



Danny Pollard, the manager of Lowe's Bovina, one of the Football Contest sponsors, is joined by Cathey Riley and Romualdo Ruiz as they show that only two weeks are left before the football contest starts.

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*Texico's Carlee Luscombe:*

*'She wanted to give something to the people that helped her'*

About 4 years ago, Carlee Luscombe had a bad day. It started out all right, but when her sister Kaitlyn found her that morning she had just had a major seizure.

A quick call to 911 saved 4-year-old Carlee's life. She was taken to Clovis hospital and surgery began immediately. The next 6 days were spent at Lubbock's Covenant Hospital where Carlee was diagnosed with a type of brain tumor that is very rarely found in children.

Luckily, Covenant Hospital is one of the best pediatric hospitals to be found, and Carlee's tumor was removed.

She will still have to face regular MRI scans for the rest of her life, to make sure the tumor does not come back, but as she goes, she will at least have one great memory to take with her.

Last week, she was joined on her normal checkup trip to the hospital by her parents, singer Amy Grant, and the filming crew from NBC's new show "Three Wishes."

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Carlee Luscombe with her parents, Richard and Jo Ann, and Amy Grant



Signaling the start of the football contest in two weeks are the people at Bovina's First Bank, one of the contest sponsors -- Jeff Steelman, Sandra Dominguez, Celia Perez, Christy Harris, Nancy Cecenas, and Shelby Rhodes. Marta Davidson couldn't make it.

## Football contest to start in 2 weeks

For the football fanatic, it's THAT time again!

The ever-popular Area Merchants Football Contest will begin its 47th year on Sept. 1st.

Mark your calendars now - that means it's just two weeks until the football contest begins.

Last year, more than 400 people, ages 12 and up entered the contest. That figure alone testifies to the contest's popularity, given the number of local residents who fit into this category.

This is when area prognosticators probe the sports columns, read the charts and check their favorite armchair quarterbacks. It's a time for folks at local businesses to see who football acumen is tops. And it is a very special time for families to have fun over the dinner table, deciding on which teams are going to win.

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Carlee Luscombe with the kids from Covenant Hospital.

### FBI arrests Texico city clerk

Michael Hannagan, who has been the Texico city clerk for the past seven months, was arrested by the FBI at Texico City Hall on Aug. 11 with a U.S. Marshal's warrant.

An FBI spokesman said the warrant charges Hannagan, of Clovis, with embezzlement from a federally-insured credit union he worked for in New Jersey.

After the arrest, Hannagan complained of chest pains and was taken to Clovis hospital. He was treated and released.

The FBI said the next step is for Hannagan to appear before a judge in Las Cruces on Aug. 17. Then he likely will be returned to New Jersey to face his charge.

Texico City Attorney Marion Ty Rutter said Hannagan has been placed on administrative leave with pay, pending an investigation.

The city council is expected to seek a new city clerk immediately.



### Ride 'em, cowboy

Texico bull rider L.J. Jenkins shows his stuff at a recent Amarillo event. Jenkins took 1st place at Baton Rouge, La., last weekend, winning \$12,500. He is now listed 37th in the Professional Bull Riders standings -- qualifying him for the nationals if he maintains that position. He has earned over \$31,000 in the last 3 weeks.



# Farwell Council raises residents' utility fees

The Farwell City Council on Tuesday approved utility rate hikes.

Mayor Jimmie Mace said higher fuel costs were the main culprit.

Effective immediately, city residents will pay 10 percent higher garbage and sewer fees; and 5 percent higher water use fees. Also, the council instituted a \$100 water deposit fee for new residents. This was done because some folks were moving away without paying their use fees.

Mace also alerted that more hikes may be needed next year.

In other business, the council:

-- Approved the request from Duncan Disposal to

charge 3 percent higher fee to the city for garbage pickup. Duncan earlier this year received a 4 percent fuel surcharge increase.

-- Acted on four building permits:

1) Approved a fence for Christina Gutierrez at 108 San Andres.

2) Denied a request by Joe Pena to add to his house at 308 9th St. It was denied because he has not finished other work there first.

3) Denied a request by Ed McPeak to put a storage building at 200 3rd St. because the siding didn't meet city codes.

4) Denied a request by Elva LaFuente to place a storage building at 205 4th St.

The council was told that the storage building was already put in despite street Supt. Dee Hammit telling the applicant not to until the city council met.

The council said the building did not have the appropriate siding. Police Chief Robert Achterberg will notify the applicant that she has 7-10 days to remove the building or be cited.

If she is cited, she has to appear in city court, where she can be fined.

-- Approved the budget for 2005-2006. It includes 3 percent pay raises for city employees and funds for a second police officer.

But the council still has to vote on whether to hire a second police officer.

-- Heard that sales tax revenue has increased greatly, thus helping the budget.

-- Agreed to a request from Tire Country to close the first block of 1st Street for its grand opening on Sept. 10.

This is contingent on not conflicting with the Texico road construction which has begun.

-- Proposed the same tax rate for next year as the current one -- .4332 cents per \$100 assessed valuation. The hearing will be Aug. 30. The legal ad

will appear in next week's Tribune.

Because of higher home appraisals (and it is expected to go up at least 10 percent more again next year), to get the same amount of money as was needed for the current

option, the council had the option of lowering the tax rate to .4124 cents per \$100 assessed valuation.

The 2004 total taxable value for Farwell was \$31,484,535. This increased to \$33,097,160 for 2005.

## Farwell School Board keeps tax rate the same

The Farwell School Board on Tuesday proposed a tax rate for the coming year of \$1.42 per \$100 assessed valuation, the same as the current rate.

The rate will be voted on Aug. 30. The legal ad will be in next week's Tribune.

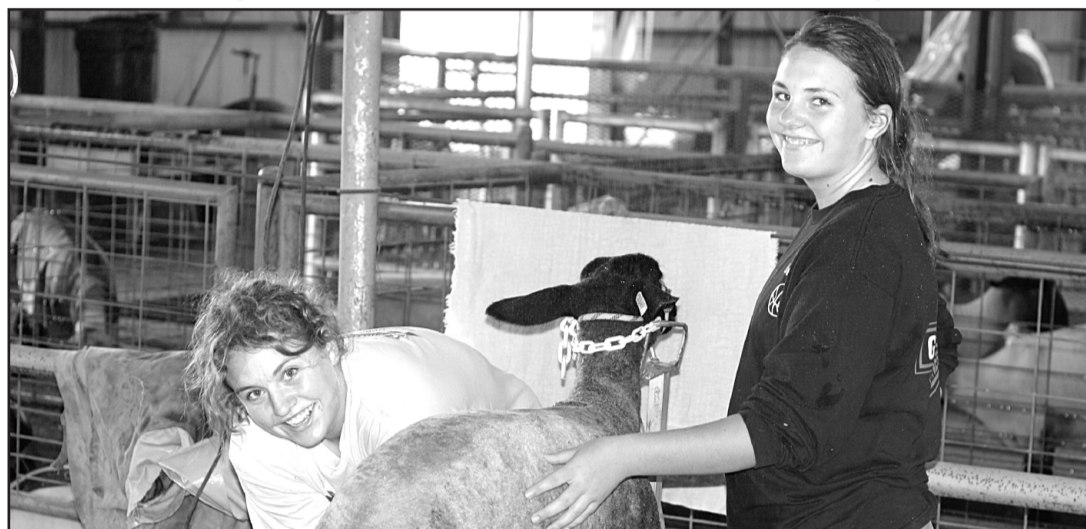
At that Aug. 30 meeting, the board also will go over the budget. It had been waiting to see what the state legislature would do on school finances. The legislature did nothing. Teachers will get their

regular step pay raises as mandated by the state.

In other business, the board:

-- Raised lunch prices 25 cents. The new prices are - high school, \$2.20; junior high, \$2.10, and elementary, \$2.00.

-- Got an update on the track construction. It's hoped it will be completed next month.



## Scenes from the Curry County Fair

More photos next week!

This week, many Texico and Pleasant Hill kids showed their animals at the county fair. Above are Brette and Braeden Hadley shearing a sheep, and below are Brittany and Shay Anderson with their dairy heifer, Brandie.



## The Latest

If you have wondered how many registered sex offenders live in Parmer County, the total is six.

This includes Farwell, 3; Bovina, 1; and Friona, 2.

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A Texico lady wants to give away her 1-year-old pomeranian (with all its shots). Stop by 209 Anderson St., Texico.

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The State Line Tribune was named to the Media Honor Roll, a program sponsored by the Texas Association of School Boards, by Lazbuddie Schools last week.

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Texico police report all quiet last week.

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All bids must be submitted to Texico City Hall, PO Box 208, 219 Griffin St., Texico NM 88135 by Friday, Aug. 26, 2005, by 3:00 p.m.  
If any questions, call Texico City Hall at (505) 482-3314.

Ordinance No. 311

An ordinance amending Ordinance 291; an ordinance related to and amending any ordinance or portion of any ordinance which may conflict; an ordinance increasing the price of a grave plot; an ordinance providing for funds to the Cemetery Association to provide for headstone markers for grave sites in the Texico Cemetery and to provide for refunds to a designee; an ordinance establishing regulations for grave sites and landscaping in the Texico Cemetery.  
Passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Texico, New Mexico, on August 9, 2005.

Jerry Cunningham, mayor  
Attest:  
Michael Hannagan, city clerk

Notice to Contractors of Proposed  
Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) Contracts  
Sealed proposals for contracts listed below will be received by TxDOT until the date(s) shown below, and then publicly read.  
CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/  
BUILDING FACILITIES CONTRACT(S)  
Dist/Div: Lubbock  
Contract 0294-01-034 for MILLED SHOULDER TEXTURING in GAINES County, etc. will be opened on September 9, 2005, at 1:00 p.m. at the State Office.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at [www.dot.state.tx.us](http://www.dot.state.tx.us) and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.  
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Lazbuddie High Principal John Jones presents a plaque for "excellence service" to Donna Glover at the Lazbuddie All-School Reunion. Donna has served as chairwoman of the reunion committee for 15 years. She has put together four all-school reunions -- one every five years.

### Lovelace and Menefee were oldest former students attending Lazbuddie reunion

Leon Watson, Lazbuddie Class of 1966, provided some further information on the All-School Reunion held on Aug. 6.

The first students registered for classes in 1925 and the first graduation was held in 1934. The oldest former students attending were Frances Lovelace and Joe Menefee, both in 1925.

Traveling the furthest to attend was Shirley (Carpenter) Howard, who came from Houston.

The classes with the most former graduates present were a tie between 1957 and 1961, with eight each.

A list of addresses of former classmates was put together and they were able to get over 1,400 addresses in all.

Donna Glover said out of all the people who have graduated from Lazbuddie since 1934, only 50 students are unaccounted for. They have former students living in 28 states and three nations.

### Sheriff's Report

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

On Aug. 14, Jesus Hernandez, 39, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of DWI. Case pending in county court.

On Aug. 13, Aracely Flores, 36, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of assault. Case pending in county court.

On Aug. 9, Fred Rodriguez Jr., 26, of Farwell, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI. Case pending in county court.

### Jesko named 'Scholar'

Kayle Jesko, son of Terry and Janene Jesko of Lazbuddie, has been named an All-American Scholar by the U.S. Achievement Academy.

He is the grandson of Jim and Patsy Berry, of Lubbock, and Lee and Brenda Jesko, of Lazbuddie.

He was nominated by Lazbuddie teachers Mitzi Jennings, Debbie Weir, and Robin Jones.

### The Latest

Parmer County Historical Commission will hold its monthly meeting Aug. 18 at 2 p.m. at Treider Hardware Store in Lazbuddie. The public is invited.

There will be an informational meeting for parents of seniors at Farwell High School on Aug. 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. There will be discussions on colleges, financial aid, and scholarships.

The First Baptist Church of Farwell did not meet on Sunday morning due to the power outage that hit Farwell.

Services resumed Sunday evening.

Farwell's Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church will host a 'Round-Up' of church members on Aug. 21 at the city park. At 11 a.m., Roger Morris, a cowboy minister, will bring the message and music. There will be a lunch afterwards.

Here's a change in the Lazbuddie football schedule.

The scheduled game for Sept. 2 against Spade was cancelled because Spade dropped football this year.

Instead, Lazbuddie will host Whiteface that night.

The public is invited to a Program Development Group meeting at the EMS building in Bovina on Sept. 1 from 9 a.m. to noon., hosted by the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District.

District conservationist Mike White will help lead the discussion. For more info, call the USDA service center office at 481-3311.

Rain was abundant last weekend throughout Parmer County.

Walter Curd, of Texico, reports that 1.8 inches of moisture had fallen here as of Monday.

Ted Treider, the unofficial mayor of Lazbuddie, reports his gauge showed 1.65 inches of moisture.



### Early morning mishap

Parmer County deputy sheriff Wayne Gruben reported that a vehicle went past the barricades at the railroad tracks between Texico and Farwell (which are being repaired) before 4 a.m. on Aug. 9, and was struck by a train. Gruben said Fred Rodriguez, Jr., with a Utah driver's license, had borrowed a local woman's car. He drove the car onto the center track, where there was about a 2-foot drop-off and high centered the vehicle. The next train that came along struck it. Rodriguez posted bond and was released.



<b>Please attend church services</b>	<b>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</b> Worship Service -- 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.	<b>Bovina Church of Christ</b> Mike Prather, minister Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. - Bible class - 7:30 p.m.
<b>Lazbuddie Methodist Church</b> Rev. Randy Thomas Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship -- 10:30 a.m.	<b>Church of God in Christ, Mennonite</b> James Koehn - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.	<b>First Baptist Church of Lazbuddie</b>
<b>First Baptist Church of Farwell</b> Rev. Randy G. Mullin 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.fbctfarwell.org	<b>First Baptist Church of Texico</b> Rob Hollis - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. Worship-10:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.	<b>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</b> David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.
<b>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</b> Rev. Scott Spitsberg Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.	<b>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</b> 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	<b>San Jose Catholic Church, Texico</b> Sunday Mass - Noon Religious Education - 1:15 - 2:15 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.
<b>Lariat Church of Christ</b> 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	<b>Church of Christ</b> 110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter	<b>Farwell Church of Christ</b> 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.
<b>Assembly of God Church, Texico</b> Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 6 p.m.	<b>New Light Baptist Church</b> Pastor Bryan K. Phillips, Sr. Sunday School - 9:00 a.m. mt. BTU - 9:45 a.m. mt Worship - 11 a.m. mt Wednesday - Bible Study 6:30 p.m. mt	<b>Bovina United Methodist Church</b> Rev. Amelia Gonzales Sunday School - 9:45 Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday study, 7 p.m.
<b>St. Ann's Catholic Church</b> Fr. David Contreras Sunday Mass: 9:30 a.m. in English; Noon in Spanish. CCD -- 10:30 a.m. Evening Mass: 6:30 p.m. Tuesday; 7 p.m. Wed. - Fri.	<b>First Baptist Church Of Bovina</b> Aaron Reed, pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship & youth, 7 p.m.	<b>Iglesia Bautista Hispana in Bovina</b> Rafael Marin, pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship, 7 p.m.
<b>Farwell Convalescent Center</b> Bill Bridwell -- chaplain Sunday services -- 9 a.m. Bible study - 9:30 a.m. Friday	<b>Lazbuddie Church of Christ</b> Mickey Chambiss - minister Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:20 a.m. & 5 p.m. Wednesday -- 7 p.m.	<b>United Pentecostal Church of Texico</b> Rev. Mickey Mounce Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.



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## Lazbuddie wins scrimmage

Lazbuddie Football Coach Don Jones was very pleased with the Longhorns' opening scrimmage last weekend against Plainview Christian.

Despite his belief that Plainview was stronger this year, Lazbuddie won the scrimmage, 5-4.

And the close score was not indicative of how well the Longhorns played. For example, they had two touchdowns called back, and the Longhorns had one interception and recovered three fumbles.

"It was an excellent outing," said Jones. "We had some real highlights from that game, especially with our open field blocking and running."

No injuries were reported, also.

Jones plans to start the season with Steve Pacheco at quarterback, with running backs Jesse Gomez, Jason Davis, Sergio Cuevas and Ryan Mason.



## Hannah Bryant weds Jake Loudder

Jake and Hannah Loudder were married July 30 in a candlelight ceremony in St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Lubbock with Dr. W. R. Fleming, grandfather of the groom, officiating.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an empire waist gown of flowing white chiffon embellished with hand-beaded lace trim and featuring long romantic sleeves in sheer chiffon. She wore her hair in upswept curls adorned with a rhinestone tiara and a fingertip-length chiffon veil. She carried a bouquet of white roses, star-gazer lilies and misty limonium tied with sheer white embroidered bridal ribbon which had been fashioned by Peggy Loudder, the groom's aunt.

The bride's sister, Krista Enriquez, served as matron of honor, and Kristen Hartman, a friend of the bride, was the bridesmaid. Bridal attendants wore tea-length tulip skirts of raspberry and platinum plaid and platinum satin halter tops belted with raspberry silk ribbon. They carried bouquets of Star-gazer lilies, raspberry roses, misty limonium and plumosis tied with an array of decorative streamers. The groom and groomsmen were attired in traditional black tuxedos. The groom also wore a white striped satin vest and tie. The best man, Luke Loudder, cousin of the groom, and groomsman, Jake Laurent, friend of the groom, wore platinum-stripped vests and ties.

The sanctuary was decorated with oak pedestals draped in white chiffon and topped with silver candlesticks and white tapers. The pews were marked with bows of white tulle, raspberry silk flowers and silver sheer ribbons. White votives lined the altar rail. After the giving of the Bride, her brother, Aaron Bryant, performed an original song, "A Lasting Picture" with his sister, Krista Enriquez. Aaron also provided the guitar accompaniment. As the couple lit the unity candle, the groom's sisters, Lacy Conway and Katy Loudder, sang, "I Will Be Here."

Kaden Enriquez, nephew of the bride, was the ring-



Mr. and Mrs. Jake Loudder

bearer. Flower girl was Chloe Conway, niece of the groom. Nathan Bryant, brother of the bride, and Zack Morgan, friend of the groom, were ushers. Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the Galleria Room of the Embassy Suites Hotel.

The bride is the daughter of Bob and Ruby Bryant of San Marcos, Texas. Lance and Terri Loudder, of Dimmitt, are the parents of the groom.

The couple resides in Cordell, Okla., where the groom is employed with Hermlich and Payne Drilling Company.

## Lazbuddie School Board discusses roof repairs

The Lazbuddie School Board on Aug. 9 met with engineers and architects to discuss repairing the roof.

Currently, there has been a temporary fix. But the board is looking at repairing the entire roof -- except for the cafeteria (which has a metal roof) and the new gym.

Some architectural help is needed due to the project expense. And the board is looking into a vinyl-type roof with a 15-year guarantee.

At the next meeting, the board may make a decision. In other business, the board:

-- Set the proposed tax rate at \$1.50 per \$100 assessed valuation, same as this year. The public hearing will be on Aug. 30 at 8 p.m.

-- Hired Lauryn Parham as a substitute teacher; Ann Rainey, FCCLA teacher; Shannon Anderson, social studies teacher and testing coordinator.; Sarah Hood, 1st grade teacher; and Tori Townsend, 3rd grade teacher.

All posts have been filled, reported Supt. Karl Vaughn.

### Courthouse Notes

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

- Mary Curtis - Lesley Curtis, L24-26 B58 Farwell.
- Keith Batteny - Gilberto Torres, L11-12 B39 Friona.
- Jonye Lookingbill - Loren Lookingbill, L55 B2 Western Add, Friona.
- Virgie Cary estate - James Stevick, L3 B74 Bovina.
- Loren Martin - Lawrence Martin, NE/4 and SE/4, S35 Harding.
- John Allen - Teddy White, NW/4 S26 T3S R3E.
- Alvin Gaines Jr. - Manuel Lopez, L13 B5 Lakeside Addition
- Johnnie Rucker trust - Joe Bennett, W/2 S29 all S30 Blk C Rhea Brothers.

### 2005 Property Tax Rates in FARWELL HOSPITAL

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#### Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes	\$35,501
Last year's debt taxes	\$0
Last year's total taxes	\$35,501
Last year's tax base	\$87,874,819
Last year's total tax rate	0.040400/\$100

#### This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$35,388
÷ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$93,458,195
= This year's effective tax rate	0.037800/\$100

#### This year's rollback tax rate:

Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$35,505
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$94,336,839
= This year's effective operating rate	0.037600/\$100
× 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.040600/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.000000/\$100
= This year's rollback rate	0.040600/\$100

#### Statement of Increase/Decrease

If FARWELL HOSPITAL adopts a 2005 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.037800 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2004 taxes by \$ 151.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 305 3rd St., Bovina, Tx 79009.

Name of person preparing this notice: Curby Brantley Jr.

Title: Chief Appraiser

Date prepared: August 1, 2005

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The LAZBUDDIE ISD will hold a public meeting at 8:00 PM 08/30/2005 in Lazbuddie ISD Boardroom Lazbuddie, Tx.. **The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted.** Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

#### Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$1.500000	\$0.000000*	\$1.500000	\$4,473	\$3,638
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$1.531600	\$0.000000*	\$1.531600	\$4,911	\$3,199
Proposed Rate	\$1.500000	\$0.000000*	\$1.500000	\$4,945	\$3,199

\* The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

#### Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$27,874	\$30,256
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$12,874	\$15,256
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$1.500000	\$1.500000
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$193.11	\$228.84
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes	\$0.00	\$35.73

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

**Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is 1.6149. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of 1.6149.**

#### Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$450,000
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$0



**Carlee Luscombe**

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Carlee said, "I didn't like the cameras, but I really liked hanging out with my parents and Amy Grant."

Her mom, Jo Ann said, "She was nervous, but she got through it."

After going through the normal procedure of checking in, getting an MRI and waiting for results, she got her wish granted by the show.

Her dad, Texico basketball coach Richard Luscombe, said this all started as he was talking to Wayne Anderson a couple of months ago. Anderson, Texico's elementary school principal, persuaded him into taking Carlee to the open casting call for the show that was being held in Farwell.

Richard was undecided about this. He didn't want to do this if it was going to be a self serving wish. So he and Jo Ann sat down with Carlee and asked her what she would want to wish for.

Carlee, now 8 years old, said that she wanted to help those who were going through what she went through at Covenant Hospital. She wanted to give something to the people that helped her.

Her parents were shocked. This idea was better than anything they had hoped for. Especially since Carlee had been more strongly asking for a horse as each Christmas and birthday passed.

So they all went to the casting call and put in Carlee's wish. The next day they received a call.

The producers kept calling after that as the wish seemed to grow and take shape. Richard said, "They really fleshed out the wish and tried to make it as big as possible. It ended up 100 times larger than when it started."

Her day at the hospital started out like normal for Carlee, but after her usual routine, she went with Amy Grant, and all of those camera people, and surprised the 10-12 kids with presents.

One of the boys, Tristen, from Big Spring, Texas, was having a birthday party the day the show was filmed. The producers found out from the boy that Spiderman was his favorite super hero. They also found out what other patients really wanted.

As Carlee and Mrs. Grant joined the party, they were all surprised when Spiderman suddenly swung from a second story parking garage into the party to join them.

Gifts were handed out, and each of the young patients got something that they had really wanted; bicycle, dollhouse, teddy bears, RC cars and other things were handed out.

Richard said, "That was only part of the gift. The real gift came to the parents who had watched helplessly as their children went through their ordeals, and they got to see their kids truly happy for a short time."



*The Luscombe family gets filmed.*

"It was neat to see how appreciative the parents were."

Carlee got to help give out the presents, and she said, "That was really fun," and afterwards, she told her mom, "I didn't realize how good it could feel."

There was also a cash present for the doctors, to be used at the hospital. The Luscombes were surprised by how many of the doctors and nurses were still working there four years after Carlee's original stay there. And by how many still remembered her.

Richard was happy for his daughter, and believes that everything happens for a reason. "This was really more for the other kids than it was for us. They were the real winners here."

Jo Ann, Carlee's mom and a teacher at Bovina Schools, thanked Three Wishes and NBC for their help, but also the local communities for their prayers and support over the years.

Their trips back to the hospital have been difficult over the last several years, but from now on, they have a wonderful memory to see them through.

**Fontanilla, Hurley win championship of Penny Anderson golf tournament**

The 36th annual Penny Anderson golf tourney was held last weekend at the Farwell Country Club. Results were:

Championship flight -- 1st, Jeff Fontanilla and Josh Hurley, 125; 2nd, won chip-off, Mike Majors and Max Tenorio, 127; 3rd, Jared Doshier and Jason Saiz, 127.

1st flight -- 1st, Greg Trujillo and David Maldonado, 136; 2nd, Tate Nichols and Andrew Colio, 137; 3rd, Carlos Martinez and Frank Gutierrez, 141, won chip-off.

2nd flight - 1st, won chip-off, Doug Hughes and Milt Lutton, 140; 2nd, Jim Denton and Gary Hoadley, 140; 3rd, Clay Bracken and Rick Switzer, 141.

3rd flight - 1st, Greg Actkinson and Logan Nichols, 138; 2nd, Jim Leiberick and Larry Oehm, 142; 3rd, Julian Rubio and Mark Roybal, 144.

4th flight - 1st, Jim Hall and Chase Hall, 139; 2nd, Johnny Lavin and Ty Gast, 141; 3rd, Ronnie Romero and Amit Bhakta, 143.

5th flight - 1st, Tyson Hardy and Richard Gallegos, 148; 2nd, Randy Adrian and Rick Cornelison, 150; 3rd, Vick Christian and Jay Barrett, 151.

6th flight - 1st, Johnny Actkinson and Larry Gregory, 154; 2nd, Ron Edwards and Ralph Adams, 157; 3rd, Ronald Byrd and Chad Byrd, 159.

7th flight - 1st, Tom Beekman and Larry Powell Sr., 157; 2nd, Travis Lockmiller and Doug Johnson, 158; 3rd, Lance Bradley and Tige Bradley, 161.



*At debate camp*

These are the Farwell High students who attended the speech and theater camp at West Texas A&M University last month: From left, Lindsay Mullin, Jourdan Kirkland, Lauren Beaubien, Colby Norton, Ashleigh Mesman, (Lincoln Douglas Debate), Blake O'Hare, and Jon Beaubien. Their advisor is Angela Hall.

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	GENERAL FUND	FARM TO MARKET
<b>Last year's tax rate:</b>		
Last year's operating taxes	\$1,631,324	\$488,057
Last year's debt taxes	\$265,736	\$0
Last year's total taxes	\$1,897,060	\$488,057
Last year's tax base	\$461,347,221	\$455,276,848
Last year's total tax rate	0.411200/\$100	0.107200/\$100
<b>This year's effective tax rate:</b>		
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$1,897,773	\$487,909
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$481,785,943	\$475,584,276
= This year's effective tax rate for each fund	0.393900/\$100	0.102500/\$100
Total effective tax rate	0.496400/\$100	
<b>This year's rollback tax rate:</b>		
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$1,632,090	\$487,909
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$481,785,943	\$475,584,276
= This year's effective operating rate	0.338700/\$100	0.102500/\$100
× 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.365700/\$100	0.110700/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.052300/\$100	0.000000/\$100
= This year's rollback rate for each fund	0.418000/\$100	0.110700/\$100
This year's total rollback rate	0.528700/\$100	

**Statement of Increase/Decrease**

If PARMER COUNTY adopts a 2005 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.496400 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2004 taxes by \$ 8.330.

**Schedule A: Unencumbered Fund Balances: GENERAL FUND**

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
General	2,668,427

**Schedule A: Unencumbered Fund Balances: FARM TO MARKET**

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
FM Road	1,403,285

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Name of person preparing this notice: Curby Brantley Jr.  
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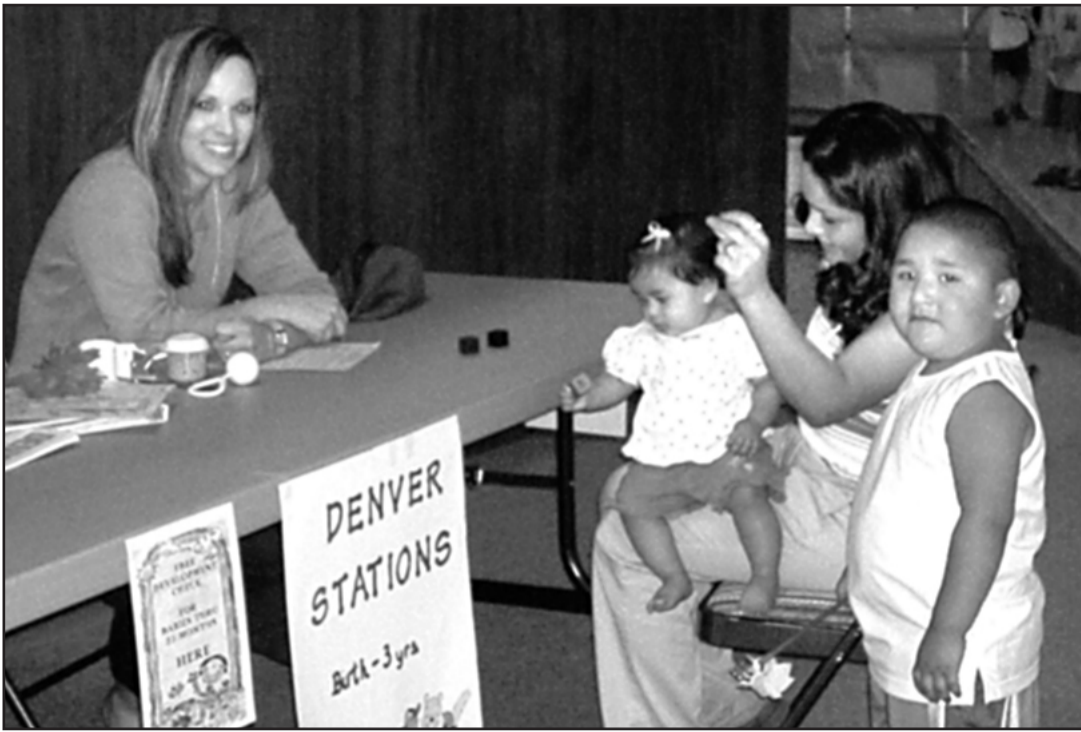
<b>Last year's tax rate:</b>	
Last year's operating taxes	\$581,300
Last year's debt taxes	\$0
Last year's total taxes	\$581,300
Last year's tax base	\$319,044,886
Last year's total tax rate	0.182200/\$100
<b>This year's effective tax rate:</b>	
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$580,478
÷ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$347,910,159
= This year's effective tax rate	0.166800/\$100
<b>This year's rollback tax rate:</b>	
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$580,478
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$347,910,159
= This year's effective operating rate	0.166800/\$100
× 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.180100/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.000000/\$100
= This year's rollback rate	0.180100/\$100

**Statement of Increase/Decrease**

If PARMER COUNTY HOSPITAL adopts a 2005 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.166800 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2004 taxes by \$ 181.

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Jackie Keith from ENMRSH does a developmental screening on Briana Retana, with help from A.J. Retana and mom Claudia Cordova.



Special education secretary Deborah Autrey helps elementary secretary Jennifer Stephens and school nurse Karen Stevenson, RN, as they register Shashaun Hagler's family, Brooks, Jacee, and Erin.



Kindergarten teacher Lupe Olivas registers Rolondo and Leslie Vizcarra.

### Percentage of Hispanics in Parmer County rises

US Today newspaper last week ran a Page 1 story on the climbing immigration of Hispanics into the U.S. Next to it, it ran a graph showing the 10 counties in the U.S. with the largest increase in the Hispanic share of the population and the percentage of Hispanics in those counties. The list of 10 included Parmer County. According to U.S. Census Bureau data, the percentage of Hispanics in Parmer County has climbed from 49 percent in 2000 to 55 percent in 2005.

## Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

### If you want a picture...

From Rob Pomper: Over the last year, the Tribune has gone through some interesting changes. Besides the color on the front and back pages, we have now published over 50 newspapers entirely digitally. That means that top to bottom, front to back, everything in our paper over the last year has been made up on the computer and in many cases e-mailed to the presses. I have had the pleasure of taking many of the pictures, along with Mike, Rebecca, and Danielle, and we have them all on our computer. The problem is that our files are starting to get pretty big.

Starting this week we are moving a lot of the older pictures to our files to make more room on the computer. This means a couple of things. If you want a copy of a picture that has been in our paper in the last year, let us know ASAP. Preferably the week that the paper comes out. Too long after that and the picture will be in the files, thus harder to get to. If you want a picture, please feel free to e-mail us at the mike@plateautel.net. We can send you either the picture or the whole page that it came out on. Keep in mind that the files are pretty big, and we cannot guarantee that you will be able to receive them. Finally, we do keep most of our pictures in black and white. I know it is an inconvenience, but our computer can use all the free memory we can get. If you don't have an e-mail address or if you are afraid the file is too big, you can always drop off a blank recordable CD and

we'll burn the picture for you. Our only special request is that you let us know what paper the picture was in. It helps us find the files, and get them to you more quickly. And from Mike: This will be my last column note this year on my beloved Cubbies. They have again fallen on hard times -- for the 60th consecutive year. But just wait 'til next year!!! The boys of summer will be the men of October when they host the 2006 World Series in the "friendly confines of beautiful Wrigley Field." Football season is about to start in earnest. This is an annual request: Our kids work hard to prepare for these games. They sincerely appreciate it when there is a strong turnout of fans. Please don't be couch potatoes on Friday nights - go to your high school

team's games. The kids are out there representing our communities. They deserve our support. A follow-up on last week's column about the need to pump water into the central U.S. One person said it would work better if we ran a pipeline down from Canada, like the oil pipeline coming from Alaska. The annual Texico School community-wide cookout is scheduled for 6 p.m. mt on Aug. 29 at the school cafeteria. All are invited. Following it, there will be a presentation at the school auditorium entitled "Pursuing Victory With Honor." During the presentation, an award will be given to Richard Hadley for his years of service as a school board member.

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**Football contest**

From page 1

And it so very, very important to enter each week in order to have a strong run at the grand prize award. So be sure to watch for the first week of the contest, in the Sept. 1 issue of the Tribune.

Once again, the Tribune will offer a special package involving the Dallas Cowboys to the overall contest winner. The champion will receive two tickets to the Cowboys vs. Kansas City Chiefs game on Dec. 11 plus \$200 cash for the hotel.

And the reason the Tribune is able to offer this contest, plus the weekly cash prizes of \$20 for the first place and \$7 for second, is due to the following sponsors.

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The 2004 winner was Adrian Ancira, who averaged 7.8 points a week, on a 12 point scale. That means he got 7.8 games out of each week's 12 picked correctly to take home the Big Prize. This shows you don't have to have a huge score to take the grand prize -- just be consistent.

Other past winners were Larry Gregory, Terry Craft, Becky Taylor, Willie Roberts, Jerry Rodam, Dale Sikes, Erlene Porter, Rusty McFarland, Sam Gonzales, T.J. Kittrell, Rex Cumpton, Pam Carpenter, Kirk Saul, Steve Foster, Jerry Dee Owen, Gay Goettsch, and Gage

Gregory.

Also, Brett Curtis, Hal Helton, Robin Gregory, Joannah Gartin, Charles Dannheim, Bunk Phillips, Maxine Williams, Ken Horn, Thelma Alexander, A.D. Kirk, Dodie Actkinson, Greg Hargorve, Dee Owen, Doris Herrington, Ruth Scott, C.L. Mahaney, Mrs. Roy Everett, Cheryl Scott, Roy King.

Rules for the 2005 contest will be the same as in the past. A person must be at least 12 years old to enter. Entrants must choose 12 teams they think will win in the selected games.

Games will be divided by high school, college and professional ranks. In case of a tie game, unless the tie was predicted by the entrant, the game will not be counted.

Each entrant must remember to pick a tie-breaker score, a very important feature of the contest since many weekly (and some grand prize winners) have been determined by the tie-breakers.

Each week's scoring is tabulated and kept on record at the Tribune's office. The standings are posted each Monday and may be seen during regular business hours.

All entry blanks must be turned into the Tribune office, 404 Third Street, Farwell, by 5 p.m. on Fridays. If the entries are mailed, they must bear a Thursday or Friday postmark or they will not be accepted.

Folks who mail their ballots to the Tribune can use either of these addresses: if you live in Texas, mail to State Line Tribune, P.O. Box 255, Farwell, TX 79325. If you live in New Mexico, mail to State Line Tribune, P.O. Box 222, Texico, NM 88135

Again, it is stressed that you enter each week's contest to have a strong shot at the grand prize. Even if you never pick 11 or 12 right to take the weekly prize, you can win the Dallas Cowboy tickets with a consistent 8 - plus weekly tally.

And don't forget to fill out the tie-breaker each week. Entry blanks for the first contest will be in the Sept. 1 issue of the Tribune. Entry blanks are also available at the Tribune office starting at 1 p.m. each Thursday.

And a special note to Bovina participants: The Tribune has placed a pickup box at the Parmer County Appraisal District office on 3rd Street in Bovina where you can drop off your ballots. The deadline there is 3 p.m. each Friday

## Byron Mayfield named to Texico School Board

The Texico School Board has appointed Byron Mayfield to fill the vacant school board post caused by Richard Hadley's move to Clovis -- out of the school district.

The board decided to go through a list of former school board members (since 1961) and candidates for recent elections.

Mayfield is a former school board member and also has children attending Texico School.

Mayfield accepted the appointment on Aug. 10.



Brad Johnson

## Johnson receives doctorate degree

Brad Johnson, vice president for enrollment and student services at Howard Payne University, who grew up in Lazbuddie, and whose family still resides in the area, was awarded the doctor of education degree in education administration at Baylor University, in Waco on Aug. 13.

Johnson is the son of Errol and Joyce Johnson of Lazbuddie. He is the grandson of Doris and the late Clarence Johnson and J.L. and Flaura Lee Bass of Farwell. He is the brother of Lorre Haseloff of Farwell.

Johnson's dissertation topic was on the TEXAS Grant Program, a statewide college financial aid program. His focus was on the persistence rates of first and second year college students who were recipients of the TEXAS Grant program.

He earned his bachelor's degree in education from Baylor and has earned at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, the master of arts in religious education and the master of arts in marriage and family counseling.

Johnson returned to the HPU administrative staff in May 2003.

From 1996 to 1999 he served HPU in two positions, as director of university counseling, testing and career services and as associate dean of students. In addition, he served HPU as an instructor, teaching "Adolescent Psychology" and the "University Transitions" course.

The HPU administrator returned to HPU after serving as director of financial aid and scholarships at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

From 1999 to 2002 he served McMurry University, also in Abilene, as associate director of admissions and financial aid and as assistant director of financial aid.

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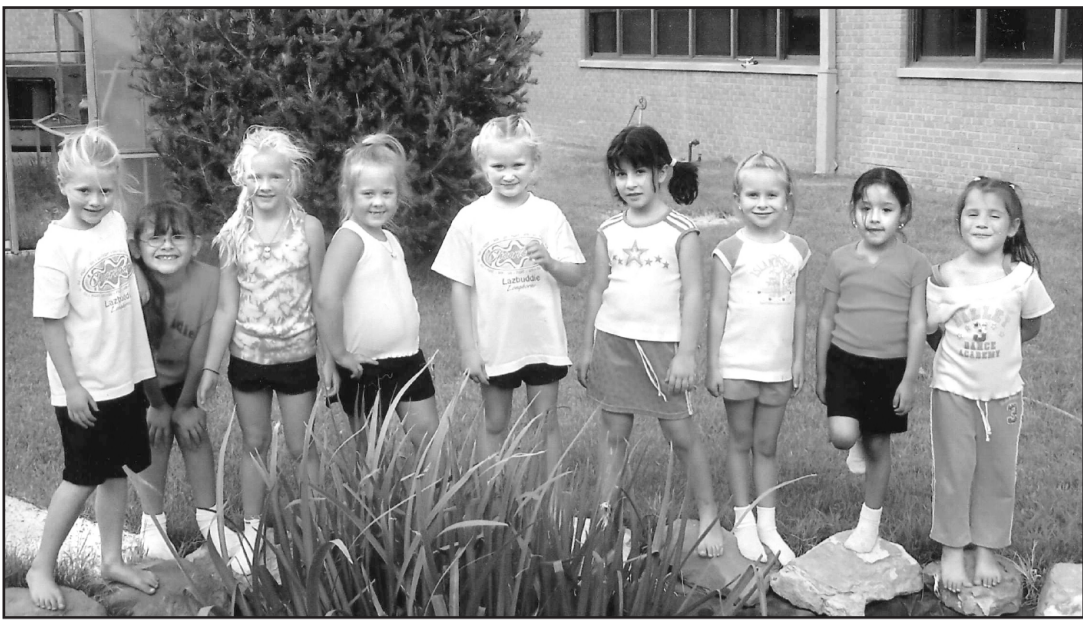

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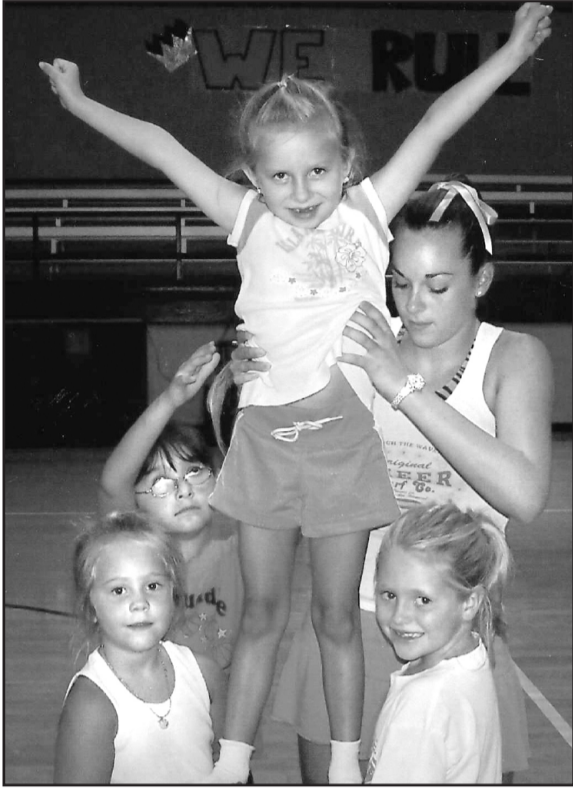




From left, Reagan Agee, Micah Vera, Gentry Hicks, Kenlea Barnes, Kennedy Nickels, Tara Flores, Ashley Scott, Devon Pacheco, Mikayla Merigan.



In back from left, Allison Weaver, Brooke Lennon, Shea Scott, Makenzie Flores, Jordan Hernandez. In front from left, Lacey Jesko, Emily Agee, Andrea Lule, Chandler Barnes, Ashton Mason, and Katlyn Hicks.



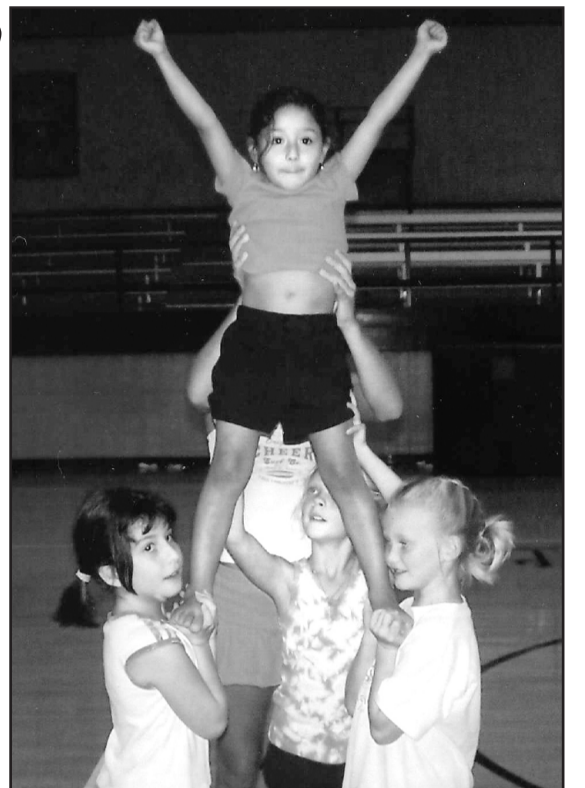
From left, Kenlea Barnes, Micah Vera, Ashley Scott, cheerleader Mica Brandvik and Reagan Agee.

## LAZBUDDIE CHEERLEADER MINI CAMP

The Lazbuddie varsity and junior high cheerleaders held a mini camp for girls age 5 through 6th grade on Aug. 4. The girls were taught chants, a cheer and a dance. They will perform at "Meet the 'Horns'" on Aug. 25 at the football stadium.



From left, Brooke Lennan, Allison Weaver, Chandler Barnes, Makenzie Flores and Shea Scott.



On top is Devon Pacheco. At the bottom are, from left, Tara Flores, Gentry Hicks and Kennedy Nickels.



Lazbuddie varsity cheerleaders for 2005-2006: from left, Jacey Anstead, Brittany Sexton, Brittney Schacher, Brianna Sanchez, Megan McGuire and Mica Brandvik.

### Lazbuddie receives superior rating at NCA cheerleading camp

The Lazbuddie varsity cheerleaders attended NCA cheerleading camp July 25-28 at Wayland Baptist University.

Members are Mica Brandvik, Brianna Sanchez, Megan McGuire, Brittney Schacher, Brittany Sexton and Jacey Anstead.

Twenty-three teams attended. The Lazbuddie group received an Excellent Ribbon on their Home Cheer evaluation on Monday. Then they received Superior ribbons on all their other evaluations Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. They also won the Spirit Stick on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Brianna received an All-American nomination for her tumbling.

Mica, Megan, Brittney and Brittany were given All-American nomination ribbons for Stunting. This ribbon gives the girls the opportunity to try out for the NCA All-American Team on Wednesday.

The awards ceremony was held Thursday. The Lazbuddie cheerleaders were nominated by the NCA staff to try out for the Top Team Award. They also received a bid to attend the NCA High School Nationals in Dallas in December and won a Spirit Stick to bring home.

Brianna and Brittney were named to the NCA All-American Team

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# BATTER UP!

This softball team is made up of players from Texico, Farwell and Clovis. Back row from left, Coach Danny Reid, Shelby Queener, Anette Monarez, Amanda Riley, Laiken Crist, Coach Doug Harrison; middle row, Melody King, Cristen Landry, Holly Harrison, Dava Terry, Jerrica Reid, Kambrie Reid, Amber Odegaard; front row, Kelsey McFarden, Amanda Bass. Anette was chosen by another team to play in the nationals, and they placed 2nd. Jerrica, Kambrie and Holly were chosen to play on a different team to compete at the nationals, and that team placed 8th.



## Treider: 'How to Honor Our Veterans'

The following essay by Lazbuddie High's Addie Treider took 1st place in the district Voice of Democracy contest. It is entitled "How to Honor Our Veterans." She read it to folks attending Lazbuddie School's 80th anniversary.

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As a young girl, my friends and I always played together in "The Meadow", as we called it. Sometimes we would play in the water and mud, then head home to clean ourselves up. "The Meadow" just really just my back yard, surrounded by a fence. I always wondered what other amazingly beautiful places there were in the world.

I would swing on the swing set in my back yard and pretend that I was flying, and could see the entire world below me. As I got older, my friends and I discovered many other wonderful places not far from where we lived.

Back in the days when I was young, I did not know what was going on in other parts of the world. I did not know why I was able to play and live freely. I now know that if it weren't for the heroes of America, the veterans, I would not have had such a wonderful childhood. I was free to live, play and dream. The veterans are the ones who made that possible.

Veterans are people, men and women, who have served our country by fighting or helping in wars, both overseas and here on this continent. Many veterans have died, and many others have a permanent handicap as a result of being in the wrong place at the wrong time while completing their assigned missions.

Some, I am sure, acted as a decoy in order for one of their fellow soldiers, or even a group of them, could get away, or make a surprise attack on the enemy and perhaps died in the process. Most of the veterans I know of have freely volunteered to fight in wars. Volunteering for something like fighting in a war and facing the risk of injury or death is a very brave and noble act.

The veterans who have died in a war have died for the sake of our country. The veterans are the ones who have kept our country a good place to live. They have also

kept our country free. If it weren't for the veterans, our country might be a terrible place to live, like some countries are to this very day.

Perhaps we wouldn't have the right to leave our property except for certain occasions. Perhaps we wouldn't be allowed to speak freely or own anything of our own. We take for granted the freedoms we have here in America today. The veterans have sacrificed everything so that we may live our lives freely.

At the time when these soldiers fought, no matter which war you look at, their personal politics and beliefs don't matter. They were there, fighting for our country, and they should be remembered for it. By honoring these men and women who have sacrificed everything, we honor not only their bravery, but also the things they fought for. They fought for our rights to life, liberty and happiness. Time and time again, those soldiers fought our enemies which threatened our freedom -- and they succeeded in keeping our country free.

Perhaps now you are thinking, 'How could I honor and support these brave men and women who have put their lives on the line for me?' There are several ways to honor and support the veterans.

One way is to celebrate Veterans Day. Veterans Day is a national holiday where we take the day to remember all the veterans who have served our country. It is a day when we honor all those who have fought and sacrificed for our country. Veterans Day became a national holiday on Nov. 11, the day that World War I ended.

At first, Veterans Day was called "Armistice Day," which basically means 'the end of the fighting.' The holiday was dedicated to the veterans of World War I, but is celebrated today to honor all of the veterans of America. Another way to honor and support the veterans is to support their families, and comfort those who have lost a loved one.

From infant to child to teenager, I have lived my life freely -- with guidance from my parents and grandparents. I would like to conclude this speech with two words to the veterans:

Thank you.

## Last call! Last call! County stock show dinner will be Saturday

The 2005 Parmer County Stock Show Dinner is set for Aug. 20 at 7 p.m. at the Farwell Community Center.

This year, local volunteers will prepare the meal. The meal will include rib-eye steak, green beans, new potatoes, salad, and green chile corn.

This dinner is a major fund-raiser for the county junior livestock show. Last year, all kids who participated, no matter what place they got at a show, received at least \$100 from the fund.

Each community in the county sells tickets. However, a maximum of 200 tickets will be sold, and two people may attend on one ticket.

To purchase tickets, call Gary Patterson, Farwell; Ed Terry, Lazbuddie; or Al Kerby, Bovina.

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This is the time when our area schools field athletes who carry their banner in the football stadiums. They work hard in practice and really would appreciate you going to their games and supporting their teams.

Here's a look at what's coming up this weekend:

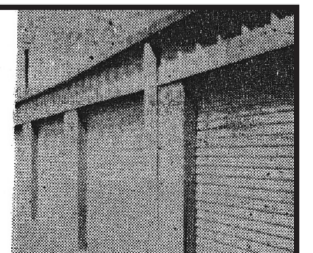
Farwell: The Steers play at Olton on Aug. 18 at 5 p.m. for a scrimmage. The JV Steers also will participate in this scrimmage.

Texico: The Wolverines host Dexter for a scrimmage at 6 p.m. mt on Aug. 19.

Bovina: The Mustangs play a scrimmage at Shamrock on Aug. 20 at 1 p.m.

Lazbuddie: The Longhorns play in Amarillo on Aug. 20 at 11 a.m. in a 3-way scrimmage with Holy Cross and San Jacinto.

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"I was very pleased" said Mustangs football coach Kent Torbert about the opening 3-way scrimmage last weekend against Memphis and Boys Ranch.

Against Memphis, both teams scored once. Bovina scored on a short run "after a nice long, time-consuming drive. We moved the ball well," said Torbert.

Boys Ranch outscored Bovina, 1-0. The Mustangs were using this opportunity to work on their option game.

"Overall, it went very well. We hit and tackled well. Our offensive line executed well, and our running backs ran hard," said the coach.

The quarterback position is still open, but look for Josh Guevara and Jacob Torbert to be the main running backs this year.

In just 2 weeks, the annual football contest begins. It's so important not to miss a week in order to win the Dallas cowboys tickets.

The Tribune will have a box to place your entries at the Parmer County Appraisal District office in Bovina. The deadline each week is 2 p.m. on Fridays.

The appraisal district staff will then fax your ballots to the Tribune just before closing shop for the day.

So if you want to play this fun contest, either for a shot at winning the weekly cash prizes, or for the big overall prize,

## BOVINA HIGH SCHOOL 2005-06 MASTER SCHEDULE

Teacher	Room	1st Period	2nd Period	3rd Period	4th / Lunch	Lunch / 4th	5th Period	6th period	7th Period
		8:20-9:10/9:25	9:29-10:19	10:23-11:13	HS 11:17-12:07	HS 12:07-12:37	12:41-1:31	1:35-2:25	2:29-3:19
		Break 9:10-9:25			MS 11:13-11:43	MS 11:47-12:37			
Anderson	129	MS	BCIS	MS	Lunch	MS	Conference	Yearbook	Yearbook
Avalos	Pub	Nurse	Nurse	Nurse	Lunch	Nurse	HST	Conference	HST
Burch	124A	Conference	Communications	English III	English I	Lunch	English I	English III AP	TAKS ELA
Chitwood	119	Biology	TAKS Science	Biology	IPC	Lunch	IPC	Biology	Conference
Douglas	125	MS ESL	Conference	ESL	Chemistry	Lunch	TAKS Science	ESL	ESL
Drumma	118	MS CM/Res	MS CM/Res	CM/Res	CM/Res	Lunch	CM/Res	CM/Res	Conference
Epps	125	HS B Ath	Conference	MS G Ath	Lunch	MS B Ath	Govt./Econ.(123)	DE(123)	HS G Ath
Guevara, H.	121	HS B Ath	MS PE	MS G Ath	Lunch	Conference	HS P.E.	Spanish I	HS G Ath
Hall	124B		Conference	W. Geography	Econ./Govt.	Lunch	US History	US History	W. Geography
Jackson	127	TAKS Math	Geometry	Geometry	Lunch	MS Math	Conference	TAKS Math	TAKS Math
Livingston	Band								HS Band
Lockmiller	120	Theatre	Eng. II	Eng. II	English IV AP	Lunch	English IV	Conference	Theatre
Martinez	121	Spanish I	Conference	Spanish III	Spanish II	Lunch	Spanish III	Spanish II	Spanish I
Ontiveras	117	HS B Ath	Chemistry	TAKS Science	Lunch	MS B Ath	Chemistry	Conference	TAKS Science
Ragland	126	Algebra I	Algebra II	Algebra II	Algebra I	Lunch	Algebra I	Conference	Pre Calculus
Reagan	122	HS B Ath	Conference	MS G Ath	W. History	Lunch	W. History	W. History	HS G Ath
Rich	Lib								
Richardson	Shop	Conference	Woods/Weld	Woods/Weld	Welding	Lunch	Woods/Weld	Woods/Weld	Welding
Saddler	Pub	Criminology	Criminology						
Shorter	ISS	HS B Ath	ISS	Conference	Lunch	MS B Ath	ISS	ISS	ISS
Sudderth	128	BCIS	Accounting(123)	Video Tech.	Accounting(123)	Lunch	Video Tech.	Conference	BCIS
Torbert	FH	HS B Ath	HS Health	ISS	Lunch	MS B Ath	AD	Conference	HS G Ath

please join in the fun. And there is no fee to play.

A note from Mike Pomper:

Folks, I joined the Bovina Chamber of Commerce last fall. And I can testify that this hard-working group is vital to the community.

But a small group of community-minded folks can't do it all. They need more help. Yes, I know we get tired after a hard day's work. I'm there, too.

But I recognize the importance of local groups to help build our communities. So I get involved.

Bovina has many strengths and one is its willingness to work together and get things done.

Dr. Mindy Neal is president of the Bovina Chamber. She needs more folks to join in and help make this organization stronger.

Can you please help? If so, just sign up. Call her at her clinic.

The need is there. Please help.

Changes in the Bovina football schedule.

On Sept. 22, the JV will play the Clovis sophomores there at 7:30 p.m.

And on Sept. 23, the varsity will play Petersburg there at 7:30 p.m.

So please update the schedules that were printed in last week's Tribune.

Here is the bell schedule for Bovina Middle and High Schools:

8:20 to 9:10 a.m., 1st period

9:10 to 9:25 a.m., break-fast

9:29 to 10:19 a.m., 2nd period

10:23 to 11:13 a.m., 3rd period

11:13 to 11:43 a.m., middle school lunch

11:17 a.m. to 12:07 p.m.,

high school 4th period

11:47 a.m. to 12:37 p.m., middle school 4th period

12:07 to 12:37 p.m., high school lunch

12:41 to 1:31 p.m., 5th period

1:35 to 2:25 p.m., 6th period

2:29 p.m. to 3:19 p.m.,

7th period

3:19 to 3:49 p.m., tutorial/pep rally time.

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Bovina got a goodly amount of rain over the weekend, but the totals depended on where you

live. Bonnie Scaff, who lives on the south side of town, said her gauge showed 1.5 inches of moisture.

But on the north side, reports of well over 3 inches of rain were said.

## What is your favorite music?

by Danielle Cargile

The music world is changing constantly. New artists are on the horizon, new genres are being invented, and there is always something new on the radio.

I once again went to Lowe's grocery store in Bovina to ask people questions. (I bet they're finally glad to get rid of me! This was my last week working at the Tribune before heading to college.)

This week's topic of choice was "What's your favorite music, artist, and/or song?" Here's what some had to say...

Rocky Bartlett likes country. In particular, he likes Alan Jackson and Gretchen Wilson. "They sure are somethin'," he said.

Romy Ruiz couldn't make up his mind. He likes all different artists. Aerosmith, Hilary Duff, Alan Jackson, Metallica, Brad Paisley, 2 Pac ...he basically listens to everything.

Chris Bachicha likes to listen to hip-hop. Lil' Jon and Mike Jones are among his favorites right now.

Levi McCormick is a fan of country. "Keith Anderson is my favorite," he said. He likes the song, "3 Chord Country & American Rock 'n' Roll."

Chase Mitchell is also a fan of country. His favorite artist is the Charlie Daniel's Band and their song "The Devil Went Down To Georgia" is one of his favorites.

Danny Pollard is a hard rock fan. He listens to Metallica's "Master of Puppets."

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### 2005 Property Tax Rates in CITY OF BOVINA

This notice concerns 2005 property tax rates for CITY OF BOVINA. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

#### Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes	\$132,027
Last year's debt taxes	\$0
Last year's total taxes	\$132,027
Last year's tax base	\$24,004,998
Last year's total tax rate	0.550000/\$100

#### This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$133,259
÷ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$24,926,424
= This year's effective tax rate	0.534600/\$100

#### This year's rollback tax rate:

Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$142,044
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$24,926,424
= This year's effective operating rate	0.569800/\$100
× 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	0.615300/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	0.000000/\$100
= This year's rollback rate	0.615300/\$100
- Sales tax adjustment rate	0.035100/\$100
= Rollback tax rate	0.580200/\$100

#### Statement of Increase/Decrease

If CITY OF BOVINA adopts a 2005 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of 0.534600 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2004 taxes by \$ 223.

#### Schedule C - Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For hospital districts, cities and counties with additional sales tax to reduce property taxes) In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$ 8,785 in additional sales and use tax revenues. For County: The county has excluded any amount that is or will be distributed for economic development grants from this amount of expected sales tax revenue.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 305 3rd St., Bovina, Tx 79009.

Name of person preparing this notice: Curby Brantley Jr.

Title: Chief Appraiser

Date prepared: August 11, 2005

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The BOVINA ISD will hold a public meeting at 7:00 PM 08/29/2005 in Bovina ISD Boardroom Bovina, Tx. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted. Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

#### Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$1.270000	\$0.000000*	\$1.270000	\$1,645	\$4,996
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$1.223800	\$0.000000*	\$1.223800	\$1,611	\$5,030
Proposed Rate	\$1.300000	\$0.000000*	\$1.300000	\$1,718	\$5,043

\* The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

#### Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$30,883	\$32,539
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$15,883	\$18,539
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$1.270000	\$1.300000
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$201.71	\$241.00
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes	\$0.00	\$39.29

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is 1.3434. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of 1.3434.

#### Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$926,828
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$0



# Bovina city property taxes to rise 3 cents

The Bovina City Council on Aug. 11 unanimously approved the city budget. Copies are available at City Hall.

They had looked at dropping the vehicle tax, which would have raised property taxes about 10 cents, but heard that the County and School Boards were not dropping theirs. So property taxes will be raised 3 cents to 58 cents per \$100 assessed valuation.

The raise was basically needed due to the higher fuel costs.

This ended the streak of five years in a row that the city tax had been lowered

In other business, the council:

-- Discussed Martha Jaramillo's offer to buy a property -- a vacant lot at the end of Second Street.. No action was taken pending a review of zoning ordinance to see if a trailer home can be put on the property.

-- Did not make any changes in the Cemetery Rules about the number of items that can be put on gravesites. The number of items will remain at two.

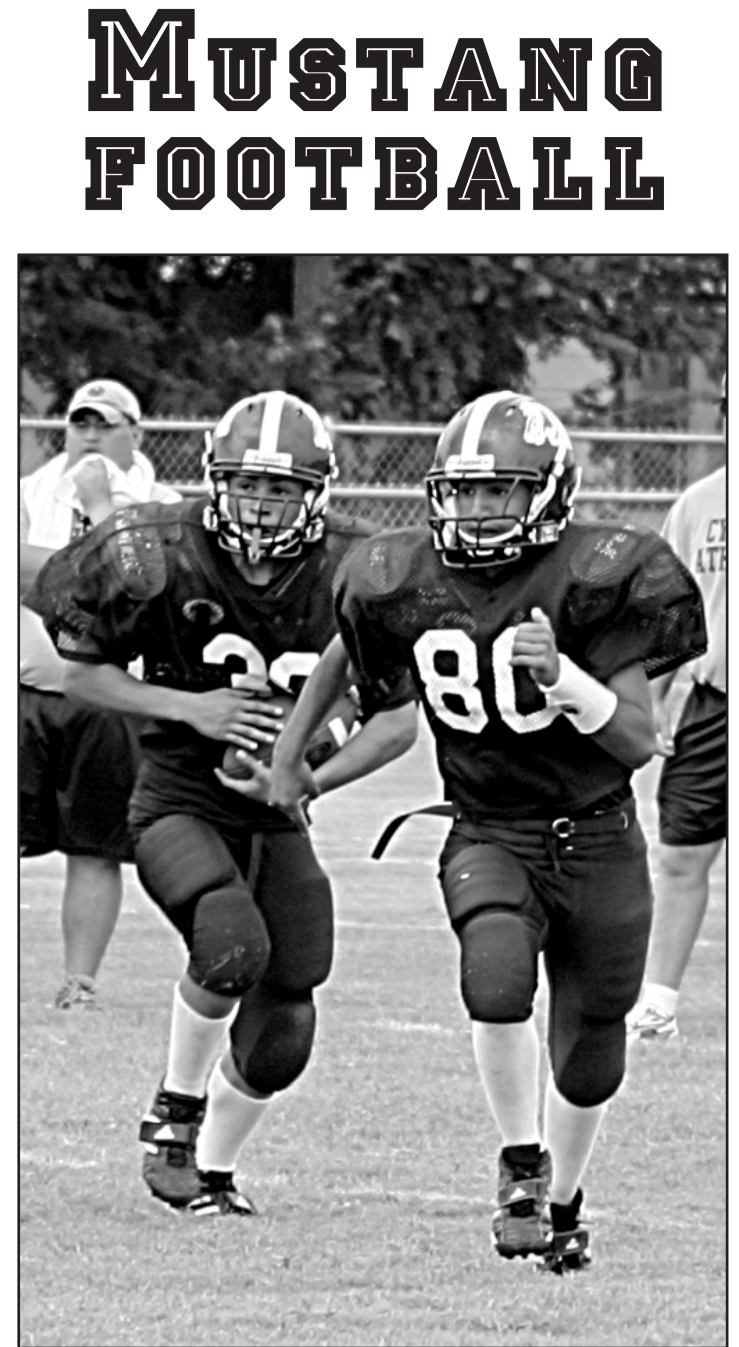
-- Approved a rate increase on telecommunications from \$1.34 to \$1.41. This is to bring Bovina in line with the rest of the state, and was requested by the Public Utility Commission.

-- Discussed Bovina's National Incident Management System (NIMS) compliance. This is important in case an emergency or disaster were to befall the city.

If there were no NIMS compliance in place, FEMA funds would not be accessible. Mandatory training of the City Council, City Judge, and City Manager will be set up to make sure there is compliance. All cities in the U.S. have to do this.

-- Heard a report from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) on their review of dust from the grain elevators. The TCEQ found no green dust, and they also found no nuisance dust.

-- Signed a Memorandum of Understanding in a show of support between the school, city and the Bovina Community Network (BCN). The BCN will have their electricity and gas bills covered by the school, and the city will pay for water, sewer and trash.



## Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase

Last year, the PARMER COUNTY HOSPITAL property tax rate was \$0.182200. That rate raised \$580,782, a portion of which was used to fund operations such as:

Maintaining and Operating Medical Facility

This year, PARMER COUNTY HOSPITAL is proposing a property tax rate of \$0.180000. That rate would raise \$628,055, which is \$47,273 more than taxes imposed last year.

There will be two public hearings to consider that increase. The first public hearing will be held on August 23, 2005 at 7:00 PM at Parmer County Hospital Boardroom. The second hearing will be held on September 6, 2005 at 7:00 PM at Parmer County Hospital Boardroom.

You have a right to attend the hearings and make comments. You are encouraged to attend and make comments if you wish.

## Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase

Last year, the PARMER COUNTY property tax rate was \$0.518400. That rate raised \$2,390,207, a portion of which was used to fund operations such as:

Operating County services, road maintenance, and Parmer County Sheriff's Department.

This year, PARMER COUNTY is proposing a property tax rate of \$0.528400. That rate would raise \$2,556,038, which is \$165,831 more than taxes imposed last year.

There will be two public hearings to consider that increase. The first public hearing will be held on August 22, 2005 at 2:00 PM at Parmer County Courtroom. The second hearing will be held on August 31, 2005 at 11:00 AM at Parmer County Courtroom.

You have a right to attend the hearings and make comments. You are encouraged to attend and make comments if you wish.

## Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase

Last year, the CITY OF BOVINA property tax rate was \$0.550000. That rate raised \$130,660, a portion of which was used to fund operations such as:

Road, Water, Sewer, and General City Works Operations and Maintenance

This year, CITY OF BOVINA is proposing a property tax rate of \$0.580000. That rate would raise \$144,963, which is \$14,303 more than taxes imposed last year.

There will be two public hearings to consider that increase. The first public hearing will be held on September 1, 2005 at 5:00 PM at City Hall. The second hearing will be held on September 8, 2005 at 7:00 PM at EMS Building.

You have a right to attend the hearings and make comments. You are encouraged to attend and make comments if you wish.

### Music From page 10

Trisha Rocha likes the country genre. Her favorite artist is Kenny Chesney. "All his songs are my favorite," she said.

Jennifer Reyna listens to rap. "I like 50 Cent and their song 'Candy Shop,'" she said.

Elva Larrera likes Kumbiya music. Her artist of choice is Grupo Primavera and their song "Te Amere."

Billy Johnson likes the old country. He's a big fan of George Jones and his song "Come Walk With Me."



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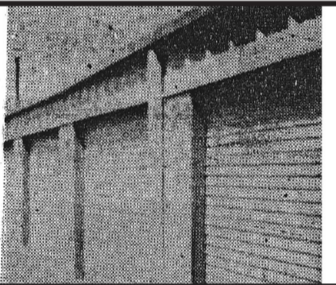
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Just listed - 2 bedroom 1 bath stucco home near post office in Farwell

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160 acres, irrigated, west of Texico. 1 irrigation well, circle sprinkler. Lays good.

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305 irrigated acres west of Bovina on highway, 2 irrigation wells and 2 sprinklers, lays good

2 bedroom, 1 bath home in good neighborhood in Farwell. **Sold**

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3 bedroom, 1 bath house in Farwell. New roof, fenced back yard, stove, carpet, close to school on corner lot.  
New Listing - BOVINA - 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath brick home, built-ins, refrig. air, central heat, single car garage, fenced back yard. Priced to sell. **Sold**  
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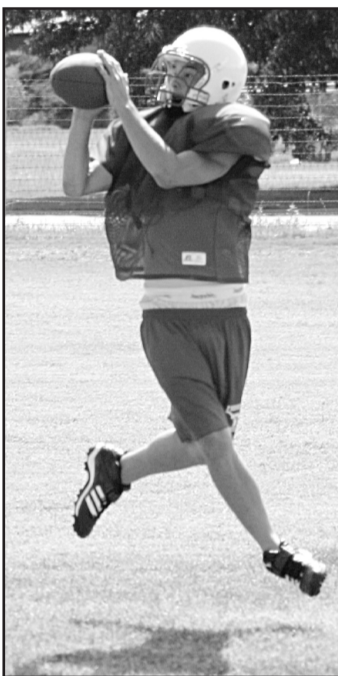
## Accident involves Texico police car

A two-vehicle accident occurred about 7:30 p.m. on Friday on the highway near the former truck wash at the west side of Texico.

Ruth Anne Bennett, a Farwell kindergarten teacher, was westbound when her vehicle was struck in the side and rear by a Texico patrol car driven by officer Diego Lucero.

Lucero was doing traffic control and parked off the highway. He said he clocked a speeder and pulled out, not seeing Mrs. Bennett's vehicle, and struck it.

Mrs. Bennett was taken by ambulance to Clovis hospital after being in some pain. She told the Tribune on Sunday she felt much better, but was still shaken up from the accident.



Scenes from the last Steers' practice before their scrimmage.



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## More Bovina Fish Fry Pictures



Byron Neal hangs out with Cameron, Shane and Charlie.



## Steers scrimmage Bushland

"It went okay," said Farwell Steers coach Jacob Thompson of his team's opening scrimmage last weekend against Bushland. "We ran our plays, and there's a lot to do."

Bushland is a new school, and Farwell played against 9th and 10th graders.

"We dominated early, but then relaxed too much," said Thompson.

Three TDs were scored - one by Bushland, one by the Farwell varsity and one

by the Farwell JV. Thompson cited Logan McFarland for running well at fullback, and quarterback Derrick Chandler for running well, too. He said

the Farwell JV started slowly, but ended well.

One change in the Steers schedule: they will play at Olton on Aug. 18 at 5 p.m., not here.

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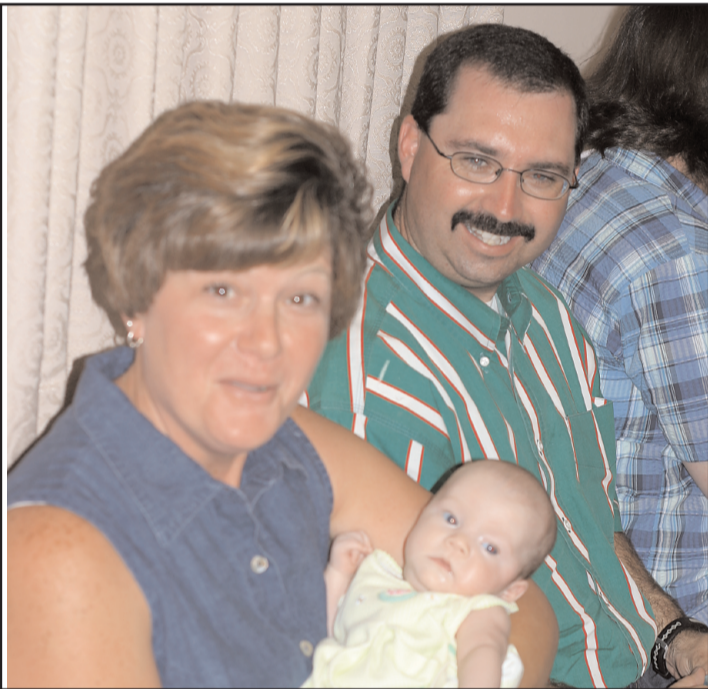
Adrienne Cash, Abby Johnson, Taylor Prather, Taylor Stancell, Janae McClaran, Kyla Howell, Jill Johnson and Gabrielle Schilling



Jyl Grimsley and Geniva Stanley from Friona.



Dudley and Pat Cash were joined by Adrienne Cash, who traveled in from Montana just for the fish fry.



Charolette Wilks shows off Jeff Proctor's daughter Elaina.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST FISH FRY

More pictures on page 13



Scott Johnson brought a party of South Africans to the dinner. They are in town helping him out this year.



Hunter Widner, Dr. Mindy Neal's daughter, stretches her legs on the lawn after the feast.

More Bovina news on pages 10 and 11



Celia Teinda owner of Flora Exrpsions



Gift selections at Floral Exrpsions

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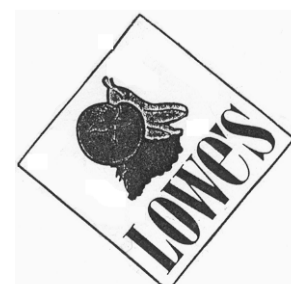
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