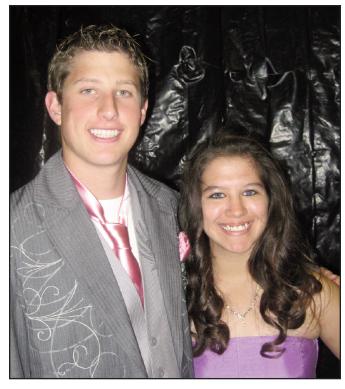
# Steinbock, Hernandez: Lazbuddie top athletes



Kyler Steinbock and Jordan Hernandez were named Outstanding Athletes.



Todd Nichols and Jordan Henandez got the Academic Awards.

See more photos on Page 5; Junior High award pictures to be published in next week's Tribune



Jordan Hernandez and Kyler Steinbock were named the Outstanding Athletes at the Lazbuddie Schools athletic banquet Saturday night in the school cafeteria.

There was a huge turnout, about 187 persons - one-third more than last year. Shana Glover headed the crew that provided beautiful decorations for the annual major event.

In addition to the photos showing all the award winners:

-- Football Coach Beau Thompson complimented his team, saying they had won mor games the past three years than the preceding six. Thompson has resigned and is moving to Palmer, Texas.

-- The junior high football team had a winning record.

-- Academic All-State honors went to: football, **Devlin Thompson, Chase** Timms, Kayle Jsko; basketball, Kayle Jesko, Kinzi Jo Schacher; and Texas Association of Basketball Coaches, Jacob Schacher and Devlin Thompson, 1st team, and Chase Timms, honorable mention.

-- A special tribute was made to the late Sherri Nichols, who was honored for the great work she did with Lazbuddie students.

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Nina Galvan

Mikaela Ceniceros



Kayla Sanders

Farwell High School Homecoming graduation will be at 8 Band Queen and Miss in biology and child psyp.m. on Friday, May 29. Valedictorian is Lucia Mikaela daughter of Robert and West Lucia Lucio.

She participated in National Honor Society, Star Galvan, daughter of Larry and Lisa Sanders. band, basketball, a Maria Marquez. Regional qualifier in UIL One-Act Play and Galvan. Student Council

Farwell High School.

She plans to pursue a Ceniceros. degree in nursing at Texas A&M University.

Queen, and have a double major chology. Her future plans are to attend medical school to become a pediatric oncologist.

Historian is Kayla Salutatorian is Nina Sanders, daughter of

Her school activities Her grandparents are include UIL science, poetry and accounting, Maria Trinidad and Jose math and computer applications; National Nina was a member of Honor Society and secre-Student tary of the Council. She also is Honor Abstract. Kayla plans to attend Community Clovis an College and pursue a Euchar- degree in Legal Assistant Studies while also studying to become a math teacher.

Boys' varsity basketball honors went to: Kyler Steinbock and Devlin Thompson, co-MVPs; Jacob Schacher, defense; Chase Timms, most improved; and Devlin Thompson, offense.

Schacher, defense; Devlin Thompson and Jacob Colton Weaver, Fighting Longhorn.

Football honors went to: Kyler Steinbock, Schacher, co-MVPs; Darin Ivy, most improved; Kayle Jesko and Trvor Coker, offense; Jacob Kenton Randolph, "extra mile award"; and

She has been a 4-year cheerleading, honor roll student, cap- Student Council and ketball team, Student the Council and Band presi- Society. She attends San of the All-State Band, and Honor Band, All-Region Extraordinary Band and a state UIL - isitic Minister. solo/ensemble participant for three years.

Mikaela was a Camp **RYLA** participant,

band, tain of the Lady Blue bas- served as president of employed at Farwell National dent. She was a member Jose Catholic Church serves as

Nina plans to attend **Texas Tech University** 



Top band award winners

Adriana Gutierrez and Victor Rodriguez were given the John Phillip Sousa Awards at the Farwell Spring Band Concert on May 20. This is the top honor given band members. See story and other photos on Page 2.



## Texico Lady Tracksters

As is the Tribune's custom, we run a "fun shot" of many of our varsity teams at the end of each season. Pictured are the Texico Lady Tracksters, who had a lot to smile about – their first state title in 30 years.

## Farwell band's Saenz honored with special award

The Farwell Spring Band Concert was presented Mesman, Kanetha Foster and Warren Schmidt. twice on May 20.

the John Phillip Sousa awards.

Kathya Saenz received a special Espirit de Corps Barnard. award

Certficates of appreciation were given Ted



At the Farwell Spring Band Concert on May 20, Certificates of Appreciation were given Kanetha Foster (pictured), Ted Mesman and Warren Schmidt.



All three bands played - the Beginner Band, the Adrianna Gutierrez and Victor Rodriguez received Intermediate Band and the Legends in Blue Band. Directors are Bill Shelly, J.C. Orozco and Jim







## Lucille Franse designated full-blood Cherokee

Lucille Franse reports that after years of work, she has officially been designated a full-blood Cherokee.

"My persistence finally paid, off," said Mrs. Franse. "I have received my certificate from "First Families of the Cherokee Nation" saying my membership has been approved.

Her genealogical date has been placed in the archives of the Cherokee ed Cherokee. National Historical Society. She has been recognized as a direct descendant of Ahnewake Thompson, a full-blood-



Lucille Franse

Thus, Mrs. Franse is considered a 7th generation Cherokee, along with her brother, Carroll McDonald, of Lubbock.

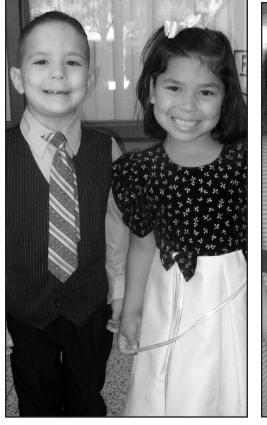
#### Vandiver reports on crops

Parmer County extension agent - IPM

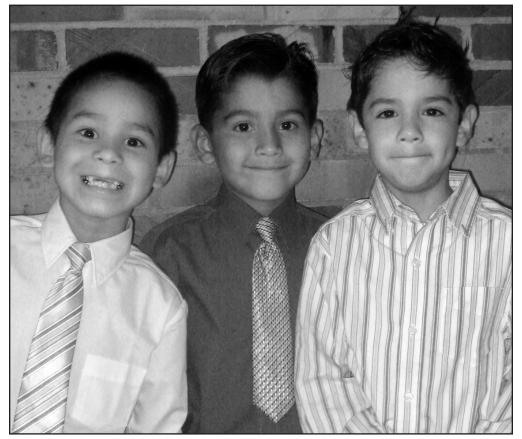
planting operations have been completed. The earlier planted corn has emerged and is growing rapidly. Some cotton has firmed wheat streak emerged and is looking mosaic virus and barley very good.

From Monti Vandiver, and continues to exhibit injury due to freezing temperatures as well as Most corn and cotton symptoms consistent with several viral diseases.

Results from the laboratory analysis have conyellow dwarf in most Some sorghum has samples submitted. It is been planted and has likely due to a combinaemerged while some is tion of harsh environstill in the bag. Dryland mental conditions inclu-



More photos in next week's Tribune.



## **Farwell kindergarten graduation**

Farwell May 20. The theme was Reece Hamann, Haiden Haleigh Wolfe. "Open a Book."

Graduating were:

Mrs. Tipton - Leefe Actkinson, Jackson Cargile, Ashley Carillo, Hector Cecena, Aldo Galvan, Conner Johnson, Cynthia Maldonado, Kassidy Nelson, Josue

Elementary Benoit, Nalani Bernal, LeClear, Fabian Lozano,

School held its kinder- Christian Cano, Bailey Jonathan Mora, Valeria garten graduation on Chadwick, Adal Garcia, Ruiz, Spencer Schilling,



and Eastern New Mexico

481-3222

Health fair

The annual Farwell School Health Fair and fun time were held on May 21. See more photos next week.









God's Always Doing Great, Exciting Things! Join us for VBS at St. John Lutheran Church June 8<sup>th</sup> to June 12<sup>th</sup> 9:00-12:00 am



Yvette Reyna, Parra, Emma Smallwood, Gage Steelman, Deborah Stinson.

Mrs. Bennett – Marco Arreola, Daniel Calderon, Jenna Cates, Jason Dyck, Louis Germain, Payten Herrington, Kerigan Kasel, Carli McDaniel, Macie Mullin. Luke Mitchell, Guerrero Olmos, Rey Ruiz, Mililani Woznick.

Mrs. Cargile – Zakariah

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### **Farwell Senior** Meal Site

Menus for next week: Monday – sausage & potato, blackeye peas, corn bread, pudding.

Tuesday - lasagna, glazed carrots, tossed salad, crackers, fruit, cookie.

Wednesday - ranch chicken, sweet potatoes, tossed salad, roll, sweet peas, pineapple - coconut pie.

Thursday -- BBQ on a bun, potato salad, pinto beans, peach halves.

Friday – chicken dumplings, green beans sliced tomatoes, crackers chocolate pudding.

Seniors over 60, \$3; all take-outs, 50 cents extra; guests under 60, \$6.

## Texico water conservation rules explained

The Texico City Council on Tuesday discussed the using in the wastewater plant. As it stands, any water conservation measures after City Clerk Carolyn Johnson said that several folks had called to ask about lawn watering times.

Johnson said that houses with odd addresses are to water their lawns on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, while even addresses can water on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. There is no watering on Sunday or between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. on any days.

Johnson also said the city will look for folks who are dumping trash outside of the dumpsters. Especially larger items.

Those items will not be picked up by the trash service, and it is illegal to put those items anywhere except for the city dump.

In other news, the council:

- Heard that Police Chief Doug Bowman spoke to Parmer County Commissioner Ronald Byrd about paving State Line Road from the end of the pavement up to Craig Street.

Bowman is working on getting machinery from Curry County to do the work, and using excess material from Texico. Byrd offered some Parmer County material to help with the project, and asked that they pave as far as possible.

Bowman is also working on signs to put up around town informing truckers that using engine brakes, or "Jake" brakes, is prohibited in town.

- Discussed the city interim budget. Johnson said the city is planning a 50 cent increase in utilities, and has budgeted money for opening the swimming pool next year. They are also including a 5 percent raise for city employees, \$5,000 for the Senior Citizens fund, \$4,500 for EMS training, and a new computer for Johnson.

- Received a report from Councilman Jerry Bradley about a new chemical the city is looking at

### Bovina man killed in crash

New Mexico State Police reported Wednesday that Guillermo Montes, 40, of Bovina, was killed Saturday night on the Pleasant Hill Highway in a one-vehicle rollover.

In his Jeep were two children, a 3-year-old son and a 7-year-old daughter.

Police told the Clovis News Journal that the girl tried to drive the crashed Jeep for help after her father was ejected in the rollover. After about three miles, a passing motorist saw her and stopped to help.

State Police said the crash is being investigated as alcohol related.

The children were treated at Clovis hospital for minor bumps and bruises, then turned over to their mother.



solid material will have to be collected, transported and dumped, but this chemical will dissolve any solids in two months. This will have to be done for the wastewater project.

- Heard the police department will be using a \$3,000 DWI grant from the state to watch the roads at night. The department also just set up a new server and computers to help with record management. Bowman saved the city money by setting it up himself.

- Was updated on the construction of the new Fire Department building. They have finished the floor and hope to have the building up in three weeks.

- Heard that the new memorial stone was placed at the Texico Cemetery in time for Memorial Day. There are also nice benches that were donated by the VFW post in Clovis. Councilman Doug Scioli said it does look nice out there.

## Texico baseball



Eli Morgan (Photos by Denise Anderson



Seth Bailey Meet Texico's Class of 2021

## Anglin named to Dean's List

Brianna Anglin, a 2008 Farwell High graduate, has completed her first year at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Anglin was honored as "Cadet of the Quarter" earlier this year and was named to the 2009 USMA Dean's List.



Brianna Anglin

#### NHS inductees

Sarahi Saenz and Luke Carpenter also have been inducted into the Farwell High chapter of the National Honor Society, announced school counselor Hayley Christian.

## Chamber plans golf tourney

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday continued plans for the June 20 golf tourney at the Farwell Country Club.

It's a fund-raiser for student scholarships.

To enter, contact the country club at 481-9210. DeeDee Pomper and Cynthia Thigpen will cook the burgers for the meal after the scramble.

In other business, the Chamber noted the need to seek new members to attend meetings and individualized letters will be going out.

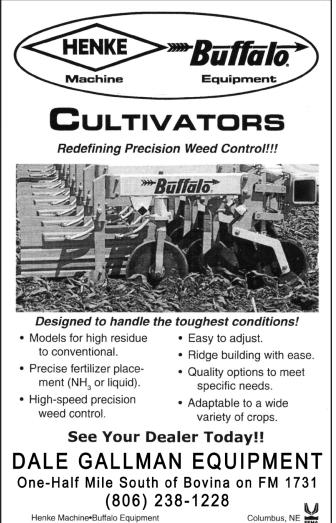


New flags The Farwell Cemetery has new American flags in honor of Memorial Day.

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Her mother is Mariela Morales. Siblings are Edmundo & Edgar Calderon. Grandparents are Lidia Gonzalez & Edmundo Calderon.

She likes to watch TV. Her favorite food is pizza. Her favorite color is purple.

She doesn't like to go to school.

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LIVE CATTLE: Live cattle prices were basically flat on week with cash trading steady at \$85. Futures prices were able to trade back up into Friday after moving down earlier in the week and closed fairly strong. Supplies are expected to continue to tighten as we move forward and the USDA Cattle on Feed released Friday was termed slightly bullish as cattle on feed remain lower than last year.

FEEDER CATTLE: Feeder prices also came under a little pressure early in the week, but were able to recover into Fridayís close while closing close to the high of this week. Cash trade remains fairly strong and demand continues strong as well. Tight supplies of feeders continue to support ideas that higher prices are still possible. This market will eventually need some help from higher Live Cattle prices.

CORN: The July corn tried a couple of times this week to move above last weeks highs around the \$4.34 area and failed both times. Prices are extremely overbought at these levels with seasonal tendencies turning down The collapse seen in the U.S. Dollar over the last several days has helped to support the most recent rally. There will come a time that this relationship changes?

SOYBEANS: Soybeans also made a hard run at last weeks high, but also failed to close above those levels before closing lower on Friday. This market is also very overbought at current levels and has also been supported to a large degree by the falling U.S. Dollar. World stocks continue to grow above year ago levels and prices may be topping at these levels.

WHEAT: Wheat prices were the only grain which was able to close above last weeks highs after several tests during the week. Like the rest of the grain complex prices have been supported primarily by a lower Dollar. This market is also very overbought and could be top ping. World stocks are expected to grow to considerably larger levels than seen last year. This would be negative ong term.

COTTON: Cotton prices remained basically flat last veek with no real direction. The lower Dollar has little support as a lower stock market played a more important role. There are some longer term cycles and seasonal tendencies which may have topped the market. There could be another test of the highs, but odds favor lower prices over the next few months.

Futures and Options Trading involves risk of loss and nay not be suitable for everyone.



Track honors went Lacey Jesko, cross country MVP; Cassidy Lowe and Summer Lowe, JV track co-MVPs; Tanner Beasley and Elias Ramos, boys cross country co-MVPs; varsity track MVPs Kyler Steinbock and Desirea Hargrove.



Varsity girls' basketball honors went to: Katie Chavez, most intense; Carrie Beth Gilly, Fighting Lady Longhorn; Lydia Campos, defense; Paola Estrada, most improved; Keeley Burris, offense; and Kinzi Jo Schacher, MVP



Golf awards went to: Kayle Jesko, MVP; Jacob Schacher, most improved; and Jordan Hernandez, MVP and most improved.

#### The Latest

The Border Town Days Committee will meet Riders season is starting Monday at 7:30 p.m. ct at soon. the Texico Fire Hall as planning for this year's every Monday in June at high gear.

All are welcome.

moisture down. Playdays will be held big event moves into 7 p.m., plus July 13, 20 J.P. Wright has taken a and 27. iob

Young

Muleshoe

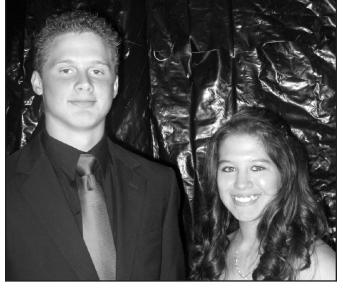
## FJH tennis girls excel

Farwell Junior High girls had a successful district tennis meet on Saturday.

The doubles team of Lauren Carpenter and Kayla Cullison was the top 7th grade team and took 3rd overall. They beat Lockney, 6-3, lost to Springlake-Earth, 5-7, and then topped the other Farwell team of Savannah Barksdale and Kathya Saenz.

Thus, the Barksdale-Saenz team finished 4th. They played two other matches against Lockney girls, winning 6-3 and losing 3-6.

Elizabeth Pereda finished 4th in singles: losing to Sudan, 4-6; beating Sudan, 6-2; beating Sudan, 6-4;



**Riley Smith and Jordan Hernandez received** the Spirit Awards.

Langford took 4th place But on Sunday, about in headling writing at the state UIL contest.

> She starts work on Monday as a State Line named to the Agri-Tribune summer intern.

The Lariat Church of **Christ will have Vacation Bible School June 6 from** 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. for grades pre-k through 12. All are invited.

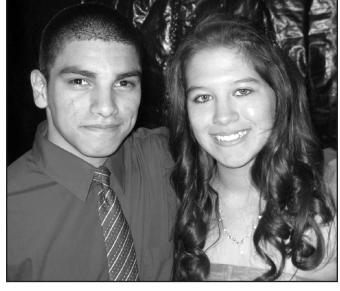
The Parmer County clerk's office recorded the following warranty deeds last week:

Geraldine Miller estate – Ty Potts, L12 B48 Friona. Edna Scott – Brandon Koehn et al, L3 B113 Bovina.

Maria Rosas – Hector Estrada, B103 Friona.

Lowell Gibson – Guadalupe Alvidrez, L1 B3 West Loop Drive.

Olive Massie - Massie family trust, SW/4 S5 T1N R4E; W 40 ac SE/4 S5 T1N R4E; S8 T1N R4E; W/2 S20



Power lifting MVPs were Angel Samarron and Jordan Hernandez.

Texas Tech.

It's an award-winning communications major, group of student is one of 22 students recruiters.

Dan is the son of Gary Techsan Oganization at and Cindy Patterson.

### Burn ban to end June 1

The Parmer County Commissioners on Tuesday agreed to end the burn ban affecting the northwest part of the county, June 1.

The ban already had been lifted from the rest of the county.

In other business, they:

Dan Patterson, an ag

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-- Picked Mary Alice Orozco, of Bovina, to handle the janitorial duties and maintenance at the Parmer **County Courthouse.** 

-- Received bids from Oller Engineering, OJD Engineers and Brandt Engineers to service the water/sewer lines projects adjacent to Bovina. Brandt was picked.

-- Agreed to buy a road grader for Pct. 1 (the Friona area).

-- Continued the pact between the Parmer and Curry county jails with some changes.

Farwell High Coach

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at Lubbock **Roosevelt High School to** A light rain fell on the coach track and football.

Farwell High's Keegan

area on Saturday.

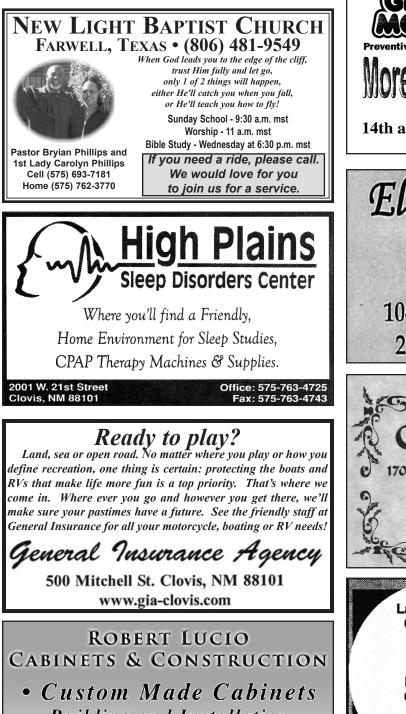
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## **Courthouse Notes**

losing to Springlake-Earth, 6-7; losing to Sudan, 2-6. T1N R4E.

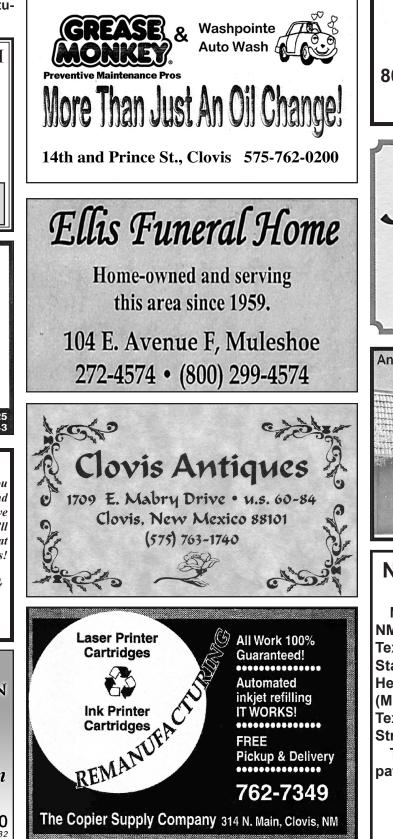
Kelsey Knight ran into a pair of Olton girls who were very tough, losing to them and a girl from Lakeside. Springlake-Earth.

Olton has a fulltime tennis teacher and the students play all through the school year.



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NMSA, 1978, that the Board of Education of Texico School District #13, County of Curry, State of New Mexico, will hold a Budget Hearing on Monday, June 8, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. (MDT) in the Superintendent's Office at the **Texico Educational Complex, 520 North Griffin** Street.

This is a public hearing and all school patrons are invited to attend.

**Texico School** /s/ R. L. Richards Superintendent

# The Classifieds 481-3681

Classified Deadline 5 p.m. Tuesday



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## Church-wide Garage Sale

Saturday, June 6, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Texico Bus Barn, 215 • Turner St., Texico

Furniture, clothes, nick knacks, toilets, home appliances, desks, toys and LOTS more!

Proceeds will benefit the Youth Department!

**Texico Municipal Schools are accepting** applications for a Counselor for the 2009-2010 school year.

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

Send letter of interest, resume, copy of transcripts, and copy of license to Dr. R.L. Richards, P.O. Box 237, Texico, NM 88135.

## Lazbuddie School seeks:

1 Custodian (Building & Maintenance); and 1 Custodian (Building, Maintenance & Grounds Upkeep).

Experience preferred. Housing available.

> Application online at: www.lazbuddieisd.org or contact (806) 965-2156.

## <u>Outreach Health</u>

## **Services**

Is hiring providers in the Farwell TX area. Must be 18+.

For more information, please call Laurie at (806) 373-0986 or 1 (800) 800-0697. EOE.

For Sale: Nice home in Farwell. 3/2/2 -- 2300 sq. blocks from school, ft., fireplace, new tile floors, large utility room, 2 living areas, screened porch, extra garage and storage in back yard. Nice landscaped yard. (806) <u>729-388</u>7.

For Sale: '98 Dodge 4x4 pickup, regular cab SLT. 60,000 miles. New paint job. \$5,500 or best offer. (806) 729-3887

Puppies for sale. Blue pit bull terriers. Call (806) 481-1155 or (806) 401-7647.

FOR SALE: 5th wheel

Farwell – Reduced: 3 3,000-plus sq. ft. brick 26 at Texico Cemetery home, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 2 living areas, dining room, 2-car garage, very large backyard, veranda over patio, front sprinkler. \$175,000. Buyer pays closing cost. <u>(575) 309</u>-4283.

Parents? Need a night out? Looking for experienced, dependable child Give Claire care? Anderson a call at 481-2244 or (540) 226-8185. References upon request.

Farwell company has

Texico Municipal Schools are accepting applications for Instructional Assistants and a full time custodian.

Applications are available at the Superintendent's Office. Texico Schools, 520 North Griffin, Texico, New Mexico.

Applications accepted until positions are filled.

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

On May 19, Jaime Hernandez, Mendiola, 22, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of no driver's license. He was fined \$185.

On May 19, Esther Castro, 49, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a motion to

**Obituary** 



#### Albert Doolittle

Graveside service for Albert Gayle Doolittle, 74, of Texico, was held May with Rev. Rob Hollis officiating.

He died May 20 at Clovis hospital. He was born Jan. 14, 1935, in Clovis to Truman and Ruth Doolittle. He attended school in Texico and enlisted in the U.S. Army. He attended the Texico First Baptist Church.

Surviving are 2 sisters, Doris Tucker, of provided Anaheim, Calif., and Mildred Scott of Plains, Texas: a brother Ansel. of Lubbock.

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in district court. On May

23,

under 2 oz. and furnish- assault, pending in couning alcohol to a minor, ty court. pending in county court.

Mendoza, 18, Hereford, was arrested Friona police on a charge by Friona police on a of DWI, pending in councharge of possession of ty court. marijuana under 2 oz., pending in county court. On May 21, Alberto arrested

(intoxication Flores, 19, of Friona, was manslaughter), pending arrested by Friona police on a charge of posses-Ivan sion of marijuana under of 2 oz., pending in county

> On May 21, Ileanna Salazar, 17, of Hereford, was arrested by Friona under 2 oz., pending in

On May 21, Crystal

On May 22, Chris On May 21, Nichole Arrondondo, 45, of of Clovis, was arrested by

> On May 23, Monty Black, 37, of Clovis, was by Texas

Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI open container, pending in county court.

On May 25, Jose Quintero, 46, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of public intoxication. He was fined \$250.

On May 25, Juan Rueda, 31, of Fort Worth, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of public intoxication. He was fined \$250.

On May 25, Noel Murrillo, 27, of Hereford, was arrested by the sheriff's office on charges of no driver's license and possession of drug paraphernalia. He was fined \$435.

**Texico** Police

Texico police report all quiet last week.



20, Hereford, was arrested court.

Sheriff's Report

by Friona police on charges of burglary of a habitation and aggravated assault with a deadly police on a charge of weapon, pending before posesssion of marijuana

the grand jury. On May 21, Frank county court. Aragon, 29, of Friona, was arrested by Friona Gonzalez, 22, of Friona, police on charges of pos- was arrested by Bovina session of marijuana police on a charge of

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Steed-Todd Funeral Home handled arrangements.

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## LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Ordinance No. 149

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Farwell, Texas. that the water rates be increased with the June 15, 2009, billing.

Passed and approved by the City Council of the City, of Farwell, Texas, on May 19, 2009.

Jimmie	Mace,	Mayor
Attest:		
Teresa	Meeks	

City Secretary

The Farwell City Council will discuss an ordinance prohibiting the discharge of firearms or missiles within the city of Farwell at its June 16, 2009, meeting at 5:30 p.m. at Farwell City Hall

If approved, this would say the following would be prohibited, with exceptions:

Section 1. Prohibited

- No person shall discharge firearms, explode Α. explosive devices or launch, propel or otherwise cause a projectile, including rockets, shot from guns using an explosive propellant, firecracker type rockets and projectiles, to be fired or projected within the city limits.
- Β. Exceptions to the prohibition in subsection (a) are: 1. The use of firearms by duly constituted law enforcement officers in the discharge of their duties and while acting within the scope of their authority, including training with firearms at a duly designated practice range facility within the city limits.
  - 2. The use of firearms by any person acting in the lawful defense of his or any other person's life or property.
  - 3. The use of firearms for a gun salute using blank ammunition, at military funerals by duly recognized military groups.
  - 4. The use of firearms for gun safety demonstrations, theatrical presentations, and historical re-enactments, provided however:

(a) Firearms or replicas thereof, used for the purpose of historical re-enactments and may be used only with blank ammunition, subject to inspection and approval by a peace officer.

(b) No participant in a theatrical presentation or historical re-enactment may have in his or her possession any live ammunition.



## Somalia is a problem for the West

heard anything about should have that?

You probably have heard more an African infant than this horrifying news involving Somalia.

Folks, we are about to see a nation taken over by terrorists. A place that can be used as a safe haven by other terrorists. give." This is very, very bad for the West.

Remember Afghanistan?

And what are we doing about Somalia? Nada.

Just take a look at the situation involving piracy that also is occurring off the shoreline of that worry about a bunch of beleaguered "nation."

The West can't figure out how to stop a few ragtag, so-called pirates (actually a bunch of work), other than by paying huge ransoms.

With all our great technology, the West is And that won't happen. reduced to paying bribes. Did I say the

"West?" I meant the "effete West." We have all this great technology satellite where you can see a man's face from outer space. Why isn't the

West working together to use that high-tech stuff and keep track of when pirates leave their bases in Somalia and head toward open sea?

Makes sense to me. Thus, forget it. Any day now the legiti-

The big news in the mate, UN-backed governworld involves the forth- ment of Somalia is about coming takeover of to head into exile (unless Somalia, a nation on the it already has happened Horn of Africa, by terror- since this column was ists allied with Al-Qaeda. written); this is another You say you haven't situation that the West gotten involved in.

But, no, we turned a about blind eye, hoping the ter-Madonna trying to adopt rorists will go away. Shoo, terrorists, shoo.

> Yes, I remember "Blackhawk Down" and occurred what in Mogadishu, Somalia's capital. Does that mean we have to yell "we

> What is happening in Somalia won't affect us for a while. But when the stuff hits the fan, you will ask: "Why didn't someone do something about that earlier?"

I wish to God that we Americans didn't have to sorry terrorists halfway around the world. But with all those high-tech weapons that are being sold left and right, it teens who can't get presents a big nightmare for us.

> What is needed is a united front by the West.

A quick plug for the



Texico EMS fund-raiser, "Poker Run for Life" starting at 8 a.m. mt on May 30 at KKR Park in Texico.

There will be lots of prizes, lunch, a bike show, bike games, etc.

Folks, you don't have municate with the junior to be a motorcycle aficionado to attend. Just high girls about when come and have a fun practices are scheduled.

## Timms named Lazbuddie Student of the Year

time for you and your

Periodically, you will

see a note about tennis

lessons at the end of this

column during the sum-

It's the way I will com-

family.

mer.

The Lazbuddie High School academic program was held on May 19.

Student of the Year – Chase Timms. This was the 7th consecutive year he has received this honor.

Silver Presidential Awards (80 percent grade or better for all core subjects, pass all areas of TAKS) -Devlin Thompson, Ryan Mason, Trevor Coker.

Gold Presidential Awards (90 percent grade or better for all core subjects, pass all areas of TAKS, at least a commended performance on TAKS for math, reading or writing) – Chase Timms, Jacob Schacher.

Longhorn Pride – Paola Estrada, Jarrod Jesko, Kylie McGehee, Todd Nichols, Kenton Randolph, Angel Samarron, Justin Schacher, Joseline Garcia, Jordan Hernandez, Cassidy Lowe, Elias Ramos, Colton Weaver, Kayle Jesko, Logan Mason, Kinzi Jo Schacher, Riley Smith, Kyler Steinbock, Richie Aguilar, Trevor Coker, Bart Guillen, Jacob Schacher, Devlin Thompson, Chase Timms.

Outstanding students: English, Chase Timms; math, Elias Ramos; Mr. Chambliss, Richie Aguilar; ag, Ryan Mason; Spanish, Darin Ivy; computer technology, Kylie McGehee; family and consumer science, Kaie Chavez; science, Jordan Hernandez; government, Jacob Schacher; physics, Chase Timms; and history, Carrie Beth Gilly.

One Act Play: cast, Devlin Thompson, Carrie Beth Gilly, Colton Weaver, Tanner Beasley, Jarrod Jesko, Riley Smith; and crew, Richie Aguilar, Daniel Galiendo, Charles Baca, Elias Ramos, Paola Estrada, Jordan Hernandez, Keeley Burris, Katie Chavez.

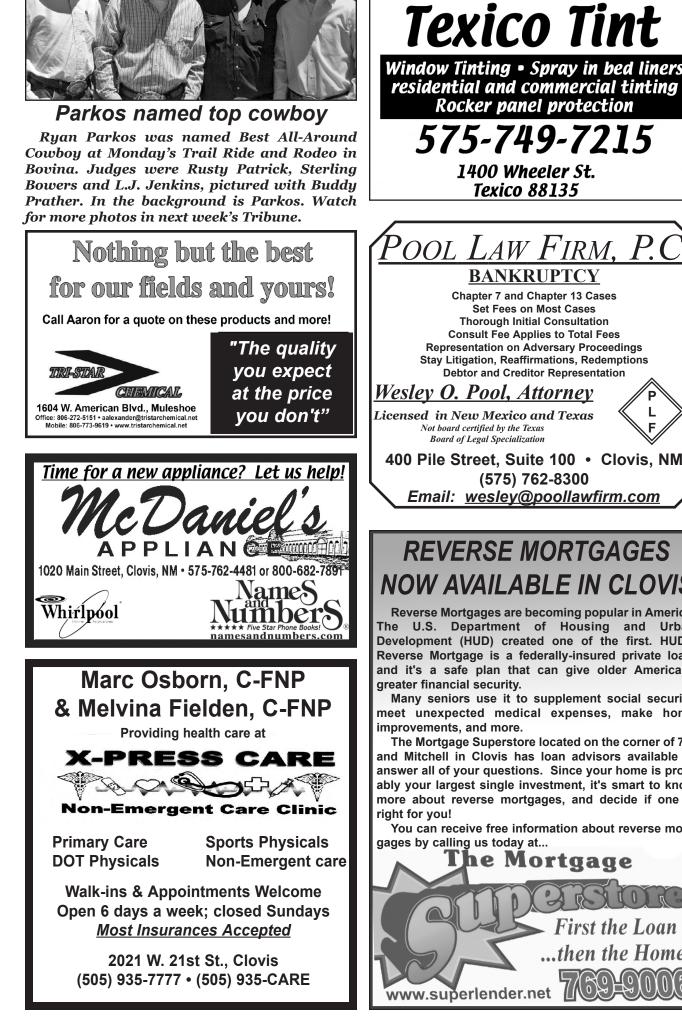
National Honor Society induction: Carrie Beth Gilly, Colton Weaver, Lydia Campos, Kyler Steinbock, Elias Ramos, Jordan Hernandez, Cassidy Lowe.

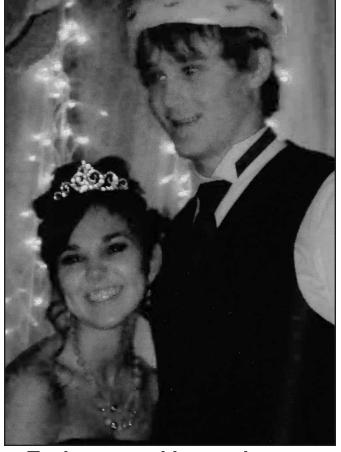
UIL award winners - Chase Timms, Jacob Schacher, Elias Ramos, Crystal Macias. FCCLA honors:

-- Region 16 art awards, Richie Aguilar, Trevor Coker, Bart Guillen, Darin Ivy, Cassidy Lowe, Ryan Mason, Elias Ramos, Jacob Schacher, RaJon Thorn, Chase Timms.

-- FCCLA banner design, Jarrod Jesko, Todd Nichols, Paola Estrada, Jordan Mason, Kyli

-- Leadership enrichment opportunity, Todd





Texico prom king and queen Brett Anderson and Jerrica Reid were named Texico High Prom King and Queen.

## Oppliger graduates from law school

Benjamin Armstrong Oppliger received his Juris Doctorate degree, laude, cum from **Methodist** Southern University Dedman School of Law on May 16. He was an articles and staff editor for The International Lawyer, the official international journal of the American Bar

Association. He will join the

Ben, a Farwell High Gardere, Wynne & Sewell graduate, is the son of law firm in Houston in Don and Joi Oppliger.

Prokop may be on TV

A lot of area folks are watching to see how Travis Prokop does on the "So You Think You Can Dance" TV show.

On May 28, the show will feature dancers who audition at Memphis, Tenn. Travis may be included in a segment since he auditioned there.

Last week's show featured dancers auditioning at Denver and New York City.



Gerald Christian received Farwell High's top gradation honor. Mike McManigal and Linda Crume go the sportsmanship honors.

January.

**Ben Oppliger** 

Jerry Henson is ordained a minister.

First Baptist Church of Farwell announces plans to expand, adding a classroom building.

Christy Bowers and James Burleson head the **Texico and Farwell student councils, respectively.** 

Billie Barnes joins Tom Paul's Beauty Shop. Wilma Liner named outstanding ESA member.

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### Carlene Jones

Funeral services for Melas Carlene Martin Jones, 91, of Bovina will were Saturday, May 23, 2009, at the Bovina United Methodist Church with Revs. Steve Venable of Canyon and Larry Mitchell, pastor, officiating.



Burial was in Bovina Cemetery Blackwell by **Funeral Home.** 

She died Wednesday, May 20, 2009 at the Canyon Health Care Center. She was born Feb. 24, 1918 in Lamar County, TX, to Carl and Jessie Wilson Martin.

Carlene was 3 years old when her mother died and she was raised by her grandparents until she turned 15 and moved to Estelline, TX, to live with her father. She graduated from Estelline High School in 1935.

She married Ordie H. Jones Oct. 24, 1936 in Memphis, TX. They moved to Kress, TX in 1950 and to Bovina in 1955. Ordie preceded her in death on March 17, 1994.

She married Ros Blankenship in June of 1996 in Bovina. He preceded her in death in Aug. of 1997. She was a longtime member of Bovina United Methodist Church.

She loved camping and fishing. She was an avid bridge player and loved to travel in her travel trailer. She was a wonderful maw-maw to all of her grandchildren. The Dallas Cowboys will mourn the loss of one of their staunchest fans. She was a member of the Bovina Women's Study Club and the Bovina Senior Citizens.

She was preceded in death by 4 brothers and 1 sister.

Survivors include 2 sons, Ordie "Reggie" Jones of Amarillo and Donald W. Jones of Farwell, 2 daughters, Brenda Riddle of Bovina and Kathy Boozer of Canyon, 14 grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren and 2 great great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Bovina United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 127, Bovina, TX 79009.

## A last look at Bovina track

Photos by Deanna Curtis



















## <u>Just a reminder</u>

The City Council of Bovina would like to remind you as the summer fun begins: Please use caution with swimming pools.

Please use caution and be aware of the potential hazard to others.

Please put them where little children



Ladies serving lunch to the family and friends of Carlene Jones. (Photo by David Curtis)

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care.

Jeffery Casas was home from his tour in Iraq with his family.

cannot even begin to describe my gratitude to men who have served and are serving. God Bless you all.

I will be doing a interview with Jeff in the coming weeks be on the lookout.

A friend of mine, Angie Gomez, called my house last weekend. She asked me if me husband was home and if so to get over there like right now. Apparently she had found a snake up on her counter behind the microwave.

Well, believe it, folks because I saw it and took pictures of it. It is pretty early in the season ... be careful out there. And be the way I was not even scared. (David got it, not me!)

Friday at 7 p.m. at the High School Auditorium.

As always, there is open seating and Bovina does not require an invitation. A big thanks to the Baptist Church who held Jeff is the son of Javier a dinner, games, and a and Sandy Casas. Words give away for the Seniors. That is so wonderful. I am so glad to you and all of our service see activities like that going on.



#### Graduate

Here is another Bovina kindergarten Graduation is on graduate. See more photos next week.

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Interesting Fact of the Week: It cost \$7 million to build the Titanic and \$200 million to make a film about it. (Can you believe that?)

Pam Carson is offering in-home daycare services, starting June 1.

You might want to give her a holler for all the details at (806) 225-4148 or 7278.

firefighters Bovina were called to Mike London's home north of town on May 18 when a power line caused some CRP grass to catch fire.

Important note:

The Bovina Chamber of Commerce needs volunteers to help with the 4th of July gala.

If you can help, please call Chamber President Mindy Neal at 251-1300.

About 7 tenths of an inch of moisture fell on Sunday.

Someone drove a vehicle across gravesites Saturday night at the Bovina Cemetery.

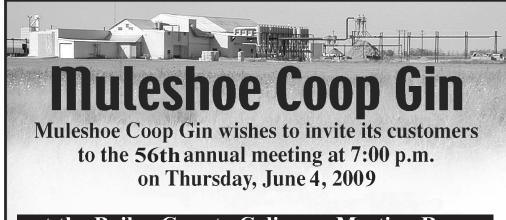
## In home daycare will have openings beginning June 1.

Full to part-time, drop-ins and mom's day out available. Nurturing age appropriate environment, curriculum and activities for all ages. Outdoor play. Meals and snacks provided.

References provided upon request. 25+ years experience. Pam Carson (806) 225-4158 or 7278. Bovina, Texas.

will not have access without supervision.





### at the Bailey County Coliseum Meeting Room

The agenda includes a meal, the business meeting, and door prizes

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## Guevara, Rocha named Bovina's top athletes

The Bovina Athletic Banquet was held at the school cafeteria on May 19.

Mustang and Fillie of the Year are Yesenia Guevara and Jesus Rocha.

**Football Coach Hector** Guevara gave 'Ganas' awards to Coaches Steve Arias and Eric Montemayor.

Coach Tony Epps then surprised Guevara with a 'Super Ganas' award.

Frank Gonzales was named Fan of the Year.

**Cargill Meat Solutions** was named Business of the Year, with thanks for putting on the hamburger dinner each year.



Special appreciation awards went to Anna Coutreras, Juanita Coutreras, Elida Villarreal, and Celia Quintana.



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Toe; Pecos Prather, Fight-ing Heart; D.J. Han-cock, Utility Player; Matt Daniel Silva, Offensive Line; Christian Rojas, Defensive Line.

Mustang football awards went to Dorian Vela, Most Improved; Jesus Knoll, Most Im-proved; Rick Villar-real, "Ganas"; Robert Knoll, Utility Rocha, MVP; Oscar Rodriguez, Golden Helmet; Esau Saucedo, Golden Player; Jeremy Curtis, Fight-ing Mustang Award. Not pictured are



Mustang basketball awards went to Dorian Vela, Most Improved; Jesus Rocha, MVP; Alexis



Regional power lifting meet qualifiers Alicia

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251-1405

**Carlene Jones passed** 

away last week and her

services were held on

please run down to the Methodist Church to take

a picture of all of the

ladies from different churches coming together to serve a lunch to all her friends and family. I went down a little hesitant, as we all know this is not the best place for

My wonderful husband went and snapped the picture. Well, when I reviewed it, was I surprised. I saw all these ladies smiling and enjoy-

ing their time together.

Later I spoke to one and

she told me that as they

picture taking.

Saturday.



Cross Country MVPs were Esmeralda

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Martinez, Fighting Heart.

Lopez and Jeremy Curtis were named MVPs.



Track MVPs went to Yesenia Guevara, Oscar Rodriguez, and Esmeralda Saucedo.



Fillies basketball awards went to Kimberly Casas, "Ganas"; Mayra Rodriguez, Most Improved; Yesenia Guevara, MVP; Alicia Lopez, Defensive Player of the Year and Fighting Heart; Yoselin Rueda, Offensive Player of the Year.

Saucedo and Jesus Rocha.

cooked and served, they told stories and shared memories of Carlene.

Mrs. Jones lived a long, wonderful life that touched so many lives in this town. It is with gifts like hers that can bring a community together and

enable people to forget doing better after her fall. all else but the wonderful memories of a wonderful woman.

I had a phone call that Thank you, Carlene, morning from John for all you shared with so please handle with Dixon asking if I would us.

Esta Lee Lide is having surgery this week. If you get a chance, give her a call; we will be thinking about you. I hope you have a speedy recovery.

Juanita Hastings is She is having physical therapy on her foot and leg. Attention, therapists: that is one loved woman

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David Curtis removed a snake from Angie Gomez's house last weekend. It was on the counter behind the microwave! (Photo by Deanna Curtis)

