Early voting turnout brisk

By Sherry Koone
THE PANOLA WATCHMAN

Panola County voters have been heading to the polls in record numbers. So far, the turnout for the 2022 general election has been impressive. The county's precincts are currently open for voting.

Saturday fire destroys home

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A raging fire destroyed a house on County Road 106 on Saturday afternoon. The occupants, Mike and Angel Marshall and their three children, were able to escape the house and are now safely housed in a nearby motel.

Replies UPR damage offer

CISD displayed over drilling site

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CISD presented a sizable display of its geoscientific research at the site of the proposed drilling location. The display includes a variety of geological and environmental data, which will be used to inform local officials and citizens about the potential impacts of drilling.

Class praised for accomplishments

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Beckville graduated 46 seniors

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More than 100 people crowded into the Panola County Courthouse on Friday night for the annual Memorial Day ceremony. The ceremony included a flag raising, a moment of silence, and speeches by local officials and community leaders.

Memorial Day service attracts large crowd

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Fresh vegetables available

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The annual summer market has begun, attracting large crowds of shoppers to the local farmers' market. Vendors are offering a wide variety of fresh vegetables, fruits, and other produce.

For additional information, contact the Extension Office at 903-471-0300.
WASHINGTON SHARES CREDIT FOR NATIONAL RECOGNITION

By Paul McCain

The Junior Achievement of Texas/Beckville presented the Panola Watchman with a plaque recognizing the newspaper for its contributions to the national effort to improve youth employment skills. The plaque was presented to Panola Watchman publisher and editor Bob Stilson by the JATB officials.

“The Junior Achievement of Texas/Beckville, along with the Panola Watchman, has worked together to help our community,” said JATB Executive Director Bob McFarland. “The Panola Watchman has been instrumental in helping us reach the young people in our community.”

The plaque is the result of a joint effort between the Panola Watchman and JATB to promote the importance of financial literacy and entrepreneurship among local youth. The newspaper has been a valuable partner in this endeavor, providing coverage of JATB events and highlighting the accomplishments of local students.

“Thank you to the Panola Watchman for your continued support,” said McFarland. “Your commitment to our youth is truly inspiring.”
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Citizens for Better Schools, Ken Andrus, treasurer, P.O. Box 204, Carthage, Tex.
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Religion

Grace Notes

New Life Crusade shows record attendance

Tigers learn hard way Dawgs just won't quit

Sports

Tigers win series in dramatic, four-run rally in seventh inning. 10-9

Buchanan beats Tigers with four-hitter by 6-2

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Tigers deal Dawgs initial playoff loss

Unearned runs in 7th cost Carthage, Ross rare defeat, 4-3

Dawgs’ home run hitters on parade

NAAFTA traffic pounds Texas highways

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Accelerated Reader program shows great results

The Accelerated Reader program is a popular reading incentive program used in schools across the United States. It motivates students to read more by offering rewards and recognition for their reading achievements. The program uses a computerized system to track students' reading progress and rewards them with points and stickers for completing books. Students can also participate in class challenges and read with their teachers.

The program is designed to help students improve their reading skills by promoting a love of reading and increasing their reading comprehension. It is used in schools of all levels, from kindergarten to high school, and is adaptable to different reading levels.

Sheriff’s Office, Wal-Mart advocate safety for children

Members of the Sheriff’s Office and Wal-Mart advocates stress the importance of child safety. This is a critical issue as children are often at risk of accidents and injury. The Sheriff’s Office and Wal-Mart have joined forces to promote safety measures and awareness among parents and caregivers.

Mt. Olive WMA holds meeting

The Mt. Olive Diversion WMA held a meeting to discuss plans for the future of the WMA. The meeting was attended by community members and stakeholders, and it provided an opportunity to share ideas and concerns about the WMA.

Dierkes graduates from TAMU

Mr. Dierkes graduated from Texas A&M University with a degree in Business Administration. He is now pursuing a career in the field of business, and his graduation is a significant milestone in his academic and professional journey.

Zoe’s Recipe Box

“Lay down machine” makes resurfacing easier

New equipment aids in road improvement

The new equipment is a game-changer in road resurfacing. It makes the process easier and more efficient, leading to improved roads and a better transportation system.

Dierkes Loan online

Mr. Dierkes has been approved for a loan online. This is a convenient and quick way to get financing for personal or business needs.

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360 Communications offers great deals on cellular services. They provide half off on activation, half off on airtime, and half off on access. This is a fantastic opportunity to save money on your cellular services.

HOLIDAY WISHES

America was once a dream. It took a war to create the free nation in the world.

On Memorial Day, we honor those who gave their lives serving their country. In 1776 and in the 1990s — whatever American soldiers bravely stood.

We at Nix Patterson andBooch salute the heroes who made America, those who fought for her, and those important who lost their lives protecting the rights that everyone deserves.
**Downing given national honor roll award**

One of 51 boys chosen.

Downing has been named a National Honor Roll Award winner. The award is given by the United States National Honor Roll Award Committee.

**Holland recognized as All-American Scholar**

The University of Texas at Austin has named Holland the recipient of the All-American Scholar Award.

Holland was selected by the United States National Honor Roll Award Committee for his outstanding achievements in academics, sports, and community service.

**Key Club plans fund raiser**

The Key Club at Odessa College has announced plans for a fund raiser to be held on the evening of May 29. The fundraiser will be in the form of a dinner and dance, which will include a silent auction.

**Announcing the newly designated Level 1 trauma center at ETMC Tyler**

The nation's highest trauma designation: the region's top trauma center.

The state of Texas and the American College of Surgeons have awarded the title of highest possible level to ETMC Tyler's Trauma Center. To earn the Level 1 designation, a hospital must meet the highest standard of trauma care, and it is the only Level 1 trauma center in the state.

24-hour trauma surgeons on site.

We are now the only trauma center in East Texas with board-certified trauma surgeons on call around the clock. This means immediate care for trauma patients, and it's a difference that has been proven to save lives.

Advanced technology and a full-time research team.

The ETMC Level 1 Trauma Center is equipped with advanced technology to handle all types of emergencies. And it is the only trauma center in East Texas with a dedicated research team to ensure the most current methods of care.

Trauma care that is second to none.

ETMC's Level 1 Trauma Center is not only meeting the highest standards of health care, but setting them, with one goal: To give the people of East Texas care that is truly second to none. ETMC's Level 1 Trauma Center gives East Texans immediate access to the highest possible level of trauma care - care that saves lives.

First in East Texas.

Second to none.
Footprints lead to drug bust

A look at local crime stoppers and the drug busts that have followed.

The arrest of a suspect in the recent drug bust was made possible by the efforts of the local Crime Stoppers program.

Crime Stoppers is a non-profit organization that rewards individuals for providing information leading to the arrest of drug dealers.

The organization is funded by donations from local businesses and individuals.

The program has resulted in numerous busts and convictions of drug dealers.

Retail food safety training offered

Food safety is a focus of the local food service industry. The city of Carthage offers a foodborne illness prevention program to help businesses stay compliant.

The program includes training on proper food handling, cooking, and storage techniques.

Pitre arrives for duty at Fort Benning

Pitre, a former army specialist, has joined the ranks at Fort Benning.

Pitre brings with him years of experience in the military.

Leary finishes basic training

Leary, a new army recruit, has completed basic training.

Leary is currently serving in the army.

Flowers were called out to be fired by the police at the Palacio Apartments.

Threats were made against the apartments.

Carthage school board members evaluated plans at a meeting to discuss school safety.