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Don Jacobs

DECA members qualify for International **Center Development Conference**

Rockwall High School DECA chapter members Angie Boyd, Emily Cuzick, Hailee Housewright and Shelbie Vines recently qualified to compete at the DECA International Center Development Conference in Anaheim, Calif., later this month. They advanced based on their performance at the recent DECA State Career Development Conference in Corpus Christi. Students competed with more than 2,500 students from throughout the state. Boyd, Cuzick and Vines are competing in entrepreneurship, while Housewright's area of competition is hospitality and lodging. They are pictured are the front row. Also pictured are DECA students who received medals as alternates for the international competition: Baylee Moffatt, Micah Worm, Bailee Archer and Brooke Jennings.

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Remembering the life of Wes Burnett

m Co-Captesley /alker Burnett, publisher of the Rockwall County News and opes, Micharmal whose career spanned more than 50 years, went to be with ord | March 28, 2013, following a sudden illness.

19, 1941, in Bonham, Texas, he grew up in South Texas and over his passion for journalism through two years of service to high nool newspaper, The Screaming Eagle, at Brownsville High

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> g their wedding, Wes decided n career plans was in order. He Air Force in August 1961. After 3 basic training at Lackland Air e in San Antonio, Texas, he was t Hamilton Air Force Base north ncisco in California.

Military service

Force kept the Burnetts on the move. During his military es was stationed at the Air Force base in Tacoma, Wash.; Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas; Reese Air Force Base in Texas; Mactan AFB in the Philipenes; a base in Montgomery, stints at Offutt Air Force Base in Omaha, Neb.; Oxnard Air e in Camarillo, Calif.; and Kingsley Field at Kalamath Falls,

urin his time in the Air Force, Wes continued his education, in one or two undergraduate classes as he could. In 1969 come ted his bachelor's degree in journalism, graduating from the ivers of Nebraska at Omaha. He also applied for and completed aining school in San Antonio and became an officer,

nmis oned as a lieutenant. ing. Bral hrow nout his military career, Wes worked as an information officer Russell warnvolved with the newspaper at most of the bases where he rked Vhile at Offutt, he worked briefly as a recruiting officer, but ho drove itinu to work closely with the media.

whe he went to basic training, he wanted to get into the information ice, is wife, Pat, said. "He talked his way in, and he was always d on the igne o the information office because of his previous experience." Durir his Air Force career, the Burnett family expanded by three mothy Walker Burnett, born in 1963 at Hamilton AFB in itcher alifor 1; son James Wesley Burnett, born in 1964 in Tacoma, Wash.; as shut of day ster, Kimberly Joy Burnett, born at Klamath Falls, Oregon, in

Newspaper career

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aveled westward again to allow Wes to work his magic at The r Ledger.

Wes Burnett was enjoyed his work.

1joyed flipping papers - going in and building them up and hem successful," his son, James, said. "And he was really good

in Ballinger, Pat said, that the couple made the decision that it

was time for them to strike out on their own. In 1982, the family moved to Post, Texas, just south of Lubbock, to

take over the operation of The Post Dispatch newspaper. There, they put down deep roots, making Post their home for more than a quarter of a century.

"I told him I gave him the first half of our marriage. He gave me the last half. He gave me 26 years in Post,"

> The Dispatch was a strong community paper when the Burnetts took it over and Wes worked to make sure to continue that tradition.

While in Post, Wes not only nurtured the community newspaper, but developed an interest in the community's Garza Theatre, where he acted in several plays.

"He loved it," Pat said. "We had lots of fun there. And he made a lot of good friends there."

The Burnetts remained in Post until 2008, when Wes decided he wanted to experience the challenge of operating a newspaper in a larger market. The couple purchased the Rockwall County News in Rockwall and quickly assembled a staff that would help make the paper successful.

"I recognized Wes as being a very, very good teacher and a person who had the ability to remain calm, even in adversity," said Mike Moore, an advertising representative for the Rockwall County News. "He had a God-given gift

to be patient - a calming presence. I really respected him for that."

"Wes was always smiling whenever I walked into the office," said Susan Allen, who also serves as an advertising representative for the

paper. "I am not a technical person, so Wes handled all of my computer issues, whether it was sizing ads or resetting the borders on my screen. He was always helping me and smiling. It's that smile I'll miss. It was hard to stay in a funk with Wes smiling at me."

Wes Burnett (right) enjoying playful moment

with wife Pat during the mid-1990's while in Post,

Texas. He had recently purchased his first computer.

Tom Richmond is relatively new to the RCN, but the advertising representative already had developed a deep respect for the publisher.

"What impressed me about Wes was his openness and trust," Richmond said. "Even though our contact was brief, I sensed working with Wes at the paper was going to be an uplifting experience."

"Wes Burnett was one of the finest men I have ever known," said Millie Jean Coppedge, a RCN reporter. "I learned from him the true meaning of having pride in all I do, say and write. Wes had devoted his

life to honesty, loyalty and being the best he could be. My grandfather always told me that one's handshake was a sign of one's character Wes not only had a strong, compassionate handshake, but I never met him or departed from him without receiving a meaningful hug."

Wes remained active in the newspaper business until his final days. During his lifetime, Wes was an active member of the Presbyterian church and enjoyed several hobbies. In his early days, he collected and

> worked on Kaiser and Studebaker cars. He was a history buff and always enjoyed taking time off from work to take his bride to see the new releases at the theater. He also was an active genealogist, working to track and record family histories, and always had great stories to share with his granddaughters.

Wes Burnett loved his Grandchildren.

"Family was very important to him," Pat said.

Throughout his years in the newspaper business, family always was involved in putting out the news product. Pat helped out whenever and wherever she could, proofreading and writing Memory Lane columns, and the Burnett children often came in to help insert advertising pieces or deliver the paper. "When the boys would deliver in New Iberia, Kim

wanted to help, but she was so little," Pat said. "So we fixed her a bag and put six or seven papers in it. She delivered them on her tricycle." Wes's son, Tim, also worked closely with his

father at the papers in Post and Rockwall. Today, Tim continues to oversee operations at the Rockwall County News. "He loved writing," Kimberly Dolberry said of

her father. "When he sold advertising, he was one of the best. He was a salesman, he did photography, he did darkroom work, but he loved writing."

Tim noted that his father was a journalist who saw the industry transition through many changes.

"He started in the industry at the time when they were still doing hot type (typesetting)," Tim said. "Then the industry moved on to waxand-paper paste-ups before switching over to on-screen layouts made possible through computer technology. He witnessed the newspaper industry undergo a lot of growing pains."

Wes also seemed to have an uncanny ability to anticipate upcoming changes within the newspaper industry. He adopted multimedia journalism even before the newspaper industry began its convergence to online publications. While in Post, he used local cable access to deliver live broadcasts of Post Antelope football games and rebroadcasts of games and local government meetings.

"In a way, he was pioneering something that many other small communities weren't doing at the time," Pat said. "He was always looking ahead."

Wes's passion for the business, though, was firmly rooted in community journalism. What was important to him, his family agreed, was keeping people informed and keeping the government honest.

"He was always proud of his opinion page," Pat said.

It also was important to Wes to be a good member of the community. When other newspapers began charging to publish obituaries, weddings and engagements, Wes refused to follow the trend, saying such items were the meat-and-potatoes of a community newspaper. He also was generous in handing out his newspapers, giving away stacks of them to proud grandparents or grieving family members who wanted extra papers that contained stories about their loved ones.

"That's just the way he was," Tim said. "He had a lot of love in his heart. People would come in for newspapers, but sometimes they got more than that. He would listen to people, let them cry on his shoulder and pray with them."

"He loved his family, his children and his grandchildren," Pat said, "but he also loved the people who worked with him. He was very giving, very caring, very community-minded."

"Wes was an investor. He invested in people -- whether it was a family member, an employee, a customer or a member of the community," said Sheri Lewis of Lubbock, who had worked with him since 1996. "Wes always had the best interests of the community in mind, of course, but he also was the ultimate cheerleader. He always had encouragement and a smile to deliver, and people like that are rare. I'm so very, very glad our paths crossed and I could count him as a friend."

A memorial service for Wesley Walker Burnett was conducted at 11 a.m. March 30, 2013, in the First Presbyterian Church in Rockwall with the Rev. Cheryl Taylor officiating.

A second service was conducted at 2 p.m. April 6 in the Combest Funeral Home Chapel in Lubbock with the Rev. J.M. Miles of Fort Stockton, Texas, a longtime family friend, officiating.

Wes is survived by his wife, Pat Burnett of Rockwall; his sons, Timothy Walker Burnett of Rockwall and James Wesley Burnett and his wife, Gail, of Austin; his daughter, Kimberly Joy Dolberry, and her husband, Allen, of Mesa, Ariz.; his brothers, Jerry Burnett of Ladonia and Roy Burnett of The Colony; his sister, Beverly Bolton, and her husband, Ron, of Wichita, Kansas; his grandchildren,

Alyssa Hopper, and her husband, Michael, of Colorado Springs, Colo., Cailee Hope Dolberry, Whitney Faith Dolberry and Lindsey Noel Dolberry, all of Mesa; and a great-grandson, Anighus Pierce Hopper.

He was preceded in death by his parents and grandparents.

Memorial contributions may be made in his name to the First Presbyterian Church at P.O. Box 692, Rockwall, TX 75087; Samaritan's Purse Project #010350 by calling Chad at 828-278-1174; or to Rockwall County Helping Hands, 930 Williams Campus, Rockwall, TX 75087



Wes Burnett ...

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Founders Day Festival plans under way

Planning is in the works for the upcoming Founders Day Festival in Rockwall.

This year will mark the 159th birthday of the community. The celebration will include live music, day-long entertainment, shopping and gourmet food trucks.

Headlining this year's event is a secret performer whose name will be announced later in the month.

This year is the 10th annual Founders Day Festival. It will take place

on the historic downtown square beginning at 10 a.m. May 18 and running through 9 p.m. A Kid Zone will be offered from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., with Radio Disney providing entertainment, in addition to bounce houses, games, face painting and more.

Admission and parking will be free of charge.

For more details about all of the activities and features, visit rockwallfoundersday.com

or facebook.com/rockwallparksandrecreation.

Rockwall-Heath Highsteppers perform at Disney World Resort

The Rockwall-Heath Highsteppers entertained visitors at the Walt Disney Resort on March 13, according to a Disney news release.

The group traveled from Heath to the Florida resort to take part in a Disney Performing Arts Program.

Dance groups, choirs, ensembles and marching bands from around the world participated in the event before an international audience. Millions of performers have participated in the program in its 25-year history.

Two Rockwall High School students attend SWOSU orientation

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Two Rockwall High School students were among the 211 high school seniors participating in the first session of the New Student Orientation Program at the Southwestern Oklahoma State University's Weatherford

campus, according to a university news release.

Evan Michael Higbee and Mary Katherine Anderson were the local participants.

Births



Porter Wayne Stringer

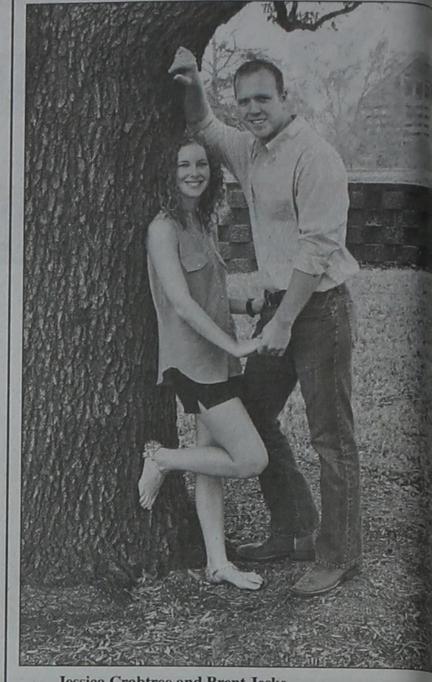
Clayton and Jacquelyn Stringer of Forney are happy to announce the birth of their son, Porter Wayne Stringer, on March 8, 2013, at Lake Pointe Medical Center.

Born at 2:21 p.m., the infant weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce at

Maternal Grandparents are Richard and Linda Larkins of Dallas.

Paternal Grandparents are Gary and Mary Stringer and Debbie Davis of Forney.

Great Grandfather is Raymond Larkins of St. Louis, Missouri.



Jessica Crabtree and Brent Jeske

Crabtree, Jeske to wed Aug.

J.C. and Terry Crabtree of Rockwall are proud to announced engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter. Crabtree, to Brent Jeske, son of Richard and Jerri Jeske of Man

The future bride holds a bachelor's degree in elementary ed from Texas A&M University. She is employed as a third grade at Springer Elementary in Rockwall.

The prospective bridegroom received a bachelor's degree in ele engineering from Texas A&M. He is employed by Walton Technologies.

The couple plans to marry Aug. 10, 2013, in the First United Me Church in Rockwall.

Jacobs tapped as Scott principal

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He and his wife, Kristen, reside in Royse City where their da Karoline, is in second grade and son, Matthew, is in kindergarter "I am very excited about taking on this new challenge and by 21st century learning to Scott Elementary," Jacobs said.

"We are so excited for Mr. Jacobs and Scott Elementary superintendent Kevin Worthy. "I am pleased that we had a q candidate in the district that will carry on our vision that our stake have set for Royse City ISD."

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Country artist Mark Chest set to perform Saturday Apri Southern Junction Nighelu Steackhouse.

According to Chesnutt, scored 14 number 1 hits, ten singles, four platinum and fire gold records.

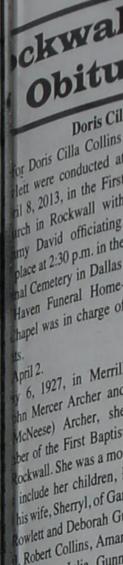
Chesnutt started his music in the honky-tonks of Ber while learning from his Bob Chesnutt.

Son Chesnutt embrace Fathers influence and I making a name for himself. He sang covers by Left, George and Waylon to deve

unmatched crowd-pleasing n and authentic country style Chesnutt is currently in thes with Jimmy Ritchey reco songs for a new CD schedu be out in October 2013. He is writing with Jimmy and long

writing partner Roger Spring

There is no fear in lo But perfect love cas out fear. 1John 4:18



Robert Collins, Amai id Gunn, Julie Gunn en; a sister, Margaret L lope Bryant of Ohio. receded in death by he rother, Leroy Archer; an E.O. or E.O. Gaines, 83, of 3, in the Rest Haven F Donaho officiating.

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arthis wife, Sherryl, of Garland, Sharon Heed and her husband, of owlett and Deborah Gunn of Mesquite; her grandchildren, Robert Collins, Amanda Heed, Chaz Heed and his wife, Did Gunn, Julie Gunn and Lindsey Collins; six greatn; a sister, Margaret Lees of Round Rock; and a sister-inope Bryant of Ohio.

receded in death by her husband of 69 years, Don Norman other, Leroy Archer; and a sister, Helen Manning.

E.O. Gaines

or E.O. Gaines, 83, of Rockwall were conducted at 2 p.m. 3, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel with Donaho officiating. Burial followed in the Rest Haven

13, 1930, in Rockwall to Richard Adolph and Maggie nes, he served in the U.S. Air Force and was self-employed supervisor in the pipeline industry. He was a member of ited Methodist Church of Rockwall. He also was a 50-year he Rockwall Masonic Lodge East Trinity #157, as well as a Degree Scottish Rite.

ivo include his wife of 56 years, Gussie Dowell Gaines of is nephews, Bill Cox and Barron Bass, both of Dallas, nes of Austin and James Hood of North Carolina; a niece, rst Unite Ker of Wichita Falls; and numerous great-nieces and greather relatives and his special friends, the Cade family.

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for Agnes Louise 93, of Rockwall will lenge and ded at a later date in the ew Cemetery in Bowling tucky. The Rest Haven me-Rockwall Chapel is arrangements.

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nd a charter member of the Forest Park Baptist Church in een. She attended the First Baptist Church of Rockwall.

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preceded in death by her husband, Harry Paul Heraldson; her nces Miles, Jean Belflowers, Kay Grace and Opal Philpott; thers, Collie, Coolidge and Shirley James.

ly expressed their heartfelt appreciation to her registered ert, and the other attending staff at Lake Pointe Hospital and an Hospice staff, including Chaplain Terry Maze, Pam and nd a of the caregivers and staff at Rowlett Health & Rehab.

ily has suggested memorials may be made to American ice 94 Industrial Blvd., McKinney, TX 75069.

Shelly Dawn Spicer

A memorial service for Shelly Dawn Spicer, 45, of Royse City is scheduled for 10 a.m. April 13, 2013, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel with Pastor Rick Donaho officiating.

She died April 7.

Born May 1, 1967, in Dover, Delaware, to Charles and Pat (Thiele) Jones, she married Charlie Spicer on Jan. 10, 1986, in Rockwall. She worked as a mortgage specialist for Bank of America.

Survivors include her husband, Charlie Spicer of Royse City; a son, Justin Spicer, and his wife, Holly, of Colorado Springs, Colo.; her father, Charles Jones of Dallas; and her grandchildren, Riley Spicer and Abigail Spicer.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Pat Jones.

The family has suggested memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 8900 John Carpenter Frwy., Dallas, TX 75247 or cancer.org.

Emma Lou Wendt

Services for Emma Lou Wendt, 98, were conducted at 10 a.m. April 6, 2013, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel with Pastor Rick Donaho officiating. Burial followed in the Heath Cemetery.

She died April 2. Born in Heath on Nov. 16, 1914, to Fay and Jim Lofland, she graduated from Heath High School and married William Curtis Hall on July 28, 1934, at the age of 19. The couple's two daughters, as well as their large extended family who lived in Heath, were the center of their married life.

She was a housekeeper, homemaker, mother and wife and a leader in Heath civic activities. She served as president of the PTA and Worthy Matron of the Eastern Star. She was a member of the Black Cats Club, helped organize the Heath chapter of the Camp Fire Girls, chaperoned numerous school trips and was probably a room mother every year her children were in school. She was a lifetime member of the First Baptist Church in Heath.

After raising her children, she worked for the U.S. Department of Agriculture and for the Lone Star Gas Co. Her husband died in 1960, and four years later she married C.G. (Jack) Wendt.

She excelled in all types of handiwork – embroidery, crochet, crewel and needlepoint. She made and gifted hundreds of pieces of handiwork to family and friends. During her second marriage, she and her husband spent many hours fishing from their barge on Lake Tawakoni.

Survivors include her daughters, Patsy Stodghill of Dallas and Tommie Fomby of Pomona, Calif.; five grandchildren, Sue Yasger of Anaheim Hills, Calif., Patti Ruhland of San Diego, Calif., Bobbie Fomby of Parker, Colo., Steven Stodghill of Dallas and Sheri Fowler of Rockwall; seven great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her sister, Jackie; and both of her husbands.

Reverend Dr. Pounders to speak at First

United Methodist Church Rockwall

The Rev. Dr. Marcie Pounders, an ordained Episcopal priest, will speak as part of the First United Methodist Church of Rockwall's

Wesley Arts speaker series beginning at 7 p.m. April 18. Pounders

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Health." A brief question-and-

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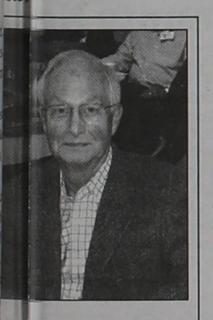
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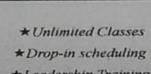
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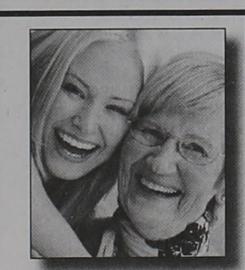
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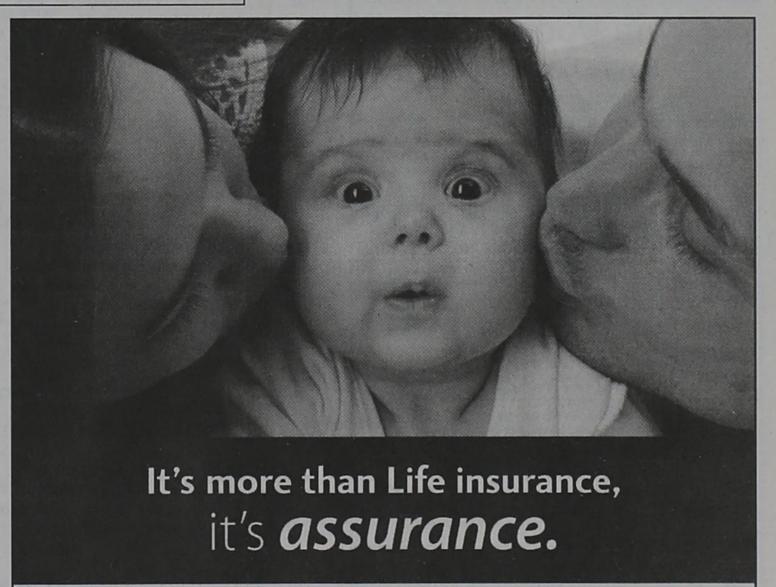




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Meek and lowly in heart ... learning

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Jesus understood this perfectly as seen in Matthew 11:29, "Come unto me all that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and you shall find rest unto your souls. For my yoke is easy, an my burden

The word "learn" was translated from the ancient Greek word



manthano which meant to learn or be apprised. The Greek word was also used in the Septuagint reference to a taking or capture (see also Greek-English Lexicon Strong's number 3129).

Learning is different from being educated or instructed. It involves laying hold of, or capturing the knowledge, toward application. Manthano is also used in different parts of the Epistles.

Colossians chapter one includes the following in verses 3-7, "We give thanks to God and the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, praying always for you, since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus, and of the love which you have to all the saints, for the hope which is laid up for you in heaven, whereof you heard before in the word of the truth of the gospel; which is come unto you, as it is in all the world; and brings forth fruit, as it does also in you, since the day you heard of it, and knew the grace of God in truth: as you also learned of Epaphras our dear fellowservant, who is for you a faithful minister of Christ; who also declared unto us your love in the spirit."

Notice the details such as faith in Christ Jesus, love to all the saints, hope which is laid up in heaven, bringing forth fruit, knowledge of the grace of God in truth; all of which was as they learned of Epaphras.

Each of the above details are detailed in other parts of the Epistles. Galatians 5:22-25 reveals the fruit of the spirit which are love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness and temperance. It does not say that the fruit is brought forth by being

educated, instead it says, "If we live in the spirit, let us also walk in the spirit."

In 1Corinthians 4:6 Paul said, "And these things, brethren, I have in a figure transferred to myself and to Apollos for your sakes; that you might

learn in us not to think above that which is written, that no one puffed up for one against another." Paul was teaching them to the example seen in Apollos and himself.

Paul's letter to Titus included, "And let ours also learn good works for necessary uses, that they be not unfruitful is fulfilled in practice and use, and results in either fruitful of lives in the spirit.

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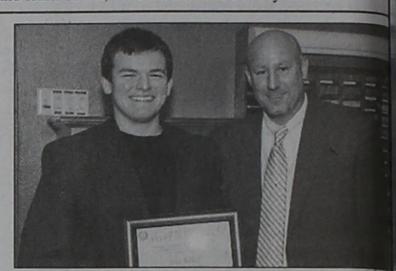
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Philippians 4:9-13 sums it up beautifully, "Those things have both learned, and received, and heard, and seen in me, God of peace shall be with you."

Verse 11, Not that I speak in respect of want: for I whatsoever state I am, to be content. I know both how to be alknow how to abound: every where and in all things I am instru to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need I. things through Christ Jesus which strengthens me" (verses 11

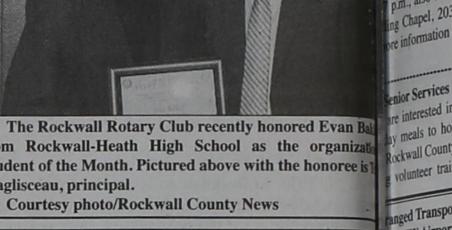
Talking about our Lord Jesus Christ, Paul said, "Who in the his flesh, when he had offered up prayers and supplications w crying and tears unto Him that was able to save him from was heard in that he reverenced. Though he were a son, yet h obedience by the things which he suffered" (Hebrews 5:7-8),

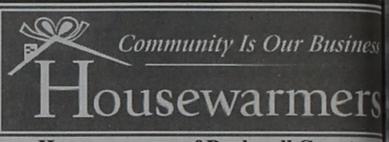
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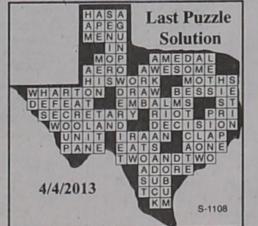
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Rockwall County Auditor

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Rockwall County Scholastic Sports Schedules

The Fulton School Falcons

Friday, April 12 - Varsity baseball: at Rockwall Christian Academy, Chiesl Baseball Complex, 4 p.m.

Varsity boys' track and field: at Small Private School Challenge, Haltom

Thursday, April 18 – Varsity baseball: at Greenville Christian School, 4:30

Heritage Christian Academy Eagles

Friday, April 12 - Softball: at Rockwall Christian Academy, Chiesl Baseball Complex, 6 p.m.

Monday, April 15 - Baseball: home vs. Rockwall Christian Academy, RISE, 4 p.m.

Rockwall Christian Academy Warriors

Friday, April 12 - Varsity baseball: home vs. Fulton, Chiesl Baseball Complex, 4 p.m.

Softball: home vs. Heritage Christian Academy, Chiesl Baseball Complex,

Monday, April 15 - Varsity baseball: at Heritage Christian Academy, RISE,

Softball: home vs. Tyler East Texas Christian Academy, Chiesl Baseball

Complex, 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 16 – Softball: at Greenville Christian School, 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 18 - Softball: home vs. Waco Texas Christian Academy, RISE, 4 p.m.

Varsity baseball: at Tyler East Texas Christian Academy, 4:30 p.m. Friday, April 19 - Softball: at Dallas Lakehill Preparatory School



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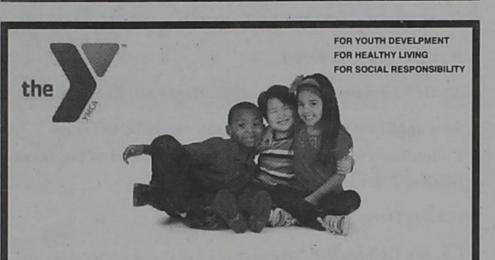
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Rockwall High School Yellowjackets

Friday, April 12 - JV Orange baseball: at Tyler Lee, 4 p.m. Softball: at Mesquite, JV 5 p.m. and varsity 7 p.m.

Varsity baseball: home vs. Tyler Lee, 7 p.m.

Varsity track and field: at District 12-5A Championships, Hanby Stadium Saturday, April 13 - JV White baseball: at Longview, 11 a.m.

JV Orange baseball: at Frisco Wakeland, noon

Varsity baseball: at Trinity Christian Academy-Addison, 1 p.m. Monday, April 15 - Varsity boys' golf: at Region II-5A Championships, Twin Rivers Golf Club, Waco, 8 a.m.

JV White baseball: at Plano Vines, Plano Senior High School, 6:30 p.m. Varsity tennis: at Region II-5A Championships, Hurd Tennis Center, Waco

Tuesday, April 16 - Varsity boys' golf: at Region II-5A Championships, Twin Rivers Golf Club, Waco, 8 a.m.

Softball: home vs. Tyler Lee, JV 5 p.m. and varsity 7 p.m.

Varsity baseball: home vs. Sachse, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, April 17 - Varsity girls' golf: at Region II-5A Championships, Twin Rivers Golf Club, Waco, 8 a.m.

Thursday, April 18 - Varsity girls' golf: at Region II-5A Championships, Twin Rivers Golf Club, Waco, 8 a.m.

Friday, April 19 - Gymnastics: home for State Championships, 10 a.m. JV Orange baseball: home vs. Mesquite, 4 p.m.

Softball: home vs. North Mesquite, JV 5 p.m. and varsity 7 p.m.

Varsity baseball: at Mesquite, Tillery Field, 7 p.m. Varsity track and field: at Area Championships, Hanby Stadium

Saturday, April 20 - Gymnastics: home for State Championships, boys 8:50 a.m. and girls 3:50 p.m.

JV White baseball: at Tyler Lee, Faulkner Field, 2 games, 11 a.m. Varsity softball: home vs. Forney, noon

Varsity baseball: at Rowlett, noon

JV Orange baseball: home vs. Duncanville, 1 p.m.

Rockwall-Heath High School Hawks

Friday, April 12 - Softball: at Mesquite Horn, Mesquite Girls' Softball Complex, JV 5:30 p.m. and varsity 7 p.m.

Varsity track and field: at District 12-5A Championships, Hanby Stadium Saturday, April 13 - JV Red baseball: at Mesquite, 2 games, 11 a.m. Varsity baseball: home vs. Whitehouse, 1:30 p.m.

Monday, April 15 - Varsity boys' golf: at Region II-5A Championships, Twin Rivers Golf Club, Waco, 8 a.m. JV Red baseball: home vs. Lake Highlands, 6 p.m.

Varsity tennis: at Region II-5A Championships, Hurd Tennis Center,

Tuesday, April 16 - Varsity boys' golf: at Region II-5A Championships, Twin Rivers Golf Club, Waco, 8 a.m.

JV Black baseball: home vs. Mesquite Horn, 4 p.m.

Softball: at North Mesquite, Mesquite Girls' Softball Complex, JV 5:30

p.m. and varsity 7 p.m.

Varsity baseball: at Mesquite Horn, Tillery Field, 7 p.m.

Friday, April 19 - Gymnastics: home for State Championships, 10 a.m. JV Black baseball: at North Mesquite, 4 p.m.

Varsity softball: home vs. Longview, 7 p.m.

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Varsity track and field: at Area Championships, Hanby Stadium Saturday, April 20 - Gymnastics: home for State Championships, boys 8:50 a.m. and girls 3:50 p.m.

JV Red baseball: home vs. Longview, 2 games, 1 p.m.

Cain Middle School Mustangs

Saturday, April 13 -- Tennis: at Utley Tournament, Rockwall Tennis

Tuesday, April 16 - Cross country: at Allen Meet, Celebration Park, 4:30

Thursday, April 18 - Tennis: home vs. Wylie Prep, 4 p.m.

Boys' soccer: home vs. Utley, Rockwall-Heath High School, 7th grade 5:30 p.m. and 8th grade 7 p.m.

Girls' soccer: at Utley, Wilkerson-Sanders Memorial Stadium, 7th grade

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Girls' soccer: at Lovejoy Sloan Creek, Lovejoy High School, 7 5:30 p.m. and 8th grade 7 p.m.

Heritage Christian Academ softball, baseball teams fall

Heritage Christian Academy's softball team lost a close game § The HCA baseball team wasn't anywhere near as close in Monday's

The Lady Eagles fell 10-9 to Crowley Nazarene Christian Acader had just five hits to eight for Nazarene - including a home run, to double.

The Heritage boys lost 12-0 to Tyler East Texas Christian Academa Rockwall Indoor Sports Expo. ETCA, the district leader at 4-0, po hits against losing pitcher Ethan Burton and Evan Pettit, to just three the Eagles. The Tyler team wrapped up its run-rule victory in the fifthwhen seven runs turned a 5-0 game into 12-0.

Rockwall County high school varsity results, April 2-8

Baseball

Mesquite Horn 9, Rockwall 8 Rockwall 1, Rockwall-Heath 0

Rockwall-Heath 8, Mesquite 1

Tyler East Texas Christian Academy 12, Heritage Christian Academ Boys' soccer

Jesuit College Prep of Dallas 2, Rockwall 0

Girls' soccer

Allen 1, Rockwall 0

Crowley Nazarene Christian Academy 10, Heritage Christian Acade Rockwall 16, Longview 3 Rockwall-Heath 3, Tyler Lee 2

Boys' track and field

Rockin' R Relays - Mesquite 123, Garland 79, McKinney Nor Rockwall 60, Mesquite Poteet 46, Wylie 45.5, Mesquite Horn 4. Highlands 38, North Mesquite 26, Rowlett 24, Forney 18, Rockwall-16, Denton 16, Garland Naaman Forest 13, North Garland 10 Girls' track and field

Rockin' R Relays - Forney 100, Mesquite Horn 84, McKinney North Rowlett 63, Garland 56.5, Mesquite 44, Mesquite Poteet 39, Lakelig 38, Rockwall 26, Wylie 25

Rockwall County News Briefs

Pancake fundraiser scheduled

An all-you-can-eat pancake breakfast benefitting the Rockwall County Library's Reading for Adults program will run from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. April 13 at Applebee's, 687 E. I-30, Rockwall. Tickets are available at the library or will be available at the door at a cost of \$7 per adult, \$4 per child.

Transportation Station slated at library

The Rockwall County Library's first Transportation Station event will run from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 13. The event will put books and motion together for an event perfect for the entire family. There will be cars and trucks, as well as stories, crafts and more. Parents should bring their cameras.

CASA plans April 13 banquet

Lone Star CASA (Court-Appointed Special Advocates) will host its annual banquet to recognize its volunteers on April 13 at the Shadow Ridge Farms, 12198 Shade Ridge Lane, in Terrell. A silent auction will begin at 5 p.m. This will be a "denim and diamonds" event, so dress will be casual. Dinner, provided by Carmona's, will begin at 6:30 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by Captain Bud. Proceeds from the event will help support the organization's mission. Tickets and table sponsors are available. Call CASA headquarters at 972-722-5858 or Gay Becker at 214-543-1464 or visit lonestarcasa.org.

Heath plans e-waste collection effort

The City of Heath will offer a free electronics collection event April 13 at the RHHS parking lot. E-waste includes any electronic equipment that has reached end of life or end of usage in the home or office: computer hardware, TVs, printers, copiers, scanners, fax machines, servers, cell phones, corded phones, stereos, DVD players, small household appliances, ink and toner cartridges and

batteries. Eyeglasses also will be collected for the Lions Club. For

more information call 972-524-0007 or email eco@trashbusters.org. Low-cost spay/neuter shuttle set April 18

The low-cost spay/neuter Rockwall PAWS/KCAAP shuttle will n 18. Pets will be picked up at 7:30 a.m. in the southeast corner of the I-Mart parking lot and returned at 6:30 p.m. Dogs must be on secure with collars that cannot be slipped; cats must be in secure hard can cardboard boxes). Prices are reasonable; however, assistance is a To make an appointment call 972-472-3500 (hablamos Español). F information call Rockwall PAWS at 973-310-1354.

Pounders to serve as speaker

The Rev. Dr. Marcie Pounders, an ordained Episcopal priest, will s part of the First United Methodist Church of Rockwall's Wesley Arts series beginning at 7 p.m. April 18. Pounders is the supportive and pa care services chaplain at Baylor University Medical Center in Dall has more than 12 years of experience as a chaplain, pastor and s director. Her area of expertise is grief. A brief question-and-answers will follow. The public is invited. Tickets cost \$5 per person and I purchased in advance at the church office; tickets also will be available door. Complimentary childcare will be provided with advance reserve (972-771-5500).

Household Hazardous Waste Collection slated

The 13th Annual City of Rockwall Household Hazardous Waste Col Day will run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. April 20 at the Service Center Airport Road, rain or shine. Household quantities of pesticides, products, household cleaners, herbicides, motor oil, automotive che swimming pool products and tires with no rims will be accepted. For purposes, do not bring children or pets to the collection site. For more call 972-771-7736.



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D Roundup: RHS clinches playoff berth, Lady Hawks close

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late victory was a 16-3 triumph over Longview Saturday at RHS. e field Monday, RHHS rallied from a 2-0 deficit to defeat Tyler innings. The game, postponed from Friday, was moved to RHS ady Hawks' home field was wet from being watered over the

core two runs on two first-inning hits, but managed no runs and just the final nine innings against Sarah Stewart, who won her 12th

ery Fresh wall leath scored its first run on doubles by Lauren Archuleta and in the fourth inning, and tied the game in the fifth on singles by 30 p.m. Veb. r and Ally Brandvold.

two ut in the bottom of the 10th, Archuleta singled, stole second d he led home with the winning run on Tunnell's infield hit. High School Lad Jackets had a much easier time against Longview. They

ning pitcher Emily Cowan, who pitched a four-hitter, with 15 clue were a triple by Kindal Sauter and doubles by Hayley Baker

Can CK ND FIELD: RHS placed fourth and Rockwall-Heath tied ing 15 teams in the Rockin' R Relays at Wilkerson-Sanders

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Which is won three events – Gaines Kinsey in the 800-meter run in 1 56 seconds; Jonny Lee in the pole vault at 13 feet, 6 inches, and close gan Var in the long jump at 21-0 1/2.

se in Mondey a , tied for third in the pole vault (12-6), and joined Eric Jones, ristian Activity and Calvin Fair to finish third in the 4X400-meter relay a home (4). Terren, Alex Montanez, Wright and Tamba Juanah placed sixth in 100 lay (43.64 seconds).

ristian Acty Arerson placed second in the high jump (6-4).

der at 40 the wks, Lawrence Johnson finished third in the 100-meter dash it, to just any ourth in the triple jump (41-5 1/2). Will Herrscher tied Kinsey tory in theird in e pole vault.

Lad ackets were ninth among 10 teams. ee I ton placed first in the pole vault at 11 feet. She also ran the third

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tear won the Eastern Conference Championship in Wayne, NJ. Buck helped the New Hampshire Jr Monarchs defeat the ifiel Pics 5-1.

Christian lack corded 29 saves for New Hampshire.

revi s years Cole played for Rockwall High School and Dallas Trav Team.

Mo rchs won first place in the Eastern Conference. Ackinne) wa rated #5 in save percentage out of 116 goalies in the

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MOW golf tournament set April 19

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ated : Forth Annual Green Door 5K, 10K and Fun Run, set for April Wastel Hay Myers Park in Rockwall, will benefit Children's Relief vice Chatic il. Runners are asked to bring canned goods to benefit pestici wall founty Helping Hands; proceeds from the event will help the notive ren Relief feed and build homes for the hungry through projects repled that It Africa. Registration will begin at 7:30 a.m., with the 10K Formnin at 8:30 a.m., the one-mile fun run at 8:45 a.m. and the 5K 1.m. egistration fees are \$30 for the 5K and 10K races (walk-up for the fun-run (walk-up \$20); \$10 for children ages 10-15; S child n ages 9 and under, free. (Bring canned goods on race day et 8 off; enter the discount code CAN.

Oliter line at greendoor5k.com. Memorial regatta set May 18

2n Annual Donna Ross Memorial Regatta will begin at 3 p.m. Lake Ray Hubbard. Hosts are Rick Lucarelli, Scott Self, Dan k at Margaux Agnew. Call 717-385-4877 for more details.

wall and Rockwall-Heath continued to be the front-runners in District leg on the third-place 4X400-meter relay team with Maiya Collins, Jordyn Pettigrew and Emily Drewery in 4:08.79. Collins finished fourth in the 800 in 2:27.66.

> GOLF: Rockwall and Rockwall-Heath finished 1-2 in the District 12-5A Championships Monday and Tuesday in Canton. Both will advance, along with third-place Tyler Lee, to next week's Region II-5A Championships.

> RHS' Dylan Yarbrough placed second among individuals with 153 for 36 holes, three shots off the lead.

> SOCCER: Neither Rockwall team could find its offense Friday night in an Area round doubleheader at Allen Eagle Stadium.

> As a result, both District 12-5A champions were eliminated from the playoffs. The Lady Jackets fell to host Allen 1-0, and the boys lost 2-0 to Jesuit College Prep of Dallas.

Boys' head coach Troy Williams said, "I don't think we've seen a team as fast as this one. Against them, you don't have time to get the ball and tee it up for a kick."

The Rangers scored 6 minutes into the game. Rockwall goalie K.C. Nkalari stopped one penalty kick, but couldn't stop Jesuit's second PK chance in the second half. RHS finished 24-4. Williams said, "We don't see it right now, but we'll be able to look back and see how well we did."

The Allen girls controlled the ball for almost the entire second half but didn't score until the 64th minute. The Lady Eagles were down one player after they received a red card, but that was just for the final 2 minutes and the Lady Jackets couldn't take advantage.

Rockwall took three major awards in All-District voting. Niki McKnight was the Defensive Most Valuable Player, Miranda Larkin the Goalkeeper of the Year and head coach Melissa Garcia the Coach of the Year.

Joining them on the All-District first team were four-year varsity players Berkley Talley and Maddie Bertrand, along with Kendyl Pirkey and Sarah Salom. The second team included RHS' Katilin Ross, Bailey Wooten, Makaela de Laura and Avery Talley. RHS' Honorable Mentions were Nicole Myers, Lauren Garrison and Haley Gates.

Garcia said, "The season was a very successful one. The team won its third district championship in as many years. The loss at Allen was very disappointing, but everything is a learning experience. Berkley, Maddie and Miranda were the only three to play on varsity for 4 years. The remaining seniors made a great contribution! With a large graduating class such as this, their departure will be felt, but the JV program has been successful in producing very productive and successful players."

The All-District girls' team also includes eight Rockwall-Heath players. Taryn Wheeler and Bailey Bacon were voted to the first team. On the second team are Jayden Wheeler, Ashton Hierholzer and her sister, Bailey Hierholzer. Receiving Honorable Mention were Amber Logue, Lindsay Gardner and Megan Cook.

ALUMNI: Four of Rockwall's seven professional baseball players opened their season last week. Three 2012 draft picks out of high school - RHS catcher Steve Bean (St. Louis Cardinals organization) and shortstop Spencer Edwards (Tampa Bay Rays), and RHHS pitcher Jake Thompson (Detroit Tigers) are in extended spring training, and will likely be playing for shortseason minor league teams beginning in June.

Outfielder Roger Kieschnick (Rockwall '05) started quickly in his second season at Triple-A Fresno in the World Series champion San Francisco Giants' organization with a .385 batting average, a home run and three runs batted in during his first three games. His classmate James Leverton, is back with Double-A Jacksonville (Miami Marlins). The left-hander pitched three scoreless innings in his first relief appearance Saturday. He has a 27-19 career record.

Right-hander Travis Ballew (RHS '09) was promoted this spring to Class A Lancaster (Houston Astros), and pitched a scoreless ninth inning to save the JetHawks' victory in their opening game. Righty Drew VerHagen (Rockwall-Heath '09) returned to Class A Lakeland (Tigers), where he finished last season. He started the season's second game, and was the losing pitcher.

Thompson (ninth) and VerHagen (16th) both are ranked among mlb.com's top 20 Tigers prospects. Bean is ranked 20th in the St. Louis organization by Baseball America.



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Bow Wow Meow Bingo raises funds for animal shelter

by Millie Jean Coppedge

The first Wednesday night of each month is a special night at The Well Coffee Lounge in downtown Royse City. It's bingo night.

All ages start arriving early to get a good seat. Several people commented that the place was full every bingo night. Many come a little early to eat before the games

There is definitely no age limit as players Wednesday night ranged from about 4 years old to one excited patron in her 80s.

The bingo cards cost \$5 each and 100 percent of the money collected goes to the assist the Royse City Animal Shelter with daily operational expenses such as feed for the animals and medical expenses.

A list of things the Royse City Animal Shelter needs is placed on each table to enlighten those in attendance of some of the needs of the shelter. At the top of the list is dog treats, leashes, collars, dog food (Purina, Iams or Beneful) and dog crates. The list also includes dog toys (no cloth), cat food (Purina or Whiskas), cat treats, toys and collars, laundry detergent, trash bags and some office supplies.

The shelter located at 1101 N. Josephine St. is run by appointment only. Anyone wishing to volunteer or needing more information regarding the shelter may email Kellye Robertson, Royse City's Animal Control Coordinator, at kellyerrobertson@hotmail.com.

Anyone wanting to donate supplies to the shelter may take them to the City Hall of Royse City at 305 North Arch Street or call 972-636-2250.

Financial contributions by check may be mailed to Royse City Chamber of Commerce, 216 N. Arch Street #A, Royse City, Texas 75189 or call 972-636-5000.



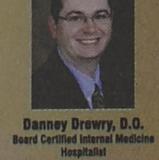


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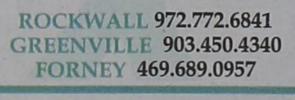


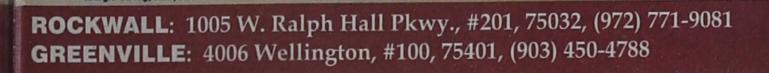




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