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Rockwall Texas Success Publisher Jane Gorden Bounds Remembered for love of family



As a newspaper publisher and as a woman, Jane Gorden Bounds opened doors and forged new paths that many follow to this day. Although she did not push for change by being loud or demanding, her professional manner, quest for excellence and expectations of equality earned her the respect of her peers and set the standard by which many in Rockwall County still set their sights.

She died Feb. 12, 2012.

Services were conducted on Thursday, Feb. 16, in the M.L. Jones Chapel at First Baptist Church in Rockwall. Officiate was the Rev. Mark Irons. Private burial followed. The Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

According to information provided by the family, she was born to Rufus Benjamin Gorden and Vada Augusta Lusk Gorden on the family farm in Limestone County outside of Coolidge on Aug. 12, 1925.

She was of Scottish ancestry. She took great pride in her southern family heritage and still owned part of the original family farm purchased in 1880.

She married Philip J. Bounds Jr. in Coolidge in June 1942.

The Bounds purchased the Rockwall Texas Success newspaper and operated it until 1988. During that time, she served as an owner, editor and publisher of the publication. She died in 1976.

As a community leader, she received numerous awards, including being named the first woman in the Rockwall Noon Rotary Club, Rockwall Soroptimist Women of Distinction, Daughters of the American Revolution Community Service Award, Community Builder Award Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas District #157, Lambda Upsilon Award for dedication and service, Rockwall Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Merchant Award, Rockwall 4-H and Texas A&M University Agricultural Service Award, Rockwall County Extension Frank Springer Award, Rockwall High School Alumni Service Award, Rockwall Texas Success 100th Anniversary 1883-1983 State of Texas and Jane Gorden's Place 1880 Texas Department of Agriculture Family Land Heritage Program Award for a century or more of continuous ownership of a family agricultural enterprise.

She was devoted to family and had a great spirit for life. She taught her children and grandchildren by example how to treat others with kindness and respect and how to be a loyal friend.

Survivors include her daughter, Joy Bounds Greenwalt, and her son-in-law, Jim Greenwalt, of Rockwall; her granddaughter, Julia Bliss Greenwalt Ferris, and grandson-in-law, James Ferris, and two great-grandchildren, Julia Bronwyn Ferris and Jocelyn Blythe Ferris of Round Rock; her granddaughter, Laura C. Farr of Chattanooga, Tenn.; her nephew, Benjamin Gorden of Waco and Coolidge; and her great-nieces, Julia Gorden Bennett, Tillie Gorden Ashmore, Ina Gorden and Jenny Gorden, all of Coolidge. She was preceded in death by her parents; her siblings; her daughter, Jill Bounds; and her husband.

In lieu of flowers, the family has suggested memorial contributions may be made to the First Christian Church, 3375 Ridge Road, Rockwall, TX 75032; the Rockwall County Animal Shelter, 1825 Airport Road, Rockwall, TX 75087; or the Soroptimist Women's Shelter, P.O. Box 242, Rockwall, TX 75087.



Gabriel Colmenares, son of Rosa and Adolfo Colmenares, was recently named the Rotary Honor Student of the 2011-2012 school year for Dobbs Elementary. Pictured with the sixth grade student is Teresa Twedell, Dobbs principal.

Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News

Vicki Mikel leaves legacy of progress in Fate

The City of Fate is mourning the passing of City Manager Vicki Lynn Mikel, who died Tuesday, February 7, from heart failure. Mikel had served as Fate City Manager since November 2008.

A memorial service was held last Friday in Kennedale.

Mikel was born May 24, 1954 in Wichita Falls. She was a graduate of the University of Texas at Arlington School of Urban and Public Affairs.

In addition to her years in Fate as a Certified Public Manager, she served as Assistant City Manager/Director of Finance for the City of Lake Worth from 2000-2008; Director of Finance for the City of Everman, 1997-2000; and as Director of Finance for the City of Kennedale from 1985-1997.

Mikel's professional affiliations included: Member of Governmental Finance Officers Association; Member of Government Finance Officers Association of Texas; Member of International City/County Management Association; Member of International Council of Shopping Centers; and Member of Texas City Management Association.

"To say that she was dedicated to the city of Fate would be an understatement," Fate Mayor Bill Broderick said. "To say she was very talented and the experience she brought here set the tone and direction of the community."

Broderick said the friendships Mikel forged with his office, the city council, Fate businesses, and the community had a significant impact on everyone she worked with.

"She was not just a professional. She was a friend and will be missed," he said.

Rockwall County Commissioner David Magness said, "It's easy to say good things about someone like Vicki. I feel a great loss for her family, for the city, and for those of us who knew her."

Magness said he worked with Mikel on many ventures, including transportation projects such as the SH66 and FM551 road expansions.

"Vicki was always a great advocate for Fate," he said. "When she came here, she immediately had a great faith in Fate and hit the ground running. She had a vision, created a plan and worked it. Her hard work is evident today as you see how Fate is coming along."

Mikel was preceded in death by her father, Donald Ray Bishop; mother, Wilma Lee Bishop; and brother, Gary Wayne Bishop.

Survivors include brothers and sisters-in-law, Rudy and Lisa Bishop of Florida, and Rodney and Sabina Bishop of Arlington, TX; children, James and Wendy Thompson of Burleson; Melysa and Ricky Johnson of Alba; Marie Thompson of Fort Worth; grandchildren, Natalie, Brett, Raven, Nickolas, Dylan, Catie, Carolyn, Miranda, Jessica, Alex, Claire, Courtney and Keith; numerous nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews in Arlington, Harlingen and Florida.



Vicki Lynn Mikel



Fort Elementary's Annual Art Show, which took place Feb. 7, encouraged students to explore and express their creativity and imaginations in art classes. Their creations then were framed and displayed during a special "evening only" event. Parents, grandparents and friends were invited to view the display and purchase framed artwork. Pictured above are Grayson McKee and Natalie Wolfe, two of the many participants.

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Heath sets elections, plans for water use

by Darcy Rocha

The Feb. 7 meeting of the Heath City Council was again observed by a local Boy Scout working on his citizenship badge. Jacob Hogue, a freshman at Rockwall Heath High School, is a member of Troup #314.

"We'll try to keep it civil," Mayor John Ratcliffe said lightheartedly amidst applause for the young man.

The consent agenda included three items pertaining to two elections that have been called and are set for May 12. Consent agenda items typically do not warrant any discussion unless it is requested by council or citizens. There was no discussion on these items and all were approved unanimously by the full council as all were in attendance.

The first resolution calls for a general election for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two council members. Last week Ratcliffe announced that he is not seeking re-election after serving four terms.

Feb. 4 was the first day open to file for a place on the ballot. Mayor Pro-Tem Lorne Liechty has announced his intentions to seek the office.

The same resolution also states that council Places 3 and 5 will be included in the May 12 election. Place 3 is held by council member Julie Zurek, who has filed for re-election. Place 5 is held by Liechty, who will not run for re-election and instead campaign for mayor. Heath citizens John Curtis, a member of the Park Board, and Brian Berry, a member of the Special Events Board, have filed as candidates for Place 5.

The last day to file for a place on the ballot is March 5.

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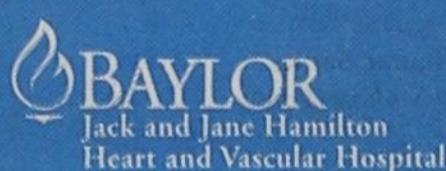
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Rockwall High School Stingerettes receiving solo recognition in the American Dance Drill Team competition conducted at Rockwall-Heath High earlier this month included, from the left, Elisha White, sixth runner-up; Marley Lites, first runner-up; and Katelyn Barton, fourth runner-up.
Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News



The Rockwall Stingerettes, pictured above, competed in the American Dance Drill Team competition at Rockwall-Heath High Feb. 4, landing several awards. Awards won included Sweepstakes (Officer Team, Elite); Judges Award (Officer, Jazz, Team Prop); Lyrical (Team Lyrical, Officer Lyrical); Officer Contemporary; Elite Contemporary; Best Technique (Team, Elite); Best Precision (Team); Presentation (Officers, Elite); Best Choreography (Officer, Team, Elite); Second Runner-up Overall (Team); First Place Overall (Elite); and Second Runner-up Overall (Officers). All soloists received Division I placement.
Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News



The Rockwall-Heath Starstepper junior varsity drill team, directed by Anna Blair, took top honors at the NDD Dance Competition at Heath High School earlier this month. The team earned the Gussie Nell Davis of Excellence Award, Judges' Award, Best in Class and Best of the Best. The officers — Sara Schneider, Allison Strother, Brooke Sands, Raquelle Blackwood and Sidney Smith — earned Sweepstakes Gussie Nell Davis of Excellence Award, Judges' Award and Best in Class for officer routines. Strother and Sands took fourth runner-up for solo routines.
Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News

Silver Pack Dancers earn wins at regional

The Uteley Middle School Silver Pack Dancers competition team raked in numerous wins at the American Dance Drill Team North Texas Regional Feb. 4. The team won a total of 11 awards, according to a news release. Those included Team Sweepstakes, Gussie Nell Davis Award, First Runner-Up Middle School Team, Judges' Award for jazz, Judge's Award for hip-hop, Judge's Award for pom, Best Overall Technique, Best Overall Precision and Best Overall Choreography.

Taking individuals awards, Nicole Berglund, fourth runner-up, was named solo finalist, and McKenzie Bryant was named solo winner. Team members include Crawford, Ashleigh LeMcKenzie Bryant, Nicole Berglund, Kaitlyn Strother, Mary Buckner, Hallie Gerhart, Nicole Paul, Mingle, Kenzie Moody, Lita McMahon, Aubree Norton, Crystal Vo, Madison Livingstone, Brittany Dickison, Alexis Moore, Melissa Cisneros, Savannah Fradette, Madison Molloy, Miranda Averie Kozlowski, Karina Gray, Krystal Casamalhuapa, Kester, Kinsey Jamison, Katelyn Hurley, Isabella Garner, Madison Glisson, Brianna Williams, Al Bickerstaff, Madison Jensen, Kirsten Baker, Madzia Kober, Brianna Zaeske and Alisha Be...



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Helen Mitchell (seated) with her daughter Linda Duran.

Patriot PAW fundraiser s

A fundraiser for Patriot Paw service dogs program will run from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. March 4 at Zant in downtown Rockwall. Hannah Helvey, star of the “Texas Women” reality show, will be the featured guest and will be the silent auction of items donated by local businesses will be featured. The public is invited to the event, which will help dis American veterans and c regain their independence th Patriot PAWS dogs.

Rockwall council tackles bond issues, animal euthanasia plan

By Whitney Williams
 The Rockwall City Council voted Feb. 6 to place a \$52 million bond issue on the March 12 General Election ballot. A standing-room only crowd was on hand to offer overwhelming support for the facility, despite the reservations of council member Michelle Smith.
 Smith said she is concerned about putting the additional tax burden on residents during a time of economic hardship.
 "As leaders, we have to make tough choices. I'm not opposed to balling in opposed to this complex," she said.
 Smith said she has suggested that instead of spending millions of dollars on a completely new facility, the city first look at renovating and expanding the existing public baseball complex, Tuttle Field. Supporters of the bond have said a new state-of-the-art facility could draw teams and tournaments to the Rockwall area, possibly generating tens of thousands, if not millions, of dollars in revenue from rental fees, hotel use, meals, and entertainment.
 Smith said she would like to see if those dollars materialize before asking voters to foot the bill for a complex of the magnitude being discussed. She also suggested instead of placing the financial burden solely on the shoulders of Rockwall citizens, the council seek a joint venture with Dallas County and the other four cities within the county to help pay for the complex.
 "We are the citizens of the city of Rockwall having to bear the burden for a complex when the people of the county are going to be benefitting from it. Is that fair?" Smith asked.

Supporters of the proposed complex were many and very vocal throughout the proceedings. Many were parents of former and current ball players who said they looked to outlying cities for sports teams to play on because of a lack of adequate facilities within Rockwall. They also gave the council a long list of surrounding cities that have up-to-date sports facilities and estimated revenue generated from tournaments.
 "We have a beautiful Harbor, a beautiful courthouse, football stadium and aquatics center," said Rockwall resident Jeff McMurtrey. "We need a beautiful sports facility for our kids. We need it on the ballot so people can vote."
 Rockwall Baseball Association president Jami Werth said, although there is never a good time to spend this kind of money, especially with the economy in such bad shape, she views a new athletic complex "as an investment."
 "For the cost of one Starbucks' latte a week, our kids can benefit from a nice park," Werth said. "I am willing to spend \$250 a year on my children and your children."
 In addition to the athletic complex, the bond package includes three additional projects: \$4.9M for Heritage Park; \$19M for street and road improvements; and \$10.2M for downtown improvements.
 The council passed the resolution to place the bond package on the May 12 ballot by a vote of 6-1, with Smith voting against the proposition.
Animal Euthanasia
 In a unanimous 7-0 vote, the council decided to postpone any action on the proposed animal euthanasia policy at Rockwall Animal Services.
 Supporters of animal rights continue to express concern over wording of the proposal and question the suggested 90 percent live outcome requirement,

in addition to other details of the plan.
 Council member Margo Nielsen made a motion for the postponement which gives the council a longer time to discuss the details with the community and to have a workshop or meeting with council members and city staff to fine-tune the plan.
 The motion passed 7-0 and will be discussed again at the March 5 city council meeting.
Comprehensive Plan
 The council unanimously approved appointing a citizens committee to assist with review of the city's Comprehensive Plan. The suggested seven member group will work with staff to review the plan, which has been on the books for 12 years, and bring its report to council within 30 days.
 Council members may appoint a member to the committee or they can appoint themselves.
Storrs Street Parking Lot
 Council members approved spending \$131,000 to build a 27-space parking lot on Storrs Street to help with the lack of adequate parking on the downtown square. The money will come from the city's reserve fund.
 The parking lot will be built on land the city currently owns on Storrs Street, just south of City Hall. City vehicles that currently park at The Center on Washington Street will be relocated to other parking spots, freeing up an additional 16 spaces for shoppers' convenience.
 The parking lot is needed as downtown improvements are bringing more shoppers to the area and with the Department of Motor Vehicles moving downtown, more and more cars are vying for the limited spaces each day, according to council member Cliff Sevier.

Rockwall BGC hosts regional conference

The Boys & Girls Club of Rockwall County hosted more than 100 board members, staff members and Youth of the Year candidates from throughout North Texas at the annual Boys & Girls Clubs of North Texas Area Council/Youth of the Year Conference Feb. 11.
 Local leaders Mayor David Sweet, Rockwall ISD representative Sheri Fowler, Rockwall Chamber president Dana Macalik and president of TechCorps out of Houston, Danny Perry, served as Youth of the Year judges.
 Ninety club members, ranging in age from 14 to 17, had been selected by their local club to compete for the North Texas title, \$1,000 and the opportunity to advance to the state competition in April.
 The event began Feb. 10 with a reception and dinner at Allure Restaurant at Chandler's Landing where contestants gave speeches about what the Boys & Girls Club means to them.
 The following morning, the candidates were interviewed by the judges. Final selections were made by noon.
 Winners were Shadae Saules, a senior from the Boys & Girls Club of Greater Dallas, and Denzel Bailey, a senior from the club of Greater Fort Worth. Each of these young men will compete against other teens for the State Youth of the Year title. The state winner will advance to a regional contest, and that winner will advance to the national competition.



The Boys & Girls Club of Rockwall County hosted more than 100 board members, staff and Youth of the Year candidates at the annual BGC of North Texas Area Council/Youth of the Year Conference Feb. 11. Pictured at back, from the left, are Teresa Walch, senior vice president regional service director, Boys & Girls Clubs of America; Dana Macalik, Rockwall Chamber president; Sheri S. Fowler, executive director of communications, public relations and marketing, Rockwall ISD; Danny Perry, president/CEO TechCorps; and Rockwall Mayor David Sweet. At front are the North Texas Youth of the Year winners Shadae Saules, BGC of Greater Dallas, and Denzel Bailey, BGC of Greater Fort Worth.
 Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News

Rockwall ISD trustees plan Feb. 20 session

Trustees for the Rockwall Independent School District will meet at 6:30 p.m. Feb. 20 in the RISD Administration/Conference Center, Room 600, at 1050 Williams St.
 The board will go into executive session to receive an update on the status of investigations concerning complaints against personnel, according to the meeting's agenda. Also slated for discussion in the closed-door portion of the meeting is deliberation regarding a potential site for a school to be located in Heath.
 Any action deemed necessary as a result of the executive session will, in accordance with state law, be conducted in an open session.
 The meeting is scheduled to reconvene in open session at 7:30 p.m. Several informational reports are scheduled to be given and the consent agenda will be considered.
 Other items included on the meeting's agenda are:
 • Consider approval of resolution related to the naming of facilities, specifically elementary school No. 13;
 • Consider approval to contract for energy management professional services;
 • Consideration of a budget report;
 • Consideration of the Texas Association of School Board's Policy Manual Update 92 on second and final reading;
 • Consideration of the TASP Policy FFAC (Local), Wellness and Health Services Medical Treatment, on second and final reading;

Rockwall County Sheriff Dept. Report

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 The Sheriff's Department commends the performance and courage of Deputy Keven Rowan who saved the lives of two young women whose vehicle was accidentally driven into Lake Ray Hubbard.
R'wall seeks input on animal euthanasia
 The Rockwall City Council is seeking citizen input on the proposed policy regarding the euthanasia of animals at the City of Rockwall Animal Adoption Center.
 A copy of the city's euthanasia policy can be found at rockwall.com/AnimalServices/documents/EuthanasiaPolicy.pdf.
 Comments can be emailed to animaladoptions@rockwall.com; each comment should include the name and address of the individual submitting the comment.

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Heath sets election date...

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 The next resolution calls a special election for the proposition of the legal sale of beer and wine for off-premise consumption only. Citizens led by the president of the Heath Economic Development Corp. helped circulate petitions on late last year to garner enough signatures to get the issue on the ballot. As enough verified signatures were collected, the issue will now go to voters of Heath to decide.
 The final consent agenda resolution authorized Ratcliffe to execute a contract with the Rockwall County Elections Administration and the Rockwall Independent School District for services for the May 12 election.
 During discussion was consideration of a resolution authorizing city manager Ed Thatcher to execute a professional services agreement for a water supply evaluation and water distribution system study. Because the city has experienced peak times of water usage in the past that have been beyond the capacity of the system and because the city anticipates significant growth that will also impact the system, the city thinks it is advisable to examine the options for increasing provisions for water.
 The city spent a lot of time at the retreat the city held on Friday (Feb. 3) to discuss about the future needs of the city with respect to water and the best way to go about securing that and ensuring that we have both the facilities and the access to water supply for Heath's current residents and our potential growth. This was part of that discussion coming out of the retreat, said Ratcliffe.
 Currently, the city is supplied wholesale treated water through a contract with the City of Rockwall. To meet future demands, the city may have to increase the volume provisions within a new contract or begin negotiations with a regional water supplier.

- Consideration of a resolution celebrating the month of March for Texas Public Schools;
- Consider approval of an order to call an election for May 12 for the RISD board of trustees;
- Consider approval of the 2012-2013 school calendar;
- Consider approval of the investment policy, investment brokers and investment officer training providers; and
- Hear the superintendent's report.

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According to the services agreement, engineers from Freese & Nichols will evaluate the current water supply, create a water distribution system and assist with the acquisition of a permanent supply source and if so, evaluate the developer requirements for the Heath Golf and Yacht and the feasibility of possible future service to McLendon-Chisholm High Point Water Supply Corporation.
 The study will be funded through the city's capital improvement program. The total cost is expected to be \$133,500, \$11,400 of which is for the location of the Heath Golf and Yacht club developer agreement and will be included in a reimbursement agreement with the developer.
 The final agenda item addressed the request from Rob and Sara Whittle, to change its taxing authority. In order to secure full investment potential and to proceed with the project, the group is asking for council to consider changing the project area from a municipal management district to a valorem taxing district.
 The city had previously zoned the property with a planned development ordinance and supported legislation creating the MMD, but Whittle and the proposed co-developer, The Redstone Companies, have expressed a desire to create a water control and improvement district covering the property in order to have a district with taxing authority that would facilitate development of the project.
 A sub-committee of the project, made up of Liechty and council member Barry Brooks, worked with legal counsel to draft the non-binding agreement.
 "It appears that we have a resolution in front of us that we're just going to get our stamp of approval on, but there's been a lot of thought and hours of sweat put into this thing, particularly by mayor pro-tem Liechty and council member Brooks," said council member Justin Holland. "They've put a lot of their own time in when they could have been working in their own offices. I'm appreciative to have those guys and their minds on this. This is another step towards another quality development in our city."
 The council voted unanimously in favor to approve the new resolution.

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On God's Word

by Timothy W. Burnett

Know The Love of God

According to God's word, His love casts out fear (1John 4:18). God wants us to experientially know His love (1John 3:16). This can be understood more perfectly by studying God's love toward Jesus Christ. During the time of the Gospels God loved His son, and He was faithful toward His son. God's integrity is directly related to His love. In John 3:35 the prophet John declared how the Father loves the son. According to John 8:29 Jesus emphasized that God was with him. He also reiterated that the Father did not leave him alone. There should be no doubt about God's faithfulness and love toward His son Jesus Christ. But then the reader comes to Matthew 27:46 and Mark 15:34. According to the King James Bible, during his last minutes on the cross he said with a loud voice, "Eli Eli Lamana Sabachthani, which is to say, 'My God, my God, why hath thou forsaken me!'" God left His beloved son alone. This brings a devastating blow to any sincere student of the Bible who desires to know God's love. Why the contradiction?

The problem rests in the translation. In Gospel Light, author George Lamsa explained that the translators included the Aramaic words due to uncertainty of meaning. He also revealed the more accurate meaning. The word Eli meant "my God." The word Lamana was pronounced Lmna, and was a declaration of "for this purpose." The root of "sabachthani" was shbk and meant to spare, leave, reserve or keep. Based on this research, Jesus' words are better translated, "My God, my God, for this purpose was I spared!" Jesus Christ knew the purpose of his crucifixion and death. During the most difficult and excruciating time of his life, Jesus Christ sucked in one of his last breaths of air and loudly gave a cry of victory. God did not leave His son alone. Jesus knew this better than anybody else. In John 16:32 Jesus said, "...yet I am not alone, because the Father is with me." Just as God never left His first-born son alone, so also will He never leave His beloved children alone. There is no fear in God's love. But the perfect love of God casts out fear. Jesus was extremely anxious over what he was about to experience. Just prior to being arrested, Jesus prayed fervently three times asking His Father God to let the cup pass by him. In other words he was asking to not have to experience the persecution and death. After pouring his heart out to God, Jesus meekly said, "not my will be done, but your will be done." Jesus wanted to let God's purpose be accomplished. Jesus knew that his suffering and death would be directly related to God's love. Jesus spoke the truth earlier when he said, "For God so loved

the world that He gave His only begotten son, that whoever believes on Him shall not perish but have everlasting life" (John 3:16). Please don't forget that Jesus allowed these things to come upon Him out of love. Jesus did God's will and gave his own life out of love for us. A good man would give his life for the woman he loves, so that she might live. He would stand in front of her and take a punch or bullet for her. He would do his best to stand for her in a court case against her. He would push her out of the path of an oncoming car and take the hit for her. Jesus stood in front of all of mankind and endured the absolute treatment the Jewish leaders and Roman soldiers could dispense, and allowed himself to die on the stake. God bore witness to His love by raising Jesus from the dead and placing Him the right hand seat of His power and authority as the son of the living King.

Boan gets 50 years and \$100,000 fine for cocaine possession

A Rockwall County jury convicted a Georgia man Feb. 7 for possession of cocaine/over 400 grams, according to a news release from district attorney's office. The jury deliberated for less than an hour to determine punishment for Lee Boan, 44. He was sentenced to 50 years in prison and a \$100,000 fine. Jurors heard testimony that on Jan. 21, Rockwall Police Officer Barrett M. Boan detained Boan on a traffic stop on I-30. During that stop the law enforcement officer found half a kilo of cocaine hidden under the hood of Boan's vehicle. Lead prosecutor Alex Imgrund, during the punishment phase of the trial process, introduced evidence that Boan previously had been convicted and sentenced to prison in New York state for the criminal sale of a controlled substance. "Justice has been served," Imgrund said. "Officer Morris and the Rockwall Police Department did a great job of investigating and presenting this case." Kenda Culpepper, Rockwall County district attorney, said the jury sent a clear message "to individuals running drugs in this area. There is and should be no tolerance for those who prey on our community," she said.

Brown Bag series resume

The Rockwall County Historical Foundation's Brown Bag Lecture Series resumed Feb. 10 at the historic downtown courthouse. Program chair Sheri Fowler presented information about the location and significance of historical markers throughout the county. A handout will be available at the next lecture for individuals interested in exploring these locations. The next lecture, Lake Lore, will be presented by Jerry Wimpee on March 9 on the third floor of the historic courthouse. Wimpee worked for Dallas Parks Department and will share personal insights into the lake project's reactions and how the lake got its name.

R'wall residents may see change in trash pick-up

According to a City of Rockwall news release, Allied Waste has added garbage trucks to the Monday and Thursday pick-up routes. The addition of new trucks has prompted Allied to re-sequence some of its routes to accommodate the added trucks. The change may result in garbage pick-up taking place earlier or later in the day than local residents are accustomed to, according to the release. Rockwall residents are encouraged to continue putting out their garbage by a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, according to the release.

Two named to Wash-U honor roll

Two Rockwall residents were among students named to the Dean's List for fall semester at Washington University in St. Louis, Mo. Ezinne Chinenye Arizor and Uchechukwu Ifeoma Arizor were named to Dean's List. Both are Rockwall-Heath High School graduates enrolled in university's College of Arts & Sciences, according to a university news release. To qualify for the Dean's List, students must earn a semester grade point average of 3.5 or above and be enrolled in at least 14 graded units.

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Rockwall County Obituaries

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Jane Gorden Bounds



Services for Jane Gorden Bounds were conducted at 2 p.m. Feb. 16, 2012, at the First Baptist Church, M.L. Jones in Rockwall with the Rev. Mark ... Private burial followed. Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall was in charge of arrangements. She died Feb. 12.

in the family farm in Limestone outside of Coolidge on Aug. 12, 25. Rufus Benjamin Gorden and Augusta Lusk Gorden, she was of ... She married Philip J. ... in Coolidge in June 1942. Bounds purchased the Rockwall access newspaper and operated ... 1988. During that time, she served as an owner, editor and publisher of ...

community leader, she received numerous awards, including being the first women in the Rockwall Noon Rotary Club, Rockwall ... Women of Distinction, Daughters of the American Revolution ... Service Award, Community Builder Award Masonic Grand Lodge ... East Trinity #157, Lambda Upsilon Award for dedication and service, ... Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Merchant Award, Rockwall ... Texas A&M University Agricultural Service Award, Rockwall County ... in Frank Springer Award, Rockwall High School Alumni Service ... Rockwall Texas Success 100th Anniversary 1883-1983 State of Texas ... Gorden's Place 1880 Texas Department of Agriculture Family Land ... Program Award for a century or more of continuous ownership of a ... agricultural enterprise.

She took great pride in her southern family heritage and still owned part of ... family farm purchased in 1880. She was devoted to family and had ... great spirit for life. She taught her children and grandchildren by example how ... others with kindness and respect and how to be a loyal friend.

Survivors include her daughter, Joy Bounds Greenwalt, and her son-in-law, ... Greenwalt, of Rockwall; her granddaughter, Julia Bliss Greenwalt Ferris, ... grandson-in-law, James Ferris, and two great-grandchildren, Julia Bronwyn ... and Jocelyn Blythe Ferris of Round Rock; her granddaughter, Lauren ... of Chattanooga, Tenn.; her nephew, Benjamin Gorden of Waco and ... and her nieces, Julia Gorden Bennett, Tillie Gorden Ashmore, Ina ... and Jenny Gorden, all of Coolidge.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her siblings; her daughter, Jill ... and her husband.

In lieu of flowers, the family has suggested memorial contributions may be ... the First Christian Church, 3375 Ridge Road, Rockwall, TX 75032; the ... County Animal Shelter, 1825 Airport Road, Rockwall, TX 75087; or ... Optimist Women's Shelter, P.O. Box 242, Rockwall, TX 75087.

Bonnie Faye Cunningham



Services for Bonnie Faye Cunningham, ... Rockwall were conducted at 2 ... m. Feb. 10, 2012, in the Rest Haven ... Home-Rockwall Chapel with ... Pastor Rick Donaho officiating. Burial ... in the Rest Haven Memorial ... died Feb. 7.

She was born Sept. 22, 1930, in Kansas City, ... to Leland and Nella Faye ... she had worked as a legal secretary ... the Atomic Energy Commission. ... resident of Rockwall, she was ... member of the Ladies Golf Association ... TX Shores and a member of Lake ... Church. She also volunteered ... on the board of directors for ... Rockwall's Helping Hands.

Survivors include her sons, Jimmie Cunningham of Rockwall and Gary John ... Cunningham and his wife, Maureen, of McKinney; her granddaughters, Krysta ... and Leigh; and her great-grandchildren, Matthew, Levi and Stephen. ... She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Robert Leon ... Cunningham; and seven brothers and sisters.

Ernest Goulding

Private family services for Ernest Goulding, 69, of Rockwall are planned. ... the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel will be in charge of arrange- ... died Feb. 11.

He was born March 16, 1942, in Ipswich, Mass., to Ernest and Mildred (Putnam) ... Goulding, he worked in real estate sales. He had been a resident of Rockwall ... since 1994.

Survivors include his wife, Bobbie (Huff) Goulding of Rockwall; his son, Eric ... Goulding, and his wife, Helle, of Denmark; his daughters, Christine Goulding ... of California, Charity Goulding of Fort Worth and Ellen Escobedo and her hus- ... band, Gustacio, of Lavon; two brothers; five sisters; and nine grandchildren. ... He was preceded in death by his parents and one sister.

Eleanor Katharine O'Haver Howell



A memorial service for Eleanor Katharine O'Haver Howell, 93, were ... conducted at 2 p.m. Feb. 15, 2012, at ... the Lakeshore Church in Rockwall with ... Pastor Brad Howard officiating. The ... Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall ... Chapel was in charge of arrangements. ... She died Feb. 13.

She was born in Plainfield, Ind., on Sept. 4, ... to Pleasant Clater and Katharine ... Cooper O'Haver, she attended ... Gorda High School in Florida and ... Florida State College for Women (later ... to become Florida State University) and ... obtained a bachelor's degree in nurs- ... ing from Louisiana State University. ... She received her certification as a registered nurse in 1941 before attending ... Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, where she acquired ... a master's degree in education.

In May 1943 she and her husband were appointed missionaries by the ... Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board to Nigeria, West Africa. As pioneer ... Baptist missionaries to the Delta area, the Howells began a single-room mud ... building medical clinic in 1945 that grew into the Eku Baptist Hospital, which re- ... mained in operation today.

Following a commitment at the age of 8 to be a missionary to Nigeria, West ... Africa, she continued to be on a journey of love for the people of Nigeria. She ... was a missionary there from 1943 to 1964, and her life was committed to ... missions and sharing the love of Jesus.

Survivors include her daughter, Mary Katharine Posey, and her husband, ... Forney; her son, Daniel Howell, and his wife, Marcia, of Carrollton; ... her son, William Howell, and his wife, Julie, of Sarasota, Fla.; five grandsons, ... Howell and his wife, Rebecca, Anthony Howell and his wife, Veronica, ... Daniel Howell, Christopher Howell and Ryan Howell; one granddaughter, ... Howell; one great-granddaughter, Emily Howell; and many nieces and ... nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. E. Milford Howell, in 1993. ... The family has suggested that in lieu of flowers memorial contributions may ... be made to Walking in Love Ministries, P.O. Box 2249, Forney, TX 75126, ... 972-64-3157.

Billye Louise Manning

Services for Billye Louise Manning, 82, of Roys City were conducted at 10 ... Feb. 13, 2012, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel with ... Mike Dunham officiating. Burial followed in the Roys City Cemetery. ... She died Feb. 9.

She was born July 12, 1929, in Hunt County, Texas, to Ollie and Laura (Dixon) Clem, ... she was a 36-year resident of Roys City. She was president of the Resident ... Council & Welcoming Committee at Senior Care at Lake Pointe, where she led ... studies. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the

United Methodist Women's Fellowship Circle. She had completed Discipleship Class and taught the St. John's Sunday School Class. She also was a volunteer for Rockwall County Helping Hands.

Survivors include her daughter, Marisa McDonald, and her husband, David, of Roys City; her sisters, Peggy Langford and her husband, Gordon, Nancy Thornton and her husband, Brady, Carolyn Land and Judy Tywater; her brothers, Hubert Clem and his wife, Sue, and Jimmy Dale Clem; a brother-in-law, Charles Scott; a stepdaughter, Michelle; a stepson, Mark; 13 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Lloyd O. Manning Jr.; a son, Michael Dean Bryant; a daughter, Jeanette Bryant-O'Brien; a sister, Faye Scott; and a great-granddaughter, Lauren Farmer Martin.

Brenda Myers

A memorial service for Brenda Stone Myers will be conducted from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Feb. 18, 2012, in the Our Savior Lutheran Church, 3003 Horizon Road, in Rockwall with pastoral staff officiating.

She died Jan. 29 in Dallas. Born Sept. 26, 1961, in Robbinsdale, Minn., she enjoyed swimming, shopping, decorating, social networking, music, singing and art. She also enjoyed spending time with her family.

Survivors include her husband, Roy Myers; her daughters, Brandy Myers Glover and her husband, Rob, and Stephanie Myers and her fiancé, Bryan Hester; one son, Chris Myers, and his wife, Julie; her parents, Merlin and Arlys Morphew Stone; and two sisters, Sherry Stone Johnson and Terri Stone Schutzler.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents, Winfred and Myrtle Morphew and Albert and Marie Stone; several aunts and uncles; and her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P.C. Myers.

The family has suggested memorials may be made to the American Leukemia and Lymphoma Society of Texas.

Candidate applications available for May 12 General Election

Candidate applications for a place on the May 12 General Election ballot will be accepted until 5 p.m. March 5 for seats on local school boards and city councils.

Filing began Feb. 4. Other important dates to remember for the May 12 General Election are: March 13 - First day to apply for a ballot by mail. April 12 - Last day to register to vote. April 30 - First day of early voting. May 4 - Last day to apply for a ballot by mail. May 8 - Last day of early voting.

To receive a voting ballot by mail or to register to vote, contact the Rockwall County Elections Administrator Office, c/o Glenda Denton, 107 E. Kaufman, located on the Rockwall downtown square, or at 972-204-6200.

The city election will be administered by the Rockwall County elections administrator. More election related information will be available on the county's web site at rockwallcountytexas.com/elections.

Early voting will be at the Rockwall County Elections office. Election day voting is from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. May 12 at Utley Middle School.

Candidates will be vying for the following seats on local city councils and the two school boards:

Rockwall ISD

Place 1 currently seated by Board Secretary Chris Cuny; Place 2 seated by Trustee Russ Childers; and Place 3 seated by Trustee Craig Zurek. Incumbents Cuny and Childers have both filed for reelection.

Candidate application packets can be picked up at the Rockwall ISD Administration/Education Center, 1050 Williams Street. Hours are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday.

Roys City ISD

Place 3 currently seated by Board President Don Palmer; Place 4 seated by Board Vice President Dr. Rhonda Phillips-Black; and Place 5 seated by Trustee Charles Carroll.

Candidate applications can be obtained from the Roys City ISD Administration Building, 700 FM 2642. Hours are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday.

City of Fate

Place 2 currently seated by Deputy Mayor Pro Tem Steve Skipworth; Place 4 seated by Council Member Sheri Garber; Place 6 seated by Council Member Tammy Ryan; and office of mayor, currently seated by Bill Broderick.

Candidate applications can be obtained from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Fate City Hall, located at 105 E. Fate Main Place.

City of Roys City

Place 2 currently seated by Council Member Clay Ellis; Place 4 seated by Council Member Matt Wheatley; and Place 6 seated by Council Member Tom Crowley.

Candidate applications can be obtained from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Roys City City Hall, 305 N. Arch Street.

City of McLendon-Chisholm

Place 2 currently seated by Council Member Jack Pullen; Place 4 seated by Council Member Steve Hatfield; and the office of mayor, currently seated by Gary L. Moody.

Applications can be picked up at the McLendon-Chisholm City Hall, 1248 S. Hwy 205. Hours are from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday.

City of Heath

Place 2 currently seated by Council Member Justin Holland; Place 4 seated by Council Member Barry Brooks; Place 6 Council Member Rich Krause; and office of mayor, currently seated by John Ratcliffe. Ratcliffe will not seek another term.

Applications can be picked up at Heath City Hall, 200 Laurence Drive. Hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

City of Rockwall

Place 2 currently seated by Mayor Pro Tem Mark Russo; Place 4 seated by Council Member Cliff Sevier; and Place 6 seated by Council Member Margo Nielsen. Russo has filed for reelection. Nielsen and Sevier have served the allowable number of terms and are not eligible for reelection.

Applications can be received from Rockwall City Hall, 385 South Goliad Street. Hours are from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Applications can also be printed from the city secretary's web page at rockwall.com/city-secretary.



The Family, Career & Community Leaders of America members from Rockwall-Heath High School recently competed at Waco at a regional event. Tawny Deshotel, Cheyenne Bradford, Jessica Liao, Lexie Swiercinsky and Courtney Campbell, pictured above, each earned the right to advance to the state-level competition in April. Swiercinsky also was elected to serve as vice president of public relations for the 2012-2013 school year. Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News



Women's Heart Month event set Saturday

An event focusing on Women's Heart Month will run from 7:30 a.m. to noon Feb. 18 at Lake Pointe Medical Center's Inservice Room at 6800 Scenic Drive in Rowlett.

The event will offer free health screenings, educational presentations by physicians and allied health professions and informational booths. A complimentary breakfast will be provided.

The breakfast buffet will be open from 7:30 a.m. to 10 a.m., with screenings (bone density, blood pressure, cholesterol and glucose) and booths open throughout the morning.

Goodie bags and door prizes also will be given away. Admission will be free. Those planning to attend should RSVP by calling 1-866-525-5762.

Culpepper plans presentations on Texas Weapons Law

Rockwall County District Attorney Kenda Culpepper will give a pair of presentations on Texas Weapons Law several times in coming weeks.

The Roys City Chamber of Commerce luncheon at noon on Feb. 21 will mark the first presentation. That event will take place at Arboledas Mexican Grill in Rockwall.

The second event is set for 7:30 a.m. March 1 at the Rockwall Chamber's breakfast at L. Trevino's Mexican Restaurant in Rockwall.

Culpepper will provide information on the difference between legal, illegal and prohibited weapons; concealed handgun licenses; and when an individual can carry a legal weapon. She also will have educational literature available and will answer questions from the public.

Roys City News

Roys City Police Blotter

- Feb. 3-9
- Friday, 3 Feb.: Theft, 100 block W. I-30; Driving while license invalid/Failed to maintain financial responsibility arrest, 500 block Baldwin Street; Driving while intoxicated arrest, Corner of I-30 SSR and FM 35; Alarm, 400 block E. I-30; Disturbance, 1500 block Sam's Circle; Criminal mischief, 300 block W. County Line Road; Medical assistance, Corner of Willowbrook Lane and Hwy 66; Welfare check, 800 block Meadowdale Drive; Suspicious person, 500 block Live Oak Street
- Saturday, 4 Feb.: Assault, 600 block Skelton Street; Suspicious person, 900 block I-30; Suspicious person, 1000 block E. I-30; Disturbance, Area of Kelly Lane; Suspicious person, 800 block S. Elm Street; Alarm, 100 block W. I-30; Disturbance, 500 block Fireside Place; Suspicious person, 600 block E. I-30
- Sunday, 5 Feb.: Assault, 700 block Cooper Lane; Suspicious person, Area of Elm Street; Welfare check, 900 block E. I-30; Suspicious person, 900 block E. I-30; Accident, 100 block E. I-30; Noise disturbance, 200 block Adams Street; Disturbance, 500 block May Street; Disturbance, 1300 block Hunters Glen
- Monday, 6 Feb.: Possession of marijuana arrest, 1500 block S. Erby Campbell Boulevard; Theft, 700 block S. Bulldog Boulevard; Burglary of habitation, 500 block Timberhaven Trail; Suspicious person, 500 block Live Oak Street; Medical assistance, 200 block W. I-30; Alarm, 2300 block E. I-30; Medical assistance, 500 block Love Lane
- Tuesday, 7 Feb.: Suspicious person, Area of Hidden Creek; Accident, 100 block E. Main Street; Medical assistance, 900 block Live Oak Street; Reckless driver; I-30 at the 77 mile marker; Disturbance, 7500 block Hwy 66
- Wednesday, 8 Feb.: Assault, 800 block N. Houston Street; Suspicious person, 3400 block Taylor Drive; Medical assistance, 300 block Erby Campbell Boulevard; Disturbance, 100 block W. I-30; Reckless driver, I-30 at the 75 mile marker
- Thursday, 9 Feb.: Suspicious person, Corner Lorena Drive and Singleton Drive; Criminal mischief, 3300 block Spruce Street; Alarm, 2300 block I-30

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Rockwall County News Briefs

Bridge tournament scheduled

A bridge tournament for individuals ages 55 and older will begin at 10 a.m. Feb. 17 at The Center. The tournament will feature Chicago-style scoring. Drinks and snacks will be provided. Participants must have a partner to play. Prizes will be awarded to the first place and runner-up winners. For more details visit rockwall.com/parks.

Habitat workday set Saturday

Rockwall Habitat for Humanity will observe an 8 p.m. start time for its Feb. 18 workday at 304 E. Ross. Plans for this week are to install the roof trusses. Volunteers with framing experience will be needed, as well as strong arms and backs to help lift the pre-fab trusses into place.

Electronics recycling, disposal event planned

The City of Heath, Rockwall-Heath High and the Environmental Co-op will sponsor a free electronic (e-waste) collection event from noon to 3 p.m. Feb. 18 at the high school, 801 Laurence Drive, Heath. The public can deliver their e-waste – computer monitors, TVs, computers, laptops, printers, copiers, scanners, fax machines, mainframe computers, hard drives, circuit boards, cell phones, cordless and corded phones, stereos, DVD players and other consumer electronics – free of charge. Small household appliance

such as microwaves, blenders and shavers also will be accepted, as will ink and toner cartridges, batteries and eye glasses for the Lions Club. For more details visit eco@trashbusters.org.

Church to host Sunday blood drive

The Dallas Stars and Carter Blood Care will team up with the Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church for a blood drive benefiting local patients. Stop by 1305 Damascus Road in Rockwall from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Feb. 19 to donate. Each donor will receive a special gift from the Dallas Stars. Visit carterbloodcare.org for more information or contact Katrina Tate at 214-674-2193 to schedule an appointment.

Library to close for President's Day

The Rockwall County Library will be closed Feb. 20 in observance of President's Day.

Band plans spaghetti fundraiser

The Rockwall-Heath Mighty Hawk Band will host a spaghetti fundraising dinner March 3 at the high school. Tickets cost \$10 and may be purchased from any RHHS or Cain Middle School band student or by contacting Chris Hoar at 214-676-5007 or by emailing hoar@netportusa.com by Feb. 21.

Relay For Life sign-ups get boost

Anyone registered as a cancer survivor for the 2012 Rockwall County Relay For Life event, set April 27-28 at Cain Middle School, will receive a "sweet treat" from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Feb. 21 at Culvers Frozen Custard on Ridge Road. For more details, visit relayforlife.org/rockwalltx.

Library, county offices to close March 2

The Rockwall County Library and other county offices will be closed March 2 in observance of Texas Independence Day. The library also will be closed March 3 for a computer system migration.

Rock through Spring Break

The Rockwall Parks & Rec Department will once again offer its Rock through Spring Break event for local youths ages 6-12. Explorers will venture to several nature-based destinations such as a state park, zoo, aquarium and more. Space is limited. Participants will be asked to bring a sack lunch, snack and water each day. Activities will run from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. March 12-16 at the Harry Myers Community Center. Cost is \$113 or \$75 for Rockwall residents. Visit rockwall.com/parks for more details.

American Legion plans Birthday Banquet

American Legion Post 117 will conduct its annual Birthday Banquet beginning at 12:30 p.m. March 19 at The Center, Washington and Goliad, in Rockwall.

Easter Egg Hunt set March 31 in R'wall

The Rockwall Parks & Rec Department's 10th annual Easter Egg Hunt will begin at 10 a.m. March 31 at the Leon Tuttle Athletic Complex. Field 1 will be for children up to the age of 2; Field 2 for children ages 5-6; Field 3 for children ages 7-12. The event will be free to the public and will feature prize eggs, a bounce house, games and other activities.

Utley wins at UIL

Utley Middle School students earned numerous wins at the district UIL academic competition conducted Feb. 3-4.

Utley students completed against Williams and Cain middle schools from Rockwall and Cooper, Burnett and McMillan junior highs from Wylie.

Utley's seventh grade academic team placed second, while the eighth grade team placed third overall.

The following results represent achievements by Utley students, as reported in a news release from the school:

- Calculator Applications – Joonyung Park, sixth place; Cristian Giadolor, fourth place
- Dictionary Skills – Kai Robinson, first place; Araeli Villareal, second place; Amber Stanley, third place
- Editorial Writing – Amber Stanley, first place
- Impromptu Speaking – Magda Kochan, second place
- Listening Skills – Gabriela Mendes, sixth place; Rebekah Johnson, third place
- Maps, Graphs & Charts – Tyler Clemmer, second place; Magda Kochan, second place
- Math – Araeli Villareal, first place; Brittany Lau, first place; Joonyung Park, second place
- Modern Oratory – Lauren Walters, third place; Xavi Hernandez, third place; Jasmin Sani
- Number Sense – Daniel Scivetti, first place; Ian Lowe, fifth place; Joonyung Park, first place; Brittany Lau, second place; Wesley Scivetti, fourth place
- Ready Writing – Madison Apuan, first place; Isabella Garner, fourth place
- Science – Karthika Venuphalan, second place; Chris Covington, fifth place; Magda Kochan, sixth place
- Social Studies – Cristian Giadolor, first place; Wesley Scivetti, second place
- Spelling – Araeli Villareal, sixth place.

Rockwall County Entertainment

Agave plans Open Mic, Karaoke Nights

Agave Restaurant & Bar at The Harbor District will host Open Mic on Tuesday and Karaoke Night on Wednesday.

A&M Singing Cadets to perform locally

The Texas A&M Singing Cadets will perform in Rockwall at 7 p.m. Feb. 18 at the RHS Performing Arts Center on the Utley Middle School campus, 1201 T.L. Townsend Drive, in Rockwall. The performance, which features selections from "Joseph and the Technicolor Dream Coat", "Beatles", will be hosted by the Rockwall County Aggie Moms and the third straight year for the group to perform locally. The concert fundraising event for the Aggie Moms, who present scholarships to Rockwall county students who attend the university. For scholarship information visit rockwallaggie.com or contact aggiecomsrockwall@yahoo.com. Tickets to the event cost \$10 and may be purchased at the door beginning at 6 p.m.; seating will begin at 6:30 p.m. For more information or to purchase tickets contact Vickie Day at vday95@gmail.com or call 972-463-8888.

Change the Future Dinner, Auction set

The 2nd Annual Change the Future Dinner & Auction, a fundraiser for the Boys & Girls Club of Rockwall County, will run from 6:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. March 3 at Occasions at Stone River, 1250 FM 2453, in Royse City. More details contact the Boys & Girls Club of Rockwall County.

This Week in Heath

City teams with nonprofit to save landfill space

by Darcy Rocha

Stuff just doesn't last like it used to.

It seems to me that the average consumables have a much shorter life or become obsolete in increasingly record time. For instance, the clothes dryer I ever owned was a hand-me-down from a friend and a sturdy model, circa 1960. The thing was a brute, but it worked like a champ. So was the way of appliances big and small in the days of yore – or at least until the '90s.

But what are we supposed to do with the short-lived small appliances, electronics of today that usually get thrown out? Like the hairdryers burn out and can't be fixed or the old computer monitor that's just chump change that you can't even give it away? Relegate it to the trash and let it pollute the landfill? I think not. There's a better way.

The City of Heath and Rockwall-Heath High School have teamed up with the Environmental Co-op to offer a free electronics-recycling event Saturday from noon to 3 p.m. at RHHS. Drive up, drop off and be on your way with a smile knowing you've done a good deed for the planet. It's a good way to flex your green muscle.

The mission of the Environmental Co-op, based in Terrell, is conservation of natural resources through education and management of aspects of solid and hazardous waste, recycling and overuse of resources. All are invited to bring in their defunct home electronics for recycling. Take advantage of the great service offered by this group.

Marilyn May is not only the executive director of the Environmental Co-op, she's also a Heath resident. She says the group primarily serves Kaufman County, but is looking to reach out to Rockwall county. Their first event in Heath, but hopefully not the last.

"Anything with a cord or rechargeable battery can be dropped. Everything gets recycled," says May. "Anything anywhere and any businesses are welcome to participate in the event."

They will also take cell phones, all types of batteries, empty ink cartridges and eyeglasses. The glasses will be collected for the Lions Club, which repurposes them for the less fortunate.

Got a big ol' junker TV that needs to go?

"We take all sizes of televisions. That's always a big question," she says. "Even huge ones that have been in someone's barn or garage." If you haul it down, they will take it off your hands free of charge.

Depending on the success of the event, the Environmental Co-op may coordinate a fall event. The group puts on free events year-round that open to anyone who would like to attend, including low-water landscape and composting classes.

"Heath is a great location for this particular event. We can invite people from Forney, McLendon-Chisholm, Fate and Greenville. Everybody come out to that location fairly easily," says May. "All are welcome."

For more information about recycling, composting and the great work the Environmental Co-op is doing, and how you can get involved, visit the group's website at trashbusters.org or call (972) 524-0007.

Darcy Rocha is the Heath community correspondent to the Rockwall County News. To share your news and events about Heath, email her at darcyrocha@gmail.com or call (214) 771-1035.

Ask Dr. Danette

by Danette McNew, D.D.S.



ARE TOOTH IMPLANTS APPROPRIATE FOR CHILDREN?

When children lose permanent teeth due to accidents or sports-related injury, the teeth can sometimes be re-implanted if the knocked-out tooth is handled properly and reinserted quickly. Otherwise, children and parents must work with the dentist to come up with an appropriate tooth-replacement solution. While dental implants are normally the treatment of choice, their use in children with underdeveloped jaws may impede jaw growth and prevent other teeth from growing into their natural positions. With this in mind, girls must wait until they are at least 14-15 years old to get dental implants, and boys should be at least 17 years old. Until then, the dentist can fill the gap caused by a missing tooth with a removable appliance.

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P.S. If a permanent tooth is knocked out and can be recovered, it is important to hold it by the crown (top portion), rinse it (not scrub) very carefully in saline solution or tap water, gently put it back in its socket, and immediately get to the dentist's office.

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CUSTOMER NOTICE INCORPORATED AREAS OF THE MID-TEX DIVISION

On January 31, 2012, Atmos Energy Corporation, Mid-Tex Division ("Atmos" or "the Company"), filed a Statement of Intent with each City served by the Mid-Tex Division (hereafter "Affected Cities") with the exception of the City of Dallas. The Company's Statement of Intent proposes to increase its gas rates and implement a new schedule of rates and riders applicable to all customers within the Affected Cities. The proposed effective date of the requested rate changes is March 6, 2012. If approved, the proposed changes will affect approximately 1,194,420 residential, 100,461 commercial, and 705 industrial & transportation customers.

If approved, the proposed rates will increase the Company's annual revenues by \$49,080,069 or 4.36%, including gas costs, or 11.94% excluding gas cost. The proposed change in rates constitutes a "major change" as that term is defined by Section 104.101 of the Texas Utilities Code. In addition to the rate changes, other proposed tariff changes include revision of the Company's residential and commercial rate schedules (Rates R and C), as well as its Rider WNA and Rider GCR to change the current billing rate basis from Mcf to Ccf. The Company further proposes to revise the Rider GCR to: (1) remove the 2009 interest rate reference, (2) clarify that the calculation of (b) Pipeline Cost is inclusive of interest, and (3) update the Upstream Pipeline Charge Allocation (Factor D). Atmos also proposes to modify its Rider WNA to update the heat load and base load factors. The Company further seeks to implement a new Rate Review Mechanism ("RRM") tariff, as well as a new conservation and energy efficiency tariff ("Rider CEE"). In addition, the Company seeks to recover all of its rate case expenses and all city rate case expenses as allowed by law. The exact amount will not be known until the case is completed.

Based on the proposed rate design, the average monthly bill for each customer class within the Affected Cities will change by the amount and percent shown in the table below:

Customer Class	Current Bill **	Proposed Bill**	Difference	Percentage Change with Gas Cost	Percentage Change without Gas Cost
Residential *	\$48.51	\$51.21	\$2.70	5.57%	13.60%
Commercial *	\$241.15	\$246.50	\$5.35	2.22%	9.69%
Industrial *	\$3,703.47	\$3,499.26	\$(204.21)	-5.51%	-14.22%
Transportation	\$1,754.60	\$1,550.39	\$(204.21)	-11.64%	-14.22%

*Includes Rider GCR Part A cost of \$4,5750 per Mcf.

**The calculation of bill impacts assumes average monthly consumption of 4.4 Mcf for residential, 34.2 Mcf for commercial, and 3,897 MMBtu for industrial and transportation customers.

Persons with specific questions or desiring additional information about this filing may contact Atmos Energy Corporation at 1-888-286-6700. Complete copies of the filed Statement of Intent, including all proposed rates and schedule changes, are available for inspection at Atmos' offices located at 5420 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1600, Dallas, Texas 75240 or on our website www.atmosenergy.com/mtx-soi. In addition, customers can contact their City for additional information regarding this rate request.

Éste es un aviso a los clientes de Mid-Tex División de Atmos Energy Corporation, (la "Compañía"), que la Compañía está solicitando un aumento en la tarifa del gas. Este aumento afecta a todos los clientes de la Compañía excepto en la ciudad de Dallas y las áreas no incorporadas. Aquellas personas que deseen comunicarse con la autoridad reguladora que tiene jurisdicción sobre esta solicitud deben ponerse en contacto con su ciudad. Si usted tiene preguntas con respecto a este aumento, por favor llame a Atmos Energy Corporation al 1-888-286-6700.

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ACROSS

- 1 former pharmacy in TX
- 5 TX family
- 6 former Dallas Sidekicks star
- 7 "Goddess of Liberty" sits TX Capitol dome
- 8 Army, TX
- 9 a destination for Galveston cruise ship
- 16 OK town
- 18 "El Aserradero" at Six Flags is a log
- 21 UT Buffalo foe
- 22 costly Ranger SS Rodriguez ('01-'03)
- 23 pappy
- 24 TX Todd Van Poppel played Triple-A ball here
- 30 unconventional and slightly strange
- 34 first 2 init. of TX president Johnson
- 35 this "Happy" built TX movie set "Alamo Village"
- 36 former call letters of Texarkana KKTK
- 37 Hawaiian howdy
- 39 TXism: "the _____ smoking" (rare steak)
- 43 singer Home, et al
- 44 an Italian name
- 45 TXism: "it'll _____ in a pinch"
- 46 TX Tommy Lee film: "Eyes of Laura _____"
- 47 _____ wood, TX
- 49 very old
- 52 Owen Daniels pos. on Houston Texans
- 53 Merkel h.s. class
- 54 TXism: "_____ sack" (burlap bag)
- 55 Dallas boys prep school
- 58 written language
- 59 an hour behind TX time
- 60 TX cosmetics queen, Mary Kay
- 61 just west of Abilene

DOWN

- 1 TX Orbison sang in a four-_____ range
- 2 in Lubbock Co., on hwy. 84
- 3 TXism: "jumpy as a _____"
- 4 TXism: "mosey _____ to the trough" (join in)
- 9 actress Feldon in "Getting Away From It All" with TX Larry Hagman (init.)
- 10 actor in "The Four Seasons" ('81) with TX-born Burnett
- 11 TX Dan Jenkins book: "You Gotta Play _____"
- 12 TX Vikki song: "Cosas del _____"
- 13 "pitcher's elbow" _____ Epicondylitis
- 14 TX "Cowpokes" artist, Ace (init.)
- 15 mucho rich Fort Worth resident, Bass
- 17 TXism: "get your _____ row" (prepare)
- 19 Dallam Co. seat
- 20 brother of 15-down
- 24 TXism: "dot the i's and cross the t's"
- 25 this Belo founded the Dallas Morning News (init.)
- 26 last name of TX singer in 12-down
- 27 once a noted TX athlete: Madalyn Murray _____
- 28 TXism: "he's a good _____ to mess with" (mean)
- 29 old restaurant chain started in Dallas: "Steak _____"
- 31 country music net.
- 32 UT grad Wallach
- 33 Astro "Cy Young" winner Roger
- 38 ex-Cowboy Toomey given " _____ Write Sunday"
- 40 TXism: "took sick"
- 41 Reagan's "Star Wars" (abbr.)
- 42 TXism: " _____ TX-OK border"
- 48 _____ for air
- 50 heal
- 51 TXism: "you can write it in _____" (certain)
- 56 TXism: " _____ with kid gloves" (gently)
- 57 green tree trunks?

Rockwall County Sports Schedule

The Fulton School Falcons

Monday, Feb. 18 - Varsity boys' basketball: home for Area playoff vs. Mesquite, Rockwall, Rockwall Sports Center, 4 p.m.

Heritage Christian Academy Eagles

Feb. 17 - Varsity girls' basketball: home for Area playoff vs. Texoma Christian, RISE, 6 p.m.

Rockwall High School Yellowjackets

Feb. 17 - Varsity tennis: home for Rockwall Frozen Ball Varsity event, Rockwall Tennis Facility, 8 a.m.

Feb. 17 - Varsity softball: at Denton ISD Classic, Fort Worth Brewer High School, vs. Denison 11 a.m. and vs. Lovejoy 1:30 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 24 - Varsity tennis: at Wills Point, 8 a.m.

Varsity girls' swimming: at 4A State Championships, Lee and Joe Jamail Texas Swimming Center, University of Texas, Austin, 10 a.m.

Varsity softball: at Allen Invitational Tournament, Allen Station Park Field 4 vs. Mesquite Horn, 10:45 a.m.

Varsity baseball: at Denton ISD Classic, Keller Timber Creek High School, vs. Keller Timber Creek 11 a.m. and vs. Greenville 4 p.m.

JV Orange baseball: at Rowlett, 4 p.m.

JV girls' soccer: home vs. McKinney Boyd, 5:15 p.m.

Varsity girls' soccer: home vs. Quinlan Ford, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 25 - Varsity girls' swimming: at 4A State Championships, Lee and Joe Jamail Texas Swimming Center, University of Texas, Austin, 9:30 a.m.

Varsity baseball: vs. Saginaw at Denton ISD Classic, Denton High School, 1:30 p.m.

Varsity softball: at Allen Invitational Tournament

Track and field: at Bulldog Relays, Roysie City

Rockwall-Heath High School Hawks

Friday, Feb. 17 - Varsity tennis: at Rockwall Frozen Ball Tournament, Rockwall Tennis Facility, 8 a.m.

Varsity girls' golf: at Carrollton Tournament, Indian Creek Golf Course, 8:30 p.m.

Black boys' golf: at Waco Midway, Cottonwood Creek Golf Course, 9 a.m.

Varsity softball: at Carrollton-Farmers Branch Tournament, Oran Good Park, vs. Richardson Berkner 2 p.m., Field 3, and vs. Carrollton Christian Academy 7 p.m., Field 5

Varsity girls' gymnastics: at Saginaw Invitational, Optional, 5:30 p.m.

Girls' soccer: at Quinlan Ford, Thompson Middle School, 6 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 18 - Black boys' golf: at Waco Midway, Cottonwood Creek Golf Course, 8:30 a.m.

Varsity girls' golf: at Carrollton Tournament, Indian Creek Golf Course, 8:30 p.m.

Varsity baseball: home scrimmage vs. Sachse, noon

JV Red and Black baseball: scrimmage at Sachse, noon

Varsity softball: at Carrollton-Farmers Branch Tournament, Oran Good Park

Boys' and girls' track and field: at Eagle Relays, Richardson High School

Monday, Feb. 20 - Varsity baseball: home scrimmage vs. Plano East, 5 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 21 - JV tennis: at Duncanville JV Tournament, 8 a.m.

JV baseball: at Rockwall, Red 4 p.m. and Black 6 p.m.

Softball: home vs. Ferris, JV 5 p.m. and varsity 7 p.m.

Girls' soccer: home vs. Rockwall, JV 5:30 p.m. and varsity 7:15 p.m.

Boys' soccer: at Rockwall, JV 5:30 p.m. and varsity 7:15 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 22 - Freshman White golf: home for Rockwall-Heath Winter Classic, Buffalo Creek Golf Club, 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, Feb. 23 - Varsity softball: at Allen Invitational Tournament, Allen Station Park Field 3, vs. Plano West 12:30 p.m. and vs. McKinney Boyd, 5:45 p.m.

Varsity baseball: at Waco ISD Invitational, Veterans Field #2, vs. Midlothian 5 p.m. and vs. Killeen Ellison 7:30 p.m.

Girls' gymnastics: home for North vs. South Meet, Optional, 6:30 p.m.

Boys' gymnastics: vs. North at Battle for the Rock, Rockwall High School, Compulsory, 6:30 p.m.

JV Black baseball: at Plano East Tournament

Boys' track and field: at North Garland Relays, Williams Stadium

Friday, Feb. 24 - Varsity wrestling: at State Championships, Austin ISD Delco Center, 9 a.m.

Varsity swimming: at 4A State Championships, Lee and Joe Jamail Texas Swimming Center, University of Texas, Austin, 10 a.m.

Varsity baseball: at Waco ISD Invitational, Veterans Field #2, vs. Lorena 9:30 a.m. and vs. Red Oak 5 p.m.

Varsity softball: at Allen Invitational Tournament, Allen Station Park Field 4 vs. Lovejoy, 12:30 p.m.

Girls' soccer: home vs. Lovejoy, JV 5:30 p.m. and varsity 7:15 p.m.

Boys' soccer: at Lovejoy, JV 5:30 p.m. and varsity 7:15 p.m.

Varsity tennis: at Corsicana Tournament

JV Black baseball: at Plano East Tournament

Saturday, Feb. 25 - Varsity swimming: at 4A State Championships, Lee and Joe Jamail Texas Swimming Center, University of Texas, Austin, 9:30 a.m.

Varsity wrestling: at State Championships, Austin ISD Delco Center, 10:15 a.m.

Varsity baseball: at Waco ISD Invitational, Veterans Field #1

JV Black baseball: at Plano East Tournament

Varsity softball: at Allen Invitational Tournament

Girls' track and field: at Ben Robertson Relays, Hanby Stadium, Mesquite

Roysie City Bulldogs

Friday, Feb. 17 - JV2 softball: at Greenville, 4 p.m.

Softball: home vs. Princeton, JV1 5 p.m. and varsity 6:30 p.m.

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Rockwall County Classified Advertising

Legal Notices

Stray Notice
Rockwall County Sheriff's posse picked up two horses on FM 1383 on Feb. 1, 2012. Call 972-204-7001

Application has been made with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Private Club Registration permit by AAKI's 19th Hole, to be located at 846 FM 1383, Roysie City, ROCKWALL, Texas. Officers of said unincorporated association of persons are Kirk Froehlich, President/Director; Rie Froehlich, Secretary/Director and Triko Ishikawa, Director.

Application has been made for a Mixed Beverage Restaurant permit with FB for:

Olive Garden of Texas, Inc.
The Olive Garden Italian Restaurant #4425
1043 E IH 30
Rockwall, Rockwall County, Texas

Application made to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in accordance with the provisions of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code.

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Thomas Jefferson

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Without morals a republic cannot subsist any length of time; they therefore who are decrying the Christian religion, whose morality is so sublime and pure, are undermining the best security for the duration of free government.
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Fulton's 1st playoff win ever leads to bigger challenges

If there's no place like home, The Fulton School could be on the road to big things in this season's TAPPS 1A boys' basketball playoffs.

The Falcons would play the first game at their adopted home at the Forney Sports Center since Jan. 27 if Saturday's Area playoff game against Fredericksburg Heritage goes on as tentatively scheduled at 4 p.m.

Fulton qualified for the Area round by winning a "home" Bi-District game Monday at Rockwall Christian Academy 48-28 over Wichita Christian.

That was the first basketball playoff win in the Falcons' history. Their head coach, Josh Johnson, said, "If we can get past this (Fredericksburg) game, we've got a good shot at it." In this case, "it" is a trip to the 1A State Tournament.

Johnson said, "We were up 10 at halftime, 23-13, and it felt like we were in complete control. We completely dominated the glass on both ends. We were taking it right to them."

It probably won't be as easy for the TAPPS District 2-1A champions (18-

10 overall) against Fredericksburg.

"I think it's going to be a tough one for us," Johnson said. "They like to play a man defense and up tempo. They don't shoot very well, but they're big."

The two players who could cause the most trouble for Fulton are Jake Hoermann, a 6-foot-3 post, and shooting guard Kenny Johnson, whom Josh Johnson called a "slasher." Both were All-State selections for Fredericksburg's TAPPS 6-Man II state champions. The Falcons can counter Hoermann with the 6-5 duo of Jaston Reese and Tim Borgen.

The coach's optimism stems from Fulton's home-court advantage. Johnson said, "We've lost one game at home, to the Mesquite JV when we were without our starting point guard (Tanner Treadway). You have to be on your game to beat us there."

Monday's game was the Falcons' second in three nights at RCA. They had visited the school Saturday night for a playoff warm-up game against

Rockwall Christian.

The Warriors swept through their TAPPS District 4-2A schedule 8-0 record, but had to rally to win 47-43.

"We were missing Todd (Treadway)," Johnson said. "Getting (eight) us didn't help, and we really didn't shoot the ball well."

The game was just a warm-up, with the loudest cheers for dunks by and RCA's Chris Stephens. It did, however, prepare the Falcons for playoff game on that court.

They had finished their district season 15-1 with a 60-13 victory over Worth Covenant Classical. Fulton's defense held the home team to cent field goal shooting and helped to create 23 turnovers.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Fulton	11	17	23	9
Covenant Classical	2	5	4	2

Fulton (17-9, 15-1) - N/A.
Fort Worth Covenant Classical (4-16, 2-14) - N/A.

Rockwall County Sports Schedules

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Baseball: home scrimmage vs. Frisco Wakeland, JV2 5 p.m. and JV1 7 p.m.

Boys' soccer: home vs. Rockwall, JV 5:30 p.m. and varsity 7 p.m.

Girls' soccer: at Rockwall, JV 5:30 p.m. and varsity 7:15 p.m.

Varsity baseball: scrimmage at Frisco Wakeland, 6 p.m.

Varsity tennis: at Carrollton Newman Smith

Saturday, Feb. 18 - Boys' track and field: at Eagle Relays, Richardson High School

Monday, Feb. 20 - Baseball: at Carrollton R.L. Turner, JV1 4:30 p.m. and varsity 7:30 p.m.

JV2 baseball: at Rockwall, 6 p.m.

JV2 softball: home vs. Wills Point, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 21 - Softball: home vs. Kaufman, JV1 5 p.m. and varsity 7 p.m.

Girls' soccer: home vs. Wylie East, JV 5:30 p.m. and varsity 7:15 p.m.

Boys' soccer: at Wylie East, JV 5:30 p.m. and varsity 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 22 - Boys' golf: at Rockwall-Heath Winter Classic, Buffalo Creek Golf Club, 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, Feb. 23 - Varsity softball: at Allen Invitational Tournament, Allen Station Park Field 1, vs. Burleson 2:15 p.m. and vs. Mansfield Legacy, 4 p.m. Varsity baseball: at DeSoto Tournament

JV1 baseball: at North Forney Tournament

JV2 baseball: at Crandall Tournament

JV2 softball: at Commerce Tournament

Friday, Feb. 24 - Varsity softball: at Allen Invitational Tournament, Allen

Station Park Field 4 vs. Frisco Liberty, 9 a.m.

Varsity baseball: at DeSoto Tournament

JV1 baseball: at North Forney Tournament

JV2 baseball: at Crandall Tournament

Saturday, Feb. 25 - Track and field: home for Bulldog Relays

Varsity baseball: at DeSoto Tournament

JV1 baseball: at North Forney Tournament

JV2 baseball: at Crandall Tournament

Varsity softball: at Allen Invitational Tournament

JV2 softball: at Commerce Tournament

Cain Middle School Mustangs

Thursday, Feb. 23 - Girls' gymnastics: at North vs. South Meet, Rockwall-Heath High School, Levels 7/8, 6:30 p.m.

Boys' gymnastics: vs. North at Battle for the Rock, Rockwall High School, Level 6, 6:30 p.m.

Utley Middle School Wolves

Thursday, Feb. 23 - Girls' gymnastics: at North vs. South Meet, Rockwall-Heath High School, Levels 7/8, 6:30 p.m.

Williams Middle School Wildcats

Saturday, Feb. 18 - Gymnastics: at Birdville, Shannon Gymnastics Center, Levels 5/6, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 21 - Tennis: at Wills Point, Wills Point High School, 4 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 23 - Boys' gymnastics: vs. South at Battle for the Rock, Rockwall High School, Level 6, 6:30 p.m.



Fulton Falcons' Senior Jaston Reese reaches high above Wichita Christian defenders to catch a pass from Brenden Williams during Monday's (February 13) Bi-District game at Rockwall Christian Academy.

Photo by Tim Burnett/Rockwall County News

Opinions

County government responsibilities: Part 1

by Judge Jerry Hogan

One of the requirements the state mandates is that the commissioners of a county shall provide "safe and suitable jails for the county." The jail must be located at the county seat and the operation of the jail is the responsibility of the sheriff.

We have a jail in our county. It has the capacity for 243 inmates of which separate housing wing is available for 48 females. This facility provides 1 of the jail space for the entire county. No city need have a jail of their own and there is no charge to the cities for inmates placed in the county jail; however, there is a \$75 booking fee for inmates brought in by officers from each, Rockwall and Roysse City.

This year the annual county budget for operating the jail is \$5,388,996 of which almost \$4.2 million is personnel costs. Seventy jailers and support staff work in the facility and it is, of course, operated 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Three meals a day are fed to the inmates and while they are in the jail, their medical needs are addressed. The county spends about half a million dollars each year on medical care for the prisoners and surprisingly, only about half its amount is spent on food for the inmates.

Standards and method of operation of jails in Texas are established by the Commission on Texas Jail Standards and this organization closely monitors the operations of the jails to insure consistency and compliance.

Our county jail, on average, has about 180-190 inmates at any one point in time. Several years ago the trend in crime was upwards and an evaluation as started on possible future expansion of the jail facility. However, that upward trend stopped and across the state, in fact, the trend was reversed. Studies are still being conducted here in the county to insure needed capacity available if once again the rate increases.

Fortunately, or maybe unfortunately depending on how you view the issue of spending county taxpayer dollars for housing prisoners, only about 24 percent of the inmates in our jail are from Rockwall County. While highway 30 going through Rockwall County is a big economic plus, it also brings associated crime, especially drug related cases of both use and transport of legal drugs through the county.

So how does someone end up in jail and what's the process once they are there?

If people are arrested in Rockwall County they are brought to the jail by the arresting police person. They may be arrested for anything from public

intoxication at The Harbor to murder; they all end up at the jail.

First they are booked by one of the jail detention officers. This is where the personal data on the individual is obtained and where they go through an initial evaluation as to their physical condition and where they should be placed in a cell, e.g. in an isolation cell, with other prisoners in a 24-person module, etc. Next it's to a shower and a change of their clothes for jail supplied underwear and orange jumpsuits. Then they are placed in a jail cell.

This cell is where they will spend their time until released. They eat in their cell, they sleep in their cell, they go to the bathroom and use the shower in their cell and they get very bored in their cell with essentially nothing to do. Three times a week they are allowed to go to an outside exercise area for one hour. The remainder of the time is spent in the cell.

The morning after one is arrested, one of the county justices of the peace or a magistrate will go to the jail and set bond for the inmate. This gives the individual the ability to bond out of jail until they go to court on their arrest charge. This means they have the opportunity to deposit a sum of money with the county that will guarantee their appearance at court on the prescribed date. If they show up when required, the money is returned; if not, the money is forfeited and the individual is arrested again and back to jail usually with no opportunity to bond out again.

After the JP sets the bond for the person arrested, the individual either pays the bond or they remain in jail until they go to court and their case is addressed. Time in jail at this point can range from several weeks to months depending on the case and the work load in the courts.

Eventually the individual appears before a judge and either a trial is held to determine guilt or a plea is entered by the defendant where he or she admits guilt. If a trial is held and the person is found not guilty, they are immediately released. If they plea or if they are found guilty, then they are sentenced by the judge. This can range from probation with no more jail time to a jail sentence with a specific length of time. Depending upon the length of the sentence and the offense for which the person was found guilty, they will spend their jail time in the county jail, the state jail facility or the state penitentiary. None of them a place where you want to go for an extended vacation.

Jails -- a necessary evil in a civilized society. Do all you can to make sure you don't end up as a guest in our necessary facility here in Rockwall County.

Jerry Hogan is the county judge of Rockwall County. He can be reached at jerryhogan@sbcglobal.net or 214-394-4033.

A means of oppression...

Quotes from a speech by Charles Adams

When popular support for a law, especially a tax law, disappears, the state has to fall back on what the great sage of the Enlightenment, Montesquieu called, "extraordinary means of oppression." That seems to be what we have experienced and are likely to experience in the decades ahead. The likelihood of a major tax change in our society may depend on just how fed-up the people are with the income tax system. With the "evil empire" now gone, tolerance for a bad tax law may completely disappear and a powerful democratic force for change may bring us a new and better tax law. But beware, don't expect too much, unless someone comes up with a much better mousetrap. And even then, we should remember this poetic couplet of Alexander Pope, written 250 years ago:

"Who ever hopes a faultless tax to see,
Hopes what ne'er was, is not, and ne'er will be."

Attorney Charles Adams is the author of "When in the Course of Human Events: Arguing the Case for Southern Secession," and "Those Dirty Rotten Taxes: The Tax Revolts That Built America." Much of this material and more on this subject can be found in his book, "For Good and Evil: The Impact of Taxes on the Course of Civilization." <http://www.lewrockwell.com/orig2/adams7.html>

When is it okay to steal?

God said, "Thou Shalt Not Steal"

He did not say, "Thou shalt not steal, except to help the poor."

He did not say, "Thou shalt not steal, unless government needs more money."

He did not say, "Thou shalt not steal, but it's okay if stealing helps feed the homeless."

He did not say, "Thou shalt not steal, other than to take from those who have and give it to those who have not."

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Theft of equipment at Heath water tower site

I want the council and staff to be aware that because of decisions made supported by the Heath city staff and the Heath City Council we now have a major crime committed right in the middle of our Hillview neighborhood.

Last night at around 7 p.m. a truck entered the water tower construction site by way of the city's construction road next door to my home. The truck stayed on the site about an hour and left. I don't know if they came back in the night. Since the city told us the hours of construction access would be 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday and the reality has been 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. all days of the week, I did not call the police when I saw the truck enter the site at 7 p.m.

This morning, to my surprise, I find the construction crew and police on the road at the city's road. The truck I saw last night stole all the tools and equipment from the construction site.

As the security at night there has been only a small chain with a lock on this multimillion-dollar project. No cameras, security guards, not even a guard dog.

I am ashamed and embarrassed that this city's leadership is so unconcerned about the taxpayer citizens as to allow a treasure chest of construction equipment to be placed in the middle of our until now quiet, crime-free neighborhood without any security of any kind to even slow down a crime of theft such as happened last night. The traffic coming down Hillview Drive has increased significantly since this construction road was built and it is just construction traffic, it is people just looking around. This crime happened within six months of this construction road being built and I shudder to think what the next year will bring to this neighborhood.

Thank you, Heath city leaders, for putting Hillview Drive on the map for the thieves in Rockwall county.

Tina Winnett, Heath

Obama is a liar and an atheist

"In all of life's tribulations, there is nothing so aggravating as being condescended to by an idiot." -- Ann Coulter

The last time that I can recall Barack Obama making a fool of himself quoting scripture was in September of 2010 when he attempted to provide scriptural justification for Marxism. He stated that following God included being his brothers' and sister's keeper, saying it was a precept of Jesus Christ. This is incorrect.

In Genesis 4, after Cain murdered his brother, the Lord asked him why he was angry. Cain's reply was, "I know not. Am I my brother's keeper?" Of course Cain knew exactly where Able was. "Am I my brother's keeper?" "A precept" of a murderer and liar, not Jesus Christ. Barry likes to quote the Bible one a lot, probably because he and Cain have a lot in common.

Maybe Cain was a Marxist. He certainly acted like one.

Barack Obama is a committed atheist who isn't capable of understanding the Bible. But he's running for reelection, and he wants people to think that he's a Christian, even though it's apparent to any objective, thinking person that he is not. There's no such thing as a Marxist who accepts the existence of a supreme being, real or imagined, including Allah.

At this year's National Prayer Breakfast, he tried to snow people by inadvertently showing his ignorance of the Bible ... again. With his nose in the air, he arrogantly sneered Luke 12:48 which states among other things "For unto whomsoever much is given, of him shall be much required."

This verse comes from a section in the Gospel of Luke where Jesus is speaking to his disciples. In chapter 12, verse 41, Peter asks a question. The Lord answers by admonishing them to be wise and faithful stewards. He explains that those stewards who get lazy, drunk and mistreat underlings while the master is away, will eventually be punished according to what they knew about their Lord's will & his expectations of them. He then tells them "But he that knew not [about his Lord's will & expectations], and did commit things worthy of stripes, shall be beaten with few stripes. For unto whomsoever much [a high level of knowledge about their lord's will & expectations] is given, of him shall be much required."

Jesus explained to His followers, of which Barack Obama is not, that we will be held accountable to Him based on our level of understanding of Him. Those who were blessed with a rich knowledge of God and His word will be held to a higher standard than those whose knowledge was more limited. Clearly, Jesus was not talking about an all-powerful government taxing the wealthy citizens to redistribute wealth. I have yet to find that anywhere in scripture.

When God says, "much shall be required," He means that it will be required by Him, not by godless unbelievers whose lofty self-opinion creates confusion within their own minds between themselves & the Creator of the universe. You know, Lucifer had that same problem.

Barack Obama is of his father the devil, and the lusts of his father he is doing. If he was as smart as the liberals tell us he is, he would stop quoting scripture. For when he attempts to justify his evil designs with the word of God, he exposes himself for the fool that he is. Has not God made foolish the wisdom of this world? Indeed He has.

This country needs a God-fearing leader instead of an atheist deceiver. Remember in November.

Jan Shedd, Kaufman County

Rockwall County Sports

Defense sparks Lady Jackets in Bi-District win

ry Bump
McKenzie Adams was threatening to send Rockwall out of the 4A girls' all playoffs Monday night. Most singlehandedly put Frisco Centennial ahead 17-15 after one in a Bi-District game at Garland Naaman Forest. Neither Paige Morghen Day could keep Adams from driving into the lane or back for a 3-point shot to score 14 of her team's 17 points. Head coach Jill McDill reached deep into the team's playbook and at a solution. In effect, both Turner and Day picked up Adams after mid-court. In a diamond-and-one defense, Turner still played man-to-man, but Day helped out at the top of the 1-2-1 (diamond)

Impact was immediate. In the second quarter, Adams scored just two points as the Lady Jackets raced to a 35-26 halftime lead. The Lady Jackets moved down low in the second half to score 11 of her game-high points, but that was far too little in Rockwall's 70-41 victory. McDill said of the combination defense, "We practiced it for different kids and play. We practiced in some this week. But this was the first time we gave up outside shots. Then when they missed those, Alyssa was getting the rebounds." The Lady Jackets (29-7) with 21 points and 13 rebounds. McDill said, "I thought we did a great job defensively. Offensively, I'm proud of our kids for their overall team effort. One of our big keys was to get the basket and get good shots in the paint, in low." Adams' teammates totaled just five field goals as part of a 15-for-48 (31 percent) shooting night, RHS was shooting a sizzling 25-for-45 (56 percent)

Four Lady Jackets were in double figures. Turner put in 17 points to go with her defensive effort. Morghen Day kept them in the game with seven first-quarter points, and finished with 12 to go with four assists. Sara Williamson added 10 points and two steals.

"This was one of our best games of the year," McDill said. "We played with energy and enthusiasm."

"This was a tough first-round game for us. The games they lost were almost all two- or three-point games." Centennial, District 9-4A's fourth-place team, finished its season 21-14. District 10-4A champion Rockwall led the district's sweep of 9-4A in the Bi-District round.

The one negative from Tuesday's game was RHS' foul shooting. The Lady Jackets' free-throw percentage (13-for-23, 57 per cent) barely beat their success while being guarded. That didn't become an issue against the Lady

Titans, but could in a closer game in a later round.

RHS next will meet Dallas Kimball, Friday at 7:30 p.m. at North Mesquite. Kimball relies on the 1-2 punch inside of Adrienne Drake (18.5 points, 12 rebounds per game) and A'Lexis Ford (12.5, 11.1). They'll try to counteract Lang, who averages 17 and 12.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Centennial	17	9	7	8	41
RHS	15	20	20	15	70

Frisco Centennial (21-14) – McKenzie Adams 27, Saige Gibbs 7, Mary Robbins 3, Allie Demaret 2, Devon Lewis 1, Chey Ann Wright 1.

RHS (29-7) – Alyssa Lang 21, Paige Turner 17, Morghen Day 12, Sara Williamson 10, Kayla Smith 6, Ellen Baker 4.



Lady Jackets' Kayla Smith (20) dribbles around Frisco Centennial McKenzie Adams (3) and Sage Gibbs (24) during Monday's (February 13) Bi-District game at Garland Naaman Forest.
Photo by Roy Heath (royheath.exposuremanager.com)/Rockwall County News

Heritage Christian girls win playoff game, pass test from Texoma

Heritage Christian Academy showed Tuesday night that it can win girls' all games in more ways than one. They may have to come up with another method Friday night to keep the TAPPS 2A playoffs.

Fairhill arrived at the Rockwall Indoor Sports Expo ready to hold CA's leading scorer, freshman Madeline Schroeffer. Her approach worked in keeping Schroeffer under control, but the Lady Eagles looked elsewhere for scoring and emerged with a 54-33 Bi-District victory.

HCA head coach Van Minter, "Some girls who weren't big pointers previously came through. Madeline had a lot of pressure applied to her. Rachel McMillan and Hailee Johnson were the high scorers. Rachel gave us some 3s and mid-range jump shots, and Hailee did a good job of coming up inside with put-backs."

In past years, Heritage Christian would be a decided underdog against its playoff opponent, Sherman Texoma Christian. Texoma is the four-time reigning state champion, but HCA hadn't won even a district title since athletic director Robert Huckabee said that before Tuesday it had been that long since the Lady Eagles had won a playoff game.

HCA is an undefeated district champion (8-0 in TAPPS District 4-2A, overall), and Texoma finished second in its own district. Thus, Friday's game will be on the Lady Eagles' home court at the RISE. They're on a 14 wins in 15 games.

Minter said, "This will be a real test for us. Texoma has a historic program and a really good team. They've got a lot more depth, so we're going to have to be smart."

HCA has had a bit less depth than usual for the last couple of games. More Whitney Willis is out because of a fractured ankle, leaving the team with just eight players.

In addition, we'll have to stay up with them. We can't run in five new ways the way they can," Minter said.

The Lady Eagles wrapped up their first district title in nine years by defeating Christian Heritage School of Longview 69-19 Friday, Feb. 10.

Royce City Bulldogs blast Sulphur Springs, take 4th in District

Royce City Bulldogs basketball team stormed its home court Tuesday night, Feb. 14, for a 93-49 victory over Sulphur Springs.

Brandon Frye started the game with a 3-point shot and led the first half scoring with 17 points including three 3-point field goals.

At a close 15-11 lead ending the first quarter, the Bulldogs exploded to a 38-14 lead at half time.

Brandon Brecino took on the role of leading scorer in the second half with 15 points with five 3-point field goals, and led the game with a total of 26 points.

The fourth quarter featured three other players who shared in the bragging rights of 3-point shooters. Soon after Brecino's third 3-point shot, Jr. Jando nailed 3 points, followed by Michael Webb and Wes Brookshire.

"The guys played extremely hard throughout the game, and every player was able to wear down Sulphur Springs with full court pressure," exclaimed Coach Anthony Howerton.

"We were able to wear down Sulphur Springs with full court pressure. Our bench came in and we did not miss a beat," continued Howerton.

The Greenville victory over Sherman, and Denison dropping to Mount Vernon, the Bulldogs finished 4th in District and are guaranteed a playoff berth.

Royce City is scheduled to play District 14-4A Champions John Tyler, Tuesday, February 21 at Terrell High School with a 7:30 p.m. tip-off time.

Individual	Points	3-point	Rebounds	Turn-overs	Steals
Frye	3	0	1	1	4
Brecino	7	1	2	0	3
Webb	7	0	4	1	5
Brookshire	3	1	3	1	1
Jando	11	0	3	3	2
Brecino	26	5	3	2	5
Frye	19	3	10	1	4
Webb	4	0	2	1	0
Anton	4	0	2	0	0
Jando	9	1	3	1	0

Rockwall-Heath Hawks third in region, send 3 to state wrestling meet

Despite suffering some injuries, Rockwall-Heath placed third at last weekend's Region 4A Championships and qualified three wrestlers for the State Championships.

The Hawks produced 104 points to trail just team champion Allen (258.5) and Lake Highlands (144) in the Regionals at the Katy ISD Merrell Center Friday and Saturday.

RHHS' Troy Mercer, who reached the final, and Brady Van Bevers, who went as far as the semifinals, both forfeited their matches at those levels because of injuries.

Both Mercer, who placed second at 195 pounds, and Van Bevers, who was fourth at 170, already had qualified to advance to the state event Feb. 24 and 25 at the Austin ISD Delco Center. Hawks head coach Shane Seleznoff said

each wrestler would be ready to compete there.

Rockwall-Heath's other state qualifier was Nakona Brawner, who lost only the final match at 132 to finish second.

In addition, Tyler Gaddis placed fifth at 138 and would compete as an alternate at the state meet if any of the top four finishers couldn't make it.

Just missing the alternate level were Jay Arnold (285), who wrestled at last year's State Championships, and Jacob Black (126). They both placed sixth.

Another top contender for RHHS, 160-pounder Jacob Glastad, won his first match but was injured in the second round and couldn't wrestle after that. He had been seeded second in his weight class.

Rockwall Yellowjackets rip Wylie, lose flip, face Frisco

The scoreboard read Rockwall 52, Wylie 36, Tuesday night, but it actually was a win, a tie and a loss for the Yellowjackets.

RHS held a modest 27-19 halftime lead at home, but a 14-3 third quarter helped the Jackets breathe easily as they ended the regular season.

The Yellowjackets (21-10 overall, 8-6 in District 10-4A) already had qualified for the playoffs. By winning, they moved them into a third-place tie with McKinney, which lost 62-49 at Richardson Pearce. However, RHS lost the ZIP code guessing game that serves as a tie-breaking "coin flip," so the Jackets will go into the playoffs as the fourth seed.

Rockwall is scheduled to play District 9-4A champion Frisco (22-9, 12-2) at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at Allen High School.

Against Wylie, nine Jackets scored against Wylie. Freshman Austin Grandstaff's 13 points led RHS.

"The kids played really well," said head coach Alan Simmons.

On Friday, Feb. 10, the Jackets put a scare into district champion Highland Park, which finished undefeated in the district. For the second time this season, RHS led the Scots entering the fourth quarter. Both times, HP rallied – most recently with a 19-12 fourth quarter for a 54-49 victory. Grandstaff scored 16 points, Jared Ragland had 11 and Elijah Thomas added 10.

After starting the 10-4A season with a 1-3 record, Rockwall went 7-3 in its

final 10 district games. The Jackets, who were 11-1 overall at one point this season, have been playing some of their best basketball in February.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
RHS	10	17	10	12	49
Highland Park	9	9	17	19	54

RHS (20-10, 7-6) – Austin Grandstaff 16, Jared Ragland 11, Elijah Thomas 10, Wes Davis 7, Zach Rhodes 2, Weston Richey 2, Avery Knutson 1.

Highland Park (26-2, 13-0) – Chase Fletcher 16, David Allen 12, Andrew Barnes 10, Matt Franchilla 6, Jake Stegenga 3, Derek Cahn 2, Clayton Murtha 2, Andrew Vaughan 2, Blake Hobby 1.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Wylie	12	7	3	14	36
RHS	14	13	14	11	52

Wylie (12-19, 3-11) – Jacoby Armstrong 9, Kameron Kelly 7, Karmell Joseph 5, Freddy Gibbs 4, Chad Hamilton 4, Trevor Harper 3, Noble Nwachukwu 2, David Strickland 2.

RHS (21-10, 8-6) – Austin Grandstaff 13, Elijah Thomas 8, Jared Ragland 7, Wes Davis 6, Avery Knutson 6, Zach Rhodes 4, Weston Richey 4, Andrew Hinckley 2, Clay Marley 2.

Royce City finishes 2nd at Rains Invitational Power Lifting meet

The Bulldogs Power Lifting team returned from the Rains Invitational last Saturday (February 11) with a 2nd place finish.

Placing 1st in the meet were Alex Ramsey, Daniel Hernandez and Jared Loftis.

KD Edwards and Thomas Johnson finished in 3rd place.

Joel Dunn and Felix Brito placed 4th. Osvaldo Castaneda placed 6th. Austen Vandiver and Chandler Tolbert placed 7th.

"At this time the young men are setting very well in the Regional rankings," said Coach Bill Foster.

Ramsey is 6th in the 148 lb class, with 430 lb squat, a 245 lb bench press and a 400 lb dead lift this year.

Damion Foster is 2nd in Region with a 1525 lb total.

Hernandez sits 4th in the 123 lb class with a 335 lb squat, a 175 lb bench

press and a 385 lb dead lift.

The will travel Saturday, February 25 to the Wolf City meet. The Regional meet will be Saturday, March 3 in Everman, followed by the State meet on Saturday, March 24.

The Junior Varsity Power Lifting team has seen its share of success. Gerard Whetstone won in his group against Rockwall.

James Brown won his division.

Jacob Glisch and Deonte Reed finished 2nd and 3rd.

Cody Taylor, Colton Lane, Parker Williams, Chase Stricklin, Cody Stricklin, and Jose Reyes have also performed well.

The team wrapped up their season Wednesday (February 15), at South Garland.

Lady Bulldogs soccer sends Quinlan home with 8-0 shut-out

The Lady Bulldogs shut out Quinlan 8-0 during Tuesday's (February 14) soccer game in Royce City.

Kaylie Daniels led the scoring with 3 points, followed by Jolee Patterson (2 points), Kristyn Daniels (2 points) and Celine Mendoza (1 point).

Assisting in six of the goals were Marisa Patterson and Marisol Aguilera with 3 assists each, and Katia Muniz with 1 assist.

The ladies will travel to Rockwall tonight (February 17), and will return home Tuesday, February 21 to take on Wylie East.

Rockwall County Sports Notes

Youth Soccer invited to attend Ladies' I-30 Classic

Youth soccer players are encouraged to attend the I-30 Classic soccer game between the Rockwall-Heath Lady Hawks and the Rockwall Lady Bulldogs, Tuesday, February 21 at Rockwall-Heath High School. The Junior Varsity game will begin at 5:30 p.m. The Varsity game will start at 7:15 p.m. Immediately after the game, the Varsity players from both teams will sign autographs and hand out team pictures for the youth players. Admission is free for youth players who wear their Youth Team jerseys.

St. Patrick's Day Jog slated

St. Patrick's Day Jog will host its first St. Patrick's Day Jog 5K Run & Fun Run/Walk on March 3. Races start at 8:30 a.m. and 9 a.m. Cost is \$5 for individuals ages 13 and older, \$5 for ages 12 and under. Registration is \$5. To sign up, visit djones.txpta.org.

Adult softball registration set

TAAAF/USSSA slow-pitch adult softball league will feature divisions of 10 and 12 players. Divisions will include co-ed recreational on Wednesdays. The season will include eight games, with the top four teams will have a final night of playoffs to determine the winners. This season also will feature a pick-up team category for dual registrations. Games will be played at the Leon Tuttle Athletic Complex. Registration deadline is Feb. 21; play begins the week of Feb. 27. The fee is \$349; individual pick-up team fee is \$35 per person. For more information visit rockwall.com/parks.

Memorial basketball tourney slated

The 6th Annual Cameron Echols Memorial Basketball Tournament will be conducted Feb. 25, with games played at the Rockwall YMCA, Williams Middle School and the Administration Building. The tourney honors the late Cameron Echols, a Rockwall student-athlete who died from sudden cardiac arrest in 2006. The tournament will help raise funds for the YMCA Partners Campaign, which provides scholarships for children who would not otherwise be able to participate in YMCA activities. The tournament includes the following age divisions: 5-year-old co-ed; 6-year-old co-ed; 7- and 8-year-old boys and girls divisions; 9- and 10-year-old boys and girls divisions; and 11- and 12-year-old boys and girls divisions. An adult division for men and co-ed teams also will be offered. Registration forms are available at the YMCA; entry fee is \$30 per player. Each person must register with a team; each participant will receive a tournament T-shirt. For more info contact Cassie McKee at 972-772-9622 or email cmckee@ymcadas.com.

RGSA registration under way

Spring registration for the Rockwall Girls Softball Association is now under way and will run through Feb. 26. The spring season will run March 26-May 31. To register, visit rockwallgirlssoftball.com or call 972-841-2939 for more details.

Angel League season set

The spring 2012 Angel League season will begin March 21, with games set for 6:30 p.m. each Wednesday for nine weeks. Registration and additional

information can be found at angelleague.org or by calling 972-722-6001.

Little Kickers Soccer scheduled

Little Kickers soccer for children ages 3.5 to 6 years of age will run from 6:15 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Mondays April 16-May 21 at the Harry Myers Park Ball Fields. Participants will learn soccer skills in a fun interactive team environment. Registration fee is \$45 or \$29 for Rockwall residents. For more details visit rockwall.com/parks.

Little Sluggers T-ball season set

The Little Sluggers T-ball season will run from 6:15 p.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesdays April 17-May 22 at the Harry Myers Park Ball Fields. Participants ages 3.5 to 6 years of age will be split into team where they will learn the fundamental skills of throwing, fielding, hitting and base running. Registration is \$45 or \$29 for Rockwall residents. For more details visit rockwall.com/parks.

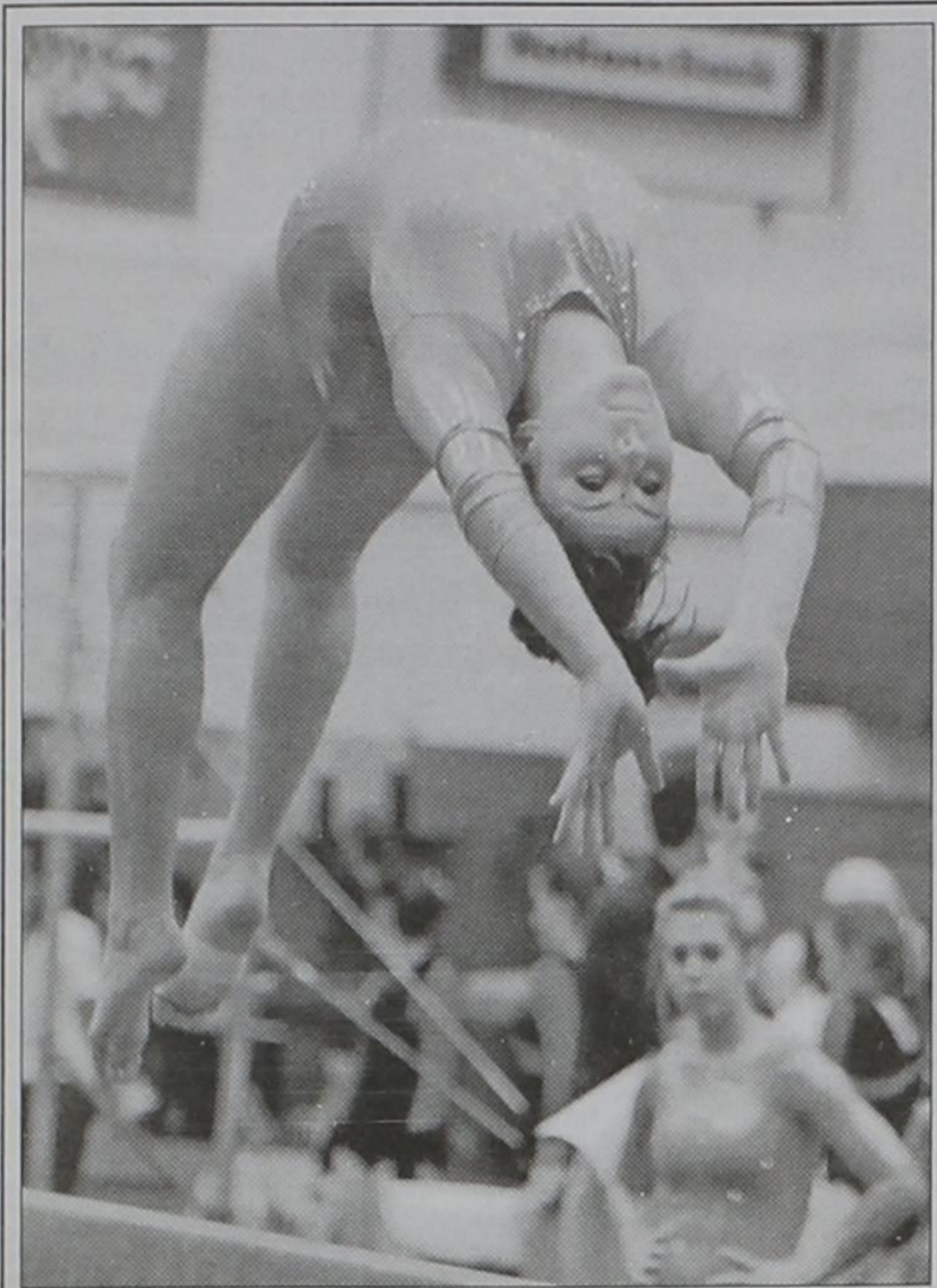
Little Dribblers season planned

Youngsters ages 3.5 to 6 can learn to dribble, pass and shoot through the Little Dribblers upcoming season. Activities and games will take place from 6:15 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Thursdays April 19-May 24 at The Park at Hickory Ridge. Cost is \$45 or \$29 for Rockwall residents. For more details visit rockwall.com/parks.

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Rockwall County Sports

Rockwall ladies 1st, boys 2nd at Highland Park Invitational



Lady Jackets' gymnast Sarah Beasley competes on the Beam during the Thursday February 9 Highland Park Invitational. Photo by Marcia Hasenyager/Rockwall County News

A well rounded lineup, with four girls among the top 10 all-around in a seven-team competition, helped Rockwall to first place in the Highland Park Invitational Thursday, Feb. 9.

The RHS boys finished second to Saginaw among six teams that night, with Michael Weidman third and Luke Bennett fourth all-around for the Yellowjackets.

The Lady Jackets totaled 111.65 to 107.45 for runner-up Round Rock. Kailea Coles was RHS' top scorer, taking fourth all-around. Enhancing her score was her 9.9 for first place on the balance beam. She also finished second in the vault and eighth in both the uneven bars and floor exercise.

Laura Arce, fifth all-around, placed second on the floor, third in the vault,

Hawks season ends with losses to Pearce, McKinney

Rockwall-Heath fell behind 20-4 after the first quarter Tuesday night at McKinney, and the Lions went on to an 80-56 victory.

In the final game this season for the Hawks (9-22 overall, 2-12 in District 10-4A), Tyler McKay and Christian Nwabuko led the team with 12 points each. Cameron Martin added 10.

McKinney, which finished second in the district at 19-11 and 10-4, stretched its lead to 56-30 entering the fourth quarter. RHHS outscored the Lions, who advanced to the playoffs, 26-24 over the final 8 minutes.

The Hawks also had fallen behind early - 18-14 after one quarter, 39-27 at halftime - Friday, Feb. 10, at home against Richardson Pearce. RHHS' second-half rally wasn't enough in a 58-50 loss. Nwabuko scored a game-high 22 points.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Pearce	18	21	9	10	58
RHHS	14	13	15	8	50

Richardson Pearce (14-14, 5-8) - Kyle Parker 15, Sam Bell 14, Danny Gutman 8, Brad Hulme 8, Luke Buckner 7, Chris Blakeley 2, Bryan Noland 2, Cameron O'Reilly 2.

RHHS (9-21, 2-11) - Christian Nwabuko 22, Jared Webber 9, Matt Greene 8, Brett Schuster 6, Luke Ramirez 3, Jordan Points 2.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
RHHS	4	10	16	26	56
McKinney	20	17	19	24	80

RHHS (9-22, 2-12) - Tyler McKay 12, Christian Nwabuko 12, Cameron Martin 10, Orion Keith 8, Selvin Villeda 7, Jared Webber 4, Brett Schuster 2, Matt Greene 1.

McKinney (19-11, 10-4) - Jonathan Shannon 29, Raynell Denny 9, Connor Fuentes 8, A.J. Moutry 8, Tracy Miles 7, Remington Edwards 6, Marshawn Blackmon 4, Darrin Donaldson 4, Tanner Holland 3, Canaan Kelley 2.

fifth on the bars and ninth on the beam.

Sarah Beasley placed sixth all-around on the strength of third vault, fourth on the floor and sixth on the bars. The versatile 1 later last weekend was third in the 1-meter dive at the regional swim championships.

Emily Pettett was 10th all-around, with her best finish on the floor place).

Also for the Lady Jackets, Hayden Raney was third in the vault and on the bars, Jenna Jeffrey fourth on the bars and eighth on the floor and Hedges fifth on the beam.

Rockwall's 145.80 score edged host Highland Park's 144.60 for place in the boys' competition behind Saginaw at 156.60.

Weidman placed second on the pommel horse, third on the parallel, fourth in the vault, eighth in the floor exercise and ninth on the still to compile his third-place all-around score. Bennett was third on the sixth in the vault and seventh on the parallel bars.

The Jackets' Jayson Cope was second in the vault and ninth on the Caleb Walker took sixth place on the rings, and Caleb Meyers eighth on bars. Kurt McGuire finished 10th on the floor.

The Rockwall-Heath girls (103.30) and boys (136.10) each placed The Lady Hawks outscored fifth-place HP (102.90) by a beak.



Rockwall-Heath Hawks' Brian Moore competes in the parallel bars during the Thursday February 9 Highland Park Invitational. Photo by Marcia Hasenyager/Rockwall County News

Eldridge leads RHS to 2nd, qualifies for state in 2 events

Freshman Raena Eldridge qualified for the 4A State Championships in two events while leading the Rockwall girls' swimming and diving team to second place at last weekend's Region IV-4A Championships.

RHS diver Schyler Hohenberger also qualified for the state meet on the 1-meter board, but has decided to compete that weekend in the academic decathlon instead. His second-place Regional score of 352.60 would have made him the ninth seed at the state meet.

Eldridge qualified as the third seed in the 50-yard freestyle with a time of 24.11 seconds, second-best in the region. She is seeded fourth in the 100 butterfly in 57.67 seconds, also good for second place.

The Rockwall boys placed fifth. Both RHS squads trailed champion Highland Park, 635-255 in the girls' competition and 325-231 for the Yellowjackets.

Eldridge also took second places as part of the girls' 200 medley (1 minute, 56.88 seconds) and 400 freestyle (3:49.87) relays with Rebecca Voth, Megan Conner and Morgan Barnes.

Other second-place finishers were freshman Barnes in the girls' 100 freestyle (54.88), and senior Alex Fontenot in the boys' 100 backstroke (54.88). Fontenot barely missed qualifying for his third consecutive state meet. Barnes also took sixth in the 50 free (26.04).

Fontenot placed fourth in the boys' 100 butterfly (54.67), with sophomore teammate Justin Tokuz sixth (55.41).

Sarah Beasley finished third in the girls' 1-meter diving (299.30)

Voth was fourth in the girls' 200 individual medley (2:23.66) and in the 100 backstroke (1:05.09).

In the boys' 200 IM, Tokuz placed sixth in 2:07.05 and Evan Scown was eighth in 2:12.05. Scown also placed seventh in the 100 breaststroke (1:06.57).

Sophomore Collin Vu placed fourth in the boys' 500 free (5:07.37) and seventh in the 200 free (1:53.71).

The boys' 400 free relay team of senior Luke Phillips, Fontenot, Tokuz and Vu was fourth in 3:25.09.

The Jackets' 200 free relay team placed seventh, with Phillips, Scown, freshman Noah Day and sophomore Nicolas Stencil swimming the legs. Phillips tied for seventh in the 50 free at 23.17.

In eighth place were Conner, girls' 500 free (6:10.01), and Day, boys' 100 free (51.76)

Hernandez an alternate for state wrestling

John Hernandez fared the best of any Rockwall wrestler at last weekend's Region III Championships.

Hernandez won three of five matches at 170 pounds.

The most important victory was in his final match - for fifth place, which also made him an alternate for the State Championships Feb. 24 and 25 at the Austin ISD Delco Center. If any of the four wrestlers who placed above him could not wrestle then, Hernandez would go to the State Championships.

Thirteen RHS wrestlers had qualified for the Regionals, but the team tied for 20th place among 80 teams there after taking second place behind Rockwall-Heath in the District 19 championships.

Six other Yellowjackets won one match each at the Regionals: Andrew Hyde (106 pounds), Carter Smith (113), Cody Jonas (126), Austin Tamez (145), Daniel Roland (182) and Collin Hill (220).

Lady Hawks stick together, stay on top

Rockwall-Heath remained tied for first place in District 13-4A girls' soccer following Tuesday's 2-1 victory at Wylie.

Reace Cano-Garcia and Taryn Wheeler scored for the Lady Hawks (5-5-2 overall, 2-0-1 in the district). They kept pace with Wylie East - which also won 2-1, at Lovejoy. The Lady Raiders and RHHS played a scoreless tie Friday, Feb. 10, which put them into the tie at the top.

Said Lady Hawks head coach Marco Duran, "We are playing pretty good, but could always play better. Our kids are learning the strengths of one another, and I think that is really helping the success of our team. They are competing hard each game, and are developing some cohesiveness among themselves."

After Friday's 6 p.m. game against Quinlan Ford at Thompson Middle School in Quinlan, Rockwall-Heath will face a test Tuesday. That's when Rockwall (1-1 in the district) will visit RHHS for a 7:15 p.m. match.

Gomez's goal helps Hawks tie against Wylie

After losing its first two District 13-4A boys' soccer games this season, Rockwall-Heath played Wylie to a 1-1 tie Tuesday night.

Florencio Gomez scored the Hawks' goal to improve their record to 3-9-3 overall and 0-2-1 in the district.

RHHS had lost to Wylie East 2-1 Friday night.

Heritage Christian loses Bi-District game

Heritage Christian Academy's stay in the TAPPS 2A boys' basketball playoffs was short.

HCA's fate may have been sealed three nights earlier, on Friday, Feb. 10, when the Eagles lost to Christian Heritage School of Longview 24-23 at the Rockwall Indoor Sports Expo.

The defeat knocked Heritage out of second place and into third in TAPPS District 4-2A. That also meant that instead of having a home Bi-District playoff game at the RISE, HCA would have to go on the road.

When the Eagles did that, they lost at Dallas Lakehill Prep 49-27. The loss ended Heritage Christian's season at 9-12 overall and 5-3 in the district. HCA didn't score more than 37 points in any of its last nine games, five of them losses.

Butler, Regional champ Walters qualify for state swimming

Claire Walters, a Region IV-4A champion in one event last weekend, will represent Rockwall-Heath in two events at the 4A State Championships Feb. 24 and 25 in Austin.

Joining her as a qualifier for the state meet is teammate Jared Butler. The sophomore will compete in the boys' 200-yard freestyle. He is the 11th seed with a qualifying time of 1 minute, 44.18 seconds that gave him second place in the Regional meet.

Walters, a junior, will swim the girls' 200 free as well as the 100 butterfly, the event she won Saturday in the Regionals at the Mansfield ISD Natatorium. Her time of 57.01 seconds was good for the second seed; Walters is seeded fourth in the 200 free with a 1:53.33 clocking.

At Mansfield, Walters edged Rockwall's Raena Eldridge, who finished second in 57.67, in the butterfly. Walters also swam on the second-place 200 free relay with fellow juniors Katie Chandler, Nina Jaimes and Breana Williams. They finished in 1:48.20. The same four swimmers placed third in the 400 free relay in 3:59.21.

Walters was named Region IV-4A's outstanding female swimmer, just as she had been at the District 13-4A meet.

Butler took third in the boys' 100 breaststroke in 1:02.24.

He also swam on two relay teams that placed high. RHHS was the boys' 200 free relay in 1:31.80, with Butler, junior Cole Perlitz, Marvin Gutierrez and senior Chase Nelson swimming the legs. The 400 relay team of Perlitz, Nelson, Gutierrez and Butler finished fifth in 3:27.35.

In the girls' 100 breaststroke, Williams placed sixth in 1:16.61, with Perlitz fourth in 1:17.35.

Perlitz (fourth in 49.82) and Nelson (sixth in 50.57) both placed in boys' 100 free.

In the 500 free, Hawks freshmen Eliseo Villarreal (5:11.71) and Sp Vaughan (5:27.23) finished fifth and eighth.

Charlotte Wester placed seventh in the girls' 1-meter diving with a time of 243.60.

In eighth place was the boys' 200 medley relay team of Evan Perlitz, Butler, Villarreal and Marvin Gutierrez in 1:55.98.

As a team, the Lady Hawks finished third behind Highland Park Rockwall in the girls' competition. The RHHS boys were sixth among teams.

Rockwall Christian Lady Warriors turn season around

Perhaps the biggest surprise in TAPPS District 4-2A girls' basketball this season was Rockwall Christian Academy.

At first, the surprise was that the defending district champions had fallen so far down.

The low point came Jan. 20 at Heritage Christian Academy. The Lady Warriors arrived at the game with just five players, and had just four on the court for most of the second half.

At that point, RCA was 1-10 overall and 0-3 in the district.

Then the surprise became how well they played in district games. The Lady Warriors went 3-2 in the district the rest of the way and not only made the playoffs, but upset Longview Trinity School of Texas twice to take the district's third seed away from TSO.

Even the third seed wasn't enough to get Rockwall Christian past Tuesday's Bi-District game, which it lost 38-26 at Dallas Lakehill Prep.

In between, the Lady Warriors scored a 28-27 overtime victory at Trinity; knocked off Christian Heritage School of Longview 40-38; lost at Greenville Christian School 38-28 (after losing the first time 48-23 to GCS at home);

dropped a 48-30 decision to HCA, which finished 8-0 in the district, and downed Trinity again 35-28 in the regular-season finale.

The game at Greenville was closer than the score appears. The Lady Warriors started slowly, trailing 19-8 at halftime. They came back with three points at 24-21 entering the fourth quarter before the Lady Warriors pulled away. Ashlee Poland scored 12 of RCA's points and Jessica Widmer had 10.

Boys' head coach Ryan Hankins also took over the girls' team during season. Another boost came when Widmer, who played for the 2010 district champions, rejoined the team at Heritage Christian. She provided force inside, controlling the backboards.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
RCA	2	6	13	7	28
Greenville	10	9	5	14	38

RCA - Ashlee Poland 12, Jessica Widmer 10, Laycee Gonzalez 6.

Greenville Christian School - Kenzie Wombaker 16, Hannah Wilhelm Meaghan Brown 8, Megan Nichols 2, Karrie Moore 2.

Cambridge knocks Rockwall Christian from playoffs

Rockwall Christian Academy finished its regular season as the undefeated TAPPS District 4-2A champion and knocked off The Fulton School in a playoff warm-up game Saturday.

Then the Warriors lost the game that really mattered. Dallas Cambridge, which finished fourth in its district, upset them 64-58 Tuesday night in a Bi-District game at RCA. That knocked Rockwall Christian out of the playoffs in the first round.

The Warriors didn't have to defeat Longview Trinity School of Texas Friday, Feb. 10. Still, they left little doubt, racing to a 28-8 lead after one quarter and rolling to a 66-33 home victory to finish the district season 8-0.

Chris Stephens led RCA that night with 13 points, eight rebounds and two steals. Three other Warriors scored in double figures: Daniel Rorie and Taylor Corbin with 12 points each and Colton Jones with 11.

The next night, Rockwall Christian hosted TAPPS District 2-1A champion Fulton in a tune-up for both teams.

They seemed evenly matched. The Falcons went ahead 16-12 after the first quarter, but RCA rallied to take a 24-23 halftime lead. The Warriors stretched the advantage to 38-32 entering the final 8 minutes, then held off Fulton to win 47-43.

Corbin paced RCA with 16 points, including four 3-point shots. He also grabbed a team-high 12 rebounds. Stephens tied for scoring honors with 16 points, and led the team with three steals.

The Warriors shot better from 3-point range (8-for-19, 42.1 per cent) than on either 2-point field goals (9-24, 38) or the foul line (5-12, 41.7). The victory was their fifth in a row; the loss was just the second in 14 games for the Falcons.

RCA (17-11) opened the playoffs with its third home game in five nights, but trailed the Lions (10-10) after the first quarter 16-13 and at halftime 33-23. The Warriors couldn't catch up in the second half.

Stephens scored 17 points, with Rorie adding 16 and Jones putting in 10.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Final
Trinity School	8	8	7	10	33
RCA	28	17	11	10	66

Trinity School of Texas - N/A.

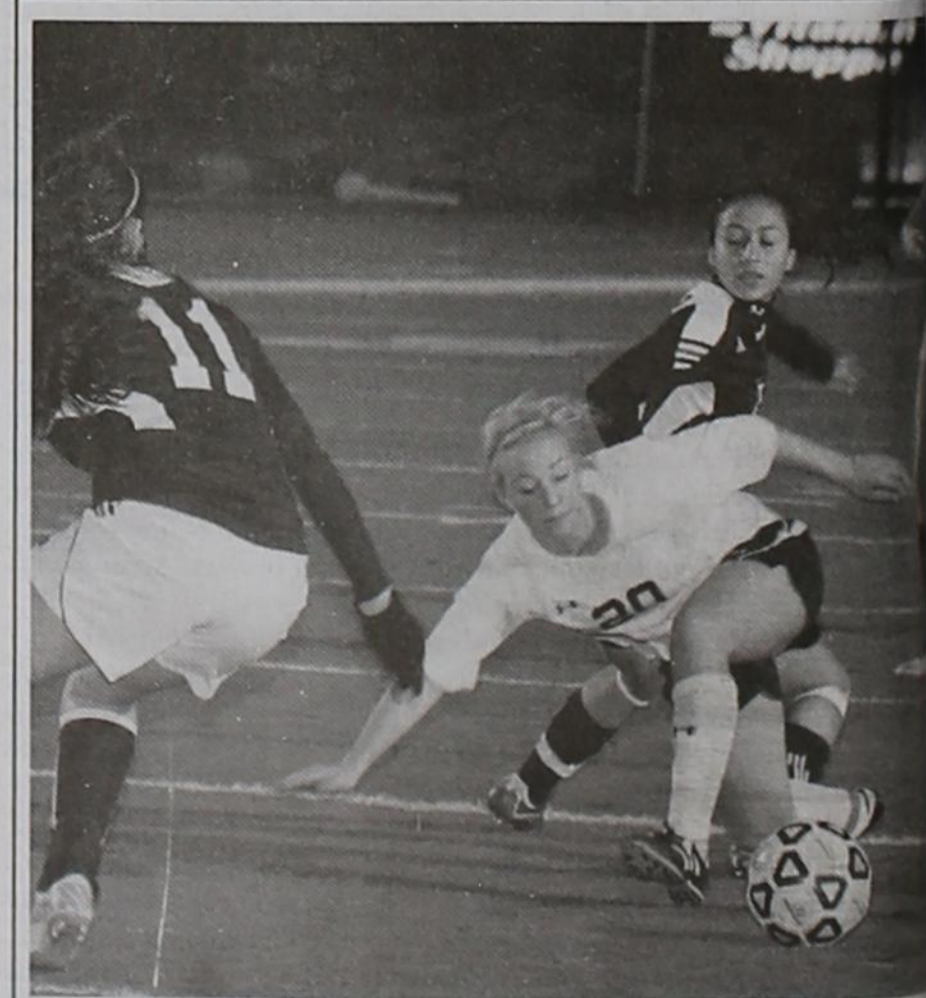
RCA (16-10, 8-0) - Chris Stephens 13, Daniel Rorie 12, Taylor Corbin 12, Colton Jones 11, Cameron Carroccia 8, Alan Thomas 6, Brett Brinner 2, John Stanley 2.

Bulldogs soccer hold Wylie to 0-0 tie

The Bulldogs' (4-7-3 overall) defensive held Wylie to a 0-0 tie game last Friday (February 10).

Goalie Alan Olalde fought for his 4th shut-out of the year, with a total of 103 saves for the season.

Royse City will play Rockwall at home tonight, Friday February 17, and is scheduled to play at Wylie East on Tuesday (February 21).



Lady Jackets' Lauren Garrison (20) attacks the Lovejoy goal during last Friday's (February 10) game in Rockwall. The Lady Jackets won 1-0.

Photo by Tim Burnett/Rockwall County News

Royse City HS band members earn top recognition

Representatives of the Royse City High School band earned top honors in two separate recent competitions. The RCHS indoor drum line landed a first place finish at a drum line competition conducted Feb. 4 at Denton Guyer High School. On that same date, several solo and ensemble competitors earned top Division I ratings in the UIL Solo/Ensemble Contest conducted at North Garland High School. Several of those competitors will represent the band at the state UIL Solo/Ensemble Contest. Earning Division I ratings were Chase Smallwood, tuba solo, state qualifier; Caleb Hessert, snare solo, state qualifier; Alec Henderson, baritone solo; Savannah Cleveland, clarinet solo; Haley Alsabrock, clarinet solo; Megan Fraundorfer, April Lopez and Rachel Reel, flute trio, state qualifiers; Christina and Nathalie Barsoum and Luz Montero, mixed woodwind trio, state qualifiers; and Kali Singleton, Hannah Walker, Luke Lopez and William Brandon, saxophone quartet, state qualifiers. The state competition will take place May 22 in Austin on the University of Texas campus.



Doris Cullins Lake Pointe first graders celebrated the 101st day of school by doing activities having to do with the number 101. Pictured, from left, are Carter Prunty, Faith Ntchobo, Nikolai Skorick, Amy Spann, Karan Eyupoglu, Tommy Farrell, Kylie Rambo, Billen Melaku and Chloe Cate. At back are Jane Bruning, assistant principal, and first grade teachers Rachelle Rose, Angela Thomas and Kam Brington.

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The Rockwall County Committee on Aging received funding to purchase food for 161 emergency food boxes to be distributed to recipients of the Meals on Wheels program. These boxes were packaged on Feb. 8 by teens from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in Heath. Pictured are, from the left on the floor, Bridger Mier and Riley Mier; second row, Miles Christensen, Anthony Bullok, Alicia Bailey, Miranda Bailey, Christian Gonzalez and Madison Morgan; and, at back, Zandyn Anderson, Andy Kier, Vance Christensen, Logan Thatcher, Isabel Forinash and Caden Scott. The boxes were delivered on Feb. 10.

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