

United Way goal pushes over the top!



Several members of the Muenster community gathered at the Cooke County United Way goal thermometer located on the corner of Hwy. 82 and Main Street in Muenster to celebrate the goal splashing over the top! At the recent Cooke County United Way Celebration Luncheon, the total raised to date was announced as \$390,500 which is \$30,500 over the set goal of \$360,000. Historically, the campaign has exceeded its goal, which is critical to the overall success of United Way. Each year, the collection of pledges falls short by almost 7%, and the funds raised beyond the goal help fill this gap. The success of the local United Way's campaign is one aspect that some outside companies consider when researching business relocation. Many interested businesses looking to a new area for a possible move often ask if the United Way goal was met. A successful campaign speaks volumes to an outsider as it is a positive reflection on the community. For more information on Cooke County United Way and its agencies, call 940-665-1793. Pictured are, from left, back - John Walterscheid, John Broyles, John D. Bartush; center - Debbie Hess, Carolyn McPherson, Carol Simmons, Brenda Green, N'Cole Smith, Carla Zwinggi, Jan Endres; front - Tracey Ladd. Courtesy photo

SH High School named one of Top 50 Catholic high schools

By Janet Felderhoff
Sacred Heart Catholic High School learned recently that for the fourth time it is ranked as one of the top 50 Catholic high schools in the nation for 2010-11. There were only six others in Texas to make that honor roll. In notifying Sacred Heart of the honor, the presenters stated, "The Catholic High School Honor Roll today announced its sixth selection of the best 50 Catholic secondary schools in America. The Honor Roll provides a powerful resource to parents and educators by acknowledging those schools that best maintain high academic standards, uphold their Catholic identities, and prepare students to actively engage the world."

The National Catholic High School Honor Roll is a list of the top 50 Catholic high schools in the United States, where schools are examined on the criteria of academic excellence, Catholic identity, and civic education. The purpose of the Honor Roll is to recognize and encourage excellence in

Catholic secondary education, and is a resource for parents, schools, donors, and colleges. Dr. Rafael Rondon, principal of SHCS remarked, "Sacred Heart is honored and humbled by the recognition it has received from a committee of such distinguished Catholic educators." The Honor Roll is an independent project of the Acton Institute, an international research and educational organization. It is produced in consultation with an advisory board comprised of Catholic college presidents and scholars. Advisory Board member Very Rev. David M. O'Connell, president of Catholic University of America, said the Honor Roll's evaluation method is indispensable. "Catholic schools must examine themselves on a regular basis using a well-rounded approach that assesses adherence to the Church's educational

calling," he said. "The Honor Roll strengthens schools by encouraging high standards and vibrant Catholicism." Principal Rondon added, "We view this recognition as a call to continually improve the quality of the Catholic education we provide our students." There are nearly 1,300 Catholic high schools in the nation. Sacred Heart first applied for the award in 2005. The local school earned a place on the honor roll that year, as well as in 2006 and 2007. In 2009, the Honor Roll was not done in order to revise the criteria and make it more difficult to achieve. It also changed it to be made every two years. Sacred Heart Catholic School celebrates its 120th anniversary this year having a long tradition of accomplishments educating its students in many areas including the Catholic faith.

KMB works on To the Curb and Beyond project



This is the work which is being done by Fischer's Meat Market as part of the KMB project "To the Curb and Beyond." Cement was poured and rocks donated by Johnny Rohmer were placed into the cement. Doug Fleitman also donated some rocks and spent time with a helper troweling the cement. Pictured are, from left, Kelly Bob Bayer, Doug Fleitman, and Steven Fisher. The parkway is on Third Street in front of a lot and building which was often overgrown and violated City ordinance because it is considered no-mans-land and not kept by anyone. Steven Fisher took it upon himself to remove the parkway, and cement and rock it at his own expense. KMB photo

MISD anticipates Wolf Ridge payment

By Janet Felderhoff
Muenster ISD's Board of Trustees met Wednesday, Nov. 10 for its regular meeting. Superintendent Clay Richerson reported that the District anticipates a payment from the Wolf Ridge Wind Project as previously arranged in a tax agreement. Superintendent Richerson explained, "The \$621,402 is the first check the District will receive from the wind farm. The District will receive nine more payments to average just over \$500,000 per year. The money is not specifically earmarked as of this time, however with the current funding shortfall in the State and a real possibility that the State will reduce funding by 10% next year, the District will have to use the wind farm monies to maintain the current levels of service." Construction plans for the practice gym/field house were discussed and changes made. Bids for the gym will be submitted before Christmas.

Superintendent Richerson agreed to meet with the PTO regarding the new concession stand to determine space for equipment and space to work. Mark Jones attended the meeting to express his concern regarding the new concession stand. The Board approved a \$10 increase in pay for substitute teachers. The new pay will be from \$65 to \$75 for a four-year college degree and from \$55 to \$65 for others. Superintendent Richerson also informed the Board that the District is 100% as Highly Qualified for certified employees. Team of eight training will include the Superintendent's evaluation and Board goals. Elementary Principal Lou Heers reported that every student, teacher, and aide received bus evacuation training in October. Author Eddie Bowman from Missouri visited grades PK-4th, sharing important things he learned from life experiences and hoping to inspire students to do their best. See MISD, pg. 2

Cains' ranch yields trophy whitetails

By Janet Felderhoff
Educated as a reproductive physiologist, Dick Cain now applies that knowledge to the ranch that he and his wife Maurine operate west of Saint Jo. Dick taught the science of wildlife poultry at Texas A&M for 20 years. He was the quail expert there, doing considerable research with game birds such as quail. He holds a Master's degree in Genetics and a PhD in Physiology. "Myself and a couple of guys from Parks & Wildlife are responsible for establishing Eastern wild turkeys in east Texas," commented Dick on his first career. "We retired to do this." Maurine was raised on a dairy farm and Dick on a diversified farm operation. The "this" is Trophy Ridge Ranch. They purchased the property from William and Sue Redman several years ago and with a plan to raise deer, began building deer pens, high fences, and clearing some of the brush. It was 2003 when they got going in the business. Cattle, wheat, and deer are the main money crops of the Cains' 1,100 acre ranch operation. "Some years we break even, and some years we don't," Dick explained. "That's what farming is all about. But, without the deer there'd be no hope for us to do it here." About 800 acres are high-fenced for the deer. "It's a diversification of farming that's been very successful," noted Maurine of raising deer. Although Maurine said Dick's inspiration for the deer project is his passion for it. He said that he's a life-long hunter, likes deer, and while at A&M he had a wildlife management consulting practice with a partner. "We were managing wildlife back in the old days," reflected Dick. "We're talking 25-30 years ago where you helicopter flew a ranch, made recommendations on what the harvest would be. A lot of it is still being done. We were part of the pioneer group that did it." It was on the ranch of one of their clients that Dick first saw penned deer. That sparked a dream for the future. There is a wealth of history entwined in the many years the Trophy Ridge Whitetails property has been used by man. From the days when tribes of Indians hunted it, to the laying of tracks for a railroad, to being farmed and ranched, to today's modern methods of farming, the land provided food and shelter for deer. Dick proudly shows pictures of several trophy deer he has raised at Trophy Ridge Whitetails. The deer boast magnificent racks and are usually shown while still in velvet. The reason is that the annual deer convention is in August and the pictures are taken in early August.



Dick Cain enjoys feeding peanuts to a pen of whitetail does. Janet Felderhoff photo. Below, the Cains share a photo of some of their prized whitetail bucks.

At the convention, they have a booth to sell deer and semen. Deer at Trophy Ridge are bred for big, wide-open frames with extra kickers and stickers, which seems to be what the majority of hunters seek to shoot. Dick, who prefers a big, clean typical rack, said, "We're in the business to sell deer, so you breed what your customers want." Two purposes exist in Cain's deer business. Ultimately, the end product, like beef, goes for the hunting industry. Beef goes for the meat market business. Dick commented, "We sell some of our offspring for hunting either to be released on our ranch or other ranches. We also sell a lot of breeder stock to other ranches. It's the breeder stock that we really work towards because, frankly, like registered cattle, that's where the money is." This year they sold several two-year-old breeders for between \$25,000 and \$50,000. "You don't sell a lot of those, but sell some of those every year because that's the registered breeder business we're in." Every deer on Trophy Ridge is several generations DNA pedigreed. Maurine noted that when the fawns are born between mid-May and the first of July, they ear tag them, number the other ear, and take a DNA sample of their hair. Each registration paper indicates the dam. See TROPHY, pg.11



Catherine Fuhrmann
1928 - 2010

Mass of Christian Burial for Catherine Louise Fuhrmann of Gainesville was held Saturday, Nov. 13 at 10 a.m. in Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Muenster. Burial followed in St. Peter's Cemetery in Lindsay under the direction of Geo. J. Carroll and Son Funeral Home. Catherine died at the age of 82 on Nov. 10, 2010 in Gainesville.

Born Sept. 22, 1928 in Lindsay to Henry and Mary Schmitz Lueb on a farm east of Lindsay, Catherine married Marcus Fuhrmann on Jan. 14, 1947 at Sacred Heart Church in Muenster. She was a member of St. Peter's since 1950 and was a member of St. Ann's Society.

Survivors are her husband Marcus of Lindsay; daughters and sons-in-law Annette and Johnny Anderle of Muenster, Margie and Willie Wimmer of Muenster, Becky and Bobby Bauer of Sherman, Pam and Tom Hoberer of Lindsay; sons and daughters-in-law Mark and Linda Fuhrmann of Muenster, Michael and Beverly Fuhrmann of Muenster, Steve and Brenda Fuhrmann of Lindsay, Pat and Jill Fuhrmann of Lindsay, and Ken and Amy Fuhrmann of Highland Village; 32 grandchildren and 36 great-grandchildren; sisister and brother-in-law Lucille and O.E. Wayland of Oklahoma City; sister Louise Metcalf of Nacoma Park, Oklahoma; brother Ray Lueb of Edmond, Oklahoma; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sisters Agatha Wolf, Loretta Wimmer, Clara Minnick, and Anna Mae Monagan; and brother Frank Lueb.

The funeral Mass was celebrated by Fr. Raymond McDaniel of St. Peter's Parish, Fr. Kyle Walterscheid, Fr. Jeremy B. Myers of St. Mary's in Sherman, and Fr. Ken Robinson. Mass servers were great-grandson Dawson Anderle, and Matthew Block and Garrett Martin.

Granddaughter Amy Seeds gave the First Reading. The Second Reading was given by granddaughter Andrea Luster. Prayers of the Faithful were read by granddaughter Sondra Taylor. Granddaughters Denise Neu and Leslie Schilling carried the Offertory Gifts. Serving as Eucharistic ministers were daughters-in-law Linda Fuhrmann and Jill Fuhrmann.

Music was provided by Roger Dieter, singer, and Isaac Davis, pianist. Songs included "Be Not Afraid," "Only In God," "Amazing Grace," "I Heard the Voice of Jesus," "Anima Christi," and "How Great Thou Art."

Fr. Kyle read the eulogy, saying in part, "Her children remember her reminiscing about her childhood... Riding a horse was her mode of transportation - that or walking. She played basketball in high school as a guard - that was when you were only allowed one pivot."

"In late July 1951, Catherine began to feel sickly. She was taken to the hospital. It was confirmed that she was a victim of polio... only able to move her big toe. The doctor came in to tell them she would never walk again... Exercising her legs and arms, she was determined she would walk again... Determination and having grit are the way she has been described..."

"She baked bread, homemade biscuits... Flowers



Cathy Fuhrmann

were another love of hers... loved to make all kinds of things for her loved ones...

"In their pastime and especially retirement years, they enjoyed dominoes... fishing... impromptu trips... Mother always loved to dance..."

Pallbearers were Derek Fuhrmann, Matthew Fuhrmann, John Anderle Jr., Jacob Fuhrmann, Dominic Fuhrmann, Josh Hoberer, and Shayne Wimmer. Honorary pallbearers were Kevin Anderle, Corey Anderle, Chris Fuhrmann, Clint Fuhrmann, Kyle Fuhrmann, Travis Fuhrmann, and Conner Fuhrmann.

A rosary led by Fr. Ken was held Friday, Nov. 12 at 5:30 p.m. in Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Shayne Wimmer and Stephanie Rocha provided music, including "In the Garden" and "I'll Fly Away."

A family rosary before the funeral Mass was led by Mark Fuhrmann and Michael Fuhrmann.

Memorial contributions can be made to St. Peter's Church Restoration Fund.

Louise Schmidtkofer
1926 - 2010

Louise Schmidtkofer of Gainesville died at her home on Nov. 13, 2010. Rosary followed by visitation was held Monday, Nov. 15 at Geo. J. Carroll & Son Funeral Home in Gainesville. Funeral Mass was celebrated by Father Tom Craig on Tuesday, Nov. 16 at 3:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church of Gainesville. Burial followed in St. Peter's Cemetery in Lindsay.

Louise was born March 16, 1926 in Muenster to Joe and Theresa Bayer Mages. She married George Schmidtkofer on Jan. 16, 1947 in Sacred Heart Church of Muenster. She was a member of St. Mary's Church.

Survivors are daughters and sons-in-law Theresa and Sam Morris of Corpus Christi, Dorothy and Lawrence Hogue of Arlington, Polly and Earl Brinkley of Gainesville, and Donna and Rickey Hess of Lindsay; 10 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; brother Norb Mages and his wife

Verna; sisters Clara Schmitz and her husband Harold, Albina Schmitz, Hank Dieter, and Chubby Reiter and her husband Doug; sister-in-law Marge Mages; brother-in-law Gene Pelzel and wife Emma. Her caregivers were Gwenna Proffer and her daughters Kayleen and Alicia, Jean Lester, Polly and Earl Brinkley, Jacob Brinkley and Dorothy Hogue.

She was preceded in death by her husband, parents, sister Polly Pelzel, and her brother Edgar Mages. She was also preceded in death by her children Robert, James, Kenneth, and Patsy Schmidtkofer.

Pallbearers were her grandchildren Jessica Hogue, Erica Duff, Sarah Young, Micah Hogue, Brooke Larson, Ryan Brinkley, Jacob Brinkley, Cody Hess, Kayla Hess, and Georgie Ing, and special nephew Doug Schmitz.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary's Catholic Church or Home Hospice of Cooke County.

DAYS GONE BY.....

65 YEARS AGO
Nov. 16, 1945

Catholic Daughters sponsor clothing drive for War relief. President Truman signs bill reducing taxes in 1946. Louis Roberg miraculously escapes serious injury in 30 foot fall. Obituary: Mrs. Kate Tempel, 82. New Arrival: Donald to the Claude Cannons. Miss Emily Pette joins staff at *Muenster Enterprise*, replacing Miss Mary Ann Reiter who resigned preparatory to her forthcoming wedding.

50 YEARS AGO
Nov. 18, 1960

Muenster Hornets Mark Hellman, Claude Walterscheid, Harold Flusche, and Larry Wimmer named first string on the All-District Football Team. Obituaries: Mrs. Katherine Gehrig, 72; B.G. Lyons, 76. New Arrivals: a son to Tony and Anna Fleitman; Angelo, Jr. to Angelo and LaVerna Nasche; Pat to Earl and Flo Walterscheid. The Muenster Men's Choir and the Dallas Frohsinn Men's Choir join at Sacred Heart Parish Hall to sing songs in German and English.

25 YEARS AGO
Nov. 15, 1985

Muenster ISD School Board rejects for the third time the Cooke County Tax Appraisal District's budget. Jesse Walterscheid bags 10 point deer, which field dressed at 150 pounds, and had a 23 inch outside measure of the rack. Wedding: Cindee Travis and Curtis Klement. New Arrival: Kirk to Tim and Janie Hartman.

James Helen "Pud" Simmons
1928 - 2010

Born Sept. 17, 1928, James Helen "Pud" Lawhon Simmons died Nov. 8, 2010. Viewing and services were held Friday, Nov. 12 at Tabernacle Baptist Church in Gainesville under the direction of Geo. J. Carroll & Son Funeral Home. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Born in Lancaster, she married Kenneth Simmons in Fort Worth on Oct. 22, 1967. Helen spent many of

her days at the side of her husband at rodeos in Cooke County, as he was the announcer and she played the music. Raising Longhorn cattle was one of her passions with Kenneth, but her biggest love was her family and especially her grandchildren. Later in years, they moved to Gainesville and made their home. She worked in school cafeterias around the area and many children grew to love the lady they knew as Ms. Helen. Her final job was a greeter at Wal-Mart. She was always full of life and laughter, and she never met a stranger. Helen was a member of Tabernacle Baptist Church and her faith in God shined through her.

Helen was preceded in death by her husband and her parents.

She is survived by her son Bruce Green, daughter-in-law Cobie Green, and five grandchildren.

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Next week's
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Sunday, November 21, 2010	Monday, November 22, 2010	Tuesday, November 23, 2010	Wednesday, November 24, 2010	Thursday, November 25, 2010	Friday, November 26, 2010	Saturday, November 27, 2010
Muenster Museum open- 1-4 pm		Library open 10am-6:30 pm MISD early release MMH Board mtg. 7pm	Library closed Kiwanis mtg. noon, Center NO Religious Ed classes SHCS Grandparents Day SH noon dismissal NO SCHOOL MISD	Library closed Muenster Museum closed	Muenster Museum Open 1-4 p.m	Library closed
				THANKSGIVING DAY	NO SCHOOL - MISD & SH	C of C Parade
Sunday, November 28, 2010	Monday, November 29, 2010	Tuesday, November 30, 2010	Wednesday, December 1, 2010	Thursday, December 2, 2010	Friday, December 3, 2010	Saturday, December 4, 2010
Muenster Museum open- 1-4 pm	MMH Aux. decorates for Christmas	Library open 10am-6:30 pm	Library open 1:30 -5:30 pm Kiwanis mtg. noon, Center Religious Ed class 7 pm	Library open 10 am-6:30 pm Muenster Museum Open 1-4 p.m	Muenster Museum open 1-4 pm SH teacher in-service & hosting NTIL Academic Meet AARP Board mtg.	Library open 10:30 am-2:30 pm
					ABBA Christmas Bazaar	10 am - 4 pm

LIFESTYLE

Dennison and Himmelfarb wed in Delaware ceremony

Cheryl Renee Dennison and Paul Lawrence Himmelfarb were united in marriage at 7 p.m., June 5, 2010 in Dewey Beach, Delaware.

The bride is the daughter of Marcia Dennison of Lindsay and the late James A. Dennison, Jr. She is the granddaughter of Armella Cler of Muenster and the late Werner Cler, and the late Mr. and Mrs. James Dennison, Sr.

The groom is the son of Frank and Maxine Himmelfarb of Silver Spring, Maryland. He is the grandson of the late Morton and Reba Himmelfarb and the late Al and Rose Catzva.

Cheryl was given in marriage by her mother, and brother Jimmy Dennison.

Maid of honor was Cheryl's sister-in-law Danah Dennison. Bridesmaid was Anne Young of Nashville, Tennessee.

Paul's brother Steve Himmelfarb served as best man. Groomsman was Paul's father.

Flower girls were Cheryl and Paul's nieces, Kirsten and Alaina Dennison and Sami Himmelfarb. Cheryl's nephew James Dennison, IV was the ringbearer.

The reception was held at Venus on the Half Shell.

On the eve of the wedding, a rehearsal dinner was hosted

by the groom's parents at the Cloud 9 Restaurant. All out of town guests were invited.

After their honeymoon to Italy and Greece, the couple is residing in Washington, D.C.

A wedding reception was hosted by Marcia Dennison on Aug. 14 at The Dutchman Banquet Room in Lindsay for family and friends who were unable to attend the wedding in Delaware.



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Himmelfarb ... 'nee Cheryl Dennison ...



The Muenster Kiwanis Club distributed the proceeds from its annual Pancake Supper at last week's meeting. The Club presented the Muenster Library and the Muenster Historical Commission with a check for \$500 each. Pictured, from left, are Nancy Walter representing the Library, Kiwanis President Arthur Felderhoff, and Jewel Otto representing the Historical Commission. Courtesy photo

New Arrivals



Alexander Brockman

Brockman

Eric and Kathryn Brockman of Seven Hills, Ohio joyfully announce the birth of their first child, a son. Alexander James Brockman was born on Sunday, Oct. 31, 2010 at 4 p.m. in Cleveland Clinic. He weighed 7 lb. 14 oz. and measured 20 inches in length. Proud first-time grandparents are Ken and Kris Schmitz of Arlington and Dale and Kathy Brockman of Sidney, Ohio. Great-grandparents are Lorene Schmitz of Muenster, and the late Eugene Schmitz, Richard Torres of Dallas and the late Dolores Torres, Viona Ruscheau of Tipp City, Ohio and the late Paul Ruscheau, Wayne and Mary Brockman of Sidney, and the late Barbara Moorman.

Bologna

Sophia, Stella, and Olivia Bologna are proud to announce the birth of their little brother Dominic Rosario Herman Bologna. Dominic was born on Sunday, Oct. 10, 2010 at 11:27 a.m. in Presbyterian Hospital of Dallas. He is the son of Timothy and Sally Bologna. Dominic weighed 9 lb. 2 oz. and measured 21 1/4 inches in length. Grandparents are the late Herman and Alma Stoffels, Donna Bologna of River Ridge, Louisiana, and Russell and Suzy Bologna of LaPlace, Louisiana. Great-grandparents are C.B. and Yvonne Harrison of Baton Rouge, Louisiana and Josephine Bologna of New Orleans and the late Rosario Bologna.



Dominic Bologna

North Central Texas Chorale in concert

The North Central Texas Chorale proudly presents W.A. Mozart's *Requiem* in two concerts. The Chorale is directed by Dr. Mike Linder and will be joined in this performance by the North Central Texas College Singers.

The Chorale is a community based choir which has members from all over the North Central Texas area. Many members are from Gainesville, but singers come from Denton, Pilot Point, Saint Jo, and points between to be part of this outstanding choir.

The Dec. 5 concert will be at 3 p.m. at The First State Bank Center for the Performing Arts in Gainesville. The Dec. 13 concert will be at 7:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church in Denton. The church is located at 1114

W. University. Tickets will be available at the door.

The *Requiem* was Mozart's last composition and is one of his most popular and respected works. The concert will feature truly outstanding soloists. Soprano will be Regina Water and alto will be Wendy Lee Tedmon. Barry Craft will sing tenor for the Denton concert and James Dickens will sing tenor for the Gainesville concert. Dr. Jeff Snider will sing bass. The piece will feature a 22 piece orchestra. The UNT School of Music will be providing two basset horns for the concerts.

This beautiful music and the combination of these fine choirs will provide one of the best musical concerts in this area. It will be a fantastic start for the Christmas season.

VFW Ladies Auxiliary holds regular meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary VFW Post #6205 held their regular meeting Nov. 15 in the Post Home. Opening ritual was given by Chaplain Hilda Sicking pro tem, Conduress Linda Knabe, and Patriotic Instructor Eleanor Felderhoff. Ida Mae Bindel, secretary read the roll call and minutes of the previous meeting. The treasurer's report was given by Agnes Hesse for Lucille Hesse.

President Frances Bayer presided over the meeting, reporting on the District I meeting held in Lewisville Nov. 13 and 14. She also read "10 Commandments" by Kent M. Keith from *2 Cents* magazine. Members were reminded to pay their dues

if they haven't yet. Several members have volunteered to sit at the Hospice tree at Gehrig Hardware. The Auxiliary is planning to sponsor their annual "In Lieu of Christmas Cards" ad in the *Muenster Enterprise*.

The Veteran's Day program held Nov. 11 at the cemetery was reported on by President Bayer. The Voice of Democracy essays and the Patriot's Pen essays are in.

Armella Cler served refreshments to nine members.

The next meeting will be held along with the VFW members on Dec. 13 at 7:30 p.m. and will include a covered dish meal.

Grief seminars offered by County Home Hospice

In the coming weeks, Home Hospice of Cooke County will offer several opportunities for those who have experienced a loss and find themselves on a healing journey through grief. Home Hospice is a non profit hospice governed by local leaders serving those who are facing the final days, weeks, or months of life, those who love and care for them, and all in the community who grieve, since 1988. These seminars are open to all in the community who grieve and are offered free of charge.

Beginning Nov. 16 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., JoCarolyn Chambers, LCSW, Social Worker for Home Hospice will lead a workshop that will focus on a different loss for each of the four weeks. "Each loss in our life is completely different," stated Chambers. "When your parent dies your feelings and reactions are different than when you lose your spouse. The opportunity to meet others who have suffered a similar loss can be healing and allow for a great understanding of the many feelings one is experiencing."

These brown bag luncheon seminars are scheduled as follows: Nov. 23 - Loss of a child; Nov. 30 - Loss of a spouse; and on Dec. 7 - a For Men only focus group; and each will be held in the Community Room of Muenster State Bank located at 1601 Hwy. 82 West in Gainesville.

Everyone enjoys dinner and a movie, and those who are grieving are certainly no exception. On Nov. 29, Jolene Senek, LBSW, bereavement coordinator for Home Hospice, will provide just such an experience at the Community Room of Muenster State Bank in Gainesville. From 6 to 8:30 p.m., participants will view "The Secret Life of Bees" and enjoy a light supper. Following the film, participants are invited to engage in a discussion of the themes of grief and loss in the movie and the relationship of fiction to fact as they have experienced it. Reservations are needed in order that the meal be prepared. 940.665.9891 or Jolene.senek@homehospice.org.

"Our grief is unique and we sometimes isolate ourselves in this experience," states Senek. "But frequently, the information and support provided at one of these opportunities can be just the key we are looking for to move on toward healing." For information or to register for any of these unique opportunities, call 940.665.9891 or email info.cooke@homehospice.org.

He is a wise man who does not grieve for the things which he has not, but rejoices for those which he has.

~ Epictetus

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Ceremonies held to honor Veterans

On Veterans Day, Thursday, Nov. 11, the VFW Ladies Auxiliary Post #6205 conducted their 50 year program of placing a wreath at the Veterans Monument in Sacred Heart Cemetery.

The program began at 8 a.m. Mass in Sacred Heart Catholic Church, where Veterans, living and deceased, were remembered in the Mass, in the Prayers of the Faithful by the 4th grade students of Sacred Heart School, and by Fr. Ken Robinson in his homily. The 4th grade students did the Readings and were the leaders of

the singing under the direction of Clint Kelly, music teacher. Following Mass was a procession to Sacred Heart Cemetery. The Sacred Heart High School Choir led the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner." District I Conductress Frances Bayer along with Arthur Bayer, VFW member, Agnes Hess, Auxiliary representative, and Fr. Ken led the 300 attendees in the Pledge to the Flag. The Auxiliary ladies then did the wreath placing ceremony. Fr. Ken led the group in prayer and blessed the Memorial area.

Veterans were asked to step forward for a special blessing and "America the Beautiful" was sung. Mrs. Bayer gave a reading saluting the living Veterans in the community. The group joined the students in singing "God Bless America." Prior to the program, all the graves of the veterans were decorated with an American flag by Auxiliary members Frances Bayer, Janet Barnhill, and Audrey Hilard, and volunteers Sacred Heart School student Isaac Barnhill and supportive citizen Christine Fleitman.



Sacred Heart Elementary students performing at VFW Post #6205 under the direction of music teacher Clint Kelly. SHCS photo



Fr. Ken Robinson blessing Memorial area of Sacred Heart Cemetery. Courtesy photo

Musical salute held for Veterans

Monday, Nov. 9, Sacred Heart School Elementary students presented a musical salute to the area Veterans. A crowd of about 150 people enjoyed the medley of songs presented by about 28 students under the direction of Clint Kelly, music director. Songs included "Star Spangled Banner," "Oh I Love America," "My Country Tis of Thee," "Grateful To Be American," "Bless Our Troops," "Our Heroes Will Live On," and "You Are Our Heroes."

their participation in the program. Each was presented with a hand-held American flag by #6205 Auxiliary President Frances Bayer, VFW #6205 Commander Doug Martin, and VFW Youth Chairman Don Hess. The program was sponsored by the Auxiliary.

ABBA (All Babies Born Alive) is a Pro-Life faith based 501C3 community service organization offering free services to mothers and pregnant women in need of assistance.

ABBA plans Christmas Bazaar for Dec. 3-4

ABBA Women's Center is the designated recipient of all proceeds earned at the ABBA Christmas Bazaar. Beautiful hand-crafted gift items will be offered for sale on Friday, Dec. 3 and Saturday, Dec. 4 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the ABBA office building on the corner of 214

N. Taylor and East Broadway in Gainesville. The Second Chance Resale Store will also be open on Saturday, Dec. 4 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. This also benefits ABBA.

Sacred Heart Parish Thanksgiving Picnic & Auction

Sacred Heart Community Center Sunday, November 21

Kids games & rides
Cotton Candy & Kettle Korn

Silent Auction all day
Live Auction at 4 p.m.
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~ Terri Guillemets

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Willie & Margie Wimmer
New student computer desk

Larry Hennigan
Hand crafted bird house

Sandy Felderhoff, Kim Felderhoff, and Doreen Taylor
Hand pieced quilt

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Hand pieced quilt

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Hand pieced quilt

Mike Hacker --Wood Working, Leslie Eddleman --Art Work
Hand crafted, 8 piece, 3-D outdoor nativity scene

Elaine Schilling & Leslie Eddleman
Antique trunk porch display overflowing w/ fall perennials

Elaine Schilling & Leslie Eddleman
Antique trunk w/ Christmas nativity display

Michelle Schilling & Iva Walterscheid
Little boy's trunk filled with fun items

Michelle Schilling & Iva Walterscheid
Little girls trunk filled with items fit for a princess

Sacred Heart Preschool
Full size hand print quilt

Sacred Heart High School Art Class
Full size linoleum block print quilt w/ students' artwork

Betty Kralicke
\$100.00 donation

RCIA Group
Hand tiled cross

Ida Bindel
Hand stitched quilt

Lisa Schilling
18" religious statue

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Pair of hand crafted rocking chairs

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Hand crafted nativity

Wayne & Tammy Wimmer
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Tammy Wimmer
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Carl & Mary Lee Alford
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WFW Oil
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Muenster State Bank
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Doug Hermes
DeWalt nail gun

The Bird Nest- Cindy Del Olmo
Various garden items and décor

Jennifer Flusche
Hand made Thanksgiving table runner

Karen Moster
Large Madonna garden figure

Laurie Valliere
Lighted wooded snowman

Laurie Valliere
12" unique scripture stone cross

Coy & Leslie Eddleman
Window framed painted American flag

Katrina Knabe
Decorative standing birdhouse

Turtle Hill Golf Course
1 player's card

Linda Fuhrmann
Hand made baby rag quilt

Sr. Barbara Bernauer
Handmade baby afghan

Lanie Bartush
Large antique rocking horse

Lou Voth
Hand quilted "Around the World" block style quilt - maroon & navy

Muenster Jaycees
4 green fees for the Ruth Hess Memorial Golf Tournament, Summer 2011

Tommy & Dyan Huchton, and Jack & Debbie Brittan
Fajita cook for 20...t and all the "Tex Mex" to go with it.

Tommy & Dyan Huchton
New light fixture still in box

Henry & Margie Starke
New large cuckoo clock

Henry & Margie Starke
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Mark Fuhrmann / McCoys Building Supply (Materials donated) Hand crafted cedar chest

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Anne & Neil Hesse
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Kenneth Sicking
100 bushels of oats

Sam Hess, Nick Hess, Dickie Moster
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Larry Hennigan
Hand made folding step stool / ladder

Lynn Hanson
Basket of Pampered Chef grilling items

Lynn Hanson
Basket of Pampered Chef baking items

Henry & Margie Starke
Zenith window air condition unit like new, used only 8 weeks

Henry & Margie Starke
L.G. Window air conditioning unit like new, used only 8 weeks

Tony Klement
Hand made ice chest / cooler

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Tammy Wimmer
Little girls desk pink & zebra

Tammy Wimmer
Hand painted wooden standing Santa

Tammy Wimmer
Hand painted wooden standing snowman

Clifford Sicking
Large framed print of Last Supper

Mary Krahl Sicking
Queen size pink & white hand stitched quilt

Bob & Linda Walterscheid, Kenny & Kim Felderhoff
Large garden statue of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Bob & Linda Walterscheid, Kenny & Kim Felderhoff
Garden statue of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Coy & Leslie Eddleman
Large antique window pane with hand painted sunflowers

Sisters
Wine a Rita basket

Sisters
Large satchel

Sisters
Old world Christmas figurine

Schilling Tire & Auto
1 bucket of hydraulic oil

Schilling Tire & Auto
1 Rotate & Balance

Schilling Tire & Auto
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Community Lumber
The Park Packer

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Permanent Solutions
Gift basket

Tom & Debbie Hartman
Large our Lady of Guadalupe garden statue

Margaret Reiter
50 X 70 embroidered table cloth

Margaret Reiter
Framed picture of the Madonna

Joseph & Amanda McCoy
Vintage bingo machine

Brent & Mary Hess
Cross art deco

Brent & Mary Hess
Pair of Christmas elves

Brent & Mary Hess
Decorative vase

Brent & Mary Hess
Fall centerpiece

Brent & Mary Hess
Boy's toy shelf

Iva Walterscheid
Southern Living basket

Ida Bindel
Small character quilt

Cindy Gehrig
11 piece Fontanini nativity & stable

Kaye Broyles "Be Good To Yourself"
1 hour massage

Ryan & Tina Hess
5 round bales of hay

Rohmer's Restaurant
2 steak dinner's w/ drinks

Sandy Felderhoff
36 in statue of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Sandy Felderhoff
Hand crocheted baby afghan

Sacred Heart Catholic School 5th Grade Class
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Paul & Susie Fleitman
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3 round bales of sudan, must pick up within 60 days

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Kenny Hess
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Toy Story 3 D.V.D & "Woody" doll

Betty Miller
2 hand made rosaries, earrings, & necklace

Muenster Auto Parts
1 case of Rotella

Danny & Carla Zwinggi
5 foot lighted star

SHCS 6TH Grade
Basket of misc. gift items

Bob Hermes Insurance
\$100.00 donation

Bob Baker Auto
1 oil change gas engine

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Tina Gleason (artist)
12 X 24 still life oil painting

JAW Construction
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Jim & Donna Biffle
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Brand new brown leather recliner..still in box

Irene Hartman (Consider the Lilies)
Hand made greeting cards for 1 year

Sister Lillian
16x20 Framed counted cross stitch of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Sister Jeanette Bayer
3 hand crocheted afghans

Duwayne Schilling & Sons
5 Round bales of prairie hay..must pick up within 30 days

Dale & Elaine Schilling
Wheel barrell full of gardening items

Stacie Miller & Karen Endres
Princess quilt

Stacie Miller
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Coy Fisher
Gallon of hot pickles

Rudy Koesler
Hand crafted toy chest

Tom Vogel
1 dozen aloe vera plants

Nancy Wassell
Limited edition print signed & numbered of wild turkeys

Nancy Wassell
Limited edition print signed & numbered of bass

Nancy Wassell
Commercial size 5" deep aluminum cooking pan

Karen Moster
1 gallon, 1/2 gallon, & 1 quart of pickles

Karen Moster
1 quart of peppers

Fischer's Market
80 turkeys for the main dinner

Fischer's Market
250 LBS sausage towards main dinner

Fischer's Market
Beef special \$210.00 value donated to raffle

Dianne Walterscheid
Outdoor garden basket

Denis Hofbauer
2 3/8 upset tubing construction pipe, 20 joints, approx 600 ft

Julian & Carrie Walterscheid
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June Bartush - Bird Nest
Men & women's sterilizing fishermen's bracelet

June Bartush
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June Bartush
1 night stay at Pecan Street Bed & Breakfast (Excluding Germanfest Weekend)

June Bartush
Gel band fashion watch

June Bartush
Basket of thymes Bath & Body products & Boluspa candle

Jackie Bartush
Hand made bracelet

Patty Fuhrmann
Misc. decorative items

Michelle Schilling
3 piece satchel set

Bert Walterscheid
2 Hand made oak cutting boards

Susan Hermes
Concrete garden statue of Jesus with little children

Walterscheid's Oil
\$100.00 donation

Rick Hennigan
New Dallas Cowboy's jersey, Jason Whitten #82, youth lg

Lucille Hesse
Hand stitched lap quilt

Mike & Beverly Fuhrmann
New Odyssey White Hot putter

**Thanks to all!!
See you Sunday**

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Thanksgiving Picnic Sunday - Nov. 21

FCCLA Mixes It Up in cafetorium



Mix It Up At Lunch is a nationwide project held this year on Tuesday, Nov. 9 by Muenster FCCLA. The Mix It Up program works to improve intergroup relations on school campuses by encouraging students to identify and challenge social boundaries and to make new friends.

Students thrive - socially and academically - in schools that are inclusive. To improve intergroup relations that can lead to conflicts, bullying, and harassment, students were asked to write one type of conflict they felt the student body was experiencing. A "wall" was created with the neon colored index cards in the foyer of the cafetorium for student viewing.

The theme for this activity was "The Dividing Wall." As each student entered for lunch, they received different categories of stickers and were encouraged to "mix it up" at lunch by sitting with a different group of students who matched their sticker.

Also, kindergarten through 6th grade students participated in a poster contest themed: "Stop the Bullying."

Submitted by Muenster FCCLA VP of Public Relations Michelle Henscheid



Know the signs of physical bullying

Although bullying often takes a mental and emotional toll, it also can become physical.

Dr. Jennifer Buchanan Walsh, a pediatrician at UT Southwestern Medical Center, said caregivers should keep an eye out for these possible warning signs of physical abuse:

- Unexplained bruises, scratches and/or cuts;
- Anxiety and fear of going to school or camp and/or being sad, depressed, or tearful when coming home;
- Child returns home with torn, damaged, or missing clothing, books, or other belongings;
- Complains frequently about stomach aches, headaches or other physical ailments, especially prior to school; or
- Has low self-esteem.

Dr. Walsh said that caregivers who notice any of these warning signs should talk with the child and the staff at his or her school to determine if bullying is involved.

"Bullying can have serious effects on children, so be supportive of your child's concerns but never advise them to hit or bully back," said Dr. Walsh, who works in the adolescent/young adult clinic at Children's Medical Center Dallas. "While it's important to take action to stop the bullying, parents should never confront the bully or the bully's parents, but rather go through teachers or other school staff."



Top photo, from left, Tyler Anderle and Blake Voth receive seating stickers from Briana Bindel during the FCCLA Mix It Up event; middle - FCCLA members Jill Magee and Brooke Walterscheid holding signs designating assigned seating areas for students; bottom - Aly Schinigo, Destin Fleitman, Jaimie Mandrel, and front, 8th grader Tracey Vogel reading notecards written by all students for the Mix It Up program. MISD photo



The Muenster ISD Junior High One-Act-Play participated in UIL competition on Tuesday, Nov. 9 at North Central Texas College in Gainesville. The students presented the play *Victoria at 18*. It is a historical drama based on the life of Queen Victoria. Muenster placed 3rd in the competition. Taking Honorable Mention All Star Cast was Mahayla Bohl. All Star Cast honors went to Lexie Broyles and Kimber Walterscheid. Pictured are student participants, from left, front - Dylan Gressett, Emily Fette, Mahayla Bohl, Lane Serna, Caroline Gressett, Allie Walterscheid, Alison Morris; back - Mikaela Lamar, Katie Pagel, Lexie Broyles, Kimber Walterscheid, Zach Trubenbach, Devon Hacker. MISD photo

MISD Honor Roll

Second Six Weeks "A" HONOR ROLL

7th Grade: Mahayla Bohl, Mason Davis, James Lee, Alison Morris, Samuel Saucer, Allie Walterscheid, Kimber Walterscheid, Reagan Weger.

8th Grade: Kassie Dangelmayr, Aaron Davis, Morgan Flusche, Tara Gunnels, Kalee Hennigan, Chance Herr, Mikaela Lamar, Kristen Reiter.

9th Grade: Hannah Bayer, Jared Endres, Clayton Hess, Sydney Huchton, Jaisal Patel.

10th Grade: Jeonglim Cho, Hunter Klement, Lauren Rohmer, Brooke Walterscheid.

11th Grade: Lana Heers, Emily Hellman, Andrea Hess, Rishi Patel, Landon Presnall.

12th Grade: Llogan Cheaney, Jillian Magee, Calvin Wimmer.

"AB" HONOR ROLL

7th Grade: Dalton Bartel, Jordan Buddy, Chase Deeken, Natalie Fangman, Dalton Hess, Cassandra Horsman, Zane Kemp, Trace Klement, Abby Luttmer, Alaina Reiter, Claire Schneider, Kelsie Sicking.

8th Grade: Alexandra Broyles, Jonathan Cooley, Caroline Gressett, Rachel Hare, Makayla Moster, Colin Pagel, Noel Rodriguez, Georgia Taylor Saavedra, Zachary Trubenbach, Lora Walterscheid.

9th Grade: Mason Binder, Austin Creswell, Ashley Hammer, Shelby Klement, Jamie Magee, Jori Magee, Garrett Miller, Rachel Mouring, Mariah Rocha, Adrien Rohmer, Shelbi Sicking, Audrey Taylor Saavedra, Cole Walterscheid, Danielle West.

10th Grade: Charles Beecham, Andrew Flusche, Jordan Fredrick, Tommy Harrison, Austin Hennigan, Paige Herr, Trevor Hess, Paul Mouring, Trevor Muller,

Payton Sanders, Abby Walterscheid.

11th Grade: Luke Crabtree, Andi Felderhoff, Daniel Fleitman, David Fleitman, Paige Hennigan, Cole McAden, Angela Morgan, Allison Pagel.

12th Grade: Briana Bindel, Zachary Gunnels, Michelle Henscheid, Devon Kubis, Ronald Nelson, Zachary Pierce, Shane Presnall, Alexis Trubenbach, Lacey Trubenbach, Garrett Walterscheid.

"A" HONOR ROLL

First Grade - Robert Batha, A.J. Christopher, Jena Dangelmayr, Preston Drebes, Andrew Flaming, Haley Flusche, Makayla Hacker, Emily Harrison, Nathan Hartman, Nate Hesse, Hillary Klement, Timothy Luttmer, Remi Martinez, Martie McCoy, Landri Richardson, Lilly Muller, Eli Saucer, Clayton Spaeth, Logan Stewart, Luke Walterscheid.

Second Grade - Trent Anderle, Jada Binder, Audrey Carnes, Abigail Cox, Jessica Dangelmayr, Owen David, Sarah Davis, Tara Farrell, Chloe Hacker, Erin Hesse, Alyssa Huchton, Paden Jarosz, Matthew Klement, Audrey Kubis, Sarah Monday, Bayley Otto, Preston Smith, Wade Trubenbach, Alexa Wanack.

Third Grade - Katie Batha, Erik Bayer, Savannah Bohl, Major Eldridge, Colby Endres, Jenna Hudspeth, Roger Looze, Daniel Luttmer, Lane Trubenbach, Abby Walterscheid.

Fourth Grade - Thomas Davis, Morgan Hennigan, Rut Rodriguez, Rudy Saucer, Lauren Trubenbach.

Fifth Grade - Bailey Anderle, Natalie Dangelmayr, Travis Dangelmayr, Seth Flusche, Max Herr, Alaina Kubis, Stone Lamar, Norma Rodriguez, Megan Rohmer, Paige Saucer, Jenna Sicking, Andrew Stoffels, Carson

Trubenbach, Dean Walterscheid, Sterling Walterscheid.

Sixth Grade - Mark Davis, Morgan Eldridge, Bryce Herr, Amy Luttmer, Macy Pagel, Mathew Porter, Emma Wood.

"A-B" Honor Roll

First Grade - Alexa Almejo, Alexander Hacker, Yadira Ibarra Gavin Pagel, Ty Sanders.

Second Grade - Annie Anderle, Shae Budish, Kelsey Hennigan, Dylan Huchton, Alyssa Hutchins, Katherine Klement, Rallen Marie Tai, Ty Trubenbach, Harleigh Wilkins.

Third Grade - Colt Bartling, Eve Brogdon, Noah Clure, Stephen Dangelmayr, Alexandra Deeken, Brittany Green, Dayton Gressett, Gavin Grewing, Brett Hammer, Brooke Hammer, Hunter Haverkamp, Kaitlin Hennigan, Kenadie Hess, Zachary Sanders, Riley Stewart, Warren Williams, Victoria Zimmerer.

Fourth Grade - Isaiah Bayer, Nolan Bayer, Garrett Bindel, John Broyles, Hannah Clure, Nathan Hacker, Benjamin Hellman, Allison Henscheid, Dane Huchton, Ryan Huchton, Ixel Meza, Zachary Mills, Hayden Otto, Sadie Sandman, MacKenzie Sicking, Jaden Walterscheid, Kody Walterscheid, Elizabeth Zimmerer.

Fifth Grade - Alexis Batha, Lexi Blassingame, Rylee Cain, Sidney Carnes, Carson Cheaney, Natalie Chism, Colton Dangelmayr, Ethan Flaming, Mandy Hacker, Savannah Hermes, Stetson McGrew, Erin Osborn, Erin Schniederjan, Brandon Sicking, LeeAnn West.

Sixth Grade - Brennan Binder, Devon Brinkley, Allison Haubold, Bradley Henscheid, Katie Hutson, Blayne Jones, Bailey Klement, Katie Kresge, Sawyer Sanders, Haiden Shook.

Lunch Menus

WEEK OF NOV. 22 - 26 MUENSTER ISD

Mon. - Hot dogs w/chili and cheese, oven baked French fries, ranch style beans, peaches, muffins.

Tues. - Ham and cheese sandwich, chips, carrots, oranges, cookies.

Wed. through Fri. - No School.

SACRED HEART

Mon. - Tacos, lettuce, tomatoes, shredded cheese, chili beans, mixed fruit.

Tues. - Chicken spaghetti, green beans, strawberries/bananas, garlic bread.

Wed. - No lunch served. Thurs. and Fri. - No School.

LINDSAY ISD

Mon. - Frito chili pie, ranch style beans, applesauce.

Tues. - Grilled chicken melt w/mozzarella on a bun, baked beans, pineapple, vanilla pudding, cookies.

Wed. through Fri. - No School.

ERA ISD

Mon. - Chicken sandwich, trimmings, tator tots, oranges, pickle spears.

Tues. - Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, brown gravy, roll, applesauce.

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Educator Spotlight



Anette Bayer, Sacred Heart
Annette Bayer has been at Sacred Heart Catholic School for 15 years, 12 of those years have been in the classroom as a teacher. Annette has held many positions as an educator for SHCS, and is currently the homeroom teacher for the 6th grade. Beyond her primary role as a classroom teacher, Annette offers her services to students when academic competitions are underway. She is a member of various school committees, through which she support the children's academic endeavors and extra-curricular activities. Her steadfast support of Sacred Heart is very much appreciated by colleagues, students and parents.

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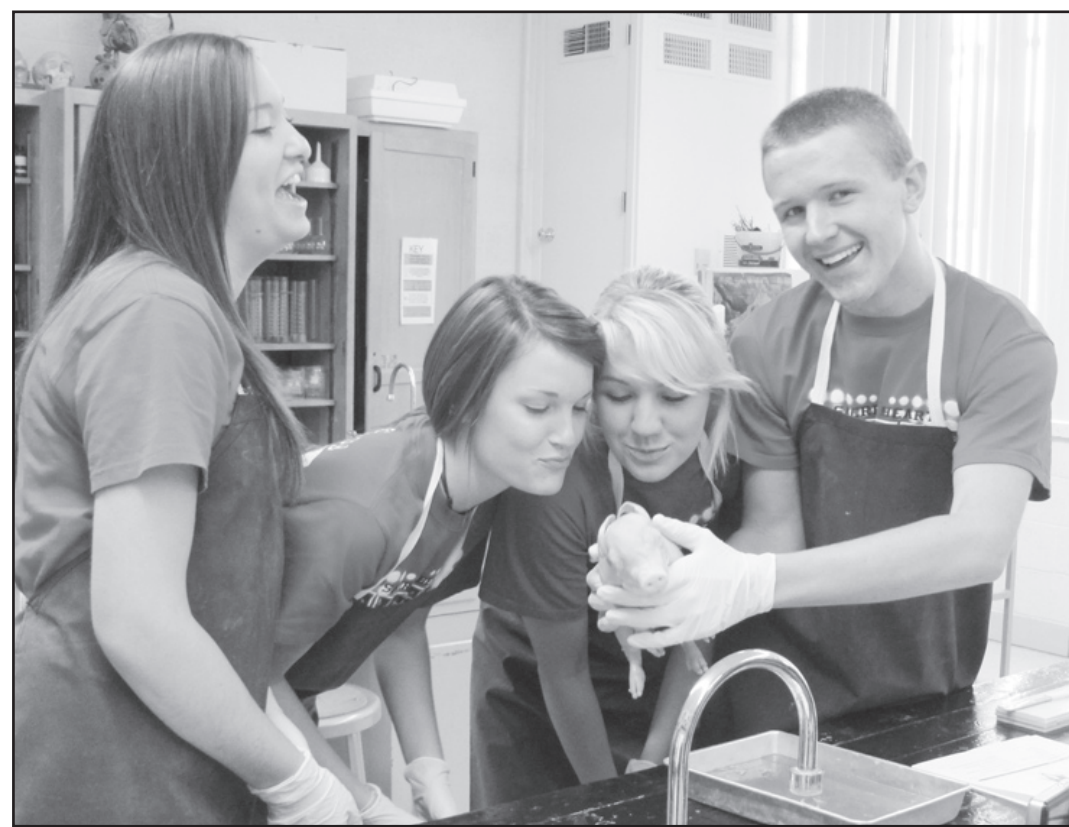
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The Advanced Biology Class at Sacred Heart Catholic High School, taught by Katriinka Bartush, took apart pigs to find their internal organs. The students seemed to enjoy the assignment. Pictured are: from left, top photo - Matt Hesse, Andy Ware, Michael Davis, Bob Bartush; middle - Rebekah Hesse, Megan Hesse, Victoria Endres; bottom - Amanda Knabe, Kelsey Reeves, Karli Anderle, and Jordan Henscheid.

SHCS photos

NCTC professors hit the books

Three professors at North Central Texas College are hitting the books as hard as their students this year, doing research connected with their participation in the 2010 Landmarks of American History and Culture Workshops funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH).

This past summer, NCTC Government Professor Donna Hooper and History Professors Pat Ledbetter and Jane England were awarded research grants allowing them to participate in special NEH workshops organized exclusively for community college faculty.

"The grants are very competitive," said England, "and we are grateful to have been chosen to receive these stipends to assist with the cost of travel, lodging, books, and food."

But the real beneficiaries, she said, will be their students, noting that she and her colleagues all view this research as something that will enable them to enrich the learning experience they are able to provide in their respective classrooms.

Donna Hooper was selected to participate in the "Revolution to Republic" workshop in Philadelphia.

"What an amazing learning experience for me, and one that I can't wait to share with my students," she said. "I had the opportunity to expand my knowledge regarding trade, Native Americans, and slavery in the region, as well as the growth of this new political realm during that time period."

Jane England was chosen to attend the "Plymouth, Massachusetts: Landmark of Pilgrims" workshop and the "Wampanoag Indians" workshop.

"The workshop provided me with a wonderful opportunity to generate academically challenging course materials, which will be incorporated into my US History to 1865 courses," she said. "It will also expand the perspectives of my students regarding the primal events and groups which molded the character and nature of the colonial American experience."

Pat Ledbetter participated in the NEH workshop, "African-American History and Culture in the Georgia Lowcountry: Savannah and the Coastal Islands."

This program offered an opportunity to meet with leading scholars and folklorists in one of the most fascinating historical communities in America. As a result of this experience, Dr. Ledbetter will be able to share with her students a broader view of the richness of African-American culture both during and after slavery times.

The three NCTC professors said the NEH Landmark Workshops provide an invaluable intellectual opportunity for participants to study with noted scholars, interact with colleagues, and devote time to focused research.

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SPORTS

Tigers shoot down Waco Stars

The Texas Christian Academy Stars from Waco traveled to Muenster last Friday night to tangle with the Tigers of Sacred Heart. The Waco team was the 3rd place finisher of District 2, and the Tigers finished 2nd in District 1. A strong 2nd quarter by Sacred Heart boosted the Tigers to a 52-0 Bi-District win. Sacred Heart now advances to the next level of the TAPPS playoffs - Regional.

"Credit has to go to both the offensive and defensive lines," noted Tiger Coach Dale Schilling. "They totally dominated Waco up front. We played a very physical game. Hopefully we can carry that over to this week's game."

Sacred Heart held the Stars to only 12 yards rushing and 62 passing yards. The Tigers also took three turnovers, not losing any in the game.

The Tigers took the opening kick, couldn't get a 1st, and punted. The Stars got in seven plays before tackles by Justin Brown, Matt Hesse, Greyson Evans, and Alex Turner stopped the drive on the 20. A 37 yard field goal attempt failed and the ball was returned to the Tigers.

A run by Hesse gained 17, with Josh Biffle getting 5 more to midfield. Two unsuccessful plays followed and the Tigers booted the ball away.

Tackles by Biffle, Turner, and Benjamin Yosten, pass defense by Bob Bartush, and a flag dropped the Stars back deep inside their own 10 yard line. An end zone punt placed Sacred Heart on the Waco 37. Biffle carried the ball to the 18, followed by Hesse to the 3. With 35 seconds on the clock, Hesse scored and Biffle added the PAT for an 8-0 score.

The Stars' next drive was cut short when B. Bartush intercepted the ball. His long return was removed by a flag, placing the Tigers on their own 20 yard line. Michael Davis picked up a quick 40 yards. Biffle gained 5, then Hesse 25 to the Waco 10. Mark Bartush ran for 5, with Biffle carrying the ball into the end zone for 6 points. The extra run failed for a 14-0 score with 8:40 remaining in the 2nd period.

The Stars moved the ball to midfield and punted, putting the Tigers on their 27 yard line. A Hesse to M. Bartush pass moved the ball 18 yards. Biffle ran for 8, followed by a Hesse run to the 21. Two more runs by Biffle and the Tigers were on the 3 yard line. Davis took the ball into the end zone for the score. B. Bartush ran in the extra points and with 3:44 on the clock, Sacred Heart led 22-0.

Texas Christian gained 16 yards in seven plays. A 4th and 5 pass play on their own 36 failed and the Tigers took over. Six plays later with 7 seconds on the clock, a Hesse to Biffle pass added 6 more points to the score. Hesse ran in the PAT for a 30-0 halftime Tiger lead.

The 2nd half opened with a Waco fumble, covered by Brown. Sacred Heart got to

the Waco 21 but ran out of downs.

Defensive plays by Hesse, Phillip Vogel, Davis, and Yosten, dropped the Stars 15 yards, forcing a punt. B. Bartush returned the ball to the Waco 11. Three Biffle carries later, Sacred Heart was up 38-0 with 6:19 remaining in the 3rd quarter.

The Texas Christian offense went nowhere their next possession. The punt put the Tigers on their own 40 yard line. Biffle, Davis, and Hesse carried the ball to the Waco 15. A Hesse to Davis pass found the end zone at the 2:50 mark. M Bartush added the extra points to put the Tigers on top 46-0.

On the kick return, Davis covered a loose ball on the Star 25 yard line. Runs by John Paul Hesse and Austin Aldridge carried the ball into the final period. Penalties pushed the Tigers back to the 35, but runs by Keith Metzler and Vogel made gains before Sacred Heart ran out of downs.

It was three plays and punt for Waco. From the Star 45, J.P. Hesse quickly moved the ball to the 23. Metzler and Austin Miller made gains to the 3 yard line. Vogel had the honor of carrying the ball across the goal line to give Sacred Heart a 52-0 lead with 4:48 remaining in the game.

The Stars' last offensive drive ended when Metzler intercepted a ball. The Tigers then ran out the clock, earning the Area Champion-

SH	8	22	16	6	52
TC	0	0	0	0	0

Team Stats			
SH	TC		
23	6	1st downs	6
45/334	21/12	Rushes/yds	21/12
67	62	Passing yds	62
5/13/0	6/23/2	Comp/att/int	6/23/2
2/25	5/28	Punts/avg	5/28
2/0	1/1	Fumbles/lost	1/1
6/65	3/33	Penalties/yds	3/33

Individual Stats
RUSHING: Josh Biffle, 17/95; Matt Hesse, 8/92; Michael Davis, 3/56; John Paul Hesse, 3/31; Keith Metzler, 5/31; Phillip Vogel, 2/14; Austin Miller, 5/9; Mark Bartush, 1/5; Bob Bartush, 1/5.
RECEIVING: Michael Davis, 2/25; Josh Biffle, 2/25; Mark Bartush, 1/17.
TACKLES: Justin Brown, Michael Davis, Alex Turner, Josh Biffle, Bob Bartush.
TURNOVERS: Fumble Recovery - Justin Brown; Interceptions - Bob Bartush, Keith Metzler.

Next Action
 The Tigers advance to the Regional round this Friday, challenged by the #1 ranked TAPPS team, Shiner St. Paul. The Cardinals, District 3 Champions, hold an 11-0 record this season. They average 57 points a game, giving up 13.

"They are a very blue collar football team, nothing fancy. They do what they do and do it well," Coach Schilling noted. "They are a very well balanced team."

The Tigers travel to China Springs (near Waco) to face the team from Shiner. Game time is 7 p.m.



Sacred Heart quarterback Matt Hesse (5) takes advantage of a large opening made by the Tiger offensive line. Janie Hartman photo

Hornets prepare for Area

After earning a bye in the first round of the UIL Conference 1, Division 1 State Championship Football Playoffs, the undefeated District Champs Muenster Hornets are preparing for the Kerens Bobcats. "They're a lot like us," noted Muenster Coach Brady Carney of the District 8 Runner-up team. "Kerens has a very strong defensive team and their offense has big play potential. They have some good athletes, are very solid on special teams, and do all three phases very well."

The 9-2 Bobcats are coming off a 28-7 Bi-District win over Bosqueville. "They are a good team and we'll have to play really well to have a chance to continue our season," Carney added.

Muenster's playoff game this Friday will be at Birdville ISD. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m.

In other Region II playoff action, Lindsay squeezed out a 24-21 win over Honey Grove and now faces Valley Mills. Collinsville clobbered Blue Ridge 54-0 and will play Mart in Area.

Lady Knights finish 3rd at State, Lady Hornets settle for 8th

The State Cross Country Championship race was held last weekend in Round Rock. The Lindsay Lady Knights (90) finished in 3rd place (in a 6th runner tie-break) behind Gruver (75) and Hamlin (90), with Era's girls placing 5th (114) and Muenster 8th (229). The Knights (283) finished in 12th place, with Sundown (87) winning State.

Lady Knights Gibley Hermes and Lauren Kibbey earned a place on the All-State Team.

1A Girls individual results for Muenster and Lindsay are as follows: 4, Kelsey Hermes, L, 11:57.09; 11, Lauren Gibbs, L, 12:23.79; 17, Megan Caillier, L, 12:35.58; 21, Emily Hellman, M, 12:39.59; 33, Paige Herr, M, 12:56.78; 34, Megan Holt, L, 12:59.91; 60, Bethani Eberhart, L, 13:39.40; 70, Jordan Fleitman, L, 13:51.66; 76, Rebecca Metzler, L, 13:59.71; 78, Lauren Ro-

hmer, M, 14:03.58; 86, Michelle Sicking, M, 14:19.08; 91, Amber Walterscheid, M, 14:39.32; 100, Shelbi Sicking, M, 15:20.48; 102, Kalyan Dangelmayr, M, 15:27.36.

Lindsay Knights' times and places were: 60, Travis Block, 18:50.39; 80, Chance O'Shel, 19:22.25; 92, Dakota Ellender, 20:02.17; 94, Josh Timmons, 20:03.81; 110, Conner Polk, 22:28.77; 111, Max Beebe, 22:39.52.



Tigers Bob Bartush (16) and Mark Bartush (2) defend the Stars' passing game. Janie Hartman photo

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Sacred Heart Tigers
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UIL AREA ROUND

Muenster Hornets
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Where: Birdville ISD
When: Friday, Nov. 19, 7:30 p.m.
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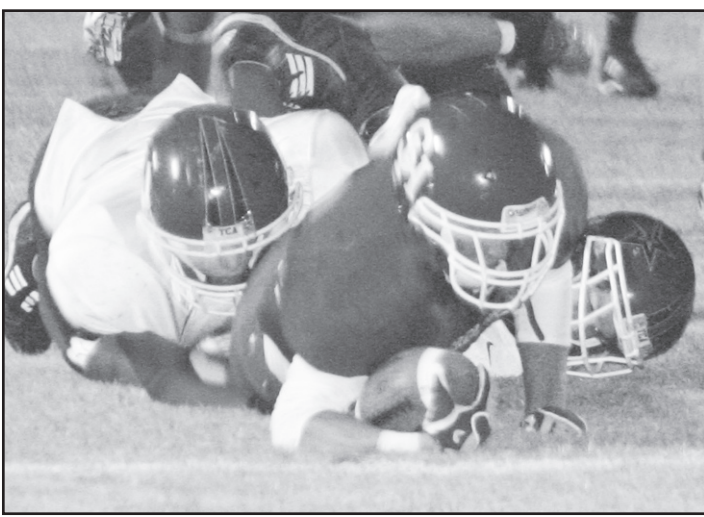
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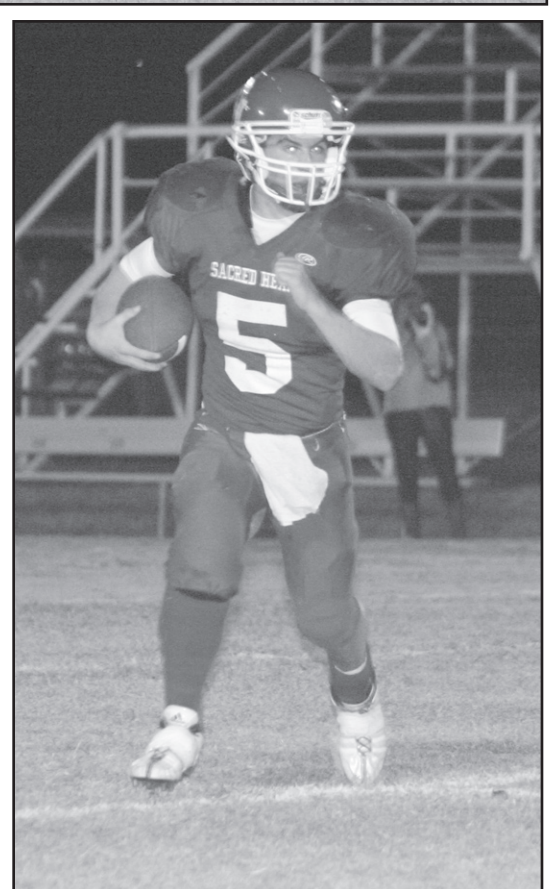
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and sire, grand sire, grand dam. Several years ago, only bucks were DNA charted, although the dams are listed.

A well-documented doe that has produced several outstanding buck fawns sells for much more than the bucks do, said Dick. "The last auction I was at, a doe sold for \$155,000 and she was a seven-year-old doe," he said.

In the Fall, Trophy Ridge offers guided hunts for deer. The weekend usually begins on Thursday afternoon when the hunters arrive. After settling them into the bunk house, the hunters are taken to a shooting range. This has a dual purpose. First, to be sure the gun shoots straight enough to allow them to hit their target, and second, to discuss gun safety and what the hunter can expect to see. "It gives us a chance to see how they handle a gun," Dick stated. "Some guys don't pay much attention. You see them flinging it (gun) all around and so you have to talk to them about gun safety."

Next, the hunters get a driving tour of the ranch,

and if they have arrived early enough, they can hunt that evening. Most hunt Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

"They get a chance to see a good number of deer," Dick said. "We charge them a basic fee to go hunting. We get \$2,500 for the week-end. That's for a deer up to 145 inches. We get a trophy fee above that for a bigger deer. For a deer over 200 inches, which we've killed two so far, this year, we get a \$10,000 trophy fee. Most everybody is going to shoot one that is in the 160 to 180 range, and that in the \$2,000 to \$4,000 trophy fee."

"If you go hunting most any place, deer leases now where you have a chance to kill a really big deer - probably about \$5,000. That's about the same thing it costs here - \$2,500 and a \$2,500 trophy fee, and you don't have to put a blind. You don't have to fill feeders. You don't have to make food plots. You don't have to cook or do anything else."

Only about one third of their hunters come from Texas. The majority come from outside Texas.

The Cains noted that they usually shut down the public hunts over the Christmas holidays and just family and friends hunt. Culling does must be done and this falls to the Cains, Ranch Manager Rick Cox, and the guides. This results in having a plentiful supply of venison, which they eat like most people do beef. Dick said they might grill backstrap or brisket, and grind a lot up and use it just like they do hamburger. Maurine said it is very lean.

Deer farming in the U.S. is in excess of \$3 billion industry, according to a study done by Texas A&M in 2007, and in Texas it was more than \$650 million. Dick stressed that this is just the breeding side and does not include the money made from hunting the deer. There are more than 1,200 deer breeders in Texas followed by Pennsylvania with over 1,000.

"On a smaller piece of ground, that's what you have to do to make a living," remarked Dick. He added that in the last 20 years in Texas, with so many of the big ranches being broken



Maurine and Dick Cain take a scenic drive of their ranch with Ranch Manager Rick Cox at the wheel. Janet Felderhoff photo



Above - breeding bucks and does are kept safe in pens on the ranch at Trophy Ridge. Only the bucks whose racks are too wide for the working chutes get to keep their antlers after they lose their velvet. Below, a wary buck watches from a pasture at Trophy Ridge. Janet Felderhoff photos



Maurine Cain uses venison in any recipe that calls for lean beef. She said that this recipe has been a favorite of family and hunters.

Venison Lasagna

Brown 1-lb venison in 3 tsp oil w/1-small onion chopped and 1 clove garlic.

Add 24 oz. jar of favorite marinara sauce. Simmer for 15 minutes. Meanwhile cook 8 oz. pkg. lasagna noodles. In separate bowl mix 1 pt. small curd cottage cheese, 4 raw eggs, ½ cup parmesan cheese, and 1-tsp dried parsley. Place layers of noodles, cheese mix, meat sauce, and grated mozzarella cheese (about 1-lb). Layer three times in 9x13 baking dish. Bake at 365° for 20 minutes or until bubbly and cheese starts to brown.



Two prize bucks at Trophy Ridge died a slow painful death one winter after locking their antlers in a deadly battle. Their remains, found during spring mowing, told their sad tale. Janet Felderhoff photo

into smaller ranches due to inheritances and such, people are forced to come up with innovative ideas for their ranches. This allows them to continue to live in the country on smaller parcels of land.

Cain outlined the schedule they follow each year at Trophy Ridge Whitetails. With the rut over in January, the bucks are returned to their own pens where they will be fed a special diet. This is to help them recover the weight lost during mating season. The year's fawn receive their last vaccination. There are several trade shows to be attended.

In February, they begin to deliver bred does to buyers. They sell about 50 a year.

March and April are fairly quiet. They take this time to travel or just relax and catch up with ranch chores.

Fawns are born from mid May into June. Ten does are housed in every 100'x200' pen. Each morning, someone walks the perimeter of every pen looking for newborn fawns. When one is found, it is taken outside the pen where it is ear tagged, a hair sample pulled for DNA, the navel treated with iodine, a weight recorded, and each receives an oral dose of colostrum. The baby then goes back to its mother. The exception is an underweight doe fawn. They are bottle raised. Because about half of the does are bred by artificial insemination, they get a number of triplets. Often, one of the triplets will be smaller and a candidate for bottle feeding. Buck fawns will not be bottle fed unless it is a matter of life or death for the baby. "The bucks, we try to keep as wild as possible and the does we try to keep as tame as possible," Dick said.

Bottle raising requires a lot of time and goes to the end of August.

September kicks off a busy time. Bucks are delivered to buyers by mid September, just as soon as they rub their velvet off. They remove antlers from the bucks that will be remaining in the pens at Trophy Ridge. He said that the reason this is done is that with 15 bucks kept in half to one acre areas, there will be pushing and shoving just like with bulls. When a bystander buck decides to stick one of the two pushing and shoving in its side, is when you lose one or have one injured. Removing antlers is also a safety factor for those caring for the deer.

Weaning fawns takes place at the end of September into October. Does are separated into breeding groups for the Fall. The does then have four

to six weeks to recuperate from nursing their fawns.

At the end of October, intrauterine devices (IUD) are inserted in the does to synchronize their breeding cycles. These stay in for 18 days. Sixty hours after the IUD is pulled, the deer is artificially inseminated (AI). Rut peaks in mid November for this part of the country, so this is often done the week before Thanksgiving. This year they plan to breed 40 does by AI and 45 naturally.

Cain said that they AI through a laparoscopic method meaning that the semen is placed directly into the oviduct by a veterinarian. "By doing this method, we get more than 80% conception every year," Dick noted. "With deer, you don't do it again because they only breed in a very short window of the year."

Another reason for the laparoscopic method is that one straw of semen can be split to AI two does rather than the usual one doe by the vaginal method. Each straw of semen costs between \$1,000 to \$10,000! Most of their's are in the \$2,000 to \$5,000 price range. A good reason to stretch one as far as possible Dick said. The price is justified by the returns in the price paid for the offspring. One straw should produce at least four offspring. Allowing for the cost of the veterinarian, feeding, the does, etc., Dick estimates about \$2,000 invested in each fawn. Each fawn should sell for \$5,000 to \$10,000 apiece.

Dick explained that the doe is given a sedative and the procedure takes place under full anesthesia. They used a modified stretcher to carry the doe. It tips up so that the intestines fall away allowing a better view of the oviduct. He estimates it takes five minute per doe. The whole process requires 15 or 16 people. The special handling facility creates a

smooth system of handling the deer.

During October, November, and December, the deer are monitored. This can be done from a second story window in the office building.

About half of yearlings (about 18 months) have one fawn and the rest have two. According to Dick, age two and a half and beyond, they have two every year. In the wild, they do not always raise two. "If it's poor range conditions, they generally just leave one as soon as it's born," explained Dick. "They just take care of one fawn. They usually have one fawn in one location and one somewhere else, so if a predator comes by they don't get both fawns." He said that if conditions are really poor, the doe will not raise any fawns because her health is primary. He gleaned this information from studies done at A&M where they did a comparative range study with deer, sheep, and goats.

Dick feels that the genetics are as good as any in the State. He pointed out one of the trophy mounts on a wall of deer, and noted that the dark antlered buck was in the top five in the nation last year. "What we raise are trophy quality deer at three years of age because everybody will tell you a mature buck is five or six years of age. But, you can't afford to keep them five or six years because there's a mortality curve on them," remarked Dick. A trophy deer is 150 to 200 inches on the Boone and Crockett score card. A waiting list exists for deer from Trophy Ridge. Recently, a hunter shot a deer that scored 218 6/8 inches, and two weeks before a 204 inch buck was shot.

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Clerk COUNTY COURT AT LAW COUNTY COURTHOUSE ANNEX 112 S. DIXON ST., RM 116 GAINESVILLE, TX 76240 By: /s/ PATRICIA TUCKER, Deputy WM. B. SULLIVANT Sullivan Law Firm P.O. Box 1517 Gainesville, Texas 76241 Telephone: 940/665-5481 Fax: 940/668-6147 NO. PR16698 ESTATE OF DAVID WILLIAM PATTERSON, DECEASED. IN THE COUNTY COURT AT LAW OF COOKE COUNTY, TEXAS APPLICATION TO DETERMINE HEIRSHIP TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT: DOUGLAS J. PATTERSON, ("Applicant"), furnishes the following information: I. Applicant is an individual interested in the estate, who is domiciled in and resides at 306- B Jeff Gordon, Harker Heights, Texas 76548. II. David William Patterson ("Decedent") died June 24, 2010, in Cooke County, Texas, at the age of fifty-eight (58) years. III. This Court has jurisdiction and venue because Decedent was domiciled in and had a fixed place of residence in this County on the date of his death. IV. Decedent owned personal property described generally as his retirement with the Teachers Retirement of Texas retirement program and a small amount of back pay due him from the City of Gainesville, all of which had a probable value in excess of \$25,000.00. V. It is necessary and in the best interest of the estate for the Court to determine who are the heirs and only heirs of Decedent. The names and addresses and relationship of the heirs to Decedent are as follows:

Name and Address, Relationship to Decedent, True Interest: Douglas J. Patterson 206-B Jeff Gordon Harker Heights, Texas 76548 Child, 1/3 of the estate Eric W. Patterson 1123 Combs Creek Dallas, Texas 75211 Child, 1/3 of the estate Haylee Taylor Patterson 1123 Combs Creek Dallas, Texas 75211 Child, 1/3 of the estate VI. Applicant is the oldest child of the Decedent. VII. Decedent was married two (2) times. The first to Lesley Atchison in 1976. To the marriage of Decedent and Lesley Atchison there was born one child, Douglas J. Patterson, who is Applicant herein. No other child or children were either born or adopted to the marriage of David William Patterson and Lesley Atchison Patterson, or to either of them, and no child lived in their home under circumstances that could give rise to a claim of adoption by estoppel. VIII. To the best of Applicant's knowledge Decedent died intestate. There is no necessity for administration of the estate. All of Decedent's debts have been paid. IX. This Application does not omit any information required by Probate Code, Section 49. Applicant

prays that citation issue as required by law; that upon hearing hereof the Court determine who are the heirs and only heirs of Decedent and their respective shares and interest in this estate; and that appraisers not be appointed; and that all other orders be entered as the Court may deem proper. /s/ WM. B. SULLIVANT, Attorney for Applicant State Bar #19501000 THE STATE OF TEXAS,) COUNTY OF COOKE.) BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared DOUGLAS J. PATTERSON, and after being duly sworn stated that: "My name is Douglas J. Patterson. I am over the age of 18 years and am competent to make this affidavit. All statements contained herein are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct. Insofar as is known to me, all the allegations of the foregoing Application are true in substance and in fact, and no material fact or substance has within my knowledge been omitted from the Application." /s/ DOUGLAS J. PATTERSON SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME this 2nd day of September, 2010. /s/ Teresa Waters Notary Public, State of Texas.

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Maddie Hess each scoring 2, and Amanda Aldriedge 1.
SH 4 4 4 8 **20**
SM 0 2 9 4 **15**
Sacred Heart 47
St. Mary's 14
 The Cubs' season opener was a one-sided victory over the Mustangs. Hayden Schilling led all scorers with 14 points. Isac Walterscheid added 10, Kason Reeves 9, Brady Endres 6, Jason Knabe 4, and 2 each by Zach Flusche and Darian Peters.
SH 9 14 14 10 **47**
SM 2 3 5 4 **14**
Sacred Heart 16
Calvary 12
 Amanda Aldriedge and

Hannah Hess each scored 6 points Tuesday and Leah Knabe 4 in the "B" Lady Cubs' win.
SH 4 2 8 2 **16**
DC 1 2 5 4 **12**
Sacred Heart 20
Calvary 22
 A no-score 3rd quarter contributed to the "B" Cubs' loss Tuesday night. Daniel Hesse led the scoring with 8. Ethan Henry added 6, with Tyler Walterscheid, Marco Gonzales, and Grant Springer each scoring 2.
SH 8 4 0 8 **20**
DC 6 4 5 7 **22**
Sacred Heart 16
Calvary 14

The "A" team girls pulled out a low scoring victory Tuesday. K. Hess and Davidson were the only Lady Cub scorers with 12 and 4 points.
SH 2 0 8 6 **16**
DC 2 6 0 6 **14**
Sacred Heart 35
Calvary 22
 Endres put 14 points on the board for the "A" Cubs in Tuesday's win. Reeves added 9, Schilling 6, and 3 each by Walterscheid and Peters.
SH 6 8 13 8 **35**
DC 5 4 8 5 **22**

MORE JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

Lindsay vs Valley View
 The Lindsay "B" team girls opened the season with a 31-8 victory. Jessica Martin and Sydney McCage led the scorers with 14 and 13 points. Hannah Davis and Catlynn Schumacher each added 2.
 The 7th Grade Lady Knights fell to the Lady Birds 41-22. Hailey Cooper and Alison Gunderson scored 6 points a piece. Hope English added 5, Sarah Snider 4, and

Ali Anzaldua 1.
 The Lindsay 8th grade girls dominated the court with a 31-5 win. Nicole Fleitman led with 12 points. Courtney Neu added 8, Emily Otto 5, Tara Atkins 4, and Kailei Klement 2.
 A combined boys "B" team defeated the Birds 33-6. Brandon Worth led all scorers with 17 points. Aaron Martindale had 6, Camdon Maydew 4, and 2 each from Jeremiah Hogan, Zach

Green, and Gus Medina.
 The 7th grade Knights lost in overtime 35-32. Garrett Martin burned the boards with 24 points. Jake Reynolds, Chance Shauf, Zach Hermes, and Hunter El-lender all scored 2.
 With a very lop-sided 59-4 victory, the 8th team was led by Lyndon Cook's 17 points. Troy Robertson added 12, Justin Ott 9, Kedrick Boaz 8, Connor Pelzel 7, and Ryan Hoepfner 6.

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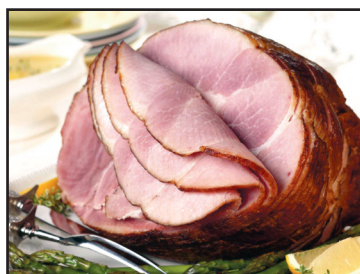
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