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## BCISD: Current year revenues will cover future shortfall

*Special to the Bulletin*

While Burnet Consolidated ISD expects to see a planned deficit for the 2021-22 fiscal year, the district's surplus revenues from the current fiscal year should be adequate to cover any shortfall, district chief financial officer Clay

Goehring told trustees during a budget workshop Monday, June 7.

During an overview of projected revenues versus expenditures for the upcoming fiscal year, Goehring said the budget outlook "is



Goehring

better than previously anticipated."

"The administration believes that student enrollment will begin to rebound next year helping to close the budget deficit," Goehring said, stating all campus and

department budgets will remain unchanged for fiscal year 2021-22.

Goehring also said the budget under development would support another two percent midpoint general pay increase (MGPI) for all



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BCISD staff while also "continuing to provide free employee-only health, vision, and dental insurance."

According to Goehring, even with the passage last month of four 2021 bond proposals by

district voters, BCISD is projecting a 6.9-cent interest and sinking tax rate decrease for the 2021-22 school year.

Board members will not take action on compensation and benefits plan for BCISD

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### Marching orders

Wayne Craig/Clear Memories

The Burnet High School band directors hosted Band Camp last week and welcomed a large number of students who gained valuable knowledge from their participation. Campers take advantage of some outdoor time before the rain to go over some positioning skills. See more on Page 10.

## District hires new elementary principals

*Special to the Bulletin*

Burnet Consolidated ISD hired new principals for two of its three elementary schools during a special called meeting Monday, June 7, at the BCISD board room, Superintendent Keith McBurnett announced.

Former BCISD teacher Abby O'Hair was selected to take over the reins at Shady Grove Elementary as the newest principal. O'Hair has been serving as the assis-



O'Hair



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tant principal at Kline Whitis Elementary in Lampasas ISD, but she is no stranger to Burnet CISD parents and students.

O'Hair taught multiple grades in BCISD for about a decade and was event named Educator of the Year at multiple campuses before being promoted to elementary GT (Gifted & Talented) coordinator.

"We are excited to have Abby returning

District... see Page 12

## Boys & Girls Club bans electronics

By Nathan Hendrix  
Staff Writer  
Burnet Bulletin

In response to "growing issues" stemming from the use of electronic devices, the Boys & Girls Club of the Highland Lakes barred the use of electronic devices on its premises, according to a statement from the organization.

The decision was made on May 11 by senior staff with the approval of directors.

"Over the last couple of months of the spring semester, there was some concern," Executive Director Bill Drake said in an interview with The Highlander. "[The staff is] responding to kids pulling them out when they weren't supposed to and accessing the internet, some-

times inappropriate (material), and playing games."

The use of cellular phones, smart watches, portable music devices, laptop computers, tablets and any device that can access wi-fi is now prohibited. All devices are to remain in backpacks or similar storage equipment. A central storage area will be dedicated to keeping the devices while at the club.

"The issues we have are no different than the issues of classroom teachers. They're just so prevalent," Drake said.

Members found in violation of the policy will face discipline similar to any other violation of club rules.

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### Crowd pleaser

Contributed

Diane Brummell won the Adult division Frances Reed People's Choice award as voted on by visitors to the fair for her quilt.



## Fair draws 115 exhibitors in 2021 return

*Special to the Bulletin*

The Burnet County Area Fair saw a total of 115 exhibitors take part in this past week's two-day event, including 88 adults, 14 senior youth and 14 junior youth, with 662 exhibits entered into 18 divisions.

"It was lower in exhibitors this year, but after having canceled last year and having to change the date and location this year, we felt we had a pretty good turnout and the quality of entries was phenomenal," said Fair president Lela Goar.

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"I haven't heard of any push back yet from parents. I wouldn't be surprised if some of them thank us for it."

— Bill Drake

Executive Director

Boys & Girls Club of the Highland Lakes

## Storm runoff prompts floodgate operations

*Special to the Bulletin*

Lower Colorado River Authority

As of June 7 at 7:35 a.m. LCRA will be closely monitoring for inflows to the Highland Lakes that might require hydroelectric generation to pass storm runoff or floodgate operations to pass floodwaters through any of the Highland Lakes dams.

Unscheduled releases from the Highland Lakes dams may occur suddenly and unexpectedly at any time due to emergency hydroelectric generation or other reasons. The

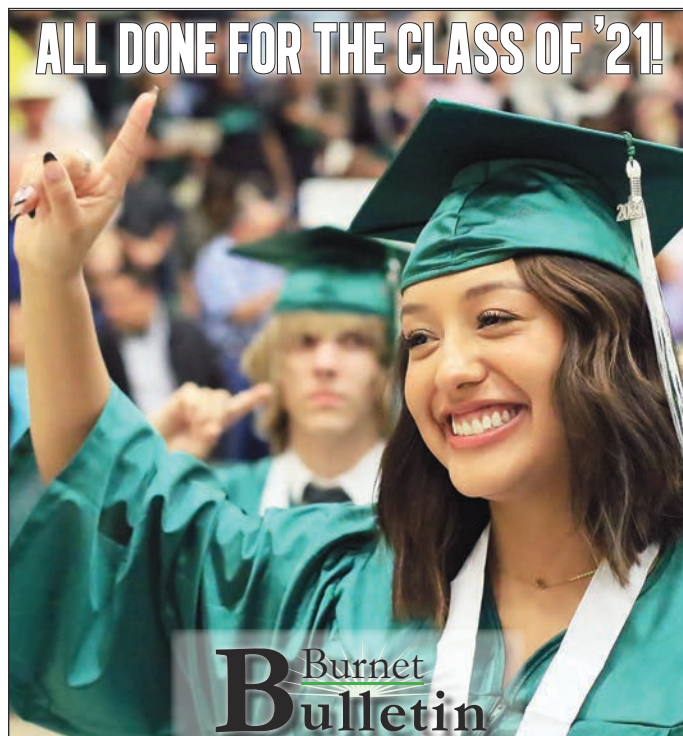
public should exercise caution and avoid being in the water near the dams at all times.

According to the latest LCRA reports, the following is a schedule of operations as of Thursday, June 3:

• At around 3:05 p.m. on June 3, one floodgate was partially open at Max Starcke Dam to pass floodwaters downstream into Lake Travis.

Flows will be fast and water levels may be higher than usual.

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The Class of 2021 completed one journey and now embarks on a brand new one. See the graduates of Burnet High School and Quest High School in our special section inside this issue of the Burnet Bulletin.

## Randy Rogers to headline Summer Concert Series return

*From staff reports*

The Burnet Economic Development Corporation (EDC) Summer Concert Series will return next month with one of the truly heavy hitters of country music — the Randy Rogers Band.

The band will bring their high-octane, dynamic sound to Haley Nelson Park on Saturday, July 31. Tickets are now on sale at burnet512.com.

While some bands may come and go, the Randy Rogers Band bills itself as a "unique brotherhood fueled by a shared passion for making great music and a strong commitment to each other for more than 17 years."

That bond is apparent on their latest album, Hellbent, which is buoyed by the same

fearless spirit and sense of camaraderie that has made them one of country's most compelling bands.

"Just like any other relationship, you have to pick your battles and have respect for each other," Rogers says. "None of us know how to do anything else. This is our livelihood. It's how we take care of our families. Years ago when we were really struggling and wondering how we were going to make it, there were some deep and emotional conversations that we all had with each other about if this is really what we all wanted and the decision was made a long time ago. The answer was yes then and the answer is still yes

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### Burnet Rainfall



Week ended June 6:

2.07 inches

Month to Date:

2.06 inches

YTD: 18.23 inches

Any weather conditions occurring after 8 a.m. Sunday will be reported the following week.

Source: Hugh McCoy  
Hamilton Creek Drive



Softball girls named All-District  
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Basket drawing at Bertram library  
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Republican women hand out scholarships  
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# News

## Divers recover body from Lake LBJ

**From staff reports**  
Divers have recovered the body of man June 3 who disappeared into the water and didn't resurface at a residence on Lake LBJ, according to Texas Parks and Wildlife. "At approximately 5 p.m. (Thursday, June 3), a 33-year old male from Colorado was at a home on Lake LBJ in the Horseshoe Bay area and went down a water slide that emptied into Lake LBJ," the TPWD release stated. "The victim did not resurface from the water after he went down the slide." A side-scan sonar located the man's body in approximately 15-feet of water in about an

hour, and divers were able to recover him shortly thereafter, according to TPWD Capt. Cody Hatfield. Investigators reported that he was with a group of people at the residence, and investigators are compiling interviews and clues from the scene to try to determine what happened. "It's going to depend on the autopsy results," Hatfield said. He was pronounced dead at the scene by Llano County Pct. 1 Justice of the Peace Judge Bebe Rocha. Autopsy results are pending. The release of his name is pending notification of next of kin.

## BHS choir sends five members to state

**Special to the Bulletin**  
The BHS Choir was able to send five talented young choir members to the Texas State Solo & Ensemble Competition in May. This is a difficult competition in which each student memorized a Grade 1 classical solo and performed the song from memory for their judge. Each student performed very well and showed their determination, hard work, and

progress as vocalists through this process. Results from the state competition include:  
• Greyson Barnet - 1st Division - Superior  
• Eileen Crist - 2nd Division - Excellent  
• Madison Rygaard - 2nd Division - Excellent  
• Aiden Dornak - 3rd Division - Good  
• Kori Gililand - 3rd Division - Good



## GOP scholarships

**Contributed/BCRW**  
Burnet County Republican Women presented three scholarship winners at their recent meeting. The recipients offered inspirational essays on moving the conservative message without compromising the party's platform. Each student - Haley McHam of Burnet High School, Hannah Jordan of Marble Falls High School and Augustus (Gus) Henry of Faith Academy - will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to their designated university. Pictured with them are Burnet County Pct. 3 Justice of the Peace Jane Marie Hurst, left, and BCRW Scholarship Chairwoman Wand Kauffman.

## Wilson completes another successful legislative session

**Special to the Bulletin**  
On Monday, May 31, the Texas Legislature wrapped up its 140-day legislative session, which gaveled in on January 12, 2021, at the Texas Capitol in Austin. During the course of the 87th Legislative Session, State Rep. Col. Terry M. Wilson (USA Ret.) joined his Texas House colleagues in passing legislation to address critical issues affecting Texans, including the COVID-19 pandemic, Winter Storm Uri, and more. "While there is still important work left to do regarding property tax relief, election integrity, and redistricting, we had a productive session; taking care of rural broadband, strengthening second amendment protections, and protecting the sanctity of life," Wilson said. "We need the Governor to call a special session as soon as possible to get back to work and finish the task that Texas voters gave us to do." Rep. Wilson made it a priority to support important conservative measures that would ensure the growth and prosperity of the Lone Star State, including legislation:

- Implementing a balanced, fiscally responsible state budget for the next two years;
  - Preparing the state electric grid for future natural disasters;
  - Protecting the rights of Texans to express their religious beliefs;
  - Strengthening public safety standards and backing the blue;
  - Reforming the state's criminal justice system;
  - Cutting red tape to support small businesses from COVID-19 pandemic fallout;
  - Protecting the sanctity of life from the first signs of life.
- In addition, Rep. Wilson championed and passed several pieces of legislation on behalf of House District 20. These bills include:
- House Bill 1525 - Restructuring career technical education so students can graduate with certificates or credits toward certification specific to skill sets that are in demand locally.
  - Secured funding to better equip our schools to provide Career and Technical training that will help students find work



**Wilson**  
in high demand fields.  
• House Bill 721 - notification to victims and family before a criminal is immediately released for good behavior. Wilson serves as state representative for House District 20, which encompasses Burnet, Milam, and Williamson counties.

## LET'S BE BRIEF ...

### Burnet Farmers and Crafts Market every Saturday

The Burnet Farmers and Crafts Market will continue this Saturday, June 12, and every Saturday into November from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the Burnet Courthouse Square. Available items include seasonal vegetables, jellies, jams, hand crafts, birdhouses and gift baskets.

### Virtual, in-person job fair at Marble Falls Library

Workforce Solutions Rural Capital Area and Marble Falls Economic Development Corporation are hosting a virtual and in-person job fair Friday, June 11, at the Marble Falls Public Library, 101 Main St., Marble Falls. The online event will take place from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. while the in-person event will be from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. To register as a jobseeker, go to [tinyurl.com/ufz2ryvm](https://tinyurl.com/ufz2ryvm). To register as an employer, go to [tinyurl.com/53dvv5ds](https://tinyurl.com/53dvv5ds).

### Pregnancy & Life Center sporting clay fundraiser

The Pregnancy & Life Center will hold a sporting clay fundraiser this Saturday, June 12 at the Copperhead Creek Shooting Club, 7030 East FM 431, Marble Falls. Check-in for the event is at 7:30 a.m. and the tournament starts at 9 a.m. There will be lunch served as well as a drawing with more than \$1,000 in prizes available. Men, women and youth divisions will be included. Space is limited so to pre-register, email [director.hlprc@gmail.com](mailto:director.hlprc@gmail.com) or call 325-388-0354. Entry fee is \$100 per person or \$400 per team. For more information about the Pregnancy & Life Center, see [hlprc.org](https://hlprc.org).

### Texas Exes to hold 'Thirsty Thursday' event

The first Highland Lakes Texas Exes Chapter "Thirsty Thursday" in more than a year will be Thursday, June 10 from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. at 1326 Los Escondidos, Marble Falls. Light appetizers and refreshments will be provided. There is no charge for this gathering. Donations at the event are requested and appreciated for the scholarship fund.

### Oaks Agency conducting shoe drive fundraiser

The Oaks Agency is conducting a shoe drive fundraiser on April 15-June 12, 2021 to raise funds for a therapeutic boys' home. The Oaks Agency will earn funds based on the total weight of the pairs of gently worn, used and new shoes collected, as Funds2Orgs will issue a check for the collected shoes. Those dollars will benefit The Oaks Agency boys' home. Anyone can help by donating gently worn, used and new shoes at Miller's Food Mart, 702 E Polk St, Burnet, TX 78611 or Chique Unique & Antique, 900 Ave. Q, Marble Falls, TX. For more information, go to [toaboy.org](https://toaboy.org).

### Green Thumb hears about 'Sharing the Harvest'

The Green Thumb program, sponsored by The Highland Lakes Master Gardeners for the month of June, will be held on June 15 at The Kings Garden from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Kings Garden is located at 3435 Ranch Road 1431, Kingsland. The presentation is called "Sharing the Harvest." Master Gardner Keith Atwood will give guests a tour of the gardens while explaining the different crops, when and how the crops are harvested, and how the harvest is shared with the community. This presentation is free to the public. Guests are asked to wear masks and social distance.

### About Let's Be Brief:

Let's Be Brief allows non-profit organizations to get word out to the community of upcoming events and happenings of interest. Briefs should ideally be 100 words or fewer, broken into two or three paragraphs. Their purpose is to communicate information thoroughly, but quickly and succinctly. Make sure you include answers to the five Ws: Who, What, Where, When and Why. Also be sure to include your name and contact information, in case we need to reach out to you with questions. The newspaper does reserve the right to edit for style, brevity and clarity. Briefs are published based upon space availability. For-profit business ventures must purchase retail advertising and may not use Let's Be Brief to advertise their events. Email Let's Be Brief items to [lew@highlandernews.com](mailto:lew@highlandernews.com).

## Highland Lakes Squadron raises money with 'Wine & Wings'

**Special to the Bulletin**  
The Highland Lakes Squadron of the Commemorative Air Force will team up with 7 Creeks Winery to host a Wine and Wings fundraiser for the squadron's museum at the Burnet Municipal Airport. The event will be held 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, June 19, and will have free admission. There will be live music by The Decades and The Dillard Sisters and WWII demonstrations. Hotdogs, popcorn and drinks will be available for donation and airplane rides and 7 Creeks Wine will be available for purchase. Drawing tickets are \$20 each or six for \$100 with proceeds going to the CAF WWII

Museum. Items include two T-6 SNJ warplane rides; a \$100 gift card for the Austin Steam Train Association; \$100 for Cakes by Spring; a cowboy BBQ for six; an ultimate date night package include a one night stay at the The Verandas, a wine tasting for two at 7 Creeks Winery to include transportation by classic car and a gift certificate for Floral Designs by Randi. Must be present at the 5:30 p.m. or 6:30 p.m. drawings for the airplane rides to be given away at 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. All rides purchased or won subject to availability and weather conditions permitting.

## Kingsland Chamber banquet set for June 24

**Special to the Bulletin**  
The Kingsland/Lake LBJ Chamber of Commerce will hold its 57th annual awards banquet Thursday, June 24, at Cedar Skies Barn at Log Country Cove, 617 Log Country Cove, Burnet. Chamber officials are excited to finally get the opportunity to recognize all of the outstanding businesses of the year 2020. The event kicks off with a social hour at 5 p.m. with dinner at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$35 per person and includes an open bar and can be purchased at the Chamber office, through a director or through EventBrite. Awards will be given out for the following categories:

Outstanding Business of the Year; Outstanding Person of the Year; Outstanding New Business of the Year; Outstanding Organization of the Year. Want to donate a drawing or silent auction item? Please drop it at the Chamber or call for pickup. Grab your ticket now as limited spots are available!

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# News

## Fair

From Page 1

The fair also paid homage to former president the late Rosalyn Lackey. Goar explained when the fair restarted in 2010 after a 10-year hiatus, Lackey served as president of the event for the first two years.

"She and her daughters have been involved every year since and even though her daughters lived out of town, they still came and helped each year," Goar said. "We started a scholarship this year and it is in Rosalyn Lackey's memory. Cooper Stuteville is the first winner and we will be continuing it each year."



The daughters of former Fair president, the late Rosalyn Lackey, present a scholarship to Cooper Stuteville, a 2021 Burnet High School grad (center). Pictured with Stuteville are Terri Winter, left, and Princess Aschermann.



Other Frances Reed People's Choice award winners from the 2021 Burnet County Area Fair include, from left, Megan Burrows, Senior Youth, and Francene Culver, Junior Youth. The People's Choice awards are voted on by fair visitors.



Burnet County Area Fair president Lela Goar presents the Anna Mae Glimp Sweepstakes Award to, from left, Evelynne Culver, Junior Youth; Kerry McDonald, Adult; and Megan Burrows, Senior Youth. The Anna Mae Glimp Sweepstakes Award is given to the top individual in each age group who enters at least three divisions and gains the most points on a weighted system.



Michael Gingrich was the big People's Choice winner for the motorcycle show held at the Fair.

## HLDW resumes in-person meetings at Save the World

Special to the Bulletin

Highland Lakes Democratic Women met in person on May 27 at 11:30 a.m. for the first time since February 2020. The covered patio of Save The World Brewery in Marble Falls provided a comfortable and safe venue for 55 members and their guests at this much anticipated event.

Chapter President Dana Rushing laid out ambitious plans for the next two months to support candidates running for state

office.

On Saturday, June 5, from 3:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. HLDW and other area Democratic organizations hosted an old-fashioned red, white and blue rally at the amphitheater at Johnson Park in Marble Falls with special guest Joe Jaworski, Democratic candidate for state attorney general. The band Where's Renee also provided entertainment.

HLDW is also planning an event on Saturday, July 17.

'Coffee with Collier' will feature Mike Collier, candidate for state lieutenant governor. Further details are forthcoming soon.

The meeting concluded with a general discussion about future meetings including finding diverse and inclusive meeting locations and speakers who can inform members about political candidates and issues important to Democratic women in the Highland Lakes.

For the months of June and

July political rallies will take the place of club meetings. Monthly in person meetings will resume in August. For information about the meetings or HLDW please contact Linda Burling at lburling@gmail.com.

Meanwhile, due to the numerous activities scheduled this month in Burnet County and some members' absence due to a much-needed vacation, the Burnet County Democratic Club has canceled its June 15 meeting.

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## Population gains, losses in state detailed

The U.S. Census Bureau has released its sub-county population estimates from April 2010 to July 2020. That includes population estimates for the 1,200 incorporated places in Texas.

Nine additional Texas towns were incorporated in the past decade, while 13 additional cities surpassed a population of 50,000.

The Texas Demographic Center reported that of the 71 Texas cities with populations of more than 50,000, only two lost population — continuing the trend of smaller towns and areas in the state losing population to larger cities. More than 55% of the state's population growth has been in cities with more than 50,000 residents.

Small and mid-sized cities surrounding major metropolitan areas, such as Dallas-Fort Worth, Austin and Houston, saw the fastest growth rates, while many of the cities in West Texas and the Panhandle were among the 372 Texas cities that lost population, according to TDC.

### Emergency food benefits extended

Benefits for families under a federal nutrition plan have been increased through September, the Texas Health and Human Services Commission announced last week.

Under the American Rescue Plan signed by President Biden in March, states can provide eligible families up to \$35 per month to purchase fresh fruits and vegetables. Clients of the

### Capital Highlights

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Women, Infants and Children (WIC) program are eligible.

"Texas WIC provides foods that have great nutritional value — providing key nutrients at key stages of development," Texas WIC Director Edgar Curtis said.

"This nutritional support early in life builds stronger, smarter, healthier and happier children and Texans. Fresh fruits and vegetables, which are loaded with vitamins and other plant-based nutrients, are at the forefront of that strategy."

The HHSC also announced it is providing roughly \$208 million in emergency food benefits under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, extending the maximum SNAP benefits allowable through June.

All SNAP recipients will get a minimum of \$95 in emergency allotment, in addition to the 15% increase that continues through September.

The program is funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and

administered by HHSC.

### State to release \$5 billion in school federal aid

Months after congressional action on a coronavirus relief package, the Texas Education Agency announced Friday that school districts may begin applying for their portion of \$5 billion in aid.

According to the Austin American-Statesman, how much each district will receive varies. Districts that saw large enrollment declines because of the pandemic will likely not receive as much money, because TEA will divert some of the funds to make up for funding provided at pre-pandemic levels.

Much of public-school funding in Texas is based on average daily attendance. However, during the 2020-2021 school year, districts were not penalized when students stayed home.

### Experts: Weatherization bill falls short

The Texas Legislature passed Senate Bill 3 in response to February's deadly storm and widespread failure of power plants. The package addresses the problems that threaten electric reliability, but public radio's Texas Standard reports that many electric grid experts and policy analysts say not enough has been done to prevent another blackout disaster.

One section of SB3 allows regulators to determine what portions of the natural gas supply must be

weatherized. Since it only applies to equipment that directly connects to power plants, experts say it might not be enough.

Dan Cohan, civil engineering professor at Rice University, told the Standard that "whoever has those direct lines into the power plants and winterizes those is going to point upstream and say 'well those upstream people couldn't get us enough gas.' So yeah, it's hard to see how this is going to provide us full coverage.

In addition, critics say the penalties of \$5,000 a day for not doing the required weatherization amount to little more than a rounding error for non-complying oil and gas companies.

### GOP chairman resignation sparks speculation

Texas Republican Party chairman Allen West resigned Friday, sparking speculation he is considering a statewide race.

The Republican party issued a statement that West "will take this opportunity to prayerfully reflect on a new chapter in his already distinguished career."

West has not ruled out challenging Gov. Greg Abbott, who last week touted a re-election endorsement from former President Trump.

### COVID-19 cases dropping; 36% fully vaccinated

The number of new COVID-19 cases in Texas continues to drop, with 9,534 reported as of Sunday for the

previous week — a small fraction of mid-January's record high of nearly 159,000.

In the past week, 210 deaths from COVID-19 in Texas were reported, according to the Johns Hopkins University Coronavirus Resource Center. That is also a decrease.

The number of Texans fully vaccinated stands at 10.5 million, according to the Texas Department of State Health Services, or about 36% of the state's population.

The number of lab-confirmed COVID-19 patients who are hospitalized dropped nearly a fifth from the previous week, to 1,504, according to DSHS.

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## Senate closes session with major grid reform

The Senate approved legislation late Sunday that would require weatherization of critical energy facilities and completely overhaul the management and oversight structure of the organization that oversees the state electric grid.

In a session that looked to be dominated by other concerns, the February winter storm put the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) at the top of the agenda.

"We thought it was going to be COVID, it was going to be a budget that didn't have enough money in it, and all these things," said Brenham Senator Lois Kolkhorst.

"Unbeknownst to us, in the middle of February we found ourselves in one of the greatest crises, I believe, that our state has ever seen. A grid that almost had a meltdown that could've kept us in the dark for weeks and months."

The two major bills, Senate Bills 2 and 3, would revamp the organizational oversight over the state's electric grid. One of them would drastically change the ERCOT board from one that is populated with industry insiders with conflicts of interest to one that is wholly independent of the state electric market, said SB 2 author and North Richland Hills Senator Kelly

### Texas Senate News

By Richard Lee

Hancock.

"This is radical from what Texas is used to, but you know what it's not radical from — every other grid in the United States," he said. "Every other grid in the United States has an independent board and Texas will now have that model."

Under Senate legislation, the board would be made up of eight unaffiliated members with executive level experience in finance, business, engineering and electric markets, approved by a commission appointed by state leadership.

No member can hold a financial interest in any company that operates in the ERCOT market. It adds another layer of government oversight by requiring that any major proposals offered by that board be approved by the state's top utility regulator, the Public Utility Commission.

SB 3, by Georgetown Senator Charles Schwertner, deals with many of the issues that arose during the Valentine's Day winter storm, by requiring that all critical electric, transmission and natural gas facilities are prepared to operate in extreme weather conditions.

It provides for inspection of these efforts, as well as fines of up to \$1 million for companies that don't comply. In order to improve co-ordination between all sectors of the state energy market, it creates a commission composed of state regulators and market participants dedicated to ensuring that the lights stay on during extreme weather.

It also creates a new emergency alert system to warn the public when severe weather looms that could cause widespread and extended power disruption and creates a new fee to pay for dispatchable electric generation capacity that can be accessed in an emergency.

The Senate also passed a measure, HB 4492, intended to help electric companies straining under massive wholesale costs from the sky-high price of a megawatt of electricity during the crisis. It allows retail electric providers and other companies in the market to access low-interest loans to cover these

costs.

The intended effect is to allow companies to spread out rate increases to customers over many years, rather than hiking bills all at once. Though this was necessary to provide ERCOT participants with the liquidity they need to get the state through the hot Texas summer, it isn't what the Senate wanted, said Lt. Governor Dan Patrick.

A Senate proposal to create a framework for a \$3 billion fund to help consumers pay for electric rates that go up as electric companies pay off interest on \$2.1 billion in loans didn't make it through the House as time ran out in the session.

Lt. Governor Dan Patrick spoke from the rostrum prior to adjournment, asking the governor to add ratepayer relief to the call of the special session due to be called in the fall.

"The next time we're going to spend billions of dollars concerning the storm, it's going to be to help the people of Texas and ratepayers, or I won't call that bill up," said Patrick. "We can help ERCOT, we can help businesses, but we have to help the people of Texas and their electric bills."

The Senate stands adjourned sine die.

## Fighting Alzheimer's caregiver stress in June

June is Alzheimer's & Brain Awareness Month®, and while we take steps to exercise and take care of our brains, we shouldn't neglect the fact that caregivers of those living with Alzheimer's and other dementia need some recognition too.

Being a caregiver is one of the hardest jobs you could ever imagine. In late stage Alzheimer's, you are on duty pretty much 24/7. In fact, from the moment a caregiver begins service to a loved one who has been diagnosed with Alzheimer's, their life changes forever.

How do you know when a caregiver needs help? There are ten basic symptoms of caregiver stress.

1. Denial
2. Anger
3. Social withdrawal
4. Anxiety
5. Depression
6. Exhaustion
7. Sleeplessness
8. Irritability
9. Lack of Concentration
10. Health Problems

Fortunately, there are some

### Alzheimer's Association in Texas

Scott Finley



Media Relations Manager

things you can do about it. Physical activity is big — take a walk, get some exercise. Whatever it takes to get you moving.

Stay connected to family and friends. Join an Alzheimer's Association caregiver's group. There's probably one close by, and in our online world, it's as close as your computer.

Don't try and do it all yourself. Ask for help and support.

Learn new relaxation techniques. Take time to do something that relaxes you and takes you out of the

moment for a bit.

Access resources. This goes back to number two and three above. The Alzheimer's Association has plenty of resources to help you, just for the asking.

Attend a support group. You can find one here: [alz.org/help-support/community/support-groups](http://alz.org/help-support/community/support-groups).

All of these things have one common denominator — taking care of yourself.

There are almost a million and a half caregivers in Texas, almost all of them unpaid. If you are one of that number or know someone in that role, take some time for yourself.

You can also help by taking part in The Longest Day. It's held on the date of the summer solstice — this year, June 20. It's aimed at starting and continuing the conversation about brain health.

There's still plenty of time to join The Longest Day events for June.

Go to [alz.org/thelongestday](http://alz.org/thelongestday) to sign up and select an activity to raise funds for the Alzheimer's Association and support the

Alzheimer's Association's efforts to advance critically needed research and provide care and support to all those impacted by Alzheimer's disease.

Meanwhile, you can always get the latest information about the Association's COVID-19 guidelines for Alzheimer's and dementia caregivers in long-term or community-based care settings here: [alz.org/professionals/professional-providers/coronavirus-covid-19-tips-for-dementia-caregivers](http://alz.org/professionals/professional-providers/coronavirus-covid-19-tips-for-dementia-caregivers).

The Alzheimer's Association leads the way to end Alzheimer's and all other dementia — by accelerating global research, driving risk reduction and early detection, and maximizing quality care and support. Our vision is a world without Alzheimer's and all other dementia. Visit [alz.org](http://alz.org) or call 800-272-3900.

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# Burnet Neighbors

## Baskets up for grabs at Bertram Library event

The library's annual basket raffle will run through June 24, and drawings will be held on June 25.

All baskets have a value of \$100 or more. Tickets are: 1 for \$1; 6 for \$5; 30 for \$20; and 75 for \$50. You may buy them for cash or check at the library or by credit card at the thrift store.

Many thanks go to all who donated goods or money for the baskets. Proceeds will help our library with storm damage costs and with providing better resources for our community.

The library has great activities for both children and adults this summer. Each week of summer children can complete their weekly reading challenge and choose a prize from the prize box.

Additionally, they can enter to win for the weekly

**Marcie Masterson**



**Out and About in Bertram**

drawings: June 7 is a \$25 gift certificate from Chick-Fil-A; June 14 is a \$50 Amazon gift card; June 21 is a Texas Typhoon Water Park gift certificate for \$100; and June 21's winner will get a Kindle Paperwhite.

The summer classes are filling fast, so sign up or get on a wait-list. If enough are registered, the classes may expand. If you have questions email [sdrue111@burnetcountylibrary.org](mailto:sdrue111@burnetcountylibrary.org) or call 512.355.2113.

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### Youth League

Congratulations to our 8U Bertram Girls for taking first place last weekend in the Georgetown Bring the Heat Tournament. Kudos also go to our 8U Bertram boys who went 3-0 to start off their CenTex all-stars Tournament.

### Feeding Program

All children can receive a week's worth of breakfast and lunches which can be picked up Mondays at Bertram Elementary from 10:30 to 11 a.m. If your kids are not with you, you will need their school ID number. Additionally, any child who is in the car with you, regardless if they've started school yet, may also receive meals. For more information call the school's central office at 512.756.2124.

### Odds 'n End

Oatmeal Festival Vendor Forms are now available on the festival's Facebook page.

The Globe Theatre held their grande re-opening June 4 through 6 with shows by Bruce Robison and Kelly Willis with Brennen Leigh; Lee Roy Parnell with Jesse Daniel; and Robert Earl Keen with Brazilbilly.

All shows were sold out, and reports are that the musical nights were a huge success. Check out on the Globe's website at [GlobeTheatreTx.com](http://GlobeTheatreTx.com) for upcoming shows and activities.

That's all the local information for this week. If you have pictures or information for the Burnet Neighbors Page, your deadline is always Saturday. Email information to [marcimasterson@gmail.com](mailto:marcimasterson@gmail.com).



Contributed/Bertram Library

The Bertram Library's basket raffle has begun, and there are 39 baskets for you to try to win. All are over \$100 in value, and proceeds will go for storm repairs and additional media for the library's collection.



Fran Jones/Burnet Bulletin

Mustang grapes will ripen this summer. They are good for making jelly, juice and wine.

## Plenty of ways to stay busy in Briggs, Oakalla

### Mustang Grape Crop

For folks looking forward to jelly, juice and wine making, the rains seem to be contributing to a good crop of grapes this year. The grapes will begin to ripen in about a month, but the green ones are already looking large and healthy.

### Beekeeping 101

The next beekeeping class is scheduled for Friday, July 11 at 11 a.m. The topic for discussion during this session is the Varroa Mite. This includes the damage these mites do to bees and some ways to protect the hives. The class will meet in the Oakalla Library. The Friday time is a change from earlier classes that were held on Saturdays.

### Story Time and Crafts at the Oakalla Library

At 5:30 and 6:30 p.m. on

**Fran Jones**



**Briggs/Oakalla News**

Tuesday evenings youth of the area are invited to participate in these programs. The earlier time is for younger children and the later time is for older ones.

### Yoga

Yoga classes are available at the Oakalla Community Center on Friday afternoons at 4:15 p.m. These classes are sponsored by the Oakalla Library. Bring

a mat, a bottle of water and a small donation for the instructor.

For information about Oakalla Library activities, you may call 512-525-3864.

### Ice Cream Social at Briggs Community Center

Center President Crystal Kinsey invites everyone to bring their favorite homemade ice cream on Monday evening, June 14, to the Community Center.

Not only is this a "delicious" way to spend an evening, but a vote will be taken to see who wins the people's choice of the favorite ice creams. The time is 6:30 p.m. For information you may call 512-556-1471.

### All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Supper at the Oakalla VFD

The Oakalla Volunteer Fire Department is hosting a Pancake Supper and Auction

on Saturday, June 19.

Along with pancakes there will be sausage, bacon, orange juice, milk and coffee. The time for the supper is 5 to 8 p.m. and the auction begins at 7 p.m. Adult price is \$7, children \$5 and those four years and under its free. For more information, you may call 254-394-1303.

### Briggs Fire Department News

Oakalla Fire Chief Ned Roehrig reports that work will begin on the new Briggs Fire Department building as soon as the rain stops. The new station will be located just south of Briggs on Highway 183. Chief Roehrig also says that a new truck has been ordered.

If you have news or photos, please contact me at [pjfkj@yahoo.com](mailto:pjfkj@yahoo.com) by Saturday, June 12.



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glass TV stand, large Pet Porter carrier, small kitchen appliances, pots and pans, pampered chef items, dishes, kitchen items, German pewter, Pyrex and Corning Ware, pendant lights, Gobel statues, Ty Beanie babies, Stuff animals, American Girl dolls and cloths, rocking chair w/ottoman, paintings and prints, lots of smalls, Shimano Dura-race front wheels, biking items, 3/4 by 12 inch lumber, glassware, beer steins and glasses, quilts, comforters, table cloths and linens, lots of German cross stitch, games, new microwave, ceiling fans, new Hamilton Beach toaster oven, wrought iron candle holders, plant stand, lamps, heavy hat rack, electric chain saw, hedge trimmers, new pancake compressor, battery charger, license plates, work lights w/stand, Coleman stove, shelf brackets, two sets of golf clubs, one left handed and much more. Sale conducted in large building and carport located behind 122 CR 141 (Willow Dr.) Buchanan dam, Texas. 10 miles west of Burnet on Hwy 29 West. Last road, before Inks Lake bridge. Sale dates are June 10th, 11th and 12th, 2021. 9 am to 5 pm each day. No early sales. We do not load heavy items. Antiques by Will sale. Call John at 830 385-5002. Masks optional due to sale not located inside home.

#### Garage Sales

4 Family Barn Sale 2215 CR 200 Burnet ( FM 963 and CR 200 go east on CR 200 1.8 miles). Antiques & Vintage items, Coke a Cola collection, Apple decor, serving pieces, men, women and girl clothes, books, DVD's, heavy duty baking pans, fishing equipment, tools, house hold items and Misc... 6/11 Friday 9AM - 4PM 6/12 Saturday 8AM - 2PM.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE CITY OF BURNET, TEXAS COMBINATION TAX AND REVENUE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION, SERIES 2021 NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the

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City Council of the City of Burnet, Texas to issue Certificates of Obligation (the "Certificates") of the City in one or more series for the purpose of providing funds for paying contractual obligations incurred or to be incurred for: (i) constructing, improving, and/or renovating a new City Hall facility, including the acquisition of land; (ii) street construction and improvements including related drainage, sidewalks, traffic improvements and lighting; (iii) airport improvements, including hangars and (iv) payment of professional services in connection therewith including legal, engineering, architectural and fiscal fees and the costs of issuing the Certificates. The City Council tentatively proposes to authorize the issuance of the Certificates at its regular meeting place in the City Hall, 1001 Buchanan Drive, Burnet, Texas to be commenced at 6:00 p.m., on the 27th day of July, 2021. The maximum principal amount of Certificates that may be authorized for the above listed purposes is \$7,455,000. The City Council presently proposes to provide for the security and payment of the Certificates by a pledge of ad valorem taxes upon all taxable property

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within the City within the limits allowed by law and from a limited pledge of the City's surplus water and sewer system revenues not to exceed \$1,000. Due to the ongoing public health concerns regarding the COVID 19 virus, and as may be authorized by Executive Order of the Governor of Texas, such meeting on July 27, 2021 may be conducted via a free public video conference or other lawful electronic means. In such event, information regarding how to access the meeting and public participation in the meeting will be available on the City's website and in the agenda posted no less than 72 hours before the July 27, 2021 meeting at the following internet address: <https://www.cityofburnet.com/meetings>. The following information is required pursuant to Texas Local Government Code, Section 271.049(b) (4): As of May 25, 2021 principal of all outstanding debt obligations of the City is \$21,835,000. As of May 25, 2021 combined principal and interest required to pay all outstanding debt obligations of the City on time and in full is \$23,807,916.15. The maximum principal amount of the Certificates to be authorized is \$7,455,000. The esti-

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mated combined principal and interest required to pay the Certificates to be authorized on time and in full is \$9,559,090.63. The estimated interest rate for the Certificates to be authorized is 2.5%. Such estimate takes into account a number of factors, including the issuance schedule, maturity schedule and the

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expected bond ratings of the proposed bonds. Such estimated maximum interest rate is provided as a matter of information, but is not a limitation on the interest rate at which the bonds, or any series thereof, may be sold. The maximum maturity date of the Certificates to be authorized is August 15, 2041.

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STATEMENT OF INTEREST AND QUALIFICATIONS, PROFESSIONAL PLANNING SERVICES FOR A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN  
A pre-submission conference will be held in the Council Chambers located at 2402 South Water Street, Burnet, Texas at 11:00 a.m. on June 23, 2021.  
Submittals shall include five (5) complete bound copies and one (1) electronic copy (flash drive) of the qualifications.  
Statements of Interest and Qualifications are to be delivered by 5:00 p.m. on July 21, 2021 to:  
City of Burnet  
Att: Habib H. Erkan, Jr., ACM  
1001 Buchanan Drive, Suite 4  
Burnet, TX 78611  
(512) 715-3201  
Qualification specifications may be secured from the City of Burnet website at <https://www.cityofburnet.com/rfps> or the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, at 1001 Buchanan Drive, Burnet, Texas 78611 or via phone (512) 715-3209.  
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**OWNER:** Kashif A. Kabani, Managing Member

THERE WILL BE A PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING A REPLAT OF LOTS 205, 206, & 207, SILVER CREEK VILLAGE, UNIT ONE, A SUBDIVISION LOCATED IN BURNET COUNTY, TEXAS AS SHOWN ON PLAT RECORDED IN CABINET 1, SLIDE 14-C, AND IN VOLUME 1, PAGES 43 & 44 OF THE PLAT RECORDS OF BURNET COUNTY, TEXAS TO BE HEARD AT THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED BURNET COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING HELD ON JUNE 22ND, 2021.

THERE WILL BE A PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING A REPLAT OF LOTS 10A & 10B, MILLER CREEK RANCH, PHASE ONE, A SUBDIVISION LOCATED IN BURNET COUNTY, TEXAS RECORDED IN DOCUMENT NO. 202012150 OF THE OFFICIAL PUBLIC RECORDS OF BURNET COUNTY, TEXAS TO BE HEARD AT THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED BURNET COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING HELD ON JUNE 22ND, 2021.

**Notice of Public Hearing and First Reading of Ordinance**  
 The City Council of the City of Burnet, Texas will hold a hearing to receive testimony and comments from members of the public on the merits of a proposed amendment to the City of Burnet's Code of Ordinances Chapter 98 (Entitled "Subdivisions") by Amending the Notification and Hearing Procedures Prescribed in Section 98-22.  
 The public hearing shall be held at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at the City Council Chambers located at 2402 South Water Street, Burnet, Texas 78611.  
 DISABILITY ACCESS STATEMENT This meeting site is wheelchair accessible. For disability access special needs call Kelly Dix, City Secretary, at 512-715-3209 at least forty-eight [48] hours prior to the meeting.  
 Members of the public may also provide written comments and testimony to City Council prior to the public hearing by submitting same to Habib H. Erkan, Jr., Assistant City Manager, at P.O. Box 1369, Burnet, Texas 78611, or by email at herkan@cityofburnet.com.

**ANTENNA STRUCTURE REGISTRATION PUBLIC NOTICE**  
 CTI Towers Assets II, LLC ("CTI") has filed an application with the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") to register an existing, 101-foot tall- Guyed telecommunications tower owned by CTI. The existing telecommunications tower is located at 1101 Mission Hill Road, Marble Falls, TX 78654 (30° 34' 57.87" N / 98° 16' 26.75" W). No expansion or modification to the existing telecommunications tower is being proposed in connection with this application. FAA obstruction lighting is not required for the existing telecommunications tower and is in accordance with . The purpose of this application is to simply register a previously unregistered tower structure with the FCC. This application may be viewed by going to [www.fcc.gov/asr/applications](http://www.fcc.gov/asr/applications) and entering Application Number A1194846.  
 Interested persons may raise potential environmental impact concerns associated with this application by filing a Request for Further Environmental Review with the FCC ("Requests"). Requests can be filed online and instructions for filing such Requests can be found at [www.fcc.gov/asr/environmentalrequest](http://www.fcc.gov/asr/environmentalrequest). Requests can also be sent to: FCC Requests for Environmental Review, Attn: Ramon Williams, 445 12th Street SW, Washington DC 20554. Requests should also be sent to CTI Towers Assets II, LLC, c/o General Counsel, CTI Towers Inc., 5000 CentreGreen Way, Suite 325, Cary, NC 27513.

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Cause No.	52012
Court Name	424th District Court
Court Address	1701 E. Polk Street - Burnet, Texas 78611
Name of Document	Plaintiff's Original Petition
Date Filed	March 10, 2021
Plaintiff(s)	Douglas B Odom
Defendant(s)	Ruth H. Carr; The Estate Of Ruth H. Carr
Attorney's Name	Matthew A. Grimshaw
Attorney's Address	1603 Babcock Rd, Ste 280 San Antonio, TX 78229
Date Answer Due	Monday, June 28, 2021 at 10:00am
Brief Statement of the Nature of the Suit	"To the Defendants, Ruth H. Carr, and the Estate of Ruth H. Carr, you hereby are put on notice of the suit to quiet title brought by the Estate of William Joseph Odum."

  
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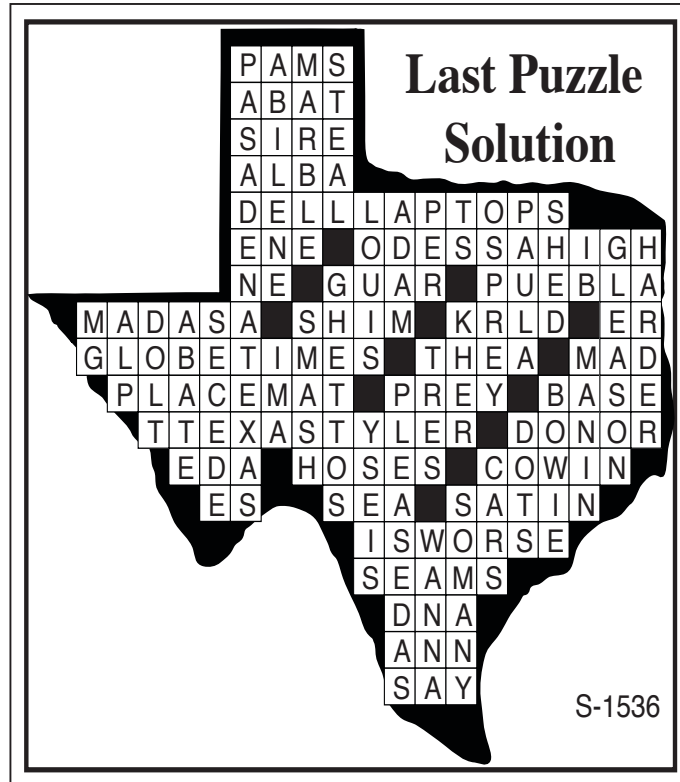
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 The District will be utilizing the two-step process pursuant to Texas Government Code §2269, Subchapter F for this project. Interested firms will first submit qualifications. Upon receipt of the qualifications, the District will review and then prepare a short list of firms to submit proposed fees prior to an interview with the selection committee. The deadline for submitting a Request for Qualifications is on or before June 14, 2021 @ 2:00 PM CST.  
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 Superintendent of Schools  
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# News

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Dam/Lake	Time	Head Elevation (Above Dam)	Tail Elevation (Below Dam)	Gate Operations/Spillway
Buchanan/Buchanan	Jun 7 2021 9:00AM	1,016.18	887.27	Jun 6 2021 7:35AM No gate operations to pass floodwaters are expected at Buchanan Dam at this time.
Inks/Inks	Jun 7 2021 9:05AM	887.18	824.93	Jun 6 2021 7:35AM Flow over the spillway of Inks Dam is not expected at this time. (Inks Dam has no floodgates.)
Wirtz/LBJ	Jun 7 2021 9:00AM	824.59	736.69	Jun 6 2021 7:35AM No gate operations to pass floodwaters are expected at Wirtz Dam at this time.
Starcke/Marble Falls	Jun 7 2021 9:00AM	736.33	676.26	Jun 6 2021 7:35AM No gate operations to pass floodwaters are expected at Starcke Dam at this time.
Mansfield/Travis	Jun 7 2021 9:00AM	665.65	492.30	Jun 6 2021 7:35AM No gate operations to pass floodwaters are expected at Mansfield Dam at this time.
Miller/Austin	Jun 7 2021 9:00AM	492.15	428.39	Jun 6 2021 7:35AM No gate operations to pass floodwaters are expected at Tom Miller Dam at this time.
Bastrop/Bastrop	Jun 7 2021 8:55AM	449.50	0.00	Jun 6 2021 7:35AM No gate operations to pass floodwaters are expected at Lake Bastrop Dam at this time.

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## Storm

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At about 6:30 p.m. floodgate operations at Starcke Dam concluded.

At about 11:15 a.m. on June 4, a floodgate was partially open at Bastrop Dam to maintain Lake Bastrop within its normal operating range.

Around 4 p.m. floodgate operations at Lake Bastrop Dam concluded.

According to LCRA Meteorologist Bob Rose, mainly daytime and evening rain showers and isolated thunderstorms are forecast on Tuesday, June 8 as the upper low slowly pulls off to the northeast.

"The probability for rain each day will be near 40-50 percent with daily rain amounts both days forecast to be around a half inch," Rose stated in his June 4 report. "A few isolated heavier totals will be possible. High temperatures will be in the middle to upper 80s."

"The National Weather Service's 5-day Rainfall Forecast calls for totals to near an inch across the Hill Country and totals of 1-2 inches for locations along and east of Interstate 35."

## Museum receives painting by local artist Club

Special to the Bulletin

A portrait of a Blue Lacy dog now hangs in the Falls on the Colorado Museum as a tribute to the official Texas state dog and the first breed to have originated in the state.

Created by Buchanan Dam artist Daniel Adams, the painting was donated by Lily Garst, who led the battle for the statewide designation along with her husband, the late Robert M. Garst, Jr. Robert died in 2015 in Burnet where the couple bred the dogs.

"Falls on the Colorado Museum is the perfect venue to share this painting and its history with the public," said Falls Chairman Robyn Richter in a press release. "It connects local stories with state-wide impact."

"It was commissioned by a local person instrumental in the making of history and painted by a renowned local artist," he added. "The museum and the board are truly grateful for the donation and encourage everyone to stop by the museum to see our latest acquisition."

The breed was developed in the mid-to-late 1800s by brothers George, Edwin, Frank and Harry Lacy of Marble Falls. The brothers moved to the area from Kentucky in 1858, owned Granite Mountain and traded the stone used to build the State Capitol in exchange for a rail line and convict labor.

The Lacy brother bred the dog from a mix of Greyhound, scent hound and coyote, a true Texas combination known for its tolerance of hot weather, its intelligence and its ease



Artist Daniel Adams, seen here with his wife Carol, created the Blue Lacy dog painting commissioned by Lily Garst of Dallas. The painting now hangs in the Falls on the Colorado Museum.

of training, attributes Adams captured in the painting.

"You can't tell in the picture, but he's 10 feet off the ground," Adams said. "They are very agile dogs, and this particular one liked to climb trees."

The 79th Legislature named the Blue Lacy the dog breed of Texas in 2005.

"Like the Texas Longhorn, the Blue Lacy is a Texas original," the House

Concurrent Resolution states. "... The Blue Lacy is a Texas native, a working dog bred to play an essential role in ranch operations, at a time when ranches themselves became one of the iconic Texas symbols, and a dog that has more than pulled its weight on many a Texas spread; this proud heritage assuredly gives the Lacy a unique and powerful claim of its own to represent The Lone Star State..."

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"It's not meant to be punitive or inhibiting to the parents," he said. "We know it may be, at first, a little bit hard, but we think it's in the best interest of our kids and the operation."

"I haven't heard of any push back yet from parents. I wouldn't be surprised if some of them thank us for it," he added.

Staff are also prohibited from using the devices during supervision.

"We feel they will be positive examples of how club members can optimally benefit from the club experience without using electronic devices," the organization stated in its release.

Drake echoed the thought.

"By asking them not to rely on their electronics, [children] can get more of the club experience," he said.

The policy went into effect on June 1.

Students may still work on homework on school-issued devices during designated times.

The Boys & Girls Club of the Highland Lakes typically serves about 500 kids

per day at their Kingsland, Marble Falls and Burnet locations. Due to COVID-19 protocols, they have been limited to about 300 per day.

"We're still cautiously coming out of the pandemic," Drake said. "We have waiting lists at all sites. This summer, we're expect-

ing to have between 300 and 350 kids per day."

Boys & Girls Clubs of America is a national non-profit organization of local chapters which provide voluntary after-school programs for young people. The club is a registered 501(c)3 organization.

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"Taylor is great asset to our organization and we welcome his local experience and knowledge of the highland lakes area. His unshakable faith, integrity, and strong relationships with the community make him a perfect fit with our Bank Vision and Values," states J. Don McAlpin, Community Bank President.

Taylor has been active in his community having served as President of the Marble Falls/Lake LBJ Chamber of Commerce, DayBreak Rotary President, Mission Marble Falls Board, Young Life Committee, and HCBA Board. Taylor is married to Lindsey Reitz Smith and they have two children, Coit and Camille. The family are active members of St. Peters Lutheran Church. Please come by and visit with Taylor Smith at the Marble Falls branch for all your banking needs.

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# Community

## Cary Scott Gollnick

March 21, 1948 — June 4, 2021

Cary Scott Gollnick, age 73 of Bertram passed away Friday, June 4, 2021 at Seton Williamson Hospital in Round Rock. He was born March 21, 1948, in Houston to mother and father Billie Boyett Gollnick and Scott Alvin Spradlin.



Cary graduated from Memorial High School in 1966 and later married his wife of 54 years Susan McFarland Gollnick, his High School sweetheart, in December 1966. During his youth he was an avid Golden Gloves Boxer and straight pool enthusiast. He also during his youth worked at a horse stable in Houston where he developed his love for horses.

He joined the US Army and attended Officer Candidate School at Ft. Sill Oklahoma where he earned the rank of 1st Lieutenant. He later deployed to Vietnam and was a Forward Observer with the 4th Army Artillery Division. During his time there he earned the Purple Heart for injuries received from wounds by artillery fragments and small arms fire.

In 1979 he and Susan migrated to Bertram that he was proud to call home. In the 1980's he enjoyed coaching in the Bertram Little League and in Junior League Football. He was an active hunter, fisherman, outdoorsman, and horse enthusiast. He much enjoyed cooking and loved to grill and barbecue for family and friends.

Cary was a Master Plumber by trade but spent the majority of his career as a Quality Control Inspector for Hensel Phelps Construction, working on projects including

the White Sands Missile Base in Alamogordo, NM, and the MD Anderson Cancer Research Center in Houston. He retired from the US Army Corps of Engineers in 2013.

Surviving family include his wife Susan, sons Chris Gollnick and wife Rachel and Katy and Clint Gollnick and wife Stephanie of Georgetown. Also surviving are his mother Billie, 7 grandchildren and 1 great granddaughter. Cary was preceded in death by his father Scott Spradlin and a brother Steve Gollnick.

A family gathering and military honors for Cary will be held at a later time at the Central Texas State Veterans Cemetery in Killeen.

In lieu of usual remembrances the family asks that memorial contributions in memory of Cary should be made to the MD Anderson Cancer Research Center in Houston.

Condolences and fond memories may be offered to clements-wilcoxburnet.com.

Arrangements for cremation entrusted to Clements-Wilcox Funeral Home Burnet, Texas.

## Wynelle Tabor Coskey

March 29, 1925 — June 1, 2021

Wynelle Tabor Coskey, 96, passed away on June 1, 2021.

Funeral services are planned for 10 a.m. Saturday, June 12, 2021 at Chapel of the Hills, 201 El Coronado Ave, Buchanan Dam, Texas. A visitation will be held from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. at Chapel of the Hills just prior to the service starting at 10 a.m.

Burial to take place following the service at Lakeland Hills Memorial Park, Burnet, Texas.

Wynelle was born in Iago, Texas on March 29, 1925 to L.P. "Doc" and Lydia Tabor. She attended and graduated Boling High School in Boling, Texas.

She was married to Johnnie Coskey in 1948. As a proud and loving homemaker she and Johnnie raised two children, Carol Hearn and Bill Coskey at their home in Houston, Texas. Wynelle was an expert in many crafts: sewing, knitting, quilting, and crocheting.

Her family will cherish much of her crafts and handiwork. Wynelle was also a member of many extension and craft clubs. She and Johnnie loved to travel and did so extensively. She was a member of the Chapel of the Hills Church, loving and serving the Lord faithfully her entire life. At 96 years old, Wynelle is the last of her



generation of brothers, sisters, in-laws, cousins, aunts and uncles.

She is preceded in death by her beloved husband of 57 years, Johnnie Coskey; her mother, father, brother and sister.

Wynelle is survived by her children, Carol Hearn and husband Allen, of Mulberry Florida and Bill Coskey, and his wife Hulda of The Hills, Texas; five grandchildren, Camille Ott, Andrew Hearn, Luke Hearn, Michelle Fitzgerald and her husband Sean, and Jeffrey Coskey and his wife Heidi; five great grandchildren, one great-great grandchild.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made in Wynelle's memory to the Salvation Army-Austin Metro Area Command.

## William "Jack" Ray

August 10, 1958 — May 22, 2021

William "Jack" Ray, 62, of Liberty Hill, died Saturday, May 22, 2021, in a Dallas hospital, with both his sisters at his side.

Jack was born in Burnet, Texas, on August 10, 1958 to Bill and Nancy (Warner) Ray. He graduated from Leander High School in 1976.

Jack began working for his dad at grocery stores in Austin, Texas, at an early age. He was able to purchase a new car for himself before he had a drivers license.

Jack went on to work for Austin area HEB's, going on to corporate HEB, staying with HEB for over 25 years. Jack worked at Dell and URS before moving into the medical field.

He worked for Dr. Kevin Stephens for over 10 years, then moved on to Texas Orthopedics. Jack loved greeting each patient, helping people, making friends and giving his wonderful, genuinely caring hugs.

Away from work, Jack enjoyed buying and selling antiques and collectibles. One of Jack's greatest passions was designing jewelry for his family and friends.

He had a wonderful way of being able to match a person up to the perfect outfit, shoes, necklace or ring. He also loved to travel and had visited many countries around the world. England and Italy were among his favorites.

Jack is survived by his parents, Bill and Nancy (Warner) Ray, of Burnet, Texas. His sisters, Beth (Ray) Mayberry of Burnet, Texas, and Debbie (Ray) Peschel, her husband, Michael, their sons, Craig and Benjamin of Taylor, Texas, their daughter, Janet Pine and husband, Kris Pine and their children, Cassie,



Aurora, Cashen, Addie, Ellie and Andrew of West Salem, Wisconsin. He is also survived by his best friend, Christopher Jackson of Austin, Texas, and numerous other loving friends and family members.

Jack has requested two services, one for his Austin Area friends and one for his family in Lake Victor, at his Mother's family church. Everyone is welcome to attend either or both services. We know Jack loved each and every one of you so much!

Visitation will be held for William "Jack" Ray on Friday, June 11, from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. at Cook Walden Chapel of the Hills Funeral Home located at 9700 Anderson Mill Road, Austin.

A funeral service will follow in the chapel of the funeral home at 2 p.m. and will be officiated by Reverend Dave Henley.

A second visitation will be held on Saturday, June 12 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Lake Victor Church of Christ, Lake Victor, Texas.

A funeral service will follow at 11 a.m. and will be officiated by Mr. William Mulholland. Burial will follow the service at Warner Family Cemetery, Lake Victor, Texas.

## Quint Brooks Riley

May 17, 1964 — June 4, 2021

Quint Brooks Riley of Burnet passed away on Friday, June 4, 2021, at age 57. He was born May 17, 1964, in Austin to Tommy Riley and Carolyn Carlisle Riley.

With the exception of a couple years after his birth in Austin, Quint was a lifelong resident of Burnet. He was a 1982 graduate of Burnet High School where he played football, basketball and ran track and participated in other school activities and clubs.

For many years Quint worked as a roofing supervisor in the family business and also for other companies. He loved hunting, watching football, and his Mother's cooking. Most of all he loved his son Tiger.

Survivors include his son Ty Brooks "Tiger" Riley, Mother Carolyn Riley, brothers and sisters-in-law Tommy and Jill Riley and Martin and Debbie Riley, all of Burnet, and sister and her partner Laurie Sellars and Charlie Blair of Kingsland. He is also survived by his nieces, nephews, and other relatives and close friends. Quint was preceded in death by his Father Tommy "Big Tom" Riley.

A time for visitation for friends and family was held Sunday afternoon, June 6, at Clements-Wilcox Funeral



Home. A graveside service and burial was held Monday, June 7 at Lakeland Hills Memorial Park. Pallbearers were Tommy Riley, Martin Riley, Cade Riley, Jess Riley, Chris Wilson, Stan Lewis, W.T. Cozby, plus honorary pallbearer John Luke.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions be made to: His Joshua House, PO Box 1486, Kingsland, TX, 78639, or go to joshuahousercovery.org.

Condolences and memories of Quint may be offered to clements-wilcoxburnet.com.

Arrangements entrusted to Clements-Wilcox Funeral Home Burnet, Texas.

## Beverly Ann Wood

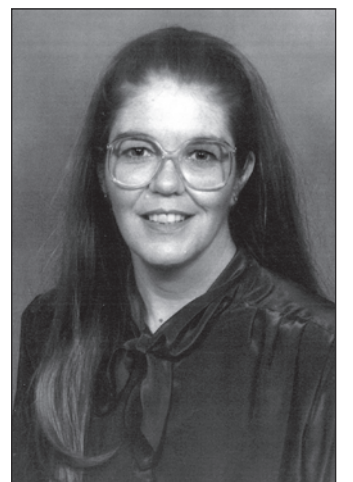
July 26, 1948 — March 27, 2021

Beverly Ann Wood died on March 27, 2021 in Ft. Worth. She was born to Arthur B. Wood and Eula Vee Buckner Wood on July 26, 1948, in Caracas, Venezuela.

She is survived by her husband, Richard Giltner of Ft. Worth; her brother, Daniel Wood of Marble Falls, and her aunt, Walterine (Willie) Buckner of Burnet.

She graduated from Westbury High School in Houston in 1966, then earned a BA degree from TCU in psychology and religion, and an MBA in theology from the Brite Divinity School, becoming one of the first dozen women ordained by Brite.

After she retired from the ministry, she worked as



a Tarrant County probation officer until her final retirement.

Interment services will be at Lakeland Hills Memorial Park at noon Saturday, June 12.

## SHSU announces spring grads

HUNTSVILLE — The following area students received degrees during the 2021 Spring semester at Sam Houston State University.

**Bertram**  
Kaylyn Keith, Bachelor of Science, Forensic Chemistry  
**Buchanan Dam**  
Savannah Boettcher,

Bachelor of Science, Education, Cum Laude  
Savannah Wells, Bachelor of Science, Criminal Justice  
**Marble Falls**  
Bianca Hernandez, Bachelor of Arts, Victim Studies  
Brittnee Martin, Bachelor of Arts, English



## TDW recognizes women

Contributed  
Texas Democratic Women recently recognized two members of the local chapter with its Star Awards. Jimmie Rushing, above, led HLDW's voter registration efforts in 2020, contributing to the record number of in votes cast for Democrats in the recent election. Evelyn Acosta-Cone, below, was recognized for her efforts to increase membership among the area's Hispanic, Black and LGBTQ women. The award's were presented at HLDW's recent meeting, its first face to face gathering since February 2020.



## ASU spring grads honored

Special to the Bulletin

Angelo State University conferred 888 undergraduate and graduate degrees on 884 graduates during the 2021 spring commencement exercises on May 15, 2021, at the Junell Center/Stephens Arena in San Angelo, Texas.

A full list of the graduates is available on the ASU website at angelo.edu.

ASU spring graduates from the local area include: Kaygen Floyd of Bertram — Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness

Hattie Hale of Spicewood — Bachelor of Business Administration in Management

Lexey Parker of Bertram — Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology

Cash Ringstaff of Burnet — Master of Business Administration in Business Administration.

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23 "Cinco de Mayo" celebrates the Mexican city at this city

24 TXism: "\_\_\_ wet hen"

29 tapered piece of wood for levelling news/talk AM in Dallas (1080 kHz)

30 trauma area at Baylor hosp.

31 former afternoon newspaper in Amarillo (2 wds.)

34 Houston Oiler Hall-of-Fame defensive end: Elvin Be

35 TXism: "hopping \_\_\_" (angry)

36 it's under a plate on the table (2 wds.)

37 a hunted animal

38 Dyess Air Force

39 singer of 1948 hit "Deck of Cards" (3 wds.)

41 a giver to charity

42 agcy. that helps economically distressed areas

43 flexible water tubes

44 TXism: "if it ain't true, there ain't a \_\_\_ Texas"

45 Dallas Cowboy Hall-of-Fame RB, Emmitt (init.)

46 "\_\_\_ Rim State Park"

47 smooth, lustrous fabric

48 TXism: "his bark \_\_\_ than his bite"

50 lines where fabrics are joined

51 paternity evidence

52 former governor, Richards (1991-95)

53 "you can \_\_\_ that again!"

**DOWN**

1 city of TX-based 1980 film "Urban Cowboy" (2 wds.)

2 Taylor County seat

3 \_\_\_ Falls, TX

4 what cattle rustlers do, e.g.

9 first French settlement in Texas: "Fort St. \_\_\_"

10 Eve's mate

11 "P" of MPH

12 TXism: "dot the i's and cross the \_\_\_"

13 old Bell Helicopter in Fort Worth made the V-22

14 TX Prentiss of 1965 film "In Harm's Way"

15 storage building

18 this Irving wrote the songs for TX Ginger Roger's "Follow the Fleet" (init.)

19 actor Jackie of TX-based "Smokey and the Bandit II" (1980)

20 more difficult

22 slum areas in cities

24 this Mickey owned the honky tonk in 1-down film

25 high mountain

26 a stupid person

27 decrease

28 in 1861, Texas voted to \_\_\_ from the Union

29 violently break

30 Crystal City FM

33 Gov. Hogg's only daughter

34 TX "ZZ Top" album: "\_\_\_ Hombres"

35 TX Jack Earle was billed as the "Tallest \_\_\_ the World"

37 TXism: "\_\_\_ punch" (happy)

38 Boston is the seat of this county

40 "Fiesta Diez \_\_\_" celebration in Beeville

41 "I" toppers

44 they're made at Arlington GM plant

47 TXism: "\_\_\_ you couldn't stir 'em with a stick"

49 "want to," lazily

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From the  
Dawg House

## Lady Dawgs honored

After a long wait the 19-4A All-District softball selections were finally released last week and it was worth the wait for 10 Lady Bulldogs who were honored. Burnet placed an impressive six freshman, three sophomores and one junior on the list. Having 10 girls make the All-District list as the No. 4 seed out of the district is a big honor in itself.

Burnet's freshman catcher, Camrynn Guthrie earned herself a superlative selection being named Co-Catcher of the year in 19-4A.

She was joined by three first team honorees including freshman, Kyleigh Mott; sophomore, Addie Grace Hernandez; and junior slugger, Savannah Gomez.

Second team selections went to McKenzie Davis, sophomore and Elyse De Arcos, freshman.

Four Lady Dawgs earned honorable mention including Abigail Aguillon, Kenzye Raiford, MaeSyn Gay, and Blair Gililland. That group includes three freshman and one sophomore.

Head coach Hailey Wooten has to be excited about the future of Lady Dawg softball in Burnet. Despite having no seniors on the team Burnet's softball girls broke a lengthy playoff drought earning a post season ticket for the first time since the 2016 season, and that accomplishment happened in a pretty good district.

Burnet's girls lost to highly ranked Smithville, the No. 1 seed out of their district in a best of three series, 2-0. Salado, the third place team out of 19-4A made it to the Area round before falling short to Carthage in two-straight.

Taylor went in ranked No. 2 and advanced all the way to the Regional Quarterfinals before also falling to Carthage in a three game series, 1-2.

The Lake Belton ladies were the final team from 19-4A to be eliminated. They played up until the fifth round when they lost to Liberty 1-2 in a best of three series at the Regional Finals.

Burnet will suit up nine letterman in the spring of 2022.

You may have seen the 2021 BHS football schedule that was posted last week. The Dawgs will face some good competition throughout the season. The Dawgs will play at Leander Rouse, Boerne, Brownwood, Lampasas, and Canyon Lake. They will host Marble Falls, Robinson, Fredericksburg, Taylor, and Austin LBJ. You can see the full schedule in this week's sports section.

Before I close don't forget about BHS summer camps and conditioning programs. Last week's camps included football, volleyball, and band, this week it's boys basketball. There is still time to get your kids involved. You can sign-up on the BHS website.

That's all for this week. Thanks for reading the *Burnet Bulletin*.

## Lady Dawgs softball honored in District 19-4A

By Wayne Craig  
Bulletin Sports

After Lake Belton fell from the playoffs in the Regional finals last week the 19-4A All-District softball selections were finally released. Burnet earned ten spots on the list with awards going to six freshman, three sophomores, and one junior.

Coming in at the top of the list with a superlative award was Burnet's freshman catcher Camrynn Guthrie. Guthrie's efforts behind the plate in 2021 earned her a share of the Catcher of the Year award.

The Lady Dawgs captured three first team selections. Those nods went to junior, Savannah Gomez; sophomore, Addie Grace Hernandez; and freshman, Kyleigh Mott.

Burnet had two garner second team awards. Those girls included sophomore, McKenzie Davis and freshman, Elyse De Arcos.

Three freshman and one sophomore made their way onto the 19-4A Honorable Mention list. Those Burnet athletes included sophomore, Abigail Aguillon; freshman, Kenzye Raiford; freshman,

MaeSyn Gay; and freshman, Blair Gililland.

Also released along with the All-District selections was the Academic All-District list which included 11 Lady Bulldog athletes. Those girls getting it done on the field as well as in the classroom included Savannah Gomez, McKenzie Davis, Addie Grace Hernandez, Abigail Aguillon, MaeSyn Gay, Kyleigh Mott, Kenzye Raiford, Emmalee Williams, Elyse De Arcos, Camyle Bengsch, and Camrynn Guthrie.

"We finally get to release

some well-deserved awards that our players earned now that all of our teams are out of the playoffs. It is rare to have a team in the district make it to the fifth round, so it just shows how tough our district really is," said head Burnet softball coach Hailey Wooten. "As a fourth place team in a tough district it is hard to get district awards, and to walk away with as many as we did is awesome. I'm so proud of all of our kids."

The 2021 BHS softball team made it back to the playoffs for the first time since

2016. They represented 19-4A as the fourth place seed but unfortunately fell to No. 1 seed Smithville in round one play. Other playoff runs in the district included Salado who lost to Carthage in the Area round.

Taylor advanced to the Regional Quarterfinals before being defeated by Carthage.

The Lady Belton ladies made it all the way to the Regional Finals losing to Liberty in a best of three series, 2-1.

The Lady Dawgs will field a complete set of lettermen for the 2022 season with no players lost to graduation.



Camrynn Guthrie



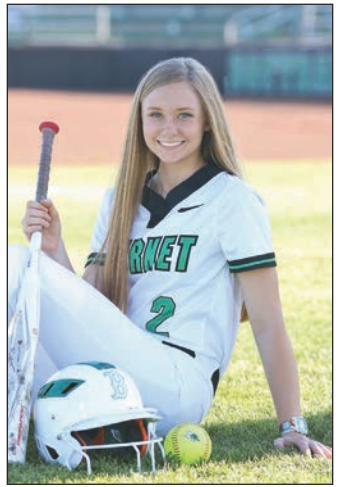
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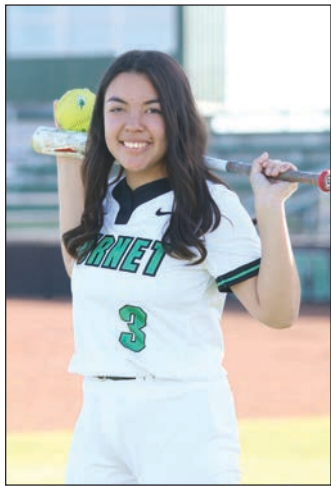
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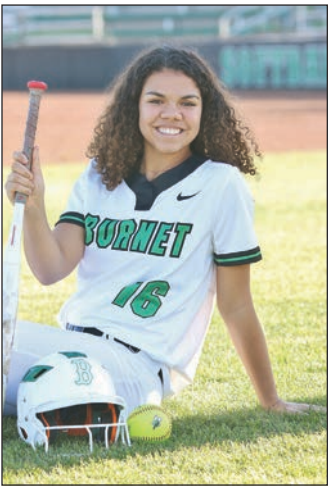
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Future Lady Bulldog Kylee Benton learns proper placement during a progression setting series designed to learn the basics of setting. There are still a few upcoming options for BHS hosted summer camps if you would like to get your kids involved.

## 2021 Bulldog football schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
Aug. 13	TBA scrimmage	TBA
Aug. 19	@ Lake Belton	TBA
Aug. 27	@ Leander Rouse	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 3	vs. Marble Falls	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 10	@ Boerne	TBA
Sept. 17	@ Brownwood	7:30 p.m.
Sept. 24	vs. Robinson (homecoming)	TBA
Oct. 1	Bye	
Oct. 8	vs. Fredericksburg	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 15	@ Lampasas	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 22	vs. Taylor	TBA
Oct. 29	vs. Austin LBJ (senior night)	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 5	@ Canyon Lake	7:30 p.m.

### District

## Summer camps keeping kids active

By Wayne Craig  
Bulletin Sports

The first week of summer camps for Burnet's youth brought BHS hosted summer camps for Burnet's youth. Football, volleyball and band camp each ran for a few days last week. All three camps had impressive turnouts.

This week coach Roy Kiser and crew are hosting Bulldog basketball camp. Today, June 9 is the final day for the boys basketball program, but if you haven't signed up your kids just yet for camp there are still a few that will be available.

Lady Dawg basketball camp will tip things off on June 14 and will run until June 16. All grades third through ninth will be hosted at camp

from 8:30 a.m. through 11 a.m.

Burnet baseball camp will be available on June 15 through 17. Session one is for third through fifth grades and will run from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., followed by session two for sixth through ninth graders, 10 a.m. through noon.

Lady Dawg softball camp will take place the last week of June on June 28 through 30. This camp will welcome incoming fourth through ninth graders and will run daily from 8:30 a.m. through 10:30 a.m.

Freshman football camp is slated for July 26 through 28, daily from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.

Freshman volleyball camp will also be held on July 26 through 28, 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Swimming and diving camps will be held in August. Camp will start on August 4 and run through August 6. Session one will be for third through fifth graders, 9: a.m. to 10 a.m. and session two will host sixth through ninth graders, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

There will also be a strength and conditioning camp for seventh and eighth graders that will run daily from June 7 through July 29, 8 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

The cost of each of the sports camps is \$50 per camper. The strength and conditioning camp cost is \$40 per athlete.

You can sign-up online at the Burnet CISD website under the athletics tab.



## Drills for skills

Photos by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories

Above: Head volleyball coach Crystal Shipley (center) poses with her assistants and her younger campers during Wednesday morning activities.

Left: Lady Bulldog Landri Lewis practices serving during volleyball camp last Wednesday. BHS Youth camps are a popular way to keep kids busy during the summer with activities that also sharpen their skills for upcoming athletic events.



# Devotional



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**From Judges 16:4-31**

**God's power had left Samson. The Philistines captured him, gouged out his eyes, put him in chains and forced him to grind grain in prison. The Philistine rulers held a great festival, offering sacrifices and praising their god, Dagon. The temple was full with about 3,000 people on the roof. Samson prayed to the Lord, 'Sovereign Lord, please strengthen me just one more time. Let me pay back the Philistines for the loss of my eyes.' Then Samson put his hands on the two central pillars that held up the temple. Pushing against them with both hands, he prayed, 'Let me die with the Philistines.' The temple crashed down on the Philistine rulers and all the people.**

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# News

## District

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to Burnet CISD to serve as an elementary principal," said McBurnett. "Her knowledge of the community will help in building a strong campus climate while also focusing on continuous improvement and quality learning. Her outstanding performance as an assistant principal has prepared her to take on the role of in-

structional leader for Shady Grove Elementary."

Meanwhile, district newcomer Jessica McMullen has been named the principal of RJ Richey Elementary. McMullen has been a principal for 10 years, most recently serving as principal of Ford Elementary in Georgetown ISD.

In addition to her administrative experience, McMullen taught multiple grade levels in both elementary and middle school, and

served multiple times as department chair, instructional coach, and as an assistant principal.

"Jessica is an outstanding school leader," said McBurnett. "We are excited that she and her family will be joining Burnet CISD. Jessica brings a wealth of knowledge in instructional leadership and building school culture having served as a district lead principal and a mentor principal to administrators in her prior work experience."

## Concert

From Page 1

now. It's something we all believe in. This is our life's work.

"Creatively we all bring something different to the table and you can hear it in the records," Rogers added. "You can hear people's personalities in the records."

Their musical chemistry has taken the Randy Rogers Band beyond the competitive music scene in their native Texas to build a national fan base with sold out shows across the country. The band has become skilled at capturing that live energy and passion on their albums and Hellbent is a perfect example.

In recording Hellbent, the Randy Rogers Band worked with producer Dave Cobb (Chris Stapleton, The Oak Ridge Boys, Sturgill Simpson, Jason Isbell) and recorded at the legendary RCA Studio A. "A large part of the country really enjoys the records that he's made over the last 10 years and obviously I was paying attention to that," Rogers says.

"I was noticing the albums I was listening to, and they were produced by him, so I called him up and asked if we could meet for lunch. I'd never worked with him before, so it was a very exciting going into RCA and meeting him and the team.

We're very thankful for that opportunity and getting to record in Studio A. So many people whether it be Dolly Parton or George Strait have recorded in that room, so it was a bit of hallowed ground. It was a little overwhelming as well. There's pictures all over the walls there of people who recorded. It's amazing."

Recording Hellbent is just the latest chapter in the Randy Rogers Band's thriving career. In addition to being a gifted vocalist, insightful songwriter and talented musician, the band's founding member is also well known in music industry circles for his business savvy. He graduated from college with a degree in PR and is one of those rare musicians who has great execu-

tive skills too.

Rogers is co-owner of several Texas venues including Cheatham Street Warehouse in San Marcos, Texas, where George Strait began building a fan base in his early career. Rogers is also a partner in Big Blind Management with Robin Schopf and steers the careers of Red Shahan and Parker McCollum.

Rogers is also a big fan of collaboration and has partnered with friend Wade Bowen on the infectious Hold My Beer projects and joined forces with Lone Star legend Robert Earl Keen as the Stryker Brothers. He recently joined Lyle Lovett, Willie Nelson and Jerry Jeff Walker to sing on Michael Martin Murphey's Austinology album.



The Randy Rogers Band will bring their high-octane, dynamic sound to Haley Nelson Park on Saturday, July 31. Tickets are now on sale at burnet512.com.



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Shady Grove Elementary announced the Spirit, Pride, Honor winners for Pre-K and kindergarten. The Pre-K winners are, from left, front row: Miranda Gutierrez and Miguel Camacho Manzano; second row: Caden Reyes, Zeke Miller, Colton Thompson, Jeremias Ramirez, Claire Lewis, William Escamilla-Adams and Elijah Goff; third row: Ricky Williams, Quinn Schreiber, Aaron Rozell, Ginger Young, Aly Vasquez, Henry Le, Maximo Caballero, Kerri Calhoun and Zane Jackson; back row: Kevin Barajas, Hendrix Nelson, Rosalie Combs, Linleigh Newlin, Kayden Berry, Jaxon Canelo, Wilder Holmes, Mackayla Mezger and Elizabeth Hawkins; not pictured: Noah Badillo, Priya Chaulagain, Christina Rucker and Joquebede Lara.



The kindergarten winners are, from left, top row: Parker Foley, Kaden Cox, Caroline Ringstaff, Debjyoti Madhu, Zoey Wessling and Ella Reed; second row: Ryker Neely, Kinsley Konarik, Jude Melton and Liam Kelley; third row: Trae Osborn, Michael Gano and Liam Garcia; fourth row: Kaylee Dixon, Christina Gonzalez and Ravin Davis.

## Revenues

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employees until their Monday, June 28 board meeting and will consider the tax rate decrease at their Aug. 30 board meeting, Superintendent Keith McBurnett said.

At Monday's meeting, board members approved assigning and unassigning of projects and initiatives from the district's general fund balance, which can be considered to be the "district's savings account." Such funds can be used at the discretion of the board of trustees, typically for one-time expenses. Any funds assigned are earmarked for

specific purposes until such time as they are expended.

Among the items currently earmarked by the board is \$400,000 in fund balance that will "support providing an appreciation and retention incentive payment to all staff." One noteworthy change which took place Monday was the board approved unassigning funds that had been set aside to support providing additional COVID leave to staff during the 2020-21 school year.

Any available COVID leave for staff ended the last day of the 2020-21 school year and no further COVID leave will be provided during the 2021-22 school year, McBurnett said.

A number of summer bond projects are being coordinated and managed by the district without the need for either an architect or construction manager-at risk, which will eliminate some required fees and result in savings to the district.

These projects approved include renovating the bus lane behind the visitor's stands at Bulldog Field, purchasing a new phone system district-wide, and purchasing laptops for Burnet High School instructional staff. Laptops will ultimately be purchased for all instructional staff, but due to supply-chain shortages, the district will be purchasing the laptops in stages.

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**Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories**  
Burnet graduate Phebe Musasa and board member Ross Behrens smile for the camera during the presentation of diplomas ceremony. A total of 187 diplomas were awarded to the Burnet High School Class of 2021 on Friday night.



**Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories**  
Burnet honor graduate, Jordan Messer, expresses excitement as he crosses the stage to receive his diploma during Burnet's commencement exercises. Bad weather forced a change of venue from Bulldog Stadium to the BHS Gym, but the rain didn't put a damper on the graduates emotions.



**Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories**  
The 2021 BHS salutatorian Maxine Spiller accepts her diploma from board secretary Earl Foster. Despite a quick change due to weather Burnet's administration did a fantastic job honoring the BHS Class of 2021.



**Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories**  
Burnet valedictorian Emily Carley delivered a well-received speech during Burnet's commencement program. The Class of 2021 graduated 187 seniors on Friday night.



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Lifetime Hill Country Community Foundation Director, Dennis Hoover, presents BHS senior, Harlee Quintero, her scholarship packet at Thursday's event. Quintero, and the BHS Class of 2021, were honored with the ceremony and awarded more than \$500,000 worth of scholarships.



Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories

Burnet High School Valedictorian, Emily Carley, accepts her scholarship awards from Danny Floyd, the treasurer of the Hill Country Community Foundation, during Thursday night's ceremony at BHS. The HCCF along with other community entities joined efforts to provide a scholarship for every senior graduating from Burnet High School and seeking to further their education. Their combined efforts resulted in more than \$500,000 worth of scholarship awards for the class of 2021.



Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories

The Hill Country Community Foundation was established by the Rotary Club of Burnet in 1982. The Foundation exists to support education and health related initiatives within Burnet. Each year the Foundation awards a scholarship to every graduating senior from Burnet High School that is going on to further their formal education. Pictured above at this year's ceremony HCCF Director, Dale Hill, presents a scholarship packet to BHS senior Cash Spivey.

# Congratulations to Jacob Howard and the entire Class of 2021

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**(Top 10) Hard works pays off: In addition to scholarships being presented on Thursday BHS seniors received their academic awards including their Top 10 percent cords. Honor graduates pictured above (left to right) Alex Holman, Cade Rye, Luke Kiser, and Alexandra Mejia.**



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**BHS seniors (left to right) Will Rundzieher, Jordyn Young, Cooper Stuteville, and Kendrick Castillo display spirit, pride, and honor during the alma mater at the closing of the Scholarship Awards program on Thursday night.**



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**Burnet High School was abuzz with excitement as the Space Dawgs were named winners of the 2021 NASA HUNCH culinary competition on Monday, May 10. Pictured from left are BCISD superintendent Keith McBurnett, BHS principal Casey Burkhart, Barney Bulldog, culinary arts teacher Chef Mike Erickson, Matthew Thrane, Bridget Bristow, BCISD board member Robby Robertson, Jacey Huston, Nicholai Rowland and Will Rundzieher.**

## HUNCH pays off as Burnet wins NASA food competition

**By Lew K. Cohn  
Managing Editor  
Burnet Bulletin**

The Burnet High School Space Dawgs shot for the moon in the 2021 NASA HUNCH culinary competition and now their food will end up among the stars.

The Space Dawgs found out Monday, May 10 they had rocketed to first place with their Artemis Creamy Chicken Francese recipe and now their winning entry will be prepared by the Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center Lab and be served to astronauts on the International Space Station within the next six to nine months.

The students won \$2,000 from the American Culinary Federation (ACF) for the school's culinary arts program and have been invited to cook for the opening reception and be recognized at ACF National Convention in Orlando, Florida, this summer.

On top of that, the five members of the Space Dawgs — Jacey Huston, Bridget Bristow, Matthew Thrane, Nicholai Rowland and Will Rundzieher — all will receive a full-tuition scholarship to Sullivan University in Kentucky, one of the top culinary arts schools in America and the host of this year's NASA HUNCH competition.

"I am very proud of these kids!" BHS culinary arts teacher Chef Mike Erickson said. "They have been through a lot over the last two years with COVID. It is going to change their lives having school paid for. I am so excited to also be putting a piece of Burnet up in the stars. Godspeed

Burnet Culinary Space Dawgs!"

While Erickson found out his team had won the contest Friday, he took the opportunity to plan a special way to surprise and honor the students. Erickson told them that day they had only finished in seventh place.

Then, on Monday, NASA HUNCH culinary project manager Allison Westover and Chef Domonic Tardy of Sullivan University made a Zoom call to the team under the pretense of a routine, post-competition follow-up.

"I am so excited you guys were participating this year for your first year in the NASA HUNCH culinary program," Westover told the team. "I'm excited whenever I get new teams and like to meet them and tell them how proud I am of all the work they did. Y'all did a fabulous job and I love your little rocket you built, too. I'm wondering if I'm going to see your lovely faces at the ACF national convention this summer?"

"What's that?" Erickson asked.

"That's where the first place winners go," Westover replied.

As team members slowly started to process what Westover said, Erickson shouted out, "You guys won!" and that's when the Burnet Esprit de Corps drum line, Barney Bulldog, administrators, BCISD board member Robby Robertson and the students' parents gleefully flooded the room.

"We what?" Rundzieher hollered in amazement.

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“I knew it!” Thrane added.

“I am just so excited that these kids are our winners for this year,” Westover then continued. “They did a fabulous job and I loved getting all the communications from Chef Erickson telling us all about their different parts of the project and all of the pictures. We’re very, very proud of them and I do hope we get to meet them at the ACF National Convention. Congratulations on being our 2021 Culinary HUNCH winners!”

“Congratulations! I love all the detail — all the detail you put into the video and the logo,” Tardy added. “What also comes with this is each member will also be receiving a full tuition scholarship to Sullivan University.”

The Sullivan University scholarships, valued at \$60,000 each, are good through the Associate of Science Degree program, majoring either in Culinary Arts; Baking & Pastry Arts; Travel, Tourism & Event Management; or Hotel & Restaurant Management and is paid out equally over the six quarters of the associate degree Program.

Sullivan University student chefs cooked the 10 competing recipes for a distinguished panel of judges last month and the school broadcast the food prep and tastings live through their Youtube channel.

“This is absolutely amazing!” Robertson said Monday, before leading the room in a rousing, traditional “Spirit, Pride, Honor” cheer. “I don’t know if I can get through this without crying because it is unbelievable what you’ve done.

“You’ve shown the state of Texas, you’ve shown the United States and now you’re not going to be on the map. You’re going to be on the star charts!”

BHS principal Casey Burkhart praised the students for their attention to detail, even in the midst of a pandemic. The team spent the year researching how to send food to space, talking to chefs, food scientists, past astronauts, and watching as many YouTube videos about space food as possible before devising their winning dish.

“This year, when we started this school year, we didn’t know what it would look like. We didn’t know if we were going to be able to finish or what was in store for us,” Burkhart said. “But ya’ll didn’t just finish. Ya’ll took care of the details, ya’ll showed Spirit, Pride and Honor everyday with everything ya’ll do and it paid off!”

Artemis Creamy Chicken Francese is a classic chicken dish created by Italian immigrants as comfort food to remind them of home while using American ingredients and with incredible flavors. It includes a lemony, sauteed chicken parmesan-crusting cutlet, finished with a smooth, creamy, white wine sauce.

The students chose to pair it with zucchini noodles because they are lower in carbs and also provide a healthy amount of calcium, potassium, magnesium, phosphorus, folate and Vitamins A and C.

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**A student chef at Sullivan University puts the finishing touches on the Burnet High Space Dawgs’ Artemis Creamy Chicken Francese during the NASA Hunch culinary competition.**

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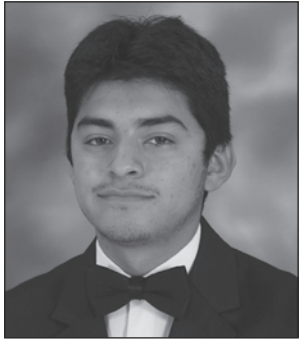
**Artemis Creamy Chicken Francese includes a lemony, sauteed chicken parmesan-crusting cutlet, finished with a smooth, creamy, white wine sauce. The Space Dawgs paired it with zucchini noodles to create a great low-carb, filling meal for astronauts.**



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**Let them eat cake! The Burnet High School Space Dawgs had a sweet way of celebrating their win in the NASA HUNCH culinary competition.**

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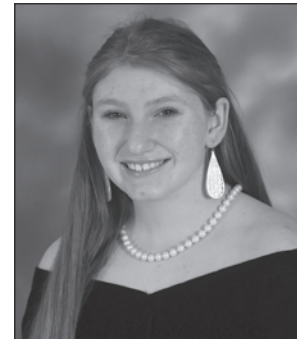
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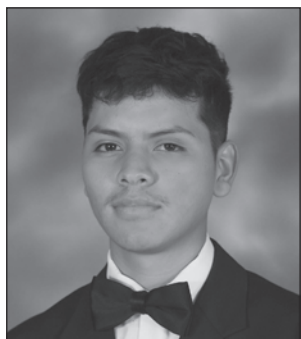
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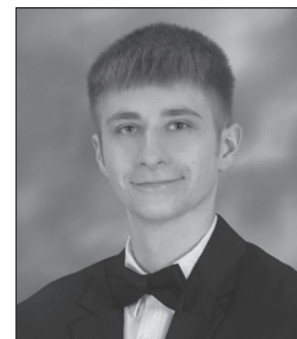
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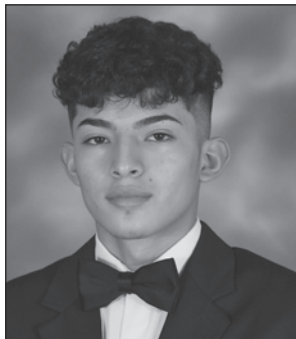
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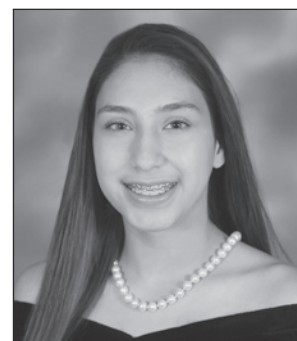
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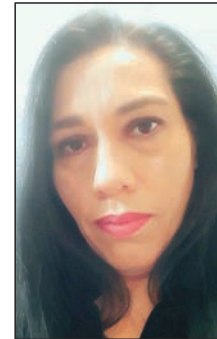
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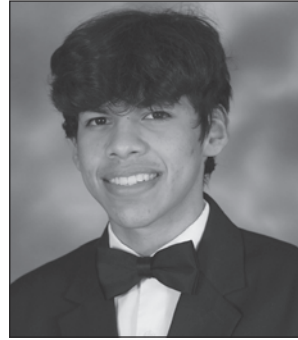
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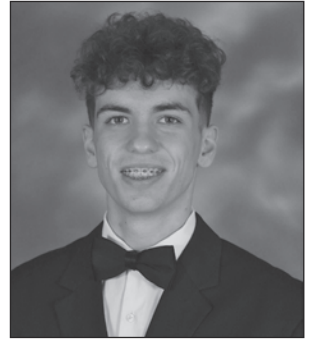
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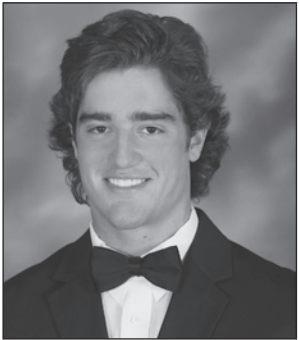
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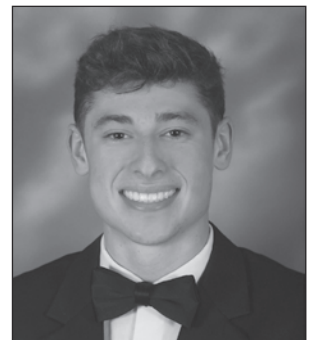
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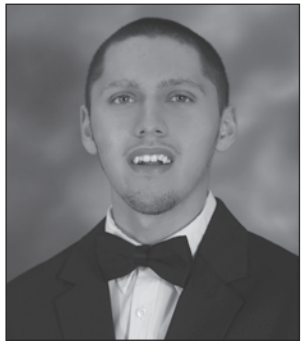
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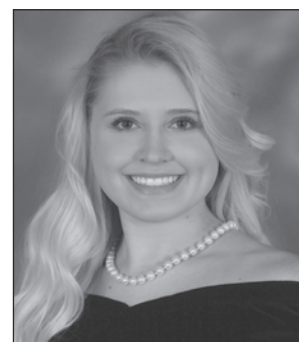
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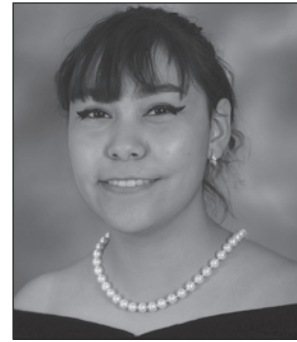
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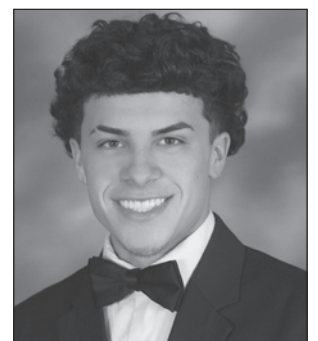
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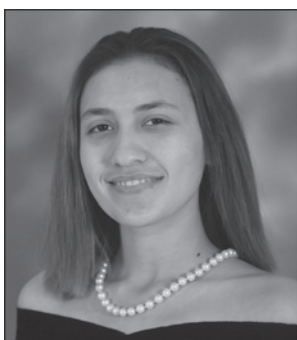
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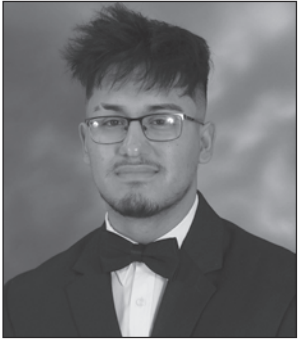
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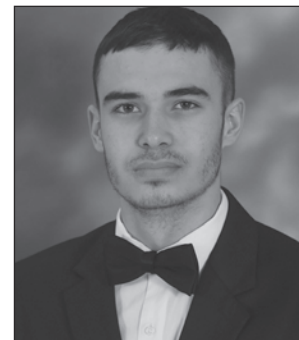
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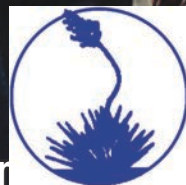
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Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories  
BHS senior, Kyli Davis, snaps a selfie with her friends Makenna Gilmore, Brinley Lucky, Haley McHam, and Gracyn Bennett while waiting for graduation ceremonies to begin.



Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories  
Will Rundzieher, a member of the BHS Class of 2021, proudly crosses the stage after receiving his diploma on Friday evening. Will is the youngest of three Rundzieher boys who attended BHS and the final Burnet graduate for his family.



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Burnet High School graduate Genesis Aguillon couldn't contain her smile during the BHS Alma Mater at the conclusion of graduation ceremonies on Friday night.



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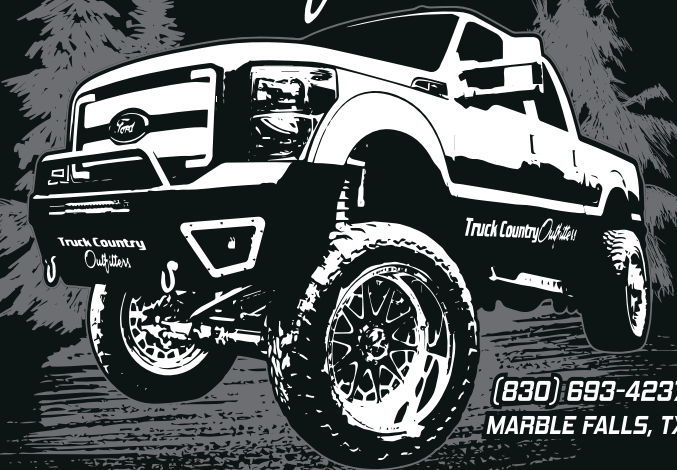
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Cooper Stuteville, a member of the National Honor Society, takes it all in as he crosses the stage after receiving his diploma. Burnet's graduation was held inside Bulldog Gym Friday night in a last second change due to weather. Hundreds packed the stands to cheer for their favorite graduate and despite the change in venue it was a fantastic evening honoring the grads of 2021.



Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories

David Lloyd accepts his diploma from board member Suzanne Brown at Burnet's graduation on Friday. The BHS Class of 2021 selected the motto, "Our lives are before us, our pasts are behind us, our memories are forever within us."



## BURNET, BERTRAM HIGH SCHOOL YEARBOOKS AVAILABLE ONLINE

Thanks to the Hill Country Community Foundation, the history of Bertram High School and Burnet High School is being preserved through the digitization of the yearbooks for both high schools.

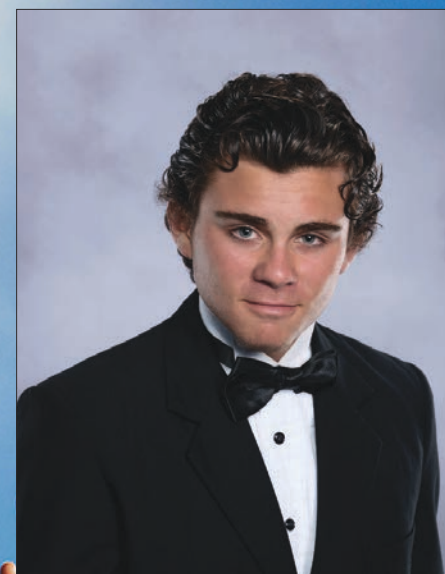
All yearbooks from 1952 - 1970 for Bertram High School and all yearbooks from 1952 - current for Burnet High School have been digitized and are available on the Hill Country Community Foundation website.

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Space Dawgs members Nicholai Rowland, Jacey Huston, Will Rundzieher, Bridget Bristow and Matthew Thrane are all smiles after finding out they won the NASA HUNCH culinary competition during a Zoom call Monday.



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# Athletes honored at awards ceremony

By Wayne Craig  
Bulletin Sports

On Tuesday, May 18, Burnet High School athletes were honored at the annual sports awards ceremony. Several plaques, certificates, and even some broken golden records were handed out to BHS student athletes in recognition of their accomplishments throughout the school year.

In addition to those items, \$1,000 scholarships, made possible by the Burnet Athletic Booster Club, were presented to four BHS seniors.

The Ed Abernathy award is awarded each year to a senior who has represented BHS with outstanding dedication, leadership, character, and loyalty. This year's winners of the Ed Abernathy award was Teagan Tappe and Cade Rye.

The Cliff Vandeventer award is presented to a senior who performance, dedication, and teamwork best portray Cliff Vandeventer's tireless effort and personal high standards. This year's recipients of the Vandeventer award was Phebe Musasa and Tim Hudgins.

Also receiving special recognition at the event was seven BHS seniors athletes who will graduate in the top 25 students from the class of 2021. Those student athletes are Alex Holman, Jordan Messer, Tim Hudgins, Luke Kiser, Haley McHam, Jacey Huston, and Ksiezna Torres.

Individual awards by sport were presented to:

Student Athletic Trainers: Genesis Aguillon, three year service and honor; Harlee Quintero, three year service and honor, academic of the year, MVP, and All State award; Mallory Payne, three year service and honor, All State award; Rylee Carroll, two year service and honor, All State award; Summer Burkhalter, rookie of the year; Gracie Westbrook, four year service and honor; Lluvia Loreda, one year service and honor; Marcus Escamilla, three year service and honor, All State award; Zoey Russell, three year service and honor, All State award; and Greyson Barnett, two year service and honor, All State award.

Cheerleaders: Ashlee Dixon, superior base award; Hannah Wilson, cheer dedication and captain; Chloe Langbein, superior base award; Mary Kate Mackenna, stunting back spotter award; Kayli Noble, cheer dedication and captain; Ainsley Goehring, superior tumbling; Naomi Loehr, cheer dedication; Kieran Mather, superior flyer; Delaney Mooney, cheer dedication and captain.

Volleyball: Sydne Massoletti, Co-defensive player of the year; Rylee Hernandez, offensive player of the year; Caty Crow, Co-defensive player of the year; Kayla Gillaspie, outstanding leadership award; MaeSyn gay, fighting heart; Kyli Davis, MVP; Teagan Tappe, most improved.

Football: Jackson Crawford, defensive back award; Maison Thornley, line backer award; Jonathan Nandin, offensive line award; Landon Christian, defensive MVP; Marcus Escamilla, offensive skills position award; Cade Rye, fighting heart; Jose Flores, special teams award; Jaxson



Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories

**Burnet senior Phebe Musasa was this year's female recipient of the Cliff Vandeventer award. The award comes with a \$1,000 scholarship provided by the Burnet Booster Club.**

Denton, offensive MVP; Braeden Howell, MVP; Brandon Ng, defensive line award; and Colton Davidson, fighting heart award.

Cross Country: Hudson Bennett, MVP; Andres Urista, fighting heart; Devin Petterson, most improved; Rose Flores, MVP; Lainey Rye, most improved; and Autumn Stires, fighting heart.

Girls Basketball: MaeSyn Gay, defensive MVP; Haley McHam, offensive MVP; Sydne Massoletti, team MVP; Gracyn Bennett, fighting heart.

Boys Basketball: Strat Roy, offensive MVP; Luke Kiser, MVP; Joseph Fitzsimmons, defensive MVP; Kam Ollison, fighting heart; and Lawson Lucky, fighting heart.

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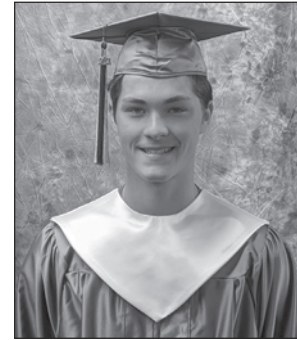
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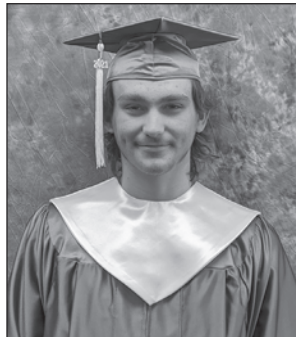
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**Multi-sport senior Lady Bulldog athlete Teagan Tappe was all smiles after being announced as the 2020-21 Ed Abernathy award winner. Tappe received a \$1,000 scholarship along with the honor.**

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Swimming and Diving: Jacey Huston, coach's award; Julianna La Joie, most improved; Isabel Lunsford, MVP; Ryan Behrens, coach's award; Maczimus Griego, MVP; and Aidan Zollitsch, most improved.

Girls Soccer: Esmeralda Carreon, co-defensive MVP; Katelynn Massey, co-defensive MVP; Reagan Shipley, fighting heart; Katy Crow, offensive MVP; and Juliet Morales, Team MVP.

Boys Soccer: Jose Flores, MVP; Luis Chavez, offensive player of the year; Diego Escamilla, mid-fielder of the year; Jacob Howard, defensive player of the year; and Cristian Hernandez, heart award.

Powerlifting: Johnathan Baker, top lifter heavy platform; Garrett Buster, fighting heart; Brady Rygaard, newcomer; Jose Rodriguez, top lifter light platform; Carleigh Imrie, newcomer; Teagan Tappe, fighting heart; Abby Smith, top lifter light platform; Rylea Whitus, top lifter heavy platform.

Tennis: Renzo Miler, most improved; Zaida Freeman, season MVP; Annika Van Zandt, best teammate award.

Golf: Ayden Vaughn, MVP; Brody Ellett, most improved; Grace Gates,



**Photo by Wayne Craig/Clear Memories**

**Haley McHam (left) and Jacey Huston (right) received numerous awards at Tuesday night's sports awards program. The two senior ladies, along with Ksiezna Torres (not pictured) were honored for their commitment to the classroom as well as their chosen sports. Each girl will graduate in the top 25 of the class of 2021.**

most improved.

Softball: Savannah Gomez, Team MVP; Kyleigh Mott, defensive MVP; Emmalee Williams, fighting heart; MaeSyn Gay, fighting heart; Camrynn Guthrie, offensive MVP.

Baseball: Clayton Zinz, Cy Young; Jackson Crawford, silver slugger; Jaxson Denton, gold glove; Lane Dalrymple, team MVP; Tanner O'Hair, gold glove; and Ralston Vance, Cy Young.

Girls Track: McKenzie Davis, top hurdler; Sydne Massoletti, Co-MVP; Phebe Musasa, Co-MVP; Abby Smith, fighting heart; Teagan Tappe, top thrower; Jacquelyn Contreras, top sprinter and top jumper; Moly McPherson, Co-newcomer; Zaria Solis, Co-newcomer; Brynn Holland, fighting heart; Autumn Stires, top distance; Shelby Wagner, fighting heart.

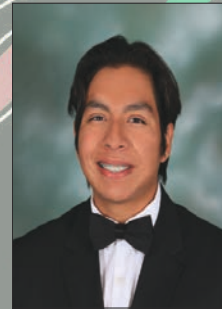
Boys Track: Andy Urista, outstanding sprinter; Caleb Roberts, newcomer; Brayden Hill, outstanding field event; Cade Rye, outstanding mid-distance; Hudson Bennett, outstanding distance and Team MVP.

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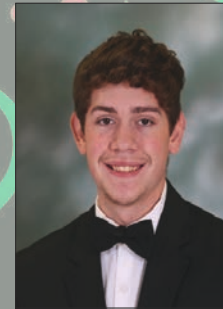
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Bulldog seniors Cade Rye (left) and Tim Hudgins (right) received special recognition and a \$1,000 scholarship each at Tuesday night's sports awards presentation. Rye earned the Ed Abernathy award and Hudgins was selected as the Cliff Vandeventer award recipient.



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Seniors Alex Holman, Jordan Messer, Tim Hudgins and Luke Kiser were each honored with special recognition during last Tuesday's sports awards program. While participating in sports through their high school career these student athletes also maintained high academic achievements and will graduate in the top 25 of their class.

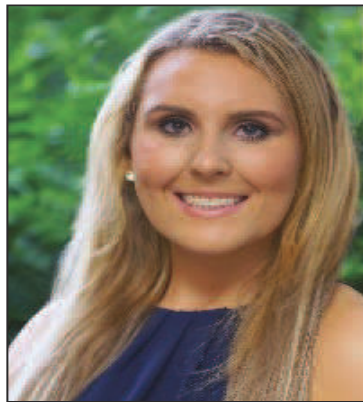


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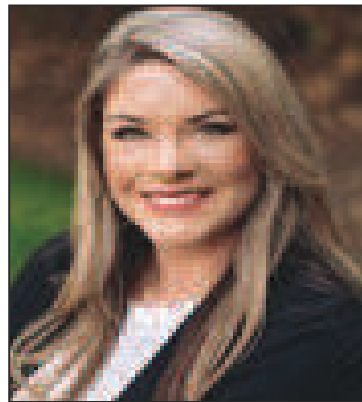
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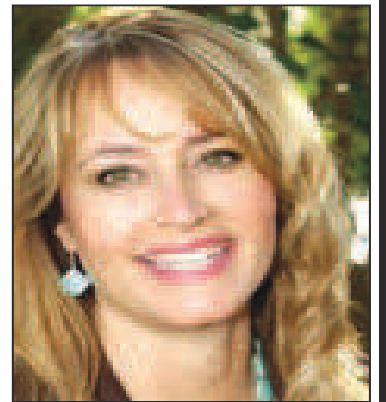
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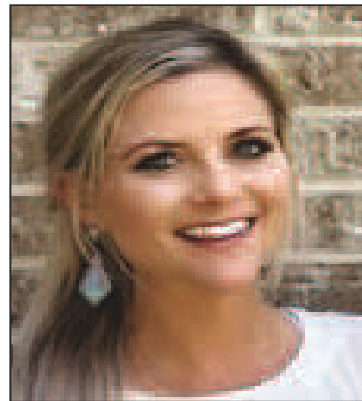
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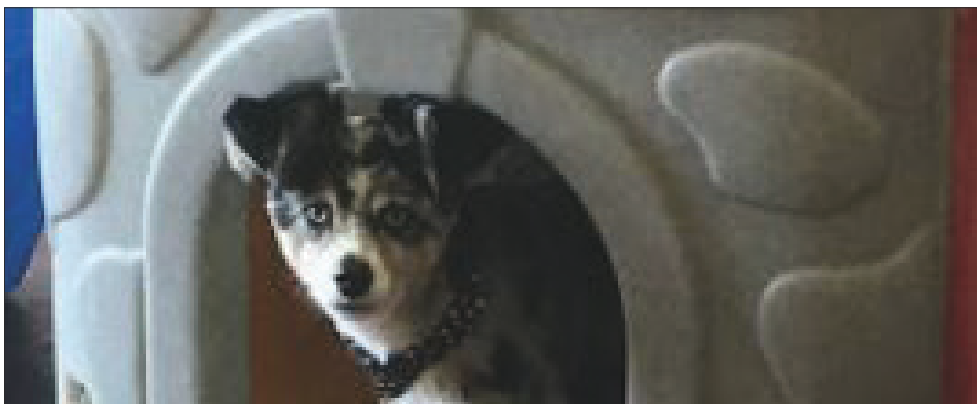
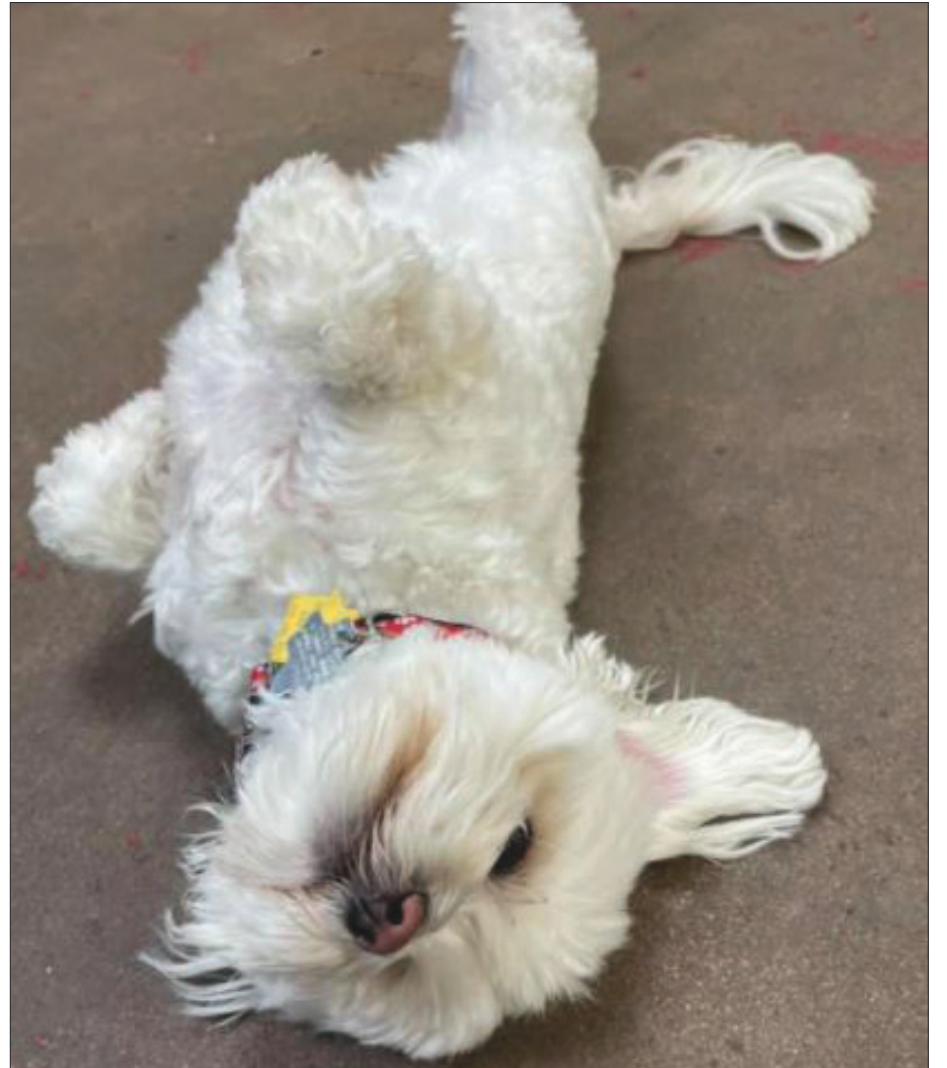
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Superintendent Keith McBurnett commented, “I am proud of our staff and students’ resilience during this challenging school year, and their commitment to achieving at the highest levels possible. We want to be the very best at everything we do, and the list of accomplishments from this school year demonstrates that commitment”.

Please join BCISD in congratulating the following STATE and NATIONAL Champions!

**4A Boys 3200 Meter Run State  
Champion: Hudson Bennett**



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**Bulldog FFA BBQ-  
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**(Above left) Anthony Alvarez, a 2021 Burnet Quest graduate, scans the crowd for his family as Andy Field presents him with his diploma. Quest Graduation was held on Thursday night at Bulldog Stadium and drew a large crowd of well wishers for the Class of 2021.**

**(Above right) Burnet Quest graduate, Jeremiah Gonzales, hoists his newly earned diploma in the air in celebration at Thursday's 2021 graduation ceremonies held at Bulldog Stadium.**

**(Bottom left) Burnet Quest graduate, Veronica Ordaz-Carter smiles with overwhelming joy as she is presented her diploma by board president Andy Feild. Quest High School honored 48 graduates on Thursday night.**

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Through this planning, teachers develop innovative ways to implement campus-wide initiatives, including Advancement Via Individual Determination or AVID. Through AVID, the staff utilizes instructional practices and strategies that better equip students with needed skills in order to be future ready. College-style campus layout provides a fluid transition to post-secondary education for BHS students.

In addition, for those students pursuing post-secondary degrees, BHS offers numerous CollegeBoard Advanced Placement courses for college credit, and through dual-credit enrollment program, students have the opportunity to earn more than 50 college hours. Along with core academic pathways, BHS offers exceptional pathways in fine arts including music, dance, and theatre arts, along with the visual arts; extensive career and technology pathways including Agriculture Sciences, welding, construction sciences, education in training, culinary arts, digital interactive media, and business and finance; additionally, BHS offers innovative STEM pathways including bio-medical engineering, civil engineering, robotics, and health sciences.

"Crafting the Future" at Burnet High School takes on many forms. Beyond classroom learning opportunities, BHS offers numerous student organizations, clubs, and extra-curricular activities for student participation, many of which ascend to state level competition including FFA, HCCLA, HOSA, speech and debate, UIL Academics, Interact, Student Council, National Honor Society, band, dance, and theatre to name a few.

Through the school motto, "Spirit, Pride, and Honor," students plan and lead several campus and community-wide events throughout the year including the district-wide pep-rally and homecoming bonfire, Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony, and student council coronation.

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Students who attend Quest have made the conscious decision to focus on graduation from high school by improving their grades and their school attendance. Quest High School graduates receive a high school diploma that is certified by the Texas Education Agency. This diploma is the same as a diploma from any other accredited high school in the state of Texas.

What does Quest High School offer its students?

- Smaller class size than traditional high schools
- Flexible scheduling
- Online classes with ODYSSEYWARE®
- An opportunity to work at their own pace
- Intensive study for TAKS and STAAR testing
- Dual credit courses
- All three Texas Education Agency graduation plans:
  - recommended
  - distinguished
  - minimum

Students attend Quest High School for one or more of the following reasons:

- They are at risk of dropping out.
- They are at risk of not graduating.
- They have failed one or more core subjects.
- They are teen parents.
- They are behind 3 or more credits.
- They would like to graduate early.



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