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Library to celebrate Mexican Independence
 The Great Escarpment Library will host a celebration to honor the Mexican Independence Day on September 16th. The celebration will be held at the library and will feature a variety of activities, including a book display, a Mexican Independence Day story time, and a Mexican Independence Day craft project. The celebration will be held from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM. For more information, please call (785) 843-5500.

New community group seeks young members
 A new group of the Central Chapter of Young Professionals (YC) is seeking young members. The group is open to individuals aged 18-35 who are currently employed in the area. The group will meet on the second Tuesday of each month. For more information, please contact the group's website at [www.yccentral.com](#).

City Hall contributions
 After hearing multiple requests for funding, the City of Liberal contributed a total of **\$158,800** to local groups, including:

Base Fee	\$5,000
1st Maintenance	\$1,000
2nd Maintenance	\$1,000
3rd Maintenance	\$1,000
4th Maintenance	\$1,000
5th Maintenance	\$1,000
6th Maintenance	\$1,000
7th Maintenance	\$1,000
8th Maintenance	\$1,000
9th Maintenance	\$1,000
10th Maintenance	\$1,000
11th Maintenance	\$1,000
12th Maintenance	\$1,000
13th Maintenance	\$1,000
14th Maintenance	\$1,000
15th Maintenance	\$1,000
16th Maintenance	\$1,000
17th Maintenance	\$1,000
18th Maintenance	\$1,000
19th Maintenance	\$1,000
20th Maintenance	\$1,000

Patriots Schools celebrate patriotism on 9/11
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 Young Professionals

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 A group of seventh-grade students from the Great Escarpment Community School District recently participated in a quiz for the Liberal Board of Education. The quiz covered topics such as the metric system and rounding. Catherine Martin was named Teacher of the Month for her efforts in the classroom.

Turpin voters will have say on proposed new \$2.75 million PE, safe room facility

Funding Source	Change	Amount	Change	Percentage Change
Current County	0	14,000	0.00	
By State	0	6,000	0.00	
By Turpin Schools	25,000	27,000	12.50	
Total	25,000	47,000	33.33%	

Impact to the Taxpayer

2012/2013	2014/2015	Annual	Monthly
\$0.00	\$2,750,000	\$2,750,000	\$229,167
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
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Gun/knife show Sunday
 The annual gun and knife show will be held on Sunday, September 15th, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM at the Liberal Convention Center. The show will feature a variety of firearms, knives, and outdoor gear. Admission is free.

Miss Kansas shows tattoos at Miss America pageant
 The 2013 Miss Kansas representative, Kayla Givens, has shown her tattoos at the Miss America pageant. Givens has several tattoos, including a large one on her back. She is proud of her heritage and her culture.

