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

Hedley blood drive to be held Friday

Coffee Memorial Blood Center has rescheduled its Hedley Community Blood Drive for this Friday, June 26, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Hedley High School Library.

To schedule an appointment, please call 1-877-574-8800.

Please bring a photo ID or donor ID card. Every eligible donor who presents to donate during the months of May and June 2009 will receive a cool t-shirt and be entered into a drawing to win one of four trips.

Mobeetie Hoedown to be this Saturday

The Mobeetie Old Town Hoedown will be held this Saturday, June 27, 2009, at the Old Mobeetie Jail Museum.

The evening speaker will be noted historian and author Delbert Trew who will speak on newly uncovered evidence that changes the history of buffalo hunting.

Admission to the event is \$6 for children 6-12; \$12 for adults; children five and under are free.

For more information please call 806-375-2168 or 806-845-2028.

Copper Breaks will open art exhibit

Copper Breaks Park officials at Quanah have announced the Annual Summer Art Exhibition will start Saturday July 11, 2009, and end Sunday, August 9, 2009. This year's exhibit will be titled "Shutters and Shooters," and will feature photography along with a unique opening reception.

There will be an informal free reception from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 11, for the photographers. Visitors are asked to contribute to the Quahadi Society. Friends of Copper Breaks State Park.

For more information, contact the park daily during business hours at (940)839-4331.

Boy Scouts to host NRA Day in Texas

The Boy Scouts of America Golden Spread Council will host an NRA Day Shooting Sports Camp at Camp Don Harrington near Amarillo. The event will be held July 10 through July 12 and is open to all registered Boy Scouts and Venture Scouts.

The Shooting Sports Camp will expose Scouts to a variety of activities including archery, .22 caliber rifle, and trap shooting. The camp will begin on Friday night with dinner, followed by camp orientation and safety briefings. Saturday night will feature an evening of shooting sports-related demonstrations and exhibits.

The cost of the camp is \$120 for Boy Scouts and \$100 for adults. This fee includes the use of the camp, archery equipment, guns, all targets and ammunition, instruction by trained staff, meals, and various recognition items.

Pre-registration is required. Interested Scouts should register with their Troop or Crew.

To learn more, contact Bob Altman at (806) 358-6500 or baltman@bsamaail.org.

Summer school

Students gone but work goes on

By Ashlyn Tubbs, Clarendon Enterprise

Clarendon High School students will return from summer vacation to completely new looking buildings this upcoming school year. Renovations to the inside of both the High School and Band Hall have been in progress since June 1.

"Our school is going to be fresh, nice and clean; and I will be able to tell when kids mark on the walls. I'm excited," Clarendon High School Principal Larry Jeffers said.

According to Jeffers, the repairs will include: replacing the tile in both of the science labs, all of the hallways, and some of the tile in the Band Hall, pulling the old carpet out in all of the classrooms and replacing it with new carpet, replacing tile with carpet in the Band Hall and teacher's workroom, refinishing all the doors in the schools as well as putting kick-plates on them, redoing the wood on the front of the auditorium stage, and repainting the entire school.

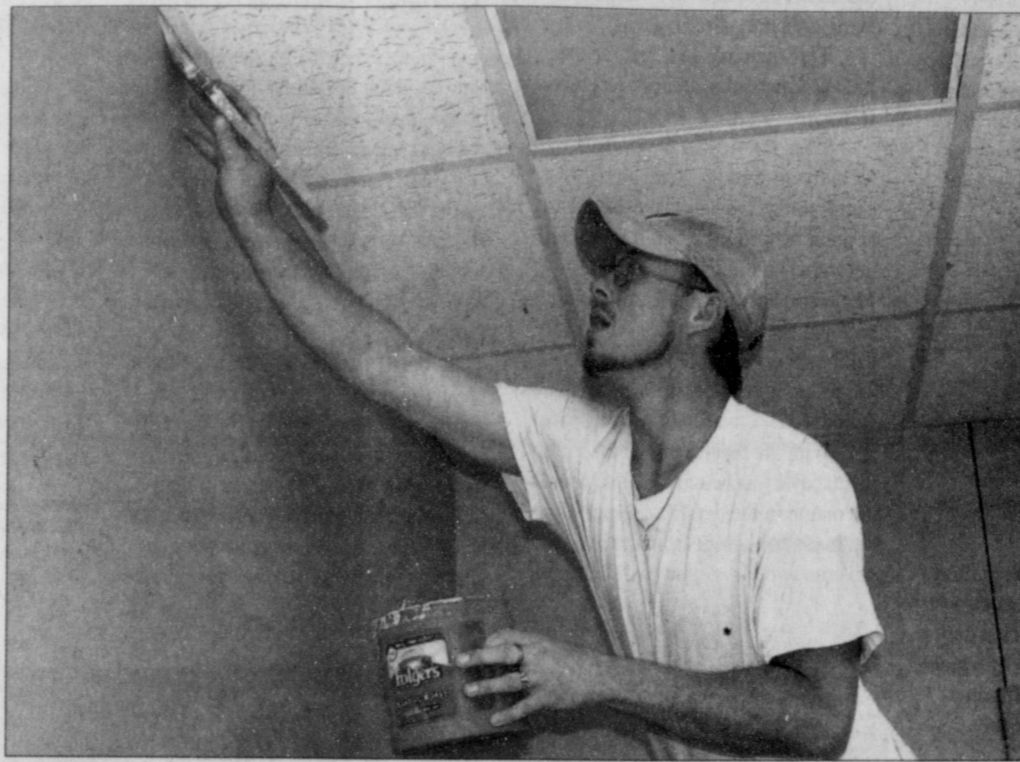
Superintendent Monty Hysinger said that they also are going to do a roof repair on the high school and Band Hall since they have the oldest roofs in district. He believes the roofs could gain another five to six years if they receive a few minor repairs.

"Overall I think it's going to be a very nice improvement," Hysinger said. "It's going to make our school look like a whole new building."

The new paint and carpet will differ from the ones previous. Clarendon High Secretary Valorie Ashcraft describes the replacing colors as lighter and softer tones.

"We're relaxing our environment," Ashcraft remarked.

Hysinger says that the High School and Band Hall have not received any major restoration in approximately twenty years. In the last couple of years though, it has become noticeable that the school was in need of new flooring, since the carpet was getting thread bare, and it was time to refinish the wood work. The vinyl flooring was also getting harder to keep up in some areas.



Brandon Curry paints an administrative office at Clarendon High School Monday (top) while Dayton Lovelady lays tile in the chemistry lab as part of the summer renovations taking place at the school.

ENTERPRISE PHOTOS / ASHLYNTUBBS

"We're just giving the school a new face lift," Hysinger commented. "It's one of our nicer buildings, so we want to maintain it."

Hysinger says that the overall cost of the carpet and flooring repairs is approximately \$52,413. The total price of the woodwork, painting and refinishing reaches \$47,800. The district fund balance

will pay for the project.

"We try to save money back for these types of maintenance repairs," Hysinger said. "We're trying to maintain these buildings as good as we possibly can so people are proud of our facilities and know that we take care of them."

As for the labor, Rick Lovelady Carpet in Amarillo will receive

the benefit of the carpet, and Jim Shadle got the bid for the paint job and constructed it out.

"Jim Shadle's crew and Rick Lovelady carpets are both working extra hard to do a nice job," Hysinger said. "They are all working good together."

The estimated time of completion for the renovations is July 17.

McClellan Creek Trails re-opening after fires

The Black Kettle Ranger District of the USDA Forest Service, Cibola National Forest, will be opening the OHV trails at McClellan Creek National Grassland, located in Gray County just north of Interstate 40, for the 4th of July weekend.

These public trails have been closed since the March 2006 wildfire swept through the area, resulting in extensive damage to the recreation area. The wildfire resulted in damaging and killing 1000s of cottonwoods at McClellan Creek.

The Forest Service has been working since that time to first reopen the recreation area, including the camping and day use area at Lake McClellan, and now to reopen the OHV trails.

OHV operators will be required to comply with federal and state laws including: wearing protective DOT approved helmet and eye protection; having an annual Texas Parks and Wildlife ATV decal; all operators must have an ATV safety certificate or be with a parent who has obtained a safety certificate; operators under 14 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian; no passengers are allowed at any time unless the ATV is designed to carry a passenger; having a qualified Forest Service spark arrester; no OHVs over 50 inches wide, no jeeps or 4 x 4 trucks; and OHVs shall not be

operated from 1/2 hour after sunset to 1/2 hour before sunrise.

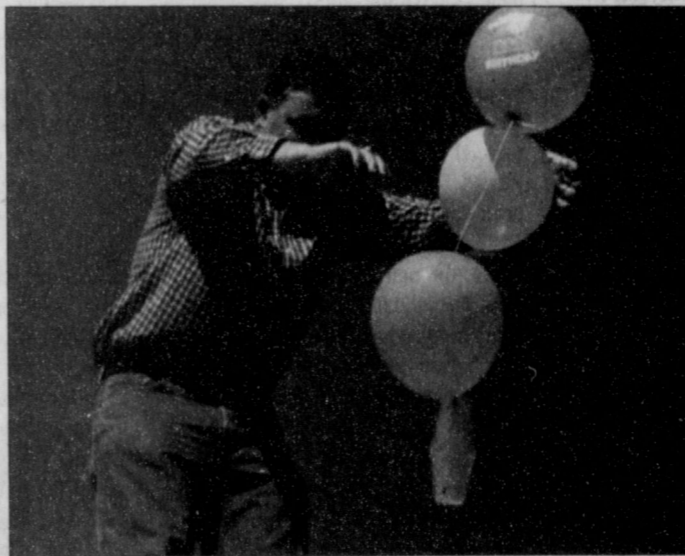
Mary Lane, Natural Resource Specialist, of the Black Kettle Ranger District in Cheyenne, Okla., says, "We are excited about getting the trails reopened. Although we have cut 1000s of dead and dying trees along the OHV trail corridor, we want to let recreationists to know of the potential hazards that still may exist in the area from the trees that may continue to weaken and die."

"With a grant from Yamaha, we have cut dead trees, rehabilitated the trails, rebuilt fences, and purchased picnic tables, grills, fire rings and bulletin boards for the trailhead. As always, there are no fireworks allowed on the Grassland."

Visitor safety and rules are posted on the bulletin boards. Numerous hazards still exist within the area.

Caution is advised when walking and traveling within the treed areas due to the potential of trees and limbs falling, along with numerous stump holes as a result of wildfire damage.

Daily OHV operator fees of \$5 per operator will be charged for users of the OHV trails. For additional information, contact the Black Kettle Ranger District at (580) 497-2143. Office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 - 4:30.



Bombs away

Russell Estlack (top photo) sends a carefully engineered egg transport device on a 15-foot fall from the roof of the Clarendon College administration building Tuesday as part of the ongoing Kids College classes being held this summer. Scarlet Estlack and Marshal Johnson examine the unbroken egg on the ground.

ENTERPRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLACK

Aldermen move up Molder

By Roger Estlack, Clarendon Enterprise

The Clarendon Board of Aldermen tapped a longtime employee to fill the vacant position of city superintendent during a called meeting last Monday.

John Molder brings 18 years of experience with the city to the job.

City Administrator John Webb said he thinks Molder will do the job well.

"John's going to do an excellent job," Webb said. "He's honest and a very hard worker."

The position also has a new title with officials opting to use the more modern Director of Public Works.

"City superintendent is a term that is outdated," Webb said. "It really went out in the 1970s."

Molder has already been exercising most of the duties of his new position since former city superintendent Jim Roberts went on medical leave for cancer and since Roberts passed away in April.

"I had been filling in for Jim when he was away for several years, and I can't replace him," Molder said. "I'm just going to do the best job I can."

Webb said Roberts' death has left a big gap in knowledge that the city is working to fill.

"Jim had 27 years with the city and knew where things (water lines, sewer lines, etc.) were," Webb said. "He shared a lot of that with John, and we're having to learn some of that."

Webb said Roberts held the water system and waste water treatment licenses that the city worked under and said Molder also holds those licenses. Webb is also working to get licensed and will encourage other city workers to obtain licenses so that the city has more than one person on staff with that training.

As director of public works, Molder will be the city's head man out in the field and will share duties to make state and federal reports with the city administrator.

"We're both working to learn the state and federal rules that Jim knew so well," Webb said.

City aldermen met in closed session for about 25 minutes before voting unanimously to promote Molder. All aldermen were present for the meeting except Alderman Tommy Hill.

Clarendon to celebrate next week

By Ashlyn Tubbs, Clarendon Enterprise

Anticipation and excitement rises as Clarendon starts preparing for this year's 132nd Annual Saints' Rost Celebration to be held July 2-4.

The festivities will begin July 2 starting with the Downtown Merchants' Sales, which will run all day long. A Depression Lunch will be held downtown at 11 a.m., and there will also be a Trade Show in the Community Building starting at 5:00 p.m., which will take place all three days.

The fun continues that night starting at 7:30 p.m. with a 16 and under Junior Rodeo, which will be held at the COEA arena, followed by an outdoor dance on the COEA slab.

Each night of the rodeo there will be a calf scramble, open calf, Jr. donkey and steer riding available to all young cowboys and cowgirls. Boy Scout Troop 433 will provide concessions for all three nights of the rodeo.

The all day long Downtown Merchants' Sales will continue to kick things off July 3. Henson's famous annual Turtle race will begin at 3:00 p.m. at Third and Kearney.

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Know rights or lose them

By John W. Whitehead

"Most citizens," writes columnist Nat Hentoff, "are largely uneducated about their own constitutional rights and liberties."

The following true incident is a case in point for Hentoff's claim. A young attorney, preparing to address a small gathering about the need to protect freedom, especially in the schools, wrote the text of the First Amendment on a blackboard. After carefully reading the text, a woman in the audience approached the attorney, pointed to the First Amendment on the board and remarked, "My, the law is really changing. Is this new?" The woman was a retired schoolteacher.

For more than 200 years, Americans have enjoyed the freedoms of speech, assembly, and religion, among others, without ever really studying the source of those liberties, found in the Bill of Rights – the first ten amendments to our U.S. Constitution.



Speak truth to power
by John Whitehead

Yet never has there been a time when knowing our rights has been more critical and safeguarding them more necessary. Particularly telling is the fact that even under the Obama presidency, most of the Bush administration policies and laws that curtailed our freedoms have remained intact—all of which have drastically altered the landscape of our liberties.

A short summary of the first ten amendments shows how vital these freedoms are.

The First Amendment protects the freedom to speak your mind and protest in peace without being bridled by the government. It also protects the freedom of the media, as well as the right to worship and pray without interference. In other words, Americans cannot be silenced by the government.

The Second Amendment guarantees "the right of the people to keep and bear arms." This is one of the most controversial provisions of the Bill of Rights. In many countries, owning a firearm is a mere privilege, reserved for the rich and powerful. Self-protection, however, is not a privilege in America. It is an individual citizen right which the U.S. Supreme Court has now recognized.

America was born during a time of martial law. British troops stationed themselves in homes and entered property without regard to the rights of the owners. That is why the Third Amendment prohibits the military from entering any citizen's home without "the consent of the owner." Even though today's military does not threaten private property, this amendment reinforces the principle that civilian-elected officials are superior to the military. But increasingly, even under the Obama presidency, the threat of martial law being imposed is a clear and present danger.

There's a knock at the door. The police charge in and begin searching your home. They invade your privacy, rummaging through your belongings. You may think you're powerless to stop them, but you're not. The Fourth Amendment prohibits the government from searching your home without a warrant approved by a judge. But what about other kinds of invasions? Your telephone, mail, computer and medical records are now subject to governmental search.

You cannot be tried again after having been found innocent. The government cannot try you repeatedly for the same crime, hoping to get the result they want. It's one of the legal protections of the Fifth Amendment. Moreover, you cannot be forced to testify against yourself. You can "plead the Fifth." This means that if you are accused of committing a crime, it is up to the state to prove its case against you. You are innocent until proven guilty, and government authorities cannot deprive you of your life, your liberty or your property without following strict legal codes of conduct.

The Sixth Amendment spells out the right to a "speedy and public trial." An accused person can confront the witnesses against him and demand to know the nature of the charge. The government cannot legally keep someone in jail for unspecified offenses.

Property ownership is a fundamental right of free people. In a legal dispute over property, the Seventh Amendment guarantees citizens the right to a jury trial.

Like any other American citizen, those accused of being criminals have rights under the Constitution as well. The Eighth Amendment is, thus, similar to the Sixth – it protects the rights of the accused. These are often the people most susceptible to abuse and who have the least resources to defend themselves. This amendment also forbids the use of cruel and unusual punishment.

The framers of our Constitution were so concerned about civil liberties that they wished to do everything conceivable to protect our future freedom. Some of the framers opposed a bill of rights because it might appear that these were the only rights the people possessed. The Ninth Amendment remedied that by providing that other rights not listed were nonetheless retained by the people.

Ours is a federal system of government. This means that power is divided among local, state and national entities. The Tenth Amendment reminds the national government that the people and the states retain every authority that is not otherwise mentioned in the Constitution.

Having stood the test of time, there is little doubt that the Bill of Rights is the greatest statement for freedom ever drafted and put into effect. In the end, however, it is the vigilance of "we the people" that will keep the freedoms we hold so dear alive. Therefore, know your rights, exercise them freely or you're going to lose them.

Federal aid overtakes state revenue

By James Quintero

A worrisome article that appeared recently in USA Today points out that federal aid has now surpassed the sales, property, and income tax as the biggest revenue generator for the states.

In the first three months of 2009, money pouring out of the federal government to the 50 states grew by 15 percent, while sales tax revenue – typically the number one source of state and local taxes – declined by 2 percent.

This trend marks a first for state finances and is troubling on a number of fronts.

First, the federal government is sprinting toward the fiscal abyss. As it stands today, the national debt stands at more than \$11 trillion. If the nation's unfunded liabilities are factored in – Medicare, Social Security, etc. – the real national debt figure skyrockets to \$56.4 trillion, or about \$184,000 per person, according to the Peter G. Peterson Foundation.

With the federal government and its taxpayers so heavily indebted, and the nation in the depths of a recession, the funds being sent from the federal government to the states will either have

to be borrowed or printed. Either option is bad policy.

Second, states risk their sovereignty by drawing so heavily on federal funds. Rather than making policy decisions strictly on the basis of the needs of their constituents, policymakers compromise their decision-making abilities by accepting the strings attached with federal dollars.

That is one of the big reasons why several governors have expressed their concern or rejected stimulus funds. There is truth behind the modern variation on the Golden Rule: "He who has the gold makes the rules."

Lastly and perhaps most importantly, the federal government's aid to states distorts state and local government spending, and props up what would otherwise be unsustainable public sector growth.

As an economy grows and citizens enrich themselves, the size of government grows along with it. However, as the economy contracts and resources decline, the size of government tends to level off and shrink, especially at the state and local level, because people cannot continue to pay the same amount

in taxes.

With the addition of federal funding, state and local government spending levels are propped up when they should otherwise be in decline. And when private sector prosperity eventually returns, government spending resumes at a higher level.

Even if Congress funds states on a temporary basis, the level of state and local government spending is maintained through the recession and into the recovery.

Understandably, Washington policymakers want to extend a helping hand to people who have felt the full impact of the national recession. But propping up state and local government finances with federal dollars is not the way back to prosperity.

Instead, Washington policymakers should focus on shrinking the size of the federal government, stopping the exodus of businesses and jobs by lowering taxes and putting more money back in the hands of those who have earned it.

James Quintero is a fiscal policy analyst at the Texas Public Policy Foundation, a non-profit, free-market research institute based in Austin.



"AND I THOUGHT THE SHAM-WOW® WAS A STRETCH..."

Easing burden of closed car dealers

On May 13, 2009, Russell Aubrey Whatley received a letter that would change his life. In the perfunctory letter, Chrysler informed Mr. Whatley that he would have less than a month to close down the dealership his family has profitably operated for three generations. His business has contributed to the livelihood of Mineral Wells, Texas, through commerce and community involvement for the last 90 years.

The Russell Whatley Motor Company – one of the oldest car dealerships in Texas – was not the only business to find itself dragged into the worsening predicament of the U.S. auto industry, most recently punctuated by the bankruptcies of Chrysler and General Motors. Across Texas, 50 Chrysler dealers have been slated for closure. Nationwide, 789 dealers are being forced to close their doors – through no wrongdoing of their own. They did not make the business decisions that have placed the domestic auto industry in this position.

In fact, when ailing Chrysler in February urged its dealers to purchase additional inventory in a final, futile attempt to stave off bankruptcy, most of the dealers complied. And many of those who were subsequently terminated were flush with inventory Chrysler executives pushed them to buy, potentially burdening them with significant losses.

Upon learning of Mr. Whatley and other Texas dealers' plight, I was shocked that Chrysler could dismiss these loyal dealers for whom the company had partnered for so many years with little concern for the well-being of the employees, customers, and communities they serve. I disagree that these profitable dealers should close at all. On May 21, I introduced an amendment to deny Chrysler additional Treasury

funding, which it has been receiving to help maintain solvency, unless it gave dealers slated for closing adequate time to do so. In a matter of hours, my colleagues signed on to the legislation until we had 39 Senators from both sides of the aisle calling for equitable treatment of the terminated dealers. Our calls were heeded when the Chrysler CEO Jim Press personally assured me that Chrysler was taking steps to help automotive dealers across the country.

This was a welcome development, but as Ronald Reagan was known to say, "Trust. But verify."

As Senior Republican on the Senate Commerce Committee, I worked with Chairman Jay Rockefeller to verify that Chrysler would, indeed, provide each impacted dealer ready access to necessary resources to close down its operations with as little pain as possible under the circumstances. On June 3, we held a committee hearing in which Mr. Press and GM CEO Fritz Henderson testified alongside the very dealers they were dismissing, including Mr. Whatley.

Mr. Whatley made it clear in his testimony that Chrysler's decision to discontinue its relationship with him was not just the failure of a business venture. For him and his family, it was the end of three generations of personal investment and enterprising spirit. He said, "My grandfather opened this dealership in 1919, and it kept open during the Depression, World War II, and countless economic setbacks. In the 90 years



capitol comment
by sen. kay bailey hutchison

that we have been [in Mineral Wells], 36 other new car dealerships have come and gone in our town. We have stayed open because we are committed to customer service... To be arbitrarily closed with no compensation is wasteful and devastating."

During the hearing, I probed Chrysler's actions on two critical points. First, would Chrysler repurchase or help redistribute the cars left on closed dealers' lots and remaining parts inventory? And second, would closed dealers receive first consideration for buying into a new dealership if Chrysler reentered their markets? Mr. Press pledged at the hearing that dealers could count on Chrysler's help as they closed, and on June 12 I received formal assurances in a letter. He confirmed that 100 percent of closing dealers' inventory will be purchased at cost, minus a \$350 fee, and Chrysler will work with closing dealers to redistribute or buy back remaining parts inventory. Furthermore, if Chrysler elects to reenter the Mineral Wells market, for example, Mr. Whatley will have first consideration for the new dealership.

Ultimately, what Chrysler has promised me is not nearly as important as the promises Chrysler must honor for its closing dealers, 50 of which are in Texas: a fair process that will limit the economic damage on businesses and the communities they have faithfully served. Amidst our nation's economic hardships, many are being called upon to make tough decisions. But there are right ways to do things, and there are wrong ways. In October, General Motors will close 1,300 of its dealers. I hope that the challenges we have faced with Chrysler will guide the actions of GM's executives as well.

Condition of city streets is concerning

I enjoy the paper every week. It keeps me in touch with people, and I like the columnists about Hedley, Howardwick, and others.

I was in Clarendon for a few days. Made the citywide Trash to Treasures sales. Came away with a lot of treasures

for myself. Thanks to a friend, I even came home with a computer. Now I just have to learn more about them. I really enjoyed the day.

But I was surprised at the conditions of some streets. Some had the potholes filled up. But why did the city tear

up the blacktop on Gorst Street and leave it bad and rough? This used to be a good street. I have never figured out the reason for this one.

I am looking forward to the activities for the Fourth of July.

Joyce Jackson, Lubbock

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Later on that night, another rodeo will take place at 7:30 p.m. at the COEA with an outdoor dance immediately following.

The busiest day of the celebration will be July 4, starting at 8:00 a.m. with Open Barrel Racing. Lineup and registration for the Kids' Bike Parade will be at 9:30 a.m. across from Henson's. The Kids' Bicycle Parade will start rolling at 10:00 a.m. Also starting at 10:00 a.m. will be the County Craft Fair on the Courthouse Square. For booth space at the County Craft Fair, contact the Donley County Extension Office.

The Old Settlers' reunion will

start at 10:30 a.m. with live entertainment. The Al Morrah Shrine Club's annual BBQ Lunch will start serving at 11:00 a.m. and will continue until the food runs out.

Registration and lineup for the annual Western Parade will be at 1:00 p.m. at the baseball field, and the parade will take off at 2:00 p.m. The Lions Club Cow Patty Bingo will begin playing at 3:00 p.m.

That night, the annual COEA Ranch rodeo will open at 7:30 p.m. followed by a live band dance featuring Ed Montana.

The St. Mary's Catholic Women Quilt Drawing will take place at 9:00 p.m. also.



The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting June 23, 2009, with Boss Lion Pro Tem Chuck Robertson at the helm.

We had 17 members and four guests this week - Nathan, Daniel, and Scarlet Estlack, guests of Lion Russell Estlack, and Lion Dan Gleason, who presented our program.

Lion Gleason discussed a program for the hearing impaired that dates back to the administration of Franklin Roosevelt by which free telephones are available for people with hearing difficulties. The Specialized Telecommunications Assistance Program is administered through the Texas Department of Assistive & Rehabilitative Services. Gleason can do the testing and fill out the application for the free phone at his office of Advanced Hearing in Amarillo, or it can be done at Contact Technologies, also in Amarillo.

'Get a Life,' state website tells kids

AUSTIN - A Web site called Get a Life helps middle-schoolers answer the question, "What do you want to be when you grow up?" The Web site is new from Texas Comptroller Susan Combs.

"Get a Life encourages kids to dream big, explore the endless possibilities the future holds and map out a plan to get where they want to go in life," Combs said.

Get a Life, at www.getalife.tx.gov, advises 'tweens and teens to let their hobbies and interests guide them toward their dream career and to look for activities, classes, volunteer work and paid employment that let them try out possible careers and gain valuable knowledge and skills.

The Web site offers information about fast-growing and well-paying jobs, along with the education

required for those jobs.

"Many skilled, professional jobs do not require a four-year college degree, but they do require some training at a community college or technical school," Combs said. "We want kids to know there are a world of possibilities in Texas and many paths to success."

Get a Life is a kid-friendly approach to the Comptroller's commitment to keep the Texas economy thriving.

The site was developed with input from real middle school students and educators thanks to the involvement of Bedichek Middle School in Austin.

More information about Texas' job market and work force needs can be found at www.window.state.tx.us/specialrpt/workforce/.

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Thur	18	99°	72°	-
Fri	19	97°	68°	T
Sat	20	85°	69°	.74"
Sun	21	82°	68°	.28"

Total precipitation this month: 2.50"
Total precipitation to date: 6.41"
Total precipitation in June last year: 2.50"
Total YTD last year: 4.25"

weekend forecast

Friday, June 26
Mostly Sunny
95°/68°

Saturday, June 27
Partly Cloudy
95°/67°

Sunday, June 28
Partly Cloudy
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Paul is telling a young preacher to preach the word, not man's doctrine. He told him to preach it when they liked it or didn't like it. He was to encourage the brethren or rebuke them in his teaching, while at the same time with patience. Why? He tells us in the next verse. He said there will come a time when some won't want to hear sound Bible doctrine and will desire something else. Because they will want less forceful preaching, they will hire themselves someone who won't tell the truth but just make them feel good. Does this sound familiar in religion today? You bet it does! We see all types of religious groups who stress unity by appealing to people with a doctrine that basically says, "It doesn't matter what you believe, just come and let's have a big 'church' and teach 'feel good lessons' designed for 'itching' ears and not meant to change people spiritually. Jesus said in John 14:15, "If you love Me, keep My commandments." These "new" groups say to keep the commandments we like or ignore the ones that might prick someone's conscience. The theory is: It is better to be united in error than divided over the truth.

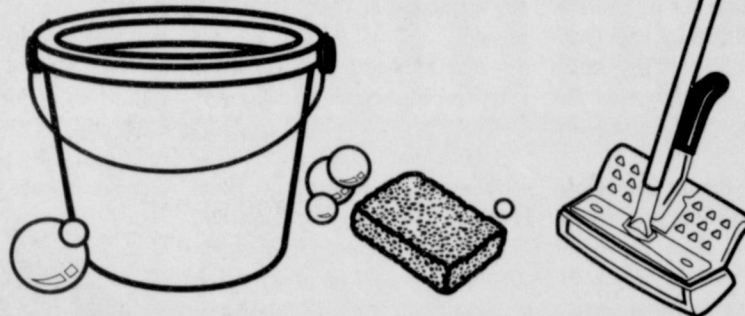
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Extension offers tips for summertime grilling safety

By MaryRuth Bishop, County Agent
To help you enjoy your summer, here are some checkpoints for safe grilling the next time you fire up the grill.

When shopping, choose meat and poultry last; and don't put them in the trunk. The temperature there is too hot, and bacteria will grow rapidly. Don't let meat set out for longer than one hour during warm weather. If meat sets out too long, bacteria can produce toxins that can cause illness and stay active even during cooking. Refrigerate meat and poultry immediately upon arriving home. Purchase ground meat or poultry no more than a day or two before you plan to grill it. Otherwise, freeze them. Grill larger cuts of meat, such as steaks, within 4 days of purchase or freeze them.

Transport meat and poultry to a picnic site in a cooler kept cold with ice or frozen gel packs. Pack food

and cooler immediately before leaving home. Avoid frequently opening the cooler. Pack beverages in one cooler and perishables in another.

Keep cooler in an air-conditioned vehicle for transporting, and then keep in the shade or shelter at the picnic site. Remove at one time only the amount of food that will fit on the grill. Be sure to keep raw meat and poultry wrapped separately from cooked foods, or foods meant to be eaten raw such as fruits and vegetables.

Cooking is key to meat and poultry safety. If needed, scrape the grill before grilling. Heat the grill to kill microorganisms before placing meat or poultry on it. Grill it safely! Cook ground beef patties until brown in the middle and juices are clearish with no pink in them when you cut into the meat (160 degrees F). A hamburger can be brown in the middle and still be undercooked.

The most accurate way to determine doneness is with an instant-read thermometer.

While the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) recommends ground meats should be heated to 160 degrees F to kill microorganisms, the temperature for a steak can be 145 degrees F for "medium rare." A "medium" steak is cooked to 160 degrees F, and a "well done" steak is cooked to 170 degrees F. Use a tongs or spatula to turn steaks rather than a fork which punctures the meat and introduces surface bacteria into the interior of the meat. Whole poultry should be cooked to 180 degrees F in the thigh. Breast meat should be cooked to 170 degrees F.

When poultry is done cooking, juices will run clear with no pink when you cut into the meat. If you're preparing steaks, ground meat, and/or poultry at the same time, use a different knife, utensil, or thermometer

to check for doneness. For example, don't use the same thermometer to test steaks you used for hamburgers. Remember to wash thermometers in hot soapy water and hot rinse water before and after use. Adding sauces or spices to meat may make it look brown before it is done. Brush or sprinkle sauces/spices on the surface of cooked burgers. Cook meat and poultry completely at the picnic site. Partial cooking of foods ahead of time allows bacteria to survive and multiply to the point that subsequent cooking may not destroy them. Use a separate clean tongs or spatula for removing meat or poultry from the grill and place on a clean plate to avoid cross-contamination with uncooked meat.

Designate the grilling area a "No Play Zone" -- keep the kids and pets well away until grill equipment is completely cool. Before using, position your grill at least 3 feet

away from other objects, including the house and any shrubs or bushes. Only use starter fluid made for barbecue grills when starting a fire in a charcoal grill.

Before using a gas grill, check the connection between the propane tank and the fuel line to be sure it is working properly and not leaking. Never use a match to check for leaks. If you detect a leak, immediately turn off the gas and don't attempt to light the grill again until the leak is fixed.

Never bring a barbecue grill indoors or into any unventilated space. This is both a fire and carbon monoxide poisoning hazard. Don't put the coals in a paper or plastic bag. It's a major fire hazard -- no matter how cool you think the coals are, they're not.

★ Menus

June 29 - 3

Donley County Senior Citizens
Mon: Meat loaf, corn, sweet potatoes, banana pudding, garlic bread.
Tue: Baked BBQ chicken, fired squash, potato salad, fig bars, bread.
Wed: Chicken spaghetti, broccoli & cheese, tossed salad, fruit cobbler, bread.
Thu: Chili rellenos & cheese sauce, mixed vegetables, hominy casserole, Frito & bean salad, lemon cake.
Fri: Holiday.

Hedley Senior Citizens
Mon: BBQ beef, fried okra, chips, cantaloupe, brownie, bun.
Tue: Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes & gravy, fried squash, Waldorf salad, ice cream, roll.
Wed:
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Fri:

Suprise party held for former Hedley school board member

Hope every Father had a great Father's Day! I have just a few things, and then I'm gonna brag on my "girls."

Geraldine Holland informed me that last Thursday night about 40 family and friends met at the Red River Steak House in McLean for a surprise gathering for Cary Don Neely. Brian Hill presented Cary Don with a plaque for 32 years of service on the Board for both Quail and Hedley Schools. They had a wonderful time, and Cary Don was very surprised. Congratulations, Cary Don.

The Hedley Baptist Church had their 100th celebration last Sunday. There were quite a few people at Sunday Service, then they enjoyed a Pot Luck Dinner and another service after that. Some former pastors were there, and everyone had a great time.

Doreen Conatser was taken to the hospital last Saturday not being able to eat and just generally worn out. She is home now and feeling better and eating and drinking better.

I am sorry to say that an old Hedley friend has passed away - Jerry "Red Top" Sims. He went to school here from the first grade thru graduation with my mother, and they graduated in 1946. He will be missed.

The Methodist pastor received a new pacemaker and is doing very well.

OK, now for my girls. Please see photograph. Emory is 10, Dasia is 8, and little Amiya is 10 months. They are my brother Jack's grandchildren. Now you see why I am so proud of them. They are my angels. After the big girls spent time here at Hedley with Mom and me, they

will be going to California to spend a couple of weeks with their father's parents. When Jennifer and Roscoe drive them, they will get to see the Grand Canyon. The Hedley Senior Citizens is raffling off a Brinkman, five-burner BBQ grill. It has two side tables, a refrigerator in the bottom, and runs on either natural gas or bottled gas.



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Obituaries

Burton

Cloyd Monroe Burton, 89, died Friday, June 19, 2009, in Amarillo.

Services were held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, June 23, 2009, in the First Baptist Church in Claude with Rev. Darrell Burton, grandson and pastor of Martin Baptist Church in Clarendon officiating. Burial followed at Claude Cemetery in Claude. Services were under the arrangement of Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Mr. Burton was born February 29, 1920, northeast of Bard, N.M. to Ezra Blain and Dollie Oleva Starkey Burton. He attended school at Porter, N.M. and San Jon, N.M. He married Winnie Evelyn Mote on April 19, 1941, in Clovis, N.M. They lived in eastern New Mexico for a time, then moved to the Washburn community in Armstrong County in September 1943. They ranched and farmed until 1970, at which time Mr. Burton went to work for Crudgington Oil delivering fuel and oil until 1982. Mr. Burton was a member of the First

Baptist Church in Claude, where he served as a deacon. He was a longtime member of the Fairview Community Neighbors and served as a school board member of the Claude Independent School District.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Winnie on February 17, 2006; and his parents.



Burton

Survivors include his children, Judy Bynum and husband W.A. of Big Spring, Kenneth Burton and wife Patsy of Whiteface, and Linda Smith and husband Jerry of Stockton, Calif.; two sisters, Elsie Wiseman and Mildred Mote, and one brother, Norman Burton; five grandchildren, Darrell Burton, Wanda Cox, Cecil Bynum, Cindy Sturdivant and Lorrie McCampbell; 11 great grandchildren, and one great great grandchild.

The pallbearers were his grandsons, while his nephews served as honorary pallbearers.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be made to City Church Outreach Ministry, 205 S. Polk St. Amarillo, Texas, 79101 or New Mexico Christian Children's Home, 324 South Abilene Ave, Portales, NM, 88130.

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Mendoza

Rebecca McMahan Mendoza died on April 10, 2009, in Chandler, Arizona.

A private memorial service will be held on June 30, 2009, at Hillcrest Cemetery in McLean.

Rebecca was born in Amarillo, on February 15, 1956, the youngest child of John F. McMahan and Elise Price McMahan. She was a skilled artisan who created original pieces in stained glass. She was also very active in breeding and showing her beloved boxers.

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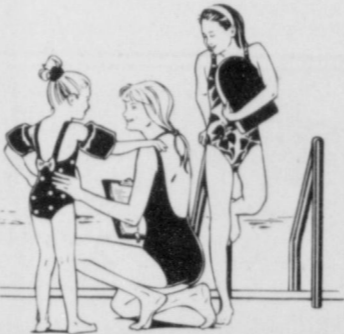
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In Memory of Robert and Alene Partain on their wedding anniversary June 27, 1942.

Back in its day, downtown Ashtola consisted of a grocery store, post office, filling station, hardware store, set of train tracks, and a small, red brick, three room country school with no plumbing. There was even a sign made partly out of a wooden picket fence that had the names of the families that lived there. My grandparents bought a farm and moved to Ashtola in 1954. Two miles down a dusty dirt road from Ashtola, you will find your way to this vacant farm that now belongs to my family. The first things that came into view were an old "box house" windmill, and a well house. There were some Elm trees and a few Apricot trees, very little grass and a lot of dirt. The "box house" was not very big. It measured about twenty feet by thirty feet. It was not much for a family of five, but they made it a home.

As a child I used to go visit my grandparents often. Living on a farm, you tend to grow a lot of your own food. I use to help my mamaw plant things in the garden, or at least I thought I was helping. We grew tomatoes, squash, cantaloupe, zucchini, peppers, peas, okra and many more vegetables. The best thing about helping in the garden was getting dirty. What does dirt plus water equal? Mud! Squishing the mud between your toes and how it noticeably creeps up to your elbows. How good is that?

The cotton fields were full of vitality. To watch something bloom into life from a seed was a rewarding accomplishment. With each planting season, you learn to respect nature's fury. The patchwork of cotton that my papaw would sow into the ground was amazing to me. I always wondered how he knew what direction to plant the rows. They looked so perfect in my eyes. It was like a puzzle coming together forming a majestic piece of art.

Outside the cotton fields lay an open range of hills, small cliffs, and canyons. The hills are topped with field grass, wild flowers, small shrubbery and an occasional Elm tree or Evergreen. The cliffs are slight but enough to be harmful if you were to fall. The canyons are filled with shades of corals and creamy whites. A few rocks and pebbles peer through the sloping caliche mounds. Walking around in the open range, you might catch a glimpse of a deer, run across a snake, or even spot an arrowhead laying on the ground. This place was a vast playground for me growing up. Your imagination could run wild. You could go all over and never walk the same oath. You were safe and far from the city's cruel ways of life.

The sounds you hear are sounds you have to listen for. Like a whisper. You will always hear the wind as it blows vigorously in the Texas plains, but what else do you think you might hear? You may hear a mother quail calling out to her babies as they peck around in the yard. In the distance, you can hear a train traveling through with its blaring horn and heavy vibrations of friction echoing through the air. As the wind blows, you will hear the pumping if the windmill pulsating at each turn filling the tank with water just below. When night falls and the wind settles down, you can hear a new world awaken. In the far distance, you can hear the sound of coyotes yelping in the night as they search for food. You may even hear the sounds of little critters scurrying around in the yard hoping to find a bite to eat. If you listen, you will find peace and quiet.

Things have changed a whole lot over the year. The grocery store, post office, filling station and hardware store are no more. The old country school still stands, but it has been condemned. Nature has taken its toll on the old school. The trees, grass and shrubs have grown wild. There are several houses that still occupy Ashtola. Some still have life to them and the rest are just memories. Most of the people who are left are farmers or retired farmers like my papaw. Two miles down the dusty dirt road, you will come across my grandparents' place. The cotton fields are grown over with a golden hue of Love grass and the open range of the hills and canyons are full of wild grass, bushes, and trees where the cows would once graze. The old "box house" is still there. They just built a bigger home around the small one. There is not a thing that time has not touched.

So next time you are passing through one of these many small places, take a moment and think about the life that still is and spirits that use to be. They may be small places, but they have big stories. Down every dirt road or paved highway, there is an existence.

Jamie Kime (granddaughter)

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Golf game nets much needed funds for CCC

By Sandy Anderberg

Sixty-one players took part in the annual Fun-D Raiser held at the Clarendon Country Club Saturday, June 20. The one-day round of golf benefited the Equipment Fund at the CCC and will provide much needed improvements throughout the course. The winning team of Mike Santos, Jennifer Clark, Jesse Lincycumb, Bill Spier, and Bob Hornberger came in at 61 (11 under par). The team of

Chuck Deyhle, Blake Deyhle, Gavin McKinnley, and Craig Bosworth won the "I Tried" award for giving a great effort. Chris Moore won closest to the pin on number eight at 3'7 3/4" and George Leathers won that same honor at number 15 at 8'4". Everyone at the CCC is very appreciative of the great turnout for the tournament.

Sandy Anderberg won low gross at the weekly women's game

with a gross 77. Maxine McLaughlin and Mary Ann Sawyer tied for the top spot with a net of 73. Redell Johnston was the men's winner on Wednesday with a net 63 and Dan Ashford was second with a 67. Todd Curry shot a net 68 for third. Ashford also shot just under his age of 89 with a gross 87.

The team of Chris Linquist, Michael Thompson, Bobbie Kidd, Wes Smith, and Tracy Duncan won

the nine-hole scramble Friday night at eight under after a three-hole putt off. Thomas Vaden Jesse Lincycumb, Jennifer Clark, and Chris Moore finished second. Four other teams participated and came in at six, five, four, and three under par.

The CCC will host an 18-hole scramble on July 5 beginning at 2:00 pm. And there will be a Two-Man Tournament July 11-12. Call the Pro Shop for more information.

Gaines makes Amarillo Super Team

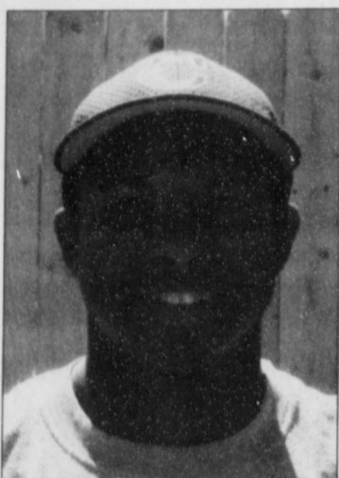
By Sandy Anderberg

According to head baseball coach Brad Elam, baseball player Johnny Gaines has been selected to the Amarillo Globe News 1st Team Super Team.

This is a very prestigious award and according to Elam, very few baseball players receive this honor. "Johnny was the only 1A player to make it and only one of four 1A to 3A to make it," Elam said.

"Oddly enough, they put him in the outfield where he never played an inning. Alton Gaines also made honorable mention for this award."

Elam went on to say that Johnny also was selected 1st team All-State pitcher by the Texas High School Baseball Coaches Association. Congratulations to the Gaines



Johnny Gaines

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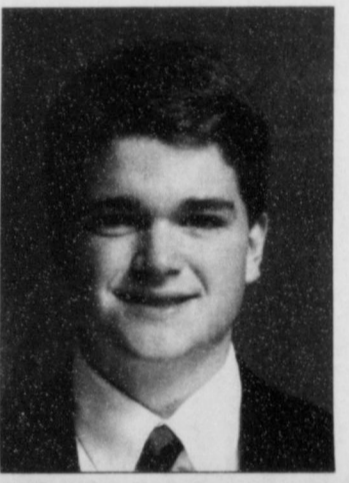
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McCullough Roach

Roach Graduates from Woodberry Forest School

McCullough J. Roach graduated during the 120th commencement exercises at Woodberry Forest School on May 23, 2009. Mr. Roach will attend Southern Methodist University.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Roach III of Amarillo, Texas.

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Lung Cancer Treatment Prolongs Life

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Researchers call this a targeted drug, in that it targets a specific protein in the body called the epidermal growth factor receptor. This protein is found on the surface of many cancer cells. Researchers feel that Tarceva slows or disrupts the growth of lung tumors by interfering with this protein.

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NOTE OF THANKS

We are extremely thankful to everyone for the prayers and thoughts of kindness towards Brandon. All of the cards and gifts have been greatly appreciated. We are so grateful for all of the generous people in this wonderful community. Thank you and God bless each of you.

The Brandon Herndon Family

GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE - Some furniture, computer and accessories, odds and ends. Saturday from 9 until 7 311 E. Browning, 28-1tp

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Parents or students have the right to obtain these records rather than have them destroyed. These records may be needed to assist in obtaining Social Security benefits, exemptions for college tests or other purposes. We will not destroy these records until July 15, 2009. If you wish to have these records, please contact:
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Eastern Panhandle Shared Services Arrangement
517 South Wall
Shamrock, Texas 79079
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LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL # 9986:
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NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DONLEY
To those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of KAREN ANN STAFFORD SIMMONS, Deceased, No. CRP-09-02979 in the County Court of Donley County, Texas, Probate Matter:
The undersigned having been duly appointed an Independent Co-Executor of the Estate of KAREN ANN STAFFORD SIMMONS, Deceased, by the Judge of the County, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 2009, hereby notifies all persons indebted to this Estate to come forward and to make settlement, and those having claims against this Estate to present them to the Co-Executor within the time prescribed by law, at the following address:
James Emmett Moores Simmons
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Clarendon, Texas 79226

James Emmett Moores Simmons, Independent Co-Executor of the Estate of Karen Ann Stafford Simmons, Deceased 28-1tc

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17.55 ACRES WITH HOME AND HORSE FACILITY - house has 2 b/r plus finished basement for 3rd b/r - 2 full baths - country kitchen - dining/living - utility - central h/a - well with sub pump - fountain & 2 ponds - 4 covered horse stalls - lots of trees - near Clarendon College with frontage on US HWY 287 with excellent potential for development - yours to enjoy as/is or develop as you please for only \$119,000.
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INVITATION FOR BIDS

The City of Clarendon, Texas, will receive bids for construction of water system improvements (TxCDBG #728040) until 2:00 P.M. on the 14th day of July, 2009 at Clarendon City Hall, 119 S. Sully, Mailing address: City of Clarendon, Attn: Mayor Chris Ford, P.O. Box 248, Clarendon, TX 79226, at which time and place all bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids are invited for the construction of the following:
Standpipe Water Tank
Contract documents, including plans and specifications, are available at the office of OJD Engineering, Inc., 2420 Lakeview Drive, Amarillo, TX, 79109, Phone 806-352-7117, Fax 806-352-7188. Documents may be purchased at a cost of \$50.00 per set. This fee is not refundable. Questions concerning this project should be addressed to Che Shadle, P.E. A Bid Bond in the amount of 5% of the bid, issued by an acceptable surety, shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check or bank draft payable to City of Clarendon, or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.
Attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Commerce and contained in the Contract Documents must be paid on the project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or national origin.
Attention is called to General Condition 309, "Restrictions on Public Buildings and Public Works Projects". The Bidder certifies by the submission of its bid that:

1. Is not a Contractor of a foreign country included on the USTR list.
 2. Has not and will not enter into any subcontract with a subcontractor of a foreign country included on the USTR list.
 3. Will not provide any product of a foreign country included on the USTR list.
- The City of Clarendon reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.
Bids may be held by the City of Clarendon for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders qualifications prior to awarding of the contract.

City of Clarendon
Chris Ford, Mayor
June 9, 2009
27-2tc

DONLEY COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT BUDGET HEARING

The Donley County Hospital District will hold a public hearing to consider the proposed budget for the 2009-2010 fiscal year on Tuesday, June 30, at 6 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Associated Ambulance Authority Building located at 3 Medical Drive in Clarendon, Texas.

CITY OF HEDLEY BUDGET HEARING

The City of Hedley will hold a public hearing to consider the proposed budget for the 2009-2010 fiscal year at 7 p.m., July 2, 2009, in the Hedley City Hall, 109 N. Main St. 27-2tc

REAL ESTATE

Jim Garland Real Estate MLS
874-3757
CLARENDON
• 514 S. Carhart - Stucco, 3 bed, 2 bath, CH/A, some new carpet, tile, countertop. Exceptional clean. Large storage room, carport. \$62,500.
COUNTRY PROPERTIES
• Donley County- 200 acs. 1 well, 2 dirt tanks, deer & quail, some new fence.

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2 STORY - 4 BEDROOMS - 2 BATHS - remodeled kitchen includes like new refrigerator/freezer and range - dining room - den - living room - nice foyer - central heat and ref air throughout - wrap around covered porch - metal siding - concrete cellar - large fenced back yard - sprinkles, front & back - IMMACULATE CONDITION - corner lot @ 303 W. 5th St. for only \$85,000.
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PRETTY HOUSE ON NICE CORNER LOT - 3 bedroom, 2 bath - living room with decorative ceiling & built in bookcase - roomy kitchen/dining - unfinished basement - 3 Dearborn heaters - 3 window ref. air units - 2 car port - large yard with lots of concrete walks & curbing @ 415 E. 4th for \$49,000.
RECENTLY REMODELED OLDER HOME WITH HIGH CEILINGS - 3 b/r - 2 bath - new kitchen, new cabinets - new range - new dishwasher - large utility - central heat & refrigerated air - wood burning heater - large yard with building with electricity, heat & phone - chicken house - all on FULL CITY BLOCK with many large trees and very fertile soil suitable for large garden @ 305 E. White St. for 79,900. SHOW BY APPOINTMENT
ATTRACTIVE HOME FOR SMALL FAMILY - 3 b/r - 1 & 1/2 baths - kitchen includes range, d/washer & disposer - cooled by ref. window units & ceiling fans - heat by floor furnace - unattached garage - chain link fence - shade & fruit trees - wonderful garden spot - on 6 lots near City Park @ 702 S. Gorst for \$49,900. Reduced to \$46,000. PRICE LOWERED TO \$42,500.

3 B/R - 1 BATH - BRICK - 1 CAR ATT. GARAGE & STORAGE ROOM - kitchen / dining - built in oven & cook top - living room - utility - central h/a - chain link fenced back yard - joins open country on North @ 302 Line St. for \$39,900.
3 B/R - 1 & 1/2 BATH - BRICK - kitchen w/ breakfast area - built in cook top & oven - large living - plentiful storage - includes 2 cedar closets - central h/a - attached 1-car garage plus 1-car port - extra nice-concrete cellar with yard building on top - 5 large bearing pecan trees @ 304 Short St. for \$49,900. (ALL FURNITURE, FIXTURES & APPLIANCES AVAILABLE AND WILL BE OFFERED TO BUYER OF HOUSE @ REDUCED PRICE.)

321 ACRES - 2 circles irrigated Blue Stem grass - 2 irr. wells on natural gas, 2 Zimmatic pivots - 1 domestic well with sub. pump, supplies water to 10,000 gal. upright storage tank - 999 hd capacity pens - backup livestock water from irr wells to 2 large dirt tanks - 1 mi frontage on FM 1260 - 7 mi S/E Clarendon - in operation and ready to go for \$1500 per ac.
50 ACRES - irr well with diesel engine (natural gas available) - Zimmatic pivot waters 40 ac. presently in Bermuda grass - water line from irr well to dirt tank for livestock water - soil suitable for all crops - across county road and only a few feet from S/E corner of 321 acre tract mentioned above - for \$1500 per ac.
160 ACRES - all native & blue ste grass - 1 domestic well with sub pump - dirt tank & plumb thicket - some birds & deer - 4 mi West of Clarendon - bormers FM 2362 on South & West - good country home site - for \$795 per ac.
75 ACRES FARM LAND - with frontage on Hwy 70 approx 3 miles North of Greenbelt Lake - 68.7 acres in CRP \$1,000 per acre. REDUCED TO \$800 PER ACRE.

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Sheriff's Report

June 12, 2009

7:34 a.m. - Welfare check, 100 blk Saints Roost in Howardwick.
 10:16 a.m. - Welfare check 1000 blk W. 3rd St.
 10:19 a.m. - Sheriff and Justice of Peace dispatched to 1000 blk W. 3rd St.; unattended death.
 11:35 a.m. - See complainant on 500 blk S. McClean St. Possible break in.
 11:50 a.m. - Located reported grass fire in Armstrong Co.
 1:24 p.m. - Out at 1000 blk E. 3rd St.
 4:47 p.m. - Transport to Northwest Texas Hospital Mental Health Facility.

June 13, 2009

12:38 a.m. - Disturbance on South Marina Beach at Greenbelt Lake.
 12:41 a.m. - Suspicious activity on 400 blk Browning St.
 5:22 a.m. - Caller reports disturbance on 9th and Parks Sts; barking dogs.
 9:50 a.m. - Highway signs knocked over on Hwy 287 at 70 S.
 3:56 p.m. - See caller at 7th and Jefferson Sts.
 7:37 p.m. - 800 blk Ellerbee St.; dog bite.
 8:28 p.m. - Stand by on 800 blk Ellerbee St. Animal Control to pick up dog.
 8:35 p.m. - To jail with one in custody.

June 14, 2009

1:50 a.m. - 500 blk S. Orpe St.; family dispute.
 1:56 a.m. - Transport one subject to another location.
 3:11 a.m. - EMS assist on 800 blk S. Johns St.

12:44 p.m. - EMS assist on 300 blk Browning St.
 1:34 p.m. - EMS assist on 200 blk Arthur St. in Howardwick.
 5:30 p.m. - Storm spotters out at Howardwick and Clarendon.
 7:32 p.m. - Unable to locate reported problems at Greenbelt Lake.

June 15, 2009

6:24 a.m. - Adult male disoriented in motel lobby; 900 blk W. 2nd St.
 8:33 a.m. - Alarm in city building on Cook St.
 9:23 a.m. - 4400 FM 2162 for interview.
 4:30 p.m. - Transport for medical care.
 9:21 p.m. - With caller on S. Kearney St.
 11:16 p.m. - Caller reporting juvenile daughter failed to return home. Deputy had made contact with juvenile on 500 blk Grouper in Howardwick.

June 16, 2009

1:11 a.m. - At Sheriff's Office
 1:17 a.m. - Juvenile released to parent.
 8:55 a.m. - Hwy 287 at S. Sully; minor traffic accident.
 11:42 a.m. - Away from vehicle.
 1:52 p.m. - At annex.
 5:09 p.m. - EMS assist at 200 blk Dixi Drive in Howardwick.
 6:53 p.m. - 500 blk S. Jackson St.; caller reporting theft.
 7:14 p.m. - 600 blk S. McClean St.; caller reporting theft.
 9:12 p.m. - 300 blk Rosenfield; caller reporting vandalism to vehicle.
 11:14 p.m. - See caller on 600 blk S. Kearney St.
 11:27 p.m. - Two deputies on scene; 600 blk S. Kearney St. Male sub-

ject left the residence.
 June 17, 2009
 12:23 a.m. - Welfare check on 200 blk N. Ayers St.
 12:37 a.m. - Out at residence on 600 blk S. Kearney St.
 2:39 a.m. - Stranded trucker on Hwy 287 at Hedley.
 2:59 a.m. - Loose livestock secured N. of Hedley.
 4:12 a.m. - Caller reporting loose dog on 300 blk E. 3rd St. just attacked her dog.
 7:57 a.m. - Business alarm on 800 blk W. 3rd St.
 9:11 p.m. - 900 blk S. Parks St.; reporting shots fired.
 9:13 p.m. - City employee shot a skunk.
 10:06 p.m. - 300 blk W. 2nd St.; trespass warning violation.
 10:15 p.m. - Subject no longer at this location.
 10:39 p.m. - Janitorial service employee reporting unfamiliar vehicle in parking lot on 100 blk S. Kearney. Would like Deputy at this location while service exits building.
 10:45 p.m. - Deputy at location on 100 blk S. Kearney St.

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12:01 a.m. - Disturbance at 500 blk W. 5th St.; barking dog.
 12:10 a.m. - Deputy advises quiet this location.
 2:04 a.m. - EMS assist on 1400 blk W. 5th St.
 8:03 a.m. - Away from vehicle.
 8:51 a.m. - 200 blk N. Jefferson St.; warrant service.
 8:59 a.m. - To jail with one in custody.
 9:36 a.m. - At annex.

9:45 a.m. - 600 blk 4th St.; one in custody.
 1:42 p.m. - 600 blk W. 2nd St; warrant service.
 2:16 p.m. - S. of Lelia Lake off pavement.
 4:58 p.m. - Serve legal papers on Rosenfield & Ayers Sts.
 6:20 p.m. - En route to residence alarm on 5100 blk Hwy 70 N.
 6:49 p.m. - Serve legal papers on Plainview St. in Howardwick.
 7:11 p.m. - Served no trespass order on Hwy 70 N.
 11:58 p.m. - N. Claude; caller reporting gunshots.

EMS 17
 FD 1
 Arrests 4

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Members present were: Gay Cole, Wilma Lindley, Dortha Reynolds, Josie Burgess, Barbara Helms, Ann Bunyan, Mary Lynn Manning, Rosa Lee Watson, Eva Lee Swinney and Betty Jean Williams.

Next meeting is to be held at the Agape Church with Eva Lee Swinney as hostess.

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Robin Sell has been a valuable employee since 1996 in the capacity of bank teller, and assistant loan secretary.

Also joining the banking team as a receptionist this summer is Bailey Starnes, who is a recent graduate of Clarendon High School and will be attending Mary Hardin Baylor College in Temple, Texas, this fall.

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