

St. John Lutheran Church VBS

St. John Lutheran Church at Lariat held Vacation Bible School this month. More pictures on Page 7. (Photos by Tina Symm and Keegan Langford)



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BTD plans come along

The Border Town Days Committee met Monday to review plans for this year's big event and all looks good.

"Careers for Today will be the theme of the 44th annual Border Town Days to be held on Saturday, July 31.

At the meeting, it was noted:

-- Xcel Energy donated \$500 to BTD.

-- Set the last meeting to pay bills on Aug. 9.

-- Passed out t-shirts saying "BTD Official" to committee members.

Here's a rundown of how the day shapes up so far:

Arts and Crafts

Lynn Mahaney, Farwell

postmaster, is in charge of this event. It's open to both homemade and commercial vendors. Folks wishing to sign up for a booth are asked to call her at 481-3601 or write her at P.O. Box 471, Farwell TX 79325.

More than 30 artisans have already signed up and last year the area, in front of the Parmer County Courthouse, was fully booked.

Giveaways

Drawings will be held at 4 p.m.

The BTD Committee has set up a 50-50 drawing, with Jerry Whitney in charge. You don't have to be present to win.

The BTD Committee

also awards \$50 in cash to the person who bought a BTD button and whose number is called. Three hundred buttons were printed.

Buttons cost \$3 or 2 for \$5.

And the Farwell Senior Meal Site will have several giveaways, including one for a 65" TV.

42 Tourney

A 42 Tourney will be held at the Texico Community Center on July 24. Jerry Whitney is in charge. Proceeds will benefit the Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens and BTD.

Concessions

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Crooks, Leavell to be honored for cemetery work

By Keegan Langford

Margie Crooks and Marcia Leavell are being honored next week as Border Town Days Honorary Parade Marshals for their work improving the Texico cemetery.

It started in January 2003. When these two ladies saw that the cemetery was full of weeds and grass, they asked about it, hoping to make a difference. The city then appointed them, as well as three other persons, to be on an association for the cemetery.

The members include Margie Crooks (president), Marcia Leavell, Lynn McDaniel, Ted Lopez, and Teresa Curry.

This group has meetings once a month where they go over their overall objectives. This is kind of like a "to-do list", where they brainstorm ideas, and report progress on finished projects. All the members pitch in on the things on this list that need to be completed.

Margie and Marcia are still working specifically on one project. They are working on identifying unmarked graves, finding more information on graves, and creating a database of all the people buried in the cemetery.

So far, they have over 1,000 identified graves, with 108 still unknown. The way the project was kicked off, was by Marcia and her husband, Arlye,

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Margie Crooks and Marcia Leavell

Farwell band BTD schedule announced

Farwell Band Director Bill Shelly announced the practice schedule for band members before their participation in the Border Town Days parade on July 31.

Shelly invited all Farwell Band members to attend. "Come check out an instrument and join in the fun!" he said.

Practices will be held at the Band Hall Monday through Friday of next week from 1 to 3 p.m.

Then, band members will meet at the Band Hall on Saturday, July 31, at 9:30 a.m. to check out their instruments and prepare their float.

Principal resigns

The Lazbuddie School Board held a special meeting on Friday to accept the resignation of high school principal John Jones.

He has taken a post at Midway, Texas, which is near Wichita Falls.

Also, junior high teacher Shana Glover has resigned.

She was teaching half days. Susan Thompson, who was teaching the other half days, will now be a fulltime teacher.

Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

Agreement is nice

As a columnist, it's always nice to see another columnist echo your thoughts.

This held true a couple of weeks ago with a Las Vegas, Nev., columnist named Wayne Allyn Root whose column was entitled "Barack Obama: the great jobs killer."

The gist of Mr. Root's column was that small businesses in the U.S. are taking it on the chin and that there will be no major increase in new jobs for years to come due to it.

I have been thundering this same message for quite some time: that our "leaders" publicly talk about creating jobs and helping small business, while the reality it is the opposite.

Mr. Root wrote that small businesses are not hiring new employees because they can't due to higher taxes. Instead, they are learning to "do" with fewer employees.

Folks, I don't like criticizing Mr. Obama. I would rather congratulate

late him on his economic successes. If what he did was good for our nation, I would support him 100 percent. Unfortunately, his trillion dollar stimulus package, while preventing a 2nd Great Depression, has not been able to bring back lost jobs.

What really irritates me is that our "leaders" are now saying most of the millions of jobs lost the past few years will never come back.

They are so shortsighted (i.e., really stupid).

It doesn't take an economic guru to know that if you cut taxes for small businesses, they likely will hire more folks and expand their companies.

So what is our government doing? They are piling on more fees.

Think I'm kidding? One of the most important votes in the history of the U.S. is coming up later this year: whether to rescind the tax cuts approved under the Bush administration.

If those cuts are abandoned, and I expect the Democrats to do so because they wouldn't want to support a "Bush thing," it's time to really hunker down. Moving to Central America might not be a bad idea.

If those cuts are maintained, it will be a boost to our economy.

I expect the former to win out. And that means

politics will govern this vital decision, not the best interests of the nation. That makes me want to vomit.

The bind that government finds itself in is simple: They need more tax money to pay for the nation's social programs.

There is no way our the Democrats will cut social programs because that is the core of much of its constituency.

And when you look at the demise of the American middle class, who is left to be taxed more?

Small businesses. And that means more jobs will be cut.

What a vicious cycle. The answer is obvious: government must cut its spending.

Yeah, and I have waterfront property in Phoenix I can sell you...

*** Ask Carolyn Johnson about the great surprise that awaited her when she returned from vacation.

Lightning hits Read's home

Farwell School Supt. Mike Read's house was struck by lightning the night of July 14.

Everyone was okay, but some of their electronics were destroyed.

His house borders the Farwell golf course.

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The Latest

Aug. 1 is the last day to register for the Farwell youth sports football season.

If you are from Farwell, contact Sam Herrera at (575) 791-1662.

If you are a 5th or 6th grader from Texico, call Jason Tuls at (575) 714-1306.

If you are a 3rd or 4th grader from Texico, call Randy Harrison at (575) 799-1143.

The fee is \$125 per youth.

*** Word has been received of the death of the father of Sara Joplin, of Farwell.

*** Eli Symm, of Farwell, was recently named to Tarleton State University's Distinguished Students list.

He is enrolled at the university's Stephenville campus.

Obelisk Fund continues to grow

The Farwell Obelisk Fund continues to grow. Latest donors were Marcia Cole and Xcel Energy. And a correction on last week's note: donors were Doyle and Doris Ford. The drive will end on July 31. In August, a large ad will appear in the Tribune thanking those who contributed.

The obelisk won't be ready until after Border Town Days. First, it will be erected. Then it has to wait at least 30 days before the painting can be done.

Although the construction goal has been reached, it would be nice to have some extra funds given for maintenance and repairs when needed down the road.

To donate, just drop off cash or a check at Security State Bank, or send a check to the bank at Drawer J, Farwell TX 79325.

Corn crop looking good

From Monti Vandiver, Parmer County extension agent - IPM:

Overall, the area corn crop looks very good. Much of the crop is tasseling and dropping pollen; a few ears of blister stage corn have been observed.

Cotton has responded very well to higher temperatures. Blooms can be readily found in many fields and others are not far behind. The current crop in going into bloom with excellent yield potential.

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Crooks, Leavell

From page 1

walking the entire cemetery, noting graves that did and did not have markers, then comparing that with the map of the cemetery. She then made a database of all the information that she found.

A main part of that project included Marcia and Margie going over to the funeral homes in Clovis and searching through all their record books, page by page. With all this research, the two found information on unknown graves and also found information to add to other headstones in the cemetery.

They also had a lady from Elida who came in to assist them. She is a dowser, and what she does is very unique. She has two copper rods that she walks through the cemetery with. When she crosses over a grave, the rods cross as if they're magnetized to each other, and as soon as she is done walking across the grave, they uncross. This really helped Margie and Marcia discover some unknown graves they didn't know were there.

After all this, a total of 77 markers were put out. The members of the association paid for 50, and 27 were paid by the families of the deceased. Also, Margie and Marcia discovered 29 names that they couldn't locate in the cemetery, so they had a monument made in those people's honor.

"The thing that thrilled me the most," said Marcia, "was when we found out the name of a woman whose marker just simply had 'mother'. It was nice to find out who 'mother' actually was."

This project is one that will probably never be complete. It's always an on-going process, and new information is continuously being discovered. According to the ladies, "There is never a dull moment."

Margie said, "Research is imperative. We're always asking questions and making phone calls."

Also, there are 117 veterans buried in the cemetery, with four being Confederate soldiers. The asso-

ciation is the ones who put flags out on all these graves on Memorial Day so that all veterans are accounted for.

All of this information is on two websites that Marcia has been working on. The first one is findagrave.com. This specific site has pictures with obituaries. People can log onto this website from anywhere in the U.S. and even overseas.

The next one is called bythedrop.com. This site focuses more specifically on Curry County and has family records.

In order for this project and future projects to be successful, the organization has to get money from somewhere. The way they do this is by way of dues. Once a year, a letter is sent out that shows progress, and ideas, etc. In this letter, people are also asked to help pay dues, but this is totally voluntary.

"The people of the community have been really helpful," Margie said.

One thing this money is used for is upkeep. A mower has to be hired to make sure the entire cemetery is mowed, but even with this money, some of the work still has to be done by the members of the association.

For example, after a hard rain, 50 markers had sank into the ground, so Margie, Marcia, and their

husbands went out and fixed the problem themselves.

"This is volunteer work," they both said. "We're doing it because we love to do it. It's very rewarding for us, as well as for the future of the cemetery."

There are many more projects that have been finished, which include a sign in the front of the cemetery, a gazebo, a flagpole, and four metal benches. "We would've never been able to do all of this without the help of our other members," they said.

The two would like to personally thank all of the other members, as well as all the other organizations and people that have helped them along the way. They said, "We really appreciate it."

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City to build dog pound

The Farwell City Council on Tuesday voted to spend about \$59,000 on a new animal pound.

The 50' x 20' building will be constructed by Steve Meeks.

It will be placed behind the city barn on 1st Street.

The council also scheduled a special meeting on Aug. 2 to interview a police officer from another community who is interested in coming to Farwell.

If this man is hired, he would have three jobs:

1. Backup for the current two-person city police force.

2. Animal control officer (a job that is currently unfilled).

3. Code enforcement officer (a job that has been vacant since the death of Lee Hutchins).

The city had been spending about \$16,000 for the code enforcement position and was looking at spending a similar amount for a part-time animal control officer.

If one person could do the two jobs, plus back up the current police, it could work if the right person was available. Thus, the reason for the Aug. 2 interview.

Mayor Jimmie Mace had been looking into sharing an animal control officer with the city of Texico.

In other business, the council:

-- Was presented a preliminary city budget. It won't be finalized until the council can meet with Farmer County Appraiser Curby Brantley on the tax situation in August.

One interesting note from the city budget information:

In the 2009 fiscal year, police department fines totaled \$34,987. In 2010, it was \$77,632. Projected

for 2011 is \$100,000. -- Heard Police Chief Larry Kelsay report that he was doing a mandated computer update recently when the system crashed.

This meant that all records put into the computer the past two years were gone. He will need to go back and put in all the records, such as warrants and citations, into the computer again.

-- Heard Mace praise the Texico Fire Department and EMS for the great help they have been giving Farwell.

The way it works is that if a problem happens, the call goes first to the Farwell EMS. If they cannot respond quickly, Texico is called. And if that doesn't work, Clovis is called.

Texico's EMS has been very much appreciated for their assistance to Farwell. So the council, at Mace's suggestion, is donating \$500 to the Texico EMS so they can have a special steak dinner as a thank you.

The Farwell EMS is seeking folks to join it because more volunteers are needed. If you are interested, please contact City Hall at 481-3620.



Virgil Tritsch, Cathryn Bogard, Nina Killough, Bonnie Skaggs and Robbie Johnson enjoy the 4th of July party at the Farwell Convalescent Center.

4th of July party



Donald Dale and Jimmy Gordon



James Martin and Doris Martin

Area school coaching changes listed

There's been a couple of coaching changes made at Texico Schools for the coming year.

Bea Lucero replaces Ryan Autrey as basketball coach for the JV Girls.

Autrey becomes track coach (assisted by Bea Lucero), replacing Mike Prokop.

And Todd Estes will take over JV volleyball.

Other coaches are: Varsity - Keith Durham, girls basketball; Kristen Scanlan, golf and volleyball; Richard Luscombe, boys basketball; Ryan Autrey, football; and Steve Doolittle, JV boys basketball.

Junior High - Bea Lucero, volleyball; Todd Estes, girls basketball; and Mike Thomas, boys basketball.

Here's a look at the Farwell Schools coaching staff:

Varsity -- Miles Watters, girls basketball; Shane Perkins, boys basketball; Traci Read, track and cross country; Jimmie Mace, golf;

Also, Ross Prokop, tennis; Mike Prokop, football; Taylor Read, JV boys basketball, and

Traci Read, JV girls basketball.

Junior High -- Ross Prokop, tennis and boys basketball; Traci Read and Kristi White, girls basketball.

And here's how the

Lazbuddie School coaching staff shapes up:

James Hester, football; Janene Jesko, varsity and JV girls girls basketball; Todd Rutledge, varsity and JV boys basketball.

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The Latest

Registration at Texico Schools has been moved to Aug. 11 and 12 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. mt. at the educational complex.

About 1.6 inches of rain poured down the night of July 14 in the Twin Cities.

A silage and forage workshop is st at the Farwell Community Center on July 28 at 10 a.m. to noon.

It will include pest management presented by Monti Vandiver, extension agent for integrated pest management Parmer and Bailey Counties, and Dr. Mark Marsalis, extension agronomy specialist, from New Mexico State University Clovis Research Center. It's open to all.

Lunch will be provided by Southwest Ag Services following the meeting.

Bernice Pennington was taken to Muleshoe hospital this week.

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Texico Schools to sponsor Community Health Fair

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Activities are scheduled from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. mst in the Educational Complex.

Community Health Fair activities include:

- Kindergarten Registration (required for all fall kindergarten pupils).
- Pre-school screening is available for infants through 4 years of age.
- Parents must bring their child's birth certificate, Social Security card, Medicaid card, and shot records, and proof of residence for the screening and registration.
- Fingerprinting will be available for children for Child Identification.
- Public Health Department will conduct Blood Pressure, and Immunizations.

All activities will take place in the Texico Educational Complex

We invite you to attend this year's Health Fair activities!

Bicycle Contest sign-ups taken

All youngsters are reminded that registration is open for the Border Town Day Decorated Bicycle contest.

Youths must sign up at the State Line Tribune, 404 3rd St. in Farwell. Or call us at (806) 481-3681.

-- Two brand new bicycles are being given away. Tedson Trailers and Master Tech Auto Service, both of Texico, have donated the two bicycles. One is for a boy and one is for a girl.

This year's BTD theme is Careers of Today. It is important to follow the theme since that is a large part of judging.

Also, an anonymous donor has provided funds for cash prizes to be given away in each category.

The registration deadline for the contest is at 4 p.m. on July 30.

Ginger Anderson said that youths planning to enter the contest need to register, giving their name an age, to be eligible for all the prizes.

The contest will be held one hour before the Border Town Days parade kicks off on Saturday, July 31. The contest takes place adjacent to the Citizens Bank branch in Texico. Entrants need to be here at 10 a.m. Texas time.

After the bicycle contest ends, all participants will ride in the parade to the Farwell City Park.

Prizes will be announced at the beginning of the day in the park activities at 12:30 p.m. Texas time, at the Farwell City Park gazebo.

All participants need to be on hand at that time to receive their prizes. No motorized bikes are allowed in the contests.

All riders must bring their decorated bikes and trikes to the west side of the Citizens Bank building in Texico by 9:45 a.m. Texas time.

Room is available for the contest, and the Texico City Council has approved closing the street next to the bank to traffic during this time. Thus, there will be complete safety for the kids during the judging.

You must be on time or you will not be judged, alerted Mrs. Anderson.

She added, contestants need to be sure to stick to the theme Careers of Today, if they are going to be counted. The judges will be looking for adherence to the theme."

The contest is open to all youths who live in the Texico and Farwell School districts. Also, the BTD committee allows children and grandchildren of local folks to enter also, even if they live elsewhere.

There are two categories 7 and under, and 8-12 years of age.

Other rules are:

-- All participants ride the parade. Their folks can go along too. The parade ends at Farwell City Park and a bicycle rack will be set up just across the street on the property of First Baptist Church of Farwell.

-- Riding bikes in the park during BTD is not allowed, for safety reason.

-- You must be present at the park to receive your cash prizes (or if you win the bicycles!) when the announcements are made during the 12:30 p.m. ceremonies.



American Little League All-Stars head to State

The American Little League 9 and 10 year old All-Stars coached by Cary Crist, David Gutierrez, and Craig Rohrbach won the area tournament on July 12 and advanced to the State tourney in Raton. Team members were Joshua Gutierrez, Nathan Phipps, Dalton

Jones, Benjamin Crist, Rheal Kuchta, Mason Websckowski, Paden McDermid, Colton Rohrbach, Nicolas Lubera, Kayden Shoher, Brayden Wines, and Colson Faircloth. The league president is Texico Police Chief Doug Bowman.

42 tournament planned Saturday in Texico

A New Mexico Texas 42 Showdown will be hosted by the Border Town Days Committee and the Texico-Farwell Senior Citizen Association on Saturday, July 24 at the Texico Community Center, 211 N. Griffin St.

Registration is from 5 to 6:30 p.m. mt with the tournament starting at 7 p.m. mt.

There will be eight games, with 20-minute time limits.

The cost is \$10 a person (\$20 a team) and payable at the door (cash).

Certificates and prizes are given for 1st and 2nd places.

If you need a partner, come and we will team you up with one,said organizer Jerry Whitney.

For more info, call Whitney at (575) 218-2321.

Also, the senior citizens are offering a dinner of fried chicken, baked potato, salad, dessert and tea for \$8 a person. RSVPs must be made by Thursday, July 22.

Marriage Licenses

The Parmer County clerk's office last week issued marriage licenses to:

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Okay, folks, we are getting down to the nitty gritty. BTD is only a weekend away.

This is the best celebration in the area each year, with lots of kids' rides, lots of great entertainment, lots of delicious food, a Big Parade and a record number of class reunions for Farwell -- nine (breaking the old record of six).

Normally, the weather always cooperates so what we are looking forward to another super gala for the Twin Cities and area.

For a small community like Texico-Farwell, it's just great to have this special day to look forward to each year. What it shows is that when folks work together, anything is possible.

Each year, between 2,000 and 3,000 attend BTD. That, in itself, testifies to what a nifty event it is. And this year, with the record number of class reunions (and don't forget the Texico All-School Reunion), the great entertainment (three professional musicians will perform!) and the other fun stuff and good food, all we can say is: WOW!

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Texico High grad and World War II vet Mansel Cranfill dies in a grain elevator accident.

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Chase Chisman

Graveside service for Chase Chisman, 85, of Farwell, was held Saturday, July 17, 2010, at Sunset Terrace Cemetery, Farwell, with his son-in-law, Randy Johnson, officiating.

Burial was in Sunset Cemetery. Ellis Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

Mr. Chisman died Tuesday, July 13, at home. He was born Jan. 22, 1925, in Hanover, Colo., to Roy W. and Ruth (Fankell) Chisman.

He married Lorene Lucille Parker in Raton, N.M., on June 7, 1943. She passed away in January 1990. On Sept. 21, 1990, he married Juanita Ward in Farwell, which gave him another 20 years of happiness.

He was preceded in death by his parents and an 18-month-old son, Kenneth, and a brother, Charles H. Chisman.

Mr. Chisman graduated from Hanover (Colo.) High School. He lived in Farwell from 1959 to the early '70s when he moved to Colorado Springs. On June 5, 1985, he moved back to Farwell. While in Farwell, he worked for Tri County Tire store and was a night watchman for Farwell Feed Yard. He was an active fireman for the Farwell Volunteer Fire Dept. He tried to attend all the local school athletic events.

Surviving are his wife, Juanita, of Farwell; sons and their wives, Charles W. Chisman and Wanda, of Colorado Springs, and Gerald K. Chisman and Bonnie, of Orofino, Idaho; step-sons and wives, Larry Ward and Luana, of Clovis; and Lyndon Ward and Cathy, of Clovis; daughters and husbands, Roberta Johnson and Randy, of Farwell; Setta Smith and Rick, of Georgetown; step-daughters and husbands, Larna Perry and Bob, of Bartlesville, Okla., and Lyna Coleman and Ricky, of Farwell; brothers Robert Chisman of Pueblo, Colo., and Paul Chisman, of Hanover; 5 grandchildren; 9 step-grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; 11 step-grandchildren, and 1 step great-grandchild.

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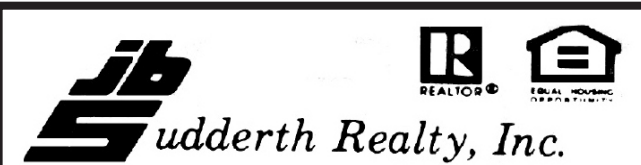
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Just Listed - 272 acres of irrigated farm land south of Lazbuddie. 2 wells, 2 circle sprinklers. Good farm.

Just Listed in Farwell - 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, brick home.

Just Listed in Farwell - Ready to move into 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick and siding home. Recently remodeled with new roof and new windows. Heating/Cooling unit and large sun-room. Very nice flower beds. Great home.

SW of Clay's Corner - Approx. 1,800+ sq. ft. home, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, single car garage on 3 acres.

Just Listed - 160 acres +/- Irrigated, SE of Clay's Corner. Pond, water table, 2 wells, 1 circle sprinkler and drip system.

2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home in Farwell. Single car garage. Priced to sell!

3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home in Farwell. Remodeled kitchen & bathroom, large fenced yard. Great location.

PRICE REDUCED - 121.8 acres just north of Muleshoe city limits. 2 wells, 1 circle.

PRICE REDUCED - Northeast of Lazbuddie, 640 acres, irrigated, 4 circles, 9 wells, 2 large steel barns, good farm.

PRICE REDUCED - Northeast of Lazbuddie, 318 acres, 2 circle sprinklers, 4 irrigation wells.

Southwest of Texico, 40 acres on paved road. Will split into 10 acre tracts. Call for details!

640 acres, irrigated east of Hub, 3 circle sprinklers, 4 wells.

West of Lazbuddie, 800 acres irrigated with 6 circles. Good farm, well maintained.

480 acres irrigated. Southeast of Cooks truck stop. 3 circles, 5 wells.

1685 +/- acres irr. near Lazbuddie. 10 circles, 11 wells, on highway.

DRASTICALLY REDUCED in PORTALES - 20 acre calf ranch, 1 irr. well, county water, 2 bedroom-1 bath home on pavement.

320 acres irrigated NE of Orlan home lane, 4 wells, 2 circle sprinklers, nice farm.

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160 acres South of Lariat on highway. 1 sprinkler, 3 irr. wells. Owner says sell.

Bovina Area Listings

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Large brick home on 10 acres north of Bovina. 2 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat/refrig. air. 2 car detached garage on highway.

Bovina - nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home with 2-car garage, central heat, refrig. air, fenced yard. Good location.

Several 10-acre tracts west of Bovina.

Bovina - just listed: nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home with 2-car garage, central heat, refrig. air, fireplace, large fenced yard. Good location.

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New Listing-Nice 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath brick home, central air and central water, 2 car garage, carport, fenced backyard, move in ready!

155 acres in Bailey County. Lays well, highway frontage. Priced for quick sale!

New Listing - 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, brick home, central heat, all appliances, single car garage, fenced back yard and all on corner lot. Priced to Sell!

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2 separate CRP sections. 2 owners, 2 years left. Both sections are 2 miles apart. Both sections are priced at \$400 per acre. Call for details. Located West Central Bailey County.

PRICE REDUCED - New Listing - in Country, very nice and spacious, 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with office, built-ins, 2 living areas, 2-car garage, underground swimming pool, fenced backyard, approx. 2,880 sq. ft., storage barn, shed, horse stalls, all on 5 acres. Call for more details.

PRICE REDUCED - New Listing - Gorgeous 3-bdrm, brick home in the Lazbuddie area with central air and heat, fireplace, built-ins, finished basement, large utility, storage, large den or game room, patio, and 2-car garage. This home is ready to move in, all on 8 acres. Call for more details.

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Three family yard sale Saturday July 24th, 8:00 to 4:00 400 6th street in Farwell. Lots of misc items, home décor, children's furniture, clothes and shoes of all sizes.

2-FAMILY Garage Sale - Saturday, July 24, 7 a.m. to ?? mt at 510 S. Rose St., Texico. Furniture, sofas, TVs, bookcases, tools, dishes, clothes, kitchen items, etc.

GARAGE SALE - Friday & Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at 907 7th St., Farwell. Large variety of items including lounge chair, oak dining table with 6 chairs, kitchen items, linen, etc.

For Sale: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 16' x 80' mobile home at 817 Turner St., Texico. Listed at \$75,000. Will take offers. Call 482-9318.

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Multi-Family Yard Sale - Saturday, July 24, 8 a.m. to ?? at 201 3rd St., Farwell. Saws, shelves, household items, clothes, large variety!

For Sale: Pearl Harbor doublewide 28'x48' trailer: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat & air, metal roof. \$17,500. Call (806) 965-2958.

GARAGE SALE - Saturday, July 24, 9 a.m. to ?? At 725 CR DD in Lariat (next to the Lutheran church). Furniture, clothes, toys, books, yard good, snare drums & bells, etc.

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It's a Boy

Connor Ryan Myers was born to Tyler and Kristina Myers, of Canyon, Texas, on May 28 at Amarillo.

He weighed 9 lbs., 1 oz. and was 22" long.

Grandparents are Bruce and Janna Pemberton, of Farwell, and Steve and Sheena Spears, of Canyon.

Great-grandparents are Joye Myers, of Clovis; Orville Myers, of Clovis; Albert and Mary Chambers, of Amarillo; Loretta and John Woodard, of Hereford, and Burl and Dorothy Spears, of Hooker, Okla.

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PROJECT NO. 2010-TX047-0001
 DEAF SMITH ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.
 PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROJECT AND HEARING ON CONSIDERATION OF
 PURPA ENERGY POLICY ACT STANDARDS
 AND REQUEST FOR COMMENTS

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Cooperative) is conducting a project to determine whether to adopt and implement three federal ratemaking standards addressing net metering, fuel source diversity, and fossil fuel generation efficiency pursuant to Sec. 2621(d)(11), (12), and (13) of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA), as amended by the Energy Policy Act of 2005, Pub.L. No. 109-58, 119 stat. 594. On July 21, 2010, the Cooperative Board of Directors adopted a resolution opening this project, which is designated Project No. 2010-TX047-0001, Proceeding to Consider and Determine Whether to Implement Federal Ratemaking Standards for Net Metering, Fuel Sources, and Fossil Fuel Generation Efficiency. A copy of the resolution and staff's draft proposed standards for this project are available at the Cooperative's offices upon request and on the Cooperative's web site at <http://purpa.dsec.org>.

Members of the Cooperative and interested persons are invited to submit written comments and relevant information on the project and the draft proposed standards to Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, Inc., Attention: Mike Veazey, Manager, Internal Operations, P.O. Box 753, Hereford, Texas 79045-0793, by September 7, 2010. Cooperative will hold a public hearing on September 29, 2010, at 12:00 p.m. at Deaf Smith's Headquarters, at 1501 East First St., Hereford, Texas 79045, to discuss this project and hear additional comments. Questions about the hearing or this notice should be directed to Mr. Veazey at mike@dsec.org.

BTD From page 1

Texico city clerk, is taking reservations for food booths at the Day in the Park. She can be called at Texico City Hall, 482-3314. Concessions are only available to Texico-Farwell area non-profit groups.

Signing up so far are:

- Farwell Convalescent Center, baked goods.
- Farwell Senior Meal Site, snow cones, frito pies, nachos and water.
- Pleasant Hill 4-H, hamburgers, chips, Dr Pepper and diet Dr Pepper.
- Farwell 4-H, homemade ice cream.
- Texico 4-H, homemade ice cream, chili dogs, drinks.
- San Jose Catholic Church, burritos.
- Texico-Farwell Rotary club, BBQ and fixing's.
- Texico-Farwell Lions Club, face painting.
- Parmer County Crimestoppers, hand out balloons and information.
- Area Girls Scouts will have a recruitment booth.
- Will Anderson will staff a table to raise funds for the Farwell Obelisk.
- Texico seniors group, fruit cups.
- Apostolic United Pentecostal Church of Texico, pickles, water, popsicles.

Entertainment

The lineup is filled.

Scheduled to perform are the Little Farwell cheerleaders, Bryce Howard, Mike Siler, Sharon Dictson, Cindy Bermea, Chelsi Woods, a First Baptist Church of Farwell youth group, and a Lazbuddie band called The Unknowns -- Darin Ivy, guitar; Colton Weaver, lead vocals; James Baca, bass, and Ethan Freida, drums.

Miss Bermea also will sing the National Anthem.

Decorated Bicycle Contest

Claire and Ginger Anderson honcho this event.

Signups are under way at the State Line Tribune, 404 3rd St., Farwell.

Again, the theme is Careers for Today and the theme should be followed in order to wish cash prizes.

The top boy and girl champions will receive special prizes brand-new bicycles donated by Master Tech Auto Service (for girls) and Tedson Trailers (for boys), both of Texico.

And cash prizes will be given to other kids who place.

Reunions

A record number of Farwell High reunions are planned this year -- nine.

In addition, the annual Texico All-School Reunion will be held at BTD, too.

Farwell reunions are: Classes of 1970, 1980, 1990, 2000, 1974, 1960, 1950, 1955 and 1965.

All the Farwell reunions are scheduled for the Big Parade.

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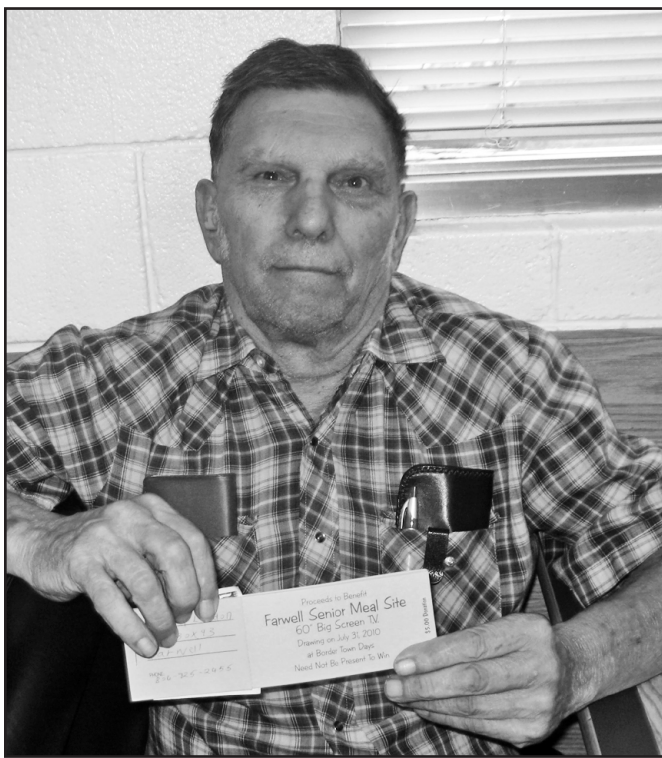
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Top ticket seller

Roger Menning has sold over 500 tickets for the Farwell Senior Citizen Meal Site. He will be at Border Town Days and the drawing for a big screen TV and other items will be July 31 at 4 p.m.

Cash prizes are given the top four floats: \$75 for 1st place; \$50 for 2nd place; \$35 for 3rd place, and \$25 for 4th place.

Extra points are given those floats which follow the BTD theme Careers for Today. The deadline for parade signups is noon on Friday, July 23.

After that date, you can still sign up by calling BTD Chairman Mike Pomper at 481-3681. But you will be placed at the end of the parade and not be eligible for cash prizes.

Parade signups already include:

- The nine Farwell class reunions listed above
- Little Moo Choo-Choo in honor of Rocky Horton
- High Plains Patriots with horses
- Cannon Air Force Base honor guard
- Clovis Health Care and Rehabilitation
- Big Mike's Bikes
- ENMR-Plateau Buzz the Roadrunner
- Tedson Trailers
- New Horizons 4-H float and horses
- High Plains Horseman's Club with horses
- Farwell High School cheerleaders
- Farwell High School Band
- Miss Rodeo New Mexico Little Sweethearts
- Kirk Magness antique tractor
- Farwell Legends in Blue flag corps
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- Ray Lee Equipment
- Texico High cheerleaders
- Farwell Junior High cheerleaders
- Robert Spence's three antique vehicles
- Texico Junior High cheerleaders
- Pleasant Hill 4-H Club
- Clovis Fire Dept. Honor Guard
- Jerry Stover family
- Don Gavin Model A
- State Line Tribune Newsmobile

The Latest

A school reunion for Pleasant Hill/Claud will be held July 31 at 6:30 p.m. mt at the Pleasant Hill Fire Station.

All alumni are invited. Sandwiches and refreshments will be provided.

Call (575) 389-5336 for more information.

Farwell Elementary teacher Cindy Cargile has resigned.

Word has been received of the death of Frances Milner, 87, of Clovis and formerly of Friona.

Among the survivors are a daughter, Janice Hamilton, of Texico.

Dr. Steven Naggs, a podiatrist in Clovis, will speak on "Foot Care" at the July 29 meeting of the Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens at the Texico Community Center at 6 p.m. mt.

It's a Girl



Jake and Trisha Steelman announce the birth of a daughter, Annison Laney.

She was born June 15. She weighed 8 lbs., 3 oz. and was 19 3/4 inches long.

She has a sister, Reese.

Grandparents are Joe and Esther Steelman, of Bovina, and Danny and Dawns Roach, of Hereford.

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Notice to Bidders

Bovina ISD is accepting bids for milk for the cafeteria, and fuel supplies. Bids will be accepted until 4:00 p.m. on Aug. 6, 2010. Bids will be opened at the meeting of the Bovina ISD Board of Trustees at 5:30 p.m. on Aug. 9, 2010.

If you are interested in placing a bid for the coming year for any of the above items, or for more information, contact Supt. Dale Fullerton at Bovina ISD, P.O. Box 70, Bovina, TX 79009, or call (806) 251-1336.

Bovina ISD reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Dale Fullerton
Superintendent

Notice to Bidders

The Farwell Independent School District is accepting bids for the following: gasoline, diesel, athletic supplies, milk, cafeteria food and supplies, janitorial supplies, office supplies and school supplies.

Bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 10, 2010, and will be presented to the Board of Trustees at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 10, 2010.

If you are interested in placing a bid for any of the above items, contact Supt. Mike Read, Farwell ISD, Box F, Farwell, TX 79325. You may call (806) 481-3371 for a specification list on the items on which you wish to bid.

The Farwell ISD Board of Trustees reserves the right to refuse any or all bids.

Mike Read
Superintendent

Notice to Bidders

The Lazbuddie Independent School District is accepting bids for the following: gasoline, athletic supplies, cafeteria supplies, janitorial supplies and school supplies.

Bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 10, 2010, and will be presented to the Board of Trustees at 8:00 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12, 2010.

If you are interested in placing a bid for any of the above items, contact Carolyn Scott, business manager, Lazbuddie ISD, P.O. Box 9, Lazbuddie, TX 79053. You may call (806) 965-2156 for a specification list on the items on which you wish to bid.

The Lazbuddie ISD Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Charles Brantner
Superintendent

More photos of the St. Ann's VBS



Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County clerk's office last week recorded these warranty deeds:

Clifford Carpenter estate - Judy Shelton, 282 ac E/2 S102 Kelly.

Michael Hanes - Jon Riddle Inc., L1-20 B22 Friona.

Obituaries

Charles Felts

Charles "Tex" Felts, 78, of Los Alamos, died July 12.

He was born in Dalhart, Texas, on Aug. 30, 1931, and was raised in Lariat. He lived in New Mexico since the late 1950s.

Surviving are his

mother, Benna Tarter, of Farwell; his wife, Karole; daughter, Kerri Brinegar; son, Charles; sister, Kayla Skelton, and grandchildren.

He was buried at Santa Fe National Cemetery in a private service. A memorial will be held in August in Los Alamos.

St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina presents

Jamaica

Sunday, July 25
From noon till ???

featuring local bands, food, games, bingo, giveaways and raffles thru the day.

Bovina Banter

From page 10

I want to thank St. Ann's and the First Baptist churches for their great work continuing Vacation Bible Schools. It's a wonderful tradition.

Good job!

A few weeks ago I wrote about laws concerning the use of cell phones while driving. I got a call from a reader to correct me.

What I had written was true -- except for commercial drivers. They are not allowed to use phones or text while driving.

So there you have it.

Have a great week and God bless!

Interesting fact of the week:

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<p>United Supermarkets Muleshoe</p>	<p>First Baptist Church of Texico Rob Hollis - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. Worship-10:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.</p>	<p>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>Lazbuddie Methodist Church Rev. Ken Peterson Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship -- 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>Church of God in Christ Mennonite Farwell Country Church James Koehn, Orie Nightingale - ministers Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.</p>	<p>GHC LABS Feed Testing in Texico, NM (575) 482-9589</p>
<p>MULESHOE LIVESTOCK AUCTION Muleshoe, TX • Sale Every Saturday Clayton, C.L. & Thurman Myers • 272-4201</p>	<p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.</p>	<p>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship-10:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. winter 7:30 p.m. summer</p>	<p>San Jose Catholic Church, Texico Sunday Mass - Noon Religious Education - 1:15 - 2:15 p.m. Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.</p>	<p>First Baptist Church of Farwell Sunday School -- 9:45 a.m. Worship -- 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Children & Youth -- 5:45 p.m. Wed. Prayer meeting -- 6:30 p.m. www.fbcfarwell.org</p>	<p>Agri-Plan, Inc. Crop Insurance 109 3rd St. Bovina • 251-1167</p>
<p>DON POOL CONSTRUCTION AND COLORADO RIVER CONCRETE P.O. Box 2100 Clovis, NM 88102 GB 98 - License 88304 Office: (575) 742-2900</p>	<p>Assembly of God Church, Texico Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 6 p.m.</p>	<p>Lariat Church of Christ Wesley Roach - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer</p>	<p>Church of Christ 110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter</p>	<p>Farwell Church of Christ Phillip Steyn -- preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship ; 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. In Search -- 7:30 -- Ch. 4 Sun.</p>	<p>West Texas Rural Telephone COOPERATIVE INCORPORATED (806) 364-3331 P.O. Box 1737, Hereford TX 79045</p>
<p>Parmer County Cotton Growers Co-op (806) 825-3701</p>	<p>First Baptist Church Of Bovina Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship & youth, 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Iglesia Bautista Hispana in Bovina Rafael Marin, pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship, 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Bovina United Methodist Church Sunday School - 9:45 Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday study, 7 p.m.</p>	<p>New Light Missionary Baptist Church Rev. Briyan Phillips Sr. Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mst Worship - 11 a.m. mst Bible Study - Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. mst</p>	<p>roden-smith pharmacy RODEN-SMITH VILLAGE - 801 E. LLANO ESTACADO CLOVIS, NM 88101 PHONE 762-3848 David Lansford, R. Ph. - owner/manager</p>
<p>Five Area Telephone Cooperative (806) 272-5533 302 Uvalde Muleshoe, TX</p>	<p>Farwell Convalescent Center Sunday services -- 9 a.m. Bible study - 9:30 a.m. Friday</p>	<p>Lazbuddie Church of Christ Mickey Chambiss - minister Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:20 a.m. & 5 p.m. Wednesday -- 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Apostolic Truth United Pentecostal Church of Texico Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 11:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>	<p>St. Ann's Catholic Church Rev. Wm. Yeddapanalli Sunday Mass: 8:30 a.m. in English; 10:45 a.m. in Spanish CCD -- 9:30 a.m. Evening Mass: 6 p.m. Wednesday & Friday</p>	<p>Lowes Supermarket</p>
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The Tribune got a disc last week featuring "Iconic Movie Locations" that was hosted and co-produced by former Bovina resident Ben McCain.

It features movie locations in Southern California that were used for many, many movies. At one site, for example, John Wayne made 20 movies including "Stagecoach."

McCain's show has

been nominated for a Los Angeles Area Emmy Award.

A note from Ben added:

"Wanted to share this news with you. It was so much fun to host!"

"P.S. Congrats to Will Anderson (on being named Tribune editor) on his new position."

You never know where the rain will hit.

One Bovina area resi-

dent got more than an inch of moisture at his place, while Sue Fowler reports only 3 tenths of an inch at her place the night of July 14.

A look at the school's varsity coaching staff for the coming year:

Royce Winnett, varsity girls basketball; Jose Gonzales, varsity boys basketball; Hector Guevera, football; Eric Montemayor, track; Tony Epps, JV girls basketball; and James Thackston, JV boys basketball.

The Jamaica at St. Ann's will be Sunday, July 25.

Bovina High Mini Cheer Camp will be held Aug. 2, 3 and 4 from 4 to 6 p.m. at the high school gym.

You must be registered by July 26 to get your t-shirt on time for camp. The \$30 cost includes the t-shirt and mini pom-poms.

It's for kids ages 3 through 13 who want to learn cheers, chants, dance and building skills. To sign up, just stop by the school administration building (Amy Montemayor) or contact any cheerleader.

The Senior Center will host their monthly luncheon on Wednesday, July 28. Go on down there and enjoy the food and especially the company.

Possible housing development discussed

The Bovina City Council on July 13 heard a presentation from Jim Bob and Kay Swafford on a possible housing development for Bovina.

It should be stressed that this proposal is in its infancy.

The Swaffords plan to bring their engineer to the next council meeting for further discussion of this planned subdivision. It would include about 40 homes inside the city limits.

In other business, the council:

-- Passed an ordinance pertaining to golf cart use on city streets.

The golf carts are required to have signals, brakes and other vehicle safety features. Also, the drivers must have vehicle IDs, a city permit, and insurance if available.

-- Held an executive session to review the performance of city manager Jana Pitcock. She was given a pay raise.

-- Held a public hearing on the application submission to the Texas Dept. of Rural Affairs for a Texas Community Development Block Grant.

If received, it would go to constructing a new water well.

-- Discussed a proposed rate hike filed by SPS. The council will join with other Texas communities to oppose it in hopes of having it lowered.



Bovina Varsity Cheerleaders

The Bovina Varsity Cheerleaders are Brittany Perez, Edith Gomez, Gaby Flores, Heather Miller, Mayra Gomez, Raquel Ortiz, Yesenia Rodriguez.

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Women's basketball league action

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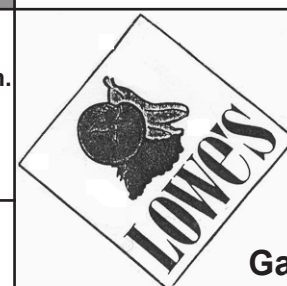
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