# Border Banter 

By Mike Pomper

Community
center needs
your assistance
Commercell Chamber of benefit luncheon for the Fa well Community Center on Sunday, March 15.
This is an important fundraiser that I hope folks will at tend.
The benefit will take place at the community center from 11 a.m. to $2: 30$ p.m
will be catered by Cattle call will be catered by Cattle Call of Amarilo. It also includes beans, potato salad, cole pickles, peppers, apricots, and coffee. and coffee

The cost is $\$ 7$ for adults in Tickets for children, the door 12 is $\$ 4$. Children under 3 can eat for free.

Takeout places are available for the same prices. Where are tickets avai and from a bunch of folks: You can get tickets from Chamber members, ESA Sorority members, Beta Sigma Phi sorority members, or at most businesses around town, such as the State Line Tribune, Hughes True Value, $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Stateline Drugs, Farwell } \\ \text { Banking Center, } & \text { Security }\end{array}$ Banking Center, Security
State Bank, SherleyState Bank, Sherleyern Wear Farwell Country Club and Farwell Convalescent Center
It is very important that head count so they can let the caterer know how much food is needed.
So if you live out of town and can't get in right now to buy your tickets, please call one of the ticket sellers listed above and reserve your ticket. This will be a big help!
Folks, rarely will you see me write my column about a fund-raiser. Normally, they are news stories and featured Isewhere in the Tribune.
But this particular fundraiser is a very important one. And it needs your support.
Farwell is very blessed to have a community center. The state doesn't give grants for such items for small towns, so funds have to be raised lo cally.

Remember when it was a bowling alley? Remember
back in the early 1980s the back in the early 1980s the city to buy the facility and turn it into a very-much-used community center?

Farwell has been proud of that center. And periodic upkeep is needed. The city doesn't have extra funds available for such a project pitch in.
As you know, I'm a great believer in participating when your help is needed for a community project. It's a chance when everyone can stand up and be counted. Last year, the Texico Farwell Rotary Club, spear headed by Jimmie Mace, used its manpower to put on a new being conservative) to the city was $\$ 10,000$ by that splendid act of volunteerism
Now it's time
Now it's time to upgrade About $\$ 15,000$ is needed. A


Ben Oppliger

## Farwell student

 opens web site on the InternetWhile most junior high students' range of computer ex perience climaxes at typing their book report or "Stunts" racing games, one local boy is taking advantage of all tech nology has to offer.
Ben Oppliger, son of Don and Joi Oppliger and an eighth grader at Farwell Junior High, recently created his own website on the Internet. Since its appearance on the 'Net the site has already received over 16,000 hits.
"It gets about 1,000 a day," Ben said. The site has a counter which records every time someone calls up his ad dress.
Although Internet use is becoming increasingly more common, the idea of a personal web page is still a nove concept to many people. Ben notes that it is relatively simple to get started.
"You just go to certain sponsors like Geocities and they offer you free web pages," he said. "There's one main page but you can create others branching off."
Ben's site is about professional wrestling. He collected information from around the web to put in his pages. Periodically he updates the reports, schedules, picks, themes, profiles, and movies that comprise his site. Win profesBen's pages provide interest and info for fans everywhere Ben's pages provide interest and info for fans everywhere. who want to check out Ben's work, his address is http://www.geocities.com/Colosseum/Sideline/6063/index.ht

Having his own website with such outstanding popularity has been fun for Ben. It's a possibility he could start another one, but keeping his current one up-to-date keeps him busy presently.
However, Ben's attempt proves that the wide world of computers can offer more to ordinary people than one migh initially expect. Happy surfing!

# Christian elected Texico mayor <br> One of the most discussed 

races in recent memory came to a head Tuesday in th Texico city Clectistian elected mayor with 92 was electer Max Carter who received over
47. In all, 141 persons voted 32 percent of the registered voters. This was a very high turnout for a Texico election. The mayor spot was vacan
since Nathan Tharp decided not to seek re-election to it. Mrs. Christian is a former
longtime city clerk longtime city clerk-treasurer. Also elected were the three
current city councilmen who current city coun
were unopposed:

## were unopposed:

Eddie Dunsworth, who re ceived 105 votes; Oran Jay Autrey, who got 109; and Dean Henninger, who had 86

## Lady Wolverines fall to Navajo Prep at state

The Texico Lady Wolver-
ines fell in the first round ines fell in the first round of the state playoff the defending Class AA champions, the Navajo Prep Lady Eagles, 76-52. As reported by Rusty Rucker and Don Roberts: The game was marked by pressure defense by by pressure defense by
both teams and a lot of
 votes.
$\begin{array}{cc}\text { Scoring } & \text { were } \\ \text { Stacy } \\ \text { Stewart, } & \text { 13; }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Stewart, } & 13 ; \quad \text { Marcia } \\ \text { Brigham, } 3 ; & \text { Brittany Brad- }\end{array}$ Brigham, 3; Brittany Brad
ley, 1; Marcia Marlow, 16 ley, 1; Marcia Marlow,
and Kristin Roberts, 19 . and Kristin Roberts, 19
Marlow had 14 bounds, Roberts, bounds,
Rewart 6,
Rrysta Morts,
Morris, 5 Texico, the 3 rd ranked team in the state, finished the campaign at 22-6.

## FFA annual $B B Q$, benefit upcoming

Wilbur Ellis Co., of Farwell, and the Texico and Farwell FFA chapters wil have their annual BBQ and benefit auction on Monday at 7 p.m. at the Farwell Community Cen-

The meal will be catered by Dyer Barbeque of Amarillo. Besides have a huge amount of great items to be auctioned off, a silent auction also will be held.

All area persons interested in helping the FFA youngsters, and also who can get some great bargains, are urged to attend.
Chemical companies and local businesses have donated ag chemicals, fertilizsupplies, household goods supplies, household goods, tire repair and balance, front tire repair and balance, fron ners and much more to be ners and off.

## Health Fair

scheduled
The second annual community health fair will be held March 12 from 5 to 7:30 p.m. at the Farwell
The fair is bein The fair is being held in Schools' annual open Farwell which begins at 6 p.m. at all three campuses.
Representatives of home health agencies, hospitals, medical supply and pharmaceutical companies will be present, as well as health care providers.
Ared items for nated items for drawings of door prizes.
And refreshments will be

## ENMR offers free phone services

Starting with this issue of the Tribune, ENMR Telephone
Cooperative will be running a series of ads throughout March and April outlining the many new services it is offering. They are called Advanced Class Calling Services.
ENMR is allowing Farwell, South Clovis and Pleasant Hill subscribers to try all the class calling features without a charge in March and April as a way of introducing them.
That's right -- these services are free for two months. To sign up for the program, check out the ad in today's Tribune. Here's a rundown on the services offered:
Caller ID, number only -- This allows you to see the number calling before you answer.
Say you are waiting for an important phone call and the phone rings. You can immediately see who is calling before you decide whether to pick up the phone.
Persons who sign up for one year of Caller ID get a free Caller ID display unit.
Auto recall -- If you get to the phone after the person calling has hung up, you just press a number to find out the number the person calling.
Anonymous call rejection -- This allows you to refuse calls from those who have blocked their own numbers from appearing on your Caller ID display
To activate this system, all you have to do is press a certain
mber; press another number to cancel.
Callers who are rejected receive a message which says you on't accept anonymous calls and suggests they remove blocking and call again
Auto callback -- This allows you to get through to busy numbers as soon as they are free.
If you keep getting busy signals from a number you are trying to call, just dial a certain number on your own phone and it will keep checking the busy line for up to 30 minutes by itself. When the number becomes available, you will hear a special ring. As soon as you pick up the phone, the call automatically is placed for you.
vou are making other calls.
Distinctive ringing -- This allows you to know when some
one special is ringing.
By entering a certain number, you will receive a distinctive ring from persons whose numbers you have activated in you own phone. You can put up to 15 numbers on your "VIP" list. Selective call rejection - This allows you to decide which calls you will take.

You dial a certain number, and your phone blocks calls from specific numbers. Everybody else can get through. The callers you don't want to talk ham not accepting calls right now.
So when you hear the phone ring, you don't have to won put up to 15 numbers on your rejection list.
Selective call forwarding -- This allows you to decide which callers should follow you to another number.
turnovers in both directions. Texico fell behind early but fought back hard in the third $q$
$\qquad$ baskets to widen their lead. Texico was down 20-8 after the first quarter and $35-18$ at the half. But Texico won the 3rd quarter by an 18-14 margin.


If you are spending time on the road or at a friend's house, you can tell your phone which calls to forward. The important calls will ring through to you, and you won't be bothered by the rest.
Selective Call Acceptance -- You can instruct your phone to ring for only a few special callers, and block out the rest. Those blocked out get a message suggesting they call back later -- and your phone doesn't ring! This gives you conrol over the calls you receive, a very nice feature while you sleep.
Call Trace -- This allows you to identify the harassing callers. You no longer have to tolerate any suspicious, obscene or annoying calls.
If they occur, hang up and deal a special number. ENMR has a record of what number called you. If you decide to fol low up, the authorities will use the traced number to find out where the
pen again.

## More candidates file for Texas elections

The filing period for Texas local elections is under way,
with the last day to file March local
with t
18.

The election will be May 2. Here's a look at the filings as of Tuesday:

Farwell City Council Incumbents are Martin Kube, Don Geries and Ysleta Kittrell. Filing so far are
trell and R.C. Davis.
Kube, who has served on Kube, who has served on
the council for 12 years, is not expected to seek re-election. Farwell School Board

Incumbents are Ronald Byrd and Gary Patterson. Both incumbents and Dr Nancy Chasteen have filed District Board
District Board Tom Nichols, Bert Williams, Peggy Nichols, Bert
Sudderth and Beth Harring Sudde
ton.
Filin Filing so far are Williams and Mrs. Sudderth.

Lazbuddie School Board Incumbents are Tomm
Clair and Rick Seaton.

ward achieving that total and it's hoped that this benefit ingredient in the drive's suc Have you used the munity center in the comyears? Are you proud few this little town has such that facility? Then please buy a ticket you are participating in that ing a good thing going.

As longtime readers has occurred in professiona sports -- players leaping from one team to another, search ing for the almighty buck. I long for the days when great players and their teams were synonymous. Gehrig of the Yankees. Musial of the Cardinals. Banks of the Cubs. Aaron of the Braves. Snider of the Dodgers. Mays of the $\mathbf{G i}$
ants. ants. Those days were great. Today it's more like "Canseco and the A's, the Red Sox an the Blue Jays.

Thus, I no longer have the Thus, I no longer have the sports that I once did. Especially baseball.

With its pricing system only the teams that can spend big bucks are going to make it stroying the game.
What happened with the "World Champion" Florida Marlins last fall was a travesty of sports.
he couldn't put out money he couldn't afford to buy the then unloads them -- and the team!
$\qquad$
My sports enjoyment nowadays turns toward high Watching players have a good ime make these games far more interesting than viewing the "hired guns" you have in the professional ranks.

But I still enjoy watching
sional players. A Michael Jor- After Bryant announced he dan, for example, is a thing of would jump from high schoo beauty to behold. to the NBA, I saw clips of him Speaking of Jordan, I've on TV. He showed outstand read where he had a great ing talent.
NBA All-Star game, especially So when he was drafted taking on the rising young high in the first round by the star Kobe Bryant of the LA Charlotte Hornets, I said to
myself, 'way to go, Charlotte Lakers. $\begin{aligned} & \text { myself, } \text {, way to go, Charlotte } \\ & \text { You just got yourself a fran }\end{aligned}$ Ever wonder how a peren- chise player for years to ial contender like the Lakers
nom? Then you can imagine my I watched this story unfold. surprise when I read that the
 Drager.
Texico names top spellers
Texico Jr. High and Ele- at the Curry County Spelling mentary held their annual Bee to be held at Clovis spelling bees Feb. 23.
In the junior high division, champion and 7th grader Ben Black was runner-up. Zane Drager, an 8th grader, was named runner-up.
The top two finishers in the elementary bee were 5th Josh Pena.
The top two winners in each bee will represent Texico Community College Town Hall on April 7 at 8 a.m.

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Lakers had traded for him, idiots at Charlotte for letting a giving the Hornets a trio of draw like Bryant get away.
able players, but no stars. able players, but no stars. The LA general manager is the Lakers of thing is why the great Jerry West, the best the Lakers are up in the pure shooter I have ever seen standings each year, while All the credit in the seen. teams like Charlotte languish All the credit in the world should go to him for making down in the standings. Ever watch those NBA

## Fire Calls

| The Farwell ambulance was called out twice. | Avenue A. No transfer was made. |
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| On Feb. 26, it took a per- | Farwell firemen were called |
| son from the Farwell Conva- | to a trailer fire at 204 7th St. |
| lescent Center to Muleshoe | Tuesday afternoon. The fire |
| ospital at 9:43 a.m. | started under the porch and |
| On March 2 at 4:18 p.m., it | spread along the grass. The |
| as called to the 600 block of | door was burned. |

their logo -- the silhouette of a player? Ever wonder who it was? That's Jerry West, folks. was? That's Jerry West, foiks.
So, a smart move by Mr West, combined with the ability of Big Market LA to pay the Shaq a fortune, have combined to make the Lakers the Team of the Coming Decade. I'm going to predict righ now that the Chicago Bulls won't repeat, even with the Greatest Player Who Eve Played, plus the return of All Star Scottie Pippen and the good behavior of the best re bounder in the game, Dennis Rodman.
My pick for this year? Well, the Lakers are the team of the future, but for this year mark down the Utah Jazz

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## Texico takes on Mora in regionals at Cimarron

## Wolverines tip Jail for district tourney crown

The Texico Wolverines not only play for the regional used a strong th quarter tourney title, but automaticomeback to win the district cally advance to Albuquerque tournament championship Jail and Texico have had over Jail Saturday at Jail, 60- close games all season.
58. In their first district tilt, Ja won, 57-56. Then Texico re turned the favor, winning 70 69.

Since the two teams tied for first in regular district play, they had a playoff at Ja with Texico falling, 70-67. Texico's turn in the sun Mexico's turn in the sun.
Deep into the 3rd quarter


Scott and Cameron Richardson.

## Lazbuddie honors four students

February Students of the Month have been announced at Lazbuddie Junior High and high school.
Josh Morris, 16 , is the son of Melvin and Vickie Morris. He likes Mexican food, root beer, the TV show "Drew Carey" in dustrial technology, roping, playing sports, the color maroon, and the book "The Hobbit.
Crystal Scott, 14, is the daughter of Terry and LaDonna Scott. She likes chicken strips and Dr Pepper, the movie Titanic", the song "My Heart Will Go On", the TV show "Ally "Savage Gardens", and the book "Ill Be Seeing You."
Cameron Colt Richardson, 14, is the son of Andy Richard son and Cathy Robertson. He likes Italian food, large amounts of black Forger's coffee, the song "Memory Remains", the movies dealing with the "Star Wars" trilogy, the TV show "Seinfeld", history, football, reading, the color green, the musical group Metallica and the book "Treasure Island."
Kelsey Jones, 13, is the daughter of John and Becky Jones She likes stir fry and apple juice, the song "My Heart Goes On", the movie "Con Air", the TV show "ER", sports, the colo red and the book "The Face on the Milk Carton."

Farwell Junior High School top reading students honored

Thirty-eight Farwell Junior High students enjoyed pizza in Clovis on Feb. 26. They were members of winning Accelerated Reading groups or high point winners from their respective reading classes:
th grade - Raquel Cabello, Kevin Cochran, Chad Bentley Danielle Edwards, Tara Cargile, Casey Meeks, Chrystal Wo ven, Taylor Nichols, Jordan Barrett, Kenzie Gabriel, Ben Op pliger, Jessica Chandler, Gaylen Sudderth.
th grade - Edy Gomez, Chip Gain, Jere Coleman, Amanda Armstrong, Lacey Actkinson, Meagan Norton, Nico Soto, Mark White, Randy Armstrong, Josh Curtis, Jeff Davis fth
6th grade - Melinda Smith, Candace Walker, Tasha Adams Jose Cavell, Jain Schilling, Erik Bray, Khallie Foison, Danio Kaltwasser, Tara Schilling, Erik Bray, Khallie Foster, Fermi Reyes and Grant Gregory

Meet Texico's Class of 2010

Eliza Longoria is a Mexico kinder artener. Her birthday is Oct. 9. Josie Longoria. Also in the family are Jose, Vicky, Alex, Candace, Gus and Abraham. Grandparents are Alejandro Sr. and Olga Longoria. favorite color is yellow. His favorite food is pizza.

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of Saturday's game, it looked bleak for the Wolverines, as they had fallen behind by 11 points. But they fought back ending the 3rd period down by a $46-38$ score.
Coach Richard Luscombe reported that Jail had shot very well in the ord quarter and its usual game plain g up its usual game
But in the final period Texico's guards started pencerating Jar's zone defense betbuckets and Mel Askew added a 3 pointer and the game was a 3 point
close.
With 6 seconds left, Tobie Askew sunk a free throw to put the Wolverines up by 2 .
Texaco then managed to deflect a Jail pass, giving Ja just a sliver of a chance to tie or win the game. And Jap's last second desperation shot missed.
Scoring for Texico were Mel Askew, 12; Tobie Askew 18; Pecos Chumley, 11; Matt Holguin, 12; Seth Kettering, 4; Jake Boazman, 2; and Adam Soboleski, 1.
Texico hit 17 of 31 2-point shots and 4 of 183 pointers (2 each by Holguin and Mel Askew).
Tobie Askew had 3 steals and Mel Askew had 4 assists. Mel Askew and Chumley both had 9 boards, with Tobi Askew pulling down 7

In order to make it to the
district tourney final, Texico Cain, 2; Phil Peabody, 3, and tries and had 10 of 133 point-
first had to defeat Loving last Eric Stanley, 10. week, 85-70. Scoring were Mel Askew, 14; Tobie Askew, 12; Brandon Audrey, 1; Chumley, 11; Ronhie Clark, 2; Holguin, 22; Ket Toxico jumped out to a 21 -
 and basically maintained that margin throughout the remainder of the game
Texaco hit 17 of 322 point
ers fall. Holguin hit 4 of 5 point attempts and Mel Askew was 3 of 5 from that range. Mel Askew led with 8 as sists, and Chumley had 4. Holguin had 3 steals. Me Holguin had 3 steals. Mel
Askew with 7 rebounds.

Wilbur Elis Co. of Farwell
invites the entire community and area residents to the annual

## Barbeque \& Benefit Auction

to raise funds for the
Texico \& Farwell FFA chapters
Monday, March 9th -- 7:00 p.m. cst Farwell Community Center

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## Mora tops Lady Wolverines for regional title

The Mora Rangerettes dereated the Texicold at Texico on ines, 73-44, for the regional championship held at Texico on Saturday.

The Lady Wolverines, 22-5 on the season, headed to Albuquerque to play in the state playoffs Wednesday and to take on Navajo Prep in the first round. Navajo Prep is the defending state champion.
Mora dominated two quarters of the game to build up their lead, as both teams substituted freely toward the end of the game. Scoring were Bobbie Williams, 2; Stacy Stewart, 3; Kris-

## Scholars listed

Here are the 4th six

## high and high school: "A" Honor Roll

6th grade - Shonnah Black, Katy Loudder, Robby Martin Shawndee Nichols, Bethenie Sanchez, Sterling Via
8th grade .- Savannah Black, Jay Seaton, Candice Ran dolph.

9th grade - Kati Mimms, Crystal Scott.
10th grade - Amy Angeley, Scottie Brown, Bobby Martha, Veronica Mata, Leah Turner.
11th grade -- Seth Black, Holly Engelking, Jill Hodges, Joshua McDonald, Josh Morris, Kia Morris, Cade Morris, Shena Seaton.

12th grade - Don Burch, Brice Foster, Deon Gallman, Chris Smith, Jason Thomas, Cameron Turner, Roxann Warren.
"A-B" Honor Roll
6th grade -- Violet Aguilar, Suzanne Aragon, Kelli Harris, Kera Lewandowski, Nicole Lewandowski, Amanda Martinez, Michelle Scott, Kolby Wilkerson
7th grade -- Brittany Brakebill, Lucas DeLeon, Andy Martin, Andrew Martinez, Brady Mimms, Michelle Puckett, Marisol Robles.
8th grade - Jeffrey Guillen, Kelsey
Michael Martinez, Shannon Redwine.
9th grade - Kendra Gallman, Tray Thorn, Laura Via.
10th grade - Randy Bohler, Desirae Brakebill, Michael Carson, Aspen Hendickson, Jason Jesko, Zulema Marquez, Brandon Randolph.
11th grade -- Andy Johnson, Rachel Rodriquez, Adam St.
12th grade - Brice Redwine, Blanca Pacheco, Tracy Damron, Heather Hudson, Sarah Cardona, Melissa Aguirre.


## ten Roberts, 23

any Bradley, 3
It was a strange game in that both teams played evenly for two quarters (the 1st and 3rd) while Mora completely dominated the other two (the 2nd and 4th).
The first quarter was nip and tuck. A Roberts' free throw gave Texico the early $8-4$ lead. But Mora went on a 6 -point run. Texico managed to take its last lead of the game at 17-16 on a 3 pointer by Stewart. The quarter ended with Mora, a tall and ented team, up by a single pint, 19-18.
But the second quarter belonged to Mora. Texico was only While the Mora defense shut down and two from Williams. While the Mora defense shut down Texico, Mora scored on
several fast break baskets to build a $40-27$ lead by halftime.
The third quarter was like the first, with both teams trading
The third quarter was like the first, with both teams trading
baskets. Texico's full court pressure caused several Mora turnovers. Texico won the quarter, 14-13, as Mora maintained its lead, 53-41.
Then Texico picked the wrong time to go into a scoring drought. The Lady Wolverines didn't score until 2:10 was left in the half, when Brittany Bradley sank a bucket. She also had a free throw about a minute late for Texico's only points in the entire quarter. Meanwhile, Mora had some hot shooting as the Rangerettes pulled steadily away.
Lady Wolverines knock off Clayton
The Texico Lady Wolverines won the opener of the regional district tournament last Friday, defeating the Clayton Yellow Jackets, 51-44,
state playoffs.

The victory improved Texico's record to 22-4
The win over Clayton was an uphill battle as several Lady Wolverines got into foul trouble early in a close-called game by three referees. This meant that the "bench" had to step ferward, and it did. Reserves contributed key points and kept Texico in the game.

## Come In Today!

New Spring Arrivals Denims -- Radical Rags

Scoring for Texico were Bobbi Williams, 1; Stacy Stewart,
10; Marcia Brighm 10; Marcia Brigham, 9; Callie Rucker, 4; Kristen Roberts, 4; Krysta Morris, 3; Shayna Lewis, 3; Marcia Marlow, 16, and
like its previous
Like its previous game against Eunice, Texico fell behind early. But a 3 -pointer by Morris gave the Lady Wolverines their fortunate to lead by that margin as the first quarter was since the to lead by that margin as the first quarter ended shat stanza.
Action pi
Action picked up in the second quarter as the teams traded fense hindered Texico's star center Marcia Marlow as the Lady Wolverines tried many outside shots. Texico took an 18-14 lead on a Rucker jumper at 5:00. But then the fouls began to hurt -- as Roberts, Lewis and Marlow had to sit out due to having 3 fouls each. Meanwhile, four Clayton players had two fouls apiece.
In the last five minutes of the second quarter, Texico only scored two points, on free throws. Clayton pulled ahead, going into the half up by $25-20$.
The third quarter was a time for trading baskets. Both teams started hitting, but Texico could not get any closer than one point. The quarter ended with Clayton still ahead by 4 points, 36-32.
After a bucket and two free throws by Marlow to open the final quarter, a basket by Roberts tied the game at 38 -all. But Roberts fouled out soon afterward. Midway through the quarter, Texico took its first lead in a long time, 41-40 on a 3 Texico had its.
Texico had its lead increase on free throws by Marlow and layup by Brigham, to boost the lead to $45-40$ with $2: 13$ left. layton closed the score to 45-42, before a string of Texico ther than to foul and try to get the ball back. had no chance other than to foul and try to get the ball back.

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## Sheriff'c Repart

> Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Rex On Feb. 23, Pam London, 35, Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of theft by worthless check. In county court, she paid restitution, court costs and was fined. On Feb. 25, David Gibson, 18, and Donald Gibson, 18, both of Clovis, were arrested by the Farwell police on a charge of burglary of a habitation. The cases are pending before the grand jury.
> On Feb. 26, Nicholas Spearman, 18, of Colorado, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of burglary. The case is pending in district court.
> On Feb. 28, Rafael Meza, 25, Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of DWI. The case is pending in county court.
In 2
> In 287th District Court on Feb. 27 with Judge Jack Young presiding:

> Adrian Gomez, 18, of Friona, charged with robbery, was sentenced to 2 years in the Texas Department of Corrections adjudicated for 2 years; $\$ 166.50$ court costs, $\$ 500$ fine, $\$ 848.78$ restitution, and 200 hours of community service.
> - Nathan Dryer, 27, of Friona, charged with theft, a Class "B" misdemeanor, was sentenced to 6 months in the Parmer County Jail, adjudicated for 6 months, $\$ 3241.25$ court costs, -- Detria McIntosh, 20, of Texico, charged with burglary of a building (the Farwell Country Club), was sentenced to 2 years in a state jail facility, $\$ 166.50$ court costs and $\$ 500$ fine.


Students recognized
Students of the Six Weeks at Farwell Junior High are, front row left, Waylon Bowery, James Diaz and Brody Norton; back row, Khallie Foster, Rosario Loera and Amanda Kyle.

## McMeans to headline

 1st Baptist Church revivalEvangelist Dr. Steve Baptist Church of Littlefield McMeans, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Dalhart, will vival at the First Baptist vival at the First Baptist Everyone is invited
The music evangelist will be Lyndsey Bloodworth, minister of music at the Firs

The schedule is Sunday, March 8: 11 a.m lowship meal ; noren, fe lowship meal; and 6 p.m.
evening service. Monday through Wednes Monday through Wednes day, March $9-11$, noon, mea ing services.

## Engagement told

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Haseloff and Mr. and Mrs. Marty McGuire announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy
Dawn Haseloff, to Bryan Roach, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Roach
The wedding will take place on March 28 at 3 p.m. at St. John Lutheran Church of Lariat.
Matron of honor will be Leane Hardage. Bridesmaids will be April Sharp, Shawna Edwards and Andrea Kirkland.

The best man will be Derick Herrington. Groomsmen will be Joey Hargrove, Lonnie Cross and Jeff Romans. Flower girls will be Kayla Roan Krista Roach. The ring bearer will be Mason Burke. The candle lighter will be Megan mcGuire.
organist will be Irene Jones. Ushers will Cunningham. The organist wime Shawn Burke. Shae McGuire will hars will be Billy Roach and Shawn Burke. Shae McGuire will handle the guest register. berly Roberts, Claudio Perez The following marriage li - and Dora Silva, Brock Baker censes were issued in the and Carol Jones, and Donny Parmer Countv clerk's office Lang and Esperanza Reyes.


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## Sorority hears

## about hummingbirds

The Theta Rho chapter of ESA met in the home of Tracy Devault on Jan. 26
The program was an informative look at hummingbirds. Dan True, a local hummingbird enthusiast, displayed his personal slide show and shared his vast knowledge.
The ladies discussed ways to help with the community center enovation. A committee was formed and will stay in touch with the renovation team.
Plans were also made for delivering valentines to local shut-
The chamber banquet committee discussed the tentative date of the banquet and decorating ideas.
Attending were Tracy Devault, Pam Carpenter, Melissa Carpenter, Sheryl Christian, Roberta Howard, Tammy Jones, Margaret Aycock, Tamra Cooper, Robin Howard, Susan Williams, ot Christian, Killie Christian, Sherry Christian, Terri Nichols, and Denise Christian
New dairy cooperative looks to stabilize milk prices
On Jan. 1, four major dairy cooperatives merged together to form Dairy Farmers of America DFA. Consolidating were: Mid-America Dairymen Inc., Associated Milk Producers In
Milk Marketing Inc. and Western Dairymen Cooperative Inc. One of the first actions that DFA directors took was to he assure some stability in the milk price paid to dairy farmers. DFA chairman Herman Brubaker pledged his organization will support the implementation of a $\$ 13.50$ price floor for the Federal market order Basic Formula Price (BFP) for Class I and II milk. The DFA board, which met in Kansas City on Feb. 4-5 Order Reform process set for completion by April 1,1999. An emergency hearing in Washinton D.C. took place Feb. 17 with Brubaker and DFA vice chairmen Carl Baumann and Charles Beckendorf attending as lead witnesses.
The dairy co-op has a strong case for the price floor. Currently the BFP is $\$ 13.25$ per hundredweight. "We're not talking about a significant price increase for consumers," said Brubaker. "What we want to do is protect dairy farmers from the steep swings in prices and give some price stability during the reform process.
Dairy farmers across the nation have suffered financially because milk prices, in many instances, are below the cost of production. In addition, the adverse weather conditions in many parts of the country have hurt production and increased feed costs, making it even more difficult for dairy farmers to stay in business.
He also noted that, for years, the Federal government provided a government purchase program that cushioned the seasonal economic fluctuations of dairy pricing. "As governdated in the 1996 Farm Bill, dairy prices have become extremely volatile," said Brubaker. "Farmers in other sectors of agriculture received transition payments to ease their financial risk and help them adjust to reduced government support. We are just asking for this temporary floor on dairy prices as a way to reduce price volatility and help dairy farmers make the difficult transition to a market system that is not dependent on government intervention.
In other business, DFA recently completed the formation of joint venture with the New Zealand Dairy Board. This venture will process and market grated Parmesan and Romano cheeses. The two components of the venture are DFA and Milk Products Holding (North America) Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of the New Zealand Dairy Board.
"This joint venture recognizes the rapid changes taking place in the global dairy markets," said Lonnie Spurgeon, DFA chief operating officer for Italian cheese, butter and dry milk products. Jim Hepburn, chief execulive officer of MPH (North DFA and the shareholders of MPH an opportunity to work of gether in their common interest to expand the markets for dairy products.

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## Boll weevil threat worsens

News from the Texas Agricultural Service:
South Plains cotton growers, who thought the boll weevil invasion was bad last year, can expect an even heavier assault by the insect this year, warns entomologists with the service.
Part of the projected increase is because the continuing buildup of weevils means that there are more to go into diamilder than the preceding winter and the survival much overwintering boll weevils is skyrocketing, said Dr. James Le ser, an extension service cotton entomologist. The survival rate is much higher than we've seen in the last few years.
Scientists have been monitoring the survival at research sites placed in various types of overwintering habitat for the pest. Cages containing 50 weevils each are buried in overwintering habitat, collected periodically and searched for dead and live weevils.
Leser said that on Feb. 18, in a prime habitat site, they found 58 percent survival, compared to 3 percent last year.

Mark Williams presented the program about the increasing boll weevil threat on Wednesday at the Texico-Farwell Rotary Club meeting.

 the Excel Corp. plant. Fund-raisers for this year discussed. Also, plans once farmed in this area.



He said farmers in Bailey and Parmer counties, plus two or three other counties, were trying to form a state-approved region for the purposes of spraying to
sect that harms cotton Attempts at a large Paps
Attermion have failed due to in this fight. That problem continues to this day, preventing widespread cooperation and coordination. The cost involved to fight the weevil is ers have the money, some don't
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## Lorenzo halts

## Lazbuddie

The Lazbuddie Longhorns 123 -point attempts in the first fell in the Class 1 A regional half. They were knocking quarterfinal on Tuesday at Shallowater to Lorenzo, 65-43. It was a great season for the Longhorns who finished
with a 19-7 record, and claimed the district, bi-district and area championships. Lorenzo used pressure and quickness to turn back the tall Longhorns.

Scoring for Lazbuddie were Brandon Foster, 6; Adam St. Clair, 6; Josh Mor-
ris, 4; Chris Smith, 2; Cade ris, 4; Chris Smith, 2; Cade Morris,
21 , and Jason Thomas, 21.

The Longhorns' game plan was to get the ball into the post and Thomas hit 9 of 16
shots from the floor, plus 3 of 6 from the free throw line. But Lorenzo's pressur made the difference as the Longhorns turned the ball over 28 times.

Lorenzo shot out to a 21-7 lead after the first quarter and was never headed. The mar Lazbuddie couldn't get closer than 12 points behind during the second quarter
The Longhorns were cold from the 3 point line, going 0 for 9, while Lorenzo was 3 of
Lazbuddie was called for 20 fouls, while Lorenzo was only whistled for 11.
Lazbuddie won the rebounding battle, $34-28$. Lorenzo is now $28-4$ on the season.

The Longhorns captured the Area Championship last
Friday with a $72-61$ win over Friday with a $72-61$ win over Booker at Pampa.
The win improved
Lazbuddie's Lazbuddie's record to 19-6. It was a close game at the half with Booker ahead by a single point, 32-31.
But then Lazbuddie made some defensive adjustments and shut down its foe in the
third quarter, 21-9 third quarter, 21-9.
Both teams tallied 20 points in the final quarter. Booker, which finished its
season at 14-14, hit on six of


McDonald cited
A.D. McDonald, a member of the Texico-Farwell
Rotary Club for 33 years, was honored Feb. 25 when was honored Feb.
he received the Paul Harris Fellowship Award. During his club membership, he has a 98 percent attendance record. McDonald is a retired Texico school superintendent. Kyle \& Robin Beckner General insurance has been writing insuranc 400 Pile St., Suite 300
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Singleterry takes first place
Sam Singleterry, son of Gary and Kay Singleterry, received first place in the Farmers' Electric Cooperative 1998 Government in Action youth tour contest.
Sam, a Texico High junior, and a Me
ished second, will visit Washington, D.C
The tour will begin with an orientation dinner June 4 in irving, Texas. Buses will depart for Washington the next day. The winners will tour historical sights in and around Washington, including Arlington National Cemetery, the Smithsonian Institute, the FBI building, the National Archives and Mount Vernon.

Students also will visit with New Mexico's congressmen and receive a tour of Capitol Hill. They will also attend a stage play at Ford's Theater and place a wreath at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.
On June 16, participants will return to Clovis. About 1,100 youth tour participants from 37 states are involved in this Na tional Rural Electric Youth Tour

Also participating in the Farmers' Electric contest was Texico's Trace Lockmiller.

## '3 Unusual Days' to be theme

Jack Exum will speak March 6-8 at the Ninth Street Church of Christ in Farwell. The theme will be "Three Unusual Days." The program consists of (all times are cst):
March 6 -- 7:30 p.m., "Amazing Grace: God's Power To Be". "How the Holy Spirit Works"; 6 to $7: 30$ p.m. "How to $\mathbf{S t a y}$ How the Holy Spirit Works"; 6 to 7:30 p.m., "How to Stay Married and Love Every Minute of It".
12:15 p.m. "The Grace of Giving"; $12: 15$ P.m. Iunts"; 11 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., "M. "M., lunch; and 1:15

## Courthouse Notes

The following warranty deeds were recorded in the Parmer County clerk's office last week:
Noe Lara - Marcelo Vidana, E $1 / 2$ Lot 1, Blk. 60, Bovina Jon Roden - Ricky Roden, N 7 ft. Lot 4 and S 62 ft . Lot 5 BIk. 1, Carson Addition, Friona.
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Erra Jamerson - Ricky Jamerson, part of Sec. 9, T6S;R3E Bertha Dutton - Ken Jamerson, part of Sec. 10, T6S;R3E

## Farwell participates in "Wish" program

Farwell Schools will participate in a "Kids for Wish Kids" program on Monday. This is a benefit for the Texas chapter of the Make-A-Wish Foundation.
Farwell Schools will do a change war by classes from
March 9 through March 12. March 9 through March 12. There will be Hat Day, for \$1, o the 10th, ice cream cones at noon on the 11th and a bake sal during open house on the 12th.
Farwell Elementary School 4th grade teacher Robin Gregory is the school coordinator on this project. Proceeds go to helping the Foundation grant a wish to a child who has a life
threatening illness. threatening illness.
Grants are given to children between the ages of $21 / 2$ and
18 , with 9 being the ava 18, with 9 being the average age of a child being helped. ginning in 1984. At present, they are 457 wishes since its bethe top 55 counties of the Panhandle.




## Setter 7a The Editar

## Dear Editor,

We would like to give our views on the crisis that the Farwell ambulance service is facing. Aloha has been a member of the Farwell volunteer fire department for four years and certified for three years. Paul has been a member for five years and certified for four years.
As of this date, there are only four certified Emergency Medical Technicians on the service. We feel that all four of us are professionals and give the best quality care and treatment oo all patients we transport. The EMS field is constantly changing and we must keep up with the put before dard of care. dard of care.
In the Clovis News Journal, Farwell Mayor Jimmie Mace stated, "...the youngsters are taking things
times. The bottom line, I guess, is attitude."
We consider ourselves as a part of this younger generation and all four certified people on the service are, also. Anyone can visit our meeting on Thursday nights and they will find that about 50 percent of those attending fall under the "younger" category.
We have brought ideas and suggestions before the city council and the mayor that would possibly benefit in helping with these problems the department is facing. We have asked for help in attaining higher certification to benefit the community and upgrade the training.
Another suggestion was to receive our Continuing Education hours through the Internet, which would be more flexible in the times the hours are attained. The EMS field has slowly become a difficult field to stay a volunteer. Most volunteer services have resorted to charging for their ambulance runs which was another suggestion, to offset the cost of maintaining equipment and supplies and training, to keep the service egal.
Apparently, these suggestions have fallen upon deaf ears. All volunteers give their time to help people in a crisis situation. We take away from our jobs, spouses, children and sleep. In order for our service to be successful, we need many operates in a professional manner and has the top level of operates in a professional ma
care that we can possibly give.
care that we can possibly give.
So put the challenge to your city council. And don't be So put the challenge to your city council. And don't be afraid to ask hard questions and make sure you get the an-
swers. Also, to the employers of this community, if you have an employee that wants to volunteer and become certified, let an employee that wants to volunteer and become certified, let your life one of these days.
Sincerely,
Paul and Aloha Fulcher

Well, it takes more time to become a certified EMT-B than anything else does, but to maintain your certification just requires you to go and sit in on some classes somewhere. There are classes at the Clovis Community College each semester, which offer 8 hours a week that you can use toward maintaining your certification.
You have to be willing to put forth a little effort to maintain these hours. We have got to give these people our appreciation for the time they devote to stay certified to help others, when they are not being paid for doing so.
We have four people who are certified at this time to serve you with two certified people that just recently quit because of the troubles going on. People need to remember that we are olunteers until the tones go off, and then you are a PROESSIONAL and the people deserve nothing less.
To quote the mayor's words, the elderly either have died or gotten too old, and the youngsters take things for granted sometimes -- this really disturbed me. My feelings on this is that both young and old have quit the department or just quit groups we the youngsters, are not trying to do thing two groups. We, the youngsters, are not trying to do thing way but by the way the state regulations say we must.
The EMS field changes every day and you must stay up with today's standard or pay the consequences. "You don't farm a field with the same equipment and knowledge that you did 20 years ago and expect to keep up with everyone else did 20 years ago and expect
you will just get left behind."
In response to hiring some full-time employees, I would In response to hiring some full-time employees, I would paid for it, but can we truly afford to pay people $\$ 20,000$ to $\$ 40,000$ a year to have someone here? I don't think so. De$\$ 40,000$ a year to have someone here? looking at these kind of figures, and to raise taxes. Well, I feel my taxes are high enough.
My suggestion all along is to get the people that are interested in the medical field and let's start charging for our am bulance runs so we can keep them going. You don't want to lose your ambulance service because you won't miss it until you need it and it's not there.
These problems extend a lot further than just the EMS side; they also extend into the fire side. Think about the last time the guys showed up to a fire and how many of them really

know what they are doing? Just because you volunteer doesn't mean you don't have to train with the equipment. The time to train is not at the scene.

I apologize for any trouble or toes I may have stepped on, but I may need the help of the volunteer department some day and when you show up at my house, you better know what you are doing

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 481 9240 or any other member. Also please feel free to call your city hall with any concerns you may have. Paul Adams


Farwell Schools Open House Thursday March 12th Starts at 6 p.m. The Farwell Schools' teachers, administrators, staff and students cordially invite the public to visit the elementary school, junior high school and senior high school at our annual open house.

Dear Editor,
I read the latest two articles in the paper concerning the Farwell fire department. It appears some people are finally acknowledging there is a problem that has been around for a lo longer than most people realize.
I would like to respond to the letters by first agreeing with the mayor's response to the need for more volunteers. When the biggest portion of your volunteers work on farms, have calls with a 2-minurk in Clovis, it is very hard to answer the and caring people in the community to come forward and help us. I know any time we go on something major that the by standers always are willing to help and their help is always appreciated, but in some situations, without the knowledge, you can get someone hurt.

What does it take to become certified and stay that way?

[^1]The community with the greatest paid pledges will receive a video of their community and a traveling trophy

GOD'S PREDESTINATION
A previous article pointed out that God made choice (elected) Jacob over Esau to be leader of a nation. God has made many decrees, involving good people and bad people. At times He was employed wicked men and nations to accomplish His purposes
He did not make them wicked: when they made themselves He did not make them wicked: when they made themselves
wicked, He appointed them for use. Page Pharaoh and Judas. God chose Israel to be His special people; and the Levites for a special ministry (Deut. 7:6; 18:5). Saul of Tarsus (Paul) was specially elected for the Apostleship (Gal. 1:15,16; Acts 26:16).
This lesson deals with eternal salvation. God is no respecter of persons (Acts 10:34). He does not arbitrarily choose on man and reject another for eternal redemption. True, God predetermined before the foundation of the world that Christ should be the means of salvation to all who accept Him (1 Pet. 1:20). God did not pre-determine which individuals should enter Christ: He did
decree that those who enter Christ should be saved (Gal. $3: 26,27$ ). decree that those who enter Christ should be saved (Gal. $3: 26,27$ ).
So, one in Christ can say, "I was chosen and foreordained to eternal life before the foundation of the world by the decree of Almighty God" (Eph. 1:1
Christians are God's elect; they are brethren beloved (1
Thes. 1:1-4). Man is chosen of God if man chooses to accept Christ (Eph. 1:4). The elect are foreordained by Good to be conformed to the image of His Son (Rom. 8:28f). Man is called by the gospel (2 Thes. 2:13f). The gospel
reveals four parties to reveals four parties to election: God foreknows; the Spirit sanctifies; man obeys and the blood of Christ cleanses (1 Pet. 1:1,2).
Man definitely has a part: a most vital role! "Make your calling and Man definitely has a part:: a most vital role! "Make your calling and
election sure" (2 Pet. $1: 10)$ ! God often has acted arbitrarily. But in the matter of eternal
redemption, He made a determination which involves man's redemption, He made a determination which involves man's
determination; God made a choice which involves man's choice.
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## ‘Colleen’s' secret uncovered

(Editor's note. U.S. Navy Commander Will Anderson, a Farwell ifigh graduate, is the son of Bob and Carrie Anderson. Periodically, over the years, he has sent articles about
his postrigs as features for the Tribune. Currently, he is his postirigs as fea
stationed in Guam.)

## By Will Anderson

It was June 22, 1945, on the airstrip at the northern end of Guam, which would later be called Andersen Air Force Base. On this day, the lines of the Army Air Corps' new B29 longange bombers were all roaring to get airborne. Each heavy bomber carried a full load of fuel to cover a more than 2,000 mile round-trip journey, and a full load of bombs, to strike at the home islands of Japan. All of these warplanes carried crews of 11 men, pilots, navigators, bombadiers and gunners. On their noses, on either side of the forward machine gun turret, were painted the names of wives or girlfriends or long-lost
pets. One of these bombers was named "Colleen."
The Imperial Navy and Army of Japan had fought desperately to stop the invasion and capture of these Mariana Islands the year before, for one very strategic reason. From
these islands, the U.S. Army Air Corps had, for the first time in the war, islands on which it could build airfields that put the he war, islands within range of heavy bombers. This daily bombing was meeting less and less resistance from Japanese fighters after the capture of Iwo Jima, a small island much loser to Japan, from which the Army Air Corps fighter aircraft could launch to accompany the bombers on their raids.
The destruction of all Japanese shipping by the U.S. Navy' submarines had broken the back of the Japanese war effort, and the daily destruction delivered from the B29s were softening up the nation for an invasion. Now that the war in Europe was over, all the might of the U.S. was going to be required to defeate the tenacious and proud forces of Japan. Very few people in the world at that time knew of the new weapon being developed in New Mexico - -the atom bomb, which would be dropped on two Japanese cites by a B29 launched from one of the Mariana airfields in less than two months. And no one in the world knew that the destructive force of this weapon would end Japanese resistance almost immediately.
Certainly no one on Guam knew these things, no one on the airfield or in Colleen or any of her sister bombers. Instead, it was just another routine bombing run in a war that stretched year after year of such work.
Colleen's time for launch came around in the sequence and she lumbered down the runway. She gained speed to propel her off the end of the runway and over the edge of the cliff, skirting the trees and climbing to altitude over the Philippine Sea to join the formation forming in the skies.
However, something was wrong. Her No. 1 engine malfuncDropping his bombload into the sea and jetisoning fuel to re duce weight, the pilot returned to the airfield for an emergency duce weight, the pilot returned to the airfield for an emergency landing. The first approach was too high and Colleen pulled out of the flight pass to make another pass. However, in the
limited visibility, the pilot failed to see an obstruction in his path until the last mile path until the last moment. His efforts to surge the aircraft dropped over the edge of the cliff and into the rock and jungle
below.
When emergeny teams reached the crash site, they found that the tail gunner had survived, and they removed the bodies of all the aircrew they could find in the wreckage. But there was a war going on, and missions still to fly. Amid all the ac tivity and the news eight weeks later that the war was over, the Colleeen was all but fogotten.
But Colleen had a secret. Two men, the pilot and co-pilot, remained in the shattered cockpit. The warplane served as their tomb.
The jungle has a tendency to swallow up just about every thing in a short while. The airplane soon was covered, forgot ten. Then last year, Senior Master Sgt. Dan Works, of Andersen AFB, was with some friends for a day's trek through the jun gles beneath the cliffline. They found the Colleen and climbed hrough the wreckage.
A called in to identify the remains of the men. They completed
their task in February. An honor guard carried the coffins to a waiting plane which headed east to the U.S. so these two young men would finally find their resting place, at home.

## Crystal Irwin chosen <br> Student of the Month



Maj. Gen. John R. Dallagher, 13th Air Force com Honor Guard Airman Jonathan Davis, Blue Knights Honor Guard, present a wreath to one of the two B29 crew members honored Feb. 12 during a Departure of
Remains ceremony in Guam. The crew members were Remains ceremony in Guam. The crew members were
killed in the June 1945 airplane crash. The airplane was discovered in June and the remains were recovered in February.

Crystal Irwin was chosen
by the faculty of Texico Junior High as January Student of the Month.
Crystal is the daughter of Laverne Guitierrez of Texico and Drew Irwin of EI Paso. Crystal's favorite subject in school is math and her hobbies include competing in math and spelling competitions, doing various activities outsided, and talking with friends.


Crystal Irwin

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## Evangelist:

Dr. Steve McMeans
Pastor of First Baptist Church Dalhart

## Music Evangelist:

Lyndsey Bloodworth
Minister of Music of First Baptist Church Littlefield
Sunday:
11:00 a.m. ----------------- Morning Service
12:00 p.m. ------------------- Fellowship Meal
6:00 p.m. ------------------ Evening Service

## Monday - Wednesday

12:00 p.m. ---------- Noon Meal \& Service
7:00 p.m. ---------- Evening Services


## A last look at the 1997-98 Lady Blue

Although the Farwe varsity girls basketball playoffs, make the stagh ness of their district, they did have a super season, ending with a 21-7 record.

- Photos by J.R. Ivins



## The Satest

The 49th annual ENMR Telephone Cooperative anmembership meeting is er April 18 at the Farwell co-op members and encouraged to attend.
Member registration starts at 8 a.m. cdt and ends at 10 a.m. The business meeting tarts at that time,
The meeting will include board of directors elections, reports of officers, directors and commitees, and presenFoundation Scholarship winoundation Scholarship winAls.
Also, door prizes will be given away and lunch will be

Three posts on the Parmer County Hospital District are on the May ballot. Incumbents re Anne Corn, Dennis An-
hony and Dr. Dale Schueler. ospital. The deadline is March 18.

Alpha Rho Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met on Feb. 12 at the home of Cynthia Thigpen
Stephanie Cullison preented the program on making your own greeting cards

The s
end the dinner theater on March 17.

Army Pvt. Juan Maldonado has arrived at Fort Sill, Okla basic training. graduate is the son of Juanita Maldonado, of Texico
missioners have given verba approval for Pct. 3 commis sioner Jerry Davis to buy a used pickup truck for his precinct.
The to cussed topic had been dis cussed during commissione court meetings.
Farwell Schools were re cently honored for an out standing safety record by the North Texas Educational In surance Association at the in Austin in Austin
Farwell was a Gold Award for the district amounting to 28.75 percent of funds re served for potential claims expenses. Savings for the expenses. Savings for the
$1996-97$ school year totalled 1996-97
$\$ 29,634$.


Farwell School Supt safety award.

The Twin Cities received a nice snow shower last Friday night that left a thin covering following morning.

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neration do the Parmer County Commissioners reEach commissioner re ceives a base salary of \$15,893.04.

## In add

sioner receives $\$ 400$ mis month travel allowance. Together, their annua payments total $\$ 20,693.04$. As do all county employ ees, extra pay is given for longevity
Anyone working for the county at least five years receives an extra $\$ 50$ per month. This includes elected officials.
If it's over 10 years, they get $\$ 60$ extra per month; 20 years, $\$ 70$ per month; and 30 or more years, $\$ 80$ per month.

There was an article in the Lubbock newspaper last week about a neighbor being a suspect in the 1992 death of 5 year old Shawnlee Perry, of Earth.
The article quoted former Lamb County Sheriff's Deputy Tracy Bridges, who also has Sheriff's D Parmer County Sheriff's Deputy
Linda Moss just returned

## Farwell Monday -chili with crack ers, tossed salad, fruit salad

 ers, tossed salad, fruit saladchocolate cake, milk.
Tuesday - cheeseburger LTOP, tater tots, cherry cheese cake, milk.
Wednesday - fried chicken with gravy, mashed potatoes with gravy, mashed potatoes,
tossed salad, hot biscuits, orange half, milk.
Thursday .
Thursday. fish with tarter
sauce, macaroni and
sauce, macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, hot rolls, sliced
applie, milk. applie, mik.
Friday - sub sandwich, letchips, chocolate chip cookie, pear half, milk.
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Monday - frito pie, sun-
shine corn, salad shine corn, salad, peach
crisp, milk. crisp, milk. Italian spaghetti,
Tuesday Tuesday - Italian spaghetti,
green beans, fruit, garlic green beans, fruit, gariic
bread, milk.
Wein, Wednesday - roast turkey
mashed potatoes with gravy mixed veggies, strawberry shortcake, hot rolls, milk. Thursday - grilled cheese
sandwich, chicken noodle soup, sliced carrots, peaches, crackers, milk.
Friday. BBQ on a bun, french fries, pickle spear, SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS
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from a trip to Las Vegas, Nev
Eric Haselkamp, the for
eign exchange student from Belgium who is attending had some visitors lat this term, had some visitors last week his parents.

The Haselkamps were Pan on a tour of the area by visited included Monk. Sites visited included Albuquerque gordo, Palo Duro Canyon Alamo Lubbock.
The vis

The visitors also attended the annual Texico-Farwell Rotary Club winter banquet at the Cannon Air Force Base officer's club on Feb. 26.

At the banquet, Terry Lusk
ceived the club's Buckaroo award for club service in 1997.
members themselves.
High school seniors may
Five Area Telephone Coat the high school coun- operative informs folks that selor's offices in Friona, they may receive soliciation Bovina, Farwell and Lazbud- calls from people identifying die. Farwell and Lazbud*** the company. $\qquad$ Please be aware they are stored in the Ogallala Aquifer not affiliated with our com will be discussed at the Great pany. We are not doing any 12 in Lubbock. not contracted with anyone to The registration fee is do any solicitation on our be$\$ 125$. For more information, half," said Five Area officials. contact the Texas Tech Water if contacted this way, Resources Center at (806) ately.


## PUBLIC NOTICE



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Nominations For The Farwell Chamber Of Commerce
Man of the Year $\qquad$
Woman of the Year $\qquad$
Agriculturalist of the Year $\qquad$

List your reasons for nominations on a separate sheet of paper and mail to: Farwell Chamber of Commerce, Box 1005, Farwell TX 79325.


In back row from left, Chelsee Nichols, Ana Hernandez, Samantha Sterling, Kyra Kimbrough; in front, Stefanie Welker, Andrea Solano and Riley Smith

Lazbuddie Elementary names
Students of the Month
School are:
Pre-k: Andrea Solano, daughter of Maria and Osvaldo Solano.

Kindergarten: Riley Smith, son of Randy and Terri Smith. 1st grade: Stefanie Welker, daughter of Ralph and Nancy Welker.
2nd grade: Chelsee Nichols, daughter of Mike and Sherri Nichols.
3rd grade: Kyra Kimbrough, daughter of Kyle and Kim
Kimbrough. Kimbrough.
4th grade: Samantha Sterling, daughter of Bill and Susie Sterling.
5th grade: Ana Hernandez, daughter of Simona and Ramon Hernandez.
Honor students announced
The Lazbuddie Elementary School 4th six weeks hono rolls have been announced:

2nd grade - Crescent Craw Honor Roll
 Hendrickson, Chelsee Nichols, Brianna Sanchez, Brittney Schacher.
3rd grade -- Castle Crawford, Jennifer Pesch, Amberlee Steinbock, Montana Steinbock.
5th grade -- Kaylee Burnett, Christopher DeLeon, Matthew Gammon, Mandy Haney, Brett Mimms.
"A-B" Honor Roll
2nd grade -- Joaquin Campos, Jonathon Lennon, Regina Mata, Megan McGuire, Esteban Pacheco, Shayla Scisson, Rochelle Smith, Rowdy Smith, Dakota Williams.
3rd grade - Bryce Haney, Kyra Kimbrough
4th grade - David Campos, Felicia Glover, Kirby Kim brough, Roper Smith, Richard Welker.
5th grade - Tayn Burnett, Tanner Gartin, Bessie Hendickson, Ana Hernandez, Susie Juarez, Matthew Myers, Cory Puckett, Garrett Scisson, Melanie Winders.

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Meet Farwell's Class of 2010 Guadalupe Merino is a Farwell Ele
mentary School kindergarten pupil His birthday is July 26.
He is the son He is the son of Raul and Trini Me rino and the grandson of Eloisa Ma-
drid Cipriano Enriquez and Matild drid Cipriano Enriquez and Matild
Burciaga Cruz Merino. He has a sis ter, Yesenia Enriquez, and a brother Jorge Merino.
He likes to ride his bike and play Nintendo.
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## Christian, Roberts elected to co-op board

As always, a huge crowd was on hand Tuesday night for the annual membership
meeting of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative at the Bull Barn in Hereford.
A total of 1,525 meals were served folks at the 60th annual meeting.
Jerry Roberts was elected to Position 1. He was unopposed. He lives in the Simms community in north west Deaf Smith County. There was a contest for position 2. Incumbent Vick Christian defeated Gary Gober. Christian, of Oklahoma Lane, is a farmer. He has served 12 years on the Parmer County Farm Bureau and also has served on the Parmer County Tax Appraisal District.


Gober lives and farms six totaling $\$ 1$ million were re- of operation from $\$ 3,083,000$ miles southwest of Bovina. turned to co-op members for in 1996 to $\$ 1,204,069$ in 1997.
$H e$ is a board member of the all of 1985 and part of 1986 . Green Bean Growers Asso- Income and profits were served a meal of fish, beef ciation and is a $4-\mathrm{H}$ parent down in 1997. Total income and chicken. Entertainment leader. During the business part of
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## The Classifieds




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## 19-7

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Area
Regional
Lazbuddie 68...................Texline 36

The 1997-98 Lazbuddie Longhorns varsity basketball team consisted of, back row from left, Chris Smith, Jason Thomas, Adam St. Clair; middle row, Josh Morris, Robert Nail, Don Burch, Seth Black; front row, Dustin Weir, Brandon Foster, Brice Foster and Deon Gallman. Not pictured is Cade Morris. The team was coached by Phil Warren

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[^1]:    Watch for Texico Chamber of Commerce members on KENW-TV (Channel 3) on March 9 from 5:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. mst during the PBS membership drive.
    Help us promote our community and PBS.

