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## Bears roll to 61-16 win



Kolin Lewis leaps up in the air for a catch during the Gladewater 61-16 victory over New Boston Friday night. Photo by Jim Bardwell

## EFG auction to benefit GISD sports memorabilia, unique items appeal to bidders

Bear Nation supporters are needed to help fund classroom and campus grants to make sure every student from our Bear Cubs to our GHS Big Bears have the tools they need to be successful. The Education Foundation of Gladewater (EFG) has re-formed and is working hard to raise funds to ensure that those funds are available to enrich classroom environments.

The EFG is hosting a Giddy Up & Give 2020 virtual online auction which is running through 10 p.m. this Saturday. A live auction will be held Oct. 10 with a live stream to the Education Foundation of Gladewater's Facebook page.

The online auction can be accessed from the Education Foundation of Gladewater's Facebook page where items may be viewed and bid on. Follow the directions on how to register. Items include: Los Pinos Dinner and VIP tasting tour, a \$750 orthodontics coupon, spa laser treatment, guided Lake Fork catfish trip, 2-hour part at Gamesters, gym memberships, 4-rounds of golf at Tempest, art, crafts, autographed Bear football, photo sessions, gift baskets, Roger Staubach autographed jersey, Bob Lilly autographed football, Earl Campbell autographed Houston Oilers helmet, Nolan Ryan autographed print, Patrick Mahomes print, designer purses, Mossberg 300 Winchester, Fredricksburg B&B and much more.

The Oct. 10 live event at Stockyard Steakhouse in Gladewater was limited to 100 guests due to COVID-19 restrictions and is already sold out. However, the greater community can participate in both the online and live-streamed auctions to support Gladewater ISD teachers as they

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## City-wide cleanup set for Oct. 10

Gladewater's annual City-Wide Clean Up Day will be this Saturday, Oct. 10, from 8 a.m. to noon. But due to the COVID-19 pandemic and social distancing requirements the procedure will be a little different this year.

Gladewater residents may drop off bulky, household garbage and other items at the usual East Commerce Street location in downtown Gladewater, but you will need to unload your own items.

City workers will direct you to the drop off location, then they will scoop up the piles and deposit the items in dumpsters located at the location. This process is to reduce personal contact and keep everyone safe.

Prohibited items include paint, shingles, batteries, chemicals, tires, refrigeration items and

commercial waste.

The City of Gladewater will also provide curbside pick-up for any disabled and senior citizens, as available. To schedule this complimentary service please call 903-845-2196 by Friday, Oct. 9 during business hours.

Your help is also needed to keep our community clean. Volunteers are asked to meet at the Ken Bennett Pavilion on E. Pacific at 8 a.m. on Oct. 10 where they will be given plastic trash bags and gloves and dispersed throughout town to help in the parks and neighborhoods in Gladewater.

The Gladewater Chamber of Commerce and the Gladewater Economic Development Corporation will reward all volunteers and city workers with a free hotdog lunch at noon at the Ken Bennett Pavilion.



Byrd's Nest owner Karla Byrd stops for a moment to express appreciation to Sheila Faggan of Caring Hearts of Gladewater for not only the downtown posting of the colorful ribbons that represent the fight against specific cancers, but also for saving Byrd a pink one which represents the fight against breast cancer. Byrd's friend Heather Nolan was diagnosed in 2004 at the age of 34. Nolan's legacy of friendship also includes the organization Hope for the Future Warriors of Breast Cancer.



The last Pothole of the Week in front of Jack V. Murphy Stadium on Hendricks Street is no more. It is fixed along with the family of potholes that ran the length of the street to Gay Avenue. Kudos to city workers for the fix with hundreds of visitors coming to Gladewater for Bear football games, soccer, cross country meets and more the ride is now a much smoother one.

Photo By Suzanne Bardwell



Gladewater Bears vs. Atlanta Rabbits  
Friday, Oct. 9, at 7:30 p.m. in Gladewater

### Bears vs Atlanta By the Numbers

Record- Bears 10 Atlanta 10  
First Meeting- 1962 Atlanta won 12-8  
Last Meeting- 2019 Atlanta won 35-28  
Last Bears win- 2018 Bears won 37-20  
Total Points in Series- Bears 462 Atlanta 355  
Most Points in a Game- 84 Bears won 46-39 in 2013  
Fewest Points in a Game- 19 Bears won 13-6 in 1965  
Largest Point Spread- 22 Atlanta won 28-6 in 1965, Atlanta won 30-8 in 2006, Bears won 36-14 in 2014  
Closest Game- 1 Bears won 34-33 in the 2013 Area Playoff game at Lobo Stadium in the rain.  
Shutouts- None

## Bears slam Lions 61-16, host Rabbits

By Elizabeth McKamy

The Gladewater Bears jumped out to a 35-6 1st Quarter lead and then cruised their way to a 61-16 victory Friday night in New Boston's Lion Stadium.

After racking up several team records through the air last Friday night, the Bears did the majority of their damage against New Boston on the ground. Gladewater, who is averaging 207 yards a game rushing, used their "ground and pound" attack to pile up 319 yards on 32 carries and 6 touchdowns. Leading the way for the Bears was Sr RB Eligia Carter who ran for 131 yards on 7 carries while scoring 2 touchdowns, including a 72 yard barn burner. Not to be outdone, Jr RB Devon Walker pounded his way for 3 scores on 6 carries. Soph Kolin Lewis, who took over at the QB position in the 2nd half, scored on a 7 yard TD run in the 4th Quarter. Lewis was also on the receiving end of a 34 yard TD pass from QB Tristan Holmes to give Gladewater a 42-6 halftime lead.

Gladewater's "Special Teams", who have shown out all year, came up big once again. In the 1st Quarter Lewis recovered a Bear inside kick that led to Gladewater's 2nd score of the night and a 14-0 Bear lead. On New Boston's next possession, Sr Nick Lincoln broke through the New Boston line to block a Lion punt and teammate Eli Kates scooped up the loose ball and ran 38 yards to paydirt. Gladewater got another "Special Teams" touchdown when K'Havia Reese took a New Boston inside kick 54 yards to the house that ended the 1st Quarter and gave the Bears a 35-6 lead.

The Bear defense played big all night, causing 3 turnovers. Lincoln intercepted his 1st pass of the year and Kates and Austin Verner recovered Lion fumbles.

Gladewater will host the (1-5, 1-1) Atlanta Rabbits Friday night, October 9th at Jack V Murphy "Bear" Stadium. Game time is 7:30pm. The Rabbits are coming off a 28-14 win over Sabine, after dropping their first 5 games of the year. The Bears are looking to stay undefeated in District 6 3A D1 and atop the standings pursuing the District crown and the coveted #1 seed in the Texas High School playoffs.

**District 6 3A D1 Standings**

Gladewater	4-2, 2-0
White Oak	3-0, 2-0
Sabine	3-3, 1-1
Atlanta	1-5, 1-1
Tatum	2-1, 0-1
Jefferson	2-3, 0-1
New Boston	1-3, 0-2

**Friday Game Scores**

Gladewater	61	New Boston	16
White Oak	34	Jefferson	33
Atlanta	28	Sabine	14
Tatum	open		

**This Week's Schedule**

Gladewater	vs	Atlanta
Tatum	vs	New Boston
Sabine	vs	Jefferson
White Oak	open	

## County COVID cases climb to 401

By Phillip Williams

The number of state-confirmed COVID-19 cases in Upshur County has now reached 401, but county officials are still trying to clarify conflicting reports from the state on the number of deaths from the disease, county Emergency Management Coordinator Marc Nichols said Monday.

While the Texas Department of State Health Services website lists 10 deaths, the agency tells him in its telephone updates that the number is three, Nichols said.

He added that he had received an email address for the state health coordinator "that I have reached out to" to clear up the discrepancy.

Nichols also said Upshur is not the only county "having the issue of getting accurate information" from the state health department.

He made that observation in a phone interview after issuing a news release saying local officials received information that 350 of the 401 persons stricken have recovered, and that there are 48 active cases besides the three deaths. County Extension Agent Julie York, a member of the county's COVID advisory committee, issued the release on Nichols' behalf.

When York informed the Upshur County Commissioners Court at its meeting on Wednesday of last week that the state listed three deaths, but was working with Nichols to update that total, County Judge Todd Tefteller said the state was "behind the curve" as "we know we have 10."

Tefteller also said county officials have known for a month the amount was more than three.

# OPINION/EDITORIAL

**Chris Cobler**  
Capital  
Highlights



## 'Texas in my Rearview Mirror'

Texas lost one of its brightest country stars when singer-songwriter Mac Davis died at age 78 of complications from heart surgery.

Born and raised in Lubbock, Davis was known most for his country/pop songs of the 1970s, including "Baby Don't Get Hooked on Me," and for writing a number of Elvis Presley hits, including "Don't Cry Daddy," "In the Ghetto" and "A Little Less Conversation." Davis also had a successful acting career, starring in his own variety show and the movie "North Dallas Forty."

The address for the West Texas Walk of Fame is 1501 Mac Davis Lane in Lubbock, which he sang about in "Texas in my Rearview Mirror."

"Many hearts are broken today, including my own, with the death of one of my dearest friends, Mac Davis," country legend Dolly Parton tweeted. "We lost one of the world's greatest writers, singers and entertainers."

A date for Davis' funeral is pending. In keeping with the last line of "Rearview Mirror," his wife said he will be buried in Lubbock in his jeans.

## Irving company pivots to green energy

Vistra, an energy powerhouse based in Irving, announced plans to achieve net-zero carbon dioxide emissions by 2050.

A key part of that plan is a capital investment of \$1.15 billion by 2022 on solar and storage projects in California and Texas. The company also plans to close coal-fire energy plants in Illinois and Ohio by 2027.

"Vistra's commitment to our transformation to a low-to-no-carbon future is unequivocal and offers unique opportunities for growth and innovation," President and CEO Curt Morgan said in a press release.

Vistra solar projects opening within the next two years in Texas are in Andrews, Brightside, Emerald Grove, Forest Grove and Oak Hill. A solar project and energy storage project is planned at Upton 2 near Emerald Grove. Energy storage is planned in DeCordova southwest of Dallas-Fort Worth.

Vistra is a Fortune 275 retail electricity and power generation company. Its holdings include TXU Energy, Homefield Energy, Dynegey, Ambit Energy and Luminant.

## Early voting starts Oct. 13

Gov. Greg Abbott's executive order and a Texas Supreme Court decision changed some counties' plans for handling mail-in ballots for the Nov. 3 election.

Citing security concerns, Abbott ordered all 254 Texas counties to offer only one drop-off location for absentee ballots.

"These enhanced security protocols will ensure greater transparency and will help stop attempts at illegal voting," Abbott said.

Democrats accused the Republican governor of trying to suppress the vote, particularly in larger metropolitan areas. The League of United Latin American Citizens, the League of Women Voters and two individuals filed a lawsuit to challenge the order.

"Geographically, Harris County is larger than the entire state of Rhode Island," Harris County Judge Lina Hidalgo said. "Our population rivals that of the entire state of Colorado. To propose only a single, secure drop-off location for a county of our size during a pandemic is ludicrous."

Earlier, the Republican-controlled Texas Supreme Court issued a ruling that created a similar partisan reaction about voting security and rights. The court said Harris and other counties could not send unsolicited mail-in ballots to voters.

In-person early voting starts Oct. 13 in Texas. The Texas Library Association is encouraging its member libraries to share election guides created by the League of Women Voters.

Early voting runs until Oct. 30. The deadline to apply for a mail-in ballot is Oct. 23, and the deadline to return a mail-in ballot is Nov. 3.

Along with visiting their local libraries and reading their local newspapers, people may go to the League's vote411.org for information about their ballots for the general election. Also, the Texas Tribune, a statewide nonprofit news initiative, offers ballot information at TexasTribune.com.

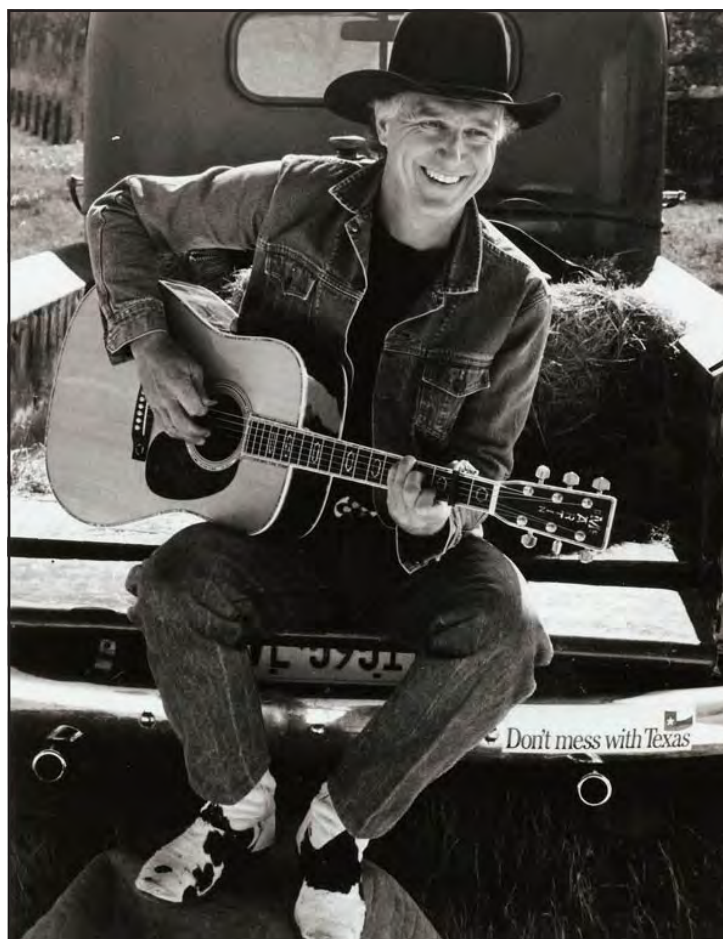
## Letter to the Editor

### Readers ask GFD to wear masks

I admire and support the brave men and women who serve as police and firefighters. However, recently I observed action by Gladewater firefighters that disappointed me. I was at Brookshire's and noted on a recent Monday and Thursday that firefighters in uniform were not wearing masks even though there is a large sign requiring the wearing of masks in the store.

These firefighters who are supposed to protect the public are actually putting us in danger. Wearing the uniform and ignoring safety requirements gives young people and children a bad example. I hope in the future they will set a better example.

Bob Chauvin, Gladewater



## Cosmic cowboys & growing older

Trite but true, the older you get the faster time flies. It wasn't that long ago that I was 19, sitting in front of a stage. The sun was warm, the day beautiful and the excitement at seeing an outlaw country star palpable. Jerry Jeff Walker wobbled onto the stage, then to the edge, and then fell into my lap...passed out. Apparently he decided to 'party' before the concert. I was mad at him for ages, decades in fact.

The man who wrote "Mr. Bojangles", "L.A. Freeway", "Desperados Waiting for the Train" and so many more amazing songs was young, hot and had a major drinking problem. I must admit I held it against that Cosmic Cowboy for a long, long time. In the last decade, which is a heck of a long way away from the naive 19-year old kid who smacked him on his passed out shoulder for disappointing her, I have seen Jerry Jeff three more times. One of those times he was off the wagon and of course we had shelled out for front row tickets, but this time he didn't fall off the stage and kept on singing...the same song three times.

**Suzanne  
Bardwell**



But the man who could write unforgettable songs, the man with the voice that for some reason reaches into my music loving soul and grasps my heart, redeemed himself the last time I saw him. It was at a Jimmy Buffett concert. ZZ Top was the opening act and because of illness they had to cancel. Jimmy's oldest and dearest friend, Jerry Jeff, the one who helped launch Buffett, was called to fill in. To say that the ZZ Top fans were disappointed was an understatement.

Again, we had front row seats. Jerry Jeff Walker, worn down by years of living life on the edge, illness and age, remained seated for most of his songs. Somewhere in the middle of the second song he noticed this old chick super fan who was once young and naive, singing every word along with him. Suddenly, this concert was just for me. Once the old songster found a true fan in the audience he sang every song to me. And I, sang loudly, off key and joyfully with him.

Walker's "Viva Terlingua" album, named a masterpiece by critics, was the soundtrack of much of my life. First, as a college kid with a handsome young hubby who helped arrange that Boot Hill Concert long ago. The name wasn't far off, after all Jerry Jeff ended up in my lap, boots toe down in the dirt, only to be drug off never to be seen by me again until decades later. By that time, this super fan was no longer as naive, no longer as fresh and optimistic, but still a passionate fan of music that moves. Today I have turned off the noise of anger, of misinformation, of social media, of obligation in this moment to listen to a few of Jerry Jeff's songs. And you know what? No matter how old I get, that little girl in the cutoffs anxiously waiting to hear one of her favorite artists still swoons just a bit when I hear his raspy, velvet voice. Jerry Jeff is struggling with illness and age, but his music has brought a lot of joy to my life, including the fact that my smart aleck son sends me Jerry Jeff's "Redneck Mother" nearly every year for my birthday. And that goofy song makes me laugh every single time. And, more importantly it connects me with my son who has a bizzarro sense of humor much like his Mom's.

So today, my cowgirl hat is tipped to great music by one of the great Cosmic Cowboy outlaws, for the laughter and joy that he has brought in one way or another to legions of fans. And, after all these years Jerry Jeff's songs still make me laugh, still make me want to dance and still teach me life lessons. Viva Terlingua old pal of my music loving soul! May your feet stay long on the ground as you sing "The Next Waltz".

# THE ECONOMIST

By Dr. M. Ray Perryman

## Electionomics

The state of the economy is inevitably a central issue in presidential campaigns, debates, and elections. This year will likely be even more intense than usual, with the fallout from the pandemic causing millions of Americans to lose their jobs,



their savings, and, in many instances, their businesses. The best candidate to deal with the situation will be the subject of strong opinions and disagreements. During elections, economics becomes "electionomics," with rhetoric often far overshadowing reality.

The perceptions of voters regarding who will do a better job in managing the economy can sway elections. For example, in 1992, the phrase "It's the economy, stupid," coined by campaign strategist James Carville, helped shape the messaging that led to Bill Clinton's victory.

Historical studies indicate that the economy typically grows at faster rates under Democratic presidents. The difference is

not large, but it is statistically significant. Drawing any conclusions from the data is, at best, a complex undertaking. Most policy changes involve lag times, and current performance can be due to actions taken during prior administrations. Some presidents inherit structural problems, and others implement policies that only bear fruit down the road. It's possible to stimulate the economy in the short term but cause long-term harm. (I have been around long enough to witness all of these things.) The bottom line is that trying to give a president substantial credit or blame for the economy is almost always oversimplifying.

Moreover, there is a limit to what a president can do to change economic patterns. Major initiatives, such as tax law changes or infrastructure overhauls, fall largely to Congress. The president exerts influence and can issue Executive Orders in certain situations, but the range of those that can survive legal scrutiny is limited. Our analysis and that of several others estimate growth in overall output and jobs would be higher under the "Biden" plan than the "Trump" plan (neither is defined with the precision necessary for

a full assessment), though the winners and losers would be different. Since neither party is likely to capture the Presidency, the House, and 60 votes in the Senate (which is required to implement a full agenda), such comparisons are of limited value.

As I've often said, the economy was in basically good shape going into the pandemic, and, once the health crisis is adequately dealt with, we will

see a return to sustainable growth (assuming that we keep the basic structure in place).

The path of the economy is ultimately determined by major global patterns in cost structures, demographics, technology, supply chains, and similar phenomena. These factors dwarf the significance of who sits in the White House. Nonetheless, the season of electionomics is upon us. Be safe!!



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## ABORTION

An Associated Press newspaper report cites the prosecution of the mother of an infant who died as a result of her injecting cocaine and multiple prescription drugs while pregnant. In other words, the drugs she used while pregnant caused her newborn baby to die. She was charged with involuntary manslaughter. She said she knew the drugs would harm the baby, but said "she needed to get high." Had this woman gotten a legal abortion she would not have been liable, and supposedly that would have been all right.

Friend, we are living in a twisted, selfish, and immoral society. Think about it. While many people aren't the least bit concerned about approx. 800,000 babies that are being aborted and killed every year, they get all teary-eyed about sea-gulls and crabs killed by an oil-slick in Alaska. I'm certainly not in favor of oil-slicks or shipwrecks, but it is obvious that many have their priorities mixed up. They'll celebrate when a condor lays an egg in the San Diego zoo, but think people opposed to killing unborn babies are religious nuts. They think if a medical doctor finds and destroys a condor egg or bald-eagle egg, he should be prosecuted, fined, and perhaps imprisoned. But, with the mother's approval, they think the same doctor can kill an unborn child and be protected by the courts.

The Bible teaches against killing innocent human life, and speaks of unborn children as human life. Such is a fact that cannot be denied, by intelligent people. But many are of the mind: "Don't confuse me with the facts; my mind is already made up." The pro-choice generation gives it only the slightest twist: "Don't bother us with your moral concerns; we've got the right to do what we want." Think on these things.

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Gladewater Lady Bear Hai'leigh Oliver (2) makes sure the ball stays on the Ore City side of the net. Photo by Chris Jones

SCORE BY QUARTER					
TEAM	1	2	3	4	FINAL
GWATER	35	7	12	7	61
N. BOSTON	6	0	10	0	16

GAME STATS		
First Downs-	Bears 23	New Boston 15
Rushes/Yards-	Bears 32/319/6 TDs	New Boston 42/209/2 TDs
Passing-	Bears 6/10/93/TD	New Boston 5/10/89/1 int
Total Yards-	Bears 412	New Boston 298
Fumbles/Lost-	Bears 1/1	New Boston 2/2
Punts-	Bears 0	New Boston 2/34.5 avg

**SCORING SUMMARY**

**1st Quarter-** Bears go 59 yards in 8 plays scoring on a Devon Walker 4 yard run. Justice Hassek's kick was good making the score Bears 7 New Boston 0 with 7:22 left in the 1st Quarter.

Bears go 43 yards in 3 plays scoring on a 16 yard run by Eligia Carter. Hassek's kick was good making the score Bears 14 New Boston 0 with 6:16 left in the 1st Quarter.

Bears go 38 yards in 1 play scoring on a Nick Lincoln blocked punt return by teammate Eli Kates for 38 yards. Hassek's kick was good making the score Bears 21 New Boston 0 with 2:20 left in the 1st Quarter.

Bears go 20 yards in 2 plays scoring on a 6 yard run by Walker. Hassek's kick was good making the score Bears 28 New Boston 0 with 1:27 left in 1st Quarter.

New Boston goes 91 yin 6 plays scoring on a 11 yard run. The 2 point try was no good the score Bears 28 New Boston 6 with:02 left in 1st Quarter.

Bears go 54 yards in 1 play scoring on a K'Havia Reese 54 yard return of a New Boston onside kick. Hassek's kick was good making the score Bears 35 New Boston 6 with no time in the 1st Quarter.

**2nd Quarter-** Bears go 44 yards in 6 plays scoring on a Tristan Holmes to Kolin Lewis pass of 34 yards. Hassek's kick was good making the score Bears 42 New Boston 6 with :37 left in the 2nd Quarter.

**3rd Quarter-** Bears go 87 yards in 2 plays scoring on a Eligia Carter 72 yard run. Hassek's kick was no good making the score Bears 48 New Boston 6 with 11:25 left in the 3rd Quarter.

New Boston goes 91 yards in 11 plays scoring on a 27 yard run. The 2 point try was good making the score Bears 48 New Boston 14 with 6:13 left in the 3rd Quarter.

Bears go 47 yards in 6 plays scoring on a Walker 3 yard run. The extra point was blocked making the score Bears 54 New Boston 14 with 3:24 left in the 3rd Quarter.

New Boston ran back the blocked extra point making the score Bears 54 New Boston 16 with 3:24 left in the 3rd Quarter.

**4th Quarter-** Bears go 47 yards in 9 plays scoring on a Lewis 7 yard run. Hassek's kick was good making the score Bears 61 New Boston 16 with 1:53 left in the 4th Quarter.



Kolin Lewis stretches for one of two catches on the night good for 45 yards and one TD. Photo by Jim Bardwell



The Gladewater defense roughed up the New Boston Lions Friday in the lopsided 61-16 win. Photo by Jim Bardwell



Eli Kates scoops up a fumble during the 61-16 win by Gladewater over New Boston. Photo by Jim Bardwell

## Lady Bears drop 2 matches

Dressed out in pink in observance of October being Breast Cancer Awareness, the Gladewater Lady Bears travelled to Ore City Friday afternoon.

Across the net awaited the Lady Rebels, also wearing pink jerseys. And much like the teams looking alike, they played alike, ending 4 sets tied at 2 apiece. Ore City edged Gladewater by 3 in the 5th for a 3-2 win.

Scoring per set: 25-20, 18-25, 23-25, 25-21, 12-15.

Hai'leigh had 7 Kills, 8 Blocks, 1 Dig in the effort. JaKiyah Bell also had 7 Kills, as well as 4 Blocks, 1 Dig, 2 Assists. Alexis Boyd contributed 8 Kills, 2 Blocks, 2 Digs while Kamryn Floyd added 5 Kills, 1 Block, 3 Digs.

Gladewater fell to White Oak 3-0 on Tuesday.

## Union Grove falls to Tigers, 40-30

By Jordan Moss

The Union Grove Lions fell to the Linden-Kildare Tigers in a hard-fought contest Thursday night.

The Lions and Tigers clashed in Union Grove Thursday night with Linden-Kildare coming out on top by a score of 40-30.

Union Grove head football coach Scotty Laymance spoke about improvements the team had hoped to make in preparation leading up to the game.

"We changed some things offensively during the open week," Laymance said. "We were hoping to make ourselves a little more multiple and more dynamic."

That's not to say that Laymance didn't have any positive takeaways from the Lions efforts in loss.

"The coaches and players responded with our best offensive performance as far as point total for the season," Laymance said. "Defensively we made some adjustments after the first quarter and we were able to play much better in the second half."

Senior quarterback Chase Mead finished the night going 10 of 19 through the air for 150 yards, two touchdowns and two interceptions. Mead added 56 yards and another touchdown on the ground to finish with 206 total yards of offense and four scores in the game. The senior quarterback also added a pair of two-point conversion runs.

The Lions rushing attack, led by senior Matt Bower who finished with 99 yards on 16 carries

with one touchdown, combined for a total of 183 yards. Senior Grayson Barnett added 17 yards on four touches to go with a successful two-point conversion rushing attempt. Sophomore Davy Branscom added 11 yards on two carries.

On the defensive side of the ball senior Joshua Rhodes led Union Grove with nine total tackles with one for a loss. Six of Rhodes's tackles came solo. Junior Adam Hansons finished with four tackle son the evening. Sophomores Josh Baker and Ian Vieira added four apiece as well.

Stil Laymance noted the importance of the Lions working to grow as a defensive unit each week.

"We must continue to work on fundamentals and tackling to continue improving."

The first quarter of play saw the Lions and tigers evenly matched as the teams traded touchdowns and two-point conversions to knot the score up 8-8 at the end of the first quarter. The second quarter saw Linden-Kildare put 20 points on the board to Union Grove's eight. By the end of the first half the Lions trailed 28-16.

In the third quarter Union Grove outplayed the Tigers putting up eight points to Linden-Kildare's six. The Lions cut into the Tigers by two points but still trailed 34-24 heading into the final quarter of play. In the fourth quarter the two squads slugged it out with each adding another six points to their total. For Union Grove the late stalemate killed the clock. The Tigers held off the Lions for a 40-30 victory.

## Lions battle Beckville Bearcats Friday

By Jordan Moss

The Union Grove Lions football team is hoping for their first district win of the season this Thursday night.

The Lions will be in action Friday as they host the Beckville Bearcats.

Union Grove head football coach Scotty Laymance is excited to see his team hit the field again following a hard-fought loss to the Linden-Kildare Tigers last week.

"I'm excited about the opportunity we have to play a good Beckville team," Laymance said. "We are ready to see how our kids respond against an explosive and well coached offensive team."

Though the Lions fell short in their last outing the game was far from without its positives. Union Grove put a season-high 30 points on the scoreboard while racking up 333 yards of total offense. The Lions also showed a resilience in fighting the entire game that Laymance noted following the loss last Thursday.

Beckville meanwhile rolls into town with a .500 record of 3-3 on the year. Their most recent outing saw the Bearcats fall on the road to Hawkins in a one-sided affair by a score of 32-6. Union Grove cannot afford to let the Bearcats last performance

deceive them.

In the three games proceeding the loss to Hawkins, Beckville outscored opponents by a combined total of 168 to 49. That's a margin of 119 points that the Bobcats were better than their opponents by. After starting the season off with back to back losses the Bearcats defeated Maude 75-14 for their first win of the year. They followed that up with another dominant performance defeating West Sabine 59-21 on the road. Beckville then returned home for a 34-14 blowout victory over the Carlisle Indians.

The Bearcats have two running backs averaging over 100 yards per game in 2020. Junior Ryan Harris is averaging 111.8 yards per game and has 10 rushing touchdowns already this season. Perhaps more impressive is freshman J'Koby Williams who is averaging 126.7 yards per game and has grossed the goal line seven times himself this season.

While Laymance knows the challenges, his team faces he is eager to see the Lions take to the field again in good health and at full strength.

"We will be getting some injured players back this week so we expect to see those kids make some improvements for our team," Laymance said.

The Union Grove Lions and the Beckville Bearcats will kick off at 7:30 p.m..

**OCTOBER 10TH, 8 A.M. - NOON**

# Gladewater FALL City-Wide Clean Up Day

GLADEWATER RESIDENTS may bring bulky, household garbage and items to dumpsters located along E. Commerce St, in downtown Gladewater. However, due to COVID-19 restrictions - everyone will need to unload their items themselves.

**Prohibited items include paint, shingles, batteries, chemicals, refrigeration items and commercial waste. These items will not be accepted.**

The City of Gladewater will provide curbside pick-up for any disabled and senior citizens, as available.  
To schedule this complimentary service please call: Gladewater Public Works at 903-845-2196, ext. 0 between now and Friday, October 9th during business hours.

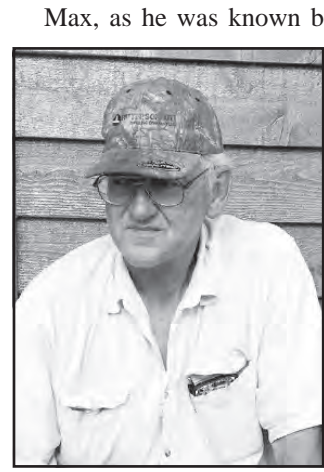
Your help is needed to keep our community clean. Volunteers will be meeting at the Ken Bennett Pavilion on E Pacific at 8 a.m. where they will be dispersed to help in parks and neighborhoods in Gladewater. Trash bags will be provided.

The Gladewater Chamber of Commerce and GEDCO are sponsoring a free Hotdog Lunch at noon for all volunteers.

# OBITUARY

## WILLIAM MAX HART

William Max Hart of Gladewater passed away at his home on October 3, 2020, after a brief illness. He was born on September 16, 1959, in Gladewater to Wilma and Jack Hart, Jr.



Max, as he was known by his family and friends, was a 1979 graduate of Gladewater High School and a perpetual student of the school of hard knocks. He spent the first three decades of his career as a heavy equipment mechanic. After busting one too many knuckles, Max decided to move to the topside of the equipment and became an operator specializing in oilfield related equipment moves. He logged thousands of miles and was respected by his peers and supervisors.

Max's favorite hobby was fishing. He enjoyed going out on the lake with his children and grandchildren and was able to continue dipping a lure

into Gladewater Lake with his son up until the last week of his life. His love of spending time outdoors was reflected in years of riding his four wheeler. He loved taking the grandkids for rides as well as going to a four wheeler park. Max was always the type of person that would say the things everyone else was thinking. His favorite greeting was shooting people the bird. If you caught one then you were one of his people. His wife thought of him as her own personal Superman. He was tall and strong. He could do anything. He was a fixer, a picker upper of heavy things, a protector, and a knight in work boots and jeans.

Max is survived by his high school prom date and wife of 42 years, Gayla Edwards Hart, son, Joseph Hart and wife Torie, daughter Katherine Womack and husband Keith, mother in law Sandra Edwards, sisters Lisa Paz and husband Carlos, Laura Harber, Lois Keith and husband Jimmy, brothers J.T. Hart and John Hart and wife Rose, sister in laws Kelly Edwards, Emily Mayfield and husband Gary, Jamie Edwards, brother in laws Randy Davis and Tracy McKnight, grandchildren Lane Ferguson, Navi Womack, and Ava Waggoner, and countless nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his mother and father Wilma and Jack Hart, Jr., father in law Max Edwards, sisters Kathy Kisat and Linda Davis, sister in law Melinda McKnight, brother in law Phillip Edwards, nephew Michael Paz, and niece Rebecca Kates.

A memorial service will be held at Croley Funeral Home in Gladewater on Saturday October 9, 2020 at 2 p.m. Private interment will take place at Kelsey Cemetery at a later date, following cremation services.

Online tributes and condolences can be made at [www.croleyfh.net](http://www.croleyfh.net)



## FUMC offering community meal Saturday, Oct. 10

Gladewater First United Methodist Church will host the monthly community meal this Saturday from 10 a.m. until noon. Families will be offered the opportunity to receive clothing, household goods, a bag of groceries and a boxed meal. The event will be held in the Christian Life Center across from the church. Individuals entering will have their temperature taken at the door and must wear a mask. One will be provided if necessary. There will be no meal served due to COVID restrictions but take out boxed meals will be available.

## Lions Club to host auction

The Gladewater Lions Club has served the community since 1931 and is seeking new members to continue the service they are known for. The club has also had its major fundraisers of the Gusher Days Pancake Breakfast and Round Up Rodeo concession stand canceled due to COVID-19. The Lions will hold an online auction from Oct. 3-13 to raise funds and are seeking donations. Please contact Martin Pessink at 903-375-3515 to offer items or services for the auction. The club's service work is extensive throughout the year. For information please call Donna Seery at 903-845-4066.

## EFG auction to benefit GISD sports memorabilia, unique items appeal to bidders

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strive to meet their students' individual needs by creating unique and effective classroom learning environments with innovative curriculum for their students pre-K through seniors.

The EFG's mission is to support instructional innovation and creativity in the classroom by funding educational grants submitted by Gladewater ISD faculty and staff. The teachers of GISD strive to add engaging curriculum and learning tools to classrooms, but budget constraints at times limit purchase.



By supporting Giddy Up & Give 2020, Bear Nation supporters can help teachers develop richer learning environments for their students. The goal is to work in partnership with GISD and the community to create a premier school district. The EFG is accepting donation items now. Honorariums and memorials are also a dedicated method of donation.

To learn more about the foundation and, or the auctions go to: [www.educationfoundationgladewater.org/giving](http://www.educationfoundationgladewater.org/giving) and visit the auction website at [www.gladewater.murabid.com/](http://www.gladewater.murabid.com/). Items are being added as received. For information or to donate email: [efgladewater@yahoo.com](mailto:efgladewater@yahoo.com).

## NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS



## Clothes Closet now open

The Clothes Closet has reopened and is accepting donations of apparel and shoes in good condition. Individuals being served by the Clothes Closet will be limited to one visit a month. The Clothes Closet is located behind Manna House in the southwest corner of City Hall with hours Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. Visitors are reminded to wear masks.

## Manna House needs

The community food ministry Manna House is always in need of a variety of donated goods including cereal, canned goods, children's snacks, baby food and peanut butter. Food donations may be dropped off at the Gladewater Mirror newspaper 211 N. Main Street weekdays during business hours or at Manna House in the southwest corner of City Hall on Mondays, Wednesdays or Fridays from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. Financial donations may be mailed to Manna House, P.O. Box 808, Gladewater, 75647.

## Manna House Christmas family boxes

Manna House is now accepting applications for Christmas family food boxes. Families who need extra assistance with food sources may also qualify for regular family food boxes. To apply go to Manna House in the southwest corner of City Hall on Hwy. 80 on Mondays, Wednesdays or Fridays from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m.



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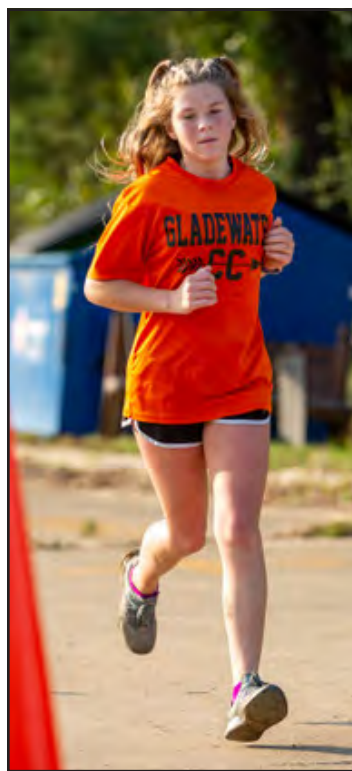
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Photo by Chris Jones

### Running with the Bears at Gladewater High School



Savannah Kegarise



Gladewater Varsity Boys-  
Tanner Gothard - 8th  
Caleb Kimbrell - 12th  
Michael Lewis- 14th  
Austin Verner - 19th

Gladewater Varsity Girls-  
Morgan Perez 15th

Gladewater JV Girls-  
Faith Mooney - 8th

Gladewater Middle School  
Boys -  
Kennan Jalomo 2nd  
Jaxxon Cook - 5th  
Kyle Santos - 11th

Gladewater Middle School  
Girls -  
Suzy Perez - 7th



Micheal Lewis

# LÔÔK

## Gladewater Museum Benefit Garage Sale

Oct. 17, Saturday  
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### UPSHUR CO. PCT. 3 JP/CONSTABLE REPORT

Upshur County Precinct 3 Justice of the Peace Judge Rhonda Welch and Constable Ryan Ludvigson Report for the month of Sept. 2020:  
**New Cases Filed:**  
Criminal Cases-46  
Civil Cases-11  
Criminal Show Cause Hearings- 14  
Civil Hearings-4

**Magistrate Warnings:**  
Class C Misdemeanors-0  
Class A and B Misdemeanors-8  
Felonies-2  
Warrants Issued: 2  
Collections for the month- \$10,400  
Judge Welch performed 2 wedding ceremonies this month.  
Constable Ludvigson served 4 civil, 4 evictions, 3 out of county, and 1

writ with 3 attempts made for a total of 12 papers served. He had 3 office, 1 courtroom, 2.5 community service and 15.5 patrol/paper service hours.  
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# Know the difference between cold, flu and COVID-19

The common cold, Influenza (Flu) and COVID-19 are all contagious respiratory illnesses, but they are caused by different viruses. COVID-19 is caused by infection with a new coronavirus (called SARS-CoV-2) and flu is caused by infection with influenza viruses.

Because some of the symptoms of flu and COVID-19 are similar, it may be hard to tell the difference between them based on symptoms alone; testing may be needed to help confirm a diagnosis. The Flu, COVID-19 and the common cold all share many characteristics, but there are some key differences between them.

## Difference between the flu & the common cold?

In general, the flu is worse than the common cold, and symptoms are more common and intense. It can be difficult (or even impossible) to tell the difference between them based on symptoms alone. Special tests are needed, usually within the first few days of illness to determine if a person has the flu.

## What are some similarities & differences between the flu & COVID-19?

Both COVID-19 and a flu can have varying degrees of signs and symptoms, ranging from no

symptoms (asymptomatic) to severe symptoms.

## Common symptoms of COVID-19 and flu include

- \* Fever or feeling feverish/chills
- \* Cough
- \* Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- \* Fatigue (tiredness)
- \* Sore throat Runny or stuffy nose
- \* Muscle pain or body aches
- \* Headache

Some people may have vomiting and diarrhea, though this is more common in children than adults

Other signs and symptoms of COVID-19 may include change in or loss of taste or smell.

## What can I take to alleviate my symptoms?

Since there is no cure for the flu, a cold, or COVID-19, it is important to check with your healthcare provider to receive a proper diagnosis & for appropriate treatment advice.

In general, plenty of rest and drinking lots of fluids are key.

Additionally, since antibiotics don't treat a cold, the flu or COVID-19, and although treating your symptoms with over-the-counter medications (OTC) may give you some relief, you should check with your doctor first.

For example, if you have the flu, pain relievers such as aspirin, acetaminophen, or ibuprofen may reduce your fever and the aches.

OTC decongestants containing pseudoephedrine can help dry and clear nasal passages, but usually only temporarily.

All US, over-the-counter (OTC) medicine labels have detailed usage and warning information so consumers can properly choose and use the products appropriately.

Below is an example of what the OTC medicine label includes.

\* Active Ingredient: these are the ingredients that make the medicine work

\* Uses: Symptoms or diseases the product will treat or prevent.

\* Warnings: When not to use the product; conditions that may require advice from a doctor before taking the product; possible interactions or side effects; when to stop taking the product and when to contact a doctor; if you are pregnant or breastfeeding, seek guidance from a health care professional; keep product out of children's reach.

\* Inactive Ingredients:



Substances such as colors, flavors, preservatives, etc.

\* Purpose: Product action or category (such as antihistamine, antacid, or cough suppressant).

\* Directions: Specific age categories, how much to take, how to take, and how often and how long to take.

Other Information: How to store the product properly and required information about certain ingredients (such as the amount of calcium, potassium, or sodium the product contains)

## The Label Also Tells You...

\* The expiration date, when applicable (date after which it is not recommended to use the product).

\* Lot or batch code (manufacturer information to help identify the product).

\* Name and address of manufacturer, packer, or distributor.

\* Net quantity of contents (how much of the product is in each package).

(What to do if an overdose occurs, call poison control immediately at 1-800-222-2222.



## Important voting information

What you need to know about the November election:

Oct. 5, Monday - Was the last Day to register to vote

Oct. 13, Tuesday - First Day of Early Voting by Personal Appearance

Oct. 23, Friday - Last Day to Apply for Ballot by Mail

Oct. 30, Friday - Last Day of Early Voting by Personal Appearance

Nov. 3, Tuesday - Voting in-person and last day for receipt of mail-in ballots.

## Fall Fest canceled, safety tips offered

The annual Gladewater Emergency Services Fall Fest has been canceled for this year due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the need to keep children safe.

Traditional trick-or-treating, crowded parties and indoor haunted houses are among the activities the CDC says pose the highest risk for coronavirus transmission, and families should avoid them this year.

But if you do choose to celebrate Halloween the Texas Poison Center Network suggests a few safeguards to help ensure a trouble-free, enjoyable Halloween for you and your family.

Glow sticks: Glow sticks top the list of Halloween-related calls to poison control. These contain Dibutyl Phthalate but luckily the concentration is quite low and relatively harmless

Halloween makeup: Use cosmetics that are intended for use on the face. Test makeup on a small area of skin (the arm) to check for sensitivity before applying it to the face. Avoid applying it around the eyes. Remove makeup before bedtime.

Halloween candy: Children should never eat Halloween candy until an adult has inspected it. Avoid letting your children eat unwrapped candy or homemade treats! When in doubt, throw it out!

## LGV Trade Days to resumé Nov. 14

Longview Jaycees Trade Days for October has been cancelled due to COVID-19 restrictions. According to Billy Clay the event will resume Nov. 14-15. Vendors may call 903-753-4478 to reserve space. An inside 10' x 10' area is \$50 per weekend, an outside 10' x 20' space is \$45 per weekend. Outside electricity is \$3 per day. Outside concession spaces of 20' x 20' are \$110 per space. Table rental is available inside only. No animals are allowed in exhibit building except service animals. A Texas Sales Tax Number is required. Trade Days hours are Saturday 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. and Sunday 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

## GISD Calendar

- 10/7, Wednesday  
GHS Science & Make Up 9 Week Tests  
GMS ELAR 9 Weeks Tests
- 10/8, Thursday  
5 p.m. JV Bears@Allanta  
GMS Sci/Soc. Studies 9 Weeks Test
- 10/9, Friday  
End of 1st 9 Weeks/UIL Eligibility  
4:30 p.m. V VB@Sabine  
7:30 p.m. Bears vs. Atlanta-H PINK OUT
- 10/10, Saturday  
9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday School
- 10/12, Monday  
Remote Learners may return to campus
- 10/13, Tuesday  
GPS "Fall into a Good Book" dress as favorite character  
4:30 p.m. JV/VB@Daingerfield
- 10/14, Wednesday  
Student Holiday  
4:30 V VB@New Diana  
5 p.m. JV Bears vs. Jefferson-H
- 10/16, Friday  
Fall HOLIDAY
- 7:30 p.m. Bears@Jefferson
- 10/17, Saturday  
1-5 p.m. Bear Booster Club VB Face Off-HS Gym
- UGISD Calendar  
10/7, Wednesday  
FFA@Gilmer Wildlife CDE
- 10/8, Thursday  
5 p.m. JH/JV FB vs. Beckville-H
- 10/9, Friday  
Mathlete vs. Athlete  
4:30 p.m. V VB vs. Hawkins  
7:30 p.m. V FB@Beckville
- 10/10, Saturday  
UG Inv. Cross Country
- 10/11, Sunday  
Musical Frozen



## GISD town hall meeting Thursday

GISD will host a Town Hall meeting Thursday, Oct. 8, 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at GISD's Administration Boardway on the Broadway campus. All attendees are requested to wear masks and social distance. Supt. Sedric Clark will share the state of the district and answer any questions attendees have.

## 3 indictments handed down

By Phillip Williams

The Upshur County Grand Jury returned three indictments, one of them sealed, and no-billed one case in Gilmer on Thursday, said District Attorney Billy Byrd.

Defendants, charges and bond information in the open indictments were as follows, Byrd's office reported:

Kendra Gayle Simmons, 36, of Gilmer, possession of controlled substance (methamphetamine) on March 6, \$10,000 bond

Robby Wayne Johnston, 29, of Gilmer, aggravated assault against a public servant with deadly weapon Aug. 14. He remained in county jail under \$500,000 bond.

Name of the defendant in the sealed indictment, which was a charge of possession of controlled substance with intent to deliver (codeine) was not revealed because the individual had not been arrested, Byrd's office said.

Nature of the no-billed case was not disclosed.



The Gladewater Bass Club's Sept. tourney on Lone Star Lake saw first place go to Cooper Slayton and Michael Slayton with a 17.32 lb. string and also the big bass weighing in at 4.79 lbs. Second place went to Lane Newton and Scott Newton with a 15.68 lb. string and third place went to Gary Morris and Jim Ward with a 12.78 lb. catch.

Final standings for the year for bass club members are: first place—Abo Caton and Clint Caton with a 97.87 lb. haul; second place honors went to Cooper Slayton and Michael Slayton with a 93.28 lbs.; third place went to Scott Newton and Lane Newton with a net weight of 82.42 lbs.; fourth place to Chris Dees and Dustin Kincaide with 75.66 lbs.; fifth place went to Mike Arnold and Jeff Brunner at 69.92 lbs.; and sixth place went to Wayne Carrell and Bud Mahaffey with 68.44 lbs. The Big Bass of the Year was snagged by Chris Dees with a 6.42 pounder. The End-of-Year Classic will be Oct. 11 at a lake drawn from a hat that morning. Courtesy Photo

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American Legion R.E. (Peppy) Blount Post No. 320 of Gilmer will hold a flag retirement ceremony, in which damaged and faded American flags will be burned according to U.S. Code on Saturday.

The public is "encouraged to come" to the 1 p.m. event behind the Gilmer Area Senior Center, Inc., at the intersection of Silver Alley and Harrison, said post Commander Pat Taylor. Worn and torn flags will be respectfully burned in a barrel.

The Gilmer High School Junior Air Force ROTC is expected to assist with the ceremony, Taylor said.

Flags needing disposal may be left at the senior center between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. today (Thursday) or at Williams Furniture Co, 216 Buffalo by Saturday morning. The senior center is located in the old fire station and its front door faces Harrison Street.

The local Legion post will also hold its Christmas party at the senior center (where the Legion also meets) Saturday, Dec. 5, said Taylor.

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CALL DATE	CALL DESC	CFS#	CALL TIME	BUSINESS NAME	ADDRESS
9/28/20	EMS	202005805	0:01		1106 RODEO RODEO
	FIRE DEPT	202005806	0:10		325 S MAIN MAIN ST
	ALARM/OTHER	202005807	2:23		2498 W UPSHUR UPSHUR
	ILLEGAL DUMPING	202005808	8:28		101 EMPIRE EMPIRE
	EMS	202005809	11:30		314 N LEE N LEE
	HARASSMENT	202005810	12:00	GLADEWATER POLICE DEPARTMENT	511 S TYLER TYLER RD
	INCIDENT - NO REPORT	202005816	12:07		100 S FERRY S FERRY
	EMS	202005817	12:17	ANTIQUA CAPITAL RV PARK	500 S LOOP 485 LOOP 485
	FIRE DEPT	202005818	14:24		2816 BERNICE BERNICE ST
	ILLEGAL DUMPING	202005819	15:05		101 EMPIRE EMPIRE
	10-50 MINOR	202005820	15:28		504 W MARSHALL MARSHALL
	STALKING	202005821	17:01	LAKE GLADEWATER	1602 LAKESHORE LAKESHORE DR
	RECKLESS DRIVING	202005822	17:06		HWY 80 HWY 80
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005823	17:48	SUPER STOP EXXON	601 N MAIN MAIN ST
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005824	20:17	THE BAR	28237 COUNTRY CLUB COUNTRY CLUB RD
	10-50 MINOR	202005825	20:32		N POINT PLEASANT POINT PLEASANT
	SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE	202005826	22:11	TEXAS BANK AND TRUST	1623 E BROADWAY BROADWAY
9/29/20	SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE	202005827	0:07		101 TENERY TENERY
	SUSPICIOUS PERSON	202005828	0:44	FAMILY DOLLAR	601 W UPSHUR UPSHUR AVE
	SUSPICIOUS PERSON	202005829	0:55		BROADWAY BROADWAY AVE
	EMS	202005830	1:44		222 GAY GAY
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005831	1:50		1001 CHEVY CHASE CHEVY CHASE
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005832	2:29	SENTINEL GARDENS	300 MONEY MONEY ST
	EMS	202005833	3:35		360 ALLISON ALLISON
	INCIDENT - NO REPORT	202005834	7:14		S LOOP 485 S LOOP 485
	ALARM/OTHER	202005836	10:44		2128 WEST LAKE WEST LAKE
	THEFT	202005837	10:57		1300 NORTH NORTH
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005838	11:58	GLADEWATER POLICE DEPARTMENT	511 S TYLER TYLER RD
	EMS	202005839	12:27	SENTINEL GARDENS	300 MONEY MONEY ST
	EMS	202005840	15:51		207 PINEWOOD PINEWOOD
	THEFT	202005841	16:43		507 W MARSHALL MARSHALL ST
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005842	16:54		18 GREENWAY VILLAGE GREENWAY VILLAGE
	EMS	202005843	16:59		201 WALTON WALTON ST
	EMS	202005844	17:31		48 JULIAWOODS JULIAWOODS
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005845	17:40		524 QUEEN QUEEN ST
	ASSAULT CLASS A	202005846	17:50	TW LEE BUILDING	800 E BROADWAY BROADWAY AVE
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005847	17:52	DOMINOS	1050 E BROADWAY BROADWAY AVE
	FIRE DEPT	202005849	19:18		6 GREENWAY GREENWAY AVE
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005850	20:00		405 SPENCER SPENCER
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005851	20:10		1502 VIOLA VIOLA ST
	SUSPICIOUS PERSON	202005852	20:50	CEFCO	1109 E BROADWAY BROADWAY
	EMS	202005855	22:10	SENTINEL GARDENS	300 MONEY MONEY ST
	SUSPICIOUS PERSON	202005856	22:09		505 W GAY GAY
	EMS	202005857	23:32		2455 N WILLOW OAK WILLOW OAK RD
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005858	23:56	FAMILY DOLLAR	801 W UPSHUR UPSHUR AVE
9/30/20	ALARM/OTHER	202005859	4:04	BRECO	605 E PACIFIC PACIFIC AVE
	EMS	202005860	7:30	LEGEND OAKS NURSING HOME	1201 FM 2685 FM 2685
	EMS	202005861	11:32	LEGEND OAKS NURSING HOME	1201 FM 2685 FM 2685
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005862	12:30	STOCKYARDS STEAKHOUSE	1005 W UPSHUR UPSHUR
	EMS	202005863	13:18	GLADEWATER HIGH SCHOOL	2201 W GAY GAY AVE
	INCIDENT - NO REPORT	202005864	13:49		AMES AMES
	EMS	202005865	15:38	GLADEWATER MIDDLE SCHOOL	414 S LOOP 485 LOOP 485
	RECKLESS DRIVING	202005866	16:03		N MAIN MAIN ST
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005867	17:08		1208 OLIVE OLIVE ST
	ALARM/OTHER	202005868	17:36		2806 RAMPY RAMPY
	EMS	202005869	17:44		2805 RAMPY RAMPY
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005870	18:09		GAY GAY
	ANIMAL CONTROL	202005871	18:31		34 GARDEN LANE GARDEN LANE
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005872	21:17		
	SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE	202005873	23:00	LAKE GLADEWATER	1602 LAKESHORE LAKESHORE DR
10/1/20	HARASSMENT	201900298	9:13		1108 N LYNN LYNN ST
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005874	0:32	TEXAS BANK AND TRUST	1623 E BROADWAY BROADWAY
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005875	3:10		63 JULIA WOODS JULIA WOODS
	EMS	202005876	5:46		504 PHILLIPS PHILLIPS DR
	EMS	202005877	7:34		2322 W GAY W GAY
	10-50 MINOR	202005878	8:34	GLADEWATER HIGH SCHOOL	2201 W GAY GAY AVE
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005879	9:48		VESTA VESTA
	10-50 MINOR	202005880	10:05	STEVENSON'S WRECKER	210 S DEAN DEAN ST

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	RECKLESS DRIVING	202005885	12:16		DEAN DEAN
	ANIMAL CONTROL	202005886	12:31		605 W QUITMAN W QUITMAN
	EMS	202005887	13:00		515 HANCOCK HANCOCK
	DEADLY CONDUCT	202005888	14:17	AMERICAN REAL ESTATE	1400 N MAIN MAIN ST
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005889	15:08		271 271
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005890	15:13		54 JULIA WOODS JULIA WOODS
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005891	15:40	CITY NATIONAL BANK	895 E BROADWAY BROADWAY AVE
	RECKLESS DRIVING	202005892	15:48		HWY 80 HWY 80
	FIRE DEPT	202005893	16:00		2820 W UPSHUR UPSHUR
	CRIM TRESPASS	202005894	16:14		403 SPENCER SPENCER
	EMS	202005895	17:30		404 PINE RIDGE PINE RIDGE RD
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005896	18:29	LEE BUILDING	800 E BROADWAY BROADWAY AVE
	10-50 MINOR	202005897	18:33		271 271
	SUSPICIOUS PERSON	202005898	18:47	WILCO	1298 E BROADWAY BROADWAY AVE
	ALARM/OTHER	202005899	19:13		2820 W UPSHUR UPSHUR
	EMS	202005900	19:24		1806 OLD LONGVIEW OLD LONGVIEW HWY
	RECKLESS DRIVING	202005901	19:28		HWY 80 HWY 80
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005902	20:24		1400 N LYNN LYNN ST
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005903	20:33		715 W PACIFIC PACIFIC AVE
10/2/20	MISCELLANEOUS	202005906	5:08		2309 W GAY GAY
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005907	8:06	FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD	110 E HWY 80 HWY 80
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005908	9:57		800 E BROADWAY E BROADWAY
	ASSIST	202005910	10:30		TEXAS TEXAS
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005912	10:57		521 MELBA MELBA
	TERROR THREAT	202005913	12:06		2309 W GAY W GAY
	ANIMAL CONTROL	202005914	12:57		717 N CANFIELD N CANFIELD
	EMS	202005915	13:05	TRUMAN SMITH	2200 W UPSHUR UPSHUR AVE
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005916	14:05		HURLEY HURLEY
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005917	14:22		2309 W GAY GAY
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005918	14:55		800 E BROADWAY BROADWAY AVE
	THEFT	202005919	15:55		305 VISTA VISTA
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005920	17:01		HUMBLE HUMBLE
	ANIMAL CONTROL	202005921	17:29		716 CANFIELD CANFIELD
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005922	17:44	GLADEWATER POLICE DEPARTMENT	511 S TYLER TYLER RD
	10-50 MINOR	202005923	18:04		MILDRED MILDRED
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005924	18:16	TEXAS BANK AND TRUST	1623 E BROADWAY BROADWAY
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005925	18:43		GREGORY GREGORY LANE
	ANIMAL CONTROL	202005926	20:43		1702 EAST LAKE EAST LAKE DR
	EMS	202005927	20:45	SENTINEL GARDENS	300 MONEY MONEY ST
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005928	20:49	TRUMAN SMITH	2200 W UPSHUR UPSHUR AVE
	CRIM TRESPASS	202005929	21:01	FIREBALL RENTALS	516 S TYLER TYLER RD
	10-50 MINOR	202005930	21:40		1507 ALICE ALICE
	RECKLESS DRIVING	202005931	21:44		CHERRY CHERRY RD
	RUNAWAY	202005932	21:50		587 BRIARWOOD BRIARWOOD
	ABANDONED 911	202005933	22:30		100 N LEE LEE
	EMS	202005934	22:57	LEGEND OAKS NURSING HOME	1201 FM 2685 FM 2685
	ANIMAL CONTROL	202005935	23:13		GAY GAY
10/3/20	SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE	202005938	3:23		HWY 80 HWY 80
	ALARM/OTHER	202005939	6:39	TEXAS BANK AND TRUST	1623 E BROADWAY BROADWAY
	ANIMAL CONTROL	202005940	7:50		RODEO GROUNDS RODEO GROUNDS
	EMS	202005941	8:31		2403 GAY GAY
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005942	10:16		518 PARADISE HILL PARADISE HILL
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005943	10:39		205 S FERRY FERRY ST
	FOUND LOST/RECOVERED	202005944	13:20		SABINE SABINE
	EMS	202005945	14:34	LEGEND OAKS NURSING HOME	1201 FM 2685 FM 2685
	THEFT	202005946	14:57		2300 S TYLER TYLER
	INCIDENT - NO REPORT	202005947	15:24		2508 HENDRICKS HENDRICKS
	INCIDENT - NO REPORT	202005948	16:35		134 N LEE LEE
	THEFT	202005949	16:37		716 CANFIELD CANFIELD
	INCIDENT - NO REPORT	202005950	18:18		1050 FM 2685 FM 2685
	INCIDENT - NO REPORT	202005951	18:52		2410 HENDRICKS HENDRICKS
	SUSPICIOUS NOISE	202005952	20:00		416 W MARSHALL MARSHALL
	EMS	202005953	20:09	TRUMAN SMITH	2200 W UPSHUR UPSHUR AVE
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005954	21:10		QUITMAN QUITMAN
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005955	23:29		1016 CHEVY CHASE CHEVY CHASE
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005956	23:43		518 PARADISE HILL PARADISE HILL
10/4/20	FIRE DEPT	202005959	1:39		2109 OLD LONGVIEW HWY OLD LONGVIEW HWY
	EMS	202005960	8:33	TRUMAN SMITH	2200 W UPSHUR UPSHUR AVE
	EMS	202005961	8:59	LEGEND OAKS NURSING HOME	1201 FM 2685 FM 2685
	EMS	202005962	10:25	PROGRESSIVE CHURCH OF GOD	119 S EDWARDS EDWARDS ST
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005963	10:36	FAMILY CLEANERS	201 W UPSHUR UPSHUR AVE
	EMS	202005964	11:44	GARDENS OF GLADEWATER	106 N LEE LEE ST
	EMS	202005965	12:35	LEGEND OAKS NURSING HOME	1201 FM 2685 FM 2685
	EMS	202005966	12:50		58 JULIAWOOD JULIAWOOD
	ALARM/OTHER	202005968	15:22	GAY AVENUE PRIMARY SCHOOL	100 W GAY GAY AVE
	FIRE DEPT	202005969	16:10		FULTON FULTON
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005970	17:59	GLADEWATER POLICE DEPARTMENT	511 S TYLER TYLER RD
	DISTURBANCE-OTHER	202005971	18:41		606 CANFIELD CANFIELD
	FIRE DEPT	202005972	19:08		HURLEY HURLEY
	EMS	202005973	22:54		1603 CHESTNUT CHESTNUT
	SUSPICIOUS PERSON	202005974	23:36		W PACIFIC PACIFIC AVE
	MISCELLANEOUS	202005975	23:56		
10/5/20	EMS	202005976	7:09	GLADEWATER ISD BUS BARN	721 VIRGINIA VIRGINIA ST
	ANIMAL CONTROL	202005977	8:52		608 TENERY TENERY

# GPD ARREST REPORT

ARREST DATE	ARREST DATE	TIME	FULL NAME	RACE	SEX	OFFENSE	LOCATION ADDRESS
10/3/20	10/3/20	23:57	RAMIREZ, ADRIAN	I	M	ASSAULT: CAUSING BODILY INJURY (FAMILY VIOLENCE)	518 CHEVY CHASE
	10/3/20	23:57	RAMIREZ, ADRIAN	I	M	INJURY TO AN ELDERLY INDIVIDUAL - W/BODILY INJURY	518 CHEVY CHASE
	10/3/20	23:57	RAMIREZ, ADRIAN	I	M	INJURY TO AN ELDERLY INDIVIDUAL - W/BODILY INJURY	518 CHEVY CHASE
	10/3/20	23:57	RAMIREZ, ADRIAN	I	M	INJURY TO A CHILD - W/BODILY INJURY	518 CHEVY CHASE



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Gladewater Boy Scout Troop 198 tackled Gladewater's North Loop 485 and by the end of their day had collected a whopping 15 bags of trash. Community members are urged to follow their lead and join in the efforts to Keep Gladewater Beautiful by disposing of litter and trash correctly and in helping with volunteer efforts.

Courtesy Photo

## Upshur approves grant for Meals on Wheels program

By Phillip Williams

Upshur County Commissioners Court on Wednesday of last week approved a \$2,058 grant to the Meals on Wheels program, a move needed for the program to match funds from a state grant.

The court annually appropriates funds for the agency.

In other business, the court approved allowing county employees who voluntarily opt out of the county's health insurance program to continue receiving dental insurance coverage from the county government.

Precinct 3 Commissioner Frank Berka proposed the action, saying workers who move to Medicare save the county money. County Judge Todd Tettler endorsed the proposal, saying "To me, that's a no-brainer."

In other action at the meeting at the Upshur County Courthouse in Gilmer, the court approved a resolution declaring October as "National Domestic Violence Awareness Month."

Assistant District Attorney Catherine McQueen and Yecenia Vargas, crime victims coordinator for the district attorney's office, presented the court with statistics on the scope of the problem in the county. Vargas said there were 492 domestic violence cases last year, not including child abuse.

The court also approved a proclamation for "National 4-H Week" and recognized several 4-H members and adult volunteers for their achievements in the organization.

Adults Rick Poorman and his wife, Jennifer Poorman, were cited for being the 2019 Texas 4-H Salute to Excellence award winners in East District 5. County Extension Agent Kaitlyn Slover, who introduced them to the court, joined fellow Extension Agent Julie York in nominating them for the honor.

Also honored were 4-H members Maggie Mayes, Timothy Poorman and Jayden Taylor, a Harmony ISD student, for serving at the state level as "Healthy Texas Youth Ambassadors."

"Their basic goal is to increase the health and wellness of our community," having been trained online, York told the court. Taylor will work with Harmony ISD to develop programs, while Poorman will work with the Red Cross and Mayes will work with York and the Gregg County extension office.



Gladewater Garden Club gardening angel Jamie Ballard waters the downtown pots as her gift to the community in keeping Gladewater beautiful. The decades long efforts by Ballard include maintaining plantings at Lee Library as well as many of the downtown planters. Community members are encouraged to join Ballard by picking up litter, helping to maintain plantings, weeding public beds and keeping lawns neat and beautiful.

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