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THIS WEEK

- The community has lost a man who cannot be replaced.
- A state agency recognizes a local business for 100 years of service.
- A cooperative program may help a native bird thrive in the modern era.
- And the Indians defeat the Broncos to end the season.

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

Cattlemen's disaster relief funds available

Funds are still available through The Cattlemen's Disaster Relief Fund, which was established by the Texas Cattle Feeders Association, Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association and Livestock Marketing Association of Texas.

This fund is designed to assist those impacted with agricultural and livestock-related losses due to the spring 2006 wildfires; and it is administered by the Amarillo Area Foundation.

Applications can be picked up at the office of Donley County Judge Jack Hall in the Courthouse or by calling 874-3625.

The application deadline is December 15, 2006, at noon.

CC troupe to perform comedy this weekend

The Clarendon College Theatre Department has announced the opening of "Accommodations," a comedy in three acts.

Performances will be Friday, November 17, and Saturday, November 18, at 8:00 p.m.; and a matinee will be on Sunday, November 19, at 2:30 p.m. at the Harned Sister Fine Arts Center.

Admission is \$5 for adults and \$3 for students. Admission is free to all Clarendon College regents, administration, faculty, and staff; CC students; and high school theatre groups.

"Accommodations" is being performed in an arena format, therefore seating is limited to 90 people per performance. Groups of more than seven should call 874-4838 for reserved seating. Walk-ins will be seated on a first-come-first-served basis. No one will be seated after the opening curtain until intermission.

Friendship Club will meet Friday evening

The Howardwick Friend Club will meet Friday, November 17, at 6:30 p.m. at Howardwick City Hall.

The club will have Thanksgiving dinner with turkey and dressing provided. Come join them, bring a covered dish, and visit your neighbors.

Food, clothing drive reported to be success

Stanley Auto Ranch reports that their first annual Donley County Canned Food Drive and Clothing Drive was a big success.

About \$200 cash was raised in addition to a large amount of food and clothing, and the folks at Stanley's appreciate everyone who donated to the drive.

The items will be delivered to the local Panhandle Community Services office, and all of it will go to help people right here in Donley County.

Services held for former CC instructor

Services were held Sunday for one of the most influential figures to ever work at Clarendon College.

Jerry Hawkins died Tuesday, November 7, 2006, in Arlington at the age of 71. He had taught at CC for 35 years and was remembered Sunday for his love of education, his appreciation for a good prank, and, most of all, his devotion to his students.

The Clarendon College Harned Sisters Fine Arts Auditorium was filled to capacity for the 2 p.m. service, and overflow seating and a broadcast of the service were set up in the Bairfield Activity Center. Robertson Funeral Directors estimated more than 750 people attended the

service.

Rev. Darrel Burton, Pastor of the Martin Baptist Church and Rev. Milton Gage, family member, officiated the service, and burial was in Citizens Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors, Inc., of Clarendon.

"Jerry was always for his school and always sold on his job," said Rev. Gage, a cousin of Mr. Hawkins, who recalled seeing Jerry's strong character even as a young boy.

"If they told Jerry to do something, he did it. The rest of us would wait until the pitch went up two or three levels," Gage said. "For Jerry, if you had something to do, do it, get it

over with, and move on to something else."

Most of the crowd assembled had known Mr. Hawkins as a friend and educator, and Rev. Gage recalled that Mr. Hawkins' focus was always on the kids - their accomplishments and their education.

"Jerry said, 'When I die, I don't want a bunch of flowers around me,'" Gage recalled. "He said, 'I want you to do something that will send some kids to college.'"

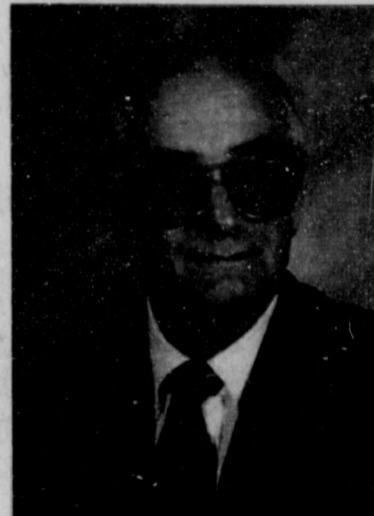
The service was also fittingly sprinkled with levity, especially from his former students, who among other memories recalled his driving habits on long judging trips, and more than one speaker stated simply,

"The highways are safer now."

Jerry Milo Hawkins, was born November 6, 1935, in Hobart, Okla., to Cecil (Spud) and Vera Wilkes Hawkins. He attended school in Higgins and graduated from Higgins High School in 1953. He married Glenda Borden on June 3, 1960, at Clarendon. Jerry received his Bachelor's Degree in Animal Science from Texas Tech University in 1957 and his Master's Degree in Agriculture Education from Texas Tech University in 1964. He had been a resident for Clarendon since 1968.

Mr. Hawkins had taught at many schools during his career as an agriculture teacher. He had taught

See 'Hawkins' on page 5.



Jerry Hawkins



Ready for action

Howardwick volunteer firemen Jeff Cook, Stan Couch, and Mayor Marvin Elam stand beside their department's new fire truck, which arrived last Friday. The \$131,000 truck holds 1,500 gallons and is built with safety in mind. It was purchased with a grant from the Texas Forest Service and local and area donations that poured into the department after the deadly March 12 I-40 Wildfire during which an accident injured two firemen, totaled one truck, and cost the life of fireman James McMorries.

Enterprise Photo / Roger Estlack

Local sales tax receipts increase in November

Sales tax receipts for the City of Clarendon climbed higher for the third month in a row according to information released by Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Strayhorn last week.

The city's November allocation of \$30,260.71 reflected an increase of 18.13 percent over the same period last year. Clarendon is now running 11.02 percent ahead for the year-to-date with total sales tax revenues so far this calendar year standing at \$275,776.86.

Hedley's allocation was also up 11.81 percent to \$844.62, and that city's year-to-date figure is now up 59.31 percent to \$9,247.57.

The November allocation is also on the positive side for the City of Howardwick, which received \$1,278.52. That figure was up 7.18 percent over the same period last year and pushes Howardwick's year-to-date total to \$11,653.50, an increase of 6.65 percent.

Strayhorn said the state collected \$1.6 billion in sales tax

revenue in October, up 17.3 percent compared to October 2005. Her office sent \$505.3 million in November sales tax rebates to local governments, up 11.9 percent compared to November 2005.

"Texas continues to see an increase in sales tax collections, from both consumer and business purchases, as we progress into the final months of the year and the start of the holiday shopping season," Comptroller Strayhorn said.

Strayhorn sent Texas cities

\$348.8 million in sales tax allocations, up 12.2 percent compared to November 2005. So far this calendar year, city sales tax allocations are up 14 percent compared to the same time period last year.

October sales tax collections and November sales tax allocations to local governments represent September sales reported in October by monthly tax filers and July, August and September sales reported to the Comptroller in October by quarterly tax filers.

AEP files for rate increase

AUSTIN - AEP Texas North Company (TNC) filed a request last Thursday with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT) to increase the transmission and distribution rates charged to retail electric providers (REPs).

The rate requests include the amounts that are charged the retail electric providers for the delivery of electricity over TNC's transmission and distribution lines. TCC is seeking approval of a \$25 million increase, which included the expiration of \$6.2 million in billing credits that have been in place since 2000.

If the request is approved and assuming the REPs pass the full amount on to their customers, the increase for a residential customer using 1,000 kWh a month of electricity in the TNC service area would be around \$1.24 a month, or less than a one percent increase.

Current charges to the retail electric providers are not sufficient to cover the companies' cost of delivering electricity, according to Charles Patton, AEP Texas president. Additional investment in transmission and distribution facilities, as well as cost increases that have occurred since 2005, have compounded the problem, Patton added.

"We know the overall price of electricity has risen dramatically over the last few years, and it's a major concern for all of us," Patton said. "It is important to remember that TNC does not bill the end-use customer. We bill the retail electric providers through our wires charge. The charges associated with energy delivery in the TNC territory is less than 25 percent of a residential customer's bill. The wires charges by TNC have remained essentially constant since retail competition began in 2002."

Banks offering zero-interest Christmas Cash loans

Holiday shopping at home is easy and affordable again this year as all three local banks have again teamed up to provide zero-percent interest "Christmas Cash" loans this year.

For the 12th year, anyone can make application for a loan up to \$3,000 interest free with Community Bank, the Donley County State Bank, or Herring Bank.

Twenty-seven local businesses are participating in the Christmas Cash program this year, and each of those merchants will be on the wheel of prizes during Late Night Shopping every Thursday night between Thanksgiving and Christmas this year.

The annual program has proven popular with many consumers and

is seen as way to encourage folks to shop at home with hometown merchants and to keep our local economy strong.

Once a Christmas Cash loan has been approved, the borrower will be issued specially printed Christmas Cash Dollars, which may be spent like US currency toward new purchases of products and services (excluding Lottery tickets, gasoline, and tobacco products) at all of the participating businesses. Businesses will display posters indicating they are participants of the promotion.

There will be no exchange of US currency to make change. For example, if someone purchases items valued at \$72.95 and gives the merchant \$80 in Christmas Cash, the merchant can give them \$7.05 in

store credit. The customer may also pay \$70 in Christmas Cash and the remaining \$2.95 in US currency.

Christmas Cash is available in three denominations: \$10, \$20, and \$50. There are two signature lines, much like traveler's checks. The borrower's signature is placed on the signature line before they leave the bank, and then they must sign on the endorsement line when they spend the "Cash."

Christmas Cash must be spent at the participating merchants by January 1, 2007. Unspent Christmas Cash may be applied toward your zero-percent loan at the bank through January 5, 2007. Christmas Cash notes are paid back in ten equal monthly installments.

After January 5, 2007, Christ-

mas Cash becomes worthless.

It's amazing the variety of products Christmas Cash can purchase. Some of the items purchased in years past included: replacement windows, vehicle repairs, groceries, Christmas dinner, car stereos, specialty gift items, centerpieces, clothing, and much more.

The Donley County State Bank, Herring Bank, and Community Bank will buy Christmas Cash from participating merchants at a rate of 95¢ for every \$1.

This year's participating merchants are: Ace Hardware, Brandie's Mane Place, Clarendon Auto Sales, Clarendon Outpost, Clarendon Steakhouse, Clarendon Veterinary Hospital and Vet Supply, Community Bank, Cornell Country Store,

Country Bloomers Flowers & Gifts, Dairy Queen, Every Nook & Cranny, Floyd's Automotive Supply, Henson's, Herring Bank, Hitchin' Post, J&W Lumber, JD Steakout, Lila's Family Haircare, Lowe's Family Center, McKinney Motor Company, Mike's Pharmacy, Pizza Hut, Sonic Drive-In, Saye's, Stavenhagen Video, The Clarendon Enterprise, and White's Feed & Seed.

This is the twelfth year for the Christmas Cash program. The idea of zero-percent loans began in 1995 through the cooperation of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce, the Clarendon Merchants Association, and local banks.

If your business would like to participate, call Bill Stavenhagen at 874-5081.



Milestone

Donley County State Bank President Walt Knorpp receives a resolution from Texas Bank Commissioner Randall James during last week's centennial celebration at the bank.

Enterprise Photo / Roger Estlack

Goetze a winner at 4-H District Roundup

CANYON - Panhandle 4-H members from 22 counties qualified on November 4 to compete in the Texas 4-H Roundup at College Station June 5-8.

4-H Roundup is a public speaking and talent event providing 4-H members the opportunity to share their knowledge and skills learned through 4-H projects, said Donna Brauchi, Texas Cooperative Extension district director in Amarillo.

Goals of the project include: Learn about organization of materials to present in a speech or performance; Acquire the ability to speak convincingly in public; Become aware of one's relationship to family, peers, state, nation and world; Acquire

life skills essential for an individual to become an active, responsible citizen; and Learn about vocational choices, career opportunities and preparation related to the focus of a project.

More than 200 boys and girls competed in the 24 activities, including speaking events, illustrated talks, method demonstrations, and performing arts. Recognition awards were given in ceremonies at West Texas A&M University.

Among the winners of the District 1 Roundup contests were Paul Goetze of Donley County, who placed first in the senior division of the Farm and Ranch Management category.

Childress TxDOT wins bridge safety award

CHILDRESS - The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) Childress District recently received an award for maintaining one of the highest percentages of compliant bridges in the state.

According to Jimmy Bridges, Childress District Bridge Inspector, there are 698 on system bridges and 196 off system bridges in the 13 county Childress District. An on system bridge is a bridge on a state maintained highway.

owned by the county or city government.

This award is based on an average percentage of on and off system bridges in compliance for routine safety inspections relative to the total number of bridges in each district on a monthly basis.

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Blood drive to be held next Tuesday

The Coffee Memorial Blood Bank will hold a blood drive Tuesday, November 21, 2006, from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. in the Bairfield Activity Center.

Every donor who presents to donate will receive a football sweatshirt and football stress ball. In addition, they will be entered into a drawing to win a trip to see the Dallas Cowboys play Detroit in Dallas on New Years Eve.

Call 331-8800 to schedule an appointment. All blood types are currently needed.

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Wed	8	79°	44°	-
Thur	9	87°	40°	-
Fri	10	77°	42°	-
Sat	11	60°	25°	-
Sun	12	58°	27°	-

Total precipitation this month: .03"
 Total precipitation to date: 18.00"
 Total precipitation in Oct. last year: 1.20"
 Total YTD last year: 15.83"

weekend forecast

Friday, Nov. 17
 Mostly Sunny
 70°/32°

Saturday, Nov. 18
 Partly Cloudy
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Sunday, Nov. 19
 Mostly Sunny
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Information provided by: Tommie C. Saye
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November 17
Howardwick Friendship Club • Howardwick City Hall • 6:30 p.m.

November 17 - 18
"Accommodations" • Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center • 8 p.m.

November 19
"Accommodations" • Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center • 2:30 p.m.

November 21
Blood Drive • Bairfield Activity Center • 2 p.m.

Festival of Praise featuring CC Choir • Globe News Center, Amarillo • 7:30 p.m.

November 23
Thanksgiving

November 25
Girl Scouts Courthouse Lighting • Courthouse Square • 4 p.m.

November 30
CC Choir & Community Chorus Christmas Concert • Harned Sisters Auditorium • 7:30 p.m.

Community Menus

November 20 - 24

Donley County Senior Citizens
Mon: Salmon patties, fried potatoes, mixed greens, apricots, blonde brownies, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk
Tue: Mexican pile on, rice, beans, tossed salad, lemon lush, chips & salsa, coffee, tea, lowfat milk
Wed: Philly steak sandwich, veggie sticks, apple rings, cherry crisp, coffee, tea, lowfat milk
Thu: Closed for Thanksgiving Day
Fri: Closed

Hedley Senior Citizens
Mon: Catfish, onion rings, cabbage, corn salad, corn bread, baked apple
Tue: Mexican pile on, Spanish rice, beans, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, chips & crackers, strawberry/peaches
Wed: Steak & gravy, baked potato, California blend vegetables, bean salad, rolls, pudding
Thu: Closed for Thanksgiving Day
Fri: Closed

Clarendon CISD
Breakfast
Mon: Cereal, toast, fruit mix, milk
Tue: Sausage, biscuit, peaches, milk
Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk
Thu: Eggs, toast, fruit, milk
Fri: Homemade cinnamon rolls, juice, milk
Lunch
Mon: Corndogs, fries, salad, fruit mix, milk
Tue: Turkey & dressing, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, fruit salad, pie, roll, milk
Wed: Pizza, corn, salad, pears, milk
Thu: No School
Fri: No School

Hedley CISD
Mon: Hot dogs, baked beans, carrot & celery sticks, tossed salad, fruit, milk
Tue: Salisbury steak, potatoes & gravy, broccoli & cheese, salad, fruit, rolls, milk
Wed: No School
Thu: No School
Fri: No School

Volunteers respond to call for help at park

I called for volunteers to help with the Christmas displays in the park, and I got volunteers.

The weather cooperated; and under the supervision of Buster Baird, Jim Cockerham, Doc Holladay, Jerry and Jo Daniels, Greta and Vernon Byars, Sue and Doug Vermillion, and Mac Miller, we got the Nativity and Santa displays set up. Roy Monroe will put up the "Peace on Earth" sign, and finishing touches will be added later.

Remember, the lights will be turned on in the park December 3 followed by caroling and treats at City Hall sponsored by the Beautification Club.

It's good to have Donna and

Bobby Murdock and dog, Sassy, home. They had a nice summer in Colorado even with the rain. The return home has started with adventure and it involves Sassy.

She is a miniature pinscher known as a Min-Pin and is well-loved (overweight), and with a name like Sassy need I say more? She is usually on leash for her walk, but this was to be a quick in and out before Donna and Bobby left for Amarillo. She spotted a culvert and was in before Bobby could catch her and would not come out.

One end of the culvert had rock obscuring the opening and Sassy is inside barking. Bobby left to find someone with the backhoe to move

the rocks, leaving Sassy barking.

When the maintenance man, Harold Stevens, came, they were discussing the situation and explaining how the dog had been in the culvert about 45 minutes and wouldn't come out. Harold said, "There's a dog," and Sassy is looking at them. Before they could react, she popped back into the culvert. They knew the backhoe would not be necessary.



'wick picks
by Peggy Cockerham
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CC Choir to perform in Globe-News Center

The Clarendon College Choir will be joining musicians and church choir members from around the Texas Panhandle in the Third Annual Thanksgiving Festival of Praise on Tuesday, November 21, at 7:30 at the Globe-News Center for the Performing Arts in Amarillo.

The festival will include "For the Beauty of the Earth" by John Rutter, "If You Search With All Your Heart by Craig Courtney," "The Majesty and Glory of Your Name" by Fetteke, and "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's "Messiah."

Conductors for the festival include Margaret Lacy, St. Andrews Episcopal Church, Robert Hansen, St. Luke's Presbyterian Church, Paul Frederikson, First Presbyterian Church, and Billy Talley, St. Paul United Methodist Church. The choir will be accompanied by Noel-Paul Laur, Neal Nossaman, Mila Abbasova, and Mary Bush. During the evening, guests can participate by singing several congregational hymns with the choir.

The concert is free of charge and open to the public. A reception will be held in the lobby following the concert.

The Globe-News Center for the Performing Arts is located at 400 S. Buchanan St. This year's massed choir will involve approximately 200-300 singers.

For information, call 874-4836.

Local soldier returns home from service

By Denise Trevino

United States Army Private First Class Rickey Dean Meaker will arrive home from a three-year tour, during which he has bounced from Germany to Iraq and back to Germany.

Private Meaker has served his country and our community proudly. Private Meaker has been a resident of Clarendon since 2003, when he and his sister moved here from Brownsville, Texas, to be closer to their family.

Private Meaker is the brother of Kristy Christopher and Denise Trevino, and he is the son of Raymond and Lyndia Meaker, all of Clarendon. Private Meaker will be arriving in Amarillo on November 23, 2006, at

6:00 p.m. Those who will be welcoming Private Meaker home will consist of more than 30 friends and family members.

We are proud to have this soldier home and out of harm's way. This will be a very thankful day for us.

Members of our military are kept in our prayers daily whether they are serving and fighting for our country now or were a hundred years ago. Our military men and women should stand tall and be proud of what they do, from the littlest job to the greatest job. One could not work without the other.

Being part of this great nation is a wonderful thing, and being wise and brave enough to make the choice

to protect this great nation, knowing that their lives are on the line for all those living in the land of the free, is not an easy decision.

These men and women put their lives on the line every day so that we can sit here and enjoy the comfort of having the choice to say what we think. We can plead the Fifth Amendment and not speak because it might get us in trouble. And heaven forbid in this country we are even able to choose what religion we want to practice. Take these things away? I don't think so.

May God be with each and every soldier wherever you might be. Thank you, God, for giving the men and women who chose to serve in our



PFC Rick Meaker

armed forces the intelligence to sacrifice part of themselves for the greater good of our people and for me.

Senior Citizens reaches out to community for help

The Center needs volunteers for the home delivery program. The home delivery program is for local people who for some reason or another cannot leave their homes.

Volunteers would either be driving the delivery van, taking the meals to the patrons, or putting the meals together for the person taking them up to the houses.

Volunteering does not have monetary value; it does have value none the less.

Wilma Spier, a volunteer for six years at DCSC, was first asked by a

friend of hers to volunteer on Mondays and now works at the center two or more days a week. "I like what I do here at the Center and what I am a part of. I would suggest it to my friends."

To be a volunteer, you need not to be a member. There is not an age limit. Anyone interested in volunteering would be welcome. At this time the Center has between 15 and 20 volunteers who help out in the Center and on the home delivery route.

The DCSC is also asking the members of the community to help

Save our Center. Each year the Center tries to raise \$5,000 for the insurance premium on the building they rent. Last year, DCSC came up short of their goal by \$1700. This year the center is asking that people in the area pledge \$8 per month or \$96 a year to help achieve the goal.

Marlee Sharp has been the director of the Center for three years and has seen the Center struggle to meet financial needs. "If we could just have 50 people or businesses in the community pledge toward saving the center, we would meet our goal,"

Sharp said. "That does not sound like much when you look at the big picture. However, it means so much to us here at the center."

Sharp also mentioned that with the new fiscal year starting in October, membership dues are due. It is \$5.00 per year and is open to persons in the community who are 55 and older.

For more information on volunteering, pledging for the Save our Seniors program, or becoming a member, please contact Marlee Sharp at 874-2665.

Choirs join forces to present holiday concert November 30

The Clarendon College Choir, joined by the Clarendon Community Chorus, will present their Christmas Concert November 30, 2006, at 7:30 p.m. in the Harned Sisters' Fine Arts Center Auditorium.

The program will include "Everywhere Christmas Tonight" by Joseph Martin, "Do You Hear What I Hear?" arranged by Harry Simeone, and "Of the Father's Love Begotten" by Larry Shackley. The women of the choirs will perform "Adeste Fideles" by Greg Gilpin.

The hand bell choir from the Clarendon First United Methodist Church will also be performing at the concert, which will end with a Christmas carol sing-a-long.

The CC Choir members are Samuel Paez of Alice, Marquis Bryson, Bridgette Moore, all of Amarillo; Scott Weatherford of

Brock; Amanda Garza of Brownsville; Kristin McAfee, Edith Mincey, Ryan Petty, and Andy Roberts, all of Clarendon; Princess Williams of Houston; Nadia Lewis of Lubbock; Katie Kauffman of McKinney; Day-goro Saenz of Memphis; and Jamie Weaver of Altus, Okla.

The Clarendon Community Choir members include Debbie Howard, Chandra Holman, Marissa McFarland, Jan Altman, Brit Patten, Mary Lynn, Ann Luttrell, Tanya Carson, Amber Gatlin, Karol Garmon, and Debbie Roberts. The choirs will be accompanied by Mrs. Nelda Grider of Howardwick.

The concert is free and open to the public. Donations will be accepted.

For more information, contact the Music Department at Clarendon College at 874-4836.



Up for grabs

The Burton Memorial Library will hold a give-away for a bicycle from Sonic during Late Night Shopping later this month. Shown here are Sonic manager Jeremy Martinez, Gigi Martinez, Isabella Martinez, and librarian Jeri Ann Shields.

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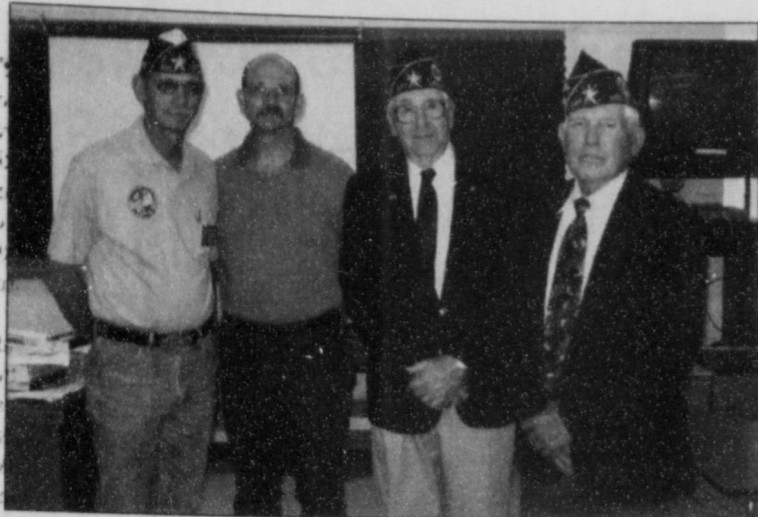
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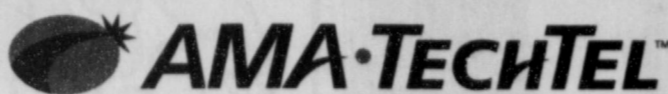
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Hedley ISD honors vets

Hedley Public Schools observed Veterans Day with special activities on Thursday, November 9, including treating honorees and their guests to turkey and dressing served by members of the Hedley senior class. Thirty-three veterans from Donley and Hall counties were called to the stage after lunch in honor of their service to America. Barry Schoenhals of Darouzett, District 18 American Legion Director, was a special guest. Shown here are Schoenhals, Gary Weatherly of Memphis, and Tommie Saye and Jack Moreman of Clarendon.

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Hawkins:

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at Clarendon, Groom, and Spearman High Schools and then taught at Clarendon College from 1968 to August 2003. He then worked at New Mexico State University as a recruiter for the College of Agriculture and Home Economics.

While at Clarendon College, Mr. Hawkins was the Chair of the Agriculture Department, coached the CC Livestock Judging Teams from 1974-2003, initiated the ranch portion of the Ranch & Feedlot Program, initiated the Horse and Meats Judging Program, was director of Area I FFA Leadership Camp which was the largest in Texas, was Coordinator of Clarendon College Invitational Judging Contest which draws 2,000 high school students from five states, was coordinator of Greenbelt and Top of Texas and Amarillo District FFA Leadership Events, was the coordinator of Area I Leadership Contest, judged livestock shows at five state fairs and in Chihuahua, Mexico, and was the recruiter for academic and vocational programs at Clarendon College.

Mr. Hawkins also coached many national championship judging teams while at Clarendon College, and the judges came to be known as "Jerry's Kids."

Mr. Hawkins had many awards during his life as well. He received the State Farmer Award from the Texas FFA, was president of the Clarendon Lions Club from 1974-1975, president of the National Jr. College Livestock Coaches Association from 1983-1985, was named Outstanding Alumni Texas Tech Block and Bridle 1986-1987, received West Texas A&M University Round-Up Award in 1994, was Outstanding Clarendon College Employee 1996-1997, received the Texas Vocational-Agriculture Teachers Association Outstanding Service 40-year service award in 1997, was Clarendon College Employee of the Year in 1998, was the Panhandle District Friend of Extension in 2000, was the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce Man of the Year in 2000, was named Texas Tech Distinguished Animal Science Alumnus in 2001, was Friend of Texas Hereford Association in 2001, received the Texas FFA Blue & Gold Award in 2002, was selected as judge for Performance Simmental Shows in 2002, and was named New Mexico State FFA Honorary State FFA Member.

He was a member of the First Christian Church in Clarendon.

Mr. Hawkins was preceded in death by his parents.

Survivors include his wife, Glenda of Clarendon; two sons, Doug Hawkins and wife Daphne of Cleburne, Dean Hawkins and wife Jaye of Las Cruces, NM; one sister, Gwen Cochran of Oklahoma City, OK; one brother, Jack Hawkins of Cameron; and five grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Johnny Treichel, Tex Selvidge, Billy Jack Land, Darryl Perryman, Mark Runyan, Richard Hadley, Kelvin Sharp, and Larry Gray.

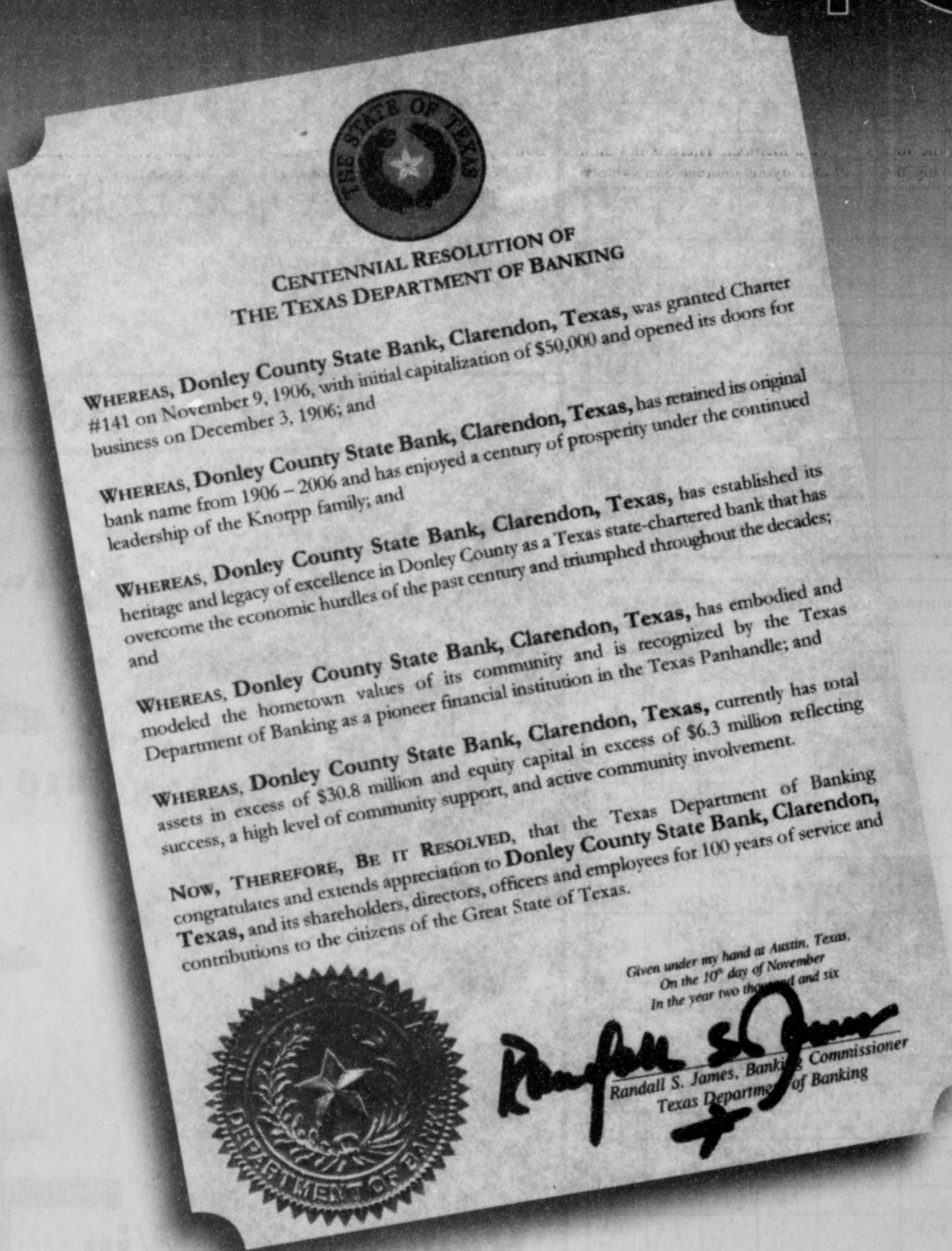
Honorary Bearers were Clarendon College Ex-Judges, a.k.a. "Jerry's Kids."

The family requests memorials be made to the Jerry Hawkins Memorial Scholarship Fund, c/o Herring Bank, P.O. Box 947, Clarendon, Texas 79226, or Citizens Bank of Texico, NM.

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To the residents of Donley County, Words cannot begin to express our gratitude and appreciation for the acts of love and kindness we have received during the death of our husband, dad, and granddad. We have been overwhelmed by the generosity, concern, and love we have received during this trying time. Jerry was proud of Clarendon, Clarendon College, and all of Donley County; and we are too! Our love and thanks for being our friends! The family of Jerry Hawkins, Glenda, Dean, and Doug Hawkins

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New program aims to save prairie chicken

AUSTIN — A new agreement between the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) is expected to help private landowners conserve the lesser prairie chicken, a rare bird whose fate is tied to the health of grassland ecosystems that sustain many other wildlife species.

A signing ceremony for the agreement took place, November 2 at the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department Commission meeting at TPWD headquarters in Austin.

By undertaking voluntary conservation measures on their property under the new agreement, landowners will be assured that no further land use restrictions or conditions will be required from them if the lesser prairie chicken is ultimately listed under the federal Endangered Species Act. The bird is currently a candidate for listing.

Under the new agreement, TPWD can issue a one-page Certificate of Inclusion signed by a landowner who wishes to voluntarily commit to undertake certain conservation actions. Such landowner actions would include measures such as brush control, grazing management, prescribed burning, and allowing periodic monitoring on their property.

For more information, call (806) 742-4968.

Angel Tree names being sought soon

The Panhandle Community Services Annual Angel Tree Project for Donley County residents only will be starting November 18 and last through November 30.

PCS will be accepting applications for infants and children. At the time of application, please have the child's age, and clothes and shoe size.

Then from November 27 through December 15, the interested citizens of Donley County may come in and choose their angel, or they may give a donation to help with the purchase of gifts. The gifts need to be wrapped and back to Panhandle Community Services on or before December 15. They are located at 416 S. Kearney, 874-2573.

Concerned Citizens speak to Hedley board

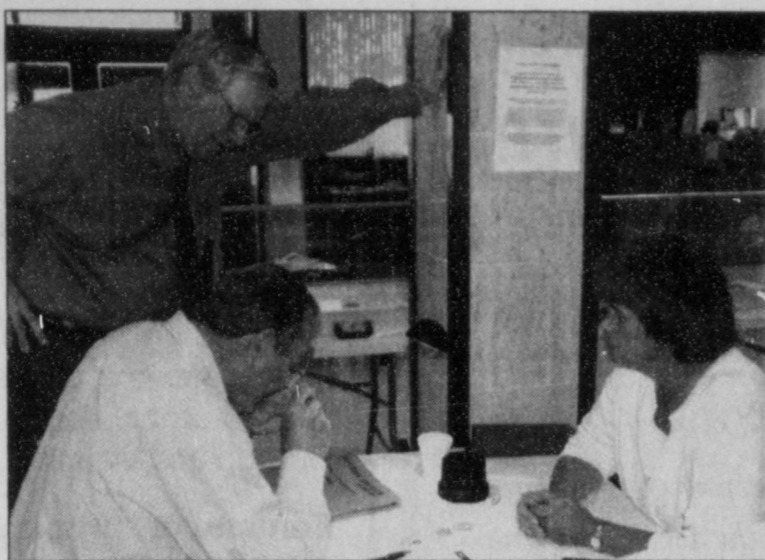
The Hedley Board of Aldermen heard from the Donley County Concerned Citizens during their regular meeting November 2.

Brad Dalton presented a petition on behalf of the Concerned Citizens and requested that the city abolish the tax on automobiles, boats, RVs, and other similar forms of personal property. Several members of the group spoke in favor of repealing the tax.

The aldermen took no action on the petition, according to city minutes.

Correction:

An article in last week's ENTERPRISE said the Donley County Senior Citizens Center had been serving meals since 1979. However, former center director Ruth Mills called to say the center actually began serving meals three days a week in 1975. It began serving six days a week in 1979, she said.



Heads or heads?

Herring Bank president Jerry Woodard looks on as coin expert Tom McGee examines a two-headed gambler's coin owned by Connie McKinney during the money show hosted by the bank last week. McGee displayed a variety of coins and currency, including a one thousand dollar bill and a five hundred dollar bill.

Enterprise Photo / Roger Estlack

Don't drive like a turkey this Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving travelers should expect to see plenty of Highway Patrol troopers out on Texas roadways. Troopers will be looking for drivers who are speeding, driving while intoxicated or who are not properly restrained, or have passengers who aren't buckled up.

"Leave early and give yourself plenty of time to drive," said Trooper Daniel Hawthorne, Safety/Information officer for DPS in Childress.

"We want you to enjoy the holidays, but do it safely. If you drink don't drive, Slow down, be a defensive driver," Hawthorne added.

2006-2007 Hedley Owl & Lady Owl Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	JVG	JVB	VG	VB
Nov. 7	Roby	Paducah HS	4:30	-	6:00	-
Nov. 14	Wheeler	T	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Nov. 17	Bible Heritage	H			6:30	8:00
Nov. 20	Holy Cross	H			6:30	8:00
Nov. 21	Ft. Elliott	H			6:30	8:00
Nov. 28	Clarendon	H	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Nov. 30-Dec. 2	Childress Tourney		-	-	TBA	TBA
Dec. 5	Bible Heritage	T			6:30	8:00
Dec. 7-9	Ft. Elliott Tourney		-	-	TBA	TBA
Dec. 12	Holy Cross	T			6:30	8:00
Dec. 15	Wheeler	H	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Dec. 19	Miami	T			6:30	8:00
Dec. 28-30	Clarendon Tourney		-	-	TBA	TBA
Jan. 2	Ft. Elliott	T			6:30	8:00
Jan. 5	Booker	T	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 9	Samnorwood	H			6:30	8:00
Jan. 12	Lefors	T			6:30	8:00
Jan. 16	Groom	H			6:30	8:00
Jan. 19	McLean	T			6:30	8:00
Jan. 23	Booker	H	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 26	Samnorwood	T			6:30	8:00
Jan. 30	Lefors	H			6:30	8:00
Feb. 2	Groom	T			6:30	8:00
Feb. 6	McLean	H			6:30	8:00

2006-2007 Clarendon Broncos & Lady Broncos Basetball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	JVG	JVB	VG	VB
Oct. 30	Highland Park-Scrimmage	Home	5:00		5:00	
Nov. 4	4-Way Scrimmage at Pampa	Away	9:00 a.m.		9:00 a.m.	
Nov. 7	Panhandle	Away	5:00		6:30	
Nov. 11	Dumas	Home	1:00		2:30	
Nov. 14	Tulia	Home	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Nov. 16-18	Highland Park Tourney				TBA	TBA
Nov. 21	Childress	Away	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Nov. 28	Hedley	Away	4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Nov. 30-Dec. 2	Nazareth Tourney/ Highland Park JV Tourney	Nazareth/ Highland Park	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
Dec. 5	Silverton	Away	4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Dec. 7 & 9	White Deer J.V. Tourney		TBA	TBA		
Dec. 8	Highland Park	Home	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Dec. 12	Wellington	Away	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Dec. 15	River Road	Home		6:00		7:30
Dec. 14 & 16	Clarendon J.V. Tourney	Home	TBA	TBA		
Dec. 18	Arbor Academy	Away	4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Dec. 28-30	Greenbelt Holiday Classic				TBA	TBA
Jan. 2	Quanah	Home	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 5	Memphis	Away	4:00		6:30	
Jan. 5	Channing	Away				8:00
Jan. 9	Panhandle/Channing girls	Panhandle		5:00	6:30	6:30
Jan. 12	Bushland	Home	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 16	Shamrock	Away	4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Jan. 19	Wheeler	Home	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 23	Claude	Away	4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Jan. 26	White Deer	Home	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 27	Valley J.V. Tournament		TBA	TBA		
Jan. 30	Wheeler	Away	4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00
Feb. 2	Claude	Home	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Feb. 6	White Deer	Away	4:00	5:15	6:30	8:00



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Broncos end season with 6-42 loss to Quanah

By Sandy Anderberg

The Broncos played their last game of the season Friday night at home against the Quanah Indians, who finished as the District Champions.

Despite the disappointment of not making the playoffs, Coach Gary Jack felt the Broncos were worthy of much praise as they fought hard all year long.

"The guys played like warriors

all year," Jack said. "They were a young team and fought many injuries, but they battled until the end. They played with a lot of heart, and they never quit. I am very pleased with their effort all year long."

Several Broncos played with injuries during the season but were determined to see it through.

"Several of the guys were playing hurt," Jack said. "They continued to go hard until they just couldn't take

it anymore. We had chances throughout the year; and despite being such a young team, they never quit; and I appreciate all of their hard work."

Jack gave credit to many of his players for their outstanding effort.

"Brad Sell, John Vaught, David Gordon, Tyler Drackley, Lance Ford, Jon McGlaun, and Wes Christopher did an outstanding job," Jack said. "Devin Noble, Derrick Shelton, Danzel Wilson, Alton Gaines,

Glenn Weatherton, Scott Fowler, and Johnny Ballard worked hard all year and had to step up and play several times this year. I was very proud of the effort Nathan Gribble made. They all worked and played so hard. They were in it until the end."

Jack would like to thank all of their fans for the support this season.

"It was a tough year for us," Jack said, "but we learned to stay in it and battle hard."

JV Lady Broncos open at Panhandle

The 2006 season has begun for the Lady Bronco junior varsity as they took on Panhandle and Dumas last week. The Lady Broncos had two close losses as they fell 31-36 against the Pantherettes and 32-35 against the Demonettes.

Panhandle jumped out to the early lead against the Lady Broncos with a five-point advantage. Clarendon held their own as they fought hard to stay in the game, but they fell victim to the buzzer and took the loss.

Scoring: Janae White 7, Deidre Lewis 7, Haleigh Lewis 6, Abby Patten 3, Jenci White 3, Bailey Starnes 3, and Erin Holland 2. Other members of the Lady Bronco team are Morgan Hysinger, Amelia Taylor, Amanda Mendez, Lauren Shelton, Caitlin Christopher, Dominique Mason, Kia Bryley, Jillian Luna, Brandie Mays, Elissa Holland, and Erika Edwards.

The Lady Broncos hosted Dumas on Saturday, November 11, and played them close but lost 32-35. The Lady Broncos led until the final quarter when turnovers overwhelmed them.

"All of the ladies played hard until the end," Coach Kasey Bell said. "We have got to learn how to cut down on turnovers to ever be successful."

Scoring: Janae White 8, Starnes 7, D. Lewis 7, Erin Holland 5, H. Lewis 2, Patten 2, and Cortnee Thornberry 1.

The Lady Broncos will travel to Childress November 21 and Hedley November 28, with both games beginning at 4:00 p.m.

Abdullah twins rank high at Seward Co.

LIBERAL, KAN. — For the sixth consecutive year, the Seward County Community College women's tennis team has received a Top 20 International Tennis Association/National Junior College Athletic Association Pre-Season ranking.

The Lady Saints enter the 2007 tennis season as the No. 13 team in the nation.

Seward County has five singles players ranked nationally, with the Lady Saints top singles player, Amina Abdullah of Clarendon, receiving the highest ranking at No. 26 in the nation. Abdullah is coming off a third place finish at the regional tournament last year, and this fall she posted a 7-6 overall match record.

Uthala Abdullah, also of Clarendon, is the second highest ranked Seward County singles player at No. 32. Uthala registered a 12-2 match record last year, where she was a regional champion at No. 3 singles.

The Abdullah twin sisters also received a national doubles ranking at No. 23 in the nation.

Colts defeat Quanah win district title

The junior high Colts had a great year and were rewarded for their strong play by obtaining a perfect season and claiming the district title.

Their championship was sealed on November 9 when they defeated the Quanah Indians on the road 30-6.

Chris Crump was the first to put points on the board when he took it in from 50 yards out. Mike Crump added the two-point conversion. The brothers teamed up for the second score as Chris ran 46 yards for the touchdown, and Mike once again added the bonus.

Chris Crump was responsible for the next touchdowns as well with one being from 50 yards out.

The seventh graders played a fifth quarter and defeated the Indians 8-0. The Colts' lone score came from Devonte Hardaway on a 30-yard run.

Coach Brandon Word was very pleased with the season and how all of the guys played.

"The boys were outright district champs," Word said. "We expect the same results next year from them in high school, and we also expect the seventh grade this year to keep the winning ways next year."

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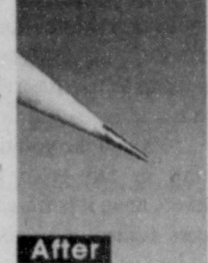
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Tuesday, November 21

Lady Broncos V. Childress in Childress, 6:30 p.m.

Broncos v. Childress in Childress, 8:00 p.m.

November 16-18

Broncos & Lady Broncos at Highland Park Tournament in Amarillo, Times TBA

Lady Broncos

10	Jessi Howard	Sr.
11	Jill Cornell	Jr.
12	Shelby Watson	Sr.
20	Abbie Massingill	Soph.
23	Reagan Lemley	Sr.
24	Sade Cobb	Jr.
25	Macy Shadle	Soph.
33	Haley Carter	Sr.
50	Katie Askew	Sr.

Head Coach: Steve Myatt
Assistant: Kasey Bell & Alton Gaines
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The Bronco roster was not available for press this week.

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Extension service to hold ag market workshop Dec. 4

AMARILLO - The current volatility in agriculture markets is increasing the importance of knowing when to use futures and options, said a leading expert in the industry.

"With all the volatility that we're seeing in the grain and livestock markets now, it is important that producers control their risk," said Alan Brugler, president of Brugler Marketing and Management in Omaha, Neb.

Brugler will conduct two Advanced Futures and Options seminars in December under the Advanced Topic Series. Advanced Topic Series is a part of the Master Marketer Education System offered by Texas Cooperative Extension.

The first meeting will be December 4-5 at the Neches County Show Barn in Robstown. A second meeting will be December 18-19 at the Texas A&M University System Agricultural Research and Extension Center in Amarillo.

The cost is \$125 per two-day session and covers materials, breaks and lunches. Pre-registration is required one week prior to the course date. Each course runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Registrations forms can be found online at <http://mastermarketer.tamu.edu>.

"Using a hedging program or futures only can tie up a lot of capital in margin calls," Brugler said. "Not using a hedging program at all can result in a lot of lost profit opportunities."

"The use of the option strategy makes the risk to the producer one directional," he said. "The producer is able to pass on the risk and still take advantage of price movements that are favorable."

During the seminars, Brugler will discuss advanced hedging techniques and futures and options strategies, such as covered calls, spreads, storage hedging and windows. Time will be spent on the pros and cons, and when these strategies are appropriate.

For more information, contact Dr. Steve Amosson at 806-677-5600 for the Amarillo meeting.



Proud patriots

District 18 American Legion Commander Barry Schoenhals (right) and members of the Adamson-Lane Post salute the flag during Veterans Day services in Rowe Cemetery near Hedley last Saturday. Schoenhals delivered the keynote address for the event and presented certificates of appreciation to the local post and the community and school for their support and recognition of veterans.

Enterprise Photo / Roger Estlack

Panhandle farm, ranch symposium to be November 30

AMARILLO - The 22nd annual Panhandle Farm and Ranch Management Symposium will be November 30, said a Texas Cooperative Extension agent. The event will be in conjunction with the Amarillo Farm and Ranch Show in the Grand Plaza.

Registration for the symposium will begin at 8 a.m., and the program will start at 8:30 a.m. Dr. Brent Bean, Extension agronomist, will speak on weed identification, said Leon Church, Extension agricultural agent

in Potter County.

The Amarillo Farm and Ranch Show is scheduled for November 28-30, with exhibits open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on November 28-29, and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on November 30.

Other topics at the symposium are: Drift management, sprayer tips and calibrations, Don Leslie, representative of TeeJet Agricultural Spray Products, Sioux Falls, S.D.; Chemical modes of action, Jack Lyon, retail account manager for DuPont;

Alternative fuels/energy, Dr. Steve Amosson, Extension agricultural economist, Amarillo; and Pesticide laws and regulations, Levon Harmon, Texas Department of Agriculture.

Three pesticide license continuing education credits and three certified crop advisor credits will be offered - one in integrated pest management, one in laws and regulations, and one in drift, Church said.

For more information, contact Church at 806-373-0713.

Date	Opponent	Girls	Boys
Nov. 13	White Deer	Home	Away
Nov. 16 & 18	7th Grade Bushland Tournament - Girls and Boys	Away	Away
Nov. 20	Wheeler	Home	Away
Nov. 27	Claude	Away	Home
Dec. 4	White Deer	Away	Home
Dec. 11	Wheeler	Away	Home
Jan. 4 & 6	8th Grade Bushland Tournament - Girls and Boys	Away	Away
Jan. 8	Claude	Home	Away
Jan. 15	White Deer	Away	Home
Jan. 22	Wheeler	Away	Home
Feb. 5	Claude	Home	Away
TBA	District 2-A Tournament	At WAC in Wellington	

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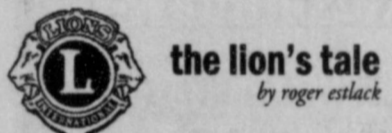
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The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting November 14, 2006, with Boss Lion Jim Shelton in charge.

We had 18 members and two guests: Barbera Seal and Terry Keener of the Texas Department of Transportation office in Childress, who presented our program.

Keener and Seal showed a video discussing the history of transportation in Texas and the proposed Trans-Texas Corridor (TTC). The Texas Highway Department, as TxDOT was originally named, was created in 1917; and its major projects since that time have included the Farm-to-Market system in the 1930s and the Interstate Highway System in the 1950s.

Keener said the state's population has gone up 57 percent in the last 25 years and is expected to increase dramatically in the coming decades. The highway system isn't keeping up with this growth, and the TTC is designed to meet those needs. While most of the focus is on the I-35 corridor right now, Keener said our area may benefit most from the utility and rail corridor aspects of the TTC as electric transmission lines are needed to carry power from Panhandle area wind farms down state and as the need arises to accommodate additional freight train traffic through this area.

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

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'AB' Honor Roll

First Grade: Makinzie Hinton, Kallie Lindsey, Dora Rebolledo, Second Grade: Desirae Martinez, Casey McCleskey, Madison Shelp, Kylie Wood, Third Grade: Heath McCleskey, Madison Shelp, Kylie Wood, Third Grade: Heath McCleskey, Brooklyn Montgomery, Fourth Grade: Colton Bowman, Grayson Morris, Justin Riggs, Fifth Grade: Kyle Lindsey, Zach Martinez, Eric Monroe, Seth Ruthardt, Ashley Sellars, Sixth Grade: Bryan Evans, Caden Farris, Jamie Lollar, Kari Maldonado, Brady Montgomery, Sierra Wheatly, Sixth Grade: Jadee Widener,

Jodee Widener, Seventh Grade: Chelsea Galvan, Tanner Haire, Ethan Naylor, Jacob Ramirez, Rance Watt, Eighth Grade: Tamra Burnam, Troy Chambless, Brittany Granados, Tanner Gross, Laura Howard, Katterinna Johnson, Braden Montgomery, Jasie Sargent, Ami Tribble, Kallie Verstuylt, Alex Stephens, Jacob Widener, Ninth Grade: Haley Hall, Bobbie Like, Brittney Netterville, Morgan Wood, Tenth Grade: Skyler Conatser, Shandy Koetting, Amanda Musick, Kelby Shields, Eleventh Grade: Jonathan Edmonson, Paige Martin, Danielle Smith, Julie Woodard, Twelfth Grade: Betty Cruz, Jonathan Giffin, Katie Gregory, Will Verstuylt

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Sheriff's Report:

November 6, 2006
 10:33 a.m.- At Judge's Office
 10:51 a.m.- JP Hedley
 2:15 p.m.- Escort funeral procession
 4:13 p.m.- In pursuit of vehicle west-bound on Hwy 287; gas drive off
 9:18 p.m.- Clarendon College, Vaughn Hall

November 7, 2006
 4:17 a.m.- Dispatched to Ten Bears, Howardwick; suspicious activity in the area
 7:53 a.m.- To Bass Hollow Road, Howardwick; vandalism at building sight
 4:36 p.m.- Serve papers 300 Blk. S. Jefferson
 5:47 p.m.- To jail with one female in custody; local and out of county warrant(s)
 8:40 p.m.- At annex

November 8, 2006
 3:31 a.m.- Disturbance 200 Blk. E. 6th; loud music
 6:43 a.m.- EMS assist 400 Blk. W. 6th St.
 6:57 a.m.- Loose livestock E. Browning
 12:16 p.m.- 300 S. Jefferson; gas leak. Fire Department also dispatched
 3:15 p.m.- Welfare check 200 Blk. Janny Drive, Howardwick
 6:59 p.m.- To jail with one male in custody; local warrant(s)
 8:11 p.m.- To jail with one male in custody; Attorney General warrant(s)

November 9, 2006
 2:59 a.m.- EMS assist Government Apartments on 6th St.
 10:08 a.m.- Away from vehicle; Lelia Lake location
 12:37 p.m.- Dispatched to business alarm 900 Blk. W. 2nd St.
 1:38 p.m.- Welfare check at 3rd & Koogle; transporting subject to medical clinic
 10:07 p.m.- At Clarendon College

November 10, 2006
 1:49 p.m.- See caller 1000 Blk. Martindale; mailbox destroyed
 5:40 p.m.- EMS assist 700 Blk. E. Wood

November 11, 2006
 12:25 p.m.- Located TxDot signs; run over and removed
 3:25 p.m.- EMS assist N. Sully St.
 3:58 p.m.- EMS assist 600 Blk. W. 4th St.
 6:00 p.m.- At residence 400 Blk. W. 3rd St.
 9:59 p.m.- EMS assist 500 Blk. W. Bailey St.
 11:31 p.m.- See caller 500 Blk. S. Kearney St.

November 12, 2006
 2:24 a.m.- EMS assist 200 Blk. Janny St., Howardwick
 3:00 p.m.- Escort funeral procession
 10:20 p.m.- See caller Hwy 287 at N. 70; reported gunshot
 11:21 p.m.- See caller N. Clarendon

Arrests-3
 EMS-6

Grand Jury returns three indictments

The Donley County Grand Jury met Thursday, November 9, 2006, and handed up three indictments as follows:

- Delania Michella Jackson:** Possession of Controlled Substance
- Sasha Pate:** Forgery with Intent to Pass
- Cori Danae Cantrell:** Burglary of Habitation

Square House hosts exhibit of pastels

The Carson County Square House Museum is pleased to announce the Lone Star Pastel Society and their Annual Members Only Exhibition in the Hazelwood Gallery in Panhandle, during November.

As Show Chair, Janette Dickerson is exhibiting several of her recent works in the Purvines Annex gallery of the Square House Museum.

More than 60 pastel paintings by LSPS members will be on exhibit. The combined artistry of 25 artists promises excitement, surprises, and inspiration for artists and audience.

Since the founding in 1995, the Lone Star Pastel Society has become a prestigious group of artists interested in promoting the qualities of this medium.

Many of the artists will be present for the Museum Reception on Sunday, November 12, from 2:30 p.m. until 4 p.m. The Museum invites the public to come by and view this tremendous offering and visit with the artists. For further information, call 537-3524.



Bulldog spirit

Several spirited fans of the Clarendon College Lady Bulldog Volleyball team pose during a break in women's match against Midland College last Friday night. CC fought a hard battle against Midland but lost in the fifth set and did not advance in the WJCAA tournament that was being held here. Enterprise Photo / Roger Estack

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2006 Hedley Junior High Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	JHG	JHB
Nov. 13	Kelton	H	6:00	7:00
Nov. 20	Samnorwood	H	4:00	5:00
Nov. 27	Lefors	T	6:00	7:00
Dec. 4	Groom	H	6:00	7:00
Dec. 11	McLean	T	6:00	7:00
Jan. 8	Kelton	T	6:00	7:00
Jan. 11 & 13	McLean Tournament			
Jan. 15	Samnorwood	T	6:00	7:00
Jan. 22	Lefors	H	6:00	7:00
Jan 25 & 27	Hedley Tournament			
Jan. 29	Groom	T	6:00	7:00
Feb. 5	McLean	H	6:00	7:00

To the voters in Presinets 1 and 2,

I would like to thank you for your votes and support in the General Election! Your words of encouragement, visits, and phone calls were very much appreciated. A special Thank You to all the wonderful people in Pcts. 3 and 4 for their great support.

I'm blessed to have a wonderful loving family and truly great friends.

Your love, support, and hard work are greatly appreciated. I can honestly say that this has been a most rewarding and self-enriching year in my life. I have met so many truly special and caring people.

Once again, Thanks To You All!

My Congratulations to Judge Johnson on his Re-Election.

Connie Havens

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Drugs in the News

Vaccines Delivered In a Skin Patch

Early stages of research aimed at delivery of vaccines in a skin patch are just beginning. Media reports indicate that current research is focusing on vaccines that would protect against influenza (flu) and traveler's diarrhea. One recent news story provided by the Associated Press indicates that flu vaccine is currently being tested in 270 volunteers to determine if those who get vaccinated with the vaccine delivered through a skin patch would develop as many antibodies against the flu as those who get the standard flu shot. Another vaccine is designed to prevent traveler's diarrhea. The report indicates that one of the goals of flu vaccine studies is to determine if older persons can use a skin patch vaccine to boost their immune systems. As a general rule, older persons tend to be less protected from standard flu shots than are children and younger adults. A small study of elderly volunteers has already shown that giving the flu shot along with vaccine in a skin patch provided higher antibodies against the flu than did the shot alone. Obviously much more research needs to be conducted before conclusions can be made.



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