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THIS WEEK

2 The WTAMU president has some advice for graduating high school seniors.

4 Howardwick is making plans for big celebration in July.

6 The Clarendon Broncos wrap up their season with a loss to New Deal.

8 And city officials take their oaths of office for new terms.

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

Local cities' sales tax revenues rise

Donley County municipalities posted big gains in sales tax revenues this month when Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar delivered May allocations to local governments.

The City of Clarendon saw its sales taxes increase by 16.54 percent compared to last May with a total revenue of \$48,824.23. That puts the city ahead 12.14 percent for the calendar year-to-date at \$191,499.70 compared to \$170,762.12 at this same point in 2020.

Hedley was up 39.17 percent for the month at \$1,892.06 and is now up 39.17 percent for the year-to-date.

Howardwick's sales tax allocation for May showed an increase of 35.57 percent at \$1,624.08. The Lakeside City is now up 19.14 percent for the year at \$8,219.86.

May allocations are based on sales made in March by businesses that report tax monthly and sales made in January, February and March by quarterly filers.

Garage sale event deadline May 27

The sign-up period for Clarendon's 16th annual "Trash To Treasures" garage sale event closes this Thursday, May 27, at 5 p.m. .

The big event is slated for Saturday, June 5, and garage sales in Hedley, Howardwick, and the surrounding area are also welcome to sign up.

Residents who wish to participate in this year's "Trash To Treasures" are asked to come by the Enterprise to sign up for the promotion.

For more information about the annual Trash To Treasures garage sale event, call 874-2259 or come by the Enterprise office at 105 S. Kearney.

Sign-ups underway for summer lunches

Sign-ups are now open for Christ's Kids Ministry's summer lunch program, and volunteers are sorely needed to help with the program.

Meals will be delivered for free to kids ages 15 and under beginning Wednesday, June 2, from 10:45 to 11:45.

For more information, to sign up, or to volunteer, call Linde Shadle at 806-673-0079.



Workers with Robinson Construction lay hot mix asphalt at the parking lot of the new Clarendon Aquatic Center Tuesday afternoon as the facility gets ready for its grand opening this weekend. A ribbon cutting and public grand opening will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Friday and regular hours begin Saturday at 1:00 p.m. City officials say although the center will not usually be open on Mondays, it will be open this coming Monday for Memorial Day.

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Aquatic center opening this week

Kids of all ages will make a splash in Clarendon this weekend as five years of planning and work will culminate in the opening of the Clarendon Aquatic Center.

A grand opening and ribbon cutting will be held Friday, May 28, from 3 to 5 p.m. This is open to the public, and there will be no swimming at the grand opening.

Opening Day for the Aquatic Center is Saturday, May 29, with the doors opening at 1 p.m.

When asked how it feels to finally be opening the pool, City Administrator David Dockery said it's fantastic.

"We've worked for many years to accomplish this, so getting to the point of opening this weekend is just fantastic," he said.

The facility will be open regularly from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday and will be closed on Mondays. However, with the Memorial Day holiday coinciding with opening weekend, the center will be open for Memorial Day from 1 to 7 p.m.

The center will be open through the summer and will close on Labor Day.

The center will also be open on Tuesday mornings from 10:00

to 11:30 a.m. for senior citizens to swim.

Swim lessons are something that residents have asked about, and Dockery said that the city is looking into swim lessons as an offering at the new facility.

"We are trying to find someone qualified to provide swim lessons," Dockery said. "So we are definitely looking into that."

Private parties can be planned after regular hours. Anyone wishing to hold a birthday party or similar event after regular hours is encouraged to call City Hall right away at 806-874-3438 to get on the calendar

so that lifeguards can be scheduled appropriately. Parties can be scheduled at the aquatic center after hours at a rate of \$125 per hour.

Annual passes will allow frequent users of the facility to save money over the course of the summer.

Annual passes are \$100 per individual and \$250 for a family of up to four members and \$50 for each additional household family member.

Day passes will cost \$5 for everyone over the age of 17, \$4 for ages 4-17, and free for ages three and under.

Donley County graduates earn scholarships

Donley County high school graduates for 2021 received several scholarships and awards during commencement exercises last Friday and Saturday, according to Clarendon and Hedley high schools.

CHS held its commencement in Bronco Stadium on Friday, May 21, and 1943 class member Jean Spencer Bartlett was recognized and walked across the stage with the Class of 2021. Bartlett's family moved just prior to graduation in 1943; and although she received her diploma 78 years ago, she never got to wear a cap and gown and formally graduate.

CHS presented three graduating seniors with annual awards. Aaron Roys received the Fighting Heart Award presented to a boy athlete who demonstrates self-discipline, self-sacrifice, teamwork, leadership, dependability and achievement. Jade Benson was honored with the Best Girl Athlete Award for exhibiting teamwork, leadership, dependability and achievement. The Knorrp Cup Award was presented to Aubrey Jaramillo based upon scholarship, citizenship, achievement, leadership, and participation in activities.

Scholarships and college financial awards announced for Clarendon graduates were as follows:

Roxana Erin Adams received a PEAK Scholarship for \$750 per semester and a \$500 Clarendon Masonic Lodge #700 scholarship to Clarendon College.

Ethan Cole Babcock received a \$500 scholarship from Capital Farm Credit and the Donley County Retired School Personnel Association Scholarship for \$300.

Shylee Elizabeth Morrow received the Walter B. Knorrp Salutatory Scholarship to Clarendon College.

Malerie Madison Simpson received the State of Texas Valedictory Tuition Waiver to Texas Public Colleges and Universities and the Walter B. Knorrp Valedictory Scholarship to Clarendon College.

Brooke Janae Duncan was awarded a PEAK Scholarship for \$750 per semester.

Patrick Ivan Gonzalez earned the Cross Roads Peanut Scholarship for \$500, a WTAMU Regents Scholarship for \$4,000, and a WTAMU Merit Scholarship for \$1,000.

Kaylin Renee Hicks was presented with the Homer Estlack Memorial Scholarship to Clarendon College for \$250.

Aubrey Beth-Kristine Jaramillo received the Jacob Dean Smith Memorial Scholarship, a cheer scholarship to Wayland Baptist, the Lions Club Sweetheart Scholarship for \$500, the Jack Roach Memorial Scholarship for \$2,000, the Ralph and Janie Hill Memorial Scholarship for \$2,500, the Les Beaux Art Club Scholarship for \$300, and the Tex Selvidge Memorial Scholarship.

Kailee Joanne Osburn earned a PEAK Scholarship for \$750 per semester.

Tyler Michael Paul received the Betsy Ellerbrook Memorial Scholarship and the Herring Bank Scholarship for \$500.

Hedley High School held its graduation Saturday morning in the Owl Gym and recognized the following scholarship winners:

Emma Lambert received



CHS Class of 2021

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HHS Class of 2021

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the Lila Kate and Kylie Allison Monroe Memorial Scholarship for \$300, a Herring Bank Scholarship to Clarendon College for \$500, and a Clarendon Masonic Lodge #700 Scholarship for \$500.

Cara Lambert was presented with a University Interscholastic League Scholar Award, a Capital Farm Credit Scholarship for \$250, a Lila Kate and Kylie Allison Monroe Memorial Scholarship for \$300, a Panhandle Area School Board Scholarship Award for \$500, and a cross country scholarship to Clarendon College.

Zach Wells received a Cross Road Peanuts Scholarship for \$500, a West Texas A&M Scholar Award for \$6,000. He was also

named the 2021 Highest Ranking High School Graduate of Hedley ISD, which exempts him from tuition and fees for his first year at a public college or university in Texas.

Esteban Carreon received funding from the Post 9/11 GI Bill, which covers the cost of tuition and fees to in-state public colleges and \$1,000 for books and supplies per year, and the Hazelwood Act for up to 150 hours of tuition exemption, including most fee charges, at public institutions of higher education in Texas. He also received an additional award of \$4,500.

Jordan Upton received a cross country scholarship to Clarendon College.

Car thieves land in jail after chase

Female crime partners drove off in a ravine south of Clarendon Saturday in a lightweight "Thelma & Louise" moment as they tried to evade capture by the law.

Donley County Sheriff Butch Blackburn said the saga started Friday morning when his office was called to Allsup's at about 1:30 a.m. on a report that someone had grabbed the car keys of a store clerk and took off with their vehicle.

A local deputy later located the vehicle on the opposite end of town behind West Texas Gas, Blackburn said. Four individuals were there along with another stolen vehicle, a white Honda Accord stolen from Amarillo earlier that night.

While the lone deputy attempted to apprehend the gang of two women and two men, the women jumped in the Accord and sped off with the deputy shooting out one of the rear tires as they made their getaway.

The male suspects – Ruben Campos, 37, and Alan Moore, 36, both of Amarillo – were placed under arrest and charged with Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle and Engaging in Organized Criminal Activity. Campos was also charged with Possession of a Controlled Substance.

Still on the lam and having replaced their shot-out tire with a spare donut, the female suspects were spotted in Brice on Saturday afternoon about 4:36, Blackburn said. A game warden noticed the women in the parked Accord there and called the Hall County Sheriff for backup. As the game warden and sheriff approached the vehicle, the women sped off again, northbound on SH 70 towards Clarendon, Blackburn said.

Before they made it to town, however, Blackburn said the pair drove the Accord off the highway into a ravine, striking a tree before fleeing the scene on foot.

The Donley County Sheriff's
See 'Thieves' on page 4.

Accident takes one life Friday

An Amarillo woman died Friday night, May 21, when the car she was driving was struck by a train west of Clarendon.

Texas Department of Public Safety Sgt. Cindy Barley reported that Jennifer Bentley, age 35, was pronounced dead at the scene by Justice of the Peace Pat White.

Bentley was driving a 2013 Chevrolet Impala at about 11:00 p.m. and was southbound on CR 8 when she traveled onto the railroad tracks in the path of an approaching train. The Impala was struck on the passenger side by the train and was thrust to the northeast side of the railroad tracks.

Bentley's passenger, Armondo Elizondo, 41, of Wichita Falls, was transported to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo with serious injuries where he was reported in critical condition.

Neither Bentley nor Elizondo were wearing seatbelts, Barkley reported.



Clear out the Trash & Make some Ca\$h!

Citywide Garage Sale: June 5 • Sign-up Deadline: May 27

SIGN UP AT THE ENTERPRISE

Redefine rural?

Feds should not reclassify ‘rural’ cities

How do you know if you live in the city or the country? For some, any place without a Whole Foods is rural. For others, a stoplight is a harbinger of urban sprawl.

The federal government has more than ten definitions of what is and isn't rural. One of these, however, may be changing. And it could have big implications for our counties in Texas.

The federal Office of Management and Budget defines areas as urban if they contain a community of at least 50,000 people, known as a metropolitan statistical area. In January, OMB proposed to change the minimum population threshold for MSAs from 50,000 to 100,000. This new definition would move 251 counties nationwide – and 14 in Texas – out of the metropolitan category.



guest column
by Keltie Garbee, PhD

With the flick of a computer key, nearly 820,000 Texans in cities such as San Angelo, Longview, Wichita Falls and Victoria would be recategorized. In the popular vernacular, they would switch from urban to rural. I have visited a lot of rural Texas and can tell you: None of those cities are rural. Each has a Target, at least one Starbucks, and other non-rural characteristics.

But does it really matter how a federal agency categorizes a place? The trouble is that this definition is used by federal agencies to distribute funds. Even though OMB insists that agencies not use the definitions to make grants, money for highways, housing and community block grants are all issued based in part on OMB's definition of metropolitan. We don't know exactly how many federal agencies use OMB's definitions to allocate funds, but a few examples include the Department of Health and Human Services, the Federal Housing and Finance Agency and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, so it's clear there will be broader implications.

Texas Rural Funders is a funder collaborative focused on bringing attention and resources to rural Texas. We are deeply immersed in rural Texas and the issues impacting rural Texans, their businesses, their families and communities. We're a welcoming bunch, but we want Texas communities to know the potentially far-reaching impact of this seemingly innocuous move.

OMB's new definition has been in the works for years. The current metropolitan definition was devised after the 1950 Census. The nation's population has doubled since then, so OMB reasoned the minimum population size for a metro area should double, too, from 50,000 to 100,000.

No one knows what it will mean to all the federal programs using this definition. It appears that OMB made its recommendation for statistical reasons. However, there will likely be real-world consequences. It could alter federal reimbursements for health care costs in already underserved communities. It could mean fewer mortgages in rural areas, which are identified as underserved by the Federal Housing Finance Agency, and less public transportation.

According to the Brookings Institution, the current non-metropolitan county has an average of 23,240 people. The proposed reclassification means that non-metropolitan areas would have an average of 75,533 people. Towns of those average sizes are different in most every way.

In Texas, the 14 counties that would be re-classified are 3.6 times larger than the counties currently in the rural category. And the new definition of non-metropolitan areas would encompass communities ranging from 10,000 to 100,000 people. However, despite the differences across such a large range, they would be considered the same when applying for federal grant money from some government programs. There will likely be unintended consequences for communities, both small and large, on either end of the newly defined category.

There is a simple fix to this issue. OMB should postpone any action on its proposal. It should convene stakeholders, rural experts and local leaders to examine the consequences of such a change. Let's find out what effect this new definition of rural would have on 170 Texas counties before it is made official.

Dr. Garbee is executive director of Texas Rural Funders, a philanthropic coalition that works with rural communities to develop and implement solutions to their unique needs.



The case of the stolen train depot

When a new group of land promoters from Garden City, Kansas, decided in 1886 to organize the town of Lamar in southeastern Colorado, they entered into competition with an earlier group of promoters who had already established several successful townsites.

Although the Lamar site, situated on the Santa Fe railroad, was one of the last areas still available along the railroad, its promoters considered it a perfect site. It was also on the Arkansas River, and the fertile land was good for farming and for ranching. Only one thing was lacking, a railroad stop.

The Santa Fe railroad already had a depot, Blackwell Station, four miles to the east of the proposed Lamar site. It was on a ranch owned by Amos R. Black, one of the earlier land promoters. Even though the Santa Fe railroad officials favored the Lamar site and its promoters, it was understood by all that the railroad would never allow two railroad stops within four miles of one another.

Black had no desire to see another depot within four miles from the one he already had, and he refused to cooperate in any way with this new group of promoters who he recognized as com-

petitors. Black denied their request to move the depot, and he also denied their request to purchase the property on which his depot stood.

The new group of promoters, however, were not to be denied. They arranged for a telegram to be delivered to Black on May 22, 1886, summoning him to Pueblo for some "important business." Black obliged by boarding the westbound train that day. That evening a work train steamed into Blackwell Station loaded with all the able-bodied men that could be recruited for ten dollars plus all the beer and whiskey they could drink at a dance after the work was completed. At midnight, the work was under way. Equipped with picks, shovels, jacks, and other tools, the workers lifted the Blackwell Station depot and loaded it onto the flat cars of the work train. It was a two-story frame structure, and living in the upper floor was Black's foreman, J. A. MacDowell, and his



vignettes
tales of the old west
by george u. hubbard

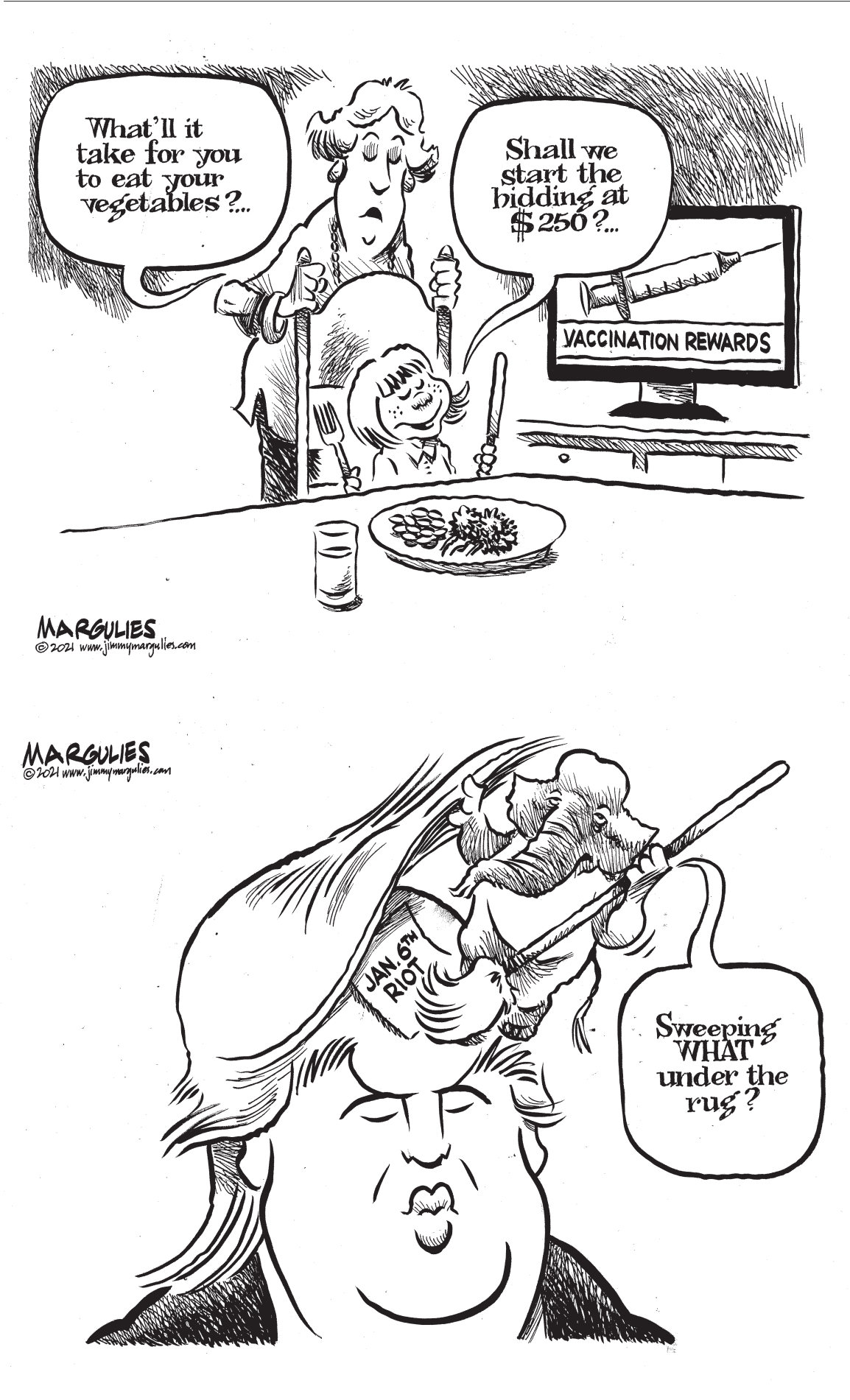
family. Despite their protests, the MacDowells were left standing by the empty tracks as the work train and the depot departed for Lamar.

Not only did the men move the depot, they also moved necessary outbuildings, cattle loading facilities, and equipment. The move was so timed that they reassembled everything in Lamar on a Sunday so that no court order nor injunction could be filed to stop the work.

When Amos Black returned from Pueblo, he was angry about being summoned there for nothing. Then when he stepped off the train onto what he thought was his ranch, he exploded. It was his depot all right, but the surroundings were not the same.

"Who stole my depot?" he roared. "Who is responsible for this?" With pistol in hand, he went in search of the responsible persons, but no one seemed to know anything. In the end, Black went home, walking the four miles to get there, and Lamar, with its "new" depot, was on its way to becoming the major city in southeastern Colorado.

George U. Hubbard is an author and a resident of Clarendon.



Making a living recording oral history

Dr. Stephen Sloan is head of Baylor's Institute for Oral History, recognized as one of the best in the country. Last semester he taught a course on the Vietnam War.

"All my students did interviews with Vietnam Veterans. One of my students came to me after one of his interviews and said, 'I had never heard of oral history. I want to do more of it. I really enjoyed it.' For students it's an eye opener. Something in a textbook can be quite distant and impersonal but it makes it very real and relational once they talk to someone who has experienced some of these events."

The archives at Baylor's Oral History Institute have more than 5,000 interviews, collected since the program started in 1970.

"We've always had good support and keep up to date with what the latest trend is."

Dr. Sloan teaches both graduate and undergraduate courses on interviewing and archiving. He also conducts online

workshops.

"Last spring with all that's happened with Corona Virus I pulled together an online workshop on how to do remote oral history as well. We got the National Oral History Association to sponsor it and we had over 500 participants from all around the world. Our next online workshop is scheduled for August."

Sometimes the interviews become part of an audio or video documentary on a specific topic.

"We've done all sorts of things with those interviews once we have them. We've done oral histories about liberating World War Two concentration camps; we've done theatrical productions, museum exhibits. There are several ways to use oral histories. Now



stories of texas
by tumbleweed smith

most of our interviews are on both audio and video. The first thing we do is capture the interview then build it into the collection. We transcribe everything we do, have the interviewee review it, the interviewer review it, and then it goes into the collection."

One student is doing interviews on how the pandemic has affected the homeless community in Waco.

"He's doing interviews with those who have been challenged in that way and also with folks who work with that segment of society."

In doing face-to-face interviews, students get to see and hear the interviewee's expressions of emotions.

"Students find out these individual stories can offer a very different picture of the history of something in a textbook. I think oral history is one of the most valuable things I do as a teacher. It certainly makes students more aware of the world."



The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular Tuesday noon meeting May 25, 2021, with Boss Lion Landon Lambert ringing the bell.

We had 16 members and four guests this week for our meeting, which was broadcast live on Facebook. Leta and Charlie Whitaker were guests of Lions Richard and Mary Green; Ben and Ella Estlack were guests of Lions Roger and Ashlee Estlack, and Matthew and Monroe Newhouse were guests of Lion Anndria Newhouse.

Lion Sandy Childress reported on The 'Wick where a successful citywide garage sale was held last week, dominoes and other games are set for June 19, and the annual Hoedown will be July 17.

Lion Scarlet Estlack reported on summer classes and campus beautification going on at the college, and Lion David Dockery said the aquatic center will open for business on Saturday with a grand opening from 3 to 5 p.m. on Friday.

The Boss Lion reported on a DWI task force meeting he attended in Austin last week. He also praised the 40 or so Lions, Scouts, Howardwick firemen, and community volunteers who showed up Monday afternoon to place about 500 flags on the graves of veterans at Citizens Cemetery. Those flags will need volunteers again to pick them up at 5 p.m. on Monday, June 7. "Many hands make light work."

The Boss also decreed that next Tuesday's meeting will be Patriotic or Hawaiian Clothes Day with all those participating getting lei-d by "El Jefe." He emphasized having fun and serving our community as important to driving membership, and other member recruitment ideas were discussed. The Boss reminded everyone that the club's 100th anniversary is coming up next year with the goal of 22 new members by next October.

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Local cotton farmers Walker and Erica McAnear from Clarendon submitted the winning photo for the BASF Cotton Variety Catalog contest recently and are featured on an online video. The video can be viewed at <https://youtu.be/8M5XBL0sA4g> as Walker talks about what quality means to him in terms of cotton production. Additionally, BASF is running a promotion on its Facebook page related to the photo. For every post that is shared, BASF will donate \$1, up to \$1,000, to Bread of Life Food Pantry, an organization chosen by the McAnears.

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Level: Intermediate

Fun By The Numbers

Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!

Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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Community Calendar

May 28 - May 30
Whistle Stop Flea Market • Open Every Friday and Saturday - 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sundays Noon to 5 p.m. • Whistle-Stop Trade Days, 1211 E 2nd St

May 28
Ribbon Cutting and Grand Opening for the Clarendon Aquatic Center • Friday @ 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. • Clarendon Aquatic Center, 401 S Kearney

May 28, 29 & 30
Cruella • Friday & Saturday @ 7:30 pm & Sunday @ 2:00 p.m. • Mulkey Theatre, 108 S. Kearney

May 28, 29, & 30
Disney Double Feature Cruella and Raya and the Last Dragon • Friday @ 7:30 p.m. • Sandell Drive-In

May 29
Aquatic Center Opening Day • Saturday @ 1:00 p.m. • The Clarendon Aquatic Center

June 4, 5 & 6
Cruella • Friday & Saturday @ 7:30 pm & Sunday @ 2:00 p.m. • Mulkey Theatre, 108 S. Kearney

June 5
Trash to Treasures Garage Sale Event • Saturday • Call 874-2259 for more information

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Menus

May 31 - June 4

Donley County Senior Citizens

Mon: Closed

Tue: Home style lasagna, Brussel sprouts, garlic bread, pears, iced tea/2% milk.

Wed: Herb roast chicken, potato wedges, peas & carrots, whole wheat roll, strawberries w/ whipped topping, iced tea/2% milk.

Thu: Roast beef, gravy, baked potato, buttered carrots, whole wheat roll, chocolate pudding, iced tea/2% milk.

Fri: Roast pork, gravy, succotash, whole wheat roll, banana pudding, iced tea/2% milk.

Hedley Senior Citizens
Breakfast
Mon: Closed
Tues: Chicken tenders, baked potato w/sour cream, peas & carrots, strawberries w/whipped topping, iced tea/2% milk.
Wed: Oven fried chicken, bow tie pasta, broccoli raisin salad, fruit cocktail, iced tea/2% milk.
Thu: Polish sausage and cabbage, pinto beans, potato salad, cornbread, peaches, iced tea/2% milk.
Fri: Chicken salad sandwich, tomato, lettuce, & pickles, carrot sticks, watermelon, iced tea/2% milk.

Fun activities

continue at DCSC

By Mary Lynn

Bingo Night at the Donley County Senior Citizens Center was a lively and fun-filled event last Thursday evening.

“Mr. Mac” was hugely entertaining as our caller, keeping everyone laughing all night. Good food, good crowd, and delightful fellowship made the evening a great success.

The third Thursday in June will be another “Music Night,” so mark your calendar.

Afternoon games on Tuesdays and Thursdays continue, and the Golden Needles are quilting every third Thursday as well.

Watch your Enterprise for announcements on “That Senior Thing.” Big plans and details are coming soon.

Remember to honor our fallen service men and women on Memorial Day Monday!

Jeffers named to

SNHU president’s list

Jeremy Jeffers of Clarendon has been named to Southern New Hampshire University’s Winter 2021 President’s List. The winter term runs from January to May.

Full-time students who have earned a minimum grade-point average of 3.700 and above are named to the President’s List.

Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) is a private, non-profit institution with an 88-year history of educating traditional-aged students and working adults. Learn more at www.snhu.edu.

H’wick planning several summer events

Another city-wide garage sale is under our belt; and by the amount of activity, everyone should have had a successful one. It was great seeing people again and getting hugs.

Many activities are planned for the summer here in Howardwick, beginning with Dancing on the Slab at McMorries Memorial Park on June 19 from 7-10 pm and every 3rd Saturday during the summer months. Come enjoy the live country music and old-time rock and roll.

The second activity is the annual Hoedown, which will be held

this year on July 17 with food, music, raffles (Jon boat donated by Parker Boats is grand prize, tickets currently on sale at City Hall), and many other activities for children and adults.

Dominoes and board games are also played each third Tuesday at the



‘wick picks
by peggy cockerham
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Wrapping up junior high with final days of fun

Last week was my last week of junior high, and it was an amazing week that was full of fun.

On Monday, the principal took us on a trip to the Mulkey to watch a movie and eat lunch. We watched “War with Grampa” and ate hamburgers and ice cream sundaes, and then we went back to the school where the Student Council and I had games for people to play for the rest of the day.

Then on Tuesday, we went

to the WAC (or Wellington Activity Center) and spent the entire day there having loads of fun.

They had lots of things to do like rock wall climbing, basketball, volleyball, batting cages, racquetball, bowling, and –



the cub reporter
by benjamin estlack



CCISD Service Recognition
Eleven Clarendon CISD employees were recognized for milestones in their careers with the school district last week. Those honored and shown here were: Cheryl Johnson - 15 years, Alton Gaines - 15 years, Kathy Benavidez - 25 years, Debbie Thompson - 15 years, Kasey Bell - 20 years, Corey Conkin - five years, Alix Snure - 10 years, Ron Burleson - 10 years, and Sonja O’Neal - 15 years. Not pictured: Tammi Lewis - 15 years and Leslie White - 30 years.

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CCISD Retirees
Clarendon CISD recognized several individuals on the occasion of their retirements this year. Those retiring were Larry Jeffers - 27 years, Dennis McMenamy - 13 years at CHS and 20 years in education, Pamela Hill - 26 years in education, Dee Ann Sears - 27 years, and former trustee Weldon Sears - 26 years on the board.

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Service Recognition
Clarendon’s Chuck Robertson, pictured here with his wife, Amanda, was honored April 29 as the Funeral Director of the Year and the annual meeting of the Panhandle Chapter of the Texas Funeral Directors Association. Robertson is the owner of Robertson Funeral Directors, serving the communities of Clarendon, Claude, Memphis, McLean, Shamrock, and Wheeler.

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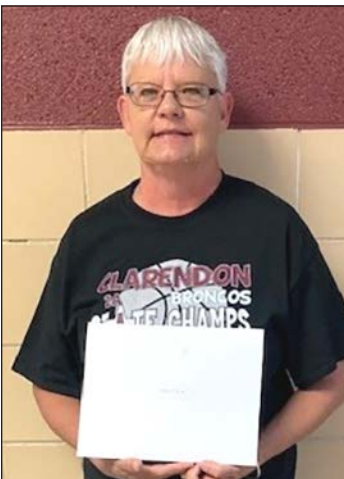
Community Center. Fun things are taking place in our community.

Bro. Jim Fox successfully held services at Howardwick Baptist Church on Sunday and plans to continue as long as he is healthy. If you are unable to attend services, you may find a live feed at First Baptist Church of Howardwick beginning each Sunday at 10 a.m.

Continue with prayers for the sick, our country, military, first responders, and law enforcement. God Bless America!

my favorite – the arcade. I enjoyed the arcade the most out everything because we got to play pool, and I got to show off to my friends at my amazing pool skills.

On Wednesday we had a half day and got to hang out with all of our friends for the entire day. Then on Thursday, we had our awards ceremony where the principle gives you awards for things you did throughout the year. In all it was a very fun way to end the school year.



Theives:
Continued from page one.
Office, the Hall County Sheriff’s Office, the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department, Associated Ambulance Authority, and Finch Ranch Helicopter Service all joined the hunt, that led to the eventual apprehension of Skyler Grimes, 30, of Amarillo and Rheanna Moore, 22, of Panhandle. Both women were charged with two counts of Evading Arrest in a Motor Vehicle, Engaging in Organized Criminal Activity, and Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle.

All four suspects were still in the Donley County Jail Tuesday morning.

“We could not have done this case without the help of other agencies, particularly our local firemen and Finch Ranch Helicopter,” Blackburn said.



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Obituaries

Skelton

Frances Skelton, a lifelong resident of Clarendon, Texas passed away May 18, 2021. After a private burial at Citizens Cemetery conducted by Robertson



Skelton

Funeral Home, services were held on Saturday, May 22 at the First Methodist Church in Clarendon with Reverend Stephan Gilkey officiating.

Born to Buel and Eva Sanford on June 19, 1919, Frances joined the First United Methodist Church when she was 13 and continued to be a faithful member throughout her life. She graduated from Clarendon High School in 1936 and attended Clarendon College.

She married Willard H. Skelton

on July 30, 1937, and they had three children. He preceded her in death in 2005. In earlier years Frances taught kindergarten and worked for Skelton Candy Company while her husband served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. She lived briefly in San Diego with him, often recounting memories of boarding the train in Amarillo with a toddler and baby to make the sleepless journey to California.

In 1977 Frances and Willard organized the Fellowship Sunday School Class, and in the middle 1990s, that same class recognized Frances and Willard for 50 years of leadership and dedicated service to the church. She served as church secretary for many years and was active in all aspects of her church. Frances was awarded a Lifetime Membership as a charter member of the Clarendon County Club where she was a member of the Ladies Golf Association, was a member of the Les Beaux Arts Club, and was a volunteer for Meals on Wheels, still helping with deliveries when she was 100. In 2005 she received

the Saints' Roost Award for lifetime achievement and dedication to the community by the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce.

Frances had a passion for card games and was an avid bridge player her entire adult life. She enjoyed many years on the golf course as a player and as an active tournament volunteer. She had a zest for life and a ready smile for everyone she met. She was first and always a wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother and great-great grandmother.

Frances was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, her sister Pauline Oswalt, and five grandchildren. Survivors include her children Paula Odom (Gene), Sandy Skelton (Diane), and Candy Scarborough (Charles), eight grandchildren, thirteen great grandchildren, one great-great grandchild, three nieces, and two great-nieces.

The family suggests memorials be sent to the First Methodist Church in Clarendon, PO Box 157, 79226.

Sign the online guestbook at www.robertsonfuneral.com



Zander Castillo enjoys the waterslide during playday at Hedley ISD last week.

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Leandra Mestas gives the closing prayer.

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Hedley senior, Esteban Carreon has signed to enlist in the US Army.

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Josh Garcia receives his diploma from school board president, Dana Bell.

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CLUES ACROSS

- College group
- Small morsels of food
- Actress Dunham
- Puts a limit on
- Used for baking or drying
- Commercial
- Zookeeper Bindi
- Walk in one's sleep
- The Great Lakes State
- Winter sport
- A thin layer on something
- Peacock network
- Give birth to a lamb or kid
- "Too Scared to Cry" author
- Nose
- Friend
- Country music legend Haggard
- Curved
- More deformed
- Bleated
- Set on its end
- An aspect of Ra
- Releasing hormone (abbr.)
- Harsh, grating noise
- Francisco
- Common Japanese surname
- Punish with an arbitrary penalty
- Football position (abbr.)
- Not in the know
- African antelope
- Popular tech (abbr.)
- Baseball teams get three of them
- Make up one's mind
- Spumante (Italian wine)
- Martens
- Susan and Tom are two

CLUES DOWN

- Excessively showy
- Put an end to
- Blood disorder
- Ingredient in wine
- Shellfish
- Made smaller
- We
- The Treasure State
- Ekland, actress
- Male parent
- One hundredth of a watt (abbr.)
- Dish of minced meat
- Smothered laugh
- Article
- Atomic #12
- Small parrot
- Fictional "Star Wars" planet
- French wine grape
- Football stat (abbr.)
- Sound unit
- Where you sleep
- University of Dayton
- Miller beer offering
- Feel embarrassed
- Able to be estimated
- Commune in NW France
- Adult female chicken
- Intergovernmental organization
- Archaic term for until
- That which is not sacred
- Sound made in speech
- Handgun (slang)
- Fill up again
- Evoke or awaken
- Beam Me Up, __!
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Several Clarendon Bronco baseball players were recognized last week with all-district honors. Those honored were Brock Hatley, Pitcher of the Year; Lyric Smith, Newcomer of the Year; Easton Frausto, First Team Infield; Aiden Caudle, First Team Catcher; Jordan Herndon, First Team All-District Utility Player; Jodee Pigg, Second Team Outfield; and Harrison Howard, Second Team Pitcher. Three Broncos also received Honorable Mention recognitions, including Koyt Tucek, Calder Havens, and Rhett Caison.

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Museum event set June 12

Fundraiser to help build new transportation complex

The Saints' Roost Museum and Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department are teaming up to sponsor a fundraiser benefiting the "Wheels of History" Transportation Complex.

Due to COVID restrictions in December 2020, the Museum was unable to host its Annual Christmas Reverse Drawing Benefit, therefore the Museum and Clarendon VFD will jointly host a Reverse Drawing to raise funds for a new transportation building.

The joint fundraiser is scheduled for June 12, 2021 at the Rodeo Grounds Dance Slab. There will be food, live music, reverse drawing,

and loads of fun. Tickets are \$50 and may be purchased from any Museum Board Member or Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department Member. Gates open at 6pm. The Martin Band will provide live music. Some lucky person will win \$5,000 with the remaining proceeds going toward the building project.

The "Wheels of History" Transportation Complex will be built on the museum grounds to house: a 1906 Bain chuck wagon, restored and donated by Johnny Brumley; a 1927 Seagrave fire truck donated by the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department; a 1923 Model T donated by

Dr. Keith C. Hudson; and a buggy purchased by W. J. Lewis, Jr. and donated by Bobby and Jenks Boston.

A total of approximately \$200,000 will be needed to construct this new building to preserve these valuable pieces of transportation history.

If you purchased a ticket for the original Museum Christmas Party Benefit that was scheduled for December 5, 2020, your ticket remains valid for the upcoming fundraiser on June 12.

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Property owners have the right to protest actions concerning their property tax appraisals. You may follow these appeal procedures if you have a concern about:

- the appraised (market) value of your property
- the unequal value of your property compared with other properties
- the inclusion of your property on the appraisal roll
- any exemptions that may apply to you
- the qualification for an agricultural or timber appraisal
- the taxing units taxing your property
- the property ownership
- the change of use of land receiving special appraisal
- failure of the chief appraiser or appraisal review board (ARB) to send a required notice
- any action taken by the chief appraiser, appraisal district (CAD) or ARB that applies to and adversely affects you.

Informal Review

For information about informal review and obtaining property tax records, call your appraisal district at the number listed on the Notice of Appraised Value.

Review by the ARB

If you cannot resolve your problem informally with the CAD, you may file a notice of protest requesting to have your case heard by the ARB.

The ARB is an independent board of citizens that hears and determines protests regarding property appraisals or other concerns listed above. It has the power to order the CAD to make the necessary changes based on evidence heard during the ARB hearing.

If you file a written request for an ARB hearing (notice of protest) before the deadline, the ARB will set your case for a hearing and send you written notice of the time, date and place of the hearing. If necessary, you may request a hearing in the evening or on a Saturday or Sunday. You may use Comptroller Form 50-132, *Property Appraisal - Notice of Protest*, to file your written request for an ARB hearing.

Prior to your hearing, you may ask to review the evidence the CAD plans to introduce at the hearing to establish any matter at issue. Before a hearing on a protest or immediately after the hearing begins, you or your agent and the CAD are required to provide each other with a copy of any materials (evidence) intended to be offered or submitted to the ARB at the hearing. Evidence may be submitted for any hearing type either in paper or on a small portable electronic device (such as a CD, USB flash drive or thumb drive) which will be kept by the ARB. Do NOT bring evidence on a smart phone. The ARB's hearing procedures regarding all the requirements to properly submit evidence on a small portable electronic device must be reviewed.

To the greatest extent practicable, the hearing will be informal. You or a designated agent may appear in person or you may by telephone conference call or submission of written affidavit to present your evidence, facts and argument.

Deadline for Filing Protest with the ARB*

Usual Deadline:

Not later than May 15 (or within 30 days after a notice of appraised value was mailed to you, whichever is later).

Late protests are allowed for good cause if you miss the usual deadline. The ARB decides whether you have a good cause. Late protests are not allowed after the ARB approves the appraisal records for the year.

Special Deadlines

For change of use (the appraisal district informed you that you are losing agricultural appraisal because you changed the use of your land), the deadline is not later than the 30th day after the notice of the determination was delivered to you.

If you decide to participate by telephone conference call, you must provide your evidence to the ARB with a written affidavit before the ARB hearing begins. You may use the Comptroller Form 50-283, *Property Owner's Affidavit of Evidence to the Appraisal Review Board*, to submit evidence for your telephone conference call hearing or for the hearing by affidavit.

You and the CAD representative have the opportunity to present evidence about your case. You may cross-examine the CAD representative. The ARB will make its decision based on the evidence presented by both parties. In most cases, the CAD has the burden of establishing the property's value by a preponderance of the evidence presented.

In certain protests, the chief appraiser has the burden of proving the property's value by clear and convincing evidence. You should review ARB hearing procedures to learn more about evidence and related matters.

You should not try to contact ARB members outside of the hearing. ARB members are required to sign an affidavit saying that they have not talked about your case before the ARB hears it.

Review by the District Court, an Arbitrator or SOAH

After it decides your case, the ARB must send you a copy of its order by certified mail. If you are not satisfied with the ARB's decision, you have the right to appeal to district court. As an alternative to district court, you may appeal through binding arbitration or the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) if you meet the qualifying criteria.

If you choose to go to district court, you must start the process by filing a petition with the district court within 60 days of the date you receive the ARB's order. If you choose to appeal through binding arbitration, you must file a request for binding arbitration with the CAD not later than the 45th day after you receive notice of the ARB order. If you choose to appeal to the SOAH, you must file an appeal with the CAD not later than the 30th day after you receive notice of the ARB's order. Appeals to district court, binding arbitration or SOAH all require payment of certain fees or deposits.

Tax Payment

You must pay either the amount of taxes due on the portion of the taxable value not in dispute, the amount of taxes due on the property under the order from which the appeal is taken or the amount of taxes due in the previous year.

More Information

You can get more information by contacting your appraisal district at the address and telephone number shown on the Notice of Appraised Value. You can get Comptroller forms and additional information on how to prepare a protest from the Comptroller's website at comptroller.texas.gov/taxes/property-tax/.

For ARB changes (the ARB has informed you of a change that increases your tax liability and the change did not result from taxes you filed), the deadline is not later than the 30th day after the notice of the change was delivered to you.

If you believe the CAD or ARB should have sent you a notice and did not, you may file a protest until the day before taxes become delinquent (usually February 1) or no later than the 125th day after the date you claim you received a tax bill from one or more of the taxing units that tax your property. The ARB decides whether it will hear your case based on evidence about whether a required notice was mailed to you.

* The deadline is postponed to the next business day if it falls on a weekend or legal, state or national holiday.

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FOR SALE

SALE OF SCHOOL BUS: Hedley ISD is accepting offers on a 1996 International Diesel, 132K miles, 41 passenger bus, \$5000.00 or best offer. Accepting offers from April 26, 2021 - June 1, 2021.

PUBLIC NOTICE

AUCTION
Donley County will invite sealed bids for a 2015 4 WD Tahoe, milage 104,523. The vehicle can be viewed outside the sheriff's office. Bids may be submitted to the Donley County Judge's office in the Courthouse. Bids will be opened by the Commissioners Court on June 14th. Vehicle will be sold as is and with no warranty. Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of ALLEN RAY RICHTER, Deceased, were issued on May 13, 2021, in Cause No. CPR-21-03228, pending in the County Court of Donley County, Texas, to: BARBARA FAYE RICHTER. 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: James T. Shelton Attorney at Law
PO Box 1370 CLARENDON, TX 79226
DATED the 21 day of May, 2021.
[s]James T. Shelton
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FACILITIES AVAILABLE - Family Reunions, Receptions, Business Meetings, Club Functions, and more. Clarendon Lions Hall, 111 W. Fourth. Call 874-2259 for rental information.

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Remember On Memorial Day

Memorial Day is a day to remember. We especially want to remember and honor people who have served and died in service to our country. Across our country we build, name or do things to honor people we want to remember. These memorials can be anything from a prayer service to a bridge! They help to keep memories alive. They let us cherish our freedom.

Fill in the puzzle with the names of things and places that honor our leaders and war heroes:

- Mount _____ in South Dakota has the faces of four presidents carved on a granite cliff.
- The USS _____ (Hawaii) is a floating memorial where the ship was sunk in Pearl Harbor.
- A beautiful marble building in Washington, D.C. with a statue of our 16th president seated inside is called the _____ Memorial.
- Many U.S. heroes are buried in the _____ National Cemetery in Virginia.
- This four-sided pillar in Washington D.C. is 555 feet high. It honors our country's first president and is called the _____ Monument.
- The _____ Statue shows Marines raising the U.S. flag after a World War II battle.
- The _____ Veterans Memorial in our nation's capital is a black-granite wall engraved with the names of service men and women who died or are missing in the Vietnam War.
- Fort _____ in Maryland defended our country against the British in the War of 1812. The battle moved Francis Scott Key to write "The Star Spangled Banner."
- The Tomb of the Unknown _____ in Arlington National Cemetery is dedicated to Americans killed in our wars, but whose bodies could not be identified.
- This circular building in D.C. with a statue of our third president is called the _____ Memorial.
- Dedicated in 2004, the _____ II Memorial in Washington honors those who served, the 400,000 who died, and those who supported our nation in that war.
- The _____ National Military Park marks a terrible battle that marked the Civil War's turning point. Abraham Lincoln made a famous famous speech here.

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World War

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I think my doctor is a veteran...

I think your doctor is a veteran and a veterinarian!



Flag service
Members of Clarendon Scouts BSA Troops 433 and 4433 retired old colors and posted new flags at Citizens Cemetery Monday afternoon in preparation of the Memorial Day weekend. The new flags were donated by the VFW Ladies Auxiliary. ENTERPRISE PHOTOS

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Grand Opening

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No swimming will allowed during the Grand Opening. The Center will open for regular operation at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 29. Annual passes are available at City Hall.



Wheels of History FUNDRAISER

Join the Saints' Roost Museum and the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department for a joint fundraiser to help build a new Transportation Complex, featuring Clarendon's 1927 Sea-graves pumper, a Johnny Brumley's 1906 Bain Chuckwagon, Williard Hudson's 1923 Model-T, and other exhibits!

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