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All this and much more as The Enterprise reports in this week's amazing edit

Hedley FBC to host banquet for seniors

The First Baptist Church of Hedley will host its annual Senior Citizens' Honor Banquet on Tuesday, March 3, 2009, at the church fellowship hall.

Great food and entertainment are being prepared for the wonderful senior citizens, and they would love for everyone to come and join them for this annual event.

The dinner starts at 6:30 p.m. and is free to all area senior citizens. No RSVP is necessary. Brisket, rolls, green bean casserole, baked potato, and dessert will be served.

CHS OAP to present 'The Bridal Night'

The Clarendon High School Drama Department will be presenting this year's One Act Play, "The Bridal Night" by Paul Avila Mayer, for the public on Sunday, March 1, at 3 p.m. and Tuesday, March

The cost is \$1 for students and \$3 for adults. Please do not bring children under the age of 5.

CISD announces **Child Find Efforts**

Child Find is a federally established, comprehensive system designed to assure that each child, regardless of disability, is educated toward his or her maximum potential. The purpose of Child Find is to locate, identify, and evaluate infants, children and young adults through age 21 who may have a developmental delay or other disabilities.

Clarendon CISD offers comprehensive special education services to eligible students ages 3 through 21 years and to children from birth through age 21 years who have a hearing or visual impairment. Children from birth to age 3 with other disabilities will be referred to appropriate agencies for services. All referrals are considered confidential, and services are provided at no cost to the family.

If you know a child who may have a problem with learning, speech, vision, hearing, or who has physical or health impairments, please urge his or her parents to contact Tashia Duncan at 84-3855.

A free, appropriate, public education with a full continuum of services is available to eligible children. Child Find can open the window of hope for a brighter

Chamber banquet to be held April 4

The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce has announced its annual banquet will be held Saturday, April 4, at the Bairfield Activity Center on the Clarendon

College campus. The theme for the evening will be "Hearts & Hats," and the

event will begin at 6 p.m. More details will be released as the date approaches.

County cracks down on illegal dumping

illegal dumping.

Charlie Jaramillo, age 68,

are prosecuting for illegal dumping," CR X. Lambert said. "This is a violation of on the weight and volume of what is and the sheriff's office. dumped."

and assured the owner that they had any he had seen before. approval from a property owner to

Two Hedley men were working dispose of the tires. But the tires this magnitude before," he said. to clean up county roads this week ended up along CR X and were disafter pleading guilty to charges of covered by County Commissioner was supervising the Jaramillos and Donnie Hall in September.

and Robert Jaramillo, age 51, were to the arrest of the men on October charged with a Class A Misde- 10, and their case was adjudicated the city stopped allowing its resimeanor after they dumped more than this month in county court before dents to dump once a month for 200 tires in four places along County Judge Jack Hall. County Attor- free," Holman said. Road X last fall, according to the ney Landon Lambert said the men Donley County Sheriff's Office and received 40 hours of community seem to be the most common items County Attorney Landon Lambert. service each to be served picking up dumped on the county road, but "We want people to know we trash on county roads starting with every day trash gets thrown out there

the health and safety code, and it can service Tuesday morning under the Coors case and ice bag that was still get up to a felony level depending supervision of county employees half full of ice.

Officials say the Jaramillos illegal dumping on county roads is to find out the proper way to dispose were hired to clean up a property a problem that seems to be getting of items, and the sheriff's office that had been repossessed last year worse but said this case was not like reminds everyone that illegal dump-

"We've never had dumping of prosecuted without tolerance.

County employee Billy Holman said the county has to clean parts of A subsequent investigation led CR X nearly every week.

"It's really gotten worse since

Furniture and appliances also. As the Jaramillos worked Tues-The Jaramillos started their day, among the trash was an empty

Lambert says people need to Chief Deputy Randy Bond said contact their city or county officials ing offenders will be arrested and



Charlie and Robert Jaramillo push an abandoned sofa out of the ditch along County Road X Tuesday. ENTERPRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLACK

Teamwork improves fields

By Ashlyn Tubbs, Clarendon Enterprise

The Clarendon High School Bronco and Lady Bronco baseball and softball teams aren't the only ones on the field practicing teamwork. While the teams work on running bases and catching pop flies, members of the community have united together to help make longtime visions for the ball fields come

In 2005, Clarendon saw members of the community join together in a spirit of cooperation to help make dreams of community leaders. parents, and kids for the ball fields become a reality. Now four years later, this same combined effort continues as upgrades to the fields near completion.

Among the new renovations that are currently in progress are the addition of two new sets of bleachers for all three fields as well as concrete pads under them, safety railing, a new outfield fence in the and safety panels. According to place to sit when they come to watch that," Stan Shelton said.

have completely got two brand new renovation. Clarendon College genparks," Clarendon ISD Athletic erously donated the new bleachers, Director Gary Jack says. "We just since they had some left over from need to keep upgrading our facilities their Equine Center. Greenbelt Water because it's just something contin- Authority donated sand to help with ual. The bleachers were a big part of the concrete. Some labor has been what we wanted to do next."

munity have volunteered their Leeper. Gary Jack drives the bus protime and labor to accomplish this vided by CISD for the transportation common goal, and many dads have of the inmates to and from Childress. munity effort. The superintendent also helped including Stan Shelton, ing bleacher and fence construction, around \$40,000. and Roy Williams, who is in charge of pouring concrete pads for bleach- doing," Roy Williams says. "There's ers and handicap ramps.

been a joint effort from the school, ent things to help out. It's a com-



Little League's Hart-Moore Field, Kyle and Kelly Hill work on the new bleachers at the Clarendon Softball Field this week.

Clarendon ISD Superintendent the Little League, and quite a few Monty Hysinger, the labor will be volunteers, along with all the donawell worth the effort so parents, fans tions that have been made. We have and citizens will have access to a some of the nicest facilities in dismuch better viewing area and a nice trict, and I'm pretty excited about

Local donations have drasti-"Since I've been here, we cally decreased the cost of this provided by inmates from Childress, Many members of the com- under the supervision of Tommy

According to Hysinger, this Randy White and Casey Cobb. Local project could have easily cost contractors have been hired to help, \$120,000; but with the help of comincluding Kelly Hill, who is oversee- munity donations, it should cost only

"It's a great thing what we're a lot of people coming together. A "All the work down there has lot of the fathers are doing differ- to benefit the baseball program and and have a great chance of going to



Roy Williams moves dirt to make way for a new handicapped ramp at the Clarendon Softball Field. ENTERPRISE PHOTOS / ROGER ESTLACK

"I remember playing in the of the schools is the head of it, but field in Little League, and it was it's just different people joining horrible," Noble says. "There were together and doing things to help stickers everywhere, and the fence make this possible. It's going to be and dugouts were bad. But now a nice facility when we finish it." we have one of the best fields in Senior Devin Noble expresses the Panhandle. Come out, enjoy his appreciation for the hard work the new facilities, and support us and dedication of the community because we're really good this year

Candidates beginning to emerge for elections

Two more candidates have election as of Tuesday morning. emerged for this year's local electhe Clarendon Board of Aldermen.

for re-election, and Larry Hicks has plans known. Melinda McAnear has also filed to run for the board.

city board - one held by Noble and berry (Place 1) and Alan Fletcher ernments. the other held by Alderman Ann (Place 2) have announced that they Huey. The mayor's position is also will not be seeking re-election. up for election. Neither Huey nor

Alderman Terry Noble has filed terms are expiring have made their for re-election.

Hardin, who seeking re-election on will elect three aldermen, and the tion, both running for a position on Donley County Hospital District, ees. The other member whose term two positions open this year. but the three board members whose is up, Joe Lemley, has not yet filed

said she intends to run for her Place for election this year for citizens Most positions are two-year terms, Two positions are up on the 3 position again, but Don Thorn-interested in any of six local gov- but school board members serve for

In addition to those positions Mayor Chris Ford had filed for re- date in this year's election is Wayne two aldermen, the City of Hedley May 9.

No candidates have filed at the the Clarendon ISD Board of Trust- Hedley ISD Board of Trustees has

All local offices are elected atlarge, but hospital board candidates A total of 16 positions are up must sign up for a specific place.

Sign up continues through discussed above, the City of How- Monday, March 9, 2009; and the The only other declared candi- ardwick will elect the mayor and elections will be held Saturday,

CC eyeing wind farm on campus

Five electric wind turbines might be located on the campus of Clarendon College someday if contract negotiations now underway prove successful.

CC President Bill Auvenshine says the college is currently negotiating with US Wind Energy LLC concerning the possibility of locating the turbines south of the Livestock & Equine Center.

"We have about 50 acres that are being unused and have no plans for," Auvenshine said.

The deal, which was a topic on last Thursday's Board of Regents meeting, would be beneficial to the college in two ways.

"We would get a sizeable lease plus the opportunity to train our students in our wind energy program on these towers," the president said.

The college currently has 12 students enrolled in its wind energy program at the CC Childress Center.

Auvenshine said the energy company has presented Clarendon College with a contract, and it is now being reviewed by the college's attorneys.

In other college business, the Board of Regents last week approved a contract with an Amarillo company, Run Solutions, to improve and expand the college's information technology department. The college director of that department will remain in charge, but the company will help expand the use of the current system, Auvenshine said.

The board also continued to discuss building prospects in Pampa. Auvenshine said the college is looking at possible building sites and is in talks with the Gray County Commissioners Court about the possibility of the county carrying the bond to build facilities and then leasing them back to the college. The lease would be paid for with funds from the Gray County Maintenance Tax for Clarendon College, which was approved by voters in that county last year.

Auvenshine said the alternative to that plan would be for the college to form a public facilities corporation to borrow the money for facilities and pay it back with the Gray County Maintenance

The board also reviewed and approved the college calendar and college catalog for the next two years; approved the purchase of a new nursing mannequin at a cost of \$15,362; reviewed a draft of the college's five-year plan; and authorized moving its March meeting to March 12 to prevent conflicting with Spring Break.

The president talks too much

By Gene Healy, Cato Institute

A week ago, Barack Obama signed the largest spending bill in U.S. history. Monday he hosted a "fiscal responsibility" summit at the White House (a guilty conscience, perhaps?). Tuesday, President Obama delivered his first State of the Union address and issued a new round of lavish demands on the

In recent weeks, the president has been anywhere and everywhere, with a campaign-style blitz of media appearances and town hall meetings. But, hard as it is to imagine in this era of the omnipresent president, there was a time when presidents weren't seen much and were heard even less. There might be a lesson there for Obama.

Our founding fathers didn't want a president who'd perpetually pound the bully pulpit. They viewed presidential speechifying as a sign of demagoguery, and thought Congress should take the lead on most matters of national policy. They expected the nation's chief executive to pipe down, mind his constitutional business, and keep his hands to himself.

The "permanent campaign" that dominates modern presidential politics would have appalled our forefathers. Accepting the 1844 Democratic nomination, James K. Polk described the custom of the time: "the office of president of the United States should neither be sought nor declined."

When 19th-century candidates spoke publicly, they sometimes felt compelled to apologize, as 1872 Democratic contender Horace Greeley did, for breaking "the unwritten law of our country that a candidate for President may not make speeches."

From Washington to Jackson, presidents gave about three speeches a year on average. In his first year in office, President Clinton gave over 600. Things have changed, but it's not clear they've changed for

Obama's address tonight isn't technically a State of the Union (SOTU) address, purists insist, since he's only been in office a month. But with members of both Houses and the Supreme Court in attendance - standing to clap for every outsized promise — it will look and quack like one.

In early SOTUs, presidents rarely went on at Castro-like length. George Washington's first SOTU was a humble affair, just over 1000 words, devoid of imperious demands for congressional action.

That wasn't humble enough for President Thomas Jefferson, however, who disapproved of his two predecessors giving the SOTU in person before Congress assembled. Jefferson saw that practice as "an English habit, tending to familiarize the public with monarchical ideas," much like the British king's "speech from the throne.'

So our third president wrote out his SOTU speeches and had them hand-delivered to Congress. The Jeffersonian custom held for over 100 years, until the power-hungry Woodrow Wilson overthrew it. Of 219 SOTUs, only 71 have been delivered in person.

It's hard to imagine the camera-and-mike-hungry Barack Obama simply "mailing it in." But maybe he ought to think about making himself a little scarcer and pounding the pulpit less. If the president became less frantically visible, that might benefit the country and the president himself.

Today's president is a constitutional monstrosity: a national talk-show host with nuclear weapons. When the president dominates the airwaves, promising to cure all manner of economic and social ills, that leads the public to expect a presidential rescue plan for anything that ails the body politic.

The predictable result is an executive branch that rides roughshod over congressional prerogatives. The mortgage bailout Obama announced last week is a case in point, since the bulk of the plan, which has enormous repercussions for the U.S. economy, is being enacted without any action by Congress. A less vocal, less omnipresent president might help us right the constitutional balance of powers.

Moreover, it's not clear that all this speechifying is doing the president himself much good. After Obama announced his housing plan, one headline writer put it this way: "Obama Speaks, Market Listens,

When there's no escape from our national talkshow host-when he appears constantly above every gym treadmill-is it any wonder that we typically want his show cancelled just a few seasons in? Is it any wonder we get sick of him?

There was wisdom in the old ways. A president who talks less might be able to make his words matter more. And a president who promises less might be able to deliver more of what he promises.

Gene Healy is a vice president at the Cato Institute and the author of The Cult of the Presidency.



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Galveston still recovering from storm

History tells us that Mardi Gras' roots may have began in ancient Rome as a mid-February festival known as "Lupercalia." The celebration was in honor of the god Lupercus, the god of fertility, agriculture and pastoral shepherds, and had Mardi Gras-like observances, including days of feasting.

The celebration eventually spread across Europe, and it was the French who brought Mardi Gras to New Orleans the following in the late 1600s, which was firmly rooted in the city's culture by the mid

Mardi Gras, a French expression that literally means "Fat Tuesday," arose from the custom of parading a fat ox through the streets on Shrove Tuesday, the day before Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent. Now it is a days-long celebration of indulgence prior to Ash Wednesday, most famously celebrated in New Orleans.

Many countries and cities have their own special traditions prior to Lent. For almost 150 years, we have been celebrating our own Texas-sized Mardi Gras celebration, the largest celebration of its kind in Texas. This year, Mardi Gras! Galveston commemorates its 98th event since its inception in 1867.

The first Mardi Gras! Galveston was a prestigious and colorful affair in that it included a masked ball and a theatrical reenactment of Shakespeare's King Henry IV. One bystander described an 1867 parade by saying it "suddenly sprang out from the bowels of the earth with torch lights, cars and

horses." However, it was not until 1871 that the event was celebrated in a massive fashion. A year later, news-

texas times paper reports declared that year's grand Mardi Gras "promised to

Over the years, the parade carriages grew in splendor, and were soon replaced by automobiles. The glittering balls became more ostentatious. Soon Mardi Gras! Galveston became a grand attraction, with each year becoming

more extravagant than the last.

eclipse anything ever attempted on Texas

To the dismay of many, the longtime tradition came to a close in 1941 during World War II. For more than 40 years, Galvestonians celebrated Mardi Gras unofficially on their own, with individuals or organizations hosting private parties. In 1985, the citywide merriment was revived by Galveston residents George and Cynthia Mitchell, and the tradition is still going strong 24 years after the revival.

An annual event hosted by the City of Galveston, this year's celebration included 12 days of entertainment, beginning February 13th and continuing all the way up to Fat Tuesday - February 24th. During this period, Galveston Island came alive with more than 50

galas and events and 11 extravagant parades. Each year, revelers can be seen

donning elaborate masks and costumes. Live entertainment, featuring everything from Cajun and salsa to jazz and rock and roll, can be heard late into the night, and the festivities are not complete without mention of Galveston's renowned Gulf Coast cuisine. There is even a Mardi Gras Museum located in the Historic Strand District of Galveston Island.

In 2008, a bystander described one parade as "lighting up the night with ing beads and trinkets, led by marching bands and masked men on horses." Gras! Galveston each year, which provides a significant boost to the island's economy. This year's festivities, however, may prove to be more important than ever before.

Galveston is still struggling to recover from the onslaught of devastation brought by Hurricane Ike in September, evident by the fact that some shops in the Historic Downtown Strand District were not open for business for this year's Mardi Gras! Galveston. Galvestonians need our support, no matter how much or how little each of us are able to contribute.

This year's celebration provided a unique opportunity for Texans to help out their fellow statesmen, a responsibility inherent to our kind, and come together for a Texas-sized event.

massive floats, costumed revelers throw-More than 250,000 people attend Mardi



Gitmo closure plan is premature

On September 11, 2001, the United States peered into the face of evil when 19 foreign terrorists brought the violence of Islamic extremism onto our soil, claiming the lives of nearly 3,000 Americans. That day changed the course of history, delineating the post-9/11 era from the days that came before. In the eight years since, America and its allies have boldly waged the Global War on Terror in an effort to prevent terrorism from ever reaching America's shores again and to protect free nations across the world. This conflict has presented our nation with unique operational challenges for which there is no wartime precedent, such as where and how to detain captured terrorists, including the self-confessed mastermind of 9/11, Khalid Sheikh Mohammed.

Since shortly after 9/11, enemy combatants have been detained at a prisoner facility at Guantanamo Bay Naval Base in Cuba. Now, the Guantanamo Bay detention facility has become a point of contention. Just two days after President Obama's Inauguration, he issued an Executive Order to close the Guantanamo Bay terrorist detention facility within a year. I believe this action is premature, and I am extremely concerned about the fast-looming deadline, particularly when no viable alternative for housing these dangerous terrorists and enemy combatants has been outlined.

President Barack Obama's Executive Order states that the closure, which would require the release or transfer of nearly 300 detainees, should be practicable and consistent with national security interests. This cannot happen without a full discussion and thorough plan for the detainment of these enemy combatants. The policy contemplates five scenarios for handling current detainees: hand them over to their home countries for incarceration; transfer them to a neutral country; transfer them to prisons on U.S. soil; send them to U.S. facilities abroad; or release them outright. Unfortunately, all of these alternatives heighten the threat to the lives of Americans at home

and abroad. Without question, the worst of these options is to send Guantanamo prisoners capitol to domestic prisons in the comment

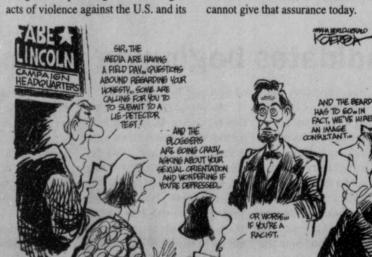
by sen. kay bailey hutchison United States. By taking this action, we would essentially place terrorists in the neighborhoods and communities of American citizens. In 2007, the U.S. Senate expressed its firm opposition to any plans to release Guantanamo detainees into American society or to house them in U.S. facilities, by a vote of 94-3. Vice President Biden (then-Senator of Delaware) was among the 94 Senators opposing transfer of the prisoners to the U.S; President Obama

(then-Senator of Illinois) was not present for the vote. Alternatively, transferring enemy combatants to prisons in foreign states or releasing them to their home countries is also a dangerous proposition. In January, it was reported that former Guantanamo detainee Said Ali al-Shihri, who had been released into the custody of Saudi Arabia, has subsequently resurfaced as a terrorist operative. Today, he is al-Qaeda's deputy leader in Yemen and is charged with planning and executing

allies. And al-Shihri is not the exception. According to the Pentagon, as many as 61 enemy combatants released from Guantanamo have since reconnected with terrorist networks and renewed their commitment to destroying America and our way of life. Even more frightening, these 61 former prisoners came from the group of 500 that were deemed less dangerous and were thus released. That means that the approximately 270 detainees currently in Guantanamo represent the most violent and nefarious

Clearly, a viable alternative to Guantanamo has not yet been identified. Expediting closure of this detention facility without absolutely ensuring American lives won't be endangered would place misguided foreign policy goals above the protection of our homeland. Moreover, it signals a dangerous return to the pre-9/11 mindset.

to the President, urging him to reconsider his Executive Order and to reject any option that could land terrorists in Texas or anywhere else on American soil. Before setting a deadline to close the detainment camp at Guantanamo assured that the transfer or release of detainees will not increase the risk of harm to American citizens at home or



On February 11, 2009, I sent a letter

Bay, the American people must first be abroad. As it stands, the administration

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HHS UIL team competes at Canadian invitational

Hedley High's UIL academic

Marlee Sargent, Benedikt Grieger, the team. Jenni Allen, and Reid Copelin won placing 4th individually.

came close to winning, but they were Katrina Johnson. beaten out by larger schools. Amber for 4th place to pace the Calculator team, and Elizabeth Garcia completed

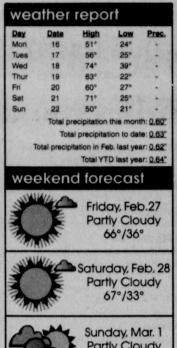
Dylan Pettit placed 2nd overteams got one more tune-up before all and 2nd in Biology, while Pete district by competing at the Cana- Howard placed 4th overall and 2nd in dian Invitational Academic Meet on Chemistry to pace the Science team. Reid Copelin, Kayla Elam, Kailee The Social Studies team of Burton, and Joey Allen completed

Also competing for Hedley was first place, with Sargent winning the the Current Issues team of Ethan individual gold medal and Grieger Naylor, Kayla Elam, and Patricia Valles; the Number Sense team of Both the Calculator team and Dylan Pettit, Pete Howard, Joey Science team placed second among Allen, Sarah Kwon, and Reid Copemore than a dozen schools of all clas- lin; and the Mathematics team of sifications at the meet. Both teams Sarah Kwon, Amber Burnam, and

Teams compete at Silverton Burnam and Skyler Conatser tied High School for district championships March 31. Winners will advance to regional competition at Abilene Christian University in April.



The Hedley UIL Team.



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Tourism committee to discuss July Fourth

By Terry Askew

Mark your calendars for March 5, 2009, at 5:30 p.m. when the will host a meeting at the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce office

Everyone is invited as plans are begun for the annual Saints Roost Celebration this July Fourth. Anyone with an activity during the celebra- Ministry Center, The Clarendon tion is encouraged to attend. The Enteprise, and KEFH. tourism group's goal is to help bring for this event.

In an effort to help coordinate the many different activities that take place during the Saints Roost Celebration this meeting should

bring together many different organizations. Special invitations are extended to representatives of the Donley County Tourism Committee Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association, Donley County Extension Service, Al Morrah Shrine Club, Chamber of Commerce, Henson's Turtle Race, the Downtown Merchants Association, Downtown

Any organization that wants to more people to all of Donley County do something new or renew an old

activity is encouraged to attend also. Groups that plan fundraisers might also want to send a representative to this meeting so appropriate plans can be made.

Critical wildfire danger predicted

Forest Service (TFS) is warning citi- aware of the conditions and should zens across the state of heightened not engage in activities, such as critically dry vegetation.

The area of concern is the I-35 start. corridor and west.

wildfire is one that can exceed the an online database managed by TFS. control of local resources and pose a serious threat to citizens and prop- advisories and area conditions, go

COLLEGE STATION - Texas cent of wildfires. Citizens need to be

"The critical wildfire weather winter 2009 wildfire season, which and critically dry fuels present a began on January 22, 2009, TFS serious concern to this area of the has responded along with local state," said Tom Spencer, predictive fire departments to 186 wildfires services department head for TFS. for 30,009 acres. During the same "These conditions could easily lead period, local fire departments have to significant wildfire occurrences." reported an additional 1,255 wild-Spencer said that a significant fires for 25,191 acres according to

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GOD'S BAIL OUT

Of course all the news is centered around the "bail outs" going on in our country. The banks are getting them; the car makers are getting them; people who don't even pay taxes are getting them. I get so angry just thinking about it.

Then I remember that I received a bail out and you did too, and we didn't deserve ours either. This plan was conceived long before mankind even needed it (Eph. 3:11 calls it the "eternal purpose"). God knew before Creation that mankind would sin and need a Redeemer. He was much more proactive than any government. He began the "scheme of redemption" and when we read the Bible, we can see that plan come

He set aside a group (nation of Israel) that through it might come the Savior. Our Savior came, as the prophets prophesied, and laid down His life that our debt might be cleared. (Romans 5:8) "But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us." (1 John 3:16) "By this we know love, because He laid down His life for us." These two verses show the motive for God's bail out: love. While our government spends our grandchildren's retirement for bail outs, their motives are for votes and power. God's motive is simply His undying love for mankind. (John 3:16) "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life."

In the days, months, or years to come, as we ponder the "free stuff" being given away by our government, let us remember a far greater gift that is "free" to all of us; free for us, very costly for our Savior. Eterna salvation, what a bail out! I pray that all would avail themselves of wonderful plan.

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Community Calendar

February 24

Bronco Baseball v. Childress • 4 p.m. . McClellan Field

Miss Bulidog Pageant • Harned Sisters Auditorium • 7 p.m.

February 26 CC Basketballl v. Western Texas . Bulldog Gym • Girls 5:30, Boys 7:30

February 27 Lady Bronco Softball v. McLean . 3:30 · Lady Bronco Field

Bronco Baseball v. Shamrock • 4 p.m. • in Shamrock

March 2 Texas Independence Day

Bronco Baseball v. Caprock JV . 4:30 p.m. • in Amarillo

Lady Bronco Softball v. San Jacinto . 4 p.m. • Lady Bronco Field

March 5

July 4th Planning Meeting • 5:30 p.m. . Chamber Office

March 8 Daylight Savings Time

March 17 St. Patrick's Day

April 4

Chamber Banquet . Hats & Hearts • 6 p.m. • Bairfield Activity Center

Menus

March 2 - 6

Donley County Senior Citizens Mon: Beef fajitas, pinto beans, Spanish rice, fruit salad, cookies. Tue: Chicken strips/gravy, French fries, pea salad, peach cobbler,

Wed: Roast/brown gravy, mashed potatoes, applesauce, pecan pie,

Thu: Beef stew with veggies, cheese sticks, broccoli salad, Jello/whipped cream, cornbread.

Fri: Chicken/fried rice, egg rolls, tangy fruit slaw, applesauce cake.

Hedley Senior Citizens

Mon: Cornish game hens, mashed potatoes, German cabbage, Waldorf salad, bread pudding, roll. Tue: Mexican pile-on, Spanish rice, beans, lettuce, tomato, onions, brownles, chips & crackers,

Wed: Steak & gravy, broccoli rice casserole, buttered carrots, jello salad, baked apples, roll, Thu: Beef stew, potatoes, carrots,

onions, tomato, apple rings, pudding, corn bread. Fri: Catfish, onion rings, turnips &

greens, potato salad, cobbler, corn

Clarendon ISD Breakfast

Mon: Cereal, toast, pears, milk. Tue: Sausage, biscuit, gravy, peaches, Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk.

Thu: Eggs, toast, jelly, apricots, milk. Fri: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk.

Mon: Chicken nuggets, corn, salad, Tue: BBQ Weiners, pinto beans, potato

salad, fruit, milk Wed: Pork roast, gravy, potatoes, green beans, fruit, roll, milk

Thu: Beef nachos, spanish rice, salad, Fri: Hamburger with cheese, lettuce,

pickles, oven fries, cobbler, milk

Hedley ISD

Mon: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, peas & carrots, rolls, fruit, milk, Tue: Hot dogs, pinto beans, fruit, tossed salad, chips, milk, Wed: Spaghetti, cut green beans, diced peaches, Texas toast, Juice,

Thu: Fish strips, tossed salad, fruit, mac & cheese, hot rolls, milk Fri: Hamburger, lettuce & tomato, baked beans, pickle, onlons, & olives, crispy rice treat, milk.

Bible study to be offered on Revelation

The message of comfort and hope from the Book of Revelation will be the topic of an upcoming study at the Church of Christ Family Life Center at Third and Carhart.

The study will be held on Wednesday mornings from 10 to 10:45 and will span all of Revela-

The approach of the study will be to decipher the symbols and explain the visions God gave John to comfort and give hope to the first century church struggling to survive persecution by imperial Rome. The only text is the Bible. Don Stone will present the series. Everyone is welcome. There will be 12 sessions.

For more information, call 874-

Senior citizens to be honored next Tuesday

Banquet on March 3 at 6:30. They NC 28601. put on this Senior Citizens Banquet great time.

days, blizzards, old radio station, etc. and if you want one, I have some. cream-filled chocolate sandwich foil, cut into 48 pieces.

The Hedley Baptist Church and The deadline is April 30, 2009, so Just give me the Hedley School is inviting every- mail your entry to Hometown Mem- a call at 856one to come to their Senior Citizens ories, 1030 15th. Ave NW, Hickory, 5302 or get in

every year for free. The kids sing and guy some really good stories and News. serve the meals, and everyone gets a tell it like it was. Anything from the door prize. It is always good fun to depression, homemade clothes, Sat- Cookies be around so many people having a urday nights, encounters with crit- Cream Fudge: by kathy ters, haunted houses, skinny dipping, 3 cups granu- Hedley • 856-5302 There is a book going to be first date, first kiss, games, pets, out- lated sugar, 34 written about the "Good Old Days" house stories, party lines, windup cup (1-1/2 sticks) butter or margain the Texas Panhandle. The editor record players, spankings at school rine, 2/3 cup (5oz.can) Nestlé Carstories about your childhood, school that has to go along with your story; mallow crème, ½ cup finely crushed or until firm. Lift from pan; remove

Come on, folks, let's give this Amarillo Globe-

Recipe: Chatty

cookies, 1 teaspoon vanilla extract (optional), 1 cup crumbled creamfilled chocolate sandwich cookies. as hostess; with lots of visiting and Line 9" square baking pan with foil, quilting and with a wonderful lunch Combine sugar, butter and evapo- served. rated milk in medium, heavy-duty saucepan. Bring to a full rolling boil, stirring constantly. Boil, stirring constantly for 3 minutes. Remove from heat. Stir in morsels, marshmallow crème, finely crushed cookies and vanilla extract. Pour into prepared the Josie Burgess home. pan. Sprinkle crumbled cookies is Bob Lasley, and you call him toll and more when you got home. There nation Evaporated Milk, 2 cups (12 on top. Gently swirl cookies into free 877-491-8802 if you have ques- has got to be some great stories out oz pkg) Nestle Toll House Premier fudge using a knife without touching tions. If you are over 60, he wants there. There is a submission form White Morsels, 1 (oz) jar marsh- bottom of pan. Refrigerate for 1 hour

Quilting Club held regular meeting

The Golden Needles Quilting Club met at the Cole home with Gay

Those present were: Eva Lee Swinney, Jo Shaller, Mary Lynn Manning, Josie Burgess, Amanda Askew, Donna Barns, Ann Bunyan, Rosa Lee Watson, and Gay Cole.

Our meeting in March will be at



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The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular Tuesday noon meeting February 24, 2009, with Boss Lion Cameron Word.

We had 22 members this week. The club discussed our eye-

Lion Bill Auvenshine presented will explore how the brain takes in are very healthy and should be used sumer sciences agent for Donley our program and showed a PowerPoint presentation on his recent cruise to several points on the Medi-Participants will learn differ- noon meal at the center costs \$3 for terranean Sea and several historic in-hand," said Andrew Crocker, new things, and you may be sur- ent memory strategies and be able to persons age 60 and over, and \$6 for cities which played a part in shaping civilization as we know it.

> There being no further business, we were adjourned.

> > 319 S. Kearney

Extension program to focus on memory loss

"I'm Losing My Mind" will be the noon program on March 3 at sored by the Texas AgriLife Extension Service.

"Many people believe that memory loss and aging go handcialist in Amarillo and the program information," he said. presenter. "Your memory is only as

"You will discover that there your ability to remember." are several different ways to learn AgriLife Extension gerontology spe- prised at how you yourself learn new decide which one, or combination, everyone else, Bishop said.

"Whether you are making a

good as the information your brain shopping list for the grocery store or noon, but guests are invited to arrive new information and processes it. anytime you are uncertain about County.

fits them best, he said.

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make a mnemonic to remember how early enough to participate in the Crocker said if a person doesn't to spell success, you are employing regular meal served by the Senior glass program, and the new way that the Donley County Senior Center learn something to begin with, they a strategy to help your memory," Center, said MaryRuth Bishop, would be handled. in Clarendon. The program is spon- will never remember it. His program Crocker said. "Memory strategies AgriLife Extension family and con-

While the program is free, the

If you have a question about the Crocker will begin speaking at program, contact me at 874-2141.

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Friendship Club draws crowd

Carole Goemans, Carol Jean third Friday of McWilliams, and Peggy Gastin each month. worked hard decorating City Hall in Plan to join us the Valentine theme for Friendship next month. Club last Friday night where 34 met for good food, visiting, and enter- you heard the

February birthdays were Ron They Poppewell, Carol Jean McWilliams, being worked Linda Stout, and Betty Hammock; on in anticipaand there was one anniversary, Sam tion of storm and Nelda Grider.

hard in the church as well as hold- effect. ing office in the Friendship Club. the weekend, visiting from Taloga, please be careful with all fires. Okla. Thanks for helping out.

The Friendship Club meets the being named Assistant Fire Chief.

CC Livestock Team places fifth in contest

stock Judging Team competed in San Antonio this past week and placed fifth out of 18 teams.

The competition was extremely close and Clarendon was only eight points behind the second place team. Individually the team had three

10th, and Corey Taylor was 11th.



by peggy cockerham

season which begins in March. So

If you are new to our commu-Our scheduled entertainment, Dr nity and don't have a shelter, one is Guy Ellis, was called out to deliver a available. It is located between the baby calf so Mac Miller and Frankie Fire Station and the Dumpsters and Gambrel stepped up with some good holds a number of people. Sorry no music. We were lucky Frankie and pets. As you all probably know, a Russ Gambrel had come home for county wide burn ban is in effect, so

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Two 4-H members qualified

which was held February 3-6.

for the Sale of Champions. Those This week's 4-H Spotlight is two are Caden Farris, who placed on the Fort Worth Livestock Show. 7th with his European Cross Steer, which brought \$4.50 a pound; and Thirteen Donley County 4-H Jacob Pigg, who placed 10th with his members participated in the Live- Hereford Steer that brought \$6.50 a

The Fort Worth Livestock Show Patten, Trevor Cobb, Jayson Pigg, is recognized as the World's Largest and Toughest Steer Show.

Donley County 4-H is very proud of all of the participants and would like to wish good luck to those going to San Antonio and Houston.

Delta Kappa Gamma meets in Wellington

Caden Farris (right) at the Ft. Worth Stock Show.

4-H Spotlight: Ft. Worth Stock Show

Kappa Gamma International met on Hostel. Monday, February 16, in Wellington's First United Methodist Church with Lila Hoobler of Childress presiding. Dianne Phillips also of Chilbeen a member of Gamma Kappa since 1958 and served as president 1962-64. She had taught in Sam- led the group in singing the Delta norwood and Wellington for many Kappa Gamma Song.

gave a brief history of the World Fellowship fund before members made monetary donations to the fund. World Fellowship originated in 1948 Duke, Vickie Decker, Phyllis Floyd, to enable women in war-ravaged Nancy Henard, and Lennie Statham. countries to further their educations. Also attending were Depese Mills It has since awarded scholarships to hundreds of women in over 100 Lelia Lake. countries to study in the U.S.

a legislative update. Phyllis Preston women in 14 countries that promotes reported on the availability of Delta professional and personal growth of Kappa Gamma scholarships avail- women educators and excellence in able to members for university study education.

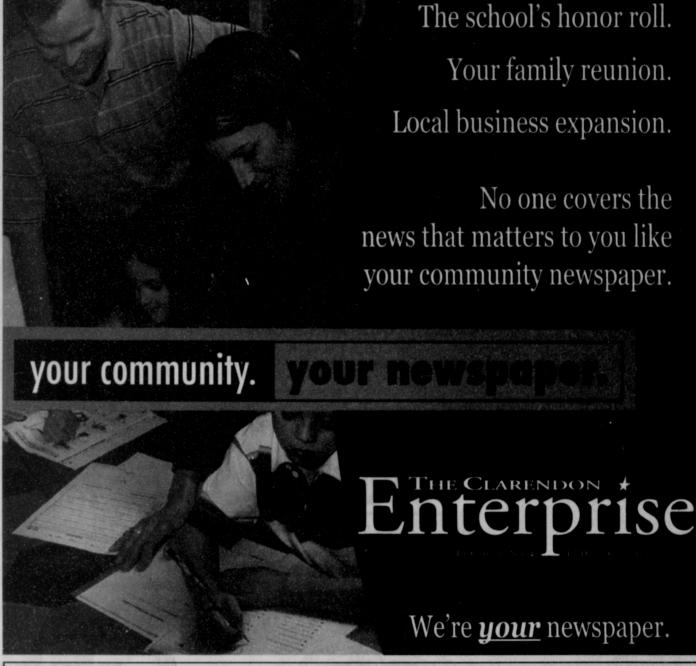
Gamma Kappa chapter of Delta continuing education and Elder

Judy Cudd of Wellington presented the program on her tested travel tips. She shared pointers on selecting luggage and travel clothdress conducted a memorial service ing, packing choosing hotels on a for L.C. Sweat of Wellington, who budget, using credit cards internadied on February 9. Ms Sweat had tionally, and navigating the European train system.

Thelma Shields of Lelia Lake

In addition to those already Bertha Devoss of Wellington named attendees from Wellington were Gay McAlister, Shirley Henard, Rubye Hodges, Katherine Reeves, Barbara Roberson, Linda of Childress and Allene Leathers of

Delta Kappa Gamma is an Anne Long of Wellington gave honor society of over 150,000





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Hyd., Wts., Umbrella, 18.4x34 Rubber - s.n. 8671973 -1963 John Deere 4010 L.P.G. Tractor, 3 Pt., S.H., 16.9x34 Rubber w/Buckeye Front 3 Pt.

-GB 800 Hyd. Front End Loader w/5' Bucket &

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1—IRC 140 4 Btm. 3 Pt. Spinner Mouldboard
8—J.D. 71 Flex Planter Units, F/G Boxes
1—J.D. 400 8 Row 3 pt. Rotary Hoe
1—Jones 3 Pt. 3' Grubber, Used Very Little
1—Noble 28' 3 Pt. Springtooth Harrow, G.W.
1—IRC 16-10 D.T. Grain Drill, S.D., Levers
1—Graham Hoeme II Shank D.T. Chisel Plow 1-VanBrunt 16-10 D.T. Grain Drill, S.D., Levers HAY EQUIPMENT, LIVE STOCK EQUIPMENT —

Runner/Sweep Rig, 4"x7" Front Bar, 4"x4" Back Bar - 2-Sets G.W.'s 1—Elston 3 Pt. Gopher

Plow
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1—Ag Krane 3 Pt. Hyd. Lift Boom w/Forks (Nice)
1—John Deere 340 D.T. 16' Offset Disc, C.C.

1—Krause D.T. 21' Tandem Disc, C.C.
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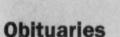
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members of the Iota Phi Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society were held on Sunday. February 22, 2009.

Tex Buckhaults, Clarendon College Dean of Students, gave the welcome. PTK Vice President Erin Hise led the ceremonies, with Treasurer Breann Musick, and Shelby Watson, reporting secretary, assisting. Dr. Bill Sansing, Clarendon College Regent, was the guest speaker.

This year's PTK inductees are: Jimmie Charles Adams, Pampa, TX; Phillip Manuel Aja, Buckeye, AZ; Joe G. Anderson, Perryton, TX; Heath Allyn Bellmon, Perryton, TX; Michael W Boland, McLean, TX; Brittany Hope Boxwell, Perryton, TX; Shelby Dawn Clark, Childress, TX; Maegan Nichole Crain, Pampa, TX; Meagan Danielle Crawford, Pampa, TX; Sade Rae Faas-Cobb, Clarendon, TX; Jennifer Michelle Evans, Midlothian, TX; Calie Nicole Filer, Prescott, AZ; Clayton B. Gardner, Estancia, NM; Shaunna Lynne Gray, Pampa, TX; Shannah Kay Heymer, Pampa, TX; Brittany Marie Kelley, Hermleigh, TX; Casey C. Kennedy, Des Moines, NM; Megan A. Kirtley, Hobbs, NM; Micah



Moore

Sharon Ann "Sherry" Moore, age 61, died Tuesday, February 17, 2009, in Spearman.

Services were held Saturday, February 21, at 10:30 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Spearman with Rev. Jim Medley officiating. Burial followed that afternoon in Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon. Arrangements were by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home of Spearman.

Moore was born in Clarendon on September 28, 1947, and was married to Phillip Terry Moore. She was a homemaker.

She is survived by her husband, Terry Moore, of Spearman; one daughter, Jo Pierson and husband Wayne, of Muleshoe; one son, Shawn Moore and wife Dynell, of Ruther Glen, Virginia; one granddaughter, Megan Pierson, of Muleshoe; two grandsons, Tobin Pierson of Muleshoe and Connor Moore of Ruther Glen, Virginia; her mother, Joann Carrie Shaw of Clarendon.

She was preceded in death by her father, H.C. Shaw, and two aunts, Margaret Hillman and Jane Hillman, all of Clarendon.

Silvers

Sammy S. Silvers, 65, died Saturday, February 21, 2009, in Amarillo.

Memorial services were held at 7:00 p.m. on

Wednesday,



February 25, 2009, in the Central Baptist Church, in Amarillo with Dr. Jerald Chadwick, Pastor, officiating. Burial was held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, February 26, 2009, in Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon with Dr. Jerald Chadwick, officiating. Services were under the arrangement of Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Sam was born January 5, 1944, in Amarillo to Grady and Annie Silvers. He was raised in Goodnight and attended Goodnight School. He also attended Claude school. He was Baptized as a young child in the First Baptist Church in Goodnight. He moved to Amarillo and worked for Coca Cola Company, the City of Amarillo and several other jobs. He was currently employed with Sam's Club. He was a member of the Central Baptist Church. He lived approximately 20 years in Amarillo.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Grady and Annie Silvers; and a brother in law, Dan Haney.

Survivors include two sons, Sammy Dean and wife Tonya of Slaton, and Jimmy Dale and wife Margie of Amarillo; the mother of his sons, Nelda Silvers; a brother, Tommy Silvers of Clarendon; two sisters, Emily McCary and husband Clovis of Clarendon, and JoAnn Haney of Amarillo; five grandchildren; three nieces; four nephews; and many friends.

The family request memorials be to the American Diabetes Association.

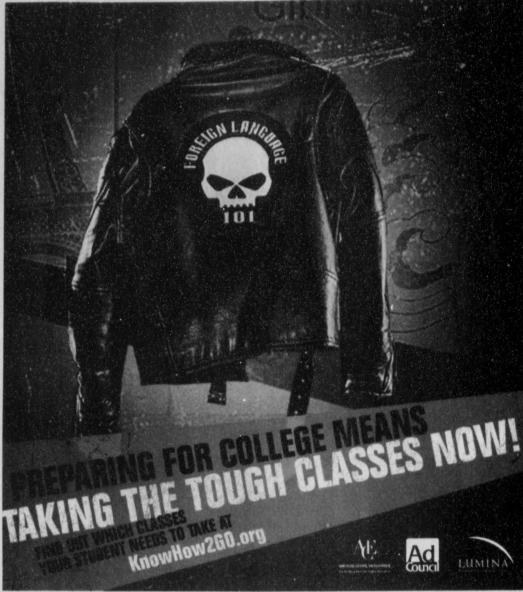


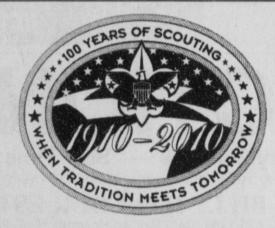
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Broncos warming up for play-offs

The Broncos, who are the reigning 2009 District Champions, have had several days off while waiting for the playoffs to begin. In order to stay in playoff shape, the Gaines 5, and Aaron Gordon 3. Broncos played two warm-up games

They traveled to Canyon to take 47-49. Vega came out on fire, while the Broncos struggled somewhat in the first half of play and trailed by eight points at the break. But a third horns at the end of three. It was a the Broncos ran out of time. Their 10 seconds on the scoreboard, but it wasn't enough to get the win.

"We felt like we dug a hole in the first half," head coach Clint Coley said. "We really tried to pick up the intensity, and we even were able to take the lead in the fourth. We used a lot of energy trying to bet back into the game, but that's what

to work on things to stay sharp."

Scoring: Danzel Wilson 14, Johnny Gaines 10, Derrick Shelton 9, Stephino McCampbell 6, Al

On Saturday, the Broncos participated in an event at Randall High School that sets up warm-up games on Vega at the WT Event Center last for those teams involved in the play-Monday night and narrowly lost offs. The Broncos took part in that event and took on Floydada Saturday defeated 54-59.

quarter surge propelled the Broncos they clawed their way back against more intense." to get within one point of the Long- a tough 2A team. The Floydada lead quarter to four points. Three playlast field goal came with less than ers finished in double figures to lead their team in the game. According to is tentatively set for Friday, February Coley, the Broncos have to intensify 27, in Amarillo against the winner of their game for the playoffs.

before the playoffs," Coley said. "It The Broncos would appreciate your was good for us to keep playing to support, and you may call the High stay in shape, and we're very glad we School for more information congot out of those games without any cerning the game after Tuesday, Febinjuries. Floydada is a good team, ruary 24.

practice games are for. We are able and they're ranked number five in 2A. We had a good showing, but we dents placed in their academic comgot down early. We fought our way back but fell short in the end."

> Coley knows his team is capable of making a good playoff run.

"We need to take some momentum into the playoffs," Coley said. "We also need to pick up our intensity. Our guys are playing hard, but it's a different type of intensity. The ing. teams that are able to do this connight. They played hard but were tinue on, and the ones that can't, go placed second in Spelling, Ashlyn home. Knowing there is a finality Clarendon got down early, but to the playoffs should make us play and Chelsea Covey was second

Scoring: Wilson 20, J. Gaines at the end of one was nine, but the 12, Shelton 10, A. Gaines 4, Brady, and junior Tony Sisomsouk back and forth in the final period, but Broncos cut that lead in the second McCampbell 4, Gordon 2, and Jadon placed second. Thornton 2.

The Broncos' first playoff game the White Deer/Boys Ranch game "This was our last practice game that will be played Tuesday night.

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Bronco baseball starts season with scrimmage

By Sandy Anderberg

Despite still competing in the basketball playoffs, the Broncos have begun their next sport with a scrimmage at home against Boys Ranch. The Broncos played hard and won 11-6.

Working with a limited roster because of its early start, the Broncos were still able to able to overcome a slow start against the Rough Riders and rally back to get the win. According to head coach Brad Elam, several players had good performances in the game.

"We got behind six to nothing after three innings, but we were able to put up 11 runs in the last two innings to win," Elam said. "All three pitchers pitched well for us. Devin Noble threw the first inning, and Troy Chambless pitched three very strong innings, giving up only two hits while giving up only two hits while striking out seven. Bradley Watson threw the last inning striking out two of the first three hitters he faced."

Defense was not the only thing working for the Broncos. offense was on target as well.

"Noble had three hits, scored two runs, and drove in two," Elam said. "Watson had two hits and drove in three, and Brady Miller had a big hit and drove in a run."

The Broncos will begin their regular season this week when they travel to Shamrock on Friday, February 27, to play at 4:00 p.m. They will play Claude Tuesday, March 3, at home beginning at 4:00 p.m. and play a double-header at Childress Saturday, March 7, beginning at 1:00

The Bronco JV will play Childress Thursday, March 5, on the road at 4:30 pm and take on Boys Ranch March 6 at 4:30 pm.

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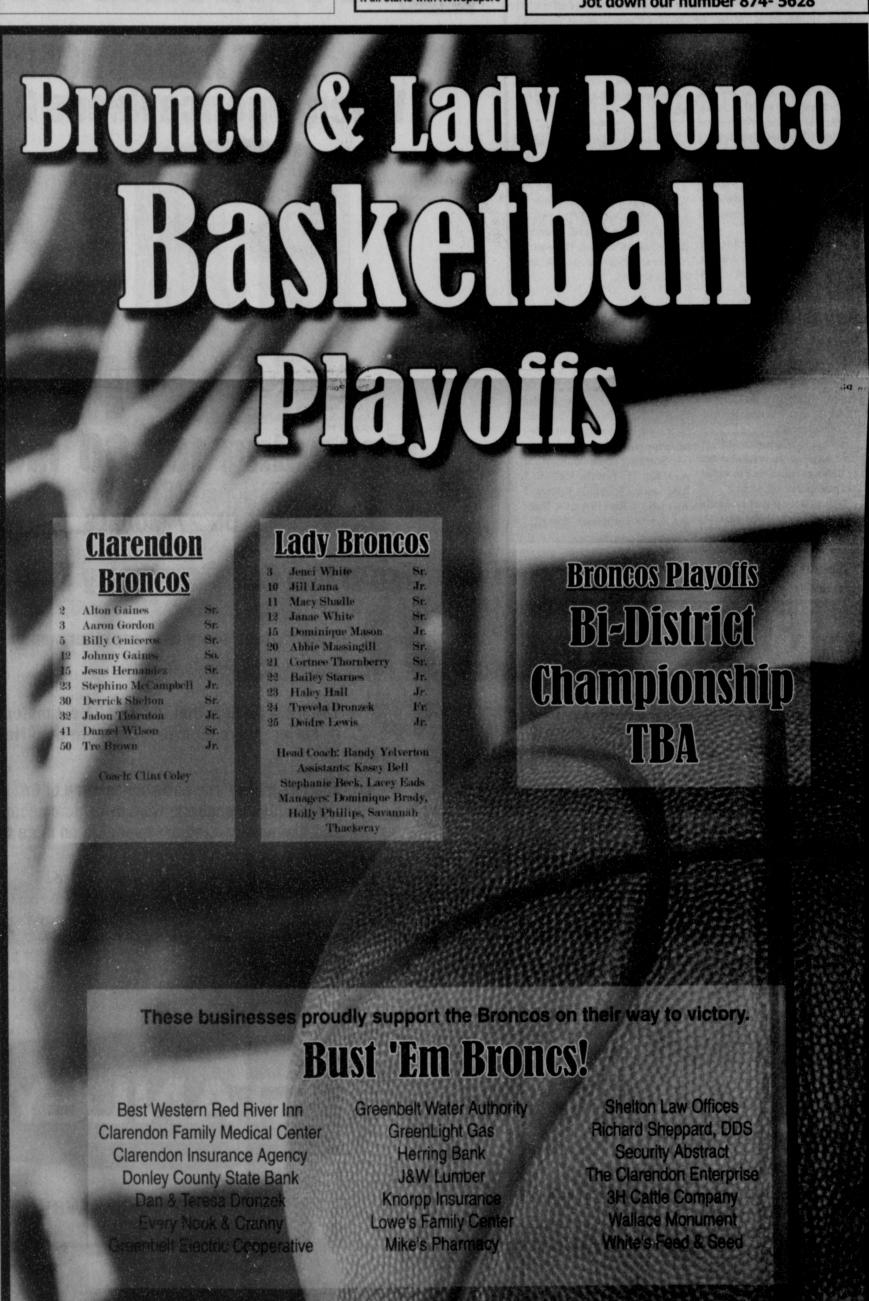
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Granovsky explained.

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according to Micah Holcombe, She said lessons learned from AgriLife Extension agent in Bell Their payoff was national first place criteria are most important for them at the 4-H consumer decision-mak-

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looked as if the Lady Broncos were to run and press, but when we got gearing up for more post-season into foul trouble, it hurt us. Although games; but Anton had different ideas the kids played hard, we missed too about the Bi-District game played many free throws and some shots at the WT Event Center in Canyon inside the paint. I'm proud of the Monday night. After playing to a team for what they accomplished. 12-12 tie after one, Anton went on to We weren't picked to get out of Diswin 65-50 and take home the trophy. trict."

The ladies hung tight in the beginning, but a slow-shooting tion of the game. Anton's size gave with 13. them the definite advantage inside; and, despite working hard, the Lady Abbie Massingill 6, Janae White 5, Broncos could not overcome the Jenci White 2, and Deidre Lewis 2.

fourth quarters, but we couldn't Jill Luna, Dominique Mason, and score the second or third," head Trevela Dronzek.

coach Randy Yelverton said. "With After the first quarter of play, it Anton's size advantage, we wanted

The Lady Broncos were led on the scoreboard by senior Macy second quarter added to the frustra- Shadle with 22 and junior Haley Hall

Scoring: Shadle 22, Hall 13, Also playing for the Lady Broncos: "We played well the first and Bailey Starnes, Cortnee Thornberry,

Lady Bulldogs lose by two games

By Sandy Anderberg

off a big win almost added another figures in the second half against a to it, but fell short to Howard College 59-61. The loss put the ladies at a 23-6 overall record.

Howard led Clarendon College last game of the year. by nine points at the break, but the a field goal of their opponent.

said. "We showed a lot of fire to The Lady Bulldogs, straight come back after being down double good team like Howard."

The ladies will play Western 16-12 for the year and gave Howard Texas College Thursday, February 26, at home beginning at 5:30 in their

Scoring: Janee' Williams 20, Lady Bulldogs rallied back to within Alex Ray 11, Kenisha McDade 5, Enid Sanchez 5, Donisha Bronnon 5, "I thought we played extremely Asia Reid 4, Ruth Stewart 4, Shanihard," head coach Rusty Kennedy qua Roberts 3, and Jamie Young 2.

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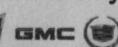
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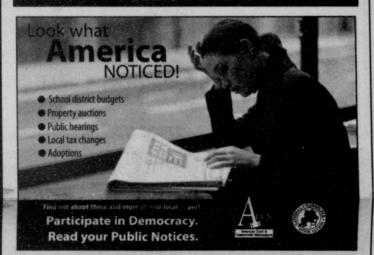
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Sheriff's Report: Juveniles reported breaking windows

2:13 p.m. - At county barn.

block of S. Johns.

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debris from roadway.

6:10 a.m. - Welfare check in the 700

9:26 a.m. - On US 287 West to remove

12:52 p.m. - Welfare check in the 700

ten miles east of Clarendon.

Carhart and Montgomery streets.

2:37 p.m. - Deliver message in 700 February 22, 2009

5:21 p.m. - College gym.

February 20, 2009

Clarendon to serve legal papers. 8:16 a.m. - Welfare check in 700 block

of S. Johns.

W. Ninth.

and Gorst.

of Gorst.

9:51 a.m. - See caller in 1000 block

2:51 p.m. - Unable to locate loose

8:11 p.m. - See caller in 700 block of

9:10 p.m. - Fire in Dumpster at Fifth

8:24 a.m. - EMS assist in 600 block

10:35 p.m. - Welfare check on CR P.

Summary

Fire 3

EMS 6

of E. Fourth. Possible break-in.

livestock on FM 3257 at CR O.

12:06 a.m. - Transport juvenile to residence on E. Second.

12:33 a.m. - Transport juvenile to residence in 300 block of W. Third.

5:59 a.m. - Check reported grass fire February 18, 2009 10 miles west of town.

6:15 a.m. - No fire on west US 287. 7:11 a.m. - Crosstie burning on railroad tracks at Ashtola. Fire truck 5:45 p.m. - Deputy reporting fire on dispatched.

rant. Address not logged. 4:05 p.m. - Out at residence on US 10:03 p.m. - See caller about distur-

5:14 p.m. - College gym.

February 17, 2009 1:45 a.m. - Transport to Potter Co. Jail.

1:36 p.m. - At annex. 6:37 p.m. - See complainant in 100 block of W. Third. Juveniles throwing rocks, broke window.

6:44 p.m. - Second report of destruc-S. Kearney

6:59 p.m. - Changing locations. 200 12:52 p.m. - At school. block of S. McLean. 7:06 p.m. - Out at 700 block of W.

7:35 p.m. - See complainant at nurs-

7:53 p.m. - At residence on W. Eighth. 2:04 p.m. - Out at residence in north February 21, 2009 11:47 p.m. - Unable to locate any problem in the 500 block of S. Carhart.

1:05 p.m. - At annex 1:53 p.m. - JP office in Clarendon. 4:14 p.m. – Assist probation in Hedley.

CR 11. Possible controlled burn. 10:15 a.m. - Out to serve arrest war- 6:54 p.m. - Fire contained eight acres burned.

> bance at Sixth and Taylor. Dogs 8:13 p.m. - Traffic control on US 287 barking 9:25 p.m. - See complainant at

11:54 p.m. - Residential alarm on CR 7. 11:57 p.m. - Cancel alarm. Owner in residence.

February 19, 2009

1:47 a.m. - Welfare check in the 700 block of S. Johns.

tion of property in 200 block of 9:46 a.m. - Loose livestock west of Lelia Lake.

> 1:34 p.m. - Have vehicle stopped. Driver thought card worked. Will go back to clear up problem.

1:51 p.m. - At 700 block S. Johns. 2:01 p.m. - At annex.



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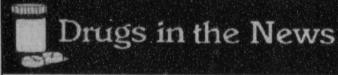
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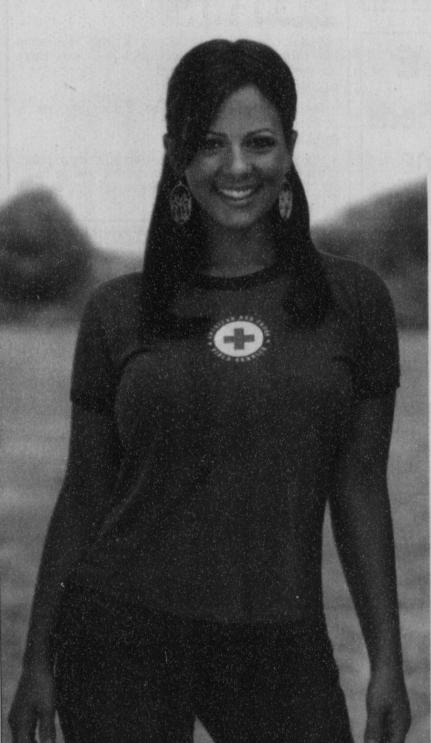


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