



Giving the "3" sign to indicate that the big football contest is only three weeks away from starting are the folks at Lowe's Supermarket in Bovina, Marivel Larrea, Ryan Lopez, and Hillery Rando. Lowe's is a sponsor of the Area Merchants Football Contest.

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54th Football Contest to start in 3 weeks

The vastly-popular Area Merchants Football Contest will start its 54th season in just three weeks.

The grand prize to the overall winner will be two tickets to the Dallas Cowboys hosting the New Orleans Saints on Dec. 23 at Cowboys Stadium, plus \$100 in cash.

Also, weekly cash prizes of \$20 for 1st place and \$7 for 2nd place again will be handed out.

You don't have to have a huge score to take home the grand prize, but you need to be consistent on filling out your ballots each week. In other words, don't miss a week.

That's why the Tribune promotes this contest so heavily, starting this week. It's so important to enter each week in order to have a decent shot at the overall prize.

More often than not, the overall winning score has just been over 8 (out of 12 games). In fact last year, the overall champion had a winning average of less than 8 right out of 12

That's right! Corby White won last year's contest with 95 points. That means he averaged 7.92 right out of 12 per week.

And he finished just a single point ahead of Debbie Weir and Johnny Actkinson, who tied for 2nd place with 94 points each.

Rules for the 2012 contest will be the same as in the past.

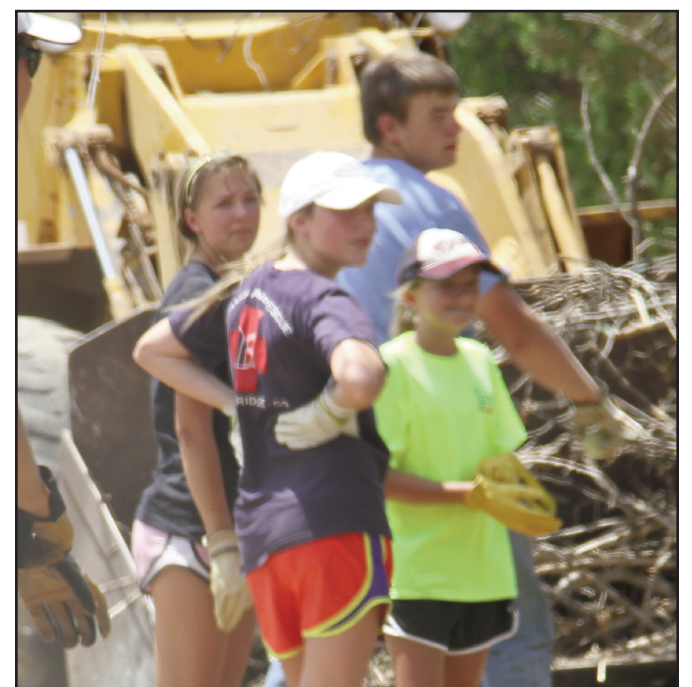
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Also giving the "3 sign" are, above, Tammie Mitchell of the Apple Shack; at left, Bryon and Taylor Fillpot along with Bella at Ag Marketing and Management. Both are sponsors of the Area Merchants Football Contest.

Texico Baptist Church leads community clean-up

There was a really good response by residents to the cleanup drive last weekend sponsored by the First Baptist Church of Texico. Photos by Matti Tharp and Ashlie Martin.



Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Randy Gerles:

On Aug. 1, Juan Caranza, 28, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of assault, pending in county court.

On Aug. 2, Alex Kelly, 23, of Plano, Texas, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of violation of community service (money laundering - forgery), pending in district court.

On Aug. 3, Lorena Saenz, 31, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of theft of property between \$50 and \$500, pending in county court.

On Aug. 3, Christopher Ramirez, 32, of Friona, was arrested on a motion to revoke (driving with an invalid license), pending in county court.

In 287th District Court, with Judge Gordon Green presiding, on July 31:

-- Christina Alma Mora, 36, of Friona, charged with violation of community supervision (possession of a controlled substance -- meth), had her community supervision revoked and was sentenced to 5 years in the institutional division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. On a charge of violation of community supervision (forgery), she had her community supervision revoked and got 2 years in the state jail division, TDCJ.

Marriage Licenses

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

Andrew Nichols and Jill Koehn; and Jarod Allen and Brianna Radford.

The Latest

Newly-elected officers of the Farwell Booster Club are:

Julie Mason, president; Susie Dale, vice president, and Keith Hadley, secretary - treasurer.

Police said Timothy J. Krach, 28, of Clovis, died of apparent electrocution on Aug. 3 while working on a billboard along Mabry Drive in Clovis, between Curry Roads G and H, according to a Clovis News Journal report.

Also, a co-worker, Randy Armstrong, 27, of Clovis, was treated at a Lubbock hospital for severe burns.

Krach, of Pleasant Hill, was a grandson of Paula Winkles.

Armstrong is the son of Ricky and Linda Armstrong. He was air-lifted to a Lubbock hospital.

	28 year Avg '84-'11	2010 Rain Totals	2011 Rain Totals	2012 Rain Totals
January	0.43	0.87	0.02	0.00
February	0.40	1.22	0.31	0.09
March	0.90	0.79	0.06	0.27
April	0.81	1.29	1.02	0.16
May	2.04	1.72	0.08	2.30
June	2.31	1.99	1.10	2.73
July	2.06	3.87	0.85	1.00
August	3.28	2.87	1.90	
September	1.98	0.65	0.79	
October	1.69	0.78	1.37	
November	0.59	0.55	0.05	
December	0.69	0.11	1.79	
Totals	17.53	16.71	8.34	6.55

Courtesy of Lonnie McFarland of Farwell.

Football is in the air: The Lazbuddie Long-horns scrimmage on Aug. 17 with Happy and McLean at Happy at 10 a.m. The Farwell Steers scrimmage on Aug. 18 against Ralls at Littlefield at 10 a.m.

Pray for Rain!

Much of our area has finally received some much needed rain. But most of our local farmers are still in desperate need of moisture. Now and in the future.

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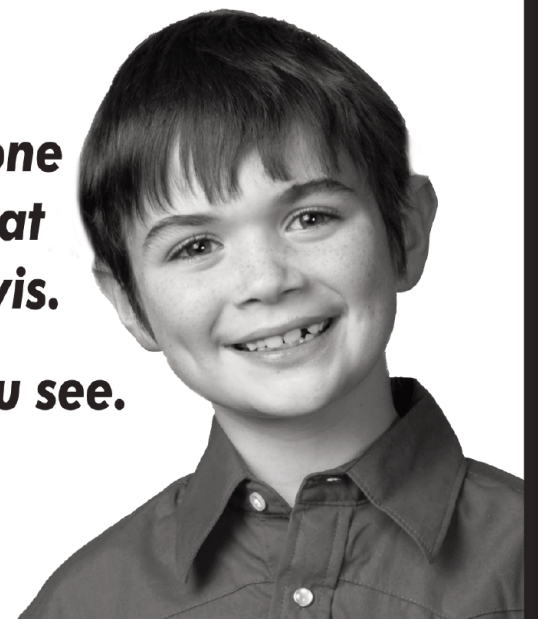
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Football contest

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A person must be at least 12 years of age to enter. Entrants must choose 12 teams they think will win the selected games. All you have to do is circle your winners.

The only time you need to put down a score is for the weekly tie-breaker.

Each entrant must remember to pick a tie-breaker score, a very important feature of the contest since many weekly (and some grand prize) winners have been determined by tie-breakers.

If you tie for the overall title and forgot a tie-breaker, then you lose.

The Tribune uses high school, college and professional football games. In case of a tie game, unless the tie was predicted by the entrant, the game will not be counted.

Each week's scoring is tabulated and kept on public view at the Tribune office. Standings are posted each Monday morning and may be seen during regular business hours.

All entry blanks must be turned in to the Tribune office, 404 3rd St., Farwell, by 5 p.m. on Fridays. If the entries are mailed, they must bear a Thursday or Friday postmark or they will not be accepted.

Folks who live away from our area and wish to send in their ballots by mail can do so: State Line Tribune, PO Box 255, Farwell TX 79325.

Entry blanks are available at the Tribune office starting at 1 p.m. each Thursday. They also will be carried in each issue of the Tribune during the 12-week contest.

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From the 1986 Tribune:

Will Foster and his parents moved to the Farwell area in 1920.

At first they lived 10 miles east of town, the area now known as Oklahoma Lane. The family came here in a Model T.

Will returned to Oklahoma and married Gertrude Churchwell. They had been school sweethearts in Elk City, going to a little country school named Willow Springs.

After they married, Will and Gertrude traveled back to Farwell by train in 1921.

The Fosters marketed milk and cream to Raton, N.M., and Grade A milk to Plainview and Portales. The milk was placed in 10-gallon cans.

Gertrude and their first child, Nelson, traveled back to Oklahoma in 1922 to visit. In September, Will, Gertrude and Nelson returned to Farwell by covered wagon, a trip that took 5 1/2 days.

The Fosters had six children -- Nelson, Estillene, B.J., Barbara, Nicky and Marci., They attended Oklahoma Lane School, the building that became the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church. The school offered baseball, basketball and six-man football at the time.

In 1940, Oklahoma Lane had lights and phone

Richards named Administrator of Year

R.L. Richards, who recently resigned as Texico School superintendent after 22 years, has received the New Mexico Administrator of the Year award.

It was the second time he has been honored this way.

Richards has taken the post of Muleshoe assistant superintendent.

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Mrs. Elmer Langford wins Sweepstakes at Curry County Fair in horticulture division.
Billy White hired to coach Farwell girls' basketball.
The Joe Camp family returns from vacation in South Texas.
Rip Snodgrass gets pneumonia.
Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Briggs have a daughter, Rhonda.
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service, but the roads were not graded yet. Foster helped grade the roads by using four horses.

Charles Christian was the county commissioner and he paid Foster \$5 a day for the work. They graded from Farwell to the underpass, to the Boling place and to Sam White's place.

Nelson raised Appaloosa horses, including 006 Domino. Last year, Will sold an heir of 006 to Ed Hardage.

Nicky, when he was younger, showed jersey cows in Plainview and won the Showmanship - World Champion Dairy Cows honor.

The Fosters moved to Farwell in 1952.

Mrs. Foster was active in the Oklahoma Lane Variety Club, the Farwell Study Club and United Methodist Women. She was named Farwell Chamber of Commerce Woman of the Year in 1983.

Will was busy raising dairy cows and farming.

Some of the businesses the Fosters remembered from the 1920s were four grocery stores, two or three cafes, a gin, two department stores, two doctors and a theater.

Both Fosters enjoy the choir at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell. They helped get choir robes and a music stand. The music stand was dedicated to the Fosters and they were presented a gold plaque.

Asked what he thinks of Farwell today, Will responded, "If I know of a better place, I would go there. Since I have been a resident here for 65 years, I believe I will stay put."

Farwell Senior Meal Site

is sponsoring a **Fund-Raiser Breakfast**

Saturday, Aug. 18
8 to 11 a.m.

Farwell Community Center

Eggs, sausage,
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orange juice and coffee

Donations will be accepted.



Kaci Stephens is Miss BTB.
Mr. and Miss Texico are Byron Martin and Jennifer Gentry.

Top band honors go to Graciela Orozco, Texico, and Chris Aycocock, Farwell.

New ministers are Larry Heacock, Farwell Methodist Church; and Bob Brown, Texico Baptist Church.

James Pierce retires as Texico school supt., replaced by R.L. Richards.

Pleasant Hill gets new rural addresses.

Homecoming royalty are: Farwell, Amy Murray and Shawn Stewart; Lazbuddie, Raymond Zamora and Stacey Hodges.

Lazbuddie gets new fire dept. building.

David Snider and Paul Barnes elected to Curry County Commissioners.

Roy King wins Tribune football contest.

Wolverines win state football title with 28-0 win over Hagerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Foster have 70th anniversary.

In basketball, Steers ranked No. 1 in state for first time in history but go 21-5 overall and 6-4 in district, and don't make playoffs.

Mike and Donna Ratke buy Farwell Drugs from Steve Breckenridge.

Top FFA awards: Lazbuddie, Craig Russell, star greenhand; and Texico, Terry Whitener, star chapter farmer and Mike Litzelman, star greenhand.

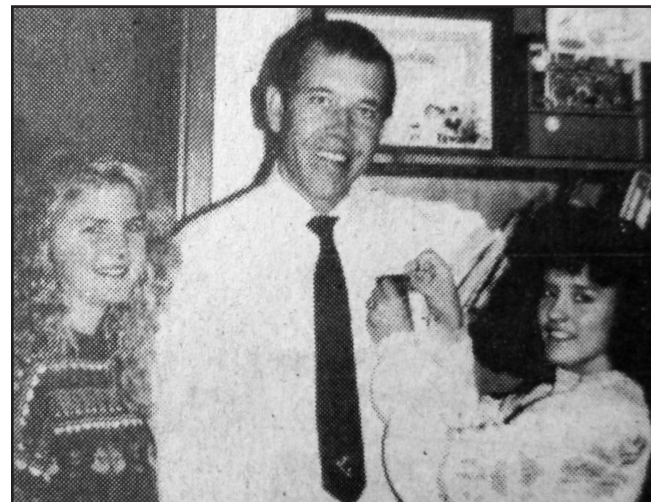
David Norton and Charles Christian elected to Farwell School Board.

Ex-Bovina resident Diana Lumbrera is charged with murder in Kansas after 6 of her children died, including 5 in Parmer County. She is sentenced to life in prison.

Dale French dies in vehicle accident.

Valedictorians: Farwell, Jeremy Jones; Texico, Byron Martin; Lazbuddie, Mia Jennings.

Top athletes: Texico, Mark Holmes and Jennifer



As part of Red Ribbon Week activities, Carol Servatius and Natasha Shaw pin a ribbon on new Texico School Supt. R.L. Richards.

Gentry; Farwell, Shawn Stewart and Amy Murray; Lazbuddie, Michael Williams and Mia Jennings;

Mr. and Miss FHS are Vince Smith and Angie White.

County Crime Stoppers organized.

Phil Warren replaces Joe Hall as Lazbuddie School supt.

Pioneers who died during the year were Althea Donahey and J.M. Pruitt.

Chamber of Commerces honor Margie Crooks and Steve Meeks, Texico, and Chris Gikas and LaMoin Williams, Farwell.

Richard Boothby is new Farwell School supt. James Craig retires as Farwell Elementary principal.

Bobby Murphy heads county FmHA office.

Bonnie Clayton defeats B.K. Buske in Democrat primary runoff for county judge.

Farwell Schools okay budget cutbacks. Doyal LaRue elected Texico mayor; Ronnie Warmuth joins city council.

Kellie Anderson named Farwell's Official Sweetheart.

Paul Vela shows grand champion at Texico hog show.

Rada Winkles retires from Texico post office after 24 years.

Brent Byrum resigns as Texico city marshal, replaced by Walt Causey.

Dara Jenkins and Chad Dunsworth are grand champions at Texico science fair.

Anne Norton heads Farwell Chamber; Fern Tharp heads Texico Chamber.

In long-running battle between the county and state over the former Lazbuddie dump site, it ends with the county paying the state \$96.

Neil Stewart retires from Farwell Hardware.

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--Mike Pomper

I hate writing about economics because I'm stupid on the subject.

I've never taken a course on it and since the last degree I ever got was in high school, I am out of my element when I comment about it.

But the long-range outlook scares me. I feel very uneasy about things bouncing back and the good, ol' days returning.

We are in uncharted territory. Our nation has begun its decline and that's new for us. There's nothing we can do about it. And don't bring up our "leaders"; that's a joke.

I would appreciate it if you can tell me what is wrong with my thinking:

I don't expect unemployment to decrease. I think the official government stats are much lower than the truth.

Yeah, I know. I'm accusing our leaders of being liars. If the shoe fits...

As taxes and health care costs continue to

jump, I don't see our big companies rushing to expand their work forces in the U.S.

You say taxes haven't gone up? I'm not talking federal. There are lots and lots of other higher fees we pay -- city county, state, utilities, food, etc.

And what smaller companies will want to expand knowing their health care costs are going to go through the roof under Obamacare?

Add to this horrendous problem the fact that the nation's debt is skyrocketing. And President Obama talks about the need for another stimulus package!

The last stimulus package was one of the greatest failures in the history of the U.S. Do you think Congress would approve it after the first fiasco. I don't think so.

We simply don't want to believe that the nation's debt will be a back-breaking burden for our children. So what is Congress doing about it? Zilch. That really cracks me up ... and speaks volumes about our leaders.

Congress is only good at throwing money at problems. When it comes time to make financial cutbacks, they are worthless.

If a congressman suggests a cutback, it will cost him votes. He knows that. So, you just don't cut back. And if the day of reckoning comes after he's out of office, he wins. Congressmen don't care. They got theirs.

The day of reckoning will come. Re: Greece. Re: Spain. Re: Italy. Is the U.S. learning from the financial mess in Europe? No.

All you hear from European leaders is "austerity." Well, President Hoover tried that in the early 1930s. And we all know how that turned out. Stupid Europeans.

What you need to do in a recession is do your darndest to have business expand. President Obama doesn't have an inkling of how to do that because it's not part of his liberal economic theory.

So utterly sad. And it makes our nation impatient. Our "leaders" are so pathetic that I can't think of the right adjective to describe them.

The amount of folks getting food stamps will skyrocket, with more than half the population participating down the road. It has already gone from 17 million in 2000 to 46 million today. I predict the total will be 100 million in five years.

And who will pay for this? And who will pay for Obamacare? It's not only the government which is running out of money, it's also the taxpayers.

Enjoy today, folks, because tomorrow aint gonna be so good. And you folks who are in high cotton need to understand that your children and grandchildren are in for an eye-opener.

So here's what I see happening for the U.S.:

Unemployment will continue to rise; the tax burden will increase; and the middle class will be

Texico High School Volleyball

Date	Opponent	Site	Team	Time
8-28	Melrose	Melrose	7, C, V	4:30
8-30	Lubbock Christian	Lubbock	JV, V	4:00
9-7,8	Moriarty Tourney	Moriarty	V	TBD
9-13	Tatum	Texico	C, JV, V	4:30
9-18	Dexter	Texico	C,V	4:30
9-20	Ft. Sumner	Texico	8, JV, V	4:30
9-22	Plateau Classic	Texico	C, JV	TBD
9-25	Clovis Purple	Clovis	C	4:15
9-27	Lovington	Texico	C, JV, V	4:30
9-28,29	Portales JV Tourney	Portales	JV	TBD
*10-2	Tucumcari	Texico	8, C, JV, V	4:30
10-4	Tatum	Tatum	C, JV, V	4:30
10-5-6	Portales Invite	Portales	V	TBD
**10-9	Santa Rosa	Texico	JV, V	4:30
*10-13	Clayton	Clayton	C, JV, V	1:00
**10-16	Portales	Portales	C, JV, V	4:30
10-18	Estancia	Estancia	C, JV, V	4:30
*10-20	Tucumcari	Tucumcari	C, JV, V	2:00
*10-1	Santa Rosa	Santa Rosa	JV, V	4:30
*//10-3	Clayton	Texico	C, JV, V	2:00

Nov 5-10 District Tournament

Nov 15-17 State Tournament

Head Coach: Kristen Scanlan

Assistant Coach: Bea Lucero

* District game **Breast cancer game ** Parent's night **/Sr. Night

decimated. Just like chaos.

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How will that end? I ter off if the Mayans are

give us 15 years before right and the world ends

in December.

I'm always glad to see

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Stock show dinner set

The 2012 Parmer County Stock Show dinner is set for 7 p.m. on Sept. 8 at the Farwell Community Center.

Local volunteers will again prepare the meal including rib-eye steaks, green beans, potatoes, salad and green chile corn.

The dinner is a major fund-raiser for the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show held in January each year.

At the last show, no matter what place youths got there, they received at least \$100 from the fund.

Each community in Parmer County sells tickets. However, a maximum of 225 tickets will be sold, and two persons may attend on one \$100 ticket.

To purchase tickets, contact Patti Johnson, Steve Schilling, Keith Hadley or Darren Haseloff in Farwell; Ed Terry in Lazbuddie and Friona; Al Kerby Jr. in Bovina, or any Farwell 4-H or FFA member.

2012 Property Tax Rates in FARWELL HOSPITAL

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Last year's tax rate:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$41,914
Last year's debt taxes	\$0
Last year's total taxes	\$41,914
Last year's tax base	\$143,051,544
Last year's total tax rate	0.029300/\$100

This year's effective tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$41,914
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$147,908,463
= This year's effective tax rate	0.028300/\$100

This year's rollback tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$41,914
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$147,908,463
= This year's effective operating rate	0.028300/\$100
× 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.030500/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.000000/\$100
= This year's rollback rate	0.030500/\$100

Statement of Increase/Decrease

If FARWELL HOSPITAL adopts a 2012 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.028300 per \$100 of value, taxes would decrease compared to 2011 taxes by \$ 71.

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2012 Property Tax Rates in PARMER COUNTY

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	County General Fund	FM ROAD
Last year's tax rate:		
Last year's operating taxes	\$2,252,138	\$600,814
Last year's debt taxes	\$247,345	\$0
Last year's total taxes	\$2,499,483	\$600,814
Last year's tax base	\$650,906,926	\$637,806,473
Last year's total tax rate	0.384000/\$100	0.094200/\$100

This year's effective tax rate:		
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$2,499,875	\$600,930
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$678,600,042	\$672,552,593
= This year's effective tax rate for each fund	0.368300/\$100	0.089300/\$100
Total effective tax rate	0.457600/\$100	

This year's rollback tax rate:		
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$2,252,530	\$600,930
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$678,600,042	\$672,552,593
= This year's effective operating rate	0.331900/\$100	0.089300/\$100
× 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.358400/\$100	0.096400/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.007100/\$100	0.000000/\$100
= This year's rollback rate for each fund	0.365500/\$100	0.096400/\$100
This year's total rollback rate	0.461900/\$100	

Statement of Increase/Decrease

If PARMER COUNTY adopts a 2012 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.457600 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2011 taxes by \$ 10,096.

Schedule A: Unencumbered Fund Balances: County General Fund

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance	
Unencumbered Funds	2,316,974	

Schedule B: 2012 Debt Service: County General Fund				
The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).				
Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
Parmer County Law Enforcement Center	25,000	46,700	0	71,700
Total required for 2012 debt service				\$71,700
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A				\$0
- Amount (if any) paid from other resources				\$0
- Excess collections last year				\$24,639
= Total to be paid from taxes in 2012				\$47,061
+ Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 97.000000% of its taxes in 2012				\$1,455
= Total Debt Levy				\$48,516

Schedule A: Unencumbered Fund Balances: FM ROAD

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance	
Unencumbered Funds	781,020	

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Pharmacy expands to include new vaccines, immunizations

Lazbuddie's Kristine Isaacson has recently expanded her Muleshoe based pharmacy to include some new immunizations and vaccines. She asked the Tribune to include information about what is available.

K & K Pharmacy in Muleshoe is a local source for vaccine advocacy, education, and administration.

Its professional staff includes two pharmacists who are specialists certified in Pharmacy-Based Immunization Delivery. Through this training, they are knowledgeable about all vaccine-preventable illnesses, immunization schedules for children and adults, and have expertise in vaccine administration. They can:

- Formulate immunization plans for adults based on age, gender, past medical history, immunization records, and lifestyle factors (including travel itineraries).

- Evaluate current vaccine status for children and recommend appropriate immuniza-

tions using current vaccine schedules.

- Administer vaccines in the pharmacy under protocol (without prescription) for all adults and children over age 14, and with a valid physician's prescription for children under age 14. Flu shots may be administered to children over age 8.

- Provide vaccines through the Texas Vaccines for Children program at no charge for the product and with only a nominal administration fee for eligible children aged 18 and younger who are uninsured or

underinsured.

- Bill Medicare for certain eligible vaccinations.

- Provide International Certificates of Vaccination or Prophylaxis approved by the World Health Organization.

K & K provides a full-line of immunizations, including but not limited to influenza, H1N1, pneumococcal, shingles, HPV, tetanus and combinations, MMR, chickenpox, hepatitis A and B, meningococcal, and various travel vaccines, plus us a state-certified provider of Yellow Fever vaccine.

Courthouse Notes

The following warranty deeds were recorded in the Parmer County clerk's office last week:

JP Morgan Chase Bank - Norma Hernandez, L2 B4 1st Add West Loop Friona.

Betty Morgan - Carol Gilley, L1-2 B9 McMillen and Fergus.

Border Banter

From page 4

the U.S. do well at the Olympics; I just don't watch it on TV.

I still bear a grudge from when I was a kid and the East European judges did a number on our athletes in sports such as boxing, gymnastics and

ice skating.

I vowed a that time not to get interested in contests which were so utterly flawed due to politics.

Is that still the case? Yes, but to a much smaller degree. I guess that's good.

Texico Junior High Football

Date	Time	Opponent	Place
9-13	4:30 pm	Tucumcari	Away
9-20	4:30 pm	Marshall	Home
9-27	4:00 pm	Portales	Away
10-4	4:30 pm	Yucca	Home
10-11	4:15 pm	Marshall	Away
10-18	4:30 pm	Portales	Home
10-25	4:30 pm	Ft. Sumner	Home

Steve Doolittle, Head Coach

The Latest

Tammie Mitchell reports that The Apple Shack in Farwell tentatively will open for the season on Sept. 4.

Texico School opens Aug. 20.

A "Boots vs. Badges" blood drive will be held Aug. 24 from noon to 5 p.m. at the Church of

Christ fellowship hall, 207 5th St., Farwell.

Parmer - Bailey County Crime Stoppers is the sponsor.

You vote for your favorite local hero, police vs. firemen.

Photos ID or donor card is required to donate and you must be at least 17 years old.

Eligible donors will receive a free t-shirt and can enter a drawing to

win a \$500 VISA gift card. ***

Nastayzia Kelsay, daughter of Farwell Police Chief Larry Kelsay, will be fighting in the IFC 1 martial arts tournament in Amarillo on Aug. 17 at the Courts of Amarillo.

She has also been featured on the promotional poster distributed around the area.



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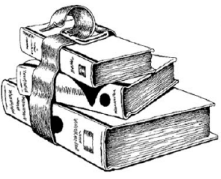
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Last year's tax rate:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$404,197
Last year's debt taxes	\$901,913
Last year's total taxes	\$1,306,110
Last year's tax base	\$449,607,648
Last year's total tax rate	0.290500/\$100

This year's effective tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$1,306,210
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$465,008,924
= This year's effective tax rate	0.280800/\$100

This year's rollback tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$404,297
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$465,008,924
= This year's effective operating rate	0.086900/\$100
× 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.093800/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.177800/\$100
= This year's rollback rate	0.271600/\$100

Statement of Increase/Decrease

If PARMER COUNTY HOSPITAL adopts a 2012 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.280800 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2011 taxes by \$ 950.

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Date prepared: May 24, 2012

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Last year's tax rate:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$227,291
Last year's debt taxes	\$0
Last year's total taxes	\$227,291
Last year's tax base	\$44,566,828
Last year's total tax rate	0.510000/\$100

This year's effective tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$227,340
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$43,735,907
= This year's effective tax rate	0.519800/\$100

This year's rollback tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$326,457
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$43,735,907
= This year's effective operating rate	0.746400/\$100
× 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.806100/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.000000/\$100
= This year's rollback rate	0.806100/\$100

A hospital district or city that collects the additional sales tax to reduce property taxes, including one that collects the tax for the first time this year, must insert the following lines:

- Sales tax adjustment rate	0.226200/\$100
= Rollback tax rate	0.579900/\$100

Statement of Increase/Decrease

If CITY OF FARWELL adopts a 2012 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.519800 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2011 taxes by \$ 142.

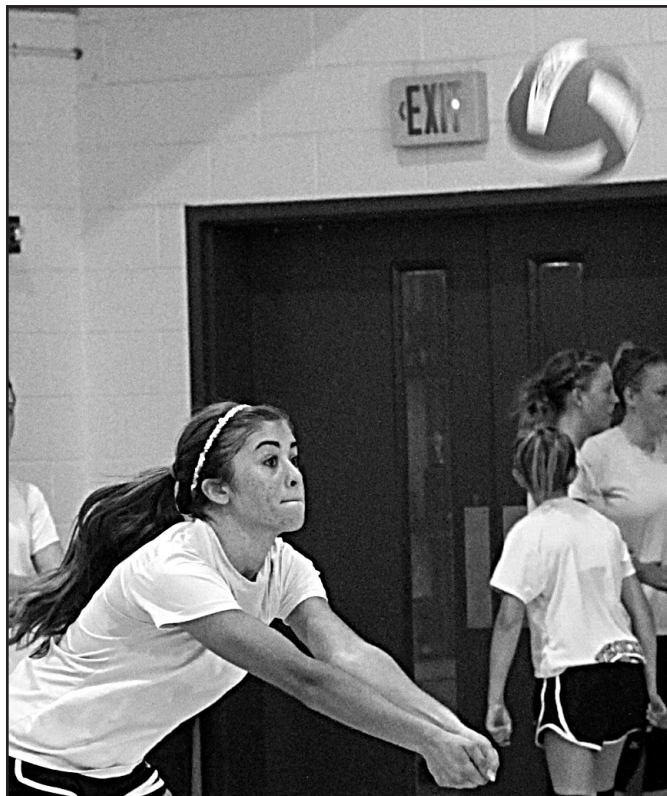
Schedule C - Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For hospital districts, cities and counties with additional sales tax to reduce property taxes) In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$ 99,117 in additional sales and use tax revenues. For County: The county has excluded any amount that is or will be distributed for economic development grants from this amount of expected sales tax revenue.

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Scenes from the Texico volleyball playday

Texico hosted a volleyball playday for about six area teams. Texico included its C teams, JV and Varsity girls.



Church collects school supplies for needy pupils

The Farwell First Baptist Church is sponsoring a "Fill a Backpack" school supply drive.

The church asks residents to donate school supplies or money to purchase school supplies for needy students in the area.

The church youth group will pack up the backpacks to hand out for the coming school year. To receive assistance, students must be registered at Farwell Schools and fill out an application at the church before Aug. 17.

If you have questions about the school supply drive, call the church at 481-3202.

Donations are accepted anytime at the church.

Farwell schedules

Attention Farwell High School students; Schedules will be available to pick up on the following schedule: freshmen and sophomores, Monday, Aug. 20; junior and seniors, Tuesday, Aug. 21.

Students must be accompanied by a parent and are asked to meet at the school cafeteria on your designated night at 6:30 p.m.

Please make it a priority to attend this short meeting as schedules will NOT be mailed out this year. We are attempting to lessen the first week overload so please come and get your schedules.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

The Latest

All are invited to the 60th wedding anniversary celebration of Howard and Wilma Nell Whitener on Aug. 11 from 1:30 to 3 p.m. mdt at the Pleasant Hill Fire Station.

No gifts are asked -- just your attendance.

The Farwell Hospital District board meeting was postponed from Aug. 2 to Aug. 9.

State road crews began work Aug. 1, resurfacing the Lubbock highway going through Farwell.

The work had been originally scheduled to begin a couple of days before Border Town Days, but Mike Galvan, of Big Mike's Bikes talked them into holding off until after the big parade.

Navy Seaman Nicole Harris, daughter of Paula and Homer Ashley of Texico, M., recently graduated from the Fire Control Technician School with honors.

During the course at Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill., students receive instruction in the electronic weapons systems installed aboard U.S. warships.

Studies include operating principles and procedures for radar, digital computers and related ship-board equipment used to control the firing of guns, missiles and torpedoes.

Harris is a 2006 graduate of Texico High School and joined the Navy in 2011.

Word has been received of the death of Nancy Sue Taylor, 70, of Clovis.

Among the survivors is a daughter-in-law, Brenda Taylor Whitmore, of Lazbuddie.

Word has been received of the death of Lily Blair, 80, of Farwell.

She had moved to the Farwell Care and

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We would like to thank everyone who baked, purchased or donated in any way to make our Border Town Days bake sale a success.

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Rehabilitation Center last year to be close to her daughter, Wanda Walters, of Clovis.

Ryan Autrey returns this year as head varsity football coach of the Texico Wolverines.

Steve Doolittle will coach the Junior High Wolverines.

The Farwell Steers have a new varsity head football coach, Taylor Read.

Read was an assistant coach on the team the past couple of years while Mike Prokop was head coach.

Prokop took the job this summer as athletic director and head varsity football coach at Friona.

Shane Perkins will again coach the Junior High Steers.

And Luke Bundick and Andrew Eudy will guide the JV Steers.

Friona has a new police chief, Frank Mooney, coming from Jacksboro, Texas.

He has 29 years experience in law enforcement.

Farwell High 2000 graduate Matt Mitchell, son of Tammie and Randy Mitchell, graduated last month from the Tulsa Welding School.

He is now working in the Houston area.

Texico School's monthly board meeting has been pushed back to Aug. 20.

Cheyenne Parker was injured in a 4-wheel accident over the weekend.

The Healthy Baby Coalition of Parmer County is having signup for free pre-natal classes for expectant mothers on Aug. 11 from 9 to 11 a.m. at Parmer Medical Center.

For more information, call Heidi Eichenauer at (806) 250-2754.

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Cruz edges Dewhurst in Parmer County runoff

Parmer County Clerk Colleen Stover reported that the 440 folks voted in the Republican primary runoff last week.

The vote total dwarfed previous runoff elections. The big race that drew attention statewide was for the U.S. Senate nomination on the GOP ticket. In Parmer County, Ted Cruz (who won big statewide) barely edged David Dewhurst, 218-216.

Other Republican primary results in Parmer County were:

Railroad commissioner -- Warren Chisum, who has served as State Representative for Parmer County, for the past several years, topped Christi Craddock (who won big statewide), 249-176.

Railroad commissioner, unexpired term -- Barry Smitherman, 276, beat Greg Parker, 113. Smitherman won statewide.

Justice, Supreme Court, Place 4 -- John Devine, 202, topped David Medina, 180. Devine won statewide.

On the Democratic side, there was only one primary runoff: Paul Sadler, 7; and Grady Yarbrough, 2. Sadler won statewide.



Osterkamp wins BTD 5K

Above, Joe Osterkamp, at right, won the first Border Town Days 5K run and Christian Steenholdt came in second place. Corby White, not shown, finished third. Below, for the one mile, results were Megan Pierson, 1st; Wayne Pierson, 2nd; Rob Pomper, at right, 3rd.



Bike contest winners

Dathan Yeary, above, and Zoe Meeks, below won this year's bicycle contest at Border Town Days. They are shown with the bikes they won. The bikes were donated by Tedson Trailers and Master Tech Automotive. This year's contest was the most competitive contest in BTD history, featuring well over 30 contestants.



Lazbuddie Schools schedule meetings

Lazbuddie Elementary School will have meeting for parents and students on Aug. 13 in the school cafeteria.

The first meeting will be at 6 p.m. for elementary school parents and students. This will be followed by a meeting at 7 p.m. for junior high and high school parents and students.

Students will be registered and parents will be provided with lots of good information for back to school, said Supt. Joanna Martinez.

Also, the Title 1 Parent Involvement meeting will be held at this time.

'42' tourneys held

Here are the results of last weekend's two "42" tournaments.

- High Plains Championship:
 1st -- Maurice Smith and Roy McDaniel
 2nd -- Ray Hartfiel and Jerry Whitney
 3rd -- Dewey Pierce and Bill Myers
 4th - Lynn McDaniel and Tex Smith
 New Mexico Championship:
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I'm writing this from heaven, where I dwell with God above. Where there are no more tears or sadness, there's just eternal love. Please do not be unhappy because I am out of sight. Remember that I am with you every morning, non and night. And I will stay beside you, every day, week and year. And when you're sad, I'll still be there to wipe away your tears.

When you think of my life on earth and all those living years, because you're only human they're bound to bring you tears. But do not be afraid to cry, it does relieve the pain.

I don't hurt anymore, the cancer is all gone. I'm glad because I couldn't stand to see me hurt so much either, that's when God opened the gates and took me home and I am in no pain.

I wish I could tell you of all that God has planned, but even if I were able to, you wouldn't understand. When you're going down the street and you've got me on your mind, I'm walking in your footsteps and only half a step behind.

And if you feel a gentle breeze or wind upon your face, remember it's only me with a loving and soft embrace I don't want you to keep crying, you are shedding so many tears. I haven't really left you, I'm standing next to you. I know you long to see me but there's nothing I can do, but I'll send you messages and hope you understand that when your time comes to cross over, I'll be there to take your hand so please try not to ache for me, we'll meet again one day, beyond the dark and stormy sky, a rainbow lights the way.

I had so much to live for, so much left yet to do, it seemed to vary cruel to me that I was leaving you, my heart still aches with sadness and my thoughts are always with you. In life, we loved you dearly; in death we still love you.

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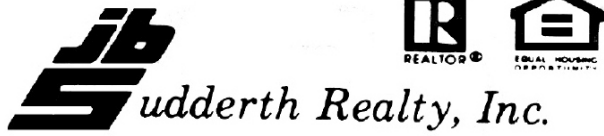
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Just Listed - 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in Farwell. Approx. 1,800 sq. ft. Central heat, ref. air, 2-Car carport. Beautifully landscaped yard, with covered patio.

3 bedroom, 2 bath nice brick home on 2.4 acres northeast of Farwell. Fireplace, central heat, refrigerated geo-thermal system. Large quonset barn.

Brick country home on 60 acres near Progress, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat, ref. air, single car garage, nice metal shop. Priced to sell.

Large brick country home on 2.6 acres north of Lazbuddie on highway. 5 bedroom, 3 bath, central heat, ref. air. Lots of recent remodeling, large 50'x100' metal barn. On highway.

3 bedroom, 2 bath home on Highway near Progress. On 10 acres. It needs some carpet, but sellers are willing to help.

Commercial building at 1305 Ave. A in Farwell. 60' x 120' metal building with office and 5 ton overhead crane. On 3.1 acres with perimeter fence.

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17 acres near Progress on Highway. Could be split. Would make great home sites!

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1685 +/- acres irr. near Lazbuddie. 10 circles, 12 wells, on highway.

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

Bovina Area Listings

Just Listed - Large 4 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home with 2-car attached garage. Central heat and refrigerated air; fireplace and large fenced yard.

4 bedroom, 2 bath brick home with 2 car attached garage. Central heat and air. Corner lot in good neighborhood. Priced to sell.

Large 3,500 sq. ft. brick home on 5 acres. South of Bovina. Has potential of having up to 100 acres of grass and dryland.

2 bedroom, 1 bath home on 5 acres across from grain elevators.

Price Reduced - 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with large 2 car garage and storage area with storm cellar. Central heat/ refrig. air and large lot.

Several 10-acre tracts west of Bovina.

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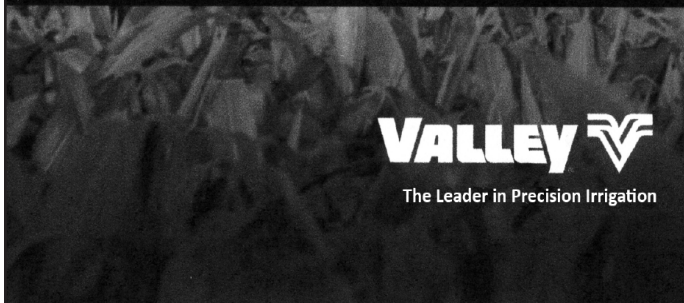
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Country Homes

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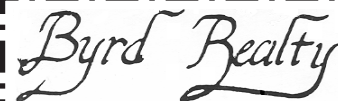
Lamb County - Earth Area - Nice 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home with fenced yard, fireplace, 2 large living areas, formal dining room, large office. 155 acres of adjacent CRP land is also available with the home. On pavement.

Farmland/Investment

Western Bailey County - Irrigated 174 acres, 2 irrigation wells, Valley sprinkler, 1 domestic well, on pavement, corners in grass.

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New Listing - Nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath home, with central air and heat, laminate wood floors, all appliances, carport with storage, fenced backyard, extra lot to west of home, Great starter or rental home. Call for more details.

Muleshoe- In country on 10 acres, Nice 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, brick home with fireplace, utility, built-ins, new windows, new roof, and new air conditioner, large storage, 2 car garage. Call for more details.

Just listed - Bovina small 3 bed, 1 bath home with siding, storage building, and storm cellar. Reasonably priced on corner lot.

New country listing on highway- Nice 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath home, central air and heat, lots of storage, barn, pens, all on 2.5 acres. Priced to sell!!

Commercial property - Winner's Touch building on highway in Farwell, 2000 sq. ft. including kitchen and apartment area. Reasonably priced for immediate sale.

PRICE REDUCED - Very nice 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath brick home, central air and heat, remodeled kitchen, new carpet, new windows, floor heat in kitchen, wood floors, utility, two car garage, metal barns, close to Farwell, all on approx. 3 acres.

Lazbuddie-New Country Listing on Highway- Spacious Spanish Style brick home, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, built-ins, central air, sunroom with indoor grill, fireplace, office, large utility, lots of storage, patio, 2 car garage, plus a lot more, all on approx. 10 acres, call for an appointment today!!

Price Reduced - Only 5 years Old. Very nice, 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath brick home, upstairs, finished basement, office, built-ins, central air and heat, electric fireplace, sprinkler system, 3 car garage, all on 1.0471 acres. Call for an appointment today!

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For sale in Farwell - McClaran Family 3,800+ sq. ft. home. 4 GARAGE SALE -- bed, 1 1/2 bath, large Thursday & Friday, Aug. 9 kitchen, huge living area, & 10, at 301 Hwy. 86 (back central heat and air. or barn) in Bovina -- Attached efficiency apartment behind new McArthur Electric store. Lots of sprinkler system and carport. Call Becky London, at (575) 309-4420. \$90,000 obo.

Bovina home for sale. 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, big yards, close to school. \$96,000. Call (806) 251-1525.

House for sale -- 901 8th St. in Bovina. 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with 2-car garage. Central heat and air. Large fenced back yard. Close to the school. Call Doug at (575) 760-7029.

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House for rent in Farwell. 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home at 303 7th in Farwell. \$700 per month, Call (575) 309-4420.

For sale in Texico School District

Nice home plus 10 acres. Large 4 bedroom 3 full bath home. 2 living areas, dining area, plus a bonus room!

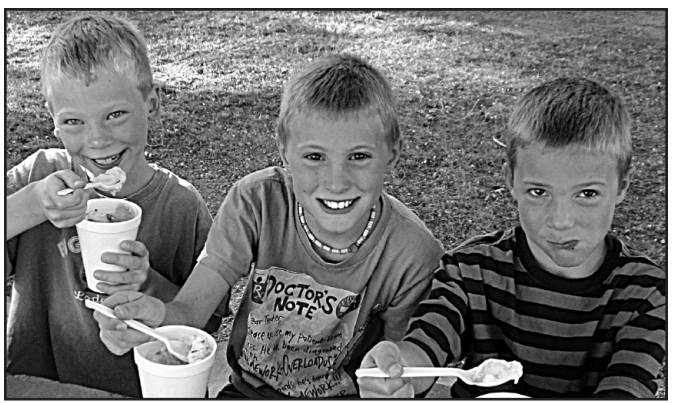
Nice open floor plan with large covered patio that is just right for family entertaining. You must see this home to appreciate how nice it is. It's a great place for your growing family and is conveniently located 5 miles south of Tres Amigos site. Additional 70 acres available for sale.

Contact Kim Bell for further information. (575) 760-3559 or kimbell.kimbell@gmail.com
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 720 E. Tierra Blanca,
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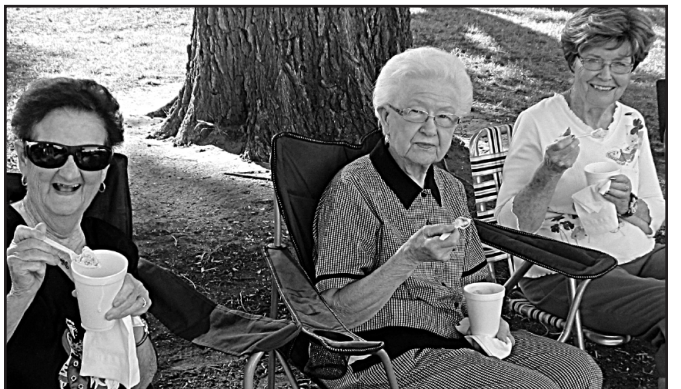
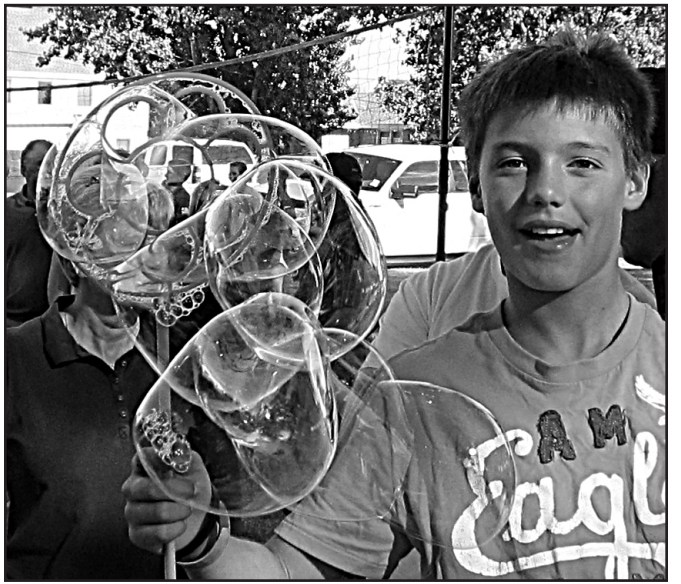
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Church service held at the park

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Thursday - chicken wrap, garden salad, tomatoes, peanut butter cups.

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Positions will remain open until filled. Annual salary based on training and experience.

See Texicoschools.com website for application process or call (575) 482-3801 for information.

Bovina Independent School District is seeking applications for a 4th Grade self-contained elementary school teacher. Applications will be taken until the position is filled. The job will begin on Aug. 17.

Applications can be picked up at the Administration Building, 500 Halsell St., Bovina, between 8 a.m. and 2:30 pm. Resumes may be faxed to (806) 251-1578 or emailed to darla.sealey@region16.net. Applicant may also apply on-line at www.bovinaisd.org.

If you have additional questions concerning this position, please contact Principal Darla Sealey at 251-1336 x 231 or by e-mail at darla.sealey@region16.net. Interviews will be conducted, by invitation only.

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Curtis family holds reunion

The Curtis family held a reunion at Border Town Days: Back row, Wade Curtis, Walter Curtis, Benny Fulgham, Leslie Curtis, Robert Curtis, Michael Williams, Jerry Fulgham; front row, James Curtis, Wilma Fulgham, Sherry Curtis, Kathy Curtis, Georgia Lee Rundell, Gwen Williams, Le Anne Mote. Photo by Bob Curtis.

Here comes football: The Mustangs open on Aug. 17 with a scrimmage there at 5 p.m.

Returning as athletic director and varsity football coach is Hector Guevara, who has established a winning tradition of Mustang football.

Jose Gonzales will coach the JV Colts.

The Middle School football team will be coached by Jay Thackston and Chris Antillon.

Speaking of football, the Tribune's BIG football contest starts in just three weeks.

As always, there will be a box set up at the Parmer County Appraisal District office on 3rd Street for Bovina area folks to drop off their ballots.

The deadline is 3 p.m. each Friday. At that time, the Appraisal District folks will fax all the ballots turned in to the Tribune.

The Tribune appreciates the Appraisal District folks helping with the contest, thus allowing Bovina area residents to participate easily.

For complete contest details, see the Page 1 story today.

There will be a special ceremony at the Grand Opening of the new Recreation Center on Aug. 18.

The Parmer County American Legion Post plans a flag raising there.

Hot, dry weather hurts crops

From Monti Vandiver, Parmer County extension agent - IPM:

Area crop conditions continue to decline as a result of an extremely hot and dry environment. Only fields with very high irrigation capacity have minimized the impact of the harsh environmental conditions.

Irrigation diversions have continued and some crops are being prematurely harvested in an attempt to salvage at least something in the way of income.

The time will be announced later.

From Nov. 21, 1946: Audrey Boxford has a birthday party.

Mr. and Mrs. U.B. Wheeler host a family reunion.

A party welcomes Mr. and Mrs. Ashcroft to Bovina, coming from Dimmitt.

J.H. Steelman has been ill.

Bovina High School will have an open house on Aug. 23 from 1 to 5:30 p.m.

It will provide the opportunity to meet the teachers and look at the classrooms.

At 5 p.m., the Mustangs will scrimmage Plains, followed by the annual "Meet the Mustangs" program at 6 p.m.

Chamber awards banquet tickets, \$15 each or \$25 for a couple, are available at City Hall and some Chamber members.

The banquet, featuring steak and all the trimmings, will be Aug. 25 at 7 p.m. at the Recreation Center.

Please get your tickets early.

Time to nominate someone for the Chamber awards banquet.

Please check out the form in today's Tribune.

Here's a note for your calendar: Bovina School opens

Aug. 27.

The Bovina class reunion is coming up in Amarillo on Aug. 11 at 1 p.m. at the Fifth Season Inn. 6801 I-40 West.

If you have any questions, get on Facebook and go to the Hay Hook Line Camp Gang page.

A post was also up requesting homemade cookies for the occasion. So folks, get your bake on. I recommend bring the recipe with the cookies so that everyone can trade recipes.

Richard Steelman is still at a rehabilitation center, Trust Point, in Lubbock.

He is recovering from a stroke and blocked artery. He is undergoing testing to see how he is progressing.

VBS at the First Baptist Church was a total success! The attendance was a whopping 155. Praise the lord.

Daily average of children attending was 104, with 41 volunteer workers.

The church thanks all the parents who shared their children with them and a huge thanks to all the volunteers who helped.

Texas tax free weekend will be Aug. 17-19. We are all looking to get more

bang for our buck, folks. New Mexico' tax free work is already over.

Many stores really put the sales on during this time so get ready for a little crowding but great savings.

Two-a-days have started! I am so ready for

some FOOTBALL. First

Scrimmage is in Clarendon at 5 pm on Aug. 17 How is that for quick?

If you are interested in joining the Booster club, drop by the Home Ec. building on Wednesdays at 6 p.m. every week. You are more than welcome to

come and join.

God bless and have a great week.

Interesting Fact of the Week: Cows are not the only animals that are milked. Did you know that water buffalo, camels, goats, sheep, horses, and reindeer are also milked?

The City of Bovina is now taking nominations for:

Man of the Year _____

Woman of the Year _____

Heritage Award _____

Male Student of the Year _____

Female Student of the Year _____

Send to: Bovina City Hall, PO Box 720, Bovina, TX 79009

Have you nominated anyone yet to be honored by the Bovina Chamber of Commerce this year? You can use the nomination ballot -- the deadline is Aug. 17. The annual banquet will be held Aug. 25 at the new Recreation Center. It is important to continue the tradition of honoring local deserving folks so please send in your suggestions to City Hall.

Bovina Band

From page 11

Practice (with horns and show music)

Aug. 23 (4 to 8 p.m.) - Evening Outdoor Marching Practice (with horns and show music)

Aug. 24 (9 a.m. to noon) - Indoor Rehearsal - Uniform/T Shirt Issue

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2012 Property Tax Rates in CITY OF BOVINA

This notice concerns 2012 property tax rates for CITY OF BOVINA. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$184,042
Last year's debt taxes	\$0
Last year's total taxes	\$184,042
Last year's tax base	\$30,755,611
Last year's total tax rate	0.598400/\$100

This year's effective tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$184,041
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$30,825,630
= This year's effective tax rate	0.597000/\$100

This year's rollback tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$244,731
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$30,825,630
= This year's effective operating rate	0.793900/\$100
× 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.857400/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.000000/\$100
= This year's rollback rate	0.857400/\$100

Statement of Increase/Decrease

If CITY OF BOVINA adopts a 2012 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.597000 per \$100 of value, taxes would decrease compared to 2011 taxes by \$ 173.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at PO Box 56305 3rd St., Bovina, Tx 79009. Name of person preparing this notice: Jill Timms Title: Chief Appraiser Date prepared: May 24, 2012

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2012-2013 Calendar

Legend	
■	- Student Registration
■	- Teacher Workday
■	- Staff Development
■	- Snow Day
■	- Holiday
■	- ½ Day Student Early Release
■	- STAAR/TAKS Testing Day
■	- High School End-of-Course Testing Window
()	- Begin/End Six Weeks
[]	- Begin/End Semester
First Day for Students	
August 27	
Last Day for Students	
May 31	
Student and Staff Holidays	
Labor Day – Sept. 3	
Thanksgiving – Nov. 22 - 23	
Christmas Break – Dec. 24 – Jan. 3	
President's Day – Feb. 18	
Spring Break – March 11 – 15	
Good Friday – March 29	
Memorial Day – May 27	
Snow Days	
March 29 and May 24	
½ Day Early Release for Students	
Oct. 12, Nov. 9, Dec. 21, Feb. 15, March 8 April 19	
STAAR/TAKS Testing Days	
October 22-25	
March 4-7	
April 1-4, 22-25	
June 25-26	
High School End-of-Course Exams	
July 9-12	
November 12-15	
December 3-14	
May 6-17	
Teacher Workdays & Staff Development	
Aug. 17 - Staff Development	
Aug. 20-23 - Staff Development	
Aug. 24 - Teacher Workday	
Nov. 21 - Staff Development/Comp.	
Jan 4 - Teacher Workday	
Feb. 18 - Staff Development/Comp.	
May 27 - Staff Development/Comp.	
Total Days	
1 st Semester	91
2 nd Semester	86
Total for Year	177

January 2013						
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Cheers lift you up

Up off the ground to do a cheer at Cheerleading camp is Mallory DeLaRosa. She is being supported by Brittany Perez and Heather Miller, and spotting is Samanta Villarreal.

Council approves Rec Center rules

The Bovina City Council recently approved Recreation Center rules and membership agreements.

These include:

Recreation Center

Membership fee is \$50 every six months. A 3-family member maximum due for household is \$150.

Card purchase is \$10. Replacement card is \$10. Daily fee is \$1.

This card allows access to the Colts room (kids' room); Mustang room (teens' room); coral (gym), and scale house (workout room).

Recreation Center rental

The rental fees, which do not include workout facility, are:

Security deposit, \$1,000; whole facility, \$500; gym, \$300; kitchen, \$100 additional fee; kids' room, \$50; teens' room, \$50; Grissom loft, \$100; and cost for one staff person is \$15 an hour from opening time to closing time.

Workout room agreement

Adult (18 and older) fee is \$30 a month. The cost for each additional household family member with one membership is \$15 a month.

Card purchase is \$10. Replacement cards cost \$10. The daily use fee is \$3.

Strike up the band!

A note from Bovina Band Director Brad Walker: Band students entering grades 8 through 12 need to be present for all these practices.

Band students should bring bottled water, drinks, and snacks to the band hall and wear cool, loose-fitting clothes for outdoor practice. It is wise to wear a hat and sunshades. The liberal use of sunscreen is highly recommended.

Here is the Mustang Band summer schedule:

Aug. 13-17 (1 to 5 p.m.) - Music Practice (in band hall) and Drill Rehearsal (outside)

Aug. 13-14, 16-17 (7 to 9 p.m.) - Evening Outdoor Marching Practice (with horns and show music)

Aug. 20-21 (1 to 5 p.m.) - Music Practice (in band hall) and Drill Rehearsal (outside)

Aug. 20-21 (7 to 9 p.m.) - Evening Outdoor Marching Practice (with horns and show music)

Aug. 22 (4 to 6 p.m.) - Evening Outdoor Marching

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City of Bovina Employment Opportunities

Wanted -- Full-time City Clerk.

Wanted -- attendant for the Bovina Recreation Center, part-time position.

Applications available at Bovina City Hall, 205 North St., Bovina, Monday-Friday. 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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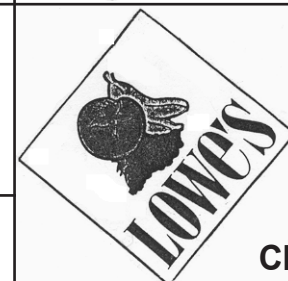
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