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All this and much more as The Enterprise reports in this week's springtime edition!

Reception set for new superintendent

A come-and-go reception for Clarendon ISD's new superintendent, Mike Norrell, will be held Monday, March 23, from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. at the CISD Video Conference Room in the Administration/Technology Building. The public is invited to meet Mr. Norrell and welcome him to the community.

Chamber social to be held March 26

The Clarendon Chamber of Commerce will hold its next Business After Hours social at the Saints' Roost Museum on Thursday, March 26, and members, merchants, and prospective members are invited. The event will be held from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m., and refreshments will be served.

Bring a friend and network with others in our community.

Lions Club 5K to be held on April 11

The Clarendon Lions Club announced that registration is now open for the third annual Chance Mark Jones Roar 'N Run 5K to be held Saturday, April 11, at Clarendon College.

Early Bird Registration is \$20, and after April 1, 2015, registration is \$25. Registration Forms may be picked up and/or dropped off in person at the Clarendon Visitor Center at 110 S. Kearney (at the Mulkey Theatre). Online registration is also available at <http://bit.ly/1C4J1m2>.

The Chance Mark Jones Roar 'N Run is presented by the Clarendon Lions Club and is being held in conjunction with National Child Abuse Prevention Month. Proceeds will support the charitable activities of the Clarendon Lions Club.

DPS enforcement of DWI increases

The Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) will increase DWI patrols from March 7 – March 22, which coincides with one of the busiest Spring Break periods in Texas.

During this effort, DPS troopers will focus on DWI patrols in high-risk locations at times when alcohol-related crashes are most frequent and in areas with high concentrations of Spring Break activity.

"Drivers who disregard the law and choose to drive drunk not only put themselves and their passengers in harm's way – they endanger everyone else on the road," said DPS Director Steven McCraw.

"Taking impaired drivers off Texas roadways during Spring Break is a top priority for DPS. We urge the public to always drive sober and to obtain alternate transportation or designate a sober driver if they plan to drink alcohol."

The enhanced patrols that target intoxicated drivers are funded by a Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) grant.



City Administrator David Dockery (left) with Public Works Director John Molder during a tour of the city Monday.

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Dockery takes reins at City Hall

David Dockery started his new duties as Clarendon's city administrator this week and has been busy familiarizing himself with the community.

The administrator and his wife moved into their new home here last week, and Dockery then began his work on Monday, spending the day meeting with the mayor, city secretary, and public works director.

"I'm impressed with the progress the city has made on projects and the dedication of the council and staff as they continue that," Dockery

said.

While he's still learning about the city, Dockery says he hopes to have a public forum at some point in order to let residents ask questions about the city and get feedback as to what citizens want from the city.

One project that the city has been exploring is a grant application for several water-related improvements, including the possible installation of new electronic water meters. Dockery said he thinks that should become a priority for the city.

"We're spending too many man

hours reading meters, and there's a more effective and efficient way to do that," he said. "Electronic meters would give us perhaps 20 percent more accuracy and 25 percent more productivity."

The net result for the city, he said, would be reduced fuel and vehicle expenses, more productivity, and ultimate more services for the citizens.

Dockery said other issues are being looked at and he looks forward to learning the direction the council and the community want to go.



Texas Admiral Kevin Johnson show the certificate signed by former Gov. Rick Perry that gives him a rare title as an officer in the Texas Navy.

ENTERPRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLACK

Johnson carries Texas Admiral title

You don't have to salute Clarendon's Kevin Johnson the next time you see him, but he carries a new title that few people ever get, and that some didn't even know existed. He's an Admiral in the Texas Navy.

Of course, it's been a long time since actually had a navy. These days being a Texas Admiral is honorary title bestowed by the governor. It's position very much like that of a Kentucky Colonel.

Johnson's commission as an

Admiral came in the final days of Gov. Rick Perry's administration. Congressman John Culberson of the Seventh District and State Rep. Dwayne Bohac of the 138th District worked to nominate the local spur maker and artist for the honor for the work he has done to promote Texas history and culture and also for the work he's done to make badges and other things for Texas Rangers.

Johnson is also a former member of the Saints' Roost Museum board, has done work for

the outdoor drama TEXAS, and has been commissioned to make memorials for Stephen F. Austin, Col. Charles Goodnight, and the Immortal 32.

Culberson had previously commissioned Johnson to make a set of spurs for President George W. Bush, and Bohac is a longtime supporter of Texas history and the Rangers. Bohac's office asked Johnson for a résumé of his work and then submitted that to the governor.

"I was quite honored," John-

son said. "I'm kind of a fan of Rick Perry. He's been heavily involved with the Rangers and took an active interest in the Texas State Cemetery."

The new admiral received a handsome certificate with Perry's actual signature, and he gets a few interesting perks. He also got a polo shirt with rank insignia and a cap. But have people started addressing him by his title?

"More than you know... it's kind of embarrassing," he said.

County agrees to delay in tax abatement

A wind farm tax abatement was pushed back for a one-year period when Donley County Commissioners met Monday, March 9.

County Judge John Howard said the abatement agreement with Cielo Land & Cattle remains unchanged except for the start date. Cielo's project construction schedule has shifted one year to accommodate the extension of the federal production tax credit and to secure appropriate financing.

"The project is moving for-

ward," Howard said. "They plan to begin construction next spring and complete it by the end of 2016. Production [of electricity] would start in 2017, and the tax abatement will start that year for ten years."

In November 2013, Donley County officials approved granting Cielo a ten-year, 100 percent abatement from ad valorem taxes, but the agreement also sets up payments to the county in lieu of taxes during the period of the agreement.

At that time, Cielo agreed to

pay the county \$2,000 per megawatt of electric generating capacity up to a maximum of \$200,000 per year. The agreement also stipulates that Cielo will develop a minimum of 80 megawatts of capacity in Donley County, which would result in no less than \$160,000 in income for the county annually for ten years.

In other county business, the commissioners' court took no action on a request to use the Courthouse lawn for a proposed Wind, Water, & Wildlife Festival on April 20-22.

Howard said Judy Burlin, who had requested the item on the agenda, did not appear at Monday's meeting.

Commissioners also discussed the possible sale of the old appraisal district building on Sully Street across from the Courthouse.

The county will advertise the building to take sealed bids on the property in the near future with the intention of opening bids at the commissioners' next regular meeting.



Arts Support Members of Clarendon's Les Beaux Arts Club toured the Mulkey Theatre Friday, March 6, and the presented Clarendon EDC Director Jack King with a check for \$1,000 to support the "Bring Back the Mulkey" project. The money is part of the proceeds from the clubs annual Clarendon Arts Festival, which planned again for this October.

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Local woman sentenced to 18 months

One woman was sentenced to state jail after a district court hearing on Friday, March 6.

District Attorney Luke Inman prosecuted the case for the State of Texas with the Honorable Judge Stuart Messer presiding.

Patricia Danielle Moffett pleaded not true to allegations listed in the State's Motion to Adjudicate Guilt and was sentenced to 18 months in the State Jail Division of Texas Department of Criminal Justice for the state jail felony offense of forgery.

On September 17, 2012, Moffett, 30, from Amarillo, originally pleaded guilty to offense that occurred on August 15, 2012, in Donley County.

The State filed the motion on December 11, 2013, alleging three violations of community supervision. According to court records, Moffett was not arrested for 14 months after the motion was filed and did not perform her duties as a probationer during that time frame.

During the contested hearing, the State called two witnesses, Mark White with the 100th Judicial District Community Supervisions and Corrections Department and Mike Spier, a Donley County Deputy.

White testified that Moffett performed poorly while on felony probation. Spier testified that Moffett's reputation was not good for being a law abiding citizen in Donley County.

Moffett is also required to pay \$473 in court costs to Donley County, a \$2,500 fine, and \$3,950.65 restitution.

The District Court also heard three pleas when it met in Clarendon on Tuesday, March 3.

District Attorney Luke Inman, assisted by Greg Buckley, prosecuted the cases for the State of Texas with the Honorable Judge Stuart Messer presiding.

Brandon Eugene McChristian pleaded true to allegations listed in the State's Motion to Adjudicate Guilt and was sentenced to 14 months in the State Jail Division of Texas Department of Criminal Justice for the state jail felony offense of forgery.

On July 16, 2014, McChristian, 25, from Amarillo, originally pleaded guilty to offense that occurred on March 30, 2014, in Donley County.

The State filed the motion on December 12, 2014, alleging six violations of community supervision.

McChristian is also required to pay \$488 in court costs to Donley County, a \$1,000 fine, and \$1,322.10 restitution.

Wesley Don Williams was convicted for the third degree felony offense of driving while intoxicated 3rd or more. Williams pleaded guilty and was sentenced to ten years in the Institutional Division of TDCJ for the offense, but the sentence was probated for a period of three years.

Williams, 45-year-old resident of Clarendon, was arrested in Donley County for the offense that took place July 8, 2014. Williams was indicted by a Donley County Grand Jury on November 13, 2014 after the

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Protecting Taxpayers

By Michael F. Cannon

Another year, another Obamacare case goes before the Supreme Court. But this time, everything is upside down.

In King v. Burwell, the plaintiffs aren't challenging the Affordable Care Act; they want to uphold the act – and thereby protect tens of millions of taxpayers from illegal taxes. The law's supporters, instead of defending the law or taxpayers, are defending an out-of-control IRS.

The IRS is subjecting more than 8 million taxpayers to penalties under Obamacare's individual mandate, and more than 250,000 employers and 57 million taxpayers to penalties under the law's employer mandate, even though it has no authority to do so. The IRS just decided to expand its own powers.

One lower court declared the IRS's actions "invalid" and explained that by blocking those actions, "the court is upholding the Act as written." Another wrote that the Affordable Care Act itself "unambiguously forecloses" the IRS's expansion of the mandates.

The employer mandate imposes hefty penalties on employers who do not provide the required level of coverage to all employees who work 30 or more hours per week. It therefore creates a perverse incentive for employers to cut workers' hours to below that threshold.

Teachers are just some of the millions who are losing income as a result of these illegal taxes. Because the IRS illegally subjected Indiana public school districts to the mandate, for example, they had to cut hours for substitute teachers, instructional aides, special education instructors, library assistants, cafeteria workers, bus drivers and maintenance personnel. Many school districts have barred part-time staff from coaching sports and other extracurricular activities.

A career center in Putnam County, Indiana, cannot expand its staff and course offerings, because it would then either have to pay penalties it cannot afford or cut hours for all its employees. Many school districts are suffering further because the cost of their health benefits has increased, reducing their ability to hire new staff.

In Indiana alone, the IRS is unlawfully imposing the individual mandate on more than 196,000 taxpayers, and unlawfully imposing the employer mandate on nearly 9,000 employers and more than 1.9 million workers.

These are real people, suffering real income losses with every passing day. The income they are losing is effectively a tax. Since the IRS has no legal authority to subject them to this mandate, it is also an illegal tax.

The IRS is punishing kids, too. The state of Indiana, like the plaintiffs in King v. Burwell, sued to block the IRS. As the state told a federal court, "These changes directly impact the delivery of educational services to [students], including students with learning disabilities."

Instead of standing up for those kids, their teachers, tens of millions of other taxpayers across the country, and the rule of law, the Affordable Care Act's erstwhile supporters are backing the IRS.

But the law is clear. It authorizes the disputed taxes only where it authorizes premium subsidies. And it only offers subsidies "through an Exchange established by the State." That makes the subsidies conditional on states implementing a federal program, something Congress does all the time.

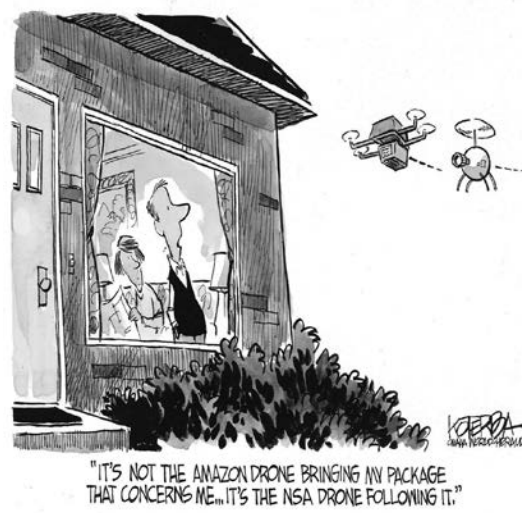
The only difference here is that Obamacare is so unpopular that 38 states refused or otherwise failed to implement exchanges. The federal government did establish a fallback exchange (i.e., healthcare.gov) within those states. But, as those lower courts held, an exchange established by the federal government is not "established by the State." Thus, the IRS is unlawfully taxing millions of Americans.

The IRS claims, risibly, that the phrase "an Exchange established by the State" is a statutory "term of art" that includes exchanges that were not established by the state. The statute says no such thing.

The IRS also argues the court should look at the entire statute, not just a few passages. But nothing in the law calls the plain meaning of "established by the State" into question. The IRS is simply trying to ignore a clear limitation on its power.

Supporters say Obamacare won't work without those disputed taxes and subsidies. If so, that means Obamacare doesn't work. The solution is for Congress and the president to fix it. Does anybody really want to live in a world where the IRS has the power to impose taxes all on its own?

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Uncle Mort's thoughts on Fifty Shades

Credibility of many professional athletes' opinions on matters involving their sports is marginal, and on various "common sense" topics, it deserves even less respect.

When certain athletes claim to have admirable parenting skills, beware.

It's then we'd score big returns in the produce business if we could find a trailer load of overripe tomatoes. Rotten ones are best for fans who've had enough. Now, they're ready to wax Archie "Bunkerish" for pro sports' loud mouths. "Dummy up," is what Archie always told Edith.

LeBron James, crowned as royalty by some and zapped by others, hit a verbal homerun worthy of our hearing against colleges jumping the gun on recruiting. Eureka, he warned coaches to "leave my 10-year-old alone."

Can it be? LeBron II, nicknamed "Bronny," already is considered scholarship material at multiple institutions.

Scholarships? College coaches would do well to attract youngsters with gifts like iPhones and iPads instead of scholarships. In this case, figuring "like father, like son" is taking the "gene thing" too far. (A high school science teacher observed, "If a child's mother's eyes have blue genes and the dad has blue genes, chances are the offspring also will have blue "jeans.")

King James – his moniker as a schoolboy basketball phenom – went straight from high school to the pros. Are we on the cusp of junior high basketballers taking the big plunge, skipping both high school and college?

One day, this may not be out of the question. Sadly, ours is a culture which continues to devalue childhood

that already is squeezed by pressures far too soon.

And then there are rare old birds like my Uncle Mort. He's blown the old "once an adult/twice a child" saying to smithereens. With birthday number 103 coming up on July 4, his opinions seem forever child-like.

Often clueless on many topics, somehow he manages to re-group, usually making good on promises, mistakes and foibles from here to yon.

He's a live example of the axiom that a "little knowledge is a dangerous thing." This is what we can blame his recent pratfall on. They're still laughing about it in the paint department down at the hardware store.

My uncle dismantled his golf cart, grumbling that he wasn't saving as much money on gasoline as he was a couple of months ago. I pointed out that price per gallon has dropped by almost 50%, so really, he's saving even more money.

Logic is usually wasted on him. He said he didn't have time to discuss the economy, and he left without mentioning anything about a painting project. However, he said he needed to pick up a new color wheel before they were gone.

He headed for the hardware store, eager to learn more about the color wheel that people are talking so much about.



the idle american

by don newbury

The paint people were bumfuzzled by his request. After all, for decades on end, color wheels have been, uh, color wheels. "There are no 'favorites'," one of the sales people responded. "It has to be the favorite," my uncle protested, insisting that everyone is "talking grey"– the color he thinks to be the choice of millions of Americans this summer. As if orchestrated, the hardware people's heads pivoted 180 degrees, now cocked in the other direction.

"It's hard to imagine they could come up with 50 different grey hues,"

Mort said. Then, it dawned on the manager. Mort thought Fifty Shades of Grey to be a color wheel.

The wonder of it all is that their side-splitting laughter didn't erupt until Mort pattered down the street in his golf cart.

Friends of Mort and Maude-his wife of 80+ years-agree with her long-standing contention: "I can't do a thing with him." A few years back-while he was attending an auction for freight cars loaded with new hula hoops and croquet sets-Maude's succinct comment made sense. It still does.

"Just let him be." Truly, there is much about today's world Mort doesn't understand-or even try very hard to figure out.

So, if he chooses to believe-or wants others to think he believes-Fifty Shades of Grey is a color wheel instead of a sordid movie, let him be.

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Readers continue crosses debate

Norma Hall, if my name wasn't included in your letter [printed March 5, 2015], I would have assumed you were responding to someone else. I am not sure what led you to think I am attempting to remove the crucifixion of Jesus from the gospel. I never said that and I did not imply it. In fact, did I not say, "The cross is an effective symbol of the gospel..."? If I were attempting to remove the crucifixion of the Christ from the gospel, why would I have said that? I would appreciate you taking the time to understand what I write before responding.

Devin Noble, Clarendon

In regards Mr. Devin Noble's issue with the crosses and words concerning faith and religion, first and foremost, the signs and their sentiments, and the "scary" crosses, I would submit that most of the travelers who express disapproval would probably disapprove of Christ himself were he to appear again and spread the word.

Secondly your reference to a belief

that the Cross is the only way to salvation is rather naive. Crosses and mis-quoted Bible passages are nit the route to salvation as the only way to be saved is through the Grace of Jesus Christ. Crosses and warnings of pending doom are mere deices to bring one to Jesus. So many words have been spoken and written concerning Christ over the years that for someone to misquote may seem an act of Ignorance to you but regardless of whether the Crosses and quotes put people off or not is not a reason to call for their removal. In calling for their removal you show either an arrogance or a disregard for the freedoms guaranteed by the founding fathers who had a greater reverence for God than is apparent in today's society. They were wise enough to put into Law a binding constitutional guarantee that people would be free to express their Religious beliefs, ensuring Freedom of and not from religion, as well as guaranteeing your right to say whatever you choose about other people's beliefs.

For me, I neither care that "Travelers" should be put off by the crosses

in Clarendon, or that larger display of religious belief which is highly visible on I-40 at Groom. Most "travelers" who feel threatened by the displays will avoid repeating the experience, and many who come through are content to accept the signs and crosses for what they are: a reminder that Christ lives and has promised a return and a judgment.

For me I will accept the crosses as a reminder that while his grace is offered freely, there is also an onus on those who would see the Kingdom of Heaven to follow in Christ's footsteps. Remember that those who approach Christ should go to him as a child. Neither questioning his word, nor living in a manner that is alien to his teaching. So look at the displays and remember what Christ went through during his Earthly journey and be thankful that his sacrifice put an end to Blood offerings in the civilized world.

If you still find the Crosses repugnant, perhaps you should join the travelers and seek a new haven free from Religion.

Joseph Pafume, Hedley

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Bj and Jennie Owens volunteer sorting tomatoes for Monday's food distribution at the First United Methodist Church's Bread of Life.

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Legislature looking at TRS-Care

By Jim Malewitz, The Texas Tribune, with Morgan Smith

Saying a nearly broke state health care program for retired Texas teachers is "too important an issue to leave unaddressed," the head of the House budget-writing committee pledged recently to work to fully fund the program.

"I want to commit to you today that the House will fund our obligations to our retired teachers," state Rep. John Otto, R-Dayton, said following a meeting of the House Appropriations Committee, which he chairs.

Without action from lawmakers, the Teacher Retirement System of Texas expects its health insurance program – TRS-Care – to run out of money during the 2016 fiscal year, with a \$768 million shortfall by 2017. A cash infusion from the Legislature would prevent the retirement system from hiking premiums for the fund's more than 233,000 retirees and their dependents, or cutting their benefits – its two other main options for keeping the fund solvent.

Following Otto's announcement, other Texas lawmakers voiced their support.

"Texas teachers are a large part of molding the Texas leaders of tomorrow, and many teachers and retirees have expressed their concerns on this matter," state Rep. Dan Flynn, R-Canton, chairman of the

House Pensions Committee, said in a statement.

House Speaker Joe Straus, R-San Antonio, tweeted that the "House appreciates retired educators."

Texas teacher groups also welcomed the announcement.

"We're very happy to hear that," said Clay Robison, spokesman for the Texas State Teachers Association. "These are people on limited income who have spent their careers educating school children – one of the most important jobs in the state."

Robison's group also wants lawmakers to increase the state's contribution to health care premiums for active teachers. Texas has kept its contribution at \$75 per month since 2002, as premiums have more than doubled.

"That's basically cutting into their paychecks because they haven't been getting raises," he said.

In 2013, retiree premiums made up about 36 percent of TRS-Care revenue, according to Legislative Budget Board estimates, while the state chipped in 24 percent. Active teachers and school districts were the next biggest contributors, followed by federal subsidies and investment income.

Why is the program so troubled? That's largely due to soaring health care costs and lawmakers' piecemeal approach to funding a

system that experts have long considered unsustainable.

Before 1986, Texas had no health insurance program for retired teachers. When lawmakers created the program, they expected its initial funding would last until 1995 – long enough to design a more sustainable model, the retirement system says. But lawmakers never did that, leaving the agency to occasionally request more funding to keep the program solvent – as it is doing now.

"TRS-Care is in a crisis moment," Tim Lee, executive director of the Texas Retired Teachers Association, said Wednesday in a statement cheering Otto's announcement.

If lawmakers simply choose to tap the general fund to plug the short-term budget gap without making structural changes, the fund would still be short about \$1 billion next biennium, Brian Guthrie, executive director of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas, told the Senate Finance Committee earlier this month. Several senators at that hearing expressed support for keeping the fund afloat.

"This is an emergency right now, so they need to address this," Robison said. "And then longer term, yes, they need to see a way for making it something retirees can continue – and not go from crisis to crisis."

Obituaries

Putman

Norma Putman, 80, died Monday, March 2, 2015, in Childress.

Services were held on Thursday, March 5, 2015, in the Clarendon Church of Christ with Mark Putman and Don Stone, officiating.



Putman

Burial followed at Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon

Arrangements were under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Norma was born October 13, 1934, in Claude to Hardy and Nadine Kerly Bobbitt. She married L.M. Putman, Jr. on April 23, 1951, in Portales, NM. She was a teacher for 31 years prior to her retirement. She was one of few women that was certified in all areas of science and was certified in Oklahoma in 30 subjects. She enjoyed sewing and crocheting. She was a member of the Clarendon Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death

by her parents; her husband; and a daughter, Marcia.

She is survived by 2 sons, Donnie Putman of Sanger and Terry Putman of Las Vegas, NV; a daughter, Jullie Milam of Panhandle; 2 brothers, Buddy Bobbitt of Memphis and Emmett Bobbitt of Lubbock; 7 grandchildren; and 6 great grandchildren.

The family request memorials be sent to Clarendon Church of Christ, Memphis Convalescent Center, Childress RMC Hospice, or the International Essential Tremor Foundation.

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Lady Bulldog Softball v Midland • 1 & 3 p.m. • Bulldog Field

March 21
Lady Bronco Softball v Booker • 1 p.m. • Booker

Lady Bulldog Softball v Odessa • 11 & 1 p.m. • Bulldog Field

March 24
Bronco Baseball v River Road • 4 p.m. • River Road

Lady Bronco Softball v Gruver • 4 p.m. • Clarendon

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Menus

March 16 - 20

Donley County Senior Citizens
Mon: Chicken fajitas, green peppers, onions, corn, Spanish rice, fruit cocktail, iced tea/2% milk.
Tue: Meatloaf/tomato sauce, green snap peas, buttered squash, sugar cookies, wheat roll, iced tea/2% milk.
Wed: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, green beans, wheat rolls, banana pudding, iced tea/2% milk.
Thu: Charbroil beef patty, pepper & onions grilled, baker potatoes, buttered corn, wheat roll, sliced peaches, iced tea/2% milk.
Fri: BBQ chicken, garden salad, tator tots, wheat bread, chocolate cake, iced tea/2% milk.

Hedley Senior Citizens
Mon: Chicken tenders, scalloped potatoes, turnip greens, wheat rolls, mandarin orange Jello, iced tea/2% milk.
Tue: Chopped BBQ on bun, French fries, pinto beans, coleslaw, cake, iced tea/2% milk.
Wed: Smothered pork chops, red roasted potatoes, broccoli, carrot-raisin salad, chocolate cake with vanilla pudding, iced tea/2% milk.
Thu: Chicken & dumplings, fried squash, tossed salad, cake, roll, iced tea/2% milk.
Fri: Turkey & dressing, candid sweet potato, green beans, roll, cherry pineapple Jello, iced tea/2% milk.

Clarendon ISD
Mon: Fish strips, Texas toast, coleslaw, pinto beans, baby carrots, orange, milk.
Tue: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, green beans, apple-pineapple, roll, milk.
Wed: Pizza sticks w/sauce, salad, baby carrots, cookie, fruit, milk.
Thu: Taco salad, tortilla chips, salsa, corn, snowball salad, milk.
Fri: Pizza, salad, veggie cup, fruit, milk.

Hedley ISD
Breakfast
Mon: Apple or cherry strudel, cheese stick, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Tue: Biscuit, scrambled eggs, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Wed: Cinnamon roll, bacon, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Thu: Pancake wrap, yogurt, fruit, fruit juice, milk.
Fri: Breakfast burrito, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Lunch
Mon: Pizza choice, garden salad, fresh veggie cup, mixed fruit, milk.
Tue: Baked potato w/ham & cheese, salsa, seasoned corn, snowball salad, milk.
Wed: Chicken & broccoli penne, breadstick, baby carrots w/ranch, apple slices, brownie cookie, milk.
Thu: Meatball sub sandwich, garden salad, savory green beans, apple slices, rice crispy treats, milk.
Fri: BBQ on a bun, coleslaw, pinto beans, baby carrots w/ranch, orange smiles, milk.

Construction of Greenbelt Lake

Oh, my! Will spring never come? We had the largest snow of the year last week, around 6” although it was difficult to measure with the high winds and drifting. The next day the sun was out, the temperature above freezing and snow was soon a dream. With Daylight Saving Time here and Easter a month away, spring will come.

Continuing the history of Howardwick, Water is crucial to the life of mankind and man had watched rain water fill creeks and gullies from a drainage area of 288 sq. miles, flow into the Salt Fork of the Red River and finally flow into the Gulf of Mexico. Some men asked why not build a dam at the convergence of Carroll Creek, Kelly Creek and Salt Fork and save that water for us?

A first permit was issued for the dam in August, 1958. That permit expired, and the second was issued in November, 1964. The time was right and on April 12, 1966 the Adams Construction Co. began building a rolled earth-filled dam near the site

L.H. Carhart had selected for his colony in 1878. The dam was closed and water impoundment begun on December 5, 1966.

By 1968 the dam had filled enough to necessitate removing the graves from the little cemetery on the banks of Carroll Creek and reinter them in Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon where they rest in a place of honor; those 13 unnamed people who helped begin Saints Roost.

Replacing the Kiowa, Cheyenne, and Comanche, Old Clarendon, and the farmer, we now have Greenbelt Lake owned and operated by Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water, which supplies water from Clarendon to towns south and is known as the “fishingest place” according to Naomi Green. In “The



‘wick picks
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History of Donley County 1879-1990,” Naomi writes, “When Lake Greenbelt was completed it was stocked with a large variety of game fish. Included were 150,000 northern Pike, 240,000 large mouth bass, blue cat, channel cat, white crappie, sun fish.

The lake has a large shore line with mostly sandy beaches, it is about 75 feet deep at the dam and average depth of the lake is about 20 feet. She writes the lake is deep blue and maintains a constant level thanks to spring water that enters the lake from both Kelly and Carroll creeks. For the July 4th celebration (probably 1987-89) more than 20,000 visitors were registered.”

Thanks to the long-term drought things have changed again. The lake is about 12 percent full, relics of Old Clarendon have surfaced from the mud, and water skiing is not allowed, but fish still bite. Just remember, the place was built on Hope and Faith. All we need are several large rains, and the lake will be full again.

CISD Penguin collaboration

Penguins were the topic of the day when Clarendon High School science teacher Tammi Lewis and first grade teacher Medina Gribble decided to collaborate on a joint project between their classes.

The idea started last year when the two classes collaborated on a project about spiders. Because of that success, they decided to do another co-lesson this year.

It started with two different goals in mind for each of the classes. Throughout the month the first graders had been studying penguins. Meanwhile, the Anatomy class was focused on learning about a new web tool on the readwritethink.org website.

“The first grade students made trading cards about penguins using laptops with photos and information discovered during research with the high school students,” Mrs. Gribble said.

The benefits went beyond learning about penguins using technology. This experience forged relationships between elementary and high school students that did not exist before. It also made learning exciting and meaningful for both age groups.

“[My] students benefited because they truly enjoyed the experience of helping the little ones with their project,” stated Mrs. Lewis.

The collaboration between the two teachers has worked very well and has been enjoyed by not only the students, but also the teachers as well. With the project they were able to not only teach their students about a particular topic, but to also show them what every teacher strives to impart, a love of learning



Community Bible studies at DCSC

The studies will be held for twelve weeks every Wednesday from 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. starting March 11, at the Donley County Senior Citizens in Clarendon. The subject will be “The Education of a Slow Learner in the School of Christ.” Admission is free and everyone is welcome to attend.

Wards win Jack and Jill Tourney at CCC

By Sandy Anderberg

Mark and Leigh Ann Ward won the one-day Jack and Jill Tournament at the Clarendon Country Club. The Wards shot a 70 to take the top spot.

The format for the tournament included low ball on holes 1-6, scramble on holes 7-12, and alternate shot on holes 13-18. Sixteen teams took part in the tournament.

Kyle and Kenna Hatch finished second with a score of 73, and Joe and Karla Minkley came in third with a 78. George and Gail Leathers took fourth with a 78, and Mark and Sunday Morris placed fifth with a 79. Cody and Trisha Favor came in sixth place with an 80, Donald and Judy Bland finished seventh with an 80, and Jeff and Sandy Anderberg took eighth place with a score of 80.

The annual spring Six-Man Skins game will be held Sunday, March 29, and you may call the Pro Shop to enter.

Exchange students looking for host families

The Cultural Exchange Service, a small dedicated educational exchange organization designated by the U.S. Department of State to administer the high school exchange program, is asking American married families/single families, single adults or retirees to consider hosting an international high school student for a semester or the whole school term 2015-2016.

The students do not require his/her own room, has ample spending monies for their personal needs, complete medical coverage and will

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For those who are interested in this once in a lifetime opportunity of great treasured moments, please call Kevin Foster, your local area coordinator immediately at 1-806-335-5857 for more information or call the ACES National Office at 1-800-661-2237 or visit us at www.exploretheworld.org.

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Vacation plans

I am on Spring Break this week and I am very excited! I plan to play a lot of Minecraft while I’m home



the cub reporter
by benjamin estlack

I am going to ride my bike, I am going to do some stunts on my scooter with my cousins, and go play glow in the dark mini golf and hopefully bowling.

I got to go out to my Anndy’s house and relax in her hot tub this weekend – I really like the hot tub.

I got to play with my little cousins Matthew and Gage this weekend, also. We played tractors and we went outside and played in the dirt.



the lion’s tale
by roger estlack

The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting March 10, 2015, with Boss Lion Larry Capranica in charge.

We had ten members and seven guests this week. Our guests were Clarendon City Administrator David Dockery, guest of Lion Roger Estlack; County Attorney Landon Lambert, guest of Lion John Howard; Clarendon EDC Director Lion Jack King; and Nathan, Ben, Daniel, and Ella Estlack, guests of their parents.

Lion Howard gave a brief report of county happenings, and other reports were short or nil because of spring break.

Lions Roger and Ashlee Estlack and Chandra Eggemeyer updated the club on plans for the Roar ‘N Run 5K, which will be held on Saturday, April 11, at Clarendon College. Entry forms will be available next week at the Clarendon Visitor Center. Online registration is available now at <http://bit.ly/1C4J1m2>.

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

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Drugs in the News

New Starter Pack for Blood Clots

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DVT is a blood clot that forms in a vein deep in the body, usually in the calf or thigh muscle. It can partially or completely block blood flow, which can lead to pain, swelling, and difficulty getting around. PE is the sudden blockage of a major blood vessel in the lung by a blood clot. This type of clot can damage the lung, causing shortness of breath, sharp chest pain, and a productive cough. Xarelto prevents clot formation by reducing the ability of the blood to clot.



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Applications for conservation programs being accepted at the Donley County NRCS Office

USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) District Conservationist Weldon Sears announces applications for funding opportunities with the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) are currently being accepted at the NRCS offices located at 321 S Sully Street in Clarendon.

NRCS in Texas has received its initial allocation of EQIP funding for 2015 and will begin ranking and obligating contracts after April 17, 2015. All agriculture producers interested in submitting a contract application for 2015 should do so before this ranking deadline.

EQIP – one of the largest programs in the Farm Bill – is a voluntary conservation program that promotes environmental quality and assists producers to meet local, state and federal regulations.

“EQIP is a valuable tool to help Donley County’s agricultural producers implement conservation

practices that provide environmental benefits to help sustain agricultural operations,” says Sears.

EQIP is a continuous sign-up programs that allow landowners or operators to apply for financial and technical assistance for the application of specific conservation practices; but the deadline for the first 2015 funding allocation is April 17, 2015. Contracts are offered periodically depending on budgetary allocations. Applications made after the deadline will be considered in the next funding cycle. Higher priority will be given to those applications that address national, state and local priorities and provide higher cost efficiency.

EQIP offers technical and financial help to install or implement structural, vegetative, and management practices that can benefit the soil, water, air, plants, livestock, and wildlife. Each county in the state is funded yearly to assist producers

financially with these land management practices.

Last year, NRCS in Texas funded over 3,400 EQIP contracts with \$82 million to accomplish conservation practices such as irrigation efficiency, minimum tillage, brush management and more on 1.8 million acres across the entire state.

In addition to helping our environment, Farm Bill conservation program funds support rural communities. In Texas, it is estimated that each dollar of NRCS and private matching expenditures on NRCS conservation programs generates an additional \$2.54 in sales of goods and services locally.

For more information, including eligibility requirements, call the USDA Service Center office in Clarendon, TX at (806)874-3561 ext. 3. Service center locations and program information can be found on the Texas NRCS Web site at www.tx.nrcs.usda.gov.

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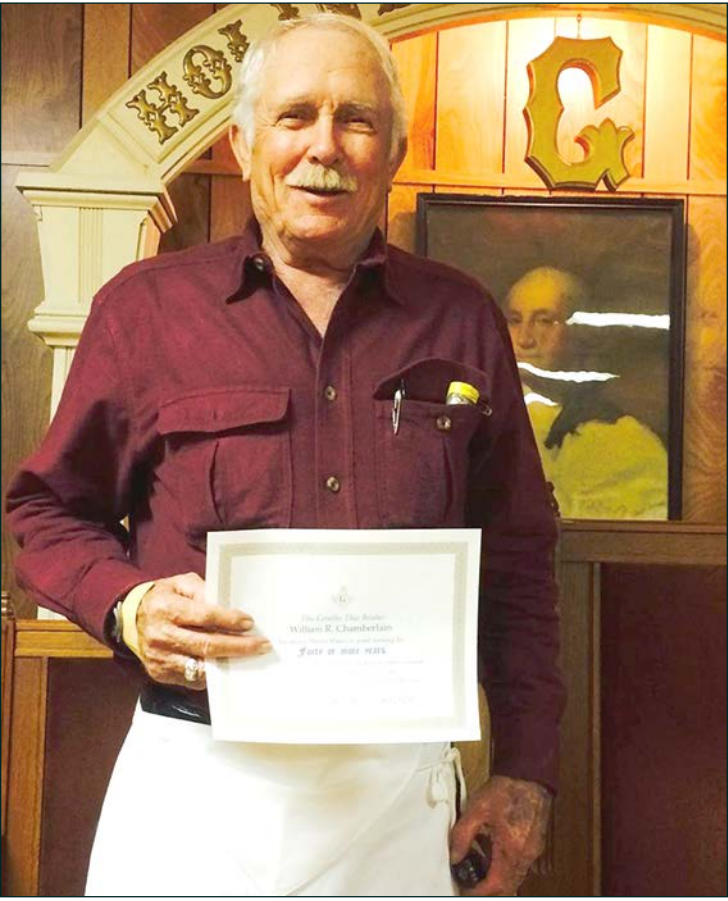
investigation was conducted by DPS Trooper Chad Simpson.

Pursuant to the plea agreement, Williams was required to pay \$573 in court costs, a \$3,000 fine, 200 hours of community service, and all DWI requirements under Chapter 49.

Silvester Raymond Rowe-Hodges was placed on probation for a period of three years for the third degree felony offense of possession of marihuana. Rowe-Hodges pleaded guilty and was placed on deferred adjudication for the offense.

Rowe-Hodges, 25-year-old resident of Dallas, was arrested in Donley County for the offense that took place December 30, 2013 by DPS Trooper Max Honesto, and was indicted by a Donley County Grand Jury on November 13, 2014.

Pursuant to the plea agreement, Rowe-Hodges is required to pay a \$3,000 fine to Donley County, \$458 in court costs, \$180 restitution, and successfully complete 200 hours of community service. If Rowe-Hodges violates probation, he could face up to 10 years in the Institutional Division of the TDCJ.



Faithful Mason

Brother Will Chamberlain recieved his 40-year certificate Monday night at Clarendon Masonic Lodge #700.

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Conservation program deadline March 31

Farmers and ranchers who signed Conservation Stewardship Program contracts in 2011 with the USDA’s Natural Resources Conservation Service have until March 31 to renew those expiring contracts for another five years.

Donley County District Conservationist Weldon Sears said existing 2011 CSP contracts in Texas that will expire on Dec. 31 if not renewed.

Sears said landowners may renew their existing contracts on a non-competitive basis if they are willing to adopt additional conservation activities aimed at helping them achieve higher levels of conservation on their farms, forests and ranches.

Farmers and ranchers without CSP contracts can apply for the voluntary program until March 13, which is an extension of the previously announced deadline for new applications.

“CSP offers landowners the opportunity to be rewarded for the good resource conservation efforts they are currently undertaking,”

Sears said, “This program provides additional incentives for them to continue their enhancements on a voluntary basis.”

CSP will also help broaden the impacts of the Natural Resources Conservation Services’ (NRCS) Landscape Conservation Initiatives through a new pilot effort where NRCS established target enrollment in Texas set at 45,000 acres for the Ogallala Aquifer Initiative, 90,000 acres for the Lesser Prairie Chicken Initiative and 2,500 acres for the Long Leaf Pine Initiative.

Sears said changes in the 2014 Farm Bill allow CSP participants with expiring contracts to renew them by exceeding stewardship thresholds for two or more existing natural resource concerns or by meeting stewardship thresholds for at least two new natural resource concerns such as improving water quality or soil health.

The 2014 Farm Bill includes an expanded conservation activity list that offers farmers more options

to address natural resource challenges. New conservation activities include testing the effects of cover crops on soil quality, incorporating wildlife-beneficial management, and using innovative irrigation efforts to reduce water use.

CSP pays participants for conservation performance--the better the performance, the higher the payment. Nearly 70 million acres have been enrolled in the program nationally since its launch in 2009. About 9,300 contracts covering 12.2 million acres in the U.S. are nearing the end of their five-year term.

Sears said that all farmers and ranchers interested in CSP should contact their local NRCS offices, keeping in mind the two different deadlines for new contracts (March 13) and for contract renewals (March 31).

For more on technical and financial assistance available through conservation programs, visit www.nrcs.usda.gov/GetStarted or a local USDA service center.

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Skyler waits on first during the lady Broncos game in Clarendon last week.

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Lady Broncos slam WTH

By Sandy Anderberg

The Lady Broncos racked up run after run in their 39-21 romp of West Texas High last Saturday. The win put Clarendon at 1-0 in district play.

“This was the longest five-inning game I have ever been a part of,” head coach Gary Jack said. “The WTH pitchers struggled throwing strikes and they walked us a lot. It was a crazy long game, but we survived and won.”

The Lady Broncos had the Lady Commanches down 25-6 in the second inning and went up 39-11 in the third without ever trailing. Briley Chadwick was on the mound for four innings before Sterling King came in to close. Taylor DeGrate was behind the plate and, according to Jack, did a good job at that position. Offensively, Jack had several players who hit the ball well. He gave credit to Brooke Martin, Taylor Gaines, Skyler White, Chadwick, Karlee

Adams, Shelby Baxter, and King.

“We made some good plays on defense but made a couple of mistakes, also,” Jack said. “We just have not had any practice outside and have had only two days of outside practice so far, with the rest being in the gym. We are still doing well and getting that win at WTH to open district play was really big.”

The Lady Broncos played a junior varsity game following the first game and won 13-6. Allyson Hogan was on the mound with Hannah Hommel behind the plate.

“Allyson pitched well and Hannah caught a good game,” Jack said. “Zaryia Smith, Baxter, King, and Martin made some nice hits.”

The Lady Broncos will take on the CHS Alumni on Saturday, March 14, at 1:00 at the Lady Bronco field.

“This game is always a lot of fun and there will be about 15 ex-players coming back to play,” Jack said.

Morris places 10th Regional Powerlifting

By Sandy Anderberg

Clarendon senior Chelsea Morris has worked hard all year and competed in her last Regional meet last week.

Morris finished 10th in the Region in the 198-pound weight class and tied for fourth in class 2A.

According to coach Johnny Nino, Morris did a great job at the meet.

“She competed really well and

I was really proud of the way she competed on Friday,” Nino said. “We went for 310-pounds on the squat and she lifted it, but it was disallowed on a technicality. The squat put us behind the other competitors and we couldn’t make up the difference on the other two lifts.

“I am really proud of how far she has come the last couple of years. She has improved so much. I will surely miss her next year.”

CHS freshman named newcomer of the year

In her first year of high school basketball and first year as a Lady Bronco, Carlee Johnson was recognized by the participating district coaches and named as the Newcomer of the Year. Senior Allyson Grahnn was named as the Defensive Co-MVP Player of the Year.

It was also Grahnn’s first year with the Lady Broncos. Fellow seniors Taylor Gaines and Taylor

DeGrate were also named to the All-District Team.

All four players named to the All-District team were very instrumental in the success of the Lady Broncos’ season this year. They were great leaders on the court and stayed solid all year long. While Johnson will return next year, the three seniors will be greatly missed on the court.

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[s] Vanessa G. Buzzard, Attorney for Rita Jo Crockett, State Bar No. 03547900, 208 N. Russell, Pampa, TX 79226. Telephone: (806)665-7281 Facsimile (806)669-0972 E-mail: vbuzzard@nts-online.net

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CHS begins track season

By Sandy Anderberg

The Broncos and Lady Broncos competed in the Pantex Relays hosted by Sanford-Fritch last week with the ladies finishing in sixth place with 60 points and the boys finishing eighth with 32 points.

Abby Johnson posted the lone first-place finish for the Lady Broncos with a big win in the 400-meter dash at a time of 1:05.53. She also finished second in the 200-meter dash with a time of 27.83, which was only one one-hundredth of a second out of first.

Lady Bronco results: 100-meter dash: Amelia Weatherton 2nd 13.28; 400-meter dash: Johnson 1st, MaRae Hall 5th 1:10.67, Shaelyn Owitti 6th 1:10.91; 100m hurdles: Taylor DeGrate 3rd 17.53; long jump: Weatherton 2nd 15' ¾", Taylor Gaines 5th 14'6"; shot put: Berkeley Alexander 3rd 31'6"; discus: Alexander 5th 90'.

Bronco results: 100-meter dash: Charles Mason 6th 11.70; 200-meter dash: Cedrick McCampbell 6th 24.28; 400-meter dash: Colt Wood 3rd 55.53, Caleb Cobb 5th 55.96; 800-meter run: Cobb 3rd 2:18.31; 400-meter relay: 5th 47.31 (Steven Johnson, Keandre Cortez, McCampbell, Mason); long jump: Mason 2nd 21'2 ½"; triple jump: McCampbell 4th 39'10 ½".

The Broncos and Lady Broncos will participate in the Shamrock track meet on March 12.



Competing at the track meet held in Sanford-Fritch is Lee Buckhaultz.



Kenlee Lambert wins the women's 400 at the Lefors track meet.



Cristal Ramirez throws the shot put during the Lefors track meet Friday.



Keandre Cortez & Cedrick McCampbell compete in the Pantex Relay hosted by Sanford-Fritch last week. The boys relay team finished eighth with 32 points.



Hedley Medalists

Kenlee Lambert got first in the women's 400, Wyatt Pappa got first in the men's 100, Adam Bernal placed second in the men's 200, and Kallie Lindsey placed 2nd in the women's discus, and 3rd in women's shot put at the Lefors track meet..



Kylie Wood hands off to Hannah Streit during the 4x100 relay at the Lefors track meet.



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