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

Change announced for date of petit jury duty

County Clerk Fay Vargas has announced that the petit jury scheduled to meet next Monday has been rescheduled to meet on Tuesday, May 1.

Those who received a jury duty summons for next Monday should show up instead on Tuesday at 8 a.m. at the Courthouse.

Citywide clean up still underway this week

This year's spring clean up continues this week with City Hall allowing Clarendon residents free dumping privileges now through April 30.

Fees at the city's recycling center are being waived except for refrigerators with compressors.

The center, located on Front Street across from the grain elevator, will be open during the clean up from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday and from 1 to 6 p.m. Sunday.

Early voting to begin Monday in local races

Early voting begins Monday in this year's local and state elections.

Clarendon voters can cast early ballots for mayor and two aldermen at the Donley County Courthouse Annex. County residents can vote early at the Donley County Courthouse, and voters in the Hedley School District can cast ballots at the school.

Early voting ends May 8.

School to raise funds for victims of tornados

Clarendon Elementary School is holding a fundraiser during the week of April 30-May 4 for the victims of the April 21 tornados in Tulia and Cactus.

The school will donate the monies to each town in a bank that has an account set up for donations. Thanks are given in advance for your help and support in this fundraiser.

For more information contact Mrs. Ham or Mrs. Frausto at Clarendon Elementary.

CHS Student Council planning talent show

The Clarendon High School Student Council will be hosting the 6th Annual Talent Show on Monday, April 30.

This year's event will take place at the Harned Sister Fine Arts Center at Clarendon College at 6:30 p.m.

The cost is \$1 for students and \$3 for adults. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winners.

All proceeds will benefit St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Come watch the stars and help one at the same time.

Sale of nursing home falls through

A deal to sell the Medical Center Nursing Home fell through Monday after the prospective buyers, Ron and Sharon Wetzel, withdrew their offer for the facility.

Donley County Hospital Board Vice Chairman Don Thornberry said the Wetzels sent a letter to the board on Monday of this week and cited concerns about replacing the building's roof and the costs associated with that work.

"I think maybe the more they thought about it, the more they didn't

want to take the chance," Thornberry said.

The Wetzels, who own Palo Duro Nursing Home in Claude and are part owners of two assisted living centers, had offered \$742,000 for MCNH, and local officials were in the process of accepting that offer.

At its April 17 meeting last Tuesday, the hospital board voted to hire an attorney to begin contract of sale negotiations with the Wetzels.

The board also approved a motion to have a survey done of all of the hos-

pital district's property at the Medical Center Campus.

Thornberry said the district will move forward with the survey, and he said the district is also continuing to explore legal questions related to selling the nursing home. That includes legal questions associated with what a sale of the property might mean in terms of paying off approximately \$1.3 million in bonds still owed for remodeling the nursing home.

How soon the bonds could be paid off and what that would mean

for the hospital district tax rate are also still questions to be answered.

"We still need to know all that information," Thornberry said.

Beyond that, Thornberry said the board has not decided what to do next in terms of selling the nursing home or keeping it under the hospital district.

Hospital board members have previously said that if the nursing home is not sold, it will likely have to be expanded in order to remain solvent as revenues remain constant

while expenses continue to grow.

"Our consultant had recommended getting a professional firm to evaluate the value of the nursing home and possibly market it for us," Thornberry said. "Or maybe we could make some [budget] cuts and hang in there if the wind farm [property tax] money comes in."

Thornberry remained optimistic about the future of the facility.

"Everything generally works for the best," he said, "and maybe this will lead us in a new direction."



Riding in Style

Clarendon High School Seniors Haley Carter, John Vaught, Shelby Watson, and Tamara Holland enjoy a ride to prom in a stretch Hummer limousine on Saturday night. They were among a group of about 100 who attended junior/senior prom at Clarendon Country Club.

Enterprise photo by Kari Lindsey

CC name Hawkins, Estlack as distinguished alumni

The Clarendon College Ex-Students Association bestowed its Distinguished Alumnus Award on two former students during the 69th annual Alumni Reunion last Saturday in the Bairfield Activity Center.

New Mexico State University Professor Dean Hawkins and the late Allen H. Estlack, Jr., of Clarendon were each recognized for professional and personal achievements, civic responsibility, and continuing support of Clarendon College.

Hawkins, a 1982 graduate of Clarendon College, is the son of Glenda and the late Jerry Hawkins and was raised on the CC campus and attended Clarendon schools. He went on to get his Bachelor of Science in Animal Science and Vocational Agriculture Teaching Certificate from Texas Tech University in 1984. He also received a Master's of Science in Animal Breeding from Texas Tech in 1986 before getting his doctorate from Texas A&M University.

Hawkins did his NIH Postdoctoral Research Fellow at Colorado State University from 1990 to 1992 before going to work at New Mexico State University where today he is a Professor of Animal and Range Sciences and a member of the Molecular Biology Program and the graduate faculty. He traveled as a speaker and expert in his field to Chihuahua, Mexico; La Paz, Mexico; and Dubai, United Arab Emirates.

In addition to being a member of several professional organizations, Hawkins has received the A.M. "Tony" Sorenson, Jr., Achievement Award as Outstanding Graduate at

Texas A&M, the National Association of Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture Meritorious Teaching Award, the American Society of Animal Science Young Scientist Award, the Alpha Gamma Rho Brother of the Century Award, Who's Who Among America's, and the Texas Tech University Horizon Award.

Hawkins lives in Las Cruces, New Mexico, with his wife, Jaye, and their twin nine-year-old daughters, Hannah and Callie.

Allen Estlack was raised in Clarendon and graduated from Clarendon High School in 1956. He spent a year attending Clarendon College before transferring to Texas Technological College where he earned his Bachelor's of Science in Mathematics in 1961. He worked for West Texas Utilities Co. for 20 years before starting his own business, Estlack Electric, in 1981, and spent many years raising his sons in his trade. He also worked for The Clarendon Enterprise, where he performed several jobs.

Estlack spent his adult life as a champion of Clarendon College. He was a faithful attendee at the annual alumni reunions. He served on the Ex-Students Board and also served as the Ex-Student's president. He frequently attended Bulldog basketball games and was a supporter of both athletic and academic programs. When budgets ran tight at the college, Estlack and his wife made donations to support the Biology Department, and Estlack also volunteered his time and talent to the poultry portion of the annual CC Invitational Judging



Dean Hawkins (left) was honored as a Distinguished Alumnus at Clarendon College Saturday, and Roger Estlack accepted the same award for his father, the late Allen Estlack.

Enterprise Photo / Ashlee Estlack

Contest.

Estlack encouraged people to go to Clarendon College and to send their kids to Clarendon College. He was named as a "community ambassador" under CC's Open Door campaign that encouraged people of all ages to continue their education at Clarendon College. He loved CC like his loved his hometown, and he also worked to promote Clarendon

and Donley County through a wide variety of community service.

Estlack died June 18, 2006, at his home at the age of 68. He is survived by his wife, Helen; two sons, Roger and Russell and their wives Ashlee and Scarlet; and three grandsons, Nathan, Benjamin, and Daniel. His son and fellow Distinguished Alumnus Roger Estlack accepted the award on his behalf.

County jobless numbers decline

The March unemployment rate in Donley County dropped to 4.5 percent as the number of people looking for work fell to 82, according to data released last week from the Texas Workforce Commission.

The local jobless rate was down from 5.0 percent in February and 5.4 percent one year ago.

State data shows Donley County had a workforce of 1,810 with 1,728 employed in March.

In February, Donley County had a workforce of 1,840 with 92 people looking for work.

This year's March unemployment rate is Donley County's lowest since 2002 when the rate fell to 4.3.

The highest March local unemployment rate this decade was in 2004 when the figure was 6.3 percent and 120 people were looking for work. The lowest March Donley County unemployment rate this decade was in 2000 when the number was 4.1 percent.

Statewide, the March seasonally adjusted unemployment rate dropped to 4.3 percent, down from 4.5 percent in February and 5.0 percent a year ago. Seasonally adjusted nonagricultural employment in Texas grew by 15,000 jobs in March.

This increase followed a revised gain of 32,100 jobs in February 2007. With an annual job growth rate at 2.3 percent, the Texas economy gained 225,500 jobs over the past 12 months.

"Our falling unemployment rate and continued job growth are clear-cut indicators of a healthy Texas labor market," said Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) Chair Diane Rath. "The Texas unemployment rate now stands at 4.3 percent, below the national unemployment rate of 4.4 percent."

Leisure & Hospitality posted the biggest gain, adding 5,300 jobs in March. Trade, Transportation & Utilities followed with 4,400 jobs added over the month and 21,600 jobs added in the past 12 months. Professional & Business Services went up by 3,600 jobs over the month, for a 4.0 percent gain since March 2006.

"Sustained job growth drives our state's economic development," said TWC Commissioner Representing Employers Ron Lehman. "Employers are recording impressive annual job growth rates in industries, including Mining at 11.6 percent and Construction at 4.2 percent."

"Employment is up, and that means more workers are finding jobs," said TWC Commissioner Representing Labor Ronny Congleton. "The labor force in Texas is now at an all-time record, with more than 11,078,300 workers employed."

Initial claims for Unemployment Compensation in March 2007 were 52,901, down 2.1 percent since March 2006.

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guest commentary

Uninsured are not issue with health care

By Michael F. Cannon

This is "Cover the Uninsured Week." Funded by a conglomeration of unions, corporations, and foundations, the goal of this campaign is to provide health insurance to all of the estimated 47 million Americans who lack it.

After several years, the campaign seems to be making progress. Presidential candidates from former Gov. Mitt Romney (R-Mass.) to Sen. Hillary Clinton (D-N.Y.) have endorsed the goal of universal coverage. In a true sign of the apocalypse, Wal-Mart (Big Business) has joined hands with the Service Employees International Union (Big Labor) to push for universal coverage.

I may lose my health policy decoder ring for asking this, but should we really be focusing specifically on covering the uninsured? What do we think covering the uninsured would accomplish?

Would it improve health? Perhaps. But according to health economists Helen Levy of the University of Michigan's Economic Research Initiative on the Uninsured and David Meltzer of the University of Chicago there is "no evidence" that expanding coverage is a cost-effective way to do so. That is, there are other approaches that could purchase more health for the money spent. Nor would expanding coverage appear to increase overall longevity. Health economist James Smith of Rand notes that health insurance "is vastly overrated in the policy debate."

Would it improve the quality of care? Evidently not by much. Steven Asch and colleagues found that "health insurance status was largely unrelated to the quality of care." If you show up at a hospital or clinic in the U.S., you generally get the same quality care whether or not you have insurance.

Maybe expanding coverage would reduce health disparities across races and socio-economic groups? Harvard economist Christopher Murray and colleagues conclude that "expanding insurance coverage alone would still leave huge disparities in young and middle-aged adults."

At least expanding coverage would stop free-riders from taking advantage of others, right? Apparently not. Jack Hadley and John Holahan of the Urban Institute estimate that nearly one-third of uncompensated care goes to people who have health insurance but don't pay their bills. (In total, uncompensated care accounts for just four percent of health spending on the non-elderly. That's less than half of some estimates of fraud and one-sixth some estimates of wasted spending.)

Everyone wants to make health care better and more affordable. But if simply expanding coverage won't get us there, where should policymakers focus their efforts?

They could start with the fact that federal laws have created a health care system where patients are too often spending someone else's money when they purchase medical care. On average, third-parties pay for 86 cents out of every dollar of medical care American patients receive. That's about the same share as under Canada's socialized health care system.

As a result, U.S. patients demand too much medical care and pay too little attention to whether that care is cost-effective. Is it any wonder health insurance premiums are skyrocketing, our uninsured rate is too high, and quality is less than it should be?

There's a lesson here for those who want to cover the uninsured: focus on the incentives facing the 250 million Americans who have health insurance, not on the estimated 47 million who don't. If the federal government stopped encouraging people with health insurance to be less careful consumers, then coverage would be more affordable, the number of people without coverage would shrink, and the quality of care would improve.

That's why the most important reforms would allow workers to control the health care dollars that their employers currently control. If workers are allowed to own those dollars, 180 million Americans would start making more cost-conscious decisions about their health insurance and their medical care. President Bush's proposal to give all taxpayers a standard deduction for health insurance is one such reform. Another would allow workers to take all their health benefits as a cash contribution into a health savings account.

Health care looks to be a key issue in the 2008 presidential election. The quality of that debate would be greatly improved if every time some candidate uttered the words "cover the uninsured," someone would remind him or her, it's not the uninsured, stupid.

Michael F. Cannon is director of health policy studies at the Cato Institute.



Medicare Part D offers greatest benefits

Since it was launched in January 2006, Medicare Part D has exceeded even the most optimistic expectations in providing affordable prescription drugs to America's seniors. Yet some in Congress have threatened to undermine this program by replacing free market competition with government intervention.

In its first year, over 23 million seniors, including two million Texans, enrolled in the Part D program. These seniors are now enjoying the benefits of prescription drug coverage - many of them for the first time. Monthly premiums are also dropping, from an estimated \$37 when the program was created, to \$24 in 2006 to an even-lower \$22 in 2007. Eighty-eight percent of beneficiaries in Texas have access to coverage with premiums lower than last year.

In addition to the 40 percent reduction in estimated premiums, seniors are now saving \$1,200 per year on prescription drug costs, thanks to Part D. According to independent surveys, more than 80 percent of seniors say they are satisfied with the program.

Choice and competition from the Part D program is exactly what has made it so

successful, yet a bill recently considered in Congress would have removed this principle. Instead of using the time-tested methods of choice and competition to lower costs, proponents of the legislation wanted to impose a one-size-fits-all government solution. Despite the proven results of the past year and expert opinion, they claimed that government negotiation would lower prescription drug costs. The non-partisan Congressional Budget Office (CBO) analyzed the proposal and concluded the government "would not obtain significant discounts from drug manufacturers."

Pharmacy Benefit Managers (PBMs) are in fact already negotiating Medicare Part D prices on behalf of the federal government. The top five PBMs are larger in purchasing power than the federal government, and the CBO recognizes that the PBMs have been effective in lowering average monthly premiums.

Proponents of government negotiation



capitol comment
by sen. kay bailey hutchison

often use the Veterans Administration as an example of the benefits of a government-run prescription drug program. But what they do not tell you is that allowing the government to negotiate Part D prices will actually increase prices for veterans. The American Legion wrote that removing the non-interference provision "is not in the best interest of America's veterans and their families." And veterans are not the only ones who would be harmed. The CBO concluded that implementing a "best price system" like the one used by the VA and Medicaid would increase drug prices for the VA, Medicaid, and private purchasers.

Preserving Medicare Part D is not just an issue of saving money. It is about who has the fundamental right to make your health care decisions. A primary benefit of competition is that you the consumer - not the government - can choose what drugs you and your family use. As a result, you are not required to pay for a more expensive coverage plan that includes additional drugs that you do not need. These rights are reflected in the current Part D program, and I will continue to oppose efforts to take away those rights.



"...SO I FIGURED, WHAT TH' HEY, I'LL GIVE IT A SHOT, TOO... MY TRACK RECORD IS AS GOOD AS ANYBODY ELSE'S PREDICTING THESE THINGS..."

The little creamery in Texas that could

By US Sen. John Cornyn

One time-honored method of easing the effects of the hot summer weather is sitting down with a tasty bowl of ice cream. In the minds of many Texans, the ice cream of choice is Blue Bell, a home-grown enterprise we've begun gradually sharing with the rest of the country.

A notable Blue Bell anniversary, number 100, is upon us. In 1907, Washington County farmers and local businessmen set up the Brenham Creamery Co. to sell butter made from the excess cream generated by area dairies.

Four years later, the creamery started making ice cream, at first producing up to two full gallons each day. In 1930, the expanding operation adopted the name of a famous Texas summer wildflower, and the legend of Blue Bell ice cream was born.

Today, butter production is long gone. Blue Bell's four plants produce 100 pints of ice cream per minute in 17 core flavors and more than two dozen occasional or seasonal flavors. The company is privately held, so official figures aren't available, but annual sales are estimated at more than \$400 million.

The Blue Bell Creamery will mark its official centennial in July. A "100 Years Tour" has already started, with a "chocolate-covered" 18-wheel truck moving through 66 communities in 17 states, mostly across the southern U.S., where Blue Bell is marketed. Every visitor to the road show receives some company history and a complimentary cup of Homemade Vanilla - by far the most popular variety.

Also, guests of Blue Bell's "Day in the Country" celebration in Brenham on July 19th - 21st will have the opportunity to pose for a picture with Belle, a beautiful Jersey cow that works as Blue Bell's current "spokesmodel."

Blue Bell Ice Cream is now distributed from Arizona to Florida, and as far north as Kansas City. And though it's available in just 20 percent of America's grocery markets, only two other brands (Breyers and Dreyers) sell more ice cream in the U.S.

Blue Bell, like Texas, may yet become the biggest and best, but the company has

always been cautious in its expansion in order to protect its reputation for quality. Just last month, Texas dedicated a state Historical Marker at the Brenham creamery. The inscription reads in part:

"During the company's early years, management set the tone for careful business practices and respect for tradition. Under the Kruse family's leadership... Blue Bell has become one of our nation's most successful ice cream brands with a focus on its 'country' origins, quality ingredients and friendly service."

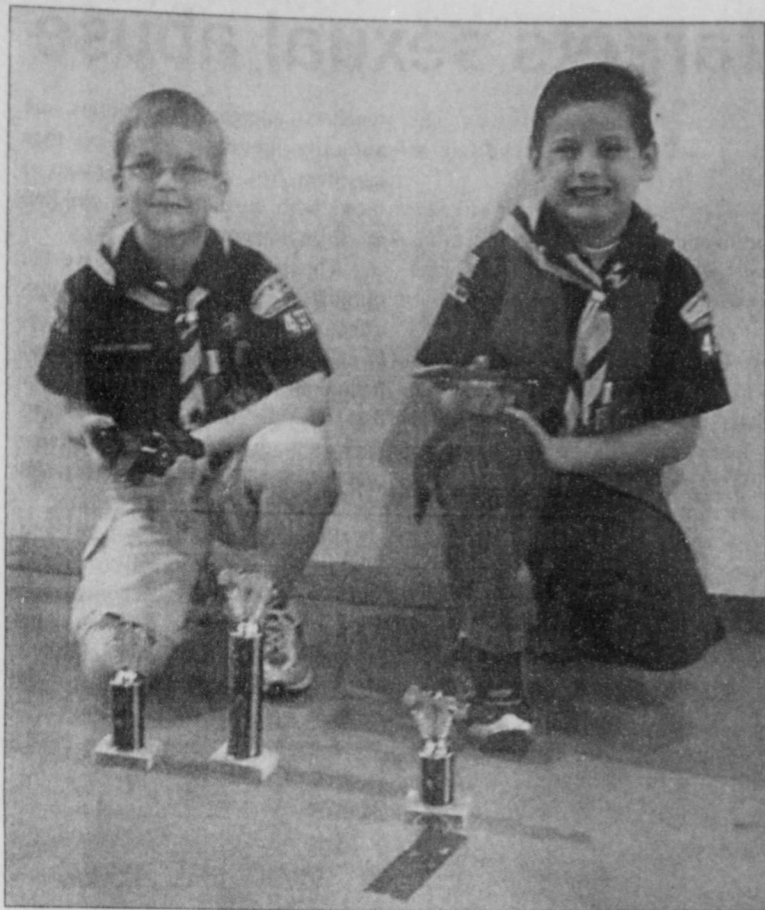
Among the 17 "permanent" Blue Bell flavors, my personal favorite is Pecan Pralines 'n Cream. My wife, Sandy, prefers Rocky Road. But in this case, we are consistently outvoted. Homemade Vanilla, Cookies 'n Cream and Dutch Chocolate are the consistent top-sellers across Texas.

The renowned New York Times reporter, the late R. W. "Johnny" Apple, Jr., visited Brenham and wrote about his personal favorite, Buttered Pecan: "I could easily down a pint at a single sitting. Just give me a spoon [no dish required] and stand back, kid."

Apple added that Homemade Vanilla differs from other popular premium vanillas because it has no vanilla bean flecks. "If it is flecks that you crave, you can opt for Natural Vanilla Bean," he noted.



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Champion racers

Clarendon Cub Scouts Justus Burton and Marshal Johnson participated in the Sante Fe District Pine Wood Derby in McLean on Saturday. Justus placed first in the Wolf Division while Marshal placed second. Justus was named the Champion car at the derby. He also was named Best Sportmanship while Marshal was named Best Styling. The local Pinewood Derby will be held Monday, April 30, at 7:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church.

CISD Trustees award bank deposit contract

The Clarendon ISD Board of Trustees met in regular session April 16 in the CISD Functional Living Center.

Among the items of business on the board's agenda, trustees awarded a bank depository contract to the Donley County State Bank to run from September 1, 2007, to August 31, 2009.

The board reviewed and acknowledged the 2007-2010 District Technology Plan and approved a proposal to purchase 21 computers and software upgrades for the replacement of the high school computer lab at a total cost of \$24,719.73.

Bids on tax delinquent properties in Howardwick were approved as presented by the Donley County Appraisal District.

And the board authorized Superintendent Monty Hysinger to complete and submit funding applications to the TEA.

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Tues	17	67°	49°	T
Wed	18	61°	44°	.06"
Thur	19	71°	46°	-
Fri	20	74°	47°	-
Sat	21	78°	56°	-
Sun	22	72°	47°	.75"

Total precipitation this month: 1.58"
 Total precipitation to date: 7.11"
 Total precipitation in Apr. last year: .35"
 Total YTD last year: 2.82"

weekend forecast

Friday, April 27
Mostly Sunny
76°/45°

Saturday, April 28
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84°/50°

Sunday, April 29
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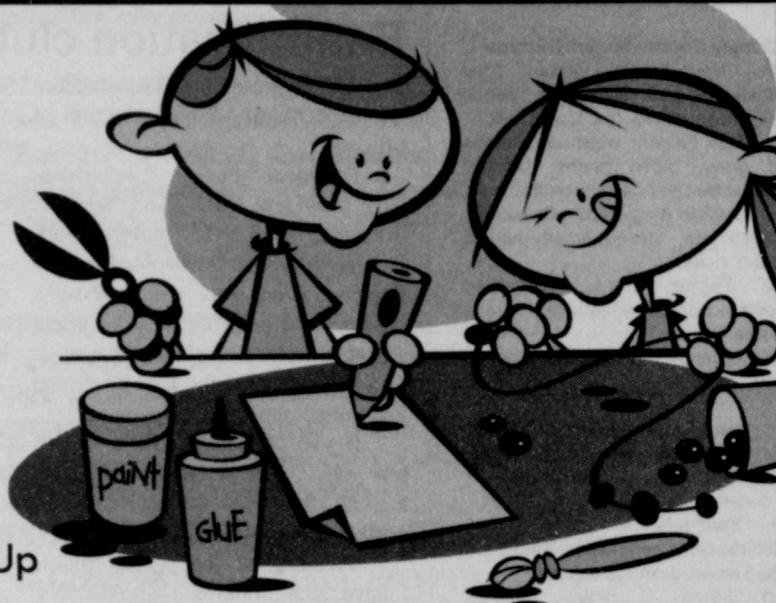
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Your guide to "what's happening" around Donley County.

April 14 - 30

Clarendon Citywide Clean Up

May 12

Clarendon Masonic Lodge Chicken BBQ

May 25

CHS & HHS Graduations

June 1

Saints Roust Museum Members Appreciation Dinner • Museum grounds

June 16

Trash To Treasures Citywide Garage Sale • Watch for details to come

Community Menus

April 30 - May 4

Donley County Senior Citizens
 Mon: Oven baked chicken, fried squash, broccoli au gratin, pears, cake, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk
 Tue: Steak Fingers, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, broccoli salad, strawberry cake, biscuits
 Wed: Chicken King Ranch Casserole, Spanish rice, tossed salad, apricot cobbler, bread
 Thu: Pepper Stead, buttered Noodles, oriental vegetables, pears, cookies, bread
 Fri: BBQ sandwich, onion rings, potato salad, ice cream

Hedley Senior Citizens
 Mon: Fajita chicken salad, veggie sticks, corn, pear & cottage cheese, ice cream, sliced bread
 Tue: Spaghetti & meat sauce, California blend vegetables, fried okra, tossed salad, cake, garlic toast
 Wed: Stead & gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, Waldorf salad, ice cream, rolls
 Thu: Meat Loaf, macaroni & cheese, pear & cottage cheese, blueberry muffin, roll
 Fri: Catfish, onion rings, spinach, coleslaw, chocolate pudding, corn bread

Clarendon CISD
 Breakfast
 Mon: No School
 Tue: Sausage, biscuit, gravy, fruit, milk
 Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk
 Thu: Eggs, toast, fruit milk
 Fri: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk
 Lunch
 Mon: No School
 Tue: Pig in the blanket, baked beans, carrot stick, fruit, milk
 Wed: Chicken fried steak, potatoes, green beans, pears, roll, milk
 Thu: Little smokies, corn, coleslaw, fruit, roll, milk
 Fri: Ham & cheese sandwich, chips, lettuce, tomato, apple, milk

Hedley CISD
 Mon: Chicken & Rice, broccoli & cheese, diced peaches, bread stick, tossed salad, milk
 Tue: Burrito, orange quarters, tossed salad, cookies, fruit juice, milk
 Wed: Chicken nuggets, baked potato halves, mixed vegetables, fruit cup, rolls, milk
 Thu: Cheese pizza, tossed salad, sliced apples, cake, fruit juice, milk
 Fri: BBQ on a bun, fries, corn cobbette, pickles spears, fruit juice, milk

New public awareness campaign targets sexual abuse

By MaryRuth Peacock, County Agent

April is sexual abuse awareness month. A new campaign helping people understand and become more aware of sexual abuse is called Darkness to Light - Facing Child Abuse with Courage.

What is child sexual abuse? Any sexual act between an adult and a minor or between two minors when one exerts power over the other. Forcing, coercing or persuading a child to engage in any type of sexual act. This, of course, includes sexual contact. It also includes non-contact acts such as exhibitionism, exposure to pornography, voyeurism and communicating in a sexual manner by phone or Internet. An agonizing and traumatic experience for its victims. A crime punishable by law.

Bringing this down to focus in Donley County. In Hedley Elementary 3rd grade there are children 3

girls and 5 boys. Statistically one of those boys and one of the girls will be sexually abused in some way. It may be in the home, at school, church activities, or on the internet.

Experts estimate that 1 in 4 girls and 1 in 6 boys are sexually abused before their 18th birthdays. This means that in any classroom or neighborhood full of children, there are children who are silently bearing the burden of sexual abuse. 1 in 5 children are sexually solicited while on the Internet. Nearly 70% of all reported sexual assaults (including assaults on adults) occur to children ages 17 and under.

Thirty to 40 percent of children are abused by family members. As many as 60% are abused by people the family trusts- abusers frequently try to form a trusting relationship with parents. Nearly 40% are abused by older or larger children.

Child sexual abuse is a very complex problem. The following information is not a substitute for the advice of professionals. It is only to give you simple, proactive steps to help protect your children.

Step 1: Learn the facts. Realities—not trust—should influence your decisions regarding your child.

Step 2: Minimize Opportunity. If you eliminate or reduce one-adult/one-child situations, you'll dramatically lower the risk of sexual abuse for your child.

Step 3: Talk about it. Children often keep abuse a secret, but barriers can be broken down by talking openly about it.

Step 4: Stay Alert. Don't expect obvious signs when a child is being sexually abused.

Step 5: Make a Plan. Learn where to go, who to call and how to react.

Step 6: Act on Suspicions. The future well-being of a child is at stake.

Step 7: Get involved. Volunteer and financially support organizations that fight the tragedy of child sexual abuse.

A child's safety is an adult's job. Children are often taught how to keep themselves safe from sexual abuse - and that's important for them to learn - but it's no substitute for adult responsibility. We make sure children wear seat belts. We walk them across busy streets. We store toxic household cleaners out of reach. Why, then, would we leave the job of preventing child sexual abuse solely to children?

Imagine how difficult it is for a child to say "no" to a parent, a teacher, a coach, or clergy. Even the adults we trust to protect children can't always be trusted. Coaches,

teachers, clergy, and parents are authority figures children feel they can trust. Yet, a large percentage of those who sexually abuse children are from this group.

These are adults who have the opportunity to "groom" children with affection and attention, making it difficult for children to identify certain behaviors as abuse. And they know that children have been taught to "mind" them. This is why programs that focus on adult responsibility and involvement are essential.

Support activities where you as a parent can be directly involved and KNOW who is spending time with your child. Ask questions and be present so that your children understand that you care about their safety.

For more information call, Donley County Extension, 874-2141.

Beautification club elects officers

The Howardwick Beautification Club met April 16 with election of officers.

President Peggy Cockerham, Vice president Rose Mary Winters, Treasurer Greta Byars, and Secretary Donna Murdock with back-up of Peggy Gaston were reelected by a slight majority. Rose Mary Winters was appointed telephone chairman. Fund raising activities were discussed and tabled until next meeting.

If you are looking for a volunteer job for the summer, contact us at 874-2886, and we will find the perfect place.

Speaking of the perfect place, I have been walking Lady the dog and watching the progression of the wild flowers. In the lawn they are a noxious weed but along the roadway and up the hill they are beautiful wild flowers. They are constantly changing

and make that walk a delight for me along with the exercise.

The Irises are beginning to bloom in the Howardwick Park - another delight.

We have had more rain but thankfully no tornados. If fact, our rain gauge shows eight inches of rain for the year. We have some apricots clinging to the tree, so maybe Jim will get that pie yet.

Joyce Hardin is home recovering from back surgery. Bobby Murdock was scheduled for carpal tunnel surgery and should be home again. Keep them on the prayer list please.



'wick picks
 by peggy cockerham
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Golden Graduates

Vernice "Butch" Waddell, Jr., Susie Jones Shields, Pat Vincent White, and Leon "Bud" Schaffer receive Golden Diplomas in honor of their 50 year class reunion from Clarendon College during Saturday night's Clarendon College Ex-Student and Alumni Reunion Banquet.

Enterprise photo by Roger Estlack



the lion's tale
 by roger estlack

The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting April 24, 2007, with Boss Lion Jim Shelton in charge.

We had 18 members and three guests this week - Trent Smith, guest of Lion David Smith, Ashlee Estlack, guest of Lion Roger Estlack; and prospective transfer member Lion Bill Lehmen, guest of the club.

The Boss Lion entertained us with a brilliant joke about a ceramic cat, and Lions Myles Shelton and Marvin Elam updated the club on happenings at the college and school. Lion Judy Burlin reported that the Chamber of Commerce will have a planning meeting Thursday for July 4th activities.

With no further business, we were adjourned.

Burton Library has new children's books

It may be doubtful that you recognize the name Michael Steel; however, even if you are not an avid baseball fan, the term New York Yankees and names Lou Gehrig, Babe Ruth, Joe DiMaggio, Roger Maris and Mickey Mantle have probably been familiar at one time.

Many years ago, Michael Steel, a very young boy with brain cancer, loved to watch the New York Yankees on TV from his hospital bed. He could hardly believe it when Robinson Cano, Yankee second baseman, actually entered his hospital room for a visit. Not only that, but Cano was partly responsible for Michael's personal involvement with the Yankees and the opportunity to become their batboy for a day.

Author Ray Negron, who was part of the Yankees and the organization for over 30 years, wrote this wonderfully heartwarming

book, beautifully illustrated by Lauren Seeley, entitled "The Boy of Steel...A Baseball Dream Come True". It is evident that comments and conversations of Reggie Jackson, Willie Randolph, Darryl Strawberry, and other players include inspiration to all involved. Readers will find a lot of "touching" information in this book. Visiting sick children in hospitals with incurable diseases, bad accidents, and other types of serious illnesses has been a Yankee tradition for many years, and still exists.

Now! Where can you locate this brief inspiring book? It is a children's book in Burton Memorial Library. That's right! In fact, it is one of the 300 children's books donated to Burton Memorial Library by Mr. Alan Hendrix in honor of his mother, Cleo Hall Hendrix. I truly believe I have never seen a more fabulous collection... one that can be appealingly shared by adults and children.

Young adult reading, biographies, easy books, historical, science interest, crafts, and civil rights interest are only a portion of available topics.

Mark Victor Hansen, co-creator of the "Chicken Soup Books", comments on one of the family value books entitled, God, Can You Hear Me?": "Everyone wants to know if God hears our personal soul talk. Now from the mouths of babes, you will know! Enjoy this great and inspiring book."

Hopefully, you and your children will soon come down to examine and check out books from Mr. Hendrix's



check it out
 by mary beth nelson

Golden Needles gets one quilt turned out

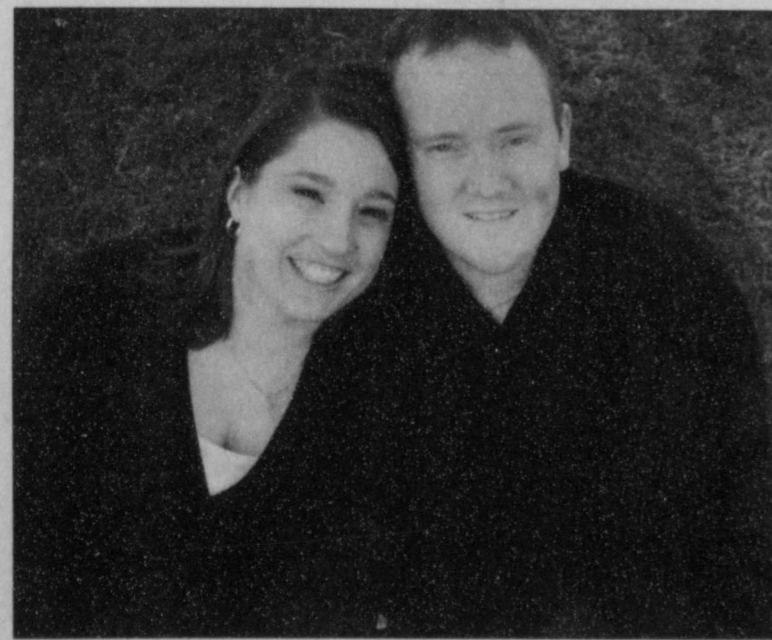
The Golden Needles Club met April 19, 2007, at the Agape Church with Barbara Helms as hostess, with visiting and lots of quilting.

Lunch was served to Pearl Hermesmeier, Ann Bunyan, Jo Shaller, Mary Lynn Manning, Betty Jean Williams, Eva Lee Swinney, Francis Smith, Becky Lane, and Barbara Helms.

They took the quilt out of frame at about 3:30.

Red Hatters to meet

Put on a red hat and join the Twilight Red Hatters at JD Steakout April 26. The group eats at 6:00 p.m. and enjoys a get together. This month they will plan a fun summer.



Kelsey LaMunyon and Derek Gourley

Gourley, LaMunyon to wed in July

Bret and Kim LaMunyon of Perryton are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Kelsey K. LaMunyon, to Derek Alan Gourley, son of Joe and Shirley Gourley of Cypress, formerly of Clarendon.

The bride elect is a 2001 graduate of Perryton High School and will graduate in May 2007 from Texas Tech School of Pharmacy with a Doctor of Pharmacy degree. The groom elect is a 2001 graduate of

Clarendon High School. He will also graduate in May from Texas Tech with a Doctor of Pharmacy degree.

The couple will move to Lubbock to begin their careers. Derek will be a pharmacist for Walgreens. Kelsey also plans to begin working soon in a community pharmacy as a pharmacist.

The couple plans to marry on July 14, 2007, at the First United Methodist Church in Perryton.

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CHS advances six to state UIL

Seven CHS students placed in their academic contests at the Regional UIL meet at South Plains College in Levelland on April 13.

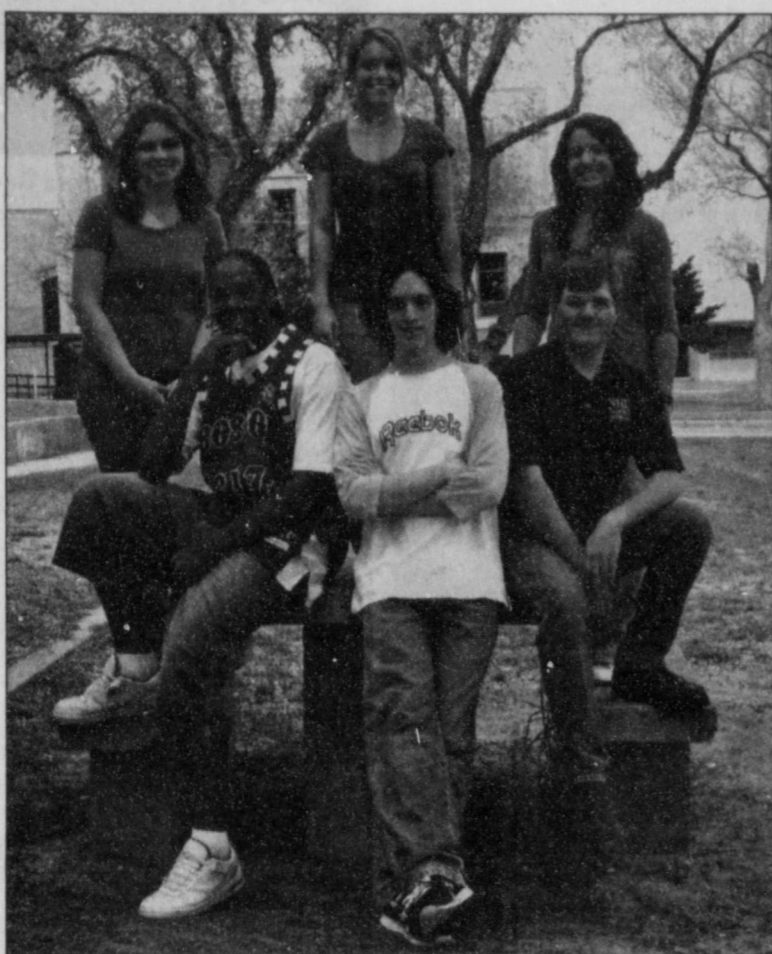
Senior Regan Lemley placed 3rd in Literary Criticism. Senior Jake Miser was 1st in Social Studies, and 2nd in Lit Crit. Senior Sarah Scrivner was 4th in News and 5th in Features. Senior LaDez Captain was 3rd in Prose Reading.

Juniors Paul Goetze placed 1st in Current Issues and Events; Abby Patten: 5th in Informative speaking.

Sophomore Amelia Taylor placed 6th in Social Studies.

Lemley, Miser, Captain, and Goetze will compete in the State academic meet in Austin on May 6 and 7. Joining Lemley and Miser will be Literary Criticism team members senior Shelby Watson and sophomore Morgan Hysinger. The lit crit team advances to the state level as the 2nd place regional wildcard team.

Lemley, Miser, Captain, Scrivner and Watson qualify for the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation (TIFL), a scholarship program sponsored for academic state competitors.



CHS State UIL Academic Qualifiers who will be competing in Austin May 4 and 5 (back) Morgan Hysinger, Shelby Watson, Regan Lemley, (front) LaDez Captain, Jake Miser, and Paul Goetze.

PRPC rebates available for safe rooms

The destructive tornadoes of this past weekend provide strong evidence that the Panhandle lies deep in Tornado alley.

Those storm events also serve to remind us of the importance of having a place to take shelter in such emergencies.

The PRPC began taking Round II applications for rebates on residential safe rooms/storm shelters on February 23 and will continue doing so until COB on April 27. The Residential Safe Room Rebate program is designed to help residents equip their homes with a shelter substantial enough to stand up to the more pow-

erful storms this part of the country will experience.

Eligible residents who apply for and are awarded a rebate will have 50 percent of the cost of their shelter, not to exceed \$2,500, refunded to them once the shelter is installed.

There are a variety of shelter styles eligible under this program; some are above ground, some are below ground and in some cases, approved panels can be used to retrofit an existing room.

The one requirement with regard to the storm shelter construction is that whatever type of shelter is installed, that shelter must be certi-

fied by the National Storm Shelter Association.

The rebate application form can be found on the PRPC's website at www.theprpc.org under the title Regional Safe Room Rebate Program Round II. The form can also be obtained by calling the PRPC offices at 806-372-3381.

For more information about the Safe Room program, please contact Jamie Allen at the PRPC at 806-372-3381.

Once again, the application period for the PRPC's Round II Residential Safe Room Rebate Program will close on April 27.

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Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on **SATURDAY, MAY 12, 2007**, to adopt or reject a proposed Constitutional Amendment as submitted by the 80th Legislature, Regular Session, of the State of Texas.

Notifíquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales citadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 12 mayo de 2007 para adoptar o rechazar la enmienda propuesta constitucional así como fueron sometidas por la 80a Legislatura Sesión Regular, de la Estado de Texas.

LOCATION OF POLLING PLACES Dirección(es) de las casillas electorales)

- Box 101 - Clarendon College Bairfield Bldg.
- Box 102 Howardwick City Hall
- Box 201 - County Courthouse
- Box 301 - Community Center-Clarendon
- Box 303 - Hedley Lions Club
- Box 401- City Library

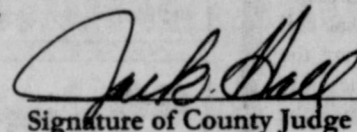
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Thornberry opposes DC vote in Congress

WASHINGTON, D.C.- Congressman Mac Thornberry (R-Clarendon) last week voted against a bill that would give the Delegate for the District of Columbia a full vote in the U.S. House of Representatives for the first time in the nation's history.

"It is clear that the authors of the Constitution did not intend the capital city have its own voting Representative in Congress, and that's the way it's been since the capital moved to Washington in 1801," Thornberry said.

H.R. 1433 would replace the current non-voting Delegate from D.C. with a full-fledged for voting Member of Congress. The bill also adds a Member from Utah, which was next in line to receive a new Representative according to the 2000 U.S. Census.

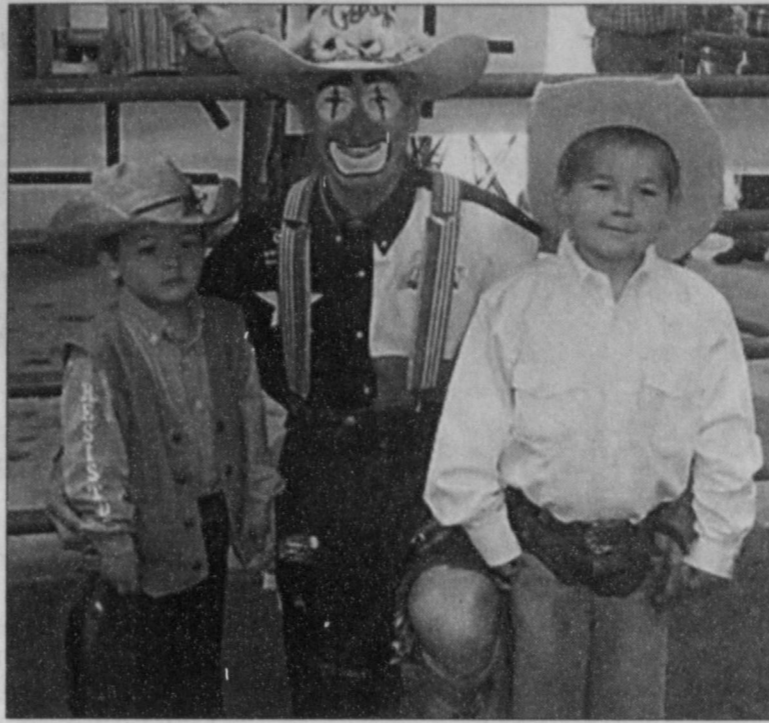
The addition of these two seats would raise the total number of Representatives to 437. The bill passed by a vote of 241 to 177 and now

awaits action by the U.S. Senate. The President has threatened to veto the legislation.

Article I, Section 2 of the Constitution states, "The House of Representatives shall be composed of Members chosen every second Year by the People of the several states."

Thornberry said, "Since D.C. was intentionally created as a non-state district, it is clear that is was never intended to have a Member of Congress. A vote in the House is just the first step. Next, there will be a push to give D.C. two Senators and then full statehood. This measure stands on shaky Constitutional ground and, if enacted, is likely to be challenged in the courts."

Washington is a city of less than 70 square miles with a population smaller than the 13th District of Texas. D.C. receives about \$600 million annually from the federal government to serve as our nation's capital.



Jr. Cowboys

Wyatt Fulton and Logan Fulton of Clarendon competed in the Pokey Jr Ranch Rodeo on Sunday April 22, 2007, in Amarillo at the Cowboy Church - Arena of Life. Wyatt Fulton's Super PeeWee team won their division of 2 and 3 year olds, Logan Fulton also competed in the 4-7 year old teams.

Drugs in the News

Vaccine Protects Infants Better than Expected

In February, 2000, the FDA approved a new vaccine called Prevnar (Pneumococcal 7-valent Conjugate Vaccine). It is administered as a series of four injections to infants at ages 2, 4, 6, and 12-15 months. Prevnar targets the most common strains of pneumococcus bacteria that account for 80 percent of invasive disease in infants and toddlers by the time they turn 2 years of age. In the spring of 2006, the results of a study published in the New England Journal of Medicine indicated that since the introduction of Prevnar, the incidence of invasive pneumococcal disease (IPD) had decreased substantially.

There is more good news. In this month's issue of the medical journal Pediatrics, results of a study involving Prevnar describe the proportion of children with insurance plans in Tennessee and New York who received this vaccine. In one plan, by age 2 years, there was a 16 percent reduction in frequent pneumococcal ear infections and the proportion of children in whom ear tubes were inserted. In the other plan, a 25 percent reduction was noted.



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Free clinic screens 300 for cancer

National Melanoma/Skin Cancer Awareness Month usually starts in May, but this year it started early as The Don & Sybil Harrington Cancer Center's Free Skin Cancer Screening Clinic screened over 300 patients on Saturday, April 21.

A total of 317 patients in all were screened with 64 biopsies recommended. In all, 26 patients were identified as having non-melanoma skin cancer.

Skin cancer is the most common form of cancer in the U.S. One in five Americans will get skin cancer over the course of a lifetime, and nationally, there are more new cases of skin cancer than breast, prostate, lung and colon cancers combined. Skin cancer is highly preventable, more than 90 percent of all skin cancers are caused by sun or tanning bed exposure, yet fewer than 33 percent of people routinely use sun protection.

The two types of skin cancer are malignant melanoma and non-melanoma. Non-melanomas (basal cell and squamous cell cancers) are the most common cancers of the skin. Melanoma, considered being the more dangerous type of skin cancer, accounts for about three percent of skin cancer cases. The American Cancer Society estimates that in 2007 there will be around 60,000 new cases of melanoma in the country and approximately 8,100 people will die from the disease.

The Skin Cancer Screening Clinic was sponsored by the American Academy of Dermatology and part of a national campaign to encourage early detection and teach prevention of skin cancer. Early detection is critical for Skin Cancer. If caught in the initial stages, skin cancer has a high survival rate.

For more information concerning National Melanoma/Skin Cancer Awareness Month, the Free Skin Cancer Screening Clinic, or Skin Cancer in general, please contact Kalley Saddle, External Relations Manager at 806-351-1755.

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A beautiful view of the golf course and Lake Greenbelt sets the mood in the dining room as Tom and Rhonda Jaramillo serve up great food and outstanding hospitality.

Favorite menu items include steaks, shrimp - either coconut or breaded, catfish, and chicken - which can be ordered a variety of ways.

A popular new specialty is the Angus beef burger that is a mouth-watering treat sure to satisfy your greatest appetite.

Tom's catfish dish is very popular, and those who like their food smokin' should try Tom's spicy enchiladas and green chili

the first Friday of every month. Be sure you have a tall glass of water to cool you back off when you're through though.

A full salad bar accompanies the regular menu and offers diners a wide variety of delicious toppings.

And speaking of bars, the Country Club has available a full line of adult beverages to quench your thirst. The bar is open to members, and non-members can pay a low temporary membership fee.



Chicken Fried Chicken Plate

5 p.m. every day but Tuesday. The Grill menu features burgers, cheese sticks, fries, and other tasty treats as well as sandwiches.

With incomparable amenities, including the 18-hole golf course, pool, dance floor, bar, and restaurant, Clarendon Country Club is a great place for business meetings, private parties, dances, and wedding receptions. A low rental fee of \$50 applies for members, and the fee is \$250 for non-members. Catering is available for any activity.

For rental information, call The Grill, which is located pool side and is open from 11 a.m. to

Rhonda at 874-2863.

Whether you want to just get away and enjoy a good meal or want to relax by the pool this summer, you can find it all at Clarendon Country Club located just off Rick Husband Blvd. in Howardwick.



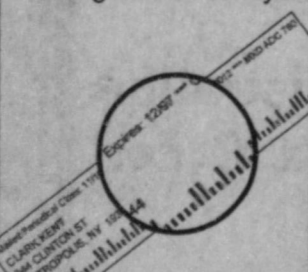
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Sell finishes second in qualifiers contest

By Sandy Anderberg
Seven Broncos and Lady Broncos prepared for their Regional track meet by participating in a Qualifiers Meet at Panhandle April 20 with good results.

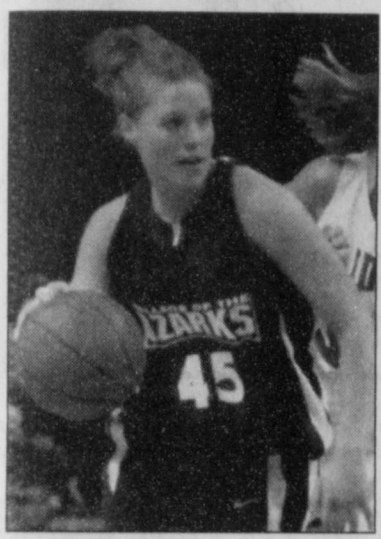
Senior Brad Sell finished second in the pole vault with a height of 13'6". LaDez Captain was sixth in the triple jump at 39'10" and David Gordon was first in the high jump at 6'4"

Erin Holland set a school record in the pole vault with a height of 8'0 and Katie Askew took second in the shot put at 34'4" and fifth in the discus with a throw of 108'10".

Jill Cornell competed in the triple jump with her best being 32'8" and Kia Bryley ran a 13.2 in the 100-meter dash and a 27.8 in the 200-meter dash.

"The girls are working hard," coach Steve Myatt said. "They are also learning valuable lessons because of the level of competition."

The Regional meet will be held on the campus of South Plains Junior College in Levelland on April 27-28.



Rebekah Howard

Amarillo Chamber honors Howard

Rebekah Howard of Hedley recently was honored by the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce Sports Committee with its "College Athlete of the Month" award in a ceremony at the Kids, Inc. center in Amarillo.

Howard plays basketball for the College of the Ozarks Lady Bobcats. Her performance during the team's run to the NAIA division II national title game was outstanding.

She averaged nearly 11 points per game in March as the Lady Bobcats went undefeated in the Midlands Athletic Conference regular season and its postseason tournament, and then won four games in the national tournament. She led her team in scoring in the quarterfinal game and the national championship game.

For the season she hit over 39 percent of her 3-pointers and averaged 7 rebounds per game as well.

George Wilson, coach of College of the Ozarks, sent a letter to the Amarillo Chamber stating:

"Rebekah was and is a great addition to the College of the Ozarks and a great person as well. She is a very deserving athlete and young lady."

Howard has been a part of the two best seasons in Lady Bobcat history. They finished 33-2 in 2006 and 34-3 this year, both times falling in the national title game. Howard will be a senior next year with one more chance to claim the national title.

She was joined in the Amarillo honor by the Nazareth and Canyon state title teams and by Memphis baseball standout Colt Molloy.

Broncos continue baseball streak

By Sandy Anderberg
The Broncos continue their winning streak as they get closer to post-season play with wins over Shamrock (16-3) and Wellington (11-0), sending them to 16-1 overall and 8-1 in District.

The Broncos got their first win on the road at Shamrock. According to coach Brad Elam, they began the game slowly, but got rolling to get the big win.

"We started off slow in all aspects of the game," Elam said, "but we put together three big innings that put them away. Austin Howard (pitcher) didn't have his best stuff but had enough to win and improved his record to 4-1."

Elam felt their hits could have

been stronger.

Stats: Jon McGlaun-2 RBI, scored 3 runs, 2 stolen bases; Trevor Leeper-2 RBI, scored 2 runs, 4 stolen bases; Dalton Askew-3 hits, scored 2 runs, 3 stolen bases; Howard-2 RBI; Devin Noble-2 runs, 3 stolen bases; Clint Watson-2 RBI and 3 stolen bases.

The shut out against Wellington was quick and painful for the Sky-Rockets as the Broncos defeated them in record time according to Elam at one hour and 26 minutes.

"We beat Wellington like we should have," Elam said. "They are a young, inexperienced team. Defensively, we made no errors and turned a double play."

The Broncos drew nine runs in the first two innings.

"The double play came when LaDez fielded a ground ball, touched first and threw to Trevor to tag out the runner on first to end the inning. They had only one hit as Austin and Jon pitched five good innings. One thing we need to have in the upcoming games is our bottom part of the order scoring runs. Our top six hitters scored all 11 runs."

Stats: McGlaun-scored 3 runs, 5 stolen bases; Leeper-2 runs, 3 stolen bases, drove in 2 runs; Captain-scored 2 runs; David Gordon-double; Askew-scored 2 runs.

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- 8 Macy Shadle Soph.
- 9 Brandi Mays Fr.
- 10 Zan Burks Jr.
- 12 Janae White Soph.
- 15 Niki Roberts Soph.
- 16 Sarah Scrivner Sr.
- 23 Sade Fass-Cobb Jr.
- 24 Jill Cornell Jr.
- 25 Dominic Mason Fr.
- 33 Caitlyn Christopher Fr.
- 44 Elissa Holland Fr.

Ad/Head Coach: Gary Jack
Asst. Coach: Kasey Bell
Stats: Trisha Hewett

Broncos

- 1 Devin Noble Soph.
- 2 Alton Gaines Soph.
- 3 Nathan Gribble Soph.
- 6 Trevor Leeper Jr.
- 7 David Gordon Sr.
- 8 Aaron Gordon Soph.
- 10 Austin Howard Jr.
- 12 Dalton Askew Jr.
- 13 Stephen Fowler Jr.
- 14 Jon McGlaun Sr.
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Obituaries

Anglin

Mary El Dora "Tillie" Anglin, 85, died Tuesday, April 17, 2007, in Amarillo.

Graveside services were held at 4:00 p.m. on Friday, April 20, 2007, in Citizens Cemetery with Don Stone, Church of Christ minister from Clarendon, officiating.

Mrs. Anglin was born April 15, 1922, in Brice, Hall County, Texas to William and Zettie Rae Rebreed. She was a Wellington resident before moving to Clarendon in 1957.

Over the years, she had won many awards for her art. She was a long time member of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce and was a member of the Clarendon Church of Christ.

Mrs. Anglin was preceded in death by her husband on March 16, 2001, and by a brother and two sisters.

Survivors include two daughters, Kay Saied of Amarillo, Cindy Ellis of Clarendon; one son, Sammy Anglin of Clarendon; one sister, Grace Greg-

ory of Dumas; a sister in law, Billie Rexrode of Amarillo; four grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

The family request memorials be to Roadrunner Home Health Care, 6515 North 18th Street in Memphis, Texas 79245.

Abel

Lynn De Juan Abel, born December 9, 1936, passed away Sunday, April 15, 2007, while traveling to France.

Visitation was held on Saturday, April 21 and funeral services were held Sunday, April 22, at 2:00 p.m. at the Greer Funeral Home Chapel in Mangum, OK, with interment at the Ladessa Cemetery, Greer County, Oklahoma, under the direction of Greer Funeral Home of Mangum.

As an accomplished life-long musician, playing the accordion and many other instruments, De Juan attended Denver University's Lamont School of Music, and sang barbershop as a long time member of SPEBSQA (Society of the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber-shop Quartet Singing in America).

After service in the US Marine Corps 1957-1960 he earned his college degree in Foreign Service from Georgetown University. As the founder of Hexagon Honeycomb Corporation he became a modern day industrialist, epitomizing entrepreneurial ambition and independence by developing that company into the world wide leader in the production

and distribution of structural paper honeycomb. He was presented the St. Louis Small Business Association Businessman of the Year Award in 1991.

He passionately loved travel, conversation with anyone, and his family, which for him extended to second and third degree relatives, with all of whom he managed to maintain active contact.

De Juan married Carol Ann Coniff in 1960, and they had two sons, Corey Steven Abel and Andrew Craig Abel.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Oliver J. and Willie Abel of Clarendon, his older brother, Billy Dan Abel, and his sister, Donna.

He is survived by his former wife Carol Abel of Scottsdale, Arizona; his son Corey Abel and wife Jenni Jordan Abel, and their children, Audrey Lynn and Oliver Emmett of Denver, Colorado; his son Andrew "Andy" Abel of Hollywood, Florida; his brother, Philip C. Abel of Ft. Worth, Texas; and his long time companion Krisztina Toth and her son Daniel Antmann; and a host of cousins, nieces, and nephews.

To all who knew him he was a devoted father, uncle, and friend.

Smith

Peggy Carroll Smith died Monday, April 16, 2007, in Newton.

Services were held at 1:00 p.m. Friday, April 20, 2007, in Robertson Chapel of Memories in Clarendon with Rev. Bryan Knowles, retired Baptist minister, officiating. Interment was held at Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon. Services were under the arrangement of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc., of Clarendon.

Mrs. Smith was born January 4, 1934, in Hedley to William Wayne and Jessie Alice Carroll. She was a resident of Clovis, NM, much of her life before moving to Newton several years ago. She was educated in Portales, NM, and worked at Cannon Air Force Base for 19 years before her retirement. She was a Baptist.

Mrs. Smith was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, and five sisters.

Survivors include three sons, David Smith and wife Teri of Clovis, NM, Guy Smith and wife Barbara of Sedalia, CO, Larry Smith and wife Nancy of Highlands Ranch, CO; eight grandchildren; and seven great grandchildren.

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LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE TO ANY BANKING CORPORATION, ASSOCIATION, OR INDIVIDUAL BANKING IN DONLEY COUNTY, TEXAS

Pursuant to Articles 116.022 through 116.025 of the Local Government Code, the Donley County Commissioners' Court in regular April session of Court invites any and all financial banking institutions who are interested, to submit an application to be designated as the county depository for the biennium beginning April 16, 2007.

The application shall state the amount of paid-up capital stock and permanent surplus of the institution and there shall be furnished with the application a statement showing the financial condition of said institution. The application shall also be accompanied by a certified or cashier's for not less than 1/2 (one-half) of one percent of the County's revenue for the preceding year as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of the bank, (total county revenue \$1,359,233.03).

Application should reflect: 1. Interest paid on checking accounts maintaining a minimum balance of \$1,000.00 2. Interest paid on CDs of \$100,000.00 a. for 30 days b. for 6 months c. for 1 year 3. Interest charged Donley County for any loan from bank. 4. List of any charges to County for services such as wire transfer, safety deposit box, checks, etc.

The Donley County Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. All applications should be submitted to the County Treasurer on or before 9:45 o'clock a.m. on April 16, 2007.

The Court shall require a representative from bank making application to attend the bid opening at 10:00 a.m. April 16, 2007.

Jack Hall County Judge

NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DONLEY

By virtue of Orders of Sale issued out of the Judicial District Court of DONLEY County in the following cases on the 5th day of April, 2007, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell at 10:00 A.M. on the 1ST DAY OF MAY, 2007, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said DONLEY County, in the City of CLARENDON, Texas, the following described property located in DONLEY County, to-wit:

CAUSE NO. 5933 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS AGUILON ALEJO All of Lot 184 of the Navajo section of Sherwood Shores IX situated in Donley County, Texas.

LEGAL NOTICES

County, Texas. CAUSE NO. 5940 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS BUTLER BURL All of Lots Sixty-Three (63) and Sixty-Four (64), Seminole County Club North Section of Sherwood Shore IX situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5941 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS CALDERON LUPE All of Lot 276 of the Saints Rost I Section of Sherwood Shores IX Subdivision situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5990 DONLEY COUNTY VS CLINE RAY All of Lot No.289, Seminole Section, of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 6224 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS CRUZAN D.J. Lot 789, Red Feather Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5909 CITY OF CLARENDON VS DOYAL ROGER D TRACT 1: All of Lot 203 of the Peyton Place Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas. TRACT 2: All of Lot 57 of Saints' Rost I Section of the Sherwood Shores IX Subdivision located in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 6040 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS ERWICK JAMES B ESTATE Lots 458 and 459 of the Country Club North Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas. CAUSE NO. 5325 DONLEY COUNTY VS MERRIMAN DOYN All of Lot 133 of the Country Club North Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5979 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS NICHOLS C A All of Lot 149 of Country Club North Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5980 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS O'DANIEL L.L. TRACT 1: Lot 307 of the Peyton Place Section of Sherwood Shores IX, an addition to the City of Howardwick, Donley County, Texas. TRACT 2: Lot 149 of the Saints' Rost II Section of Sherwood Shores IX Subdivision situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5633 DONLEY COUNTY VS OWENS DALE E Lot No. 297 of Nocona Hills, an Addition to the City of Howardwick, Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5981 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS POYNOR DONNA SUE TRACT 1: All of Lots 706 and 707, Red Feather Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas. TRACT 2: All of Lot 184 of Huron Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5984 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS SIKES A L Lots 249 and 250 of the Cherokee Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5880 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS SRADER HARLAN TRACT 1: Lot 201, Arrowhead Section, Sherwood Shores IX, Donley County, Texas. TRACT 2: Lots 592 and 593, Red Feather Section, Sherwood Shores IX, Donley County, Texas.

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CAUSE NO. 5988 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS THOMAS JAMES TRACT 1: All of Lot 278, Seminole Section, of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas. TRACT 2: Lots 456, 457 and 458 of Seminole Section, Sherwood Shores IX, Donley County, Texas. TRACT 3: Lots 61 and 62 of the Seminole Section of Sherwood Shores IX, an Addition to the City of Howardwick, Donley County, Texas. TRACT 4: Lots 833 and 834 of the Red Feather Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas. TRACT 5: Lot 49, Pueblo Section, Sherwood Shores IX, Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5990 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS VANDERWAY F J Lots 447 and 448 in Sherwood Shores IX, Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5937 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS BERRIG BRYAN D Lot Number 62 of the Saints Rost I Section of Sherwood Shores IX Subdivision situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5308 DONLEY COUNTY VS DOWDY WAYNE TRACT 1: All of Lot 100, Section 1, of Saint's Rost, situated in Donley County, Texas. TRACT 2: All of Lot Number Three Hundred and Two (302), Section 1, of Saint's Rost, situated in Donley County, Texas. CAUSE NO. 5596 DONLEY COUNTY VS FRENCH A. B. TRACT 1: All of Lots 280 and 281 of the Country Club North section of Sherwood Shores IX situated in Donley County, Texas. TRACT 2: All of Lots 91, 92, 93 and 94 of the Peyton Place section of Sherwood Shores IX situated in Donley County, Texas. TRACT 3: All of Lot 268 of the Arrowhead section of Sherwood Shores IX situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5597 DONLEY COUNTY VS GALLAGHER CHARLES Lot 158 of the Country Club North of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5598 DONLEY COUNTY VS GARCIA ANDRES C Lot No. 227 of Nocona Hills, an Addition to the City of Howardwick, Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 6393 DONLEY COUNTY VS GREENBELT MARINAS INC All of Lot No. 64 of Carrol Creek Acres, a subdivision of the Southwest one-fourth (SW/4) of Section 4, Block G, Caudrilla Irrigation Company Survey, Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5621 DONLEY COUNTY VS JACKSON MIKE All of Lot No. 40, of the Cherokee Section of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

CAUSE NO. 5978 CLARENDON ISD AND/OR CED #25 FOR CLARENDON ISD VS MCPHERSON DAVID L Lot 122 of the Pueblo Section, of Sherwood Shores IX, situated in Donley County, Texas.

Levied on the 5th day of April, 2007 as the property of said Delendants to satisfy the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, plus all taxes, penalties, interest, and attorney fees accrued to the date of sale and

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GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 5TH DAY OF APRIL, 2007.

Charles E. Blackburn Sheriff, DONLEY County, Texas

By Randy Bond Deputy

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The City of Clarendon, Texas, will receive sealed bids for materials and equipment. Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. (CTS), on Tuesday, May 8, 2007, in the City Hall of Clarendon City Hall, 119 Sully St, Clarendon, Texas, 79226, at which time and place all bids received will be opened and publicly read aloud on the following items:

Table with 2 columns: Item description and quantity/price. Includes items like AWWA C900 PVC Water Pipe, Water Pipe Encasement, MJ Tee, MJ Cross, MJ Gate Valve, Tapping Sleeve and Valve, Standard Fire Hydrant Assembly, Bolted Coupling, Flush Valve.

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Sheriff's Report: Officers catch thieves quickly

April 16, 2007
 1:20 a.m.- Theft in progress 400 Blk W. 2nd St.
 1:36 a.m.- To jail 1 female 1 male Theft >\$50 <\$500.
 8:05 a.m.- 2 Vehicle accident W. 3rd St.
 10:17 a.m.- 600 Blk W. 3rd St.
 1:34 p.m.- CC Cont. investigation.
 1:41 p.m.- Howardwick City Hall disruptive subject left scene.
 2:27 p.m.- Sub at Res. 200 Blk S. Janny St. Howardwick.
 3:14 p.m.- Disruptive Sub. Back at City Hall Howardwick dep en route.
 5:00 p.m.- Back to res. 200 Blk. Janny Dr. Howardwick.
 10:36 p.m.- See caller 1000 Blk. Janny Dr. Howardwick.
 11:34 p.m.- Business Alarm Hwy 70 N.

April 17, 2007
 5:45 a.m.- Have located veh. S. Kearney St. appears to have hit a few things.
 6:00 a.m.- Wrecker on scene going to check location in Howardwick.
 6:11 a.m.- Located poss location Rick Husband Blvd. Howardwick.
 11:22 a.m.- EMS assist. 200 Janny Dr. Howardwick.
 6:58 p.m.- Standby DPS veh. Search Hwy 287
 8:49 p.m.- Check reported containers N/E of train tressel
 10:33 p.m.- See complainant 600 Blk. Gorst St.

April 11, 2007
 12:28 a.m.- EMS assist 100 Blk. S Front St. Lelia Lake
 8:31 a.m.- A train tressel
 1:43 p.m.- At Lelia Lake illegal dumping
 2:42 p.m.- Clerk's Office
 8:16 p.m.- Business alarm 100 Blk. E. 3rd St.
 11:18 p.m.- Check reported suspicious activity 400 Blk W. 2nd St.

April 12, 2007
 7:03 a.m.- Loose livestock Lelia Lake
 6:45 p.m.- NWS possibility penny size hail ½ - 1 inch rain per hour winds 60-65 mph. Emergency personal out watching clouds.
 11:26 p.m.- See complainant rest area 287 at Hedley

April 13, 2007
 3:24 a.m.- 400 Blk. W. 3rd St.
 3:28 a.m.- At Clarendon College check dorms.
 10:08 a.m.- Hwy 70 N. single vehicle roll over
 11:26 a.m.- Check abandoned vehicle Hwy 287 at Lelia Lake
 8:07 p.m.- See complainant 500 Blk E. Browning Theft
 9:50 p.m.- See complainant 700 Blk E. Barcus vandalism
 11:34 p.m.- Possible prowler 200 Blk S. Goodnight

April 14, 2007
 1:23 a.m.- Abandoned vehicle in roadway 5th and Koogle Sts.
 6:25 a.m.- See complainant 700 Blk E. Burkhead St.
 8:55 a.m.- See complainant 200 Blk S. Goodnight someone kicked door
 9:42 a.m.- Dispatched to Co. dump site theft of property
 3:19 p.m.- Out at 1st and Adams Sts. Hedley
 3:29 p.m.- Out at 500 Blk Blair St. Hedley
 5:48 p.m.- Report of juveniles with BB guns 3rd St. at Hwy 70 S.
 5:51 p.m.- See complainant CC dorm theft
 10:11 p.m.- Out 2nd and Gorst Sts.
 11:21 p.m.- EMS assist 700 Blk. Allen St.

April 15, 2007
 5:28 a.m.- See caller rest area 287 E. of Hedley
 5:57 a.m.- On scene with Howardwick Fire Department Arthur St.
 10:01 a.m.- See resident 800 Blk. S. Kearney St.
 1:44 p.m.- Illegal entry Co. dumpsite
 3:26 p.m.- See complainant 300 Blk W. 5th St. vandalism
 6:29 p.m.- See complainant CC assault
 8:13 p.m.- Welfare check 900 Blk W. 2nd St.
 8:33 p.m.- To jail 1 male in custody Potter County Wrt. Assault family member

Arrests-1
 EMS-11 FD

100th District Court Sentencing Report:

Keith Douglas Elmore: Driving while intoxicated 1st. 365 days confinement Donley County Jail, \$1000 fine, court cost \$346. 3/26/2007

Christopher Bryon Myers: Theft of firearm. Three years probation, \$1500 fine, court cost \$361. 4/2/2007

Tony Michael Berardi: Driving while intoxicated. 365 Days confinement Donley County Jail, \$1000 fine, \$264 court cost. 4/5/2007

David Ray Webb: Driving while intoxicated. One year probation, \$2000 fine, court cost \$476. 4/9/07

Diane Ann Mason: Retaliation. Six years, TDCJ, Court Cost \$348. 4/9/07

Timothy Tizer Jackson: Burglary of Habitation. Five years, TDCJ, Court Cost \$343, Fine \$2500. 4/9/07

Jeremy Andrew Hand: Tampering Government Records. 12 months county jail, Court Cost \$348. 4/9/07

Allen Turner: Arson. 10 years, TDCJ, Court Cost \$343. 4/9/07

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