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Borden Coyotes and Lady Coyotes Sweep Relays, Repeat as District 7-A Champions

The Borden County Coyotes and Lady Coyotes traveled to Jayton last Friday, to participate in the 1998 District 7-A Track meet. Many Coyote athletes had hopes of keeping their dreams alive by qualifying for the Regional track meet in two weeks. Many other athletes just wanted to go out and compete with themselves, to make themselves better and try to improve their times. But what ever was in their minds, they proved to be the best team in the district by scoring top points in both the girls and boys competition and breaking several school records.

The Lady Coyotes scored 182 points with Jayton second with 103.5; Dawson 98; Loop 92; Klondike 42; Guthrie 38; Southland 19.5 and Patton Springs 7.

In the boys competition the Coyotes scored 177 points to Jayton's 118; Dawson's 63; Klondike's 52; Loop's 49; Patton Springs' 46; Guthrie's 45 and Southland's 4 points.

It was a great day even though the weather was cool and damp. The Coyotes determination and strength pushed them on until the final race was over.

In the girls events, the Ladies Coyotes had 11 members on the team that qualified for regional in 12 different events. The ladies also swept all three relays taking home all the trophies in the meet.

In the 400m. relay the team of Jana Himes, Katie Kemp, Shaina Isaacs, and Bekah Hensley, placed first with a time of 54. flat. This event was ran under wet, rainy conditions and each team felt lucky to just get the baton around the track.

The team of Julie Mayes, Katie Kemp, Shaina Isaacs, and Bekah Hensley, was first in the 800m. relay with a time of 1:53.63.

The 1600m. relay brought home the gold as well as they finished out the evening running the relay in 4:25.11. Lindsey Smith, Shaina Isaacs, Julie Mayes and Katie Kemp was on this team.

Below is a list of the rest of the regional qualifiers:

Bekah Hensley set a school record and a personal best jump of 33'6" in the triple jump to qualifying second place. Sandy Brummett held the old record with a distance of 33'4-1/2", set at Wall in



1998 Champions: Members of the Coyote and Lady Coyote track team stop to pose for the camera after the District 7-A awards ceremonies. (Photo by LaNita)

1995. Bekah also qualified for regional in the 200m. dash by placing second with a time of 28.31.

Tammy Cooley set a new school record by beating her old record with a new mark of 37'4" to qualify in first place.

Chrissy Armstrong qualified in second place in the discuss with a toss of 109'9".

Holly Thomas qualified in the 3200m. run and the 1600m. run as she finished

FFA Wool Team Places At State

The Gail FFA wool team, consisting of Hailey Adcock, Robert Stamper, Colt Miller, Heath Gwinn and James Bond attended the State Wool Judging contest in Lubbock at Texas Tech this past Saturday. They represented the chapter well as they received 8th place honors from a field of 28 teams from all across the state.

During the contest the students must grade various types of wool fleeces, place classes of fleeces, and answer several difficult questions concerning the placing classes. Mr. Wallace stated that he was extremely proud of the team's accomplishments this year and that the team was already looking forward to the 1998 contests.

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second in each event. In the 5200m. run Holly shattered the school record with a time of 13:04.34. Her personal best to date was 14 minutes flat as she shattered that time by 56 seconds. The previous school record was set in 1983 by Janette Massingill with a time of 13:25.70. In the 1600m. run Holly ran a time of 6:02.64.

Kati Merritt qualified for regional by placing second in the 800m. run with a time of 2:33.62.

Crystal Dye was second in the 100m. hurdles and the 300m. hurdles and qualified for both. In the 100m. hurdles she ran a 17.96, and in the 300m. hurdles she ran a 54.82.

Those placing third at the district meet will be the first alternate to regional. Ky Merritt placed third in the shot put with a toss of 31'10". Bekah Hensley was third in the long jump with a leap of 15'10". Lindsey Smith was third in the 400m. dash with a 68.52, and she was third in the high jump clearing 4'6".

Here are the Lady Coyotes that scored at the district meet by placing 4th, 5th, or 6th.

Rebekah Copeland		
Discus	87'9"	4th
Tammy Cooley		
Discus	70'10"	6th
Lindsey Smith		
800m run	2:47.21	4th
Staci O'Brien		
800m. run	2:55.6	5th
Kaci Poole		
100m. H	19.76	5th
Jana Himes		
200m dash	30.3	5th

The following are Lady Coyotes who participated in the track meet but did not score in their events.

Jana Himes	
100m dash	14.18

Amanda Watts	
100m dash	15.75
Abby Flanigan	
400m. dash	79.26
Ky Merritt	
200m. dash	33.09
Erica Schooler	
High jump	no mark
Hailey Adcock	
Mile	7:02.36
Adrianna Baeza	
Shot Put	26'8"

COACHES COMMENTS: by Coach Avery

These ladies did a great job representing Borden county at the District Meet. They will go on to the

Regional Meet held in two weeks in Levelland. A lot of work will have to be done between now and then and I think they are ready for it as they are eagerly striving to reach that next level of competition. I don't want to say the "S" work this early but a trip to Austin is definitely within reach. Good luck girls and lets see how far we can go.



Sophomore, Shaina Isaacs, take the baton from fellow class mate Lindsey Smith as they blew to the finish line to come away with the first place mile relay medal.

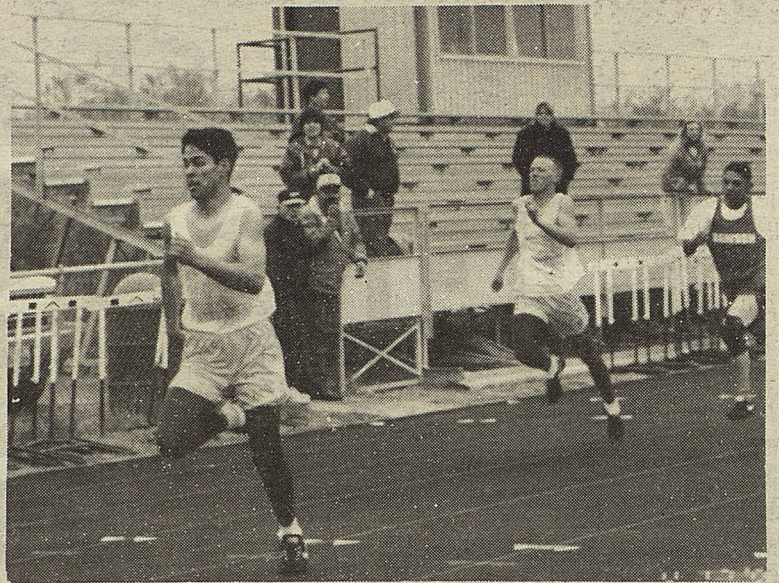
(Photo by LaNita)

The Coyotes started off the day with D.J. Smith setting a school record in the 3200m run at 11:43.54, but unfortunately, this time was only good enough for 3rd place just short of the automatic qualifying spot for regional. In that same race Javier Galvan ran his best time of 12:18.12 to finish 4th place and earn a letter in track. In order to letter in track, you have to score at the district track meet. Also, to qualify for regional, you have to be one of the top two finishers.

After the prelims were held, the schools got together to compete in the field events. In this portion of the track meet six events would take place. The Coyotes qualified for regional in four of the six. In the discus, Jeff Dennis won the event with a throw of 130'1", while Bryce Dye finished a disappointing third with a throw of 113'2". Moments later Oscar Baeza jumped a personal best 18'6.5" to finish second in the long jump. This was an event Oscar did not expect to qualify in, but that just goes to show what can happen with hard work. He was a little disappointed in the triple jump as he finished third, but he should be thrilled to know that he set a school record with a jump of 39'1".

Jeff Dennis then came back to collect a silver medal and another spot at regional when he threw the shot 39'1" while John Brummett came up just short as he finished third.

In the pole vault, the Coyotes went one-two as Lee Pepper jumped 11'0" for the win while Fernando Baeza acting on bad advice from his coach jumped 10'6" and then passed to 12'0" but was unable height for the win so he finished



Fernando Baeza and Clint Scott are pumping those legs to cross the finish line in the 200m dash first and second to qualify for the regionals.

Photo: LaNita Avery

second, but still a spot at the regional track meet.

After the field events were completed the Coyotes would then come back and compete in the running events. The running races would start with the much anticipated event, the 400 relay. The weather decided to turn just before the relay, as it began to rain and get very cold. This added to the already short nerves of the coach. But the relay team of Clint Scott, Trini Vasquez, Colt McCook and Fernando Baeza got the baton safely around the track to qualify for regional and defend their relay title. Their time was a very respectable 45.39. The 800m. was next and newcomer Tom Griffin managed to letter in track by finishing 6th. In the 100 High hurdles, Robert Stamper ran a career best 19.18 to finish 5th. Clint Scott then came back and ran a 11.70 to finish 2nd in the 100 and qualify for regional in the 100 for the second time.

In the 400, Colt McCook was able to battle back against a very tough competitor as he came from behind to defend his 44 title and earn another trip to region with a school record time of 53.51.

The 300 intermediate

hurdles followed as Trini Vasquez, who just started from the field to win in an impressive time of 43.54. Meanwhile, Ryan Grant gutted it out and came from behind to edge a Patton Spring runner at the line to take the second spot. In the 200, Fernando Baeza coasted to an easy victory as he defended his title with a very impressive 23.37 which was just hundredths away from the school record. Clint Scott ran a personal best 24.03 to capture a bronze medal. D.J. Smith came back and ran the 1600m. run, and managed to set yet another school record in his 4th place finish with a time of 5:27.03. What a good day for this young Coyote freshman runner.

This brought us to the climax of the day, with the team championship easily in hand, the Coyotes came into the event with one of the fastest relay sin the region, and the Coyotes wanted to run a good time time to enable the Coyotes to have a good lane in the regional track meet. The Coyotes got a very good start as Ryan Grant lead off with a respectable 55.87, Colt McCook then came back with a 52.94 on the second leg to give the

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Borden County come up on top in Elem. & Jr. High UIL Competition

Last week the Elementary and Junior High students traveled to Loop on Wednesday, and Thursday, April 15th and 16th. to participate in this year's UIL Literary Contest. The Borden County students all did a very good job representing their school by winning the entire contest with a high score of 867.00 points. Next to the Borden County students was Dawson with 859.10, and Klondike with 779.10 and rounding out the scores was Loop with 368.60. All of these students did a good job and worked hard along with their teachers. We are very proud of our students and hope they will continue their great success in all they do.

Below is the results of these contests:

Creative Writing

2nd Grade:

Rachel Wilson, 1st; Kate Wallace, 6th; Miller Valentine, participant

Ready Writing

3rd Grade:

Alejandra Mujica, 3rd; Rowdy Clary, 6th; Clay Harding, participant.

4th Grade:

Whitney Anderson, 1st; Cassidy Ogden, 4th; Shiloh Pool, 5th.

7th Grade:

Micah Hensley, 1st; Michele Bond, 4th; Dalene Kempf, 5th.

8th Grade:

Andrea Lozano, 5th; Jacob Zant, 6th; David Wright, participant.

Number Sense

5th Grade:

John Wilson, 1st; Billy Roper, 2nd; Cassidy Rinhart, participant.

6th Grade:

John Anderson, 1st; John Stamper, 5th; Kyle Pinkerton, participant.

7th Grade:

Brionne Jackson, 4th; Micah Hensley, participant; Michele Bond, participant.

8th Grade:

Cody Nowlain, participant; Letty Lozano, participant; Rika Copeland, participant.

Oral Reading

1st & 2nd Grade:

Autumn Garcia, 6th; Kate Wallace, participant, Rachel Wilson, participant.

3rd & 4th Grade:

Garrett Thomas, 2nd; Cassidy Ogden, 3rd; Shiloh Pool, 6th.

5th & 6th Grade:

John Wilson, 2nd; Tyler Wallace, 5th; Emily Mayes, 6th.

7th Grade:

Micah Hensley, 2nd; Laura Stamper, 3rd, Oralia Galacia, 5th;

8th Grade:

T.C. Stipe, participant; Payton Brown, participant; David Wright, participant.

Mathematics

6th Grade:

John Wilson, 1st; John Stamper, 5th; Kyle Pinkerton, 6th.

7th Grade:

Micah Hensley, participant; Michele Bond, participant; Dalene Kempf, participant.

8th Grade:

Andrea Lozano, participant; David Wright, participant; Jacob Zant, participant.

Dictionary Skills

5th Grade:

John Wilson, 1st; Emily Mayes, 4th; Billy Roper, participant

6th Grade:

Kyle Pinkerton, 1st; John Stamper, tie 3rd; Clay John Anderson, tie 5th.

7th Grade:

Micah Hensley, 1st; Laura Stamper, 6th; Tabitha Grant, participant.

8th Grade:

Cody Nowlain, participant; Andrea Lozano; participant; Rika Copeland, participant.

Spelling

3rd Grade:

Rowdy Clary, 1st; Kallie Poole, tie 2nd; Lindsey Stamper tie 2nd.

4th Grade:

Whitney Anderson, 1st; Cassidy Ogden, 3rd; Garrett Thomas, 5th.

5th Grade:

John Wilson, 1st; Emily Mayes, 3rd; Adam Carter, participant.

6th Grade:

John Stamper, 3rd; Kyle Pinkerton, 6th; Clay John Anderson, participant.

7th Grade:

Micah Hensley, 2nd; Dalene Kempf, 4th; and Michele Bond, participant.

8th Grade:

Andrea Lozano, 3rd; Jessica Ellison, participant; Rika Copeland, participant.

Storytelling

2nd Grade:

Rachel Wilson, 2nd; Autumn Garcia, 4th; Kate Wallace, 5th.

3rd Grade:

Kalli Poole, 1st; Rowdy Clary, 2nd; Lindsey Stamper, 3rd.

Art Contest

4th Grade:

1st place team tie with Klondike: Whitney Anderson, Cassidy Ogden, and Shiloh Pool.

5th Grade:

2nd place team: John Wilson, Emily Mayes and Billy Roper.

Calculator

6th Grade:

John Wilson, 3rd; John Stamper, 5th; Kyle Pinkerton, participant.

7th Grade:

Talin Pepper, tie 3rd; Michele Bond, participant; Laura Stamper, participant.

8th Grade:

T.C. Stipe, participant; Payton Brown, participant; Jacob Zant, participant.

Life Science

7th Grade:

Micah Hensley, 4th; Michele Bond, participant; Bobbie Kempf, participant.

Earth Science

8th Grade:

Jacob Zant, 4th; David Wright, 6th; Rika Copeland, participant.

Ready Writing

5th Grade:

John Wilson, 1st; Emily Mayes, 3rd; Billy Roper, participant.

6th Grade:

Clay John Anderson, participant; Kyle Pinkerton, participant; John Stamper, participant.

Maps Charts & Graphs

5th Grade:

John Wilson, 1st; Emily Mayes, participant; Adam Carter, participant.

6th Grade:

Kyle Pinkerton, 2nd; Clay John Anderson, 3rd; John Stamper, participant.

7th Grade:

Micah Hensley, 1st; Brionne Jackson, 3rd. Talin Pepper, participant.

8th Grade:

Jacob Zant, 3rd; David Wright, participant, Rika Copeland, participant.

Listening

5th Grade:

1st place team: John Wilson, Ashley Ellison, Emily Mayes.

6th Grade:

2nd place team: John Stamper; Clay John Anderson, Kyle Pinkerton.

7th Grade:

2nd place team: Michele Bond; Kevin Ellison, Brionne Jackson.

8th Grade:

2nd place team: Jacob Zant; Rika Copeland; Jessica Ellison.

Music Memory

5th Grade:

1st place team: John Wilson, Adam Carter, Billy Roper.

6th Grade:

1st place team: Clay John Anderson, John Stamper, Kyle Pinkerton.

Impromptu Speaking

7th Grade:

Michele Bond, 4th; Oralia Galacia, 6th; Laura Stamper, participant.

8th Grade:

Ryan Grant, 6th; Payton Brown, participant; Jacob Zant, participant.

Modern Oratory

7th Grade:

Micah Hensley, 7th; Michele Bond, 5th; Brionne Jackson, 6th.

8th Grade:

Jacob Zant, 5th, Cody Nowlain, 6th.

School Lunch Menu

Lunch: \$1.00 K-6th.
\$1.25 7th-12th.
Breakfast: .50c

April 27th thru March 1st.

MONDAY: Fajitas, Rice, Beans, Fruit Crisp & Milk

Breakfast: Cinnamon Rolls, Fruit, Juice & Milk

TUESDAY: Fish, Peas & Carrots, Hush Puppies, Potato Salad, Cobbler & Milk

Breakfast: Sausage Gravy, Biscuits, Juice & Milk

WEDNESDAY: Chile Mac, Baked Beans, Spinach, Bread Pudding & Milk

Breakfast: Muffins, Fruit, Juice & Milk

THURSDAY: Meat & Gravy, Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Jello & Milk

Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, Juice & Milk

FRIDAY: Sub Sandwich, Salad Cup, Tator Tots, Cake & Milk

Breakfast: Donuts, Fruit, Juice & Milk



Wedding Plans Announced



Erica Nance & Ken Hasteley

Mr. & Mrs. Royce Nance of Gail, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Erica Lynn to Kenon David Hasteley, son of Mr. & Mrs. Maurice Hasteley of Plainview, Texas.

The wedding will be July 11, 1998 at Colonial Baptist Church in Plainview.

The bride is a graduate of Borden County High School and is attending Waylon Baptist University in Plainview. Ken, attended West Texas A&M in Canyon and Waylon Baptist in Plainview. He owns and operated the Bimmers Gourmet Coffee in Plainview.



Mobile Mammography Unit

The Mobile Mammography unit will be at the Borden County School parking lot on Monday, April 27th. If you are interested in making an appointment, please call Kim Thomas at 806/756-4313.

Big brothers, Blake & Sage are proud to announce the arrival of their baby sister:

Sadie Lynn Shorter
 Born: April 15, 1998, Houston
 Weight: 8 lbs. 6 oz.
 Length: 19-3/4"

Parents:
 Roxie & Jeff Shorter,
 Houston, Texas

Grandparents:
 Dolores & Vernon Wolf, Borden Co.
 Jeanne & David Shorter, Las Cruces,
 N.M.

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In Memory Of:

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 by M/M. John R. Anderson

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 by M/M. John R. Anderson

Elton Mims

by John & Peggy Dennis

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by Ira Pump & Supply

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by Gae & Lisa Ludecke

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by Alvin & Doris
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Darrell Parker

by Alvin & Doris
 Bradshaw

FFA Plant Sale

There will be an FFA Vegetable Plant Sale at the Gail FFA Greenhouse on Thursday, May 12th from 4:00 to 7:30 p.m. The greenhouse is located on the North side of the Ag Science building and to the East of the bus barn.

Plants available are:

- Beef Stake Tomatoes,
- Cherry Tomatoes,
- Bell Peppers,
- Jalepeno' Peppers,
- Cantelope,
- Yellow Squash.

Watch next week's paper for plant prices! These plants are hearty and in excellent condition for starting that summer garden!

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Commissioners' Court of Borden County will receive bids on the following until 9:30 a.m., May 11, 1998.

1. Asphalt for the 1998 paving program.
2. Gravel for the 1998 paving program.
3. Freight on Gravel.
4. Fuel for 1998
 - a. unleaded
 - b. diesel
5. Propane for Courthouse and Precinct #1 and #2 Barns.

For specifications and information on the above, contact the office of the County Judge, Borden County Courthouse, Gail, Texas 79738.

The right is reserved by the Borden County Commissioners' Court to accept or reject any and all bids.

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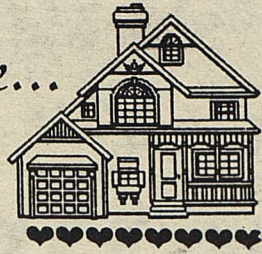
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Borden County Extension Agent -
Family and Consumer Sciences



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FCE News

The Borden County FCE met Monday night in the Community Building. A program was given by Betty Brudemeyer, owner of the Bernina Sewing Center of Snyder. Everyone enjoyed the good food and information on the latest in clothing construction and embellishment.

Make Your Appointment Today!

The Bone Density screening will be coming to Gail on Monday, April 27 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. If you have not been contacted for an appointment or wish to make an appointment, please contact the extension office at 756-4336. We will be happy to accommodate you.

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month

CHILDREN & TV VIOLENCE

American children watch an average of three to four hours of television daily. Television can be a powerful influence in developing value systems and shaping behavior. Unfortunately, much of today's TV programming is violent. Hundreds of studies of the effects of TV violence on children and teenagers have found that children may:

mediate evident in the child's behavior or may surface years later, and young people can even be affected when the family atmosphere shows no tendency towards violence. This does not mean that violence on television is the only source of aggressive or violent behavior, but it is a significant factor. Parents can protect their children from excessive TV violence in the following ways:

- *Become "immune" to the horror of violence.
- *Gradually accept violence as a way to solve problems.
- *Imitate the violence they observe on TV; and
- *Identify with certain characters, victims, and/or victimizers.

Extensive viewing of TV violence by children causes greater aggressiveness. Sometimes, watching a single violent program can increase aggressiveness. Children who view shows in which violence is very realistic, frequently repeated or unpunished, are more likely to imitate what they see. The impact of TV violence may be im-

on, with an explanation of what is wrong with the program.

*Disapprove of the violent episodes in front of the children, stressing the belief that such behavior is not the best way to solve a problem.

*To offset peer pressure among friends and classmates, contact other parents and agree to enforce similar rules about the length of time and type of program the children may watch.

Parents should also use these measures to prevent harmful effects from television in other areas such as racial or sexual stereotyping. The amount of time children watch TV, regardless of content, should be moderated, because it keeps children from other, more beneficial activities such as reading, exercising and playing with friends. If parents have serious difficulties setting limits, or deep concerns about how their child is reacting to television, they should contact a child or adolescent psychiatrist for help defining the problem.



Betty Brudemeyer, owner of the Bernina Sewing Center in Snyder gives Ollie Holmes a demonstration during the FCE meeting, Monday night.



Pictured in the food serving line at the FCE meeting is Frances Burkett, Mary Lynn Williams, Sarah Sharp, Jacque Hendricks and Ollie Holmes. Not pictured, Cookie Dyess.

OBITUARY

Roy F. Smith 1915-1998

Services for Roy Frazier Smith, 82 of O'Donnell, were held Friday, April 17, 1998, at the First Baptist Church in O'Donnell with Rev. Richard Rush, pastor officiating and Rev. Kenneth Peterson, pastor of First United Methodist Church of O'Donnell assisting.

Interment was in O'Donnell Cemetery in O'Donnell under the care of White Funeral Home, Tahoka.

A one-vehicle fatality claimed the life of Mr. Smith Tuesday, April 14, 1998 in northern Borden County.

He was born August 31, 1915 in Fannin

County, Texas to Roy O'Donnell.

Donald Smith and Angie Verginia Chastain Smith. He moved to Dawson County in 1924 from Bonham, Texas. He attended O'Donnell Public Schools.

He married Georgia Ruth Mize on November 21, 1938 in Lovington, New Mexico. He was a member of the O'Donnell Volunteer Fire Department and the Rodeo Association for over 50 years.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church in

Mr. Smith was involved in farming and ranching.

He is survived by his wife; one son, Rudy F. Smith of Dallas; one brother, Ross D. Smith of O'Donnell; four sisters, Angie Verginia McCarter of Ontario, California, Nannie Bell Harris of O'Donnell; Georgia Mae McKee of San Angelo; and Dorothy Ruth Hays of Ballinger.

The family suggests

memorials be made to the O'Donnell Fire Department.

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More Track Results:

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Coyotes a huge lead. Trini Vasquez responded and increased the lead with an impressive 52.60. Fernando Baeza then coasted to the finish with a 53.54 to give the Coyotes a school record time of 3:34.95. What a way to complete a very good day for the Coyotes. The Coyotes easily outdistanced second place Jayton 177 to 118.

Oscar Baeza
Triple Jump *39'1" 3rd
Long Jump @18'6.5" 2nd
High Jump 5'0"

John Brummett
Shot Put 36'8" 3rd
Clint Scott
400m. Relay 45.39 1st
100 @11.70 2nd
200 24.03 3rd

Trini Vasquez
400m Relay 45.39 1st
300 IH @43.54 1st
1600m Relay 3:34.95 1st
High Jump 5'0"
Triple Jump 35'7"

Jeff Dennis
Discus @130'1" 1st
Shot Put @39'1" 2nd

Ryan Grant
1600m Relay 3:34.95 1st
300 IH 43.91 2nd
110 HH 18.42

Cesar Mujica
1600m Run 6:57.03
Discus 94'0"

Preston Sharp
Triple Jump 36'3" 6th
100m Dash 12.56

Colt Miller
400m Dash 59.6 5th
800m Run 2:31.2

Colt McCook
400m Relay 45.39 1st
400m Dash *53.51 1st
1600m Relay 3:34.95 1st

Fernando Baeza
Pole Vault 10'6" 2nd
400m Relay 45.39 1st
1600m Relay 3:34.95 1st
200m Dash @23.37 1st

Robert Stamper
110 HH 19.17 5th
3200m Run 12:30.10

Bryce Dye
Discus 113'2" 3rd
Shot Put 33'0"

Ed Rodriguez
100m Dash 12.19 6th

200m Dash 24.53
Nick Flanigan
1600m Run 5:41.33
800m Run 2:32.4
Discus 94'0"

Kevin Pinkerton
400m Dash 56.13 4th
High Jump 5'0"

D.J. Smith
1600m Run 5:27.03 5th
3200m Run *11:43.54 3rd

Javier Galvan
3200m Run 12:18.12 4th
1600m Run 5:46.29

Lee Pepper
Pole Vault 11'0" 1st

Tom Griffin
800m Run 2:23.1 6th
Long Jump 16'7"

Ramon Griffin
110 HH 20.93
300m IH 52.29
Pole Vault No Height

James Bond
110m Dash 17.80

Foston Wilson
100m Dash 13.25
200m Dash 27.72

COACHES COMMENTS: by Coach Richey

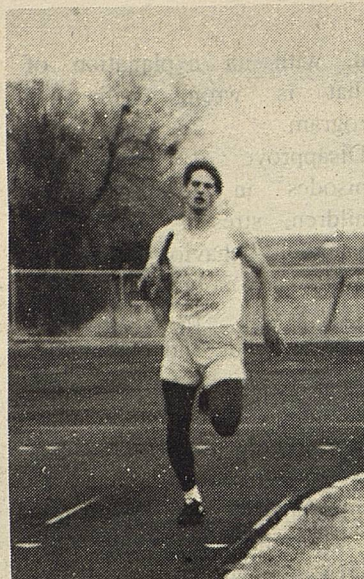
Congratulations guys on a very good year, but the job is not finished yet. Keep it going.

The Coyotes and Lady Coyotes will be running at Lamesa on Friday in a Regional Qualifiers meet. Then the next Friday and Saturday, they will be competing in the Regional Track meet at Levelland.



Senior, Trini Vasquez, captured the gold, while junior, Ryan Grant comes away with the silver medals in the 300 IH.

(Photo by LaNita)



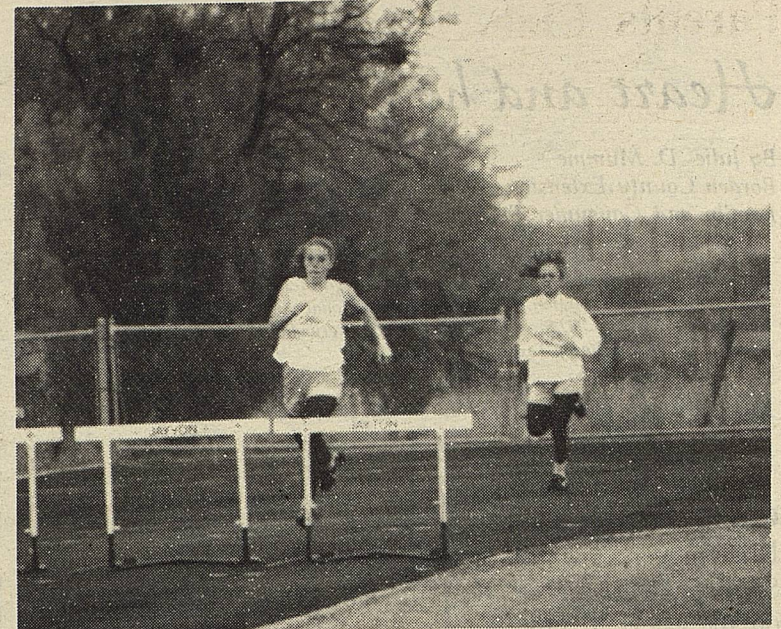
Colt McCook, BHS junior, pushes himself as he brings the baton in during the mile relay for another first.

(Photo by LaNita)



Holly Thomas, freshman brings home the silver as she finishes 2nd in the mile run.

(Photo by LaNita)



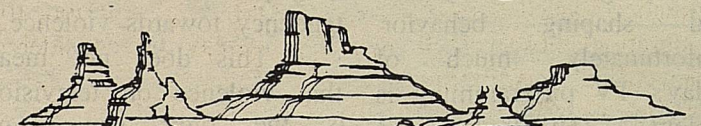
Sophomores', Julie Mayes and Crystal Dye take on another hurdle as they bring home first and second in the 300 hurdles.

(Photo by LaNita)

The Caprock Cafe

in Gail is now under
new management
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A game, Beano, similar to Bingo, uses beans for markers. What child hasn't played with a peashooter or bean bag, or marveled at a Mexican jumping bean, energized by the tiny insect within.

Can anyone resist trying to guess the number of beans in a jar at a county fair? To bean someone is to hit him in the head. Pea green is often used to describe a particular shade of the color.

We sometimes wear a beanie.

The navy bean, also known as pea bean, and the pea coat show the importance of legumes to the Navy. These common expressions show that we have had beans as a staple in our lives for a mighty long time.

Some legume plants have edible roots (used by our native Indians) such as Indian Breadroot (*Psoralea hypogaea*), a small, bluebonnet look-alike. Honey from bees that collect their nectar from the *Leguminous acacias* is famous for its quality. Legumes and grain taken together form the "perfect protein," critical to the health of people from earliest times.

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Parents Club Scholarship

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Brandon Adcock Memorial Scholarship Applications are now being accepted

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**Brandon Adcock Memorial
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P.O. Box 95,
Gail, Texas 79738**

The primary criteria used to determine the recipient of this scholarship is that the individual selected will be an outstanding young person that is a positive representative of the Borden County School Community evidence by their respective moral character, service-minded attitude, dedication, and scholastic achievement.

Recipients must be a candidate for graduation or be a former graduate from Borden County High School.

Candidates must attend a state-accredited/southern association accredited college, university, or post secondary institution to be eligible for consideration. The selection committee will have sole authority to determine the candidate's eligibility status related to the post-secondary institution to be attended.

Financial need will not necessarily be a criterion for consideration; however, financial need may be considered by the selection committee.

Complete selection authority has been delegated to the selection committee by the Brandon Adcock Family, and the committee has the authority to waiver all rules, regulations and formalities in order to select the candidates that the committee feels in most deserving.

sure to include school activities, plans for the future, personal information and honors received, as well as any other community involvement, or pertinent information.

Applications may be mailed to:

**Borden County
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Courthouse News

WHEREAS, On this the 23rd day of March, 1998, the Commissioners' Court of Borden County, Texas, convened in Special Session in the Commissioners Courtroom at the Courthouse in Gail, Texas, the following members of the Court being present, to-wit:

VAN L. YORK, County Judge, Presiding; DOUG ISAACS, Commissioner, Prec. No. 1; LARRY SMITH, Commissioner, Prec. No. 2; VERNON WOLF, Commissioner, Prec. No. 3; HURSTON LEMONS, Commissioner, Prec. No. 4; JOYCE HERRIDGE, County Clerk and Ex-Officio of the Commissioners' Court.

constituting a quorum, when the following proceedings were had in accordance with the posted agenda:

MINUTES APPROVED

Minutes of the Commissioners Court meeting of the 9th day of March, 1998, were read. The minutes were approved with a motion from Commissioner Wolf and a second by Commissioner Isaacs. Motion carried unanimously

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED

The current accounts were examined and Commissioner Wolf made a motion to approve and pay said accounts. Commissioner Lemons seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

WATER SYSTEM

The Annual Inspection of the Borden County Water System was held on January 27, 1998. The Borden County Water System was found to be in violation of TNRCC Rules No. 30, TAC, 290.46(J) and No. 30 TAC, 290.46(J)(2). To bring the

Borden County Water System into compliance with all TNRCC Rules, the Court agreed to contact, in writing, all customers with unacceptable plumbing practices and have them correct all unacceptable plumbing practices by June 1, 1998. If the unacceptable plumbing practices are not corrected by that date, the meter will be disconnected and removed.

AIR FORCE REALISTIC BOMBER TRAINING INITIATIVE

Commissioner Lemons made a motion for the County Judge, Van L. York to write a letter to oppose the U.S. Air Force proposal to bring low-altitude flights over Borden County. Commissioner Smith seconded the motion.

Voting For:

Commissioners Isaacs, Smith & Lemons

Voting Against: None

Abstain:

Commissioner Wolf
Motion carried.

DIVISION ORDER

A motion was made by Commissioner Smith, and seconded by Commissioner Isaacs to approve Division Order Contract from Scorro Exploration Inc. on the Vada Singleton 2A in Martin County for the Borden County Permanent School Fund in the amount of .0625 royalty interest. Motion carried unanimously

ADJOURN

A motion was made by commissioner Isaacs to adjourn. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Wolf and approved unanimously.

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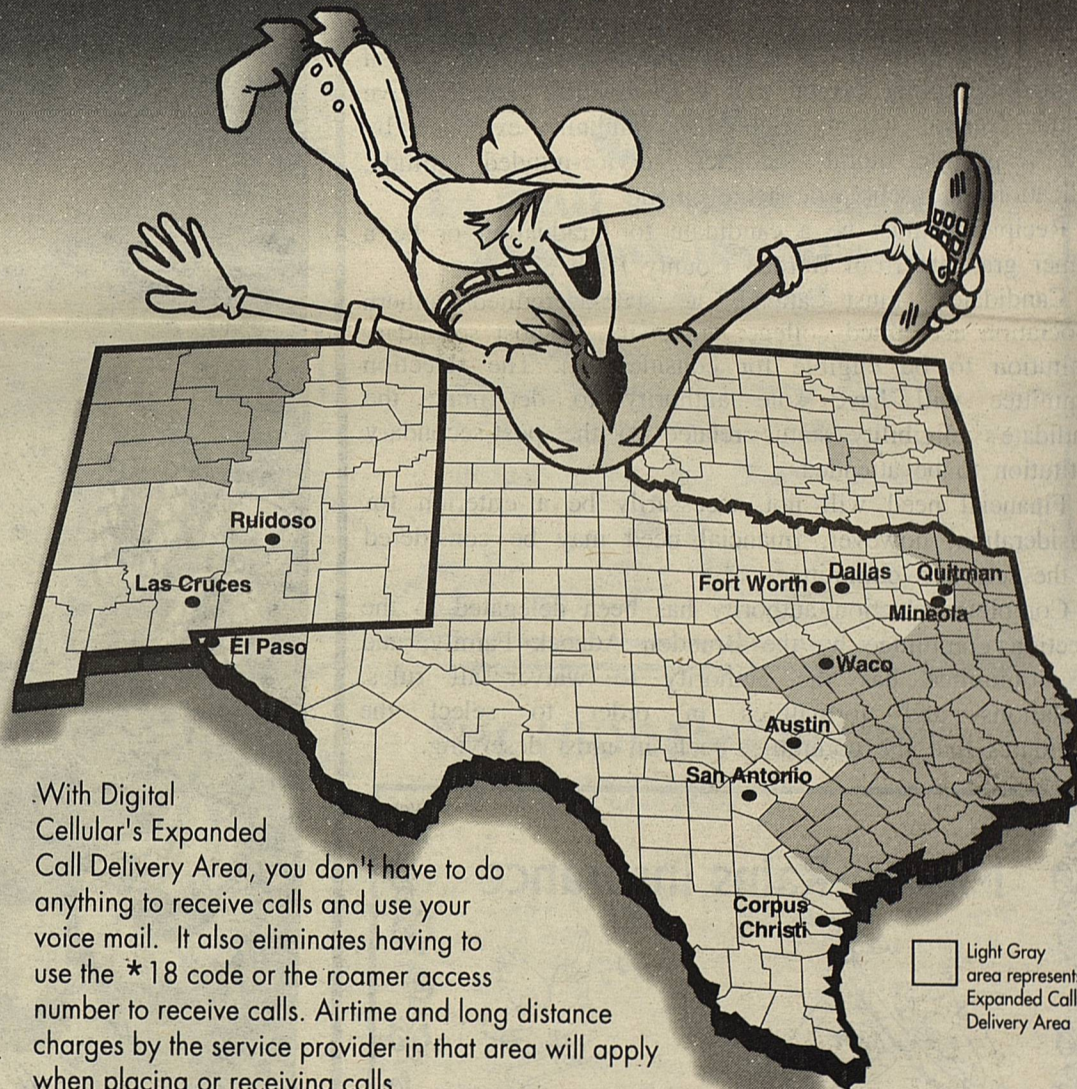
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