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### THIS WEEK

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

### 'Boomtown' coming to Mulkey Sunday

The Mulkey Theatre will host its first live theatrical performance Sunday, October 15, with the musical comedy, "Boomtown."

Presented by Texas Comedies, "Boomtown" is based on memoirs and trial transcripts and follows land promoter Ace Borger, who capitalized on oil strikes in the Texas Panhandle. With the notorious Two-Gun Dick Herwig installed as sheriff, the town is soon overrun with wild dancehalls, bootleg liquor joints, and gambling halls.

Tickets for "Boomtown" are \$20 each and are on sale now at [MulkeyTheatre.com](http://MulkeyTheatre.com) and at the Visitor Center or by calling 806-874-2421.

### Health fair set for October 26 at BAC

The annual Donley County Health Fair will be held Thursday, October 26, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Bairfield Activity Center.

Free health screenings will be available, and services will include flu shots; fasting blood screenings for PSA, A1C, and Glucose; blood pressure checks; hearing screenings; vision screenings; and disability service.

The Health Fair is sponsored by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Clarendon Family Medicine, Mike's Pharmacy, and the Donley County Hospital District.

For more information, call 806-874-2141.

### Scarecrow contest deadline October 18

The Friends of the Library are hosting their annual Scarecrow Contest, and sign-ups are underway at the Burton Memorial Library with a new deadline of October 18.

Registration for the fourth annual contest is \$20. Participants display a homemade Scarecrow of any kind at their home or business. Judging will be held on October 23, and winners will be announced October 25.

Residents can vote on their favorite scarecrow on Facebook or in person at the library. This year a Friends of the Library judging committee will choose one residence and one business winner as the grand prizes.



## Hedley Cotton Festival to be this weekend

Hedley will host its 82nd annual Cotton Festival this weekend with activities starting Friday night.

A chili supper will be held at the Lioness Club starting at 5 p.m. and barbecue sandwiches at the Lions Den with chips and drinks. Johnny Woodard will provide music, and everyone is invited to come, stay, and visit.

The Hedley One Act Play student will also have their annual

Bingo games starting Friday from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the Hedley Senior Citizens Building.

The Hedley Volunteer Fire Department will get the day started Saturday with a breakfast fundraiser from 7:00 to 9:30 a.m. or until the food runs out. The breakfast will be at the Hedley Senior Citizens building and will cost \$9 per person. The firefighters will also be holding a 50/50 raffle that day. Tickets are

available from any firefighter or at Country Bloomers in Clarendon.

The Hedley Senior Citizens will be having a raffle for a Henry Golden Boy .22 rifle and a Henry Lever Action .410. Tickets will be for sale in front of the senior citizens building. The One Act Play Bingo and silent auction will continue from 10 a.m. to 11 p.m.

The Cotton Festival Kiddie Parade will be held at 11 a.m., and

the Festival Parade will be at 1 p.m. For parade entries, contact Mark C. White at 806-277-0412.

The third annual Wicked Fast Poker Run will take off from the Big Red Barn at 2:30 p.m. Barbecue will be available there at noon with check-in beginning at 1:00 p.m. The cost is \$25 per person and proceeds benefit the Rowe Cemetery Association. Call Stephanie Wilkinson at 806-930-1252 for more information

on the poker run.

The senior citizens will serve hamburgers and chips at noon for lunch, and barbecue sandwiches will also be available again in the Lions Den. All drawings for the festival will be held at 6 p.m. at the Lions Den.

The festival will close out with a community dance Saturday night behind City Hall with a DJ providing music.



### Chamber hosts Fun Run

The second annual Kinetic Hot Rods to Harleys Fun Run was held Saturday at the Saints' Roost Museum. The Tri-State Spyder Riders (top photo) were the biggest group to participate in the poker run, which was organized by the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce and raised money for the Clarendon Lions Club's Toys for Joy program and for Christ's Kids Ministries. Winners of the best hands of cards were (bottom photo) Mitchell Clark, Jerry Green, and Daniel Garrett.

ENTERPRISE PHOTOS / ROGER ESTLACK

## CHS senior receives academic recognition

Clarendon High School Principal John Moffett announced recently that senior Toby Leeper has been named a Commended Student in the 2024 National Merit Scholarship Program.

A letter of commendation from the school and the National Merit Scholarship Corporation was printed to the student at a Bronco Pep Rally.

About 34,000 Commended Students throughout the nation are being recognized for their exceptional academic promise. Although they will not continue in the 2024 competition for National Merit Scholarship awards, Commended Students placed among the top 50,000 students who entered the 2024 competi-

tion by taking the Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.

"Those being named Commended Students have demonstrated outstanding potential for academic success," an NMSC spokesperson said. "These students represent a valuable national resource; recognizing their accomplishments, as well as the key role their schools play in their academic development, is vital to the advancement of educational excellence in our nation. We hope that this recognition will help broaden their educational opportunities and encourage them as they continue their pursuit of academic success."



Toby Leeper receives a National Merit Scholarship Letter of Commendation from CHS Principal John Moffett. ENTERPRISE PHOTO

## Hernandez arrested last week for assault

A Clarendon businessman and former city council member is out on bail this week, facing a charge of assaulting a 13-year-old girl.

Donley County Sheriff Butch Blackburn said Jesus Hernandez was arrested Monday, October 2, and charged with Indecent Assault, a Class A Misdemeanor.

Blackburn said the alleged assault occurred on September 23, and Hernandez was arrested following an investigation into the report.

Hernandez turned himself in, and Justice of the Peace Sarah Hatley arraigned him October 2 and set his bond at \$5,000. He was released on bail the same day.

Hernandez has been in the local restaurant business for about 26 years. That business has been closed for more than two weeks now with no signs of reopening. Hernandez also served as a Clarendon city alderman from 2011 to 2013.

## Abbott names Rabe as new district judge

Governor Greg Abbott last Friday appointed Dale Rabe, Jr., to the 100th Judicial District Court covering Carson, Childress, Collingsworth, Donley, and Hall counties.

Rabe succeeds former District Judge Stuart Messer, who retired September 30, and his term is set to expire on December 31, 2024, or until his successor shall be duly elected and qualified.

Rabe of Childress is a solo practice attorney. He is a member of the State Bar of Texas, member and former president of the 100th Judicial District Bar Association, and former member of the 46th Judicial District Bar Association.

In addition to his legal career, Rabe has served on the boards for the Childress County Hospital District and the Childress Municipal Development District. He is a former board member and former president of the Childress Chamber of Commerce, former member and former president of the Childress Lions Club, and former volunteer and coach for the Childress Little League and Dub Nelson Flag Football League.


Rabe received a Bachelor of Arts in Biology from The University of Texas at Austin and a Juris Doctor from Southern Methodist University School of Law.

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# Americans depend on newspapers

By Benjy Hamm  
Director, Institute for Rural Journalism, University of Kentucky

Nearly 220 million American adults turn to their local newspapers regularly for news and information they need to stay informed, feel more connected to their neighbors and improve their lives and communities.

That readership number is based on a recent national study by independent research firm Coda Ventures for the America's Newspapers organization.

Most likely, the number of readers is higher. Many people who say they receive news on their phone or from social media instead of newspapers fail to understand that the sources for those stories are often journalists at U.S. newspapers.

We sometimes take the work of journalists for granted, but those who work at newspapers are filling an important role in the health of our communities and country.

Everyone, even nonreaders, benefits from the work of journalists. News coverage has led to improvements in food safety, decreases in traffic and plane fatalities, better care for veterans and nursing home patients, support for victims of natural disasters, and exposure of all sorts of wrongdoing.

I have long loved this quotation by Frank Batten Sr., a media visionary and former chairman of Landmark Communications, who said about journalists and newspapers: "Our calling was never more important. We have the capacity to inform, to enlighten, to awaken and to inspire. We have the opportunity to enrich the lives of thousands of people every day."

Across the United States, journalists and other newspaper employees are serving their communities and democracy every day by informing, enlightening, awakening and inspiring millions of readers.

The news they provide is accessed in many forms. Many people still use the word newspaper as the all-encompassing term for those various forms, but now news is delivered news through websites, social media, electronic editions, email alerts and newsletters, in addition to the traditional printed paper.

Those delivery methods have changed significantly in recent years. But one thing remains constant: Americans depend on the trusted news coverage provided by newspapers.

The study by Coda Ventures, based on surveys of 5,000 people, revealed that respondents ranked local newspapers and their websites as the most accurate sources of original news reporting. The results also listed the top five reasons Americans seek out local news – to stay informed, feel connected in the community, decide where they stand on local issues, find places and things to do, and talk to other people about community news.

Survey respondents consistently said they prefer newspapers in print and digital formats over TV, radio and social media as their main source for news and information important to them.

They like the fact that newspapers use different ways to deliver their news stories to various audiences. The survey showed that people who are 39 and younger listed social media as the No. 1 way they prefer to access news, though they also like news websites and email alerts. People in the 40 to 74 age group ranked news websites as their top choice, followed by email alerts and the printed newspaper. Those 75 and older prefer the print edition but also like news websites and email alerts.

Based on the frequent reports of struggles within the news business, many people might be surprised to learn that newspapers and their digital offerings reach so many readers. Those struggles, primarily financial, are real and affect many media companies, not just newspapers. But the new ways of delivering news allow newspapers to reach even larger audiences.

Frank Batten might not have anticipated the widespread use of the internet and social media when he first made his comments in the 1980s, but his words remain true today.

Newspapers and their dedicated employees continue to inform, enlighten, awaken and inspire – enriching their communities and the lives of millions of people who benefit from their work every day.

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[s] Roger A. Estlack, Publisher  
October 10, 2023

# Remembering a man who got it right

Mention the name Walter R. Chambers to families with long connection to the tiny Coleman County community of Burkett, TX, and a hush of funeral proportions is immediately evident.

Mr. Chambers' views on all issues – school, sports, community and otherwise – carried the day. Respected as much as any educator of his era, he is most remembered for the boys' basketball teams he coached during his entire career.

Oh, he was superintendent, taught three math classes and was a community leader. He was there when the school opened in 1920 and wept with others when dwindling enrollment led to closure in 1957.....

During the school's 37 years, 306 students graduated. Typically, there were about a dozen boys in high school, but they scheduled teams from Texas' largest schools, usually emerging victorious. They won three-fourths of their games.

In the early years, the school didn't even have a bus. "We were used to car rides to out-of-town games," remembers Dick Koenig, a 1954 graduate who has remained in the community as a third-generation farmer.

Pat DeBusk, now a retired industrial cleaning professional in Houston, was on the final team, finishing his last two years of high school in Coleman. He and Koenig – first cousins – are the only remaining members of Chambers-coached teams....

When the school opened, Burkett's "sports facility" was an outdoor dirt

basketball court. Interest grew, and soon all boys in high school – with one or two exceptions—went out for basketball every year. Chambers also coached girls' teams when they had enough players. Soon Coach Chambers and his teams were the talk of the community.

Later, the Bluehawks played indoors, thanks to an abandoned old building in town. The owner didn't charge rent, but kept the gate receipts. In 1936, voters approved a \$22,000 bond issue for classrooms – and a gymnasium seating 200 fans.

That a school bond would pass by a vote of 44-4 says all one needs to know about the respect Mr. Chambers merited and maintained....

To say that he was a disciplinarian would be a serious understatement. "We knew he had a big board paddle, but we never saw it used," Koenig said. "All of us respected him too much to cause him disappointment."

The "survivors" don't remember any players ever getting technical fouls. And they are certain that Chambers never got one.

The discipline and hard work paid off with three trips to the state tournament, including the final year of 1957. Leader of that team was Chambers' grandson, who also was valedictorian....

Chambers' two sons also played, and all of his kin were leading scorers.

Koenig and DeBusk agreed that no one ever criticized the coach for anything.

Remarkably, he was able to keep everybody happy on all matters....

"Burkett would have made it to state a few more times except for the star player over at Avoca," DeBusk remembers. The nemesis was Max Williams – later a basketball star at Southern Methodist University. He wound up his basketball association as general manager of the Dallas Chaparrals. The Chaps, members of the old American Basketball Association, moved to San Antonio, later to become the San Antonio Spurs of the National Basketball Association.

An aside: Details of Williams' fascinating life in sports and oil exploration are included in a wonderful new book, *The Last Shot*, the final biography by the late and inimitable author, Caleb Pirtle III.

Small world observation: Mr. Chambers and Max Williams were cousins!...

The late Fred Sanner, Abilene Reporter-News sports editor, called Chambers "the dean of Texas High School Basketball Coaches." High praise from a sportswriter who "called 'em the way he saw 'em."

By all accounts, Chambers deserved every accolade. DeBusk summed it up well. "Players learned the game from Coach Chambers, who taught life, honor and dignity first. To all who knew him, it was the 'gospel according to Chambers'."

A stroke claimed the beloved educator in 1975 at age 80....

Dr. Newbury, longtime university president, continues his regimen of writing and speaking. Contact: 817-447-3872.



# Mental health tips for older adults

By Chelsea Couch,  
HHSC Statewide Texercise Coordinator

Engaging in healthy behaviors as we age can help ensure we experience the best quality of life possible. Healthy aging is not just about physical activity and nutrition. It's also about taking care of our mental health. Participating in healthy activities, staying connected to our communities, and being aware of available services and supports helps us age and live well.

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention issue brief, *The State of Mental Health and Aging in America*, approximately 20% of people ages 55 or older experience some type of mental health concern. The most common of these are anxiety, severe cognitive impairment and mood disorders, such as depression or bipolar disorder.

According to America's Health Rankings Senior Report, Texas ranked 34th for depression for people 65 and older. By engaging in regular physical activity and having a healthy diet, staying connected to the community and being informed of available resources, we can help to improve our mental health.

There are resources at the state and federal level that can help us take care of our mental health.

The Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) Adult Mental Health program provides information and resources to assist adults experiencing mental health concerns, including peer support, community-based resources and more. Visit HHSC Adult Mental Health for more information.

HHSC Texercise supports older Texans who want to set physical activity and nutrition goals. Regular physical activity and a healthy diet can help improve mental health. Visit Texercise to learn how to incorporate exercise and healthy eating into an everyday routine.

The HHSC Age Well Live Well campaign provides resources for individuals and communities to prepare for all aspects of aging, including how to stay connected. Staying connected to others and our communities can help improve our mental health. Use the Aging Well Resources Order Form and search "Social Engagement" in the category field.

Mental Health Texas provides information and resources on mental health for all ages. Information is provided for a variety of populations, conditions and more.

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) is the federal agency that

leads public health efforts to advance behavioral health. SAMHSA provides mental health information and resources for older adults, their families and caregivers. Visit SAMHSA to learn more.

National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) offers information and resources for mental health, including symptoms of mental disorders in older adults. Visit NIMH to find out more.

There are several hotlines available for those going through a mental health crisis.

The 988 Suicide & Crisis Line is available 24/7 and provides free and confidential emotional support to people in suicidal crisis or emotional distress. Call or text 988 to connect with a trained crisis counselor. Support is also available via live chat.

Veterans Crisis Line is a free, confidential resource for veterans of all ages and circumstances. Call 988 then press 1, text 838255, or chat online to connect with 24/7 support.

Disaster Distress Line Helpline from SAMHSA provides immediate crisis counseling for people experiencing emotional distress related to any natural or human-caused disaster. The helpline is free, multilingual, confidential and available 24/7. Call or text 800-985-5990.

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### Lady Broncos' 4-time winners of Greenbelt Gallop

By Sandy Anderberg

The Lady Bronco cross-country team landed another team win last week in the Annual Greenbelt Gallop at Kinkaid Park. They were able to take the top spot in the team competition for the fourth year since the Gallop began.

Cross-Country Coach Corey Conkin was pleased with the outcome of all of the divisions.

"I am super proud of our cross-country teams today," she said. "Bryce Williams and Brice Wagner also medaled in the top three and the Lady Colts had a good showing with Addy Havens and Karli Jones bringing home medals, also. We are looking good going into district championship week. Keep 'Holding the Rope'."

No finishing times were available at press time.

The CHS XC team ran the Annual Greenbelt Gallop last week.

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Colt Addy Havens and Colt Karli Jones both placed last week at the Annual Greenbelt Gallop.

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**AVISO DE ELECCIÓN ESPECIAL (CONDADO)**

To the registered voters of the County of Donley, Texas:

(A los votantes registrados del Condado de Donley, Texas)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., 11 / 7 / 2023 for voting in a special election to elect:

(Notifíquese por la presente, que los sitios de votación citadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 11 / 7 / 2023 para votar en la elección especial para elegir:

Location of Election Day Polling Places Include Name of Building and Address (Sitios de votación el Día de Elección) (Incluir Nombre del Edificio y Dirección)	Precinct Number(s) (Número de precinto)
Donley County Annex - 300 S. Sully Clarendon, Texas	101
Donley County Commissioners Court Room - Courthouse 300 S. Sully	201
Courthouse Grand Jury Room - 300 S. Sully Clarendon	301
Hedley First Baptist Church- Fellowship Hall -N Third Hedley, Texas	303
Donley County Court House -District Court Room	401

During early voting, a voter may vote at any of the locations listed below:  
 (Durante Votación Adelantada, los votantes podrán votar en cualquiera de los sitios de votación nombradas abajo.)

Location of Main Early Voting Polling Place Include Name of Building and Address (Sitio principal de votación adelantada) (Incluir Nombre del Edificio y Dirección)	Days and Hours of Operation Días y Horas Hábiles
Donley County Annex -300 S.Sully Clarendon	Oct.23rd - Nov. 1st ---7:30 am -4:30pm

Locations for Early Voting Polling Places Include Name of Building and Address (Sitios de votación adelantada) (Incluir Nombre del Edificio y Dirección)	Days and Hours of Operation Días y Horas Hábiles
Donley County Annex 300 S.Sully Clarendon	November 2-3 ---7am -7pm

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:  
 (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán adelantada por correo deberán enviarse a:)

Vicky Tunnell  
 Name of Early Voting Clerk  
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# ¿Qué Pasa?

Community Calendar

**October 13**  
Broncos v Quana • 7:00 p.m. • Away

**October 13**  
Owls v Lefors • 7:30 p.m. • Away

**October 13 & 14**  
Hedley Cotton Festival • Bingo, Parade, Barbecue and more.

**October 13 & 14**  
The Blind • 7:30 p.m. • Mulkey Theater

**October 15**  
"BOOMTOWN" Texas Comedies at Mulkey Theatre. See MulkeyTheatre.com for information and tickets.

**October 26**  
Donley County Health Fair  
Bairfield Activity Center • 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. • 874-2141

**October 28**  
Halloween Celebration • Downtown Clarendon • Shopping & Scarecrow Contest • Carnival • Trunk or Treat Fun @ 6 p.m. • FREE movie @ 7:30 p.m.

## Menus

### October 16 - 20

**Donley County Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Chicken spaghetti, broccoli, garden salad, garlic toast, chocolate pudding, iced tea/2% milk.  
Tues: Enchilada casserole, tossed salad, pinto beans, Spanish rice, iced tea/2% milk.  
Wed: Chicken fried steak w/ gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, whole wheat roll, cherry/pineapple crisp, iced tea/2% milk.  
Thurs: Ham/pinto beans, sweet potatoes, cucumbers & onions. Cornbread, sliced pears, iced tea/2% milk.  
Fri: BBQ beef on a bun, tater tots, coleslaw, chocolate chip cookie, apricots, iced tea/2% milk.

### Hedley Senior Citizens

Mon: Country style BBQ ribs, buttered rice, buttered peas & carrots, butterscotch bars, banana, buttermilk biscuit, iced tea/2% milk.  
Tue: Beef brisket, baked macaroni & cheese, California blend vegetables, Amish sugar cookies, apricots, buttermilk biscuit, iced tea/2% milk.  
Wed: Chicken fried steak w/country gravy, homemade mashed potatoes, country green beans w/bacon & onions, cranberry white chip oatmeal cookies, buttermilk biscuit, iced tea/2% milk.  
Thurs: Cranberry glazed pork roast, green bean casserole, western spinach, iced tea/2% milk.  
Fri: Chicken fried chicken on a bun, broccoli cheese bites, sweet potato fries, chocolate chip cookies, iced tea/2% milk.

### Clarendon ISD

**Breakfast**  
Mon: Waffles, bacon, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Tues: Breakfast strudel, cheese stick, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Wed: Breakfast pizza, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Thu: Breakfast sandwich, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Fri: Cereal, toast, fruit juice, fruit, milk.

**Lunch**  
Mon: Hamburger, potatoes, salad, milk.  
Tues: Tex-Mex stack, beans, carrots, salsa, sherbet, fruit, milk.  
Wed: Meatball sub, salad, green beans, fruit, milk.  
Thu: Popcorn chicken, roll, broccoli salad, dessert, fruit, milk.  
Fri: Hot dog, potatoes, tomato cup, fruit, milk.

### Hedley ISD

**Breakfast**  
Mon: Pancakes, bacon, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Tues: Croissant ham & cheese sandwich, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Wed: Breakfast pizza, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Thu: Big bites, fruit juice, fruit, milk.  
Fri: Donut holes, sausage, fruit juice, fruit, milk.

**Lunch**  
Mon: Country fried steak, gravy, potatoes, okra, roll, strawberries, milk.  
Tues: Tex-Mex stack, beans, carrots, salsa, cinnamon apples, sherbet, milk.  
Wed: Chicken alfredo, breadsticks, garden salad, milk.  
Thu: Popcorn chicken, roll, corn, broccoli salad, apples, cookies, milk.  
Fri: Potato bowl, tomato cup, roll, snowball salad, milk.



Kristin Johnson

## Johnson promoted to Direction at Panhandle-Plains

### Historical Museum

The Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum is proud to announce the promotion of Kristin Johnson to the Director of Education and Visitor Experience.

In her newest role, Johnson will supervise the visitor services, programs, and education staff for the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum. Her tasks include overseeing the strategy and execution of revenue-generating activities while helping to build and lead the overall quality of the daily operations of PPHM and providing outstanding customer service and encouraging repeat visits.

She has a Bachelor of Arts in history from West Texas A&M University and has worked for PPHM for seven years this January focusing on the visitor experience. She chose to apply because she has always wanted to work in a museum since her days in elementary school. She says she "loves being able to share my passion with others and wants to help create a memorable experience for visitors."

"Kristin's experience and passion for creating memorable guest experiences at PPHM is evident everyday and we are delighted for her to be taking on the new role as Director of Education and Visitor Experience," said Heather Friemel Director of Finance and Business.

## THC now accepting submissions for undertold marker

The Texas Historical Commission is currently accepting applications for its undertold historical marker program, intended to address historical gaps, promote diversity of topics, and proactively document significant underrepresented subjects or untold stories.

From October 1 to November 15, the THC will accept nominations for this year's undertold round. The criteria for evaluating applications include: ability of the topic to address gaps in the THC historical marker program; value of the topic as an undertold or untold aspect of Texas history; endangerment level of property, site or topic, and the contribution of a marker toward its preservation; historical or architectural significance; historical or architectural integrity; relevance to the statewide preservation plan and other THC programs; potential CHC assistance and availability of existing documentation; and diversity among the group of candidates.

An undertold marker application requires less initial information than a regular application. Applicants must submit at least 250 words about the topic, a few suggested sources for research, and a proposed location where the marker would be placed.

Any individual or group can submit an undertold topic, and there is no application fee. If selected, a topic will receive a free historical marker.

The undertold marker web page at the.texas.gov/undertold has an interactive map and a list with dozens of undertold marker topics. Visitors to the site will find significant individuals, buildings, communities and sites that tell important stories in the arts, civil rights, education, engineering, immigration, medicine, military topics, sports and more.

Application forms and submission guidelines can be found at the.texas.gov/undertold.

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## Hedley students visit PPHM

The Hedley fifth grade class attended the 5th grade Science Collaborative held at Panhandle Plains Historical Museum. While in attendance, the students learned about weather safety from John Harris. They also had the opportunity to learn about electricity, conductors, insulators, and circuits from Excel Energy. Members of Pantex provided information on chemistry and matter. The PPHM staff engaged students in the study of adaptations with a bird beak STEM lab. And finally, they learned about physics using planes from Mr. Bob, a retired Air Force veteran from the Texas Air and Space Museum.

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## The Human Knot

Clarendon Cub Scouts met Monday to get their 2023 activities started. Cubs participated in a team-building exercise called "the human knot" and learned to work together to untangle themselves without turning loose of each other. The Pack is making plans to attend Camp MK Brown later this month to participate in hiking, archery, BB gun practice, and more.

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## Pantex, TESU partnership boosts talent

Pantex recently welcomed representatives from Thomas Edison State University to sign a memorandum of understanding that could significantly reduce out-of-pocket expenses for employees pursuing online degrees from the Trenton, NJ, school.

“As we achieve new and innovative ways to increase the knowledge and skills of our employees, we commensurately increase our performance at the Pantex Plant,” said Pantex Site Manager Colby Yeary. “This partnership represents an across-the-board win for our employees, the site and TESU.”

The agreement signed Aug. 30 at the site’s John C. Drummond Center provides employees at both Pantex and its Consolidated Nuclear Security sister site, Y-12 National Security Complex in Oak Ridge, Tenn., with a corporate tuition rate, lets them defer payment for classes at TESU, and in some cases provides academic credit for time spent on the job. Employees can combine this new opportunity with the existing CNS tuition-reimbursement program to significantly lower their out-of-pocket expenses and the time required to obtain a degree or certification.

Pantex recruiter Zuleyma Caruba-Rogel said the agreement holds potential to increase Pantex employees’ skills and upward mobility.

“This strategic partnership with TESU is poised to help Pantex build internal pathways for critical skills and hard-to-fill positions. TESU offers competitive degrees in nuclear engineering, homeland security and emergency management that can result in upskilling opportunities and open new career pathways for Pantexans,” she said.

The exciting new opportunity was the idea of Justin Fox, a manager at Pantex, as a way to retain and grow one of his promising employees — and potentially many more.

“The hope is that we incentivize people to go back to school,” Fox explained. “With the corporate tuition rate, deferred tuition costs and flexibility with classes, it overcomes many of the hurdles our staff face in going back to school. That was the premise to help my employees.”

Fox engaged others at Pantex and officials at TESU. He hoped a dialogue with the University would open pathways not just for his employee, but others at Pantex and Y-12.



Hedley XC ran at Districts in Claude last week. Pictured here are Javier Valles placed 7th and Kinley McClelland.

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Hedley Junior High XC ran at Districts in Claude last week. Pictured here are Jeremiah Shelley, Angela Rodriguez placed, Sebastian Garcia placed, Payton Inman placed 4th, Lily Stasio placed 1st, and Damien Alston

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Owl Nic Clark runs the ball last week. Hedley lost to Booker 61-12.

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# Broncos roll the Mustangs in District opener

By Sandy Anderberg  
The Broncos breezed to a victory at home last Friday night in a 42-0 shutout over the Wheeler Mustangs in their District opener.

Solid play on both sides of the ball put the Broncos in a good spot going into this Friday's game in Quanah at 7:00 p.m.

Taking over the helm as quarterback while senior Harrison Howard is out due to a collarbone injury was fellow senior and Bronco running back Lyric Smith. He was able to throw for 140 yards, two touchdowns, and racked up 241 yards rushing finding the endzone twice. Overall, the Broncos posted 311 total yards.

Mason Sims, Easton Frausto, Colton Caudle, Quay Brown, and Shane Hagood were all on the receiving end of Smith's passes. Sims was three catches for 49 yards, Caudle grabbed five passes for 49 yards and one TD, and Brown had one receiving touchdown for a total of two catches and 37 yards. Frausto had two catches for eight yards and Hagood caught one pass in the game.

Hagood shined in the backfield for the Broncos and added 30 yards rushing on 11 carries.

Both Bronco lines played strong all over the field and stopped the Mustangs all night long. From Wheeler's first offensive possession to their last series, the Broncos held them to three and out several times and added a safety late in the game.

Senior Jared Musick led the way with eight tackles and Sims and Anthony Cenicerros followed with seven each. Dalton Coles wrapped up six and Smith, Caudle, and Grant Haynes had five apiece. Bryce Williams and Ranger Drenth each grabbed two. Cenicerros and Drenth teamed up to sack Wheeler's QB once.

## Burton Memorial to celebrate 100 years October 20

Two authors will be holding a book signing as the Burton Memorial Library celebrates 100 years of service to Donley County this month.

A reception will be held October 20 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. and will include the announcement of the library's Patron of the Year and the signings by two authors – Tenise Cooke, who wrote *Belly of the Whale*, a local history; and Diane Smithwick Braden, who wrote the *Wilbarger County Series*.

The Friends of the Library look forward to seeing members of the community and invite everyone to take advantage of the many services offered at Burton Memorial.



Bronco Lyric Smith fights to get past a Mustang last week.

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Bronco Mason Sims grabs a long pass out of the air to gain yardage for the Broncos.

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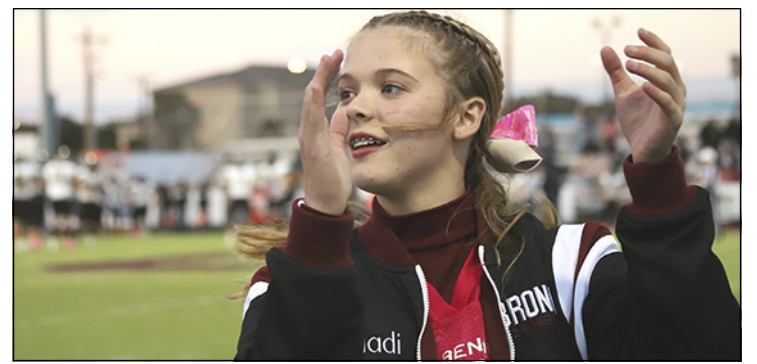
Bronco Bryce Williams goes in to take down a Mustang last Friday.

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Colton Caudle carries the ball for the Broncos last Friday.

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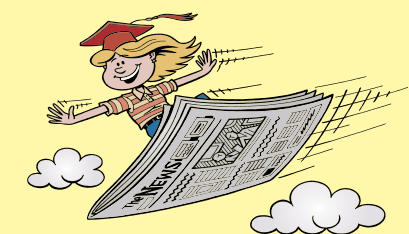
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When the farm harvest is stored away, there is a bit of time left to play; "Let's have a barn dance," the donkeys bray, stacking up seats using bales of hay; "With apples and doughnuts!" the horses neigh, "And tune up your fiddles for a holiday!"

"Neigh," said the "I'll bring of course."  
"Say," said the "I'll bring my old !"

**What farm animals are at the old barn dance?**

- I carry the farmer's pack on my back to market
- I might pull wagons or plows
- I protect the sheep from coyotes
- I lay eggs for the farmer's breakfast
- I live in a hive and make a sweet nectar for the farmer's tea
- I have hooves and horns and will chew on just about anything
- I have long ears and am known for being very swift
- I crow at sunrise to wake up the farmer
- I honk and fly in a 'V' formation
- I give the wool for warm sweaters
- I chase the mice away
- I give fresh milk to drink
- I have a bill and lots of feathers, and love to quack in the rain
- I keep foxes out of the chicken coop
- I have a flat snout and a curly tail

Only birds should dance on roofs!

May I have this dance? Delighted!

What's a barn dance? A barn dance is a dance in a barn. In a city, it might be held in a large room.

It is a chance to get together with friends and neighbors.

**Find words on this page that rhyme with:**

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- plow
- oat
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