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The City of Clarendon will hold

zens wishing to serve on any one of

an election to choose two aldermen

and the mayor for two-year terms.

Those positions are currently held by

Aldermen Bobbie Kidd and Michael

also elect a mayor and two aldermen.

Mayor Nancy Davis has announced

that she will not seek reelection due

to her daughter's ongoing battle

with cancer. The terms of Aldermen

Marvin Elam and Bill Barton are

expiring. They are serving out the

terms of Mike Rowland and Dewey

Linley respectively. The mayor and

aldermen each serve two-year terms.

members of the board of aldermen,

three for two-year terms and one for

one year. Seats held by Aldermen

Bruce Howard, Pam Casteel, Tangela

Copelin, and Ricki Baker are all up

this year. Baker is serving the unex-

ISD Board of Trustees are up this

year. Those seats are currently held

by Weldon Sears and Lance Thorn-

positions open this year. The three-

year terms of Anthony Knowles and

District will select three positions on

its board. The two-year terms of Don

Thornberry (Place 1), Alan Fletcher

(Place 2), and Melinda McAnear

(Place 3) are expiring. McAnear is

finishing the term of Andy Wheatly.

Sign up continues through

berry and are three-year terms.

Rhonda Shaw are expiring.

Two positions on the Clarendon

Hedley ISD also has two trustee

The Donley County Hospital

pired term of Terry Stevens.

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- All this and much more as The Enterprise reports in this week's unified edition

District Attorney gives report on '04 activities

District Attorney Stuart Messer prosecuted 350 felony cases involving 294 defendants in 2004, according the DA's annual report released this week.

District Judge David McCoy assessed fines in these cases totaling \$520,254 and ordered court costs of \$101,291. The DA's office also reported that Judge McCoy ordered restitution to be paid to a variety of victims in the amount of \$483,044.

In addition to fines and restitution, 68 people were sent to prison for a total term of imprisonment of

This past year was very busy and successful for law enforcement in the district," Messer said. "Without all the hard work every law enforcement official gives this district, we could not have successfully solved and prosecuted such a large number of cases."

In Donley County, 82 felony cases were resolved in 2004, resulting in the incarceration of 14 criminals for a total of 99 years. Fines and court costs assessed totaled \$130,502; and \$58,094 was ordered to be repaid as restitution to several victims of crimes.

Fund set up at DCSB for Hutson's family

A fund has been established for the family of Jimmy Hutson to help defray the costs of his medical expenses and of his transportation to and from Amarillo for repeated cancer treatments. To make a donation, please contact the Donley County State Bank at 874-3581.

Junior high now taking orders for yearbooks

The Clarendon Junior High is now taking orders for the 2004-2005 annuals. The annuals will feature students in elementary and

The cost is \$19.00 each. Order forms are available at the elementary or junior high office.

Blood drive to be held

The Coffee Memorial Blood Center will have a blood drive at the Clarendon College Bairfield Activity Center from 2 p.m. until 6 p.m., Monday, February 14.

One unit of blood can save up to three lives. Call 358-4563 to schedule your appointment.

CC to offer workplace Spanish this month

"Conversational Spanish in the Workplace" will be offered as a continuing education course through the Clarendon College Pampa Center.

The class will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7 p.m. until 9:50 p.m. beginning February 15 through March 10. Cost for the course is \$80. For more information, call 806-665-8801.

CC dedicates Dickey Library

By Roger Estlack, Clarendon Enterprise the new facility situated west of the dedication.

new Vera Dial Dickey Library.

CC held a formal opening and Dickey Library. dedication of the building February ton called it a dream come true.

Houston told the crowd. "We want to Dickey." help you any way we can."

all gathered at the event which cul- passion for education and who left a as the Texas Collection. minated with a human chain being generous gift to CC after her death. formed from the old library at the west Executors of her estate and several without surprise. During a thank you end of the Administration Building to citizens of Memphis attended the

The transfer from the old facility Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center. The

"We've had lots of compliments College attended as well. 3, and Library Director Jewel Hous- and nice comments," CC President "We want this to be your library," thought it was a fitting tribute to Mrs. of its predecessor. It features ameni-

Also joining the celebration is complete, and all the books are on last 25 books were passed from one was CC President Emeritus Kenneth the shelves of Clarendon College's pair of hands to another to find their Vaughn and former CC President final destination on the shelves of the Jerry Stockton. Representatives from Frank Phillips College and Vernon

At 10,500 square feet, the new Myles Shelton said. "Everyone library is more than twice the size ties such as a computer lab with 45 The \$1.3 million library is computers, three study/reading areas, Students, faculty, administrators, named for the late Vera Dial Dickey, improved office and workspaces, and alumni, and community members a resident of Memphis, who had a special display cases for items such

See 'Library' on page 3.



Thursday's activities were not CC Library Director Jewel Houston addresses the crowd during the dedication of the new Vera Dial Dickey Library.

Fields of Unity

ommunity leaders wanted it. Kids wanted it. Parents wanted it. But no one group could do it

Now through a spirit of cooperation, the dream of making Clarendon's ball fields suitable for use by high school teams and turning them into something people can be proud of is being accomplished with the city, the school, the Little League, and the kids themselves joining forces to turn an idea into a reality.

"We finally got enough people to sit down and talk about it," Clarendon Junior High Principal Marvin Elam said. "We got people... actually making plans and implementing them.

"No one group has the money to do it alone," he said. "This is an instance where the school, Little League, and city have come together, come up with a vision, and are working to achieve it."

That vision was to build an entirely new softball field and substantially renovate McClelland Field by erecting new fences, adding new lighting, and constructing new dugouts.

"The school has had a need to improve the parks for our teams," Clarendon School Superintendent Monty Hysinger said. "We knew since the city and school both own the fields, and the Little League uses them, we needed to work

"We have a lot of booster parents that were very interested in it and were ready to get something done."

Hysinger said the support of the community has been tremendous.





Clarendon Junior High Principal Marvin Elam and contractor Roy Williams (center) position reinforcement bar for the foundations of a dugout at McClelland Field assisted by sophomore Steven Ballard. Left: Gabriel Camacho lays cinderblock for the west dugout at the new softball

"It's been neat to see everyone coming together to get things done. The three organizations realized that things are tight, and we're all trying to pitch in.

"We talked about it and

realized if "It's proof that when you project is everyone pitches work together and share the only talents, anything in the way it could be in we can accomplish community can get done." achieved. anything for our

When you work together you can make your dollar stretch

City Administrator Sean Pate said he would like to think the organizations have set a precedent for others to follow.

community.

"These three organizations have joined and worked together. It goes to show what can happen when you get people together and really want to accomplish something."

Elam thinks the cooperation on this

"If you - Jr. High Principal Marvin Elam

get people working together with a vested interest, anything can be done. I think this project is proof we

can do more than just sit back and expect things to happen. "It's proof that when you work together and share talents, anything in the community can get done," he said. "I hope this will show people we can overcome any problem in town, like the streets."

Elam believes the project will give the kids and community an object of pride and the kids agree.

"I think the new fields are going to give us pride in our teams and town," said high school junior Quentin West, who plays baseball for the Broncos.

Junior softball player Kaitlyn Howard agrees with West and likes the cooperation on the

together and work. It gets me

"I like seeing people come See 'Fields' on page 3.

March 7, 2005; and the election will be held May 7. Reward set up

for '86 murder A new reward has been established in the unsolved 1986 murder of Clarendon woman.

Donley County Sheriff Butch Blackburn's office says that \$5,000 is being offered for information leading to an arrest and conviction in the murder of Margaret Felicia Haar.

On June 28, 1986, Haar, age 24, was found dead at 7:20 p.m. in her residence at 206 E. Fifth. An autopsy conducted that year gave the cause of death as smothering, and the case was ruled a homicide. The sheriff's department has kept the case open.

Haar's mother, Carmen Haar of New Mexico, recently advised the sheriff that the Carole Sund/Carrington Memorial Reward Foundation is posting the reward in an effort to bring somebody forward.

The reward is only for a limited time. Anyone with information about this case is urged to contact Sheriff Blackburn or Chief Deputy Randy Bond at 806/874-3533.

Work on ball fields could lead to park enhancements

By Ashlee Estlack, Clarendon Enterprise

The current work at Clarendon's ball fields is what city officials hope will be just the first step toward improving the entire area around City Park.

The improvements are the beginnings of a master plan for the park and will help the city in the process of obtaining a Texas Parks and Wildlife Department grant to fund the plan.

"The board of aldermen created a park committee to make recommendations to develop and implement a master plan," City Administrator Sean Pate said. "It's in

the planning stages and has to be in place before the July 31 deadline for the grant application."

A survey to be included in the application was sent out through the school and is included in this week's ENTERPRISE.

"We are seeking input from the community on what people would like to see happen. We would like to see what everyone, not just the kids, would like."

Pate said the committee needs the surveys back to City Hall by February 18 so engineers can draw up the master plan, which will be used a guide for what will

likely be an ongoing project.

Pate said the grant could cover things such as new park equipment, restrooms, a concession area, and better lighting.

"It would take areas and help develop them further and fund new equipment like a playground or a splash pad. I would like to see something for everyone from toddlers to

Pate said after the grant application is reviewed, it could take about four or five months to know if it's accepted; and then it may be January before any work will be

Cooperation key to city's betterment

Unity, it appears, is the key to getting things done. If the ongoing work around Clarendon's ballparks is any indication, then all our town really needs to prosper is cooperation. It doesn't take a lot of money to make a big difference; it mainly takes several interested people working in concert toward a common

Thanks to the hard work of many volunteers, the Clarendon Broncos and Lady Broncos will have first rate facilities when their baseball and softball seasons open this spring. The old softball field, which lay virtually editor's abandoned across the street from commentary Hart-Moore Field, is now a clean by roger estlack playing surface. New fencing

surrounds it; and new, attractive cinderblock dugouts have been erected.

No longer will the Lady Broncos have to play on Hart-Moore, which was more appropriate for Little League uses. Now they have a home of their own, and one of which they can be proud.

A similar transformation has occurred cattycornered from the softball field at McClelland Field, where new fencing is going up and new below-grade dugouts are being sunk into the ground.

Community leaders aren't stopping there, however. Still to come is new lighting, and there is talk about expanding the outfield of McClelland.

Clarendon owes a debt of gratitude to men like Little League President Stan Shelton, CHS Coach Brad Elam, CJH Principal Marvin Elam, CISD Superintendent Monty Hysinger, and City Administrator Sean Pate. These fellows and countless others are doing something important for our town. They have not just given local kids new fields to play on. They have shown the potential of what this community can do if it sets its mind to it.

Now granted, it's not the first time that different groups have collaborated on a local project. It has happened in the past, but it just seems like it's been awhile. What's needed is for "working together" to become the norm in Clarendon rather than the exception to the rule.

If this city wants to, there is no reason that it cannot get better, cannot be cleaner, or cannot grow.

This column has said before that life is what you make of it. That's true for your personal life and for the life of your community. If you believe that Clarendon will never be nothing more than a small town getting smaller with less and less businesses and fewer and fewer opportunities, then that is what you will get. But if we were to agree that our city could be more than that, that it could grow, that it could be revitalized, and we were willing to all work to make that happen, then it can.

Certainly it isn't as easy as it sounds. There is hard work to be done, but getting in the right mindset - getting a "can do" attitude - is the first step.

Let's take a look at a couple of examples of where our community needs cooperation.

For going on three months now, the city has been trying to gather input for a master plan to improve City Park. In its first attempt to collect surveys to support a grant application, City Hall received only about 18 completed surveys - many of them negative.

Now they're trying again to ask people's opinion about what to do. Citizens have until February 18 to fill out the survey form found in the ENTERPRISE and get it back to City Hall. I urge you readers to clip that survey out, put your opinions on paper, and show your support for getting something positive done. If you're against the choices on the form, that is fine. But have some constructive ideas about what should be done

Another area where we need cooperation is on street improvements. (You knew I was going there.) Hopefully, most of us can at least agree that most of our streets are in pretty bad shape. In fact, in some places, "pretty bad" would be an improvement. If we are to ever grow and better ourselves as a community and if we want to be prosperous, then we're going to have to make some progress on this issue.

As I write this Tuesday evening, the Board of Aldermen is preparing to meet to discuss this very issue. You'll have to wait until next week to find out how things went, but it will be interesting to see how

many concerned citizens are at the meeting. This, right now, is the time to get involved.

For better or worse, we elected the men and woman on the Board of Aldermen. We have entrusted them with the responsibility of leading our city. It is their duty to listen to the concerns of the citizens, but it also their duty to ultimately make the decisions that at least influence - if not outright determine - our

Hopefully, they will soon choose a course of action to improve our streets. If we as residents and businesses rally behind them, then in a short time we could be driving on Easy Street - or at least on smooth

At the ballparks, we have the example of what Clarendon can be. We need now only to follow that

Together Clarendon can do anything it sets out to do. It can chart its own course and determine its own destiny. But a divided Clarendon will not grow, and its fate will be something that happens to it rather than something it chooses.

Each morning brings dawn of knowledge

three minutes of semi-consciousness.

In the first three minutes, the brain is still shaking off the crust of sleep. For three minutes my life is a blank sheet of paper. I don't know my name. I don't know the date. I don't even know where I am.

went to sleep, but every morning it seems entirely unfamiliar. It's like being born all over again every morning. Everything is a revelation.

I turn over in bed. I live in a dorm. I my bed. Yeah, I remember those people.

crime scene investigator, I let it tell me the story. It says I ate at McDonald's yesterday and apparently I colored my hair.

remember McDonald's. Then it occurs to me that I went two weeks ago and I haven't schedule. Boom! Work rotation. Bang! taken out the trash yet. Okay. I remember

the alarm and sit up. It appears someone has left a strange message on my wall.

Epiphany! It's in English. "Go to know how to read. What the heck is a reg-

It's 9:20. What day is it? If I wake up at 9:20, it must is 8:20, Wednesday is 10:20. Today is Tuesday. Unless it's Thursday.

be Tuesday. Monday

I rub my eyes, which I vaguely recall being green. I stand up and stretch my arms. It occurs to me that I am five-foot-four, allergic to peanut butter, and wearing my shirt inside out. Pretty sure I put it on like that.

room. Tuesday. What do I do on Tuesday? This is my favorite part.

Here comes the rapid fire revelation. In a matter of milliseconds, it comes to me, one right after another. Flash! Class Rehearsal calendar. Crash! Life goals and degree plan.

registrar note.

right? I don't know. Yeah, it's definitely

West Virginia. W=VA. Wattage equals Voltage times Amperage. Six times 25 equals... I hate math.

Ben Franklin. Ben Franklin "discovered" electricity. He also developed the fire department, bifocal glasses, Daylight Savings Time, the bulk of American wit, and quite a few illegitimate children, if I recall

I get in the shower and turn the knobs. "I left it on. I better turn that right off." I developed this little sentence to remind me how to turn the water on and off without scalding myself. Now, every morning, without fail, I say that. If not out loud, I at least think it.

"I left the water on." I squirt some shampoo in my hand. What color is my hair? I feel blonde, but I know that I haven't been blonde in a month or more.

As I shampoo, I scrub away the last of the brain crust. I know all. I have knowledge of music and literature, history and ecology, pop culture and philosophy, Neitzche and Ashlee Simpson.

In less than three minutes, I have had a full-fledged Transcendental experience just by waking up and washing my hair. Thoreau would have shaken my hand. "Better turn that right off."

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My favorite part of the day is the first

I always wake up in the same place I

remember that. I keep pictures of family by I note the trash on my floor. Like a

I remember the hair, but I don't

I know who and where I am. I turn off

registrar's office." And I know how to read! I don't know if you really grasp the excitement in realizing for the first time that you



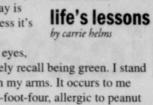












I get up and walk towards my bath-

I have a degree plan? Oh, that's the

I turn on my lamp. It's as if the light has been turned on in my head. Electricity. The lamp has six 25-watt bulbs. The standard household outlet is 120 volts. Is that



Iraqi elections are hope for democracy

There is little that people living in Iraq have not seen in the 5,500 years that have elapsed since the world's first literate society, Sumeria, arose on the banks of the Tigris and Euphrates rivers. But recently, the long-suffering people of this nation experienced something new - they voted in free elections.

"Now I feel that Saddam is really gone," Fatima Ibrahim told MSNBC after casting her ballot in Irbil, in the Kurdish northern region. She was a young bride of 14 and only married three months when her husband, father, and brother were rounded up by Saddam Hussein's police and have never been seen again.

This woman and millions of her fellow Iraqis refused to be intimidated by terrorist threats and went to the polls. In an election widely hailed as fair and free, over 60 percent of the Iraqi people turned out. Even Sunni Iraqis ignored calls by their religious leaders to boycott the election and voted in higher than expected numbers. The election is for 13 provincial councils and the new 275-seat National Assembly, which will draft a new constitution.

Neighboring Jordan watched the elections with great interest. King Abdullah II offered congratulations and said the successful election proved the Iraqi people are "stronger than the extremist groups trying to destabilize Iraq."

As President Bush noted in his stirring inaugural speech, "The survival of liberty in our land increasingly depends on the success of liberty in other lands. The best hope for peace in our world is the expansion of freedom in the world."

Unfortunately, while the Iraqi people have begun their pursuit of democracy, they still face thugs who desperately want to deny this new nation freedom. Jihadists allied to Al Qaeda and remnants of the brutal regime of Saddam Hussein are trying to regain power.

We should not let the horror of these tactics obscure an important point: the terrorists fear what an Iraqi democracy would mean for their cause. The Jihadists and Baathists fear history will sweep them aside, and they are doing all they can to block the spread of freedom.

Abu Musab Al Zarqawi, the Jordanian who has publicly declared allegiance to

Osama Bin Laden, and is considered the architect of attacks on U.S. and Iraqi forces, has said as much. "We have declared a fierce war on this evil principle of democracy and those who follow

comment this wrong ideology. Anyone who tries to help set up this system

is part of it." Further, Osama Bin Laden himself, in a recent Al-Jazeera-distributed tape, urged Iraqis not to participate in the election.

The important thing to keep in mind is that the Iraqi people demonstrated in impressive numbers that, however difficult the path may be, this election was a key step toward complete self-rule and the establishment of a democratic system of

We should remember our own past, when, after the conclusion of the Revolutionary War, our nation was torn by, first, Shays' Rebellion and, later, the Whiskey Rebellion. These challenges to the new republic led some to doubt the survival of the American experiment.

The path has occasionally been rocky since then. Women marched, suffered ridicule, and were sometimes jailed as they sought the right to vote in the early part

of the 20th Century. Only 40 years ago, African American leaders risked their lives to secure the same liberties others already enjoyed during the struggle for civil rights.

While our progress has been difficult at times, our democratic republic has not only survived; it has prospered. Today we are a beacon of hope and freedom for the world, proving that democracy is not achieved overnight. Although it sometime seems fractious and divisive, it still provides the best form of government man has yet devised.

We must bear those lessons in mind as we support the democratic process in Iraq. It may not be perfect, but it is an important step in the right direction. Recently, our nation saw a touching demonstration of the Iraqis' appreciation of our sacrifices during President George W. Bush's State of the Union Address. Safia Taleb al-Suhail, leader of the Iraqi Women's Political Council, hugged and comforted Janet Norwood of Pflugerville, Texas, whose son was killed in Iraq while serving with the

By seeing this struggle through, we will deliver a devastating blow to the terrorists and a resounding victory for freedom. I want our friends in Iraq who value liberty to know that we Texans do not abandon our friends when things get difficult. Our country must remain a reliable friend of freedom.



Fields: Community leaders praise cooperation Continued from page one.

excited about softball. It's not only beneficial to just us, but to the whole community. It's nice that the community is taking an interest in the youth."

While the school has put up some money towards the project, much of the improvements have been made with donated materials and volunteer labor.

As work is nearing completion on McClelland Field and a new softball field is arising out of a formerly weed-covered lot south of Hart-Moore Field, Hysinger is pleased with the progress that is being made.

"I think that when we're through, both fields will look tremendously better," he said. "We're getting some really nice fields that cost less than they could have without help."

Hysinger said he encourages people to drive by and see the work that is being done.

"Get out and help if you would like," he said. "We want to do this right where everyone will be proud of it, and we want these improvements to be nice in order to enhance the park area and add to future improvements."

Elam says this project is a good investment into the community.

"We're trying to make it something the kids and the community can be proud of. Whether people like it or don't, this has proven there's enough talent in Clarendon; and when you work together, you can get a lot done."

Pate says for anything in a com-

munity to be truly successful the community should get involved.

"It all comes down to people taking pride in their community and unifying to make a change for the better

"If we work together, we can accomplish things like better streets, nicer community areas, and a lot more. A lot of people will say things need be done, but we need to come together and get it done."

Pate also said the community needs to be willing to donate time and support one another.

"Now is a time to be unified. The most detrimental thing in a community is to not unify. It's up to us to better ourselves and make a change for the better."

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Library: Knorpps issue \$10k challenge

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to those who have donated to the can't stop now." college, CC Foundation Chairman

"Clarendon College is Donley pledged to the challenge. County's best asset," Knorpp said.

Knorpp said every donation Walt Knorpp unveiled a new "Meet received by the Foundation in 2005 the Challenge" campaign, in which that is earmarked as "Meet the Chalhe and his wife, Alderman Janice lenge" will be matched up to the Knorpp, have agreed to put up a \$10,000 goal. The money is not being maximum of \$10,000 to match other designated for any special purpose. More than \$1,000 has already been

To find out more about the "Meet "So many goals have been accom- the Challenge" campaign, contact the plished in the last three years, but we college at 874-3571.

Child Welfare Board to host CASA meeting

Board and Child Protective Services CPS; Jamie and Chris Ward, foster will host an informational meeting parents in Donley County; and a rep-February 17 on how to be a CASA resentative from the Pampa: CASA volunteer.

Texas CASA advocates for

County Courthouse from 7:00-8:00 attend this meeting.

STRONGLY OPPOSE 1 2

The Donley County Welfare p.m. Speakers will be Lynn Schiffler, of the High Plains, Inc.

The goal is to ensure that every abused and neglected children in the child in Donley County who needs court system through the develop- a CASA representative has the help ment, growth and support of local they need. If you would like to be a hero in the lives of children who are The meeting will be at the Donley desperately in need of help, please

5 STRONGLY SUPPORT

Your Opinion Matters

I 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.

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.

and install park benches along the trail.

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Add a Splash Pad or similar aquatic playground equipment to City Park.

STRONGLY OPPOSE 1

Turn City Park and adjacent ball fields into a "recreation complex" with a walking / nature trail incircling the area

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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February 14

February 17

Bulldogs v. NMMI . Bulldog Gym . 8

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.

Texas Independence Day

March 7 - 11

Clarendon ISD Spring Break

March 17 St. Patrick's Day March 27

Community Menus

February 14-18 Clarendon Schools

Mon: No School Tues: Rice, toast, fruit, milk Wed: Pancakes, juice, milk Thur: Eggs, toast, fruit, milk Fri: Cinnamon roll, fruit, milk Lunch

Mon: No School Tues: Corn dogs, macaroni and cheese, black-eyed peas, grapes,

Wed: Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, spice cake, rolls, milk

Thur: Fish sticks, French fries, hushpuppies, coleslaw, oranges, milk Fri: Ham and cheese sandwich, potato chips, pickles, lettuce, carrot sticks, banana, milk

Hedley Schools

Breakfast Mon: Biscuit with sausage gravy, butter and jelly, cereal, juice, milk Tues: Cinnamon toast, dry cereal, egg rolls, fruit juice, milk

Wed: Biscuit and gravy, sausage patties, butter and jelly, cereal, juice, milk

Thur: Biscuit and gravy, sausage patties, butter and jelly, cereal, juice, milk

Fri: No School Lunch Mon: Chicken fried steak, green

beans, potatoes and gravy, salad, fruit, rolls, milk Tues: Baked ham or chicken, broccoli and rice, baked beans, rolls,

salad, fruit, milk Wed: Spaghetti and meat sauce, corn, tossed salad, sliced peaches,

rolls, milk Thur: Grilled cheese, vegetable or

chicken soup, tossed salad, applesauce, fruit juice, milk Fri: No School

Donley County Senior Citizens Mon: Oven fried chicken, creamed potatoes with gravy, asparagus, strawberries and bananas, chocolate chip bread pudding, biscuits, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Tues: Mexican pile on, beans, rice, tossed salad. Jell-O with fruit. coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Wed: Chicken strips, potato soup, vegetable medley, pears, Neiman Marcus cake, biscuits, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Thur: Beef stew, fried okra, stewed apricots, vanilla pudding, cornbread, coffee, tea, lowfat milk Fri: Turkey and dressing, yam patties, fruit salad, pumpkin pie, roll, coffee, tea, lowfat milk

Hedley Senior Citizens

Mon: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, pear and cottage cheese, cake, roll, milk,

Tues: Mexican pile on, Spanish rice, refried beans, lettuce, tomato, onions, sliced peaches, chips or crackers, milk, tea, coffee

Wed: Steak and gravy, mashed potatoes, English peas, orange, pudding, roll, milk, tea, coffee Thur: Meatloaf, macaroni and toma-

toes, black-eyed peas, carrot and raisin salad, cobbler, roll, milk, tea,

Fri; Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, greens beans, corn, fruit alad, cookies, roll, milk, tea, coffee

McKinley serves up food for Les Beaux Arts

ens that brings on sleep.) So because computer lab. of that quick departure, I forgot to write the column Monday. Then town earlier than I usually do and forgot it again. I forgot that I hadn't written it yet, and I completely forgot that it had to be written.

So here I am writing the column for this week. Last week, Clarendon College

No, there wasn't a column from a big spread elsewhere in the paper, the me in last week's paper. I forgot, but he's (mostly) a "Just the Facts" The last books okay? I was going to write it Monday kind of guy. I thought I'd give you to be shelved afternoon, and the boy remembered the feel of the event. Seemed like in the brand an appointment in Amarillo and practically everybody in town was new wanted me to drive, so he could read there. The library space under the Dial his book for English. (I'm not sure big atrium was crowded, and quite a Library were how much he got read - some, but I few folks were watching the dedica- such guess there's something about Dick-tion through the windows from the ing tomes as

(and they were short and very sweet), Pests. Now the college gets to decide Tuesday, I wound up having to leave everyone lined up to pass the last of what to do with the old space. the books from the old library space into the new space. I thought we'd for lunch with the Dehyles' daughhave to stretch out with our finger- ter giving her now annual cooking tips barely touching, but the line was lesson. We had a wonderful cheese indeed shoulder-to-shoulder. They'd dip and wonderful posole stew and the space outside along the Adminis- (Do you get the idea that Becky quartets, or larger ensembles. Conofficially opened its brand, spanking tration Building, and all the "special McKinley is a good cook?) and abso- gratulations, guys, and keep practicnew library. I know Roger will have guests" didn't have to go outside into lutely fabulous mini chocolate cakes ing. You do have to play again.

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Les Beaux Arts Club met Friday

with real whipped cream. Everyone always loves it when Becky comes heart health to cook for us- er... teach us how to cook.

Pathfinders Club is meeting this anniversary celebration. I mention this, because yours truly is doing the program, on "Finding Romance on the Bookshelves." It should be lots

Clarendon High School is sending a big bunch of students off to the State Solo and Ensemble Competition again this year. I may be mistaken, but I think Robert Shelton with his baritone horn is the only solo heading to state, and another 20 or 30 recruited enough students to fill up wonderful pulled pork sandwiches are going with one or more trios,

Bishop to speak to seniors about

By Marlee Sharp

MaryRuth Bishop will be here coming Friday afternoon for their on Friday, February 11, to talk to us about heart health and our diets. The last time she came, she brought some delicious soup for all to enjoy. We look forward to her informative discussions.

> This Sunday, Rose Lee Watson will be here for the Inspirational Singing. Anyone who would like to join in is welcome to come and sing. The singing will start at 2:00 p.m.

> We are raffling off a Home Interior mirror that has been donated by Sue Leeper. The mirror is on display in the dining room here at the Center. The tickets are a dollar each or six tickets for \$5.00. The raffle will be on Friday, February 25, at noon.

> Those with birthdays for the week of February 6-13 are Bob Harbour, Nell Burrow, Patty Lemons, Betty N. White, Betty Tolbert, Roy Chauveaux, Troy Skinner, Duane Nichols, and Bailey Estes.

> Our get well wishes go to Elvis White, Tillie Anglin, and Zander Mays.

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

Wynn-Archuleta will wed in March

Kevin and Patricia Wynn of Follett are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy Hope Wynn of Euless, Texas, to Jason Daniel Archuleta of Fort Worth. Jason is the son of Patricia Archuleta of Clarendon and the late Daniel "Archie" Archuleta.

The couple will exchange vows on March 5, 2005, at the Kinas Wood United Methodist Church in Amarillo.

Amy graduated from Follett High School in 1998. She attended West Texas A&M University and graduated with a BA in Psychology. She also attended Ogle School of Hair Design and is currently working as a designer at Mouton's of Bedford.

Jason graduated from Clarendon High School in 1998. He attended Texas Tech University and Clarendon College pursuing a Music and Family Studies degree. He is currently working with Life Outreach International

Degrees were officially conferred on 454 West Texas A&M University who earned a BBA in Marketing, and

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Maya Angelou's books, Wouldn't from various Take Nothing For My Journey and Phenomenal Women, remain popular. Various other Angelou selections are available. Many of her lifetime memories and recipes are presented in Hallelujah, The Welcome Table. Her fans will be glad to know of her intriguing. poetry collection on audiotape and Down in the Delta on video.

Erma Calderon, co-authoring Erma...A Black Woman Remembers 1912-1980, with Leonard Ray Steel, reveals memories of the way it was.

To Be A Slave by Julius Lester is a collection of authentic slave narratives. It vividly describes how it felt "to be owned by another person as a car, house, or table is owned. To live sold..." This Newbery Award book mouths of old people who lived the horrible experience of being enslaved and young readers are obtainable. in America."

In Amos Fortune, Free Man, writer Elizabeth Yates inspiringly Julius Erving, Bo Jackson, Carl relates Amos Fortune's life, abduc- Lewis, Shaquille O'Neal, and others. tion by slave traders at age 15, and finally bought his freedom at age 60.

America's future prompted Marian Wright Edelman, first black woman admitted to the Mississippi Bar and one of the founders of the Children's Defense Fund, to write The Measure of Success, A Letter To My Children and Yours. High school students right at our fingertips! Why not check and adults will find this book quick it out?



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poets accompanied by unique artwork of Javaka Steptoe. This tribute to black fathers "delivers a profound message that family is a precious gift." Elementary and junior high students will find this book especially Writings of Martin Luther King,

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Thurgood Marshall, first African American appointed to Supreme Court in 1967, Generals Benjamin Davis and Colin Powell, scientist George Washington Carver, Civil War antislavery leader Frederick Douglass, are available with other well-known African Americans.

Bill Cosby's books, Childhood, Fatherhood, and Love and Marriage, as a piece of property that could be demonstrate warmth, integrity, and humor that has endured Cosby to relates "powerful words coming from American hearts. Numerous other Cosby selections to delight adults

Various biographies present exciting moments of sports figures

cerning African Americans in sci-Her concerns for children and ence, education, invention, religion, politics, business, industry, writers, artists, and those who significantly contributed to military and Old West settlement are available for reading pleasure.

What a wealth of information



Sarah Kidd and Jeff Hatley

Kidd-Hatley to be wed in March

Bobbie and Missy Kidd of Clarendon and Billy Jo Barbee and Additional information con- Clarendon are proud to announce the the late Junior Barbee of Memphis. engagement of their daughter, Sarah Kidd, of Clarendon to Jeff Hatley of on March 7, 2005, at the Lakefront WT confers degrees Clarendon. Jeff is the son of Kirby and Melissa Hatley of Clarendon.

Sarah is the granddaughter of Bob and Joan Kidd of Clarendon, High School and attends Amarillo Ralph and Dorothy Grady and the College, where she is pursuing a

late Jo Ann Grady of Clarendon. Jeff is the grandson of J.W.

The couple will exchange vows

Wedding Chapel in Lake Tahoe, California.

Sarah is a graduate of Clarendon nursing degree. Jeff is a graduate of Clarendon High School and is a Hatley and the late Louise Hatley of farmer in the Hall County area.

students during commencement exercises December 10. Local graduates included Zachary Butts of Clarendon, Ashley Hill of Hedley, who earned a BA English.

Spring appears around Howardwick

Signs of spring are popping up. The nice rain we had - about an inch Adam Daniel total - has the daffodils poking their Selfridge, who heads up, and they will be blooming is in the US soon if the rabbits don't get them Army and has

Pansies have bloomed all winter, from Iraq. He and we now have purple crocus was welcomed blooming on the south side of the house. We transplanted them from my mom's yard several years ago, so they always bring back memories.

spring, and we are all hoping for a Selfridge, who lives in Amarillo. light storm season. It's time to clean He will be stationed at Ft. Lewis, out the storm shelter though just in Washington, near Seattle. He is an case we have an early storm.

Bill and Mary Selfridge had a wonderful weekend. They had a

just returned home by his wife, Liz, and two-year-old



daughter, I think everyone is ready for Allison, along with his father, Bret MP. This was his second tour in Iraq, and we are so glad he is back in the States. Welcome home, Adam.

ing involved in city government, the time to file is now. Go by City Hall and sign up for one of the positions that will be available. You could be the newest member to govern our community.

Darlene Usleton, daughter of Charles and Nancy Davis, needs our prayers again. She is having the first of two lung surgeries Tuesday and is facing a long recovery period. Please put her on your prayer list and also pray for Nancy and Charles to give them strength for the job ahead.

Upcoming meetings include the fire department on Thursday at 7 p.m. and the Hot Shots on Tuesday at 7 p.m. Best of all is Valentine's Day Monday. Don't forget to get your

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ALT has assembled a phenome-Based on a 19th century melo- nal cast consisting entirely of experidrama, "Sweeney Todd" tells the enced performers for this production. Amarillo Little Theatre Box Office at infamous tale of the unjustly exiled The cast includes McMenamy as 2019 Civic Circle or by calling (806) barber who returns to London seek- Sweeney Todd and Emily Starnes as 355-9991

Also featured are David Burton, Beau Rice, Charles Starnes, Heidi Stricker, Shawn Walsh, and Michael Westmoreland.

Tickets are available at the

2004 busy year for members of Clarendon Fire Department

By Buddy Howard, Training Captain

activities, and upkeep of fire equip-

received a total of 521 training hours could come and see the fire station in 2004 with firefighters attending classes not only "in house" but at training schools offered by Lubbock Fire Department, Texas A&M Scouts and Girl Scouts during 2004. University, Floydada Fire Department, Canyon Fire Department, and Mineral Wells Fire Depart- tion of a new quick-attack/brass fire ment. Department training person- truck - the Ford 13/4 ton was funded nel hope to almost double training largely by a grant from the Texas Forhours this year to help firefighters estry Service - and a pumper truck attain basic certification through the State Firemen's and Fire Marshal's Association. Last spring, firefighters hosted two EMS classes for patient handling/extrication training day. EMS and fire personnel worked together to solve problems such as deaths in the United States are attribremoving patients from confined uted to cardiac arrest. New guideareas in homes and wrecked auto- lines set forth by the National Fire

one member certify as an Emergency fitness programs are priorities for Care Attendant (ECA), one certify as an Emergency Medical Technician-Basic (EMT-B), and two firefight- Clarendon Fire Department is not ers advance to Emergency Medical Technician-Intermediate (EMT-I) through the Associated Ambulance Authority. This cross training makes the emergency services of Donley County a more efficient and capable

During Fire Prevention Week (in October), firefighters visited Clarendon Elementary School students from Head Start to third grade. In our presentation to the children, member.

4:29 a.m. - Business Alarm. 100 block

1:50 p.m. - Out at Bairfield Center,

4:28 p.m. - See complainant. 300 block

8:19 p.m. - Check reported possible

9:07 p.m. - To jail with one male in custody. Public Intoxication and county

1:53 a.m. - Assist motorist Hwy. Hwy.

5:02 p.m. - 860 block E. 3rd. Serving

2:52 p.m. - Assist constable 3rd and

Officers make arrests on warrants

9:00 p.m. - See complainant. 400 block 7:27 p.m. - Assist Colingsworth Co.

11:34 p.m. - Welfare check. Location 9:57 p.m. - To jail with one female in

4:07 p.m. - EMS assist. 200 block S. 12:24 a.m. - Out at CC dorm.

Sheriff's Report:

Circle Drive.

Koogle.

1:31 p.m. - At clerk's office.

Clarendon College.

E. Rosenfield.

287 and S. Hawley.

2:37 p.m. - Serving papers.

4:43 p.m. - Clerk's office.

papers.

not noted.

Feb. 1

we discussed the dangers of fire, The Clarendon Volunteer Fire who to call in case of emergency, and Department had a busy year in 2004. what to do in the event of a house fire. Along with 110 fire and wreck calls, In a new program the department disthe 34-member department was tributed over 50 smoke detectors to active in training, public education students who did not have detectors at home. The department also hosted an Open House in association with department members Fire Prevention Week, where kids and enjoy refreshments and fire truck rides. Some members gave tours of the firehouse and fire trucks to Cub

Fire personnel will be better able to respond to calls thanks to the addipreviously owned by the Oklahoma City Fire Department. These trucks as well as the others in the department's inventory have been set-up and maintained by the members.

It's a fact that most firefighter Protection Academy recommend The fire department also had medical evaluations, and physical departments.

As a volunteer organization, the required to follow these suggestions. However, for the benefit of the members, the department is looking into having exercise equipment available for a physical fitness program.

If you have an exercise bike, a treadmill, etc., and are willing to donate it to the department which will be a tax deductible donation, please call Roy Bertrand at 874-2846 or contact any fire department

12:20 a.m. - Fight in progress. Hwy. 287

12:21 a.m. - Out at baseball field with

12:32 a.m. - Second location. CC

12:45 a.m. - Follow up with complaint. Hwy. 287 at S. Koogle.

Dep. Hwy. 287, east city limit.

12:51 a.m. - EMS assist. 900 block S.

4:02 a.m. - To jail with one female in

6:58 p.m. - EMS assist. Hwy. 287 at S.

8:05 p.m. - Loose livestock. 4-5 miles

custody. Out of county warrant.

10:36 a.m. - Vehicle accident. Hwy. 287

1:13 p.m. - EMS assist. 300 block Grou-

Summary

Arrests - 3

EMS-10 Fire-1

6:52 p.m. - High school av

Jefferson.

custody. DUI.

south on FM 1260.

east of Hedley.

per St. Howardwick.

Jefferson.

subject possibly involved in alterca-

at S. Koogle,



Sixteen CHS students who maintained an "A" average for the past nine weeks were treated to a luncheon hosted by The Donley County State Bank at the Clarendon Country Club on Thursday. Wade Porter, Executive Vice-president at Amarillo National Bank and a 1979 Clarendon graduate, was the guest speaker.

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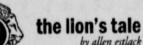
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Adamson. Hedley. Family dispute. 5:57 p.m. - Follow up to CPS report. Location not noted. 10:34 p.m. - To jail with one male in custody. Local warrant.

Feb. 3



The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting with Boss Lion Monty Hysinger in charge. We had 16 members and no

The public school is winding up district play in basketball with the boys winning the district. They will have two warm up games, one against Lorenzo at Tulia Thursday and then Canyon at Canyon on Saturday night.

The college women lost to Frank Phillips Monday night by one point, and they are in the top group in the conference. The men have had two losses so far in conference.

The baseball fields are looking great and thanks go to many volunteers who have been working long

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

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Shows in Ft. Worth

Hedley FFA member Austin Adams exhibited the Black OPB Breed Champion in the Junior Barrow Show at the 2005 Scuthwest Exposition and Livestock Show on February 3. Shown here are Andrew Snyder, Austin Adams, and Lon Adams. Austin is the son of Lon and Nicki Adams of Hedley.

CC Regents hold regular monthly meeting

The Clarendon College Board January 20 in the VIP Room of the Bairfield Activity Center.

Roger Estlack addressed the board concerning the site for the approved a request to allow the Center if Clarendon is chosen as the toward a settlement. convention site.

visit by the Southern Association tions of financial aid director Toni of Colleges & Schools (SACS). A Bryant and assistant volleyball coach compliance report is due March 15 and will be audited in May, a quality enhancement plan is due in August, told that the latest nursing class and an on-site visit will be held the achieved a 94.4 percent pass rate on last week in October.

The board also discussed having of Regents met in regular session a called joint meeting with the board of the CC Pampa Center Foundation in Pampa following the regular board meeting on February 17.

An update was given regarding 2006 summer convention of the West the ongoing lawsuit with Reynosa Texas Press Association. Regents Construction, which oversaw the construction of Regents Hall. WTPA to host its hospitality room Motions have been heard in district and banquet at the Bairfield Activity court, but no progress has been made

The board hired Jonea Rima to The board received an update be the new volleyball coach and PE the upcoming re-accreditation instructor and accepted the resigna-Justin Maness.

In other reports, the board was the state exam.



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4-H Spotlight

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Dwight

and judging photography. "My favorite 4-H projects are livestock judging and photography. I like them because I love animals and taking pictures. They are both really

enjoyable." Kristen's hobbies and interests include horses, and playing paintball and basketball. Some of her family activities include playing games, watching movies, hiking and camping. Her community activities are her church youth group, and she's a Panhandle Stars Therapeutic Riding

Kristen is active at Hedley High School. She participates in basketball, tennis, UIL Science and had an FFA Animal Swine project.

The 4-H club members enjoy having Kristen in their club. We hope that she will continue to be successful and come to the 4-H meetings to participate in all the 4-H projects that we have to offer.

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

Hedley aldermen vote to sell property

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The Hedley Board of Aldermen met in regular session February 3 at

Bids for the sale of the south half of lot 10 and all of lots 11 and 12 in block 18 in Hedley were opened and read. The board approved a motion to accept the bid of Ronnie D. Huffman in the amount of \$3,100.

Aldermen also approved a motion to order an election be held on May 7, 2005, for the purpose of election four members to the board.

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JV Lady Broncos win title at Valley Tournament

nated the Valley Tournament several from Lubbock and they stole a domiteam 49-39 in the first round and bested the Lubbock Warriors 50-37 opponent to get the win. in the championship round.

as they led by nine points at the Carter 5, and White 2. break. They opened up their lead in the third period of play before stop- two big wins over the week at ping Valley's comeback attempt.

points," Coach Kasey Bell said. "We a 34-18 win. had a let down in the fourth letting played a good game and we were and Erin Holland 2. able to hold on for the win."

Anndria Kidd 2.

The eighth grade Colts were up

won 46-36. Scoring were Danzel

ment championship. Scoring were

in the district tournament.

Gribble 3, and Zack Rattan 2.

and Jesus Hernandez 2.

The Lady Bronco JV has domithe Lady Broncos against a team years, and this year was no different nating win at 50-37. Clarendon took as the Lady Broncos stopped the host the early lead in the first half and then continued to pull away from their

Scoring: Kidd 11, Tolbert 10, The Lady Broncos began strong Faas 10, Jessi Howard 6, Cornell 6,

The Lady Broncos also gained Quanah and at home against Mem-"We had a big third quarter phis. The Lady Broncos handled the defensively, holding them to four Lady Indians easily as they cruised to

Scoring: Tolbert 14, Carter 6, them score 17 points. The ladies Howard 4, Kidd 4, Cornell 2, Faas 2,

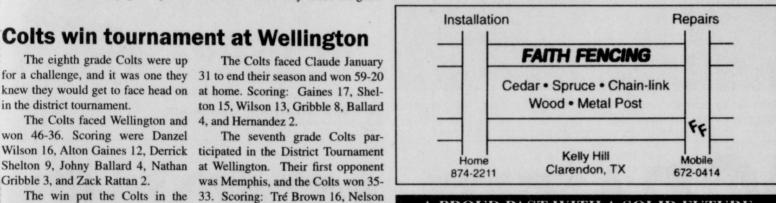
The game at home against Scoring: Holly Cornell 18, Memphis gave the Lady Broncos Kimberly Tolbert 14, Haley Carter the same results as they overpow-6, Sade Faas 5, Kristin White 4, and ered their opponent to get the 48-26 win. Offensively, the Lady Broncos The Championship game pitted executed well as they ended the game



Lady Bronco JV with Coach Kasey Bell.

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6, Jill Cornell 6, Casey Phillips 2, with a huge fourth quarter. Scoring: Sarah Scrivner 15, Trisha Hewitt 2, and Kasandra Bal-Holland 8, Katie Askew 8, Zan Burks lard 1.



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Hedley Jr. High girls win tournament

Colts win tournament at Wellington

knew they would get to face head on at home. Scoring: Gaines 17, Shel-

Championship against Quanah. The Devin 10, Jaden Thornton 4, Ryan

Nathan Gribble 10, Danzel Wilson 30-43. Scoring: Brown 15, Devin 5,

10, Rattan 6, Shelton 4, Gaines 3, Hill 4, Nathan Judd 3, Dustin Ford 2,

and Thornton 1.

The Colts faced Wellington and 4, and Hernandez 2.

Colts won 34-31 and got the tourna- Hill 3, and Jean West 2.

The last several weeks have had Kaylee Shields 6, Marlee Sargent 4, the Hedley Junior High girls playing Skylar Conatser 4, Garcia 4, Jasie tough ball to give their opponents a Sargent 4, Kallie Verstuyft 2, Sharp tough time.

The girls began by playing the Hall 10, Elizabeth Garcia 8, Kelby Shandy Koetting 2.

The girls next played in the Sharp 2, and Koetting 2.

The girls next faced the Sam- Garcia 2, and Miriam Garcia 2. norwood Lady Eagles and overcame ing were Kelby Shields 17, Hall 10, game.

lington to participate in the District

Memphis and won 40-22. Scoring:

fell short 30-33. Scoring: Shadle 14,

earlier in the week in their last season

Lewis 4, and Kaysea Green 2.

finished fourth.

2, and Tamra Burnum 2.

The Colts then lost to Wellington

The third and final game had the Groom Tigerettes on January 24 and girls matched against the McLean pulling ahead to win 44-29. Scor- Lady Tigers; and they came out on ing were Brook Martin 11, Haley top 41 to 35 to win the tournament. Scoring were Hall 21, Martin 10, Shields 7, Marlee Sargent 4, and Kelby Shields 3, Conatser 3, Marlee Sargent 2, and Koetting 2.

The final game of the season had Hedley Junior High Tournament and the Junior High Lady Owls playing won the championship. Their first the Silverton Lady Owls, and the opponent was Claude. Hedley fin- Hedley girls gave their fans one ished with a 36-20 win. Scoring were final win to end the season. The girls Kelby Shields 12, Garcia 8, Hall 4, won this game 46-26. Scoring were Marlee Sargent 4, Martin 3, Alex Hall 15, Conatser 9, Kelby Shields 6, Martin 4, Koetting 4, Elizabeth

And to top things off, Laura their opponents to win, 48-22. Scor- Howard had two points this last

The seventh grade Lady Colts

The girls then played Claude and

They next played Memphis in

In their last season game, the

ing: Lewis 7, Christopher 6, Mason

12, Jill Luna 9, Kia Bryley 4, and

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Hedley Jr. High Owls beat Samnorwood, 50-30 The Hedley Jr. High Owls faced were Howard 14, Sharp 5, Copelin 2,

Lady Colts participate in district tournament The Lady Colts traveled to Wel- 3, and Morgan Hysinger 2.

Tournament. The eighth grade fin- beat Shamrock to start the tournaished second, and the seventh grade ment 27-11. Scoring: Deidre Lewis

Macy Shadle 15, Abbie Massingill 8, were defeated 24-33. Scoring: Bryley Jenci White 6, Janae White 5, Bailey 7, Dominique Mason 5, Brandi Mays Starnes 4, and Cortnee Thornberry 2. 4, Lewis 4, Mariah Benavidez 2, and

Janae White 6, Massingill 4, Haleigh the last game and lost 19-39. Scor-

game and won 45-29. Scoring: Ladies lost to Claude on the road 20-Shadle 21, Massingill 7, Lewis 4, 36. Scoring: Lewis 9, Lauren Shelton Jenci White 4, Starnes 4, Janae White 4, Mason 4, Bryley 2, and Mays 1.

The eighth grade started with Caitlin Christopher 2.

They then faced Wellington and Christopher 2.

The Lady Colts played Claude 4, and Mays 2.

the Groom Cubs January 24. The Owls were just left behind

in the first quarter and and couldn't Samnorwood. Hedley jumped on the make a comeback, losing 31-57.

3, Will Monroe 2, and Archie Sharp and Danny Garcia 2.

Claude. Hedley lost 24-30. Scoring gomery 6, and Monroe 2.

Monroe 2, and Montgomery 1.

The Owls' next game was against Eagles in the third quarter and stayed Scoring were Peter Howard 21, there, winning 50-30. Scoring were Reid Copelin 4, Braden Montgomery Sharp 16, Monroe 14, Howard 13,

The final game was against The boys competed in the McLean, and the Owls lost 55-58. Hedley Tournament January 27-29 Scoring were Howard 28, Sharp 7, and played the first game against Copelin 6, Brandon Benton 6, Mont-

Bronco JV stops Memphis at home, 57-21

The Bronco JV only had one game this past week, but they walked winning season this year.

They defeated the Cyclones 57- season.' 21 in a game that never really was point in the second quarter of play.

"The guys played hard once again," Coach Kerry Teafatiller said. away with another win to add to their "I am really proud of the way they've played. We've had a very successful

Scoring: Stephen Ford 15, contested by their opponent. The Trevor Leeper 11, Brad Sell 10, Broncos held Memphis to only one Bret Carter 9, Austin Howard 6, and Edward Butler 4.

Broncos win title as district champs

By Sandy Anderberg

Many things are worth waiting for, and the District Championship for the Broncos is no exception.

It has been a long road back for last district title. Still undefeated in 83-65. district at press time (22-7 overall; and gutsy game plan has paid off 47-31 lead into the locker room. thus far.

two crucial wins to keep them on us, but it was a true team effort. It top of the district race. The Broncos was great for our two seniors, Jesse on the Indians. They defeated them 56-47. The Broncos took the early lead and kept it throughout the game gain the lead.

and win, and they were one of the do well." hottest teams in the district after beating Memphis and Claude," Coach 22, Ballard 10, Smith 9, Betts 7, West Wade Callaway said.

Scoring: Chase Thornberry 15,

Ben Smith 12, Michael Randall 12, Will Betts 5, Quentin West 4, Steven Ballard 3, Jesse Gowdy 2, Ladez Captain 2, and Morgan Robinson 1.

The Broncos hosted Memphis the Broncos and five years since their to end the week and stopped them

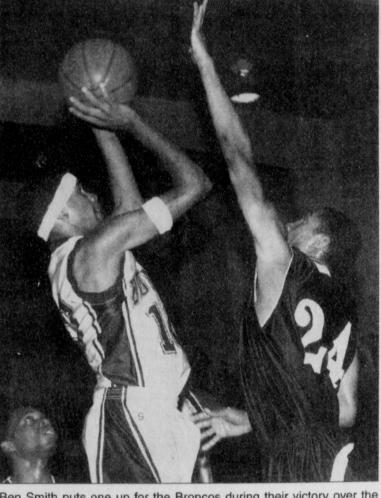
Solid play by the Broncos aided 9-0 district), the Broncos have more them in their win over the Cyclones. than proved they are the area 1A The game opened up for the Broncos team to beat. Their determination in the second period as they took a

"Obviously Michael Randall Last week, the Broncos posted and Chase both had huge games for traveled to Quanah February 1 to take Gowdy and Grady Swearingen, to win their final home game as Bron-

"It was also great to clinch our despite an attempt by the Indians to first district championship since the 1999-2000 season. If we stay hungry 'Quanah is a tough place to go and humble, we should continue to

Scoring: Randall 25, Thornberry Captain 4, and Gowdy 2.

Playoffs have not been set.



Ben Smith puts one up for the Broncos during their victory over the Memphis Cyclones last Friday.

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Lady Broncos suffer defeat from Quanah

By Sandy Anderberg

In a must-win game at Quanah, the Lady Broncos fell a little short, as they were defeated 47-62 by the Lady Indians.

Quanah took the lead in the first quarter leaving the Lady Broncos to play catch-up. The Lady Broncos played hard, but could only get within 15 points of the Lady Indians.

"We just couldn't make up any ground against them," Coach Steve Myatt said. "Every time we would make a dent in their lead, they would score again."

Scoring: Destiny Weatherton 18, Kaitlyn Howard 9, Haley Shelton 6, Shanna Shelton 5, Samantha Myatt 4, Jessie Anderberg 3, and Regan Lemley 2.

The Lady Broncos ended the week on a big win against Memphis at home. The Lady Broncos led from the beginning and played solid team basketball to come out on top. The Lady Broncos went on to get the 55-37 victory in their final home game of the season.

"It was good to get a win in our final home game of the season," Myatt said.

Scoring: Anderberg 16, H. Shelton 10, Weatherton 9, S. Shelton 7, Caitlan Hall 4, Lemley 3, Howard 2, Shelby Watson 2, and Jessica Hernandez 2.

CHS power lifters do well at meets

By Sandy Anderberg

Several Broncos and Lady Broncos competed in two different power lifting meets in the past two weeks: and, according to coach Johnny Nino, they did very well in their specific weight classes.

In the White Deer meet Erica Depew, who competed in the 132.5 weight class, finished second with a three-lift weight of 440 pounds. Laura Dziedzic finished third in the 165.5 weight class with a three-lift total of 440 pounds. On the Bronco side Danny Derry was fourth in the 181.5 weight class with a total lift of 815 pounds. Ty White, who competed with a bad hamstring, topped out at 710 pounds. Steven and Scott Fowler also lifted and finished out at 725 and 710 pounds respectively.

Depew also competed in the Dalhart meet and won first place in the 148.5 class with a three-lift total of 495 pounds. Tim Sanchez was fourth with a total of 825 pounds, and Derry lifted 820 pounds in his weight class. Competing in his first meet was Wes Christopher who had a three-lift total of 790 pounds, and Scottie Willis lifted 690 pounds.

"I am very proud of the lifters," Nino said. "Erica improved 50 pounds, and Sanchez improved 90 pounds. These lifters work on their technique after school and after they have already gone through their off season workout."

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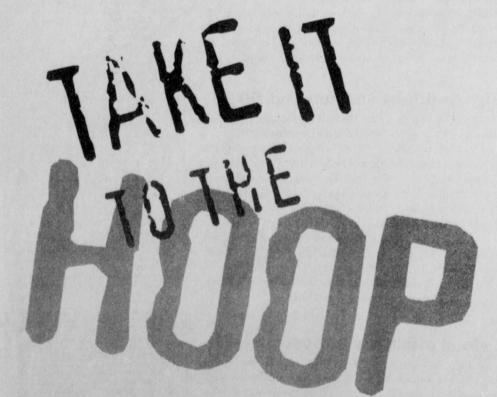
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CROW HOLLOW, L.L.C has the following positions open: Processing Crew, Feed Truck Driver. Please fax resume to 806-856-5374 or apply in person at 3900 County Road 23, Hedley, Texas (2.5 miles west of Hedley), or contact the Cattle Manager, Danny Glasgow at 806-662-1529 for the feed truck driving and processing crew posi-

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TxDOT) CONTRACTS Sealed proposals for contracts listed below will

be received by TxDOT until the date(s) shown below, and then publicly read. CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/BUILDING FACILITIES CONTRACT (S)

Dist/Div: Lubbock Contract: 6100-10-001 for NW REST AREA MAINTENANCE, OPERATION, AND REPAIR in Crosby County, etc. will be opened on March 8, 2005, at 1:00 p.m. at the State Office for an estimate of \$2,540,400.00. Plans and specifications are available for bids will not be allowed.

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inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Pregualified Contractor's List, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at www.dot.state.tx.us and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.

NPO: 15511 State Office: Constr./Maint. Division, 200 E. Riverside Dr., Austin, Texas 78704; Phone: 512-416-2540

Dist/Div Office: Lubbock District, District Engineer, 135 Slaton, Lubbock, Texas 79408-0771; Phone: 806-745-4411

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TxDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin. 7-2tc

CLARENDON COLLEGE ACCEPTING **SEALED BIDS**

Clarendon College will be accepting "Sealed Bids" until 3:00 p.m. on Monday February 14, 2005 in the Business Office of Clarendon College for the following: 1987 Ford 351W Engine

For further information, please contact Bobby Ellerbrook at the automotive building at 301 S. Kearney (806)-874-5364. "Sealed Bids" will be opened at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, February 14, 2005 in the President's Office at Clarendon

All interested parties should mail their bid marked "Sealed Bid" to Clarendon College, Attn. President's Office, P.O. Box 968, Clarendon, TX 79226 or deliver to 1122 College Drive, Business Office, Clarendon College, Clarendon, Texas. Clarendon College reserves the right to reject any or all bids. 7-2tc

LEGAL NOTICE INVITATION TO BID "ASBESTOS ABATEMENT PROJECT"

Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District is requesting sealed bids for asbestos abatement for Clarendon Elementary, Clarendon Junior High, and the Administration Building. Sealed bids must be received by 2: 00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 15, 2005. The bids properly delivered and accepted by the district will be publicly opened, read aloud, and prepared for board review. The bids will be received at the Administrative Office located at 416 South Allen, Clarendon, Texas 79226. Bids must be placed in a separated sealed envelope and marked "BID Asbestos Abatement Clarendon CISD 2005." Faxed bids or electronic mailed

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to own this recently remodeled home which includes two bedrooms, 1½ baths, kitchen with built-ins and new cabinets, large living/dining, large utility, central heat and ref. air, storm doors and windows, covered patio, 2-car port and nice metal yard building. Easy walking distance to Senior Citizens, Post Office, and bank from 411 E. 4th for \$47,500.

L-O-O-K - PRICE REDUCED - NICE TWO BEDROOM - (single owner/occupant is relocating) 2 bath, kitchen, living/dining, utility, 2-car port, 2 storage buildings, cellar, chain link fenced yard, well kept at 318 E. 5th St. for \$45,000. REDUCED TO \$35,000.

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tached shop, many fruit and shade trees in and surrounding fenced and landscaped yard all on four lots that back up to inlet that will provide water access to Greenbelt Lake when it fills at 225 Dawn for \$119,500.

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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.

ASHTOLA - 2.23 ACRES - including nice house with 2 bedroom, 2 bath, kitchen/dining/living, add on room for 3rd bedroom or utility, enclosed porch, large utility, 2 car garage/shop, covered patio, large concrete cellar with electricity, extensive landscaping, well with submersible pump, 74 new fruit trees with drip irrigation, numerous large fruit, nut, and shade trees. Located downtown Ashtola for \$22,000.

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• 578 acs. in Briscoe Count Dunting.

800 acs. in Briscoe County. Good hunting.

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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

LEGAL NOTICE INVITATION TO BID "SUSPENDED CEILING AND FLOOR TILE **RENOVATIONS**"

Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District is requesting sealed bids for suspended ceiling and floor tile renovations for the Clarendon Elementary, Clarendon Junior High, and the Administration Building. Sealed bids must be received by 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 15, 2005. The bids properly delivered and accepted by the district will be publicly opened, read aloud, and prepared for board review. The bids will be received at the Administrative Office located at 416 South Allen, Clarendon, Texas 79226. Bids must be placed in a separate, sealed envelope and marked "Bid 2005 Renovations Clarendon CISD." Faxed bids or electronic mailed bids will not be allowed.

The district and its project consultant will conduct a pre-bid conference/walk-through of the facility on Thursday, February 24, 2005, at 1:30 p.m. Interested Contractors are strongly encouraged to be in attendance so that the project may be clearly defined and any or all questions regarding the actual scope of work may be answered. 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 or at the District Administrative Office after February 24, 2005. A monetary deposit will be required in order to receive a copy of the specifications and drawings. The work to be performed must be completed within a specified time period. Questions regarding the renovation projects

should be addressed to the project consultant: Lynn Ramsey - Architect, 601 North Arkansas. Shamrock, Texas 79079, Phone: 806-256-2251,

Fax: 806-256-2350. The Clarendon CISD School District reserves

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL #9933 Clarendon College is soliciting proposals for a Contractor to provide Internet Access and Private Lines between Clarendon campus in Clarendon, Texas and Pampa Center located in Pampa, Texas. Contractors must provide expertise, labor and materials to install, terminate, and certify high speed internet access. Contractors must meet or beat all standards set forth in the proposal and must also furnish proof of workman's compensation and genera liability insurance.

Proposals must be received by 4:00 p.m., Central Standard Time, on Monday, March 7, 2005 (the Due Date) and marked PROPOSAL #9933. Estimated date of award will be March 24, 2005. Please send proposals to: Will Thompson, PO Box 978, Clarendon, TX 79226, Fax Number: 806-874-3201, Voice: 806-874-3571 ext. 119 or email will.thompson@clarendoncollege.edu.

Clarendon College reserves the right to negotiate with any/all proposers at any time, before or after submission of a proposal. Clarendon College reserves the right to reject any and/ or all bids and to waive technicalities

To request proposal specifications, please contact Will Thompson, Clarendon College, P.O. Box 968, Clarendon, Texas, 79226 or call (806) 874-3571.8-2tc

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL #9934 Clarendon College is soliciting proposals for repairs on 12 shower leaks and all attendent circumstances on dorms at Regents Hall, Clarendon College Campus, Clarendon, Texas . Proposals are to be received in the Office of the President, Dr. Myles Shelton, Clarendon College, 1122 College Drive, P.O. Box 968, Clarendon, Texas 79226 by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, February 25, 2005 (the due date). Estimated date of award will be March 24, 2005. Clarendon College reserves the right to negotiate with any/all proposers at any time, before or after submission of a proposal. Clarendon College reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive technicalities.

To request complete specifications contact Dr. Myles Shelton, President, Clarendon College, P.O. Box 968, Clarendon, Texas 79226 or call (806) 874-3571.8-2tc

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Owls seal district title, look to playoffs

The Hedley Owls finished last Tigers Friday night and securing a Sheilds 2. spot in the playoffs.

Owls scoring were Will Walweek at 8-1 in district and 14-12 lendorff 24, Stephen Howard 16, Eric Llewellyn 11, Alston 7, Howard 4, 8, Andy Alston 7, Glover 5, Dustin overall after defeating the McLean Alston 11, Cole Llewellyn 5, and Wes Brayden Bennett 2, Shields 2, and Thomas 4, Kolby Brandon 4, and

On February 1, the Owls faced were outscored by five in the fourth. couldn't make anything happen and 70-41.

Matthew Glover 1.

Hedley took on Samnorwood The Owls came up short by two the Valley Patriots at Valley. Hedley January 25 and got the Jump on the the Groom Tigers and took the early in the first quarter but outscored the fell behind in the first quarter and Eagles in the first quarter, keeping lead, ending the half 34-17. The Owls Tigers by ten in the second to take were outscored again in the second, the momentum going to take the 32- continued to outscore Groom and the lead at halftime, 24-16. The Owls trailing at the half 25-36. Hedley 13 lead at the half. The Owls would would continue to outscore their were moving slowly and fell fur- keep on destroying the Eagles in the opponents in the third by eight but ther behind in the third. The Owls second half to go on to win the game, E. Alston 13., Howard 11, Shields 8,

Scoring were Wallendorff 21, Shields 14, Howard 9, Eric Alston Will Verstuyft 3.

On January 28, the Owls played won the game, 59-38.

Scoring were Wallendorff 20, Llewellyn 5, and Glover 2.

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Lady Owls roll over Samnorwood with 69-37 victory

trict ball and doing a fine job of it.

The ladies played Samnorwood opponents, winning the game, 69-37.

Scoring were Sarah Bolin 30, 10, Allison Hill 6, Jaci Copelin 5, Woodard 2, and Kristen Dwight 2.

their opponents in an 86 to 11 win.

Scoring were Bolin 21, Funder-January 25 and hit the court to pull burg 12, Howard 9, Carmen Garcia halftime finding both teams with 24 ahead 40 to 23 at the halftime. The 8, Hill 8, Holly Davis 7, Gregory 7, points on the board. girls continued to hound away at their Lori Bugg 6, and Betty Cruz, Woodard, and Dwight 2 each.

Julie Funderburg 10, Katie Gregory Lady Patriots in what was a non-stop, Owls the 48-47 victory. fast-paced, heart-stopping game. first quarter with the Lady Pats lead- and Howard 2.

STRAWBERRIES

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LONG GRAIN

The girls also played the Groom ing the way and outscoring the Lady The Hedley Lady Owls have Tigerettes in a district game on Janu- Owls 12 to 11. From there the Valley was at home last Friday against the spent the last two weeks playing dis- ary 28. The Lady Owls overcame girls hounded Hedley, but they didn't McLean Lady Tigers. stop the Lady Owls, who in turn hounded the Lady Patriots with the

> Howard and Davis quickly got in role, the Lady Owls have had an awe-The girls also faced the Valley the game and helped bring the Lady some season.

Ruth Anne Howard 4, and Julie Both teams played tight defense the burg 7, Hill 6, Davis 5, Gregory 4, Copelin, Cruz, Woodard, Dwight,

This game brought about a bittersweet win for the Ladies as this was the last home game for seniors Allison Hill and Sarah Bolin. With Hill and Copelin fouled out, but these two ladies taking the leadership

Scoring were Bolin 34, Funder-Scoring were Bolin 24, Funder- burg 12, Bugg 6, Davis 4, and Hill, and Gregory 2 each.

Area watershed eligible for CSP

The Conservation Security Program (CSP), authorized by the 2002 Farm Bill and administered by the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), rewards farmers and ranchers who implement conservation on America's working lands. CSP, now in its second year, is a voluntary program based on conservation accomplishments that recognizes the contributions of the best land stewards and encourages them to do more.

The Upper Salt Fork Red Watershed is located in portions of Donley, Gray, Carson and Armstrong counties in Texas. This watershed is one of the 202 watersheds nationally selected to offer the CSP in 2005. Of the 202 watersheds, 18 watersheds were chosen for CSP in Texas. The Upper Salt Fork Red Watershed was selected because of a history of good land stewardship, excellent conservation partnership efforts, high-priority natural resource issues, and the availability of the necessary technical tools to implement the program.

According to Dr. Larry Butler, Texas State Conservationist, "USDA intends to offer a signup for CSP in February of 2005."

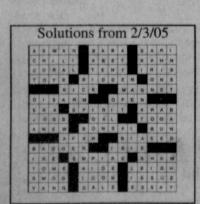
The NRCS in the Upper Salt Fork Red Watershed will hold informational meetings for farmers and ranchers in the watershed to review eligibility requirements and the selfassessment tool that producers use to determine their eligibility prior to scheduling office visits with NRCS. The meetings will be held in March in various locations throughout the watershed.

For a meeting schedule, visit the NRCS Texas website at www.tx.nrcs.usda.gov/csp or contact your local USDA Service Center for meeting dates, times and locations.

"Texas is fortunate to have the Upper Salt Fork Red Watershed selected for participation in the CSP." says Butler. "Our producers, with the assistance of NRCS staff, will have an opportunity to get this program implemented within the watershed."

Producers will compete nationally for funding against the nation's best conservationists. Documentation of conservation activities, such as conservation plans and records or pest and nutrient management, will be required to support the application. Producers within the Upper Salt Fork Red Watershed are encouraged to attend the watershed informational meetings to learn if they meet the necessary eligibility requirements.

Please contact your local USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service office in Clarendon at 321 S. Sully or call 806-874-3561 ext. 3. for more information.





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