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## THIS WEEK

Another reader finds fault
with the editor's point of view.
Clarendon schools will soon be getting new roofs thanks to a May hail storm. Local FFA members do well at the Tri-State Fair in Ama-
And the Broncos whip the dog out of Gruver.
All hhi and much moor as The Enterpris
reporss in this weeki scriting dedition!

Readers urged to pick up forgotten pictures has a pile of forgotten pictures that
needs to be cleared out, and readers needs to be cleared out, and readers
are asked to come claim them. are asked to come claim them.
The pictures - which inclu those used in engagement, wed-
ding, birth, and anniversary ding, birth, and anniversary
announcements as well as submitted news photos - date back two or three years or longer and will be
discarded after October 20, 2006 . The Enterprise only accepts responsibility for submitted photos
for ten days after publication for ten days after publication. The pictures in question do not include
those taken by the newspaper's staff, which are archived and avail able for sale through the EnTerprise
web site.

## Craftfest to be next

 weekend in Shamrock The 12th Annual Irish Craftfest will be arriving Saturday andSunday, October 7 and 8 , to the Sunday, October 7 and 8 , to the
Shamrock Area Community Center located south on Main Street. The show opens at 9 a.m. and
runs to 6 p.m. on Saturday and from noon until 4 p.m. on Sunday. Crafts of all makes and styles
will be available for viewing and will be available for viewing and
purchase. There will be an unveiling of U-Drop Inn building taken by Sam Hagen, acclaimed photographer from Erick, Okla. For those interested in participating, applications are available au
the Shamrock Chamber of Com merce. Booths are $\$ 40$ each with merce. Booths are $\$ \$ 0$ each with
electricity $\$ 10$ additional. Contact the Chamber office at (806) 256 -

## CHS Class of ' 61 will

 hold reunion October 7 The Clarendon High SchoolClass of '61 would like to invite their classmates, teachers, and friends to attend their class reunion on October 7 at $10: 00$ a.m. at the
Donley County Senior Citizens.

## Hedley Public School

 to hold open house
## Immunization clinic to

 be held in Clarendon The Texas Department of State Health Services will hold an Immunization Clinic to prevent manychildhood illnesses in Clarendon on October 10, 2006.
The clinic will be held at the state health office in the Community Services Building at 5 Medical Drive from 9:30-11:45 a.m. and


Hoss Farley of Abilene cooks up a batch of chicken fried steak for the JL. Wagon during the 12 th annual Col. Charles Goodnight Chuckwagon Cookoff hosted by the Saints' Roost Museum last Saturday. The event was well attended despite a shift from serving at 5 p.m. to

## Abilene wagon tops cookoff

## Top honors went to the JL the event. A total of 569 people their families. Wagon from Abilene during the went through the lines to enjoy Twelve wagons competed in Wagon, 3) Gayland Ward of Dawn

 Wagon from Abilene during the went through the lines to enjoy Twelve wagons competed intwelfth annual Col. Charles Good- the Chuckwagon meal, which was this year's cookoff, and each served night Chuckwagon Cookoff last served at 1 p.m. instead of the tradi- a menu of chicken fried steak, Saturday. tional 5 p.m. Under the direction of Johnny Breakfast and lunch concesand Leonna Adkins, the JL Wagon sions on the museum grounds were won the Overall Cooking award provided by Boy Scout Troop 433. after placing in three out of four A trade show was held throughout
food categories and had enough the day, and live entertainment was food categories and had enough the day, and live entertainment was
points to win the entire cookoff provided by local and area talent.
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Museum tours were provided
The cookoff, which benefits the by the members of Clarendon High
ourrigh.
Tains
Saints' Roost Museum, was hailed School's Junior Historians chapter.
as a great success by museum board $\quad$ Relatives of legendary cattle-
members
$\begin{gathered}\text { members. } \\ \text { Tickets for the authentic }\end{gathered}$ man and Chuckwagon inventor
Charles
Goodnight also were
Tickets for the authentic Charles Goodnight also were
Chuckwagon supper sold out early; on hand for their annual family and just as happened the last four reunion.
and just as happened the last four reunion.
years, extra tickets were prepared
For the proge to then筑d divided arts were prepared prologue to the twelfth Circle KC, 2) Break-Away Wagon along with additional food to meet cious steak dinner Friday night on and 4) Rocking K. the high demand.
An official estimate of atten-
dance was not available, but more for Chuckwagon team eneminely

Signup begins for TDA drought progiam sioner Susan Combs announced this Extension and U.S. Department of The application must be post
week that the Texas Department of Agriculture Farm Service Agency marked by Nov, 13, 2006, and mailed week that the Texas Department of Agriculture Farm Service Agency marked by Nov, 13,2006, and mailed
 eligible livestock producers impacted Although local Cooperative Grant Program, Texas Department of by drought who qualify for payments Extension and FSA staff may have Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, $\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { ynder the federally-funded Livestock } \\ \text { assis knowledge of the program, Texas 78711, Incomplete applica- } \\ \text { Astance Grant Program. }\end{array} & \text { they will not have received specific tions and applications postmarked }\end{array}$ Assistance Grant Program.
On September 29, applications thaining on the program, so producers after Nov. 13 will not be considered will be available on TDA's Web site with any questions are encouraged to To qualify for LAGP funds, at wwwagrstate tx us; at all TDA call TDA at 1 -800-TELL-TDA

## TxDOT issues reminder about signs in rights of way

CHILDRESS - TxDOT would allows the immediate removal of a early as 90 days before an election,
ike to remind Texans that under state sign placed on state highway right but no earlier. Signs must be remove like to remind Texans that under state sign placed on state highway right but no earlier. Signs must be remo
law, it is a class C misdemeanor to of way without prior notice, if the within 10 days after the election. place any sign on state highway right sign is not authorized by state law or The law does not just apply to of way. The penalty for violating this approved by TXDOT. campaign signs. It is illegal to put any law is a fine of up to $\$ 500$ per sign. It is legal to place a campaign sign, including garage sale and busiAnyone running for office is sign on private property win the ness signs, on state highwat
reminded that it is illegal to put any owner's permission; however, they way without authorization.
sign, including garage sale and busi- must meet some basic criteria. The For more information about this ness signs, on state highway rights of sign must be made of lightweight or any other TxDOT project, call TxDOT's regulatory authority feet in size. Signs may be placed as mation Officer at $940-937-7145$.

## CC numbers

 mix of ups and downsEnrollment figures at Clarendon College this semester are a mixed bag, according
Myies Shetton.
Following the 12 th class day September 15 , the total number of students at all CC locations is dow slightly from 1,123 last fall to 1,10 this year, but more of those student are going to school fulltime. "It's a mixed report but still ood report because contact hour are up," Shelton said. state bases funding for the college, is up from 248,000 last year to 267,00 this year. And the number of student who are labeled as "full time equiva lent" rose from 948 last year to 991 his year.
Shelto
enrollment an also pointed out that up from 404 last year to 432 thi year. Enrollment at the CC Pamp Center fell from 237 last year to 217 this year, and the biggest drop came in students who are incarcerated by he Texas Department of Criminal
Justice, whose numbers fell from 204 last year to 153 this year.
In other college news, the CC Board of Regents met in regular ses sion last Thursday and adopted an ad valorem tax rate of \$0.2065 per \$10 valuation, which the exact same rate
as last year's. as last year's.
cerned Citizens of Don the Con cerned Citizens of Donley County
presented a petition calling on the board to eliminate the taxation of personal property. The board took no action.
The The security contract with the
Donley County Sheriff's Office for Donley County Sheried.
$\$ 21,500$ was approved
The board voted
a pickup, a Suburban, and a from Culberson-Stowers in Pampa for a total amount of $\$ 89,895$
The board approved purchas ing multi-media equipment for the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center from IT
$\$ 15,500$.

Regents declared an emergency od to water damage on the floor of the Bulldog Gym. A proposal to repair the floor in an amount not to exceed $\$ 96,646$ was accepted, and the work should be completed by November 10 so CC can host the
National Junior College Athleti Association Region Five Volleyball Playoffs.
Polling places were set for the November 7 election to freeze taxes on the elderly and disabled. Early voting will take place on the colleg
campus, and election day voting will be held in Clarendon and Hedley.


The reigning queen
Jessi Howard receives her Clarendon High School Homecoming Queen crown from her father, Dr. John Howard, during halttime cer-
emonies in Bronco Stadium last Friday night.


## guest commentary

GOP must get federal rules out of schools

## Ferrment intrusions into American education.

 defended local control of schooling, championed Department of EducationBut then, tragedy struck: The Republicans took power in Washington, and conservatives suddenly
learned to love big government. Indeed, some are now so enamored of it that they are proposing what was once unthinkable: having the federal governmen set curricular standards for every public school in
America. few weeks ago, the Thomas B. Fortham Foundation, a leading conservative education group,
aunched a major campaign to get this done. In the report they released to kick off their initiative - titled
lanct "To Dream the Impossible Dream" - the Fordham folks pointed out that states have proven incapable of imposing high standards on themselves, and that the
federal No Child Left Behind Act has precipitated a Tederal No Child Leff Behind Act has precipitated a standards "race to the bottom" Fixing these problens, Thursday, their idea got two huge endorsements In a Washington Post op-ed, former U.S. secretaries of ducation William I. Bennett and Rod Paige seconded Fordham's call for national standards and tests, paradoxically arguing, like Fordham, that because current ederal policy is broken, we need much more federal Unfortunately, perhaps because they are desperate ing massive political blinders. Quite simply, national standards - or government-imposed education standards at any level - are at best doomed to mediocrity. he way government shapes policy preordains fallure. For one thing, the compromise demanded by dem-
cratic politics will always require that the nation's umerous ethnic, religious, pedagogical, and other roups be accommodated in the creation of standards. This is perhaps as it should be, but it inevitably pushes tandards to lowest-common-denominator levels. Eduation historian Diane Ravitch - another conservative in her book The Language Police, which demonstrate lessly politicized and, as a consequence, hopelessly banal.
Even more debilitating, however, is that government standards always have to pass through vested rrs, who have strong incentives and hation administraors, who have strong incentives - and heaps of politijust one lesson that decades of failed big-government ducation should have taught conservatives, it's that groups like the National Education Association have almost endless time, money, and incentives to get their political way, while parents, children, and conserva In light of that political reality, greater ferceral Control over schooling is a hopeless solution to our as much in their Post piece, conceding that they are painfully aware that national standards and tests are hard to get right - and even harder to get through Con-
Perhaps that pain needs to become a little more weren't so , no maner fow mech coaservaives wish gg have proven that government will never provide ing hirable standards. Indeed, the numerous inherent problems of government are among the many reasons hat the framers of the Constitution gave Washington authority over education.
They are also good reasons why Paige and Benthey did in their op-ed, on the grounds that, even tion, in a world of fierce competition we can't afford to pretend that the current system is getting us where we
Of course the current system isn't getting u where we need to go. But government control isn't the
solution, it's the problem. olution, it's the problem.
Thankfully, we can stil
do that conservatives will have to give up on doing good through government, and return to fighting for the principles they once championed. School choice giving parents the ability to take education money to chools that work, and away from those that don't constant political compromise, avert the gate keeping power of special interests, and impose real account ability on schools by forcing them to attract and keep

As Congress moves inexorably closer to next ves must reject calls for feden of NCLB, conservaind remember the principles that they once held dear. Politically compromised, big-government policies will and deserve. Only pulling government out of educaion, and empowering parents and families with schoo choice, will do that.
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What's so special about casual Friday?
look foarard tor it ike it was Chrismas.
But 1 don't get it full time job in an office I was handed de
truec-ing binderentited "The Emplegee
Handtook'" with a 10 page section devored Handrook " 10

$\qquad$ Aleam, wor wore a fectly coordinated shoes said and per. Every one else wore jeans and high school That ater of the week is cassul dress! Enoiot As far as $I$ could dell, it alteady was casual dress.
What's the point in having Casual Fridey when it ptarst on Thersdyy most of the time, Wednesday somecimes, and ever?
once in a while lasts all week? How can you look forward to Casual Friday when you only swap your formal Fnday when y yu no yly swap your formal
t-shir, hakisis and tennis shoes for your everyday t-shint, jeans, and tennis shoes? Tve been living Casual Friday for four
years of college. I wore my pajamas to 4
flip-flops everyday, and did laundry twice
a month
Now Im supposed to be a grown up
Now Fm supposed to be a grown up
and dress like a grown up, and the grown and dress like a grown up, and the grow
ups are wearing the same thing I wore ups are wearing the same thing 1 wort
everyday a dumb coilege kid.
Well. Im not going to stand for it. going to wear my suits and my perfectly
coardinated outfits. If for no other reason coordinated outfits. If for no other reason
than I paid for it and F m going to get all the use out of it 1 can. -You always look so cute with your little suits and your pointy shoes. I tell them it's because I 'm not really
I I tell them it's because I have nothing else in my life. I don't have kids to take the dentist so I've got money for clothes. 1 makes me feel important. Besides rent and electricity, I don't
have responsibilities. Dressing up every day is the only thing I have to worry abo So forget Casual Friday or Thursday Monday. That's for grown ups.
AL-QAIDA DECLARES VCTTORY....


## Parental involvement key to education

By US Sen. John Cornyn
Without a doubt, children whose par Without a doubt, children whose par
ents take an active role in their education are far more likely to succeed in school than the children whose parents do not. No teacher, counselor, principal, or governmental program can provide a substi-
tute for the loving interest of an actively engaged parent.
Primary education should be the esponsibility of families and local schoo boards, first. The further away we get from local control of education, especially when
influence reaches the federal level, the influence reaches the federal level, the
more opportunity for mischief is more opportunity for mischief is created Another key to successful educaand support in local education. I've been involved in attempting to strengthen these provisions of our education policy. Currently, students in schools that fail to meet state standards for at least three years are eligible to receive supplemental

## Tally of votes will determine tax freeze

ing and summer school classes. In addi-
tion, some eligible students are allowed to
transfer from their low-performing school transfer from thei
to a new school.
We now know that many parents in
Texas and America are not aware of these Texas and America are not aware of these opportunities for their children. In most
cases, the key to cases, the key to triggering these provisions
is for the parent to request them from their school district. With Sen. Mel Martinez of Flonda,
I recently introduced a proposed law, the Raising Achievements through Improving Supplemental Education (RAISE) Act. It's a measure to strengthen a school's abil-
ity to embrace and allow children ity to embrace and allow children to more
frequently take advantage of the benefits provided in current law. Unfortunately, the legislation is badly
needed in some areas Authorities have needed in some areas. Authorities have
documented extreme cases of schools fail ing to provide adequate notification for parents about the supplemental services that should be offered, such as tutoring or

The RAISE Act would help schools better implement supplemental education programs and serve more students. It
would also ensure that parents are properly otified about their options when their children's schools aren't making the grade. But government can only do so muc
the final account, parents must get in the final account, parents must get an take advantage of the school resources and improvement opportunities required under the law. I encourage all parents who elieve their children may be eligible for hese services to contact their school disicts for more information. It's a truism that our children are our nation $s$ most valuable resource. I will con-
tinue working with my colleagues at the federal level to help local school districts prepare our young people for achievenent and success. We will surely succee ogether with parents who are there to

| year until the 19th amendment was finally | against everything that our country stands |
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| ratified in 1920. |  |
| To suggest that older Americans "flit | for I cannot understand anyone suggesting |
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[^0]for. I cannot understand anyone suggesting can express my view go to my choice of deem right and have friends of all ages and ideas. I would never give up my voting ights nor suggest that these rights be taken I way from anyone.
I would urge the
Donley County the Concerned Citizens mprove the community and to voice your all the votes (young, middle e tage citizens) will determine the final actions to

Loretta Bell,

Editor's Response: With regards to denying people their rights, younger Amer
icans have borne the brunt of that whip for years. If people over the age of 65 are should they be allowed to hold positions on boards that set tax rates? That sounds like That's great if you want to move to
Clarendon. Just be willing to help pay city, county, and other services that our
community provides when you get here.

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Drought: tDA sets guidelines for assistance
Continued from page one.
producer must meet all the following mental feeding costs, the costs by each producer of the $\$ 50$. criteria: Must have suffered livestock mental feeding costs, the costs forage production losses because pastures, increased feed transporta 7 through Aug. 31, 2006 (eligibil- water supplies. ity period); Must have a livestock Payments are limited to $\$ 10,000$ operation that suffered forage pro- per producer, and the amount of com-
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216 Texas counties classified as D3 of forage production losses. Produc216 Texas counties classified as D3 of forage production losses. Produc-
Drought-Extreme or D4 Drought- ers who apply in multiple states Exceptional during the eligibility cannot receive more than $\$ 10,000$
period; and Must have raised eligible in total compensation, and the same livestock for commercial use as part losses cannot be claimed in more of a farming operation during the than one state.
eligibility period.
For general partnerships or joint Eligible livestock are adult beef ventures, payments will not exceed cattle two years of age and older $\$ 10,000$ for each member of the part
and sheep one year of age and during the eligibibity period. Live- $\begin{gathered}\text { Livship or joint venture. } \\ \text { Because of the anticipated } \\ \text { stock must have been owned by the } \\ \text { number of applicants and the amount }\end{gathered}$ producer for at least 30 days. of available funds, payments will be Forage production losses may limited and may only cover partial
include cost of lost forage, supple-- forage production losses incurred CISD approves $\$ 889 \mathrm{k}$ roofing contract The Clarendon ISD Board of ing a 2007 Chevrolet Impala from Trustees met in regular session Sep- Stanley Chevrolet in Clarendon for
tember 18 in the CISD Functional $\$ 17,500$. Living Center. The board approved a bid from accept the bid of Faith Fencing to Advantage Roofing, Inc., in the erect a new outfield fence at McClel amount of $\$ 889,000$. The bid was lan Field for $\$ 12,539.50$ and of obtained through the Texas Asso- Progressive Landscape to install new
ciation of School Boards Interlocal Purchasing Cooperative. McClellan Field and the softball field The roofing project will replace for $\$ 22,726$.
roofs on the elementary, junior high, The board also approved spend and vocational agriculture buildings ing $\$ 11,892$ to resurface the field following damage sustained in the event runway and high jump apron. May 2006 hail storm. The roofs were The board voted in favor of con totaled by the school's insurance car- tracting with Judith McQuay to assist
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the district in writing various gran ${ }^{\text {rier. }}$ The board approved purchas- the district in writing various grant


Who will wear the crown?
The 2006 Hedley Homecoming Queen Candidates are Jaci Copelin Marlee Sargent, Shandy Koetting, Paige Martin, Kelby Shields, and Kristen Dwight. The queen will be crowned during a pre-game ceremony this Friday at 7 p.m. on Memorial Field.

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County Senior Citizens Center - 10 a.m.
October 10
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arendon ISD Cateteria .5 .30
October 21 Celebrity Night in Donley County - Bair

October 24
Clarendon Lions Club
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p.m.
Community Menus



Park furniture on slow boat to Howardwick


For God and Country
Scoutmaster Tommie Saye pins the God and Church Award on he uniform of Ty Tubbs during services at the First United Methdist Church Sunday. Also pictured is Ty's sponsor and Methodis pastor Rev. Tom Garmon. The God and Church Award is the par rough eight. Ty is the 78 th member of Troop 433 to receive the God and Church Award.

Square House to exhibit fabrics

The Carson County Square
House Museum is excited to host extraordinary fabric exhibits through he months of September and Octo Members of the Mayo and Gill families have quilts srom inve generations on display in the M.K.
Brown Auditorium of the Hazelwood Education Building. In the Purvines Gallery of the Square House, Betty Biggs is exhibiting some of her made with quilting.
All the artists have long-time onnections with Carson County and he Texas Panhandle, and they influ
nced the theme for Homecoming Museum Day - "Pieces of Heritage. Kay Mayo, her sister Lynn
Klower her daughter Karla Howell Flowers, her daughter Karla Howell
and granddaughter Jacie Howell have pieced and quilted beautiful the exhibit, quilts from grandmoththe exhibi, ers have been handed down and are displayed. Embellishments abound on many of the newer quilts in style
with current fashion trends while thers show the tradition pieced quil patterns familiar in homes for the las entury
Betty Biggs has taken the concept of quilts and employed this
vests, coats, table runners, wall hangings and other decorative items for the home and special occasions.
From neckties to multi-layered faux From neckties to multi-layered faux
chenille, these items have a unique chenille, these items have a unique
flair and reflect the unflappable personality of their creator
A reception for the artists will
held at the Museum on Sunday
September 17,2006 from $2: 30$ to
St 4:00 p.m. to showcase these artist
and their art. The galleries are ope Monday through Saturday from a.m. until 5 p.m. and on Sunday
from $1-5$ p.m.

## Girl Scouts Council seeks nominations

cil is currently seeking nominations
for the 2007 Women of Distinc ion Awards to honor women from
hroughout their 28 county jurisdicThis award was created to help make girls, and the public in general
more aware of the achievements of women who are former Girl Scouts Scouting as adults. The community is invited to positive role model for girs who a posisle souts will nodify feach of the women selected in Deceember.
On March 2,2007 , all recipients will be honored at a banquet in Amarillo.
Girl Scouts - Five Star Coun-
cil serves over 4800 girls in three st serves over 4800 girls in three experience, girls discowere, lead, and take action. They accurire skills shat tate action. courgae, confidence, and
buharacter, inspiring them to make the character, inspiring the
world a better place.

Nomination forms are available y calling 806-356-0096 and must be received
$10,2006$.

Obituaries

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$\qquad$ an intriguing Navajo background. Nicholas Evans, author of The Horse Whisperer, has written a new merican West novel, The Loop, ain ranch town in Hope, Montana. in ranch town in Hope, Montana.
Plenty of mysteries are available Plenty of mysteries are available
from authors James Patterson, Jonahan Kellerman, Michael Crichton, Anne Perry, Mary Higgins Clark, Nicholas Sparks, and Nora Roberts nong others
books which hold interest for many are entitled Beat Diabetes and Fight Cancer. These high-quality writings
experts across the nation joined the sive research and development asteful and healthy recipes. While exploring the library's
new books, readers will find Wildlife Watching, an interesting illustrated guide to sites in 50 states" compiled or vacation plans, or if you are just seeking information about variou places and wildlife in our country. I hope you won't miss four
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ous paintings including almost all
nate two of the books. In Betwee Heaven and Texas, talented photog-
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decorating various items with your own creations will, truly, appreciate he other two books in the display and Jellies by Joe Freitus and Salle Haberman provide 75 wild edible recipes. Katheryn Tidwell Bieber demonstrates all kinds of lovely
"finishing touches" to sweaters amisoles, bags, pillows, and many nore items in her book, Ribb Work. Directions and beautiful picIt's wonderful for holiday sewing It's wonderful
any other time. Why not check it out?

## Moffett

James Moffett, 61, of Panhandle died Sunda
Amarillo.

Services in be 2006, at Services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, September 28,
2006, at Calvary Baptist Church 2006, at Calvary Baptist Church
in Panhandle with Brent Chiders in Panhandie with Brent Childers,
pastor, officiating and Aaron Laverty assisting.
Graveside services will be at 2:00 p.m. at Citizens Cemetery. Arrangements are by Rector Funeral Home Osage Chapel, 2800 S. Osage
St. Amarillo, Texas. t., Amarillo, Texas.
Mr. Moffett
$\qquad$ Clarendon to J.C. and Lora Mae
Seaton Moffett. He graduated from Clarendun High School and attended Clarendon College. He received a Bachelor's degree from Texas Tech.
Mr. Moffett taught Vocational Mr. Moffett taught Vocational Agri-
culture at McLean, Mobeetie Fort Elliott.

He retired in 1998 after 30 years of teaching. After his retirement,
enjoyed working in the pro shop of
he Panhandle Country Club.
He married Alesha Moore on May 28, 1965, at Clarendon. He was member and Deacon at Calvary member of the Retired Teachers member of the Retired Teachers
Association and a life member of the ag Teachers Association.
He was preceded in death by is parents and a sister, Ona Mac Brogdon.
Survivo Survivors include his wife,
Alesha; two daughters Sheli stone and husband Billy, and Diane Brice and husband Jarny, both of Amarillo; one son, John Moffett and wife Alicia of Grandbury; and even grandchildren: Ann and Bryent Touchstone, Hunter, Cooper, and
Berklee Brice, and Lexi and Madison Berklee Br
Memorial donations may Memorial donations may be
made to the Texas Ag Teachers Association or the Don \& Sybil Har-
ington Cancer Center.

Clarendon FFA members place well at Tri-State Fair

## By Courtiney Wood Clarendon FFA Reporter <br> Firendon FFA Reporter Fifteen students

 Fifteen students from thendon FFA was well repre-Clarendon FFA con the for the Carendon FFA competed in the Kaysea Green, Casey Phillips, Jill on Saturday, September 16, which Wes Chill Trisha Hewett, John Vaught resulted in placing first in Chapter Ges Christoper, Martin Oliver, David
Sweepstakes faron Gordon, Dalton Sweepstakes for the second year in Askew, Lance Ford, Nathan Gribble,
a row. a row.
$\qquad$ ects in various categories: livestock production, shop improvement, rec reation and home convenience, small $\$ 7,000$, . metal, small wood, and large wood. seeing this steady ine would be The show has seen some major ticipation. I would like to thank J\&W growth since 2002 when only 12 stu- Lumber and Allen Lindsey for joining dents participated. In 2005, student our group of donors," said Clarendo
participation increased to 91 from FFA Advisor Robin Wheelus.

USDA Rural Development funds Panhandle Community Services AMARILLO - USDA Rural will correct health and safety haz-
Development State Director Bryan ards and improve living conditions Daniel this week announced Pan- of the homes of eligible applicants handle Community Services has in Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, been awarded a $\$ 188,674$ Housing Castro, Childress, Collingsworth,
Preservation Grant $(H P G)$. Preservation Grant (HPG) $\qquad$ Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray
Hall, Hansford, Hartley Hemhil Housing Programs are designed to Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, strengthen the economy and infra- Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter structure of rural areas. Through its Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher support of the growth and develop- and Wheeler Counties. ment of communities, the agency In Fiscal Year 2005, a total of
works to improve the quality of life $\$ 637,982$ works to improve the quality of life $\begin{aligned} & \$ 637,982 \text { in Housing Preservation } \\ & \text { in rural Amprica. }\end{aligned}$ Grants was obligated in Texas. The in rural America.
"USDA Rural Development is
Grants was obligated in Texas. The very pleased to be able to provide promote continued economic develhousing rehabilitation funding for opment in rural communities by rural Texans," said State Director, making grants to sponsoring organiBryan Daniel. "It is our goal to zations for the repair or rehabilitation ensure rural residents are afforded of low and very-low income housing. an opportunity to live in decent Grants are competitive and are made housing that meets health and safety available in areas where there is a
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USDA Rural Development funds USDA Rural Development Prowill be used to assist 30 very-low and grams, contact the Amarillo Local low-income families who own and Office at (806) $468-8600$, Extenoccupy homes that need repairs in sion 4, or visit our website at http:
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as benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH). Doctors do not know exactly what causes BPH, but inflammation may be part of the process. Now, a new study published in the American Journal of Epidemiology reports that men who regularly take aspirin or similar anti-inflammatory drugs such as ibuprofen and naproxen may prevent or delay development
of an enlarged prostate. The study followed 2447 men aged $40-79$ for of an enlarged prostate. The study followed 2447 men aged $40-79$ for
12 years. The researchers found that men who reported taking anti-inflammatory drugs daily at the study's start were about $25 \%$ less likely to develop moderate to severe BPH symptoms.
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 Audie Watson Aimer in the men's division with winner in the men's division with a
60, and George Washington waz econd, shooting a 165. Low was with a low net score of 140 . The winner of the Friday night and Travis Wilson tied for fourth went to Bo Morrison with a 136. The women's side was Maxine McLaugh- Jerry Gage, Sandy Anderberg, SJ. won the weekly women's game with second flight winner was Billy Mack lin with a 180 , and second place was Johnson, and Lea Ferguson at five a 66 . Wanda Nazworth's 68 was Farley with a 172, and F.G. Crofford won by Bonnie Crofford, turning in a under. Three other teams partici- second, and Maxine McLaughlin was second with a 176. The low net 185. Low net went to Jana Lemons inner was Dan Ashford, who shot a with a 140 . 86 The Senior Women's Champion ment. The Sist day of the touma- (fo \& over) was Maxine McLaughlin

## Master Marketer program

 returns to Lubbock in 2007xtension is now recruiting for it 2007 Master Marketer risk manage ment education program at Lubbock. demand for this said. "Statewide This in-depth, intensive program tinues to grow, which is why we are eaches participants how to identify bringing the program back to Lub-
and evaluate marketing opportuni- bock. We have close to 150 Master ties, then design and follow through Marketer graduates in the Lubbock with sound marketing plans.
"We are looking for a few good Those who enroll should have ag marketers who want to hone their an intermediate to advanced knowl-
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Jackie Smith, Extension economist at they aren't quite there yet can attend Jackie Smith, Extension economist at they aren't quite there yet can attend skills necessary to execute a market- workshop set for Jan. 2, 2007 at Lubing plan and how to manage risk to bock.
mprove their profitability. Checks or money orders for "Master Marketer training pays registration should be payable to the direct dividends to the bottom line. Texas Extension Education FoundaA recent survey suggests past partici- tion. Enroilment for te 2007 Master pans were able to increase hrir aver- Marketer Program in Lubbock may to 10 percent, or about $\$ 33,000$ each, recommended, Smith said. The regissimply by applying their new-found tration deadline is Dec. 20, 2006. marketing skills and knowledge." "This will likely be the last time Master Marketers learn from top we offer this program in Lubbock." industry and university professionals, $\begin{array}{r}\text { Registration fees pay only a } \\ \text { who apply case studies and simula- small portion of the program's cost. }\end{array}$. who apply case studies and simula- small portion of the program's cost.
tion exercises in the classroom. The Grants from the Texas Corn Production exercises in the classroom. The Grants from the Texas Corn Produc-
64 -hour curriculum is offered in four, ers Board, Texas Farm Bureau, the two-day sessions held every two Cotton State Support Committee, weeks. the U.S. Department of Agriculture's
The first of four 2007 Master Risk Management Agent Marketer Program sessions begins Rusk Management Agency, and agriJanuary 3-4, 2007. Subsequent sions are slated for January 17-18, Smith at (806) 746-6101, or from sions are slated for January 17-18, Smith at (806) 746-6101, or from
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who now calls Minne in attendance at the 2006 Bronco Homecoming game as were many other former Broncos and Lady
Broncos. Allison played in Broncho Broncos. Allison played in Broncho Stadium and scored his last touch-
down on that field in 194i. It is a radition that sticks with you long after graduation.
and white uniform, you're a Bronco forever," former Bronco and head coach Gary Jack said during Friday's pep rally.
night's win so great for the current night's win so great for the current
Broncos. They are continuing a tradition that will last a lifetime.
The Broncos blasted the Gruver Greyhounds 34-14 to even their record at $2-2$ before a huge crowd The Broncos racked up 301 total 194 for the Greyhounds.
a good game for us," hings, and I am proud of the way they played. We had some little misakes, but we took care of busines ter fuar.
Jack felt they didn't put their chance and let them get back into it somewhat in the beginning of the
second half.
irly easily it have had them 35-0 aid. "We let them first half," Jack letting them score early into it by quarter. But we took care of business and scored again to go up by three
scores."
"Nathan Gribble did a great job or us at quarterback, and he executed well," Jack said. "He is continuing to make good decisions on the field, and he hasn't let us down. He is young "Brad Sell also did a good job for us. He had 11 tackles, one fumble recovery, and one caused turnover. He scored two touchdowns for us on screen passes that turned into big plays for us. Our line did a good jeb "Devin Noble,
ack stepped in and played on the line for us and played well with six lackles." Jack also cited freshman Tr Brown with having a great game. "Tre continues to do well for us" Jack said. "He has stepped up his
play and recorded seven tackles and play and recorded seven tackles and one fumble recovery. Scott Fowler,
who usually plays tackle, did a good job at center filling in for his brother Stephen." The Broncos will travel to Sunray Friday, September 29 , to take on the Bobcass in their last pre-d rict game.
It will be a good game for us," Jack said. Sunray will be tough
They are not like they were last year but they are a good little team. It will be a good chalienge for us before we start District play in a couple of we seks."
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ndividual stats: Alton Gaines 8 tackles,
2 interceptions; David Gordon 7 tackies; interceptions; Avaia Gordon 7 tackies;
Wes Chritopher 7 tackles; John vaught 6
lackes: Deerici S Shetton 4 tackes; Glenn ackkes; Derrick Shelton 4 tackles; Glenn
Weatherton 4 tackles; Johny Ballard 4 Weatherto
lackles.

There will be no junior varsity game this week.

## Watson runs sixth in

 Shamrock c-c meet Senior runner Sheiby watson ock cross-country meet Saturday September 23, with a time of 13:02 for the two-mile course. Amanda ished 52nd.Holly Phillips finished in 30 th place with a time of 14:44 in the junior high girls' division, and Dani-
elle Ford ran a $15: 10$ for 39 th place. elle Ford ran a $15: 10$ for 39 th place. a time of $15: 20$, and Ashlyn Tubbs ran a $15: 30$ for 43 rd place. Kae Lea Hewitt finished in 58th place with a time of 18:52.
Johnny Gaines won first in the junior high boy's division with a time of 11:42. Monty Holland was 7h
with a 13.00 , and Daniel West's 14 49 was good enough for 13th place.


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#### Abstract

The Clarendon College Lady on October 4 at $7: 00$ p.m. and Otero Bulldog volleyball team is in the Bulldog volleyball team is in the Junior College October 7 at $2: 00$ Ashley McMullen (sophomore middle of their 2006 season and p.m. with both games being played with digs, and Roni Mendoza (freshis looking to improve on their $9-8$ in the Old CC Gym on the campus of man from Odessa) is 13 th in assists. record They will play Midland College September 27 in Midland beginning at $7: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ and travel to Borger September $29-30$ to participate in the rank Phe Lady Bulldogrnament. nation with blocks, and Julie Kalama (sophomore from Kaneohe, Hawaii) is 39th in the nation with kill is 39 th in the nation with kills. Other players on the roser Other players on the roster are: Allex Jaramillo, Sara Wylie, and Altex Jaramillo, Sara Wylie, and Bridgette Moore, all of Amarillo Bridgette Moore, all of Amarillo; Lucy Kauvaka of Laie, Hawaii; Kelly Fish of Melrose, New Mex.; Tauina Fetui of Honolulu; TJ. Kitchens of Denver City; and Jacinta Smith and Emmelinda Malaga of Pago Pago,


Hedley Owls defeat Ft. Elliott, 37-7
By Tangela Copelin
The 2006 Hedley Owi team traveled to Ft. Elliott last week to take on the Cougars ins six-man footsall.
The out strong and quickly scored with Will Verstuyft connecting to Brayden Bennett for a 17-yard TD pass. Isaias Ramirez's
PAT was good, and the Owls continPAT was good, and the Owls contin-
ued to pound away at the Cougars ued to pound away at the Cougars
with Jose Equia intercepting the ball with Jose Equia intercepting the ball
and running it down the field. The and running it down the field. The
Owls were in good field position, allowing Tyler Pepper the opportunity to score. The PAT by Ramirez
was good, bringing the score 16 was good, bringing the score 16 to
0. From there, Bennett onsided to 0. From there, Bennett onsided to
Ft. Elliott, and hard hitting by Jon Ft. Elliot, and hard hitting by Jon
Giffin caused the Cougars to fumble Giffin caused the Cougars to fumble
the ball. Equia recovered the fumble, CC Rodeo Team has two place at ENMU team members placed while partici team members placed while partici-
pating at Eastern New Mexico University September 21-23. Justin Briggs, of Stephenville,
placed second in the first round of placed second in the first round of team roping. He placed fourth in the
short go and fourth in the average. short go and fourth in the average.
Chance Rhoderick, of Silvert Chance Rhoderick, of Silverton, He placed fourth in the short go and split third and fourth in the average. For more information about
Clarendon College Rodeo, contact rodeo coach Chad Smith at 874 4844.
and Seth Koetting capitalized on the Dustin Thomas for the extra point.
urn over and scored for the Owls With the score 33 to 7, several of with Ramirez's PAT being good. The the younger players - R.J. Marshall, Owls' haif time score was 24 to 0 . Danny Garcia, Dylan Pettit, and The second half had Coach Archie Sharp - put pressure on the
Garza and Coach Montgomery Cougars, which caused them to turn changing up the offensive and defen- the ball over on downs. sive line in order to give the younger
players an opportunity to get in the players an opportunity to get in the tough; getting the ball down the field game. This strategy proved no less where Ramirez kicked a 22 -yard field goal, and the game ended with the
The Cougars were able to score $\begin{aligned} & \text { Owls winning } 37 \text { to }\end{aligned}$ 年 ance, but that was all they managed once, but that was all they managed. The Owls will be out of action
The Owls' defensive line pushed this week but will resume playing He Cougars all the way back to the on Friday, October 6, at 7:30. As Hedley goal line, and Verstuyft took this is homecoming, we would like pulled off a safety fringing the score to encourage everyone to come out 1026 to 7 . Next, Seth Koetting ran in homecoming queen before the game
a TD, and Ramirez threw the ball to at 7:00 p.m.


Hand off Junior High game last week.

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at the ENTERPRISE office. at the Enterprise office
Plans for our Night banquet on October 24 were also discussed.
Lion Mark C. White led a discussion about the potential for a doe hunt next month. The club voted in favo
of proceeding with the doe humt of proceeding with the doe hunt, and
more details will be forthcoming. There being no further busines we were adjourned.

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