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## Football

### HASKELL

7th-8th-JV vs Albany  
Thurs., Nov. 3, 4 p.m.  
at Haskell

V Indians vs Albany  
Fri., Nov. 4, 7:30 p.m.  
at Albany

PAINT CREEK  
Pirates vs Knox City  
Fri., Nov. 4, 7:30 p.m.  
at Paint Creek

### RULE

Jr. High vs Lueders-Avoca  
Thurs., Nov. 3, 6 p.m.  
at Lueders-Avoca

Bobcats vs Lueders-Avoca  
Fri., Nov. 4, 7:30 p.m.  
at Rule

## Basketball

### HASKELL

VG vs Throckmorton  
Tues., Nov. 8, 6:30 p.m.  
at Throckmorton

PAINT CREEK  
VG-VB vs Moran  
Scrimmage  
Tues., Nov. 8, 5 p.m.  
at Moran

## Calendar

### Veterans' pictures

The Haskell Free Press is seeking pictures of veterans to be published in the Thurs., Nov. 10 edition. Please bring your original picture to the Free Press office or email hfpnews@lycos.com. Call 864-2686 for details.

### PC veterans

Paint Creek School is looking for veterans who are graduates of Paint Creek or live in the Paint Creek community. Please call the school at 940-864-2868 if you are one of these veterans or know of any.

### Veterans' lunch

A free lunch, to honor all Veterans, will be served Fri., Nov. 11, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Haskell Church of Christ Activity Building Gym. The church will host the lunch for all veterans of the community and their spouse or guest in honor of their service to our country.

### Eastern Star

The Rule Chapter #989, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet Thurs., Nov. 3, at 6:30p.m. for a pot luck supper to be followed with a stated meeting when Deputy Grand Matron, Sheryl Kolterman of Abilene will make an official visit.

### Poinsettias

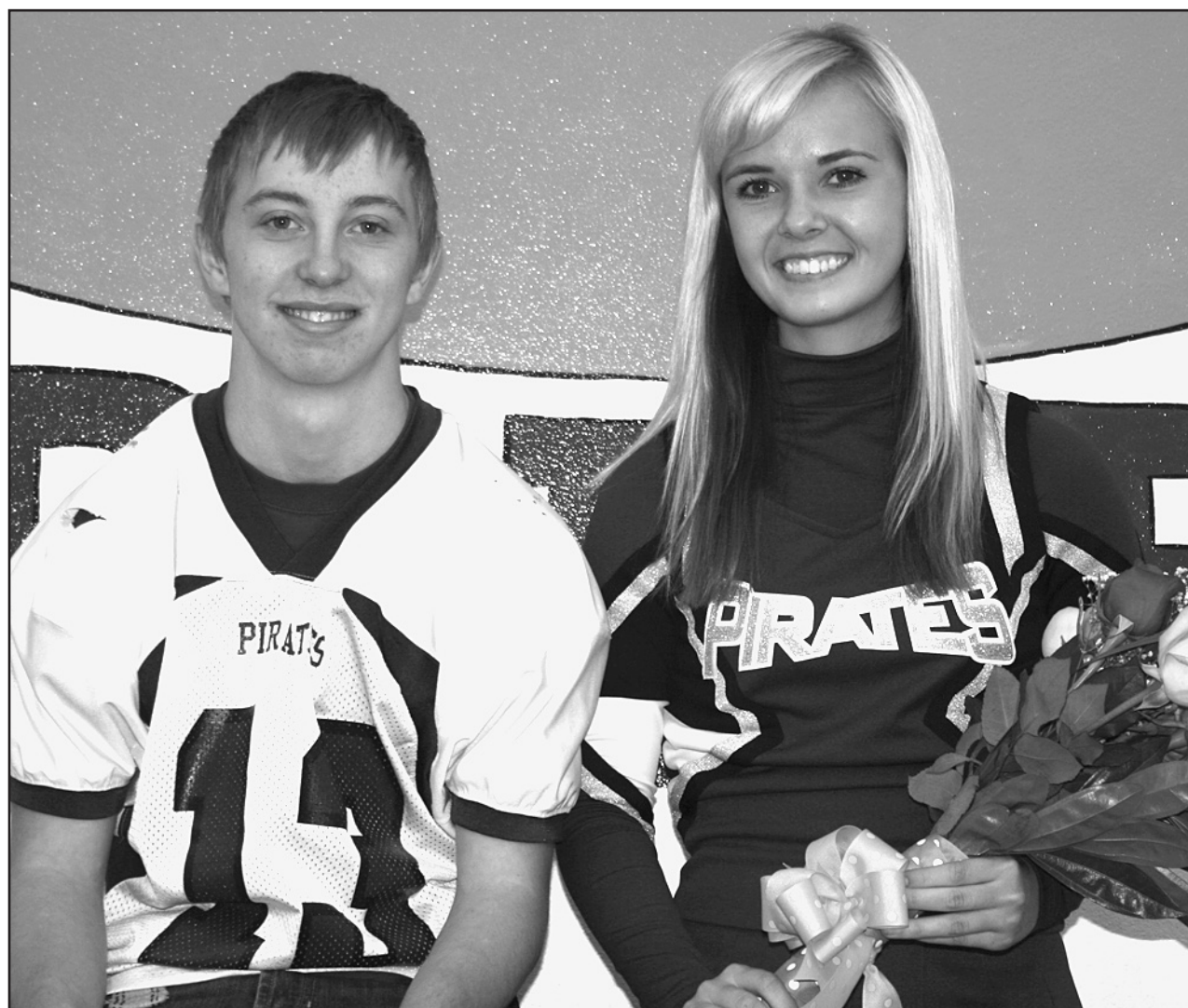
The Noah Project-North is taking orders for poinsettias to be delivered the first week in December. The poinsettias are only \$12.50 each again this year and \$25 dressed. Plants are from Dillon's Greenhouse. You may purchase them from any Advisory Committee member or by calling the Noah Project office at 940-864-2551. Orders will also be taken at the Young Homemaker's Craft Show Nov. 19 at the Haskell Civic Center.

### Study Club

The Progressive Study Club will meet Thurs., Nov. 10 at 7 p.m. at the Haskell County Library meeting room for a program on public issues, Americanism and Women's History, brought by Christopher Davis, director of Probation Services for the 39th Judicial District. Guests are welcome.

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PAINT CREEK PIRATE FOOTBALL BEAU AND SWEETHEART Dalton Barnett and Katrina Buerger

## Local business issues challenge to benefit Wall of Honor project

by Caron Yates

Can you walk away from a challenge? The Progressive Study Club certainly hopes not.

Dorothy Hartsfield, chairperson for the Wall of Honor Project, reports she recently received a call from a local business. The

company has committed to match contributions made to the Wall of Honor, up to \$5,000. However, these contributions must be

received by Thanksgiving Day, November 24.

What a boost in fund-raising efforts it would be, to add ten thousand dollars to the project this month. You may send donations to Dorothy Hartsfield at 405 N. Ave. H, Haskell, TX 79521. Checks should be made payable to the Progressive Study Club. The club is a tax deductible organization.

Veterans Day is Nov. 11, a perfect time to say thank you to those men and women who have served and continue to serve and protect our nation. Hartsfield says any contribution is appreciated and helps move the project one step closer to reality.

If you have been intending to make a donation, and just haven't gotten around to it, now is the time to act. This is a very generous offer for a very worthwhile project. Let's all step up to the challenge, and help Haskell County honor all those to have had a part in preserving our freedoms.

## Early voting ends Nov. 4

by Caron Yates

A special election has been scheduled for Tues., Nov. 8.

According to County Clerk Belia Abila, all that will appear on our local ballot are the ten proposed constitutional amendments.

The last day to register to vote was Oct. 11. Early voting will continue through Nov. 4. Early voting will take place at the courthouse during regular business hours.

Information and an explanation of each of the proposed amendments can be found on the website of Secretary of State Hope Andrade, at www.sos.state.tx.us or by calling 1-800-252-VOTE (8683).

Polling places for Haskell County are:

Box 1: Catholic Church, 901 N. 16th, Haskell;

Box 2: Assembly of God Church, 1500 N. Ave. E, Haskell;

Box 3: Extension building, S. Ave. D, Haskell;

Box 4: Experienced Citizens Center, S. First St., Haskell;

Box 5: Rule City Hall, 100 Union Ave., Rule;

Box 6: Fire Department, Main Street, Rochester;

Box 7: O'Brien City Hall, Grand Central Ave., O'Brien;

Box 8: Weinert School building, Hilmar St., Weinert;

Box 9: Paint Creek School Library, 4396 FM 600, Paint Creek

Box 10: Sagerton Community Center, Garfield Ave., Sagerton.

At first glance, we may be tempted to think that many of the proposed amendments will not have a direct effect on us individually, however it is still important that we as citizens take seriously our responsibility to be informed and then vote. After all, as Texans what does or does not become a part of our state constitution, can't help but affect us to some degree.

## Cubs prevail over Indians

In the final home game for the 2011 season, the Olney Cubs defeated the Haskell Indians 25 to 13.

While both teams played fairly even during the first half of play, the Cubs managed to cross the goal line on a 32-yard run at the 0:52 second mark at the end of the first quarter. Olney would carry this six point lead to the locker room at the end of the first half.

Haskell would take the opening drive of the second half some 66 yards in six plays to score on a four yard run by Indian quarterback Brett Shelton. The PAT kick by kicker Omar Mexicano would put the 'good guys' ahead 7 to 6.

Olney would counter this lead with a score of their own, but the two point conversion failed; still, the Cubs led 12 to 7.

The Indians, not to be outdone, used an eleven play drive of 72 yards to

regain the lead when Indian quarterback Shelton scored on a three yard run. The PAT kick failed, but at quarter's end, the Indians led 13 to 12.

In this seesaw half of play, it seemed like the last man standing would win the fight in this district 4-A game. With 10:01 in the final quarter of play, the Cubs regained the lead but again failed on the two point PAT conversion run. Olney 18-Haskell 13.

The Cubs would nail the door shut on a break away run of 55 yard run and would add the PAT kick to take the final lead 25 to 13. Haskell's last attempt died on a fourth and six pass attempt when the pass was incomplete.

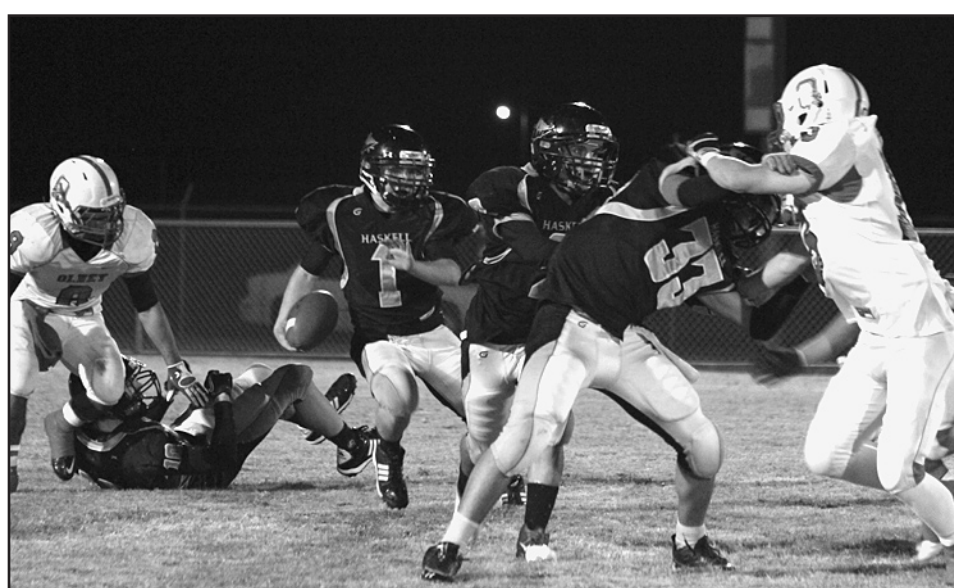
Haskell had 34 rushes for 162 yards and passed for 87 yards on ten completions for 15 attempts. Quarterback Shelton was six for 25 yards. Mathew Martinez had nine carries for 52 yards. Kiefer

McNelly got 58 yards on fifteen carries. Warren Flye had two carries for 13 yards and Isaiah Llewellyn got 14 yards on two carries.

The Indians will close out the 2011 season and district 4-A race Friday evening in Albany when they will take on state ranked and district leader, the Albany Lions. Kick off is set for 7:30 p.m.

The seventh and eighth Warriors will play out their 2011 season with a home game against the young Lions of Albany. Game time is 4 p.m. for the seventh and 5 p.m. for the eighth.

The Indian JV will play their last game at 6:30 p.m. All three games are at Indian Field.



MOVES THE BALL-Haskell Indian #1 Mathew Martinez advances the ball for the Indians against the Olney Cubs last Friday night behind blocking by Indians #33 Gabriel Torres and #2 Kiefer McNelly. The Indians face the Albany Lions in the final ball game of the season Friday night in Albany.

## Sagerton Hobby Club to present Bazaar Nov. 5

The Sagerton Hobby Club's 29th annual bazaar will be held Nov. 5 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Sagerton Community Center.

Proceeds from the bazaar will be used for the Sagerton Hobby Club scholarship fund and community projects.

The bazaar will offer arts, crafts, baked goods, candies, and Thanksgiving and Christmas items for sale.

Lunch will be available. Booths are available. For more information call 940-997-2103 or 940-989-2966. Admission is free.

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## City Council report

The Haskell City Council met in a regular session Mon., Oct. 24 with Mayor John Gannaway, Mayor Pro Tem Randy Bowers, Councilmen Stacy Bridges, Sue Medford, Dan Hoover and Jill Druessedow in attendance.

Stacy Bridges gave the invocation.

The resolution proclaiming Oct. 23-30 as Red Ribbon Drug-Free week was approved.

The bid received from the Haskell County Appraisal District for property #2949, Original Town of Haskell, Block 12, Lot 1, from Robert Tribbey in the amount of \$250 was accepted.

The bid received from the Haskell County Appraisal District for property #5221, Carney Addition (OL 129) Town of Haskell, Block B, Lot 9 and N. 25' of 10, from Nick Jimenez Sr. for \$200 was accepted.

Plans to renovate the shooting range are being made, but for now the range is closed to the public.

Wilda Medford was nominated to the Haskell County Appraisal District Board to fill a current vacancy.

The third quarter reports for the Haskell Chamber of Commerce were approved.

No executive session was needed.

In the Administrator's report, Brandon Anderson stated:

•The TMCN annual event was well attended by Haskell and was a great success for TMCN. More money was raised than expected and Haskell received the Community Achievement Award and two nice door prizes.

•The Council member training and Board member training was well attended and the information shared was useful. Thanks to all City of Haskell leaders for their time and dedication to the City. Anderson apologized for the canceled morning training session but the City Attorney was unable to attend the session.

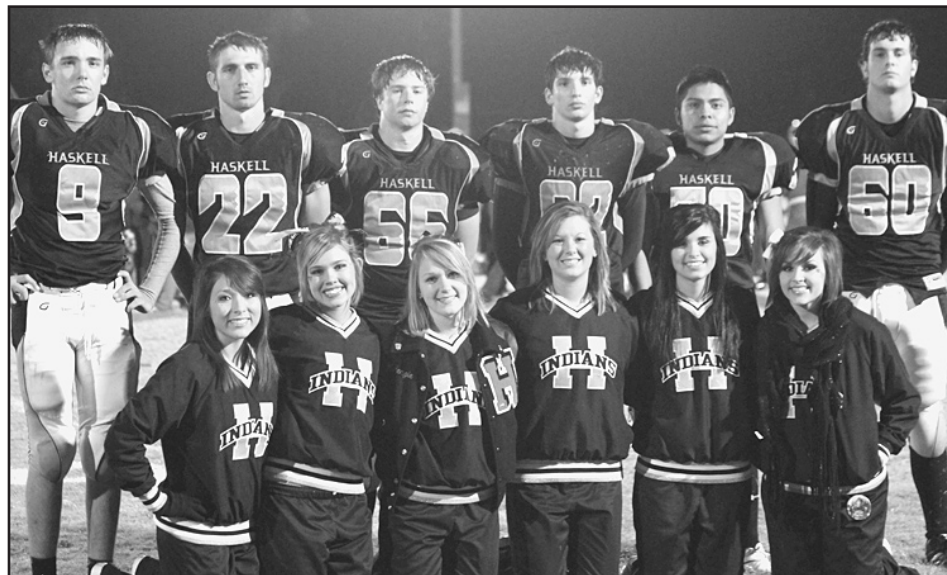
•The City of Haskell will host Halloween in the Park Oct. 29. It is hoped to be an annual event. This event will help enhance other events held locally and will offer a safe and controllable environment for kids to trick or treat. Thanks to all involved in the planning.

### Deadlines

All deadlines for issues of the Haskell Free Press are at noon on Mondays.



**BAND COMPETES**—The Mighty Haskell Indian Band competed at the Area Competition held in Denton Sat., Oct. 29. Despite a shining performance by the band, they did not advance to the state competition.



**INDIAN SENIORS**—This year's senior football players and cheerleaders at Haskell High School are, front row, l-r, Sasha Walker, Kymbre Kupatt, McKenzie Thomas, Laycee Tullos, Claire Carmichael and Paige Glover; back row, Brady Leach, Payne Utley, Garrett Bruggeman, Stewart Ulrich, Omar Mexicano and Sterling Bird.

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## Obituaries

### Bertie Eva Beauchamp



**BERTIE BEAUCHAMP**

Funeral services for Bertie Eva Beauchamp, 101, of Rochester were held Fri., Oct. 28 at First Baptist Church in

Rochester with Elder Dale Turner officiating. Burial was at the Rochester Cemetery under the direction of Smith Family Funeral Homes.

Mrs. Beauchamp passed away Mon., Oct. 24 in Haskell.

Born Nov. 1, 1909 in Bridgeport, she was the daughter of Robert Edgar and Elmira Myra Eaton McNiel. She married P.G. Beauchamp in Anson March 28, 1926 and has lived in Haskell County 101 years. She was a member of Primitive Baptist Church of Rule since June of 1926. She was a devoted housewife and mother.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Robert and Elmira McNiel; her husband, P.G. Beauchamp, Sr.; son, P.G. Beauchamp, Jr.; grandson, Rocky Boggs; nine brothers; three sisters; and two son-in-laws, Sydney Hester and John Pope.

Survivors include her two sons, Jim Beauchamp and wife Junita of Rochester and Larry Beauchamp and wife Frankie of Lawn; two daughters, Ada Hope of Haskell and Joyce Hester of Rule; 13 grandchildren; 27 great grandchildren; and eight great great grandchildren.

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### Deloris Ann Brothers



**DELORIS BROTHERS**

Funeral services for Deloris Ann Brothers, 62, of Haskell were held Mon., Oct. 31 at the Assembly of God Church in Haskell with Bros. Don Messer and J.C. Amburn officiating. Burial

was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Smith Family Funeral Homes of Haskell.

Mrs. Brothers passed away Fri., Oct. 28 in Haskell.

Born June 20, 1949 in Haskell, she was the daughter of Cecil and Rosie Lee Hurt Payne. She married Larry Brothers May 14, 1967 in Haskell and has lived in Haskell for many years. She was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Cecil and Rosie; three brothers, Cecil Lee, Billy Dewayne and Orval Payne; sister, Wanda Payne Walton; and brother-in-law, Carter Walton.

Survivors include her husband, Larry Brothers; five

brothers, Jerrel Payne and wife Anita of Brownwood, Curtis Payne and wife Mary of Graham, Danny Payne and wife Glenda of Haskell, Claude Payne and wife Sally of Haskell, and Robert Payne and wife Patty of Haskell; two sisters, Junita Jordan of Statesboro, Georgia and Brenda Parker and husband Darrel of Knox City; mother-in-law, Margert Marie Brothers of Stamford; sisters-in-law, Larue Payne of Dublin, Texas and Bertie Payne Fletcher of Haskell; brother-in-law, Gerald Brothers and wife Brenda of Graham; and numerous nieces and nephews and great nieces and nephews.

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You're Invited to an

**Open House**

for Dr. Mike Capt

**Tues., Nov. 8**  
 from  
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in the lobby of  
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### A Special Thank You

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the merchants and individuals who contributed to this year's Fall Festival. It took everyone of you to make it work. It makes our hearts overflow with gratitude, thankfulness, appreciation, and blessings when we see everyone working together like they did. We are really blessed being in a community that has a special gift in showing love and making joy grow. **"May the Lord repay you for what you have done. May you be richly rewarded by the Lord."** Ruth 2:12

You have touched hearts of many and today there is someone thanking God for all of you and what you've done. **"I thank God for you."** II Timothy 1:3

Each year the Fall Festival has gotten bigger and better. Looking forward to next year's being an even bigger success. Thank you all once again.

You're invited to an **Open House** welcoming **Dr. Mike Capt** to our community. Dr. Capt has opened his practice in the outpatient clinic on the north side of the hospital. The open house will be held in the hospital lobby. Tours will be available of Dr. Capt's clinic. Refreshments will be served.





MR. AND MRS. JACE YATES

## Sales, Yates wed in Windthorst

Tessa Lynn Sales and Jace Allan Yates were married on Sept. 24 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Windthorst. The Rev. Shannon Waters and Rev. David Kraeger officiated.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a floor length A-line gown of demir stretch satin with a sweetheart neckline, and ruching which enveloped the bodice and asymmetrically plummeted below the waist, flowing into a beautiful balloon hem. She carried a bouquet of white hydrangeas.

Serving the bride as Maid of Honor was her sister Tanna Sales of College Station. Bridesmaids were Missy Brown, cousin of the bride from Scotland, along with Sandi Vieth of Windthorst, and Hilary Hoff of Fort Worth, friends of the bride.

The bride's attendants wore floor length charcoal gray dresses and carried bouquets of purple, pink, blue and ivory hydrangeas.

Best men were the groom's brothers T.J. Yates of Abilene and Dustin Yates of Tucson, Arizona. Groomsmen were Shannon Waters of Munday, cousin of the groom and Tyler Sales of Lubbock, brother of the bride. They were attired in gray suits with shirts in a lighter shade of gray.

Flower girls were adorned in pale yellow dresses, made by the bride's mother, accented with sashes in varying pastel colors. The halos they wore and the flower balls they carried, were made of hydrangeas which matched the sashes. Flower girls were Abby Brown, Charlie Bone, Allyson Berend, Hattie Berend, Braelyn Waters and Blythe Waters. Ring bearers, dressed in identical suits as the groomsmen, were Griffin Berend, Davis Berend and Toby White.

Seating guests were Trent Berend and Adam Wolf,

cousins of the bride and Lane Murphy and Taylor Wade, cousins of the groom.

Special music for the ceremony was presented by Hayley Humpert, friend of the bride and Abby Brown, cousin of the bride.

A memorial candle burned in memory of Sarah Guess, grandmother of the groom; A.J. and June Sales, grandparents of the bride; Mark Brown, cousin of the bride and groom; Kevin Wachsman, cousin of the bride; and Howard Neeb, mentor of the bride. It served to remind that though these loved ones are gone from this earth, they have left footprints on our hearts.

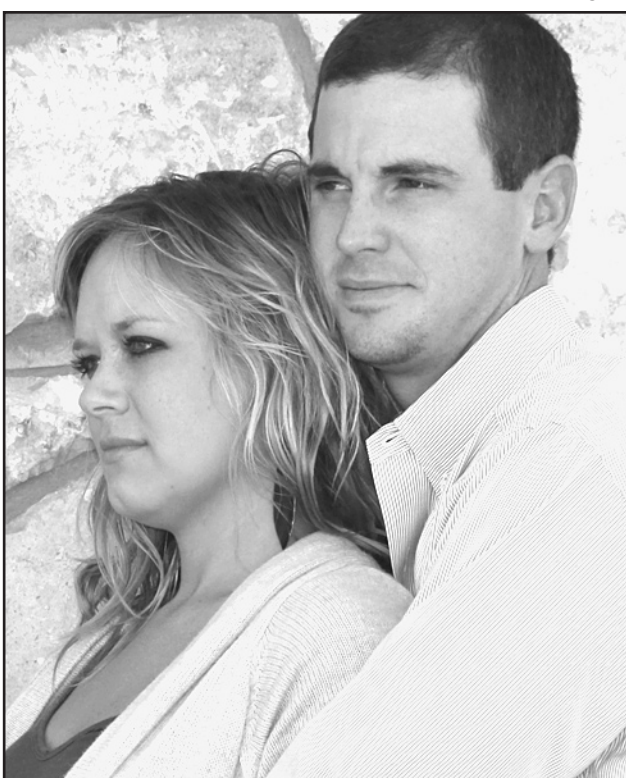
Following the ceremony, a reception, complete with dinner and dancing, was hosted by the bride's parents at the Kemp Center for the Arts.

The bride is the daughter of Terry and Carol Sales of Windthorst, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Berend also of Windthorst. She graduated from Windthorst High School and Midwestern State University. She is employed as a registered nurse at United Regional Health Care System.

The groom, son of Joe and Caron Yates of Weinert, graduated from Haskell High School and earned his Bachelor and Master's degree in Environmental Science from Texas A&M University. He is employed as an environmental engineer by Alcoa Howmet. He is the grandson of Toby and Alice Yates and Lindo Guess, all of Weinert.

A rehearsal dinner for family and friends, hosted by the groom's parents, was held at the Coyote Ranch Resort in Wichita Falls.

Following a wedding trip to Maui, the couple will be at home in Wichita Falls.



HALEY UTTER - ERICK LESLIE

## Utter, Leslie to marry Nov. 19

Erick Leslie and Haley Utter, together with their families, are announcing their engagement and upcoming marriage.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Tammy Utter of San Angelo and Jeff Utter of Abilene. She is the granddaughter of Nancy Peiser, and the late Wayne Peiser, of Haskell, and James and Barbara Hallmark of Abilene.

The groom is the son of

Rick and Marsha Leslie of Paducah, and Tamy and Byron Garrison of Lubbock. He is the grandson of Joyce Leslie, and the late Ealon Leslie, and Mary Fields, and the late Welton Fields, both of Paducah.

The couple are both graduates of Paducah High School and Texas Tech University.

They plan to be wed in a private ceremony Nov. 19 in Estes Park, Colorado.

## Reed presents Art Club program

The Brazos West Art Association met Oct. 10 in the Church of Christ annex with Barbara Fouts, president presiding. Betty Berry said a prayer before the meeting began.

Elaine Reed, a very talented Haskellite, brought her various creative endeavors. She purchases very old soda-shop glasses and other unique glasses that have a chipped rim. Then a 1950's earring is glued over the chipped area and other jewelry, silk flowers, and ribbon decorate the base of the glass.

Various size pillows with a Victorian-type décor and pillows displaying unusual euphisms complete with silk flowers, ribbon and beads were displayed in a very artistical manner atop a lovely decorated table.

At the close of the meeting, Reed presented each member with a beautifully decorated wooden clothespin.

Those present were Jerry Bowers, Barbara Fouts, Nelwyn Beakley, Peggy Middlebrook, Pansy Harris, Betty Hook, Betty Berry, and special guests, Elaine Reed.

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## Chili and bean supper set Nov. 13

Haskell County 4-H will host a chili and bean luncheon Sun., Nov. 13 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Haskell High School cafeteria. Menu will include homemade chili, beans, hot cornbread, assorted desserts, and a drink for \$6.00 a person. Takeout plates

will be available. Proceeds will be used to fund county 4-H activities and events. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support our local 4-H youth. For more information contact the Haskell County Extension Office at 940-864-2546.

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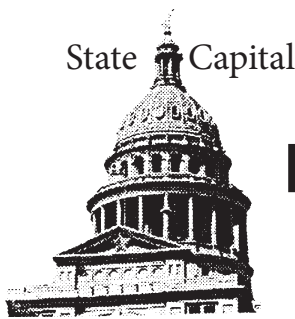
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# OPINION

## TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION



### HIGHLIGHTS By Ed Sterling

#### RRC adds to blast against proposed air rule

AUSTIN—All three members of the Texas Railroad Commission last week followed suit with the governor, lieutenant governor, House speaker and state attorney general in protesting a federal air pollution rule proposed in August.

The Cross-State Air Pollution Rule is meant "to reduce interstate transport of ozone and fine particle pollution from the air." If it takes effect in its present form, the rule would tighten operating methods and oversight of industries in Texas and other states generating emissions that blow into other states.

In their Oct. 25 letter to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, the commissioners wrote that the oil and gas industry in Texas would be significantly impacted and result in an expansion of EPA's authority to regulate and control oil and natural gas activities in Texas and other states.

"Here we go again with EPA trying to stifle one of this nation's top job creators—the oil and gas industry in Texas, which supports 2 million Texas jobs, Railroad Commission Chair Elizabeth Ames Jones said in an agency press release. "The Commission has been effectively regulating our oil and gas producers since 1919 and we do not need EPA hampering our efforts to boost this nation's domestic energy production."

Meanwhile, in energy-related news, the average rig count in Texas as of Oct. 21 was 905, representing about 46 percent of all active land rigs in the United States. In the last 12 months, Texas total reported production was 374 million barrels of oil and 7.1 trillion cubic feet of natural gas, the Railroad Commission reported.

#### Drought measures on ballot

Seventy-three percent of Texas is still in exceptional drought and though September was not nearly as hot and dry as the past few months, the period from April to September is the hottest and driest period since 1895.

Also, 229 counties have burn bans and 1 in 5 (941) of the state's public water supply systems have been impacted by the drought and statewide reservoir storage is declining and is at a record low of 60 percent. So said Mark Wentzel of the Texas Water Development Board at the agency's Oct. 20 meeting. And

the outlook is for the drought to persist into next year.

Two of the 10 propositions on the Nov. 8 election ballot would amend the Texas Constitution to address the state's chronic water deficit. Democratic State Sens. Kirk Watson of Austin, Juan "Chuy" Hinojosa of McAllen and Eddie Lucio Jr. of Brownville said the two measures, if approved by voters, will "help protect water supplies for Texans, our children, and future generations."

The three lawmakers jointly stated on Oct. 20, "If there's any lesson from this terrible drought, it's that nothing is more important to Texas than a clean, reliable water supply. And on November 8, you'll have the chance to protect it."

Prop. 2 would allow the state to issue bonds that will provide money to partner with cities, counties and other local entities to create water, sewer and flood control projects. The total amount of bonds could not exceed \$6 billion outstanding at any time.

Prop. 8 would enact a law passed in the legislative session that ended in May, encouraging landowners to manage their property to conserve water and improve water quality.

#### Arson cases to be reviewed

The Texas Forensic Science Commission on Oct. 28 approved the creation of a program to review past arson cases.

Under the program, reviews are to be conducted by the State Fire Marshal's Office (part of the Texas Department of Insurance since 1997) and Innocence Project of Texas, a non-profit organization dedicated to securing the release of those wrongfully convicted of crimes in Texas.

A primary subject of review will be the controversial case of Cameron Todd Willingham, a Corsicana man convicted of the 1991 deaths of his three daughters in a fire ruled arson. Willingham was executed in 2004.

The commission's recommendations include the creation of a questionnaire for inmates convicted of arson to see if their cases are worth reviewing. The panel also recommended a review of death certificates in cases where the murder charge is listed as arson, new certification criteria for expert witnesses, adding rules and regulations to prevent the use of outdated science and improving the quality of testimony and analysis.

## From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

#### 10 Years Ago November 1, 2001

Ruby Green was honored on her ninetieth birthday with a celebration in Abilene. She has six children, fifty-two grandchildren, including spouses, sixty-one great-grandchildren, including spouses, and nineteen great-great-grandchildren.

Leading cheers for the Rule High School Bobcats, are Kristin Hertel, Sam Kittley, Misty Davis, Kami Baitz (mascot), Laci Standefer, Holly Wolsch and Melanie Navarrette.

Seniors Katie Thompson, Melissa Buerger, Ernesto Palacios and Adam Diaz were guests of the Rotary Club of Haskell.

#### 20 Years Ago October 31, 1991

The Haskell team of Bob Aycock, Billy Lamb and Hegan Lamb took second place in the Ben Richey Boys Ranch Team Penning contest.

William Lynn Pace III,

biologist and native plants and grass specialist with the Texas Department of Parks and Wildlife was honored as Abilene Christian University's "Aggie Alumnus of the Year."

Haskell's Webelos 1 team was overall winner at the Double Mountain district Pushmobile Derby. Team members are Travis Garison, Craig Cunningham, Jason Trammell, Dawson Druessedow, Kevin Patton, John Mark Hodgin, Ezequiel Estrada, Kevin McSmith, Jason Shaw and Brent Watson. Den leaders are Randy Shaw, Kenneth Patton and Dusty Garison.

#### 30 Years Ago October 29, 1981

Rochester students Scott Sloan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Sloan, and Debbie Quade, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Quade, have been chosen as 4-H Gold Star Boy and Girl for Haskell County.

Jill LeFevre, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre of Sagerton, was crowned Reservation Princess at McMurry College during Homecoming activities. She graduated from Rule High School.

Randy Phemister, owner of Sport About, has moved the store to its new location on the north side of the square in Haskell.

#### 40 Years Ago November 4, 1971

William A. Ables, Jr., son of Mrs. Doc Rose of Rule, has been promoted to Colonel in the U.S. Air Force. Colonel Ables, director of staffing and education at Randolph AFB is assigned to Headquarters, Air Training Command.

Nancy English, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert English, and Bud Hicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Hicks, were crowned Queen and King at the Halloween Coronation. They are both seniors at Rochester High School.

Mrs. Theodore Pace

of Overton, class of 1917 from Haskell High School, attended homecoming activities and visited with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Kemp.

#### 50 Years Ago November 2, 1961

Haskell girls, now freshmen at McMurry College, were selected through an audition, to sing for the coronation of the McMurry Queen. The group consists of Martha Jane Bynum, June Bell, Jane Bell and Dorothea Rueffer.

Marine Pvt. Henry A. Sherman, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sherman, has completed individual combat training with the Second Infantry Training Regiment at Camp Pendleton, California.

Weinert WMS met and installed officers. Officers include Erma Liles, president; Pauline Tucker, first vice president; Myrnie Sanders, secretary/treasurer; Marguerite King, mission study and Mildred Guess, prayer and publicity.

#### 100 Years Ago November 4, 1911

T.A. Corbett of the piano firm Corbett and Conley, made a trip to Dallas where he purchased a number of new instruments for the store.

Mr. Ballew of Rochester was here with a load of fine melons. He had several that tipped the scales at 40 to 50 pounds, and sold for a cent a pound.

G.W. Bedford is experimenting to determine whether long staple cotton can be profitably grown in Haskell County.



## Ask the Mayor

By John Gannaway, Mayor of the City of Haskell

Here I sit on a Sunday afternoon looking out my window at my backyard which is full flowering plants, green grass and green leaves on the tress. Then I think about the people in the Northeast who had up to 27 inches of snow, a hard way to get moisture, and realize that winter is on its way. Cold weather is not my favorite time of the year—cold just hurts me, seems more so the older I get. I tell myself to just 'hang on', "If winter comes, can spring be far behind?" Then I can be back in my yard working, sweating and wishing it weren't so darned hot.

When I was working as a cotton breeder in Lubbock, I once made a statement implying that I wished that the growing season would hurry along so I could start making plant selections which was my favorite part of the job. A friend who was in his late 80's told me that people his age didn't wish any time away, they just enjoyed each and every day and made the most of it while they could. Think I'll do the same. Besides I'm too old to be wishing my life away.

Fall Festival was wonderful—youngsters and oldsters dressed in costumes, lots of visiting, lots of laughter and lots of fun for everyone who came out and enjoyed it. The square was full of blowups that the young folks could jump in, wrapped candy and cotton candy were both available on the square and at the park. The ambulance, fire trucks and police vehicles with lights flashing were in the park—it was quite a night. I couldn't help but wonder what people

traveling U.S. 277 thought about all the lights—hope they weren't thinking we had a severe crime wave here in Haskell. Many told me how much they enjoyed it and inquired if we were going to do it next year. Sounds like a plan to me. I think any activity that brings all of us together is a good thing.

I did notice the manners of the children. There were lots of lines to stand in while waiting their turn and I did not see any pushing, shoving or rowdiness. Adults and children alike are to be congratulated for this courteous conduct. Parents, you've taught them well; children, you've listened. I honestly think this has a whole lot to do with living in a small, rural community. Last night was an example of one of the advantages of being reared in our environment.

We have another restaurant that just opened this past week to help satisfy our taste buds and add to our waist lines—it is Camacho & Charlie's. It is located in the Red Rooster building. The sign's not up yet, but the menu says it's Camacho & Charlie's. I've sampled it twice and didn't find anything I didn't like. With the restaurants we have in town, everyone should be able to get his or her culinary tastes satisfied. Welcome to town Camacho & Charlie's and good luck.

One thing that our town is sorely in need of is more rental property. There are houses of various sizes and price ranges that are for sale, but there are not a whole lot of houses for rent. There are several apartments for rent and thank goodness. I am

surprised at the number of requests that we are getting for rental houses. I take this as a good sign—it means that people are coming here for extended stays or they are moving here. I am excited that we have this problem. A lot of towns our size are losing population and businesses and we are growing. People must be finding out about our best kept secret.

The wife and I get out every afternoon and make my 'mayoral run' (that's what she calls it). I've noticed a few folks are parking their vehicles in their front yard. I wish you wouldn't do this. If you will notice in the ghetto areas or places in a town where property values have crashed, that's the first thing you see...cars in the yards. Loss of pride. Your yard is not a spot to park your vehicle. If you must, park it legally in the street. Another pet peeve of mine is those who put unwanted furniture, dishwashers, clothes washers and dryers, etc., on your porch or in front of your business. It lowers the value of your property. It will greatly improve the appearance of our town and your property if you take care of these problems. Take some pride in your home and business.

I recently visited with a citizen who told me he opens his front door to look upon a mess across the street. No one should have to put up with this. The property could not be rented in this shape—the only solution is to tear it down and then perhaps the vacant lot would be worth selling. Another said that she is considering building a fence so that

she won't have to view her neighbor's mess to the side of her. Have you people never heard, "Your rights end at my nose?" Maybe you don't realize how bad your property has become. I want to encourage all of us to make our property just as pleasing to the eye as we want our neighbor's to look. You frustrated folk, give this administration time to finish up the vehicle ordinances and we'll try to get you some relief.

More 'green cards' for junked vehicles are going to be mailed this week. If you happen to be a recipient of one, I suggest take care of the problem before you are ticketed. If for some reason you are not able to dispose of the vehicle, call city hall and they will have a list of names you can call for help. We all want to get this problem behind us so that we can move on to other things such as messy lots. Have you looked at yours lately?

I know that I talk about our car problem, messy lots and other eyesores and such that we have here in Haskell, but have you visited other communities? We may have some problems but they are not anything like some others that I've seen. Makes me realize that we are way ahead of them and getting better. Keep up the good work!

MARK THE DATE: Tues., Nov. 8, 4:30 to 6 p.m. Come share a cup of punch and a cookie with our new physician, Dr. Mike Capt in the lobby of the Haskell Memorial Hospital. Dr. Capt's office will be located in the outpatient clinic on the north side of the hospital. He's open for business!

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# Haskell Indian

# Football 2011



2011 HASKELL INDIANS—front row, l-r, #77 Daniel Contreras, #33 Gabriel Torres, #22 Payne Utley, #74 Doug King, #59 Cole Ray Hutchinson, #2 Kiefer McNelly, #66 Garrett Brueggeman, #60 Sterling Bird and #20 Dakota Silvas; back row, #4 Warren Flye, #55 Preston Morrow, #50 Drake Everett, #10 Ryan Markey, #44 Jarred Escobedo, #12 Brett Shelton, #5 Isaiah Llewellyn, #9 Brady Leach, #62 Stewart Urich, #1 Matthew Martinez; not pictured, #70 Jarret Earle and Omar Mexicano.

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**DEFENDS YARDAGE**—Haskell Indians #60 Sterling Bird, #77 Daniel Contreras and #62 Stewart Ulrich defend Indian yardage against Olney Cubs on the move during last Friday's last home game.

## Haskell CISD announces app

Haskell CISD's Bill Alcorn and Haskell High School Principal Jeff York have announced a new partnership with Team Info App for the 2011-2012 school year to bring Haskell CISD families and

supporters the Haskell CISD TeamInfoApp for iPhone\* which is now available on the Apple App Store. York said, "We are excited for parents, students, fans and supporters of Haskell High School, Rochester

Junior High and Haskell Elementary to now have access to TeamInfoApp to stay informed about Haskell CISD events and information."

What exactly does the Haskell CISD TeamInfoApp do?

With a few clicks on their iPhone, iPad or other iOS device, Haskell CISD families and fans can access the Haskell CISD TeamInfoApp to:

- Keep their calendar updated with Haskell CISD School events
- Select any or all of the Haskell CISD athletic teams including both HHS and RJH and view the team schedule or add the team schedule to their calendar
- Email any or all of the Haskell CISD team schedules to other friends and family members
- Easily access maps and directions to all events including away games
- View a "Virtual Business Card" for important Haskell CISD contacts
- View important documents and other media related to Haskell CISD
- Quickly access Haskell CISD's website and social media

And it's just cool, too.

The Haskell CISD TeamInfoApp also presents a truly unique and incredible sponsorship opportunity for Indian and Maiden supporters. To learn more about the sponsorship opportunity, contact Amanda Hadaway at [ahadaway@haskell.esc14.net](mailto:ahadaway@haskell.esc14.net) or 940-864-8535 ext. 245.

To learn more about TeamInfoApp, visit [www.TeamInfoApp.com](http://www.TeamInfoApp.com).

\*TeamInfoApp for Android and other mobile platforms are in development and coming soon.

## Haskell CISD seeks gifted students

Haskell CISD conducts a program for students with above average potential in academic and creative-productive thinking skills areas in grades K-12. This gifted education program is designed to challenge students to accelerate above and beyond the regular school curriculum.

Any adult wishing to nominate a student believed to be an intellectually or creatively gifted learner is encouraged to come by any of the three

offices: Haskell High School Office, Rochester Jr. High Office or Haskell Elementary Office to pick up the necessary forms. Offices are open from 7:45 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. Those students nominated will go through a screening procedure that requires special testing. At the time of nomination, parents will be requested to grant permission for this test.

Nomination period for Haskell CISD is Nov. 4-18. During this time parents may pick up an application at any of the three campuses to nominate a student. Fill out the paperwork and return it back to the campus office by Fri., Nov. 18.

For any further assistance, contact Michelle Dunnam at 940-864-2602 ext. 105.

## Haskell area agent among third quarter's top agents

A Hermann Sons fraternal insurance agent representing the Haskell area has been recognized as a top producer for the third quarter of 2011. The Marketing Department of the Grand Lodge, Order of the Sons of Hermann in the State of Texas has announced that Jean Merchant finished first in the state and first in Region 3 in the new premium income generated category.

Hermann Sons agents are assigned to one of five geographic regions in the state and must meet minimum requirements for premium income and number of applications written to compete for quarterly cash bonuses.

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**INDIAN TOUCHDOWN**—Haskell Indian #12 Brett Shelton had two touchdowns during the game against Olney last Friday night. The Cubs defeated the Indians 25-13.



**BALL CARRY**—Haskell Indian #5 Isaiah Llewellyn carries the ball for the Indians last Friday night. Llewellyn had 14 yards on two carries.



**INDIAN TACKLE**—Haskell Indians #22 Payne Utley and #59 Cole Hutchinson tackle an Olney Cub last Friday night. The Indians lost, 25-13.



**LOOKING FOR YARDAGE**—Haskell Indian #33 Gabriel Torres carries the ball behind blocking by Indians #14 Aaron Waggoner and #10 Ryan Markey during the game against Olney.

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Si contesta si a uno de las preguntas y vive en los condados de Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Stonewall o Throckmorton, es posible usted puede elegible para ayuda del **Aspermont Small Business Development Center, Inc.** El **Community Services Block Grant (CSBG)** y los fondos del **Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program (CEAP)** están usado por ASBDC, INC. para suministrar servicios a las familias con ingresos bajos. Hay un proceso de aplicación a determinar elegibilidad para ayuda. Llame usted ASBDC, INC. para mas información o si tiene preguntas.

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**FOOD DRIVE**—The Haskell area youth, 4-H members and others, who participated in the One Day 4-H... community service project Oct. 8 were, front row, l-r, Shane Stanfield, Brody Stanfield, Sasha Walker, Kymbre Kupatt, Keifer McNelly and Bailey Hawkins; back row, Drake Everett, Hunter Ivy, Brady Leach, Sterling Bird and Payne Utley.



**DONATION DELIVERY**—The Noah Project office in Haskell received a food and monetary donation from the Rule 4-H, Rule FCA and Rule FCCLA organizations on Monday. Students delivering the bounty from the food drive were, l-r, Dannes Holland, Avery Tanner and Mason Grindstaff.



**CROSS COUNTRY**—Brandon Luevano of Paint Creek School placed seventh at the District Cross Country Meet in Crowell Oct. 24. He will compete in the Regional Meet Sat., Nov. 5 in Arlington. He is pictured with Coach Lauten Escobedo.

## Stock show sign-up Nov. 9

by Wes Utley  
CEA-Ag/NR, Haskell Co.  
It is time for Haskell County 4-H'ers to sign up for the upcoming major stock shows. The major stock shows to sign up for are Odessa (Sand Hills), Fort Worth (Southwestern), San Antonio, Houston, San Angelo and Star of Texas.

The County Extension Office will accept entries all day Wed., Nov. 9, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and will remain open that same evening of Nov. 9 from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. All 4-H'ers with an animal project wishing to participate in any of the above named major stock shows need to come in Wednesday night, Nov. 9 to sign up, pay appropriate fees and have a parent also sign papers.

New this year is the Quality Counts test. This test has to be taken on-line before Nov. 9, the day of the major stock show sign up. If you do not have a computer at home that has internet hook up, call our office and set up a time to come in and take the test on one of our computers.

If there is a conflict with this date or time please contact Wes Utley, County Extension Agent or Tammy, Secretary at 940-864-2658 before Nov. 8.

The Haskell County Extension Office will be closed Tues., Nov. 8 for Election Day and Fri., Nov. 11 in observance of Veteran's Day.

# Christmas for Kids needs donations

The Haskell County Child Welfare Board will be conducting a fund-raiser in November for the annual Christmas for Kids project. Each year this project provides gifts of clothing, toys, and age-appropriate items for needy children in Haskell County. Last year 58 families and 149 children received Christmas presents through the Christmas for Kids program.

This year members of Haskell County churches will again have an opportunity to give to this cause through donations on the designated Sundays of Nov. 6 and 13. The goal

is to have at least \$1.00 per person donated on these dates. Donation boxes will also be put out at Haskell banks and the Experienced Citizens Center.

If your church has not been contacted and you are interested in participating,

call Betsy McManamon at 940-864-2194. Anyone not affiliated with a local church is welcome to send donations to Texas Department of Family and Protective Services at 500 S. 10th St., Haskell, Texas 79521.



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## Teamkid

Teamkid "Jumping the Hurdles" meets on Wednesdays from 5:45 to 6:45 p.m. at the Family Activity Center of the First Baptist Church in Haskell for students ages 4 years through the sixth grade. Parents may call the church office at 864-2581, if their child needs a ride.

## Mike Capt, MD, PHD General Practice

Haskell Memorial Hospital welcomes Dr. Mike Capt to our medical staff and community.

Dr. Capt grew up in Austin and attended medical school at Texas Tech University Health Science Center in Lubbock. He attended a residency in Diagnostic Radiology at the University of Oklahoma and an Internal Medicine Internship at Texas Tech HSC in Amarillo. His interests outside of medicine include fishing, hunting and cheering for the Texas Rangers.

He has practiced in Dalhart, Amarillo and has done ER coverage at numerous Texas rural hospitals. Dr. Capt enjoys providing medical care in a rural community for the entire family.

He has been married to Robin Capt for 23 years and they have three grown children Liz, Emily and Bill.

Dr. Capt will be accepting new patients starting November 1st and appointments can be made starting October 24th by calling the hospital at 864-2621. Beginning November 1st appointments can be made by calling 864-2621 ext. 320.

Clinic location will be in the Hospital Clinic located on the north side of the hospital.



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## 2011 INDIAN-MAIDEN BASKETBALL SCHEDULES

Date	Opponent	Site	Teams	Time
Tues., Nov. 8	Throckmorton	Throckmorton	VG	6:30 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 11	Hawley	Haskell	JVG, VG	5 p.m.
Sat., Nov. 12	Scrimmage	Anson	VB	10 a.m.
Tues., Nov. 15	Colorado City	Colorado City	All	4 p.m.
Nov. 18-20	Eula Tournament	Eula	JVB, JVG	TBA
Fri., Nov. 18	Abilene Hawks	Haskell	VG, VB	6:30 p.m.
Mon., Nov. 21	Roby	Haskell	All	4 p.m.
Tues., Nov. 22	Seymour	Seymour	All	4 p.m.
Tues., Nov. 29	Eula	Haskell	All	4 p.m.
Dec. 1-3	Jayton Tournament	Jayton	JVB	TBA
Dec. 1-3	Olney Tournament	Olney	VB	TBA
Dec. 1-3	Merkel Tournament	Merkel	VG	TBA
Tues., Dec. 6	Hawley	Hawley	All	4 p.m.
Dec. 8-10	Albany Tournament	Albany	VB, VG	TBA
Tues., Dec. 13	Holliday	Holliday	All	4 p.m.
Fri., Dec. 16	Archer City	Archer City	All	4 p.m.
Dec. 27-29	Eula Tournament	Eula	VB, VG	TBA
Mon., Jan. 2	Petrolia	Haskell	JVB, VB	1 p.m.
Fri., Jan. 6	Albany	Haskell	JVB, VG	5 p.m.
Fri., Jan. 6	*Hamlin	Hamlin	JVG, VG	5 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 10	*Roscoe	Haskell	All	4 p.m.
Fri., Jan. 13	*Munday	Munday	All	4 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 17	*Stamford	Stamford	All	4 p.m.
Fri., Jan. 20	*Rotan	Haskell	All	4 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 24	*Hamlin	Haskell	All	4 p.m.
Fri., Jan. 27	*Roscoe	Roscoe	All	4 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 31	*Munday	Haskell	All	4 p.m.
Fri., Feb. 3	*Stamford	Haskell	All	4 p.m.
Tues., Feb. 7	*Rotan	Rotan	All	4 p.m.
Fri., Feb. 10	*Hamlin	Hamlin	JVB, VB	5 p.m.

\*District Game. All denotes JVG, JVB, VG, VB

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## JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Boys Site	Girls Site	Time
Mon., Nov. 14	Hamlin	Rochester	Hamlin	5 p.m.
Mon., Nov. 21	Roscoe 8th grade only	Rochester	Rochester	5 p.m.
Mon., Nov. 28	Munday	Rochester	Munday	5 p.m.
Mon., Dec. 5	Stamford	Rochester	Stamford	5 p.m.
Mon., Dec. 12	Rotan 8th grade only	Rochester	Rochester	5 p.m.
Mon., Jan. 9	Roscoe 8th grade only	Roscoe	Roscoe	5 p.m.
Jan. 12-14	Stamford Tournament	JH Boys and Girls		TBA
Thurs., Jan. 19	Munday	Munday	Rochester	5 p.m.
Sat., Jan. 21	Munday Tournament	JH Boys and Girls		TBA
Mon., Jan. 23	Stamford	Stamford	Rochester	5 p.m.
Mon., Jan. 30	Rotan 8th grade only	Rotan	Rotan	5 p.m.
Mon., Feb. 6	Hamlin	Hamlin	Rochester	5 p.m.

Games will be played starting with the 7th grade, followed by the 8th grade

### Clip-Out

## 2011 PIRATE-LADY PIRATE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place	Teams	Time
Nov. 8	Moran (Scrimmage)	Moran	VB, VG	5 p.m.
Nov. 11	Jayton (Scrimmage)	Jayton	VB, VG	5 p.m.
Nov. 15	Jayton	Paint Creek	VB	6 p.m.
Nov. 17-19	Lueders-Avoca Tournament		VG, VB	TBA
Nov. 21	Loraine	Loraine	VG, VB	6 p.m.
Nov. 22	Benjamin	Paint Creek	VB	6 p.m.
Nov. 29	Benjamin	Benjamin	VB	6 p.m.
Dec. 1-3	Woodson Tournament		VG, VB	TBA
Dec. 6	Moran	Paint Creek	VG, VB	6 p.m.
Dec. 9	Bryson	Paint Creek	VG, VB	6 p.m.
Dec. 13	Benjamin	Benjamin	VG, VB	7:30 p.m.
Dec. 16	Bryson	Bryson	VG, VB	6 p.m.
Dec. 19	OPEN			
Dec. 27	Loraine	Paint Creek	VG, VB	12 noon
Jan. 3	Bryson	Bryson	VG, VB	6 p.m.
Jan. 6	*Throckmorton	Throckmorton	VG	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 10	*Rule	Rule	VG, VB	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 13	*Aspermont	Paint Creek	VG, VB	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 17	*Woodson	Woodson	VG, VB	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 20	*Lueders-Avoca	Paint Creek	VG, VB	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 24	*Throckmorton	Paint Creek	VG, VB	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 27	*Rule	Paint Creek	VG, VB	6:30 p.m.
Jan. 31	*Aspermont	Aspermont	VG, VB	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 3	*Woodson	Paint Creek	VG, VB	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 7	*Lueders-Avoca	Lueders-Avoca	VG, VB	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 10	*Throckmorton	Throckmorton	VB	6:30 p.m.

## JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Nov. 12	Woodson Tournament		TBA
Nov. 14	Throckmorton	Throckmorton	6 p.m.
Nov. 21	Rule	Rule	4 p.m.
Nov. 28	Aspermont	Paint Creek	6 p.m.
Dec. 5	Woodson	Woodson	6 p.m.
Dec. 12	Lueders-Avoca	Paint Creek	6 p.m.
Jan. 5	Throckmorton	Paint Creek	6 p.m.
Jan. 9	Rule	Paint Creek	6 p.m.
Jan. 16	Aspermont	Aspermont	6 p.m.
Jan. 23	Woodson	Paint Creek	6 p.m.
Jan. 30	Lueders-Avoca	Lueders-Avoca	6 p.m.

\*District Game

Boys' Coach: Michael Waggoner

Girls' Coach: Lauten Escobedo





**STUDENTS OF THE MONTH**—The character theme for October at Paint Creek School was “Caring.” Students were selected from each grade as the one who most consistently demonstrates a caring attitude. Pictured are (some are in Halloween costumes), front row, l-r, Ethan Rosenbaum, Kindergarten; Matthew Villarreal, first grade; Donovan Rodriguez, second grade; middle row, Angelique Steele, fifth grade; Desiree Acosta, fourth grade; Danica Elias third grade; Cheyenne Elias, sixth grade; back row, Caitlyn Mengwasser, ninth grade; Melisa Rock, seventh grade; Hunter Hollingsworth, tenth grade; Bryson Young, twelfth grade; Jarrett Lopez, eighth grade; and not pictured, Matt Booe, eleventh grade.

## Rule ISD Employee Spotlight



**NORMA RIOS**

Norma Rios of Rochester has been a paraprofessional/lunchroom clerk at Rule ISD for 20 years.

She has a grown daughter, Tiffany.

She enjoys sewing and crocheting.

Her favorite quote is, “The Lord is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer, my God, my strength, in whom I will trust, my buckler, and the horn of my salvation, and my high tower.”



**RYAN BAUMBACH**



**GARRETT BRUEGGEEMAN**

## Students visit Rotary Club

Ryan Baumbach is the son of Billy and Angela Baumbach of Haskell.

He attends First Baptist Church in Haskell.

At Haskell High School, he is active in UIL computer science and UIL science competitions. He will have earned his TSMC by the end of the year.

He enjoys computer programming, fishing and wake boarding.

He plans to attend Angelo State University majoring in computer science/math.

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Garrett Brueggeman is the son of Danny and Connie Brueggeman of Haskell.

He attends First Baptist

Church in Haskell.

At Haskell High School, he participates in football, band, UIL events, is a member of National Honor Society and on the student council.

He was state champion in UIL Mathematics and second in calculator applications his junior year. He was a member of the band that won sweepstakes three years in a row. He is football team captain and senior class president.

He enjoys spending time with friends and family and going to the lake.

He plans to attend Angelo State University majoring in computer science/mathematics.

## Paint Creek School Menu

### Nov. 7-11 Breakfast

Juice and milk are served daily.

**Monday:** Oatmeal, toast

**Tuesday:** Biscuits, gravy

**Wednesday:** Pancakes

**Thursday:** Breakfast bagels

### Friday: Hot pockets Lunch

Milk is served daily.

**Monday:** Chicken fajitas, rice, broccoli, salad, applesauce

**Tuesday:** Baked potatoes, ham, salad, oranges

### Wednesday: Chicken spaghetti, green beans, salad, garlic bread, pears

**Thursday:** Hot dogs, chili, cheese, chips, fruit

**Friday:** Sloppy joes, fries, pickle spears, brownies

## This Week's Devotional Message:



### The Bible Cannot Help You Unless You Read It

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ting people to BUY it has never been much trouble. The real problem lies in getting them to take the time to READ it. If you don't already own a copy of this priceless work, obtain one that is appropriate to your faith and start reading it, a little at a time. It will give you a better understanding of your faith; and as a result, your entire life will be a much more rewarding experience.

## ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

### —HASKELL—

#### East Side Baptist Church

Jay Beerley, Senior pastor  
Shawn Smith, Youth Worship pastor  
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.; Wed. 7 p.m.  
600 N. 1st East, Haskell

#### Christian Church

Frank Slayton, minister  
Sun. 10:45 a.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

Rev. David White, 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., 5 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.  
607 S. 7th, Haskell

#### First United Methodist Church

Rev. Dustin Wilhite, 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., 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, Haskell

#### First Presbyterian Church

Kelly Pigott, interim pastor  
Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m.  
306 N. Ave. E, Haskell

#### Trinity Baptist Church

Larry White, pastor  
Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p.  
114 S. Ave. D, Haskell

#### Hopewell Baptist Church

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

#### First Baptist Church

Rev. Jim McCurley  
Jason Daniels, minister of Youth and Music  
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:55 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p.m.  
301 N. Ave. E, 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

#### God Loves You Ministries

Mark Wallace, pastor  
Church Service 10 a.m.  
West side of square, Haskell  
—WEINERT—

#### First Baptist Church

Dan Bullock, pastor  
Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.  
Weinert

#### Weinert Foursquare Church

Rev. Robert Harrison  
Sunday 11 a.m  
Weinert

### —ROCHESTER—

#### Church of Christ

Steve Willis, minister  
Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m.  
West on Main Street, Rochester

#### First Baptist Church

Joseph Barrett, pastor  
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Prayer Time/Team Kids 5 p.m.;  
Wed. Youth meeting 7 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

Rev. Dr. Keith Palmquist, pastor  
Sun. 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

#### Primera Iglesia Bautista

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Manuel Marin, pastor  
Sun. 10 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m.  
500 Elm Street, Rule

#### Sweet Home Baptist Church

Russell Stanley, interim pastor  
Sunday 9 a.m.  
Gladstone Ave., Rule

#### West Bethal Baptist Church

Rev. Clovis Dever  
Sun. 10 a., 11:00 a., 8 p.m.; Wed. 7:30 p.m.  
300 Sunny Ave., Rule

### —PAINT CREEK—

#### Paint Creek Baptist Church

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

### —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

## Haskell School Menu

### Nov. 7-11 Breakfast

Milk is offered daily.

**Monday:** Biscuit with sausage gravy or Berry Puffs cereal, peaches, apple juice

**Tuesday:** Cinnamon toast and sausage or Lucky Charms cereal, majestic pears, orange juice

**Wednesday:** Scrambled eggs with sausage or Cinnamon Toast Crunch cereal, mixed fruit, fruit punch juice

**Thursday:** Pancakes with syrup or Cocoa Puffs cereal, sour green applesauce, apple juice

**Friday:** Cinnamon roll or Trix cereal, majestic pears, orange juice

### Lunch

Milk is offered daily at all cafeterias. Iced tea is offered at the high school cafeteria only. An energy meal includes a sandwich and a cookie.

**Monday:** Italian beefy macaroni with roll or Italian antipasto salad with salami or energy meal with bologna

and cheese; glazed carrots, sweet corn, fresh kiwi fruit, cinnamon apple slices, white slushy.

**Tuesday:** Chicken nuggets with gravy or fajita chicken salad or energy meal with turkey and cheese; mashed potatoes, green beans, whole wheat crackers, majestic pears, white slushy.

**Wednesday:** Chicken fajita enchiladas or garden pasta salad or energy meal with ham and cheese; Mexicali corn, charro beans, fresh orange, mixed fruit, white slushy.

**Thursday:** Baseball park hot dog or zesty tuna salad or energy meal with tuna salad; scalloped potatoes, whole wheat crackers, sour green applesauce, peaches, white slushy.

**Friday:** Tony's pizza or chef salad or energy meal with po-boy sandwich; tater tots, pork and beans, fresh grapes, chocolate chip cookies, white slushy

## 4-H Club news

by Wes Utley  
CEA-Ag/NR, Haskell Co.

Each year the Haskell County 4-H clubs participate in a state wide community service project called “One Day 4-H.” This project is conducted across the state Oct. 8. It is meant to provide community service projects in each county in Texas.

This year the Haskell County Youth Board took the

lead for the project in Haskell County. The Youth Board decided that the Haskell County project would be a canned food drive to benefit the Noah Project.

The youth gathered at the extension office at 8:30 in the morning to get an early start on this great opportunity to help those in need here in our own backyard. They went door to door gathering canned goods for three hours. Then the rain hit! But that did not slow down the group. They decided to set up a booth at Modern Way grocery store and continue the project.

A big “thank you” goes to Modern Way for allowing the group to set up at their business.

At the end of the day the group gathered up more than 350 pounds of food for the Noah Project North here in Haskell.

## Six-man scores

Gordon 46, Paint Creek 0

## Volleyball night

First Baptist Church in Haskell is hosting an open gym for volleyball every Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. Volleyball players of all ages are welcome to come and play. There is no charge. For more information, call the church office at 864-2581.

## Cancer support

The Haskell Area Cancer Support group meets every other Tuesday from 5:30 to 7 p.m. in the Haskell Memorial Hospital Educational Building. For more information, call 325-864-4466.

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# USDA announces disaster assistance sign up

Haskell County USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) Executive Director Glenn R. Brzozowski has announced that the Supplemental Revenue Assistance Payments (SURE) program enrollment for 2010 crop year losses begins Nov. 14, 2011.

"Producers across the state experienced several natural disasters during the 2010 crop year that caused hardship and financial losses to many agricultural operations," said Brzozowski. "The SURE program provides assistance to producers when disaster

strikes, so I strongly encourage producers with 2010 crop losses to contact the Haskell County FSA office to learn more about the program," he said.

To qualify for a SURE payment, the producer's operation must be located in a county that was declared a disaster for 2010 and have at least a 10 percent production loss that affects one crop of economic significance. Producers with agricultural operations located outside a disaster county are eligible for SURE benefits if they had

a production loss greater or equal to 50 percent of the normal production on the farm.

Haskell and surrounding counties are among many Texas counties that received a disaster designation during 2010.

To meet program eligibility requirements, producers must have obtained a policy or plan of insurance for all insurable crops through the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation and obtained Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP)

coverage on non-insurable crops, if available, from FSA. Eligible farmers and ranchers who meet the definition of a socially disadvantaged, limited resource or beginning farmer or rancher do not have to meet this requirement. Forage crops intended for grazing are not eligible for SURE benefits.

For more information on SURE program eligibility requirements contact the Haskell County FSA office at 607 N. 1st East in Haskell or 940-864-2617 ext. 2 or visit the website at <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/sure>.

# Calendar

## Bible study

A non-denominational and bilingual Bible study will be held every Tuesday at the Church of God, 714 Hwy. 380 East in Haskell, from 6 to 8 p.m. For more information, call 940-864-3982 or 325-665-8182.

## Art Association

The Brazos West Art Association will meet Mon., Nov. 14 at 6:30 p.m. at the Church of Christ annex. Esme Glenn of Abilene will present a program on abstract

landscapes with composition using family symbols. Guests are welcome.

## Al-Anon

Al-Anon meets Thursday evenings at 8 p.m. at the AA building across from the RV park in Haskell.

## Join Booster Club

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## Garage Sale

**2 SISTERS garage sale:** Saturday Nov. 5, 8 to noon. 309 Bonnie Lane. Clothes, shoes, kitchen stuff, household items and decorations!! No early sales, please. 44c

**GARAGE SALE** in Rochester. 412 4th St. Nov. 4-5. Fri., 8 to 4. Sat., 8 to noon. Antique glassware, baby clothes, furniture, dishes and much more. 44p

**LARGE GARAGE SALE:** 209 N. Ave. H. Friday and Saturday, 8 to 5. Antiques, furniture, collectibles. 44p

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The City of Haskell would like to thank all of those that participated in the first annual Halloween in the park. I believe that it was a success for the community. We had a little over four hundred people show up and take part.

I would like to thank the following agencies and organizations for participating with the City to make this event successful for the community of Haskell:

State Farm, Haskell County Insurance, The Drug Store, Haskell Sheriff's office, Farm Bureau, Haskell Learning Center, Culpepper Trucking, Haskell Fire Department, Haskell Ambulance, Haskell Police Department, TxDOT, Dr. John Gannaway, Mayor, and Brandon Anderson, City Administrator.

This year's Haskell Elementary School Fall Festival and second annual decorated pumpkin auction was a tremendous success. Over 250 students and their families attended the Fall Festival where they participated in many games and activities including face painting, air castles, barrel train rides, Bingo, popcorn and drinks and more.

The decorated pumpkin auction raised \$1,121.88 thanks to generous donors who bid on the pumpkins decorated by each elementary school classroom and science lab teacher, Kristi Gibson. The classroom that raised the most money was Mrs. Homeyer's fourth grade classroom's Aggie-themed pumpkin and Mrs. McBroom's Kindergarten classroom's breast cancer awareness pumpkin. Close behind was Mrs. Park's fourth grade class' Texas Tech pumpkin.

Haskell Elementary PTO would like to sincerely thank the following businesses, individuals and organizations for their donations of money, items, time and resources: Fire Chief Randy Shaw and the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department, Officer Jeff Caparoun and the Haskell Police Department, Judge Linda St. John, Keith Medford and the Haskell High School National Honor Society student volunteers, St. George Catholic Church, The Drug Store, Mi Familia, Haskell National Bank, Larned Sales Center, KP's, Smith Family Funeral Homes, Matt Preston Farms, Moeller Seed Cleaning, Mathew Cunningham Farms, Richardson TrueValue, Sonic Drive-In, Haskell Home Health, Davis Kinard CPAs, Double "A" Drive Inn, KVRP, Linda Lane-Blaise and The Stamford and Haskell Star, The Haskell Free Press, Rule Copop Gin, West Electric, Big County Electric, Susan and Terry Blanks, and Short Farms. We would also like to thank City Manager Brandon Anderson for stepping in to be our auctioneer on short notice.

We would like to express our gratitude to the parents and community for their generous support of all our PTO fund-raisers throughout the year. All money raised by Haskell Elementary PTO is used to fund student activities and to purchase needed supplies and items to benefit the students of Haskell Elementary School. Thanks to your generosity and support, we were able to contribute over \$14,750 in equipment and supplies to Haskell Elementary School last year. We hope to exceed that contribution this year.

On behalf of the students of Haskell Elementary, we also wish to extend a huge thank you to the administrators, faculty and staff of Haskell Elementary for the continued generosity of their time and dedication to the students of our community. Last, but not least, events such as this would not be possible without the help of our many parent and grandparent volunteers and other individuals who are always willing to give their time. We understand how busy our lives can be and appreciate your willingness to improve our school and be involved in the education and lives of the students in our community.

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**ADDING A LITTLE CHEEK COLOR**—Local artists Laura Alsabrook, left, and Rick Phemister, add a little face paint to fall festival attendees during Saturday's evening event. The festival, held on the courthouse square, offered air castles, food, games, a hayride and live music for the enjoyment of the whole family.



**HALLOWEEN IN THE PARK**—City of Haskell Director of Public Safety/Works Matthew Duran said an estimated 400 attended the City of Haskell's first annual Halloween in the Park Sat., Oct. 29. Business and community members alike were on hand to help offer a safe environment for those attending to don their Halloween attire and enjoy an out of the traffic opportunity to trick or treat.

## Commissioner's Court report

The Haskell County Commissioners' Court met Oct. 11 in a regular meeting with Judge David Davis, Commissioner Johnny Scoggins and Commissioner Kenny Thompson present. Absent were Commissioner Tiffen Mayfield and Commissioner Neal Kreger.

All bills were paid including bills for the Haskell Ambulance Service and Helen Farabee.

Johnny Stulir requested by letter to the County that a survey be done of County property. He wants to install a fence and wants to be sure of boundaries surrounding the property. Commissioner Kreger contacted a surveyor and a survey was being conducted at the time of the meeting.

The burn ban has been lifted until the next meeting on Oct. 25.

The treasurer's quarterly and monthly reports were accepted.

Sheriff David Halliburton reported that Christina Stephens had been rehired as a part time dispatcher.

The resolution to tax tangible personal property in transit passed. This property would otherwise be exempt pursuant to Texas tax code.

County Treasurer Janis McDaniel presented the deputation for Stacia Leach which was accepted by the court.

Budget amendments were accepted.

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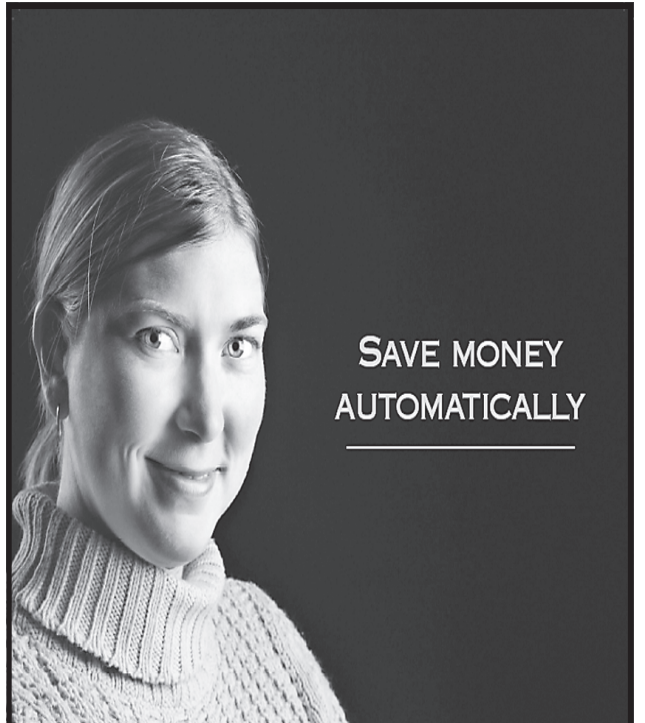
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