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## Dodgeball tournament exceeds expectations

BY Nixie Sanderson  
MANAGING EDITOR

The first ever Dalhart Dodgeball Tournament surpassed their fundraising goal for the inaugural event, and organizers are looking forward to continuing the tournament annually.

“What I love is that there were so many different businesses and people in the community. It was awesome to see people in the community come together and have fun,” Sarah Vyn said.

There were 34 spots available for teams to register, and organizers filled 18 of those.

“It went really well. Originally, we wanted 34 teams, and we ended up with 18 teams. For a first event, I think it was great to have the teams we did,” Vyn said.

The tournament was organized as a fundraiser for an upcoming educational trip for the junior high students at Dalhart Christian Academy. The students plan to travel to Washington D.C. in May, and Vyn said the goal is to have an educational trip each school year for the junior high students.

“The parents got together to discuss fundraising ideas. The idea of dodgeball came to me. I grew up in Canada, and my brother was diagnosed with cancer. A group got together to raise money for him,” Vyn said.

That event was so successful it inspired Vyn to create a similar event in Dalhart.

“I thought, let’s do something different for Dalhart,” she said.

The dodgeball tournament exceeded the goal of \$6,000.

Prizes were awarded to the first and second place teams, and there was also a prize for the best costume. While the prize for first place was originally set at \$240,

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Nixie Sanderson/The Dalhart Texan

Best costume was awarded to The Insurables, who dressed as characters from The Incredibles. The Insurables, from Insurance Associates, included Caleb Finch, Corinna Escareno, Michele Finch, Ben Garcia, Trevor Dailing, Staci Finch and Brenda Langen.

## Finding comfort in times of grief

BY Nixie Sanderson  
MANAGING EDITOR

A group of women gather around a table in Dalhart Prayer House, opening their twice monthly support group with the Serenity Prayer. The women, ranging in age from 48 to 90, all share a common story. Each has lost a spouse.

“We start with the serenity prayer because it gives a reminder for us that there are some things you can’t change, because God knows if we could, we would,” Jamie Gillispie, social worker with Coon Memorial Home Health and Hospice, said.

Gillispie is the facilitator of the group, which officially began meeting in October. While the core group of women who meet have all lost a spouse, the bereavement group is for anyone who is grieving, no matter their gender or who they lost.

“Most of our group has been people that have lost a spouse. A time or two we have had someone come that had lost a parent. It can be anything. Any loss is significant. But, I think it’s been good for us that commonality has been there,” Gillispie said.

While the group is sponsored by Coon Memorial Home Health and Hospice, it is not only for those who have utilized the services of the local hospice. The women who meet regularly travel as far as 70 miles to

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## Dalhart High One Act Play, *Sending Down the Sparrows*, advances to Bi-District

BY Bill Kelly  
SPORTS EDITOR

The Dalhart High School One Act Play competed in the district competition on Thursday, February 28 at Borger High School and was chosen as one of the three plays from the district to advance to the Bi-District round of competition. Three members of the cast were also selected as members of the All-Star Cast or Honorable Mention All-Star Cast. Reagan Bass was named to the All-Star Cast, and Ethan Wilkerson and Garrard Morgan were named to the Honorable Mention All-Star Cast.

The cast performed the play *Sending Down the Sparrows* by Laura Lundgren Smith. The play is about Viktor and his sister Alina and others that they interact with. Viktor is a reluctant member of the Hitler Youth in Nazi Germany. Nazi ideology permeates Viktor’s life. It is included in math problems that he is given

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The Dalhart High One Act Play, *Sending Down the Sparrows*, was one of the top three plays at the district competition and will move on to Bi-District, which will be held on March 28 at Lubbock Estacado.

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70% Chance T-Storms  
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# Community

## Hilmar Cheese Company recognizes employees and announces new strategic plan

HILMAR, CA. – Hilmar Cheese Company, Inc. honored its 35th year in business with a celebration of the past, a recognition of employee accomplishments, and the announcement of its Strategic Plan 2021 at the company's first-ever "Academy Awards" event.

The program kicked off with personal stories and a historical photo presentation of how 12 Central California dairy families took a tremendous risk by betting their farms on a new endeavor Hilmar Cheese Company. The owners reflected on the sustained growth and success of the company, attributing it to the hard work and dedication of their employees.

And it was the employees who were the stars of the "Academy Awards" program, receiving awards in two categories:

The 15 winners of the employee-nominated Hilmar Way High Five Award demonstrated personal and professional commitment to the company's cultural values of excellence, integrity, teamwork, improvement and relationships.

Ten cross-functional teams, with participants willing to embrace change and improvements, received the Teamwork Award.

Every project receiving the Teamwork Award added value to the company, and winning projects were selected on the value contribution of project,

project completion and the long-term sustainability of the change. In total, more than 75 individuals were recognized and rewarded, including two different site efforts by the Dalhart manufacturing employees and a major Hilmar manufacturing project.

This set the stage for everyone to learn about Hilmar Cheese Company's new Strategic Plan 2021.

"This plan builds on our strong culture and purpose to improve lives while setting a bold vision for the future," explained David Ahlem, CEO and President of Hilmar Cheese Company. "The plan identifies the strategies we will use during the next three years as we move to create sustainable growth that is repeatable, ethical and responsible to current and future communities."

The Plan's three strategies focus on people, operational excellence and delivering products and solutions that "WOW" customers.

Ahlem prepared the group for the changes ahead, noting, "What was successful these last 35 years is not what will make us successful in the future. We must evolve and adapt to the changing environment. We will integrate new processes and technologies and what employees do may be different; we will stop doing activities that do not fit the strategy and we will take on new challenges."

## Sunflower meeting set for March 13 in Dalhart

BY Kay Ledbetter  
**TEXAS A&M AGRILIFE COMMUNICATIONS**

DALHART – A Sunflower Producers Agronomic Meeting and Industry Update will be held March 13 by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service at the Dallam/Hartley AgriLife Extension Annex, 402 Denver Ave., Dalhart.

The program will be from 3-5 p.m. Dr. Calvin

Trostle, AgriLife Extension agronomist, Lubbock, will be the presenter. He will discuss sunflower production and best management practices.

Two Texas Department of Agriculture continuing education units – one general and one integrated pest management – will be offered.

For more information or questions, contact Bragg at 806-244-4434 or mhbragg@ag.tamu.edu.



Nixie Sanderson/The Dalhart Texan

## Second grade students host program at high school

The second grade students at Dalhart Elementary School hosted a program at the high school auditorium Thursday evening. Pictured above, the students had the opportunity to practice in the auditorium on Wednesday afternoon.

## Community Calendar

**Benefit Dance:** There will be a benefit dance for Alexi and Cameron Harrison on March 16 from 9 p.m. until 12:30 a.m. at the Dalhart Elks Lodge, 122 N. Jefferson. The cost is \$10 per person or \$15 per couple.

**First Baptist Church Team Kids:** Every Wednesday, Team Kids meets at First Baptist Church, 1000 E. 16th Street, from 5-6:30 pm, starting with dinner. Youth meet from 6-8 pm at the ROC, and adults meet for prayer from 6-6:30 pm. Everyone is invited.

**KidZone:** Liberty Baptist Church, 12020 U.S. Highway 87 South, will hold KidZone for ages 5 through fifth grade on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8 pm.

**Church of the Nazarene Youth Group:** The Church of the Nazarene youth group meets Wednesday evenings from 7-8 pm at 1102 Keeler. Ages 12-18 are welcome.

**Children's Storytime:** The Dallam-Hartley County Library, 420 Denrock Ave., will host story time on the second and fourth Wednesday and Friday of the month at 10:30 a.m.

**Rotary Club:** The Dalhart Rotary Club meets at noon each Thursday at the Dalhart Senior Center, 610 Denrock Ave.

**Senior Game Night:** The Dalhart Senior Citizens Association hosts the Senior Saints Game Night every Friday at 6:30 pm at the Dalhart Senior Center, 610 Denrock Ave. Everyone is welcome.

**Home Health and Hospice Volunteers:** Volunteers are needed by Coon Memorial Home Health and Hospice to sit with patients, perform office work or run errands for patients. Information is available by calling (806) 244-8738.

**Weekly Art Gathering:** Have you dreamed of meeting with other artists to broaden/expand your views and knowledge as an artist? A group of individuals is now meeting at the Dalhart Senior Citizens Center, 610 Denrock, for this purpose. It's informal, no membership required, come-and-go as you please. No matter what type of art you are interested in, all are welcome. All ages are welcome. The group meets at approximately 12:40 p.m. each Friday and stay. For more information, call Nona Goodman at (806) 365-0031 or Carolyn Newton at (806) 268-3760.

**Hospice Connection Group:** The hospice connection group holds a luncheon on the last Wednesday of each month at Coon Memorial Hospital, 1411 Denver Avenue. The program is open to everyone, and especially those who have a loved one in hospice care or that has recently passed away. The group meets at 11:30 a.m., and a pot luck lunch is served at noon.

**Bereavement Group:** A bereavement support group meets on the first and third Wednesday of each month at 10:30 a.m. at the Dalhart Prayer House, located at Third Street and Denrock.



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Timeless custom home on a great corner. The garden room and living room have a fireplace and built in storage. There is a wonderful gourmet kitchen. You must see this kitchen to appreciate it. There are 3 bedroom suites, an office with attached bathroom, a basement with bathroom that would make a media room or additional bedroom. The grand patio is shaded and has a custom water feature.

**1216 Tennessee Ave. PRICE REDUCED**

Inside this gently lived in and well cared for home are 2 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms and 2 living rooms, one of the living rooms has a lovely fireplace with built in storage. The basement is finished and will make a nice media room or game room. The back yard is very private and has a detached garage/shop that is heated with a wood burning stove.

**Lots in Headquarters - Several lots in the Headquarters addition. Prices range from \$27,000 to \$37,000.**

**#1 Honeywood**

A great place to start. This 3 bedroom 2 bathroom home is neat and clean. The yard is fenced and well maintained. There is a covered carport and 3 storage buildings.

**1013 Elm Ave.**

Cute home! Spacious kitchen, dining room, living room, 2 bedrooms and 1 bathroom. This home has a nice sized yard and is fenced. Take a look today!

**1702 Southpark**

Home sweet home with room to roam! The property is approximately 1.3 acres & has many mature trees. The large back yard has a fire pit, swimming pool and a half basket ball court. The open concept design has a beautiful fireplace and there are 3 bedrooms, 2 & 3/4 bathrooms. The spacious family room has a snack bar and a lovely fireplace. The covered back deck has a fireplace and built in seating. There is a detached suite that has approximately 1,054 sq. ft.

**811 W. 7th - Dalhart Bowl**

This property offers 1.3 acres of land with a metal building with 11,760 sq ft. The building has served Dalhart as the Bowling Center for many many years. There are 2 half bathrooms, a large snack area, the bowling lanes, seating area, and the mechanical space for the pin setters and ball returns. This property is a great opportunity for an investor. Take a look today.

**Lovely Patio Home - 1613 Denver Ave.**

Fresh paint and new carpet make this home move in ready! This home offers 2 nice living areas, one has a fireplace and the other has built in bookshelves. There are 3 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms. A nice block fence encloses both the front and back patios. The kitchen has a nice eat-in area and a spacious pantry.

**Country Living - 13125 Hwy 385**

Sitting just off the highway and only a few miles from town this home offers tons of space, a pool and 2 nice barns. This home has a formal living room and a great room with a fireplace. The kitchen is in the great room and has a large space for your dining table. There are 4 bedrooms and 4 bathrooms. The 3 stall garage has a nice bonus room.

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# Local News



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## B. Whimsy hosts sidewalk sale in downtown Dalhart

B. Whimsy hosted a sidewalk sale Friday afternoon in downtown Dalhart, clearances out Christmas and home decor, among other items.

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Vyn said members of the community added additional funds to the pot, making the grand prize \$500.

The New Breed team won first place. The team included BJ Mendoza, Albert Mendoza, AJ Mendoza, Nick Martinez, Dominic Martinez and Carson Smith.

The Wonder Welps placed second. The team included James Schniederjan, Blake Wiley, Noah Schniederjan, Emmett Schniederjan, Gus Granger and Julie Granger.

Best costume was awarded to The Insurables, who dressed as characters from The Incredibles. The

Insurables, from Insurance Associates, included Caleb Finch, Corinna Escareno, Michele Finch, Ben Garcia, Trevor Dailing, Staci Finch and Brenda Langen.

Vyn said during the tournament First State Bank made a \$500 donation toward the student's trip.

Volunteer referees for the event were Joe Garcia, Kurtis Abla, Callie Wiley, Jessie Wallace and Jared Engle. Jeremy McMorris served as the emcee and DJ.

Jason Schniederjan smoked the meat for the lunch. Stacey Ball, Amanda Cox and Amy Schniederjan managed the kitchen and concession.

"I'm thankful for the support of the community," Vyn said.



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in class and in conversations that he has with friends.

Viktor is different from his friends and other members of the Hitler Youth because he has one big secret: his sister Alina is developmentally disabled and he visits her in a state institution. He learns just how far the Nazis will go to achieve "genetic purity" and has to choose where he stands, no matter what it costs him. *Sending Down the Sparrows* is an impactful drama and testament

to all those people who had disabilities and were persecuted by the Nazis during the Holocaust.

The cast of the play includes Ethan Wilkerson as Viktor, Reagan Bass as Alina, Garrard Morgan as Josef, Corbin Byrd as Karl, Gamer Campos as Nazi Officer/Guard, Valerie Salas as Nurse 1, Sean Young as Leader, Lynette Garcia as Administrator 1/Nurse 2, Mitzi Saucedo as Administrator 2, Ruth Espinoza as Inspector, Jorge Castillo as Teacher, Gavin Groll as Youth Extra, Kanon Bass as Blind Man/Person 1, Peter Wright as Doctor, Ivan

Anaya as Person 2's Father, and Maddi Beckner as Nurse 3/Person 2.

The crew members of the play include Stage Manager Anna Perez, Madison Schroder in charge of lights, Yamini Sykha in charge of sound, Chrissa Beller on the spotlight, Araseli Varela in charge of makeup, and Prop Manager Hannah Shugart.

The cast will perform the play again at the Bi-District competition, which will be held on Thursday, March 28 at Estacado High School in Lubbock. The top three plays at Bi-District will move on to the Area round of competition.



Bill Kelly/The Dalhart Texan

Reagan Bass (middle) was named to the All-Star Cast at the district competition, and Garrard Morgan (left) and Ethan Wilkerson (right) were named to the Honorable Mention All-Star Cast for Dalhart High.

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# Public Notice

## GRIEF

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participate.

"It doesn't matter how long it's been or how recent. If you're grieving or still have bereavement issues or feel a group would be beneficial," she said the group is meant for anyone who has a need.

The group doesn't only meet in the prayer room, and seeks to provide support to each other through difficult times that occur after the loss of a loved one, such as birthdays and holidays. Last month, the group went to the movies and lunch in Amarillo on Valentine's Day.

Gillispie hopes the group will provide support for anyone who is grieving and to raise awareness about the grief process.

"I think it is helpful to know that other people have been there, done that, and also to know other people's stories," she said. "I think that death and grief in our society is something we're not supposed to talk about, but it's a fact of life."

So far, that's what the participants have found.

"I think that it's meant to me is I'm not the only one who is going through this. It happens to everybody. Sooner or later, I mean it pays to be kind, because everybody you meet has got some kind of grief they're dealing with," Ava Walker said.

Walker lost her husband in July 2018.

"It helps to have somebody to open up and talk to, even though I don't do much talking, to hear that you're not the only one going through this," Faith Swart said.

Swart lost her husband in January 2018.

"It's much easier to talk to someone who has gone through it. You feel like other people are sharing the same thing that you felt, that you feel, that they understand. Until you've gone through that, you don't understand. There's no way you can," she said.

The group meets on the first and third Wednesday of the month at 10:30 a.m. at the Dalhart Prayer House, 223 Denrock Avenue.

The next meeting is set for March 20.

Highway 87 Self Storage, located at 12002 US Highway 87, Dalhart, TX 79022, will hold a public auction of property being sold to satisfy landlord's lien. Sale will be Saturday, March 16th, 2019 at 1:00 PM. Property will be sold to the highest bidder for cash. Seller reserves the right to not accept any bid and to withdraw property at any time before the sale. Property in each space may be sold item-by-item, in batch or by the space. Property being sold includes some or all of the following items: furniture, appliances, tools, clothes, books, general household items, and miscellaneous items. Property includes the contents of spaces of the following tenant - Rick Cantu

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### ORDER OF ELECTION FOR OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS

An election is hereby ordered to be held on May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019 for the purpose of:

Channing ISD Board of Trustees Election.

Applications for a place on the ballot shall be filed by: February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at the Hartley County Courthouse at 900 Main in Channing, TX. on Monday through Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Fridays from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. beginning on April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019 and ending on April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:

Melissa Mead P.O. Box 189 Channing, TX 79018

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Issued this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2019.



Superintendent of Channing ISD

### ORDEN DE ELECCION PARA OTRA SUBDIVISION POLITICA

Por la presente se ordena que se llevará a cabo una elección el Mayo 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019 con el propósito (fecha) de: Elección del Consejo de Administración de Channing ISD

Solicitudes para un lugar en la boleta serán presentadas por: February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019

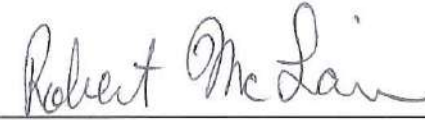
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Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a:

Melissa Mead P.O. Box 189 Channing, TX 79018

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de las horas de negocio el May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Emitida este día 1<sup>st</sup> de March, 2019



Superintendente de Channing ISD

## Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Consolidated Notice of Receipt of Application and Intent to Obtain Permit and Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision

Air Quality Standard Permit for Concrete Batch Plants Proposed Registration No. 150288L002

Application. XIT Concrete, Inc., has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for an Air Quality Standard Permit, Registration No. 150288L002, which would authorize construction of a temporary concrete batch plant located at 13401 U.S. Highway 385, Dalhart, Dallam County, Texas 79022. This link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and not part of the application or notice. For exact location, refer to application. <http://www.tceq.texas.gov/assets/public/hb610/index.html?lat=36.239444&lng=-102.532778&zoom=13&type=r>. The proposed facility will emit the following air contaminants: particulate matter including (but not limited to) aggregate, cement, road dust, and particulate matter with diameters of 10 microns or less and 2.5 microns or less.

This application was submitted to the TCEQ on February 5, 2019. The executive director has completed the administrative and technical reviews of the application and determined that the application meets all of the requirements of a standard permit authorized by 30 TAC § 116.611, which would establish the conditions under which the plant must operate. The executive director has made a preliminary decision to issue the registration because it meets all applicable rules. The application, executive director's preliminary decision, and standard permit will be available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ central office, the TCEQ Amarillo regional office, and the Dallam Hartley County Library, 420 Denrock Avenue, Dalhart, Dallam County, Texas, beginning the first day of publication of this notice. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review at the TCEQ Amarillo Regional Office, 3918 Canyon Dr, Amarillo, Texas. Visit [www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cbp](http://www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cbp) to review the standard permit.

Public Comment/Public Meeting. You may submit public comments or request a public meeting. See Contacts section. The TCEQ will consider all public comments in developing a final decision on the application. The deadline to submit public comments or meeting requests is 30 days after newspaper notice is published. Issues such as property values, noise, traffic safety, and zoning are outside of the TCEQ's jurisdiction to consider in the permit process.

The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or ask questions about the application. A public meeting about the application will be held 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 a public meeting is held, the deadline to submit public comments is extended to the end of the public meeting.

Contested Case Hearing. You may request a contested case hearing. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court. Unless a written request for a contested case hearing is filed within 30 days from this notice, the executive director may approve the application.

A person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the facility is entitled to request a hearing. To request a hearing, a person must actually reside in a permanent residence within 440 yards of the proposed plant. If requesting a contested case hearing, you must submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number; (2) applicant's name and registration number; (3) the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing;" (4) a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the application and air emissions from the facility in a way not common to the general public; (5) the location and distance of your property relative to the facility; (6) a description of how you use the property which may be impacted by the facility; and (7) a list of all disputed issues of fact that you submit during the comment period. If the request is made by a group or association, one or more members who have standing to request a hearing must be identified by name and physical address. The interests which the group or association seeks to protect must be identified. You may submit your proposed adjustments to the application which would satisfy your concerns. See Contacts section.

TCEQ Action. After the deadline for public comments, the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. The executive director's decision on the application, and any response to comments, will be mailed to all persons on the mailing list. If no timely contested case hearing requests are received, or if all hearing requests are withdrawn, the executive director may issue final approval of the application. If all timely hearing requests are not withdrawn, the executive director will not issue final approval of the permit and will forward the application and requests to the Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled commission meeting. The Commission may only grant a request for a contested case hearing on issues the requestor submitted in their timely comments that were not subsequently withdrawn. If a hearing is granted, the subject of a hearing will be limited to disputed issues of fact or mixed questions of fact and law relating to relevant and material air quality concerns submitted during the comment period. Issues such as property values, noise, traffic safety, and zoning are outside of the Commission's jurisdiction to address in this proceeding.

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Further information may also be obtained from XIT Concrete, Inc., 3212 U.S. Highway 54, Dalhart, Texas 79022-8001 or by calling Ms. Monique Wells, Environmental Consultant, CIC Environmental LLC at (512) 292-4314.

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# Entertainment

## Weekly Horoscope

**ARIES** - Mar 21/Apr 20  
Your thoughts and actions may be spurred on by your emotions this week, Aries. It may be better to wait a few days to make decisions until things quiet down.

**TAURUS** - Apr 21/May 21  
Taurus, you could be in for a roller coaster ride this week, especially as it pertains to spending. Money could fly out of your wallet faster than you can earn it. Exercise caution.

**GEMINI** - May 22/Jun 21  
Gemini, as long as you have a solid team in your corner, you can adapt well to the changing environment. However, even a superhero needs a break from time to time.

**CANCER** - Jun 22/Jul 22  
Overcome your resistance and listen to another person's side of the story, Cancer. Embrace letting this person take the lead on something at work or in your home life.

**LEO** - Jul 23/Aug 23  
Friends are lining up to be helpful over the next few days, Leo. Take advantage of their generosity, especially if you find yourself feeling under the weather.

**VIRGO** - Aug 24/Sept 22  
Virgo, the personalized touches you put on any project will showcase your personality and passion. Think about embracing a crafty task to really display your talents.

**LIBRA** - Sept 23/Oct 23  
Libra, on the surface, it may seem like you have your act all together. But beneath your emotions may be roiling. You may want to let some close people in on your secrets.

**SCORPIO** - Oct 24/Nov 22  
So many things hinge upon balance, Scorpio. Make a concerted effort to balance things in your life. You may have to make some changes and experiment.

**SAGITTARIUS** - Nov 23/Dec 21  
Your inclination to meet the needs of others this week is commendable, Sagittarius. Just be sure your generosity does not come at the expense of your own well-being.

**CAPRICORN** - Dec 22/Jan 20  
Capricorn, there is nothing wrong with seeing the world through rose-colored glasses from time to time. Such a positive perspective might change your outlook for good.

**AQUARIUS** - Jan 21/Feb 18  
You are adept at staying on track when you need to, Aquarius. This makes you an ideal fitness guru. Try to inspire others to be regimented as well.

**PISCES** - Feb 19/Mar 20  
Pisces, do your best to honor requests from friends, associates and family this week. If you pull it off, take some time to recharge.

**FAMOUS BIRTHDAYS MARCH 10**  
Carrie Underwood, Singer (36)

**MARCH 11**  
Terrence Howard, Actor (50)

**MARCH 12**  
Malina Weissman, Actress (16)

**MARCH 13**  
Common, Rapper (47)

**MARCH 14**  
Anne Marie Kortright, Model (37)

**MARCH 15**  
Eric Decker, Athlete (32)

**MARCH 16**  
Victor Garber, Actor (70)

## OUTSKIRTS By: David & Doreen Dotson



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### CRYPTO FUN

Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to music.  
Each number corresponds to a letter.  
(Hint: 19 = o)

**A. 17 25 3 9 19**  
*Clue: Beat*

**B. 13 19 17 25 11**  
*Clue: Specific tones*

**C. 3 25 20 19 2 6**  
*Clue: Sequence of notes*

**D. 7 18 16 3 19 13 6**  
*Clue: Note combinations*

*Answers: A. tempo B. notes C. melody D. harmony*



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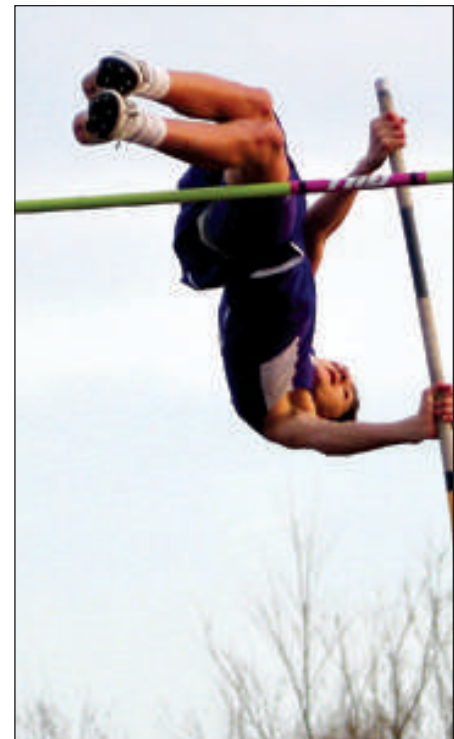
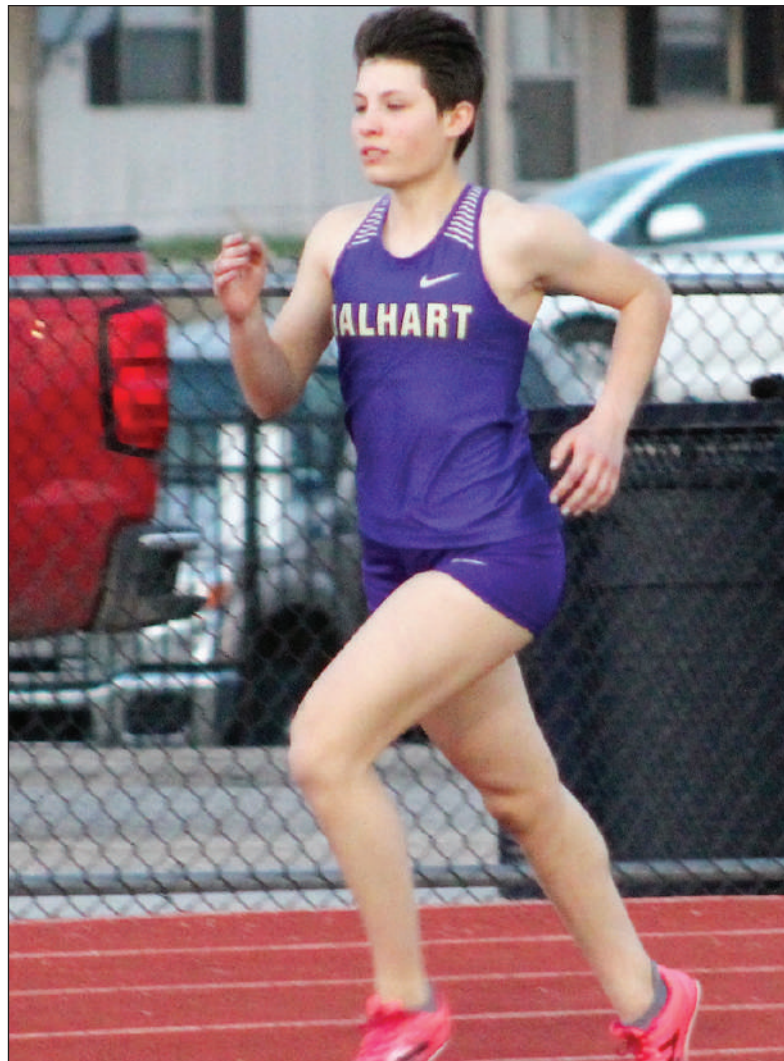
- CLUES ACROSS**
- Employ
  - Not a starter
  - Matchstick game
  - One who receives a gift
  - One shows highlights
  - Open sore
  - Within
  - \_\_\_ Caesar, comedian
  - Investment account
  - A negatively charged ion
  - Immoral act
  - Cheek
  - Lacking in vigor or vitality
  - Partner to flow
  - Ink
  - "Mad Men" actor
  - A taunt
  - Single
  - A very large body of water
  - A configuration of stars as seen from the earth
  - Herringlike fish
  - No (Scottish)
  - White-breasted N. American auk
  - American time
  - Adult female
  - Singer Horne
  - Pronouncements
  - From a distance
  - Indian term of respect
  - One from Utah
  - Never sleeps
- CLUES DOWN**
- Hard to believe
  - Used as a pigment in painting
  - Induces vomiting
  - Fifth note of a major scale
  - Written in a majuscule script
  - Brews
  - Misfire
  - Amounts of time
  - The act of perceiving something visually
  - Female sibling
  - First
  - Sodium
  - Brother or sister
  - Satisfy
  - The lands of an estate
  - Antiballistic missile
  - Taxi
  - Covers the engine
  - Commentator Coulter
  - Mousse
  - Witness
  - Unlikely to be forgotten
  - Bar bill
  - Morning
  - City south of Moscow
  - Highly incensed
  - Intricately decorated
  - Drew closer to
  - Beers
40. Central China city  
44. Touch lightly  
47. Habitual twitching

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Level: Beginner

### Answer to March 8 Sudoku

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Max Baca clears 12 feet to win the JV pole vault at the Wildcat Relays at River Road High on March 7. Baca's 12 feet was higher than any varsity pole vaulter cleared at the meet.

Left: Ashley Amico runs the final leg of the 400-meter relay for the Lady Wolves. Right: Bailey Dettle heads toward the finish line in the 800-meter run. Dettle placed second in the 800 and fourth in the 400-meter dash.

Bill Kelly/The Dalhart Texan

## Lady Wolves take second place at Wildcat Relays

BY Bill Kelly  
SPORTS EDITOR

For the second straight week, the Dalhart Lady Wolves took second place in a track meet as they scored a total of 160 points at the Wildcat Relays at River Road High School. They were just 15 points behind Caprock High, a Class 5A school, and beat district rival Pampa by 35 points.

In the 100-meter dash, Caryce Guerrero placed second with a time of 12.59 seconds. In the 200-meter dash, Dalhart took three of the top six places. Kaeona Marquez placed third at 28.29 seconds, Bethany Bergen placed fifth at 29.02 seconds, and Madison Todd placed sixth at 29.15 seconds.

Bailey Dettle placed in the top four in both the 400-meter dash and the 800-meter run. Dettle took fourth place in the 400 with a time of 1 minute 8.21 seconds and placed second in the 800 with a time of 2 minutes 45.73 seconds.

Maly Delgado won first place in the 3200-meter run with a time of 12 minutes 44.64 seconds and Valeria Vasquez placed fifth at 14 minutes 1.60 seconds. In the 1600-meter run, Delgado placed second at 5 minutes 48.88 seconds.

In the 100-meter hurdles, Ashley Amico placed second at 17.30 seconds, Cayenne Sundvahl placed fifth at 18.36 seconds, and Calie Rutherford placed sixth at 18.36 seconds. In the 300-meter hurdles,

Rutherford placed third at 52.42 seconds.

The team of Madison Todd, Amico, Marquez and Bergen won first place in the 800-meter relay with a time of 1 minute 50.82 seconds, with Bergen just barely crossing the finish line ahead of Bethany Roden of Pampa. In the 400-meter relay, the team of Madison Todd, Marquez, Loree Simmons and Amico placed second with a time of 52.52 seconds.

In the long jump, Marquez placed second with a jump of 16 feet 2.5 inches and Madison Todd placed sixth with a jump of 15 feet 1.5 inches. In the triple jump, Rutherford placed fourth with a jump of 32 feet 7 inches. In the high jump, Ali Hickey placed third with a jump of 4 feet 10 inches.

Dalhart took two of the top three places in the shot put. Cristal Davila placed second with a throw of 32 feet 6 inches and Natalie Olvera, competing in her first meet of the year after finishing powerlifting, placed third with a throw of 30 feet 8.5 inches. In the discus, Olvera placed second with a throw of 85 feet 8 inches.

The Lady Wolves took three of the top six places in the pole vault in very windy conditions. Amico won first place with a vault of 10 feet 9 inches, setting a new personal record. Rhiana Todd placed third with a vault of eight feet six inches, and Hanna Wilkerson placed sixth with a vault of seven feet six inches.

The Lady Wolves are taking spring break off from actually competing. They will host the Dalhart Classic on Friday, March 22.

## Wolves compete at River Road track meet

BY Bill Kelly  
SPORTS EDITOR

The Dalhart Golden Wolves competed in the Wildcat Relays at River Road High School in Amarillo on Thursday March 7. They placed fourth overall with 93 points, just four points behind third place, in what turned out to be one of the longest track meets ever on a very windy day and evening.

In the 100-meter dash, Xavier Hammett placed third with a time of 11.67 seconds. Owen Adeboyejo placed sixth in the 200-meter dash at 24.88 seconds. In the 400-meter dash, Trey Campbell placed third at 56.99 and A.J. Borunda placed fifth

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Pictured left to right is Anthony Aguilera, Edgar Olvera, Guss Jameson and Yostin Villagomez.

## Aguilera places third, Olvera fourth at regional powerlifting

BY Bill Kelly  
SPORTS EDITOR

Nine members of the Dalhart Golden Wolves' powerlifting team competed at the regional meet in Sundown last Friday, March 8. Five of them placed in the top ten in their respective weight classes, while four ended up "bombing out," which means they were unable to complete a lift in one of the three categories of lifts and were therefore disqualified.

Anthony Aguilera placed third for Dalhart in the 198 lb. class, lifting a total of 1,295 pounds. Aguilera cleared 465 pounds in the squat, 315 pounds in the bench press, and 515 pounds in the deadlift.

That was an increase of 15 pounds over his previous high at the meet in Borger. Aguilera improved by an impressive 185 pounds from his first meet of the season.

Edgar Olvera placed fourth in the 181 lb. class by lifting a total of 1,255 pounds. Olvera cleared 490 pounds in the squat, 280 in the bench press, and 485 pounds in the deadlift. That was an increase of 30 pounds from what he lifted at the Highland Park Invitational, and he improved by 90 pounds from his first meet of the season. Olvera came into regional ranked fifth, so he moved up one position in the standings at the regional meet.

Guss Jameson placed eighth in the 275 lb. class, lifting a total of 1,235 pounds.

Jameson cleared 490 in the squat, 275 pounds in the bench press, and 470 pounds in the deadlift. Jameson came into regional ranked eighth, so he was able to maintain his place in the standings.

Yostin Villagomez placed ninth in the 242 lb. class, lifting a total of 1,200 pounds. He cleared 460 in the squat, 340 pounds in the bench press, and 400 pounds in the deadlift.

Brendan Herring placed tenth in the 275 lb. class. He cleared 300 pounds in the bench press and 455 pounds in the deadlift. At press time, the amount he cleared in the squat was unknown, as the official results seemed to contain an error. Herring came into the regional meet ranked 12th, so he

moved up two places in the standings.

Parker Dettle and Jaden Massey were unable to complete a lift in the squat and so were not allowed to try the other two lifts. Corbin Byrd and Usbaldo Zarate completed their lifts in the squat, but were unable to complete lifts in the bench press, and so were not allowed to attempt the deadlift.

None of these Dalhart powerlifters finished in the top two places or lifted a qualifying total, so none of the boys qualified for the state meet.

Elizabeth Montes placed second in the 198 lb. class at the girls' regional, and will compete at state this Friday, March 15 in Waco.

## Hartley track teams open season with meets at Vega and Groom

BY Bill Kelly  
SPORTS EDITOR

The Hartley High School track and field teams began their season by competing at Vega on Friday March 1 and at Groom on Saturday March 9.

At the track meet in Vega, Khodee Gomez placed fifth in the 400-meter dash with a

time of 1 minute 9 seconds. Jazmin Romero placed fifth in the 3200-meter run with a time of 16 minutes 22 seconds. Kylee Martinez placed fifth in the discus with a throw of 68 feet 7 inches.

For the boys, Alejandro Chavez, who won the state championship as an individual in cross country, tied for first place in the 400-meter dash with a time of 55 seconds. Chavez

also took second place in the 3200-meter run with a time of 10 minutes 36 seconds. Marshall Johnson placed fourth in the 100-meter dash with a time of 12.02 seconds.

Jorge Chavira won first place in the discus with a throw of 125 feet 2 inches. Chavira also placed fifth in the high jump with a jump of five feet six inches. Kholten Ellis placed second in the high jump with a jump of six feet even.

At the Groom meet, Romero placed fourth in the 800-meter run with a time of 3 minutes 6 seconds. Romero placed third in the 1600-meter run with a time of 7 minutes 15.71 seconds.

The Hartley boys placed fifth overall out of ten teams at the Groom track meet, even though they didn't have that many athletes competing at the meet. In the 100-meter dash,

Johnson placed fifth with a time of 11.93 seconds.

In the 200-meter dash, Chavez placed fourth with a time of 24.61 seconds and Johnson placed fifth with a time of 24.78 seconds. Chavez won the 1600-meter run with a time of 4 minutes 44.16 seconds, and he placed second in the 400-meter dash with a time of 53.54 seconds.

In the discus, Chavira placed second with a throw of 120 feet 8 inches. He also placed tenth in the high jump with a jump of five feet two inches. Michael Green placed eighth in the long jump with a jump of 17 feet 2.75 inches.

The Hartley track teams are taking spring break off. They will stay close to home next week, competing in the Dalhart Classic on Friday, March 22.

## FNB Dalhart Athlete of the Week

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The FNB Dalhart Female Athlete of the Week is Ashley Amico. Amico is a sophomore on the Dalhart Lady Wolves' track and field team.

Amico showed what she is capable of last year as a freshman, qualifying for the state track meet in pole vault, and she is definitely not resting on her laurels. Some pole vaulters will concentrate on just that event, but Amico is also running in multiple track events as well in order to help her team.

Amico set a new personal record in the pole vault at the Wildcat Relays at River Road last Thursday, winning first place with a vault of 10 feet 9 inches. Depending on how some other vaulters in the Panhandle did last weekend, that vault may have moved her to the top of the Amarillo Globe-News Honor Roll. She was tied for first place last week with girls from Canyon, Randall and Bushland, as all four of them had vaults of 10 feet 6 inches.

Amico was a member of 800-meter relay team that won first place at River Road, and was also a member of the 400-meter relay team that placed second. She also placed second in the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 17.30 seconds.

Amico is just the latest in a line of great pole vaulters at "Pole Vault High." She should have an excellent shot at going to state all four years in that event, and she will also help the Lady Wolves' relay teams throughout the rest of the season, as well as trying to improve as a hurdler.

Honorable Mention:  
Kaeona Marquez:  
Dalhart track and field. Marquez placed in multiple events at the track meet at River Road last Thursday.



Ashley Amico

She placed second in the long jump, third in the 200-meter dash, and was a member of the 800-meter relay team that won first place and a member of the 400-meter relay team that placed second.

Maly Delgado: Dalhart track & field. Delgado, who is a senior for the Lady Wolves, won first place in the 3200-meter run at the Wildcat Relays with a time of 12 minutes 44.64 seconds, and placed second in the 1600-meter run as well.

Taeler Sorrels: Dalhart softball. Sorrels pitched three very strong innings during Dalhart's win over Sunray last Saturday. She struck out seven hitters during those three innings and only allowed one baserunner and no runs. She also scored one run for the Lady Wolves.

Jazmin Romero: Hartley track & field. Romero placed third in the 1600-meter run at the Groom Relays last weekend, and also placed fourth in the 800-meter run.



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at 58.13 seconds.

Dalhart took the top two places in the 3200-meter run, and two of the top three places in the 1600-meter run. Landry Judd won first place in the 3200 with a time of 12 minutes 4.49 seconds and Judiah Lucas placed second at 12 minutes 31.55 seconds. In the 1600, Lucas placed second at 5 minutes 32.61 seconds and Judd placed third at 5 minutes 33.44 seconds.

Carson Smith won first place in the 110-meter hurdles with a time of 16.19 seconds, which was a new personal best. Carson placed second in the 300-meter hurdles at 42.77 seconds. In the 800-meter relay, the team of Adeboyejo, Carson Smith, Will Moore and

Hammett placed third with a time of 1 minute 35.73 seconds.

Campbell won first place in the triple jump with a jump of 41 feet even, and LaDaryl Smith placed fourth with a jump of 37 feet 10 inches. In the long jump, Campbell placed sixth with a jump of 18 feet 9 inches. Luke Osuna placed sixth in the shot put with a throw of 34 feet 8 inches.

The JV track team placed fifth overall with 34 points. In the 100-meter dash, Michael Trujillo placed fifth with a time of 12.38 seconds. Taylor Przilas placed sixth in the 200-meter dash at 25.49 seconds. In the 1600-meter run, Cristian Xon Gonzales placed sixth at 5 minutes 54.12 seconds.

Max Baca won the pole vault with a vault of 12 feet even, which was

actually higher than the winning vault in the varsity competition and was two and a half feet higher than his closest competitor. That was particularly impressive considering the wind conditions, which made pole vaulting outside very difficult.

Roise Marquez won the discus with a throw of 119 feet 10 inches, and RJ Pedraza placed sixth with a throw of 82 feet 10.75 inches. Marquez placed third in the shot put with a throw of 35 feet 4 inches. In the long jump, Trujillo placed fifth with a jump of 17 feet 7 inches.

The track team will not compete in a meet during spring break. They will host the Dalhart Classic on Friday, March 22, which is also bad weather day on the calendar so there will not be school that day.

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