



Above the Roosevelt Eagles protect the runner earlier this season in a scrimmage against Slaton. Right, Eagles attempt to tackle a player. The Eagles defeated the Tahoka Bulldogs 46-0 last Friday, going 3-0 on the season for the first time since 2014. (Slatonite file photos/ Melissa McCaghren)



Eagles soar in 46-0 victory against Tahoka

By Melissa McCaghren
Slatonite GM

The Roosevelt Eagles football team has been having fun in its first three games, going a perfect 3-0 after their win against the Tahoka Bulldogs, 46-0 Friday evening (Sept. 11).

Head Coach Matt Landers said this is the first time since 2014 the team has been 3-0 at the start of the season. “We are very humble and excited. The players have been preparing for this year for a long time,” he said. “A lot of these Seniors and Juniors playing for us have been starting since they were Freshman and Sophomores. They have put a lot of hard work into the off-season and summer on their own and it’s really showing and paying off for them this season.”

That said, the team isn’t letting it get into their heads. “We are just enjoying the moment and having fun going out there on Friday Night competing and we are very humble and blessed we still get to play on Friday Night,” he said. “We really do not talk about how many wins, we look to go 1-0 each week.”

This attitude showed in last week’s game. “The players played very well last week. I am very proud of their effort and the way they are playing. They are coming together as Brotherhood and you can see it on and off the field.”

Top rushers were quarterback Jacob Torrez with five carries for 148 yards. He scored three touchdowns and averaged 29.6 yards a carry; running back Alex Trevino (four carries for 47 yards), running back Jonathan Rive-ro (five carries for 61 yards and one touchdown), running back Zack Bryant (three carries for 50 yards and one touchdown), running back Angel Olivares (six carries for 27 yards) and running back Kenyon Tayloy (three carries for three yards).

Torrez made two of four attempts passing, going for 33 yards and one touchdown. Top receivers were tight

Game Times, Dates

- Roosevelt will play Dimmitt Friday at 7 p.m. at home.
- Wilson and Southland will face each other Friday evening (Sept. 18) at 7:30 p.m. in Southland.
- Slaton will not play again until Sept. 25, when they will take on Post at home.

end JJ Diaz, making two catches for 33 yards and one touchdown.

Total Offense included 372 total yards, 27 rushing attempts for 339 rushing yards, averaging 12.6 yards a rush.

Defensively, the Eagles made 67 tackles, with two quarterback sacks.

This week, the team will face the Dimmitt Bobcats Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. at home.

Landers said he and the

team were looking forward to playing another game of football.

But Dimmitt will not be an easy team to defeat.

“Dimmitt has a really good defense, especially their defensive line. They have three really good defensive lineman who really come off the ball and use their hands really well. It’s going to be another good challenge for us, especially up front for our offensive line,” he said.



Above, Victoria Montes and Jasmine Robles as well as other cross country runners compete at Caprock Canyon Sept. 8. Montes was 23rd while Robles was 24th in the race; inset, Trace Weller finished 10th in his race at the Caprock Canyon meet. (Submitted photos)

Roosevelt Cross County flies in recent meets

By Melissa McCaghren
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The Roosevelt Eagles Cross Country teams have had a busy two weeks to start their 2020 season.

They first hosted the Acuff Cotton Field Trot Sept. 2.

Top runners for the event from Roosevelt were for the girls, Kass Benavides, second, 14:15; Joslyn Salazar, third, 14:45; Lexi Gonzales, sixth, 14:56; Victoria Montes, ninth, 14:54; and Melody Allison, 10th, 15:58; and for the boys, Trace Weller, fifth, 12:57.

Head Coach Kim Clemmons was pleased with their results. “Kass, Joss and Lexi are amazing runners and getting better each week,” she said.

The team then attended the Caprock Canyon XC



meet Sept. 8.

Clemmons said here places were not as important as times on the hilly course.

Placing in this meet were, for the girls, Salazar, third; Benavides, fourth; Gonzales, 20th; Brittany Bartlett, 22nd; Montes, 23rd; Jasmine Robles, 24th and Abby Olivares, 29th; and for the boys, Weller, 10th.

The teams will attend the Plainview meet Sept. 19, and then later on will again host

Upcoming races

- The Roosevelt Eagles will be racing Sept. 19 in Plainview, then again host a second Acuff Cotton Field Trot Sept. 30.
- The Slaton Tigers currently cannot race due to the High School going virtual only due to a COVID outbreak. They are projected to be able to race again Sept. 26 in Lubbock and Sept. 30 in Roosevelt.

another Acuff Cotton Field Trot Sept. 30.

Clemmons said they are preparing each week for the big District race. “In our upcoming meets, we are looking to improve each week so that we are ready to compete well at the District meet on Oct. 12,” she said.

Slaton Bakery Spotlight



Laura Cunningham Dawdy

Stephen F. Austin Primary is proud to announce Mrs. Laura Cunningham Dawdy as our Employee of the Month. This is Laura’s sixth year teaching and four of those years have been at SFA teaching Kindergarten. In August, after many months of hard work, Laura received her Masters Degree in Educational Technology and Leadership at Lamar University.

Laura has already put her degree into motion. She has been a huge asset to SFA students, parents and our community by bridging the gap between virtual and face to face instruction. Her commitment of ensuring all students are being educated whether they are virtual or face to face has been unwavering.

Laura does a wonderful job of fostering the social and emotional growth of her students while building a foundation of reading and math to ensure their success well after Kindergarten.

Laura is “Owning It” and we are proud she is helping lead the way during these unprecedented times.



Gunner Jones

Stephen F. Austin Primary is proud to announce Gunner Jones as our Student of the Month.

He is the son of Jarod Jones and Ashley Lechuga. Gunner is in Kindergarten in Mrs. Milligan’s classroom. He loves to read and his favorite book is "Curious George." Gunner’s favorite colors are blue and red and his favorite part of the day is lunch and recess.

Gunner wants to be a Slaton Tiger football player and when he grows up he wants to be a Cop so he can arrest a lot of people.

Gunner is a great student who is ready to learn and is a great role model and friend to his classmates. Gunner always is safe, responsible, and respectful which is our SFA Tiger Way.



Public Notices

NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Lubbock

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain *Order of Sale* issued out of the **Honorable 99th District Court** on the **10th day of July 2020**, for the sum of **THIRTEEN THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED THIRTY-SIX DOLLARS and Sixty-six cents (\$13,736.66)** under a Judgment in favor of **Ovation Services, LLC Lubbock Co. et al. vs. AMBER WRIGHT DEFENDANT**, in cause number **2020538524**. Placed in my hand for service, I, Kelly S. Rowe, as Sheriff of Lubbock County, Texas, did on the **17th Day of August 2020**, levy upon certain Real Property, situated in Lubbock County, Texas described as follows, to wit:

Legal Description: THE WEST SIXTY-FIVE (W65’) OF LOT TWENTY-THREE (23) WHITE OAKS ADDITION TO THE CITY OF LUBBOCK COUNTY, TEXAS ACCORDING TO THE MAP, PLAT AND OR DEDICATION DEED THEREOF RECORDED IN VOLUME 895, PAGE 547, DEED RECORDS OF LUBBOCK COUNTY, TEXAS.

Approximate Location: 3606 58TH ST LUBBOCK, TX 79413

and levied upon as to the property of **AMBER WRIGHT**, and that on the **first Tuesday of October, 2020**, the same being the **6th day of said month**, at the Gazebo located

at the Front of the Court House of Lubbock County, in the City of Lubbock, Texas, at 10:00 A.M., by virtue of said Levy and **Order of Sale**, I will sell the above described property at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of **AMBER WRIGHT**, and in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English Language, once a week for four weeks preceding said day of sale, in *The Slatonite*, a Newspaper published in Lubbock County.

Witness my hand, this **20th day of August, 2020**.

Kelly S. Rowe
Sheriff Lubbock County

By /s/ Deputy J. Morrison
Civil Division