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CIRCUS NIGHT BRINGS FUN FOR ALL!

On Friday, September 26th, the Culpepper & Merriweather Circus set up the big top for an evening of family fun in Hennessey. Before the show began, kids lined up for face painting and inflatable slides, while parents caught up and enjoyed the relaxed atmosphere.

The show opened with the circus's two lions, followed by a light-hearted clown act that had plenty of people laughing. The trapeze artists brought some real "wow" moments, and the father-son juggling team kept the crowd entertained with their skill and timing.

This annual event, hosted by the Hennessey Lion's Club, once again gave families a chance to share a fun evening close to home. A big thank-you goes out to the Lion's Club for bringing the circus to town and helping create another night of simple, memorable family fun in Hennessey. Photos by AAH Cam Griffin



Kimberlyn Luper
Balancing on a board
or "surfing" with Leo
the Clown



PHASE ONE COMPLETE ON JOHN DEUTSCHENDORF MEMORIAL PAVILION

The first phase of the John Deutschendorf Memorial Pavilion project reached a milestone this week with the completion of a new concrete floor by Premier Utility Services LLC of Kingfisher. The pavilion, a long-planned community gathering space in downtown Hennessey, is being developed under the direction of Discover Hennessey.

For decades, the Cow Palace on Arapaho Street served as Hennessey's largest event venue, but it was closed about a year ago due to mold and is slated for eventual removal. "Having a large event space near downtown is an important part of the long-range convention and visitors master plan," said Jack Quirk, Director of Discover Hennessey.



Much of the pavilion project has been supported by private donations, reducing the financial burden on the town. Contributors and contractors include Hennessey Metal Buildings, F5 Construction, Lightle Sand & Construction, Dollar Trucking, Daniel Construction, Thurmond Gas Measurement Co., and Richard Simunek.

With the foundation in place, fundraising is underway for phase two, which will expand the structure to 100 by 100 feet. Later phases will add walls, restrooms, and a commercial kitchen, transforming the pavilion into a full-service event center for the community.

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HENNESSEY TRUSTEES APPROVE ROAD GRANT, AND TELECOM TOWER

Hennessey applies for grant to continue Mitchell Road project

The Hennessey Board of Trustees voted Tuesday, Sept. 30, to apply for a Mitchell Road Phase 2 grant through the Major Road and Drainage Assistance Fund.

The resolution commits the town to fund at least 25% of the project cost and complete the work within a year of the award. Trustees noted the project is expected to be divided into several phases of roughly 1,700 feet each.

Phase 1 was awarded last year and is moving toward the bidding stage. Officials said that while Phase 2 funding would likely be two years out, Kingfisher County District 2 Commissioner Mike Sparks has indicated chip-and-seal work will cover the gap in the meantime.

In all, the Mitchell Road upgrades are expected to span multiple phases alongside improvements to Cemetery Road.

The motion carried unanimously.

Trustees approve telecom tower permit near Cemetery Road

The Hennessey Board of Trustees on Tuesday approved a special use permit for Ferris Consulting to construct a telecommunications tower at the southwest corner of 7th and Cemetery Road.

The Planning Board recommended approval with the provision that the town or county may place a radio repeater on the tower at no cost. Trustees also discussed the possibility of adding a small building to house repeater equipment, with details to be finalized in an agreement with the tower company.

The tower will be owned by Tillman Infrastructure, which is leasing the land from a local property owner. Ferris Consulting is representing AT&T and Tillman in the project.

The motion was approved unanimously.



Hennessey Pink Out Game Raises \$4,400 for Local Family

HENNESSEY — The Hennessey community turned the softball field into a place of hope and support on Sept. 22 during the annual Pink Out game, raising more than \$4,400 for a local family.

This year's event was held in honor of Stephanie (Parker) Swart, a Waukomis graduate and the mother of Hennessey senior catcher Jaryn Dowell and son Adler Dowell a 5th grader, who is battling breast cancer.

Junior high and high school softball teams both took the field in pink, playing not only for a win but also for those fighting cancer and those in remission. Fans packed the stands, underscoring the theme that some things are bigger than softball.

The evening featured a walking taco and burger dinner with dessert, provided by InterBank, and sales from Pink Out t-shirts. Proceeds went directly to Swart to help with treatment costs.

Several community groups and businesses supported the fundraiser, including Hennessey InterBank, the Mothers Club, Softball Boosters, Seaboard Foods, the Roundup Club, Hennessey Processing and Jimmy Berkenbile. The Blackwell Softball Team and their families also attended and offered donations and encouragement.

While the fundraiser marked an important milestone, Swart's family and friends continue to ask for prayers, love and encouragement as she undergoes treatment.

The Pink Out has become a local tradition, serving as both a fundraiser and a reminder of the community's ability to rally together in times of need.

FROM TOWN HALL



**Dump will be closed
October 11th for
the holiday weekend**

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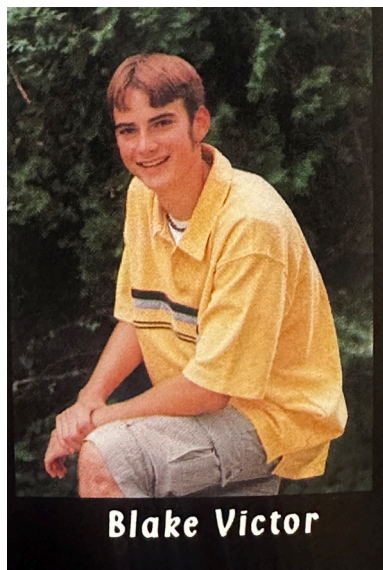
Where are they now?

Blake Victor

by AAH Shelley Muzny

Blake Victor was raised in the Hennessey area. His parents are Kirk and Ladawna Victor, as well as Tim and Pearl Kale. Blake has three siblings: Tyrel Victor, Shelby Victor, and Kelsey Kale-Nelson. He graduated from Hennessey High School in 2000, where he was actively involved in the Hennessey Eagles basketball team and was voted Prom King.

For the past 15 years, Blake has worked in the oilfield business. He enjoys outdoor activities such as hunting, fishing, and hiking. He has two children: a daughter, Emeri Victor (20), and a son, Acen Victor (16).



DR. JAMES MATOUSEK INSPIRES PRE-K STUDENTS WITH VETERINARY CARE LESSON



Dr. James Matousek, a Hennessey High School alumnus (1997), visited a Pre-K classroom to discuss what a veterinarian does and why it is important to take care of pets. After graduating with his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine from Oklahoma State University in 2004, he had a great career that started in Siloam Springs, Arkansas, and then he returned to Hennessey. Dr. Matousek was a veterinarian for 14 years at Matousek Vet Clinic in Hennessey before purchasing Wheatland Veterinary Hospital in Kingfisher in 2020.

Besides being a veterinarian, Dr. Matousek and his wife, Sarah, married since 2004, are parents to seven children; Jocelyn, JoHanna, Julianne, Jessica, Joy, Jane, and David. Dr. Matousek is an active member of the community as he and his family farm and ranch in the Hennessey area, and has been a member of the Hennessey Board of Education for 14 years.

The Pre-K students in Mrs. VanGees' class were very engaged while Dr. Matousek was talking to them, as they asked great questions about taking care of pets. The students were even more excited since Dr. Matousek is the father of David, who is also in the class. The Hennessey community appreciates Dr. Matousek for his willingness to share education and all his community service. AAH Shelley Muzny

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SENATE MINUTES WITH SENATOR CHUCK HALL | SEPT. 29, 2025

This past week, I had the distinct honor of visiting the White House at the invitation of President Trump. I was part of a group of local lawmakers who represented the Oklahoma Senate at the White House State Leadership Conference. This was a valuable opportunity to meet with prominent members of the Trump administration. We discussed federal initiatives and how we can work together to support the president's goals. Building strong relationships with our federal partners is essential to elevating local concerns, and this conference was an important step in that direction.

At the conference, Department of Homeland Security Secretary Kristi Noem gave an update on border security and national defense. Secretary of Veterans Affairs Doug Collins also delivered powerful remarks on how we can better serve our veterans, which is something I know is close to the hearts of many Oklahomans. It was also great to catch up with U.S. Sen. Markwayne Mullin. Department of Agriculture Secretary Brooke Rollins outlined the administration's efforts to keep the U.S. free from New World screwworms, parasitic flies that can burrow into livestock and devastate our agricultural industry. Although these pests were eradicated from the U.S. decades ago, the administration is taking steps to ensure they don't return. Secretary Rollins also addressed the burdens that the diesel exhaust fluid (DEF) mandates imposed by previous administrations have placed on farmers and ranchers who rely on diesel-powered equipment. The good news is that the Trump administration is working to roll back these burdensome regulations, which would be a huge win for Oklahoma's agriculture sector.

Housing and Urban Development Secretary Scott Turner spoke about the critical need for workforce housing to support economic growth. He shared that the U.S. currently needs over 7 million housing units to meet demand and highlighted the role of public-private partnerships in closing that gap. The Oklahoma Legislature has already taken action to increase our housing supply. The Housing Stability Act, which I co-authored,

provides \$215 million for down payment and closing cost assistance for homebuyers and zero-interest loans for developers to build new homes.

One of the highlights of the trip was the opportunity to meet Vice President J.D. Vance at Joint Base Andrews. I was among five state senators who greeted him on the tarmac as he arrived on Marine Two and prepared to board Air Force Two. It was an honor to shake his hand and hear firsthand about his key initiatives.

Lastly, our meeting with White House Intergovernmental Affairs Director Alex Meyer was one of the most impactful. He stressed the importance of strong communication between state and federal leaders and provided us with a direct line to the White House. I look forward to keeping the administration informed about the issues that matter most to my constituents.

As always, it's an honor and a privilege to serve the people of Senate District 20.

Please feel free to contact my Capitol office with any questions or concerns you may have about legislation or other issues impacting our state at 405-521-5628 or at Chuck.Hall@oksenate.gov.

POLICE REPORT SEPTEMBER 22-29

Smith, Mark Alan of Muskogee, OK	\$265.00	Expired Tag/Failure to Pay Taxes Due to State
Vincent, Anthony Lejon of Mustang, OK	\$227.00	Speeding 16-20 Over
Pembrook, Bret Wayne of Fairview, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Durham, Joshua Brian of Shawnee, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
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Johnson, Jarad Stuart of Fort Pierce, FL	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
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Parker, Chase Steven of Yukon, OK	\$265.00	Expired Tag/Failure to Pay Taxes Due to State
Waldrop, Kayle Elaine of Hennessey, OK	\$265.00	Expired Tag/Failure to Pay Taxes Due to State
Dowdy, Stacey Lynne of Minco, OK	\$265.00	Expired Tag/Failure to Pay Taxes Due to State
Currier, John Jason of Enid, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Mills, Blake David of Newkirk, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Davidson, Dustin Alexander Dunn of Glencoe, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Williams, Scott Robert of Fay, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Chapman, Kayden Jene Brien of Leedey, OK	\$212.00	Speeding 11-15 Over
Tompkins, Maci Nicola of Blanchard, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Weber, Kadyne of Stillwater, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Miller, Gregory of Kingfisher, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Goad, James Dallas of Stillwater, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Trejo, Jorge of Edmond, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Tyler, Wesley Dan of Fletcher, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Pope, Brooklin Grace of Edmond, OK	\$227.00	Speeding 16-20 Over
Cotton, Kaitlyn Renee of Elk City, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Cole, Amber Machel of Jenks, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Ackerley, Luke Daniel of Tulsa, OK	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Waterbury, Aimee Marie of Miami, TX	\$185.00	Speeding 1-10 Over
Reyes Lopez, Marlon Alexander of OKC, OK	\$212.00	Speeding 11-15 Over

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JH EAGLES EDGE PERRY IN 20-16 BATTLE

The Hennessey Junior High Eagles pulled out a hard-fought win over Perry on September 29, holding on for a 20-16 victory. The Eagles set the tone early, striking first and keeping the momentum through much of the game.

Perry answered back late, but the Eagles' defense stepped up in key moments to protect the lead. Behind solid teamwork and sharp execution, Hennessey showed poise under pressure and secured the win.

Coach Mark Cox credited his players for their determination and effort, noting the team's steady improvement as the season progresses. The victory marks another strong step in what's shaping up to be a promising year for the Eagles.



LADY EAGLES SOFTBALL BEAT THE CHISHOLM LONGHORNS



In an exciting game on Thursday, the Hennessey Varsity Lady Eagles defeated the Chisholm Varsity Lady Longhorns with a score of 6-1. **Kelie Choate** was the star of the game, hitting three singles in four at-bats and contributing to the team's victory.

The Eagles started strong in the third inning when **Ivana Gutierrez** helped score two runs with a groundout. Pitcher **Kenna Peach** put in an impressive performance on the mound, allowing only three hits and one run over seven innings. She struck out three batters and walked two.

Hennessey's offense was powerful, producing a total of 14 hits during the game. Gutierrez finished with two runs batted in (RBIs) and went 1-for-4 at the plate. **Kallie Rapp**, **Clare Munroe**, and **Kenna Peach** also added multiple hits to the team's success.

The Lady Eagles continue to show their strength this season. Keep it up, team!



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Hennessey shines at the 12th Annual Mike Driskill Turkey Creek Classic

Hennessey cross country turned in a balanced day at the 12th Annual Mike Driskill Turkey Creek Classic, highlighted by a varsity girls' individual podium, a junior-high girls' top-four finish, and a team title for the 5th/6th girls. The varsity boys placed sixth in a deep 5K field.

High School Girls — 3,200 meters

Senior **Emma Copeland** led Hennessey with a 3rd-place finish in 13:11.58. She was followed by **Jocelyn Matousek** (10th, 13:34.04) and **Julianne Matousek** (13th, 13:52.33). Scoring depth came from **JoHanna Matousek** (65th, 16:46.98), **Canna Marin** (69th, 16:55.59), and **Faith Martinez** (81st, 17:43.71).

Team result: 5th (113 points).

High School Boys — 5,000 meters

Seth Sims cracked the top-15 in 14th with 19:05.99, followed by **Asher Ward** (25th, 19:43.26) and **Mauricio Gonzalez** (49th, 21:15.05). **Tryton Moreno** (81st, 22:42.12) and **Curtis Shattuck** (107th, 25:20.17) completed the scoring. **Team result: 6th (164 points).**

Junior High Girls — 1,600 meters

Johanna Valles placed 10th in 6:53.59, with key points from **Kylie Stribel** (27th, 7:23.58), **Emily Bryson** (28th, 7:24.88), **Lorelei Root** (50th, 7:55.92), and **Jessica Matousek** (57th, 8:15.01).

Team result: 4th (111 points).

5th/6th Girls — 1,600 meters

Team champions. **Quinn Ward** (3rd, 7:00.00), **Jaynie Bennett** (5th, 7:08.00), and **Kennes Briley** (7th, 7:12.00) set the tone, with scoring support from **Dayanna Roldan** (25th, 7:54.00) and **Morgan Lester** (29th, 8:00.10). Displacement help came from **Ellie Copeland** (38th, 8:08.10), **Joy Matousek** (42nd, 8:14.00), **Kaylee Hladik** (46th, 8:33.00), and **Dakota Hochstrasser** (56th, 8:54.00). **Team result: 1st (49 points).**



High School Girls Left to right: C'Anna Marin, Jocelyn Matousek, Julianne Matousek, Emma Copeland, JoHanna Matousek and Faith Martinez



High School boys left to right: Curtis Shattuck, Asher Ward, Seth Sims, Tryton Moreno and Mauricio Gonzalez

5th/6th Boys — 1,600 meters

Three Eagles placed inside the top-15: **Nicolas Corral** (7th, 6:46.99), **Luis Medrano** (11th, 6:57.36), and **Chance Morgan** (14th, 6:58.47).

4th & Younger Girls — 1,200 meters

Four Eagles hit the line for experience and points: **Anzli Cooper** (9th, 5:38.25), **Elsa Martinez** (21st, 6:05.48), **Hallie Martin** (25th, 6:14.62), and **Jane Matousek** (65th, 8:55.42).

4th & Younger Boys — 1,200 meters

Hennessey finishers included **Parker Steward** (9th, 5:13.48), **Aaron Medrano** (19th, 5:30.89), **Rhet Cooper** (33rd, 5:50.40), and **Mateo Montes** (41st, 6:18.25).



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High School Girls Left to right: C'Anna Marin, Jocelyn Matousek, Julianne Matousek, Emma Copeland, JoHanna Matousek and Faith Martinez

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EAGLES SOAR PAST NEWKIRK WITH STRONG DEFENSE



a 22-yard touchdown pass. The Tigers failed the two-point try, leaving the score 6-0.

The Eagles bounced back in the second quarter, pounding the ball on the ground. Quarterback **Levi Ferrell** capped off the drive with a 3-yard touchdown rush to put Hennessey on the board. The defense came alive as well, with a big 9-yard tackle for loss by **Brytan Gardner** and a pass deflection from **Mario Lopez**. Both teams held strong on defense, sending the Eagles into halftime ahead 7-6.

Hennessey kept the momentum in the third quarter. Ferrell connected with Gardener for an 18-yard touchdown, stretching the lead to 14-6. The Eagle defense shut down the Tigers the rest of the way.

The Hennessey Eagles earned their second win of the season Thursday night with a hard-fought 14-6 victory over the Newkirk Tigers.

The game started slow for Hennessey as their opening drive went three-and-out. Newkirk answered by burning the clock and finishing the first quarter with



In the fourth, Hennessey chewed up the clock with a long 70-yard drive, but a fumble near the goal line gave Newkirk hope. The defense stood tall once again, sealing the 14-6 win.



THE HENNESSEY MIDDLE SCHOOL SEPTEMBER STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Left to right: Annalia Velasco, Grace Beckner, Dawson Powell, Mia Roman, Dayana Soto, Truett Humphries, Bianca Valles, Antonio Santana and Raiden Briley. Not Pictured: Draven Tyree. photo by AAH, Shelley Muzny

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Pumpkin Bread with Nuts or Chocolate Chips

There's just something about pumpkin bread that makes fall feel official. Forget the fancy lattes and Pinterest decorations, when you pull a loaf of this bread out of the oven, the whole house smells like autumn wrapped in a sweater. It's moist, warmly spiced, and perfect for breakfast, a snack, or sneaking a slice late at night.

This recipe takes classic pumpkin bread and adds a little extra indulgence. The pumpkin keeps the bread moist and flavorful, while the mix-ins bring texture and richness.

Ingredients

- 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ cups all-purpose flour
- 1 tsp baking soda
- $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp baking powder
- $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp salt
- 2 tsp cinnamon
- $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp nutmeg
- $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp cloves
- $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp ginger
- 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ cups sugar
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup vegetable oil (or melted butter)
- 2 eggs
- 1 can (15 oz) pumpkin puree
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup water
- 1 tsp vanilla extract
- 1 cup chocolate chips or chopped nuts (pecans or walnuts work beautifully, or do half and half!)



Directions

1. Preheat oven to 350°F. Grease a 9x5 loaf pan.
2. In a medium bowl, whisk flour, baking soda, baking powder, salt, and spices.
3. In a large bowl, whisk sugar, oil, and eggs until smooth. Stir in pumpkin, water, and vanilla.
4. Fold dry ingredients into wet until just combined.
5. Gently stir in chocolate chips and/or nuts.
6. Pour batter into prepared pan.
7. Bake for 55–65 minutes, or until a toothpick comes out clean (avoid sticking it right into a chocolate chip!).
8. Cool in pan 10 minutes, then transfer to a wire rack.

Notes

- For mini loaves, bake 30–35 minutes.
- If you like extra crunch, sprinkle a few chopped nuts on top before baking.
- A swirl of Nutella or cream cheese spread over a warm slice takes it over the top.

A blue-tinted advertisement for Hartzell's Heating & Cooling. It features a large, modern HVAC unit in the background. The text is white and green, with a logo at the top left showing a man in a hard hat. The main text reads 'SAME-DAY SERVICE & INSTALLS' and 'Comfort without the Wait'.

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A dark-themed advertisement for a Generac Sales Event. It features a house with a large glass front and a Generac generator in the foreground. The text is white and orange, with a logo at the top left. The main text reads 'Sales Event', 'Free 10-Year Warranty', and 'WITH PURCHASE A \$1,035 value!'.

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Finding Hope in Hard Times

by Angela Bruner

It doesn't take long to see that the world feels heavy right now. Everywhere you turn there's news of wars, division, financial worries, or personal struggles. Social media seems to amplify the noise, leaving us anxious, distracted, and sometimes just plain worn out.

But here's the truth: none of this is new to God. Through centuries of famine, war, and change, His people have turned to Him and found peace that doesn't depend on circumstances. The same God who walked with believers then is the same God walking with us today.

How We Can Respond

When life feels uncertain, the first step is prayer. Not fancy words, just an honest heart poured out before the Lord. Scripture tells us, "Cast all your anxiety on Him because He cares for you" (1 Peter 5:7).

Digging into God's Word is another lifeline. Verses like Psalm 23 remind us that even in the valley of the shadow of death, He's with us. Philippians 4 teaches us that His peace guards our hearts when we bring our worries to Him.

And don't underestimate the strength that comes from being part of a church family. Faith isn't meant to be lived alone. In community, we find encouragement, accountability, and the reminder that we're not walking this road by ourselves.

Local Churches in Hennessey

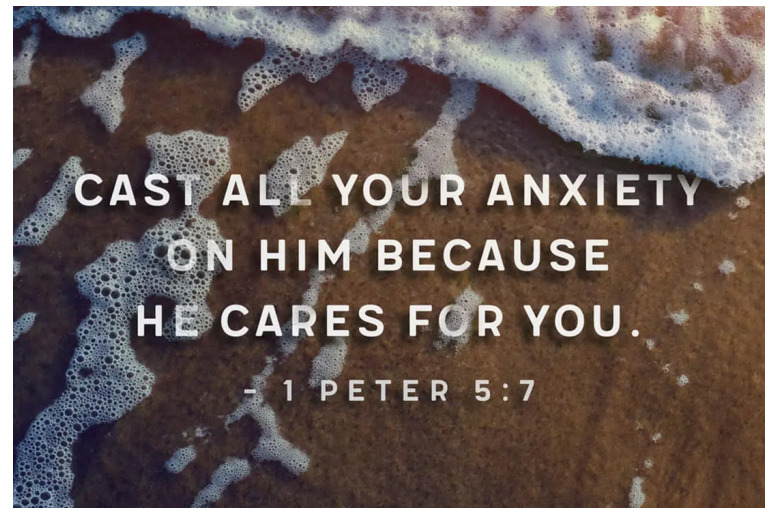
If you're looking for a place to worship or reconnect with your faith, Hennessey is blessed with several congregations:

- First Baptist Church – 122 S. Cherokee St.
- Hennessey First United Methodist Church – 201 S. Cherokee St.
- Hennessey Church of Christ – 705 E. Fourth St.
- First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) – 500 E. 3rd St.
- St. Joseph's Catholic Church – 211 N. Cherokee St.
- Assembly of God – 125 W. Fourth St.
- Cristo Rey Baptist Church – 619 E. 2nd St.
- Dover Baptist Church (nearby in Dover) – 124 N. Chisholm Trail


Each of these churches has its own unique personality and style, but they all share a common purpose: pointing people back to Christ.

The world may feel uncertain, but God is not. He is steady, faithful, and present. These hard times can actually become opportunities to slow down, press in, and put our hope in Him instead of the shifting sand of the world.

So if you've been feeling heavy, let this be your reminder: the Lord is near. Find a church family, open your Bible, and start small. God has a way of meeting us right where we are.



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UPCOMING EVENTS



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Community Calendar

Wednesday, October 1

Kingfisher College Fair
Senior CPR
10 – 11am Littlest Patron Playtime

Thursday, October 2 **PUMPKIN PATCH STARTS**

Hennessey Public Library
FCCLA- DLC @ Enid
12 – 1pm Lion's Club Family Cafe
4 – 5pm (Pink Out) JH/HS
Volleyball vs Chisholm (H)
6:30 – 7:30pm OK2A Meeting
Vernost Wine Co

Friday, October 3

Pre-K Field Trip
10am Library opens late
7 – 8pm HS Football vs Alva (H)

Saturday, October 4

HENNESSEY WINE AND CHOC ALL SCHOOL REUNION

ES/MS CC @ Watonga
4 – 4:30pm Library Tim Burton Style Self
Portraits 3rd- 8th Grade

Monday, October 6

5:30 – 6:30pm JH/HS JV Football vs
Fairview (A)

Tuesday, October 7

FCCLA- Take AIM
HS Band- Tri-State Marching Contest
HS CC @ N. Rock Creek Picture retakes
8am – 1pm ACT Prep Workshop (Jrs)
4 – 5pm Teen Funtivities Club
Hennessey Public Library
4 – 5pm (Sr. Night) HS Volleyball vs
Harding Fine Arts (H)

Wednesday, October 8

10 – 11am Littlest Patron Playtime

Thursday, October 9

12 – 1pm Lion's Club Family Cafe
6 – 7pm NHS Induction Ceremony

Friday, October 10

HS Volleyball Regionals
Kindergarten Field Trip
7 – 8pm HS Football vs Meeker (A)

Saturday, October 11

10am – 4pm Library Bounce House +
mini photo sessions

Sunday, October 12

1 – 4pm Library Mini photo
Sessions 1-4 pm
2 – 2:30pm Perspective Art 3rd- 8th

Monday, October 13

Columbus Day
HS District Academic Bowl
Parent-Teacher Conferences
4:30 – 5:30pm Library Board
5:30 – 6:30pm JH/HS JV Football vs
Cashion (H)
7 – 8pm School Board Meeting

Tuesday, October 14

HS- NWOSU Presentation
Kingfisher Region Opening/Closing
ceremonies contest/Greenhand quiz
Parent-Teacher Conferences
4 – 5pm Teen Funtivities Club
Hennessey Public Library
6 – 7pm Hennessey Town Board
Meeting

Wednesday, October 15

Food Bank Open 4 pm- 6 pm
201 S Cherokee St
HS Band- OSSAA NW Regional
Marching Contest
PSAT
10 – 11am Littlest Patron Playtime

Thursday, October 16

Fall Break- No School (Day 1/5)
HS Volleyball State (Day 1/3)
JH CC All-Star
Pre-game meal- Hosted by Redleve
12 – 1pm Lion's Club Family Cafe
7 – 8pm HS Football vs Kellyville (H)

HENNESSEY SET FOR BUSY SATURDAY WITH FESTIVAL, AND ALL SCHOOL REUNION

HENNESSEY, Okla. — Two major community events are scheduled in Hennessey on Saturday, Oct. 4, with the 14th annual Hennessey Wine & Chocolate Festival during the day and the Hennessey High School Alumni Reunion in the evening.

The Wine & Chocolate Festival will run from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Memorial Park, 204 N. Main St. The event will feature 13 regional wineries, distilleries, cigar vendors, and several chocolate vendors offering a variety of treats. Food options will include tacos, barbecue and American fare. Admission is free, but tasting wristbands are required: \$20 for wine and chocolate or \$5 for chocolate only. Guests must be 21 or older with a valid ID to sample wine.

Miss Kingfisher County 2026 Valentina Insignares of Kingfisher, along with Hennessey residents Kate Curran, first runner-up, and Jocelyn Matousek, second runner-up, will present the festival awards. Honors to be given are Champion Dry Wine, Reserve Champion Dry Wine, Champion Sweet Wine, Reserve Champion Sweet Wine and the Curtis Turner Memorial Best of Show.

The Hennessey High School Alumni Reunion will be held at The Gathering Place, 6067 Madison St. The event begins at 4:30 p.m. with a potluck supper at 5 p.m. Meat will be provided. Class photos will follow at 6 p.m. This year's reunion honors all alumni with special recognition for the Class of 1975 on its 50th anniversary.

Organizers said plenty of food will be available and encouraged alumni to attend even if they are unable to bring a dish. For more information, call Jimmy at 405-853-5071 or Beth at 405-853-1384.

presented by Hennessey United



**HENNESSEY
WINE & CHOCOLATE
FESTIVAL**

Saturday, October 4, 2025 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Memorial Park 204 N Main St. Hennessey, Oklahoma
Purchase tickets at the gate.
Wine and Chocolate tasting \$20.00 Chocolate only tasting \$5.00

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1st Grade - Diego Duran, Ben Huizar, Fabian Roman, Daleya Becerra
2nd Grade - Rhett Haymaker, Alexander Torres, Lorenzo Meza
3rd Grade - Rodee Renshaw, Sofia Ramirez, Evelyn Garcia
4th Grade - Rylenn Compton, Aiden Annis, Emmanuel Robles



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HENNESSEY PD IS HIRING

The Hennessey Police Department is now accepting applications for:

- Full-time Officer
 - 3 Reserve Patrol Officers
- Requirements:
- Must be 21+ and a U.S. citizen
 - Valid Oklahoma driver's license
 - High School Diploma or GED
 - No felony, domestic violence, DUI/DWI, reckless driving (within 5 years), or crimes of moral turpitude
 - CLEET certification preferred but not required
 - Must pass background check, written/physical/MMPI testing, and interview
 - Able to work all shifts, including weekends and holidays

Benefits:

- Competitive pay and benefits
- Most equipment provided

Apply: Pick up an application at Hennessey Police Department, 110 E. 2nd St., Monday-Friday, 7 a.m.-5 p.m., or download at:

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Fall FESTIVAL of Values



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\$2⁹⁹

lb.

Beef Bottom Round Roast

choice

\$5⁹⁹

lb.



Cape Covelle

Cooked Shrimp

51/60 ct., p&d tail-on, 1 lb. bag

\$6⁹⁹

Dole

Garden Salad

12 oz. bag

98¢



Doritos

Tortilla Chips

Select Varieties p.p. \$6.29

2/\$7

Banquet

Pot Pies

Select Varieties 7 oz.

4/\$4



DiGiorno

Rising or Thin Crust Pizza

Select Varieties 16.9-29.3 oz.

2/\$10

Kraft

Barbecue Sauce

Select Varieties 18 oz.

2/\$3

Food Club

Peanut Butter

creamy or crunchy 16 oz.

2/\$3

MORE Grocery SAVINGS

Lay's
Potato Chips
Select Varieties
p.p. \$4.99

2/\$7



Heinz
Tomato Ketchup
32 oz.

\$3.99



Post
Honey Bunches of Oats Cereal
Select Varieties
11-12 oz.

\$3.69



Kellogg's
Zesta Saltines
16 oz.

\$2.99



V8
Splash
Select Varieties
64 oz.

\$2.39



Libby's
Fruit Cocktail, Peaches or Pears
Select Varieties
15-15.25 oz.

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Idahoan
Potatoes
Select Varieties
4-4.1 oz.

2/\$3



Cascade
Dishwasher Detergent
complete or platinum
12-16 ct. actionpacs

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Frontier
English Muffins
plain
6 ct.

\$2.69



Food Club
Brownie Mix
fudge or dark chocolate
16.3 oz.

\$1.19



Food Club
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Select Varieties
7 oz. bag

79¢



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Select Varieties
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Dinner Mix
Select Varieties
7-8 oz.

\$1.99



Food Club
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4 pk., 124 ct.

\$6.99



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Laundry Detergent
Select Varieties
105-117 oz. liquid

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pint

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Select Varieties
21.8-22.5 oz.

\$8⁴⁹



Challenge Butter
**Quarters or
Cubes**

salted or unsalted
16 oz.

\$4⁹⁹



Bella Gardens
**Blueberries or
Strawberries**

whole or sliced
12-16 oz.

\$2⁹⁹



Zatarain's
Dinners

Select Varieties
9-12 oz.

\$3⁶⁹



Stouffer's
**Lasagna or
Enchiladas**

chicken or beef
57-90 oz. party size

\$16⁹⁹



Birds Eye
**Chicken
Voila!**

Select Varieties
21 oz.

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TGI Fridays
Appetizers

Select Varieties
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SeaPak
**Beer Battered
Cod or Jumbo
Butterfly Shrimp**

9-11 oz.

\$8⁹⁹

Non-Food *where available*



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**Inflammatory
Pain Formula**

28 ct. caplets

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Select Varieties
6-6.8 oz.

\$4⁹⁹



TopCare
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cherry flavored
16 oz.

\$2⁹⁹



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**High Performance
Protein Shake**

chocolate or vanilla
4 ct.

\$6⁹⁹

Bakery *where available*



King's Hawaiian
Rolls

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hawaiian sweet
or savory butter
24 pk., Party Pack

\$6⁹⁹



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asiago cheese
4 ct.

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Purnell's Old Folks Country Sausage Patties
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Purnell's Old Folks Sausage Cheese Balls
11.5 oz.



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Blue Ribbon Smoked Bacon
hickory or cracked pepper 24 oz.
\$9⁹⁹

Prime Fresh Lunch Meat
Select Varieties 7-8 oz.

\$3⁹⁹



Fresh Cuts Marinated Chicken Breast Fajita Meat

\$4⁹⁹ lb.



Peyton's or John Morrell Meat Franks
12 oz.



2/\$4



Smithfield Anytime Smoked Pork Chops
17 oz.
\$7⁹⁹

Curly's Pulled Pork
original or bold & spicy 16 oz.

\$5⁹⁹



Hormel Hard Salami or Pepperoni
Select Varieties 5-6 oz.

\$3⁹⁹



Purnell's Old Folks Country Sausage & Biscuits
20 ct. bag

\$10⁹⁹



Fall Into Savings

Grillo's Classic Dill Chips
16 oz.

\$4⁴⁹



Fresh PRODUCE

Jack-O-Lantern Pumpkins
Garden Fresh

\$4⁹⁹ ea.



Garden Fresh Broccoli
\$2⁴⁹ lb.



Sugar Bee Apples
\$1⁴⁹ lb.

Fresh Squash
yellow or zucchini
\$1⁹⁹ lb.



Mini Cucumbers
12 oz.
\$2⁹⁹

Dole Chopped Kits
Select Varieties 10.2-12.2 oz.

\$3⁹⁹



Large Hass Avocados
4/\$5 for



Fancy Pomegranates
Juicy
\$1⁴⁹ ea.

DELI where available



Chicken Strips
Deli Fresh
\$5⁹⁹ lb.



Reser's Parfait or Gelatin Rings
Select Varieties 20-22 oz.
\$2⁹⁹



Reser's Main St. Bistro Twice Baked Potatoes
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