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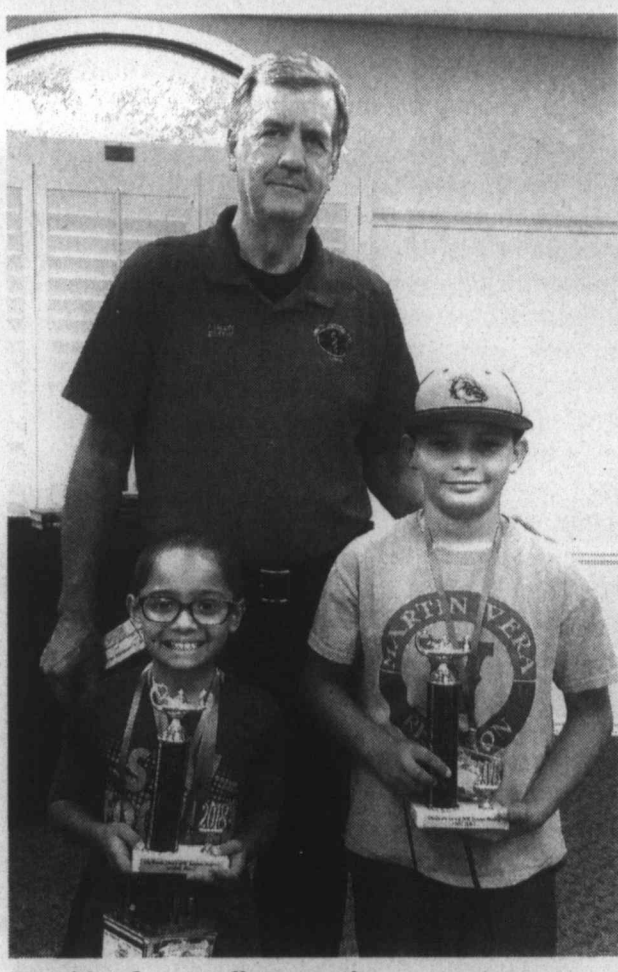
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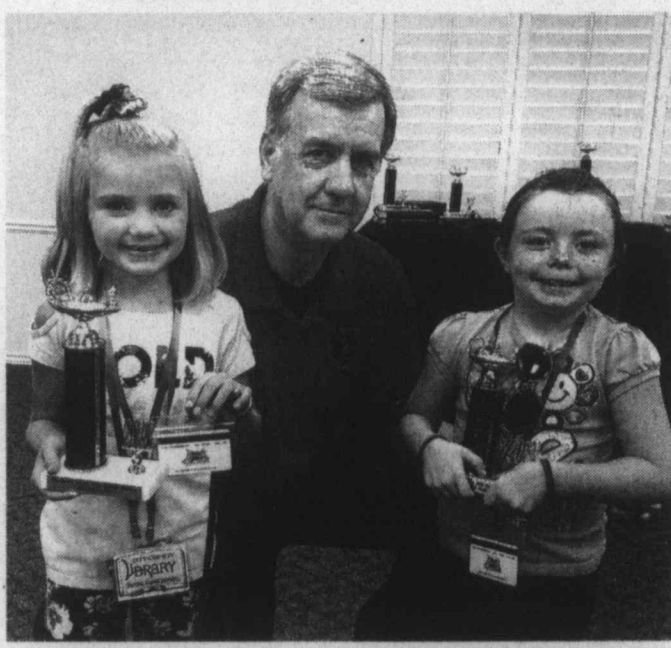


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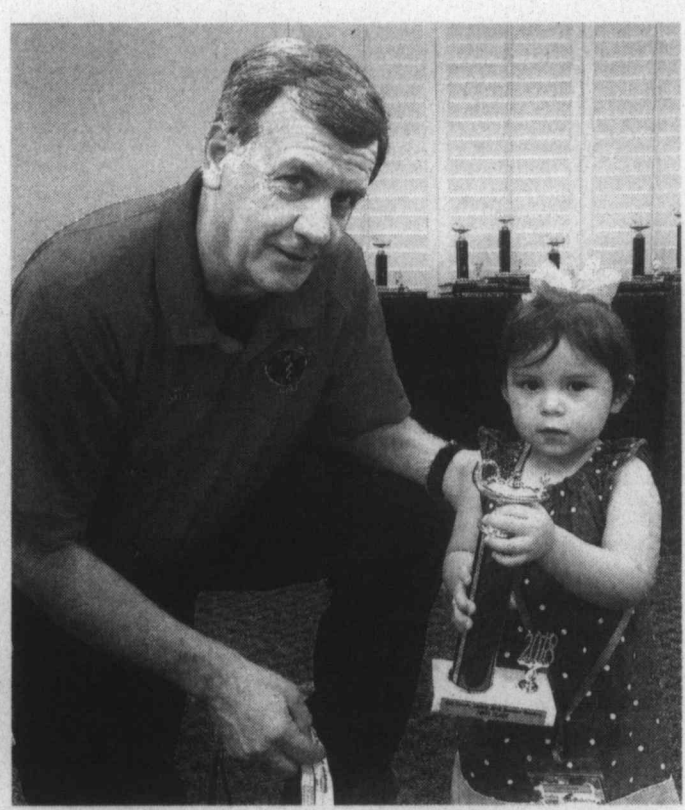


Trophies for excellent readers ... Tahoka Mayor John Baker is shown with Ariel Castañeda (left), accepting the 2nd place trophy, and Martin Vera-Carlton (right), accepting the 1st place trophy, in the Summer Reading 3rd-5th grade category at the City-County Library's Award Ceremony. Not pictured is Cheslea Colwell, who won the 3rd place trophy.

Good Job! READING IS FUN!



Reading is fun ... Mayor Baker presented trophies to Jynli Woodley (left), for 2nd place, and Malirie Johnston (right), for 3rd place, in the K-2nd grade Summer Reading program at the City-County Library's Award Ceremony. Not pictured is Ava Bond, who won the 1st place trophy.



Good little listener... Mayor Baker handed out trophies to the Read-to-Me kids at the City-County Library's Award Ceremony recently. He is pictured here with little Sophie Salinas, who won the 1st place trophy. Not pictured is Evianne Bond, 2nd place trophy, and Zoe Bond, 3rd place trophy.

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THS Class of 1968 members sought

The Tahoka High School Class of 1968 will have their 50th class reunion at the City Hall Meeting Room (former Lyntegar meeting room) on Sept. 7, 2018. Plans are in the making and organizers would like to hear from friends and classmates. Contact Richard White at (806) 998-5262 for more information.

Did you know?

- You can get a Stand-Up Comedy master's degree at the University of Kent, a university based in Kent, United Kingdom.

What's Outside

NWS official readings for Tahoka

Date	High	Low	Precip.
July 31	89	64	
Aug 1	88	64	
Aug 2	94	64	
Aug 3	97	74	
Aug 4	98	74	
Aug 5	98	69	
Aug 6	95	67	
<i>(Precipitation/temps measured as of 8 a.m. on date reported, for the previous 24-hr period)</i>			
Total Precip for Jan:	0.01"		
Total Precip for Feb:	0.03"		
Total Precip for Mar:	1.50"		
Total Precip for Apr:	0.10"		
Total Precip for May:	1.60"		
Total Precip for June:	0.83"		
Total Precip for July:	0.85"		
Total Precip. for 2018:	4.92"		

to date: 21 days of triple digits!

Deer, loose cattle on road, again cause accidents

by JUANELL JONES

For the second consecutive week, traffic accidents were caused by a deer or loose cattle on the highway, according to reports from the Lynn County Sheriff's Office call sheet information this week. One vehicle struck a deer on US 87 last Monday night, and loose cattle on US 87 caused two accidents early Saturday morning.

Last Monday, a 2016 black Dodge registered to Stephanie Moore and Cory Harris, of O'Donnell, struck a deer at 9:31 p.m. on US 87 about 4 miles north of O'Donnell. No injuries were reported.

At 5:12 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, a semi-truck hit several cows on US 87 about a fourth of a mile north of FM 213. A grey Charger behind the truck also hit some cattle. Lynn County EMS was called to the scene for the driver of the Charger, whose airbags had deployed and the vehicle had to be towed. No information was available on the drivers' names of either vehicle. The owner of the cattle reportedly arrived on scene to tend to the cattle.

A one-vehicle rollover occurred on County Road AA about 1-1/4 miles south of US 380, at 10:01 p.m. last Wednesday, Aug. 1. EMS was paged out and the driver was taken to Lynn County Hospital for treatment of unknown injuries. No information was available on the driver or vehicle.

At 2:30 p.m. last Thursday, Aug. 2, Sheriff's deputies received a report of an accident, but when they arrived at the scene no one was inside a 2005 Chevy found at FM 2053 and FM 179. The vehicle was registered to Maria Hernandez of Laredo.

(See POLICE REPORT, page 6)



Main Street closed at downtown square ...

Heavy concrete barriers have been placed in streets in front of the Lynn County Courthouse recently, blocking the portion of Main Street which curves around the west side of the courthouse. That section of the street will be removed as part of the historical courthouse restoration project, and traffic will be directed one-way around a true square. Currently, a one-block portion of S. 1st on the square is also blocked to traffic until streets are repaired.

(LCN PHOTO by Juanell Jones)

MIDNIGHT MADNESS!

Come for a preview of the THS Bulldogs and 3D Band



Tahoka Athletic Director Stephen Overstreet invites the Tahoka community and Bulldog fans to Midnight Madness this Friday, Aug. 10 at Tahoka's Kelley Field. Junior Varsity and Varsity squads will give a preview of their talents as they face off in Blue/White scrimmages, taking the field at 11:45 p.m. The Tahoka 3D Band will perform for the crowd at "halftime" as they show a portion of their 2018 marching skills.

The THS Cheerleaders will lead cheers for the crowd as they show their team spirit.

Concession items will be available for purchase at the event, such as popcorn, candy, chips, pickle ice, and drinks.

It's a fun way to kick off the 2018 football season, and Bulldog fans are invited to come cheer on their teams. The following Friday, at 6 p.m. on Aug. 17, the Bulldogs will host Olton in their first scrimmage. Tahoka will host Trinity Christian in another scrimmage here on Aug. 24. The first football game is on the road, with the Bulldogs traveling to Plains on Aug. 31 for the season opener.

Did you know? " Nearly three percent of the ice in Antarctic glaciers is penguin urine. "



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Senior Citizens LUNCH MENU

August 13-17

Monday: BBQ Beef w/ sauce, smothered potatoes, pinto beans, apricots
Tuesday: Chicken salad sandwich, macaroni salad, carrot sticks, watermelon
Wednesday: Chicken fajitas, fajita veg., chuckwagon corn, Spanish rice, fruit cocktail
Thursday: Crumb topped fish, garlic roasted potatoes, peas, chocolate pudding
Friday: Beef macaroni & tomato casserole, lima beans, fruit & oatmeal bar
Mark your calendars...
• **Game Day Tuesdays...** On Tuesdays at 1:00 p.m. we will have game days. Dominoes, cards and you can also bring your favorite game!
• Donations to benefit the Center for the building fund are greatly appreciated. All donations are tax deductible; we are a 501(c)(3) organization. An account has been set up at the First National Bank of Tahoka.

Obituaries



Robert Lee Dixon

Memorial services for Robert Lee Dixon, age 67 of Rockdale are scheduled for 1:00 p.m. Saturday, August 11, 2018 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home Chapel in Rockdale. Family friend, Jacqueline Marie Cockerham, will officiate. He passed away Saturday, July 28, 2018 at his home in Rockdale, after his fight with cancer.

Robert Lee was born April 16, 1951 in Greenville, Mississippi to Ruby Lee Dixon. He graduated from Gentry High School in Mississippi. He served in the U.S. Army from February 1971 to November 1972. On November 8, 1983, he and Genell Wells, formerly of Tahoka, Texas and made their home in Rockdale. Robert Lee worked as a utility specialist at Alcoa in Rockdale. He attended Rising Star Baptist Church in Rockdale. He was a member of the Steelworkers Union and enjoyed hunting and fishing.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Crystal Leigh Dixon on September 25, 2017; his mother, Ruby Lee Dixon and mother-in-law, Ella Brown.

Surviving are his wife, Genell Dixon of Rockdale; two sons, Robert Lee Dixon, Jr. of Pflugerville and Terrel Dixon and wife Cinda of Rockdale; three daughters, La Toya Wells of Hutto, Pamela Wells Ogwu and husband Daniel of Steiner Ranch and Jaleesa Dixon of Pflugerville;

two sisters, Victoria Lee Dixon of Moorhead, Mississippi and Gloria Dixon of Alabama and ten grandchildren, Iva Bonner, III, Chris Johnson, Jahia Bell, Rhasha Bell, Kywn Bell, Michael Balaco, Messhia Balaco, Jazzy Dixon, Mason Dixon and Loyna Dixon.

(PAID)

EMT course to be offered in Tahoka

Lynn County will have an EMT course starting September 4, running through December 20, 2018. Classes will be held on Monday and Thursday nights, 6 pm-10 pm, and one Saturday per month concurrently with EMT course, at Lynn County Hospital in Tahoka.

At the completion of the third module, students will have the opportunity to select the EMT or ECA track. ECA students are not required to do clinical rotations.

Please call Lynn County EMS Office 806-998-4533 x 505 to sign up, or email EMS Director John Baker at jbak-er@lchdhealthcare.org.

Food drive to benefit local community

Kindred at Home and Kindred Hospice and Home Health are in partnership with the Tahoka Church of Christ Food Pantry in sponsoring a food drive for the month of August to benefit the local community.

"We are seeking your support for this national effort to collect food and personal items in every market our company serves. Help us help our local community by donating items or joining us in the distribution of items for the Tahoka community," said a Kindred spokesperson.

The week of August 27th will be the pick up week for items donated. Donations may be dropped off at any of the following locations: Thriftway, Lynnwood Assisted Living, Lynn County Hospital District and the LCHD Family Wellness Clinic.

For questions or more information, please contact Cindy Hale at 806-632-8149.

Fun Fact:

Going up?

The German tech firm, ThyssenKrup, aims to provide high-rise visitors - whether it be an office building or an apartment complex - a more convenient way of getting to your destination, says the Association of Mature American Citizens. They are in the process of testing a revolutionary kind of elevator - one that goes up and down and sideways.

And, there'll be no need for cables because the Maglev uses rails and magnetic fields to ferry passengers around their buildings. But, don't look for a Maglev system to come to a high rise near you very soon. This type of indoor transportation costs about five times more than your garden-variety elevator.

- from www.amac.us

A look back at ... Woodwork

(Reprinted from the past) Dalton Wood



SOMETIMES I play an instrument in a band, but mostly we don't have a name, which may explain why we don't draw stadium-sized crowds and big recording contracts with such fringe benefits such as our own personal drug suppliers.

I thought of this when I read a story in the Lubbock newspaper recently about all the dumb names of bands today, from the *LA Times-Washington Post* news services. As the writer pointed out, bad spelling, bad grammar and bad taste are all there in abundance, and "some bands have names even their fans are embarrassed to utter." Some of the names he said are for real rock-and-roll bands:

Blonde Redhead, Ominous Seapods, Vowel Movement, New Wet Kojak, Iron Prostate, the Vulgar Boatmen and I Spit on Your Gravy.

Under "name games," he lists Coal Porters, Jody Foster's Army, Brian Jonestown Massacre, Elvis Hitler and Mr. T Experience. Under "bands that can't count," he mentions 10,000 Maniacs (actual membership 6), Vanity 6 (3 members) and Pizzicato Five (with 2 members).

I used to play with a group in Plainview called "The Old Masters of Swing," and some of our critics used to substitute a word which sort of rhymes with Masters when speaking of us. Now I often play with musicians from Slaton, Tahoka, Big Spring, Lamesa and Stanton, and we don't really have a name, or a leader. The leader usually is whoever lives in the town we happen to be playing in at the time.

In Slaton, the home of trombonist Bob Kern and guitarists Art Ratzlaff and Alton Kenney, we sometimes have a name: Bob Kern and the Kernals (a bunch of nuts).

Our music certainly is not rock and roll, but more a mixture of jazz, Dixieland, some country and what our younger employees around the office sneeringly call "elevator music" or "dentist office music."

Still, maybe we need to have a name that will go with us from town to town. Something really clever, like The Musicians.

-- August 1998

THERE'S A STORY I have received by e-mail on several occasions which underlines the importance of remembering those who serve you, even if they are just doing what they get paid for. It goes like this:

In the days when an ice cream sundae cost less than it does now, a 10-year-old boy went into a hotel coffee shop and sat at a table. A waitress put a glass of water in front of him.

"How much is an ice cream sundae?" he asked. "Fifty cents," replied the waitress. The little boy pulled his hand out of his pocket and studied the coins in it. "Well, how much is a plain dish of ice cream?" he asked. By then other people were waiting for service and the waitress was getting impatient. "Thirty-five cents," she said brusquely.

The boy counted his coins again, then said, "I'll have the plain ice cream." The waitress brought the ice cream, slapped the bill down on the table and walked away. The boy finished his ice cream, paid the cashier and left.

When the waitress came back, she began to cry as she wiped the table. There, placed neatly beside the empty dish, were two nickels and five pennies. She realized he couldn't have the sundae because he had to have enough left to leave her a tip.

(March 13, 2000)

Donate items now for silent auction for Sr. Citizens Center

The Lynn County Pioneers Senior Citizens Center will have a Silent Auction fundraiser at the Sept. 8 Lynn County Harvest Festival. The center is now accepting new or handcrafted items, or baked goods, for the Silent Auction. Donations may be brought to the Senior Citizens Center at

1600 South 3rd, or call Director Sandra Norwood at the center 806-561-5264 to pick up your donation. She may also be reached by email at lynnccpioneers@gmail.com.

All donations are appreciated, and will benefit the Lynn County Pioneers Senior Citizens Center.

Family Wellness Clinic



Shannon Hammonds FNP-C

AUGUST national IMMUNIZATION awareness month



Anala Molina FNP-C

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This information will assist the emergency responders in a quicker response with rescue, medical services and recovery.

If you wish to have your information on the list, please provide your address, phone, type of shelter and location on the property.

Mail, email or call information to: Lynn County EMO P.O. Box 1166, Tahoka, TX 79373 Phone 806-561-5244 - or - email to: lynncountyemc@co.lynn.tx.us or stop by the office located at 1627 Ave. K in Tahoka.

Wilson Mustang Round-Up

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21st • 6:00- 7:30 p.m.

Registration will be in the WISD school cafeteria. Bring a copy of your latest utility bill. All students must be accompanied by parent/guardian.

On-Ramps presentation for ALL HIGH SCHOOL students will be at 6:30 p.m. in the WISD Learning Lab.

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Signups Harvest

All girls invited to participate in Lynn County Harvest Festival. Princess Contest Sept. 8, for a title as well as for the top three. Starting 17, girls may their tickets to the home of I 2001 Ave. K. Her at 806-79 information.

The 2018 Princess cash, first runner-up \$750 cash, second runner-up \$500 cash, third runner-up \$250 cash.

County Harvest

The Lynn County Harvest Festival Queen contest will be with candida currently so may sign up Amy Rodriguez 806-928-035 arodriguez@

A minimum must sign up be held.

Any Lynn school female contest. Can enrolled in high school, freshman, sophomore or senior. The event will scholarships. also earn cash sales, whether the scholarship directly to the

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Signups begin Aug. 17 for the Harvest Festival Princess contest

All girls in 2nd-5th grades in Lynn County schools are invited to participate in the Lynn County Harvest Festival Princess Contest on Saturday, Sept. 8, for a chance to win the title as well as cash prizes for the top three places.

Starting Tuesday, Aug. 17, girls may sign up and get their tickets to sell by going to the home of Elizabeth Tew at 2001 Ave. K in Tahoka, or call her at 806-790-4301 for more information.

The 2018 Harvest Festival Princess will win \$1000 cash, first runnerup will win \$750 cash, and the second

runnerup will win \$500 cash. Additionally, every contestant may earn cash, based on their ticket sales.

All candidates will sell \$1 Harvest Festival Princess tickets for 11 chances to win \$2000 in prizes, including a grand prize of a \$1000 prepaid Visa card (the Princess drawing is a separate drawing from the Queen tickets), and 10 drawings for \$100 prepaid Visa cards. The drawings will be held at the Harvest Festival on Saturday, Sept. 8.

For more information about the contest, call Mrs. Tew at 806-790-4301.

County high school girls sought for Harvest Festival Queen candidates

The Lynn County Harvest Festival Queen scholarship contest will be held on Sept. 8, with candidates for the event currently sought. Candidates may sign up by contacting Amy Rodriguez, chairman, at 806-928-0353 or by email at arodriguez@tahokaisd.org.

A minimum of five girls must sign up for the contest to be held.

Any Lynn County high school female may enter the contest. Candidates must be enrolled in a Lynn County high school, and may be a freshman, sophomore, junior or senior. The winners in the event will receive college scholarships. All candidates also earn cash based on ticket sales, whether or not they win the scholarship.

The amount of the scholarships awarded will be determined by ticket sales of the queen candidates. Upon enrollment in college, these scholarship checks are made directly to the young ladies,

to be used in any manner that will help their college careers.

Queen candidates are judged by non-partisan judges, hired each year by the Harvest Festival Committee. Judges will use their discretion to score contestants on a scale of 1-10 on the following: personality, communication skills, appearance, intelligence, poise and overall effectiveness during their presentation on stage at the Harvest Festival. The judges' scores are tabulated to determine the winners.

All queen candidates support the scholarship program by selling Harvest Festival Queen raffle tickets. This year's Queen raffle ticket features 5 chances to win \$2000 in prizes, including a grand prize of a \$1000 prepaid Visa card, and four drawings for \$250 prepaid Visa cards.

The drawings will be held at the Lynn County Harvest Festival held on Saturday, Sept. 8.



New auditorium ... The Tahoka ISD auditorium is still undergoing construction on the TISD campus. Pictured here is the interior of the new auditorium, with finishing details still needed throughout, as well as flooring and seating, before the building can be used. This week, paving outside the building was continuing. (LCN PHOTO by Juanell Jones)



Jamaica fun... Rocking the Wilson Jamaica that was held at the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church were Bonnie Schwertner, Drew Landry, and Keith Finke.

Tahoka Economic Dev. Board discusses ongoing projects

The Tahoka Economic Development Board met with on Thursday, August 2 at 5:15p.m. at City Hall, discussing ongoing projects. Board members Gary Jones, Carmen Chapa, Tim Pledger, Joe Craig, and Bill Schoemann all attended, with Julia Allen absent, and City Administrator Jerry Webster serving as the Executive Director.

Financial status report revealed that the board had a fund balance of \$293,292.84 with \$50,000.00 committed to the Senior Citizens renovation fund.

Gary Jones advised that he has been taking photographs of the area to submit for the "Film Friendly Community" project, and will be seeking citizen/public submissions to complete the application process. The Film Friendly Community is a website designed for cities to submit photos of their area, in order to be considered for movie locations.

A Tahoka Economic Development Board web page is currently under development with Adventure Marketing in Brownfield. Data and mission statement and purpose is being proposed.

Carmen Chapa and Joe Craig are developing a survey to be administered to citizens at the Lynn County Harvest Festival, for feedback on a variety of topics.

Bill Schoemann reported that TX DOT provided statis-

tical numbers for road traffic through Tahoka. Daily traffic N-S on US 87 is 7922 vehicles. E-W traffic of Highway 380 is 1200 daily. North Loop 472 in Tahoka has between 956 and 1000 daily vehicles. This information will be posted on the new WEB page to possible businesses interested in daily traffic numbers.

"If you look at the McDonald's franchise daily traffic requirements to locate on a highway, 30,000 is the daily traffic numbers they are seeking, so it is difficult to attract large franchises with Tahoka's small traffic numbers. But these numbers may work for something else," Schoemann reported.



Wilson Community News
By Bonnie S. Schwertner
b.schwertner@yahoo.com

As usual, Keith and I had a festive time at Sunday's Jamaica at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church in Wilson. With activities and games both inside and out, traditional food booths, and the bands playing, there was excitement for everyone!

Wilson ISD Mustang Round-Up will be on Tuesday, August 21, from 6:00 - 7:30 pm. Registration will be in the cafeteria. Students must bring a parent or guardian and proof of residency. All 9-12th graders will attend an "On-Ramps" presentation in the Learning Lab at 6:30. Stop by to meet new administrators.

I have some bad news and some good news. You already know the bad: property values went up. The good news: Wilson ISD board voted to lower the school tax rate, so

LCHD sets public hearing for budget

Lynn County Hospital District Board of Directors will hold a public hearing regarding the FY 2018-2019 Budget, at 6 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 23 in the hospital meeting room. The public is invite to attend.

DID YOU KNOW?

• Installed in 1410, the world's oldest astronomical clock still in operation is in Prague.

you won't see an increase in your bill this year. We're losing a little funding on it, but feel it's important in the tough economy. Please be generous with fundraising efforts.

Our Mustang football team starts practices this week. Come out to encourage them at 8:00 pm. The first scrimmage is scheduled for August 17, 5:00 pm in Wilson against Kingdom Prep.

ALL HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS are invited to sign up for the Sept. 8, 2018 Lynn County Harvest Festival Queen Contest!



MARISOL MORIN 2017 QUEEN

Open to girls who attend Tahoka, Wilson, New Home and O'Donnell High Schools

Sign ups start soon

To sign up, call Queen Chairman **Amy Rodriguez** 806-928-0353 or email: arodriguez@tahokaisd.org

The Queen and top 2 Runners-up will win COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS!



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ALL GIRLS IN 2ND-5TH GRADE are invited to sign up for the Sept. 8, 2018 Lynn County

Harvest Festival Princess Contest!

Sign ups start Aug. 17th

Starting Aug. 17, come by any weekday, 6:00-9:00 p.m., to sign up and get tickets, at: 2001 Ave. K (home of Elizabeth Tew - 806-790-4301)

The PRINCESS will win \$1000 !!!

This year's Harvest Festival \$1 raffle ticket will have 11 chances to win, including a Grand Prize of \$1000, (this is a separate drawing from Queen's drawing) and 10 drawings for \$100 cash!

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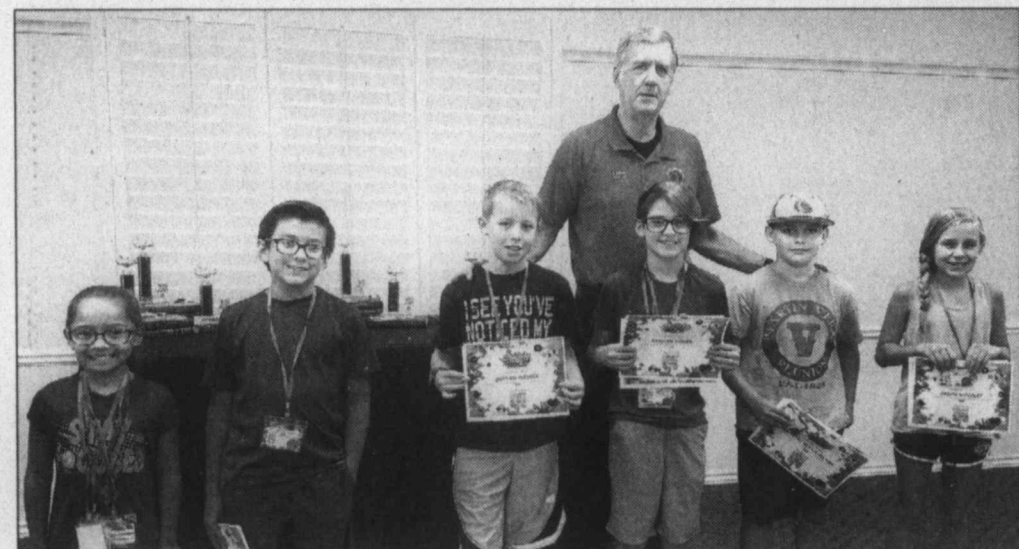
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Read-to-me ... Mayor John Baker handing out awards to the Read-to-Me kids at the City-County Library's Award Ceremony. Pictured: Beau Anderson, Arthur Castañeda Jr., Kenna Curry, Anastasia Earnest, Kennedy Filley, Jordan Flud, Anna Holdridge, Hope Holdridge, Sophie Salinas, and Westin Woodley. Not Pictured: Zoe, Evianne and Leroy Bond, Sahara and Shade Castor, Eleanor Moore, Abryana and Camden Rodriguez, and Summit Askew.



Reader awards ... Mayor John Baker handing out awards to the 3rd-5th grade kids at the City-County Library's Award Ceremony. Pictured: Ariel Castañeda, Ethan Calvillo, Jordan Pledger, Kassius Ramos, Mayor John Baker, Martin Vera-Carlton, and Jady Woodley. Not Pictured: Denton & Reese Moore, Joseph Williams, Cheslea Colwell and Ryan Taylor.



Free books ... Terry Handley from Barnes & Noble handing out free books for Summer Readers, who turned in Barnes & Noble reading logs, at the City-County Library's Award Ceremony. Back Row: Rhett Anderson, Tate Anderson, Terry Handley, Jady Woodley, and Kassius Ramos. Front Row: Andrea Castañeda, Ariel Castañeda, Westin Woodley, Jynli Woodley, Malirie Johnston. Not Pictured: Ryan Taylor.

NEWS from the Library

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(inside the Life Enrichment Center)

Awards Ceremony

Our Summer Activities ended with honoring our summer readers at the Awards Ceremony. We are very proud of the kids who read throughout the summer and their families who supported them. Terry Handley, representing Barnes & Noble, began the evening awarding the kids who turned in Barnes & Noble reading logs with a free book. Sonia Colon, one of the 3rd grade teachers at Tahoka ISD, awarded the kids who read four 2018-2019 Bluebonnet books with a \$10 gift card to the movies along with a Texas Bluebonnet keychain made on the library's 3D printer. Mayor John Baker handed out certificates to all kids who turned in reading logs along with a Gold Coin Medal. Thank you, First Bank & Trust, for donating the gold dollars for our Gold Coin Medals. Finally, the anticipated trophies were awarded. Winners were rewarded with 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place trophies in three different age groups along with gift cards from Cinemark Theaters and Altitude Trampoline Park. Thank you, Rotary Club, for donating the trophies this year the kids who read the most books throughout the summer.

Making a difference

We would like to thank everyone that made a difference this year at the library by supporting our Summer Readers. First Bank & Trust for donating gold dollars for the Gold Coin Medals, The Rotary Club for donating the Trophies, Tahoka Donuts for donating donut/cookie certificates, George's Restaurant for donating kid meal certificates, and Subway for donating kid meal certificates. We appreciate the support for the library and for our local kids.

A special thanks to all the families who supported

Did you know?

• A sheep, a duck and a rooster were the first passengers in a hot air balloon.

their kids this summer, Terry Handley and Barnes & Noble for allowing us to be a part of your Summer Reading Program, and Sonia Colon and the Bluebonnet book reading teachers of Tahoka ISD for helping the kids get an early start on reading the Bluebonnet books for the upcoming school year.

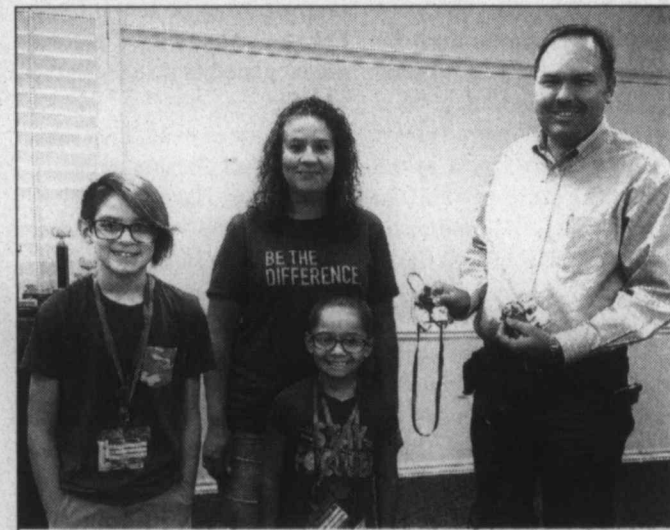
Ladies of the Library

Tea & Tales will be held Tuesday, August 14th at 10 a.m. Ladies will plan the fall programming schedule.

Please join us with your programming ideas.

Harvest Festival

The Harvest Festival is scheduled for Saturday, September 8th. Stop by the City-County Library's booth and vote on your favorite patron 3D printed object. We will also be fundraising that day for our upcoming year. Build a Safari Friend will be back with new animals. We have them in the library now for a Take and Make if you can't wait for them. We will also be selling our 3D printed Texas & Bulldog Paw Print key chains along with our Bulldog ornaments.



Bluebonnet Books ... Sonia Colon from Tahoka ISD handing out awards for Summer Readers, who read and turned in logs for the 2018-2019 Bluebonnet Books, at the City-County Library's Award Ceremony. Pictured: Kassius Ramos, Sonia Colon, Ariel Castañeda, and accepting for Denton and Reese Moore was Dad Blake Moore. Not Pictured: Cheslea Colwell.

TxDOT sealcoat operation begins in area

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) began work this week to seal coat several roadways across the Lubbock District. The work is part of TxDOT's annual road maintenance program and will make \$14.06 million in improvements to preserve the roadways.

"Seal coating provides a variety of benefits to the roadway including providing a waterproof surface that prevents moisture from entering and weakening the roadbed," said Mike Wittie, P.E., TxDOT Lubbock Area engineer and project manager. "Seal coating also reduces deterioration and cracking of the asphalt surface, which prolongs the life of the pavement."

More than 350 miles of Lubbock District roads will be seal coated this summer. Roadways undergoing seal coat improvements in Lynn County are US 380, FM 1054, Loop 76. Other surrounding counties are included to be seal coated.

"With two work crews performing seal coat operations, more than one road in an area may be affected at the same time. Drivers can expect day-time lane closures and traffic to be guided through construction area via pilot car during the operations. Motorists are asked to drive with caution through the work zone for their safety and the safety of the workers," Wittie said.

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The City-County Library is seeking individuals for the position of Librarian. The position is a full-time, permanent position. The position is open to all qualified individuals. The position is located in Tahoka, Texas. The position is open until filled. For more information, contact the City-County Library at 806-561-4350.



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IT IS HER Government Code August 28, 2018, K, Tahoka, Texas. IT IS FURTHER ordered that a copy of this publication not be published. Signed August 28, 2018.

The Tahoka Apartment Complex, Texas.

Applicants for the position of Rental Assistant must submit an application to the City of Tahoka. Applications are accepted until 12:00 PM on the day of the hearing. For more information, contact the City of Tahoka at 806-561-4350.

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The City-County Library is currently accepting applications for the position of library assistant. This is a part time position. Applications for this position may be picked up at the City-County Library, 1717 Main Street.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS § 106th JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF LYNN § OF TEXAS

ORDER SETTING HEARING ON COMPENSATION OF COUNTY AUDITOR

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to Section 152.905, Texas Local Government Code, that a public hearing shall be held at 8:30 o'clock a.m. on August 28, 2018, in the temporary District Courtroom located at 1400 Avenue K, Tahoka, Texas, for the purpose of setting the amount of annual compensation for a County Auditor for the fiscal year 2019.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the District Clerk shall deliver a certified copy of this order to a newspaper of general circulation in the county for publication not earlier than the 30th or later than the 10th day before the date of hearing.

Signed August 6, 2018.

Carter T. Schildknecht
Judge of the 106th District Court
Lynn County, Texas

NOTICE

The Tahoka Housing Authority owns and operates the 24-unit West Gate Apartment Complex located in the 2100 block of North 7th Street in Tahoka, Texas.

Applicants for these apartments must meet all the eligibility requirements as set out by the USDA Rural Development.

Rental Assistance may be provided by USDA Rural Development.

Applications for these apartments can be picked up at the main office of the Tahoka Housing Authority located at 1400 Ave. K in Tahoka, Texas. Applications are accepted during our regular business hours of 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. and 1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. Monday-Thursday or by mailing your completed application to P.O. Box 238, Tahoka, TX 79373.

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Bill Miller

Executive Director

Tahoka Housing Authority



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