byars, Sandy Anderberg, Bobbie Kidd, and Jason Myers coming in at four under and Doug Kidd, Bobby Dodson, Steve Nurek, Michael Thompson, and Simon Walsh turning in three under par.

The weekly Friday night scrambles begin at 6:00 p.m. On June 26 and 27, the CCC will host a Jack and Jill tournament. The entry fee is \$140 plus the price of a cart for the 36-hole tournament. For more information on the tournaments or memberships, call the Pro Shop at 874-2166.

## Myatt will take reins of Lady Bronco squad

By Sandy Anderberg

New to the Lady Broncos for the 2004-2005 basketball season is Steve Myatt former coach of Gruver High School.

Myatt will begin his duties in August, which will also include teaching history.

Myatt has coached for 16 years, 13 of which were at Gruver. Myatt showed a lot of success while at Gruver as he guided his team to the state tournament in 2003.

During his 16 years as a basketball coach, Myatt has made appearances in 16 play off games and has recorded 11 District Championships, 5 Regional Tournaments, 2 Regional Finalists and 1 State Finalist team. Myatt received his education at Texas Tech University and West

Texas A&M at Canyon.

Coach Myatt is excited about the prospects at CHS and is eager to begin.

"There are a lot of great girls in the basketball program, and I am so excited to get things rolling. I want to build a good program here, and I feel we have the talent to do some great things."

Myatt is married to Darla, who will also be employed by CISD in the elementary special education department. They have three daughters - Cassie, who will be a freshman at Texas Tech in the fall; Samantha, who will be a junior in high school; and Hallie, who is five years old.

The citizens of Clarendon would like to welcome Coach Steve Myatt and his family to the community.

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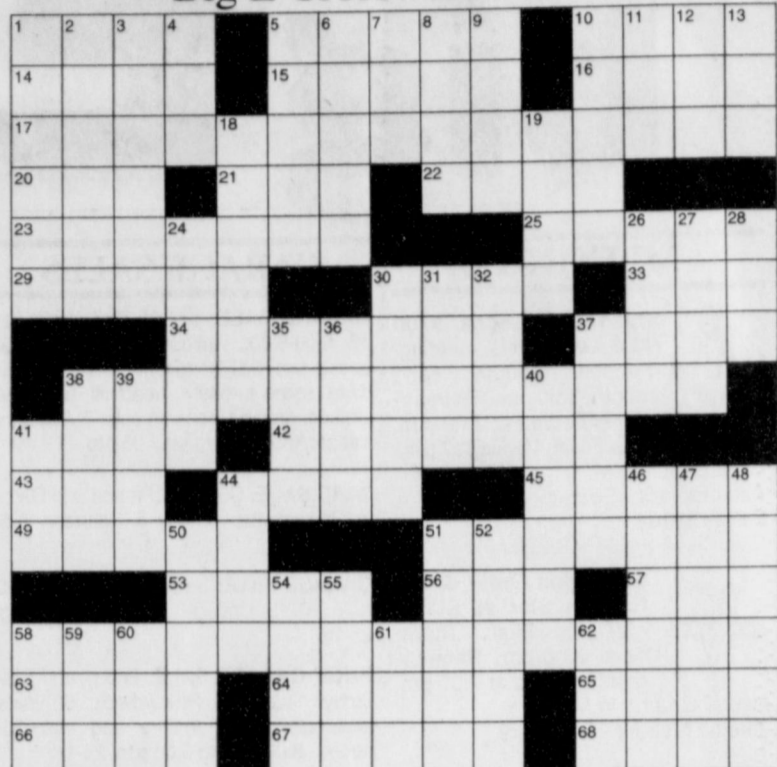
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#### CLUES ACROSS

1. \_\_\_ and Andy, TV show
5. Belongs to sun god
10. Large burrowing rodent of S and C America
14. NSC head
15. \_\_\_ and Juliet
16. Afresh
17. Thoroughbred breeding country
20. Lubricate
21. US, Latin America, Canada belong to
22. Arid
23. Printout
25. Mounts
29. Koran chapters
30. Socks
33. Thai
34. Communication
37. Folk singers, Leon and Eric
38. Florida, with "The"
41. Rabbit and cauliflower
42. Refers to magma
43. Large African antelope
44. \_\_\_ Christian Anderson, children's author
45. Ousted despot
49. "Beau \_\_\_," 1939 Gary Cooper film
51. Subjugate
53. Sanskrit language
56. A very large body of

#### CLUES DOWN

1. Supports climbing plants
2. Environment
3. About visual sense
4. Look at
5. Claudio \_\_\_, Chilean pianist
6. Brown by heat
7. Type of RAM
8. "Untouchable"
9. An open skin infection
10. Beeps wherever you are
11. Black tropical cuckoo
12. Corporate exec
13. Slender bristlelike appendage found on grasses
18. Pinches
19. Geological times
24. Curses
26. Mine shaft

27. Bambino
28. A person's brother or sister
30. A public announcement (in church) of a proposed marriage
31. Double curve
32. Monetary unit in Mexico
35. Islam
36. Signal
37. Primary (vs secondary)
38. Mentally healthy
39. Extinct European wild ox
40. Oriental moth that produces brownish silk
41. Encourage
44. A group of sheep
46. Many-petaled flower
47. Tear away
48. In a way, brought into disorder
50. Bulrushes
51. Town in Surrey, Eng
52. Motivations
54. Pedestal part
55. Manipulated
58. Determine the sum of
59. \_\_\_ Paulo, city
60. Mo.
61. Referee declares
62. Suffix, similar

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