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him by asking.'*  
--John Gunther

# INDEPENDENCE

## Texas History Stroll Saturday in Acton

### Texas Independence Celebration

Community invited to Texas History Stroll Saturday, March 4

Free event at Acton Cemetery parking area from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Meet Texas heroes like David Crockett, William B. Travis and other historic characters



**CELEBRATE AND REMEMBER:** Cornerstone Christian Academy seniors Caylen Smith (left) and Tatianna Hurst are ready for the Texas Independence Day celebration. Student activities are Thursday and Friday in Acton. The

student history fair opens for viewing Friday at 4 p.m. at Acton Baptist Church. Awards will be given at 6. The public is invited to a free event from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday at the Acton Cemetery parking area. Dubbed

DEBBIE SCHNEIDER | HOOD COUNTY NEWS | BUY REPRINTS AT HCNEWS.COM/GALLERIES the Texas History Stroll, the community is invited to meet Texas heroes like David Crockett, William B. Travis and other historic characters. Shiro's Cannon will give a big black powder boom as part of the celebration.

## Students encourage others to delve into history

BY DEBBIE SCHNEIDER  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

Caylen Smith is a history buff. She's been participating in the Texas Independence Day celebration for the past five years. She's also a member of the Teen Board for Texas Heroes Foundation. To spread their love of Texas history, Smith and other teen board members encourage other students to learn more about the state's history.

"We promote Texas history with posts on social media," she said. How does she motivate other students to participate in the student history fair? Smith grinned and said, "The cash prizes are a pretty good incentive." She and best friend Tatianna Hurst, both seniors at Cornerstone Christian Academy, teamed up for their entry this year.

"We decided to focus on one of the lesser known figures in Texas history," said Smith. The girls researched Lorenzo de Zavala, who helped design the Texas flag. The city of Zavala was named for him. The project focuses on many accomplishments by Zavala as Texas became independent of Mexico. Standing 6 feet tall, it's a big display. Smith is hoping for a better finish this year. "I usually get

seconds and thirds," she said. After graduation, both girls plan to attend Dallas Baptist University. Smith will major in elementary education, with a minor in missions. "I hope to teach overseas. I am super excited about it!" Hurst is undecided about her field, though she's interested in youth and ministries. **CELEBRATION SATURDAY** To provide insight into Texas

history, the Texas Heroes Foundation annually sponsors an event to celebrate Texas Independence Day. March 2, 1836, is the day Texas declared independence from Mexico. THF sponsors a history fair and program at Elizabeth Crockett's memorial for students Thursday and Friday at Acton Baptist Church and Acton Cemetery. More than 1,000 students will be attending the Student Stroll

Thursday and Friday. Viewing for the history fair is from 4 to 6:30 p.m. Friday at Acton Baptist. Awards will be presented at 6. The public event is free and takes place Saturday, March 4, at the Acton Cemetery parking area from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Dubbed the Texas History Stroll, the community is invited to meet Texas heroes like David Crockett, William B. Travis and other historic characters.



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### On the bench

The Lipan Lady Indians watch on with nervous faces during their regional semifinal game against Slidell on Friday night in Mansfield. The Lady

Indians, defending state champions, were overtaken 35-30 and eliminated from the playoffs. For a full recap of Lipan's playoff loss, see P. 6A.

## Y moving toward expanded parking

BY KATHY CRUZ  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

Officials with the city, county and YMCA are working together to navigate the red tape associated with expanding the Y's parking lot. The county's new recreation center, which opened 10 months ago and serves as the headquarters for the YMCA of Hood County, had not been open long when it became clear that parking was going to be an issue, even though the parking lot is twice the size of the Y's former location. It's not a problem all the time, just during peak hours, according to YMCA Executive Director Lisa Gossard. Plans are in the works to add 42-46 more parking spaces. Gossard said that a request for "one or two variances" will go before the city's Zoning Board

of Adjustment on March 28. "Hopefully, we will get approval and will move forward with the project," she said. Shortly after the rec center opened last year, the city posted no-parking signs on the east side of James Road after Y patrons began parking on both sides of that street. People are still allowed to park on the west side of James Road. Gossard said that Y members have been adhering to the no-parking rule as it pertains to the east side of the street. She said that she hopes people will understand that expanding the Y's parking lot "is a process" and that officials are working to make it happen. Gossard predicts that the parking lot expansion will probably happen in late May or early June. The Hood County YMCA is

now the largest membership branch in its association and has surpassed membership at the popular Y facility in Benbrook, Gossard stated. She said the Hood County Y has 3,134 membership "units," which translates to about 7,800 people. Part of the parking problem, Gossard said, is that, not only has the Y grown in memberships, but the number of visits has doubled. In other words, some people may be coming to the Y more than once a day, perhaps working out and coming back later with their kids. "That's a great problem to have, but it's just one of those things that you can't necessarily predict is going to happen," Gossard said. "We have been very pleased, but it has created a parking challenge."

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**INSPIRATION:** Special music and speakers were part of the Lake Granbury Ministerial Alliance Black History Month Celebration. We Can Work It Out was the theme for the program at the Granbury Resort Conference Center Sunday evening. 1B.



# Company hopes to build affordable housing for seniors

BY KATHY CRUZ  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

The Granbury City Council has adopted a resolution in support of Granbury Manor, a proposed senior housing complex consisting of 25 duplexes, or 50 units.

It's much too soon, though, to get excited.

The project still has hurdles to clear, and it will likely have a lot of competition in snagging housing tax credits from the state.



Parson

Every year, interested parties can apply for tax housing credits and can request resolutions of support from cities where they hope to build.

Resolutions and letters of support are included with applications to the state. They help build points that are used in the scoring system that determines which entities get chosen.

The application process is

competitive across the state, and involves federal funds.

One entity - Wheatland Investments Group - applied this year with the city in preparation for seeking the tax credits.

According to Mayor Pro Tem Mickey Parson, Granbury Manor would not be low-income housing, but rather "affordable housing."

According to a document on file with the city, it would be located at 4416 E. Highway 377 (near FM 167) and would consist of units that are one bedroom-

one bathroom and two-bedroom units with two bathrooms.

The one-bedroom units would be 710 square feet, and the two-bedroom units would be 873 square feet.

United Way of Hood County has submitted a letter in support of the proposed Granbury project.

Parson said that only a handful of applicants are selected each year for the tax credits.

"It's pretty hard money to come by," he said.

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## What Is It?



COURTESY

**ANY IDEAS?** This piece has feet and is set up to hold water, though its current owner would like to know more about its unusual shape and what it may have been designed to do. If you have any information or ideas, please call or email Bethany Kurtz at 817-573-7066, ext. 256 or bkurtz@hcnews.com.

## Tub, sink or something else? Reader seeks help

The owners of this week's "What Is It?" item is not sure what it started out as.

"We discovered this 'tub-sink-mystery item' back behind an outbuilding on my husband's old home place in Arkansas many years ago with standing water in it," said Ginger Hale. "It has obviously been plumbed for water as there is a drain in the bottom, but I don't know if it came that way."

The cast iron piece is extremely heavy, she said, with porcelain coating on the inside.

It has four large ball and claw feet on the bottom.

"My guess, and only a guess, is that it might have been an old farm sink," she said.

The item is 20 inches high in the back, 14.5 inches high on the front side, 28 inches from front to back, and 28.5 inches side to side.

"There are no names on it that we have been able to find.

It is so cute I couldn't just let it sit outside and rust away," Hale said. "I've always wanted to have it 'reclaimed' to its original beauty but just never got around to it and didn't know whom to entrust it to."

**Does this item look familiar?**

Give us a call, an email or a letter explaining what you know about the object and how you learned it so we can share the information in the paper. Direct calls and emails to Bethany Kurtz at bkurtz@hcnews.com or 817-573-7066, ext. 256.

To enter a new mystery item, send a photo and a short description. We will share the item in a future issue.

Submitted items and answers must include a name and city for publication. Please also include a way to reach you if our staff need more information.



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**STAMPEDE:** As evidenced by this photo taken a few years ago, the city's annual Community Wide Easter Egg Hunt is a big deal, especially when the weather cooperates. The Parks and Recreation Department is asking for donations of individually wrapped candies (not chocolate or homemade)

and welcomes companies that would like to sponsor a booth or game. Those interested can contact Maggie Wylie by calling 817-573-7030 or emailing mwylie@granbury.org.

# City gets hopping on Easter Egg Hunt

## Donations, vendors needed

BY KATHY CRUZ  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

The city of Granbury could use a little eggstra help this year with the 6th Annual Community Wide Easter Egg Hunt, planned for Saturday, April 8.

The city's Parks and Recreation Department is seeking donations for the hunt itself, as well as participation from local businesses and agencies.

For those who would like to

donate, the city needs individually wrapped candies (not chocolate or homemade, though), plastic eggs and prizes for prize eggs.

For those willing to participate in the 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. event, the city needs informational booths, vendors and games.

There will be a limited number of booths/vendors, and those spots will be awarded on

a first-come, first-served basis.

Here are a few rules/guidelines:

Include some type of game or activity at your table;

Promotional items and giveaways are encouraged;

No buying or selling of goods, since this is a free community event;

Booth operators must supply their own tables, chairs, tablecloths and tents.

Booths must be set up at Softball Field #4 at Granbury City Park by 10:30 a.m. on the day of the event.

The deadline for submitting a booth request is Friday, March 31.

Those wanting to reserve booth space or to make a donation can contact Maggie Wylie in the Parks and Rec Department at mwylie@granbury.org or by calling 817-573-7030.

## Northstar Bank branch on 377 to shut its doors

The Northstar Bank location on Highway 377 by Aldi's will be closing.

The bank used to be called Community Bank.

Shawn Deeds, manager for that branch as well as the one at South Morgan Street and Paluxy Highway, said she has not yet been told when that site will close.

She said, however, that the

bank is required to give customers a 90-day notice.

Deeds stated that account holders will be able to conduct business at the Morgan Street location, the bank's Acton branch or at any of Northstar's other branches in Texas and Colorado.

She said she does not know why the Highway 377 branch has been slated for closing.

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# Town Halls? Probe of ties to Russia?

Conaway weighs in on controversial issues

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It's still winter, but Congressman Mike Conaway, R-Midland, addressed two hot button issues that dogged Republican lawmakers as they headed into their first congressional recess of the year.

Those issues have to do with Town Hall meetings and whether there should be an investigation of former National Security Advisor Michael Flynn and the Trump camp's possible ties to Russia.

Some Republican members of Congress opted not to hold Town Hall meetings after some of their colleagues were shouted down by angry masses when they recently met in their districts with constituents.

Speakers at those gatherings expressed anger over the proposed repeal of the Affordable Care Act and other aspects of President Donald Trump's agenda.

Critics allege that some who attended those gatherings were not from the legislators' districts but rather were there to simply stir up controversy.

As for the question of possible ties between Trump and Russia, there continues to be calls for an investigation, though not everyone supports that idea.

Conaway's office provided the congressman's views on both those issues.

In an email to the HCN, Communications Director Emily Hytha wrote of Town Hall meetings:

"Congressman Conaway does his best to hold town halls in the district when Congress isn't in session.

"In January, for instance, we were able to hold two town halls in District 11.

"Last year, Congressman Conaway reached his goal of holding at least one town hall meeting in each of the 29 coun-



Conaway

ties that make up District 11, and we hope to do the same this year.

"As we begin the year with a Republican in the White House, Mr. Conaway is working to roll back the many Obama-era regulations and laws and put in place conservative solutions to our nation's most pressing issues.

"As a result, there are fewer district work periods this year, but Congressman Conaway is committed to making himself as available to constituents in the district as frequently as possible."

Hytha's message also stated that Conaway has increased the number of telephone town halls on his schedule "to ensure that even when he's in DC, he's staying connected to the district."

She added that constituents are always welcome to contact Conaway's Washington office or any of his six district offices.

## THE RUSSIA QUESTION

Conaway is a member of the House Intelligence Committee. Its chairman, Devin Nunes, R-CA, does not support an investigation of the current administration's possible ties to Russia.

Here is the statement provided to the HCN by Hytha:

"While the FBI is investigating Michael Flynn's actions that ultimately ended in his resignation, at this point we have no reason to believe that General Flynn did anything illegal.

"He did, however, betray the confidence and trust of both the President and Vice President. The House Intelligence Committee will consider any information that comes from the FBI's investigation, and if further review is deemed necessary, will take action at that time."

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## Sweet art

Under the direction of art teacher Heidi Easley, Cornerstone Christian Academy students showcased their talents at Thursday's Art Show at Merry Jayne's Candy Store on the Granbury square. Students displayed their sweet-themed works for friends, family and staff members. At left, fifth-grader Pixie Easley proudly points out her very own candy art creation on top row, far right.

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# Calendar

The Community Calendar is a free listing in the Hood County news to inform readers of community programs, special meetings and nonprofit events.

To be considered for publication, organizations must include the agenda for the meeting, or the speaker's name and topic. Information should be submitted two weeks prior to the event for consideration.

Email information (including the location and street address) to [calendar@hcnews.com](mailto:calendar@hcnews.com).

## THURSDAY, MARCH 2

**NEWCOMERS' CLUB** Mad Hatter's Tea Party includes a presentation on tea, 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Pecan Plantation Country Club, 8650 Westover Court. Reservations for lunch (\$14) required by noon on Monday, Feb. 27, 817-243-9831.

**GRANBURY KIWANIS** welcome dentist Teresa Taylor and her husband, who are with Texas Dental Association Smiles Foundation, a mission providing free dental care to underserved Texans, noon, Farina's Restaurant on the Square.

## FRIDAY, MARCH 3

**FISH FRY** and bake with cole slaw, hushpuppies, baked potato or fries, 5 to 7 p.m., St. Frances Cabrini Church, 2301 Acton Highway, \$10 adults, \$8 children under 12. Benefits Knights of Columbus charities.

**TEXAS INDEPENDENCE** celebration includes student history fair at Acton Baptist Church, opening at 4 p.m. to view projects, award ceremony at 6 p.m.

## SATURDAY, MARCH 4

**FRIENDS FOR ANIMALS** fundraiser for at Revolver Brewing Company, noon to 3 p.m. Fun, games, beer. 5650 Matlock Road.

**KARAOKE NIGHT** at VFW Post 7835, 8 to 11 p.m., 3670 Highway 377 W.

**TEXAS HISTORY** stroll in parking lot area near Acton Cemetery State Park in honor of Texas Independence Day, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., free event include black powder cannon, re enactors and more.

## MONDAY, MARCH 6

**ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE** support group discusses how to effectively community with patients, 10 a.m., Acton United Methodist Church.

## TUESDAY, MARCH 7

**OPERA GUILD** welcomes Phil Groeschel with a program on theatre set design, 10:30 a.m., deCordova Bend Country Club. Optional noon buffet is \$13 with reservation at 682-936-9572 or [granburyog@gmail.com](mailto:granburyog@gmail.com)

**LIONS CLUB** welcomes CEO Derrick Cuenca from Lake Granbury Medical Center, noon, Spring Creek Barbeque, 317 Highway 377 E.

**SOCIAL SECURITY** benefit options discussed and compared by the American Financial Education Alliance, Free program, Hood County Library, 222 N. Travis St., 6 to 8 p.m.

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8

**MEDICARE SUPPLEMENTS** discussed and compared by the American Financial Education Alliance, free program, Hood County Library, 222 N. Travis St., 4 to 6 p.m.

## THURSDAY, MARCH 9

**LONG-TERM CARE** options and incentives discussed and compared by the American Financial Education Alliance, Hood County Library, 222 N. Travis St., 4 to 6 p.m.

## FRIDAY, MARCH 10

**FISH FRY** and bake with cole slaw, hush puppies, baked potato or fries, 5 to 7 p.m., St. Frances Cabrini Church, 2301 Acton Highway, \$10 adults, \$8 children under 12. Benefits Knights of Columbus charities.

## MONDAY, MARCH 13

**COLONIAL DAMES** 17th Century meeting featuring guest speaker Liz Caraway on the "The Quill Pen," 10 a.m., First Christian Church, 2109 Highway 377 W., 817-579-1779.

# Life

# Granbury Wine Walk

## Wine, food, art and music featured April 28-29

BY DEBBIE SCHNEIDER  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

With four wineries in the county, Hood County is a wine-lovers choice.

When two dozen wineries participate at the Granbury Wine Walk next month, it's a wine-lovers paradise.

While you can stroll downtown Granbury with your favorite wine any day, only during the Granbury Wine Walk can you sample as many as 15 wines with your ticket.

Find one you like? Buy it. Wine is available for purchase by the glass or bottle.

The eighth annual Granbury Wine Walk is the place to experience the character of Texas through its wine, food, music and art.

The Granbury Wine Walk is a nonprofit event benefiting local charities.

The event kicks off Friday, April 28 and returns Saturday, April 29. Wine Walkers can enjoy live local music at clusters of booths, each section offering Texas flavors in wine, food and art.

The celebration begins with the exclusive Sip & Savor VIP Event on Thursday evening, April 27. Attendees enjoy a taste of Texas with hors d'oeuvres from North Texas' favorite celebrity chefs paired with carefully selected wines from wineries at the Wine Walk.

### PARTICIPATING WINERIES

1. Messina Hof Winery
2. OG Cellars
3. Rancho Loma Vineyards

4. Dionisio Winery
5. Wedding Oak Winery
6. Rocks Vineyard and Winery
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10. Pemberton Cellars
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18. Vineyards
19. Blue Ostrich Winery & Vineyard
21. Bluff Dale Vineyards
22. Perissos Vineyard and Winers
23. Bull Lion Vineyard

24. Kissing Tree Vineyards

### TIME AND TICKETS

The Granbury Wine Walk is from 2-8 p.m. Friday, April 28 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Saturday, April 29.

The VIP Sip & Savor Event is Thursday night, April 27.

Granbury Wine Walk tickets are \$27 before April 15, \$35 after April 15.

Sip & Savor VIP Event Tickets are \$125 and includes wine walk ticket.

A Wine Walk ticket includes a glass, wristband (21 and older) and a map/ticket with 15 tasting tickets to sample 15 different wines.

For tickets, or more information, to to [www.granbury-winewalk.com](http://www.granbury-winewalk.com)

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## CHURCH CLIPS

### ELCA BISHOP WILL PREACH AT EMMANUEL MARCH 19

Emmanuel Lutheran Church and the Rev. Stephen Haverlah will welcome the new synod bishop on Sunday, March 19.

Bishop Erik Gronberg will preach at Emmanuel, 2301 Fall Creek Highway, on Sunday, March 19, at 9:30 a.m. Light refreshments and coffee will follow the service.



Gronberg

Gronberg was elected bishop by the Northern Texas/Northern Louisiana synod (NT-NL) in April 2016 and is one of the youngest bishops in the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America (ELCA). The NT-NL synod is comprised of 106 churches.

Prior to his election, he served as lead pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church in Fort Worth since 2010. He was senior pastor of Dr. Martin Luther Church in Oconomowoc, Wisconsin, from 2005 to 2010.

Bishop Gronberg was born in Austin to the Rev. Karl Gronberg and Dr. Sharon Gronberg. He graduated from John H. Reagan High School in 1995 and attended Harvard University in Cambridge, Massachusetts. At Harvard, he was a letterman on the football team (1977 Ivy League champions) and an active participant in Lutheran Campus Ministry. In 1999, he received his Bachelor degree in Environmental Science and Public Policy.

Bishop Gronberg graduated from Luther Seminary in St. Paul, Minnesota, in 2005 with a Master of Divinity and was ordained in the ELCA. He is currently a PhD candidate (ABD) in Leadership Studies at Dallas Baptist University. His focus is on adaptive leadership in crisis.

He currently lives in Fort Worth with his wife, the Rev. Kendra Mohn (lead pastor, Trinity, Fort Worth) and their three children.



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## Join the celebration

To preserve and protect the rich history of Texas, the Texas Heroes Foundation annually sponsors the Texas Independence Day program in Hood County. Flags at the County Courthouse and along Fall Creek Highway

are in honor of the special day. Sponsored by THF, the public event for the Texas History Stroll takes place Saturday, March 4 at the Acton Cemetery parking area from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

# Friends for Animals fundraiser March 4

You can help the Friends for Animals no-kill shelter at a fundraiser Saturday, March 4 from noon to 3 p.m. at Revolver Brewing Company in Acton, 5650 Matlock Road.

The Friends for Animals pic-

ture board will feature all the dogs available for adoption at the shelter. T-shirts will also be available at the benefit.

For more information, call Friends for Animals at 817-326-3646.

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## What a way to make a living

Based on the 1980 movie, Granbury Theatre Company's presentation of "9 to 5: The Musical" opened this weekend at the Granbury Opera House. Oh what a tangled web this trio weaved. From left: Neely Heil as Doralee, Courtney Mitchell as Violet and Emily Warwick as Judy work under the

domineering and lecherous boss Franklin Hart. The ladies vent their frustrations by dreaming up sadistic fantasies of Hart's death. "9 to 5: The Musical" will play Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays through March 19 at the Granbury Opera House.

## Hard-hearted Hart

"9 to 5: The Musical" opened Friday at the Granbury Opera House. From left: Emily Warwick as Judy looks on as Courtney Mitchell (Violet) stuffs a muzzle in the mouth of their domineering, loathsome boss Franklin Hart Jr., played by Charles Mason.

# Perfect gift for girl grads?

## Proceeds from self-defense class go to GHS Project Graduation

BY KATHY CRUZ  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

A self-defense class that was offered last year to senior girls will be offered as well to those in the 2017 graduating class.

The class will be taught by David Thornton, a former homicide and major case detective for the Fort Worth Police Department who is co-founder of The Homicide Education and Training (HEAT) Project.

Thornton, who is trained in American Karate, will be assisted by Richard Morris, formerly a Gang Intelligence sergeant for the Fort Worth PD. Morris is a 10th degree black belt in karate.

All proceeds will benefit Project Graduation, which provides a safe, all-night celebration for graduating seniors.

The purpose of the class is to teach young women, many of whom will be heading to college, about situational awareness and how to keep themselves safe.

It will consist of two hours of classroom time and two hours of training in physical protection.

Classroom time will include lessons that can be learned from actual violent crime cases.

This may involve the use of graphic photos.

That portion of the training will also cover mental techniques to increase awareness of one's surroundings, understanding risks associated with certain behaviors and reducing the risk of becoming a crime victim.

The physical training portion will include basic and easy-to-learn physical protection techniques and how to reduce the risk of injury in the event of an assault.

### CLASS INFO

Cost for the 4-hour training is \$20, but Thornton said that no one will be turned away because of an inability to pay.

The class will be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, April 22, in the Learning Commons and Pirate Gym at Granbury High School.

It will be open to 24 students. The class was popular last year, so seats may fill up fast.

To reserve a spot, call Thornton at 817-994-0536 or send an email to david@theheatproject.com or ghsproject\_grad2017@yahoo.com.

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## Cowboy up

At a Granbury Optimist Club meeting, local artist Mike Tabor (center) unveiled a painting based on the book "The Cowboys of the Waggoner Ranch" by Jeremy Enlow (left). The painting and an autographed copy of the book will be available at the club's spring fundraiser Thursday, April 6, at the Granbury Resort Conference Center. At right is president Mark Jackson.

## Hundreds of plants for sale on April 1 - no foolin'

After months of preparation, hundreds of plants will be available for purchase at the annual Lake Granbury Master Gardener (LGMG) Spring Plant Sale Saturday, April 1, at the group's Demonstration and Education Garden behind Annex I, 1410 W. Pearl St.

It is from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Throughout the winter months, Master Gardeners tended young seedlings, readying them for transplanting into area landscapes.

On April 1, dozens of perennials, succulents, herbs, grasses and vegetables will be on sale,

including drought and deer resistant plants.

By popular request, succulent bowls are also available.

Throughout the day, Master Gardeners will conduct free tours of the Demonstration Garden. They will also give advice on appropriate horticulture techniques.

Proceeds from the sale benefit LGMG educational projects, such as the Demonstration Garden, community education classes and a scholarship fund.

For more information, call the Texas AgriLife Extension in Hood County at 817-579-3280.



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## Lady Indian title defense ends in Mansfield

BY GRANT MCGALLIARD  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

MANSFIELD - The Lipan Lady Indians were three quarters of the way to continuing their state basketball title defense, but a fourth-quarter comeback by Slidell ended their playoff run.

Lipan had never trailed through the first three quarters in Mansfield on Friday night, and although their offense wasn't clicking as it had been all season, the Lady Indians were doing enough defensively to hold Slidell at bay.

But that changed in the fourth period, when Slidell made clutch three-pointers and took their first lead of the game with 2:48 to go on a layup.

Despite Maddie McGee's heroic efforts that saw the senior score all of Lipan's 14 second-half points, the Lady Indians couldn't respond to the comeback, and their title defense ended in the semifinals of the regional tournament.

Slidell won, 35-30, and as the Lady Greyhounds celebrated, the emotion on Lipan's faces made it clear how much this loss meant.

Lipan was frustrated all game by the Slidell defense. The Lady Greyhounds made it a focus to deny McGee the ball down in the post, and entry passes into

the 6-foot center often ended in turnovers.

McGee still managed to score 20 points on the night, however, a testament to her All-State career.

Sarah Callaway hit two first-half threes to give Lipan a boost from the outside, but with McGee blanketed inside, the Lady Indians struggled to find offense elsewhere.

Luckily, Lipan's defense made it difficult for Slidell to score either. The game was scoreless until Faith Ross' bucket with 5:50 left in the first quarter.

The Lady Greyhounds made two three-pointers in the first half, but didn't have any success inside. Lipan led 16-9 at the end of the half.

Slidell continued their hot shooting, hitting two threes in the opening two minutes of the second half to cut into the Lipan lead. But McGee's 8 points kept the Lady Indians afloat, and Lipan held a 24-19 lead at the end of the third.

That's when Slidell cranked up their defensive effort. The Lady Indians didn't score in the final four minutes of the game, and the Lady Greyhounds' shooting doomed Lipan's season.

The Lady Indians finished with a 21-13 record.



**RISING UP:** Maddie McGee takes a shot over a Slidell defender on Friday in Mansfield. McGee finished her high school career in style, scoring all of the Lady Indians' second-half points in Lipan's playoff loss.

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## GHS golfers go low at Squaw Valley

BY GRANT MCGALLIARD  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

The Granbury boys and girls golf squads played in the Burleson Centennial Tournament at Squaw Valley this weekend and enjoyed some hot shooting.

The Pirate boys finished in 3rd place, riding excellent performances from Canyon Winters and Karsten Harrison.

Winters shot 78-73 for a total of 151, while Harrison shot 78-74-152. Ryan Ziegler finished close behind with a 76-79-155, and Will Warner added an 84-84-168.

Landon Grizzell shot 86-87-173. Granbury's total team score, combining the four best individual total scores, was 316-310-626.

On the girls' side, two Granbury teams, Purple and Gold, traveled to Squaw Valley. Purple finished in fourth place with a two-day combined total of 381-377-758. The Gold squad finished in sixth with a 402-382-784.

Mollee Jo Crain's individual score of 84-84-168 was the best performance of any Granbury girl. Jenni Prater's 91-85-176 was another standout for the Lady Pirates.

Girls' head coach Becky Addison said her team is on the verge of a breakthrough.

"They are all competing so well, but struggling to put two solid rounds together," Addison said. "They are working hard, so I am confident the back-to-back good rounds are coming."

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## Inside game powers Lipan to win over Iredell

BY GRANT MCGALLIARD  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

STEPHENVILLE - Last Thursday, the Lipan Indians used a torrid shooting start from Ty Phillips to put Zephyr away early.

On Monday, it was Ty Bryant's turn to dominate.

Bryant scored 15 first-quarter points off an array of post moves, outscoring the Iredell Dragons by himself in the first eight minutes and helping Lipan roll 88-40 into the regional semifinal round.

Iredell came out in man-to-man defense, but - perhaps spooked by the Indians' three-point barrage on Thursday - they refused to help out Bryant's defender in the paint.

That quickly turned into a problem, as Bryant used his considerable skill inside and some pinpoint passing by fellow big man Tate Phillips to control the first quarter.

Defense propelled the Lipan offense as well. The Indians forced two turnovers on Iredell's first two possessions with a full-court press.

Lipan head coach Brent Gaylor said he had his team switch up their defensive looks to keep the Dragons guessing.

"We probably ran about four different things defensively," Gaylor said. "We ran a full-court man press, a full-court zone press, and then we did some halfcourt traps, whether it be a zone or just some run-and jump."

"Just showed them a bunch of looks to try and get the game sped up to get a lot of possessions."

And, as with any Lipan game, some of those possessions bordered on the spectacular.

Tate Phillips had two dunks in a row, one off of a fastbreak and the other on a powerful drive into the lane. He also delivered a behind-the-back pass to Bryant for an easy layup that got the crowd going.

Ty Phillips, moments after laying out for a rebound while up 30 points late in the second quarter, hit a buzzer-beating three to put Lipan up 52-15.

Lipan's length and speed, combined with their lethal press, forced Iredell into making mental mistakes. Many of the Dragons' turnovers weren't directly caused by a Lipan defender, but were rather the result of a player dropping a ball or sailing a pass out of bounds due to the constant pressure and speed of the Indian defense.

Gaylor had only good things to say about Lipan's performance postgame.

"Ty probably had about 20 at the half, Derrick [Cook] probably had about 10...they really set the tone," Gaylor said.

"They weren't really helping off of the shooters that well, and Ty Phillips and Tate were able to penetrate a little bit. All around, just a really solid effort."

No starters played a single minute in the fourth quarter for Lipan. The Indians were up 76-30 through three quarters and wound up winning 88-40.

Lipan will next take on the winner of Ector and Yantis, who played Tuesday night. The regional semifinal will be held at Mansfield High School on Friday at 5 p.m.



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**PLENTY OF ROOM:** Lipan's Ty Phillips (23) has more than enough space to operate against the Iredell man defense. Lipan advanced to the regional semifinal with an 88-40 win over the Dragons on Monday.

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PATRICIA BECKER

**OUT OF TIME:** Game MVP Tori Taylor knows that, despite her Cornerstone Christian Academy team's incredible fourth-quarter comeback, the Lady Crusaders will fall just short of a state title.

## Lady Pirates place 10 on all-academic team

The Granbury Lady Pirate basketball team had a stellar season in the classroom this year.

Ten members of the squad were named to the District 9-5A Academic team for the 2016-17 season.

Seniors Gabbie Nunn and Amber Strange were recognized, as

were juniors Carly Cheek, Taylor Parrish, Mikala Winn, Abby Jones and Madison Scott.

Sophomores Maddi Samuelson and Lani Hickey were also recognized, along with freshman Jayla Hall.

The Lady Pirates are coached by Steve Schmidt.

## Cornerstone comeback falls just short, 53-48

BY GRANT MCGALLIARD  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

SPRINGTOWN - One of the more incredible comebacks anyone will see on a basketball court came a hair short of completion on Saturday in the Texas Christian Athletic Fellowship Division II girls state title game.

Cornerstone Christian Academy, trailing 49-22 at the end of the third quarter, engineered a comeback with a full-court press spearheaded by Tori Taylor that brought the Lady Crusaders to within 3 points with 3 minutes left in the game.

CCA's 24-0 run - in just five minutes of game time - included 17 points from Taylor, most of which were earned at the foul line.

But despite this comeback, and despite the wave of momentum shifting to Cornerstone, Temple Christian Academy was able to pull out a 53-48 win to claim the state championship.

Several layups in a row for Cornerstone that would've brought the Lady Crusaders to within one point rolled agonizingly off the front of the rim.

Cornerstone's press shut out Temple Christian until 1:50 remained in the fourth quarter, but it just wasn't enough to dig the Lady Crusaders out from the hole they had dug.

Head coach Richard Lauer, though disappointed that his team wasn't able to seal the deal on the comeback, was proud of his team's abil-

ity to prove people wrong all year.

"The girls are really spirited, and they will come back," Lauer said. "From where they started to where they ended up, it's a big improvement."

Taylor, a senior playing in her last game as a Lady Crusader, scored 25 points to lead Cornerstone.

Annabelle Steed, a sophomore post player, had 16 points and was a force on the offensive and defensive glass.

"It was a special game for them," Lauer said.

The Lady Crusaders trailed 16-7 after one quarter and 30-15 at the half.

Cornerstone had problems holding on to the ball all game.

The third quarter was more of the same, as the Lady Crusaders lost the period 19-7.

That's when the comeback began.

Lauer said defense was the most important part of his team's fourth quarter improvement.

"We finally started to play good defense," Lauer said, "even though our offense wasn't in tune the whole game."

Although Cornerstone ran out of gas, Lauer said the season, which the Lady Crusaders finished at 19-7, was one he'll remember fondly.

"It was a big success," he said. "Nobody expected us to be here."

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**IN THE POST:** Cornerstone Christian Academy's Annabelle Steed (52) rises from the left block for a jumper against Temple Christian Academy on Saturday. Steed had 14 points and 9 rebounds in CCA's loss.



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**RUNNERS-UP:** The Cornerstone Christian Academy Lady Crusaders display their second-place medals. CCA finished as runners-up in the TCAF Division II state tournament.

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## Hickey's gem helps Granbury beat Canyon

BY GRANT MCGALLIARD  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

It was an early, cold morning on Saturday, but Matthew Hickey's arm seemed plenty warm on the mound for Granbury.

Hickey threw five scoreless innings against the Canyon Eagles, striking out nine while walking none. He allowed just four hits and pitched around some jams caused by errors.

The Pirates couldn't do much at the plate, either, but they did enough for Hickey to pick up a win and beat Canyon 3-1.

Trevor Jones singled home a run in the bottom of the third, and Rustin Beasley's blooper scored Jones to give Granbury a 2-0 lead they wouldn't relinquish.

Andrew Walters entered in relief of Hickey in the sixth inning, and Canyon scored their lone run of the game after a series of miscues from Granbury.

But the Pirates were able to limit the damage to just one run, and they picked up an insurance run of their own in the bottom of the sixth when Chance Turney scored on an errant throw to third.

Beasley's diving catch in the outfield with two on and nobody out in the top of the seventh helped Granbury fans breathe just a bit. A flyout and groundout later ensured the Pirate victory.

The matchup against Canyon was the fourth game of five for the Pirates last weekend as part of the Granbury Classic Chevrolet Tournament. The Pirates enjoyed some success, winning three games, losing one, and drawing another.

Granbury now stands at 3-1-1 on the year, and will head to Leander for yet another tournament this weekend.

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SARAH SCHULTZ

**DENIED:** North Central Texas Academy's Dillon Brocato swats a Wichita Falls Notre Dame shot away on Friday. Brocato and the Pioneers advanced to the state semifinals this weekend.

## NCTA boys move on, girls fall in regionals

BY GRANT MCGALLIARD  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

Both North Central Texas Academy basketball teams had Texas Association of Parochial and Private Schools playoff battles on Saturday, but only one is advancing to the next round.

The boys squad knocked off Wichita Falls Notre Dame 78-54 in the regional finals.

The Pioneers are now one of the final four teams in TAPPS 1A.

NCTA will take on DeSoto Canterbury this Thursday at 1 p.m. at Abilene Christian University.

The Pioneers are three-time defending state champions.

The Lady Pioneers played DeSoto Canterbury's girls squad on Saturday and fell 39-28.

The girls were six-time defending state champions, but exited this year in the regional championship round.

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SARAH SCHULTZ

**HUSTLE:** Senior Sophie Schultz goes to the floor to protect the ball against DeSoto Canterbury. Despite Schultz's efforts, North Central Texas Academy was eliminated in the regional championship.



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**INSURANCE RUN:** As Granbury's Chance Turney slides into third base, the ball sails into the outfield, allowing Turney to trot home and score the Pirates' third run. Granbury knocked off Canyon 3-1.

## Lady Rattlers make all-district squads

BY GRANT MCGALLIARD  
HOOD COUNTY NEWS

The Tolar Lady Rattlers basketball team placed several girls on All-District and Academic All-District squads for the 2016-17 season.

Junior Lauren Franklin was selected as a first-team All-District 7-3A member. Allison Lee, also a junior, was named to the second team.

Senior Jordan Berry was an honorable mention selection.

Franklin and Lee were also named to the All-Academic team.

Joining them were junior Abby Leatherman and sophomores Kaitlyn Morphew and Shaely Nunley.

Coached by Jaci Johnson, the Lady Rattlers finished the season 9-21 (2-10 in district).

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## GISD students advance to state science fair

Granbury High School, Acton Middle School and Granbury Middle School students continued to excel with science projects at the 65th Fort Worth Regional Science Fair held Feb. 19-20 at the University of Texas at Arlington.

Advancing to the ExxonMobil Texas Science and Engineering Fair on March 31-April 1 at the Henry B. Gonzales Convention Center in San Antonio are:

GHS students Liesl Krone and Hunter Meroney; and AMS students Jonathan Rositas, Scout Skaggs and Marissa Ward.

Students receiving divisional or special organizational awards at the regional fair were:

### DIVISION 1 (GRADES 9-12):

Liesl Krone - "Analyzing Spent Grains as a Sustainable Source of Feed"; Chemistry Division, second; American Chemical Society Award; ASU Walton Sustainability Solutions Initiatives Award; Lockheed Martin Leadership Association Award; U.S. Navy/U.S. Marine Corps Office of Naval Research Award.

Hunter Meroney - "THERMAL SHOCK and

the Effects on Aquatic Plants": Plant Science Division, second; Delbert E. Lawry Award; Water Environment Association Stockholm Jr. Water Prize; Water Environment Association of Texas Award.

### DIVISION 2 (GRADES 6-8):

Averie Coffman - "What's in Your Drink?": American Society for Quality-Greater Fort Worth Section, first.

Drew Henderson and Jackson LeCluyse - "Does Density = Healthy?": Society for Allied Weight Engineers Award.

Jonathan Rositas - "Dice Rolls & Probability": Mathematical Science Division, third.

Scout Skaggs and Marissa Ward - "Bacteria Beatdown": Biology Division, second; Lockheed Martin Leadership Association Award.

Avery Thomas - "Does Smell Ring a Bell?": Fort Worth Area Psychological Association Award.

The students advanced to the regional contest from the GISD Secondary District Science and Engineering Fair in January.

## 'Peter Pan' to land at Brawner on March 9

Brawner Intermediate School will present the musical "Peter Pan Jr." on Thursday, March 9. The performance will begin at 7 p.m. with dessert being served following the show.

Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$7 for students. In addition, a silent auction will be held prior to the performance and during intermission.

Based on J.M. Barrie's classic tale, "Peter Pan" is one of the most beloved and frequently performed family favorites of all time.

According to Music Theatre International, Peter and his mischievous fairy sidekick, Tinkerbell, visit the nursery of the Darling children late one night and, with a sprinkle of pixie dust, begin a magical journey across the stars that none of them will ever forget.

In the adventure of a lifetime, the travelers come face to face with a ticking crocodile, a fierce Indian tribe, a band of bungling pirates and, of course, the villainous Captain Hook.

The cast and chorus include Ayden Oredson, Maly Trestain, Ari Deming, Cameron Ward, Judah Turner, Wyatt Riddle, Sierra Couden, Madisyn Nagel, Cason Krzeminski, Aiden Vandever, Oliver Reyes, Aubrey Ward, Anahi Medrano, Dakota Pridemore, Paloma Sandoval, Caroline Jobe, Presley Thomas, Melanie Yanez, Hannah Swaim, Avery Duncan, Skyann Turner, America Perez, Harmony Burns, Kaitlyn Morton, Mia Huerta, Brissia Martinez, Kallee Westbrook, Madisyn Scruggs, Isabelle Zapata, Kiley Dove, Gavin Smith, Evie Watson, Leland Becker, Mason Toth, Kevin Aguado, Samara Morales, Pooja Vitthal-

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Music teacher Angela McGuyer will direct with assistance from several parents and staff members.

## Granbury school open house March 7

Granbury elementary and intermediate schools will welcome parents and families at Spring Open House during Texas Public Schools Week on Tuesday,

March 7, from 5:30 to 7 p.m. "This week is exciting because our children have planned many special activities to demonstrate the learning taking

place every day," Superintendent James Largent said.

For more information and a complete schedule, go to www.granburysd.org/openhouse.

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### Fritter's Saving Success

Fritter has been saving towards a summer visit to Six Wags Amusement Park. He needs a total of \$100 and by sticking with his savings plan, he's well on his way!

So far, Fritter has saved up:

## \$75.35

Another way to write that amount is using words, like this:

**Seventy-five dollars and thirty-five cents**

### Can you do this?

Turn each number into words and the words into numbers.

**Seventy-five thousand, eight hundred and forty-two dollars**

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**I found LOTS of other names for money in a Thesaurus. Can you find them in this puzzle?**

**Money Words**

Look through the newspaper for five amounts of money written as numbers. Rewrite each one using words. Example: \$52.25 is Fifty-two dollars and twenty-five cents.

**Standards Link:** Research. Use the newspaper to locate information.

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#### More or less?

Look through the newspaper for two money numbers written as numerals or words. Cut these out and glue them next to each other on a piece of paper, leaving a little space between them. Fill in the space with a <, >, or = sign to make a true statement.

**Standards Link:** Research. Use the newspaper to locate information.

### Write On!

#### Start a New Business

If you could start a business, what would it be? How do you know if people need what your business offers? Explain why you would like to start this business.

### Kid Scoop Puzzler

Can you find the missing numbers?

$\begin{array}{r} 6 \square 7 \\ + \square 23 \\ \hline 970 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} 40 \square \\ + \square 98 \\ \hline 1,204 \end{array}$
$\begin{array}{r} \square 61 \\ + 3 \square 5 \\ \hline 1,186 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} 3 \square 2 \\ + \square 41 \\ \hline 1,323 \end{array}$

**Standards Link:** Number Sense. Solve simple open sentences involving operations on whole numbers.

Can you divide this grid into four parts in which each part has the same amount of money?

20	10	5	1
5	5	5	10
10	5	5	20
10	1	5	1
1	1	1	1
10	10	20	1
10	1	5	5
10	1	5	20

**Standards Link:** Mathematical Reasoning. Solve problems using logic.

### Kid Scoop Together: Unscramble it!

Unscramble this list of words. **Hint:** They all have something to do with money!

**VESA**

**RANE**

**NEPYN**

**CLINEK**

**MEDI**

**LOADRL**

**VINEST**

**TONADE**

**HACS**

**PEDNS**

**ROBRWO**

**Standards Link:** Reading Comprehension. Follow simple written directions; Spelling. Use the conventions of spelling.

### Kid Scoop-doku™

Complete the grid by using all the letters in the word WANT in each vertical and horizontal row. Each letter should only be used once in each row. Some spaces have been filled in for you.

			W
	T		A
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W			T

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# We Can Work It Out

*Ministerial Alliance hopes to go beyond 'Can we all get along?'*



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## Sing it loud and proud, Shake

Inspiration was in abundance at Lake Granbury Ministerial Alliance's 8th Annual Black History Celebration Sunday evening at the Granbury Resort Conference Center. The audience held their hands high in praise as Generations Church's Worship Pastor Shake Anderson

(above) along with numerous other musical acts entertained audience. Anderson is not only a gifted singer and songwriter, he's a bassist, guitarist, keyboardist and pianist as well. Anderson has recorded or toured with a variety of Christian artists including Crystal

Lewis, Anointed, Bryan Duncan, Israel Houghton, New Breed and Avalon; as well as many secular artists like Bruce Hornsby, Aretha Franklin, Indigo Girls, Curtis Mayfield, Aliyah, Ray Charles, Stevie Wonder and The Impressions.



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## Marvelous mass choir

The Granbury Mass Choir's joyful performances were a big crowd pleaser throughout the entire Black History Celebration. The

program was sponsored by the Lake Granbury Ministerial Alliance Sunday at the Granbury Resort Conference Center.



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## In Jesus' name

Karen Anderson, wife of Generations Church Worship Pastor Shake Anderson, leads the Granbury Mass Choir in an inspirational song of unity entitled "In Jesus Name." The rousing performance brought the audience to their feet. The Lake Granbury Ministerial Alliance sponsored the program with hopes to change the phrase, "Can we all get along?" to become "We can work it out!"

## Jeremy Earl Sadler

Jeremy Earl Sadler, age 14, died in Granbury on Friday, Feb. 24, 2017, after a long battle with Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy.

Jeremy was born Nov. 22, 2002, in Fort Worth. He lived in Granbury most of his life. He was last attending Granbury Middle School, where he was an honor roll student.

Survivors include his mother and best friend, Stephanie Scifres; sister, Emma Retana; grandmother, Kathy Shields, all of Granbury; aunt, Susan Scifres and cousin, Tyler Scifres of New Orleans, Louisiana; and his great-grandmother, Margaret Scifres of Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

No formal ceremony will be scheduled; however, donations of remembrance to the Mus-



cular Dystrophy Association would be greatly appreciated by the family.

Arrangements made by Wiley Funeral Home, Granbury.

## Rosetta Jane (Mathews) Stone

Rosetta Jane (Mathews) Stone, of Granbury, entered this world July 17, 1942, and went to be with her precious Savior Feb. 22, 2017.

Viewing: 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 1, 2017, Wiley Funeral Home, Granbury.

Funeral: 11 a.m. Thursday, March 2, 2017. She will be laid to rest with her husband at the DFW National Cemetery in Dallas at 2:30 p.m.

Her name was recognizable but her personality, laughter, smile, gentle spirit and giving heart is what she will be remembered by the most. Rosetta (mom, granny, sister, aunt and friend) loved her family unconditionally and cherished her friends. She lived life to the fullest; enjoying her karaoke, traveling with her daughter, spending time at the Senior Citizen Center, particularly her Madhatters group, shopping and so much more. Most importantly, she loved her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. She knew, without a shadow of a doubt, that this life was temporary and that internal life was what she was living for. She is now breathing free; dancing with the angels, singing her heart out and having the best celebration imaginable.

On a personal note...of all the things she accomplished in her lifetime, mom was proud of herself for having gone back to high school to receive her diploma in 1980 from Frostproof Junior-Senior High School, the same year her son, Bobby graduated. She held several jobs in her lifetime, retiring from Wal-Mart after faithfully serving them for 20 years. During her high school years she was a cheerleader and baton twirler, passing the tradition down to her daughter and nieces, teaching them as well.

She enjoyed cake decorating, sewing, crocheting, and just about any craft imaginable. She could not wait to share a story and loved having people around her. She was the bell of the ball, the lyrics in a song, and the laughter at all our gatherings - she was all that and more.

Rosetta was preceded in death by her husband, James L. Stone; son, Dale Stone; and mothers, Ida Bryant (bio), Bridget Buford (aunt who raised her); and her fathers, Riley W. Mathews (bio) and Jim Buford (uncle who raised her). Other family members that preceded her include her sisters, Donna



Ellis, Joan Saunders, twins Rita and Freda Mathews and brother, Rodney Mathews.

Rosetta is survived by her son, James Stone (wife, Barbara) of Cleburne, daughter, Barbara Jane Ward (husband Gary) of Arlington and daughter-in-law, Lisa Stone of Granbury. Surviving grandchildren include Lance Stone, Chuck Scott, Michael Stone, Amanda Stone, Shirlene Stone, Justin Stone (wife Katy), Lindsey Stone, Sara Stone, Lindsey Garner (husband, Johnny), and Lauren Ward-Reed (husband Dillon), great-grandchildren, Mackenzie, Macie, Mallarie, Bailey, Kaydi, Jaxson, Calleigh, Markanda, Adalyann, Noa, Kaia, Kaelie, Noah, Nathan, and Ryan. She is further survived by her brother, Riley D. Mathews (wife, Gloria) of Alton, Illinois; sisters, Sharon Cox (husband, Jerry) of Alton, Illinois, and Geraldine Trimm of Brighton, Illinois; those who called her sister, Tonya Brockwell and Glenda Romine, sister-in-law, Viola Jones and brother-in-law, Gerald Stone; numerous nieces, nephews, and friends. Honorable mention: those that always stepped in and helped to take care of Rosetta were Angie Scoggins (niece), Mike Jones (nephew) and neighbors, Shirley, Anita, and Tina.

The list of those who loved Rosetta (mom) can go on and on because she was just that type of person; people loved and adored her, and would do anything for her. The love we have for our sweet mother, granny, sister, and friend is immeasurable and of course all of our hearts are breaking. Now, sweet mother, go rest high on that mountain, embrace those that have gone on before you, and be in that receiving line when God calls us home. We all love you dearly.

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## James LaRue Allen Sr.

James LaRue Allen Sr., born Sept. 17, 1926, passed away peacefully in Granbury Feb. 2, 2017, surrounded by his loved ones.

Born and raised in Green Sea, South Carolina, he was the second son to James and Julia Allen.

James enlisted in the U.S. Air Force in 1947, served our country for 26 years and retired as a Chief Master Sergeant.

He was a 60-year, 33rd Degree Mason with Fort Worth Scottish Rite and Past Master of Bluff Dale Masonic Lodge. James was a dedicated Brother and served in many positions within the Lodge; he also received the Golden Trowel Award for his dedication.

James was an amazing father and husband. He was extremely active within his community and very involved in his children's lives. He was a valued member of Acton United Methodist Church and rarely missed a Sunday service. James was



often heard quoting his favorite bible verse, John 3:16.

He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Carmen Allen; son, James Allen Jr.; daughters, Donna McKinney, Astrid Robinett, Ingrid Morales, Julia Hopkins, Frances Wuest; 17 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. He was loved by many and will be missed dearly.

"So mote it be."

## Raymond G. 'Ray' Hood Jr.

Raymond G. "Ray" Hood Jr. of Granbury, 79, a loving husband, wonderful father and "Paw-Paw," passed away Wednesday, Feb. 22, 2017, in Glen Rose.

Service: 10 a.m. Friday, March 3, 2017, Wiley Funeral Home Chapel, Granbury. Graveside: 1:15 p.m. Friday, Dallas Fort Worth National Cemetery.

Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, March 2, 2017, Wiley Funeral Home.

Ray was born Oct. 26, 1937, in St. Louis, Missouri, to the late Raymond and Kathryn (Shomate) Hood.

Ray considered himself a Texan and a die-hard Dallas Cowboy fan. He enlisted in the U.S. Navy at age 17 and proudly served his country for over 24 years, rising to the rank of Chief Warrant Officer (CWO2). He retired in 1979 as a Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy (MCPO). He later worked for Braniff and Aerospace Helicopter Corp.

Survivors: Wife of 60 years,



Peggy Hood; sons, William L. "Bill" Hood and Thomas J. "Tom" Hood (wife, Hugette); daughters, Elizabeth H. Clough (husband, Terry), and Susan H. Powers; sisters, Georgianna Van Isgem and Toni Byrd; nine grandchildren; five great-granddaughters; eight half-brothers and sisters; and numerous nieces and nephews.

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## Robert H. (Bob) Owens

Robert H. (Bob) Owens of Granbury went to be with his Lord and Savior Friday, Feb. 24, 2017, after a valiant fight with end-stage Melanoma cancer.

Memorial service: 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 1, 2017, at the Wiley Funeral Home Chapel, Granbury. A private inurnment of ashes will be held at a later date at the Moffat Cemetery in Moffat, Texas.

Bob was born Dec. 16, 1937, to Oran and Bessie Owens in Moffat. He attended Belton High School, Temple Junior College and the University of Texas at Austin. He was a Certified Public Accountant. He worked in state government for over 30 years for the State Comptroller's Office in Dallas and Austin, for the Secretary of State's Office in Austin and the Texas Department of Criminal Justice in Huntsville and Austin, and he retired in 1993. His favorite time of all was working for Bob Bullock at the Comptroller's Office.

He was a past master of the Lometa Masonic Lodge, a member of the Granbury Lodge, the Acton Baptist Church and the Builder's Sunday School Class.

He was a veteran serving in the U.S. Army and the Texas National Guard for over nine years.

Bob loved the Lord, his family, friends, the United States of America, the State of Texas, the Texas Longhorns and the Dallas Cowboys.

He is survived by his wife of 41 years, Susan Irick Owens; sons, Robert S. Owens and Keith R. Owens. The bright stars in his life were his three grandchildren, Oran, Joshua and Emily Owens. He had a special bond with his brothers and their wives, Don and Judy Owens, Kenneth and Patty Owens, and his brother-in-law, Chuck Irick and his wife Barbara. He is also survived by several nieces, nephews and cousins.

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The deadline for obituaries is noon Monday for the Wednesday paper, and noon Thursday for the Saturday paper. Obituaries can be emailed to [obits@hcnews.com](mailto:obits@hcnews.com). If the deceased lived in Hood County, a standard obituary, under 200 words, is free in the Hood County News. A fee is applied for expanded or additional information.



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Coretta Scott King, wife of Dr. Martin Luther King, was born in 1927 to enterprising parents in the Deep South.

Coretta always felt called to a special purpose. She was one of the first recipients of a scholarship for black Americans to Antioch College in Ohio. While a student there, Coretta became politically and socially active and committed to the peace movement. While a student at the New England Conservatory of Music, she met Martin Luther King, Jr., a Baptist minister. She married Dr. King and events promptly thrust her into a storm of history. After Dr. King's assassination, the young single mother of four children worked tirelessly to found and develop the King Center as a center for world peace. This is a story of love, family and the memoir of an extraordinary black woman in 20th century America.

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## Devotion Page

### The Power Of The Word Of God

There was a commercial years ago that said, "When E.F. Hutton talks, people listen!" While there are people in our world who seem to have an instant listening audience when they speak, when God speaks, action always follows!

The Lord said to Isaiah the prophet: "My Word that goes out from My mouth... will not return to Me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it" (Isaiah 55:11). Notice some examples that show that it is true.

1. In Genesis 1, every time God spoke, something came into being as He created the world and everything in it. "God said, 'Let there be light,' and there was light" (1:3). The pattern continued throughout the creation account.

Dr. Henry Blackaby said, "God doesn't make suggestions." He always speaks, not just to be heard, but to accomplish His will and purpose.

2. When God spoke to His prophets, He always did exactly what He told them He was going to do. He foretold the destruction of both the Northern and Southern Kingdoms of Israel and Judah. It happened just as He told them it would. He even named the man who would be the human instrument of deliverance and returning His people to their homeland. "This is what the Lord says to His anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I take hold of to subdue nations before him and to strip kings of their armor, to open doors before him so that gates will not be shut" (Isaiah

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45:1). Secular history affirms that Cyrus, King of Persia, did conquer Babylon, and through Nehemiah, he sent the people back to rebuild the walls of Jerusalem and begin work on the Temple.

3. During the ministry of Jesus, His Word always brought action.

In Matthew 8:1-3, Jesus spoke the word and a man with leprosy was healed.

In Matthew 8:5-13, Jesus spoke the word and a centurion's servant was healed.

Matthew 8:16 says, "...with a word" Jesus drove out spirits and healed the sick."

In Mark 4:35-41, Jesus "rebuked the wind and said the waves, 'Quiet! Be Still! Then the wind died down and it was completely calm."

Do you need Jesus to speak a word to you about something going on in your life? When Jesus speaks things happen!

4. In the Bible, people responded to the Words from Jesus.

Following His sermon on the mount, "the crowds were amazed at His teaching, because He taught as one who had authority, and not as their teachers of the law" (Matthew 7:28-29). Do His words amaze you, or make a difference in your life?

In Mark 4:41, following the calming of the storm, the disciples "were terrified and asked each other, 'Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey Him!'" Does the Word of the Lord leave you in awe?

Matthew 12:9-14 reveal that not everyone responded to Jesus favorably. "...the Pharisees went out and plotted how they might kill Jesus." There are still those who want nothing to do with Him—do you?

Jesus said, "My sheep listen to My voice; I know them, and they follow Me" (John 10:27). Have you heard His voice? Are you following Him as one of His sheep?

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**MAIL BOX SLOTS • COINS • 2 42" DOUBLE-SIDED GULF PORCELAIN SIGNS IN FRAMES • TRUNKS • ANTIQUE MURPHY BED • WINCHESTER MODEL 97 12 GAUGE • SAUSAGE 308 MODEL 12 W/TRIPOD**

Outdoor Furniture • Couches • Concrete Statues • Knives • Korean Uniforms • Soda Shop Chair • Barstools • Outdoor Grill • Assorted Glass Pieces • Vintage Wash Stand • Sapphire & Diamond Earrings • Deer Mount • Mail Window • 2 Secretaries • Dr. Pepper Syrup Bottles • Trunks • Vintage Dr. Pepper Cooler • Antique Glass Gum Ball Machines • BB Guns • Crank Telephone • Old Radio • WWII German Bayonet • Dressers • Rockers • Barstools • Ammo • Vintage Texan Cap Gun • Roll Top Desk • Bookcase • More Items Arriving Daily...

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PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE  
Rummage Room Open Every Tuesday & Thursday, 8am-2:00pm, 306 Kings Plaza. 817-573-7801.

FRIDAY ONLY, MARCH 3. Rain or shine!  
Family sale: anything from kitchen to kid's clothes. 1407 Spanish Oak Dr. Misty Meadows.

Sale! Fri/Sat Mar 3-4 7am-til?  
603 Crestview Dr. Off Morgan.  
Furniture, antiques, elect, home decor, clothing, children's items, much more

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GARAGE SALE: 1331 Davis Rd 76049- Couches, pool & foosball table, office furniture, house hold goods, girls clothes 4t-18, toys, jewelry, Plus size name brand/ boutique womens clothing l-3x 18-24 pants, shoes etc. 2/25-2/26

**ESTATE SALE: GRANBURY** Thurs-Sun, Mar 2-3-4-5. 6601 Sunset Cove Ct 76049 Household & personal items, camper, & boat Mercury 125 hp., Rain or Shine.

DONATE LEFTOVER GARAGE SALE ITEMS to Boys and Girls Club Resale Shop!! We will pick up items for free. Call (817)579-9088.

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GARAGE SALE: GRANBURY. Fri-Sat, Mar 3-4. 4420 Logan Circle-Huge Multi Family Garage Sale! Lots of everything furniture, housewares, clothes, name brand shoes, jewelry, makeup and so much more. Priced to SELL! Rain or Shine.

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SALE DATE · WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1 THROUGH TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 2017

Swift G.T. Premium  
Pork Baby Back Ribs



LIMIT 2 WITH \$20  
ADDITIONAL PURCHASE

USDA SELECT  
Boneless Beef  
Top Sirloin  
Steak  
REGULAR PACK

**\$3.97**  
LB

LIMIT 2 WITH \$20  
ADDITIONAL PURCHASE. PORK BABY BACK  
RIBS WILL BE PRICED @ \$2.97 LB. FIRST TWO  
RIBS WILL DISCOUNT TO \$1.97 LB AFTER  
PURCHASE REQUIREMENTS ARE MET.

**\$1.97**  
LB

USDA INSPECTED  
Boneless Skinless  
Fryer Breasts

VALUE PACK  
PREVIOUSLY FROZEN  
FOR QUALITY

**\$1.88**  
LB



Large Hass  
Avocados

**5/\$5**



Large Navel  
Oranges

**88¢**  
LB



**5/\$10**

Coke, Dr Pepper or  
Pepsi Products  
.5 LITER 6 PK



Great Fish Company  
Swai Fillets  
SOLD IN 2.5 LB BAG

**\$2.88**  
LB



General Mills  
Cereal  
SELECT VARIETIES  
16-18 OZ

**2/\$5**



LIMIT 2 PLEASE  
Michelob Ultra or  
Bud Light Platinum  
12 PK 12 OZ CANS  
OR BOTTLES

**\$11.99**  
EA



StarKist  
Tuna Pouches  
2.6-4.5 OZ

**2/\$1**



Gorton's  
Frozen Seafood  
6-19 OZ

**\$3.98**  
EA



Frito Lay  
Variety Packs  
20 CT

**\$5.88**  
EA



Kraft Easy Mac  
or Velveeta Cups  
ALL VARIETIES 2.05 OZ OR  
Macaroni &  
Cheese Dinner  
7.25 OZ

**2/\$1**



Hunt's  
Canned  
Tomatoes  
14.5 OZ

**88¢**  
EA



Wright Bacon  
HICKORY OR  
APPLEWOOD  
24 OZ

**\$6.99**  
EA



Hy-Top  
Canned  
Vegetables  
SELECT VARIETIES  
14.5-15.25 OZ

**2/\$1**



Hy-Top  
Sliced, Shredded  
or Chunk Cheese  
6-12 OZ

**2/\$3**



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It! or Prime Cuts  
Dog Food  
16 LBS

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