

## Lady Spikers to host District Tourney

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Cotton strippers and boll buggies are busy.

## Cotton battles drought

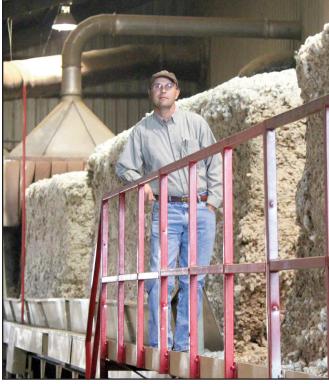
It's bad enough that Texas has been in a historic drought, but the worse may be yet to come for our local cotton growers unless Mother Nature steps up.

Parmer County Cotton Growers Manager Craig Rohrbach said the next cotton growing season could be worse if there's a lack of moisture again.

With the extended drought, farmers have been forced to pump large amounts of water from their wells to salvage at least part of their crop this year.

Looking at 2012, without major rainfall in the winter and spring, the ground will have a depleted moisture content. Cotton plants draw on stockpiled water during hot summer months, so a good soil profile is essential -- irrigation alone can't keep up with the plant's demand.

"The drought has had a huge effect on our crop this year and will continue to be a grave concern



Parmer County Cotton Growers Manager Craig Rohrbach with the incoming cotton. The conveyor belt moves the 20,000-lb. modules of cotton along into the gin.

1 1/2 bales this year.

ahead.

predicts wide. Rohrbach another large planting season for despite the drought.

make a crop to harvest. that mature faster with The average yield is better quality, the price down from 2 1/2 bales for cotton is still historiper acre last year to 1 or cally high, other crops require even more water Now it's time to look than cotton, and cotton is still in demand world-

Last year, about 40 cotton, growers for PCCG committed to grow around "Cotton handles the 14,000 acres of cotton. and their total off the tie stress better than other This year's growing seacrops in our area," he son began with almost said. "Cotton likes as 26,000 acres committed, much water as it can get, but only around 20,000 to will gin about 30,000 games. Rohrbach, there are sev- bales rather than the eral factors that keep 60,000 originally expect-

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## Week No. 9 Franse wins 2nd contest in a row

It doesn't happy very often but the Area Football Merchants Contest was won for the 2nd week in a row by Jim Franse.

He and three others had the top score of 10 games right last week. By virtue of being closest to the tie breaker (Texico 23, Clayton 0), he won the first place cash prize of \$20 by being 10 off the tie breaker.

The previous week, he was one of two contest entrants to have the top score of 10, and also won on the tie breaker.

16 off the tie breaker.

Others with 10 right David Agee, 27.

It was another tough Debbie Weir. but it can survive by will actually be harvest- week for contest particiholding on and waiting ed. From those acres, pants as 6.4 was the win- contests were: Rohrbach predicts he ning average out of 12



Jim Franse received his check for winning Winning the 2nd place last week's football contest from two employees cash prize last week was of Security State Bank, one of the contest spon-Deena Leuea, who was sors -- Vangie Baize, left, and Salida McFarland.

> Gromowsky, Ramirez, Erma Serna and

Dimmitt over

Sherri with the overall champi-Harrison, Steve Horrell, on to get the two Dallas breaker were Conner J.R. Ivins, Charlotte Cowboys tickets (vs. the Harrison, 33, and John Marrufo, Billy May, Sirina New York Giants) and \$100 in cash.

> The contest has a new Results of last week's leader this week. Debbie Weir jumped into the top spot after getting 8

into next year," says Rohrbach. "Every farmer in the area has had to make some hard choices and the drought will definitely shape their choices for next year as well."

Early in the season, farmers were forced to choose which parts of their crop to salvage. By diverting water from some fields, they were able to save others and

**Texico High FFA judging** teams excel at Nationals

for the rain."

According cotton as a good option ed. for local growers: new varieties are available

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The drought also caus-

Meats -- 13th place: Kylynn Thomas, Taylor Lane, Powers Hagler and Pal Herndon.



Livestock -- 5th place: Garrett Foote, Lindsey Foote, Mitchell Pinnell and Delanie Crist.



Poultry -- 7th place: Rae Lynn Prather, Sabra Barnett, McKenzi Mayfield, Wil Hodnett with Ag Advisor Tod Pinnell.

With 9 right were: Jeff Actkinson, Annie Crawford, Tucker Crawford, Jorge Gavilanes, Shelbi Harrison, Hal Tech over Clemson. Helton, Jose Vasquez and Valda Walls.

With 8 right were: Sue Bessire, Curby

Brantley, Claire Brown, Deanna Curtis, Zac Dale, David Dannheim, Charles Dannheim, Janis Gast, Smokey Gast, William

Floydada, Littlefield over games right last week. Friona, Nevada over New Mexico State, Iowa State Johnny Actkinson, is over Texas Tech, UCLA now in second place, a over California, Georgia point behind.

Georgia over Florida, Leader Board; Florida State over North Carolina State, Penn State over Illinois, Nebraska over Michigan Corby White. State, TCU over BYU and Minnesota over Carolina. The contest is now

Last week's leader,

Here's a look at the

71 - Debbie Weir

70 - Johnny Actkinson. 69 - Holley Agee,

68 - Jason Box, Claire Brown, Gay Goettsch and Todd Lingnau.

67 - Dale Fullerton.



The annual Veterans Day program, sponsored by the Farwell Chamber of Commerce, will be held on Thursday, Nov. 11, at 11 a.m. at the Farwell High School auditorium.

All area veterans are invited to participate.

Veterans are recognized during the program by having them come to the front of the auditorium.

Bill Dannheim will be master of ceremonies. He is a U.S. Army veteran.

The guest speaker will be Chris Hanks, a Farwell High School coach and teacher, who is a Marine Corps veteran.

The Farwell "Legends in Blue" Band, directed by Bill Shelly, will perform.

### Tuesday is Election Day in Texas

Tuesday, Nov. 8 is Election Day in Texas.

All that is on the ballot are the constitutional amendments plus a bond issue for the Friona School District.

The following polls will be open in Parmer County from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.:

Calvary Baptist Church, Friona; Bovina EMS building; Farwell Community Center; and Lazbuddie Methodist Church.

Here's a summation of the amendments, on which you either vote for or against:

No. 1 - Allows the legislature to provide exemptions from ad valorem taxes on homes for surviving spouses of 100 percent or totally disabled veterans.

No. 2 - Allows the Texas Water Development Board to issue bonds up to \$6 billion.

No. 3 - Allows the state to issue bonds to finance educational loans to students

No. 4 - Allows the Legislature to let counties to issue bonds to redevelop blighted areas, to be paid for in tax increases.

No. 5 - Allows the Legislature to let cities or counties have agreements with other cities or counties without imposing a tax or having a sinking fund.

No. 6 - Clarifies how permanent school funs are used.

No. 7 - Deals with El Paso County issuing bonds.

No. 8 - Allows the appraisal for ad valorem tax purposes of open-space land devoted to water stewardship on the basis of its productive capacity.

No. 9 - Allows the governor to grant someone a pardon who completes a term of deferred adjudication community supervision.

No. 10 - Changes the length of the unexpired term that causes the resignation of certain elected county or district office holders if they seek another office.

three-quarters complete,

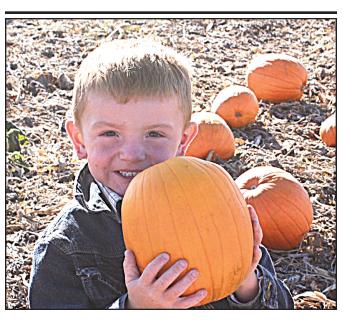
## Life in Christ Academy visits the Pumpkin Patch

Students of the Life in Christ Academy visit Mike Ratke's Pumpkin Patch last month as they learn about fall.













#### Letter to the Editor

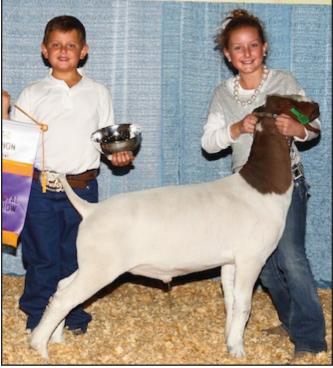
Dear Editor,

On behalf of the seniors and shut-ins of this area, I would like to extend an invitation to partake of the meals provided at the Farwell Community Center Monday through Friday of each week.

Good nutritional meals are provided from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and for those who can get out, it's a good time for fellowship.

Others are welcome, too. If you have a busy schedule and don't have time to prepare a meal at home, this is a good place to go.

Floretta Wood Farwell



### Truman and Madison Belcher Texico student shows Grand Champion goat

Texico School 6th grader Madison Belcher, daughter of Matt and Elizabeth Belcher, showed the Grand Champion Meat Goat Wether at the Amerian Royal Stockshow in Kansas City, Mo., on Oct. 21.

She is the first New Mexico resident in the last decade to win any grand championship at this show.

Her wether, named "No One Famous," was a 116lb. entry that her family bred and raised just south of Texico.

In the past two years, she has won the grand champion and reserve champion honors at the New Mexico and Eastern New Mexico state fairs.



#### October snow storm

About 1 to 2 inches of snow fell on the Twin Cities on Oct. 27.

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## 50 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

M.A. Snider Jr. named Farwell Cubmaster. AA Bowl Cafe, operated by Clara Billingsley and owned by Mrs. Partin Austin, is to be enlarged.

Longtime Texico resident Lula Haynes dies.

A double birthday party fetes Diane Lovelace and Jimmie Mace.

Mr. and Mrs. Cary Joe Magness have a son, Ken. Susan White and Keith Morris are "best dressed goblins" at Texico Baptist Church costume party.

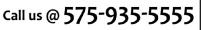
Gary Foster is elected chairman of Parmer County 4-H Council.

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Good luck to the Texico Lady Spikers and Texico Wolverines as they begin their runs for more state championships!

In football:

Farwell -- the Steers end the regular season at Springlake-Earth at 7:30 p.m. on Nov. 4, then head into the state playoffs. The JH Steers host Springlake-Earth at 4 p.m. Nov. 3.

Lazbuddie -- the Longhorns end their regular season by hosting Whitharral on Nov. 4 at 7:30 p.m. The JH 'Horns play at Whitharral Nov. 3 at 5:30 p.m.

Bovina -- the Mustangs end their regular season by hosting Nazareth at 7:30 p.m. on Nov. 4. On Nov. 3, the Maroon Colts play at Nazareth while the JV hosts Wellington.

#### And here comes basketball:

Farwell - The JV & varsity girls play at Anton on Nov. 8. Bovina - the JV & varsity girls play at Nazareth on Nov. 8. Lazbuddie - the varsity girls scrimmage at Spur at 6 p.m. Nov. 3, then play at New Home Nov. 8 at 6:30 p.m.

Texico - the JH teams play Nov. 7 -- the girls at Yucca and the boys hosting Yucca.





#### The Latest

Time changes Sunday, Nov. 6. clocks back an hour.

Remember -- spring ahead, fall back.

Area Realtor Vic Coker said his son Barry will be joining him in the real estate business. \*\*\*

Some Farwell folks got an interesting surprise on a recent trip to New Amarillo last week. Orleans.

Gary and Lori Haseloff

on and Marina Hairgrove when Air Force 1 landed It's time to move at the airport they were at.

> President Obama, but the basketball whole airport was locked University of New Mexico down while his motor- when she graduates. cade went through.

> Farwell, won the Anita's Heat Christmas quilt giveaway Sanchez describes her at Sister Scraps in as explosive.

The Farwell 4-H will be UNM were traveling with Ted putting up flags starting

#### **Benoit wins** Tiny Miss New Mexico state title

Zavayia daughter of Kris and Melissa Benoit of Farwell. won the Tiny **Miss New Mexico State** Beauty Supreme age group 5-18 years old at Portales on Oct. 14-15.

She got 3rd runnerup in her age division 5-7 for

at 7:30 a.m. on Nov. 11 at the Farwell Cemetery in honor of Veterans Day.

**Texico High's Shaylee** Anderson, although still a junior, has made a ver-They didn't get to see bal commitment to play at the

The 6'2 post plays club basketball for New Rhonda Stevens, of Mexico Heat Elite, and coach Robert

> Shaylee is the first prep player to commit to since Yvonne Sanchez was named head coach.

> The RA's at the First **Baptist Church of Farwell** will conduct a food drive on Nov. 12 starting early in the morning.

Food collected will be put in th church's food closet, then distributed to local needy families.

People are asked to put food in sacks at their

The RA youths plan to knock on every door in Farwell.



#### 'Blackout' against drugs

Michael Thomas' Texico junior high class shows off their black attire for Thursday's "blackout" day as a part of the Red Ribbon Week anti drug campaign.

There will be no school outside the coun-Lazbuddie JV basketball selor's (Hayley Christian) teams this season.

The Farwell National Honor Society is collect- uted or available for picking new and gently used coats for all school age children as well as babies and adults.

Donated coats can be dropped off at the high

Farwell's local bakery and restaurant

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office anytime through Nov. 18.

They will be distribup for anyone in need on Nov. 21; more details to follow on pickup location.

> Pleasant Hill The

> > New

Grab-and-go

**Baptist Church will host** a revival Nov. 6-9 with Sunday services at 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. and Monday through Wednesday at 6 p.m.

The revival will feature evangelist Steve Cody and singer Derrill Mitchell.

#### Farwell Senior Meal Site

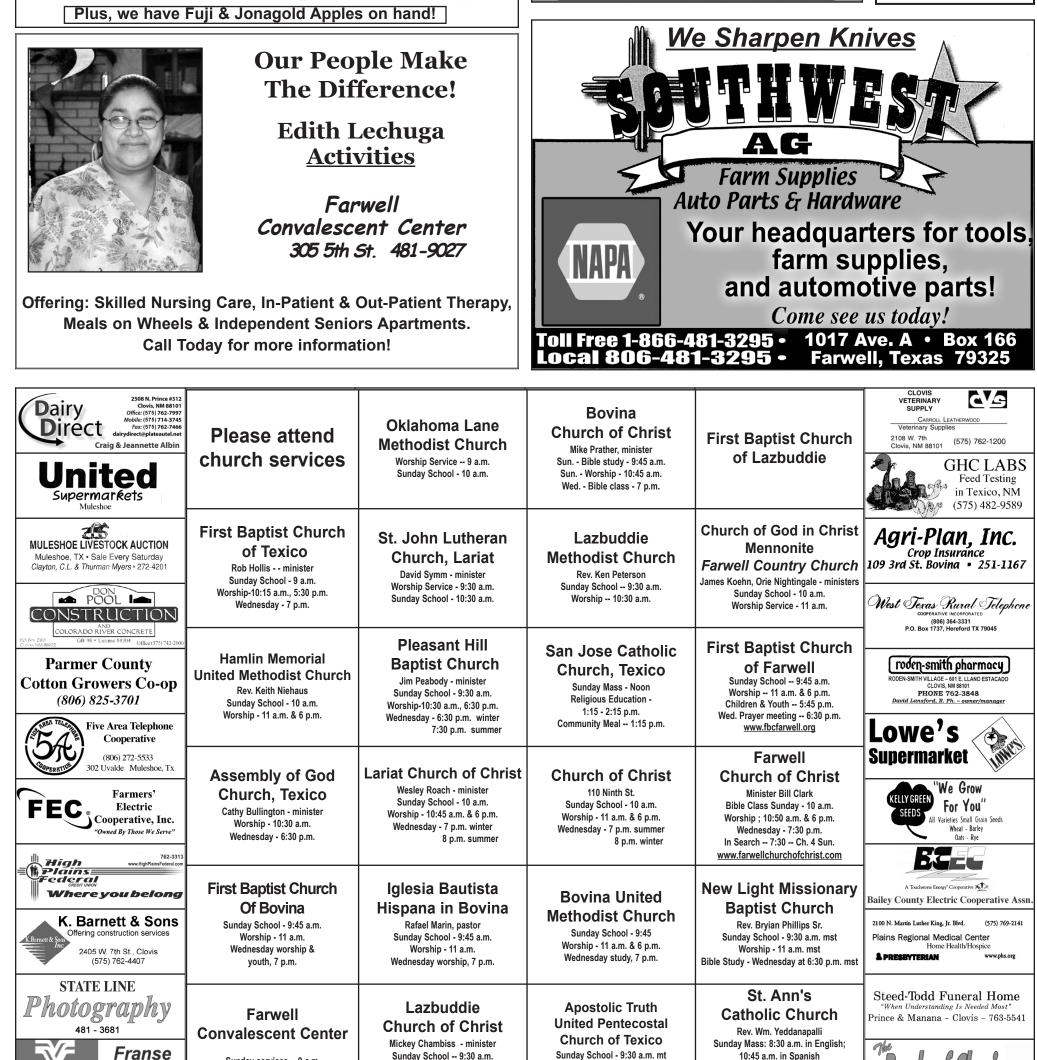
Salad Bar every day Monday - hamburg ers, hash brown casserole, mixed veggies salad, dessert.

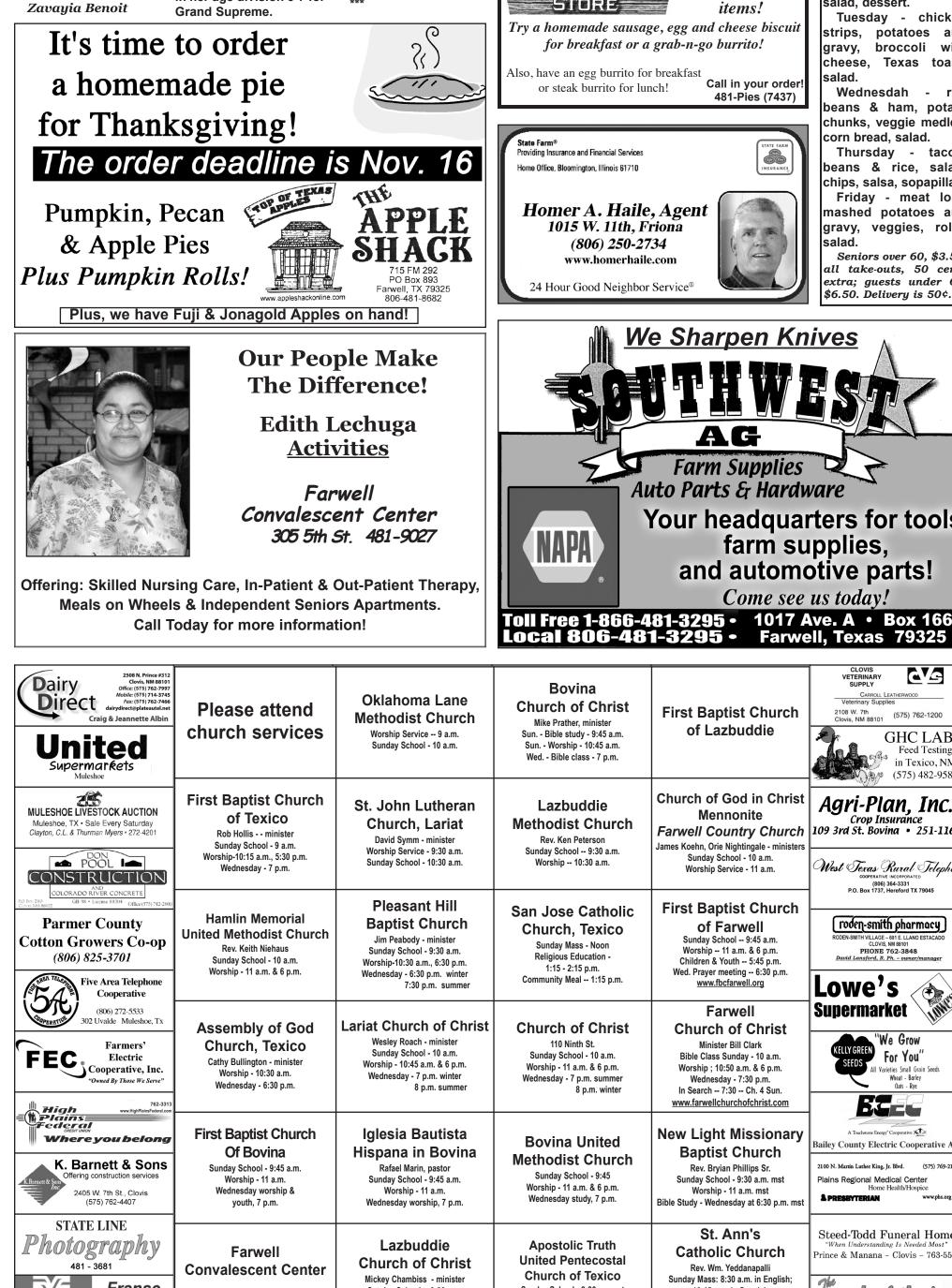
Tuesday - chicken strips, potatoes and gravy, broccoli with cheese, Texas toast

Wednesdah red beans & ham, potato chunks, veggie medley, corn bread, salad.

Thursday - tacos beans & rice, salad, chips, salsa, sopapilla. Friday - meat loaf mashed potatoes and gravy, veggies, rolls,

Seniors over 60, \$3.50; all take-outs, 50 cents extra; guests under 60,





Benoit.

curb.

Sunday services -- 9 a.m. Bible study - 9:30 a.m. Friday

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### Texico students learn about cells

"Doing is better than hearing" is the motto for Brenda Logan's 7th grade science class at Texico.

Rather than learn about cells by just reading a text book, Mrs. Logan had her classes build a 10' x 10' model of one.

Her two classes spent about a week planning, learning and constructing their model. Leaders were assigned for each part of the cell and each group was responsible for researching, planning their materials and actually building their part of the cell.

Seventh grader Whitney Skabelund commented that "it is so much better to get involved instead of just reading about a cell in the book. We were in charge all of the way and it was really cool to see the finished project."

The model cell is on display in the science laboratory complete with glow in the dark parts and special lighting for the full effect.

#### Farwell runners advance to Regionals

The Farwell varsity 29th, 18:02; Cheyenne 17:43; Treylin Griswold, girls' cross country team Patrick, 30th, 18:10; 60th, and advance Regionals.

**Results were:** 

Christina Green, 18th, 14:28; Kristin Langford, 19th, 14:29; and Kayla Cullison, 22nd, 14:34. \*\*\*

The JV Girls finished 2nd. Stats were:

Lydia Gomez, 3rd, 15:05, medalist; Cassidy Martin, 4th, 15:19, medal- 14:16, medalist; Carina ist; Lauren Carpenter, Reyes, 13th, 14:50; 5th, 15:20, medalist; Skylar Chadwick, 20th, Sasha Lara, 11th, 15:49; 15:35; Cambree Glover, Bri Barrera, 12th, 16:07; 22nd, Stephanie Tercero, 18th, Coburn, 23rd, 15:43; 16:36; Chelsea Foster, Madison Griswold, 45th, 21st, 16:47; K'Leigh Jo 17:10; Cambree Haseloff, White, 24th, 17:07; 46th, 17:15; Alyssa Caitlyn Stancell, 29th, Merrifield, 49th, 17:24; 18:02; Taylor Stancell, Cari Johnson, 57th,

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on Oct. 25 in Lubbock 18:13; Cassidy Devault, Edie White, 18:25, 68th, to 18:13, 32nd; Presnell, 33rd, 18:14; 77th, 19:31. Kelsey Knight, 34th, Chelsea Bass, 3d, 18:14; Emily Stancell, medalist, 13:27; Kathya 36th, 18:23; Brooklyn Saenz, 14th, 14:20; Alexa Lamb, 40th, 20:11; and Woman dies Mora, 15th, 14:21; Heather Johnson, 43rd, 20:51.

#### JH Boys:

Jace Perkins finished 18th in 15:17.

JH Girls finished 2nd. Stats were:

Katy Carpenter, 5th, 15:39; Lindsi

#### Farwell JH basketball schedule

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Date	Team	Opponent / Site
Nov. 14	Girls 7th & 8th	Farwell @ Olton
	Boys 7th & 8th	Farwell @ Olton
Nov. 21	Girls 7th & 8th	Bovina @ Farwell
	Boys 7th & 8th	Bovina @ Farwell
Nov. 28	Girls 7th & 8th	New Deal @ Farweil
	Boys 7th & 8th	New Deal @ Farwell
Dec. 5	Girls 7th & 8th	Farwell @ Springlake-Earth
	Boys 7th & 8th	Farwell @ Springlake-Earth
Dec. 12	Girls 7th & 8th	Sudan @ Farwell
	Boys 7th & 8th	Sudan @ Farwell
Jan. 5-7	8th Girls & Boys	Lazbuddie Jr. High Tournament
Jan. 9	Girls 7th & 8th	Olton @ Farwell
	Boys 7th & 8th	Olton @ Farwell
Jan. 14	7th Girls & Boys	Farwell 7th Grade Tournament
		(Farwell, Texico, Bovina, Yucca)
Jan. 16	Girls 7th & 8th	Farwell @ Bovina
· · · ·	Boys 7th & 8th	Farwell @ Bovina
Jan 19-21	Girls/Boys 7th & 8th	Friona Jr. High Tournament
Jan. 23	Girls 7th & 8th	Farwell @ New Deal
	Boys 7th & 8th	Farwell @ New Deal
Jan. 30	Girls 7th & 8th	Springlake-Earth @ Farwell
	Boys 7th & 8th	Springlake-Earth @ Farwell
Feb. 6	Girls 7th & 8th	Farwell @ Sudan
	Boys 7th & 8th	Farwell @ Sudan

17:50: Jenna finished 2nd at District Taylor Stancell, 31st, Kirkland, 17:55, 61st; Taylor and Sidney Barksdale,

## Muleshoe in accident

A Muleshoe woman died in a one-vehicle crash about nine miles south of Bovina on Oct. 30 about 6:30 a.m.

State Police said Ernestina Ann Bara, 29, was driving a 1999 Ford WUV northbound on FM 1731.

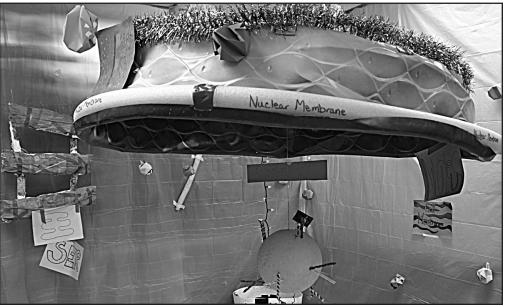
The vehicle veered to the right onto the shoulder of the roadway. The driver then overcorrected back to the left, causing the vehicle to cross both north and southbound lanes of traffic. The vehicle then rolled 1 and 1/2 times coming to rest on its top, said police.

Ms. Bara was partially ejected and was pronounced dead at th scene; she was not wearing her safety belt, said police.

#### Farwell duo qualify for State

Far0well High's Hunter and Hall Savanna Barksdale placed 3rd last weekend in CX Debate at the Caprock TFA Speech and Debate tournament.

They acquired enough points at this tournament to qualify for TFA State held in Amarillo in March. Brooke Lavendar, Austin Ratke and Mitchell Ratke competed in LD Debate. They all had winning records of 2-1 but did not break to quarterfinals on speaker points. The group competes again this weekend in Amarillo.



The 10 ft. by 10 ft. model of a cell is constructed so that anyone can walk inside to learn about parts of the cell.



Above and below, Mrs. Logan's science classes pose inside their cell which was constructed in the science lab at Texico.



## **Business of the Month**

Sunday PleasuresOpen House in Muleshoe 1 to 5 p.m. -- Sunday, Nov. 6th Bonnie Concho Candy's Creations 230 S. Main S04 W. American Blvd. Art Loft

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Burney's Clinic is located at 301 3rd St., Suite A, in Farwell. The telephone number is 481-1010.

Nurse Melinda Burney, MSN-SNP-BC, is the owner. Employees are Anna Estrada, Jessica Aguirre, Maria Vidaurri, Solidad Nieto and Cassie Smith. Se habla espanol.

The clinic, in operation six years, is open weekdays from 8 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 5:30 p.m.

All insurances are welcome, including Medicare, Texas and New Mexico Medicaid, CHIPS, private pay, etc.

Here is what the clinic offers:

Family practice (pediatric and adult).

Preventive and general health care.

Minor emergencies.

Geriatrics.

Women's health (pap smears, annual exams, birth control, pregnancy test).

Immunizations.

Texas Healthsteps (well child and new born checks).

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A message from the Farwell Chamber of Commerce



#### Students raise \$1,000



Farwell's First Baptist Church held a 'Trunk or Treat' in the church parking lot with lots of candy for the kids. Here are Deavyn Bradley and Charlie May Trimble.



Isabella and Mya Jaime



#### From 1986:

Nora Kaemper and her family moved here from Illinois in 1914. Her father, Henry, had visited New Mexico and found it to be the Land of Enchantment.

He took back soil to Illinois to show how rich it was. They sold their home and land and chartered a railroad car, loaded furniture, fruit trees, grapevines and flowers.

Nora said they didn't know how the wind blew here and having an orchard was out of the question. They rented a house in Clovis, then moved to Pleasant Hill where they lived in a half dugout. Beef was hung from the windmill and the weather stayed cold enough to keep the meat frozen. For lights, they used kerosene. They cooked on a coal stove and washed clothes on a scrub board. They walked 2 1/2 miles to school. Once it snowed so much and with high drifts, the horse walked on top of the drifts.



Trevin and Dathan Yeary



Pearce Ponder and Chandler Barnes were zombie hobos.

#### Cotton

es other problems. For example, because less cotton will be ginned this year, the gin will have less cottonseed available for area dairies and feedlots.

Dairies are already faced with a decline in feed sources for their cattle and now will be scrambling to secure what cottonseed is available. There will also be less burrs (or the cotton "trash") that is ground up to add filler to cow rations. The price of burrs has jumped to a historical high with the lack of supply. Some dairies have been forced to bale stalks and even CRP grass to find something for their cows.

Since PCCG also sells cottonseed for planting, Rohrbach knows the farmer's decisions on what to plant next year will impact his gin as well.

#### The Latest

Lazbuddie students collected spare change each day this school year and presented checks for

\$500 to both the Lazbuddie EMS and Lazbuddie Fire Department. Photo by Jill Timms.

From page 1

Farwell Steers fans and students will get together to give the football team a big send-off on Friday, Nov. 4, when they head to Springlake-Earth for the game that decides the District championship.

Fans are asked to line up along 9th Street (between the high school and Lowe's Supermarket) around 4:30 p.m.

The Lazbuddie School robotics team heads for the annual tourney on Nov. 5.

Texico police report all quiet last week.

Farwell Monday - taco boats seasoned corn, mixed fruit, brownie, milk. Tuesday - hot dogs, tater

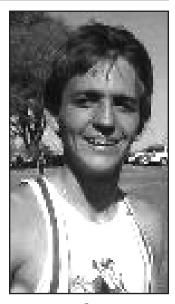
tots, apple & orange smiles. milk. Wednesday - cheese

enchiladas, refried beans, garden salad, cinnamon apples, milk.

Thursday - cheeseburg

potatoes, milk.

Texico Monday - chalupas, LT cheese, corn, fruit, milk. Tuesday - chicken soft tacos with cheese, LT salsa, pinto beans, fruit milk.



#### Joe Teachout **Teachout 5th** in District

Joe Teachout placed 5th in the District 1A Cross Country Meet in Amarillo and his Boys Ranch team placed 5th, all advancing to the regional in Lubbock on Nov. 5.

A senior at Boys Ranch, he is the son of Robert and Angela Teachout, of Farwell.



About a mile north of Pleasant Hill was a lake that Nora ice skated on. The lake is now gone.

In 1917, she met Roy D. Day and they married in 1919. He had been a state evangelist for two years. After they wed, they went to DeLeon, Texas, then to Hope, N.M. At Pleasant Hill, they held a revival and had 30 conversions -- I was No. 30.

The Lord blessed us with 5 children.

The times were hard during the Depression. remember buying pork chops at 25 cents a lb.

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#### Meet Farwell's Class of 2024



Alexander DeLeon is a Farwell kindergartener. His birthday is Dec. 21. Parents are Lucas & Elizabeth DeLeon. His brother is Alexis. Grandparents are Tommy & Elva DeLeon, & Santos & Evelyn Diaz. He likes baseball, hunting, fishing, basketball, golf and playing cars. His favorite color is green.

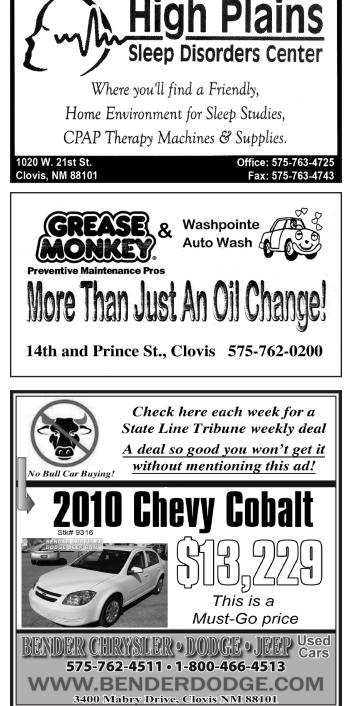
His favorite foods are cheese sticks with marinara.

He doesn't like cleaning house, losing, salad or gravy.

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"Farmers may go to different rotations of crops, not planting cotton on the same fields two years in a row. They will also not stretch their water next year. Learning from this year that rain just cannot be guaranteed, they will be more cautious in their planting next year," he predicts.

"Those farmers who stuck with their cotton this year will probably still make money, although their yields are down. For next year, with good pre-planning, cotton still makes sense in our area. Rain would sure help, though."



## Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

Periodically, as part of my 50th anniversary as a newspaperman, I relate some fun stories of back in the day

Today, it's about journalistic ethics, or lack thereof.

Once, I attended a seminar in Indianapolis put on by IRE --Investigative Reporters and Editors.

I felt it was poorly done because the speakers they had came from some of the largest newspapers in the nation, like Boston and Chicago.

But the vast majority of folks attending the seminar came from small city newspapers.

At that time, if you had a job with a Boston paper, for example, you had plenty of time to work on an investigation because that could be your sole assignment.

But when you work for small city papers, you had lots of irons in the fire and didn't have the time to devote solely for one project.

That seminar was put on by a college in Missouri that emphasized journalistic reporting. So after the seminar ended, I wrote a letter to them saying the seminar had been done very poorly because the attendees could not relate to the speakers, and I offered suggestions for improvement.

Much to my surprise, they printed my letter in their next quarterly journalistic review.

But they didn't print

the whole letter I had written. They cut out the in our paper was about criticism parts and just the mayor criticizing the left in the ideas for bet- rioters. terment.

I had to laugh. Here's a group devot-

ed to investigative reporting and they can't ent... take criticism themselves.

Nor did they ask my approval for printing my cation.

So much for journalistic ethics.

was assigned to cover support, tax assistance, Michigan City, Ind.

At the start of the people along its route.

people on my side, so businesses. when I wrote the story I estimated about 4,000 folks watched parade.

out, the lead said: "More than 100,000 turned out watch the big to parade ... "

tic ethics.

A couple of years later, our town was hit by a riot.

I was the only reporter to watch the whole riot, from start to finish, reporters although showed up from the big papers, such as Chicago.

Thus, I had the only true first-hand account of the shooting, trashing, beating up folks, etc. In fact, a bullet whizzed by my left ear, but that's another story.

Anyway, the next morning I wrote the full story -- which was thrown into the trash can by the editor.

It was too realistic.

Lunch Bax

Instead, the main story

So much for journalistic ethics.

Now back to the pres-

This is my annual reminder to shop locally. I cannot stress enough the importance of this letter in a national publi- yearly note, especially in the tough time our area is facing.

Never forget that it is the local businesses that Concerning ethics, my support our community favorite story was when I through jobs, school the annual big parade in and being your neighbors and friends.

When you consider parade, I walked its shopping for Christmas length and roughly items, or just for the counted the number of everyday necessities, please don't look any fur-I counted about 2,000 ther than your hometown

It's just good, common sense to use them first the before heading elsewhere. It simply is in When the story came your best interest. To do otherwise, is a mistake.

Our local businesses depend on your support. And we depend on our So much for journalis- local businesses.

One last note:

It's a big game for the Farwell Steers when they travel to Springlake-



#### Halloween fun

The staff at Melinda Burney's Clinic in Farwell got in the Halloween spirit by dressing up in matching costumes. They are pictured with some young friends.

#### Earth on Friday.

While it's true both teams will be in the playoffs, the winner of this game will be District

Tree blooms early

Pennington Bill stopped by the Tribune on Monday to say his crab apple trees are blooming, something they normally do in April or Mav.

He wet the area more which may have caused it.

The Penningtons live in the 400 block of 8th Street in Farwell.

champion -- meaning it gains a bye in the first round of the state playoffs.

#### It's a Girl

**Brandon and Kimberly** Rose announce the birth of a daughter, Raegan Elizabeth Rose.

She was born Aug. 9 in Las Vegas, Nev. She weighed 8 lbs., 12 oz. and was 19 1/2" long. She has a brother,

Chase. Grandparents are Ken and Glynda Taylor, of Stone, of Enfield, III.

That's a big advantage. Hope all the Steers fans can get to this game and root on their team.



Raegan Rose

Farwell; and David Rose and Jack and Debbie

Lazbuddie Junior High Basketball 2011 – 2012						
DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	GIRLS	BOYS		
Nov-14	Kress	AWAY	5:00PM	6:00PM		
Nov-21	Silverton	HOME	5:00PM	6:00PM		
Nov-28	Нарру	AWAY	5:00PM	6:00PM		
Dec-5	Hart	AWAY	5:00PM	6:00PM		
Dec-12	Nazareth	HOME	5:00PM	6:00PM		
Dec-19	Kress	HOME	5:00PM	6:00PM		
Jan-2	Silverton	AWAY	5:00PM	6:00PM		
Jan-5-7	Lazbuddie Tournament	Lazbuddie	TBA	TBA		
Jan-9	Нарру	HOME	5:00PM	6:00PM		
Jan-16	Hart	HOME	5:00PM	6:00PM		
Jan-23	District Tournament	Lazbuddie	TBA	TBA		
Jan-30	an-30 Nazareth		5:00PM	6:00PM		









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Wheat did poorly due to drought but feed crops did well. Cotton acreage allotment was scheduled to be cut.

Farwell got a new sewer system and was incorporated as a city, Bovina a new gymnasium, and Texico-Farwell a water system.

C.M. Henderson was elected Farwell's first mayor. R.W. Anderson and M.A. Snider were chosen commissioners.

The roads from Friona to Muleshoe and from Texico along the state line to Bailey County were blacktopped.

Oil was discovered on Parmer County school land in Gaines County.

Farwell High's Wanell Hughes; H.H. Frazier, of Texico, and Harry Jesko were killed in car crashes.

The polio threat hit the area with 3 cases reported in Texico-Farwell.

Mrs. Roy Ezell was named county treasurer to succeed her deceased husband.

B.N. Graham was named JP to succeed the deceased Jess Newton.

Texico's Delvin Langford showed the grand champion calf at the spring show. Dee Brown, of Texico, won the State 4-H Farmer Award. Leon Langford won state 4-H contest in home beautification.

John Thompson took grand champ with a shorthorn steer for the 3rd straight year at the Parmer County Fair.

The Tribune got a new linotype machine and added a monthly magazine section.

County Agent Ollie Liner was transferred to Plainview, and Joe Jones replaced him.

Farwell School started a Homecoming program. Jeanean Lunsford was named Queen.

Parmer County census showed 5,771 -- a decrease of 111 from 1940.

Hot check artists were repeatedly reported and some caught.

Glendon Sudderth, Ted Walling and Leon Ware go on a Boy Scout trip to Chicago, New York and Washington D.C. to meet Joe Dimaggio and President H.S. Truman.

Henry Morney, formerly of Farwell, was killed in the Korean War. Lee Sudderth and Wendell Rundell were injured there.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ellison had a 50th anniversary. Texico FFA named Roxie Henson as Sweetheart. Caryetta Grissom was chosen Farwell Sweetheart. Wynema Cochran was Farwell Carnival Queen. Grace McDaniel was Valentine Queen at ENMU.

Weddings were:

Bonnie Foster and A.V. Warren; Alta Martin and Harry Sheets; Ilene Cheever and Cecil Lemmons; Ailene Ritchey and Gerald Spies; Mary Crim and Fred Curtis; Rev. H.B. Strickland and Bertha Cranfill; Ella Tyler and David Russell; Barbara Campbell and Leroy Stewart.

Betty Gulley and R.L. Renner; Elsie Boren and Billy Buchanan; Mozelle Hammonds and Charles Foster Jr.; Betty Lewis and Bobby Winegeart; Margaret Dosher and Ronald London; Loyce Trimble and Ira Levins; Wilma Atchley and Jimmy Mooneyham.

Mary Fulks and Richard London; June Moody and Jimmy Cruse; Gervadine Jones and Marion Hughes; Patsy Ellison and Wesley Read; Talma Randol and Ray Robertson; Charlene Tauh and Bob White; Grace McDaniel and Gil Whitehead.

Juanita Winegeart and Ernest Foreman Jr.; Coeta Roth and Ansel Doolittle; Wanda Boss and Doyle Kilgo; Peggy Rogers and George Hill; Darlene Isabel and John Crim; Claudine Doolittle and Gayle Urbach; Joan Sides and Warren McCook.

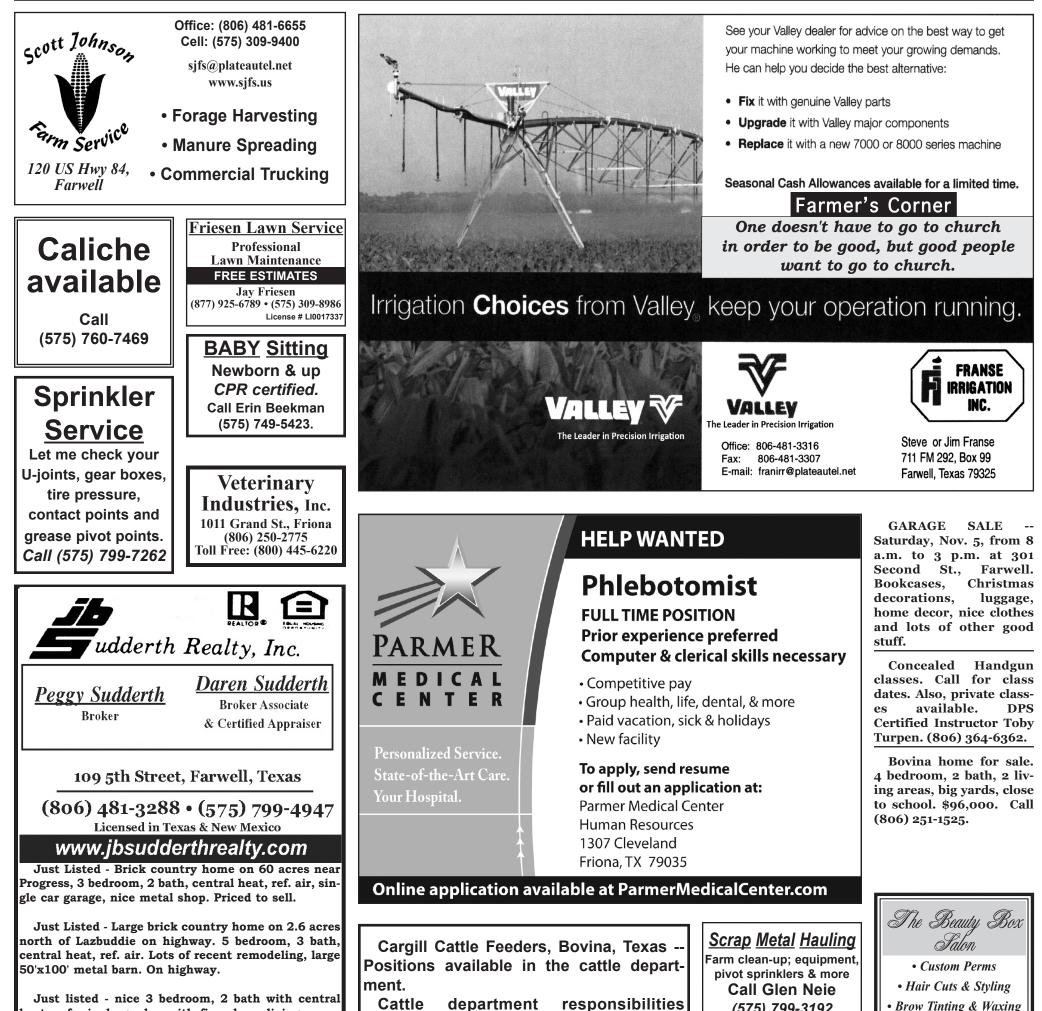
Erie Cannon and Herbert Williams; Stella Morrow and Billy Tipton; Valarie Dial and A.C. Henneman: Martha Pearce and Ray Dunn; Elizabeth Kramer and Gilbert Kaltwasser; Alta Wyrick and Hollis Hughes; Peggy Caldwell and Pete Wallace.

Grace Melendez and Jay Anderson; Sara Ball and Jack Horton; Glenda Dosher and Willie Carpenter; Julia Hillock and Vernon Symcox; Dorothy Rhodes and Burl Sims; Jenean Luneford and Bobby Gable.



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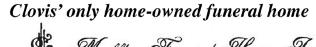
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Lady Spikers take District

The Texico Lady went 6-0 and 18-2 overall with an easy district win over Santa Rosa on Oct. 27, 25-9, 25-21, 25-7.

The Lady Spikers host the District championship game on Saturday, Nov. 5, at 2 p.m. mt.

Win or lose, they advance in the state tourney. Stats were:

Kills - Jordyn Cooper, 15; Shaylee Anderson, 10; Jaylyn Cooper, 9; Salazar and Vannatta, 2 each; Lane, 1.

Blocks - Anderson, 2; Ja. Cooper, Thomas, Lane and Ja. Cooper, 1 each.

Digs - Mel Lucero, 12; Megan Long, 9, Ja. Cooper, 4; Ja. Cooper, 1; Lane, 2.

Aces - Anderson and Ja. Cooper, 4 each; Thomas, 2; Long and Jo. Cooper, 1 each.

Assists - Kylynn Thomas, 29; Shelby Vannatta, 7.

Jaylyn Cooper said, "We didn't look as sharp as we wanted to but it was a good team win. We look forward to a good week of practice before our nxt match. Jaylyn Cooper added, "We really played well the 1st and 3rd games but lacked energy in the 2nd. All in all, it was a good day and a total team effort. \*\*\*

Earlier last week, the Lady Spikers kayoed Estancia, 25-21, 25-17 25-12.

Stats were:

Kills - Jo. Cooper, 11; Anderson and Jo. Cooper, 8 team unity throughout the season." each. And the "C" team beat Santa Ros

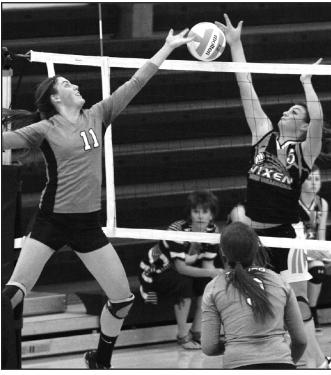
Digs - Lucero, 13; Ja. Cooper, 7.

Blocks - Anderson, 5; Taylor Lane, 2; Ja. Cooper, Kylynn Thomas and Kaina Salazar, 1 each.

Aces - Anderson, 4; Ja. Cooper and Jo. Cooper, 1 each.

Assists - Thomas, 12; Vannatta, 8.

## Lady Spikers in action



Photos by Cary McFarden

Senior Karina Salazar said, "We started off a little slow, but we picked up the intensity and finished off strong."

Texico's JV volleyballers defeated Estancia 25-19 and 25-17. Stats were:

Kills: Sarah Daniels, 7; Crystal Davalos, 3. Blocks: McKenzie Mayfield, 1.

Aces: Taylor Stephens, Laura McFarden, Crystal Davalos, Rae Lynn Prather and Harrison, all with 1 each.

Assists: Taylor Stephens, 18.

Digs: Lindsey Foote, 10; Mayra Rodriquez, 5.

Sophomore Crystal Davalos commented, "I think we played great as a team and I think it is a good way to finish off our season."

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Texico's "C" came out on top of Estancia, 25-18 and 25-11.

Stat leaders were:

Kills: Esmerelda Areauja, 7.

Digs: Chyanne Scarborough, 7.

Blocks: Jessica Jorde, 1; Tacia Beavers, 6.

Aces: Beavers, 4; Scarborough, 3.

Coach Kristin Scanlan said, "The girls improved with each and every match. We were pleased to see them develop greater skill and technique as well as

And the "C" team beat Santa Rosa, 25-19, 25-6. Stat leaders were:

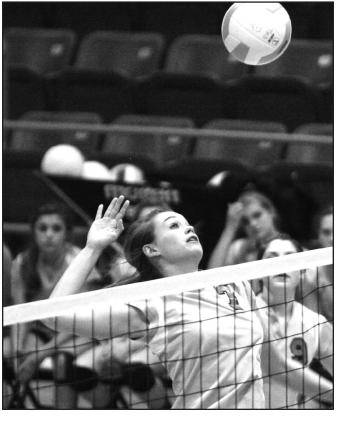
Kills - Kassie Waller and Darby Tharp, 3 each.

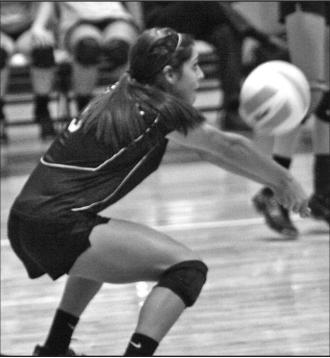
Assists - Brea Domma, 8; Beavers, 4.

Digs - Scarborough, 7.

Aces - Domma, 3.

The team's season record is 8-5.



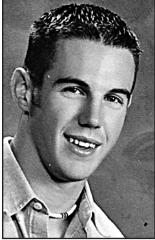




#### **Taylor Crooks**

Taylor Brian Crooks was born Nov. 20, 1987, in Albuquerque, and passed away in Denver the week of Oct. 23, 2011.

His remains will be cremated and a private family service will be held at a later date. He was preceded in death by his mother, Tonye Harrington Crooks. He attended elementary, middle and high school in Albuquerque. He played football at LaCueva High School for all three years and was on

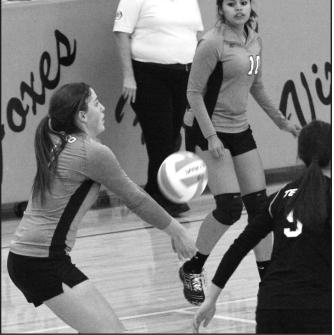


the State Championship Teams in 2003 and 2004. He attended Central New Mexico Community

College in Albuquerque, and Ford Lewis College in Durango, Colo.

He had a special gift of engineering and was hoping to make it his life's work. He liked all kinds of music, snowboarding, riding roller coasters, and writing letters and poetry.

Surviving are his father, Britt Crooks, of Albuquerque; a sister, Kendra Crooks, of Albuquerque; paternal grandparents, Arlye and Margie Crooks, of Texico; great-grandmother, Zonah Crooks, of Farwell; maternal grandparents, Moreland and Jane Harrington, of Clovis; maternal aunt and uncle, Stephen Harrington, of Albuquerque, and Kim Harrington, of Denver; and first cousins, Chase Hardage, Meredith Harrington, Mark Harrington, and Jacob, Joshua and John (JJ) Dunafon.



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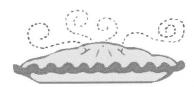
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## Amherst defeats **'Horns**

The Lazbuddie Longhorns lost to the District champion Amherst last Friday, 56-8.

The game was called in the 4th guarter due to the 45-point rule.

On Friday, Lazbuddie hosts Whitharral. Both teams are 1-1 in District, with the winner of this game advancing to the state playoffs.



Luis Godinez

Amherst won District and Cotton Center finished last.

The Longhorns' lone TD came on a 20-yard pass from Justin Schacher to Jared Timms in the first quarter. The kick by Schacher added the two extra points.

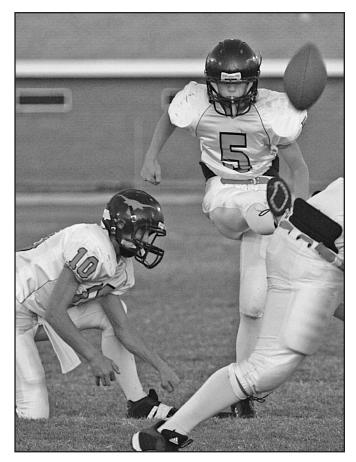
Coach J.K. Hester said the 'Horns moved the ball well but squandered scoring opportunities and didn't execute well in the red zone.

Offensively, Albert Solano had a run more than 20 yards plus a strong kickoff return. Alex Lopez caught 8 passes for 63 yards.

On defense, Luis Godinez forced a fumble recovered by Timms.

Stats were:

First downs - Lazbuddie 6, Amherst 12; rushing yards - Lazbuddie 30, Amherst 270; passing yards -Lazbuddie 100, Amherst 71.



#### Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly from Parmer report **County Sheriff Randy** Geries:

On Oct. 26, Colby Price, 42, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of theft of property between \$20 and \$500 by check, pending in county court.

23, Esparza, Muleshoe, was arrested from left; Micah Vera, by the sheriff's office on Iridian \$1,500 by check, pending Anderson. At right, the in county court.

a charge of theft of property between \$500 and \$1,500 by check, pending in county court.

On Oct. 26, Noel Ortiz, 27, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of terroristic threat, pending in county court.

On Oct. 27, Jessie Cumpian, 17, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of assault by threat, pending in county court.

On Oct. 27, Boyd Campbell Jr., 38, of Weatherford, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, pending before the grand jury.

On Oct. 28, Romualdo Munoz, 30, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of evading arrest, pending in county court.

On Oct. 28, Vincent Galvan, 61, of Farwell, was arrested by Farwell police on charges of driving without a valid license and resisting arrest, pending in county



Above, the Lazbud-On Oct. 26, Marco die junior high girls of cross country team, Fernandez, a charge of theft of prop- Ashley Scott, Mattisun erty between \$500 and Hester and Tamera Lazbuddie varsity On Oct. 26, Marisela boys cross country Alba-Esparza, 24, of team, from left: Justin Muleshoe, was arrested Schacher, Alex Lopez, by the sheriff's office on Angel Samarron and Jared Timms.





#### Red Ribbon Week reminder

Lazbuddie School students released 200 red and white balloons as a reminder of Red Ribbon Week last week. (Photo by Carolyn Scott)

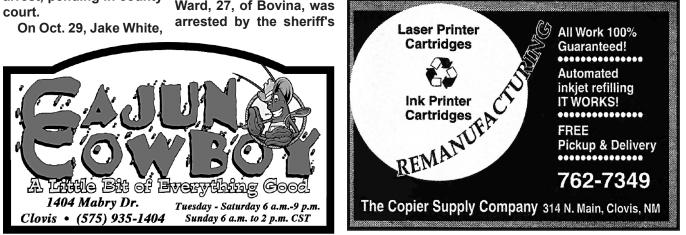
32, of Wilson, Texas, was office on a charge of arrested by Highway Patrol on a charge of furnishing alcohol to a minor, pend- on Oct. 20, with Judge tenced to 5 years ing in county court.

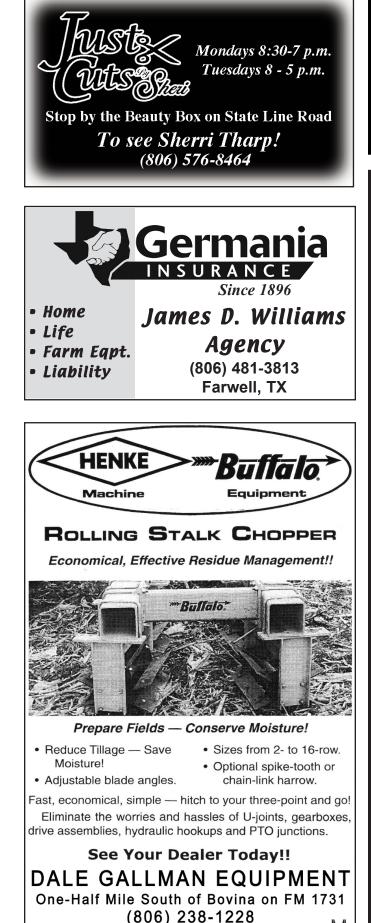
On Oct. 29, Dustin Ward, 27, of Bovina, was grand jury.

Gordon Green presiding:

-- Omar Dimas, 21, of Texas theft, pending before the Friona, charged with violation of community In 287th District Court supervision, was sen-

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## THE TEXICO-FARWELL STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

The Citizens Bank of Clovis and the Texico-Farwell Rotary Club are proud to present these students, who were selected by their school, as this months' Students of the Month!

#### Texico Citizens of the Month



Jasmine Davalos



Lance Myers

Sergio Posada

### Farwell Students of the Month



**Hope Herrera** 

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**Tannar Chadwick** 



Kathya Saenz

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## Wolverines capture District

#### by Allan Myers

The Texico Wolverines won District last Friday by shutting out the Clayton Yellowjackets, 23-0, to run their record to 8-1 overall and 3-0 in district.

Texico doesn't have a game this weekend, but will open the state playoffs the following one.

A favorite over Clayton, Texico rested some players, and tried some new offensive plays.

On Texico's second play. Rallin Harris hit John Myers with a 33-yard pass. Runs by Shay Harrison and Donovan Johnson and a pass to Jesus Rivera put Texico at the Clayton 33.

The drive stalled, but Donovan Johnson pounced yard field goal. on a fumble at the Clayton 34. Harrison gained 12, but Texico was held again.

Defensive stops by Lorenzo Colmenero and Harrison, and a sack by Johnson forced a punt. Johnson ran for 20, and Harrison for 12. Texico tried a field goal but it was blocked and the first quarter ended scoreless.

On defense, tackles by Johnson and Myers stopped the Jackets but a penalty gave Clayton a first down. Daniel Gomez and Johnson had good tackles, and Brandon King shut down the Clayton runner to give the Wolverines the ball at their 28.

Again another stalled offensive possession and Harrison punted to the Clayton 35.Tackles by Adrian Gomez, Harrison, Daniel Gomez and Elliot Pelfrey forced a punt to the Texico 10. Texico had to punt to midfield. Pelfrey and King forced Clayton to punt as the first half ended.

Sergio Posada kicked well to open the 2nd half as Clayton started at its 8.

Good tackles by Zach Madrid, King and Posada forced a punt to the Clayton 43.

On 4th down, Texico surprised Clayton when punter Harrison took the snap around the left side down to Clayton's 15.

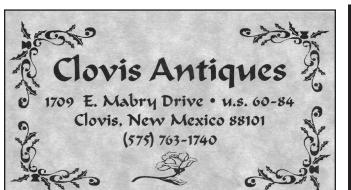
Carries by Rivera and Harrison set up a Johnson TD run. Johnson ran for two extra points and Texico led 8-0 at 7:58.

Posada boomed another kick, this time to the Clayton 5. A hard hit by Rivera caused a fumble, recovered by Posada who scampered into the end zone. Johnson against ran for two extra points and it was 16-0 at 5:45.

On the next kickoff, Justin Lopez "decleated" the Jackets ball carrier. Clayton was 3 and out after great defense by King and Daniel Gomez.

The Wolverines stalled out and punted. The Clayton QB had his pass stolen by Harrison, who ran 33 yards to pay dirt. The Posada kick made it 23-0 with 1:29 left in the 3rd.

King and Justin Rucker tackled the kick returner



#### Wolverines of the Week

Wolverines of the Week: offense -- Daniel Gomez.

les by King and Harrison.

More tackles by Johnson, Posada, Harrison and Myers forced a punt.

Texico took over at its 20 but had to punt to midfield. Gang tackles by Colmenero, Harrison, Posada, Daniel Gomez and King caused Clayton to try t a 50- suit should wait until the Esparza's have shown they

Adrian Gomez "received" the field goal attempt and ran it back past midfield. But because he took the ball out of the end zone, the officials put the ball back at the Wolverine 20.

Clayton recovered a fumble.

Tackles by Harrison, King, Madrid and Colmenero forced a punt.



Photos by Cary McFarden





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### **Texico council discusses** Esparza property again

The Raul Esparza property on Lamar Street was again the main topic of conversation for the Texico City Council on Oct. 25.

The owners and resident have been notified that at the Clayton 22. The 3rd quarter ended with tack- the property must be cleaned up or the city will evict them and tear down the house.

> Councilman Oran Jay Autrey said, "This has gone on long enough. Enough is enough, it is time to file suit."

City Attorney Marion Ty Rutter said he felt a laware not interested in cleaning up the property.

Dale Autrey, who lives next door to the Esparza property, asked about Esparza's dogs coming onto his land.

Police Chief Doug Bowman told Autrey that if the Harrison had four carried to the Clayton 40 but dogs are a nuisance, catch the dogs and take them to the Clovis pound.

In other business, the council:

- Discussed the cemetery well situation. Cemetery board member Lynn McDaniel said the well on the property is sucking air and discussed ways to keep water pressure up. The city will look at putting in a valve to help the situation.

McDaniel said he doesn't want to see the well stop working, as water in the cemetery is used to keep the trees alive, as well as to help set concrete forms for headstones.

-- Heard a rumor that some businesses, including an electrician and a doctor, are looking at moving offices to Texico.

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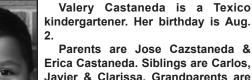
Institutional Division TDCJ, \$545 court costs, \$465 restitution.

-- Fernando Aguero, 54, of Bovina, charged with violation of community supervision, was sentenced to 180 days State Jail Division TDCJ, \$150 court costs, \$140 restitution.

-- Jacob Mireles, 23, of Friona, charged with violation of community supervision, was sentenced to 4 years Institutional Division TDCJ, \$201 court costs, \$1,000 fine, \$140 restitution.

And on Oct. 21, Jeffrey Gonzalez, 32, of Farwell, charged with violation of community supervision, was sentenced to 4 years Institutional Division TDCJ, \$620 court costs.

#### Meet Texico's Class of 2024



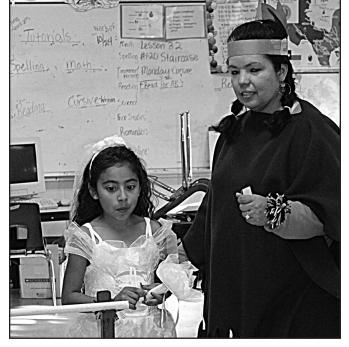
Erica Castaneda. Siblings are Carlos, Javier & Clarissa. Grandparents are Alberto & Lourdes Ramirez, Jose Castaneda Jr. & Cataline Esquivel. She likes to swim and play on the trampoline and outside.

Favorite food is pizza. Favorite color is pink.

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### More scenes from Bovina's Fall Festival







## **Bovina** boys win District

Bovina's varsity boys took 1st at District, qualifying for Regional on Nov. 5.

Bovina placed the top 3 runners: Juan Pinela, 1st; Abel Rocha, 2nd, Kristian Antillon, and 3rd.

Pedro Dominguez also medaled, finishing 7th. Other team members Joseph Casas, were 11th; Miguel Dominguez, 16th, and Ramiro Nicolas, 18th.

The varsity girls finished 4th. Anabel Lara medaled in 6th, qualifying for Regional on Nov. 5 in Lubbock.

Other team members were Jackie Guevara, 17th ; Kristen Gonzales, 27th; Edith Gomez, 33rd; Cynthia Jasso, 49th; and Jackie Garcia, 52nd.

The JV girls took 5th: Yajayra Herrera, 22nd; Tamara Rivera, 23rd; Mariaelena Flores, 35th; Mandy Rojas, 45th and Vanessa Herrera, 47th.

Ivan Ramirez medaled in 2nd and Justus Brozek

#### The Latest

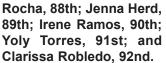
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#### **BOVINA JUNIOR HIGH** 2011-2012 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

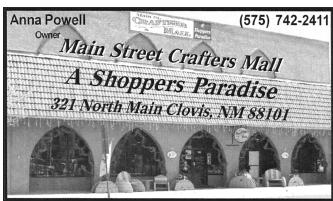
DATE	<b>OPPONENT</b>	TEAM	<b>LOCATION</b>	LEVEL	<u>.S</u>	TIME
Nov. 14	Hale Center	Girls	Bovina	Μ	5:00	PM
Nov. 21	Farwell	Girls	Farwell	Μ	5:00	PM
	Farwell	Boys	Farwell	M,W	6:00	PM
Nov. 28	S-E	Girls	Bovina	Μ	5:00	PM
	S-E	Boys	Bovina	M,W	6:00	PM
Dec. 5	Sudan	Girls	Sudan	Μ	5:00	PM
	Sudan	Boys	Sudan	M,W	6:00	PM
Dec. 12	Olton	Girls	Bovina	Μ	5:00	PM
	Olton	Boys	Bovina	M,W	6:00	PM
Jan. 5-7	Lazbuddie Tourn	Girls	Lazbuddie	Μ	TBD	
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Jan. 9	Hale Center	Girls	Hale Center	Μ	5:00	PM
	Hale Center	Boys	Hale Center	M,W	6:00	PM
Jan. 16	Farwell	Girls	Bovina	Μ	5:00	PM
	Farwell	Boys	Bovina	M,W	6:00	PM
Jan. 23	S-E	Girls	S-E	Μ	5:00	PM
	S-E	Boys	S-E	M,W	6:00	PM
Jan. 30	Sudan	Girls	Bovina	Μ	5:00	PM
	Sudan	Boys	Bovina	M,W	6:00	PM
Feb. 6	Olton	Girls	Olton	Μ	5:00	PM
	Olton	Boys	Olton	M,W	6:00	PM
M – Maroon Team W – White Team						

medaled in 5th for the JV Boys.

Junior High girls took **3rd: Alma Hernandez** medaled in 8th; Jasmine Lara, 15th; Brianna DeLaCruz, 21st; Malory DeLaRosa, 28th; Abigail Diaz, 35th; Abril Chavez, 43rd; Monique Pena, 66th; Melissa Garcia, 71st; Lizett Anett, 72nd; Cynthia Carrillo, 82nd; Laura Perez, 84th; Itzel Annett, 86th; April Hernandez, 87th; Heather



Daniel Lara was the 89th; Irene Ramos, 90th; Ione participant for the Junior. High boy, taking 17th.



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Middle School Cross Country team. Photos by Deanna Curtis.



Super Mario sisters?

Even adults enjoy Halloween. Dressed up as the Super Mario brothers are Marissa Marquez and Amy Venable-Mejia. (Photo by Deanna **Curtis**)

*Time for a new appliance? Let us help!* 

*Courthouse Notes* The Parmer County clerk's office last week issued these warranty deeds:

Michael Gibson – Gary Gober, 3AC W/2 S9 T10S R<sub>2</sub>E

Ernesto Posada Joshua Frey, L1 N18' L2 **B5** Lakeview

Luz Arzate – Efren Arzate Jr, 3.28 AC SE/PT S12 Blk C

Jeannie Rubio – Daren Rubio, S10' L12 L13-14 Farwell

John Jones **Christopher Parker, NE/4** S10 T14S R3E

coro Rodriguez, SE/Corner S1 T3S R3E

It's a Girl





#### Employee of the Month

Brenda Griggs is the Delton Rando – Pro- October Employee of the Month at Bovina Schools.

> Zachary and Lisa Ketchum have a new Josephine daughter, Nicole Ketchum.

> She was born in Durango, Colo., on Sept. 8. She weighed 7 lbs., 14 1/2 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long.

She has two brothers, Cooper and Augusus.

Josey is one of nine grandchildren for Judy and Galen Hromas of Bovina, and Clyde and Adelia Ketchum of Pagosa Springs, Colo.

#### **Bovina Banter**

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An "infinity quilt" by St. Ann's Society will be raffled off at the dinner. Tickets are \$1.

Time changes on Sunday, Nov. 6. It's time to move clocks back an hour. Remember -- spring ahead, fall back.

A look back at Bovina happenings. Oct. 16, 1941:

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eberting visited Happy, Texas. Roy Douglas made a business trip to Oklahoma. Mavis Womack, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Womack, is home visiting. He is in the U.S. Army at

Fort Bliss. Harry Jackson made a business trip to Farwell.

The Mustangs end their regular season by hosting

Nazareth at 7:30 p.m. on Nov. 4.

A win over Nazareth puts the Mustangs into the state playoffs.

Let's all show our support and get to the game if possible!

On Nov. 3, the Maroon Colts play at Nazareth while the JV hosts Wellington.

And here comes basketball!

The JV and varsity Fillies open their season at Nazareth on Nov. 8.

The annual Bovina Senior Citizens Chili Luncheon will be Nov. 9 at 11:30 a.m. at the their building in the 100 block of North Street.

Cost is my donatons only.

The meal includes a drink, cornbread, and (my favorite) an assortment of homemade desserts. All you have to do is pick one out ... that's the hard part.

Our basketball JV and varsity girls' teams had a practice at Boys Ranch. The JV won 2 of 3 and the varsity 1 of 4.

God bless and have a great week.

Interesting Fact of the Week: You are born with 300 bones, but as an adult you have only 206. How come? Some bones fuse together.



Bovina's McCain Brothers (Ben and •Butch) have released a new album: "The





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## Mustangs move closer to state playoff berth

The Bovina Mustangs will be in the state playoffs if they beat Nazareth on Friday.

Since Nazareth is winless on the season, the Mustangs will be a heavy favorite to do just that.

The Mustangs stayed in in the hunt for a state playoff berth with a 40-7 trouncing of Sudan there last Friday.

Sudan finished its regular season 7-3 overall and 2-2 in District

Nazareth, the last regular season game, that will put the Mustangs at 2-2 in District -- tied with Sudan. Because Bovina beat Sudan, and this also involved a mathematical equation, the Mustangs would win the playoff spot.

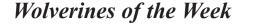
There are five teams in Bovina's district with three heading to the playoffs. Also with playoff berths are to close out the scoring -- a 1-yard plunge by Farwell and Springlake-Earth.

Against Sudan, the Bovina running attack was failed). unstoppable as the Mustangs gained 389 yards rushing.

They were led by Jose Lara, with 107 yards on 14 carries, and Joseph Casas, with 92 yards on 13 carries.

In the first quarter, Bovina took the lead on a 69yard TD run by Casas, followed by a Jorge Luna kick.

In the 2nd guarter, Sudan tied the score when they



Mustangs of the Week: offense - Andrew Marrufo; defense - Alex Mejia; special teams -Jorge Luna; and Big Hit - Abdiel Ramos.

tallied on a 50-yard fumble return. After that it was all Bovina.

The Mustangs added two more TDs in the 2nd The Mustangs are 1-2 in District. If Bovina beats quarter to take a 21-7 lead into halftime. Andrew Marrufo scored from 12 yards out and Marco Terrones had a 45-yard fumble return for a score. Luna kicked both extra points.

> In the 3rd quarter, Bovina added to its lead with a 15-yard Lara TD run, followed by a Luna Kick.

> The Mustangs added two TDs in the final quarter Marrufo (kick failed) and a 5-yard run by Casas (pass

> Coach Hector Guevara was happy for his team. "We kept working hard and eventually that can turn into success. We stayed positive."

Team stats were:

First downs - Bovina 13, Sudan 3; rushing yards -Bovina 389, Sudan 38; passing yards - Bovina 0, Sudan 44; and penalties - Bovina 11 for 95 yards, Sudan 8 for 59.













## Did you know Mr. Nittler?

A special note from Tribune publisher Rob Pomper:

This note is addressed to longtime Bovina residents. Your assistance is needed.

As you know, back in the 1990s, the Parmer County veterans memorial was built in Farwell.

This was done to remember all members of our armed forces from Parmer County who died during wartime. Those was the only criteria.

It has come to our attention that one veteran's named was inadvertently omitted: Paul Nittler, of Bovina, who died during World War II.

Mr. Nittler was the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Nittler. He was killed in action in rance and was buried at a U.S. military cemetery there. This information came from the March 8, 1945, issue of the State Line Tribune. The Tribune plans to ask the Farwell Chamber of Commerce to have Mr. Nittler's name added to the memorial.



### McCain brothers cut new album

Bovina's Butch and span. McCain Ben have released a new country "The McCain Brothers ... Best So Far."

on Rise and Shine Records.

The album contains 14 songs including "The Legend of Gaun Di," the move "My Name Is Bruce" starring Bruce Campbell.

The single "If Love Was a Crime, I Couldn't Get Arrested," was a pick hit on Billboard Magazine in 1985. Also included is parody of Eric а Clapton's hit "Cocaine," called "Propane."

The album contains a

The McCain brothers are singers-songwriters, rock 'n roll album entitled actors, broadcasters and movie producers. They have opened for acts It's their fourth album such as Toby Keith, the Bellamy Brothers, Glen Campbell, the Oak Ridge now Boys, Ray Price and George Jones.

They have played theme song from the music and performed in skits on such TV shows as Good America, The Today Show, Hee Haw, Nashville Now and The Cable. Tonight Show.

The Bovina High graduates started working in broadcasting after graduating from West Texas State University in Canyon. They then hostcollection of favorites ed a morning TV show in recorded over a 25-year Oklahoma City for 12

years.

Garth Brooks made his first TV appearance on their show. Also on the show early in their careers were Shania Twain and Toby Keith.

Butch and his family live in Grand Junction. Colo., where he delivers the weather weekdays on KKCO (an NBC affiliate).

Ben and his wife live in Morning Los Angeles, where he hosts, produces and reports for Tim Warner

> The CD can be purchased at killertumbleweeds.com. More music by the McCain Brothers can be found on cdbaby.com and iTunes. You can contact the brothers at (310) 313-2919 or mccainbros@aol.com.

Are we correct? Does anyone remember Mr. Nittler to verify that he was -- or was not, from Parmer County?

It is our belief he was. And we will go ahead with our request unless we hear otherwise. Our phone number is (806) 481-3681.

Either way, please contact us.



The annual St. Ann's Catholic Church turkey dinner will be Nov. 6 from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the parish hall.

Donations are \$8 for adults and \$4 for children under 6.

Take-out plates are available at no additional charge.

The meal includes dressing, turkey, creamed potatoes and gravy, homemade bread, green beans, cranberry sauce, relishes, and desserts.

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#### Hay fire

Bovina Fire Department responded to a semitractor fire carrying hay on Oct. 23. It took some work but they were able to get it out without the fire spreading. There were no serious injuries.

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