

BLACKWELL SCHOOL NEWS

Hornets, Lady Hornets compete in Kenneth Rasco Memorial Relays

The Varsity and Junior Varsity Hornets and the Varsity Lady Hornets competed in Robert Lee's Kenneth Rasco Memorial Relays on Friday, March 7, 2014. The Varsity Hornets with 70 points placed fourth in the team totals, with the JV Hornets also placing fourth with 61 points. The Lady Hornets placed eighth with 28 points. Complete results for the Blackwell teams are listed below.

Varsity Boys

100 M Dash
1st place, Jayden Jones, 11.16

200 M Dash
2nd place, Jayden Jones, 23.18

110 M Hurdles
1st place, Matthew Lowry, 17.84

4x100 M Relay
5th place, Ted Chambliss, Mason Magness, Jayden Jones, Matthew Lowry, 46.21

Long Jump
1st place, Mason Magness, 21'0.25"

Triple Jump
2nd place, Mason Magness, 42'4.5"

High Jump
1st place, Matthew Lowry, 5'10"

Pole Vault
1st place, Jayden Jones, 13'8"

Varsity Girls

100 M Hurdles
4th place, Halee Sanderson, 19.25; 6th place, Bailey McGlothlin, 19.87

300 M Hurdles
3rd place, Abigail Sorrells, 53.96

4x100 M Relay
5th place, Halee Sanderson, Crystal Chavez, Abigail Sorrells, Krista Clower, 59.24

Triple Jump
2nd place, Hailey Bennett, 30'5.75" 4th place, Halee Sanderson, 28'11.5" 6th place, Crystal Chavez, 25'8"

Junior Varsity Boys

100 M Dash
2nd place, Franck Cano, 12.06; 5th place, Charlie Cano, 12.34

200 M Dash
1st place, Bob Davis, 24.85

3200 M Run
4th place, Heath Rasco, 13:13.75

4x100 M Relay
1st place, Heath Rasco, Bob Davis, Charlie Cano, Franck Cano, 48.56

4x200 M Relay
2nd place, Heath Rasco, Bob Davis, Charlie Cano, Franck Cano, 1:44.96

Triple Jump
5th place, Charlie Cano, 32'6.25"

Texas Brigades application deadline posted

The Texas Brigades program is looking for a few good leaders. Actually, they are looking for 170 leaders. The Texas Brigades' mission is to educate and empower youths with the leadership skills and knowledge in wildlife, fisheries, and land stewardship to become conservation ambassadors for a sustained natural resource legacy. This will be the 22nd year of the Brigades.

The application deadline is March 15, 2014, and may be found at www.texasbrigades.org/Applications/applications.html.

Participants are selected through a competitive application process.

Helen Holdsworth, Executive Director, says they are looking for youth ages 13-17 years of age. No experience is necessary, but applicants should have a strong interest in learning about wildlife, natural resources, livestock, and/or the environment. "We are looking for those with an interest in learning and then sharing what they have learned with their communities," reports Holdsworth.

The 4.5 days camps are held on private ranches across the state.

"These landowners open their gates to us for five days, allowing us to utilize the land as a living laboratory. Natural resource professionals give of their time to mentor the youth. This is a valuable networking opportunity," she said.

The cost of the camp is \$400

but scholarships and financial assistance are available. "We do not want the fee to be a barrier to anyone.

We have donors who are willing to support the youths' educational experience," says Holdsworth.

For more information, call 855-TXBRIGS or 210-556-1391 or email to: hholdsworth@texas-wildlife.org.

Health Matters Summer Camps set for June

The West Texas Area Health Education Center is hosting two Nursing Day Camps and a Health Careers Day Camp in June. Students currently in grades 9-12 may apply. Health Matters Summer Camps offer a great opportunity for high school students interested in learning more about health professions. The camps allow the students to gain experience

through hands-on learning, interaction with healthcare professionals, and tours of medical facilities. Students are also given the opportunity to participate in teaching simulations and visit with university pre-health departments. The deadline to apply is April 30th.

For more information, please contact the West Texas AHEC-Big Country at 325-672-0495 or visit the counselor's office at your local high school for more information or to pick up an application.

Deer Study Group to meet April 10-11

The Texas Deer Study Group will convene April 10-11, 2014, at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Columbus, Texas. This year's event will focus on "Great Expectations: Optimizing Deer Management in the Post Oak Savanna and Gulf-Coast Prairies."

The program will consist of a full day of presentations on the 10th covering a wide array of topics including a history of management and habitat changes

in the area, breeding chronology and buck movement, harvest strategies, an overview of research and a point-counterpoint discussing important management concerns.

On the 11th, the group will meet at a local ranch for a half-day of presentations covering getting to know your deer, habitat management techniques and native and introduced vegetation. Everyone with an interest in deer and deer management is encouraged to attend.

Sponsorship and vendor opportunities will be available for businesses and individuals to support the event. Early registration deadline is March 31. For more information or to sign up please visit the Texas Wildlife Association website at <http://www.texas-wildlife.org/resources/events/texas-deer-study-group> or contact Clint Faas at cfaas@texas-wildlife.org

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School Menu

Breakfast

Monday, March 17
Cinnamon breakfast pastry or cereal w/toast, juice, milk

Tuesday, March 18
Oatmeal round w/yogurt or cereal w/toast, juice, milk

Wednesday, March 19
Breakfast pizza or cereal w/toast, juice, milk

Thursday, March 20
Waffles and sausage or cereal w/toast, juice, milk

Friday, March 21
Cinnamon roll, bacon or cereal w/toast, juice, milk

Lunch

Monday, March 17
Corn dog, baked beans, tomato & cucumber cup, apple-pineapple d'lite, milk

Tuesday, March 18
Beefy queso, tortilla chips, refried beans, garden salad, orange smiles, lime sherbet cup (9-12), milk

Wednesday, March 19
Chicken sandwich, oven fries, fresh veggie cup, fruity gelatin, milk

Thursday, March 20
Meaty macaroni, garden salad, baby carrots, fresh grapes, breadstick, chocolate chip cookies (9-12), milk

Friday, March 21
Pizza, crunchy broccoli, salad, seasoned corn, fresh fruit bowl, milk



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