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

Howardwick Town Hall to be March 28

Howardwick residents are encouraged to attend a Town Hall in that city next Wednesday, March 28, at 6 p.m.

The meeting at City Hall will be attended by Donley County Judge John Howard and County Commissioners Mark White and Dan Sawyer.

The different "types" of city structures will be discussed as well as the issue of unincorporating the city.

City Secretary Sandra Childress says all the candidates for alderman have been invited to attend the meeting as well.

Allsup's workers get bonus after tax law

Many employees of Allsup's Convenience Stores will receive \$1,000 bonus following tax legislation passed by the Trump administration, the company announced last week.

Allsup's, one of New Mexico's largest privately-owned companies with stores across the Texas Panhandle and South Plains, said Wednesday that all full-time, non-executive employees who have been employed at least one year with the company prior to 2018 will receive a \$1,000 one-time bonus as a result of the recent Tax Cuts and Jobs Act passed in December 2017.

The new tax legislation provides tax cuts for individuals and companies and should result in positive economic growth, according to Barbara Allsup, company co-founder and owner with her late husband, Lonnie D. Allsup.

"Mark and I are pleased to announce this special, one-time bonus to our hard-working employees," said Allsup said.

Mr. Allsup had endorsed the plan shortly before his death earlier this year.

Allsup's is building a new, larger store in Clarendon, which is expected to open next month.

Wildfire danger high as drought persists

Donley County and the Texas Panhandle remain in a high wildfire danger situation as drought conditions persist and worsen.

The Texas Water Development Board reports that 54 percent of the state is now in some stage of drought with most of the Panhandle in Extreme Drought. The seasonal outlook calls for the drought to remain through June.

TxDOT work to start in Memphis soon

TxDOT will begin a project soon to improve the ride surface on both the divided sections and undivided sections of US 287 in Memphis.

This project begins at the Donley County line south for 1.6 miles, and ends at the beginning of the concrete pavement in the city of Memphis.

The \$1.2 million project begins the first of April and should be complete in three months.

Sandell Drive-In event to feature local couple

Free admission and family fun are in store this Saturday at the Sandell Drive-In where a Texas-sized double feature at will include Howardwick's Dusty and Nikki Green up on the big screen.

The first showing will be the world premiere of a special episode of the Green's PBS series *Two for the Road*, focusing on their adventures in the Big Bend country.

"We just can't tell you how proud and excited we are to premiere our first ever Texas episode right here at home, and especially on the big screen at the Sandell," Dusty Green

said. "The episode itself features our first-ever trip down to the Big Bend area, and it all just came together beautifully. It's going to look amazing up on that screen. And we really think folks will enjoy it."

Gates will open at 6:00 p.m., and admission is free. Upon entry, each person will receive a ticket, which will be for special door prizes and giveaways featuring items from the Sandell, *Two for the Road*, Panhandle PBS, and Create TV.



Before the sun goes down, those attending can enjoy live music by local performer Jesse Lincycumb, and a dance floor will be avail-

able for anybody who feels like cuttin' a rug. Other activities include an inflatable bounce house/slide for the kids and washer pitching.

The concession stand will be open selling food and drink, including the famous Sandell burgers and homemade chili, and Big Bend Brewing Company is providing a limited amount of their beer for grownups to sample.

The show itself will begin just

after sundown (about 8:00 p.m.) with "Two for the Road: Texas," and will be followed soon after by "The Secret Life of Walter Mitty."

"We're so thankful for the opportunity, and for the incredible amount of support and interest we've received from folks around the Panhandle - but especially here in Clarendon and Howardwick and Donley County," Nikki Green said. "Everyone's been wonderful! And we sure hope to have a big turnout Saturday night. It's going to be a great night and a lot of fun for the whole family."

MARCH - NATIONAL PEANUT MONTH • MARCH 18-24 - NATIONAL AG WEEK



State and national officials stand with members of the Panhandle Peanut Growers Association Board Tuesday during the group's annual meeting in Memphis. Among those pictured are Marshall Lamb of the National Peanut Research Laboratory (second from left), PPGA President Michael Newhouse (third from right), National Peanut Board CEO Bob Parker (second from right) and Texas Peanut Producers Executive Director Shelly Nutt (far right).

ENTERPRISE PHOTO / ROGER ESTLACK

Peanut leaders hold annual meeting

State and national officials were present Tuesday when local producers gathered at Bertie Fannie's in Memphis for the annual meeting of the Panhandle Peanut Growers Association.

Coinciding with National Peanut Month and National Agriculture Week this week, PPGA members learned about current trends in the peanut industry and also received updates on broader agriculture issues.

PPGA President Michael Newhouse of Clarendon urged local producers to be active in their association, stressing the importance of letting policy makers know their stories and the importance of their industry.

Marshall Lamb of the National Peanut Research Laboratory in Dawson, Geo., gave producers an overview of market and production trends.

After low yields and poor quality from the 2016 crop, Lamb said the 2017 crop was the second best yields since 2012 and came from 1.829 million acres, which was the highest since 1991. The result, Lamb said, was the largest peanut crop production in history.

"I researched that all the way back to 1909 and then figured I could quit at that point," Lamb said.

Lamb said a record drought in Argentina right now is affecting the world market for peanuts, and officials are also keeping an eye on a large surplus supply in the United States resulting from the 2017 crop. He urged producers to be patient for the next three to four weeks to see how Argentina, where harvest is getting underway, will impact supply.

Bob Parker, the CEO of the National Peanut Board, also spoke at Tuesday's meeting with praise for

Panhandle producers.

"This area has a history of sending great leadership to the national board," Parker said, noting the contributions of the late Donley County producer Bob White and recognizing the new regional and state leadership of Newhouse, Jeff Roper, and others.

Parker focused his remarks mostly on the research and marketing led by the national board, particularly the group's work on peanut allergies.

New research has shown that peanut allergies can actually be prevented, Parker said, if infants are exposed to peanuts as early as four to six months, a finding which up ends a generation of parenting advice and is a huge discovery.

"When we started this research, a lot of people thought it was a waste," Parker said of the millions of dollars the industry

has invested. "But thank goodness we had people of vision in place. Now we're the poster child of food allergy research."

Parker also discussed the development and marketing of new "milked peanut," which is higher in protein than almond milk and is now available in stores on the eastern seaboard and online nationally through Amazon.

"This is the first new peanut product category to be launched since the development of peanut butter over 100 years ago," Parker said.

Other speakers Tuesday included Caleb Pool with Congressman Mac Thornberry's office, who gave a legislative update; insurance agent Kathy Fowler, who spoke on issues of crop insurance and subsidies; and Shelly Nutt, the Executive Director of the Texas Peanut Producers.

Court gives local man six years

A Clarendon man was sentenced to six years in prison when the district court met here last Tuesday, March 13.

District Attorney Luke Inman, along with Assistant District Harley Caudle, prosecuted the case for the State of Texas, with the Honorable Judge Stuart Messer presiding.

Alan Dwayne Harper was convicted for the third degree felony offense of unlawful restraint and was sentenced to six years in the Institutional Division of TDCJ.

Harper, 61 from Clarendon, was arrested in Donley County by Deputy Mike Spier on February 10, 2017.

Harper was originally placed on community supervision on June 19, 2017, receiving four years deferred adjudication. The State filed its motion to adjudicate on November 13, 2017, alleging five violations of his community supervision.

Harper pleaded not true to the State's allegations and a contested hearing was heard by Messer. After all the evidence was presented, Messer found two violations of Harper's community supervision and finally convicted and sentenced him for the felony offense.

Harper is also required to pay a \$1,000 fine and \$488 in court costs.

The District Court also issued sentences when it heard five pleas, including one local case, when it met in Clarendon February 27.

Monica Anne Cook pled guilty and was placed on deferred adjudication community supervision for a period of six years for the second degree felony offense of possession of a controlled substance, methamphetamine.

Cook, 37 from Pampa, was arrested in Donley County by DPS Trooper Kelly Hill on November 25, 2017. Cook pleaded guilty to an information filed on February 26, 2018.

Pursuant to the plea agreement, Cook is required to pay \$458 in court costs, \$180 drug lab restitution, a \$6,000 fine, and successfully

See 'Court' on page 8.



Advancing

The Clarendon High School UIL One Act Play performance of "Elephant Man" was preparing for the bi-district competition in Wellington this Wednesday, March 21, as the Enterprise went to press. The troupe advanced following their district performance at Wellington's Ritz Theatre on March 7. Clarendon's Philip Monds was named to the district Best Actor, Tate Parker was All-Star Cast, Harley Jauregui was Honorable Mention All-Star Cast, and the Outstanding Technical Crew members were Clarendon's Grayson Burch, Harm Drenth, and Christian Wooten.

COURTESY PHOTO / CHS

Accident claims one life Sunday

A one-vehicle accident resulted in the death of a child Sunday near Hedley on US 287.

Texas Department of Public Safety representative Cindy Barkley said the accident occurred at approximately 2:44 p.m. when Amanda Moore, 35 of Amarillo, was driving a 2007 GMC Yukon, towing a 1996 Komfort travel trailer west on US 287, approximately two miles east of Hedley.

The travel trailer began to sway back and forth behind the Tahoe; and when Moore

applied the brakes, she lost control.

The Tahoe and the travel trailer rolled over multiple times, ejecting an unrestrained 11-year-old-male child, who died on scene.

Moore and two other passengers - a 16-year-old-female and a 12-year-old-male - all received minor injuries. They were wearing seatbelts.

Barkley said the road conditions were dry and there were no other vehicles involved.

The crash is still under investigation.

90th birthday party held for Lonita Howard

Lonita Howard celebrated her 90th birthday on March 3rd. Friends and family gathered at the First Baptist Church Family Center in Hedley to celebrate with her. They were greeted by great-granddaughters Kaydens Koenig and Kaylee Ward at the guest book.

Decorations of black and gold centered around the year of her birth, 1928, and featured a time-line of pictures depicting her many years. A slide show was shown and the highlight of the day was a photo booth which provided for pictures of everyone present.

Lunch was served and stories of the past exchanged.

A beautiful birthday cake was served by her ten great-grandchildren.

Hostesses for the party were her daughter Linda O'Connor and granddaughters Colleen Owens and her husband Donny and sons Connor and Charlie and granddaughter Kathleen Ward and her husband Mike and children Kaylee and Micheal from Panhandle, Texas.

Seventy people were in attendance. Her son Lee Howard and wife Alma from Anthony, New Mexico and granddaughters Danielle Koenig and husband Willie Joe and daughter

Kaydens and sons Joe and Preston, and Shellie Howard and Isaac De la O and sons Andy, Ayden and Parker from Las Cruces, New Mexico. Her brother Carroll Hickey and wife Barbara from Arlington, Texas and their daughter Anne Haley and husband David.

Also their granddaughters Brooke McKiver and husband Kyle and son Oliver and Nikki Caudle and husband Matt and daughter Emma from Abilene, Texas. Sister-in-law Sherry Manley and husband Rick from Estelline, Texas and niece Barbara Barren and husband Harry from El Paso, Texas.

Included were eight first cousins, eight second cousins, nine third cousins and three nieces from all over Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

Her first cousins included Dewey DeBord from Sunray, Texas, Jerry DeBord from Brady, Texas, Patricia Emerson from Cordell, Oklahoma, Patricia Howard and husband Gaylon from Midland, Texas and Bill Spain and wife Barbara from Llano, Texas.

Second cousins were Kirby Word and wife Virginia from Hillsboro, Texas, Wayne East and wife Teresa from Decatur, Texas,



Lonita Howard

Debbie Flanary and daughter Katie and Connie Lee Wilson and husband Troy from Amarillo, Texas, Judy Barnes and husband Chris and daughter Jessica and children from Decatur, Texas, Hilary Nixon and husband Mike from Wollfort, Texas.

Friends DeeDee and Eddie Thompson from Amarillo, Millie and Freddie Beal and Jim and Jean Taylor from Hedley and Anthony and Vicki Knowles from Memphis, Texas were with her to celebrate this beautiful event.

1926 Book Club still active today

The 1926 Book Club began that year with Mrs. Willette Cole Williams as president. The club's object was to stimulate reading among the members of the club ladies of the best in current and contemporary literature, and active membership was limited to 30.

Much time has passed and the club is still active, embracing the same objective, but there are much fewer members than 30 in 2018. Therefore, the club is looking for more interested members.

The 1926 Book Club meets once a month on the first Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. in the study room of the Christ Kid's Ministry Center south of the Post Office. Come bring a friend and visit.

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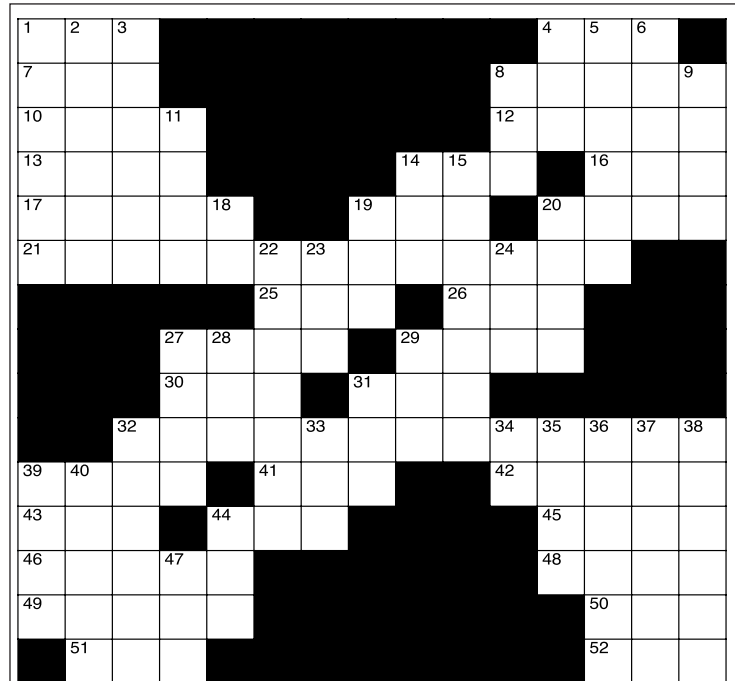
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| 7. Adam's partner | 32. Diversion |
| 8. Zelda soldiers | 39. ___ Turner, rock singer |
| 10. Network of nerves | 41. ___-bo: exercise system |
| 12. Heinrich __, poet | 42. Large, edible game fish |
| 13. Algerian port | 43. Doctor of Education |
| 14. Reciprocal of one ohm | 44. Where the Knicks play |
| 16. Title of respect | 45. Basics |
| 17. Form of expression | 46. Tall tropical American trees |
| 19. Hoover's office | 48. Men wear them |
| 20. Samoan monetary unit | 49. Widespread destruction |
| 21. Cooperation | 50. Midway between north and northeast |
| 25. Fiddler crabs | 51. Vast body of water |
| 26. Portion of a play | 52. Hair product |
| 27. Tropical American shrub | |
| 29. Frosts | |

CLUES DOWN

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| 1. Very brave | 24. Frozen water |
| 2. Go too far | 27. Town in Galilee |
| 3. Individual feature | 28. Not in |
| 4. Drug trials term (abbr.) | 29. Journalist and suffragist Wells |
| 5. Has emerged | 31. Consumed |
| 6. Helped the Spanish conquer Mexico | 32. Edible Mediterranean plant |
| 8. Northern Vietnam ethnic group | 33. Poke fun of |
| 9. Dried-up | 34. "First in Flight" state |
| 11. Reactive structures (abbr.) | 35. Fortifying ditch |
| 14. Licensed for Wall Street | 36. Receding |
| 15. Japanese conglomerate | 37. Christian liturgical creed |
| 18. Home to the Celtics | 38. Used to decorate Xmas trees |
| 19. Title given to Italian monk | 39. High-___: complex |
| 20. Drunkards | 40. Thoughts |
| 22. Cylindrical containers | 44. ___ and cheese |
| 23. South American plants | 47. Constrictor snake |

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Hedley One Act Play, "Daddy's Dyin' Who's Got the Will?" was performed at district competition on Monday, March 19. COURTESY PHOTO /KALLIE LINDSEY



Seniors Save a Life
Seniors Abigail Lopez, Caylor Monroe, and Kallie Lindsey all donated blood during a recent blood drive at Hedley School. ENTERPRISE PHOTO /KARI LINDSEY



Lifesaving lessons
Clarendon EMS's Kodie Saul works with Hedley student Isaac Booth on the proper techniques for giving CPR. Training in CPR is now a state requirement for graduation. ENTERPRISE PHOTO /KARI LINDSEY

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Zane Sneathen catches for the Broncos during last weeks game against San Jacinto.

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Kade Hunsaker pitches for the Broncos against San Jacinto last week.

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Broncos shut-out Kress 25-0

By Sandy Anderberg

The Clarendon Bronco baseball team made things look easy in their 25-0 shutout over Kress last week.

Senior Andy Davis earned the win on the mound going three innings. Davis turned in impressive stats with zero hits, runs, and only one walk. He struck out four Kangaroo hitters. Preston Elam helped as well as he relieved Davis for two innings.

Elam also caught a pop-up for the last out and tripled in the first inning to score the Broncos' first run of the game. The Broncos then capitalized on a huge second inning scoring 12 runs to open the game up. Davis, P. Elam, Noab Elam, Ryan Ward, Josh Cobb, and Kade Hunsaker hit the ball well and were able to advance runners with several RBI's.

Overall, the Broncos posted 13 hits on Kress's pitchers. According to coach Brad Elam, Zane Sneathen, and Dalton Benson each had multiple hits. The Broncos were error free in the game and had ten stolen bases. Future Independence Community College (Kansas) player Cobb had

racked up four of those ten. Davis had three hits in his four times at bat, and Sneathen made eight plays on defense.

The Broncos lost to San Jacinto 7-8 last Thursday when S.J. singled in the bottom of the eighth to score two runs. The Broncos out hit the Patriots and led by one run before the Patriots were able to make good on the single.

Davis got things going early with a single that scored one run for the Broncos. But after falling behind, the Broncos stepped up in the top of the sixth when three Broncos crossed the plate for three runs to tie the game at six. Benson, Cobb, and Hunsaker all drove in runs in that inning.

Hunsaker started the game and allowed six runs on six hits for five innings. He struck out three. N. Elam finished the game allowing one hit and two runs. He struck out one and walked one.

The Broncos will travel to Memphis March 23 and play Nazareth at home on March 27 beginning at 4:30 p.m.

Lady Broncos drop two games

By Sandy Anderberg

The Lady Broncos dropped two games last week in a double-header with Fritch. They lost the first game 2-17 and the second 3-25.

Darcie Hunsaker pitched the first two innings of the first game and was relieved by Emily Johnson who finished the game.

"We were missing two of our starters and had to improvise," coach Carrie Hicks said. "Sandrea Smith

and Emily Johnson both hit doubles and Sandrea had some nice catches in the field."

Johnson got the call on the mound in the second game with Hunsaker coming in to finish.

The ladies struggled to get anything going offensively and had trouble stopping Fritch at the plate.

The Lady Broncos will play at Booker on Saturday, and play Memphis at home on Tuesday at 4:00 p.m.

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Shamrock to host Route 66 festival July 12-15

It's just 178 miles across but there is a lot to see on Historic Route 66 in the Texas Panhandle. Thousands are expected to do just that July 12-15, 2018 for the annual Route 66 Festival, this year hosted by Shamrock, TX with support from all the Texas towns up and down Historic Route 66.

This festival, sometimes called the International Festival, has been held in cities up and down the Mother Road. It was in Amarillo in 2011. Roadies will come from across the U.S. and around the world to bask in the marvels of Shamrock and the other Texas cities.

Shamrock is home to the U-Drop Inn, a beautiful classic

gas station that was an inspiration for Ramone's in the Disney movie CARS. The U-Drop is also home to Shamrock's Visitor Center and Historic Route 66 Museum.

McLean is home to the Devil's Rope and Route 66 Museum as well as the first Phillips 66 station in Texas.

Alanreed is home to an un-restored, but iconic, Phillips 66 Super Station.

Groom is home to the leaning water tower as well as the Cross at Groom.

Amarillo is the largest Texas city on Historic Route 66 and features a mile-long district on Sixth between Georgia and Western

Streets with lots of original architecture, new clubs and restaurants and great antique and gallery shopping. The Big Texan Steak Ranch on the east side of town and Cadillac Ranch just west of town.

Vega is home to the Milburn-Price Culture Museum while Adrian is the midpoint of Route 66. The Midpoint Café (open April-October) is a great stopping point for roadies.

Glen Rio is a real ghost town on the TX/NM border. It is Exit 0 off Interstate 40 and features the remnant of a First Motel/Last Motel in Texas sign.

The festival is focused on Shamrock July 12-15 but all the towns expect lots of explorers along

Route 66 before and after the festival. Admission may be charged at some festival events.

Shamrock has over 600 hotel rooms but they will be reserved quickly. Nineteen Amarillo hotels are offering special festival rates from July 10-17, 2018, giving visitors to Shamrock a few extra days to explore Amarillo's Route 66. Rates cover all price points, from budget properties to full-service hotels. For a complete list of special rates visit the VisitAmarillo web site. Just mention the Texas Welcomes The World Route 66 Festival when making a reservation. All offers are subject to availability. More details are on the festival Facebook page and web site.

Sheriff's Report

March 12, 2018
 1:40 a.m. – EMS assist mutual aid with Memphis
 8:08 a.m. – Commercial burglar alarm 800 block South Faker
 10:52 a.m. – To jail with one in custody
 2:48 p.m. – EMS assist 500 block South Hartzell
 4:34 p.m. – EMS assist Clarendon Family Medical Center
 7:38 p.m. – See caller 1200 block South Bigbee

March 13, 2018
 12:19 a.m. – See caller 300 block Rosenfield
 6:30 a.m. – See caller 287 & Koogle
 6:37 a.m. – Courtesy ride to Armstrong County

8:23 a.m. – EMS assist 800 block South Carhart
 10:27 a.m. – Requesting welfare check 1400 block West 8th
 10:49 a.m. – EMS assist 600 block South Johns
 11:17 a.m. – To jail with one in custody
 11:18 a.m. – To jail with one in custody
 10:44 p.m. – See caller 300 block West 2nd

March 14, 2018
 12:11 a.m. – See caller 300 block West 2nd Street
 12:24 a.m. – To jail with one in custody
 10:20 a.m. – To jail with one in custody
 10:22 a.m. – EMS assist 300 block South Jefferson
 5:01 p.m. – Report of line down

West 287
 8:33 p.m. – See caller 1100 block East 3rd

March 15, 2018
 4:56 a.m. – EMS assist 500 block South Koogle
 9:48 a.m. – EMS assist 800 block South Carhart
 4:51 p.m. – EMS assist Clarendon Nursing Home
 7:02 p.m. – EMS assist location not logged

March 16, 2018
 6:34 p.m. – See complainant @ Sherriff's Office
 9:48 p.m. – EMS assist 600 block West 4th
 10:29 p.m. – EMS assist location not logged
 10:40 p.m. – EMS assist Clarendon Nursing Home

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The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular Tuesday noon meeting with Boss Lion Robert Riza in charge.

We had 11 members present this week.

Lion Mike Norrell reported on the public school where golf, tennis, baseball, and softball are in action; FFA is competing; and One Act Play advanced to bi-district.

Lion John Howard reported on the county and said a town hall meeting will be held in Howardwick next Wednesday at 6 p.m.

Lion Jacob Fangman reported on the city, which has received an award for recycling efforts.

The Boss Lion reported on the college, which is hosting UIL competitions this week and where an eight-week mini-session started Monday.

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

Court:

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complete 300 hours of community service. If Cook violates probation, she could face up to 20 years in the Institutional Division of the TDCJ.

Federico Caracoza of Oklahoma City pleaded guilty and was placed on deferred adjudication community supervision for a period of four years for the second degree felony offense of possession of marijuana.

Krystal Brittna Miller of Esteline pleaded guilty and was placed on probation for a period of two years for the misdemeanor offense of assault family violence.

Raul Albreu Wagner of Miami, Fla., pleaded guilty and was placed on deferred adjudication community supervision for four years for the third degree felony offense of possession of marijuana.

Veronica Chavez Leyva of Oklahoma City pleaded guilty and was placed on deferred adjudication community supervision for a period of four years for the second degree felony offense of possession of marijuana.

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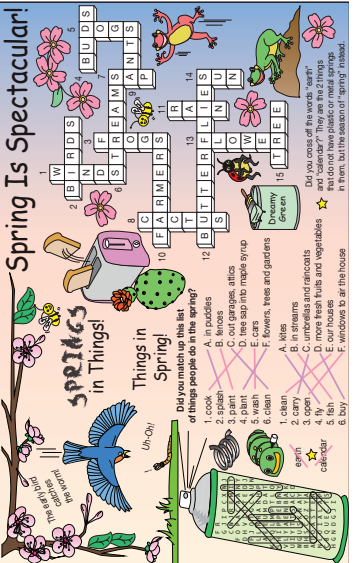
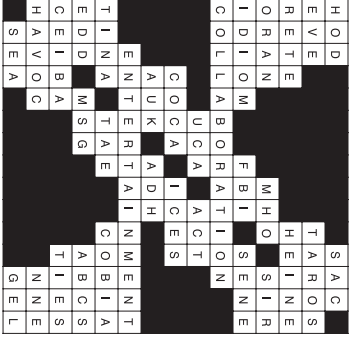
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Spring Is Spectacular!

Signs of Spring are all around us. Read the clues to fill in this puzzle, and then go outside to look at, listen to and feel the signs of Spring.

The early bird catches the worm!

Spring is spectacular! My bird friends are singing and building nests. The frogs are peeping and jumping in swamps. People are shouting and running, playing games. Everyone is outside enjoying the fresh air and bright, warm sunshine. I love watching it all!

Uh-oh! I'm not sure that I like all the birds around as much as he does!

You may see more bunnies bounding about in the springtime!

Even the flowers on a prickly pear cactus in the desert may blossom in the springtime.

Buzz around the page to find words that begin with the letter "b" as in "bees!" How many can you find and circle?

1. _____ blowing and blustering
2. _____ singing and building nests
3. _____ peeping and leaping
4. _____ unwrapping on bushes and trees
5. _____ shedding winter coats
6. _____ swelling and overflowing
7. _____ flowing in trees to carry water and food
8. _____ flowers blooming in the desert
9. _____ pushing up dirt mounds
10. _____ shearing wool from sheep
11. _____ mixing with dirt to make mud
12. _____ floating in fields of flowers
13. _____ shoots showing
14. _____ warming the land and water
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