THE HENNESSEY LION'S CLUB REALLY **BRIGHT CHRISTMAS IS DECEMBER 9th!**





Get into the Holiday Spirit: Join us for the Hennessey Lion's Club Christmas Extravaganza!

Get ready for an exciting Christmas celebration in Hennessey this year! The Hennessey Lion's Club has organized a fantastic lineup of events that will take place on Main Street. The festivities kick off at 5pm with fun activities for kids, including inflatables and train rides (weather permitting) at Oklahoma Street.



At 6pm, be sure to catch the parade down Main Street. It promises to be a sight to behold, as participants will be decorating their cars, trucks, or tractors. The aim is to create a magical atmosphere for the little ones and spread holiday cheer throughout the town.

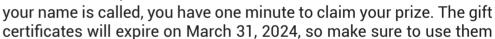
Following the parade, Santa Claus will be at the Hennessey Mercantile, ready to meet children and hear their Christmas wishes. Don't miss this opportunity to capture some special moments with Santa!

Finally, at 7pm, the highlight of the evening will be Mistletoe Magic. This is a drawing that will take place at Oklahoma Street, near the Hennessey Mercantile. The Lions Club has organized a chance for you to win gift certificates that can be redeemed at local merchants. The more you shop, the more chances you have to win!

Make sure to keep your receipts dated between November 1st and December 8th, and bring them to Chasity at Interbank (not the drive-th-

ru). For every \$5.00 spent, you will receive one ticket for the drawing. There is a minimum of one ticket per receipt and a maximum of 60 tickets per receipt. Remember to write your name on every ticket!

It's important to note that you must be present to win. Gift certificates will be drawn for on the evening of December 9th, and once





before then. Support local merchants by using the gift certificates to shop in town. Merchants may require you to spend the full amount in one go or provide credit if you spend only part of it.

For more information about this exciting Christmas event and everything happening in Hennessey, visit allabouthennessey.com/discoverhennessey. Get ready for a fun-filled and magical holiday season in Hennessey!



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THE FINAL SIGN

It has been a long time coming but the last welcome to Hennessey sign is about to be installed. These are the large signs at each entrance to Hennessey on the north, south, west, and now the east. The other 3 signs were completed earlier this year but the one on the east was held up due





to the Hwy 51 construction. This sign will be located just east of Little Turkey Creek on the north side of the highway. Daniel Construction set the concrete base last week and Royal Signs will do the final install shortly. Next Farmers Electric will set the meter and OG&E will run power to light the sign at night.

COMING TOGETHER AS A COMMUNITY

The Jarrett Smith Scholarship Fund

The Jarrett Smith Scholarship Fund has been created by the Smith family in honor of their beloved Jarrett. Those who would like to contribute in his memory can drop off or mail check to the Scholarship fund through Cordry Gritz Funeral home at 500 S Main, Hennessey or through Venmo send to Cordry Gritz@ John-Gritz. Cordry-Gritz Funeral Home, reachable at 405-853-2364.



ALFRED DAVIS FUNDRAISER

Alfred Davis, affectionately known as Alfie, a lifelong resident of Hennessey, spent many years working for the town until his retirement. Alfie is an avid fisherman and a dedicated husband, father and grandfather. He enjoys spending time at Howdy's with friends, chatting and sipping coffee.



During his time in Hennessey, Alfie has been actively involved with the "FOG" group, alongside Mark Henry, Greg Luper, and Bill Norman. Together, they

have served food for fundraisers, ministries, the nursing home, church youth groups, back-to-school bash events and more. Now he is in need of our help.

On November 6th, Alfie was involved in a collision at the intersection of Hwy 51 and N. Mitchell Road. His vehicle was struck on the side at the intersection. He was trapped inside the vehicle and had to be rescued by Hennessey Firefighters. Accompanying him in the pickup were his two granddaughters, who were taken to OU Medical Center in Oklahoma City by Kingfisher with minor injuries. Alfie was transported to Howdy's Travel Plaza by LifeEMS and then airlifted by AirEvac Helicopter to OU Medical Center for further medical attention.

The Community Action Team is going to hold a fundraiser dinner Friday, December 1st at 5:00pm at The Concept located south of Hennessey at 17172 E Conoco Rd. We will serve pork, beans, potato salad, coleslaw, drinks and desserts. After dinner there will be an auction. There is also a fund set up at Community State Bank through the Community Action Team put "Alfie Davis" in the memo.

Fundraiser For Aly Villalobos

Aly recently underwent open heart surgery and is now needing support from our community. The members of Cristo Rey Baptist Church kindly request any donations to be made to the nonprofit organization, Aurora Foundation, for the benefit of Aly Villalovos. Additionally, donations can be made at Interbank and Cristo Rey Baptist Church located at 619 East 2nd St, Hennessey, from 8 AM to 2 PM. Your contribution will be greatly appreciated.











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WE WOULD LIKE TO CHALLENGE ALL OF OUR HENNESSEY BUSINESSES, GROUPS, CHURCHES AND INDIVIDUALS TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS YEARS PARADE DECEMBER 9TH. EVERYONE WILL LINE UP AT THE POOL AT 5:30 PARADE STARTS AT 6:00PM LET'S GIVE THE CHILDREN A REALLY GREAT PARADE! WHO'S IN?



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Estelle Garnet Davis Cherrington Smith Obituary

Estelle Garnet Davis Cherrington Smith passed away (went to her heavenly home) on Monday November 20, 2023 at Hennessey Care Center after recently being diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.

Estelle was born on May 2, 1936 in Marlow, Oklahoma to Ramona Eugenia Elroy Davis and Walter Jefferson Davis.

After growing up in Marlow Estelle lived in the Tulsa area and Fort Worth Texas but made her home the last 45 years in Hennessey. She worked in many service jobs and loved taking care of her family, being busy in her home and meeting with people. Her early career was as a dental hygienist. She managed the Love's store in Hennessey for many years and then clerked in several other stores. The public loved her cheerful, encouraging and efficient manner. She loved the outdoors and bowling and was very active until recent years.

But mostly Estelle loved her family. She loved getting to see her son's accomplishments and then watching her grandchildren grow and participate in sports and other activities.

She will be greatly missed by her family and all the many friends she attracted everywhere she went.

Survivors include sons Jeffery Guy Cherrington (DeWayna) of Cedarburg, Wisconsin, Edgar Wyatt Smith (Teresa) of Oklahoma City and Michael Craig Smith (Mary) of Okarche. Also surviving are grandchildren Chanelle Dowell Brown, Sabreena and Andrew Cherrington and Braxton and Macklin Smith as well as three great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her brother Gene Davis, five half-brothers, as well as her husbands, Jon Cherrington, Edgar Smith, and Robert Patrick.

The family will be remembering Estelle privately and there will be no public services. Any cards and remembrances may be sent to Cordry-Gritz Funeral Home PO Box 125 Hennessey, OK 73742 to be forwarded to her family.

Memorial donations may be made to the Humane Society with the funeral home serving as custodian of the fund.



Jarrett Andrew Smith Obituary

The funeral for Jarrett Andrew Smith, 15 will be at 2:00 PM Friday November 24, 2023 at Hennessey High School Auditorium officiated by Drew McElhaney. Burial will follow at Hennessey Cemetery under the direction of Cordry-Gritz Funeral Home. Viewing times will be Thursday from 9:00 AM until 5:00 PM and Friday from 9:00 AM until 12:00.



Jarrett was born in Enid on March 4, 2008 to Preston and Kenda and died Monday November 20, 2023 at Integris Bass Baptist Medical Center in Enid.

Jarrett's passion was baseball and riding his motorcycle with friends.

He is survived by his mother Kenda Copeland and Brandon McKay, his father Preston Smith; one brother Weston Smith, one sister Makynlee Copeland, Taylor and Micah McKay; paternal grandparents Eric and Rose Smith; maternal grandparents Rex Seiger, Deborah and Steve Martinez, and several aunts, uncles, and cousins.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorial donations be made in his name to the Jarrett Smith Scholarship Fund with the funeral home serving as custodian.



IT'S POINSETTIA TIME!

Taggart's Garden Center is wall-to-wall with beautiful poinsettias in full bloom. They have Red, White, or Mixed in 3 sizes ready for you to gift or decorate for Thanksgiving and Christmas. Swing by Taggart's south of Hennessey while they have a large selection! Call ahead at (405) 853-2551 to reserve yours today. Open daily Monday – Saturday 9 to 6, and Sunday 1 to 5. Located at 8490 US Hwy 81, Hennessey, OK.



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Quick Christmas Munchies

Christmas will be here before we know it. Shopping, cooking, eating, Christmas movies, wrapping presents, family. We hope that in the midst of it all, you remember why we celebrate Christmas. Let God's love hold you close and don't lose sight of it during all the hustle and bustle that we know is Christmas. To help, we want to offer two quick and easy Christmas snacks that you can even do with kids! You've probably had these or made them yourself, but we love them every Christmas so here we share them with you, just in case you haven't already tried them before.



Summer's submission is puppy chow. Our mom has made this as a special treat since our childhood while living on the farm. We have very fond memories of "puppy chow" (if you don't know, we call it this due to its uncanny resemblance to the dog food known as puppy chow; or at least it was known as puppy chow back then! Don't worry...this treat certainly doesn't taste like dog food, or so we assume that dog food doesn't taste this yummy!). This recipe can be found on any Chex cereal box..but Summer prefers her puppy chow using this extremely straightforward recipe. It is a no fail recipe that she has used for years. Use Rice Chex and Corn Chex cereals to obtain the right texture. Summer also will use the Wheat Chex but it is definitely a denser bite and not preferred by everyone.

Summer's 'Puppy Chow'

(aka Chex Muddy Buddies)

1 box Rice or Corn Chex cereal

12 oz bag of semi sweet chocolate chips

1 cup peanut butter

1 stick of butter

3 cups powdered sugar

Pour the semi sweet chocolate chips into a microwave safe bowl. Add 1 cup peanut butter and 1 stick of butter. Melt in the microwave using 30 second intervals, stirring after each 30 seconds, until melted and smooth when stirred. Open the box of cereal and dump the entire box into a very large bowl. Pour the melted chocolate over the cereal in the bowl and gently stir to cover all the cereal with the chocolate/pb/ butter mixture. Once the cereal is good and chocolate-y, allow it to sit and completely cool. This is extremely important. You do not want to add the powdered sugar until the chocolate is completely cool. Next you are going to toss the chocolate coated cereal in the powdered sugar. My favorite way to toss in powdered sugar is to use a large brown paper sack (like one from Braums). I measure and dump into the sack 2 cups of powdered sugar, then dump in the completely cooled chocolate coated Chex. Add the final cup of powdered sugar on top. Roll down the paper sack and then shake, shake, shake to cover all the chocolate coated Chex.

Store in an airtight container and enjoy this treat!

Autumn's submission is our cousin Carissa's Christmas Crack. It is very similar to the Christmas 'candy' that our Granny made every Christmas season while we were growing up...but it has some changes that Autumn really likes. Autumn liked and took for granted the simplicity of our old family traditions and loved how solid they were before we all got older and lives got more complicated. She loved being able to count on Christmas Eve at Granny's then Christmas morning at home.

If she remembers correctly, we'd maybe go to Granny's house before the candlelight service to unload our gifts and maybe even do Santa visits at that time then go to the candlelight service and get back to Granny's house starving just in time to smell the burned Mac and cheese, lol. But, she most looked forward to Granny's tray of sweet snacks. Specifically, the captain crunch cookies and the Christmas Crack. Salty and sweet, with a great crunch; this was the snack to take care of any craving!

CC and Mike's Christmas Crack

6 cups Golden Grahams cereal

1 pkg Caramel Bugles (regular Bugles Chips are still so good here! More salty than sweet) 1 cup salted peanuts

1 cup pretzels

3 cups white chocolate chips, melted

1 10oz bag Christmas M&Ms

Melt the white chocolate chips in the microwave using the 30 second interval method discussed above.

Pour all of the dry ingredients into a large bowl and cover with the melted chocolate. Stir until combined and then pour out onto waxed paper until cooled and hardened. Break into small pieces and serve!

You can find more from Carissa on Instagram and TikTok@ccandmikecreative . You can also follow along for more from us @okseasonedsisters on Instagram, Facebook, & TikTok.

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Incidents

11/21/23 - Road Rage

Change Lanes Unsafely



HENNESSEY SCHOOLS FEATURE INTERNS

Kadee Meeker is a senior at HHS and is working as an intern at Royal Signs in Hennessey, and her mentor is Kathryn Meeker.

Kadee was born in Enid, Ok. She attended HPS through fourth grade before moving to Cashion where she attended fifth and sixth grade. She returned to HPS in seventh grade and has been here ever since. She has been an active member of STUCO (Student Council) for four years. Her junior year she served as vice president of fundraising

and this year she is the treasurer. She played softball in ninth and tenth grade and has been on the Lady Eagles basketball and golf team for three years.

Kadee received her certification to become a lifeguard and this past summer she worked at the Hennessey Aquatic Center. Once school started this year, she continued to lifeguard on the weekends at the Vernie Snow Aquatic Center in Kingfisher until she became busy with her extracurricular activities at HHS.

Kadee has decided on a career in forensic science. She has considered this career for a couple of years, but it is only recently that she made the decision to follow through with that choice. Finding a host to intern with in the area of forensic science would have proved difficult so she requested to work under her mother at Royal Signs and learn more about bookkeeping and design using the computer. These are a couple of areas that she was interested in learning more about.

Kadee has been accepted to attend UCO (University of Central Oklahoma) next fall. She plans on getting a degree in Forensic Pathology.

Michael Pacula is a senior at HHS and is in his second year of internship

with Eagle Iron Works. He has been very active in extracurricular activities. He has been a longstanding member of the band and added the jazz band into his schedule during his sophomore and junior years. He is currently in his third year as a member of the Hennessey choir.

On the academic side, he was a member of the Quiz Bowl team in his sophomore and junior years. During his summers he has worked at several different places. He worked as an assistant groundskeeper at the Hennessey Country Club and also

spent some summers working at Pizza Hut and Golden Chick in Hennessey. What really stands out about Michael is his time as a volunteer at the Hennessey Public Library. Since the beginning of his ninth-grade year, he has been showing up at the library almost every day of each school year to help the librarian in any way he can.

Michael is interested in becoming a diesel mechanic. When he was much younger there were several movies that enticed him and led to his interest in mechanics. The movies "Cars" and "Fast and Furious" were just a couple that he remembered. His first hands-on experience was working on his own truck. His favorite pastime is rebuilding engines and he is currently restoring a three-wheeler at his residence.

Frank Patton at Eagle Iron Works accepted Michael as an intern last year and again this year. He has been working under and getting his on-the-job instruction from Lalo Torres. Last year, Michael was doing a lot of oil changes and small jobs. This year he is getting more experience with bigger projects. He recently helped with a complete rear differential rebuild which included replacing the gears, bearings, and seals on a truck. He says that he works more efficiently now and credits that to the guidance he has received from Lalo. Michael plans on attending Autry Technology in Enid after graduation and getting certified as a diesel mechanic.





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AUCTION LOCATION Kingfisher OK & Hennessey OK areas **AUCTION DATE**

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We are looking for a someone musical to come in and lead music each Sunday. If you are interested, or know of someone, please send an email to fcchennessey@pldi. net with MUSIC MINISTER in the subject line.

TOWN HALL IS NOW HIRING FOR A Utility Billing Clerk

The Town of Hennessey is now accepting applications for Utility Billing Clerk. Candidate must be able to multi-task and work well with others. Money handling, accounts receivable and customer service experience preferred. Applications may be obtained at Town Hall. Submit application and/or resume at 123 S. Main or send to PO Box 306 Hennessey, OK 73742. The Town of Hennessey is an EOE facility

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Applications can be obtained at the police department Monday-Friday 7:00am - 5:00pm, 110 East 2nd Street, or Town Hall 123 S. Main in Hennessey. The Town is an equal opportunity employer. (405) 853-7130



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<u>Calendar</u>

Wednesday, November 29 10 – 11am Littlest Patron Playtime

Thursday, November 30

12 – 1pmHennessey Lions Club Meeting at Family Cafe 4:30 – 6:30pm 5th/6th Basketball vs Pioneer (H) 4:30 – 6:30pm JH BB vs Pioneer (H)

Friday, December 1

JH Wrestling @ Kingfisher (Day 1/2)
10amLibrary opens late (in-house training)

5 - 5:30pmAlfie Davis Fundraiser The Concept Event Center

6:30 - 8:30pm HS Basketball vs Crooked Oak (H)

Saturday, December 2

JH Wrestling @ Kingfisher (Day 2/2) OkMEA All-State Band Auditions

4:30 - 8pm BBQ NIGHT FAMILY CAFE

5:30 - 7:30pm 3 Year Anniversary Hennessey Mercantile

> Sunday, December 3 Main Street Mingle

Monday, December 4

HS Basketball Frontier Tournament (Day 1/6) 6:30 – 7:30pm Christmas Band Concert (5th-12th)

Tuesday, December 5

HS Basketball Frontier Tournament (Day 2/6) 8am – 3pm Freshman/Sophomore Academic Bowl 4 – 5pm Teen Funtivities Club Hennessey Public Library

Wednesday, December 6

HS Basketball Frontier Tournament (Day 3/6) 10 – 11am Littlest Patron Playtime

Thursday, December 7

HS Basketball Frontier Tournament (Day 4/6) 12 – 1pm Lions Club Meeting at Family Cafe

6 - 7pm Christmas Chorus Concert

6:30 - 7:30pm OK2A Meeting Vernost Wine Co

Friday, December 8

HS Basketball Frontier Tournament (Day 5/6) HS Wrestling (boys) @ Newkirk

Saturday, December 9

HS Basketball Frontier Tournament (Day 6/6)
All-Area Honor Band Auditions
HS Wrestling (girls) @ Newkirk

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