

Pendelton's Grand Opening set for March 9th

BY JIMMY MUSTION

Iscream. You scream. We all scream for ice cream! Soon, the citizens of Claude, will all be screaming for ice cream. Pendelton's will be holding their grand opening on Saturday, March 9th. Pendelton's will be an old fashioned soda shop and ice cream parlor located in the same building that houses Graphic Ink.

"I can't wait for Pendelton's to open!" said Claude resident Kathy Rieken. "I grew up with soda shops and it is going wonderful taking my grandkids to one. It is going to be a tremendous addition to Claude."

Pendelton's is being opened by local business man Todd Peden. Peden has a been staple in Claude for the past few years being the current owner of Graphic Ink and FYNZ. Todd found the inspiration for the new venture from someone close to his heart. "My daughter Kyndal had the idea for Pendelton's" shared Peden. "We were brainstorming one night and ice cream it is!"

No one should worry about Peden's current businesses. Both Graphic

Ink and FYNZ will both continuing.

As of right now the plan is for Pendelton's to be opened Tuesday- Sunday from 12-7pm. "We are going to have 16 flavors of ice cream for cones waffle and cake cones or in a cup," said Peden. "Sundaes, with all the toppings, milkshakes and malts. Old fashioned sodas with several flavors and floats. We are also going to have ice cream sandwiches made with chocolate chip cookies." Peden also shared that they will have no sugar added vanilla and are looking into lactose free options as well.

Peden and his crew have been working no stop to get Pendelton's open as soon as possible. "The Biggest challenge has been that we made a pretty lofty goal of being open for Spring Break, trying to get Pendeltons open and still maintaining graphic INK business has been a challenge," said Peden.

In the last few years many new businesses have opened in Claude. The local Economic Development Council have been meeting regularly and investing in several new businesses and the Claude



Pendelton's will occupy the former showroom at GraphicINK. It will be a fun and welcoming hangout for the whole community. photos courtesy of Todd Peden

Chamber of Commerce has a renewed vigor in supporting the city of Claude. Both of these agencies are fully on board with Pendelton's

"The most exciting thing (about starting Pendelton's) has been the community response," shared Peden. "We have had so many people encouraging us and offering help, it has been amazing. The most help offered has

been taste testers, we have had several and they have all said they would work for free!"

The grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremony for Pendelton's will be held Saturday, March 9th at 1pm. After the ceremony they will be serving ice cream until "we hopefully run out!" said Peden.

Peden, his family and his businesses are such a huge asset to Claude and

Armstrong County. Peden is energetic, creative and always full of great ideas. The Claude News hopes he will serve as an example to others on what they can accomplish. Pendelton's is going to serve a need to our community and in Peden's words "Who doesn't like ice cream?!"

Peden could not have done this on his own and he realizes it. He would like to personally thank

"the community first and foremost, the Armstrong EDC, Chamber of Commerce, D&F Construction, Morris Glass, The Claude News and my incredibly talented and patient wife, she has been an invaluable asset. The rest of the Peden clan for help and assistance."

If you are in search of a sweet treat, just look for the 12' ice cream cone!



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2019 Tennis Preview

BY SYDNEY KNOX
 STUDENT REPORTER

This year the Claude Mustang tennis team got a new coach, Galan Reid. Reid plays in an adult tennis league, so he practices his methods and perfects them regularly. Coach Reid is very excited about this season, and is hopeful to win a few matches. He hopes for Senior, Jasmyn Hernandez, to win at least two matches in a row and hit the ball. Hernandez has played tennis in earlier years; however, this is her first year playing at Claude. She stated, "I am excited to get to finish my senior season of tennis at Claude. I am also glad we have a small team, so we can bond and encourage each other." Hernandez also commented, "Coach Reid, I am saving all my magic for district."

Along with new players and a new coach, there are still some returning players. Brayden Vidaurri, a Junior at Claude High School, has been eagerly waiting for tennis to start. Vidaurri said, "I am really excited about returning to the tennis courts this year. I am happy to have a coach that works on fundamentals and takes the time to work with the whole team. He really works hard to make us all better." The tennis team has hopes for this season and would love to have community members stop to watch them practice or even come out to matches. They practice at Claude's local park and their next tennis tournament is at Tascosa's Tennis Courts on March 5th.

Spelling Bee Winners

BY MATTIE KATE LOVELL
 STUDENT REPORTER

On Thursday, February 21, Claude ISD hosted the annual Spelling Bee for the elementary and junior high students. This competition allows for students to show off their spelling and vocabulary skills and engage in friendly competition with fellow students until they are the last man standing.

"Besides building their vocabulary, they build character because they are responsible for studying on their own," First Grade Teacher and Spelling Bee Correspondent Marci Junell said. "It also gives them a chance to present themselves in front of a large group of people. This builds their self-confidence and gives them a sense of pride and accomplishment."



Rhett Yates (1st place), Shelby Britten (2nd place), and Elizabeth Soliz (3rd place) took top three in the 2019 Claude ISD Spelling Bee. photos courtesy of CISD

The top finishers this year were Elizabeth Soliz (3rd), Shelby Britten (2nd), and Rhett Yates (1st). Yates will go on to represent Claude in Amarillo Globe News' Regional Spelling Bee.

The competitors' choice to participate in the Spelling Bee displays their remarkably advanced character traits of responsibility and dedication. This

undoubtedly foreshadows a bright future ahead of them, and Claude ISD is proud to lay claim to such brilliant students. Be sure to congratulate Rhett Yates on his prestigious accomplishment and wish him good luck with the Regional Spelling Bee in Amarillo. He is sure to represent well and make us proud!

2019 Softball Preview

BY ALYSSA HIGGS
 STUDENT REPORTER

The Lady Mustangs softball team was very successful last year. They competed well and qualified for the playoffs. This year, the team has returned ready to hopefully fight for a place in the state championship game.

Many of the players from last year have returned. There are also several new girls that are willing to contribute to the team. Several seniors are excited for their last season including McKay Wilkerson, Rebecca Ellison, and Jade Edwards. Wilkerson expressed herself when

asked about the upcoming season by saying "I'm really excited to be in position of leadership and to set an example for my team."

There are also several other players returning to play this year. The juniors include Millie Graham and Amber Hand. Sophomores Makenzie Miller, Trinity, and Aubrie Brannon are helping to rope in freshmen and newcomers. These new additions include Trinity Smith, Reagan Colbert, Kiana Staine, Sakura Snody, Angelina Stanghellini, Jasmyn Hernandez, and Bailey Squires.

One crucial player, Amber Hand, is looking

forward to playing. "I'm really excited for this years softball team! We have a couple new players and lot of returning. We have a lot of potential this year, but we still have a long way to go! I hope we go further than we did last year."

The upcoming season will consist of several tournaments and games before getting into district. The Claude Lady 'Stangs will be looking to head into district strong, coming out on top in order to qualify for the playoffs. Make sure to come and support the varsity softball girls during their 2019 season.

2019 Mustang Baseball Preview

BY SYDNEY KNOX
STUDENT REPORTER

This year the Mustang Baseball team has high hopes for the season. Returning coach, John Moffett, set the boys' motto as 'Above the Bar.' Moffett wants them to reach as high as they can, and go above and beyond no matter the circumstances. A lot of the players really love this motto. Sophomore, Zach Moreno, is one of those players and decided to talk about it, "It's going to be a good season. While we can't win them all, I know we can get better each game and I think we will have a really good shot at making playoffs. The quote Coach Moffett picked this year is one that I really liked. I interpret it as not just staying normal but doing whatever you have to to go above and beyond." It's a good thing to put in their minds not only for baseball but in life.

The Mustangs are really looking forward to this season and hope that their will be leadership in the upperclassmen and a willingness to work in the younger classmen. They also have high hopes for the season and expect to do well. Freshman Carson Roberts stated, "Coming into this baseball season we fully expect to be a district threat. We believe fully that we have talent and core to make a good run in the playoffs. With only having 11 guys we all have to be on our toes and ready to work everyday. And that's what we fully expect to do."

There are a lot of good things happening at Claude High School! Be sure to come out and support them in all that they do!

Western Art Exhibit at the Armstrong County Museum

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Western art from well-know artists is now on exhibit at the Art Gallery of Armstrong County Museum (ACM), 120 N. Trice St., in Claude. The art pieces are framed and ready for sale as well as reminiscent viewing.

Reata Gallery owned and operated by Vicki Sprouse of Canyon has provided this quality western art show. Some of the artists represented are Bill Owen, Wayne Baize, Dino Cornay, Robert "Shoofly" Shufelt, Terri Kelly Moyer, Tim Cox and more. Vicki says she "values the joy that many of the paintings

bring to those who view them or purchase them. Sometimes a painting will remind the viewer of a childhood or family memory, or one of their favorite buckskins."

You can also find Reata Gallery art pieces at The Right Angle frame shop in Amarillo at 4123 West 34th. In addition, the website displays various pieces www.ReataGallery.com and contact information.

The appealing western art will be on display and for sale at ACM Art Gallery through April. The Museum is open Tuesday through Saturday, 12-4pm. Come by and enjoy the art and visit the local Museum.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

ARMSTRONG COUNTY MUSEUM (ACM) AND THE CHARLES GOODNIGHT HISTORICAL CENTER (GHC) WELCOME VISITORS. ACM is open Tues.-Sat., 12-4pm, and is located at 120 N. Trice St., Claude. GHC is open Tues.-Sat., 10-5pm and is located at 4989 Co. Rd. 25 in Goodnight, TX, just south off of Hwy 287. Plan a visit soon. For more information, call 806-944-5591 or 806-226-2187 or see the website www.CharlesGoodnight.org.

EMS STATION GRAND OPENING - Thurs. Mar. 7th, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m., Inside Claude VFD on the Corner of 2nd and Parks

PENDELTON'S GRAND OPENING - Sat. Mar. 9th, 1:00-6:00 p.m., Inside Graphic INK on Hwy 287
SPRING BREAK/NO SCHOOL - Mon. Mar. 11th thru Fri. Mar. 15th, ALL DAY, Claude Independent School District/WEE School

COMMISSIONERS COURT - Mon. Mar. 11th, 9:00 a.m., Armstrong County Courthouse

CLAUDE CITY COUNCIL - Mon. Mar. 11th, 5:30 p.m., City Hall

CISD EARLY DISMISSAL - Thurs. Apr. 18th, Claude Independent School District, Don't forget to pickup your kids!

CISD NO SCHOOL - Fri. Apr. 19th, ALL DAY, Claude Independent School District, *Unless we have a snow day

EASTER - Sun. Apr. 21st, ALL DAY

CLAUDE CITYWIDE GARAGE SALE - Sat. May 4th, 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., Maps will be located around town

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WEE SCHOOL GRADUATION - Wed. May 22nd, 6:00 p.m., First Baptist Church. Come and celebrate our students' achievements this year!

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Lunch: Chicken Parmesan, Breadstick, Salad, Green Beans, Pears, & Milk

*Substitute Item will be Served to PreK

Aftermath of Inmate Escape

The Armstrong County Sheriff's Office has terminated one female employee and disciplined another, male employee, for reportedly enabling an inmate to escape.

Allan Odell Rhone, 47, made his escape around 2:41 P.M. Monday, February 18, 2019. Rhone is still at large and was last seen in Amarillo, Texas.

According to the Critical Incident Investigation performed by Chief Deputy King, the terminated female employee was working as the Shift Dispatcher and Jailer at the time of the escape and had another new male employee training with her. The male employee, working under the direction of the terminated female employee, opened a cell door to give the inmate a mop bucket to clean his cell. He re-secured the door but later returned to retrieve the mop bucket and opened the cell door again. At that time the inmate forcibly struck the jailer with the mop bucket and escaped into a hallway. He was able to make his way out onto a recreation yard for safety after being struck. The inmate was contained in the jail hallway and could not escape to the downstairs of the jail due to a locked security door.

The terminated female employee then opened the secure jail floor door,

that was keeping the inmate contained, and Rhone forced his way out into the Sheriff's office Lobby area, assaulting her as she tried to restrain him. According to the Sheriff, it was the female employee's error of opening the secure door that allowed the inmates to escape. If the door would not have been opened appropriate Law Enforcement response would have had time to respond to the area to re-secure the inmate within a cell using force if necessary.

The terminated female employee has been released from service for Violation of the Armstrong County Sheriff's Office Standard Security Measures Policies which include: Hostage/Barricaded Subject Policy, Failure to follow orders for overseeing her trainee and failing to follow Jail Door Opening Cell Protocols. The male employee is being disciplined for failing to follow Jail Door Opening Cell protocols and has received a written reprimand and been placed on Probation for one year.

The order for jeopardizing standard security measures is defined as an intentional or unintentional action that violates standard security measures designed to maintain custody and containment of inmates and to provide protection for inmates, staff, and citizens.

- The Hostage/ Barricaded Subject Policy requires that all doors remain secure and not be opened when a Hostage or barricaded subject situation occurs.

- Jail Door Opening Protocols in place always require a Deputy Sheriff or other Law Enforcement Entity to be present in the building when a Jailer opens any cell door.

The sheriff's office said the Male employee could be fired for any future infractions. He has only been with the Sheriff's Office for approximately 2 weeks and was under the supervision of the terminated female employee.

The Armstrong County Sheriff's Office has recently been short staffed on Deputies causing them all to work long extended hours to protect the almost 1,000 square miles of the County with only 2 Deputies and the Sheriff on patrol. The past administration has also faced scrutiny from County officials who want to shut the Jail down in order to cut County Costs. Shutting the Jail down would cause Local Law Enforcement and Texas Department of Public Safety Troopers to have to transport inmates outside of County to other facilities which would leave the already taxed Deputy staff even more shorthanded.

The Sheriff's Office wants the public to know that the Jail Facility is Secure and Safe. However, in this instance these employee errors caused the escape to occur. It should not be looked upon as an error of all the employees at the facility or the physical building structure of the jail.

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The law requires motorists to move over or slow down when certain vehicles are stopped on the side of the road with emergency lights activated. These vehicles include police, fire, EMS, Texas Department of Transportation (TXDOT) vehicles and tow trucks.

Specifically, Texas law states that a driver must either:

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Drivers should only move over if they can do so safely and legally; otherwise, they should slow down.

Violators of this law could face a fine up to \$200; the fine increases to \$500 if there is property damage. If violators of this law cause bodily injury, they can be charged with a Class B misdemeanor, resulting in possible jail time and maximum fine of \$2000.

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STAR STUDENTS

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BENTLEY SHAW
Mrs. Burns', K
He has done the best job lately of working hard in class! He's been doing his best and completing all his work on time! Keep up the great job, Bentley!



ELLA BRITTEN
Mrs. Hook's, PreK
She does the right thing no matter what everyone else is doing.



LIBBY GREEN
Mrs. Blandford's, 4th Gr
She is respectful, polite, and uses good manners.

Senior Spotlight



This week the Claude News shines the Senior Spotlight on Tristan Sims. Tristan and his family have lived in Claude for the past three years. Tristan loves math, Mrs. Price, the color blue, the Boston Red Sox and Manicotti.

After graduating from Claude High School, Tristan plans on going to Amarillo College and joining the fire academy. While he was attending Claude, Tristan has been involved in football, basketball, baseball, track and FFA. In his free time Tristan likes to skateboard, ride bikes or play xbox.

"Being a starting pitcher for my very first varsity game" is Tristan's favorite memory here at Claude. He would be set if he was deserted on an island, all he would take would be fishing gear, a knife and a boat. Tristan states his mom, Angela Sims, as his role model because "she is always striving to do better." Tristan has been a great student, a great athlete and a great role model here in Claude. He will go to do great things.

Tristan Sims

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EVENTS

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EVENTS

Beaumont, TX - Home & Garden Show, March 1-3, Ford Park, Beaumont. Golden Triangle Home & Garden Show – Everything for the Home, a multitude of home improvement professionals in one location, GoldenTriangleHomeAndGardenShow.com.

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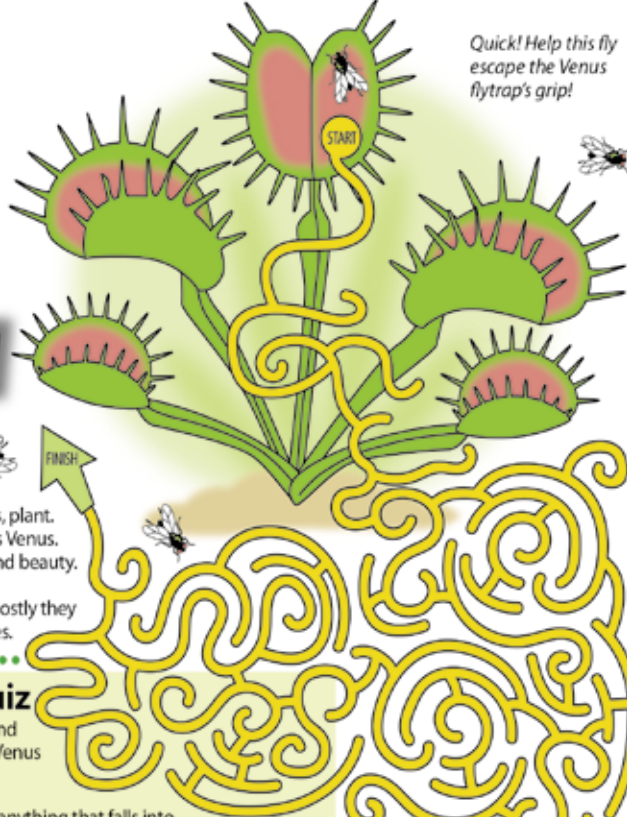
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VENUS FLYTRAP

THE JAWS OF DOOM



Beautiful but Hungry

The Venus flytrap is a meat-eating, or **carnivorous**, plant. It is also quite lovely. That is why its name includes Venus. That is the name of the Roman goddess of love and beauty.

But don't worry – a Venus flytrap won't eat you. Mostly they eat bugs. They especially love mosquitoes and flies.

Jaws of Doom True or False Quiz

Make a guess about which of these statements are true and which are false. Then read the scientist's notes about the Venus flytrap to check your answers.

- Venus flytraps have teeth. TRUE FALSE
- Venus flytraps only needs bugs to survive. TRUE FALSE
- Venus flytraps eat anything that falls into their mouth-like leaves. TRUE FALSE
- Venus flytraps help keep bugs out of your house. TRUE FALSE
- Its "mouth" shuts in under one second. TRUE FALSE

Dangers?

Venus flytraps aren't dangerous to people, but people are endangering them. Venus flytraps are only found growing wild in one small area of the planet – in the grassy wetlands, or bogs, around Cape Fear, North Carolina. This area has just the right climate, amount of water and soil conditions.

Today the plant is threatened in the wild. The draining of bogs for farming and the building of shopping centers and houses has reduced the plant's habitat and numbers. **Less than 5% of the plants are left.**



Venus flytraps have little spikes around the leaves. But they are not teeth. They don't chew. The plant uses digestive juices, much like those in your stomach, to eat insects.



Venus flytraps get much of their nutrition from the bugs they eat, but they also need water, sun and soil to survive.



Digestion of real food takes five to 12 days, after which the trap reopens. The insect's exoskeleton blows away in the wind or is washed away by rain.



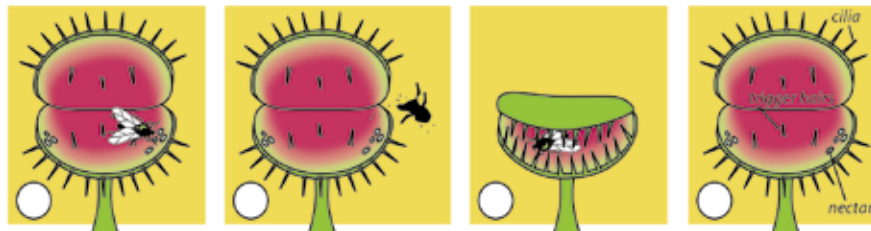
If something not edible falls into a Venus flytrap, it will close up and try to digest it. But after about 12 hours, it will open its leaves and let the fake food fall out.

How many flies can you find on this page?

Snapping Up a Meal

Number the pictures in order.

Sweet nectar around the edges of the Venus flytrap's open leaves attract insects. As a bug moves across the surface drinking up this treat, it touches small, sensitive bristles on the Venus flytrap. These trigger hairs tell the plant when a possible meal has arrived. Then the plant's "jaws" close very quickly, trapping the insect inside. The long *cilia*, hairs along the leaf edges, act like prison bars, preventing the insect from escaping. Several days later, after the insect has been digested, the leaves open and what's left of the insect body blows away.



Extra! Extra!

Before & After

Look at a photograph in the newspaper. What do you think happened before the photo was taken? What do you think happened afterwards?

Standards Link: Research. Students predict likely outcomes.

Kid Scoop Puzzler

Flytrap is a **compound word**, made by combining two smaller words: **fly** and **trap**. Look at the pictures below. Draw a line between two pictures to make a compound word. Then write the word.



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Standards Link: Follow simple written directions.

Double Double Word Search

- FLYTRAP
- CLIMATE
- STOMACH
- SURVIVE
- BEAUTY
- SPIKES
- EDIBLE
- DIGEST
- JUICES
- VENUS
- LOVE
- BOGS
- FEAR
- WILD

Find the words in the puzzle. How many of them can you find on this page?

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J	E	S	T	O	M	A	C	H	E
U	D	F	V	R	G	J	A	Y	S
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Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognized identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

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Newsy Timeline

Select an article that interests you in the newspaper. Read the article and then make a timeline to show the events in the order they happened. Share your timeline with a parent or other family member.

Standards Link: Reading: Extract information from text.

Write On!

The Magic Seed

One day I planted a magic seed...
Finish this story.

Kid Scoop Together:

Cause and Effect

When something happens, there is usually something that caused it to happen. The **cause** comes first, the **effect** second. Here are some examples:

When the hairs on the inside of a Venus flytrap's leaves are touched, the plant snaps shut.

Cause: touch the hairs
Effect: plant snaps leaves closed

If a little rock is put inside the mouth-like leaves of a Venus flytrap, the leaves will snap shut. After about 12 hours, the leaves will open so the rock can drop out because it is something the plant can't eat.

Which part of the above is the "cause?"

Which part is the "effect?"

Look through the newspaper for an article that interests you. Can you find one effect and what caused it?

Cause:

Effect:

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