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## THIS WEEK

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- 5 The Girl Scouts are needing adults to volunteer their talents.
- 6 Clarendon and Hedley students compete in academic contests.
- 10 And the Broncos top the District 2-1A field.

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

### Hedley plans banquet for area senior citizens

Hedley School and the First Baptist Church of Hedley will host the annual Senior Citizens' Honor Banquet Thursday, February 24, at the First Baptist Fellowship Hall.

All senior citizens from Donley, Hall, and Collingsworth Counties are welcome to attend. There is no charge for the evening.

The meal will include brisket, green bean casserole, baked potato, dinner rolls, and dessert. There will be door prizes given away, and the Hedley Choirs will sing for the evening's entertainment.

No RSVP is necessary. Senior citizens are encouraged to come and have a great evening in their honor.

### Chamber banquet will be this Saturday night

Clarendon College will host the Clarendon-Donley County Chamber of Commerce Annual Awards Banquet on Saturday in the Bairfield Activity Center.

The silent auction will begin at 6 p.m., with dinner at 7 p.m. Sam Cartwright, president of the Dumas-Moore County Chamber of Commerce and the administrator of the Dumas Travel Center, will be the featured speaker.

Tickets are \$10 per person. Seating is limited, so tickets should be purchased in advance at the Burton Memorial Library, from any chamber of commerce board member, or by calling 874-2421.

### Filing for local offices continues this week

Sign up for the May 7 elections continues this week for citizens wishing to serve on any one of six local boards.

The City of Clarendon will hold an election to choose two aldermen and the mayor.

The City of Howardwick will also elect a mayor and two aldermen.

Hedley's election will select four members of the board of aldermen, three for two-year terms and one for one year.

Two positions on the Clarendon ISD Board of Trustees are up this year, and Hedley ISD also has two trustee positions open this year.

The Donley County Hospital District will select three positions on its Board of Directors.

All local boards are elected at-large, but candidates for hospital board must sign up for a specific place. Sign up continues through March 7, 2005.

### Friendship Club to meet in Howardwick

The Howardwick Friendship Club will meet on Friday, February 18, at 6:30 p.m. at City Hall.

Come bring a dish for potluck. The entertainment for the evening will be a local teen band.

## City's new paving plan takes shape

The Clarendon Board of Aldermen last week set the goal of paving as many as 50 city blocks in a \$1.1 million project that could be accomplished this year.

"This is a workable plan that we can all live with," Alderman Michael Tibbets said during the February 8 meeting.

The plan would take money the city has on hand in its improvement fund, borrow an additional \$800,000 through tax anticipation notes, and pay the project off in seven years utilizing only fee increases that have

already been enacted by the board.

Between 40 and 50 blocks would be paved and curbed, and several already-paved streets would be receive seal coats to prevent them from deteriorating.

Aldermen reacted with joy as they settled on a plan after months of discussions.

"How about that?" Mayor Tex Selvidge said. "We made a decision!"

"Let's all get on the table and go 'Yea! Yea! Yea!'" Alderman Janice Knorpp said.

Issuance of the tax notes would be handled by the Lubbock based First Southwest Company whose vice president, Vince Viaille, attended Tuesday's meeting and presented the aldermen with a proposed debt schedule.

"Tax notes have no publication procedures to follow, and there's no petition procedures," Viaille said. "I propose that we go to local banks to issue the notes at 3.5 percent interest or less, and there would be a cost of issuance in the amount of \$15,000 to \$20,000."

Viaille said tax notes in the amount of \$800,000 could be repaid in seven years with an annual debt service of approximately \$132,000.

City officials reacted positively to Viaille's presentation.

"I think this is the best possible plan we're going to come up with," Mayor Tex Selvidge said.

Aldermen directed Viaille to return to the board's February 22 meeting and bring with him all the necessary forms the city would need to start the process of issuing tax notes.

The board reviewed maps with city engineer Che Shadle and prioritized streets to be paved. Shadle will work up a plan that fits within the allocated budget.

In other city business, Mayor Selvidge ordered an election to be held May 7 for the purpose of electing a mayor and two aldermen. City Secretary Linda Smith will serve as election clerk, and City Clerk LeAnn Marcum will be deputy clerk.

The second and final reading was held for Ordinance 354, which

See 'City' on page 8.



### Trashed

Some Clarendon residents lost power last Monday afternoon when a city trash truck clipped an electric pole and shattered it in the 300 block of West Third. American Electric Power crews worked several hours to replace the pole. No one was injured in the accident, and the truck received only minimal damage.

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## Thornberry supports border security bill

Washington D.C. - U.S. Rep. Mac Thornberry (R-Clarendon) voted for H.R. 418, the "REAL ID Act," when it was approved by the U.S. House of Representatives by a vote of 261-161.

A co-sponsor of the border security bill, Rep. Thornberry described H.R. 418 as "an important step in making our nation safer from the threat of terrorism."

Under the REAL ID Act, applicants for driver licenses would be required to provide proof that they are in the United States legally. The bill also closes asylum loopholes and strengthens deportation laws.

"It is frightening to see how easy it is for terrorists to fraudulently obtain identification documents in this country. It is equally troubling to see how difficult it is for our authori-

ties to deport people even when there is clear evidence of ties to terrorist organizations and activities," said Thornberry. "This bill will help reduce those vulnerabilities."

Thornberry also noted that last week's approval of H.R. 418 fulfills a promise by the House leadership that border security reforms would be acted upon early in the first session of the 109th Congress.

## Jackson resigns job as treasurer County seeking applicants

Donley County is looking for a new treasurer after commissioners accepted the resignation of Rebecca Jackson during their regular session Monday.

County Judge Jack Hall said Jackson was taking a position as a top accountant for Cactus Feeders in Canyon.

"She's leaving for three main reasons," Hall said. "She doubles her salary, gets full health insurance for her and her husband, and in six years will be vested in their retirement plan."

The county began advertising this week for applicants to be considered for the remainder of Jackson's term, which expires in 2006. Hall said the treasurer's job is a big one and one that Jackson did well.

"Becky Jackson is a very competent person, and she has done an excellent job as treasurer of Donley County."

Jackson was appointed in 1997 after the resignation of Wanda Smith. She was elected to a full term in 1998 and reelected in 2002. Her resignation becomes effective February 25.

Hall said the commissioners' court hopes to make an appointment during a called session on March 1.

Jackson could not be reached for comment Tuesday morning.

In other county business, commissioners heard from Martin Smith of the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) regarding

plans to replace the bridge over Buck Creek on County Road 28 in two years. Donley County will provide a ten percent in-kind match for the project.

Commissioners also heard from Sandra Hatcher of TxDOT, who discussed the state's plans to replace the Hwy. 70 bridge over the Salt Fork of Red River below the Greenbelt Dam some time in the next three years. The bridge will be widened and the curves approaching the bridge will be straightened, Hall said. The county will offer assistance in acquiring easements.

The court approved the audit for the fiscal year 2003-2004 as presented by Gordon Maddox.

Sheriff Butch Blackburn reported on a movement in Austin to require county jails to have to persons on duty at all times.

The Donley County Jail just keeps one person on staff, and the sheriff will go to Austin to try to keep it that way.

Commissioners approved Justice Ann Kennedy's request to install an AMA•TechTel wireless Internet connection in her office and also approved Justice Jimmy Johnson's request to purchase a new photocopier.

The court considered and approved plans to install a sidewalk from the Courthouse to the Jail and to install up lighting for the north and east faces of the Courthouse.

## Local sales tax rebates fall despite state's gain

AUSTIN - Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Strayhorn last week reported that state sales tax collections rose for the 17th consecutive month in January. The state collected \$1.39 billion in sales tax revenue, up 6.1 percent compared to January 2004.

But the report wasn't good news for three Donley County cities where collections are down this year.

The City of Clarendon's sales tax rebate dropped 8.19 percent from this time last year to \$25,414.25. Howardwick was down 29.3 percent to \$798.44, and Hedley fell 11.6 percent to \$557.97.

Statewide, Strayhorn returned

\$502.8 million in local sales tax to Texas cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts, up 5.2 percent compared to sales tax distributions to local governments in February 2004.

"These numbers indicate that Texas' recovering economy had a positive impact on holiday season sales," Strayhorn said.

January state sales tax collections and February's local sales tax allocations primarily represent sales made in December but also include some earlier sales by businesses that report sales tax to the state comptroller's office on a quarterly or annual basis.

## Duncan authors proposal to increase salaries of state judges

AUSTIN - State Sen. Robert Duncan (R-Lubbock) has filed legislation to bring state judges' salaries into parity with their counterparts in other states in the nation.

Texas' judicial pay ranks 39th in the country, which is often the reason that fair, effective jurists leave the bench to join the private sector. Duncan filed Senate Bill 368 to stop

the potential depletion of our state's best and brightest on the bench.

"Judges are resigning from the bench at a higher rate than in previous years, and it can have a detrimental impact on the quality of justice done," Duncan said. "We risk losing the institutional knowledge that can make all the difference in fair administration of justice. Raising

their pay to a competitive level with other states is critical to maintaining a strong bench."

Other states of comparable caseload and population offer much higher compensation to their judiciary. While the proposed bill doesn't make Texas judicial salaries equal to all other pay scales, Duncan believes this is a significant step in the right

direction.

Texas district judges presently earn \$101,000 annually while district judges in California and Florida earn \$144,000 and \$133,000 respectively. Under Duncan's bill, district judges would receive \$125,000, and appellate and high court justices would also receive significant raises.

To pay for the higher salaries,

Duncan proposes raising criminal case filing fees by \$2 and increasing civil case filing fees by \$35. This will raise an estimated \$50 million, which is enough to cover the increases.

The legislation will also remove provisions for counties to offer supplemental salary funding; however, no judge's salary will be less than it is today.

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.

## Senate needs quick action on nominees

President Bush this week nominated several men and women for federal judgeships, and now the senate should act quickly to give these jurists a proper hearing and vote.

Ordinarily, this would not be a subject of an editorial because the senate historically has taken its constitutional duties seriously and given nominees whose candidacy survives the committee process an up or down vote. But life is different for the presidency of George W. Bush.

Stung by the close election of 2000 and enraged by what they consider an illegitimate president, senate Democrats did the unthinkable. They started filibustering judicial nominees — a process by which one senator talks about an issue *ad infinitum* and doesn't shut up until a supermajority of the senate (60 votes) tells him to.

Such a thing used to be unprecedented, but in the last four years it became commonplace. Now, the Dems appear poised to continue to obstruct progress and deny the president his constitutional right to have his nominees voted on by the full senate.

On Tuesday, Senate Minority Leader Harry Reid (D-Nev.) refused to rule out continuing the use of the filibuster to block judicial appointments.

"Well, I don't know, unless something's changed, and I don't think a thing in the world has changed," Reid told the Associated Press. "The background of these men and women that he brought forward, the 10 that we turned down, should have been turned down, and we'll turn them down again."

Actually, Democrats didn't even give the nominees in question a chance to be "turned down." Being turned down would indicate that there had been some kind of vote on the person. Maybe Reid should use the term "stiff-armed" or "clothes-lined," which would more closely resemble the kind of dirty pool the minority party employed to deny a nominee a chance to be heard.

Democrats have never taken well to being in the minority. The party has struggled with it since it was swept from Congressional power in 1994, and it still hasn't come to terms with it. They just go from one election to the next certain in the belief that the public will finally see it their way and return them to their "rightful" role as the majority party.

Of course in five elections now, that hasn't happened. Americans have kept the Republicans in power in Congress. And to add to that political legitimacy, last November Bush captured the largest number of popular votes a president has ever received. Democrats need to wise up and realize the tide of public opinion is not in their favor at the present.

Blame for this situation doesn't rest solely with the Democrats, however. The majority party never should have let it get this bad. Ten years is long enough to learn the ropes, and the Republicans need to start exercising real power. GOP leaders in the House of Representatives seem to know how to play power politics, but the same cannot be said for senate leaders.

Since the Democrats started filibustering judicial candidates, the Republicans have been threatening to use the so-called "nuclear option" — a tool they can use to change the senate rules with a simple majority vote (51 senators). They could, quite simply, make the filibuster a moot point and get on with business. But they haven't.

Threats don't mean much unless you're actually willing to follow through with them. Sadly, the Republicans haven't been willing to do that, caving instead to the Democrats again and again when they counter threaten. "Do that and you'll be sorry."

"If they want to carry that through, it's a short-term victory for them, because they're not going to be in the majority forever," Reid said this week. "We're going to be in the majority. That's the way history is. And I think that they would rue the day they did that."

Yeah, yeah, but you're not in the majority today, and it could be another 30 or 40 years before the pendulum swings your way again. The current majority "leader" ought to throw down the gauntlet and go nuclear the next time a judicial nominee filibuster occurs.

At the very least, the Republicans ought to make the Democrats put on a full-blown filibuster rather than a boring procedural filibuster. Let's see a senator actually have to stand for hours and hours on end and keep talking until he either loses his voice (a true blessing), passes out from exhaustion, or suffers from a bladder that explodes while C-SPAN cameras pick up every embarrassing detail.

Sure it's drastic, but the Democrats would have brought it upon themselves.

These little things are tests of political power. If Bush and his party can't get the little things going their way, how will they ever pass the big issues like Social Security and major tax reforms?

Bush has earned the right to make these nominations, and the Constitution requires the senate to act. The time has come for Republicans to start actually running the senate rather than just being repeatedly run over by the minority party. They must get these men and women the up or down vote they deserve, and they must do so expeditiously.



editor's commentary  
by roger estlack

## Blogging brings revival of writer's spirit

I have a blog. It sounds painful, but really it's not so bad. No, a blog isn't a growth or a blockage or a medical term for some kind of hairy toenail fungus. A "blog" is web-speak for a weblog, an online journal. A "blogging," therefore, is a group of blogs on a certain theme or a group of related blog writers that are linked to one another.

Basically, a blog is a free space that allows you to express yourself anyway you see fit. My blog is usually this column only edited for audience and posted online.

I once thought that the Internet was the kiss of death for creativity and originality. As the world became smaller, ideas became smaller. I was certain that all was lost with the advent of instant messaging. Eventually, people would lose the ability to communicate altogether, outside of emoticons. :(

Since becoming the owner of a blog, however, I have had nothing short of a spiritual revival.

People out there still know and love the English language and can craft it,

sculpt it into beautiful things. Even people who just talk about their day - what they ate, who they saw, what they'll do tomorrow - can do it well. They can do it beautifully.

But it's when they are baring their souls that truth and beauty are one. They are taking movies that they see and finding the deep meanings and then applying them to their lives and learning more about themselves.

In turn, as they express these thoughts and feelings and ideas, we learn more about them. I am connecting with friends and foes alike on a level I never thought possible.

I read a blog, and I wipe a tear from my eye as I see that the world is as it should be. All is not lost!

I have even developed a love for the emoticon.

It's a science, really, an art. When used



life's lessons  
by carrie helms

just right, it can give that added edge to scathing sarcasm. I even learned one for Abraham Lincoln: =|:c)#

Maybe I am so encouraged because I belong to a blogging that is predominantly artsy-fartsy. We are all English and Theatre majors, so we have a flair for drama and a heightened sense of the power of language.

Maybe the rest of the world is still misspelling words, abbreviating entire sentences, and communicating in grunts.

I try to post twice a week. Yesterday I expounded on the philosophy of Charlie Brown as it related to Valentine's Day and his observation that "There is nothing like unrequited love to take all the flavor out of a peanut butter sandwich."

At the end of each post, there is a space for readers to make comments. My friend Michael praised my prose saying, "Virginia Woolf, the mother of stream-of-consciousness, would be proud" and dubbed me "our generation's Buddha."

I replied asking if this was not his subtle way of saying that I am fat.



## Budget encourages nation to prioritize

Our country, like most households, operates on a budget which seeks to balance our spending with our income. Budgets are a time for serious discussions weighing needs and wants with the available resources. In Congress it is a difficult process which can take a great deal of time.

The tone of the budget debate is usually set by the President's recommendations for spending. The two separate houses of Congress then work on their versions of a budget, which becomes the blueprint for the appropriations process.

I was encouraged by President Bush's overall proposal of a \$2.7 trillion budget because the announcement means we will have a serious effort to reduce our budget deficit after several years of higher spending to fight the war on terrorism.

As a fiscal conservative, I greeted increased expenditures over the recent past as painful necessities to protect the American people. Several years ago, our national economy was buffeted by several extraordinary events. The economy entered a recession after the internet bubble burst and a wave of corporate scandals rocked the markets. In the midst of this adjustment, the 9-11 attacks took place, killing thousands and paralyzing our economy. Since that time, we have gone to war in Iraq and Afghanistan to upend terror-sponsoring regimes and free millions of people. While we have been victorious, the effort has been, and will remain, expensive. But for a safer and more secure homeland, that cost is a relative bargain.

As our nation dealt with these challenges, Congress and President Bush passed bipartisan tax relief which jump-started the economy and led to strong job creation and lower unemployment. This year, with our economy on the upswing, and after initial expenses to bolster homeland security, we are in the best position yet to begin reducing the deficit.

President Bush's budget envisions increasing defense spending by 4.8 percent. Spending on the Department of Homeland Security would rise by 7 percent. The proposed budget would scale back increases of discretionary programs to

2.1 percent, which is less than the rate of inflation.

The budget for the 2006 fiscal year beginning in October plans to reduce the budget deficit by 8.6 percent in the first year alone, excluding costs involved in Iraq and Afghanistan. Economists say the most important measure of spending is the ratio of debt to the size of a nation's economy, or Gross Domestic Product (GDP). The President's budget projects a budget deficit amounting to 3 percent of GDP for 2006, down from 3.5 percent this year.

If we follow this roadmap, we can cut the budget deficit by half to 1.5 percent of GDP by 2009, according to White House budget officials.

The President's budget marks a desire to adopt a more conservative fiscal philosophy on government spending. It is a good starting point, and I share his commitment to discipline. However, it is Congress which has the ultimate responsibility under the Constitution to set spending levels and allocate resources. Within the framework of a conservative budget, I will

fight to increase some programs critical to Texas which have been shortchanged in the President's budget, and I will work to find savings in other areas. The state and Criminal Alien Assistance program, which reimburses states for the costs involved with illegal aliens, is one example of a program which appears underfunded. NASA's traditional science programs and Amtrak are others. We must assure our farmers all have the help necessary to keep making healthy food for our country and for export. Holding the overall line on expenditures will be often difficult, but we know we have an ally in the White House as we rein in spending.

In times of tighter budgets, as you may guess, it is sometimes hard to secure funding for projects in our home states. The level of scrutiny always increases when funding is more restricted, but I remain optimistic. I have always approached budgeting as a serious matter and have presented my colleagues with the best evidence available that particular projects are good, not only for Texas, but for our nation. If I continue using that yardstick, I believe we will gain what is right for the Lone Star State and stick to conservative fiscal principles which will make our nation and economy stronger in the long run.



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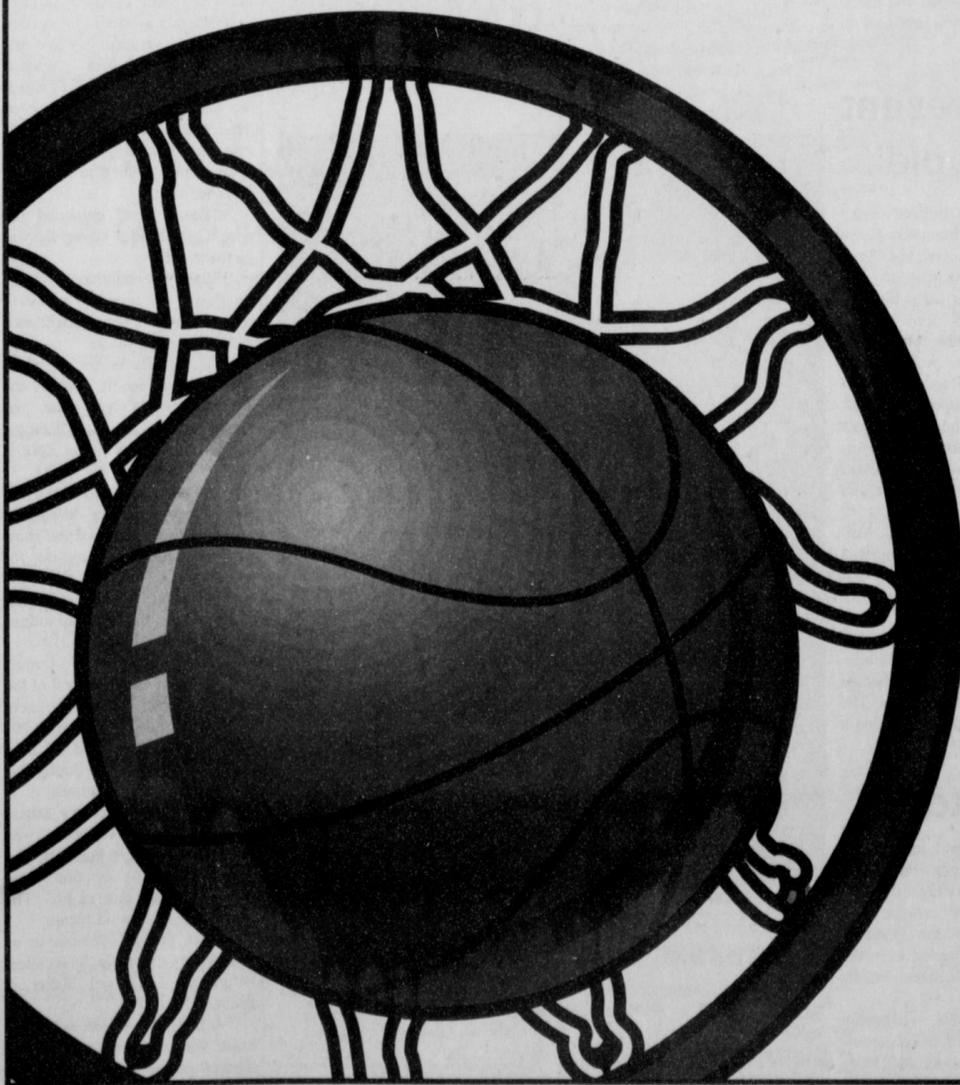
2004-2005 Broncos: (front) Chase Thornberry, Michael Randall, Ben Smith, LaDez Captain, Jesse Gowdy, Michael Henderson, Bret Carter, (back) Asst. Coach Kerry Teafatiller, Trainer Jeremy Jeffers, Brad Sell, Stephen Ford, Morgan Robinson, Jesse Rodriguez, Stephen Ballard, Will Betts, Quentin West, Grady Swearingen, Head Coach Wade Callaway, and Trainer Laura Dziedzic.

## GOOD LUCK AT BI-DISTRICT

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## ¿Qué Pasa?

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

### February 17

Bulldogs v. NMMI • Bulldog Gym • 8 p.m.

Lady Bulldogs v. Rose State College • Bulldog Gym • 6 p.m.

### February 19

Chamber of Commerce Banquet • Bairfield Activity Center • Silent Auction, 6 p.m.; Banquet, 7 p.m.

### February 21

Presidents Day

### February 24

CC v. South Plains • Bulldog Gym • Women, 5:50 p.m.; Men, 8 p.m.

### March 2

Texas Independence Day

### March 7 - 11

Clarendon ISD Spring Break

### March 17

St. Patrick's Day

### March 27

Easter

## Community Menus

February 21-25

### Clarendon Schools

**Breakfast**  
 Mon: Cereal, toast, fruit, milk  
 Tues: Rice, toast, fruit, milk  
 Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk  
 Thur: Eggs, toast, fruit, milk  
 Fri: Cinnamon roll, juice, milk  
**Lunch**  
 Mon: Ravioli, corn, salad, rolls, fruit mix, milk  
 Tues: Taco salad, beans, lettuce, oranges, milk  
 Wed: Ham and cheese rolls, baked beans, salad, fruit mix, milk  
 Thur: Goulash, rolls, salad, green beans, apples, milk  
 Fri: Steak sandwich, French fries, lettuce, fruit cobbler, milk

### Hedley Schools

**Breakfast**  
 Mon: Biscuit with sausage gravy, butter and jelly, cereal, juice, milk  
 Tues: Breakfast bar, toast and jelly, dry cereal, fruit juice, milk  
 Wed: Pancake and syrup, sausage patties, dry cereal, fruit juice, milk  
 Thur: Biscuit and gravy, sausage patties, butter and jelly, cereal, juice, milk  
 Fri: Peanut butter and toast, muffins, dry cereal, fruit juice, milk  
**Lunch**  
 Mon: Salisbury steak, scalloped potatoes, corn, salad, fruit, rolls, milk  
 Tues: Chicken strips, potatoes and gravy, green beans, rolls, salad, fruit, milk  
 Wed: Tacos, beans, rice, orange halves, cheese and chips, salad, milk  
 Thur: Beef ravioli or barbecue wienies, salad, canned peaches, sliced bread, milk  
 Fri: Hot dog on a bun, baked beans, celery and carrots, canned peaches, brownies, milk

### Donley County Senior Citizens

**Mon:** Steak fingers with gravy, creamed potatoes, green peas, applesauce, brownies, bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
**Tues:** King Ranch chicken, oriental vegetables, corn salad, peach pie, garlic bread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
**Wed:** Pork tenderloin fritters with gravy, mini baked potatoes, buttered carrots, nite cap salad, chocolate pie, roll, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
**Thur:** Navajo tacos, Spanish rice, tossed salad, sopapillas, chips and hot sauce, coffee, tea, lowfat milk  
**Fri:** Roast with brown gravy, potatoes, carrots, onions, tomatoes and zucchini, apple salad, white chocolate nut cookies, rolls, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

### Hedley Senior Citizens

**Mon:** Chopped barbecue beef on a bun, baked beans, potato salad, cobbler, milk, tea, coffee  
**Tues:** Steak and gravy, baked potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, cake, roll, milk, tea, coffee  
**Wed:** Chicken spaghetti, fried okra, beet and onion salad, jelled fruit with whipped topping, garlic toast, milk, tea, coffee  
**Thur:** Cheeseburger, potato wedges, lettuce, tomato, onion, sliced peaches, buns, milk, tea, coffee  
**Fri:** Chicken strips and gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, pea salad, apple, roll, milk, tea, coffee

## Pathfinders share stories of old Valentines

Valentine's Day fell this past week, and all over town folks were celebrating with their Valentines. The florists' deliverypersons were out in force, and the Post Office was full of cards - though there were plenty of hand-delivered cards and gifts.

The Pathfinders' Club brought old and/or favorite Valentines to "show-and-tell" at their meeting last Friday. Greta Byars had some beautiful old pop-up type Valentines that had been her mother's. Students had given her those elaborate Valentines over the years of her teaching career, and she had kept almost every one of them. Many of the members had old and favorite cards given by spouses and children, all of them treasured

as much as I treasure my handmade Valentine Man with his eyeglasses and fangs. (The boy went through a vampire fang phase while in kindergarten. Everything he drew had fangs on it, from dinosaurs to goldfish.)

I did the program, talking about the variety and popularity of the romance fiction genre. I did tell the ladies one thing they didn't already know (at least they told me this was something they didn't know before) - that Harlequin/Silhouette "color codes" their series romance. The books with the red covers are the steamy reads, and those with the light blue or green covers are the "sweet" books, without sex. And the purple covers are the mystery-suspense

titles. So now you know, too.

First Baptist had their Valentine's Banquet Sunday night with a great turnout and velvet roses for all the ladies to take home. (Now I have something to put in my big crystal vase I got for Christmas.) Anna Young and Brett Spindler from Canyon provided the excellent entertainment, singing "silly love songs." But the silliest moment had to be at the end of the evening when Jessi Howard inhaled helium from the bal-



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 by gail shelton  
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loon decorations and shouted "Happy Valentine's Day" in a Mickey Mouse voice - then promptly cracked up. Her squeaky laughter was almost funnier than her words.

The Chamber of Commerce Banquet is coming up this Saturday. I knew that somewhere in the back of my head but hadn't known exactly when until Judy Burlin called me. It's coming up right away. Count up your pennies and be ready for the auction.

Oh, and you might want to mark your calendars for weekend after next when Clarendon College is putting on the female version of "The Odd Couple." It's sounding like it will be a lot of fun.

See you around town.

## Volunteers deserve credit for success of fundraiser

If you were around City Hall last Tuesday and saw the beehive of activity going on, it was the community working together to provide another successful hobo stew fundraiser for the Howardwick Beautification Club.

The activity began with tickets sold by Joyce Hardin, about 300 pint jars hand painted by Nancy Davis, food and money donations from members, and nine large roasters of stew cooked by Dorothy Arnold, Peggy Cockerham, Rosemary Winters, Sam Grider, Donna Murdock, Greta Byars, and three by Charles Davis.

Food and cornbread were donated by non-members Gwen Holliday, Sue Baird, Tom and Rhonda Jaramillo, Tammy Owen, Billy and Lois Woods, Ruth Carter, Teiva and Lee Jackson, Sheila Burney, Robert Wagner, Jerry and Winnie Permenter, and Joy Hicks. This helped keep the cost down.

Then came filling, delivery, and clean up. Those helping with that massive job were Robert Wagner, Leona Lingerfelter, Dorothy and Dean Arnold, Vernon and Greta Byars, Carol and Ken Carden, Tom and Rhonda Jaramillo, Sheila Burney, Mary Selfridge, Rosemary Winters, Peggy Cockerham, Donna and Bobby Murdock, Sam Grider, Winnie and Jerry Permenter, and Dianna Knight.

The main dishwashers were Robert Wagner and Jerry Permenter, who were life savers. So many people bought tickets and came by City Hall to pick up the food that it is impossible to name everyone, but it was nice visiting with Teiva and Lee Jackson, W. E. and Joyce Combs, and Joy and

Brace Hicks, who stayed and ate with us.

The businesses of Clarendon were so supportive. We could not have done this without you and also our families who put up with this craziness. We have received many compliments and no complaints and look forward to next year. We should all be recovered by then.

Because of poor health Al and Evelyn Burleson have moved to Amarillo to be closer to family and the doctors. We will miss this couple who worked for many years to make our community what it is today. Good luck to you.

Melville Mills fell at home last Thursday and has been hospitalized since with bruising, infections, and pneumonia. We need to put this family on our prayer list.

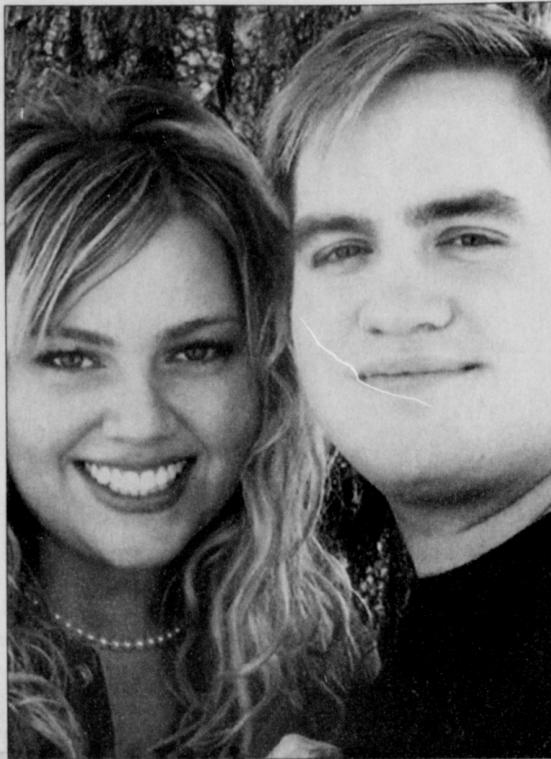
Darlene Uselton, daughter of Charles and Nancy Davis, is recovering at NWH from her first lung surgery and is scheduled to undergo the second surgery February 18. Please keep this family in your prayers also.

Friendship Club is this Friday at 6:30 p.m. Bring an appetite and a covered dish. We will be entertained by a teen band, so come on out and encourage these young people.

Beautification Club meets Monday February 21 at noon with a brown bag lunch. See all you members there when we decide how to spend our money.



**'wick picks**  
 by peggy cockerham  
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Sage Rhinehart and Ryan Jackson

## Rhinehart, Jackson to be wed

Michael and Suzie Rhinehart of Clarendon are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Sage Suzanne Rhinehart to Ryan Allen Jackson of San Angelo.

The prospective groom is the son of William and Karen Jackson of San Angelo.

The couple will exchange vows on May 14, 2005, at Runnymede Estates in Fredericksburg, Texas. Sage graduated from American

School. She attended Clarendon College and then received her certification from Oklahoma State University in pedorthy. She now works at Med-Link Services in Clarendon.

Ryan graduated from Central High School in San Angelo, Texas. He earned a degree in computer networking at Texas State Tech. He now works as an Information Technology Manager for Concho Valley Fitness, Inc., in San Angelo.

## CC Theatre Dept. to present new twist on 'Odd Couple'

The Clarendon College Theatre Department announces the opening of "The Odd Couple (Female Version)" written by Neil Simon and directed by William R. Huey.

Performances will be Friday, February 25, and Saturday, February 26, at 8:00 p.m. and Sunday, February 27, at 2:30 p.m. at the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center.

The cast includes Amy Wilson from Childress as Olive Madison; Stuart Womack from Eustace as Florence Unger; Joenea Horn from Clarendon as Sylvie; Scarlett Sperry from Quitaque as Renee; Chelsea Harada from Amarillo as Vera; Tennessee Brown from Peaster as Mickey; Robert Shelton from Clarendon as Manolo Costazuela; and J.C. Blackburn from Clarendon as Jesus Costazuela.

Technical staff includes Krystle Clinton as Stage Manager, Sarah Olson as Properties Mistress, Ashley Lamberson as Costume Mistress,

Kristin King as Set Builder, Jentry Stephens as Audio Engineer, Leeya Davis as Lighting Control, and Christin Courtney as House Manager.

In this modern adaptation of Neil Simon's 1965 Tony Award-winning comedy, Olive Madison, a successful television producer and slob, and Florence Unger, a meticulous housekeeper, superb cook and decorator, are complete opposites and are thrown together when Florence breaks up with her husband. The consequences are dynamic and hilarious.

"The Odd Couple (Female Version)" opened in 1985 starring Rita Moreno and Sally Struthers and directed by Gene Saks, and ran for about a year.

The original "The Odd Couple" opened on Broadway in 1965 starring Art Carney and Walter Matthau and directed by Mike Nichols. The play led to a television series and a movie.

## AEP donates \$4,000 to CC

A \$4,000 gift has been made to the AEP Texas Endowed Scholarship Fund at Clarendon College. AEP Texas is a unit of American Electric Power.

CC President Myles Shelton said, "The college thanks AEP Texas for its generous gift in support of our educational programs."

A scholarship is awarded annually to a student who is a customer or whose parents are served by AEP

Texas. It is a general scholarship, available to all majors with a 2.5 grade point average or higher.

Scholarship applications may be obtained through the Financial Aid Office or downloaded from the CC Web site at www.clarendoncollege.edu.

The deadline for scholarship applications is April 1 to be considered for scholarships for the 2005-2006 fall and spring semesters.

## What happened to Watt's Happening

Several readers have been calling and inquiring about what's happened to the ENTERPRISE's regular Hedley news column, "Watt's Happening."

Peggy Watt, who has been a member of this newspaper's family for many years, has been having critical health problems since late November and has been hospitalized since that time. Our thoughts and prayers are with her and her family.

## Dishong graduates from Angelo State

Jennifer Carson Dishong was among the degree recipients during commencement exercises at Angelo State University on December 18.

Carson graduated *cum laude* and earned a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in Accounting from the College of Business and Professional Studies.

Carson is a 1997 graduate of Hedley High School. She attended Amarillo College and Coastal Carolina Community College.

Attending the commencement were her husband, Sgt. Kenneth Dishong; her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ben Carson; her grandmother, Mrs. Loyd Langley; and her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Cary Neeley.

## Anderberg on honor list at Okla. Baptist

Lacey Anderberg of Clarendon has been named to the President's Honor Roll at Oklahoma Baptist University for the fall 2004 semester.

In order to qualify for the President's Honor Roll, a student must have a semester grade point average of at least 3.70 with no grade below a "B."

Lacey is the daughter of Jeff and Sandy Anderberg of Clarendon.

## Hall on WT honor list

David Hall of Clarendon has been named on the Dean's List at West Texas A&M University for the fall 2004 semester.

David is a senior psychology major. He is the son of Jack and Audrey Hall. He graduated from Clarendon High School in 2001.

Those on Dean's List must have a GPA between 3.25 and 3.85 and carry a minimum of 12 hours.

## Don't Forget the Knee-Ology

By Mary Beth Nelson

The young minister grinned as he warmly greeted congregation members leaving Sunday morning service. He had just completed his sermon at the church to which he had been newly appointed three weeks previously. A well-respected elderly lady stood among those waiting to shake the preacher's hand.

"Young man," regarded the wise 81-year-old, "where did you go to school?"

Slightly straightening his shoulders, he proudly answered her question concerning attendance at a theological college.

The twinkle in her eye combined with a friendly wink as she advised, "Well, that's fine, but while you're practicing Theology, don't forget to use some KNEE-ology!"

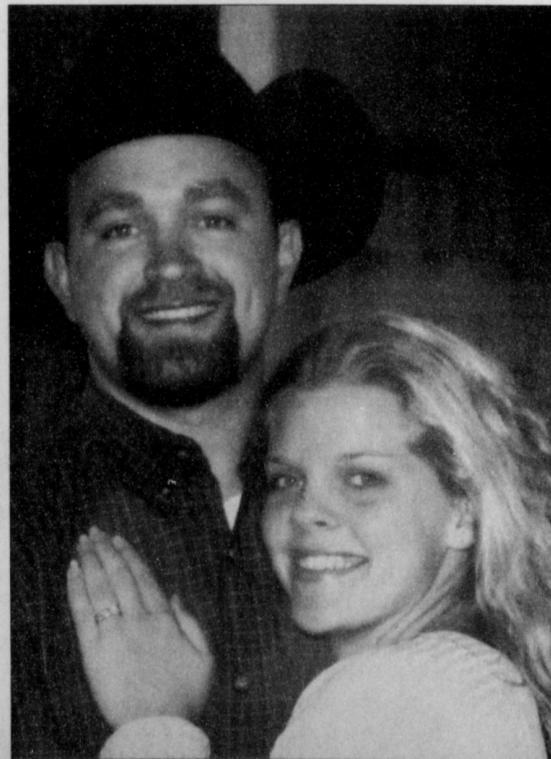
I've come to realize that using more "knee-ology," or developing a prayer life, is one of the most important things I can do for myself. Learning to commune with God and depending on His loving care is the first step toward serenity.

The elements of prayer; acceptance of God's control of the entire universe; acknowledgement of His blessings; and faith in His promises can only lead to more abundant living, even during the most devastating conditions.

A great 19th century statesman once said, "I have been driven many times to my knees by the overwhelming conviction that I had nowhere else to go." The statesman? Abraham Lincoln.

Bible Thought: "Come, let us bow down in worship, let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker..." Psalms 95:6 (NIV)

Mary Beth Nelson is a freelance writer for various inspirational books and magazines.



Jon Surman and Brandi Martindale

## Martindale, Surman to wed in March

Mr. Gib Martindale and Ms. Beverly Martindale of Clarendon announce the engagement of their daughter, Brandi Sue Martindale, to Jon Surman.

Jon is the son of Vern and Dianna Surman of Paige, Texas.

The wedding will take place on March 5, 2005, at the First Baptist Church in Hereford, Texas.

### Girl Scouts need adult support

Girl Scouting is an opportunity for girls to become their best. This does not happen without adult support. Volunteers give many hours of their time and energy. The Five Star Council serves one of the largest jurisdictions in the nation. The geography requires out based offices and many miles of staff travel to support the volunteers in all corners.

The Clarendon office currently serves Canadian, Higgins, Mobeetie, Wheeler, Shamrock, Wellington, Memphis, Estelline, Hedley, Clarendon, McLean, Groom, Miami, Pampa, Lefors, White Deer, Skellytown, Panhandle, Claude, Stinnett, Fritch, Borger, Tulia, Canyon, Happy, Hereford, and Highland Park school district. The expenses of this office alone exceed \$1,000.00 per month.

This does not include staff salaries or additional properties and services from the entire council.

It is imperative that the communities assist with the expenses of providing Girl Scouting. The girls sell cookies and nuts to fund their own programs and a portion of the council budget. There are only two weeks left in this year's cookie sales, so get your cookies now.

As an organization, it is expected that adult generated funds will match or exceed the girls. In an effort to continue services, the council is asking the communities to contribute. Donations may be made to Girl Scouts - Five Star Council P.O. Box 729 Clarendon, TX 79226. For more information please call 806-874-3372 or 1-800-687-8740.



### 'Girl' Scouts?

Cubmaster David Smith and Assistant Cubmaster David Dickinson dressed as Girl Scouts last week to serve the Cub Scouts pizza. Both men challenged the boys to sell more popcorn than last year and they would dress up and serve them pizza and cake. Last year the scouts raised almost \$7,000. They broke that record this year by selling \$8,150 which, was second place in Council sales behind Wellington.

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### the lion's tale

by allen estlack

The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting February 15, 2005, with Boss Lion Pro Tem Greg Henry conducting the meeting.

We had 16 members and no guests this week.

"The Odd Couple" will be presented at the college the last of this month. Both college basketball teams have to win two out of the next five games to be in the conference tournament.

The high school track team is running before daylight, and the boys' basketball team is in the playoffs after winning district.

The chamber of commerce banquet is this Saturday, and tickets are on sale at this time.

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

### weather report

Day	Date	High	Low	Prec.
Mon	7	51°	30°	-
Tues	8	54°	30°	-
Wed	9	45°	25°	-
Thur	10	53°	26°	-
Fri	11	57°	29°	-
Sat	12	56°	41°	-
Sun	13	55°	44°	T

Total precipitation this month: 0.55"  
Total precipitation to date: 1.94"  
Total precipitation in February last year: 1.81"  
Total YTD last year: 2.93"

### weekend forecast

Friday, Feb. 18  
Mostly Cloudy  
56°/29°

Saturday, Feb. 19  
Partly Cloudy  
60°/34°

Sunday, Feb. 20  
Partly Cloudy  
61°/34°

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### Seniors plan birthday, anniversary supper

By Marlee Sharp

We will have our Birthday/Anniversary Party on February 22, at 6 p.m. This will be for anyone celebrating an anniversary or birthday for the month of February. Everyone is welcome to attend.

There were fourteen here for the inspirational singing this past Sunday. Everyone had a good time singing and visiting. The next singing date is February 27, at 2:00 p.m.

Those with birthdays for the week of February 13-20 are Fredi Jo Moreman, Ralph Grady, Wanda Beddingfield, and Vera Johnson.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Don Stone. We miss Tillie Anglin and hope she continues to improve so she can come home from the hospital.

Reminders:  
Tuesdays: Game Night, 6 p.m.  
M-W-F: Exercise Group, 9 a.m.  
2nd & 4th Sunday: Inspirational Singing, 2 p.m.

### Claude Methodists set benefit for cancer patient

The Claude United Methodist Church is sponsoring a benefit dance, silent auction, and dinner for Joan Bowles at the Armstrong County Activities Building on Saturday, February 19.

Joan is a young mother of two who was diagnosed with cancer in 2004.

There will be a live band, a raffle for a Kenneth Wyatt print, as well as the silent auction. Admission is \$5 per person or \$20 for a family of four or more.

The price of admission includes a hamburger or hot dog dinner. The dinner will start at 6:00 p.m. and music and dancing will follow.

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## Parents can encourage good behavior

By MaryRuth Bishop

You may not define the issues your child is facing today in terms of morality, but you cannot deny the fact that your child will face moral dilemmas - dilemmas our children are facing at increasingly younger ages.

Charles Smith, professor and extension specialist in the School of Family Studies and Human Services at Kansas State University, defines conscience as an internal voice that obliges us to act in an honorable, caring, and responsible manner and to make things right when we do not. Smith believes that each element of his definition emerges during the first years of childhood and that by the time a child begins first grade, she can have a conscience appropriate for her age. Barbara Stilwell, lead author of the book, *Right vs. Wrong: Raising a Child with a Conscience*, writes that a child's moral sense surfaces even "before the child has acquired much in the way of language."

More research is needed to understand the links between the parent-child relationship and conscience, however foundational to the development of a healthy conscience is a close relationship with at least one person who by their care, love and attention communicates what it means to love and be loved. Philosopher and theologian Paul Tillich once said, "Morality is not a subject; it is a life put to the test in dozens of moments." For our children, those moments begin sooner than most of us imagine. It is never too early to nurture the development of your child's conscience and together embrace life to the fullest!

Smith, in his parent education course, *Nurturing Conscience in Children*, identifies the following skills for parents to practice.

Use victim-centered reasoning with your child. "Look Chloe, see the tears in Pam's eyes? You were upset with her and decided to pinch

her. That pinch really hurt her..." Victim-centered reasoning confronts children with how their behavior affects others.

Make pro-social attributions to your child's behavior. "Maggie, that was a kind thing to do. You are growing up to be a person who really cares about others. See the smile you put on your brother's face?" Relating kind behavior, for example, to what they think of themselves nurtures a belief in their own kindness.

Hold your child accountable for their actions. Children need to understand that they made a choice that had harmful consequences and that it is important to do their best to make up for this wrong.

Show pride in your child's courageous choices. Celebrating your child's thoughtful and courageous choices strengthens character. Every child needs a champion.

Affirm self-worth when focusing on misbehavior. Express sadness

and disappointment with your child's choice while avoiding judgment about his worth as a person.

Be an example of integrity and courage. Honorable parents nurture honorable children.

Make your children a priority. All children need to experience unconditional bonds of affection.

Be in tune with your child emotionally. Being in synch with your child's emotions communicates understanding.

Encourage thinking during strong emotions. Strong emotions can shut down thinking, yet you can help your child calm himself and think when feeling angry. Children can learn to SAT (Stop And Think) then ACT (Accept, Choose, Take responsibility) by the time they are five-years-old. This early fundamental learning will become more advanced with age. For this foundation to be built, parents have to gently encourage.

## Hedley academic teams compete in Lubbock meet

Hedley sent academic teams to two competitions Saturday and came away with several medals and ribbons.

The math and science teams competed in the Hub of the Plains meet in Lubbock, while the Current Issues, Social Studies, and Literary Teams went to the Canadian Invitational.

Stephen Howard placed second in Number Sense, fifth in Science, and fourth in Math leading the Number Sense team to a third place finish and the Science Team to a fourth place finish among 15 1A-3A schools. Will Wallendorf placed sixth in Science, while in age group Science awards Sam Lovely and Brayden Bennett won second place medals, and Stormie Garrison came away with a fifth place ribbon. Ashleigh Martin was seventh in Math and ninth in Number Sense, Will Verstuyft placed fifth in Math, Justin Kellas placed tenth in Math, and Danielle Smith placed fifth in Calculator and seventh in Number Sense. Ruth Ann Howard won a bronze medal in Calculator with Betty Cruz and Carmen Garcia placing fifth and Julie Woodard in seventh.

At the Canadian Meet, Ben Shaw placed first in Current Issues and Events, and Mariah Couch was third in Poetry. Shaw also won a bronze medal in Social Studies where Daniel Allen placed fifth.

The team will travel to the Caprock Invitation on March 3 and to the District Competition on March 22 at Happy High School.

## CHS students earn nine medals at meet

Seven CHS students earned nine medals or ribbons by placing in the Canadian UIL Invitational meet held on Saturday, February 12.

Senior Stephanie Fowler placed third in news writing and fifth in headlines. Senior Andrea Findley placed third in ready writing. Junior Samantha Myatt placed second in literary criticism. Sophomore Sarah Scrivner placed fourth in news writing. Sophomore Jake Miser placed third in computer applications. Freshman Paul Goetze placed third in persuasive speaking. Freshman Abby Patten placed sixth in computer applications and fifth in informative speaking.

In addition, the literary criticism team of Myatt, Shanna Shelton, and Jamie Simmons placed second.

The practice meets prepare competitors for their district meet March 30-31 at Amarillo College.

## Howardwick Aldermen hold regular meeting

The Howardwick Board of Aldermen met in regular session February 8 in the Howardwick City Hall.

The board considered depository bids presented by the Donley County State Bank and Herring National Bank. Aldermen accepted the Herring Bank bid.

The board also accepted the resignation of Alderman Buster Baird, who, according to City Hall, stepped down for family reasons.



### Career decisions

Trooper Dan Hawthorne presented the seniors at Hedley School with an educational seminar, talking to them about careers with the Department of Public Safety.

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Windbreaks, when properly designed, offer nesting, roosting, loafing, food, and escape cover for a variety of wildlife. To attract wildlife, plantings don't necessarily need to be in windbreaks, but can be placed in draws, arroyos, or other "unused" areas of the property. To be of great value to wildlife, a tree planting should include a variety of trees and shrubs. Evergreens are especially good winter cover; shrubs provide food and dense cover; and deciduous

trees provide nesting sites and some food. Certain trees and shrubs are better than others for wildlife.

Those species beneficial to wildlife that are sold by the Donley County Soil and Water Conservation District are Evergreens, Red Oak, Catalpa Little Walnut, Hackberry, Osage Orange, Honey Locust, Russian Olive, Flaming Sumac, Caragana, Lilac, Bush Honeysuckle, Cotoneaster, Plum, Sumac, Nanking Cherry, and Sand Cherry.

The District also offers wildlife packets that include a variety of trees selected to attract a particular type of wildlife. Each packet includes 100 trees (25 each of four different kinds). They have packets for quail and pheasant, squirrel, turkey, and deer.

For more information or to place your order, contact Mike at the SWCD office, 874-3561, ext. 101. Trees are limited, so order your trees today.

## CC names new ambassadors

Fifteen students have been selected to serve as Student Ambassadors for Clarendon College. An elite group, these outstanding students were chosen among the college's foremost student leaders.

Founded in 1995, the organization was created to ease new students' transition from high school to college and to assist in the recruiting of future students for Clarendon College. Activities of Student Ambassadors traditionally include assisting with on- and off-campus recruiting efforts as well as freshmen orientation, registration and campus tours.

"Our Student Ambassadors are a group of students dedicated to the promotion and awareness of Clarendon College," said Jaylene Watkins, the college's recruiter and public information officer. "They are available to answer academic and student activity questions with first-hand experience."

Watkins added that the students selected as Ambassadors were chosen on the basis of academic merit, extra-curricular involvement, attitude, and personality.



Clarendon College Student Ambassadors for the spring 2005 semester. Pictured left to right, front row: Advisor Sharon Hannon, Christina Jones, Brandi Betts, Amy Wilson, Tonya Lane, Cassi Matejovski, Andrew Hokanson and Leeya Davis; back row: Jeff Connor, Keith Hunt, Brandon Borgstedt, Kevin Green, and Jordan Hicks. Not pictured are Dustin Carnahan, Reed Parker and Andrew Thomas.

CC Student Ambassadors for the spring 2005 semester are Brandi Betts, Clarendon; Brandon Borgstedt, Waller; Dustin Carnahan, Humble; Jeff Conner, Elk City, Okla.; Leeya Davis, Glenrose; Kevin Green, Clarendon; Jordan Hicks, Hereford;

Andrew Hokanson, Dumas; Keith Hunt, Friona; Christina Jones, Childress; Tonya Lane, League City; Cassi Matejovski, Tucson, Ariz.; Reed Parker, Idalia, Colo.; Andrew Thomas, Elk City, Okla.; and Amy Wilson, Childress.

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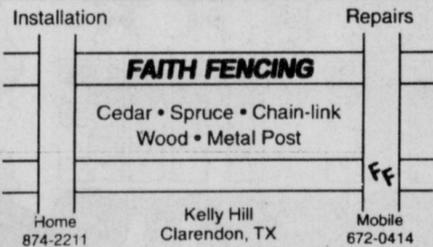
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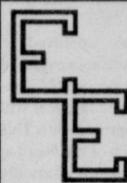


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## Dickey Library plans program honoring Black History Month

The Vera Dial Dickey Library will host a program in recognition of Black History Month at 7 p.m., Tuesday, February 22, at the Bairfield Activity Center on the campus of Clarendon College.

The program, "Education and Life in Ghana, Africa," will be presented by Nell Jones of Clovis New Mexico. Jones is a university English instructor, author, and national and international speaker. In a program sponsored by the New Mexico Teachers Association, she spent 28 days in Ghana, Africa, with a group of English teachers.

Along with her interesting and heartfelt stories about her experience and the people of West Africa, she will also share items such as cloth, a ceremonial drum, money, and arts and crafts.

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## City: Board okays chicken ordinance

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amends the Livestock Ordinance to cover poultry. Master bantam exhibitor Allen Estlack addressed the board and lodged a complaint about the \$20 annual fee the ordinance imposes.

"We will, of course, comply with the ordinance, but I wonder what I'm getting for my \$20," Estlack said, noting that the state inspects his chickens for diseases annually for free.

Alderman Tibbets said the city had to have equal protection for all types of livestock owners, and Estlack said he thinks the ordinance is overkill.

"It was overkill on the horses, too," Tibbets said, "but I don't want to reopen that can of worms."

"The alternative is that no one can have any animals in the city limits," Alderman Knorpp said.

The board approved Ordinance 354.

Aldermen also approved a motion designating that money raised from the three-cent per \$100 valuation tax increase passed last year will be used for street improvements. This had been the intention of the board at the time, but they had never formally voted on the matter.

## Sheriff's Report: Officers respond to illegal burn

### Feb. 7

1:20 a.m. - See complainant on CR A.  
7:20 a.m. - See complainant on US 287 at S. Jefferson.  
10:13 a.m. - Family dispute, possible weapon in the 100 block of N. Sully.  
2:21 p.m. - Gas drive off on US 287 at S. Jefferson.  
3:18 p.m. - Accident in alleyway in the 600 block of W. 3rd St. Power pole struck.  
10:26 p.m. - At Clarendon College to have maintenance meet with deputy.

### Feb. 8

10:17 a.m. - Family disturbance in the 500 block of S. Jackson.  
10:25 p.m. - Transporting female to residence in the 600 block of E. 2nd.  
1:04 p.m. - Vehicle accident in high school parking lot.  
2:07 p.m. - Out at Housing Authority.

### Feb. 10

3:14 a.m. - Disabled vehicle on N. SH 70.  
5:33 a.m. - Vehicle west bound in east bound lane on US 287.  
1:17 p.m. - Out at Annex.  
4:56 p.m. - Suspicious activity in the 800 block of W. 7th St.  
5:31 p.m. - EMS assist in the 100 block of Freedom St., Howardwick.  
6:06 p.m. - See complainant on US 287 at S. Koogle.  
6:29 p.m. - Possible break-in in progress in the 600 block of W. 3rd.  
7:19 p.m. - See complainant in Ashtola.

### Feb. 11

6:48 a.m. - EMS assist in the 400 block of E. White St.  
4:21 p.m. - To jail with one male in custody - county warrant of burglary of habitation.  
4:32 p.m. - Serving legal papers on 5th St.  
5:55 p.m. - See complainant on 5th and Sims - property damage.  
11:45 p.m. - Pursuit of two vehicles on S. CR 12 to S. SH 70.

### Feb. 12

12:24 a.m. - Gas drive off on US 287 at S. Taylor St.  
7:20 a.m. - Traffic control on US 287 at college.  
9:43 p.m. - See resident on Sailfish, Howardwick. Bull snake.

### Feb. 13

5:10 a.m. - Out in the 100 block of N. Sully.  
6:13 a.m. - Illegal burn on Carhart and Montgomery.  
8:40 a.m. - Cable TV wire down between Carhart and Goodnight.  
12:57 p.m. - Reported gun shots on west side of lake.  
4:22 p.m. - See complainant in the 100 block of McClelland.  
7:15 p.m. - See complainant in the 700 block of E. 4th - loud music.

Summary: Arrests - 2 EMS - 8



## Honor students

Clarendon High School inducted nine new members to its chapter of the National Honor Society last Wednesday. They are (top) Caitlin Hall, Haley Shelton, Cody Scrivner, Jeff Calvert, (bottom) Tyler Lewis, Carmen Hamilton, Andra Helms, Anndria Kidd, and Kristen McAfee.

## Team roping to be held

The Clarendon College Rodeo Team will host a jackpot team roping at 2 p.m., Saturday, February 19, at the Livestock Equine Center at Clarendon College. People of all ages are welcome to participate. For more information call 806-205-0151.

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## Academic All-District

Clarendon High School has placed fourteen students on the Academic All District Basketball Team for the 2004-2005 season. Those named on the team were (back) Jessica Hernandez, Grady Swearingen, Samantha Myatt, Kaitlyn Howard, Shelby Watson, Caitlan Hall, (front) Haley Shelton, Destiny Weatheron, Jamie Simmons, Shanna Shelton, and Regan Lemley. Those also named on the team but not pictured are Jessie Anderberg, Angel Williams, and Casey Phillips.

Digital photo courtesy of CHS Yearbook.

## JV teams finish successful season

The Lady Bronco JV had a very successful year and finished with only two district losses. Their last loss came at the hands of the Lady Mustangs 26-44.

Clarendon had trouble getting things rolling against Claude while the Lady Mustangs shot the lights out and executed defensively.

"Offensively, we couldn't get anything started, and defensively we were not able to come up with stops," Coach Kasey Bell said. "Overall we had a great season, and I am really proud of these young ladies."

The Bronco JV ended their district season undefeated, taking the district championship. Their last win came against Claude as they defeated them 37-29. It was a great team

effort from the Broncos as they held a slight advantage at the break and held on to take the six-point win.

"Claude jumped on us early, but these young men responded well and rose to the challenge," Coach Kerry Teafatiller said. "That is why they were able to have the great season they had because they would continue to work and fight through adversity."

Scoring: Stephen Ford 15, Brad Sell 8, Edward Butler 5, Austin Howard 4, Bret Carter 3, and Dalton Askew 2.

"I would like to take this time to thank all of the parents for allowing me to work with these guys; it has been a pleasure," Coach Teafatiller said.

## Locals compete in Cowboy Times Rodeo

Several local youth competed in the Cowboy Times Rodeo at the Barn Church Arena in Hereford February 12-13.

On Saturday, Katie Askew came in third in Barrels in the 15-18 year old division. Kaysea Green came in fourth in the barrels in the 11-14 year old division. Dalton Askew was third in the 11-14 breakaway roping, and he was second in the tie down calf roping. Dale Askew entered the open calf roping and had a good run but

was out of the money.

On Sunday, Kaysea took fourth place, and Katie took second in the Barrels in their age divisions. Dalton took second place in breakaway roping and third in the tie down calf roping.

The Cowboy Times Rodeo Finals are March 12-13. These Clarendon kids are ready to rodeo.

For more information about the rodeo, visit their website at [www.cowboytimesnews.com](http://www.cowboytimesnews.com).

## Your Opinion Matters

The City of Clarendon is conducting a survey of local citizens in preparation for applying for a Texas Parks & Wildlife Department grant to make improvements around City Park and the adjacent ball fields.

The following ideas were discussed in a public forum on December 1, 2004. Circle a ranking for each idea (5 being strongly supporting, and 1 being strongly opposing).

Construct and equip new softball field south of current ball fields.  
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Renovate existing Little League and senior league fields with new fencing, lighting, dugouts, scoreboards, etc.  
STRONGLY OPPOSE 1 2 3 4 5 STRONGLY SUPPORT

Close Jefferson Street between Sixth and Seventh Streets in order to improve safety and expand existing ball fields.  
STRONGLY OPPOSE 1 2 3 4 5 STRONGLY SUPPORT

New playground equipment for City Park.  
STRONGLY OPPOSE 1 2 3 4 5 STRONGLY SUPPORT

Add a Splash Pad or similar aquatic playground equipment to City Park.  
STRONGLY OPPOSE 1 2 3 4 5 STRONGLY SUPPORT

Turn City Park and adjacent ball fields into a "recreation complex" with a walking / nature trail incircling the area and install park benches along the trail.  
STRONGLY OPPOSE 1 2 3 4 5 STRONGLY SUPPORT

Build new concession / restroom facility for ball fields.  
STRONGLY OPPOSE 1 2 3 4 5 STRONGLY SUPPORT

Other ideas: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Please deliver or mail your completed survey to City Hall, PO Box 1089, 119 S. Sully, Clarendon, Texas, by 5 p.m., Friday, February 18, 2005.

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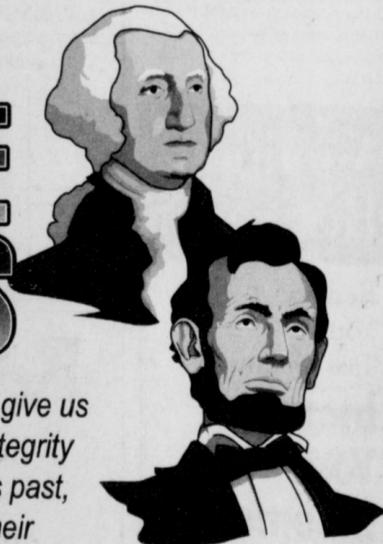
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**Obituaries**

**Reid**

Funeral services for Bill R. Reid, age 77, were held at 2:30 p.m. on Monday, February 14, 2005, in the Lamesa Church of Christ. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Branon Funeral Home.

Mr. Reid died Friday, February 11, 2005, in Lubbock. He was born February 8, 1928, in Clarendon to Lloyd and Ethel Hinkle Reid. He graduated from Goodnight High School in 1945. He graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in animal husbandry. He was active in Student Council, Aggie Club, and Block and Bridle while at Tech.

An Army sergeant in the Korean Conflict, he served in Germany and Fort Louis, Washington, until September 1952. Bill married Alice Joy Barron on September 27, 1952.

A farmer in Dawson County for 52 years, Bill was an active member of the community. He served on the Lamesa school board for nine years. He was recognized with the Dawson County 4-H Spur Award. As an active member of Texas Farm Bureau since 1963, Bill served on the Dawson County board and at the state level for eight years and was state vice president and secretary-treasurer.

He was a member of the Lamesa Cotton Growers and National Cotton Council and the Cotton Council International. In 1997, Bill received the State Farm Pioneer Award for his outstanding leadership.

Survivors include his wife of 52 years; three sons, Spencer and wife Royce of Austin, Cody and his wife Karen of Omaha, Nebraska, and Randy and his wife Anna of Loop; a daughter, Katrina Dorris and her husband Richard of San Angelo; a sister, Nell White of Borger; and six grandchildren: Hayden, Taylor, Ryan, and Duncan Reid all of Austin, Chance Dorris of San Angelo, and Austin Reid of Omaha.

**Roberson**

Pat Roberson died February 13, 2005, at the age of 64.

Services under the direction of Schooler Funeral Home will be held Thursday, February 17, 2005, at Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon with Mr. Keith Covington officiating.

Mr. Roberson was born February 8, 1941 in Jericho. He graduated from Clarendon High School. He worked as a locksmith at numerous prisons in the Texas Panhandle. Mr. Roberson was preceded in death by a son, Todd Roberson, in 1986.

Survivors include a daughter, Lori Baggett of Claude; a sister, Daphne Sullivan of Wheeler; and three grandchildren.

Memorials should be made to a favorite charity.

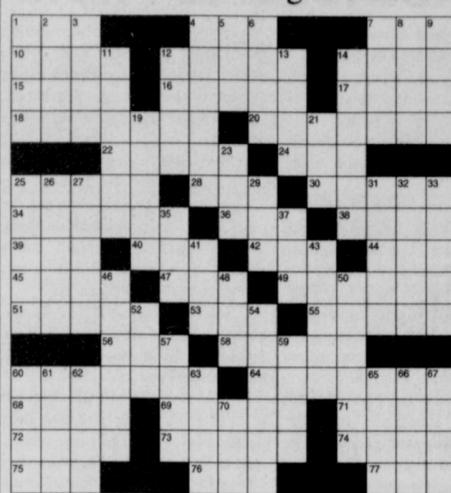


**Heart healthy**

Crystal Crump, a nurse at BSA, visited the first graders in Mrs. Tubbs' first grade class at Clarendon Elementary School. The students have been studying about how to stay healthy. Mrs. Crump discussed ways to keep the heart healthy. She took their resting pulse, then had them do 10 jumping jacks and took it again. The students were able to see how exercise can help the heart. She also brought a "doppler" to class and let the kids hear Jacee Crump's heartbeat.

Digital photo courtesy of Jennifer Tubbs.

**Big E Crossword Puzzle**



**CLUES ACROSS**

- 1. Pataki, for one (abbr.)
- 4. African antelope
- 7. Waterston, TV star
- 10. Capital of Western Samoa

**CLUES DOWN**

- 1. Fishhook
- 2. Opaque gem
- 3. Countenance
- 4. Singer Estefan
- 5. Sister
- 6. Unmake

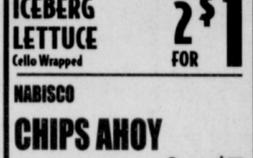
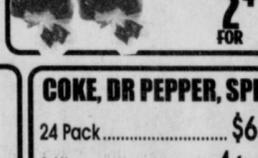
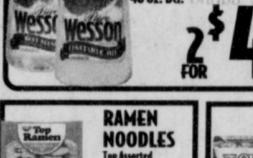
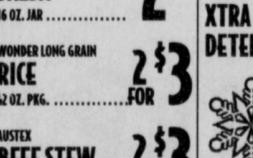
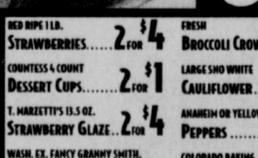
- 28. Comic strip character
- 30. Berried shrub
- 34. Publicly
- 36. Sea eagle
- 38. Grainy
- 39. Thirst quencher
- 40. A person's brother or sister
- 42. Wrath
- 44. Directory (abbr.)
- 45. Goofs
- 47. Pan's partner
- 49. Juno State
- 51. Shiny balloon material
- 53. Cause bodily suffering to
- 55. Pepper plant
- 56. Spy group
- 58. Taste appreciatively
- 60. Type of cover
- 64. Hex
- 68. Healing agent
- 69. Mistake
- 71. Domain
- 72. Food
- 73. Nail filing board
- 74. Make calm
- 75. Fire remains
- 76. Spots
- 77. Imp

**CLUES DOWN**

- 1. Fishhook
- 2. Opaque gem
- 3. Countenance
- 4. Singer Estefan
- 5. Sister
- 6. Unmake

- 7. Adventure story
- 8. Eager
- 9. Meager
- 11. Succeed
- 12. Any of several carangid fishes
- 13. Anagram of gnot
- 14. Performing group
- 19. Ringlets
- 21. Golfer Ernie
- 23. Bullfight cheer
- 25. Emblem
- 26. Impersonation
- 27. Singer Bailey
- 29. Weekday, abbr.
- 31. In the middle of
- 32. Comparable
- 33. Pink
- 35. Shril bark
- 37. Heston's group
- 41. Scarf
- 43. Incite
- 46. Potpourri bag
- 48. Bushes
- 50. In the air
- 52. Las Vegas hotel
- 54. Works hard
- 57. Away from wind
- 59. Precise
- 60. Mia, Broadway hit
- 61. Beers
- 62. Ark builder
- 63. Writer Bombeck
- 65. Factual
- 66. Tiny body part
- 67. Not whole
- 70. Scarlet

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**4-H Club meets**

The February 4-H meeting was held on February 8, 2005, with twelve members and ten adults present. The meeting was called to order by vice president Paul Goetze.

Goetze led the inspiration for the group. Kenzie Perryman led the US Pledge, and Ashlyn Tubbs led the group in the 4-H motto and pledge. Danielle Smith conducted roll call and asked all the members what their favorite candy was. Secretary Ty Tubbs read the minutes from the last meeting.

MaryRuth Bishop talked to the members about the geranium sales that were coming up. District 4-H Consumer Life Skills Adult Leader, Laura Baggerman, came and talked, then demonstrated things about consumer decision making. She then split the club into groups and passed out fake money and worksheets to each group. After everyone was done with their worksheets, we drew for the door prize. The door prize of a box of chocolates was won by Ty Tubbs.

Goetze adjourned the meeting to soda and brownies provided by Dustin Willard and Austin Adams.

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## Broncos top District 2-1A field

By Sandy Anderberg

They are number one in their District and on top of their game, but the Broncos are looking to the future and a shot at continued post-season play.

Their 61-45 win at Claude in their last regular season game gave the Broncos the number one spot in District 2-1A and an opportunity to put themselves in the hunt for a goal they have dreamed about from the beginning of the season.

The Broncos were down early in the game as the Mustangs held an eight-point lead at the end of the first period, but the Broncos fought back to tie the game at 28 all at the break. But the second half belonged to the Broncos as they controlled the tempo and executed their game to get the win.

"After one quarter, things looked fairly dim as we were down 14-6 and in foul trouble," Coach Wade Callaway said. "However, we didn't panic, and we showed some maturity and patience as we clawed back into the game. We held them to only six

points in the third quarter while we scored 14 and secured the game."

According to Callaway, Claude has won this district the last two years and rarely lost at home.

"The guys did a great job to finish off the district season undefeated at 10-0."

Scoring: Ben Smith 18, Michael Randall 18, Steven Ballard 11, Will Betts 4, Ladez Captain 4, Jesse Gowdy 3, and Chase Thornberry 2.

In preparing for their first playoff game, the Broncos traveled to Tulia to take on state-ranked Lorenzo in a practice game. The Broncos lost that game 71-48.

"We played a very good Lorenzo team (#7 in state) and took our lumps," Callaway said. "I felt like we needed some elite competition after a district season where our closest game was nine points. We came out flat, and they shot the ball great."

Callaway used the loss as a learning opportunity for the Broncos in preparation for tougher teams going into the playoffs.

"We talked after the game how

playing great teams is like visiting the doctor," Callaway said. "We don't like going because he might tell us to change some bad habits; but if we don't change, it catches up with you."

"We hate losing; but if you always play teams you can beat, you can get away with bad habits and the other team won't capitalize on them. Tonight some of our bad habits showed up, so we'll learn from this and go back to work Monday."

Scoring: Randall 13, Thornberry 11, Smith 10, Ballard 5, Betts 3, Michael Henderson 3, Captain 2, and Quentin West 1.

The Broncos will play another practice game before beginning their post-season play. The game will be held at 6:00 p.m. Thursday, February 17, at the new Canyon High School gym and will be against Canyon, who is a 3A playoff team.

The Bi-District game will be played at the West Texas Event Center in Canyon February 22 at 6:00 p.m. against the number 14 state-ranked Gruver Greyhounds.

## Owls win district

By Will Verstuyft

The Hedley Owls played the Silverton Owls for their last district game. The Owls came out and knew they had to win to prevent a tie for first.

In the first quarter the Owls shot off and took the lead 20-11. In the second quarter the Owls were outscored but only by one.

At the half the score was 35-27. The Owls kept the lead by 8 in the third. In the fourth Silverton made a comeback and at one time took the lead, but that did not stop the Owls as they outscored Silverton by 5 and won the game 72-62 to become the District Champions.

Scoring for Hedley were: Eric Alston 20, Stephen Howard 14, Will Wallendorff 12, Cole Llewellyn 11, Wes Shields 8, Matthew Glover 5, and Will Verstuyft 2.

The Owls District record is 9-1, and their overall record is 15-12.

## Lady Owls finish district undefeated

By Tangela Copelin

The Hedley Lady Owls finished district play on February 8 against the Silverton Lady Owls undefeated in District Play. The Lady Owls stormed the court ready to finish the season and go on to the playoffs. The girls defeated Silverton 74 to 34.

Scoring were Sarah Bolin 20, Julie Funderburg 15, Ruth Anne Howard 10, Holly Davis and Lori Bugg 9, Katie Gregory, Allison Hill, Jaci Copelin, and Betty Cruz all had 6 points apiece.

## Lady Broncos end season at 18-15

By Sandy Anderberg

The Lady Broncos, with new coach Steve Myatt at the helm, finished their 2004-2005-basketball season at 18-15 and 5-5 in district play.

The last regular season game ended in a loss for the Lady Broncos at the hand of the Claude Lady Mustangs, who were the District Champs at 9-1. Quanah finished second in the district race at 9-1 as well.

The Lady Broncos played hard in their last game despite the 41-51 loss on the road. Claude jumped out and took a nine-point lead in the first quarter of play, and the Lady Broncos just couldn't recover from that deficit. The Lady Broncos outscored their opponent 16-11 in the final period but couldn't close the point spread.

"The girls played hard the entire season," Myatt said. "We graduated six seniors, and we wish them the best, and we are looking forward to what next season has for us as well."

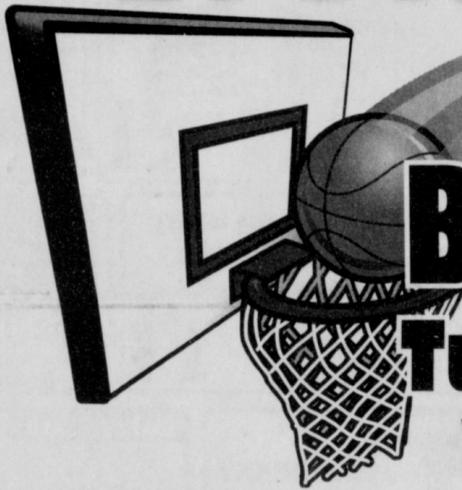
Scoring: Haley Shelton 13, Destiny Weatheron 11, Shanna Shelton 9, Jessie Anderberg 4, Kaitlyn Howard 2, and Regan Lemley 2.

## Enterprise Deadlines

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### 2004-2005 Broncos

10	Ben Smith	So.	34	Michael Randall	Jr.
12	Steven Ballard	So.	42	LaDez Captain	So.
14	Grady Swearingen	Sr.	44	Michael Henderson	Jr.
20	Jesse Rodriguez	Jr.	50	Chase Thornberry	Jr.
22	Jesse Gowdy	Sr.	52	Will Betts	Jr.
24	Quentin West	Jr.	Head Coach: Wade Callaway		
32	T.J. Brown	Fr.	Assistant: Brad Elam		

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The district and its project consultant will conduct a mandatory pre-bid conference/walk-through of the facility on Thursday, February 24, 2005, at 1:30 p.m. Interested Asbestos Abatement Contractors are required to attend this conference so that the project may be clearly defined and any or all questions regarding the actual scope of work may be answered. Any bid received from an asbestos abatement contractor that did not attend the conference will not be accepted. The pre-bid conference will be conducted at the District Administration Building located at 416 South Allen Street. Scope of work specification documentation and further information will be made available at the pre-bid conference. The work to be performed must be completed within a specified time period. Questions regarding the asbestos abatement project should be addressed to the project consultant: Clark DeLavan, IAC, Compliance Sampling Analysis, Inc., 7619 University Avenue, Lubbock, Texas 79423, Phone: 806-748-0040, Fax: 806-748-0030; Cell: 806-786-6061. The Clarendon CISD School District reserves the right to accept or reject any part or section of the bid proposals, waive minor technicalities, and award such bids deemed most advantageous to the District. 8-2tc

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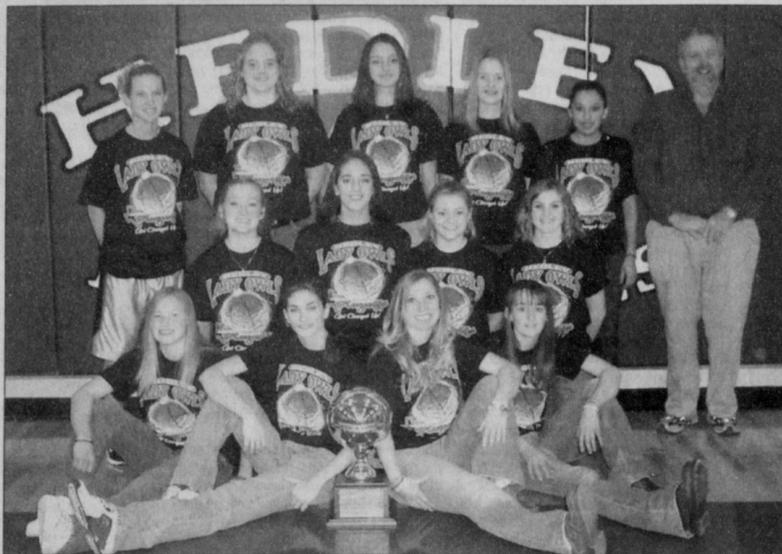
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**GREENBELT - VERY NICE** - and well designed, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, kitchen/den with built-ins, utility, lots of cabinet and pantry storage, central heat and ref. air, 2-car port with double storage rooms, 2 yard storage buildings, nice yard with trees and shrubs, totally enclosed with chain link fence at 321 Walleye for \$49,500.

**GREENBELT - NICE HOUSE BUILT ON SITE** - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen/dining, living, utility, FULLY FURNISHED - INCLUDING KITCHEN, neat, clean, and ready to move in at 251 Memphis Ln., Saints' Roost for only \$20,000.

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# CONGRATULATIONS



## Lady Owls District Champs 2004-2005

2004-05 Lady Owls: (front) Kristen Dwight, Sarah Bolin, Allison Hill, Julie Woodard, (middle) Holly Davis, Lori Bugg, Charle Widener, Jaci Copelin, (back) Julie Funderburg, Katie Gregory, Betty Cruz, Ruth Ann Howard, Carmen Garcia, and Coach Mike Prescott.

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2004-05 Owls: (front) Stephen Howard, Eric Alston, Will Wallendorff, Matthew Glover, Cole Llewellyn, (back) Coach Terry Collins, Justin Kellas, Dustin Thomas, Will Verstuyft, Wes Shields, Brayden Bennett, Andy Alston, and Jonathon Edmonson. Not pictured - Kolby Brandon and Roper Copelin.

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