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### Bronco Band to hold Mexican Pile On Friday

The Bronco Band Mexican Pile On Supper will be held on homecoming, September 16, 2005, at the school cafeteria from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Tickets are not required, but donations will be accepted at the door. Please come and support the award winning Bronco and Colt bands.

### St. Mary's will hold barbecue this Sunday

St. Mary's Catholic Church will hold their annual St. Mary's Day Barbecue on Sunday, September 11, 2005, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Lions Hall in Clarendon. The hall is located at 4th and Sully. Chefs Roy and Sam will fix all the barbecue trimmings. Refreshments and desserts will also be served. The Ladies' Altar Society will hold a quilt raffle, and the drawing for the World War II Russian M44 Mosin Nagant Rifle will be held. Tickets are available from any parish member or by calling Denise Bertrand at 874-2846 or Tom Stauder at 874-5099. Proceeds from the event will help water the park grass near the church. Everyone is invited to attend.

### Blood, food drives to benefit Katrina victims

Clarendon College nursing students are organizing food and blood drives to help the victims of Hurricane Katrina. The food drive began Tuesday and continues through September 15. Citizens are asked to place donations of non-perishable food, personal hygiene items, paper goods, and diapers in donations barrels placed throughout the community. The blood drive will be held next Monday, September 12, at the Bairfield Activity Center on the CC campus from 2 p.m. to 7 p.m. Donations will be sent to South Texas to help those victims who have taken refuge in the Lone Star State.

### Masons selling tickets for barbecue chickens

Members of Clarendon Lodge #700 are selling tickets now for their famous September Chicken Barbecue. Chicken halves cost \$4 and will be available for pickup at the Clarendon Community Center from noon to 2 p.m., Saturday, September 17. Tickets may be purchased from any Mason, at Owens Boot Shop, or at THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE. All orders must be turned in by Friday, September 9, at 5 p.m.

# Pain at the Pumps

## Local consumers feel Katrina's impact

While Gulf Coast residents are dealing with the very personal effects of Hurricane Katrina, folks in Donley County are feeling the economic impact at the gas station. The category-four hurricane hit Louisiana, Alabama, and Mississippi last Monday, taking a heavy toll on the United States' domestic petroleum production. Eight major refineries were taken out of commission by the storm, which reduced the nation's refining capacity by more than 10 percent.

By noon last Wednesday, most local stations had raised the self-serve price of regular unleaded by 20 cents to a total of \$2.95 per gallon, and that price jumped to \$3.05 by the week's end. Paul Bivens, whose Bivens Oil Company supplies gasoline to pumps at the Clarendon Outpost and Kidd's Shell, said he placed an order for fuel last Tuesday but was told there was none that could be delivered.

"We're paying more for gas to be delivered here anyway, but I don't understand why the fuel ran out so fast," Bivens said. "I mean, in just two days suddenly we go from having fuel to no fuel?"

With no delivery to replenish their tanks, Kidd's ran out of regular unleaded Thursday, and the Outpost began asking customers to limit their purchases to 10 gallons.

"We were very concerned because this [Labor Day weekend] is like the number three weekend of the year for us," Bivens said, "and if people can't get gas, they are just not stopping."

Fortunately, a shipment was delivered Saturday, and Bivens said supplies are currently fine at both stations. The Outpost was out of Unleaded Plus Tuesday morning, but he said that was due to an ordering error.

Things were not fine, however, at Clarendon's West Texas Gas, which ran out of both farm and road diesel last Friday and was still out Tuesday morning.

"We've got two or three farmers that really need some diesel, and we don't have any to deliver," said WTG's Lyndel Moffett. "We're trying to locate some now; and when we find it, we'll have to allocate it to make it last."

Moffett said West Texas Gas locations in Claude and Groom are also out of diesel, and he didn't know when his company might get a delivery.

"Refining is where the hold up is," he said. "It's not in the supply of crude oil."

While its diesel pumps were dry, West Texas Gas did have one thing going for it - regular unleaded at below the three-dollar mark.

One customer en route to rebuild his home in Biloxi, Miss., told the ENTERPRISE that \$2.99 at West Texas Gas was the cheapest gas he had found between here and Las Vegas, Nevada.



Within days of Hurricane Katrina making landfall on the Gulf Coast, local prices for self-serve regular unleaded jumped by as much as 30 cents per gallon.

Bivens said he thinks the price of gas has stabilized for now, and Moffett thinks things will get better as refining capacity gears back up. Meanwhile, officials at the Texas Railroad Commission are urging Texans to practice measures to conserve gasoline to help mitigate price increases caused by Hurricane Katrina.

The RRC does not have authority to regulate gasoline prices but does offer these conservation tips.

**Drive Sensibly:** Aggressive driving (speeding, rapid acceleration and braking) wastes gas. It can lower your gas mileage by 33 percent at

highway speeds and by five percent around town. Sensible driving is also safer for you and others, so you may save more than gas money.

**Observe the Speed Limit:** Gas mileage decreases rapidly at speeds above 60 mph. Each 5 mph you drive over 60 mph is like paying an additional \$0.15 per gallon for gas. Observing the speed limit is also safer.

**Remove Excess Weight:** Avoid keeping unnecessary items in your vehicle, especially heavy ones. An extra 100 pounds in your vehicle could reduce your mile per gallon by up to 2 percent. The reduction

is based on the percentage of extra weight relative to the vehicle's weight and affects smaller vehicles more than larger ones.

**Avoid Excess Idling:** Idling gets zero miles per gallon. Cars with larger engines typically waste more gas at idle than do cars with smaller engines.

**Use Cruise Control:** Using cruise control on the highway helps you maintain a constant speed and, in most cases, will save gas.

**Use Overdrive Gears:** When you use overdrive gearing, your car's engine speed goes down. This saves gas and reduces engine wear.

## Knorrps' horse wins at Futurity in Ruidoso

Despite running on a muddy track and facing 17-1 odds, an American Quarter Horse partly owned by Walt and Janice Knorrpp of Clarendon surged to a first place finish at the All American Futurity this week at New Mexico's Ruidoso Downs.

The two-year-old Teller Cartel claimed the \$1.9 million purse in the world's richest quarter horse futurity Monday. The annual event is the equivalent in quarter horse racing of the renowned Kentucky Derby.

According to an online article by Michael Cusortelli of the American Quarter Horse Association, Teller Cartel covered the 440 yards in :21.504, the stakes' slowest clocking in 11 years.

Cody Jensen rode the winner for reigning AQHA champion trainer Paul Jones, both of whom celebrated their first-ever All American victory.

"It's a thrill - a big thrill," Jones told AQHA. "There's no greater thrill than winning the All American. It's every Quarter Horse trainer's dream."

Jensen, a California-based jockey, rode Teller Cartel for the first time on August 18, when the colt ran third in the 14th of 16 All American trials and posted the ninth-fastest qualifying time.

"He warmed up perfectly," Jensen told AQHA. "For a colt, he's really gentle and really mellow. You don't need to rile him up. He gets himself ready - a guy doesn't have to do much to get him ready."

Jensen said Teller Cartel broke from the gate so sharply Monday that all he had to do was hang on.

"He won it right from the gate."

Bred by Charles and Marilyn Cockrill's C/C Stock Farm at Alto, New Mexico, Teller Cartel was acquired by the Teller Cartel syndicate for \$87,000 at last year's Ruidoso Select Yearling Sale, Cusortelli reported.

The Knorrpps purchased an interest in Teller Cartel just before Labor Day last year.

According to the AQHA, the colt's All American win was his first victory in five outs, and the \$1-million winner's share of the purse boosted his earnings to \$1,003,871, placing him 40th on American Quarter Horse racing's all-time earnings list.

Teller Cartel began his racing career in California, running second in a 300-yard maiden race on May 5 and placing third in an Ed Burke Million Futurity (G1) trial on June 4.

Walt Knorrpp said from Ruidoso Teller Cartel will travel to California, where it is anticipated he will run in three \$1 million races.

# THC offering \$30k in regional tourism grants

AUSTIN - The Texas Historical Commission (THC) is offering another round of Texas Heritage Tourism Partnership Grants for communities in the Texas Brazos, Lakes, and Plains Trail Regions. A total of \$30,000 in grant monies is available to each heritage region. Individual grants may not exceed \$5,000, and a one-to-one cash or in-kind matching contribution is required.

The grant program helps communities fund projects that enhance a visitor's experience to cultural and historic sites. Grant information and applications are

available on the THC's website at www.thc.state.tx.us. The deadline for proposals is Nov. 1, 2005. Grant recipients will be announced at the THC's winter quarterly meeting.

"Communities and tourism or preservation organizations are eligible to receive grant money for projects that promote and enhance the region as a heritage tourism destination," said Janie Headrick, state coordinator for the THC's Texas Heritage Trails Program. Project categories are promotional, directional or identification signage; interpretation of cultural and historic resources;

publications or web sites; curriculum development or educational program; and workshops or training.

All 52 counties in the Texas Plains Trail Region are eligible: Armstrong, Bailey, Borden, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Cochran, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Dallam, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Donley, Floyd, Foard, Gaines, Garza, Gray, Hale, Hall, Hansford, Hardeman, Hartley, Hemphill.

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Potter, Randall, Roberts, Scurry, Sherman, Swisher, Terry, Wheeler and Yoakum.

The heritage region is part of the THC's award-winning Texas Heritage Trails Program.

The program increases tourism at cultural and heritage sites in regions across Texas and revitalizes local economies through regional tourism development and marketing. The program also stresses the importance of historic preservation to tourism and fosters effective local tourism leadership.

For more information about the

THC's partnership grant program, contact Allison Thompson, program specialist for the THC's Texas Heritage Trails Program at 512/463-2630 or allison.thompson@thc.state.tx.us. For additional information on Texas travel events and vacation destinations, visit www.TravelTex.com or for a free Texas State Travel Guide call 1-800-888-TEX.

The Texas Historical Commission is the state agency for historic preservation. The agency administers a variety of programs to preserve the archeological, historical, and cultural resources of Texas.

WARNING: The following column is an editorial (i.e. an opinion, a point of view) and may contain ideas with which some readers may freely disagree. It could be harmful to liberals, socialists, and other small mammals. Read at your own risk.

## Movie taints Dukes' legacy

I didn't want to go to see the new *Dukes of Hazzard* motion picture. From the moment I heard Jessica Simpson was going to be our beloved Daisy Duke, I didn't want to see it. To top it off, the original Cooter (a.k.a. former congressman Ben Jones) was calling for a boycott of the film. I couldn't go against Cooter.

But then came the Sandell Drive-In's 50th anniversary last weekend. I'm something of a history buff as most of you know, so I was naturally not going to miss the golden anniversary of Clarendon's big pink landmark. This was especially true after I conducted the research that discovered *Shane* was the feature presentation of the grand opening back in '55 and John Morrow was able to get that film to put on the big screen again.

Imagine my dilemma when I discovered that *Shane* was going to be double featured with *The Dukes of Hazzard*. No problem, I thought. I'll just go watch *Shane*, enjoy 50-cent hot dogs and 50-cent popcorn, and then skidaddle before the *Dukes* start. But no. My brother, his wife, and my wife all wanted to see the *Dukes* more than *Shane*. Curses! Foiled again.

We had a great time at the drive-in, and despite what you're about to read, I did laugh out loud several times at the happenings in *Hazzard*; but as it turns out, I should have trusted my instincts about the new *Dukes*.

Let's start with the car. The General Lee was always the star of the television series. He was the one constant throughout the series (even during the dark days of that one season when Bo and Luke were mysteriously replaced by two other Duke boys, but I digress.)

As the movie begins, the familiar Dodge Charger is involved in a car chase (no surprise), but it's dusty (which it never was no matter how many dirt roads it was on) and it's sans "General Lee" and sans the Confederate Battle Flag on the roof. The boys were referring to the car vaguely as "the general," and I was bordering on becoming furious by this political correctness-cum-sacrilege until Cooter put all the familiar markings in place after a car wreck and some vandalism.

Unfortunately, the Duke boys don't even notice the flag on the car until they go to Atlanta and are confronted by all the cliché P.C. remarks about rednecks and questions about where their sheets and hoods are. The good old boys don't defend the South; they just act as if they are ashamed of it.

Let's talk more about them Duke boys. As millions of us watched growing up, Bo and Luke were clean cut, good guys who admittedly liked to aggravate the local law. The Dukes loved each other and looked out for each other, and you wouldn't be worried letting your youngsters watch them on TV.

I'll tell you right now, these are not our Dukes. Bo and Luke look like a couple of unshaven thugs in dirty T-shirts. They used to argue on the show occasionally, but in the movie they settle a bet by knocking the snot out of one another with the Atlanta phone book. Their hormones are raging beyond control, and one of them actually falls in love and wants to have... *ahem!*... intimate relations with the General Lee!

I don't know what I was more angry about at that point - the idea that one of the Duke's characters had been so badly assassinated or the idea that someone could even think about that in regards to the hero of millions of boys my age (i.e., the car).

Movie reviewer Joshua Tyler sums it up quite nicely on CinemaBlend.com when says of the new Duke boys: "...they're not so much good old boys as they are jackasses in a really fast orange car."

The other Duke cousin, Daisy, was wholesome, gorgeous, and sweet as portrayed by Catherine Bach. I think most of us had a crush on her in the third grade. Daisy as portrayed by Jessica Simpson, however, is a cerebro-atmospheric tramp.

Then there's Uncle Jesse. Gone is the warm and friendly Denver Pyle, who died in 1997. He's replaced with Willie Nelson - a modern longhaired Jesse who has a fondness for pot. Enough said.

Sheriff Roscoe P. Coltrane was a dopey but comedic character on TV. He wasn't ever evil so much as just duped into following the crazy orders of his "little fat buddy" and brother-in-law, Boss Hogg. He was the "bad guy" on the show, but he wasn't really that bad. But this dude in the movie, he's just evil.

Speaking of Jefferson Davis Hogg, Burt Reynolds is no Boss Hogg. The white-suited political boss of Hazzard County was - and always should be - short, bald, and fat. You don't get a washed up actor like Reynolds for this role. You need Danny Devito with a Southern accent.

And then there is a character about whom I have no recollection ever being on the show - Sheev. This guy doesn't wear pants, puts a road kill armadillo on his head, and no doubt is or ought to be on the Hazzard County registered pervert list.

As my sister-in-law put it, Hollywood has sucked the life and the goodness out of *The Dukes of Hazzard*. If you've been fortunate enough to miss this motion picture travesty, count yourself lucky. Just obey classic Cooter and stick to *Dukes* reruns on CMT.

I'm not a prude by any means. My current favorite shows include *Deadwood* and *The Sopranos* on HBO. But, like many of you, *The Dukes of Hazzard* was a family show from my childhood. It was safe back then, and an honest big screen rendition ought to be one that you can take the kids to now. But you can't, and that's a crying shame.



editor's commentary  
by roger estlack

## Texans respond to neighbors' disaster

Texas is a state affected by many natural disasters. We have everything from hurricanes and flash floods to draughts and tornadoes. Natural disasters kill people and destroy property. They also reveal something about who we really are down deep.

Whenever natural disasters are looming, our first effort is do whatever we can to protect the people they threaten. After the event, we try to help those affected recover and move on with their lives. We also want to take a step back and see what we lessons we can learn. We need to examine the event and determine what measures will minimize the harm from similar events in the future.

Texas has been hit by some powerful hurricanes such as Bret in 1999, Alicia in 1983, and Allen in 1980; but the most powerful hurricane to hit the state in the twentieth century was the one that slammed into Galveston in 1900.

According to some estimates, that storm had winds of 100 mph that peaked as high as 150 mph. It killed over 8,000 people, 25 percent of the population, and destroyed more than 3,600 homes on Galveston Island. Some Texans displayed remarkable courage: four men spent hours in a row boat pulling people from debris-filled water saving as many as 200 lives. After the storm, the city built a six-mile-long seawall that was later extended.

Growing up in Galveston County, I lived through Carla and other hurricanes. I have never forgotten the experience of driving to my parents' house because we had not heard from them. Telephone service was out, so we packed our car with water and other supplies and drove to their home. As we approached, we saw more and more of the hurricane's destruction. Finally, we reached their battered house, and fortunately found them unharmed.

Texas also has had to deal with some devastating tornadoes. Back in 1997, we had a fierce tornado in Jarrell. The funnel cloud was as big as three-quarters of a mile wide and had winds of well

over 200 mph. It killed 27 people in a town of just 700, destroyed at least 50 homes, including one entire subdivision. People described cars being flung about in the air. One place the tornado crossed the road it ripped off 500 feet of asphalt. Before dissipating, the tornado had caused \$20 million in damage. Our countrymen showed us their generosity, sending \$1.3 million and over 400 volunteers from 15 states to help Jarrell recover.

Dealing with these disasters has made Texans both tough and compassionate. Whenever people encounter adversity, they are forced to make a decision about how to respond. So often, Texans have stood tall, displaying virtue in the heat of the moment. When battered by a hurricane, Texans have increased their resolve, battling the elements to survive. When threatened by funnel clouds, they have reacted with bravery and risked their lives to save the lives of others. And after the moment of danger has passed, they have showed kindness and generosity in helping neighbors get back on their feet.

Recently, hurricane Katrina barreled up the Gulf Coast, striking our neighbors, and dealing them a powerful blow. Approximately 80 percent of the city of New Orleans was covered in water, and thousands of people suddenly found themselves homeless and with no one to turn to.

In the midst of this great misfortune, my heart was warmed by the many Texans who opened their arms and their homes to their fellow Americans. Public institutions, many churches and charities, and numerous individuals provided food, shelter, and money for those escaping the hurricane's devastation.

In one story that was particularly touching, a Texas couple who had just moved into their new home took their old



capitol comment  
by sen. kay bailey hutchison

home off the market in order to provide shelter to a family of nine in the months ahead. In another part of Texas, one company offered about 40 vacant apartments in a retirement community, plus food, transportation, and housekeeping for no charge.

Know that when I am working in Washington, you repeatedly make me proud to be from the Lone Star State. I am honored by your senator. When I am working with other senators, it is not unusual for me to look over and see a confident gleam in their eyes because they know that, when the chips are down, they have a true friend in Texas.

There are still ways that you can help our neighbors who have been hurt by hurricane Katrina. While all assistance is appreciated, generally donations of money are more helpful than donations of food and clothing. Money can be used to buy exactly what is most urgently needed, including perishable food and medicine.

Donations of money also save the costs of transporting goods to where they are needed most. Some reliable charities include the Salvation Army (<http://www.salvationarmyusa.org/>), Church World Service (<http://www.churchworldservice.org/news/katrina/>), and the American Red Cross (<http://www.redcross.org/>).

Donations of time and energy also provide important assistance and give you a meaningful connection to those you are helping. As of this date, three of our major cities are setting up huge sites for hurricane evacuees. To volunteer, call your local Red Cross office.

Finally, do not forget to be prepared for a natural disaster yourself. Be sure you have survival kits in your home and car, and you refresh them from time to time with new food and batteries. For specific suggestions on what to put in survival kits, go to <http://www.fema.gov/rrr/empres.shtm>. Also, be sure that you follow the directions of local government officials, especially their warnings to evacuate when necessary.



SUMMER READING FOR DEMOCRATS-- THE WRITINGS OF JUDGE ROBERTS

## Attacks continue on 'dead' SS reforms

By Jagadeesh Gokhale

Some commentators have lately declared dead the administration initiative to "privatize" Social Security. However, I suspect they don't believe that. Why, otherwise, would they continue challenging even the philosophical underpinnings of the Social Security reform advocated by the president?

For example, in a recent issue of the *New Republic*, Jonathan Cohn questions whether Americans desire greater "choice" when their economic "security" is at stake.

Such arguments assume that, given the option, Americans always prefer security over choice. But Americans often do not prefer security above choice. For example, though SUVs are less safe because of their high center of gravity, many Americans prefer them to more secure vehicles.

Perceptions matter greatly and it seems, in telling pollsters they prefer the "security" of the current Social Security system, many are considering how that program has operated in the past, not how it will operate in the future.

Social Security reform opponents don't deny personal accounts (like school vouchers, Health Savings Accounts, etc.) would provide a chance to diversify retirement funds' investments. Although greater risk accompanies greater investment choice, this should not end the discussion as it often does. What kind of risks are we considering? What are the alternatives?

Let's dispense with silliness: Some have unfairly likened individual accounts with permission to take the money to a Las Vegas roulette wheel. Under all the personal account reform proposals I have seen, the accounts would be regulated to ensure safety and soundness. One extreme would limit investments to broad-based market index mutual funds.

However, if investing individual accounts in anything other than U.S. Treasury bonds is, indeed, more "risky," the relevant question is: Could that still prove safer than continuing under the current Social Security system?

Proponents of the "choice is worse" theory answer with an unequivocal "no" because they wish to portray Social Security benefits as inviolable. However, attributing "perfect security" to the current system is based on assumption, not fact.

Many personal accounts opponents say Social Security is as secure as investing in Treasury bonds. That is not even remotely true. A Treasury bond promises payment upon maturity of a fixed sum of money regardless of all outcomes except general default by the federal government. Almost everyone regards a general default as all but impossible.

There is a somewhat greater risk inflation will erode the real value of the principal and interest of the bonds. But that, too, can be avoided by purchasing inflation-indexed Treasury securities. And Treasury

bonds can be bequeathed and can serve as collateral for borrowing in emergencies.

But the current Social Security system provides a "soft promise" of future benefits, of unknown size and duration. Social Security benefits cannot be used as collateral for borrowing funds and cannot be bequeathed.

Moreover, because Social Security's finances are unsustainable, the likelihood some, especially younger, participants' future payroll or other taxes will be increased or benefits reduced is considerably larger than zero. That increases the risk of Social Security's future benefits, reducing their expected value.

People are starting to figure out the game, and some Social Security participants, especially younger ones, are not content with a false sense of security. Owning part of their payroll taxes and greater choice in investing personal account balances in exchange for reduced future benefits (which have low expected values) are now acceptable to many.

I suspect reform opponents see the danger (and, thus, the merit) of this argument and are trying to discredit it by attacking the weight most Americans place on greater "choice." But a comparison of "choice" against "security" can only be valid when the security offered is real.

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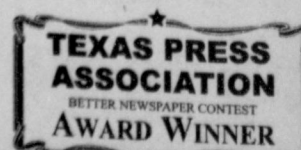
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## 4-H members recognized during annual banquet

By Ashlyn Tubbs  
The Donley County 4-H Award Banquet for 2004-2005 was held on August 30, at 6:00 at the Family Life Center.

The banquet was called to order by president Danielle Ford, who welcomed everyone and introduced the 4-H members, new members, and parents to the 2004-2005 4-H officers. Secretary Ty Tubbs led everyone in the 4-H pledge, followed by vice president Paul Goetze leading everyone in the 4-H club motto. Door greeter Danielle Smith said the invocation, and invited everyone to a meal provided by the 4-H club members.

After the meal, Danielle Smith recognized the special guest, Judge Jack Hall, then handed it over to Danielle Ford, who proudly announced each member who worked and participated in various 4-H projects, and the Livestock show for the years 2004-2005.

They received pins for the number of years they have been in 4-H: 17 kids earned first year pins; 10 kids earned 2nd year pins; 4 kids

earned 3 year pins; 5 kids earned 4 year pins; and 4 kids earned 7 year pins.

Mrs. Bishop explained the Incentive Point System and then announced how many points each kid earned. The more they were involved in 4-H, the more points they earned. Paul Goetze earned the highest points - 163 points.

Mr. Haynes explained The Gold Star Award as the highest county achievement award a senior 4-Her can receive. He proudly announced that Paul Goetze got the award this year for the Donley County 4-H.

Ford thanked Lyndal Goetze for being a great Club Leader this past year and presented her with a plaque of appreciation.

Ashlyn Tubbs thanked the Church of Christ for letting the 4-H use their building this past year and presented a plaque of appreciation which was accepted by Leslie White.

Paul Goetze recognized all the project leaders, and each received a certificate of appreciation.

Annie Patten closed the 4-H Awards Banquet with a prayer.

## Clarendon ISD Trustees keep property tax rate

The Clarendon ISD Board of Trustees met in called session August 29 to consider the school district's budget and tax rate for the coming year.

Following a public hearing, the board voted to set the ad valorem tax rate at \$1.374 per \$100 valuation, the same rate that has been in place since 2003.

The board also approved the budget for 2005-2006 and approved the 2005-2006 salary and stipend schedule as presented by Superintendent Monty Hysinger.

## Pathfinder Club to meet

The Pathfinder Study Club of 1911 will meet Friday, September 9, at 2:30 p.m. at the Burton Memorial Library.

The program will be a panel discussion of favorite books. Guests are welcome.

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Wed	31	94°	56°	-
Thur	1	95°	58°	-
Fri	2	94°	60°	-
Sat	3	93°	60°	-
Sun	4	91°	63°	-

Total precipitation this month: 0.00"  
Total precipitation to date: 15.78"  
Total precipitation in Sept. last year: 1.20"  
Total YTD last year: 18.01"

## weekend forecast

Friday, Sept. 9  
Mostly Sunny  
92°/64°

Saturday, Sept. 10  
Mostly Sunny  
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Sunday, Sept. 11  
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## ¿Qué Pasa?

Your guide to "what's happening" around Donley County.

**September 9**  
HHS Homecoming • Owls v. McLean • Owl Field • 7:30

**September 11**  
St. Mary's Day BBQ • Lions Hall • 11 a.m.

**September 12**  
Donley Co. Child Welfare Board Public Meeting • Methodist Church • noon

Blood Drive for Hurricane Katrina Victims • Bairfield Activity Center • 2 p.m. to 7 p.m.

**September 13**  
Immunization Clinic • TDHS Office • 9 a.m.

**September 15**  
United Christian Men's Breakfast • Methodist Fellowship Hall • 7 a.m.

**September 16**  
Bronco Band Mexican Pile-On • CISD Cafeteria • 5 p.m.

Clarendon Homecoming • Broncos v. Hart • Bronco Stadium • 7:30 p.m.

**September 17**  
Masonic Lodge Chicken BBQ

**September 23 - 24**  
CHS Class of 1950 Reunion

**September 24**  
Col. Charles Goodnight Chuckwagon Cookoff • Saints' Roost Museum

**October 1**  
Medical Center Nursing Home Benefit Poker Run • Details TBA

**October 7**  
Lions Club Pancake Supper • Clarendon School Cafeteria • 5:30 p.m.

**October 14**  
Deer Management Conference • Bairfield Activity Center • 9 a.m.

## Community Menus

September 12-16

**Clarendon Schools**  
Breakfast  
Mon: Cereal, toast, fruit, milk  
Tues: Oatmeal, toast, fruit, milk  
Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk  
Thur: Eggs, toast, fruit, milk  
Fri: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk  
Lunch  
Mon: Tacos, beans, salad, fruit, milk  
Tues: Little smokies, beans, coleslaw, fruit, milk  
Wed: Chef salad with ham and cheese, carrot sticks, crackers, orange, milk  
Thur: Goulash, corn, salad, fruit, milk  
Fri: Hot dogs with chili, fries, salad, fruit, milk

**Hedley Schools**  
Lunch  
Mon: Chicken or beef fajitas, pinto beans, salad, fruit, chips and salsa, milk  
Tues: Hot dog, chili and cheese, beans, cookies, salad, fruit, milk  
Wed: Chicken nuggets, green beans, potatoes and gravy, rolls, tossed salad, fruit, milk  
Thur: Burrito or corn dog, chili and cheese, corn, salad, sliced peaches, milk  
Fri: Ham and cheese subs or barbecue rib sub with lettuce, tomato, pickles, onions, and olives, fruit juice, chips, milk

**Donley County Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Oven fried chicken, au gratin potatoes, steamed broccoli, cucumber and onion salad, cinnamon apples, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
Tues: Mexican pile on, rice, pinto beans, tossed salad, black forest cake, chips, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
Wed: Catfish, corn dressing, black-eyed peas, coleslaw, lemon bars, hush puppies, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
Thur: Spaghetti bake, green beans, lime fruit salad, peanut butter cookies, garlic bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
Fri: Roast beef with brown gravy, potatoes, carrots, onions, tomatoes and zucchini, peaches, Vida's pie, rolls, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

**Hedley Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Pork chop and gravy, corn, spinach, apple ring, brownie, roll, coffee, tea, milk  
Tues: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, tossed salad, peaches and strawberries, roll, coffee, tea, milk  
Wed: Chicken spaghetti, fried okra, Waldorf salad, cake, garlic toast, coffee, tea, milk  
Thur: Mexican pile on, Spanish rice, beans, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, pudding, chips and crackers, coffee, tea, milk  
Fri: Turkey and dressing, sweet potatoes, green peas, fruit salad, cookies, roll, coffee, tea, milk

## Labor Day originally to honor working men

The lake is different on the Howardwick side.

Fifteen years or so ago, when the lake was at its deepest, Greenbelt Water Authority built a boat launching ramp and fishing dock in Howardwick. The drought took care of that. The boat channel is filled with sediment and water grass with a few visible reminders of the ramp and loss of the dock.

Carroll Creek is also filled with sediment and grass. Children cannot play in the cool water like I did when my Grandmother and Granddaddy Reynolds lived along those banks. Go into Nacona Hills, turn on Ten Bears, and take the road to Bass Hollar, which is still a good place to

fishing with some good camp sites. Or continue on Nacona past Ten Bears and take the first right, and you will find trailers along the lake in some nice fishing areas.

There are no facilities at either place; so if you go camping on my side of the lake, bring everything with you and have fun. The lake is as pretty as I have seen it so come and enjoy.

Labor Day, the last holiday of the summer, means parties, barbecues, and long road trips followed by the closing of swimming pools and school in session. What do you really know about Labor Day?

In honor of the working class and all they contributed to America,

the Knights of Labor held a parade and festival in New York City on the first Monday in September 1882. They called it Labor Day.



**'wick picks**  
by Peggy Cockerham  
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This started a grass-roots movement, and in 1894 President Grover Cleveland signed a law designating the first Monday in September as Labor Day in America.

This holiday is different from any other because it is devoted to no man, living or dead. Also, no

sect, race or nation is celebrated on this day which is held not only in America but also in Canada and most industrialized nations. When you think of that last long weekend and say farewell to summer, give a thought to working men and women to whom this day is dedicated.

Please remember our sick folks, Darlene Usleton, Jim Baird, W.E. Combs, Joyce Hardin, Brace Hicks, and anyone I may have missed.

The plight of those poor folks in Katrina's path need more than prayers; they need help. Pat and Vickie Robertson from Clarendon are two making the trip to Louisiana to help with rescue efforts. Put them on the prayer list, too.

## 4-H Spotlight

By Ashlyn Tubbs

This week's 4-H Spotlight is on 28-year-old Leonard Haynes. Mr. Haynes is the Donley County Extension Agent. He was in 4-H for nine years and in FFA for four years while in school. The 4-H projects he participated in were livestock judging, horse judging, method demonstration, and leadership. He had a steer and swine project every year and a lamb project one year while going to school.



Haynes

Mr. Haynes graduated from Texas A&M in 1999, and he is currently working on his Master's Degree at West Texas A&M.

Mr. Haynes has received many awards as an agent: the New Agent Recognition Award, the Texas County Agriculture Agents Association Award, Excellence in 4-H Clubs Support Team, the Texas 4-H Agents Association Award, and the Extension Superior Service Award for Excellence in Livestock Project Character Education Curriculum Development Award.

His hobbies and interest include hunting and fishing and looking for livestock projects. His family activities are going to church with his wife and family gatherings. His community activities are going to Rotary Club, the Lions Club, and other community involvement.

"I enjoy the benefits of 4-H and love working with the youth," said Haynes. "I hope that they will have the same great experiences I had when I was in 4-H."

The 4-H Club members are proud to have Mr. Haynes as our leader. We hope that he will continue to come to all of our meetings and help us in 4-H.

Be sure to stay tuned for next week for our newest 4-H Spotlight!

## Corvette Caravan to salute area veterans in Amarillo

The Amarillo Area Corvette Club will hold their annual American Freedom Corvette Caravan on Sunday, September 11, 2005.

The caravan began in October 2000 as an idea by the Amarillo Area Corvette Club to caravan through the city of Amarillo while flying American flags in order to remember the tragic events that occurred on September 11, 2001. Sixty-three Corvettes participated that year. They came not only from Amarillo but also from many surrounding towns. Every year the caravan has grown. In 2004, more than 130 Corvettes participated showing support for Panhandle veterans, firemen, police, and military.

The "Free" caravan will begin at 11:00 a.m. at the Westgate Chevrolet

in Amarillo with a barbeque lunch available for purchase. The meal is open to the public as well as to caravan participants. At 2:00 p.m. there will be a drivers meeting, and at 2:30 p.m. the caravan will pull out with a full motorcycle police escort.

Corvette drivers and passengers are encouraged to fly American flags while on the caravan. They will travel by the Veterans Hospital and most of the Amarillo Fire Houses.

The caravan will return to Westgate Chevrolet at approximately 4:30 p.m.

If you own a Corvette, you are invited to drive in this caravan, and all spectators are invited to come see the cars at Westgate Chevrolet.

For more information, call 806-374-0055.



## HHS Queen Candidates

The Hedley High School Homecoming Queen candidates are Sophomore Kristen Dwight, Sophomore Julie Woodard, Senior Andrea Musick, Junior Ruth Anne Howard, Freshman Shandy Koetting, and Junior Jaci Copelin.

Enterprise photo by Kari Lindsey

## Fair categories range from photos to pies

Tri State Fair and Rodeo is coming up - September 16-24. This year theme is Fair Time = Fun Time.

Of course there will be many livestock entries from 4-H and FFA, but there are other areas of competition where youth and adults can enter.

If you are interested in entering in any of the following categories, I can transport your items to Amarillo and enter them. All entries have to be at the extension office no later than September 12.

Photography - entry fee of \$5 for adults or \$2 for youth - this is per entry.

This competition is for amateur photographers. All prints must be framed and wired for hanging. No

sawtooth hangers are accepted. Largest print size accepted is 16" x 20". Entry fees for each class are jackpotted and distributed amongst the top three placings.

Classes are Color Photograph, Black/white photograph, and a new class computer manipulated digital prints. This class requires a small sample print of the original print before manipulation.

**OPEN CULINARY:**  
No entry fees - open to both adults and youth. All entries must have been canned from fresh products by Aug. 31. No mayonnaise, coffee, decorative or other odd jars will be accepted. All jars must have a properly sealed lid and ring to be accepted. No jars will be accepted sealed with paraffin. All entries must

be made, baked or canned by the individual in whose name the entry is listed. Cakes should be brought on foil-covered cardboard, no larger than 14 inches x 18 inches.

The different divisions are:  
Baked Products: Yeast and Quick Breads, Cakes - Not Iced or Glazed, Cakes to be Iced, Decorated Cake, Cookies, Pastry or Pies, Candies. For a complete listing please come by the Extension Office.

Canned Products: Fruits, Vegetable, Pickles and Relishes, Meats, Jelly, Butter or Jam, Preserves. For a complete listing please come by the Extension Office.

Open Textiles: There are no entry fees - open to both adult and youth. An exhibitor may enter only one entry per class and no more than

five in a Division. All items must be made in the last two years and entered in the name of the person doing work.

The different divisions are: Knitting, Embroidery, Sewing, Miscellaneous Hand Work, Rugs, Quilts, Crochet, Holiday Corner, Novelties, For Men Only. For a complete listing please come by the Extension Office. Senior Citizen division for individuals over 65 has many areas to enter: crochet, embroidery, knitting, novelties, miscellaneous, plastic canvas, needlepoint, hand quilting, handiwork, machine quilting, wood-working.

For any of these areas of competition a complete listing is available at the Extension office. Please call 874-2141 for more information.

## Wilcox ordination to be held in Quail

Kade Wilcox will be ordained to the gospel ministry Sunday evening, September 18, at the Quail Baptist Church.



Wilcox

The ordaining council meets at 4:00 p.m., and the service starts at 5:00 p.m. All area residents are welcome to attend.

Kade is the son of Morris and Chelle Wilcox of Levelland. Kade has been involved as a youth camp counselor at PanFork Baptist Encampment, has helped lead the Clarendon College Ministries, and has served as pastor of First Baptist Church Quail for the past year.

Bruce Howard, pastor of First Baptist Church Hedley, will bring the message. Andy Hicks of Quail Baptist Church will be the moderator.

## Shelton receives \$32k scholarship for Baylor

WACO - Clarendon graduate Robert Shelton has been selected to receive the President's Baylor Scholarship at Baylor University for the 2005-2006 academic year. All Baylor scholarships are awarded on the basis of class rank and/or SAT/ACT scores.

Shelton will receive \$32,000 for eight semesters. He could also be eligible for an additional Achievement Baylor Scholarship, which ranges from \$4,000 to \$12,000 for eight semesters, based on SAT or ACT scores.

Robert is the son of Myles and Gail Shelton of Clarendon.

## Christian Men to hold breakfast next week

The Christian Men's Breakfast group will meet on September 15, 2005, at 7:00 a.m. at the United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

Everyone - men, women, and children - is invited for this hearty breakfast and short inspirational program. Jim Shadle will share his testimony and music with them this month.

Please come and share with them. There is no charge, but donations are welcome.

## Helms directs HSU theatre production

Hardin-Simmons University Department of Theatre presents the high-energy comedy "The Complete History of America (abridged)" by Adam Long, Reed Martin, and Austin Tichenor. The 2005-2006 season opener is directed by HSU senior Carrie Helms.

The play features three actors who tell the history of America beginning with Amerigo Vespucci and ending with the presidency of George W. Bush.

The play was a staple on Lon-

don's West End Theatre District for many years, and is written by the same team behind "The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (abridged)."

"The Complete History of America (abridged)" runs September 7-10 at 8 p.m. and September 11 at 2 p.m. in Van Ellis Theater on the HSU campus.

Helms is a graduate of Clarendon High School and an award-winning columnist for THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE.

## Gospel group to sing at Community Center

The Cornermen Quartet of Oklahoma City will hold a big Gospel Sing on Sunday, September 11, from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Clarendon Community Center.

The group sang at the Southern Baptist Convention of Musicians last year, which had an attendance around 10,000; and got a standing ovation.

Rusty Goodman and his band

will open the show. They have been singing all over Oklahoma City as well as out of town. The Cornermen have been doing the same for several years.

Kari Owens, who is a soloist, will sing after Rusty. She has a beautiful voice and also sings all over.

The concert is free. Love offerings will be taken.

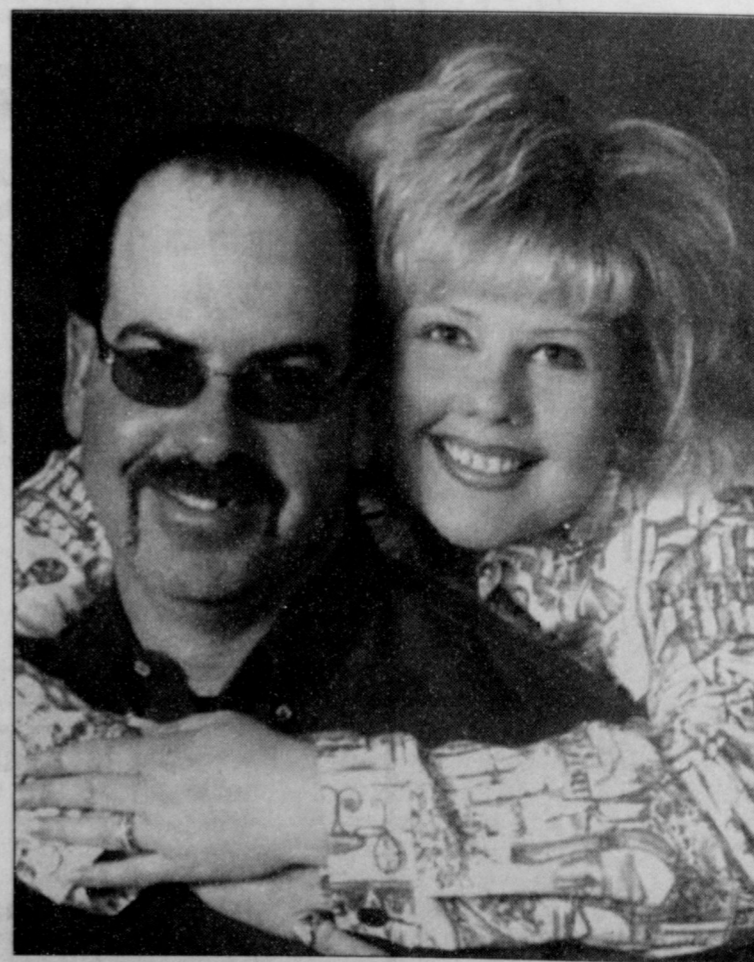
## Head Start accepting three, four year olds

Parents and guardians of children who were three years old or four years old on or before September 1, 2005, can apply for Clarendon's Head Start Pre-K program at Clarendon Elementary.

The federally funded program is free to qualifying families. To qualify, a family must meet income guidelines, be on public assistance, have a child with a documented disability, or have a child in foster care.

The program is full-day instruction providing two meals and a snack; and supplies are provided.

Application day is Tuesday, September 20. Call Clarendon Elementary at 874-3855 for an appointment. You must provide the child's birth certificate, Social Security card, immunization card, proof of public assistance, and proof of income for the past 12 months or a W-2 income tax form from 2004.



Shane Ashcraft and Mecca Wilkerson

## Wilkerson, Ashcraft announce engagement

Cleta Wilkerson of Dimmitt is pleased to announce the engagement of her daughter, Mecca Rose Wilkerson, to Michael Shane Ashcraft. She is also the daughter of the late Charles Wilkerson.

Shane is the son of Terry and Valerie Ashcraft of Clarendon.

The couple will exchange wedding vows on October 29, 2005, at the First Baptist Church in Clarendon.

Ms. Wilkerson is employed at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt as a LVN. Mr. Ashcraft is employed at Plains Memorial Hospital as a paramedic.

## Broncos restore junior varsity schedule

The Bronco football team has been working hard this year with good numbers in participation. Because of those numbers, the Broncos are able to maintain a junior varsity schedule as of right now. The Broncos hosted Wellington in their season opener and played well but were defeated 8-24.

According to Coach Brad Elam, the Broncos made a good showing despite the loss for their first time out this year.

"We dominated the first half of play, but the second half was a different story," Elam said. "Overall, the kids played extremely hard. It was a great effort, and we will only get better."

On the Bronco side, the scoring

came in the first half as Devin Noble scored on a 15-yard run. Nathan Gribble and Kaleb Shadle topped off the scoring on a safety to add two points to Clarendon's side of the scoreboard.

The Broncos held the Rockets scoreless in the first half, but fumbles plagued them the second half of play.

"We ran the ball well and were able to control the clock in the first half," Elam said. "Derrick Shelton recovered a fumble for us in the first half to seal the first half shutout. But we also committed five turnovers, several of which were close to the goal line."

Wellington only allowed the Broncos eight offensive plays in the

second half and forced two Bronco turnovers according to Elam. Offensively, Elam named several Broncos for good play.

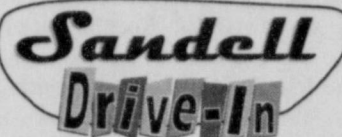
"Scott Fowler and Danzel Wilson controlled the line of scrimmage and Devin and Kaleb ran the ball well," Elam said.

"Noble ran for 58 yards on 10 carries and one touchdown."

Defensively, the Broncos had several players with solid performances. Johnny Ballard racked up 12 tackles, three of which were solo tackles. Shadle turned in 13 tackles with three solos, and Fowler recorded eight tackles with four solos.

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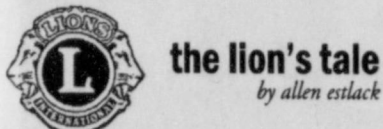
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the lion's tale  
by allen estlack

The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting September 6, 2005, with Boss Lion Mark C. White in charge.

We had 14 members and two guests this week: Ashlee Estlack, guest of Lion Roger Estlack; and Scarlet Estlack, guest of Lion Russell Estlack.

It was announced that Lion Walt Knorpp and his wife, Janice, are the proud owners of the All American Futurity Champion.

Nominations for the annual Lions awards were discussed, and it was decided that the board of directors would make the nominations.

Less than 300 tickets are left for the Chuckwagon cookoff, and they are available at Henson's.

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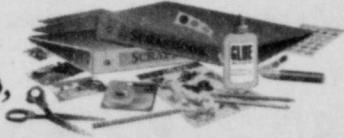
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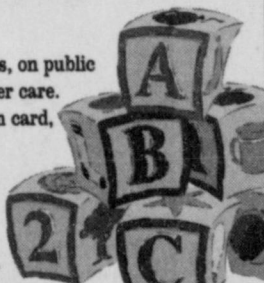
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## Broncs fall to Sunray

By Sandy Anderberg

For three quarters, the Broncos controlled their own fate as they took on the Bobcats on their home field Friday night.

The Broncos put the first seven points on the board and held their breath for what looked like an upset in the making. But Sunray was able to put together 18 unanswered points in the last period to steal the game from the Broncos by a final score of 7-18.

Quarterback Quentin West and receiver Michael Bruce teamed up to put the first score on the board in the second quarter as West connected with Bruce on a 10-yard pass. West kicked the extra point, and the Broncos led 7-0 at the break.

"We were 7-0 going into the fourth quarter," head coach Gary Jack said. "We were doing a great job; our passing game was a lot better, even though they kept our running game bottled up some."

The Broncos racked up 126 yards passing, which was six yards better than their opponent; and several Broncos had great catches for good yardage, according to Jack.

"Michael (Bruce) scored for us on a pass, and Morgan Robinson had an outstanding catch. Stephen Ford, Brad Sell, and Will Betts also made good catches for us."

Although the Broncos' passing game had improved, their running game hit a little snag.

"We had a little trouble running the ball," Jack said. "We turned the ball over more than we would like. We've had to make some adjustments offensively, but we are learning as we go."

Defensively, the Broncos played hard against the Bobcats.

"Our defense was on the field a lot, and they played a great game," Jack said. "Our defensive ends Jon Vaught and Ladez Captain had a great game. Linebackers Will Betts, Brad Sell, and Wes Christopher had a good game, too."

Overall, Jack was pleased with the effort.

"I think they (Sunray) were shocked by what we had," Jack said. "They saw a little different team than last year. We need to learn how to finish the game. We had them down but couldn't finish the game. We are very proud of the guys, and their effort was good."

The Broncos will have the week to rest and fine tune their skills in some areas.

"We have an open week this week," Jack said. "We are going to take a little time to regroup and rest. We are still pretty healthy, and the week off will help us."

With no game scheduled for this week, the Broncos will take the time to prepare for Hart next Friday, September 16, which will also be Clarendon's Homecoming. Festivities will be held all day Friday at CHS and kick off will be at 7:30 p.m. at Bronco Stadium.

### Colts scrimmage against Wellington

The 7th and 8th grade Colts made their debut in Bronco Stadium Thursday night in a scrimmage against the Firecrackers of Wellington.

According to Colt coaches, this format works very well for the first game of the season. It allows the kids a chance to receive valuable information while on the field in a game-type setting.

The 7th grade Colts played first and did a great job.

The scores came on long runs by Michael Crump, Chris Crump, and Johnny Gaines.

Despite their limited practice time, the Colts played well.

The eighth grade Colts played great as well and also kept their opponent out of the end zone.

Nelson Devin threw two touchdown passes. The first pass was long to Dillan Wright, and his last was to Nathan Judd from about 15 yards out.

Trey Brown dominated defensively. The defense did not allow a touchdown and played well as a group. The Colt teams will combine next week for one game when they will be in action at home once again on Thursday, September 8, against Shamrock at 5:00 p.m.

## Owls hammer Wichita Christian

By Tangela Copelin

The Hedley Owls made the long road trip to hammer Wichita Christian Academy on Friday, September 2.

The Owls started the game out on a bad note, fumbling the ball and allowing their turnover to become a Star touchdown. But the Stars' luck did not hold as the Owls used a 352 rushing game to deal the Stars a tough loss.

Eli Luna led the Owls in rushing with 216 yards and two TDs.

Wes Shields had 80 yards rushing and one TD and punted 5 field goals for the Owls. Seth Koetting racked up four touchdowns for the night, and Jose Equia had one touchdown.

The most exciting touchdown of the game came when Dustin Thomas caused a fumble in the end zone, and Brayden Bennett jumped on it for the TD. Will Verstuyft had seven out of 14 pass completions with two of those passes being TD passes. Cody Glasgow had one interception for the night that he ran back 27 yards

ending four yards short of a TD.

All in all, the Owls proved once again just how tough they can play. The Owls shut the game down with the 45 rule during the 4th quarter winning 78 to 33.

The Owls will play this Friday night at home for their Homecoming game against the McLean Tigers. The crowning of the queen will be at 7:00 followed by the game beginning at 7:30. Come out and support these boys as they play their long time rivals for an exciting game.

## Team wins scramble at six under par

By Sandy Anderberg

The team of Jerry Gage, Gail Leathers, Bruce Ferguson, Maxine McLaughlin, and Bobby Dodson played well enough to take the top spot in the Friday night nine-hole scramble at the Clarendon Country Club. Two other teams participated and came in at five under par.

Mike Santos and Tom Stoddard tied for first in the weekly men's

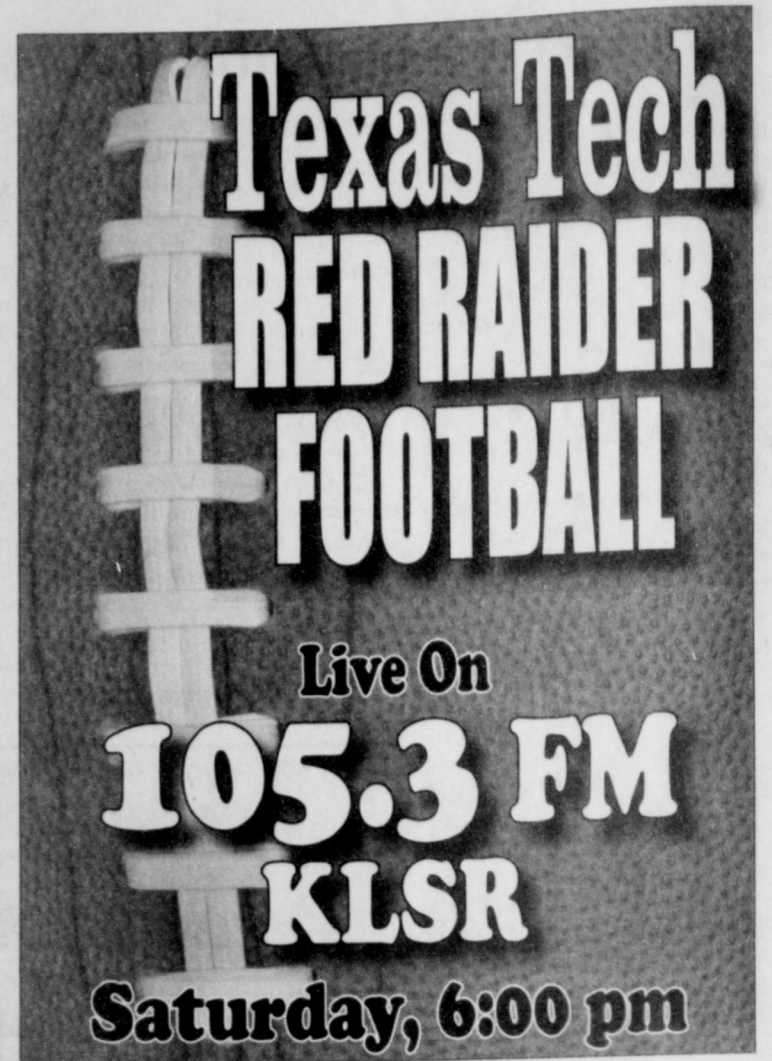
game with a 64. Mike Spier shot a 65 for third, and R.O. Johnson finished fourth with a 67. Maxine McLaughlin won the women's game with a 65. Dorothy Breedlove was second with a 67, and Sherol Johnston was third shooting a 69.

The Clarendon Country Club will host a One-Person Scramble September 10-11. The cost of the tournament will be \$70 plus the

price of a cart with tee times at 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

The Men's and Women's Club Championship will be held September 17-18 and will consist of two 18-hole rounds. Tee times will be at 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. on Saturday and 1:00 p.m. on Sunday. The cost for the tournament is \$25 plus the price of a cart. Call the Pro Shop at 874-2166 for more information

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### 2005 Bronco Roster

5 Tyler Drackley	Jr	6'2	150	70 LaDez Captain	Jr	6'6	225
7 Michael Bruce	Sr	5'4	125	75 James Allmond	Fr	5'11	175
8 Quentin West	Sr	5'10	160	78 Daniel Derry	Sr	5'9	175
10 Nathan Gribble	Fr	5'7	135	80 Derrick Shelton	Fr	6'0	180
11 Bradley Sell	Jr	5'8	160	81 Jesse Rodriguez	Sr	5'9	135
12 Chase Thornberry	Sr	6'2	200	86 Chad Sanchez	Jr	5'6	145
20 Morgan Robinson	Sr	5'9	170	88 Jeremy Utsey	Sr	6'3	165
24 Lance Ford	Jr	5'9	150				
25 Will Betts	Sr	5'9	175				
33 Devin Noble	Fr	5'8	160				
35 Kaleb Shadle	So	6'0	160				
36 Stephen Ford	Sr	5'8	145				
44 Wes Christopher	Jr	5'8	175				
54 Will Drackley	Sr	5'9	165				
60 Ty White	Sr	5'9	170				
64 Michael Henderson	Sr	6'0	225				
65 Cody Scrivner	Sr	5'11	175				
66 John Vaught	Jr	5'9	180				
68 Scott Fowler	So	5'11	215				

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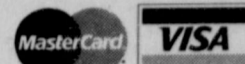
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**Clarendon Order of the Eastern Star #6** Stated meetings: First Thursdays, 8:00 pm; Refreshments served at 7:00 pm Linda Crump - W.M. Naomi Green - Secretary

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## THANK YOU

Thank you for all the phone calls, cards, visits, flowers, special prayers, and concerns during Jitter's recent surgery. We are truly blessed with special family and friends.

J.R. "Jitter" Graham  
Derlene Graham

## LEGAL NOTICES

**NOTICE**  
The City of Clarendon will hold a meeting at 7:00 p.m. on September 13, 2005, at City Hall to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for the tax year 2005. The proposed tax rate is 0.49555 per \$100 of value.

The proposed tax rate would increase total taxes in the City of Clarendon by 1%. 37-2tc

**NOTICE**  
The City of Clarendon is accepting bids for health insurance to cover employees from November 1, 2005 - October 31, 2006. Bids will be accepted until 5:00 p.m., September 12, 2005. If you are interested in placing a bid and would like more information, call City Hall at 874-3438. The Council reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. 37-2tc

**NOTICE  
CLARENDON COLLEGE  
PROPOSED TAX RATE**  
Clarendon College will hold a meeting at 12:30 p.m. on Thursday, September 15, 2005, in the VIP Room of the Bairfield Activity Center, Clarendon College Campus, Clarendon, Texas to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for the year 2005. The proposed tax rate is 2.06500 per \$100 of value. The proposed tax rate would increase total

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taxes in Clarendon College District by 2.0928% over the effective tax rate. The 2005 proposed tax rate of .206500 is the same rate as the 2004 tax rate. 37-2tc

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**PRETTY MODERN BRICK** - 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, built-in cooktop, oven, dishwasher, living/dining, utility room with washer & dryer hook-ups, ceiling fans, central heat & ref. air, attached 2-car port and covered back porch, nice fenced backyard. Financing negotiable for qualified buyer at 411 E. 4th for \$45,000.

**CONVENIENT LOCATION ON BRICK STREET** - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen, dining, living, utility, recently updated and includes central heat & air, 1 car garage, 1 car port, fenced back yard and storage building at 610 W. 3rd St. for \$46,500.

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**HEDLEY - 3 BEDROOM BRICK, 1 1/2 BATHS** - nice kitchen with good cabinets and counter tops, breakfast nook, large den/dining with built in book case, utility, large entry, almost new central heat and ref. air, new double pane/easy clean windows throughout, shop and storage room in garage, chain link fenced back yard, 2 yard buildings, many fruit and nut trees and grape vines. 1,576 sq. ft. living, 616 sq. ft. attached double garage with openers at 407 W. Railroad St. for \$60,000.

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**Sheriff's Report:**

**Aug. 29**  
 12:54 a.m. - See complainant in the 800 block of E. 3rd St.  
 1:42 a.m. - Back to residence in the 800 block of E. 3rd St. Subject kicked in door.  
 2:53 a.m. - To jail with one male in custody for disorderly conduct.  
 7:26 a.m. - Out at Hedley City Hall.  
 7:48 a.m. - Out at Hedley school.  
 9:48 a.m. - Vehicle accident in the 200 block of E. 3rd St.  
 4:11 p.m. - Out at office on S. Sully.  
 4:20 p.m. - Attend interview at "The Bridge" with Texas Ranger.

**Aug. 30**  
 7:41 a.m. - Disturbance at S. Carhart - loud music.  
 8:06 a.m. - To Canadian to pick up male for Donley County warrant.  
 9:45 a.m. - Out at Housing Authority.  
 3:30 p.m. - Out at Clarendon College.  
 6:42 p.m. - Possible fight in progress in the 200 block of W. 2nd.  
 6:45 p.m. - On to residence in the 900 block of Gorst.  
 6:52 p.m. - Check location in the 100 block of S. Kearney.  
 7:17 p.m. - Out at tennis courts. Subjects cutting carpet on court surface.  
 7:47 p.m. - Residents report of smelling smoke in the 500 block of E. 4th.  
 8:20 p.m. - Unleashed dogs in the 1400 block of W. 8th.  
 8:23 p.m. - Deputy request animal control officer.  
 10:29 p.m. - See complainant in the 1300 block of W. 5th.

**Aug. 31**  
 1:49 a.m. - Out at Clarendon College dorm.  
 1:17 p.m. - Out at junior high school.  
 2:42 p.m. - See complainant in the 100 block of E. 3rd - vandalism.  
 7:13 p.m. - See complainant in the 600 block of W. 2nd - damage to vehicle from unrestrained dog.  
 8:38 p.m. - Back to residence in the 1400 block of W. 8th. Three large dogs on the loose again.

**Sept. 1**  
 7:58 a.m. - En route to Randall County Juvenile Detention Center.  
 11:45 a.m. - Out at courthouse.  
 9:16 p.m. - Dogs out again in the 1400 block of W. 8th.

**Sept. 2**  
 6:40 a.m. - Contact with possible DWI in the 700 block of W. 2nd.  
 10:11 a.m. - Assist stranded motorist at Lelia Lake.  
 10:55 a.m. - Out at annex.  
 2:11 p.m. - Welfare check at Lelia Lake.  
 4:11 p.m. - Abandoned vehicle on N. SH 70.  
 7:50 p.m. - See subject in Sheriff's Office lobby.  
 10:21 p.m. - Disturbance in the 600 block of Borger.  
 10:47 p.m. - To jail with one male in custody.  
 11:08 p.m. - Business alarm in the 700 block of W. 2nd.

**Sept. 3**  
 12:09 a.m. - See complainant at 7th and Koogle - possible break-in.  
 3:10 a.m. - Suspicious activity in the 200 block of S. Parks.  
 3:51 a.m. - Male subject with possible broken arm in the 800 block of W. 2nd.  
 8:31 a.m. - Business alarm in the 200 block of S. Kearney.  
 8:44 a.m. - See complainant in the 100 block of E. 3rd - property damage.  
 9:15 a.m. - Juveniles reported running in and out of traffic on US 287 at S. Kearney. Contact made.  
 2:34 p.m. - Assisting EMS in the 200 block of N. Sully.  
 3:30 p.m. - Meet subject at Sheriff's Office. Statement on assault.  
 4:53 p.m. - On scene at EMS station - snake bite.  
 8:11 p.m. - See complainant in the 200 block of S. Goodnight.  
 8:33 p.m. - Out at 4th and Faker.  
 10:00 p.m. - Stranded motorist on US 287 at Ashtola.

**Sept. 4**  
 12:07 a.m. - Single vehicle rollover on FM 2362.  
 12:22 a.m. - To jail with one male for DWI 2.  
 12:59 a.m. - To jail with two in custody.  
 9:31 a.m. - Out in the 500 block of S. Parks.  
 9:35 a.m. - Out at second location in the 500 block of S. Parks.  
 12:17 p.m. - Business alarm on Circle Dr.  
 4:14 p.m. - See caller in the 500 block of W. 2nd St.  
 7:05 p.m. - Dispatched to the 500 block of W. 4th. Custody dispute.

Welcome to all new and returning students of Clarendon College.

Summary  
 Arrests - 7  
 EMS - 12  
 Fire - 2

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**Whitetail, Mule Deer Management Conference to be held in Clarendon**

The Whitetail and Mule Deer Management Conference, hosted by Mumme's Inc. and Texas Deer Association, will be held at the Clarendon College Bairfield Activity Center on October 14, 2005, beginning at 9 a.m.

Speakers for the event include Dr. Larry Varner, Wildlife Nutrition Consultant, Purina Mills, LLC; Ralph Donaho, Rancho del Cielo in Kent, Texas; Karl Kinsel, Executive Director of Texas Deer Association; Warren Bluntzer, Warren Bluntzer Wildlife Consulting Services, Inc.; and a panel discussion with Chris Timmons of Seymour, Rick Leverich of Clarendon, Shane Dyer of McLean, Kent Carpenter of Silverton, Gary Schwede of Lubbock, and Alvis Graham of Amarillo.

Admission fee for the conference is \$20 before October 12, 2005, or \$25 at the door. Student fees are \$15 before October 12, 2005, or \$20 at the door. The meal will be supplied by Dyer's BBQ.

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**Drugs in the News**  
**Booster Vaccine for Whooping Cough Approved**  
 The FDA has approved a new combination vaccine for use by adults and teenagers as a single booster to fight against outbreaks of whooping cough (medical term for this infection is *pertussis*). The new vaccine, which is called *Adacel*, provides additional protection for those who received the pertussis vaccine as a child. In clinical trial, a single dose of *Adacel* produced protective antibody levels against whooping cough that were comparable to the protection provided by three doses of an older combination vaccine (*Bordetella pertussis* and the toxoids of *diphtheria* and *tetanus*). Health experts indicate that protection afforded during the early years of life after vaccination wears off and makes the person vulnerable to the organism (*Bordetella pertussis*) that causes whooping cough.  
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 The COUNTY OF DONLEY conducted public hearings on a proposal to increase the total tax revenues of the COUNTY OF DONLEY from properties on the tax roll in the preceding year by 2.52 percent on September 6, 2005 at 9:00 AM and September 9, 2005 at 9:00 AM.  
 The COUNTY OF DONLEY is scheduled to vote on the tax rate that will result in that tax increase at a public meeting to be held on September 16, 2005, at 9:00 AM at COMMISSIONER'S COURTROOM, COURTHOUSE, CLARENDON, TX.