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BASEBALL RETURNS TO TEXICO-FARWELL

by Teresa Mesman
 "Take me out to the ballgame, take me out to the crowd..."
 Now local residents can enjoy an entertaining and relaxing night out at a local ball park to watch children of all ages play baseball.
 Through the hard work of a small, but mighty group of parents and sport supporters, the dream of having a nice baseball park is becoming a reality.

Official games began this week at the two ball fields that have been constructed at the field directly across from Farwell High School.
 The ball field project was a "get it and go" process that started in late April through today. A few finishing touches are all that are needed for the project to be completed for this season. Team benches and metal siding will complete the dugouts for

both the large and small baseball fields. The project of either procuring or constructing bleachers for the fans is also being planned.
 However, this season may just have to be a "lawn chair league" season for all the fans that come out to watch the games.
 "With all the costs for the field and fence construction, supplies and

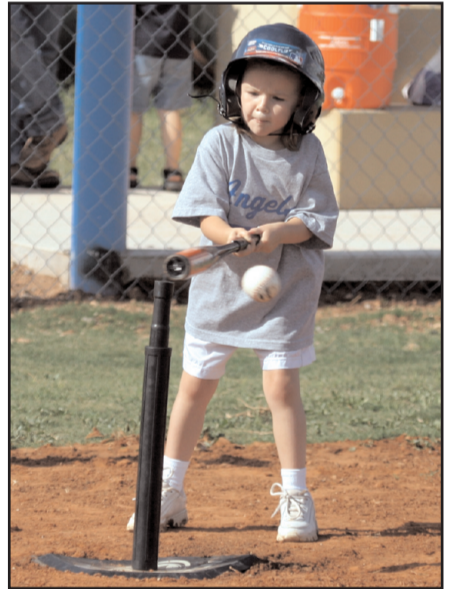
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Border Town Days swings into action

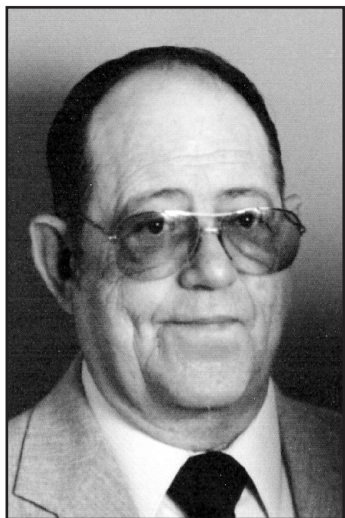
The 100th anniversary of Parmer County will be the theme of the 41st annual Border Town Days to be held on Saturday, July 28. The slogan, suggested by Patti Johnson, will be "Looking Back, Moving Forward."
 As always, the parade will begin at 11 a.m. cdt, followed by the Day in the Park activities, highlighted by the Texico-Farwell Rotary Club's BBQ dinner.
 The arts and crafts show will again feature homemade and commercial vendors.

Here's a rundown on how the day looks:
 Concessions: Carolyn Johnson is taking reservations for concessions at the Day in the Park. She can be contacted at Texico City Hall, 482-3314. Signed up so far have been:
 -- Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary, baked goods.
 Parade: Ruth Anne Bennett, Margie Watkins and Judy Lekovich are in charge of the parade. Ruth Anne can be called at 825-3822; Margie at 481-9097; and Judy at 482-3331.

Cash prizes are given the top four floats -- \$75, \$50, \$35 and \$25. Extra points are given floats which follow the theme. The deadline for signups is Friday, July 20. After that date, you can sign up by calling LTD chairman Mike Pomper at the Tribune, 481-3681, but you will be placed at the end of the parade and not be eligible for cash prizes.
 Entertainment: The lineup is beginning to get filled up; singers will include Brittney Bennett;
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Obituaries



Bobby Englant

Funeral services for Bobby Englant, 75, of Bovina, were Monday at the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church with Rev. Jim Peabody, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Bovina Cemetery by Blackwell Funeral Home.

He died May 31 in Bovina. He was born Sept. 13, 1931 in Clovis to Ernest and Cloy Glover Englant.

He married Irma Jo Kelley Dec. 23, 1951 in Bovina. He was a retired farmer and member of the First Baptist Church of Bovina. He was a lifetime resident of Bovina.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Bobby, of Menomonie, Wis.; 2 daughters, Carissa Weiser and Devanee Cogburn both of Ulysses, Kan., and 6 grandchildren.

Oscar Lamb Sr.

Funeral services for Oscar G. Lamb Sr., 76, of Floydada, Texas, were held May 29 at Halfway Baptist Church with the Rev. Dick Hatfield officiating. Burial was in Halfway Cemetery.

He died May 26 at home. He was born Sept. 28, 1930, in San Diego, Texas, to Guadalupe and Simona Garcia Lamb.

He married Ruby Mae Trevino on Jan. 20, 1952, in Alice.

He was a farmer and member of Halfway Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Oscar Jr., of Plainview; 3 daughters, Melva Perez, of Hereford; Lilia Lamb, of Floydada, and Azeneth Everett, of Farwell; 4 brothers, Guadalupe Jr., of Orange Grove; Marcos, of Corpus Christi; Noe, of Alice, and Richard, of Houston; 4 sisters, Isabel Rodriguez, of Alice; Gloria Rios, of Dallas; Pollie Aguilar, of Willard, Ohio, and Olga Chavera, of Robstown; 17 grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren.

Jack Doshier

Jack Doshier, 73, of Farwell, died June 1 at Clovis Hospital.

He was born Jan. 13, 1934 in Clovis to Alpha and Jennie Doshier.

He worked in the irrigation business. He was a U. S. Navy veteran who served during the Korean Conflict aboard the U.S.S. Lexington.

Surviving are a daughter, Laurie Villanueva, of Friona; a brother, Vane, of Farwell; and 4 grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at Steed-Todd Chapel in Clovis with Pastor Kyle Clayton officiating. Burial followed at Oklahoma Lane Cemetery.

Casket bearers were Ruben Villanueva, Johnathon Villanueva, David Davila, Martin Mendoza, Juan Lopez, and Joey Villanueva.

Honorary Casket Bearers were Savannah and Amanda Villanueva.

Arrangements were handled by Steed-Todd Funeral Home.

Corina Gauna

Word has been received of the death of Corina Gauna, 98, who lived most of her life in Clovis and Portales.

She has been a resident at the Farwell Convalescent Center since 2000.

She died May 31.

Lindsey joins Tribune staff

by Lindsey Mullin

Not so long ago on a summer day, an average, blonde teenager, a cheerleader in fact, walked into the local newspaper office, sat down at a desk, and began her job as the new intern.

That girl would be me ... but folks, I'm not your typical cheerleader, no matter what Rob may tell you. For those of you who only see me out on the track Friday nights cheering, let me tell you a little about myself. There is so much more to tell.

My life has not been like that of the other teenagers running around here, other than the fact that I was once much smaller and had a higher-pitched voice. I have not always been a small-town girl.

In fact, I have lived in more big cities than bumps-in-the-road like Farwell. Clarendon was where my life began, not that I remember my time there. Come on, I was just a baby. My dad was the youth/music minister at a Baptist church and my

Attention, golfers

The 5th annual Farwell Chamber of Commerce 1-hole golf tournament will be on Saturday, June 16, at the Farwell Country Club.

The shotgun start is at 8:30 a.m. The fee for a two-man team (including a cart) is \$100 per team. It's limited to 32 teams, which will be flighted by the lowest handicap.

There will be several special prizes given, plus a hole in one will get you \$10,000 on Hole No. 2.

Afterward, a free hamburger cookout is available to participants.

Proceeds go toward the Chamber scholarship fund.

Chamber President Ronald Byrd is spearheading the annual golf tourney.

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mom stayed home to hang out with me, her new baby girl. Life was good ... I guess.

A couple of years later, after my brother Adam arrived and I hit my terrible 2's, the Odessa/Midland area became our next destination, and my dad took another youth/music ministry job.

Monahans, the next town we moved to, is the place I remember the most about. We stayed put there for six whole years, an eternity in the life of a minister's family. As I got older and closer to school age, my mom had decided to home school me.

What a brilliant idea! Who doesn't want to go to school for only three hours in the morning then run off and go play with your friends? Well, sadly, that all ended when we moved to Abilene my 3rd grade year. I got thrown into the Wylie Intermediate School, a total turnaround from my small home school co-op.

There were now 300 other students in my class and five different teachers instead of just me and my mom. This shock only lasted for a year though and I had to prepare myself for the next one ... Silverton, Texas.

Don't believe there could possibly be a smaller town than Farwell? Well, Silverton is.

In fact, it isn't even half the size of our beloved town. And, men, if you

think you've seen intense football at Farwell High School, you probably haven't watched a 6-man game before.

Yes, there are only 12 guys on the field at one time and it moves fast. The score was expected to reach at least 50 points every game and most teams could make it all the way to 70. It was for those 6 boys and those fast-paced games that I began cheering for the first time as a junior-high cheerleader.

That's another huge difference. We have on average about 8-10 cheerleaders here in Farwell. At poor old Silverton, they were lucky to have 6 even try out, much less make the squad. The school was small, there was only

one restaurant in a span of 30 miles, and don't even get me started about trying to shop.

Here, we are blessed enough to have Clovis right at our fingertips. If you want to call driving an hour and a half to Lubbock "right at your fingertips", than I guess Silverton wasn't that bad.

I mean, I got used to never seeing the latest movie at a 12-screen cinema or buying the latest clothes from Abercrombie and Fitch, but that didn't stop me from feeling totally relieved when I learned there was at least a Walmart just 10 minutes away from the next place I would call home ... Farwell.

And that brings me to my present home town. More next week...

The family of Perlle Gerles would like to thank all of you who sent flowers, brought food, or made memorial contributions during our time of grief. The outpouring of love and support for our family is immensely appreciated and helped us mourn our loss and celebrate the life of a very special person. A special thanks go to the Farwell Convalescent Center, Steed Todd Funeral Home and Rev. Kyle Clayton of the First Baptist Church of Farwell. Herman & Alta Gerles Bob & Charlene Gerles The Don Gerles family Dickie & Glenda Gerles

The 5th annual Farwell Chamber of Commerce golf tourney

Saturday, June 16 Farwell Country Club Shotgun start at 8:30 a.m.

Hole in one prizes: **Hole 2 - \$10,000 cash prize.** and more prizes to be announced later!

The fee for the 2-person, 18-hole scramble is \$100 per team, with cart included. It's limited to 32 teams, which will be flighted by lowest handicap.

There will be several special prizes given and a free hamburger cookout follows the tourney. Proceeds go to the Farwell Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fund.

To enter or for more information, call the Farwell Country Club at 481-9210 or Chamber President Ronald Byrd at 481-3846.

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<p>Frane Irrigation (806) 481-3316</p>	<p>First Baptist Church of Texico Rob Hollis - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. Worship-10:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.</p>	<p>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>Lazbuddie Methodist Church Rev. Ken Peterson Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship -- 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>Church of God in Christ Mennonite Farwell Country Church James Koehn, Orle Nightingale - ministers Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.</p>	<p>Trevino Art & Imports 404 3rd St., Farwell 2100 N. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd. (505) 769-2141 Plains Regional Medical Center Home Health/Hospice A PRESBYTERIAN www.phs.org</p>
<p>Kelly Green Seeds "We Grow For You."</p>	<p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.</p>	<p>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship-10:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. winter 7:30 p.m. summer</p>	<p>San Jose Catholic Church, Texico Sunday Mass - Noon Religious Education - 1:15 - 2:15 p.m. Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.</p>	<p>First Baptist Church of Farwell Rev. Kyle Clayton Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wed. - mission aux., 7:30 p.m. www.fbcfarwell.org</p>	<p>Agri-Plan, Inc. Crop Insurance 109 3rd St. Bovina • 251-1167</p>
<p>Farwell Feed Yards</p>	<p>Assembly of God Church, Texico Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 6 p.m.</p>	<p>Lariat Church of Christ Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer</p>	<p>Church of Christ 110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter</p>	<p>Farwell Church of Christ Phillip Steyn -- preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. In Search -- 7:30 - Ch. 4 Sun.</p>	<p>West Texas Rural Telephone COOPERATIVE INCORPORATED P. O. Box 1737 South Hwy. 385 Area Code 806 364 3331 Hereford, Texas 79045-1737</p>
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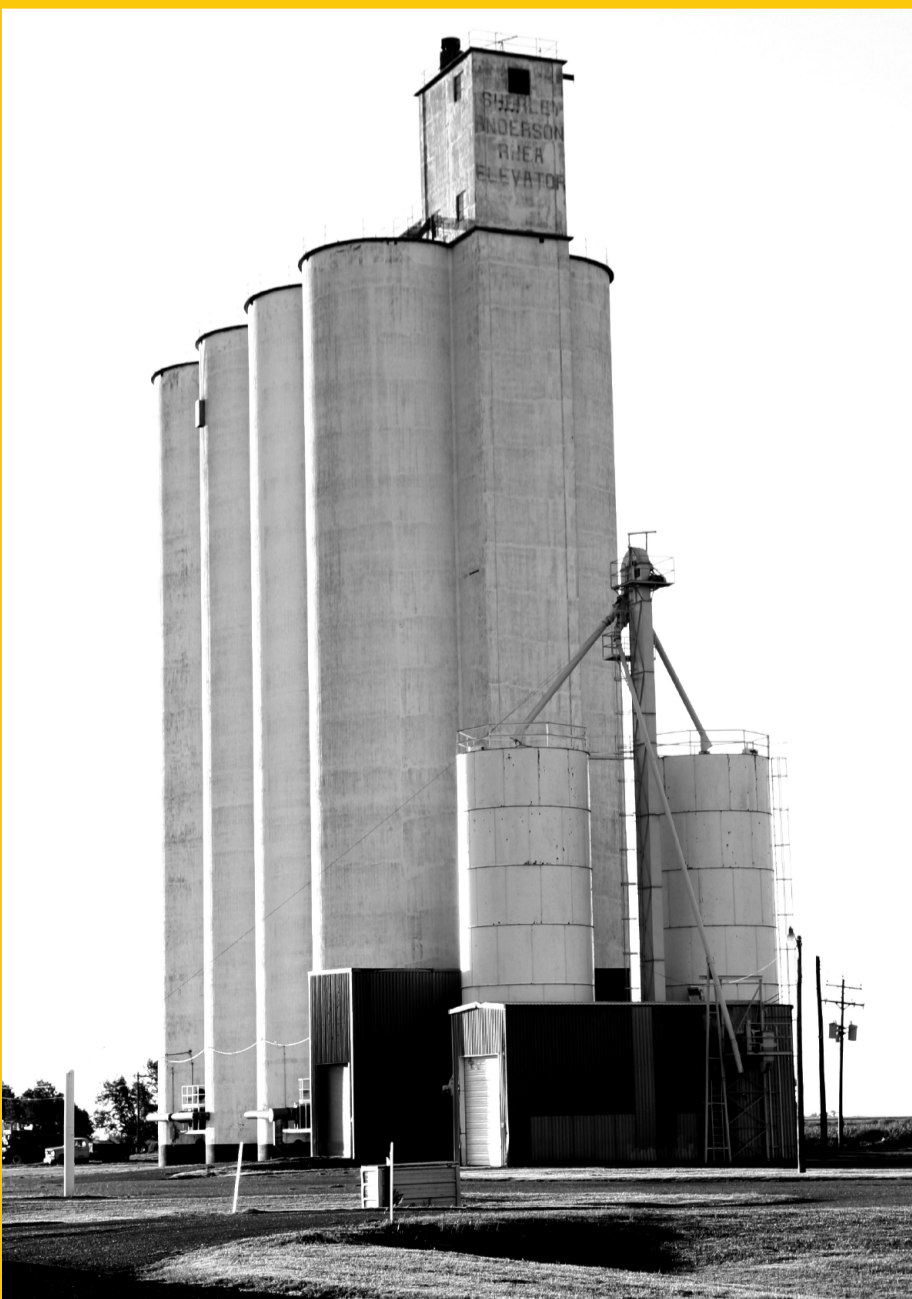


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Timms named Student of Year

Chase Timms was named Student of the Year at Lazbuddie High School's Academic Banquet.

Five students were inducted into the National Honor Society at the annual "invitation only" Banquet which honors students for the academic performance during the year. The Inductees were Brittany Sexton, Ryan Mason, Jacob Schacher, Chase Timms, and Trevor Coker.

Valedictorian Addie Treider, and Salutatorian Erica Derma were honored for having achieved top student status.

Those making the A/B Honor Roll for the 2006/07 school year were: Darin Ivy, Kayle Jesko, Kinzi Schacher, Jacob Schacher, Devlin Thompson, Rajon Thorn, Chase Timms, Regina Mata, Chelsea Nichols, Esteban Pacheco, Brianna Sanchez, Brittany Schacher, Rochelle Smith, Erica Derma, and Stephanie Williams.

Addie Treider, Erica Derma, and Bryce Haney were this year's Silver Presidential Award recipients. The Silver Presidential Awards are given to students who have an 80 percent grade or better for all core subjects and have passed all areas of the TAKS.

The outstanding students chosen by their teachers were; Addie Treider, English; Chase Timms, Math, Ag., & Computer Science; Darin Ivy, Spanish; Brittany Schacher, Yearbook; Lydia Campos, Home Economics; Kayle Jesko, Science; and Richie Aguilar, Social Studies.

Receiving commended performance on the TAKS test were:

-- 9th Grade: Lydia Campos, Katie Chavez, Darin Ivy, and Kinzie Schacher for Reading, and Darin Ivy, Kayle Jesko, Kinzi Schacher for Math.

-- 10th Grade: Chase Timms for Math and Science, and Devlin Thompson for Social Studies.

-- 11th Grade: Rochelle Smith, English Language

Arts and Social Studies, and Brittney Schacher for English Language Arts, Mathematics, Social Studies, and Science.

Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation Essay contest winners were Jacob Schacher, Darin Ivy, and Kinzi Schacher who received \$100, \$75, and \$50 Savings Bonds, respectively.

Students also received their UIL medals and ribbons. Others honored at the banquet were Longhorn Pride students, Robotics Team members and South Plains and Tri-State Fair winners.



Inducted into the National Honor Society were Brittany Sexton, Ryan Mason, Jacob Schacher, Chase Timms, and Trevor Coker.

Texico scholars

Here are the final Texico High School honor rolls.

6th Six Weeks A Honor Roll Seniors - Mikayla Cherry, Warren Jorde, and Kenneth Moore.

Juniors - Joshua Brown and Bryn Mayfield.

Sophomores - Brett Anderson, Jordan Broome, Braeden Hadley, Jaryse Harris, Holly Harrison, Shelby Queener, and Levi Richards.

Freshmen - Shay Anderson, Seth Bailey, Garrett Garrison, Holly Inman, Marques Pena, Monique Pena, and Victoria Richards.

A-B Honor Roll Seniors - Justin Garrison

Juniors - Brooke Bailey, Elvis Gaytan, Emily Gibbs, Courtney Hall, Faith

Martin, Aaron Morgan, Josh Murray, and Daniel Schueler.

Sophomores - Markita Askew, Sandra Estrada, Amanda Graham, Laura Maldonado, Mario Posada, Glen Wike, and Zachary Zurzolo.

Freshmen - Devanee Cherry, Shelby Cockerham, Jessica Garcia, Jonathan Hill, Katlin Luscombe, Rhett Martin, Edgardo Meza, and Lisa Vidal.

**** 2nd Semester A Honor Roll Seniors - Mikayla Cherry, Melissa Preitas, Rbeccas Fry, Warren

Jorde, Kenneth Moore, and Leslie Vannatta.

Juniors - Brooke Bailey, Faith Martin, Bryn Mayfield, and Daniel Schueler.

Sophomores - Brett Anderson, Jordan Broome, Braeden Hadley, Jaryse Harris, Holly Harrison, and Levi Richards.

Freshmen - Shay Anderson, Seth Bailey, Garrett Garrison, Holly Inman, Marques Pena, and Victoria Richards.

A-B Honor Roll Seniors - Dominique Askew and Justin Garrison.

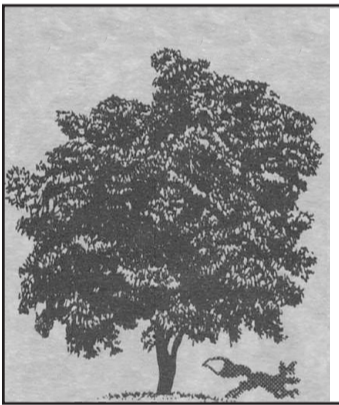
Juniors - Joshua Brown, Elvis Gaytan, Courtney Hall, Aaron Morgan, Josh Murray, and Stephanie Vega.

Sophomores - Shelby Queener and Gleen Wike.

Freshmen - Devanee Cherry, Shelby Cockerham, Jessica Garcia, Yesenia Garcia, Rhett Martin, Monique Pena, Jennifer Shirley, and Lisa Vidal.



Chase Timms, Lazbuddie Student of the Year



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Farwell Elementary School academic honors listed

Here are the Farwell Elementary School academic honors list:

Bennett – highest academic, Colton Rohrbach and Katey White; citizenship, Colton Rohrbach and Ally McGaha; most improved, Ricardo Ortega, Wendy Graxiola and Leonel Ruiz; perfect attendance, Leonel Ruiz.

Cargile – highest academic, Roberto Trevizo and Kinley Kalbas; citizenship, Matthew DeLeon and Brianna Reyes; most improved, Garit Graham.

Varnell – highest academic, Harlie Roach and Christian Barrett; citizenship, Jacob DeLeon, Maylin Garcia, and Jordan Carrasco; most improved, Eduardo Ortega and Dustin Ray.

Beaubien – highest academic, Victor Crume and Ethan Stancell; citizenship, Alexia Nicolas and Matthew Dale; most improved, Danny Dyck; perfect attendance, Jay Teachout and Brooke Mullin.

Ledbetter – highest academic, Romeo Reyes, Sailor Jackson, and Hope Herrera; citizenship, Slade

Hamann, Garrett Hill, Leslie Mora, and Elisha Carrasco; most improved, Jose Camargo and Coltin Roach; writing/spelling award, Carlos Garcia; math fact award, Brandon Galvan; student of the 6th six weeks, Keegan Alexander.

Graham – highest academic, Marivel Galvan, Brady Logan, Mason Byrd, and Oscar Rodriguez; citizenship, Sydney McClaran and Miguel Vasquez; most improved, Alex Gulley; perfect attendance, Cory Fratus and Brady Logan; student of the 6th six weeks, Mason Byrd.

Guthals – highest academic, Seth Beverage and Meredith Ratke; citizenship, David Lechuga and McKenzie Parra; perfect attendance, Seth Beverage.

Cooper – highest academic, Cameron Bass and Edie White; citizenship, Teaguen Nolte and Lindsi Coburn; perfect attendance, Sarah Gomez and Joseph Ortega; Parmer Co. Soil Conservation – 1st Johanna Vega, 3rd Sarah Gomez

Cates – highest academic, Regan Agee and Madison Griswold; honor roll for the year, Regan Agee, Katy Carpenter, and Madison Griswold; achievement list, Sidney Barksdale, Keith Kalbas, Brinton Roach, and Ariana Cabello; citizenship, Ariana Cabello and Jose Sotelo; perfect attendance, Ana Estrada; Parmer Co. Poster Contest – 2nd Regan Agee.

Tipton – highest academic, Carina Reyes and Taylor Leavelle; citizenship, Jazmin Reyes and Adrian Aleman; honor roll,

Carina Reyes; achievement list, Carli Alvarado, Cambree Haseloff, Lorena Reyes, Taylor Leavelle, Skylar Chadwick, Ashley Ulloa; perfect attendance, Cambree Haseloff, Kendal Stancell, Jazmin Reyes, and Skylar Chadwick; UIL participants, ready writing/spelling-Carina Reyes, storytelling-Carli Alvarado, music memory-Jazmin Reyes.

White – highest academic/honor roll, Mitchell Ratke and Trevor Schilling; citizenship, Jasen Herrera and Gracie Meza; achievement list, Miriam Garcia, Jasen Herrera, Emily Logan, Kenzie McGaha, Gracie Meza, Jan Nicolas, Cheyenne Patrick, Taylor Presnell, Ryon Smith; spelling bee, Trevor Schilling; math awards, all 4th graders for 100% on the TAKS.

O'Hare – highest academic, Johan Loepply and Chase Mitchell; citizenship, AJ Bermea and Emily Stancell; honor roll, AJ Bermea and Chase Mitchell; perfect attendance, AJ Bermea, Savannah Galvan, Curt Langford, and Danny Reyes; most improved in writing, Ariana Hernandez and Gracie Meza; best writer, Kenzie McGaha and Trevor Schilling; outstanding achievement, Eloy, Cassidy, Curt, Johan, Marisa, Savannah, Ariana, Tanner, Faith Emily, and Jonathan.

Hodnett – highest academic, K'Leigh Jo White and Austin Ratke; honor roll, K'Leigh Jo White and Angel Garcia; honor roll, K'Leigh Jo White; perfect attendance, Angel

Garcia and Yareli Ruiz. **Edwards** – highest academic, Zachary Dale and Lauren Carpenter; citizenship, Zachary Dale and Gabrielle Schilling; A Honor Roll, Savanna Barksdale, Lauren Carpenter, Zachary Dale, and Gabrielle Schilling; academic achievement,

Hunter Hall, Heather Johnson, Dillon Kirkland, and Hanna Sudderth. **AR 100 Points Awards 3rd Grade** – Keith Kalbas **4th Grade** – Shairae Allen, Jonathan Vega, Eloy Aleman, AJ Bermea, Curt Langford, Chase Mitchell, Danny Reyes, Mitchell

Ratke, and Trevor Schilling. **5th Grade** – Kenzy Cates, Austin Ratke, K'Leigh Jo White, Lauren Carpenter, Kristyn Arce, Savanna Barksdale, Hanna Sudderth, Zachary Dale, Hunter Hall, Dillon Kirkland, Brooklyn Lamb, and Gabrielle Schilling.

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING ON AN APPLICATION FOR
CONCENTRATED ANIMAL FEEDING OPERATION

GENERAL PERMIT AUTHORIZATION NO. TXG920879

APPLICATION. Cal-Maine Partnership, LTD, P.O. Box 2960, Jackson, Mississippi 39207, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) under the TCEQ General Permit No. TXG920000 for authorization to operate a new poultry facility at 2,720,000 total birds, of which 2,000,000 are layers and 720,000 are pullets in Parmer County, Texas. No discharge of pollutants into the waters in the state is authorized by this general permit except under chronic or catastrophic rainfall conditions or events. All waste and wastewater will be beneficially used on agricultural land. The proposed facility will be located 0.75 mile south of the intersection of Highway 60 and Farm-to-Market Road 3333, on a private road in Parmer County, Texas. The facility will be located in the drainage area of the Double Mountain Fork Brazos River in Segment No. 1241 of the Brazos River Basin.

The TCEQ executive director has made a preliminary decision to authorize coverage of this facility under the general permit. Persons whose names and addresses appear on the sign in sheet at the public meeting and persons who submitted written comments to the TCEQ will be notified by the TCEQ's Office of Chief Clerk of the executive director's decision and provided the final technical summary on which the decision was based. The public meeting held under this general permit is not an evidentiary proceeding.

PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING. The TCEQ will facilitate a public meeting on the application for the proposed facility. At the meeting, the Applicant shall describe the proposed operations and provide maps and other facility data. The public will be able to ask questions. Citizens may submit written comments by mail before the close of comment period or anytime during the meeting. The TCEQ, after considering written public comment, shall approve or deny the authorization based on whether the Notice of Intent (NOI) and technical application meets the requirements of the general permit.

The Public Meeting is to be held:
Tuesday, July 17, 2007 at 7:00 p.m.
Farwell Community Hall
207 9th Street
Farwell, Texas 79325

INFORMATION. Citizens may submit written comments by mail before the close of comment period or anytime during the meeting to the Office of the Chief Clerk, TCEQ, Mail Code MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, TX 78711-3087. If you need more information, please call the TCEQ Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. *Si desea información en Español, puede llamar 1-800-687-4040.* General information about the TCEQ can be found at our web site at www.tceq.state.tx.us.

A copy of the notice of intent, application, the Executive Director's technical summary, and the CAFO general permit is available for review at the Parmer County Courthouse/County Clerks Office, 401 3rd Street, Farwell, Texas 79325. Further information may also be obtained by calling Chet Wyant, Enviro Compliance Services, Inc., 564 State Road 523, Clovis, New Mexico 88101 at (505) 762-9674.

Issued: June 1, 2007

The Latest

Parents of the Lazbuddie senior class of 2008 have set a "Lazbuddie Hoopfest", a 3-on-3 basketball tourney, for June 15 and 16 at the Lazbuddie gyms.

Entry fee is \$50 per team.

To enter, your team needs to contact Chandra Sanchez, (806) 946-8199; or Sherrie Nichols, (806) 965-2918.

Rachel McCloy, 13, of Stinnett, was selected to participate in the National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C.

She is the daughter of Rex and Susan McCloy, and granddaughter of Jean Patschke, of Farwell.

She is being home-schooled and is an 8th grader.

Correction: The law noting that Friona is now the Cheeseburger Capital of the World still has to be signed by Gov. Perry.

The Tribune got ahead of itself and reported last week it was already law.

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The Farwell Speech & Debate Team is selling community birthday and anniversary calendars, to be delivered in September.

The deadline for taking orders is Friday, June 15th.

The cost is \$15 per calendar, which includes up to 10 birthdays and/or anniversary listings. Please fill out attached coupon and drop it off with the money at the Farwell High School office or mail it to: Farwell High School (attn: Tra Hall), Box F, Farwell TX 79325. If questions, call Tra Hall at (505) 219-9899.

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The Posada family: Jose, Gloria and Alexandra

New Wolverines Service Station

Wolverines Service Station has opened at 504 Wheeler Ave. in Texico under the management of the Jose Posada family.

It is operated by Jose Posada, along with his wife, Gloria, and daughter Alexandra, an 8th grader at Texico Schools. Posada was raised in Texico, lived in Clovis for awhile, and has returned to Texico.

The full-service station will be open Mondays through Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. mt. Posada stressed that special care will be given senior citizens when they buy gas or use other services at the store.

Services will include:

Full service gas, full detail work, oil changes, car washes, brake work, minor car repairs, plus they will be selling snow cones, refreshments, candy and other food, knick knacks and miscellaneous merchandise.

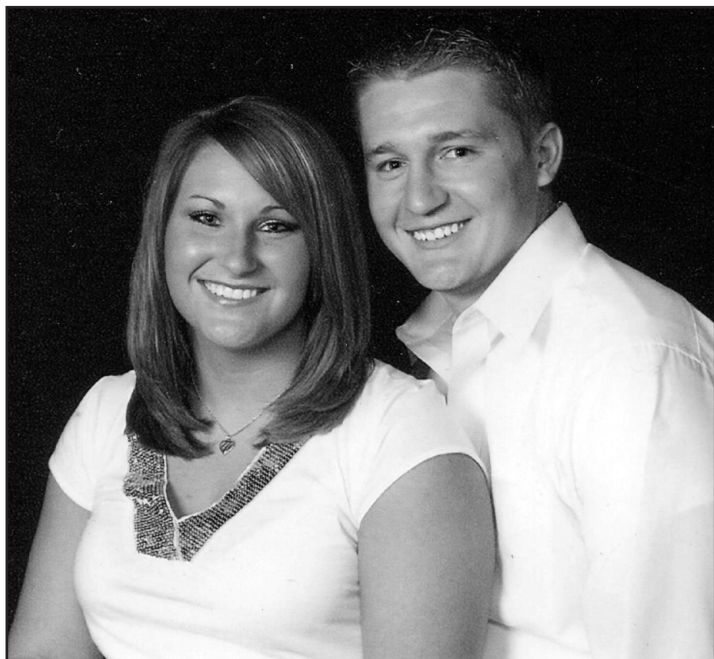
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Engagement told

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Willis, of Ralls, Texas, announces the approaching marriage of their daughter, Sabrina Jelyn, to Logan McFarland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McFarland, of Farwell. The couple will marry Aug. 4, 2007, at University Church of Christ in Canyon, Texas. All friends and family are invited.

Lazbuddie scholars

Here are the Lazbuddie sixth 6 Weeks Honor Rolls:
 Elementary "A" Honor Roll -- Bernardo Lopez, Kenlea Barnes, Gentry Hicks, Destry Ivy, Colten McMurrian, Ashley Scott, Juan Samarron, Jr. Soto, Micah Vera, Lacey Jesko, Katlyn Hicks, Ashton Mason, Austin Mason, Shyann Rainey.
 Elementary "AB" Honor Roll - Julie Chavez, Tina Harder, Ginsyn McGehee, Priscilla Salazar, Mary Diaz, Peter Guenter, Shianne Diaz, Jaida Gandarilla, David Guenter, Haldon Ivy, Albert Moran, Josephine Samarron, Celest Vasquez, Haley Beasley, Berenice Galvan, Seth Russell, Allison Weaver.
 Junior High "A" Honor Roll - Karina Galaviz, Jordan Hernandez, Colton Weaver.
 Junior High "AB" Honor Roll - Jessica Estrada, Anna Harder, Jarrod Jesko, Tanner Beasley, Joseline Garcia, Arthur Gomez.
 High School "A" Honor Roll - Darin Ivy, Chelsea Nichols, Brittney Schacher, Rochelle Smith, Stephanie Williams.
 High School "AB" Honor Roll - Katie Chavez, Kayle Jesko, Logan Mason, Kinzi Schacher, Richie Aguilar, Trevor Coker, Ryan Mason, Jacob Schacher, Devlin Thompson, RaJon Thorn, Chase Timms, Laura Beliz, Jason Davis, Esteban Pacheco, Brianna Sanchez, Angela Venzor, Dakota Williams, Erica Derma, Bryce Haney.

Texico High graduate named outstanding teacher

A Texico High School graduate, Carletta (Fitz) Renfro recently was honored as the Outstanding Public High School Teacher at the Texas Tech Math Awards banquet. Mrs. Renfro teaches math at Tahoka High School. She was one of six finalists for the annual honor. You don't have to be a Texas Tech grad to receive it. She is the daughter of Gladys Fitz, of Texico. Mrs. Renfro has taught for 20 years, 6 at O'Donnell and 14 at Tahoka. She graduated from Wayland Baptist University.

Vandiver: Area crop development slows

From Monti Vandiver, Parmer County extension agent - IPM:
 Environmental conditions have slowed crop development in the Northwest Plains of Texas. Wheat, which has not received adequate rainfall or irrigation, has benefited from cool temperatures which have reduced the amount of moisture required to fill grain.
 Freeze injury to heads is minimal overall, but can be observed in many fields. Most visible damage is limited to the top 1/4 of heads that have been damaged but some sterile whole heads have been observed.
 Rust has been observed on some wheat. For the most part the wheat crop looks very good across the board.
 Most corn has emerged and has from 1 to 6 leaf collars visible. Much of the area corn got off to a slow start as a result of cool temperatures. Symptoms of low temperature stress included yellowing, purpling, field streaking, and slow growth however most corn has responded to warmer temperatures and has greened up and began to grow rapidly.
 Cool temperatures have impacted cotton more than other crops. Locally, we have accumulated only 66% (to date) of the historical average heat unit accumulation and only 37% of the heat units accumulated by May 31, 2006.
 Root rot has been observed in many fields further slowing development.

May showed huge moisture total

Lonnie McFarland keeps great weather records that he shares with the State Line Tribune.
 The moisture total for 2007 through May has been 9.98 inches. This compares with the 23 year average for the first five months of the year (1984 through 2006) of 4.68 inches of moisture.
 And last year's totals for the first five months were only 2.00 inches of moisture.
 This year's stats include 3.06 inches of rain in May. The 23-year average for May (1984 through 2006) has been 2.17 inches. Thus, this year's May has received a much heavier dose of moisture.
 And June has started out strong, as almost 6 tenths of an inch of rain fell on the Twin Cities on Sunday and Monday nights.
 This isn't particularly good for all -- it's too much moisture for the cotton crop.
 And hail has hit some areas south and west of Farwell, including West Camp.



Baseball From page 1

other start up costs, the bleachers will most likely be a project for the ball park next season," said Farwell Baseball League president Mike Ratke.
 But Ratke and the other league officers and coaches hope this won't be a deterrent from parents, families, friends and community members coming out to enjoy fun evenings of baseball.
 "There's a host of talent, loads of enthusiasm and the thrill of baseball games to enjoy throughout the month of June into July," said Teresa Mesman, league officer and die-hard baseball fan. "I know the players always feel so much better about their games when they have lots of support from their fans."
 The league offers team play for ages 5 through 13 in the T-ball, Minor and Major leagues. There is also a Pony League team from Farwell and Texico representing the communities in play over in Clovis. Plans are in the works for this league to be expanded for the teams to also play in Farwell in future seasons.
 The Farwell League players will be selling raffle tickets for a side of beef and the processing that has been donated to raise funds for the season. Tickets are \$10 each and the drawing will be held at the end of the season in early July. Details about this fund raiser will appear in future Tribune issues. Tickets may be purchased from all Farwell League players.
 The majority of games are scheduled on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 5:30 and 6:30. There's a concession stand and plenty of room to park. Come and show your support for boys and girls from Texico and Farwell and enjoy the greatest game of summer!

The Farwell League is in need of volunteers to umpire T-Ball, Coach Pitch, Minor and Major league ball games. Umpires for behind the plate and out in the field are needed. If you would like to volunteer for a game or two, please contact Teresa Mesman at 825-3830 or 760-1509. If you would be interested in helping to support the construction efforts of the Farwell League, please contact Mike Ratke, league president, at 481-3295 or 825-2220.
 Your support and donations are greatly appreciated!



Attend conference

Anna McDonald and Frances Kube attended the 19th annual Texas Crime Stoppers conference in Amarillo last month. They attended sessions on identity theft, meth, terrorism, internet fraud and motorcycle gangs, among others. If you know of any illegal happenings or clues, call Parmer County Crime Stoppers at (806) 481-9178 -- you can remain anonymous and rewards are offered.

Texico Police Report

Texico police report all quiet last week.

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Border Town Days

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Greg Von Hoene and his son Garhett; and the Grupo Cielo Band -- Robbie Vidaurri, Junior Cordova, Adrian Ancira, Benji Cordova, Matthew Ancira, Lynn Trimble and Robert Vidaurri.

Decorated Bicycle Contest: Linda Moss and Joy Stanton head this event. Signups will be underway in July at the State Line Tribune, 404 3rd St., Farwell. Again, the theme is should be followed. The top champions will receive special prizes -- brand-new bicycles donated by Tedson Trailers, of Texico, (for boys) and Master Tech, of Texico, (for girls).

Arts & Crafts: Lynne Mahaney, the Farwell postmaster, is in charge of this event. As stated, it's open to both homemade and commercial vendors. Folks wishing to sign up for a booth are asked to call her at 481-3601 or write her at P.O. Box 471, Farwell, TX 79325. Several craft people already have signed up.

Giveaways: So far, two giveaways have been scheduled.

- The BTD Committee awards \$50 in cash to the person who bought a BTD button (you must be present to win) and whose name is picked.

- Also, special this year, a second person's number will be picked (again, you must be present to win). This winner will receive a special framework made by Texico's Jerry Cunningham with pockets for quarters featuring each state (you need to supply the quarters).

Buttons: Rob Pomper is handling the button sales. The buttons are being made by Doug and Susan Scioli, of Texico. Four hundred are numbered on the back. They will be sold for \$2 apiece as the chief fund-raiser to cover BTD expenses. Buttons will be placed at local businesses in July.

Merchants Giveaway: Folks will be able to sign up at participating merchants for dozens of free prizes to be given away at BTD. You must be present to win, and must be at least 12 years old to enter. J'Dan Sudderth and Terri Everett head up this project. Boxes will be put out at local businesses in mid-July.

Antique Cars & Tractors: Ruth Anne Bennett, Margie Watkins and Judy Lekovich are in charge. Persons wishing to have their vehicles in the parade, are asked to contact one of these ladies. In both categories, cash prizes are given for judge's choice, distance furthest traveled, and oldest.

Reunions: So far, one class reunion has been announced:

- Farwell Class of 1957.

Park activities: Rocky Horton, of Texico, will bring his train to offer rides for kiddies around the park. Fritz Freimel, of Farwell, will bring his carnival rides.

Marriage Licenses

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

Brad Lane and Deanna Kroch; Taryn Allen and Byron Wilson; Larry Hardy and Linda Moss; and Derek Koehn and Denise Ensz.



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Sheriff's Report

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

On June 2, John Lafuente, no age given, of Dimmitt, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of possession of a controlled substance, pending before the grand jury.

On May 30, Anthony Mah, 25, of Clovis, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 oz., pending in county court.

In 287th District Court on May 24, with Judge Gordon Green presiding:

- Johnny Daniel Eisen, 30, of Amarillo, charged with subsequent DWI, was sentenced to 4 years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice; \$316 court costs; \$1,000 fine; \$140 restitution; and loss

The Latest

A lost black and white long hair male small chihuahua mix dog was found June 2 on 9th Street in Farwell.

If yours, call (505) 309-5891.

The new minister at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church will be Rev. Randall Partin, who is coming from North Carolina with his family -- Susan, Elisabeth and Sophie.

They are due to arrive June 15.

The photos from Farwell High's graduation are ready at the State Line Tribune for orders that were placed at graduation.

of driver's license for 18 months.

-- Mark Allen Hancock, 38, of Clovis, charged with forgery, was sentenced to 180 days to 2 years in a state jail facility, deferred 2 years; \$316 court costs; \$750 fine; \$350 for appointed attorney; \$220 restitution, and \$75 collection fee to district attorney.

Courthouse Notes

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

Shirley Steinbock - Betty Smith, 58 1/1- ac NE corner of NW/4 S79 Staley.

Donald Fortenberry - Old World Tuscany Properties, N 197.94 ac S10 Blk E Bovina.

Ferman Kelso et al - Old World Tuscany Properties, L5-10 B33 Bovina.

Dickie Clayton - Chad Clayton, 1.22 ac SE corner S21 T7S R2E.

Farwell Junior High honor students listed

Farwell Junior High's honor students were:

6th Grade -- Olivia Schilling, Kolten Morris, Lydia Gomez, Chelsea Bass, Kathya Saenz, Hayden Hadley, Chandler Barnes, Collin Christian, Cheyenne Rodriguez, Cassidy Martin.

7th Grade - Michelle Vega, Kristin Langford, Emily Agee, Luis Delgado, Garrett Presnell, Kory Jennings, Jacque Meza, Alicia Bermea, Abby Johnson.

8th Grade - Landry Actkinson, Rane Carpenter, Ray White, Lincoln Devault, Luke Carpenter, Crystal Reyes, Laney Christian.

Farwell Junior High's 6th Six Weeks Honor Rolls:

6th Grade - Chandler Barnes, Chelsea Bass, Collin Christian, Kayla Cullison, Adilene Garcia, Lydia Gomez, Hayden Hadley, Joshua Longley, Cassidy Martin, Kolten Morris, Bill Nolte, Elizabeth Pereda, Clara Reyes, Cheyenne Rodriguez, Kathya Saenz, Olivia Schilling, Sanjuana Sotelo, Bretton Stancell, Caitlyn Stancell, Jackie Williams.

7th Grade - Emily Agee, Luis Delgado, Kory Jennings, Abby Johnson, Kristin Langford, Jacque Meza, Garrett Presnell, Tyler Schilling, Michelle Vega.

8th Grade - Landry Actkinson, Rane Carpenter, Luke Carpenter, Laney Christian, Julian Cuevas, Lincoln Devault, Henry Loeppky, Matt Martin, Lauryn Meyer, Josh Olivas, Crystal Reyes, Ashley Sanders, Sara Scott, Michelle Wauson, Ray White.

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Just Listed in **IN CONTRACT** - 1446 acres +/-, gated east of Lariat.

Just Listed in **IN CONTRACT** - 4 bedroom, 2 bath with 2 car carport near school.

Just Listed in Farwell - 3 bedroom, 4 bath - large corner lot, 2 car carport, storage bldg. Conveniently located near school, churches and post office. Must see!

JUST LISTED - Country Living SW of Texico. 3 bed, 2 bath brick home on 4.4 acres. Only 3 yrs. old and is extra nice with fireplace and jacuzzi tub. Large 30'x40' insulated shop with RV hookups, all on asphalt road.

Just Listed - 40 acres 1.5 miles SW of Texico on asphalt road with irrigation well. Great home site.

Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home. 2,000 sq. ft., central heat, refrig. air, large fenced yard with sprinkler system & storage bldg. Must see.

2.73 acres adjoining Farwell Country Club. Excellent home site. Would possibly divide.

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BOVINA -- Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home with 2-car garage. Good location.

319 acres North of Hub on highway. 2 circle sprinklers, 2 wells. Good Farm.

Just Listed - 160 acres South of Lariat on highway. 1 sprinkler, 2 irr. wells. Owner says sell.

480 irrigated acres south east of Farwell. 5 irr. wells, 3 circle sprinklers.

160 irrigated acres near Oklahoma Lane. 2 irrigation wells, 1 circle. Lays good.

391 Acres northeast of Bovina. 2 pivots, 4 irrigation wells. Located on highway.

Just Listed - 160 acres south of Clovis. 2 irr. wells, 1 circle sprinkler.

800 acres. Irrigated with large brick home and barn northeast of Muleshoe.

74 +/- acres adjoining Clovis Airport on highway. Good development property.

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Postal bags changed

The U.S. Post Office has switched the type of mail bags (brown color to white color) it is using. The Tribune went along with the new policy last week. It seems Muleshoe area readers did not get their newspapers on time last week. As we have noted, the Tribune is taken to the local post offices every Wednesday afternoon and has never been late in 23 years.



Baby shower held
 A baby shower honoring Desirae Gallman was held on May 19 in the home of Sherri Kennedy. Special guests included Dayna Hoadley and Ellen Gallman, Gwen Nesser, Gloria Herington, Brittany Taylor, Karla Brakebill, Katie Brakebill, and Joanna Martinez. Hostesses included Nancy Benham, Brenna Burch, Vickie Burch, Paulette Foster, Stephanie Foster, Shanna Glover, Shelby Kennedy, Sherri Kennedy, Marca Morris, Sheryl Morris, Vicki Morris, Keila Morris, Kimberly Nickels, Mary Jo Schacher, Koti Templeton, Jodi Urbantke, and Robin Welch.

Rodeo coming to Clovis

More than 30 veterans of the National Finals Rodeo are among the 316 entries for the 37th annual Pioneer Days Rodeo, scheduled for June 7-9 at the Curry County Mounted Patrol Arena in Clovis. Heading the list of the world's top rodeo cowboys is reigning PRCA All-Around champion Trevor Brazile of Decatur, Texas, who is entered in both the calf roping and team roping. Brazile has won four of the last five All-Around titles and is ranked second in the world in calf roping, second in steer roping and is leading the All-Around chase. The only cowboy to unseat Brazile in the All-Around over the past five years, Ryan Jarrett of Summerville, Ga., is also entered at Pioneer Days in the calf roping. Jarrett was the 2005 PRCA All-Around champion.

Other top professionals entered at Pioneers Days include defending world champion heeler Allen Bach; eight-time world champion heeler Rich Skelton and three-time world champion header Tee Woolman. Between the three veterans are 61 NFR qualifications. Monty Lewis of Hereford, the 2005 world champion calf roper, is also entered, as are Steve Purcella of Hereford and Patrick Smith of Midland, - both former world champion team ropers. Other top names include four-time NFR bareback rider Forrest Bramwell, former world champion bull rider Cody Hancock (currently ranked fifth), three-time NFR barrel racer Kelly Maben (currently ranked third) and two-time bull riding qualifier D.J. Domangue.

Performances will begin each night at 8 and advance tickets are \$12 for box seats, \$11 for reserve seats and \$10 for general admission. Advance tickets are now available at Joe's Boot Shop and are \$2 cheaper than if purchased at the gate.

The Pioneer Days Rodeo Committee is also bringing back the 'Rodeo Encounter' prior to the Thursday performance. From 5:30 to 7 p.m., fans can learn rodeo techniques from the pros, and kids can try dummy roping, bullfighting, goat roping and stick-horse barrel racing. Contestants in the Miss Rodeo New Mexico pageant will be on hand, as will many of the professional rodeo contestants, for photos and autographs.

Another popular event during each night of the rodeo will be the three-man wild cow milking. For rodeo information, contact Bob Lacy of the Curry County Mounted Patrol at 505-760-6265 or 505-769-1346.

Hall selected to attend institute

Farwell High teacher Tra Hall has been selected for "The West and the Shaping of America," a summer institute sponsored by Humanities Texas, Texas Tech University and the Amon Carter Museum from June 10-13 at the Tech campus. Hall teaches social studies and coaches debate at Farwell High School. Along with 40 other outstanding teachers from across Texas, Hall will participate in lectures and workshops that examine U.S. and Texas history through the settlement of the American West. "Humanities Texas is delighted to include an outstanding teacher from Farwell in this educational initiative," said Executive Director Michael Gillette. "Bringing teachers together to learn from leading scholars and from each other is an effective way to ensure that Texas students continue to receive the best possible educational opportunities."

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--Mike Pomper

Times don't change

When I was a kid, I ate all my meals alone.

As a result, I liked to read books while chowing down food. I spent a lot of time with one in particular, dealing with the rise and fall of the Roman Empire.

We all know that history repeats itself. And reviewing the Roman Empire, I believe, is very helpful in understanding the rise and fall of the American Empire.

When I was a youngster, I didn't see a lot of similarity. But then a couple of events in the 1960's grabbed my interest -- the assassinations of John and Robert Kennedy.

After the second Kennedy's death, my mind immediately reverted to the assassinations of the reformist Gracchi Brothers (two Roman leaders) in the final years of the Roman Republic.

So as the years sped by, I have seen more similarities between the two empires, and now that the barbarians are at the gate

in the form of Moslem fanatics, it once again proves how history repeats itself.

I read an interesting column by Walter E. Williams in the Amarillo newspaper recently that ends with this paragraph:

"Unfortunately, today, there's neither the American leadership nor the American character to protect ourselves from people whose declared aim is to destroy us. It's not just Americans, but the West in general who have lost the will to protect themselves from the barbarism of the Middle East. Keep in mind that the mighty Roman Empire fell to barbarians who ushered in the Dark Ages."

I've always wondered how the average Roman citizen went through the days as the Empire began to splinter and decay. Now I have a much better understanding.

We continue to live our lives in a normal fashion, buying material things, having children, working 9 to 5... And although we are upset with our failed leadership, we are all small fry, too small to make a difference.

What saddens me the most is that back in the days of the Roman Empire, those folks didn't have much history to guide them. They were not as knowledgeable of the forces swirling about



Farwell students honored

Farwell Elementary School's Students of the sixth 6th weeks were: kindergarten, Ally McGaha, Brianna Reyes, Christian Barrett; 1st grade, Carlos DeLaRosa, Keegan Alexander and Mason Byrd; 2nd grade, Mallory Schilling and Treylin Griswold; 3rd grade, Gentry Moseley, Freid Cecena, Kendal Stancell; 4th grade, Emily Logan, Taylor Presnell and Faith Stalcup; and 5th grade, Angel Garcia and Gabbie Schilling.

them.

But we are. And we choose not to use history's guideposts to help us. Instead of long-range planning, all that matters to our leaders is the next election -- and that means telling folks what they want to hear instead of what is best for them.

If I ran for election, I would be truthful -- and nobody would vote for me. But my opponent could lie and lie -- and you would vote for him because he would tell you what you wanted to hear.

When I talk about the

idiots who run our nation, let's not forget the common folks.

Here are some great examples:

A poll recently of Democrats in America said 35 percent believed President Bush knew about 9/11 before it occurred, 39 percent said he didn't know, and 26 percent were not sure.

Another poll says that about 30 percent of young American Moslems don't believe Moslems were involved in the 9/11 tragedy.

I never realized before

how many Americans were completely in need of medical help.

I remember the conspiracy theorists who believed that FDR knew about Pearl Harbor before it happened.

He didn't. But that never stopped millions of Americans from believing he did.

Times don't change.

Jennings to host camp

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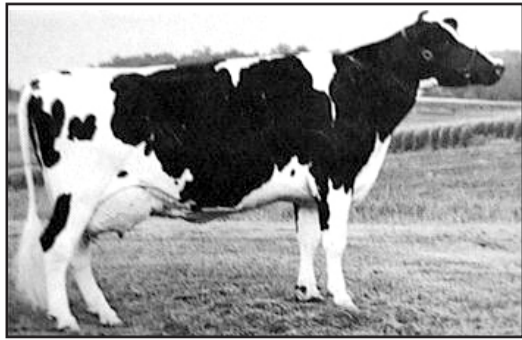
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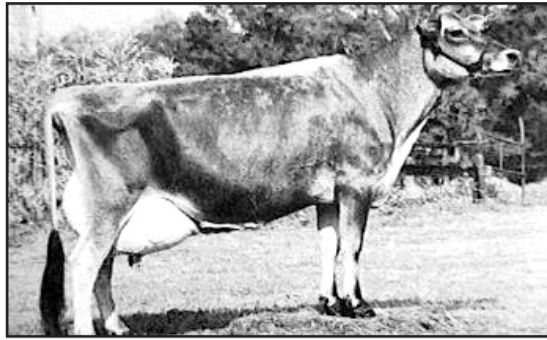
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Saluting the DAIRY INDUSTRY

JUNE IS DAIRY MONTH



Holstein milk cow



Jersey milk cow

by Teresa Mesman

June celebrates National Dairy Month and it's fitting that an entire month be tagged to commemorate the many facets of this thriving and growing industry.

In the old days, people would hardly call milking cows "a big business." But doing such twice a day was often the most begrudgingly done chore on the family farm. Milking cows evokes vivid memories of cold mornings, spilled milk buckets and sore hands and knees from when "Bessie" would kick.

Milk cows were a necessity and rarely looked at as a prime source of income. They provided milk to drink and cook with, and cream to churn for butter.

Through the years, milking cows has taken on a dramatic change. Automation and high tech have replaced the milk stool and bucket. Herringbone milk parlors equipped with automatic milking machines have since become the standard. Sixteen to 20 cows milked at a time have become the minimum numbers, while 32 or 48 cows at a time have become the standard. The milking barns of today are gleaming examples of concrete, stainless steel and hydraulic engineering.

Marketing milk and other dairy products have also become a science of sorts. Milk co-ops aggressively seek processing opportunities and selling points to distribute dairy products. Milk, cheese and ice cream have become three of the most competitively marketed products in the food business. Each product has had to find its own niche in the particular markets they are sold in. Milk is no longer just "milk." It must compete as a drink, a staple in the food pyramid and as a wholesome, healthy product that is multi-marketed as a whole, low-fat and skim milk. Cheese enters into these arenas, also.

And what about the folks who choose to earn their living by dairy farming? The majority of American dairy farms are owned and operated by families that have generations or experience in the field. The dairy farms in this area are a prime example. But there are some farms that are operated as privately and publicly owned corporations.

This region has seen a growth boom in the last several years that is continuing. It's phenomenal. We have gone from a handful of medium-sized dairies to a virtual dairy capitol. The largest influx has been from California dairymen leaving the tight confines of an over-populated state to an area of vast land and opportunity for growth.

And grow they have. The standard size of most new dairies being built in the area is of the size to milk 1,200 to 2,400 cows; not to mention including the space to pen and house calves and heifers. The small family farm has become a major industry.

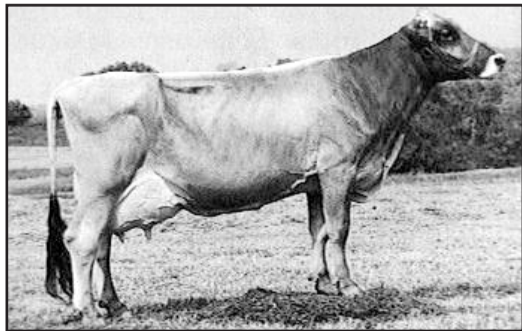
The dairy industry has had to go with the flow of change in recent years. The government has put many restrictions and requests on dairies in the areas of waste management, use of medications and antibiotics, importing and exporting policies, and participation in the commodity programs.

The industry was at one time more competitive among the milk cooperatives than it is at the present. The co-ops have banded together in order to have their far and profitable marketing of dairy products and government cooperation. The formation of the National Milk Producers Federation has been a huge step in the advancement of milk regulating and marketing. Individual co-ops have also stepped up their efforts to deal with the federal and state governments on an individual basis.

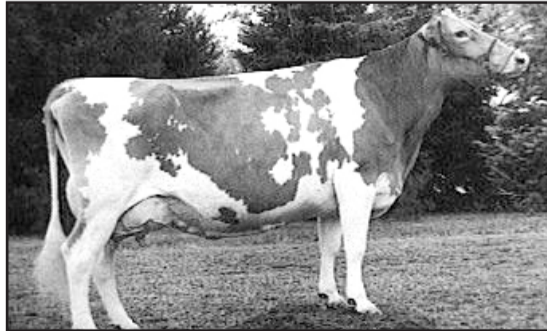
Many area businesses have been given new opportunities and growth due to the dairy industry. Witness how the new cheese plant is impacting on our area. Sales of feed products, heavy-duty trucks and feed wagons, and much more have been at an all-time high. Area dairymen have found solid, friendly foundations in the area businesses that support the dairy industry.

Area dairies work hard at their industry and are proud of their achievements. A typical day for many is to be up at sunrise and down "at some time after everything is done." That's if no calves have to be pulled or milk pumps go out. Rewards are not just financial in this industry.

It's a fitting time to salute this industry and the hard-working folks who keep it going. In a day and age of getting something for nothing, it's refreshing to commend such a fine group of farmers and businesses for proving that hard work and determination can pay off and be rewarding to all those involved.



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Piracy makes comeback

Parmer County is under a death threat from pirates.

Don't look for the skull-and-crossbones fluttering from the masts as their dark corsairs sail up Running Water Draw any time soon, but the threat is just as real because piracy is increasing by leaps and bounds on the world's seas, and its impact will reach every corner of the globe.

With the implosion of the Soviet Union and the supposed end to the Cold War in 1990, most sea-going nations reduced the number of warships in their fleets, and with "fewer cops" on the beat at sea, piracy has quickly rushed in to fill the void. Maritime insurers estimate that the numbers of pirates in the world today have increased into the thousands, with reports of their attacks on shipping coming in every day from various parts of the world. The cost to world commerce in 2006 is estimated to total more than \$16-billion, but that number is probably too low.

These same maritime insurers also assess that all the naval forces and all the maritime law enforcement forces in the world combined will manage to apprehend only about one percent of the world's pirates at any time. There is no other criminal specialization that can boast that 99 percent of its assaults, thefts, and murders will never be punished.

Pirates today attack in high-powered speedboats, rushing out of shallow inlets or under cover of darkness, armed with fully automatic weapons, grenade launchers, and other state of the art weapons and technologies.

Crews of five to 10 pirates in a speedboat can quickly board and overwhelm smaller vessels in their innocent passage through the Caribbean, the Philippines, the South China Sea, and many other constricted waters, seizing private yachts, fishing boats, and coastal freighters, molesting or killing their crews and passengers, stealing everything of value, and vanishing as quickly as they struck.

Operations by 80 or more pirates in whole fleets of speedboats swarm alongside even the largest container ships and oil tankers in the Indian Ocean and other seas. In just the first four months of this year, seven ships off the Horn of Africa have been seized by pirates and held for ransom with their crews, anchored off that bleak and lawless coastline.

Only about one percent of the 70,000 ships that pass through the Sumatra Straits south of Singapore are attacked by pirates, but that still means that each year, approximately 700 pirate attacks occur in that vital channel of maritime commerce alone.

International maritime treaties forbid shippers from providing their crews with weapons, much to the delight of pirates everywhere. They can choose their victims at a time and

place where quick responses by naval or law enforcement vessels are impossible, and pirates board, rape, steal, and murder with no concern of armed resistance. By the time the maritime "policeman" arrives, the pirates have vanished. (Bureaucrats in their secure buildings and polished offices guarantee that criminals are the only ones who will have firearms. It's the same, all over the world.)

The office that we are currently establishing here in Miami is the Navy's Commercial Maritime Liaison Unit, Latin America. (MARLU-LA) It is the first of many MARLU's that are being created for the different shipping regions in the world because it is more vital now than ever to protect maritime commerce.

More than 98 percent of the trade between nations is conducted via ships, and that is the foundation of the whole world economy. In that vital area, piracy has demonstrated that how vulnerable the open seas and narrow shipping channels are, ripe for the plucking by criminal activity.

And not just the ships, but their commercial harbors as well are at risk. The U.S. has 361 seaports for international shipping. Each year, thousands of ships enter and depart these harbors, loading and off-loading between 7 million and 10 million shipping containers. Some of these seaports specialize

in receiving the petroleum products that fuel our nation from foreign suppliers and from drilling platforms off our coasts.

We know that international terrorists see the opportunities that piracy offers them. On one side, Osama bin Laden has called at various times for terrorist attacks on oil drilling platforms and petroleum facilities, and on the other, the FBI Director, Robert Mueller, has expressed his concerns that future terrorist attacks will target ships and seaports.

Any catastrophe in the world in which pirate tactics are conducted by terrorists will throw a panic into international commerce that could dwarf the disruptions in commerce that followed the hijacked airliners crashing into the Twin Towers in New York City.

For that reason, the seagoing nations today are as concerned about the threats of piracy as they were when Thomas Jefferson dispatched the Navy and the Marines to defeat the Barbary Pirates from 1801 to 1805. Those tales of piracy may seem silly in Parmer County, just the swashbuckling sagas of long ago and far away.

But these pirates are not long ago, they are here today. And these pirates have the potential to shake the pillars of the world's free trade. If that happens, these pirates will feel just as close and as treacherous on the High Plains as they do on the High Seas.



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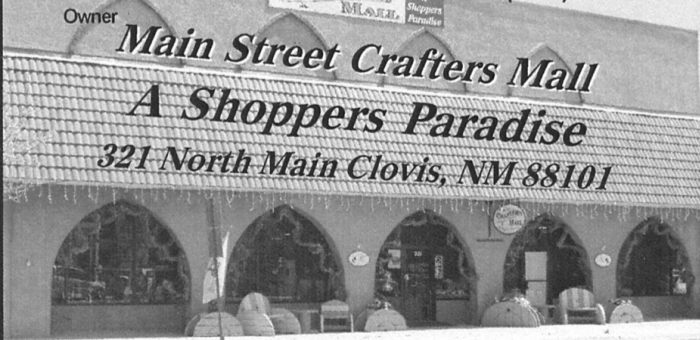
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Pools visit our area

Don and Vivian Pool, of Carlsbad, Calif., visited

here this week while on a road trip.

Don is a 1955 Farwell High graduate. He and Vivian, from

Clovis, have lived in Carlsbad since 1964.

Don is a retired high school math and science teacher.

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Bovina plans Bull Town celebration



The Bovina Chamber of Commerce met May 29 to continue its plans for the 4th of July celebration.

There will be plenty of fun on tap, including roping, barrel racing and a great parade. A BBQ lunch will be served in the city park accompanied by games, rides, vendor booths and tournament competitions.

The Chamber will be selling water and soft drinks, t-shirts and novelties. A cake walk will be offered.

And you better watch your back! You might get arrested and thrown into the "Bull Town Jail" until you get a "Get out of jail free" card or make bail.

The volleyball tournament is scheduled so be sure to call Deanna Curtis to sign up at (505) 693-3984. There is a limit on teams so call soon.

Lisa Villarreal will again be heading up the horseshoe tournament. There are to be doubles and singles. You can reach Lisa at (806) 584-5876.

If you would like to sign up a booth, contact Diane Cervantes at (806) 433-3557 or 251-1167.

The Chamber is also asking if anyone is interested in helping. Please contact Mindy Neal-Widner at 251-1300.

Cost for a booth without electricity is \$10; with electricity, \$20. To sign up, call The Bone Joint Clinic at 251-1300.

There will be a real added treat for the Big 4th of July celebration this year.

A "Hardcore Barrel Race" is planned for that day at the Bovina Arena.

Classes are:

-- Open 4D -- \$500 added (participants of all ages).

-- Youth 4D -- \$200 added (ages 18 and younger).

Entry fee is \$35, plus a \$5 one-time arena fee. There will be 80 percent payback, said Vickie Henry.

Also, exhibitions will be held from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; fee is \$4.

The Open 4D will start at 1 p.m., followed by the youth 4D.

For more information, call Mrs. Henry at (505) 357-8881 or (505) 799-4184.

BEDC meets with developers

The Bovina Economic Development Corporation officially named Larry Hodnett as its director at its May 29 meeting.

BEDC Chairman Mike McCallum reported that the group met with developers Joey Spicola and Bruce Hartline to discuss the upcoming residential and business development at Bovina's northern edge.

The developers wanted to keep the BEDC involved, and discussed their needs and who to deal with in order to keep the project moving ahead.

Also, McCallum asked board members and citizens to give their views at the next meeting on the future of the BEDC. All are invited to participate.

McCallum also will be alerting folks to the BEDC's periodic board meetings via the Tribune.

50 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

Dr. P.K. Palmer, an optometrist, opened an office in Farwell.

The Farwell Church of Christ let a contract for \$50,000 for a new building.

Otis Huggins received a lifetime membership in the New Mexico firefighters association.

A mass meeting was scheduled to support Hwy. 70-84 going four-lane through Farwell and not around it.

The Hub Community Center opened.

Going to the state 4-H Roundup are Cooper Young, Lexie Stevenson, Billie Hardage and Judy Billingsley.

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Bovina Banter

From page 14

Mosquitoes are out and about, and I would like to see if anyone has any home remedies on how to treat mosquito bites.

Please e-mail me at parmer@amaonline.com or call 251-1104.

The next City of Bovina council meeting will be June 12 at 7 p.m. if you like to attend.

Summer school started June 2.

Summer band is from 9 a.m. to noon. Any of the students who would like to work on their band skills are asked to come on in and just show up at the band hall.

The new band director will be there to work with you. I am excited to hear this year's band.

Summer lunches will be provided again this year. These lunches are provided free to all children under the age of 18. Adults will be charged \$2.75. Lunch serving times will be 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Lots of youth looking for summer work -- if you have anything available, please let us know.

And, remember, kids -- the Tribune runs free classified ads for you if you are looking for work. Just give me a holler!

Mindy (Neal) and Terry Widner left last week on a safari to Africa. How exciting for them. I can't wait for them to get back and tell us about it.

During this time Dr. Seth Black from Lazbuddie will be filling in for Dr. Neal-Widner.

The Bovina United Methodist Church is accepting donations for a church garage sale again. We will pick up any donations.

You can call Diane Cervantes at 251-1167 for any donations.

A photo spread on the Bovina kindergarten graduation will appear in next week's Tribune.

Area Senior Citizens are invited to Movie Night, on Thursday, June 7, at the Bovina Church of Christ, at 6:30 p.m.

This month's movie is "Please Don't Eat the Daisies" starring Doris Day and David Niven. Coke and pop corn will be served. Come and have a good time!

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Bovina Middle awards

Here is the list of Bovina Middle School students honored at the academic awards assembly:

Top 6th Band -- Heather Miller, Zackery Castillo; Top 7th Band -- Cristal Nicolas, Jake Brozek; Top 8th Band - Yesenia Rodriguez, Irvin Vela.

Top 6th English -- Marielena Flores, Abel Rocha; Top 7th English -- Rika Bermea, Gael Vela; Top 8th English - Emilia Contreras, Jesus Castaneda.

ESL -- 6th grade, Roxanne Zalazar, Blanca Gomez; 7th grade, Bricelda Salas; 8th grade, Margarita Montoya, Cesar Gallegos.

Top 6th Math -- Carmen Sanchez, Abel Rocha; Top 7th Math, Padyne Hughes, Jorge Jaramillo; Top 8th Math -- Mayra Gomez, Dorian Vela.

Top 6th Reading - Heather Miller, Juan Pinela; Top 7th Reading, Shaylee Adams, Jorge Jaramillo; Top 8th Reading, Emilia Contreras, Matt Knoll.

Top 6th Social Studies - Heather Miller, Joe Torres; Top 7th Social Studies, Navil Marielarena, Jake Brozek; Top 8th Social Studies, Yesenia Rodriguez, Fernando Banuelos.

All "A's" Honor Roll for All Year -- 7th grade, Jake Brozek; 6th grade, Heather Miller.

A-B Honor Roll for All year -- 8th grade, Dorian Vela, Fernando Banuelos, Mayra Gomez; 7th grade, Gonzalo Reyna; 6th grade, Zachary Castillo, Justin Curtis, Stefon Knoll, Juan Pinela.

Bovina High academic scholars recognized

Bovina High School students received cash prizes for excelling in academics:

Students on the "A" Honor Roll for the year got \$50 each -- 10th grade, Hannah Miller; 11th grade, Jaime Chavira; 12th grade, Frank Martinez, Isai Saucedo.

Students with perfect attendance got \$50 each -- 10th grade, Danna Guerrero, Maria Nunez, Jesus Rocha; 11th grade, Jesus Guevara; 12th grade, Frank Martinez.

Students on the A/B Honor Roll for the year got \$20 each -- 9th grade, Jesus Anaya, Ivonne Mejia, Edwin Velo; 10th grade, Jeremy Curtis, Sandra Ortiz, Esau Saucedo; 11th grade, Norma Castillo, Dora Garcia, Maricela Garcia, Jose Gutierrez, Ruby Vela; 12th grade, Joseph Cruz, Hilda Quintero, Jessie Reyna, David Rojas, Jeremy Vasquez.

We want to thank you for all your thoughts, prayers and flowers during this time of loss. We want to especially thank the Bovina Methodist Church and the Guadalabanas from St. Ann's Catholic Church for all the food. And a special thanks to Diane Cervantes for all that she has done for us.

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BOVINA TALENT SHOW

Here are photos from the annual Bovina High School talent show, courtesy of Denise Anderson



Elementary School dancers



Steven Noriega and Evie Guevara



Ivan Solis and Jeremy Vasquez

Gutierrez led 'Stangs in hits; Nunez paced team in RBIs

Bovina Coach Aaron Stone has provided the Tribune with the season stats for the Mustangs baseball team. The Mustangs won 3, lost 12 and had a tie.

- Top batters were:
- Jose Gutierrez, .417 batting average, with 9 runs scored, 15 hits (including a double) and 6 RBIs.
 - Rodrigo Nunez, .375, with 9 runs scored, 15 hits (including three doubles and a triple) and 10 RBIs.
 - Jaime Chavira, .356, with 15 runs scored, 16 hits (including a trio of doubles and a triple) and 7 RBIs.
 - Trent Quintana, .313, with 6 runs scored, 5 hits (including a triple) and 7 RBIs.
 - Richard Villarreal, .286, with 1 run scored, 2 hits and 2 RBIs.
 - Miguel Nunez, .250, with 4 runs scored, 6 hits and 3 RBIs.
 - Josh Ramirez, .250, with 3 runs scored, 5 hits (including a triple) and 2 RBIs.
 - Ivan Solis, .250, with 2 runs scored, 3 hits and 1 RBI.
 - Jesus Guevara, .217, with 3 runs scored, 5 hits and 2 RBIs.
 - Robert Knoll, .214, with 8 runs scored, 3 hits (including a double and a homer), and 5 RBIs.
 - Isaias Castillo, .214, with 2 runs scored, 3 hits (including a double) and 4 RBIs.
 - Alfie Espinoza, .200, with 10 runs scored, 6 hits (including a double and triple) and 3 RBIs.
 - J.J. Reyna, .188, with 8 runs scored, 6 hits and 4 RBIs.
- Top pitching stats were:
Rodrigo Nunez and Reyna had complete games.

Bovina Banter

Deanna Curtis • 251-1405

I have seen a lot of people using the horseshoe and volleyball areas at the park. I think that is so wonderful! It is exciting to see the people from the community utilizing the small amount of entertainment provided to us by the city.

If anyone wants to sign up for the volleyball tournament or horseshoe tournament for the 4th of July, please let us know something soon. We are looking forward to these activities -- it looks like it's going to be a great year.

A baby shower for Crystal Rackley, wife of Bovina Coach Joe Rackey, will be June 16 at the First United Methodist Church. I believe it will be at 2 p.m.

There's some talk about Joey Spicola's development going to Friona. I do believe Mr. Spicola is committed to Bovina and has no plans to abandon his plans to build here.

We would like to welcome Mr. Spicola and express our support of the project. I have randomly spoke to people around town and all I have heard is positive feedback. We are excited to see the plans for the future of Bovina.

If you saw the "Courthouse Notes" in this week's Tribune, you would have seen Mr. Spicola's purchases of two major properties in Bovina, showing his intent to proceed.

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Bovina students receive scholarships

Here is the list of scholarships received by Bovina High graduates:

- Crystal Amparan -- Agri-Plan Inc., \$250.
- Marisela Cortina-Espinoza -- Clovis Community College, \$250.
- Adilene Estrada -- Clovis Community College, \$250; Bovina Chamber of Commerce, \$250.
- Frank Martinez -- College Assistance Migrant Program-value of up to \$3,770; Hortencia Bermea Scholarship, \$150; Los Barrios De Amarillo, \$600; Lions Club, \$300; Texas Alliance for Minorities in Engineering, \$500; United Food and Commercial Workers Local 540 Union, \$250; and West Texas A&M University, \$4,000.
- Rodrigo Nunez -- Amarillo College, \$300.
- Erin Peña -- United Food and Commercial Workers Local 540 Union, \$250.
- Hilda Quintero -- Amarillo College Foundation—Sybil Harrington Scholarship \$1,500; First Bank of Bovina, \$500; Highest Ranking Student will have tuition to a Texas college or university; Lions Club, \$300; United Food and Commercial Workers Local 540 Union, \$250; and West Texas A&M University, \$4,000.
- Jessie Reyna -- West Texas Rural Telephone, \$1,000.
- David Rojas -- St. Ann's Knights of Columbus, \$250; Kelly Mitchell Memorial Scholarship, \$1,000; and Bovina Chamber of Commerce, \$250.
- Isai Saucedo -- Agri-Plan Inc., \$250.
- Jeremy Vasquez -- West Texas A&M University, \$4,000; College Assistance Migrant Program value of up to \$3,770; and Los Barrios De Amarillo, \$600.

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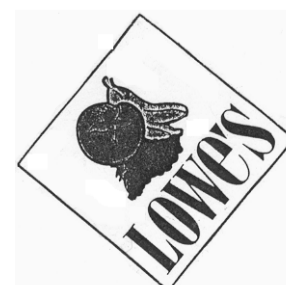
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