seconded by Blaine Dyess and the motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0.

Ryan Webb made a motion to purchase 40 Dell Latitude 5540 Notebooks from M&A Technology for \$52,638 and was seconded by Ashley Braswell. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0.

There will be a regular meeting on August 17 at 5:30 pm with a budget workshop prior. A special meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 29, at 6 pm with a hearing prior at 5:30 pm.

Ashley Braswell made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Ryan Webb seconded. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0.

Honor society inducts new members

Stacia Emfinger of Tennyson was recently initiated into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation's oldest and most selective collegiate honor society for all academic disciplines.

Founded in 1897, Phi Kappa Phi is the nation's oldest and most selective collegiate honor society for all academic disciplines. Phi Kappa Phi inducts annually approximately faculty, 25,000 students, professional staff and alumni. The Society has chapters on more than 325 select colleges and universities in the United States, its territories and the Philippines. Membership is by invitation only to the top 10 percent of seniors and graduate students and 7.5 percent of juniors. Faculty, professional staff and alumni who have achieved scholarly distinction also qualify. The Society's mission is "To recognize and advance excellence in all fields of higher education and society." For more information, visit www.PhiKappaPhi.org.

On This Day in Texas History November 10, 1837

On this day in 1837, eighteen Texas Rangers fought 150 to 180 Kichai Indians in presentday Archer County in a conflict called the battle of Stone Houses. In mid-October 1837, a ranger company pursued the Kichais up the raiding Colorado River. Lt. A. B. Van Benthusen and seventeen men split from the main group and headed north to the Brazos. Eventually, they found the Kichais. Cherokee and Delaware Indians who were present attempted to act as peace agents, but when one ranger killed an Indian and took a plug of tobacco from the dead

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Monday at 5 pm.



State Meet! The Blackwell High School girls cross country team competed at the state meet held in Round Rock on Friday, November 3. Individual results are as follows: Kinley Cummings - 15th, Addison Dove - 26th, Blakely Pritchard - 51st, Jaquelyn Saxton - 81st, Brynlea Wojtek - 110th, Marlene Sanchez - 115th, and Avery Glenn - 124th.

man's body the infuriated Kichais attacked. The rangers sought cover in a shallow ravine, but after fierce fighting, the Kichais set fire to the prairie and smoked them out. In the ensuing

chaos, some rangers escaped into the woods. Eight rangers survived the battle, which was so named after three stone mounds that looked like houses to the Indians.

NOTICE OF DROUGHT CONDITIONS

Due to drought conditions, the City of Bronte has entered into Stage 1 (mild conditions) of its Drought Contingency Plan.

Mild Conditions

The goal of the mild condition drought contingency measures is to achieve a voluntary reduction of the daily water demand.

A. The city will utilize the local news media to inform the public that all consumers will be requested to voluntarily reduce water use.

B. Major commercial water users will be contacted and requested to reduce water use to the greatest extent possible.

C. A voluntary outdoor water use schedule will be published. The recommended water use schedule for Bronte is as follows: Watering should not be done between the hours of 10 am to 6 pm.



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