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100th birthday celebrated for "Grand Old Lady"

By Janet Felderhoff

It was a joyous occasion Saturday, Nov. 12 for Cooke County residents interested in the historic County Courthouse. A celebration was held at 1 p.m. marking the completion of restoration to the building's interior and of the building's 100th year of existence.

Restoration Project Chairmen County Judge John Roane and Precinct #4 Commissioner Leon Klement served as masters of ceremonies for the celebration. St. Peter's Parish Pastor Fr. Raymond McDaniel offered the opening prayer.

Judge Roane praised Klement for his part in the restoration. He stated, "Without his presence and guidance, this whole project would not have been possible. Leon has been great through this whole thing and his lead-ership has shone forth mightily during all of

Muenster VFW Post 6205 performed Post-ing of the Colors and gave a 21 gun salute. Gainesville Boy Scout Troop #7777 led the Pledge of Allegiance, and Lori Hart sang the national anthem.

Judge Roane told the crowd that the Courthouse was occupied sometime between July 4 and Dec. 19, 1911. He said he feels Nov. 12, 1911 is close to that date because the Nov. 11, 1911 Commissioners Court hired a janitor to make sure there was a sufficient supply of spittoons in the Courthouse. He displayed one of the actual spittoons from that time.

Roane continued, "One hundred years ago today was a Sunday and that particular day we had a very strong norther coming through the night before. The temperatures went from about 83° the day before to somewhere in the teens and single digits on this day 100 years ago."

While giving credit to the people who helped with the Courthouse restoration, Judge Roane said, "One person that I would like to mention in particular is Virgil Hess. He was the commissioner of Precinct #4 who had a lot to do with, and especially guided this County through the external phase of the restoration. Without Virgil, it just

couldn't have been done." Boy Scout Grant Wilson performed his moving rendition of "Ragged Old Flag."

Commissioner Klement had words of appreciation for the many, many people involved in the renovation of the Courthouse, including previous judges and commission-ers, architects, project managers, and the employees and people of the County who were inconvenienced at times during the process. He urged those present to look around and take in the moment. "This is a



Muenster VFW Post 6205 had the honor of posting the colors and giving the 21 gun salute at Saturday's Courthouse ceremonies. Pictured are, from left, Leonard Vogel and Don Hellman. **Janet Felderhoff photo**

Master Gardens get approval for project at AgriLife building

historic moment in the County. When they built this Courthouse a hundred years ago, they built it for us. They built it for the future and that's what this is today.

"Another thing about the old building they call her the Grand Old Lady and she is the Grand Old Lady. As such she needs to be treated with respect like a grand old lady would be. I hope in the future we do treat her with respect and we keep taking care of her.

Klement shared stories of people in the County teasing him about what decade they might be moving back into the Courthouse. One person, after being informed it would be before Thanksgiving, replied it would be when pigs fly. So, on the day they began moving back in, Klement said he checked for flying pigs, but saw none and is yet to see any

pigs fly. Erik With, district director with the office of Congressman Michael Burgess, on behalf of Congressman Burgess, presented a U.S. flag that had been flown over the capital in Washington, D.C. With said, "The county courthouses have always stood as a symbol of the leadership in our state and that's no truer in any other county than it is right

here in Cooke County." Gainesville Mayor Jim Goldsworthy wel-comed guests. He welcomed visitors to Gainesville and said, "We like to call our-selves the star of North Texas. With the remodel and opening of the Courthouse, the star is shining brighter today. I'd like to thank the foresight of past County lead-ers to keep the County Courthouse on the downtown square. You're an anchor for the County.²

Texas Senator Craig Estes spoke of the Texas Historic Preservation Program, noting that it is one of the more exciting things done in the State. "It's been made possible by a \$20 million bond funding provided by the recently adjourned 82nd Legislature. With more historic county courthouses than any other state, Texas has been instrumental in preserving these remarkable structures designed by very notable architects. This program was announced in June 1999 and it provides partial matching grants to Texas counties. Since the program's inception, it has awarded \$227 million to counties and local governments have matched with more than \$150 million so these restorations have generated more than 8,600 jobs and more than \$19 million in local taxes. The program's accomplishments have garnered national and international attention with honors from the National Trust for Historic Preservation and the Texas Society of Architects. In

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By Janet Felderhoff

Cooke County Master Gardener Allen Comer is project chair for a rain harvest/butterfly educational garden in front of the Extension Office at 301 South Chestnut in Gainesville. Master Gardeners have been working on the project for quite some time and are ready to put their plan into action.

County Extension Service Agent Wayne Becker explained that there are 20 to 30 Master Gardeners in Cooke County. These are people who are interested in horticulture and who learned more about horticulture from the Extension Service. In turn, they agreed to do service hours and community service in the County to promote the education of horticulture issues. He asked Commissioners Court for approval to start the plan.

Comer explained to the Court that the project has been well researched, thought out, and expertly planned. He said it will be an asset to the community, not only by serving as an educational aid in rain water harvesting, but it will use native and adaptive plants for this region that require low water usage and low maintenance. Comer added that it will serve to beautify a city government building that has no landscaping.

Comer added, "The garden will also serve as an educational tool teaching fresh water conservation. Fresh water is a precious resource. amount needed to pay off

Conservation needs to start back taxes. now on a local scale and the rain water harvesting and butterfly garden will add to the local interest. There is nothing like this in the County."

After reviewing the plans, Commissioners Court unanimously approved the proj-

Cooke County Fire Marshall Ray Fletcher made no recommendation to reinstate a burn ban. He said, "We've had very little fire activity. The issues we've had are people doing too large of typically brush piles and it scares them as they don't realize what they have when they light it up. What few we've had have been minor things like that that haven't gotten out of control too bad.'

Fletcher said that with recent frost, grass is beginning to go dormant and even though there is decent moisture, it bears watching.

The current KBDI shows a low for the County of 357, high 588, with a mean of 458 across the County. The Drought Monitor shows most of the County still to be in the D-3, D-4 drought category for the most part. The outlook is not promising with a drier and warmer winter predicted.

In other business conducted at the Nov. 14 meeting, Commissioners Court:

• Approved sale of 11 properties that were not sold at the Nov. 1 sale. This may be at a price lower than the

• Approved mutual aid agreement between Cooke County and Clay County for firefighting assistance, a request of Clay County Judge.

Accepted the Humanities Texas Community Project Grant with four other Texas libraries to bring the humanities program, "The Story of Music, Stories From Home" in the amount of \$800 for the Cooke County Library.

Approved renewal of contract with Tutor.com for the County Library.

• Accepted a \$50 donation to the County Library in memory of NaDeanne Calhoun from the Wally Cullums.

Accepted donations from Kinne's Jewelers in the amount of \$100, from Mrs. J.E. Pybas in the amount of \$250, and from Cross Tim-Genealogical Society, bers Inc. in the amount of \$75 for the Cooke County Historical Commission's book project.

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At right - repairs continue at Muenster Milling Co. as grain tanks destroyed during the June 18 storm are replaced. Three 36' diameter tanks were raised Monday with a 240 ton crane. Each tank has a 42,000 bushel capacity.

Janie Hartman photo





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Muenster VFW Auxiliary pays tribute to Veterans during a ceremony at Sacred Heart Cemetery last Friday. **Courtesy photo**

ognized with an award from the White House.'

State Representative Rick Hardcastle offered congratulations on the restored Courthouse. He quipped, "We'll go another hundred years and see what West Texas looks like or whether ya'll are part of the Metroplex.³

Janelle Haverkamp, 235th District Judge, expressed her honor and pride in presiding over the newly restored 235th District Courtroom. "The District Courtroom is quite impressive. My bench is the original judge's bench that was used in 1911. In fact, 100 years ago, someone wrote in the drawer of my bench, and I quote, 'Court held in this building on Nov. 20, 1911.' On our first day in the Courtroom, I proudly inscribed, 'Court held in this newly restored building on Oct. 31, 2011, signed Judge Janelle Haverkamp.'

In thanking those who worked so hard to see the renovation project through, JudgeHaverkampremarked, "Truly Commissioner Hess was the driving force behind this restoration. Although, he did not live to see that his dream was completed, I know he's looking down and saying, 'Job well done.'

"In the two weeks that I have been presiding in this Courtroom, it has been my experience that all who enter are awestruck by the grandeur of the Courtroom and show more decorum and are more respectful of the court and the proceedings of the Court. And, yes, that does include the defendants.'

Texas Historical Commission (THC) Director of Architecture Stan Graves explained that the THC has a public/private partnership with the Texas Land Title Association that is funding a series of conferences. All counties that took part in the Historic Courthouse Preservation Program are invited to come together to share information and continue ongoing maintenance. "We don't ever want our Texas courthouses to get back in the condition they were in when this program began," stated Graves. He expressed appreciation to Hardcastle and Estes for their support of the program. Without the Texas legislature, this program would not exist, and

and we are able to keep this program going.'

Courthouse actually repre- and the tour. sents the frugal way that we are trying to make this program work and stretch the said. "Ya'll were at the bottom of the list when we ran out of money in Round III of the program, so you only got the exterior funded. We kept the faith, and va'll kept the faith, and we were able to come back and finish the inside in Round XI of the program.'

Graves then presented a plaque to be displayed on the Courthouse. He said it It's a big commitment for represents a unique partnership between both the state establish the beauty of it." and the counties, but also each of the 55 other courthouses that have been restored around Texas. Follow- people coming back to this ing the dedication program,

2008, the Program was rec- they have been very gener- tours were given to those ous in very difficult times, who visited the inside of the including this last session Courthouse. Refreshments were served.

NCTC's Jazz Band provid-Estes continued, "This ed music during the program

Commissioner B. C. Lemons said of the restoration, "It's just a whole lot handier dollars as far as we can," he and a lot neater. I think it is real, real nice for the people of the County. It is mainly for the people of the County that we serve, so it's really good.

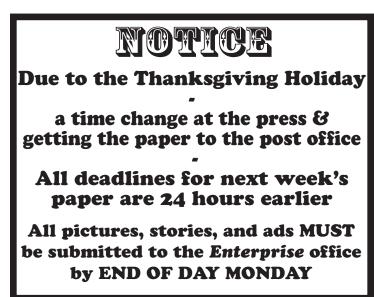
Precinct #1 Commissioner Gary Hollowell stated, "It's good to have everybody back in close proximity. It makes us more efficient.

Commissioner Al Smith added, "It's very beautiful. downtown Gainesville to re-

Judge Roane agreed, "It's important for downtown Gainesville commerce and part of town.³

In all my perplexities and distresses, the Bible has never failed to give me light and strength.

Robert E. Lee



VFW Auxiliary honors Veterans

eign Wars Post 6205 Ladies Auxiliary paid tribute to all Veterans on Veterans Day, Friday, Nov. 11.

The tributes began with Mass in Sacred Heart Church being held in honor of all living and deceased Veterans.

Following Mass, the tributes continued with Auxiliary President Frances Bayer welcoming every-one and inviting them to

If pickings are slim, head for the freezer

The produce section may be a bit bare this time of year, but that doesn't give anyone a free pass to skimp on fruits and vegetables. Dr. Jo Ann Carson, profes-

sor of clinical nutrition at UT Southwestern Medical Center, said the solution lies in choosing as much fresh seasonal produce as possible, then augmenting it with a mixture of frozen and canned offerings.

Frozen fruits and vegetables often contain nearly as many nutrients as fresh produce because they have been picked, frozen, and packaged at their peak, she said.

Dr. Carson also notes that some canned vegetables, including pumpkin, provide more vitamins per serving than their fresh counterparts.

The key is to watch the sugar and sodium content, because canned produce can be higher in both.



Approved out-of-state travel to Ardmore for Phyllis Griffin, Extension agent, to allow her to attend required training for Progressive Agriculture Safety Day.

• Approved bonds for Toni Hellman and Tana Moody, Cooke County juvenile probation officers.

• Approved contract with Woodbine Water Company for the installation of a fresh water line across CR 149.

 Approved disposal water transport contracts with EOG Resources, Inc. for the installation of waste water lines across CR 343 and across Palmer Road.

 Approved renewal of interlocal agreements with Denton County and Tarrant County for use by Cooke County, beginning Nov. 14, 2011, for one year.

Approved renewal

Muenster Veterans of For- join VFW Charter Member all countries. Charlie Wimmer in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance. Clint Kelly and the Sacred Heart High School Choir led the gathering in singing the national anthem. President Bayer then placed a memorial wreath in honor of the Veterans who made the supreme sacrifice for their country as the choir sang "America the Beautiful." Auxiliary Conductress Linda Knabe explained the colors of the wreath.

Fr. Ken Robinson led the group in prayer and petitions for all Veterans, prisoners of war, missing in action, and their families, and leaders of Monday, Nov. 14.

President Bayer thanked and acknowledged all Veterans present by asking them to step forward and be recognized as she read the words to "Service." The choir ended the program with 'God Bless America."

Assisting with the program were banner bearers Auxiliary Senior Vice President Mary Lee Hennigan and Auxiliary Treasurer Lucille Hesse.

The Sacred Heart Youth Choir saluted and entertained the Veterans and the public with their performance in the VFW Hall on



The Police Department responded to 19 CALLS FOR SERVICE during the first two weeks of November. There were 34 CITATIONS issued, three arrests made, two IN-CIDENT REPORTS taken, and two VEHICLE ACCIDENT REPORTS made. These services were in addition to routine patrol along with safety and security checks within the

Our 60 day WARNING PROGRAM seems to have had little effect on traffic violations in our community as we still are experiencing a lot of bad habit drivers. REMEMBER that enforcement of traffic laws is now in effect city-wide. Everyone has the ability and responsibility to do the right thing and DRIVE SAFELY.

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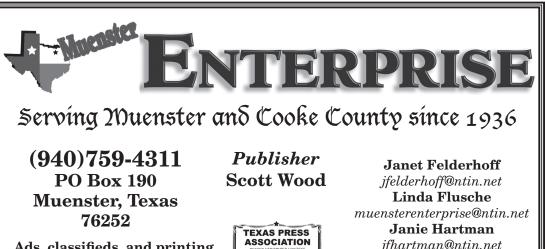
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Dr. Roa

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Sunday, November 20, 2011	Monday, November 21, 2011	Tuesday, November 22, 2011	Wednesday, November 23, 2011	Thursday, November 24, 2011	Friday, November 25, 2011	Saturday, November 26, 2011
Muenster Museum open 1-4 pm Sacred Heart Parish Picnic	VFW Aux mtg. 7:30 p.m.	MISD 12.30 early dismissal	Kiwanis mtg. noon Center	Muenster Museum CLOSED Library CLOSED Thanksgiving Day	Muenster Museum open -1-4 NO SCHOOL	Library open 10:30 am - 2:30 pm Muenster Christmas Parade
Sunday, November 27, 2011	Monday, November 28, 2011	Tuesday, November 29, 2011	Wednesday, November 30, 2011	Thursday, December 1, 2011	Friday, December 2, 2011	Saturday, December 3, 2011
Muenster Museum open 1-4 pm		Library open 10am-6:30 pm	Library open 1:30 -5:30 pm Kiwanis mtg. noon, Center Rel. Ed class 7 pm	Library open 10 am - 6:30 pm Muenster Museum open 1-4pm	Muenster Museum Open 1-4 p.m AARP Board Mtg. 10 am SH NO school	Library open 10:30 am - 2:30 pm Gainesville Christmas Parade

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Obituaries THE MUENSTER ENTERPRISE - NOVEMBER 18, 2011 - PAGE 3

Juanita Knabe 1923 - 2011

for Juanita Marie Muller Knabe of Muenster was held Paul Bayer, and Bernadette Saturday, Nov. 12 at Sacred and Ed Otto, all of Muen-Heart Catholic Church in ster; sons and daughters-in-Muenster with Fr. Ken Robinson celebrating the Mass. Burial was in Sacred Heart Cemetery. A Rosary/vigil was held at the funeral home Friday evening. Services were directed by McCoy Funeral Home in Muenster.

Juanita died at the age of 88 at 12:45 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 10, 2011 in Muenster Memorial Hospital.

Born in Rosston on May 2, 1923, Juanita was one of six daughters and three sons born to Matt A. and Angeline Herr Muller. The family moved about 1 ½ years later to Ardmore, Oklahoma, then in 1925 back to the Hood area about 10 miles south of Muenster. They remained in the Muenster area after that time. She married Norbert Knabe on Nov. 25, 1941 in Sacred Heart Church. They purchased a farm and dairy business in 1943. In 1950, all was lost to a massive fire. They later purchased the Fleitman home in Muenster. Juanita then went to work for Jr. Elite. She sewed all the family clothes, including underwear. Ten years later, she decided to stay at home to care for her family.

Even though she was diagnosed with bladder cancer in 1984 and colon cancer in 1986, Juanita maintained her spirit physically, mentally, and spiritually. She enjoyed her family immensely and also her hobbies. She loved sewing, crocheting, and visiting with her eight children, their children and grandchildren. She also enjoyed her annual trips with her sisters and/or the local senior citizens. She was a member of the local VFW Ladies Auxiliary, St. Anne's Society, Catholic Daughters, and was SNAP director for many years.

Survivors include daughters and sons-in-law Elizabeth and Daniel Cross of Sherman, and Mary and

Mass of Christian Burial Claude Bayer, Barbara and Clinton Bayer, Donna and ster; sons and daughters-inlaw Herbie and Edna Knabe, Pat and Shirley Knabe, and Henry and Florentine Knabe, all of Muenster; sisters and brother-in-law Josephine "Jake" Schilling of Muenster, and Jeanette and Pete Hellinger of Lindsay; brothers and sister-in-law Donald and Nora Muller of Denton, and Clyde Muller of Bedford; grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

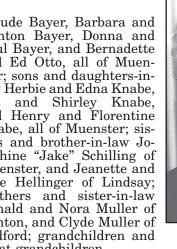
death by her husband; sisters Rosalie Sturges, Eva Walterscheid, Bertha Louise Muller; brother Arnold Muller; and one granddaughter.

During the funeral Mass, Jessica Walterscheid gave the First Reading, the Second Reading was given by Sunni Bayer, and Iva Walterscheid read the Prayers of the Faithful. Offertory Gifts were carried by Dawn Knabe and Lorelei Nottingham. Altar servers were Butch Fisher and Sylvan Walterscheid. Eucharistic ministers were Rhonda Walterscheid, Yvonne Ambrose, Austin Miller, Carolyn Bayer, and Ethel Bayer.

Davis, pianist, and Mary Del Olmo. Songs included "On Eagle's Wings," "His Eye Is On The Sparrow," "Ave Ma-ria," "Amazing Grace," "I'll Fly Away," and "Songs of the

The eulogy was written by Jeff T. Walterscheid and read by Amy Anderle. She remembered Juanita as "a woman whose faith never faltered, whose spirit would not subside, and whose heart showed strength that was simply unmatched... Grandma's sewing skills always provided its benefits for the ones around her. In her later years, she spent much of her time constructing quilts, crocheting blankets, and hemming the family's clothing. "Grandma's sense of out-

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Juanita was preceded in doors and adventure has al-

Music ministers were Isaac Angels.'



Juanita Knabe

ways been involved heavily in the hunting and fishing lifestyle... Grandma had a knack for keeping the family close...

"She also washed and ironed altar linen for the church regularly. It really is difficult to say just how many were affected by her good deeds ... "

Pallbearers were Stanley Knabe, Rodney Knabe, Davin Cross, Deano Bayer, John Knabe, Heath Bayer, Jeremy Bayer, and Jeff Walterscheid.



65 YEARS AGO Nov. 15, 1946

Urban Endres is appointed new Ford Dealer. Nick Miller installs new machines which should increase his clothes cleaning and pressing plant's capacity by 50%. John Myrick has severe gash on his leg after jumping a fence and landing on the rough edge of a water trough. New Arrivals: Eileen to Joe and Marie Knauf; Mary Ann to Julius and Cecilia Hermes. Juanita Weinzapfel will serve as editor for the Our Lady of the Lake College Chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota, a music fraternity.

50 YEARS AGO Nov. 17, 1961

Don and Hazel Cooke observe Golden Anniversary. Henry Pels and John Fletcher given safety awards by National Safety Council in cooperation with the Post Office Department. Betty Jean Klement has tonsillectomy. Lawn mower accident sends 3 1/2 year old Carol Felderhoff into two hours of surgery, having her left foot and toes stitched. Ray Fleitman, 13, got 11 stitches in his arm, result of a gash at Muenster Memorial Hos-

Catherine Kubis 1912 - 2011

for Catherine Angeline Kubis of Lindsay was held Monday, Nov. 14 at 10 a.m. at St. Peter's Church in Lindsay with Father Raymond McDaniel and Father Victor Cruz officiating. Burial was in St. Peter's Cemetery under the direction of the Geo. J. Carroll and Son Funeral Home. Rosary was held Sunday, Nov. 13, at 4 p.m. at St. Peter's Church. Catherine died Nov. 10,

2011 at 9:16 a.m. at Nocona General Hospital. She had been a resident of Muenster Health and Rehab for the last 10 1/2 years.

Born Aug. 21, 1912, the ninth child of Berend and Mary Voth, Catherine was raised in Muenster and attended Sacred Heart School. On Jan. 19, 1932, she married Albert Kubis of Lindsay. Catherine was a member of St. Anne's Society and the 3rd Order of Franciscans in Lindsay.

Survivors include children Mary E. Felderhoff of Gainesville, Adam and Alma Wolf of Muenster, Gilbert and Rosina Kubis of Lind-

Fuhrmanns. Wedding: Carol Ann Hess and Joseph Robert Fitsch. Obituary: Sarah El-len Cochran, 78. Al and Evelyn Schmitt celebrate 25th

25 YEARS AGO Nov. 14, 1986

anniversary.

Hunting accident sends Chris Dangelmayr, 19, to Harris Hospital for several surgeries after accidentally being shot in the stomach. exiting out his back. New Muenster business is "Memories" portrait studio opened Karen Trubenbach. Muenster gets \$17,688.81 in tax rebate from the State. Wedding: Renee Rohmer and Adam Schniederjan. New Arrivals: Rufus to Richard and Sharon Bezner; Andrew to Larry and Denise Bayer. Ed Endres honored on 65th birthday.

Schneider dies

Edward "Ed" Schneider of Muenster died at the age of 85 on Monday, Nov. 14, 2011

Mass of Christian Burial say, Alcuin Paul and LuAnn r Catherine Angeline Kubis Kubis of Houston, Kenneth and Janie Thurman of Lindsay, Bernard Kubis of Longview; 27 grandchildren, 63 great-grandchildren, and seven great-great-grandchildren; brother Theo Voth and wife Emelia of Muenster; sisters-in-law Lucille Voth and Gertrude Voth, both of Muenster; numerous nieces and nephews and a host of friends. She was preceded in death

by her husband on Jan. 8, 1998; daughter Theresia on Nov. 20, 1937; and her parents and 13 siblings.

Catherine loved to cook for her family. She enjoyed quilting by herself and with friends, and she loved and was very proud of her flowers

Assisting during the funeral Mass were altar servers Cody Thurman, Travis Block, and Aliana Kubis. The First Reading was given by Judie Woodall. Darlene Miller gave the Second Reading. Vicki Thurman read the Prayers of the Faithful. Sharen Aston, Margie Klement, Cindy Alford, and Allison Kubis did the presentation of the gifts. Eucharistic ministers were Karen Dangelmayr, Theresa Dee, Kathy Metzler, and Mary Fiala. Programs were created by Vicki Thurman and Beth Trubenbach, and distributed to those in attendance by Beth Trubenbach ity of your choice.

died Nov. 6, 2011 in Houston

Born Aug. 18, 1914 in Muenster to Emil and Anna

Kleiss Vogel, Alphonse mar-

ried Julia Ann Hajovsky on

July 4, 1941. He attended

grade school in Muenster

and graduated from high

school at Subiaco Academy

in Arkansas. He later stud-

ied accounting at South Tex-

as School of Law and Com-

Alphonse and Julia lived in

Houston after their marriage

and were members of Christ

the King, Holy Name, and

All Saints parishes. He was

an active member of a num-

ber of organizations includ-

ing Boy Scouts, St. Vincent

Union, Eucharistic Minis-

try, Holy Name Society, and

Third Age Learning Center.

merce in Houston.

at the age of 97.



Catherine Kubis

and Sherrie Krebs.

Music ministers were Andrew Kenney, organist, and Christy Hesse, vocalist. Songs included "On Ea-gle's Wings," "Ave Maria," "Oh Sacrament Most Holy," "Amazing Grace," "Song of Farewell," and "In Paradisum."

Pallbearers were Anthony Felderhoff, Kenny Thurman, Randy Wolf, Toby Kubis, Mike Kubis, and Kassi Hudson

Honorary pallbearers were Steve Felderhoff, Jeff Felderhoff, Phil Wolf, Chris Kubis, Ron Felderhoff, Tim Wolf, and Ronnie Kubis.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Peter's Church Restoration Fund or a char-

Alphonse Vogel 1914 - 2011

Alphonse Francis Vogel European Theater.

Alphonse joined York Corporation in 1936 and retired in 1974 after 39 years of service. He then started his own air conditioning and refrigeration business.

Šurvivors include his son Allan Richard Vogel; daughter Gloria Ann Vogel Petzold; granddaughters Keri Nicole Petzold and Rowan Sharp; grandson Gerard Alphonse Vogel; great-grandsons Jacob and Logan Molina; and numerous nieces and neph-

He was preceded in death by his wife; sons Wayne Edward Vogel and Gerard Neal Vogel; daughter-in-law Sanjuana Aguillera Vogel; his parents; and siblings Joseph, Alois, Theodore, Ray, Lawde Paul Society, Knights of rence, Lu Columbus, All Saints Credit and Emil. rence, Ludwina, Raymond,

Services were held Nov. 10 at All Saints Catholic Church in the Heights. In-A World War II veteran, terment was at St. Andrew's





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United Way concludes 2012 campaign



Cooke County United Way held a celebration luncheon last Thursday. Above - United Way Campaign Chairman Mark Austin, at left, reveals that the goal was reached. Director Ángie Hare and Board President Rhonda Beam are overjoyed to hear that they took in \$391,696; at left - Debbie Hess, Muenster campaign division leader. Pat Springer photos

North Central **Texas** Chorale to present "Vivaldi Gloria"

The North Central Texas Chorale will present their concert "Vivaldi Gloria" on Tuesday, Dec. 6. The concert will begin at 7:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church in Gainesville. Tickets will be available at the door.

The "Vivaldi Gloria" is one of the great works in choral literature and is an audi-ence favorite. The Chorale will be accompanied by a chamber orchestra. Also on the program will be Benjamin Britten's "Rejoice in the Lamb." The work is written for choir, four soloists, and a very expressive organ accompaniment to be performed by John Dill. Dill is the organist at Stonebriar Community Church in Frisco. He was organist for many years at First Baptist Church in Denton and is known for his style and spirit at the organ console.

The Chorale is under the direction of Daniel Banke, who is the director of Music Ministries at First United Methodist Church of Gainesville. Carolyn Hook is the rehearsal accompanist.

For more information, you may visit the website www. northcentraltexaschorale

In the Service

Jake Freeman NavySeamanJakeC.Freeman, son of Jamai Freeman to galvanize the basic warof Gainesville, was recently rior attributes of sacrifice, promoted to his current rank dedication, teamwork, and of E3 Seaman upon gradua- endurance in each recruit tion from recruit training at through the practical appli-Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Illinois.

Jake was promoted to E3 before he left for basic train- Its distinctly "Navy" flavor ing. He entered the Navy as was designed to take into acan E3 Seaman because he had a Bachelor degree upon enlistment. He did graduate from basic training at sic training was a small step Recruit Training Command, however had the Rate when he arrived. It is termed Rank for officers and Rate for the enlisted.

Freeman received the early promotion for outstanding performance during all phases of the training cycle. Training included classroom study and practical instruction on naval customs, first aid, firefighting, water safeemphasis was also placed on physical fitness.

Jake's outstanding performance and leadership early on in basic training earned him the role of Recruit Chief Petty Officer of Division 820. He led 92 recruits through his BUDS prep class. their basic training and into graduation.

The capstone event of boot camp is "Battle Stations." This exercise gives recruits as Tech University, Lubbock, the skills and confidence they with a BBA degree.

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need to succeed in the fleet. "Battle Stations" is designed cation of basic Navy skills and the core values of Honor, Courage, and Commitment. count what it means to be a Sailor.

His graduation from batowards accomplishing his dream of becoming a Navy Special Warfare Operator known to many as Navy SEALS. In order to become a member of this elite group, he must first endure a six month BUDS training school. The acronym stands for Basic Underwater Demolition School. He and the remainder of his class are currently in BUDS prep training with ty and survival, and ship-board and aircraft safety. An eticians to prepare them for the strenuous ordeal. He will enter into BUDS Class 293 upon arrival at Coronado California training facility in early January for Phase 1 of the school. Jake is currently a boat tem leader in

> Freeman is a 2003 graduate of Muenster High School. He is a 2009 graduate of Tex-

Walterscheid plants wildflowers near Lake for Gold Award project

in planting wildflowers for her Girl Scout Gold Award, moved to the west side by on Nov. 5. This Gold Award the walking trail. The group project was the main service project that will count mixed with mortar sand on towards the many hours approximately an acre of needed to complete the Gold land. A variety of 26 types Award.

Saturday with a good breakfast provided to all partici- North Texas area and will pants. After the breakfast, establish themselves well.

Many generous volunteers the planting began near the These wildflowers will be-joined Bailey Walterscheid dam on the east side of the gin to bloom in mid-spring Muenster Lake and then spread 22 pounds of seed joy! of wildflower seeds were in the seed packets that were They began at 9 a.m. that planted. All the various wildflowers are native to the

through early summer and will enhance the beautification of the Lake for all to en-

Bailey noted that the project was made possible by all the volunteers who helped plant, Keep Muenster Beautiful, generous donors, and the Muenster Lake Board by their support and cooperation for this project.



Volunteers helping plant wildflower seeds near Muenster Lake pose for a photo Courtesy photo with Bailey Walterscheid.

Weather whys - the Northern Lights

saw the "northern lights. What are they?

A: The correct term is aurora, and there are two types aurora borealis, which in the U.S. are frequently called the northern lights and the aurora australis, or southern lights, says Brent McRoberts of Texas A&M University. "Auroras are caused by molecules high in the atmosphere that release energy that has been excited by flares of energy from the sun. This energy is in the form of radiation, and sometimes the wavelengths come in the form of light. The dif-

Q: Many people recently emit different lights - some in northern latitudes," he are green, red, yellow, white, or even purple. They tend to brighten and then fade away again and often appear in the night sky as a waving curtain, a ribbon of colored light, a glow in the sky, or sometimes even an arc of light. Their movement can be breathtaking.'

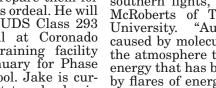
Q: Can anyone see the northern lights?

A: They are best viewed in northern areas of the country and are frequently seen as high as 50 miles or more in Canada and near both above the earth, and they the north and south poles, McRoberts adds. "It's why they are called the northern ferent atmospheric gases lights - they are best seen

explains. "It's fairly rare for people in the southern U.S. to be able to see the aurora borealis, but it does happen every few years. When it does occur, it's because the sun emits a giant flare of energy toward earth and excites a tremendous number of molecules. The height of auroras has always been something of a mystery. We know they are much higher than clouds and often range can cause power grid and satellite disruption.

Weather Whys is from the **Department of Atmospheric** Sciences at Texas A&M







New Arrivals



Noah Dunlap

Dunlap

Keith and Debra Dunlap of Bedford joyfully announce the birth of their first child. Noah Alden Dunlap was born at 6:02 a.m., Thursday, Nov. 3, 2011, at Baylor Grapevine. He weighed 8 lb. and measured 21.5 inches in length. Maternal grandparents are Joe and Pam Dangelmayr of Muenster. Paternal grandparents are Al and Jody Dunlap of Abilene. Paternal great-grandparents are Al and Laura Dunlap of Indialantic, Florida and Charles White of Redding, California and the late Ramona White. Maternal great-grandpar-ents are the late Herman and Alma Stoffels and the late Herman and Elfreda Dangelmayr.

Lutkenhaus

Bradley, Alyssa, and Zachary Lutkenhaus proudly announce the birth of their brother Jayden Robert Lutkenhaus. He was born Thursday, Oct. 20, 2011 at 2:31 p.m. in Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital weighing 9 lb. 1 oz. and measuring 19 inches in length. Welcoming him home are his big brothers Bradley, age seven, and Zachary, age 19 months, big sister Alyssa, age five, and parents Jason and Michelle. Jayden's grandparents are Bobby and Linda Lutkenhaus and Bill and Annette Bayer. His great-grandparents are Angie Lutkenhaus and Louise Bayer.



Jayden Lutkenhaus

Marni Gregg

Gregg

Chad and Dixie Gregg of Muenster joyfully announce the birth of their daughter Marni Lee Gregg on Thursday, Sept. 1, 2011. She weighed 7 lb. 10 oz. and measured 20 inches in length. She is welcomed to the family by her big brother Jona-than, age 14. Grandparents are Doyle and Vicki Smith of Forestburg, Gloria Gregg of Denton, and the late Jimmy Gregg.

Lighted parade to conclude Santa on the Square event

The Saint Jo Chamber of be lighted. They will need to Commerce will be hosting arrive no later than 5 p.m. the annual "Santa on the on Dec. 11 in the vacant lot the annual "Santa on the Square" program on Saturday, Dec. 10. This year's event will include a lighted Jo Community Choir will also perform. The Century Club will provide hot chocolate and snacks during the event.

Santa on the Square will culminate with the annual Christmas Parade. Entries will need to be submitted

Heavy packs can be a pain in the back

A backpack bulging with books and school supplies may be a sign of a good student, but doctors at UT Southwestern Medical Center say it can also cause back strain and even nerve dam-

A condition called Rucksack Paralysis is caused by the strain on shoulders and arms. Symptoms include pain and tingling in the hands and arms. The prob-lem could become permanent if kids continue to sport packs that are too heavy.

"If the child is straining or slouching, that is a sign the pack's too heavy," said UT Southwestern orthopaedic surgeon Dr. Kevin Gill, codirector of the Spine Center at the medical center. "You can often lighten the load by ensuring that kids don't carry anything in their packs that isn't necessary."

Gainesville for years until

preparer quit. One of the two volunteers who used to

run the site is going to drive

to Denison for training and

certification this year and if

the communities can get at

least two more volunteers

to carpool with him to train-

ing, ÅARP would be able

to reopen a free tax site in

Gainesville this year or next

the corner-which means

that you have an opportunity

to make a real difference in

Sites in Sherman, Denton,

Tax season is just around

north of Leeton Phillip's house. Parade rules and regulations will be received when you turn in your entry. Prizes include: 1st place, \$150; 2nd place, \$100; 3rd place, \$50.

Vendor slots are available for \$25 and must be reserved in advance. No food vendors please.

For more information or for entry forms, contact Larry Smith at (940) 995-2668

In addition, Dr. Gill recommends avoiding slinging a backpack over just one shoulder.

"Use a pack with a waistband and carry it with both straps to distribute the load,' said Dr. Gill. "Or you may want to consider a rolling backpack or luggage cart.'

Notice

There will be a Brown Bag The Plains Beyond.

God grant me the serenity to accept the people I cannot change, the courage to change the one I can, and the wisdom

~ Author Unknown

AARP Foundation had

and expand services in their communities. When you volunteer for

AARP Tax-Aide, your expertise will be appreciated more than you can imagine. More than 35,000 volunteers across the country get the satisfaction of helping others in many ways.

Register and fill out a Volunteer Application at: https://volunteers.aarp.org/

In 2011, some 35,000 vol-unteers at 6,500 Tax-Aide sites in all 50 states and the District of Columbia helped 2.6 million people-many age 60 and over-navigate complicated tax codes, enfrom February to April and recruit volunteers in the fall for the following tax season. They may also seek in-kind returns. By using AARP

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Forest Rescue program. The Foundation's Trees in Celebration program allows the giver to honor loved ones while at the same time making a positive impact on the environment. Trees in Cel-

ebration includes a certificate for the recipient, and for each dollar donated a tree is planted in a damaged forest. Give special friends a

membership to the Arbor Day Foundation, and they will also receive 10 free trees. including 10 free trees that will be shipped at the right time of year for planting. "The holidays are a time for thinking about others, and as you do, take a moment to think about what you can do to protect the beauty and splendor of the Earth," said John Rosenow, chief executive of the Arbor Day Foundation. "We encourage everyone to give gifts that will have a lasting impact on the world for generations to come." To purchase holiday gifts that give back to the Earth, go to arborday.org.

parade, goodie bags for the children (handed out by Saint Nick!), and the Saint

by Dec. 6. All entries must or lsmithisd@earthlink.net.



Skyler Rae Reed, daugh-

ter of Jon and Tiffany Reed

of Muenster, celebrated her

third birthday on Sept. 12.

Her birthday party was held

Sept. 11 at Chuck E. Cheese

in Denton. Pizza was served

along with a chocolate cake given to Skyler by Chuck E.

Tokens were passed out to

all children and games were

played, All won tickets were

spent by buying everyone a

party were Skyler's parents,

Those in attendance at the

bag of cotton candy.





Brown Bag Book Review Book Review on Thursday Dec. 1 at noon in the NCTC Library Lyceum - Gainesville Campus (note location change due to remodeling at the Morton Museum). L. D. Clark will review his book

Invite a friend and join to know it's me. them!

AARP Foundation seeks volunteers

cember and January a Tax-Wise free tax site in

An AARP Tax-Aide greet-er is the first person clients 2010 when a volunteer tax meet when they enter a tax site. Greeters make sure the client has all the necessary paperwork before meeting with a counselor, and they manage the flow of clients being served.

coordinators Technology manage computer equipment, work to ensure taxpayer data security, or provide technical assistance to volunteers at multiple sites on technology issues.

Communications coordinators promote AARP Tax-Aide to potential clients A membership costs \$10, and your community. Be a client from February to April and includes many great benefits, at one of the AARP Tax-Aide recruit volunteers in the fall

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or various other sites (Feb. 1–April 15), or become a volunteer for the nation's largest *FREE* tax preparation and assistance service so that a site can be reopened in Gainesville.

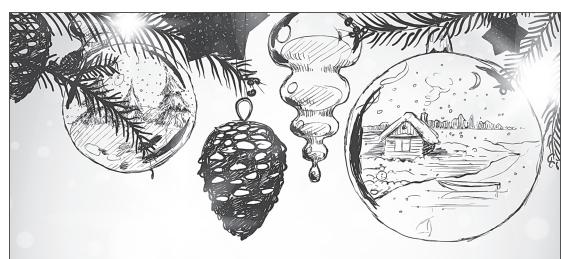
There are many kinds of volunteer opportunities, from tax volunteers to greeters as well as communications and technology coordinators. One could be right for you!

Tax volunteers interact with clients by filling out tax returns. Even if you don't have accounting or tax preparation experience, becoming a tax volunteer may be right for you. AARP provides training in preparing tax forms and using tax preparation software for IRS Certification in Denison, Denton, or Carrollton in De-

donations or help raise funds Foundation Tax-Aide, these for computer equipment and taxpayers also avoided tax other materials to maintain preparation fees.



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SCHOOL



Pictured are the cast and crew of Twice Upon a Time, 1st place winner at District OAP. Front, from left, Natalie Walterscheid, Allison Haubold, Allie Walterscheid, Katie Pagel, Alison Morris, Mahayla Bohl; middle Alyssa Barnes, Katie Bell, Macie Pagel, Kelsie Sicking, Alaina Reiter, McKenna Proffer, James Lee; back Gynell Oppermann (director), Katie Hutson, Zina Haverkamp, Russell Griffith, Morgan Eldridge, Kimber Walterscheid, Karli Mouring, Reagan Weger, and Dana Klement (director). **Courtesy photo**

Lindsay ISD names students in vives when what has the Merit Scholarship Program Phillip Hall, principal the 2012 competition by tak- recognizing their accom-of Lindsay High School, ing the 2010 Preliminary plishments as well announced that Amelia SAT/National West Control of the second

Haverkamp, daughter of Greg and Amy Haverkamp, and Lucinda Krahl, daughter of Damian and Lucy Krahl, have each been named a Commended Student in the 2012 National Merit Scholarship Program. A Letter of Commendation from the school and National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC), which conducts the program, will be presented to these scholastically talented seniors.

About 34,000 Commended Students throughout the nation are being recognized for their exceptional academic promise. Although they will not continue in the 2012 competition for National Merit Scholarships, Commended Students placed among the top 5% of more than 1.5 million students who entered

ship Qualifying Test (PSAT/ in their academic devel-NMSQT).

"The young men and wom- vancement of educational en being named Commended excellence in our nation. Students have demonstrated We hope this recognition outstanding potential for ac-ademic success," commented educational opportunities a spokesperson for NMSC. and encourage them as "These students represent a they continue their pursuit valuable national resource; of academic success.

opment, is vital to the ad-

Don't despair of a student if he has one clear idea. Nathanial Emmonsi



Muenster Junior High takes 1st in District OAP

Muenster Junior High One Act Play took 1st place hon-ors in District One Act Play (OAP) competition on Tuesday, Nov. 8 at NCTC's First State Bank Center for the Performing Arts. They presented the play Twice Upon A Time written by Colleen Neuman.

Other schools competing were Valley View, Era, Lindsay, and Collinsville.

Allie Walterscheid was awarded Best Actress and Russell Griffith was awarded Best Actor. All-Star Cast awards went to Mahayla Bohl and Alison Morris. Honorable Mention All-Star Cast was awarded to Reagan Weger, Karli Mouring, and Kimber Walterscheid.

Crew members included Zina Haverkamp, sound/music; Katie Hutson, lights; Natalie Walterscheid, curtains; and Macie Pagel, stage manager. Katie Pagel was alternate for the play.

Dana Klement and Gynell Oppermann were the directors for the play. Carmen Reiter helped with costumes.

Muenster ISD Honor Roll

Second Six Weeks **'A" HONOR ROLL** Brennan

7th Grade: Brenn Binder, Morgan Eldridge. 8th Grade: Mason Davis,

Abby Luttmer, Alison Morris, Samuel Saucer, Kimber Walterscheid, Reagan Weger.

10th Grade: Hannah Bayer, Sydney Huchton, Jaisal Patel.

been learned has been Rohmer, Payton Sanders, Brooke Walterscheid. 12th Grade: Andi Fel-

- B.F. Skinner

Education is what sur-

forgotten.

derhoff, Lana Heers, Emily Hellman, Paige Hennigan, Andrea Hess, Landon Presnall.

"A/B" HONOR ROLL

7th Grade: Devon Brinkley, Mark Davis, William Felderhoff, Allison Haubold, Bryce Herr, Katie Hutson, Blayne Jones, Bailey Kle-ment, Katie Kresge, Amy Macie Pagel, Porter, Sawyer Luttmer, Mathew

See HONOR, pg. 7

Students Study Canadian History



Recently, Annette Bayer's 6th grade class at Sacred Heart Catholic School studied Canada. In learning about Canada and the "First Nations," they discovered that many of these people were from the Cree, Micmac, Abenaki, and Ojibwa Indian tribes. Totem poles are symbols that tell stories, celebrate important events, and preserve native clan history. Pictured are the totem poles designed by her students using various materials and following criteria given for the project. Students are, from left, front - Sophia Jones, Kendra Flusche, MacKenzie Mason, Zoe Klement, Kate Springer, Mason VanBriggle; middle - Harper Crisp, Jon Hess, Julian Hesse, Tanner Eddleman, Roy Endres; back - Samantha Muller, Hunter Hess, Sam Hesse, and Thomas Hennigan. SHCS photo



Lunch

<u>WEEK OF NOV. 21 - 25</u> **MUENSTER ISD**

Mon. - Hot dogs, cheese nips, pinto beans, peaches, yellow cake.

Tues. - Pepperoni pizza hot pockets, lettuce salad w/dressing, pork and beans, pears, graham crackers.

Wed., Thurs., Fri. Thanksgiving holidays. LINDSAY ISD

Mon. - Corn dog, corn on the cob, fresh carrots, mixed fruit.

Tues. - Grilled chicken w/ mozzarella on a bun, baked beans, pineapple, vanilla pudding, vanilla wafers.

Wed., Thurs., Fri. Thanksgiving holidays.

ERA ISD

Mon. - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, green beans, breadstick, fruit.

Tues. - Chicken nuggets, macaroni and cheese, broccoli, fruit, roll.

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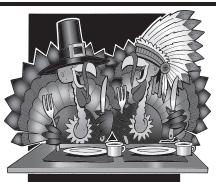
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SH Junior High cheerleaders for the 2011-12 school year, from left, Catherine Fleitman, Sophia Jones, Avery Truebenbach, Alaina Endres, Katie Luttmer, Alane Bartush, Katie Bezner, Leah Knabe, Mackenzie Mason, Samantha Koesler, and Kate Springer. **SHCS** photo

FCCLA reports on November projects

On Thursday, Nov. 10, some of the FCCLA members, along with sponsor Joni Sturm, served food to the Muenster ISD School Board at their meeting. These members included Brooke Walterscheid, Lauren Rohmer, Shelby Klement, Kendi Bayer, and Adrien Rohmer. The lasagna and apple and apricot crumble were cooked by Mrs. Sturm's Lifetime Nutrition and Wellness class.

Also at the meeting, FC-CLA President Brooke Walterscheid fulfilled part of her duties by explaining some of the activities Muenster FC-CLA will be hosting this next month. One of the topics was the FACTS project Emily Hellman and Tori Dyess put on Wednesday, Nov. 16 for the sophomores and juniors at Muenster and Sacred Heart High schools. Another topic was the Great American Smoke-Out was hosted at Muenster ISD Thursday, Nov. 17. For this, each student will be asked to sponsor a tobacco user that he/she knows while they attempt to not use for a whole day.

Submitted by FCCLA VP of Public Relations Kendi Baver



Muenster FCCLA members Kendi Bayer, Shelby Klement, Brooke Walterscheid, Lauren Rohmer, and Adrien Rohmer prepare to serve a meal to the Muenster ISD Board of Trustees. **MISD** photo



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Marcus Aurelius



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First State Bank Executive Vice President Ryan Morris presents Thomas Edisor **Courtesy photo** Elementary students with their prize money.

Thomas Edison Elementary School uses social networking to earn \$2,500

ents, teachers, and students ing signs, hanging posters, about the contest. Sam Housat many North Texas elementary schools have been busy rallying the community to visit a local bank's Face-

HONORcontinued from pg. 6

Sanders, Haiden Shook, Emma Wood.

8th Grade: Mahayla Bohl, Jordan Buddy, Chase Deeken, Trace Klement, McKenna Proffer, Alaina Reiter, Claire Schneider, Kelsie Sicking, Allie Walterscheid.

9th Grade: Trey Ander-le, Kevin Barnes, Morgan Flusche, Caroline Gressett, Tara Gunnels, Rachel Hare, Blake Haubold, Chance Herr, Mikaela Lamar, Kristen Reiter, Georgia Taylor Saave-dra, Lora Walterscheid.

10th Grade: Kendi Bayer, Mason Binder, Austin Creswell, Jared Endres, Ashley Hammer, Clayton Hess, Shelby Klement, Jori Magee, Garrett Miller, Makayla Pumphrey, Mariah Rocha, Adrien Rohmer, Shelbi Sicking, Audrey Taylor Saavedra.

11th Grade: Trevor Hess, Hunter Klement, Paul Mouring, Miranda Pagel.

12th Grade: Caitlin Beavers, Luke Crabtree, Kalyn Dangelmayr, Daniel Fleitman, William Hanes, Demi most of the contest, these Koelzer, Cole McAden, Angela Morgan, Allison Pagel, Ri-Shane Sicking, Blake Voth.

For the past month, par- book page. They were wav- one very creative fan posted it for them?

First State Bank launched a contest via Facebook to help support education. Users could log on, visit the bank's page - facebook.com/ FirstStateBankTX, and vote daily for their favorite elementary school. When the contest ended on Oct.15, First State Bank would donate a total of \$8,500 to the parent teacher organizations of the three schools with the most votes. The top school would receive a check for

\$5,000. the contest was overwhelming. People all across the nation were logging on to Facebook to help support Texas elementary schools. In less than 30 days, the bank went from just over 800 "likes" on Facebook to 11,134 on the day the contest ended. "That just goes to show that people take the future of our children's education seriously,' stated First State Bank's Executive Vice President Ryan Morris.

Throughout the voting period, it was a tight race for the \$5,000, and it came down to two schools – Sam Houston in Denton and Thomas Edison in Gainesville. For two schools remained within just one or two votes of each shi Patel, Chloe Schneider, other at the end of each day. Participants were deter- business on the philosophy mined their schools. One Gaines- nity, it's good for the bank. ville parent created a video For more information, call instructing Facebook fans (940) 349-5444 or visit HYhow to vote. There was also PERLINK "http://www.Fa talking sock puppet show S-B.com"www.F-S-B.com.

and pleading with neigh- ton staff members made bors. But why? What was in a final effort to secure the money the night before the contest ended by setting up computers for voting during their PTA meeting. One Sam Houston parent even visited local restaurants on the last evening of the contest, going from table to table with a laptop, asking people to vote for her daughter's school. Sam Houston eventually took the lead just hours before the voting ended.

Although Thomas Edison Elementary School couldn't claim the \$5,000 first prize, 5,000. the hard work and deter-The public's response to mination of the Gainesville community paid off. First State Bank presented Thomas Edison Elementary School's PTO with a check for \$2,500 for earning the second place spot in the contest. The giant check was given to students during a special ceremony at the school as students eagerly chanted, "First State Bank!" After the check presentation, a parent from Thomas Edison com-mented on Facebook, "These wonderful kids deserve it! I know FSB must be proud and humbled by such a response from kids that young. It was an exciting contest and our school did an awe-some job!"

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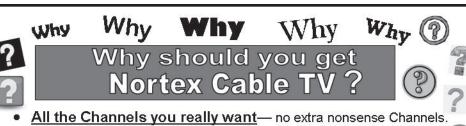


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Tigers wrap up Warriors

began their trip down playoff road last Friday hosting the Rockwall Christian Warriors in first round action. It wasn't much of a contest, as the Tiger offense dominated the field, taking a 59-14 win from their visitors.

"The Tigers played well on offense, defense, and special teams,' " noted Sacred Heart Coach Dale Schilling. "It was nice to see the seniors going all out to win their last home game."

Rockwall took the opening kick, gained 8, and punted. Three plays later, the Tigers were on the board with a 14 yard run by Josh Biffle. Austin Aldriedge added the extra point for a 7-0 score.

The Warriors got in two good runs, but a loose ball was covered by John Paul Hesse on the Rockwall 23. A 1st down Bob Bartush to Keith Metzler pass put the Tigers in the end zone. The PAT was good for a 14-0 score.

Rockwall fought back, taking nine plays to get on the scoreboard, 14-7. Metzler took the Warrior kick and returned it 90 yards for a 20-7 score.

Tackles by Mark Bar-tush, Michael Davis, Justin Brown, and Benjamin Yosten forced another Warrior punt.

From midfield, runs by M. Bartush and Biffle, a pass interference flag, and a B. Bartush to Austin Miller pass play took the Tigers to the 10 yard line. M. Bartush had the honor of taking the ball into the end zone to give Sacred Heart a 26-7 lead to end the 1st quarter.

Again it was three at-tempts and a punt for the Rockwall team, placing the Tigers on their 35 yard line. It took Sacred Heart 14 plays, as they ran time off the clock, before M. Bartush scored from the 2. The PAT kick failed and the Tigers took a 32-7 lead.

Tackles by Davis and 11/14/0 Comp/att/int Quinn Sicking once more 1/37

The Sacred Heart Tigers held the Warriors. The punt put the Tigers on their 33. Three B. Bartush to Biffle pass plays, and runs by Brown, M. Bartush, and B. Bartush steadily moved the ball to the Warrior 14. M. Bartush finished the drive 5/19. RECEIVERS: Josh Bifwith 46 seconds remaining in fle, 6/102; John Paul Hesse, the 1st half. Aldriedge's PAT was good for a 39-7 score.

run before Davis, Hayden Schilling, and M. Bartush stopped the Warriors at midfield. With time remaining for one more play, B. Bartush connected with Biffle for a 50 yard TD play with no time on the clock to give Sacred Heart a 46-7 halftime lead.

Sacred Heart took the 3rd quarter kick, taking seven in District with a season 9-2 runs and 3 minutes to find the end zone and increase their lead to 53-7.

The Rockwall offense continued to struggle, with a quarterback that has thrown three run and punt attempt. Starting on their 30, runs by Warrior territory before running out of downs.

Austin Springer caught Rockwall for a 6 yard loss, followed by two incomplete passes. A blocked punt was picked up by Biffle and returned 10 yards for another Tiger touchdown. The PAT failed for a 59-7 score with just under 2 minutes remaining in the 3rd period.

The Warriors got a break their next drive when an intercepted pass was nulled by a penalty and another flag gave the visitors another 1st down at midfield. Five more plays and Rockwall was in the end zone for a 59-14 score with 7:20 on the clock.

Each team got in plays before time expired. **SH** 26 59 20 13RC 7 0 0 $\mathbf{7}$ 14 **Team Stats** SH RC 25151st downs 24/12535/212Rushes/yds 181 Passing yds 97 8/22/0

Punts/yds 5/31

Cross Country season ends at Round Rock

Another Cross Country season came to an end last Saturday for Muenster and Lindsay at the UIL State Cross Coun try Meet in Round Rock. As a team, Lindsay's Lady Knights finished in 4th place, while the Lady Hornets of Muenster Sunray, and Hamlin.

Fumbles/lost 4/30 Penalties/yds 7/60 Individual Stats

RUSHERS: Mark Bartush, 7/62; Josh Biffle, 8/54; Keith Metzler, 6/52; Austin Miller, 4/19; Bob Bartush, 2/44; Keith Metzler, 2/27; Austin Miller, 1/10. TACK-Rockwall got in one good LES: Michael Davis, Justin Brown, Hayden Schilling. FUMBLE RECOVERY: John Paul Hesse.

Next Action

The Tigers advance to round two of the TAPPS Division IV State Playoffs, facing the Warriors of The Woodlands Christian Acad-

The Warriors, undefeated record, smashed the Savio Eagles of Austin 57-12 in last week's playoff game.

"The Woodlands has a around 90 touchdown passes the last two years. So the key Miller, Metzler, and Dylan Clure took the Tigers into sure their quarterback and stop their passing game," Coach Schilling said. "They also have very good skill kids, and four receivers who are 6'3" or taller."

The Tigers and Warriors will meet this Friday for a 6 p.m. showdown in Tyler.



Austin Miller (8) gets the Tigers a little closer to the end zone. Also pictured is John Paul Hesse (14). Pat Springer photo

Hornets hope to swarm Riesel

With a 10-0 season and a week off, the District 5A Muenster Hornet football team is ready for playoff action.

The Hornets will face the Riesel Indians this Friday night in the Area round of the playoffs. In Dave Campbell's pre-season picks, Riesel was rated 4th in District 8A, but the 10-1 Indians proved the stat keepers wrong. Riesel's only loss was to their district champion team Mart. In Bi-District last week, the Indians defeated Santo 58-44.

"Riesel is a very run oriented team, basing their offense around their running game," noted Muenster Coach Brady Carney. "They average 30-35 points a game with good young skill kids with good speed."

Carney added that the Indian defense puts a lot of pressure on their opponents' running game, so the Hornets may be throwing the ball more. Riesel also has good numbers around 60 players suiting out.

We'll be running on all cylinders," Carney concluded, noting that the Hornet team is without injuries.

The Area playoff game will be at Brewer High School stadium. Muenster will be the visiting team. Admission is \$5 for adults, \$3 for children, with senior citizen passes accepted. There is also a \$5 parking fee.

Also in the area, the Lindsay Knights, after a 21 point deficit at halftime, defeated Honey Grove 34-28 in overtime and will face District 7 Champions Bosqueville. The Collinsville Pirates, after a 48-0 Bi-District victory over Quinlan Boles, will face Mart, District 8 Champs.



Lindsay Coach Robin Hess noted that the race was very difficult, with the runners fighting the wind and the hills.

Lady Knights Megan Holt and Lauren Gibbs were chosen for the CCCAT All-State Cross Country Team.

Runners from Cooke County, their places and times are as follows: 4, Megan Holt, L, 12:25.65; 11, Lauren Gibbs, L, 12:53.33; 17, Sofia Zavala, É, 13:05.68; 19, Emily Hellman, M, 13:10.75; 33, Kayley Calhoun, VV, 13:34.43; 35, Megan Caillier, L, 13:36.23; 45, Paige Herr, M, 13:47.04; 68, Re-becca Metzler, L, 14:19.05; 77, Jessica Martin, L, 14:29.49; 78, Demi Koelzer, M, 14:30.43; 80, Lana Heers, M, 14:36.92; 87, Michelle Sicking, M, 14:57.62; 89, Lauren Rohmer, M, 15:02.47; 94, Courtney Neu, L, 15:20.34; 99, Amber Walterscheid, M, 16:00.74; 103, Brianne Sandmann, L, 17:24.03.

At right - Four Muenster High School Seniors ran their last cross country race as Lady Hornets last weekend at the UIL State Cross Country Meet in Round Rock. They are, from left - Emily Hellman, Lana Heers, Demi Koelzer, and Kalyn Dangelmayr. Deanna Hellman photo

Senior members of the Sacred Heart Tiger football team after their last home field game last Friday, from left - Quinn Sicking (73), Josh Biffle (10), Michael Davis (54), Austin Miller (8), Mark Bartush (2), Austin settled for 10th. Taking the top three positions were Gruver, Springer (74), Bob Bartush (16), and Benjamin Yosten (65). Pat Springer photo





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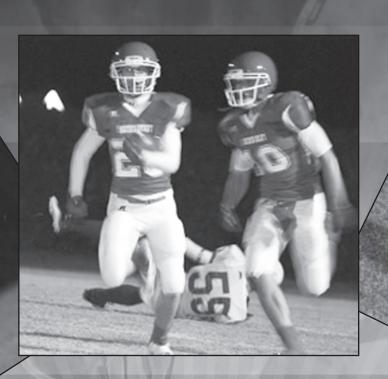
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Sacred Heart Tigers VS **Rockwall** Christian Warriors

Photos by Pat Springer











Varsity Basketball

Tigerettes

The Sacred Heart Tigerettes improved to 1-1 last week after a 66-45 win over Canyon Creek.

"I thought the effort was much better," noted Coach Jon LeBrasseur. "We are a blue collar team, and if we play that way night in and night out we could become a very good basketball team."

Kaitlin Hesse was high scorer in the contest with 17 points. Karli Anderle added 16, Bailey Walterscheid 8, Peyton Reiter 7, Karleigh Reeves 5, Kelsey Reeves and Devan Henry 4 apiece, Danielle Berend 3, and Mikaela Bartush 2.

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On Tuesday, the Tigerettes traveled to Valley View, battling the Lady Eagles to a 54-47 Sacred Heart win.

Seven Tigerettes points on the board, led by Hesse with 19. Berend added 12, with Bartush and Anderle each scoring 6, Ke. Reeves 5, Ka. Reeves 4, and Walterscheid 2.

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Muenster vs. Peaster

In a tight game Tuesday,

the JV Lady Hornets pulled

out a 33-32 win over Peaster.

Hannah Bayer led Muenster

in scoring with 19 points.

Kendi Bayer added 7, Syd-

ney Huchton 5, and Adrien

Rohmer 2.

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Lady Hornets

The Lady Hornets got victory #2 Tuesday night with a 57-46 win over Peaster. After an early good lead, Peaster was allowed back into the game in the 3rd quarter, closing the score to 4 points going into the final quarter.

Leading point maker for Muenster was Demi Koelzer with 23 points. Lana Heers added 16, Allison Pagel 7, Michelle Sicking and Lauren Rohmer 4 apiece, and Amber Walterscheid 3.

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Lindsay

After only one full practice to get ready for the basketball season, the Lindsay Lady Knights lost their season opener 48-42 to Paradise Tuesday night.

"I was very pleased with the effort. I feel like we have a lot of potential," noted Coach Don^{Neu}.

Megan Caillier and Jordan Fleitman led the scoring with 8 points each. Sydney Ott and Haley Skinner each added 7, Taylor Atkins 6, and 2 apiece from Katie Arendt, Hannah Zimmerer, and Elizabeth Wallace.



Garrett Yancey (9) outruns a Honey Grove defender in the Knights' big playoff win last Friday. Photo courtesy of Salty Rose

Lady Knights end Bolleyball season at Regional tourney

The Lady Knights competed in the 1A Region 2 Volleyball Tournament last weekend in Weatherford. Lindsay defeated DeLeon in Area, then Forestburg in the Regional Quar-terfinals to earn a slot in the Tournament. Competing with the Lady Knights were Evant, Cayuga, and Cross Roads.

In the Semi-Final game at Regional, Lindsay defeated Cross Roads by scores of 25-23, 25-20, 16-25, 25-15 to improve their season record to 30-12 and advance to the Regional Finals. Stats on the game were: Tara Atkins, 2 aces (AC), 7 digs (D), 36 assists (A); Jalyn Anderle, 2 AC, 9 kill (K), 5 blocks, (B), 4 D; Taylor Atkins, 12 K, 3 D; Nicole Fleitman, 9 K, 4 B, 5 D; Katie Arendt, 10 D; Jordan Fleitman, 19 K, 8 B; Rebekah Manon, 2 K, 3 D; Lucinda Krahl, 6 D.

The Lady Knights ended their season Saturday night, falling to the Cayuga Lady Cats 16-25, 15-25, 23-25. Stats from the game included: Tara Atkins, 3 AC, 4 D, 23 A; Anderle, 4 K, 5 D; Taylor Atkins, 11 K, 4 D; N. Fleitman, 7 K, 3 B, 5 D; Arendt, 9 D; J. Fleitman, 4 K, 3 D; Manon, 2 K; Mandy Hess, 2 D; Krahl, 4 D.

Senior middle block Jordan Fleitman and freshman setter Tara Atkins were named to the All-Tournament Team. Advancing to State with Cayuga will be Burton, Iola, and Water Valley.

Lady Knights lead All-District Bolleyball Team

DISTRICT 11A ALL-DISTRICT VOLLEYBALL

2011

Co-MVP Jalyn Anderle, L Hannah Avants, Ch <u>Offensive Player</u> Jordan Fleitman, L **Co-Defensive Player**

Katie Arendt, L Ionica Huddleston, H

Knights win playoff game in overtime, 34-28

By Pat Springer No one gave the Lindsay Knights much of a chance Friday night at halftime when they were behind 21-0 to a heavily favored 9-1 Honey Grove team: no one but the coaches, players, and die-hard Knights fans.

The Knights, who are coming to be known lately as the "comeback kids," pulled out another close win... this one in OT by a margin of 34-28 against the Warriors in the first round of the state playoffs at Pottsboro.

On Nov. 4, they did it in the last 23 seconds of the game against Valley View, with a field goal by Yancey, and again Friday in overtime against Honey Grove when Hud Harrison sprinted across the goal line to score the winning touchdown.

The Warriors scored initially by putting 14 points on the board in the first quarter and adding 7 in the second. Honey Grove dominated in the first half offensively and kept the Knights out of the end zone.

Lindsay also had to overcome a rash of turnovers and mistakes initially, head coach Cody Bounds said, and find a way to get the job done.

Bounds and his coaching staff told the boys, "This is your time. Go out and get the ob done."

The Knights charged out of the locker room after the half ready to redeem themselves by playing some hard running, quick catching, and solid tackling football. They took the kickoff and moved 69 yards in 12 plays before Blake Walker crossed the goal line for the first of his two TDs on the night.

board for the first time with seven points in the third.

Honey Grove later missed a field goal attempt, turning the ball back over to the Knights.

As the fourth quarter began, the Knights drove down field when Walker struck again from 29 yards out to add another 7 to the Knights' tally.

Lindsay was behind, 21-14, when the Warriors' quarterback Dillon Baugh ran 51 yards to score, putting Honey Grove up 28-14.

The Knights showed character by staying focused on the goal as sophomore quarterback John Haverkamp threw a long pass to Yancey.

Yancey added yardage on the ground to score his only TD of the night, then added the extra point himself to take the game to 28-21.

Yancey made a big play defensively when he intercepted the ball, giving the Knights a chance to come back from the deficit. Haverkamp led the charge to the goal, running the ball in from the 29-yard line. Yancey added the point after and the score was tied.

The Knight defense held strong, but Honey Grove made a valiant effort when Baugh threw the ball to Nathan Warren near the end zone. The Warriors' dream of a last minute win were shattered when Walker intercepted the pass intended for Warren. At the end of regulation play the score was tied 28-28.

Harrison assured the win in overtime when he raced from 23 yards out to score the winning TD. The players on the field celebrated as cheers from fans in the stands erupted.

"These boys played with a lot of heart. They never gave up. That shows their character and what's been instilled in them. I'm so proud of them," Bounds said.

The Knights will take on the Bosqueville Bulldogs (7-3) Friday on Pennington Field in Hurst. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

Rushing: Hud Harrison 19-115; Blake Walker 15-114; John Haverkamp 19-44. Total: 53 carries, 273 yards.

The Knights were on the pard for the first time with Blake Walker 1-10. Total: 91 vards.

Defensive leaders: Blake Walker 2 interceptions; Drew Cooney; Dean Fleitman; Trevor DeBord; Connor Fuhrmann; Hud Harrison; Garrett Yancey 1 interception; Dylan Hughes; Elijah Walker; Tanner Kuhn fumble recovery; Darryl Block; Chisam Reiter.

> Honey Grove stats First downs - 12 Rushing - 328 yards Passing - 162 yards

Upcoming Holiday Events

Sunday, Nov. 20 Sacred Heart Parish Picnic

Sacred Heart vs. **Valley View**

The JV Tigerettes brought home a 50-22 win over the Lady Eagles Tuesday night. Kylie Hess was the leading scorer with 16 points. Mi-

Junior High Basketball

Sub-Varsity Action

Muenster vs. Poolville

The Muenster Junior High Lady Stingers began basketball action last week Thursday, hosting Poolville. Both home teams were victorious.

Action began with the 7th grade defeating their guests 40-10. Bailey Klement led all scorers with 24 points. Macie Pagel and Haiden Shook each added 4, with Carrie Nasura, Morgan Eldridge, Emma Wood, and Katie Hut-

son each adding 2. The 8th grade Lady Stingers took a 26-14 win over Poolville. Allie Walterscheid led Muenster with 8 points. Nicole Rains added 6, Claire Schneider 5, Katie Pagel 4, Alaina Reiter 2 and Morris 1. Sacred Heart vs. Lindsay The 8th grade Lady Cubs opened up their season with a 33-19 win over Lindsay. Scoring for Sacred Heart were Amanda Aldriedge 12, Leah Knabe 5, Alana Endres, Riley Reiter, and Katie Davidson 4 each, and 2 each by Katie Luttmer and Alane Bartush. Hope Inglish led Lindsay on the scoreboard with 7. Ali Anzaldua added 4, with 2 each from Erin Early, Sarah Snider, Alex Harrell, and Hailey Cooper.

chelle Zimmerer and Mikenzie Fleitman each added 8, with Mikayla Fleitman, Madison Dugger, and Kinzie Hess scoring 6 apiece.

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and Hutson each scoring 2.

Lindsay vs. Valley View The junior high Lady Knights split a pair of games

The 7th grade out-scored the Lady Peepers 33-9. Elizabeth Hellman put 15 points on the board and Sarah Otto 10. Campbell Williams added 6 and Molly Myrick 2.

The 8th grade team came p short 26-14. Allison Gunderson led Lindsay with 8 points. Scoring 2 apiece were Anzaldua, Harrell, and Snider.

high scorer with 24 points. Pagel added 4, with Shook

The 8th grade Lady Hornets defeated the Era Bees 36-14. Natalie Fangman was the game's leading point maker with 25. Schneider added 4, Walterscheid 3, and 2 apiece by Pagel and Rains.

Monday with Valley View.

Morgan Irelan, Co Tara Atkins, L Taylor Atkins, L Second Team Kyla Reeves, SJ Charlotte McGuire, Ch Kimmie Downs, G Madison Scott, F Shelby Horne, VV

Hannah Kamphaus, Co

Kaci Garbacik, Co

Nicole Fleitman, L

Rebekah Manon, L

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Lucinda Krahl **Code**: L - Lindsay; Co - Col-linsville; Ch - Chico; F - Forest-burg; SJ - Saint Jo; G - Gold-

NORABLE MENTION

Muenster vs. Era

The Lady Stingers added victories to their early season with two wins over the Gold Bees.

In 7th grade action, Muenster pulled out a 32-26 win over Èra. Klement again was

Sacred Heart vs. St. Mary's

The Cubs and Lady Cubs were both victorious Monday night with wins over the Mustang teams of St. Mary's.

In girls action, Sacred Heart scored 36 points to the Ponies' 17. Davidson was high scorer with 10. Aldriedge added 8, Bartush and Endres 6 each, Knabe 4, and Hannah Hess 2.

The Cubs outran the Mustangs 50-17. Tyler Spruill put in 12 points, Daniel Hesse 10, Grant Springer and Zach Flusche 8 each, Kason Reeves 6, Ethan Henry 3, and 2 apiece by Michael Fleitman and Rogelio Oracio.

Libero Aspen Sowder, Co <u>Setter</u> Molli Umphress, Ch Newcomer Brooke Johnson, Co <u>Coach</u> Bridget Anderle, L First Team Macey Hall, SJ Malori Moss, Ch Ann Turlington, Ch Alex Sharon, F Jessica Britain, F

Game Warden Reports

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It helps to be able to see when you shoot

Tarrant County Game Warden John Padgett made contact with a dove hunter on Sept. 10 and asked if he had any luck. The hunter said he had shot one dove and one pigeon, and was looking for another bird. In his vest he had two pigeons and no dove. When asked about his dove, he said he didn't have his glasses and thought one bird was a dove. After locating his third bird still alive in the field, Warden Padgett told him he had shot an upland sandpiper. The hunter said he had thought that bird was a pigeon. He again mentioned that his glasses were at home. Cases pending.

Craig's List ad leads to arrest

On Sept. 15, Fort Bend County Game Warden Barry Eversole, with assistance from Galveston County Game Warden Bobby Kana, made contact with an individual who had placed an ad offering waterfowl mounts for sale on Craig's List. Working in plain clothes, Warden Eversole met the in-dividual and bargained a deal to purchase a pair of mounted widgeon. Case pending.



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Saturday, Nov. 26 Muenster Christmas Parade

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Twin size hand pieced quilt - fall colors 3 brand new glass piece chess games Graydog Smitheries (Eric Gray) (2) gun cleanings & repair Parts extra, not included A Friend Ladies oblong cuff watch goldtone - Avon Ladies fabulous perlesque fashion necklace - Avon Sivler tone heart charm necklace - Avon Ladies ruby, topaz 18K gold ring Longhorn stadium seat New laptop carrying case Harriett Scoggins Hand crocheted tablecloth Anonymous Coin operated pool table Jerry & Billie Fleitman-Associated Travel 1 weekend night stay Embassy Suites, Grapevine family of 6 - cooked to order breakfast & managers cocktail reception Expires April 1, 2012 Reneta Knabe New large indoor/outdoor clock New large indoor/outdoor clock Kim Felderhoff Picture of Our Lady of Guadalupe Joyce Bayer Cross rag quilt 3 baby quilts Hand crocheted baby afghan Catholic Daughters of the Americas \$1000.00 donation Anonymous Anonymous New Ab Lounger "2" Elaine Zimmerer Boutique baby basket Bob & Michelle Knauf Bob & Michelle Knauf Unique iron cut-out of windmill Sister Jeanette Hand crocheted baby afghans Triple G Well Service \$1000.00 donation Muenster Farm Mutual \$300.00 donation Kenneth Sicking 100 bushels of oats 100 bushels of oats Anonymous New large framed print of Last Supper John Anderle Jr John Anderle Jr 4 hours post hole digging 4 hours labor & weld Muenster Milling 1 ton of calf creep (2 1000 pound certificates) Community Lumber Rockwell blade runner kit Aspen Photography Senior portrait session & \$100.00 studio credit Susan Hermes **Susan Hermes** Decorative arrangment Bob & Michelle Knauf 1.34 liter of Crown Royal Cathy Fuhrmann Meshy purse Flusche Enterprise \$500.00 donation Karen Endres Hand-pieced Christmas quilt Dana Fuhrmann D.D.S Decorative layered cross Charlotte Dangelmayr 5 foot wooden cross Friend Large oil painting Dorothy Hesse Troy Aikman autographed football Joe Theisman autographed football Dorothy Hesse Decorative vase Dolores Friske Hand-pieced quilt June Bartush Waxing Poetic jewelry Christmas holiday basket Thymes bath & body basket Jackie Bartush Custom Thumb Print pendant Sacred Heart School 4th Grade Child's rocking chair and teddy bear Sacred Heart School 3rd Grade rıpture verse Sylvan & Theresa Mae Walterscheid \$500.00 donation Lloyd & Anastasia Walterscheid "Hubby's Night to Cook" gift basket Contains everything he needs for a fabulous meal with \$100.00 gift certificate to Fischer's Meat Market, Shiskabobs, Brookstone Meat Thermometer, Spices & more Will & Noelle Henry Hunting knife set Eli Young Band C.D. & memorabilia Aileen Knabe Hand decorated Christmas trees Several Christmas arrangements & wreath Innocence statue (Mother, baby Jesus and the Lamb) Framed picture of Madonna & Jesus Statue of the Divine Child Holy water font Lora Hennigan Large framed maps of Napa & Sonoma Valley with unique wine cork inset into frame Muenster Family Medical Clinic - Amy Dangelmayr 20 units of Botox Smoke & Jeanette Koelzer & Derek & Piper Fuhrmann 50 lbs BBQ beef for evening meal **Iva Walterscheid** Coach purse **Dynamite Daycare - D.D. Dangelmayr** Hand print teepee with children of daycare handprints Christi Klement 14k white gold and diamond cross pendant Matt & Michelle Sicking Porter cable 4 tool combo set **Rohmer's Gals** Delectable delights galore! hand made pies, brownies, christmas cookies, they put it all in there! Anonymous Antique baby cradle \$500.00 donation Peggy Sparkman Full facial complete with chocolates and strawberries **Dangelmayr** Construction 3 x 7 cement stock tank Sacred Heart School 5th grade Cookies for Santa basket Large mosaic cross Large wine basket The LaChance Family 22 inch decorative angel The Bird Nest Gardeners gift basket Bobby Dale & Linda Walterscheid Large garden statue Chuck & Doris Koesler Chicken Art on old Koesler chicken barn tin and chicken wire

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Fed cattle prices reach highs as drought continues

production due to the drought and booming exports, fed-cattle prices soared to "unprecedented" levels, according to a Texas AgriLife Extension Service expert.

Fed cattle prices were \$127 per hundredweight last week, said Dr. David Anderson, AgriLife Extension livestock economist. In comparison, they were \$113 per hundredweight two months ago.

"Fed-cattle prices" typically refers to the price of live cattle coming out of feedlots after being fattened on rations consisting largely of grain.

Last year at this time, the price per hundredweight was about \$98, with an average of about \$95 for 2010, Anderson said.

"The seasonal price pattern usually peaks in the springtime, but with another peak late in the year, and that's exactly the kind of seasonal pattern we've seen this year," Anderson said. "Prices were more than \$120 for fed cattle in April, and now were back

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Fueled by declining beef up over \$120 again, after water - or a combination of hitting a summertime low of all three, he said. about \$104." "Earlier in the

Though the seasonal upsand-downs are to be expected, to unprecedented levels by several factors, he said.

First, though the Texas corn crop was largely a failure due to the drought, the harvest was good in the corn belt, which cheapened feed, Anderson said. Another facoverseas markets.

as livestock producers were forced to aggressively cull early, or, in many cases, liqof lack of grazing, hay, or Anderson said.

"Earlier in the year, as we really pushed large numbers of cattle through as the the prices are being driven drought got worse and worse, we forced a lot of calves to market early, and we did see price declines across the board," Anderson said.

This means the calves that would have been normally held and sold in Texas and Oklahoma this fall are altor is increased demands in ready long gone because they were moved out earlier in the But the big factor is the summer, which makes supdrought, and the effect it had plies weak and drives prices

up, he said. "If you had to sell a few herds, send calves to market months ago, that's not much consolation, but I think it uidate entire herds because is a positive thing overall,"

Committees struggle to draft farm bill

Things are heating up in Washington as lawmakers juggle the next round of farm legislation with cutting the deficit. While lawmakers are closer to having a plan for the $2012\,Farm$ Bill, there still is a long way to go, according to a report on Agriculture.com.

There's a lot of debate about how to structure the commodity program," Sena-tor Chuck Grassley (R-La.) said in the report. "There have been real challenges for the ag committee to come up with something to replace direct payments."

The ag committees remain under pressure to finish a draft in time for the Super Committee to consider it for deficit cutting legislation that's due on Nov. 23. So far, the ag committees have proposed \$23 billion in cuts to commodity, conservation, and disaster programs.



TDA market recap

For the week ending Nov. 12, feeder cattle prices at select Texas auctions were steady to \$10 higher per hundredweight. Oklahoma City was steady to \$3 higher, and Texas direct feeder cattle sales were steady to \$4 higher. Competition for a smaller supply of available cattle con-tinues to support the market. Fed cattle prices averaged a record high \$125 per hundredweight, up nearly \$6 from a week earlier as the Choice beef cut-out value also reached a new record high.

Grain prices were lower amid continuing global economic uncertainty, sluggish exports, and reports that some U.S. livestock feeders are importing cheaper feed-grade wheat.

Most crops were again rated in fair to very poor condition, except grain sorghum and wheat, which were mostly good to very poor. Grain sorghum harvest was 85% complete, slightly ahead of average. Winter wheat seedings were 88% complete and 56% of the crop has emerged, well behind the normal 74% because of the very dry conditions. Pastures were rated in 91% very poor to poor condition.



Late rain in Texas does little good

little good, but it won't be enough to save many pastures parched by extreme drought across the Lone Star State, according to a Texas AgriLife Extension Service

expert. "The reason is that we have predominantly warm-season, rangeland-type grasses here in Texas," said Dr. Charles Hart, Texas AgriLife Extension range specialist and associate department head of the department of ecosystem science and management at

Late rain in Texas did a Texas A&M University. "Most of the grasses are warmseason grasses and their growing season is during the hot months of the year.'

However, the recent slow drizzles to a few heavy downpours of rain in Texas over the past few weeks will have a slightly positive effect on some grasses, trees, and crops

"It's probably going to help some of the trees we have that have been dropping their leaves," Hart said. "It will perhaps even save them from dying, but we won't know until this spring.'

Hart noted that winter wheat and winter rye growers will see positive effects of the rain in Texas, particularly as it came while some still are planting this year.

tremendously, through the winter as op-posed to having [to depend upon 100% hay. FORT WORTH **STOCK SHOW & RODEO** Jan. 13 - Feb. 4, 2012 For rodeo ticket order forms and detailed information contact 817.877.2420 or visit www.fwssr.com This thing is legendary[®]. THE NEW 😂 GAUNESVILLE LIVESTOCKAUCTION www.gainesvillelivestock.infoFeeder Steers (per lb.) Stocker Cows (per head) Fat: NT. Pregnancy-tested, 3 to 9-year-olds - Large Frame: \$800-\$1000; Medium Frame: \$700-\$800. Cow/Calf Pairs w/calves <u>200-300 lbs.</u>: No. 1, 1.70-2.10; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.30-1.50; Bucks (per lb) <u>300-400 lbs.</u>: No. 1, 1.60-1.97; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.25-1.45; <u>400-500 lbs.</u>: No. 1, 1.50 -1.82; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.25-1.40; <u>500-600 lbs.</u>: No. 1, 1.55-1.72; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.20-1.30; <u>600-700 lbs.</u>: No. 1, 138under 250 lbs. - <u>Large</u> <u>Frame</u>: \$1000-\$1200; <u>Me-</u> <u>dium Frame</u>: \$800-\$1000. 600-700 lbs.: No. 1, 1.38-1.59; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.20-1.25; <u>700-800 lbs.</u>: No. 1, 1.25-1.43; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.10-1.20. Baby Calves: <u>Holstein:</u> N/T; <u>Cross Breds</u>: \$125-\$200. Barrows & Gilts (per lb.) <u>US #1, 230-270</u>: .70-.75; <u>US #2, 220-280</u>: .62-.70 **Feeder Heifers (per lb.)** <u>200-300 lbs.</u>: No. 1, 1.50-1.85; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.20-1.40; **Feeders (per head):** <u>100-175 lbs.</u>: \$65-\$1.25; <u>25-90 lbs.</u>: \$20-\$60 1.85; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.20-1.40; <u>300-400 lbs.</u>: No. 1, 1.40-1.62; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.15-1.25; <u>400-500 lbs.</u>: No. 1, 1.40-1.60; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.15-1.30; <u>500-600 lbs.</u>: No. 1, 1.32-1.50; Nos. 2 & 3, 1.15-1.50; Coo 700 lbs. No. Billies (per head) 120 lbs-up Breeders: \$165-\$190. Slaughter: \$100-\$165. Sows (per lb.)
 Sows (per lb.)

 Feeder, 400 or less: .35-.55;

 Light wt., 400-500; .45-.52;

 Med. wt., 500-600; .45-.50;

 Heavy wt., 600+; .45-.50;

 Boars: (per lb.)

 300 lb. up; .14-.16-; 200-300

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 15-1.30; <u>600-700 lbs.</u>: No. 1.25-1.32; Nos. 2 & 3, 10-1.20; <u>700-800 lbs.</u>: No. , 1.20-1.30; Nos. 2 & 3, See your at the sale!)5-.1.15.
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 Sheep (per lb.)

 Feeder lambs:, 1.30-1.65;

 Light lambs: 1.50-1.65; Fat

 lambs:

 1.45-1.60

 Ewes (per lb.)

 Stocker:

 .65-.78 Thin: N/T.;

Slaughter Cattle (per lb.)

<u>Slaughter Bulls:</u> Yield Grade #1-2, 1,200-2,050

Cows: #1&3, .62-.75; Cut-

ter: .50-.59.



Construction and installation of grain elevator equipment and tanks continues in full swing at Muenster Milling. Seventeen of the Mill's 20 tanks were destroyed in the June storm. Janie Hartman photos

County Agent's Report

Should homeowners clean up fallen twigs? Most everyone is aware

of the fact that fallen leaves and other plant litter can be very beneficial to the soil. For the winter wheat It will decompose, release causes late summer, early pastures and winter rye pas- nutrients, act as mulch, and autumn twig drop is the tures, the rain is going to help increase soil organic matter. twig girdler. This insect's " Hart added. However, sometimes it may "It'll help a lot of people in be beneficial to clean up the terms of having some feed litter to help eliminate insect and disease potential for next year. If you noticed twigs with leaves still attached falling Come "buck the ordinary" Sold at Friday's sale NOV. 11 there were **2449** cattle sold , compared to **2403** the previous week. Sold at Tuesday's sale NOV. 1 were **238** Goats, **61** Sheep, and **236** Hogs, compared to last week - **342** goats, **53** sheep, and **312** hogs. Packer cows steady to 2 higher. #1 yearlings & weaned calves 5 to 10 higher with strong demand. #2 calves steady. Thank you to all of our customers. We value your business and are always pleased to work for you.
 Bucks (per 10)

 <u>Thin</u>: -50-; <u>Fat</u>: .N.T.

 Barbardo (per head)

 <u>Lambs</u>: \$35-\$50; <u>Ewes</u>: \$55-\$1.20; <u>Bucks</u>: \$80-\$2.45.
 \$1.20; <u>Bucks</u>: \$80-\$2.45. **Goats (per head)** <u>Kids: 20-40 lbs.</u>, \$25-\$90; <u>30-65 lbs.</u>, \$35-\$65; <u>55-75</u> <u>lbs.</u>, \$50-\$100. **Yearlings (per head)** <u>75-120 lbs.</u>, \$75-\$165. **Nannies (per head)** <u>Stocker</u>: \$80-\$145; <u>Milk</u> <u>Type</u>: \$45-\$85 <u>Slaughter</u>, \$80-\$130; <u>Thin</u>, \$40-\$775 **Billies (per head)** Baer Goats (per head) 1/2 Nanny: NT; 3/4 Nanny: NT: Full Nanny: NT. 1/2 Billy: NT; 3/4 Billy: NT; Full Billy: N/T.

from your tree earlier this year, the problem may be insect related; gathering the leaves and twigs is a good idea.

One common insect that egg laying activities cause the noticeable damage. Trees you may notice the girdler on include: pecan, mimosa, chinaberry and huisache. The adult causes the damage; it is gravish-brown (1 1/16 inch long). It will girdle limbs during the fall (late August through mid-November) by chewing a V-shaped groove entirely around twigs, branches, or terminals. Eggs are inserted into the bark on the girdled part of the branch away from the tree. Girdled limbs eventually break and fall to the ground, particularly during high winds and storms. Damage can disfigure a young tree and leads to secondary branching, particularly if the terminal is attacked. Another group of insects known as twig and branch pruners produce damage similar to that of twig girdlers on elm, hackberry, hickory, maple, oak, pecan, persimmon, redbud, sweetgum, and other trees. With these insect species, it is the larvae that girdle twigs and branches underneath the bark. The surface of the severed end of the twig is smooth. The insect usually severs branches where small twigs branch from the main, girdled branch. In both cases, there is very little that can be done with insecticides to control the problem. Instead, it is recommended that a homeowner clean the yard. Removing and destroying the girdled twigs and branches from the ground during winter and spring can reduce the population of these insects and reduce the number of twigs falling next year.



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Cooke County Courthouse Rededication November 12, 2011





After the rededication ceremony, all enjoyed tours and refreshments including, above - some of Commissioner Leon Klement's family; from left, at right - Lainie, John D., and John Garry Bartush; below Commis-sioner Al Smith.









Janelle Haverkamp



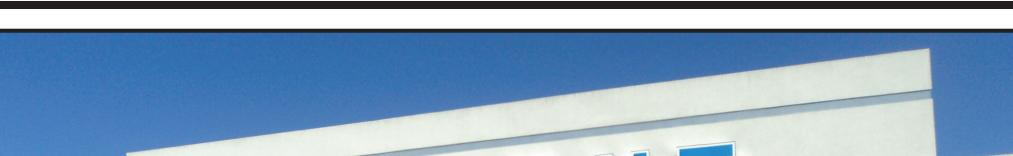
Leon Klement

Photos by **Janet Felderhoff**

Celebrating the County Courthouse, from left, at left - Lori Hart sings the national anthem while Erik With, Jim Goldsworthy, and Fr. Raymond Mc-Daniel look on; above - John Roane, Rick Hardcastle, Leon Klement, Al Smith B.C. Lemons, and Gary Hollowell; below - John Roane with spittoon.



Secretary Vickie Barnes and Brad Dennison.





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