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

Head Start sign-ups for 2023-2024

Head Start is currently taking applications for the 2023-2024 school year at Clarendon CISD.

Applications are being taken on April 4 and 5. Your child must be 4 years old by September 1, 2023. Call the Elementary Office at 806-310-7760 and set up an appointment. You must bring proof of child's age and immunization record, proof of income, proof of public assistance/Services (TANF, 551, Medicaid) and Documentation of Child's Disability (if applicable).

You must meet one of the following to qualify: Family meets income guidelines, family receives TANF or 551, or child is in foster care or homeless.

Tree sales underway

The Donley County Soil & Water Conservation District is taking orders for is spring tree sales now through March 25.

A variety of shrubs, trees, and ornamental grasses are being offered. Order forms are available at the USDA offices at Fourth and Sully. Those interested may stop by or call Mona at 806-874-3561 or 817-648-8351.

CVFD, EMS to hold fundraiser April 1

The Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department and the Associated Ambulance Authority EMS will be holding a breakfast and lunch fundraiser Saturday, April 1, from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Breakfast until 10 a.m. will feature pancakes and burritos; and lunch starting at 11 a.m. will be hamburgers and French fries.

The event will be held at the Clarendon Fire Hall at 112 S. Sully, and take-out or dine-in options will both be available.

The fundraiser coincides with the Clarendon College Invitational Judging Contest, the Lions Club's Chance Mark Jones Roar & Run 5K, and the Pony Parents Community Easter Egg Hunt, all that morning.

Alliance plans Palm Sunday services

The Donley County Ministerial Alliance will hold a community Palm Sunday service on April 2 at 6 p.m. at Community Fellowship Church with Clarendon First United Methodist Pastor Ryan Quist delivering the message.

Good Friday service planned in Groom

Good Friday Services are planned and the public is invited to reflect on the Passion and Death of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on Good Friday, April 7, at The Cross in Groom from 1 to 3 p.m. An Easter Sunrise Service at the Cross will be held April 9 at 7 a.m. Refreshments and fellowship will follow.



Houston winner

Donley County 4-H member Parker Haynes placed fourth with his steer at the Houston Livestock Show with his Heavy Lightweight Black Cross. Other local 4-H members also did well this year. See page four of this week's Enterprise for more information about how local youth fared in Houston.

COURTESY PHOTO

Mulkey Game Night to be held March 30

The Mulkey Theatre will have fun for all ages next Thursday, March 30, during its first Family Game Night.

Starting at 6 p.m., multiple games of five different genres will be held for those in attendance. The

well-known games like Pictionary, Charades, Minute to Win It, Watch Ya Mouth, and Friendly Feud (similar to Family Feud) are perfect for everyone, young or old. Gift certificates from local businesses will be given as prizes.

Family Game Night is the first of several Thursday Night Live events Mulkey managers are planning for this year.

Admission to the Game Night will be just \$5 for all ages, and the concession stand will be serving

Frito Pies and nachos in addition to the regular menu.

The evening is sponsored by Mike's Pharmacy, Shelton & Shelton Attorneys-at-Law, Herring Bank, and THE CLARENDON ENTERPRISE.

First grade learning financial literacy

Clarendon first graders in Mrs. Wann's class have been learning the basics of financial literacy through a game called "The Game of Life."

Through this process, the kids have learned about income. They receive a paycheck for coming to school (it is their job). For expenses, they pay rent, cleaning charges, and other bills weekly. They also practiced savings; they tell the bank how much money they want to put into savings each week.

Students have seen an inflation of prices, unexpected expenses arise, and on Fridays they shop in the classroom store with the money they have left. If they do not have money, they have learned how to barter for their needs.

Learning the difference between needs and wants, as seven-year-olds, they have learned that wants are the most things, but their needs are the most important.

To top off the game Mrs. Zonker's high school accounting class came a couple of days and played Jr. Monopoly with the students.

"This has been such a fun game and eye-opening experience for these littles," Mrs. Wann said.



Clarendon first graders in Mrs. Wann's class play Junior Monopoly with high school students as part of a financial literacy program called "The Game of Life."

COURTESY PHOTOS

Registration still open for Jones 5K race Event to be April 1

The 11th annual Chance Mark Jones Roar & Run 5K will be held Saturday, April 1, at the Donley County Courthouse.

The Clarendon Lions Club is hosting the event again in memory of the late Chance Mark Jones to raise awareness of Child Abuse. Jones passed away in January 2011 as a result of abuse.

Those interested in running or walking the 5K (about 3.1 miles) are encouraged to sign up. A "sleep-in" option is also available for those who want to support the cause. Registrations are \$30 each.

The year's 5K will again start and end at the Courthouse and will run through the city, around Prospect Park, which is the home of the Lions' Chance Mark Jones Memorial Playground, and past several historic sites. The race will begin at 8:30 a.m.

Race registrations are available at the Clarendon Visitor Center at the Mulkey Theatre or at the Enterprise.

Proceeds will go towards the many charitable activities of the Clarendon Lions Club, which includes eyeglasses for local school kids, Christmas food baskets for local families, hosting the local office of The Bridge - Children's Advocacy Center, local scholarships, continued park improvements, and monetary support for other local charities.

For more information, contact the Visitor Center at 806-874-2421.

Raffle to help fund Library books, repairs

The Friends of the Library met for their monthly meeting, Wednesday, March 15, with discussion centered on the raffle for the Dallas Cowboy memorabilia collection.

The group voted to extend the raffle until July 1, the date of this year's Herring Bank Parade and the Saints' Roost Celebration. The previous deadline for buying raffle tickets was March 31. With lots of people attending the parade and festivities on July 1, the Friends hope for a better turnout.

Some of the current needs the library has are refinishing or protection coat of the wood on the building, which may cost more than the library's budget allows, and new children's books, which get rough handling.

The raffle sales will continue through July 1 with the drawing at the end of the day. Tickets may be purchased at the Burton Memorial Library, 217 S. Kearney St., Clarendon, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. weekdays. Ticket cost is \$1 each or six tickets for \$5.

The cabinet that is holding the Cowboys collection will also be raffled separately. When buying your raffle tickets, tell the staff which you are purchasing for.

TxDOT campaigns to reduce pedestrian, biker deaths

At just 14 years old, Alexei Bauereis was struck and killed while walking his bike across a crosswalk in Austin, cutting short his young life and promising ballet career.

"He was on the verge of that stage where you find out how you stack up against professionals," Alexei's dad Eric Bauereis said.

Alexei is just one of many tragic deaths on Texas roads every year. Each one takes someone special from their family, friends and community. This spring, as warm weather brings out pedestrians and cyclists, TxDOT and the Bauereis family are reminding drivers why it's important to follow traffic safety

laws, including stopping for pedestrians in crosswalks.

"We have a shared responsibility to every member of our community - to every family and every individual - to help reverse these trends and reduce traffic fatalities in Texas," said TxDOT Executive Director Marc Williams. "We're asking all Texans to watch out for one another whether you're behind the wheel, on foot, or on a bike. Obeying traffic safety laws is a critical first step."

In 2021, 935 people died in pedestrian and bicyclist-related traffic crashes in Texas, accounting for one out of every five of the 4,496

fatalities on state roadways. In the five-year period from 2017 to 2021, pedestrian fatalities resulting from traffic crashes increased 34% and bicyclist fatalities increased 58%.

TxDOT's "Be Safe. Drive Smart." campaign urges all Texans to know and follow the laws for safe driving, walking and biking. That includes the Lisa Torry Smith Act, which went into effect in 2021. Named after a Texas mom who was struck and killed in a crosswalk while walking her six-year-old son to school, the law requires drivers to stop and yield the right of way to people in crosswalks. Motorists who fail to stop and yield and cause seri-

ous injury to someone in a crosswalk can face criminal penalties.

Texas law states that if you're driving: Stop and yield for pedestrians, bicyclists and other vulnerable road users in crosswalks. When turning, yield the right of way to pedestrians and bicyclists. Pass bikes at a safe distance and give bicyclists room to ride.

If you're walking: Cross the street only at intersections and crosswalks. Obey all traffic signs and signals, including at crosswalks. Use sidewalks. If there's no sidewalk, walk on the left side of the road, facing oncoming traffic.

If you're riding a bike: Always

stop at red lights and stop signs. Ride in the same direction as traffic and use bike lanes or ride as near as possible to the right-hand curb. Use hand signals when turning or stopping. At night, make sure your bike has a white light on the front and a red light or reflector on the back.

TxDOT's "Be Safe. Drive Smart." campaign and pedestrian and bicyclist safety initiative are components of #EndTheStreakTX, a broader social media and word-of-mouth effort that encourages drivers to make safer choices while behind the wheel to help end the streak of daily deaths. November 7, 2000, was the last deathless day on Texas roads.



Conserving Texas lands for future

By State Rep. Justin Holland

Every year, Texas loses nearly 250,000 acres of land to development. Rural working lands that make up the wide-open spaces definitive of the Texas character are evaporating at an alarming rate.

Not only are these lands meant to be enjoyed by Texans, but they work every day to provide the food we eat and the water we drink. I consider it our responsibility as Texans and custodians of this land to pass on a state where my great-great-grandchildren will be able to enjoy the Texas outdoors, parks, wildlife and nature. That's why I am proud to introduce landmark legislation in the Texas House calling for the creation of the Texas Land and Water Conservation Fund.

The fund is a once-in-a-generation opportunity afforded to us because of the excess in our state's Rainy Day Fund. As my colleagues and I carefully consider important priorities like infrastructure investment, we must also make a meaningful and lasting investment in Texas lands and waters.

Our state continues to attract new people and new industry. We are blessed to have weathered tough times and continue to be one of the nation's strongest economies and attractive places to do business. Our economic success comes in part because of the unique lands that make up Texas. I truly believe that our land is our greatest asset, and it cannot be replicated once it is lost.

We must take bold steps to preserve the landscape and culture that makes Texas a great place to live. Texas is home to 7 of the top 15 most rapidly growing cities in the country. Research also shows that 78% of Texas counties will not have sufficient parks in the coming decades.

Texas needs additional parks, open spaces and natural habitats to preserve our quality of life, provide food and fiber and clean water, and to support the multibillion-dollar agricultural and outdoor recreation economy.

The Texas Land and Water Conservation Fund would provide a significant, long-term state funding source for enhanced conservation efforts across the Lone Star State. The \$2 billion investment can be dedicated as either a trust fund or an endowment.

It would provide grants for projects that support, enhance and protect state and local parks and recreation areas, working agricultural lands, water resources, wildlife habitat areas, and more. The fund could support the acquisition of land to expand state parks.

The bill provides base eligibility guidelines for funded projects and ensures that 50% of the funds go toward the conservation of agricultural lands, water resources and wildlife habitat, while the other 50% of the funds go toward state and local parks, wildlife management areas and other public access conservation projects.

The legislation would also establish a governing board for the fund led by a representative from the General Land Office and including others from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board and Texas Water Development Board.

More than 50 of the state's leading land and water conservation, agricultural, wildlife and sportsmen's organizations have formed the Texas Land and Water Conservation Coalition to support this effort. These groups represent thousands of Texans from all walks of life, connected by a desire to protect Texas for the next generation.

I am confident my fellow lawmakers will pass this important and historic measure and give Texas voters the opportunity to codify this investment with a constitutional amendment. We have a unique chance to fund meaningful land and water conservation that will echo for generations to come.

Justin Holland is a state representative from Rockwall.



German residents organized 'beef club'

When the German immigrants were getting established in the Muenster, Texas area in the late 1800s, living conditions were difficult. Money was scarce, and things to spend it on were also scarce. As was the case with most fledgling communities, the settlers had to be resourceful and innovative. Thus, in the Muenster area, a "beef club" was organized.

Each week, a club member would kill and butcher a cow. Then on Saturday, the cow's owner would spread a white sheet over the bed of his wagon

and lay the various cuts of meat on the sheet. The owner then spread a second sheet over the cuts of meat to protect them from flies, dust, and other impurities. With the sheets securely in place, the owner drove the wagon around to the farms and homes of



vignettes
tales of the old west
by george u. hubbard

the other club members. At each stop, the resident selected the cut of meat he desired and took it from the wagon, free of charge.

Each week a different club member would repeat the process, and in this manner, meat was provided by every club member on a rotating basis. It was a cooperative procedure in which the German immigrants shared equally with one another in their time of need.

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



Coaching beyond the game of football

The Texas High School Coaches Association – organized by 28 coaches in 1930 – now has a membership of some 24,000. It also has an education foundation that introduced the "Grant Teaff Coaching Beyond the Game Award" a decade ago.

If it's not the most coveted, it should be, this award made annually to a coach who has most impacted the "team, school and community" far beyond sports.

Teaff – transforming the Baylor University football program into prominence a half century ago – himself was an honoree. Now, add Jeff Dixon to the list....

Dixon retired last spring after 37 years of coaching football, the last 17 at Alvarado High School, where numerous previous coaches had experienced limited success.

He led his teams to 12 straight play-offs, and later, when athletic director duties were added, other sports began to shine.

He's cut from the same cloth as legendary "Rusty" Russell, who led Masonic Home to phenomenal high school football glory. Remember the recent popular movie, Twelve Mighty Orphans?....

Folks who know Dixon best believe his mission of molding young men into productive citizens is far more important than the x's and o's of the game.

They didn't figure his "retirement" would last long, and it didn't. Recently, he was named head football coach at Fort Worth's Southwest Christian High School.

At age 59, his passion to help youngsters is rekindled....

Dixon, as humble as any person I've ever known, is soft-spoken, not given to hyperbole. Even in his 20-minute acceptance speech for the Teaff award, he spread credit liberally to others who've inspired him, including Amanda, his wife of 38 years, and children Tyler, Maggie and Faith.

He briefly referenced his deep concern for a second-team running back at Katy High School who ran afoul of the law back in 2000. Caught up in the drug addiction all around him, Anansi Flaherty pled guilty to murdering his mother....

Dixon understands that the then 18-year-old needed to pay for the horrible misdeed, but the youngster's plight has always clouded his mind. "He has been so alone," the coach said.

Anansi – who never knew his father and has spoken with him just once—had been warehoused alone as a sophomore in a shabby apartment near the high school. He spent most of his extra hours hanging around the coaches' offices, choosing to be there than alone in his apartment.

Dixon advised Anansi to plead guilty, who was sentenced to 30 years in prison. Dixon and his family have been his only visitors during these past two decades of confinement. They've provided money, sent basic-need items and regularly replaced Bibles....

Kevin Sherrington, veteran sports-

writer for the Dallas Morning News and arguably the best since Dallas' Blackie Sherrod, learned about Anansi and the Dixons.

He wrote a touching piece in 2008. (The column free link is: https://speakerdoc.com/columns/Scan_0223.pdf).

It centers on Anansi's positive approach while serving time. Clearly, Dixon and his family "rubbed off" on the now 39-year-old who has served 20 years and is now eligible for parole....

Anansi and Jeff have exchanged hundreds of letters, plenty for a book Anansi hopes to write one day.

He references the many ways he has been befriended, perhaps most thankful for the countless Bibles the Dixons have sent him.

Now a passionate Christian, he tries to protect the scriptures, but others in confinement remove the pages to use for rolling drugs and such....

In one letter, he wrote of dreams about his release that was denied earlier this year when eligibility for parole was reached. He – and the Dixons – are undeterred.

He wants to live near the Dixons when he achieves parole, calling them "the closest thing to family I've ever known." The family urges him to keep his head up. He does, and they do....

In 1986, I was privileged to hand Howard Payne University diplomas to Jeff and Amanda.

The usual wording about "privileges and responsibilities" were printed thereon.

The privilege was mine....

Dr. Newbury, longtime university president, has written weekly since 2003 and continues to speak c Texas. Contact: 817-447-3872.

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Obituaries

Garland

Jimmy Lynn Garland, 84, of Goodnight passed away on Thursday, March 16, 2023, in Amarillo.

Funeral services were held on Monday, March 20, 2023, at First Baptist Church of Clarendon with Rev. Lance Wood officiating. Burial followed in Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon.



Garland

Arrangements are under the direction Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Jimmy was born on August 14, 1938, in Goodnight to AJ and Alberta (Reed) Garland. He started working at the young age of nine working cattle. He attended Goodnight High School and graduated from Clarendon High School. He was also a graduate of Clarendon JR College and Sul Ross University. He served in the National Guard. He was a farmer and rancher most of his life. He obtained his Realtor Broker license in 1970. He started to work at First National Bank of Memphis. He later worked at First National Bank of Amarillo as a cattle inspector. He started at First Bank & Trust of Clarendon in 1981. He opened Pilgrim's Bank in 1998 until his retirement in 2000. He then did his Realty business full time. He actually closed his last deal in February 2023.

His hobbies were hunting, bird-

dogs, shooting sports (trap, skeet, sporting clays). He enjoyed traveling to places to shoot and made lifelong friendships. He enjoyed watching his grandchildren grow up and his great grandchild grow up.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Audrey Beth Garland; and brother, Marion Dave Garland.

He is survived by his son, Stan Garland of Quanah; daughter, Twanna Kiker and husband, Richie, of Allison; grandson, Matt Kiker and wife, Kinsey, of Allison; granddaughter, Kaylynn Kerns and husband, Matt, of Kansas City, Missouri; great-grandson, Keegan Kiker; nephew, Allen Garland and wife, Neyra, of Dumas; niece, Kelly Strawn and husband, Duane, of Mansfield; as well as numerous great nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Clarendon Masonic Lodge #700, PO Box 932, Clarendon, TX, 79226.

Sign our online guest book at www.robertsonfuneral.com.

Kramer

Owen Merle Kramer, 91, of Skellytown, formerly of Clarendon died Thursday, March 16, 2023, in Pampa.



Kramer

Services were held on Monday, March 20, 2023, in the First Assembly of God Church in Clarendon with Rev. Matthew Stidham and Rev. Carter Pirtle, officiating. Burial followed in Edith

Ford Memorial Cemetery in Canadian.

Arrangements are by Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Merle was born July 15, 1931, in Skellytown to John Joseph and Stella Mae Owens Kramer. He married Beatrice Swann Farrington on April 14, 1984 in Pampa. Merle had been a longtime resident of Skellytown and Clarendon where he was a carpenter. Merle's whole world was carpentry. He built many houses in the time he worked as a carpenter and helped build the First Assembly of God in Clarendon. Merle also worked as a welder for several years. Merle also enjoyed building bird houses and gardening. He was member of the First Assembly of God in Clarendon and attended the First Baptist Church in Skellytown.

He is preceded in death by his parents; a stepson, Mark Farrington; a brother, John R. Kramer; and a grandson, John Brodick Strickland.

Survivors include his wife, Bette Kramer of Skellytown; his sons, Kevin Farrington and wife Sandra and Marvin Kramer and wife Sherry all of Skellytown; his daughters, Kathy Caruth and companion Glen Carpenter of St. Johns, Arizona, Rita Kramer of Skellytown and Cyndy Smith of Kileen; two sisters, Mary Jo Terry and husband Leon of Orange, Texas and Anna Davis and husband Marvin of Springfield, Missouri; 17 grandchildren; 10 great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

The family request memorials be sent to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION and SPECIAL ELECTION To the registered voters of Hedley, Texas

On Saturday, May 6, 2023, a City Election will be held to vote for the following purpose:

Three (3) Alderman for 2 year terms ending May 2025

Notice is hereby given the polling places listed below will be open 7:00 am to 7:00 pm, on May 6, 2023 for voting.

Location of Polling Places:
Hedley City Hall
109 Main St
Hedley, Texas 79237

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each work day between 1:00pm and 5:00pm Monday, April 24, 2023 through Tuesday, May 2, 2023

Early voting will be held at Hedley City Hall, 109 Main St

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
Early Voting Clerk
109 Main St
Hedley, Texas 79237

Applications for ballot by mail must be received, not postmarked, no later than the close of business on Tuesday, April 25, 2023 by 5:00pm

Last day to receive ballot by mail is Saturday, May 6, 2023 at 7:00pm

Issued this 3rd day of April, 2023

Signature of Presiding Officer, Carrie Butler, Mayor

Clarendon Elementary Pony Parents

Community Easter

APRIL 1ST

FREE Egg Hunts *Bicycle Prizes for each age group*

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¿Qué Pasa?

Community Calendar

- March 23**
Broncos & Lady Broncos Track @ Childress
- March 24**
Broncos v Kress • 4:00 p.m. • Home
- March 24**
Lady Broncos v Fritch • 4:00 p.m. • Home
- March 24 & 25**
Jesus Revolution • 7:30 p.m. • Mulkey Theater
- March 26**
Jesus Revolution • 2:00 p.m. • Mulkey Theater
- March 27**
Broncos & Lady Broncos Golf @ Shamrock
- March 28**
Broncos v Wellington • 4:00 p.m. • Home
- March 28**
Lady Broncos v Fritch • 4:00 p.m. • Home
- March 30**
Family Game Night • 6:00 p.m. • Mulkey Theater
- March 31**
Broncos v Claude • 4:30 p.m. • Claude
- April 1**
Lions Club's Chance Mark Jones 'Roar N Run' 5K • Begins at 8:30 a.m. • Donley County Courthouse
- April 1**
Lady Broncos v Follett • 1:00 p.m. • Home
- April 3**
Broncos & Lady Broncos Golf @ Childress
- April 9**
Community Easter • 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. • Courthouse Square

Menus

March 27 - 31

Donley County Senior Citizens
 Mon: Mushroom steak, baked potatoes, whole wheat roll, chocolate pudding, iced tea/2% milk.
 Tues: Sweet & sour chicken, long grain rice, stir fry veggies/peas, whole wheat roll, brownie, iced tea/2% milk.
 Wed: Chicken spaghetti, broccoli, garden salad, garlic toast, chocolate pudding, iced tea/2% milk.
 Thurs: Ham, pinto beans, sweet potatoes, marinated cucumbers/onions, cornbread, sliced pears, iced tea/2% milk.
 Fri: Cheeseburgers, potato wedges, melon, sugar cookie, iced tea/2% milk.

Hedley Senior Citizens
 Mon: BBQ beef, canned green beans, baked potato, banana pudding, wheat roll, iced tea/2% milk.
 Tue: Chicken pot pie, long grain & wild rice blend, buttered corn, apricots, wheat roll, iced tea/2% milk.
 Wed: BBQ ribs, broccoli, homemade potatoes, each peach cobbler, wheat roll, iced tea/2% milk.
 Thurs: Baked ziti w/Italian sausage, broccoli/cauliflower, herb roasted potatoes, cherry crisp, wheat roll, iced tea/2% milk.
 Fri: Club sandwiches, potato wedges, Rice Krispie treats, mandarin oranges, iced tea/2% milk.

Clarendon CISD
 Breakfast
 Mon: Pancakes, bacon, fruit juice, fruit, milk.
 Tues: Breakfast combo, fruit juice, fruit, milk.
 Wed: Breakfast sandwich, fruit juice, fruit, milk.
 Thu: Breakfast blend, fruit juice, fruit, milk.
 Fri: Donut, sausage, fruit juice, fruit, milk.

Lunch
 Mon: Country fried steak, gravy, roll, potatoes, okra, milk.
 Tues: Tex Mex stack, beans, carrots, salsa, fruit, sherbet, milk.
 Wed: Chicken alfredo, breadstick, salad, green beans, fruit, milk.
 Thu: Popcorn chicken, corn, broccoli salad, fruit cookie, milk.
 Fri: Hot dog, potatoes, tomato cup, snowball salad, milk.

Hedley ISD
 Breakfast
 Mon: Pancakes, bacon, fruit juice, fruit, milk.
 Tues: Breakfast sandwich, fruit juice, fruit, milk.
 Wed: Breakfast pizza, fruit juice, fruit, milk.
 Thu: Oatmeal, cinnamon toast, fruit juice, fruit, milk.

Lunch
 Mon: Country steak, gravy, roll, potatoes, okra, strawberries, milk.
 Tues: Tex-Mex stack, Spanish rice, beans, carrots, hot cinnamon apples, sherbet cup, milk.
 Wed: Pizza, garden salad, green beans, peaches, milk.
 Thu: Popcorn chicken, roll, corn, crunchy broccoli salad, apples, rice crispy, milk.



Levi Gates placed 6th with his Lightweight Charolais Cross at the Houston Livestock Show last week.



Laney Gates placed 8th in the Senior Reasons Horse Judging at the Houston Livestock Show last week.

Donley County 4-H competes well

Parker Haynes placed 4th with his Heavy Lightweight Black Cross when members of the Donley County 4-H Club competed at the Houston Livestock Show last week. Levi Gates placed 6th with his Lightweight Charolais Cross, and Laney Gates placed 8th in the Senior Reasons Horse Judging and was the 18th place overall individual. Last month, the 4-H Archery team also competed at the Houston show. Kutter O'Keefe was 5th place NASP Jr Male; Emma Howard was 6th place NASP Jr. Female; and Ronan Howard was 14th place NASP Sr. Male.



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Pittman to speak at Retired School Personnel meeting

The Donley County Retired School Personnel Association will have their bi-monthly meeting on Monday, March 27 at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. The speaker for the program will be Devah Pittman, who will speak to the group on different aspects of living a healthy life. All members are encouraged to come and bring a friend. The community is also invited to attend. Members remember to bring a snack to share with the group.

Golden Needles worked on Shadow, Light log cabin quilt

The Golden Needles Quilting Club met last Thursday, March 16, at the Donley County Senior Citizens Center. The club worked on a Shadow & Light log cabin quilt pieced by Gay Cole. It was a long lost treasure that was found in a cedar chest. Those attending the meeting were Janan Koontz, Dortha Reynolds, Dottie Newkirk, Wilma Lindley, Louella Slater, Frances Smith, Tiny Alderson, Shelby O'Keefe, Gay Cole, and Allene Leathers.

Discovery Center offers an Eggstastic day camp, April 7

The Don Harrington Discovery Center is continuing to offer childcare during local school holidays with their Eggstastic Day Camp. This day camp is available for caregivers to register their children for Friday, April 7. For ages three years old through fourth grade, Eggstastic Day Camp will encourage students to egg-speriment and learn about science at the Discovery Center. Eggstastic Day Camp will include: Amazing demos, Epic eggperiments, Egg-plorer-Approved creations to take home, and Hands-on learning with qualified educators. Spots are limited and registration is now open at DHDC.org.

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Joshua Booth competes in the Long Juup at the Group track meet last week.

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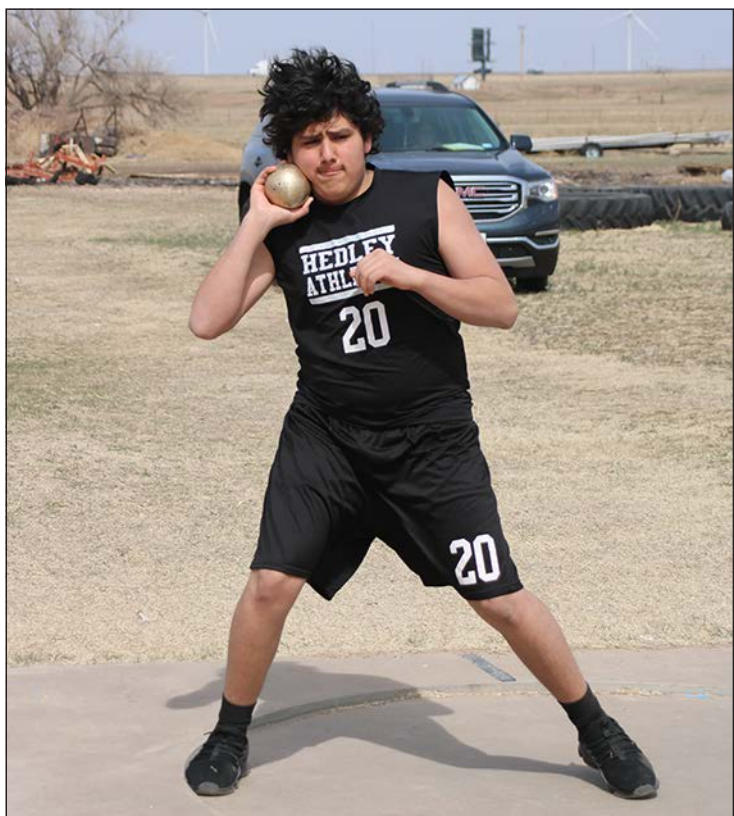
Javier Valles placed 5th in the 3200M at the Groom Relays last week.

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Taylee Ehlert throws the discus last week at Groom.

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Matthew Rodriguez throws the Shot Put last week for the Owls.

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Ray Curry ran the 1600M last week.

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HHS athletes competed at Groom last week

Hedley High School and Junior High athletes competed at the Groom Relays last week.

Running events results for the Owls and Lady Owls were: 100M - Maddie Moore 16th, 200 - Maddie Moore; Discuss - Taylee Ehlert 5th; Long Jump - Maddie Moore 14th; 100M - 24th Ray Curry 14.7; 1600M - Joshua Booth 2nd at 5:16.38; and 3200M - Javier Valles 5th at 13:29 and Isaiah Torres 6th at 13:38.

In the field events for the Owls, results were: Shot Put - Mathew Rodriguez 19th with a distance of 23-05.25; Discus - Joshua Booth 4th with a throw of 102-07; and Long Jump - Joshua Booth 16th at 15-01.25, Javier Valles 22nd at 13-5.00, and Isaiah Torres 23rd at 12.02.75.



The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular Tuesday noon meeting March 21, 2023, with Boss Lion Landon Lambert in charge.

We had 12 members in person, three members attending virtually, and Sweetheart Laney Gates present this week.

The Sweetheart reported on the Houston Livestock Show and said in horse judging she came in 8th in reasons and 18th overall. Her brother Levi's steer was sixth and made the sale; and Parker Haynes' steer was fourth and made the sale.

The Sweetheart also reported that Clarendon's prom is this weekend, kids are in UIL here on Wednesday, and tennis and golf are at district meets this week.

Lions Corey Blais and Scarlet Estlack reported on the college, which will hold its second annual Day of Service this Wednesday.

Lion Jacob Fangman reported on the city, which is working on plans for street improvements on the east side of town; and Lion Richard Green reported on plans for the Lions Cornhole Tournament at the Howardwick Hoedown on July 22. He also said April 8 will be the egg hunt at Howardwick.

Lion John Howard reported on the county with docket planned for next Tuesday and work to start soon on the courthouse windows and the rehab of a maintenance barn in Hedley. Commissioners are also considering ways to improve the appearance of the Courthouse Annex.

Plans for the Chance Mark Jones Roar & Run 5K and the Pony Parents Community Egg Hunt were discussed for April 1.

The club discussed the dead and dying trees along Fourth Street in front of the Lions Hall and setting a work day sometime before April 22 to remove those trees. New trees will be planted as part of a service project at the District Convention on April 22. A workday will be held this Saturday, March 25, at 9 a.m. to clean up and organize new storage rooms at the Lions Hall.

There being no further business, we were dismissed to spread Lionism and good cheer throughout our fair county.

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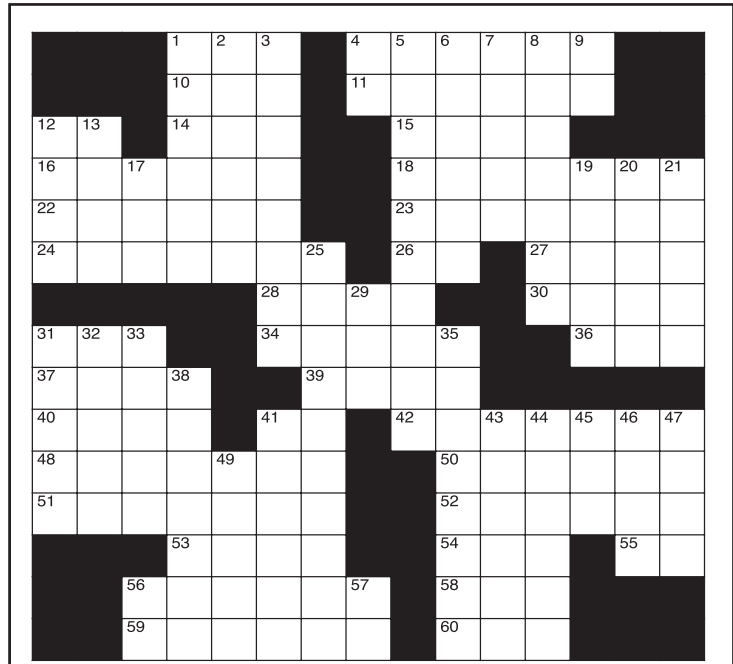
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11. Subjects
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14. Bits per inch
15. Forest-dwelling deer
16. Illinois city
18. A salt or ester of acetic acid
22. Wholly unharmed
23. Cuddled
24. Bane
26. Global investment bank (abbr.)
27. Oh my gosh!
28. Arrive
30. Famed Spanish artist
31. Home of "Frontline"
34. Group of quill feathers
36. Keyboard key
37. Army training group
39. Detail
40. Pole with flat blade
41. Football play
42. Makes unhappy
48. Island in Hawaii
50. Back in business
51. Of an individual
52. Painful chest condition
53. Tropical American monkey
54. Matchstick game
55. For instance
56. Even again
58. Popular beverage
59. Evaluate
60. Time units (abbr.)

CLUES DOWN

1. Stain one's hands
2. Nocturnal hoofed animals
3. Back condition
4. Popular movie alien
5. City of Angels
6. Peaks
7. Infantry weapons
8. Left
9. Atomic #99
12. Told a good yarn
13. Vale
17. Resistance unit
19. Aquatic plant
20. Bluish greens
21. About some Norse poems
25. Reinforces
29. Egyptian mythological goddess
31. Supportive material
32. Subatomic particle
33. Expired bread
35. Cereal grain
38. Goes against
41. Walkie
43. One who does not accept
44. Beliefs
45. Indicates near
46. Brazilian NBA star
47. Grab quickly
49. Romantic poet
56. College dorm worker
57. Set of data



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Broncos fall to Canute

By Sandy Anderberg
The Clarendon Broncos took on Canute, Oklahoma over spring break and came up short in a 6-16 loss on the road.

The Broncos mustered out-hit their opponent, but four errors hindered them defensively. Canute was able to turn seven hits into 16 runs to end the game in four. The Broncos worked through four pitchers trying to find the right combination to stay alive. Harrison Howard threw the first inning allowing zero hits and only one run. He turned in one strike-out and two walks before Wilson Ward, Easton Frausto, and Levi Gates took a turn on the mound in relief.

Offensively, Frausto nailed a homerun in the fourth and Jared Musick and Lyric Smith connected on two doubles each their turn at bat and the team posted six RBIs.

The Broncos are currently 7-3-1 for the year.

They will play Kress at home on March 24 at 4:00 p.m. and host Wellington March 28 in a big district game also beginning at 4 p.m.

Lady Broncos' slow start ends in loss to 5A team

By Sandy Anderberg
The Lady Broncos struggled to find the zone early on in a game with the Amarillo Sandies varsity softball team last weekend. The 3-17 loss put the ladies at 12-3-2 for the year.

Kenidee Cummins has been solid for the Lady Broncos all season but struggled against a good-hitting Lady Sandies team. Cummins allowed 14 hits and 16 runs in her three innings on the mound. She did manage two strike-outs before turning the mound over to Tandie Cummins who finished the game with three hits, one run, and one strike-out.

Despite struggling at the plate, the Lady Broncos were able to put three runs on the board when Baylee Gabel and Mya Edward brought in one and three RBIs respectively. Gracie Wilkins also mustered one hit in the game.

The Lady Broncos will travel to Booker March 24 and take on Fritch at home on March 28 with both games beginning at 4:00 p.m.



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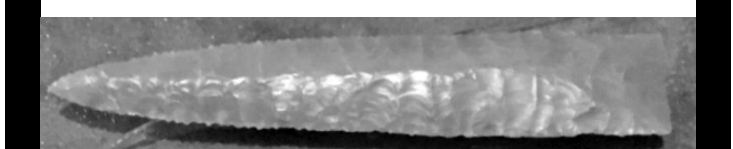


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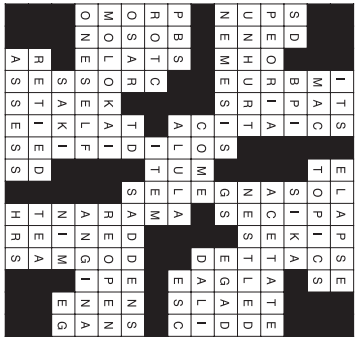
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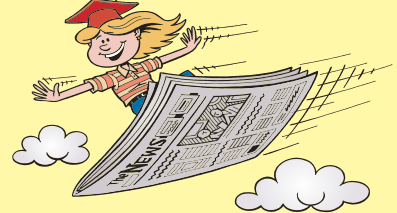
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Read a book about the science of physics!

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Fun with Physics!

What do you know about physics?
It's the study of the properties of the universe, such as light, electricity, magnetism and motion.

Read the clues to fill in this crossword puzzle about physics:

- step-by-step process used to generate new knowledge: observe, ask a question, form a hypothesis, run experiments and gather data to test the hypothesis, study the results - and start over again
- force that pulls some metals together (or pushes them apart)
- this force pulls matter toward other matter; keeps us on Earth's surface
- matter that is in motion has this; can be stored too (e.g., within chemicals in a battery)
- German physicist famous for developing the theory of relativity and the equation $E = mc^2$ (known for his "crazy" hair)
- using what we've learned from science, we create these (new equipment or systems to make lives better)
- British physicist who studied black holes; beginnings of universe
- vibrations in air pressure that your ears "hear" (slow vibrations create low-pitched noises and fast vibrations produce higher pitches)
- an "educated guess" about how something works
- scientist who uses scientific method to add to our knowledge about the universe's basic properties

Clues:

- 1. scientific method
- 2. energy
- 3. physicist
- 4. hypothesis
- 5. atoms
- 6. sound
- 7. physics
- 8. inventions
- 9. magnetism
- 10. motion
- 11. devices used to make tasks easier: wedges, levers or inclined planes
- 12. particles (photons) that you can detect ("see") when they hit your eye; travels very fast; also behaves like a wave
- 13. everything you can touch or move, whether it's solid, liquid or gas
- 14. when matter's location is changing; action
- 15. matter on Earth is made of these - each is a combination of protons, neutrons and electrons
- 16. study of the universe's basic properties (matter, energy, light, electricity, etc.)

Answers in puzzle: scientific method, energy, physicist, hypothesis, atoms, sound, physics, inventions, magnetism, motion, matter, machines, gravity, light, Stephen Hawking, Albert Einstein.

USDA grants available to help producers

US Department of Agriculture (USDA) Rural Development Under Secretary Xochitl Torres Small has announced that USDA is making \$31 million in grants available to help farmers and ranchers access new and better markets by adding more value to their products.

USDA is making the grants available under the Value-Added Producer Grants program. The grants help agricultural producers generate new products, create marketing opportunities and increase their incomes through value-added activities.

USDA is offering priority points to projects that advance key priorities under the Biden-Harris Administration to help rural communities and people address climate change and environmental justice, advance racial justice, place-based equity, and opportunity, and create more and better market opportunities.

Eligible applicants include

independent producers, agricultural producer groups, farmer or rancher cooperatives, and majority-controlled producer-based business ventures.

Funding priority will be given to beginning farmers or ranchers who are military veterans or socially disadvantaged individuals; small and mid-sized family farms or ranches; and farmer or rancher cooperatives. Priority also will be given to projects that propose a mid-tier value chain by developing a supply network that moves agricultural products from production through consumption in a local or regional market.

The funding may be used for planning activities or working capital expenses related to producing and marketing a value-added agricultural product. Planning activities may include conducting feasibility studies and developing business plans. Working capital expenses may include costs associated with

processing, marketing, advertising, inventory and salaries.

The maximum award for a planning grant is \$75,000. The maximum award for a working capital grant is \$250,000.

Electronic applications will be accepted via Grants.gov until 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on May 11, 2023. Paper applications must be sent to the State Office where the project is proposed.

Paper applications must be postmarked and mailed or sent overnight by May 16, 2023. Applications also may be delivered in person or emailed to an RD field office by close of business May 16, 2023.

Additional information is available on page 16396 of the March 17 Federal Register or by contacting your local USDA Rural Development office. If you'd like to subscribe to USDA Rural Development updates, visit our GovDelivery subscriber page.

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