

Lady Stangs WIN Memphis Tournament



The Claude High School Lady Stangs won the first annual Memphis Tournament in Memphis, Texas. (l to r) front row: Kayleigh Jackson, Katie Eichelmann, Ryley Denson, and Lanie Stapp. back row: Coach Kimberly Harper, Danielle Higgs, Alyssa Higgs, Shiloh Heck, Rebecca Ellison, Aubry Brannon, Raelynn Fletcher, and Coach Tiffany Blandford. photo courtesy of CHS Yearbook Staff

The Claude Lady Mustangs travelled to the first annual Memphis Tournament from Thursday, December 6th to Saturday, December 8th.

For the first game, the varsity girls played against

Silverton. The game was held on Thursday and the Lady ‘Stangs dominated the Eagles. The final score was 48-21.

On Friday, Claude played Shamrock, a district opponent. The girls had a small lead of thirteen

points at halftime. However, the Lady ‘Stangs decided that lead was not befitting. By the end of the game, Claude had stretched their lead by forty-one points. Ensuring their ability to play for the championship, the Lady

‘Stangs won against Shamrock seventy-four points to thirty-three points.

Saturday consisted of Claude and Memphis competing for the championship title. The Lady Mustangs fought continuously, and their hard work paid

off. Claude took the Memphis Tournament Championship Title with a game that ended with a score of fifty-one points to twenty-five points.

Approaching their district season, the girls are working hard. They

practice hard and play even harder. Make sure to support your Claude Lady ‘Stangs as they open up their district season!



From the Mayor's Desk: A Note from Bill Wood

The City of Claude held their monthly meeting on December 10, 2018 at 5:30 p.m. in City Hall. Those present were Mayor Bill Wood, City Administrator Howard Heath, Council Members Twila Baldwin, Jim Cabbell, Jay Morris, Dan Parks and Joe Minkley. Others attending were City Secretary Davina McKee, Superintendent Wade Miller, and guests Lori Baggett, Shay Hand, Dwayne Holt, Belinda Perez, Harvey Perez, and Tessa Waddell.

Invocation was given by Joe Minkley. There was no public comment made. Minutes from meetings on November 12th and 20th were approved. After a review of bills, a motion was made by Twila Baldwin and seconded by Jay Morris to pay due bills and the due bills were approved. Twila Baldwin reported on the "Welcome Sign" and it was noted that the pad had been poured and rock work was to be stated. Joe Minkley updated the council on the activities of the EDC and the Park project.

Wade Miller gave updates on city water projects and equipment issues. Howard Heath gave a report on the EMS service as well as other city administrative issues.

There was no old business to attend to or act upon. Under new business, the council agreed to have the City Auditor come down and work with the city to clean up old issues and address previous problems. The council reviewed the proposed holiday calendar for 2019 and it was approved as presented. Howard Heath provided a letter regarding the new officers and new members to the Claude Volunteer Fire Department and to the Claude Emergency Services 501(c) (3) board. The council approved Ryan Fletcher, Macy Lawler, and Shay Hand to join the department based on the recommendation from the Fire Department. They also approved the vote that was conducted at the Claude Volunteer Fire Department meeting naming Dwayne

Holt as Fire Chief, Paul Kodack as Assistant Fire Chief, and Jay Morris and Harvey Perez as Captains. Board members approved were Bobby Grant, Harvey Perez, Nathan McKee, Andrew Holt, Fred Irby, and Craig Thomas Dan Parks will serve as the city council liaison to this board.

In other business, trash rates and structures for commercial rates for trash service were adopted and a letter will be going out to commercial customers. The council evaluated the operation of the chipper site and after discussion, a motion was made by Joe Minkley and seconded by Jim Cabbell to close the chipper site except in emergency situations where it may be needed.

An updated city policy and procedures manual was presented for review and discussion. Twila Baldwin made a motion to approve the manual as presented and the motion was seconded by Jay Morris and was adopted.

A discussion was had regarding using Hotel Tax monies to help out with billboards on the west side of town and it was decided to table this action until the regular January meeting after the EDC has met prior to making any decisions.

As we come to a close of 2018, we can look back and see a very positive year for the city. We see growth throughout the community and very positive things coming in the future. From all of us at the City, we wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Bill Wood
Mayor

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Burrito, Hash Browns,
Fruit Juice, Fruit, &
Milk

Lunch: Chicken
Fajitas, Pinto Beans,
Salsa, Tomato Cup,
Fruit, & Milk

WED., DECEMBER 19TH

Breakfast: Chicken-n-
Waffles, Fruit Juice,
Fruit, & Milk

Lunch: Turkey/Gravy,
Roll, Mashed Potatoes,
Green Beans, Fruit,
& Milk

THUR., DECEMBER 20TH

Breakfast: Pancakes,
Sausage, Fruit Juice,
Fruit, & Milk

Lunch: Country Pot
Pie Biscuit, Veggies,
Broccoli, Banans,
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FRI., DECEMBER 21ST

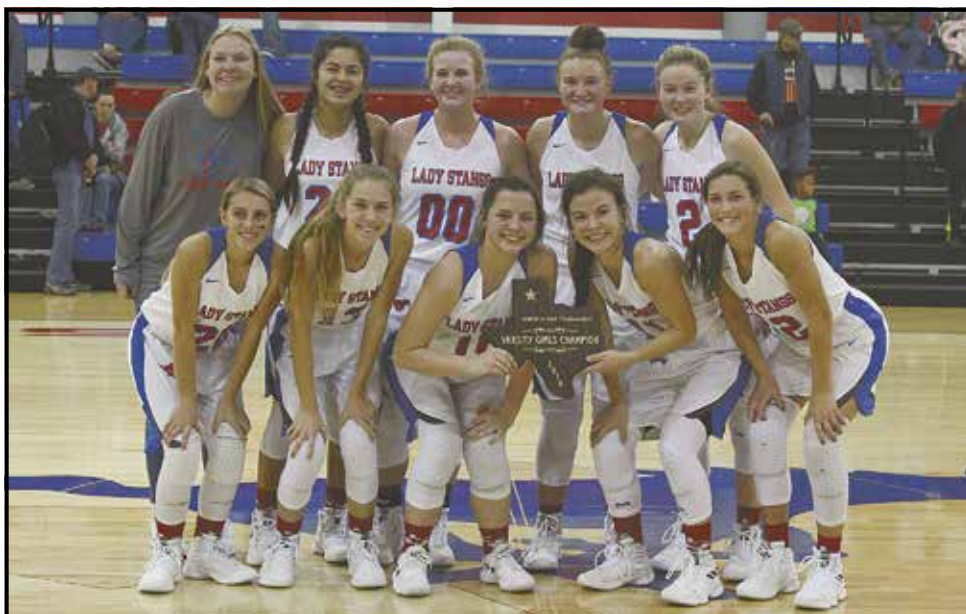
Breakfast: Dutch
Waffle*, Bacon, Fruit
Juice, Fruit, & Milk

Lunch: Chicken
Alfredo, Breadstick,
Tuscan Vegetables,
Salad, Apple, Cookie,
& Milk

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Lady Stangs Compete in North Plains Tournament



The Claude High School Lady Stangs came out on top at the North Plains Tournament on Saturday, December 1st. photo courtesy of CHS Yearbook Staff

BY ALYSSA HIGGS
STUDENT REPORTER

The Claude Lady 'Stangs competed in the North Plains Tournament, hosted by Claude High School. They competed against very talented teams from November 29th to December 1st. After playing their hearts out for four intense games, the 'Stangs brought home the winner's trophy from the tournament.

The varsity girls started with the Tulia Hornets.

This game was close for the first quarter, but by the time half-time rolled around, the Lady 'Stangs held a lead of 12 points. Tulia never had the chance to catch up during the third and fourth quarters. The final score was 48-21.

The second game the varsity played was against River Road. The girls held the Lady Cats with a lead of no less than five points until the fourth quarter. With only a couple of minutes left, River Road managed to catch up and tie the score. Desperately trying to get the ball back, they fouled Kaylee Jackson. She had the opportunity to shoot free throws: a one-and-one situation. She made both free throws, and the Lady Cats weren't able to score again.

The final score was 44-42.

Claude then played McLean, a district competitor, for a spot in the championship game. The girls worked hard to begin a lead over the McLean Tigers, and they finished

with a victory after maintaining that lead. The final score was 56 points to 37 points.

For the championship game, the Lady 'Stangs had to face the River Road Lady Cats one more time. Just like the last game, they held a lead that would differ anywhere from four to fourteen points. This time, however, the 'Stangs did not let the Lady Cats have a chance to win. They played hard the entire game and won with an eleven point lead.

The final score was 54-43 points. It was a great way to end the tournament. Claude's Lady Mustangs are the 2018 North Plains Classic Champions!

STAR STUDENTS

WEEK OF
DECEMBER 14, 2018



WYATT LARSEN

Mrs. Burns', K

He always takes his time on his work. He is very polite and a good friend to others. Way to go Wyatt!



PHILLIP MONDAY

Mrs. Adams', 1st Gr

His teacher loves his enthusiasm for learning. He is always very supportive and caring of other students.



JAMES LEE

Mrs. Minkley's, 2nd Gr

He is a great example for his class.



EMILY AJA

Mrs. Derrick's, 4th Gr

She helps with the class.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS CANTATA PERFORMANCE - Sun. Dec. 16th, 6:00 p.m., The Community Choir will be Performing "Come and See. Go and Tell". Everyone is welcome to Attend!

CISD EARLY DIMISSAL - Fri. Dec. 21st, Don't forget school's out early today!

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE - Mon. Dec. 24th, 6:00 p.m., First Baptist Church, Everyone is welcome!

CHRISTMAS - Tues. Dec. 25th, ALL DAY. Banks, schools, and the Postal Services will be Closed.

NEW YEAR'S DAY - Tues. Jan. 1st, ALL DAY, Banks, schools, and the Postal Services will be Closed.

CISD BACK TO SCHOOL - Tues. Jan. 8th, ALL DAY, Claude Independent School District

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James Westbrook
Shelley Fields
Brent Ferguson
Audrey Abraham

December 19th

Janyth Hubbard
Jed Slack

December 20th

Brad Boxwell
Tim Rumbaugh
Joan Conrad
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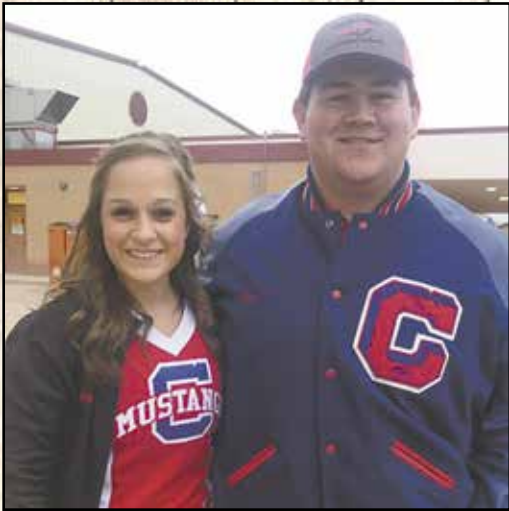
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Senior Spotlight



The Class of 2019 is getting closer and closer to graduation. This week the Senior Spotlight is on Alex Vidaurri. Alex and his family has lived in Claude for 9 years. His favorite class is Math, favorite teacher is Mrs. Price. Alex loves to eat steak, listen to country music and watch the Dallas Cowboys.

Upon graduating Alex plans on attending the Universal Technical Institute in Houston, TX. While attending Claude Alex was involved in FFA and Football. He will have many memories from Claude but his favorite memories will be the "bus rides home from football games." If Alex was ever stranded on a deserted island he would be set with "a knife, a hammock and a case of Arizona cherry limeade."

Something unique unto Alex is "My red hair." "My role model would be JJ Watt," says Alex. "Because he is a great athlete and cares about people." Alex loves Claude and the best part is "being around all my family." The Class of 2019 have many wonderful and Alex is a fine example of that.

Alex Vidaurri



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Saving Tips for this Holiday Season

BY RHONDA MARTIN
COMMUNITY MEMBER

Hi, all I have been blessed to be able to stay at home with my kids, but living on one income has not been easy. I have learned a lot through the years, that i hope you find useful.

This week as Christmas is coming I wanted to share some tips on how to feed your family on a budget and also a few gifts giving ideas I have used through the years

I cook almost all from scratch, it is cheaper than buying the pre-made stuff. When my kids are home for the christmas break we make cookies for snacks and also as gifts to give to friend and neighbors. When it comes to the meals I start with a menu. I inventory what I have in my freezer and pantry. I then look at the sale add for the grocery store I shop at, most stores have online adds.

Next, I set out to make the menu for the week using what I have and what



is on sale. Most stores will be putting ham and turkey on sale soon so this is a good time to pick up what your family has on your christmas menu. My family will be having ham so I will pick up one on my shopping trip. I also make a meue that will use up all the leftovers from the christmas meal. some ideas i have to use up the leftover ham are, you can use your turkey in place of the ham in these ideas.

Leftover Ham Uses:

- ham and cheese sandwiches
- potato ham soup
- ham and cheese hot pockets
- ham and egg omelets
- ham pot pie

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All Region Band

BY ALYSSA HIGGS
STUDENT REPORTER

All-Region band is a competition where individuals compete against one another by performing instrumental solos in front of judges. This year, Claude had two individuals compete in the 4A through 1A. Zachary Moreno and Aiden White both placed in the top twenty of their classifications. They made honor bands but both barely missed qualifying for Area.

Sophomore and trombone player, Zach, has worked hard to be one of the band's key players. He performed well at contest. "When I found out that I made one of the bands I was in total shock and disbelief. After the adrenaline had wore off it finally hit me. Unfortunately I was not able to advance to area, maybe next year."

Aiden, who hopes to advance to Area next year,



Zachary Moreno and Aiden White represented CHS in All Region Band Competition. photo courtesy of CHS Yearbook Staff

is a well known trumpet player. He had a major solo in the marching show where the band earned straight ones. He is and will continue to be a key player in the upcoming years.

These two gentleman performed well against tough competition. Next year, hopefully they both will qualify for Area after they have perfected their skills and instruments.

Athletes OF THE Week



SHILOH HECK

Shiloh Heck is our athlete of the week. Shiloh, along with her teammates has shown tremendous dedication and leadership so far this season. She is not only a tremendous asset on the basketball floor but in the classroom as well and is never afraid to ask questions to make her and her team better.

LOGAN CAMPBELL

Logan has been a model student-athlete since I met him 4 years ago. He is an excellent student, involved in many activities who maintains a high level of achievement in academics. Since arriving in Claude, I've not known him to miss anything that wasn't prearranged or due to another school activity. Furthermore, it is a guarantee that whatever he is asked to do, Logan will do to the best of his ability, without question or complaint. For his reliability, character, and consistent effort I want to name Logan our first athlete of the week.



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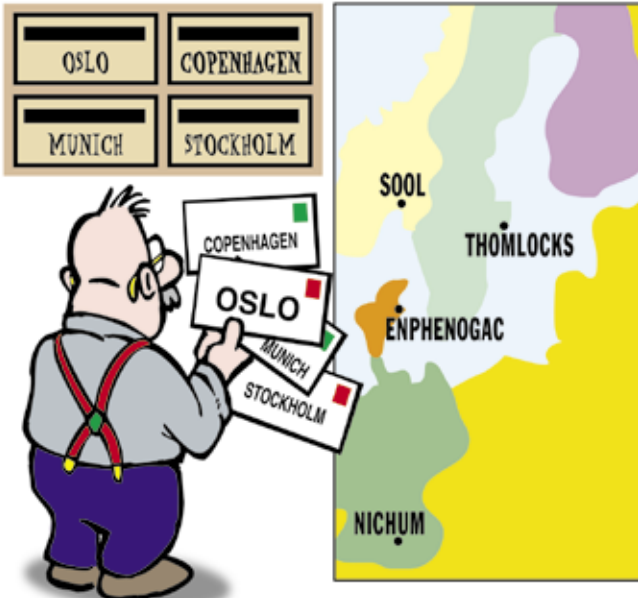
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The Story of Christmas Seals

One stormy December night in 1903, a mail carrier named Elinar Holboell was working late in a small post office just outside of Copenhagen, Denmark.

Glancing out the window, he noticed two children dressed in rags. As he went back to his work sorting the happy holiday cards, he was troubled by the hungry and cold children.

Suddenly he had an idea. Suppose that every letter carried an extra stamp, and the money from these stamps helped unfortunate children.



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Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow multiple-step directions.

In 1904, Elinar and his fellow postal workers created a special stamp to help children. It had a picture of the queen of Denmark, Queen Louise.

The Danes bought four million seals that first year. The funds were used to build hospitals for children with tuberculosis (TB). At that time, TB was the leading cause of death.

How Christmas Seals Came to America

Denmark's neighbors, Norway and Sweden, saw what a great power the people could be, and in 1905 they started selling Christmas Seals.

But when an American woman wanted to use Christmas Seals to save a small hospital in Pennsylvania, she ran into problems. The post office would not let its workers sell the seals.

When a young newspaper writer saw the seals, he told his boss, "Just look—a penny apiece—within everyone's reach—think how they'll carry the news of what people can do for themselves—what a slogan, **STAMP OUT TUBERCULOSIS!**"

The newspaper told the story and sold the seals at their front counter. The first day the stamps went on sale, a little newsboy who was too small to see over the counter came in and, reaching up with a penny, said, "Gimme one. Me sister's got it."

Stamp Out Tuberculosis

Soon, countries around the world started selling Christmas Seals to help people with TB. Today, TB is not the threat that it was 60 years ago. But there is still a need for help. Today the money from the sale of Christmas Seals helps people with asthma, bronchitis and other diseases of the lungs.

Standards Link: History: Students understand how events in the present are connected to the past and the importance of civic virtue.

Kid Scoop Puzzler

Look for a pattern in each row of stamps. Draw the stamp that comes next.



Standards Link: Math: Students recognize patterns.

Christmas Seals By Kids!



CALIFORNIA 1975
NORTH CAROLINA 1975
NEW MEXICO 1975

The American Lung Association had a coloring contest for kids in the past and used the drawings (one winner from each state) on Christmas Seal designs in 1975, and 1977 through 1980.

They did this again in 1995 and 1996 thanks to a sponsorship from Triaminic. The contest was discontinued when sponsorship ended in 1997.

But just for fun, you can still design a Christmas Seal. Use the space below to draw what you think would make a good Christmas Seal.

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N E W S P A P E R A
E O R A N E E U Q D
D P R A G S N L U I
E N T W S L N I E L
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S E A L S Y V M P H

Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognized identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

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Power of the People

Christmas Seals showed people that anyone can help solve serious health problems, not just doctors and nurses. Look through today's newspaper for examples of people working together to make the world a cleaner, safer, healthier place to live.

Standards Link: Health: Students make decisions about health and safety issues.

Write On!

Receive or give?

Some say it is better to give than to receive. Do you agree? Why or why not?

Find the hidden pictures.



Standards Link: Visual discrimination.

Extra! Extra!

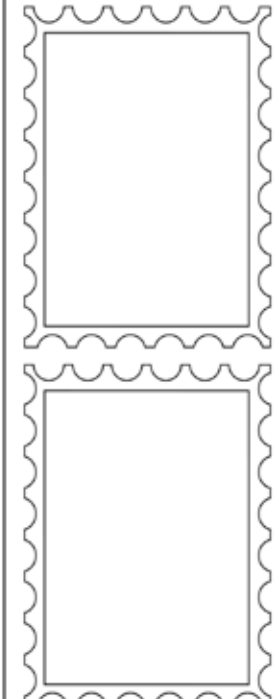
Create a Goodwill Seal

Find a picture and/or words from today's newspaper that seem to say "goodwill." Use these images and/or words to create a Goodwill Seal. If you could sell your seal, what cause would you support with the money?

Standards Link: Social Science: Students understand the importance of civic virtue.

Find the stamp that is different.

Standards Link: Visual discrimination.



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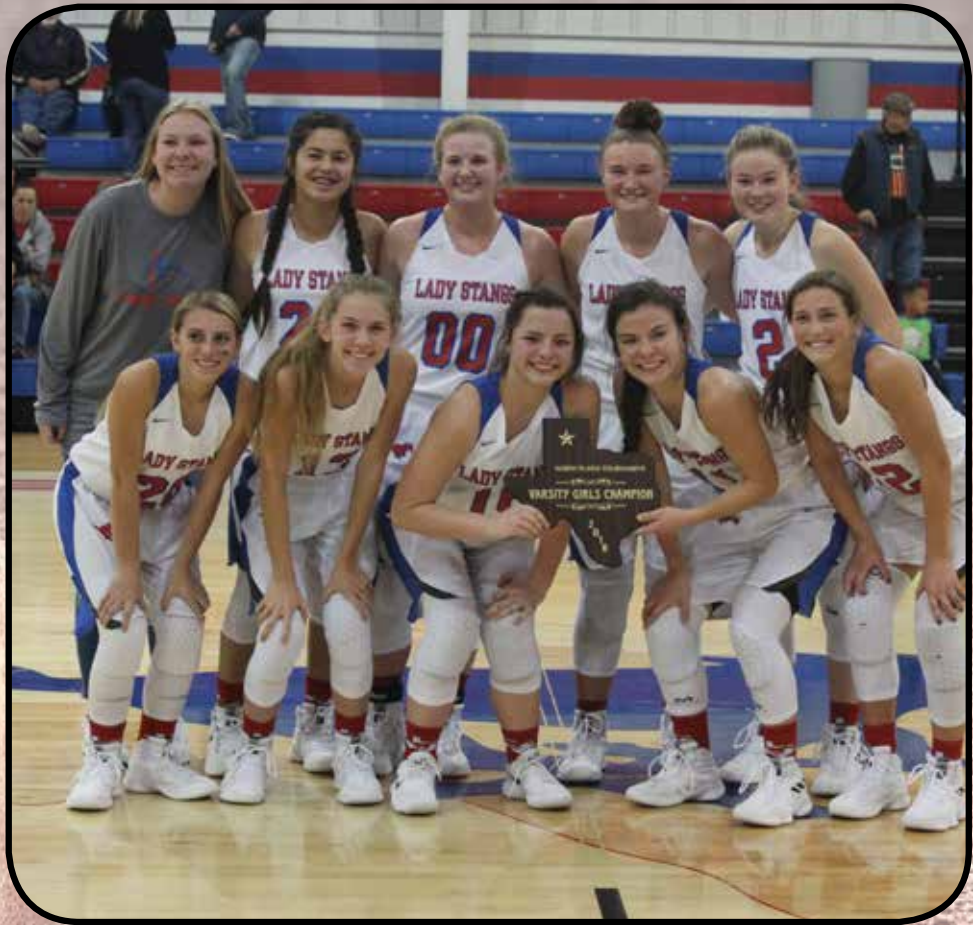
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