

BLACKWELL SCHOOL NEWS



Hornet Football! Junior Mark Monroe is shown picking off the ball at Blackwell's August 18 scrimmage.

Hornets fall to Wildcats

The Blackwell Hornets faced one of the toughest teams in this area for the season opener last Saturday. The Hornets played the Water Valley Wildcats in McCamey during the 2nd annual Six Man Shootout. The game was called at halftime with a score of 78-6.

The Hornets ended up with a total of 59 offensive yards. Their only points came at the end of the first quarter when Jayden Jones ran 3 yards for a touchdown. The kick was blocked.

Statistics

Rushing - Jayden Jones had 7 carries for a total of 30 yards.

Passing - Ethan Andrews threw 17 times for 6 completions and 3 interceptions.

School Menu

Breakfast

Not Available

Lunch

Monday, September 5
Holiday

Tuesday, September 6
Meaty Macaroni, Garden Salad, Seasoned Corn, Cornbread, Frozen Cherry Fruit Bar, Milk

Wednesday, September 7
Oven Crispy Chicken, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, Savory Green Beans, Hot Roll, Fruity Gelatin, Milk

Thursday, September 8
Beef & Bean Chalupas, Spanish Rice, Lettuce & Tomatoes, Cinnamon Applesauce, Milk

Friday, September 9
Pig in a Blanket, Western Beans, Baked Chips, Snowball Salad, Milk

Receiving - Jayden Jones caught one pass for 36 yards.

The Hornets will face the Lohn Eagles this Friday night at 7:30 pm in Lohn.

BCISD hosting canine and feline vaccine clinic

The Blackwell CISD will be hosting a canine and feline vaccine clinic on September 7 from 4-6 pm at the BCISD Ag Science Building. The available vaccines include Rabies, Parvo-Virus, Puppy parvo-virus, Rattlesnake vaccine, Feline Rabies, and Feline Leukemia.

The shots will be given by Pioneer Vet Clinic of Winters. Don't miss this opportunity to have your pets vaccinated.

Cross Country to compete in Eula

The Junior High and High School Cross Country teams will compete in Eula on Tuesday, September 6.

Register Now for October ACT Test

Registration is now open for the October 22, 2011, ACT achievement test. Students who wish to take the college admission and placement exam must register before September 16, 2011.

The ACT is a curriculum-based achievement exam. It tests what students have actually learned in school, not their aptitude for learning. The ACT also measures what students need to know to be ready for first year credit-bearing college courses based

on ACT College Readiness Standards™. Every student's results can be tied directly to these consistent standards.

The ACT has four sections—English, mathematics, reading and science—and takes about three hours to complete. Students who take the ACT Plus Writing complete an optional writing test that requires an additional 30 minutes. Unlike other exams, students are not penalized for guessing or answering all the questions on each test section. In fact, it is beneficial for test takers to answer all questions within the time allowed.

During registration, students may select up to four universities to receive their score reports. ACT scores are accepted by all four-year colleges and universities across the United States. ACT reports scores only when requested to do so by the student. Additional score reports are available for a small fee.

All students complete a detailed inventory of questions during ACT registration. Each test taker receives an ACT score report that includes a wide variety of information to assist with high school course selection, college readiness, career planning, and college admissions.

The cost for the ACT test without writing is \$34. When combined with the optional

ACT Writing Test, the total cost is \$49.50. Students who qualify may apply for a fee waiver through their high school counselor.

The ACT website, www.actstudent.org, has helpful information, free sample items, and inexpensive test prep materials to help students prepare for the exam. However, the best preparation is to take rigorous core courses in school, study hard, and learn the academic skills needed for college.

Most students register online at www.actstudent.org. Students may also pick up registration forms from their high school counseling offices. Late registration is available until September 30.

Juniors/Seniors to attend College Day at TSTC

Blackwell High School Juniors and Seniors will attend College Day at Texas State Technical College on Monday, October 3, from 1 pm until 2:30 pm.

PSAT to be given October 12

The PSAT test will be given to Blackwell High School Juniors Wednesday, October 12, beginning at 8:30 am.

Built Ford Tough Texas High School Football Player of the Week Program Seeks Nominations

As Texas high school football kicks off this week, Ford Motor Company is reminding fans to show their team spirit and visit www.playeroftheweek.com to nominate their favorite players for the Built Ford Tough Texas High School Football Player of the Week award.

For the sixth consecutive year, Ford Motor Company will recognize six outstanding student-athletes

each week through the program that invites fans, coaches and Texas media to pay tribute to those players who demonstrate toughness, sportsmanlike conduct and scholarship throughout the high school football season.

New this fall, Facebook and Twitter users will be able to post comments on the Texas Ford dealers Facebook page at www.Facebook.com/texasforddealers and follow discussion about the program on www.Twitter.com/txforddealers. Fans are encouraged to visit playeroftheweek.com and catch up on weekly winners, view video clips of players in action and get the latest program details.

The Built Ford Tough Texas High School Football Player of the Week program will recognize one high school student-athlete in six of the state's athletic classifications every week of the regular season of the 2011 Texas high school football schedule.

Throughout the 2011 football season, fans can nominate any player who takes the field for the Player of the Week Award, as long as they excel in three categories:

- Individual performance on the field, including significant statistics from that week's game;
- Contribution to the team's success through their individual leadership abilities;
- Performance off the field of play, including academic success and good community citizenship.

At the conclusion of the 10-week regular season, Ford and an independent advisory board will select one student-athlete from the ten weekly winners to be the Built Ford Tough Texas High School Football Player of the Year in each classification. Following the championship games, honorees will once again be recognized at a statewide banquet event.

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