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Krista Searles (above left) and Litzzy Herrera (above right), of Springer Elementary students, had their work accepted from the Hanes of Children M.I. Hummel Club Contest, international art competition. The competition invited artists between the ages of 2-12 to share their interpretation of the artistic spirit of childhood. The girls' work, pictured here, will be on display and open for judging at the 2015 Hummel National Convention in Philadelphia later this year. *Courtesy photos/Rockwall County News*

## Honoring the 2015 Rockwall ISD Valedictorians and Salutatorians



**Cassie Elizabeth Oliver**  
 Rockwall High School  
 2015 Valedictorian

Valedictorian for Rockwall High School's 2015 graduating class was Cassie Elizabeth Oliver, 18, of Rockwall. She plans to attend Louisiana Tech University where she will study chemical engineering. *Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News*



**Amber Dawn Adams**  
 Rockwall High School  
 2015 Salutatorian

Salutatorian for the senior class of Rockwall High School was Amber Dawn Adams, 18, of Rockwall. She plans to major in business at New York University. *Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News*



**Ashlyn P. Hohenshelt**  
 Rockwall-Heath High School  
 2015 Valedictorian

Valedictorian for Rockwall-Heath High School's 2015 graduating class was Ashlyn P. Hohenshelt, 18, of Rockwall. She plans to major in engineering at the Colorado School of Mines. *Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News*



**Thomas G. Ross**  
 Rockwall-Heath High School  
 2015 Salutatorian

Salutatorian for the senior class of Rockwall-Heath High School was Thomas G. Ross, 17, of Rockwall. He plans to attend the University of the Ozarks, Arkansas, where he will major in mathematics. *Courtesy photo/Rockwall County News*

## Rockwall ISD's 2015 graduates receive almost \$10M in scholarships

Students in the 2015 graduating classes at Rockwall High and Rockwall-Heath High School were offered a total of almost \$10 million in college, local and military scholarships, according to information provided by the Rockwall Independent School District. *(Continued on Page 5)*

## Rockwall City Council sees logo, names committee

Millie Jean Coppedge  
 The City Council of Royse City met and adjourned in just 18 minutes Tuesday night, June 9. Paul Morris, the Main Street director, presented the council with a community pride logo. The logo was created for the community, businesses, HOAs, civic organizations, etc., to use to promote our community by 'living life local.' The logo may be used on banners, signs, window decals, shopping bags and T-shirts," Morris said. The logo is not yet ready for presentation to the public, but does

display the wording "Live Life Local." The idea behind these words are to shop with our local merchants, eat at Royse City's restaurants and in any other ways, support our community. Also on the agenda was to consider appointing an eight-member Comprehensive Plan Advisory Committee. Addressing the council for the vote was Janet McPherson, executive director of Community Development. The council voted 7-0 for the committee to include Julia Bryant, Jim Melody, Russell Summers, Brian-Zator, Kari Hollifield, Scott Gebo and John Sallee. An eighth member will be added by the next city council meeting.

During City Manager Carl Alsbrook's final updates, he reminded the council that the KidFish event that had to be canceled on Saturday, May 30, due to bad weather, has been rescheduled for Aug. 7, in the late afternoon, just before the final Hot Summer Nights at City Lake Park movie. Friday night's movie for the Hot Summer Nights At City Lake Park, June 19, will be "Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day" and will begin at 9:15 p.m. Bring your blankets and lawn chairs and enjoy a free night out by the lake with friends and neighbors. *(Continued on Page 2)*

## Heath fire destroys Bacon home, business

Millie Jean Coppedge  
 While John Bacon and his wife slept in their country home at 1099 Ridge in Heath, she awoke to the smell of what she thought was smoke. It was around 1 a.m. Wednesday, June 10. After being unable to locate the cause of what she thought she had smelled, the couple went back to bed. According to Heath Fire Chief Terry Garrett, at 2 a.m. the fire alarm went off in the house. The fire department, the Bacons' security alarm system, reported to authorities that the fire alarms were going off at the residence at about the same time the Bacons called in the emergency. John Bacon, a Vietnam veteran, and his wife escaped the house without injury. The couple were the only ones in the house at the time of the fire.

According to the fire chief, the McLendon-Chisholm Fire Department and the Rockwall Fire Department assisted the Heath Fire Department with trying to contain the blaze. Garrett said there was a tanker truck with 2,000 to 3,000 gallons of water along with three fire trucks that responded to the scene. There was a problem with getting enough pressure from the six-inch water lines to supply enough water to be of any help in slowing the fire. "The fire was so big and already raging when we got there and there really wasn't much we could do," Garrett said. Rockwall County Fire Marshal Jim Simmons said Friday that the shop where it is believed that Bacon had his business, John Bacon Roofing Company, was a complete loss. "The shop and the end of the house where the garage to the house was located, were totally engulfed when they arrived, and fire was

coming through the roof of the house itself," Simmons said. The garage doors fell onto a new Lexus as it sat in the garage, melting into the ruins of the car. "It will take weeks or possibly months to determine the cause of the fire," Simmons said. "At this time, we have no idea what happened, due to the destruction of the fire and the extensive property damage. Their home and business covered a large area, and it will just take time to investigate." The Rockwall County fire marshal and the insurance company that covered the Bacons' property will conduct the investigation. *(Continued on Page 2)*

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The fire-ravaged remains of this country house and business in Heath was a total loss due to a fire of unknown origin. The cause is under investigation. The shop to the far right and the garage was totally destroyed, as was the house, far left. Shown in the middle of the photo is a Lexus automobile underneath the melted garage doors. *Photo by Millie Jean Coppedge/Rockwall County News*

### Rockwall County News Briefs

**Cheerleading camp offered**  
 The Rockwall Parks & Rec department will offer Total Cheerleading, a cheerleading camp, from 9 a.m. to noon June 22-25 at the Harry Myers Community Center. Open to participants ages 6-12, the camp will offer skills in leading the crowd and supporting the home team while practicing cheer safety, hand and body movements and jumping techniques. Cost is \$145 (or \$99 for Rockwall residents). For more details visit rockwall.com/parks.

**Inspirational speaker to talk at library**  
 Inspirational speaker, best-selling author and radio host Johnny Tan will be the featured speaker at a free program set for 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 23, at the Rockwall County Library. Tan will speak about his nine "mothers," all role models and subjects of his writings. The program will take place in the library's large meeting room. For more information on Tan, visit johnnytan.com. *(Continued on Page 2)*



## Rockwall County Obituaries

### Billy 'B.J.' Gunter

Services for Billy "B.J." Gunter, 67, of Rockwall will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. Friday, June 19, 2015, in the Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church, 1305 Damascus Rd., Rockwall. The Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel will be in charge of arrangements.

He died Monday, June 8. Born Aug. 10, 1947, in Dallas to Billy Jim Gunter and Audra Marie (Blackburn) Cook, he was a civil lawyer and a member of the Texas Bar Association and a member of the Texas Association of Realtors. He had lived in Rockwall for 29 years.

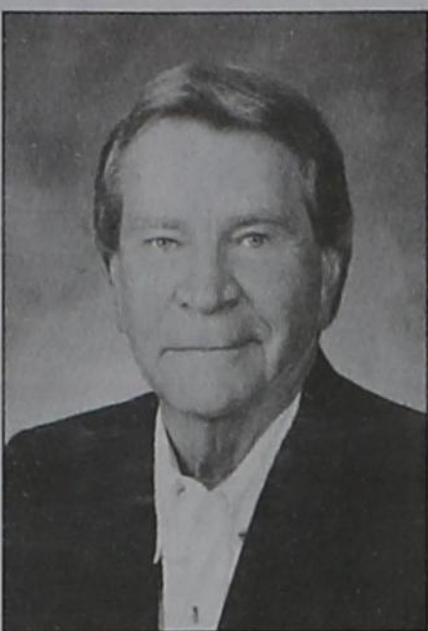
He enjoyed fishing, golf and cruising around the marina in his bright, red golf cart with his dog, Drummer. He never met a stranger and loved the lake and the marina. He enjoyed traveling.

He loved life, but he loved his wife, Margie, of 42 years even more. He was never angry and saw the bright side of everything.

Survivors include his wife, Margie (Gajdica) Gunter; his mother, Marie Cook; his sister, Debbie Conner, and her husband, Mike; his brothers, Paul Gunter, and his wife, Page, and Rex Gunter and his wife, Lisa; a brother-in-law, Dan Gajdica, and his wife, Susie; his sisters-in-law, Charline Pollard and her husband, Joe, and Mary Archer and her husband, Keith; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his father, Billy Jim Gunter, and his sister, Terri Dye.

The family has suggested that in lieu of flowers, donations in his name may be made to the Mary Crowley Cancer Research Center at marycrowley.org.



Services for R.A. Lawrence, 97, of Mt. Vernon, Texas, were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday, June 12, 2015, in the First United Methodist Church in Mt. Vernon with Pastor Rick Donaho and Pastor Jack Wallace officiating. Burial followed in the Mr. Vernon Cemetery. The Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

He died June 10 in Rowlett. Born April 22, 1918, in Hopewell to Rodger and Annie Belle (Draper) Lawrence, he married Freda "Sue" Bannister on March 5, 1939, in Sulphur Springs. He was a barber for more than 60 years and a member of Masonic Lodge 691, where he earned his 50-year pin. He had been a member of the First United Methodist Church of Mt. Vernon since 1941.

Survivors include his daughters, Beth Bench of Mt. Vernon and Sharon Anderson and her husband, Jackie, of Rockwall; his grandchildren, Susan Burns and her husband, Ronnie, of Rockwall, Gary Bench and Michelle Spurgeon of Mesquite, Larry Bench of Mt. Vernon, Alan Van Hoozer and his wife, Debra, of Lavon, Beverley Bramlett and her husband, Daryl, of Sachse and Cory Lawrence and his wife, Amy, of Rockwall; nine great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and other family members.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Sue Lawrence; a son, Johnny Rae Lawrence; his siblings Almedia Ray, Ora Cody, Burt Lawrence, Willie Mae Broach, Carl Lawrence and Enoch Lawrence; and a great-granddaughter, Heather Van Hoozer.

The family has suggested memorial contributions may be made to the church.



### Richard D. Proctor

Services for Richard D. Proctor were conducted at 1 p.m. Saturday, June 13, 2015, in the Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Chapel with Jesse Crouch officiating. Burial followed in the Rest Haven Memorial Park.

He died peacefully June 9, 2015, in his sleep at his home.

Born in Brashear, Texas, on Jan. 20, 1935, to Otha D. and Verna Mae (McQueen) Proctor, he married Carolyn Williams on Oct. 2, 1970, in Grand Prairie. He was a devoted husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather who will be remembered for his servant's heart. Those in need knew they could count on him to lend a helping hand. Active in his church, he drove the bus for the seniors group.

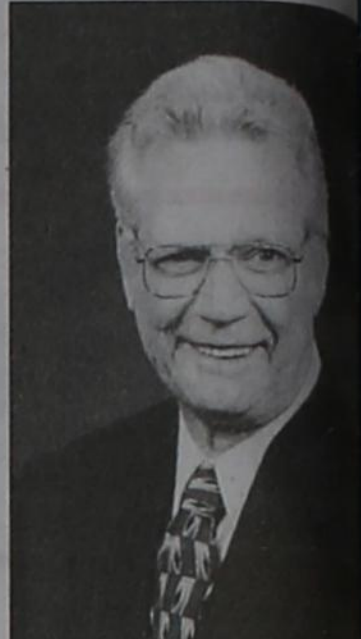
As a licensed electrician, he worked on various other repair and building projects for his church and other churches in the Grand Prairie area, as well as serving with the Texas Baptist Men's ministry.

He retired from Texas Instruments and Raytheon where he worked for more than 45 years, directing the installation of air traffic control systems around the world. He and his work were well known with the Federal Aviation Administration as he traveled throughout the U.S. and to foreign countries.

He served nine years in the U.S. National Guard, separating as a master sergeant. He was an avid fisherman, enjoyed his retirement with his children, grandchildren and nephews, visiting the various black bass lakes in Texas and surrounding states, always was ready for a family or friend get-together with food and fellowship.

Survivors include his wife; his daughter, Lynn Windle, and her husband, John, of McKinney; his son, Landon Proctor, and his wife, Michelle, of Sachse; his grandchildren, Angela Pockrus, Lewisville, Landon Proctor and his wife, Christine, of Clermont, Florida, Staff Sgt. Robert Mackle and his fiancée, Staff Sgt. Kelli Pockrus of Tyndale AFB, Florida; Justin Proctor and his fiancée, Sarah Miller of Rockwall and Joshua Proctor of Clermont; his step-grandchildren, Bradley Windle and his wife, Theresa, of Carrollton, Morgan Pelley of Harrisburg, Virginia, and Brandon Pelkey of San Antonio; great-grandson, Maddox Pockrus, of Lewisville; his nephews, Landon Proctor, and his wife, Claudette, of Southlake and Gerald Proctor, his wife, Melinda, of Roys City; and a niece, Brenda McCluskey Miller Grove.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his brother, O.D. (Bud) Proctor Jr., and his sisters, Imogene Moore and Dorothy Watson.



## Just Say You Saw It In "The County News"

## Rockwall Community Playhouse outlines 2015-16 season

The Rockwall Community Playhouse's upcoming season will open with "Dirty Rotten Scoundrels," a musical comedy, Sept. 18 through Oct. 4, according to a news release detailing the theater's 2015-2016 season.

The holiday favorite, "It's a Wonderful Life," will run Nov. 27 through Dec. 13.

February will feature "You Can't Take It with You," while "Love, Sex & the IRS" will be staged March 25 through April 10. "The Drowsy Chaperone" will be produced in May.

The teen musical "Cinderella" will close the RCP season, running July 22 through Aug. 27.

The RCP's annual 5K fundraiser is scheduled for July 10 and will culminate with a party at Harry Myers Park, complete with a live band and food trucks. Theme of the race is Once Upon a Glow Run, tying in with the teen musical "Once Upon a Mattress." Participants are asked to dress as storybook characters.

In August, the RCP will host its annual STAR (Special Theater at Rockwall) production. Ten special-needs adults and their mentors will stage the musical "Footloose" during three special performances.

The RCP also has year-round acting workshops and productions for children. Visit rockwallcommunityplayhouse.org for race registration, ticket sales, season subscriptions and more information on upcoming events.

## Master Gardener classes to be offered

Classes to become a master gardener will begin Aug. 26, meeting from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesdays until Nov. 18.

Class locations will vary. The Rockwall County Master Gardener Association is a volunteer organization that is an integral part of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service trained to provide information and technical assistance in gardening and home horticulture.

Anyone interested should apply by calling the extension office at 972-204-7660 or by visiting rockmga.org. Applications are due June 26. Cost is \$200 and due upon acceptance.

An informational meeting for all applicants is set for 6:30 p.m. July 13 at the Extension Office, 915 Whitmore, Suite B, Rockwall.

## Royse City announces groundbreaking of new restaurant ...

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He also informed everyone that the annual "Celebrating Freedom" (to celebrate the Fourth of July) will be held Friday, June 26, beginning at 6:30 p.m. between the Royse City Middle School and Ruth Cherry Intermediate School on FM 1400. There will be food, live music, a kids zone and fireworks, which will begin at 9:30 p.m. Admission will be free, but no pets or alcohol will be permitted on premises. Bring blankets and lawn chairs to enjoy an evening of celebration and fun.

The final big much awaited announcement by Alsbrook was that the groundbreaking for Charlie's Restaurant will be on Friday, June 26.

All members of the City Council of Royse City were present for the meeting. The next council meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday, June 23, at the Police and Courts Building, 100 W. Main Street.

Before the bi-weekly city council meeting, a council workshop was conducted in the council chambers at 6 p.m. This workshop was to discuss the much needed road repairs for the streets of Royse City, zeroing in on Phase 1 of the repairs and potential financing of the repairs. Although the word "repair" was used during the meeting, the streets chosen would be totally redone with concrete, new water and sewer lines, and sidewalks. None of the conversations involved patching the roads with asphalt.

The street repairs will be addressed in two categories with #1 being the most serious in need. Several criteria will be the defining factors including the current condition of the street, how many houses are on the street and how much traffic the street receives.

Dario Lopez, Public Works director, said the engineer drove the streets and evaluated how bad the streets were according to the criteria. The council's concern is to at least start as soon as possible and make a long range plan for the future. They would like to do this

by using available funds and a bond election, and without having to raise taxes. The hope is to completely redo two to three streets with the infrastructure also done at the same time.

"We've got to do something. Got to start somewhere," repeated Mayor Janet Nichol throughout the meeting. "I'd like to see us do what we can now and start planning for the future."

The problem besides the need for money to redo the streets, is that there are so many streets that need attention, especially in the historical parts of Royse City.

There were many suggestions of which streets to begin with and the reason those streets needed immediate attention. Mayor Nichol closed the workshop by allowing Lopez time to come up with the streets he thinks should be repaired first and the reasons these streets are at the top of the list according to the council's suggestions and the engineers report. The council agreed to hold another workshop on July 28 to try to make some decisions.

### Ask Dr. Danette

by Danette McNew, D.D.S.

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## TEXAS CROSSWORD

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**ACROSS**

1 TXism: "got the of it"

5 Ripley's Believe Not

6 TXism: "as a squirrel up a tree"

7 TX Quinta Inns

8 TXism: "the whole and caboodle"

9 "Charles" south of the Rio Grande

15 a TX mesquite

16 TXism: "he to no one" (refused to comply)

18 actor Kurt of film "The Deadly Tower" about '66 UT sniper

20 TXism: "it's about"

21 TXism: "a new hat size" (hit)

26 TX Joe Don Baker film: "Walking"

27 dog hotel

29 TXism: "fits like a horse"

30 amigos

32 Centerville high school class

33 early name: "El Paso"

36 ex-Cowboy "Shark" Kenneth

37 Nixon who carried TX in '72 (init.)

38 Cowboys arena: "AT&T"

39 "good" south of the border

41 young TX anglers learn how to do this (3 wds.)

44 TX actor Quaid

45 "Too Tall" Jones in Falls Co. on 77

47 "em Aggies!"

48 TX outlaw Sam Bass left passengers \$1 so they could do this (3 wds.)

51 TX Perot sold EDS to General in '84

52 TXism: "got it on the of my tongue"

53 TXism: "weed killer"

54 Dallas "West"

**DOWN**

1 book: "Lone Star Rising, Lyndon Johnson and Times"

2 TXism: "hard as dodging rice wedding"

3 TXism: "on her" (pretty)

4 TX Babe: "

5 Athlete of the Hall Century"

8 just west of Denton A&M's home

10 UH Heisman winner Andre (init.)

11 Erik Williams old position on the Cowboys (abbr.)

12 former TX fuel supplier (3 wds.)

13 McKinney's '48 gold medal vaulter: Guinn Smith

14 ex-Spurs' star, Elliott in Henderson Co. on hwy. 31

16 once a FM in Hooks

17 TX Larry Hagman of Jeannie

19 "Tyler Rose" Campbell

21 winning general at San Jacinto (init.)

22 TXism: "put a on it" (shut up)

23 citrus drinks

24 "critter" hides

25 former Fort Worth AFB was named for Carswell

27 former call letters of "Boom 94.5" in DFW Metroplex

28 this Watkins won '73 Byron Nelson Classic in Dallas

31 "I Can See Clearly Now" TX singer

34 TXism: "black gold"

35 TXism: "he's over" (deserving)

37 in 38-across: "of Honor"

40 TXism: "jump (escape from law)"

42 TXism: "all beer and no" (genuine)

43 TX Henley co-wrote Eagles' hit: "Take Limit"

49 pedal motorbike

50 TXism: "let 'n rip!"

## Rockwall County News Brief

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### Painting party to benefit Helping Hands

Rockwall Helping Hands will receive 100 percent of the proceeds from an evening at Painting with a Twist, 513 E. I-30, on Thursday, June 25. Participants will paint a monogram chevron print from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Cost will be \$45 per person; appetizers and wine will be provided. Reserve a spot at paintingwithatwist.com/event/viewEvent.aspx?eventID=437996.

### Hope Mobile animal spay/neuter scheduled

The Spay/Neuter Network's 45-foot hospital bus will be in Rockwall Friday, June 26, in the I-30 Wal-Mart parking lot. Surgeries will be performed on site. Low-cost surgery packages are available; walk-up vaccinations are offered at a reduced price from 10 a.m. to noon. In June, kittens and puppies will be fixed for \$20. Must be under 6 months old; call for minimum weight. (Must mention "precious parents" when appointment is made.) Call 972-472-3500 to make an appointment. Be sure dogs cannot slip their collars and that cats are in secure carriers. Posted by Rockwall PAWS, a local nonprofit that funds the treatment of heartworm-positive Rockwall shelter dogs (rockwallpaws.com).

### Master Gardener applications due June 26

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### Promotion to boost Special Olympics Texas

Cavender's has launched an in-store promotion selling paper torches to symbolize its support for Special Olympics athletes. The torches are available for purchase for \$1 at the store's checkout counter and may be personalized with the buyer's name or the name of a loved one. The nearest Cavender's location is at 18865 LBJ Frwy., between Home Depot and Kohl's, in Mesquite. Funds will help provide quality sports competitions for individuals with intellectual disabilities throughout the state. The paper torches celebrate the arrival of the Flame of Hope in Texas. The flame is on a journey from Greece to Los Angeles, the site of the 2015 Special Olympics World Games.

### Heath to host July 4 parade, celebration

The City of Heath's Annual Independence Day Parade is set for Saturday, July 4. Staging will begin at 8 a.m., with judging and awards at 8:30 a.m. The parade will start at 9 a.m. at Amy Parks Heath Elementary, 330 Laurence Drive. The city is inviting veterans and active U.S. military to ride on the veterans float. For more information, contact Norma Duncan at 972-771-6228 or visit heathtx.com. Awards will be presented in Towne Center Park immediately following the parade; a live barbershop quartet and free popovers will be provided. Area residents should plan for brief traffic delays. The intersection of Laurence Drive and FM 740/FM 1140 will be closed from approximately 9 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.

### Democratic Men's Group to meet July 4

The Democratic Men's Group of Rockwall County will have its next luncheon on Saturday, July 4, at Luigi's Italian Restaurant, 2000 S. Goliad, Rockwall. The group meets at noon on the first Saturday of each month at various local restaurants to discuss local, state and national current events and politics. Open-minded, progressive men concerned about the future of Rockwall County and Texas are invited to participate. This month's speaker will be Dr. Barbara Montgomery, who will address the history of Rockwall County.

### E-Flat Porch Band to perform at library

The E-Flat Porch Band, a duo from McKinney, will perform at 6 p.m. Thursday, July 9, at the Rockwall County Library. The band will perform their signature country blues style.

### RCP to host Glow Run fundraiser

The Rockwall Community Playhouse will host its Once Upon a Glow Run fundraiser beginning at 7:30 p.m. Friday, July 10, at Harry Myers Park, 827 Washington St., Rockwall. Proceeds will

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## On God's Word

by Timothy W. Burnett

### Speaking in tongues ... receive the spirit Part 1

Before Jesus ascended up toward the sky and into heaven to be with his Father, he gave his chosen apostles important instructions.

"And, being assembled together with them, commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, 'which,' he said, 'you have heard of me. For John truly baptized with water; but you shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence'" (Acts 1:4-5).

Jesus was teaching them about a significant upcoming shift in policy. Prior to that time, they only knew the baptism of water, but there would be a major change to the baptism of holy spirit.

The baptism of holy spirit is fulfilled when people are filled with the holy spirit. The first record of people being filled with holy spirit is found in Acts 2:4.

According Romans 10:9-10, people are filled with holy spirit when they believe with their hearts that God raised Jesus from the dead. It's important to note that the filling only happens one time. It isn't necessary to be refilled.

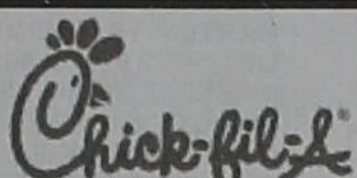
Jesus then said, "But you shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you" (Acts 1:8). Notice that Jesus was talking about waiting for the promise, which came to pass later on the day of Pentecost as recorded in Acts 2:4.



The TVEC Charitable Foundation has awarded a \$3,000 grant to Lone Star CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) on June 4. Joy Long of TVEC presented the check to executive director Lucille Bell and development director Roland Ruble and thanked Lone Star CASA for their volunteer advocates' work in helping to assure that the foster children of the area find safe and permanent homes. The TVEC Charitable Foundation is funded by donations from Operation Round Up, a voluntary program that allows TVEC members to round up their monthly electric bills to the next whole dollar amount. The portion that is rounded up goes to the TVEC Charitable Foundation and may be used to award grant requests to local charitable organizations.

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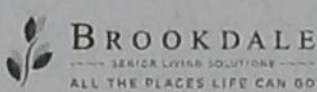
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Romans 10: 9-10

"Have I not commanded you; be strong and of a good courage. Be not afraid, neither be dismayed; for the Lord thy God is with thee wherever you go." Joshua 1:9

"Let every thing that hath breath praise the Lord. Praise ye the Lord."

Psalm 150:6

"A fool's mouth is his destruction, and his lips are the snare of his soul."

Proverbs 18:7

"Trust in the Lord with all thine heart, and lean not unto thine own understanding;"

Proverbs 3:5

"In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy path;"

Proverbs 3:6

### First Presbyterian Church of Rockwall

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"God is love, and those who abide in love abide in God, and God abides in them." 1 John 4:16

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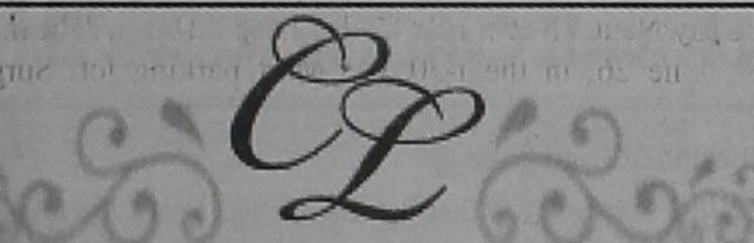


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The Rockwall Community Playhouse's board of directors recently awarded its annual scholarship to Kenzie Osborn, a 2015 graduate of Rockwall-Heath High School who has performed on the RCP stage since the age of 9. Her most recent roles were Juliet in "Romeo & Juliet" and Dorothy in the "Wizard of Oz." Osborn, pictured above, plans to pursue a degree in musical theater at Ouachita Baptist University. "I am so thankful to have been a part of such an amazing community and I am extremely grateful for the generous scholarship," Osborn said in a RCP news release.

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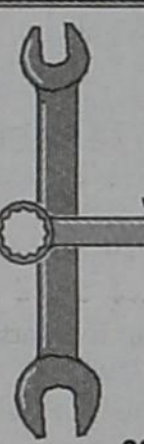
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• **Saturday, 6 June:** Assault, 800 block E. I-30 NSR; Suspicious vehicle, 400 block W. Hwy 66; Suspicious person, 3100 block Spruce Street; Public intoxication arrest, 100 block E. I-30 NSR; Harassment, 100 block E. I-30 NSR; Medical assistance, 900 block E. I-30 NSR; Reckless driver, I-30 eastbound from the 72-mile marker; Criminal mischief, 1400 block Erby Campbell Boulevard; Missing person, 700 block Oak Grove Lane, Disturbance, 2300 block E. I-30 NSR; Suspicious vehicle, Area of Midnight Drive; Possession of marijuana arrest, 1200 block W. Main Street; Driving while license invalid w/previous conviction arrest, 3200 block S. FM 548; Possession of controlled substance/marijuana/dangerous drugs arrest, 200 block Erby Campbell Boulevard; Three curfew violation arrests, 100 block W. I-30 SSR

• **Sunday, 7 June:** Suspicious person, I-30 SSR near the 74-mile marker; Reckless driver, I-30 westbound near the 79-mile marker; Assault, 700 block Loganwood Drive; Accident, 900 block E. I-30 NSR; Burglary of habitation, 300 block Shepherds Lane; City ordinance violation, Area of Love Lane; Fraudulent use/possession identifying information, 2700 block Mockingbird Street; Red River County warrant arrest, I-30 eastbound near the 82-mile marker; Dallas County/Irving Police Department warrants arrest, 100 block W. I-30 SSR; Driving under the influence-minor arrest, 800 block S. FM 548; Possession of marijuana arrest, 200 block E. Main Street; Two failure to stop arrests, Area of County Line Road; Possession of drug paraphernalia arrest, 900 block E. I-30 NSR; Driving while license invalid w/out insurance arrest, 300 block E. I-30 NSR

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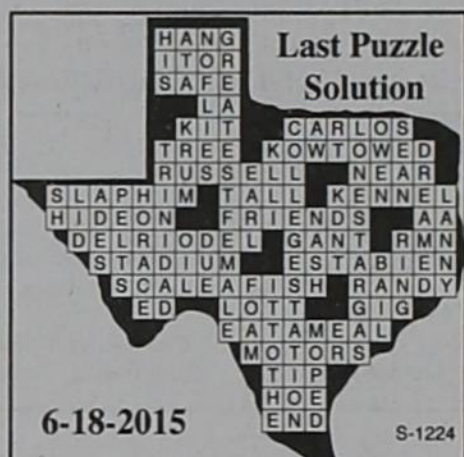
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help build a new RCP facility. Prizes for best costumes will be awarded. Additional prizes will be presented, and an after-event party will feature food trucks and a live band. Registration prior to July costs \$25 for the 5K, \$15 for the one-mile walk; race day costs will be \$30 and \$20. Deadline for online registration for the timed race is July 17. Visit [rockwallcommunityplayhouse.org](http://rockwallcommunityplayhouse.org).

**Holy Trinity plans VBS**  
Vacation Bible school at Holy Trinity by the Lake Episcopal Church will run from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Sunday through Thursday July 12-16. The program will be offered free to children ages 3-12. Volunteers (assistant teachers, workshop leaders, music leaders, drama characters, registration, check-in/out, kitchen prep, servers, etc.) and donations will be appreciated. Older kids (13-18) may volunteer, as well as parents. For more details about the Everest theme, visit [group.com/vbs/everest](http://group.com/vbs/everest). A video about the curriculum may be viewed at [youtube.com/watch?v=Bz8DbZ5lwQI](http://youtube.com/watch?v=Bz8DbZ5lwQI). To register for the VBS online visit [groupvbspro.com/vbs/ez/holytrinity2015](http://groupvbspro.com/vbs/ez/holytrinity2015) or call 972-771-8242.

**FCC Bible school set July 13-17**  
The First Christian Church Rockwall will conduct its vacation Bible school from 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. July 13-17. Theme will be "Hometown Nazareth: Where Jesus was a Kid. Children will "travel back in time" to experience life in a Bible-time village with a carpenter's shop, a food market, crafts, games and songs, all while learning about God's love. A highlight will be a market where participants can spend their "gold" coins. The VBS is open to children ages 4 through fifth grade (just completed). Register at [fccrockwall.com](http://fccrockwall.com). The church is located at 3375 Ridge Rd., 1.4 mile south of I-30. For more details call the church office at 972-771-5526.

**RHHS Highstepper mini camp slated**  
The Rockwall-Heath High Highsteppers will offer their Bon Voyage Mini Camp, open to girls in grades K-6, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. July 13-16. Participants will learn routines, dance techniques, drill team traditions and enjoy crafts. Pictures will be taken with Highsteppers, and participants will have the opportunity to sit with the Highsteppers and join in a pre-game victory line in the upcoming football season. Each participant will receive a mini camp shirt and be eligible to perform on the last day of camp, which will take place in the RHHS gym. Cost is \$75; each participant should bring a daily sack lunch/drink. To register visit [rhhsdrill@yahoo.com](mailto:rhhsdrill@yahoo.com) or call Karen Birdsong at 214-707-3479.

**Mosaic artist to give workshop**  
Nationally recognized mosaic artist Barbara Dybala will offer a mosaic jewelry workshop beginning at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, July 25, at the Rockwall County Library. Registration for the event will be required; registration will begin July 1.

**RHS Stingerettes to host dance clinic**  
The Rockwall High Stingerettes will host a Storybook Summer Dance Clinic for girls entering K-6th grade on Aug. 10-14 at Uteley Middle School. Stingerette officers will teach dance techniques and a routine to be performed on the final day of camp. Each camper will receive refreshments daily, a clinic T-shirt and a photo with the Stingerettes; participants also will be invited to join the Stingerettes in their pre-game spirit line at the first RHS home football game. Cost will be \$90 for those pre-registering before July 20, \$100 after that day or at the door on the first day. The clinic will run from 9 a.m. to noon. Contact Edith Davis at 214-926-8526 or [edithj4@att.net](mailto:edithj4@att.net) for more details.

## Rockwall County Entertainment

**Concert by the Lake to showcase Vaughn tribute**  
 Texas Flood, a Stevie Ray Vaughan tribute band, will be featured at the June 18 Concert by the Lake at The Harbor, 2059 Summer Lee. The event will begin at 7:30 p.m. Admission will be free. For more details visit [rockwall.com/parks](http://rockwall.com/parks). RSM offers a discount for Father's Day.

**RSM offers Father's Day discount**  
 Rockwall Summer Musicals is offering a 10 percent discount on its 15 tickets as part of a Father's Day special. To receive the discount, use the coupon code FATHER at showclix.com/events/9148 by June 21. Discounts apply to online purchases only. Upcoming productions include "Guys & Dolls," "Guys + Dolls," and "West Side Story," Aug. 13-16.

**June B. Jones' musical set at RCP**  
 "June B. Jones," a musical based on the children's book series by Barbara Park, will be offered in performances set for June 23-27 at Rockwall Community Playhouse, 609 E. Rusk, Rockwall. Performances will be at 7:30 p.m.; the matinee will be at 2 p.m. Visit [rockwallcommunityplayhouse.org](http://rockwallcommunityplayhouse.org) or call 972-722-3399 for tickets.

**Tickets available for 'Guys and Dolls'**  
 Tickets for Rockwall Summer Musicals' "Guys and Dolls" production are now available. Performances are set for 7:30 p.m. June 25-27 and 2 p.m. June 28 at the RHS Performing Arts Center at Utley, 1201 L. Townsend Drive, Rockwall. Cost are \$19.95 for adults, \$17.95 for seniors/students. Tickets are available online at [showclix.com/events/9148](http://showclix.com/events/9148) or by calling 1-888-71-TICKETS.

**Concert by the Lake plans rock music**  
 A rock variety band, Incognito, will be featured at the June 25 concert by the Lake at The Harbor, 2059 Summer Lee. The event will begin at 7:30 p.m. Admission will be free. For more details visit [rockwall.com/parks](http://rockwall.com/parks).

**Family Fun Friday set at Harry Myers Park**  
 The next Family Fun Friday, sponsored by the Rockwall Parks & Recreation Department, will be conducted at Harry Myers Park on June 26. Family activities such as dancing, games, bounce house and others will be offered. Candy, popcorn, snow cones and glow sticks will be available for purchase. "The Boxtrolls" will be screened at dusk.

**Random Axis to perform at Concert by the Lake**  
 Random Axis will be featured at the July 2 Concert by the Lake at The Harbor, 2059 Summer Lee. The group plays a modern/mix of music. The event will begin at 7:30 p.m. Admission will be free. For more details visit [rockwall.com/parks](http://rockwall.com/parks).

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Each of the Rockwall High School students pictured above received a \$12,500 scholarship from the Aspasians earlier this year. Pictured from the left are Lindsey Spraggins, Aspasians representative; recipients Kelsi Edwards, Austin Cory and Maddie Young; and Margie Chung, another representative of the organization. Edwards plans to attend the University of Texas at Dallas, Cory plans to attend Oklahoma State University and Young plans to attend Texas A&M. Scholarships are made possible through the organization's craft fair. The next fair will be Oct. 10 at the Wilkerson-Sanders Memorial Stadium parking lot. Interested vendors should apply online at [aspasians.com/vendors](http://aspasians.com/vendors).  
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## Promotion to boost Special Olympics Texas

Cavender's has launched an in-store promotion selling paper torches to symbolize its support for Special Olympics athletes.

The torches are available for purchase for \$1 at the store's checkout counter and may be personalized with the buyer's name or the name of a loved one. The nearest Cavender's location is at 18865 LBJ Frwy., between Home Depot and Kohl's, in Mesquite.

Funds will help provide quality sports competitions for individuals with intellectual disabilities throughout the state.

The paper torches celebrate the arrival of the Flame of Hope in Texas. The flame is on a journey from Greece to Los Angeles, the site of the 2015 Special Olympics World Games.

The Flame of Hope and the Unified Relay Across America will enter Texas on Friday, June 19, in Groves. The flame will be passed along 820 segments until its trek through the Lone Star State concludes a week later on Friday, June 26, in Amarillo.

The relay will culminate at the Opening Ceremony of the Los Angeles 2015 Special Olympics World Games on July 25, 2015. ESPN, the official broadcaster of the World Games, will produce the Opening Ceremony live as well as a nightly highlights program throughout the nine-day event.

## Golf tourney to benefit Helping Hands

The June 29 Rockwall Classic Golf Tournament, set at the Rockwall Golf & Athletic Club at 2600 Champions Drive in Rockwall, will benefit Helping Hands of Rockwall County. The event will begin with a 1 p.m. shotgun start; lunch and registration will begin at 11:30 a.m. Dinner will be at 5 p.m. with awards and door prizes planned. For more details visit [facebook.com/events/801602949894909](http://facebook.com/events/801602949894909). To register online, visit [friendraising.donorpro.com/campaigns/216](http://friendraising.donorpro.com/campaigns/216).

## Rockwall County Sports

### Jenkins named Lady Hawks basketball coach

Rockwall ISD again has a girls' basketball coach who has won a state championship. Lara Jenkins has been named Rockwall-Heath's head coach. She led Martin's Mill to the 2A state championship in March in her first year as a head coach. Jenkins, a Crandall native and Texas A&M-Commerce graduate, replaces Devin Gabbard. After leading the Lady Hawks to the 5A

playoffs, he took a new head coaching job at Klein Collins. Rockwall won a 5A state championship in 2007 under Jill McDill, who took the Lady Jackets to the final game in two other seasons. Earlier this year, she took Sunnyvale to the 3A state title. Jenkins was an assistant coach at Kaufman from 2008 until 2012, when she became an assistant at Martin's Mill. The Lady Mustangs also won the state championship in her first year on the staff. Two years later, Martin's Mill promoted her to head coach. With that school in Ben Wheeler, Jenkins also was girls' athletic coordinator, head girls' track coach and an algebra teacher.

### Division standings tight as Dallas Race Week begins

Forty-four boats kicked off 2 big weeks of sailing on Lake Ray Hubbard on Sunday evening, when Dallas Race Week began its 6-day run. The races' six divisions, four skippers won races on both Sunday and Monday. Champions in each division will be honored after the last of the six scheduled races on Friday.

BASEBALL: RHHS head coach Greg Harvey has been named head coach of the North team for Sunday's Texas High School Baseball Coaches Association All-Star Game at Dell Diamond in Round Rock.

The early double winners were Bay View Yacht Club's Mike Jones aboard "Wings" in Aux B for boats with Performance Handicap Racing Fleet ratings of 121-200, Lavon Yacht Club's Mike Wilkinson and "Paragon" in Aux Main Jib PHRF of 200 or higher, Rush Creek Yacht Club's Jeff Progelhof with "Pura Vida" in A Kite and Bay Views Christopher Gradisar on "Laree" in Aux Main Jib PHRF 201.

He'll be very familiar with one of the all-stars - right-handed pitcher Tyler Ivey, who will move on to Texas A&M after starting for the Hawks for 4 years.

Each of those boats scored 2 points, based on how high they finished (1+1). Progelhof led by just 2 points over Rush Creek's Scott Wilby and "Little Wing", which placed second in both races. Second behind Wilkinson was Bay View's Bill Mansfield aboard "Blue Lee", with third and second places for 5 points.

Rockwall-Heath also was well represented in the NCAA Division I baseball tournament.

In Aux Main Jib 201+, Bay View's David Lawson was second with "Respite", which finished fourth and second for 6 points. Jones appeared to have a comfortable lead, with three boats from Chaddlers Landing Yacht & Tennis Club tied for second place with 6 points, 4 behind the leader. They were Roy Kuipers and "Three Sheets to the Wind", fourth and second; Kathy Kuipers and "Rij Jik of the Ik", second and fourth, and Dan Malak in "Orion", third in each race.

Outfielder Grayson Lewis, a former Hawk, was named to the Houston Regional All-Tournament team for his play with Rice. His RHHS teammate, Bret Boswell, played third base as a freshman for Texas in the Dallas Regional.

In the IC24 division Rush Creek's Roy Heath and "ICU" held a 3-4 lead over Larry Seals in "Paint Chip". Heath was second on Sunday and first on Monday; Seals placed first and then third. The most closely contested division was Aux A for boats with PHRF of less than 120. Marshall Mackenzie and "Superman's Cape" from Bay View and Robert Williams with "Hotter Tuna" out of Chaddlers Landing were tied with 3 points. Each finished first with the other second in the first two races.

Shortstop Trey Ochoa represented Rockwall well in Monday's North Texas High School Baseball Coaches Association All-Star Game at Dallas Baptist University. Ochoa went 1 for 3 at bat and played his usual strong defense at shortstop. He has signed a letter of intent to play at McLennan Community College in Waco.

Two days after Dallas Race Week ends, the Sunfish North American Championships and the Sunfish Youth North American Championships will be contested out of Rush Creek. Those races are scheduled to run from Sunday, June 21, through Saturday, June 27.

SOFTBALL: Two graduating seniors for the District 11-6A-champion Lady Jackets were named to the Texas Girls Coaches Association 6A All-State team.

Catcher Hayley Baker, who will continue her career at NCAA Division I Belmont University in Tennessee, and outfielder Peyton Mills, headed to Division II Harding University in Arkansas, received the All-State honors.

### Fall football registration underway

Extended registration for the Heath Hawks Community Athletics Association fall football program, open to grades K-6, will run until July 19; cost will be \$125. Divisions include K-2, flag football, and grades 3-6, tackle football (second grade division tackle option possible). The HHCA works with the Rockwall Youth Community Association and Sunnyvale to provide boys of these communities a safe place to play football. For more information visit [hhcafootball.com](http://hhcafootball.com). To sign up, visit [hhca.sportssignup.com](http://hhca.sportssignup.com). For more details call 214-927-9202.



The Aspasians awarded \$50,000 in scholarships to four graduating seniors this year during high school award ceremonies. Pictured above at the Rockwall-Heath High School ceremony are Margie Chung, left, of the Aspasians organization and the RHHS scholarship recipient, Mackenzie Long. Long received a \$12,500 scholarship and plans to attend Stephen F. Austin State University. Scholarships are made possible through the organization's craft fair. The next fair will be Oct. 10 at the Wilkerson-Sanders Memorial Stadium parking lot. Interested vendors should apply online at [aspasians.com/vendors](http://aspasians.com/vendors).  
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### Rockwall ISD 2015 graduating seniors earn numerous scholarships ...

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The 517 graduates of Rockwall High School were offered college scholarships totaling \$2,769,270 and local scholarships amounting to \$232,450 for a total of \$3,001,720, according to the news release. A total of 221 college and local scholarships were offered.

For the 501 Rockwall-Heath High School graduates, a total of 263 college and local scholarships were offered totaling \$6.38 million, according to the release. College scholarships totaled \$4.72 million, local scholarships stood at \$225,000 and military scholarships amounted to \$1.6 million.

Additional breakdowns of graduate-related information provided in the news releases were as follows:

- Rockwall High
- At least four or more from the RHS senior class plan to attend the following universities next year:
  - Austin College
  - Baylor University
  - Dallas Baptist University
  - Louisiana Tech University
  - Oklahoma State University
  - Southern Methodist University
  - Tarleton State University
  - Texas A&M University-College Station
  - Texas A&M University-Commerce
  - Texas Christian University
  - Texas Tech University
  - Texas State University
  - University of Alabama
  - University of Arkansas
  - University of Mississippi
  - University of North Texas
  - University of Oklahoma
  - University of Texas-Austin
  - University of Texas-Dallas

Approximately 65 percent of students will attend a four-year university in the fall; 25 percent will attend a two-year college.

- Seven students plan to join the military:
  - Marines - 4
  - Air Force - 1
  - Navy - 1
  - Army - 1

Rockwall-Heath High Graduates plan to attend a wide range of colleges, according to the release. The most popular are:

- Texas A&M-College Station
- UNT
- Texas State University
- University of Texas-Austin
- University of Texas-Dallas
- Texas A&M-Commerce
- Oklahoma State University
- Stephen F. Austin State University
- University of Arkansas

A handful of students plan to study at locations as far away as Hawaii Pacific University and Oregon State University, according to the news release.

A total of 54 percent of RHHS students plan to attend a four-year college; 33 percent will attend a two-year college. Three percent, or nine students, plan to join the military. Seven will join the Marines and two will join the Navy.

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# Rockwall ISD 2015 Graduation Ceremonies at the Curtis Curwell Center in Garland

Rockwall-Heath HS ceremony held Wednesday June 9

Rockwall HS ceremony held Thursday June 10

Photos by Tim Burnett



The graduating Seniors of Rockwall High School celebrate by tossing creatively decorated caps.



Raquelle Blackwood (left) and Alexis Greenhill perform "These Nights" during the Rockwall Heath High School Graduation Ceremony.

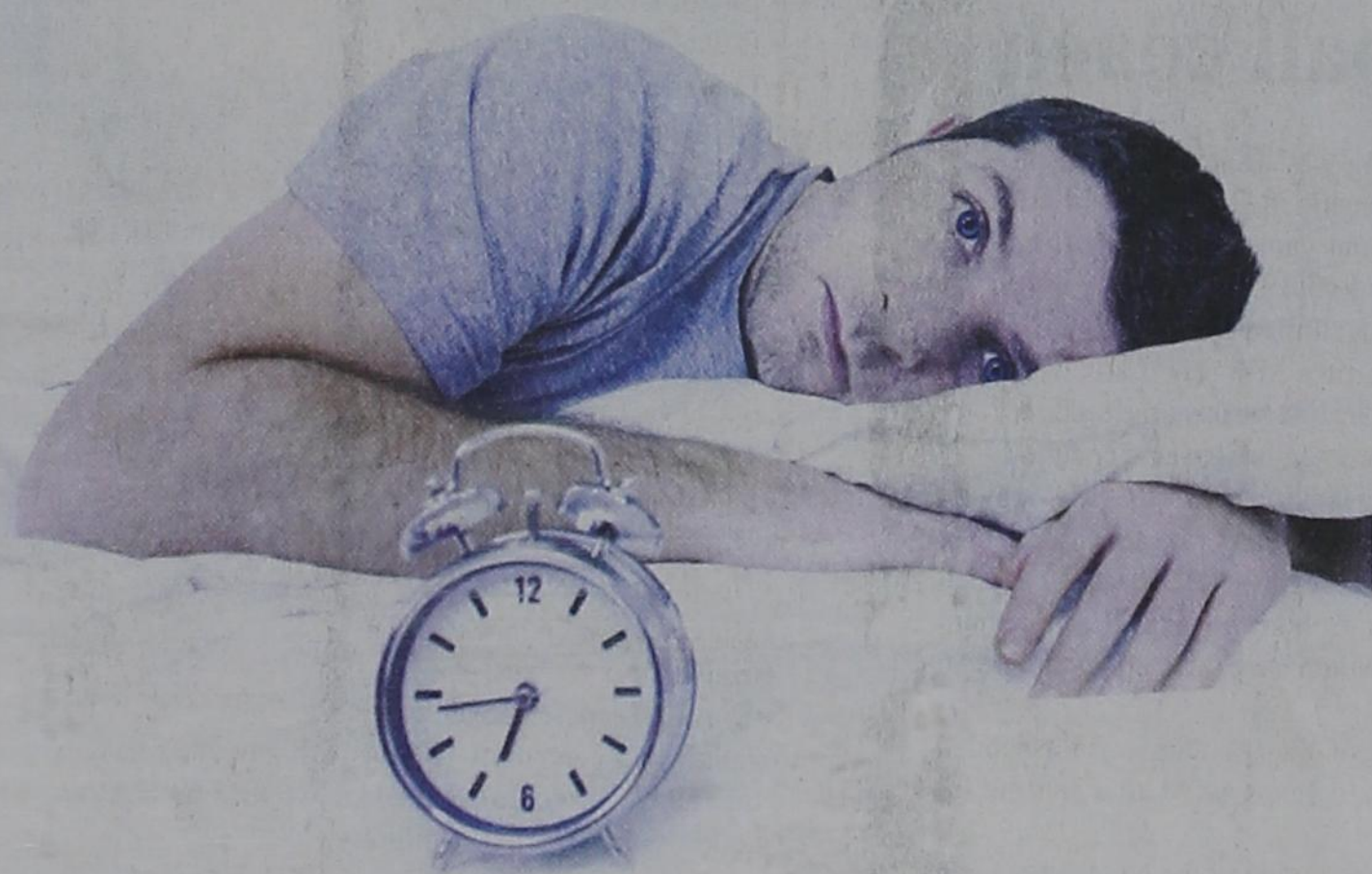


Rockwall-Heath High School graduating Seniors take lasting 'selfies' during the ceremony.



Rockwall High School graduating Seniors hook 'stingers' one last time.

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