



Janie Hartman photos

Craig and Mattie Hartman received 1st place for their fall yard display in this year's Keep Muenster Beautiful's scarecrow contest. The Scare family can be seen in the front yard on West 6th Street. Decorations in many Muenster yards are minus the pumpkins, which were stolen and dumped on the streets over the Halloween weekend. See page 2 for other contest winners.

City okays building permit variance request

Monday night's regular monthly City Council meeting opened with a public hearing on a request for a Building Permit Variance at 620 E. Eddy Street. The request was made by Kevin Cler.

City Administrator Stan Endres explained that during the public hearing, anyone could express their thoughts either for or against the variance. Cler is a Muenster native who now lives in Fort Worth. He bought property on Eddy Street and wants to soon build a shop and home on that property. He would like to build the shop first. The City has a zoning ordinance that does not permit the building of an accessory building before the building of the main structure.

Cler noted that due to electrical lines on the property, it would be easier and safer to pour the cement for the shop first while cement trucks could be driven onto the site. The high line wires make it impossible to use the pump. The house slab can be poured with the pump set-

ting on the street. He wants to work from the back to the street.

Asked what his time frame was, Cler said he would start on the shop as soon as he got the variance and hoped to start the house after the first of the year.

Residents from that neighborhood who were at the meeting said they favored allowing the variance. Endres reported that notices of the hearing had been mailed to all of the neighbors. He only heard from one who could not attend the meeting. He expressed concerns that Cler might be planning on moving into the shop. Endres said he assured that person that Cler had no plans to live in the shop. It will only have a restroom. That person was then okay with the variance.

The hearing was closed and the Council unanimously approved granting the variance.

Administrator Endres said that the City has never had an official purchasing policy, but has followed state

law. That includes requiring sealed bids on any purchase over \$50,000. He said that FEMA said the City should have an official purchasing policy and recently, the Muenster VFD has been asked for one when making grant applications.

Texas Municipal League (TML) was contacted for examples of what policies other cities had. From these different policies, an ordinance was written for Muenster. The proposed ordinance did not contain any major changes when the City purchases items.

It included: under \$1,000 - City Administrator approval; Over \$1,000 Administrator and Council Commissioner approval; \$1,000 to \$5,000 - try to get at least three verbal quotes; \$5,000 to \$50,000 - three written quotes; over \$50,000 - sealed bids.

After some discussion and having their concerns addressed, the Council approved Ordinance 373 establishing a purchasing policy with a 4-1 vote. Alderman

See CITY, pg. 3

MMH Board sees finances somewhat improved

Janet Felderhoff
News Editor

During the Oct. 27 regular meeting of the Muenster Hospital District Board of Directors, Administrator Brian Roland gave a financial report that indicated some improvement from August to September.

Although the revenue over expenses for September was a negative \$126,873.71, there were some positives when this quarter was compared to the same quarter last year. Roland said, "We are actually \$92,803 better than the same quarter last year. It's not in the revenues. It's not in the adjustments. It's pretty much in the expenses. We've gotten no additional money from other sources. It's making sure that our expenses are being tracked and managed accordingly. We do actually look better even though we are not where we need to be."

A discussion took place on employee productivity and being sure that employees know what was expected of them and that they had the proper tools to do the job expected. "It is not just me coming up with a number," explained Administrator Roland. "I've got a book that shows the averages of what a rural hospital should be doing for that FTE (full time equivalent) when it comes to clinic billing, hospital billing, radiology procedures, things along those lines and how close are we to that. I can't answer that question right now because I haven't looked at everybody. Just from the business office standpoint up front, we obviously can tell that we do not need three people replacing two. I actually need one replacing the two that were there and that's what we're going to try to go with."

He said that the staffing level they currently have does not meet the number of claims going through the system. "We are going to get to that point because we are going to educate the people who are here with the expectation and then give them the tools they need to make it happen," stated Roland.

The financial packet for September received the Board's approval.

The Board again discussed new concealed handgun regulations that would impact hospitals beginning Jan. 1. A decision had been tabled at last month's meeting so that the Board could get an opinion from the District's

attorney Fletcher Brown of Waller Lansden Dortch & Davis, LLP. It deals with the signage that the hospitals will use since open carry becomes effective then.

Fletcher told Roland that he is not aware of any hospitals that were considering allowing people to bring guns in.

"What we have to decide is what we want our plan to be and I do have a plan set up that we will talk about later on what we are going to do from an internal source," said Administrator Roland. "But what do we want posted on our doors on concealed handguns or open carry?"

Roland said that he really did not want employees or other people knowingly carrying guns in the facility. He said he is not against guns, but unless you are trained how to use a gun as an employee, he would not feel comfortable with guns in the Hospital.

Mary Del Olmo said, "I do not think that hospitals and guns match up, personally. I'm okay with open carry in general, but there is a lot of high emotion in a hospital and guns and high emotions don't mix."

Paul Becker said he agreed with that, but he did not like the idea of a sign on the door announcing that there were no guns in the hospital. He felt it was an indication that there would be no resistance.

More discussion followed on the Hospital's liability

and what signs if any should be used. Kenny Klement suggested that there be some training for employees so that they would know what to do if a gun situation arose.

Roland said that some Police departments offer Code Silver Training and he would see what was offered.

A decision was not reached and it will be on next month's agenda.

Roland said that he is investigating various methods of ER coverage. Southwest offered to do all of the ER coverage, rotating four or five doctors. It would cost less than the current coverage method and would save about \$48,000 a year and potentially a savings of \$145,000 a year for ER coverage. He will present more information at the next meeting.

During his CEO report, Roland noted that due to the low number of patients participating, the wound care clinic was canceled by the contracting company.

Dr. Judith Graves, who has been in Muenster about a month as a temporary physician, thanked the Board for giving her the opportunity to practice in Muenster. She said it has been pleasurable. She spoke a little about herself. She said her first experience with Muenster was several years ago on a trip between the Metroplex and Lubbock. She had stopped to eat in Muenster and really liked the community.

See HOSPITAL, pg. 3

Superior celebrates 20th Anniversary



Janie Hartman photo

Over 150 guests toured the Superior Machining and Fabrication facility last Thursday. Superior hosted an open house to celebrate their 20th anniversary. Guests enjoyed refreshments and the tour, and were given a Superior t-shirt and shot glass (insert). David Fuhrmann personalized the shot glasses for the visitors. The metal souvenirs were made at the Muenster plant.

File now for Republican Primary

Candidates wishing to secure a place on the Republican Primary Election ballot can file applications beginning Saturday, Nov. 14. All applications for local offices

must be filed with County Chair Chris McNamara before 6 p.m. Monday, Dec. 14. The nine Cooke County offices that are up for election in 2016 are District Judge, District Attorney, County Attorney, County Sheriff, County Tax Assessor-Collector, County Commissioner Precinct #1, County Commissioner Precinct #3, Constable Precinct 1, and Constable Precinct 4.

Candidates are encouraged to contact McNamara and make an appointment to submit their applications any time during the filing period. GOP headquarters, located at 701 E. California

St., Suite 304, will be open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Nov. 14 for candidates who want to file on the first day of the filing period. Headquarters will also be open from 4-6 p.m. on the final day, Dec. 14, for last-minute filers. The 6 p.m. deadline is not a postmark deadline; the filing must be in the hands of the County Chairman before then.

The filing form, information about filing fees and petitions in lieu of fees, information about qualifications for office, and many candidate resources are available on the Texas Secretary

See PRIMARY, pg. 2

Plans announced for Veterans Day

A musical salute to all Veterans will be held Monday, Nov. 9 at 7 p.m. in the VFW Hall in Muenster. The salute will be presented by Sacred Heart School children and is free of charge. All are welcome.

On Veterans Day, Wednesday, Nov. 11 at 8:30 a.m., everyone is welcome to a program at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Muenster. The program will honor the deceased and living Veterans. Both programs are sponsored by the VFW and Auxiliary #6205.



Janie Hartman photo

Muenster Elementary student Zeb Grewing takes his turn spraying water from the fire truck. Muenster Volunteer Firemen presented a fire safety program to the students last week, including Fireman Ronnie Walterscheid.



Janie Hartman photos

Finalists in Keep Muenster Beautiful's Scarecrow contest were - above - 2nd place to Clinton and Debbie Endres, East 1st Street, and at right - 3rd place winner Chris and Dana Fuhrmann on Cherry Lane. Judging was done Halloween morning.



Knauf honored by Texas Farm Bureau

Her ability to go above and beyond the call of duty to teach local students about agriculture, farming, and ranching has landed one local school teacher with a distinguished award from Texas Farm Bureau.

Michele Knauf of Cooke County is the recipient of this year's Agriculture in the Classroom Outstanding Teacher Award. She lives in Muenster and teaches at Sacred Heart Catholic School.

"Teachers play such an important role in the lives of their students," Robert Klement, Cooke County Farm Bureau president said. "Ms. Knauf has shown time and time again that she's willing to go the extra mile to ensure her kids really know where their food and fiber comes from."

Each year, county Farm Bureaus from across Texas nominate teachers for the prestigious award.

"Ms. Knauf is a blessing to our community," Klement said. "We're thrilled she could be honored in this way for her work on behalf of agriculture."

Knauf will travel to Texas Farm Bureau's Annual Meeting Dec. 5-7 in Arlington where she will be recognized on stage.

She is also eligible to travel to the 2015 National Agriculture in the Classroom Conference in Arizona in June of next year.



Michele Knauf

Miguelito's

Authentic Mexican Cuisine

Lunch Specials

Tues. - Beef & Chicken Fajitas - \$7.75

Wed. - Combination Dinners 1-14 - \$5.25

2 Locations to Serve You

1412 N. Stemmons - Sanger 241 W. McCart St. - Krum

940-458-0073 940-482-7007

MUEENSTER ENTERPRISE

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

In Cooke County -

1 year-\$37; 2 years-\$69

Outside of Cooke County -

1 year-\$42; 2 years-\$79

Phone (940) 759-4311

THE MUENSTER ENTERPRISE

(USPS 367660) is published weekly by The Muenster Enterprise, Inc. Post Office Box 190, Muenster, Texas 76252-0190. Periodicals postage paid at Muenster, Texas 76252 and additional offices. POSTMASTER: Send address changes to: THE MUENSTER ENTERPRISE, P.O. Box 190, Muenster, Texas 76252. ISSN:0883-2544

PRIMARYcontinued from pg. 1

of State website, <http://www.sos.state.tx.us/elections/index.shtml>. Links are also available at www.cookegov.com. "Forms, fees, and procedures are dictated by the Texas Election Code, and administered by the Secretary of State," McNamara explains. "The staff at the Secretary of State's election division is professional and very helpful to us and to candidates." The Republican Party of Texas also provides resources to county parties and to candidates to assist in filing and campaigning.

The Primary Election will take place on Tuesday, March 1, 2016, with early voting during the last two weeks of February. If the election results in no candidate receiving over 50% of the votes in a particular race, the top two vote-getters in the race will compete in a Runoff Election on May 24, 2016.

For more information about filing for office or to make an appointment, contact Chris McNamara at chair@cookegov.com, or 940-612-2499. Find information about the Cooke County Republican Party, upcoming elections, and events, at www.cookegov.com, and follow CCRP on Facebook.

Health + Home :

MMH Home Care offers everything you need to recover in the comfort and privacy of your home following a fall, illness or lengthy hospital stay.

- Skilled Nursing** for Patient Education, Health Assessment, IV Therapy, and Wound Care.
- Home Health Aides Provide Personal Care to Assist with Bathing, Grooming and Light Housekeeping.
- Physical Therapy** for Rehabilitative Services following Surgery, Accidents or Strokes.
- Speech Therapy** for Speech Problems or Swallowing Difficulties.
- Occupational Therapy** addresses Activities of Daily Living. These include difficulties with grooming or dressing.

Federal and State Assistance Eligibility Help Available
Phillips Lifeline Emergency Response Monitoring

503 N. Maple Street, Muenster
(940) 759-2262

Cars - trucks - motorcycles

MUENSTER

OPEN CAR SHOW

Join us for a great day of car strolling and shopping on Main Street.

Rain date
Nov. 14

Saturday, November 7

First Annual

Jingle & Mingle

Holiday Ladies Night Out on the Square

Come Jingle & Mingle with us Thursday, November 19, from 4-8pm.

Businesses on the Square in Saint Jo will be open late, there will be laughter, shopping, good food, drinks, music, drawings, & fun!! Bring your friends, enjoy the night & get a head start on your holiday shopping!

- Walk the Saint Jo Square and check out the Shops, Library, Museum, Restaurant & Coffee Shop while completing a punch card.
- Turn in your punch card at the Library for a chance to win the drawing for some Fabulous Prizes! Drawing will be at 8pm; you do not have to be present to win.
- Enjoy door prizes, one-night-only specials, live music on the Square, & a bake sale that benefits Easy Street Animal Shelter.

2-WEEK EVENTS CALENDAR To list your event, call 759-4311 BEFORE NOON WEDNESDAY!

| Sunday, November 8, 2015 | Monday, November 9, 2015 | Tuesday, November 10, 2015 | Wednesday, November 11, 2015 | Thursday, November 12, 2015 | Friday, November 13, 2015 | Saturday, November 14, 2015 |
|-----------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| Muenster Museum Open 1-4 pm | KMB mtg. 6:45 pm MMH Aux mtg. 5:30 pm VFW mtg. 7:30 pm SH Child Choir Veterans Program 7 pm, VFW | Library open 10 am - 6:30 pm MISD PTO mtg. 5 pm | Library open 10-6:30 Religious Ed 6:45 pm VFW program Cemetery 8:30 am Our Veterans | Library open 10-6:30 M Historical Comm. mtg. 8 am | Muenster Museum open 1-4 AARP member luncheon 11:30 | Library open 10-2:30 Museum open 1-4 pm |
| Sunday, November 15, 2015 | Monday, November 16, 2015 | Tuesday, November 17, 2015 | Wednesday, November 18, 2015 | Thursday, November 19, 2015 | Friday, November 20, 2015 | Saturday, November 21, 2015 |
| Muenster Museum Open 1-4 pm | VFW Aux. mtg. 6:30 pm | Library open 10 am - 6:30 pm MMH Board mtg. 7 pm | Library open 10-6:30 Religious Ed 6:45pm SH Alumni & Sup mtg. 7:30 pm | Library open 10-6:30 | Muenster Museum open 1-4 pm | Library open 10-2:30 Museum open 1-4 pm |

Sponsored by

24 Hour Drive Up ATM Now Available!
519 E. Division St. Muenster, TX 76252 · (940) 759-2218 · www.F-S-B.com
Gainesville | Lake Kiowa | Valley View | Muenster | Saint Jo | Denton | Corinth

Member FDIC

CITY

.....continued from pg. 1

Jack Flusche voted against it.

In May 2013, the Council approved Ordinance 339 which included a new section titled Home Occupation. It included regulations on what could and could not be done out of a home in a residential zone. Endres encouraged the Council to review it and make any changes that they felt were needed.

Alderman Greg Bohl stated, "One of the important things to note, Stan, is as the City Manager with these ordinances, we as the City Council get together and craft the rules and regulations, we bring those together. But, you as the City Manager, you have all the City staff reporting to you as a small city. Therefore it's your ability to enforce those. In my view, it's not the Council to go ahead and enforce it or not, it's your job as City Administrator as you see fit to go ahead and apply these ordinances. It is up to you and your staff to make it happen." He added that if there were a conflict, then it should come before the Council. Endres agreed.

Alderman Clifford Sicking noted that it looked like a

good document, easy to read and easy to understand. Bohl agreed that the City Ordinances when redone a while back were very well done by their consultant who was excellent.

No changes were suggested on Ordinance 339.

Muenster VFD Chief Mitch Creed gave the update on the Fire Department. He said that there were 14 calls in October for a total of 750 man hours. Truck #124 is ordered; they are waiting for it to come in. It was acquired with a grant. They are ordering two more pressure gauges to check fire hydrants.

Chief Creed had questions about the Fire Department budget. They have used most of their truck budget. The Council and Endres answered his questions.

Administrator Endres reported that there is not a lot of activity happening in the City. Pat Dillon, the City grant consultant, said that he anticipates that Muenster will be awarded another Community Development Block Grant next year. This was applied for two years ago.

Mike Hallum, engineer with TxDOT in Gainesville,

called to let Endres know what the Texas Department of Licenses and Regulations (TDLR) decided on the KMB Walking Trail. TDLR advised TxDOT that it would not rule as to whether or not the KMB Trail was in compliance with the Americans With Disabilities ACT (ADA). They will not have to make a decision unless someone files a complaint.

TxDOT said that the trail is not handicap accessible now and if it were to be finished and released as it is now, the City would be responsible for the cost of making it handicap accessible. Since TxDOT does not want to give this responsibility to the City, their engineers are working on plans to make it ADA approved.

Some options are moving the trail, cutting trees, dirt could be removed or hauled in. There will be no additional cost to the City to make the trail ADA approved.

In other business conducted at the Nov. 2 meeting, the City Council:

- Approved payment of bills totaling \$136,057.89.
- Heard monthly report of Muenster Police Department from Police Chief Tom Barr.



Janie Hartman photo

LJ Kitrell works at one of the machines at Superior Machining and Fabrication of Muenster. Superior hosted an open house last week in honor of their 20th year in business and to announce an aerospace expansion project.

DAYS GONE BY.....

65 YEARS AGO Nov. 3, 1950

Obituary: Steve Fette, 40. New Arrivals: Gary to Earl and Velma Fisher; Larry to Richard and Florence Schumacher. Julian Walterscheid, Hugh Endres, Rupert Hoenig, and Jerry Fette spend weekend on a trip to Arkansas, watching a Subiaco Trojan football game and visiting old friends and former classmates. Hugo Bengfort, 30, sustained cuts and bruises when one wheel of a tractor passed over his head and chest. Albert Henscheid's The Electric Shop is now located in the former Trachta Drug building.

50 YEARS AGO Nov. 5, 1965

Baroness Maria Von Trapp, mother of the famous Trapp Family Singers, visits Muenster as a guest of the Ernest Medders at Colonial Acres Farm. Local Cub Scouts be-

ing organized in Muenster. Appendectomy: Janie Zimmerer. Weddings: Judy Michels and John Durbin, Jr.; Kay Aytes and Cecil Raney. New Arrival: a daughter to the Curtis Hollands. Fisher's advertises Shurfine coffee 59¢ lb. and flour 5 lb. for 29¢.

25 YEARS AGO Nov. 2, 1990

Muenster Public School receives excellence award in Austin. Neil Huchton is winner of 4-wheeler in Jaycee-sponsored raffle benefiting SNAP. Wedding: Julie Fisher and Brett Walford. New Arrivals: Theresa to Terry and Cindy Alford; Raymond to Karl and Kathy Metzler; Kailob to Randy and LaBecah Miller; Jenna to Greg and Tammy Yosten; Brooklyn to Jeff and Tammy Caldwell; a son the Dan Fishers. Catherine Hermes is feted on 85th birthday.

HOSPITALcontinued from pg. 1

At the time, she was working for Southwest Medical who staffed the ER for MMH at the times She requested and got rotations here for about a year. Dr. Graves told the man who was administrator at the time that if MMH were ever looking for a doctor, she would be interested. Time passed and she never heard from him. Since that time, her family purchased property in Whitesboro with the hope of retiring there someday. They spend most weekends there. Although she is at MMH as an interim doctor, she told the Board that she would like to stay on a long-term basis if possible.

Board President Ronnie Weinzapfel remarked that they were fortunate to have Dr. Graves here. He said, "Hopefully, we can really make some strides for the better and go forward. I think she will be a really good asset and a good part of that moving forward."

Credentialing was approved for: Judith Graves, M.D. - Family Practice; Sandra Machado, M.D. - Radiologist; Bradley Purkhiser, M.D., Thomas Curvin, M.D., James Speed, M.D. - ER Doctors; and Yvonne Ambrose, AFNP.

Paint & Body Shop For All Your Needs

Celebrating 37 years in business

METZLER DID IT

Still doing collision repair

3 miles north of Hwy 82 on FM 1200

M - F 9 - 6 **665-1112**

Stop by for an honest opinion

Deep in their roots, all flowers keep the light. Theodore Roethke

Who will make your medical decisions?

Home Hospice of Cooke County and the Stanford House are offering two workshops on Advance Directives on Thursday, Nov. 12 - a morning session at 10 a.m. and an evening program starting at 5:30 p.m. Both workshops will be held at the Stanford House Senior Activity Center, 401 W. Garrett Street in Gainesville.

One conversation can make all the difference. More than 90% of people surveyed think it's important to talk to their loved ones regarding their own wishes for medical and end-of-life care. FACT: Less than 30% of people have discussed what they or their family wants when it comes to end-of-life care. (Source: National Survey by The Conversation Project 2013.)

"We have spoken to many patients and family members who wish they had taken the time to sit down together and discuss what was important to each person. We often hear of the struggles that caregivers go through in trying to decide what should be done when a loved one is unable to make their wishes known," said Kelly Lamkin, LBSW social worker with Home Hospice.

In this workshop you will find information to help you talk with your family and friends about your wishes for your healthcare. You will be equipped with the tools you need to communicate your wishes when you can no longer speak for yourself and advocate on your own behalf. They also provide other resources and samples of a Durable Power of Attorney for Healthcare Decisions form and a Healthcare Treatment Directive form.

The workshops are free to anyone in the community. You will have time to ask questions as you learn more in planning your needs for the future. Space is limited to 30 attendees.

Please register by Nov. 11 by calling Paula Britain at Home Hospice at 940-665-9891 or emailing her at paula.britain@homehospice.org. You can find more information on their website at www.homehospice.org/educational-programs/.

Happiness is a warm puppy.
— Charles M. Schulz (cartoonist)

A 5 Star Rated Facility in Gainesville

RENAISSANCE CARE CENTER

by Cantex Continuing Care Network

offering: Skilled Nursing Care • Short-term Rehabilitation • Outpatient OT & PT • Advanced Wound Care • Nutritional Services • IV Therapies • Tracheotomy Care • TPN • Private Medicare Suites • Accepting Medicare & Medicaid

Now Honoring Most Managed Care Insurance Policies

Dr. Larry Sears, Medical Director

1400 Blackshill Dr. Gainesville, TX 76240
(we're located across from North Central Texas College)

940-665-5221

 **Police Notes**
from Muenster Chief of Police
Tom Barr

OCTOBER 2015 Activity

Calls for Service (CFS) - 87; Incident/Offense reports generated - 5; Arrests - 0; Accidents Investigated - 1; Citations issued for the month - 34; Officers worked 721 hours on duty.

Patrol vehicles logged 3,436 miles for the month.

90 day stats: July - CFS 101, Incidents 8, Arrests 4, Citations 22. August - CFS 89, Incidents 5, Arrests 1, Citations 45. September - CFS 99, Incidents 8, Arrests 1, Citations 22.

Vehicle Stats - 2014 Ford F150 - 19,312, #2 2011 Crown Vic - 59,575, #3 2010 Crown Vic - 64,150.

Wanted: Christmas items for Home Hospice rummage sale

Home Hospice of Cooke County will be hosting their 2nd Annual "Deck The Halls Christmas Rummage Sale" on Saturday, Dec. 5 at the Civic Center in Gainesville from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

To prepare for the event, they are accepting donations of used or new Christmas items. This is a great time


to go through your Christmas boxes and donate items you no longer use. All proceeds from the event will be donated to their Light Up A Life Campaign which raises funds to help patients who cannot afford care.


"Last year was the first time we hosted the rummage sale. See SALE, pg. 5"

The family of Julius Hermes sincerely thank our dear friends for all of their thoughts, cards, Masses, food, sympathy, and monetary gifts to the Church fund.

Thanks to the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus for the Honor Guard and to the ladies of St. Anne's Society who prepared the delicious meal.

And a special thanks to Father Phil for the comforting service.





Invest in Catholic Education

Support the Sacred Heart School Trust Fund

A memorial gift will earn income for Catholic education in memory of the donor.

An annuity gift will earn interest for the donor or designate for the rest of their life after which the gift will be used for Catholic education.

A donation to the Sacred Heart School Trust Fund is an investment in Catholic education.

Sacred Heart Parish

714 North Main Muenster, Texas 76252

BUILT Ford TOUGH

The family of Urban Endres would like to thank everyone for the prayers, kind words, food, donations, and love shown to us during this difficult time. Special thanks to Father Ken, the Catholic Daughters who provided the wonderful meal, Janette Grewing, Darla Styles, and all health care providers who helped care for UJ over the past several months. It is easy to understand why Urban loved Muenster so much.

Thanks again, Urban Endres Family



For most Texas pecans, Hurricane Patricia was the perfect storm

By Robert Burns
Texas A&M AgriLife

Heavy rains in many parts of the state may have damaged some crops, but for this year's pecan crop, it was "just what the doctor ordered," said Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service specialist Dr. Larry Stein. "Pawnee, the earliest commercial pecan variety, has been harvested, and most people were working on Wich-

ita and starting in on Cheyenne pecans," said Stein. "But some of these varieties have a ways to go. They weren't totally full. So this rain we just received was very beneficial to finishing out the kernel and causing the shucks to open on the trees." Far West Texas pecan growers anticipate dry weather during the growing season and typically have enough irrigation capacity to see the crop through a drought, he

said. Pecan growers in other parts of the state usually do not have adequate irrigation systems for their orchards. If they do, their systems may have only enough capacity to supplement the crop's water needs, not offset months of drought, he said. "And make no mistake about it, irrigation is just not as good as rain," Stein said. The main effect of water stress is for the nuts not to

completely fill out, he said. "Typically, then the nuts have trouble opening up, and when they have trouble opening up, then there's a chance for the nuts to sprout and the shuck to stick tight to the nut itself," he said. The cooler weather accompanying the storms was also ideal for the crop. "The cooler weather actually causes the maturing to go faster," Stein said. "Out west, they hope for freeze to knock

the leaves off the tree and help open up the shucks." "Too much rain can cause the nuts to sprout, depending upon the stage of maturity," he said. "But I don't expect that to be a common problem this year." Climatologists posted the first hurricane watch early in the morning of Oct. 21, just six hours after Patricia was named a tropical storm, said Dr. John Nielsen-Gammon, state climatologist and Re-

gents Professor at Texas A&M University, College Station. "The median rainfall total for the event across all reporting gauges in the state, partially adjusted for data coverage, was 3.95 inches," he said. "The biggest surprise to forecasters with this event was that the rain was concentrated in Texas rather than spread over a wider area."

With Gratitude to Our Veterans

The Muenster Enterprise and the following businesses would like to thank the area Veterans for their service.

Landmark Bank
Member FDIC
Lindsay
Hwy 82 & Pecan St
665-6346
Gainesville
California & Grand
665-8700

Fischer's Meat Market
759-4211

York Eye Associates
Margie A. York, O.D.
Cynthia G. Fleitman, O.D.
Casey L. Wright, O.D.
2020 W. Hwy. 82 Gainesville
940-612-0085

JIMMY JACK BIFFLE
123 E 1ST ST
MUENSTER, TX
(940) 759-4611

Hess Meat Market Inc.
605 N. Mesquite St.
P. 940-759-2744
Muenster, Texas 76252
F. 940-759-5015
Thank you to all Veterans!!!

KNIGHT INSURANCE
Danny Knight
(940) 665-7162
112 North Dixon, Suite 1
Gainesville, TX 76240

We Salute Our Veterans
WAW
PRODUCTION COMPANY, INC.
Glenn Walterscheid
Tim Felderhoff
Mel Walterscheid

SISTERS gift store
220 N Main, Muenster
940-759-5090

KLEMENT Ford OF MUENSTER

Schilling Tire & Auto
New & Used Tires
Automotive Service & Repair
116 W. Second
Muenster, Texas
(940) 759-4141
Jon: (940) 736-7234
Joel: (940) 736-0397

Community Lumber Company, Inc.
940-759-2248
200 E. Hwy. 82, Muenster

Hess TRUCKING
Since 1972
Paul J. Hess & Gary Hess
P.O. Box 85
Lindsay, Texas 76250
940-665-7601
940-665-9228
940-668-7958
SINCE 1972

Hennigan Auto Parts, Inc.
Muenster
759-2291
CARQUEST AUTO PARTS

COOKE COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION
Your Touchstone Energy® Cooperative
The power of human connections®
940-759-2211

F.E.I.
WELDING and MACHINE SHOP
P.O. Box 207
Muenster, Texas

Thank you, Veterans!

Nortex Communications
Muenster
940-759-2251
www.nortex.com

Rountry Korner
PHONE: 940-759-2546

PLAZA PHARMACY AND WELLNESS CENTER
411 N. Grand
Gainesville
665-8401

Tom's Seed & Feed
Muenster

M&S B Muenster State Bank
201 N. Main St. 1601 W. Hwy. 82
Muenster Gainesville
940/759-2257 940/665-7900
Member FDIC

Enderby GAS, Inc
Gainesville, TX
668-3457

Germania INSURANCE
Kenny Bezner
Lindsay, Texas
665-0333

GAINESVILLE GLASS COMPANY INC.
Honoring Those Who Honorably Served

Muenster Garden Center
759-2766

METAL SALES INC.
3124 West Highway 82
Gainesville, Texas 76240
(940) 665-0336
1-800-549-0336

MMH HOME CARE
MMH PHARMACY
MMH MUENSTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
MMH FAMILY HEALTH CLINIC

Scott Funeral Home
310 N. Walnut
Muenster
759-2556

Neil's SUBWAY & Pizza Inn
759-2350
203 E. Division,
Muenster

Germania INSURANCE
Robert Hermes Insurance
213 N. Main
Muenster, Texas
759-2540

MUENSTER Milling Co.
759-2287

LIFESTYLE

Choirs join to present "Handel's Messiah"

The North Central Texas Chorale proudly presents "Handel's Messiah" on Tuesday, Dec. 1. The concert will be at 7 p.m. at Whaley United Methodist Church, located at 701 Rosedale Drive in Gainesville. Tickets will be available at the door. Adult tickets will be \$10; tickets for students and Seniors will be \$7.

The Chorale will be joined by the Sacred Heart High School Choir. The "Messiah" is one of the favorites to perform among the singers and they are honored to be able to share singing this masterpiece with the Sacred Heart

students.

The concert will feature Bass - Dr. Jeffrey Snider, Tenor - Tommy DeHorney, Mezzo-Soprano - Becca Stubbs, and Soprano - Courtney Kelley. The Chorale will be accompanied by Carolyn Hook on harpsichord and a chamber orchestra comprised of UNT students.

Please join them for a beautiful concert to begin the Christmas holiday season.

The Chorale is under the direction of Clint Kelley. Visit their website, www.northcentraltexaschorale.com for more information.

Honoring veterans by serving them

By Allan K. DuBois and Dustin Mauck

This Veterans Day, as we honor and thank the brave men and women who served in the United States military, the State Bar of Texas is keenly aware that more must be done to serve our veterans.

Texas continues to have one of the nation's largest veteran populations. Approximately 1.7 million current Texas residents have served in the military, according to the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics. We are grateful for their service.

While the national veteran population decreased 17% between 2000 and 2015, the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs reports Texas' veteran population has increased. And, the National Center for Veterans Analysis and Statistics has observed the poverty rate among veterans is slowly rising.

The statistics present a unique set of challenges for Texas — and a call to action. These men and women return from service with complicated health and living issues. No doubt many need the assistance of an attorney to help them navigate benefits and pension claims or to assist in civil or family matters.

In 2010, the State Bar of Texas created Texas Lawyers for Texas Veterans, a program that helps guide local bar associations, legal aid organizations, and veterans service providers who hold legal advice clinics throughout the state. Since the project's launch, more than 18,000 veterans have been served by 5,000 or more volunteer attorneys.

At the Dallas Veterans Legal Clinic, local attorneys, paralegals, and staff have counseled thousands and represented hundreds of veterans in need of legal assistance over the past six years. I, Dustin, am the chair of the Dallas Bar Association's Veterans Outreach Subcommittee, where our primary initiative is to promote the clinic.

We have staved off foreclosure, kept families in their apartments, expunged criminal records, maintained the viability of veteran-owned businesses, drafted wills and trusts for dying veterans, and finalized divorce- and child support orders for Dallas veterans and their families. I can't overstate the positive impact our attorneys have made in the veterans community and the appreciation that we have received in return.

If you are an attorney working in the Dallas area, please consider helping serve those who have served us by practicing within. I promise it will be a rewarding experience.

First, join our Veterans Network by emailing me at dustin@regitzmauck.com. An email list will keep you informed of our efforts to support area veterans. Second, please attend a Veterans Legal Clinic — generally held from 2 to 4 p.m. on the first Friday of the month at the Veterans Resource Center, 4900 S. Lancaster Road. As attorneys, our job is to listen to the veteran's problem and summarize it so the Dallas Volunteer Attorney Program can assess the legal issue. Third, please consider representing a veteran. Pick up a will, simple divorce, or landlord dispute and help a veteran in need. These types of cases can be a great learning experience for a young lawyer.

And if you know a veteran who needs legal help, free legal clinics and workshops will be held across the state Nov. 9-13 during what is called "Texas Veterans Legal Aid Week," a coordinated effort by the Texas Access to Justice Foundation. A full schedule of events can be found at texaslawhelp.org/veterans. Or direct the veteran to dallasvolunteerattorney-program.org, texasbar.com/veterans or call the State Bar of Texas at 800-204-2222 ext. 1514 for more information.

SALEcontinued from pg. 3

We were overwhelmed with the donations we received and the community support on the day of the sale," stated Cathy Kinsella, Home Hospice volunteer coordinator. "We have received many calls about holding another event and we are excited to hold the sale at the Civic Center this year. This will provide more room to display the items and for shoppers to shop!"

Home Hospice of Cooke County began accepting items on Nov. 2. Items can include Christmas decorations, garland, tinsel, lights, candles, centerpieces, gift wrapping paper, Christmas bags, outdoor decorations, ribbons, bows, or anything Christmas! You can drop off items at the Home Hospice office located at 316 S. Chestnut in Gainesville.

For more information about the Deck The Halls Christmas Rummage Sale, contact Cathy Kinsella at 940-665-9891 or cathy.kinsella@homehospice.org or Jan Thies at 940-668-7297.

It's time to check your health care coverage for 2016

Bob Moos

Southwest public affairs officer / U.S. Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

Now's the time to check your health care coverage for 2016 or sign up for the first time.

About 9 million Americans, including 1.2 million Texans, got coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace during last year's open enrollment period.

This year's marketplace open enrollment began on Nov. 1.

If you bought a health plan last year, you'll want to review it to make sure it still meets your needs. Every year, insurers make adjust-

ments to premiums, out-of-pocket costs, and benefits. You should have received a letter from your insurance company explaining how your costs and benefits will change for 2016.

Even if you're satisfied with your current coverage, it'll be smart to log into your marketplace account at www.healthcare.gov and update your information on household income and family size. You may also contact the marketplace call center at 1-800-318-2596 to do that.

Updating your personal information is important, because you may be eligible for lower costs than last

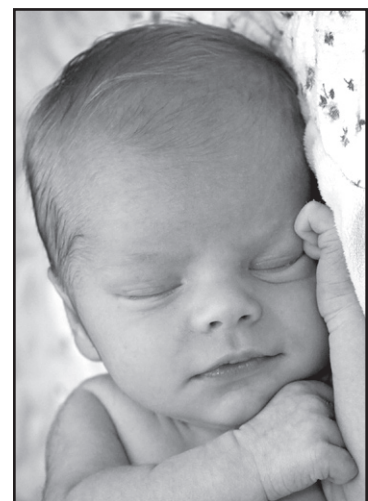
See COVERAGE, pg. 6

New Arrival

Estopinal

Justin and Shannon Estopinal of Friendswood, TX joyfully announce the birth of their son Matthew Ray Estopinal. Matthew was born Tuesday, Oct. 13, 2015 at 4:12 p.m. at Clear Lake Regional Medical Center in Webster, TX. He weighed 7 lb. 10 oz. and was 19 inches in length. His brother Garin James Estopinal, age 2-1/2, welcomes him to the family. Grandparents are Jim and Diane Grewing of Muenster, Huey Grewing and Debbie Estopinal-Menard of Friendswood, and JoAnne Estopinal of Francitas, TX and the late Gary Ray Estopinal. Great-grandparents are Ju-

liana Grewing of Muenster and the late Steve Grewing and the late Spike and Frances Yosten.



Matthew Estopinal

Baptism

Bayer

On Sunday, Oct. 11, Beckett Thomas Bayer was baptized after the 10:30 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart Catholic Church officiated by Fr. Ken Robinson. Proud parents of Beckett are Adam and Megan Bayer and big brother Jaron Bayer and big sister Stella Bayer. Godparents are Curtis and Rhonda

Pagel. Beckett wore the baptismal outfit that was worn by his father, cousin, and big brother. He was wrapped in an heirloom blanket that was crocheted by his great-grandmother Louise Bayer, which was also used through the years. Following the baptism, his parents hosted lunch. A special decorated cake with the words "God Bless Beckett" was served to guests. Those attending included Beckett's parents, brother and sister, and Godparents; grandparents Joyce Bayer and Kim and James Huckaby; great-grandparents Kenneth and Etta Boggs. Unable to attend were grandfather Tom Bayer and great-grandmother Sis Klement. Others attending included uncles and aunts Brandon and Melissa Huckaby, and Cheryl Truitt; cousins Tyler and Brittany Pagel, Ember Huckaby, and Lexi Sims; friends Jeff and Angie Tempel, Harriet Scoggins, Brita Adkins, and Christie and Geno Levesque.



Beckett Bayer

Christ be with me, Christ within me, Christ behind me, Christ before me, Christ beside me, Christ to win me, Christ to comfort me and restore me, Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ in quiet, Christ in danger, Christ in hearts of all that love me, Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.

- St. Patrick

Class of 1970 Reunion

Muenster Public, Sacred Heart and Subiaco

You are invited to the KC Hall (downstairs) on November 14 @ 6 p.m. of this year. See old friends and reminisce the days of past.

Please contact Tom Henscheid at thens@msn.com, Phone: (817)304-9905

Or

John Felderhoff on Facebook and/or jfelderh@verizon.net or Phone: (214)770-8929

Please bring an Appetizer to share We ask that you give \$10 that evening to cover the rental of the hall. Hope to see you there!

Happy 100th



Help Sr. Barbara Bernauer to celebrate her 100th birthday on

Nov. 10, 2015

by sending her birthday wishes.

She is a member of the Franciscan Sisters of the Atonement. A celebration in her honor will be held at the convent on that day.

Cards will reach her at: Sr. Barbara Bernauer 41 Old Highland Tpke. Garrison, NY 10524-3400



WE ARE A HOME OF LOVE, PEACE, AND JOY FOR ALL OUR NEIGHBORS. WE OFFER SHORT-TERM PHYSICAL REHAB AND LONG-TERM LIVING.

940-665-0386

1907 Refinery Rd, Gainesville

LIFE INSURANCE
LONG TERM CARE INSURANCE
RETIREMENT PLANNING
COLLEGE FUNDING
HEALTH INSURANCE*

PROTECTING PEOPLE FROM THE RISKS OF EVERYDAY LIFE.



Denise R. Bayer, LUTCF
Agent, New York Life Insurance Company
1002 Pecan St. Lindsay, TX 76250
(940) 665-5863
www.denisebayer.nylagents.com



GREAT EYE CARE MAKES A DIFFERENCE



Eye exams for Adults & Children
Diabetic Eye Disease
Glaucoma
Macular Degeneration
Cataract Surgery
Lasik Co-Management
Advanced Medical Technologies
Full service optical
Frames
Lenses
Sunglasses

Now Shop Online!



North Texas Vision Center • Richard Jolly MD • C. David Dick OD
818 W Hwy 82 Gainesville, TX 76240 (940) 665-9111 northtexasvisioncenter.com

COVERAGE

.....continued from pg. 5

year. About eight in 10 people who enroll in health coverage through www.healthcare.gov qualify for financial help to make their monthly premiums more affordable. The average monthly assistance amounted to \$270 this past year.

Generally, if you bought a plan last year and do nothing this year, you'll be automatically re-enrolled. Yet as tempting as "doing nothing" sounds, you could be missing out on a better deal. Consumers who shopped and switched plans during the last enrollment period have saved about \$400 in premiums over the year.

Texans can choose from an average of 50 health plans, though the exact number will vary from county to county. Rural areas are likely to have fewer. By comparing all the available plans in your area at www.healthcare.gov, you may find one that saves you more money, offers more services, or includes more doctors in its network of providers.

The open enrollment season runs until Jan. 31. But if you want any changes in your coverage to take effect on Jan. 1, you must act by Dec. 15.

This year's open enrollment also gives the uninsured the chance to obtain coverage through the marketplace. The private health plans all cover a comprehensive set of benefits, including doctor visits, hospital stays,

preventive care, pregnancy, and prescription drugs.

Health plans sold through the marketplace must treat you fairly. Insurers can't deny you coverage because you have a medical issue, such as cancer or diabetes. Nor can they charge you more than they would someone who's in good health.

At www.healthcare.gov, you'll find out if you qualify for savings you can use right away to lower your premiums and out-of-pocket medical expenses. The application process has been streamlined so that it requires less time and work.

The marketplace simplifies your shopping for coverage by letting you make convenient comparisons of health plans. A new "out-of-pocket calculator" will give you an estimate of your total yearly costs for each health plan, based on factors like your age, gender, income, ZIP code, and how much health care you expect to use. Then you can enroll in the plan that best fits your needs and budget.

If you expect frequent doctor visits or need regular prescriptions, you may want to pick a plan that has higher monthly premiums but pays more of the costs when you require care. If you don't foresee many visits through the year, you may prefer a plan with lower premiums.

Also, before you buy a plan through the marketplace, check whether your doctor is

in the plan's network. Your out-of-pocket costs will be lower. The most direct way to find out is to call the insurer's customer service line. You can get the number through www.healthcare.gov.

Another option is to contact the marketplace call center at 1-800-318-2596 and speak with a customer service representative. You can also visit localhelp.healthcare.gov/ to locate the organizations in your community that will assist you in signing up for coverage.

For most people, the open enrollment period from Nov. 1 to Jan. 31 is the only time during the year when you can buy health insurance through the marketplace.



NCTC photo

The North Central Texas College Cosmetology Department recently held a Halloween Fantasy Contest. Pictured with their winning mannequins are, from left, McKenna Proffer of Muenster (2nd Place), Sue Roos-Rickels and Mallory Rickels of Gainesville (first place), Iris Pineda of Denton (3rd place tie), Esmeralda Ibarra of Gainesville (3rd place tie).

Texas Agriculture Talks: Save the Monarch butterfly

By Gary Joiner

They're back! The annual Monarch butterfly migration has arrived. "There were literally thousands, coming in big and small bands like snow flurries..." is how one Concho Valley resident described the return.

Monarchs are moving down from northern latitudes. Their destination is overwintering sites in Mexico. Texas is the only state that all Monarchs must cross. And we're seeing peak migration now. The Monarch is the only butterfly known to make a two-

way migration as birds do. Some fly as far as 3,000 miles to reach their winter home. Experts say the North American Monarch population has dropped from 1 billion to 60 million over the last 20 years. Wildlife officials say this is largely due to habitat loss.

So what's the solution? If you want something grown, habitat improved, and private land managed for a specific public benefit, find a Texas farmer and rancher and give them an incentive. That's what federal conservation leaders are doing to put more butterflies in the air.

The National Fish and Wildlife Foundation has awarded \$3.3 million in Monarch Butterfly Conservation Fund grants nationwide. The grants aim to restore up to 33,000 acres of key Monarch habitat by propagating over a half-billion milkweed and other nectaring seedlings. That's right. Texas farmers and ranchers will grow milkweed on their land as part of the special habitat effort.

Also, the 22 grantees will bring an additional \$6.7 million in private investment to the table to maximize the impact of their projects. Last

winter, about 30 million Monarchs overwintered in Mexico. This year, officials suspect there will be more than 60 million. This proves, they say, that Monarchs are responding to habitat enhancement and restoration.

The goal to raise monarch numbers to 225 million by 2020 is entirely achievable with private/public partnerships like this one. The stewardship efforts of Texas farmers and ranchers are key to wildlife species restoration and survival. The Monarch butterfly is one beautiful example of how it works.

Sacred Heart Parish Picnic

2015 Donations

To donate an item contact Leslie Eddleman theeddemans@ntin.net or call 759-5286

- Anonymous**
5 Burner Gas Grill- New
- Cody Klement**
Hand made Planter boxes
- Tommy & Dyan Huchton**
Fajitas Party for 20 including margaritas
- Gary & Mary Endres**
New Keurig
- Claude Bayer**
Hand made Creche
- Michelle Knauf**
New Wall Mirror
- Mother Lillian Marie Reiter**
Full/Queen hand crochet afghan
- Margaret Reiter Schmitz Estate**
Counted Cross Stitch Table Cloth
- Various Framed Prints & Christmas items
- Collector's Plates
- Father Ken**
Dinner for 6- Must be used before May 2016
- Craig & Rita Bayer**
Fish Fry for 25 people your place or theirs
- Danny & Nannette Walterschied, Leslie Eddleman & Darrell Walterscheid**
Hand Made "Saddle Up Li'l Cowboy" Wooden Teeter Totter
- Stacie Miller & Dr. Dana Fuhrmann**
"The Last Supper" Hand painted by Stacie & Dana - framed by Wimmer Custom Woodworks with wood used from the original Sacred Heart Church railings
- Sister Mary Catherine of Jonesboro**
Crochet Baby Afghan & Scarf
- Coy & Leslie Eddleman**
(2) Hand Made 46" Wooden 'Old World' Saint Nicholas' Large Concrete Statue of The Sacred Heart of Jesus Fashion Necklace & Earring Set
- Leslie Eddleman**
(2)Antique Statuary Wall Mounts from St. John's Parish (re-finished)
- Jo Schilling**
Children's Wooden Picnic Table & Bench set w/ plastic ware
- Sterling Silver Madonna & Child Necklace
- Rudy Koesler**
Toy Chest
- Muenster Farm Mutual**
\$500 donation
- Muenster Antique Mall**
Concrete Statue of Saint Fiacre - patron of gardens
- Michelle Schilling**
Hand painted vintage School Desk
- John & Dana Walterscheid "Koesler Haus"**
1 Night Stay at Koesler Haus for 8
- Sacred Heart 4th Grade**
SHCS T-Shirt Quilt
- Deano Bayer**
Heroic Pickles that survived the flood!
- Angie Temple**
Hand Made Wreaths
- Kim Felderhoff**
Hand Made Quilt
- Lazy Heart Grill**
\$25 Gift Certificate
- Shauna Huchton & Valerie Alexander**
Hand Made Seasonal Décor
- Huchton Construction**
Crawfish & Shrimp Boil for 20 includes Beer
- Frank Popp & Frank Fangman**
Hand Cut Metal Cross Bench
- Melinda Klement**
Gift Baskets
- Danna Hess**
Seasonal Decorations

- Jeff Temple**
Hand Made Adirondack Chairs
- Josh & Iva Walterscheid**
Super Bowl Supper (Fried chicken dinner for 50)
- Ancient Ovens**
Italian cuisine under the stars for 8 people
- Wayne & Tudor Klement**
Dewalt Heavy Duty 1/2" Hammer Drill
- York Eye Associates**
A Pair of sunglasses and Complete Eye Exam
- Dalana Rohmer**
Gift certificate for a Fabulous Hair Cut
- Tony's Seed & Feed**
1000 lb Steer Feed
1000 lb Deer Pellets
- Dana Sanders**
2 Hour Photo Session on Location within 30 miles of Muenster
Free C.D. of 10 edited photos and Copyright permission to print
- Bob Bauer**
Unique Hand Made "golf club head" Coat Rack
- Kim Hess Fitts**
Basket of Scentsy Products
- Matt Sicking**
2 Loads of Gravel
- Tammy Wimmer**
Hand Painted vintage School Desk with Football Theme
- Billie Grewing**
Hand Painted Seasonal Décor
- Whitcotton's Nursery**
(4) 50.00 Gift Certificates
- Nasche Dozer Service**
4 Hours of Dozer Service
- Cheryl Beavers**
Misc. Home Décor
- Kenneth Sicking**
100 Bushels of Oats
- Gregg & Bonnie Hess**
Rick Of Oak/Pecan Firewood
- Amie Hess**
Basket of Rodan & Fields Products
- Basket of Essential Oils
- Ida Bindel**
Hand Sewn Quilt
- Carol Grewing**
75x54 Red, Black & White Hand Sewn Quilt
- WFW**
\$1,000 donation
- Mark Peniston**
Custom made knife with sheath
- Dale & Elaine Schilling**
\$500 donation
- Associated Travel**
One Weekend Night Stay at the Embassy Suites Outdoor World Grapevine TX; Includes manager reception and cooked to order Breakfast for a family of 6. Advanced reservation required, expires 9-1-16
Holidays excluded
- Jerry & Billie Fleitman**
5 Large Round Bales of Kleingrass Hay delivered within 10 miles before March 1 2016
- Mother Lillian Marie Reiter**
Embroidered Quilt, (quilted by Ida Bindel)
- Hand Crochet Afghan made by the late Sister Cabrini
- Anonymous**
(5) 2015 collector's Coins from around the world: Britain, Canada, Australia, Ireland, and USA
.1 oz pure silver each
- Beverly & Mike Fuhrmann**
Large Metal Cooler Stocked with Goodies
- Kenny Hess**
\$300 donation

- Damien & Grace Walterscheid**
Richard Petty Race Experience! 3 Laps around Texas Motor Speedway at speeds near 200mph for 2 people
- Dickie Moster**
4x8' Firewood Rack
- Leonard & Pat Bayer**
Authentic Amish Quilt King Size
- Jim Vogel**
Hand Made Jewelry Display
- Bob Vogel**
Choice Quality Pecans
- Hilda Sicking & Rose Sicking**
Hand Made Quilt
- Clifford & Kathy Sicking**
Framed Painting of "The Last Supper"
- First State Bank** (Alan Fleitman)
\$250 Visa Gift Card
- Angie Temple**
Hand made Reversible Scarecrow & Snowman Yard Art
- Leslie Eddleman**
Hand Painted Child's Wooden Rocking Riding Airplane
- Sacred Heart 6th Grade**- Glenda Mitchell teacher
- Cross Quilt, Pieced by Stacie Miller - Quilted by Joanie Wyrick
- Chris & Dr. Dana Fuhrmann & Stacie Miller**
Refurbished Antique Desk made by Fr. and shop students at SHS in '60s with antique chair.
- Several Gift Baskets
- Chris & Dr. Dana Fuhrmann**
Child's Workbench and Tools
- Hand Made Interchangeable Seasonal Sign Post
- Hand Made Texas Ranger Corn Hole Boards
- Dr. Dana Fuhrmann and Jo Schilling**
Child's Table and Chairs
- Nannette Walterscheid**
Professional Photo Session with C.D. of Edited Photos
- Holy Angel's Convent**
Antique Trunk refurbished by Stacie Miller & Dr. Dana Fuhrmann
- Elm Creek Manor luxury Spa Resort**
Ladies Slumber Party for 5: Treat yourself and your best girlfriends to a fun-loving 1 night stay including a luxurious massage and champagne, Delicious dinner and breakfast provided. Sun-Thurs
- Elm Creek Manor luxury Spa Resort**
A Couple's Enchanted 1 Night Stay, includes large fruit, cheese and meat tray, champagne, romantic atmosphere with scattered rose petals, chocolate dipped strawberries, and champagne and a romantic treasure hunt to re-connect with that young loving and romantic spirit. Sun-Thurs
- June Bugs**
Ladies Overnight Bag filled with lovely overnight necessities
- June Bugs**
Christmas Gift Basket
- Meinrad Yosten**
22 rifle



Thanksgiving Picnic Sunday - Nov. 22

SCHOOL

SHCS Honor Roll

First Quarter PRINCIPAL'S

4th Grade - Alisha Fleitman, Gus Ganzon, Bryce Hays.
5th Grade - Mara Juntado.
6th Grade - Alison Becker, Emily Flusche, Max Ganzon, Joie Kintz, Ryenne Reiter.
7th Grade - Jessica Dangelmayr, Lily Haley, Rachel Hesse, Jianne Juntado, Lexi Rivers.
8th Grade - Erik Bayer, Keith Bezner, Hunter Hennigan, Jacob Walterscheid, Jared Walterscheid.
9th Grade - Katherine Dunlop, Benjamin Ganzon, Danielle Hess, Leya Ladzinski, Megan Ploeger.
10th Grade - Roy Endres, Robert Hanson, Julian Hesse, Sophia Jones, Jessica Kemna, Alex Villa.

7th Grade - Rafael Rondon, Nolan Vogel.
8th Grade - Logan Muller, Geordan Spaeth.
9th Grade - Joseph Cochran, Jeron Juntado, Ian Kintz, Hannah Payne, Emma Ploeger.
10th Grade - Tanner Eddleman, Lydia Hennigan, Jacob Kemna, Zane Schoppa, Katherine Springer, Taylor Stewart.
11th Grade - Alane Bartush, Katie Bezner, Anthony Caetii, Samantha Koesle, Rylee Reiter, Michael Richter, Devin Sicking, Avery Truebenbach.
12th Grade - Alana Endres, Stephen Kessler, Maria Mar, Samantha Palmer, Rebecca Richter, Tyler Spruill.

Hess, Matthew Spaeth, Celeste Villa.
5th Grade - Michael Koesler, Dominic Rozell, Jerrod Sprouse.
6th Grade - Emma Bayer, Brayden Mackey, Lauren Miller.
7th Grade - Emily Campbell.
8th Grade - Aaron Hess, Angela Villa.
9th Grade - Isaiah Bayer, Jackson Carr, Caleb Garland, Thomas Renner, Shane Sicking.
10th Grade - Matthew Anderle, Harper Crisp, Samuel Hess.
11th Grade - Brooke Devers, Javier Iglesias, Carmen Villa, Wyatt West.
12th Grade - Madeline Carter, Michael Fleitman, Daniel Hesse, Grant Springer.

B HONOR ROLL

4th Grade - Clint Bezner, Tyler Felderhoff, Shooter



MISD photo

On Oct. 6, 45 Muenster High School FCCLA members traveled to the State Fair of Texas for FCCLA's annual field trip. For free admission, each member was required to bring one canned food item to benefit the Dallas Food Bank. Members enjoyed a variety of activities the State Fair had to offer.

LISD Honor Roll

1st Six weeks A HONOR ROLL

12th Grade - Paisley Cornett, Caitlin Corcoran, Sydney McCage, Hannah Davis, Catlynn Schumacher, Douglas Case, Erin Early.
11th Grade - John Michael Fuhrmann, Bob Gomulak, Zach Hundt, John Rohmer, Cohen Hunter, Heath Thompson, Logan King, Jonathon Bell, Liz Hellman, Brenna Fleitman, Austin Schully.
10th Grade - Brandon Craigie, Cameron Worth, John Walker, Sarah Corcoran, Jocelyn Grewing.
9th Grade - Kirsten Dennison, Hannah Metzler, Olivia Hertel, Brianna Craigie, Alaina Dennison, Makenzie Fleitman, James Dennison, Trevor Sims, Justin Fuhrmann, Theresa Wyrick, Colby Metzler, Emily Davis, Ashley Fleitman, Kyle Popp, Alex Sims, Karsyn Taylor, Merrick Parkhill, Aaron Fleitman, Jake Hellman, Katlynn Huchton, Macie Neu.
8th Grade - Daniel Bell, Rachel Boles, Kayley Colwell, Jack Gomulak, Cassidy Grewing, Cade Hellman, Matthew Hellman, Kade Hermes, Lily Jones, Kate Jones, Maggie Krahl, Payton Orr, Elizabeth Otto, Grace Otto, Kaitlyn Popp, Casey Schumacher, Aryan Vig, Hunter Wolf, Katherine Worth.
7th Grade - Lauren Colwell, Tori Hartman, Landrie Herr, Shelby Lawson, Rachel Metzler.
6th Grade - Travis Anderle, CJ Corbell, Anna Fleitman, Loren Freeman, Molly Fuhrmann, Stephen Fuhrmann, Andrew Goldsmith, Kirtan Patel, Colton Popp, Madison Reiter.
5th Grade - Kade Branson, Emma Dieter, Rory Dulock, Macey Hawkins, Jase Keith, Ella Klement, Corey Metzler, Dayne Meurer, Kortnie Reiter.
4th Grade - Emma Jo Baker, Macy Bayer, Kathryn Blanton, Jack Flanagan, Katelyn Fuhrmann, Thomas Fuhrmann, Mary Gomulak, Elizabeth Hawkins, Autumn Hedrick, Henry Hess, Emily Metzler, Bay Morris, Meg Morris, Madie Williams.
3rd Grade - Konnor Bloom, Abigail Brennan, Addison Herr, Nathaniel Klement, Madeline Neu, Madison Riley.
2nd Grade - Aiden Baker, Madyson Blanton, Camille Buckaloo, Karsten Bullock, Emma Clark, Jaret Dulock, Mahli Duncan, Isaac Fuhrmann, Joseph Manhart, Samuel Metzler, Davin Meurer, Hunter Odell, Luke Reiter, Alana Sharp, Brandon Sharp, Callie Sharp.
1st Grade - Jacob Anderle, Maverick Bayer, Caroline Beck, Samuel Bell, Kamyryn Bloom, Jaden Bui, Dominic Cole, William Colwell, Eli Doty, Eden Dulock, Emery Fleit-

man, Peyton Forson, Kieran Gilbert, Emilie Goldsmith, Nathan Hellman, Ava Hillis, Peyton Jones, Rhoslyn Meyer, Mason Myers, Eleanor Neu, Jordan Neu, Kreed Peyrot, Abigail Riley, John Rinner, Wesley Swaney, Casen Williford, Kaitlin Zimmerer.
A/B HONOR ROLL
12th Grade - Collin Clark, Erika Davis, Andy Dieter, Kaleigh Eason, Leah Fuhrmann, Zach Green, Katherine Haverkamp, Zachary Hermes, Karli Jones, Blair Martinson, Morgan McClure, Mariah Noggler, Colton Rains, Sarah Snider, Scout Tatum.
11th Grade - Dawson Anderle, Tanner DeBord, Lindsey Gibbs, Abbey Haverkamp, Ashley Hedrick, Louis Krahl, Chloe Larabee, Rebecca Laster, Luke Metzler, Sarah Otto, Roshan Patel, Sean Stoffels, Chase Thompson, Logan Wann, Campbell Williams, Laura Wyrick.
10th Grade - Andy Boles, Mia Burrows, Bethani Cornelison, Nate Dieter, Haley Hellinger, Michael Hellman, Kate Henley, Kody Hermes, Cameron Hughes, Alaina Klement, Hayley Marion, Luke Meece, Chase Otto, Bhavin Patel, Kayln Pulte, Marisa Rodriguez.
9th Grade - Preston Brewer, Karlye Case, Alexis Castro, Laura Dill, Nathan Huston, Devon Joiner, Jillian Martin, Madeline Myrick, Skyler Neu, Kyle Ott, Michael Pence, Forrest Russell, Carolyn Timmins.

8th Grade - Elizabeth Bradshaw, Patrick Burleson, Rose Butcher, Kloe Copeland, Alyssa Eason, Elizabeth Elzy, Nick Fisher, Lauren Henley, Katy Howard, Madison Huchton, Mikayla Johnson, Logan Martin, Mady McCage, Jake Metzler, Cayden Rains, Jerrad Schumacher, Skylar Tatum, Rileigh Turbeville, Clint Wallace.
7th Grade - Riley Anderle, Nadia Balthrop, Gage Bezner, Rusti Blanton, Braxton Craigie, Lily Dieter, Nash Dieter, Heidi Fleitman, Kylee Fleitman, George Gomulak, Allison Hedrick, Mackenzie Hess, Parker Hillis, Avery Hughes, Marshall Jones, Lindsey King, Mya Meece, Macey Ott, Derek Parsons, Jack Popp, Andrew Schully, Dylan Sprouse, Michael Sprouse, Austin Trammell, Anna Williams, Tyler Yancey.
6th Grade - Alexis Butcher, Jacob Dulock, Samantha Fisher, Clay Fuhrmann, Tyler Grewing, Elizabeth Hacker, Makenna Hermes, Gabe McCain, Shawna Neusch, Jessalyn Reiter, Ivan Reyes, Kyleigh Sandmann, Matthew Sebade, Garrett Tackett, Story Tatum, Henry Thurman, Jaxon Williams, Trinity Williamson.
5th Grade - Ryder Bezner, Trenton Blount, Cole Branson, Ashlyn Brooks, Audrey Colwell, Riya Dax, Ella Dieter, Tatum Fleitman, Caden Forson, Coltan Hanks, Cooper Hartman, Abigail Hellman, Ryan Hell-

man, Ava Horner, Jenna Parkhill, Yash Patel, Corinn Schully, Cassidy Tackett, Kane Wolf.
4th Grade - Caylee Cheaney, Maya Dulock, Joseph Fisher, Tess Hughes, Mia Hunt, Madison Hunter, Blake Keith, Alexa Martin, Layton Morrow, Logan Noggler, Kevin Overholt, Blake Parsons, Elaina Reiter, Lucas Sebade, Yashica Vig, Raylee Waugh.
3rd Grade - Isaac Anderle, Jennifer Brandt, Brooklyn Burgess, Mary Colwell, Molly Dieter, Luke Eason, Sydney Fleitman, Winston Fleitman, Bella Grahl, Austin Henderson, Pauline Kessler, Tony Lara, Addison Lawson, Emma Mauldin, Brice Robison, Justin Schumacher, Kate Stubbs, Reagan Swaney, Wyatt Tackett, Simon Thurman, Cody Williford.
2nd Grade - Gavin Anderle, Ashley Carney, Keli Cox, Avery Dieter, Aiden Eischeid, Caleb Garner, Sarah Hess, Braxton Ice, Noah Klement, Caden Lloyd, Cayla Lockridge, Zachary Metzler, Parker Neu, Raegan Neu, Brayden Schumacher, Jayden Stringfellow, Kadya Waugh.
1st Grade - Logan Balthrop, Landri Gum, Audrey Hamilton, Joshua Koelzer, Chloe Padgett, Weston Shoemaker, Morgan Voth.



November Entertainment

Fri. Nov. 13 Tommy Alverson with Tom McElvain
Sat. Nov. 21 Morris McCann
Wed. Nov. 25 Dirty Pesos
Sat. Nov. 28 The Bois d arcs

113 N. Main • Muenster, TX
940-759-2031

Holiday OPEN HOUSE

November 12 - 13 - 14

- serving wine-a-ritas
- in store specials
- register for door prizes
- open late the 12th-7 pm





759-5090 Main St. Muenster

Check us out on Facebook & Instagram

Candy Buy Back



\$1 per pound

Sat. Nov. 7 9-12 a.m.

Candy causes tooth decay. Prevent decay & earn some CASH!

Smiles
by GERMAN DESIGN

134 N. Maple

NOVEMBER BARGAINS of the MONTH



SAVE 40% or more
34⁹⁹
6-Ft. Deluxe Banquet Table
 Steel frame with powder-coated finish. W 682 536 1. While supplies last. Contents on table not included.



COSCO SAVE 30% or more
9⁹⁹
Steel Folding Chair
 W 157 249 F4. While supplies last.



Johnson YOUR CHOICE 2/\$6
Glade® Holiday Plugs® Scented Oil Refill with FREE Warmer
 Select spruce or apple cinnamon scent. W 198 088, 089 B6. While supplies last.
3.8-Oz. Scented Wax Candle
 Select spruce or apple cinnamon scent. W 198 090, 091 B6. While supplies last.



HOLIDAY WONDERLAND HOT DEAL! YOUR CHOICE 9⁹⁹
105-Light LED Icicle-Style Sets
 Available in warm white, cool white or multicolor. T 150 664, 665, 666 B12. While supplies last.



Compassionate Care

Day or Night
940-665-2999
 112 N. Dixon Street,
 Gainesville, TX
 seniorcareofnorthtexas.com

Caregivers needed!

COMMUNITY LUMBER COMPANY

HIGHWAY 82 • MUENSTER

TrueValue

START RIGHT. START HERE.™

759-2248

FREE Shipping to our store on your TrueValue.com orders.

SPORTS



Amy Binder photo

Hornet Coach Brady Carney discusses a call with an official at Celeste in last week's District match with the Blue Devils.



Courtesy photo

Sacred Heart Tigers Grant Springer (74) and Michael Fleitman (58) lead the pack out onto the field to battle with the Conquerors.

Hornets down Devils

Muenster, like all area teams, played their Friday night football game Thursday to avoid the stormy weather that was predicted for Friday night. The Hornets traveled to Celeste, bringing home a 42-7 District win.

Muenster's defense held the Blue Devils to only 9 yards rushing, picked off one pass, and allowed an average of 2.8 yards per play. Offensively, the Hornets ran for 326 yards, adding 176 in the air, and had one turnover.

"Offensively, I was really pleased how fast we started," noted Hornet Coach Brady Carney. "Two plays, 40 seconds to score. Defensively, the Hornets played really well against the run, holding them to 9 yards." Carney also noted that Muenster's lone turnover came in the 2nd half after the game was put away.

Muenster took the opening kick, taking only two plays to punt points on the board, with a Blayne Jones 37 yard run. A Clay Stevens to Carson Trubenbach pass was good for an 8-0 score 37 seconds into the game.

It was two blue Devil punts to the Hornets' one, with Muenster starting their next scoring drive at midfield. Jones ran for 16, Parker McGrew 15, followed by a Jones to Trubenbach pass for 7 to the 13 yard line. Short runs by Jones, Dalton Bartel, and Kagen Dangelmayr got the ball to the 1 yard line. With 4:27 on the clock, Bartel crossed the goal line. The PAT failed for a 14-0 Muenster lead.

The Blue Devils carried the ball into the 2nd quarter, scoring on a pass play for a 14-7 score with a minute off the clock.

Bartel returned Celeste's kick 35 yards to the Blue Devil 29 yard line. Next play, McGrew scored. Bryce Herr booted the PAT for a 21-7 score with 10:25 still on the

clock. An interception by Jones stopped the Blue Devils' next drive on the Hornet 15.

Flags delayed the Hornets' next drive, temporarily. Jones then ran for 20 yards followed by a Jones to Trace Klement pass play for 23 more yards. With 5:29 on the clock, Bartel scored from 3 yards out. Bryce Herr added the PAT for a 28-7 Muenster lead.

An incomplete Celeste pass on 4th and 23 gave the Hornets possession on their own 25 yard line. Runs by Stevens, McGrew, Bartel, and Jones, and a Jones to Klement pass play moved the ball to the Celeste 22. The Hornets found the end zone again with a Jones to Chase Deeken pass completion. Herr added the PAT for a 35-7 score with 1:25 remaining in the 1st half.

Muenster's defense gave up no yardage, forcing Celeste to punt away the 3rd quarter opening drive. The Hornets took eight plays to score their final TD of the game on a 24 yard run by Bartel. Herr's PAT put a 42-7 score on the board with 7:32 on the clock.

Celeste lost yards, Muenster fumbled, and Celeste punted as the 4th quarter began.

Muenster's offense used 11 plays to go from their 20 to Celeste's 17. A 3rd down field goal attempt failed and the Blue Devil offense played out the remaining time.

| | | | | | |
|---|----|----|---|---|----|
| M | 14 | 21 | 7 | 0 | 42 |
| C | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 |

| Team Stats | | |
|------------|---------|---------------|
| M | C | |
| 20 | 18 | 1st downs |
| 34/326 | 27/185 | Rushes/yds |
| 176 | 217 | Passing yds |
| 9/14/0 | 13/19/0 | Comp/att/int |
| 1/1 | 1/1 | Fumbles/lost |
| 1/37 | 0/0 | Punts/avg |
| 9/60 | 5/33.6 | Penalties/yds |

Individual Stats
RUSHERS: Dalton Bartel, 9/107; Blayne Jones, 6/81; Parker McGrew, 4/56;

Stetson McGrew, 5/43; Kagen Dangelmayr, 6/29; Clay Stevens, 2/6; Trace Klement, 2/4. **RECEIVERS:** Trace Klement, 4/64; Chase Deeken, 2/61; Brennan Binder, 1/25; Dalton Bartel, 1/19; Carson Trubenbach, 1/7. **TACKLES:** Trace Klement, Dalton Bartel, Bryce Herr, Carson Trubenbach, Brennan Binder, Dalton Hess. **TURNOVERS:** Interception - Blayne Jones.

Next Action

It's the annual Stingers Scuffle this Friday night with the Era Hornets buzz on over to Muenster for the last regular 2015 season game.

"If we lose this one, we'll put ourselves in a bind, sharing the District championship (with Lindsay). We really need to win," Coach

See HORNETS, pg. 10

Tigers shut out Conquerors

Twenty-seven yards total offense. That's all that the Sacred Heart Tiger defense would allow in last Thursday's 54-0 District victory over the Calvary Christian Conquerors in Fort Worth. The Tigers rushed for 185 and threw 217 for a total of 402 yards and 18 1st downs.

"It's always good to have a shutout," commented Tiger Coach Dale Schilling. "Our defense played really good and tackled well. Our offense continues to put up a lot of points."

Calvary's offense was first on the field, but a tackle by Julian Hesse forced a 4th and 25 punt. Starting 25 yards from the end zone, a flag quickly lost 10 yards. Kason Reeves' passes to Wyatt West and Tyler Spruill moved the ball to the 5 yard line. Reeves' complete pass to Will Green put the first points on the board. The PAT

failed for a 6-0 score with 8:21 on the clock.

Tackles by Mark Davis and Hesse, and pass defense by Thomas Hennigan allowed only 1 yard, forcing another punt. Hennigan returned the ball 29 yards to the Conqueror 41 yard line.

Spruill and Reeves runs and a Reeves to Green pass took the Tigers to the 1 yard line. With 3:50 on the clock, Reeves found the end zone and added the PAT for a 13-0 Tiger lead.

Defensive plays by Tyler Walterscheid, Spruill, Daniel Hesse, and Grant Springer forced a 4th and 8 punt.

From the Tiger 27, Ethan Henry ran for 17 yards, Reeves and West connected for 15 more, followed by Reeves' pass to Hunter Hess for a 41 yard touchdown. Reeves added the PAT for a 20-0 score with 47 seconds on the clock before the 1st quarter ended.

A 4th and 3 run to open the 2nd period was stopped short by Springer on the Calvary 39. Two plays later, Reeves' pass completion to Markus Shaw added more points to the Tiger score. Reeves booted the PAT and the scoreboard read 27-0.

Calvary ran seven plays before running out of downs, the Tigers lost a fumbled ball, then the Conquerors punted on 4th and 24. Seven plays later, 34-0 after a Henry 4 yard TD and Reeves' PAT with 11 seconds before halftime.

The Tigers took the 3rd quarter kick, were delayed by a flag, before Hennigan scored from 5 yards out. Reeves added the PAT, 41-0.

Another Calvary punt and penalty placed the Tigers on the Conqueror 38 yard line. Henry ran for 9 yards followed by three Roy Endres completed passes to Jake Kemna and Zane Schoppa. Henry ran the final 3 yards to increase the Tiger lead to 47-0.

Calvary ran the ball into the final period before running out of downs. The Tigers ran six plays, the final a 20 yard

TD by Jeron Juntado. Sam Hesse kicked the point after for the final 54-0 score.

| | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|---|----|
| SH | 20 | 14 | 13 | 7 | 54 |
| C | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Team Stats

| SH | C | |
|---------|--------|---------------|
| 18 | 2 | 1st downs |
| 27/185 | 27/14 | Rushes/yds |
| 217 | 13 | Passing yds |
| 13/19/0 | 4/11/0 | Comp/att/int |
| 1/1 | 0/0 | Fumbles/lost |
| 0/0 | 5/33.6 | Punts/yds |
| 4/45 | 3/35 | Penalties/yds |

Individual Stats

RUSHERS: Ethan Henry, 11/108; Kason Reeves, 3/24; Jeron Juntado, 3/22; Tyler Spruill, 5/13; Thomas Hennigan, 2/19; Sam Hesse, 2/4; Roy Endres, 1/4. **RECEIVERS:** Wyatt West, 4/50; Will Green, 3/48; Hunter Hess, 1/41; Markus Shaw, 1/39; Zane Schoppa, 1/30; Zach Flusche, 1/7; Tyler Spruill, 1/6; Jake Kemna, 1/4. **TACKLES:** Julian Hesse, Mark Davis, Tyler Spruill, Grant Springer, Daniel Hesse, Stephen Kessler.

Next Action

The Tigers host the Lake Country Eagles this Friday night. The Eagles were handed their second loss of the season last week to District leader Covenant, 34-28.

"Lake Country is huge up front. They do nothing fancy. They just run the ball," noted Coach Schilling. The Eagles' scoring back has 2,000 yards rushing on the season, including 350 in one game.

See TIGERS, pg. 10

Tigers run at State

The Sacred Heart Tigers Cross Country team finished in 8th place at the TAPPS Cross Country Championships held at the Waco Regional Airport Course. The Tigers scored 191 points. Shiner St. Paul won the meet with 66.

The weather was drizzly and the course sloppy for the 139 runners who entered the race.

"I was pleased with our effort. It was a real cross-country experience with all the rain and mud," noted Coach Jon LeBrasseur. "People pay good money to go to a mud run. The foot-deep mud in some places affected the times by 90 seconds per mile."

Robert Hanson finished in 28th place with a time of 23:26. Ben Ganzon came in 38th at 23:45 and Matthew Anderle 49th with a time of 24:35. Running rookies Cody Dangelmayr and Tanner Eddleman finished 72 and 90, clocking in at 25:31 and 27:12.

"Things look bright for next season as we will return all runners," Coach LeBrasseur concluded.

UIL District 9-2A Div. 2

- Muenster 5-0
- Lindsay 4-1
- Era 4-1
- Celeste 2-3
- Detroit 1-4
- Collinsville 1-4
- Cumby 0-5

TAPPS Div. 3, District 1

- Covenant 6-0
- Lake Country 5-1
- Temple 4-2
- Sacred Heart 4-2
- Lubbock Chr. 3-3
- San Jacinto 1-5
- Fellowship 1-5
- Calvary 0-6

Join the **Muenster Chamber of Commerce**

Get your Christmas floats **LIGHTED** and ready for

A Christmas Winter Wonderland parade on Saturday, Nov. 28, at 6:30 p.m. on Main Street in Muenster.

Applications available at the Chamber office or at www.muensterchamber.com

or contact the office at chamber@ntin.net or call 940-759-2227

Participation is FREE

HO HO HO

Our thoughts are with the brave men and women serving our country and the ones who served before them.

Kathy R Bauer, AAMS®
Financial Advisor
2925 Country Club Rd Ste 101a
Denton, TX 76210
940-382-0280

Edward Jones
MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

Member SIPC

Cole McNatt

CHEVROLET BUICK GMC

Gainesville, Texas

Need a vehicle - new or used?

Come in - Ask for Ben - You'll receive the best service

benb@colemcnatt.com

940-535-7958
www.colemcnatt.com direct line

Ben Bindel
FIND NEW ROADS

Dynamite Day Care
759-3002

FUHRMANN & ZIMMERER BUILDERS INC.
CUSTOM HOMES
940-612-2870

F M W INSURANCE AGENCY
Paula Kerr
Anna Braziel
940-759-4644

Where German Tradition Meets Texas Hospitality
Muenster Chamber of Commerce
GO BIG RED

MMH Family Health Clinic
759-2226

ACE Hardware
117 N. Main
759-2296

Turtle Hill Golf & Conference Center
759-4896

Schilling Oil Co.
ALON
HAVE A GREAT SEASON!

MUENSTER FARM MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE
759-4770

Scott Funeral Home
310 N. Walnut
759-2556

F.E.I. Flusche Enterprises, Inc.

York Eye Associates
2020 WEST HWY 82
GAINESVILLE, TEXAS 76240
(940)612-2020

Robert Hermes Insurance Germania INSURANCE
Home, Auto, Life
759-2540

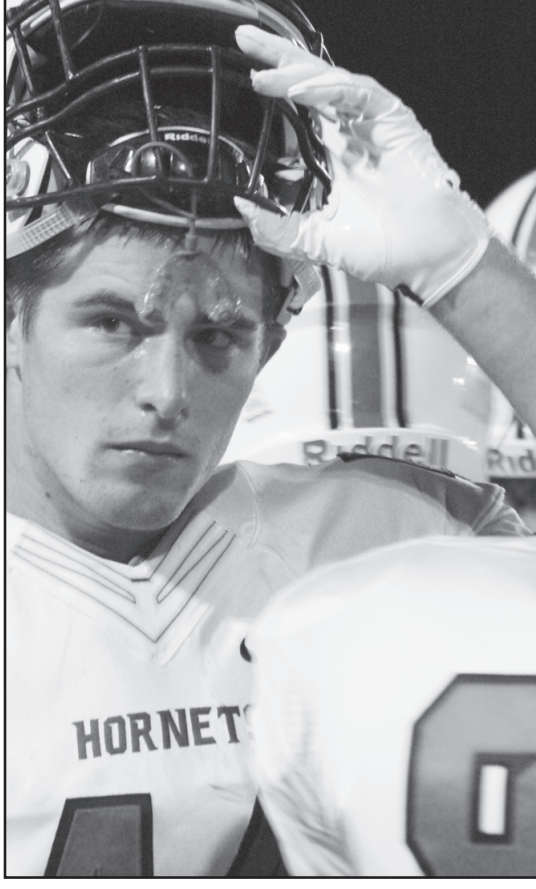
ZODIAC
formerly Weber Aircraft

PHIL'S COLLISION REPAIR
940-612-4004
(Highway 82 in Lindsay)
Jon Forshee

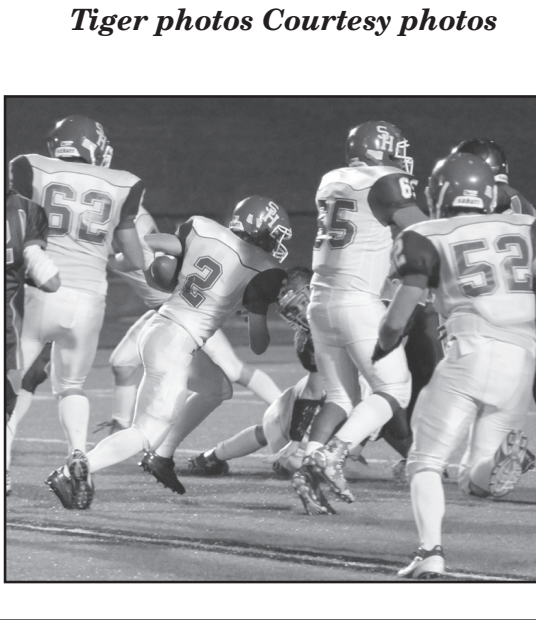
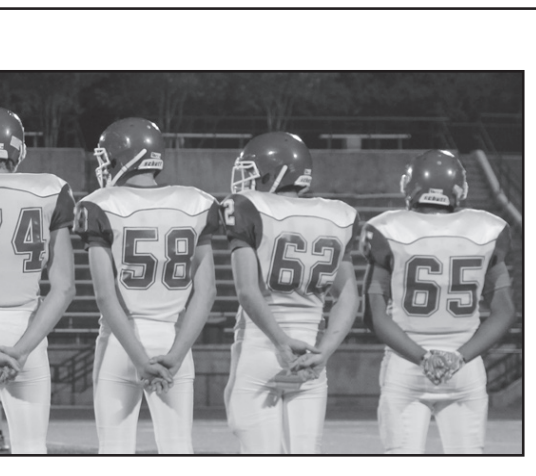
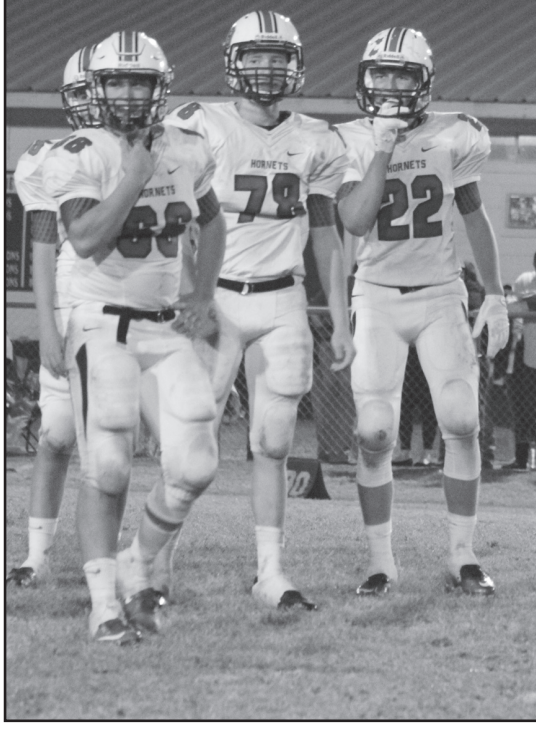
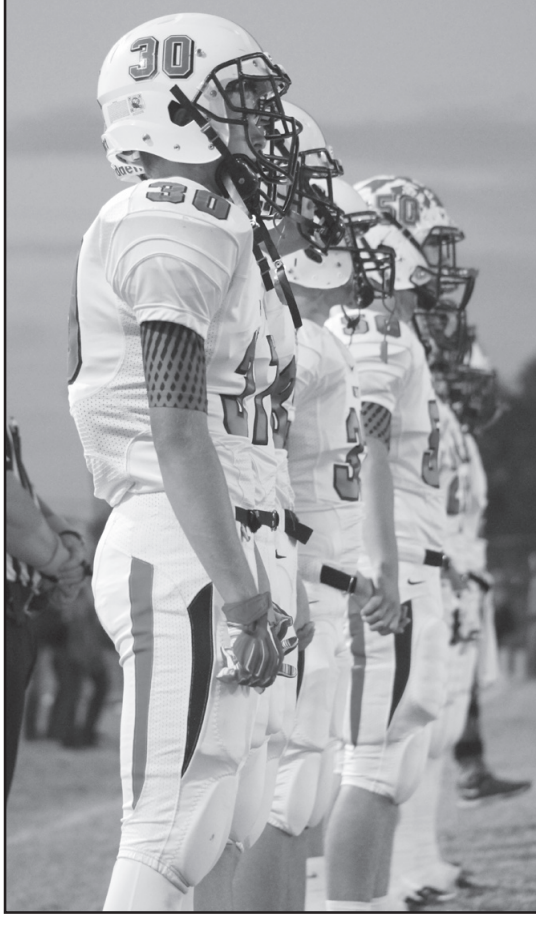
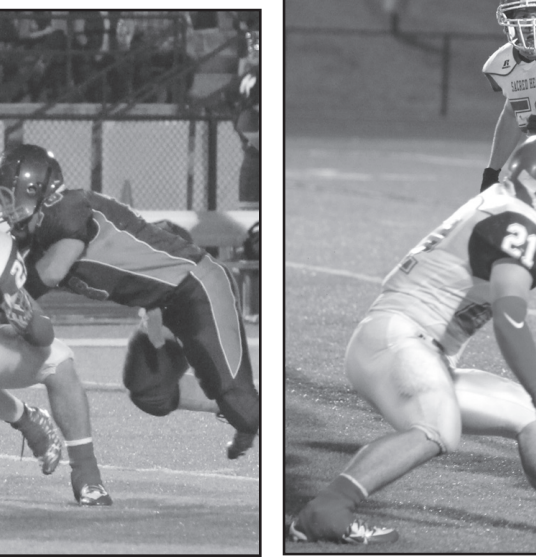
Nortex Communications
Muenster
940-759-2251
www.nortex.com

G & H Backhoe
Muenster, Texas
736-4763
902-6615

V & H Oil, L.P.
759-4527
Darren Voth Doug Hermes



Muenster Hornets over Celeste
Hornet photos by Amy Binder



UPERIOR MACHINING & FABRICATION, INC.
TOOLING PRODUCTS, INC.
940.759.5066 MUENSTER, TEXAS
GILES & MARLENE WALTERSCHEID

Go Teams! Good Luck
Mike & Joni Sturm
FRUESTER AUTO PARTS

True Value COMMUNITY LUMBER COMPANY
759-2248 Muenster

Lora's Flowers and Tuxedos
GOOD LUCK TEAMS

Universal Machining Industries, Inc.
UMII
Steve Trubenbach

Walterscheid Oil Co.
Good Luck teams

Gerald Graham, D.D.S. Mindy Klement, D.D.S.

Chicken EXPRESS
940-612-0200

Bezner Insurance Germania INSURANCE
Kenny Bezner
665-0333
kenbezins@nlm.net
www.beznerinsurance.com

ZK ZIMMERER KUBOTA & EQUIPMENT, INC.

KNIGHT INSURANCE
Danny Knight, CLCT
665-7162
danny@knightinsurance.com

R & R Pipe
Muenster 759-2749
Roy and Leonard Reiter

Gehrig Hardware
Since the early 1890's
N. Main, Muenster

Hess Meat Market
759-2744

SISTERS gift store
759-5090

M&S B Muenster State Bank
201 N. Main, Muenster, 940-759-2257

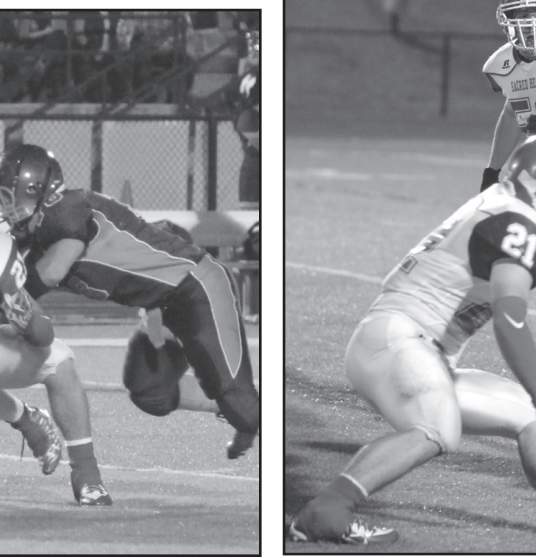
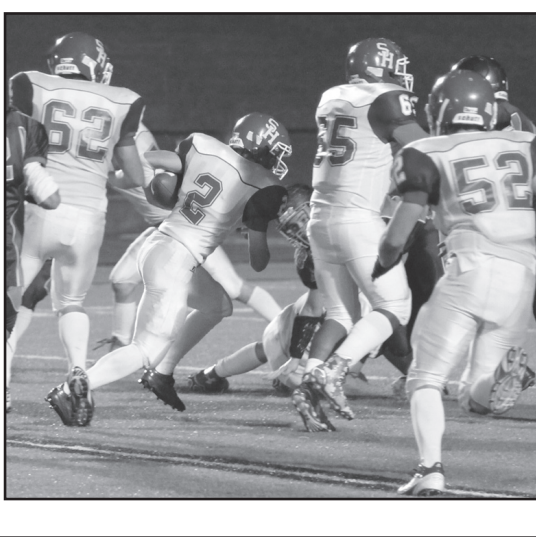
NEIL'S VALERO SUBWAY Pizza Inn
82 Liquor
Muenster 759-2923
Neil & Peachie

COOKE COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION
Good Luck Teams
759-2211
Your Touchstone Energy® Cooperative
The power of human connections®

Sacred Heart Tigers over Calvary



Tiger photos Courtesy photos



Walterscheid Appliance

Kountry Korner
759-2526
Good Luck RED!!

HAVE SOME FUN!
Chuck Bartush, Jr., P.C.

Jimmy Jack Biffle

Shawn Walter Automotive
30 759-4521

W-W PRODUCTION COMPANY, INC.
204 N. Walnut Street, Muenster, TX 76252
Phone 759-4001
Glenn Walterscheid, Tim Felderhoff, and Mel Walterscheid
Go Kody & Allie!!

M&S B Muenster State Bank
201 N. Main, Muenster, 940-759-2257

Cole McNatt
1608 W. Hwy. 82
Gainesville, TX
665-5591

Copystar
Kivocera Technology
Dustin's Office Machines
105 E. California, Gainesville 665-5594

BOON WORKS Collision Specialists
FULL SERVICE COLLISION CENTER
940-668-6857

Hennigan Auto Parts, Inc.
759-2291
Muenster

Schilling Tire & Auto
116 W. 2nd St.
759-4141

SCAG POWER EQUIPMENT
Muenster Garden Center
759-2766

NEIL'S VALERO SUBWAY Pizza Inn
82 Liquor
Muenster 759-2923
Neil & Peachie

Good Luck Muenster Hornets!
First State Bank
www.F-S-B.com

Fischer's Meat Market
-Since 1927-
All the way teams!
304 N. Main
P.O. Box 156 • (940) 759-4211
Muenster, TX 76252-0156

KLEMENT Ford OF MUENSTER
Have a GREAT year
Tigers & Hornets

Enderby GAS, Inc.
Hwy. 82, Gainesville
940-665-3457

TONY'S SEED & FEED

Good Luck Sacred Heart Tigers!
First State Bank
www.F-S-B.com

COOKE COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION
Good Luck Teams
759-2211
Your Touchstone Energy® Cooperative
The power of human connections®

Calvary clobbers Cubs

The Sacred Heart Cubs played the Fort Worth Calvary Christian Conquerors last Thursday and were handed a 34-0 loss.

Calvary scored on all three 1st half possessions to take a 22-0 halftime lead.

The 3rd quarter began with Kyle Dangelmayr covering a fumbled ball the second play of the 2nd half. The Cubs got in one play, a successful pass from Hunter Hennigan to Jared Walterscheid for a 1st down. The next play, Calvary picked off a Cub pass that set up another TD for a 28-0 score.

The Cub offense struggled and punted, with the Fort Worth team scoring early in the final period to extend their lead to 34-0.

Sacred Heart's offense moved the ball from midfield to inside the Conqueror 20 yard line with runs by Nolan Vogel, Hennigan, and Walterscheid, but an interception stopped the scoring threat as time ticked off the clock.



Adam Wolf, member of the Era High School Bass Fishing Team, shows off three of his four bass caught at Lake Texoma during an Era sponsored fishing tournament on Oct. 17. Even though he was fishing without a partner, Adam placed first with his stringer of four bass weighing 9.37 pounds.

Tiger JV ends season with win

Sacred Heart hosted Collinsville last Wednesday afternoon at Tiger Field as the junior varsity teams played their last game of the season. After a close one TD ahead halftime score, the Tigers finished the game as 42-6 winners.

The Tigers took the opening kick and in five plays found the end zone on a Roy Endres to Jake Kemna pass play for a 6-0 early lead.

A Pirate fumble ended their first drive when Julian Hesse covered the ball. After exchanging punts, the Tigers started the 2nd quarter on the Pirate 47. After runs by Jeron Juntado, Endres, and Sam Hesse, and an Endres to Hesse pass, the Tigers were knocking on the Collinsville door. A 1 yard keeper by Endres gave Sacred Heart a 12-0 lead.

Collinsville fought back, scoring seconds before halftime to close the score 12-6.

Tackles by Kemna, Michael McCoy, and Hesse kept the Pirates in the hole, forcing an end zone punt. Starting on the Pirate 25, an Endres to Kemna pass moved the ball to the 9. Next play, Endres and Zane Schoppa connected for a Tiger TD, and an 18-6 score.

Collinsville's offense played the remaining quarter. The Tigers took the next four plays, with Hesse scoring with 7 minutes on the clock. Endres ran in the extra points to increase Sacred Heart's lead to 26-6.

The Pirates fumbled the kick return, Schoppa covered, four plays later Juntado scored on a 17 yard run. An Endres to Hesse pass made the score 34-6.

Collinsville fumbled again - two Tiger snaps and the scoreboard read 42-6 after a Juntado TD and Endres PAT. The Pirate offense played out the remaining 3 minutes.

TIGERSContinued from page 8

"The key will be to stop their run," Schilling added.

The Eagles' District wins include Temple 21-7, San Jacinto 55-13, Fellowship 56-14, Lubbock 49-20, and Calvary 47-6. Their other loss was a pre-district contest with Perrin-Whitt.

According to Coach Schilling, the Tigers need to win by 12 points or more for a 3-way tie/coin flip to determine 2nd, 3rd, and 4th place playoff positions. Covenant is the District champion, with Lake Country currently in 2nd place. If the Tigers don't win Friday night by 12, they will be the 4th place seed, with Temple Christian taking 3rd.

"It will be a good game," Coach Schilling concluded. Kickoff is 7:30 p.m.

HORNETSContinued from page 8

Carney said (for Muenster to out-right claim the #1 spot). Going into this game, Era's only District loss is to Lindsay.

"Era runs the ball really well. They have a good offensive line - that's their strength, and three good backs capable of having a good game," Carney added. "We need to contain their runners while the offense executes without mistakes or turnovers."

Era started the season with four non conference losses Bells, Chico, Valley View, and Sacred Heart. They then picked up three District wins - Detroit 43-20, Celeste 36-7, and Collinsville 32-7, before losing to Lindsay 21-6, then picking up a 56-46 win over Cumby.

The Hornet Sting-off begins at 7:30 p.m.

OUTLOOK PROMISING FOR TEXAS DEER SEASON

Hunters should expect the 2015-16 Texas white-tailed deer season to be one of the best in years as timely rainfall and mild weather have certainly set the table, according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD).

The general season opens Saturday, Nov. 7 and runs through Jan. 3, 2016 in the 209 counties that comprise the North Zone and through Jan. 17, 2016 in the 30 counties of the South Zone.

For county specific regulations, check the 2015-16 Outdoor Annual—Texas Hunting and Fishing Regulations available at hunting license sales outlets, online at www.tpwd.state.tx.us, and as a free mobile app download on iOS and Android platforms at www.txoutdoorannual.com/app.

"We saw a diverse buffet of deer foods this spring where vegetation growth was measured in feet rather than inches this year," said Alan Cain, TPWD white-tailed deer program leader. "Meeting nutritional demands of antler growth, rearing fawns, and building up body reserves for the rigors of rut as well as the winter should be an easy venture for most big game animals this year."

Unlike in recent years, deer didn't have to search far to find a highly nutritious diet of native weeds and browse plants. As a selective forager, deer prefer native forages high in protein and energy that are easily digestible. The forbs, a biologist term for weeds, fit that bill, and there were plenty of them this year.

Although dry conditions returned in July and continued through late October, the recent deluge of rain across the state may set the stage

for an early winter weed crop and toward the mid to later periods of the hunting season deer may not be attracted to feeders so hunters might have to change up their hunting strategies.

Antler growth should be well above average, predicts Cain. Exceptions to this overall excellent outlook may be in areas of East Texas where unusually wet years can result in lower-than-normal fawn recruitment.

"I have no reservations suggesting antler quality will be above average this year, and with a good number of bucks in the 5-year-old age class I expect a number of hunters to harvest some exceptional bucks this year," Cain said. "The habitat conditions statewide are much better than we've seen in years, and the abundance of native forage will help bucks maximize antler growth this year."

So, what can hunters expect with regards to deer numbers and quality? For starters, the 2014 statewide deer population estimate was 3.95 million deer, the highest estimated population since 2005. Statewide population trends indicate a slow but steady growth in the deer population during the last 10 years.

"Although these numbers are from 2014, I would predict the deer population to be about the same if not break the 4 million deer mark for 2015, so hunters should experience a quarry-rich hunting environment this year," Cain predicted, citing above average fawn production this year.

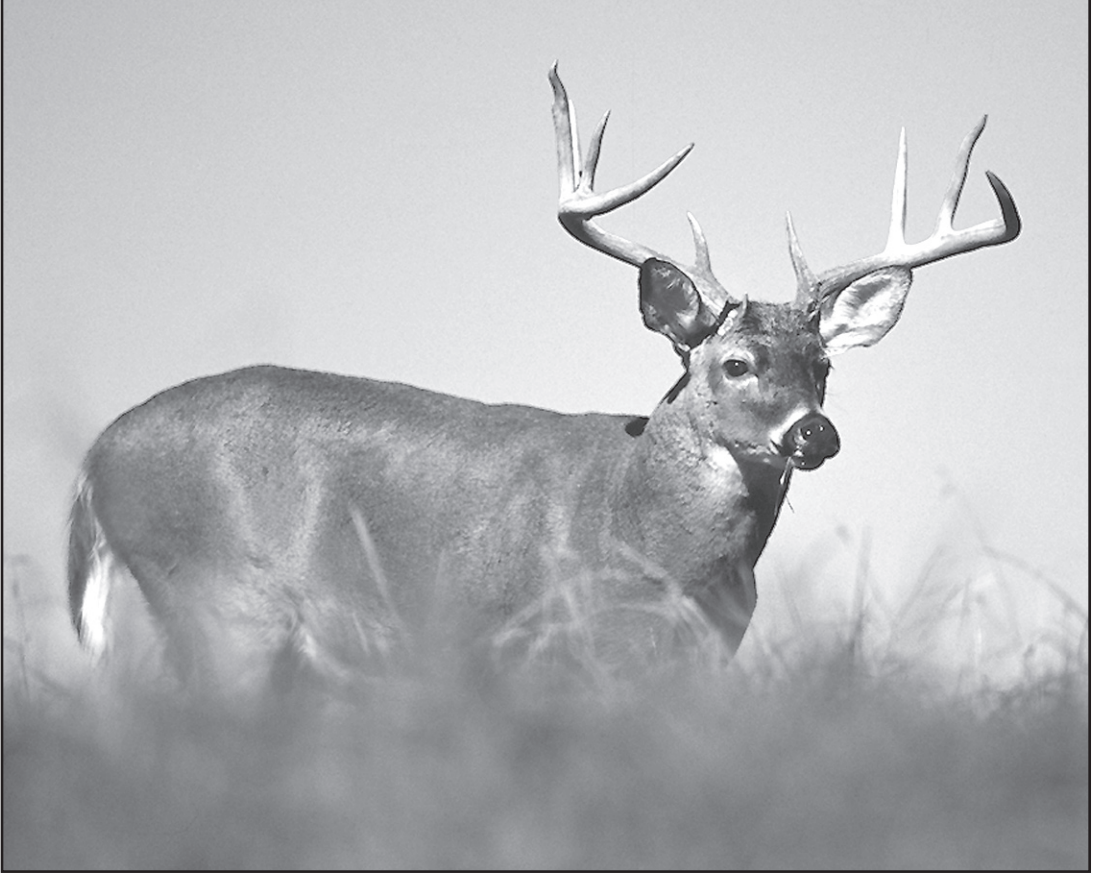
He also suggests hunters take advantage of opportunities to harvest antlerless deer this season, too, in order to offset high fawn production. "Folks need to keep deer

numbers at a level the habitat can sustain during lean years," said Cain.

Texas deer hunters wishing to assist with the statewide chronic wasting disease (CWD) monitoring effort this fall can do so by voluntarily taking their harvested deer (or the head of the harvested deer) to a location where TPWD wildlife biologists will be collecting tissue samples for testing.

A list of collection sites and times is available online at www.tpwd.texas.gov/cwd. In addition to those established collection locations, biologists will also be conducting localized sampling at various sites throughout the season to meet sampling objectives. For additional information regarding localized CWD sampling efforts during this deer season, please contact your local wildlife biologist.

Hunters are also urged to check out the "My Texas Hunt Harvest" app that provides a means to voluntarily report and track harvested game from a smartphone or tablet. Hunters can log harvest for all resident game species, including white-tailed deer. The information collected will help TPWD wildlife biologists assess annual harvest and manage healthy game populations across Texas. Hunters should note that electronic reporting using the app does not fulfill tagging requirements for any game required to be tagged, or requirements for the completion of the harvest log on the back of the hunting license as it applies to white-tailed deer. The app is available for FREE download at the App Store for IOS devices and Google Play for Android devices. You can also report your harvest at <https://apps.tpwd.state.tx.us/whs/>.



FARMERS INSURANCE GROUP
Symbol of Superior Service
Auto • Home • Life • Commercial

Gaylon Thompson
Insurance Agency
1-877-511-9611

Call for daily lunch specials, dine in or take out.

COPPERHEAD BARS NEVER a Cover Charge

Thurs. Open Mic w/ Rick Arend
Fri. - DJ Katie Dieter / Sat. - Three Drunk Monkeys
940.220.7390 * 402 JM Lindsay Blvd, Lindsay

HOMESTEAD METALS RECYCLING

Aluminum Cans • Tin & Iron • Radiators • Copper
Stainless Steel • Aluminum • Brass • Batteries • Wheels

235 FM 371 (Walnut Bend Rd.) Gainesville, TX
940-668-0391 • Fax 940-668-0392 • 866-302-0391
www.homesteadmetals.com

Just a thought

Finding fault is easy. It's improving that's hard.

Secrets are things we give to others to keep for us.

DMAX
SIX SCREEN ALL-DIGITAL CINEMA
4319 N. I-35
Gainesville, Texas 76240
940-665-9999
www.Dmaxcinema.net
Call or Check our website for times!!

Nov. 5-12
Now showing:

Peanuts Movie in 3D (G)
Spectre (PG13)
Burnt (R)
Scouts Guide to the Zombie Apocalypse (R)
Woodlawn (PG)
Goosebumps in 3D & 2D (PG)

Sprouse's Auto Repair and Service

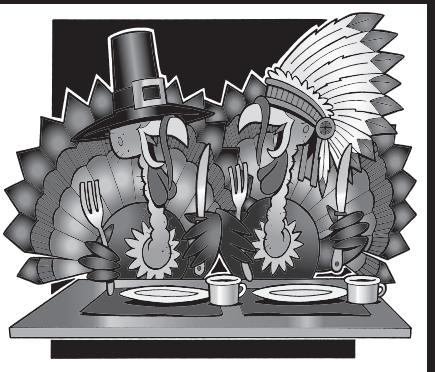
John Sprouse
940-668-0631

P.O. Box 53
Lindsay, TX 76250

2583 F.M. 1201
Gainesville, TX 76240

Not a subscriber to the Muenster Enterprise?
Call 940-759-4311 to get your subscription started.

Sacred Heart Parish Thanksgiving Picnic & Auction
Inside the Heritage Park building
Sunday, November 22



Fun for all !! Turkey & Dressing Feast
complete with sausage, sides, dessert, & drink
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
\$10 adults - \$5 Children - under 4 Free

Kid activities all day - inside

Silent Auction ends at 3 p.m. lots of auction items

Live Auction at 4 p.m.

Gift Shop * Sweet Shoppe * CakeWalk

Evening Meal served during live auction

Don't forget to buy raffle tickets!!

HAVE A BALL ANYWHERE

With WatchTVEverywhere Free to Nortex TV Customers

Watch programming on any Internet connected device: PC, laptop, tablet or smartphone! Get on-the-go access to your favorite sports channels — ESPN, Fox Sports, Golf, NBC Sports, NFL and more!

Get in the game with WatchTVEverywhere at Nortex.com

Nortex Communications 940-759-2251 • www.nortex.com

*Restrictions may apply. Call for complete details.

Muenster ENTERPRISE CLASSIFIEDS

CLASSIFIED RATES
 First 20 words \$7.00
 25¢ per word after that

HELP WANTED

Help Wanted
KLEMENT

OF MUESTER
 Accepting applications for a
Full Time Lube Tech
 Apply in person.
 See Chris Stoffels. EOE
 1005 E. Division, Muenster

Family owned community media company seeking
Outgoing Advertising Reps.
 Niche products include a weekly newspaper, full color magazine and website. Full time, fast paced and fun work environment.
 Send resume and inquiries to Austin Lewter, publisher at news@whitesboronews.com or call 903.436.8807.

Grace Care Center of Nocona
 is accepting applications for cook & certified nurse aide
 Come by
 306 Carolyn Road, Nocona.
 Please no phone calls!
 4.24-X

Help Wanted
 Part time Kitchen and Part time Waitress
Doc's Bar & Grill
 Come by Main St. Muenster
 10.30-5

JEFFPOLLEY.com
 Professional Building & Remodeling, Handyman Service Available
 (972)658-3125
 Locally Owned/Operated
WHERE THE DETAILS MAKE THE DIFFERENCE AND QUALITY IS NON-NEGOTIABLE

North Texas Marine is looking to hire someone with mechanical ability, full time, boating experience preferred, but not necessary, will train. Please call Brian at 940-665-9331
 11.6-1

WANTED
 Memberships needed to Keep Muenster Beautiful alive!!

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Clay Loren Richerson, Deceased, were issued on October 29, 2015, in Cause No. PR17271, pending in the County Court at Law of Cooke County, Texas, to: Kenet Louise Richerson.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

c/o: **Chuck Bartush Jr. Attorney at Law**
 408 North Main Street P.O. Box 68 Muenster, Texas 76252
 DATED the 29th day of October, 2015.

/s/ Chuck Bartush Jr. Chuck Bartush Jr.
 Attorney for Kenet Louise Richerson
 State Bar No.: 01865000
 408 North Main Street P.O. Box 68 Muenster, Texas 76252
 Telephone: (940) 759-2913 Facsimile: (940) 759-2980
 E-mail: bartlawc@netscape.net
 11.6-1

Can't get the job done?

Ask for assistance with a classified ad in the Muenster Enterprise Call 759-4311

REAL ESTATE

House for Sale
 by owner
203 Pine Street, Muenster
 3 bedroom, 3 bath, 1 car garage,
 big corner lot,
 Completely remodeled inside
 For viewing call 940-284-7744

FOR SALE

Hay for sale
 J.D. 5x6 round bales. Fertilized coastal and quality cow hay. Call 940-736-3556
 9.18-8pd

PAUL J. HESS - NO. 1 Kansas Alfalfa hay for sale. Any amount. 665-7601 or 665-9228.
 TFN

FOR SALE HOUSE ONLY - MUST BE MOVED

215 E. 5th Street, Muenster, Texas
 Sealed bids due by 4 p.m. on Monday, November 23, 2015
 Sacred Heart Catholic Church
 212 E. 6th Street, Muenster, Texas 76252
 For more information - contact Ernie Martin (940) 759-2500
 Owner reserves the right to reject all bids

FOR RENT

Mini Storage

Schilling Alon
 759-2522 or 759-2836

Storage Units For Rent
 308 North Mesquite
 Vickie or Douglas
 Fleitman
 736-1041 or 736-5434

Need your printing done?

We can do it!!

- Business Cards • Letterhead
- Forms • Checks
- Brochures • Programs
- Flyers • Folding
- Invitations

Commercial Printing is our Specialty

MUESTER ENTERPRISE
 759-4311

AUCTION

AUCTION
Sat. Nov. 7 10am
Marietta, Oklahoma
 2 miles south on Hwy. 77
Love County surplus items
 Trucks, tractors, side cutters, tables, chairs, AC units, heaters
Short sale - Be on time!
LB AUCTION CO. 580-276-5961
 TX 6282
www.lbauctionok.com

SERVICES

David's Tree Service
 Trimming, Removal, Stump grinding, Chipper. Insured for your protection. Bucket truck. Free estimates. References. 940-284-9663
 7.3-TFN

FEDERALLY INSPECTED
Meat processing plant. Bring in your animal Tues. or Thurs. Fischer's Meat Market, 759-4211
 TFN

HESSE-SCHNIEDERJAN HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING

 - We service all makes and models
 - 100% customer satisfaction
 It's Hard To Stop A Trane
759-2787 TACLA-010802C www.hstrane.com

Painting
 Inside & Outside
 Light Carpentry Work
 Dependable. Danny Silmon
 759-2759 or
 634-2771
 10.1.15

OTTO DOZER SERVICE
Mike Otto
665-2258
Mobile 736-5333

Bob's Auto Service
 • Automatic Transmission Service
 • General Auto Repair
 • Starter Repair

We do oil changes
323 N. Main, Muenster 759-4474

For Septic Systems
ROEBIC K-37 Septic Tank Liquefier
 A single treatment of this product prevents clogging of a septic tank and is guaranteed effective for one whole year.
Community Lumber Co.
 200 E. Division - Muenster-759-2248

Make a Difference
RECYCLE

Muenster State Bank
 Competitive Rate & Low Closing Cost
 Construction Loans, Home Loans & Home Equity Loans
 WE ALSO MAKE Long-term Fixed-Rate Mortgages
940-759-2257

Nortex Communications

 Phone Internet Cable TV Security IT Support
 205 N. Walnut Street • Muenster • ph. 759-2251

Business Review

ROYAL PURPLE SYNTHETIC OIL

Lube PLUS
 PROVIDING SOLUTIONS

"The Performance Oil That Out Performs"

Authorized stocking distributor for North Texas & Southern Oklahoma
 866-592-8665
 15551 W. Hwy. 82 Muenster, Texas

Complete Family Care

We also provide care for Minor Emergencies, Lacerations, Lesion Removal, Weight Management, Bio-Identical Hormone Replacement

Amy Dangelmayr-FNP-C Polly Klement, FNP-C
MUESTER FAMILY MEDICAL CLINIC
 Mon-Fri 8:00 - 5:00
 1 Block South of Sonic
940.759.2502

MUESTER RENAL HOSPITAL

Margaret Sterle, DVM

Larry Tisdale, DVM

940-759-5900

862 N. FM 373 Muenster, TX

SD

DERMATOLOGY & SKIN CANCER SURGERY CENTER

Matthew D. Barrows, MD
 Tami Dobbs, FNP-C

214 E. California St. Gainesville, TX
 Mon-Thurs. 8am-4pm
940-665-1551
 www.mdbarrows.com

Enderby GAS, Inc

Hwy. 82
 Gainesville
 940-665-3457
 N. 377
 Whitesboro
 903-564-3649
 E. Hwy. 82
 Sherman
 903-892-8933

Advertise here and be seen every week!!

\$20 a week with 13 week commitment

Includes rotating feature ad

Gunsulation
 Spray Foam Insulation

(940) 736-7887
 gunsulation@gmail.com
 Brandon Walterscheid
 634 E Eddy St
 Muenster, Tx. 76252

CATFISH LOU'S 2 Great Restaurants Under 1 Roof

 SERVING THE BEST BBQ & CATFISH IN TEXAS!
 All U Can Eat Catfish, Seniors' Nites Tue-Thurs
 1825 E. Hwy 82
 Gainesville, Texas
 Ph: (940)665-6789
THE RANCH HOUSE
 Texas' Best Bar-B-Q
 Everyday Seniors' Discounts

ROYAL PURPLE SYNTHETIC OIL
Lube PLUS
 PROVIDING SOLUTIONS
 Authorized stocking distributor for North Texas & Southern Oklahoma
 866-592-8665
 "The Performance Oil That Outperforms" 15551 West Hwy. 82 Muenster, Texas

YOUR BUSINESS COULD BE HERE EVERY WEEK!
\$20 a week
 with 13 week commitment
 Includes Rotating Feature ad

FARM & RANCH

Extension studies new grass control technology in grain sorghum

Acetolactate synthase inhibiting herbicides have been used to control grass weeds in crop production such as corn, cotton, soybeans and wheat, but only recently has this technology been available in grain sorghum, a Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service specialist said.

Better known as ALS-tolerant herbicides, Dr. Jourdan Bell, AgriLife Extension agronomist in Amarillo, is part of a larger study encompassing other areas of Texas as well as neighboring states to test the effectiveness of the DuPont herbicide Zest and Pioneer ALS-resistant grain sorghum.

"It's very important that we are involved in these trials because we are working to provide unbiased results directly to our local producers regarding successful weed control with this technology," Bell said.

"As our farmers look at their bottom line and analyze their inputs, it's very important that they understand the ideal crop stage and proper rates at which to apply the herbicides in order to achieve optimal herbicide performance."

Historically, controlling

grassy weeds in grain sorghum has not been possible because it is a grass-based crop; herbicides used to treat grassy weeds would also kill the sorghum, Bell said.

"The ALS-tolerant gene was actually located by Kansas State in shattercane and released to private breeding companies. Through natural breeding, it has been incorporated into several grain sorghum varieties that are currently in research and development with Pioneer and Advanta Seeds," she said.

In her study located northwest of Canyon, she is evaluating the ALS herbicide Zest, which is a new formulation of nicosulfuron herbicide labeled by DuPont, with the assistance of Dr. J.D. Ragland, AgriLife Extension agriculture and natural resources agent in Randall County.

"We're looking at different rates of that herbicide, tank mixes and growth stages to control Johnsongrass in grain sorghum," Bell said. "Of course, grassy weeds, just like any weed, can be a significant problem for crop production because they're competing for water, nutrients, and even light."

Zest will be labeled to

control grassy weeds, including shattercane, volunteer wheat, volunteer grain sorghum, barnyard grass, foxtail and even Johnsongrass, she said.

"It is critical that we look at the timing of the herbicide application not only for the crop, but also the size of the weed," Bell said. "We are looking at a grassy weed that is generally 2 to 4 inches tall. We are not going in as a rescue treatment trying to control 3 to 4 feet tall grassy weed species."

In the trial, they made two seasonal applications of the Zest herbicide: a 12-ounce-per-acre treatment and then a second treatment one month later to control a second flush Johnsongrass in the plots.

"We have seen that it is critical to include a pre-emergent herbicide and follow up with a post broadleaf herbicide in the Zest tank mix because the Zest herbicide is only controlling the grassy weed species," Bell said.

This trial is also being repeated in other locations throughout the state of Texas by other AgriLife Extension partners, as well as Oklahoma and Kansas Extension personnel, she said. Through Extension trials, producers have the opportunity to evaluate the technology and understand the potential uses.

"This is very important so we can see how these herbicides perform under different growing conditions including soils, climate, and management practices," Bell said.

She said the results of these Extension-based studies will be used by DuPont Crop Production in their final stages of research and development of the Zest herbicide. It is anticipated that the Zest herbicide will be released along with the ALS-tolerant grain sorghums in 2016.

ARC/PLC payments going out soon

The U.S. Department of Agriculture Farm Service Agency (USDA FSA) has begun processing payments for farmers who signed up for Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) or Price Loss Coverage (PLC) under the new farm bill.

Nearly one-half of the 1.7 million farmers who signed up for one of the safety net programs will receive safety net payments for their 2014 crop year.

Unlike the old direct payments program, the 2014 Farm Bill authorized a new safety net that protects producers only when market forces or adverse weather cause unexpected drops in crop prices or revenues, according to U.S. Secretary of

Agriculture Tom Vilsack.

"For example, the corn price for 2014 is 30% below the historical benchmark price used by the ARC-County program, and revenues of the farms participating in the ARC-County program are down by about \$20 billion from the benchmark during the same period," Vilsack said. "The nearly \$4 billion provided today by the ARC and PLC safety-net programs will give assistance to producers where revenues dropped below normal."

The ARC/PLC programs primarily allow producers to continue to produce for the market by making payments on a percentage of historical base production, limiting the impact on production deci-

sions.

Nationwide, 96% of soybean farms, 91% of corn farms, and 66% of wheat farms elected the ARC-County coverage option.

Ninety-nine percent of long grain rice and peanut farms, and 94% of medium grain rice farms elected the PLC option.

Overall, 76% of participating farm acres are protected by ARC-County, 23% by PLC, and 1% by ARC-Individual.

For data about other crops, as well as state-by-state program election results, final PLC price and payment data, and other program information including frequently asked questions, visit www.fsa.usda.gov/arc-plc.

Crops receiving assistance include barley, corn, grain sorghum, lentils, oats, peanuts, dry peas, soybeans, and wheat.

In the upcoming months, disbursements will be made for other crops after marketing year average prices are published by USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service.

ARC-individual payments will begin in November.

The Budget Control Act of 2011, passed by Congress, (also called sequestration) requires USDA to reduce payments by 6.8%. For more information, producers are encouraged to visit their local Farm Service Agency office.

To find a local Farm Service Agency office, visit <http://offices.usda.gov>.

County Farm Bureau president responds to beef cancer claims

A report from the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) that claims red and processed meats cause cancer is a bunch of bull, according to Cooke County Farm Bureau President Robert Klement.

"Science does not support the IARC's claim," Klement said. "Scientists on IARC's panel who studied the issue for seven days could not come to an agreement on whether or not there's solid evidence that red meat causes cancer. And yet, they issued a report saying it's probable."

IARC, which is an arm of the World Health Organization, classified processed meats like ham and bacon as carcinogenic to humans.

Red meat was classified as probably carcinogenic to humans.

"Scientists have been studying cancer and its causes for years," Klement said. "Genetics, environment, and lifestyle choices all play a role in whether or not this complex disease develops in a person or not. Science simply does not support IARC's claim that meat causes colorectal cancer."

Land use data readily available

The Texas A&M Institute of Renewable Natural Resources has recently added a new interactive Web tool to its Texas Land Trends website, <http://txlandtrends.org>, allowing users to access land-use information released in 2014, according to an Institute official.

"This new Web tool allows users to interact with the data to view land trends across Texas for user-defined areas," said Amy Snelgrove, Institute program coordinator.

Snelgrove said users can view 15-year trends in private working lands for such metrics as land use, market value, ownership size and population by county, river basin, ecoregion, or region of interest.

They can also choose different regional areas to make side-by-side comparisons of different metrics used.

Dr. Roel Lopez said the interactive data in Texas Land Trends provides public and private decision makers with information needed to plan for the conservation of these vital working lands.

"Texas Land Trends is a critically important data source for policymakers, conservation organizations, state agencies, and federal agencies in terms of looking at what is happening to our land base in Texas," he said.

Data sources used to build this interactive tool included Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts property tax/value data, which provided an annual compilation of land use and land value data from 1,021 independent school districts.

Other data sources included the U.S. Department of Agriculture's National Agricultural Statistics Service Census of Agriculture data from 1997 to 2012 and Texas Department of State Health Services census population data. Texas Land Trends was developed in cooperation with Texas A&M AgriLife Research, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, and Texas Agricultural Land Trust.

The top 10 phrases farmers hate to hear

10. Market report: 'dropped the limit.'
9. Veterinarian: 'You did turn the bull in, right?'
8. Herbicide rep: 'The label clearly states...'
7. Mechanic: 'We're going to have to go through it.'
6. At lunch time: 'Somebody just pulled in.'
5. Preacher: 'Long time, no see.'
4. County agent: 'I'm going to have to call the state specialist.'
3. Wife during harvest: 'You promised.'
2. Pickup trade-in time: 'way-below average condition.'
1. Lender: 'hmmm.'

Nortex TV Customers: Time To Plug In Your DTA

Channel encryption will occur soon, and you will have no programming without a digital television adaptor (DTA) or set-top box attached to your TV.

Pick-Up DTA

DTAs are user-friendly and are included in a box with all necessary items and a manual for an easy self installation. Visit Nortex during operating hours to pick-up your DTA:

Nortex Communications
205 N. Walnut St. in Muenster
Monday - Friday 8:30AM - 5:00PM

Nortex Technologies
406 E. California St. in Gainesville
Monday - Friday 9:00AM - 6:00PM

Get DTA Help

940-759-2251 • www.nortex.com • customerservice@nortex.com

Now Includes:
Interactive
Programming Guide



Annual Hood Community Club Turkey Supper
November 7
serving 5 - 8 p.m.
\$10 adult plate All the trimmings,
\$4 age 10 & under drink, & dessert
Quilt raffle - \$1 donation per ticket or \$5 for 6

Fencing technology improving

Farmers and ranchers no longer have to replace fencing every few years thanks to im-

provements in fence technology and fencing quality.

"Fencing has come a long way from back in the 1860s and '70s when it was developed," Gary Craig, marketing manager for the San Antonio Steel Company, said.

Select fence wires can now break over 1,600 pounds and not stretch. There are also fencing materials that last up to 50 years instead of the typical one- to two-year stint.

In Texas at least, the sale of fencing materials appears to be on the rise, thanks to an influence of new Texans.

"All these newcomers to the state, whether they have five acres, 10 to 25, 30 to 50, or whatever, the first thing they want to do is get a good fence," Craig said.

After all, good fences make great neighbors.



WE DO AG BANKING... WEATHER OR NOT

"Agriculture is more than a business. It's a way of life. It's a business that varies like the weather. That's why I needed a financial partner I can grow with. Weather or not."



201 N. Main, Muenster • 759-2257
1601 W. Hwy. 82, Gainesville • 665-7900

MEMBER FDIC





Having fun spraying water with members of the Muenster Volunteer Fire Department are Muenster Elementary students, from left - Principal Lou Heers, Sage Rosson, and Fireman Ronnie Felderhoff; Felderhoff with Harley Oliver; and Noah Eberhart with Fire Chief Mitch Creed.

Janie Hartman photo



MMH photos

The staff of Muenster Memorial Hospital celebrated Halloween Eve on Friday with a Costume Contest. Participants included, from left, front - Harriet Scoggins, Karime Graves, Rose Ganzon, Jenni Studebaker, Duana Johns, Tiffany Reed, Gayla Blanton, Stephanie McGrew, Adelia Walterscheid, Rosemarie Tai, Aileen Acayan, Richard Acayan; middle - Steve Fowler, John McGowan, Christy Bezner, Suzen Ward, Carol Winchester, Ashley Clark, Timi Walk, Debbie Neu, Linda Walterscheid, Lillian Barker, Sara Thacker, Anna McCourry, Charla Taylor, Katie Collins, Stella Hess.

Our central nervous system contains from 10 to 100 million cells, each one of which has a storage capacity equal to that of a large computer.

— Dr. Alexander RichMIT Blophysicist

**Veterans Day
Steak Supper**
Sunday, Nov. 15
5:30 p.m.
Muenster VFW
Everyone is invited

Weather Whys thunderstorms

Q: What's the worst outbreak of thunderstorms on record?

A: In the U.S., the storms of April 25-28, 2011, are in a class by themselves, McRoberts says. The conditions were perfect for supercell development, with an intense low-pressure area, humid air from the Gulf of Mexico, and the jet stream was blowing hard across the Central U.S. "The results were devastating,"

he reports. "The storms produced a record 358 tornadoes in the 4-day period, and winds in at least four of those tornadoes were over 200 miles per hour, meaning they were classified as an EF-5, the most severe. In all, 348 people were killed in six states and the damage totaled over \$11 billion. Less than a month later, the Joplin tornado in Missouri killed 158 people, injured more than 1,000, and

caused nearly \$3 billion in damage. It was rated an EF-5 tornado with winds topping out at 250 mph, and was part of a late-May outbreak that killed 178 people. The Super Outbreak of April 1974 is considered the most violent outbreak, as it produced 30 F4 and F5 tornadoes over a two-day period in the Midwest and Southeast."

Service of the Department of Atmospheric Sciences, TAMU

Gainesville OB/Gyn

Dr Zaira Jorai-Khan

Now accepting new OB & Gyn patients. Call for appointment today: 940-665-6679



Born & raised in the English speaking Caribbean island of Trinidad, Dr Jorai-Khan did her OB/Gyn residency in New York. Her training included high risk obstetrics, menstrual disorders, PCOS, pelvic pain, endometriosis, incontinence, menopause, infertility, gynecologic oncology and minimally invasive surgery. Her passion for her specialty stems from the unique opportunity of caring for women from adolescence to the childbearing years through menopause and beyond. Also offering Mona Lisa treatment for menopausal dryness.

1902 Hospital Blvd, Ste B, Gainesville. 940-665-6679 www.gainesvilleobgyn.net

Member FDIC

Auto loans should NEVER BE AUTOMATED.

At First State Bank, we are here to meet your needs and zoom past your expectations with personalized service that only comes from 110 years of friendly lending experience.

With rates as low as **2.5%*** APR

519 E. Division St. Muenster, TX 76252
(940) 759-2218 • www.F-S-B.com

*APR (Annual Percentage Rate) subject to credit qualifications. Other rates and terms may apply. The interest rate may vary depending on vehicular year and model as well as loan term. Rate subject to change without notice.

First in Texas. First in Lending.

Muenster | Gainesville | Lake Kiowa | Saint Jo | Valley View | Denton | Decatur | Roanoke

For the hand you need, we're here.

H A N D T H E R A P Y

MMH is the only therapy facility in Cooke and Montague counties to offer certified hand therapy. A Certified Hand Therapist is an occupational or physical therapist with advanced training in and knowledge of the hand, wrist, elbow and shoulder. When you are faced with pain and decreased mobility of the upper extremities, look to Muenster Memorial Hospital for a therapist with the specialized training you need.

Medical Conditions Commonly Treated

- Joint Contractures
- Nerve Compressions
- Nerve Injuries
- Rotator Cuff Injuries
- Impingement Syndrome
- Tendonitis
- Tendon Injuries
- Fractures & Dislocations
- Amputations
- Arthritis
- Burns
- Disease Processes
- Sprains & Strains
- Infections & Wounds
- Scars

MMH

Muenster Memorial Hospital

605 N. Maple Street
Muenster, Texas 76252
(940) 759-6100



Fischer's Meat Market

Since 1927
We Wouldn't be 88
Without You!



304 North Main, Muenster, TX · 1 (800) 259-7248 or 759-4211

www.fischersmeatmarket.com

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR PICTORIAL OR TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS

**DOUBLE
COUPONS
EVERY DAY**



ALL ITEMS NOT
AVAILABLE AT ALL
AFFILIATED STORES

THROFTWAY

**PRICES EFFECTIVE
Nov. 9 - 15, 2015**

Weekly Grocery Specials

Fischer's Quality Meats

Pre-Thanksgiving Sale

PRE-PRICED \$3.29
SELECT VARIETIES
SHREDDED Kraft Cheese
8 OZ. PKG. **\$4**

APPLE, PEACH, BLUEBERRY, CHERRY, OR LITE CHERRY
Shurfine Pie Filling
20-21 OZ. CAN **\$1.38**

ALL PURPOSE BLEACHED
Gold Medal Flour
5 LB. BAG **\$1.74**

SHURFINE Pecan Halves
16 OZ. PKG. **\$5.99**

HONEYSUCKLE WHITE - GRADE A EXTRA TENDER & JUICY
Young Turkey **69¢**
LB.
FIRST ONE 69¢ LB., THEREAFTER 89¢ LB.

TIP TOP, GRADE "A" Baking Hens **\$1.39**
LB.

- SHURFINE **Brown Gravy Mix** .875 OZ. **4 FOR \$1**
- WHITE OR LAVENDER BATH TISSUE (\$4.54 WITHOUT COUPON) **\$3.99**
- Fiora** 12 ROLL WITH COUPON BELOW
- SELECT VARIETIES LAUNDRY DETERGENT **\$9.88**
- Tide Liquid** 92-100 OZ.
- REG. \$4.29 SIZE TORTILLA CHIPS **2 FOR \$5**
- Doritos** 10-11.5 OZ.
- FRITO-LAY® **Canned Dips** .9 OZ. **2 FOR \$5**
- SHURFINE **Vegetable Oil** .48 OZ. **\$1.98**
- PILLSBURY ASSORTED FLAVORS **Cake Mixes** 15.25 OZ. **99¢**
- PILLSBURY ASSORTED FLAVORS **Frosting** 15.6-16 OZ. **\$1.49**
- GRANULATED PURE CANE **Imperial Sugar** 4 LB. **\$2.19**
- LIGHT BROWN OR POWDERED **Imperial Sugar** 2 LB. **\$1.99**
- LIBBY'S SELECT VARIETIES **Canned Vegetables** 11-15.2 OZ. **68¢**
- SHURFINE EASY SIDES INSTANT **Mashed Potatoes** 13.75 OZ. **\$1.33**
- SHURFINE FANCY SELECT **Cut Yams** 15 OZ. **88¢**
- SHURFINE CHICKEN OR MUSHROOM **Cream Soups** 10.5-10.75 OZ. **69¢**
- BETTY CROCKER **Fudge Brownie Mix** 18.3 OZ. **\$1.25**
- SHURFINE GRAHAM CRACKER OR COOKIE CRUMB **Pie Crust** 6 OZ. **88¢**
- FLEISCHMANN'S RAPID RISE OR DRY ACTIVE **Yeast** .75 OZ. **4 FOR \$5**
- SHURFINE ASSORTED FLAVORS **Baking Chips** 10-12 OZ. **2 FOR \$4**
- PET BRAND REGULAR OR 99% FAT FREE **Evaporated Milk** 12 OZ. **99¢**
- REG. OR LOW FAT SWEETENED CONDENSED **Eagle Brand Milk** 14 OZ. **\$1.99**

- 12 OZ. GRINDS OR WHOLE BEAN **Starbucks Coffee** EA. **\$6.99**
- DEL MONTE SELECT VARIETIES **Canned Fruit** 15-15.2 OZ. **\$1.33**
- EASY PUMPKIN PIE MIX OR 100% PURE **Libby's Pumpkin** 29-30 OZ. **\$2.99**
- LIBBY'S 100% PURE **Pumpkin** 15 OZ. **\$1.99**
- SHURFINE 10 INCH DECORATED **Paper Plates** 24 CT. **2 FOR \$5**
- GLAD SELECT VARIETIES DRAWSTRING **Trash Bags** 14-22 CT. **\$4.99**
- Cholula Hot Sauce** 5 OZ. **\$2.89**
- GOOD COOK **Flavor Injector** EACH **\$3.99**
- GOOD COOK 10 INCH **Nylon Baster** EACH **\$1.99**
- GOOD COOK **Meat Thermometer** EACH **\$5.99**
- SELECT VARIETIES **Handi-Foil Pans** 3-5 CT. **79¢**
- MCCORMICK PURE **Vanilla Extract** 1 OZ. **\$1.67**
- SHURFINE YELLOW **Corn Meal** 5 LB. **\$1.99**
- SHURFINE VANILLA OR CHOCOLATE **Pudding Mix** 5.1-5.8 OZ. **99¢**
- SELECT VARIETIES STACKERS OR SPEARS **Vlasic Dill Pickles** 16-24 OZ. **\$2.09**
- PITTED OR CHOPPED **Dole Dates** 8 OZ. **\$2.39**
- REG. OR UNSALTED, BEEF OR CHICKEN **Kitchen Basics Stock** 32 OZ. **\$2.29**
- QUART OR GALLON, STORAGE OR FREEZER **Ziploc Slider Bags** 10-20 CT. **\$1.99**
- GLAD **Cling Wrap** 200 CT. **2 FOR \$5**
- ASSORTED FLAVORS **Dr. Pepper** 18 PACK CANS. **\$5.00**

PREFERRED TRIM T-Bone Steak **\$6.99**
LB.

PREFERRED TRIM Porterhouse Steak **\$7.69**
LB.

- FAMILY PACK, PREVIOUSLY FROZEN FRYER **Drumsticks or Thighs** LB. **59¢**
- TWIN PACK **Cornish Hens** 40 OZ. **\$7.99**
- BONELESS PORK **Tenderloin** LB. **\$2.99**
- PRAIRIE FRESH, ASSTD. COOK-IN-BAG, BNLS. **Pork Loin Roast** LB. **\$2.99**
- PRAIRIE FRESH ASSORTED MARINATED **Pork Tenderloins** LB. **\$3.99**
- PREFERRED TRIM BNLS. BEEF **Arm Roast** LB. **\$2.99**
- BONELESS BEEF **Stew Meat** LB. **\$3.99**
- SUPER BUY! MEAT OR CHICKEN **Bar S Jumbo Franks** 1 LB. **99¢**
- MAMA ROSA'S ALL VARIETIES **Mini MaMa's Pizzas** 4 CT. **\$2.99**
- FULLY COOKED **Hot & Spicy Wings** LB. **\$2.99**
- CACIQUE **Beef Chorizo** **\$1.19**
- SHURFINE 26/30 CT **Raw Shrimp** LB. **\$6.99**
- SEA BEST **Salmon Fillets** LB. **\$8.99**
- GORDA'S 8 IN. **Flour Tortillas** LB. **\$1.59**
- HILLSHIRE FARMS **Lit'l Smokies** 2 FOR **\$5**
- REESER'S **Salads** 2.75-3 LB. **\$3.99**
- MARKET SLICED FISCHER'S ALL MEAT **Bologna** LB. **\$3.69**
- MARKET SLICED **Baby Swiss Cheese** LB. **\$4.89**
- PEYTON **Bologna** 5 FOR **\$5**
- OSCAR MAYER **Braunschweiger** 8 OZ. **2 FOR \$5**
- SHURFINE **Bacon** 2 FOR **\$7**

Bud & Bud Light **\$2.11**
24-PACK CANS OR BOTTLES

Fresh Produce

FANCY Navel Oranges OR PREMIUM RED DELICIOUS Apples **79¢**
LB.

RED GLOBE (SEEDS); RED, GREEN **Seedless Grapes** LB. **\$1.49**

SWEETIE SWEET BAGGED **Yellow Onions** 3 LB. **\$1.99**

AMERICAN, HEARTS OF ROMAINE, ITALIAN, OR VEGGIE LOVERS **Fresh Express** 9-11 OZ. **2 FOR \$6**

DEL MONTE BONBON SWEET **Grape Tomatoes** 10 OZ. **2 FOR \$6**

Dairy & Frozen Foods

SHURFINE ASSORTED FLAVORS **Whipped Topping** 8 OZ. TUB **89¢**

PLAINS **Egg Nog** QUART **\$2.19**

SUPER BUY! - SHURFINE 80% VEGETABLE OIL **Margarine Quarters** 16 OZ. PKG. **58¢**

SHURFINE SLICED **Strawberries** 16 OZ. **\$2.88**

MRS. SMITH'S FLAKY CRUST ASSORTED **Fruit Pies** 35-37 OZ. **\$4.99**

RHODES ASSORTED CINNAMON ROLLS OR **Dinner Rolls** 6-36 CT. **\$3.99**

ASSORTED VARIETIES **Shurfine Waffles** 10 CT. **2 FOR \$3**

ASSORTED PIZZERIA STYLE **Tony's Pizza** 18.5-20.6 OZ. **2 FOR \$5**

SHURFINE **Sour Cream** 16 OZ. **\$1.59**

DANNON ASSORTED FLAVORS **Activia Yogurt** 4 PACK **\$2.29**

SPREADABLE OR REG. OR UNSALTED QUARTERS **Challenge Butter** 15-16 OZ. **\$3.29**

Value Coupons

55¢ OFF the purchase of any Fiora Bath Tissue, 12 roll or Fiora Paper Towel, 6 roll

FREE Daisy Sour Cream, 8 oz. with the purchase of any one (1) Daisy Cottage Cheese, 16 oz.

Health & Beauty Care

WESTERN FAMILY DAYRELIEF OR ASSORTED **NightRelief** 8 OZ. **\$2.99**

WESTERN FAMILY THROAT DROPS OR ASSORTED VARIETIES **Cough Drops** 25-40 CT. **99¢**

WESTERN FAMILY CHERRY OR MENTHOL SPRAY **Throat Relief** 6 OZ. **2 FOR \$4**

ANTIPERSPIRANT SPRAY EXTRA DRY OR XX **Arrid** 6 OZ. **\$3.69**

WESTERN FAMILY EXTRA STRENGTH ACETAMINOPHEN CAPLETS OR EASY TABS, IBUPROFEN TABLETS, CAPLETS, OR ORANGE CAPLETS **Pain Relief** 50 CT. BTL. **2 FOR \$4**