

# big E classifieds

**Call in your ad at  
874-2259**

Deadline: Monday @ 5 p.m.

Prepayment required.

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## MEETINGS



**Clarendon Lodge #700 AF&AM**  
Stated meeting: Second Mondays, 7:30 p.m. Refreshments at 6:30 p.m. Practice: Fourth Mondays, 7 p.m. Chris Wilson - W.M., Russell Estlack - Secretary. 2 B 1, ASK 1



**Clarendon Lions Club** Regular meeting each Tuesday at noon. David Dockery, Boss Lion. Roger Estlack, Secretary



**Clarendon Alcoholics Anonymous Group** 806-661-1015, 806-671-9766, 806-205-1840, 24 hour hotline 877-421-4334. Mon. & Sat. 7 p.m. 416 S Kearney St.

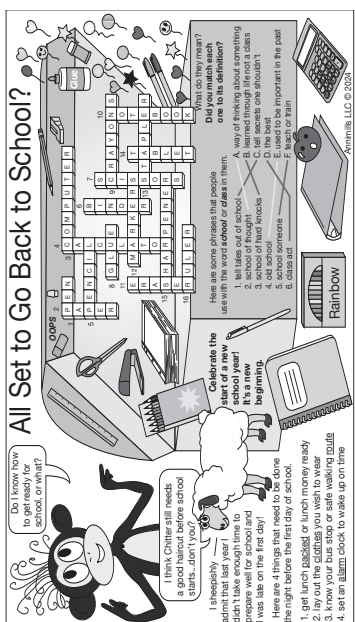
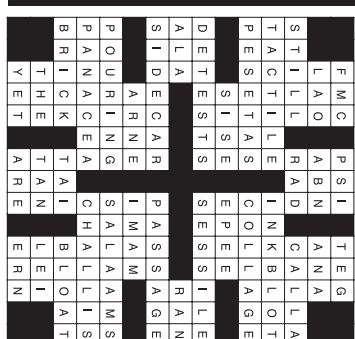
**Clarendon Chamber of Commerce** Regular Board of Directors meeting third Tuesday each month at 6:00 p.m. at the Clarendon Visitor Center.

## Big E Meeting Listings

only \$8.50 per month. Call 874-2259 to have your club or organization meeting listed.

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

## PUZZLE SOLUTION



## FOR RENT

**FOR RENT:** efficiency apartment/trailer for rent in Howardwick. Great for college students. 806-277-0376

## LEGAL NOTICE

### SMALL TAXING UNIT NOTICE

The Donley County Hospital District will hold a tax rate meeting at 6:00 p.m. on August 20, 2024, at 3 Medical Drive Clarendon, Texas 79226 to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for tax year 2024. The proposed tax rate is 0.1900 per \$100 of value. Visit [Texas.gov/PropertyTaxes](https://www.texas.gov/PropertyTaxes) to find a link to your local property tax database on which you can easily access information regarding your property taxes, including information about proposed tax rates and scheduled public hearings of each entity that taxes your property. The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

### GREENBELT MUNICIPAL AND INDUSTRIAL WATER AUTHORITY

**INVITATION TO BIDDERS**  
Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority (the "Authority") is inviting qualified Contractors interested in providing necessary services to construct temporary access roads, site grading and prep, drill permanent water well, perform aquifer pumping tests, and geophysics logging for the future North Groundwater Well Field. The Authority is soliciting Sealed Bids from interested qualified Contractors. For project information and sealed project plans and specifications, refer to the following link: <https://www.civicasusa.com/project/66ad375402> I 97fab78f753e/summary. Additionally, contact Bobbie Kidd at (806) 874-3650 or [greenbeltwater@valomet.com](mailto:greenbeltwater@valomet.com) for more information. Interested contractors must submit bids no later than 3:00 p.m. Central Standard Time September 5th, 2024 at the office of the Authority. This contract is contingent upon the release of funds from the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB). Any contract or contracts awarded under this Invitation to Bidders are expected to be funded in part by funding from the TWDB. Neither the State of Texas nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees are or will be a party to this RFP and Statements of Qualifications or any resulting contract. This contract is subject to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program, which includes EPA-approved fair share goals toward procurement of Minority and Women-owned Business Enterprise (MWBE) firms. EPA rules require that applicants and prime contractors make a good faith effort to aWILLd a fair share of contracts, subcontracts, and procurements to MWBEs through demonstration of the six affirmative steps. For more details of the DBE Program and the current, applicable fair share goals, please visit <http://www.twdb.texas.gov/financialVprogrms/DBE/index.asp>.

**Equal Opportunity in Employment** - All qualified Applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, handicap, or national origin. Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order No. 12466, as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations 41 CFR, Part 60. Small, minority and women-owned firms are encouraged to

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submit. The successful (<isponent will be required to submit TWDB-0217 (Prime Consultant/Contractor Certification). Should the successful respondent require sub-consultants/sub-contractors, the Prime Consultant/Contractor is required to perfolill a Good Faith Effort solicitation for these sub-consultants/sub-contractors following the TWDB Disadvantaged Business Enterprise guidance found on the TWDB DBE web page, <http://www.twdb.texas.gov/financial/programs/DBE/index.asp>. In addition, the following additional fonnns will be required: TWDB-0216 (Affirmative Steps Solicitation Report) and TWDB-0373 (Participation Summary).

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED BUDGET FOR DONLEY COUNTY

A Public Hearing on the Donley County Proposed Budget will be held on August 26th, 2024, at 9:00 am in the Commissioners Courtroom in the Courthouse in Clarendon. This budget will raise more revenue from property taxes than last year's budget by an amount of \$75,883, which is a 3.85 percent increase from last year's budget. The property tax revenue to be raised from new property added to the tax roll this year is \$13,098.00.

### SMALL TAXING UNIT NOTICE

The City of Hedley will hold a meeting at 7:00 pm on August 22, 2024 at City Hall located at 109 Main Street, Hedley, Texas to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for the tax year 2024-2025. The proposed tax rate is \$0.366088 per \$100 of value. Visit [Texas.gov/Property Taxes](https://www.texas.gov/PropertyTaxes) to find a link to your local property tax database on which you can easily access information regarding your property taxes, including information about proposed tax rates and scheduled public hearings of each entity that taxes your property. The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval rate is calculated to limit the rate growth of property taxes in the state.

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON

Proposed 2024-2025 Fiscal Year Budget  
The City of Hedley (City) Council will hold a public hearing on the proposed 2024-2025 fiscal year budget. The public hearing will be held in the City of Hedley City Hall Building at 109 Main Street, Hedley, Texas 79237 at 6:30 p.m. on August 22, 2024. The public is encouraged to review the City's proposed budget at the City of Hedley Office located at 109 Main Street, you may view a paper copy of the budget in the City Secretary's office. Members of the public are encouraged to provide input through any means available and/or to attend the public hearing. The Hedley City Council will vote to adopt the Budget for Fiscal Year 2024-2025 at the end of the Public Hearing.

**PUBLISHER'S NOTICE:** All real estate advertising in this newspaper is subject to the Fair Housing Act which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation, or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status, or national origin, or an intention, to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination." Familial status includes children under the age of 18 living with parents or legal custodians, pregnant women, and people securing custody of children under 18. This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis. To complain of discrimination, call HUD toll-free at 1-800-669-9777. The toll-free telephone number of the hearing impaired is 1-800-927-9275.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Saints' Roost Museum

610 East Harrington

Tuesday - Saturday

10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Open for appointments.

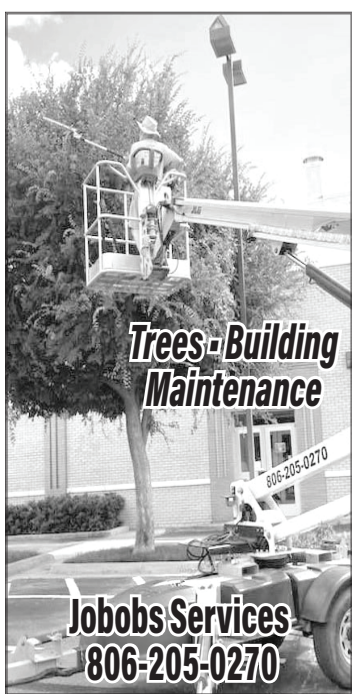
Call 874-2746.

## HELP WANTED

**BEST WESTERN PLUS RED RIVER INN** is taking applications for a Front Desk Agent. This is a part-time position (32 hours). Hours will be 3pm - 11pm Thursday & Friday and 11pm - 7am Saturday and Sunday. Uniforms provided. Paid vacation. Pool and fitness center privileges. Salary range \$12 - \$15 per hour. Please apply in person.

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## SERVICES



TexSCAN Week of  
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### CHARITY

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We're getting ready to go back...



# Newspaper Fun!

[www.readingclubfun.com](http://www.readingclubfun.com)



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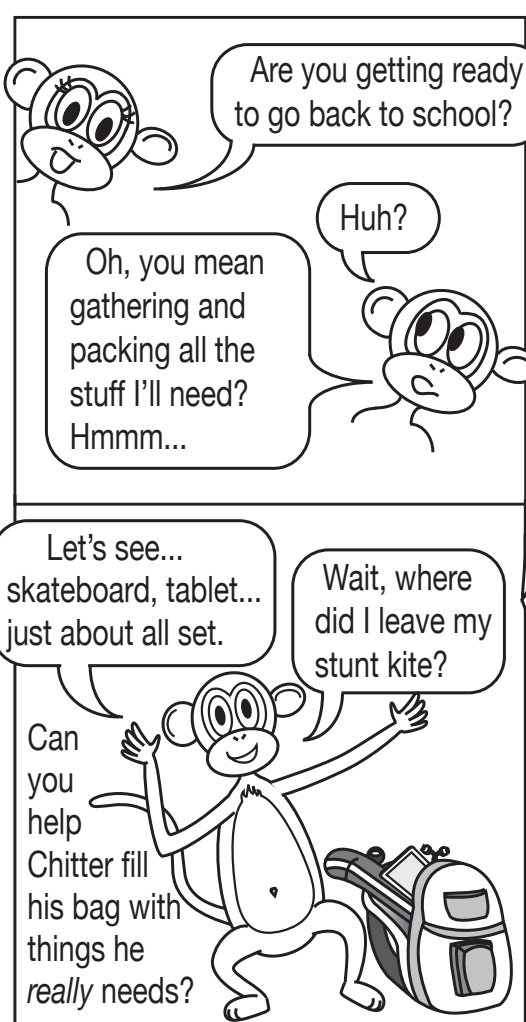
...to school. It's a new start each year!



Kids: color stuff in!

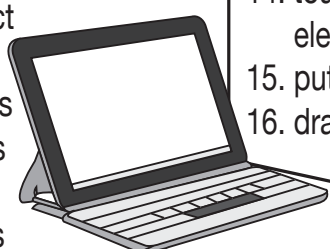


## All Set to Go Back to School?

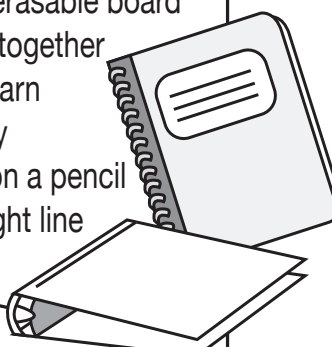


### We use this (these) to:

1. write final copies; correct
2. write or draw on
3. do research, type papers
4. work out math problems
5. sketch; do math tests
6. organize papers, reports



7. cut paper and string
8. stick things together
9. color our work
10. write compositions in
11. make mistakes disappear
12. write on an erasable board
13. fasten work together
14. touch and learn electronically
15. put a point on a pencil
16. draw a straight line



Below are some phrases that people use with the word **school** or **class** in them. What do they mean? **Match each one to its definition:**

1. tell tales out of school
2. school of thought
3. school of hard knocks
4. old school
5. school someone
6. class act



- A. way of thinking about something
- B. learned through life, not a class
- C. tell secrets one shouldn't
- D. the best
- E. used to work well in the past
- F. teach or train