

Week OF 7/31/17

Announce from July 14th – August 24th

El Campo High School Season football tickets go on sale to LAST year's season ticket holders on July 17th at 8am, through August 3rd at 4pm. The remaining season tickets will go on sale to the public on August 7th at 8 am to August 24th. Season tickets are \$25 per set of 5 tickets. Please be sure to let them know that you heard about it right here, on 96 Country! Proudly supporting our community!

Benefit Dinner for Ruby Roehl

Ruby Roehl, the daughter of Blake and Cameron, is a 4 month old little girl who was diagnosed with VSD, which is a hole in the wall that separates the ventricles of the heart. She underwent open heart surgery on Thursday, June 29th. There will be a benefit Pork Steak Dinner with trimmings for Ruby on Wednesday, August 2nd. Tickets are \$10 and all proceeds will go to offset surgical medical expenses. The meal will be to go only and pickup is between 5 and 7 pm at the El Campo Civic Center, located at 2350 North Mechanic St. You can get your tickets at Superior Motor Parts of El Campo or Sablatura's Grocery of Louise, or you can call Terry at 979-476-4010. For more information, check out the community calendar messages page at 96 Country.com. If you're able to make it out there, please be sure to let them know that you heard about it right here, on 96 Country, proudly supporting our community!

FESCO Blood Drive

FESCO is hosting a blood drive on Thursday, August 3rd from 3:30 to 6:30 pm at 711 East Jackson St. in El Campo. For more information or if you would like to schedule an appointment, you can call Jennifer at 979-543-9451. If you are able to make it by there, please be sure to let them know that you heard about it right here, on 96 Country!

Plaza Theatre Footloose Performance

The Plaza Theatre in Wharton is putting on a production of *Footloose* from August 4th to the 20th. Performance times are Friday's and Saturday's at 7:30 pm and on Sunday's at 2:30 pm. The Plaza Theatre is located at 120 South Houston St. in Wharton. If you would like more information or would like to purchase tickets and reserve seating you can call 979-282-2226 or you can visit Wharton Plaza Theatre dot org. 96 Country is a proud sponsor of the Plaza Theatre.

Jackson County Chamber School Supply Drive

The Jackson County Chamber of Commerce is accepting school supply donations now until August 9th. Donations may be dropped off at the Chamber Office which is located at 317 West Main St. in Edna, Monday thru Friday 8 AM to 5 PM. They will be passing the school supplies along to the school districts in Jackson County. If you are able to donate please do so and let them know that you heard about it right here, on 96 Country!

KC's Helping Heroes Warriors Weekend Fundraiser – Fishing Tournament

KC's Helping Heroes is having a crappie and bass fishing tournament at Lake Texana on Friday, August 4th and Saturday, August 5th. On Friday at 6 pm they will have a rib eye dinner for entrants at the Brackenridge Parkway in Edna. At 7 pm they are going to have the Crappie Calcutta and then at 7:30 they will have the Bass Calcutta. On Saturday, hooks in the water at 6 am and at 3:30 hooks out of the water. At 3:30, weigh in will begin. 2 person teams for Crappie and 2 person bass fees are \$150 per team. Each team is allowed a junior angler, age 14 and under at no additional charge. All proceeds will benefit Warrior's weekend. For complete rules and regulations you can contact Kurt at 361-771-8000. If you make it out please be sure to let them know that you heard about it right here, on 96 Country!

Hunter's & Boater's Education Courses

There will be two hunter's education classes, one on Thursday, August 10th and the second is on Saturday, August 12th. Both Classes will be from 1-7 pm. Hunter's Education is required for all hunters born after September 2nd, 1971. To complete the course you must be 9 years or older. Don't let this opportunity pass you by with hunting season just around the corner! There will also be a boater's education course on Friday, August 11th from 1-7 pm. Boater's education is required by the state for all operators of boats or personal watercraft that were born after September 1st, 1993. You must be 13 years or older to complete the course. All classes will be held at the El Campo High School Science Lecture Hall. To participate in any of these courses please go online to T P W D dot ELEMENT LMS dot COM and select which course you are interested in. Cost of the Hunter's Education Class is \$15 and the Boater's Education is \$20. Cash or Check due at time of class, No credit cards will be accepted. If you have any trouble you can contact Aaron at 936-581-0734. If you go by there, please be sure to let them know that

you heard about it right here, on 96 Country!

Texana Red Hatters Monthly Meeting

The Texana Red Hatters will hold their monthly meeting at the Morales Store on Friday, August 11th at 11:30 a.m. Plan to stay a few extra minutes and practice your creative skills. If youre able to make it out, please be sure to let them know that you heard about it right here, on 96

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Saved by the Bell – School Supply Drive

The 2nd Gospel Back to School Bash is happening on Saturday, August 12th at Willie Bell Park in El Campo. They will be handing out backpacks filled with school supplies from 12 to 6 pm. There is going to be gospel music, praise dancing, and gospel rap. They are currently looking for sponsors and school supply donations. All churches are welcome! Saved by the bell is presented by Torrance and Lataine Boston. For more information or to make donations or sponsor this event, you can call Lataine at 979-616-7337. Please be sure to let them know that you heard about it right here, on 96 Country!

Wharton County 100 Club

The 100 Club of Wharton would like to invite everyone to the 37th annual awards banquet at the Wharton Civic Center on Thursday, August, 17th. Social Hour begins at 6 pm and a catered meal will be served at 7. Come on out and show your support for those who give their all to keep our community safe. Their goal is to provide a door prize for each member of law enforcement to show support. If you would like to donate a door prize or make a cash donation, you can contact Joe at 979-543-0183 or Eugene 979-578-2919. If you are able to make it out, please be sure to let them know that you heard about it right here, on 96 Country!

ECHS Class of 2018 Pro Grad Meal

The El Campo High School Class of 2018 Pro Grad will be having a Chicken Fried Steak Dinner sale on Tuesday, August 22 from 4:30 to 6. Plates will include chicken fried steak, rice, gravy and green beans. Pickup will be at the KC Hall located on Armory Rd. and it will be drive thru only. It is \$9 per plate and all proceeds will go towards Project Graduation for the El Campo High School Class of 2018. If you're able to make it by there, be sure to let them know that you heard about it right here on 96 Country! Proudly supporting our community!

Bow Wow Benefit Dinner

The Wharton County Stray Pet Outreach Team (SPOT) is hosting a Bow Wow Benefit Dinner on Tuesday, August 22nd in Wharton and on Thursday, August 24th in El Campo. Ben's
Chuckwagon will be providing a Chicken Fried Chicken Dinner with gravy, buttered potatoes, green beans, and homemade bread. Pickup will be at the KC Hall from 5 to 6 pm. Tickets are

\$10 and all proceed will benefit the Stray Pet Outreach Team. For Tickets you can visit the following locations: Alamont Vet Clinic, Wharton Vet Clinic, Country Pets, and Coastal Plains Animal Hospital. You can also contact Kay if you're near El Campo at 979-541-9232 or Donna if you're closer to Wharton at 979-657-3030. If you're able to make it out, please be sure to let them know you heard about it right here, on 96 Country!

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Visit your local library this summer

The summer reading program is in full swing at the El Campo Branch Library! Also, go by and pick up a copy of activities going on at the library this summer for the kids! Those participating in the library's summer reading program will have an opportunity to win prizes! The El Campo branch library is located at 200 W. Church and open six days a week, Mondays through Saturdays. Some of the programs available include story time for children ages 3 -5 at 10:15 am each Tuesday and toddler time for those ages 6 months to age 3 at 10:15 am on Wednesdays. For more information about activities, call 979.543.2362 or just go by and check out a book.

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Register for Museum Summer Activities!

The El Campo Museum of Natural History is having registration for their summer camps. Be sure to get your kids signed up as soon as possible as class sizes are limited! Call the museum at 979-543-6885 to register or visit the website at www.elcampomuseum.org. Terrific Thursdays and crafty Friday's are also held at the museum! Come on out and enjoy lots of animal fun and crafts at no charge! The Museum is also offering tours FREE of charge, every Tuesday through Friday: 10 am to NOON and 1 – 5 pm as well as on Saturdays from 10 am to 3pm . Make sure to visit the El Campo Museum of Natural History and please let them know you heard about it right here on 96 Country, proudly supporting our community!!

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Ganado Nursing and Rehabilitation Center

Holds coffee kolaches, and conversation at 10am on the first Tuesday of every month. The public is invited to join them so be sure to let them know you heard about it here on 96 Country, where we are proudly supporting our community!

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The Jackson County Memorial Library

Holds a "Mother Goose" reading program for children up to 5 years of age every Wednesday at 10 am. Be sure to let them know that you heard about it right here at 96 Country!

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Manna Meals are being served behind blessing cup at 500 Foerster St. in El Campo. Serving is from 5-6:30pm on Mondays and Thursdays. Manna Meals is a cooperative service of the Ministerial Alliance Association of El Campo. Follow Manna Meals facebook. Be sure to let them know you heard about it here on 96 Country proudly supporting our community!

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Are you on disability and looking to get back to work? We can help! Since 1995, the non-profit organization, NTI has been helping Americans with Disabilities back into the workplace. NTI has guided thousands of individuals with disabilities in legitimate work at home jobs nationwide. Be a part. Call 877-248-8912, that's 877-248-8912 to learn more or Visit N-T-I-Central-dot-org-slash-apply for a work at home position today. And be sure to let them know you heard about it here on 96 Country!

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Veterans Service Office Open

The Wharton County Veteran's Service Officer will be in the reference room of the El Campo library, which is located at 200 West Church. They will be there from 8 am to noon and 1 – 5 pm on Wednesday. They will also be in the Frank Shannon Building located at 1017 North Alabama Road in Wharton on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 8 am to noon and 1 – 5 pm. If you plan on coming out be sure to call 979.532.1311 before you stop by. Be sure to let them know that you heard about it on 96 Country!