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**Texico Fall Festival**

Texico schools had a Fall Festival on Oct. 16 featuring games, prizes and activities for the kids.



## Josh Ramirez wins 7th football contest

Once again, scores were low in last week's Area Merchants Football Contest with no participant getting more than 9 games picked correctly (out of 12).

Seventeen entrants got 9 right. By virtue of being closest to the tie breaker (Santa Rosa 21, Texico 7), the winner of the first place cash prize of \$20 was Josh Ramirez. He was 11 off the tie breaker.

Winning the 2nd place cash prize of \$7 was Sabra McFarland, who was 13 off the tie breaker.

Others with 9 right and their totals off the tie breaker were:

Craig Walls, 24; Jerry Stover, 28; Dellani Reid, 28; Taylor Read, 28; Sharon May, 28; Michael Massicotte, 28; Kirk Lingnau, 21; Del Lingnau, 28.

Also, Matt Knoll, 21; Cameron Kirkland, 30; Buster Herington, 30; Benji Henderson, 50; Madison Griswold, 28; R.C. Davis, 20; and Janis Gast, 21.

Results of last week's games were:

Sudan over Farwell, Bovina over Boys Ranch, Texas over Oklahoma, Texas Tech over Nebraska, Southern Cal over Notre Dame, Indiana



Deena Ramirez, right, receives the check for winning 1st place in last week's football contest, on behalf of her son Josh, from Ginger Trimble, Farwell Abstract, one of the contest sponsors.

over Illinois, Kansas State over Texas A&M, Iowa State over Baylor, New Orleans over NY Giants, Minnesota over Carolina, and Houston over Cincinnati.

Last week's average was 6.6 games right, the second lowest week of this year's contest so far. The overall 12-week contest champion will receive two tickets to the Dallas Cowboys game at Texas Stadium in December plus \$100 cash.

Here's a look at the Leader Board after 7 weeks:

57 points - Belva

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## Farwell football coach Anglin reassigned

Farwell varsity football head coach Mark Anglin was reassigned by Supt. Mike Read last weekend.

The action came after 15 team members with complaints met with Read and High School Principal Steve Parker on Saturday.

Anglin will continue to teach at Farwell High School. Read said Shane Perkins will coordinate the football team, which has two regular season games left on the 2009 schedule.

Chris Hanks will be in charge of the offense, and Taylor Read in charge of the defense. Ross Prokop also is a team coach.

The Steers are 2-5 on the season and 0-2 in district. Coming up are district games against Smyer and Morton.

The final regular season game was to be against Anton, which dropped its schedule due to lack of players; thus this will be a win for Farwell.



## Flag pole donated

Farwell's Bill Whitesides, a World War II veteran, likes putting out the American flag at holidays. Bill has been a Lions Club member for 43 years and has served as past president. So the Clovis Evening Lions Club decided to do something special for him - they installed a flag pole in his front yard on Saturday. Pictured are, from left, Lions Club members Aileen Eastwood, Hal Helton, Randy Rhue, Teddy Lopez, Whitesides and Johnny Eastwood.



### No stoppin' the Lady Spikers

The Texico Lady Spikers are 5-0 in district and 17-1 overall after destroying Clayton last weekend, 25-11, 25-17, 25-10.

Stat leaders were:

Kills - Victoria Richards, 10; Katlin Luscombe 8; Jaylyn and Jordyn Cooper 5 each; Amber Odegaard, 1.

Blocks - Jaylyn Cooper and Jordyn Cooper 2 each; Luscombe and Fallon Scanlan, 1 each.

Digs - Erin Scanlan, 8; Richards, 7; Morgan Pinnell and Odegaard, 3 each; Jordyn Cooper, 2.

Aces - Richards, 4; Erin Scanlan, 3; Fallon Scanlan, 2; Pinnell and Shay Anderson, 1 each.

Assists - Fallon Scanlan, 25; Jennifer Shirley, 3.

From Jordyn Cooper: Clayton was a good district win for us. We really united and played well as a team."

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On Oct. 15, Texico posted a non-district win over Tatum, 25-22, 25-18, 25-17. Stat leaders were:

Digs - Erin Scanlan, 18; Richards and Morgan, 9 each; Odegaard and Fallon Scanlan, 3 each.

Assists - Fallon Scanlan, 35; Jennifer Shirley, 4.

Kills - Luscombe, 18; Richards and Jordyn Cooper, 6 each; Jaylyn Cooper, 5.

Aces - Shirley, Richards, Luscombe and Jordyn Cooper, 1 each.

Blocks - Jordyn Cooper and Jaylyn Cooper 9 each; Luscombe, 4.

Coach Scanlan said: "This match was extremely competitive with long rallies. All our girls played hard and together. It was good to see them pushed. Tatum raised \$1,600 for the fight against breast cancer."

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On Oct. 13, Texico improved their district record to 4-0 with a win over Tucumcari, 25-5, 25-12, 25-12. Stat leaders were:

Digs - Erin Scanlan, 4; Jordyn Cooper and Odegaard, 2 each; Shay Anderson, 1.

Assists - Fallon Scanlan, 20; Shirley, 7; Jordyn Cooper, 3.

Kills - Luscombe, 12; Pinnell, 7; Jaylyn Cooper, Anderson, Richards and Jordyn Cooper, 4 each.

Aces - Fallon Scanlan, 3; Shirley, Pinnell and Jordyn Cooper, 2 each.

Blocks - Luscombe and Pinnell, 3 each; Odegaard, 2.

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Texico's "C" team lost to Clovis Christian in three sets on Oct. 13; and lost to Tatum on Oct. 15, 25-18, 25-17.

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Texico's JV beat Tucumcari in two sets on Oct. 13, and beat Tatum on Oct. 15, 26-24, 25-20.

### Courthouse Notes

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

Inocencio Mariscal Jr. - Estala Gomez, S1 T3S R3E.

Estela Gomez - Marisela Hernandez, same as above.

Adrian Rubalcava - Juan Zapata, L16-17 B32.

Ron Carr - Danny Campbell, L15 B7 Staley No. 3, Friona.

Kim Herring - Estela Gomez, L7 B3 West Loop Drive, Friona.

Jose Soltero - Frederico Alvidrez, L7 B91 Friona.

Carl McInroe - Berald Suparamay, L44 B1 Western.

H Bar H Farms - Eric Daale, E/2 S27 Blk A.

Rocking H Orchards - Eric Daale, W/2 S27 Blk A.

### Farwell FFA selling meat, fruit

Farwell FFA is selling meat, cookies and fruit. The deadline for the first two is Oct. 28, and for fruit it's Nov. 6

Meat and cookies will be delivered for Thanksgiving; fruit will arrive first week in December.

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**Farwell Students of the Six Weeks, back row: Patrick Pena, Cameron Bass, Heath Hadley, Erica Barrera, John Mitchell; middle row, Daniel Dzul, Trivious Ortiz, Kinley Kalbas, Israel Lara, Hayden McClaran; front row, Kassidy Nelson, Jacob Gutierrez, Lindsey Lopez, Slade Perkins.**

### Students recognized

Students of the first 6 weeks at Farwell Elementary School are:

- Kindergarten – Lindsey Lopez, Jacob Gutierrez, Hayden McClaran.
- 1st grade – Kassidy Nelson, Deborah Stinson, Slade Perkins.
- 2nd grade – Israel Loera, Trivious Ortiz, Daniel Dzul.
- 3rd grade – Patrick Pena, Kinley Kalbas.
- 4th grade – Erica Barrera, John Mitchell.
- 5th grade – Heath Hadley, Cameron Bass.

### Festival planned

Plans are under way for the Fall Festival at St. John Lutheran Church of Lariat.

The fun night is scheduled for Oct. 31. Details will be announced next week.

### Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

I am writing to share a few thoughts about how pleased and lucky we are to be living in a community that supports its youth. Every week in your paper there are numerous articles about kids in school, in sports, and fund-raisers to help local kids. You can tell that we really care about our young people in the area.

A good example of this was Texico's Fall Festival last Friday. We had so many great helpers in the community and so many residents that supported the event. It raised about \$3,000 to help local school children take field trips, get class supplies they need and offer them much needed computer equipment.

Thanks go out to everyone involved -- especially our sponsors like Allsup's, State Line Tribune, Southwest Ag Tire, Parmer County Cotton Growers, Coca Cola, Marks Pipe & Iron, and Mike Ratke's Pumpkin Farm. We could not have managed without these great local supporters.

There are worthy events like the Fall Festival all year long in our area and our community supports them all. I, for one, am glad my kids are being raised in such a caring environment.

Darcy Rohrbach, Texico

### Terry, Ramirez certified to teach course

The Healthy Baby Coalition of Parmer County announces that JoDonna Terry, RN, and Deena Ramirez joined 40 others in Texas who are certified to teach a 16-hour course to individuals in the community who wish to become Community Health Workers also called Promotoras.

JoDonna is a nurse at Excel and Deena works for the Parmer County extension office in Farwell.

The 40-week Promotora program is certified by the state with classes for the Panhandle provided by the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. There are 605 certified Community Health Workers throughout the state.

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Eichenauer at 250-2754 or JoDonna Terry at 295-8291.



**Deena Ramirez, above, and JoDonna Terry, below.**

### FHS honor rolls listed

Here are the first 6 weeks honor rolls for Farwell High School:

All A's – freshman, Chandler Barnes, Chelsea Bass, Collin Christian, Lydia Gomz, Koltan Morris, Olivia Schilling, Caitlyn Stancell; sophomores, Emily Agee, Alicia Bermea, Luis Delgado, Kory Jennings, Kristin Langford, Michelle Vega; juniors, Landry Actkinson, Rane Carpenter, Lincoln Devault, Matt Martin, Sara Scott, Michelle Wauson, Ray White; seniors, Colton Christian, Cambry Devault, Tiffani Jones, Casey Knight, Keegan Langford, Jake Ware.

Steer honor roll (90 average with no more than 3 B's) – freshman, Kayla Cullison, Hayden Hadley, Cassidy Martin, Elizabeth Pereda, Sanjuana Sotelo; sophomores, Danielle Cockerham, Keila Jennings, Seth Meeks, Jacque Meza, Austin Pemberton, Garrett Presnell, Jessica Reyes, Tyler Schilling; juniors, Luke Carpenter, Caleb Christian, Laney Christian, Pamela Lara, Lauryn Meyer; seniors, Matt Billingsley, Octavio Murillo, Taylor Fillpot, Kyle Jennings, Laura Martinez, Sarahi Saenz, Gaby Vidaurri.

### Contest

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Anderson, Zane Anderson, Verna Davis, Dustin Graham, Buster Herington, Sammy Herrera, Tiffani Jones, Myrna Lingnau, Earl McDaniel.

Thus far, the two ladies tied for 1st place are averaging 8.14 a week.

As the Tribune points out before the start of each year's contest, if an entrant can just average 8 a week, they will be among the front-runners at contest's end.

### Diesel Fuel price quotes

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**Texico**  
Monday – beef & bean burrito, corn, salsa, fruit, milk.

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

Wednesday – spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, hot roll, fruit, milk.

Thursday – hamburgers, lettuce, pickle, fruit, milk.

Friday – pizza, garden salad, fruit, chocolate cake, milk.

**Farwell**  
Monday – nachos, taco salad, pinto beans, peaches, milk.

Tuesday – glazed chicken & rice, baked potato, broccoli, wheat rolls, oranges, milk.

Wednesday – beef stew, corn bread, apple, cookies, milk.

Thursday – fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, hot rolls, green beans, pears, milk.

Friday – hot dogs, chips, baked beans, mixed fruit, milk.

**MENUS**  
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### Dietary department appreciated

The Farwell Convalescent Center held Appreciation Week last week for its dietary department. Thanked were Bertha Madrid, Carol Fiola, Lydia Vega, Lou Ann Gauna, Maria Galvan, Natasha Moseley, Miriam Olmos and Coretta Boutte. Pictured are Martha Mendez, Maria Vega, Maricela Vega and dietary manager Polly Stevenson.



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**Letter to the Editor**

Dear Editor,

I have been married to Mark Anglin for 23 years. For 16 of those years, I have been a coach's wife. I have, through the years of sitting in the stands listening to fans scream unspeakable things, learned to maintain my dignity and be quiet. However, in this instance I cannot be quiet.

When we came to Farwell four years ago, the football team did not even have helmets that met safety standards. My husband has often worked seven days a week trying to build a competitive program, and the team has improved dramatically. I have overheard comments from coaches in surrounding communities who are amazed with how much better the Farwell football team is today than it was when we arrived. Mark Anglin is a good football coach.

More important than that, he is a good man. He is honorable and truly cares about the players on his team. Winning is important to him, no doubt, but his ultimate goal is building young men of character and honor.

I sometimes wonder if the "fans" who sit in the stands on Friday night critiquing every play called ever stop to think what it would be like to have their success, or lack thereof, depend on the whims of 16 and 17 year old teenagers. I wonder if they consider how it feels to have a stadium full of critics each and every week. I know what it is like to listen to those who seem to have all the answers and who never hesitate to scream those answers or their distaste for my husband at every possible moment.

The Anglin family was building a life here in Farwell. Our daughter graduated from school here. We built a home here. We felt that we were part of the community and that we had people who cared about us as we did about them. Sadly, we were mistaken.

And so, we will move on. Perhaps now those with "all the answers" will find the coach of their dreams and that the Farwell football team will win the state championship, I don't know. I do know what you have lost. You have lost the finest man I have ever known and for that I feel sorrow for the athletes of Farwell, Texas.

Sincerely,  
Nanette Anglin

**Crime Stoppers**

Sometime between Oct. 9 and 11, there were a rash of vandalisms to motor vehicles in Friona.

The majority occurred east of Main Street, but there were also a few west of Main Street. Vehicle windows were shot out with either a BB gun or a pellet gun.

If you have any information about this crime, call Parmer County Crime Stoppers. You will remain anonymous and, if your tip leads to an arrest, you may earn cash reward up to \$1,000.

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**Legends in Blue 'excellent'**

The Farwell "Legends in Blue" Marching Band received an "excellent rating" from judges at the UIL contest in Lubbock on Saturday.

Two judges gave Farwell "2's" and one gave the band a "1."

Band Director Bill Shelly said, "Our kids did very well, but made too many mistakes."

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Otis Huggins wins 15-year pin from Southwestern Public Service Co.  
Pat Patrick wins Tribune's weekly football contest. Jim Ussery and George Magness tied for 2nd.  
Owen Huffaker is home on leave from the Marines.  
The annual Lazbuddie Fair is held with 1st place winners including Jerry Engelling, pumpkins; Terry Parham, watermelons; Gary Foster, cattle; Vic Shuman, cantaloupes; Steven Young, peanuts; and Eva Dean Ivy, bread.  
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Shelby Wallis

**Abby Johnson shows Reserve Grand Champion**

Abby Johnson showed the Reserve Grand Champion steer at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo in September.

The steer also was the 2nd cross.

Abby also had a 5th place duroc barrow.

Other results were:

Jill Johnson -- 6th place Duroc barrow; 3rd place and 2nd place cross steers.

Cari Johnson -- 4th place Duroc barrow, 2nd place Shorthorn, 2nd place steer.

Michelle Wauson -- 3rd Place and 7th place Market Goats; 6th Place Finewool Cross Lamb.

Heath Hadley -- 5th Place Hereford Steer.

Shelby Wallis -- 5th Place Cross bred Steer.

Hayden Hadley also showed in the fair.

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Parmer County youths had great success at the

Texas State Fair in Dallas in October.

Abby Johnson -- Champion Chianina steer (prospect Class); Reserve Breed

Shorthorn steer.

Jill Johnson -- Champion AOB Steer (Prospect Class); 6th place exotic Steer.

Cari Johnson also showed at the fair.

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Cheyenne Patrick had a champion Hampshire hog at the South Plains Fair in Lubbock in October.

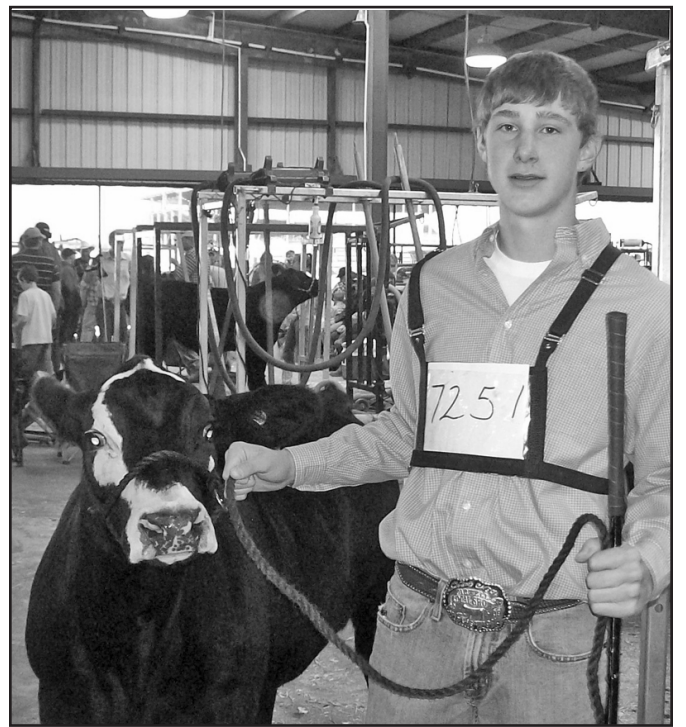
Abby Johnson -- Abby Johnson Reserve Champion Black Cross steer (2nd Place steer).

Jill Johnson -- 1st place steer.

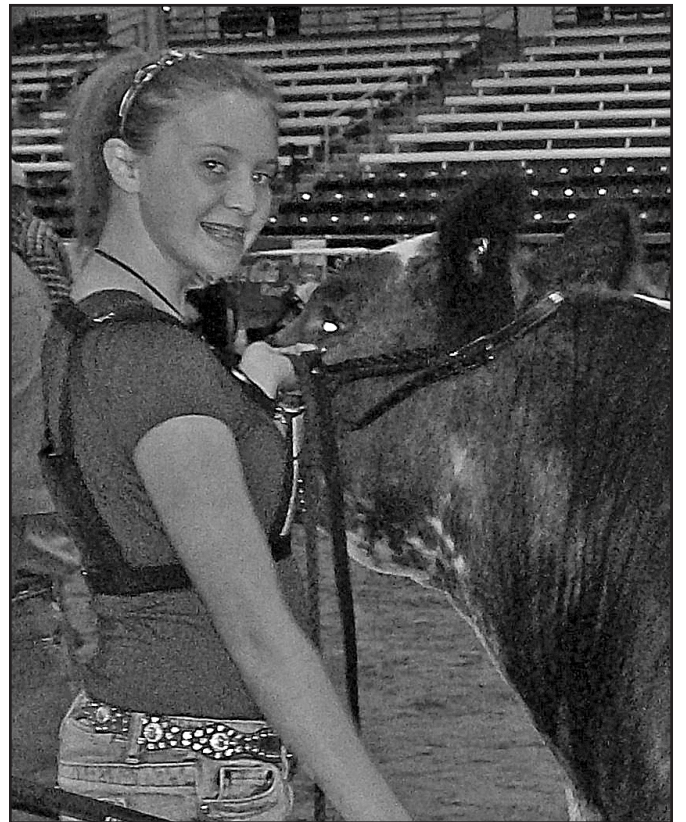
Cari Johnson -- 2nd place Black Cross Steer.

Sterling Henderson -- 5th Place Crossbred hog.

Also showing was Michelle Wauson.



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Cari Johnson

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by Bryon Fillpot

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**LIVE CATTLE:** Prices have begun to rebound once more. Cash trade was substantially higher than the previous week and price charts are also indicating another short term turn back higher for the moment. This market has had several attempts to turn prices higher over the last few months and has basically failed in every attempt. The market has currently turned higher for now. Resistance lies above between \$86.50-88.00 basis the December contract.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Feeder prices have also turned higher alongside the Live Cattle prices. Cash feeder prices have also turned around to some degree. Demand will continue as long as the back months in the Live Cattle prices can remain strong. Corn prices have had little impact on feeder prices up to this point.

**CORN:** Corn prices have remained 'overbought' for several weeks and prices were able to trade up into the 50% retracement level around \$3.88 last week basis the December contract before turning back down. Short term trends are now pointing lower. Support below lies around the \$3.50 level which was strong resistance as prices moved higher. Traders are still waiting for confirmation of the largest crop on record?

**SOYBEANS:** Soybean prices hit strong resistance levels last week around the \$10.12 level and have now turn short term trends back down. Normally, prices will retest their most recent highs one more time if prices are going to turn down over the long haul, but grains have had a strong tendency over the last few months to turn on a dime and continue in a direction until they stop and move the opposite direction.

**WHEAT:** prices also traded up into a strong resistance level last week around the \$5.40 level basis the December KC contract. Short term trends were able to turn down with support levels below coming in around the \$4.95 area. World stocks remain at historically high levels with very little interest from buyers to book out front. Wheat prices continue to follow the rest of the grain complex.

**COTTON:** Cotton prices were able to close above a long term resistance level last week. The 65 cent level basis the December contract has stopped the market every time price reached these levels for the last few months. The close above this level is positive, but there could be a short term set back before attempting to move higher. The lower U.S. Dollar has attributed to most of the strength. Demand is still limited from China.

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

**Just a sincere thank you**

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**Rules**

Pick the team you think will win each of the 12 games and circle the winner's name. Also, pick the score of the Game of the Week. Bring or mail your entry blank to the Tribune office by 5 p.m. Friday of this issue. Only one entry blank may be submitted per individual. Contestants must be 12 years old or older. The Game of the Week will be used as a tie breaker only.

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  3. Oklahoma at Kansas
  4. Arkansas at Mississippi
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### Sheriff's Report

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

On Oct. 13, Shawn Jordon, 18, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 oz., pending in county court.

On Oct. 14, Demetrio Zuniga, 40, of Hereford was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of evading arrest, pending in county court.

On Oct. 14, Cezar Ortiz, 32, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of DWI, pending in county court.

On Oct. 14, Rafael Serna, 35, of Farwell, was arrested by Farwell police on a charge of assault, pending in county court.

On Oct. 15, Vicente Rey, 32, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of assault, pending in county court.

On Oct. 16, Destiny Cruz, 24, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a motion to revoke (purchase - fur-

nish alcohol to a minor, pending in county court.

On Oct. 16, Josue Leon, 17, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on two motions to revoke (evading arrest and criminal trespass time 2), pending in county court.

On Oct. 16, Adrian Flores, 23, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of DWI with child, pending before the grand jury.

On Oct. 17, Janet Venegas, 26, of Muleshoe, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of possession of a controlled substance under 1 gram, pending before the grand jury.

On Oct. 17, Gildardo Caceres, 34, of Muleshoe, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of possession of a controlled substance under 1 gram, pending before the grand jury.

On Oct. 17, Santos Mendez, 22, of Clovis, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI, pending in county court.

### The Latest

The Lazbuddie Longhorns loss to Groom a few weeks back has been erased and the game is marked as a win for Lazbuddie due to Groom having four ineligible players in the game.

Thus, the Longhorns now have two wins this year so far.

Darren Rubio is reported improving after his surgery in Lubbock.

Word has been received of the death of Kay Hillock, 68, of Ralls, Texas.

She was buried in the Oklahoma Lane Cemetery on Oct. 17.

Shelby Cockerham, of Texico, has entered two animals in the North American International Livestock Exposition in November in Louisville, Ky.

Butch Tharp had knee surgery.

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 Farwell - The Steers host Smyer at 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 23. The JH Steers play at Smyer on Oct. 22 starting at 5 p.m., with the JV game to follow.

Lazbuddie - The Longhorns play at Silverton at 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 23. The JH Longhorns host Silverton on Oct. 22 at 5:30 p.m.

Bovina - The Mustangs host Claude on Oct. 23 at 7:30 p.m. The 8th grade Colts play at Claude on Oct. 22 at 5 p.m. The JV Mustangs host Dimmitt on Oct. 22 at 6 p.m.

Texico - The Wolverines play at Tucumcari on Oct. 23 at 7 p.m. mt

The Texico Lady Spikers host Santa Rosa on Oct. 22 and Ft. Sumner on Oct. 24; the district tourney starts on Oct. 26.

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## Food drive planned

A special food drive will take place in Farwell on Oct. 24.

Members of the First Baptist Church of Farwell's RA and GA youth groups will be knocking on doors asking for donations of food items.

The church's "food closet" has been emptied, and food items are needed to be given to deserving folks at Thanksgiving, Christmas and whenever someone needs them.

This has been the same rule as in the past. Sought are any food items, such as canned foods, breakfast cereals, and also school supplies.

"Anything you want to donate, we will take," said Robert Fowler.

## Arts and crafts show scheduled

The Country Christmas Jubilee Arts and Crafts Show is scheduled for Dec. 4 and 5 at the at the Farwell Community Center.

The planning committee has mailed out booth applications. If you have not received one and want to reserve a booth, contact Carrie Drager at 481-9524, Fran Barclay at 482-3684 or Martha Schueler at 481-0607.

If you have an application, please send it in immediately. Booth space is on a first come, first serve basis.

## Hardisty takes 2nd at CC meet

Farwell runners participated in the Abernathy Cross Country Meet on Oct. 17:

Varsity girls - Cassidy Martin, 46th, 15:09; Laura Martinez, 66th, 15:36; Holly Bufkin, 71st, 15:43.

Varsity boys - Clemente Meza, 23rd, 17:30; Christian Meza, 59th, 19:22.

8th grade girls - Sammie Jo Hardisty, 2nd, 13:57; K'Leigh Jo Whit, 103rd, 17:41; Taylor Stancell, 124th, 18:32.

7th grade girls - Christina Green, 53rd, 16:40.

## LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Notice of Drinking Water Monitoring Report  
 Violation for Disinfectant Residuals  
 Mandatory Public Notification Language

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has notified the City of Farwell water system that this system has violated the disinfection residual monitoring and reporting requirements. In accordance with 30 TAC 290.110, all public water systems are required to properly disinfect water before distribution and maintain acceptable disinfection residuals within the distribution system. All public water systems must also monitor the disinfectant residual at various locations throughout the distribution system, and report the results of that monitoring to the TCEQ on a quarterly basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water is safe from microbial contamination.

During the second quarter 2009, this water system did not meet all monitoring and/or reporting requirements for disinfectant residual, and therefore the TCEQ cannot be sure of the safety of your drinking water during that time.

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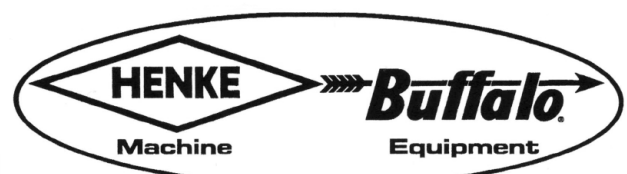
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## JH volleyball results given

From Texico Junior High School Coach Estes:

On Oct 14, our 7th grade team finished its season by participating in the Yucca volleyball tourney.

We lost to Portales, 17-25, 14-25; lost to Marshall White, 12-25, 25-11, 12-15; and beat Portales B, 18-25, 25-12, 15-9.

Carlee Luscombe, Kaleigh Autrey and Emily Logan served consistently throughout the tourney.

McKenzie Thatcher, Jessica Jorde and Taylor Stephens had good games at the net.

Tacia Beavers and Pam Jones made timely passes.

On Oct. 17-18, our 8th grade teams finished their season by participating in the Marshall volleyball tournaments.

Texico's "A" team finished with an 8-5 season record. In this tourney,

they lost to Yucca Blue, 15-25, 25-21, 13-15; beat Portales B, 26-24, 25-23; and beat Marshall White, 25-23, 25-21, to win the consolation bracket.

Outstanding net play was performed by Shelby Vannatta, Sarah Long and Chasity Weems.

Marina Rodriguez and Darby Tharp made good passes.

Crystal Davalos, Krista Martinez and Brooklyn Wootton served well throughout the tourney.

Our "B" team finished the season in the Marshall Tourney, too: They lost to Yucca White, 23-25, 5-25; lost to Marshall White, 16-25, 18-25; and lost to Portales B, 11-25, 11-25.

Alondra Posada, Sierra Soliz and Cassandra DeLeon played well at the net.

Gabby Posada had good passing games.

Kyla Myers and Kassie Walker served well throughout the tourney.

## Lazbuddie Robotics team takes 2nd at regionals

The Lazbuddie Robotics team took 2nd place at the regional contest in Lubbock last week, earning a trip to state.

Their advisor is Debbie Weir. This year marks the continuation of a long tradition by Lazbuddie Robotic teams in going to the state tourney.



**Convalescent center honors 2**  
Farwell Convalescent Center Employee of the Month is Edith Lechuga, left, and Resident of the Month is Bonnie Jean Skaggs.

# Wolverines fall to Santa Rosa

By Mike King

The solemn faces and misty eyes told the whole story. Not since Nov. 30, 2007, had the Texico Wolverines experienced defeat. But the battered, bruised and ailing young men had given every ounce of effort they possessed only to come up short last Friday night as Texico lost to district rival Santa Rosa, 21-7.

Santa Rosa opened the game, taking just four plays to go 54 yards for a TD. Seth Bailey and Garrett Garrison had strong tackles.

Texico answered with a 13-play drive, highlighted by a 22-yard pass from Bailey to Brandon King. On the drive, Bailey took a shot to the knee that appeared to give him difficulty the rest of the night. The drive stalled at the Santa Rosa 35 yard line.

The Wolverine defense forced a three and out -- Jonathan Hill and Bailey made key tackles. After the punt, a Wolverine fumble at midfield gave Santa Rosa the ball and they took just two plays to score with 2:12 left in the first quarter.

Texico then embarked on another long drive bridging the first and second quarters following a 21-yard Donovan Johnson kickoff return.

A steady dose of freshman Shay Harrison and Bailey moved the ball downfield. Bailey also hit passes to Johnson, Marques Pena, and Quinn Winkles. The drive ended at the Lion 18.

A huge play by Jesus Rivera ended the next Lion threat.

On offense, the line of Jairo Lozano, Sean Rusk, Garrison, Matt Vasquez, and Humberto Burciaga along with end Rivera controlled the line of scrimmage. Texico again moved the ball well with Harrison and Bailey running and passes to Winkles and Rivera. But a fumble at the Lion 26 ended the scoring opportunity before halftime.

The 2nd half started with Texico at its 28. Bailey led the team on a 12-play, 53-yard drive but a 4th down play at the Lion 19 fell short. Strong plays on defense by Vasquez and King stopped the Lions on three plays, forcing a punt.

Bailey picked the Lions pass defense apart with accurate passes to Winkles, King, and a 23-yard strike to Rivera for the Wolverines TD.

Santa Rosa only got one play on offense before Jose Posada ripped the ball from the Lions possession and Pena recovered.

Bailey then uncorked a 37-yard bomb to Pena that he appeared to haul in but was ruled out of bounds before he had control of the ball. Two plays later Texico lost a fumble at the Santa Rosa 22.

Texico mounted one more long drive into Lion territory but Bailey was stopped short on 4th down. Santa Rosa wrapped up the scoring on the next play with a 55-yard TD run.

The Wolverines showed the character and heart for which they are known as the team stepped up to fill in for several sick and injured teammates and never quit until the final whistle.

The Wolverines are now 0-1 in district and 6-1

## Wolverines of the Week

Coach Autrey named as Wolverines of the Week: offense -- Quinn Winkles, and defense -- Seth Bailey. He also complimented the team as a whole for playing hard despite the large amount of injuries and illnesses that hit last week.

overall. They may not sit atop the state poll as the No. 1 ranked team after this loss, but there is no question the team will be in the state playoffs again this year.



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	Boys	Farwell @ Olton
Nov. 23	Girls	Springlake-Earth @ Farwell
	Boys	Farwell @ Springlake-Earth
Nov. 30	Girls	Farwell @ Morton
	Boys	Morton @ Farwell
Dec. 7	Girls	Sudan @ Farwell
	Boys	Farwell @ Sudan
Dec. 14	Girls	Farwell @ Bovina
	Boys	Bovina @ Farwell
Jan. 4	Girls	Farwell @ Olton
	Boys	Olton @ Farwell
Jan. 7-9	8th Girls & Boys	Lazbuddie Jr. High Tournament
Jan. 11	Girls	Farwell @ Springlake-Earth
	Boys	Springlake-Earth @ Farwell
Jan. 18	Girls	Morton @ Farwell
	Boys	Farwell @ Morton
Jan. 23	7th Girls & Boys	Farwell 7th Grade Tournament
Jan. 25	Girls	Farwell @ Sudan
	Boys	Sudan @ Farwell
Feb. 1	Girls	Bovina @ Farwell
	Boys	Farwell @ Bovina

All games start at 5 p.m.

## Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

### The end is near - or is it?

I know some of you folks may think the world will come to an end in December 2012 as "the Mayan calendar says," according to a major motion picture coming out.

Well, it doesn't.

All the Mayans say on a tablet (which is only partially coherent) is that it marks the end of one of its calendar periods. The planets will be in an alignment that comes only once in a long while. No big deal.

However, if you think the world will come to an end and you are ready to move to the mountain-top, please give me all your money and material goods.

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A couple of weeks ago I wrote about what I felt was the sad state of education in the U.S.

Well, a nationally-syndicated column by Walter Williams last week agreed with what I was saying, and was able to give statistics to back up his case.

He notes, "Today's college students are generally dumber than their predecessors," and cites a 1997 Wall Street Journal article that says "a bachelor of arts degree in 1997 may not be the equal of a graduation certificate from an academic high school in 1947."

Can you believe that, folks? Isn't that completely disgusting.

His column ends with, "Academic dishonesty, coupled with incompetence, particularly at the undergraduate level, doesn't bode well for the future of our nation." And nobody cares.

### Farwell Senior Meal Site

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Thursday - steaks, potatoes, gravy, peas, roll, pears.

Friday - sloppy joes, pork & beans, macaroni salad, ice cream and birthday cake.

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



### Now certified

Kim McArthur, of Hub, has received her Family Nurse Practitioner Certificate and has joined the Friona Rural Health Clinic.

### 7th, 8th grade Steers fall to Sudan

Farwell 7th Steers lost last week to Sudan, 18-14.

J.J. Herrera scored on a QB keeper in the 2nd quarter to tie the game at 6-all at the half. In the 2nd half, he scored a second TD, plus a 2-point conversion.

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Farwell 8th Steers lost to Sudan, 8-0, last week. Sudan scored late in the 4th quarter for the win.

Farwell only had 11 players but they fought hard the whole game, and drove 80 yards in the last two minutes but were stopped at the Sudan 5 as time ran out.

# Hornets turn back Steers

By Rod Carpenter

The Farwell Steers fell to the Sudan Hornet last Friday there, 19-10.

Sudan opened with the ball and moved downfield to the Steers 8. But the Farwell defense stood strong and after a big sack by Rane Carpenter, Sudan was faced with a 4th and 19. The field goal attempt failed.

The Steers marched the ball down to the Sudan 33 behind good running by Colby Read and Lincoln Devault. At this point the drive stalled and Farwell punted into the end zone.

Sudan went 3 and out with good tackles by Julian Cuevas and Collin Christian. Farwell took over near midfield after a punt.

Landry Actkinson hit an 8 yard pass to Colby Read as the first quarter ended.

On 3rd and 10, Actkinson passed for an 11 yard gain to Kyler Steinbock, then hit Caleb Christian with a 20-yard pass.

A 6 yard pass completion to Mason Coburn put the ball on the Sudan 18 but Farwell was held there.

On defense, good tackles were made by Julian Cuevas, Lincoln Devault and Caleb Christian. Sudan broke a 50-yard TD run for a 6-0 lead with 6:41 to play in the second quarter.

Hunter Black returned the kickoff 15 yards and Farwell took over on its 35. After an 8 yard pass to Colton Morris and a short run by Caleb Christian, the Steers lost a fumble. Sudan gained a first down but a QB sack by Lincoln Devault forced a punt.

Farwell started at its 20 with 1:26 left in the half. Landry passed for 15 yards to Devault and 7 more to Collin Christian. Actkinson then connected with Collin Christian again, this time for a 55-yard TD with 39 seconds left in the half. The Devault kick put the Steers ahead, 7-6.

A short kickoff gave

Sudan the ball at their 38. A sack by Rane Carpenter caused a fumble and Farwell recovered at the Sudan 16. Devault kicked a 21-yard field goal to put Farwell ahead, 10-6 at the half.

Farwell began the 3rd quarter with Caleb Christian having a strong kick return to the Steers 41. But Sudan intercepted at its 42.

Zac Stancell had several good tackles along with Mason Howard and Edgar Cuevas. Sudan scored and kicked the extra point to take a 13-10 lead with 4:41 left in the 3rd quarter.

Devault returned the kickoff 15 yards to the Farwell 27. Devault ran for 12, followed by several big runs by Read. The drive stalled at the Sudan 28 after Farwell penalties.

Sudan was held as the 4th quarter began. Actkinson was hit while throwing a pass, and it was intercepted and returned 18 yards for a TD, boosting Sudan's lead to 19-10, at 5:23.

Black returned the kick 30 yards to the Farwell 45. Actkinson hit Devault with a 12 yard pass. But Sudan intercepted again at its 30.

Stancell had a strong tackle for a 1-yard loss. Sudan punted to the Farwell 19 with 1:31 left.

Actkinson hit passes to Read for 15 yards, Caleb Christian for 10 and Black for 20 more. But time ran out.

Stats were: 1st downs, Farwell 14, Sudan 14; rushing yards, Farwell 50, Sudan 221; passing yards, Farwell 191, Sudan 39; and penalties, Farwell 7 for 54 yards, Sudan 16 for 128.

Farwell is now 0-2 in district and 2-5 overall.



Photos by J.R. Ivins



### Hughes, Ware play good golf

The Hi-Plains Play Day was held on Oct. 14 at the Farwell Country Club.

In the championship flight, Sharron Hughes, of Farwell, had low gross, 91.

In the 5th flight, Sandy Ware, of Farwell, had low gross, 117.

### Meet Farwell's Class of 2022



Alexis McClellan is a Farwell kindergarten. Her birthday is Aug. 14.

Parents are Darlana Sanchez (mom), Juan Sanchez (stepdad), Robert (dad) & Candice McClellan (stepmom). Her sibling is Hailey. Grandparents are Bonnie Marshall & Jesus & Velia Ramos.

She likes to play with Wii & watch Hannah Montana.

Her favorite color is blue. Her favorite foods are pizza & chicken nuggets.

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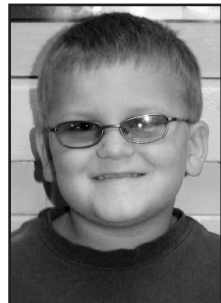
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### Meet Texico's Class of 2022



Grant Jenkins is a Texico kindergarten. His birthday is June 24.

Parents are Chad & Autumn Jenkins. Siblings are Brittany, Shawn & Brandon. Grandparents are Trudy & J.C. Jenkins, 7 Devon Lenon.

He likes to play ball and ride horses.

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





**Mighty Mustang Band**



**Learning about playas**



*Peyton Ledbetter and Joseph Ortega in a field of pink smartweed.*

Fifth graders from Farwell Elementary School participated in the Parmer County Playa Festival on Oct. 7. The Festival is a hands-on, fun way for students to learn about the High Plains water cycle through the context of playa lakes. During the program, students were instructed in some main components of the local water cycle: playa wetlands and the Ogallala Aquifer. Above, Sarah Gomez with barnyard grass.

**The Latest**

Word has been being at Covenant Hospital in Lubbock. Sue Brutal, 71, of Portales. Ralph Franse is rehabbing at the Farwell Convalescent Center. Don Williams is in the Friona nursing home. Travis Hartjen, a vicar and former Director of Christian Education from

Water's Edge in Frisco, Texas, was the Mission Service speaker at St. John Lutheran Church of Lariat last Sunday. Travis and his family are starting a new church in Allen, Texas.

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Rev. Wayne Allen Schueler, of Richmond, Texas, visited his parents Walter and Martha Schueler.

\*\*\*\* Taylor Mesman, a freshman at Texas Tech University, is a Saddle Tramp pledge this semester and traveled to 1st week's Nebraska game with a group of the

men's spirit organization from the university.

\*\*\*\* Henry and Ruby Ratke, of Bessie, Okla., were here last weekend to celebrate grandson Austin Ratke's 14th birthday.

Word has been received of the death of Winnie Nutt, 74, of Clovis. Her family lived for a time in the Farwell area and she attended Farwell Schools from 8th through 12th grades.

\*\*\* The Twin Cities got about 2.1" of moisture on Tuesday night.

**Wind farm report given**

The Bovina School Board on Monday heard a report from Norway's Harold Dirdal on the wind farm project in the works for the area.

He talked about the super substation planned for the Clovis area and believes this could cut the time for the proposed 10-year wind farm project down to 2 years.

In other business, the board: -- Held another hearing on the salary schedules for cafeteria workers and ancillary personnel. Due to the increase in the federal wage guidelines, pay increases will be coming.

-- Made Parmer County extension office employees "adjunct faculty" to help legalize situations when they work with students.

-- Heard a report from Orlando Martinez, a Bovina High student who attended a migrant leadership conference in Washington, D.C., last summer. The Tribune carried an article last summer on his trip.

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**Due to the efforts of the Parmerton Rhea LLC Steering committee to present the best possible land lease agreement to the Mariah Project landowners, the land lease will not be ready in time for signatures by October 24th.**

**Therefore, the signing event on Oct. 24th has been delayed for a few weeks.**



**Bovina Banter**

From page 12

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The Mustangs host Claude on Oct. 23 at 7:30 p.m. The 8th grade Colts play at Claude on Oct. 22 at 5 p.m. The JV Mustangs host Dimmitt on Oct. 22 at 6 p.m.

\*\*\*  
James Spurgeon, 93, of Muleshoe, died Oct. 9. He was the father of Bovina High teacher Lanelle Skaggs.

\*\*\*  
Shana Fleming, the Parmer County home ec agent, has started a monthly after-school program at Bovina Elementary.

On Oct. 19, she gave a lesson on science experiments dealing with Halloween candy.

\*\*\*  
Parents Night will be from 4:30 to 6 p.m. on Oct. 27. Students will receive a pizza party if parents attend all seven classes.

At 6 p.m., parents are invited to join school staff at a workshop in the auditorium on "How to access parent portal," which allows parents to view their child's grades and attendance from home.

\*\*\*  
Oct. 26-30 is Red Ribbon Week. The drug problem around the world is increasing all the time. It is great that our school and community continue to battle this problem.

\*\*\*  
Our city has a new jungle gym going up right now at the City Park. This has been a long time coming. If you have a chance, drive by and see it. It has been placed where the merry-go-round used to be. It looks great!

\*\*\*  
First United Methodist Church invites everyone in the area to Movie Night the next two Sunday nights at 5:30 p.m. This Sunday it's "Meet the Giants" and the following week it's

"Fireproof." Popcorn will be provided ... just bring own drink.

\*\*\*  
Lions Club wants to remind everyone about the benefit Chili Supper scheduled for Friday, Oct. 30, before the football game.

Tickets are available from Student Council, First Bank, Tax Office, City Hall, and Bone Joint Clinic. Stop by and pick yours up.

\*\*\*  
Thank you all for your prayers while we went to Washington to James Curtis' (David's grandpa) funeral. Your thoughts, cards, and prayers are very appreciated.

\*\*\*  
Senior Citizen luncheon is on Wednesday, the 28th. It is open to everyone and is strictly on a donation basis. They offer great food ... even better company.

\*\*\*  
Sue Fowler got 1.4" of rain Tuesday night.

\*\*\*  
Interesting Fact of the Week: Parmer County was named for Martin Parmer. He was a leader of the Fredonian Rebellion in the Nacogdoches/San Augustine area.

**Mustang Band earns excellent rating**

From Brad Walker, Bovina Band Director:

The Mighty Mustang Band on Saturday participated in the Region 16 UIL Marching Contest in Lubbock.

Our band was one of 22 Class 1A bands to participate and we earned a Division 2 excellent rating from all three judges. This marks the third year in a row that the Mustang Band has done this well at marching contest.

Our band performed selections from the movie "That Thing You Do!" The judges commented on their marching/playing improvement and their sharp-looking



**Demolishment starts**

The first building to be demolished (as a forerunner of the proposed Bovina community center) occurred last week as city employee Andy Garza operated the equipment. Also shown is the building, which was adjacent to City Hall, as it looked in days past.

**Casas scores 2 TDs to spark BMS win**

The Bovina JV lost to Boys Ranch last week, 18-14.

Scoring for Bovina were Eduardo Salas on a run, and Gerardo Ortiz on a pass from Andy Duarte.

"Our boys played really well, with the offense moving the ball well and the defense made some great stops when they needed to," said Coach Tommy DeLeon.

\*\*\*  
The Middle School Maroon football team lost 14-0 to Boys Ranch last week.

"Our boys played against a much bigger team and played really well. We were able to move the ball but just could not punch it into the end zone," said Coach DeLeon.

\*\*\*  
From Coach Thackston:

The Bovina Middle School White team defeated Boys Ranch, 14-0, last week behind an effective running game.

Both TDs were scored by quarterback Joseph Casas.

Fullback Hector Lopez added a 2-point conversion.

Our team continues to improve week after week.

**Mustangs** From page 12

42-26.  
The 3rd quarter was a repetition of the 2nd quarter – the Mustang defense holding Boys Ranch scoreless while the Mustang offense provided a pair of TDs.

The 3rd quarter scores came on a 3-yard run by Fox and a 48-yard scamper by Perez.

Both teams scored in the final period – Boys Ranch on a 13-yard pass play, then Fox on a 2-yard run.

Fox had 1913 yards on 22 carries, while Perez gained 168 yards on 15 rushes.

Team stats were: 1st downs, Bovina 24, Boys Ranch 13; rushing yards – Bovina 468, Boys Ranch 228; passing yards, Bovina 65, Boys Ranch 130; and penalties, Bovina 2 for 30 yards, Boys Ranch 6 for 30.

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# BOVINA



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## Mustangs whip Boys Ranch

The Bovina Mustangs are now 1-1 in district and 5-2 overall after a wild 63-32 win over Boys Ranch there last Friday.

The first quarter set the pace for this offensive show as both teams scored 4 TDs.

Bovina opened the scoring when Desmond Fox ran in to pay dirt from 36 yards out. The Daniel Rivera kick made it 7-0.

The Mustangs quickly

### Mustangs of the Week

*Coach Guevara named as Mustangs of the Week: offense – Frankie Guevara, Andrew Marrufo, Ricardo DeLaRosa, Sergio Hernandez, Desmond Fox, Rolando Perez; Matt Knoll, Fernando Banuelos, Rodrigo Zapata, Daniel Silva and Jesus Castaneda; defense – the defensive line that stepped up at the first quarter, plus DeLaRosa; special teams – Jose Lara; and Big Hit – Marrufo and Miguel Jaramillo.*

doubled their lead when Rolando Perez nabbed an interception and race in for a 32-yard TD. The

Rivera kick made it 14-0. Boys Ranch then fought back with a pair of rushing TDs. One of their

kicks failed and Bovina led 14-13.

The Mustangs answered when Perez scored from 28 yards out, followed by a Rivera kick. The kickoff to Boys Ranch resulted in a 51-yard TD return; the kick was good and Bovina still led by a point.

Then Perez scored his third TD of the first quarter on a 1-yard plunge. Rivera's kick put Bovina ahead 28-20.

The first quarter scoring ended with Boys Ranch's scoring a TD on a 35-yard pass; the kick failed and Bovina now led by 2.

It was a lot quieter in the 2nd quarter, especially for Boys Ranch. After a chat with Coach Hector Guevara, the Mustang defense rose up and kept them off the scoreboard.

Meanwhile, the Mustangs added two more TDs to their lead, on a pair of 4-yard runs by Fox. Thus, Bovina went into halftime ahead,

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### Bovina Banter

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First Baptist Church is conducting a "Coats for Christ" drive with a deadline of Oct. 28.

Folks are asked to put coats of any size in the box located outside the church office. Coats will be distributed on Oct. 30 at the church.

For more information, contact David Bermea, 251-1123; Randy Stone, 265-7599, or Isabel Espinoza, (806) 881-4922.

St. Ann's Catholic Church will have their annual turkey dinner on Sunday, Nov. 1, from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the parish hall on 3rd Street.

Donations are \$8 for adults and children 6 and older; \$4 for children under 6. Take-out plates are available.

The menu includes turkey and dressing, creamed potatoes and gravy, green beans, homemade bread, cranberry sauce, relish plate, desserts, tea and coffee.

A quilt made by St. Ann's Society will be raffled off at the dinner. Tickets cost \$1.

School lunch menus for next week:  
Monday chicken fried steak, pepperoni pizza, cream potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, rolls, peaches.

Tuesday - mac and cheese, hamburgers, tossed salad, cottage cheese, pears.

Wednesday - burrito, pepperoni pizza, corn, tossed salad, juice bars.

Thursday - hot dogs, hamburgers, baked beans, chili, potato wedges, tossed salad, fruit cocktail.

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

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### Honor rolls listed

Bovina Middle School honor rolls for the first 6 weeks show:

All A's  
7th grade - Justus Brozek, Andy Flores.  
8th grade - Julian Martinez.

A-B  
6th grade - Charilee Carrillo, Gil DeLeon, David Delgado, Cruz Herrera, Laura Perez, Jose Quiroz, Austin Schlenker.

7th grade - Joseph Casas, Jacqueline Garcia, Jacob Hiebert, Jessi Ramon, Joel Salas, Yukari Vela, Andrea Villarreal.

8th grade - Mayra Bernal, Ramiro Carmona, Jose Cruz, Sarah Gallegos, Bryan Garcia, Edith Gomez, Hector Lopez, Brittany Perez, Jairo Salas, Samantha Villarreal.



### Sketch time

Bovina 8th graders, from left, Graciela Meza, Anabel Lara and Samantha Villarreal do some drawing in their sketchbooks last Friday. (Photo by Chad Taylor)

### Trailer variance approved

The Bovina City Council on Oct. 13 approved a variance to allow Rogelio Alvidrez to place a trailer just off the highway.

The waiver is needed because trailers have to face a street, but in this case there is no street but an alley.

In other business, the council:  
-- Approved joining the Parmerton Rhea wind farm project at a cost of \$10.

-- Was asked by Marie Venable if the city wanted to buy property she owns at 203 North St., on the east side of City Hall. No action was taken.

-- Tabled a resolution concerning motorized carts. Currently, it's illegal for golf carts to be driven on city streets.

But it could be made legal if the council were to pass an ordinance having them licensed, making sure they had proper equipment, such as brakes and headlights, and the necessary insurance.

-- Heard City Clerk Jana Pitcock report that the city has received a \$20,000 energy grant that can be used on city properties. For example, some of the funds will be used to insulate the fire department building.

-- Discussed joining the "Firefighters Fund Retirement for Volunteers." Many fire department volunteers are served by a retirement program. If the city joins this program, it would contribute \$38 per month for volunteers who participate in it.

But first, Mrs. Pitcock said the council needs to address the EMS by-laws before taking definitive action.

-- Set the next meeting for Nov. 16.

### Flores paces Bovina runners

Bovina runners participated in the Canyon Invitational Cross Country Meet on Oct. 10.

Varsity girls, 4th place - Daniella Flores, 14th, 13:14; Alicia Lopez, 25th, 13:47; Yoselin Rueda, 36th, 14:04; Ivette Mejia, 41st, 14:11; Judith Rodriguez, 62nd, 14:44; Lynda Rodriguez, 99th, 15:48.

Middle School girls, 6th place - Anabel Lara, 19th, 14:19; Daisy Marquez, 39th, 14:53; Edith Gomez, 48th, 15:16; Andrea Villarreal, 58th, 15:30; Samantha Villarreal, 71st, 15:43; Jackie Garcia, 91st, 16:11.

Middle School boys - Joseph Casas, 15th, 13:16; Bernie DeLaCruz, 26th, 13:38; Aaron Adams, 28th, 13:41.

### JV Mustangs in action



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### Contest entries

Among the entries in the City of Bovina's pumpkin contest, a fund-raiser for the proposed community center, were these, from left, Jasmine Ramon, Bianca Morales and Daynah Tijerina.

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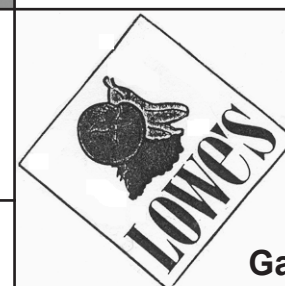
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