



*Congratulations  
Class of 2023!*

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**Senior Keepsake Edition**  
**Hamilton High School**  
**Evant High School**  
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# Morgan

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We are so proud of the person you have grown into and can't wait to watch you on your next journey  
We love you,  
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Courtney, Melanie & Michael

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Never back down.  
Never lose faith.**  
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The time has come! I would like to commend each and every one of you on the remarkable achievement of graduation from Hamilton High School. You have worked diligently during the past four years and are now prepared to move on to the world of college, trade school, military service, or the workforce.

I am very proud of the accomplishments and outstanding leadership you have provided for our school. I want to remind you to always be grateful, and look at the world with your eyes wide open.

Do not forget your heart; follow it until the end.

In the process of chasing your dreams, there will be difficulties, failures, disappointments, occasional embarrassments, and plenty of struggles. Please trust me, much happiness will come from your struggles. All of you have demonstrated amazing effort and confidence over the past thirteen years.

Class of 2023, as long as you have dreams, goals, and perseverance, you will achieve outstanding life accomplishments. You all have the ability to achieve great things!

*Much love,  
Mrs. Poe  
Proud to be your principal*

**You have brains in your head – You have feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself in any direction you choose.** Dr. Seuss

**CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES!**

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Class of 2023 St. John preschool graduation- Back row, Mrs. Lisa, Mrs. Dixie, Pastor Reich, Mrs. Martha, Mrs. Tootie. Third row, Landon Thompson, Averii Poe, Laurel Ann Elkins, Toni Mishnick, Darby Craig. Second row, Cortland Mehaffey, Chase Weaver, Ace Lane, Grace Killian, Emily Eller, Sutton Lee. Front row, Chloe Dolloff, Caden Hopper, Morgan Aing, Avery Cozby, Kenedy Craig, Isabel Flores.



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AVERI POE AND DANIEL PEREZ



TOP THESPIANS- Landon Thompson, MacKinsy Morgan and Grace Killian received all star cast awards at the regional One-Act Play competition in Denison. The troupe won area, district and bi-district competition with "You Can't Take it With You" under the direction of Melissa Craig, Lu Burks and Betsy Killian.

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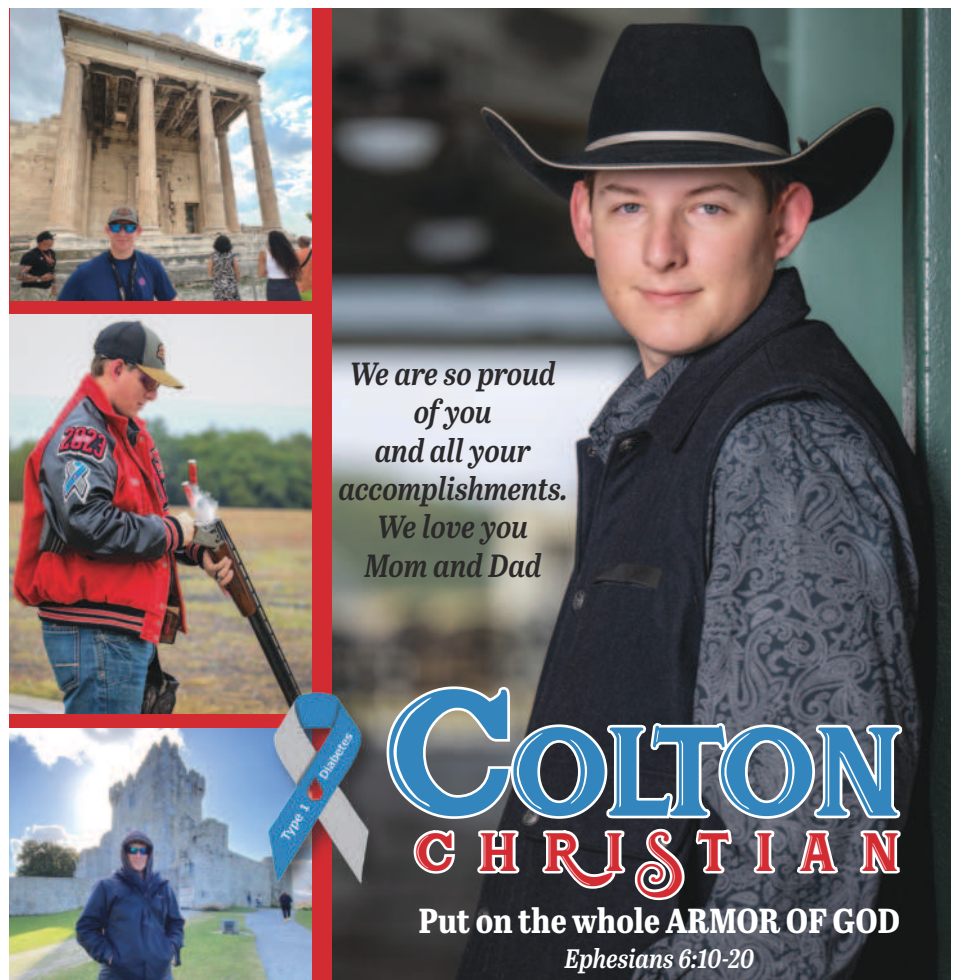


MACKINSY MORGAN



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# Congratulations!

# GRADUATES!

Class of  
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Have faith in how far you can go.  
But don't forget to enjoy the journey."  
—Michael Josephson*

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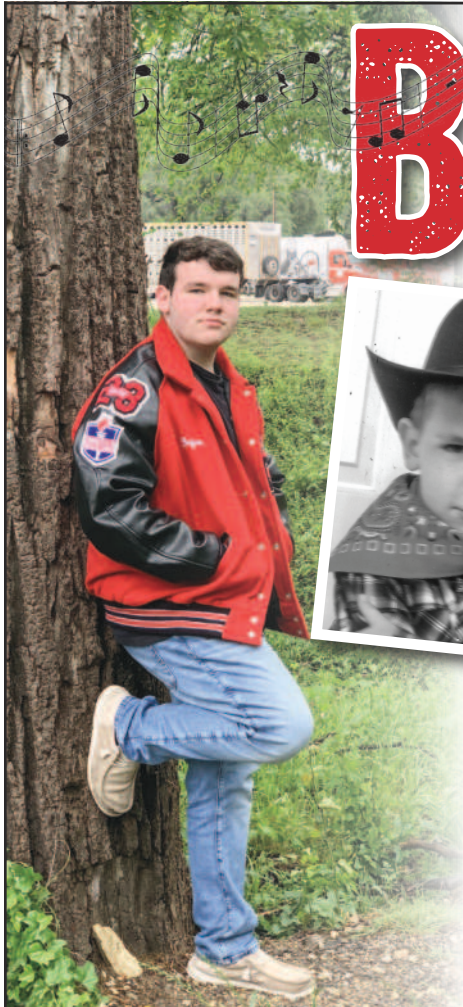
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*"Listen to advice and accept instruction, so you might grow wise in the future. Many plans are in a person's mind, but the Lord's purpose will succeed."*  
PROVERBS 19:20-21

*You have been a character from day one. Your personality is one in a million and you are a true gift from God. We are so proud of all of your accomplishments, and we are excited to see what your future holds.*

**Remember you are Bryson Bullard!**

*Love Mom, Dad and the whole Fam*



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*Laurel Ann*

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths. PROVERBS 3:5-6

From Pre-K graduation to graduating from HHS- you have always made us proud!

Love,  
Mom, Dad, Bradley and Brandt  
Papa and Nana  
Meme



Seniors on the Bulldog Basketball team members Baylyn Parrish, Bryson Tarpley and Kade Parrish



Darby always had time for grandma

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**NATHANIEL**

★ **JESS PRATT** ★

Nathaniel plans on going to TSTC in the fall to study aircraft mechanics. He enjoys working on motors of all types during his down time.



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CLASS OF 2023!

Greet the future with anticipation.

Dream big and work hard.

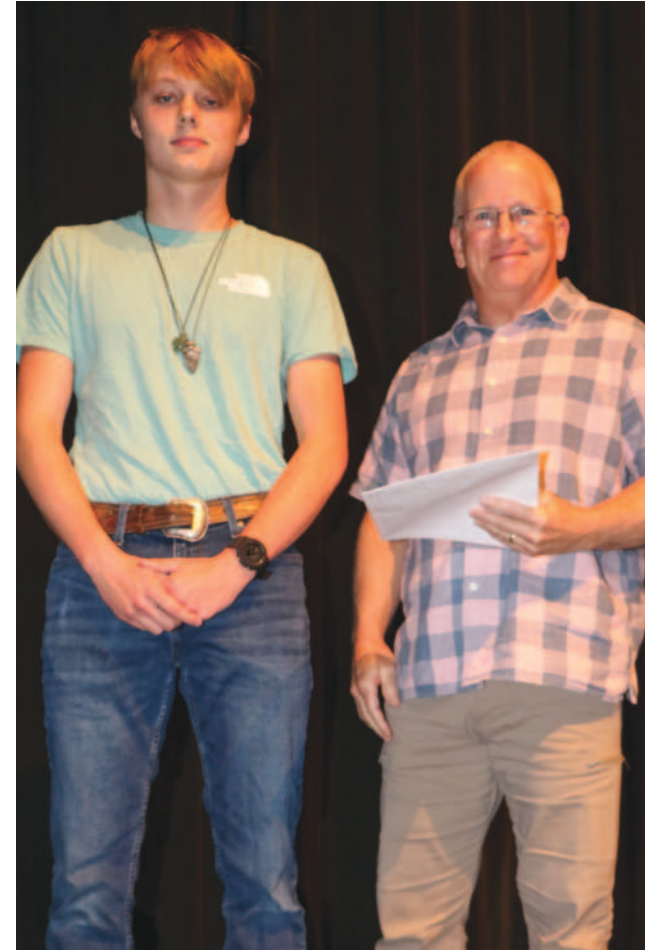
*Remember your roots, manners*

*...and the way home!*



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Shining Apple Awards - Left, Chasiti Ranaghan with Danna Farmer;  
right, River Hill with Chuck Lackey,



*The LORD will guide you always  
and satisfy your soul.*  
ISAIAH 58:11



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*Hats off*  
to the **grads!**

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Amanda S. Thompson  
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TROOP- These Hamilton High School seniors have been together since their Boy Scout days: Emilio Gray, Darby Craig, Landon Thompson, Cody Tawater, Aiden Baker and Justin Dearing with scout leaders Harmony and Damon Thompson.



We are so proud of you.  
Enjoy the journey.  
Love,  
Mom, Dad, & Emma

*Landon*  
THOMPSON



What a joy  
it has been watching  
you grow into a  
true beauty...  
inside and out!  
Keep your passion  
for life and  
love for God  
in your heart always!

♥  
Love you!  
Nana and Papa

*Aveli Grace*



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Below, Caden Hopper; above, Kenedy Craig

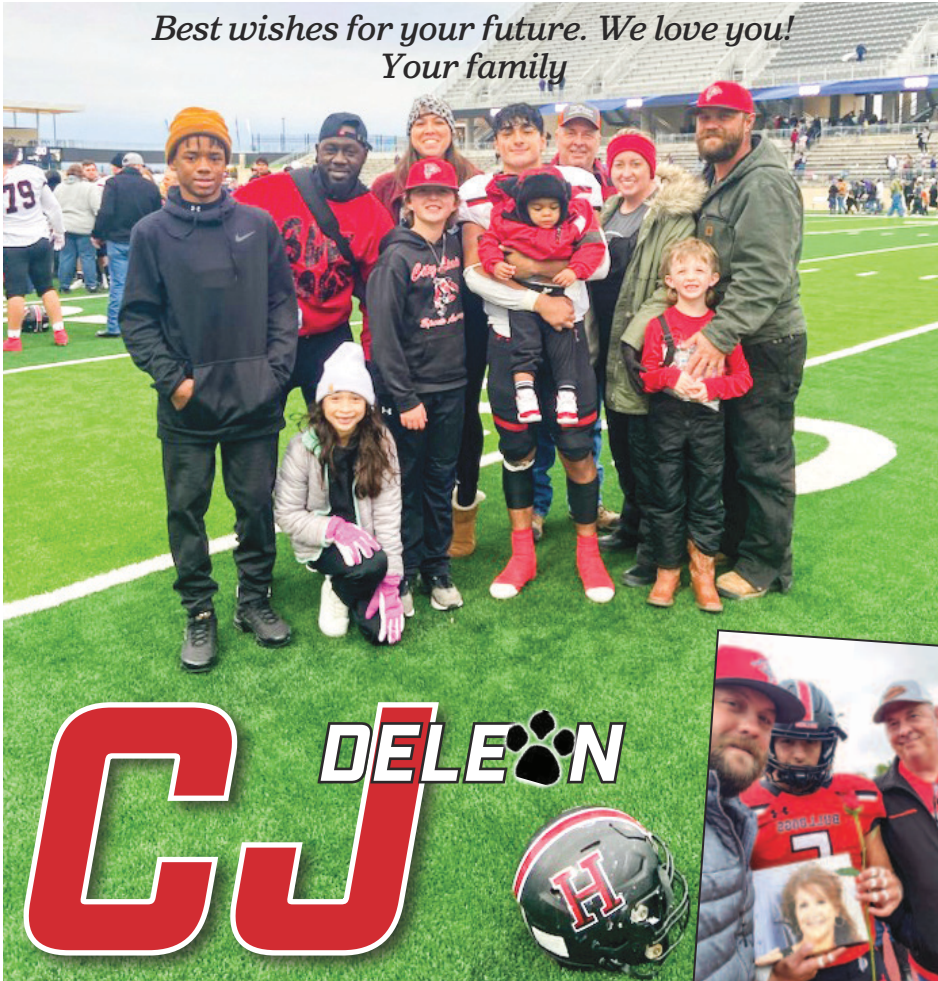



*Kendal* **STROUD**

From battling with the boys in little league to being crowned Miss Hamilton, never forget you can do anything you set your mind to.  
Never lose your *fierce attitude* and *grit!*

♥ Mom & Dad

Best wishes for your future. We love you!  
Your family



FOR NOTHING IS  
IMPOSSIBLE  
WITH GOD.

Luke 1:37

Let your light shine bright!  
We are so proud of you!  
Love,  
Dad, Mom, Christian  
and Cydney

*Chloe*  
D O L L O F F

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**Ayden Andrade**, 18, is the son George Andrade and Crystal and Jarrod Wolverton. His high school activities include football, basketball, track, FFA, UIL and NHS. His hobbies are working out, playing guitar and gaming. After graduation, he plans to attend Texas Tech University and pursue a kinesiology degree. In five years, he hopes to become a 1A six-man football coach. In 10 years, he would like to be coaching at Evant ISD. One word that sums up his high school experience is challenging.

**Julia Izbella Andrade**, 18, is the daughter of Amy and Mateo Andrade. Her high school activities include basketball and NHS. Her hobbies are dog sitting and playing with kids. After graduation, she plans to work in a jail. In five to 10 years, she hopes to be living her best life. One word that sums up her high school experience is tiresome.

**Luis Pedro Arellano**, 19, is the son of Natalia Sanchez and Luis Arellano. His high school activities include football and track. His hobbies are fishing, back roading and cookouts with friend and family. After graduation, he hopes

to go into crypto mining, automation programming and the railroad. In five to 10 years, he hopes to own his own business. One word that sums up his high school experience is required.

**Mario Adan Corona**, 18, is the son of Mario Corona. His high school activities include track and field. His hobbies are making music, drawing and videography. After graduation, he plans to work and save money. Also, he would like to learn some trades. In five years, he hopes to have his own home or close to achieving it. In 10 years, he would like to be stable. One word that sums up his high

school experience is unique.

**Shaelyn Evans**, 19, is the daughter Jeri and Edward Evans. Her high school activities include NHS, FFA and freshman volleyball. Her hobbies are riding horses, grilling and fishing. After graduation, she plans to attend CTC and pursue agricultural science. In five to 10 years, she would like to be running a ranch. One word that sums up her high school experience is dramatic.

**Jamie Dale Graham**, 18, is the son of Rephena and Scott Graham. His high school activities include FFA, basketball, 4H, NHS and track. His hobbies are playing guitar, working and church activities. After graduation, he plans to attend TSTC for diesel mechanics. In five to 10 years, he hopes to have a house and nice family. One word that sums up his high school experience is long.

**Damien Lee Honea**, 18, is the son of Jessica Campbell and Clint Honea. His high school activities include football, basketball, track, UIL and NHS. His hobbies are reading, working and walking. After graduation, he plans to attend Tarleton State University and pursue a degree in criminal justice. In five years, he will still be in college. In 10 years, he hopes to be a state trooper. One word that sums up his high school experience is experimental.

**Daniel Clint Honea**, 18, is the son of Jessica and Clint Honea. His high school activities included sports, basketball and UIL. In five to 10 years, he hopes

to have a wife and a house. One word that sums up his high school experience is boring.

**Maykaylee Rainy Jones**, 18, is the daughter of Aaron and Erika Jones. Her high school activities include NHS, GT, yearbook and FFA. Her hobby is fishing. After graduation, she plans to move to Dallas and pursue mortuary. One word that sums up her high school experience is slay.

**Bryan Ivan Morales Lopez**, 18, is the son of Jose Morales and Amalia Lopez. His high school activities include academics and sports. After graduation, he plans to work with metal. In five to 10 years, he hopes to be working a steady job. One word that sums up his high school experience is fun.

**Rebeca Martinez Lopez**, 18, is the daughter of Rebeca Martinez and Manuel Lopez. Her high school activities include volleyball, FFA and NHS. Her hobbies are playing volleyball, working out and work. After graduation, she hopes to attend Ogle Beauty School. In five to 10 years, she hopes to be a successful cosmetologist and own her own beauty salon. One word that sums up her high school experience is fortunate.

**Kevin James Malone**, 19, is the son of Kevin Malone. His hobbies include gunsmithing and mechanics. After graduation, he hopes to do military work. In five to 10 years, he hopes to be doing anything. One word that sums up his high school experience is boring.

**Arely Reyes**, 19, is the daughter of Veronica Sanchez. Her high school activities included UIL accounting, chapter conducting, green hand quiz and Spanish creed. Her hobbies are dancing, cooking, partying, traveling and spending time with important people. After graduation, she plans to attend TSTC in Waco and become a clinical dental assistant. In five to 10 years, she sees herself in her dream home and furthering her education. She would also like to own her own business, be married and successful. One word that sums up her high school experience is goal.

**Michael Laschon Teubner**, 18, is the son of Katie and Curtis Teubner. His high school activities include playing video games. His hobbies are playing video games and reading. After graduation, he plans to go to flight school. In five to 10 years, he hopes to be a pilot. One word that sums up his high school experience is pain.

**Jana Bailey Wall**, 17, is the daughter of Judd Wall and Jamilyn Deriso. Her high school activities included FFA, student council, NHS and varsity cheer. Her hobbies are showing cattle and pigs, volunteering at school and public speaking. After graduation, she plans to attend Texas A&M University and pursue animal science and ag business. In five years, she hopes to be at Trans Ova Genetics working toward becoming a certified bovine embryologist. In 10 years, she would like to be the head embryologist. One word that sums up her high school experience is wild.



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May this be the beginning of the most amazing chapters of your life.

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**VALEDICTORIAN**



JANA BAILEY WALL

**SALUTATORIAN**



DAMIEN HONEA



AYDEN ANRRADE



JULILA ANDRADE



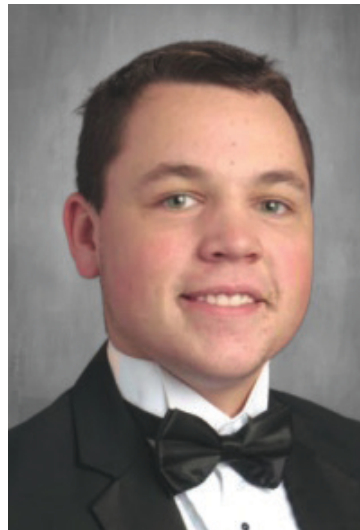
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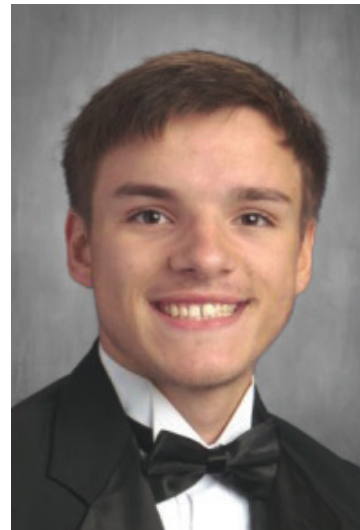
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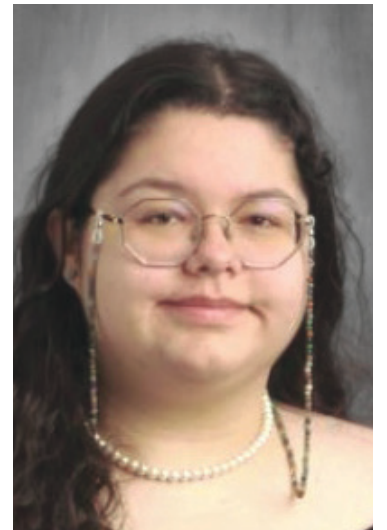
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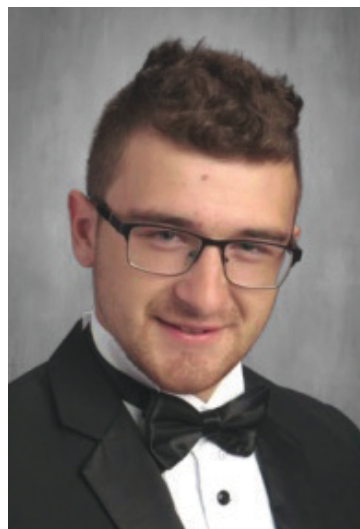
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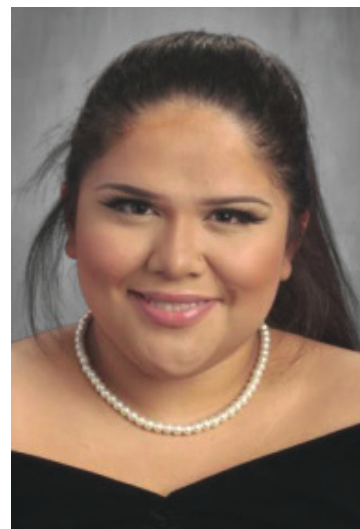
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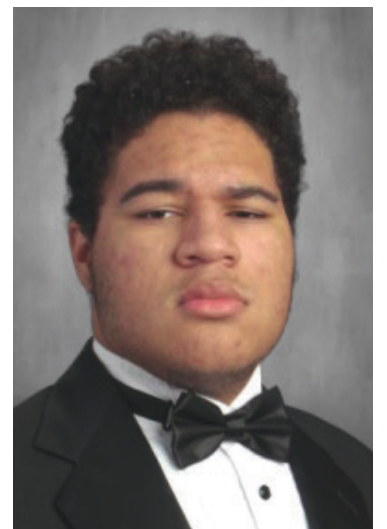
REBECA LOPEZ



KEVIN MALONE



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MICHAEL TEUBNER



Cortland Mehaffey, Averi Poe and Mia Coker after a pep rally

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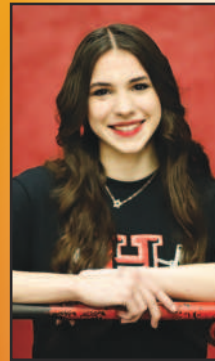
Darby Craig



Kenedy Craig



CJ DeLeon



Chloe Dolloff



Laurel Ann Elkins



Ashtyn Hansard



Addison Kelley



Sutton Lee



Cortland Mehaffey



Landon Thompson

# Congratulations!

TO THE 2023 GRADUATES

Focused Care congratulates our staff member, Cody, on his graduation. Best wishes for continued success on your new chapter in life.



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himself goes before you  
and will be with you;  
he will never leave you

nor forsake you.  
DEUTERONOMY 31:8

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JENNIFER ARTEAGA



AIDEN BAKER



KORBIN BALLARD



LEVI BOGGS



BRYSON BULLARD



COLTON CHRISTIAN



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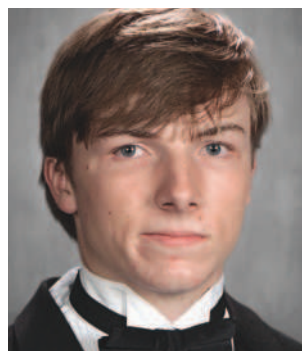
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DARBY CRAIG



KENEDY CRAIG



DAVIN CROUCH



JUSTIN DEARING



CHRISTOPHER DELEON



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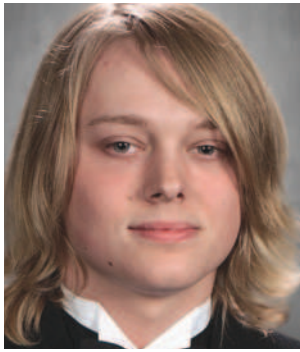
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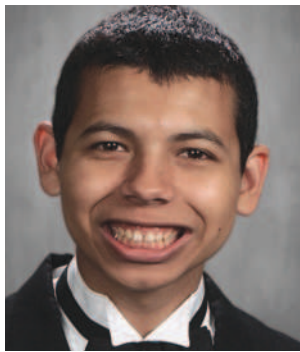
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KRISTINA SANTIAGO



ELIZABETH STEPHENS



KENDAL STROUD



BRYSON TARPLEY



CODY TAWATER



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JACOB YOUNG

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*For I know the plans I have for you,  
declares the Lord,  
plans to prosper you and  
not to harm you,  
to give you a future and a hope.*

JEREMIAH 29:11

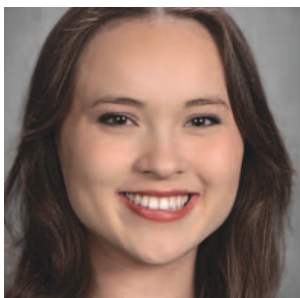
**CONGRATULATIONS! WE LOVE YOU, MOM, DAD AND KATY**

**Bryson**  
**TARPLEY**

*We are so proud of you!  
Love Mom & Dad*



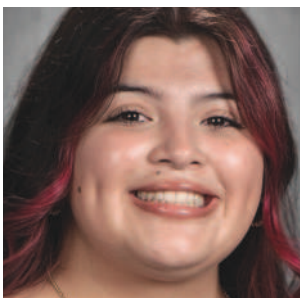
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**Morgan Aing**, 18, is the daughter of Tracy and Derek Aing. Her high school activities include tennis, NHS, FCCLA, UIL, student government, band and volleyball. Her hobbies are tennis, reading, art, listen-

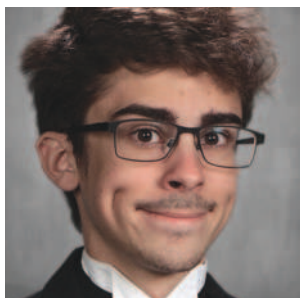
ing to music, hanging out with friends and family. Her plans are to attend Baylor University in hopes of becoming a physical therapist. She will be majoring in Health Science. In five to 10 years, she hopes to be a physical therapist in a rehabilitation department of a hospital or for veteran services. The one word that sums up her high school experience is memorable.

**Jennifer Arteaga**, 18, is the daughter of Janneth Rosales and Rafael Arteaga. Her high school activities



include basketball, FCCLA, Yearbook, Student Government, and NHS. Her hobbies are crocheting, reading, puzzles, and listening to music. She plans to attend Tarleton State University and study business manage-

ment. In five years, Jennifer hopes to have her own business preferably a taco truck to start out. In ten years, she hopes to have her own restaurant. The one word that sums up her high school experience is entertaining.



**Aiden Kyle Baker**, 19, is the son of Carrie Kuklies. His high school activities included band. His hobbies are drawing and playing video games. After graduation, he plans to enlist in the Navy and become an aircraft mechanic. The one word that sums up his high school experience is awful.

**Korbin Ballard**, 18, is the son of Lisa and Justin Ballard. His high school activities include driving around. He enjoys working on and driving cars. After graduation, he plans to work



through the summer and then move. In five to 10 years, he hopes to own his own garage and shop. The one word that sums up his high school experience crazy.

AVERI GRACE POE



*"Truly I tell you, if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you."*

*~Matthew 17:20*

*Go move mountains Averil Grace!!!  
We love you,  
Mom, Dad, and Denver*



# Jonesboro High School <sup>class of</sup> 2023



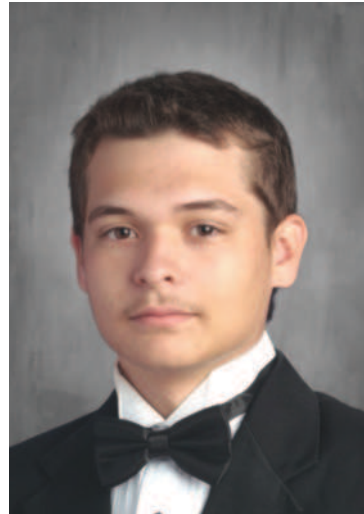
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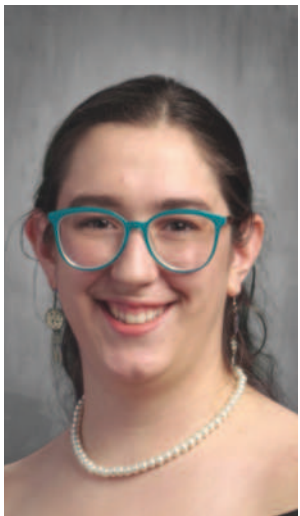
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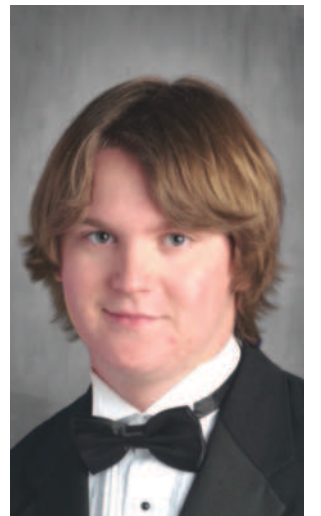
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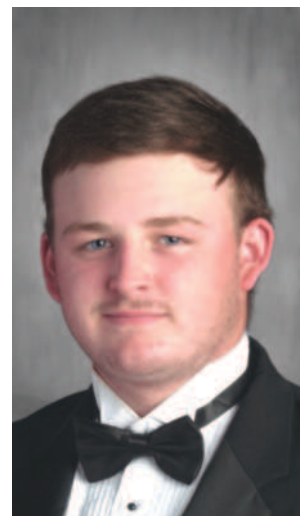
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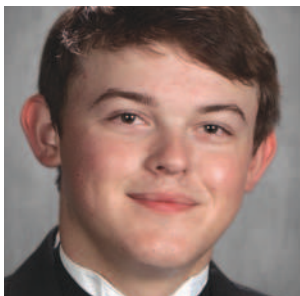


KENNETH WARRICK



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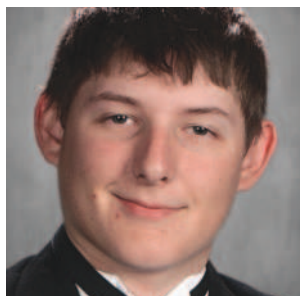
**Levi W. Boggs, 19**, is the son of Mark Boggs and Heidi McGaugh. His high school activity included FFA and his hobby is fishing. After graduation, he plans to attend TSTC for welding certifications. In five to 10 years, he hopes to own his own welding shop or work for a good fabri-

cation company. The one word that sums up his high school experience is unique.



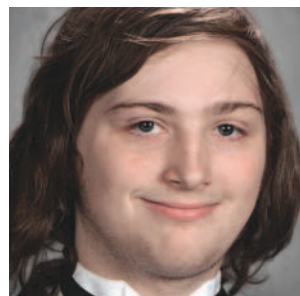
**Bryson Bullard, 18**, is the son of Tiffany Bryant, stepdad Nathan Bryant and Dennis Bullard. His high school activities were band and his hobby is music. After graduation, he plans to attend Tarleton State Uni-

versity and pursue a degree in business. In five to 10 years, he hopes to own a music studio. The one word that sums up his high school experience is fun.



**Colton Christian, 18**, is the son of Clint and LeEtte Christian. His high school activities were shooting

sports and shooting guns is his hobby. After graduation, he plans to attend TSTC for aircraft mechanics. In five to 10 years, he hopes to be working on aircraft. The one word that sums up his high school experience is all right.



**Levi Edward Clem, 18**, son of Michael and Angela

Clem. His high school activities include aviation, welding, food science and working at Circle-T. His hobbies are playing video games, watching YouTube and collecting swords. He plans to attend TSTC and study aviation mechanics. In five to 10 years, he hopes to be working on planes.



**Mia Omega Coker, 18**, is the daughter of Todd and Bambi Coker. Her high school activities include FFA- ag mech team, cross country, track, NHS student government and UIL. She enjoys welding, running and reading. After graduation, she plans to attend Texas A&M to major in Agricultural Communications and Journalism. In five to 10 years, she plans to use her degree to become a traveling sales representative and work for a major agricultural corporation. The one word that sums up her high school experience is indescribable.

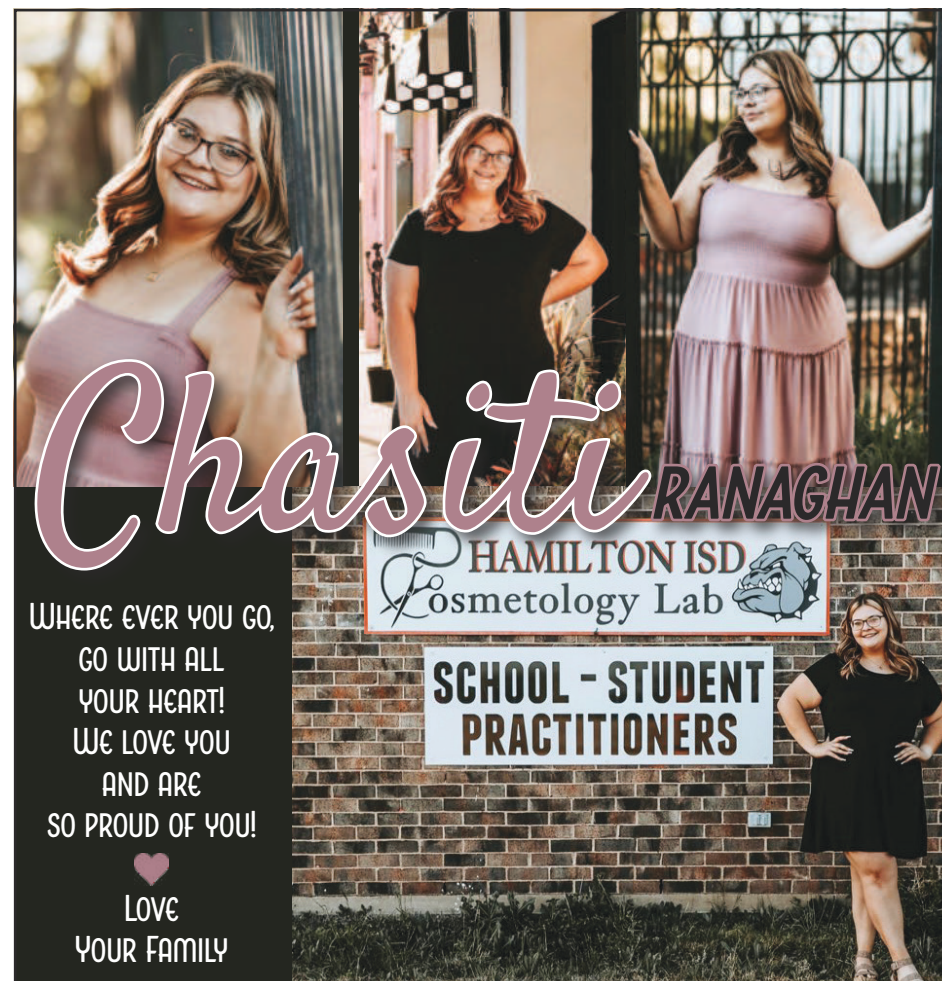
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on your faithfulness;  
give me an undivided heart,  
that I may fear your name.**

PSALMS 86:11

**Addy  
KELLEY**



**Avery Cozby, 18,** is the daughter of Justin and Shawna Cozby. Her high school activities included FFA. Her hobbies are babysitting. After graduation, she plans to attend West Texas A&M and major in agribusiness. In five to 10 years, she hopes to have her own successful business and be married with kids. The one word that sums up her high school experience is average.



**Darby Evan Craig, 18,** is the son of Seth and Erin Craig. His high school activities included football, golf and FFA. His hobbies are fixing tractors and golfing. After graduation he plans to work at The Parts Store for a few years then he would like to get his commercial driver's license. Then drive for someone local for a few years with hopes to start a dirt work company with his dad. In five years, he

would like to have a steady job driving. In 10 years, he would like to have opened a dirt work company. The one word that sums up his high school experience is rememberable.



**Kenedy Craig, 17,** is the daughter of Kevin and Courtney Craig. Her high school activities include cross country, volleyball, golf, basketball, softball, track, FFA-homesite judg-



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that they may see  
your good works  
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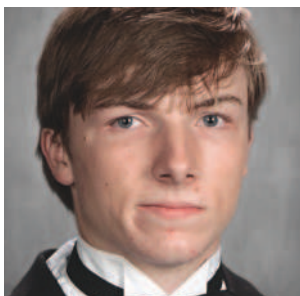
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ing and showing cattle and pigs, FCCLA (class officer) and NHS. She enjoys hanging out with friends, spending time with family and playing basketball. After graduation, she plans to attend Tarleton and get her basics, then figure out what she wants to major in. In five to 10 years, she hopes to have graduated from college with a degree that she loves. The one word that sums up her high school experience is unpredictable.

The one word that sums up his high school experience is fun.



**Justin Dearing**, 18, is the son of Brandi Dearing and Mark Dearing. His high school activities include ag mech and athletics. He enjoys working on vehicles. After graduation, he plans to work. The one word that sums up his high school experience is fun.



**Davin Crouch**, 18, is the son of Danny and Elissa Crouch. His high school activities included FFA, golf and football. His hobbies are golf and leatherwork. After graduation, he plans to become an electrician. In five to 10 years, he hopes to own his own electrical company.



**Christopher L. Deleon, Jr.** 18, is the son of Chris Deleon Sr. and Stephanie Marti-

nez. His high school activities included football, FCA and powerlifting manager. His hobbies are football and hanging out with friends. He plans to go to TSTC and get an associate degree in electrical engineering technology. In 5 years, he plans to be working a lot and making decent money. In 10 years, he would like to buy a house. The one word that sums up his high school experience is valid.



**Chloe Dolloff**, 17, is the daughter of Chris and Sheena Dolloff. Her high school activities include cheer, powerlifting, FCCLA, FCA, track, cross country, band, color guard, student government and volleyball. Her hobbies are cheering, lifting, and hanging out with friends and family. She plans to attend Abilene Christian Uni-

versity and major in speech communication disorders. In 10 years, she plans to be an audiologist or speech pathologist. The one word that sums up her high school experience is interesting.



**Laurel Ann Elkins**, 18, is the daughter of Allyson

and Peter Elkins. Her high school activities included softball, basketball manager, Academic UIL, student government, band, yearbook, color guard, NHS and FCCLA. Her hobbies included kayaking, hiking, reading and baking. She plans to attend Texas A&M University and study public health and eventually become a hospital administrator. In five to 10 years, she hopes to live in San Antonio on a big ranch working in a hospital as the hospital director. The one word that sums up her high school experience is over.



**Emily Eller**, 17, is the daughter of Kristi Hitchcock and Jason Hitchcock. Her high school activities included FFA - range judging, wildlife judging, FFA quiz, chapter conducting, National Honors Society, showing chickens, a steer



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and pigs. Her hobbies are crocheting, reading, gardening, baking, hiking, sewing, knitting, painting, fishing, swimming, kayaking and camping. After graduation,

she will attend Tarleton State University, majoring in Animal Science with a concentration in Pre-Vet Medicine. In 10 years, she hopes to have her Doctor of

Veterinary Medicine and be working at a good vet clinic. The one word that sums up her high school experience is overwhelming.

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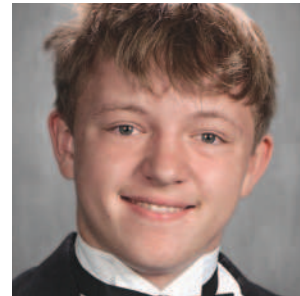
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**Jonathan Fry, 17,** is the son of Rebecca and Damon Fry. His high school activities included football and track. His hobbies are online gaming and camping. After graduation, he will enter the Army. In five to 10 years, he hopes to be in the special forces.

**Brayden Ford, 17,** is the son of Jamie and Ashley Fry. His high school activities included powerlifting, colorguard, UIL science at the regional level, UIL literary criticism at the regional level and band. His hobbies are reading, video games, lifting weights and learning about random info that no one really needs. He plans to attend Tarleton State University in Stephenville where he will study for an engineering degree. From Tarleton, he wants to join the United States Military and serve in the Air Force, where he will attempt to become an airplane mechanic. After serving four years in the military, he would like to pursue a job in either the automotive field or in the aerospace field. In five years, he hopes to either still be in college getting his master's, or in the military making a career. In 10 years, he hopes to be out of the military and be living the life he wants to live. The one word that sums up his high school experience is oxymoron.

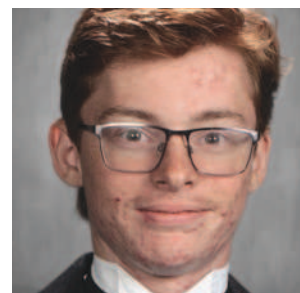


**Isiah Thomas Fuentes, 18,** is the son of Sunshine Larned and Micheal Melton. His high school activities include wrestling and color/winter guard, band. His hobbies are being outside, hanging out with my friends, back roading, finding what makes him happy, fishing, reading, anime, spending the money he doesn't have and traveling. He plans to attend South Plains College and receive his basics and then go to Texas Tech to further pursue his education. In five years, he plans to either be done with college or finish his last year. In 10 years, he hopes to be thriving in my career. The one word that sums up his high school experience is liberosis.

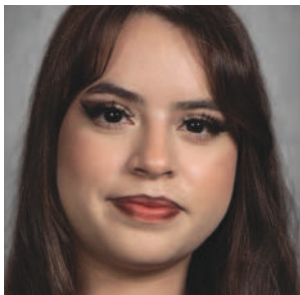
**Eleana Gonzales, 18,** is the son of stepdad Matthew and Amanda Vigil, and Tommy Gonzales. Her high school activities include One Act Play and FCCLA. She enjoys reading, listening to music and acting. After graduation, she plans to attend Grayson College in Denison and pursue her associate degree in Theater and hopefully transfer to Tarleton State University to get a bachelor's degree while working. In five to 10 years, she hopes to be acting in movies, television shows, commercials and even short films as a job. The one word that sums up her high school experience is entertaining.



**Emilio Gray, 18,** is the son of James and Suzy Gray. His high school activity was band. He enjoys music. After graduation, he plans to attend Tarleton State University and pursue a degree in music. In five years, he hopes to be out of college and start a studio. In 10 years, he hopes to have maintained a successful studio and tapped into live audio services as well as performing arts. The one word that sums up his high school experience is eventful.



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**Ruby Gutierrez, 18**, is the daughter of Guadalupe and Claudio Gutierrez. Her high school activities include One Act Play and FCCLA. Her hobbies include doing makeup and shopping. After graduation, she plans to attend college and work. She plans to major in accounting

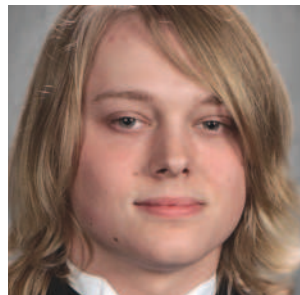
at South Plains College. In five to 10 years, she hopes to graduate with a bachelors and find a stable well-paying job. The one word that sums up her high school experience is chaotic.



**Ashtyn Hansard, 18**, is the daughter of Heather and Andy Hansard. Her high

school activities included cross country, band, UIL, yearbook, track and NHS. Her hobbies include reading, watching movies and listening to music. She plans to attend Tarleton State University and major in Digital Media Studies. In five to 10 years, she hopes to be working in the entertainment field helping film and/or set up production. The one word that sums up her high school experience is unimaginable.

**River Hill, 17**, is the son of Natalie and Eugene Galbreth. His hobbies included arrowhead hunting, bass



guitar and anything outdoors. He plans to join the Navy and become a construction mechanic. In five or 10 years, he hopes to still be in the Navy. The one word that sums up his high school experience is chaos.



**Caden Heath Hopper, 18**, is the son of Heath and Chrissy Hopper. His high school activities included cross country, baseball, basketball, NHS, FFA-range judging and FCA. His hobbies are hunting, fishing, tennis and disc golf. He plans to attend college at Baylor University and ma-

jor in business. In five to 10 years, he hopes to have graduated college and have a good job as well as starting a family. The one word that sums up his high school experience is indescribable.



**Jennifer Ibarra, 18**, is the daughter of Rogelio and Cristian Ibarra. Her high

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school activities include FCCLA, cosmetology, basketball, volleyball, track and SkillsUSA member. Her hobbies are traveling, swimming, doing hair own make-up, shopping and getting her nails done. She plans to attend college. She is undecided on Ranger College in Stephenville or McLennan Community College. She will major in Business administration. In five years, she hopes to have her own salon and be a cosmetologist. In 10 years, she hopes to have a family and be someone successful in life. The one word that sums up her high school experience is unforgettable.



**Makenzie T. Johnston**, 18, is the daughter of Krystal and Joshua Ratliff. Her high school activities include theater, tennis, cross country, track and field, and powerlifting. Her hobbies are reading, finding new music to listen to, and spending time with my friends and family. She plans to attend San Angelo University, with the goal to receive her basics first and figure out her major in that time. In five to 10 years, she hopes to have completed basics and decided what she wants to do with her life. The one word that sums up her high school experience is serendipitous.



**Addy Kelley**, 18, is the daughter of Shawn and Chelsie Kelley. Her high school activities included FFA, FCCLA, varsity volleyball, powerlifting, and varsity softball. Her hobbies are working, spending time with family and friends and shopping. After graduation, she plans to attend a dental assistant school in Stephenville and then get a job as a dental assistant. The one word that sums up her high school experience is tiring.



**Grace Killian**, 18, is the daughter of Betsy and Luke Killian. Her high school activities include band, cheer, softball, NHS, track, cross country, One Act Play, volleyball, FFA, StuCO, persuasive speaking, FCAS and basketball manager. Her hobby is baking. She plans to receive a bachelor's and master's degree in Business Management at Tarleton State University, and plans to attend law school to eventually become a contracting

lawyer. In five years, she hopes to be in the process of getting her master's degree in business administration at TSU. The one word that sums up her high school experience is long.



**Sutton Ray Lee**, 18, is the son of Shannan and Andy Roberts, Cody and Christina Lee. His high school activities include baseball, football, band, FCA, student government, basketball and range. His hobbies are baseball, lifting and running. He plans to attend Tarleton State University and pursue a degree in Kinesiology. In five years, he hopes to have either completed his master's or in the process of completing it. In 10 years, he hopes to have a job as a high school coach and start a family. The one word that sums up his high school experience is exciting.



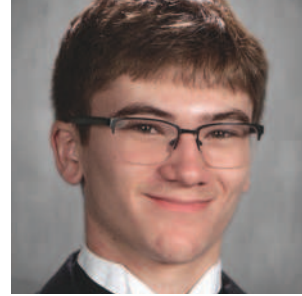
**Cortland Mehaffey**, 18, is the daughter of Josh and Cindy Mehaffey. Her high school activities included the National Honors So-

ciety basketball, volleyball-, track, band, color guard, cheer, softball, cross country, 4-H, FFA, FCA and Hamilton County Youth Fair. Her hobbies are reading and listening to music. She plans to attend College, Texas A&M University, and major in Animal Science. In five to 10 years, she hopes to become a small animal veterinarian and open her own business. The one word that sums up her high school experience is eventful.

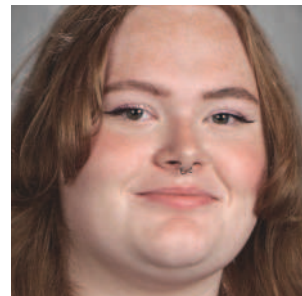


**Mackinsy Morgan**, 18, is the daughter of Hoyt Morgan and Alathia Paris. Her high school activities were One Act Play. Her hobbies are reading, singing and crocheting. After graduation, she plans to attend Tarleton State University and study Psychology. In five years, she hopes to have completed her degree and have a good job. In 10 years, she hopes to have a wife, a couple of cats, a great job that she loves with a house of her own. The one word that sums up her high school experience is a lot.

**Baylyn Parrish**, 17, is the son of Millie and Justin Shinn and Billy Parrish. His high school activities included basketball and track. His hobbies consisted of playing video games, watching movies and TV



shows, and talking with friends. After graduation, he plans on going to college at Tarleton State University and pursuing a major in psychology. In five to 10 years he hopes to have a job as a therapist making good money. The one word that sums up his high school experience is fast.



**Lucy Newsom**, 18, is the daughter of Jenny English and the late John Eric Bandy. Her high school activities included band and OAP. Her hobbies are playing video games and building computers. She built her first computer in 2022. After graduation, she plans to attend Hofstra University located in Long Island, New York and pursue a Psychology major or something tech focused. In five years, she would like to be building computers for other people and become an influencer on social media. In 10 years, she would like to relocate to Los Angeles or maybe someplace else. She would like her own residence and

have her dream car by then. The one word that sums up her high school experience is terrible.



**Leonardo Olalde**, 18, is the son of Barbara Agaudo and Jorge Olalde. After graduation, he plans to attend college and train to be a pilot. In five years, he hopes to be building flight time in smaller regional airlines. In 10 years, he hopes to be living in a house in the woods, flying for international airlines. The one word that sums up his high school experience is nahh.



**Kade Parrish**, 18, is the son of John and Lisa Parrish. His high school activities included football, basketball and baseball. His hobbies are fishing, landscaping and working on cars. After graduation, he plans to start his own landscaping business. In five to 10 years, he hopes to have a successful landscaping business. The one word that sums up his high school experience is interesting.

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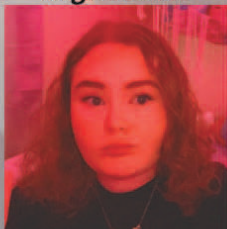
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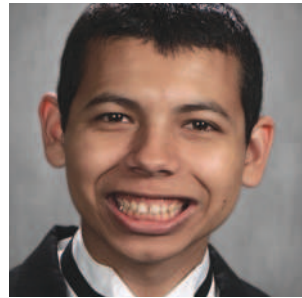


Lucy Newsom  
Hamilton High School



Kathryn Leigh Palmer  
Gatesville High School

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Daniel Perez, 18, is the son of Luis and Mary Perez. His high school activities include office aide, career prep. and being a bulldog supporter. His hobbies are listening to music, spending time with family and working on his chrome book. After graduation, he plans to continue with the work program placement. In five to 10 years, he plans to be working in a job he enjoys.

Ian Pettijohn, 17, is the son of Michael Pettijohn,



Shana Johnson (step-mom), Amanda Cates and Dwayne Cates (step-dad). His high school activities include football. His hobbies are anything to do with shoes and music. He plans to attend college at TSTC and participate in the electrical line worker, program. In five years to 10 years, he would like to travel to the storms as an electrical lineman. The one word that sums up his high school experience is wild.



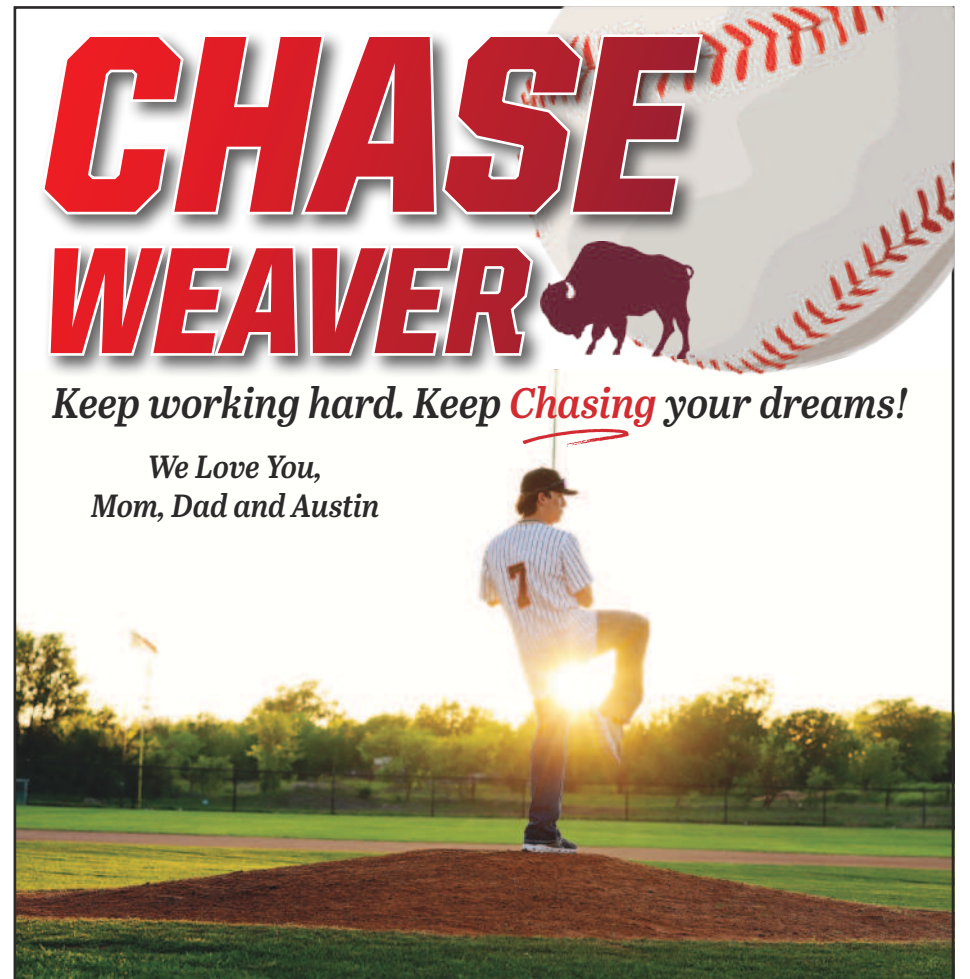
Ron Ramirez, 18, is the son of Laura Ramirez. His high school activities included football, powerlifting and UIL. He enjoys playing video games with friends, reading and playing chess. After graduation, he plans to attend Tarleton State University and major in Psychology with a minor in business. In five to 10 years, he hopes to be in a successful psychology firm. The one word that sums up his high school experience is chaotic.

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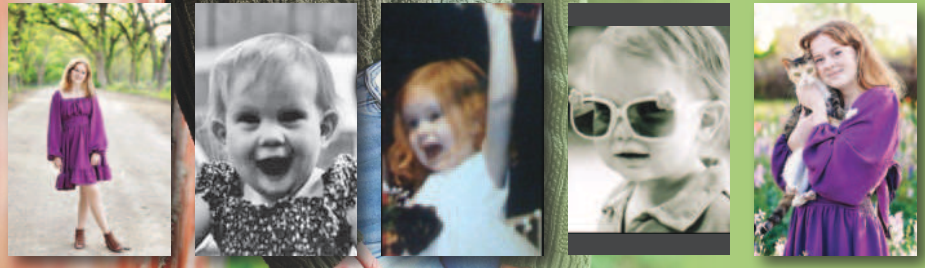
**SUTTON** Lee



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# Cortland Mehaffey



We are so proud of everything you have accomplished, Cortland!  
 Can't wait to see where the next phase of your life takes you!  
 — Love you always,  
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 — From The Joneses  
**HAVE A GREAT DAY AND HAVE FUN!**  
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Congratulations Cortland!  
 So proud of you. Outstanding job. Wishing you all the best for all of your future plans.  
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 Keep standing up for what is right and being yourself!  
 We love you, Curly Top!  
 Momma & Daddy, Maddy, Morgan, Mills & Alex

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**Averi Poe**, 18, is the daughter of Derek and Gina Poe. Her high school activities included Cross Country, Volleyball, Basketball, Track, FFA, FCCLA, NHS and FCA. She enjoys spending time in the gym, and with Jesus, family, and friends. She plans to attend Weatherford College to be-

come a Cardiovascular Sonographer, then potentially transfer to Texas A&M for a bachelor's degree in nursing. In five years, she hopes to be a college graduate working on my credit score because, apparently, that is important. In ten, she hopes to be providing for her own family while leading them to the Lord. The one word that sums up her high school experience is fleeting.

**Chasiti Ranaghan**, 17, is the daughter of Meghan Ranaghan. Her high school activities included cosmetology, softball, Skills USA member, band and FCCLA. Her hobbies are hanging out



with friends, spending time with family, and doing all things cosmo related. She plans on moving to Gatesville where she will attend MCC and major in liberal arts. In 5 years, she plans on having her certifications for lashes/ facials. In 10 years, own a house and to be settling down, doing good with

a lash business. The one word that sums up her high school experience is frustrating.



**Kristina Jade Santiago**, 18, is the daughter of Katherine Stubbs and stepdad Jay E Stubbs and Father Kevin Washington. Her high school activities included volleyball, basketball, golf,

track and Cosmetology. She enjoys being with family and friends and being outdoors rather than being inside. After graduation, she plans to attend McLennan Community College and study General Business Administration. In five to 10 years, she hopes to be running her own business. The one word that sums up her high school experience is hectic.

**Elizabeth Stephens**, 17, is the daughter of Joe and Karissa Stephens and Kate and Jeremy Barrett. Her high school activities included volleyball, cheer, track, softball, FFA and



student council. Her hobbies are reading, hiking and painting. She plans to get a degree in criminal justice at Tarleton and join the Air Force. In five to 10 years, she hopes to be traveling and working on her second/third degree. The one word that sums up her high school experience is unexpected.

HAPPY GRADUATION

*Grace*

We are so proud of you and cannot wait to watch what you will accomplish next!  
Love, Mom, Dad and your sisters

**CADEN** Hopper

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart."  
PROVERBS 3:5

We are so proud of you and the young man you have become! Never stop being YOU and go rock this next journey! Sic'em Bears!  
Love, Mom, Dad, Haley, Ninnie, Pawpaw and Grandma

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**Kendal Stroud**, 18, is the daughter of Jeff and Roxanne Stroud. Her high school activities include FCCLA (class officer), varsity softball and FFA (pig showman). She enjoys spending time with family and friends and playing softball. After graduation, she plans to attend Tarleton State University and major in Sports Management. In

five to 10 years, she hopes to be coaching near Hamilton. The one word that sums up her high school experience stressful.



**Bryson Tarpley**, 17, is the son of Clay and Carla Tarpley. His high school activities included baseball, basketball, football, FFA, FCCLA, NHS. His hobbies are spending time with family and friends while play-

ing sports and traveling to all of the MLB ballparks. He plans to attend Tarleton State University in the fall and major in Kinesiology. In five to 10 years, he hopes to be teaching and coaching at a high school. The one word that sums up his high school experience is eye-opening.



**Cody William Alonzo Tawater**, 18, is the son of Angie Alvarado Tawater.

His high school activities included band and Eagle Scouts. His hobbies are reading, music and playing video games. He plans on living his life for a bit to build up revenue to situate himself and then further his education. In five to 10 years, he hopes to be working a job he likes and supporting his family. The one word that sums up his high school experience is weird.



**Landon Thompson**, 18, is the son of Harmony and Damon Thompson. His high school activities include OAP, social studies UIL, cross country and track. His hobbies are video games, drawing, bike riding and building models. He plans to attend Tarleton State University and receive a degree in History. He hopes his degree will get into archeology. In five years, he wants to pursue job opportunities to give experience for an archeologist position. In 10

years, he hopes to be sifting through the sand in the middle of nowhere in search of long-lost things. The one word that sums up her high school experience is Meh.



**Chase Weaver**, 18, is the son of Larry and Julie Weaver. His high school activities included baseball, basketball, football, FFA- showing and livestock judging and NHS. He enjoys baseball, hunting, fishing and working cows. He will be attending West Texas A&M to play baseball and major in Agribusiness. In five to 10 years, he would like to have graduated from college with a degree in Agribusiness and work in the Ag industry. The one word that sums up his high school experience is memorable.

**Scarlett Wynne**, 18, is the daughter of Julie and Lane Dial. Her high school activities include cosmetology, FFA and wrestling/MMA. She enjoys hanging out with her mom and Landyn.



After graduation, she hopes to pursue cosmetology, get married, go to college and be rich. In five to 10 years, she hopes to be driving a 2008 Shelby GT500 and raising a family. The one word that sums up her high school experience is chaotic.



**Jacob Young**, 19, is the son of Eric and Jennifer Young. His high school activities were football, powerlifting and stock show. His hobbies include working on cars, playing video games and collecting knives and swords. He plans to attend TSTC and study auto mechanics. In five to 10 years, he hopes to have his own auto mechanics business.

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## Open house Sunday at Hamilton General

The Hamilton General Hospital will host an open house this Sunday afternoon to allow the community to view its new facility at 400 N. Brown Ave. The open house will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 6. The new facility is expected to take about three months to complete. A groundbreaking ceremony will be held on the official opening of the new facility. The Hamilton County Hospital District sold \$6.5 million in bonds to finance the construction. Shaefer said the district is thankful to the two local banks that purchased the bonds, First State Bank and Texas and Extraco Bank.



**MOLITION** - A large track hoe from Total Land Development (above) made quick work of the old Hamilton General Hospital building Tuesday morning. As the work progressed, the beautiful new Hamilton General Hospital was revealed in the background. Over the next few days, the debris from the old hospital is expected to be hauled away and preparation for construction of a parking lot that will serve both the hospital and the Rural Health Care Clinic. The old hospital had served the community for more than 40 years. The hospital opened Monday, Jan. 10 following an open house the day before, when hundreds of residents toured the new facility. Staff Photos



## New CEFCO now open on Highway 281

A new CEFCO convenience store and gas station will now be open on Highway 281. The new store will be open 24 hours a day and seven days a week. The store includes a gas station and a convenience store. The store is located at the intersection of Highway 281 and Highway 16. The store is owned and operated by CEFCO. The store is expected to be open by the end of the year.



## Bulldogs to play Paradise in state playoffs on Friday

The Hamilton Bulldogs will play Paradise in the state playoffs on Friday. The Bulldogs are currently ranked in the top 10 of the state. The Bulldogs are expected to be a strong contender for the state championship. The game will be held at the Paradise arena. The Bulldogs are coached by Coach [Name].

## Bulldogs make history with 14-8 win over Panthers

The Hamilton Bulldogs made history with a 14-8 win over the Panthers. The Bulldogs scored four touchdowns and three field goals. The Panthers scored two touchdowns and two field goals. The game was played at the Hamilton arena. The Bulldogs are now leading the state playoffs.



## Friday national day of mourning for former President Reagan

Friday has been declared a national day of mourning for the late President Ronald Reagan, who died Saturday. The day of mourning is being observed in honor of the 40th anniversary of his death. The day of mourning is being observed in all 50 states and the District of Columbia. The day of mourning is being observed from 12 p.m. to 11 p.m. on Friday, June 8, 2023.

## Kent Wenzel wins state sausage titles

Kent Wenzel has won state sausage titles. Wenzel is a sausage maker from Hamilton. He has won several state sausage titles in the past. He is currently competing in the state sausage competition. He is expected to win several more titles.

## Robbye Lengfeld appointed to hospital medical appointment board

Robbye Lengfeld has been appointed to the hospital medical appointment board. Lengfeld is a nurse practitioner from Hamilton. She has been working at the Hamilton General Hospital for several years. She is expected to be a valuable member of the board.

## 2004 Chevy Tahoe Impala

2004 Chevy Tahoe Impala. \$26,995. \$17,995. These cars are available for sale at the Hamilton dealership. The cars are in excellent condition and are priced at a great value. Call us today to see these cars.

## Heavy June rains put total above average for the year

Heavy June rains have put the total above average for the year. The Hamilton County rainfall chart shows that the total rainfall for the year is now above the long-term average. This is due to the heavy rains in June. The total rainfall for the year is now 45.2 inches, which is 1.2 inches above the long-term average.

## Jones wins calf scramble at Fort Worth

Jones has won the calf scramble at Fort Worth. Jones is a young man from Hamilton. He has won several calf scramble events in the past. He is currently competing in the Fort Worth calf scramble. He is expected to win several more events.

## County commissioners consider courthouse cupola controversy

County commissioners are considering a controversy over the courthouse cupola. The cupola is a decorative structure on top of the courthouse. Some people want to keep it, while others want to remove it. The commissioners are expected to make a decision on the cupola in the near future.

## Airport to get weather station

The Hamilton Municipal Airport is set to receive a weather station. The station will provide real-time weather data to the airport. This will help the airport to better manage its operations. The station is expected to be installed by the end of the year.



**CIRCLE T ARENA** - A ground breaking ceremony for the new Circle T Arena west of Hamilton on the banks of Bear Creek was held Tuesday morning. The entirely enclosed arena will cover more than three acres. Completion is expected next summer. The arena is owned by Tex Beshears and Rich Skelton. Holding the ceremonial golden shovel were Mayor Roy Ramsey, Mayor Pro Tem Tom Adams, and Mayor Roy Morrison. Other officials in attendance were County Commissioner T.P. Medlock and Mayor Roy Morrison. The arena is expected to be a major addition to the Hamilton area.

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## Justin and Shawna Cozby of Hamilton announce the birth of their daughter, Avery Shyanne Cozby on December 3, 2004 at Harris Southwest in Fort Worth. Avery weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long at birth.

Maternal grandparents are Dee Ellis Sr. and Elaine Ellis of Evant. Paternal grandparents are Rodney and Jamie Cozby and Ginger Bottlinger of Hamilton. Great-grandparents are Joann and Henry McClesky, all of Hamilton and...



## MR. AND MISS H.H.S. - Chad Andrews and Andrea Mendez were presented as Mr. and Miss H.H.S. Saturday night at the prom. Candidates are nominated by the teachers and criteria includes having an 80 average, good attendance, clear truancy record...



## Dr. Luke Killian to join clinic

The Family Practice Rural Health Clinic will welcome Dr. Luke Killian to his new Hamilton practice on July 12. Dr. Killian is a board-certified family physician. He has completed his residency at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School. He is expected to be a valuable member of the clinic.

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## Hamilton inventors earn national awards

Hamilton inventors have earned national awards. The awards are given to individuals who have made significant contributions to science and technology. The awards are given by the American Inventors Association. The awards are given to individuals who have made significant contributions to science and technology.



## Chamber banquet an enjoyable event

The Chamber banquet was an enjoyable event. The banquet was held at the Hamilton arena. The banquet was attended by many guests. The banquet was a great success. The Chamber is proud to have hosted such a great event.

