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Goats Showmanship winners: Logan Mason, Ashton Mason, Tyler Hough, Clay Brigham.



Sheep Showmanship winners: Logan Mason, Jared Timms, Kendall Kimbrough, Austin Mason.



Barrows Showmanship winners: Abby Johnson, Logan Mason, Ethan Stancell, Austin Mason.



Steers Showmanship winners: Jill Johnson, Abby Johnson, Lacey Jesko, Brandon Berend.

Ashton & Austin Mason, Abby & Cari Johnson, Cambree Haseloff exhibit county stock show champs

The 62nd annual Parmer County Junior Livestock Show was held in Friona last weekend.

The sales totaled \$88,225, compared to \$92,700 last year and \$92,375 the year before.

Still to be brought in are funds from add-ons and "bump money." This includes a lot of money. For example, the add-ons to last year's total were \$45,948 (including \$13,701 profit from the annual steak dinner).

The 2009 steak dinner profit was \$14,026.

Top winners were:

Gilts - Cambree Haseloff, Grand Champion; and Kylie Haseloff, Reserve Champion.

Barrows - Cari Johnson, Grand Champion; and Shea Scott, Reserve Champion.

Lambs - Austin Mason, Grand Champion; and Kendall Marrow, Reserve Champion.

Steers - Abby Johnson, Grand Champion; and Logan Mason, Reserve Champion.

Goats - Ashton Mason, Grand Champion; and Logan Mason, Reserve Champion.

Full results are:

Barrows

Prospect Class 1 - Jill Johnson, 1st; Hanna Sudderth, 2nd; Cade Hurst, 3rd; Cheyenne Patrick, 4th; Taylor Stancell, 5th; Trace Stancell, 6th.

Prospect Class 2 - Cade Box, 1st; Russell Schilling, 2nd; Caitlyn Stancell, 3rd; Kendal Stancell, 4th; Treg Box, 5th; Trey Hurst, 6th; Hanna Sudderth, 7th.

Prospect Class 3 - Cari Johnson, 1st; Sterling Henderson, 2nd; Abby Johnson, 3rd; Matt Martin, 4th; Shayle Swink, 5th; Elisha Carrasco, 6th; Cambree Haseloff, 7th; Slade Swink, 8th.

Berk Class 1 - Austin Mason, 1st; Hadley White, 2nd.

Berk Class 2 - Jenna Kirkland, 1st and Breed Champion; Jared Timms, 2nd and Reserve Breed Champion; Reagan Stowers, 3rd; Michelle Wauson, 4th.

Chester Class 1 - Triston Bomer, 1st and Breed Champion; Kylie Haseloff, 2nd and Breed Reserve Champion; Cambree Haseloff, 3rd; Ashton Mason, 4th.

Duroc Class 1 - Sterling Henderson, 1st; Allison Weaver, 2nd; Shea Scott, 3rd; Sidney Urbantke, 4th; Ashton Mason, 5th; Emily Stancell, 6th; Kendal Stancell, 7th; Bretton Stancell, 8th; Jordan Carrasco, 9th; Trace Stancell, 10th.

Duroc Class 2 - Abby Johnson, 1st, Breed Champion and Senior Showmanship; Jill Johnson, 2nd and Breed Reserve Champion; Ashley Scott, 3rd; Dillon Kirkland, 4th; Ashlyn Timms, 5th; Kinzi Jo Schacher, 6th; Caitlyn Stancell, 7th; Colton Weaver, 8th; Victor Godinez, 9th; T.J. Radford, 10th.

Landrace Class 1 - Emily Stancell, 1st and Breed Champion; Bretton Stancell, 2nd and Reserve Breed Champion; Matt Martin, 3rd.

Hamp Class 1 - Sidney Urbantke, 1st; Cambree Haseloff, 2nd; Cade Box, 3rd; Jordan Carrasco, 4th; Tyler Schilling, 5th; Taylor Stancell, 6th; Colton Weaver, 7th; Madysen Milloy, 8th; David Schwab, 9th.

Hamp Class 2 - Bretton Stancell, 1st and Reserve Breed Champion; Logan Mason, 2nd and Reserve Senior Showmanship; Matthew Kube, 3rd; Treg Box, 4th; Shayle Swink, 5th; Hadley White, 6th; Kendall Barnett, 7th; Josh McIntosh, 8th; Sidney Urbantke, 9th.

Hamp Class 3 - Ethan Stancell, 1st.

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Scenes from the Parmer County Livestock Show



Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

Recently, we have learned there may be some confusion concerning baseball for our youths here in Farwell and Texico due to a situation involving the setup of the Clovis youth baseball programs.

We want to let parents know that the Texico-Farwell youth baseball program operated by the Farwell Little League is alive and well.

We will have signups during February and will draft teams in early March. League play will begin in late April or early May.

We will offer programs for all children from Texico and Farwell and the surrounding area, ages 5-14.

Little League emphasizes the fundamentals of baseball with special attention to the rules of the game and good sportsmanship. Our intent is to have a fun environment with the emphasis on the kids.

We will be advertising the time and places for sign-ups shortly. Please watch for notes coming home from school. Practices will be right here in the Twin Cities with no need to travel to Clovis or elsewhere to practice.

And we thank our local businesses who support the program on an annual basis. Last year, about 150 Texico-Farwell kids participated. And we look forward to another great year!

Mike Ratke, president
Farwell Little League Board of Directors

Dear Parents and Community Members,

Do you know what your children do on the internet, what kind of content there is on it and how to keep your children safe on it?

If not, you are invited to attend a workshop for safe internet use on Thursday, Jan. 21, at 6:30 p.m. in the computer lab at the Lazbuddie educational building.

None of the content will be explicit, though it will be preferred that parents are the main attendees. In charge of the meeting will be Lazbuddie High FCCLA students Todd Nichols, Paola Estrada and Elias Ramos.

They will present the best parental controls and a basic comparison of parental controls which parents might use to protect their kids in the future. Also, there will be explanations of what types of dangers there are on the internet and how they might affect your child in the future.

The workshop will be held to educate parents to a further extent to protect their children. It's not mandatory, but everyone is welcomed.

Paola Estrada, Todd Nichols and Elias Ramos

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Meet Farwell's Class of 2022

Max Villarreal is a Farwell kindergartener. His birthday is May 19. Parents are Max & Jeannette Villarreal, & Jessica & Chris Galvan. Siblings are Jordan, Sage, Jaclyn & Solomon. Grandparents are Richard & Teena McDonald, Rachael Villarreal, Robert Gomez, Jerry & Sandy Harrison. He likes to play with trucks & remote control cars, ride a bike & go kart. Favorite color is blue. He likes chicken & shells, mac & cheese. He doesn't like going to bed, avocados, and to stop playing.

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Wolverines fall in battle of unbeatens

Varsity Boys

In a battle of unbeaten teams, Mesilla Valley topped the Wolverines, 63-50, at home on Saturday.

MV is now 16-0. Texico is now 14-1.

The game was tied at the half, 29-all, before MV outscored the Wolverines, 20-9, in the 3rd quarter.

Scoring were Quin Winkles, 9; Jose Posada, 1; Connor Doolittle, 3; Garrett Foote, 2; Lucas Walthers, 16; Seth Bailey, 16; and Kyle Boatman, 6.

The Wolverines had an 82-49 victory over Elida there on Friday.

Scoring were Keegan Hollis, 2; Posada, 9; Doolittle, 18 (including four 3-pointers); Foote, 3; Marques Pena, 8; Walthers, 14; Bailey, 23 (including a trio of 3-pointers); and Boatman, 5.

9th Girls

Texico's 9th grade girls beat Portales, 32-27.

Scoring were Lindsey Foote, 1; McKenzi Mayfield, 10; Raelynn Prather, 8; Mel Lucero, 11, and Bianca Davalos, 2.

JV Boys

Texico's JV Boys doubled up on Melrose, 70-35.

Scoring were Sergio Posada (with a trio of 3-pointers); Wayne Skabelund, 16; Tyler Strickland, 8; Jesus Rivera, 9; Trevor Bridges, 2; Kolten Miller, 3; Trent Barclay, 6; Rustin Harris, 10.

Texico put away Mesilla Valley, 48-28.

Scoring were Posada, Miller and Harris, 2 each; Barclay, Strickland and Donovan Johnson, 4 each; Skabelund, 18;

Rivera, 12.

Texico pasted Elida, 61-19.

Scoring were Posada, 12; Johnson, 10; Skabelund, 16; Strickland, 6; Miller, 7; Pal Herndon, 4; and Rivera, Bridges and Barclay, 2 each.

Varsity Girls

The Lady Wolverines are 12-5 after topping Elida there, 49-46.

Scoring were Katlin Luscombe, 8; Victoria Richards, 6; Shaylee Anderson, 8; Shannon Van Matre, 2; Jordyn Cooper, 12 (including a trio of 3-pointers), and Jaylyn Cooper, 13.

7th Boys

Texico's 7th grade boys lost to Yucca Blue, 49-22.

Scoring were Justin Rucker, 8; Dalton Wren, 6; Josh Tredway, 2; and Brendon Clark and Tristan Lockmiller, 3 each.

8th Boys

Texico's 8th grade boys beat Yucca Blue, 52-47.

Scoring were Mitchell Pinnell, 7; John Myers, 12; Miguel Reyna, 20; Jarron Hill, 3; Gentry Doolittle, 9.

7th Girls

Texico's 7th grade girls lost to Yucca Blue, 41-9.

Scoring were Pam Jones, 2; and Taylor Stephens, 7.

8th Girls

Texico's 8th grade girls beat Yucca Blue, 21-9.

Scoring were Chasity Weems, Cassidy Downing and Kassie Waller, 2 each; Shlby Vannatta, 4; Brooklynn Wootton, 11.



Katlin Luscombe

Luscombe named Player of the Year

Texico's Katlin Luscombe was named Class 2A Volleyball Player of the Year when the 2009 All-State Team was announced.

Other Lady Wolverines named to the team were: 1st Team -- Outside hitters Victoria Richards and Jordyn Cooper; middle hitter/blocker Katlin Luscombe; setter Fallon Scanlan; and libero Erin Scanlan.

2nd Team -- middle hitter/blocker Jaylyn Cooper. Honorable Mention -- Morgan Pinnell.

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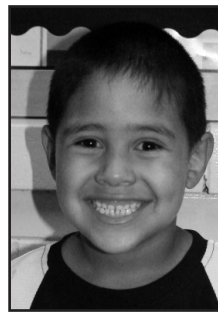
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Meet Texico's Class of 2022



Rodrigo Vizcarra is a Texico kindergartener. His birthday is June 17.

Parents are Ysidro & Veronica. Siblings are Rolando, Letzi & Leslie. Grandparents are Maria & Manuel, & Dolores Arcadio.

He likes soccer and basketball. His favorite color is blue.

Favorite foods are pizza and spaghetti.

He doesn't like beans.

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Kathryn Robards Johnston

Kathryn Robards Johnston, of Lubbock, departed this life on Jan. 13, 2010, at the age of 84 years. She was born in Farwell on Oct. 5, 1925, to James and Bertha (Devers) Robards. Mrs. Johnson attended school in Muleshoe.

Kathryn married Robert Scott Johnston Feb. 1, 1947, in Clovis. Mrs. Johnston was the hotel manager for the Holiday Inn of Lubbock for 25 years. She loved sports, was an avid bowler and enjoyed cooking.

Those left to cherish her memory are one daughter, Linda Lakin, of Lubbock; three grandchildren: Robert Lakin, Kenneth Lakin and Melanie Lakin; one great-grandchild, Crystal Simpson; and one sister, Margaret Dillard, of Lubbock.

Kathryn was preceded in death by her husband, Robert; her parents, James and Bertha Robards; two brothers, Winfred Robards and Charles Robards; and seven sisters, Lorraine Jefferson, Lucille Livings, Faye Masey, Erma Rury, Peggy Downing, Ruthy Terry and Irene Wiley.

A graveside service will be held at a later date at Bovina Cemetery.

Arrangements are under the personal care of White Funeral Home in Lubbock. To register or send condolences online, please visit www.whitefuneralhome.com.



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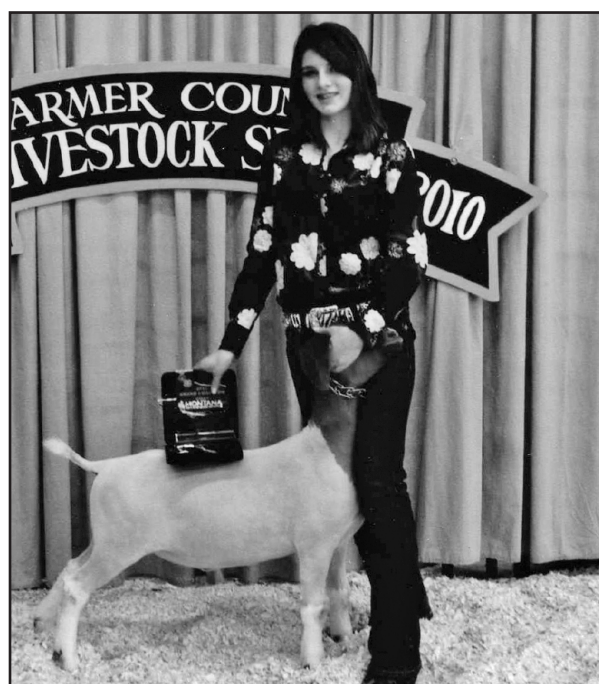
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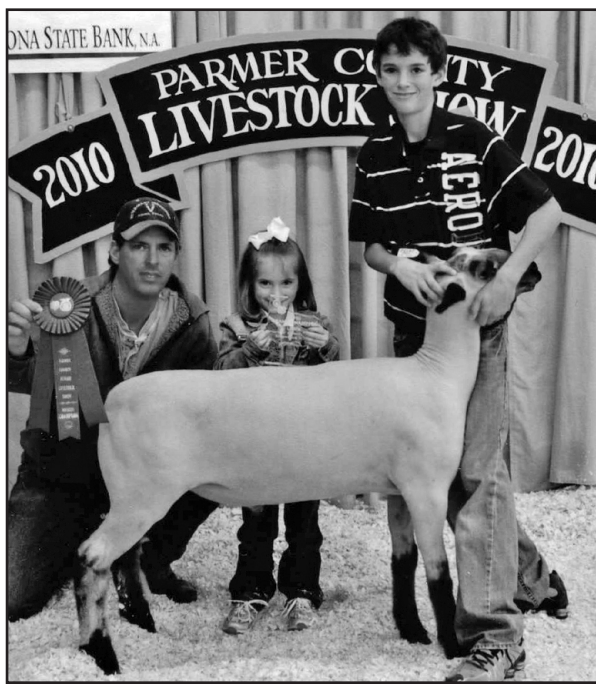
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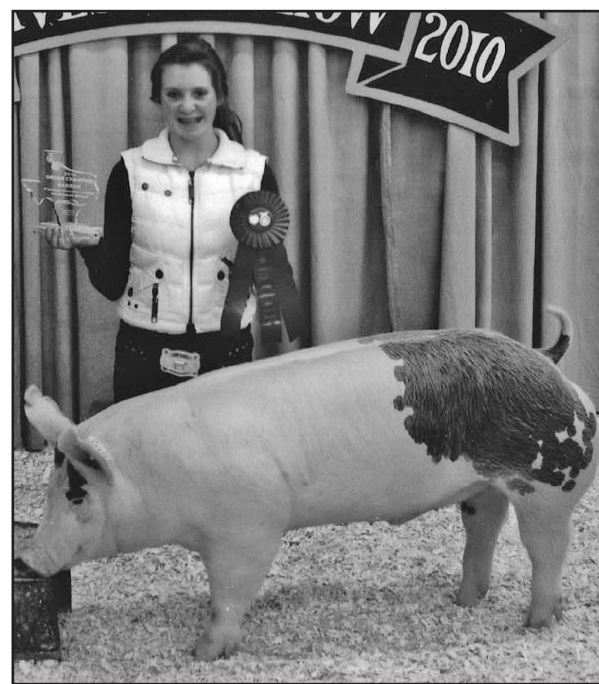
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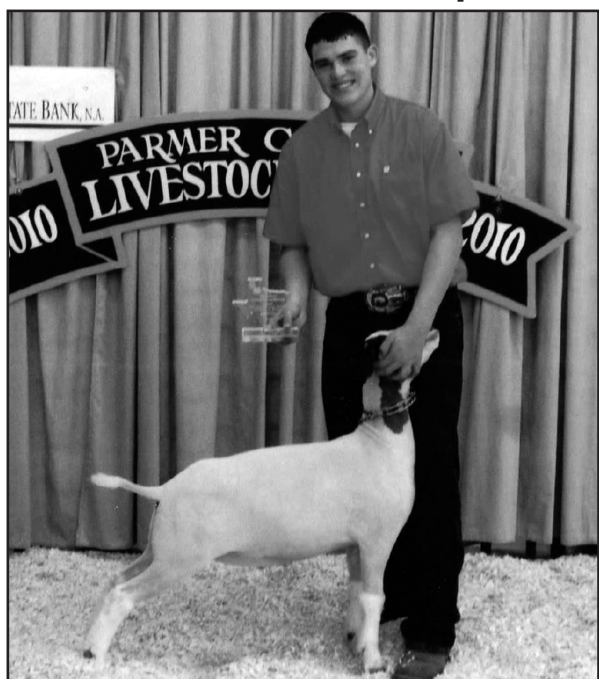
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Goats Grand Champion



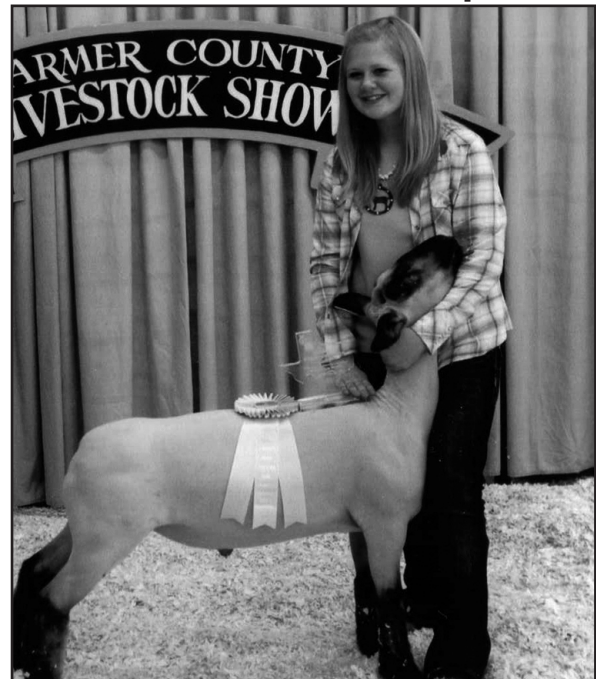
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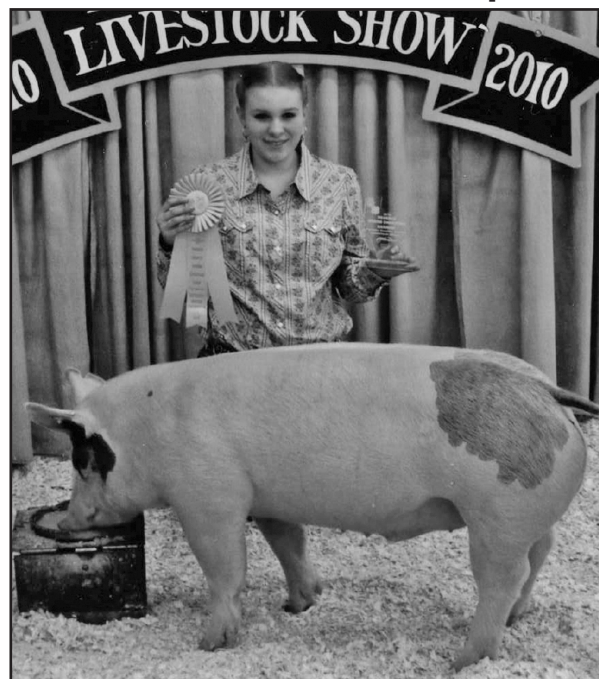
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Kendall Marrow
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Abby Johnson
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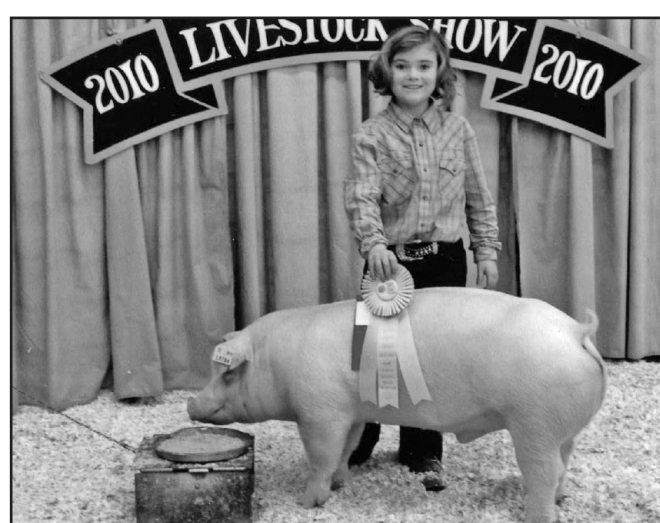
Logan Mason
Steer Reserve Champion

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County Stock Show From page 1

Breed Champion and Champion Junior Showmanship; Cheyenne Patrick, 2nd; Tyler Schilling, 3rd; Danielle Cockerham, 4th; Russell Schilling, 5th; Levi McCormick, 6th; Kenton Randolph, 7th; Dillon Kirkland, 8th; Kendall Barnett, 9th; Madyson Milloy, 10th.

Spot Class 1 – Zac Stancell, 1st; Hanna Sudderth, 2nd; Michelle Wauson, 3rd; Trace Stancell, 4th; Kendal Stancell, 5th.

Spot Class 2 – Ethan Stancell, 1st and Reserve Breed Champion; Austin Mason, 2nd; Emily Stancell, 3rd.

Spot Class 3 – Austin Mason, 1st, Breed Champion and Reserve Junior Showmanship; Jared Timms, 2nd; Triston Bomer, 3rd.

Poland Class 1 – Sterling Henderson, 1st and Breed Champion; Taylor Stancell, 2nd; Matthew Kube, 3rd.

Poland Class 2 – Ethan Stancell, 1st and Reserve Breed Champion; Kendal Stancell, 2nd; Ernesto James Baca, 3rd; Trevor Hill, 4th.

York Class 1 – Sterling Henderson, 1st and Reserve Breed Champion; Justin Schacher, 2nd; Taylor Stancell, 3rd; Russell Schilling, 4th; Danielle Cockerham, 5th.

York Class 2 – Tyler Schilling, 1st and Breed Champion; Abby Johnson, 2nd; Ashley Scott, 3rd; Summer Townsend, 4th.

Cross Class 1 – Treg Box, 1st; Justin Schacher, 2nd; Kylie Haseloff, 3rd; Ashlyn Timms, 4th; Zac Stancell, 5th; Cade Hurst, 6th; Hadley White, 7th; Shea Scott, 8th.

Cross Class 2 – Josh Barnett, 1st; Tyler Schilling, 2nd; Ashton Mason, 3rd; Trace Stancell, 4th; Trey Hurst, 5th; Cade Box, 6th; Allison Weaver, 7th; Trey Hurst, 8th.

Cross Class 3 – Jill Johnson, 1st; Cari Johnson, 2nd; Trevor Hill, 3rd; Logan Mason, 4th; Kinzi Jo Schacher, 5th; Chase Mitchell, 6th; Josh Barnett, 7th; Danielle Cockerham, 8th; David Schwab, 9th.

Cross Class 4 – Cari Johnson, 1st and Grand Champion; Shea Scott, 2nd and Reserve Grand Champion; Chase Mitchell, 3rd; Russell Schilling, 4th; Danielle Cockerham, 5th; Reagan Stowers, 6th; Caitlyn Stancell, 7th; Summer Townsend, 8th; Hadley White, 9th.

Goats

Class 1 – K'Leigh Jo White, 1st; Blake Stowers, 2nd; Bryan Gordan, 3rd.

Class 2 – Mikey O'Brian, 1st; Clay Brigham, 2nd and Reserve Junior Showmanship; Tyler Houch, 3rd and Champion Junior Showmanship; Ray Whit, 4th; Mikey O'Brian, 5th; Keynan Youngblood, 6th; Bryan Gordan, 7th; Michelle Wauson, 8th.

Class 3 – Ashton Mason, 1st, Grand Champion and Reserve Senior Showmanship; K'Leigh Jo White, 2nd; Landon Gatlin, 3rd; Tyler Hough, 4th; Tyler Hough, 5th; Michelle Wauson, 6th; Jace Perkins, 7th; Naomi Rubio, 8th.

Class 4 – Logan Mason, 1st, Reserve Grand Champion and Champion Senior Showmanship; Sidney Urbantke, 2nd; Madison Gatlin, 3rd; Tyler Hough, 4th; Keynan Youngblood, 5th; Michelle Wauson, 6th.

Lambs

Finewool Class 1 –Ashton Mason, 1st and Breed Champion; Kendall Kimbrough, 2nd, Reserve Breed

Champion and Champion Junior Showmanship; Jared Timms, 3rd; Katie Osborn, 4th.

Cross Class 1 – Kendall Morrow, 1st; Will Herring, 2nd; Maegan Davis, 3rd; Madison Morrow, 4th.

Cross Class 2 – Will Herring, 1st and Reserve Breed Champion; Jared Timms, 2nd; Austin Mason, 3rd.

Cross Class 3 – Kolten Morris, 1st and Breed Champion; Logan Mason, 2nd; Katie Osborn, 3rd; Michelle Wauson, 4th.

Southdown Class 1 – Amy Osborn, 1st and Reserve Breed Champion; Maegan Davis, 2nd; Austin Mason, 3rd.

Southdown Class 2 – Austin Mason, 1st and Breed Champion; Ashlyn Timms, 2nd; Oran London, 3rd.

Medium Wool Class 1 – Kendall Morrow, 1st and Reserve Grand Champion; Will Herring, 2nd; Madison Morrow, 3rd.

Medium Wool Class 2 – Logan Mason, 1st and Champion Senior Showmanship; Ashlyn Timms, 2nd; Maegan Davis, 3rd; Kirby Frye, 4th; Amy Osborn, 5th.

Medium Wool Class 3 – Jessie London, 1st; Jared Timms, 2nd and Reserve Senior Showmanship; Kolten Morris, 3rd; Kirby Frye, 4th; Kendall Kimbrough, 5th; Jared Timms, 6th; Jacob Osborn, 7th; Oran London, 8th.

Medium Wool Class 4 – Austin Mason, Grand Champion and Reserve Junior Showmanship; Ashton Mason, 2nd; Logan Mason, 3rd; Michelle Wauson, 4th; Ashlyn Timms, 5th; Katie Osborn, 6th.

Medium Wool Class 5 – Kolten Morris, 1st; Sawyer Osborn, 2nd; Aaron Osborn, 3rd.

Medium Wool Class 6 – Sergio Mendez, 1st; Aaron Osborn, 2nd; Aaron Osborn, 3rd; Jacob Osborn, 4th.

Steers

English Class 1 – Hayden Hadley, 1st and Breed Champion; Lacey Jesko, 2nd, Reserve Breed Champion and Champion Junior Showmanship.

American Class 1 – Ray White, 1st and Breed Champion; Ashton Mason, 2nd and Reserve Breed Champion.

Cross Class 1 – Jill Johnson, 1st and Champion Senior Showmanship; Jason Berend, 2nd; Zac Stancell, 3rd; Kayle Jesko, 4th; Bretton Stancell, 5th; Shelby Wallis, 6th.

Cross Class 2 – Logan Mason, 1st and Reserve Grand Champion; Jared Timms, 2nd; Kayle Jesko, 3rd; Lacey Jesko, 4th; Heath Hadley, 5th.

Cross Class 3 – Abby Johnson, 1st, Grand Champion and Reserve Senior Showmanship; Jason Berend, 2nd; Cari Johnson, 3rd; Brandon Berend, 4th and Reserve Junior Showmanship; Brandon Berend, 5th; Hayden Hadley, 6th; Jarrod Jesko, 7th.

Gilts

Class 1 – Cambree Haseloff, 1st and Grand Champion; Kylie Haseloff, 2nd and Reserve Champion; Logan Mason, 3rd; Cheyenne Patrick, 4th; Matt Martin, 5th; Trey Hurst, 6th; Cari Johnson, 7th; Chase Mitchell, 8th; Hadley White, 9th; and Levi McCormick, 10th.



1st graders visit nursing home

Lazbuddie School 1st graders adopted two residents from Prairie Acres Nursing Home during the Christmas holiday -- Effie Hicks, above, and Frances Lovelace. Both women have ties to the Lazbuddie community. Effie is the grandmother to a former school board member and Frances is Ted Treider's and Imogene Smith's mother. The students made lap blankets, cards, and drew pictures for them. The students also walked around and sang Christmas carols for all residents. The students are Presley Agee, Jazmin Albarran, Alex Andrade, Garison Bohler, Maribel Gomez, Eduardo Martinez, Carlos Perea, Audel Porras, Wyatt Rainey, and John Henry Schacher.



Cooper to speak on safety

Jerry Whitney stopped by the Tribune last week with his 9th issue of the "Seniors Speak" newsletter for the Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens.

Some highlights were:
 -- Elaine McClure is the new group president.
 -- Happy Birthdays included Joyce Deavours, Jan. 19; Ellen Whitney, Jan. 13; Lucy Madrid, Jan. 21, and Henley Brown, Feb. 4.
 -- Texico Fire Chief Lewis Cooper will speak on "Home Fire Safety" at the group's Feb. 11 meeting at 6 p.m. mt at the Texico Community Center.



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<h4>STATE LINE Photography</h4> <p>481 - 3681</p>	<h4>Farwell Convalescent Center</h4> <p>Sunday services -- 9 a.m. Bible study - 9:30 a.m. Friday</p>	<h4>Lazbuddie Church of Christ</h4> <p>Mickey Chambiss - minister Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:20 a.m. & 5 p.m. Wednesday -- 7 p.m.</p>	<h4>Apostolic Truth United Pentecostal Church of Texico</h4> <p>Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 11:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>	 The Bank of Clovis Experience the Hometown.	
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Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

Thank you, Lee & Gloria, & Walter

I attended the 50th wedding anniversary reception for Lee and Gloria Hutchins that was hosted by their children.

I've known them since almost the day I arrived here 25-plus years ago.

We needed some immediate electrical work at the house we were renting on 3rd Street and were told to call Lee.

When I got home that night, I found the work completed. Lee had let

himself in the back door, taken care of business and left.

I thought that was cool. And it was an eye-opener for me, a big city boy who was taught early to be cautious.

Over the years, Lee, ably assisted by Gloria, has done a bunch of work at the Tribune and our house. The Twin Cities have been very fortunate to have their electrical expertise available for so many years.

Lee was the third man picked by the Farwell Chamber of Commerce as its Man of the Year, back in 1973. And Gloria was named Woman of the Year in 1999. They very much deserved these honors.

It's not just about the electrical part that makes them special. Their religious work has made them special, too.

Obviously, I have a

bunch of stories to tell from dealing with the Hutchinses over the past quarter century. But I can tell you what Lee's favorite would be:

It was the day when I called him about a problem at the newspaper. One of our machines in the "back shop" wouldn't start. It didn't take him long to figure out the problem.

A machine won't work unless it's plugged in...

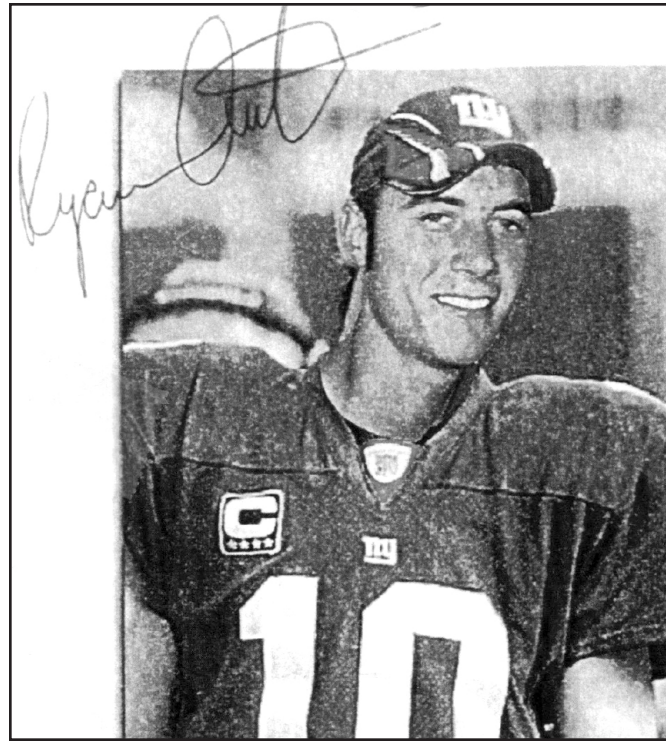
There was another special event this week -- the retirement of Walter Hughes from Wilbur-Ellis

Co. Here is another special man who has given so much for the community. He was named Farwell's Man of the Year in 1986.

Is there a more familiar site than Walter cutting the BBQ meat for the Texico-Farwell Rotary Club at Border Town Days for so many years?

And is there anyone in the area who has the wry sense of humor that Walter has? Always, cheerful, always helpful, that's Walter.

We wish the best to him and Sharron in retirement.



Autrey a Giant among men

What? Is that Texico's Ryan Autrey, a diehard Dallas Cowboys fan, wearing a New York Giants jersey? Is he the new QB of the arch-enemy Giants? Or is this all a practical joke pulled by the Texico High Class of 2010?



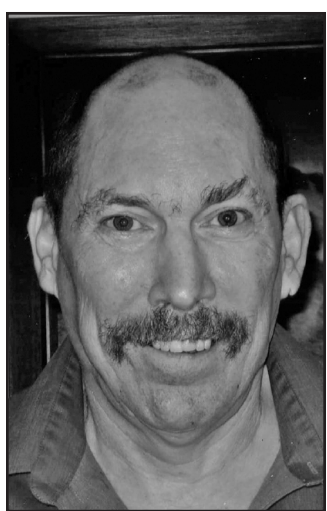
Hughes honored

Walter Hughes, right, received a Kenneth Wyatt painting as a gift from Wilbur-Ellis Co. for his 46 years of service to Wilbur-Ellis and Tide Products. Presenting the gift at his retirement ceremony Tuesday was Wilbur-Ellis Randy Cain.



Kelsay, Gunnells honored

Farwell Convalescent Center Employee of the Month is Maribel Kelsay, left. Paul Gunnells, right, is FCC Resident of the Month.



Courthouse Notes

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



Ruth Kerr estate - Javier Trevino, L4 B/2 L5 B25 Friona.

Aubrey Elvin Heathington - Aubrey Don Heathington, E/2 S1 T15S R2E.

Podiatrist available

The Farwell Convalescent Center will have Dr. Rhodes, a podiatrist, available on Thursday, Jan. 28.

The public is welcome to schedule an appointment to see him. Please call Janice Brown at (806) 481-9027.





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Just Listed - 3 bedroom, 2 bath home on .3 acres just east of Farwell. Has large master bedroom & bath, and is on city water.

Just listed - 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home in Farwell. Single car garage. Priced to sell!

Just Listed - East of Lariat, approx. 545 acres with 4 circles, 5 wells, nice home. Good water area. **SOLD**

PRICE REDUCED: Beautifully remodeled country cottage home in Farwell: 4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, garden tub in master bath, extra large den with fireplace, central heat, ref. air, large fenced backyard with 2 large storage bldgs. **MUST SEE this large home!**

3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home in Farwell. Remodeled kitchen & bathroom, large fenced yard. Great location.

160 acres west of Lazbuddie with small house. 2 wells and circle sprinkler. **In Contact**

Just Listed - 121.8 acres just north of Muleshoe city limits. \$469/acre.

Northeast of Lazbuddie, 640 acres, irrigated, 4 circles, 9 wells, 2 large steel barns, good farm.

Northeast of Lazbuddie, 318 acres, 2 circle sprinklers, 4 irrigation wells.

Southwest of Texico, 40 acres on paved road. Will split into 10 acre tracts. Call for details!

Just Listed - 160 acres northeast of Bovina. 2 wells, new circle sprinkler. Good farm.

640 acres, irrigated east of Hub, 3 circle sprinklers, 4 wells.

West of Lazbuddie, 800 acres irrigated with 6 circles and large beautiful brick home.

160 acres south of Bovina Feeders. 2 wells and 1 pivot.

320 irrigated acres east of Hub. 2 circles, 3 wells.

480 acres irrigated. Southeast of Cooks truck stop. 3 circles, 5 wells.

1685 +/- acres irr. near Lazbuddie. 10 circles, 11 wells, on highway.

PORTALES - 20 acre calf ranch, 1 irr. well, county water, 2 bedroom-1 bath home on pavement.

320 acres irrigated NE of Oklahoma Lane, 4 wells, 2 circle sprinklers, nice farm.

Large brick home on 5 acres with barn and improvements. **In Contact**

1,585 acres irrigated north of Farwell, 8 circles, 9 wells, large brick home with livestock pens & "hands" house.

120 acres, dryland, north of Pleasant Hill.

160 acres South of Lariat on highway. 1 sprinkler, 3 irr. wells. Owner says sell.

Bovina Area Listings

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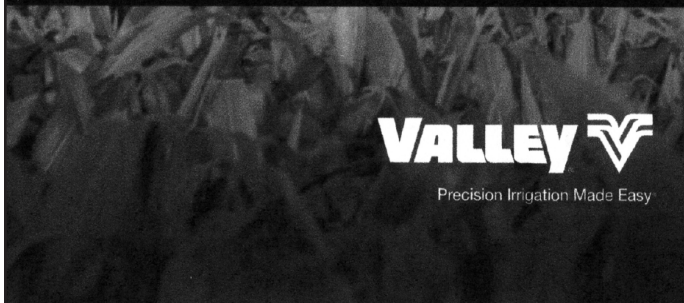
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Near Muleshoe - 90 acre grass seed farm - 2 center pivots. Popular varieties of Foundation Seed.

LAMB COUNTY
North of Earth - 320 acres on pavement, 2 sprinklers, 6 wells, good direct payment. **Sold**

Northwest of Earth - 160 acres. Excellent soil. Lays good. 3 wells. Center pivot. Good set of pens.

New Listing - Springlake area - 320 acres, good soil, 4 wells, 2 sprinklers, good direct payment.

320 acres near Earth - 2 sprinklers. 5 wells all tied together. Lays perfect. Excellent soil. Good fertility.

RURAL RESIDENTIAL
Lamb County - Springlake area - 2,650 sq. ft. on approx. 4 acres. Brick, 3 bedroom, bath, food cellar. 30' x 70' barn. Lots of trees. **Sold**

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JUST LISTED - Very nice 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, with 2 car garage, ready to move in, ref A/C, fireplace, fenced back yard, storage building, many extras. Call for details. Approx. 2,600 sq. ft. in Farwell. **Sold**

Just Listed 656 acres CRP, 2 years remaining, in Bailey Co.

Spacious 3 bedroom, 2 3/4 bath, brick home, central air, radiant heat, 2 living areas, large utility, lots of closet & storage space, large fenced back yard, 2-car garage, great location.

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Maintenance Help Needed

Cal-Maine Foods Inc. located in Farwell, TX has an immediate opening in its maintenance department in its egg packaging facility. Applicants must have 3 to 5 years of experience in a factory type setting. Benefits include but are not limited to: Health, Dental, Vision, Life, ESOP, 401K, Paid Vacation. If this opportunity peaks your interest, please send resume with references to:



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Interested applicants should apply in person at Cargill Cattle Feeders, 600 U.S. Hwy. 60. (806) 225-4400.

Cotton conference set

Texas Extension Service's Llano Estacado Cotton Conference will be Jan. 21 at the Bailey County Coliseum in Muleshoe.

Registration is at 8 a.m.; the program starts at 8:30 a.m.

It will address regional and countywide cotton projects, variety selection, pest management, weed management, irrigation management and a cotton market update.

Speakers will include Monti Vandiver, Parmer County IPM extension agent.

Individual registration is \$15 payable at the door. It includes lunch, educational materials and access to commercial exhibits.

For more information, call (806) 272-4583.

Senior Meal Site to re-open Monday

The Farwell City Council on Tuesday agreed to reopen the Senior Meal Site at the Farwell Community Center on a 60-day trial basis, starting Monday, Jan. 25.

Linda Porter was spokeswoman for about a dozen senior citizens attending the meeting.

Knowing maintenance was a problem area that caused the council to close the site earlier this month, Mrs. Porter said she has hired a professional team to clean weekly. She also has volunteers who will help in this area.

She suggested that other folks who use the kitchen be given a checklist to make sure they clean it after use.

Also, a dishwasher was asked and this will be looked into. And a new grill will be bought.

In other business, the council:

-- Approved the request of Mike Pomper to have the Farwell obelisk, if built, placed in the southwest corner of the city park.

Here are Tuesday's late basketball scores

Farwell

Varsity Boys

Sudan broke open a close game in the final quarter to beat the Steers, now 2-1 in district, 56-43.

Scoring were Josh Olivas, 20 (with six 3-pointers); Luke Carpenter, 8; Landry Atkinson, 5; Rane Carpenter and Octavio Chavez, 4 each, and Matt Billingsley and Mason Coburn, 1 each.

Varsity Girls

The Lady Blue are 3-1 in district after losing to the state's No. 3 ranked Sudan team, 56-36.

Sudan hit 10 3-pointers.

Scoring were Laney Christian, 2; Kristin Langford, 8; Laura Martinez, 5; Tiffani Jones, 19, and Lauryn Meyer, 2.

Bovina

JV Girls

Bovina's JV girls lost



Photo clarified

This photo of Dorothy Donaldson at the Farwell Convalescent Center's New Year's party was incorrectly identified in last week's Tribune.

Baby shower held

Farwell Convalescent Center hosted a baby shower for Gina Antillon, charge nurse - RN. Staffers enjoying the get-together included Olga Lafuente, Debbie Galvan, Irma Mendoza, Olga Munoz and Carla Muniz.



Police Chief Larry Kelsay, center, and officer Frank Ramirez each received \$500 salary bonuses from Farwell Mayor Jimmie Mace for their work in catching the suspects in the BB gun spree in December. The case will be presented to a grand jury in February.

-- Heard Lee Hutchins report a \$23,000 grant is expected for fire station installation.

He also said a man has been cited for operating an auto repair business at his home.

-- Discussed a pet ordinance that calls for \$10 fees for tagging all animals. If you need to pick up your dog at the pound, you would have to pay that in addition to the ordinary fee.

The ordinance is still being worked on and more details will be announced later.

lost to Nazareth.

Scoring were Katie Chavez, 6; Kinzi Jo Schacher, 5; and Carrie Gilly, Karina Galaviz and Lydia Campos, 2 each.

JV Girls

The JV Girls fell to

Nazareth.

Scoring were Jordan Mason, 11; Summer Townsend, 2; and Kylie McGehee and Shea Scott, 8 each.

Varsity Boys

The Longhorns lost.



Kent McManigal

Farwell's McManigal writes two books

Kent McManigal, of Farwell, stopped by the Tribune last week with copies of two books he has written.

One is titled "Kent's Library Primer." It consists of selected essays by McManigal ranging from "Opponents of Liberty" and "The Common Good" to "The Hunker Down Kit" and "Political Action: Not Wrong, Just Pointless."

He published the book in 2009 and calls it a simple introduction to the concepts of freedom and liberty.

The other book McManigal brought with him was called "Indy-Pindy, the Liberty Mouse."

It's a children's fictional story about a mouse's adventures, illustrated with drawings on every page.

McManigal can be contacted at dullhawk@hotmail.com.

Lazbuddie

Varsity Girls

The Lady Longhorns

ESL classes

Angela Reyes, of Farwell, will be teaching free English as a Second Language (ESL) classes at Farwell High School from 6 to 8 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

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Farwell 8th grade boys win Lazbuddie tourney

Varsity Boys

The Steers are 2-0 in district after beating Morton there on Friday, 59-46.

Scoring were Josh Olivas, 16 (including four 3-pointers); Luke Carpenter, 16; Lincoln Devault, 9; Landry Actkin-

son, 5; Octavio Chavez, 4; Mason Coburn, 3; Matt Billingsley, 2; Collin Christian, 2; and Rane Carpenter, 2.

Varsity Girls

The Lady Blue are 3-0 in district after doubling up on Morton, 66-33.

Scoring were Kristin Langford, 12; Laura Martinez, 7; Caitlyn Stancell, 4; Keegan Langford, 8; Tiffani Jones, 27 (including five 3-pointers); Lauryn Meyer, 2; and Keila Jennings, 6.

JV Girls

Farwell's JV Girls knocked off Springlake-Earth, 32-16 on Jan. 12.

Scoring were Chandler Barnes, 7; Clara Reyes, 5; Clarisa Garcia, 14; Abby Johnson, 4, and Brooke Hall, 2.

Farwell ran over Morton, 43-6.

Scoring were Sasha Lara and Garcia, 8 each; Emily Agee and Reyes, 3 each; Chelsea Bass, 6; Barnes, 7; Johnson, 5; Madison Rudd, 1; and Hall, 2.

JV Boys

Farwell's JV boys wiped out Springlake-Earth, 53-13.

Scoring were Bretton Stancell, 2; Luis Galvan, 14; Matt Martin and Zac

Stancell, 9 each; Kolten Morris, 1; Levi McCormick, 6; and Tyler Schilling, Ray White, and Edgar Cuevas, 4 each.

Farwell knocked off Morton, 50-22.

Scoring were Galvan, 6; Schilling, 5; McCormick, 3; White, 7; Morris, 12; Zac Stancell, 10, and Cuevas, 6.

8th Boys

Farwell's 8th grade boys got tipped by Springlake-Earth on Jan. 11, 29-27.

Scoring were Hunter Hall, 1; Ruben Gutierrez, 10; Lazaro Velasquez, 6; Christian Pena, 4; and Dillon Kirkland and Austin Mason, 3 each.

Farwell won the 8th grade boys title at the Lazbuddie Tournament.

First, they destroyed Hart, 53-18.

Scoring were Mason, Daniel Kirkland and Dillon Kirkland, 2 each; Ian Vidaurre, 4; Langford, 7; Herrera, 8; Velasquez,

6; Mitchell, 10; Pena, 6, and Gutierrez, 10.

Then Farwell ran past Dimmitt, 53-10.

Scoring were Langford, 9; Mason, 3; Daniel Kirkland, 4; Dillon Kirkland, 2; Herrera, 7; Velasquez, 8; Mitchell, 7; Pena, 12; and Gutierrez, 3.

Farwell beat Springlake-Earth, 30-23, in the championship game.

Scoring were Mason, 1; Gutierrez, 11; Velasquez, 10; Herrera, 2; and Langford and Pena, 3 each.

7th Boys

Farwell's 7th grade boys killed Springlake-Earth, 43-9, on Jan. 11.

Scoring were Curt

Langford, 19; Chase Mitchell, 6; A.J. Bermea, 6; Trevor Schilling, 4; and Pedro Ruiz, J.J. Herrera, Mark Woods and Jacob Gallegos, 2 each.

7th Girls

Farwell's 7th grade girls lost to Morton on Monday, 21-18.


Scoring were Cassidy Devault, 2; Taylor Presnell, 6; and Marissa Lopez and Emily Stancell, 5 each.

8th Girls

Farwell's 8th grade girls beat Morton, 43-10.

Scoring were Alexa Mora and Jill Johnson, 4 each; Taylor Stancell, 14; K'Leigh Jo White, 12; Lauren Carpenter, 9.





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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Farwell Independent School Board is accepting bids for a district-wide fire alarm system.

Bids will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 5, 2010, and will be presented to the Board of Trustees at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 8, 2010.

If you are interested in placing a bid, contact Supt. Mike Read, Farwell ISD, P.O. Box F, Farwell TX 79325 for specifications. You also may call him at (806) 481-3371.

The Farwell ISD Board of Trustees reserves the right to refuse any or all bids.

Mike Read
Superintendent.

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Louva Grace Kersey, Deceased, were issued on January 13, 2010, in Cause No. 2834, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: Alva Lou Walker.

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

% Jeff W. Actkinson
Attorney at Law
P.O. Box 286
Farwell, Texas 79325

Dated the 13th day of January, 2010.

Jeff W. Actkinson
Attorney for Alva Lou Walker
State Bar No. 24001624
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Farwell, Texas 79325
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Sheriff's Report

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

On Jan. 4, Jeanette Contreras, 36, of Portales, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of failure to appear (theft by check). Case is pending in county court.

On Jan. 5, Gildardo Garcia, 20, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a motion to revoke (possession of marijuana under 2 oz.), pending in county court.

On Jan. 10, Kristen Dowell, 22, of Conroe, Texas, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of assault, pending in county court.

On Jan. 15, Laurence T. Lopez, 18, of Clovis, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on charges of possession of marijuana under 2 oz., pending in county court; and prohibited substance in a correctional facility, pending before the grand jury.

Texico team wins State

Texico participated in the state FFA parliamentary procedure contest at Portales on Monday.

Texico's Greenhand Team is a state champion.

Members are Sabra Barnett, Lindsey Foote, McKenzie Mayfield, Raelynn Prather, Rallin Harris, Uriel Munoz and Elliott Pelfrey.

Texico's Chapter Team took 3rd place.

Members are Erin Scanlan, Fallon Scanlan, Morgan Pinnell, Mitchell Harrison, Rustin Harris and Garrett Foote.

Texico

Monday – beef tacos with lettuce, tomato, cheese, corn, fruit, milk.

Tuesday – grilled cheese sandwich, soup, mixed veggies, fruit, milk.

Wednesday – country steak with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, fruit, milk.

Thursday – sloppy joe on bun, French fries, pickles, fruit, milk.

Friday – ham & cheese sub, LP, baked chips, fruit, milk.

Farwell

Monday – grilled cheese, pickles, chips, fruit salad, sugar cookie, milk.

Tuesday – chili beans, corn bread, okra, apple, milk.

Wednesday – sliced turkey, gravy, potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, apple sauce, milk.

Thursday – burgers, LTP, sun chips, cake, fruit, milk.

Friday – beefy nachos, taco salad, corn, oranges, milk.

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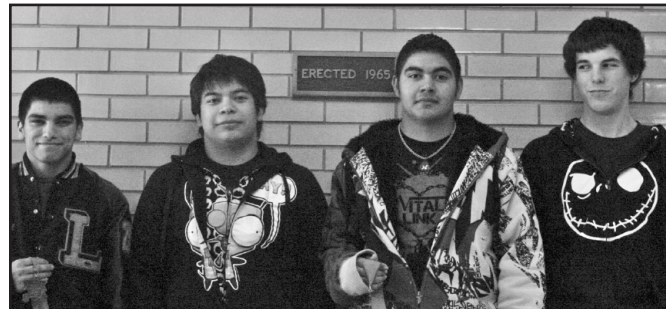
On Jan. 16, Santos Ozaro, 30, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of public intoxication. He paid a \$25 fine.

On Jan. 16, German Rey, 21, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on charges of possession of marijuana between 4 oz. and 5 lbs., and manufacture/delivery of a controlled substance between 4 grams and 200 grams, both pending before the grand jury.

On Jan. 12, Jesus Campos, 27, of Hereford, was arrested by Friona police on a Deaf Smith County warrant. He posted bond and was released.

On Jan. 13, Jose Reece, 25, of Hereford, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a motion to revoke (driving with an invalid license). His probation was revoked and he was given 10 days in jail.

On Jan. 15, Melody Trujillo, 17, of Clovis, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 oz., pending in county court.



Samarrons place 3rd at Friona

Lazbuddie School's power lifting team includes, from left, Angel Samarron, Arthur Gomez, Matthew Samarron and Tanner Beasley. Angel and Matthew placed 3rd overall in their respective classes at the Friona Meet. Angel, Matthew and Tanner are currently regional qualifiers due to their lifts.

The Latest

A note from Patti Johnson:

The 4-H has an upcoming scholarship fundraiser.

The grand prize is \$500; for 2nd, \$200, and for 3rd, \$100.

These cash prizes will be given away on April 15.

Tickets cost \$10.

Four-H parents are allowed to sell tickets but laws don't allow youths to.

For more information, call the extension office at 481-3619.

Farwell Police Chief

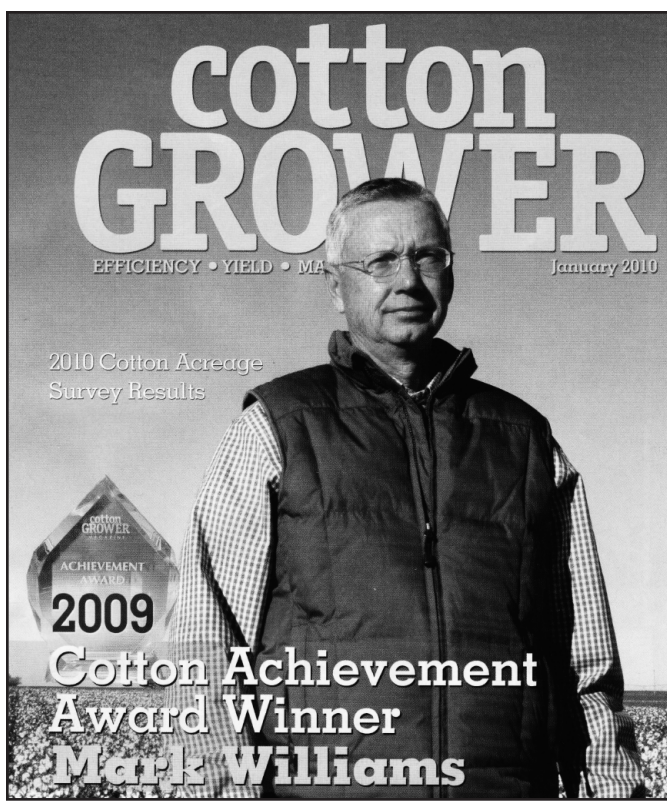
Larry Kelsay reports that the toxicology report has been received concerning the death of a Clovis man in a home on 3rd Street in Farwell in November.

The report showed that the man's death was due to a drug overdose and a heart condition.

Word has been received of the death of W.O. Reid, 77, of Logan, N.M.

Among the survivors is a sister, Margie Crooks, of Texico.

Texico police report all quiet last week.



Williams recognized

The January issue of "Cotton Grower" magazine featured Farwell's Mark Williams on its cover and named him the 2009 Cotton Achievement Award recipient.

Four full pages were devoted to the Williams family with several photos including his family, farm manager David Everett, and Parmer County Cotton Growers officials Craig Rohrbach and Connie James.

The story, by Henry Gantz, was headlined

"Cotton Commitment Begins at Home – Family is the key to Mark Williams' service to the industry."

The article notes Mark's involvement in state and national cotton groups but the emphasis is on his family's involvement and support, and his farming methods.



Shower held

Mollie Mitchell, of San Antonio, and bride-elect of Mark Schwertner, of Farwell, was honored with a bridal shower at the home of Judy Brockman on Jan. 17.

Honored guests were Mollie's sister, Kathie Gore, from El Paso and Mollie's niece, Lara Kirchner from Washington, D.C.; Helen Schwertner, of Lubbock, and Melissa and Gianna Sciumbato, of Idalou. Also present were Joyce and Peggy Schwertner and Clarice Andrews, from Slaton.

It's a Boy



Blake Hugh Lasiter was born to Chad and Joy Lasiter, of Clovis, on Jan. 15.

He weighed 8 lbs., 14 1/2 oz. And was 20" long.

Grandparents are Tim and Debbie Lasiter, of Texico, and Jim and Cassie Ridling, of Clovis.

Great-grandparents are Johnny Proctor, of Roswell; Irene Ridling, Creston and Celina Snider, and DeLoyce and Charles Brothers, all of Clovis.

50 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

Gale Hadley is named Texico Band Sweetheart. Farwell area has salmonella outbreak.

Jack Young announces for District Attorney's post.

Texico and Farwell school Homemakers of Tomorrow are Peggie Teel and Joan Hubbell.

Mary McDaniel is president of new Texico School business club.

Jon Riddle and James Clayton win county crop growing contests.

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Bovina, Lazbuddie JH teams in action



'Horns win 2-overtime game over Silverton

JV Boys
Lazbuddie's JV boys beat Silverton, 33-29. Scoring were Jared Timms, 10; Alex Lopez and Josh McIntosh, 8 each; Charles Baca, 4, and Justin Schacher, 3.

Galaviz, Lydia Campos, Kinzi Jo Schacher, Shea Scott and Paola Estrada, 2 each.

Varsity Girls
The Lady Longhorns lost to Silverton. Scoring were Katie Chavez, 9; Kylie McGehee 4; and Karina

Varsity Boys
The Longhorns beat Silverton in double overtime, 65-61. Scoring were Logan Mason, 18; Kayle Jesko, 13; Colton Weaver, 12; Todd Nichols, 11; Jarrod Jesko, 6, and James Baca, 5.

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The Latest

Concerning the recent BB gun spree in Farwell, Texico and Clovis, Farwell Police Chief Larry Kelsay said he has turned over the information to District Attorney Kathryn Gurley and is waiting for her review.

Kelsay has reported he has six suspects in the case, all Bovina teenagers.

Texico's basketball teams have fallen a bit in the coach's prep polls for Class 2A.

The Wolverines dropped from No. 2 to No. 3, behind Mesilla Valley and Bosque School; and the Lady Wolverines fell from No. 1 to No. 2, behind Santa Rosa.

Oops time:
The note in last week's Tribune regarding the 50th anniversary reception for R.C. and Verna Davis, of Farwell, should have said your presence is "requested."

The reception will be held Jan. 23 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the First Baptist church of Farwell.

Parmer County ag extension agent Benji Henderson said a strong cotton harvest is expected this year.

Texico's Victoria Richards and Seth Bailey are the school winners as state finalists for the Wendy's High School Heisman Award.

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Basketball continues hot and heavy in our area:

Farwell – The JV & varsity teams play at Bovina on Jan. 22, then at Olton non Jan. 26. The Farwell 7th graders host a tourney on Jan. 23. And the JH teams take on Sudan on Jan. 25 – girls there and boys at home.

Lazbuddie – The JV & varsity teams host Hart on Jan. 22, then play at Kress on Jan. 26. The JH teams play at Happy on Jan. 25

Bovina – The JV & varsity Mustangs host Farwell on Jan. 22, then host Springlake-Earth on Jan. 26. The MS teams take on Sudan on Jan. 25 – boys there and girls here.

Texico – The JV & varsity teams host Eunice on Jan. 22, then host Floyd on Jan. 23. The JH teams take on Marshall White on Jan. 21 – girls there and boys here; then vie with Yucca White on Jan. 26 – girls at home and boys there.

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Steelman promoted

The board of directors of the First Bank of Mulshoe has announced several senior level appointments and promotions. They are:

-- Tommy Gunstream was promoted to Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board. He has been with the bank since 1979.

-- Phil Kent was named President. He joined the bank in 1983 as vice president.

-- Jeff Steelman, vice president at the Bovina branch, was promoted to Senior Vice President. He joined First Bank in 1992 as consumer loan officer.

-- Chaun Gunstream, vice president at the Dimmitt branch, was promoted to Senior Vice President. He joined the bank in 1993.

Bovina Banter

From page 11

Schools:
Jan. 23, at Abernathy;
Feb. 13, at Dalhart (pending), and Feb. 27, at Bovina.

The All-Region Band clinic and concert will be in Lubock Jan. 29-30.

Early dismissal at school will be at 12:07 p.m. on Jan. 22, followed by staff development.

Word has been received of the death of Cecil Sisk in December.

Jan. 31 is Movie Night at the First Baptist Church. "Firestorm" will be shown.

St. Ann's Catholic Church will have their annual sausage dinner on Feb. 7.

Orders are now being taken, with a deadline of Feb. 5.

Houston Bartlett is seeking treatment in Houston. The family has been a significant member of our community and we will be praying for him and his family.

David Renfro is the new 2nd Assistant Manager at the Bovina Lowe's grocery store.

David and his wife, Lajuana, moved back from Lubbock a few years ago to be with Lajuana's mother, Juanita Hastings. She has enjoyed having them being back.

God Bless and have a great week.

Interesting Fact of the Week: The Island of American Samoa has produced 20 NFL players and over 200 college football players. Their population is 57,291.

NOTICE

to Parmer County Taxpayers

February 1, 2010, is the deadline to pay all personal and property taxes in Parmer County. Checks must be postmarked by February 1, 2010, or penalty and interest will occur.

If you turned 65 years old as of January 1, 2010, then you need to sign up for the "65 and older" Homestead Exemption. This is a permanent exemption so if you already have signed up for it, you don't have to re-apply.

If you have purchased a home since you signed up for the Homestead Exemption, you need to re-apply for this exemption.

Agricultural use exemptions are available for all who have purchased agricultural property. If you purchased ag property during the past year, you need to apply for this exemption.

Vehicle exemption forms for those who qualify are available online at www.parmercad.org or come by our office to apply.

Call, or drop by our office, for your application(s). They will be mailed to you upon request.

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Chief Appraiser

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Basketball

From page 12

On Jan. 11, Bovina beat Morton, 39-22.

Scoring were Lara, 2; Andrea Villarreal, 9; Samantha Villarreal, 15; Gomez, 7, and Ramirez, 6.

On Jan. 4, Bovina defeated Springlake-Earth, 53-32.

Scoring were Lara, 6; Andrea Villarreal and Guevara, 12 each; Ruby Ramirez, and Gomez, 2 each; Samantha Villarreal, 11; Cristal Ramirez, 8.

JV Girls

Bovina's JV Girls won 2 and lost 1 in the Lazbuddie tourney.

Bovina beat Lazbuddie, 33-27.

Scoring were Yvette Gomez, 6; Judith Rodriguez, 2; Liz Chavez, 9; Regina Quintero, 7; and Padyn Hughes, 9.

Bovina lost to Farwell, 42-15.

Scoring were Jeanette Varela and Gomez, 2 each; Hughes, 5; and Chavez, 6.

And Bovina dumped Dimmitt, 45-34.

Scoring were Varela, 6; Rodriguez, Mari Flores and Gomez, 2 each; Chavez, 8; Quintero, 7; and Hughes, 18.

Bovina's JV Girls lost to Sudan, 38-17.

Scoring were Yvette Gomez, 2; Padyn

Hughes, 4; Regina Quintero, 5; and Judith Rodriguez and Yadira Garcia, 3 each.

White Girls

Bovina Middle School's White Girls fell to Morton, 41-6.

Scoring were Gaby Flores, 2, and Cynthia Jasso, 4.

JV Boys

On Jan. 2, Bovina's JV boys fell to Lubbock Christian, 54-37.

Scoring were Kristian Antillon and Luis Sanchez, 7 each; Stefon Knoll, Erli Rueda and Miguel Guerrero, 2 each; Abel Rocha, 11, and Zachary Castillo, 6.

Bovina participated in the Lazbuddie tourney.

In the opener, they lost to Dimmitt, 65-21.

Scoring were Guerrero and Justin Curtis, 1 each; Sanchez, 4; Castaneda, 5; and Castillo, 10.

Bovina lost to Farwell, 58-24.

Scoring were Rocha, 4; Castaneda, 8; Castillo, 10; and Curtis and Knoll, 2 each.

Bovina's JV Boys lost to Sudan, 56-19.

Scoring were Kristian Antillon, 1; Miguel Guerrero, 2; Eduardo Salas, 4; and Justin Curtis and Luis Sanchez, 6 each.

2010 BOVINA JR. BASKETBALL LEAGUE

The Bovina Jr. Basketball League is underway. This program will be open to all boys/girls that are in Pre-K thru 6th grades.

Entry fees are \$25.00 for the first child and \$20.00 for any other child in the same family. The fees pay for trophies, insurance, referees, scorekeepers, gym cleaning, and replacing basketballs.

Please fill out this form and return it with your money to the Elementary office no later than February 1, 2010. Please be advised that there will be a box available for you to drop off your forms, but you will need to put your form and money in a sealed envelope.

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ARE YOU INTERESTED IN COACHING: _____ YES _____ NO

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If you would like this form in Spanish for more information see the Bovina Elementary School secretary.

Se gustaria esta forma en Espanol por favor de contractar la secretaria de la escuela Bovina Elementary.

Bovina Banter

Deanna Curtis • 251-1405

The JV and varsity Mustangs host Farwell on Jan. 22, then host Springlake-Earth on Jan. 26.

The Middle School teams take on Sudan on Jan. 25 - boys there and girls here.

Lopez takes 1st at Friona meet

Bovina's power lifters participated in the Friona Meet.

The Fillies finished tied for 3rd with Abernathy with 9 points. Plainview won with 30 and Levelland was 2nd with 20.

Individual girls' scores were: 97-105 class - Alicia Lopez, 1st, 505.

132-148 class - Jeanette Varela, 5th, 515; and Yoselin Rueda, 15th, 390.

165-181 class - Lynda Rodriguez, 5th, 515.

Malone class (best lifters) - Lopez, 4th, 525.45.

Individual boys' scores were:

114 class - Juan Pinela, 10th, 490.

132 class - Ramiro Nicolas, 7th, 670; and Oscar Jasso, 11th, 535.

148 class - Jorge Luna, 11th, 720; and Rosendo Lara, 15th, 690.

165 class - D.J. Hancock, 6th, 890; and

School lunch menus for next week:

Monday - chicken nuggets, pepperoni pizza, cream potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, rolls, peaches.

Tuesday - ham & cheese sub, hamburgers, corn, potato chips,

Desmond Fox, 11th, 795.

181 class - Anthony Ortiz, 9th, 860; and Jake Brozek, 12th, 780.

198 class - Jesus Castaneda, 14th, 790.

220 class - Fernando Banuelos, 7th, 980.

242 class -- Matt Knoll, 6th, 955.

275 class - Jason Olvera, 8th, 845.

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Youth basketball league planning to start

The Bovina youth basketball league will begin plans for this year's season at a meeting at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 27, at the Bovina School cafeteria.

Chantel Lide said new officers will be picked as Lawrence Widner place

tossed salad, pears. Wednesday - tacos, pepperoni pizza, pinto beans, tossed salad, sherbet.

Thursday - hot dogs with chili, hamburgers, mixed veggies, potato wedges, tossed salad, fruit cocktail.

Friday - BBQ on bun, pepperoni pizza, tossed salad, peas, potato salad, cottage cheese, chocolate cake, fruit.

Firemen have been busy lately.

Last month, they were called to North 1731 where a barn on the

well as having board member elections.

Any parents who are interested in volunteering, coaching, refereeing of helping keep score at the games are asked to come or call Mrs. Lide at (575) 799-7942.

Forms were scheduled to go out with youths at school on Jan. 18. The last day to return the forms is Feb. 1 to the Bovina Elementary School secretary's office.

The league will be open to youths pre-k through 6th grade.

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A last look at the Christmas concert



Earning All Region Band honors were Chris Rodriguez, Daniel Salazar, Jesse Rodriguez, Joe Torres, Zach Castillo and Heather Miller.

Six Mustangs earn All-Region Band honors

From Bovina Band Director Brad Walker:
On Jan. 14, 10 Bovina High School Mustang Band students participated at Abernathy for the Association of Texas Small School Bands Region 16 1A/2A All Region Band auditions.

- About 500 students tried out for 130 spots. Make the All Region Band were:
- Chris Rodriguez, 2nd chair baritone. He also made the Band last year.
 - Daniel Salazar, a freshman, 3rd chair baritone.
 - Jesse Rodriguez, 3rd chair trombone. He is now a 3-time member of the All-Region Band.
 - Joe Torres, a freshman, 8th chair trombone.
 - Zach Castillo, a freshman, made the band on both snare drum and tympani. He chose to represent Bovina on snare drum at the concert later this month (he earned the right to choose after the audition).
 - Heather Miller, a freshman, 11th chair trumpet.

Also competing but not making the band this year were Yesenia Rodriguez on Alto Saxophone. She made the band last year but came up 3 chairs short of making an alternate spot this year.

Others competing were Vanessa Rodriguez on Alto Saxophone, Stefon Knoll on trumpet, and Ivan Ramirez on trumpet.

Chris, Daniel, Jesse, Joe, Zach and Heather, along with 14 Bovina Middle School All Region students, and one High School All Region Honor Band (trumpeter Jalen Allred), will represent Bovina at the annual All Region Band Clinic and Concerts on Jan. 29 and 30 at the Lubbock Civic Center.

The concert will be held on Jan. 30 and is open to the public. The 1A Middle School All Region Concert begins at 1:30 p.m.; the 1A/2A High School All Region Concert starts at 3 p.m., and the High School All Region Honor Band Concert begins around 4 p.m. There is a small admission charge at the door.

It should be noted that the Bovina Band program has steadily increased its representation at All Region in the past four years. Bovina had 2 All Region students in 2007; 8 All Region students in 2008, 13 All Region Students in 2009, and 21 All Region Students in 2010.

Town Hall meeting planned

- The Bovina City Council on Jan. 12 approved placing the continuation of the quarter percent sales tax for street maintenance on the May election ballot. The tax expires in September, and thus will be renewed if voters accept it. In other business, the Council:
- Heard City Manager Jana Pitcock report that a town hall meeting will be held Feb. 18 at 7 p.m. at the EMS building for questions on grants and thoughts on the planned community center, plus any other issues folks bring up.
 - Set the next meeting for Feb. 23.
 - Agreed to see grant funds for a federal emergency operations center which would be part of the community center building.
 - Received the fiscal year 2009 audit report from Chris Leonard.

Hughes sparks JV Girls victories

- Varsity Boys**
The Mustangs are 1-1 in district after losing to Sudan there on Friday, 66-42. Scoring were Andy Duarte, 10; Dorian Vela, 2; Desmond Fox, 7; Gael Vela, 10; and Andrew Marrufo, 13.
- Varsity Girls**
The Fillies lost to Sudan 77-21, on Friday. Scoring were Kim Casas, 6; Yoselin Rueda, 7; Daniela Flores, 6; and Lynda Rodriguez, 2.
- MS Boys**
The Colts lost to Sudan on Monday, 27-26. It was a great improvement for the team, losing by only a point, after they lost the first time to Sudan by 30. Scoring were Joel Salas, 6; and Joe Casas and Gabriel Hancock, 10 each.
- Maroon Girls**
Bovina's Middle School Maroon Girls won 1 and lost 2 in the Lazbuddie tourney. They lost to Lazbuddie, 32-22. Scoring were Samantha Villarreal, 12; Edith Gomez, 7; and Crista Ramirez, 3. Bovina fell to Nazareth, 40-31. Scoring were Gomez, 10; Brittany Perez, 1; Yajayra Herrera and Samantha Villarreal, 6 each; and Andrea Villarreal and Ramirez, 4 each. And Bovina beat Hart, 45-14. Scoring were Anabel Lara and Perez, 4 each; Andrea Villarreal and Jackie Guevara, 6 each; Ramirez and Gomez, 8 each, and Samantha Villarreal, 9.

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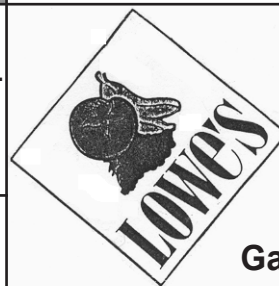
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