



# OPINION

## Around Muleshoe...



Announcements from non-profit organizations in the Muleshoe area.

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### Pancake Breakfast

The Oneita Wagnon Senior Center is holding its quarterly all-you-can-eat pancake breakfast on Saturday, March 1, from 7-11 a.m.

There will be a donation box available for your response. The suggested minimum donation is \$5 per person.

### ESL Classes

"English as a second language" classes are being held at the Muleshoe Area Public Library, 322 W. Second St., every Thursday, a 1 p.m. Call 806-272-4707 or 806-544-7441 for additional information.

### Spring Break Program

The Muleshoe Area Public Library will be hosting a special program during spring break, March 10-12, focusing on "bullying."

Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult.

The program for two-year-olds through kindergarten students will be from 10 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

The time for elementary grades is 11 a.m. until noon, and for junior high and high school from 2-4 p.m.

The books that will be read include: *Teeth Are Not for Biting*, by Elizabeth Verdick, and *No Biting*, by Karen Katz; *No Hitting*, by Karen Katz, and *Hands are Not for Hitting*, by Martine Agassi; and *Feet Are Not for Kicking*, by Elizabeth Verdick, and *No Fighting, No Biting*, by Else Holmeland Minark.

Call 806-272-4707 or 806-544-7441 for additional information.

### Feed Grains Conference

A Feed Grains Conference will be held on Friday, Feb. 28, hosted by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service office in Bailey County.

Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. with the program following from 9 a.m. until noon at the AgriLife Extension office in Bailey County, 118 W. Ave. C in Muleshoe.

Three Texas Department of Agriculture continuing education credits - two general and one integrated pest management - will be available.

A \$10 registration fee will be payable at the door. For more information contact the AgriLife Extension office in Bailey County at 806-272-4583.

# 'Blessing' And 'Luck' Are Not the Same Things



**Focus On Faith**  
Curtis Shelburne

Fortune cookies. Like most folks, I'm quite willing to pop one open and chow down on it at the end of a Chinese sort of meal.

Like most folks, I look at the little piece of paper inside.

Like most folks, except for the kind of people who actually pay "palm readers" and "psychics" as an alternative to stuffing their money down a toilet and taking a chance with plumbing bills, I usually pay no attention at all to the poorly worded little messages inside.

But... I still remember one I pulled out years ago that would quickly catch anybody's attention, kick-start some introspection, start a belly laugh, or make a person pack and leave town: "That which you thought was secret is

known by all." Whoever wrote that one was in a weird mood.

Just the other day, I cracked open a fortune cookie and read this: "You will have good luck and overcome many hardships."

Hmm. Just how many hardships can a really lucky person bump into, overcome, and still be considered a very lucky person?

Being a pastor, I tend to mull over the theological implications of everything from a "good morning" to, yes, even fortune cookie "wisdom."

"You will have good luck..." Well, okay. I like "good" much better

than "bad." But a friend and mentor, Eddy Ketchersid, taught me something years ago.

A ministry intern, I did some simple task at the church and spouted, "Well, I had good luck with that!"

Eddy smiled, "It might have been a blessing and not luck."

Christians should use the word "luck" sparingly, if at all; most of what the world chalks up to "luck" are blessings from the hand of God, better filed under "God's love" than "good luck."

But the cookie's words went on: You lucky person, you! You'll "overcome many hardships."

I don't like hardships. It just takes a windy, brown, dusty day to make me surly, and on days when I'm dealing with, or my family is facing, a certifiable "hardship," I'm very disappointing.

Like almost all of our society and most fat, lazy, and selfish western Christianity (which holds an utterly inadequate view of suffering), I tend to equate the most blessed life with the life that

endures the least pain.

I know not to trust most of them, but I'm tempted to buy the message of television preachers who pawn off a "magical" view of Christianity as "self-help" where you dump all the right ingredients, "principles," into the pot, and a life of health and wealth and blessing pops out.

Oh, we like our witch doctors. We want lives of unbroken blessing. Heaven here.

Never mind that such an approach forgets about Christ's cross, focuses on us and not God, and is at heart cruel, implying that if you suffer, you just didn't cook the recipe right.

But change a few of the cookie's words, and suddenly it speaks profound truth to God's people: "You will have great blessing and overcome many hardships."

Yes, both. Not because of luck. Because of your Father.

The Apostle Paul said it like this: In "all these things [hardships] we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us" (Romans 8:37).

## Local Elections...

Continued from A1 filed for re-election are:

Landon Nichols, who has filed for a place on the MAHD, Dist. 3.

In regards to the election for the Muleshoe Independent School District, Curtis Preston, incumbent for Dist. 2, Daniel Guzman, incumbent for Dist. 3, and Carroll Precure, incumbent for Dist. 5, have filed for re-election.

In regards to the elections being held by the City of Muleshoe, Councilperson Gary Parker, the incumbent for Dist. 4, has refiled.

Other positions up for election, for which applications have not been filed, as of Monday, include MAHD Dist.

5, currently held by Zona Gatewood, and Muleshoe City Council Dist. 3, currently held by Eric McElroy.

The deadline to file an application for a place on the ballot is 5 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 28.

## Texas Milk Numbers Show Increase

Texas milk production totaled 845 million pounds during January 2014, up 3.3 percent from last year's production of 818 million pounds.

December 2013 production totaled 801 million pounds.

The number of milk cows during January averaged 440,000 head,

up 5,000 from last year but unchanged from the December 2013 number.

Production per cow averaged 1,920 pounds during January, 40 pounds higher than last year and 100 pounds higher than December 2013.

Milk production in the 23 states participating in the monthly survey totaled 16.1 billion pounds during January 2014, up 1.0 percent from production in these same states during January 2013.

December revised production, at 15.7 billion pounds, was down 0.3 percent from December 2012.

Production per cow during January averaged 1,891 pounds, 17 pounds above a year ago.

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# Five Area... Continued From A1

reportedly noted that with changes in the technology requirements of the school district it wouldn't be in the too distant future before school districts across the Lone Star State needed to have 100 Megabyte service capability.

According to Vandevender, his reply to sheets was, "Do you want it today or tomorrow?"

Vandevender said he was proud of Five Area and its subsidiaries, its capabilities and its employees, many of whom have decades of experience.



Sandy Vandevender

Regarding changes within the cooperatives employee positions, the general manager announced that Mark Washington is now the assistant general manager, that Jackie Etheridge has been

promoted to plant manager, and that Veronica Gomez was now the new wireless supervisor.

"Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your CEO," he also said.

Among the business conducted at this year's annual meeting — the cooperative's 57th — was approval of four changes to the by-laws, which was reportedly recommended at last year's meeting.

Former Muleshoe ISD student, and the cooperative's attorney, Don Richards of Lubbock conducted the vote on the by-

laws and described the recommended changes as eliminating the current arbitrary term limits; changing the number of nominations received from the cooperative's nomination committee to "at least one," but not limiting the actual number received; discarding the requirement for nominations from the floor to be accepted — due to the delay of qualifying the last minute nominations.

An additional by-law change granted the cooperative the right of first refusal for capital credits in

bankruptcy cases involving members of the cooperative.

According to Richards, anyone seeking a position on Five Area's board needs only make the fact known — a primary part of the nomination problem has been finding individuals who were willing to serve, and noted that individuals who wished to be considered by petition only needs to collect 15 signatures.

However, there was a small group present at Saturday's meeting who opposed the by-law changes.

"I'm really not in favor of the recommendations on term limits," member Jerry Don Glover said, adding that the membership shouldn't toss aside its option of nominating from the floor.

"For 50 years we've had these in place, and look how well they've done," he said about the existing by-laws.

"It's getting harder to find people who will serve," a member of the cooperative's

nominating committee countered.

In the eventual vote on the issue, the vast majority of the quorum present voted to make the recommended changes.

As in previous years, the financial report for Five Area Telephone Cooperative was given by a member of its accounting firm — Bolinger, Segars, Gilbert & Moss.

According to Matt Snowden, CPA with BSG&M,, the cooperative had a "really clean audit this year... with very few journal entries."

The financial report listed the cooperative's total assets at \$21,328,614, with its unaudited total liabilities and membership equity at the same amount.

The report also noted the cooperative paid property taxes totaling \$52,440 in 2013.

Regarding the annual board membership elections, incumbents Jake Timmons, Dist. 5, Jimmie Newman, Dist. 6, and Glen Lyon, Dist. 7, won reelection.

# Commissioners Court... Continued From A1

(such as damage that could have been eligible for FEMA assistance) we're out of the government money."

As in previous years, the court agreed that "below ground" incinerators, along with the specially designed and equipped burn pit at L&L Pallets of Progress, would be exempt from the burn ban.

No "open pit" burning would be allowed.

However, the members of the court noted that even the locations with allowable exemptions would not

be allowed unless the material placed within them were below ground level.

The judge said she has already been receiving calls from county residents asking about a burn ban.

"I think they're already taking precautions," she said.

In his discussion regarding prisoner boarding, the sheriff noted that 57 out-of-county prisoners were being boarded, along with 25 county prisoners.

According to Wills,

only one jailer position remains open at this time, which has allowed the law enforcement center to hold a larger number of out-of-county prisoners.

In other business, the court:

- Approved an amendment to the prisoner boarding agreement with Bernalillo County, N.M., at the sheriff's recommendation.

Wills explained that even though Texas, and the Bailey County Law Enforcement Center, didn't fall under the

federal Prison Rape Elimination Act of 2003, it was something that concerned the officials in Bernalillo County, and that adding the policy would head off potential future problems.

"We just want to be ready," Harrison said.

- Approved an interlocal agreement with Parmer County regarding the use of the district attorney's case management system by the Bailey County Attorney.

- Approved payment of county bills totaling \$144,343.54.



Pictured above, from left to right, are Doyle Weir, Kasey Whatley, Craig Smyer, Scott Miller, Doug Cavin of Monsanto, Mary Jo and Daniel Schacher — winning farmers, Cade Hooten, Wade Unruh and son Coby Summers, and Guy Nickels and son Jesse Koehn.

# Farmer Supports Area Fire Department Through AFGC

On Tuesday, Feb. 18, the Lazbuddie Volunteer Fire Department was presented with a check for \$2,500 from America's Farmers Grow Communities on behalf of local farmer Mary Jo Schacher.

Funded by AFGC, the donation will be used to restore and improve a used rescue truck recently purchased by the department.

Thanks to the support

of farmers across the country, more than \$3.2 million is being directed to nonprofits in 1,289 counties in 39 states.

"We appreciate all that they do for the community," said Schacher. The fire department assists nearly 2,500 citizens annually.

AFGC works directly with farmers to support nonprofit organizations

like the Lazbuddie Volunteer Fire Department, who are doing important work in their communities.

The program offers farmers the chance to win \$2,500, which is then donated to the farmer's nonprofit of choice.

The search for funding to sustain and enhance programs is a year-round job for

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# Senior Citizen News

In John 21:12, Jesus said to the disciples, "Come and eat breakfast." The Oneita Wagnon Senior Center offers the same invitation to you, "Come and eat breakfast."

welcome. Come and eat your fill with good fellowship. Remember that Tuesday, March 4, will be a Bunko morning starting about 10:30 a.m. With the warmer weather, the attendance has been picking up, so come early and get your chair at the table.

vegetables, lazy cake, and a whole wheat roll. Tuesday, March 4 — Salmon patties, baby lima beans, coleslaw, and tropical fruit. Wednesday, March 5 — Grilled steak, mashed sweet potatoes, green beans, tossed vegetable salad, low calorie French dressing, cornbread, and tropical fruit salad.

The center is holding its quarterly "all you can eat" pancake breakfast on Saturday, March 1, from 7-11 a.m. There will be a donation box for your response, with a suggested minimum of \$5 per person. Bring your family and friends, all are

Of course, each Thursday afternoon, the Bingo games are in full swing at the center. **March 3-7 menus:** Monday, March 3 — Sweet and sour chicken, long grain rice, sugar snap peas, stir fried

Friday, March 7 — Fish or chicken strips, borracho beans, green peas, tossed vegetable salad, low calorie French dressing, whole wheat rolls, and tropical fruit mix.

# Lazbuddie Fire Department Donation...

Continued from A3 nonprofit organizations across the country. Through AFGC, farmers have been able to support a variety of groups, such as schools, fire departments, community centers and

youth organizations like 4-H and FFA. America's Farmers Grow Communities launched in 2010, and has since donated over \$13 million to more than 5,200 nonprofit organizations across

the country. AFGC, sponsored by the Monsanto Fund, is part of the America's Farmers initiative, which highlights and celebrates the important contributions of farmers like Schacher.

# Texas Cattle Numbers Continue To Fall

Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in Texas feedlots with capacity of 1,000 head or more totaled 2.44 million head on Feb. 1, down seven percent from a year ago. According to the monthly report released by the Texas Field Office, the estimate was unchanged from the Jan. 1 level. Producers placed 405,000 head in commercial feedlots during January, up five

percent from a year ago and up nine percent from December. Texas commercial feeders marketed 385,000 head during January, down 16 percent from 2013 and down eight percent from December. On Feb. 1, there were 2.12 million head of cattle and calves on feed in the Northern High Plains, 87 percent of the state's total. The number on feed across the area was down seven percent

from last year and up one percent from the Jan. 1 total. January placements in the Northern High Plains totaled 360,000 head, up 14 percent from the December total. Marketings were down 11 percent from last month at 328,000 head. Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in the United States in feedlots with a capacity of 1,000 head or more totaled

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# Obituaries

## Natalie Lemons

Family and friends of Natalie Lemons, 92, gathered to celebrate her life on Saturday, Feb. 22, at Lake Ridge Chapel and Memorial Designers of Lubbock.

Natalie passed away on Wednesday, Feb. 19, 2014. She was born on Oct. 19, 1921, to Walter and Cornelia Holloman Lytle in Lubbock. She graduated from Morton High School in 1941.

During the summer, she married Joe Thurl Lemons and they resided on a farm in Bailey County. She moved to Roswell in 1976, where she was employed at St. Mary's Hospital until she retired in 1999.

Natalie moved back to Lubbock, where she enjoyed playing golf. She tried to live long enough to shoot age. Natalie loved her Lord, family and friends. She will be thought of and missed every day.

Survivors include her children — Sandra Thompson and husband R. E., Kay Kindle and husband Robert, and Joe Lemons and wife Linda; grandchildren — Michael Thompson, Mark Thompson and wife Lorri, Matt Thompson and wife

Meagan, Jay Lemons and wife Mandy, Doug Lemons and wife Karen, Robin Whitehead and husband Mike, Stacy Kirkendall and husband Richard, and Kristi Hamilton; great-grandchildren — Luke Thompson, Josh Whitehead, Jake Lemons, Cody Lemons, Andrew Lemons, Joe Lemons, Caige Hamilton, Kadin Kirkendall, Riley Thompson, Emily Goodwin-Thompson, Oliva Goodwin-Thompson, Whitney Whitehead, Courtney Whitehead, Grace Lemons, Maddie Kate Lemons, Mikaela Lemons, Kendall Hamilton and Kelsey Hamilton; a great-great granddaughter — Milaya Lemons; and a sister — Dorothy Raglin.

She was preceded in death by her parents; and her husband — Joe Thurl Lemons, who died on March 8, 1979.

A tribute of Natalie's life may be found at www.memorialdesigners.net, where you may view a live broadcast of his service, as well as leave memories and expressions of sympathy for his family.

## Rheata Peeler

Rheata Peeler White, 78, of Friona went to be with her Lord on Feb. 19, 2014.

She was born on March 14, 1935, to Jeff and Jewel Peeler in Littlefield.

After graduating from Muleshoe High School in 1953, Rheata attended Buddy Benz's Floral Design in Houston.

She worked as a wedding director, florist and taught art.

Rheata received many awards, but was most proud of the "Who's Who Among America's Favorite Teachers" award.



Rheata was preceded in death by her parents; a brother — Buddy Peeler; and a nephew — Brian Peeler.

She is survived by a niece — Melonie of Clarendon; a godson — Mike Bland of Katy; and a goddaughter — Rhonda Eagle of Muleshoe.

# Death Notices

## Neal Radford

Edgewater Park, Okla., resident Neal Lesley Radford, 81, died on Feb. 19, 2014, in Lawton, Okla. He was born on Nov. 22, 1932, in Eakley, Okla., to Willie and Homa Radford. A memorial service was held on Friday, Feb. 21, at the First Baptist Church of Edgewater Park. Burial will be at a later date in Muleshoe.

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# MHS Choir Program Makes School History

The Muleshoe High School Choir program has made school history, not once, but twice in the past two months.

In January, Kari Mendoza competed in the final round of auditions for the Texas Music Educators Association All-State Choir and placed fourth chair in the All-State Treble Choir.

This is a very prestigious honor for any student.

Kari competed against students from schools of all sizes, 1A through 5A. A total of 97 percent of the All-State Choir members are comprised of students from 5A schools.

The remaining three percent of the students come from 1A-4A combined.

Students making Texas All State ensembles make up the top two percent of students of musicians across the state of Texas.

Auditions began with over 16,000 students enrolled.

Kari also made Muleshoe High School history by becoming the first female member from this program to make the Texas All-State Choir.

On Feb. 1, members of the Muleshoe High School Choir Program participated in the UIL Solo & Ensemble competition at Frenship High School.

These students set an Muleshoe High School record, qualifying 50 students for the State UIL Contest in Austin in solo and madrigal events.

Congratulations to the following students for their performances:

MHS Solo qualifiers — Bailey Bales, Shyanne Carpenter, Yesenia Huerta, Dalia Melendez, Kari Mendoza, Rosa Munoz, Blayne Shipman and Cristian Zaragoza.

MHS Madrigal qualifiers — Ruby Andrade, Alex Baca, Bailey Bales, Brylee Beall, Triston Boehning, Rosa Burciaga, Shyanne Carpenter, Paul Castillo, Ana Ceja, Lexi Cortez, Idali Cruz, Beto Diaz, Dagen Dunham, Chris Flores, Jason Florez, Katelyn Gable, JJ Gandara, Jaida Gandarilla, Hadlea Geissler, Jaki Huerta, Ashton Hunt, Jesse Leal, Kalie Lovell, Carlos Martinez, Jose Martinez, Dalia Melendez, Kari Mendoza, Rosa Munoz, Noah Nikkel, Kennedy Orozco, Reese Orozco, Kayla Preston, Denisse Ramirez, Mitzy Ramirez, Jackie Rayas, Arthur Recio, Keren Regalado, Ruby Regalado, DonAnn Rempe, CC Reyna, Angela Rodriguez, Aimee Rosas, Diana Salcido, Felicity Sena, Blayne Shipman, Dustin Stearmer, Tre

# Thank you for reading!

## Super news from MISD

By Superintendent Dr. Gene Sheets

Villa, William Wauson, Rachele Whitworth and Cristian Zaragoza.

Also 28, Watson Junior High Choir students participated and competed at our annual solo and ensemble competition on the morning of Feb. 1.

The scoring system is from 1-5, with 1 being outstanding.

We came home with 24 Division 1 ratings and 4 Division 2 ratings.

This is an amazing outcome. The participants included the following students:

Division 1 Ratings — Ibeht Benavides, Abigail Boehning, Nicole Campos, Natalie Diaz, Yvonne Diaz, Haili Gardner, Alexa Herrera, Haley Hunt, Megan Macias, Kyndal Miller, Kinsey Parker, Maddison Price, Kiarra Regalado, Kayla Torres, Citlalli Vargas, Lizeth Venzor, Ashton Atchley, Leonel Camarena, Giovanni Ceja, Kevin Chavez, Brenden Mehl, Izaiah Perez, Coleman Preston and Josh Torres.

Division 2 Ratings — Maria Herrera, Leslie Marquez, Nicolas



Kari Mendoza and Dr. Jeffrey Redding of West Virginia University, conductor for the 2014 Texas All-State Women's Choir

Zaragoza and Isaac Mendoza.

Our Muleshoe High School Choir students, Mighty "M" Band, Art Department, Speech Team, and One Act Play will be showcased at

our annual Fine Arts Night to Shine event on the evening of March 24.

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# Renters Warned That Landlord May Require A Guarantor

*Q. My son is 19 years old and has a full-time job. He negotiated a lease with an apartment complex and they are requiring that I sign as a guarantor.*

*Am I required to sign? Can they refuse to rent to him if I don't sign?*

A. I cannot tell from your question if your son had completed negotiations and signed a lease, or if he was still negotiating. As you will see, this matters.

Basically, any landlord has the right to establish the financial guidelines for tenants.

Even though your son is no longer a minor and has a job, the landlord may require a co-signer or guarantor if he believes that your son may not be able to fulfill his obligation to pay rent.

If he was told at the time he negotiated the lease that he would need a guarantor, that has become a term of their agreement and if you do not sign they do not have to rent him the apartment.

On the other hand, if your son had finished negotiating and signed a lease with the landlord without a guarantor, the landlord cannot come back and unilaterally change the terms to

## Ask A Lawyer...

By Richard Alderman

require your signature.

*Q. I signed a remodeling contract for \$875 and paid in full. After the work was completed, the seller said he made a mistake and it should have cost \$975. I do not think I should have to pay the additional \$100. What is the law?*

A. The law regarding a mistake can be very complicated.

In my opinion, however, in this case the seller should stand by his initial agreement. I am sure that if you told him you made a mistake and meant to pay \$100 less, he would not just give you back the money.

Generally, the law does not care if only one person to a bargain made a mistake.

The agreement stands. The only time that a "unilateral" mistake (a mistake by one side) usually matters is when the other party knew about the mistake or tried to take advantage of the other person.

For example, if he just added wrong and you knew at the time you signed the agreement that the total was \$100

too low, you would owe the additional money.

If at the time you signed the agreement, however, you believed that \$875 was a fair price and that was how much you wanted to pay, my opinion is that you should not have to bear the risk that the seller made a mistake.

*Q. Can my wages be garnished for child support imposed by another state?*

A. I am often asked

the question, and the simple answer is yes.

Although as a general rule wages may not be garnished in Texas, there is an exception for child support.

This includes child support obligations from another state.

Most states have agreements with Texas making it very easy to enforce an out-of-state support order.

*Q. We own two homes. Our vacation home is paid*

off. *My husband has a \$15,000 loan that he has not paid. Can we be forced to sell our second home to pay off the loan? Can I just give the home to my adult child?*

A. As you may know, your homestead (the house where you live) is protected from your creditors and cannot be taken even if you were sued.

A vacation home, on the other hand, is not protected. If you were sued and lost, the

creditor could force the sale of the property to pay the judgment.

Giving the property away to protect it from creditors generally is not a good idea. This type of a transfer would be considered a "fraudulent transfer" under Texas law.

This means the creditor could void the transfer between you and your child.

My advice is to contact the creditor and try to work out a payment plan.

## Texas Cattle, Calves...

Continued from A4  
10.8 million head on Feb. 1.

This inventory was down three percent from Feb. 1, 2013.

Placements in feedlots during January totaled 2.03 million head, nine percent above January 2013.

January placements of cattle and calves

weighing less than 600 pounds totaled 470,000 head; 600-699 pounds totaled 440,000 head; 700-799 pounds totaled 560,000 head; 800 pounds and greater totaled 559,000 head.

Marketings of fed cattle during January totaled 1.79 million head, five percent below 2013.

*Thank you!*

*The Life in Christ Academy Preschool expresses a sincere thank you to members of the local communities for making the fundraiser dinner on February 9<sup>th</sup> a huge success!*

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# The Sudan Buzzy

## McCurry To Represent Sudan At National Competition

**By Cheri Sain**  
*Sudan Correspondent*

Ambrosia Nelson, Jose Luis Melendez, Jacob Markham, Kendon Drennan, Alex Hernandez, and Deric McCurry competed in the National Forensics League Tall Cotton District contest.

The competition pits the best students from the district — which stretches from Abilene and San Angelo, to Midland and Odessa, and Lubbock and Amarillo — against each other.

Only 23 students are selected from the many students who enter to be sent on to the national

tournament.

This year the tournament is in Kansas City.

The NFL is the largest student competitive organization in the world.

The top 3,500 qualifying students will gather at the national convention in Kansas to compete for the top spots in each speaking category.

Deric McCurry had previously earned a qualifying spot in Congress, but he gave that up to compete at the national tournament in International Extemporaneous Speaking.

He earned this berth at the district tournament hosted by Lubbock High.

Students may only compete in one event at nationals and must chose if they qualify in more than one event.

In addition to qualifying, McCurry was awarded "Student of the Year" for the Tall Cotton NFL District.

This prestigious award also automatically submits his name with all of the rest of the other 100 district's winners for the National Student of the Year Award, which will be awarded at the national convention.



Deric McCurry and his family after he received his awards for being named a national qualifier and his Student of the Year honor. Pictured above, from left to right, are Sarah Tollett, Cari McCurry, Deric McCurry, Eddie McCurry, Billie McCurry and Dallas McCurry.

## Band Members Qualify For State Competition

**By Cheri Sain**  
*Sudan Correspondent*

Sudan Bold Gold Band members have qualified for the State Solo and Ensemble contest on May 24th after making "1's on their Class One music selections.

"I am proud to say that all of our students that competed today," band director Nick

Stephenson said. "We will have 13 students go to state contest."

The following students have qualified for state:

Brass Sextet — Kylee Coleman, trumpet; Shaylee Johnson, trumpet; Patti Azua, trumpet (alt); Deric McCurry, French horn; Jose Trejo, trombone; Beatriz Melendez, baritone; and Michael

Camarena, tuba.

Clarinet Trio — Adam Harper, clarinet; Alex Hernandez, clarinet; and Erin Larson, clarinet.

Saxophone Quartet — Adam Harper, alto sax; Joe Luis Melendez, alto sax; Celeste Montemayor, tenor sax, and Vanessa Aguilar, bari sax.

Many of these students were involved

in other activities this weekend, so scheduling to accommodate their activities is imperative to the success at Sudan.

"Thanks to all for encouraging, scheduling, mentoring, teaching and everything else (the teachers) do," Stephenson said.

"It was a great weekend for Sudan," he added.

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## SHS Nominated For National Honor

The Texas Education Agency has announced that Sudan High School is among the

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## Powerlifters To Compete At Mertzon

**By Cheri Sain**  
*Sudan Correspondent*

The Sudan Girls' Powerlifting Team has several girls who qualified for the regional meet in Mertzon.

Their competition is on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

Kenzie Conley, Megan Capers, MyKaela

Alvarez, Ariel Porras, and Araseli Cornejo have qualified for the regional meet after a successful powerlifting season.

Many of these girls have placed either first or second in their divisions at most of the meets.

In order to qualify for

regional competition, athletes compete against everyone in the region, and the top athletes after all the competitions have ended are selected to represent that weight class.

The coaches for powerlifting are Patrick Odom and Bridgette Wall.

All schools that have been nominated for the 2014 honor were selected as exemplary high performing schools as measured by state assessments or nationally normed tests.

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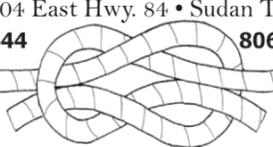
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For weddings, 25 column inches, which includes a photo if desired, is the limit. If the photo and announcement runs longer, we reserve the right to eliminate parts of the story.

However, if a longer write-up is desired, it may be placed in purchased space.

For anniversaries, the space will be free for anniversaries of 50 years or 75, specifically, and will be limited to a single photograph. A fee will be charged for other anniversaries.

Birth announcements with one-column photos are run free of charge with the names of the immediate family, including grandparents. Great-grandparents, etc., will not be included.

The permission of both parents is required for a birth announcement to

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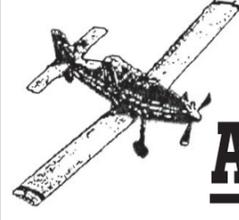
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Announcements of the national award winners will be made in September 2014.

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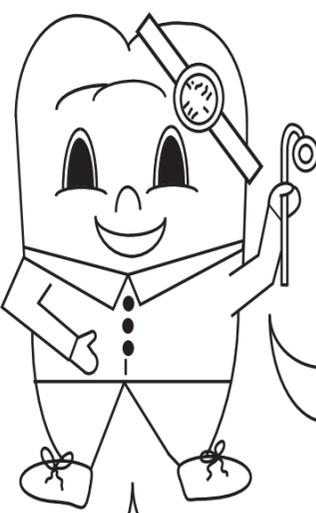
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**Remember to:**

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- floss daily
- go to your dentist for regular cleanings
- try not to eat too many sugary or sticky foods

By the way, those guys down there are the **plaque pests**, STICKY and DULL. They will be all over your teeth if you do not brush!

**Read the clues to fill in the crossword:**

1. to take pictures of the inside of your teeth to see if they are healthy
2. material dentist uses to replace decayed part of tooth
3. dentist with special training to straighten crooked teeth
4. when a tooth is eaten away by chemical action
5. thin thread used daily for cleaning between your teeth
6. person trained to clean teeth is a dental \_\_\_\_\_
7. four top and four bottom front teeth used for biting
8. number of first or "baby" teeth
9. thin, sticky layer of bacteria that forms on teeth
10. chemical in teeth and bones
11. hole in tooth from decay
12. hard substance left on teeth if plaque is not removed

Remember to brush your teeth at least **twice** a day to keep those plaque pests away!

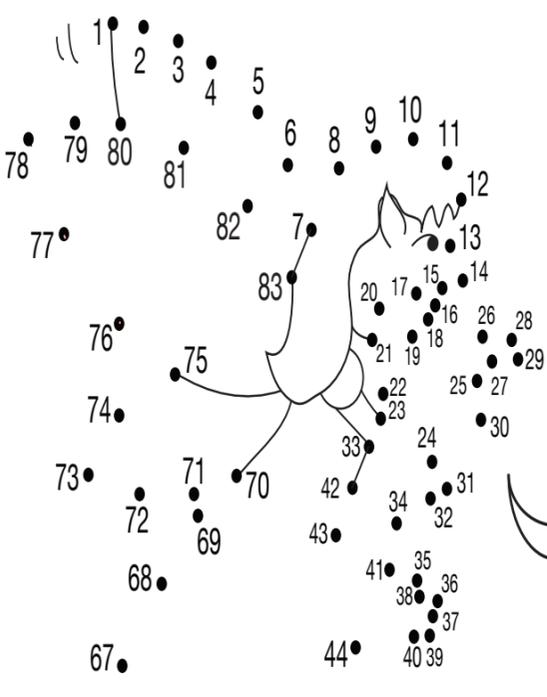
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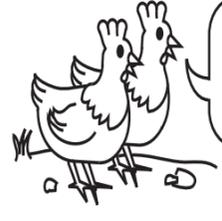
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2. long in the tooth
3. tooth and nail
4. sweet tooth
5. armed to the teeth

- A. have a weakness for candy and other sweets
- B. have many weapons
- C. just barely get by
- D. fight violently
- E. very old

1. sink your teeth into
2. lie through your teeth
3. like pulling teeth
4. set your teeth on edge
5. as scarce as hen's teeth

- A. very difficult
- B. made you annoyed or uncomfortable
- C. very hard to find
- D. start doing something with a lot of enthusiasm
- E. say something is true when you know it's false



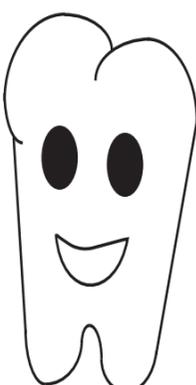
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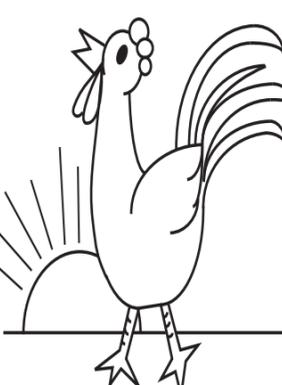
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Is that because we don't brush and floss?

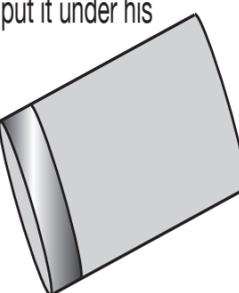
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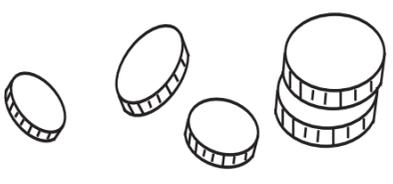
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He lost a  that had been loose.

In the  he woke up excited.

Once upon a time a little boy bit into an 

His brothers and sisters told him to put it under his  when he slept that night.

He looked under his pillow to find  Also, near his pillow was a new toothbrush. Do you know what kind of fairy in our story traded surprises for a lost "baby" tooth?

# SPORTS NEWS

## Varsity Basketball Mules... Continued From A1

"I was very proud of their effort tonight and all season.

"We have developed and gotten better with each game. Tonight was a little like our season in that we had our ups and downs but always worked hard," he added.

They kept their scoring run going into the second half with a 10-0 run to open the third quarter and cut Canadian's advantage to just four points.

The Cats began to score again and opened a 46-38 lead by the end of the third quarter.

The Mules made a final run at the Wildcats in the fourth period and were as close as four points but could get no closer.

Canadian held on for the win by making their free throws down the stretch. Canadian had out scored the Mules 62-53 by the end of the night.

"I have a lot of respect for Coach (Clay) White and what he has done with the Mules," said Canadian Wildcat coach, Johnny Hudson.

"They really made it

hard on us in the second half and I congratulate them," he added.

Dagen Dunham answered a Canadian hoop to tie the game at 2-2 with 6:26 left in the first period. He added a second basket and Wes Clarkson put back a long rebound.

Eli Leal dropped in a 3-pointer from the wing to give the Mules their only lead of the night 9-8.

Canadian added a pair of unanswered baskets before the quarter ended to lead the Mules 12-9 at the first quarter break.

The Mules did not seem to be able to buy a basket in the second quarter and Matt Barron finally made a free throw almost half way through the period.

He then made a hoop and added a second free throw before the half ended. Dunham grabbed an offensive rebound and banked the ball off the glass for a basket.

Nacho Elizalde drove the baseline, pulled up and used a head fake to get the Cats' big man off his feet.

Elizalde then went

up and shot over the out stretched hands of the big defender. Leal finished the quarter with a free throw and a hoop.

The Mules had cut the Canadian lead from 34-17 to 34-20 by the half.

Coach White must have pulled out the stops during his speech to the Mules at the intermission as the Mules appeared to have returned to the floor with a plan.

Elizalde cranked the Mule offense and started the scoring run with a basket 20 seconds into the second half.

He added a second hoop before the quarter ended.

Leal penetrated twice and scored a pair of lay ups. Ross broke through the Wildcats' back door and took a lob pass from Barron for a short jumper.

He made a second basket later in the quarter.

Danny Campos and Blayne Shipman both scored in the paint in the third quarter. Barron added a pair of charity tosses.

The Mules had out scored the Cats 18-12 to trail 46-38.

The Mules went to full-court pressure in the final frame and held Canadian scoreless for the first three minutes.

Ross scored the Mules opening hoop of the last quarter. Campos scored in the paint and Blaine Hurtado dropped in a 3-pointer.

Elizalde hit from the elbow and Leal chipped



Photograph by Gabby Perez

Varsity Mule Matt Barron shoots during the recent bi-district game against the Canadian Wildcats.

## Lady Mules Qualify For Regional Meet

By Delton Wilhite  
Sportswriter

The Lady Mule powerlifters traveled to Andrews this past week for the final qualifying meet of the season.

Three Lady Mules qualified for the regional meet that will be held Feb. 28 in Mertzon.

Krystin Gonzales, Aimee Rosas and Katelyn Gable will compete in the 105 pound class, 123 pound class and 132 pound class respectively.

The Mules final qualifying meet of the season was in Friona Saturday. David Rodriguez may be the only Mule to qualify for the regional meet in Sundown on March 8.

Rodriguez will compete in the 275 pound class.

"I have been proud of all the lifters this year," said Mule Powerlifting

coach Kirk Byrd.

"They have worked hard and to have four qualify to advance to the next meet is very good. They will continue to work hard to improve their strength and techniques," the coach said.

Gonzales won the bronze medal in the 105 pound class with a total weight of 450 pounds. She had a squat lift of 104 pounds and bench pressed 90 pounds.

Gonzales pulled 200 pounds from the floor in the dead lift.

Katelyn Gable placed fourth in the 132 pound class with a total weight of 565 pounds. She started with a squat lift of 230 pounds and bench pressed 105 pounds.

He final weight was 230 pounds in the dead lift.

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in a free throw.

Barron made a basket and then hit from outside the arc. The Mules had cut the deficit to four points with just over four minutes remaining in the period but could not over take the Wildcats.

Barron made all 11 of his points in the last three quarters while Leal scored his 11 points with at least one point in each period.

Elizalde added eight points to the effort and Dunham and Ross finished with six points

each. Campos made four points, Hurtado had three points and Clarkson and Shipman chipped in two points each.

The Mules have already begun working on Spring sports.

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# SPORTS NEWS

## Varsity Mules 'Bounce Back' To Defeat Crosbyton

By Delton Wilhite  
Sportswriter

The Mule baseball team was a few players short when the season got under way when the Crosbyton Chieftains came to town.

Chuy Manzanares took the mound for the Mules and gave up a

home run on the second pitch he threw.

But the Mules bounced back to defeat Crosbyton 9-2.

The second batter reached first base on an error and the third batter drew a walk.

A fly ball to right field was caught by Keagan

Gonzales for the first out of the inning and a second runner crossed home.

Manzanares struck out the next Chief after taking the count full. Manzanares walked a second batter before striking out the seventh batter he faced on three pitches.

The Mules trailed 2-0 after the first half inning of play.

Braden Bessire led off for the Mules and lofted a fly ball to deep left field.

The Chief misjudged the ball and Bessire reached second base.

Bessire stole third base on a pitch to Nathan Rejino.

Rejino took the count full and drew a walk. Following an out Dustin Smith blasted a double to right center field and scored both Bessire and Rejino.

Manzanares, Reese Orozco and Eddie Elizalde walked the bases full.

Eddie Elizalde laid a bunt down the first base line.

The pitcher charged the ball but over threw the first baseman.

The error allowed Smith and Manzanares to cross the plate.

A second Mule struck out before Bessire returned to the plate with the bases loaded.

Bessire singled to right field and scored both Lutz and Orozco. Bessire motored on to second on the throw



Photograph by Gabby Perez

A varsity Mule tags a Crosbyton Chief during the recent game.

## Precure Named To All-District Team

By Delton Wilhite  
Sportswriter

Adrienne Precure, a Lady Mule senior, was chosen by the District 2-AA girl coaches to the 2013-2014 All-District Team.

She led the Lady Mules in scoring with 268 points of which 42 were 3-pointers.

Precure gathered in 12 offensive rebounds and 49 defensive rebounds for a total of 61.

She dished off the ball 54 times to teammates for a better shots. Precure stole the ball 46 times in the Lady Mules 28 game schedule.

"Last year the Lady Mules were a young team that battled every team and gained a great deal of confidence and experience," said Lady Mule coach Jay Gorman.

"Next the unthinkable happens. Three returning starters move off to other towns," he added.

"What was shaping up to be a title contending season this year turned into us having another very young team, even younger than last year.

With all of our adversity this year, I was so proud of the way our kids played," said Gorman.

"We were in most games and got some wins. We battled hard and never quit. We played with class every step of the way. We had a chance to make the playoffs going into the

last game. Our three seniors really improved this year and showed great leadership, Gorman said.

"Our freshmen grew up right in front of our eyes. Our two juniors showed they are ready to step up next year and be the leaders of this team. The future is bright for Lady Mules Basketball! I truly believe they'll turn the corner next year," he added.

McKenna Dunham, also a Lady Mule senior, and Sadie Sudduth, a Lady Mule freshman, were named as Honorable Mentions to the All-District Team.

Dunham scored a total of 210 points during the season. She led the Lady Mules in rebounding by pulling down 57 offensive rebounds and 86 defensive rebounds for a total of 153 rebounds.

Dunham also had 12 assists and 26 steals during the season.

Sudduth scored 109 points in her first year on varsity with 39 being from behind the 3-point arc.

She led the Lady Mules in made free throw percentage by shooting 71 percent from the charity line.

Sudduth grabbed 12 offensive rebounds and 49 defensive rebounds for a total of 61. She made 38 assists, 26 steals and recorded two blocked shots.

## JV Mule Teams Host Denver City's Mustangs

By Delton Wilhite  
Sportswriter

Both the Black Mule JV baseball team and the White JV team were in action Saturday when they hosted the Denver City Mustangs.

A 90-minute time limit was imposed for each game.

The Black Mules squeaked by the Mustangs 8-7 in the three inning opener and the White Mules out scored the Mustangs

7-3.

The Mules gave up two runs in the top of the first inning but answered with two runs. Matt Flores walked on four pitches then stole second base.

He advanced to third without a throw and scored on a passed ball.

Triston Boehning drew a one-out walk and stole second base and went to third with

first base line that tied the hands of the first baseman.

Rejino scored and the Mules led 9-2 when the first inning ended.

The Mules gave up two more runs in the top of the fifth inning but the Mules held on for the win.

The Mules were scheduled to host the Morton Indians Tuesday afternoon but the Indians were too short of players to field a team.

The Mules will play in the Littlefield Wildcat Tournament Feb. 27 through March 1.

## Muleshoe Powerlifters...

Continued from B1

Aimee Rosas saved her best for her final meet with a total weight of 555 pounds for fifth place in the 123 pound class.

She started with a squat lift of 190 pounds and then bench pressed 100 pounds. Her final weight was 265 pounds in the dead lift.

Cristian Paez led the Mules in the 148 pound class with a silver medal weight of 865 pounds. He started with a squat lift of 315 pounds and bench pressed 180 pounds.

C Paez finished with a dead lift of 370 pounds.

Rodriguez had his best day at Friona in the 275 pound class with a total of 1285 pounds for the bronze medal. He had a squat lift of 500 pounds and bench pressed 305 pounds.

Rodriguez finished up with a dead lift of 480 pounds.

Evan Paez placed seventh in the 114 pound

class. He squat lifted 225 pounds and bench pressed 125 pounds.

E Paez finished his competition with a 270 pound dead lift for a total of 620 pounds.

Jorge Martinez was eleventh in the 181 pound class with a total of 875 pounds. He had a squat lift of 300 pounds and a bench press of 195 pounds.

J Martinez raised 380 pounds in the dead lift.

Nate Rosas placed twelfth in the 165 pound class with a squat lift of 335 pounds.

Rosas had a bench press of 170 pounds and a dead lift of 330 pounds for a total of 835 pounds.

Carlos Martinez had a great day going with a squat lift of 430 pounds and he bench pressed 230 pounds.

C Martinez needed a good dead lift equal to his squat lift for a silver medal but he failed to finish the lift and busted out for no weight.

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# JV Mules... Continued From B2

out a throw. He scored on an error to tie the game at 2-2 after one inning.

Denver City added a run in the top of the second before the Mules retired the side.

Blake Parker drew a one-out walk to start the second inning for the Mules. He went to second base on a passed ball and went to third with out a throw.

He scored on a passed ball to tie the game after two innings.

The Mules gave up four runs to the Mustangs in the third inning.

Beto Diaz lined a ground ball up the middle to start the bottom of the third inning.

Eddie Elizalde slapped a ground ball past third base for a single.

Diaz scored on a passed ball and Elizalde went to third.

Elizalde came home when the catcher missed the ball and Javy Perez walked on four pitches.

He went to second with no throw and stole third base. Perez scored when the ball got away from the catcher.

Dustin Stearmer walked and reached third with out a throw. Parker walked and Stearmer went home on a passed ball.

Parker worked his way around the bases for the Mules fifth run of the inning. Time was called.

The White Mules took the field for the second game and gave up three runs in the top of the first inning.

Jason Florez was hit by a pitch to start the bottom half of the inning.

Tre Villa blasted a home run over the left center field fence.

Triston Boehning took the count full before drawing a walk.

He worked his way around the bases and scored on a passed ball to tie the game.

James Lutz walked on four pitches and he too scored on a passed



Photograph by Gabby Perez

JV Mule Javy Perez tags out Crosbyton Chief at home plate.

ball to put the Mules on top 4-3 after one inning.

The Mules shut out the Mustangs in the next two innings.

Villa single to left field and then stole second base. Villa went to third when the ball got past the catcher and the scored on a passed ball to put the Mules in front to stay.

In the third inning Orozco singled to left field and stole second base. He scored on an error by the catcher that allowed Jessie Leal to reach first base.

Blake Parker walked on four pitches. Dylan Miller laid down a sacrifice bunt that scored Orozco before time was called with the Mules on top.

## Energy Assistance Available To Qualified Households

South Plains Community Action Association, Inc. has received additional funding from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs to operate its Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program during 2014.

The primary intent of this is to make funds available to enable SPCAA to respond to energy needs affecting low-income households. Priority will be given to eligible households and to households that include at least one member that is elderly, disabled or a child age five or younger.

Service delivery not only entails utility payments on behalf of the client, but also a system that addresses the underlying contributing causes of energy-induced hardship.

For additional information concerning this program, please contact Janie Pasadas, 804 W. American Blvd., 806-272-7537, Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. until noon, and 1-5 p.m.

## City Council Approves Law Enforcement Vehicle Grant Resolution

The Muleshoe City Council held a brief special meeting early Tuesday morning, Feb. 25, to approve a grant resolution for the local police department.

The \$49,876 grant if received, according to Police Chief Roy Rice, will be used to replace a vehicle in the police department's fleet.

Rice explained that the vehicle would be a 2015 Dodge 2500 four-wheel-drive pickup.

The pickup currently driven by Police Lt. Benny Parker is a "little light" for some of the things the police department need; hence the grant seeking the three-quarter ton pickup.



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- Oneita Wagnon Senior Center, PO Box 292, Muleshoe, TX 79347.
- Hope Chest, PO Box 175, Muleshoe, TX 79347
- Muleshoe Hospital Auxiliary, c/o Muleshoe Area Medical Center.
- Bailey County Food Pantry, PO Box 175, Muleshoe, TX 79347.
- Meals on Wheels, 300 First St., Muleshoe, TX 79347
- Muleshoe Volunteer Fire Department, c/o Muleshoe City Hall, 215 S. First, Muleshoe, TX 79347, or call 272-4528.
- Lazbuddie EMS and Volunteer Fire Department, PO Box 125, Lazbuddie, TX 79053.
- Park View Nursing Care Center, 1100 W. Ave. J, Muleshoe, TX 79347.
- Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery, Inc., 104 E. Ave. C, Muleshoe, TX 79347, or call 272-5727.
- Muleshoe Area Educational Foundation, PO Box 62, Muleshoe, TX 79347.
- Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture, 115 E. American Blvd., Muleshoe 79347.
- Bailey County Child Welfare Board, PO Box 243, Muleshoe TX 79346, or call 272-3204.
- Muleshoe Boy Scouts, 609 W. Seventh, Muleshoe, TX 79347, or call 806-946-9908.
- Muleshoe Girl Scouts, 346 State Highway 214, Muleshoe, Texas 79347.
- Bailey County Historical Commission, c/o Sammie Simpson, 812 FM 54, Sudan, TX 79371, or call 806-927-5191.

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