



Wild times at the library

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 Cindi Cavallini shows the crowd an African Pygmy Hedgehog. SEE STORY PAGE A2



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Wigs for Kids requires a minimum of 12 inches of hair to donate — the longer, the better. Each ponytail measured roughly 15 to 16 inches by Villalobos' estimation.

If you care, donate hair

What grows on your head could make a world of difference to some

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At 13 years old, I was diagnosed with a rare brain tumor. Over the next year, through chemotherapy and radiation, I lost my hair. For children and teens, especially

those at such an already tumultuous time in their lives, self-esteem and fitting-in are of huge importance. While I didn't wear a wig, I can completely empathize with children who felt more comfortable using a hair piece. That's why I've been grow-

ing my hair for the last four years and the prior four throughout high school. Twice in the last eight years, I've donated my hair to Wigs for Kids, so that kids who are going through what I went

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Azle 4-H, FFA dominate Tarrant County Livestock Shows

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Azle students racked up champion titles left and right at the 2023 Tarrant County Junior Livestock Show. From March 5 to March 11, nine 4-H Azle students placed in 15 categories across TCJLS's spectrum of events.

"It's hard to believe we only had one kid two years ago," said Azle 4-H organizer, Danielle Barber. "Trying to get this program up and running and being successful is taking a lot of work but I am really enjoying it!" Alyssa Flores, a 5th grade Hoover Elementary School student who won Reserve Champion Fancy Poultry and Breed Grand Champion, says she is "excited and proud of myself for all the hard work" and attributes "dedication, patience, time and caring for my chickens" to her success. "I started raising chickens 6 years ago when my grandpa surprised me with a dozen chicks. I began educating myself about chickens by reading books and learning about the different breeds and how to care for them."

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Nearly a dozen students, so far, have placed in contest



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Alyssa Flores with her rooster, Pluto.



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Some kids and parents watched the creepy crawlers with horror, while others were fascinated.

Wild times at Azle Memorial Library

Live animal show goes off without a hitch

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Azle Memorial Library was jam-packed on March 15 after one of its biggest events in years.

With visitors spilling out well into the hallway, the headcount for that morning was tallied at 266 patrons. Some parents and their children waited more than 40 minutes for the library to open, so they could see the All About Animals live show and demonstration.

Cindi Cavallini, owner of All About Animals, has been educating and entertaining audiences for almost 25 years. "Seeing the reaction of the kids, their faces when they see an animal for the very first time or when they learn something super cool, they get really excited," said Cavallini.

And excited they were, as oos and ahhs perforated the air with each new animal reveal.

An albino ferret was just one of the animals to catch

the crowd's attention. A Vietnamese walking stick, Rose-Haired Tarantula, African Pygmy Hedgehog, Ball Python and Meyer's Parrot were all included in the menagerie of animals present.

All About Animals caters church programs, school assemblies, birthday parties, camps, preschools and libraries. Curren McClane, library director, said that the library may just have to schedule All About Animals for two shows next time.



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Cindi Cavallini shows the crowd an albino ferret.

Reno's Our House hosts mobile food pantry at new location

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Reno's nonprofit food pantry, Our House, is still continuing to support area residents even after its location on East Reno Road closed last month.

The nonprofit's founder, Scott Passmore, said the Tarrant Area Food Bank mobile pantry is scheduled to come by from 4-6 p.m. every second Tuesday each month at Community Bible Fellowship, 1405 Reynolds Road.

Passmore said about 50-60 vehicles of people showed

up to the mobile pantry on March 14.

"I'm sure after everybody finds out where we're at, they'll start showing up again," he said.

Our House used to host the mobile pantry at its former location in addition to giving out food weekly. Besides the location change, Passmore said the difference between then and now regarding the mobile pantry is that Tarrant Area Food Bank used to bring the food for free, but now they charge. Starting in April, Passmore is expecting to pay \$400 for about 8,000 pounds of food to be dropped off.

Our House distributed food at its former location for the last time on Feb. 16. In a previous article, Passmore said that location was closing because the building at 1530 E. Reno Road was being sold.

Passmore said he's keeping the nonprofit food pantry going so the organization can continue to provide meals to people for Thanksgiving and toys for children at Christmastime.

For more information about Our House, visit its Facebook page: [facebook.com/1OurHouse](https://www.facebook.com/1OurHouse) online.



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Calendar

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The community calendar is a free listing in the Azle News to inform readers of programs, special meetings and nonprofit events. The event should be open to the public and free to attend. Information should be submitted at least two weeks prior to the event for consideration. Email the who, what, when, where and why to info@azlenews.net, with "calendar item" in the subject line. Calendar information runs in chronological order as space is available.

SATURDAY, MARCH 25

CLOTHING GIVEAWAY

The Community Caring Center is hosting a free Clothing Giveaway open to the community from 8 a.m. to noon on March 25 at 317 Commerce St., Azle. Everything is free and there is no limit. Monetary donations are appreciated.

MOVIE IN THE PARK

The City of Azle is hosting Movie in the Park featuring "Puss in Boots: The Last Wish." The movie is set to begin about 10 minutes after dusk at the Central Park amphitheater. Grab your blankets, chairs and snacks and enjoy this free family event.

TUESDAY, APRIL 4

TEEN/TWEEN CRAFTS

The Azle Memorial Library is hosting a free DIY Squishies craft night starting at 6 p.m. April 4 at the library. Teens and tweens get to make their own food-themed stress squishies with materials provided by the library. This event is for teens and tweens only please. Anyone 13 and under will require a parent present in the building.

What is truth? Seriously.

"Truth" (noun): 1. the true or actual state of a matter; 2. conformity with fact or reality; 3. a verified or indisputable fact, proposition, principle, or the like; 4. the state or character of being true; 5. actuality or actual existence; 6. an obvious or accepted fact; 7. ideal or fundamental reality apart from and transcending perceived experience; 8. agreement with a standard or original; 9. accuracy as of position or adjustment. (From dictionary.com)



BE AMAZING

By Gerry Lewis

Azle resident Dr. Gerry Lewis guides explorers to discover their AMAZING. He is an author, musician, and speaker, and a coach-sultant for individuals, churches, and organizations. More at www.discoveryouramazing.com.

Have you noticed that "truth" - like "beauty" - is often in the eye of the beholder?

I'm not talking about real truth. I'm talking about what we accept as truth.

Here's how it seems to work:

If a person I really like and respect says it's true, I will give it a hearing. That doesn't mean I accept it as fact. It just means that I won't dismiss it out of hand.

I need to run it through a few more tests.

Like this one: If the person I like and respect says it's true and it affirms what I already believe, then it is more likely to be true. After all, I've believed this for a long time, and I've spent hours googling and finding quite a few experts who also agree with me. Of course, if they do not agree with me, they are no longer experts, and

their "facts" are suspect. I probably need to add one more test.

If the person I like and respect says it's true AND it affirms what I already believe AND it helps to accomplish my agenda and defeat any alternate agenda, then it definitely has the ring of truth to it. In fact, it seems obvious. Anyone who can't see it is probably deceived because of their gullibility. In that case, they need to be corrected.

Unless they are not gullible. In that case, they need to be shamed and identified as enemies of the truth.

But what if a person I have always liked and respected says it's true, but it doesn't affirm what I believe, and it doesn't help accomplish my agenda?

Can it possibly be true? Should I reconsider my position?

Heck, no! That person has obviously caved and lost their way. Or maybe they were never really trustworthy, and I just missed it. Either way, they've lost my respect, and I'm disappointed in them.

In case you were wondering, the previous paragraphs were dripping with sarcasm.

Truth is not in the eye of the beholder. Truth is true no matter who says it. And I believe that all truth has God as its source.

Here's the kicker: if all truth does indeed have God as its source, whether I believe it or not does not change the truth of it. Truth is true regardless of how I respond.

This exchange recorded in John 18:37-38 prompted my thinking today:

Jesus: "In fact, the reason I was born and came into the world is to testify to the truth. Everyone on the side of truth listens to me."

Pilate: "What is truth?"

Isn't that our question? Here's my conclusion: Truth is not something we create or choose; it is something we seek to discover and live.

Even if we have to change our minds to do it.

Be amazing today, my friend.

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ACROSS

1 1983 UH BB team: "Phi Slama _____"

5 TXism: "best I ever wrapped _____ around _____"

6 a person's head (archaic)

7 most young 'uns learn 'em preschool

8 a Texas negative

9 what the Dallas Stars skate on

12 TX Ginger film: "_____ We Dance"

17 Ralph Waldo

19 resident of western city: "El _____"

21 this Porfirio was a TX landscape artist

22 Mexican general at Battle of Palo Alto

23 Texas stunt pilot Danaher flew in "_____ of the Sun"

28 TXism: "_____ of breathing room"

29 _____ of return

30 Texas-based film: "The Ballad of Gregorio _____"

31 Texas actor, Lee Jones

35 Texas Blue Bell ice cream holder

36 TXism: "he's _____ big as Texas" (kind)

42 TX A.C. Greene's "_____ Country"

44 SMU alum TV producer, Spelling

46 self-images

DOWN

1 non-American carrier planes in WWII (2 wds.)

2 _____Coushatta Tribe of Texas

3 Colorado City is the seat of this county

4 primates

9 TX John Garner said vice presidency "_____ worth a bucket of warm spit"

10 type of Texas grass (2 wds.)

11 TX Nimitz first naval rank (abbr.)

12 pamper place

13 UT humanities & arts Center (2 wds.)

14 largest continent

15 "_____ Maples State Natural Area"

16 TXism: "she'll be _____ to her own funeral"

18 "_____ Grande"

20 USA continent abbr.

23 UT Heisman winner Earl (init.)

24 wife of JFK sniper (init.)

25 org. that runs pro rodeo circuit (abbr.)

26 "left _____ for future discussion"

27 break a promise

32 TX Buddy Holly's "_____ Boy"

33 TXism: "sold _____ a bill of goods" (swindled)

34 Gov. "_____ Ferguson"

36 TXism: "don't _____ off half cocked"

37 Baird high school class (2 wds.)

38 "under the _____" (covertly)

39 a Colt was the "gun that _____ the west"

40 TXism: "sticks like tar on _____"

41 chimney residue

43 big truck racing series (abbr.)

45 this Nick starred with TX JoBeth in "Teachers" (init.)

48 more of a "knee knocker"

49 former Texas Oatmeal Festival race: "_____Thon"

56 bed support

Sudoku

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Solutions

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Last Puzzle Solution

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4	7	2	3	1	9	6	5	8
8	4	1	7	5	2	3	6	9
2	3	5	9	6	1	4	8	7
7	9	6	4	8	3	5	2	1

Puzzle by websudoku.com

If you or someone you know has back pain then this article is for you.

A common question we get is: Do I need to get an MRI or X-ray to determine what is wrong with my back?

The short answer is NO! Why do I say that?

By Local Health Expert Dr. Robert Moss PT, ScD, OCS, FAOMPT

Let's start with an x-ray which looks at the bones and how they are aligned. They do not look at the soft tissue which is frequently what is causing your pain. Now if you have had a major trauma (car accident, fall etc) then an x-ray would be useful to rule out some type of fracture. A good clinician who listens to your complaints and how the pain came to be can help guide you on whether an X-ray is necessary or not.

MRI's - are great, almost too great. There have been numerous scientific papers that have shown up to 80% of the population has a disc herniation or bulge yet they **DON'T HAVE ANY SYMPTOMS**.

What does that mean? It means it is quite likely that we are all walking around with some type of bulge or herniation in our disc but we don't have pain. Once we do start to have back pain we get an MRI and the specialist say "Ah ha" here it is, Mrs. Jones you have a herniation in your back...you need surgery. When in fact the herniation could have been present for numerous years.

As part of a routine check up we don't get MRIs on our lower back, only when we have pain. It would be most helpful if we had an MRI performed when we didn't have pain and then compare it to one when we did have pain. Then we could look at the two images and say with greater confidence "this has changed and could possibly be causing your pain".

So if I don't recommend initial imaging for your lower back, what do I recommend? Wait, begin treatment on your back and see how things go. Like I said earlier a good clinician can help determine if you need some imaging. There are certain signs and symptoms that would indicate imaging is needed and treatment should wait until certain things are ruled out.

For 99% of the people we see, imaging is not necessary and frequently delays getting in to see us so we can help you get your life back and do what you love.

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Azle ISD accepting nominations for Athletic Hall of Fame

STAFF REPORTS

More than 30 men and women have been inducted into the Azle ISD Athletic Hall of Fame since 2015, and it's time to consider a new batch

of nominees for 2023.

To nominate someone, complete the HOF nomination form found on the school website's athletic page and send it in by May 12.

Nominees must be a graduate of Azle High School, must be out of school at least 10 years, and be held in high regard as adults and while at AHS.



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Stephanie Parker, a former Lady Hornet volleyball and basketball star, was enshrined in the HOF in 2022.



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Former coach Don Hood entered the Azle ISD Hall of Fame in 2022.

Nominees can be former student-athletes, coaches, athletic coordinators, administrators, or contributors.

Student-athletes will be judged primarily on their achievements as high school athletes. Consideration may also be given to their achievements on the college or professional levels. Demonstration of integrity and character during and after their high school years will be a major consideration. Candidates may not be members of the selection committee when considered for Hall of Fame induction and must be free of felony violations of

the law. Posthumous nominations are also accepted.

Coaches, athletic coordinators, and administrators will be considered for their achievements at high school. Secondary consideration will be given to the nominee's achievements as a collegiate or professional coach. The nominee's demonstrated character at all levels of his or her career will be considered. To be eligible for nomination, individuals must have served as an Azle ISD coach, athletic coordinator, or administrator for a minimum of five years. Nominations may not be accepted if they

are an active coach at Azle ISD. Posthumous nominations are accepted.

Contributors are individuals who have made important donations to Azle ISD athletics in areas such as sports media, medicine, officiating, announcing or as a supporter. Nominees in this category will be considered primarily on the merits of contributions to Azle ISD athletics and must have a record of involvement for a minimum of 10 years. The nominee's demonstrated character will receive consideration. Posthumous nominations will also be accepted.

Man accused of murder in Reno is indicted

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A Parker County Grand Jury has indicted Floyd Levi Nunley in the murder of a man in Reno last summer.

Nunley was previously charged with the murder of Rodney Dale Tallant.

Reno police officers found Tallant dead at his home that he was renovating on Shady Lane on July 26. According to a Reno Police Department news release, Tallant died of a gunshot wound to his head.

Officers found Nunley in a shed on the Shady Lane property when they were conducting a sweep of the area.

Upon finding Nunley, Reno police officers detained him but released him at the scene of the crime. In a previous News and Epigraph article, Reno Deputy Chief Nathan Stringer said officers didn't feel comfortable arresting Nunley for murder right away because of the number of people, mostly family members, who were present at the scene.

Stringer said previously that Nunley sold the home on Shady Lane to Tallant, who was his distant relative and friend. Tallant was in the process of renovating the Reno house so he could move in, and Nunley was helping Tallant with the renovation. Nunley would also occasionally reside on the property.

Nunley is currently detained at the Lon Evans Corrections Center in Fort Worth, and his total bond amount is \$400,000.

During their investigation,

Reno police officers connected Nunley to other crimes that allegedly occurred in unincorporated Tarrant County, and that part of the case was turned over to the Tarrant County Sheriff's Office. As a result, Nunley was arrested on three counts of aggravated sexual assault of a child, and he was indicted for that in October.

Nunley's initial appearance in court for the sexual assault case in Tarrant County occurred at the end of August. The next court date for this

case is a status conference on March 31.

In an email to news media, Parker County District Attorney Jeff Swain said the two counties will need to have discussions to arrange scheduling for court settings. Nunley's murder case in Parker County has been assigned to the 415th District Court with Judge Graham Quisenberry presiding.

Nunley declined to be interviewed for this article.



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Briar-Reno Fire Department board petitions to create emergency services district

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The Briar-Reno Fire Department board of directors is seeking to create a new emergency services district to serve Reno.

This would mean that the district — which would be called ESD 10 — would be a taxing entity separate from the city of Reno and would cover fire services.

"With the uncertainty of what was going to happen

with (Reno's) incorporation, with the situation the city is in financially, we feel that we need to ensure there are dedicated funds to public safety, i.e., the fire department," Briar-Reno Fire Chief Moses Druxman said during last month's Reno City Council meeting.

Druxman said the petition, which has more than 100 signatures from Reno property owners and registered voters, was due to the Parker County Commissioners last month.

A public hearing is expected to take place, and then the county commissioners can choose to create the district if there aren't any issues that arise. The next step after that would be calling an election for voters to decide whether to establish the district.

If the district is created, it would be its own government entity and have a board of five members appointed by the Parker County Commissioners Court to oversee the ESD, Druxman

said. The district would be able to tax up to 10 cents per \$100 valuation, which is less compared to the 13 cents that Reno residents are already paying.

"Yes, we would be independent of the city, but our obligations and the things that we do here would not change," Druxman said. "It is solely for financing purposes."

In the beginning, ESD funding will be comparative to what it is now, but it will re-

ally pay off in the future as Reno grows, Druxman said.

Instead of burdening cities with paying for the fire department's staff and equipment, the ESD board would make those decisions on spending money, Druxman said.

If the ESD 10 is formed, Briar-Reno Fire Department would contract with the district to serve Reno, and the department would also continue to contract and serve Pelican Bay, Briar and

Sanctuary. The volunteer fire department would stay intact if an ESD is created, Druxman said.

"We cannot get rid of our volunteer department because of the grants. The majority of grants we get is because of the volunteer department," he said. "I started as a volunteer almost 14 years ago this year. I am not going to stop the volunteer program. It is vital to what we do."

Random musings to make you smile or say, huh?

Winter is now officially in the books and spring has arrived! The coming of spring brings the fear of tornadoes, hail, damaging winds and the like, but spring also brings us bluebonnets, green grass, warmer temperatures, and the inspiration that the world is coming alive after a long winter.

Every now and then, folks need to stop thinking about local politics, traffic issues, rising housing costs and the price of food. With the coming of spring, I thought it would be fun to review some unusual or little-known facts that I hope will make you smile. Nothing wrong with



FROM MY FRONT PORCH By Sam Houston

Sam Houston is a syndicated columnist and newspaper executive. He is also an author, actor, playwright and entertainment producer/promoter.

having a little fun, is there?

- Here they are:
- "Selfies" now cause more deaths per year than shark attacks.
- There are more stars in space than there are grains of sand on every beach on the planet.
- Without saliva, humans are unable to taste food.
- It snowed in the Sahara Desert for 30 minutes on

Feb. 18, 1979.

- Humans have been performing dentistry since 7000 B.C., which makes dentistry one of the oldest professions.
- Hawaii is the only state with one school district.
- No "only child" has ever grown up to become U.S. president.
- The king of England reportedly owns all of the

country's swans.

- Actress Betty White was technically "older than sliced bread." Sliced breads emerged in 1928 while Betty White was born in 1922.
- You cannot sneeze with your eyes open.
- Fruit Loops, though having individual colors, all taste the same. There are no individual flavors.
- Play-Doh wasn't always a children's plaything. It was first developed as a wallpaper cleaner.
- A banana is a berry, and a strawberry is not.
- The nose and ears are the only two body parts that never stop growing.

- Three presidents, all founding fathers or our nation, died on July 4th — John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, and James Monroe.
- Part of Canada is south of Detroit.
- Bats are the only mammal that can fly.
- Elephants can't jump.
- Mosquitos are the deadliest creatures on Earth because of the diseases they carry.
- German chocolate cake does not come from Germany. It is named for its creator, Sam German.
- There is enough concrete in the Hoover dam to build a two-lane highway from San

Francisco to New York City.

- Americans eat more than 150 million hot dogs each year on July 4.
- I hope everyone gets outside in the days to come and enjoys the mild temperatures, sunshine, and the emergence of all things spring! Spring makes me feel replenished, renewed, and looking forward to the future. I hope it does the same for you.

Thought for the day; The promise of spring's arrival is enough to get us all through the dreariest of winters.

Until next time ... smile, laugh and keep ridin' the storm out.

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James "Mike" Blevins 1958-2023

James Michael Blevins went to be with his Lord on March 5, 2023.

Born in Silver Springs Maryland, Mike was raised in Warren Ohio with five siblings. He came to Texas in 1979 and met his wife of 36 years; he raised his family in the Springtown/Azle area and worked as a mechanic/asphalt paver, and loved fishing.

Mike is preceded in death by parents Donald and Margaret Blevins, and brother

Donald Blevins, Jr. of Warren, Ohio.

He is survived by his wife Janet Blevins; daughter Jennifer Hall, and granddaughter Shelby Steele of Springtown, Texas; siblings John and Dottie Bettiker, Jeff and Mary Rusnak, Buff and Ann Gall of Warren, Ohio, Robert and Lisa Blevins of Vienna, Ohio; many nieces, nephews, and many friends.

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through can feel more confident and comfortable in public.

From its roots, Wigs for Kids has been deeply connected to the experiences and struggles of childhood cancer patients and their families. Wigs For Kids is a

nonprofit founded in 1981 by Jeffrey Paul. Paul, a hairstylist, saw the need for that kind of organization after his 15-year-old niece was diagnosed with leukemia and subsequently lost her hair during chemotherapy. Wigs for Kids has gone on to help 10,000 recipients and their families over its 42 years.

While cutting my hair lifted a weight off my shoulder,

not to mention my head and neck, the years spent growing it, brushing it, washing it and shutting it in car doors were all well worth it, knowing that, somewhere, a child or teen will be made much happier because of my contribution.

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sively difficult time in their life. If donating your hair is off the table, Wigs for Kids accepts monetary donations as well.

"Thanks to hairstylists who donate their time and people who donate money, we can provide wigs for kids at no cost to them. Each wig, made from human hair, costs a minimum of \$1,800 to make, and we rely on the generosity and giving spirit of individuals, businesses and organizations throughout the U.S. and Canada to help with our mission," the Wigs for Kids website states.

If you're looking to donate, Wigs for Kids can refer someone from its network of trusted hairstylists throughout North America. You can also visit a local establishment given they can work with Wigs for Kids requirements, which they describe in detail on their website. When I finally made the decision to cut my hair, I went to my family's trusted hairstylist, Amber Villalobos, at The Shop on Main Street.

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Bill would require fentanyl education

BILL WOULD REQUIRE FENTANYL EDUCATION

The death of a Leander High School graduate from a fentanyl overdose has prompted state Rep. Terry Wilson, R-Georgetown, to file a bill that would require 10 hours of education annually concerning the dangers of the drug to students in sixth grade and up, the Austin American-Statesman reported.

Tucker Roe, 19, bought what he thought was a Percocet pill on Instagram, according to his mother, Stefanie Turner. It turned out to be laced with a deadly amount of fentanyl, a powerful opioid responsible for more than 5,000 deaths in Texas last year, according to the Centers for Disease Control.

"He was struggling with sleeping and stress, and he purchased a pill to help



CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Gary Borders

Gary Borders is a veteran award-winning Texas journalist. He published a number of community newspapers in Texas during a 30-year span, including in Longview, Fort Stockton, Nacogdoches and Cedar Park. gborders@texaspress.com.

him sleep, and that pill took his life," Turner told the Statesman. Wilson's bill would allow a number of different types of organizations to provide the education, including public health agencies.

MORE ARRESTS MADE IN AUSTIN 'STREET TAKEOVER'

More than three dozen charges against 17 people were made last week in the takeover of several Austin intersections on Feb. 18 and 19. The Statesman reported those arrested face charges including evading arrest, obstructing a highway, reckless driving and engaging in orga-

nized criminal activity.

Video footage shot during the incidents showed cars spinning through intersections, fireworks exploding, and dozens of people running through the streets.

"The events that occurred disrupted our community, they garnered much of our attention, and they were clearly not good for our community," Austin Police Chief Joe Chacon said.

PEDESTRIAN, BICYCLIST FATALITIES ON THE RISE

Pedestrian fatalities resulting from traffic crashes increased 34% from 2017 to 2021, while bicy-

clist deaths increased 58% during the same period. The Texas Department of Transportation has kicked off a pedestrian and bicyclist campaign this month to urge all Texans to follow the state's traffic laws and reduce those fatalities.

"We have a shared responsibility to every member of our community - to every family and every individual - to help reverse these trends and reduce traffic fatalities in Texas," said TxDOT Executive Director Marc Williams.

Texas law requires drivers to stop and yield for pedestrian and bicyclists in crosswalks, to yield while turning, and to pass bikes at a safe distance. Pedestrians, in turn, are urged to cross only at intersections and crosswalks, to obey all traffic signs and signals, and to use sidewalks when possible.

Bicyclists are required to stop at red lights and stop

signs, to ride in the same direction as traffic, and to use bike lanes when available.

NELSON CONFIRMED AS TEXAS SECRETARY OF STATE

Former state Sen. Jane Nelson was confirmed last week by the Texas Senate as secretary of state. Gov. Greg Abbott appointed her to the position two months ago.

Nelson served in that chamber for 30 years.

"I will work to safeguard honest and accurate elections in all 254 counties across our great state, while continuing to support business owners by ensuring that government moves at the speed of Texas business, not the other way around," Nelson said in a statement after her confirmation.

LAWMAKERS WANT TO LEGALIZE SUNDAY LIQUOR SALES

A pair of bills introduced in the Legislature would legalize the sales of ready-to-drink cocktails seven days a week, the Houston Chronicle reported. Under current law, liquor stores are closed on Sunday, and grocery and corner stores can only sell beer and wine.

State Sen. Kelly Hancock, R-North Richland Hills, filed his version of the bill recently.

"As industries innovate and new products become staples in the marketplace, it only makes sense for us to take a look at ways government can reduce regulatory red tape," Hancock said. A twin version of the bill was filed in the House by state Rep. Justin Holland, R-Rockwall.

Liquor stores would still be required to be closed on Sunday under the bills.

Azle School Menu March 27-31, 2023

<p>BREAKFAST: PreK-4th Grade, 7-12th Grade \$1.55 5-6th Grade FREE 2nd Meal \$2.00 Visitors/Employees \$2.75</p>	<p>LUNCH: PreK-4th Grade \$2.55 5-6th Grade \$2.75 7-12th Grade \$2.55 2nd Meal \$3.20 Visitors & Employees \$3.75</p>
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PreK - 4th

BREAKFAST: Everyday - Assorted Fruits and Cereal, Juice, White or Chocolate Milk, Graham Crackers, Toast
Mon Triple Berry Blast French Toast, Cherry Craisins **Tues** Sausage Biscuit w/jelly, Pineapples **Weds** Cinnamon Toast Crunch Soft filled, Strawberry Craisins **Thurs** Apple Frudal , Orange **Fri** Strawberry Cream Cheese Bagel, Banana

LUNCH: Everyday - Variety of milk. Your choice of 1 entree & 1 fruit or juice
Mon Corn Dogs OR Chicken Parmesan, w/Garlic Breadstick **Tues** Beefy Mac w/roll, OR Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Pineapples **Weds** Breaded Chicken Patty Sandwich OR Orange Chicken w/roll, Peaches **Thurs** Tater Tot Casserole w/biscuit OR Cheesy chicken Nachos **Fri** Pepperoni Pizza, Cheese pizza OR Chicken Fajita Wraps, Crinkle French Fries, Banana

GRADES 5TH - 8TH

BREAKFAST: Everyday - Assorted Fruits and Cereal, Juice, White or Chocolate Milk, Yogurt w/Granola
Mon Breakfast Pizza, Pears **Tues** Scrambled Eggs, Sausage & Toast, Applesauce **Weds** Dutch Waffle, Peaches **Thurs** Oatmeal, Apples **Fri** Biscuits & Gravy, Bananas

LUNCH: Everyday: Variety of milk. Your choice of 1 entree & 1 fruit or juice, rolls, crackers • Salad bar offered daily
Mon Corn Dogs OR Chicken Parmesan **Tues** Steak Fingers, General TSO Chicken, Chicken Alfredo Pasta, **Weds** Chicken Tenders w/ Breadstick, Chicken Tacos, Sweet n Sour Chicken w/Rice, Meatball Sub **Thurs** Spaghetti w/ Meat sauce, Orange Chicken, Max sticks w/Marinera **Fri** Tater Tot Casserole, Taco Soup, General TSO Chicken, Cheese OR Pepperoni Pizza

HIGH SCHOOL

BREAKFAST: Everyday - Assorted Fruits and Cereal, Juice, White or Chocolate Milk, Yogurt w/Granola
Mon Breakfast Pizza, Pears **Tues** Sausage Biscuit w/ Jelly, Pineapples **Weds** Dutch Waffle, Peaches **Thurs** Oatmeal, Apples **Fri** Waffle & Sausage, Bananas

LUNCH: • Everyday: 1% unflavored or non fat chocolate milk & juice offered daily at breakfast and lunch. Salad Bar • Fruit of the day subject to change due to deliveries and shortages. • Fruit, hot and cold veggies
Mon Beefy Mac w/ Roll, Cheese Enchiladas, Orange Chicken w/ Rice, Cheese Pizza, Pepperoni Pizza, Crinkle French Fries, Cheeseburger **Tues** Chicken Tenders & Waffles, Crunchy Beef Tacos, General TSO Chicken, Cheese Pizza, Pepperoni Pizza, Chili Cheese Dog **Weds** Chicken Nuggets, Beef Bean Burrito, Sweet n Sour Chicken, Turkey & Cheese Sandwich, Cheese Pizza, Spicy Chicken Sandwich **Thurs** Buffalo Chicken Wings, Chicken Burrito, Orange Chicken, Pepperoni Calzone, Hamburger/Cheeseburger **Fri** Tater Tot Casserole, Taco Soup, General TSO Chicken, Cheese OR Pepperoni Pizza

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Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION FOR SMALL MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEM (MS4) RENEWAL

General Permit Authorization No. TXR040604

APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION. The City of Pelican Bay, 1300 Pelican Circle, Azle, Texas 76020, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) under Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Small MS4 General Permit No. TXR040000 for a renewal of authorization number TXR040604 to discharge stormwater to surface water in the state from the City of Pelican Bay MS4. The notice of intent (NOI) and stormwater management program (SWMP) were received by the TCEQ on July 16, 2019.

The MS4 area is located within the City of Pelican Bay limits within the Dallas-Fort Worth Arlington Urbanized Area in Tarrant County. The discharge from the MS4 will eventually reach Eagle Mountain Reservoir in Segment No. 0809 of the Trinity River Basin.

A copy of the NOI, SWMP, general permit, and general permit fact sheet are available for viewing and copying at the City of Pelican Bay City Hall, 1300 Pelican Circle, Azle, Texas 76020. The SWMP can also be viewed online at the City of Pelican Bay's website at cityofpelicanbay.com. Substantial changes to the MS4's SWMP during the permit term will be posted on the same website.

The TCEQ Executive Director has completed the technical review of the application and SWMP. The SWMP, if approved, would establish additional terms and conditions not included in the general permit, under which the MS4 must operate. The Executive Director has made the preliminary decision that the SWMP meets all statutory and regulatory requirements and made a preliminary decision to approve the small MS4's authorization under the TPDES Small (Phase II) MS4 General Permit No. TXR040000.

PUBLIC COMMENT/ PUBLIC MEETING. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting about this application. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit written or oral comments or to ask questions about the application. The TCEQ will hold a public meeting if the Executive Director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing. If significant interest exists, the Executive Director will direct the applicant to publish a notice of the public meeting and hold the public meeting. The applicant must publish notice of a public meeting at least 30 days prior to the meeting in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where the MS4 is located. If the MS4 is located in more than one county, the applicant must publish notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the county containing the largest residential population.

All written public comments and public meeting requests must be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or electronically at <https://www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/> Comment within 30 days of the date of newspaper publication of this notice.

After the deadline for submitting public comments, the Executive Director will consider all timely comments and prepare a response to all relevant material, or significant public comments. The response to comments will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments and to those persons who are on the mailing list for this application.

MAILING LIST. If you submit public comments, a request for a public meeting, or a reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision, you will be added to the mailing list for this specific application to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. In addition, you may request to be placed on: (1) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number; or (2) the mailing list for a specific county. If you wish to be placed on the permanent or the county mailing list, clearly specify which list(s) and send your request to TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address above.

INFORMATION AVAILABLE ONLINE. For details about the status of the application, visit the Commissioners' Integrated Database at <https://www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cid>. Search the database using the permit number for this application, which is provided at the top of this notice.

AGENCY CONTACTS AND INFORMATION. Any personal contact information you provide to the TCEQ will become part of the agency's records; this includes your name, phone number, email address, and physical address. For more information about this application or the permitting process, please call the TCEQ Public Education Program, toll free, at 1-800-687-4040 or visit their website at <https://www.tceq.texas.gov/goto> fpep. Si desea información en español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040.

Further information may also be obtained from City of Pelican Bay at the address stated above or by calling Mr. Mike Lowery at 817-444-1234.

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Cadets Day and Hull Promoted to Officer Ranks

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Grant Day of Springtown and Jacob Hull of Azle, both members of the Azle Composite Squadron, Civil Air Patrol (CAP), have been awarded the official cadet rank of Cadet Second Lieutenant, the Brigadier General Billy Mitchell Award.

Distinguished guests in attendance from CAP were the Texas Wing Commander, Colonel William Schroder and Texas Group VI Commander, Major Jason Quick.

Squadron Commander, Major Brian Kilian, proudly swore in the cadet officers and explained to the audience how these cadets along with the other cadet officers, are an integral part of the cadet program. Kilian shared, "Cadet Grant Day and Jacob Hull are shining examples of well-rounded youth preparing for bright futures as America's next generation of leaders. They exemplify servant leadership in their roles, unselfishly teaching and mentoring younger cadets."

Cadet 2nd Lt. Day has been in CAP just over 2 years. He joined CAP after attending the Cadet Great Start Class thinking it was a fun weekly activity to attend, but found it was so much more. His favorite aspect of CAP has been learning more about himself and how to be a leader. He is currently a freshman in high school and plans to continue working to achieve higher ranks in CAP and is considering a career in public service as a firefighter and paramedic after graduation.

When asked about earning the Mitchell, Day stated, "It feels really good! When I joined, I had no expectations to reach Mitchell. It means a lot to me because I dedicated myself from the point of joining, and continue to apply myself."

Cadet Day's parents, 1st Lt. Tracy and Adrian Day, both members of CAP, reflected upon the occasion with, "We

are incredibly proud of Grant. He has worked very hard to achieve his Mitchell, to see his success in two difficult exams and graduating from Encampment, this was no walk in the park. We have seen him change and grow in so many ways. He has a pride/confidence in the way he carries himself, in his appearance both in and out of uniform and has become more of an instructor/leader with his sitters (and sometimes us). There have been so many positive changes. He has learned so much and keeps him room so organized. He takes the time to not just learn new things but to really understand them. He has made great friends and has become a great friend. We cannot put into words how great CAP has been for him. We are so thankful for this program."

Cadet 2nd Lt. Hull has been in CAP almost 2 years. He was inspired to join CAP to pursue his pilot's license. He enjoys the discipline and structure of the program and as his next step, has his sights set on earning the rank of Cadet Captain which is the Amelia Earhart Award. Ultimately, he intends to pursue the rank of Cadet Colonel, the General Carl A. Spaatz Award, the highest cadet rank in CAP. Cadet Hull is currently in the 10th grade and is working to attend the United States Air Force Academy after graduation.

In earning this award, Hull stated, "Receiving the Mitchell and becoming an officer means you have a higher responsibility and it requires you demonstrate a higher level of core values." His advice to others, "Never do just the minimum required - always Dare Mighty Things!. In CAP, you learn valuable leadership skills that will help you for the rest of your life."

Cadet Hull's father, 2nd Lt. Joe Hull, also a member of



Jacob Hull of Azle, left, with Major Brian Kilian has been awarded the official cadet rank of Cadet Second Lieutenant, the Brigadier General Billy Mitchell Award

CAP, added, "We are proud of the effort that Jake has made to earn the Mitchell Award. He has earned this on his own with support from CAP leadership. We have watched him take ownership of his progression through the ranks, identifying next steps, making goals, and following through on his plan for completing the requirements. Working toward this goal has helped to focus his time and energy toward preparation and training for his desired future. Along the way he has learned valuable skills including: mature communication with peers and leaders, time management, and a servant leadership mindset for those under his stewardship. We look forward to his continued development as he works toward his goal of earning the Spaatz award."

Capt Remy Range, Deputy Commander for Cadets, leads the cadet program for the squadron and works closely with each cadet. He expressed, "Cadet Day is excellent at focusing on cadets within his command with individual attention and mentorship. Cadets under his leadership witness firsthand what it is to be a servant leader. Cadet Hull is excellent at

maintaining a positive spirit throughout all evolutions within the squadron, he finds the positives in all leadership opportunities. Cadets under his leadership witness what it means to maintain a positive leadership spirit."

The Gen. Billy Mitchell Award became part of CAP in 1964. The award honors the late Brigadier General Billy Mitchell, an aviation pioneer and advocate for military airpower. Only about 15% of



Grant Day of Springtown, left, with Major Brian Kilian has been awarded the official cadet rank of Cadet Second Lieutenant, the Brigadier General Billy Mitchell Award

CAP cadets earn this award. To earn this award, a cadet must complete not only the first eight achievements of the cadet program, but also pass an intensive examination of leadership theory and aerospace topics. In addition, to achieve this award, a cadet must also possess a positive attitude, be an encouragement to others, display the CAP Core Values, be proficient in informal speaking, be trustworthy in supervising

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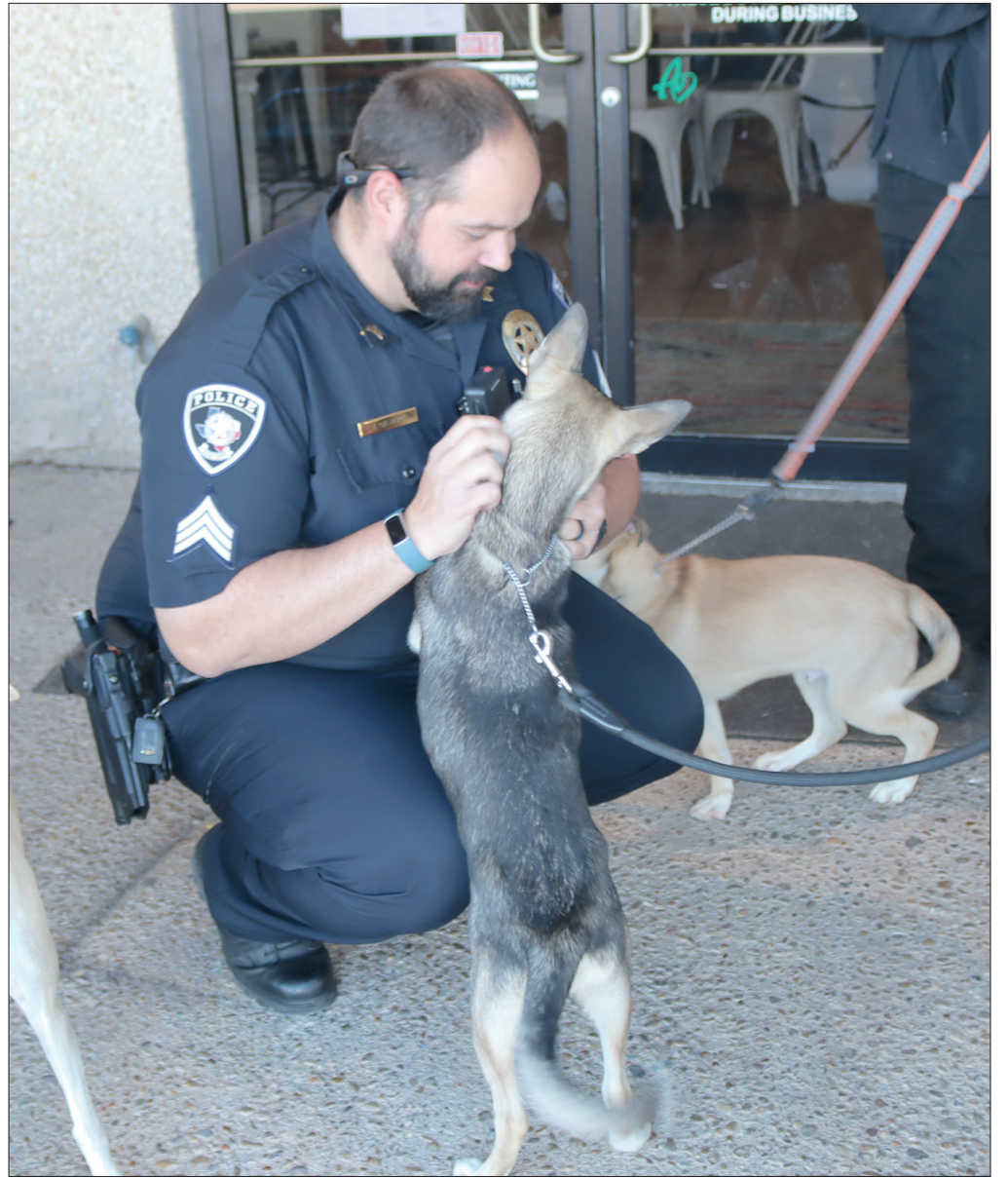
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More than 20 people were in attendance for the event.



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Police and pups alike were excited to be there.

Police, puppies, and pastries

Azle's finest celebrated with coffee, breakfast at community gathering.

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Good times were had by all on the morning of March 17 at the Coffee with First Responders. Crave café at 404 W. Main St. graciously hosted the event. This is the third Coffee with First Responders event in Azle, but the first to be organized by the Azle Chamber of Commerce.

Police, EMTs and the fire department were all present, socializing and enjoying food and beverages provided by Crave. First responders and guests packed the room, filling most available seating. Eventually Azle Animal Control arrived with several dogs in-tow, brightening up everyone's morning. City Council members and chamber members were also present, engaging in friendly

conversation. The chamber hopes to make Coffee with First Responders a monthly event to foster community and communication between Azle's residents and the people who keep it safe. They are on the lookout for future sponsors and venues. The next Coffee with First Responders is planned to be held at Legacy Oaks of Azle.



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and how to care for them." Among Alyssa's favorite chickens is her bantam Wyandotte, named Pluto. "My favorite thing about Pluto is that he is a really calm and friendly rooster, (and) not all roosters are friendly to handle. My love for chickens has grown in the past years. I currently have three show chickens and 45 fancy chickens and counting. My favorite part of the competition was meeting other competitors and their chickens." "Since I really enjoyed my first competition, I'm looking forward to competing next year at the TCJLS," Alyssa said. "Also, I would like to compete at the Fort Worth Stock Show and the State Fair Stock Show. When I grow up, I would like to become a veterinarian." Alyssa's proud parents, Mel and Amelia Flores, have been her biggest supporters in

preparing her for the Tarrant County Junior Stock Show competition. Parents, faculty and volunteers have all seen to it that Azle students stand well-equipped and supported where they apply themselves. Quirt Odom, a seventh-grade student, won Grand Reserve and Best in Show at TCJLS, going on to place fourth in Houston as well. His father, Conda Odom, said, "him maturing and becoming a better showman, putting in the work it takes to succeed" is what has made all this possible. "He's gotten better and better and better," added Dee Ann Odom, Quirt's mother. "It's all about focusing on that judge and focusing on that calf and getting them set right. You're just in-tune with your animal. I hope and pray that we do amazing things." Quirt is one of many students who joined Azle 4-H in the few years since it was established. Now with 74 students involved, De Ann



Madison Bedford, Grand Champion and Grand of Breed winner, helps by teaching and encouraging other 4-H students.

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Quirt Odom feels encouraged after several big wins with his cattle.

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Odom said they're filling warehouses, and "it just exploded!" The more people who got involved, the greater the network of support for Azle students has grown. Odom credits other 4-H and past show winners, Madison and Hunter Bedford, as great mentors, and teachers for Quirt. Success at livestock shows and auctions gives students many opportunities to put more money back into their passions and futures. "We're going to buy his steer for next year, put some

toward feed and the rest is going in a high interest account so he can start stowing some money for college," said De Ann Odom. "We were always in the cattle business. It's in his blood. I could really see him going somewhere with it." Emily Marshall, Avery Bradberry, Ceira Dildine, Kolin Bradberry, Madison Bedford, Rebel Yale and Emma Biehle all placed highly, many outright winning, in their respective classes and categories. Azle FFA students also placed

first and second in several categories. Additionally, two FFA students, Adilynn Crites and Madison York were awarded Tarrant County Livestock Show scholarships of \$1,500 and \$1,000, respectively. With the FFA, Madeline Lemley and Peyton Williams won 2023 Tarrant County Grand Champion and Trystin Ellis won 2023 Tarrant County Reserve Grand Champion. With its recent explosion in size, Azle 4-H is always looking for more help and volunteers.

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Braden Forsythe relies on his noggin.

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SO LONG, SOCCER

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Soccer seasons that began with promise for the Azle Hornets and Lady Hornets ended earlier than expected, but the players and coaches have plenty to crow about.

Soccer began in December, and the boys saw their first scrimmage canceled due to cold, rainy weather. They finally saw action on Dec. 14 at Hornet Stadium, taking on the North Central Texas Academy Pioneers and coming out on top 3-2.

On Dec. 21, the boys faced off against graduates at the annual soccer alumni game. The scoreboard listed graduates as "Old Guys," although most were in their 20s and 30s and in good physical condition. Still, the Hornets prevailed 4-1, and everyone had a grand time.

On Jan. 13-15, Azle competed in the Springtown

Azle boys, girls wrap up seasons with high hopes for future

Invitational Soccer Tournament, beating Springtown 3-0, Venus 3-1, Graham 4-0, and Godley 5-0 to win the championship.

On Jan. 20, Azle's win streak came to an end in the final non-conference game. Azle fell to Fort Worth Western Hills 2-1, but the players were prepared for district clashes.

On Jan. 27 district competition began, and Azle's first two games ended tied, 0-0. Then, the Hornets lost a string of games, most by close margins, and finished out of the playoffs.

Still, there was much to celebrate. The team played hard, kept scores close, entertained crowds, and showed growth. Azle finished at 5-13-3 for the season. Last year's team

finished 1-15-2.

LADY HORNETS COME CLOSE

The Lady Hornets needed to win their final game against Fort Worth Brewer on March 10 to have a chance at the playoffs, and they needed Granbury to lose.

Neither happened, and Azle missed the playoffs after a strong season. The girls compiled an 11-8-2 record and appear poised for strong seasons ahead.

"We're continuing to improve," said Hannah Smith, who wrapped up her first season as head coach.

The Lady Hornets began their season in improbable fashion, winning their first eight games and tying their ninth.

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Jackson Davis tries to tag a runner at first.

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Hornets split baseball games with Granbury to start district

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Azle's starting pitcher didn't have his A-game against Granbury in their March 17 baseball contest.

Declan Dahl was working with his C-game — maybe C-plus. His fastballs and curveballs were going places he wasn't intending, and he walked several batters early

in the game.

With two outs in the third inning, Granbury loaded the bases with runners. The Pirates' designated hitter strolled to the plate and eyeballed Dahl.

The guy was tall and stout with a look of determination. "He is definitely intimidating," Dahl said afterward.

Dahl couldn't count on his curveball going where he

wanted and began blazing fastballs near the outside corner of the plate.

Strike one! Strike two! Strike three!

"I just threw him a bunch of those, and it worked out for me," he said.

The Pirates had missed a golden scoring opportunity.

Azle head coach Stephen Smith said the mark of a good pitcher is one who can find

a way to prevail on his off days. He recalled big leaguers saying they might pitch with their A-games 12 times out of 36.

"They've got to figure out the other 24 games how to keep their team in games and how to win those games, and that's what (Dahl) did today," Smith said.

The pitcher said he did his best and hoped for the best,

and things worked out.

"You're not going to have your best days out there sometimes," Dahl said. "A fastball isn't up to speed, or the curveball is not moving. You've just got to work through it."

An inning later, the same situation arose. Dahl loaded the bases and pitched his way out of the jam without relinquishing a run.

After the game, he credited the infield, outfield, and catcher Billy Spratt for their support.

"I found myself in some sticky situations," Dahl said. "Our team did great behind me. Billy (Spratt) did a great job behind the plate. He's going to keep doing great things in the future."

PLEASE SEE **BASEBALL** | B2

Azle softballers excited to battle district foes

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The non-district schedule was long and tough, and the Lady Hornets were bumped and bruised a bit leading up to district competition.

That was by design. "We were playing really tough teams in (non-district)," said Adrianna Wiedeman, a sophomore pitcher and first baseman. "We've just got to work hard at the small things. Once you get to district, you've got to build from there."

Wiedeman spoke on March 13 after a 4-0 loss to district rival Justin Northwest. The

relief pitcher had been called into the game in the fifth inning with the Hornets down 1-0 and a Northwest runner on base.

Wiedeman, 16, shrugs off pressure and focuses on the plate during situations like these.

The stress "gets to me sometimes," she said, "but most of the time I'm pretty good at pushing it away, not letting it bother me, and doing what I do best. Get on the mound and pitch. Act like the score is 0-0."

The score between Azle and Northwest had remained

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Kaylee Parrish was late tagging this Northwest runner at second base.

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Azle Lady Hornets push iron at state meet



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Congratulations to the Azle Lady Hornets for competing at the state powerlifting championship.

On March 18, Trinity Thornton, Raegan Williams, Cooper Yates, Ashlynn Norton, Skyler Arellano, Riley McKelvain, Tatum Humphries and Emily Lewis traveled to Comerica Center in Frisco to represent Azle while competing against the best powerlifters in Texas.

Raegan Williams finished third in her weight class, and Tatum Humphries set a personal best to finish in sixth place.

The Lady Hornets earned 17th place competing against more than 50 schools.

The girls qualified for the trip on March 2 by winning the Region 6-5A team championship.

Head coach Tanner Street characterized his team as "amazing."

COURTESY PHOTOS

Azle powerlifters consume nourishment on the way to the state meet.



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Cayden Fowler knocked in an RBI to help Azle beat Granbury 2-1.

BASEBALL

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Azle batters were leaving runners stranded on bases, too, although the Hornets benefited from timely hits by Grant Tune, Cayden Fowler, and Garrin Graves, and walks by Tyler Akers and Luke Olmsted.

After keeping Granbury from scoring in the top of the fourth inning, the Hornets put runners on base and scored a run on a passed ball. They added another run in the fifth after Fowler hammered an RBI single.

An Azle error in the final inning allowed Granbury to score a run, but relief pitcher Jackson Davis clamped down afterward, striking out a batter and earning the save.

Final score: Azle 2, Granbury 1.

Ethan Bissonette pitched 1-1/3 innings in relief with 2 strikeouts.

Dahl earned the win going 4-2/3 innings and striking out 11 while giving up 3 hits.

Smith praised his pitcher and defense.

Dahl "got himself in some jams, but he figured out in the middle of the innings

how to get out of those jams," Smith said. "That's why he's going to Seminole (State College after high school), and that's why he's one of the top pitchers in this area."

Hornet fielders helped secure the victory with precision plays, the coach said.

"We stayed locked," Smith said. "We took good approaches at the plate. I was really proud of our defense and how the kids stayed in the game, especially early when Granbury could have blown this game open with a couple of hits."

A few days earlier, the two teams had met in the district opener, and Granbury came out on top 6-0. Akers, Graves, Olmsted, Noah Lehr, and Ivan Perez all notched hits, and Fowler smashed 2 hits, but the Hornets couldn't get the big hit they needed with runners in scoring position.

Austin May pitched well in 4 innings of relief, striking out 3 batters.

Azle was 1-1 in district competition heading into the Tuesday, March 21, game against Saginaw. The game was being played at press time. Look for results in next week's Azle News.

Next up, the Hornets play at 7 p.m. March 24 at Saginaw.



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Pitcher Declan Dahl earned the win against Granbury on March 17.



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To some, Azle Christian School sports standout Camden Logan appears to be older than allowed.



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Logan, who turned 18 in December, is set to graduate from high school in May.

Head and shoulders above the rest

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Opponents of Azle Christian School sports teams take one look at Camden Logan and go, "Uh oh."

Logan stands well over 6 feet tall, weighs more than 200 pounds, sports a full beard and can be intimidating when competing at sports. For several years, Logan has been the running back on the football team who scores the most touchdowns, the forward on the basketball team who scores the most points and grabs the most rebounds, and the batter on the baseball team who blasts balls over the fences and guards home plate as catcher.

Opponents look for ways to dodge him, even if it means attempting to have him disqualified.

"Ever since he was 4,

Camden Logan is big, talented, bearded but still young

they've been asking for his birth certificate," said his mom Cheryl Logan. "He plays above and beyond how he should. He's a big ol' kid."

He started playing youth football in Keller at 4, then played in Louisiana for a few years before moving to Azle. All these years later, he's still being asked to prove his age. "He just got asked at our last game," Cheryl said.

On March 2-3, the Crusaders played in a baseball tournament in Gorman, and an opposing coach said, "Let's be serious. How old are you?"

Logan responded, "My birthday was in December — I'm 18."

On March 7, the Crusaders played Aquilla, and Logan

heard catcalls from opposing players.

"It's time to pay your rent!" a player yelled.

"Time to pay your bills!" said another.

Cheryl Logan works the gate at home sporting events and hears the cracks about her son.

The taunts don't bother Logan, she said.

"He likes it," Cheryl said. "He tells me not to say anything. He's like, 'It's good that they think I'm older.'"

Logan will graduate in May, but other Logans are coming up behind him. Younger brother Jaxson is a sophomore and sister Crimson is 11. Cheryl Logan, as usual, will be working the front gate more often than not.

SOFTBALL

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0-0 through four innings. Azle starting pitcher Morgan Terrell plowed through batters before giving up hits and a run in the fifth.

Head coach Macy Pruitt called on Wiedeman for relief, and the sophomore performed well. Pruitt commended both pitchers and the team's fielding.

"Our defense had an excellent game," she said. "Morgan Terrell and Adrianna Wiedeman pitched phenomenally. We did a really good job, but we just couldn't get the bat on the ball."

Northwest's pitcher was throwing hard and putting movement on the ball.

"We didn't get her this time, but we'll get her next time," the coach said.

Wiedeman and Azle catcher Torrie Johnson would rather look ahead to future games than dwell on the past, especially after a loss.

"We push it to the side and just look for the next one and get better after each game," Johnson said.

Johnson has played softball for 10 years, most always as catcher. The position allows her to be a field general.

"I like that I have a voice on the team and get to look at what's going on and make little adjustments as we go," she said.

Being catcher requires

donning and removing the cumbersome protective gear between innings, which can become hectic when she is the final batter of an inning.

"It's a little stressful, but it's all fun," she said.

Part of being a catcher means protecting the plate against runners trying to beat a throw at home plate. Runners sometimes collide with catchers.

"If they can get around me, cool," Johnson said. "But if they're coming right at me, I'm usually going to push them over."

She likes this year's team chemistry and chances for the playoffs.

"We're doing pretty good," Johnson said. "The beginning looked a little rough, but as we keep going, it's looking a lot better. The little adjustments are what's getting us there."

Wiedeman has been playing softball for most of her 16 years. The pitcher and catcher are experienced, but still working constantly to become better.

"I like being out here with teammates and being able to play and work as a team," the pitcher said. "We have a really good team this year. I feel like we could go far if we put in the work and work together."

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From left, Torrie Johnson and Adrianna Wiedeman keep things in perspective after the loss to Northwest.





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Trinity Thornton inbounds the ball to teammates.

SOCCER
FROM PAGE B1

On Jan. 27, district competition began, and Azle lost to Granbury 1-0. That close loss was followed by more tight losses, and it would be Feb. 14 before the Lady Hornets logged their first district

victory. On Feb. 21, the girls played a rematch with Granbury and came out on top 1-0. The victory indicated the Lady Hornets were ready to start racking up wins, but Azle lost three of its next four games. They couldn't nail down fourth place and a playoff spot, finishing just a hair

behind Granbury in the standings. The Lady Hornets' 11 victories were a huge improvement over 2022, when Azle won just three games, and 2021, when Azle won two games. The future looks promising for both programs heading into 2024.

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Arelly Licero chases the ball while looking to make a pass.



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World's Biggest Bee

The world's biggest bee, called **Wallace's giant bee**, disappeared almost 40 years ago. Scientists thought it was gone forever, or **extinct**.

In 2019, scientists traveled into the forests of Indonesia. There, they discovered a living Wallace's giant bee!

How Big?
Use the code to discover why the giant bee causes such buzz in the scientific community!

Wingspan: _____ inches (_____ cm)

About as long as an adult human thumb: _____ inches long (_____ cm)

Indonesians call it *Raja Ofu* which means: _____

The scientists who found it called it: _____

How many bees can you find on this page? _____

What does a giant bee eat?
Like other bees, they feed on nectar and pollen but they don't make honey. Follow the maze and write down the letters along the correct path to discover how much larger Wallace's giant bee is than a typical honeybee.

How much larger is Wallace's giant bee than a typical honeybee?
F _____

What bees are these?
Do the math to label each of these bees!

- 26 14 + 17 = Pigmented Miner Bee
- 36 17 + 11 = Western Bumble Bee
- 31 18 + 18 = Valley Carpenter Bee
- 28 13 + 13 = Western Honeybee

Extra! Extra! Big, Bigger, BIGGEST
Look through the newspaper for pictures of three things. Cut them out and glue them to a piece of paper in order from big, bigger to biggest. Do the same thing to show things that are small, smaller and smallest.

Standards Link: Understand comparative and superlative forms.

The Cutest Bee on Earth

These bees, with scientific name *Amegilla bombyformis*, look cute and cuddly. If you want to snuggle up with one of these bees, you're in for a treat because the male bees don't sting. These bees live in Australia. Circle every other letter to reveal the nickname for this bee.

Code: C T R E L D N D W
Y K B C E H A J
R V B U E F F E
T _____

Standards Link: Follow simple written directions.

Double Double Word Search

Find the words in the puzzle. How many of them can you find on this page?

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Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognizes identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

Endangered Species

Look for articles about animals that are endangered. What is causing each animal's endangerment? What can be done to prevent the loss?

Standards Link: Use evidence from text to support a position.

Write On! Buzzy Day

One day I woke up and I was a bee. Then ...
Finish this story.

World's Smallest Bee

Unscramble the letters to find the missing words.

One bee is teeny tiny. Scientists call it the *Perdita minima*. Many people call it the _____

YRIAF EBE

The fairy bee lives in the American southwest. It lives alone and makes a tiny nest in sandy desert _____

LISO

The fairy bee grows to be less than two millimeters long. Its entire body can easily fit on the head of an averaged-size bee.

People who look for this tiny bee look for its shadow on the ground. It is easier to find its shadow than the bee.

This bee is so small that it can easily pass through the mesh of insect _____.

TENS

Standards Link: Spell grade appropriate words correctly.

The numbers on the flower petals add up to the number in the center of the flower. **Ooops!** All but one petal, that is! Figure out which petal on each flower needs to be plucked so that the numbers on the petals add up to the number in the center.

Standards Link: Calculate sums and differences.

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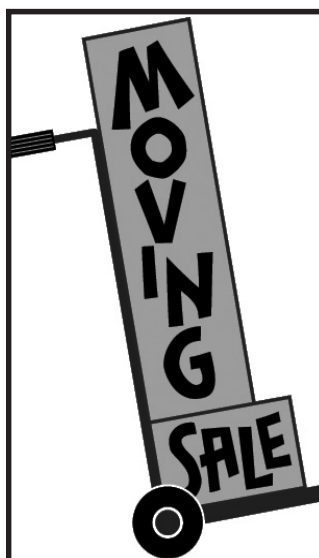


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