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The year of 'failing forward'

Students make great strides at Purcell Elementary

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Technology is changing education for the youngest Purcell Public Schools students and it's happening in ways that not even the techiest of techies could have imagined.

Purcell Elementary School Principal Tammy Dillard made that point Tuesday to Oklahoma Educational Technology Trust representatives during their site visit to the school to see a \$65,000 OETT grant in action.

Last spring the OETT awarded the grant to purchase 160 iPad Mini 2 devices and

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Trying the technology

Parker Page, a fourth grader at Purcell Intermediate School, tests the programs on one of a half-dozen new ASUS Chrome books the school received last week. Looking on, from left, are math teacher Julie Larman, reading teacher Kristin Vick and principal Lou Ann Wood. The Chromebooks were purchased with funds raised by Jeff and Char Page.

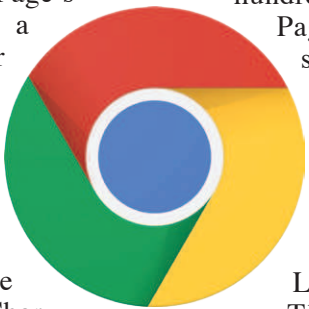
Funding Chrome

New technology at intermediate school

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It was an offhand remark to Parker Page's teacher during a parent-teacher conference last fall at Purcell Intermediate School.

Jeff and Char Page were visiting with Julie Larman when Char commented that her mother-in-law, Dede Page, had a genuine gift for raising money for a variety of causes.



All of which set Larman to thinking – what could the school do with several hundred dollars if Dede Page could be persuaded to raise it? She didn't have to look far to find a need. "We always need more Chromebooks," Larman said. The technology, according to principal Lou

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High-tech environment

Tara Tyler (far right) teaches a lesson about penguins to her first grade class Tuesday while utilizing iPads purchased through Purcell's Oklahoma Educational Technology Trust (OETT) grant. Jasmine Medina (far left) and Purcell Elementary School principal Tammy Dillard observed the lesson along with representatives from AT&T, OETT, Foundation Management Inc. and the K20 Center.



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Hoops & crowns

PHS basketball homecoming this Friday

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Hoop Dreams will serve up royal memories for two Purcell High School seniors who will be named basketball homecoming queen and king on Friday evening.

The Lady Dragons will play at 6:30 p.m. and the boys game will get underway at 8 p.m.

Coronation will be at half-time of the boys game.

The night's opponent will be the Pauls Valley Panthers.

Candidates for queen are seniors Addie Burton, Mashe-

li Lewis and Jaden Webb.

King candidates are seniors Jaron Avery, Brady Barrett, Kieran Embree, Riley Hamilton, Jackson Milner, Austin Nation, Jack Scrutchins and Jarrett Sweeney.

Burton is on the superintendent's honor roll and is a member of National Honor Society, Oklahoma Honor Society and Student Council. She plays basketball, fast-and slow-pitch softball and is a cheerleader. She was on

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Hoop Dreams

Purcell High School basketball homecoming will be Friday night. Coronation will be at half-time during the boys game which starts at 8 p.m. The girls will play first at 6:30 p.m. Opponents for the homecoming will be the Pauls Valley Panthers. Members of the court are, front row from left, Owen Milner, Anoli Billy, Camryn Dickerson, Masheli Lewis, Addie Burton, Jaden Webb, Haylee Swayzee, Chelsea Spain, Cady Wollenberg and Lily Del Toro. In the back from left are Riley Hamilton, Kieran Embree, Austin Nation, Jack Scrutchins, Jarrett Sweeney, Jackson Milner, Jaron Avery and Brady Barrett.

Breaking

Updates

Purcell's Chamber of Commerce Banquet is Thursday night. Washington's homecoming is Friday at 6 p.m.



Tuesday Night Ticker

High school basketball

Boys	
Marlow 62	Purcell 52
Lexington 44	Dibble 36
ECP 69	Wayne 64
Washington DNP	
Girls	
Marlow 51	Purcell 48
Dibble 52	Lexington 32
ECP 47	Wayne 43
Washington DNP	

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Bill pay alert

Something you find online may look legitimate and still be as phony as a \$3 bill.

Or it may be somewhere inbetween.

That's what one Purcell

resident learned the hard way when using the online bill pay site doxo.com to pay a utility bill to the City

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Cooking up a storm

Spearheaded by Mike Berrey, center, there was a whole lot of cooking going on for the FFA Steak Dinner Sunday at Purcell High School. Assisting Berrey were Greg Bay, right, Barry Askew, Mike Dover and Gary Ninnman.

Absentee mail-in ballots

Apply now for February 14 primary

A little more than a week remains for registered voters in McClain County to apply for absentee ballots to be mailed to them for the February 14 Purcell municipal primary election, McClain County Election Board Secretary Karen Haley said today. Applications for absentee ballots must be received by the county election board no later than 5 p.m. February 8 to be processed in time for the election.

Absentee voters may apply in person at the county election board office or may send their applications by mail, fax, or e-mail. An online version of the form may be filled out and submitted electronically at <http://www.elections.ok.gov>.

Any registered voter eligible to vote in the election may vote by absentee ballot without stating a reason, Haley said.

However absentee voters can activate certain special conditions in the following circumstances:

Registered voters who are physically incapacitated, who care for physically incapacitated persons who cannot be left unattended or who are confined to nursing homes may apply for absentee ballots only by mail, fax, e-mail, online or via an agent who is at least 16 years of age and who is not employed by or related within the third degree of consanguinity or affinity to any person whose name

appears on the ballot.

Military personnel, residents of McClain County living overseas, and the spouses and dependents of each group may apply only by mail, fax or e-mail. For more information and instructions, military and overseas voters may visit the Federal Voting Assistance Program website at <http://www.fvap.gov/oklahoma>.

For more information on absentee voting, contact the McClain County Election Board in the McClain County Courthouse.

The telephone number is 527-3121 and the fax number is 527-9347.

For additional election-related information, visit www.elections.ok.gov.

Tax roller coaster continues for central area municipalities

The Oklahoma Tax Commission returned \$141,451,370 to municipalities in January.

That disbursement was an increase of \$1,001,803 over the returns for the same period

a year ago.

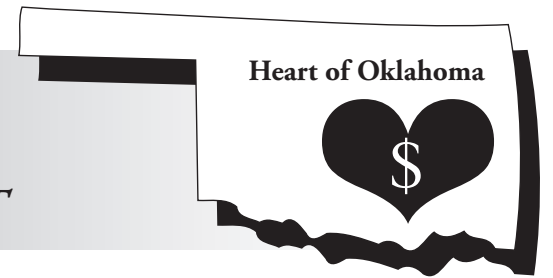
Use tax revenues returned to cities and towns amounted to an additional \$11,884,811.

Counties shared in a \$29,494,081 sales tax dis-

bursement, while the use tax disbursement was \$2,626,707.

The disbursements represent taxes on sales from November 16-30 and estimated sales from December 1-15.

JANUARY SALES TAX REPORT



CITY	RATE	2017	2016	DIFFERENCE
Blanchard	.04	\$205,541.34	\$194,770.77	+\$10,770.57
Byars	.04	\$2,415.51	\$1,482.95	+\$932.56
Cole	.04	\$3,072.75	\$934.20	+\$2,138.55
Dibble	.05	\$33,865.72	\$16,937.21	+\$16,928.51
Goldsby	.035	\$83,135.16	\$77,363.19	+\$5,771.97
Lexington	.04	\$33,783.35	\$34,280.17	-\$496.82
Lindsay	.04	\$192,306.71	\$212,745.83	-\$20,439.12
Maysville	.04	\$29,036.56	\$34,097.38	-\$5,060.82
Newcastle	.04	\$480,100.83	\$496,630.29	-\$16,529.46
Noble	.04	\$107,527.50	\$113,980.74	-\$6,453.24
Norman	.04	\$6,400,326.41	\$6,093,885.33	+\$306,441.08
Paoli	.03	\$2,786.64	\$4,133.05	-\$1,346.41
Pauls Valley	.045	\$535,029.60	\$514,143.39	+\$20,886.21
Purcell	.05	\$389,466.35	\$387,633.24	+\$1,833.11
Slaughterville	.02	\$13,068.88	\$14,031.37	-\$962.49
Wanette	.035	\$2,502.66	\$2,397.78	+\$104.88
Washington	.04	\$7,045.08	\$7,655.75	-\$610.67
Wayne	.035	\$14,396.30	\$14,502.40	-\$106.10
McClain County	.005	\$178,361.37	\$170,874.14	+\$7,487.23

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(405)641-1646 or email svivera549@aol.com

My name is Zoran and I have been lost since 1/22/17
I am a big baby. Lost from Pine Ln off of N/S Ladd

Maker Space for teenagers

The Purcell Public Library presents an afternoon of Teen Maker Space activities, at 4 p.m. Friday, February 3, at the library, 919 N. Ninth St. A second session of the program takes place at 4 p.m. Friday, February 24.

The Maker Spaces come from the library's STEAM Power Maker Kits. STEAM

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Grass fire

Purcell firefighters battled high winds and a grass fire on Eagle Road north and west of Purcell Sunday. Some of the hot spots were put out by stomping on them. **(Related photo page 10A)**

Purcell Municipal Hospital and Purcell Medical Center Clinic announce the opening of
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NEWS In Brief

Purcell Baseball Softball Sign-Ups

The Purcell Baseball Softball Association will be hosting sign ups at the Purcell Junior High Gym Saturday, January 28, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Signup deadline is February 1 and no late applications will be accepted.

Signup forms are available at www.purcellbaseballsoftball.org and can be delivered to McClain Propane, 900 S. Green Ave., in Purcell or mailed to PBSA, PO Box 715, Purcell, OK 73080.

For more information contact baseball president TJ Gillen at (405) 604-1123 or softball president Lucas Reed at (405) 550-3237 or email pbsassoc@gmail.com.

Visit www.purcellbaseballsoftball.org for information regarding specific league information.

Museum News

The McClain County Museum and Historical Society will be open Thursday, January 26, and Friday, January 27, from 1-4 p.m.

All times are weather permitting. The museum will be closed if Purcell Schools are closed.

Historic Purcell posters are still available at the McClain County Historical Museum,

203 W. Washington St. in downtown Purcell.

Contact the museum at mcmmuseum@mail.com, call (405) 701-3171 or Facebook to schedule an alternate time to visit or to purchase the historic Purcell poster.

Dragon Band Boosters Meeting

The Purcell High School Band Boosters will meet on Thursday, February 2, at 6:30 p.m. in the PHS Commons area to discuss the PHS Band Trip and the upcoming spaghetti dinner.

All PHS Band Booster parents need to attend this meeting to obtain necessary information about the trip and dinner.

Dragon Band Spaghetti Dinner

The Purcell High School Dragon Pride Band and the PHS Band Boosters will host a Spaghetti Dinner, Sunday February 12, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the PHS Commons area.

Tickets may be purchased for \$8 from any PHS high school band student or may be purchased at the door the day of the event.

A ticket will include spaghetti, salad, bread, homemade dessert and iced tea or water. Take out containers will be available as needed.

Wayne Steak Dinner

The Wayne Ag Boosters/Purcell Masonic Lodge #27

Steak Dinner has been set for Sunday, February 12, from 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. in the Wayne School cafeteria.

Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under 12 and to go orders are available.

Dinner includes a 7 oz. steak, baked potato, baked beans, salad, roll, dessert and drink.

All proceeds to the Wayne Ag Booster Club/Scholarship and Activity Fund.

Contact a Wayne Ag Booster for tickets.

Lex Senior Citizens Lunch

The Lexington senior citizens serve lunch from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays for a \$6 donation. To-go orders are \$7.

The lunch is open to the public and home cooked and served by the Lexington Senior Citizens at the Lexington Community Center at 131 S. Main.

Purcell NA Group

Purcell New Beginnings Group of Narcotics Anonymous meets Wednesdays at 7 p.m. for Living Clean and Fridays at 7 p.m. for Basic Text.

The group meets at the 7th and Monroe Church of Christ in Purcell.

For more information call Sarah W. at (405) 816-9233.



• Photo provided

Beef winners

The McClain County Cattlemen's Association raffled off two halves of beef recently. Winning ticket holders David Perry (left) and Whitney Clagg (center) posed with Rocky Bates who represented the association. The steer was donated by Ryan and Amanda Morris of Wayne, feed was donated by Frontier Trading Co. of Ada and processing was paid by the Cattlemen's Association. The association appreciates everyone who helped support the fundraiser.

Candidate forum Monday

Lexington Public Schools will host a school board candidates forum Monday evening in the auditorium.

Candidates for school board are Terri Sample, Travis Peery, Matthew Dierking and Caleb Paul.

The forum, which is open to the public, will begin at 6:30 p.m. The annual school election will be February 14.

Purcell Junior High honor roll announced

Purcell Junior High has announced honor rolls for the second semester of the 2016-2017 term.

Superintendent's Honor Roll students have no grade lower than an A. Students named to the Principal's Honor Roll have no grade lower than a B.

Eighth Grade Superintendent's

Samantha Ardery, Gage Askew, Tristen Brown, Hannah Camp, Lizbeth Caralampio, Kinley Croslin, Jamie Crum, Carlee Dismuke, Aiden Dunaway, Misael Duque, Brooklynn Fleming, Kyle Ginn, Kora Keith, Kody Kroth, Antony Lu, Emily Madden, Ryan Maynard, Emma Meyer, Ethan Pierce, Tate Quintero, Cade Smith, Allyson Teel, Khia Tyler, Destinie White, Tyler Williams, Lucy Wilson and Sam Wofford.

Principal's

Levi Bartels, Blakeleigh Bennett, Payton Bowman, Hannah Buchanan, Chloe Burk, Anthony Calderon, Daniel Calixto, Gage Campbell, Miriam Chavez-Cervantes, Dru Clay, A.J. Gray, Angelica Hernandez, Braden Hunter, Megan Jacobson, Karson Jennings, Owen Lewis, Aiden McLemore, Austen McLemore, Kamryn Moss, Laura Paez, Jakeb Pollard, Cristian Reyes, Keila Rojo,

Kenneth Saucedo, Kenzie Sewell, Mya Shreve, Kyleigh Smedley, James Smith, Cole Swafford, Alex Venegas, Walker Wilder and Angelina Willems.

Seventh Grade Superintendent's

Jaiden Avila, Hannah Barrett, Hailey Carpenter, Madison Cravens, Hailey Day, Abigail Escobedo, Alexia Gibson, Cooper Hall, Hayden Harp, Carly Hendrickson, Dalton Holder, Naomi Kimble-Earls, Celeste Martinez, Eva McGregor, Brady Moakley, Brady Nabors, Jackson Perkins, Alyssa Rogers, Raleigh Savage, Creed Smith, Grace Smith, Kaitlynn Smith, Adolfo Vasquez and Rosie Venegas.

Principal's

Emma Andrews, Natalie Auz, Alexis Brock, Lela Christian, Kagan Davis, Sierra Dolash, Quentin Goforth, Kylie Honeycutt, Makenzie Hook, Jordan Ingram, Christian Keeler, Ronan Little, Joey Lozier, Kira Meyers, Chris Moody, Rebeca Myury, Coley Raper, Eduardo Reyes, Jair Rojo, Domanick Sampson, Laynie Schrader, Brodrick Smith, Haileigh Smith, Jorge Sotelo, Jalyn Tate, Brookelyn Vaughn and Juleeanna Willems.

Sixth Grade Superintendent's

Katelyn Eck, Adam Edelman, Tobie Henderson, Lauren

Holmes, Zac Idlett, Katelynn Rangel, Lindsay Resendiz, Allison Schlotthauer, Kaylee Stephens, Peyton Tharp and Avery Wren.

Principal's

Rowan Ardery, Aiyana Beville, Ty Clay, Adrian Dominguez, Luke Edelman, Abigail Gibson, Addison Harjo, Gracie Harris, Garret Holman, Jeremy Joyner, Ryleigh McCarrell, Kaylee Morrow, Rylee Ninman, Adrian Piedra, Ashlee Pollard, Samantha Schafer, Cooper Smith, Corbin Spencer and Natalie White.

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Funds tied to Pres. Trump's education pick targets caucus

Betsy DeVos chaired American Federation for Children

Jennifer Palmer
Oklahoma Watch

Betsy DeVos, who is President-elect Donald Trump's pick for education secretary, has given millions in campaign contributions to politicians across the country.

Some of that fiscal muscle trickled into Oklahoma during the last election cycle through a pro-school-choice "Super PAC" that, notably, opposed so-called "teachers' caucus" candidates in many instances. (The caucus arose out of many educators' frustration over what they view as low education funding levels and teacher pay.)

The Oklahoma Federation for Children Action Fund has received more than \$180,000 from its Washington-based parent organization, American Federation for Children, which DeVos chaired.

DeVos has personally given almost \$900,000 to the national federation's related entities since 2012, according to a disclosure submitted to the U.S. Senate Health, Education, Labor and Pensions Committee in advance of her confirmation hearing, scheduled for Jan. 17.

The Oklahoma Federation for Children Action Fund has reported spending more than \$190,000 in local races since Jan. 1. DeVos' nomination has sparked controversy because of her long-time support of school-choice policies, with teachers unions and others

warning she will push for changes that privatize public education and undermine public schools.

Among the Oklahoma federation's expenditures in the 2016 elections:

- \$11,509 to oppose Lloyd Snow, a former Sand Springs superintendent who lost a bid for a seat in the state Senate



in District 37.

- \$3,177 opposing Don Wentroth Jr., a retired teacher who ran for House District 100 in Oklahoma City and lost to incumbent Elise Hall.

- \$22,788 to oppose Lisa Kramer, a Bixby school board member and CPA whose platform included elevating the value of and promoting the profession of teaching to solve the teacher shortage. Kramer, a Republican, lost to businessman Joe Newhouse in Senate District 25.

- \$2,489 to support Sen. Rob Standridge, who won re-election in District 15 over opponent Shawn Sheehan, a

Norman educator and 2016 Oklahoma Teacher of the Year.

- \$3,156 to support Sen. Kyle Loveless, who defeated a Mustang high school teacher in the primary, and ran unopposed for re-election in District 45. Loveless is a school choice proponent.

- \$13,611 to support Joe Newhouse, who supports expanding school choice through tax credits. He defeated teacher caucus candidate Robert Founds.

- \$7,165 to support Julie Daniels, a Bartlesville Republican who won a seat in the Senate representing District 29 and supports education savings accounts for all parents. She defeated teachers' caucus candidate Robert Jobe, a retired teacher.

- \$7,039 to support Tim Downing, a Republican who defeated Blanchard Public Schools Superintendent Jim Beckham in the primary and teachers' caucus candidate Liz George, an attorney, in the general election.

The PAC's latest report was filed Nov. 7. Quarterly reports covering Oct. 1 through Dec. 31 are due on Jan. 31.

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Kevin Slimp's
The Good Folks of Lennox Valley

And I will always love you
Bitter-sweet memories
That's all I have
And all I am taking with me.

1998 was a hard year for Juliet Stoughton. Sure, she almost single-handedly ended the political career of would-be mayor Raymond Cooper, seriously contemplated a protest at the Baptist Church, and made two close friends in Sarah Hyden-Smith and Iris Long. The truth is, however, there were things going on within Juliet her newfound fame couldn't camouflage.

She had nothing against Tangi Blevins, but she just couldn't sit any longer, listening as the pseudo-superstar sang those famous lyrics by Dolly Parton:

Juliet left the fairground stands rapidly, making her way past the ticket booth and vendors selling corndogs, cotton candy and funnel cakes. She walked quickly, her only thought being how she would soon be anywhere besides there, surrounded by all those happy people.

Juliet used to believe Plato was too busy thinking elevated thoughts to understand something as simple as true love. Now, she was beginning to understand what he meant.

Finally, nearly out of earshot of the concert, Juliet took a turn in the direction of the fair exit. In just a hundred feet or so, past the Chamber of Commerce display, she would be safe, or so she thought. As she hurried, Juliet kept her eyes on the ground, taking long steps to keep her pace.

That's when it happened, like a scene from "The Way We Were," with Robert Redford and Barbra Streisand. The 1970s tale shifts between four different time periods as two young lovers meet and break up in college, only to be reunited, and married, years later.

"Juliet?" the familiar voice said.

She looked up to see Chris Rhodehouse, the man she once considered her soulmate, directly in front of her.

Juliet Meets Her Match

"There are no accidental meetings between souls."

- Sheila Burke

"You look great," he said, seemingly as surprised as she was.

"What are you doing here?" Juliet asked. "I mean, I never took you as a 'fair' kind of person."

"My company has a booth in the Exhibit Hall," he answered. "You must not have gone in there or you would have noticed."

He asked how she was. She said she was fine. The truth was she felt anything but fine at the moment. He told her he saw her name in the newspaper.

"Did you really run for mayor?" Juliet didn't have much to say. Or perhaps she just couldn't get the words out.

He told her he missed her, and thought of her a lot. Juliet sensed he might be waiting for her to say the same.

After a moment of awkward silence, she spoke. "You know, Chris," she began, "it's been really nice to see you."

"Would you like to get a soda or something?" he asked.

"No, actually, I was just rushing to the ladies' room so I could get back to the concert."

Chris was surprised by her newfound interest in country gospel music.

"It was nice seeing you," Juliet said just before turning toward the ladies' room just 20 feet to her right. "Take care."

Suddenly, Juliet realized she was in the mood to see the rest of the concert. Upon entering the stand area, she noticed Iris Long taking pictures for the newspaper. She slipped in beside her new friend.

"I'm surprised to see you here," Iris noted with a friendly laugh.

"Well," Juliet replied with a grin, "I wanted to see what all the excitement was about."

She was just in time, as Tangi reappeared on stage for her final encore:

Turn your radio on,
and listen to the music in the air.
Turn your radio on and glory share.
Turn the lights down low,
and listen to the Master's radio.
Get in touch with God, turn your radio on.

Just then, she remembered a quote by her favorite modern author, J.S.B. Morse:

"A broken heart is just the growing pains necessary so that you can love more completely when the real thing comes along."

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Cleveland announces committee assignments

State Rep. Bobby Cleveland today announced he is on four committees for the 56th Legislature of the Oklahoma House of Representatives.

Cleveland was selected by House leadership to serve as chair of the Public Safety Committee, as well as on the Government Modernization Committee, Elections and Ethics Committee, and Appropriations & Budget Public Safety Subcommittee.

"I'm extremely proud to serve our state as chair of the Public Safety Committee," said Cleveland, R-Slaughterville.

"At the same time, I'm glad to have a spot on the Appropriations & Budget's Public Safety Subcommittee. I know my role as chair of the standing committee will be helpful in this

subcommittee."

The Legislature is expected to deal with issues spanning everything from teacher pay raises to examining state incentives. Examples of legislation likely to be considered this year are the passage of the REALID Act, which will bring Oklahoma Driver's licenses into compliance with federal law, and judicial and correc-

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Downing:

statutes for safe deposit boxes and protect and improve access for those who have lost a family member.

A man I greatly respect who served long ago in the Legislature gave me some advice when I was elected. He said, often members get consumed with filing and passing so many

of their own bills, that they are too busy to engage, be aware, and influence the full process and thousands of bills coming through.

His advice was to be an available resource to fellow members, to engage, work on, and influence as much of the legislation coming through as possible. He also added, it is easier said than done, but I tend to agree with him and that is my goal, to be a resource and as great an influence as possible at the Capitol for my district.

Lawmakers receive thousands of emails about legislation. I always look specifically for emails from my district to keep track of issues.

If you hear of any bills that you strongly support or oppose, please be sure to email me letting me know you live in the district and your thoughts on a bill.

You can contact me at (405) 557-7365 or at tim.downing@okhouse.gov.

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DOC:

pedigree that stretches from two state Capitols to the White House. It speaks directly to his ability to engage political gears.

He knows politics. But the question remains: Is Joe Allbaugh serious?

Citing a 39-percent turnover rate in staff, Allbaugh wants an across-the-board pay raise to slow the race to the exits. Correctional officers make about \$12 per hour, putting many in

line for public assistance. That 5-percent raise would cost \$10 million, and Allbaugh wants \$123 million more to repair everything from plumbing to the locks on cell doors.

Nearly a year ago, Allbaugh told Oklahoma Watch that the Oklahoma prison system needed to come into the 21st century. The next thing he said was: "Progress is made in small steps. The first thing I have to do is start telling the

story about the department, its condition, its dilapidated facilities."

Tripling the budget on your first pass isn't a small step—it's catapulting across the Pacific Ocean. But it is a sign that he is serious about a first step, and

that's telling the story.

He joins many fellow agency heads who line up to tell their stories every year. We hope this year's Legislature will not only hear them but respond.

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Gracie Montgomery

Happy birthday to **The Register's** own Vickie Foraker.

Vickie celebrates her birthday Saturday, January 28.

Happy birthday to Jesse Bain, Judge Leah Edwards, Jennifer Warren, Nadine Maynard, Johnnie Shatswell, Mike Eubank, Sandy Simeroth, Barbara Ivey, Alex Spratt, Karson Jennings, Deloris Underwood, Trina Perigo, Jennifer Keeler, Shelly Richards, Michelle Smith, Bruce Bryan, Carolyn Cummings, Jeff Perigo, Taylor May, Cyndi Buterbaugh and Lauren Moore.

"Stiletos & Stetsons," the 2017 Heart of Oklahoma Chamber of Commerce Banquet, is set for tonight (Thursday), January 26, at The Grand Canadian Theater.

Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. To purchase a ticket call the chamber office at 527-3093.

The Purcell Public Library is giving quilters a big project to work on together during its upcoming Quilting Bee.

The final meeting in the three-part series will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, January 28, in the Meeting Room of the library, 919 N. Ninth St.

Guest speakers and volunteers from local extension groups will be in attendance to help participants with their projects.

Ages 18 and up may take part. Space for the program will be limited, so registration in advance is required.

For more information, visit the library, call 527-5546 or

going online to www.pioneerlibrarysystem.org/purcell.

Preschool and Toddler Story Time will be held Tuesday, January 31, from 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Come enjoy stories, rhymes, and games each week. We will focus on a different pre-reading skill that is introduced in the GLAR (Growing Like a Read) program.

Following the story time there will be a short time for children to explore different art mediums. This program is geared toward toddlers and preschoolers, but any age is welcomed.

Registration is not required to attend any of the story times.

Find out more by visiting the library, calling 527-5546 or going online to www.pioneerlibrarysystem.org/purcell.

Nothing better than simple! **15-Minute Simple Stir-Fry**

1 lb. pork tenderloin, cut into thin slices
1 cup sliced carrots
1/2 cup Kraft Asian Toasted Sesame Dressing
1/3 cup Kraft Original Barbecue Sauce
1 cup snow peas
1/4 cup chopped Planters Cocktail Peanuts

Heat large nonstick skillet sprayed with cooking spray on medium-high heat. Add pork and carrots; cook 5 minutes, stirring occasionally.

Stir in dressing and barbecue sauce; stir-fry 5 minutes on medium heat or until carrots are crisp-tender. Add snow peas; cook 2 minutes. Top with peanuts.

USDA Farm Service Agency offers text alerts to producers

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) Executive Director Mike Leverett in McClain and Cleveland counties announced that farmers and ranchers in Oklahoma now can receive notifications from their FSA county office through text messages on their cell phone.

"In addition to the free FSA GovDelivery email news, customers now can choose to receive text message alerts from their county office," said Leverett. "These text messages

inform producers of important program deadlines, reporting requirements, outreach events, and updates."

Whether producers are in the field, on a tractor or even on horseback, this service will enable FSA customers and stakeholders to receive notifications while on the go.

Producers can text OK-MCCLAIN to FSANOW (372-669) to subscribe to

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Okeyha Mothers Club members

Okeyha Mothers Club members pose for a picture at their January 23 meeting at Louie's Restaurant in Norman.

Okeyha Mothers Club has meeting

The Okeyha Mothers Club met Jan. 23, 2017 at Louie's Restaurant in Norman.

Chaplain Valerye Haley gave the opening prayer followed by the minutes of the last meeting, treasurer's and Sunshine Reports.

The Winter Ball that will be held this Saturday at the Grand Canadian Theater was the main topic for the evening. This event is a joint effort of the Bliss Mothers Club of Lexington, the Okeyha Mothers Club of Purcell and the Mothers Entwined Club of Goldsby.

The OETA telethon, March 4-19, was discussed. This fundraiser for the Oklahoma City Public Education Televi-

sion Station has been a favorite charity the club has supported for over 20 years.

Members volunteer their time to man the telephones and computers logging contributions of individuals and organizations around the state.

The Oklahoma Association of Mothers Club State Convention will be at the Skirvin Hotel in Oklahoma City April 7-8, 2017.

Attending were Echo Tompkins, Jenny Hunter, Judy Morning, Sheila Barfield, Betty Little, Aletha Lydick, Valerye Haley and Dede Page.

The next meeting will be Feb. 13, 2017 in the home of Jenny Hunter.

Washington OHCE

Washington OHCE members met January 18.

Members present were Deanna Carter, Phyllis Linker, Lois Stephens, Karen Olsen, Judy Stidham, Harley and Beulah Bromley, Corelean Higgins, Lori Burton and Tammy Jones along with guests Stephanie Stevens and Reagan.

President Lois Stephens called the meeting to order. The flag salute was held. The Creed was read by Beulah Bromley.

Phyllis Linker had extra cards and craft items to donate. She passed out and explained the new 2017 volunteer hour sheets, quarterly information due, community service logs and service learning booklets.

Karen, Lois and Phyllis discussed the third grade Land Run Quilt program for the October school carnival and auction. They will work on quilting it.

Phyllis gave the lesson, "Take It to the Next Level," which was all about requirements to become a leader on the state level and master volunteer program.

The December minutes were read by Harley Bromley and

accepted as read. Phyllis gave the treasurer's report and reported she mailed a check to St. Jude. She has permission to write checks for our regular donations throughout the year.

The Southwest District Meeting will be held in Lawton March 31. Lori Burton will take a car and leave the area about 6:30-7 a.m.

January 31 is the OHCE Winter Council at Purcell beginning at 10 a.m. Lois will bring meatball soup and Tammy Jones will bring dessert.

Fair projects were chosen so members can get a head start. A few were left for later.

Harley resigned as secretary and Deanna Carter will assume duties.

Karen discussed the Sew-In which will be held beginning at 4 p.m. January 27 and continuing through January 29. There will be a potluck meal. They will make about 60 baby quilts that they will sell for \$30 each.

Our OHCE club is a group of dedicated, determined women and men who love making and sharing beautiful, wholesome things. Come join us!

Blood drive set for January 30 in Purcell

January is National Blood Donor Month, and Oklahoma Blood Institute encourages Oklahomans to accept the "Blood Donor Challenge" to save more lives in the New Year.

Join Purcell High School at a blood drive with Oklahoma Blood Institute on Monday, January 30, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the gymnasium. Donors will receive a free Blood Donor Challenge T-shirt and free health screenings.

Anyone who is healthy and 16 years or older is urged to donate. Sixteen-year-olds must weigh at least 125 and provide signed parental permission; 17-year-olds must weigh at least 125 pounds and 18+ year olds must weigh at least 110 pounds.

Oklahoma Blood Institute marks its 40th anniversary this year. In 1977, Oklahoma Blood Institute launched a mission to save local lives. Four decades later, Oklahoma Blood Institute has grown to serve transfusion and health care needs for patients in 165 hospitals statewide.

"Some of our friends and neighbors are facing another year of difficult and life-threatening health challenges," said John Armitage, M.D., president and CEO of Oklahoma Blood Institute. "Oklahoma Blood Institute invites those who are healthy but have never given life-saving blood to join the Blood Donor Challenge movement. And, since our current donors typically give only once or twice a year, we hope they are inspired to give as often as they can this year."

Whole blood donations can be made every 56 days. Platelets can be donated up to 24 times a year.

Oklahoma Blood Institute, a non-profit blood center, relies on donations from an average of 1,200 donors each day to meet the needs of patients statewide. One blood donation can save as many as three lives, and takes only about an hour. Those with negative blood types are especially urged to donate.

Appointments to give blood are not required but can be made by visiting obi.org or calling (877) 340-8777.

Artesian Arts Festival: Call for Native American artists

Applications are now being accepted from all Native American artists for the 2017 Artesian Arts Festival, set for Saturday, May 27, in Sulphur.

Native artists may apply and will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. Application deadline is Friday, February 24.

Open to artists from all federally recognized tribes, artists will compete in a juried competition in as many as 21 categories.

Artists must be at least age 18 and present documentation of citizenship in a federally recognized Native American tribe.

Organizers are accepting up to 100 Native artists for the 2017 Artesian Arts Festival.

Cash awards will be presented for first, second and third place in each category, as well as "Best of Show."

Hosted by the Chickasaw Nation and in its fourth year, the 2017 Artesian Arts Festival is a community celebration of all forms of art, with an emphasis on Native American art and artists.

The festival features diverse art media and a variety of visual art including paintings,

basketry, jewelry, sculpture, metalworking, bead work, textiles and pottery.

A wide variety of musical entertainment, tribal dance demonstrations, art talks and food vendors is also planned.

Open to the public at no charge, the Artesian Arts Festival welcomed more than 5,500 to last year's festival.

Esteemed artists representing 10 states and a wide variety of Native American tribes participated in the 2016 Artesian Arts Festival.

The Artesian Arts Festival takes place at the Artesian Plaza, located adjacent to the Artesian Hotel and Spa, 1001 W. First Street, in Sulphur.

Application forms, entry rules and additional information can be found on the Chickasaw Nation website at chickasaw.net/Services/Artesian-Arts-Festival.aspx or by contacting the Chickasaw Nation Division of Arts and Humanities at (580) 272-5520.

For more information, please contact Chickasaw Nation Arts & Humanities at (580) 272-5525 or email artistinfo@chickasaw.net.

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Demonstrating their skills

Jan Moran, with AT&T, observes Purcell Elementary School students using iPads Tuesday morning. The tablets were purchased through a grant from the Oklahoma Educational Technology Trust. OETT was established 15 years ago in an agreement with then Attorney General Drew Edmondson and AT&T, who contributed \$30 million to establish the trust.

One for the History Books

By Max Nichols

Since the prestatehood days of Oklahoma Territory, public buildings have fostered a sense of community, binding people together and playing significant roles in the history of Oklahoma.

These remarkable public efforts go back as far as April 1898 with the construction of the Chickasaw National Capitol. They continued with the 1900 opening of the Guthrie Library and Free Reading Room, the 1917 completion of the Oklahoma State Capitol and the 1929 development of what later became the Oklahoma Judicial Center in Oklahoma City.

"These public buildings are more than just places to work or gather," said Dr. Bob Blackburn, executive director of the Oklahoma Historical Society. "These structures foster a sense of community through shared memories. Public support from state and tribal governments has crystallized to protect these buildings so they can continue to preserve and share the history created within them."

The Chickasaw National Capitol construction began in April 1898 by the Chickasaw Nation in Tishomingo to replace a building destroyed by fire, said a Chickasaw Nation report. It was built of red granite from the Pennington Creek quarry of Gov. Robert M. Harris. It was dedicated on Nov. 17, 1898, and served as the Chickasaw National Capitol until statehood in 1907.

The Capitol was sold to Johnston County in 1910 for \$7,500. Negotiations to repurchase the building were started by Gov. Overton James during the 1960s. Tribal ownership was reclaimed by Gov. Bill Anoatubby in 1992 for \$575,000.

Today, the Chickasaw National Capitol serves as a museum and as a reminder that the Chickasaw people fought for their tribal identity and independence. It has been listed on the National Register of Historic

Places since Nov. 5, 1971. The Capitol Building exhibits feature photos of Chickasaw governors in Indian Territory and historic Chickasaw clothing.

Efforts to develop the Guthrie Public Library go back to 1899, when the Acorn Reading Club was organized to establish it. With help from the City Federation of Women's Clubs, the group held receptions, concerts and other events to raise money and encourage the donations of books, said Nathan Turner, regional director of OHS museum and historic sites.

In 1901 the library moved to a room in the Capital City Business College. The Federation Library Board hired a full-time librarian and began pushing for a permanent home. The Guthrie City Council appointed a library board, and ownership of books and equipment passed to the City of Guthrie in October 1901.

Andrew Carnegie donated \$1,000 to purchase books and then \$20,000 for a building on the condition that the city would designate \$2,000 a year to support the library. Plans were completed in 1902 by local architect J. H. Bennett, but costs were increased to \$23,806. Carnegie donated another \$5,000 on condition the city would increase its support to \$2,500 per year, said Turner.

The Carnegie Library was opened on May 20, 1902 and is now the oldest existing Carnegie Library in Oklahoma. It was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1971 and became part of the Oklahoma Territorial Museum now operated by OHS.

The State Capitol, which was designed by Solomon Layton and built in 1917, is now undergoing its first comprehensive infrastructure modernization and restoration — a six-year, \$245 million project, said Trait Thompson, who is managing the State Capitol restoration.

The interior project includes

new plumbing and electrical lines, new elevators, the replacement of old mortar in limestone joints, replacing damaged pieces of stone and repairing cast iron window components, said Thompson.

"At the end of the project in 2022, the infrastructure of the State Capitol will be completely modern," said Thompson, "while maintaining the beauty of Solomon Layton's original Beaux Arts design. The Capitol will be ready to serve Oklahomans well into the next century of its life."

The Oklahoma Judicial Center served as the home of the OHS for eight decades, collecting, preserving and sharing state treasures at 2100 N. Lincoln Blvd. in Oklahoma City. The OHS outgrew the building and moved to 800 Nazih Zuhdi Drive in 2005, but a three-decade effort by Oklahoma Supreme Court Justice Yvonne Kauger to have the building used for Oklahoma courts was successful.

In an agreement between the Supreme Court and the OHS, the building also became an art museum for the people and state of Oklahoma, "preserving state-owned art works previously restricted for viewing because of lack of space," said Kauger.

"The museum began with conservation of existing Tsatoke and Asah murals and the restoration of the outdoor Veteran's Memorial," said Supreme Court attorney Kyle Shifflett. "With 65 percent of the artwork coming from the basement of the OHS and owned by the state, the remaining work was selected, coordinated and even hung by Kauger."

"These public buildings have changed over time, adapting to new uses for the next generation," said Blackburn. "By doing so, they continue to see history created within their walls while sharing the past with the public."

LEXINGTON SCHOOL MENU

Week of January 30

MONDAY BREAKFAST

Whole grain cereal, breakfast crackers, fruit juice, pineapple, milk.

LUNCH

Mexican burrito or chicken chef salad, pinto beans, lettuce and tomatoes, orange smiles, milk.

TUESDAY BREAKFAST

Oatmeal, cinnamon toast, fruit juice, raisins, milk.

LUNCH

Pizza or peanut butter and jelly sandwich, spinach salad, corn, pineapple tidbits, milk.

WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST

Breakfast burritos, fruit juice, orange smiles, milk.

LUNCH

Steak fingers with hot roll or ham and cheese chef salad, English peas, carrots, peaches, milk.

THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Egg and cheese on English muffin, fruit juice, peaches, milk.

LUNCH

National Tater Tot Day — Sloppy joes, tater tots, baked beans, apple wedge with peanut butter, milk.

FRIDAY BREAKFAST

Whole grain cereal, breakfast crackers, fruit juice, applesauce, milk.

LUNCH

Deli turkey sandwich or barbecue rib sandwich, french fries, broccoli with ranch dressing, pickle spears, strawberries, milk.



Casey Gilman and Austin Nation

Purcell High School Students of the Month

Casey Gilman and Austin Nation have been named January Students of the Month at Purcell High School.

Casey Gilman is the daughter of Dawn and Robbie Thrash. She is involved in band, art and National Honor Society.

Her honors include the Letter "P" Award, Girls State and Distinguished OU Scholar.

Casey's favorite class is physics.

After graduation she plans to attend the University of Oklahoma and major in engineering.

Austin Nation is the son of Scott and Melissa Nation. He is involved in basketball, cross country, tennis, student council, Code Red, National Honor Society and Science Club.

His honors include three year Letter "P" Award, Superintendent's Honor Roll, Oklahoma Honor Society and First Team All-Conference in basketball.

Austin's favorite class is psychology.

After graduation he plans to attend college and become an orthodontist.

"It's All About Cheese" at Purcell Library

"It's All About Cheese" with the Purcell Public Library and an upcoming cooperative program with the McClain County OSU Cooperative Extension Service.

The program will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, February 4, at the library, 919 N. Ninth St.

Extension Educator Mickey Simpson will present on the

nutritional aspect, taste, types and uses of various cheeses.

The program is for ages 18 and up, and registration in advance is required to attend.

Refreshments will be provided.

For more information, visit the library, call 527-5546 or go online to www.pioneerlibrary-system.org/purcell.

Asian and American Christian Speakers Toastmasters Club

By Xiaoming Hu

Asian & American Christian Speakers Toastmasters met on January 21.

Sixteen members and one honored guest attended the first meeting in 2017.

At the beginning, Haifeng warmed up the meeting hall with his humorous speech.

Next, Xiaoming hosted the table topic session. In the session, Aifen first taught us how to take care of family members when they were sick.

Following that, Cathy recalled her wonderful trip to Mexico during the Christmas vacation. Renxing shared his successful job hunting experience in the past year.

Yifei gave an elevator speech regarding his work. Tom shared about his new year resolution regarding not shooting a tiger.

In the prepared speech session, four interesting speeches were nicely delivered.

Jin-Song first presented an excellency award to Renxing.

Tom shared his pet-raising experience, including pet rock, alligator, giraffe, tiger, elephant and goldfish. Wow, what a pet lover.

Shuhong delivered her ice break speech regarding changing herself from today.

Beulah taught us how to cook lentil soup.

Eric, Yifei, Vivian and Leslie evaluated the above speeches respectively.

Since Renxing is leaving for Princeton for a new job next month, he was invited to the lectern for a few farewell words, which turned out to be a very nice impromptu speech!

After the meeting, we had lunch together to celebrate the coming Chinese New year and say goodbye to RenXing.

Meeting times are 9:45-11:30 a.m. every second and fourth Saturday of the month except in December when the club holds meetings on the first and third Saturdays. For additional information call 288-6292.

Club website is www.aacs.toastmastersclubs.org and Toastmasters International is www.toastmasters.org.

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Obituaries

John Lawson

Funeral services for John Lawson, 93, of Wayne will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 26, 2017 at the Wilson-Little Funeral Home Chapel. Arrangements will be under the direction of Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.



Mr. Lawson passed away Sunday, January 22, 2017 at Norman Regional Healthplex. John William Lawson was born April 8, 1923 in Trousdale, Okla., one of 14 children born to Dow and Nancy (Lambdin) Lawson. He was raised in Trousdale and attended Tribbey Schools.

John moved to California to live with his brother and look for work. As chance would have it, he met a young lady from Orange Cove named Dorothy Ann Clem. They fell madly in love and were married January 13, 1950 in Fresno, Calif. They first made their home in the Branscomb/Laytonville area and John began working at the Branscomb Saw Mill. John then moved to Ukiah, California, and began working for Masonite.

It was during this time that he and Dorothy raised their children, John, Nancy and Darla. He retired as a press operator after more than 36 years of dedicated service. But John's heart was always back in Oklahoma, so in 1992, he and Dorothy moved to Wayne.

When not working, John enjoyed camping, hunting and he never missed an opportunity to go fishing. He enjoyed taking long drives in the country and visiting with family. John cherished Dorothy and was a wonderful father and grandfather, and a faithful companion to his fur baby, Layla. He was a longtime member of the Church of Christ. He will be dearly missed!

He was preceded in death by his parents, D.W. & Nancy Lawson and his siblings, Geneva, Mitchell, Marshall, Green, Bill, Martha, Ima, Arnold, Mary, Dorothy, Izora and two who died in infancy.

John leaves behind his wife Dorothy; son, John Lawson and Pat of Lexington; two daughters, Nancy Leahy and Paul of Auburn, Calif., and Darla Lawson and Ray of Wayne; grandchildren, John Lawson Jr., Jeffrey Lawson, Michael Nailor, Trina Pelanconi, Jason Whipple, Joseph Paulino, Robert Hamilton, Sean Leahy, Joel Leahy and Mitchell Leahy; 10 great grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews and a host of other family and friends.

Online condolences may be made at wilsonlittle.com.

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Mark Calvin McAlister

Funeral services for Mark McAlister, 93, of Washington were held Monday, January 23, 2017 at the Wilson-Little Funeral Home Chapel. Interment was at Hillside Cemetery in Purcell with arrangements under the direction of Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.



Mr. McAlister passed away Friday, January 20, 2017, at the Integris Hospice House in Oklahoma City.

Mark Calvin McAlister was born August 26, 1923 in Vanoss, Okla., the third of six children born to Andrew Jackson McAlister and Bessie Lillian (Wyatt) McAlister. He was raised in Washington and attended Washington Schools.

On June 19, 1943, Mark married his best friend and the love of his life, a local girl named Ima Faye Ham. Mark served his country proudly, in the United States Army, during World War II, while stationed in Japan. He returned home to Faye in Washington, and they began their life together, and raised their son, Ron.

Mark worked in agriculture his entire life. He spent most of his days as a dairyman and farmer, and some as a livestock sales man. When not working, he enjoyed hunting, and he never missed an opportunity to go fishing. He and Faye enjoyed traveling and especially to Branson. Mark loved the Lord and served him faithfully. He spent countless hours working at or around the Church, the Westside Church of Christ. He was a wonderful husband and father, grandfather and great grandfather, uncle and a true friend. He will be dearly missed!

He was preceded in death by a grandson, Ty McAlister; his parents, Andrew and Bessie McAlister; his sister, Jewel Holden and four brothers, Claude, Ray, JL and James.

Mark leaves behind his wife of 73 years, Faye McAlister of the home; son, Ron McAlister and wife, Valinda, of Washington; three grandchildren, Guy McAlister and wife, Destini, of Edmond, Cale McAlister and wife, Renae, of Bedford, Texas, and Joy Rohlfing and husband, Ryan, of Owasso; eight great-grandchildren, Eliana, Ian, Liam, Emery, Kade, Calvin, Max and Jake; several nieces and nephews and a host of other family and friends.

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Ted Jackson

A private family memorial service will be held at a later date for Ted Jackson, 66, of Purcell. Arrangements will be under the direction of Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.

Mr. Jackson died Jan. 22, 2017 at Purcell Municipal Hospital. He was born Nov. 17, 1950 in Oklahoma City, one of three children of Charles Jack and Jean Ann (Goure) Jackson.

Survivors include his wife, Debra; daughter, Shauna Peters and husband, Eric, of Washington; two sons, Ted Jackson Jr. and Bonnie Schwenk of Cape Coral, Fla., and Kyle Jackson and wife, Katja, of Ft. Myers, Fla.; sister, Rita Hudson of Oklahoma City and 10+ grandchildren.

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Betty June Stamps

Funeral services for Betty June Stamps, 84, of Oklahoma City will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 26, 2017 at the Southern Hills Baptist Church in south Oklahoma City. Interment will be at Resthaven Memory Gardens under the arrangement of Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Newcastle.

Mrs. Stamps died Jan. 22, 2017 at her home.

She was born Jan. 10, 1933 in Newcastle, the youngest of three children of John Henry Ruppert and Pansy Estelle (Cross) Ruppert.

Survivors include one son, Ron Stamps and wife, Teresa, of Tuttle; two grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made online to the Oklahoma Baptist Homes for Children.

Online condolences may be made at wilsonlittle.com.

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Helen Laverne Harris

Graveside services for Helen Laverne Harris, 82, of Blanchard were held Jan. 24, 2017 at Oak Hill Cemetery in McAlester. Services were under the arrangement of Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Newcastle.

Mrs. Harris died Jan. 21, 2017 at her home.

She was born Nov. 3, 1934 in McAlester, Okla., the fifth of six children of Roy Alton Anderson and Mable (Cloud) Anderson.

Survivors include four children, Renee Coker and husband, Larry, of Moore, Sonya Field and husband, Tom, of Blanchard, James Harris and wife, Kristina, of Newcastle and Shelley Harris of Blanchard; two sisters, Jean Reynolds of Skiatook and Mary Bragg of Greenville, S.C.; one brother, William Anderson of McAlester; five grandchildren, Leila McLean, Tatum Alberson, Paige Lewis, Morgan Brown and Grant Harris; and seven great-grandchildren.

Online condolences may be made at wilsonlittle.com.

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Jacob "Jake" Wayne Womack

Jacob "Jake" Wayne Womack, 32, of Arkansas City, Kan., died Friday, January 20, 2017 at his residence. Funeral services have been scheduled for 2 p.m. Friday, January 27, 2017 at the First Southern Baptist Church. Pastor Carl Rider will officiate.

Burial will follow in the Riverview Cemetery. After the graveside a dinner for friends and family will be held at the Chestnut Avenue Venue, 3120 East Chestnut in Arkansas City. All are welcome to attend.

Jake was born May 29, 1984, to James A. Womack and Jaynie J. Hawkins in Norman, Okla. He was reared and educated in Arkansas City graduating from Ark City High School in 2002.

Jake was a former employee for Creekstone Farms where he worked in shipping. Jake had a passion for sports, especially the Green Bay Packers and North Carolina Tar Heels. He also enjoyed cooking out on the grill, spending time with family and friends, and most of all he cherished his dogs.

Survivors include his mother, Jaynie Hawkins of Arkansas City, Kan.; father, James Womack of Wayne, Okla.; sisters, Brandy Smith and husband, Kurt, of Campbellsburg, Ky., Jennifer Womack of Wayne, Okla., Kim Walling of Arkansas City, Kan., Dorothy Lee of Norman, Okla., and Carolyn Campbell and husband, Carl, of Wayne, Okla.; brothers, Russell and Alan Lewman and companion, Samantha Pack all of Arkansas City, Kan.; and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Jake was preceded in death by his grandparents.

A memorial has been established for the First Southern Baptist Church. Contributions may be made through the funeral home. Arrangements are under the direction of the Rindt-Erdman Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at www.rindt-erdman.com.

Michele Dian Powell

Michele Dian Powell of Maysville was born on May 25, 1967 in Purcell, Oklahoma, to Claudie "Corky" Somers and LaVerl (Holmes) Coffey Somers. She passed from this life on Saturday, January 21, 2017 in Oklahoma City at the age of 49 years.

Michele has been a resident of Maysville all of her life, graduating from Maysville High School in 1986. She worked as a home caregiver for Health Care Innovations and was always great to call and check on people she knew.

She married Danny Powell on May 26, 2012 in Wynnewood, Oklahoma. Michele enjoyed her family and friends and helping others when they had a need. She loved taking care of her goats and dogs and would always take in any stray animals when she could.

She liked watching movies and traveling to see new things and places. Michele helped take care of Shaydon and Colton Jones when they were growing up, taking them camping and vacationing. She was a member of the Story Baptist Church and will be dearly missed by her family and friends.

Her survivors include her husband, Danny of the home; a brother, Barry Coffey of Jefferson, Tennessee; sister-in-law, Deborah Faulkner of Sevier County, Tennessee and nephew, James Coffey of Sevier County, Tennessee.

Michele was preceded in death by her mother and stepfather, LaVerl and Claudie "Corky" Somers.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, January 25, 2017 at the Story Baptist Church, Maysville with Bro. Tim Carr and Bro. Jim Hughes officiating. Burial will be in the Maysville Cemetery under the direction of John W. Williams of Winans Funeral Home, Maysville, Okla. Words of comfort may be sent to the family at www.winansfuneralhome.com.



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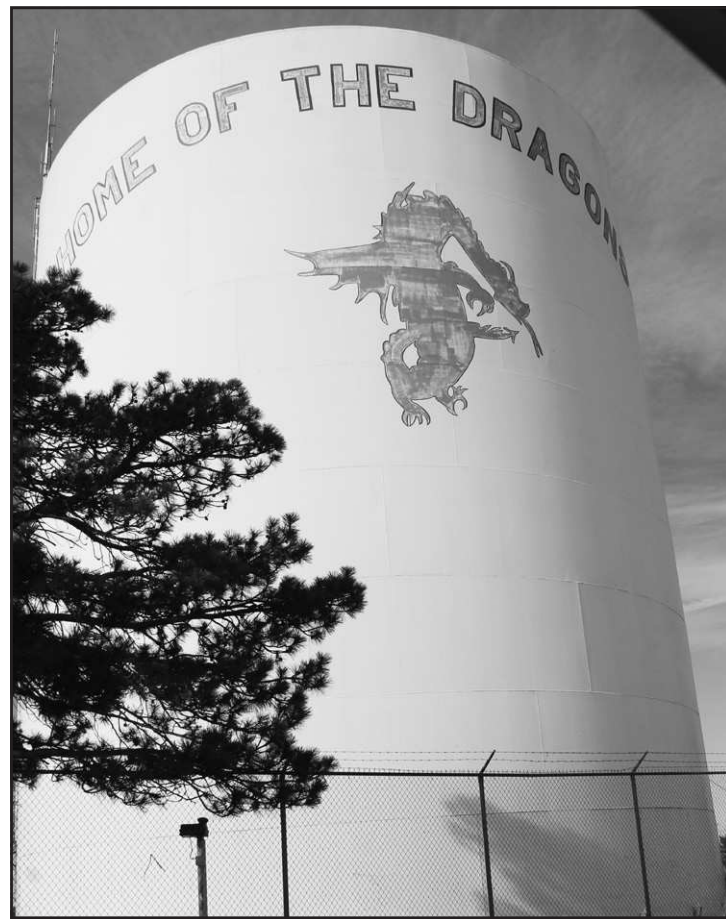
Alex Littleton, 3, and his sister, Annabeth, 2, play on a slide at Purcell Lake on Tuesday. The youngsters from Wayne were at the playground with their great-grandparents.



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Swing time

James Cooley and his wife, Gail, of Purcell took advantage of Tuesday's springlike weather to take their great-grandchildren to the Rotary Park playground at Purcell Lake. Here Cooley prepares to push Annabeth Littleton, 2, on the swings.



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Faded dragon

This water tower on Red Hill shows the world a faded image of the Purcell High School Dragons.

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JANUARY USE TAX REPORT

CITY	RATE	2017	2016	DIFFERENCE
Blanchard	.04	\$22,241.34	\$22,769.40	-\$528.06
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Cole	.04	\$122.71	\$45.72	+\$76.99
Dibble	.05	\$703.89	\$583.64	+\$120.25
Goldsby	.035	\$2,818.77	\$4,522.76	-\$1,703.99
Lexington	.04	\$21,840.68	\$2,481.91	+\$19,358.77
Lindsay	.04	\$10,577.02	\$14,199.17	-\$3,622.15
Newcastle	.04	\$29,897.88	\$24,687.92	+\$5,209.96
Noble	.04	\$6,499.86	\$7,077.94	-\$578.08
Norman	.04	\$349,687.42	\$257,063.21	+\$92,624.21
Paoli	.03	\$838.86	\$932.72	-\$93.86
Pauls Valley	.045	\$32,262.01	\$27,977.82	+\$4,284.19
Purcell	.05	\$14,361.54	\$18,720.88	-\$4,359.34
Slaughterville	.02	\$2,820.98	\$622.46	+\$2,198.52
Wanette	.035	\$662.54	\$404.63	+\$257.91
Washington	.04	\$2,792.19	\$2,209.36	+\$582.83
Wayne	.035	\$839.06	\$704.04	+\$135.02
McClain County	.005	\$11,402.50	\$9,324.01	+\$2,078.49

Explanation of use tax:

(This is in addition to the sales tax reported monthly.) Every state with a sales tax has a companion tax for outside the state. In Oklahoma, that tax is called "use tax."

Those having purchased items for use in Oklahoma from retailers who do not collect Oklahoma sales tax, the buyer owes the state use tax on those items.

The use tax in the state was first enacted in 1937.

OSU EXTENSION News



Issues with net wrap

Wes Lee
Extension Ag Educator

Round bales are overwhelmingly the most popular form of hay bale fed to cattle these days. Round bales come in different sizes but they all have to be bound by some form of string or net wrap.

Binding has changed over the years from primarily sisal biodegradable twine to plastic twine to now plastic wrap (90 percent utilization). Net wrap increases baling efficiency saving producers time in the field. In addition, it also increases water-shedding ability resulting in less spoilage and outdoor storage losses.

Removing the net wrap before feeding is time consuming and many producers choose to leave the wrapping on when feeding or grinding. If plastic net wrap is not removed prior to feeding whole bales or grinding, there is a potential risk for cattle to ingest the net wrap along with

the forage.

Many necropsies have shown accumulations of plastic wrap in rumens of beef cattle. A 2014 study by North Dakota State University looked at net wrap digestibility compared to sisal twine. After 14 days of incubation in rumen-cannulated steers, 70 percent of sisal twine disappeared while 0 percent of the net wrap was degraded.

Since net wrap does not appear to digest in the rumen, it can accumulate and may have implications on production efficiency and animal health if the digestive system is compromised.

The more cattle are exposed to net wrap, the more opportunity they have to ingest it and therefore accumulate in their rumen. Round bales with net wrap probably pose less of an issue than consuming intact net wrap but health problems could still arise.

Removal of net wrap before

feeding is the best approach. A sharp pocketknife or box cutter and a few minutes of time is worth the risk of future health problems.

If you choose to risk not removing the net wrap prior to feeding, at the very least pick it up and throw it away after the bale is gone. Cattle get bored and will eat net wrap if it's laying around.

Taking the time to pick up net wrap in and around bale feeders is a simple way to reduce the chances of ingestion.

Visit with your veterinarian if you suspect your cattle are having health issues from ingesting any foreign materials.



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A good time to be a kid

With the wind in her hair, Annabeth Littleton, 2, of Wayne, enjoys the swings Tuesday at the Rotary playground at Purcell Lake.

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Hotel suicide probed

McClain County Detectives are investigating an apparent suicide early Tuesday morning at the Riverwind Hotel.

Deputies were dispatched to the hotel just after 9 p.m. Monday when they were told a 50-year-old white male had barricaded himself in room 404.

A perimeter was set up around the hotel and the hotel was evacuated about 9:15 p.m.

A Light Horse Police negotiator made contact with the male, identified as Carl Jack Hopkins of Edmond.

After negotiations ceased, authorities heard a single gunshot at 12:40 a.m. Tuesday.

The McClain County Special Response Team found Hopkins in the room.

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Brush pumper

Purcell Firefighters responded to a grass fire Sunday on Eagle Road west of Purcell. About 40 acres of grass were burned but no structures and there were no injuries. Purcell was assisted by the Lexington Fire Department with controlling the blaze. Winds were sustained at 17 mph with gusts to 22 mph, which hampered firefighters. **(Related photo page 2A)**

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Alert:

of Purcell. The resident is out the money and the bill balance is still outstanding.

"We're not linked with them," city manager Dale Bunn confirmed Tuesday. "I would discourage people from using doxo.com until we feel more comfortable with them. There are listings of doxo.com at scam alert sites more often than there are assurances."

AFR Women's Cooperative event for young women

The AFR Women's Cooperative is encouraging young rural women leaders to attend the Oklahoma Grow, an event for young women, January 27, at the Oklahoma State University Student Union.

"We are sponsoring a limited number of attendees for this event as we believe young women, especially from rural areas, can benefit from the valuable topics scheduled for discussion," said Holly Carroll, AFR membership services and field operations coordinator.

The one-day conference is hosted by FarmHer, which states on its website, the event will help young women to be informed, inspired and encouraged to pursue their passion for agriculture through their future careers as professionals and producers.

FarmHer was founded by Iowa photographer Marji Guylor-Alaniz, and focuses on documenting women in agriculture through photography.

Other speakers include Amberly Snyder, a barrel racer and inspirational speaker. After

recovering from a 2010 car accident that left her paralyzed, Snyder has continued to follow her passion of riding and working with horses.

Highlights include the FarmHer Hall of Fame induction ceremony, where one outstanding person who has been a role model for younger women in agriculture will be recognized. The event begins with registration and breakfast at 7:30 a.m.

For more information go to www.facebook.com/farmher1 or contact Holly Carroll at holly.carroll@afrmic.com

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Homecoming:

the 2016 regional championship team in fast-pitch and in 2015 was Offensive Player of the Year. She was holds ASC Grand National Champion honors in cheerleading for 2015. She is a Letter "P" Award recipient. She is the daughter of Amy and Bronson Hyde and Anthony Burton.

Lewis is a member of NHS. She plays basketball, runs cross country and competes in track. She is a member of Code Red. She is a three-time state qualifier in track and is on the All-State Cross Country Team. She is a two-time recipient of the Letter "P" Award and was named outstanding student at Mid-America Technology Center. She is the daughter of Dickie and Lisa Lewis.

Webb is a member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Student Council and NHS. She is a senior class officer and

plays basketball, as well as fast- and slow-pitch softball. She has been All-City in basketball and All-Conference in basketball, fast- and slow-pitch softball and All Vype second team in fast-pitch. She has been voted Most Athletic Girl by her peers four years running. She is the daughter of Dewayne and Lisa Webb.

Avery is a member of NHS. He plays basketball, tennis and golf. He is the son of Jason and Tara Avery.

Barrett is on the principal's honor roll. He has been All-District in football and also plays basketball and soccer. He is the son of Ryan and Danielle Barrett.

Embree plays basketball and tennis. He is the son of Thomas Embree and Stephanie White.

Hamilton is a member of NHS and the Oklahoma Honor Society. He is on the super-

intendent's honor roll and is a three-time recipient of the Letter "P" Award. He plays basketball and tennis and runs cross country. He is the son of Keith and Rosie Hamilton.

Milner is on the superintendent's honor roll and is a member of NHS and the Oklahoma Honor Society. He is a past Student of the Month and three-time recipient of the Letter "P" Award. He is on Student Council. He plays basketball and tennis. He is the son of Clay and Tracy Milner.

Nation is a Student of the Month and is on the superintendent's honor roll. He was named to the 2016 All-Conference first team for basketball and is a three-time recipient of the Letter "P" Award. He is on Student Council and is a member of FCA, NHS and Code Red. He plays basketball and tennis and runs cross

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School:

provide professional development to teachers and students alike.

"I can't thank you enough," Dillard told the visiting committee comprised of OETT Executive Director Susie Graves, Jan Moran, Drs. Linda Atkinson and Nicki Watkins and Ally Audas.

"The funding certainly made a lot of dreams come true around here," she continued.

One lesson learned early on by the teachers has been the speed with which their students adapt to new technology.

"You don't have to think it (learning) out in miniscule detail," Dillard said. "The kids are going to close the gap for you."

Graves said Tuesday's visit was to evaluate how the school has incorporated the technology into the curriculum.

Another visit will be in the fall to determine how the school is "sustaining the good work going on."

"And then I'll come back in four years to see how the equipment is holding up," she added. "We learn a lot from these visits."

Graves later told the school's technology committee, "You are our first Purcell school. We hope to have more."

The deadline for the present grant cycle is Monday and already OETT has received nearly 60 applications.

Based on the past two years, 20-22 of those requests will receive grant funding.

Purcell Elementary is one of 249 schools in the state that have received OETT grants since 2003. The total number of students impacted by the awards is 100,000.

According to an OETT news release, Purcell's grant

ensures all the students have technology integrated learning experiences on a daily basis.

Using applications such as Chatterpix, SeeSaw and Epic, the students have digital tools to record, document and share their understanding with peers, parents and a global audience.

"So what else do you need in your classrooms?" Graves asked.

Microphones. And headphones.

"Headphones are kind of like pencils. They just disappear," a teacher told Graves.

Teachers shared with the committee their initial need to get out of their comfort zones.

One teacher spoke about how the technology dovetails perfectly with project-based learning.

Another, admittedly not a techie, said she was blown away by her students' acceptance of technology as a learning tool.

Still another said she is trying "a little bit at a time" to get ahead of the technology wave.

She shared her experience in taking an iPad home and working through the night to create an iMovie.

"If I can do it, anyone can do it," she said.

"Now you know how the students feel," Graves told her.

Dillard designated the year following the grant award as a time of "failing forward."

To date there has been plenty of forward and not much in the way of failure.

OETT is administered by Communities Foundation of Oklahoma and Foundation Management Inc. The professional development is provided through an OETT grant to the K20 Center at the University of Oklahoma.

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Chrome:

Ann Wood, affords students enrichment and remedial purposes.

"She turned it into a big fund raising project," Larman said.

Jeff Page said most of the donors are customers he's built cars for at his business, Heartland Custom Classic Autos.

The effort raised \$1,200 – enough to purchase six new Chromebooks.

The newer Chromebooks are more rugged than earlier models which have given the school some problems when dropped by students.

"You can spill a glass of water on the keyboard or drop it and it will keep working," Page said.

Not that school officials are anxious to try out those claims.

The ASUS Chromebooks feature a screen that is just under 12 inches measured diagonally and a more rugged construction.

"I like how the keys are bigger," Parker said while testing one of the Chromebooks.

"We do a lot with Google Classrooms," Larman said, referring to one of the programs loaded on the new computers.

Every student at the intermediate school has his or her own individual Google sign on identity that will follow them through high school and beyond.

Larman said the acquisition of the new technology moved the school closer to its goal of a 1:1 ratio of technology to students.

"That would be awesome; that's our dream," she said.

Presently, the ratio is about two students to every Chromebook.

The Chromebooks cost approximately \$200 each. Wood said the school will accept donations to purchase more technology.



Matthew Baker • The Purcell Register

Float on

Lauren Beason hangs mid-air on a shot attempt. Lexington won the consolation championship at the Little Axe Tournament last week. Beason scored 27 points in three days.

Consolation champs

Lex girls win two out of three in Little Axe tourney to claim prize

John D. Montgomery
The Purcell Register

Coach David Sikes and his Lexington Lady Bulldogs captured the consolation championship at the Little Axe Tournament winning two out of their three tournament clashes.

Lexington had narrowed the gap in their opener with Noble but were never able to take the lead. The Lady Bears opened up a 20-3 first quarter lead but Lexington out-scored them 39-32 the final three quarters. “We made a run at the end,” Sikes said.

Senior Morgan Hamm, who

scored 17 points in the three days, led the offense with 10 points against Noble. But the Lady Bears went on to post a

Freshman Lauren Beason led the offense in the tournament pumping in a team-high 35 points. Senior sister Rachel

Hopefully, we’re building in the right direction for the playoffs. Getting scoring from the freshmen has really made a big difference.

— **David Sikes, head coach**

52-42 decision.

It was all up hill for the Lady Bulldogs after that.

They mowed down Mustang’s Junior Varsity 56-32 and switched Wewoka 50-36.

Beason was right on her heels scoring 33 points in the three tournament games.

Please see **LHS**, page 2B

TOURNAMENT BOX SCORES

1/19
Noble 52
Lexington 42

Noble 20 16 13 3—52
Lexington 3 14 9 16—42

Player	Points
Morgan Hamm	10
Lauren Beason	8
Anna Sample	6
Ciera Winterton	3
Lacie Barber	3
Tiffani Hinkle	3
Jacie Jones	4
Bri Webster	2
Rachel Beason	2
Amanda Graddy	1

1/20
Lexington 56
Mustang JV 32

Lexington 22 15 12 7—56
Mustang JV 6 8 10 8—32

Player	Points
Rachel Beason	17
Amanda Graddy	11
Lauren Beason	8
Bri Webster	6
Ciera Winterton	5
Morgan Hamm	4
Jacie Jones	3
Lacie Barber	2

1/21
Lexington 50
Wewoka 36

Lexington 24 4 11 11—50
Wewoka 5 4 16 11—36

Player	Points
Amanda Graddy	14
Lauren Beason	11
Rachel Beason	8
Jacie Jones	8
Tiffani Hinkle	4
Morgan Hamm	3
Ciera Winterton	2

Anadarko, St. Mary Heart champs

Dragons register victory over Byng in 47th annual tournament

John D. Montgomery
The Purcell Register

Anadarko’s girls and the Mount St. Mary Rockets won their respective brackets in the Heart of Oklahoma basketball tournament here last weekend.

The Dragons tore through Byng in the opening round, 71-34 but came up short in the semifinals against St. Mary, 89-57 and in Saturday’s third place contest with Anadarko. The Warriors popped the Dragons 62-40.

Earlier last week the Dragons pocketed a 57-51 road win at Lindsay before they opened the Heart with an impressive 71-34 over the Byng Pirates.

Austin Nation led the scoring in that contest with 15 while Riley Hamilton was also in double digits with 11.

Brady Barrett and Riley Hamilton led the Dragons in the tournament knocking down 31 points in the three games. Nation had 29 points in the tournament while Adam Wells finished with 27.

Barrett and Jack Scrutchins led the offense in the road victory over Lindsay with 14 points each.

Purcell came out on fire in the Byng victory jumping out to a 34-10 halftime advantage.

Coach Bret Petty gave the starters much of the second half off pulling them with about three minutes to go in the third quarter. Purcell led 63-20 at the end of three quarters.

“We came out and played with high intensity early in the game,” Petty said. “We tried to put pressure on them early and had some success at it.”

“A lot of our younger kids got to play a little over a quarter and finished the game. I was

trying to save their legs for St. Mary,” Petty said.

Despite 14 points each from Austin Nation and Barrett and 11 from Riley Hamilton, St. Mary rocketed past the Dragons jumping out to a 28-12 first quarter lead.

“They came out as the three

seed but won the tournament,” Petty said. “I felt like going in any one of four teams could win it.”

St. Mary beat Woodward, Purcell and Tuttle to take the title.

“They proved they are a top 10 4A school for sure,” Petty

continued. “They put a lot of pressure on you and took us out of our offensive rhythm. We definitely struggled a little bit from the field.”

Purcell got off to a good start

Please see **Dragons**, page 2B



John Denny Montgomery • The Purcell Register

Push the ball

Savannah Ibarra passes the ball upcourt to Haylee Swayze.



John Denny Montgomery
The Purcell Register

Skip pass

Gracie Dill passes to an open teammate. Dill and the Wayne Bulldogs travel to Wynnewood today (Thursday).

Wayne cagers back Tuesday

Hosted ECP, travel to Wynnewood Thursday

Emily Montgomery
The Purcell Register

The Wayne Bulldogs and Lady Bulldogs were idle last week. They resumed their schedule Tuesday, hosting ECP. Today (Thursday) they are traveling to Wynnewood.

The Bulldogs are 9-8 on the season with just a handful of games remaining until Districts.

The Lady Bulldogs are 3-13 on the season. Junior Jaidah Wilson was expected to return to the court this week. She has provided significant help for the Lady Bulldogs offensively.

Washington hosts Pauls Valley

Lindsay visits Friday night

The Washington basketball teams will make up their weather-cancelled game against Pauls Valley tonight (Thursday).

The game was originally scheduled for January 13 but was postponed due to school being called off for snow.

The Washington boys and girls will then turn around and play Lindsay at home Friday night.

Looking ahead, Washington will host Marlow Monday.

The girls are set to tip off at 6:30 and the boys’ game will follow.

Dragons:

matching Anadarko point for point in the opening quarter.

“But in the second quarter we started struggling with our shooting and went stone cold in the third period. They started hitting threes on us and built up a lead we could not overcome.

“We played two really good teams. Hopefully we learned something from it and makes us better down the road,” Petty said.

St. Mary buried 13 treys on the Dragons and hit 10 in the finals against Tuttle.

“How we respond is the key,” he said of his 11-4 team.

Purcell was to play at Marlow Tuesday and host Pauls Valley Friday for senior night.

Coach Heather Graham’s Dragons swabbed the deck at Lindsay, knocking off the Leopardettes 62-53 behind the scoring duo of Jaden Webb and Haylee Swayze.

Webb poured in 21 points with Swayze nipping at her heels with 20 points.

That was the end of the line for the Dragons last week with them losing to Tuttle 39-35 in the opening round of the Heart and getting beat by St. Mary 57-50 in the second round.

“We didn’t shoot the ball well against Tuttle,” Graham said. “We really struggled in the first half missing some easy shots. We came out and had a great third quarter but played from behind the whole game.”

The Dragons came out flatter than a pancake to start the St. Mary game scoring only three points in the entire first period.

“If we had started that game like we finished it we would have won the game,” she said. “I’m proud of how they finished.”



Janet Moore • The Purcell Register

Forge ahead

Adam Wells cuts through the Anadarko defense Saturday. Purcell was defeated 62-40.

In fact the Dragons cut the gap to only four at one point in the second half but couldn’t turn the tide.

“The weekend provided us a lot of opportunity learning how

to come from behind,” Graham said. “Hopefully this will help prepare us for the playoffs

1/19 Boys	Purcell 71	Byng 34
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Purcell	14	20	29	8—71
Byng	3	7	10	14—34

Player	Points
Austin Nation	15
Riley Hamilton	11
Adam Wells	9
Brady Barrett	8
Jack Scrutchins	8
Jake Berrey	5
Garrett Galyean	5
Jackson Milner	4
Jarrett Sweeney	4
Kieran Embree	2

1/17 Boys	Purcell 57	Lindsay 51
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Purcell	12	7	11	27—57
Lindsay	13	5	16	17—51

Player	Points
Brady Barrett	14
Jack Scrutchins	14
Riley Hamilton	13
Jackson Milner	8
Austin Nation	6
Adam Wells	2

which is our ultimate goal.”

Purcell was 8-6 heading into Tuesday’s game with Marlow.

1/20 Boys	Purcell 57	St. Mary 89
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Purcell	12	14	24	7—57
St. Mary	28	13	27	21—89

Player	Points
Austin Nation	14
Brady Barrett	14
Riley Hamilton	11
Jack Scrutchins	7
Adam Wells	6
Jackson Milner	3
Jarrett Sweeney	2

1/21 Boys	Purcell 40	Anadarko 62
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Purcell	11	5	6	18—40
Anadarko	11	11	22	18—62

Player	Points
Adam Wells	12
Riley Hamilton	9
Brady Barrett	9
Jack Scrutchins	8
Kieran Embree	2

1/17 Girls	Purcell 62	Lindsay 53
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Purcell	16	11	11	24—62
Lindsay	13	11	11	18—53

Player	Points
Jaden Webb	21
Haylee Swayze	20
Cady Wollenberg	7
Addie Burton	6
Camryn Dickerson	4
Chelsea Spain	2
Savannah Ibarra	2

1/19 Girls	Purcell 35	Tuttle 39
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Purcell	8	7	12	8—35
Tuttle	5	12	12	10—39

Player	Points
Haylee Swayze	20
Jaden Webb	11
Cady Wollenberg	2
Savannah Ibarra	2

1/20 Girls	Purcell 50	St. Mary 57
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Purcell	3	17	12	18—50
St. Mary	15	14	14	13—57

Player	Points
Jaden Webb	20
Haylee Swayze	19
Cady Wollenberg	5
Chelsea Spain	4
Camryn Dickerson	2

LHS:

“I thought the girls played hard and competed well every game,” Sikes said.

“Hopefully, we’re building in the right direction for the playoffs,” he continued. “Getting the scoring help from the freshmen has really made a big difference.”

Despite giving them a good game, Lexington lost at home January 17 to Lone Grove, 51-42.

It was neck and neck all the way with the score 41-39 late into the fourth quarter.

Lauren Beason led the offense with 10 points.

Lexington was 5-10 heading into Tuesday’s home clash with Dibble.

Lexington will play at noon today (Thursday) in the Chesapeake Energy Arena in Oklahoma City against Stratford in a big conference game.

The game tips off at noon. Fans are not allowed to enter the arena until noon and Sikes said his team cannot enter the building before 11:45 a.m.

Coach Matt Lohn’s Bulldogs saved their best for last in the Little Axe Tournament knocking off the host Indians Saturday, 50-44.

Senior Oscar Resendiz paved the way with 21 points. He was joined in double digits by Caden Jones with 10.

“This was a really tough game to play due to its rough and tumble nature,” Lohn said. “I was really proud of how we continued to respond to their scoring runs, as well as how we shot from the charity stripe.”

Lohn said in crazy games like that you need to find some consistency somewhere.

That came at the line for the Bulldogs, who canned 13 of 16 free throw attempts.

Lexington also got strong play from its bench.

“That helped a lot since we knew Little Axe was a desperate team,” Lohn said.

Lohn said he wasn’t all that pleased with his defensive execution, especially in the second half when the Indians out-scored Lexington 28-27.

“I was pleased to see how we finished off the game with Caden out with five fouls,” Lohn said. “We experienced some growth this weekend. I look forward to seeing what we can take away from this as we make our way down the last

stretch of the season.

“We have things we want to achieve, but we know we must be better in order to accomplish them,” he said.

Lexington lost to Lone Grove at Lexington January 16, 47-38.

“I was really proud of how my guys competed with them in the first half.”

“In the Lone Grove game we started the half well and did a great job of valuing possession with only 10 turnovers,” the coach said. “We must improve our shooting and shot selection in order to finish these types of games.”

The Bulldogs started the Little Axe Tournament against CHA, who posted a 64-32 decision.

The Royals forced Lexington into 28 turnovers.

“Their size advantage and athleticism are a challenge. That’s why they are ranked in Class 2A.”

In the second round, Lexington dropped a 73-33 contest at the hands of the Noble Bears.

“We ran into a buzz saw on Friday with Noble,” Lohn said. “They hit 16 threes over the course of the game which makes it tough no matter who you are.”

“I was disappointed in our response and ability to close out shooters who were obviously very hot.”

Lohn rested his starters late to save their legs for Saturday.

“It was beneficial to get some of our younger guys off the bench and into a varsity game,” he said.

The 4-10 Bulldogs were to host Dibble Tuesday and play at Chesapeake Energy Arena at 1:30 p.m. today (Thursday) against Stratford.

“Both teams are very well coached and provide different challenges,” Lohn concluded.

1/17	Lone Grove 51	Lexington 42
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Lone Grove	12	11	13	15—51
Lexington	12	11	7	12—42

Player	Points
Lauren Beason	10
Rachel Beason	8
Jacie Jones	6
Amanda Graddy	6
Tiffani Hinkle	5
Morgan Hamm	5
Ciera Winterton	2

1/19	Lexington 32	CHA 64
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Lexington	9	5	10	8—32
CHA	13	12	25	14—64

Player	Points
Hunter Findley	8
Oscar Resendiz	7
Caden Jones	6
Seth Comer	5
Kenneth Sullivan	5
Josiah Dawley	1

1/20	Lexington 50	Little Axe 44
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Lexington	8	15	13	14—50
Little Axe	7	9	13	15—44

Player	Points
Oscar Resendiz	21
Caden Jones	10
Hunter Findley	8
Kenneth Sullivan	5
Andre Ibarra	4
Blane Olson	2

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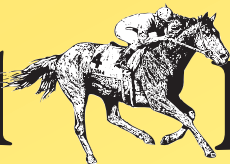


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Wayne Schools announce first semester honor rolls

Heather Spray Wayne School

Call With Your News
If you have any community news, let us know. We would be happy to report your events and news items.
News articles need to be delivered to the school by 9:30 a.m. each Monday.

Call Heather Spray at Wayne Middle School at 449-3305.

Elementary Honor Roll Mrs. Anderson's 2nd Class Second Nine Weeks

All As
Addison Clagg and Taelyn Ringwald.

A and Bs
Giovanni Caballero, Matthew Hall, Alan Martinez, Naidelyn Prieto, Ryli Taylor, Kaitlyn Rains and Catherine Strifler.

Semester All As
Addison Clagg and Taelyn Ringwald.

As and Bs
Giovanni Caballero, Matthew Hall, Alan Martinez, Aidan Mills, Naidelyn Prieto, Ryli Taylor and Catherine Strifler.

All Bs
Makina Cheatwood and Kaitlyn Rains.

Ms. Burnett's Second Grade Class
Second Nine Weeks

All As
Briley Cantrell, Ivey Ramsey, Kimber Reaves, Isabella Vines and Katherine Vines.

As and Bs
Shayla Traffansted, Audra Watts, Brody Anderson, Riley Foshee, Jacob Owens, Parker Woods and Dylan Raney.

Semester All As
Briley Cantrell, Ivey Ramsey, Kimber Reaves, Isabella Vines and Katherine Vines.

As and Bs
Magaly Rojo, Audra Watts, Skyeleigh Wood, Brody Anderson, Riley Foshee, Colt McGee, Jacob Owens and

Parker Woods.
Mrs. Mead's Third Grade Class
Semester All As

Presley Lucas and Allison Wooten.

As and Bs
Ben Fisher, Addie Hamit, Conner Maggart, Jaci McGowen and Raedyn Saunders.

All As
Presley Lucas and Allison Wooten.

Mrs. Moreno's Third Grade Class
Semester All As
Karsen Adams, Sloan Jackson, Ashlyn Kirkland, Paisley Nichols and Kaden Richey.

As and Bs
Camila Prieto, Tory Taylor, Katie Wilson and Kevin Herrin.

Mrs. Keeler's Fourth Grade Class
Semester

As and Bs
Bailey Brakefield, Myleigh Caballero, Kane Lauderdale, Lukas Pack, Kiley Pounds, Cash Sharp, Madi Sharp and Brysten Shephard.

Mrs. Boles Fourth Grade Class
All As

Kyler Cantrell, Theresa Howard, Addison Keeler, Joseph Mantoath and Kyah Saldana.

As and Bs
Devon Finch, Ty Kemp, Duke Moore, Peyton Price and Izzy Redus.

Mrs. Wooten's Fifth Grade Class
Semester

All As
Jake Solis.

As and Bs
Zoe Foster, Daliyah Fuentes, Alexis Gannon and Cassidy Paulk.

Mrs. Millsap's Fifth Grade Class
Semester

As and Bs
Ryan Alvarado, Xander Bayer, Ethan Bloodworth, Faith Brazell, Josten Dauzat, Nicole Richardson, and Wyatt

Webster.
Middle School Honor Roll Superintendent's

Allie Walck, Lillie Singleton, Joselyn Ornelas, Kaylee Madden, Tinley Lucas, Hope Jones, Jairo Hernandez, Coralee Castle, Reyna Cardoza, Sarah Breckenridge and Manuel Barrios.

Principal's
Chani Woody, Hailee Smith, Kade McGowen, Amber Chartney, Emily Woody, Andy Solis, Teagan Raney, Maria Martinez, Kaleb Madden, Daeja Love, Rhett Kennedy, Kaylee Keeler, Kendra Joslin, Jacob Howe, Haven Benson, Haylie Simmons, Caleb Powell, Alexis Owens, Macy Mills, Neva Howard, Jordan Gillispie, Trent Donaho, Ragan Dauzat, Celia Bennett, Taylor Woods, Colton Sweetman, Mallory Sharp, Nicholas Herrin, McKenzie Fisher, Gabriel Cardoza, Joree Ybarra, Adrian Prieto, Megan Jones, Dominick Finch, Braxton Smith, Marqus Perez, Lorensa Martinez, Shyleigh Mantoath, Ashley Williams, Jason Stewart, Shelby Rollings, Haiden Parker, Aleczaender Morgan, Dylana Webster and Allison Ryan.

High School Honor Roll Superintendent's
Macie Woody, Hannah Wissinger, Brock Walck, Peyton Spencer, James Spencer, Shawn Smith, Arizona Ridgeway, Katlyn Powell, Kylea Osborne, Justin Montanez, Geoffrey Montanez, Cole Mills, Shelby Miller, Caitlin Mantoath, Zachary Madden, Paige Hunt, Layla Haskins, Jace Elliot, Kaylan Doshier, Gracie Dill, Macy Davenport, Carlie Crook, Christina Clink, Cash Castle, Matthew Bless, Lyca Balbuena, Lilly Alavarado and Trey Alderman.

Principal's
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Ways Busy Parents Can Help Children Succeed in School

With so many demands on parents, sometimes it is hard to find time to focus on your child. Here are some ideas to help:

1. Use time in the car with your child. Math facts, reading a book aloud, talk about what he will include in the essay or review spelling words. It can be a fun game, not drudgery.
2. Set priorities. Decide what is most important to you. A

quick meal instead of a fancy dinner to have time to help your child with a project or homework or reading. Set a timer for each night for a reminder to spend X amount of time with your child.

3. Spend one on one time. Kids need both quality and quantity time with you. There is nothing like spending alone time with a parent to make a child feel special. Get out the calendar and write it in and then treat that appointment as seriously as you would an important business meeting or doctor's appointment. Children grow up way too fast and before we know it they have left home and we never get that opportunity again.

Parents are the number one factor in children's success. It is not the school they attend, or the people you know or the friends they have. It is the parent's attitude about the success of the child, the importance placed on education (being there every day) and the goals for the future the parents and child have discussed during their years of growing up.

Dairyland Donkey Basketball

Dairyland Donkey Basketball will be held Sunday, January 29, at 4 p.m. in the Wayne Middle School Gym.

Advanced tickets are \$7 for adults or \$10 at the door.

This event is being sponsored by the Wayne All Sports Booster Club.

Superintendent's Student Advisory Council

Two Wayne High School students have been appointed to the 2017 Superintendent's Student Advisory Council.

Senior Peyton Spencer and junior Arizona Ridgeway traveled to the Oklahoma State Capitol January 14 for their first meeting.

The group was formed by State Superintendent of Public Instruction Joy Hofmeister to provide a forum for student voices and concerns.

Canned Food Drive

Wayne High School National Honor Society would like to express their appreciation to all the Wayne families who donated canned food and non-perishable food items for their annual holiday food drive.

Over 2,000 food items were donated to assist families over the holidays. They would also like to express their appreciation to those individuals who donated hams and to Purcell Walmart for its cash donation which went toward the cost of turkeys.

Through the efforts of many, 24 families received food assistance.

Upcoming Events:
Sunday, January 29—Donkey Basketball, 4 pm. Middle School Gym.

Monday, February 20—Professional Development, No school.

Newsmakers

Downing named assistant whip

Oklahoma House of Representatives Speaker Charles A. McCall announced leadership appointments to serve during the 56th Legislature.

Rep. Tim Downing of Purcell was named an assistant whip.

The whips serve as a sounding board for members who may have concerns about upcoming legislation and help facilitate communication between membership during the legislative session.

Merrell new member of AAA®

Keely Merrell of Purcell is a new junior member of the American Angus Association®, reports Allen Moczygemba, CEO of the national organization with headquarters in Saint Joseph, Mo.

Junior members of the Association are eligible to register cattle in the American Angus Association, participate in programs conducted by the National Junior Angus Association and take part in Association-sponsored shows and other national and regional events.

The American Angus Association is the largest beef breed association in the world, with more than 25,000 active adult and junior members.

OCU honor students

Oklahoma City University has announced its President's Honor Roll and Dean's Honor Roll students for fall 2016.

President's Honor Roll students completed a minimum of 12 credit hours while maintaining a GPA of 3.9 or higher. Dean's Honor Roll students successfully completed a minimum of 12 credit hours and maintained a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

Heart of Oklahoma President's Honor Roll students include **Samuel Charlton** of Goldsby and **Ashli Stamper** of Lexington.

Dean's Honor Roll students include **Gregory Ford** and **Shelly Wall**, both of Purcell, and **Taylor Nixon** and **Joseph Charlton**, both of Washington.

NWOSU names honor students

Honor rolls for the fall semester at Northwestern Oklahoma State University have been announced by the Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs.

Those on the President's Honor Roll earned all A's, or a 4.0 grade point average (GPA), in a minimum of 12 undergraduate or nine graduate hours. Those on the Vice President's list had grade point averages of 3.5 or better in a minimum of 12 undergraduate or nine graduate hours.

Undergraduate students on the honorable mention lists had 4.0 or 3.5 GPAs, respectively, in a minimum of three to a maximum of 11 semester hours. Graduate students on those rolls were enrolled in a minimum of three to a maximum of eight semester hours.

Named to the President's Honor Roll for graduate and post-graduate students was **Dylan Painter** of Purcell.

Named to the Vice-President's Honor Roll for undergraduate students was **Ashlenn Snow** of Purcell.

OU fall graduates announced

The University of Oklahoma has announced graduates for Fall 2016.

Graduates include **Jamie Michelle Foster-Hale**, Master of Science, and **Megan R. Hemmerling**, Bachelor of Business Administration, both of Lexington; **Kaitlyn L. Sheehy**, BS in Health and Exercise Science, and **Michael Christopher West**, Bachelor Arts, both of Purcell; and **Jeremy Smith**, Master of Science, of Wayne.

Also **Daniel Cloud**, Master of Legal Studies, **Colby D. Farrell**, BS in Petroleum Engineering, **Amber N. Madden**, Bachelor of Science, **Blake A. Madden**, BS in Construction Science, and **Emilyne R. Winchester**, BS in Education, all of Washington.

Purcell Senior Citizens

By Fredda Davis

It has been a good week at the center. Everyone was back in their places with lots of cards and dominoes being played. If you are needing something to do on any given day, come on down and join in games with other seniors.

The senior's next garage sale will be Friday, January 27, starting at 8 a.m. and lasting until 3 p.m. Plan to come check out the items for sale. There are two good sewing machines that have been checked and oiled. These machines are metal machines with all metal parts that repairs can be made to. Check these out at the Senior Boutique next to the senior center.

Three seniors will be having a birthday this week. Happy birthday to Vera Snow, Larry Hall and O.B. Ellis. All January birthdays will be celebrated on Thursday of this week.

Bingo will start promptly at 10 a.m. Thursday. Everyone needs to be in their chair at 10 a.m. so the games can begin on time.

If you know someone who needs help with their noon meal at home, call the Delta Nutrition Center at 527-9462 and ask for Rebecca. Participants must live in the Purcell City Limits.

Looking for a place to have something special? The senior center is available for \$70 a day. If you're interested call 527-5070.

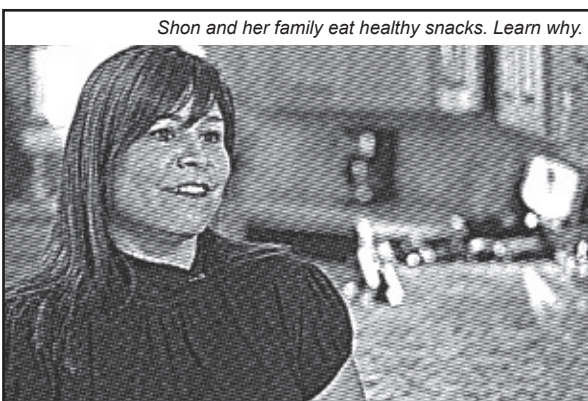
The seniors invite anyone 60 or above to visit the center where there is always something cooking and plenty of activities.

Lunch is \$2 for all seniors.



Teacher candidates

Southwestern Oklahoma State University's Department of Education in Weatherford is sending out 58 teacher candidates to work with approximately 71 cooperating teachers from 53 different schools in Oklahoma and Texas. The candidates are doing their practice teaching assignments from February 6 through April 28. Among the teacher candidates are (from left) Maddison Aday, Purcell, teaching at Alex; and Ryan Siebert, Purcell, teaching at Tuttle.



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Veterans Corner Partners with ODVA

Veterans Corner, Inc. continues to partner with the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs (ODVA) to help veterans and their families live a better life. An ODVA accredited Veter-



eran Service Representative (VSR) is available at Veterans Corner to make sure VA claim-related paperwork is ready to be scanned into the VA Claims system. The partnership between the Corner and the ODVA allows all claims to be processed much quicker by the VA with some decisions for disability made within just a few days of making the claim. Randy Reynolds is a Program Administrator with the ODVA. Reynolds said, "We're with the veteran all the way through the process from beginning to end." The ODVA VSR checks the paperwork for completion, advises on any needed documentation and submits the paperwork electronically to the VA Muskogee Regional Office (RO). Submitting electronically eliminates the potential for paperwork to be lost during the scanning process. The ODVA also has the ability to look at the progress of each claim during the VA RO approval process. Veterans who have a question about their claim can stop by Veterans Corner or call the ODVA office to get a quick status update.

The ODVA helps veterans navigate the VA claims process, provides outreach in every county, maintains seven state veterans homes, and helps veterans with their claims for disability. They also have one time grants available to veterans who qualify. Any time ODVA finds a veteran with an immediate need they can't fill they know that someone from Veterans Corner will be there to assist with food, utility payments, or medical equipment to help the veteran have a better life. Recently, a Vietnam Veteran with a wife and 7 children was in need of a washing machine

and dryer. Two Veterans Corner volunteers, Jerry Baxter and Jimmie Flowers, stepped in and were able to find the appliances and deliver them to the family within a few days.

If you are a veteran or a family member please stop by Veterans Corner and visit with the team, tour the facility, have a cup of coffee, or even volunteer to help others. Veterans Corner is here as a community resource for veterans to get the help they need and the support they deserve.

Come See Veterans Corner in Choctaw

Veterans Corner volunteers will be at the Countryside Baptist Church on Tuesday January 24th from 3-7 pm. The church is located at 3001 S Peebly Road in eastern Oklahoma County. Services provided include filling out and submitting claims for VA Disability, Health Care and Education and Training benefits. Also help will be available with VA Home Loans, Legal Services and Job Transition.

If you would like to file a claim, please bring a copy of your DD-214 and any medical documentation you may need to support your claim. Come even if you are unsure if you qualify. Veterans Corner volunteers would be glad to walk you through the process.

Transportation Available

Veterans Corner has three vans available to transport veterans to their medical appoint-

ments. If you need help getting to or from a medical appointment please contact one of our drivers. They are Fred Zacher (405)447-2482 and Sam Knight (405)808-5096. There is never a charge for these service but donations are always appreciated. We are also in need of a driver to help transport veterans. Please contact us if you are interested in helping.

How You Can Help Support Local Veterans

Veterans Corner is a 501(c)(3) organization and all gifts are tax deductible. If you would like to help Veterans Corner continue to support veterans in our community, please send your donation to: Veterans Corner; P.O. Box 722160; Norman, OK 73070-8635. All proceeds are used to support veterans and their spouses. We appreciate your support.

About Veterans Corner

Veterans Corner is located just south of Norman, 2 miles west of I-35 Exit 106 on the north side of Highway 9. From the southwest go four miles north of Blanchard on Highway 62 to Highway 9. Travel east 4 miles to Western Avenue and make a U-turn. Veterans Corner is 1/4 mile west on the north side. The facility is open from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday and the phone number is (405) 387-5070. They offer extended hours on Thursdays from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.

WAYNE SCHOOL MENU

Week of January 30

MONDAY BREAKFAST

Biscuit with gravy, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Chicken patty sandwich, Cheetos, broccoli/cauliflower florets with ranch dressing, juice, milk.

TUESDAY BREAKFAST

Cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Beefy tostito casserole, tossed romaine salad, green beans, strawberry or peach cup, juice, milk.

WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST

Sausage biscuit, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Burrito, ranch style beans, chips with salsa, sliced pears, juice, milk.

THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Breaded fish, scalloped potatoes, blackeyed peas, rosy applesauce, juice, milk.

FRIDAY BREAKFAST

Bagel topper, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Corndog, fries, sliced carrots, sliced apples, juice, milk.



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National 4-H/FFA Roundup

4-H and FFA students from Oklahoma pose for a picture during the convention.

McClain County youth attend 2017 National 4-H/FFA Roundup

Two McClain County 4-H'ers were selected to represent Oklahoma 4-H at this year's Western National Roundup held January 5-8, 2017 in Denver, Colo.

Brooke Bollinger, Blanchard 4-H, and Taylor Elliott, Newcastle 4-H, attended the Conference with more than 1,100 youth from 33 states including Alberta, Canada.

The Conference, now in its 97th year, is held annually in early January, coinciding with the National Western Stock Show.

This year's theme of "Level Up Your Leadership" was aimed at leaving participants with the confidence to take their leadership roles to the

next level and create unique experiences to thrive in their self-defined future through 4-H and FFA.

Both 4-H and FFA members between the ages of 14 and 19 have the opportunity to qualify for Western National Roundup by winning their home state's contest or being chosen as a state delegate.

The competitions held at Western National Roundup include:

- Horse and livestock judging;
- Livestock quiz bowl
- Hippology;
- Horse demonstrations;
- Public speaking prepared and impromptu;
- Parliamentary procedure;
- Family consumer sciences

presentations and skill-a-thon bowl;

- Consumer decision making and
- Meats identification.

Workshops offered throughout the week provide a learning experience for the youth, exposing them to topics ranging from communication and team building to leadership development.

Youth participants develop a mastery of their respective subject matters, but more importantly, gain life-long skills.

Such skills as public speaking, professionalism, and good sportsmanship along with the memories and new friendships will outlast the trophies and ribbons that were won.

Certified Healthy Oklahoma awardees announced

McClain County's Healthy Living Program is proud to announce that 30 local entities have been awarded Certified Healthy status for 2016.

Certified Healthy Oklahoma is a free statewide certification that recognizes entities

going above and beyond to make health and wellness a priority for all. The program is open to businesses, campuses, communities, congregations, early childhood programs, restaurants, and schools.

A crucial factor to improving the health of Oklahomans is providing a variety of opportunities for residents to make healthier choices where they live, work, learn, play and pray.

Certified Healthy Oklahoma meets this challenge by recognizing a wide variety of entities that encourage health-focused behaviors and policies.

"These certifications provide opportunities for McClain County to create environments that support health policies and individual health decisions that ultimately will improve Oklahoma's health outcomes," said Tara Douglas, Health Educator for McClain County and Healthy Living Program Task Force Member. "We applaud all Certified Healthy Oklahoma recipients for making the healthy choice the easy choice and for helping to create a culture of wellness in their communities."

Certifications are awarded at the Basic, Merit and Excellence levels, dependent upon number of criteria fulfilled.

The following entities received recognition by the Certified Healthy Oklahoma program, sorted by program area and certification level:

Certified Healthy Business Excellence: Blanchard Public Library, City of Purcell

City Hall- Administration, McClain County Health Department-Blanchard, McClain County Health Department-Purcell, McClain-Garvin County Youth and Family Center, Newcastle Public Library, Purcell Municipal Hospital, Purcell Public Library.

Merit: City of Newcastle.

Basic : McClain County DHS.

Certified Healthy Community

Merit: City of Newcastle, City of Purcell.

Certified Healthy Congregation

Certified Healthy Early Childhood Program

Excellence: Promise Learning Academy.

Merit: Delta Head Start Purcell Pre-K, Delta Head Start/Early Head Start, Purcell Early Learning Center .

Basic: Delta Head Start – Blanchard and Dibble.

Certified Healthy Restaurant

Basic: Burrito Grill – Blanchard.

Certified Healthy School

Excellence: Blanchard Public Schools – Elementary, High School, Intermediate and Middle School Campus's, Newcastle Public Schools – Early Childhood Center, Elementary, High School and Middle School Campus's.

Merit: Purcell Elementary School.

All award winners will be acknowledged at a ceremony and luncheon at the Embassy Suites in Norman March 1 and are also listed on the Oklahoma State Department of Health website.

The Certified Healthy Oklahoma program is a joint effort of the Oklahoma State Department of Health, The State Chamber, The Oklahoma Academy, Oklahoma Turning Point Council, and additional partners who are helping to shape a healthier future for Oklahoma.

The 2017 application opens August 1 and can be found at www.certifiedhealthyok.com at that time, along with criteria details and additional information.

For local information on Certified Healthy Oklahoma, please contact Laura Matlock or Lacy Morgan at 527-4511.

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AND DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given that the final account of the Personal Representative herein and the petition for determination of heirs and distribution of said estate and final discharge of said Personal Representative was filed herein on the 23rd day of January, 2017, and that a hearing on said final account and petition has been set before the undersigned Judge or to the Judge to which the same has been assigned in the District Courtroom of the McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma, on the 17th day of February, 2017, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., and all persons interested therein are notified to appear and show cause, if any, why said account shall not be approved and said petition granted. Dated this 23rd day of January, 2017.

/s/ Charles Gray
Judge of the District Court
Ted W. Haxel (OBA #3997)
Post Office Box 367
Purcell, Oklahoma 73080
405-527-5888

No. 61-January 26-1 Time
BEFORE THE CORPORATION
COMMISSION OF THE
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
APPLICANT: CASILLAS PETRO-
LEUM RESOURCE PARTNERS,
LLC
RELIEF SOUGHT: HORIZONTAL
WELL UNITS
LEGAL DESCRIPTION: SECTION
33, TOWNSHIP 5 NORTH, RANGE
4 WEST, MCCLAIN COUNTY,
OKLAHOMA
CAUSE CD NO. 201700489-T
NOTICE OF HEARING
STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO:
All persons, owners, producers,
operators, purchasers and tak-
ers of oil and gas, and all other
interested persons, particularly in
McClain County, Oklahoma, and
all parties listed as respondents
on Exhibit "A", attached to the
Application on file herein, and
more particularly: IRL A. NICH-
OLS; MGG PARTNERSHIP, LTD.;
MINERAL MINING COMPANY, A
CORPORATION; THE SECURITY
NATIONAL BANK & TRUST COM-
PANY OF DUNCAN, TRUSTEE OF
THE TESTAMANTARY TRUST OF
IRLA. NICHOLS; THE UNKNOWN
HEIRS AND SUCCESSORS OF
ADALEE SHANNON SIMONSON,
DECEASED; THE UNKNOWN
HEIRS AND SUCCESSORS OF
BETTY J. HUEY, DECEASED;
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AND
SUCCESSORS OF CAROLINE
RAMSEY BINGER, DECEASED;
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AND
SUCCESSORS OF DEBRA GWEN
BUCK, DECEASED; THE UN-
KNOWN HEIRS AND SUCCESS-
SORS OF DEE JUNE CALDWELL,
DECEASED; THE UNKNOWN
HEIRS AND SUCCESSORS OF
GRAVES MCKEY, DECEASED;
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AND
SUCCESSORS OF GRETCHEN
BRASCH, DECEASED; THE UN-
KNOWN HEIRS AND SUCCESS-
SORS OF J. WESLEY LUCAS, DE-
CEASED; THE UNKNOWN HEIRS
AND SUCCESSORS OF J.C.

No. 22-January 12-3 Times
CJ-2016-198
NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO:
Luke N. Vandivort and Jane Doe,
real name unknown, his wife (if
married); Melissa Suzanne Baker
You are hereby notified that you
have been sued in the District
Court in and for McClain County,
Oklahoma, Case No. CJ-2016-
198, wherein U.S.Bank, N.A., as
Trustee for Mid-State Trust X is
Plaintiff, and you are Defendants
and unless you answer the Peti-
tion of the Plaintiff filed against
you on or before the 23 day of
February, 2017, the allegations of
said Petition will be taken as true
and judgment rendered against
you accordingly as prayed for,
and any interest you have in said
property will be foreclosed, and the
Court will be asked to hold that the
Plaintiff is the owner of the note
and mortgage therein described
covering the following described
real property situated in McClain
County, Oklahoma, to-wit:
A part of the SW/4 of the SW/4 of
the SW/4 of Section 30, Township
6 North, Range 2 West, McClain
County, Oklahoma, being more
particularly described as follows:
Commencing at a point on the
West line of said Section 30, said
point being the Northwest Corner
of said SW/4, SW/4, SW/4; Thence
South 00°14'36" East along said
West line a distance of 210.00
feet to the Point of Beginning;

Thence South 89°56'53" East a
distance of 210.00 feet; Thence
South 00°14'36" East a distance
of 103.73 feet; Thence North
89°56'53" West a distance of
210.00 feet to a point on the West
line of said Section 30; Thence
North 00°14'36" West along said
West line a distance of 103.73 feet
to the Point of Beginning.

Further judgment is asked, sub-
ject to the limitations on personal li-
ability imposed by the Bankruptcy
Code, if applicable, against Luke
N. Vandivort on cause of action
in the amount of \$21,761.79 with
interest thereon at 8.25% per an-
num from April 5, 2016, until paid,
plus late charges, plus reasonable
attorney fees, and for title report
expense of \$250.00, plus title ex-
amination fee, plus advances for
taxes and insurance and for court
costs and for foreclosure of note
and first mortgage on the above
described property.

WITNESS my hand on the 5 day
of January, 2017.

Kristel Gray, Court Clerk
McClain County, Oklahoma
By /s/ Amy May
Deputy
(Seal)

William P. McDoniel, OBA No.
5968
721 W. Country Club Road
Chickasha, OK 73018-7259
Phone: (405) 224-1991
Fax: (405) 224-1994
E-Mail: hhandmcd@aol.com
Attorneys for Plaintiff

being signed.

IT IS ORDERED that this Cause
be referred to an Administrative
Law Judge for hearing, taking
of evidence and reporting to the
Commission.

IT IS ORDERED AND NOTICE
IS HEREBY GIVEN that this
Cause will be heard before an
Administrative Law Judge on the
Merits Docket at the Corporation
Commission, Eastern Regional
Office, 440 South Houston, Tulsa,
Oklahoma, 74127, at 8:30 a.m., on
the 14th day of February, 2017,
and that this notice be published
as required by law and the Rules
of the Commission.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN
that the Applicant and interested
parties may present testimony by
telephone. The cost of telephonic
communication shall be paid by
the person or persons requesting
its use. Interested parties who
wish to participate by telephone
shall contact the Applicant or
Applicant's attorney, prior to the
hearing date, and provide their
name and phone number.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN
that all interested persons may
appear and be heard. For informa-
tion concerning this action contact
MR. TONY CERVI, Casillas Petro-
leum Resource Partners, LLC, 401
South Boston Avenue, Suite 2400,
Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74103, (918)
582-5310, or CHARLES L. HELM,
Attorney, 105 North Hudson, Suite
700, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma,
73102, (405) 232-9000. Please
refer to Cause CD Number.

DONE AND PERFORMED this
23rd day of January, 2017.

CORPORATION
COMMISSION
OF OKLAHOMA
BOB ANTHONY, Chairman
DANA L. MURPHY,
Vice Chairman

J. TODD HIETT, Commissioner
ATTEST:
PEGGY MITCHELL, Commis-
sion Secretary

No. 54-January 26-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
IN AND FOR
MCCLAIN COUNTY,
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

In the Matter of the Estate of
WINDALL WARD, also known as
WENDELL WARD, Deceased.

Case No. PB-2016-116
ALIAS NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION FOR SUMMARY
ADMINISTRATION,
AND FOR APPOINTMENT OF
SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to
all persons interested in the Estate
of Windall Ward, also known as
Wendell Ward, deceased, that on
December 23rd, 2016, J. Chris-
topher Dykes produced and filed
in the District Court of McClain
County, Oklahoma, an instrument
in writing dated October 14, 2004,
purporting to be the Last Will and
Testament of said deceased, and
also filed in said Court a Petition
praying for the probate of said
Will, and that he be appointed as
Special Administrator.

Pursuant to an Order of said
Court, notice is hereby given that
the 16th day of February, 2017,
at 9:30 a.m., has been appointed
the time for hearing said Petition
and proving said Will in the District
Courtroom of the McClain County
Courthouse at 121 N. 2nd Street, in
Purcell, Oklahoma, and all persons
interested may appear and contest
same as provided by law.

DATED this 17th day of Janu-
ary, 2017.

/s/ Charles M. Gray
Judge of the District Court
Austin J. Keeney, OBA#
22420
Benjamin C. Bowers,
OBA# 31486
GUNGOLL, JACKSON, BOX &
DEVOLL, P.C.
P.O. Box 1549, Enid, OK
73702
(580) 234-0436
Attorneys for Petitioner

No. 50-January 26-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF WANDA JEANETTA HALL,
Deceased

Case No. PB-2016-81
NOTICE OF HEARING FINAL
ACCOUNT, PETITION FOR
DETERMINATION OF HEIRS,
DISTRIBUTION AND
DISCHARGE

NOTICE is hereby given that
Seartha Robinett, Personal Repre-
sentative of the ESTATE OF WAN-
DA JEANETTA HALL, Deceased,
having filed in this Court her Final
Account of the Administration of
said estate, and her Petition for
Distribution of said estate and for
Final Discharge of said Personal
Representative, the hearing of the
same has been fixed by the Judge
of said Court for 9:30 o'clock a.m.,
on the 9th day of February, 2017,
before Judge Charles Gray in his
chambers in the McClain County
Courthouse in Purcell, Oklahoma,
and all persons interested in said
estate are notified then and there
to appear and show cause, if any
they have, why the said account
should not be settled and allowed,
the heirs of WANDA JEANETTA
HALL, Deceased, determined,
said estate distributed, and the
Personal Representative dis-
charged.

WITNESS MY HAND this 17th
day of January, 2017.

CHARLES GRAY
ASSOCIATE
DISTRICT JUDGE
Judge of the District Court
BILL C. LESTER (OBA #5389)
Attorney for Personal Repre-
sentative
212 West Main - P.O. Box 1407
Purcell, OK 73080
(405) 527-5623

No. 58-January 26-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF PAUL A. KOONCE,
Deceased.

Case No.: PB-2016-86
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
HEARING FINAL ACCOUNT
& PETITION FOR ORDER
DETERMINING HEIRSHIP,
ALLOWING DISTRIBUTION
AND FOR DISCHARGE

Notice is hereby given to all
persons interested in the Estate
of Paul A. Koonce, deceased,
that Terri D. Koonce, Personal
Representative, has filed a Final
Account and Petition for Order
Determining Heirship, Allowing
Distribution of the Estate and for
Discharge.

IT IS ORDERED that the 16 day
of February, 2017, at 9:30 A.M. is
set as the time for hearing said
Petition at the McClain County
Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma,
when and where all persons in-
terested may appear and contest
the same.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 20th
DAY OF January, 2017.

CHARLES GRAY
ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE
JUDGE OF
HE DISTRICT COURT
Carlton W. Dimery, OBA #19081
Attorney for Personal
Representative
222 E. Eufaula, Ste. 200
Norman, OK 73069
TEL: (405) 321-8067
FAX: (405) 321-2949

No. 56-January 26-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
In the Matter of the Estate of
ELBERTA JO MATHIS, Deceased
PB-2016-112

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO THE CREDITORS OF THE
ABOVE NAMED DECEDENTS:
All creditors having claims against
ELBERTA JO MATHIS, deceased,
are required to present the same,
with a description of all security
interests and other collateral, if
any, held by each creditor with
respect to such claim, to JIMMIE
W. BROWNELL and ELLEN MAR-
GARET BROWNELL, Personal
Representatives of the above
mentioned estates at the law office
of Ted W. Haxel, 108 North Second
Street, Purcell, Oklahoma 73080,
or to McClain County District Court
Clerk, McClain County Court-
house, 121 N. 2nd Street, Purcell,
Oklahoma, 73080, on or before
the following presentment date:
March 30, 2017, or the same will
be forever barred.

Dated this 19th day of Janu-
ary, 2017.

/s/Jimmie W. Brownell
JIMMIE W. BROWNELL
Personal Representative
/s/ Ellen Margaret Brownell
ELLEN MARGARET BROWNELL
Personal Representative
By: /s/ Ted W. Haxel
Ted W. Haxel (OBA #3997)
108 North 2nd St.;
Post Office Box 367
Purcell, Oklahoma 73080
405-527-5888
405-527-6666
haxellaw@aol.com
ATTORNEY FOR PERSONAL
REPRESENTATIVE

No. 52-January 26-1 Time
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
WITHIN AND FOR
MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
Plaintiff,
vs.
DENNIS F. BERRIOS-JUAREZ,
et al.
Defendants.

Case No. CJ-2016-174
NOTICE OF HEARING ON
CONFIRMATION OF SALE
TO: Dennis F. Berrios-Juarez,
Tracey Berrios and State of
Oklahoma ex rel., Oklahoma Tax
Commission:

You, and each of you, are notifi-
ed that the Plaintiff in the above
entitled and numbered cause has
filed its Motion to Confirm Sale
herein seeking confirmation by the
Court of the Sheriff's sale held in
this cause and that said motion has
been set for hearing on March 15,
2017, at 9:00 o'clock a.m., in the
District Court Room assigned, at
the County Courthouse, McClain
County, Oklahoma.

You, and each of you, are further
notified to be present for said hear-
ing at said date, time and place,
and show cause, if any you have,
why said motion should not be
sustained and said sale confirmed.

DATED January 17, 2017.

/s/ Kelly M. Parker
KELLY M. PARKER #22673
LAMUN MOCK
CUNNYNGHAM & DAVIS, P.C.
5613 N. Classen Blvd.
Oklahoma City, OK 73116
(405) 840-5900
(405) 842-6132 (Fax)
Attorneys for Plaintiff

No. 57-January 26-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATES
OF MAUDIE A. WEBSTER and
JOHN PAUL "DICK" WEBSTER,
a/k/a John P. Webster, wife and
husband, Deceased.

Case No. PB-12-73
NOTICE OF HEARING
SECOND FINAL ACCOUNT,
PETITION FOR
DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION
AND DISCHARGE OF
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Notice is hereby given that
Patrick E. Webster, the duly ap-
pointed and qualified Personal
Representative of the Estates
of Maudie A. Webster and John
Paul "Dick" Webster, a/k/a John
P. Webster, Deceased, has filed
his Second Final Account, Peti-
tion for Decree of Distribution
and Discharge of Personal Repre-
sentative. A hearing has been
fixed by the Judge of the Court
for the 16th day of February 2017,
at 9:30 o'clock a.m. in the District
Courtroom of Judge Charles Gray,
County Courthouse, Purcell, Mc-
Clain County, Oklahoma, and all
persons interested in the Estates
are notified to appear and show
cause, if any they have, why the
Account should not be settled and
allowed, the Estates distributed
and the Personal Representative
discharged.

DATED this 20th day of Janu-
ary 2017.

CHARLES GRAY
ASSOCIATE DISTRICT JUDGE
JUDGE OF DISTRICT COURT
James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881
Carrie Kopp, OBA #21731
Alyson T. Gildner, OBA #31376
138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565
Purcell, OK 73080
Phone: 405-527-7575
Fax: 405-527-7574
Attorney for Personal Repre-
sentative

No. 55-January 26-3 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

WAKE ENERGY, LLC,
Plaintiff,
v.

BEULAH GROSS, DECEASED,
WORTH M. GROSS, WORTH
M. GROSS, TRUSTEE OF THE
BEULAH NANCY GROSS TRUST,
and T. F. GROSS A/K/A THOMAS
FRANCIS GROSS, DECEASED
AND THE HEIRS, EXECUTORS,
ADMINISTRATORS, DEVISEES,
TRUSTEES, AND ASSIGNS OF
BEULAH GROSS, DECEASED,
WORTH M. GROSS, DECEASED
T.F. GROSS A/K/A THOMAS
FRANCIS GROSS, DECEASED
THEIR KNOWN AND UNKNOWN
SUCCESSORS,
Defendants.

CASE NO. CV-17-05
NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO:
THE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS
AND ASSIGNS, IMMEDIATE
AND REMOTE, OF Beulah Gross
and T. F. Gross a/k/a Thomas
Francis Gross, DECEASED:

YOU AND EACH OF YOU are
hereby notified that Wake Energy,
LLC, as Plaintiff, has filed in the
District Court of McClain County,
State of Oklahoma, their Petition
against the known and unknown
successors and assigns, both
immediate and remote, of Beu-
lah Gross and T. F. Gross a/k/a
Thomas Francis Gross, alleging
that the above named persons
and/or entities are deceased or
dissolved, that they died or were
dissolved with a possible claim to
certain undivided interests in the
oil, gas and other minerals de-
scribed in the Petition on file
herein; that the Plaintiff is now
the owner of net mineral acreage
and interests and are in actual and
peaceable possession thereof;
that the Defendants, the unknown
successors and assigns, immedi-
ate and remote, of said Defen-
dants, may claim some right, title,
or interest in and to said minerals
interests adverse to the Plaintiff,
which claims constitute a cloud on
the Plaintiffs title; that the unknown
successors and assigns, immedi-
ate and remote, of said Defendants
be required to show what right, title
or interest, if any, that they may
now have in and to said minerals
interests adverse to the right, title
and interest of Plaintiff herein;
that all of the named Defendants be
adjudged to have no right, title and
interest or estate therein contrary
to the specific acreage claimed by
Plaintiff, and that the title of the
Plaintiff's in and to said mineral
interests be quieted as against
the unknown successors and
assigns, immediate and remote,
of said Defendants, and all other
Defendants, and each of them be
perpetually barred and enjoined
from setting up or asserting any
right, title or interest in and to the
mineral interests described in the
Petition on file herein.

Said Defendants, and each of
them, must file an Answer to the
Petition filed by the Plaintiff on
or before the 3rd day of March,
2017, with a copy thereof directed
to Plaintiff's attorney of record, or
said Petition will be taken as true
and judgment rendered, adjudging
and decreeing the Plaintiffs herein
as the owners of said undivided
mineral interests as described in
the Petition on file herein and
entitled to the possession thereof,
and that all of said Defendants
have no right, title or interest there,
and quieting the title of the Plain-
tiff's against all adverse claims of
all of said Defendants.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND
SEAL this 19 day of January, 2017.
(Seal)

/s/Kristel Gray
Court Clerk of
McClain County

Hartsfield & Egbert, PLLC
307 E. Danforth Rd., Ste. 130
Edmond, OK 73034
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Fax: (405) 285-6911
www.helawedmond.com

No. 53-January 26-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
In the Matter of the Estate of
Richard D. Hall, deceased.

Case No. PB-2016-111
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO THE CREDITORS OF: Rich-
ard D. Hall, deceased.

All creditors having claims
against Richard D. Hall, deceased,
are required to present the same
with a description of all security in-
terests and other collateral (if any)
held by each creditor with respect
to such claim, to Jeffery Hall, the
named Administrator, at the law
office of Charity D. Stubblefield,
Attorney for Administrator, 226 S.
Main Street, Lindsay, OK, 73052
on or before the 3rd day of April,
2017 or the same will be forever
barred.

Dated this 19th day of Janu-
ary, 2017.

/s/Jeffery Hall
Jeffery Hall, Administrator
Charity D. Stubblefield Law
Charity D. Stubblefield, OBA
#20858
226 S. Main Street
PO Box 483
Lindsay, OK 73052
405-756-1411-Telephone
405-756-1411-Fax
ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

Religion

Church Directory

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Pastor: Rev. Mark A. Stacy
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Westside
Church of Christ

401 W. Broadway
Lexington

Sunday Morning 10:30 am
Sunday Evening 3:00 pm
Wednesday Evening 7:30 pm

 **Union Hill**
Baptist Church

Hwy 39, 5mi. west of Purcell
405.527.3957 - unionhillpurcell@aol.com

Sundays
Age Group Bible Study 9:45 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Community Outreach 4:30 pm
Age Group Bible Study 5:30 pm
Evening Worship 6:30 pm

Wednesdays
Fellowship Meal 5:30 pm
Age Group Bible Study 6:30 pm

Johnson Road
Baptist Church

4 mi. N. of Purcell on I-35
Pastor Wayne Brown

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11:00a.m. Worship Service
6:30p.m. Sunday Evening
6:30p.m. Wednesday

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Pastor Duane Elmore

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We Invite You to Worship With Us.

527-2769

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CHURCH

Pastor: Justin Blankenship

1106 W. Grant • Purcell • 527-3342

Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship.....10:45 a.m.
Sunday Night.....6:00 p.m.
Wednesday.....7:00 p.m.

CALVARY
Holiness Church

Pastor David Bittle

403 N. 4th, Purcell
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10:50 a.m. Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. Sunday Night
7:00 p.m. Wednesday Night
Independent Pentecostal
Holiness Church

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Worship: 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 7 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

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527-7521

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527-5726

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1 pm (Español)

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Priest House/Padre Jim: 527-4242

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Methodist Church

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Rev. Dr. James Kim
Pastor

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527-2256 Office

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Worship - 10:45 a.m.
Evening - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening - 6:30 p.m.

Steve Roach, Pastor

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2223 N. 9th, Purcell, OK 73080
Pastor Dennis Clark
527-6808

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship: 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship: 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.

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Church of
Christ
Purcell, OK

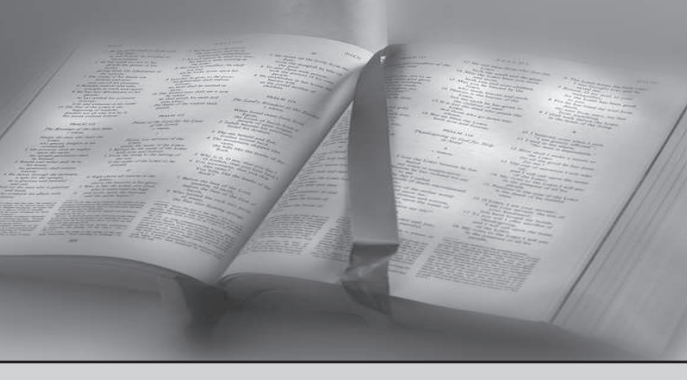
Sunday 10:30 & 1:30
Wednesday Evening 6:30

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Sunday Evening 6:00 pm
Wednesday 7:00 pm



Johnson Road Baptist Church

Our Sunday meals are going well and serving a good purpose. We want to invite our friends to come for worship, fellowship and lunch. There is no charge for the food or the service. All is done in the name of the Lord. The food is good and the fellowship is great.

Our visiting students from the Oklahoma Horseshoeing School represented three states, Nebraska, Louisiana and Texas. The children sang well Sunday morning. Wilma Turner and Gynecan Gentry also provided special music.

Scripture for morning worship was taken from Matthew 25:14-19. The congregation was reminded that "God Has a Dream." God's dream for each of us is beautiful, personal and attainable. If God's dream for us is to become reality, we must understand its content and work the dream.

Jesus told the story about a richman who made preparations to travel to another country.

During his absence, the man divided his weath among three of his trusted servants. The servants were expected to manage their owner's assets. Upon his returning home, the owner expected his servants to give reports on their handling of the owners assets.

The story told by Jesus holds a message for all people. God has entrusted us with great spiritual and intellectual wealth. One day the Master will call upon us to give an account of how we have invested his assets.

Monday, January 16, Americans celebrated Martin Luther King Day. Schools, banks and federal offices were closed in honor of a heroic leader that sought to change the mindset and behavior of America.

On Aug. 28, 1963, in Washington, D.C., the Rev. Martin Luther King, an educated Baptist minister, delivered his famous speech "I Have a Dream." Dr. King didn't preach

hate. He preached a message of self worth, determination, investment and good works.

After listening to Rev. King's "I Have a Dream," you feel good about yourself, search for your potential and strive to be someone.

Martin Luther's famous quote was "If you can't fly then run, if you can't run then walk, if you can't walk then crawl, but whatever you do you have to keep moving forward."

The speech was all about his dream for America. Langston Hughes said, "Hold fast to dreams, for if dreams die, life is a broken-winged bird that cannot fly." God has a dream for everyone.

Sermon title for Sunday morning is "Sweet Fellowship." The current Bible study on Wednesday evening is the gospel of Luke.

Sunday School begins at 9:45 with morning worship starting at 11 a.m.

Lexington Westside Church of Christ

Very good day to all! Welcome to the "front porch."

We are glad today to be able to spend a few minutes with you in the book of John, where we have studied over the past six weeks. I wanted to explore with you this week and next one of the two great themes of John 1:4, where John says in his great prologue: "In him was life; and the life was the light of me."

From the outset, John introduces both themes - life and light - then proceeds to develop those themes for the duration of telling his great story of Jesus.

We immediately make the connection with verse four to John's opening words, "In the beginning." It was in the beginning, we remember, that God brought both of our themes, light and life, into the world. He reached down to the dust of the ground and breathed into man the "breath of life" (Genesis 2:7).

How often do we see the Lord breathe life into dead souls in this gospel, or promise that life to men who are walking in darkness throughout His travels and teaching!

John both begins and ends his gospel with this theme of "life": beginning in John 1:4, then ending in John 20:31, "But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name" (John 20:31).

Before we scroll through some of the great accounts where Jesus promises life to his listeners - or pauses to give it to some! - we should pause to remind ourselves of how great the need is today for that life. How easy it is for people to fall into a pattern of living that isn't living at all, not spiritually. I think too often people think that if they do some good works, or if they do not engage in corrupt behaviors, then that is enough.

But the Lord does not go

about to get people merely to do good works or refrain from evil deeds. He goes about to infuse life, spiritual life, eternal life, a life that is organic and contagious. And for the Lord to give us that life requires some surrender, action, and commitment from us!

Look at Nicodemus in the third chapter of John. Nicodemus, obviously, is a good man in many respects. He appears to be one of the few religious leaders who truly is searching for truth. Still, when he comes to the Lord searching for something greater, the Lord says, "You must be born again" - that is, you need a new life. You need a spiritual life that goes beyond the life you're living.

The story of the woman of Sychar in John 4 is different from Nicodemus, though. Her life does not seem to be good at all, although I am sure there are some good things in it. In this case the Lord moves from the metaphor of a "birth" to that of water - moving, organic water. He says to her, "Whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst; but the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water

springing up into everlasting life" (4:14).

The Lord uses the metaphor of the "living water" again in John 7, telling the listeners on the last day of the Feast of Tabernacles that if any would come believing "out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water" (7:38). Imagine the difference between a stagnant, mosquito-infested pool of water and a powerful waterfall crashing down a hundred feet to the rocks below.

One is a water that is stagnant - which, sometimes, can describe our own lives, if we aren't careful - and one is a constantly moving, flowing, "living" water.

Isn't it beautiful the way the Lord uses different images to describe what He will bring to a man who will come to him in faith and obedience!

Think on this powerful "life" theme this week, if you will, and spend a little time in John's gospel. Next week, Lord willing, we'll pick up and consider more of the vibrant, organic, amazing life John describes in his gospel. God bless all!

steven.bowen@redoakisd.org

Free concert at Landmark Church featuring Mark 209

The public is invited to a free concert at Landmark Church on Sunday, January 29, featuring the southern gospel group, "MARK 209"!

The concert will start at 6 p.m. and you do not want to miss out on this talented group!

Landmark Church is located at 1106 W. Grant St. in Purcell. A love offering will be taken at the end of the concert for the group.

Green Avenue Church of Christ

The Wednesday evening auditorium class studied the first ten verses of 1 Corinthians 1. This includes the introduction, encouragement to the Christians in Corinth and an admonition to be unified.

The Sunday morning adult Bible class covered the twenty-ninth through thirty-eighth chapters of Genesis which relates the relationship between Jacob and Laban, the history of Jacob's family and the early years of Joseph.

Keith Shackelford delivered a sermon during the Sunday morning assembly that examined the righteousness, obedience, humility and conviction of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob beginning with the reading of Matthew 8:5-13.

The evening message contrasted the concepts of vengeance, which proceeds from a desire for justice, and revenge, which proceeds from a desire to get even, using the incident where Jacob's sons attacked the city of Hamor for the way Hamor's son Shechem treated their sister Dinah, recorded in Genesis 34.

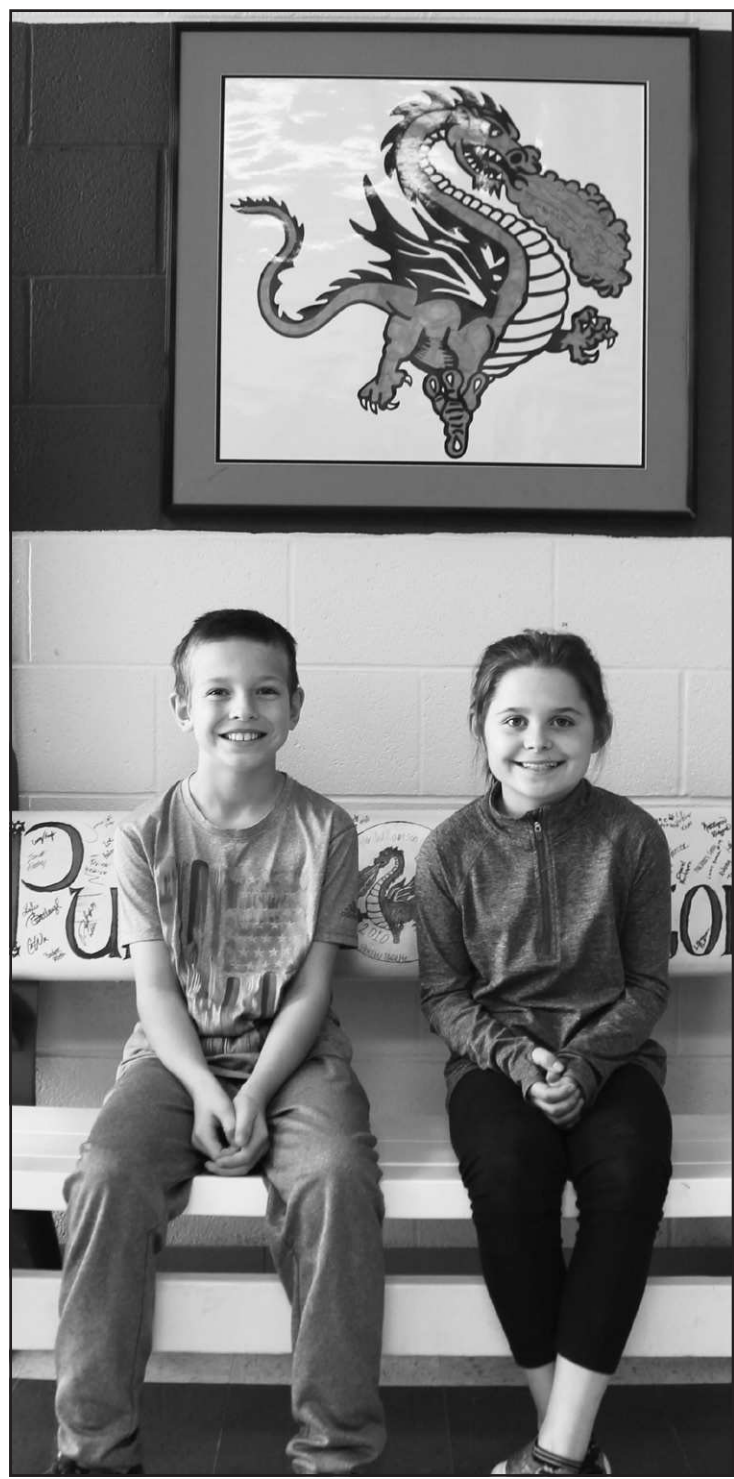
The church is located at 407 Jackson Street in Purcell. Bible classes begin at 9:45 Sunday morning and 7 Wednesday evening, with worship at 10:45 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Sunday. Bible study correspondence courses are available. You can call the office at 527-4052.

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Evening Worship- 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study- 7:00 pm



Jeanne Grimes • The Purcell Register

Best in the bee

Two fourth graders are reigning spelling bee champions at Purcell Intermediate School. Christian Kirk, left, and Haley Kretchmar will head to Norman next week to compete in the Region 5 Spelling Bee on February 2.

Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church

By Fr. Jim Chamberlain

I spent the first half of January working in the Dominican Republic with Sooners Without Borders, a service organization from the University of Oklahoma. Our group was sent to work at a rural day care center in La Piedra, about an hour away from the capital city of Santo Domingo.

The center hosted 137 screaming, happy children each day, all of them at or below five years of age, including infants! These children were mostly from Haitian immigrant families who had settled in the D.R. to have a better life.

We divided into three groups. One group would help build concrete block walls around the site for a new dormitory. Another group would help convert old tires and caliche dirt into playground structures. A third group would put in a water well at a nearby village. The water well went quickly, as the borehole had already been drilled. The finished well and pump produced over 16 gallons per minute. But the other two projects were hard and slow.

On some days both of the construction crews worked under a new supervisor who didn't like the way the old supervisor was doing it. One day, the students had to take out an entire course of block that they had laid down the day before!

In our liturgy this past Sunday, St. Paul says that we should be "united in the same mind and purpose" (1 Cor. 1:10-13). Our common purpose was to develop a better playground and school for the children who were excited to come each day. When we keep that purpose in mind, then we can endure much discouragement and frustration.

The playground will eventually be finished, as will the block wall. And the smiles of the children are reminders of why we came here in the first place. (You can see photos from our trip at the Facebook page of "OU WATER Center".)

All high school youth are invited to "Holy Hangouts" this Sunday, January 29, starting at 6 p.m. The evening will include Mass, a meal and a bonfire at the Hall.

Adult Bible study meets every Tuesday night at 7 p.m., and we are studying the Gospel of Luke.

Our weekly Mass schedule is Saturday at 5 p.m. (English), Sunday at 11 a.m. (English) and 1 p.m. (Spanish). For more information visit our website at ourladyofvictorypurcell.org. or call the church office at 527-3077. Like us on Facebook.

No. 68-January 26-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA PHH MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Plaintiff, v. JOSEPH A. DAVIS; DARLA D. DAVIS; JOHN DOE, OCCUPANT; AMY L. HOWE; ECHOLS AND ASSOCIATES; ASSET ACCEPTANCE LLC; MIDLAND FUNDING, LLC; VELOCITY INVESTMENTS LLC ASSIGNEE OF AMERICAN FINCO; SPRINGLEAF FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.; AND UNKNOWN HEIRS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS OF MARN A. PENNINGTON Defendant(s).

NOTICE IS GIVEN TO: Joseph A. Davis; Darla D. Davis; John Doe, Occupant; Amy L. Howe; Echols and Associates; Asset Acceptance LLC; Midland Funding, LLC; Velocity Investments LLC Assignee of American FINCO; Springleaf Financial Services, Inc.; Unknown Heirs, Successors and Assigns of Marna R. Pennington, and their unknown successors and assigns, that the hearing on the above Motion to Confirm Sale is set on the 15 day of March, 2017, at 9 o'clock a.m., before Judge Edwards, at the McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma. SHAPIRO & CEJDA, LLC 770 NE 63rd St Oklahoma City, OK 73105-6431 (405) 848-1819 Attorneys for Plaintiff File No. 15-122968

No. 17-January 12-3 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA PENTEX EXPLORATION & PRODUCING, INC. AND WYNONA SUE COOPER SPRINGMAN, LEATRICE MASSEY, WYNEMA DOLLAR AND JOHN H. SPRINGMAN II, Plaintiffs, vs. THE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS, HEIRS, ADMINISTRATORS, EXECUTORS, DEVISEES, TRUSTEES AND ASSIGNS OF JOHN SPRINGMAN Deceased, Defendants.

Case No. CV-17-2 NOTICE BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO: THE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS, HEIRS, ADMINISTRATORS, EXECUTORS, DEVISEES, TRUSTEES AND ASSIGNS OF JOHN SPRINGMAN Deceased, Take notice that you have been sued by PENTEX EXPLORATION & PRODUCING, INC. AND WYNONA SUE COOPER SPRINGMAN, LEATRICE MASSEY, WYNEMA DOLLAR AND JOHN H. SPRINGMAN II in the District Court of McClain County, State of Oklahoma, and that you must answer the Petition on or before February 23, 2017, or the allegations contained in said Petition will be taken as true and correct, quieting title to the following real property, situated in MCCLAIN County, Oklahoma, to-wit:

AN UNDIVIDED INTEREST IN MINERALS LOCATED IN MCCLAIN COUNTY AND GARVIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, AS DESCRIBED ON THE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A" forever barring you and all persons claiming by, through or under you from ever setting up or

asserting any right, title, equity or interest in and to said real property, adverse to the right and title of the Plaintiff(s), and such other relief to which they may be entitled. Witness my hand and seal, this 4 day of January, 2017. Kristel Gray MCCLAIN COUNTY COURT CLERK /s/ Donna Morrow DEPUTY (Seal) WILLIAM H. HALLEY, P.C. P.O. BOX 5452 EDMOND, OKLAHOMA 73083 (405) 361-5300 FAX (405) 359-3982 OBA NO. 3742 halley.bill65@gmail.com EXHIBIT "A" MCCLAIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA: TRACT #1: The North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N/2 NE/4) and North Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (N/2 SE/4 NE/4) and Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE/4 SE/4 NE/4) of Section 17, Township 5-North, Range 4-West I.M. TRACT #2: The Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SE/4 NW/4) and Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE/4 SW/4) and Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW/4 SE/4 SW/4) of Section 18, Township 5-North, Range 4-West I.M. GARVIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA: TRACT #3: The South 231 feet of the North 297 feet of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NW/4 SE/4) of Section 5, Township 1-North, Range 2-West I.M.

No. 66-January 26-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF AMY JOLEEN GIFFORD BREWER, Deceased

Case No. PB-2009-47 ALIAS NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an Order of the District Court of the County of McClain, State of Oklahoma, made on December 12, 2016, in the Matter of the Estate of Amy Joleen Gifford Brewer, Deceased, the undersigned, as Personal Representative of the estate, will sell at public or private sale to the highest bidder, subject to confirmation by said District Court on after the 7th day of February, 2017, at 8:00 o'clock a.m., at the law office of Bill C. Lester at the City of Purcell, County of McClain, State of Oklahoma, all the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law, or otherwise, acquired in and to all that certain real property, situated, lying and being in the County of McClain, State of Oklahoma, described as follows: A parcel of land located in Lot Six (6), Block One Hundred Thirty-Eight (138) in the City of Purcell, McClain County, Oklahoma, more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at the SE/Corner of Lot 6; thence West along the South line of Lot 6, a distance of 58 feet; thence North, a distance of 80.32 feet; thence East, a distance of 58 feet to the East line of Lot 6; thence South along the East line of Lot 6, a distance of 80.8 feet to the point of beginning. LESS AND EXCEPT all oil, gas and other minerals lying under or which may be produced therefrom. SURFACE ONLY. Bids must be in writing and must be unconditional. Bids may be left at the law office of Bill C. Lester, P.O. Box 1407, Purcell, OK 73080, or they may be filed in the office of the District Judge at the Courthouse in Purcell, Oklahoma. Dated this 23rd day of January, 2017. /s/ Carol J. Sharp Carol J. Sharp Co-Personal Representative /s/ Rebecca Gifford Rebecca Gifford Co-Personal Representative

No. 51-January 26-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RHONDA KAY BLOODWORTH, Deceased.

Case No. PB-2017-3. ALIAS NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL, APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND DETERMINATION OF HEIRS, DEVISEES AND LEGATEES NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons interested in the Estate of RHONDA KAY BLOODWORTH, Deceased, that on 17th day of January, 2017, Charles Eugene Bloodworth produced in the District Court of McClain County, Oklahoma, an instrument in writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of RHONDA KAY BLOODWORTH, deceased, and also filed in said Court his Petition, together with a copy of said Will praying for the probate of the Will and asking that Letters

No. 67-January 26-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA In The Matter of the Estate of MILA K. SMITH, Deceased

Case No. PB-11-54 NOTICE OF HEARING FINAL ACCOUNT AND PETITION FOR ORDER ALLOWING FINAL ACCOUNT, DETERMINATION OF HEIRS, DEVISEES AND LEGATEES, DISTRIBUTION OF ESTATE, AND FINAL DISCHARGE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Samuel Royce Smith, personal representative of the estate of Mila K. Smith, Deceased, having filed in this Court his Final Account of the administration of said estate and Petition for Order Allowing Final Account, Determination of Heirs, Devisees and Legatees, Distribution of Estate, and Final Discharge of Personal Representative, the hearing of the same, which will include a hearing upon various matters requested therein to be taken into consideration by the

Testamentary issue to Charles Eugene Bloodworth as Personal Representative and for a judicial determination of the heirs, devisees and legatees of said Decedent. Pursuant to an Order of this Court made on the 17th day of January, 2017, notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of February, 2017, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., the Petition will be heard before the Honorable Judge Charles Gray, in his Chambers in the McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma, when and where all persons interested may appear and contest the same. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 17th day of January, 2017. /s/ Charles N. Gray Judge of the District Court /s/ Bill C. Lester BILL C. LESTER (OBA #5389) Attorney for Personal Representative 212 West Main - P.O. Box 1407 Purcell, OK 73080 (405) 527-5623

Court, has been set by the Court of McClain County, Oklahoma the 9th day of February, 2017, at 9:30 a.m., in the Courthouse of McClain County, in Purcell, Oklahoma, and all persons interested in said estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why the said account should not be settled and allowed, the heirs of said deceased determined, the estate distributed, and the personal representative discharged. Dated this 24th day of January, 2017. /s/ Charles Gray Judge of the District Court Submitted by: Darrell G. Ford, OBA #11835 Darrell G. Ford, A Professional Corporation P.O. Box 756 118 North Second Street, Suite C Purcell, Oklahoma 73080 (405) 527-7049 (405) 527-7256 fax Attorney for the Personal Representative, Samuel Royce Smith

No. 64-January 26-2 Times JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff, v. CHAD W. JOHNSTON; SPOUSE, IF ANY, OF CHAD W. JOHNSTON; JOHN DOE, OCCUPANT; AND MIDWEST REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER, LLC Defendant(s).

Case No. CJ-2016-207 NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE NOTICE IS GIVEN TO Chad W. Johnston; Spouse, if any, of Chad W. Johnston; John Doe, Occupant; Midwest Regional Medical Center, LLC that on February 28, 2017, at 10 o'clock, a.m., at Room 121 of the County Courthouse in Purcell, McClain County, Oklahoma, the Sheriff of said County will offer for sale and sell for cash at public auction to the highest and best bidder, with appraisement, all that certain real estate in McClain County, Oklahoma, to wit: LOTS TEN (10), ELEVEN (11), AND TWELVE (12), IN BLOCK SIXTY-SIX (66), IN THE TOWN OF BLANCHARD, MCCLAIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, ACCORDING TO THE RECORDED PLAT THEREOF. PROPERTY ADDRESS: 223 N. Monroe Avenue, Blanchard, OK 73010 subject to taxes and tax sales, said property being duly appraised at \$125,000.00. Sale will be made pursuant to an Order of Sale issued upon a judgment entered in the District Court of McClain County, Oklahoma, in Case No. CJ-2016-207, wherein JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association is Plaintiff and Chad W. Johnston is/are Defendant(s) to satisfy said judgment in the sum of \$99,553.00 together with interest at 4% per annum from May 1, 2016, including late charges, \$2,500.00 for attorney's fee, \$795.00 advances for title search, and those additional sums advanced for taxes, insurance, property preservation and all costs of this action accrued and accruing. WITNESS MY HAND this 23 day of January, 2017. BY: Don Hewett Sheriff /s/ Don Hewett SHAPIRO & CEJDA, LLC 770 NE 63rd St Oklahoma City, OK 73105-6431 (405) 848-1819 Attorneys for Plaintiff File No. 16-128847

No. 59-January 26-1 Time Board of McClain County Commissioners met in regular session on Tuesday, 1/17/17 at 8:15 a.m. Present were: Commissioners Benny McGowen and Charles Foster, District Two Foreman David Perry represented Wilson Lyles who was absent, Assistant DA Carol Dillingham and County Clerk Pam Beller. Mr. Foster moved to approve the minutes of the meeting on 1/9/17, Mr. Perry seconded. Vote Aye: Mr. McGowen, Mr. Perry, Mr. Foster Mr. Foster moved to approve the following maintenance and operation claims, seconded by Mr. Perry. Vote Aye: Mr. McGowen, Mr. Perry, Mr. Foster

CLAIMS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017 AS FOLLOWS: (2007) 1/2 CENT SALES TAX: 713, Chickasaw Telephone, 37.63, service; 714, Classic Paper, 267.27, supplies; 715, Classic Paper, 130.73, supplies; 716, Classic Paper, 299.19, supplies; 717, Classic Paper, 435.73, supplies; 718, Willis Propane, 135.19, propane; 719, Eureka Water, 36.80, supplies; 720, Leon's Plumbing, 310.75, service; 721, ONG, 94.73, service; 722, Office Depot, 96.66, supplies; 723, Peripheral Systems, 330.00, service; 724, Shirley Rush, 150.00, service; 725, Spencer's, 226.24, supplies; 726, Sid's, 306.31, fuel; 727, Sid's, 106.78, fuel; 728, Town of Dibble, 350.00, service; 729, Tankersley Food, 418.97, supplies; 730, Tankersley Foods, 526.85, supplies; 731, Jones & Bartlett Learning, 881.74, book; 732, Atwoods, 33.97, supplies; 733, Tammy Elliott, 64.48, travel; 734, Interstate All Battery, 142.16, supplies; 735, Oklahoma Restaurant Supply, 3719.10, dishwasher; 736, Dibble Senior Citizens, 1135.00, payroll; 737, Dibble Senior Citizens, 560.64, taxes.

COMMUNITY CENTER F&H: 56, Classic Paper, 182.54, supplies; 57, Purcell Public Works, 1215.01, service; 58, ONG, 408.53, service; 59, Jokers Carpet Services, 1200.00, service; 60, Windstream, 142.20, service. COUNTY CLERK LIEN FEE: 26, Quill, 631.06, office supplies. EXPO: 60, Classic Paper, 308.80, supplies; 61, Hope True Value, 222.01, parts & supplies; 62, McClain County District 2, 102.50, fuel; 63, Windstream, 259.45, service; 64, Purcell Public Works, 1437.07, service; 65, ONG, 277.74, service; 66, Annie & Lloyd Tree, 2077.50, service; 67, Unifirst, 46.16, service. GENERAL: 658, Badgepass, 225.00, supplies; 659, Classic Paper, 182.86, supplies; 660, Center for Local Government, 1250.00, service; 661, Critical Comm., 91.45, service; 662, Eureka Water, 8.95, supplies; 663, Purcell Register, 149.70, commissioner's minutes; 664, Suddenlink, 149.95, service; 665, Sheehy Signs, 45.00, retirement plaque; 666, Trans Union Risk, 70.00, service; 667, Verizon, 560.14, service; 668, Oklahoma Sheriffs Association, 1200.00, membership dues; 669, Eureka Water, 6.95, supplies; 670, Eureka Water, 6.95, supplies; 671, Eureka Water, 75.00, supplies; 672, Purcell Public Works, 9921.30, service; 673, R K Black, 409.54, contract services; 674, Okla. Dept. of Public Safety-OLETS, 350.00, dispatch service; 675, R K Black, 81.97, contract services; 676, Windstream, 224.74, service; 677, Tisdal & O'Hara PLLC, 888.00, legal services.

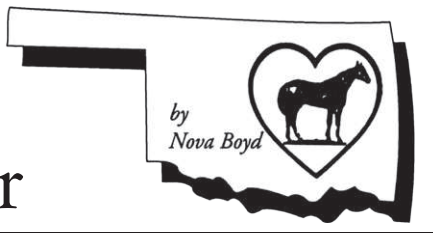
HEALTH: 232, McKesson Medical, 181.25, supplies; 233, Windstream, 554.45, service; 234, Shred-It, 93.45, service; 235, Oklahoma Copier Solutions, 532.44, service; 236, Pitney Bowes, 143.01, lease. MORTGAGE TAX CERT FEE: 13, Windstream, 160.64, service. PRESERVATION FEE: 9, Mid West Printing, 4326.17, supplies. SHERIFF DRUG FORFEITURE FUND-FEDERAL: 1, Office Depot, 419.97, computer. SHERIFF SERVICE FEES: 259, Classic Paper, 269.18, supplies; 260, Classic Paper, 446.78, supplies; 261, Classic Paper, 390.75, supplies; 262, Classic Paper,

473.03, supplies; 263, MTM Recognition, 419.51, badges; 264, Starchys Cleaners, 35.00, service; 265, Windstream, 428.69, service; 266, Classic Paper, 512.73, supplies; 267, Eureka Water, 50.95, supplies; 268, Don Hewett, 269.78, travel; 269, Don Hewett, 198.34, travel; 270, Finish Line, 4413.43, fuel. SHERIFFS COMMISSARY FUND: 16, Office Depot, 237.05, supplies; 17, Office Depot, 149.99, computer accessories. T-COUNTY HIGHWAY: 909, Eureka Water, 41.70, supplies; 910, MJR Investments, 111.88, supplies; 911, Midwest Hose & Specialty, 80.18, supplies; 912, Mid Continent Truck sales, 1017.46, service; 913, Mid Continent Truck Sales, 24.74, parts & supplies; 914, Midwest Hose & Specialty, 70.80, pipe; 915, Mid Continent, 27.48, parts & supplies; 916, Mid Continent Truck Sales, 31.33, parts & supplies; 917, P&K Equipment, 539.98, supplies; 918, P&K Equipment, 2796.07, chain saw; 919, P&K Equipment, 13.99, supplies; 920, P&K Equipment, 469.37, supplies; 921, Unifirst, 466.08, service; 922, Purcell Public Works, 510.00, service; 923, Hoidale, 263.00, supplies; 924, Palace Auto, 129.65, supplies; 925, VVV Tire, 50.00, service; 926, James Supply, 423.00, lease; 927, OG&E, 35.10, service; 928, OG&E, 327.03, service; 929, Oklahoma Territory Crane Sales, 577.94, supplies; 930, Hoidale, 208.32, batteries; 931, Classic Paper, 97.20, supplies; 932, Mid America Technology, 350.00, class; 933, Nichols Machine, 127.98, supplies; 934, Dolese Bros., 3567.65, supplies; 935, James Supply, 191.50, supplies; 936, Blessing Gravel, 93.16, gravel; 937, SteelCo, 96.55, supplies.

Mr. Foster moved to approve Blanket Purchase Orders as on file in County Clerk's office, seconded by Mr. Perry. Vote Aye: Mr. McGowen, Mr. Perry, Mr. Foster No transfers were requested. Mr. Perry moved, Mr. Foster seconded to approve the following road crossing permit: Valor Telecommunications of Texas, starting in Section 19, T6NR2W and ending in Section 30, T6NR2W in District Two. Vote Aye: Mr. McGowen, Mr. Perry, Mr. Foster No action taken on Wayne Road Project in District One. No action taken on the Courthouse roof restoration and repair. Mr. Perry moved, Mr. Foster seconded to authorize payment for Chamber of Commerce fees for 2017 at the same rate as last year. Vote Aye: Mr. McGowen, Mr. Perry, Mr. Foster Item #8 was struck from the agenda. Mr. Foster moved, Mr. Perry seconded to authorize OPES Inc. to establish a new spill prevention, control, and countermeasure plan for the fuel tanks at each district for \$1,450.00 and to be split between the three districts. Vote Aye: Mr. McGowen, Mr. Perry, Mr. Foster Mr. Perry moved, Mr. Foster seconded to resolve to advertise to bid for lease purchase of one used 2012 or newer truck tractor with vendor financing for District Two. Vote Aye: Mr. McGowen, Mr. Perry, Mr. Foster Mr. Foster moved, Mr. Perry seconded to approve Ron Johnson and Donnell Weatherall as Requisitioning Officers for Local Emergency Planning Committee. Vote Aye: Mr. McGowen, Mr. Perry, Mr. Foster

Mr. Perry moved, Mr. Foster seconded to approve of amended monthly officers report for Court Clerk for December 2016. Vote Aye: Mr. McGowen, Mr. Perry, Mr. Foster With no further business, Mr. Foster moved to adjourn, Mr. Perry seconded. Vote Aye: Mr. McGowen, Mr. Perry, Mr. Foster MCCLAIN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS Benny McGowen, Chairman Charles Foster, Vice Chairman Wilson Lyles, Member Attest: Pam Beller County Clerk

The Horseman's Corner



National Reining Horse Association 2016 Futurity and North American Affiliate Championships Results

The annual National Reining Horse Association Futurity was held November 24-December 2 at the Oklahoma State Fairgrounds Arena. This year marks the 50th Anniversary of the NRHA Futurity. The world's best reining horses and competitors came to Oklahoma City to compete for more than \$2 million in total purse and cash prizes.

The NRHA Futurity showcases the exciting performances of the world's best 3-year-old reining horses and riders.

This year marked the return of Freestyle reining to the Futurity, presented by the Oklahoma City Convention & Visitors Bureau. Eighteen NRHA members submitted their best freestyle reining videos to be uploaded to NRHA's social media page in hopes that their scores would take them to compete for the "slide of their life."

During the month of August, the public had their chance to vote on their favorites and chose Terri June Granger of Dothan, Ala.; Robyn Schiller from Hollister, Calif.; Amber Edmonds of Pepperell, Mass.; and Olivia Pakula from Scottsdale, Ariz. They joined the top three riders from the Congress reining: Pete Kyle, Drake Johnson and Heather Johnson, and the top three from the 2016 RAM Invitational: Bub Poplin, Shane Allen Brown and Steve Schwarzenberger. This unique reining competition wrapped up the 50th anniversary of NHRA.

Each year the Futurity hosts the North American Affiliate Championships (NAAC). The Championships are for NRHA members and horses who have qualified through their respective Regional Affiliate Finals. Each final sends its eight highest placing riders, plus ties, to the NAAC to compete for North American bragging rights.

A major milestone was reached at the Futurity for Wimpys Little Step, a beautiful and noble palomino American Quarter Horse who is owned

by Xtra Quarter Horses, Purcell, and stands at stud there. Wimpys Little Step crossed the NRHA Nine Million Dollar Sire mark. This impressive stallion's offspring earnings prior to the 2016 NRHA Futurity and NAAC Championship was \$8,981,037.25. Wimpys Little Step is NRHA's first and only \$9 million sire.

Of the five highest scores posted in any round of the Futurity, Trevor Dare, assistant trainer for Xtra Quarter Horses, scored a 223.0 in the Open Futurity First Go section 3 of the Level 4 division, showing Xtra New Pal Voodoo (Shiners Voodoo Drx Wimpys New Pal) owned by Xtra Quarter Horses. The top score to beat was 225.5.

NRHA Futurity Results:
Open Level 4 Futurity (379 entries)—4th, Xtra New Pal Voodoo, shown by Trevor Elliot Dare, assistant trainer for Xtra Quarter Horses, owned by Xtra Quarter Horses, Purcell; Tie for 6th, Oops Itsa Spooks, shown by Gabriel Diano, Diano Performance Horses, Purcell, for AC Quarter Horses LLC; Tie for 25th, Tunes In Hollywood, shown by Gabriel Diano for Maria Buey Arietti.

Open Level 3 Futurity (289 entries)—Tie for 2nd, Oops Itsa Spook, shown by Gabriel Diano, Diano Performance Horses, Purcell, for AC Quarter Horses LLC; Tie for 10th, Wimpys Della Reno, shown by Gabriel Diano, Purcell, for AC Quarter Horses, LLC; Tie for 22nd, Tunes In Hollywood, shown by Gabriel Diano for Maria Buey Arietti.

Non-Pro Level 3 Futurity (185 entries)—22nd, Bonnita Morena, owned and shown by Ruben Pacheco Cuevas, Wynnewood.

Ancillary Show Results:
Ancillary Limited Open—4th, Imafrostedpepto, shown by Jenna Blumer for James Blumer, Jr., Purcell; 11th, Shiners Banjo, shown by Josefine Spangfors, trainer for Euro Vets, Pauls Valley, owned by Euro Vets; 21st, Imafrostyctic, shown by Jenna Blumer for James Blumer, Jr.; Tie for 24th, Im Sugar Not Trash, shown by Jenna Blumer for James Blumer, Jr.

Ancillary Non-Pro—25th, Si Lady Gunner, owned and shown by Ruben Pacheco Cuevas, Wynnewood; 50th, Big Rowdy Mel, shown by Julia Purus, daughter of Randy and Gertrude Purus, Empire Ranch, Purcell, owned by Kathleen Moseley.

Ancillary Limited Non-Pro (97 entries)—1st, Wimpys Little Nite, owned and shown by Courtney Battison, Battison Ranch, Purcell, trained by Marie Kleiner, assistant trainer for Xtra Quarter Horses, Purcell; 43rd, Big Rowdy Mel, shown by Julia Purus, daughter of Randy and Gertrude Purus, Empire Ranch, Purcell, owned by Kathleen Moseley.

Novice Horse Open Level (42 entries)—33rd, Imafrostedpepto, shown by Jenna Blumer for James Blumer, Jr., Purcell.

North American Affiliate Championships

NAAC Intermediate Open (28 entries)—Tie for 19th, Shiners Banjo, , shown by Josefine Spangfors, trainer for Euro Vets, Pauls Valley, owned by Euro Vets, Pauls Valley; Tie for 19th, Im Sugar Not Trash, shown by Jenna Blumer for Jim Blumer, Jr., Purcell.

NAAC Limited Open—Tie for 8th, Shiners Banjo, , shown by Josefine Spangfors, trainer for Euro Vets, Pauls Valley, owned by Euro Vets, Pauls Valley; 16th, Imafrostyctic, shown by Jenna Blumer for Jim Blumer, Jr., Purcell; Tie for 18th, Im Sugar Not Trash, shown by Jenna Blumer for Jim Blumer, Jr., Purcell.

NAAC Non Pro—23rd, Imafrostyctic, shown by Samantha Musante, owned by Jim Blumer, Jr., Purcell.

NAAC Novice Horse Non Pro Level 2—Tie for 13th, Si Lady Gunner, owned and shown by Ruben Pacheco Cuevas, Maysville.

NAAC Novice Horse Open Level 1—15th, Imafrostyctic, shown by Samantha Musante, owned by Jim Blumer, Jr., Purcell.

NAAC Novice Horse Open Level 2—21st, Imafrostyctic, shown by Samantha Musante, owned by Jim Blumer, Jr., Purcell.



• Photo provided

Ancillary Limited Non Pro

Courtney Battison, Purcell, and her horse, Wimpys Little Nite, by Wimpys Little Step, winner of the Ancillary Limited Non Pro. Pictured on the left is Thiago Boechat, manager and head trainer at Xtra Quarter Horses, and left of him is Marie Kleiner, assistant trainer, who trains Courtney's horse. On the right is Courtney's dad, Larry Battison.



• Photo provided

Top five scorer

Trevor Dare, assistant trainer for Xtra Quarter Horses, Purcell, posted a 223 in the Open Futurity First Go, Section 3 of the Level 4 Open Futurity, the highest score in the preliminaries, and one of the top five scores of the show.

PURCELL SCHOOL MENU Week of January 30

MONDAY BREAKFAST

Biscuit, sausage patty, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Chili pie or comdog, pinto beans, corn, pears, juice, milk.

TUESDAY BREAKFAST

Pumpkin chocolate chip muffin, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Sloppy joe on a roll or hotdog in a bun, french fries, creamy coleslaw, peaches, chocolate chip cookies, juice, milk.

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French toast sticks, syrup, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Chicken and noodles and beef and bean burrito, green beans, peas and carrots, pineapple chunks, salsa, fruit cobbler, juice, milk.

THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Toast, scrambled eggs, jelly, ketchup, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

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FRIDAY BREAKFAST

Breakfast burrito, salsa, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Chicken quesadilla or pepperoni pizza, zucchini squash, romaine salad with ranch dressing, applesauce, salsa, rice krispy treats, juice, milk.

No. 60-January 26-1 Time
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The McClain County Board of Commissioners will be receiving sealed bids until 4:00 p.m., February 3, 2017 and the opening will be February 6, 2017 at 8:30 a.m., for bid for Purchase of one (1) used 2001 or newer tanker truck for Byars Rural Fire Department.

Invitation to Bid forms are on file in the McClain County Clerk's Office, McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma or request to be mailed. Submit bids to McClain County Clerk, PO Box 629, Purcell, Oklahoma 73080.

The Board has the right to accept or reject any/and/or all bids

SEAL
DATE: 1/23/17
/s/ Pam Beller
Pam Beller
County Clerk

No. 65-January 26-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATES OF: HARVEY JOE BROOKS, deceased; and KATHRYN SARAH BROOKS, deceased.

Case No. PB-2016-113
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO THE CREDITORS OF THE ABOVE NAMED DECEDENT:

All creditors having claims against HARVEY JOE BROOKS, deceased, and KATHRYN SARAH BROOKS, deceased, are required to present the same, with a description of all security interests and other collateral, if any, held by each creditor with respect to such claim, to BENNY MACK BROOKS and KATHY JO BROOKS AGEE, Personal Representatives of the above mentioned estates at the law office of Ted W. Haxel, 108 North Second Street, Purcell, Oklahoma 73080, on or before the following presentment date: March 30, 2017, or the same will be forever barred.

Dated this 21st day of January, 2017.

/s/ Benny Mack Brooks
BENNY MACK BROOKS
Personal Representative
/s/ Kathy Jo Brooks Agee
KATHY JO BROOKS AGEE
Personal Representative

By: /s/ Ted W. Haxel
Ted W. Haxel (OBA #3997)
108 North Second Street
Post Office Box 367
Purcell, Oklahoma 73080
(405) 527-5888 phone
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haxellaw@aol.com
ATTORNEY FOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES

Legal Publications

No. 62-January 26-1 Time
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

In the matter of the ESTATE OF JEMELENE CHASTAIN MOORE, deceased
Case No. PB-2017-7
NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION FOR ADMISSION OF FOREIGN WILL TO ANCILLARY PROBATE PROCEEDINGS;

APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE WITHOUT BOND; ISSUANCE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY; AND FOR A JUDICIAL DETERMINATION OF THE DEATH AND HEIRS OF JEMELENE CHASTAIN MOORE
Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the estate of the above named decedent that the Petitioner herein has produced and filed herein an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of said decedent

together with a Petition praying for ancillary probate of said Will and that Letters Testamentary issue to Petitioner as provided in said Will. Said Petition will be heard in the Courtroom of the undersigned, or a Judge of this Court to whom the matter is regularly assigned in the McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma, on the 16th day of February, 2017, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., at which time persons may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said Petition should not be granted.
Dated this 23rd day of January, 2017.

/s/ Charles Gray
Judge of the District Court
Ted W. Haxel (OBA # 3997)
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No. 69-January 26-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATES OF FRANK E. HANDKE, Deceased, and ORTHA E. HANDKE, Deceased.
Case No. PB-16-94
NOTICE OF HEARING FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT,
PETITION FOR DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION AND DISCHARGE OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Notice is hereby given that Harold A. Handke, the duly appointed and qualified Personal Representative of the Estates of Frank E. Handke, Deceased and Ortha E. Handke, Deceased, has filed his Final Account, Petition for Decree of Distribution and Discharge of Personal Representative. A hearing has been fixed by the Judge of the Court for the

16th day of February 2017, at 9:30 o'clock a.m. in the District Courtroom of Judge Charles Gray, County Courthouse, Purcell, McClain County, Oklahoma, and all persons interested in the Estates are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why the Account should not be settled and allowed, the Estates distributed and the Personal Representative discharged.
DATED this 24th day of January 2017.

CHARLES GRAY
ASSOCIATE
DISTRICT JUDGE
JUDGE OF DISTRICT COURT
James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881
138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565
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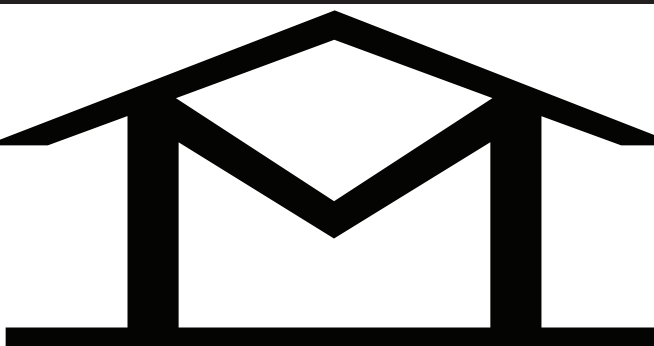
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INVESTMENT PROPERTY 2 bed, 824sf 219 N Canadian #753995

INVESTMENT PROPERTY 2 bed, 1 ba, 2,076sf 227 W Brule #754079

INVESTMENT PROPERTY 2 bed, 760sf 628 W Brule #754082

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COMMERCIAL

COMMERCIAL LOT on corner of Iowa & S 2nd. 165' x200' #755143

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Washington Elementary honor rolls

Angie Steele
Washington Correspondent

The following students have made the honor roll for the second nine weeks of school.

Students on the Superintendent's honor roll have all As and students on the Principal's honor roll have all As and Bs.

**Superintendent's Honor Roll
Third Grade**

Teacher: Cline
Owen Andrews, Ashlynn Beller, Rheve Castle, Kassidy Keiser and Brylee McLaughlin.

Teacher: Haynes
Sam Cantrell, Valerie Hernandez, Addie Jackson, Reese Schrader and Scarlett Tontz.

Teacher: Larman
Jayleen Castanon, Emma Flick, Morgan Hedenberg, Logan Janaway, Preslee Johnson, Aidrey Loving and Xander Portillo.

Teacher: Stuever
Slade Flora, Bailey McAlister, Mackenzie Miller, Sabrina Posey, Colt Stinnett, Lillian Vandivort and Jayden Wells.

Fourth Grade

Teacher: Akridge
Dakota Barker, Axel Boggs, Landon Hager, James Higdon, Rilyn Scheffe, Reese Stidham and Brysen Willes.

Teacher: Kulbeth
Mason Adams, Ivana Cooper, Kale Fullingim, Addy Larman, Tanner Olson, Olivia Palumbo, Delia Snow, Andi Thomas, Mikala West and Tatum Wilk.

Teacher: McPherson
Talance Barnes, Taylon Eliott, Karlie Haskins, Dylan Landress, Madison McGowan, Breanna Miller, Garrett Riley, Paisley Taylor, Carli Warren and Arlie Wilson.

Teacher: Six
Tourney Childress, Zenon Hendrix, Taydem Perryman and Everett Shapiro.

Fifth Grade

Teacher: Brewer
Cole Beller, Maddie Green, Haley Landress, Aubrey Pyle and Jeremiah Tontz.

Teacher: Brown
Emiley Baxter, Haven Brewer, Jack Dodson and Cal Dubois.

Teacher: Hancock
Kendall Bosler, Karysn Clayton, Jace Cole, Emma Harding, Baylor Haynes, Emjay Lucas, Krissi Norman and Turner Tague.

Teacher: Paulk
Bailey Hyde, Emily Madden and Kyley Wade.

**Principal's Honor Roll
Third Grade**

Teacher: Barefoot
Kelby Beller, Aydian Bray, Rylie Caldwell, Clay Davis, Addison Fox, Dakota Fullingim, Emily Hulsey, Noah Price, Jude Savage, Sammy Self and Kingston Stringer.

Teacher: Haynes
Dylan Couch, Elizabeth Dunn, Blake Heiliger, Jayden Keese, Grey McGuire, Johnathan Montoya, Jace Meyers, Jackson Rico, Kinser Scott and Lily Wells.

Teacher: Larman
Brenden Cannon, Braedon Hutchinson, Liam Keltner, Blake Knight, Addy Lanham, Allie Madden, Miller Orr, Cason Pickett and Dorothy Shepard.

Teacher: Stuever
Courtney Couch, Laney Gay, Kallon Hodges, Kynsli Hyde, Jax Mitchell, Aly Reyes, Colton Sims, Lane Taylor and Zeke Wilson.

Fourth Grade

Teacher: Akridge
Maranda Deal, Elyssa Dorsett, Carson Elliott, Logan Glasgow, Maxx Gray, Anna Herndon, James Higdon, Brenna Lindert, Owen McCalip, Lexi Rector, Andi Sanders and Cash Sides.

Teacher: Kulbeth
Hadley Barefoot, Waylon Briscoe, Nicole Cassell, Aubrey DeMattie, Micha Dunn, Teagan Foster, Jordan Kilmer,

Jesus Ledezma and Evan Peters.

Teacher: McPherson

Neali Beller, Hunter Bonner, Ethan Clark, Gavin Davidson, Keith Hartley, Kylie Jacobs, Zoey Lawrence, Alex Pacheco, Jesse Schreff, Mason Singletary and Sophie Stroud.

Teacher: Six

Noah Bennett, Connor Cheek, Edgar DeLora, Carson Dover, Jayden Larman, Sage Ryan and Garrett Wolfe.

Fifth Grade

Teacher: Brewer
Jesse Cary, Tiffani Lairson, Leland Morris, Melanie Rodriguez, Melissa Rodriguez and Wyatt Wilk.

Teacher: Brown

Halle Andrews, Taylor Bridwell, Paige Burns, Trinity Cassell, David Castanon, Jake Coles, Garrett Frazier, Mason Hunt, Baehlor Larman, Daisey Morris and Colin Turner.

Teacher: Hancock

McKenzie Clark, Alexis Gay, Kameron Keese, Cage Morris, Nate Nelson, Keeley Scott and Presley Strickland.

Teacher: Paulk

Lindsey Aguirre, Major Cantrell, Ashlynn Bray, Rhett Castle, Cody Dennis, Aylin Hernandez, Evan Madden, Kade Norman, Aldo Reyes, Rylee Stephens, Case Taylor and Ben Vaughn.

Washington School Events

Thursday, January 26—HS Basketball, Pauls Valley, 6:30 p.m.

Friday, January 27—Homecoming; HS Basketball vs. Lindsay, 6:30 p.m.

Monday, January 30—HS Basketball vs. Marlow, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, January 31—HS Basketball vs. Purcell, 6:30 p.m.

Friday, February 3—HS Basketball at Pauls Valley, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, February 7—HS Basketball at Bridgecreek, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 9—HS Basketball Match Play at Bridgecreek.

Friday, February 10—HS Basketball Match Play at Bridgecreek; Parent/Teacher Conference.

First Baptist Church of Cole

Church schedule: Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. and worship at 10:45 a.m. Sunday evening Bible Study at 6 p.m.

Wednesday evening activities for all ages at 7 p.m. The church website is www.fbcole.org.

The church is located in Cole on SH 74 B between Washington and Blanchard.

For more information, send an email to the website or call (405) 485-3377.

Washington United Methodist Church

We are a friendly, Bible based church where everyone is welcome. Our Sunday worship service begins at 11 a.m.

You can call us at 288-1775, find us online at washingtonumc.net or on Facebook under Washington United Methodist Church, Oklahoma.

Union Hill Baptist Church

Sundays—Age Group Bible studies, 9:45 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.; Children's Church, 11 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Wednesdays—Evening meal, 5:30 p.m.; Age Group Bible Studies, 6:30 p.m.

Monthly Schedule—Retired/Senior Lunch, 4th Tuesday at Noon; Men's Breakfast, 1st Saturday of each month, 7 a.m.

First Baptist Church Washington

Weekly Worship Service Times:

Sunday—10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Weekly Small Group Opportunities:

Youth Bible Study, Sundays, 5 p.m. and Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

GAs (girls 1-5 grade), RAs (boys 1-5 grade), Sundays at 5 p.m.

Mission Friends (Pre-K and Kindergarten), Sundays, 5 p.m.

Ladies' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9 a.m.

Kid's Choir and Bible Study, Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

Journey Through the Bible, Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

Upcoming Events

Senior Adult Valentine's Day Luncheon—Sunday, February 12, noon, hosted by the deacons.

BGCO Women's Retreat at Falls Creek—April 21 and 22. Everyone welcome. Please register by March 23. \$75 per adult, \$35 for girls ages 13-18. Please call the church office at 288-6060 for more information or help registering.

Baptist General Convention—Men's Conference at Falls Creek April 28 and 29. Everyone welcome. Please register by April 14. \$60 per adult, \$60 for youth ages 13-18. Please call the church office at 288-6060 for more information or help registering.

Pioneer Library Reading and Craft Time—Tuesday, February 14, 10-11 a.m. On the Second Tuesday of each month the Pioneer Library hosts a Story and Craft time at our church from 10-11 a.m. It's free and everyone is welcome to bring their children for a fun and educational time.

Men's Breakfast—Saturday, February 4, 7:30 a.m.

Connect with us at office@fbcwashington.com, 288-6060, Facebook: FBC Washington, Twitter @FBC-WashingtonOK.

Dale K. Graham Norman Veteran's Corner

Dale K. Graham Veteran's Corner is not affiliated with any other organization. Our services are only provided at Faith Pointe Baptist Church, 3404 NW 36th, in Norman.

To schedule a visit for Tuesdays, please contact Helen at 405-550-8806 Ext. 102. We are at the church each Thursday morning at 7 a.m. Please arrive by 9 a.m.

Dale K. Graham Veteran's Corner Veteran of the Week Leroy Selby is a World War II veteran who served in the United States Marines. He

makes his home in Oklahoma City.

World War II and Korean Veteran Jarl McDaniel of Dallas, Texas, is our Veteran of the Week. Mr. McDaniel served during the 1940s and 1950s.

Last Tuesday and Thursday were good examples of why we dedicate those two days each week to helping veterans and their families. One hundred ninety-seven men and women visited us for help with their VA claims and questions. We prescreen each veteran or spouse's claim using our triage system. Doing this enables us to reduce the wait time for most of the men and women we assist.

To speed up the claim process, we are also faxing all of the VA form 21-22A to the Claims Intake Center in Janesville, Wisc., where they are scanned into the Department of Veterans Affairs database. During the last few years, the VA has made many changes in the way veteran and surviving spouse claims are processed.

During the 16 months we have been operating out of Faith Pointe Baptist Church, the number of veterans from our local area has increased

dramatically. When we were at Goldsby, I thought that most of the veterans in the McClain and Cleveland counties had visited us. To my surprise, we are now seeing from 10 to 25 veterans and surviving spouses from these counties each week. One of the things I would request you as a reader of this article to do is to share who we are and what we can do for your family, friends, church, co-worker or any civic groups. We are available to give a presentation and to speak to any organization about veterans or surviving spouse VA benefits.

As a VA Accredited Claims Agent, I'm able to review the complete electronic claims folder for all of the veterans represented by us. Most other group's assisting veterans and surviving spouses do not have access to your VA claims folder. This tool has enabled us to answer questions on the spot so that we can better help veterans and surviving spouses receive VA benefits in most instances.

Last week I received the following rating decisions from

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VA. Seven veterans were rated at 100 percent for their service connected conditions. These men and women will receive a combined annual compensation benefit of \$270,450.96 per year. Thirty-two veterans were approved for a VA disability rating from 10-90 percent. These veterans will receive an annual combined compensation of \$344,299.02. Three surviving spouses were approved for DIC or pension benefits. Their annual combined income will be \$49,025.48.

Last week we had 21 surviving spouses who assisted with their DIC or Pension benefits. We have a very knowledgeable group of ladies who specialize in these benefits. These volunteers are excellent at what they do, some of them have been working with us for the past eight years. For those of you whose spouse is a deceased veteran, please consider stopping by any Tuesday or Thursday morning or call Shirley at 405-361-9322.



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Veteran of the Week

Dale K. Graham Veteran's Corner Veteran of the Week is Jarl McDaniel of Dallas, Texas, who served in WWII and the Koren War during the 1940s and 1950s. We appreciate Mr. McDaniel for his service to our country.

For those of you who are donating to us on a monthly basis, we really appreciate you. You are helping us to make a difference in the lives of veterans and their families. We are working to build a projected budget that will allow us to know how much money we can use to pay for services for veterans and their families.

One of the most expensive things we assist veterans with is the cost of a medical diagnosis of their disability. Most of the time the Department of Veterans Affairs requires a diagnosis of a medical condition before it can be service connected. The VA has what is called a Disability Benefits Questionnaire that can be filled out by the veteran's medical provider for most any disease or disability.

Many veterans do not have the \$300 many medical providers charge for this type of medical examination. We help some veterans pay for these diagnoses based on their income and other criteria.

We also may pay rent, utilities, food, transportation, along with a host of other items. There are a lot of men and women in our state who are chronically homeless who might benefit from some of the VA programs that are available. As a 501(c)(3), your donations are tax deductible and greatly appreciated.

We are always on the lookout for handicap items such as lift chairs and wheelchairs (both push and electric). We also accept cars and trucks that are drivable to be given to those veterans in need or sold to raise funds to be used to provide services.

Another service we provide is transportation to medical appointments. Last week Clayton and Louie spent 66 hours transporting 20 folks and traveled more than 1,000

miles. That's quite a busy week for these dedicated volunteers.

We also appreciate Louie and his wife Norma who make sure we have food baskets available to those folks in need.

Dale K. Graham Veteran's Corner has food boxes available to those in need. An application for this type of assistance will be available on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. A DD-214 or military discharge will be needed to apply. Please contact Rhonda (405) 550-8806 Extension 103 to apply for a food box.

If you need a ride to and from a VA Medical Appointment, please contact Clayton at (405) 550-8806 Extension 105 or Louie at (405) 642-7100.

We are at Faith Pointe Baptist Church each Thursday morning at 7 a.m. Please arrive by 9 am. Contact Dale with any questions at (405) 550-8806 Extension 101 or dalekgrahamveteranscorner@gmail.com or Shirley Clark-Cowdin for spouse benefits at Extension 104. Visit our website at www.dalekgrahamveteranscorner.org. Semper Fi!

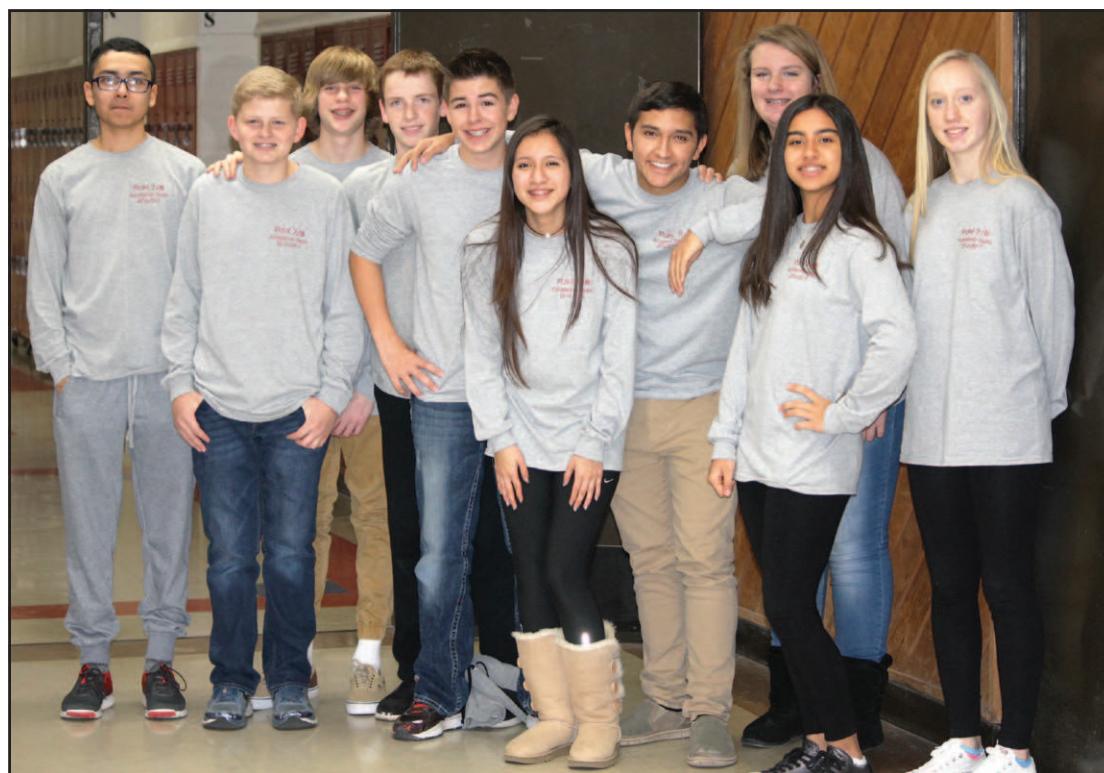
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Washington Correspondent Contact Information

I would love to share your personal or community news with our readers.

My contact information is angiesteele73@gmail.com or 413-2471 if you have any news to share, story ideas, or if you have someone you would like to see a feature article about. Send me birthday, anniversary, or personal news that you would like to share with our community.

Angie Steele



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Academic team headed to regionals

The Purcell Junior High Seventh/Eighth Grade Academic Team traveled to Tecumseh to compete in the District Contest January 17. The team, coached by Pam Kyzer, received runner-up. They will now move on to the Regional Contest on Saturday, February 11, at 9 a.m. in Bristow. Academic team members include (from left to right) Misael Duque, Dalton Holder, Kyle Ginn, Cade Smith, Ryan Maynard, Lizbeth Caralampio, Sam Wofford, Hailey Carpenter, Samantha Ardery and Alyssa Rogers.

McClain County 4-H Archery Club competes in contest

The McClain County 4-H Archery Club competed in the Oklahoma 4-H Archery Contest Jan. 21, 2017.

Michael Bird, Brooke Bollinger, Beth Bollinger, Lydia Deshotels, Naomi Kimble-Earl and Lucy Wilson were the 4-H Archers who represented McClain County.

In the Senior Compound Bow Division, Michael Bird came in first place with a score of 297 with 36 Xs. (An X means middle of the target). Beth Bollinger placed 11th with a score of 261 and 15 Xs and Brooke Bollinger placing 14th with a score of 261 and 11 Xs.

In the Intermediate Compound Bow Division, Naomi Kimble-Earl placed 13th with a score of 221 and 6 Xs.

In the Intermediate Recurve



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4-H Archers

McClain County 4-H Archery Club members include (from left) Lucy Wilson, Naomi Kimble-Earl, Michael Bird, Brooke Bollinger, Beth Bollinger and Lydia Deshotels.

Bow Division, Lucy Wilson placed third with a score of 100 and 1 X.

In the Junior Compound

Bow Division, Lydia Deshotels placed sixth with a score of 156. The team did a great job representing McClain County!

Courthouse News

The following persons have been charged by the State of Oklahoma with traffic or other violations or have filed other court actions in McClain County District Court between January 12-18, 2017.

Traffic

- Logan A. Monks, operate CMV without a CDL.
- Bradley D. Housely, no valid driver's license.
- Linsy P. Acosta, no valid driver's license.
- Roy R. Loftin, no valid driver's license.
- Madison S. Weisser, speeding, 85/75.
- Larry J. Willmon, no insurance.
- Brandon M. Meeks, speeding, 103/75.
- Lynn R. Whitney, no seatbelt.
- Christopher D. Landeros, no seatbelt.

Misdemeanors

- Adam C. Edwards, driving with license cancelled/suspended/revoked.
- Cynthia A. Bishop, driving with license cancelled/suspended/revoked.
- Joshua A. Chapman, protective order violation.
- Keith R. Spall, injure/molest motor vehicle.
- Eric S. Smith, obtaining cash or merchandise by bogus check/false pretenses.
- Michael G. Slay, public intoxication.
- Ronald G. Stoliby, malicious injury to property - under \$1000.
- Christopher E. Rhorer, larceny of merchandise from a retailer.
- Jacque L. Osborn, larceny of lost property.
- Kerry S. Richardson a/k/a Kerry S. Wilson, driving under suspension.
- Rocky W. Shelton, larceny of lost property.
- Julie D. Hook, knowingly conceal stolen property.
- James H. Murphy, assault on a police officer.
- Rachel K. Cook, larceny.

Clint W. Fields, breaking and entering dwelling without permission.

Ronald G. Stoliby, molesting an automobile.

Ashleigh E. Hart, larceny of merchandise from a retailer.

Wyatt C. Rhorer, larceny of merchandise from a retailer.

Jordan S. Egle, larceny of lost property.

La Tanya M. Zindel, malicious injury to property - under \$1000.

Joy L. Edward, larceny of lost property.

Cole D. Griffin, embezzlement.

Felonies

- Adam Herrera, possession of CDS - methamphetamine.
- Michael G. Slay, knowingly concealing stolen property.
- Tana S. Lang, knowingly concealing stolen property.
- Daniel P. Huff, unauthorized use of a vehicle.
- Saradon S. Menzie, possession of CDS - heroin.
- Torri M. Killian, use of vehicle in discharge of weapon.
- James A. Johnson, knowingly concealing stolen property.
- Randall T. Shelton, possession of CDS with intent to distribute - methamphetamine.
- Aaron G. Pickett, false declaration of ownership in pawn.
- Ronnie J. Davenport, possession of CDS.
- Michael G. Slay, possession of CDS.
- Andre D. Williams, unauthorized use of vehicle.
- Earon D. Hill, possession of CDS.
- Lacie J. Smith, possession of CDS.
- Darius A. Brown, possession of sawed-off shotgun/rifle.

Small Claims

- McClain Bank vs. Tom Adams, forcible entry and detainer over \$1501.
- Jon Teague vs. NUCO2, small claims over \$1501.
- Tower Loans vs. Linda L. Hatton, small claims under \$1500.

Civil

- Barclays Bank Delaware vs. Travis S. Albert, civil action \$10,000 or less.
- Discover Bank (Discover Card) vs. Kody B. Clouse, civil action \$10,000 or less.
- Midland Funding LLC vs. Nicole M. Phillips, civil action \$10,000 or less.
- LVNV Funding LLC vs. Alice Williamson, civil action \$10,000 or less.
- Capital One Bank (USA) NA vs. Bradley Ingle, civil action \$10,000 or less.
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- Deaconess Health System vs. Curtis Branum, civil action \$10,000 or less.
- Tinker Federal Credit Union vs. Keith A. Graham, civil action \$10,000 or less.
- Larry Dunaway vs. Star Travel Plaza Inc, civil action \$10,000 or more.
- Kasey Kimball vs. Maria D. Olguin, civil action \$10,000 or more.
- Citibank NA vs. Welsey Pitmon, civil action \$10,000 or more.
- Bayview Loan Servicing LLC vs. Amy L. Minson, civil action \$10,000 or more.
- State of Oklahoma Ex Rel Tax vs. Algis G. Bryant, civil action \$10,000 or more.
- State of Oklahoma Ex Rel Tax vs. Latina Austin, civil action \$10,000 or more.

Marriages Filed

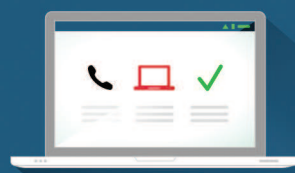
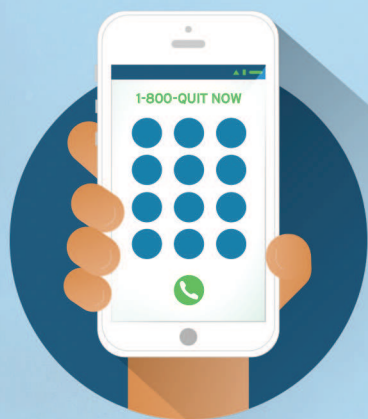
- Barry D. Askew, 49, and Mikki R. Dodson, 38, both of Purcell.
- Gregory T. Richardson, 39, and Lindsey S. Livingston, 31, both of Blanchard.
- Thomas J. Terry, 28, and Haylie E. Haynes, 26, both of Wanette.

Divorces Granted

- John E. Kemp vs. Linda M. Kemp.
- Zakery J. Ham vs. Kristin R. Ham.

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