

# Gerri Bowers has recipe published in cookbook

Gerri **Bowers** of Farwell now has added the title of "Expert Chef" along to her everyday title of Deputy County Clerk.

Gerri has served as **Farwell's Deputy County** Clerk for 14 years but recently helped draw some extra attention to Farwell. One of her own family recipes was published in the January edition of Gooseberry Patch "Weeknight Dinners" cookbook.

Gerri submitted her traditional family recipe Chile Relleno for Casserole around three years ago. She and coworker Stacy Lamb were at looking the Gooseberry Patch website and noticed a request by the book for new recipes.

Since Gerri had recently made the Chile Relleno mother, began making Casserole for an office function, the recipe was still saved on her computer. With encourageemaiedher recipe to the at home. famous cookbook.

Gooseberry Patch com- food and this recipe is congratulating her for I was a little girl." her winning recipe. The company informed her County Clerk Colleen to see my recipe and that her recipe would appear in their January excellent cooking abili- the book. Maybe people release of "Weeknight ties. Dinners."

her aunt, and then her was wonderful."



Stacy Lamb and Gerri Bowers pose with the Gooseberry Patch cookbook that holds Gerri's famous recipe.

the casserole for their Gerri's butter pecan families in the 1970's. It fudge and cheese balls, was just natural for her which are also old family to continue the tradition favorites. Gerri enjoys ment from Stacy, Gerri and prepare this recipe original family recipes

Then, last June, the love to cook Mexican ing style.

Stover attest to Gerri's 'Farwell, Tx' printed in

"She is a great cook," Farwell is located." Gerri does not know says Stacy. "We got to where the recipe came try the Chile Relleno at a no compensation or royfrom originally, but first recent luncheon and it alties from the published

Stacy also brags on and tends to stick with Gerri comments, "I them for her own cook-

Gerri is excited to see pany sent Gerri a letter one of my favorites since her recipe printed in the nationally-published Both Stacy and Parmer cookbook. "It is so neat will look up where

> Although she received Continued on Page5

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# Olivia, Gabbie Schilling to perform Chamber approves banquet changes

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce on Jan. 29 approved some big changes for the annual Chamber banquet for this year.

Historically, the banquet to honor local folks for their support of the city has been held on a Saturday night and has featured steaks cooked before the event. This April, the event will be held on a Thursday night, with the exact date still

to be set.

The move was prompted by parents who said they couldn't make the event because of weekend activities. Several also said weekends were harder to find sitters for.

On the other hand, supporters who wanted the event held on Saturday pointed out that it would be more difficult for family from out of town to make a Thursday event.

Chamber President Rob Pomper supported the change to Thursdays, pointing out that recent turnout for the event has been dwindling and the Chamber needs to change to ensure as many local folks can make it as possible.

He said that it was disrespectful to give out the awards if the only ones who could show up were the award winners.

The second big change was in the food provided.

Over the years, many folks had asked for a different selection of food offered. The Chamber will look into possibly having the event catered by Desperado's, Leal's, or a similar caterer.

The Chamber is looking into possibly providing chicken fried steak, Mexican food, or a chicken and fish dinner.

Pomper said if folks in the community would like to offer suggestions, please call him and leave a message at (806) 481-3681.

This year's entertainment will be Olivia and Gabbie Schilling, Farwell High students who recently released an album.

The Chamber is also looking into the idea of door prizes to help boost attendance.

In other news, new city brochures have been made for Farwell. They are available at City Hall.

Jexico Homecoming King and Queen candidates Election filing period opens



Lindey Foote and Mason Grau



Mel Lucero and Rallin Harris

The filing period for local elections has opened. The deadline for filing for the May 11 elections is March 1.

Early voting will be April 29 to May 7.

Here's a look at the local races:

Parmer County Hospital District Board -- Two posts are open. Incumbents are Robert Neelley and Daniel Kendrick.

You can file at the Parmer Medical Center in Friona.

Farwell City Council -- Three posts are open --Mayor Jimmie Mace and councilmen Ron Anderson and Joe Stanton are the incumbents.

All three are expected to seek re-election.

You can file at City Hall.

Farwell School Board -- Two posts are open. Incumbents are Kendall Devault and Molly Stancell.

You can file at the school administration building. Farwell Hospital District Board -- Five posts are on the ballot. Incumbents are Tom Nichols, Mike Ratke, Jack Kirkland, Ryan Williams and Greg Actkinson.

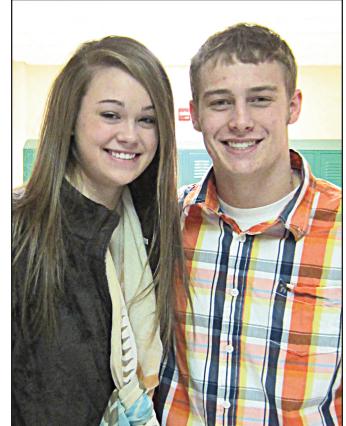
Persons can file by calling board secretary Margie Watkins.

Bovina School Board -- Three posts are on the ballot. Incumbents are Lance Teague, Juan Gonzalez and Richard Carson.

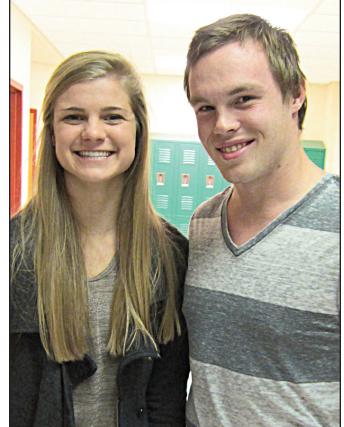
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**Bianca Davalos and Jason Tuls** 



Shaylee Anderson and Elliott Pelfrey



McKenzi Mayfield and Shay Harrison

# Homecoming dress up fun

Dress up days were planned all week at Texico schools for Homecoming. Here are kids dressed up Monday for pajama day, and Tuesday's 'Decade' day.











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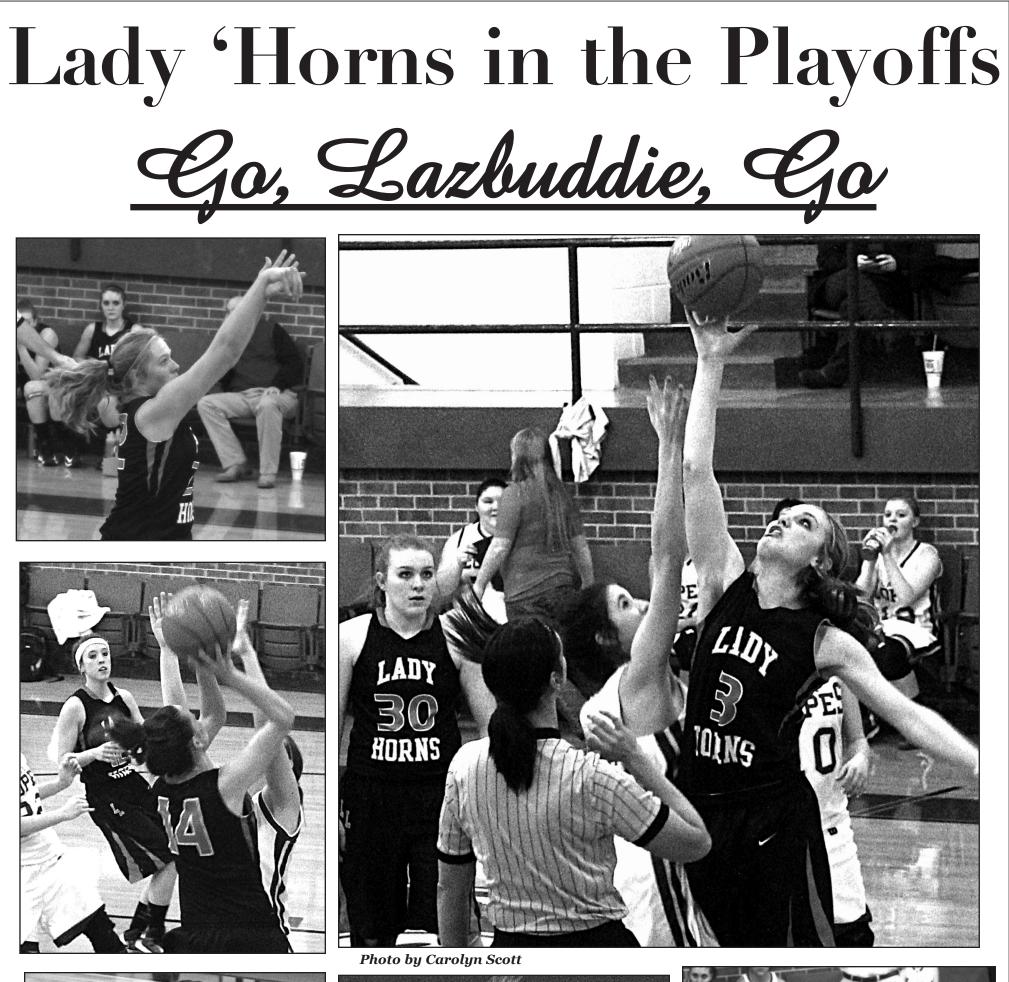






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# **Texico students present Science Spectrum exhibits**

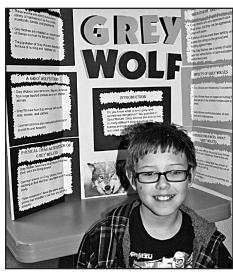
graders recently presented their Science Spectrum exhibits.

These science-based research projects reflect on themes such as biomes, plants or animals. Each student was responsible for researching their topic using the answering computer, specific questions about their topic and writing their findings in a final report. The students then created a project board that was displayed at Texico for all the students and parents to learn about their topic.

Fourth grade teacher Shelley Pinnell said students enjoy this type of project because it has a science background. "The Science Spectrum projects are good because the students are able to improve their computer skills and focus on the writing process."

Fourth grader Justus Tuls said his favorite part was "decorating my project board. I came up with some of the ideas and my friends helped me a little."

Emily DeLaRosa said she learned a lot about her topic, Neptune, and liked getting to read



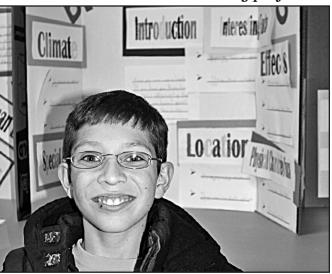
Dominik Salguero

goals of the Common also the Core Curriculum like computer skills and writ-

Texico 4th and 5th everyone else's projects. ing. Our 5th graders put Kelley Fontanilla, a 5th all of their research into a grade teacher, said, "The Power Point presentation Science Spectrum proj- and learned a lot about ects fulfill some of the not only their topic, but computer processes."



Karen Ferrell and her Prairie Dog project.



Isaac Nieto and Bromiliads flowers.



Connor McDermid's baboon project featured pictures his grandmother took.

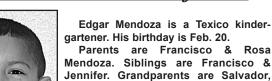
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April	0.79	0.02	0.16	
Мау	2.05	0.08	2.30	
June	2.33	1.10	2.73	
July	2.03	0.85	1.00	
August	3.18	1.90	0.43	
September	1.94	0.79	0.81	
October	1.65	1.37	0.44	
November	0.57	0.05	0.05	
December	0.67	1.79	0.24	
Totals	16.90	8.34	8.52	0.55

Courtesy of Lonnie McFarland of Farwell.





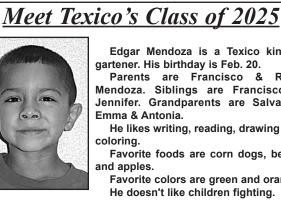
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Lowe's Supermarket is open Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., and on Sunday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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canned goods and many household supplies. It also offers supplies like money orders and Western

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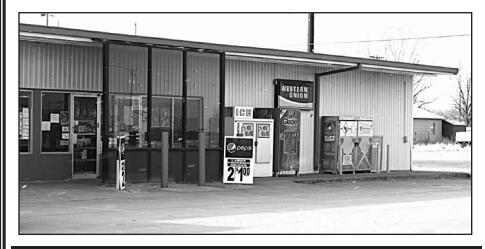
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**Chris Harrison** 



union, Pictured are, from right to left, Greg Baldwin, area while having manager; Matisha Fenn, scan coordinator; David gas pumps Figueroa, Clovis store manager, and John Torres, available, Farwell store manager. too.



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A message from the Farwell Chamber of Commerce

# Steers earn playoff spot

#### Varsity Boys

The Farwell Steers Jan. 29.

Scoring were Ruben Gutierrez, 8; Bretton Stancell and Collin Christian, 2 each; Angel Bovina, 57-12. Graxiola, 6 (a pair of 3pointers); Austin Mason, Stephanie Tercero, 11; 7; Kolten Morris, 20; Luis Galvan, 3; Curt Langford, 12.

On Feb. 1, the Steers dispatched Springlake-Earth, 68-40.

Scoring were Langford, 16; Manuel Luis Galvan and Gutierrez, 9 each; Mason, 5; Graxiola, 4; Stancell, 2. After this game, the Steers were 25-4 overall and 4-1 in District -- and have earned a State playoff berth.

### Varsity Girls

The Lady Blue stayed in the hunt for a playoff berth with a 43-34 victory 2 each. over Bovina.

Scoring were Alexa Skylar Mora and Chadwick, 2 each; Sasha Lara, 8; Jill Johnson, 5; Chandler Barnes, 3; Kirkland, Jenna 6; Caitlyn Stancell, 13; Ami Favila, 4.

Kirkland and Favila had 5 rebounds each. \*\*\*

On Friday, the Lady Blue fell to District-leading Springlake-Earth, 42-32.

Scoring were Kirkland, 4; Caitlyn Stancell, 2;

# Election filing

You can file at the school administration building. Bovina City Council -- Three posts are on the ballot. Incumbents are Richard Villarreal, Radford Venable and Gavlon Rhodes.

You can file at City Hall.

Lazbuddie School Board -- Elections are held every other November. Since one was held last year, there will be no election this year.



Taylor Stancell, 2 each.

JV Girls Farwell's JV Girls beat

Scoring were Katy Carpenter, 10; Cambree Haseloff, 5: Emily Stancell, 8; Cassidy Devault, 17; Marissa Lopez, 6.

The JV Girls beat Springlake-Earth, 49-13.

Scoring were Tercero, Galvan, 13; Morris, 10; 16; Haseloff, 11; Lopez, 7; Stancell, 5; Brayden Johnson, 4; Regan Agee, 3; Carpenter, 2; and Devault, 1.

#### 8th Girls

The 8th grade girls lost to Sudan, 32-27.

Scoring were Lindsi Hope Coburn, 17; 6; Herrera; Kendal Stancell and Edie White,

#### 7th Girls

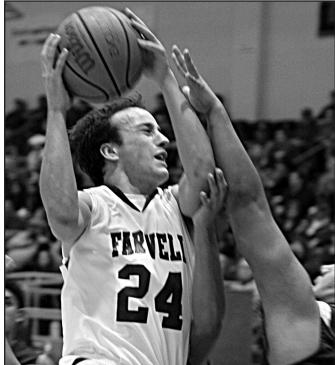
The 7th grade girls fell to Sudan,19-14. Scoring were Andrea Chance, 9; Cambree **Glover and Alexis Olmos,** 2 each; and Meredith Ratke, 1.

#### JV Boys

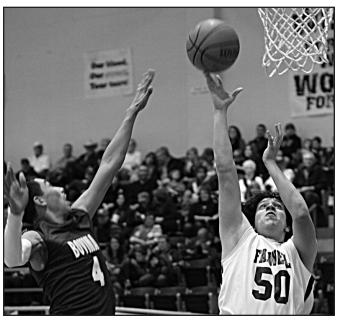
Farwell's JV Boys defeated Bovina, 54-21. Scoring were Pedro Ruiz and Andrew 4 Michalski, each; Christian 3; Pena,

From page 1

Barnes and Lara, 3 each; Federico Solis and Jose 10 each; A.J. Bermea, 5; White, 9; Chadwick, 7; Sotelo, 2 each; Oscar Danny Reyes, 8; Gerardo topped Bovina, 60-48, on Brenna Jarman and Munoz and Erick Tovar, Martinez, 6.



Photos by J.R. Ivins







# Recipe

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# Chilie Relleno Casserole

Ingredients:

- 1 lb. Jack Cheese
- 1 lb. Cheddar Cheese
- 2 8 ounce cans of whole Ortega Chilies
- 4 eggs, separated
- **1** Tablespoon flour
- 2/3 cups evaporated milk
- Salt & pepper

Grate cheeses and layer in a 9 X 13 casserole dish. Place Ortega chilies on top of cheeses. In another bowl, beat egg yolks and gradually add flour and evaporated milk to yolks. In a separate bowl, beat egg whites until fairly fluffy and then mix into the yolk mixture. Salt and pepper to taste. Layer egg mixtures over the chilies and cheese. Bake uncovered at 325 degrees for 50 minutes.

recipe, Gerri said the company sent her a free copy of the cookbook and encouraged her to enter more recipes.

Gerri is now looking for a new recipe to submit. She loves the idea that she is helping promote Farwell through her cooking.



50 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK' Paul Skaggs and Fred Danforth elected to Texico chool Board. Clerks run out of ballots and have to use copier to make more ballots. Also running are John Hadley and John Spearman. Ebb Randol, moving to Muleshoe, resigns from Farwell City Council.

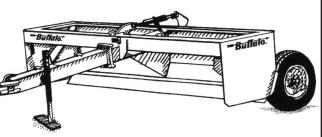
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Basketball is in the home stretch with playoffs looming:

Lazbuddie -- Varsity boys host Whiteface on Feb. 8, then play at Whitharral on Feb. 12. JH teams play at Anton on Feb. 11, then in District tourney Feb. 14 & 16.

Bovina -- JV & varsity boys host Springlake-Earth on Feb. 8, then play at Sudan on Feb. 12 to end regular season. Middle school schedule has been completed.

Farwell -- JV & varsity boys play at Texico on Feb. 8, then host Morton on Feb. 12 to end regular season.

Texico -- JV & varsity boys host Farwell on Feb. 8 (Homecoming). On Feb. 9, JV & varsity teams host Clayton, then play at Melrose on Feb. 12. On Feb. 11, 'C" boys host Grady.

Texico 8th Boys and Girls play in Friendship Tournament Feb. 7-9, while the 7th grade Boys and Girls play in the Portales Tournament Feb. 8-9. That concludes JH schedule.



# Lady Longhorns clinch State playoff berth

#### JV Girls

Lazbuddie's JV Girls week, 39-23.

Nickels, 14; Micah Vera, lvy, 10.

#### Varsity Girls

The Lady Longhorns continued their drive to a state playoff berth with a 72-34 of wipeout Amherst last week, 72- playoff involved here, 34.

Scoring were Jessica Estrada, 4; Weaver, 8; Mason, 15 (from five 3-Autumn pointers); Townsend, 4; Shyann Mayson Rainey, 8; Hester, 17; Lacey Jesko, 16. \*\*\*

'Horns won their playoff 10; Jared Timms, 15. berth with a 59-33 thrash-

ing of Cotton Center. Scoring were Lindsey put away Amherst last Burris and Townsend, 3 each; Estrada, 2; Scott,

Scoring were Lindsey 6; Jesko, 9; Hester, 5; Capers, 2; Kennedi Mason, 6; and Rainey, 13. The Lady 'Horns, 7-4 in 2; Iridian Fernandez, 6; District after this game, Baylee Ruthardt, 5; Haley are tentatively scheduled to play either Happy or Hartley on Jan. 11 or 12 in the Amarillo area.

How Happy and Hartley fare on Feb. 5 will determine the opponent -- and there may be a too.

The Lady 'Horns have Allison a practice game sched-Ashton uled on Feb. 8 vs. Forsan at Smyer.

#### Varsity Boys

The Longhorns fell to Cotton Center, 40-35, on Friday.

Scoring were Juan On Friday, the Lady Murillo, 10; Haldon Ivy,

# New standards proposed for school lunch menus

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has proposed new standards for school lunch menus.

The idea is to give students healthier food choices. It would ban the sale of almost all candy, highcalorie sports drinks and greasy foods on campus.

The USDA proposes to set fat, calorie, sugar and sodium limits on almost all foods sold in schools.

Food sold outside the lunchroom is not regulated. Here is the gist of the proposal, which still must be approved:

What's out -- candy, snack cakes, most cookies, are not 100 percent juice.

What's okay -- baked potato chips, granola and cereal bars, dried fruits, yogurt, diet soda, flavored water, unsweetened or diet ice tea.

# The Latest

Friday in the robbery of Friona Federal Credit Union intoxication. He posted bond and was released. in August.

guilty earlier.

He was sentenced to 4 years and 9 months in federal prison plus ordered to pay \$6,541 in restitution.

Here's the track schedule for Farwell High: Feb. 23, Olton; March 1, Friona; March 8, Plains; March 16, Hamlin; March 21, Smyer; March 28, TBA; April 5, Sudan; April 11-12, District at Sudan; April 18, Area at Sundown; April 26-27, Regional at Gin. Levelland; May 10-11, State at Austin.



#### Photo by Carolyn Scott

JH Boys

Elida, 35-16. Scoring were Arrick Gomez, Estrada, 6; Destry Ivy, 2; Youngblood, 6; Devon Bernardo Lopez, 8.

The JH Girls got tipped

Scoring were Marisol 2; Karsyn Ashley Pacheco, 4; Scott, 9; Mattisun Hester,

JH Girls

# Sheriff's Report

7.

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Randy GeriesL

On Jan. 31, Robbie Johnson, 31, of Farwell, was arrested by the sheriff's office on charges of assault (2) and interfering with an emergency call, pending in county court.

On Jan. 31, Rodolfo Rodriguez, 46, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a motion to revoke (DWI 3rd or more), pending in district court.

On Feb. 1, Jayson Clement, 34, of Farwell, was arrested by Farwell police on charges of aggravated robbery, pending before the grand jury, and criminal pretzels, pizza, most ice cream and juice drinks that mischief betweeen \$50 and \$500, pending in county court.

> On Feb. 2, Jorge Castillo, 28, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on charges of possession of marijuana under 2 oz. in a drug free zone, a motion to revoke (terroristic threat) and motion to revoke (theft of property), pending in county court.

On Feb. 2, Andrew Cordova, 24, of Friona, was Sentencing was held in federal court in Amarillo arrested by Farwell police on a charge of public

On Feb. 2, Carlos Rodriguez, 49, of Friona, was John Michael Garibay, 22, of Friona, had pleaded arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI, pending in county court.

> Parmer/Bailey County Crime Stoppers 1 (800) 774-8477 (TIPS)

# Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

In last week's Tribune, Mike Pomper stated in his column that prisoners were receiving free health care.

I am currently teaching at the T.L. Roach prison unit in Childress and have been for the past 2 1/2 vears. I can assure you that the prison system in Texas is not coddling the offenders (inmates). I have been very pleased with the frugality of this unit while spending taxpayer money.

Just one example is the use of deer meat for meals. Many hunters enjoy killin deer, but not eating them. The prison system encourages donations of deer meat.

Farmers often donate truckloads of vegetables that they can't or don't want to sell, for meals at our prison unit.

Additionally, we are a "farm" unit complete with "hoe squads" that work the vegetable fields, raising food for the offenders' tables.

The other units have various specialties that they produce. Some manufacture chairs, tables, desks, soap, uniforms, and raise chickens, hogs, beef and many more items that they supply to units within the prison system.

With regard to health care, Jan. 1 offenders must pay \$100 on the first visit to the infirmary. Subsequent visits are free.

Since many offenders' families are not there for them for various reasons (won't send them any money), many can't afford the initial fee. Thereford, they can't or won't go to the infirmary.

I recently had a student in may class who had no knee. His leg bones ground on each other when he walked. Consequently, he limped terribly. Ths prison system will not treat him because the injury did not occur while incarcerated. He is going to be in prison for a very long time, painfully getting from point A to point B.

We all applaus the Arizona sheriff who runs a nofrills prison system. I think that we should also appreciate the Texas Department of Criminal Justice for running a tight ship.

Mike McManigal

Farwell 

#### Dear Editor,

The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society and Texico FCCLA chapter are putting on the annual Texico School talent show -- "Pennies For Patients Rock" on Feb. 14 at 1 p.m. mt at the educational complex.

The FCCLA is raising money for its community service project to help beat cancer. Your child has the opportunity to give monetary donations in their classroom box. A party will be given for the class who raises the most money.

The talent show will highlight some awareness of patients and what you your donations benefit. Please send your donation with your child to school or bring the day of the show.

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**Texico FCCLA advisor** 



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The JH boys lost to by Elida, 31-30,

Word has been received of the death of Juanita Jarman, 95, of Lubbock.

Among the survivors is Gene Paul Jarman, of you may earn cash reward up to \$1,000. Muleshoe.

A community blood drive will be held at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Chuech from noon to 5 p.m. on Feb. 15.

Photo ID or donor card are required. For appointments, call 1 (877) 574-8800. Walk-ins are welcome.

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On Jan. 31, someone stole a hay grinder from a farm equipment auction at the Friona Farmers Co-op

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If you have information about this, call Crime Stoppers at 481-9178. If your tip leads to an arrest.

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# **Reyna leads Lady Wolverines to 2 wins**

Varsity Girls

Lady Wolverines rolled over Lovington, 52-40.

Scoring were Brianna Reyna, 24 (including a

Vannatta, 2 On Jan. 28, the Texico Lindsey Foot, 3; McKenzi Mayfield, 7; Mel Lucero, 23; Prather, 6; Lucero No. 2 ranking in New Reyna, 15; Rallin Harris, 8; Rae Lynn Prather, 6.

pair of 3-pointers); Sarah Lady Wolverines wiped Chasity Sharp, 5. Daniels and Shelby out Santa Rosa, 55-31, in

each; their District opener.

and Foote 3 each; Mexico. Vannatta, 2; Cassidy And on Feb. 1, the Downing, 1; Mayfield, 12;

The Lady Wolverines Wolverines

are now 1-0 in District Clovis, 78-54. Scoring were Reyna, and 12-6 overall, with the

Varsity Boys

On Jan. 29, lost



Scoring were Miguel 9; Gentry Doolittle, 8; Kendal Naceanceno, 7; bered Artesia, 47-10. D.J. Griego and Jonah the Walls, 6 each; Justin Davalos, to Rucker, 2.

nipped Santa Rosa, 64-63.

Scoring were Doolittle, Sealey, 1. 2: Reyna, 31; Naceanceno, 14; Walls, 8; Harris, 4; John Myers, 2; Griego, 3.

Tucumcari.

Scoring were Rucker, 7; Doolittle, 5; Harris, Naceanceno and Reyna, Tucumcari, 50-36. 10 each; Walls, 4; Griego, 3.

Texico is now 13-6 overall and 2-0 in District. They are ranked No. 6 in the state.

#### 8th Girls

Texico's 8th girls clob-

Scoring were Mel 4; Jaden Stephens, 12; Hannah Hughes, 4; Micah Pinnell, In their District opener 2; Isela Bravo, 5; Whitney on Feb. 1, the Wolverines Skabelund, 6; Jasmine Gannon, 9; Tristyn McDaniel, 4; Maddie

#### JV Boys

Texico's JV Boys lost to Santa Rosa, 44-39.

Scoring were Justin On Feb. 2, Texico had a Rucker, 8; Juan Estrada, second nail-biter - this 13; Ramon Garcia, 10; time a 49-48 win over Tristan Lockmiller, 6; Dalton Wren, 2.

> Texico pasted

Scoring were Wren, 6; Rafael Maldonado, 16; Estrada and Garcia, 10 each; Brandon Clark, 2; Rucker, 7.

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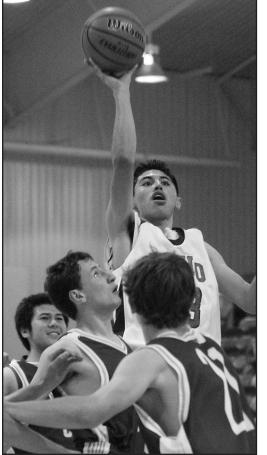
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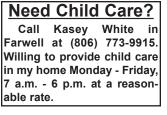
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wells, on highway. <b>Correct corr</b> 160 acres South of Lariat on highway. 1 sprinkler, 3 irr. wells. Owner says sell. Bovina Area Listings	AGRICULTURAL REAL ESTATE Country Homes <u>New Listing!</u> Muleshoe area. Brick home on 1.5 acres. 3 bed- room, 2 bath, nicely updated, metal roof. Property also has a metal shop and a pole barn for horses or FFA/4-H projects.	Farwell, TexasOffice: (806) 481-3846Toll Free: 1-888-999-3846Sales Associate	
15 acres on Highway with 2 bedroom home. 40'x60' metal barn. Livestock pens. Unique rustic living quar- ters in old barn. Several storage buildings. All on city water.	<u>Northwestern Lamb County</u> Pleasant Valley. 3 or 4 bed- room, 2 3/4 bath, fireplace, sun point, granite counter tops, 2- park garage, on 5.94 acres on pavement. Modern & extra nice! Farmland/Investment	308 Third St., Farwell <u>WWW.byrdrealestate.net</u> New Listing - Remodeled 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath brick home, central air + heat, single car garage, car- port, fenced backyard, 20'x30' shop, close to school.	
77 +/- acres, grass and east of Bovina. Just Listed – Large 4 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home with 2-car attached garage. Central heat and refriger- ated air; fireplace and large fenced yard.	Bailey County - 177 acres. 10 year CRP contract. On pave- ment, could be a nice recreational place. Mule deer and other wildlife in the area. Lynn & Terry Counties - CRP - 1270 acres in CRP, 50 acres in native pasture for a total of 320 deeded acres.	PRICE REDUCED - Muleshoe- In country on 10 acres, Nice 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, brick home with fireplace, utility, built-ins, new windows, new roof, and new air conditioner, large storage, 2 car garage.	
4 bedroom, 2 bath brick home with 2 car attached garage. Central heat and air. Corner lot in good neigh- borhood. Priced to sell.	<u>Bailey and Parmer Counties</u> - 960 acres, 9 wells, 5 center pivot sprinklers, Brick house w/ improvements. <u>Western Bailey County</u> – Irrigated 174 acres, 2 irrigation wells, Valley sprinkler, 1 domestic well, on pavement, corners	Call for more details. Price Reduced - Only 6 years Old. Very nice, 4 bed- room, 2 1/2 bath brick home, upstairs, finished base- ment, office, built-ins, central air and heat, electric	
Large 3,500 sq. ft. brick home on 5 acres. South of Bovina. Has potential of having up to 100 acres of grass and dryland. 2 bedroom, 1 bath home on 5 acres across from	Mells, Valley sprinkler, 1 domestic well, on pavement, corners in grass. <u>Bailey County</u> 1,140 acres of recreational property with an income stream. 767 acres in C.R.P. Nine years remaining on contract. Mule deer, dove, pheasant and quail. Some improve-	<i>WE NEED FARM LISTINGS!!</i>	
2 bedroom, 1 bath nome on 5 acres across from grain elevators. Price Reduced - 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with large 2 car garage and storage area with storm cellar. Central heat/ refrig. air and large lot.	contract. Mule deer, dove, pheasant and quail. Some improve- ments. <u>Parmer County</u> Cazbuddie area, 313 acres. Lays perfect, excellent soil. 2 Valley sprinklers, 3 webs- On pavement.  Vic Coker, Broker Barry Coker, Agent	800 acres in the Oklahoma Lane area. 4 circular sprinklers, 5 submersible wells, 2 domestic wells. Excellent cattle operation: Highway frontage. Owner/agent.	
Several 10-acre tracts west of Bovina. "SAVING IS GREAT - INVEST IN REAL ESTATE"	(806) 946-7242 <u>www.vicoland.com</u> (806) 787-0917 316 Main St., Muleshoe • Office (806) 272-3100	155 acres in the Oklahoma Lane area. 1 sub- mersible well, lays web. Bank owned. Call for details!	

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# Help Wanted in Bovina

- Taking applications for Shop Technician at Charles Oil and Gas.

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------- Also, we have openings in all shifts at Food Express.

# The Latest

Parmer American Legion Post 206 sent Farwell High competition Kermitville, Texas, on school tragedy. Saturday.

entrants from six diswas very close, said post security measures. commander William Dannheim.

**Five Area Telephone** Cooperative will have its annual membership Bailey County Coliseum.

at 10 a.m.

Lunch will be served Farwell. after the meeting by **River Smith's Chicken &** 

Farwell

Meal Site

# County Catfish.

**Farwell school officials** student John Ryan are looking at stronger Isaacson to Octorial security measures in the in wake of the Connecticut

He placed 2nd out of more security cameras.

Also, a state trooper tricts, losing to the boy will be touring the school who won it last year. It buildings checking on

> School officials are not looking at armed personnel in the schools.

A baby shower for Maggie May Hanks,

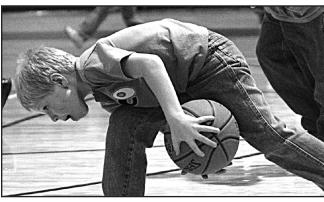


Texico students perform

As part of a recent break during a high school basketball game, Coach Scanlan let her elementary school stuents perform. Photos by Cary McFarden.







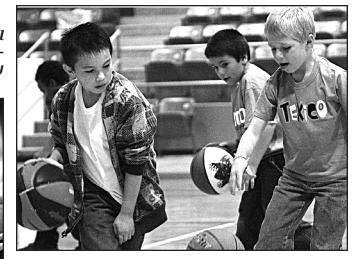
Word has been meeting on Feb. 23 at the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. received of the death of Chris Hanks, will be held W.J. Heathcoat, father of years.



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# solve puzzles.

FDIC







Texico Monday - grilled chicken

wrap with cheese, LT, pinto beans, fruit, milk.

Tuesday - grilled cheese sandwich, chicken noodle soup, mixed veggies, fruit, milk.

Wednesday - spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, hot roll, fruit, milk. Thursday - hamburgers, LP, oven fries, oranges,

milk. Friday - no school.

Farwell

Monday - cheese enchiadas, refried beans, garden salad, salsa, cinnamon apples, milk.

Tuesday - hamburgers, corn cobbettes, baby carrots, sliced peaches.

Wednesday - chicken nuggets, mac & cheese, green beans, diced pears, roll, milk.

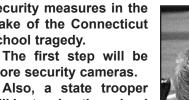
Thursday - hot dog, tater tots, tomato & cucumber cup, fruit, milk.

Friday - grilled cheese, tomato soup, baby carrots fruit cup, milk.

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Monday - chili beans, corn bread, spinach, okra, peaches. Tuesday - steak fingers, gravy, baked potato half,



Registration starts at 9 Sunday from 3 to 4 p.m. Melinda Burney, who a.m. and the meeting is at the home of Jana had a medical practice in Perkins, 710 3rd St., Farwell the past few



# Meet Farwell's Class of 2025

Adolfo Loya is a Farwell kindergartener. His birthday is Feb. 3. Parents are Jose Loya and Maria Marquez. Siblings are Nathalia, Jose and Sebastian. Grandparents are Josefina Loya and Chomel Marguez.

His favorite color is blue. His favorite food is pizza. He likes to play the wii, and

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Wednesday - ranch chicken, scalloped potatoes, garden salad, green beans, 7-up cake.

corn, biscuits, apple crisp.

Thursday - pork loin, mashed potatoes, gravy, sweet peas, rolls, cherry cobbler.

Friday smoked sausage, fried potatoes, blackeye peas, corn bread, angel lush.

Seniors over 55, \$4.00; all take-outs, 50 cents extra; guests under 55, \$6.50. Delivery is 50¢.



# **Texico Tip-off Tournament**

Texico is planning our second annual TEXICO TIP-OFF elementary basketball tournament. The date is set for Feb. 22 and 23.

There will be six different divisions.

Pee-Wee (1st & 2nd grade) girls Junior (3rd & 4th grade) girls Senior (5th & 6th grade) girls

Pee-Wee (1st & 2nd grade) boys Junior (3rd & 4th grade) boys Senior (5th & 6th grade) boys

Tournament Information: 1. All tournament games will be officiated by NMAA certified referees.

2. Pee-Wee games will be played on 8 ft. goals. Junior and Senior games will be played on 10 ft. goals.

3. Senior boys will use a standard boys' ball, all others will used a standard girls' ball.

4. Entry fee is \$100 per team.

5. Entry forms can be emailed to Nikki McDermid at Texicobasketball@gmail.com. Entry fees can be mailed to: Texico Tip-Off c/o Nikki McDermid, PO Box 426 Texico, NM 88135. Entries are not final until a full roster with player numbers is received. Entry fees are non-refundable.

6. Reversible jerseys (light and dark) with numbers on both front and back are preferred.

7. Gate admission fees are \$3 for adults and \$1 for students each day of the tournament. ONLY players and coach on roster get in free.

8. There will be a full concession available.

9. Teams are guaranteed two games. However, this is NOT a double elimination tournament.

10. Texico Tip-Off Tournament Members, Texico Booster Club and Texico Schools are not responsible for accidents, injuries, and/or theft of personal belongings.

### TEAM NAME

COACH'S NA ADDRESS	MEAVAIL TO I	PLAY GAMES ON FRIE	DAY YES NO
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DIVISION:	1ST & 2ND GIRLS	1ST & 2ND BOYS _	3RD & 4TH
GIRLS3	RD & 4TH BOYS	5TH & 6TH GIRLS	_5TH & 6TH BOYS

All entries are due by Feb. 19. Rosters with players' names and numbers are also due by Feb. 19. No substitutions or additions may be made after this date.

If there are any questions or concerns, please call: Nikki McDermid (575) 799-1817 or Randy Harrison (575) 799-1143.

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# Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

Waves of the future? Let's take a look at some recent stats:

over the next decade, according to new analysis by the minority side of the Senate Budget Committee.

Yes, that stat comes from the GOP, but even though it may be on the high side, the number is staggering.

How will that be funded? Well, it can't, obviously. There isn't enough money. Or, the government could double our taxes. That would be a great help for welfare recipients.

That's why there is such an urgent need for reform -- something not on President Obama's agenda.

But the you-know-what won't hit the fan for 8 or 9 years so why should he care?

Here's another stat:

Long-term unemployment is currently at the highest level since at least the end of World War II, threatening to create a permanent underclass of workers who will find it difficult or impossible to obtain jobs in the future.

The average duration of unemployment is now at about 40 weeks, double the previous highest level of about 20 weeks that prevailed during the last three recessions.

around? I don't.

And another stat: The average rate of default on student loans L8 B6 Staley Add No. 3. in Texas now stands

about 16 percent. Down the road, say in about 10 years, I guess Farwell.

that the stat will be clos- job continues to climb... er to 30 to 40 percent.

Will the day then come when all student loans are forgiven? Maybe so. Just like the immigration mess -- the problem the night should go to will be so severe that the Dodge for the 'So God federal government can made a farmer' commerdo nothing but to accept cial. it.

ing."

who think President it. Obama is doing a great



From Rob Pomper:

If you missed the

Super Bowl, the award

for best commercial of



# Caps for Christy

Farwell High School teacher Christy Barksdale was recently diagnosed with breast cancer. Farwell students have joined in the fight with the Caps for Christy campaign. Students can pay \$2 every Wednesday for the right to wear a hat that day, with the proceeds going to breast cancer research. Carina Reyes and Cambree Haseloff show their support and their hats.

# **Courthouse Notes**

The Parmer County clerk's office recorded the fol-Do you see a turn- lowing warranty deeds last week:

> Gwen Clements estate - JKS Storage, L1 B4 Ridgelea.

Ronald Brookfield - Thomas Stallings, E 20' L7 all

Veterans Affairs -- Dana Matthews, 2.5 ac SE/4 S20 T5S R4E.

Randy Mitchell -- Tammie Mitchell, L17-20 B57



# Texico, Bovina team takes 1st

Texico 5th – 6th grade boys placed 1st in the Melrose Tournament. Due to illness on the Texico team, a couple of Bovina hoopsters were needed to fill the roster. Edgar Olvera and Jaden Quintana, of Bovina were, a great help in the Texico wins during the tournament. Pictured are: Pacen Hartley, Manuel Loera, Skyler Davis, Connor McDermid, Jaden Quintana, Edgar Olvera, Josh Estes, Luke Phipps and Dalton Thatcher.



I have really enjoyed the articles on nullification that Will Anderson has done such a fine job on.

Nullification is an issue dear to my heart -not just nullification on a state by state basis, but down to the individual nullifying "laws" that he or she knows are wrong (which is most of them).

There is a 1,000-yearold right and duty of jurors to refuse to convict people who are charged under "laws" that the juror believes are overreaching their authority, no matter what the judge may instruct them to do.

Judges used to inform people of this duty -- now they generally hide it. Look up "jury nullification" or check out fija.org for more information.

I am not as optimistic lifying unconstitutional

anti-gun "laws." After all, they have been enthusiastically federal have dreamed up plenty of their own -- such as charges". the Texas prohibition on the feds haven't yet managed to impose.

The Bill of Rights says the "right of the people to keep and bear arms" (that means to own and to carry guns, swords, and Bowie knives) "shall not be infringed."

That means every single anti-gun "law" that has been enforced since 1934, and especially since 1968, is unconstitutional, illegal, and null and void.

enforcing even the most "reasonable" anti-gun "law" is a criminal. It enforcing these anti-con- means there is no stitutional edicts for the authority to issue pergovernment mits, do background since 1934. Plus, they checks, or to ever arrest anyone on "weapons

Don't try to excuse "open carry" that even anti-liberty positions by quoting the part about a "well-regulated militia," either. It doesn't mean what the "gun control" advocates want it to mean; "well-regulated" means "fine-tuned" and well-practiced, and the militia is everyone capable of handling a weapon in defense of self, territory, life, and liberty. That is YOU.

> The power of nullification lies in each of us. It's time we start using it

It means that anyone again.

# Higher county taxes may come

Parmer County Judge Trey Ellis had one addition to make to the story that ran in last week's Tribune about the tax abatements for Mariah Northwest in the Friona area.

Noting that the abatements for the wind energy project won't go into effect until 2015, he said there is a strong possibility that county taxes will increase next year due to lower assessed valuation because of lower crop yields.

So, although the wind energy project will provide extra county funds down the road, higher taxes may be needed sooner.

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about the chances of a state government doing the right thing, so I don't hold out much hope for Texas or New Mexico nul-



# WILL ANDERSON

The 2nd Amendment to the U.S. Constitution says:

A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed.

continues -- maniacs taking firearms into "gunfree zones" and shooting indiscriminately, killing as many innocent men, women, and children as they can before they can be tackled by civilian heroes, shot by police, or saving the last bullet to kill themselves.

In the coming months, journalists and politicians will be trumpeting what they call their "common sense solution" to rate in both nations the problem, trying to shout down anyone who disagrees.

**Every American needs** to watch this confrontation closely because it is another threat to their Constitutional rights.

There are three elements that possess firearms in America – all levels of the government's police forces, the law-abiding citizens, and the criminals.

Any plan that involves taking guns away from the law-abiding citizens has absolutely no hint of "common sense" to it, whatever they may say.

If the law-abiding citizens in America were assembled in one place, they would constitute the largest army in the world, possessing over 270-million legally-held firearms, with almost half of the homes in our Republic having a firearm of some type for self-defense.

Every year, something between 2 million and 2.5 million crimes in America are prevented by lawabiding citizen with a firearm for self-defense --

Imagine how many lives would have been saved if the "gun-free" zones instead had lawabiding citizens with firearms.

If one way or another, Washington D.C., confiscated 100 percent of legally-held weapons, we have to consider the result: firearms will be possessed only by the government and the criminals.

In what bizarre world The national nightmare could that ever be con-"common sidered sense?"

> In the 1990s, Britain and Australia completely disarmed their citizens because they had required every weapon to be registered for decades before and they knew just which homes to visit (or, in many instances, to raid) in order to seize those instruments of selfdefense.

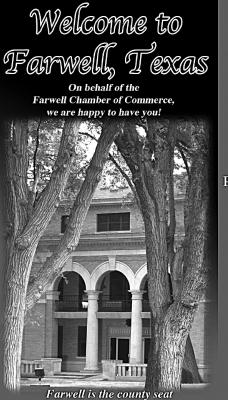
> Immediately, the crime TRIPLED, including crimes committed with firearms. It is ridiculous to think that criminals would have ever registered their illegally held weapons, and suddenly, thanks to the national government, criminals knew that none of the victims of their crimes had any chance of defending themselves.

Those higher rates of crime have remained, with one of the fastestgrowing crimes being home-invasion – entering a residence when they know the family will be home in order to steal, rape, kidnap, murder, and other outrages.

In contrast, home-invasion has been rare in America and the criminals who do break into residences take every caution to do so when they think no member of the family is home.

The criminal knows there is a good chance that the man, woman, or child they encounter in that home may possess a and know how to use it.

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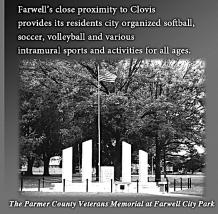


The Farwell Obelisk was remade through donations from the Farwell Chamber and private citizens. Once the signpost of the west, it now is a feature of the city park.

Farwell boasts a wonderful climate with four distinct seasons! While the winter can be cold and blustery, the average snowfall is a mere five inches.

The Fall is accented by the changing colors, harvests and very pleasant weather. The Spring and Summer months are in full bloom with growing crops, summer cuttings, the fairs and festivals and warm, sunny weather.

Sports and recreation are two elements that make Farwell so special. The Farwell school system offers complete athletic programs for its students with strong coaching and organization. Farwell boasts championship teams in Football, Basketball (boys and girls) Cross Country and Track and Field.





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# **Rocha scores 34 to lead Mustangs past Morton**

District.

8th Girls

JV Girls The JV Fillies lost to Farwell, 57-12, last week. Scoring were Brittany Perez, 9I Gaby Flores, 1; Itzel Anett, 2.

Perez had 9 rebounds.

#### JV Boys

Bovina's JV Boys lost to Sudan, 40-26.

Scoring were Ivan Rodriguez and Bryan Garcia, 2 each; Bernabie DeLaCruz, 8; Israel Ramirez, 8; Camilo DeLaRosa, 6.

Varsity Girls The Fillies lost to The JV Boys put away Farwell, 43-34, last week.

# our Scholars

Here are the Bovina Elementary School honor rolls for the 3rd 6 weeks:

All A's

Durham: Enrique Lara, Grace Marshall, Emely Vaquera.

Burgin: Luis Avila, Vanessa DeLaCruz, Oriana Garcia, David Granados, Natalie Rodriguez.

Morris: Katelyn Jackson, Fabiana Nicolas, Tynlee Romero

Field: Alejandro Cecenas, Yandel DeLeon, Nathaniel Gallegos, Ezekiel Lara, Casandra Marquez, Michael Quintana, Melissa Tamez.

Christesson: Aaliyah Garcia.

Anaya: Ailed DeLaCruz.

Potter: Darian DeLaRosa, Faith Gonzales, Nathan Jackson, Aaliyah Lara, Makaylah Luna, Alyssa Marquez, Anay Quintana, Jovany Salazar.

Galvan: Haidely Faudoa.

Sides: Verenice Hernandez, Leo Torres.

Wilford: Jacob Vazquez.

Bermea: Kaitlyn Diaz, Celina Pinela, Victoria Ramos.

Gallegos: Kelsey Marquez, Jesus Munoz, Natalie Olvera.

Stevens: none.

A-B

Durham: Shyla Campos, Isaac Cecenas, Reyna Cruz, Faith Franklin, Ethan Garcia, J-Angel Gomez, Ciara Ortega, Aylin Pinela, Vincent Rocha, Ricardo Valles-McNelly.

Burgin: Danna Aguilar, Karen Alvarez, Aylin Garcia, Mauricio Gonzalez, Jairo Mares, Armando Newton, Monique Tamez.

Morris: Kacey Born, Miguel Lopez, Kiara Medrano, Elian Munoz, Gabriel Nieto, Andrew Riley, Cesar Snyder, Beau Teague.

Field: Jazmin Castaneda, Kevin Cecenas, Kenya Chavez, Destiny Lara, Anna Neufeld, Rodrigo Sanchez, Alexis Tarango.

Christesson: Nashla Campos, Yazmyn Camos, Leslev Esparza, Andrew Garcia, Juan Garcia, Daniel Herrera, Daniel Ponce, Heather Robles.

Anaya: Daisy Avila, Ismael Chavez, Pedro Chavez, Miriam Rangel, Cassidy Reyes, Alondra Tarango,

Scoring were Anabel 5 steals. were Lara. 8: Andrea Villarreal 24; and Edith Gomez. 4 DeLaRosa, 14; and Israel each; Cynthia Jasso and Ramirez, 16 (including a Autumn Kilpatrick, 2 each; Jackie Guevara, 5; Samantha Villarreal, 9.

Lara led in rebounds with 5.

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Justus On Friday, the Fillies Pedro lost to Morton, 56-42. Israel Scoring were Lara, 5; and Andrea Villarreal, 2;

Gomez, 11; Guevara, 10; Samantha Villarreal, 12; Tamara Rivera, 2. Gomez had 5 reboun-

ds. Lara had 2 steals.

The Fillies were 6-17 overall and 0-8 in District after this game.

Varsity Boys

The Mustangs fell to Farwell, 60-48.

Scoring were Joseph Casas, 10; Zac Castillo, 7: Justin Curtis and Kristian Antillon, 2 each; Andrew Marrufo, 8; Abel Rocha, 19.

Rocha led in rebounds with 5.

\*\*\*

The Mustangs stayed in the hunt for a possible state playoff berth by topping Morton, 69-66, on Friday.

Scoring were Rocha, 34 (including a pair of 3pointers); Marrufo, 3; Casas, 23; Curtis, 9; Antillon, 6; Castillo, 4.

Curtis had 10 rebounds and 5 assists. Marrufo had 5 assists. Rocha had 8 boards and

# Fillies take 1st in powerlifting meet

The Bovina powerlifting team competed in Dalhart this weekend.

The Fillies took 1st place and the Mustangs finished 9th.

It was an early morning wake-up as the team had to leave at 4:30 a.m. but they all competed well.

Gabriel Hancock was named best lifter in the 114-165 lb weight classes.

Girls -- Ruby Ramirez 1st, Cynthia Jasso 3rd, Andrea Villarreal 4th, Brittany Perez 5th, Rosa Duarte 2nd, Jackie Guevara 2nd, Krystin Gonzales 3rd, Jaqueline Garcia 3rd, Edith Gomez 2nd. Gabby Flores 9th. Boys - Gabriel Hancock, 1st, Ramiro Carmona 5th, Leonel Carrillo 5th, Joel Salas 5th, Efrain Martinez 14th, Hector Lopez 9th, Julian Martinez 8th.

Ortiz, 2 each.

7th Boys

The 7th grade Colts were 8-3 on the year after knocking off Morton, 46-32.

Scoring were Andres Scoring were Jasmine Loera, Manuel Sanchez 1; Jose Rodriguez, Alex Lara, 3; Abigail Diaz, 6; and David Lara, 12 each; Nayele Hernandez, 4; and Osvaldo Snyder, 6; and Gabby Tony Lara and Jacob

ketball game in Bovina.

The spirit and enthusi-

Come out, get loud

support

Mustangs in their quest

for a state playoff berth!

and

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School

asm of the home crowd

Quesada, 2 each.

#### 8th Boys

The 8th grade Colts boasted a 10-4 record are wiping out Morton, 46-3.

Scoring were Daniel Lara, 10; Steven Noriega, Lucero and Emilio Espinoza, 4 each; Gabriel Gonzales, 5; Enrique Marez, 18.

From page 13

how much you love them and appreciate them. I hope everyone has a memorable Valentine's.

School will have early The team would like to release for a staff devolvement on the 15th at 12:04.

**Renewal letters went** out by the Lions Club for Flag Service. If you are interested in signing up, contact Billy or Suezy Smith.

God bless and have a

Interesting Fact of the The big "V Day" is Week: If you slowly put a almost here! Valentine's handful of salt into a full Day is the special day of glass of water it will not the year to tell that spe- overfill but will decrease cial someone in your life the water level. Tada!

# Track schedules released

the

progress

Here are the Bovina School track schedules: **High School** 

March 1, Friona; March 8, Panhandle; March 16, Hamlin; March 22-23, Amarillo; March 22, Springlake-Earth.

March 28, Olton; April 5, Sudan; April 11-12, District Meet at Sudan; April 18, Area Meet at Sundown; Regional qualifiers meet, to be announced; April 26-27, Regional Meet, Levelland; May 10-11, State Meet, Austin.

Middle School

Feb. 21, Olton; Feb. 28, Friona; March 19, Springlake-Earth; March 28, District Meet at Springlake-Earth.



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on this is a perfect example. \*\*\*

Be sure and check out reports are scheduled to great week. the proposed school be mailed on the 13th. lunchroom changes that have been proposed elsewhere in today's Tribune.

Iglesia Bautista Church will celebrate its 10th anniversary at 4 p.m. on Feb. 24.

Coach Thackston would like to thank everyone who attended last Friday night's bas-

Liset Anett, Villarreal and Gabby Bovina Banter

Bovina is now 11-10

Bovina's 8th grade

girls fell to Morton, 45-19.

overall and 3-2 in

# effort to bring wind energy success to Parmer

Yes, there were a lot of was a definite factor in folks involved and who the Mustangs' victory assisted, and they all over the Morton Indians. should get credit.

see our stands packed on this coming Friday night when the Mustangs take on the Wolverines Parmer County folks. from Springlake-Earth.

And Swafford's work

Kenya Veladre, Brisa Viernes, Hunter Widner.

Potter: Nathan Guevara, Jose Martinez, Sania Martinez, Hiromy Quiroz, Trinity Ramos, Ariana Robles, Kenneth Vielmann.

Sides: Yesenia Zuniga.

Galvan: Christian Anett, Carolina Cruz, Israel Luna, Mackenzie Prather.

Wilford: Anna Carrillo, Ana Cecenas, Samantha Dominguez, Christian Marguez, Gabrielle Medrano, Jasmine Ramon. Adamaris Robles. Trov Teague. Ireydi Vela.

Bermea: Emily Cano, Elizabeth DeLaTorre, Naveah Liscano, Destiny Reves, Rvan Wolfe,

Gallegos: Bianca Diaz. Adrian Munoz. Ever Orozco, Alexis Prather, Genda Tino Garcia.

Stevens: Kimberly DeLaCruz, Myriam Guevara, Axel Oliva, Yesenia Salazar.



## Wheatfield's Senior Living Community, announces several events for February:

Feb. 10 -- Open House, 2 to 4:30 p.m. Tours and informational session. For information, call (575) 749-9718.

Feb. 10 -- Curry County Outlaws live concert, 2 to 4 p.m.

Feb. 14 – 2nd annual Sweetheart's Ball, 2 to 4:30 p.m. Free event. Live music, dancing, hors d'oeuvres, professional photos.

Feb. 19 – Alzheimer's Support Group, noon to 1 p.m. Hosted by the Alzheimer's Association. Lunch provided.

Feb. 20 -- Widow/Widower Social Group, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.

Feb. 22 – 42 Night, come play dominos, 6 p.m.

Feb. 24 -- Curry County Outlaws live concert - 2 to 5 p.m.

Feb. 26 -- Men's Breakfast Club, 7 to 8 a.m. Please RSVP.







# Rita Mast

Rita C. Mast 88 of Friona, formerly of Bovina

passed away on Jan. 31, 2013, after a long illness. A memorial service will be scheduled for a later date. All arrangements by Blackwell-Mullins Funeral Home of Friona.

Rita was born in Wilbarger County, Texas, on Oct. 28, 1924. She was a longtime resident of Bovina. She graduated from Bovina High School<sup>l</sup>



and went to college at Texas Tech and graduated with a degree in teaching. She taught school in Bovina for many years. She was a huge advocate for children and reading and spent much of her time teaching and tutoring children to read. She felt that reading could change a person's life.

Surviving are 6 children -- Carol Gutierrez and husband Al of Gilroy Calif.; Chris Alexander of Friona; Cathy Bowers of Carlsbad, Calif.; Honey Sue Gist and husband Bill of Bovina; Buzz Mast and wife Robin of Elbert, Colo., and Broox Mast and wife Anita of San Marcos, Calif; 8 grandchildren;4 great-grandchildren; many nieces and nephews, and a very special friend, Stuart Bailey.

Her husband Arthur B. Mast preceded her in death.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be given to Bluebonnet Home Health and Hospice 304 East 11th St. Friona, TX 79035 or the Friona Public Library 109 W. 7th St. Friona, TX 79035.

Our family would like to thank the local and area doctors, nurses, hospice and the church, with a special thanks to Maria Rodriguez and Minda Aguillar. They truly blessed our lives.

#### Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Wilma Bell Robinson, Deceased, were issued on Jan. 28, 2013, in Cause No. 29506, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: Robert Wayne Robinson.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

% Jeff Actkinson Attorney at Law P.O. Box 286 Farwell, Texas 79325 Dated the 28th day of January 2013.

Jeff W. Actkinson Attorney for Robert Wayne Robinson State Bar No. 24001624 P.O. Box 286 Farwell, Texas 79325 Telephone: (806) 481-3361 Facsimile: (806) 481-9060

#### Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Charles H. Gant, Deceased, were issued on Jan. 28, 2013, in Cause No. 2947, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: Aleene H, Gant.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

% Jeff Actkinson Attorney at Law P.O. Box 286 Farwell, Texas 79325 Dated the 28th day of January 2013.

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# Bovina school nurse, CNA class present program



Gabriel DeLaRosa, Krystin Gonzales, Marie Neufeld, Edith Gomez, Celia Quintana, Yajayra Herrera, Alejandro Guevara, Maricela Reyes.



Bovina School nurse Rachel Avalos and her CNA class did a presentation on germs and hand washing at the 3 year Stepping Stone Parents' meeting. Above are Edith Gomez, Yajayra Herrera, Rachel Avalos, Maria Cruz, baby Dominick Velarde, Edgar Velarde.

# **Bovina Banter** Deanna Curtis • 251-1405

Filing is open to folks meal includes 3 enchiwishing to run for the ladas Bovina School Board rice, beans, chips, salsa, and City Council. The dessert and tea. deadline is March 1.

11 ballot. Incumbents are 1317, ext. 223. Lance Teague, Juan Gonzalez and Richard Carson.

building.

Three posts are on the schedule. Council ballot. Citv Incumbents are Richard ule has been completed. Villarreal, Radford Venable and Gaylon Rhodes.

Hall.

students, who are plan- made the freshman foottrip ning а Washington, D.C., this State College. summer, will sponsor an enchilada luncheon from the Bob Williford home. 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Feb. 15 at the home ec build- White had a two-week sticks, carrots. ing.

It's open to staff and community.

(meat/cheese),

Takeout plates are The school board has available. To order call three posts on the May Celia Quintana at 251-

Our JV and varsity boys host Springlake-You can file at the Earth on Feb. 8, then play school administration at Sudan on Feb. 12. That ends the regular season

Middle school sched-

From Sept. 15, 1948: The Denney family had Woltman home.

Bobbie Kelley, son of beans, Bovina High's Migrant Mr. and Mrs. Odis White, to ball team at West Texas fajitas, charro beans,

Wilbur Charles bought

vacation in the Midwest.

School lunch menus rolls, peaches.



Bianca Garcia, Kimberly Rueda, Aaron Vasquez. Photos by Celia Quintana.

Monday - chalupas, LT salad, corn, apple sauce. Pomper: **Tuesday - chicken fried** You can file at City a reunion at the Jack steak, cream potatoes, go to Jim Bob Swafford cream gravy, wheat rolls, strawberries.

> Wednesday - chicken orange smiles.

Thursday - chicken spaghetti, garden salad, Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Jello cookies, bread

> Friday - fish sticks, fries, cole slaw, wheat

A note from Mike

Great credit needs to green for spearheading the



Gabriel DeLaRosa, Krystin Gonzales, Marie Neufeld, Bianca Garcia, Maricela Reyes, Continued on Page 12 Magaly Meraz, and Elizabeth Neufeld.



The fee is \$10. The for next week

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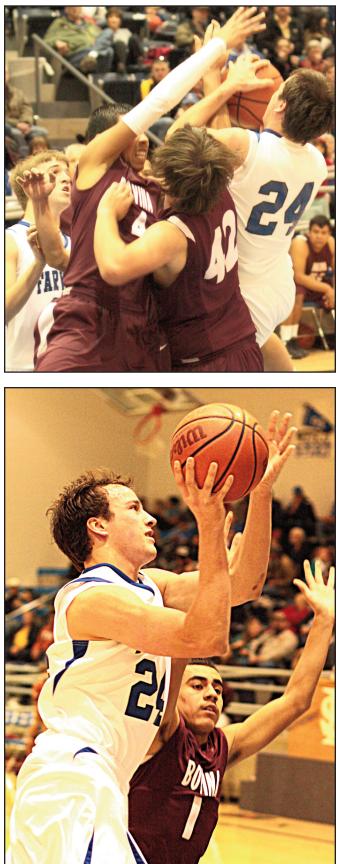
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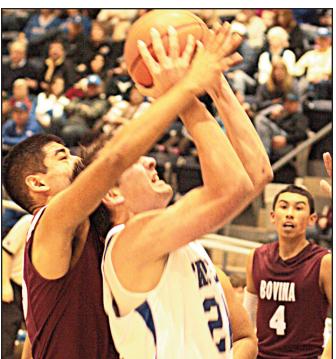
# Mustangs, Steers go head-to-head











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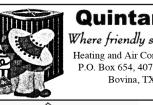
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