### Calendar

### Special speaker

Rev. James Anderson of the True Vine Baptist Church in Coleman will speak at the Greater Independent Baptist Church in Haskell Sun., June 8 at 11 a.m. Everyone is invited.

### Summer lunches

The Haskell CISD will sponsor the Summer Food Service program at the Haskell Elementary School Cafeteria, located at 306 S. Ave G, Monday through Friday, June 2 through July 18. Meals will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. No meals will be served July 4. Anyone ages 1 through 18 years of age may eat free. Adults may eat for the price of \$2.50 per plate.

### Softball tourney

A men's softball tournament will be held in Aspermont June 27-29. Twelve teams will be accepted. For entry fee and other information, call Ken at 940-997-2304 or Sophie at 940-200-0556.

### WHPD events



### Memorial cutting

The Sam 'Snakey' Graves Memorial Cutting will be held Fri., June 6 at 8 a.m. at the Haskell Rodeo area. Admission is free.

### WHPD trade show

A craft and merchant show will be held at the Haskell Civic Center Fri., June 6 and Sat., June 7 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission is free

### WHPD parade

The Wild Horse Prairie Days parade will be held Fri., June 6 at 5 p.m. with Dr. Kenneth Wyatt serving as grand marshal. To enter, call or drop by the Chamber of Commerce office for an entry

### Fri., June 6

•Sam "Snakey" Graves Memorial Cutting, 8 a.m. •Wild Horse Knob Trail Ride, 10 a.m. ·Vendor show at the Civic Center, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. ·Barbeque Cook-off Check-in, 4 p.m. •Art competition, Civic Center, Check in,

9 a.m. to 11 a.m. •WHPD parade, 5 p.m. Dr. Kenneth Wyatt Grand Marshal Chuck Wagon Meal 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

•WHPD WRCA Ranch Rodeo 7 p.m. Dance with Landon Dodd

### 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Sat., June 7

•Ranch Horse Competition 8 a.m. •Barbeque Cook-off Judging, 10 a.m. ·Vendor show, Civic Center, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. •Junior Ranch Rodeo with Pokey the Clown 10 a.m.

•Horse Sale, 1 p.m. Chuck Wagon Meal 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. •WHPD WRCA Ranch Rodeo

7 p.m. •Dance - Tommy Alverson 9:30 p.m. to 1 a.m.



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### Welcome to Wild Horse Prairie Days June 6-7

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"The People's Choice'

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IT'S OFFICIAL!-Haskell County Librarian Joan Frazier, second from right, cuts the ribbon officially opening the new Haskell County Library located at 300 North Avenue E in Haskell. The ceremony was held Sun., June 1 with citizens. members of the Friends of the Library and Haskell Chamber of Commerce in attendance. Participating in the ribbon cutting ceremony were, front row, I-r, Paula Rennegarbe, Yuvi Cadenhead, Donna

Cole, Oleta Cornelius and Marilyn Griffith, assistant librarian; back row, Sheila Hester, Erlinda Mayfield, Haskell County Commissioner Precinct 2 Tiffen Mayfield, Louetta Wallace, Randy Bowers, Loutina White, Faye Cross, Charles Cross-building superintendent of the project, Frazier and Haskell Chamber of Commerce manager, Sally Rueffer. Approximately 148 attended the open house

### **Drivers** receive tickets

Haskell Police Department issued 142 tickets for safety belt violations, eight tickets for child safety seat violations, 71 tickets for other violations and made two arrests in conjunction with the 'Click It or Ticket' campaign held from May 19 to June 1, according to Haskell Patrolman Steven Grand.

"Although the intensified enforcement has ended, drivers and passengers in this jurisdiction still need to remember the importance of wearing safety belts. Safety belts save lives and prevent serious injuries, and we will continue to watch for people who are violating the state's safety belt and child safety seat laws," he said.

The 'Click It or Ticket' campaign has made and can continue to make great progress in this state, reminding drivers to make the conscious decision to buckle up each time they enter a vehicle-whether as the driver or passenger, day or night.

Days are set June 6-7 in Haskell.

Events begin Fri., June 6 with the Snakey Graves Memorial Cutting at the Haskell Arena at 8 a.m. The third annual Wild Horse Knob Trail Ride gets underway

Inside the Civic Center, on Friday and Saturday, a Vendor's Show will be held, open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission is free.

The Wild Horse Prairie Days Art Contest will conduct check in from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Friday.

The annual Wild Horse Prairie The art show will have items on display Friday and Saturday. Many divisions span three categories of entries. No admission is charged to view the display.

The Lone Star Barbecue Society will hold a barbeque cook off in conjunction with Wild Horse Prairie Days. Check in begins Friday at 4 p.m. The event is sponsored by Bailey Toliver Chevrolet and Maine Street Antiques. Judging for the event begins Saturday at 10 a.m.

The WHPD parade will begin at 5 p.m. on Friday in downtown Haskell. Entries must register at the Chamber of Commerce office. Texas artist Kenneth Wyatt will serve as grand marshal. The Hardin-Simmons University Six White Horses are to make an appearance. Entries will line up at the post office with

all paperwork in order. Chuck wagon meals will be served on Friday and Saturday evenings from 5 to 7 p.m. Cost is \$8 for adults and \$6 for a child's The Wild Horse Prairie Days

WRCA Ranch Rodeo will be held Friday and Saturday evenings beginning at 7 p.m. Admission is \$8 for adults and \$4 for children.

Friday evening's dance will begin at 8:30 p.m. through 12:30 a.m. with Landon Dodd and the Dancehall Drifters. The group of five young musicians is a traditional country music band, featuring a vintage country sound with fiddle, steel guitar and vocal harmonies. Admission is \$10.

Saturday's events begin with a ranch horse competition at 8

The Junior Ranch Rodeo.

hosted by Pokey the Clown, begins at 10 a.m. in the grassy area near the Civic Center. The event is mirrored after the adult ranch rodeo but geared to involve young people ages four through sixteen. Young cowboys will participate in a Pony Express Race, Steer Doctoring, Wild Cow Milking and Calf Branding. Winners advance to the National WRCA Junior Rodeo in Amarillo in November.

A horse sale will begin at 1 p.m. on Saturday.

Saturday evening's activities will conclude with a dance from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. with Tommy Alverson. Cost is \$10.

### Art entries to be displayed Category 3: Hand-crafted

Art entries are being sought for the Wild Horse Prairie Days Art Show to be held Friday and Saturday, June 6-7 at the Haskell Civic Center.

Categories include: Category 1: Art and

Photography. Division 1. Youth 18 years and under; Division 2.

Landscapes: Division 3, Portraits: Division 4. Still life; Division 5. Photography; Division 6. Class work: Division 7. Miniatures (unframed max. 5"x7").

Three Category 2: dimensional art. Division 1. Sculptures; Division 2. Metal art; Division 3. Wood working and

cowboy gear. Division 1. Handcrafted leather items (no saddles); Division 2. Hitched hair and braided items; Division 3. Handcrafted spurs, bits, buckles,

Call the Haskell Chamber of Commerce at 940-864-2477 for more information.

### Cowboy artist to lead WHPD parade

Parade Marshal for the annual Wild Horse Prairie Days parade Fri., June 6 is Texas artist Kenneth Wyatt of Tulia.

Dr. Wyatt explains his with brush and paint as a 'gift from God.' He sees paintings in his soul and pushes the paint around until it looks like what he sees inside.

A Texan by birth, he grew up in the chalk hill country of Central Texas. He maintains his base studio and home in Tulia with additional studios in Red River, New Mexico and Naples, Florida.

Before stepping before his easel and picking up his brush, he already knows what his masterpiece will be. He paints cowboys, cattle stampedes with streaks of lightening, chuck wagons, broncobusters. windmills, bluebonnets, snowcapped mountains or whatever pleases his art collector.

He also enjoys sculpture and poetry.

His roles in life include author, lecturer, magician, poet and the

cowboys say he is the best painter of the horse that every was.

His art graces the walls and home of presidents and queens, Hollywood and television personalities and stars of the music world. Cowboys and waitresses save their tips to buy his prints.

From giant murals to mini sculptures, Kenneth Wyatt is an artist.

Wyatt will lead the downtown parade in Haskell at 5 p.m.



## okey to hold

Pokey the Clown will be on hand to host the Wild Horse Prairie Days Junior Ranch Rodeo June 7 in Haskell.

The Junior Ranch Rodeo is the creation of Doug 'Pokey the



**POKEY THE CLOWN** 

Clown' Smith of Panhandle. This event is mirrored after the adult ranch rodeo, but geared to involve young people ages four through

Under the National WRCA circuit, with which the Haskell Wild Horse Prairie Days Rodeo is affiliated, the Junior Ranch Rodeo is designed for the entertainment of children and to enable them to experience some of the skills used by real working ranch cowboys. The activities encourage the youngsters to work together in teams to accomplish competitive goals.

Team events for the Junior Rodeo will include a Pony Express Race, Steer Doctoring, Wild Cow Milking and Calf Branding. All events will involve the use of custom made wooden 'livestock.' The three age divisions will be Pee Wee (4-7),

Junior (8-11), and Senior (12-16). The young cowboys will compete on beautiful, handmade

Entry fees is \$20.00 per team with four people on each team. Medals will be awarded to the

winning team in each age division, along with an invitation to compete in the National WRCA Junior Rodeo in Amarillo in November.

The event will be held on the grassy area by the Haskell Rodeo Arena at 10 a.m., Sat., June 7. Fans will be able to cheer on their teams from the comfort of their own, personal folding chairs and close proximity to the competition.

For more information, entry blank and a copy of the rules for each event, call the Haskell Chamber of Commerce at 940-864-2477.

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### TAX **PLANNING**

Written By James E. Rodgers, CPA



### **IRS TAX UPDATE - JUNE 2008**

Here's a quick review of some recent IRS rulings and news

•Business vehicle depreciation limits. For business cars first placed in service in 2008, the first-year depreciation limit is \$10,960 if the car is new and \$2,960 if the car is used. The \$8,000 difference is due to bonus first-year depreciation on new vehicles provided in the 2008 economic stimulus legislation. For both new and used business cars, the limit for year two is \$4,800, for year three \$2,850, and for each succeeding year \$1,775. For trucks and vans, the firstvear limit is \$11,160 for new vehicles and \$3,160 for used vehicles. Year two depreciation for both new and used trucks and vans purchased in 2008 is \$5,100. For year three the limit is \$3,050, and for each succeeding year the limit is \$1,875.

•The 2008 "Dirty Dozen." The IRS has published its annual list of the most flagrant tax scams being promoted by con artists. Topping the list is "phishing" scheme on the Internet used to trick unsuspecting victims into providing personal and financial information which is then used to access accounts, run up credit card charges, and apply for loans or credit in the victims' names.

Scams related to the economic stimulus payments were also high on the list. In these scams, criminals pose as IRS representatives asking victims for personal financial information, saying this information is needed in order for the individuals to receive their rebate checks. (The IRS reminds taxpayers that it does not contact taxpayers by phone or e-mail about their stimulus payments.)

•Reminder on political activity. The IRS is reminding taxexempt organizations, such as charities and churches, that it is against the law for them to engage in certain activities 'on behalf of (or in opposition to) any candidate for public office.' As the presidential election nears, the IRS wants 501(c)(3) organizations to be aware that they could lose their tax-exempt status if they engage in prohibited activities. More information on this topic can be found on the IRS

For details about these or other tax issues that concern you, call us.

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### Commissioners' Court report

Haskell Commissioners' Court met in a special meeting Tues., May 27 with Judge David Davis and Commissioners Johnny Scoggins, Tiffen Mayfield, Kenny Thompson and Bobby Smith present.

All bills presented were approved to be paid.

The job description and responsibilities of the janitor were discussed. A motion to approve the changes was approved.

No action was taken concerning the refinancing of the Rolling Plains Jail and Detention Center facility.

A safety meeting is scheduled for June 10 at the Precinct 2 county barn.

Will Kittley was hired as a part time employee in Precinct 4.

No action was taken to close County Road 154.

No action was taken on TAC-LOSS control and inspection

The motion on the resolution for predator control for livestock, wildlife and agriculture did not

No action was taken on the Crime Stoppers fee.

No changes were made in the storage of the Texas Parks and Wildlife boat at Lake Stamford.

Changes in the personnel policy concerning cell phones and reimbursement for meals was

The ownership of the old library building was discussed with no action being taken.

The contribution to the Training Center was raised from \$2,688 per year to \$3,000 per

A resolution was approved to participate in a study to develop Justice System software through CIRA. The cost to the County will be a tenth of one percent (.001%) of the General Fund which is \$1,748.91 and will be included in next year's budget.

No action was taken concerning a bid for fire extinquisher servicing.

No action was taken on a burn

### **Letz family** reunion set June 14

beginning at 2 p.m. at the Sons of Hermann Hall lodge in Old Glory. Many family members have lived in the area since 1904.

Family and friends are invited to join group for dominoes, pie contest, artifacts exhibit, family meeting and a buffet dinner.

A dance will begin at 7 p.m. For more information, visit

### **Obituaries**

### Nadine Elizabeth Crump



**NANCY CRUMP** 

Funeral services for Nadine Elizabeth Crump, 85, of Fort Worth were held Wed., May 28 at Bethel Lutheran Church in Ericksdahl with Rev. Ronald Rennegarbe officiating. Burial was in Bethel Lutheran Cemetery under the direction of Tankersley Funeral Home of Stamford.

Born Sept. 9, 1922 in Olpe, Kansas, she was the daughter of Winfield S. and Ellen Dunn Haley. She was raised and attended schools at Olpe, Kansas and moved to Stamford in the early 40's and worked at the Stamford Air Port in the Flight School. She married Francis X. Crump of Stamford Oct. 11, 1944 in Flagstaff, Arizona. They celebrated fifty-four years of marriage before Francis' death in 1999. They were members of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Fort

Nadine and Francis spent many happy days traveling and enjoying the beautiful sites of the U.S., Canada, Great Britain, Holland and France. She loved making a home for her family. Her hobbies were reading and fishing. She was devoted to her

Mrs. Crump died Sun., May Lord and greeted each day with prayer and scripture.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; three brothers, Herbert Haley, Walter Haley and Eugene Haley; and three sisters, Ann Haley, Martha Jones and Nina Anderson.

Survivors include one daughter, Jamie Weaver and husband Robert of Haskell; one son, Norman Crump and wife Debbie of Fort Worth; two brothers, Glenn Haley and Harold Haley; one sister, Della Bertram; six grandchildren; five great grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews; and her little dog, Peppy.

Memorials may be made to St. Paul Lutheran Church, 1800 West Freeway, Fort Worth, Texas 76102 or to Trinity Lutheran Church, 7630 U.S. Highway 380 East, Haskell, Texas 79521.

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### Virginia Waldean 'Dean' Allred



**DEAN ALLRED** Graveside services for Virginia Waldean 'Dean' Allred, 92, of

Willow Cemetery in Haskell with family members officiating. Services were under the direction of Blackwell Funeral Home of Friona.

Mrs. Allred died Sun., June 1

in Friona. Born Jan. 6, 1916 in Van Alstyne, Grayson County, she was the daughter of Oliver and Macie Dunnam Hix. She married Ark Allred Nov. 17, 1933 in Haskell. They owned and operated Ark Allred's Radiator Shop in Haskell from 1950 to 1966. They moved to Houston in 1966 and operated Jacinto City Radiator Shop until his death in 1980. In 1980 she moved to Clyde, living there until she moved to Friona's Prairie Acres

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ark, on Oct. 22, 1980; a son, Gary Allred, Feb. 7, 2001; her parents; three brothers. Joe, Lovd and Covt Hix; and four sisters, Lorena, Jobe, Bettie Bruce, Nettie Russell and Moneta

Survivors include two daughters, Shirley Davis and husband, Taylor of Lake Coleman, and Sandra Rainey and husband. Bud of Friona: a son. Don Allred of Friona: eleven grandchildren; twelve great grandchildren; six great great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Prairie Acres Nursing Home, 201 E. 15th. Friona, Texas 79035.

### Ruby D. Holt

Funeral services for Ruby D. Holt, 92, formerly of Haskell, were held Mon., June 2 at First Christian Church in Haskell with Rev. Dusty Garison, Ken Lane, Sam Pace and Jimmy Bowen officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home of Haskell.

Friona were held Wed., June 4 in eight years ago.

Mrs. Holt died Fri., May 30 in Katy. Born Sept. 24, 1915 in Sweetwater, she was the daughter of Isaac Brown and Mary Auvenshine

Brown. She married C.O. Holt Sr. April 18, 1935 in Sweetwater. He preceded her in death Jan. 4, 1991. She came to Haskell in 1950 where she was a member of many organizations and especially her church, the First Christian Church. She moved to Houston in 2001 to be close to her son, daughterin-law and grandchildren, who she adored.

For the last several years, she lived at the The 18th annual Letz family Treemont Retirement Home in Houston where she reunion will be held Sat., June 14 continued to meet new people-playing bridge,

forty-two and chicken foot.

She was preceded in death by her husband, C.O.; and a son, Jonny Holt June 3, 1961.

Survivors include one son, C.O. Holt Jr. and wife, Donna of Katy; one grandson, Johny Neely Holt of Dallas; and one granddaughter, Tracy M. Vela and husband, David; two grandchildren, Parker William Vela and Emma Grace Vela, both of Pearland.

Pallbearers were John Holt, Sam Pace, David Vela, Ken Lane, Johnny Jennings, Seth Pace, Doyle High and Jimmy Bowen.

Memorials may be made to First Christian Church, 107 North Avenue F, Haskell, Texas 79521.

The family would like to say a thank you to all you helped them at this time. A special thanks to Dr. Felicia Feng of Houston, lovingly known as 'Dr. Doll' whose care of Mother enabled her to enjoy the last years of her life in good health.

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# Sign-up deadline announced

Department Agriculture Farm Service Agency (FSA) Administrator Teresa Lasseter has announced that livestock producers have until July 18, 2008, to enroll in the

2005-2007 Program (LIP).

Livestock Compensation Program (LCP) and Livestock Indemnity

Signup began on Sept. 10, 2007, for the two programs that provide aid to livestock producers who suffered eligible livestock or livestock feed losses between Jan. 1, 2005, and Dec. 30, 2007, because of a natural disaster.

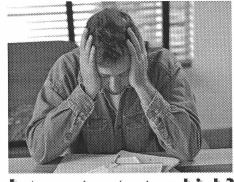
"The deadline to enroll in the 2005-2007 Livestock Compensation Program and Livestock Indemnity Program is producers to enroll soon because www.fsa.usda. gov/.

sign-up ends on July 18, 2008."

The LIP provides payments to eligible livestock owners and contract growers who incurred the death of livestock because of a natural disaster. The LCP provides payments to eligible livestock owners and cash lessees who suffered feed losses or increased feed costs because of a natural disaster.

More information about LCP and LIP is available online at

http://disaster.fsa.usda.gov. For more information, visit rapidly approaching," said your local USDA Service Center Lasseter. "I encourage all eligible or the agency's Web site, http://



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RETIREES-A retirement party was held Sat., May 31, at the Bever House for honorees from Haskell Elementary School. Retirees are, I-r, Martha Jarred, Mylta Kimbler, Melodee Christian, JoNell Roberts, Jerry Bowers, Caron Yates and Phyllis Coleman (seated), The ladies have devoted their lives to the education of children in Haskell.

**RECEIVES MEDALS-Chris** Hollingsworth participated in the annual City View Special Olympics held April 20. He received a gold medal for the softball throw, a silver medal in the standing long jump, and a bronze medal in the 400 meter walk. Hollingsworth is a member of the Haskell Rascal team.

### der abuse is everyone's business

Most folks will tell you that responsible in reporting they love West Texas because of the people-people who care, communities that care.

Being a caring community includes looking out for othersmaking sure our seniors and disabled citizens are safe; helping seniors and disabled citizens maintain their independence and getting their needs met.

Adult Protective Services has implemented a public awareness campaign entitled Everyone's Business." The campaign is designed to make people aware of the importance of being aware of the needs of the

Cancer Services Network will

offer Living Beyond Cancer, a six

week educational support group

for those interested in learning to

live beyond a diagnosis of cancer.

The support groups will be held

in Haskell Tuesdays, June 17 to

July 22 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the

First Assembly of God Church,

1502 N. Ave. E. A light meal will

patients, caregivers, family and

friends affected by cancer in

The six-week sessions are for

be included.

suspected abuse, neglect, or exploitation.

It is all about partnership. "APS workers can help in so many ways-but it is up to the community-friends, neighbors, family-to let us know who needs help or who is at risk, "says local APS supervisor Will McFarland.

The agency is empowered by Chapter 48 of the Human Resource Code to investigate abuse, neglect, and exploitation and to put in place services to alleviate the threat/risk of further maltreatment.

More than half of all cases

group will focus on the practical,

emotional and physical aspects of

living with cancer. Aimee Colley,

LMSW, Director of Social Work

at Cancer Services Network, will

facilitate the groups. Colley has

ten years experience in the area

of oncology. No charge is

Register by calling 325-672-

or by

acolley@cancerservicesnetwork.org.

most involve self-neglect.

While situations of abuse and exploitation are commonly understood by the general public, neglect is also a frequent cause for suffering. Self-neglect occurs when

individuals fail to provide themselves with whatever is necessary to prevent physical or emotional harm or pain. The reasons that vulnerable adults neglect their own needs are often complicated, and frequently people are unaware of the severity of their situation.

Neglect often creates a downward spiral toward loss of independence, isolation, depression and even death. Neglect may result in starvation, dehydration, over/undermedication, unsanitary or unsafe living conditions, or lack of heat, running water, electricity, personal hygiene and medical

For many, intervention in situations of neglect can prevent hospitalization, nursing home placement, prolonged illness,

and/or serious injury.

Self-neglect-neglect without a perpetrator-is common among the elderly and disabled-it is no one's fault-but rather a result of a wide range of physical, mental, social and financial factors.

Through illness or diminished mental capacity, vulnerable adults may no longer be able to provide adequately for their own health and safety. It may be a gradual decline. They may just need a little assistance with meals and other daily activities. They may need help paying bills or balancing their checkbook.

Others may have more severe needs as there home situation has declined to unsanitary conditions or loss of utilities.

There are often many services available to help an elderly or disabled person remain at home. If you know someone who is elderly or disabled and you think they are suffering from neglect, contact the Adult Protective Services Hotline 1-800-252-



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### anyway. In a supportive and a grant from Texas Cancer interactive environment, this Council. Weinert church sets VBS Weinert Baptist Church invites important choices everyone has all kids, age 4-completed sixth "We're looking forward to sharing this exciting event with SonWorld Adventure Park VBS. the children and parents in our

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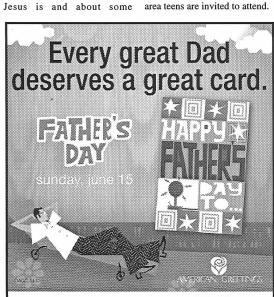
grade, to Vacation Bible School June 9-13, from 5:30-8:00 p.m. at 'We're ready for a Vacation Bible School your kids will never forget," said VBS Director Mary Murphy.

"At SonWorld Adventure Park kids will experience the fun and excitement of an amusement park. Children will have a great time singing with Cindy Guess, watching skits, creating crafts with Joni Bullock and playing games with pastor Dan Bullock. But most importantly, they'll study the Bible with Caron Yates and discover more about who

area. We hope they will all join us at SonWorld Adventure Park. A closing program and ice cream fellowship will begin at 7 p.m. on Friday and all parents and

families are invited to attend." For more information, call Dan Bullock at 673-8310 or Mary

Murphy at 673-8269. Shanna White will again lead Teen Extreme upstairs at Weinert Baptist Church in conjunction with the VBS. Teens will have their own Bible study, activities, guest speakers and events. All



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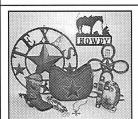
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### HIGHLIGHTS

By Ed Sterling

### Court orders YFZ children returned to families

AUSTIN-Children the state of Texas removed from a polygamist sect's ranch near Eldorado in early April must be returned to their parents, the state's highest court ruled May

Beginning June 2 children were returned to their parents if the parents first presented identification and agreed to take parenting classes and remain in

Texas. The conditional release arrangements were made after the Texas Supreme Court upheld a ruling by the Third Court of Appeals in Austin. The ruling said the state failed to provide evidence warranting the separation of those children from

their parents. The removal of more than 400 children began April 3 after the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services received word that a girl or young woman had called a crisis hotline alleging abuse by an older male resident

of the ranch.

The state obtained a court order to enter the ranch owned by the Fundamentalist Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, a breakaway sect of the Mormon church. Buses transported mothers and children to San Angelo, and from there the state placed children in foster care in homes and facilities across Texas.

In its ruling, the Texas Supreme Court said, "While the district court must vacate the current temporary custody orders as directed by the court of appeals, it need not do so without granting other appropriate relief to protect the children."

So, Tom Green County state District Judge Barbara Walther, whose original order removed the children, now may proceed within her authority to ensure the best interests of each child and that state Family Code is

The lawsuit seeking relief from the original removal order was brought by 38 Yearning For Zion Ranch mothers with the assistance of the nonprofit group Texas RioGrande Legal Aid Inc. and a private law firm.

### Hearing held on cost of college

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university systems testified May 28 at a meeting of the Senate Finance Subcommittee on Higher

Education. The Senate subcommittee is charged with studying the impact of tuition deregulation, passed by the Legislature in 2003, on

college participation. The cost of tuition for a semester at the University of Texas at Austin was \$1,975 in

2002. Today it is \$4,012. Paredes estimated that the average public university graduate will owe between \$15,000 and \$16,000 in student

Paredes said the increase in the cost of a public university education is driving more students to choose community

colleges as a place to start. State Sen. Royce West, D-Dallas, said, "We must find other sources of revenue in order to fund higher education in the state of Texas. It is really important for you guys to start coming up with some ideas. We can't keep taxing the students."

### Texans take Cuba trade trip

The United States trade embargo with Cuba has been in effect since 1961. In 2000, Congress passed the Trade Sanctions Reform and Export Enhancement Act, allowing the sale of agricultural and medical products to Cuba.

Now the Lone Star State is thinking about stepping up trade with the Caribbean state.

Agriculture Commissioner Todd Staples and a group of business people traveled to Cuba May 27 to 31 to promote trade with Texas. The group of 24 included farmers, ranchers, commodity suppliers and port

"It is only 900 miles between Houston and Havana but for several decades it might well have been a million miles," Staples said. "This is a great occasion for two nations to work together to improve relations and what better way to do that than through food."

### Texas to resume death penalty

A Kentucky case that went to the U.S. Supreme Court put the execution of Texas death row inmates on hold last September. The court ruled that the threeinjection system used by Texas and other states is not cruel.

This month, Texas will return to administering the death



## From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

### 10 Years Ago

June 4, 1998 Alvin and Alice Bredthauer were in Bartlesville, Oklahoma visiting his son and wife, Harold

and Joyce Bredthauer. Sarah Cothron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Cothron, made the dean's list at Harding

University.

Haskell Elementary school principal, Jimmy Lisle, sat on the school roof after the students won the challenge of reading and achieving 16,462 points.

Three members of Haskell Girls Softball team named to the all-district team are April Villareal, Rosalinda Gonzales and Tiffany Loving.

### 20 Years Ago June 9, 1988

Rice Springs Park received new residents, ten ducks and a pair of geese.

Ruby Clemmer was guest of honor at a 90th birthday celebration in the home of County Judge and Mrs. B.O. Roberson.

Charles P. Wells, a twenty-two year old Paint Creek man, won a national award for a poem he wrote when he was eight years old. The poem, "Linda," was published in August by The World of Poetry.

Tiffany Welborn of Rule was listed on the Dean's honor roll at Texas Tech University.

Matt Lane and Sheree Dumas were named winners of the Army Reserve National Athlete award.

Seven 4-H members participated in the Teen Leadership Lab at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood. Representing Haskell were Dayln and Kim Gilly, Penny Peden and Emily SoRelle, Stevens.

Michael Hester of Rochester and Mitch and Mondy Mayfield, both of Weinert.

### 30 Years Ago June 8, 1978

The Haskell High School honor roll students were Seniors: Jill Adkins, Jimmy Browning, Chris Colbert, Connie Frierson, Betsy Optiz: Juniors: Todd Bragg, Kay Campbell, Vicky Hill and Katie Wooten: Sophomores: Giles Kemp, Sonya Tidrow; Freshman: Jospeh Browning, Kim Lane and Jonna Wheatley.

Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Cadenhead was honored with a welcome reception at the community building of the Haskell National Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. A.H. Allen and Pete Tanner of Hawley and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Standfield of Odessa took off for a week long trip through the southern states.

### 40 Years Ago June 6, 1968

Construction is underway on a new 9.500 square ft., all steel building to be the new home of Anderson Tire Company just north of the present location. Jackie Hammer, son of Mr.

and Mrs. C.G. Hammer, received a Bachelor of Science degree from Sam Houston State College. Marsha Shaver, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Shaver, Jr. of Rochester, was named 'Miss Throckmorton."

The Drive In Theatre in Rule was showing, "The Hills Run Red" with Thomas Hunter, "The Road Hustlers," with Jim Davis, Scott Brady and "How to save a Marriage and Ruin Your Life' with Dean Martin and Stella

### 50 Years Ago June 5, 1958

School board members announced the new sixth grade teacher, Mrs. Tommy Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dixon and children. Darla Sue and Michael Dale of Dumas, spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Byrd.

Weinert Seniors returned from a six day trip to Colorado. They were James Hawkins, Christene Hutchinson, Tiffen Mayfield, Walter Davis, Durwood and Elwood Bruton, Charlene Sturdy, Truman Therwhanger, Donald Griffis, Truitt Wren, Wavne Liles, Jovce Allred, Patsy King and Carolyn Davis.

The Rule Baseball Park is completed, including the new lights for night play.

### 100 Years Ago June 2, 1908

Dwight Van Pelt of Bastrop is visiting his mother, Mrs. N. McNeill.

J.C. Freeman has sold his residence to W.H. Murchison.

Louis Gardner has sold his business to George Fields, and has purchased the new and second hand business in the old Post Office Building.

The Haskell Ice Plant filled its huge vats with water and began the operation of making ice the first of the week. The capacity of the vats is 125 tons, and by the end of the week they will have that much ice. After the first freezing, daily capacity of the plant will be about 18 tons.

Elsie Bennett, a teacher in the Stamford Collegiate Institute, visited the family of S.A. Hughes.

### **Cotton Market** Weekly

By Plains Cotton Cooperative Association

May 29, 2008 The cotton market continues to fluctuate slightly from day to day in uninspired, lethargic trading. There seems to be no news to motivate traders, just the usually slippery slope that has been tilting down rather than up these past few weeks,

an observer said. Fundamentally, the market continues to keep an eye on the developing U.S. cotton crop. Most of the attention focuses on Texas where almost half of the nation's cotton crop could be produced in the 2008-09 marketing year.

According to USDA's drought monitor map for the week ended May 27, soil conditions throughout South Texas were categorized as moderate to drought. Squaring is increasing in the Lower Rio Grande Valley, and blooms are forming on many of the more mature stands. Farmers are irrigating where possible, but most of the cotton crop is dryland and rain is urgently needed to ease stressful growing conditions.

Severe weather was reported on the Texas High and Rolling Plains this week. Gusty winds up to 70 miles per hour were witnessed in some areas and small to medium sized hailstones fell. Generally, light to moderate rain was received with locally heavy precipitation recorded. Most of the producers in the region feel they are in good shape as they continue planting activities.

Meanwhile, USDA reported net export sales of U.S. cotton totaled 107,800 bales in the week ended May 22. The figure is 28 percent lower than the previous week and a 73 percent decline from the four-week average. With purchases totaling 29,200 bales, China was the major buyer for the week while Thailand, Turkey, Taiwan and Mexico finished out the list of the week's top five buyers. Net sales of 19,100 bales for delivery in 2008-09 were for South Korea and Italy.

Export shipments of 258,800 bales were up one percent from the previous week and 10 percent higher than the fouraverage. Primary destinations were China. Mexico, Indonesia and Turkey.

Sales declines were seen in the spot cotton market as well. During a short trading week due to the Memorial Day holiday, online trading by producers in Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas totaled only 63 bales compared to 2,421 bales the previous week.

With no immediate solution in sight, a shortage of shipping containers continues to affect the export of U.S. commodities and other products. An article in Shipping Digest said U.S. exporters may lose tens of millions of dollars in potential sales because of shortages of vessel capacity and containers. The publication reported foreign buyers who would like to take advantage of the weak U.S. dollar to purchase goods at bargain prices may turn to other suppliers out of frustration over long delays and unreliable delivery schedules.

"It's impossible to quantify, and exporters are reluctant to admit they have actually lost business, but there are widespread complaints from anguished exporters and forwarders," an industry source

### Emergency farm loans being accepted

es caused by severe fires and high winds on Jan. 1, 2008 and continuing are being accepted at the Farm Service Agency (FSA) office located in Haskell, Farm recently.

Throckmorton and Young County along with all area surrounding counties have had various disaster determinations recently named by Secretary of Agriculture. These counties producers are eligible for loans to cover part of actual

eligible for loans of up to 100% of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue the agricultural business, whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest rate is 3.75 percent.

"As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FSA emergency loan," Cude said. Farmers

Applications for emergency production and physical losses participating in the Federal Crop farm loans for damages and caused by fires and high winds on Insurance program will have to Cude said farmers may be programs in determining their

> "Application for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until Jan. 16, 2009. but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing, with possible delays into the new farming season," Cude said.

> > FSA is a credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It is authorized to provide disaster emergency loans to recognized farmers who work at and rely on farming for a substantial part of their living. Eligibility is extended to individual farmers who meet U.S. citizenship requirements and to farming partnerships, corporations, or cooperatives in which U.S. citizenship requirements are met by individuals holding a majority interest.

The FSA office in Haskell is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Loan Manager Brand Cude said Haskell, Stonewall,

### Student in the News

Caleb J. Hudgens, a resident of Haskell, has been named to the spring 2008 Dean's List at Texas State University-San Marcos. To be named to the Dean's List hours.

at Texas State, a student must earn a minimum grade-point average of 3.50 while carrying a class load of at least 12 semester

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# Haskell CISD Educational Foundation presents 2008 Legacy Students

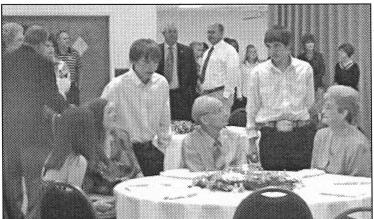


2008 LEGACY BANQUET STUDENTS AND TEACHERS-Five students were honored for being in the top 10 percent of the 2008 Haskell High School graduating class during the annual Legacy Banquet, held May 17 at the Haskell Civic Center, in memory of Roberta High. Four teachers were chosen by students

for making a significant impact in their life. The teachers were recognized at the banquet. Pictured are, I-r, Jill Druesedow, Kendra Bevel, Tara Myers, Meredith Harvey, Paige Wheatley, Maegan Baugh, Lacey Peiser, Earlene Griffith and John



STUDENTS AND FOUNDATION MEMBERS-2008 Legacy students are pictured STUDENTS SERVE MEAL-Rochester Junior High School students served guests with members of the Haskell CISD Educational Foundation. Front row, I-r, is their meal during the 2008 Legacy Banquet. Meredith Harvey, Maegan Baugh, Susan Turner and Ken Lane; back row, Paige Wheatley, Tara Myers, Lacey Peiser, John Sam Rike and Wallace Cox





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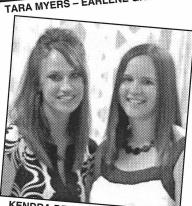
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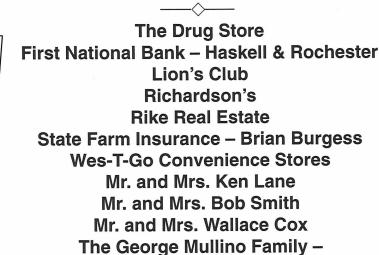




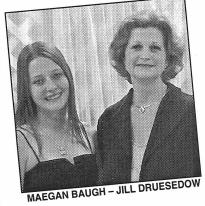




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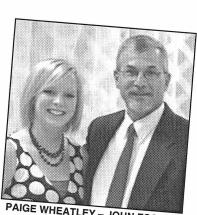


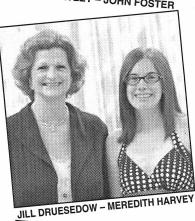




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SUSAN TURNER - Evening's Emcee

Welcome



### INDIAN BASKETBALL CAMP June 10-13 • Haskell High School Gym

1st-3rd Graders: 8 a.m. to 9:25 a.m. (Boys & Girls) \$35.00 Two or more campers from the same family Cost is \$30 4th-9th Graders: 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (Boys & Girls) \$50.00 \*Two or more campers from the same family Cost is \$35 each. Cost (Includes T-Shirt and Basketball)

Register on Opening Day, Tuesday, June 10 Call Coach Toby Villa 940-864-2539 or 325-725-0853 or Coach David Middleton 940-864-3776 or 325-518-1193

### **ECC Menu**

Mon., June 9

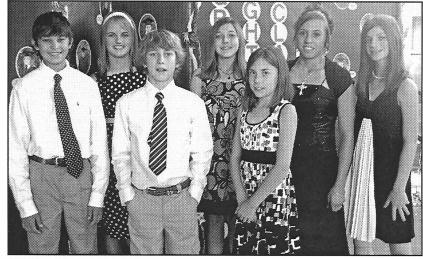
Lunch-Chicken spaghetti, English peas, corn casserole, sliced onions, garlic toast, peach cobbler, milk, tea, or coffee

Wed., June 11 Lunch-Ham slice, sweet potatoes, mixed veggies, cranberries, yeast rolls,

strawberry shortcake, milk, tea, or Fri., June 13

Lunch-Chili wieners, macaroni salad, pinto beans, onions, pickles, cornbread, lemon cake, milk, tea, or coffee

Announcements begin at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch.



HELPING WITH GRADUATION-These students served during the Rochester Junior High eighth grade graduation activities held Thurs., May 29. Servers were, I-r, Cannon Edwards, Maci Colley, David Newton, Madison Mayfield, Ashley Adams, Sidney Cassidy and Morgan

### Old Glory store holds grand opening

new restaurant and convenience store in Old Glory, celebrated its grand opening on Memorial Day.

Approximately 120 people came to witness the raising of four American flags by Boy Scout troops from Haskell and Hamlin.

After the flag raising, Naval Captain Eustaquio Castro, who grew up in Old Glory and

Old Glory Stars & Stripes, a attended Old Glory High School, he participated in Operation gave a speech on the Enduring Freedom in which

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### ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

---HASKELL-East Side Baptist Church Dr. Jim Heflin, interim pastor Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.; Wed. 7 p.m. 600 N. 1st East, Haskell Christian Church Richard Barr, minister Sun. 9:45 a.m., 10:45 a.m.; Thurs. 7 p.m. 107 N. Ave. F, Haskell Church of God Bruce Ray, pastor Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m., Wed. 7:00 p.m.

714 North First East, Haskell Trinity Lutheran Church Ron Rennegarbe, pastor Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 Hwy 380 East, Haskell Iglesia Bautista El Calvario

Art Flores, Interim pastor Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a.m., 5 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 607 S. 7th, Haskell First United Methodist Church

Rev. Tom Long, pastor Sun. 9:45 a.m., 10:50 a.m. 6 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m. \_\_\_\_\_201 N. Ave. F, Haskell First Assembly of God

Rev. J.C. Amburn Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 1500 N. Ave. E, Haskell St. George Catholic Church Father George Roney Sat. Mass 7 p.m.; Sun. Morn. 9:00 a.m. 901 N. 16th, Haskell

Church of Christ Philip Sims, minister Sun. 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 510 N. Ave. E, Haske First Presbyterian Church

Kelly Pigott, interim pastor Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m. 306 N. Ave. E. Haske Trinity Baptist Church Larry White, pastor Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p.

Hopewell Baptist Church Rev. Tom Collins, pastor Sun. 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 908 N. Ave. A, Haskell Greater Independent Baptist Church

Sun. 9:30 a., 11:00 a., 6:30 p.; Wed. 7 p. 301 N. 3rd St., Haskell New Covenant Foursquare Bill and Renee Glass, pastors Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 7 p. 200 S. Ave. F, Haskell Mission Revival Center Rev. William Hodge Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Tues. 6 p.m.

1600 N. Ave. B, Haskell First Baptist Church Greg Gasaway, pastor

Sun. 9:45 a., 10:55 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p.m. 301 N. Ave. E, Haskell Church in the Wind C.C. Curran, pastor Sun. fellowship 5 p.m. Church 5:30 p.m.

Tues. Bible Class 7:30 p.m. 203 S. 1st East, Haskell Cornerstone Fellowship Baptist Church Morris R. Johnson, pastor Sun. 9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m. 1600 N. First St., Haskell

-WEINERT-First Baptist Church

Dan Bullock, pastor Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., Wed. 7 p.m. Weinert Weinert Foursquare Church

Rev. Robert Harrison Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m. -ROCHESTER-

Church of Christ Steve Wilis, minister Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m.

West on Main Street, Rocheste First Baptist Church Sun. 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6:00 p.m. 500 Main, Rochester Union Chapel Baptist Church

Clovis Dever Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Rochester

Faith Chapel of Rochester Randy Hollingsworth, minister Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., Wed. 6 p.m. Hwy 6, Rochester

-SAGERTON-Sagerton Methodist Church

Stephania Gilkey, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m. Sagerton Faith Lutheran Church

Curtis Baker, pastor Sun. 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. Sagerton

-RULE-First Baptist Church Russell Stanley, pastor Sun. 9:45 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m 1001 Union Ave., Rule Primitive Baptist Church Dale Turner Jr., pastor

First & Third Sundays 10 a.m. Corner of 8th & Robins, Rule Church of Christ John Greeson, minister Sun. 9:45 a., 10:40 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 811 Union, Rule

First United Methodist Church

Tom Long, pastor Sun. Morn. Worship 8:30 a.m. 1000 Union Ave., Rule Primera Iglesia Bautista Alfa y Omegs Manuel Marin, pastor

Sun. 10 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m. 500 Elm Street, Rule Sweet Home Baptist Church Larry Neal, pastor Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 5 p.m.;

Gladstone Ave., Rule West Bethal Baptist Church Rev. Clovis Dever Sun. 10 a.., 11 a., 8 p.m.; Wed. 7:30 p.m. 300 Sunny Ave., Rule

Paint Creek Baptist Church

Sun. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.

--O'BRIEN--O'Brien Baptist Church Jim Reid, pastor

Sun. 9:45 a.., 11 a., 5 p., 6 p, Wed. 6 p.m. O'Brien

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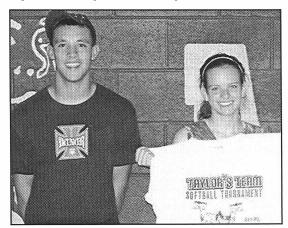
### Haskell Summer Lunch Menu

June 9-13

Milk is served daily. Monday: Popcorn chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, fried okra, hot rolls, strawberries Tuesday: Beef enchiladas, pinto beans, garden salad, tortilla chips, salsa, cantaloupe

Wednesday: Hamburgers, chips, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, vanilla ice cream with toppings Thursday: Chicken spaghetti,

green beans, salad, breadsticks, fresh frozen peaches Friday: Pizza, cheese sticks, salad, peach cobbler



RAISES MONEY-High School Senior Stephen Guevara, left, organized a slow pitch softball tournament held May 16-17 to benefit Taylor's Team. Six teams entered. Frankie's Team won first place and Timmy's Team placed second. The winning team received a Taylor's Team tshirt. The event raised \$500 for Autism Speaks.



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Heat illnesses are preventable with proper precautions. Here are a few ways to protect yourself from heat illnesses:

 Remain in an air-conditioned environment during hot weather or go to an air-conditioned area if feeling overheated. If air conditioning is not available, using fans can help cool the

Wear lightweight, loose-fitting and light-colored clothing. This allows heat to escape the body and the light color does not

3. Drink plenty of water and other hydrating liquids throughout the day to help maintain the body's fluid balance. 4. Avoid activity during the middle of the day when the sun is at its highest point.

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# Legacy Banquet honors Haskell CISD top students and educators

The second annual Legacy Banquet, in memory of Roberta High, was hosted by the Haskell CISD Educational Foundation on May 17. The banquet honored the top ten percent of the 2008 Haskell High School graduating class.

Students honored on this special evening were Lacey Peiser, Meredith Harvey, Paige Wheatley, Maegan Baugh and Tara Myers. Each of these outstanding students received a voucher for a laptop computer and a monogrammed laptop case to use in furthering their education.

In addition to being honorees, the Legacy students were asked to select a faculty member who had been a significant influence in her education. Chosen were Kendra Bevel by Peiser, Jill Druesedow by Harvey and Baugh, John Foster by Wheatley and Earlene Griffith by Myers.

Rochester Junior High students served the guests the evening's meal. These students were Lynna Billington, Garrett Brueggeman, Dylan Cooke, Sara Duncan, Trey Gardner, Valerie Gonzalez, Adrian Hernandez, Clint Howard, Kymbre Kupatt, Brady Leach, Krista McLemore, A.J. Rodriguez, Mackenzie Thomas, Stewart Urich and Sasha Walker.



LEGACY STUDENTS—Five students in the top ten percent of the 2008 Haskell High School graduating class were honored in memory of Roberta High during the Legacy Banquet hosted by the Haskell CISD Educational Foundation Sat., May 17. Students honored were, I-r, Meredith Harvey, Tara Myers, Paige Wheatley, Maegan Baugh and Lacey Peiser.

Area individuals, businesses and organizations contributed to fund the meal, the purchase of the computers and other awards given at the banquet.

Susan Turner, an educational foundation member states, "The Haskell CISD Educational Foundation is honored to be a part of the celebration of educational achievement in Haskell

CISD. The Legacy Banquet not only applauds our highest ranking graduates, it allows them to share their moment at center stage and express their gratitude to well-deserved educators who have left lasting imprints on their lives and on their futures. We would like to thank everyone who had a part in bringing the banquet together. Special thanks to all

students and teachers for giving us a cause to celebrate. We have homes, jobs and businesses in our communities, but you hold a special place in our hearts."

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# Rule ISD 8th grade graduates named

Rule School held 8th grade graduation Thurs., May 22.

Graduates were Elizabeth Benavides, Elizabeth Camacho, Evelyn Campos, Shasta Dockins, Jacob Perez, Chanler Robertson, Dennise Salas, James Shelton and Patrick Starr.

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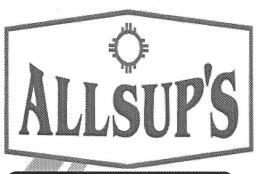
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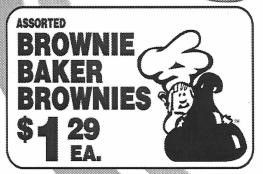




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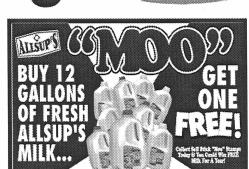




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