

Softball

Maidens vs Stamford
Fri., April 14, 4:00 p.m.
at Stamford
Maidens vs Anson
Tues., April 18, 5:00 p.m.
at Haskell

Baseball

Indians vs Stamford
Fri., April 14, 11:00 a.m.
at Stamford
Indians vs Anson
Tues., April 18, 7:00 p.m.
at Haskell

Calendar

Women's seminar

The Drug Store in Haskell is hosting a Women's Health Seminar Thurs., April 13, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at The Women's Space, located at 108 N. Ave. C in Haskell. Pharmacist and certified HRT specialist Dr. Nathan Buerkle and the pharmacy team at The Drug Store will discuss the latest in hormone replacement therapy and other women's health issues. Light snacks provided. RSVP to The Drug Store at 940-864-2673.

Easter movie

God Loves You Ministries on the west side of the square will show the movie "Risen" Fri., April 14 at 6:30 p.m.

Easter egg hunt

The annual community Easter egg hunt will be held Sat., April 15 at 9 a.m. at the Haskell City Park. Three separate areas for hunting will be available, ages 4 and under, ages 5-8 and ages 9-12. A bicycle will be given as a grand prize for each age group. Sponsors are the City of Haskell, State Farm and Bailey Toliver Chevrolet. For more information, call city hall at 940-864-2333.

Food distribution

The Haskell County Ministerial Alliance Food Distribution Center will distribute food Sat., April 15 from 10 a.m. til 11:30 a.m. at 206 S. 2nd (building east of Civic Center) in Haskell.

Food distribution

The Haskell County Ministerial Alliance Food Distribution Center will distribute food Sat., April 15 from 9:30 a.m. til 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church in Rule.

Steer/heifer tags

4-H or ag students exhibiting a steer or heifer in the 2018 show season needs to order tags through the County Extension Office, or their ag teacher by April 18. The tags/UIN numbers are \$15 each. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Jason Westbrook, 940-864-2658, or your ag teacher.

Pre-K registration

Haskell Elementary School will have registration for the 2017-2018 school year for Prekindergarten for three and four year olds Tues., April 18 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the elementary library.

Mission trip lunch

Weinert Baptist Church will host lunch Sun., April 23 from 12 noon to 1:30 p.m. to benefit their mission trip to Romania. The meal includes lasagna, green beans, salad, breadsticks and dessert. Donations will be accepted.



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Happy Easter

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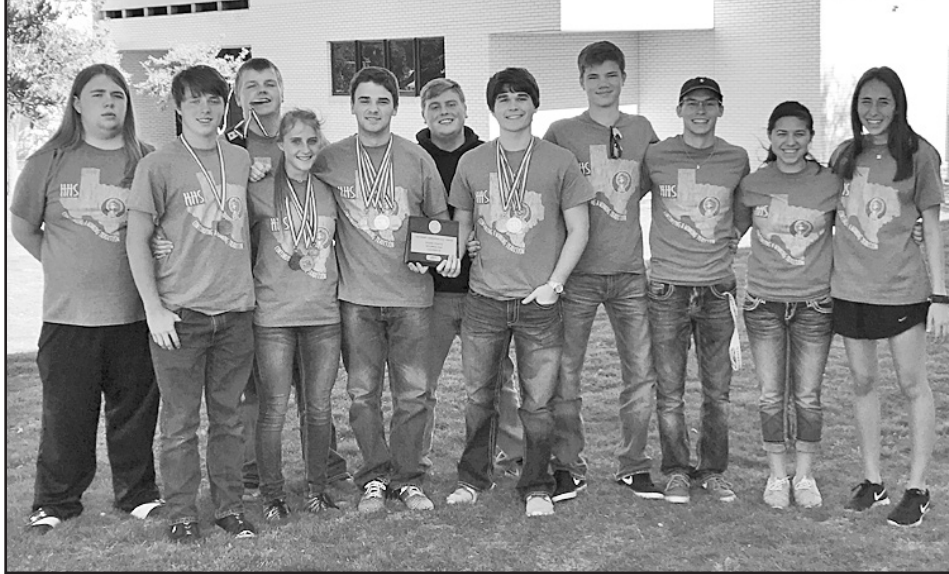
Two Haskell High teams qualify for state UIL



FIRST PLACE-The Haskell High School Mathematics team took first place at the Regional UIL Academic meet Sat., April 8 at Odessa College. Team members are, l-r, Chase Gibson, Tanner Thomas, Franzi Lutz and Payton Thomas.



SECOND PLACE-The Haskell High School Number Sense team won second place at the Regional UIL Academic meet Sat., April 8 at Odessa College. Team members are, l-r, Tanner Thomas, Payton Thomas, Franzi Lutz and Caleb Wright.



COMPETES AT REGIONAL MEET-The Haskell High School UIL Academic team competed at the Regional UIL Academic meet Sat., April 8 at Odessa College. Team members are, l-r, Colton Wright, Caleb Wright, Chase Gibson, Franzi Lutz, Payton Thomas, Cody Dutton, Tanner Thomas, Hagen Isbell, Dalton Meinzer, Ariel Martinez, Hollyn Hadaway. Not pictured is Ashlyn Bevel.

Early voting begins April 24 for city/school elections

by Caron Yates

The time for filing for a place on the ballot in both city elections and school board elections has come and gone. Now the campaigning begins.

Saturday, May 6, 2017 has been set for all city and school board elections. However early voting by personal appearance, runs from April 24 through May 2. Early voting will take place during regular business hours at the city hall of each city, as well as the respective school administration office for the school elections.

In the city of Haskell, voters will elect three aldermen to two year terms. Incumbents Randy Bowers and Johnny Fuentes have

filed, as well as Allen Morrow, Dan Hoover, Tell Stevens and Steve King.

On the Haskell CISD school board, incumbents Debbie Earles and Joey Thomas have chosen not to run for re-election. On the ballot for place #2 will be Paula Everett, who is unopposed. Rusty Stocks and Wesley Alsbrook have thrown their names in the ring for place #3. These will be three year terms.

The city of Rule will vote on three council seats. The only incumbent to file is Bob Clark, and he is joined by Jim Kowalski, Alan Beard, Lacey Russell and Delle Watkins all seeking places on the council. A fourth council seat will be decided in a special election.

The Rule ISD school board has two three-year terms up for election. Incumbent Jeffrey Murray, along with challengers Kenny Barnett and Angela Hertel have entered the race. Incumbent Shane LeFevre chose not to run for re-election.

In the Weinert city government, places held by Stanley Hager, Bill Walker and Caron Yates are up for election. Only the incumbents have filed, so there will not be an election held.

It is important for each of us as voters, to learn what these individuals running for office have to offer or what they hope to achieve, and then of course, turn out and vote.

Haskell High School had twelve students compete at the Regional UIL Academic Meet Sat., April 8, at Odessa College.

A few of the qualifiers were not able to attend due to a conflict with Area FFA judging contest.

Of these twelve competitors, Haskell has five who will advance to the State UIL Academic Meet, which will be held April 21-22 at the University of Texas in Austin.

Results include:
Mathematics: First place team; Payton Thomas, first

place, Tanner Thomas, third place, Franzi Lutz, fourth place, and Chase Gibson (1 spot out of Top 6).

Number Sense: Second place team; Payton Thomas, third place, Tanner Thomas (1 spot out of Top 6), Franzi Lutz and Caleb Wright.

Regional participants were Colton Wright, Caleb Wright, Chase Gibson, Franzi Lutz, Payton Thomas, Cody Dutton, Tanner Thomas, Hagen Isbell, Dalton Meinzer, Ariel Martinez, Hollyn Hadaway and Ashlyn Bevel.

Bevel named to All-State Academic Team

Senior Maiden Ashlyn Bevel has been recognized with another state award, for her play and leadership on the basketball court.

This week, Bevel was named to the 2016-17 Class 2A TABC Academic All-State Girls' Basketball Team.

She previously earned honors this season that include District 8-2A Co-Offensive MVP, Class 2A-I Texas Association of Basketball Coaches (TABC) All-Region Girls' Basketball Team, and Class 2A Texas Girls' Coaches Association (TGCA) All-State Girls' Basketball Team.



ASHLYN BEVEL

We congratulate Bevel on her excellence both on and off the court.

Paint Creek to register Pre-K, K Tues., April 25

Paint Creek School will hold registration for Pre-K and Kindergarten students for the 2017-2018 school year Tues., April 25.

Pre-K students currently enrolled at Paint Creek need not enroll until fall registration. Please come by the school office between 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to complete needed paperwork.

To attend Kindergarten, a child must be 5 years old on or before Sept. 1, 2017. To attend Pre-K, a child must be 4 on or before Sept. 1, 2017. Parents should bring their driver's license, and their child's immunization record, birth certificate, and social security card to registration.

If you cannot attend registration, but have a Pre-K or Kindergarten student, please, call the school at 940-864-2868 and make arrangements to come at another time.

Remembrance dinner

A remembrance dinner, honoring the black citizens of Haskell both past and present, will be held Sat., June 17 beginning at 1 p.m. and Sun., June 18 beginning at 11 a.m. at the Haskell Memorial Civic Center in Haskell. Please RSVP Minnie Itson 325-691-1727, Juanita Wheeler 925-439-9216 or Minister Regina Billington, 15oholyspirit@gmail.com by April 15.



ADVANCES TO REGIONAL-McKenzie Gray, left, advanced to regional in UIL vocabulary/spelling and ready writing contests. Del Fritzier advanced in the computer applications competition. Both students are sophomores at Rule ISD and competed at the regional contest Sat., April 8 in San Angelo.

FOR NEWS ITEMS OR TO SUBSCRIBE, CALL 940-864-2686

Obituaries

Clara Jones Tibbets

Clara Jones Tibbets of Tifton, Georgia Surviving family members include formerly of Rochester, will be placed to rest Sat., April 15, during a private family graveside service. Visitation with the family will follow at the Rochester School cafeteria from 3:15 to 5:00 p.m., Sat., April 15.

Mrs. Tibbets was preceded in death by her husband, Alton Lesley Tibbets.

Surviving family members include Lennis and Beckey Tibbets of Bartonsville; Bruce and Jonette Tibbets of Knox City; Linda Blair of Chandler, Oklahoma; Sherry Martin of Aspermont; Janay and Buddy Brewer of Tifton, Georgia; Mark and Michelle Tibbets of Plainview; twelve grandchildren, great grandchildren and great, great grandchildren. PD. NOTICE

The Haskell Chamber of Commerce would like to thank the Haskell National Bank and its Board of Directors, for their continued support of the Chamber Banquet. We appreciate your willingness to provide the meals for the third grade students and teachers. The Chamber of Commerce sincerely apologizes for the oversight in our article.

Josselet reunion

Descendants of Victor Joseph and Catherine Hugon Josselet will gather at the Haskell Civic Center Sat., April 15. The family will have a time of fellowship, fun and food. The children will enjoy an Easter Egg hunt, while everyone else will bid on various auction items. All members are asked to bring items for the auction. The menu is steaks, sausage, bread, numerous side dishes and desserts. Everyone is asked to furnish sides and desserts. If any changes need to be made since the 2015 reunion, please send them to Julia Harrell at tti@srcaccess.net. If you have any questions, contact Monty Moeller, president, or Robbie Drinnon, secretary treasurer.



AREA QUALIFIERS—Haskell Maiden Jessica Andrews, left, comes out of the blocks in the 800 meter run, where she placed third and qualified for Area. Maiden Franzi Lutz, right, leads the pack at the district track meet in the 3200, placing first and advancing to the Area meet in Abilene Wednesday.

Maidens' track

The Haskell Maidens competed and took first place team honors at the district track meet Thurs., April 6 in Albany. Athletes placing in the top four places advance to the area track meet.

Results include:
3200: 1. Franzi Lutz; 4. Hollyn Hadaway; 5. Kaelyn Bevel
Sprint relay: 2. Krysta Winegeart, Kobie Walker, Kara Stout and Valerie Andrews

800: 3. Franzi Lutz; 6. Jessica Andrews
100 H: 5. Madyson Moore; 6. Kourtney Gibson
100: 2. Madyson Moore; 7. Kourtney Gibson; 8. Allie Address
800 relay: 1. Krysta Winegeart, Kobie Walker, Kara Stout and Valerie Andrews
400: 3. Jessica Andrews
300 H: 7. Madyson Moore
200: 2. Krysta Winegeart
1600: 2. Hollyn Hadaway;

7. Kaelyn Bevel
Mile relay: 3. Franzi Lutz, Kobie Walker, Kara Stout and Valerie Andrews
High jump: 8. Kobie Walker
Pole vault: 2. Kasie Isbell
Long jump: 4. Valerie Andrews; 5. Allie Address; 7. Kara Stout
Triple jump: 8. Kobie Walker
Discus: 3. C'Era Taylor; 7. Lolo Alexander
Shot: 4. Lolo Alexander; 8. C'Era Taylor



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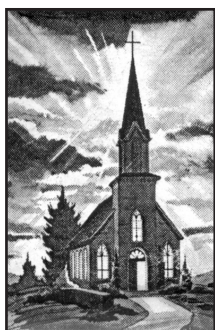
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This Week's Devotional Message:



HE IS RISEN

'Christ is Risen!' And once again on Easter morning, the miracle of His resurrection brings joy and inspiration, as we gather together in the house of the Lord, with our families and friends, to worship, to

rejoice, to give thanks for His gift of life everlasting. May this Eastertide bless each of us with infinite trust in the goodness of life, hope for the future and faith in the spiritual truths that sustain us.

ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

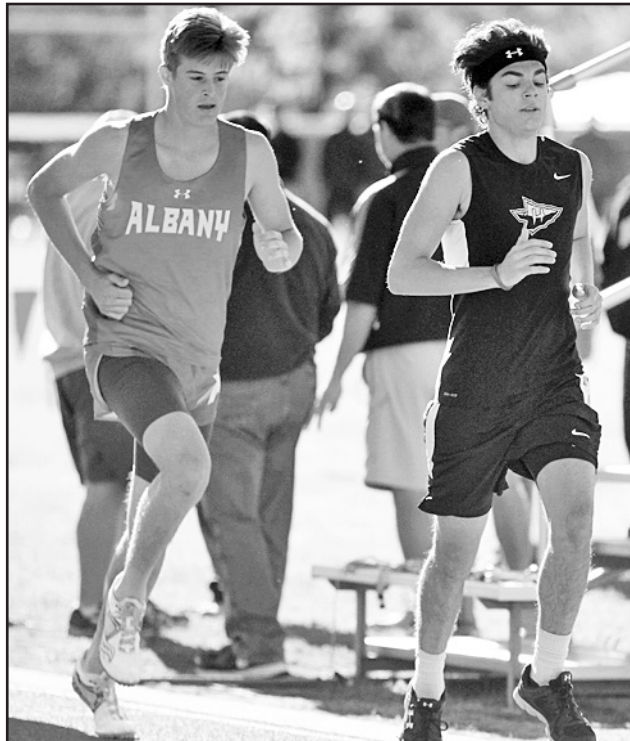
<p>—HASKELL—</p> <p>East Side Baptist Church Terry Bunch, pastor Sun. 9:45 a., 11 a.; 6 p.; Wed. 7 p. 600 N. 1st East, Haskell</p> <p>Christian Church Sun. 10:45 a.m. 107 N. Ave. F, Haskell</p> <p>Church of God Bruce Ray, pastor Sun. 10:30 a.m. Thurs. 7:00 p.m. 714 North First East, Haskell</p> <p>Trinity Lutheran Church Rev. David White, pastor Sunday 9:30 a., Worship 10:30 Hwy 380 East, Haskell</p> <p>Iglesia Bautista El Calvario Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a, 5 p; Wed. 7 p 607 S. 7th, Haskell</p> <p>First United Methodist Church Rev. David Johnson, pastor Sun. 9:45 a., 10:50 a, 6 p. Wed. 6 p 201 N. Ave. F, Haskell</p> <p>First Assembly of God Rev. J.C. Amburn Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p 1500 N. Ave. E, Haskell</p> <p>St. George Catholic Church Father Angelo Consemينو Sat. Mass 7 p.m.; Sun. 9:00 a.m. 901 N. 16th, Haskell</p> <p>Church of Christ Philip Sims, minister Sun. 9:30 a., 10:30 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p 510 N. Ave. E, Haskell</p> <p>First Presbyterian Church Kelly Pigott, interim pastor Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m. 306 N. Ave. E, Haskell</p> <p>Trinity Baptist Church Larry White, pastor Sun. 10 a., 11 a, 6:30 p; Wed. 6:30 p 114 S. Ave. D, Haskell</p> <p>Hopewell Baptist Church Sun. 9:30 a., 11:00 a.; Wed. 7 p. 908 N. Ave. A, Haskell</p>	<p>Greater Independent Baptist Church Ollie Johnson, pastor Sun. 9:30 a., 11:00 a, 6:30 p; Wed. 7 p 301 N. 3rd St., Haskell 940-863-4405</p> <p>New Covenant Foursquare Bill and Renee Glass, pastors Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 6:30 p. Wed. 7 p. 200 S. Ave. F, Haskell</p> <p>First Baptist Church Ollie Pierson, pastor Juddon Smith, Family Life Pastor Sun. 9:45 a.m., 10:55 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p.m. 301 N. Ave. E, Haskell</p> <p>Cornerstone Fellowship Baptist Church Sun. 9:30 a., 10:45 a., 5 p., Wed. 6 p. 1600 N. First St., Haskell</p> <p>God Loves You Ministries Mark Wallace, pastor Church Service 10 a.m. West side of square, Haskell —WEINERT—</p> <p>First Baptist Church Dan Bullock, pastor Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 6 p., Wed. 7 p. Weinert</p> <p>Weinert Foursquare Church Rev. Robert Harrison Sunday 11 a.m Weinert</p> <p>—ROCHESTER—</p> <p>Church of Christ Mitchell Greer, minister Sun. 10 a.m., 10:45 a.m. West on Main Street, Rochester</p> <p>First Baptist Church Jim McCurley, pastor Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Prayer Time/Team Kids 5 p.m.; Wed. Youth meeting 7 p.m. 500 Main, Rochester</p> <p>Union Chapel Baptist Church Clovis Dever Sun. 9:45 a., 10:45 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p Rochester</p>	<p>Faith Chapel of Rochester Randy Hollingsworth, minister Sun. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., Wed. 6 p.m. Hwy. 6, Rochester</p> <p>—SAGERTON—</p> <p>Sagerton Methodist Church Cory Graham, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m. Sagerton</p> <p>Faith Lutheran Church Anna Robbins, pastor Sun. 10:30 a.m. Sagerton</p> <p>—RULE—</p> <p>First Baptist Church Scott Hensley, pastor Sun. 9:45 a., 11 a., 5 p.; Wed. 7 p. 1001 Union Ave., Rule</p> <p>Primitive Baptist Church Dale Turner Jr., pastor First & Third Sundays 10 a.m. Corner of 8th & Robins, Rule</p> <p>Church of Christ Paul Leonard, minister Sun. 9:45 a., 10:40 a, 6 p; Wed. 7 p 811 Union, Rule</p> <p>Primera Iglesia Bautista Alfa y Omegas Manuel Marin, pastor Sun. 10 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.; Wed. 6 p. 500 Elm Street, Rule</p> <p>Sweet Home Baptist Church Russell Stanley, pastor Sunday 10 a.m. Gladstone Ave., Rule 940-997-2296</p> <p>West Bethal Baptist Church Rev. Clovis Dever Sun. 10 a., 11 a., 8 p.; Wed. 7:30 p. 300 Sunny Ave., Rule</p> <p>—PAINT CREEK—</p> <p>Paint Creek Baptist Church Sun. 10:00 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Paint Creek</p> <p>—O'BRIEN—</p> <p>O'Brien Baptist Church Jim Reid, pastor Sun. 9:45 a., 11 a, 5 p, 6 p, Wed. 6 p O'Brien</p>
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Indians' track

Nine varsity Indian track athletes competed

to finish fourth overall at the district track meet.

All those that placed in the top four will advance to the area track meet.



QUALIFIES FOR AREA—Haskell Indian Caleb Wheat keeps pace in the 3200, not allowing a pass and places third, qualifying for Area in both the 3200 and 1600.

Coach Dusten Mackey said, "I am very proud of all twelve of the boys that competed in track this season."

3200 M: 3. Caleb Wheat; JV 3200 M : 3. Taylen Sossaman
1600 M: 3. Caleb Wheat
800 M: 3. Hagen Isbell;
5. Josue Hernandez
400 M: 8. Josue Hernandez
110 H: 3. Peyton Smith
100 M: 2. Ezell Woods
800 M Relay: 5. Peyton Smith, Dalton Meinzer, Logan Burson and Ezell Woods
200 M: 2. Ezell Woods
Discus: 1. Kyler Hoover, 141.3
Long jump: 1. Ezell Woods, 22.5

Calendar

Fourth Sunday

The public is invited to attend a fourth Sunday celebration at Hopewell Baptist Church, 908 N. Ave. A in Haskell, featuring a special speaker each fourth Sunday of the month.

Storm sirens

The City of Haskell will test the storm sirens Fridays between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., weather permitting beginning Fri., March 10.

TeamKID

TeamKID, for children ages 4 years old to sixth grade, meets on Wednesdays from 5:30 to 6:45 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Haskell. If your child needs a ride, call 864-2581.

BIG COUNTRY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE MEMBERS, MAKE PLANS 18TH ANNUAL MEETING Thursday, April 20 AT ROTAN HIGH SCHOOL

6:00 p.m. Member registration in auditorium foyer
BBQ meal catered by Rough Creek Catering in gym
7:00 p.m. Business Meeting in auditorium

Door prizes will be given away throughout the evening to REGISTERED MEMBERS, including a total of \$4,750 in energy credits: \$1,000 Grand Prize Energy Credit, \$750 Energy Credit, \$500 Energy Credit, 5 of each \$300 and \$200 Energy Credits, and dozens of more wonderful items! If you don't attend, you can't win!

Election of Board Members will take place for Districts 4,5 and 6. All members are encouraged to attend this very important meeting of YOUR cooperative!



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FASHION SHOW—Haskell County 4-H member Madilyn Moore models her entry in the District 3 4-H Fashion Show held Sat., April 1 in Graham.



Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service

by Darlene Hopkins, CEA-FCS, Haskell Co.

District 3 4-H Fashion Show

The District 3 4-H Fashion Show was held Sat., April 1 in Graham at the North Central Texas College. This year's theme was "Road Trippin' Through Fashion" and was sponsored in part by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service and the District 3 Texas Association of Extension Family and Consumer Sciences.

Haskell County 4-H'er Madilyn Moore placed fourth

in the Intermediate Everyday Living Construction Category with her floral print duster/kimono ensemble.

In the 4-H Fashion Story Board contest Moore placed fourth in the Intermediate Wearable division with her lace dress design and Colton Hopkins placed third in the Junior Accessory division with his trophy belt buckle design. The theme for this year's 4-H Fashion Story Board contest was "Inspired by Music."

Study Club to attend Women's Health Seminar

In a change of programs, the Haskell Progressive Study Club will attend a Women's Health Seminar presented by The Drug Store Thurs., April 13, from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. at the Women's Space, 108 N. Ave. C. in Haskell. The Drug Store pharmacy staff will discuss various issues in women's health. Nathan Buerkle, Pharm. D., will cover the latest in hormone replacement therapy and other options.

RSVP is not required, but appreciated. Light snacks provided. Please call 940-864-2673, or send a message

on Facebook.

The next meeting for the Progressive Study Club will be May 11 at 7 p.m., when the club will meet in the garden of Ruby Turner, 311 N. Ave. F. for a salad social with each member bringing their favorite salad.

Officers for the 2017-2018 year will be installed. Franciene Johnson will lead a "Sing Along" for the entertainment. A short business meeting will be conducted by club president, Julia Harrell. Federation news will be presented by Dorothy Hartsfield.

Commissioners' Court report

The Haskell County Commissioners' Court met Tues., March 28 in their regular meeting place with all members present.

It was reported that sixteen people are still working at the Rolling Plains Detention Center.

County precincts are helping the City of Haskell with the clearing of old homes.

Susan Cockerell and Lynn Dodson were approved as board members for the

Aspermont Small Business Development Center.

A correction was made on the Country Road number on the March 14 agenda from Loop Road 336 to County Road 393.

Two belly dump trailers were purchased for Precinct 1 from Circle D Truck Sales.

A policy and procedures for data use/handling of confidential information was adopted.

The motion to make all county facilities and vehicles smoke and vape free (E-cigarettes) passed.

No action was taken in the matter of closing County Road 415. No action was taken regarding temporarily closing County Road 343 from the east intersection of County Roads 453, 451 and 452 west to the intersection of County Roads 453, 451 and 465 south and west of Rule.

Haskell Co. Arrest Report

The following arrests were reported by the Haskell County Sheriff's Office during the week of April 3-9:

No arrests reported. Twenty-nine calls were made to 911.

Mesquite District holds convention

The Mesquite District 57th Spring Convention of General Federation of Women's Clubs of Texas, was hosted by the Haskell Progressive Study Club at the Women's Space in Haskell Sat., March 25, with Albany Study Club and Fortnightly Study Club of Merkel attending. Donna Davis registered guests as those attended were greeted with members of the hostess club dressed in their colorful hats in honor of the spring season and Easter.

The executive board met at 8:30 a.m. followed by the official opening of the Spring Convention. Carolyn Waller, president of Mesquite District called the meeting to order, followed by welcome from Julia Harrell, president of Haskell Progressive Study Club.

Recognition of special guests was given to GFWC Texas President, Pattie Poe; GFWC Texas Secretary, Fran Mask; Past GFWC Texas State President, Sandi Conway; Past GFWC Texas Mesquite District presidents, Past Mesquite District Life Members Mary Lou Gilbert and Oleta Cornelius, and first timers to district meeting.

Rules and Procedures were given by Audra Horton followed with roll call of clubs followed by a three minute report of club presidents describing their work by their clubs during the past year. Minutes of the fall board along with recommendations of executive committee were given by Barbara Neel and treasurer's report by Kathryn Schonerstedt.

Following a short break, Waller gave a memorable, musical history of federation with members assisting with musical songs when various

words were mentioned and proved to be very entertaining and amusing.

Executive reports were given by Mesquite District officers, president Waller; president-elect, Pat Humphrey; first vice president, Bennie Parker; TFWC Historical Foundation Trustee, Pat Humphrey; TFWC Scholarship Representative, Mary Lou Gilbreath and Parliamentary Advisor, Horton.

Presentation of 2016 district awards were given by Parker. Presentation of 2017 Mesquite District scholarship recipient was given by Gilbreath.

A break was taken for a delicious salad luncheon prepared by Schonerstedt. Members convened again and Harrell and Schonerstedt were nominated and voted in as Mesquite District Life Members. Gilbert of Albany Club was nominated and voted to TFWC State Life Member.

TFWC State President Poe gave an invitation to GFWC Texas 120th Annual Convention to be held April 26-29, at the MCM Elegante Hotel in Odessa. Conway extended an invitation to GFWC Mesquite District fall board meeting to be held Oct. 21 hosted by the Albany Club in Albany.

Final registration report was given by Schonerstedt of 24 present. Announcements were made by Waller. Members joined together in reading the Club Collect and members were adjourned by Waller.

Clubs represented were Albany Study Club of Albany, president Waller; Haskell Progressive Study Club, president Harrell and Merkel Fortnightly Club of Merkel, president Neal.

Haskell School Menu

April 17-21 Breakfast

1% milk, fat-free flavored milk, 100% fruit juice variety and fruit are available at every meal.

Weekly: Cereal, toast, muffin, yogurt, PBJ, animal crackers, cheese stick

Monday: No school

Tuesday: Sunrise sandwich

Wednesday: Breakfast burrito, hash browns

Thursday: Oatmeal, cinnamon toast

Friday: Biscuit, gravy, scrambled eggs, sausage

Lunch

Milk variety is available at every meal. Sandwich

available daily at elementary.

Monday: No school

Tuesday: Nachos grande, refried beans, salsa, lettuce and tomato, cucumber dippers, tiny tomato cup, pears, lime sherbet cup

Wednesday: Hot dog, corn chips, baby carrots with ranch, crunchy broccoli salad, fresh grapes, cookie

Thursday: Salisbury steak, biscuit, brown gravy, roasted potatoes, garden salad, fruity gelatin

Friday: Chicken sandwich, oven fries, lettuce and tomato garnish, fresh veggie cup, Mandarin oranges

VOTE FOR Rusty Stocks Haskell School Board Single Member District 3



- Raised in Haskell
- Haskell High graduate
- 12 years experience in education
- Former teacher/coach
- Employed by Bailey Toliver Chevrolet
- 2 daughters enrolled in Haskell schools
- Home owner, taxpayer

I would appreciate your vote. It would be an honor to serve the students, educators and community as we continue to strive to give our students the best education possible.

**Early voting – April 24th
Haskell CISD Administration Bldg.
Election Day May 6th – City Hall**

Pd. Pol. Adv. paid for by Holly C. Stocks, treasurer

Rule School Menu

April 17-21 Breakfast

Fruit, juice and milk are offered daily.

Monday: Pancakes, sausage

Tuesday: Breakfast pizza

Wednesday: Biscuit, scrambled eggs, sausage

Thursday: Muffins, yogurt

Friday: Egg and cheese sandwich

Lunch

Milk is served daily.

Monday: Pork chop, brown gravy, roll, roasted potatoes,

carrot coins, strawberries and bananas

Tuesday: Spaghetti bowl, breadstick, salad, California veggies, peaches, pudding

Wednesday: Chicken quesadillas, corn, charro beans, salad, cinnamon applesauce

Thursday: Chili with crackers, broccoli bites, tomato cup, orange smiles

Friday: Sloppy Joe, tater tots, cucumbers, apple, cookie

Easter Sale

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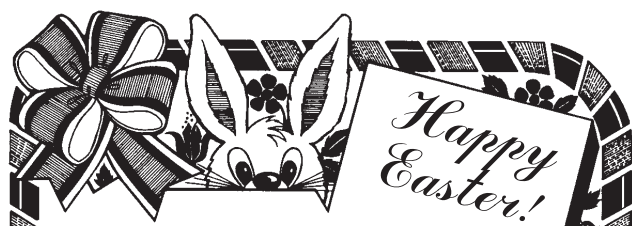
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NEW BRUSH TRUCK—Haskell Volunteer Fire Department took delivery of a new Ford F750 4x4 brush truck Mon., April 10. Conversion components from an old truck were used in the build of the new truck and were funded by a private donation and the Haskell VFD. Thanks to the City of Haskell, who provided funds for the cab and chassis, and Steele Fire Apparatus who fabricated the truck. The 1,000 gallon truck replaces an aging piece of equipment.



PLACES SECOND—The Haskell County 4-H horse judging team shines at the District 3 4-H horse judging contest by placing second overall in Vernon Tues., April 4. Lane Addington placed sixth high individual, Colton Hopkins was eight high individual and Ryan Cox was ninth high individual overall. This was the first horse judging team to compete for Haskell County in many years. Team members are, l-r, Evan Enriquez, Ryan Cox, Lane Addington and Colton Hopkins.

From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

10 Years Ago
April 12, 2007

Ashley Adams, Haskell Elementary student, will be recognized at the Area V Conservation Awards Banquet. In the Soil and Water Conservation Poster Contest, she won first place in her grade, second at district and third in area. She is the daughter of David and Tina Adams of Haskell.

Winning first place at the Rolling Plains District 3 Cultural Arts EEA Conference in Childress were Mary Jennings with her quilt and Sue McGee with her entry of a child's dress, jacket, hat and purse outfit.

Haskell County 4-H members participating in the Senior Division of the 4-H Fashion show were Molly Dudensing, Candace Brister, Andrea Anderson, Kate Rowan and Sydney

Saucedo.

20 Years Ago
April 10, 1997

Haskell High School freshman Hilee Mulligan was crowned Prairie Days Queen. She is the daughter of David and Lynn Dodson and was sponsored by Personality/Slipper Shoppe. First runner-up was HHS sophomore Misti Henson, while Rochester junior Brandy Brown was chosen second runner-up.

Mary and Chester Abbott observed their 50th wedding anniversary with a family dinner co-hosted by their two daughters. He worked 37 years for Amoco Pipeline and she was a school teacher for 28 years.

Haskell High School senior Sarah Cothron has been selected by the Texas Association of Secondary School Principals as a finalist in the TASSP Academic

Excellence Award Program. She is the daughter of Steve and Frankie Cothron.

30 Years Ago
April 9, 1987

Receiving recognition at the All-Sports Banquet were HHS athletes Joel Torres, Booster Club Award; Patrick Perez, Basketball Hero; Tiffany Moeller, Basketball Sweetheart; Laurie Alvarez, Football Sweetheart; Andy Griffith, Dick Gaines Award; Julie Roewe, Girls' Basketball Award; and Mark Young, Boys' Basketball and Football Awards.

Members of the HHS judging teams won the Sweepstakes award at the Abilene Christian University judging contest. Winning first was the Range and Pasture team of Lori Peiser, Kristen Campbell, Wayne Geilhausen and Steven Klose.

Darrell Smith, Jerry Stocks and Robert Kramp won seats on the Haskell City Council, while Roger Moeller and Hollis Calloway will serve on the Haskell School Board.

40 Years Ago
April 14, 1977

Pat Hale presented Danny Isbell and Sonny Dillard, representatives of the West Texas Rehab Center, a check for almost eleven thousand dollars. The money was raised by Hale and his committee during the Cotton Roundup.

Rule High School hosted the District 20-B girls' tennis meet. Tammy Peiser of Paint Creek defeated Julie Skelton of Goree for the singles' title. Winning the doubles' title were Jamie Pierce and Kara Jones of Old Glory, by defeating Jill LeFevre and Marla Lehrmann of Rule.

50 Years Ago
April 13, 1967

Mrs. J.A. Lisle was named "Woman of the Year" at the Rule Chamber of Commerce banquet. Mrs. Lisle, a resident of Rule since 1920, has served as manager of Lisle Gin since 1927, and is president of the Board of Directors at the Farmers Compress in Rule.

Inducted into the Haskell Chapter of the National Honor Society were Theresa Abbott, Kelly Adkins, Dana Bland, Derrel Davis, Donna Finley, Martha Henderson, Paul Hiebert, John Love, Catherine Josselet, Debby Phariss, Anita Powell, Pam Reeves and Carolyn Rhoads.

90 Years Ago
April 14, 1927

Sheriff J.C. Turnbow and Deputy Sheriff Charles Richards raided a farm house west of Rochester and seized about 240 gallons of mash and six gallons of whiskey, together with parts of a still, which they found on the premises.

Haskell's newest business enterprise opened in the nature of the Texas Confectionery and Newsstand, located in the Texas Theatre building on the south side of the square.

Haskell to register Pre-K, K

Haskell Elementary School will have registration for Prekindergarten and Kindergarten for the 2017-2018 school year on the following dates:

Tues. April 18, 3 and 4 year old Prekindergarten registration is from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the elementary library.

Tuesday, May 2, is Kindergarten registration and screening. New students not currently enrolled in Haskell Elementary School will be registered and screened from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. or 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the elementary office.

To be eligible for enrollment in Prekindergarten, a child must be 3 or 4 years old on Sept. 1, 2017 and must be unable to speak and comprehend the English language; or qualify for free or reduced lunches; or be

homeless; or be the child of an active duty member of the armed forces of the United States; or be the child of a member of the armed forces of the United States who was injured or killed while serving on active duty; or has ever been in foster care. However, we are hoping to offer Prekindergarten for all 4 year olds. If you are interested in this program for your child, please be sure to register Tues., April 18.

To attend Kindergarten, a child must be 5 years old on Sept. 1, 2017. Only students registering for Kindergarten who are not currently enrolled in Haskell Elementary School need to attend registration with their parents. All students currently enrolled in Haskell Elementary School will be pulled from their class to be screened. Their parents do not need to attend

registration.

PPCD (Preschool Program for Children with Disabilities) is for children ages 3 to 5 that may be developmentally delayed in areas such as learning, speech and/or emotional skills. If your child turns 3 during the 2017-2018 school year, you can call the elementary office at 864-2654 at that time to schedule an appointment to have your child screened.

Parents should bring their driver license and their child's birth certificate, immunization record and social security card to registration. Your child will not be able to start school in the fall until we have all these items on file.

It is possible for some children to qualify for more than one of these programs. Call Peggy Adams at 864-2654 if you have any questions.

Calendar

Support group

The Jones County Alzheimer's Association Support Group meets the second Monday of the month at 4 p.m. at Country Elegance, 1700 Columbia St., Stamford. For information, contact Patsy Richards at 325-773-5511.

Garage sale

The Haskell Chamber of Commerce will hold a community-wide garage sale Sat., May 6. Deadline to register is Wed., May 3 at 1 p.m. Application forms are available at the Chamber of Commerce office or pick up from the outside box at 510 S. 2nd St. For more information, call 940-864-2477.

Defensive driving

The Sagerton Hobby Club is sponsoring a defensive driving class Mon., April 24, in the

Fellowship Hall of the Lutheran Church in Sagerton. Classes will be held from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Kenneth Reeves of Abilene will be teaching the class, which is a National Safety Council Course and is approved by the Texas Education Agency. Fee for the class for your car insurance discount is \$20.00. Reservations can be made by calling Joyce LeFevre at 940-997-2103.

Weekly story time

The Haskell County Library, 300 N. Ave. E, will host a weekly story time every Friday from 10 to 10:30 a.m. Any age children, with parental supervision, are invited to listen and participate in stories, songs, rhymes and activities. For more information call 940-864-2747 or visit <https://www.facebook.com/HaskellCountyLibrary/>.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service

by Darlene Hopkins, CEA-FCS, Haskell Co.



Professional Food Manager Certification Training Course offered

Statistics indicate that foodborne illness continues to be a health issue in the United States. Each year, one in six Americans will become sick, 128,000 will become hospitalized, and 3,000 will die due to a foodborne illness.

Texas Food Establishment Rules state that each food establishment is required to have one certified food manager on site.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service in Taylor,

Jones and Haskell Counties, is offering a professional food manager certification training course. This two day program will be offered for \$125.00 on May 22 and March 23 at the Taylor County Extension Office. Cost includes training, materials, and the ServSafe food manager certification examination. The food manager's certification will be valid for five years. Registration deadline is May 8.

This program is designed to not only prepare foodservice managers

to pass the certification examination; it will provide valuable education regarding the safe handling of food. Almost 50 cents of every dollar Americans spend on food is spent on meals prepared away from home. Therefore, careful attention to food safety will help keep customers safe and satisfied. Foodborne illnesses are estimated to cost thousands of dollars in lost wages, insurance, and medical bills. With these statistics, knowledge of how to prevent foodborne illness is essential. The benefits of improved food safety include:

- Increased customer satisfaction
- Improved relationships with health officials
- Prevention of bad publicity and law suits due to foodborne illness
- By attending the course, foodservice managers will learn about:
 - identifying potentially hazardous foods and common errors in food handling
 - preventing contamination and cross-contamination of food
 - teaching and encouraging personal hygiene for employees
 - complying with government regulations
 - maintaining clean utensils, equipment and surroundings
 - controlling pests

Foodborne illnesses can be prevented by following simple food safety practices. For more information about the Professional Food Manager Certification Training course of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, called "Food Safety: It's Our Business," call the Taylor County Extension Office at 325-672-6048. You may also access a downloadable registration form at <http://taylor.agrilife.org>.

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Indians

Indians vs Stamford
Fri., April 14
11:00 a.m.
at Stamford

Indians vs Anson
Tues., April 18
7:00 p.m.
at Haskell



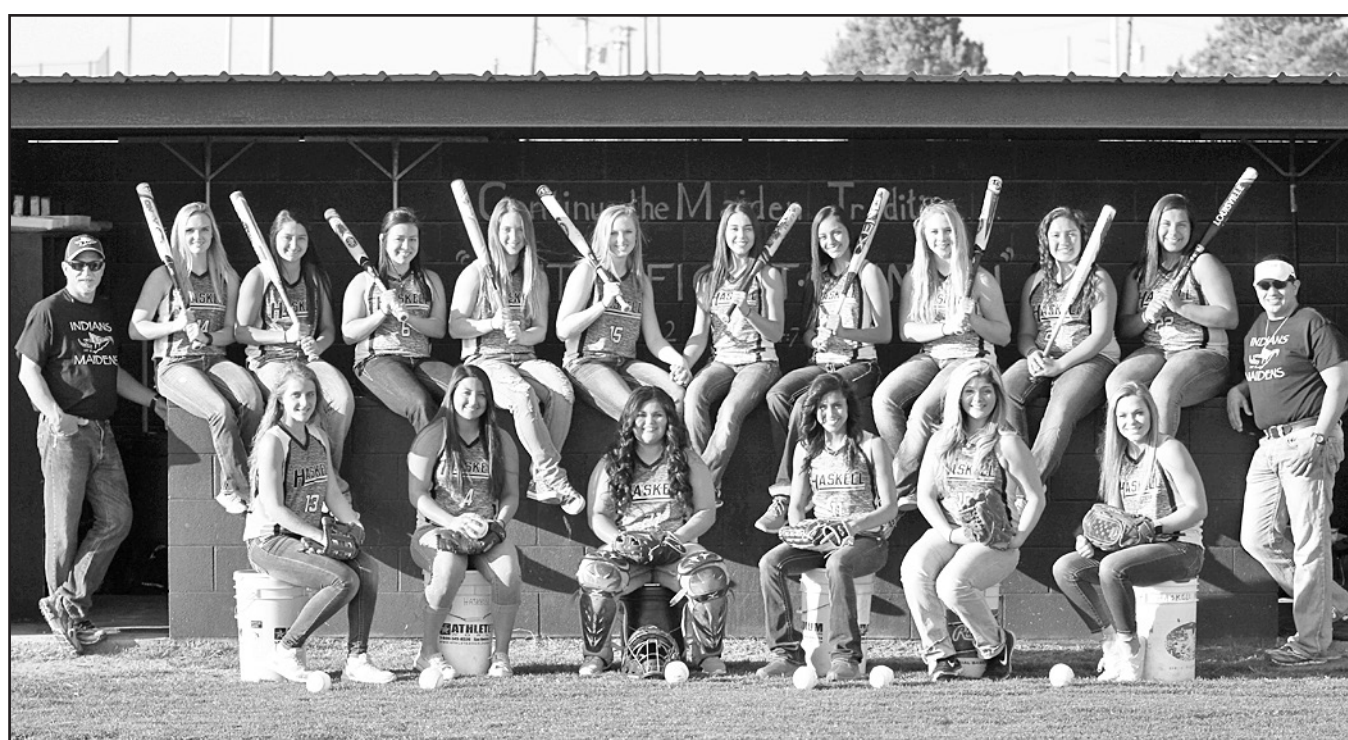
HASKELL INDIANS—Members of the 2017 Haskell Indians' baseball team are, front row, l-r, Coach Matt Garvin, Taylor Tatum, Laken Olson, Colter Reed, Peyton Smith, Reed Roewe and Caden Tatum; back row, Ezell Woods, Evan Green, Kyler Hoover, Rocky Haggard, Alec Roewe, Coby Compton and Head Coach Kevin Compton. Not pictured are Kellen Parks, Riley Sloan, James Robledo, Nick Hendrix and Caleb Casillas.

HASKELL MAIDENS

Maidens

Maidens vs Stamford
Fri., April 14
4:00 p.m.
at Stamford

Maidens vs Anson
Tues., April 18
5:00 p.m.
at Haskell



HASKELL MAIDENS—Members of the 2017 Haskell Maidens' softball team are, front row, l-r, Franzi Lutz, Laura Fuentes, Kelsey Guzman, Gabbi Mendoza, Maddey Williams and Krysta Winegeart; back row, Coach John Foster, Kourtney Gibson, Julia Fuentes, Lexi Jimenez, Makinzie Garvin, Landry Hanson, Kobie Walker, Areli Torres, Jordan Garvin, Ryanna Rodriguez, Lauren Alexander and Coach Lolo Martinez.

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Haskell 4-H members place well at major livestock shows



FIFTH PLACE HAMPSHIRE—Haskell County 4-H student Riley Sloan, front left, had the fifth place hampshire swine entry at the Houston Livestock Show. Helping him show his entry are, front row right, Hadley Sloan; back row, l-r, Lance Sloan, Amy Sloan and Jason Westbrook.



SIXTH PLACE CROSS—Haskell County 4-H student Hadley Sloan, front left, had the sixth place cross entry at the San Antonio Livestock Show. Helping him display his entry are, front row, Riley Sloan; back row, l-r, Lance Sloan, Amy Sloan and Jason Westbrook.



EIGHTH PLACE DUROC—Haskell County 4-H student Grant Ferguson, third from left, had the eighth place winning duroc entry at the San Antonio Livestock Show. Helping him display his entry are, l-r, Shawn Ferguson, Kenna Ferguson and Jay Cee Ferguson.

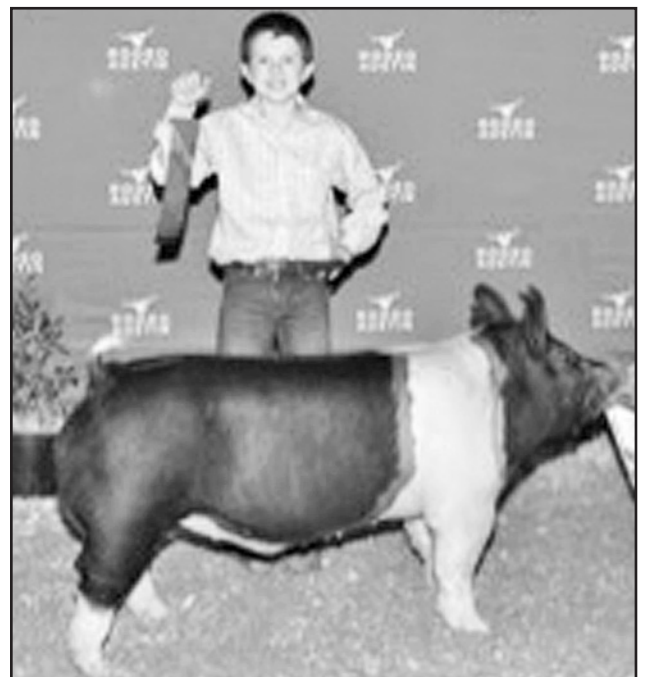


EIGHTH PLACE CROSS—Haskell County 4-H student Creed Williams, front right, had the eighth place winning cross swine entry at the Houston Livestock Show. Helping him display his entry are, front, left, Clyne Williams; back row, l-r, Michael Bartley, Debra Bartley, Coven Jones, Brittany Williams and Cris Williams.



CHAMPION HEIFER—Haskell County 4-H student Clyne Williams, left, holds her heifer that won first place and the division at the San Angelo Livestock Show. Creed Williams is helping her display her award.

Haskell County 4-H student Ethan Drager placed seventh with his American steer entry at Houston Livestock Show. He is not pictured.



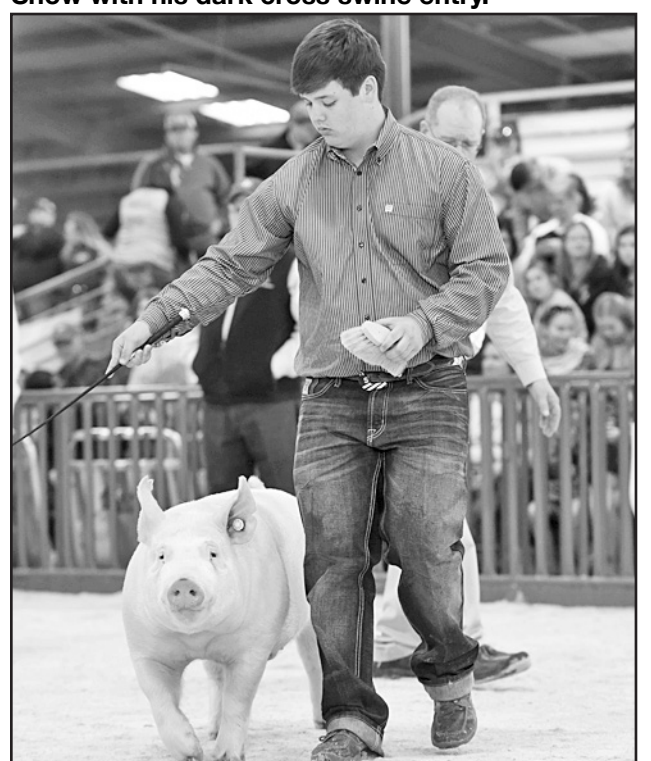
SECOND PLACE—Haskell County 4-H student Brody Letz placed second at the Austin Livestock Show with his dark cross swine entry.



WINNING RABBIT—Haskell County 4-H student Evan Enriquez had the fifth, ninth and tenth placing New Zealand breeding doe rabbit entry at the San Angelo Livestock Show.



RESERVE CHAMP—Haskell County 4-H student Brody Letz, center, had the reserve champion lightweight dark cross swine entry at the Houston Livestock Show. His parents are, l-r, Terry and Laramie Letz.



SECOND PLACE YORKSHIRE—Haskell County 4-H student Riley Sloan had the second place Yorkshire entry at the San Antonio Livestock Show.

Maidens' softball

Maidens hold off Anson for victory

The Haskell Maidens built a six-run lead in the sixth inning and then held off Anson's charge for a 7-6 victory Fri., March 31. Anson scored five runs in the failed comeback on a double by Nayelli Moreno, a triple by Elissa Lozoya, a triple by Jasmine Soliz, and a passed ball.

The Maidens grabbed an early lead and scored on a groundout in the first inning. Haskell took an early

lead in the first inning. An error scored one run for the Maidens.

The Maidens scored three runs in the sixth inning. Haskell's big inning was driven by an error, a ground out by Maddey Williams, and a double by Gabby Mendoza.

Anson scored five runs in the seventh inning. Anson's big inning was driven by a double by Nayelli Moreno, a triple by Elissa Lozoya, a triple by Jasmine Soliz, and a passed ball.

The Maidens had nine hits

in the game. Mendoza, Jordan Garvin and Julia Fuentes each collected multiple hits for Haskell. Kelsey Guzman, Laura Fuentes, Mendoza and Williams each drove in one run to lead Haskell. The Maidens were sure-handed in the field and didn't commit a single error. Guzman had the most chances in the field with six. The Maidens tore up the base paths, as two players stole at least two bases. Mendoza led the way with two.

Anson collected 12 hits. Mollie Hagler, Moreno, Soliz, and Lozoya each collected multiple hits for Anson.

Haskell	2	0	0	0	3
	2	0	R7	H9	E0
Anson	0	0	0	1	0
	0	5	R6	H12	E6

Maidens down Hawley, 9-4

The Maidens took home a 9-4 victory over Hawley Tues., April 4.

Hawley took an early lead in the second inning. K'Lynn O'Shields singled on a 2-1 count in the second inning, scoring one run.

Haskell took the lead for good with five runs in the third inning. In the third, Ryanna Rodriguez tripled

off of Marrison Hall, driving in three runs, a runner stole home, and there was an error, scoring one run.

The Maidens didn't commit a single error in the field. Rodriguez had the most chances in the field with four.

Hawley had ten hits in the game. Hannah Jamar, Samantha Newton and O'Shields each collected multiple hits for Hawley.

Fuentes led Haskell with three hits in four at bats. Kobie Walker led Haskell with two stolen bases, as they ran wild on the base paths with seven stolen bases.

Haskell	0	0	5	0	0
	4	0	R9	H6	E0
Hawley	0	1	0	1	0
	0	2	R4	H10	E2

Maidens suffer first district loss to Albany

Friday's game (April 7) against Albany was a heartbreaker for the Maidens as they lost the lead late in a 6-5 defeat. The Maidens took an early lead in the first inning when Ryanna Rodriguez homered with two outs in the first inning.

Haskell scored two runs in the top of the third on another homer by Rodriguez,

but Albany answered with two runs of their own when Aubrey Moon homered off of Laura Fuentes, driving in two runs with the score at 3-2 Haskell until the bottom of the sixth. Lex Jimenez entered the circle in the fifth for Haskell with 3 up and 3 down, but Albany scored 4 runs in the sixth on 5 hits and 2 errors making the score Albany 6, Maidens 3 in the bottom of the sixth. The Maidens came back within reach in the top of the seventh with two more

runs but ended with the game stranding two runners with a final score Albany 6, Haskell 5.

The Maidens had ten hits in the game. Rodriguez and Maddey Williams each managed three hits to lead the Maidens.

Albany collected ten hits. Moon and Lindsey Lucas each collected multiple hits for Albany.

Haskell	1	0	2	0	0
	0	2	R5	H10	E3
Albany	0	0	2	0	0
	4	0	R6	H10	E2



SHE'S SAFE!-Haskell Maiden Lauren Alexander slides safe at home in the Maidens' 9-4 win over Hawley.

Indians' baseball

Indians can't hold up against Albany

The Haskell Indians couldn't keep up with Albany and fell 7-2 on Fri., April 7. The Indians took an early lead in the first inning. An error scored one run for Haskell.

Albany took the lead for good with seven runs in the fourth inning. In the fourth there was an error, scoring two runs, Evan Green induced Hill to hit into a fielder's choice, but one

run scored, Davis singled off of Green, driving in one run, Green walked Kayga to drive in a run, and Owen doubled off of Green, driving in two runs.

Rocky Haggard led the Indians with two hits in three at bats. Kellen Parks led Haskell with four stolen bases, as they ran wild on the base paths with six stolen bases.

Haskell	1	0	0	0	0
	0	1			
Albany	0	0	0	7	0
	0	0			

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Public Notices

UNKNOWN HEIRS OF H.G. HANSON, DECEASED DEMAND FOR REIMBURSEMENT In compliance with Chapter 29 of the Texas Property Code, Susan Kittley Black

Public Notices

hereby makes demand on H.G. Hanson, and his unknown heirs, successors and assigns, (Defendant) for reimbursement of Defendant's share of ad valorem taxes (covering an undivided 0.0712 interest) heretofore paid by Petitioner on the following described real property located in Haskell County, Texas: Being 217.67 acres, more or less, out of the J. Pointevent Survey No. 5; 3.25 acres, more or less, out of the Thomas B. Starkey Survey No. 4; and All of Lots Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Block 24, Original Town of Sagerton, Haskell County, Texas. Reimbursement should be paid to Susan Kittley Black, c/o L.W. (Bill) Jones, III, Attorney at Law, P.O. Box 1085, Haskell, TX 79521. 13-16c

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Location of polling place: Rule City Hall, 701 Union Ave., Rule, Texas 79547.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at Rule ISD Superintendent's Office, 1100 Union Ave., Rule, Texas 79547 between the hours of 7:45 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. beginning on April 24, 2017 and ending

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Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 25, 2017.

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Paint Creek FFA judging teams have successful season

Paint Creek FFA has had a wild year for CDE's (judging) and has represented Paint Creek ISD remarkably. Career Development Events (CDE's) build on what is learned in agricultural classes and encourage members to put their knowledge into practice. These events are designed

to help a member prepare for a career in agriculture by testing and challenging the student's technical, leadership, interpersonal and teamwork skills as well as their knowledge of the subject matter. CDEs answer the question, "When will I use this knowledge in the real world?" (TexasFFA.org).

Meats Evaluation team members are Devery Reed, Corey Mengwasser, Bailee Thomas and Debra Knowles. Meats Evaluation team members develop skills for careers in the meat animal industry as they complete a written exam; evaluate beef carcasses for quality and yield grade; identify

various meat cuts, place beef, lamb and pork carcasses, and place wholesale and/or retail cuts. The team attended the Texas Tech Invitational CDE, March 25; the WTAMU Invitational CDE, March 31; the Tarleton Invitational CDE, April 6; and the Texas Tech Area CDE, April 8, where the team placed ninth.

Poultry Evaluation team members are Angelique Steele, Ariel Wolf, Aaron Wolf, Desiree Acosta and Maddie Davis. Poultry Evaluation team members apply classroom knowledge to evaluate production, processing, marketing and consumption of chickens, turkeys, processed products and eggs. Participants complete a written exam, solve a management problem, evaluate animals and products, as well as identify various poultry products. The team attended the Texas Tech Invitational CDE, March 25, where Ariel Wolf was seventh place High Individual; the WTAMU Invitational CDE, March 31; the Tarleton Invitational CDE, April 6; and the Texas Tech Area CDE, April 8 where the team placed sixth.

the Cisco College Invitational and the San Angelo Area CDE, April 4; the Tarleton Invitational CDE, April 6; and the Texas Tech Area CDE, April 8, where the team placed thirteenth.



MEATS EVALUATION TEAM—Members of the Paint Creek FFA Meats Evaluation team are, l-r, Devery Reed, Corey Mengwasser, Bailee Thomas and Debra Knowles.



POULTRY EVALUATION TEAM—Members of the Paint Creek FFA Poultry Evaluation team are, l-r, Angelique Steele, Ariel Wolf, Aaron Wolf, Desiree Acosta and Maddie Davis.



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After 25 years in the oilfield construction business, I started my own company in Haskell, hiring 18 employees and bringing in three families who have made their homes in Haskell. J&M Oilfield Construction has increased city revenue and generated sales tax for our town.

I have been a board member of the Haskell Country Club (which is owned by the city), building membership and enhancing the golf course and bringing countless golfers to our area to participate in tournaments. All proceeds from the tournaments are re-invested in the golf course and the additional revenue is enjoyed by the city from gas, food and lodging.

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