

## Basketball

**HASKELL**  
JH Maidens  
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Thurs. & Sat., Jan 24 & 26  
JVG-B, VG-B vs Munday  
Fri., Jan. 25, 4 p.m.  
at Haskell  
JH-G, JH-B vs Anson  
Mon., Jan. 28, 5 p.m.  
Girls at Anson  
Boys at Haskell  
JVG-B, VG-B vs Stamford  
Tues., Jan. 29, 4 p.m.  
at Stamford  
**PAINT CREEK**  
Pirates vs Grafrod  
Fri., Jan. 25, 6:30 p.m.  
at Grafrod  
JH Pirates vs Throckmorton  
Mon., Jan. 28, 6 p.m.  
at Paint Creek  
Pirates vs Woodson  
Tues., Jan. 29, 6:30 p.m.  
at Paint Creek

## Calendar

### Bake sale

The Haskell County All Night Party will hold a bake sale Fri., Jan. 25 at the Haskell High School gym from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. during the basketball games versus Munday. All proceeds go to fund the 2013 Haskell County All Night Party set Fri., May 31. Please help us give Haskell County high school students a safe and fun way of celebrating the end of the school year.

### Spaghetti lunch

A chicken spaghetti lunch will be held Sun., Jan. 27 at noon at First Baptist Church in Haskell in the Family Activity Center. Donations will help youth go to camp this summer.

### Winter revival

First Baptist Church of Haskell will host a winter revival Sun., Feb. 3 through Wed., Feb. 6. Revival services on Sunday afternoon will begin at 4 p.m. followed by a Super Bowl fellowship in the Family Activity Center. Revival lunches Monday through Wednesday will be held from 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. A \$2 donation is requested. Evening services on Monday through Wednesday nights will begin at 7 p.m.

### Donation letters

The Haskell County All Night Party mailed letters recently to area businesses and individuals who have helped make the party a success in recent years. If you or your business did not receive a letter and you would like to help us out with cash donations, prizes or food items, contact Amanda Hadaway 940-864-8535 ext. 245.

### Easter Cantata

Community Choir practice for the Easter Cantata will be held each Sunday from 4 to 5 p.m. in the First Baptist Chapel. Everyone is welcome. The cantata will be presented Sun., March 24 at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church. For more information, contact Martha Jarred.

### Musical

The public is invited to attend the Haskell Elementary fifth grade class performance of "Joust! A Mighty Medieval Musical" Mon., Feb. 11 at 6:00 p.m. at the Haskell Elementary Cafeteria. The Haskell Elementary PTO will provide a concession stand.

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# Attend Community Planning Forum Mon., Jan. 28

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**CROWD ON THEIR FEET**-Haskell Indian fans were on their feet during the Indians vs Anson Tigers game. The game went into double overtime. Anson took the win 49-45.

## New technology fills air with music

by Caron Yates

Have you heard it? Music is in the air. While the community has enjoyed the chimes played by the First United Methodist Church for many years, there is a renewed quality to the sound.

Approximately thirty years ago, after the tragic loss of their almost three year old son, Maxine Hannsz Farmer and Jerry Hannsz were searching for a way to memorialize their loved one. While visiting in Breckenridge one day, Maxine heard the beautiful music being played from a bell tower. She felt that would be a wonderful way to pay tribute to her son, as well as give something special to her church and community.

A carillon system which played the music recorded

on tapes, was installed with speakers in the bell tower. The music could be heard throughout Haskell for many years.

The original carillon is the largest musical instrument. It typically consists of at least 23 cast bronze, cup-shaped bells. The bells are played serially to make a melody, or sounded together to play a chord. In medieval times, swinging bells were first used as a way of notifying people of fires, storms, wars and other events. Early uses of church bells were for both religious and civil messages, with different bell tolls having specific meanings. Bells have been used to tell the time, proclaim special celebrations, deliver messages about deaths and weddings, and in a monastery have a particular significance as a

calling to prayer.

In the late 90's, after the church's carillon malfunctioned, church organist Nelda Lane asked her husband Ken if anything could be done to fix it. It just so happened that the church's setup was very similar to what was being used at the radio station they owned. After looking it over, he realized he had parts and knowledge to repair it, and thus became the "caretaker" of the chimes. It was somewhat tricky to set the times on the first carillon. Ken recalled, "One year after the time changed, I ran the clock forward twelve hours, instead of twenty-four. The result was, it began chiming at midnight. Our pastor at the time, had to run to the church in the middle of the night and get it turned off, before it awoke the entire

neighborhood."

The brand new upgraded system uses the latest technology. It is a digital copy of the carillon bells and is easily set to chime. Previously there was a choice of 150 songs to play, and now they have a choice of over 800 pre-programmed songs. Church pastor, Dustin Wilhite, says it is set to chime at the top of each hour and then at 9 a.m., 12 noon, 3 p.m. and 6 p.m., it will play two hymns. The hymns played are chosen to correspond to the church calendar. For example, from Ash Wednesday until Lent, songs have been chosen to tell of the coming death of Jesus, and that will be followed by Easter songs relaying the message that Christ arose. Patriotic songs will be heard around the July 4 holiday.

Rev. Wilhite says, "We offer this as a ministry to the whole community, as a reminder of God's love and generosity to us all. It adds to the character of the town, and hopefully when people hear the music, they will pause for a moment and reflect on their blessings."

## Community forum set Monday

The City of Haskell, Development Corporation of Haskell and Haskell Chamber of Commerce will host a community planning forum Mon., Jan. 28 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the Haskell Civic Center.

All residents, business owners, vacant building owners and commercial property land owners are strongly encouraged to participate in the forum. The purpose of the forum will be to generate a marketing plan and a unified vision for Haskell which will in turn play a part in Haskell's economic and community development efforts.

Leaders for the meeting will include John Gannaway, Mayor of Haskell; Mary Drury, Development Corporation of Haskell; and Sally Rueffer, Executive Director of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce.

"In January 2011, nearly 100 Haskell residents participated in a Joint Strategic Planning Session to identify community and economic development projects that they viewed as priorities for Haskell," said Mayor Gannaway.

"Haskell's Development Corporation Board, City personnel and forum volunteers have pursued several of the projects. During this next forum, we'd like to update residents on the progress that has been made on these projects and where we plan to go from here."

"The last planning session was very important for Haskell to have; however, this next step is just as important for us all," said Mary Drury. "As we begin reaching out to new businesses and residents, we need to show them that we have a unified vision and a 21st century plan to support economic growth in Haskell. We need an image to work toward, a motto to unite behind and a 277 highway development/downtown revitalization plan to build up our retailers and service orientated businesses."

"Haskell is a great place to call home and we have infrastructure that many other communities in this area do not," said Sally Rueffer. "We have so much potential regionally to serve as a commerce hub for surrounding communities,

for tourism opportunities through hunting and monthly events, and services and retail for travelers passing by on Hwy. 277. Establishing a marketing plan for Haskell is not a decision to be made by one or two people here in the town, but by a cross section of residents and businesses. That's why this meeting is important to have and why we need community-wide input."

Haskell Chamber of Commerce director Sally Rueffer will discuss opportunities for growth for Haskell's commerce.

Mayor Gannaway and Mary Drury will discuss how other communities use marketing plans, current grant/loan opportunities available to Haskell's businesses and individuals, and resident participation in submitting their ideas for a new motto and logo for Haskell.

Refreshments will be served at the forum. No RSVP is necessary to attend. For further information on Haskell's community, services and retail, visit [www.haskelltxsonline.com](http://www.haskelltxsonline.com).

## Status of water table levels reported

Many questions are being asked about this past summer's lack of rainfall and the fall and winter precipitation and their effects on the water table levels. Rolling Plains Groundwater Conservation District measured water levels last week to determine the effects from the previous years pumping and the lack of recharge.

Well levels in Baylor County had dropped -0.61 feet or -7.32 inches, since January 2012. In the 15 years of water measurements, the average yearly decline has been -0.79 foot or -9.48 inches. Last year's decline relates to 0.78 years of average decline. The last two years represent 5.69 years of average decline.

Well levels in Haskell County had dropped in a range of -0.48 feet to -3.75 feet, with an average of -2.45 feet or -29.4 inches, since January 2012. In the 15 years of water measurements, the average yearly decline has been -1.30 foot or -15.6 inches. Last year's decline relates to 1.89 years of average decline. The last two years represent 4.46 years of average decline.

Well levels in Knox County had dropped 2.0 feet or 24.0 inches, since January 2012. In the 15 years of water measurements, the average yearly decline has been -0.37 foot or -4.44 inches. Last year's decline relates to 5.45 years of average decline. The last two years represent 18.60 years of average decline.

Due to the extreme variability of the Seymour Aquifer, varying rainfall, variations in recharge areas and pumping rates, water levels vary in the three counties.

## Benton selected as All-Star North coach

The Big Country Fellowship of Christian Athletes has announced the Big Country Chevy Dealer's FCA All-Star Festival which will be held during the spring of 2013. The Festival is an expansion of FCA's All-Star activities.

For the first time there will be an All-Star Boys' basketball game, as well as an All-Star Girls' Volleyball game. With the addition of these two new events, over 200 area student athletes and 24 coaches will take part.

Coaches for all the athletic events have been announced, and Haskell High School Athletic Director and Head Football Coach Grady Benton has been selected to help coach the North football team.

Completing his first year

with the Haskell Indians, his previous coaching experience was at Randall High School from 1999-2007 and Slaton High School from 2007-2011. Benton graduated from West Texas A&M in 1998 with a Bachelor of Science degree. He was a Harlon Hill, DII Heisman finalist in 1995. Benton and his wife Kayla have two children, Kailee, 9 and Kaison, 5.

The All-Star Induction Banquet will be held April 21, at the Abilene Civic Center with special guest speaker Sonny Cumbie from Texas Tech University. The Festival Awards Dinner will take place May 18, at ACU's Teague Center with guest speaker Case Keenum of the Houston Texans. The athletic events are scheduled for June.

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**PIPS ALUMNI**—Reliving their days as ball handlers in the PIPS program and performing during a half time program last week were Haskell Maidens, l-r, Crissy Bassett, Taylor Burson, Jacie Klose, Carson Hadaway, Reagan Hadaway and Maci Colley.

## Food managers course set

by Jane Rowan  
CEA/FCS, Haskell Co.  
Statistics indicate that foodborne illness continues to be a health issue in the United States. Each year, one in six Americans will become sick, 128,000 will become hospitalized, and 3,000 will die due to a foodborne illness.

If under the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) jurisdiction, each food establishment is required to have one certified food manager on site.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service in Jones, Haskell, Runnels and Taylor counties, is offering a professional food manager certification training course. This two day program will be

offered for \$125 on Monday Feb. 25 and March 4 at the Taylor County Extension Office in Abilene. Cost includes training, materials and a national food manager certification examination. The food manager's certification will be valid for five years.

This program is designed to not only prepare foodservice managers to pass the certification examination; it will provide valuable education regarding the safe handling of food. Almost 50 cents of every dollar Americans spend on food is spent on meals prepared away from home. Therefore, careful attention to food safety will help keep customers safe and satisfied.

Foodborne illnesses are estimated to cost thousands of dollars in lost wages, insurance and medical bills. With these statistics, knowledge of how to prevent foodborne illness is essential. The benefits of improved food safety include:

- Increased customer satisfaction
  - Improved relationships with health officials
  - Prevention of bad publicity and law suits due to foodborne illness
- By attending the course, foodservice managers will learn about:
- identifying potentially hazardous foods and common errors in food handling
  - preventing contamination and cross-contamination of food
  - teaching and encouraging personal hygiene for employees
  - complying with government regulations
  - maintaining clean utensils, equipment and surroundings
  - controlling pests

Foodborne illnesses can be prevented by following simple food safety practices. For more information or to obtain a registration form for the Professional Food Manager Certification Training course of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, call the Haskell County Extension Office at 940-864-2546 or the Taylor County Extension Office at 325-672-6048.

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## Obituaries

### Eugenio R. Trevino

Graveside services for Eugenio R. Trevino, 82, of Haskell were held Wed., Jan. 23 at the Rochester Cemetery in Rochester with Deacon Julian Estrada officiating. Arrangements were made under the direction of Smith Family Funeral Homes.

Mr. Trevino passed away Friday afternoon, Jan. 18 at Haskell Memorial Hospital in Haskell.

Born Oct. 30, 1930 in Georgetown, he was the son of Jesusa Jessica (Rendon) and Eugenio Trevino, Sr. He married Ernestina Carrion in Haskell and was a member of St. George Catholic Church. He was a farmer.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jesusa and Eugenio Trevino, Sr.; a brother, Jose Trevino; and three sisters, Maria, Julia

and Janie Trevino. Survivors include his wife, Ernestina Trevino of Haskell; three daughters, Marana Novoa and husband Ramon of Haskell, Debres Castillo of Woodlake, California, Yessia Trevino and Jose of Visala, California; four sons, Eugenio Trevino and wife Yolanda of Woodlake, California, Felix Trevino of Haskell, Jimmy Trevino and wife Debra of Powerdy, Joe Trevino and wife Marical of Visala, California; 27 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren; 11 great great grandchildren; three sisters, Manuela, Emilia and Lupe; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Online condolences can be shared with the family at [www.smithfamilyfh.com](http://www.smithfamilyfh.com).

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**PIRATES VS BRYSON**—Paint Creek Pirate #20 Blake Edwards, left, defends his Bryson opponent's shot. Pirate River McTasney takes a jump shot against Bryson.



**PIRATES VS THROCKMORTON**—Paint Creek Pirate #5 Dylan Webb, left, goes for two points against Throckmorton. Pirate Ben Steele #11, right, attempts to block a pass thrown by Throckmorton.



**LADY PIRATES VS THROCKMORTON**—Paint Creek Lady Pirate #10 Paige Ramirez, left, defends her Throckmorton opponent as Lady Pirates #20 Kellie Jenkins and #15 Kadie McCord standby to assist. Lady Pirate Baleigh Lopez, right, calls an offensive play for her teammates.



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# Alzheimer's support group to meet Mon.

by Jane Rowan  
CEA/FCS, Haskell Co.

The Haskell County Area Alzheimer's Support Group will meet Mon., Jan. 28 at the Haskell County Extension Office located at 101 S. Ave. D in Haskell. The one hour meeting will begin at 3:00 p.m. Caregivers, family members and friends of individuals with Alzheimer's or a related dementia, should consider attending this meeting that is open to anyone in Haskell County or the surrounding area.

The support group meets the fourth Monday of every

month from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The monthly meetings offer a confidential environment where participants can share their concerns, support each other, and learn ways to cope with the challenges associated with long-term caregiving.

For more information contact Jane Rowan, County Extension Agent/FCS at 940-864-2546 or Alzheimer's Association North Central Texas Chapter at 325-672-2907 or 1-800-272-3900.

# Wichita Brazos Musuem

Sun., Feb. 3 will be a big day for many Knox County residents and friends from surrounding counties. They will be attending the annual barbeque and fund-raiser for the Wichita Brazos Museum at Benjamin at 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Benjamin Memorial Building. Served at the meal will be the usual brisket, sausage, turkey, deviled eggs, pinto beans, potato salad, coleslaw and pies—all homemade by Knox County supporters—even homemade barbeque sauce.

something there that you must have! There were 130 items to bid on last year. Bidding will close at 1:30 p.m.

Door prizes will be given away throughout the meal. Over 90 prizes were given away last year, ranging from a \$50 bill to gift certificates from area businesses, and many "Oh Boy, Look What I Got" items.

The museum will be open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. for visitors to view this year's new exhibit. The "Knox County Wildlife Exhibit" is provided by Ronnie Urbanczyk, taxidermist, of Munday. The deer, bobcats, the squirrels playing ball, and many other animals and birds found in Knox County are a beautiful site to see.

# Brazos West Art Assn.

Pam Strickland of Haskell, was the program guest when the Brazos West Art Association met Jan. 14 in the Church of Christ annex. Strickland brought a program on floral design, complete with "hands on" application.

It seems as if Strickland was guided along the way from an early age to the present owner of Sue's Flowers & Gifts. She has had a passionate love of flowers since the age of three or four. She would go with her grandmother out in Granny's flower garden to pick her flowers. Thus began the seed of her present day passion.

Later she attended TSTI, obtaining a degree in commercial art and advertising. There she learned about color combinations, contrast and proportions. Then in time, she worked several years in the HEB floral department.

Strickland loves doing floral arrangements and helping customers. Even in spite of her own ideas, she believes foremost in pleasing her customers. She moved to Haskell from Waco to assist the business when Sue (her husband Jim's mother) had health challenges. It was to be only 3-4 months; but now has been four years.

Her favorite quote is "You can always teach technique, but you cannot teach passion." Her three passions are flowers, cooking and Jim.

She gave many guidelines

for flower arranging; as well as ways to strengthen and lengthen their lasting beauty.

Elaine Reed was selected to "follow along, with Strickland, replicating a start-to-finish bouquet with yellow roses, white calamaria, and various greenery. Next Strickland created a larger floral tribute of her talent—a most beautiful bouquet of dark blue larkspurs, deep red gerber daisies, fabulous yellow sunflowers with tiny filler-flowers and assorted green leaves.

Then, the fun began—names were drawn and Nelwyn Beakley and Jerry Bowers each received a yellow rose and white calamaria bouquet. Reed was the recipient of the to-die-for larger bouquet. Incidentally, the colors in this were red, blue, yellow and green—all primary colors in the art world.

At the program's conclusion, members realized that Strickland definitely has an interest in art. If you missed this program, you missed a most refreshing treat. Nothing lifts your spirits like living flowers and plants. Thank you Pam for sharing this window of beauty with us.

Attending were Betty Berry, Jessie Hill, Betty Hook, Barbara Fouts, Nelwyn Beakley, Elaine Reed, Jerry Bowers, Joyce Ivy, Pam Strickland (program guest) and Peggy Middlebrook.

Hostesses were Betty Hook and Barbara Fouts.

# 4-H Club news

The Haskell County Jr./Sr. 4-H Clubs held their monthly meeting Sunday afternoon, Jan. 20 at the Haskell County Extension Office. Nineteen 4-H'ers and leaders attended the meeting.

The meeting was led by Riley Sloan. The Pledge of Allegiance and the 4-H Motto and Pledge were led by Adaline Utley.

The 4-H Clubs had a short business meeting. They discussed the County Jr. Livestock Show in old business. The upcoming Clothing Project and Photography Project were discussed. A Clothing Lock-In will be held in Rule Feb. 2, that is open to any interested 4-H'er,

or school aged children that are age 8 and in the third grade up to twelfth grade.

The deadline on having the paperwork in for the Clothing Project is Feb. 11. The deadline for the Photography Project is Feb. 25. The County Fashion/Photography Show is set for March 3.

The 4-H'ers made some 4-H key chains and 4-H door hangers. Door prize winner was Abby Homeyer. The 4-H'ers then enjoyed refreshments furnished by Tammy Parham. The next meeting is set for Feb. 24.

For more information, contact the Extension Office at 940-864-2658 or 864-2546.

# Psychological reasons could determine when you file your taxes

Why do some people file their taxes right away while others procrastinate?

According to Dr. Steven Krebaum, clinical associate professor of psychiatry at UT Southwestern Medical Center, economics sometimes takes a back seat to psychology when it comes to tax season. Expectations often affect the process.

"Based on the literature, when a person files taxes is largely based on variables such as the individual's current cash position and expectations regarding either a payment or a

refund," he says. "Those with higher incomes tend to file later, particularly if they anticipate large tax payments, while those who expect refunds file earlier, especially if they think they will be getting large refunds."

However, these trends are not always consistent. "Interestingly, a number of psychological issues may cause even those who expect refunds to delay filing," Dr. Krebaum says.

Those reasons may include:

- being upset because stocks have taken a dip

and you don't want to face facts;

- not wanting to be realistic in regard to personal finances, which filing taxes forces you to do;

- anger toward bureaucracy, with resulting delay in filing because you don't want to "pay the

government"; or

- not wanting to be reminded of distressing personal issues, such as a recent divorce.

"Generally, it may be that psychology plays a larger role than economics in decisions of when to file," Dr. Krebaum says.

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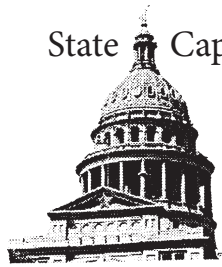
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# OPINION

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### HIGHLIGHTS By Ed Sterling

#### Dewhurst names Senate panel chairs

AUSTIN—Key to getting the 83rd session of the Texas Legislature in gear, Lt. Gov. David Dewhurst, president of the Texas Senate, on Jan. 17 made public his choices for committee chairs and members of each committee. Senate bills can now be assigned to committees and public hearings set.

Sen. Tommy Williams, R-The Woodlands, returns as chair of the body's powerful Finance Committee, whose primary task is to craft the state budget for 2014-2015.

Also named as committee chairs were senators: Kevin Eltife, R-Tyler, Administration; Craig Estes, R-Wichita Falls, Agriculture, Rural Affairs and Homeland Security; John Carona, R-Dallas, Business and Commerce; John Whitmire (dean of the Senate), Criminal Justice; Bob Deuell, R-Greenville, Economic Development; Dan Patrick, R-Houston, Education; Judith Zaffirini, D-Laredo, Government Organization; and Jane Nelson, R-Lewisville, Health and Human Services.

And, Kel Seliger, R-Amarillo, Higher Education; Juan "Chuy" Hinojosa, D-McAllen, Intergovernmental Relations; Royce West, D-Dallas, Jurisprudence; Troy Fraser, R-Marble Falls, Natural Resources; Glen Hegar, R-Katy, Nominations; Rodney Ellis, D-Houston, Open Government; Robert Duncan, R-Lubbock, State Affairs; Robert Nichols, R-Jacksonville, Transportation; and Letitia Van de Putte (Senate president pro tempore), D-San Antonio, Veterans Affairs and Military Installations.

Speaker Joe Straus has not yet named House committee chairs and members. In the 2011 session, Straus named them on Feb. 9. In 2009—his first term as speaker—Straus announced his committee appointments on Feb. 12.

As of the end of the second week of the session (Jan. 18), 748 bills and resolutions had been filed by House members, while Senate members had filed 201 over the same period. To give some idea of what lies ahead in that regard, in the last 140-day regular session, 7,003 House and 3,312 Senate bills and resolutions were filed.

The bill-filing deadline is March 8, the 60th day of the current session. The deadline applies to bills and joint resolutions (proposed constitutional amendments) other than local bills, emergency appropriations and bills that have been declared "emergency" by the governor.

#### Many gun bills are filed

More than a dozen state lawmakers have filed legislation

pertaining to firearms, as reported by many journals.

The bills deal with who, what, when, where and how a handgun can be carried, licensing procedures, permit fees, renewals and more.

One of the bills, SB 182 by Sen. Brian Birdwell, R-Waco, sets forth conditions under which a concealed handgun license holder may "carry" on land and buildings owned or leased by an institution of higher education.

In other news, a rally at the state Capitol on Jan. 19 against President Obama's recent gun control proposals drew several hundred people.

#### Year ends with job gains

December was the fourth straight month that the unemployment rate in Texas has declined, the Texas Workforce Commission reported on Jan. 18.

Texas' unemployment rate fell to 6.1 percent in December, down from 6.2 percent in November and from 7.4 percent a year ago, the agency's Chairman Andres Alcantar said. Also, private sector employers in Texas added 257,400 jobs since December 2011 for an annual growth rate of 2.9 percent.

"In December, we saw annual growth in 10 major industries, for an overall annual growth of 2.5 percent in Texas," Alcantar said. "With those positive strides and 11,800 private sector jobs added in the past month, 2012 was a strong year for Texas and my hope is that the Texas economy will build on that success in 2013."

Tom Pauken, the agency's commissioner representing employers, said, "Texas is leading the way in helping to make the United States energy independent. Our robust energy sector not only is creating good paying jobs for many Texans in that industry but also is spurring job growth in many other industries."

#### Travis letter to head home

William Barret Travis' "Victory or Death" letter written on Feb. 24, 1836 will be returned to the Alamo on Feb. 22 for a grand celebration at Alamo Plaza.

This will be the first time the letter—which resides at the the Texas State Library and Archives in Austin—has been at the Alamo since it left with a courier on horseback under the cover of darkness during the famous 13-day siege in 1836, Texas Land Commissioner Jerry Patterson said Jan. 16. Visitors will be asked to be silent and respectful when viewing the document "from a safe distance" and no flash photography will be allowed.

Alamo visitors will be able to view the letter Feb. 23 through March 7.

## From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

#### 10 Years Ago January 23, 2003

At the County Commissioners' meeting the names of Larry Cunningham, Samuel Toliver and Thomas Watson, Jr. were drawn to serve on the Grievance Committee for 2003. They will be contacted and asked if they are willing to serve.

The Paint Creek boys defeated the Rochester Steers 65 to 62, in a hard fought game. Leading the scoring for Paint Creek was Hobbs, 21 pts.; Medford, 20 pts.; and Lowrance, 12 pts. For Rochester, McGhee had 27 pts. and Self had 18 pts.

Vivian Roberson of Haskell celebrated her 94th birthday with a party hosted by Faye Simpson at the Haskell Healthcare Center. She also celebrated with her granddaughter and great granddaughter, Lisa and Lauren Whiteley.

#### 20 Years Ago January 28, 1993

Several faculty members from Paint Creek School, presented a program entitled "Outcome-Based Education: A Version From a Small Rural School," to a group of educators in Austin. Representing Paint Creek were Jerry Morgan, Debbie Hobgood, Kristi Byerly,

Monique Morgan and Julie Peel.

Laurie Hester of Weinert was united in marriage to Paul Irby in an afternoon ceremony at Weinert Baptist Church. She is the daughter of Jerry and Wanda Hester of Weinert, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hester and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller, all of Haskell.

Patricia Ann Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Henry of Haskell, received a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration at commencement ceremonies held at Texas A & M University.

#### 30 Years Ago January 27, 1983

Rusty White, a fourth grader at Rule Elementary, received Grand Champion honors in the 1982-83 Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District's Conservation Poster Contest.

Donita Dale Hudgens of Weinert, completed requirements for a Bachelor of Science in Education degree from Midwestern State University.

The Brazos West Art Association selected Laverne Barnett as Artist of the Month for January. Her paintings are displayed at Big Country

Savings.

#### 40 Years Ago January 25, 1973

Kim Hager of Weinert, exhibited the Grand Champion Steer at the recent Haskell County Junior Livestock Show. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Hager of Weinert.

G.B. Therwhanger has taken over duties as Andrews County deputy criminal investigator. A graduate of Weinert High School, he is the son of G.B. Therwhanger Sr. of Munday, and Mrs. Eula Therwhanger of Haskell.

Abe Turner was presented the Silver Beaver Award at the banquet of the Chisholm Trail Council Boy Scouts of America. He became an Eagle Scout in 1951 and has remained active in the Scouting program.

#### 50 Years Ago January 24, 1963

The Ballard cousins, Don, John and George, of Rochester, placed first in each of the three weight classes in the Fat Steer division at the Haskell County FFA Livestock Show held at Rule.

Judy Kay Sego was elected president of the Youth Council at First Baptist Church of Haskell. Also elected were Barry O'Neal,

vice-president and Sharon Robertson, secretary.

Announcement was made that V.C. (Dick) Dulaney has been named the new Nutrena dealer, and is opening the Haskell Feed Store, located across the street from the Brazelton Lumber Company.

#### 100 Years Ago January 25, 1913

Brevard Long and Eugene Williams returned Monday from Stamford, where they were Saturday, with the basketball team, to play a game against the Stamford team.

Will Neinst and Emma Stegemoeller of Sagerton were married in the Envony Lutheran Church. Both are prominent and well-acquainted citizens and of estimable Sagerton families.

## Letters to the Editor

Dear Caron,

Your mention of my mother's (Mary Kaigler's) slogan, "Haskell Alive! Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow," in the article on the January 28th planning meeting would have pleased her to no end. She believed in the vitality of Haskell and often spoke of Haskell's rich potential. As newcomers, my husband, Bud, and I are looking forward to attending the meeting and then taking part in the effort to reach that potential of which she spoke.

Best regards,  
Karen Kaigler-Walker  
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Dear HCJLS supporters:

We would like to send a big thank you to the citizens of Haskell County, parents, grandparents and area businesses for their support during the Haskell County Jr. Livestock Show that was held Jan. 10-12. We appreciate your support of our local 4-H and FFA kids.

Sincerely,  
Lance Sloan  
Haskell County  
Stock Show President



## Ask the Mayor

By John Gannaway, Mayor of the City of Haskell

Knock on wood, I haven't had the flu in several years. I always get my annual 'flu shot' and try to wash my hands more than normal and stay away from folks who are sick. By the way, if you are sick, please go see a doctor, get some medication and stay home if at all possible until you are well. I was watching a program on television the other day where they had a manikin fixed up to demonstrate how far germs could be spread following a cough, up to 6'. I assume their demonstration was factual and I was amazed at just how far germs are spread following a cough. Moral of the story—if you are the cougher, please turn your head and cover your mouth, suggested to cough into your arm (elbow area); if you are in the area, stay as far away as possible. Also, if you haven't gotten your flu shot, it is not too late. I always aim for the month of October. For those of you who cannot take the shot because of allergic reactions, the pharmaceutical industry is developing a serum which does not use eggs for its production of the serum. Once this serum becomes widely available, there will be no reason not to get this vaccination. For those of you who say, "I never had the flu until I got the flu shot," you got the strain which was not included in the vaccine.

On our last trip to Lubbock to visit one of our speciality health care providers, the wife and I made a side trip through downtown Slaton. I find it hard to believe we lived in Lubbock 28 years and never

once travelled through their downtown area. One of the first things I noticed was the condition of their roads—they had no potholes. Having lived in that part of the state for 28 years, I know that their weather is oftentimes much more harsh than ours. I was puzzled as to why their roads were not in a condition similar to ours. It may be because they do not have their water, sewer and gas lines under their roadways or it might be because they have discovered a solution to keeping their roads in such good condition. One of my goals this coming week is to call the person in charge of their roadways and see if he will share his secret. More on this to follow next week.

As you are travel around the country, I encourage you to get off the beaten path and travel through some other towns. Make a note of things they are doing that might be beneficial to us and then pass the word on to the folks at City Hall or to any of our elected officials. We are all receptive to ideas that will make our town an even better place for all concerned.

This is the time of year when my yard work is not a great deal of fun. I have to severely cut back the rose bushes, remove all of the dead debris from our Knaves Cap beds, cut the Mexican petunias back to about 4 inches above ground, prune the Esperanzas and the list goes on and on. However, I know if I don't do these things, when springtime arrives and these plants start to put out their new growth I will be disappointed in

what I see. I realize a pretty yard takes a lot of time and effort and thank goodness I am still willing and able to do what needs to be done.

Maybe, just maybe, I have finally made some headway with getting a Weight Watchers program started here. I have finally convinced them that I was not wanting to start a program just for city employees but for anyone in the city and surrounding towns who is interested. I have only been working on this for over a year and hopefully, we are well on the way to having our own weekly meetings with a lecturer. I now have names and telephone numbers so I can stay in contact and see how things are progressing.

After reading the Abilene Reporter-News this Sunday morning concerning the Cline Shale development, it is becoming more and more evident that we had better stay on top of this activity as it develops and do everything we can to make certain we do not get blind-sided if and when this drilling activity begins in our area. In my opinion, the most important thing we have to guard against would be a burst of growth that is all temporary and, when they depart, we are left with an empty shell.

Practice for the Easter Cantata has begun, and I am so glad because my wife was having a very difficult time finding something to do to occupy her Sunday afternoons. She loves to sing and looks forward to practice plus it gives me time for

an extended Sunday afternoon nap.

Our Police Department is still one person shy of being fully staffed. Our Public Works Department is also short a body. However, both departments have some applications and it will be interesting to see if any of these applicants can fill our needs.

On a more personal note, I find it very satisfying to watch the committees and boards that are responsible for such things as the Country Club, the Memorial Civic Center, the Zoning Board, the Housing Authority. Everyone of them, at some point in time, has had or will have a time in which they are not functioning as they should. It is always interesting to watch these groups as they address these times and situations, solve whatever problem is there, and then move forward. As we all strive to progress, it is my opinion that the levels of communication and cooperation will increase and we will all be surprised at what we can accomplish. Slowly but surely we are becoming a community of shared and common goals rather than a town composed of several entities each with its own goal. The stronger that feeling of community becomes, the greater the likelihood we will not only survive but grow and flourish.

Mark your calendar, Mon., Jan. 28, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Haskell Memorial Civic Center. We are having a forum to build a vision and marketing plan for Haskell. This is our town and we all need to be there. See you there!

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**BASKETBALL MAIDENS INDIANS**



HASKELL INDIANS—Front row, l-r, #10 Dakota Silvas, #14 Matthew Martinez, #24 Dylan Hanson, #20 David Newton; back row, Coach Tate Thompson, #22 Kade Colley, #30 Brett Shelton, #40 Henry Smith and #12 Kelby Bell.

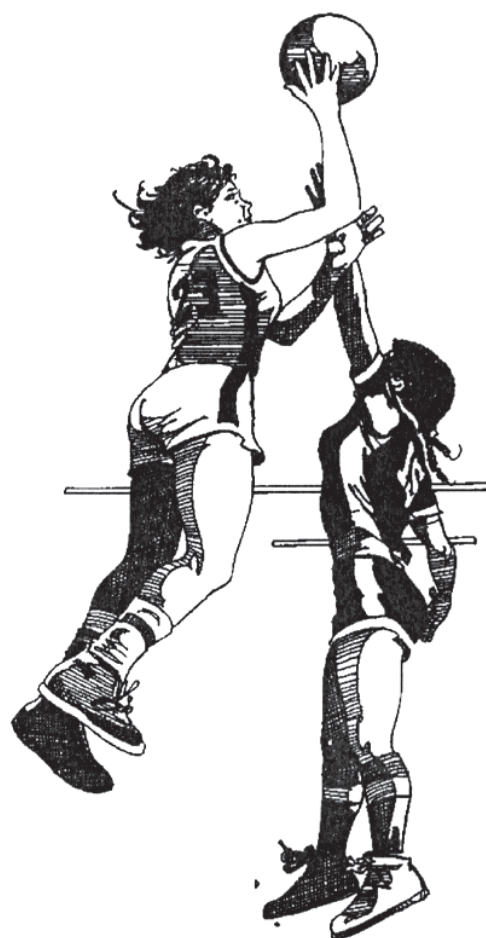
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**at Stamford**



HASKELL MAIDENS—Front row, l-r, #32 Dana Rodriguez, #23 Crissy Bassett, #53 McKenzie Shelton, #15 Reagan Hadaway and #5 Jacie Klose; back row, #11 Taylor Burson, #43 Caitlan Johnson, #41 Carson Hadaway, #31 Maci Colley and #21 Myra Rodriguez.



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*Go Indians! Go Maidens!*





**GIFT BASKETS**—Baby sock snowmen were made by Rule FCCLA members as part of a gift basket project for 30 senior citizens in Rule Jan. 16. Members delivered a friendly snowman made from baby socks and homemade baked goods prepared in Family and Consumer Science classes. While visiting, members offered odd job assistance for community service. Students pictured are, l-r, Alysia Hollabaugh, Luis Diaz, Celeste Caddell, Abel Sandoval, Jennifer Starr, Taylor Kimbro and FCCLA sponsor Fonda Newton.



**RULE STUDENTS MAKE MASKS**—Ellen Rieger's first grade class read a story about masks from other countries. They followed directions to make their own original masks. Students are, l-r, Shelby Saffel, Astrid Guzman, Sirena Baiza, Timothy Moore and Wayland Isbell.

## Students in the News

Students achieving the Dean's List for the 2012 fall semester have been announced by Angelo State University in San Angelo. To be eligible for the

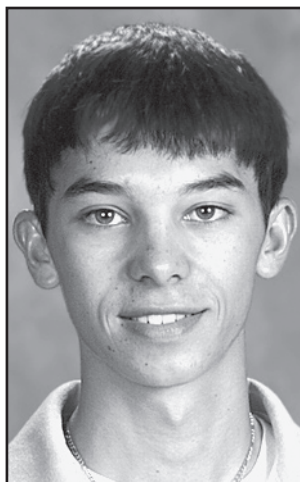
Dean's List, students must be enrolled fulltime at ASU and must maintain a 3.25 or better grade point average on a 4.0 scale. Students making the

honor roll from Haskell include Ryan D. Baumbach, Garrett D. Brueggeman, Codi B. Foster, Ethan R. Frierson, Angelica I. Gonzalez and Lisa G. Rodgers.

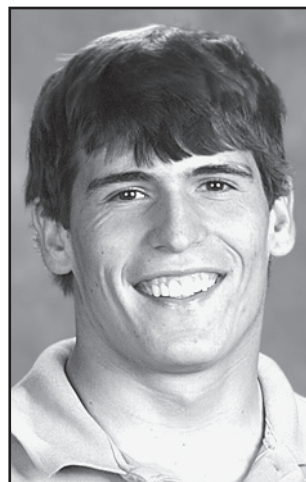
## ECC Menu

**Mon., Jan. 28**  
Beef enchiladas, Spanish rice, pinto beans, garden salad, chips, sauce, tea or coffee

**Wed., Jan. 30**  
Chicken fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, blackeyed peas, dessert, tea or coffee  
Announcements begin at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch.



**CANNON EDWARDS**



**COLE HUTCHINSON**

## Students visit Rotary Club

Cannon Edwards is the son of Tina Lamb of Haskell.

He attends Bethel Assembly of Anson.

At Haskell High School, he participates in FFA and shows pigs and plays baseball in athletics.

He likes to hunt and hang out with his friends.

He is undecided about which college he'd like to attend.

Cole Hutchinson is the son of Wayne and Cheryl Hutchinson of Haskell.

He attends Trinity Lutheran Church.

At Haskell High School, he participates in FFA and athletics.

He enjoys hunting and football.

He plans to attend the Tulsa Welding school and become a welder.

## This Week's Devotional Message:



### Faith reveals our greatest blessings

Our blessings that have come to pass,  
We tend to disregard;  
Because we see the greenest grass  
In someone else's yard.  
The magic thing we call success  
Eludes us, come what may;  
And thus it seems that happiness  
Will never come our way.

However, through the church we find  
That there's no need to roam,  
For happiness and peace of mind  
Are always close to home.  
So, don't go searching all around,  
And some day you'll agree:  
The greenest grass of all is found  
Wherever you may be!

## 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**  
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**  
Rev. Earnest Flanders, Jr., pastor  
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**  
Mitchell Greer, minister  
Sun. 10 a.m., 10:45 a.m.  
West on Main Street, Rochester
- First Baptist Church**  
Bishop Helsley, interim 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**  
Clovie 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**  
Alfa y Omegas  
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 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

**Jan. 28-Feb. 1**  
**Breakfast**  
1% white milk and fat-free flavored milk always available at every meal.  
**Monday:** Biscuit, sausage, gravy, apple juice  
**Tuesday:** Breakfast pizza, orange juice  
**Wednesday:** French toast, fruit punch juice  
**Thursday:** Breakfast on a stick, apple juice  
**Friday:** Funnel cake, orange juice

**Lunch**  
1% white milk and fat-free flavored milk always available

at every meal.  
**Monday:** Country fried steak, whipped potatoes with gravy, savory green beans, wheat roll, strawberry cup  
**Tuesday:** Chef Boyardee ravioli, garden salad, breadstick, baby carrots, apple slices  
**Wednesday:** Chicken fajitas, salsa, charro beans, seasoned corn, orange smiles  
**Thursday:** Beef and cheese chalupas, garden salad, refried beans, salsa, applesauce  
**Friday:** Baja fish portions, hushpuppies, coleslaw, sweet potato fries, sliced peaches

## Paint Creek School Menu

**Jan. 28-Feb. 1**  
**Breakfast**  
Juice and milk are served daily.  
**Monday:** Pancake sticks  
**Tuesday:** Biscuits, sausage, gravy  
**Wednesday:** Bagels  
**Thursday:** Muffins  
**Friday:** Donuts  
**Lunch**  
Milk is served daily.

**Monday:** Corn dogs, baked beans, tomato, cucumber, pineapples  
**Tuesday:** Nachos, refried beans, salad, oranges  
**Wednesday:** Chicken patty sandwich, fries, cucumbers, Jell-o  
**Thursday:** Beefy mac, baby carrots, salad, breadsticks, grapes  
**Friday:** Pizza, corn, salad, fruit

## Player of the week

Haskell Maiden Reagan Hadaway, a forward, was named to the Abilene Reporter-News Big Country Player of the week list Tues., Jan. 22.

Hadaway averaged a double-double for the week, beginning with a 21-point, nine-rebound effort in a 44-30 win over Anson on Tuesday.

The sophomore athlete

hurt Albany with 23 points and 14 rebounds in a 46-26 win to give the Maidens sole possession of first place in District 9-1A, Division I with a 5-0 league mark.

Haskell coach Blake Eddleman said, "Reagan is a high-character kid who takes pride in her play on both ends of the floor. She is going to be a joy to watch and coach over the next two years."

## Haskell Co. Arrest Report

The following arrests were reported by the Haskell County Sheriff's Office during the week of Jan. 14-20:  
Jesse Overton, DWI 1st.  
Cody Joshua Wyrick,

warrant assault family violence.  
Dakota Demi Willis, burglary of building state jail felony, credit card abuse state jail felony.  
Twenty-six calls were made to 911.

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### For Rent

**FOR LEASE:** Retail and office space. Big Country Real Estate 864-2238. 3fc

**IN ROCHESTER!** Rent to own. 3 bedroom. \$300 month. 604 Railroad. 325-829-1935. 3-4c

### Help Wanted

**SONIC DRIVE IN** in Haskell is now taking applications for all positions. Apply in person. 44ffc

**WES-T-GO and SUBWAY** are now accepting applications. Apply in person at store. 400 N. Ave. E. 3-10c

**THE CITY OF RULE** is accepting applications for a part time water superintendent assistant. Wages DOE. Go by Rule City Hall, 701 Union Ave., Rule, Texas to pick up application, or call 940-996-2214 for more info. 3fc

### Real Estate

**FOR SALE:** 3 bedroom, 1 bath. Possible owner financing. Big Country Real Estate 864-2238. 3fc

### Public Notices

**NOTICE**  
Haskell County Commissioners' Court will accept bids on a 140 M CAT motor grader. Specification sheet can be picked up at the County Judge's office. Deadline for bids is February 6, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. when they will be opened. They will be presented to Commissioners' Court on February 11, 2013. Motor grader can be seen at Haskell County Pct. 4 barn. Call Commissioner Kreger at 940-256-3144. Haskell County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. 3-4c

**NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)**  
To the registered voters of the City of Haskell, Texas:

(a los votantes registrados del Cuidad de Haskell, Texas):  
Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 11, 2013, for voting in a general election to elect 3 Aldermen.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales citadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 11 de mayo de 2013 para votar en la Elección General para elegir 3 ek meimbro, de consejo.)  
Locations of polling places

(Direccion(es) de las casillas electorales)  
City Hall, 301 South 1st Street

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at  
(La votación adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en)

City Hall, 301 South 1st Street  
between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 29 and ending on May 7, 2013.(entre las 29 de la

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# Maidens Basketball Report

## Maidens take down Lady Tigers 44-30

The Maidens got off to a slow start the first quarter but finished strong at home in a 44-30 win over Anson. Down four points at the end of the first quarter, Haskell slowly warmed up and ended up outscoring Anson by 18 throughout the rest of the game to move to 4-0 in district play.

Reagan Hadaway led the offense with 21 points while sister Carson Hadaway had 12, Jacie Klose 6 and Caitlan Johnson 5. Leading the team in assists was Klose and R. Hadaway with 3 each. "Offensively, we did a nice job valuing each offensive possession and our shot selection was really good," Haskell head coach Blake Eddleman said.

The Maidens performed well on the defensive end holding the Lady Tigers to only 19% from the field. "Defensively, all the girls did a great job playing tough intelligent defense," Eddleman said. "We have a very smart team and that has allowed us to tweak a few of our man to man rules from game to game throughout district." R. Hadaway led the team in rebounds with 9 followed by C. Hadaway with 6, Johnson 6 and Myra Rodriguez 5. R. Hadaway, C. Hadaway and Rodriguez all lead the team in steals with 1 each.

"Overall, I thought we did a good job taking care of business and protecting our home court," Eddleman said. "Anson started the game strong with a lot of confidence and we were able to slowly take control of the game and secure the win. I think that says a lot about our team and the toughness that we have been playing with throughout district."

Anson	10	7	8	5	30
Haskell	6	13	11	14	44

Scoring: R. Hadaway 21, C. Hadaway 12, Klose 6, Johnson 5.

Team field goals: Anson (11-56) 19% vs Haskell (18-53) 34%.

Team free throws: Anson (5-10) 50% vs Haskell (5-11) 46%.

Team turnovers: Anson 13 vs Haskell 14.

Team rebounds: Anson 23 vs Haskell 33.

## Maidens dominate Lady Lions to Sweep Round One in District 9-1A

The Maidens traveled to Albany last Friday night for a district 9-1A showdown between two undefeated teams in district play. This had the making of a really good game for both teams and their fans. However, Haskell started fast and finished strong in a dominating win 46-26 over Albany to finish 5-0 in district play.

"This was a big win and I thought we played great especially on the defensive end," head coach Blake Eddleman said. "We knew who we needed to stop and contain on their team. We were able to hold Norton and Vickers to a combined 17 points. Johnson and Crissy Bassett did a great job against #21 Norton and the other girls did a smart job providing early help against her. R. Hadaway did an excellent job on #5 Vickers."

Sophomore R. Hadaway got a double-double finishing with 23 points and 14 rebounds. "I thought R. Hadaway played great all week on both ends of the floor. Everybody witnessed the points she was scoring throughout the week, but maybe the most impressive thing she did all week was holding two really good scorers to 0 points from Anson and Albany," Eddleman said.

Other leading scorers were C. Hadaway with 8 points, Johnson 7 and Klose

4. Leading the team in assists were Klose with 6, C. Hadaway 4 and Rodriguez 2. "Offensively, we did an excellent job breaking their press all night long," Eddleman said. "We showed a lot of patience, discipline, and all the girls passed the ball really well I thought."

Other leading rebounders were Klose with 5, Johnson 5, and C. Hadaway 4. Klose also lead the team in steals with 5. "Overall, I was really pleased with our play on both ends of the floor against Albany," Eddleman said. "The team has played well throughout district and it has been nice to have Senior Maci Colley back these past two games. She is a special person who has persevered and overcome a lot of adversity with her knee over the past year or so. We are all happy and feel extremely blessed to have her back and healthy enough to play."

Albany	3	9	10	4	26
Haskell	15	4	12	15	46

Scoring: R. Hadaway 23, C. Hadaway 8, Johnson 7, Klose 5, Bassett 2 Colley 2.

Team field goals: Albany (10-65) 15% vs Haskell (20-60) 33%.

Team free throws: Albany (6-11) 54% vs Haskell (5-12) 41%.

Team turnovers: Albany 15 vs Haskell 15.

Team rebounds: Albany 33 vs Haskell 31.

## JV Maidens

On Jan. 15, the JV Maidens defeated Anson, 23-18.

Leading scorer for the Maidens was Cheyanne Hill with 10 points, followed by Brittany Amos with 7 points. Destiny Pierce added 3 points, Dana Rodriguez 2 points and Maegen Hearn had 1 point.

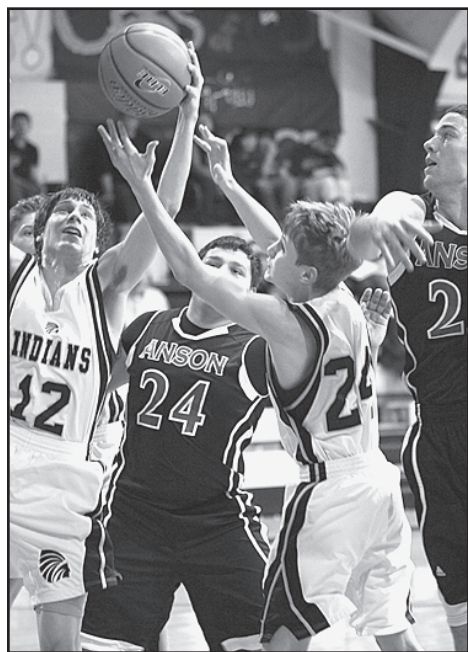
The JV Maidens came up short against Albany on January 18. The score was 29-21. C. Hill lead the Maidens with 8 points and Amos had 7 points. Shawnee Hill added 4 points and Rodriguez had 2 points.

The Maidens are 4-1 in the first round of District.

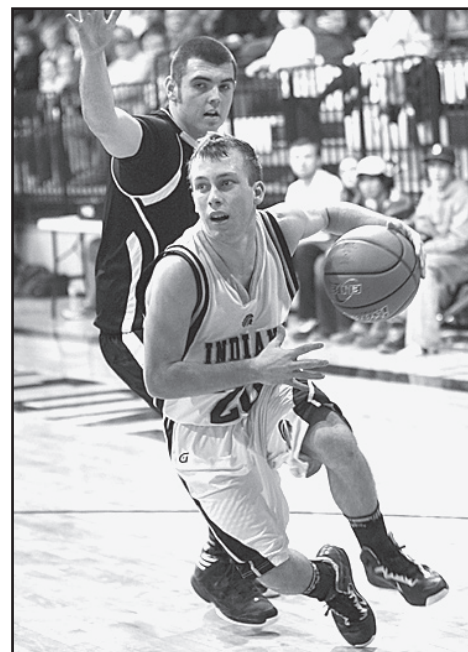
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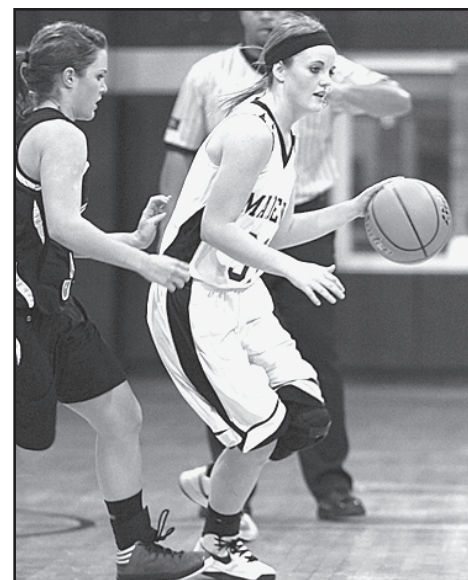
**HASKELL PLAYS ANSON**—Haskell Maiden #41 Carson Hadaway, left, goes up for two against the Lady Tigers of Anson. The Maidens won 44-30. Haskell Indian #30 Brett Shelton tips off during the matchup with Anson. The Tigers defeated the Indians in two overtimes 49-45.



**INDIANS IN ACTION**—The Haskell Indians fell to the Anson Tigers in two overtime periods by a score of 49 to 45. Haskell Indians #12 Kelby Bell and #24 Dylan Hanson, left, pair up to rebound against the Tigers. Haskell Indian #20 David Newton, right, heads to the goal for two points.



**MAIDENS TAKE DOWN LADY TIGERS**—The Haskell Maidens defeated Anson 44-30 in a strong finish on their home court. Haskell Maiden #43 Caitlan Johnson, left, brings down a Maiden rebound. Haskell Maiden #31 Maci Colley, right, drives around a Lady Tiger.



## Area basketball scores

**Girls**  
**Haskell 44, Anson 30**  
 Scoring for Haskell: R. Hadaway 21, C. Hadaway 12, Klose 6, Johnson 5.  
 JV: Haskell 23, Anson 18  
**Haskell 46, Albany 26**  
 Scoring for Haskell: R. Hadaway 23, C. Hadaway 8, Johnson 7, Colley 4, Bassett 2, Klose 2.  
**Paint Creek 48, Bryson 37**  
 Scoring for Paint Creek: Darnell 20, McCord 12, Ramirez 6, Trotter 5, Oliver 3, Jenkins 2.  
**Throckmorton 51, Paint Creek 20**  
 Scoring for Paint Creek: McCord 8, Darnell 7, Trotter 3, Lopez 2.

**Boys**  
**Anson 49, Haskell 45 (2OT)**  
 Scoring for Haskell: Martinez 11, Shelton 11, Bell 10, Hanson 6, Newton 5, Colley 2.  
**Albany 48, Haskell 39**  
 Scoring for Haskell: Bell 12, Colley 7, Hanson 7, Shelton 6, Martinez 5, Newton 2.  
 JV: Albany 43, Haskell 29  
**Throckmorton 70, Paint Creek 15**  
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- WHEN:** Monday, Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> - 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
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