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Riley Rohrbach

Local gymnasts vie in Junior Olympics

"It was amazing," agreed three local gymnasts who competed last week in their own "Olympic" experience.

Landry Henderson and Makenna Byrd, both of Farwell, and Riley Rohrbach, of Texico, competed in the Junior Olympics National Championships for Trampoline and Tumbling in Long Beach, Calif.

Just like the upcoming summer Olympics, these junior athletes participated in a grand opening ceremony to kick off the event. Over 2,000 boys and girls from around the U.S. represented their hometowns in a Grand March. Each group dressed up to their own theme and was introduced to the crowd.

As the groups wound their way through the huge Long Beach Arena, the athletes waved to the crowd and paused to take pictures along the way. After all the athletes were introduced and seated, an "all-star" gymnastics team entertained the crowd of thousands with their amazing routines.

Riley commented, "We all feel so lucky that we could be part of this competition. It was such a great experience. I really enjoyed watching the 'all-star team' perform - they were so good."

The kids also watched real Olympic hopefuls or the "Elites" compete.

One highlight was witnessing a male gymnast set a world record with his tumbling pass. The pass had a very high difficulty rating and he performed it perfectly to beat the old world record with his score.

Our own gymnasts agreed it was inspiring to see the high level of skill from these Elites. One of their own teammates from "Acrospirits" who performed is Dakota Earnest. Dakota recently earned a spot as an alternate on the Olympic team, so our gymnasts

can't wait for the Summer Olympics to begin so they can watch Dakota.

At Long Beach, our athletes could compete in trampoline, double mini and tumbling. However, each gymnast had to qualify by making a pre-determined score at a state or regional event. Also, the athlete had to perform at a certain level of skill for each event. Athletes at this event were some of the best in the nation.

Landry, Makenna and Riley scored well enough to compete on trampoline. Makenna and Riley were also able to compete on double mini but none of the three had a level high enough for tumbling.

Each athlete competed against others in his/her age at a certain level of

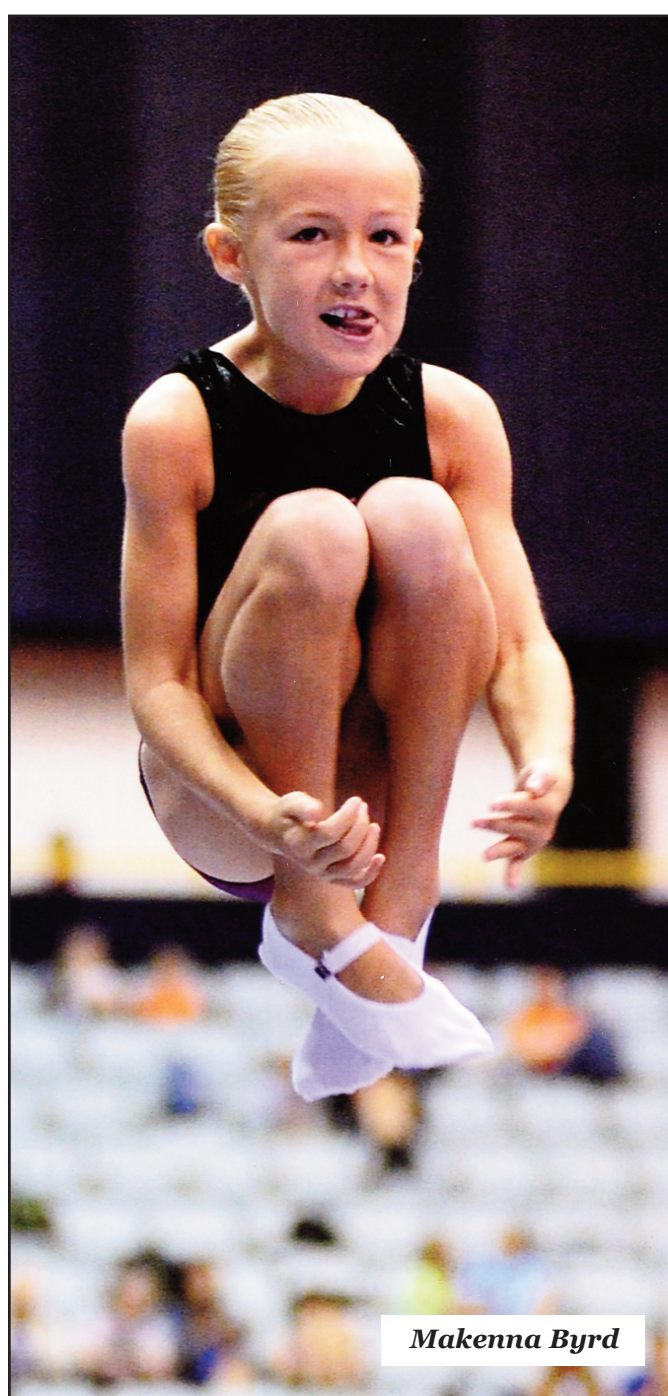
gymnastics ability. Boys compete against other boys while girls compete against girls.

Landry scored 11th in the nation out of a group

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Landry Henderson



Makenna Byrd

Texico School names new superintendent

Miles Mitchell was named Texico School superintendent by the school board on July 11 and began his new job on Monday.

During the summer, he had been appointed Texico athletic director. He will pick a new athletic director now.

The 1989 Melrose High graduate was principal at Grady School for two years and also taught agriculture for 12 years -- 10 at Melrose and 2 at Silver City, N.M.

He and his wife, Stacy, have two children -- Chance, 13, and Ty, 10. Mrs. Mitchell is employed as a kindergarten teacher at Sandia Elementary in Clovis. For the time being, the kids will stay in Clovis schools.



Miles Mitchell

Allison Myers attends leadership conference

Allison Myers, daughter of Allan and Robin Myers of Texico, recently got a little taste of what it would be like to be President of the United States.

At the National Young Leaders Conference in Washington, D.C., June 17-25, Allison had to answer this question:

"What would you do if you were president and Somalia pirates hijacked a U.S. cargo ship full of military supplies on its way to Kenya?"

Allison answered honestly, "I have no idea" and then began to pursue options and scenarios with her discussion group at the conference.

"This experience taught me so much," she says. "Even though I had taken government classes before, nothing prepared me for the critical thinking necessary to succeed at this conference."

Allison was nominated for this honor last year by then-Texico School counselor Elnabeth Grau, who since has been promoted to Texico High principal.

She was then invited to join about 250 other high school students from all over the U.S. to participate in a workshop basically designed to create leaders.

Allison explains, "The purpose of this conference was to explore the process of government and discuss current affairs, politics, leadership topics and more."

Allison says they were busy from 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. with workshops, small group discussions, and even a mock



Allison Myers stands in front of the White House.

Congressional session. "We even visited the floor of the House of Representatives and got to hear the Speaker of the House."

She gained much from the experience. "When you have navigated Capitol Hill, you feel like you can do anything," Allison added.

One of her favorite parts of the trip was "Meet Your Congressman Day." Even though she didn't actually get to meet her New Mexico congressman, she did visit Tom Udall's and Jeff Bingaman's offices.

"Ninety percent of the staff was from New Mexico, so they were very nice to me when they found out I was also from New Mexico. I got to ask lots of questions and see what their jobs were like. I did not know that our elected officials live in Washington from

ence. Allison says it was very interesting to see how the whole process works and she really enjoyed the "behind the scenes" kind of experience.

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Gymnasts

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of about 25 in trampoline. He originally scored in the top 10 but was pushed to 11th due to a successful protest from another athlete.

Makenna scored 12th in the nation out of a group of 43.

Riley brought home a silver medal with a 2nd place finish in a group of 47. Since Riley was one of the first to compete in her group, it was a nail-biting experience for her to wait for the final scores. She won 1st in her flight and was in 1st place overall but was forced to wait through 5 more flights until the final scores were tabulated. In the very last flight, she was edged out and missed being a National Champion by 1/10th of a point.

For double mini, Makenna placed 11th in the nation against 39 others - barely missing a top 10 finish.

All three gymnasts represented our area extremely well. Landry comments, "There were so many people watching, but it is was a lot of fun."

Just like Olympic athletes, these three put in many hours of training at their gym, the Clovis Sports Academy, in order to achieve their success at Nationals.

Their coach, J.D. Hipp,

was thrilled with their performances at the Junior Olympic event.

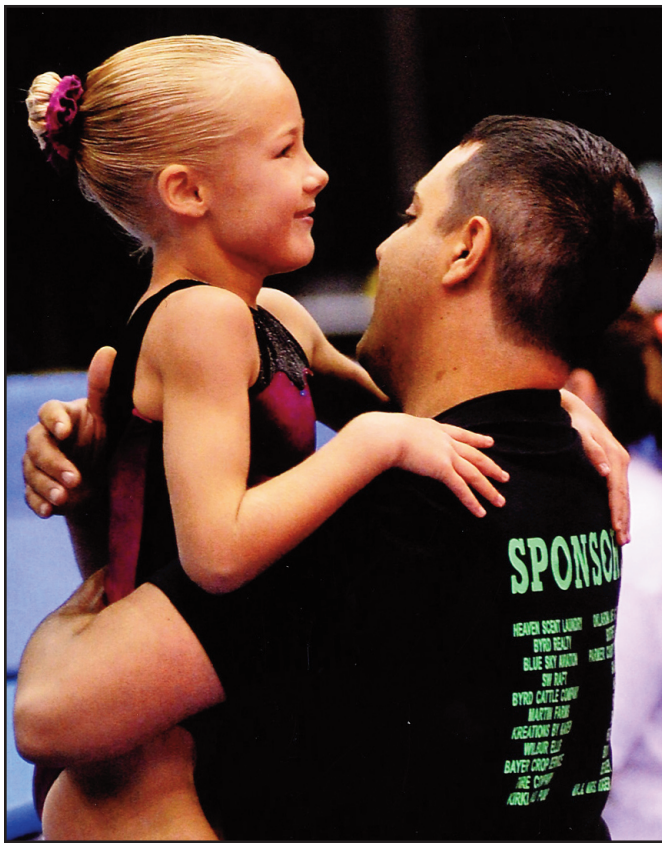
"It was so exciting to see them do well. None of these three have ever competed at a national event before. It was their first year of real competition and they were amazing. These events have incredibly tough competition and it is normal to be nervous, but all of these athletes performed well. The Clovis Sports Academy is excited to have two out of the five gymnasts medal this year." (Riley and a Clovis gymnast, Gemma Martin, both received 2nd place medals).

For the kids, they are looking forward to getting back into the gym and practicing. After every summer Olympics, the USA Gymnastics officials come up with new routines for each level.

Thus, our athletes will have all new things to learn and perfect before their next competitive season.

Makenna says, "We are looking forward to competing next year with all new routines. Now that we know what to expect at Nationals it will not be as hard next time. We were nervous, but really proud to be selected to compete."

The youths thanked all who sponsored their trip.



Makenna Byrd and her coach, J.D. Hipp.



Above, Rohrbach shows off her 2nd place medal and first in flight ribbon. Below she stands on the winners platform.



Landry Henderson

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Texico Baptist Church organizes clean up

As a service to the community, the First Baptist Church of Texico will have a free community-wide trash and junk cleanup day on Aug. 3 from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 3 p.m. mst.

Seth Ellsworth says that if Texico residents have trash or large items to place them on the street curbs,

Church youths will be going up and down the streets (no alleys) during the day to pick up such

'42' tourney to benefit BTD, senior citizens

Area "42" honcho Jerry Whitney reports that the annual New Mexico -- Texas Showdown 42 Domino Tournament will be held on July 21 at 7 p.m. mt at the Texico Senior Center, 211 N. Griffin St.

This 3rd annual tourney is hosted by the Border Town Days Committee and the Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens. Tournament proceeds benefit these two groups.

Entry fee is \$20 a team (cash only). Registration will be held from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. mt.

Framed certificates and 1st and 2nd place prizes will be given. There will be eight games, with 20-minute time limits.

Whitney stressed that there is no age limit and all are invited. "If you love to play 42 and enjoy the fellowship and competition, this is for you!" he said.

items so they can be hauled away to the Clovis landfill.

Furniture and trash that is stacked in the alley by the dumpsters should be moved by residents to the front curb by Thursday evening, Aug. 2, for pick-up. The city's disposal company will not remove large objects from alleys, and the students will not be touring the alleys, so it is important for everyone to pitch in and move the debris from their own resident alleyways to the front curbs.

If folks have items too large for them to carry out to the street, they are asked to call 482-3632 by Aug. 2 and give their address so church members can go to their homes and remove the items on Aug. 3.

Ellsworth stressed that this will be a "free service to the community of Texico. Students will pay to dump the debris at the Clovis Landfill from their activities fund."



Courthouse Notes

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

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Local wind projects not affected by Tres Amigas delay

Tres Amigas, the projected power substation project outside of Clovis, announced that their groundbreaking plans have been delayed due to paperwork issues.

While this substation is ultimately very important to local wind interests including Scandia Wind Southwest, of Bovina, and Big Five Renewable Energy Project, of the Farwell area, it has no immediate effect.

Jim Bob Swafford, CEO of Scandia Wind, said, "Tres Amigas is really not affecting us at all right now."

While they are eventually looking forward to benefiting from the proposed construction, Scandia Wind is progressing well by developing the market in Texas currently available to them.

Swafford said they are currently focusing on the CREZ project in conjunction with Sharyland Utilities, of Hereford. The CREZ process encourages the development of wind generation in Texas by facilitating the construction of electrical transmission lines. Through Sharyland, they are trying to meet the energy transmission needs for the Texas Panhandle.

Those transmission lines will allow companies like Scandia Wind to transport power to other areas of Texas. Scandia originally applied for 1,200 MW of wind energy and plans to develop 600 MW through

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School supplies gathered for needy area children

Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church is organizing a school supply closet in one of its rooms for Texico-Farwell area children who can't afford school supplies.

Donations of new school supplies are being accepted.

Marriage Licenses

The Parmer County clerk's office last week issued the following marriage license to Filiberto Cruz and Yolanda Rodriguez.



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BTD plans almost complete

The Border Town Days committee held its last meeting on Monday leading up to this year's celebration scheduled for July 28.

Carolyn Johnson reported that 10 groups have signed up for concessions this year. A full list is elsewhere in today's Tribune.

Mrs. Johnson also reported on the 5-K fun run/walk. She said folks are starting to sign up, and she expects a good turnout. A story on all the details are elsewhere in today's paper.

Lynne Mahaney reports that 21 booths have been rented so far for the arts and crafts side of the park. This is right on schedule.

She said things are filling up quickly and if you want a booth, call her as soon as possible at 481-3601.

The committee discussed the old BTD train that used to run in the parade many years ago until it broke down and repairs could not be made. It can't be found.

The Latest

There was no going-away reception held this month for outgoing Texico School Supt. R.L. Richards because it was felt that it would be better to have it after school starts.

So, a reception will be held later to honor him at Texico School.

Texico-Farwell got a hundredth of an inch of moisture on Monday.

It wasn't much but at least it was something.

Tuesday had a couple of drops fall in town, also, but not enough to wet the roads.



Dunsworths win shopping spree

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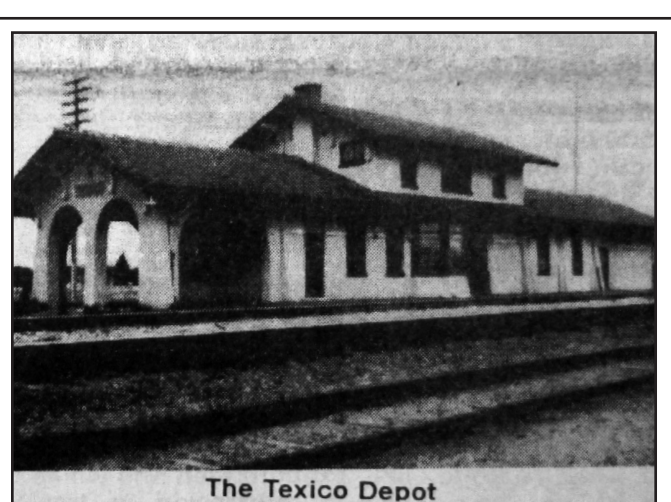
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The Texico Depot

Attempts are made to save the Texico Railroad Depot, built in 1908, the year Texico was incorporated.

Perales, David Woods; Texico, Twilla Longo and Brette Southard; Lazbuddie, Traci Elliott, Omar Sanchez and Tim List.

Jack Kirkland is new managing partner at Berry & Kirkland CPA firm.

Texico Homecoming royalty: Twilla Longo and Larry Dudley.

Tom Mesman dies in farm accident.

David Lynn resigns as Texico football coach.

Linda Geries wins Tribune football contest.

Lazbuddie Homecoming royalty; Mia Jennings and Omar Sanchez.

Pat Riley leaves Farwell First Baptist Church.

Janie Bowery retires after 25 years as Farwell city clerk, replaced by Cynthia Thigpen.

Norris Samuelson is new FHS band director.

Michele Stover is Miss Border Town Days.

Farwell Dental Clinic to be expanded.

Benji McDaniel shows grand champ hamp at Curry County Fair.

Helton Oil opens store in Rhea.

Philip Jesko dies in auto accident.

Ann Norton is Beta Sigma Phi Sweetheart.

Texico City Council votes to support Ute Lake water project.

Chris Aycock earns Eagle Scout rating.

Ann Southard is named Texico Junior High principal.

Lady Spikers are state runnerup.

Susan Redwine shows grand champ hamp at Houston show.

Top Texico science fair honors go to Byron Martin and Peggy Kelley.

Charlie Rose wins tailfeather contest.

Meet Texico's Class of 2024



Briana Jaramillo is a Texico kindergartener. Her birthday is May 28.

Parent is Emily Jaramillo. Siblings are Jayven and Jonavin.

She likes doing puzzles, watching movies, helping mom and playing with her brothers and friends.

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Her favorite foods are pizza and chicken.

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Benna Felts retires as county treasurer; Hugh Moseley says he will retire as county tax assessor.

Area pioneers who died during the year were Sloan Osborn, Grady Herington, Estellene Billington, Minnie Ramm, Ray Barnes, Henry Curtis and Clifford McGuire.

Sherley-Anderson buys Farwell's Worley Mills grain elevator.

Farwell Feed Supply, Kimbow's Beauty Shop and K&J's Video open.

Ursula Dollar and Jody Ketcherside are Mr. and Miss FHS.

Texico elementary principal George Herington retires.

Mr. and Miss THS are Robin Pierce and Brette Southard.

Martin Singletery shows grand champ at Texico hog show.

Chamber honors: Farwell, Jim Berry and Liz Phillips; Texico, Charlotte Pierce and Weldon Smith.

Lazbuddie moves from 11- to 6-man football; coach James Bartosh resigns.

Dave Wheeler quits as Texico marshal. He is replaced by Alvin Pittman, who is later fired.

Due to illness of Lynn Burton, Toby Booth named FHS interim principal.

Heritage Square apartments planned.

Texico FFA honors: Terry Whitener, Star Greenhand; Bret Taylor, Chapter Farmer.

Russell Redwine dies in accident.

Valedictorians: Traci Elliott, Lazbuddie; Brette Southard, Texico; Dana White, Farwell.

Top athletes: Farwell, Shonda Foster, Ray

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From Estellene Billington in the 1986 Tribune: I opened a beauty shop in Farwell in 1935, purchased from Jewel Matthews for \$250. My parents, Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Magness, helped me buy it.

I was single and living at home. The shop was located on the highway near Rose Drug. At the time, I gave permanents for \$1 and sets for 25 cents. The shop was called the Modern Beauty Shop.

At first, I worked six days a week and hoped to earn \$10 to \$15 a week. Times were hard, the Depression was on. I picked cotton in the fall to help pay for my beauty course.

I passed my state boards in Santa Fe and worked in Hot Springs, N.M., for three weeks, then returned to Farwell and bought my shop.

Sterling Billington was a barber next door. One day he asked me to have a Coke with him at the drug store. From that friendship, we started dating.

My business grew and one day Mrs. Stone came in for a permanent in long hair. I had to run three blocks to get Jewel to help me do it, which turned out beautifully.

In 1935, Sterling and I were married. We moved to our shop to the east side. There were three rooms, one for the shop and two for our living quarters. We lived there for a year. Mrs. Danner ran a restaurant in the large building next door.

We moved my shop and lived in the 200 block of 4th Street. Then we moved again people the people who owned the house had returned.

Meanwhile, Sterling bought a cow and he sold milk for 9 cents a quart, plus I was working in my shop.

Some of my first customers were Nina Glasscock, Mrs. G.D. Anderson, Ola Persch Epperly, Mrs. H.H. Petree and Greta Paul.

Florence Wallace made plans to put in a building across from me. She ran the City Cleaners. There were four businesses going into that building -- Mabel and Gus's Cafe, City Cleaners, Sterling's Barber Shop and Estellene's Beauty Shop. Living quarters were in back.

Business was growing and Sterling was working two barbers plus himself.

Perms cost \$2 and a shampoo set was 75 cents.

We got a chance to buy the lot where the shop is now located on Main Street. It was a big mud hole at the time. We carried in dirt in a wheel barrow for fill. We bought an old warehouse and granary and had

them torn down and started to build our shops and home.

Meanwhile, World War II had started and we knew Sterling would have to go into the armed forces. But we got our building done and moved in.

At the time we got telephones and were able to make appointments. Before that, people just came in and waited.

Some weeks I would give more than 30 permanents a week.

Sterling had joined the Navy and our 3rd child was on the way. Sterling was stationed at Mare Island and I went to live there with our three children. Sonny Hammond was on leave here and he and his wife helped me to drive to California.

Sterling was discharged in June 1945. We reopened our shops and business grew.

Sterling and I supported our school and raised

money for the PTA. We helped organize the American Legion here.

As for our children, Lavoyda went to college, Katherine took a beauty course and worked in my shop her senior year, and Mike was a our shoeshine boy until he was a junior in school.

Those who worked for me through the years were Mary Crume, Myrtle Withrow, Katie and Sharon Busby, Yvonne Haney, Little Lea and Warren Johnson.

I remember some funny things that happened. Once a lady came in with five children. She stayed all day to get a permanent. You can imagine what my shop looked like. It was a trying day.

Another day a lady came in and asked if I would give two permanents cheaper than one. I asked if she would sell two buckets of cream cheaper than one, and she said no. I said I would not either.

Lazbuddie board member to be picked

The Lazbuddie School Board on July 10 discussed how to legally handle the board vacancy it has had for awhile.

State law says that a board vacancy must be filled within 180 days. In Lazbuddie's case, that is three weeks shy of the next school board election in November.

So the board wanted to leave the post unfilled, then let it be filled at the election.

Supt. Joanna Martinez checked with the Texas Association of School Boards to see if that would work. No, she was told, the board must fill the vacancy.

So, it appears the Lazbuddie School Board will appoint someone to the board at its October meeting, although the seat also will be on the November ballot.

At the November election, five of the seven school board seats will be listed.

In other business, the board received three resignations and made two hirings.

Resigning were:

-- Eddi Marks, who had recently been hired to teach elementary English language arts. Her husband, who had been working at Clarendon, has taken a job at Alpine Texas.

-- Kristen McDonald, who taught elementary language arts at Lazbuddie last year.

-- Newly-hired football coach Adam Kirby, due to medical issues within his family.

Thus, Lazbuddie still has one position open -- football coach.

Hired were:

-- Angie Robertson, of Sudan, will teach half-day pre-kindergarten and half-day family consumer science.

-- Elizabeth Oliver, will teach reading and English language arts for 1st through 5th graders. She is kin to the Weaver family in Lazbuddie.

-- Approved the transfer list.

-- Adopted board goals.

-- Set the next meeting for Aug. 14.

-- Looked at photos of the new playground equipment that will be ordered.

-- Approved policies dealing with students who have food allergies, mandated by the state.

Jackie Smallwood

Jackanette "Jackie" Doyal Smallwood, 70 of Farwell, went to be with her Lord and Savior Monday, July 9, 2012. Funeral services were July 13, 2012, at First Baptist Church of Farwell with Rev. Rob Hollis officiating. Interment followed in Sunset Terrace Cemetery, Farwell.



Jackie was born Dec. 13, 1941, in Roswell, N.M., to Jack and Hazel Doyal. She graduated from Roswell High School in 1959. She married Barnabus "Joe" Smallwood June 15, 1958, in Roswell.

In 1992, she earned her Bachelor's degree in Education from Eastern New Mexico University. Those that love her most describe her as a teacher, prayer warrior, counselor, friend, loving wife, mother, and grandmother.

Jackie was a member of First Baptist Church in Farwell for more than 35 years where she served in many teaching and leadership roles in Sunday School, Vacation Bible School, Girls in Action, Women's Missionary Union, and many more. She loved playing the piano and for many years was revival pianist for her father, Jack Doyal, who was a music evangelist for many years all over New Mexico.

Jackie first and foremost loved her Lord and Savior. She was a missionary at heart and though she never served overseas, her heart was in the foreign mission field. Her mission field was her family first followed by her church and community. She was the spiritual leader of her family and was determined that everyone in her family know the Lord and be saved. Above all, she loved her husband Joe to whom she was happily married for 53 years.

As the wife of a farmer, she wore many hats. She did her share of chopping cotton and tractor driving, but somehow still found the time to manage a household, raise three kids, cook wonderful meals for the family and act as bookkeeper for Dr. J.R. Ivins for 27 years.

Jackie was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; and a grandson, Travis Smallwood. Surviving are 2 sons, Rusty Smallwood and wife Rebecca, of Lubbock, and Jack Smallwood and wife Cassandra, of Farwell; a daughter, Sheranette Martin and husband William, of Farwell; 9 grandchildren Ashlie Martin, Trevor Smallwood, Amanda Martin, Amberli Martin, Matthew Martin, Kaylin Smallwood, Thomas Smallwood, EmmaLee Smallwood, and Elizabeth Smallwood; a sister Ella Bowen and Bill, of McKinney, Texas, and a host of other family members and friends.

Pallbearers were Rusty Smallwood, Jack Smallwood, William Martin, Trevor Smallwood, Matthew Martin, Thomas Smallwood, and J.R. Ivins.

Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe handled the arrangements.

Robbie Johnson

Robbie Johnson, 79, of Farwell, passed away on July 10, 2012, at the Farwell Care and Rehabilitation Center.



Ten minutes after the birth of her sister Bobbie, much to everyone's surprise, Robbie L. Burns was born to Jack and Zula Burns on Sept 29, 1932, in Levelland, Texas. She married the love of her life, William Calvin Johnson, in July 1952.

Soon after their marriage, they started their family and had six boys: Berl Dwayne, William Calvin (Bill), Robert Lynn, John Allen, Charles Andrew and Rodger Que, and then later moved to Lariat in 1962.

After living in a household full of boys, she finally acquired six daughters-in-law: Dinah, wife of Berl; April, wife of Bill; Tammie, wife of Robert; Jolinda, wife of John; Lorri, wife of Charles; and Brenda, wife of Rodger. This resulted in Robbie becoming the proud grandmother of 13 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren.

Over the years, as well as being a housewife and mother, she also worked at the Farwell School cafeteria, Dairy Queen, Farwell Convalescent Center, and Wal-Mart. She became a member of the Texico First Baptist Church in the mid 1970's.

After breaking her leg in 2010, she became a resident at the Farwell Convalescent and Rehab Center until the time of her death.

She was preceded in death by her husband Calvin; her parents, Jack and Zula Burns, and a brother, Roland Burns of Milwaukee, Wis.

Memorial Services were held July 13, 2012, at Texico First Baptist Church with Rob Hollis officiating. Honorary casket bearers were Robbie's 13 grandchildren: Russell Johnson, Robert Andrew Johnson, Brian Johnson, Jake Johnson, Aaron Johnson, Leslie Martinez, Virginia Kyle, Summer Johnson, Robbie Johnson, December Oglesby, Echo Johnson, Carla Hall and Angel Bowman. Private burial followed at Sunset Terrace Memorial Park in Farwell.

Arrangements are under the direction of Steed-Todd Funeral Home and Crematory, 800 E Manana Blvd, Clovis, NM (575) 763-5541. You may also sign the online guest registry at www.steed-todd.com.

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Several local non-profit groups have signed up to have concessions in the park. Are you a member of a group that wants to participate? It's a great fund-raiser, believe us. Groups always run out of ice cream quickly.
And have your kids signed up for the Decorated Bicycle Contest, with a chance to win cash prizes or a brand new bicycle?
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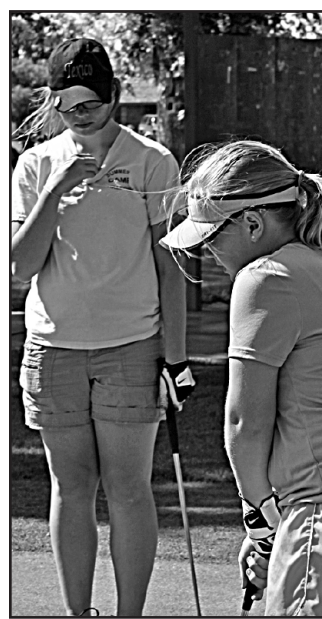
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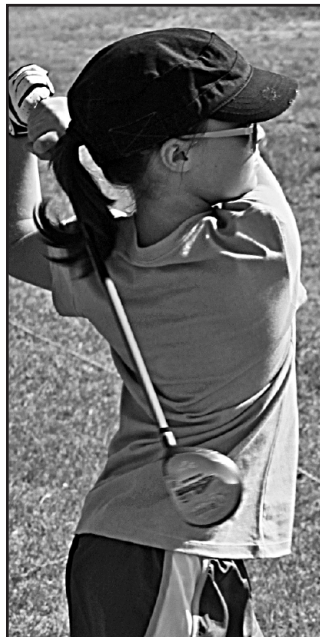
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More scenes from the Texico golf camp



Wind Energy

From page 4



the CREZ project.

Swafford said, "Our goal is to tie into that (CREZ) project." The proposed project calls for construction of a substation southeast of Hereford to begin in late 2013. Swafford hopes to be ready to join the project by 2014.

They are currently taking steps toward that goal. By acquiring the leases necessary for transmission line easements, Scandia is preparing the way for their Texas wind interests. "We are starting by committing 200 MW for development by insuring the right of way and planning for environmental studies," he added.

Swafford says Scandia Wind must begin by defining the environmental areas necessary for study. When there is a clear understanding of all environmental issues affected, they will hire an environmental company to perform the study.

Issues include the habitat/breeding issues for the Lesser Prairie Chicken and Golden Eagles. Swafford says that their company and all the affected private land owners have been participating with numerous universities doing studies of affected wildlife and other environmental factors. He said everyone is making a concerted effort to understand how the wind farms will affect the environment.

Thus, while Scandia Wind looks forward to Tres Amigas beginning its 3-phase construction project, they are progressing in their available Texas market.

Daren Sudderth, of the Big Five Renewable Energy Project, agrees that the Tres Amigas delay will have no immediate effect for our area. The group is expected to meet later this week to discuss further plans and strategy.

Working with Tri-Global, Big Five is trying to "stay ahead of the curve," said Sudderth. "We want to be ready when the wind energy market is ready."

He said they are currently watching the state of the economy including natural gas prices. He said when transmission lines are constructed, Big Five and its landowners will be ready.

Sudderth said more updates will be available after their projected meeting.

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Sheriff's Report

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

On July 11, Vicente Terrones, 43, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of aggravated assault with a weapon, pending before the grand jury.

On July 11, Marco Terrones, 17, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of terroristic threat, pending in county court.

On July 12, Tori Bruton, 47, of Muleshoe, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of theft, pending in district court.

On July 12, Ignacio Rodriguez, 37, of Bovina, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of possession of a controlled substance under 1 gram, pending in district court.

On July 12, Heber Cardoza, 20, of Farwell, was arrested by Farwell police on a charge of indecency with a child, pending in district court.

On July 13, Bobby Turner, 38, of Mississippi, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of resisting arrest, pending in county court.

On July 14, Landon Lusk, 20, no address given, was arrested by Farwell police on charges of unlawfully carrying a weapon and possession of marijuana, pending in county court.

On July 15, Victor Castillo, 34, of Ft. Sumner, was arrested by Farwell police on a charge of possession of a controlled substance under 1 gram, pending before the grand jury.

On July 15, Brian Osborn, 41, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of driving with an invalid license with previous, pending in county court.

The Latest

Border Town Days updates:

Joe's Boot Shop will be bringing its mechanical bull to the park again this year.

Also, Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church will again distribute water long the parade route.

The Parmer County Hospital District Board and Preferred Management joined forces recently to refinance the outstanding bonds to build the new hospital, estimated to save taxpayers \$2.82 million over the next 20 years -- about \$127,000 a year.

Mark Risinger has returned to the area after working the past year in Afghanistan. He is a master plumber.



Gazebo roofing project

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Bovina ISD

Request for bids for milk products
Bids will be received until 4:00 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 13, 2012, in the Superintendent's Office, Bovina ISD, P.O. Box 70, Bovina, Texas 79009, for School District milk supplies for the 2012-13 school year, as follows:

The Milk service award(s) will be awarded at the regular School Board meeting, scheduled for Aug. 13, 2012.

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

Dale Fullerton, superintendent

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Request for Bids for Fuel Products
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Dale Fullerton, superintendent

Notice to Bidders

The Lazbuddie Independent School District is accepting bids for courtyard repairs.

Bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9, 2012, and will be presented to the Board of Trustees at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 14, 2012.

If you are interested in placing a bid for any of the above items, contact Joanna Martinez, superintendent, Lazbuddie ISD, P.O. Box 9, Lazbuddie TX 79053 or call her at (806) 965-2156.

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

Joanna Martinez
Superintendent

Notice to Bidders

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Joanna Martinez
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 and school supplies.

Bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 6, 2012, and will be presented to the Board of Trustees at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 6, 2012.

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.

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Fixer-upper 2 story, 4 bed, 2 bath, on corner lot in Farwell. \$55,000.

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

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Bovina Area Listings

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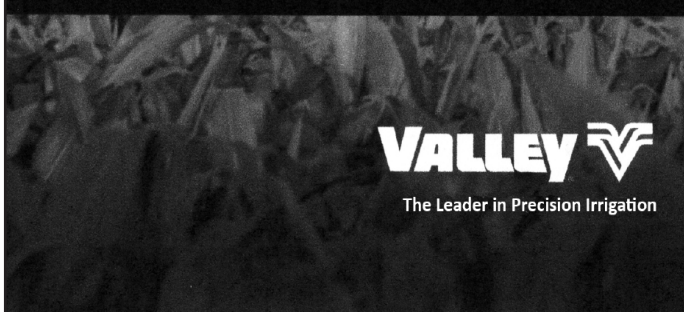
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Myers

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Monday through Thursday and just fly home on the weekends. I also did not know that much of their day is spent debating in sessions for hours. It was very interesting."

There also was time for fun on this trip. "We saw several memorials including the Lincoln, Korean War, and Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorials. We were the first group to actually get to tour the new Martin Luther King, Jr. site because it just opened. We really enjoyed sight-seeing in Washington because it was neat to think of all the important people who lived here in the past. They actually walked the same streets!"

She visited Alexandria, Va.; Georgetown, and

took in a 'Bowie Bay Sox' baseball game in Louisville, Md.

Allison will hopefully put her experience to work next summer. After her first year of college at West Texas A&M University, Allison hopes to return to Washington as an intern. She gathered applications while attending the conference and hopes to get a chance to work there next summer.

"I would really like to work in the Senate building.. We got a great 'behind-the-scenes' glimpse this year and I would love to learn more."

Ultimately, Allison hopes to major in mass communications and then possibly go into TV production. Her favorite program is "Good Morning America" and can see herself producing a news show one day. For now, she is looking forward to getting involved with different organizations in college and learning useful things about her career choices.

The Leadership Conference may offer Allison one more experience for her life -- she was invited to attend the Presidential Inauguration as a special guest. Even though the event falls during the college semester, Allison hopes that she can return to Washington to meet the President and enjoy a once-in-a-lifetime event.

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Let's hear it for the dairy industry

Let me introduce you to the Girl Next Door ... my name is Traci Tuttle and I am a fairly new and proud resident of Farwell.

I moved to the area last October to be with my fiancé, J.

There's quite a bit of back story to my and J's meeting. This was no happenstance encounter; I truly believe it was divine intervention.

With an upbringing in rural New Mexico, I had with a passion for agriculture. I learned at a young age to pledge my head, heart, hands and health to a greater good and to this day, still find myself reciting "The Creed."

Although I loved to promote the overall industry of agriculture, one segment of it fascinated me more than the others -- dairying.

As a kid, I would drink three gallons of milk a week in addition to eating cheese, sour cream, yogurt, butter and ice cream. Family and friends would tease me about the amount of calcium I consumed.

When it came time to decorate anything, Holstein cow print and white picket fences were my go-to. I was pretty much a walking billboard



for the dairy industry.

While most girls my age dreamed of Paris and Rome, I wanted to visit the Netherlands knowing of their deep-rooted dairying culture and delicious food. In college, I opted to study Dutch so I would have the opportunity to go overseas.

Unfortunately, there wasn't a program in the Netherlands that fit my needs, so I attended an intense immersion course near Brussels, Belgium, to learn Dutch.

(Side note: They actually speak Flemish in Belgium, not Dutch. And don't ever confuse the Dutch and Belgians...)

Before going abroad, I had dinner with a friend of mine from college, who was originally from Clovis. We talked about my plans to learn Dutch and spending a semester overseas. He mentioned he had a friend from back home who spoke Dutch. That this friend of his is from the Netherlands, but he and his family immigrated to Clovis in 2003 to continue dairying.

This was the first time I would hear of the man who would soon become my tutor, my best friend and the love of my life.

Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

rivalries during the basketball and football seasons, this is the time when all folks get together to renew their friendships and remind each other that Texico-Farwell really is one great community.

And that is special!

A note on the sad news story involving the child molestation cases at Penn State University.

The in-depth study that cast blame on the top PSU officials, including football coach Joe Paterno, cited the "cultural" problem of trying to cover up the affair to avoid bad publicity.

That is so true of our failing American society. It is better to avoid bad publicity than to stop the molestation of children.

What does that say about our culture?

President Obama recently said the biggest mistake of his presidency so far was his lack of communicating better with the nation.

I believe he was wrong in that. The top mistake was the \$1 trillion stimulus package that was a complete failure.

Not only did this cause tremendous debt that our children must bear, but it was almost completely wasted.

A tragedy for all of us.

And a note on the mass rape that occurred near Mexico City by bandits at a youth camp.

Over the years, I saw some "post apocalypse" sci-fi movies where armed gangs of vicious men became the law after a huge man-made disaster and the hero would fight them like in Mel Gibson's "Mad Max."

Well, it's begun.

Societies are breaking down and armed groups of thugs are taking charge in parts of Mexico and several African nations.

Where will it spread next? Would you believe some major U.S. cities?

But the best part of LTD is that it brings people together. While Texico and Farwell will have its normal school

Signups continue for Border Town Days events

"New Mexico Centennial," honoring our area pioneers, will be the theme of the 46th annual Border Town Days to be held on Saturday, July 28.

As always the Big Parade will begin at 11 a.m. ct, followed by the Day in the Park activities.

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

Arts and Crafts

Lynne 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.

Concessions

Carolyn Johnson, 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.

Signed up so far are:

- Farwell Care & Rehabilitation Center Auxiliary, baked goods
- Parmer County Crime Stoppers
- Texico-Farwell Rotary Club, BBQ dinners
- Farwell Junior High cheerleaders, turkey legs, water, roasted corn.
- Pleasant Hill 4-H, burgers.
- Curry County 4-H Shooting Sports, ice cream.
- San Jose Catholic Church, burritos.
- Texico Pentecostal Church, water, peanut brittle.
- Farwell High cheerleaders, face painting, pickles, and popsicles.

Entertainment

The lineup is filled up. It includes:

Cindy Bermea, Emily Stancell, Virginia Palaia, the Whiskey Rebellion Band (Ross Prokop, Curt Christian, Troy Tebeest, Tyson Carthel and Joe Nash), Gabby and Olivia Schilling, Trevor Norton, Chelsi Woods, the First Baptist Church of Farwell youth group, and Stephen Miles.

Decorated Bicycle Contest

See full details for this event elsewhere in today's Tribune.

Merchants Giveaway

The list of participating businesses is elsewhere in today's Tribune.

Antique Cars & Tractors

Ruth Anne Bennett, Fern Tharp and Judy Lekovich are in charge.

Persons wishing to have their vehicles in the parade are asked to call one of these ladies.

In both categories, \$25 cash prizes are given for judge's choice; distance furthest traveled, and oldest vehicle.

"42" Tourney

Full details are elsewhere in today's Tribune.

Big Parade

Judy Lekovich, Fern Tharp and Ruth Anne Bennett are also in charge of the parade.

To enter, call Ruth Anne at 825-3822; Judy at 482-3331, or Fern at 482-9038.

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 BTM theme - "New Mexico Centennial."

The deadline for parade signups is Friday, July 20.

After that date, you can still sign up by calling BTM Chairman Rob 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:

- Big Mike's Bikes
- Farwell Class of 1962
- Farwell Class of 1997
- Texico Class of 1962
- Farwell Class of 1967
- Parmer County Girl Scouts
- Jerry Don Glover - truck
- Clovis Fire Department
- Plateau's Buzz the Roadrunner
- Farwell Country Club
- Rooney Moon Broadcasting
- Texico High cheerleaders
- Antique vehicles
- Antique tractors
- Farwell Legends in Blue Band
- Texico Fire Department & EMS
- Farwell Fire Department & EMS
- Lazbuddie Fire Department & EMS
- West Texas Riders horse unit

- Farwell police
- Texico police
- A-Me-De's Restaurant
- Farwell High cheerleaders
- Farwell Junior High cheerleaders
- High Plains Horseman's Club
- Farwell EMS
- Clovis Evening Lions Club
- Lazbuddie School cheerleaders
- Lazbuddie School athletes float
- Rodeo Queens with their horses
- Clovis Shriners
- Southwestern Flavors horse troupe
- Joe's Boot Shop vehicle
- Pleasant Hill Fire Department
- A-Me-D's Restaurant
- Kirk Magness, tractor.
- Miller, Terry, and Stancell Family tractors, dirt bikes and vehicles.

Want to win a new bicycle?

Registration is under way for the Border Town Day Decorated Bicycle contest. You can sign up at the State Line Tribune, 404 3rd St. in Farwell

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 BTM theme is "New Mexico Centennial."

Kids can dress up themselves and their bikes in honor of any part of New Mexico history, including famous folks from New Mexico, cowboys and Indians, cavemen like the 'Clovis Man' or even aliens.

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 3 p.m. on Friday, July 27.

Contest honcho Gerri Bowers said youths planning to enter the contest need to register, giving their name and age, to be eligible for all the prizes.

The registration will be held one hour before the Border Town Days parade kicks off on Saturday, July 28. The contest takes place adjacent to the Citizens Bank branch in Texico. Entrants need to be there

at 10 a.m. Texas time.

After the bicycle contest ends, all participants will ride in the parade to the Farwell City Park. A bicycle rack will be set up at the First Baptist Church lot since bicycle riding is not allowed in the 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 Gerri.

She added, contest-

ants need to be sure to stick to the theme "New Mexico Centennial" if they are going to be counted. The judges will be looking for adherence to the theme."

Three judges from Clovis will decide on all the winners.

The contest is open to all area youths. Also, the BTM 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.

-- 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.


Free 3 on 3 basketball tourney

The Texico Assembly of God Church is sponsoring a free 3 on 3 basketball tournament on Monday, July 23, from 6 p.m. until it finishes at the Texico School playground.

To sign up your team, call Josh at (575) 519-0788 before July 20.

The age groups for the teams are: 12 to 15 years old, and 16 to 19 years old.

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Monday - BBQ meatballs, buttered noodles, salad, carrots, garlic toast, 4th of July cake.

Tuesday - beefy nachos, salad, cherry cobbler.

Wednesday - chicken & dressing, heavenly hash, gravy, bread, fruit.

Thursday - chili beans, corn bread, spinach, okra, peaches, peanut butter cookies.

Friday - tater tot casserole, corn, salad, hot rolls, cinnamon coffee cake.

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Lots of businesses participate in BTD giveaways

A multitude of Twin City businesses are participating in the 36th annual Border Town Days Merchants Giveaway on July 28 at the Farwell City Park starting at noon.

To enter, you must be at least 12 years of age and you must be present to win.

Folks from the Farwell Care and Rehabilitation Center will man a table near the gazebo to hand out the prize tickets to the winners.

Reading out the list of winners by be Benji Henderson, Parmer County extension agent.

Each participating merchant has a box in which customers may register for prizes to be given away by the merchant. A person may sign up once each time he or she is in a store until July 27, when the boxes will be picked up.

There is one exception to the rule of having to be at the park if your name is called in order to win. The BTD Committee has voted to allow firemen and police who work that day to win prizes even if they are not at the park when their names are called. This

BTB to offer 5k fun run, 1 mile run/walk

The first annual Border Town Days 5k Fun Run and 1-mile run-walk will be held on July 28.

The start and end will be at the First Baptist Church of Farwell.

Race day registration starts at 7 a.m. ct, with Carolyn Johnson in charge. The 5K Fun Run starts at 8 a.m. ct., and the 1-mile event 30 minutes later.

The fee for the 5K Fun Run is \$15. the fee for the 1-mile event is \$10. All proceeds and donations go to the Farwell Senior Meal Site and the Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens. Checks should be made out to BTB/5K.

Early registration forms can be picked up at Texico City Hall or the State Line Tribune. Or you call call Mrs. Johnson at (575) 482-3314 or (575) 799-0977.

Bovina Banter

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shopping to you.

School will be starting soon. Next week's Tribune will feature school supplies.

Make sure to get a copy early.

From Aug. 15, 1946:

Denzil Ebering was honored at a party.

Lawrence Rhodes, of Roswell, was in Bovina visiting his parents.

R.T. Barbour and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hudson attended the rodeo in Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. R.S. Johnston took a trip to the mountains.

The Bovina Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon-cutting cutting cere-

mony for the new McArthur Electric office recently.

Have a great week and God bless.

Interesting Fact of the Week: Seventy-five percent of the world's Snickers bars are made in Waco. Got to love Texas.

is because many are putting away their vehicles at that time.

So listen closely to the P.A. system when Henderson calls out the names of the winners.

No entrant can win more than one prize, thus allowing for more winners. No purchase is necessary at any of the participating merchants in order to register for prizes.

Participating merchants are:
J & L Truck and Car Wash, Texico
Wilbur-Ellis
Shalom Towing
GHC Labs
Rebecca's
Rojas Tortillera, Texico
La Paz Taqueria, Texico
Sudderth Realty
Southwest Ag Services
Farwell Fuels

Texico church to host community cleanup

The Texico City Council on July 10 heard that the Texico First Baptist Church will host a community cleanup on Aug. 3 as part of their Vacation Bible School.

They ask that residents move items they want picked up in front of their house that day and kids will come by and load the trash onto trailers to go to the Clovis landfill.

In other news, the council:

- Discussed the Border Town Days Fun Run set for the morning of July 28. There are sign-up sheets at Texico City Hall and at the State Line Tribune.

Participants will receive shirts and the proceeds will go to the Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens and Farwell Senior Meal Site.

- Discussed the minutes for the previous meeting.

Councilman Doug

Scioli said he wanted to make sure it was clear that the Cemetery Board now has the power to sell any plot they want at the cemetery, as well as the ability to make more decisions, but the funds will still reside with the city.

Free hoop tourney slated

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The age groups for the teams are: 12 to 15 years old, and 16 to 19 years old.

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Band practices set

Farwell Band Director Bill Shelly has announced the schedule for band practices for the Border Town Days parade.

BTB will be held on July 28, and participating band students are to meet at the Band Hall at 10 a.m. The parade kicks off at 11 a.m.

A special note from Shelly for the Drumline: look on Facebook for details -- "Farwell High School Drumline."

Following is the practice schedule:

July 19 -- battery percussion, 10 a.m. to noon; mallet percussion, noon to 2 p.m.

July 20 -- All percussion, 10 a.m. to noon.

July 23 -- All-Staters, 10 to 11 a.m.; all brass, 11 a.m. to noon; all percussion, 10 a.m. to noon. At 1 p.m., leave to Odessa "Thunder in the Desert."

July 24 -- All-Staters, 10 to 11 a.m.; brass trumpets, 11 a.m. to noon; tubas, noon to 1 p.m.; trombones and baritones, 1 to 2 p.m.; battery percussion, 10 a.m. to noon; mallet percussion, noon to 2 p.m.

July 25 -- All-Staters, 10 to 11 a.m.; brass trumpets, 11 a.m. to noon; tubas, noon to 1 p.m.; trombones and baritones, 1 to 2 p.m.; battery percussion, 10 a.m. to noon; mallet percussion, noon to 2 p.m.

July 28 -- meet at Band Hall at 10 a.m. to prepare for BTB parade.

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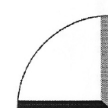
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Description	Appropriations	Percent of Total Fund
Instruction	\$2,287,539	56.51%
Instructional & Media services	\$79,618	1.97%
Current & Instructional Staff Development	\$0.00	0%
Instructional Development	\$5,800	.11%
School administration	\$345,894	8.55%
Guidance counseling & Evaluation	\$81,446	2.01%
Health services	\$50,479	1.25%
Student transportation	\$179,988	4.45%
Food services	\$0.00	0%
Co-curricular & extracurricular activities	\$247,031	6.10%
General administration	\$261,829	6.47%
Plant maintenance and operation	\$381,663	9.43%
Security services	\$4,400	.11%
Data processing services	\$23,900	.59%
Debt service	\$0.00	0%
Facilities acquisition & construction	\$15,000	.37%
Payments to fiscal agent/member district	\$40,000	.99%
Tax appraisal & collection	\$22,000	.54%
TOTAL	\$4,047,908	100%



School roofing project continues

Roofing work is ongoing at Bovina Schools.

Bovina Banter
Deanna Curtis • 251-1405

The girls' basketball team is busy with bake sales and car washes to raise money to attend summer basketball camp and fix up their locker room. If you see these young ladies, please lend them your support.

Everyone in town is abuzz with talk about the new plant coming in, Sweet Bran. It is so exciting to see Bovina growing and having new industry coming in.

Celia Quintana is recuperating from knee surgery. She is in a brace and starting physical therapy to help get her

back to walking. My family and I just got back from a week in San Antonio with our oldest son, Jeremy. We had a terrific time and glad to report our son is doing great in school there.

While in San Antonio we did some sightseeing and floated the river to San Marcos. I have often heard about people doing that but had never done it ourselves. I see what all the fuss is about now. Wow, what an experience. I loved it.

Bovina High classes of 1953-58 and all others will have a reunion Aug. 11 at the Fifth Season Inn Grand Ballroom, 6801 I-40 West, Amarillo.

The cost is \$20 per person; that covers the meal and meeting room.

Reservations can be made by calling (806) 358-7881. Rooms cost

\$64 a night; ask for the Bovina Reunion rate.

Contact Darrel Read, 221 Morton Ave., Dumas, TX 79029, for more info.

St. Ann's Catholic Church is hosting the annual Jamaica celebration on July 28.

Raffle tickets for the St. Ann's quilt "Carolina" will be on sale at the event at the Farwell Care and Rehabilitation Center booth. The quilt was designed by Judy Brockman and tickets sell for \$1 each.

Giving you the scoop on the latest way to shop -- using sites on Facebook.

The idea is they take a picture and post what they have for sale and you can send a reply and make an offer. It is on the rise, folks, you may want to check it out. Good

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Bovina to offer mini-cheer camp

Bovina High School cheer coach Amy Montemayor has announced the BHS Mini Cheer Camp to be held Aug. 13, 14 and 15 from 4 to 6 p.m. at the school gym.

It's for girls and boys ages 3-13. The cost is \$25, including t-shirt and mini pompoms. Checks can be made payable to "BHS Cheer."

Campers are asked to bring comfortable clothing and shoes, and a water bottle.

Participants will learn cheers, chants, a dance and some building skills. Registration forms can be picked up at the school administration building, 500 Halsell St., or from any of the cheerleaders -- Heather Miller, Brittany Perez, Samantha Villarreal, Cynthia Jasso, Kristen Gonzales, Andrea Villarreal and Malory DeLaRosa.

All paid registration forms received by Aug. 1 means those campers will receive their t-shirt and poms on the first day of camp. If your registration form is received after that date, you will get your t-shirts and poms the following week after camp completion.

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<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. Bryan 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>
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Councilman Richard Villarreal, right, presents former mayor Stan Miller with a special token of appreciation for his service to the city.



Mayor Frank Gonzalez presents former councilwoman Brenda Riddle with a special award for her service.



Interim city manager Scott Caldwell with retiring city manager Jana Pitcock.

Bovina City Council hires interim city manager

The Bovina City Council on July 12 hired Scott Caldwell to begin as Interim City Manager on Aug. 28.

He will have time to work with city manager Jana Pitcock before her final day on Aug. 31.

Caldwell works for D. Scott Consulting, and specializes in interim city management.

The council contracted him for at least a month, and made sure he would be able to work extra weeks if necessary as the council searches for a new city manager.

In other news, the council:

- Heard Gene Hutto say, "I wish our city would come back together and start supporting each other. Folks shouldn't cut other people down."

- Hired Amada Quintana in an office position at Bovina City Hall.

- Ammended the community center budget by \$22,600 to cover incidental costs. Pitcock said this had been planned for originally and these incidental costs were covered in the original budget.

- Received city manager interview questions from Councilman Richard Villarreal. He said the list included legal questions that could be asked to find a qualified candidate.

- Set a budget hearing for July 24 at 7 pm.

-- Honored former Mayor Stan Miller, who served as a councilman for two years, then as mayor for 8. He is a paramedic for Bovina EMS and participates in the Recreation Center Committee.

-- Honored Brenda Riddle, who was a councilwoman for 2 years. She is active in the Chamber of Commerce and serves on the Recreation Center Committee.



Go Cowboys, Rangers

Al Kerby spruced up his property last week with some neat designs on his barns. Above is the Dallas Cowboys logo on one barn, and below, the Texas Rangers logo on another barn. Kerby painted the logos himself and it has really brightened up Ridglea Street. (Photos by Deanna Curtis)



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Farwell teacher Lenora Tatum gets master's degree.

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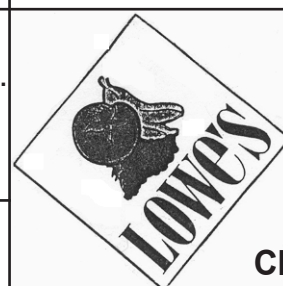
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