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Farwell's 1st place science team: Colton Christian, Rane Carpenter, Ray White, Kayla Sanders, Emily Agee and Tiffani Jones



Writing team participants advancing to Regional are Taylor Fillpot, Casey Knight, Keegan Langford, Nina Galvan, and Michelle Vega. Not shown is Cambry Devault.



Farwell's 1st place speech team: Laney Christian, Cindy Bermea, Mikaela Cenicerros, Kade Foster and Blake O'Hare, Not shown are Cameron Kirkland and Lincoln Devault.

Farwell students advance to UIL academic regionals

From Angela Hall, Farwell High UIL coordinator: Competition gets stiffer every year and to stay on top is difficult, Our UIL Academic Team found that out last week as they competed in the District 5-1A UIL Academic District Meet in Lockney.

This year, FHS moved into a new district with Bovina, Clarendon, Springlake-Earth, Hale Center, Lockney, Memphis, Olton, Sudan, and Wellington.

Clarendon and Lockney moved down from 2A this year to 1A. Nonetheless, Farwell students competed very well -- sending 19 kids to the UIL Regional Meet to be held at South Plains College on April 24.

As an Academic Team including District One-Act Play points, Farwell was District Runner-Up this year with 389 points. Sudan won with 398 points.

Advancing to Regionals are:
Nina Galvan, Ready Writing and Accounting.
Mikaela Cenicerros, Poetry and Accounting.

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Farwell Chamber banquet upcoming

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce's annual banquet will be held on Saturday, April 18, at 7 p.m. at the Farwell Community Center.

TV star Charla Corn, a Farwell High graduate, will provide the entertainment. She is the daughter of Gwen and Ed Corn, of Farwell.

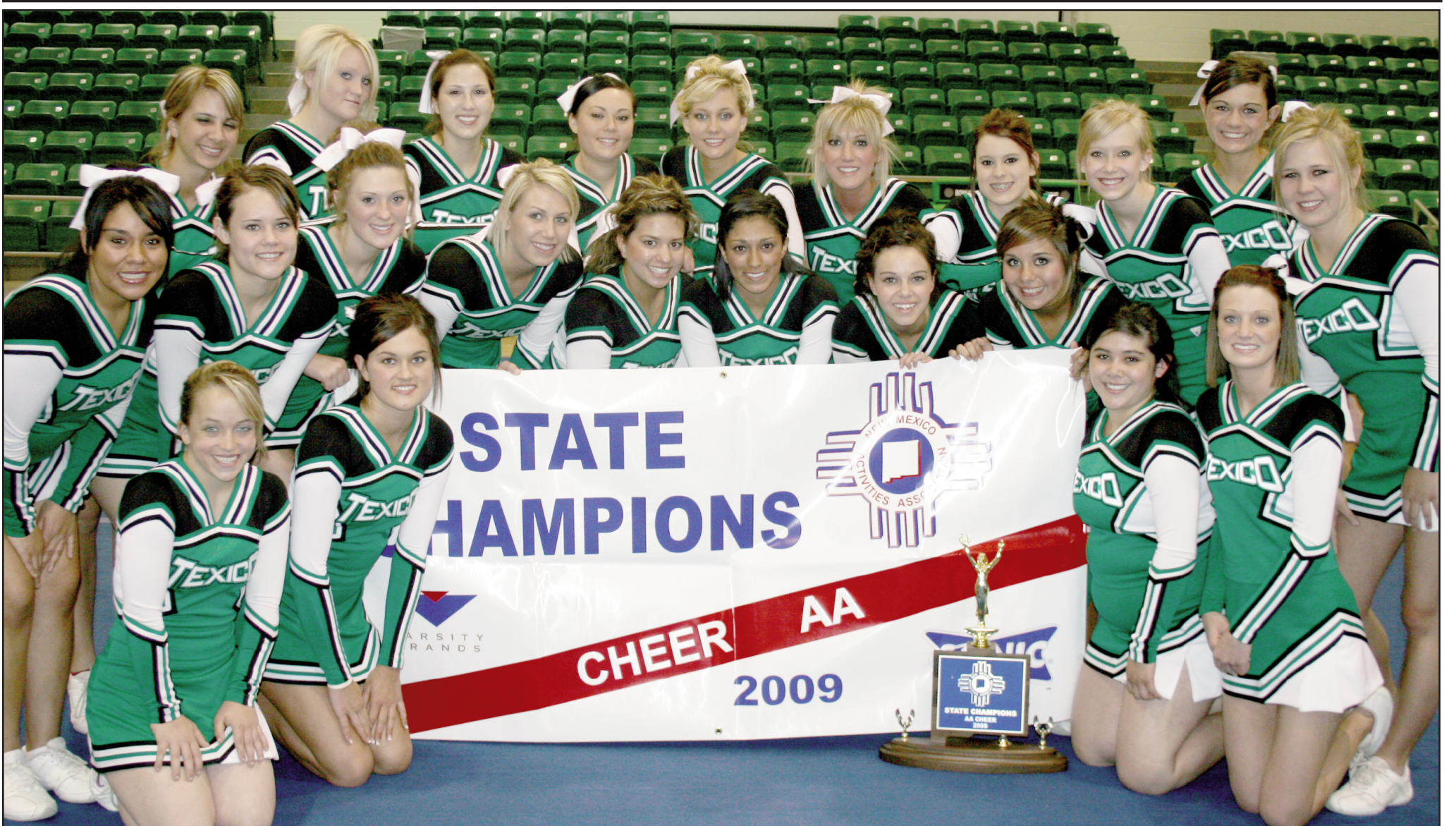
Tickets for the steak dinner cost \$15. The Life in Christ Academy "Holy Smokers" will prepare the steaks and baked potatoes. The Farwell lunchroom ladies will provide the trimmings, including strawberry shortcake for dessert. Student council members will serve the dinner.

Tickets are available at various locations around town including: State Line Tribune, Byrd Realty, City Hall, Security State Bank, Muleshoe State Bank's Farwell Banking Center, Farwell Hardware, Franse Irrigation and the Parmer

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Charla Corn, TV star entertainer, will entertain at the Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet on April 18 at 7 p.m. at the Farwell Community Center.



Texico cheerleaders take state title

The Texico varsity cheerleaders are No. 1 in New Mexico, beating out 10 other Class 2A teams to win the blue trophy last week at the NMAA State Cheer Contest at the Santa Ana Center in Albuquerque. Team captains are Jaryse Harris, Laiken Crist and Bethany Heaton. Other members are Sydney Sorley, Shelby Queener, Courtney Bell, Amanda Graham,

Missy Teune, Annette Torres, Holly Cordova, Belynn Sharp, Megan Martinez, Lisa Vidal, Sierra Stalker, Monique Pena, Jennifer Shirley, Christy Herrington, Jessica Neikirk, Eddwinia Rodriguz, Delanie Crist, Kylynn Thomas and Rylee DeRuyter. Advisor is Dayla Bass. This is the first state cheer title that Texico has ever won.



Farwell tracksters in action
Photos courtesy of Crista Bass.



Farwell tracksters advance to Area

Here are District Track Meet results for Farwell from last week:

Boys finished 6th with 61 points.
Advancing to Regionals are:
800 relay team of Bo Mitchell, Colby Read, Colton Christian, Brody Grimes; Landry Actkinson, 300 hurdles; 1600 relay team of Grimes, Colton Christian, Caleb Christian, Matt Billingsley; Grimes, high jump; Caleb Christian, pole vault.

Placing were:
Varsity Boys
100 hurdles – Actkinson, 6th, 17.65; Danny Brown, 7th, 17.98.

800 relay – Farwell, 2nd, 1:35.87, Mitchell, Read, Christian, Grimes.

300 hurdles – Actkinson, 3rd, 45.74.
1600 run – Josh Olivas, 5th, 5:25.18.
1600 relay team – 2nd, 3:40.14.
High jump – Grimes, 2nd, 5'10.
Pole vault – Caleb Christian, 3rd, 11'6; Austin Wright, 4th, 11'6.

Triple jump – Lincoln Devault, 8th, 34'5.5.

Varsity Girls took 3rd place with 83.5 points.
Advancing to Regionals are:
Tiffani Jones, high jump; Taylor Fillpot, pole vault; Sarahi Saenz, 800 run; Abby Johnson, 400 dash; and the 1600 relay team of Fillpot, Johnson, Brenda Delgado and Keegan Langford.

Placing were:
High jump – Jones, 3rd, 4'10; Brooke Williams, 6th, 4'6.

Pole vault – Fillpot, 3rd, 6'0.

400 relay – Farwell, 4th, 5:05.05, Jones, Fillpot, Michelle Wauson, Holly Bufkin.

800 run – Sarahi Saenz, 3rd, 2:43.91.

100 dash – Bufkin, 4th, 13.31; Williams, 5th, 13.49.

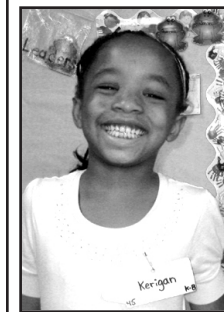
800 relay – Farwell, 4th, 1:55.82, Keegan Langford, Fillpot, Jones, Lauryn Meyer.

400 dash – Johnson, 3rd, 65.83; Keegan Langford, 6th, 68.46.

300 hurdles – Laura Martinez, 4th, 54.78; Kristin Langford, 5th, 57.98.

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Meet Farwell's Class of 2021



Kerigan Kasel is a Farwell kindergarten. Her birthday is Nov. 2. Parents are Tim & Kristin Kasel. Her brothers are Dalton & Ezekiel. Grandparents are Rita Larson & Joan Boar.

She likes dancing & gymnastics. Favorite colors are pink & purple. Favorite foods are broccoli & steak. She doesn't like to go shopping at Wal-Mart.

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50 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

Jack Williams, stricken with a heart attack, resigns as Farwell School supt. Willie Roberts replaces him.

Monte Singleterry and David Lockhart are Texico's two top academic seniors.

Charlie Phillips' "Sugartime" is named No. 1 song of the year by BMI.

LaMoin Williams is named ESA president.

Darrell Jennings shows the grand champion calf at the Parmer County stock show. Billy Hardage shows the reserve grand champ.

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200 dash – Bufkin, 5th, 28.50.
1600 run – Saenz, 4th, 6:17.80.
1600 relay – Farwell, 1st, 4:27.59.

Farwell 7th girls take 1st at district

The Farwell Junior High 8th grade girls took 1st at District with 220 points.

Placing were:

Triple jump – Clara Reyes, 4th, 25'11.

High jump – Chandler Barnes, 4th, 3'8; Caitlyn Stancell, 5th, 3'8; Kayla Cullison, 6th, 3'8.

Discus – Stancell, 2nd, 65'5.

Pole vault – Barnes, 1st, 6'0.

Long jump – Chelsea Bass, 1st, 13'6.

2400 run – Kathya Saenz, 1st, 11:19.11.

400 relay – Farwell, 1st, Clara Reyes, Sierra Moseley, Sasha Lara, Barnes, 60.89.

800 run – Bass, 1st, 2:47.38; Saenz, 3rd, 2:54.88.

100 hurdles – Reyes, 1st, 19.45; Moseley, 2nd, 20.00; Madison Rudd, 3rd, 20.03.

100 dash – Stancell, 3rd, 14.34; Estrella Meza, 5th, 14.47; Kayla Cullison, 6th, 14.61.

800 run – Farwell, 3rd, 2:12.17, Saenz, Lara, Stancell.

400 dash – Bass, 1st, 70.39; Lydia Gomez, 4th, 79.08; Cullison, 6th, 81.12.

300 hurdles – Lara, 1st, 62.28; Rudd, 2nd, 64.68; Cassidy Martin, 3rd, 66.22.

200 dash – Barnes, 1st, 32.32; Stancell, 5th, 34.47; Cullison, 6th, 35.32.

1600 run – Rudd, 1st, 7:12; Martin, 3rd, 7:51.

1600 relay – Farwell, 1st, 4:47.41, Moseley, Reyes, Barnes, Bass.

Farwell's 7th grade girls took 1st at District with 261 points.

Placing were:

High jump – K'Leigh White, 1st, 4'2; Jill Johnson, 2nd, 4'2; Lauren Carpenter, 5th, 3'10.

Triple jump – Savanna Barksdale, 3rd, 24'1; Alexa Mora, 5th, 22'6.25.

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Long jump – Johnson, 1st, 12'4; Carpenter, 4th, 10'9; Brooklyn Lamb, 5th, 10'8.

Discus – Taylor Stancell, 1st, 65'11; Heather Johnson, 4th, 52'2.5.

Shot put – Johnson, 1st, 25'10.5; Stancell, 3rd, 23'4.5; Hanna Sudderth, 4th, 21'10.5.

2400 run – Sammie Hardisty, 1st, 11:14.5; Barksdale, 3rd, 12:56.

400 relay – Farwell, 1st, 62.31, Kenzy Cates, Lamb, Carpenter, Mora.

800 run – Hardisty, 1st, 3:07.82; White, 4th, 3:28.69.

100 hurdles – White, 1st, 20.57; Carpenter, 2nd, 21.04.

100 dash – Johnson, 1st, 15.15; Haley Garcia, 6th, 16.21.

800 relay – Farwell, 1st, 2:10.94, Cates, Lamb, Johnson, Carpenter.

400 dash – Mora, 1st, 72.64; Stancell, 4th, 85.61.

300 hurdles – Johnson, 1st, 63.30; White, 3rd, 68.82.

200 dash – Lamb, 1st, 35.59; Johnson, 2nd, 36.44; Erika Maldonado, 3rd, 38.34.

1600 run – Barksdale, 2nd, 7:40; Stephanie Tercero, 4th, 8:12.

1600 relay – Farwell, 1st, 4:53.81, Mora, Cates, Johnson, Hardisty.

Richards, Queener receive scholarships

Roosevelt County Rural Telephone Cooperative has given 18 area high school seniors \$500 scholarships, including Texico's Levi Richards and Shelby Queener.

Need an Immunization?
Texas Department of Health will be in Farwell on April 21.
The Texas Department of Health is coming to Farwell every other month to give immunizations to everyone who needs them. Persons of any age are eligible. There is no charge; the shots are free.
Their next visit to the Farwell Elementary School nurse's office will be on April 21 from 10 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 3 p.m.
Persons should bring their immunizations records, if they have them.
For more information, and to answer any questions, please contact Farwell School Nurse LuAnn Fillpot at the elementary school, 481-9131.

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Farwell Junor High tracksters participate at Springlake-Earth

The Farwell 7th grade boys finished 4th at the Springlake-Earth Relays in March with 81.5 points.

Placing were:
 100 dash - Brenden Wright, 4th, 13.33.
 200 dash - Seth Chilton, 6th, 34.48.
 400 dash - Chase Meyers, 1st, 1:11.52; Lazaro Velasquez, 5th, 1:15.60.
 110 hurdles - Christian Pena, 5th, 23.77.
 400 relay - Farwell, 3rd, 1:01.42, Wright, Dillon Kirkland, Christian Finney, Hunter Hall.
 800 relay - Farwell, 2nd, Wright, Finney, Hall, Velasquez.
 1600 relay - Farwell, 4th, 5:02.82, Daniel Kirkland, Pena, Dillon Kirkland, Velasquez.
 High jump - Wright, 5th; Dillon Kirkland, 6th.
 Pole vault - Daniel Kirkland, 2nd. Hall, 3rd.
 Shot put - Ruben

Gutierrez, 5th, 26'7. ***

The Farwell 8th grade boys were 3rd with 131 points.

Placing were:
 Alan Sosa, 3rd, 13.10; Hayden Hadley, 6th, 13.88.
 200 dash - Erik Graxiola, 3rd, 33.47; Jr. Marrufo, 5th, 34.05; Sosa, 6th, 34.79.
 800 run - Luis Galvan, 5th, 2:50.48.
 2400 run - Galvan, 2nd, 10:33.84.
 110 hurdles - Kolton Morris, 1st, 16.89.
 300 hurdles - Morris, 1st, 48.15.
 400 relay - Farwell, 2nd, 56.29, Hadley, Britton Stancell, Marrufo, Collin Christian.
 800 relay - Farwell, 2nd, 1:59.99, Stancell, Marrufo, Hadley Christian.
 1600 relay - Farwell, 4th, 4:21.72, Christian, Hadley, Morris, Stancell.

High jump - Stancell, 2nd, 10.0; Morris, 4th, 8.0.

Pole vault - Hadley, 1st.

Long jump - Christian, 2nd, 15.5.75.

Shot put - Graxiola, 5th, 34'4.5.

Discus - Frankie Loepky, 1st, 108'3; Thomas Germain, 4th, 101'9.

Farwell JV boys win district

The Farwell boys won the District JV Track Meet with 142.5 points.

3200 run - Ray White, 4th, 14:32.93.

800 run - Carpenter, 6th, 2:38.15.

100 dash - Beau Martin, 3rd, 11.57; Colton Capps, 5th, 11.91; Victor Mendoza, 6th, 12.02.

800 relay - Farwell, 1st, 1:38.08.

400 dash - Mason Coburn, 5th, 1:00.79; Rane Carpenter, 6th, 1:00.89.

300 hurdles - Torrey Davis, 2nd, 49.41.

200 dash - Mason Howard, 1st, 24.51; Mendoza, 7th, 26.55.

1600 run - White, 5th, 6:03.29.

1600 relay - Farwell, 1st, 3:50.57.

Discus - Edgar Cuevas, 3rd, 86'0.

High jump - Rhett Martin, 1st, 5'8; Carpenter, 3rd, 5'4; Beau Martin, 6th, 5'0.

Long jump - Hunter Black, 6th, 16'9; Capps, 7th, 16'8.25.

Shot put - Jeremy Woodward, 3rd, 34'8.75.

Triple jump - Rhett Martin, 1st, 38'0; Carpenter, 3rd, 33'2.5.



Texico scholars honored

The Bank of Clovis honored area high school students with a 4.0 grade point average at a banquet in Clovis recently. From Texico, back row: Levi Richards, Coach Mike Prokop, Brett Anderson, and Kevin Visser; front row: Jaryse Harris, Holly Harrison, Braeden Hadley, and Shelby Queener.

Texico to expand FFA livestock program

The Texico School Board on Monday approved recommendations by ag teacher Tod Pinnell to improve the FFA livestock program.

A financial account will be established to provide funds for students who can't afford to buy animals to receive loans to do so.

Students would work out their debt at the ag farm.

An advisory committee will help Pinnell determine which students will get financial aid.

Funds for the account would be provided by donations from individuals and businesses.

In other business, the board:

-- Kept next year's instructional calendar about the same as this year.

-- Heard that teachers will have to pay an extra 1.5 percent toward their retirement accounts.

-- Clarified use of school facilities: If a group wants to use them, they need approval from high school principal Keith Durham. If it's a non-school group, they would have to pay rent.

-- Approved To and From Bus Co. for the bus contract for next year.

-- Heard Supt. R.L. Richards report on the pre-school - cafeteria and renovations building program.

Because the state has a financial shortfall, they likely won't provide the funds for the entire project. But there is a chance Congress' "stimulus package" may do so. Texico will learn more in May.

Texico has funds for the construction of the pre-school - cafeteria on hand. More money is needed for the other school renovations.

It's a Girl



Kylie Ann McFarland

Lonnie and Salida McFarland announce the birth of a baby girl, Kylie Ann McFarland.

She was born March 27 at Lubbock. She weighed 6 lbs., 10 oz., and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Scotly and Carrie Edwards and Lonnie and Yalonda McFarland, all of Farwell.

Great-grandparents are Delores Edwards, of Farwell, Don and Pat Scott of Hereford, and Bill and Yaunda Martin of Lariat.



Landry Actkinson and Luke Carpenter

Farwell doubles team advances

Farwell participated in the district tennis meet last week.

Luke Carpenter and Landry Actkinson finished 2nd in doubles and advances.

Also placing were Brenda Delgado, 3rd, JV singles, and Danielle Cockerham, 4th, varsity singles.



Ray White (Photos by Alyson Actkinson)

Brantley says homestead exemptions forms updated

The Parmer County Appraisal District recently sent out homestead exemption forms and Chief Appraiser Curby Brantley wants to stress to folks that this is being done as a service to the community while allowing the district to update its forms.

"Some folks don't get the homestead exemptions they deserve, and we want to help them out on their taxes," said Brantley. "This gives them the opportunity."

So last month, the district sent the forms to homeowners. Brantley said the "homestead exemption will not change, or will your over-65 freezes, as long as this form is returned. It is only a re-file."

Brantley also said that "if you receive more than one exemption letter, only sign the one that pertains to the place you reside in. Don't do it for any rent houses you may have or other places where you don't live. Just send the other forms back unsigned."

The deadline for filing is April 15.

If you have any questions, call Brantley at (806) 251-1405.

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Wolverine baseball



Wolverines win 3 more games

The Texico Wolverines used 6 hits and 9 walks to destroy Floyd on April 7, 15-5.

Texico scored 6 in the 1st innings on 4 walks, 3 hit batters and a hit by Warren Faircloth.

Brett Anderson struck out the side in the 1st inning.

In the 2nd, Marques Pena and Matt Vasquez had singles to plate two more runs.

Floyd countered with 4 runs in the 2nd and it was 8-4.

Texico got 4 runs back in the 3rd on an Anderson double, a Jonathan Hill single and the lead was extended again.

The Wolverines added a run in the 4th on a single by Lucas Walthers.

Pitchers Anderson and Seth Bailey combined on a 1-hitter in the 5-inning game.

On April 9, they blasted Portales JV, 28-3. Bailey threw a 3-hitter over the 5-inning game.

The Wolverines collected 14 hits, 12 walks and 5 hit batsmen.

Top hitters were: Bailey, a double and 2 home runs, including a grand slam; Connor Doolittle, a single, double and triple with 3 RBIs and 3 runs scored; and Walthers, with a single, homer and 3 RBIs.

On Saturday, Texico squeezed out an 11-10 win over Melrose, despite being outthit 10-6.

With one out in the bottom of the 7th, Bailey crushed a based-loaded triple to provide the winning score.

Top hitters were: Bailey, a single and triple; Hill, a single, double and RBI; Doolittle, a single, double and RBI, and Faircloth, a single and RBI.

Texico was 6-1-1 after this game.

The Latest

A bridal shower will be held for Kristin Butman and Casey Meeks on April 18 from 2 to 4 p.m. at Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church.

The Twin Cities got four tenths of an inch of rain on Saturday night. Another one tenth fell on Sunday.

The Parmer County Commissioners on Monday approved Pct. 4 (the Lazbuddie area) buying a road grader through the state's "Buy Board Option," which should result in a lower expense.

The commissioners also approved the purchase of a grid roller (heavy crushing machine) by Pct. 2 (the Bovina area) from Pct. 4.

Texico Police Report

Here is the weekly Texico police report from Chief Doug Bowman:

On April 1, a Texico woman filed a report on phone harassment, saying it was by her "significant other."

Chamber Banquet

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County treasurer's office in the courthouse.

Chamber President Ronald Byrd will handle the master of ceremony duties. Rev. Kyle Clayton, of the First Baptist Church of Farwell, will give the benediction.

The dinner starts at 7 p.m., but Beta Sigma Phi sorority will have appetizers and punch available starting at 6:30 p.m.

Farwell Service League members will handle the decorations.

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Last call, last call:

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet will be on Saturday at 7 p.m. at the Farwell Community Center.

It promises to be a great event - with TV star Charla Corn singing; steaks and all the trimmings; and several local folks to be honored. And all that for only \$15 a person.

Please turn out and be a part of this most important annual event.

Spring sports are winding down at our schools:

Texico - Golfers play at Roswell April 20-21; and at Clovis April 23. Varsity tracksters vie at Ft. Sumner April 28, and a EPAC at Ft. Sumner on April 25. JH tracksters vie at Portales on April 18. The baseball team plays at Elida on April 17, at Eunice on April 20, and at Clovis "C" on April 21.

Bovina and Farwell tracksters who qualified participate in the Area Meet on April 18 at Wolfforth.

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Obituary



Alice Duncan

Alice Mae Duncan, 73, of Texico, died April 12 in Texico.

No services are scheduled. She donated her body to science.

She was born Oct. 21, 1935, to J.C. and Dora

Autrey in Mountainair, N.M. She married Charles Duncan April 15, 1962, in Clovis.

She was of the Baptist faith.

Surviving are 4 four children, Lorena Landrum of Farwell; Della Stanton and Darlene Brown, both of Texico; and Jay Duncan, of Clovis; 4; brothers, Oran Jay, Billy and Dale Autrey, all of Texico, and Delford Martin of Artesia, N.M.; 10 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father, J.C. Autrey; a son, Luther Bullington; and a brother, Frankie Autrey.

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LIVE CATTLE: Live Cattle prices have seen a significant rise over the last couple of weeks, but cash trade in the South was somewhat of a disappointment at \$86. The April contract had projected up into the \$89.00 area and has reached \$87.70 up to this point. Prices look a little top heavy on the charts, but long term trends remain higher.

FEEDER CATTLE: The May Feeders also came very close to their long term price projections around the \$99.00 level late last week. Prices may be expected to pull back for a minute, but long term trends remain higher which should help to support prices into the Summer.

CORN: Corn prices have become very soft after failing to meet their price projections during the most recent rally. The May contract was expected to test the \$4.20-4.25 level after moving back above the \$4.00 level, but instead has stalled out and is now beginning to move lower. Weather seems to be having very little impact on planting at this point.

SOYBEANS: Soybeans have reached their price target at \$10.25 basis the May contract and the market has begun to drift lower. Prices are also at the top end of a channel line which was resistance. It looks like the market is in a position to move lower at this time. This may be about all we'll see on the upside for a while?

WHEAT: The July KC Wheat stopped around the \$6.20 level twice in the last few weeks and the market dropped fairly hard both times. The entire grain complex looks like the rallies may have ended for the most part. Wheat prices remain volatile because of weather concerns which have continued to change on a daily basis.

COTTON: Cotton prices were able to break out above some short term resistance levels around \$47.80 basis the May contract, but reversed back lower late last week. Odds are good that cotton prices may continue to follow the grains back lower over the near term. Although long term lows may be done, a price correction into next week could be expected.

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

Farwell UIL

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Laney Christian, LD Debate and Accounting.
Keegan Langford, Headline Writing and Accounting.

Taylor Fillpot, Feature Writing.
Kade Foster, Informative Speaking and Prose.
Cambry Devault, News Writing.
Cameron Kirkland, Persuasive Speaking.
Blake O'Hare, Persuasive Speaking and Prose.
Lincoln Devault, Persuasive Speaking.
Cindy Bermea, Prose.
Casey Knight, Ready Writing.
Rane Carpenter, Biology and Science.
Colton Christian, Science.
Emily Agee, Science Team.
Ray White, Science Team.
Tiffani Jones, Science Team.
Kayla Sanders, Science Team.
Michelle Vega, Spelling and Vocabulary.

Individual results at District were:
Accounting: Nina Galvan, 2nd; Mikaela Cenicerros, 4th
Accounting Team: 2nd consisting of Galvan, Cenicerros, Keegan Langford, and Laney Christian.
Computer Applications: Tiffani Jones, 4th; Kayla Sanders, 6th
Editorial Writing: Langford, 4th; Galvan, 6th

'Samson' speaks to Rev. Clayton

From Rev. Kyle Clayton, First Baptist Church of Farwell:

I recently made a quick stop into one of my favorite Clovis spots "The Master's Center" and I found a book I just had to read.

Often, when choosing a book, I look for what the book is about, who the author is, or even who the publisher might be. Standing in the Parable Book Store I saw it; it wasn't authored by an author I had read before, I didn't really know the subject, but the title jumped out at me: "Samson and the Pirate Monks."

I began reading it on a trip to Lubbock and simply could not put it down.

The book had a three-fold undertaking:

One, it was a personal story of a man trapped in a lifestyle he felt he couldn't get freedom from. Nate tells that even while pursuing an education to become a pastor he fell trap to the lures of lust and how it would ultimately ruin relationships around him.

Secondly, it's a story of how events throughout history show our need of people around us to hold us accountable. It tells us about how different the lives of Samson and David of the Bible were, although they both carried amazing promise, both also carried amazing sin.

Lastly, it gives insight to how Nate and men like him are gathering all across the nation to talk and hang out together. It is not men with problems with lust alone, but men who battle alcohol, stress, pride, envy, and other personal battles.

As I read Nate Larkin's book, I began to see that most men, although, we won't admit it, don't really have a close personal male friend. I would encourage men to pick this book up, read it and pass it along to other men around you.

It is a chance for you to read and understand that you are not alone; most men are going through the same things that you are, you just don't know it.

It is a book that will give you a charge to go and find men around you to do what Nate and the other brother of the "Samson Society" are doing all over the country.

Mop, broom sale coming

The Bordertown Lions Club will have a mop and broom sale in Farwell on Saturday, May 23.

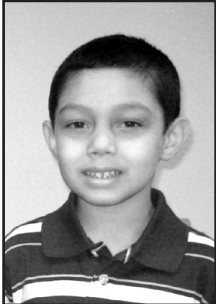
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More details will be announced later.

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Meet Texico's Class of 2021



Zephania Salazar is a Texico kindergartener. His birthday is May 10.
Parents are Clarisa & Alfredo Roque. Siblings are Zechaniah, Jr. & Myrella. Grandmother is Lisa Ybarra.
He likes to ride his bike, play at the park, soccer and music.
Favorite foods are tacos & fresh fruit. Favorite color is red.

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Farwell's 2nd place accounting team: Mikaela Cenicerros, Nina Galvan, Laney Christian and Keegan Langford.

Feature Writing: Taylor Fillpot, 3rd; Casey Knight, 4th
Headline Writing: Langford, 1st -- District Champion.
Informative Speaking: Kade Foster, 1st -- District Champion; Abby Johnson, 6th
Lincoln Douglas Debate: Christian, 1st -- District Champion,
News Writing: Cambry Devault, 3rd
Persuasive Speaking: Cameron Kirkland, 1st -- District Champion; Blake O'Hare, 2nd; and Lincoln Devault, 3rd
Poetry Interpretation: Cenicerros, 3rd; Martha Rosas, 4th
Prose Interpretation: Cindy Bermea, 1st -- District Champion; O'Hare, 2nd; Foster, 3rd
Ready Writing: Galvan, 2nd; Knight, 3rd
Biology: Rane Carpenter, 1st -- District Champion.
Science: Carpenter, 1st -- District Champion; Colton Christian, 2nd; Sanders, 6th
Science Team: 1st consisting of Carpenter, Colton Christian, Sanders, Emily Agee, Ray White, and Jones.
Spelling and Vocabulary: Michelle Vega, 3rd; Brooke Hall, 4th
Team Results were:
Speech Team: 1st -- District Champions
Journalism Team -- 2nd.

A special note about our science team: This is the first team to win a District Championship and advance to Regional in the history of the school.
"We are very proud of all of our students who competed, those who placed, and those who advanced. We are an academic TEAM and every-



Farwell High's One-Act Play was chosen an alternate at the Area contest. Advancing are Sudan and Sunray. Picked for the All-Star Cast were Laney Christian, (left), Taylor Fillpot (right), Taylor Mesman (2nd from right), plus Micky Cenicerros, Honorable Mention. The judge had nothing but glowing comments to make about Farwell's play.

body contributed, including One-Act Play and CX Debate, to our District Runner-Up finish.

"We were hoping to be on top again for the 3rd year, but Sudan is tough and always knocking on our door. We only came up 9 points short so I think we can safely say we are pretty even in our academic competitiveness. Our academic program is one of the best in the state in 1A -- we can all take pride in because we are preparing our kids for their future in every area. Our kids are so great because they give all of themselves to everything they do, that is what makes our school so strong."

UIL Coaches in high school include: Dorris White, Karen Schilling, Ronnie Dyer, Tra Hall, Linda Riley, Eric Chadwick, and Angela Hall.

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Lazbuddie School's One-Act play troupe

Jurors to report

The following jurors are to report on April 22 at the Parmer County courthouse:

Tonia Abarca, Rosa Amezcua, Yvette Amparan, Alma Armstrong, Emma Armstrong, Sherry Baldwin, Christy Barksdale, Darrell Barlow, Jan Barrett, Deborah Bass, Estis Bass, Lillie Baxter, Keaton Behrendsen, Reace Bennett, Bobby Bentley, Deven Black, Leverage Black, Keith Blackburn.

Kathryn Bolton, Norman Boyce, Ryan Boyce, Mica Brandvik, Burkleigh Briones, Brenda Brozek, Karen Bryant, Vickie Burch, Kathy Cantu, Vanessa Cantu, Kristi Capps, Petra Carmona, Frances Carson, Juan Castillo, Rosa Castro, Ignacia Centeno, Mayra Chacon, Rowdy Chandler.

Dominga Chavez, Rosa Chavez, Rosario Chavez, Russell Christian, Maria Cisneros, Inette Cochran, Belinda Collier, Gwen Corn, Jose Cortes, Feliz Crutchfield, Fernando Cruz, Juanita Cruz, Sherry Curtis, Beth Davila, David Davila, David Davila III, Dinora Davila, Michael Davila.

Gabriella Delacruz, Adrian Delarosa, Diana Delarosa, Judith Dennis, Raymon Diaz, Ginger English, Nohemi Escamilla, Isabel Espinoza, Joseph Estraca, Kayla Estrada, Norma Flores, Susan Franse, Dagoberto Frias, Roger Gallman, Lupe Garza, Amy Gerles, Donna Glover.

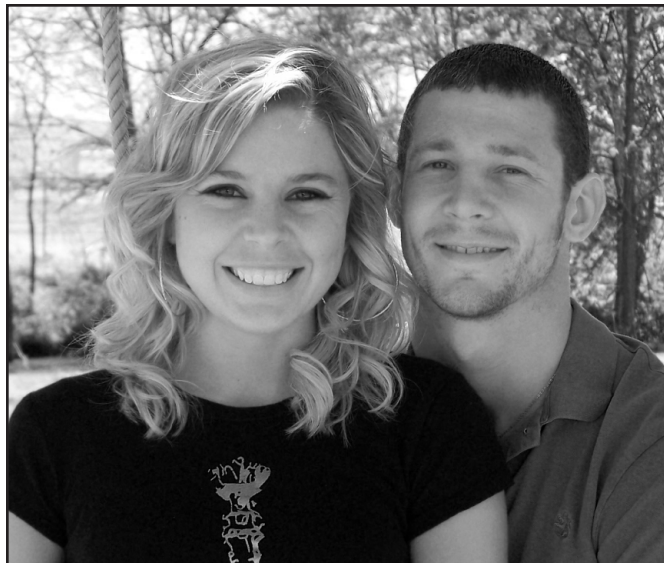
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Bertha Mendoza, Dianna Mendoza, Jose Mendoza, Billie Merritt, Debbie Miller, Pam Monk, Sandra Moreno, Hermila Neyoy, Therese Nichols, Sahara Nicolas, Nicky Nickels, Shelia Noble, Kay O'Brian, Jocelyn Onod, Dottie Osborn, Veronica Oviedo, Ross Paiz, Jack Patteson.

Judy Pena, Emanuel Pereda, Ernesto Perez, Adam Perez Jr., Natividad Perez, Angel Porras, Ryan Potts, Crystal Prieto, Thomas Randolph Jr., Charles Ray, Mildred Redwine, Jackie Reynolds, Chiann Robb, Leo Robles, Luis Robles, Eliva Rocha, Ricardo Rodriguez, Savanna Rodriguez.

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Kyra Christian and Evan Owen

Kyra Christian to wed Evan Owen

Gene and Sherry Christian, of Farwell, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Kyra Ellen, to Evan Owen, son of Jerry and Ginger Owen of Abilene, Texas.

Kyra's grandparents are C.E. Christian, of Farwell, and Charles and Barbara Dodson, of Clovis. Evan's grandparents are K.A. and Marilyn Goza of Anson, Texas; Cecil and Joann Mann of Breckenridge, Texas, and Jerry Owen, Sr. of Las Vegas, Nev.

Kyra, a 2004 Farwell High School graduate, will graduate from Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene on May 9 with a bachelor's degree in Behavioral Sciences and plans on pursuing her Master's Degree at a later time in Psychology.

Evan, a 2004 graduate of Abilene Wylie High School, graduated from South Plains College Fire Academy in 2006 and is employed by the Brownwood Fire Department as a firefighter and EMT.

The couple will exchange vows June 13 at 7:30 p.m. at Erinshire Gardens and Event Center, 435 College Ave., Abilene, with the ceremony being conducted by the bride's father. The reception and dance will immediately follow.

All family and friends are invited. Rooms have been reserved at the Courtyard by Marriott for all out-of-town guests. Just ask for the Christian/Owen wedding party.

More information is available and you may RSVP at www.theknot.com

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION
AND INTENT TO OBTAIN
AIR QUALITY STANDARD PERMIT REGISTRATION

PROPOSED AIR QUALITY REGISTRATION
NO. 87889L001

APPLICATION Mr. Hein Hettinga has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for an Air Quality Standard Permit Registration No. 87889L001, which would authorize construction of a Concrete Batch Plant. The applicant has provided the following driving directions: approximately 2.0 miles southeast of Farwell on Highway 70, then east 5.5 miles on Ranch Road 145 on the south side of the road, Farwell, Parmer County, Texas 79325. The proposed facility will emit the following air contaminants: particulate matter including (but not limited to) aggregate, cement, road dust and particulate matter less than 10 microns in diameter.

This application was submitted to the TCEQ on April 1, 2009. The application will be available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ central office, the TCEQ Amarillo regional office, and the Parmer County Clerks Office, 401 3rd Street, Farwell, Parmer County, Texas beginning the first day of publication of this notice. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review in the Amarillo regional office of the TCEQ.

The TCEQ executive director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application.

PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING You may submit public comments, a request for a public meeting, or request a contested case hearing to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below. The TCEQ will consider all public comments in developing a final decision on the application. **The deadline to submit public comments is 15 days after newspaper notice is published.**

The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or ask questions about the application. A public meeting about the application will be held if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

If only comments are received on the application, the response to comments, along with notice of the executive director's action on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted comments or is on the mailing list for this application.

If a hearing request is timely filed, the executive director will complete the technical review, issue a preliminary decision on the application, and a Notice of the Application and Preliminary Decision will be published and mailed to those who are on the mailing list for this application. That notice will contain the final deadline for submitting public comments.

After the final deadline for public comments following any required Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision, the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. If any comments are received, the response to comments, along with the executive director's decision on the application, will then be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments or who is on a mailing list for this application.

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING

You may request a contested case hearing. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court. Unless a written request for a contested case hearing is filed within 15 days from this notice, the executive director may approve the application. **If no hearing request is received within this 15-day period, no further opportunity for hearing will be provided.** A contested case hearing will only be granted based on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's decision on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on those issues raised during the public comment period and not withdrawn.

A person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the facility is entitled to request a hearing. To request a hearing, a person must actually reside in a permanent residence within 440 yards of the proposed plant. If requesting a contested case hearing, you must submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number, and fax number, if any; (2) applicant's name and Registration Number; (3) the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing;" (4) a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the application and air emissions from the facility in a way not common to the general public; (5) the location and distance of your property relative to the facility; and (6) a description of how you use the property which may be impacted by the facility. If the request is made by a group or association, the one or more members who have standing to request a hearing, and the interests which the group or association seek to protect, must also be identified. Requests for a contested case hearing must be submitted in writing within 15 days following this notice to the Office of the Chief Clerk, at the address below.

If a hearing request is timely filed, additional notice will be provided. Following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the executive director will forward the application and any requests for contested case hearing to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. **If a hearing is granted, the subject of a hearing will be limited to disputed issues of fact relating to relevant and material air quality concerns raised during the comment period.** Issues such as property values, noise, traffic safety, and zoning are outside of the Commission's jurisdiction to address in this proceeding.

MAILING LIST In addition to submitting public comments, you may ask to be placed on a mailing list to receive future public notices for this specific application mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk by sending a written request to the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

INFORMATION Written public comments or requests for a public meeting or contested case hearing should be submitted to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, or electronically at www.tceq.state.tx.us/about/comments.html. For more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call the Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at www.tceq.state.tx.us.

Further information may also be obtained from Mr. Hein Hettinga, P.O. Box 409, Muleshoe, Texas 79347-0409 or by calling Mr. Joel Hettinga, Manager at (806) 925-6412.

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Border Banter

—Mike Pomper

Never say never

I didn't think I would ever see the day when I wrote a column agreeing with Hillary Clinton.

Well, never say never. Mrs. Clinton, who is now the U.S. Secretary of State, said something that is very true.

She noted that the U.S. is a big part of the problem with the Mexico drug situation because of our insatiable appetite for illegal — and costly —

drugs. Mexico is a mess today, with a real threat of destabilization due to the rich drug cartels. They are making billions of dollars and the bribery mess has gotten out of hand. And that is only part of the problem — the number of killings has skyrocketed.

There are Mexican towns where the "law" is now provided by gangsters. And the scary problems along the U.S.-Mexican border are well documented.

Couple that with the poverty is southern Mexico, and you can see the threat of that nation.

And where are the drug cartels making those billions of dollars? From us.

We may be in a serious recession, but that doesn't stop this "growth"

industry. No, Americans are becoming more and more seduced by heroin, cocaine and marijuana.

What I would do is take all the city and state police throughout the nation, tell them to forget about ticketing drivers for seat belt violations, and instead put them to work ferreting out drug dealers.

I know, that would never happen. Why use our police resources to clamp down on the drug problem in our nation, right?

Our drug policy sucks.

President Obama has indicated a couple of foreign relations decisions that I also agree with.

He has talked about reducing our nuclear arsenal, hopefully in agreement with Russia. It's about time!

Folks, we have lots and lots of nuclear weapons. Why? The threat of war with Russia is over with. They are never going to invade our nation with their troops. Heck, they got whipped in Afghanistan, for God's sake.

Then why do we still need all these nuclear weapons ready for a Russian threat? Haven't our leaders figured out yet that things have changed? What a bunch



Lazbuddie golfers advance to Regionals

Lazbuddie's boys' golf team won district and advances to Regionals on April 20 at the Reese Golf course in Lubbock: from left, Logan Mason, Jacob Schacher, Justin Schacher, Kayle Jesko and Todd Nichols. (Photo courtesy of Shawndee Nichols)

All-District

Texico Lady Wolverine basketball coach Ryan Autrey said the following players made All-District: Katlin Luscombe, Victoria Richards, Holly Harrison and Jordyn Cooper.

Named Honorable Mention were Jaylyn Cooper, Jaryse Harris and Shannon Van Matre.

Texico Wolverines basketball coach Richard Luscombe also noted his All-District players:

Brett Anderson, Seth Bailey, Lucas Walthers and Mario Posada.

Named Honorable Mention were Jose Posada and Levi Richards.

Lazbuddie scholars

Here are Lazbuddie Schools' honor rolls for the fifth 6 weeks:

Elementary "A" -- Coby Glover, Preston Stewart, Avery Hicks, Sidney Urbantke, Devon Pacheco, Andres Solano, Thomas Ballard, Bernardo Lopez, Cambree Glover, Gentry Hicks, Juan Samarron, Micah Vera.

Elementary "AB" -- Joshua Cox, Tyler Haseloff, Marrena Hunn, Gunner Russell, Kayleigh Russell, Miranda Salazar, Avery Timms, Jesus Arreola, Juan Castaneda, Marisol Gomez, Ashlyn Timms, Triston Bomer, Triston Gonzalez, Ginsyn McGehee, Daniela Ramos, Ashley Scott, Iridian Fernandez.

Junior High "A" -- Haldon Ivy, Lacey Jesko, Haley Beasley, Ashton Mason, Jessica Estrada.

Junior High "AB" -- Albert Moran, Jordan Russell, Katlyn Hicks, Shyann Rainey, Karina Galaviz, Shea Scott, Ian Thompson.

High School "A" -- Jarrod Jesko, Jordan Hernandez, Cassidy Lowe, Kinzi Schacher.

High School "AB" -- Paola Estrada, Kylie McGehee, Todd Nichols, Justin Schacher, Joseline Garcia, Carrie Beth Gilly, Authur Gomez, Elias Ramos, Colton Weaver, Katie Chavez, Kayle Jesko, Kyler Steinbock, Ryan Mason, Jacob Schacher, Devlin Thompson, RaJon Thorn, Chase Timms.

Marriage License

The Parmer County clerk's office issued marriage licenses last week to: Justin Ware and Mikayla Cherry, and to Nicholas Beekman and Erin Joyce.

Farwell

Monday — spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, carrot sticks, Italian rolls, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Tuesday — chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, gravy, broccoli, hot rolls, pear, milk.

Wednesday — veggie beef soup, crackers, grilled cheese, apple sauce, chocolate cake, milk.

Thursday — chalupas, taco salad, corn, apple, milk.

Friday — sausage wrap with cheese, beans, corn bread, peaches, milk.

Texico

Monday — nachos with meat & cheese, pinto beans, fruit, milk.

Tuesday — grilled cheese sandwich, chicken noodle soup, fruit, milk.

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

Thursday — hamburgers, French fries, lettuce, pickles, fruit, milk.

Friday — Rib-b-Q sandwich, ranch style beans, pickle spear, fruit, milk.

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of idiots who have been running this nation.

Yes, I believe we need a nuclear deterrent. But we have that — and more so. I say get rid of the "more so."

Of course, our "military industrial complex" might not like that due to getting less money.

Let's see who wins.

One U.S. policy under the Bush administration really got under my skin — that of providing a missile shield in a couple of Eastern European nations, such as Czechoslovakia and Poland.

When this was first proposed, I thought it was to help defend

against Russia. That made some (but not much) sense to me.

Now I have discovered that its purpose was to defend against attack from Iran or some other Middle East nation.

Now that makes absolutely no sense to me.

What dunderheads in the Bush administration could honestly believe that Iran planned to attack Poland?

Sounds stupid, doesn't it? Well, all I am doing is repeating U.S. foreign policy up to this year.

So President Obama is thinking about changing this really dumb policy. I sure hope so.

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Just Listed - West of Lazbuddie, 960 acres irrigated with 7 circles and large beautiful brick home.

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

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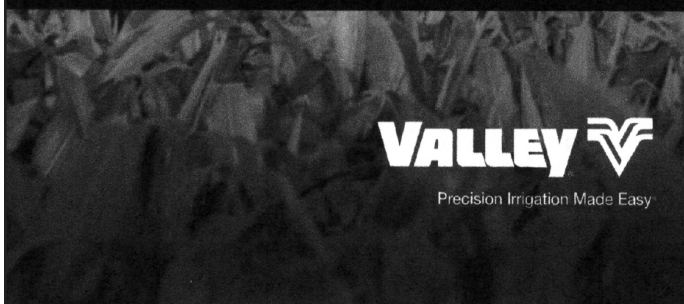
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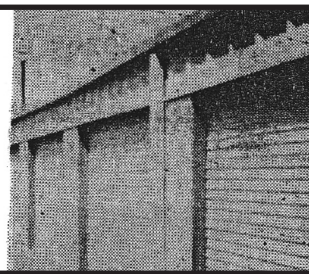


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Barnes named Farwell elementary principal

The Farwell School Board on Tuesday appointed Mark Barnes as the elementary school principal.

Barnes had been a 3rd grade teacher here. He replaces Gary Cates, who had resigned the post last month.

The following resignations were accepted:
-- Selina Roberts, 5th grade teacher.
-- Jamie Cooper, junior high science teacher.
-- Lori Haseloff, junior high social studies teacher.
In other business, the board:
-- Discussed the boys' basketball program. Coach Patrick Finney and his wife were on hand.

Supt. Larry Gregory said Jan Billingsley, her son Matt, and Josh Olivas were on hand to support the program.

-- Will meet next on May 14.
-- Heard Gregory say that the federal stimulus program is expected to give Farwell Schools about \$145,000. He will attend a meeting in Amarillo this week to learn what "strings may be attached."
-- Kept Security State Bank as the school system's bank depository.
-- Tabled a decision on re-roofing the elementary and high schools.

Texico council proclaims Teacher Excellence Day

The Texico City Council on Tuesday proclaimed April 17 as Texico's Tribute to Teacher Excellence Day.

Supt. R. L. Richards was on hand to accept the proclamation for the school.

Mayor Jerry Cunningham called on the people of Texico, "to honor our community's teachers and thank them for the difference they make in our children's lives."

In other news, the council:
- Agreed to meet at 7 p.m. instead of 6:30 on April 28 so that city clerk Carolyn Johnson can attend. Also, City Hall will be closed this Friday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

- Heard from Lewis Cooper that the national stimulus package might be partially used for the Ute Water project. This could help make the project more affordable for folks.

- Approved selling a small parcel of land to Bill Autrey for the appraised value \$1,000.

- Agreed to put \$4,000 into the Texico Senior Citizens bank account. This will help them meet bills for the end of the year.

- Heard that Councilman Oran Jay Autrey will help bring dirt out to the Texico Cemetery. As graves are dug, caliche is replaced with regular dirt.

- Denied David Jones, of 811 Hereford, on his application to put a shipping container on his property as a storage shed. City Inspector Terry Martin said that the units are not safe for residential use and many communities have outlawed them. Councilman Doug Scioli said the council would like to see Jones build something rather than put up a container.

- Heard that Police Chief Doug Bowman and

Officer Gilbert Salguero attended 40 hours of training last week. The officers have to have 80 hours every two years to keep their certifications.

- Passed on their condolences to Autrey and Darryl Stanton who both lost family members this week.

- Discussed with Martin the properties that have been flagged for cleaning. He said that most are working on their problems.

Wolverines blast Dora

On Tuesday, the Texico Wolverines rolled to an easy 16-2 victory over Dora in a 5-inning baseball game at home.

Texico got 10 runs in the 2nd inning to put away the game.

Seth Bailey pitched all five innings, giving up 2 hits.

Top hitters were Brett Anderson, a single, 2 doubles and 3 RBIs; Bailey, a single and a double and 3 RBIs; Marques Pena, 2 singles and an RBI; Warren Faircloth, 2 singles and 2 RBIs; and Connor Doolittle, 2 singles and an RBI.

Texico is now 7-1-1 on the year and 4-0 in district.

Report given on water table

A new report says the Ogallala Aquifer has shrunk 9 percent since the 1950s.

The aquifer, which covers about 174,000 square miles in several states from South Dakota and Wyoming into Texas and New Mexico, supplies about 30 percent of the nation's groundwater used for irrigation.

Parmer County depends on the aquifer.

Farwell JH tracksters in action





Easter egg hunt

Pictured are the youths who showed up for the annual Easter Egg Hunt held at the Farwell Convalescent Center. Also pictured are residents preparing Easter eggs, and the Easter bunny (Maricela Vega) with Zavayia Benoit.

Sheriff's Report

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

On April 7, Jesus Sosa, 23, of Hereford, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a motion to revoke (driving with an invalid license), pending in county court.

On April 8, Mark Hancock, 40, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of violation of community supervision (forgery), pending in district court.

On April 8, Jose Reece, 24, of Hereford, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of driving with an invalid license enhanced, pending in county court.

On April 12, Nikko Nathan, 20, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of

unlawful possession of a firearm by felon, pending before the grand jury.

On April 13, Jacob Mireles, 21, of Amarillo, was arrested by the sheriff's office on charges of possession of a controlled substance, pending in district court, and motion to revoke (possession of marijuana) pending in county court.

On April 13, Felipe Delacruz, 27, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of possession of marijuana, pending in county court.

In 287th District Court on April 7, with Judge Gordon Green presiding: Claudia Chirinos-Nunez, age unknown, Clovis, charged with a Class A misdemeanor punishment, state jail felony conviction (fraud use - possession identi-

fying info) was sentenced to 6 months in Parmer County Jail, \$295 court costs and \$1,000 fine.

Fatima Aragon, 30, of Clovis, charged with a class A misdemeanor punishment, state jail felony conviction (DWI with child passenger), was sentenced to 6 months in Parmer County Jail, \$445 court costs, \$750 fine and \$400 attorney fees.

Brandon Monette Welch, 25, of Littlefield, charged with possession of a controlled substance with intent to deliver (meth), was sentenced to 12 years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, \$445 court costs, \$1,000 fine and \$400 attorney fees.

Arleen Theresa Keithley, 28, of Muleshoe,



charged with violation of community supervision (possession of a controlled substance), had her community supervision amended and continued; and confinement in a community corrections facility.

Farwell students protest taxation

Farwell High teacher Tra Hall reports that members of the senior class have composed letters with tea bags inside them to send to President Obama to protest taxation.

Farwell Senior Meal Site

Menus for next week:

Monday - meat loaf with brown gravy, seasoned potatoes, green beans, bread, apple cobbler.

Tuesday - beef stir fry, rice, tossed salad, peas, brownies.

Wednesday - pork ribs, cole slaw, pinto beans, corn bread, yellow cake, white frosting.

Thursday - chicken & dumplings, glazed carrots, crackers, chocolate pudding and cool whip.

Friday - tacos, tomato, lettuce, beans, chocolate chip cookie, fruit.

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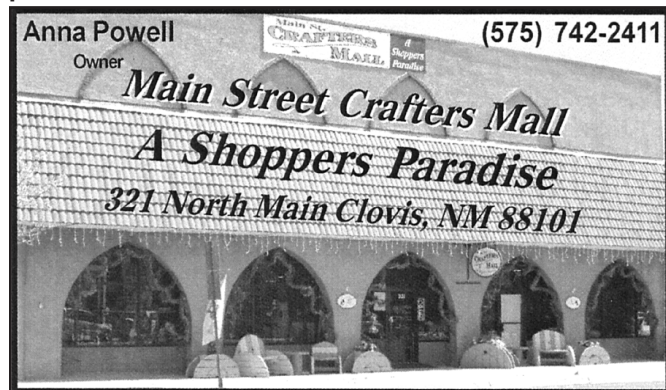
We moved back to Texico in 1945, where dad bought the property where the business has been located.

I would like to thank some of my employees, the Spears family, the Hammit family, Fidel Esparza, and Roland and Lori Goforth.

I attended both Texico and Farwell schools, graduating from Farwell High School, as did all our children.

After 64 years in business, I sincerely want to express my appreciation to our communities and all our customers for their support. We have had the greatest place in the world to raise our families.

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The Farwell High School hereby cancels the election scheduled to be held on May 9, 2009 in accordance with Section 2.053(a) of the Texas Election Code. The following candidates have been certified as unopposed and are hereby elected as follows:

El FND por la presente cancela la elección que, de lo contrario, se hubiera celebrado el May 9 2009 de conformidad con la Sección 2.053(a) del Código de Elecciones de Texas. Los siguientes candidatos han sido certificados como candidatos únicos y por la presente quedan elegidos como se haya indicado a continuación:

| Candidate (Candidato) | Office Sought (Cargo al que presenta candidatura) |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
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| <u>Mike Ricketts</u> | ✓ |
| <u>Sam Nulph</u> | ✓ |
| <u>Ryan Williams</u> | ✓ |
| <u>Big Ackerson</u> | ✓ |

A copy of this order will be posted on Election Day at each polling place that would have been used in the election.

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Girl Scouts learn about Horned Lizards, ceramic eggs

At top left, members of Girl Scout Troop 9587 Haley Ivy, Josephine Samarron, Judith Jones (member of the Panhandle Master Naturalists), Lacey Jesko, Adriana Arreda, and Anais Andrade learned about the Texas Horned



Lizard and why it is endangered. Above, Rosemary McCallum taught Girl Scouts Anabel Ramirez, Dora Martinez, and Angel Valencia how to make ceramic eggs out of painted eggshells.

Texico High's top scholars announced

Here are the fifth 6 weeks honor rolls for Texico High School
 All A's - Brett Anderson, Markita Askew, Amanda Bass, Kristen Beltran, Laiken Crist, Sandra Estrada, Jaryse Harris, Holly Harrison, Mario Posada, Shelby Queener, Levi

Richards, Sydney Sorley Juniors - Shay Anderson, Seth Bailey, Garrett Garrison, Holly Inman, Marques Pena, Monique Pena, Victoria Richards, Stephany Southward, Shannon VanMatre.
 Sophomores - Delanie Crist, Connor Doolittle, Garrett Foote, Rustin

Harris, Mitchell Harrison, Nora Maldonado, Kayley Pelfrey, Morgan Pinnell, Erin Scanlan, Fallon Scanlan, Destanee Sena.
 Freshmen - Claudia Campos, Jaylyn Cooper, Jordyn Cooper, Adriana Garcia, Taylor Lane, Aspyn Reames, Kylynn Thomas.

Texico JH honor rolls listed

Here are the Texico Junior High honor rolls for the 5th 6 weeks:
 6th All A: Tyler Bridges, Jessica Jorde, Adan Serna, Jonah Tuls.
 6th A-B: Jordan Holguin, Matthew Suniga, McKenzie Thatcher.
 7th All A: Kimberly Brown, Erin Lane, Kayla Myers, Mitchell Pinnell, Kassie Waller, Jonah Walls, Chasity Weems.
 7th A-B: Crystal Davalos, Cassidy Downing, Sidonia Garcia, Paden Hagler, Kimber Harrison, Jarron Hill, Joseph Jones, Sarah Long, Aaron Massey, John Myers, Alixsandra Nicholas, Miguel Reyna, Shelby Vannatta.
 8th All A: Sabra Barnett, Elliott Pelfrey.
 8th A-B: Shaylee Anderson, Kaylee Crawford, Lindsey Foote, Rallin Harris, McKenzi Mayfield, Uriel Munoz, Derrick Parkos, Rae Lynn Prather, Jason Tuls.

A-B Seniors - Braeden Hadley, Caiden Thomas.
 Juniors - Jennifer Campos, Devanee Cherry, Shelby Cockerham, Jessica Garcia, Yesenia Garcia, Roger Gomez, Jazmine Ortiz, Kambrie Reid, Jennifer Shirley, Elizabeth Vidal.
 Sophomores - Kayla Cox, Logan Garner, Jessica Neikirk, Jose Posada, Joshua Trujillo, Niki Wallin, Oscar Walls.
 Freshmen - Trevor

Bridges, Jasmine Caldwell, Powers Hagler, Pal Herndon, Donovan Johnson, Megan Long, Vanessa Maldonado, Lucero Marquez, Allison Myers, Dulde Rodriguez, Hoyt Skabelund, Selena Valdez.

Historical Commission to meet

The Parmer County Historical Commission will meet Thursday, April 16, at the Union Congregational Church at 1601 Euclid, Friona at 7 p.m.
 Work will continue on the third edition of the Parmer County history book. Submissions' deadline is May 31. All are welcome.

Jasmine Caldwell, Powers Hagler, Pal Herndon, Donovan Johnson, Megan Long, Vanessa Maldonado, Lucero Marquez, Allison Myers, Dulde Rodriguez, Hoyt Skabelund, Selena Valdez.



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The Parmer County Shared Service Arrangement serving the Friona, Bovina, Lazbuddie, and Farwell Independent School Districts, is offering a FREE DIAGNOSTIC CLINIC for children 3, 4 and 5 years old who seem to have a learning problem or developmental delay.

Certified specialists will be working with children at this clinic which is to be held at the following locations on Tuesday, April 21, 2009.

**Farwell Elementary School
 Speech Room
 8:30 -- 9:30 a.m.**

**Bovina Ridgelea
 Elementary School
 10:00 -- 11:00 a.m.**

**Lazbuddie
 School Library
 12:00 -- 12:30 p.m.**

**Friona Administration Building
 901 E. 11th St.
 1:00 -- 2:30 p.m.**

If you are concerned about your child's growth and development, bring your child to this clinic. If you need additional information, call Sue Wells, Director of Special Education at 250-3315.

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El Condado de Parmer, con Servicios Compartidos sirviendo los Distritos Independientes de las Escuelas de Friona, Bovina, Lazbuddie, y Farwell, están ofreciendo una CLINICA DIAGNÓSTICO GRATIS para niños de 3, 4 y 5 años que parecen tener un problema de aprendizaje o en el desarrollo. Especialistas Certificados van a estar trabajando con niños en esta clínica que va a ser localizada en los siguientes lugares, Martes 21 de Abril, 2009.

**Escuela Primaria De Farwell
 En la salón de Terapia de Lenguaje
 8:30 -- 9:30 a.m.**

**Escuela Primaria
 De Bovina -- Ridgelea
 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.**

**Escuela De Lazbuddie Biblioteca
 12:00 - 12:30 p.m.**

**EDIFICIO DE ADMINISTRACIÓN DE LA ESCUELA DE FRIONA
 901 E. 11th St.
 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.**

Si usted está interesado sobre el desarrollo de su niño, tráigalo a esta clínica. Si usted necesita más información, llame a Sue Wells, Directora de Educación Especial a 250-3315.



Texico Junior High tracksters in action



Texico athletes qualify for state

The Texico Wolverines were 6th at the Lovington Relays at Lovington last week with 36 points. Asterisks indicate state qualifiers.

- Placing were:
 High jump – Crawford, 2nd, 5'8"; Strickland, 6th, 5'4.
 Discus – Montano, 4th, 124'3.
 Javelin – Mario Posada, 4th, 145'2; Edgardo Meza, 6th, 139'11.
 Shot put – Montano, 6th, 43'1.
 200 dash – *Meza, 4th, 23.25; Gomez, 5th, 23.65.
 300 hurdles – Humberto Burciaga, 2nd, 42.93.
 800 relay – Texico, 3rd, 1:33.97.
 1600 relay – Texico, 3rd, 3:36.59.

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 The Lady Wolverines were 3rd with 66 points. Asterisks indicate state qualifiers:
 Placing were:
 High jump – *Katlin Luscombe, 2nd, 4'10.
 Long jump – *Victoria Richards, 1st, 16'9; *Fallon Scanlan, 3rd, 15'5.
 Triple jump – Cooper, 2nd, 30'9; Delanie Crist, 6th, 29'3.
 Discus – *Stephanie Southward, 2nd, 97'2; Kayla

- Co, 4th, 96'1.
 Javelin – *Lisa Vidal, 1st, 108'9; *Luscombe, 2nd, 107'11.
 400 dash – Morgan Pinnell, 5th, 68.3.
 400 relay – *Texico, 4th, 53.4, Ambr Odegaard, Vidal, Richards, Scanlan.
 800 relay – *Texico, 2nd, 4:50.8, Scanlan, Vidal, Richards, Crist.
 1600 relay – *Texico, 4th, 4:28, Vidal, Christ, Jaylyn

Cooper, Scanlan.

 Others who already have qualified for state are: Mario Posada, javelin; Dathan McWhorter, shot put; Kayla Cox, discus.

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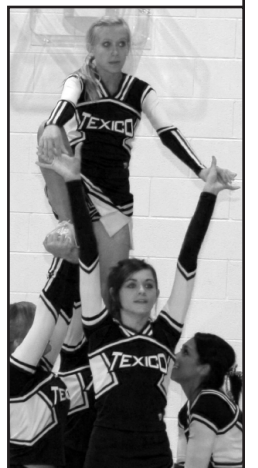
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Texico wins 1st State Cheer Championship



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Easter sunrise service held in Texico

More than 200 folks gathered early Easter Sunday morning for a sunrise service at the Field of Hopes and Dreams in Texico, after Saturday's rains nurtured the area. The weather was crisp, calm, sunny and welcoming, as folks filed into the stands to worship through prayer and con-

gregational hymns. Special music was provided by Tim Peterson, Casey Hays, Lisa Inman and Susan Casillas. Rev. Rob Hollis spoke of the victory in our lives wrought by Christ's death and resurrection. The event was sponsored by the First Baptist Church of Texico. (Photos by Rhonda Hill)



Deborah Autrey and Bonnye Black serving hot chocolate and coffee to those who came.



Lisa Inman, Casey Hays, Susan Casillas provided special music



Seth Ellsworth

Courthouse Notes

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

ZOG Inc. - Eric Vaughan, E/2 S47 Blk H Thomas Kelly.

Classic Lone Star Home Builders - Templo de Adoracion de Friona, L13 B7 Lakeview Friona.

Eddie Espinoza - Jose Pinon, L12 B3 McMillen 7 Fergus.

Joe Jones - James Jones, W 159.10 ac of S 318.4 ac, S4T4S R4E.

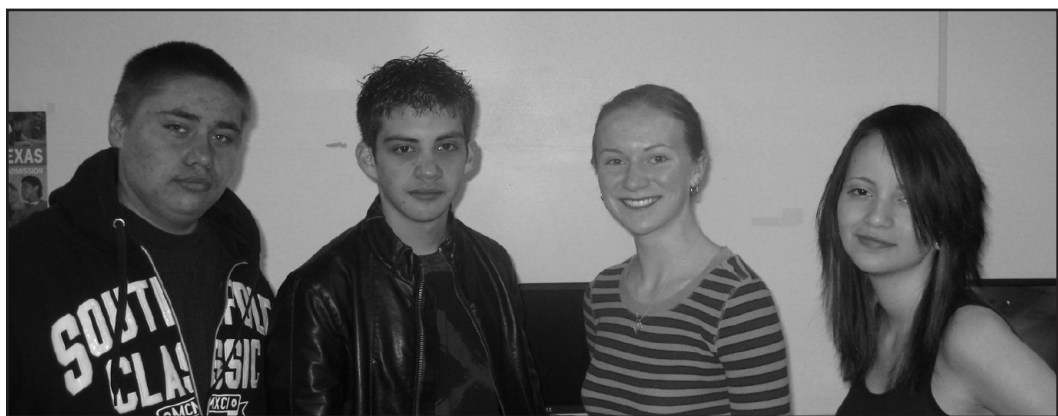
Dana Jamerson - Coy Shelton, L16-19 B23 Friona.

Melissa Smith - Israel Lopez, 1.17 ac E/2 of SE/4 S80 Blk H Kelly.

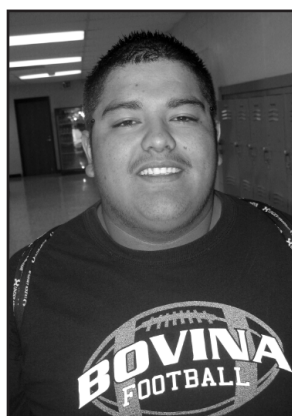


Rob Hollis spoke of the victory of the resurrection

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| <p>United Supermarkets Muleshoe</p> | <p>Please attend church services</p> | <p>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church Worship Service - 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p> | <p>Bovina Church of Christ Mike Prather, minister Sun. - Bible study - 9:45 a.m. Sun. - Worship - 10:45 a.m. Wed. - Bible class - 7 p.m.</p> | <p>First Baptist Church of Lazbuddie</p> | <p>K. Barnett & Sons Offering construction services 2405 W. 7th St., Clovis (575) 762-4407</p> |
| <p>MULESHOE LIVESTOCK AUCTION Muleshoe, TX • Sale Every Saturday Clayton, C.L. & Thurman Myers • 272-4201</p> | <p>First Baptist Church of Texico Rob Hollis - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. Worship - 10:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.</p> | <p>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p> | <p>Lazbuddie Methodist Church Rev. Ken Peterson Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:30 a.m.</p> | <p>Church of God in Christ Mennonite Farwell Country Church James Koehn, Orle Nightingale - ministers Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.</p> | <p>Agri-Plan, Inc. Crop Insurance 109 3rd St. Bovina • 251-1167</p> |
| <p>DON POOL CONSTRUCTION AND COLORADO RIVER CONCRETE P.O. Box 2100 Clovis, NM 88102 GB 98 - License 88304 Office (575) 742-2900</p> | <p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.</p> | <p>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. winter 7:30 p.m. summer</p> | <p>San Jose Catholic Church, Texico Sunday Mass - Noon Religious Education - 1:15 - 2:15 p.m. Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.</p> | <p>First Baptist Church of Farwell Rev. Kyle Clayton Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Children & Youth - 5:45 p.m. Wed. Prayer meeting - 6:30 p.m. www.fbcfarwell.org</p> | <p>West Texas Rural Telephone COOPERATIVE INCORPORATED (806) 364-3331 P.O. Box 1737, Hereford TX 79045</p> |
| <p>Parmer County Cotton Growers Co-op Gin (806) 626-2761 Mobile (575) 714-5668 cotton@pcggrowers.com</p> | <p>Assembly of God Church, Texico Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 6 p.m.</p> | <p>Lariat Church of Christ Wesley Roach - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer</p> | <p>Church of Christ 110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter</p> | <p>Farwell Church of Christ Phillip Steyn - preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship; 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. In Search - 7:30 - Ch. 4 Sun.</p> | <p>RODEN-SMITH PHARMACY RODEN-SMITH VILLAGE - 601 E. LLANO ESTACADO CLOVIS, NM 88101 PHONE 762-3848 David Lansford, R. Ph. - owner/manager</p> |
| <p>Five Area Telephone Cooperative (806) 272-5533 302 Uvalde Muleshoe, TX</p> | <p>First Baptist Church Of Bovina Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship & youth, 7 p.m.</p> | <p>Iglesia Bautista Hispana in Bovina Rafael Marin, pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship, 7 p.m.</p> | <p>Bovina United Methodist Church Sunday School - 9:45 Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday study, 7 p.m.</p> | <p>New Light Missionary Baptist Church Rev. Bryan Phillips Sr. Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mst Worship - 11 a.m. mst Bible Study - Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. mst</p> | <p>Lowe's Supermarket ANNEX</p> |
| <p>Farmers' Electric Cooperative, Inc. "Owned By Those We Serve"</p> | <p>Farwell Convalescent Center Sunday services - 9 a.m. Bible study - 9:30 a.m. Friday</p> | <p>Lazbuddie Church of Christ Mickey Chambiss - minister Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:20 a.m. & 5 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.</p> | <p>Apostolic Truth United Pentecostal Church of Texico Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 11:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p> | <p>St. Ann's Catholic Church Fr. Jose Luis Chavez 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.</p> | <p>"We Grow For You" All Varieties Small Grain Seeds Wheat - Barley Oats - Rye</p> |
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Five Bovina High students placed high enough at the District UIL Academic Meet to advance to Regionals. From left, Jason Sheena, Jesus Anaya, Hannah Miller, Alyson Elam and (in separate photo) Isaias Castillo.



Math team takes 1st at district UIL meet

Bovina High's math team took 1st place at the District UIL Meet and will advance to Regionals. Team members are Hannah Miller (who also took 1st place in the individual competition), Jesus Anaya (who was 6th individually), Jason Sheena and Isaias Castillo. Also advancing to the Regionals is Alyson Elam, who took 3rd in editorial writing. Other Bovina placings were: Alyson Elam, 6th, news writing, and 5th, headline writing. Isaias Castillo, 5th, feature writing. Hannah Miller, 6th, number sense.



Frances Watson and the Big Bunny



Lonnie and Frances Watson

Watsons continue Easter tradition

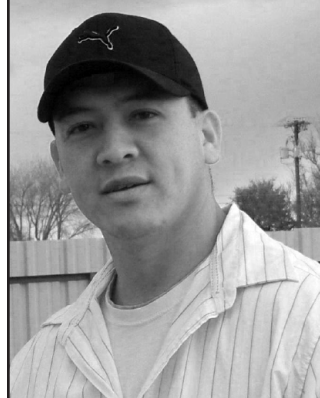
Lonnie and Frances Watson celebrated Easter at their Bovina home and the Big Bunny ("Hoppy") appeared as usual in their front yard along with eggs and flowers.

Hoppy first appeared 20 years ago in Portales. When the Watsons moved to Bovina, Hoppy came with them.

Inside their home is a 7-foot tress that remains all year and is decorated for each season. They call it their "Tree of Love and Hope." Right now, it's adorned with Easter bunnies of all sizes and pastel colors, porcelain dolls in velvet and lace, with ribbon streamers from the tree's top to bottom.

Quintana certified

Josh Quintana received his license for (MM3) heating, air-conditioning and refrigeration in New Mexico. He will now apply for his Texas certification.



Middle School track

- From page 16
- 400 dash – Ramiro Carmona, 4th, 1:15.39.
 - 800 run – Gabriel Hancock, 1st, 2:49.68; Daniel Salazar, 4th, 3:07.79.
 - 1600 run – Hancock, 1st, 6:25.93; Salazar, 6th, 7:34.
 - 400 relay – Bovina, 5th, 1:12.12, Carmona, Brian Garcia, Hector Lopez, Alejandro Guevara.
 - 800 relay – Bovina, David Velo, Jairo Salas, Jose Cruz, Lopez.
 - 1600 relay – Bovina, 5th, 5:16.45.
 - Shot put – Jacob Reyna, 6th, 25'1.
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 - The Bovina 8th grade boys were 4th with 96 points.
 - Placing were:
 - 100 dash – Abdiel Ramos, 4th, 13.27.
 - 200 dash – Andrew Marrufo, 1st, 29.30.
 - 400 dash – Marrufo, 2nd, 1:02.41; Oscar Jasso, 3rd, 1:02.73.
 - 800 run – Juan Pinela, 4th, 2:39.57.
 - 1600 run – Daniel Guevara, 3rd, 6:45.67; Ivan Ramirez, 4th, 6:56.38.
 - 300 hurdles – Pinela, 5th, 56.92.
 - 400 relay – Bovina, 4th, 57.27, Ramos, Kristian Antillon, Eduardo Salas, Gabriel DeLaRosa.
 - 800 relay – Bovina, 5th, 2:08.89, DeLaRosa, Salas, Abel Rocha, Antillon.
 - 1600 relay – Bovina, 2nd, 4:17.39, Marrufo, Pinela, Jasso, Zachary Castillo.
 - Long jump – Jasso, 5th, 14'6.75; Marrufo, 6th, 14'6.
 - Triple jump – Marrufo, 2nd, 33'6; Jasso, 4th, 32'9.75.
 - Shot put – Aaron Castaneda, 2nd, 36'6.50.
 - Discus – Castaneda, 6th, 99'4.

Bovina High School honor rolls announced

Here are the Bovina High School honor rolls for the 5th six weeks:

All A's
Juniors - Jesus Anaya.
Seniors -- Denise Larrea, Hannah Miller.

A-B
Freshmen -- Rika Bermea, Jake Brozek, Douglas Burrow, Padyne Hughes, David Martinez, Cristal Nicolas, Jason Olvera, Regina Quintero, Jessie Ruiz.

Sophomores -- Andres Duarte, Mayra Gomez, Mariana Guevara, Christopher Rodriguez, Yesenia Rodriguez, Dorian

Vela, Blanca Vidana.
Juniors -- Kimberly Casas, Alan Chavez, Ricardo Delarosa, Francisco Garcia, Francisco

Women's basketball league may start

Women from ages 25 up who want to play in a summer basketball league on Sundays are asked to contact Amy at (806) 292-6984 or Adriana at (806) 223-3615.

Games will be played Sunday afternoons in Olton, Bovina, Friona and Farwell. Registration deadline is May 15. League play starts June 7.

A mandatory coaches meeting will be held May 24 at 5 p.m. at the Bovina High gym.

Entry fee is \$40. Each team will be allowed one 20-25 year old.

Guevara, Edwin Velo.
Seniors -- Ricardo Amaya, Janette Caldera, Angelica Carmona, Edith Carrillo, Jeremy Curtis,

Alyson Elam, Omar Flores, Danna Guerrero, Yesenia Guevara, Brenda Jasso, Anahis Marinelarena, Yaniree Martinez, Lorena Newton, Maria Nunez, Oscar Rodriguez, Audrie Terrones.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF TEST OF AUTOMATIC TABULATING EQUIPMENT

Notice is hereby given that the automatic tabulating equipment that will be used in the City of Bovina General Election and the Bovina ISD School Board Election to be held on May 9, 2009 will be tested on April 20 2009 at 6:00pm at 205 North Street, Bovina, Texas to ascertain that they will accurately count the votes cast for all candidates.

AVISO PUBLICO DE PROBAR EL EQUIPO PARA TABULAR

Por lo presente se da aviso que el equipo para tabular automaticament que se usara en la Eleccion General de Ciudad de Bovina y la Eleccion de la mesa directiva de la Escuela da Bovina ISD que se llevara a cabe el 9 de May de 2009, se propara el20 April de 2009 a las 6:00 de la tarde a 205 North Street, Bovina, Texas para determinar si el equipo contara con exactitude los votos para todos los candidatos.

FIRE WON'T SLOW BIG VALLEY

Big Valley in Portales continues operating as normal following a fire last week in our parts department. We're still open in all our departments - sales, service and parts. None of our inventory was damaged.

We're so thankful to the fire departments who kept the damage to a minimum, the police who kept everyone safe and our friends and staff who have been so supportive.

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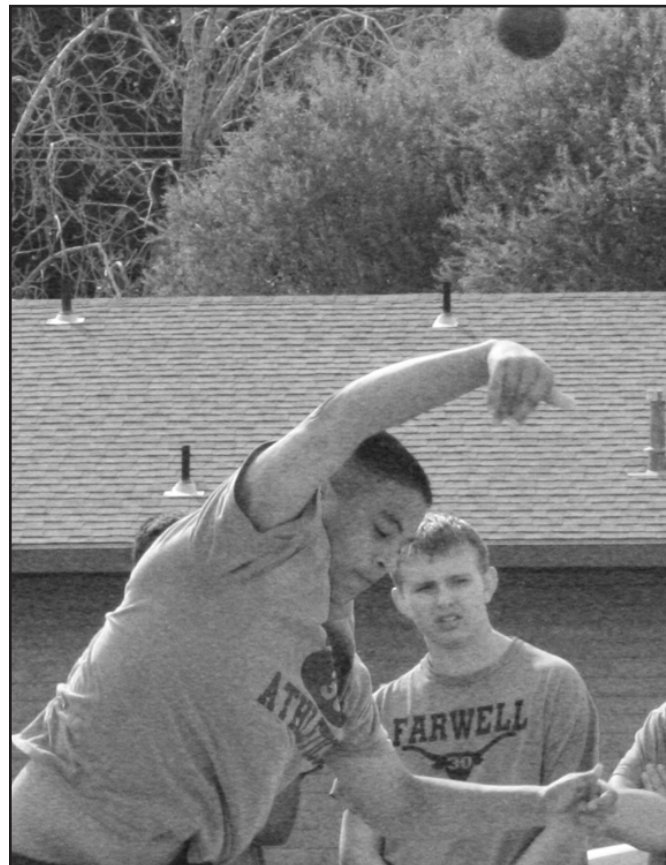
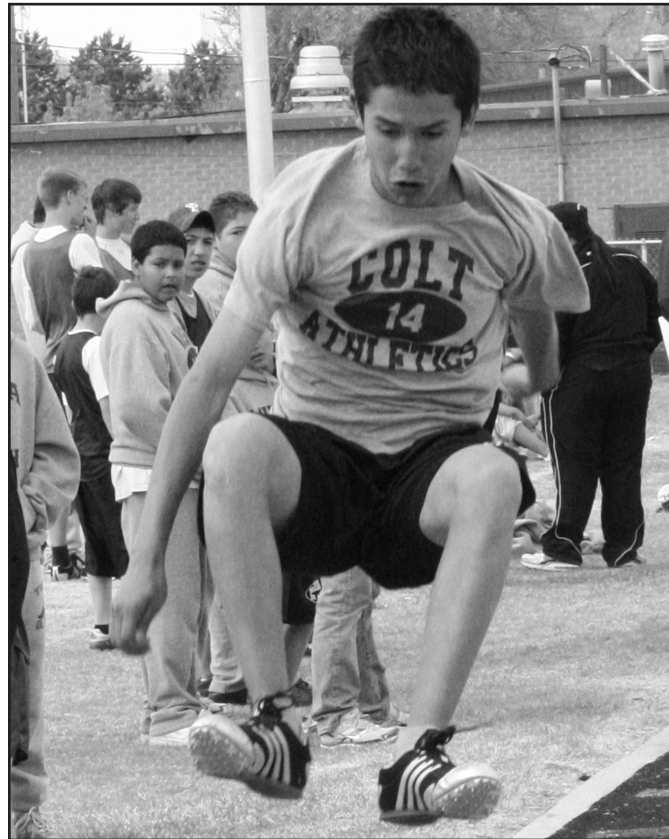
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Scenes from the Junior High track meet in Fawell

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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTIONS
(AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the Registered Voter of the City of Bovina, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del Ciudad de Bovina, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on 9 May 2009, for voting in a general election to elect three (3) City Councilmen (two year term).
(Notifíquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. alas 7: p.m. el 9 de Mayo de 2009 para votar en la Elección General para elegir Alcade y tres (3) El Consejoal de la Ciudad.)

LOCATION OF POLLING PLACE
(DIRECCION DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Bovina EMS Building
109 3rd Street
Bovina, Texas 79009

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at City Hall, 205 North Street, Bovina, Texas 79009, between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm beginning on 27 April 2009 and ending on 5 May 2009.
(La votación adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en City Hall, 205 North Street, Bovina, Texas 79009, entre las 8:00 de la mañana y 5:00 de la tarde empezando 27 de Abril 2009 y terminando el 5 de Mayo 2009.)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to :Bovina City Hall PO Box 720 Bovina Texas 79009
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a:

Bonnie Scaff
Early Voting Clerk
Secretaria de Votación Adelantada
PO Drawer 720
Bovina, TX 79009

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(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de las horas de negocio el 1 May 2009.)

Issued this 10 day of February 2009
(Emitida este 10 día de Febrero 2009)

[Signature]
Stan Miller
Mayor, City of Bovina

(Alcade, Ciudad de Bovina)

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17-4140 Notice of Election (2/92)
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Sections 4.004, 83.010, 85.004, 85.007, V.T.C.A., Election Code

NOTICE OF BOARD ELECTION
(AVISO DE ELECCION _____)

To the Registered Voters of Bovina ISD, Bovina, Texas:
(A los votantes registrados del Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 9, 2009, for voting in a board trustee election, to elect 2 trustees.
(Notifíquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 9 de mayo de 19 2009 para votar en la Elección para elegir 2 regentes.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Bovina EMS Building
109 3rd Street
Bovina, TX 79009

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at
(La votación en adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en)

Bovina ISD Administration Building 500 Hallsell Street, Bovina, TX 79009
(location) (sitio)

between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. beginning on April 27, 2009 (date)
(entre las 8 de la mañana y las 4 de la tarde empezando el 27 de abril de 2009 (fecha)

and ending on May 5, 2009 (date)
(y terminando el 5 de mayo, 2009 (fecha))

Additional early voting will be held at the same location as follows:*

| Date (Fecha) | Hours (Horas) |
|--------------|---------------|
| N/A | |

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a:)

Darlene Miller
(Name of Early Voting Clerk)
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votación En Adelantada)

Bovina ISD, PO Box 70
(Address) (Dirección)
Bovina, Texas 79009
(City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Recommended but not required

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on
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May 1, 2009 (date) (fecha)

Issued this the 10 day of March, 19 2009.
(Emitida este día 10 de marzo, 19 2009.)

[Signature]
Signature of Presiding Officer (Firma del Oficial que Preside)

*If early voting is not going to be conducted on either Saturday or the last Sunday during the period of early voting, delete this part.

BOVINA



Proud Home of the Mustangs & Fillies

EASTER EGG HUNTING

Last Sunday afternoon, the Bovina Lions Club held its annual Easter egg hunt at the city park. Eggs were laid out, the kids were ready, and then it started to rain. Tommy DeLeon said it was quite a treat to watch the kids make a mad dash to grab candy and then run to get in cars before they got too wet.



Bovina Banter

Deanna Curtis • 251-1405

Bovina Middle School cheerleader names are out. They are Samantha Villarreal, Yajayra Herrera, Edith Gomez, Gabby Flores, Brittany Perez and Cynthia Jasso.

Congratulations to these young ladies. I know they will continue to do a great job. Those girls have the most spirit I have seen in a long time!

Andrea Villarreal is a 6th grader at Bovina who plays with the Red Raiders out of Texico. She has been selling doughnuts to make money to attend a state tournament in Las Cruces, N.M.

A lot of you bought doughnuts to help this young lady raise her money to attend, and she would like to tell you all thank you very much for your support.

Andrea played in a tournament in Farwell a few weeks ago and received the MVP award. She is a phenomenal player and I am so excited to get the opportunity to watch her play middle school ball next year for Bovina.

The Lions Club did their annual Easter egg hunt Sunday and regardless of the rain they had hunters. The kids were real troopers and hunted in the rain. I know when I was young that candy was worth getting wet. Apparently, things have not changed.

I spoke with Marissa Marquez who works with me at the tax office and she was there with kids in tow. She reports retreating to the car as the weather got worse but her children continued on their quest for candy.

The area track meet is at Wolfforth on April 18. Best of luck to our athletes!

The Mustang Bands will have their spring concert at 7 p.m. on May 14 in the school auditorium. Awards will be presented, also.

The band will have its spring trip May 16-18 to San Antonio. Sites to be visited include the Alamo, downtown, Sea World and Six Flags.

Sue Fowler reports about 7 tenths of an inch of moisture fell over the weekend at her place. It was much needed rain.

The award ceremony for Bovina Youth Basketball will be April 21 at 6 p.m.

Tracksters qualify for regionals

Here is the list of Bovina tracksters who qualified at the District Meet last week and advance to the Area Meet:

Varsity Girls
Yadira Garcia, 1st, 3200 run; 3rd, 1600 run.
Esmeralda Saucedo, 1st, 800 run; 1st, 1600 run.
Yesenia Guevara, 100 hurdles, 1st; 300 hurdles, 3rd; high jump, 1st (third title in the last three years).
Mile relay team – 2nd, Alicia Lopez, Guevara, Garcia, Saucedo.

Varsity Boys
Jesus Rocha, 1st, 800 run; 400 dash, 2nd.
Oscar Rodriguez – 1st, 400 dash; 1st, 200 dash.
Ricardo Delarosa – 400 dash, 3rd.
1600 relay team – 1st, Delarosa, Irvin Vela, Rocha, Rodriguez.

Here are District Track Meet placings for Bovina from last week:

Varsity Boys finished 5th with 65 points.
800 run – Rocha, 1st, 2:09.42; Esau Saucedo, 6th, 2:18.76; Alexis Martinez, 7th, 2:18.76.
400 dash – Rodriguez, 1st, 52.74; Rocha, 2nd, 53.53; Delarosa, 3rd, 54.42.
200 dash – Rodriguez, 1st, 22.93.
1600 relay team – 1st, 3:34.66.

The Bovina JV boys finished 5th with 64 points at the District JV Track Meet:

800 run – Geraldo Ortiz, 1st, 2:30.26; Ramiro Nicolas, 2nd, 2:31.74.
100 dash – Gael Vela, 7th, 12.19.
400 dash – Dorian Vela, 1st, 57.24; Nicolas, 2nd, 58.39; Ortiz, 3rd, 57.24.
200 dash – Dorian Vela, 3rd, 25.52.
1600 relay – Bovina, 2nd, 3:52.42.
Discus – Fernando Banelos, 7th, 82'2.

Hancock 1st in 800, 1600 runs

The Bovina 7th grade boys finished 5th at the Springlake-Earth Relays in March with 42 points. Placing were:

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Chamber fills positions

The Bovina Chamber of Commerce met last week and filled the open officer and board positions.

Officers for the coming year are Mindy Neal, president; Kay Swafford, treasurer; Linda Marshall, vice president; Norma Whitten, recording secretary, and Dottie Neal, corresponding secretary.

Board members are Gaylon Rhodes, Shelby Rhodes, Deanna Curtis, Jim Swafford and LaJuana Renfro.

The group discussed several possible projects and more details will be announced later.

The next meeting will be May 5 at 6 p.m. at the EMS building.



Storage building fire

A fire in the 900 block of Fourth Street occurred on April 9. Bovina fire-fighters contained it quickly. It was an old storage building and no one lived there. The fire reignited that night and again the next night. Embers apparently still kept it alive.

Cargill Cattle Feeders

Pat Schwab, Manager
225-4400

Are you interested in starting a business in Bovina? The Bovina Economic Development Commission can help. Call Bovina City Hall at (806) 251-1116.

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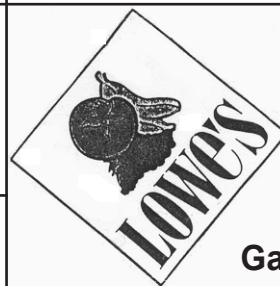
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