



Texas Parks & Wildlife video producers Alan Fisher and Karen Loke interview Walt Thompson on winning the Chamber's Opening Day Big Buck Contest at the Legacy Plaza Pavilion in Goldthwaite.



TP&W Films Goldthwaite Opening Day

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The Goldthwaite Eagle**

A television program focused on hunting season in Mills County will be available for a special viewing locally on Oct. 16.

Texas Parks & Wildlife Television Producer Abe Moore talked with The Eagle recently about the making of the program.

Texas Parks & Wildlife Television has aired on the PBS network for more than 30 years in Texas, Moore said.

While the focus is always on out-

Texas Parks & Wildlife Television Show Special Preview Screening is set for this coming fall at the Legacy Plaza Pavilion.

door activities, they decided last year for the first time to "focus a whole show on one town and how it relies on the economic stimulus of hunting season," Moore explained.

In reference from other producers, they decided to focus on Gold-

thwaite and Mills County, doing most of the filming on opening day of deer hunting season last year.

The crew spent time with a local cafe owner, a local hunter, a local deer processor, a local hunting gear retailer, etc.

Moore said they had four different camera packages all going at same time over the course of about 48 hours to produce the program, which was still in the editing phase in August of this year.

He said there were four or five producers involved, as well as audio people.

"It was an all hands on deck effort," Moore said.

They tried to show how each person or entity was affected from start

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