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Community rallies after family loses everything in boat explosion, fire

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"We had one big extinguisher in back, a small one in the kitchen and a big extinguisher in front. I ran and got the one in the front because I couldn't get to the back and gave it to him (Tom), but I couldn't get back in the boat because of the black smoke. I couldn't get my purse, my driver's license. I lost everything," Mrs. Madison also lost her wedding rings in the fire.
Mr. Madison said he was having a quick look at the boat before taking it out for the evening. "I tried to start it and it started to backfire and overloading with gas. Instead of stopping to check what was possibly wrong, I throttled up, hit the starter again and it blew."
"It was like a bomb," Mrs. Madison said. "It wasn't like an explosion, it was like a bomb."
Although the Madisons were the only ones on board at the time of the explosion, they were not seriously injured, nor were their neighbors on nearby boats. Mr. Madison said, when the explosion occurred, he was thrown against the dash and was dazed. "I was kind of like semi-conscious for a second, then my ears went like this (vibrating). Then I turned around and saw the stray black and white cat that we feed jumping up and down almost hit-

ting the ceiling of the boat trying to find a way out. Everything on that boat was strewn out on the floor. It blew it all out," he said.
Mrs. Madison said, "When I looked in it there, it was like a tornado went through."
"I had a pistol on there and a box of shells that we used for personal protection and those shells started going off," Mr. Madison said. He said there was no danger of the bullets hitting anyone; they simply exploded from the heat.
The Madisons are mourning the loss of the pistol as it was one of their sons' first service revolvers as a member of the Dallas Police Department.
Mr. Madison said they can only speculate what caused explosion, although he thinks a spark may have ignited the gasoline as he tried to start the engine. He said the fire department was not able to come to a definitive conclusion as to the cause.
The Madisons had owned their renovated boat, a 43-foot Burns Craft house boat, for eight years. Mrs. Madison said, "When then the fireman heard the brand of boat, Burns Craft, he said, 'are you joking?' He thought Tom was trying to make a joke."
Mr. Madison, who retired five years ago at age 62, and is now 67, said, "We sold everything that we owned. We gave away our possessions that were in our

house."
After they gave away the things they didn't need or couldn't use on the boat, their remaining possession, clothes, personal papers, household items, kitchen ware, etc. were moved onto the boat. The
Madison's lost all their worldly possessions in the fire.
"It's a weird feeling when you loose everything in one swipe," Mr. Madison said.
The couple has been married for 48 years. Mr. Madison said they started dating in junior high school. He said, "She could recognize a catch when she saw it!"
The Madisons are currently staying with their son until, as Mr. Madison said, "We find
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Work crews hoist the 43-foot houseboat Law and Disorder, belonging to Tom and Trixie Madison of Rockwall County, from the depths of Lake Ray Hubbard after it caught fire and sank at Bay View Marina on Friday, July 2. No injuries were reported but the Madisons lost all their possessions. A boat raffle is currently ongoing to raise money to assist the Madisons. See the accompanying article for more details.
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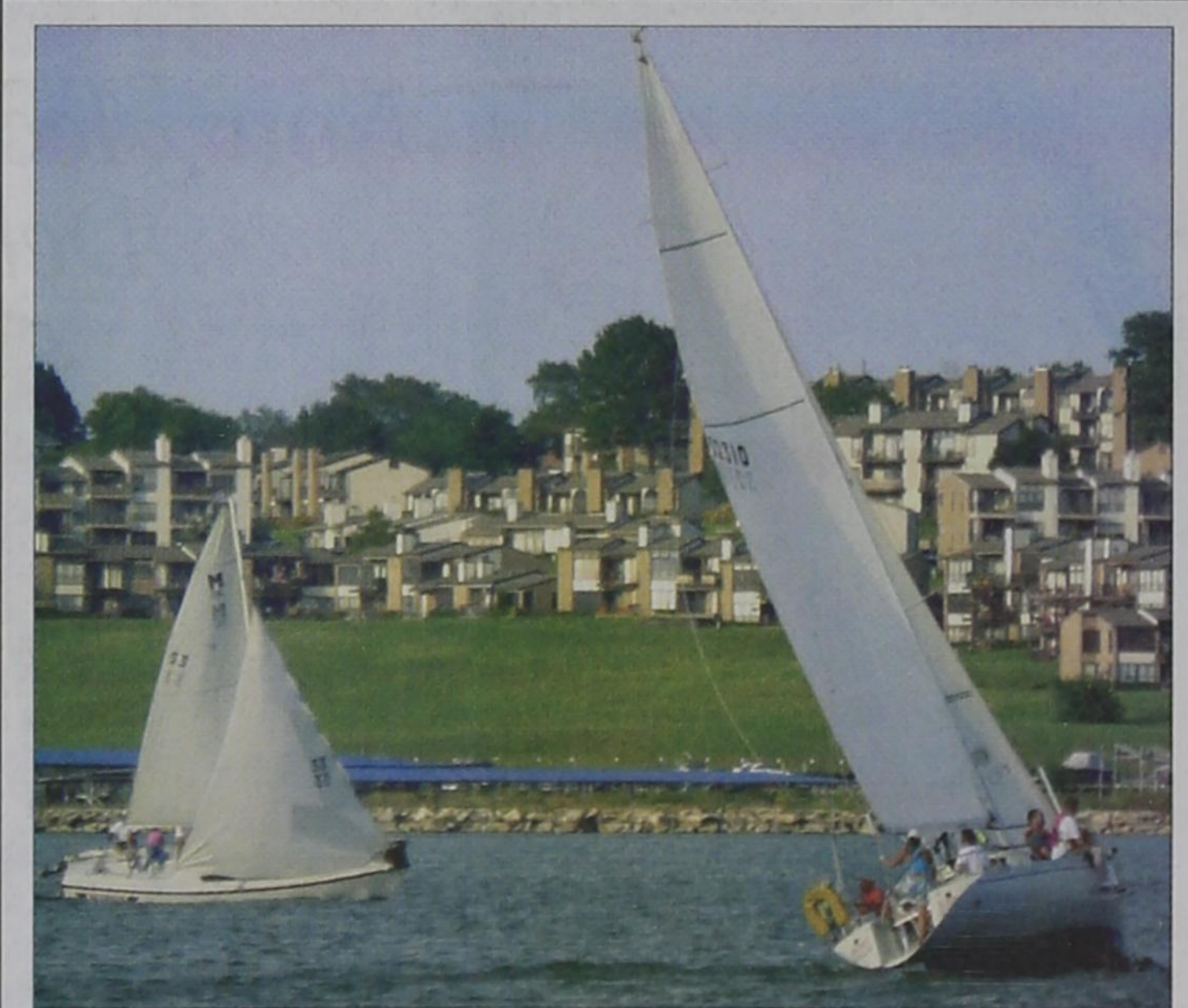


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Master Gardeners of Rockwall County, Meals on Wheels (Rockwall County Commission on Aging), One Man's Treasure Chest Closet, Reading for Adults, Rockwall Pregnancy Resource Center, Shoes for Kids and Thrift Store of Helping Hands.
According to the organization, the first Dallas Race Week was in June, 1982. A founding member of
Chandler's Landing Yacht Club and captain of the Sea Wolf catamaran which currently sails on Lake Ray
Hubbard, Scott Self was part of an 11-member team which raced in the 1978 Antigua Race Week. Self modeled
the newly-conceived Dallas Race Week on the fun and camaraderie he encountered during his winning week in Antigua.
Since its inception, the race has attracted between 30 and 50 boats, each with crews of three to 10, totaling more than 300 people participating each night of racing.
The event has attracted such top sailors from around the world as America's Cup skippers Dennis Conner and
John Kolius; Olympic gold medal sailor Paul Foerster; and multi-national champions Bill Draheim, Kelson
Elam and Rob Johnston.
Race headquarters this year have been moved to the Hilton

Bella Harbor Hotel in Rockwall.
Schedule for the week is:
• Sunday, July 18: Registration and Packet Pick-up from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. at Hilton Hotel
• Sunday, July 18: Skippers meeting at 6 p.m. at Hilton Hotel Outside Deck
• Sunday, July 18: 7 p.m. Start off Lighthouse in front of Hilton Hotel. Pursuit race-finish same as start
• Sunday, July 18: 8:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. After-party at Hilton Hotel Outside deck
• Monday, July 19: 7 p.m. Pursuit start and finish at Lighthouse; 8:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. After-party at Dodie's
• Tuesday, July 20: 7 p.m. Pursuit start and finish at Lighthouse; 8:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. After-party at Agava's
• Wednesday, July 21: 7 p.m. Pursuit start at Lighthouse, finish at Rush Creek Yacht Club; After-party on the RCYC's new deck
• Thursday, July 22: 7 p.m. Pursuit start at RCYC, finish at Bass Pro; After-party at Flying Saucer or Primos (location to be announced).
• Friday, July 23: 7 p.m. Pursuit start at Bass Pro, finish at Hilton Hotel; After-party and Awards at Harbor Bandstand
For more information about this year's race activities and beneficiaries, go to the organization's website at
www.dallasraceweek.com



Summer Wed Night Series, Race #3, on 7-7-10. Both boats are on converging tacks as they approach mark #12. At right, August Blaze is a Beneteau305, a 30 footer and because she is on starboard tack, has "right of way" over Wings, a MacGregor26, who on port tack is the "give way" boat if the boats come too close to each other. August Blaze is owned and skippered by Jeff Greenwood of Terrell. Jeff (in red) is steering on the low side to watch the ensuing encounter. Jeff's wife, Veronica is well positioned on the stern (white cap and blue top) to observe as well. Wings (boat at left) is owned and skippered by Mike Jones of Garland. Mike is steering at the stern (white shirt). Both boats are "hard on the wind", with sails trimmed in tight and boats heeled over with crew weight up on the high side. The action takes place at the southern end of Chandler's Landing community and marina. Both boats are out of Bayview Marina. The course, is an out and back twice, to mark #12 totaling 3.04nm. August Blaze finished sixth in A fleet and Wings finished first in B fleet.
In the Saturday Summer Race series, Dan Malak sailed Orion to first place in the A Fleet, followed by Robert Williams in Hotter Tuna.
Photo courtesy of Dan Malak/Rockwall County News

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Birth

Anthony and Lynda Rivera of Rockwall are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Annabella Lynn Rivera, at 2:36 p.m. July 8, 2010, at Lake Pointe Medical Center.

She weighed 5 pounds, 14 ounces, and was 18 1/2 inches long at birth.

She was welcomed home by her siblings, Anthony, Jazmin and Daniel.

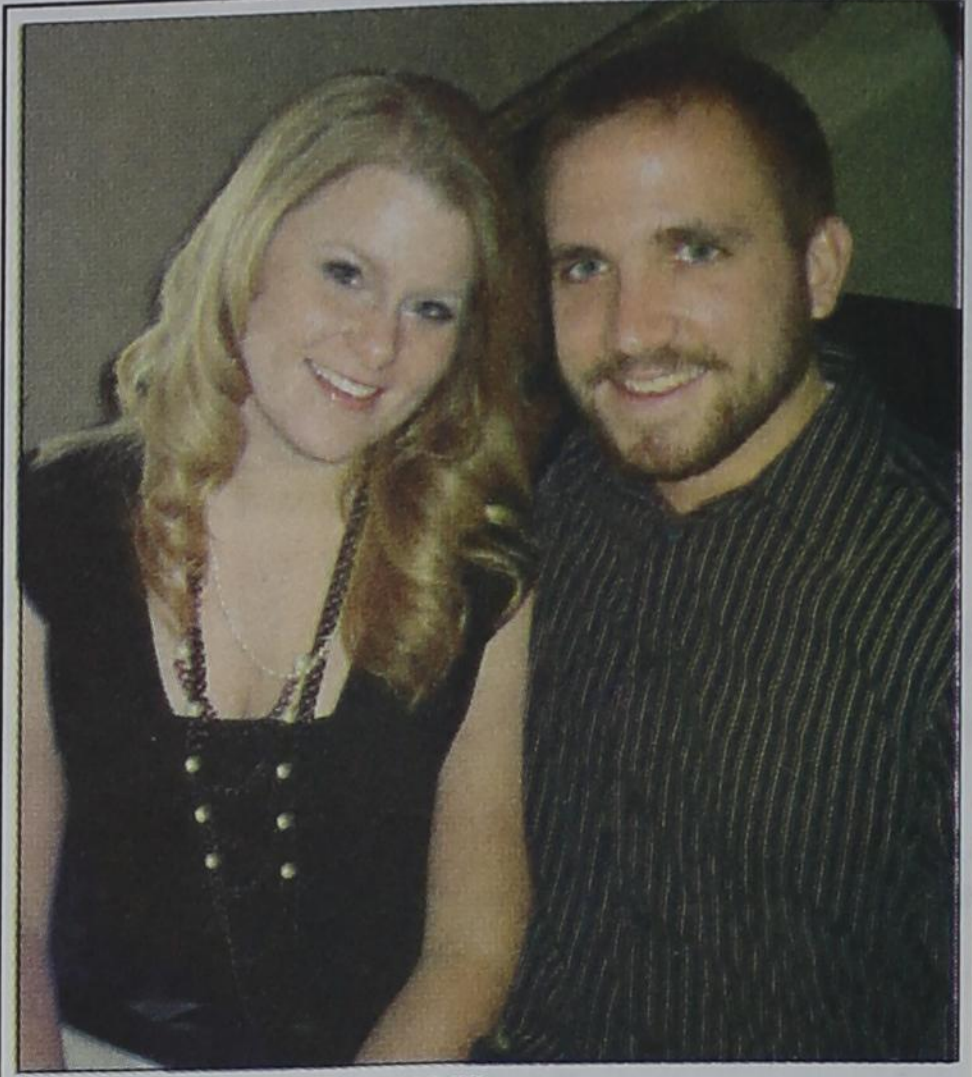


Maternal grandparents are Ira and Jessica Beilin of Simi Valley, Calif. Paternal grandparents are David and Irma Rivera of Simi Valley.

Bressler named to Dean's List

Eric J. Bressler of Heath was named to the Dean's List for the University of Minnesota for the spring semester.

Bressler attends the Twin Cities campus of the university and is a student in the College of Liberal Arts.



Jacki Weittenhiller and David Miller

Weittenhiller, Miller plan Aug. 14 wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Weittenhiller of Lexington, Ky., are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jacki Michelle Weittenhiller, to David Jonathan Miller, son of Suzanne Miller of Roysie City and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Miller of Rockwall.

The bride-elect is a 2010 graduate of the University of North Texas in Denton with a degree in choral music education. She plans to teach private voice lessons in the Lewisville Independent School District.

The prospective bridegroom attends the University of North Texas in Denton where he is majoring in general studies. He plans to attend Dallas Theological Seminary.

An Aug. 14 wedding at the Denton Bible Church is planned.



Katie Pallares, a Girl Scout Cadette representing Troop 2505, and Kelcie Hopman, a Junior in Girl Scouts representing Troop 2095, are shown during the flag ceremony conducted as part of the Music in the Park series conducted at Mesquite's Westlake Park. The girls also performed several hours of community service each week of the event - handing out coupons, making hot dogs, operating the popcorn machine, assisting at the concessions stand and working the registration tables.

Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News

Care Van to offer free immunizations

The Care Van Program, a not-for-profit community effort coordinated by the Caring for Children Foundation of Texas, will offer free immunizations for children from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Aug. 7 at the First United Methodist Church, 1200 E. Yellow Jacket Lane, in Rockwall.

Immunizations for children ages birth to 18 years are offered. No appointment is necessary. Parent or guardian must accompany child.

Parents should bring their children's immunization records.

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Heath Council continues discussion on financial

At their July 6 meeting, members of the Heath Council took another look at financial adviser term to manage the tax rate for the whole future.

The discussion was a continuation of one related to management that has been in public meeting for a month.

At issue is whether should use fund balance to pay bond issues, refinance bonds at lower interest and apply savings to improvements or to repayments, use funds for capital improvements from bond funds or specific funds so they can be used for capital improvements and/or any combination above mentioned.

At past meetings, members, especially McKimsey, expressed a desire for a "pay as you go" policy, not using debt for improvements, but to raise taxes.

On the other side of the coin, the city's financial advisers described a way to fairly distribute the cost of capital improvements to current residents and residents who would benefit.

Other council members, especially mayor John Madison, said, "We don't want to raise taxes."

With several sets of proposals on the table, the council voted to schedule a 2001 series and the 2013 and 2017 for the council considered the 2001 bonds and voted to repay rather than repay, keep \$600,000 in city coffers.

The funds would go into a room for necessary capital improvements if/when they happen.

"We'd really like to have the money," city manager Thatcher said. "We have a number of things we'd use it like a reserve for capital improvements."

Completing White Lake water storage, FM 7400 construction and extending sewer lines are among the city's capital improvement needs list as are some of the problems including trail and bridge maintenance.

Council members will consider and vote on any proposals before funds could be allocated.

In the overall debt management scheme, the council will hold the interest rate on the fund tax rate at \$0.6475 as 2017, but depend on estimated growth in tax rate of 3 percent each year.

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Parents describe positive impact of Rockwall Boys and Girls Club

Butts even know it was there." She met someone in a store who invited her daughter to the activities. "I was shocked for it when [they] moved to Rockwall" involved with one in Richardson. "The growth in community visibility and support is incredible," said director Jordan Eldredge. After 50 years with Boys and Girls Club of Rockwall (BGC-Rockwall), he is convinced (and working daily with the club) that the club is invaluable to the community-wide support.

whose children attend the Rockwall Boys and Girls Club program self-billed as "the positive place" for the mother whose third-grade daughter, Jocelyn, since her impromptu invitation in a store aisle "I don't think the kids are ever bored. There is such a joy. And it is really positive. There is a sense of overbearing...."

work with the kids are all really good role models of the older kids help out, so the older ones are going through service, too."

She finds the nominal club membership fee affordable at a small price compared to all the benefits" her

daughter receives after school and in the summer. BGC-Rockwall is a privately funded nonprofit youth development agency and is able to offer weekend activities for youth through fundraising and local support, including volunteerism, according to director Eldredge.

Dana Billingsley said she volunteered to teach a crochet class after work on Fridays when she saw the difference adult mentors made in her daughter's and other members' lives and how much the club needed volunteers.

The level of involvement doesn't have to be huge, Billingsley said, and the rewards are out of proportion to the time commitment.

"I just helped one little girl make a crocheted headband, and she hugged me and said, 'Thank you so much! I love you!' It made me feel so good to know I had made a difference for her with such a simple thing," Dana Billingsley said.

Keff and Starr Johnson's children, Skylar (third grade), Kasja (second grade) and Jamal (eighth grade), have participated in Boys and Girls Club activities in Rockwall after school and during summer since their move from Richardson two years ago. Because of their previous good experience with the club in Dallas, they searched for the Rockwall BGC.

"It's definitely a positive place," said Keff Johnson, "and a great place for our kids to be active and learning until we get home from work."

Rockwall Christian Academy, administrator earn awards

The Rockwall Christian Academy received the 2010 School of the Year Award of Excellence from the Oral Roberts University Educational Foundation in conjunction with the International Christian Accrediting Association.

Jeanne Zakem, RCA superintendent, also was named the 2010 Administrator of the year.

The awards were given at the annual ICAA convention conducted earlier this month in Tulsa, Okla.

The RCA and Zakem were selected from an international group of 125 schools accredited by the ICAA.

In a ICAA news release, its chairman, Carolyn DeSalvo, said, "The school has continued to remain abreast of educational developments in its classes resulting in a strong academic program.... The school meets the needs of individual students both through remediation and a gifted and talented program.... Finally, the school's athletics include a strong sports program that has resulted in state championships in baseball, football and softball."

DeSalvo noted that the RCA has "a very strong sense of family and community that has been developed under the leadership of the current administration."



Clark and Jeanne Zakem (right)

Refrigerator, keepsakes pop up from lake

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are grateful when guests arrived. A few people got hurt when the boat caught fire before she could file her paperwork.

The Madison's said their boat insurance had recently lapsed but Mrs. Madison had contacted the insurance company to let them know that she would be renewing the policy. The boat caught fire before she could file her paperwork.

Miller said the insurance would only have covered the boat, not its contents. In order to help the Madison's with the financial burden of their loss, Miller and his wife, Jeannie, are organizing fundraisers to help their friends. A fish-fry/brisket dinner held last Saturday at the marina has so far netted in excess of \$5,500, with donations still being received, Miller said.

Another boating friend, Stephen Bull and his wife, Melody, have donated a boat which will be raffled, with proceeds from tickets sales going to the Madisons.

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"The Bells are good friends. We were on the dock together (at Bay View Marina) for years and then they move to another marina," Miller said. "When Steve heard about the fire, he said he had a boat to donate and Tom said, 'What?' Steve said 'I've got a 28-foot Wellcraft and I'm just going to give it to you.'"

Tickets for the drawing to win the 1988 28-foot Wellcraft boat are \$20 for a single ticket or \$100 for six tickets. The drawing will be on Saturday, Aug. 14. The Millers are coordinating the drawing.

The Wellcraft needs some work, Miller said, but in its current condition could be worth \$3,000 or \$4,000 dollars. "Somebody can get into it for 20 bucks or 100 bucks, it's a good deal for somebody," Miller said.

The Madisons and the Millers have been friends for seven years. Mrs. Madison said the Millers have helped assisted them in many ways, in addition to organizing the fundraisers, since the fire.

"John and Jeannie have helped us hold our composure. They have been our rock, otherwise we would have probably collapsed," she said.

Mr. Madison smiled at his friend and added, "They are our human Prozac."

Mrs. Madison also said the community support has been overwhelming. "People from the marina and the community came to the fish fry. Everyone has been so sweet and caring. People we don't even know have been coming up and introducing themselves," she said.

Although they lost every-

thing they owned in the fire, the Madison's were able to retrieve three items when the boat was lifted from the depths of the lake. Mrs. Madison had commented as she watched her boat rising from the water, that she hoped the refrigerator was salvageable. Miller said, as the boat was being lifted by a crane, it rolled over, and the refrigerator popped up.

Mrs. Madison had hidden a can containing \$200 and a small zippered bag with \$65 in one-dollar bills in the fridge. She said the freezer door had come open and was charred, but the seal on the refrigerator door held the door shut and she was able to retrieve her \$265.

Another item that popped up from the boat was a ceramic bowl in the shape of two connected hearts. The Madison's were surprised the bowl floated to the surface as ceramic doesn't usually float.

And a few days after the fire, a fisherman on the lake found a card floating on the surface in the water. He retrieved it and was able to return what turned out to be an anniversary card from their son.

To purchase raffle tickets, inspect the donated boat or make a donation to the Madisons, contact John or Jeannie Miller at 214-244-8149 or through his email at johnmiller0412@gmail.com

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Jerod Heath Osborne

Services for Jerod Heath Osborne, 20, of Rockwall were to be at 2 p.m. today, July 16, 2010, in the Lake Pointe Church, 701 E. I-30, Rockwall.

Burial was to follow in the Rest Haven Memorial Park under the direction of the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel.

He died July 5 in Afghanistan while on active duty as a combat medic with the 82nd Airborne.

As a child, he and his family moved from the Rockwall area to Seattle, Wash., and then to Honolulu, Hawaii, where they lived for five years. He never met a stranger and knew everyone in the neighborhood and on the beach. The family returned to the Rockwall area to help care for his grandfather, who died in 1997. The family stayed to make Rockwall their home. He graduated from Rockwall-Heath High School in 2008 after spending his senior year preparing to go into the U.S. Army where he would become a medic.

He began his Army career in boot camp at Ft. Leonard Wood and then was assigned to the 82nd Airborne. He transferred to Ft. Benning, Ga., for Airborne training.

He received several medals for his dedication above and beyond regular duty. In August he was sent to Afghanistan following a visit with family and friends.

Survivors include his parents, Sharon Grillet, and her husband, Gary, of Rockwall and Allan G. Osborne III of Caddo Mills; a sister, Hayley Grillet; his brothers, Wau-tash, Nako and Nah-tah-ni Grillet; and his grandparents, Charlotte Henson of Rockwall, Marilyn Osborne of Baltimore, Md., and Patricia Burchwell of Texas.

Lt. Col Albert L. Robinette (Ret.)

Services for Lt. Col. Albert L. "Robby" Robinette (Ret.), 95, of Coppell, a former Rockwall resident, were conducted at 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 14, 2010, in the St. Joseph Retirement Village Chapel in Coppell with Monsignor Robert Rehkemper officiating. Burial followed in the DFW National Cemetery in Dallas. The Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel was in charge of arrangements.



He died Sunday, July 11. Born Oct. 24, 1914, in Mexia to William and Minor (West) Robinette, he graduated in the West Point Class of 1939 and served in the U.S. Army during World War



II. He enjoyed his family, fishing, traveling, boating and was in Rockwall for 25 years before moving to Coppell and Joseph Village Chapel.

Survivors include his wife, Jean (Mulheron) Robinette of children, David Robinette and his wife, Helen, of Littleton, Colo.; Schmidt of Dallas, John Robinette and his wife, Sharon, of Ark., and Ann Giebert and her husband, Bob, of Signal Mountain; eight grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Beth Ann Taylor

Services for Beth Ann Taylor, 89, formerly of Rockwall, were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday, July 12, 2010, at the Holy Trinity by the Lake Episcopal Church in Heath with Father George Luck officiating. Burial followed in the Rest Haven Memorial Park.

She died July 8. Born Dec. 29, 1920, in Graham to William and Allie (Watson) Rainey, she was manager of Toy World in Wynnewood Village in Dallas for 25 years. She then was director and operator of the gift shop at Children's Medical Center of Dallas. After moving to Rockwall in 1971, she and her husband became founding members of Holy Trinity by the Lake Church, which was originally in Forney and later moved to Heath. She was active in all facets of the church, she was considered one of the pillars of the church.

Survivors include her daughter, Sandra Green and her husband, Paris, Texas; her sons, John H. Taylor Jr. and his wife, Gwen, of N.C., and Hubert Taylor and his wife, Margaret, of Desoto, Texas; and 12 great-grandchildren.

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Rockwall County Obituaries

Tommy Joe Anderson

Services for Tommy Joe Anderson, 75, of Rockwall were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday, July 14, 2010, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel with Jim Shephard officiating.

He died Friday, July 9. Born May 15, 1935, in Big Sandy to Reuben and Annie (Hallman) Anderson, he grew up in Winnsboro and served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean Conflict. He was employed as a foreman at the Niagara Envelope Company and was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Fate.

Survivors include his wife, Wonda Anderson of Rockwall; his daughter, Teresa Anderson of Rockwall; his sister, Barbara Derryberry of Baldwin, Missouri; and his brother, Jerry Anderson of Scroggins.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one sister. The family has suggested memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

Larry A. Boyd

Graveside services for Larry A. Boyd, 70, of Rockwall were conducted at 10 a.m. Monday, July 12, 2010, in the Rome Cemetery in Athens. The Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

He died Saturday, July 10. Born May 27, 1940, in Athens to Clarence M. and Iva (Morgan) Boyd, he was a Rockwall resident for 25 years. He was a rancher and retired from being a Texas game warden after 31 years. He was named Game Warden of the Year in 1990 and was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Malakoff.

Survivors include his son, Larry D. Boyd and his wife, Michelle, of Cash; a daughter, Lora L. Lee and her husband, Brent, of Royse City; his grandchildren, Cara D. Wineinger, Amber N. Hoedebeck, Crista D. Salinas, Emily A. Boyd, Dustin C. and Savannah R. Lee; his great-grandchildren, Dakota Lane, Montana Dawn and Graicie Page; a special friend, Kathy Florey; and his dogs, Frisky, Sammie, Rowdy and Bear.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife, Joy Dean Boyd, in September 2002.



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'Glamorous Night' transforms women of Lake Rockwall Estates

by Amy Van Vleck

The people of Lake Pointe Church have been transforming the community of Lake Rockwall

Estates for several years. And as each shovel dug dirt in 2007, as each brick was laid and flower planted, lives have been affected

by the relationships formed through Lake Pointe.

The hub of that transformation is the LRE Community Center.

With weekly events for women and children, the Community Center is operated by Enid Reyes, director of community ministries for Lake Pointe.

"The programs offered here at the community center help us to deepen our relationships with these families," Reyes said.

Programs include a weekly women's Bible study, ESL classes, a youth/teen Bible study for girls, medical clinics and after-school

tutoring. Many participants attend Lake Pointe en Español at the Rockwall campus on Sundays.

But the women of Lake Pointe wanted to do something special for the women who have been active in the center's programs. Under the leadership of Tressa Marr, another Lake Pointe ministry group got involved.

Unveiled is a ministry for women who "seek to get real and be real with one another" and is based on 2 Corinthians 3:18: "We, who with unveiled faces all reflect the Lord's glory, are being transformed into his likeness with ever-increasing glory."

The group's vision is to equip all women with the tools needed to fulfill God's unique plan, ultimately leading to a more personal relationship with Him. Because its mission is to provide authentic opportunities for women to grow with God and each other, this group provided an evening of pampering to celebrate the women of Lake Rockwall Estates.

"In February, Unveiled did a service project called Glamorous Night for the ladies of New Friends New Life in Dallas," Marr said. "Word spread of its success and Enid Reyes gave me a call this summer to ask if we would do an event for the women of Rockwall Estates. She wanted to do something very special for these ladies."

"These women were invited here because we are very glad of their involvement in the programs at the Center," Reyes said. "They are engaged, they are participating, they are serving each other."

Glamorous Night was all about serving. With this purpose in mind, a group of 56 volunteers assembled to serve dinner and desserts, cut

hair, do makeovers, outfit for each woman shoes and accessories

entertainment with glamour shots and show off her new look in a final fashion show.

"I think the best part of the transformation of the women and I am not only making their hair, clothes and makeup," Marr said. "I'm talking about the spirits. It was exciting to see the finish line when they were on the runway and fluttered their eyes and were so proud."

"The volunteers were excited," said Simone Marr, executive director of Women's Ministries at Lake Pointe.

"We had women who were bilingual for every area who were there to do what was needed."

And the volunteers were excited with excitement.

"I love seeing the women come together," said Tressa Marr, who was there to manage the Clothes Closet.

Some volunteers spent hours to help at the event. "I live an hour and a half away," said Sara Julian, who helped outfit the women. "I came to attend the event but a friend kept inviting me to help. I am so glad to be here."

"With conjoined efforts, the women of Lake Pointe Unveiled, we were able to do this a lifetime memory for the ladies," Marr said. "It was amazing."

For more about the Women's Ministries at Lake Pointe, visit www.lakepointe.org.

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Registration under way for RISD after-school program

Registration for the Rockwall Independent School District's new after-school care program, ROCK, is under way.

The program is designed to provide a "secure, academically challenging and positive learning environment for growing student leaders," according to the RISD e-newsletter.

ROCK, which will run from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. on school days, will be conducted on several campuses in the 2010-2011 school year, including at Amy Parks-Heath Elementary, Celia Hays Elementary, Doris Cullins-Lake Pointe Elementary, Dorothy Smith Pullen Elementary, Grace Hartman Elementary and at Sharon Shannon Elementary.

Tuition for a single child will cost \$250 per month. Registration fee per family is \$30 until July 29 or \$60 after that date.

For more details contact Karen Hunter at karenhunter@rockwallisd.org or 469-698-7140.

Volunteers needed for adult reading program

Tutors are needed to help adult students learn to read and speak English, study for U.S. Citizenship Exams and assist in preparing for GED tests in the fall as part of the Rockwall County Library's Reading for Adults program.

Classes are conducted from 10 a.m. to noon and on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

No prior teaching experience is required, nor is the ability to speak a foreign language.

Training will be offered from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Aug 14 at the library.

Registration is required and may be completed in the literacy area of the library or by calling Gloria at 972-204-7705.



Ave Escobedo of Rockwall is pictured showing off her new look as she takes a turn on the runway at the Glamorous Night event.

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"Customers will love the atmosphere and quality merchandise," she said. "It will not be uncommon to find high end jeans, purses and unique jewelry in the shop."

Centsible has treasures for anyone interested in shopping and picking up a bargain.

"We are so grateful for the overwhelming response of the community to our new store," said East "We hope everyone will stop by and give us a look."

Margo Nielsen, Helping Hands' executive director, said the agency is pleased to be a partner in the Royse City Main Street effort.

"We are looking forward to working with the city and other Main Street merchants to bring new shoppers to this historic area," she said.

Rockwall County Helping Hands is a nonprofit critical assistance agency that has served residents in critical need since 1976. The agency offers the Food Pantry and the Assistance and Referral Program. The agency's Health Center provides quality, affordable health care for all and a sliding scale fee for those that qualify.

To support the agency, shop in its thrift stores, donate salable merchandise or make monetary contributions or volunteer. To make a donation, schedule pick-up of large items or to volunteer, call 972-771-HELP.

Gault named to President's List

Rebecca Gault of Rockwall has been named to the Hardin-Simmons University President's List for the spring 2010 semester.

Gault was one of 219 students at HSU who attained a perfect grade point average for the semester.

Students named to the President's List have a perfect grade point average and carry 12 or more semester hours.



Margo Nielsen, executive director of Helping Hands, is shown with Thrift Stores Manager Janet Nichol at Centsible, the new store located at 117 Main St. in Royse City. Photo by Rockwall County News

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- Question:** Can I still have my primary physician if I have home healthcare?
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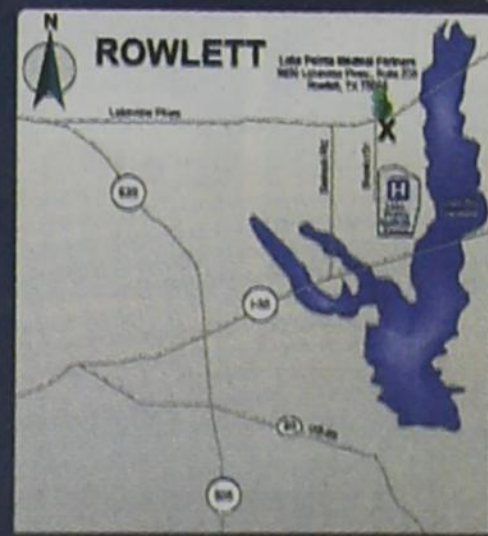


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 By STEVE BROWN
 Real Estate Editor
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 The latest ranking, an annual industry study by Colorado-based Real Trends Inc., finds Ebby in its usual first place.
 Ebby Halliday ranked 13th nationally among the 600 largest residential sales firms. The rating is based on the number of home sales transactions real estate agents completed in 2009.
 Staying on top hasn't been easy since the housing market crashed in the last couple of years.
 "The past 18 to 20 months we've had to bust it every day," said Ebby Halliday CEO Maceo Franco. "And we are at the best place in the country to be."
 "While our market has been down, we are still up there," Franco said.
 Other North Texas residential firms in the ranking include Keller Williams Realty Dallas, Century 21 Judge Pitts Dallas, Colwell Banker Apex and Colwell Banker Irving.
 Despite the downturn in nationwide home sales and prices, the rankings of major residential brokerage firms haven't changed much, said Real Trends' Steve Murray.
 "There are very few markets where we are seeing new entrants knock off incumbents or incumbents disappearing," Murray said. "Few exceptions are Chicago — where there are two new firms in the top five — and Michigan, where two of the top three had to merge with others."
 "That is about it," Murray said.
 Real Trends surveys hundreds of residential sales firms around the country for its annual ranking.
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- Public Notice -

Rockwall Planning and Zoning Commission will hold a public hearing on **Tuesday**, July 20, 2010, at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at Rockwall City Hall, 385 South Goliad, Rockwall, Texas, and the Rockwall City Council will hold a public hearing on **Monday, August 2, 2010**, at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at Rockwall City Hall, 385 South Goliad, Rockwall, Texas, for the following item:

10-07 Proposed Amendment to PD-32 (Harbor District)
 A public hearing and consider a city-initiated request to amend (PD-32) Planned District No. 32 district (Ord. No. 08-11), specifically by rezoning the land described in Ord. No. 08-11 and the district boundaries; by incorporating a Concept Plan that applies to land PD-32 and the added land, and that divides the district into sub-districts; by defining procedures for approving development standards for each sub-district; by defining procedures for approving development within the district; and by design and streetscape for such streets. The Commission and Council will also hold public hearings and consider requests to expand the boundaries of PD-32 by approximately 1.15-acres from (GR) General Retail district, approximately 3.08-(C) Commercial district, and approximately 11.21-acres from (PD-7) Planned District No. 7 district, thereby increasing the size of PD-32 to approximately 78.89-acres, generally located along the south service road of Interstate 30 and west side of Interstate 30, and take any action necessary.

All interested parties are encouraged to attend. Please contact the City of Rockwall Planning and Zoning staff at (972) 771-7745 with any questions. Additional information can be found on all current Zoning cases on the City's website: www.rockwall.com/Planning/ZoningChanges.asp.

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Case #	Acct #	Style of Case	Legal Description	Adjudged Value	Estimated Minimum Bid
08-51	4490-0107-0003-00-OR	ROYSE CITY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. CHARLIE REESE, ET AL	0.105 acre, more or less, being a portion of Lot 107, Original Townsite, City of Royse, Rockwall County, Texas, as described in deed dated August 19, 1968, from L. C. Williams, Administrator to Charlie Reese, in Volume 83, Page 611, Deed Records of Rockwall County, Texas.	\$17,000.00	\$0.00
08-193	5370-000A-0121-00-OR	ROCKWALL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. JOSE ANTONIO RIOS	LOT 121, BLOCK "A", ROCKWALL LAKE SUBDIVISION, REVISED, ROCKWALL COUNTY, TEXAS, ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN VOLUME 1, PAGE 29, MAP RECORDS OF ROCKWALL COUNTY, TEXAS (R24186)	\$15,000.00	\$0.00
08-31	4490-0114-0000-00-OR	ROYSE CITY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. RAYMOND PADGETT, AKA RAYMOND MAURICE PADGETT	Lot 114 and part of Lot 115, McCasland Addition, an addition to the City of Royse City, Rockwall County, Texas, as described in Volume 379, Page 77, Deed Records of Rockwall County, Texas.	\$28,000.00	\$0.00
08-76	5145-0000-0043-00-OR	ROYSE CITY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. RIGOBERTO HERRERA	Lot 43, Sun Valley Acres, an addition to Rockwall County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof, recorded in Cabinet "C", Slide 87, Map Records of Rockwall County, Texas. 33306	\$134,780.00	\$0.00
08-90	5380-0000-0984-A0-OR	ROCKWALL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. GEORGE PALIN, ET AL	Lot 984-A, Rockwall Lake Properties Development #2 Subdivision, a subdivision in Rockwall County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof, recorded in Volume 1, Pages 79&80, Plat Records of Rockwall County, Texas. 24892	\$7,620.00	\$0.00

Case #	Acct #	Style of Case	Legal Description	Adjudged Value	Estimated Minimum Bid
08-38	5100-0001-0027-00-OR	ROCKWALL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. JOSEPH G LEVIS, ET AL	Lot 27, Block "J", Stonebridge Meadows Addition, Phase 4, an addition to the City of Rockwall, Rockwall County, Texas, according to the map or plat thereof, recorded in Cabinet "A", Slide 331, Plat Records of Rockwall County, Texas. Account 23144	\$159,730.00	\$0.00

and page references, unless otherwise indicated, being to the Deed Records, Rockwall County, Texas, to which reference may be made for a more complete description of each respective tract.) or, upon the written request of the defendant or their attorney, a sufficient portion of the property described above shall be sold to satisfy said judgment(s), penalties, and cost; and any property sold shall be subject to the right of redemption of the defendants or any person interested therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the time and in the manner provided by law, and all be subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, and all provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment(s) rendered in the above styled and captioned cause(s), together with interest, penalties, and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sales to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

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Rockwall County News Briefs

City of Heath closed today

City of Heath offices will be closed today in observance of the Fourth of July holiday. Normal business hours will resume on July 5. Area residents are reminded that the use of fireworks within the Heath city limits is prohibited.

Library closing for holiday observance

The Rockwall County Library will be closed Saturday, Sunday and Monday in observance of the Fourth of July holiday. The facility will reopen Tuesday.

City of Rockwall offices plan holiday

Offices for the City of Rockwall will be closed on Monday to mark the Independence Day holiday, according to a municipal news release. All garbage recycling and bulk pick-ups will run on regular schedule.

Camp to focus on earth topics

Earth: The Amazing Planet will be offered to youths ages 6-12 from 9 a.m. to noon July 5-9 at the RISD Education Center gym. Participants will learn about several areas of science, including biology, engineering and chemistry. Cost is \$165 for Rockwall residents, \$248 for non-residents. For more information, visit rockwall.com/parks.

Republican Lunch Bunch to meet

The Rockwall County Republican Lunch Bunch will meet at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday at Luigi's Italian Café, Rockwall. Cost is \$10, which includes lunch, beverage tax and tip; pay at the door. No reservations required for this informal gathering open to all area Republicans. For more details contact Dalton Kennimer, 972-636-4034.

Ballroom dancing classes available

Ballroom dancing classes for individuals ages 18 and older will be offered from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesdays July 7-28 and Aug. 4-25 at The Center. Cost is \$48 for Rockwall residents, \$72 for non-residents. For more information, visit rockwall.com/parks.

Double Ace to perform Thursday

The Concert by the Lake series continues Thursday at The Harbor Amphitheater. This week's band is Double Ace. Admission to all concerts, which begin at 7:30 p.m., is free. Participants are urged to bring blankets or lawn chairs to the amphitheatre, which is located behind the Hilton.

NAMI support groups to meet

Two free NAMI support groups – one for those with mental illness (Room 121) and one for their families (Room 123, B Bldg.) – will meet from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. July 10 at the First United Methodist Church, 1200 E. Yellow Jacket Lane, Rockwall. Call Hal or Dee Whitfield, 972-412-6030, for more details.

First Christian plans VBS

The First Christian Church of Rockwall will host a vacation Bible school, "Egypt: Joseph's Journey from Prison to Palace," from 9 a.m. to noon July 12-15. The VBS will be open to children ages 3 through fifth grade (completed). The church is located at 3375 Ridge Road in Rockwall, 1.4 miles south of I-30. For more details call 972-771-5526 during business hours Monday through Thursday.

Ouachita Nat'l Forest camp event set

Youths ages 10-17 can participate in the Ouachita National Forest Day Camps set for July 12-16 and July 26-30. The program will emphasize leadership, teamwork, self-confidence, "leave no trace" and advanced survival skills. Cost is \$395 for Rockwall residents, \$593 for non-residents; all camping and backpacking gear, transportation, food and entrance fees included. For more information, visit rockwall.com/parks.

Tot-Teams of Tomorrow offered

TOT-Teams of Tomorrow will be offered to preschoolers ages 3-5 July 12-15 and July 19-22. Activities will run from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the RISD Education Center gym, with participants learning ball-handling skills and educational concepts such as space, rockets, sun, moon and constellations. Cost is \$68 for Rockwall residents, \$102 for non-residents. For more information, visit rockwall.com/parks.

DA to discuss 'senior scams'

Rockwall County DA Kenda Culpepper will give a free presentation on how to recognize and avoid senior scams beginning at 10:30 a.m. July 14 in the Rockwall County Library Meeting Room. Topics will include identity theft, Internet scams, phone scams, mail fraud and door-to-door solicitation. She also will provide info on new legislation involving seniors and tips for avoid elder abuse and exploitation. No reservations required; light refreshments will be provided.

Bon Jovi cover band to perform

The Concert by the Lake series continues July 15 at The Harbor Amphitheater. This week's band is the Bon Jovi cover band Blaze of Glory. Admission to all concerts, which begin at 7:30 p.m., is free.

Legal Notices

Public Notice

The County of Rockwall is soliciting proposals for reinsurance in conjunction with its self-insured group medical benefit plan. An electronic request for proposal is available at the office of The Director of Human Resources located at: 101 East Rusk – Room 200, Rockwall, Texas 75087. The County of Rockwall will solicit direct proposals net of commission from the following carriers:

- HCC Life
- Sun Life
- ING
- HM Insurance
- Majestic Underwriters

Insurance agents interested in providing proposals for reinsurance should solicit proposals from companies other than these designated markets. If commissions are to be included in the pricing for proposals provided through insurance agents, such commissions must be fully disclosed as part of the formal response.

The County of Rockwall will only consider those proposals which include an unconditional stipulation that there will be no "lazing" or individually specified deductible assignments initially or at each subsequent renewal period.

The effective date of reinsurance coverage is to be October 1, 2010. Proposals must be delivered to the office of The Director of Human Resources by 1:00 pm CDST on Friday, August 6, 2010, and will be opened immediately after closing the bid process at 1:00 pm CDST. Proposals must be sealed and contained within an envelope marked by the following designation:

"Reinsurance Proposal for the County of Rockwall Due 1:00 pm CDST on Friday, August 6, 2010"

The Commissioners Court of the County of Rockwall will consider the results of this request for proposal and award the contract during the meeting on September 14, 2010. Any questions or requests for additional information should be directed via email to:

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The County of Rockwall is soliciting proposals for Pharmacy Benefit Management services in conjunction with its self-insured group medical benefit plan. An electronic request for proposal is available at the office of The Director of Human Resources located at: 101 East Rusk – Room 200, Rockwall, Texas 75087. The County of Rockwall will solicit direct proposals net of commission from the following carriers:

- Script Care
- Catalyst
- Envision Rx
- WHI

Insurance agents interested in providing proposals for Pharmacy Benefit Management services should solicit proposals from companies other than these designated markets. If commissions are to be included in the pricing for proposals provided through insurance agents, such commissions must be fully disclosed as part of the formal response.

The effective date of the Pharmacy Benefit Management services agreement is to be October 1, 2010. Proposals must be delivered to the office of The Director of Human Resources by 1:00 pm CDST on Friday, August 6, 2010, and will be opened immediately after closing the bid process at 1:00 pm CDST. Proposals must be sealed and contained within an envelope marked by the following designation:

"Pharmacy Benefit Management Proposal for the County of Rockwall Due 1:00 pm CDST on Friday, August 6, 2010"

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- Public Notice -

The City of Rockwall City Council will hold a public hearing at **6:00 p.m.** on **Monday, August 2, 2010** in the City Council Chambers at Rockwall City Hall, 385 South Goliad, Rockwall, Texas, to consider the proposed annexation described below.

A2010-001

Hold a public hearing and consider a City-initiated request to annex four (4) areas totaling approximately 824.91-acres overall and contiguous to the existing City of Rockwall city limits line, and more specifically described as follows:

Area 1

(538.90 acres located West of SH 205, South of FM 549 and Northeast of Hanby Lane)

BEING a 538.90 acre tract of land situated in the W.M. Ford Survey, Abstract No. 80 in the County of Rockwall, Texas and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point of intersection in the Eastern Right of Way line of Jeff Boyd Dr and the Northern Right of Way line of East Cullins Rd;

THENCE N 43° 43' 2.574" E following along said Northern Right of Way line for a distance of 2149.24 feet to a point;

THENCE N 45° 18' 36.140" W following along the Western Right of Way line of East Cullins Rd for a distance of 1143.621 feet to a point lying in the Southern Right of Way line of Farm to Market Rd 549 (FM549);

THENCE N 48° 08' 10" E following along said Southern FM549 Right of Way line for a distance of 792.06 feet to a point;

THENCE N 44° 28' 10" E for a distance of 2101.60 feet to a point;

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THENCE N 49° 59' 08.255" E for a distance of 402.341 feet to a point;

THENCE S 45° 51' 18.989" E for a distance of 1444.543 feet to a point;

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THENCE S 43° 54' 01" W following along the southern property line of Abstract 80, Tract 17-15 (134.33 acres) for a distance of 1583.26 feet to a point;

THENCE S 43° 01' 55" E following along the eastern property line of Abstract 80, Tract 17-02 (9.75 acres) for a distance of 184.44 feet to a point;

THENCE S 43° 56' 36" W following along the southern property line of Abstract 80, Tract 17-02 (9.75 acres) for a distance of 838.18 feet to a point;

THENCE S 46° 07' 12" E following along the southwestern property line of Abstract 80, Tract 17-01 (158.248 acres) for a distance of 2180.48 feet to a point;

THENCE S 43° 58' 49" W to the southern corner of Abstract 80, Tract 13-01 (19 acres), a distance of 1329.13 feet to a point;

THENCE N 45° 29' 27.396" W following along property lines and Northern Right of Way line of Hanby Ln. for a distance of 4085.376 feet to a point;

THENCE N 44° 43' 49.089" E for a distance of 9.216 feet to a point;

THENCE N 44° 54' 7.509" W following along the Eastern Right of Way line of Jeff Boyd Dr for a distance of 917.893 feet to the Point of Beginning and containing **538.90** acres of land (23,499,869.50 square feet) more or less.

Area 2

(111.80 acres located north of FM 1139 and east of FM 549)

BEING a 111.80 acre tract of land situated in the J.A. Ramsey Survey, Abstract No. 186 in the County of Rockwall, Texas and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at the Southeastern most corner of Wooldridge Estates for a point of beginning;

THENCE S 00° 22' 09.327" E following along Eastern property line of Abstract 186, Tract 6 for a distance of 3038.147 feet to a point;

THENCE S 00° 00' 20.884" E for a distance of 80.025 feet to a point on the South Right of Way line of Farm to Market 1139 (FM1139);

THENCE S 88° 43' 47.153" W following along the South Right of Way line of FM1139 for a distance of 1542.069 feet to a point;

THENCE N 01° 05' 01.431" W for a distance of 80.001 feet to a point on the North Right of Way of FM1139;

THENCE N 01° 05' 01.426" W following along the Western property line of Abstract 186, Tract 6 (eastern split portion / RCAD # 12255) for a distance of 3031.679 feet to a point;

THENCE N 88° 30' 29.735" E following along the Southern subdivision line of Wooldridge Estates for a distance of 1581.491 feet to the Point of Beginning and containing **111.80** acres of land (4,870,139.842 square feet) more or less.

Area 3

(81.96 acres located along the west side of Rochell Road south of SH 270)

BEING a 81.957 acre tract of land situated in the J.A. Ramsey Survey, Abstract No. 186 in the County of Rockwall, Texas and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at the Southwestern most corner of Timber Creek Estates for a point of beginning;

THENCE N 88° 13' 19" E following along Southern boundary of Timber Creek Estates (nearest Lot 22) for a distance of 837.35 feet to a point;

THENCE N 89° 05' 11" E following along said Southern boundary for a distance of 1307.46 feet to a point;

THENCE N 89° 03' 14.504" E following along said Southern boundary for a distance of 24.318 feet to a point intersecting the Eastern Right of Way line of Rochell Rd;

THENCE S 00° 40' 26.223" E following along said Right of Way line for a distance of 1677.693 feet to a point;

THENCE S 89° 29' 25.076" W following along the Southern property line of Abstract 186, Tract 16 for a distance of 2158.35 feet to a point;

THENCE N 01° 02' 33.865" W following along said Tract 16 western property line for a distance of 1649.821 feet to the Point of Beginning and containing **81.957** acres of land (3,570,043.269 square feet) more or less.

Area 4

(92.25 acres located along southeast side of FM 550 south of SH 270)

BEING a 92.25 acre tract of land situated in the J.W. Pitman Survey, Abstract No. 181 in the County of Rockwall, Texas and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at the Eastern most corner of Abstract 181, T1-9 for a point of beginning;

THENCE S 44° 32' 39.223" W following along property lines for a distance of 1762.363 feet to a point;

THENCE N 45° 40' 13.669" W following along said Western boundary of Abstract 181, Tract 1-5 for a distance of 2270.382 feet to a point intersecting the Northern Right of Way line of Farm to Market Rd 550 (FM550);

THENCE N 44° 17' 30.519" E following along said Right of Way line for a distance of 804.627 feet to a point;

THENCE N 44° 22' 43.377" E following along said Right of Way line for a distance of 986.003 feet to a point;

THENCE S 31° 48' 50.655" E crossing to the south Right of Way line of FM 550 for a distance of 82.41 feet to a point;

THENCE S 45° 26' 51.569" E following along Abstract 181, Tract 16 northeastern property line for a distance of 2191.674 feet to the Point of Beginning and containing **92.25** acres of land (4,018,211.185 square feet) more or less.

Note: The above descriptions shall follow all existing City of Rockwall City Limit boundaries where noted.

All interested parties are encouraged to attend. Please contact the City of Rockwall Planning and Zoning department at (972) 771-7777 or visit our website at www.rockwall.com/planning/annexation.asp for any questions.

Rockwall County Sports

Shores golf course closes, owner files bankruptcy

The golf course closed its doors after the owner filed for bankruptcy, according to a City of Rockwall manager. Julie Cochran, City Manager and bankruptcy trustee, noted that the course has been closed for several months. She said the city cannot intervene in this case, but efforts are being made to find a buyer for the property.

The City Council has been very committed to improving course conditions," said Cochran. "We are closely monitoring this situation, and we will continue our efforts to find a buyer for the property. It is hoped that the course will not stay closed for an extended period; however, the city has received no specific timeline from the owner."

Citing numerous ongoing instances of contract breach, the city recently notified IRI Golf Group that the contract leasing land to them for operation of The Shores Country Club was cancelled. The situation was

related to upkeep of the golf course under the lease agreement entered into in 2001, which included minimum standards for maintenance of the golf course. That action followed numerous complaints from Shores' homeowners and golfers about the condition of the golf course.

Although the city had terminate its lease with IRI, the municipality had taken no action that would have caused the golf course's closing, Cochran said.

Portions of the course – primarily the back nine holes – are on land owned by the City of Dallas, which entered into various agreements with

the City of Rockwall and the owner of The Shores Country Club to make the land available for use as a golf course. The lease agreements regulate nine full holes on the course and portions of another four.

The remaining course and the clubhouse and other amenities are on private land owned by the owner/operator of The Shores Country Club. As a result, the City of Rockwall has no ownership in the public land and no oversight over the general business practices of the Shores' owner, according to the news release.

Rockwall ISD closes fields in precautionary move

A Consumer Agency report issued last week closed the soccer fields at Rockwall High and other fields as a precautionary move.

Whitco athletic light pole base units. Although inspections of the Whitco poles at RHS and the Campbell Complex did not reveal cracks or other safety issues, the fields will remain closed until further notice so the district can definitively test the soundness of the light pole units,

according to a school district news release.

The RISD inspects all light poles for cracks or damage on a quarterly basis, according to the release.

In 2009, Whitco athletic light pole base units were replaced at the Rockwall-Heath High soccer and baseball fields after cracks were

identified in the base of the units. The contractor was notified.

Although quarterly inspections have not revealed additional problems at other RISD facilities, the decision was made to close the RHS fields in response to the CPA alert. As a precautionary measure, an outside engineering firm is being secured to test lighting at the RHS parking lot and at athletic fields throughout the district.

Sports Notes

Sports sampler set
Students in grades 3-5 are invited to try soccer, basketball and baseball at the Lil Sammie Sports Sampler on Monday, Aug. 23, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Rockwall Community Center. Cost is \$45 for more information, visit rockwall.com/parks.

grade students from 2009-2010. Cost is \$40. For more details call Coach Strahm at 972-636-9991, ext. 2630. Registration form available on the RCISD website.

their coaches will instruct fourth, fifth and sixth grade students. Cost is \$30; sign up the first day of camp. Call Robyn Hill at 903-227-1936 for more details.

Registration under way for Y football

Registration for the Rockwall County YMCA's Flag Football program, serving children ages 5 and 6, and Tackle Football, ages 7-12 and not on a school team, currently is under way. Early registration will run through July 31; regular registration will run Aug. 1-10; and late registration begins Aug. 11 and will end when all teams are full. Fees are posted at rockwallymca.org or quickscores.com/rockwall. Every child is a starter, either on offense or defense, by rule. Practices will be limited to two per week in a game week or three in a non-game week. A football/cheerleading coaches meeting is set for 1 p.m. Aug. 14. Parents will receive a call following the coaches meeting detailing practice times and dates. For more details call 972-772-YMCA.

Little Kickers scheduled

The Little Kickers soccer program, open to youths ages 3 1/2 to 5 years, will run Mondays from 6 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. Aug. 30 through Oct. 4 at Harry Myers Park. Skill-building, age-appropriate drills and exercises are taught. The first four classes are non-competitive; the final two will include games. Each participant will receive a T-shirt. Cost is \$30 for Rockwall residents, \$45 for non-residents. For more information, visit rockwall.com/parks.

Little Sluggers T-ball dates

The Little Sluggers T-ball program, open to youths ages 3 1/2 to 5 years, will run Tuesdays from 6 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. Aug. 31 through Oct. 5 at Harry Myers Park. Children will learn fundamental skills – throwing, fielding, hitting and base running – and the final two weeks will include "games." Each participant will receive a T-shirt. Parent participation is encouraged. For more information, visit rockwall.com/parks.

Register now for YMCA Soccer

Registration for the Rockwall County YMCA's Small Fry Soccer program, serving children ages 3 and 4, and Youth Soccer, ages 4-12, currently is under way. Early registration will run through July 31; regular registration will run Aug. 1-10; and late registration begins Aug. 11 and will end when all teams are full. Returning players who register prior to Aug. 1 are guaranteed to return to the same team. Fees are posted at rockwallymca.org or quickscores.com/rockwall. A coaches meeting is set for 11 a.m. Aug. 14. Parents will receive a call following the coaches meeting detailing practice times and dates. For more details call 972-772-YMCA.

Volleyball camp planned at RCHS


An all skills instructional volleyball camp for future Lady Bulldog volleyball players is set for 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Aug. 9, 10 and 11 in the RCHS gym. Members of the high school volleyball team and

Plus two camps
Unlimited summer camps during one from July 23 and the Aug. 2 through Aug. 5, from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. Thursday. Fee is \$20 per player; registration is \$60 per player. More information is available at rockwallymca@gmail.com or to register, call lamajo@sb-n.com.

Classic planned
The Rockwall County Committee on Aging will host its first Meals on Wheels program on Monday, July 23, at the Buffalo Creek Golf Club. Proceeds will go to the senior center. To register or for a brochure, call 972-771-

CHS host volleyball camp
Lady Bulldog All Skills Ball Camp will run from 11 a.m. to noon July 28 at the RCHS gym. It is open to incoming eighth grade and above students. Cost is \$30; registration is \$15. For more details, call Robyn Hill at 936-771-4515.

Completed football camp
Football Camp will run from July 28, 29 and 30 at Royse High School. It is open to all youth players in grades K through seventh grade.



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Rockwall sweeps 7-on-7 league, reaches championship bracket

by Lary Bump
 Rockwall finished a busy, and successful, 7-on-7 football season by reaching Saturday's championship bracket in the state Division I tournament at Texas A&M University in College Station.
 The team representing RHS had qualified for the state tournament by winning its own I-30 State Qualifying Tournament two weeks earlier.
 Returning for the first time since 2007, Rockwall swept past Spring Branch Stratford 48-40, Stephenville 40-33 and Whitehouse 34-33 in three hard-fought games Friday, July 9.
 That put the local team into the 32-team championship bracket against Pflugerville. The teams were tied 28-28 at the end of regulation play, but Pflugerville scored to pull out a 35-28 overtime victory.
 Earlier that week, Rockwall had completed an unbeaten season (8-0) in the RHS 7-on-7 league by winning its final two games.
 Alan Reed threw seven touchdown passes in a 63-14 victory over the Garland Naaman Forest junior varsity, and Reed Loftis caught four TD passes as Rockwall clinched first place by defeating Rowlett 32-13. Second-place Rowlett, which finished 6-2, could have tied for first place with a win over Rockwall.
 The Rockwall junior varsity finished with a 2-6 record.
 Royse City's varsity was fifth in the eight-team league at 3-5. The Royse City JV finished 0-8.



Rockwall Yellowjackets' 7on7 football team members advancing to last week's 2010 State tournament at Texas A&M University. (row left to right) Reed Loftis, Blake Turner, Josh Broach, Casey Wright, Wesley Davis, Jason Snider, Hunter Stevens, (Front row) Farrow, Andrew Hinckley, D'Andre Mitchell, Alan Reed, Blaine Laurea, Coan Calabrese, Ben Bittle and John Burgos. The team won the championship bracket and qualified to compete in Saturday's State Championship Tournament.
 Photo by Sharry Stevens/Rockwall County News



RHS Blake Turner rushes the ball for a touchdown during last Friday's State 7on7 tournament game against Stratford at Texas A&M University.
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A Stephenville receiver faces the tough defense of Rockwall's Coan Calabrese (20) during Friday's State 7on7 tournament at Texas A&M University. RHS teammate Zach Farrow (16) is also visible. The Rockwall player successfully intercepts the ball.
 Photo by Tim Burnett/Rockwall County News

Royse City Health & Rehabilitation Center

"A family atmosphere"

That's the way Theresa Toohey describes her rehabilitation experiences at Royse City Health & Rehabilitation Center following back surgery earlier this year.

"I was worried about being in a nursing home environment," she recalls. "But Royse City Health & Rehab is a true family atmosphere, just made for quick recovery. I was out of my brace in 17 days and have already returned home successfully after rehab. Theresa's surgery was performed by Dr Mike-Meyer at Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Rockwall. "I was so pleased with my care at the hospital," she adds. "Everyone is really there for you!"

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Rockwall pair graduate from Hardin-Simmons

Two local residents were listed among graduates receiving degrees during spring commencement exercises conducted May 8 at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Patrick Almond of Rockwall graduated with a Bachelor of Science of Nursing degree in nursing from the HSU Patty Hanks Shelton School of Nursing.

Katherine Blake, also of Rockwall, graduated summa cum laude with a Bachelor of Behavioral Science degree in psychology from the HSU Cynthia Ann Parker Liberal Arts.

The two were among graduates receiving degrees in the spring semester.

Ogan receives UNC degree

Leilani A. Ogan of Rockwall was awarded a master's degree in health behavior and health education from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Ogan, who majored in health behavior and health education, received her Master of Public Health degree, according to a university news release.

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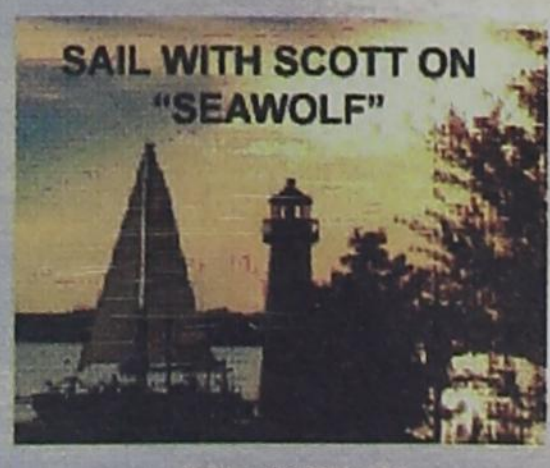
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