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

## King, Seliger plan town hall on Friday

State Senator Kel Seliger (R-Amarillo) and State Rep. Ken King (R-Canadian) will hold a town hall on Friday, August 19, from 9 to 10 a.m. at the Bairfield Activity Center.

"I look forward to meeting with the residents of Senate District 31 to talk about the issues we will be addressing during the 85th Legislature and their priorities," said Seliger.

Rep. King will also solicit feedback from constituents on issues of vital importance to them and their communities.

"Before beginning another legislative session, it is important that I receive input and ideas from the constituents of District 88 to help me effectively represent and advocate for our community," King said.

## Aldermen hear no comments on taxes

There were no comments from the public when the Clarendon City Council held a tax hearing prior to its regular meeting last Thursday, August 11.

Members of the public were given the opportunity to speak, but none of the four citizen public had anything to say. The city proposes adopting an ad valorem rate of \$0.74800 per \$100 valuation to support its fiscal year 2017 budget.

In other business, aldermen ratified the sales tax and Hotel Occupancy Tax (HOT) budgets of the Clarendon Economic Development Corp. and the HOT budget of the Chamber of Commerce.

Administrator David Dockery said the city is now looking at a two percent increase in sanitation fees and said another tax hearing will be held August 28 and a budget hearing will be held September 8.

## Hedley aldermen okay water charges

The Hedley Board of Aldermen approved new rates for bulk water sales during their regular meeting August 4.

The new rates will be \$10 per thousand gallons up to 40,000 gallons and \$8 per thousand over the first 40,000. The rate will go into effect on September 1.

In other city business, the board approved a proposal from HH&R Roofing to fix the roof on City Hall, voting 3-1 with Alderman Guy Watt opposed.

The board approved a proposed tax rate of \$0.382955 per \$100 valuation, also voting 3-1 with Watt in opposition.

New hours were also set for City Hall as 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, closing for lunch from noon to 1 p.m.

## Screenings planned for pre-schoolers

Clarendon Elementary will hold Pre-school and Speech screening for three-year-old children on Wednesday, September 7. Children to be screened must be age three on or before September 7. Call 874-3855 to schedule an appointment.



# PEAK expands to cover dual credit at CHS

By Ashlee Estlack, Clarendon College

The cost of a college education is now even more affordable for Clarendon High School students thanks to the expansion of the PEAK Scholarship program.

As part of a pilot program, the PEAK will now pay for current Clarendon High School students to take dual credit courses through Clarendon College.

The PEAK was originally designed to provide two years of "last-dollar scholarship" for CHS graduates to attend CC, but a \$60,000 commitment by the Clarendon College Foundation has broadened the program to cover dual credit courses.

Starting this fall, the PEAK will fully fund the first three face-to-face hours of dual credit courses per semester for eligible high school students.

"The Clarendon College Foundation is pleased to be able to broaden this opportunity for Clarendon High School students through the PEAK Scholarship Fund," Clarendon Col-

lege Foundation President Walt Knorpp said. "We hope that this pilot program paves the way for even better things to come that will make college even more affordable for students in Donley County."

Clarendon College President Dr. Robert Riza says this is exciting news for the students of Clarendon High School and their parents.

"Clarendon College has long been an affordable route to higher education, but now, with the help of the College Foundation and the school administration, the PEAK will potentially benefit every student at CHS," Riza said. "Every dual credit class paid for by this fund is one step closer to a college degree without mom or dad having to foot the bill."

Clarendon CISD Superintendent Mike Norrell echoed Riza's comments on the cost savings to students.

"This partnership sends a message that post-secondary education is important enough to use our

limited resources on." Norrell said. "Additionally, this partnership works to give all of our students an opportunity to succeed and earn college hours without accumulating the crippling student debt that is plaguing many of our country's graduates. We are proud to make an investment in all of our students and work with Clarendon College and its Foundation toward this purpose."

In addition to the PEAK Scholarship, Donley County students benefit from a tuition cap instituted last year by Clarendon College. For dual credit students, the College picks up the tab for anything above and beyond the first three hours of tuition and fees, and for full-time students, tuition and fees are capped at the first 12 hours.

"This pilot program, combined with our tuition cap for Donley County students, represents an enormous savings for local students," Riza said. "Local partnerships such as this one offer great opportunities our rural students and can put a col-



CISD Superintendent Mike Norrell presents a check for \$7,000 to CC President Robert Riza for the PEAK Scholarship Fund from monies raised during the 2015-2016 school year.

CC PHOTO

lege education within their grasp."

The PEAK Scholarship is funded through annual fundraisers conducted by Clarendon ISD students and organizations, and through

donations from individuals and businesses.

For more information on the PEAK or to donate to this fund, visit ClarendonCollege.edu/PEAK.



## Sign-up time

Missy Hyatt and her mother take advantage of online registration at Hedley School on Monday night. Classes at public schools in Clarendon and Hedley start next Monday, and classes at Clarendon College begin next Tuesday.

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# Local schools meet state standards

Clarendon and Hedley schools met the state's expectations during standardized testing this spring, according to information released by the Texas Education Agency (TEA) last week.

The state released the 2016 state accountability ratings for more than 1,200 school districts and charters, as well as more than 8,600 campuses statewide.

The ratings reveal that approximately 94 percent of school districts and charters across Texas have achieved the rating of Met Standard, including Clarendon and Hedley ISDs.

Clarendon exceeded the state's target scores in all indices as a district as whole as well as on its high

school, junior high, and elementary campuses.

In the Student Achievement Index with a target score of 60, CISD scored 80, CHS received an 81, CJH was a 77, and Clarendon Elementary earned an 81.

"We're always glad to meet state standards," CISD Superintendent Mike Norrell said. "We always want to do the best we can, and this reflects the hard work of our staff and students."

Hedley ISD is scored as a whole instead of by campuses, and that school received a score of 84 in Student Achievement.

"With all the challenges the state keeps throwing at us, we're very happy to meet standard and

do so well," HISD Superintendent Colby Waldrop said. "We're just proud of how hard our students and faculty worked to keep us at a high standard."

Districts, campuses, and charters receive one of three ratings under the accountability system: Met Standard, Met Alternative Standard, or Improvement Required. The 2016 ratings are based on a system that uses a range of indicators to provide greater detail about the performance of a district or charter and individual campuses throughout the state.

Campuses that receive an accountability rating of Met Standard are also eligible for distinction designations. Distinction

designations are awarded to campuses based on achievement on performance indicators compared to a group of 40 campuses of similar type, size and student demographics. Distinction designations will be publicly released by Sept. 16.

For the 2015-2016 school year, the number of campuses achieving a rating of Met Standard or Met Alternative Standard increased compared to the previous years, while the number of campuses receiving a rating of Improvement Required decreased.

To view the 2016 state accountability ratings for districts, charters and campuses, visit the Texas Education Agency website at <http://tea.texas.gov/2016Accountability.aspx>.

# Clarendon sales tax revenue up for August

Clarendon's sales tax revenue surged ahead when Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar made his monthly allocations last week.

The city's sales tax figure of \$43,444.47 for the month represented an increase of 10.85 percent over the same period last year.

These allocations are based on sales made in June by businesses

that report tax monthly, and sales made in April, May and June by quarterly filers.

Clarendon has struggled with its sales tax revenues this year, and the new figure brings the city's calendar year-to-date figure up a little better than even at \$261,983.15, an increase of 0.24 percent.

Hedley's revenue for the month

is up 32.43 percent at \$878.48, and year-to-date revenue is up 20.42 percent at \$4,985.59.

Howardwick remains behind for the year, down 7.14 percent at \$8,081.96 and fell 24.62 percent this month for an allocation of \$866.86.

Statewide, Hegar sent cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts \$769.3

million in local sales tax allocations for August, 1.2 percent more than in August 2015.

"The cities of San Antonio, Austin, Fort Worth, Arlington, Plano and Irving saw noticeable increases in sales tax allocations," Hegar said. "Energy-centric cities, such as Houston and Midland, continue to see decreases."

# County to increase funding for library

Donley County's proposed budget raises taxes slightly but allows for a modest increase in salaries and restores some funding to the Burton Memorial Library.

The county's total tax rate – ad valorem, special, and debt rate combined – will go from \$0.657406 to \$0.673110 and will raise the annual tax on a home valued at \$100,000 by \$15.70.

The \$2.4 million budget proposed by commissioners is about \$202,000 higher than the current budget, but nearly half of that increased spending is covered by a grant from the governor's office, which will provide more than \$99,000 for highway safety enforcement... essentially covering the cost of employing and equipping one deputy.

County Judge John Howard said the fiscal year 2016 budget also benefits from a health insurance premium rebate of \$39,401 that was the result of the county's claims experience.

"The actual tax increase will cost the average taxpayer less than one cent per day, but we were able to do a lot with that," Howard said.

The added tax revenue will bring in \$21,700 to county coffers, but the insurance rebate and the benefit of the grant gave the county the opportunity to give full time county employees at \$100 a month raise and a \$50 per month raise to part time employees working 20 hours. Those raises will cost the county \$51,278 for the year.

This budget also reflects a two percent increase in health insurance premiums on the expense side, and a \$10,000 decrease in anticipated revenue from vehicle registrations on the income side due to the county getting less money from registrations when people renew those online.

Budget conditions being more favorable this year also allowed the county to partially reverse cuts it made last year in its support for the Burton Memorial Library, restoring \$5,000 out of the \$8,000 reduction and bringing county support for the library to \$30,000.

Looking ahead, Howard said the county hopes to do more to improve salaries and build operating reserves in fiscal year 2018 as payments being coming in from the Salt Fork wind farm.

Public tax hearings for the county will be held September 2 and September 6. Both meetings will be held at 9 a.m.



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Free speech and loathing in campaign

By Nat Hentoff and Nick Hentoff

Donald Trump is afraid of the US Constitution. That's the only conclusion that can be drawn from his reaction to the silent protesters who were ejected from his campaign rally for displaying pocket Constitutions in Portland, Maine, this week.

This hasn't always been the case. A video posted to conspiracy theorist Alex Jones' YouTube channel shows Donald Trump accepting a copy of one printed by Jones' Infowars TV show.

Trump's terror of pocket Constitutions only manifested itself after the damage Khizr Khan caused the candidate's campaign after the Democratic National Convention. Trump's poll numbers have plummeted since he waged war with the Gold Star father, who held up a pocket Constitution during his speech in Philadelphia last week.

After the Khan incident, Trump reacts to pocket Constitutions like a vampire reacts to holy water.

At the campaign rally in Portland, several protesters rose from their seats amid a mob of 1,600 screaming Trump supporters and stood silently, displaying small pocket Constitutions as Khan had done. Trump was instantly rendered speechless when the booklets were displayed. He stopped his speech, calling the mob's attention to the silent protesters, and said, "Do whatever you want."

"Well, you have to say, you know, a Trump rally is the safest place in our country to be, believe me," Trump said afterward.

But his rallies haven't been the safest place for protesters, who have been violently assaulted by his supporters at past Trump events. The Republican candidate is correct that his rallies are a safe space for his supporters to exercise their free speech rights.

In New York City, Black Lives Matter protesters physically ejected a lone Donald Trump supporter from City Hall Park earlier this week, claiming that the indisputably public space was, in fact, for "black and brown lives."

The NYPD officers who were present to protect the Black Lives Matter protesters' First Amendment rights did nothing to protect the Donald Trump supporter's rights.

On July 30, in Buffalo, New York, a "White Lives Matter" rally organized by the Detroit-based neo-Nazi group the National Socialist Movement (NSM) was shut down by counter-protesters. Karl Hand, a Racial Nationalist Party candidate for the Senate, was scheduled to speak at the rally.

A video of the event shows a man wearing a green "White Pride" T-shirt being surrounded and overwhelmed by the mob, who tore the offending T-shirt from his body. Police, who had to rescue the man, ejected him from the public park.

"I came to hear what (Hand) had to say. Obviously I won't be able to do that," attendee Anthony Chaman told a reporter for The Post-Standard in Syracuse.

So much for the protection of First Amendment rights and freedom of speech in Buffalo.

Incidents involving the suppression of free speech by others in public spaces are increasing in frequency. When they involve unpopular groups, like white supremacists, they are rarely acknowledged or condemned by free speech organizations such as the New York Civil Liberties Union.

The video of the Buffalo incident also showed a woman telling Hand: "You are sick people ... the rest of the United States is going to trample you out."

And she may very well be right. But if unpopular voices are silenced, no matter how offensive their message, America will have ceased to resemble the nation envisioned by the Framers of the Constitution.

In 1783, during an address to Army officers at Newburgh, New York, George Washington warned, four years before he would preside over the Constitutional Convention, "If freedom of speech is taken away, then dumb and silent we may be led, like sheep to the slaughter."

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The old dreams of 'Iron Horses'...

Perhaps dream-sizing today of century-old happenings should be linked to individuals with king-size visions of what can be. We can't get our minds wrapped around ideas of such dreamers whose unbounded optimism and rolled-up sleeves led to projects of grandeur.

Before automobiles, before area oil discovery, and a full century before wind turbines turned lazily in the west Texas winds, cotton and cattle undergirded the economy. Visionaries came up with \$200,000 in 1906 to birth a railroad. It was a short line, to be sure, but not to be short-lived.

Roscoe, Snyder and Pacific made for an ambitious name. Early dreams were to lay rails for 200 miles, connecting the RS&P to main lines in northwest Texas that stretched to the Pacific. They made it 40 miles, ending at Fluvanna, a hop/skip/jump west of Snyder.....

No doubt, tobacco was spat toward the dreamers. Some critics shook their fists, shouting, "Get a horse!" Excitement prevailed, though, particularly among sweaty workers laying rails for 15 cents per hour during hardscrabble years two decades before the Great Depression.

They said the rails were "quarter-spiked and half-tied." Stated differently, they got by with one-fourth of the spikes and half the cross ties recommended.

True enough, the little railroad was established with more faith than funds. It was "baling-wired;" duct tape - not yet invented - would have helped a bunch. It should be noted, though, the line had just one serious wreck during its 75+ years, and it had no fatalities. ...

Still, folks who believed in the

The first locomotive - purchased used, of course - had been a wood-burner before conversion to coal. The RS&P began daily passenger and freight service on May 22, 1908 - less than two years after its charter was granted.

It was the biggest of deals; finally, Snyder was connected by rail to cities back east. They had a two-day celebration, this town of 3,000 people. The excitement attracted 10,000 visitors, according to the Dallas Morning News. Schedules were crowded with picnics, speeches, ball games, hot air balloons, and horseshoe and washer pitching. Bunting flapped in the breeze from businesses, adding to the "hoopla."

On its return to Roscoe, the train backed its way across the 31-mile span, since there was no provision for turning around - yet....

How giddy those first passengers must have been, experiencing speeds of up to 25 MPH. Citizens were so excited about completion of the first segment, they rode a flat car pulled by mules for a "warm-up" to train-riding.

The "Pacific" part of the name, however, was not to be. RS&P ran with the big dogs on a prairie dog budget until deregulation in 1980 led to closure of the rail line in 1983.

Still, folks who believed in the



the idle american by don newbury

RS&P - up to and including investing - held heads high, as well they should have. The rail line showed modest profits most years. Bankruptcy was never once declared, and it operated through years of the Great Depression and two World Wars, providing employment for up to 70 persons. Noteworthy, too, is that when rails between Snyder and Fluvanna were taken up in 1941, they went straight to foundries, later to be used as shrapnel in World War II. Today, there's only 1.5 miles of rail remaining. It is used by Eagle Railcar Repair Company.....

The internet has many accounts of the RS&P, and the Roscoe Historical Museum - open upon request and on "special days" - has even more. Sometime when you're in Roscoe, the museum is a great stopping place, particularly if children in the back seat are reading The Little Engine That Could.

Dr. Edwin Duncan, a native who returned a decade ago after a long stint of university teaching in the northeast, is eager to show off the museum when he's not "out of pocket." Folks at the city hall - and others - have the number of the cell phone "in his pocket."

He's understandably proud of his hometown, its heritage, and, of course, the RS&P. One of his blogs will be revisited soon. It concerns a "jackrabbit round-up in Roscoe." For now, though, he'll tell you much more about the little railroad that could - and did....

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THE TRUST ISSUE...



Huckleberry days in north Idaho

Yes, there are such things as huckleberries. They grow wild in Northern Idaho and during the short time they are ready for harvest (mid to late July), the state celebrates the small purple berry in all sorts of ways. Bars offer huckleberry beer or wine. Restaurants offer huckleberry ice cream. Stores (like Huckleberry Thicket in Post Falls) have dozens of items like huckleberry candy and jam.

We went to Coeur d'Alene (pronounced core da lane) to visit our friends who recently bought a home there. Their yard has hundreds of flowers and shrubs, which were all in bloom when we were there in mid-July. The neighborhood has the greenest well-kept lawns and cleanest streets. People take extra good care of their cars.

There are 55 lakes within 50 miles of CDA (as the natives call their city), some of them so deep that the US Navy tests submarines at its base at Bayview where Lake Pend Oreille (pronounced Pondoray) is more than 1,000 feet deep. Most of the lakes are surrounded by

thick forests of fir and pine. Nestled among the trees are elaborate homes, many of them owned by movie stars and sports figures. One of five homes is a permanent residence. The rest are used by the owners for get-aways.

Towering over Lake Coeur d'Alene is a resort that features the only floating golf green in the world. Golfers tee off on the mainland and are taken by boat to the green. Boating, swimming, parasailing and water skiing are popular activities on the lake. Some folks surf without a rope in the boat's wake. We toured the Stancraft wooden boat factory that turns out beautiful water vehicles.

Hanging baskets of flowers are everywhere and the snow-capped mountains in the background give the visitor an experience that goes right to the soul. We took a drive along the Selkirk Loop, a 280 miles route that offers scenic beauty punctuated by waterfalls,



guest column by tumbleweed smith

footbridges and lighthouses. The drive is along rivers and lakes and has inviting places for picnics. The loop goes through Idaho, British Columbia and Washington, past picturesque mining towns with unique hotels and cafes. There's a free ferry ride from Kootenay Bay to Balfour. At Nelson, BC we stayed in the Hume Hotel, which offered an evening of soft jazz in the bar, played by experts on guitar and violin. The next morning we went to a street market that had beautiful fruits, vegetables, furniture, clothing and jewelry. Nelson is known as the best small art town in Canada.

Perhaps the most unusual thing we saw was a beautiful house near Boswell, BC made of empty embalming bottles. The builder collected more than 600,000 bottles and used them like bricks. He kept the caps on for insulation. It was an undertaker and spent ten years building his house. It is comfortable with all the modern conveniences. The grounds are maintained in typical Canadian fashion with bright colored flowers, green grass, shade trees, patios, observation decks and walkways.

Read more at www.tumbleweedsmith.com





**Post vandalism**

After the vandalizing of the Clarendon VFW Post last Wednesday a reward has been posted for information leading to the arrest and conviction of those responsible. West Texas Gas, located across US 287 from the Post was also hit. If you have any information about this crime, call the Donley County Sheriff's Office at 806-874-3533.

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**Employment Law Seminar to be held in Amarillo**

The Underwood Law Firm will be hosting its 7th Annual Employment Law Seminar, "Hot Topics," on Tuesday, September 13, in Amarillo and Thursday, September 15, in Lubbock.

Each session will begin at 8:30 a.m. and conclude at 4:00 p.m. The Amarillo session will be held at the Downtown Campus of Amarillo College, 1314 S. Polk and the Lubbock

session will be held at the Region 17 Education Service Center, 1111 West Loop 289. Cost of the seminar is \$99 for the first person from an organization and \$75 for each additional participant from the same organization. The fee includes a light breakfast, lunch, and all seminar materials.

Topics to be covered include immigration and customs enforcement, insurance issues, Federal

Labor Standards Act, off the clock and overtime, court and National Relations Board update, Family Medical Leave Act, worker's compensation issues, American's with Disabilities Act, harassment and bullying in the workplace, and safety and the impaired employee.

More information and registration can be found at [www.uwlaw.com/category/events](http://www.uwlaw.com/category/events)

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# Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase

The Donley County will hold two public hearings on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in the preceding tax year by 1.4 percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property and the tax rate is adopted.

The first public hearing will be held on 09/02/2016 9:00 am at Commissioners Courtroom.

The second public hearing will be held on 09/06/2016 9:00 am at Commissioners Courtroom.

The members of the governing body voted on the proposal to consider the tax increase as follows:

For: Judge John Howard, Mark White, Daniel Ford, Andy Wheatly, Dan Sawyer  
Against: None  
Present and not voting: None  
Absent: None

The average taxable value of a residence homestead in last year was \$33467. Based on last years tax rate of \$,657406 per \$100 of taxable value, the amount of taxes imposed last year on the average home was \$220.01.

The average taxable value of a residence homestead in this year is \$33543. If the governing body adopts the effective tax rate for this year of \$,66369 per \$100 of taxable value, the amount of taxes imposed this year on the average home would be \$222.62.

If the governing body adopts the proposed tax rate of \$,67311 per \$100 of taxable value, the amount of taxes imposed this year on the average home would be \$225.78.

Members of the public are encouraged to attend the hearings and express their views.  
**Special Provisions if Applicable**

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**Criminal Justice Mandate** (for counties):  
The Donley County County Auditor certifies that Donley County County has spent \$43763 in the previous 12 months beginning July 1, 2015 for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. Donley County County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.

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**August 19**  
Owls v Miami • scrimmage • 5:30 p.m. • There

**August 20**  
Little Miss Cheer Camp • 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. • Registration at 9:45 a.m. • Performance 2:45

**August 22**  
Back to School • Clarendon ISD & Hedley ISD

**August 23**  
Fall classes start • Clarendon College

**August 26**  
Broncos v Shamrock • 7:30 p.m. • There

Owls v McLean • 7:30 p.m. • There

**September 2**  
Broncos v S-Earth • 7:30 p.m. • Home

Owls v Lefors • 7:30 p.m. • There

**September 9**  
Broncos v Wheeler • 7:30 p.m. • Home

Owls v Harrold • Homecoming • 7:30 p.m. • Hedley

## Menus

August 22 - 26

**Donley County Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Hot dog in a bun, potato wedges, coleslaw, chocolate cake, iced tea/2% milk.  
Tue: Swedish meatballs, seasoned green beans, garlic toast, salad, fruit bowl, iced tea/2% milk.  
Wed: BBQ sliced brisket, ranch style beans, cornbread, carrot sticks, chocolate pudding, iced tea/2% milk.  
Thu: Spaghetti/meat sauce, peas & carrots, cucumber salad, garlic toast, cookies, iced tea/2% milk.  
Fri: Taco pie w/salad topping, pinto beans, chuck wagon corn, tortilla, white cake slices, iced tea/2% milk.

**Hedley Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Chicken salad sandwich, tomato, lettuce, & pickle, carrot sticks, watermelon, iced tea/2% milk.  
Tue: Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, Italian vegetables, broccoli, garlic toast, autumn Jello, iced tea/2% milk.  
Wed: Meat loaf/tomato sauce, mashed potatoes, winter blend vegetable, wheat roll, apple fluff, iced tea/2% milk.  
Thu: BBQ beef w/sauce, smothered potatoes, pinto beans, wheat roll, apricots, iced tea/2% milk.  
Fri: Chicken tenders/gravy, garlic mashed potatoes, turnip greens, wheat rolls, mandarin oranges, iced tea/2% milk.

**Clarendon ISD**  
Breakfast  
Mon: Sausage kolache, yogurt, fruit, fruit juice, milk.  
Tue: Cheese omelet, fruit, fruit juice, milk.  
Wed: Breakfast pizza, fruit, fruit juice, milk.  
Thu: Waffles, sausage, fruit, fruit juice, milk.  
Fri: Cinnamon roll, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Lunch  
Mon: Country fried steak w/gravy, mashed potatoes, savory green beans, strawberry cup, roll, milk.  
Tue: Meat & cheese tostadas, Spanish rice, refried beans, lettuce, tomato garnish, rosy applesauce, milk.  
Wed: Pepperoni pizza, garden salad, vegetable medley, orange smiles, fruit, milk.  
Thu: Frito pie, Mexicali corn, baby carrots, peaches, cookie, fruit, milk.  
Fri: Cheeseburger w/garnish, coleslaw, sweet potato fries, apple slices, fruit, milk.

**Hedley ISD**  
Breakfast  
Mon: Sausage roll, yogurt, banana, fruit juice, milk.  
Tue: Cheese omelet wrap, orange smiles, fruit juice, milk.  
Wed: Breakfast pizza, mixed fruit, fruit juice, milk.  
Thu: Waffles & sausage, pineapple tidbits, fruit juice, milk.  
Fri: Cinnamon roll, bacon, pears, fruit juice, milk.

Lunch  
Mon: Country fried steak, mashed potato/gravy, roll, savory green beans, strawberry cup, milk.  
Tue: Meat & cheese nachos, salsa, zesty cucumbers, refried beans, lettuce & tomato garnish, rosy applesauce, milk.  
Wed: Pepperoni pizza, garden salad, vegetable medley, orange smiles, milk.  
Thu: Soft beef tacos, Mexicali corn, salsa, baby carrots, cookie, peaches, milk.  
Fri: Hamburger or cheeseburger, sweet potato fries, coleslaw, apple slices, milk.

# Be careful when donating, protect yourself from Zika

Hi, gang! We need to support our Law Enforcement Officers. Be especially careful when donating and protecting yourself from Zika are covered this week.

Amarillo Police Department's Sgt. Brent Barbee writes the following comments: "Be alert for fraud when donating to help Ofc. Scherlen's family..."

Please be aware that the generous outpouring of support in every form for Officer Justin Scherlen's family has also brought out people that may want to use this tragedy to their own questionable ends. This morning, a family representative advised us that they have had to take action to end two "crowdfunding" type accounts set up at www.gofundme supposedly to benefit the family. Neither of these accounts was set up with the permission of the family, and there is no information to indicate that they were legitimate.

There is one genuine and authorized www.gofundme page that was established to help with ongoing expenses before Ofc. Scherlen passed away. This page is still active

at this time but the administrator of the fund has already arranged to forward the money not already in the right hands and deactivate it to reduce the chance of fraud. At this time, the only way to be certain that cash donations go to the right place is to direct them to the Justin Scherlen Benefit Fund at the Amarillo National Bank.

As with any donation you make, be careful of the legitimacy of the organization. The Better Business Bureau has advised that they have received calls today from people who want to "check out" apparently fraudulent efforts. The BBB remains a valuable resource in making decisions about donations. They can be reached at <http://www.bbb.org/amarillo/> or their charity inquiry page, [www.give.org](http://www.give.org). Thank you all for your generosity and support. Amarillo Police Department

"BBB Advice on Donating"  
When fallen officers need help, America responds. When that tragedy happens at home, local folks feel the tug and are eager to help. While there are ways to give there can also

be questionable efforts that may seek to take advantage of public concern about this issue. To help spot red flags when donating, BBB warns donors to carefully research any charitable efforts - especially those that surface following an event that gains media attention, whether local or national in scope.

Make sure collected monies are received and administered by a third party such as a bank, CPA or lawyer. This will help provide oversight and ensure the collected funds are used appropriately. Updates from a project's organizers help to ensure they're being honest about the uses of raised money and provide the necessary transparency for donors to make wise giving decisions. Be especially careful after a disaster or tragedy. Con artists will strike while the emotional iron is hot.



bob's whittlin' by bob watson

Read the fine print. There could be credit card fees and administrative costs associated with donating. Know that some funds may not be set up as charities, of course you can donate but know that your donation may not be tax deductible. Check out charities at [give.org](http://give.org), the charity reporting arm of BBB.

Will Those Insect Repellents Protect You From Zika? by Aditi Jhaveri, Consumer Education Specialist, FTC

Mosquitoes are in the news and in popular vacation spots. If you're worried about the Zika virus or other mosquito-borne diseases, you'll find all sorts of products including wristbands, stickers, and patches that say they'll repel mosquitos that carry Zika. But do they really work? Are you and your family as protected as they claim? Maybe not. The FTC is concerned that some products don't work as advertised. That's why the FTC sent warning letters to 10 companies selling these products, urging them to remove any health claims that aren't backed by scientific evidence — especially claims about

preventing Zika and other mosquito-borne diseases.

So how can you be sure you're buying an insect repellent that works as promised? To prevent mosquito bites, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends using skin-applied insect repellents registered with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) with certain active ingredients. The EPA also has registered products to treat clothing and gear. These registered products have been evaluated by the EPA for safety and effectiveness. You can search the EPA's registry for skin-applied repellents based on the: type of insect, active ingredient, amount of time you need protection, specific company name.

If you're considering an all-natural repellent or a wristband or sticker not registered with the EPA, know that the CDC and EPA don't speak to their effectiveness. And if you're a parent, know that certain ingredients aren't safe for children under three even if they're advertised as all natural.

Stay safe out there.

## Searching the fridge for supper

I have always said: give me a pound of hamburger, an onion, some potatoes, and a can of tomatoes, and I will make a meal you won't soon forget. I knew a big grocery shopping trip was needed because all I found was a can of tomatoes in the pantry. In searching the refrigerator, I found numerous containers holding leftovers living in various type of mold, some unrecognizable, five unopened containers of cream cheese, a jar with 4 olives swimming around in the brine, several jelly jars with a teaspoon of crystalized jelly clinging

to the side, three opened bottles of ranch dressing, about 1/4 cup of expired orange juice, and many other throw-away items. But I had no potatoes or onions.

The freezer had two opened containers of Cool-Whip, some sort of white meat covered in freezer



wick picks by peggy cockerham Howardwick • 874-2886

burn, a large box containing one Eggo, ice packs that are necessary for my back pain, but no hamburger.

I spent the morning compiling the grocery list, and I promise a good meal tomorrow.

Where has the summer gone? School begins next week, so be alert and watch for that yellow school bus. Our special commodities, the children, will be excited and very quick, darting around cars, waving at friends or possibly crying (Mom or child). We all must slow down and keep our foot near the brake.

## Plans underway for Cotton Festival

Plans are underway for this year's Hedley Cotton Festival, which will be held October 7-8, 2016.

Everything is still a work in progress, but here is what I have heard about so far. We are trying to get a few games for the kids, but there will be no rides. We really need volunteer support for a few games if we get them made.

On Friday, October 7, the Lions Club "Chili & Stew Supper" will

start at 5 p.m., and there may be bingo at the senior citizens center.

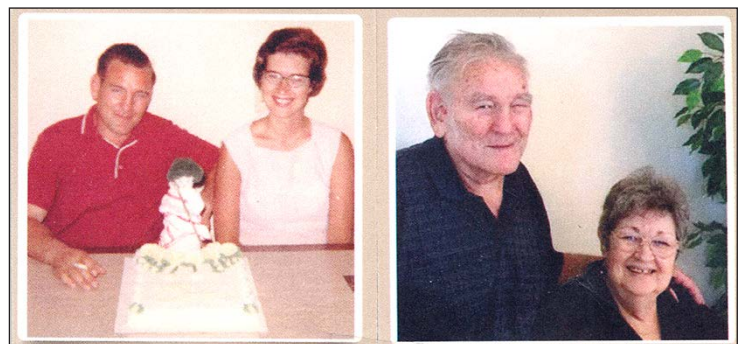
On Saturday, vendors are welcome. No vendors are allowed except for those from the school.



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Call Gini at City Hall at 856-5241 for more information. Street music is also planned for Saturday as well as the following activities: senior citizens hamburgers and rifle raffle fundraisers; One Act Play bingo, cheerleaders' bake sale, Lions Club barbecue, parade at 2 p.m., and school reunion at 3 p.m. The class of 1966 is hosting the reunion.

Right now that's all I know, but I will keep you posted.



Don and Treva Fulton

## Fultons to celebrate 60 years wed

Don and Treva Fulton, of Howardwick, will be celebrating their 60 year anniversary August 19. The couple married in 1956 in Sayre, Oklahoma.

Treva is the daughter of Jeff and Lois Still. Don is the son of Euil and

Lois Fulton. The couple have four children, Linda Rowland of Howardwick, Karen Fulton of Stanton, Lesa Hardy of Andrews, and Lana Jackson of Amarillo' 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

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## Back to the Schoolhouse

Next week, I have to go back to school. I am going to be in fourth grade in Mrs. Lockhart's class. I'm very excited for Cub Scouts to start back up. I'm looking forward



the cub reporter by benjamin estlack

to learning robotics and science. I also like getting to go camping and have fun with my Dad and my pack.

I'm pretty sad that summer is about to end because it feels like school years are getting longer and summers are getting shorter. I'm going to try to make the most of what I have left of this summer. I want to play outside a lot, play with my cousins as much as I can, and I really want to recover from my recent injuries. A few days ago, I was riding my scooter around and I hit a rock and hurt my leg in four different places. I'm being more careful now.

I hope everyone had a good summer and has a good school year.

## Burger benefit set to assist Hommel

A Hamburger Benefit dinner has been set for Laura Hommel on Saturday, August 27. The benefit will be from 6 to 8 p.m. and will be held at the Donley County Activity Center on Hwy. 70 North.

**Good Luck, Broncos!**

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**Drugs in the News**

**New Heart Failure Drug Approved**

The FDA recently approved a new medication that is reported to reduce the risk of death from heart failure. Heart failure is a condition where the heart cannot pump enough blood to maintain the needs to the body. Entresto (sacubitril/valsartan) is a combination medication that is indicated to reduce the risk of death from cardiovascular causes and hospitalization from heart failure in those who have a history of heart failure. Individuals that would benefit from the medication would need to belong to a specific heart failure class with a reduced ejection fraction. Ejection fraction is a measurement of the ability of the heart to pump blood with every beat and helps classify certain stages of heart failure. The results from the clinical trial that led to FDA approval showed that Entresto was statistically superior to enalapril in reducing cardiovascular death, hospitalizations, and improved survival. Entresto works by blocking the effects of two chemicals in the body that are believed to cause the heart and kidney problems associated with heart failure. The manufacturer of Entresto indicates that it will be offered in three different strengths.

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Parents say Hommel believes in their children when others don't, pushes her kids to achieve their highest goals, never lets them quit, and never lets them just do nothing. She makes her students feel successful and gives them brighter futures. In addition, she also volunteers her time in service to God and as 4-H leader.

The Whistle-Stop and the community salute Laura Hommel for her courage and her commitment to youth. Thank you, Laura!





**New Faces**

Clarendon ISD welcomed new faculty and staff members during an employee breakfast last Thursday, August 11. New to the district are Korey Conkin - Head Girls Basketball Coach/High School English, Meredith Lemons - Fifth Grade Teacher, Angie Gaines - Custodian, Jenae Ashbrook - All-School Counselor, Cecilia Batchelor - Junior High Math, and Lesa Rae Thornberry - High School Art/Theater.

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**New Kids on the Block**

New faculty members Cheryl Koetting, first grade; Tori Hanauer, 7-12 English; Cody Lancaster, History, Athletics and Coach; Mike Burgoyne Maintenance; Tiffany Clayton Custodian.

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The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular Tuesday noon meeting with Boss Lion Pro Tem John Howard ringing the bell.

We had 14 members and two guests this week - Nathan and Daniel Estlack, guests of Lion Scarlet Estlack.

Lion David Dockery reported that all is well at the city and that the water recreation committee is meeting this week. Lion Landon Lambert reported on the county and said the budget was nearly done.

Lion Jacob Fangman said the banking business going well, and Lion Mike Norrell reported on the public school where registration is underway. The Broncos will scrimmage Electra this Thursday night in Electra.

Lion Larry Capranica reported the ice cream social at the college will be next Tuesday, and Lion Ashlee Estlack reported on fall activities getting underway at the college.

The Boss Lion reminded everyone that local Legislators will be in a town hall this Friday at 9 a.m. at the college.

Our program was given by Lion Russell Estlack... a game of 20 questions and Lion Don Smith was the winner of the Major Award.

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



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### Sheriff's Report

#### August 8, 2016

12:16 a.m. – See caller 200 block East 2nd - Hedley  
12:51 a.m. – See caller 100 block North Sully  
7:58 a.m. – Report of hit & run 5th McClelland  
11:09 a.m. – EMS assist 100 block West Church Street  
12:12 p.m. – EMS assist 400 block McClelland  
4:43 p.m. – EMS assist 300 block South Taylor  
5:41 p.m. – Units paged 1 vehicle rollover FM 2471 & HWY 273

#### August 9, 2016

3:04 a.m. – EMS assist 300 block Rosenfield

4:29 a.m. – EMS assist 200 block East 2nd - Hedley  
9:59 a.m. – Report of person asleep in vehicle South Kearney  
11:40 a.m. – Welfare check 1400 block West 8th  
2:52 p.m. – EMS assist Co Rd 17  
9:05 p.m. – Loose livestock FM 1260 North  
11:25 p.m. – Report of vehicle in ditch Eastbound I-40 mile marker 127-128

#### August 10, 2016

10:17 a.m. – EMS assist Clarendon Family Medical Center  
6:56 p.m. – Report of semi in turning lane 287 & Jefferson  
9:25 p.m. – EMS assist 1200 block West 3rd  
11:39 p.m. – EMS assist 600 block West White

#### August 11, 2016

6:14 a.m. – See caller 800 block East 2nd  
7:29 a.m. – See caller 800 block East 2nd  
7:02 p.m. – Loose livestock HWY 203

#### August 12, 2016

7:47 a.m. – Loose livestock HWY 203  
8:45 a.m. – EMS assist 400 block Nocoma Drive  
9:10 a.m. – Loose livestock FM 2362  
10:45 a.m. – To jail with one in custody  
3:12 p.m. – See caller Harrington Street  
7:34 p.m. – Units dispatched to one vehicle accident HWY 70  
9:50 p.m. – See caller 6th & Collinson

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## Notice of Tax Revenue Increase

The Clarendon College District conducted public hearings on August 11, 2016, and August 18, 2016, on a proposal to increase the total tax revenues of the Clarendon College District from properties on the tax roll in the preceding year by 4.47 percent.

The total tax revenue proposed to be raised last year at last year's tax rate of \$.220802 for each \$100 of taxable value was \$475,377.

The total tax revenue proposed to be raised this year at the proposed tax rate of \$.230677 for each \$100 of taxable value, excluding tax revenue to be raised from new property added to the tax roll this year, is \$514,904.

The total tax revenue proposed to be raised this year at the proposed tax rate of \$.230677 for each \$100 of taxable value, including tax revenue to be raised from new property added to the tax roll this year, is \$517,875.

The Clarendon College Board of Regents is scheduled to vote on the tax rate that will result in that tax increase at a public meeting to be held on August 22, 2016, in the Bairfield Activity Center VIP Room, Clarendon College, 1122 College Drive, Clarendon, Texas 79226, P.O. Box 968, Clarendon, Texas 79226 at 4:00 p.m.



# Federal judge approves plan to weaken Texas voter ID law

By Khorri Atkinson, The Texas Tribune

A federal judge on Wednesday approved a plan that says it won't be mandatory for Texans to present an ID in order to vote in the November general election.

The sweeping changes OK'd by U.S. District Judge Nelva Gonzales Ramos come a month after a federal appeals court found the state's voter ID law – which was passed by the Legislature in 2011 and went into effect in 2013 – to be racially discriminatory.

Under the agreement reached by Texas officials and groups suing the state, anyone without an ID can sign a declaration stating they are a U.S. citizen and present proof of residence, such as a utility bill, bank statement or paycheck.

"Certainly what happened today in court was a victory," said Jennifer Clark, an attorney at the New York-based Brennan Center for Justice, who represented plaintiffs in the case. "This is the first time in three years voters will cast a regular ballot in November. It's a huge victory."

Gary Bledsoe, president of the Texas NAACP chapter and an attorney in Austin, called the decision "a big step in our continuing fight to push back against discriminatory laws that have no place in the Lone Star State."

"This case is not over. Given the time constraints of the November elections and the direction of the Fifth Circuit, today's order by the district court is an interim remedy that preserves the crucial aspects of

the Voter ID law for this November election, while we continue evaluating all options moving forward, including an appeal of the Fifth Circuit's decision to the U.S. Supreme Court." – Marc Rylander, spokesman for Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton

The voter ID law, championed by state Republican lawmakers, requires voters to show one of a limited number of government-issued photo IDs to vote, including a state driver's license, a passport or a concealed carry handgun license. They argued that regulations are essential to combat election fraud. However, critics said the law is intended to suppress voter turnout among Democratic-leaning constituencies, including minorities, students and the elderly. They said more than 600,000 eligible Texas voters lacked the forms of identification the law requires.

Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton, a staunch supporter of the voter ID law, signaled that he won't give up the case any time soon. The legal battle over what is said to be the nation's strictest voter ID law has already cost state taxpayers more than \$3.5 million.

"This case is not over," Paxton's spokesman, Marc Rylander, said in a statement. "Given the time constraints of the November elections and the direction of the Fifth Circuit, today's order by the district court is an interim remedy that preserves the crucial aspects of the Voter ID law for this November election, while we continue evaluating all options

moving forward, including an appeal of the Fifth Circuit's decision to the U.S. Supreme Court."

Wednesday's agreement comes in the wake of a string of recent court decisions in other states weakening voting restrictions ahead of this general election. Courts ruled that Texas and other states have passed restrictive laws that attempt to disenfranchise minorities and students.

Texas' ID law was blocked by the U.S. Department of Justice and a federal court in 2012, but it went into effect in 2013 after the U.S. Supreme Court struck down a core provision of the Voting Rights Act. The ruling by the high court means Texas and other states with a history of racial discrimination no longer automatically need federal consent before changing their election laws.

Texas also agreed to spend \$2.5 million on voter education efforts to ensure that residents and poll workers know about the policy change before Election Day.

Clark said Texas attorneys also proposed language that would have allowed someone to vote after swearing or affirming under penalty of perjury that they do not have a state voter ID. The judge struck down that proposal, which Clark called "intimidating" and unnecessary.

"We should make voting a welcoming experience and make people feel they have a right to vote," Clark said. She added that attorneys representing the plaintiffs will closely monitor the case because they expect "there will be a lot of things happening after the election."



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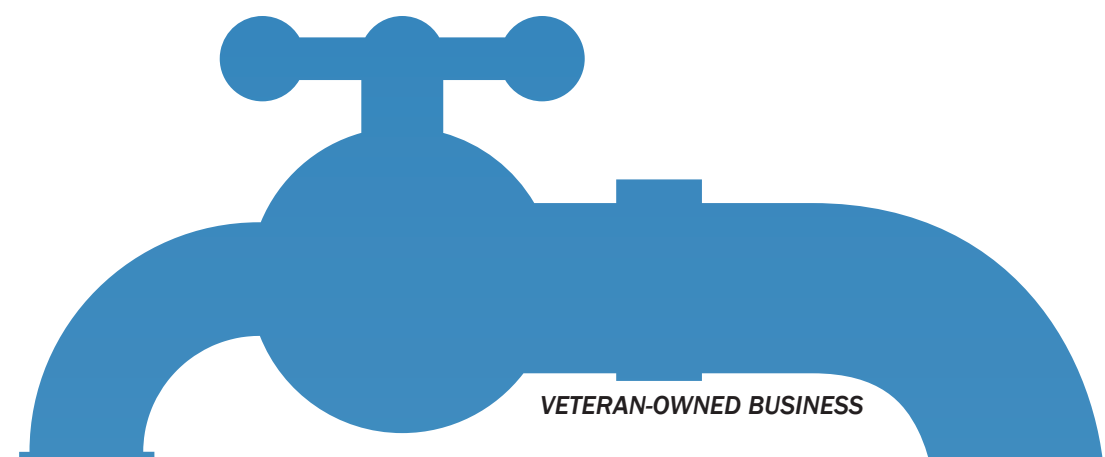
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1. No leaks under the sink on both the drain and water supply lines. Drain line is flowing properly.
2. Dishwasher connections are good, no leaks. No visible leaks underneath unit. Unit is secure.
3. Water line supply valves are not froze up & will stop the water flow when closed, no leaking on stems.
4. Garbage Disposal is emptying out correctly & is odor free, no leaks. Motor is running properly.
5. Drain Basket Strainers are not leaking around sink holes and the stoppers are sealing properly.
6. Kitchen faucet isn't leaking around control valves or through the spout. Sprayer valve is working correctly & there are no leaks on the sprayer system. Faucet is tightly mounted. Aerator is clean and streaming correctly.
7. Wall and/or floor penetrations are closed around pipes to retard rodents, vermin & air.
8. Gas Stove supply lines & valve not leaking. Perform liquid spray test.
9. Refrigerator/Icemaker supply line not leaking and filter status regarding change cycle.
10. Reverse Osmosis water purification system not leaking & filter/membrane change cycle. Test the output water TDS levels.

**BATHROOM FAMILY:** (Could be more than one bathroom for items 11 - 18)

11. Check toilet for proper flushing action. Check toilet tightness to the floor. Check for any leaks at base, between tank & bowl, & inside tank on flush valve for any leak through & fill valve while filling. Check the fill valves anti-siphon level for proper height adjustment. Check toilet seat to be sure the hinges are working good and the bumpers are in place Check trip lever returns to proper position after flushing.
12. Leaks under the sink on both the drain and water supply lines. Drain line is flowing properly.
13. Water line supply valves are not froze up & will stop the water flow when closed, no leaking on stems.
14. Lavatory faucet isn't leaking around control valves or through the spout. Drain Pop-up is working correctly & there are no leaks on the drain plug system. Faucet is tightly mounted. Aerator is clean and streaming correctly.
15. Wall/floor penetrations are closed around pipes to retard rodents, vermin & air.
16. Bathtub/shower drain is free of hair, etc. & is flowing properly. Drain plug is functioning & sealing correctly.
17. Tub faucet is not leaking around control valves or through the spout. Anti-scald (positemp type) valve (if you have this type valve) is working properly. Shower diverter is working correctly.
18. Shower head is free of corrosion & is flowing well.

**LAUNDRY ROOM:**

19. Check both faucets for turn-off/on function. Check for leaks on faucets/hoses. Are faucets secured to wall.

**WATER HEATER:**

20. Check for calcium buildup (popping noises when burner has been on a short time).
21. Drain tank on tank type heater to remove any sediment.
22. Check for a properly installed T&P valve & drain.
23. Gas units- check for adequate combustion air supply.
24. Check for any leaks on the water lines to the heater.
25. Check for a full port shut-off valve on the cold water supply line.
26. Check for a safety leak drain pan and proper drain line.
27. Check for properly sealed pipe entrances & exits against vermin & air entry.
28. Check for strong floor base under water heater.
29. Gas units- check for proper venting system from heater through roof with locks or screws.
30. Gas units- check for AGA approved flex gas connector and gas shut off valve & gas valve accessibility location.
31. Electric units- check for safety disconnect switch accessibility & fuse & wire size.
32. Electric- check element & t-stat function on upper & lower unit.

**OUTDOOR ITEMS:**

33. Sill Cocks (Outdoor wall faucets) check for leaks through spout and around stem when on. Check for Hose Bibb Vacuum Breakers presence. Check to see if fastened securely & check the flow. Test the static water pressure.
34. Check for a Customer Service Valve and the function ability of the valve. Check accessibility.
35. Check Water Meter for any flow or leaks in meter can with all fixtures turned off.
36. Check Gas Meter for any leaks above ground & on meter.
37. Check gas piping for leaks at entry to structure if it enters above ground. Check function of gas service shut-off valve if present.
38. Check sewer line for surface cleanout. Check for flow issues in line by running water through fixtures & flushing commodes.
39. Check yard area for wet spots that would indicate any sub surface liquid leaks.

**LAWN IRRIGATION SYSTEM:**

40. Check all sprinklers for proper function & spray pattern.
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# Obituaries

## Bunyan

Ann "Memaw" Bunyan, 92, died on Sunday, August 14, 2016, in Clarendon.



Services were held on Tuesday, August 16, 2016, in the Robertson Funeral Directors Saints' Roost Chapel in Clarendon with Rev. Darrell Burton, officiating.

Burial followed at Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon.

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

Ann was born March 18, 1924, in Coffeyville, Kansas to Arthur and Ruby Kimball Kelley. She married O.L. "Bunny" Bunyan on July 12, 1946, in Wichita, Kansas. She had been a resident of Clarendon since 1981 where she volunteered for Donley County Senior Citizens and was a member of the Martin Baptist Church and the Golden Needle Quilting Club. She was an avid quilter, loved hummingbirds, and dearly loved her family.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband on November 24, 1981; 2 brothers; and a sister.

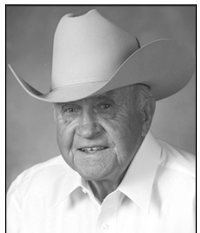
She is survived by 2 sons, Noel Bunyan and wife Janet and Greg Bunyan and wife Cecilia all of Amarillo; a daughter, Cheryl Burch and husband Ray of Clarendon; 7 grandchildren; and 11 great grandchildren.

The family request memorials be sent to Donley County Senior Citizens in Clarendon.

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## Mann

Winfred Carroll "Jiggs" Mann went to be with our Lord and Savior on August 10, 2016 in Amarillo. He was born at home, 8 miles south of Clarendon on March 2, 1929, to Ethel May and Gilbert Mann. He attended grade school at Chamberlain and graduated from Clarendon High School. At the age of 16 years old he began a life that he cherished so dearly, working on the wagon at the historic JA Ranch during the summers. He was so enamored with cowboy-life he wouldn't even wait for his report card before he was headed south to the ranch. Upon completion of high school, he became a full time hand at the ranch, creating the unbeatable stories from 1940's and 1950's that he always loved to tell. He enlisted in the US Army in 1952 and spent a short amount of time in Alexandria, Virginia. Returning from army life around 1953, he was pulled back to his calling and the life he loved when he was asked to return to the JA Ranch as the wagon boss.



Jiggs remained a constant figure on the ranch for many years. He became the Foreman from 1959 to 1969, and continued to have vested interest until after the turn of the 21st century. The time Jiggs spent on the ranch was good to him

and his family. It was a great place to raise a family and carry on the traditions of the rapidly disappearing cowboy-life. He fortified friendships and family-like bonds that are irreplaceable and, to this day, are still in place.

In April of 1955 Jiggs married Evelyn Wood of Clarendon. They enjoyed a blessed marriage of 61 years, and their partnership withstood the test of time. They began their own farming and ranching operation in 1969, and together Jiggs and Evelyn successfully operated a commercial Hereford cow-calf operation until retiring in 2011. During this time, they successfully raised many champion Hereford show steers.

Jiggs is preceded in death by his beautiful daughter, Karen Camille Miller. We know that they have joined hands in heaven and are riding through cattle together.

He is survived by his wife, Evelyn Mann of Clarendon; one son, Mark Mann and his wife Briss of Lubbock; one son-in-law Richard T. Miller of San Saba, Tex.; seven grandchildren including James Ross, Beth Ross, Katie Ross, Hadley Mann, Colby Mann, Bob Miller, and Joe Miller.

Jiggs Mann was involved in 4H, coaching little league baseball, Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association, Clarendon College Board of Regents, and was a lifelong member of the First Baptist Church, Clarendon. He was also a member of the Clarendon Masonic Lodge #700 AF & AM and served as a Master Mason for more than 60 years. He proudly supported the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association and the Panhandle Livestock Association. He was awarded the Foy Proctor Memorial Cowman's Award of Honor in 2001, Cowboy Roundup USA Rancher of the Year in 2005, and the Saints Roost Pioneer Man of the Year in 2005.

Funeral Services were held at the First Baptist Church in Clarendon on Saturday, August 13, 2016, with Rev. Lance Wood and Edwin Campbell officiating. Interment followed at Citizens Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the "Karen Camille Miller Scholarship Memorial Fund" at Clarendon College or the First Baptist Church of Clarendon.

Arrangements were by Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon, and you may sign the online guestbook at [www.RobertsonFuneral.com](http://www.RobertsonFuneral.com).

## Mayo

George "G.T." Mayo, 87, of Amarillo died Monday, August 8, 2016.

On Friday, August 12, 2016 the family held a graveside service at the Citizen's Cemetery in Clarendon. A "Celebration of Life" memorial was held on Saturday morning, August 13th at Temple Baptist Church in Amarillo. Pastor Richard Dickerson will officiate as we celebrate the life of this beloved man, husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather and friend. Arrangements are by Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

G.T. was born March 14, 1929, in Clarendon and was raised by a Godly mother and grandmother. He graduated Clarendon High School, Clarendon Junior College, and received his BBA and Masters in Education from West Texas State University.

G.T. served in the First Marine

Division during the Korean War. He was one of the "Frozen Chosin" who fought their way out of the Chosin Reservoir. He received the Purple Heart and was honorably discharged with the rank of Sargent.

G.T. was a teacher and administrator with the Amarillo Independent School District. He began teaching in 1957 at San Jacinto Elementary, served as principal from 1962 through 1965 at Glenwood Elementary and retired from Lee Bivins Elementary in 1985.

After his service with the marines and with the help of his good friend (and future brother-in-law) Joe C. Smith, G.T. met Laura Lou Smith while attending Clarendon Junior College. She couldn't resist his starched khakis and crisp white shirt and they were married June 7, 1955. Sixty-one years together saw the birth and raising of: their children, Melinda Gunn and husband Gil, Joel Mayo and his wife Bambi; their grandchildren Corey Gunn, Caitlin Belisario and her husband Luis, Jake Mayo and Abby Mayo; and their great granddaughter, Ellie Belisario.

G.T. loved his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and led his family with his quiet strength, gentle hand and sly sense of humor. He was a faithful member of Temple Baptist Church, joining with Lou in 1957 and serving as a Sunday School Teacher, Deacon and Sunday School Director before his passing. His greatest aspiration (which he saw achieved) was that each of his children and grandchildren find and follow Jesus.

G.T. and Lou loved to travel, especially with family. Christmas in the mountains with the kids was always a special time. They enjoyed sights and adventures in all fifty states, many on numerous occasions. Even so, at the house with Lou in Amarillo was always "home".

G.T.'s passing will be mourned by those of us who will miss him dearly, but much shouting and rejoicing was surely heard throughout heaven on the day he met up with Jesus in his forever home.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to:

The G.T. Mayo Memorial Scholarship Fund, Clarendon College, PO Box 968, Clarendon, Texas 79226, Attention: Ashlee Estlack

## Gillespie

Sandra Gillespie, 75, of Clarendon, passed away on Saturday, August 13, 2016. No services are scheduled at this time. Arrangements are by Angel Funeral Home, 2209 S. Arthur St., Amarillo, Texas 79103.

Sandra was born April 14, 1941, in Pampa to Jess and Edith Reno. She was a loving mother and grandmother.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Jim Gillespie; her parents; one son, Curtis Brewer; one brother, Buddy Reno and one granddaughter, Maya Gillespie.

She is survived by three sons; Lonnie Brewer and wife Susan of Burnet, Bryan Gillespie and wife Janae of Amarillo and Christopher Brewer and wife Telma of Dalhart; two sisters, Peggy Hulsey and Shirley Holm both of Houston; six grandchildren, Mackenzie Farmer and Mattie Gillespie both of Amarillo and Leslie, Christian, Gracie and Christina Brewer all of Dalhart.

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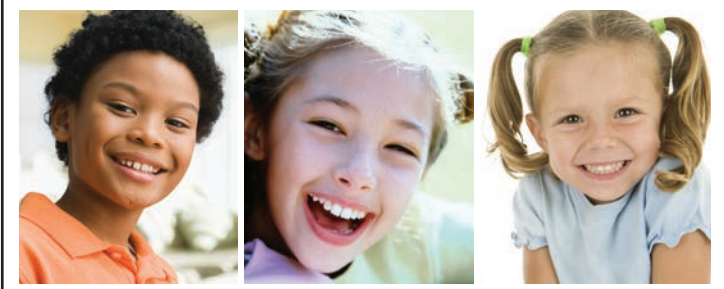
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## ORDER OF GENERAL ELECTION (ORDEN DE ELECCION GENERAL)

An election is hereby ordered to be held on November 8, 2016 in Donley County, Texas for the purpose of electing the following county and precinct officers as required by Article XVI, Section 65 of the Texas Constitution.

(Por la presente se ordena que se lleve a cabo una eleccion el dia 8 de noviembre, 2016, en el Condado de Donley, Texas, con el proposito de elegir los siguientes oficiales del condado y del precinto como requerido por el Articulo XVI, Seccion 65, de la Constitucion de Texas.)

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Friday, October 28, 2016.

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**ORDINANCE NO. 141**  
Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Hedley, Texas:  
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