## Former BHS Athletes Participate in All－Star Game

2002 graduates Jacob Zant Nowlain was an alternate and Cody Nowlain each who moved into an all－star scored four points in last week＇s Six－Man Association basketball all－star game held in Lubbock

The two ex－Coyotes played on the winning West team，who defeated the South team in a double－overtime contest．

Zant was selected by district coaches this past year

## Sports Physicals <br> Scheduled

All Borden County School students that are planning to participate in the 2002－2003 school year sport activities
are scheduled for their sports school year sport activities
are scheduled for their sports physicals，on Saturday，
August $3^{\text {rd }}$ at 10：00 a．m．in physicals，on Saturday，
August $3^{\text {rd }}$ at 10：00 a．m．in Abilene．
Departure time from Gail to the Rebound Sports and Physical Therapy Clinic in Abilene is at 8：00 a．m．The address there is 1720 South Clack．The phone number is 915／691－0093

Parents must sign all physical forms before leav－
All Borden County School
ing．Forms will NOT be completed by the Dr．if they are not signed by parents．
Students will need to wear shorts and a t－shirt for the physical．
If you plan to play a sport of any kind during the upcoming school year，you are required by the school district to take a physical． The school furnished the physical at this time．If you cannot make this date，then you will need to get a physical on your at your own expense．

> Sales Tax Holiday Set for Aug． $2^{\text {nd }}-4^{\text {th }}$ hardwoods．

The state qualifier in the 300 m intermediate hurdles will visit Texas A\＆M Kingsville this month in hopes of pursuing track and field with the Javelinas who compete in NCAA Division

## to represent area all－stars；

## 2002－2003 School

 Year to begin Aug． $19^{\text {th }}$ ．The 2002－2003 school year discuss your needs． begins on Monday，August High school students with $19^{\text {th }}$ ，at the Borden County ISD．The school day will begin at 8：05 a．m．and will end at $3: 33 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$ ．

All high school students who have questions about their credits or schedule will need to register on August $13^{\text {th }}$ between $8: 30 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$ ．and 4 p．m．Mr．Dye will be available on this day to to 4 p．m．Elementary students who are new to Borden County are also encouraged to register on the dates indicated above．All other elementary students will be registered on the first day of school，Monday，August $19^{\text {th }}$ ． established schedules and junior high students can register August $13^{\text {th }}$ through August $15^{\text {th }}$ ．from 8：30 a．m． r （1） 4 7 －

## Texas Fund Hires Plan Manager

 for New College Savings Program for Texas FamiliesTexas Comptroller Carole Texas＇new Section 529 Keeton Rylander announced college savings plan，named that the Texas Prepaid Higher for a section of the Internal Education Tuition Board has Revenue Service code that signed－a contract with authorizes tax－free college Atlanta－based Enterprise savings plans，will let Capital Management，Inc．to families invest for their manage investments for a children＇future education I new college savings program an array of mutual funds the state will offer Texas offered by the plan manager， families beginning later this under the direction of the year．Texas prepaid Higher ＂Other states＇college Education Tuition Board， investment programs are chaired by Comptroller being advertised and sold in Rylander．The savings can be Texas，but I believe Texans want a Texas plan，＂comp－ troller Rylander said． ＂Starting very soon，Texans will be able to invest in their children＇s future and also invest in Texas．＂
used for tuition and also for other college expenses like room and board，books， computers and supplies．
＂This new savings program will complement the Texas Tomorrow Fund prepaid
college tuition program－not replace the Texas Tomorrow Fund，＂Rylander said． ＂Parents will be able to enroll their children in both the prepaid college tuition program to lock in tuition and required fees at today＇s prices，and in the new Section 529 college savings program to pay other college expenses．
＂I want our hard－working Texas families to have as many options as possible to save for college，＂Comp－ troller Rylander said．
＂More than 132，000 families have signed up for the safety and security of the

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## BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Kindergarten: Elmer's school glue (NOT paste), 2 glue sticks, 2 boxes of 16 crayons, scissors (Fiskars for kids), supply box (cigar box size), 4-\#2 pencils, gym shoes, towel (for nap time), baby wipes or wet wipes, big eraser.
First Grade: 2 boxes of 16 crayons, $5-\# 2$ pencils, supply box, scissors (Fiskars for kids), 2 medium sized bottles of Elmer's school glue, 2 glue sticks, 1 -subject spiral notebook (wide ruled), gym shoes, larger box of wet wipes. Second Grade: $12-\# 2$ pencils, crayons, Elmer's school glue, red grading pencil, notebook paper (wide ruled), scissors, eraser, gym shoes, ruler, large box of wet wipes.
Third Grade: Loose-leaf notebook, notebook paper (wide ruled), spiral (wide ruleḑ), 24 \#2 pencils, 4 red pens or 4 red pencils, 12 inch ruler (metric \& standard), small bottle of glue, crayons, 2 folders, gym shoes, 2 large boxes of wet wipes (less expensive brand is fine), 1 glue stick, map colors.
Fourth Grade: Crayons, map crayons, box of \#2 pencils (no mechanical pencils), pencil sharpener (with a lid that will stay on - Bring pencils sharpened), 3 red grading pens (no black or blue pens), loose leaf notebook, zipper pencil bag for notebook, 8 folders with inside pickets (no brads), wide ruled notebook paper (no college ruled), standard and metric ruler, 2 large inexpensive boxes of wet wipes, glue sticks only, (no plastic molded crayon boxes), art gum erasers, scissors-smaller 6 inch size with sharp tips, 1 box of Kleenex, gym shoes.
Fifth Grade: Notebook, brown dividers with holes and pockets for notebook, notebook paper (WIDE RULED ONLY - NO COLLEGE RULED), 1 dozen \#2 pencils, 4 red pens, 1 art gum eraser, no black or blue pens, 2 black sharpies (twin tip), 4 large glue sticks ( 77 oz. ), colored pencils ( 36 in box), 1 ruler with metric and standard measurements, Crayola Washable Markers super tip (50), Crayola Markers broad tip (10), scissors, 1 package $3 \times 5$ lined index cards, seven different colored spirals, (WIDE RULED ONLY, PLEASE), If you can find them with more than 70 sheets. NO three or five subject spirals. NO college ruled, 7 different plastic folders with pockets, No brads.

Sixth Grade: One 2 inch 34 English III: 2" 3 -Ring note ring notebook, 6 pocket book (to keep in room; no dividers, 30 regular dividers, 1 package highlighters ( 5 different colors: green, blue, orange, yellow, pink), 1 .package map colors (at least 24), 1 spiral notebook (wide ruled, 70 pages), 5 packages notebook paper (wide ruled), 2 boxes Kleenex, 1 package red pens ( 10 at least), 1 package black pens (10 at least), 1 package pencils (10 at least), 1 bottle glue (small), 1 glue stick (large), 1 package wet wipes, **ONE LARGE SMILE AND GOOD ATTITUDE**

## Mr. Ard:

English $\left(7^{\text {th }}\right): 2^{\prime \prime} 3$-Ring notebook (to keep in room; no zippers, please) 8 tabbed notebook dividers, 1 Yellow 2pocket, 3 -pronged folder, 1 composition book ( 100 pages; no spirals), pen pouch (for inclass notebook), loose-leaf notebook paper (wide or college ruled), black, blue, and red ink pens, pencils, highlighter(s).
English ( $8^{\text {th }}$ ): 2" 3-Ring notebook (to keep in room; no zippers, please), 8 tabbed notebook dividers, 1 Red 2 pocket, 3 -pronged folder, 1 composition book ( 100 pages; no spirals), pen pouch (for inclass notebook), loose-leaf notebook paper (wide or college ruled), black, blue, and red ink pens, pencils, highlighter(s).
English I: 2" 3-Ring notebook (to keep in room; no zippers, please), 8 tabbed notebook dividers, 1 Green 2-pocket, 3pronged folder, 1 composition book (100 pages; no spirals), pen pouch (for in-class notebook), loose leaf notebook paper (wide or college ruled), black, blue, and red ink pens, pencils, highlighters(s)

## ATTENTION FOOTBALL PLAYERS <br> It's that time of the year! The 2002 Football season will kickoff Monday, August $5^{\text {th }}$. <br> Practice will be from 5-9 p.m. Until school starts. $* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *$

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS
A summer Conditioning Program
will begin on Monday August $5^{\text {th }}$
at 7:00 p.m.
HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL THERE! zippers, please), 8 tabbed notebook dividers, 1 Blue 2pocket, 3 -pronged folder, 1 composition book (100 pages; no spirals), pen pouch (for inclass notebook), loose-leaf notebook paper (wide or college ruled), notecards ( $3 \times 5$, ruled), black, blue, and red ink pens, pencils, highlighter(s).
Speech: 1" 3 -Ring notebook (to keep in room; no zippers, please), 5 tabbed notebook dividers, loose-leaf notebook paper (wide or college ruled), 1
VHS video cassette tape (can be used in theatre), notecards ( 3 x 5 , ruled), black, blue, and red ink pens, pencils, highlighter(s). Theatre Arts: 1"-3-Ring notebook (to keep in room; no zippers, please), 5 tabbed notebook dividers, loose-leaf notebook paper (wide or college ruled), 1 VHS videocassette tape (can be used in speech), black, blue, and red ink pens, pencils, highlighter(s).

Coach Avery: Notebook paper,
Mrs. Key: Notebook paper, spirals, notebook, plenty of pencils, red pen.
Mr. Lewis: Notebook or pockét folder, pens. Chemistry: Inex pensive calculator
Mrs. Mayes: $11 / 2$ inch notebook, red pen.
Coach Richey (Math): Notebook paper, spiral notebook, notebook, dividers, (5 or 6), pencils, red pen, highlighter, dry eraser markers (2 or 3).
Mr. Wallace (Ag Science):
$8^{\text {th }}$ grade: 3 ring binder notebook, 9 dividers, pens, notebook paper.
$9^{\text {th }}-12^{\text {th }}$ grade: Notebook paper, 9 dividers, pens, pencils. -

## Heart and home..

By Julie D. Mumme
Borden County, Extension Agent
Family and Consumer Sciences


Get a Jump on Trampoline Safety
Many children enjoy bouncing up and down on a back yard trampoline, but in many cases, a matter of seconds can turn the fun into a tragedy. According to the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP), more than 80,000 people are injured on trampolines each year. Most of these injuries happen on home trampolines to children ages 5 through 14. Common injuries range in severity from broken bones, concussions and other head, neck and spinal injuries to sprains, strains, bruises, scrapes and cuts.
Children should supervised while jumping on the trampoline. According to the AAP, most injuries occur from:

## Safety Rules of Summer

With summer comes hot weather, an increase in outdoor activities and an increase of heat-related deaths and illnesses. Fact is, on average, more Texans are killed by heat each year than by tornadoes and hurricanes.
An easy rule of thumb to remember this summer, and especially when participating in outdoor activities is, "when the temperature goes up, slow down." No matter what activity is planned, remember these simple safety rules and make summer safer.

- Slow down. Heed your body's early warnings. Reduce activities and stay cool, shady or air-conditioned place as much as possible.
- Don't dry out. Drink plenty of non-alcoholic liquids. Doctors recommend a glucose replacement drink (juice or sports drink, not sodas) for those
who are outside for more than an hour or two. If this is not available, a good substitute is plain water. Remember to drink water often, even when you aren't thirsty.
- Dress for hot weather. Wear lightweight, light colored and loose-fitting clothing to help maintain normal body temperature. A wide-brim hat or cap outside is a must. Wear sunglasses if prolonged exposure to the sun's rays or glare is anticipated.
Avoid thermal shock. Go slow for those first few hot days. Heat-stroke frequently develops swiftly with little warning. Over half of heat-stroke victims become ill less than 24 hours before being hospitalized or found dead. - Get out of the heat. If your residence is not air-
trampoline use will help keep the child safe, as well as using a net around the trampoline to ensure that the children will not fall off the trampoline.
If your child or someone you know does sustain an injury, be sure to contact your physician or an ambulance immediately, depending on the severity of the injury.
Source: Covenant Health System Health Connection, Spring 2002 Spotting the child during
- falling off the trampoline landing wrong while
- attempting stunts
- colliding with another person on the trampoline
- landing on the springs or frame of the trampoline











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## College Savings

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Texas Tomorrow Fund, earn a sufficient return to which guarantees to pay cover their children's college college tuition and required fees, no matter how much those costs increase. Other families have asked for a college savings plan that lets them earn a potentially higher rate of return and save for all of their children's college expenses," Rylander said.
Unlike the Texas Tomorrow Fund, which guarantees to cover participants' college tuition and required fees, the Section 529 college savings plan offers no guarantee that parents' investments will
costs and no guarantee that parents will not lose money on their investments.
The Enterprise Group of Funds, comprised of 24 mutual funds with more than $\$ 4$ billion in assets under management, helped pioneer the concept of providing retail investors special access to leading institutional investment money managers for each investment style and sector.
Enterprise Capital Manage-

## Safety Rules of Summer <br> Cont.from pg. 2

conditioned, get into an air-conditioned environment for at least a few hours a day. If this isn't possible, a well ventilated shady area will do. Today's ceiling fans provide adequate air circulation in non airconditioned homes and buildings. If driving, use your car's air-conditioner.

- Don't get too much sun. Sunburn makes the body's job of heat dissipation more difficult. Besides a hat, sunglasses, and proper clothing, a good sun screen is recommended especially
for fair skinned individuals.
- Beware of high humidity. Perspiration is the body's natural way of cooling the skin. When the humidity is low, this evaporation actually "cools" the skin. Air movement, such as a breeze, fan or airconditioning acts to evaporate perspiration and cool your body. When the humidity is high, this evaporative cooling process is lost, and the danger of heat related illness or death is greatly increased.
ment, Inc., the registered investment advisor for both The Enterprise Group of Funds and Enterprise Accumulation Trust, currently manages approximately $\$ 7$ billion in assets and is a member of the MONY Group, Inc., a holding company for its member companies, which provides financial protection and asset accumulation products and services.
More information about Texas' upcoming Section 529 college savings plan will be available soon on the Texas Tomorrow Fund web site at www.texastomorrowliund.ors.
- Don't forget your pets. They are subject to the same dangers posed by hot weather as we humans. Make sure they have a cool, shady, wellventilated place to rest during the heat of the day and provide them with a good supply of fresh, cool drinking water.


## Branon <br> Funeral Home

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Serving in this area Since 1922"

## ARE YOU A DIABETIC WITH MEDICARE?

Is it hard to find a pair of comfortable shoes?
You may be entitled through your Medicare benefits to receive a pair of extra-depth therapeutic shoes.

When: Monday, August $5^{\text {th }}$ 10:30 a.m. 11 p.m.<br>Where: Borden County<br>Community Room

Fitting hy: Regional F'harmacy, Croshyton 8000-546-5338

## A Thank You Note!

## Dear Friends,

We, along with our family, would like to take this means to thank you for the wonderful retirement reception that you gave us Saturday, July $13^{\text {th }}$. It was the nicest one that we have ever attended.
The royal treatment that we received, your presence at the party, your gifts, the decorations, the food, and the fellowship that we enjoyed will be treasured by us for years to come. We will certainly enjoy the trip later in the year or next year. (Mickey is in cardiac rehab at this time and will not finish until fall.)
We have always taken great pride in being from Borden County and we have loved being a part of the school system here. We have enjoyed teaching you and your children. It has been a great place to work. It has been such an important part of our lives for so many years. We will be a few miles away but our hearts will always be with the school and the people of the community.
Words are inadequate to express our thanks to each of you who had a part in our party; the ones who attended, sent cards, gave gifts, or contributed money for the trip. We were overwhelmed by your generosity.
We look forward to seeing you in the future and we want to continue the friendship developed through these last forty-four years. When you are in Post, please come by and see us.
and see us.

Mickey \& Shirley McMeans Box 398
310 Osage
Post, Texas 79356


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## The Therapeutic Shoe Bill:

Protecting from Amputation

## Do You Know the Facts?

Diabetic Neuropathy affects of $60 \%$ of the diabetic population. The risk of a leg amputation is 14 to 10 times greater for a person who has diabetes.
More than half of the lower amputations in the United States occur among people with diabetes -- over 56,000 a year.
The Therapeutic Shoe Bill was enacted in 1993 to provide "at risk" diabetic patients with the proper footwear and protective insoles. Medicare realized that, after many years of study, many diabetic fo complications were the result of poorly fitting or poorly designed footwear. No program, on this scale, had ever been provided to prevent a problem from occurring.
Diabetic patients who meet a certain criteria can receive one pair of shoes and three pair of insoles a calendar year. For the patient, the extra depth shoe and custom insoles help protect against shearing and callous formation that eventually lead to ulcers, reducing the over-all risk of amputation in this high-risk population.


## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Borden County Commissioners Court will conduct a public hearing at its next regularly scheduled meeting to consider and act on an application by Brazos Wind, L.P. to designate certain property located in Borden County as a Reinvestment Zone eligible for property tax abatement under Chapter 312 of the Texas Tax Code. The property is located on certain land in the northeast portion of the county and is intended for use as a wind power facility by Brazos Wind, L.P. A legal description of these lands is available at the Borden County Courthouse. In determining whether to designate the Reinvestment Zone, the Court will consider whether such a designation would contribute to retention or expansion of employment in the Zone or would attract major investment in the Zone that would benefit the land to be included therein and contribute to the economic development of the County. The public hearing will take place at 1 p.m. on August 12, 2002, in the Commissioners Courtroom of the Borden County Courthouse in Gail, Texas. All interested persons may appear and present testimony and evidence regarding the application.

## BID NOTICE

Borden County Commissioners' Court will receive bids until 10:00 a.m., August 12, 2002 for the purchase of a new truck for use in the Borden County, Precinct 3. Bids will be opened and considered in the Borden County Commissioners' Courtroom in the County Courthouse. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the County Judge, 806/756-4391 or Commissioner, Ernest Reyes, Jr., 915/965-3212.
Borden County Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waiver all formalities.

## BY ORDER OF THE BORDEN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'

 COURTVAN L. YORK,
COUNTY JUDGE,
BORDEN COUNTY

Drive safely. Don't wreck your life.

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## 2002 Property Tax Rates in Borden County

This notice concerns 2002 propery tax rates for Borden County. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes
last year. This year'seffective tax rate would impose the same toral taxes as hast year if you compareproperts. last year. .his year'seffective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year in you compare properties
taxed in both years. This year's sollback tax rate is the highesst tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the toral amount of taxes by the tax base (che rotal value
per S100 of property value.


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Last year's total taxes
Last year's tax base
Last year's total tax rate
This year's effective tax rate:
Last year's adjusted taxes
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(after subrracting viluse
Thfter subtracting value of new property)
This year's effective tax rate
for each fund
Total effective tax rate
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notices and holds hearing


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Schedule B-2002 Debt Service --None
Schedule C-Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

 Schedule D - State Criminal Justice Mandate (For Counties)

 Schedule E - Transfer of Department, Function or Activity - None
Schedule F - Enhanced Indigent Health Care Expenditures
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the amount of increase above lasis year's enhanced indigent healith care expenditures is s? This noice conains a summary of actual effecuve and roll
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## Have a Great Summer!



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