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AGENDA

TEEN PUMPKIN SMASH

LIBERTY - The Second Annual Teen Pumpkin Smash will take place on the back lawn of the library on Fri., Nov. 6, at 2 p.m. The Teen Pumpkin Smash is free for teens ages 13-18. For more information, please call the Liberty Municipal Library at 936-336-8901.

FBC FOOD PANTRY

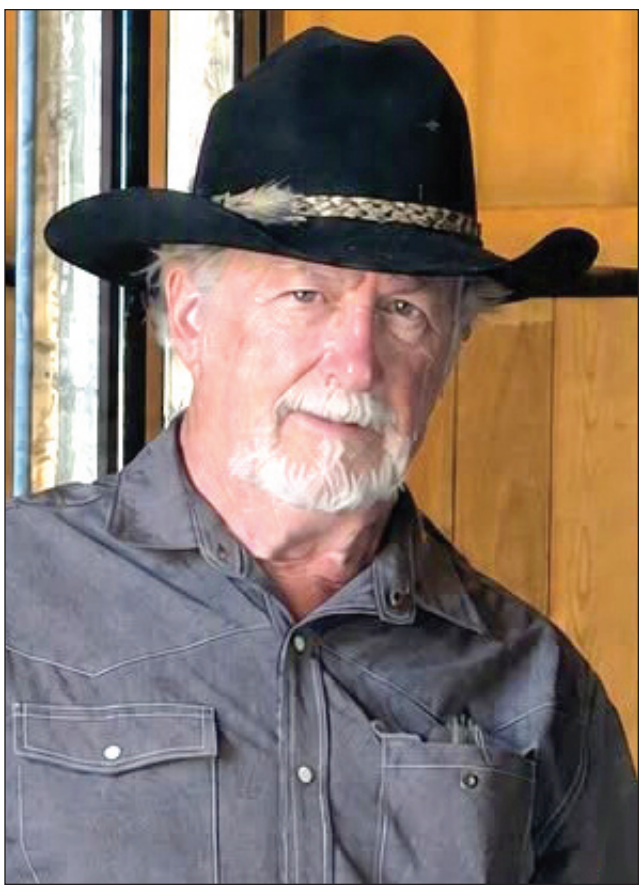
DAYTON - Dayton First Baptist Church Food Pantry will hold its next food distribution Tues., November 10, from 9-11:30 a.m. The pantry will only be able to serve those with a Dayton 77535 zip code; proof of residence will be required. This will be a walk-in pantry, so please park and come into the food pantry entrance on the north side of the Family Life Center on Nelton Street. Picking up for others will not be allowed except under dire circumstances. The food distribution will be available the second Tuesday of each month.

DVFD SMOKED TURKEYS

DAYTON - The Dayton Volunteer Fire Department 2026 Smoked Turkey Pre-Sale Fundraiser is underway! This is pre-sale only with a cut-off date of November 16. Turkeys will be 10-12 pounds. The cost is $70. Pick-up will be November 23 at Station 1 located off Hwy. 321. To order, contact Brett Alley at 936-402-3718, Austin Becker at 936-402-2242 or any DVFD firefighter. Thank you for the continuous support!

H-GAC THOROUGHFARE PLAN OPEN HOUSE

DAYTON - The Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC), in coordination with Liberty County, is developing a countywide Thoroughfare Plan to help guide future roadway connections, improve mobility, and support long-term growth. A Community Open House will be held Wed., Nov. 18, from 6-8 p.m. at the Dayton Community Center, Ballrooms B and D for the public to learn more about the planning process, review the draft thoroughfare network, and provide feedback to help shape the final plan. Liberty County is growing, and planning for its transportation future starts with understanding the needs of the community. The public is encouraged to attend.



JIM HODGES



SMOKEY CULVER

Where to go to learn about, comment on ExxonMobil carbon sequestration project

ExxonMobil is currently planning to build three underground carbon sequestration "wells" that would reside between Devers and Nome. To that end, they've filed an application with, and received a draft permit from, the Railroad Commission of Texas. If granted the permit, ExxonMobil would need to monitor the wells for leakages and submit reports to the Railroad Commission; that is to ensure carbon dioxide doesn't contaminate underground drinking water sources. The application, draft permit, and other information on this and other such projects throughout the state can be found by following the QR code below.

Before granting the permit, the Commission wants to hear the opinions of the public, so an in-person meeting where public comments can be provided will be held at the city hall on 1586 2nd Street in Nome, TX from 6-8 p.m. on Monday, November 9. If providing an oral comment, you must register with the Commission by 5 p.m. on Monday, November 9 by emailing the following information to SIP@rrc.texas.gov: name, organization, email address, and phone number. There will also be a virtual meeting from noon-2 p.m. on Tuesday, November 10. The virtual meeting can be accessed through the QR code below.

Comments can also be submitted online by emailing the Commission at SIP@rrc.texas.gov, or using the Public Comment Form found through the QR code below. Online public comments must be received by 11:59 p.m. on Saturday, November 28, and comments MUST reference tracking no. 58608.

If you think you will be personally injured or suffer economic damage distinct from the general public because of the construction of these wells, you may protest this application by using the QR code below and following the instructions there.

Toys for Tots asking for your help

LIBERTY COUNTY - Christmas is a time of joy, happiness and goodwill. It is a time of giving and helping those who are less fortunate. For over half a century the U.S. Marine Corps is the unchallenged leader in looking after America's less fortunate children at Christmas through the Toys for Tots campaign.

You can help bring holiday joy to the children of Liberty County by joining Luxe Prints and Cuts and the Dayton Police Officers Association for this year's Toys for Tots toy drive. The goal is to bring toys to 4,000 kids in Liberty County. The gift of a new toy helps bring the joy of Christmas and send a message of hope to area children.

Families in all areas of the county including Liberty, Dayton, Hardin, Hull, Raywood, Daisetta, Ames, Devers and the Cleveland area can apply for toys for their children by using the QR code or by visiting the Toys for Tots website at toysfortots.org.

Your toy donations make a major impact in the success of the campaign. Donations of new, unwrapped toys will ensure that children experience the joy of play and the power of imagination. Visit toysfortots.org for

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Construction begins on CR 604 in Precinct 4

LIBERTY COUNTY - As of Mon., Nov. 2, construction crews began reclaiming and resurfacing of CR 604 in Precinct 4. Work on CR 604 will extend from CR 602 to the end of county maintenance near Hwy. 90. The project is expected to last through the end of November.

A separate announcement will be issued before work begins on CR 602.

Motorists should expect traffic delays during construction; alternate routes should be considered. Please observe all traffic signs and follow directions from traffic control personnel.

Your patience and cooperation as crews work to improve our county roads is appreciated.

Hodges, Culver upcoming guests at Chambers County Museum

WALLISVILLE - The History & Then Some Lecture Series at the Chambers County Museum at Wallisville continues Friday, November 20, at 6 p.m.

Jim Hodges, author, Texas cowboy and ranch historian, is a cowboy born and bred will transport guests back in time to experience life on the open range. He will share the traditions of the working cowboy, demonstrate authentic campfire cooking and tell about the food, skills, hardships and simple pleasures that were part of the cowboy way of life on the trail. And, of course, no cowboy camp would be complete without a pot of campfire coffee brewing over the flames.

As the fire crackles, singer and poet Smokey Culver will entertain with cowboy poetry and the old campfire ballads of the trail, the songs that helped pass the long evenings beneath

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All the residents of Magnolia Place Health Care who attended the Halloween Party last week were having a great time with the silly glasses. Pictured in the photo at left are Laura Damon with her dear friend Ena Stoesser. In the photo at right we see Gina Van Etta hugging up on her sweet mom Betty Holbrook.

