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

Stanley Chevrolet to host blood drive

Coffee Memorial Blood Center will hold a "Boots 'n Badges Competition" blood drive next Thursday, July 3, in the showroom of Stanley Chevrolet from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Whose blood runs through your veins? Vote for your favorite local hero.

And eligible donors receive T-shirts. Call 331-8800 for appointment.

Methodists to hold fifth Sunday service

The First United Methodist Church of Clarendon will hold a special service this Sunday as part of its series of fifth Sunday services.

Four times during the year, the church's schedule is changed to allow a combination of the contemporary early service and the traditional service.

This Sunday, the schedule will be as follows: Worship and Children's Church at 9 a.m., Sunday School at 10 a.m., and Brunch at 11 a.m. to welcome Rev. Terry Lowe and his wife, Judy.

Class of 1998 to hold reunion in July

The Clarendon High School Class of 1998 will have a reunion in Clarendon on July 4 and 5.

Classmates wanting details and more information can call 359-1712.

CC cheerleading tryouts June 28

Clarendon College will hold Bulldog Cheerleading Squad tryouts on Saturday, June 28, at 9 a.m. in the Bulldog Gymnasium.

The tryouts are open to anyone who will be attending CC this fall. Everyone trying out will be required to chant, perform jumps, and learn a dance.

For more information about becoming a Clarendon College Bulldog Cheerleader, contact Rusty Kennedy at 874-4834.

Square House to conduct workshop

The Texas Historical Commission in conjunction with the Carson County Square House Museum will conduct a free oral history training workshop at the Carson County Square House Museum, located at Fifth and Elsie Streets in Panhandle on June 28, from 9 a.m. to noon.

The workshop, one of a series taking place across the state with funding provided by the Houston Endowment and the Summerlee Foundation of Dallas, is designed for people wishing to learn how to conduct and record oral histories pertaining to World War II.

Call to Worship

Historic bell gets new perch

Members of St. Mary's Catholic Church joyously rang in the completion of a three-year construction project this past week with a new 20 ft. bell tower.

"I'm thrilled," said parish member and project chairman Chris Clifford. "This has been a project our parish has been working on for a while now, and it is good to see it finished."

The bell was originally situated above of the church, which was built in 1892 as the Panhandle's first Catholic church. More than 60 years ago, however, the bell was removed to Amarillo after a storm damaged the building.

Three years ago the bell was returned to Clarendon, but it was only installed on a temporary platform at ground level.

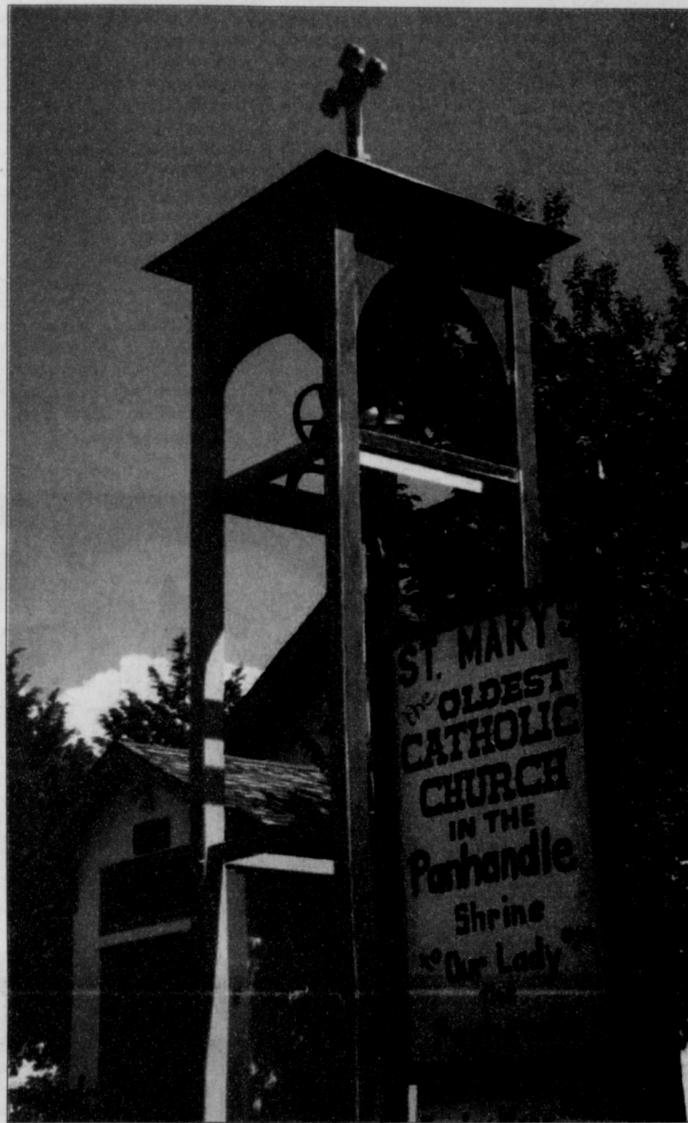
A generous donation of time by Earl Britten of Groom resulted in engineered drawings that were necessary to start the bell tower project. Mike Keotting of Keotting Construction in Amarillo constructed the tower.

Made of solid steel construction, the tower stands 20 ft. tall from the concrete base to the Celtic cross that tops the tower. Arches within the tower's construction mirror those of the church's windows, and the structure is painted light green to match the church trim.

The tower was built in Amarillo and then trucked to Clarendon, where members of the parish painted it along with the church bell. Keotting Construction erected the tower last Thursday, and parish members made final touches in the painting.

"A lot of people have worked hard to make this happen," Clifford said. "Support for the project has been tremendous."

Clifford explained that Keotting, who often attends mass in Clarendon, donated



St. Mary's church bell once again stands tall.

ENTERPRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLACK

much of the concrete work for the tower. Funding came through city ballpark, which members of but also parish fundraisers. Chief among the fundraisers has been the concession stand at the two years.

Enterprise wins state competition

THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE received the top award for newspapers of its size during the Texas Press Association's 2007 Better Newspaper Contest this past Saturday in Arlington.

The local paper claimed its second state Sweepstakes award after competing in a field of 21 other newspapers of similar circulations in Division 9.

"We've always said that it's a team effort that allows us to win these awards, and this year was a great example of that," said publisher Roger Estlack. "Each of our staff members contributed to one or more first place awards."

The ENTERPRISE earned first place plaques in four categories. The paper won in Advertising with work done by Julie Shields, Ashlee Estlack, and Roger Estlack. Anndria Kidd's photos earned the first place plaque in the Feature Photo category.

Roger Estlack received first place wins with Editorials on Gov. Perry's community college funding cuts and the need for a city administrator and with Columns on the Texas Pledge of Allegiance and his father's words of wisdom.

"I'm very pleased by the effort put forth by our staff," Estlack said. "We have a tradition of putting out a great newspaper with only a handful of employees. We wouldn't have the paper we have without the hard work of the people in the office and our correspondents."

The paper also received a second place certificate in News Writing and a fourth place certificate for Page Design.

This is the second time the ENTERPRISE has won the top award from the state press association. The first was in 2000.

The contest was judged by members of the Wisconsin Press Association.

This year 188 newspapers submitted 1,924 entries to the TPA contest in ten divisions. The awards were announced during the 129th annual TPA Summer Convention.

Office Director Anndria Kidd attended the convention and received the awards on behalf of the ENTERPRISE. Estlack also attended the convention but could not be at the awards brunch.

Also at this year's convention, Roy Robinson of the GRAHAM LEADER was named president of the state association. On Monday, he selected Estlack to serve as an appointed member of the TPA Board of Directors, a position the local editor also held under the previous president.

Consumers can cut food costs with planning, research

COLLEGE STATION - Grocery stores and restaurants should be approached like major appliance outlets - with thorough research and planning.

That's according to Dr. Jenna Anding, Texas AgriLife Extension Service nutrition specialist, who said rising food costs can be cut with thoughtful study.

More than \$3,600 is spent each year per person on food, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

"That's like buying a plasma television for each person in your family," Anding noted. "Wouldn't you know everything about a major expenditure like that before you buy it?"

About half of a person's annual food bill is for grocery purchases while the other half is for eating out, the USDA reports. But Anding said people need to assess where their money is being spent in order to make informed choices about where

to cut. "If you can, keep track of all your grocery receipts, your receipts from eating out," she said. "Do that over the course of a month, and you'll get a better idea of how much you are really spending on food."

Anding said individuals and families also should determine how much to budget for food - something many people may not have realized is needed.

"It might be interesting to

know where your money is being spent. Are you spending the majority of your food dollars on crackers, cookies, dessert? Are you spending a lot of it on perishable foods that may go to waste?" she asked. "If you don't know how much money you're spending, odds are you don't know where you are spending that money."

Some things to consider when making changes, Anding suggested, include whether to buy convenience

foods or pre-prepared foods or to make food from scratch.

Instant rice costs 27 cents per serving while long grain white rice costs 6 cents per serving, she noted.

"The more someone has to prepare it for you, the more you are going to pay for it," she said. "So, instead of instant rice, can you cook your own rice?"

Another revelation from examining receipts may be that a lot of

See 'Food' on page 3.

State approves \$1 million grant for water conservation

AUSTIN - The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) Monday approved financial assistance to the Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District (District) in the amount of \$1,000,000 from the Agricultural Water Conservation Loan Program to provide financing for an agriculture water conservation program.

The District will utilize the funds to provide loans to purchase center pivot irrigation systems.

The District's jurisdictional area covers all or parts of nine counties in the Panhandle of Texas.

These counties are Carson, Gray, Donley, Roberts, Armstrong, Potter, Hutchinson, Hemphill and Wheeler. The area covers 6,378 square miles of 4,150,136 acres. The District has 967,000 cultivated areas of which 281,500 are irrigated.

Principal crops in the District are wheat, grain sorghum, corn, and sunflowers.

TWDB is the agency charged with collecting and disseminating water-related data, assisting with regional planning, and preparing the State Water Plan for the development of the state's water resources.



A Modest Proposal

A unique surprise was in store for Clarendon's Anndria Kidd Sunday afternoon when she and longtime boyfriend Michael Newhouse took an airplane ride over some Donley County farmland. Newhouse had earlier written "Will you marry me?" across 40 acres with a 36-foot plow. The answer, which kept Kidd safely in the plane, was "Yes."

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Haze about the second amendment

By Robert A. Levy

This month, the U.S. Supreme Court is expected to decide *District of Columbia v. Heller*, the most important Second Amendment case in the court's history.

More than five years ago, six Washington, D.C., residents challenged the constitutionality of the city's 32-year ban on all functional firearms in the home. If the challenge is successful, it will mean the court has revisited and perhaps reversed *United States v. Miller*, the second most important Second Amendment case in the court's history. For nearly seven decades, gun controllers and gun rights advocates alike have struggled to apply the murky doctrines propounded by Justice James Clark McReynolds in his 1939 *Miller* opinion.

Does the right to keep and bear arms belong to us as individuals? Does that right extend to private use of arms? Or does the Second Amendment simply authorize the states to arm the members of their militias? The court will have to answer those threshold questions before deciding whether the D.C. gun ban is constitutional. Given the bizarre history of the *Miller* case, its dubious analysis and inconclusive result, about the only guidance *Miller* offers is how not to go about setting a Supreme Court precedent.

In *Miller*, two mobsters, Jack Miller and Frank Layton, were indicted for transporting a sawed-off shotgun across state lines, in violation of the 1934 National Firearms Act. Neither Miller nor Layton was charged with firing the gun or committing any crime involving use of the gun. They were indicted for a technical violation of the registration and tax requirements of the Act.

When the lower court held that the NFA violated the Second Amendment, the U.S. government appealed to the Supreme Court. There, the case took a strange turn. The court gave Miller's counsel, Paul Gutensohn, a mere two weeks to submit his written brief and prepare for a grueling interrogation by the justices. Gutensohn, who was court-appointed and had not been compensated, replied he had received neither the government's brief nor a copy of the trial record. He said he wanted to file a brief, but doubted he could travel all the way to Washington, D.C., for oral argument.

The court then offered Gutensohn a delay until late April. Apparently exasperated, he declined by telegram: "Suggest case be submitted on [government's] brief. Unable to obtain any money from clients to be present and argue case." Gutensohn's proposal - that only the government's brief would inform the court, with no response by the defendants - was arguably malpractice and surely contrary to his clients' interests. He should have asked that new counsel be appointed and that the argument be further delayed if necessary. That would have offered a semblance of due process to Miller and Layton. More important, it would have ensured that the crucial Second Amendment question would get a full briefing and fair hearing before the court. In any event, Miller and Layton had no written brief to support them, and no legal representation at oral argument.

When it was all over, the Supreme Court reversed the lower court's holding that the NFA violated the Second Amendment. The high court's conclusion hinged, not on the defendants' qualification for militia service, but on the particular weapon that was the subject of their indictment. Here's the crucial passage from McReynolds' opinion: "In the absence of any evidence tending to show that possession or use of a [sawed-off] shotgun ... has some reasonable relationship to the preservation or efficiency of a well-regulated militia, we cannot say that the Second Amendment guarantees the right to keep and bear such an instrument." Thus, Miller applies to the type of weapon, not to the question whether the Second Amendment protects all individuals, only members of a militia or just states.

McReynolds' refusal to resolve that key question triggered a debate that lasts to this day. In the end, Miller was sent back to the lower court to determine whether a sawed-off shotgun had military utility. Before a new trial could be conducted, Jack Miller was shot and killed. Frank Layton agreed to a plea bargain and was sentenced to five years on probation.

Fortunately, *Heller* presents the Supreme Court with another opportunity to declare its allegiance in the battles between the written and "living" Constitutions. The text of the Second Amendment clearly protects the right of "the people" - not states, not militias, but "people" to "keep and bear arms." By striking down the D.C. gun ban, the Supreme Court can affirm that basic principle and restore the Second Amendment to its rightful place of dignity within the Bill of Rights.

Robert A. Levy is a senior fellow at the Cato Institute, co-counsel to Mr. Heller, and co-author of *The Dirty Dozen: How Twelve Supreme Court Cases Radically Expanded Government and Eroded Freedom*.



Transportation shapes Texas history

By US Sen. John Cornyn

Transportation has always shaped the destiny of Texas. Systems for moving people and products are more complicated and even more vital today, as highways, airports, rail lines, waterways, and pipelines generate our economic growth.

When Texas was a new state, most transportation was by road. But the best indicator of economic growth then was a relatively new invention - the railroad. Fortunes were made, and towns lived or died, depending on where a railroad decided to site a station.

Railroads also brought excitement. The competition to build a coast-to-coast rail line captivated the nation after the Civil War. The first transcontinental link accommodated the northern states. When the final spike was driven in 1869 at Promontory Summit in Utah, it was a signature moment in U.S. history.

Soon thereafter, all eyes turned to Texas, where an epic race was underway to complete the first southern transcontinental link.

Pushing from the west was Collis Huntington, who expanded his Southern Pacific line through southwestern territories and across the Sierra Blanca Pass in mountains southeast of El Paso.

His rival from the east was Jay Gould's Texas and Pacific Railway (T&P). In just 21 months, T&P laid 520 miles of track westward out of Fort Worth "winding through twelve counties inhabited principally by Indians, prairie dogs, and coyotes."

By November 1881, the competing railroads were within 10 miles of each other, but neither side was ready to concede the final stretch. "It looked like T&P might get there first, so Huntington sent a wagonload of whiskey to the T&P work gang, camped twenty-five miles east of Van Horn. The drunk lasted a week and a half and gave Southern Pacific the victory," according to *Texas Trains*.

After Huntington and Gould made a deal, the *Handbook of Texas* reports "on December 15 Gould drove a silver spike to join the two roads seven miles southeast of Sierra Blanca Mountain. Transcontinental service began the next day."

A decade later, public resentment over railroad business practices led Texas Gov. James Hogg to start regulation via the new Texas Railroad Commission. The commissioners later supervised buses and trucks; and after oil was discovered, energy pipelines and

well production were added.

As we transition to alternative sources, producing more traditional energy at home should be our immediate goal. Yet politicians in Washington continue to oppose this obvious answer. This leaves us with higher fuel prices, and it entrusts our economic security to foreign producers, including some hostile to the U.S.

America knows where to find energy. We should start immediately to develop these resources: exploring offshore, extracting oil from western state shale, and opening more development in Alaska.

There are other action items even while we pursue alternative and renewable energy sources - expanding our refinery capacity, expanding nuclear and developing clean coal. All these common-sense solutions have been blocked by political considerations.

America's can-do spirit has always pushed advances in transportation - from railroads, to automobiles and airplanes. As we look for the next transportation innovation, we know it will require energy. If Washington will get out of the way, ideas for producing that energy can move ahead.



Replenish highway trust fund for Texas

The federal Highway Trust Fund, which is the largest single source of funding for Texas' 79,000 miles of roads, is on the brink of insolvency. Unless Congress takes action, there will be a 34 percent cut in U.S. highway and bridge investment, which will cause our transportation infrastructure to deteriorate and our economy to suffer. I am working in bipartisan cooperation with other members of the Texas Congressional delegation to prevent this from happening.

In recent years, funding has been borrowed from the Highway Trust Fund for emergencies, like the devastating Minneapolis-St. Paul bridge collapse in 2007. These funds must be replenished in order to maintain the solvency of the trust fund.

If the federal Highway Trust Fund goes in the red, our state will be one of the biggest losers. Texas could expect nearly 30 percent less in highway maintenance and improvement funds for fiscal year 2009. Nearly 30,000 Texans would lose their construction jobs, the second greatest loss of any state.

In the Senate, I introduced a mea-

sure that will replenish the Highway Trust Fund and keep highway projects funded through 2009. The legislation must still be approved in the House of Representatives and signed by the President to go into effect.

However, we need a long-term fix. When Congress does consider a permanent solution to maintain the solvency of the federal Highway Trust Fund, I will work to make sure Texas receives its fair share of transportation dollars. We've already made great strides in this area. When I came to the Senate in 1993, our state received only 76 cents in transportation funding for every one dollar we paid in gas taxes. But in the years since, I have worked with my colleagues to increase our average annual funding by almost \$800 million - or 92 cents on the dollar - making



capitol comment

by sen. kay bailey hutchison

Texas second only to California in federal transportation support. The money Texans pay should be used on Texas roads, and I will continue my efforts to secure a 100 percent return on our gas tax dollars.

In Texas, some of our new major projects may rely on toll funding in one form or another. I believe that tolls can be useful as one part of the solution when done with local input and consent. A perfect example is the George Bush Tollway in North Texas. But tolls should never be placed on highways that have already been paid for by Texas taxpayers. That would be a violation of the public trust. Although we need to solve our transportation problems, we must do it in a way that is fair and honorable to the people of Texas.

Businesses and communities depend on efficient, properly managed infrastructure, which allows people to live and work wherever they choose. We must work hard to find responsible solutions to our transportation needs to keep our residents safe and our economy thriving.

Don't blame Democrats for gas prices

First, let's address the caribou. If I'm not mistaken, the Republicans were in control of both houses and the White House until the last election. Why did the Republicans not pass legislation to kill the reindeers and the polar bears once and for all? After all, this oil crisis didn't just start last November. The Republicans didn't get anything done, so let's blame those gun hating, anti-god, and gas-guzzling Democrats! This will surely get Mr. McCain elected.

Do you still think the high price of gasoline is caused by supply and demand? Are you driving as much as you used to? Neither am I. The only ones who have a viable interest in the oil bidness. They are either in the oil business, have stock in one of the oil companies, or work in the oilfields. Most all of our oil comes from Mexico, Canada, and the good old USA. Plus, we are still exporting oil. This I do not understand. Maybe in one of your future columns, you could explain this to us.

I am truly sorry it cost over \$75 to fill your vehicle. This is still a capitalistic country, so start selling your papers

for \$4. That would fix your economic problem, wouldn't it? That seems to be the way Exxon-Mobile is fixing theirs.

Personally, I don't believe there is a shortage of crude oil. I believe there is a shortage of refining capacity that was created on purpose to help Big Oil the last four years of Mr. Bush's term. The Republicans could have passed laws to override any tree huggers, polar bear lovers, and reindeer haters who did not want a refinery in their backyard when they had control of everything. Why do you suppose they didn't take care of this business when they had the opportunity? You don't suppose that some of the Republicans could be tree huggers... No! No! No! It just couldn't be. I'm ashamed to have had such a thought!

Speaking of Republicans, Democrats, and any other, why do you suppose it took a newspaper reporter inspecting a VA Hospital to find out how we were treating our injured heroes? Doesn't that just make you want to take a dip of snuff when you hear a politician raving about what a good job our brave young soldiers are doing and then find out their

medical treatment is substandard? Where did they take Sen. Kennedy when he had a medical problem? If they deem him disabled, will it take several months for him to get a disability check? God bless our elected officials.

Politicians don't play fair. You are the mouthpiece for Donley County, and yet you choose to ignore the good-ole boy system in your own courthouse.

Brad Dalton, Donley County

Doing a good turn

I would like to take time to Thank Mr. Mike Santos. He walked across the highway and fixed a blowout that my family and I had on the road on Monday. We had a tornado Sunday night at Childress and were taking my little Grandson home to Pampa and had a blowout out past the Lake by the Golf Course. We drove on the spare tire to Pampa, and I had to buy a new tire and a rim.

Thanks, Again, Mr. Santos.

Freda Dodson and Family Childress

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Food: Common sense moves can keep costs down

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non-food items are purchased at a grocery store. Anding said these items might cost less at discount stores.

"You might want to look at the kinds of food you are buying. If you are buying a lot of national or name brands, maybe you can try some store brands," she said. "There are a lot of private label store brands that are really good quality, and they taste good."

Another thing to do, she said, is look for sale items and use coupons.

"If you can keep track of what items you need and what coupons you have, then when you hit the store, if it's a good deal and you have a coupon, then you might be able to save some extra money," said Anding, noting that one shouldn't buy an item only because of the coupon.

"Even if you have a coupon, you still might be able to get a better deal looking at a private label or a store brand."

Other ideas:

Keep a list of items that are bought on a regular basis and track how much those items cost. That will help you recognize a bargain if you see those items on sale elsewhere.

Cut back on things like snack foods, chips, and cookies.

Scale back on sodas to opt for less expensive iced tea (brewed at home) or water.

Buy fresh fruit in season at a lower cost to take the place of a sweet snack.

Stick with traditional grocery stores and supermarkets for many items, but also explore discount stores, farmers' markets, bakery thrift stores, and dollar stores for

best buys.

Plan well to use what you buy. Some research has suggested that as much as 25 percent of our food goes to waste.

Get others in the family involved. That way, they'll be more likely to accept what you are cooking.

"The most expensive food you will ever buy is the food you throw away. If you are throwing away that cantaloupe that cost you \$2 last week, you are throwing away \$2," Anding said.

"And the \$2 here and \$3 there, that adds up."

She suggested doing periodic inventories of food on hand, moving older items to the front of the refrigerator, freezer, and pantry. That way, the older food gets used before it goes to waste.

"When I go to plan my meals for the week, I look at what I have on hand. And if I have a package of ground beef or chicken or some fish, those are the things I am going to use first because those are the things I've already paid for," she said. "Use them first and then finish out the rest of your meal."

"It is going to take a little time, but if you think about how much money we spend on food, over the course of a year, it is worth the investment," she added.

"Take a little bit of time each week to sit down, plan your meals in advance, look at what's on sale at the grocery store, look at what you have on hand. Then you are using your time to help plan more nutritious meals and hopefully save some money when you are shopping for food."



the lion's tale

by roger estlack

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular Tuesday noon meeting June 24, 2008, with Boss Lion Richard Sheppard in charge.

We had 18 members and three guests this week - Lori Wills, guest of Lion Jerry Woodard; and Anndria Kidd and Ashlee Estlack, guests of Lion Roger Estlack.

The Boss Lion recapped his year in office and said PDG Jack King will be installing our new officers next week. It was also reported that Lion King has challenged us to be a "100 Percent Club" for the Texas Lions Camp, and the club voted to make the appropriate donation.

Miss Kidd related her recent airplane adventure for the enjoyment of the club.

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

weather report

Day	Date	High	Low	Perc
Mon	16	99°	66°	-
Tues	17	100°	65°	-
Wed	18	89°	62°	55°
Thur	19	89°	63°	08°
Fri	20	93°	61°	65°
Sat	21	90°	66°	T
Sun	22	87°	60°	-

Total precipitation this month: 2.26"
Total precipitation to date: 5.97"
Total precipitation in June last year: 3.41"
Total YTD last year: 16.06"

weekend forecast

Friday, June 27
Isol'd T-Storms
98°/66°

Saturday, June 28
Isol'd T-Storms
93°/64°

Sunday, June 29
Mostly Sunny
96°/66°

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Shutterbugs

Kari Lindsey and Garrett Bridwell conducted a basic photography class for 4-H members last week at the Burton Memorial Library. Shown here are (back) Kylie Wood, Kameron Shields, McKayla King, Cire Jauregui, Matthew Martinez, Emily Martinez, (front) Alysse Simpson, Hanna Hommel, Sterling King, and Shelby Musick.

Drugs in the News

Drug for Enlarged Prostate Reduces Cancer Risk
Approximately 200,000 men in the US are diagnosed with prostate cancer each year. This cancer is usually diagnosed from the results of the digital rectal exam (DRE) and a blood test called the PSA (prostate-specific antigen) test. The American Cancer Society recommends both tests be offered each year to men beginning at age 50. Most cases of prostate cancer are currently treated with radiation or surgery.
A drug that has long been used to treat enlargement of the prostate (benign prostatic hyperplasia or BPH) may become an additional weapon in the fight against prostate cancer. Recently, researchers presented data at a meeting of the American Urological Association from a seven year study of almost 19,000 men age 55 and older who did not have prostate cancer. One group had received the drug finasteride (Proscar) while another group had received placebo (fake medication). The men who received finasteride experienced a reduced risk of developing cancer of the prostate by as much as 25 to 30 percent.

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Menus

June 30 - July 4
Donley County Senior Citizens

Mon: Tuna salad, lettuce, AuGratin potatoes, veggie sticks, watermelon slices, bread.

Tue: Meatloaf, mac & cheese, green beans, salad, fried pies, rolls

Wed: Chicken strips, cream gravy, twice baked potatoes, fruit salad, apple crisp, bread

Thu: Barbeque sandwich on a bun, pickle slices, cheese sticks, potato salad, cookies

Fri: Holiday

Hedley Senior Citizens

Mon: BBQ beef, fried okra, chips, cantaloupe, brownie, bun.

Tues. - Fri. Menu not available

Good lookin' dog available

Patsy Spier was sent to BSA Hospital Friday, June 13, by ambulance with a severe urinary tract and kidney infection. She was sent home on Monday. She is much better except for having no energy and being wiped out. I pray she does much better and gets back to work soon.

If you are looking for a good dog, please go see the small border collie mix that is at the Clarendon Veterinary Hospital with Dr. Guy Ellis. He is beautiful and would make someone a very good pet. I found him roaming the roads and took him to Guy.

Recipe: Super Easy Jelly Donuts: 20 refrigerated buttermilk biscuits (2 cans), 1/2 cup jelly, 1 egg and oil for frying. Heat oil. Flatten biscuits until dough is almost see-thru; Place 2 teaspoons of jelly on 10 flattened biscuits. Brush egg whites around the outside of jellied biscuits. Place the rest of the flattened biscuits on top and press around the edges to secure. Fry in hot oil until golden brown, drain on paper towel, and enjoy.

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Bruises are most common skin injury CC names 80 to honor lists

By MaryRuth Bishop, AgriLife Agent
Bruises are the most common skin injury, usually caused by a bump or fall. With age, our skin is more likely to bruise because tiny veins in our skin become less elastic and sturdy.

The actual injury is to the deeper tissues beneath your skin; a bruise appears when blood from the injured tissue gathers near your skin's surface. The bruised area may be tender for a day or two, but the pain usually goes away as the bruise color fades.

If you bruise easily, ask your doctor or pharmacist to review your medications to see if bruising is a side effect. Medications and supplements that have been shown to increase bruising include: Aspirin, Blood thinners, Ginseng, Ginkgo Biloba, and Excess Vitamin E.

Home Treatment for Bruises: Do not massage your bruise. Apply ice or a cold pack in 15 minute intervals during the first 48 hours to help vessels get smaller and reduce swelling. The sooner you apply ice, the less bleeding and bruising there will be.

Avoid taking aspirin to relieve pain, since aspirin slows blood clotting. Take acetaminophen (Tylenol) instead. Please note: Check with your doctor before stopping aspirin, if your doctor prescribed it for you.

Elevate the bruised area, if possible. Elevation causes blood to leave the area and there will be less swelling.

Apply heat with a warm towel, hot water bottle, or heating pad if the area is still painful after 48 hours. Consult Your Doctor If: You

have a bruise that swells or is extremely painful, especially if you take blood-thinning medication. A bruise to a toe or finger results in a hemorrhage (collection of blood) under your toenail or fingernail. You notice that you're bruising easily or for no apparent reason. A bruise does not fade significantly within 10 days or fails to fade completely after three weeks.

Quilt Quest class will have a "do over" because of storms last week this week June 26 at 6 p.m. at the Burton Memorial Library.

Clarendon College named 40 students to the president's list for the spring 2008 semester. Each achieved a grade point average of between 4.0 while completing at least 12 credit hours.

CC also named 40 students to the dean's list for the spring 2008 semester. Each achieved a grade point average of between 3.6 and 3.99 while completing at least 12 credit hours.

The students on the President's List by hometown are: Joshua Kroger, Amarillo; Bryant Shores, Amarillo; Dalia Marroquin, Brownsville; Phillip Aja, Buckeye, Ariz.; John Wagner, Buckeye, Ariz.; Sydni Benge, Canadian; Anndria Kidd, Clarendon; Tabitha Rippetoe, Clarendon; Mary Manley, Childress; Leo Sellers, Denver City; Henry Ruiz, Eagle Pass; Kevin Murray, Fort Worth; Jessica Thompson, Franklin, Vermont; Kathryn Moore, Frisco; Jaci Copelin, Hedley; Kristin McAfee, Hedley; Ronald Shaw, Hilmar, Calif.; Ethan Richardson, Honey Grove; Kerrese Hogg, Honolulu, Hawaii; Natalie Clark, Houston; Paul Morales, Humble; John Weatherbee, Lubbock; Ericka Guy, Memphis; Cody Boulter, Nixon; Westley Goldstein, Nixon; Veronica Mendoza, Odessa; Michelle Beck, Paducah; Shaunna Gray, Pampa; Heather Heiskell, Pampa; Anita Kerns, Pampa; Christina Long, Pampa; Susan Miller, Pampa; Lashaunda Roland, Pampa; Jessica Silva, Pampa; Kala Winn, Pampa; Caitlin Forrest, Paxton, Neb.; Angel Celedon, San Antonio; Ashley Reeder, Shamrock; Jace McMath, Willard, New Mexico; and David Jatta, Valby, Copenhagen.

Dean's List: Corey Fischbacher, Amarillo; Melanie Hall, Blum, New Mexico; Zachary Tipps, Briscoe; John Helm, Childress; Hayley Holcomb, Childress; Lara Rhinehart, Clarendon; Joshua Hasty, Cleburne; Jason Morriss, Crestmead, Australia; Miguel Chavez, El Paso; Tyle Hankins, Gould, Okla.; Benjamin Shaw, Hedley; Laramy Friemel, Hereford; Derek Moore, Huffman; Thomas Shumate, Humble; Caleb Crosswhite, McKinney; Michael Boland, McLean; April Brown, Memphis; Mitchell Guerra, Moody; Scoot Tabrett, New South Wales; Jimmie Adams, Pampa; Benjamin Campbell, Pampa; Alicia Caviness, Pampa; Judith Davis, Pampa; Brady Eakin, Pampa; Mayra Hernandez, Pampa; Shannah Heymer, Pampa; David Kerns, Pampa; Johnny Meeck, Pampa; Angela Moxon, Pampa; Frank Shaw, Pampa; Chad Snell, Pampa; John West, Pampa; Jennifer Wise, Pampa; Jake Carpenter, Roswell, New Mexico; Tyson Boulter, Seguin; Magen Carter, Shamrock; Laura Thomas, Shamrock; Michael Allen, Valley Mills; Colby Harwell, Vega; and Erin Hise, Vernon.

Kidd, Meece exchange vows in double ring ceremony

Aaron Douglas Kidd and Amy Jean Meece were married May 24, 2008, in a double ring ceremony at Lindsay Lakes in Cypress with Rev. Bill Taylor officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Vennis Lee and Mary Meece of Cypress.

The groom is the son of Doug and Nancy Kidd of Clarendon. He is the grandson of Bob and Joan Kidd of Clarendon and the late Bill and Billie Johnson.

Ashlee Estlack of Clarendon, sister of the groom, served as Matron of Honor; Anndria Kidd of Clarendon, sister of the groom, and Kristi Cooper of Houston, friend of the bride, served as Maids of Honor; and bridesmaids were Tiffany Gorham, Meghan Miller, and Kelly Farris, all from Houston and friends of the bride. Junior bridesmaids were Alexia and Madelyn Meece of Cypress, nieces of the bride.

The groom's father, Doug Kidd of Clarendon, served as Best Man; and groomsmen were Shanon Martin of College Station, friend of the groom; Robert Meece of Cypress, brother of the bride; David Erington of Waco, friend of the groom; Wade Sommer of Cedar Park, friend of the groom; and Keith Swatzel of Conroe, friend of the

groom. The junior groomsman was Jordan Meece of Cypress, nephew of the bride.

Guests were registered by Rachel Atwood and Brook Keeler. Benjamin Estlack of Clarendon, nephew of the groom, served as ring bearer. Ushers were Roger Estlack of Clarendon and Robert Meece of Cypress.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Vennis Meece.

Trey Wales performed "Close Your Eyes" by Dave Barnes.

The bride carried a bouquet of white roses and star gazer lilies. Her gown was of traditional mermaid style with a side train. She wore an elbow length veil.

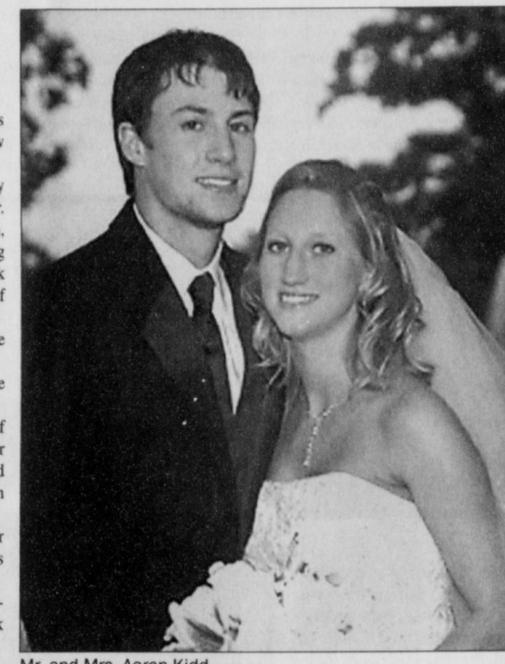
Bridal attendants wore floor length black gowns with strapless bodices and mermaid style skirts.

The groom and groom attendants wore black tuxedos with black ties.

The decorations for the ceremony held by the lake included white flower arrangements.

A reception followed indoors with black and white table decorations and white flowers.

The bride is a graduate from Texas State with a Bachelor's degree in Social Work. She is currently employed in downtown Houston by



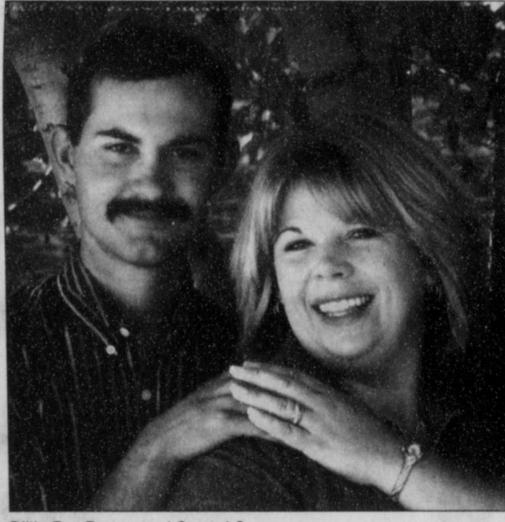
Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Kidd

a furniture design/sales company and will begin teaching in the fall.

The groom is a 2001 graduate of Clarendon High School and a 2006 graduate of The University of Mary-Hardin Baylor with a Bachelor of Science and a major in Psychology with a minor in Religion. He is

currently the Youth Director at the First United Methodist Church in Conroe.

Following a honeymoon to Jamaica, the couple is at home at 1600 River Pointe #1162, Conroe, TX 77304 with their puppy, Bell, and cat, Rocky.



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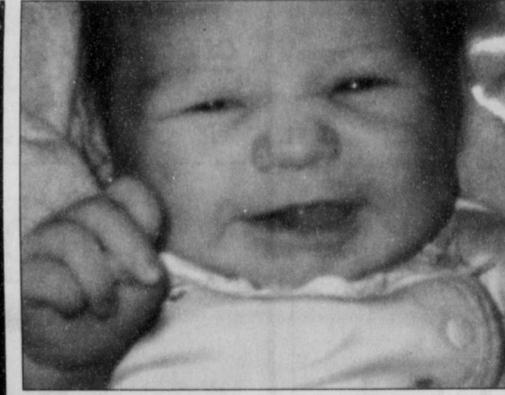
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New Arrival

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H-wick prepares to honor first responders

Friday night was Friendship Club; and as promised, Carole Goemans did a great job with City Hall decorated in a picnic theme.

Door prizes were given to 12 people with Bob and Betty Hamamock's grandson picking up the \$25 gift certificate from the Country Club. A new feature, hero of the month, went to Jimmy Hutson. He was selected because of his smiling acceptance of his illness and the limitations he has in life.

Birthdays were Louise Popplewell and Lois Rowland Woods. Anniversaries this month was mine and ole Jim. We would have celebrated our 55th anniversary on June 18 except we both forgot. I know, I know. The wife's job is to remember important facts, but this year I fell down on the job and didn't get flowers for remembering the next day.

July Friendship Club is that

special month when we meet at the park, enjoy homemade ice cream, and honor our first responders of Donley County. So mark July 18 on your calendar and plan to enjoy ice cream, finger foods, and music in the park.

As a member of The Friends of the Library, I was privileged to join Freddie Jo Moreman and Ann Hommel in packing seven boxes to send to troops in Iraq.

The "Support Our Troops" project was started in May with boxes set up in many places to collect items to send to our troops. You must have a name and address, and we selected

my nephew, US Army Sgt Cody Cox, to receive and distribute the packages. If you would like to participate, look at the list in each box, place your purchases inside or bring them to the library, and they will be included in the next shipment.

We received a little rain almost every evening the past week, bringing the total for the year to 5.66 inches. Thank you, Lord, for the rain and sparing us from the hail.

Well, folks I am joining many other people by having knee replacement surgery this week; so if my column is missing next week, you know why.

A number of my friends have had it done, and all say, "Follow those instructions, do your physical therapy," and those are my plans. Put me, Jim, and Dr. Greg Smith on your prayer list, and I will tell you all about it.



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That Extra Push

By Mary Beth Nelson

While wind dominates some of our days as it has recently, a previous windy day several years ago, when I was more active with my "errand walking", often enters my memory. I remember my exact feelings of that particular day.

I hesitated taking my daily walk to the post office. My car, offering more comfort, conveniently sat in the garage. However, my "physical fitness" obligation nudged me out the door. A strapping northwest wind confronted me. Overcoming temptation of the car's warmth, I decided to accept the gale's challenge.

Feeling windblown, I reached the post office, happily secured my mail, and started home. Forcible, frequent wind gusts to my back almost resembled an encouraging hand pushing me up the hill.

Arriving home, opening my mail, pouring a second cup of coffee, I suddenly contemplated choices and conditions of my "post office" walk. Because of the elements' temporary discomfort, I almost disregarded needful exercise and succumbed to automobile luxury.

Another revelation popped into my mind. When facing life's obstacles, either trivial or crucial, we individuals often tend to choose more comfortable solutions which, possibly, are not always best for us. What better time to call on our faith which often dictates how we persevere through life's crises?

Our Lord remains near and constantly willing to guide our decision-making. When we depend on Him, He provides sufficient strength to carry us through tribulations. One of the most valuable things we can do for ourselves is learn to accept our circumstances and trust God to know what is best for us.

Through marvelous power of prayer with faith and patience, that "extra push" from God's guiding hand will enable us to positively press on to the goal which He has gloriously planned for all who trust and obey Him.

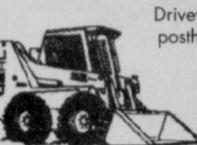
Bible Thought: "I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus." Philippians 3:14 (NIV)

Mary Beth is an inspirational writer who has been published in numerous books and publications.

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Writers group to hold meeting in Amarillo

Panhandle Professional Writers is pleased to announce that Rooster Morris will present a writer's workshop at the regular meeting of PPW on July 19, 2008.

The workshop will help both young and adult writers learn how to overcome writer's block, be creative when the pressure is on, and find a unique writing voice.

Rooster Morris is an author, entertainer, storyteller, musician, and composer who has toured the United States, performing for over five million students during the past

eight years. Rooster is driven by a desire to show kids that reading can be great fun.

He currently lives in Rockdale, Texas, where he is working on the fourth Axle Galench book, *The Desert Doodle Bug*.

Morris has recorded a number of audio books for children and has been recorded by the Smithsonian Institute playing old-time cowboy fiddle music.

The program, suitable for young and adult writers, will run from 9:00-11:30 a.m. at Amarillo

Senior Citizen's, 1217 S. Tyler, Amarillo, Texas. Lunch is \$8.00, and reservations must be made by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 16, by emailing Suzanne Bogue at ppwlunch@yahoo.com.

The \$5.00 program fee for non-PPW members will be waived for those who choose to join PPW. For more information, telephone Suzanne Bogue at (806) 341-6995.

Rooster will also be appearing at the Frank Phillips Allen Campus in Perryton, TX, on July 20, from 2-5 p.m.

Mobeetie Hoedown to be held Saturday

The Old Mobeetie Texas Association will hold their annual Old Town Hoedown this Saturday, June 28, on the grounds of the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum. The activities will begin at 3:00 p.m. with a chuckwagon supper being served at 6:00 p.m. and lots of fun in between.

This year's event is packed with historical performances. The Panther City Regulators of Dallas will be making their first appearance at the festival.

Admission to the event is \$12 for adults; \$6 for children ages 6-12; and those 5 years old and younger are free. With admission, visitors are entitled to the delicious evening meal of Fajitas prepared by the chuckwagon and all the entertainment you can stand. Proceeds from this fundraiser will go to the upkeep of the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum.

For more information, please contact Tonya Finsterwald at 806-375-2168.



Future leaders

These students are working as a team to untangle a rope without letting go as part of their leadership and team building training during the Area I FFA Leadership Training Conference at Clarendon College this week. The event attracted 296 students from the Area I FFA Association, which includes 38 counties in the Texas Panhandle area, 89 chapters, and over 1,500 members.

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Enterprise named 'Friend of Extension'

The Texas AgriLife Extension Service recognized THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE with its "Friend of Extension" award last month.

Donley County Extension Agents Leonard Haynes and MaryRuth Bishop nominated the local paper and presented the certificate to the Enterprise staff last week.

"Through THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE's support and contributions to Texas AgriLife Extension Service, hundreds of Donley County youth have been given opportunities they would not otherwise have had," the agents wrote.

"This award is to acknowledge and thank the ENTERPRISE for its total support of the AgriLife Extension Service."

The letter noted that the paper routinely runs a column by Bishop, always welcomes news items from Haynes, and, as space allows, prints other timely information from the Extension Service.

"The AgriLife Extension plays an important role in the lives of Texans, particularly in rural areas,"



County AgriLife Agents MaryRuth Bishop and Leonard Haynes (left and right) presented the Friend of Extension award to Ashlee and Roger Estlack of The Clarendon Enterprise last week. ENTERPRISE PHOTO

Estlack said. "We recognize the contributions the service has made over the years, and I have a particular

fondness for the service as a former 4-H member and because my maternal grandfather was a county agent

during World War II. Also, our paper has a long history of working with the Extension Service."



Electric grant

The American Electric Power (AEP) Foundation has granted \$50,000 to the Clarendon College-Childress Center to provide funding for the continued development of the new wind energy program at the college. Pictured are CC Dean of Instruction Debra Kuhl and AEP's Greg Blair. The wind energy program at Clarendon College is an Associate of Applied Science Degree program and is designed to take two years to complete. The AEP Foundation was formed in late 2005 as a private foundation to make contributions and grants to eligible non-profit organizations.

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MIP classes being offered in Pampa

Clarendon College will be hosting MIP (Minor in Possession) classes on Friday, July 18, and Saturday, July 19, from 6 to 9:30 p.m.

This alcohol awareness program for minors will be held in room 209 of the Clarendon College-Pampa Center, located at 1601 W. Kentucky in Pampa.

The cost of the class is \$45 and

is limited to the first 25 students who arrive. Attendance is required at both classes to receive credit. The class is for possession, consumption, DUI, public intoxication, purchase of alcohol; and misrepresentation.

The class is being taught by Dennis Burton and is certified by Texas Department of State Health Services.

Extension releases late plantings guide

LUBBOCK - Farming is risky business at best, but wild weather can make management decisions all the more difficult, said a Lubbock row-crop expert.

"Hail is a very real threat that's all too common this time of year," said Dr. Calvin Trostle, Texas AgriLife Extension Service agronomist at Lubbock. "After a hail or other disaster occurs, the decisions a producer makes concerning the remainder of the season often mean the difference between a profit and a loss."

Is the crop salvageable? Should a switch be made to an alternate crop? Is there even time before cold weather arrives to make a crop?

To address these and other crop management issues for the current season, Trostle and other AgriLife Extension personnel have released the guide, "2008 Alternative Crop Options after Failed Cotton and Late-Season Planting for the Texas South Plains."

The on-line publication, also available through county AgriLife Extension offices, details replant and late-planting alternate crop options typically implemented following a failed cotton crop. Also addressed are some lesser-used options including soybean, peanuts and corn, and links to information to assess losses.

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Another soul walks path of disappearing memories

By Ruth Ann King Spivey

This response is to Mrs. Halbert from the article published in the May 29 issue of THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE. She inspired me to respond.

What a wonderful woman! Along with other pioneer women like Frances Skelton and Dorothy Breedlove, who have given me continuing inspiration, I hope I can be as gracious and hopeful in another 10+ years and am still around to walk down the disappearing path of familiar names.

Mrs. Halbert,
I enjoyed your article in THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE of your stroll down memory lane in your home town and mine of Clarendon. Thanks for evoking all the memories of names and times past. The names you mentioned are very familiar. Such a well written piece in the paper was so very enlightening to read. No, you are not the only one living to remember these precious people - I am also here to share your memories and recollections and can relate to feeling older than dirt. I just turned 70, and I feel pretty dusty. I was born in 1938, and my twin sister, Rebecca, and I were lucky enough to be adopted by loving parents, R. Y. and Lulu Ruth King. Daddy was County Judge and County Attorney in Clarendon over a span of about 30 years. We learned to roller skate on the sidewalk by the Courthouse going past that concrete water trough, which was always intriguing and fun to imagine that horses were actually being watered there in times past, and seeing those metal rings in the curb where they were tied up. We attended the Methodist Church, where my mother was active with missionary society. I recall the persons who sat in the same pews on Sunday morning at the Methodist Church, too. I enjoyed growing up in Clarendon and have fond memories of our upbringing. The Mulkey Theater is such a vivid part of our Saturday afternoons when a dime got us into the theater. I remember Miss Howren and her pince nez, teaching piano and living in the turret of the Lowe house on the boulevard. Where was the Harned sisters' Millinery shop and the Baldwin department store location? Was it later the Greene Dry Goods Store or another spot? I have fond memories of the Allen Hotel with the fish Aquarium and the parrot in the lobby. We visited the library, too, in the basement of the old YMCA, which is now the City Hall, and we felt lucky to have books to read. May Pruitt, our third grade teacher, was later the librarian and read stories to children. I remember listening to stories on the courthouse steps each Saturday afternoon, as best I recall, or on some days during summer vacation from school.

I agree, too, that we had some inspiring teachers. Ms Pruitt taught us about the great art masters, showing us images of Raphael and others, as well as introducing us to poetry in 4th grade. I loved "The milkweed plant" poem. Ms. Mears was our first grade teacher.

The path is fading and disappearing for some of us, the memories are still there for the taking. You give me inspiration to continue the journey among the overgrown weeds, while also enjoying the wine cups and other flowers that make the trail worth continuing and enjoying our heritage. Thanks for the memories!

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OTHER EVENTS SCHEDULED IN CLARENDON:

Monday, June 9
- Henson's Turtle Art Contest Entries Begin

Wednesday, July 2
7:30 p.m. - Junior Ranch Rodeo, COEA Arena

Thursday, July 3
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Stanley Chevrolet Blood Drive
11:00 a.m. - Downtown Depression Luncheon
7:30 p.m. - Open Ranch Bronc Ride, COEA Arena

Friday, July 4
8:30 - 10:30 a.m. - Tours of 1890 Donley Co. Courthouse
10:00 a.m. - Craft Fair, Courthouse Square
10:30 a.m. - Old Settlers' Reunion, Courthouse Square
11:00 a.m. - Shriners' Barbecue, Courthouse Square
1:30 p.m. - Kids' Tricycle/Bicycle Parade
2:00 p.m. - Western Parade
AFTER PARADE - Lions Club Cow Patty Bingo
7:30 p.m. - Open Ranch Bronc Ride, COEA Arena

Saturday, July 5
8:00 a.m. - Local Sorting Competition, Arena
ALL DAY - Kearney Street Sales
- Turtle Art Contest Winners Announced
3:00 p.m. - Henson's Turtle Race
7:30 p.m. - Ranch Rodeo, COEA Arena
9:00 p.m. - Dance & Broken Jonez, COEA Slab

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P.J. Lemon, Neal Conrad, Bill Spier, and S.J. Johnson donned skirts for the right to use the ladies' tee boxes during the Shambles Tournament Saturday.

Clarendon Country Club marks 40th anniversary

By Sandy Anderberg

Fifty-two golfers came out to help the CCC celebrate 40 years of golf on Saturday, June 21. The day began with 18 holes of golf in a Shambles Tournament and finished off with hamburgers and a good old game of Bingo.

The team of Kenny Black, Bret White, Audie Watson, and Cody Watson came out as the top team with a 129. The "I tried team" honors went to Joyce Reed, Jimmie Land, Les Lovett, and Bob Hornberger with a 153.

The man with the lowest score was Audie Watson with a 66, and the woman with the lowest score was Lea Ferguson with a 70. Bo Morrison had the longest putt for the men on number nine at 6'2", and Kim Layton won that honor for the women with a putt of 2'7". The man that was the closest to the pin in number 15 was Terry Esch at 5'6 1/2".

"We had a great turn out," said

Maxine McLaughlin. "Great support was given by everyone."

The Friday night nine-hole scramble consisted of 39 players. The team of Michael Thompson, Gary Mahan, Sunday Morris, and Bob Hornberger and the team of Mike Santos, Joel Layton, Lea Ferguson, and Paula Wood both came in at seven under par, which caused a putt-off.

The Michael Thompson team prevailed and was the winner for the evening. Bob Hornberger took the top spot in the weekly men's game with a net score of 58. Al Ramsey, Tom Stauder, Todd Curry, and Bob Kelly tied for second place.

Sandy Anderberg won low gross in the Thursday women's game with an 85, and Mary Ann Sawyer won low net with a 68.

There will be an 18-hole scramble Friday, July 4, in the late afternoon. Call the Pro Shop for more information regarding the happenings this summer at the CCC.

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ORDINANCE 373: An Ordinance of the City of Clarendon, Texas, amending the Code of Ordinances and adopting a new Curfew for Minors.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Clarendon, Texas, that the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by adding a Chapter to be numbered Chapter 14, which is available for review at City Hall and includes in summary:

14.1 (a) Curfew Hours:
(1) 11 p.m. on any Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday until 6 a.m. of the following day; and
(2) 12 a.m. (midnight) on any Saturday or Sunday until 6 a.m. of the following day.

14.2 Offenses:
(a) A minor (a person under 18 years of age) commits an offense if he remains in any public place or on the premises of any establishment within the city or the Municipal Airport during curfew hours.
(b) A parent or guardian of a minor commits an offense if he knowingly permits or by insufficient control allows the minor to remain in any public place or on the premises of any establishment within the city of the Municipal Airport.

14.3 Defenses: It is a defense to prosecution that the minor was:

- (a) Accompanied by the minor's parent or guardian;
- (b) In a motor vehicle involved in interstate travel;
- (c) Engaged in an employment activity or going to or returning from an employment activity without detour or stop;
- (d) Involved in an emergency;
- (e) On the sidewalk abutting the minor's residence;
- (f) Attending an official school, religious, or other recreational activity supervised by adults and sponsored by the City of Clarendon, a civic organization, or another similar entity that takes responsibility for the minor, or going to or returning from without detour or stop an official school, religious, or other religious activity supervised by adults and sponsored by the City of Clarendon, a civic organization, or another similar entity that takes responsibility for the minor;
- (g) Exercising First Amendment rights protected by the United States Constitution; and
- (h) Married or had been married or had disabilities of minority removed in accordance with Texas Family Code.

14.5 Penalty:

(a) A person who violates a provision of this chapter is guilty of a separate offense for each day or part of a day during which the violation is committed, continued, or permitted; and
(b) Each offense, upon conviction, is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500.

14.7 Review: Within six (6) months after the initial enforcement of this Ordinance, the City Council shall review this Ordinance concerning its effectiveness and continuing necessity. The Council shall consider practicality of enforcement, impact, prosecutions, and costs of enforcement resulting from the passage of this Ordinance.

Passed and Approved by the City Council of the City of Clarendon, Texas on this 10th day of June, 2008.
Attest: [s] Mark White, Mayor
[s] Linda Smith, City Secretary
27-2c

ORDINANCE 374: An Ordinance of the City of Clarendon, Texas, amending the Code of Ordinances and adopting a new Animal Control Ordinance and revoking all provisions conflicting herewith.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Clarendon, Texas, that the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by adding a Section to Chapter 3 to be numbered Article 7, Sections 3.66-3.90, which said sections are available for review at City Hall and include in summary:

ARTICLE 7: ANIMAL CONTROL

§ 3.66 Adoption of State Regulations:

(A) This article is adopted pursuant to Tex. Civ. Ann art. 4477-6a.
(B) The rules adopted by the Texas Department of Health pursuant to Tex. Civ. Stat. art. 4477-6a § 2.01 (f) are hereby adopted and made part of this chapter.

§ 3.69 Wild, Exotic, or Dangerous Animals: It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation, or business to keep or harbor or otherwise possess any wild animal, exotic or dangerous animal or vicious animal within the city, except that a traveling circus, animal show, or other similar special event may be allowed by special permit to temporarily keep such animals provided that they are safely kept under competent and sanitary supervision as determined by the City Animal Warden.

§ 3.70 Vicious Animals:
(A) It shall be unlawful to keep or harbor any dog, cat, or other animal deemed to be vicious within the city. This section is not intended, however, to prohibit the keeping of guard dogs, provided that said guard dogs are maintained under constant control of their owners by means of adequate fencing, leash, or other primary enclosures, and provided further that sufficient notice and warning is posted on the premises.
(B) Any dog, cat, or other animal found running at large and attacking or attempting to attack or bite any person in a vicious manner and that person is in immediate jeopardy of injury from such an attack or attempted attack or bite, the City Animal Warden or Sheriff or his deputies may immediately and summarily destroy said dog, cat, or other animal.
(C) The City Animal Warden in certain circumstances and with proper justification may order a vicious dog or cat to be kept muzzled at all times to protect the public and failure to comply with such order is deemed a violation of this article.

§ 3.71 Chaining or Tethering of Dogs Prohibited; Enclosures:
(A) It shall be unlawful for any person owning and/or controlling dogs, whether vaccinated or unvaccinated, licensed or unlicensed, to allow such animal to be restrained or anchored by means of a tether, chain, cable, rope or cord, unless the tether or other restraint is being personally held by the owner, care giver, or keeper of the dog, to include that no dog may be attached to any inanimate object. This division does not apply to any dog kept within a fenced area as described in division (B) of this section.
(B) Dogs shall be confined within a fenced yard. Provided further that where dogs are kept or housed on property without a fenced yard, the owner of such dogs or persons having custody of such dogs shall provide an enclosure for such dogs meeting the "150 square feet per dog" dimension. Such enclosure shall be constructed of chain link or similar type material with all sides enclosed. The enclosure shall be of sufficient height to prevent the dog from escaping from such enclosure.
(C) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit owners or others walking dogs with a hand-held leash.

§ 3.72 Abandonment: It shall be unlawful for any person to intentionally abandon any dog, cat, or other animal within the city.

§ 3.73 Responsibility for Control or Eradication of Certain Animals or Pests: Common rodents, such as rats, mice, and squirrels, as well as the commonly found household pests, such as fleas, roaches, flies, and insects, are specifically excluded for the purposes of this section, and the control or eradication of such animals is the responsibility of the property owner.

§ 3.74 Running at Large:

(A) It shall be unlawful for the owner or person in possession or control thereof to permit or allow any dog or cat to run at large within the city.
(B) The City Animal Warden, his deputy, or any Sheriff or his deputies, while on duty, is hereby authorized to enter upon any public place, unfenced private property, lot, tract, or parcel of land, whether in the immediate presence of the owner or custodian or otherwise, for the purpose of seizing or impounding any dog or cat running at large thereon.

§ 3.75 Impounding Procedure:

(A) Dogs and cats running at large, whether owned, unowned, or stray may be impounded by the City Animal Warden or Sheriff or his deputies.
(B) It shall be unlawful for any person to refuse to deliver any unlicensed or unvaccinated dog or cat upon demand for impounding, or to forcibly interfere with the City Animal Warden or any of his deputies or any Sheriff or his deputies in order to hinder him in the performance of his duties.
(C) Dogs not under constant control of their owners by means of a leash strong and sufficient enough to control their actions when outside of their normal primary enclosure may be impounded by the City Animal Warden or Sheriff or his deputies.
(D) Dogs and cats impounded by the City Animal Warden or Sheriff or his deputies shall be kept in the City Shelter (5 days if tagged and 3 days if not tagged).
(E) It shall be the duty of the Animal Warden to post "Notice of Impoundment" on the bulletin board at the City Hall of any dog or cat so impounded under this article and to notify its owner, if known, in writing.
(F) Dogs and cats impounded by the City Animal Warden or Sheriff or his deputies shall be released to their owners or other persons wishing to adopt the animal only after first having paid all costs of impounding, keeping, feeding and treating the animal, and providing that said dog or cat has a current vaccination for rabies control.
(G) Dogs and cats that remain unclaimed after three days may be disposed of under the direction of the City Veterinarian by a painless and humane method, such as euthanization, or released to an approved Animal Shelter, or adopted by a new owner, or sold. This section is not intended, however, to alter the power of members of the Sheriff's Department or City Animal Warden, to summarily destroy any vicious dogs, pack of dogs, or cats that could prejudice the safety of any person.
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(D) Any such animal so tied or staked shall be considered dangerous to the public in general and declared a nuisance and shall be impounded.
(E) Each violation of this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$200. Each violation of this section shall be a separate offense for each day a dog is not lawfully restrained. Nothing in this section shall limit the remedies available to the city in seeking to enforce the provisions of this article.

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(C) The City Secretary or his deputy shall not register or issue any animal permit without sufficient proof that said animal is currently vaccinated against rabies as evidenced by a vaccination certificate.
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§ 3.82 Registration and Permit Required; Procedure:
(A) It shall be unlawful for any person to own, keep, or harbor any dog or cat, more than four months of age, within the city without first registering said animal with the city and obtaining a valid permit and tag for such dog or cat.
(B) Upon application of the animal owner and submission of sufficient proof that the animal has a current vaccination against rabies and after payment of the required fees, the City Secretary or his deputy shall issue to such owner a permit and correspondingly numbered tag for such dog or cat.
(C) Such permit shall be retained by the animal owner as proof of registration and such tag shall be affixed to the animal's collar and remain there throughout the year.
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(H) It shall be unlawful for any person to intentionally attach a numbered tag to a dog or cat other than the dog or cat for which said numbered tag was issued;
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Stated meeting: Second Mondays, 7:30 p.m. Refreshments at 6:30 p.m. Practice: Fourth Mondays, 7 p.m. Larry Hicks - W.M., Brett Betts - Secretary. 2 B 1, ASK 1

Clarendon Order of the Eastern Star #6. Stated meetings: First Thursdays, 8 p.m., Refreshments at 7 p.m., Margaret Pettit - W.M., Naomi Green, Secretary.

Clarendon Lions Club Regular meeting each Tuesday at noon. Richard Sheppard, Boss Lion. Russell Estlack, Secretary

Donley County Memorial Post 7782 Veterans of Foreign Wars. Meets second Saturday at 10 a.m. George W. Hall, Post Commander.

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FACILITIES AVAILABLE - Family Reunions, Receptions, Business Meetings, Club Functions, and more. Clarendon Lions Hall, 111 W. Fourth. Call Melinda at 874-3521 for rental information.

Saints' Roost Musgum
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Other times by appointment.
Call 874-3905 or 874-3863.

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To the caring and loving community of Clarendon,
We want to thank everyone who called, came by, or stopped and asked how Patrick was doing during his illness.
Your thoughts and prayers are appreciated.
We also want to say a special thank you to our comrades at Associated Ambulance Authority. Your quick response and taking care of Patrick fast is what saved his life. Jeremy Howard, Debra Hill, Blain Burton, and Anna Howard, thank you for helping & taking great care of Patrick. We truly believe we have the best EMS service in the Panhandle. Clarendon is truly a great place to live because you, the citizens, have been so thoughtful and loving during the past couple of weeks. We want to thank you all! God Bless

The Robertson Family

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• 440 acs. 1 well and pond. Excellent fence. Deer, turkey, dove and quail.

GREENBELT LAKE

• Southwest side, 1 deeded acre fenced with two mobile homes furnished. One has ch/a the other evaporative air. Large deck. \$55,500.
• 326 Grouper Brick, 3 bed, 1-3/4 baths, ch/a, cellar, carport, three lots. Storage barn and 2 storage buildings. Small trailer with room attached. On 1 lot. Both for \$97,520.00

FOR SALE

2 BR - 1 1/2 BATH - BRICK

- large living / den - modern kitchen / dining with built-ins - central heat & ref. air - range - ceiling fans - storm windows - attached 2 car port - attached covered patio - fenced backyard - metal storage building @ 411 E. 4th for \$52,500.

3 BR - 1 1/2 BATH - BRICK

- 1970 sq ft - kitchen with built ins - large den / dining / living - large game room - utility - central h/a - enclosed porch - unattached 2 car garage - large fenced b/yard - good location in West Clarendon @ 517 S. McLean for \$75,000.

3 BR - 2 FULL BATH - ROCK EXTERIOR

- NEW wiring - NEW plumbing - NEW metal roof - NEW flooring throughout - NEW fixtures & appliances - NEW bathroom fixtures - NEW lighting throughout - NEW windows throughout - NEW central h/a - large 2 room storage building - on 4 lots @ 210 E. 4th St. for \$68,500.

ATTRACTIVE HOME FOR SMALL FAMILY

- 3 b/room - 1 & 1/2 baths - kitchen includes range, d/washer & disposer - cooled by ref. window units & ceiling fans - heat by floor furnace - unattached garage - chain link fence - shade & fruit trees - wonderful garden spot - on 6 lots near City Park @ 702 S. Gorst for \$49,000. Reduced to \$46,000.

NICE 3 BEDROOM - BRICK - 1 1/2 BATH PRICED TO SELL

- modern kitchen with built-in range, oven, and dishwasher - attached 2-car brick garage - covered porch - very nice concrete cellar, with electricity - certified septic @ 355 Walleye for \$59,500.

8.23 ACRES & 3 BEDROOM - 1 BATH

- kitchen - living/dining - utility - central heat & air - stucco - metal roof - utility - large metal storage - car port - natural gas - city water & sewer - @ 103 S/E 6th St. all for only \$29,900. CASH

3 BR - 1 1/2 BATH - BRICK

- kitchen w/ breakfast area - built in cook top & oven - large living - plentiful storage - includes 2 cedar closets - central h/a - attached 1-car garage plus 1-car port - extra nice concrete cellar with yard building on top - 5 large bearing pecan trees @ 304 Short St. for \$49,900. (ALL FURNITURE, FIXTURES & APPLIANCES AVAILABLE AND WILL BE OFFERED TO BUYER OF HOUSE @ REDUCED PRICE.)

PARTIALLY REMODELED 3 BR - 1 1/2 BATH

- large kitchen / nice cabinets - built-in oven & cook top - recently installed central h/a - living - utility - large finished basement - attached 2-car garage - @ 105 N. Bailey and a good buy @ \$30,000.

GREENBELT CLEANERS

- Well established and in continuous operation for many years at same location at 102 S. Sully St. in Clarendon. Large trade territory with limited competition and good opportunity for growth. Call for appointment for tour and to meet with present owner/operator to discuss business operations and price.

LEGAL NOTICES

SPECIAL EDUCATION RECORDS held by Eastern Panhandle Shared Services Arrangement, Shamrock, Texas.

Sheriff's Report Weather, disturbances keep local lawmen busy

June 16, 2008
 2:24 a.m. - Checking vehicle leaving closed business, 700 Blk. W. 2nd St.
 2:40 a.m. - Return from Childress, assisting with weather damage.
 3:13 a.m. - FD units and personnel back from Childress.
 6:21 a.m. - Back from Childress.
 9:28 a.m. - See complainant, Hwy. 287 just west of east County Line; possible assault.
 9:54 a.m. - 1100 Blk. E. 4th St. juvenile assaulting family members.
 10:34 a.m. - To jail, 1 female in custody; forgery.
 10:42 a.m. - En route to Sheriff's Office, female juvenile.
 11:43 a.m. - En route to Randall County Juvenile Detention Center.
 12:58 p.m. - Out, 700 Blk. Collinson St.
 14:52 p.m. - At Judge's Office.

June 17, 2008
 1:23 a.m. - Secure building, Clarendon College; door open.
 2:06 a.m. - Family dispute, N. Sully St.
 2:19 a.m. - To jail, 1 male in custody; municipal court warrant(s).
 4:32 a.m. - Vehicle accident sub hit deer, Hwy. 287 1 mile east of Lelia Lake.
 7:56 a.m. - To Randall County Juvenile Center, pick up female.
 6:19 p.m. - EMS assist, Greenbelt Lake.
 8:25 p.m. - Checking reported fire, FM 1755 north of 287 at Lelia Lake.
 8:47 p.m. - Deputy reporting baseball

field flooded.
 8:49 p.m. - Also intersection 287 at Hawley St, TxDot en route.
 9:28 p.m. - UTL reported disturbance, Community Building, Howardwick.
 11:57 p.m. - UTL reported semi parked, Hwy. 287 east bound.

June 18, 2008
 10:39 a.m. - 300 Blk. North Rosenfield, possible assault.
 11:58 a.m. - 300 Blk. North Rosenfield, possible assault.

June 19, 2008
 9:09 a.m. - Out on north Sully St.
 9:14 a.m. - 300 Blk. Rosenfield St.
 9:21 a.m. - Checking another location, north Clarendon.
 9:25 a.m. - To second location, Howardwick.
 9:45 a.m. - Located teen, Howardwick.
 1:22 p.m. - Hwy. 287 at FM 1260, checking reported possible intoxicated driver.
 4:30 p.m. - Weather spotters activated tornado warning, southwest corner of Donley County.
 5:28 p.m. - Dep. Reporting electricity out, 7th and Taylor Sts.
 5:31 p.m. - Sheriff reporting funnel, south of Lakeview; Hall County notified.
 6:21 p.m. - Assist motorist, County Road 20.

June 20, 2008

3:26 a.m. - Erratic driver reported through Armstrong County, turned back west bound between Ashtola and County Line, according to reporting party; Armstrong County advised.
 5:39 a.m. - En route to Hwy. 287, mp 178; vehicle hit a deer.
 6:08 a.m. - Remove carcass from shoulder of Hwy.
 10:32 a.m. - Donley County Extension Office.
 12:39 p.m. - Respond to alarm, 300 Blk. East White St.
 12:59 p.m. - Out at 300 Blk. S. Kearney St.
 2:58 p.m. - To jail, 1 male in custody; DWI
 6:29 p.m. - Assist motorist, Hwy. 287 east.
 11:44 p.m. - Family dispute, 600 Blk. S. Kearney St.
 11:50 p.m. - Second dispute, same location.

June 21, 2008
 12:10 a.m. - Follow up, 600 Blk. south Kearney St.
 12:24 a.m. - Back to Sheriff's Office.
 4:00 p.m. - Welfare check pedestrian, Hwy. 287 east of Hedley.
 7:57 p.m. - Dep. Reporting minor accident, Hwy. 287 east of Lelia Lake.
 8:29 p.m. - UTL juveniles shooting BB gun near bus barn.
 8:49 p.m. - See caller, Rosenfield; juvenile shot BB gun inside caller's

residence.
 9:18 p.m. - Checking reported smoke coming from Elevator, north of railroad tracks; 1 FD truck dispatched.
 10:25 p.m. - Welfare check, 200 Blk. Fredrick Dr.; Howardwick.
 11:24 p.m. - Check vehicle parked on bridge, Hwy. 70 north; near mp 124.

June 22, 2008
 1:13 a.m. - EMS assist, 100 Blk.; Oleta St. Howardwick.
 2:12 a.m. - Check reported disturbance, Sandy Beach Greenbelt Lake; loud music.
 4:02 a.m. - UTL vehicle hit a deer, Hwy. 287 between Clarendon and Claude; Armstrong County SO notified.
 4:12 p.m. - EMS assist, 100 Blk. Oleta St.; Howardwick.
 4:42 p.m. - Loose livestock, I-40 mp 124.
 5:17 p.m. - Hwy. 70 north 7 miles out, reported motorcycle accident.
 7:39 p.m. - See caller, 800 Blk. west 2nd.
 10:01 p.m. - Howardwick weather spotters, dispatched.

Arrests 2 Fire Dept. 3 EMS 12

Constable's Report

June 16 - 22
 Citations - 30
 Calls - 12
 Arrests - 1
 K9 Assist - 1
 EMS Assist - 1



Safety tips

Deputy Mike Spier gave some pointers on safety during the Burton Memorial Library's summer reading program last Tuesday. Kids shown with Deputy Spier are (back) MaRae Hall, Rachel Garcia, and Madison Carr, (front) Payton Havens, Grayson Birch, Calder Havens, Tyler Paul, and Kailee Osburn.

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Texas featured in Washington

Austin - This summer, the State of Texas (<http://www.TravelTex.com>) will be featured at the annual Smithsonian Folklife Festival (<http://www.folklife.si.edu>), set for June 25-29 and July 2-6 in Washington, D.C. on the National Mall.

"Texas: A Celebration of Music, Food and Wine" will showcase more than 100 Texans who represent the rich cultural heritage of the Lone Star State. The Texas program on the National Mall will celebrate the culture of Texas and give visitors a sense of what the state has to offer as an exciting vacation destination.

"Texas is honored to be a featured destination during this summer's Smithsonian Folklife Festival," said Julie Chase, Chief Marketing Officer, Texas Tourism. "We are proud of all the Lone Star State has to offer, and we're delighted to be sharing it with the more than one million visitors that attend this festival from all over the world."

"Texas has a diverse geography, culture and ethnic heritage, resulting in equally diverse traditions of music, food and winemaking," said Chase. "These are among the many attractions that draw visitors to our great state. We invite everyone to enjoy the Texas exhibits on the Mall during the festival - and, better yet, to visit us in Texas for all the wonderful experiences to be found throughout our state."

Tourism is one of the largest industries in Texas. From its thriving cosmopolitan cities to its scenic rural landscapes, the state has long been known for its heritage of music and food, and, more recently, its vineyards.

The Texas program at the Smithsonian Folklife Festival will feature some of the best of Texas, with musical performances, culinary presentations and winemaking demonstrations.

Music is one of the main attractions for visitors to Texas. Throughout the two weeks of the Folklife Festival, the program will feature musicians performing Texas blues, swing, conjunto, country and western, gospel, zydeco and tejano, with performances by many of the state's most noted musicians.

Culinary presentations on the Mall will be as diverse as the state is wide - from African-American southern home cooking to cowboy/chuck wagon cooking, from Polish sausage to Texas Czech, from Tex-Mex to Vietnamese. Texas chefs and cooks will give visitors a taste of what culinary delights await them when they visit the Lone Star State. Food is definitely a key ingredient in the Texas vacation experience.

Winemaking demonstrations and discussions will come from winemakers of the various grape growing regions across the state. With a state as big as Texas, each region has its own soil and climate, which allows Texas to produce a remarkably diverse assortment of wine. Today, Texas is the fifth largest wine producer in the United States, with more than 155 licensed wineries in operation and more than 220 family-owned vineyards covering 3,700 acres of land.

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