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Belynn Sharp and Kylynn Thomas.

## Trey Ellis wins County Judge race

The big news in Tuesday's primary elections in Parmer County focused on the Republican portion since all the county candidates are unopposed in the November general election.

GOP primary contests were:

County Judge – Trey Ellis, 797; Michelle Agee, 459; and Chris Alexander, 115. Since Ellis got 58.13 percent of the vote, a runoff is not needed (50 percent was needed to avoid a

runoff). Current County Judge Bonnie Heald is retiring after 20 years in the job.

Farwell area Justice of the Peace – incumbent Pam Haseloff, 317; Linda Moss-Hardy, 147; Randy Mitchell, 95. Since Mrs. Haseloff got 56.71 percent of the vote, there will be no runoff election.

Frona area Justice of the Peace – Jo Beth Gipson, 315; Jerry Loflin, 304. Mrs. Gipson is a 4th grade teacher at Farwell Elementary School so it appears likely she will

resign after this school year.

Lazbuddie area County Commissioner – Lloyd Bradshaw, 101; Jimmy Weaver, 91. Current County Commissioner Elvis Powell is retiring due to health issues.

Of the 1,425 persons who voted, only 30 voted in the Democrat primary.

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Other GOP primary results were:

U.S. Representative – Randy Neugebauer, 1,108.

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## Steers fall in Regional

The Farwell Steers fought a tough and hard battle against the Seagraves Eagles in the first round of the Regional Tourney at Lubbock on Monday, losing 61-57.

The Steers ended a great season at 23-8,

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*Farwell Hardware has special inserts with today's Tribune.*



Photo by J.R. Ivins

## Texico to host 1st round of State playoffs



The Farwell Lady Blue

As is the Tribune's custom each year, we run fun photos of our area varsity basketball teams when their seasons end. Because, after all, sports are meant to be fun. Here are the Farwell Lady Blue.



# Dear, Knee...

Jill Actkinson-Anderson, of Austin, recently had a unique letter she wrote published in the Beth Pratt "My View" column in the local section of the Lubbock newspaper.

Jill is the daughter of Johnny and Diane Actkinson, of Farwell.

## Lazbuddie approves Driver's ed

The Lazbuddie School Board on Friday approved Mickey Chambliss to offer a driver's education course for youths starting in April.

The fee is \$260. In other business, the board:

-- Approved the recommendation of Supt. Brantner to seek bids on upgrading the electrical system throughout the school.

-- Heard that school enrollment is about 140.

-- Cast its votes for Kirby Burch to serve on the Parmer County Appraisal District Board.

-- Nominated Rob Pomper, of the State Line Tribune, to be put on the media honor roll.

## FJH honor rolls listed

Here are the Farwell Junior High 4th week honor rolls:

6th grade -- Regan Agee, Katy Carpenter, Madison Griswold, Jessica Hardisty, Camree Haseloff, Brenna Jarman, Elisabeth Partin, Carina Reyes.

7th grade -- A.J. Bermea, Andres Graxiola, Curt Langford, Johan Loeppky, Mitchell Ratke, Trevor Schilling, Federico Solis.

8th grade - Savanna Barksdale, Lauren Carpenter, Zack Dale, Sammi Jo Hardisty, Dillon Kirkland, Kelsey Knight, Austin Mason, Bailey Mullins, Gabbie Schilling, Hanna Sudderth, K'Leigh White.

Her dad underwent knee replacements in January.

Here's Jill's letter that she wrote before the surgery:

Dear Knee,  
I want to let you know how much I appreciate the wonderful job you have done for my father over the past 62 years. You've taught him how to crawl, walk and run. You helped him learn to ride a bike.

You've helped him work on the farm. You've allowed him to escape his older brother. With your assistance, he has enjoyed many sports such as basketball, football, baseball, golf and a few tennis matches.

Thank you for helping him hike mountains to hunt and gather for us. It's because of your support that my father was

able to teach my siblings and me how to ride bikes, play sports and dodge balls.

I must be honest with you. I have not always been a fan of yours. At times, you were called on to provide a stable platform for my father to discipline us (my brothers more than me).

Now, you haven't been yourself for a while now. I know my dad has struggled to participate in many of his favorite activities because of your performance. I fully support his decision to replace you.

You have had 62 good years. This is something to be very proud of. Just know that I appreciate all of your hard work, but bid you farewell. I look forward to meeting your replacement on Friday.

Respectfully,  
Jill Actkinson Anderson

## McClaran unopposed for WTRT seat

The 56th annual meeting of West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative will be held on March 30 at 7 p.m. at the Hereford Bull Barn,

Rafter G, of Umbarger, Texas, will offer BBQ brisket and sausage dinners with all the trimmings, and cobbler for dessert starting at 6 p.m.

Two veteran directors, Jimmie Cockerham, of the Tharp exchange, and Carl Strafuss, of the Milo Center exchange, will be retiring.

Lance McClaran is unopposed for the Tharp post.

Candidates for the Milo Center post are Brent Carlson, Rich Heida and Richard Sims Jr. Candidates for the Westway exchange are incumbent Ernest Flood and Garry Yosten



Lance McClaran

McClaran, 33, is a 1995 Bovina High graduate. He started farming with his father, Wayne, and now farms on his own near Oklahoma Lane.

He and his wife, Trisha, have three children, Sydney, 9; Hayden, 5; and Kyler, 1. The two older children attend Farwell Elementary School.

Lance is a deacon at Bovina Church of Christ.

## Parham joins Five Area board

The 53rd annual Five Area Telephone Cooperative meeting was held on Saturday in Muleshoe.

Chris Bass was re-elected to the board from District 12 (Lariat). Also running was Clay Grant.

The District 3 post (East Lazbuddie) was open because Ronnie Holt had reached his term limit. Terry Parham topped Donald Puckett for the open position.

General Manager Sandy Vandevender just returned in time for the meeting from a meeting he had in Washington, D.C. Due to weather, his plane had been diverted to Denver the previous day, but he got to Muleshoe on time.

Vandevender noted that fiber optics are being placed in Lazbuddie and construction will begin this spring in Lariat.

A Five Area has installed a fiber optics "ring" for Internet service which is self-healing to keep the service going okay when a line gets cut. They are using a Lubbock company which has a delivery system of 100 million bytes.

Other highlights included:

Service awards were handed out including one for 10 years to Paulette Foster.

-- Russell praying won the top \$300 cash drawing award.

-- Five Area paid Parmer County \$2,620 in property taxes last year.

-- The allocable margin for 2009 was \$93,246.

-- Honored local veterans: Harold Beierman, Tom Boutell, James Byers, Wesley Hawkins, Ronnie Kenmore, W.B.



Chris Bass, left, was re-elected to the Five Area Telephone Cooperative board while Terry Parham was elected to it on Saturday.

Kittrell, Angel Martinez, Ronald Morgan, Donald Phelps, Ernest Ramm, Mike Richards, Rene Torres, James Wedel and like Wilcox.

-- Gave a special gold watch to former board member Anna Sowder, who had been on the board for 15 years. She has moved to Lubbock.

Five Area has 2,075 customers in six counties through six exchanges - Bula, Lariat, Lazbuddie, Lehman, Maple and Needmore. Its subsidiaries are:

-- West Plains Telecommunications provides phone service to parts of three counties

and five exchanges, serving 4,471 customers: Muleshoe, Sudan, Earth, Olton and Springlake. The company also provides all digital switching with fiber optic toll facilities.

-- Five Area Long Distance, serves about 1,834 subscribers.

-- Five Area Systems manages the deregulated sales and service part of Five Area. This includes established 1990 Plateau Wireless sales and service, 12,989 customers; established 1996 Five Area Internet, 1,712 customers; and established 1996 Five Area Paging, 21 customers.

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## Farwell Senior Meal Site

Menus for next week:  
 Monday - beef stir fry, veggies, egg noodles with beer broth, dessert, crackers.

Tuesday - roast beef, carrots, potatoes, brown gravy, salad, rolls, dessert.

Wednesday - pork ribs, cole slaw, baked beans, green chili corn, sliced bread, dessert.

Thursday - Mexican pile-on (meat, cheese, beans, lettuce, tomato, olives, onions), corn, crackers, dessert.

Friday - crispy chicken fingers, Greek salad, peas, bread, dessert.

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

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# Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

## Why our area is No. 1

Watching the daily news for the past couple of years makes me really appreciate how fortunate I am to live on the High Plains of Eastern New Mexico – West Texas.

Sure, I know some folks are out of work here and having a hard time. But compared to the nation at large, I cannot think of an area doing as well as we are.

Not California. Not Florida. Not New York.

And what cracks me up is that if someone had been given you the choice a few years ago between living in sunny Florida, or hip California or mighty New York or the little Twin Cities, I don't think the Home of the Steers and Wolverines would fare that well.

But with the near-Depression that has struck our nation, I bet our little area would lead the list.

Folks, about 20 percent of our nation's population is either unemployed or underemployed, from the latest statistics I have seen. But in this area, I bet those combined rates would be about 3 or 4 percent.

And it seems that every week, there are

"Help Wanted" ads running in the Tribune, far more than there were five years ago.

It's never fun living in a recession. Every business is impacted. Income at the Tribune was down last year from the previous year. But at least we are still in business, something some of the big daily newspapers cannot claim.

Over the years, the Tribune often has thanked its readers and advertisers for participating in keeping this product afloat. While it's true that the Tribune has been in business for more than 98 years, that doesn't necessarily mean there will be a 99th year.

No business can just take for granted its existence. You stay in business if you work hard, do

a good job and there is a market for your product. Otherwise, you have a problem.

While I have enjoyed living in other parts of our great nation over the years, I am so happy that the Lord brought me to this little piece of earth, where you cannot find a better spot to raise a family.

So, folks, let's all work together and get through the current financial instability that affects our nation. Let's be as one to steer clear of the financial pitfalls that our national politicians usually drown in.

Together, we and our families will survive. Just keep the faith.

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I realize that some area college teams start playing baseball in February. I think that's dumb. It's way too cold. They should start in March at the earliest.

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Once a month, starting this week, the Tribune will run a "Business of the Month" ad sponsored



### Unfamiliar sight

Kyle Owen found a bald eagle sitting on a fence post about 6 miles south of Farwell on FM 3125 on Feb. 22. He was amazed by the wingspan as it flew away.



In back, Miguel Vazquez, Sarah Gomez, Justin Perez, Jackson Jarman, Alexis Olmos; middle row, Mililani Woznick, Emma London, Ian Beverage, Kylie Haseloff; front row, Sydney Horton, Luke Mitchell, Teresa Silva, Dason Graham, Guerrero Olmos.

## Students honored

Students of the 4th Six Weeks at Farwell Elementary School are:

Kindergarten – Katelynn Ortega, Tera Silva, Dason Graham.

1st grade – Mililani Woznick, Guerrero Olmos, Luke Mitchell.

2nd grade – Emma London, Sydney Horton, Ian Beverage.

3rd grade – Kylie Haseloff, Jackson Jarman.

4th grade – Alexis Olmos, Miguel Vazquez.

5th grade – Justin Perez, Sarah Gomez.

### Courthouse Notes

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

Inez Bobo – Bovina Schools, B119 Bovina.

Judy Gray – Duane White, SE/4 S31 T11S R3E

## Business of the Month

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# Big Mike's Bikes

Mike Galvan, a 1996 Farwell High grad, opened "Big Mike's Bikes" in January at 1005 Ave. A, next to Lowe's Supermarket.

A graduate of the Motorcycle Mechanics Institute in Phoenix, he worked in Clovis before opening his own shop. He



is assisted by Scott Smith, 1994 Texico High grad who has worked with auto repairs his whole life.

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Behind the business is "Big Mike's Storage Units." Sizes are 10'x20' and 5'x10'. To rent a storage unit, you can call the same numbers listed above.

Mike and his wife, Tracy, have two children, Sylvia, 8, and Sebastian, 5.

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## Lady Wolverines win District Tourney

The Texico Lady Wolverines captured the District Tournament championship with a 37-35 win over Santa Rosa last Friday at home.

Texico, 22-5, will host the first round of the state playoffs on Friday, March 5, at 6 p.m. mt vs. Capitan. Passes will not be accepted for this game. Tickets cost \$8 for adults and \$5 for students.

Santa Rosa also moves on to the first round of the state playoffs. In New Mexico, both teams that play in the district tourney finals advance; only the seeding is affected. Santa Rosa is now 25-3 – all three losses have been to the Lady Wolverines.

Scoring were Katlin Luscombe, 6; Vitoria Richards, 8; Shaylee Anderson, 3; Shannon Van Matre, 7; Jordyn Cooper, 6, and Jaylyn Cooper, 7.

Jordyn Cooper had a pair of 3-pointers. Also with long-range buckets were Van Matre and Jaylyn Cooper.

It was a close game throughout. Although Texico had beaten Santa Rosa twice during regular district play, the last time by 5 points, this one was a nail-biter.

Texico took a 3-point lead after one quarter and led by 5 at the half. Santa Rosa won the 3rd quarter by 4, starting the final period only behind by a solitary point.

In the first quarter, Texico raced out to an 8-point lead, aided by 3-pointers from the Cooper twins.

But in the 2nd quarter Santa Rosa came on strong, taking a small lead early in the 2nd quarter. A 3-pointer by Van Matre, though, expanded the Lady Wolverines as halftime arrived.

The final period saw Richards strike hard, with 6 points. This included a bucket and free throw that broke a 33-all tie with 34 seconds left.

Santa Rosa hit a bucket, but missed the free throw when the shooter got fouled. Richards added a free throw with 15 seconds left.

Santa Rosa turned the ball over and the game was history.



## Wolverines are Tourney champs

The Texico Wolverines tipped Santa Rosa at home on Saturday to win the District Tournament title, 40-38.

The Wolverines, 25-2 will host the first round of the state playoffs on Saturday, March 6, at 6 p.m. mt vs. Tularosa, 20-6. Passes will not be accepted for this game. Tickets cost \$8 for adults and \$5 for students.

Santa Rosa is 19-8 and also advances to state. Scoring were Quin Winkles, 5; Jose Posada, 2; Connor Doolittle, 3; Garrett Foote, 3; Marques Pena, 4; Seth Bailey, 17; Mitchell Harrison, 4, and Kyle Boatman, 2.

Bailey had a pair of 3-pointers, and Doolittle and Winkles also knocked them down from long range.

It was all Texico in the first quarter as the Wolverines jumped out to a 12-3 lead. But Santa Rosa reversed it in the 2nd quarter, outscoring Texico, 15-3. Thus, at halftime, Santa Rosa led 18-15.

In this see-saw affair of numerous lead changes, the Wolverines came out and outscored the Lions, 12-8, in the 3rd stanza, and also by 1 point in the final quarter.

As with any close game, the final minutes made the difference. Halfway through the last quarter, Texico found itself trailing 35-34 when Bailey made a steal and got fouled driving to the bucket.

He put both charity tosses in, then added a couple of more soon afterward to boost Texico into a 38-35 lead.

Foote added a free throw and with 17 seconds left, Texico led, 39-38. But Santa Rosa missed a layup. Bailey was fouled while rebounding and put one in. A Santa Rosa 3-point shot failed with 4 seconds to go, and Texico won.



### The Latest

Bruce Billingsley is home from the hospital. \*\*\*

Doris Herington was in the hospital last week. \*\*\*

Farwell's Chelsea Bass placed 6th in the 800 meter run at the Texas Tech Indoor Invitational Track Meet on Feb. 20 in 2:31. \*\*\*

Cy Koehn, who once served as a missionary to Haiti, is back at Port-au-Prince, the Haitian capital, to help out for 12 days. \*\*\*

Texico police report all quiet last week. \*\*\*

Raymond Martin donated to the Farwell Obelisk Fund last week.

To donate, send a check made out to "Farwell Obelisk Fund," in care of Security State Bank, Drawer J, Farwell

TX, 79325. Or you can just drop off a check. \*\*\*

About 4 tenths of an inch of rain fell on the Twin Cities Sunday night, with slender snow showers on Monday. \*\*\*

There will be a Texas private pesticide applicator training and testing program March 12 at the Bailey County Extension office in Muleshoe.

For complete details, call the Parmer or Bailey county extension offices. \*\*\*

Debbie Bowman, regional program manager for the New Mexico Area Agency on Aging, will speak on services the agency provides at a meeting of the Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens at 6 p.m. mt on March 18 at the Texico Community Center. All are welcome.

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## Farwell Steers take Area championship

The Farwell Steers edged Van Horn last Friday at Midland to win the Area championship, 45-43.

Farwell raced out to a 26-15 halftime lead, but cold shooting in the second half allowed Van Horn to get back into the game. Van Horn ended with a 15-12 record.

Scoring were Octavio Chavez, 11; Rane Carpenter, 2; Josh Olivias, 2; Matt Billingsley, 5; Lincoln Devault, 8; Landry Actkinson, 10; and Luke Carpenter, 7.

A big Farwell crowd attended the game despite the 3 hour and 20 minute drive; about 250 folks were counted. About 75 Van Horn fans attended.

The game opened on a positive note with a Rane Carpenter block. Farwell used its good height and athleticism to dominate the boards throughout the game.

The teams traded baskets early until Luke Carpenter knocked down a 3-pointer (Farwell's only long range basket of the game) opened a 9-6 lead. Then Chavez scored on a layup on a great feed and it was quickly 11-6.

Steals by Actkinson and Luke Carpenter stopped two Van Horn possessions. Then Chavez scored on another layup (once again, on a great assist), followed by a Luke Carpenter rebound bucket as Farwell took a 15-9 lead at the first quarter stop.

The Steers quickly expanded their lead as Actkinson scored on a rebound bucket and Billingsley hit a short jumper, making it 19-9.

Van Horn closed to within 7 when Actkinson stole the ball and hit a layup. This was followed by another Chavez layup and it was 24-13. The half ended with Farwell up by 11.

In the first half, Van Horn was called for seven "walking" infractions.

Van Horn came out strong in the 3rd quarter, running off 5 straight points before Devault scored on a drive and followed it up with a rebound basket. This kept Farwell ahead by 10, 30-20.

Van Horn hit a 3-pointer and a couple of buckets to narrow the gap to 3. Devault then drove the length of the court to score, making it a 5-point lead. The three baskets by Devault were the only Farwell scores in the 3rd quarter.

Meanwhile, Van Horn hit 3 free throws and a basket to make the score 3-all when the 4th quarter began.

After Chavez scored on a free throw, Van Horn answered with a 3-pointer to take their largest lead of the game, 35-33.

A pair of free throws by Rane Carpenter tied the game. A technical was called on Van Horn and Actkinson sunk two charity tosses as Farwell led 37-36.

Farwell tried a stall with 2:30 left but Van Horn got the ball at 1:57. They hit a free throw to make it 37-all.

Devault captured a big rebound, and at 1:18, Actkinson fed Chavez for an easy layup and a 39-37 lead.

A rebound basket by Luke Carpenter made it 41-37. And at :43, Actkinson sunk two free throws for a 43-37 lead. Meanwhile, the Steers centers Rane Carpenter and Chavez had fouled out.

Van Horn sank a free throw, but Billingsley answered with a layup. Van Horn hit a 3-pointer and a regular bucket but time ran out on them.



Photos by J.R. Ivins



## Area youth compete at San Angelo show

Parmer County 4-H'ers participated in the San Angelo Livestock Show last week.

Results from the barrow show were:

Logan Mason, 3rd, spot.

Cade Box, 5th, hamp.

Tyler Schilling, 6th, cross.

Russell Schilling, 5th, york.

Shaylee Swink, 5th, hamp.

Sterling Henderson, 8th, york.

Also, the Lazbuddie Livestock Judging Team finished 7th at the San Angelo contest: Logan Mason, Kayle Jesko, Kinzi Jo Schacher and Jared Timms.

Also participating were Matthew Kube, Hanna Sudderth and Treg Box.

### Sheriff's Report

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

On Feb. 23, Adan Salcido, 29, of Odessa, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of motion to revoke (theft under \$500). His probation was revoked and he got 90 days in jail, fine and court costs.

On Feb. 24, Kelwin King, 50, of Amarillo, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of interfering with an emergency call. He paid fine, court costs and got 90 days deferred adjudication.

On Feb. 24, Bennie Joe Shepherd, 25, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of DWI, pending in county court.

On Feb. 24, John Crawford, 21, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of forgery, pending in district court.

On Feb. 24, Demetrio Zuniga, 40, of Hereford, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of motion to revoke (evading arrest). The probation was revoked, and he got 30 days in jail, fine and court costs.

On Feb. 25, Freddy Reyes, 23, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of assault, pending in county court.

On Feb. 25, Eva Rubio, 37, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of assault, pending in county court.

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

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

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

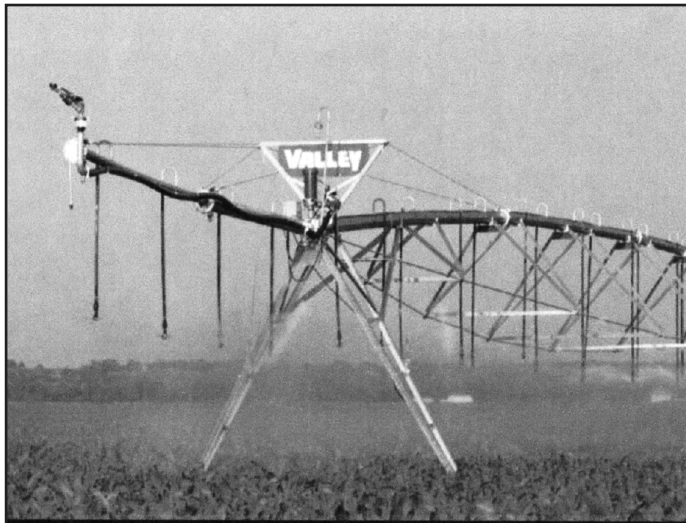
120 acres, dryland, north of Pleasant Hill.

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## Steers

From page 1

winning Bi-District and Area championships. Seagraves is now 19-6.

Scoring were Lincoln Devault, 11; Octavio Chavez, 6; Rane Carpenter, 1; Collin Christian, 4; Landry Actkinson, 11; Luke Carpenter, 13; Josh Olivas, 7, and Matt Billingsley, 4.

This was a game were the Steers went all out, playing very aggressively, driving to the basket hard, contesting every rebound, playing tough defense, making blocks and steals. The only rough part was free throw shooting, going 8 for 20.

Seagraves had a couple of players who could really leap and neither team gave quarter.

The first quarter opened with two blocks by Rane Carpenter. Seagraves opened with a 3-0 lead on a 3-pointer (they made their first five 3-point attempts).

Farwell got on the board on a Devault drive but was behind 5-2. Luke Carpenter had a blocked shot, but the Eagles lengthened their lead to 13-4.

Farwell fought back, with a drive by Billingsley, a steal by Christian, and drives by Actkinson and Christian. Seagraves led, 21-11 at the stop.

Farwell won the 2nd quarter. After a Rane Carpenter block, Luke Carpenter scored on a rebound. Then Olivas hit a bucket followed by a 3-pointer. The halftime score was 30-23.

Seagraves pulled further ahead in the 3rd quarter, opening a 12-point lead before Farwell retaliated.

The Steers closed the gap behind buckets by Billingsley, Chavez and Luke Carpenter plus the first of Actkinson's 3-pointers. Then it was the Eagles' turn to score and it was 48-36 going into the final quarter.

The pressing Steer defense took its toll on Seagraves. A steal by Olivas and drive, a steal by Devault and a drive and a layup by Chavez cut the gap to 9. Meanwhile, Seagraves hit some key free throws.

A Devault jumper cut the gap to 7 in the final minutes. He then put in a rebound bucket followed by an Actkinson 3-pointer, leaving the final score at 61-57.

## Election

From page 1

**Governor** – Kay Hutchison, 595; Debra Medina, 154; Rick Perry, 610.

**Lt. Governor** – David Dewhurst, 1,102.

**Attorney General** – Greg Abbott, 1,070.

**Comptroller of Public Accounts** – Susan Combs, 1,084.

**Commissioner of Agriculture** – Todd Staples, 1,049.

**Railroad Commissioner** – Victor Carrillo, 335; David Porter, 760.

**Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3** – Jeff Brown, 282; Rick Green 196; Debra Lehmann, 89; Jim Moseley, 174; Rebecca Simmons, 97; Rick Strange, 110.

**Justice, Supreme Court, Place 5** – Paul Green, 935.

**Justice, Supreme Court, Place 9** – Eva Guzman, 649; Rose Vela, 273.

**State Representative** – Warren Chisum, 1,009.

**District Clerk** – Sandra Warren, 1,133.

**County Clerk** – Colleen Stover, 1,116.

**County Treasurer** – Altha Herington, 1,104.

**Bovina area Justice of the Peace** – Sandra Clayton, 133.

**Bovina area County Commissioner** – James Clayton, 219.

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**GOP referendums:**

**Photo ID**, 1,140 yes; 134 no.

**Controlling government growth**, 1,113 yes; 126 no.

**Cutting federal income taxes**, 1,203 yes; 63 no.

**Public acknowledgement of God**, 1,267 yes; 30 no.

**Sonograms**, 922 yes; 349 no.

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**Democrat primary results were:**

**U.S. Representative** – Andy Wilson, 25.

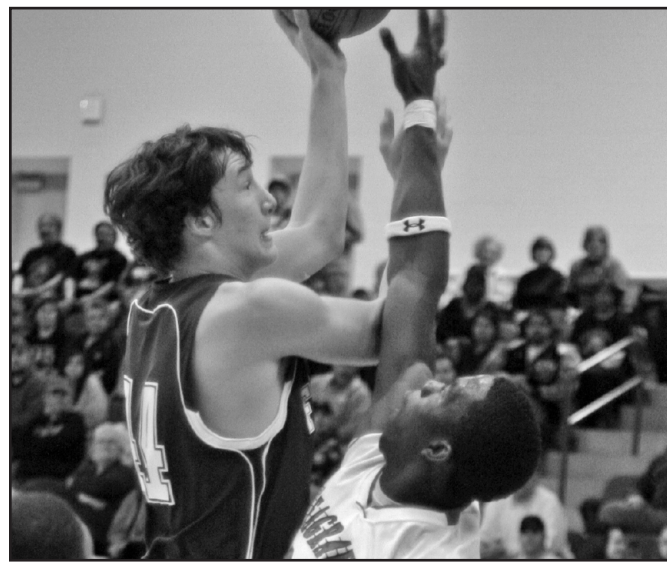
**Governor** – Alma Aguado, 2; Felix Alvarado, 3; Bill Dear, 2; Clement Glenn, 2; Star Locke, 0; Farouk Shami, 1; Bill White, 20.

**Lt. Governor** – Linda Chavez-Thompson, 14; Ronnie Earle, 8; Marc Katz, 5.

**Attorney General** – Barbara Radnofsky, 22.

**Commissioner of Agriculture** – “Kinky” Friedman, 13; Hank Gilbert, 14.

**District Judge** – Gordon Green, 22.



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This is a public hearing and all school patrons are invited to attend.

Texico School  
R. L. Richards, Superintendent



## Smith selected for trip

**Lazbuddie High's Riley Smith, center, was picked by Bailey County Electric Cooperative to attend the annual youth government tour. He will spend a week in Washington, D.C. He is shown with his mom, Terrie Smith and Bailey County Electric's Rickie Warren.**

## Texico incumbents unopposed for re-election

All four incumbents incumbents running in Texico's city election Tuesday were unopposed for re-election.

Vote totals were: Jerry Cunningham, mayor, 28; municipal judge Dean Henninger, 21; and city councilmen Oran Jay Autrey and Monnie Cunningham, 21 each.

## Richards seeks Clovis job

Texico School Supt. R.L. Richards is among 27 applicants for the post of Clovis School superintendent.

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And congratulations to the Farwell Steers and Lady Blue on great season, winning Bi-District and Area trophies.

It's great to see these teams make it to the State Tournament again this year.

Even though basketball is still going on, here's a look at the spring sports under way:

**Bovina** – Junior High tracksters participate in the Chieftain Relays in Friona on March 4. Varsity tracksters vie in the Farwell Invitational Meet on March 5.

**Farwell** – The Steers and Lady Blue host the Steer Relays on March 5. The girls varsity golf team will be in the Farwell Golf Meet on March 8, while the boys varsity golf team will be in the Farwell Golf Meet on March 9.

**Lazbuddie** – the junior high track teams vie in the Friona Junior High Meet on March 4 and in the Hart Meet on March 9; the varsity teams participate in the Friona High School Meet on March 5. The boys golf team plays at Tulia on Feb. 26.

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Baritone Quartet received a 1 – Victoria Rodriguez, Raul Pereda, Lauryn Meyer and Yureli Ruiz.



Clarinet Quartet received a 2 – Sarahi Saenz, Pamela Lara, Elizabeth Pereda and Lauren Carpenter.

### 3 Farwell band units advance to State

From Farwell Band Director Bill Shelly:  
The Farwell "Legends in Blue" recently competed at the UIL Solo/Ensemble Contest in Lubbock. We took 33 students to compete and brought back 35 1st Division medals.

Three of our groups will head to the State contest at the end of May at San Marcos. I credit the students for their hard work and dedication as well as the expertise from two outstanding teachers, Jim Barnard and J.C. Orozco.

They are:  
The Woodwind Choir returns to State for the 4th consecutive year.  
The Baritone Quartet heads to State for the 2nd year.  
The Percussion Ensemble (directed by Orozco) returns to State for the 2nd year in a row.

### Farwell Elementary scholars announced

Here are the Farwell Elementary School honor rolls for the 4th six weeks:

Barnes 3rd grade – honor roll, Kylie Haseloff, Sterling Henderson, Patrick Pena, Trace Stancell, Katey White; achievement list, Gabriel Vega, Thomas Smallwood, Ramon Reyes, Maria Maldonado, Sage Klein.

Allen 3rd grade – honor roll, Christian Barrett, Jack Isaacson, Jackson Jarman, Kinley Kalbas, Matthew Kube; achievement list, Ivory Hernandez, Jasmine Corona, Sydney McClaran, Dane Lynchm, Aaron Meza, Ricardo Ortega, Brianna Reyes, Brittnei Soto.

Gipson 4th grade – honor roll, Mason Byrd, Andrea Chavez-Murillo, John Mitchell, Romeo Reyes; achievement list, Brandon Galvan, Marivel Galvan, Sailor Jackson, Alexia Nicolas, Ricardo Torres, Miguel Vasquez, Mauricio Vidana, Lisa Zacharias.

Beauchamp 4th grade – honor roll, Hope Herrera, Luis Solis; achievement list, Brooke Mullin, Alexis Olmos, Josue Alonso, Erica Barrera, Tannar Chadwick, Matthew Dale, Danny Dyck, Victor Crume, Oscar Rodriguez, Mariana Sosa, Ethan Stancell.

Parker 5th grade – honor roll, Cameron Bass, Garrett Schilling; achievement list, Sarah Gomez, Mallory Schilling, Rachel Stinson.

O'Hare 5th grade – honor roll, Kenlea Barnes, Lindsy Coburn, Heath Hadley, Jace Perkins, Meredith Ratke; achievement list, Jackie Amador, Treylin Griswold, Lauren Isaacson, Dalton Kasel, Peyton Ledbetter, Ty London, Joseph Ortega.

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She likes to jump, and to watch cartoons. Her favorite color is pink. Her favorite foods are beans and potatoes.

She doesn't like to clean her room.

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Percussion Ensemble received a 1 – Raul Germain, Megan Alvarado, Savanna Pereda, Victor Rodriguez, Sara Scott, Liza Barksdale, Lauren Carpenter, Seth Chilton, Zac Alonso, Alicia Bermea, Colton Williams, Dale, Heather Johnson, Dillon Kirkland and Andreannas Blakes, Seth Meeks, Tomas Hanna Sudderth.



Woodwind Choir received a 1 – Jayson Dixon, Adilene Garcia, Lydia Gomez, Elizabeth Pereda, Casey Knight, Sarahi Saenz, Tori Ortiz, Tori Kathya Saenz, Kelsey Knight, Heather Johnson and Federico Solis.

### The Latest

Wednesday, March 10, is the day to register children for next year's Farwell School kindergarten, pre-K and Head Start classes.

Registration will be held from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Farwell Elementary School office.

For full details, see ad elsewhere in today's Tribune.

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Clarification: Farwell High grad Reace Bennett paid for the "Debra Medina for Texas Governor" ads that appeared in last week's Tribune.

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Wednesday – beefaroni, green beans, Italian bread, baked beans, pears, milk.  
Thursday – hot dogs, fries, baked beans, pears, milk.  
Friday – chalupas, LT, corn, apple, Rice Krispy, milk.

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## Heather Reed, Missionary

(Editor's note: Heather is the daughter of Kathey and Robert Adams, of Progress. She began in August a year-long mission trip to 11 nations and will send periodic updates to the Tribune.)

Still in Kenya:

Africans have no personal space. We would get into a 15-passenger van, called a matatu, that we would cram 26 people and a few babies into every day.

And they are very affectionate people. Our

contacts, two men, would regularly recline against each other while watching a movie in our home.

I also have learned a lot about hospitality from Africans. For example, our hosts moved out of their house into another house so that we could have their entire house at our disposal. Seriously, who do you know that would be willing to move out of their house on two days notice in order to house 14 youths who are traveling the world?

Women here carry water on their heads from the source to their homes, or wherever they need it. When we were working on the Sunday school classrooms and mixing concrete (nothing in Africa is easy), we needed to get about 800 liters of water. So we hired a local woman to carry water from the nearby well to the churchyard for us to use.

Originally she was hired to carry 30 jerry cans (20 liter jugs). When I realized how much she was going to have to carry, a friend and I started carrying with her. In one day we each carried 340 liters of water on our head (that is 17 trips with jerry cans).

We took bucket showers. This is where you carry water that has been drawn from the well in a bucket into the shower room and splash water on yourself while you

scrub down (if you are looking to pamper yourself, you can heat some water up on the stove and add that to your bucket ... really a treat).

Every child we saw on the streets asked "Mzungu ... how are you?" Some were even brave enough to come and shake our hands. Some, who were having their first experience with white people, were quite frightened by us. So they either loved us or were terrified of us.

## LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION FOR WATER QUALITY LAND APPLICATION PERMIT RENEWAL OF INDUSTRIAL WASTEWATER

Proposed Permit No. WQ0004816000

APPLICATION AND PRELIMINARY DECISION. AGP Grain Marketing, LLC, P. O. Box 2047, Omaha, Nebraska, 68103-2047, which operates Lariat Flaking Facility, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a renewal of TCEQ Permit No. WQ0004816000, which authorizes the disposal of water treatment wastes and boiler blow-down at a volume not to exceed a daily average flow of 12,000 gallons per day via evaporation. This permit will not authorize a discharge of pollutants into water in the State. TCEQ received this application on August 31, 2009.

The facility and land application site are located at the southeast corner of the intersection of Loop 403 and County Road DD, Parmer County, Texas 79325. The facility and land application site are located in the drainage area Double Mountain Fork Brazos River, in Segment No. 1241 of the Brazos River Basin.

The TCEQ Executive Director has completed the technical review of the application and prepared a draft permit. The draft permit, if approved, would establish the conditions under which the facility must operate. The Executive Director has made a preliminary decision that this permit, if issued, meets all statutory and regulatory requirements. The permit application, Executive Director's preliminary decision, and draft permit are available for viewing and copying at the Parmer County Courthouse, 401 3rd Street, Farwell, Texas.

**PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING.** *You may submit public comments or request a public meeting on this application.* The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or to ask questions about the application. TCEQ holds a public meeting 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.

**OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING.** After the deadline for submitting public comments, the Executive Director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. **Unless the application is directly referred for a contested case hearing, the response to comments will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments and to those persons who are on the mailing list for this application. If comments are received, the mailing will also provide instructions for requesting a contested case hearing or reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision.** A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court.

**TO REQUEST A CONTESTED CASE HEARING, YOU MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN YOUR REQUEST:** your name; address; phone; applicant's name and permit number; the location and distance of your property/activities relative to the facility; a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the facility in a way not common to the general public; and, the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing." If the request for contested case hearing is filed on behalf of a group or association, the request must designate the group's representative for receiving future correspondence; identify an individual member of the group who would be adversely affected by the proposed facility or activity; provide the information discussed above regarding the affected member's location and distance from the facility or activity; explain how and why the member would be affected; and explain how the interests the group seeks to protect are relevant to the group's purpose.

Following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the Executive Director will forward the application and any requests for reconsideration or for a contested case hearing to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting.

The Commission will only grant a contested case hearing 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 issues that were raised in timely filed comments that were not subsequently withdrawn. TCEQ may act on an application to renew a permit for discharge of wastewater without providing an opportunity for a contested case hearing if certain criteria are met.

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ACTION.** The Executive Director may issue final approval of the application unless a timely contested case hearing request or request for reconsideration is filed. If a timely hearing request or request for reconsideration is filed, the Executive Director will not issue final approval of the permit and will forward the application and request to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting.

**MAILING LIST.** If you submit public comments, a request for a contested case hearing or a reconsideration of the Executive Director's decision, you will be added to the mailing list for this specific application to receive future public notices mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk. In addition, you may request to be placed on: (1) the permanent mailing list for a specific applicant name and permit number; and/or (2) the mailing list for a specific county. If you wish to be placed on the permanent and/or the county mailing list, clearly specify which list(s) and send your request to TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

**All written public comments and public meeting requests must be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, TX 78711-3087 or electronically at [www.tceq.state.tx.us/about/comments.html](http://www.tceq.state.tx.us/about/comments.html) within 30 days from the date of newspaper publication of this notice.**

**AGENCY CONTACTS AND INFORMATION.** If you need more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call TCEQ Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. Si desea informacion en Espanol, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040. General information about the TCEQ can be found at our web site at [www.tceq.state.tx.us](http://www.tceq.state.tx.us).

Further information may also be obtained from AGP Grain Marketing, LLC at the address stated above or by calling Mr. Alan Mowery at (806) 251-1521.

Issuance Date: February 18, 2010

I love Africans so forward to more months much and am so looking of living in this culture.

## LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Comision de Calidad Ambiental del Estado de Texas

AVISO DE SOLICITUD Y DECISION PRELIMINAR PARA PERMISO PARA APLICACION DE LA CALIDAD DEL AGUA EN TERRENOS PARA AGUAS RESIDUALES INDUSTRIALES RENOVACION PERMISO NO. WQ0004816000

SOLICITUD Y DECISION PRELIMINAR. AGP Grain Marketing, LLC, P.O. Box 2047, Omaha, Nebraska, 68103-2047, que opera la planta de Lariat Flaking Facility, han solicitado a la Comision de Calidad Ambiental del Estado de Texas (TCEQ) por una renovacion para autorizar TCEQ Permiso No. WQ0004816000, cual autoriza la desposicion de las basuras del tratameinto de aguas Y de la caldera en un volume para no exceder un flujo medio diario de 12000 galones por dia via la evaporacion. Este permiso nos autorizara una descarga de contaminantes a las aguas de estado. La TCEQ recibio esta solicitud el August 31, 2009.

La Planta y el sitio de dispicion estan ubicadas en en el Condado de Parmer, Texas. La planta y el sitio de disposicion estan ubicados en la esquina sororient de la interseccion del lazo 403 y de la dd camino del condado. Condado de Parmer, Texas 79325.

El Director Ejecutivo de la TCEQ ha completado la revision tecnica de la solicitud y ha preparado un borrador del permiso. El borrador del permiso, si es aprobado, estableceria las condiciones bajo las cuales la instalacion debe operar. El Director Ejecutivo ha tomado una decision preliminar que si este permiso es emitido, cumple con todos los requisitos normativos y legales. La solicitud del permiso, la decision preliminar del Director Ejecutivo y el borrador del permiso estan disponibles para leer y copiar en Parmer County Courthouse, 401 3rd Street, Farwell, Texas.

**COMENTARIO PUBLICO / REUNION PUBLICA. Usted puede presentar comentarios publicos o pedir una reunion publica sobre esta solicitud.**

El proposito de una reunion publica es dar la oportunidad de presentar comentarios o hacer preguntas acerca de la solicitud. La TCEQ realiza una reunion publica si el Director Ejecutivo determina que hay un grado de interes publico suficiente en la solicitud o si un legislador local lo pide. Una reunion publica no es una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso.

**OPORTUNIDAD DE UNA AUDIENCIA ADMINISTRATIVA DE LO CONTENCIOSO.** Despues del plazo para presentar comentarios publicos, el Director Ejecutivo considerara todos los comentarios apropiados y preparara una respuesta a todos los comentarios publicos esenciales, pertinentes, o significativos. **A menos que la solicitud haya sido referida directamente a una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso, la respuesta a los comentarios y la decision del Director Ejecutivo sobre la solicitud seran enviados por correo a todos los que presentaron un comentario publico y a las personas que estan en la lista para recibir avisos sobre esta solicitud. Si se reciben comentarios, el aviso tambien proveera instrucciones para pedir una reconsideracion de la decision del Director Ejecutivo y para pedir una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso.** Una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso es un procedimiento legal similar a un procedimiento legal civil en un tribunal de distrito del estado.

**PARA PEDIR UNA AUDIENCIA ADMINISTRATIVA DE LO CONTENCIOSO, USTED DEBE INCLUIR EN SU PEDIDO LOS SIGUIENTES DATOS:** su nombre; direccion; telefono; nombre del solicitante y numero del permiso; la ubicacion y la distancia de su propiedad/actividad con respecto a la instalacion; una descripcion especifica de la forma como usted seria afectado adversamente por el sitio de una manera no comun al publico en general; y la declaracion "[Yo/nosotros] solicito/solicitamos un/a audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso." Si presenta por parte de un grupo o asociacion el pedido para una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso, debe identificar el nombre y la direccion de una persona que representa al grupo para recibir correspondencia en el futuro; debe identificar un miembro del grupo que seria afectado adversamente por la planta o la actividad propuesta; debe proveer la informacion ya indicada anteriormente con respecto a la ubicacion del miembro afectado y la distancia de la planta o actividad propuesta; debe explicar como y porque el miembro seria afectado y como los intereses que el grupo desea proteger son pertinentes al proposito del grupo.

Despues del cierre de los periodos para los pedidos y los comentarios, el Director Ejecutivo enviara la solicitud y los pedidos para reconsideracion o por una audiencia administrativa de lo contenciosos a los Comisionados de la TCEQ para su consideracion en una reunion programada de la Comision.

La Comision otorgara solamente una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso sobre los hechos reales disputados del caso que son pertinentes y esenciales para la decision de la Comision sobre la solicitud. Ademas, la Comision solo otorgara una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso sobre los asuntos que fueron presentados antes del plazo de vencimiento y que no fueron retirados posteriormente. **Si ciertos criterios se cumplen, la TCEQ puede actuar sobre una solicitud para renovar un permiso sin proveer una oportunidad de una audiencia administrative de lo contensioso.**

**ACCION DEL DIRECTOR EJECUTIVO.** El Director Ejecutivo puede emitir una aprobacion final de la solicitud a menos que exista un pedido antes del plazo de vencimiento de una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso o se ha presentado un pedido de reconsideracion. Si un pedido ha llegado antes del plazo de vencimiento de la audiencia o el pedido de reconsideracion ha sido presentado, el Director Ejecutivo no emitira una aprobacion final sobre el permiso y enviara la solicitud y el pedido a los Comisionados de la TCEQ para consideracion en una reunion programada de la Comision.

**LISTA DE CORREO.** Si somete comentarios publicos, un pedido para una audiencia administrativa de lo contencioso o una reconsideracion de la decision del Director Ejecutivo, la Oficina del Secretario Principal enviara por correo los avisos publicos en relacion con la solicitud. Ademas, puede pedir que la TCEQ ponga su nombre en una o mas de las listas correos siguientes (1) la lista de correo permanente para recibir los avisos de el solicitante indicado por nombre y numero del permiso especifico y/o (2) la lista de correo de todas las solicitudes en un condado especifico. Si desea que se agregue su nombre en una de las listas designe cual lista(s) y envia por correo su pedido a la Oficina del Secretario Principal de la TCEQ.

**Todos los comentarios escritos del publico y los pedidos una reunion deben ser presentados durante los 30 dias despues de la publicacion del aviso a la Oficina del Secretario Principal, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin TX 78711-3087 or por el internet a [www.tceq.state.tx.us/about/comments.html](http://www.tceq.state.tx.us/about/comments.html).**

**CONTACTOS E INFORMACION DE LA TCEQ.** Si necesita mas informacion en Espanol sobre esta solicitud para un permiso o el proceso del permiso, por favor llame a la oficina de Asistencia al Publico de la TCEQ, sin cobro, al 1-800-687-4040. La informacion general sobre la TCEQ puede ser encontrada en nuestro sitio de la red: [www.tceq.state.tx.us](http://www.tceq.state.tx.us).

Tambien se puede obtener informacion adicional del AGP Grain Marketing, LLC a la direccion indicada arriba o llamando a Mr. Alan Mowery al (806) 251-1521.

Fecha de emision February 18, 2010

## Lazbuddie lists honor rolls

Here's the Lazbuddie honor rolls for the 4th six weeks:

Elementary "A" -- Presley Agee, John Henry Schacher, Eric Bartley, Rebecca Berry, Coby Glover, Anita Martens, Preston Stewart, Sydney Urbantke, Devon Pacheco, Andres Solano, Cambree Glover.

Elementary "B" -- Garrison Bohler, Maribel Gomez, Eduardo Martinez, Jerry Reyes, Joshua Cox, Adrian Fernandez, Tyler Haseloff, Miranda Salazar, Avery Timms, Jesus Arreola, Marisol Gomez, TJ Ballard, Triston Bomer, Bernardo Lopez, Ginsyn McGehee, Casey Bartley, Ashley Scott, Karsyn Youngblood.

Junior High "A" -- Micah Vera, Lacey Jesko, Shyann Rainey.

Junior High "A-B" -- Iridian Fernandez, Juan Samarron, Austyn Steinbock, Albert Moran, Haley Beasley, Ashton Mason.

High School "A" -- Shea Scott, Jarrod Jesko, Carrie Beth Gilly, Cassidy Lowe, Lydia Campos, Katie Chavez, Kayle Jesko, Logan Mason.

High School "A-B" -- Jessica Estrada, Karina Galaviz, Ross Steinbock, Jordan Mason, Kylie McGehee, Todd Nichols, Joseline Garcia, Jordan Hernandez, Elias Ramos, Colton

## Texico graduate opens tanning, massage business

Kara (Jenkins) Crow has opened a tanning and hydro massage business at the Jenkins property 2 miles west of Texico and adjacent to Gallery Fifteen along the Clovis highway.

The costs are:

Tanning -- \$25 a month unlimited or \$3 a session.

Massage -- \$25 a month unlimited or \$3 a session.

If you want both, the cost is \$40 a month unlimited.

Also, if you bring children with, they will be watched while you get a tan and/or massage.

The business is open weekdays between 6:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. mt.

For more information, call (575) 309-8246 or (575) 229-0003.

### Marriage License

The Parmer County clerk's office last week issued a marriage license to John Hansard and Melodee Lamb.

## LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Farwell Convalescent Center  
Equal Opportunity Statement

Farwell Convalescent Center provides inpatient nursing care and rehabilitation (therapy) services and outpatient rehabilitation (therapy) services without regard to race, color, religion, national origin or gender.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Education of Texico, New Mexico, will meet in session at the Texico Educational Complex at Texico, New Mexico, on Monday, March 8, 2010, at 7:00 p.m. MT for the purpose of determining, pursuant to Chapter 91, NMSA 1978, what shall constitute reasonable notice to the public of the meetings of said Board to be held during the 2010-2011 school year.

In addition to the above item, we will have on the agenda regular business items.

R.L. Richards  
Superintendent

Kindergarten, Pre-K and Head Start Registration  
Wednesday, March 10, 2010, is the day to register children for next year's Farwell School kindergarten, pre-K and Head Start classes. Registration will be held from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Farwell Elementary School office.

All children who will be four and five years of age by Sept. 1 and live in the Farwell School District need to register for next year's classes. To register, a child must have immunization records, state copy of birth certificate and Social Security card.

Requirements to be eligible for pre-K and Head Start, a child must be four years old prior to Sept. 1, is unable to speak or comprehend the English language, or is from a family whose income, according to standards set by the State Board of Education, is at or below subsistence level (eligible for free or reduced price lunches), and is a resident of the Farwell School District.

Head Start requires income verification (check stub), Medicaid/TANF.

Texas school districts are required to provide pre-K if 15 or more students are identified.



# Cemetery board report given

The Texico City Council on Feb. 23 received the annual report from the cemetery board.

At least two Confederate soldiers from the Civil War are buried in the Texico Cemetery. The total number of veterans buried there are about 100.

The Clovis VFW Post supplies small flags that are placed at their graves on Veterans Day and Memorial Day.

The cemetery board members thank all volunteers for their help over the years. A cemetery workday is scheduled for May 22.

Maria Leavell gave the financial report for the cemetery board.

In other business, the council:

-- Heard Councilman Doug Scioli report that a Bike Rally will be held June 5 at the fire station.

-- Planned to meet with the engineer later this week to discuss where to put sludge from the sewer plant project.

-- Was told that Texico School will put in a new manhole at their expense near the new cafeteria --

pre-K building. This was okayed by the council.

-- Discussed a possible reduction in flood insurance for the town.

-- Heard that the Maria Estrada trailer on the south side of town has been removed.

## The Latest

Registration for the 2010 baseball season for Farwell Little League will continue through March 12.

Notes have been sent home with area Texico-Farwell school children.

For other information, call Teresa Mesman at (806) 825-3830

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Lazbuddie's boys golf team took 2nd with 377 at Friday's Tulia Meet.

Scores were: Todd Nichols, 84, tie for 2nd; Kayle Jesko, 89, 4th; Justin Schacher, 98, and Colton Weaver, 103.

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Texico High senior Blynn Sharp received a scholarship from the New Mexico Cattle Growers Association.

She has served as a state 4-H Diplomat and state 4-H treasurer and held offices in the local 4-H Club. She has served as chapter and district FFA sentinel and is a member of Texico's state champion cheerleading team.

She plans to major in business at West Texas

	26 year Avg '84-'09	2008 Rain Totals	2009 Rain Totals	2010 Rain Totals
January	0.43	0.03	0.00	0.87
February	0.38	0.15	0.41	1.22
March	0.94	0.08	0.30	
April	0.83	0.63	0.48	
May	2.13	1.58	0.79	
June	2.37	2.01	1.22	
July	2.04	3.29	5.15	
August	3.35	5.41	2.07	
September	2.08	0.94	1.63	
October	1.74	3.73	2.02	
November	0.62	0.07	0.11	
December	0.67	0.07	0.40	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>17.56</b>	<b>18.19</b>	<b>14.58</b>	<b>2.09</b>

Courtesy of Lonnie McFarland of Farwell.

A&M.

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The Wilbur-Ellis auction on Monday raised a record amount for the Texico and Farwell FFA chapters -- \$31,480.

This came despite the

fact that some Farwell folks attended the Steers basketball game that night in Lubbock. Many of them called in donations to the auction that day.

Also, a cake was sold for more than \$1,000 as a fund-raiser for the Elida

ag teacher who is awaiting a kidney transplant.

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Former Farwell and Bovina Coach Ontiveros was at the Farwell-Seagraves Monday. He is an assistant principal at Seagraves High.

## March 8 is deadline for election signups

Local Texas elections will be held in May and the signup deadline is March 8.

Here's a look at the Farwell races:

Farwell Hospital District Board -- all four incumbents have signed up for re-election: Troy Christian, Peggy Sudderth, Bert Williams and Chad Byrd.

Farwell City Council -- all three incumbents have filed for re-election: Gary White, Johnny Vidaurri and Ysleta Kittrell.

Farwell School Board -- three persons have filed for the open two seats: Gary Patterson and incumbents Kendall Devault and Molly Stancell.

## Bovina Banter

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bun, hamburger, peas, potato wedges, cottage cheese, tossed salad, fruit cocktail.

Friday -- tuna sandwiches, pepperoni pizza, potato chips, tossed salad, corn, cottage cheese, apple sauce.

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Bovina School's Spanish class will be competing in the Spanish Festival sponsored by ENMU in Portales on Friday. Our students have done wonderful in the past.

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Coach Guevara wants to extend a big "thank you" to all the volunteers who helped make the 1st Bovina Power Lifting Meet a true success.

There were so many who helped clean, cook, serve, set up, work tables, and so much more that we can't even think of. An event like this takes an enormous amount of work but, of course, our wonderful town comes through again. The blessings this town gives are too big to count.

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Officer Abel Rios has left the Bovina Police Department and relocated. That leaves three officers here.

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God Bless and have a great week.

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Interesting Fact of the Week: The first American to advocate daylight savings was Benjamin Franklin. He realized in 1784 that many people burned candles at night yet slept past dawn in the summer, wasting early-morning sunlight.

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## Thank you

What a wonderful community we live in. Thanks so much for the cards, food and, most of all, prayers.

We love each and every one of you.

*The Teague family*

## 50 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

Charles Stockton's 19 points lead Wolverines to district tourney title.

E.L. "Carby's TV" opens in Farwell.

Orie Jones' car takes Sweepstakes Award at car show in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Klump celebrate 50th wedding anniversary.

John Getz drops out of Farwell School Board race.

Fleta Terry is named president of Parmer County Delta Kappa Gamma.

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## STEED-TODD

### Funeral Home

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## Demolition ordered

Property located at: 103 North Street, Bovina, TX 79009

Legal Description: Block 2, Lot 1-3 and E. 20' of 4 Bovina, TX 79009

Hearing held on February 23, 2010

The Bovina City Council found that the building located on the property to be substandard and 50% deteriorated; followed with a vote to order the building demolished. The owner will be given 30 days to take action.

A copy of the order can be obtained at: City of Bovina, 205 North Street, P.O. Drawer 720, Bovina, TX 79009.

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 Rob Hollis - minister  
 Sunday School - 9 a.m.  
 Worship-10:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday - 7 p.m.

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**Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church**  
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
 Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

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**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.

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**First Baptist Church Of Bovina**  
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship - 11 a.m.  
 Wednesday worship & youth, 7 p.m.

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**Farwell Convalescent Center**  
 Sunday services -- 9 a.m.  
 Bible study - 9:30 a.m. Friday

**Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church**  
 Worship Service -- 9 a.m.  
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.

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**St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat**  
 David Symm - minister  
 Worship Service - 9:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.

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**Pleasant Hill Baptist Church**  
 Jim Peabody - minister  
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship-10:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. winter  
 7:30 p.m. summer

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**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

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**Iglesia Bautista Hispana in Bovina**  
 Rafael Marin, pastor  
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship - 11 a.m.  
 Wednesday worship, 7 p.m.

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**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.

**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.

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**Lazbuddie Methodist Church**  
 Rev. Ken Peterson  
 Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m.  
 Worship -- 10:30 a.m.

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**San Jose Catholic Church, Texico**  
 Sunday Mass - Noon  
 Religious Education - 1:15 - 2:15 p.m.  
 Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.

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**Church of Christ**  
 110 Ninth St.  
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
 Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
 Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer  
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**Bovina United Methodist Church**  
 Sunday School - 9:45  
 Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
 Wednesday study, 7 p.m.

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**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

**First Baptist Church of Lazbuddie**

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**Church of God in Christ Mennonite Farwell Country Church**  
 James Koehn, Orie Nightingale - ministers  
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
 Worship Service - 11 a.m.

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**First Baptist Church of Farwell**  
 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.  
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**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.

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**New Light Missionary Baptist Church**  
 Rev. Briyan Phillips Sr.  
 Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mst  
 Worship - 11 a.m. mst  
 Bible Study - Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. mst

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**St. Ann's Catholic Church**  
 Rev. Wm. Yeddapanalli  
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## Bovina Banter

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Band Director Brad Walker reports that the planned spring trip to South Padre Island has been postponed – enough funds haven't been raised yet.

It's hoped that a year from now it will work out.

So, in May, the band will attend the Greater Southwest Music Festival in Amarillo and visit other sites while there.

The Bovina Band will head to the UIL concert and sight reading contest at Sundown on March 11.

Walker and Farwell Band Director Bill Shelly have been complaining to the state band association for some time that it's not fair for Class 1A Band students to compete with Classes 2A and 3A in contests.

Walker has found that only about 5 percent of the students in the All-State Band are from Class 1A.

So ... the state board of directors that run the All State Bands have agreed to form a committee (and Walker was named one of its members) to look at the current format and see if it needs changing.

## City Council discusses property condemnations

The Bovina City Council on Feb. 23 discussed condemning two properties.

One is at 809 Ave. I. The property owner is Robert Tienda.

He appeared at the meeting and said he plans an outside cleanup and to board up the windows. He plans to get a building permit for the work and asked for an extension until July. The council approved this request.

The other property is at 103 North St. The property owner, Shane Hart, did not appear.

## Band to play at banquet

The Bovina Chamber of Commerce will have some special entertainment for this year's banquet.

The Mighty Mustang Band will perform three selections from its UIL competition: "Mustang Sealey", "Pinnacle" and "A New World Adventure."

The band is directed by Brad Walker.

The banquet will be held March 20 at 7 p.m. at the school cafeteria. Tickets are \$5 and are available from Chamber members and at the Bone Joint Clinic.

Bovina's Middle School tracksters participate in the Chieftain Relays in Friona on March 4.

Varsity tracksters vie in the Farwell Invitational Meet on March 5.

There have been two signups so far for the May city election.

Vicente Terrones and David Curtis have signed up to run for City Council and Mayor Stan Miller has filed to seek re-election. Both are two-year terms.

City Council incumbents are Curtis and Jessie Stone.

The signup deadline is March 8.

A.L. Hartzog, of Bovina, has been recognized by the American Angus Association for having one registered Angus in the group's annual report. Running Water Land & Cattle was honored for having three.

First Baptist Church will have "Girls Night Out" on Monday March 8 at 6 p.m.

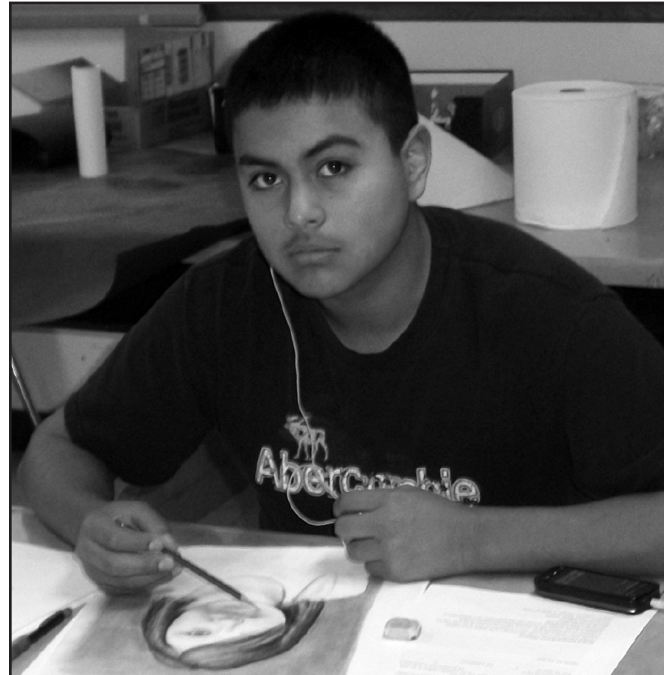
Michelle Hromas and Michelle Woods will host it.

Three Bovina School posts are on the May bal-



Artists in action

Bovina High art student Kim Elam airbrushes a skateboard as part of a regional art contest.



Abdiel Ramos draws a graphite picture of one of his fellow classmates. (Pictures by Chad Taylor)

lot, with the signup deadline of March 8.

Signing up so far are Diane Heard, George Villarreal and incumbent Richard Carson.

School lunch menus for next week:

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

Tuesday – beef stew, hamburger, cottage cheese, cole slaw, tossed salad, cinnamon rolls, fruit.

Wednesday – meat & cheese nachos, pepperoni pizza, pinto beans, tossed salad, juice bars.

Thursday – chicken on

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Bovina, Lazbuddie JH girls in action



council will post condemnation proceedings in the Tribune and give the property owner 30 days to show some improvement on the property or proceedings will continue.

In other business, the council:

-- Received the annual racial profiling report from Police Chief Gary Sinclair.

-- Ordered the May city election. Also on the ballot will be a vote on renewing the quarter-cent sales tax. This tax expires every four years and must be voted on again.

-- Approved the Bovina Economic Development Commission's grant of \$9,000 to remodeling the Scandia Wind Project building in Bovina.

-- Cast its votes for Tom Ware to serve on the Parmer County Appraisal District Board.

-- Received information on three police policies – disciplinary process, firearms and other weapons, and use of department vehicles. These were tabled until the next council meeting so councilmen could review them first.

-- Set the next council meeting for March 11.

-- Heard that a second Town Hall meeting will be held on March 9. The same information given at the February Town Hall meeting will be given again – but in Spanish. Spanish-speaking City Hall employees will be there to give information to Spanish-speaking residents.

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## Bovina's powerlifting team in action



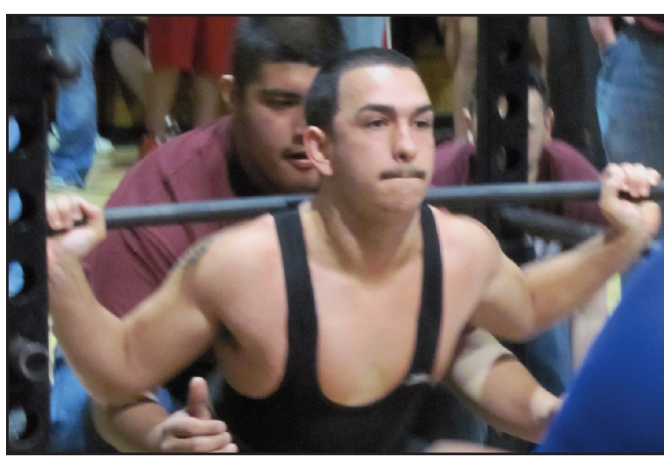
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Bovina medal winners were, bottom row from left, Juan Pinela, Jorge Luna and top row, Andres Duarte, Alicia Lopez, and Daniel Hancock.



Alicia Lopez



D.J. Hancock

## Duarte, Lopez, Hughes qualify for Regionals

Bovina High qualified three Regional qualifiers from Saturday's power lifting meet it hosted.

Heading to Regionals will be Andy Duarte, Alicia Lopez and Pady Hughes.

Top Bovina lifters at its meet were:

### Boys

### Boys

Andy Duarte, 2nd, 114-lb. class, with total lift of 670 lbs.

Juan Pinela, 5th, 114-lb. class, with total lift of 560 lbs.

Jorge Luna, 5th, 132-lb. class, with total lift of 745 lbs.

### Girls

D.J. Hancock, 4th, 165-lb. class, with total lift of 925 lbs.



Anthony Ortiz



Dorian Vela



Andy Duarte



The Bovina High powerlifting team. (Photos by Deanna Curtis)

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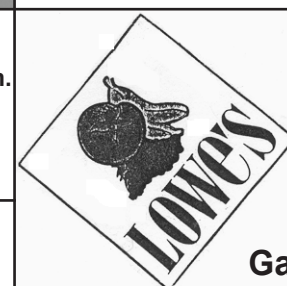
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