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## Coyote Opry Success

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who contributed to the Coyote Opry! We appreciate the efforts of the Borden County Commissioners Court and their employees, Texas Cooperative Extension - Borden County, the member4s of BCJLA, and everyone throughout the community that helped to make our Coyote Opry such a success.

Awards were presented to the following:

Best Dressed Pastry - Brenda Copeland  
Highest Selling Cake - Tammy Valentine

Highest Selling Pie - Sarah Sharp  
Highest Selling Cobbler - Barbara Farmer  
Highest Selling Cookies/Candy - Cindy Herridge

Highest Selling Homemade Goods - Chuck Kimmel

Thanks again to those wonderful cooks who prepared the pastry items and to the generous persons who purchased them. Thanks also to those in the community who donated other items to be auctioned as well. We live in a wonderful community and appreciate all your efforts that help sponsor out youth of Borden County.

## Deer Appreciation Day Planned

By Dennis Poole, Borden County CEA-Ag

An appreciation day for deer will be held on Wednesday, October 22, 2003 in Gail, Texas at the Borden County Show Barn. This educational program is an ongoing effort to further the awareness of wildlife and its potential to assist you in decision making on your land and in your wallet.

Wildlife brings much joy and pleasure to us in many ways. They will eat what livestock sometimes won't, they are beautiful to observe, and a challenge for many a sportsman. While we con-

tinue to improve our lands by mechanical or herbicide means, we need to be mindful of habitat, nutrition, genetics, and longevity of our wildlife. Wildlife should always be considered when improvement practices are planned. They are a source of income and pleasure for some and a real challenge for others.

Mark your calendars and plant to attend Deer appreciation Day to be held Wednesday, October 22, in Gail. Registration is \$10.00 in advance and \$20 at the door. For more information, contact Texas Cooperative Extension-Borden County at 806/756-4336.



Welcome Exes!

Friday, October 24<sup>th</sup>.

**Bonfire: 5:00 p.m.**

East side of school

**Homecoming Meal: 5:30**

School Cafeteria

Sponsored by Class of 2004

**Game Time: 7:30 p.m.**

**BORDEN COUNTY VS DAWSON**

**Reception: School Cafeteria**

Following game

**Homecoming Dance: Co. Show Barn**

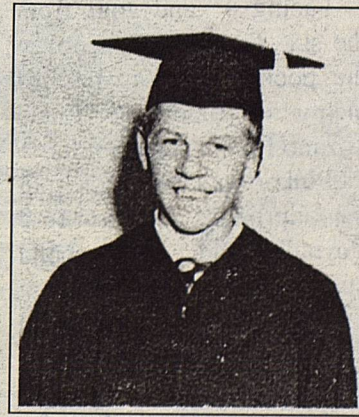
Sponsored by Parents Club

### Class of 1953

### First Graduates of BHS



Margaret Sexton



Brent Murphy



Bill Staggs

## Homecoming Reunion Planned

A Homecoming Reunion has been planned for Friday, and Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>, in honor of the Class of 1953, which was the first graduating class of BHS. Class mates and surrounding class members have made

plans for a get-together. The event will begin on Friday, at the Homecoming Bon Fire beginning at 5:00 p.m. followed by a meal in the school cafeteria sponsored by the Class of 2004. Everyone

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James "Whistle" Worley



# Sweet Win in District Opener as Coyotes Cruise to 60-18 Victory over Klondike

By Sue Jane Mayes

Once again the merits of an challenging non-district slate prove true.

Racking up over 400 yards total offense, the Borden Coyotes came alive Friday night to start off district play with a convincing win over the Klondike Cougars.

The first five weeks of the season BHS lined up against some of the top-ranked teams in the state; the 1-4 record from those games could easily have disheartened the Coyotes.

They were anything but that last Friday as five different Coyotes scored, and four different players were responsible for turnovers on offense.

The first possession drive for BHS was a beauty that used up more than half of the first quarter.

Quarterback Shane Tarleton directed the drive as junior Derek Rodriguez and sophomore Garrett Thomas shared the running chores.

Rodriguez picked up two first downs on the possession with rushes of 13 and 9 yards, but it was Thomas's 33-yard burst down the right side-line that gave the Coyotes first and goal from the one.

It took all four downs, but Tarleton finally found a leaping Kyle Pinkerton in the end zone who made an incredible catch with two defenders covering.

Pinkerton's PAT kick for two points was true as the Coyotes went up 8-0 with 4:59 remaining in the quarter.

On the following kickoff, sophomore Andrew Lamming tackled the Cougar return man on the 25-yard line.

Lamming and another sophomore, J.Ryan Gicklhorn, set the tone defensively in the game as the Cougars stayed away from Pinkerton, the Coyotes' leading tackler.

But staying away from Pinkerton only forced the Cougars to run against Gicklhorn and Rodriguez who made key stops on the first Klondike drive.

Facing third and long, KHS came up short as the corner work of Andy Lozano and John Wilson resulted in a loss of one.

Gicklhorn dropped the Cougar runner for a loss on the fourth down play as the Coyotes took over on the 32-yard line.

Adam Carter took the handoff from Tarleton and drove for five yards followed by an eight-yard gain by Thomas.

Carter then took Tarleton's pass on third and short and got hit early; the scrappy junior, however, muscled his way for enough first down yardage to put the Coyotes back in business on the 15-yard line.

After three rushing plays took the ball to the six-yard line, Klondike declined a holding call which would have pushed the Coyotes back 10 yards.

Facing 4<sup>th</sup> and goal from the six, Tarleton was cool in the pocket again as he had plenty of time and found Lozano for six more points.

Pinkerton's PAT kick split the uprights for a 16-0 Coyote lead as second quarter play got underway.

The Cougars were forced to punt on their next possession as Carter and Gicklhorn thwarted the Cougar offense.

Rodriguez and Thomas's backfield tandem continued to wreak havoc for the Cougars.

With some good downfield blocking by Billy Roper and Tyler Wallace, the two churned out first down yardage and set up a first and fifteen on Klondike's 34-yard line.

Rodriguez then broke loose for a 29-yard gain to the five; he finished off the scoring drive on a power play up the middle from one yard out.

Following Pinkerton's third successful PAT kick in the game, the Coyotes held a comfortable 24-0 lead with 6:13 left in the half.

On its next drive, the Cougars for the first time tried to go to the air to generate some offense, but the Coyotes were ready for that, too.

Wallace, Gicklhorn, and Lozano applied pressure while Carter covered on the first pass play of the evening.

The incomplection was followed by a running play, but Lozano did what he does best--played off his block to make the tackle.

Wilson then stepped up and hit the intended receiver, forcing the Cougar to juggle the reception which was ruled incomplete.

Junior varsity players Trey Soto and Austin Tarleton saw action on this series in the defensive line-up, applying a heavy rush to the Klondike backfield.

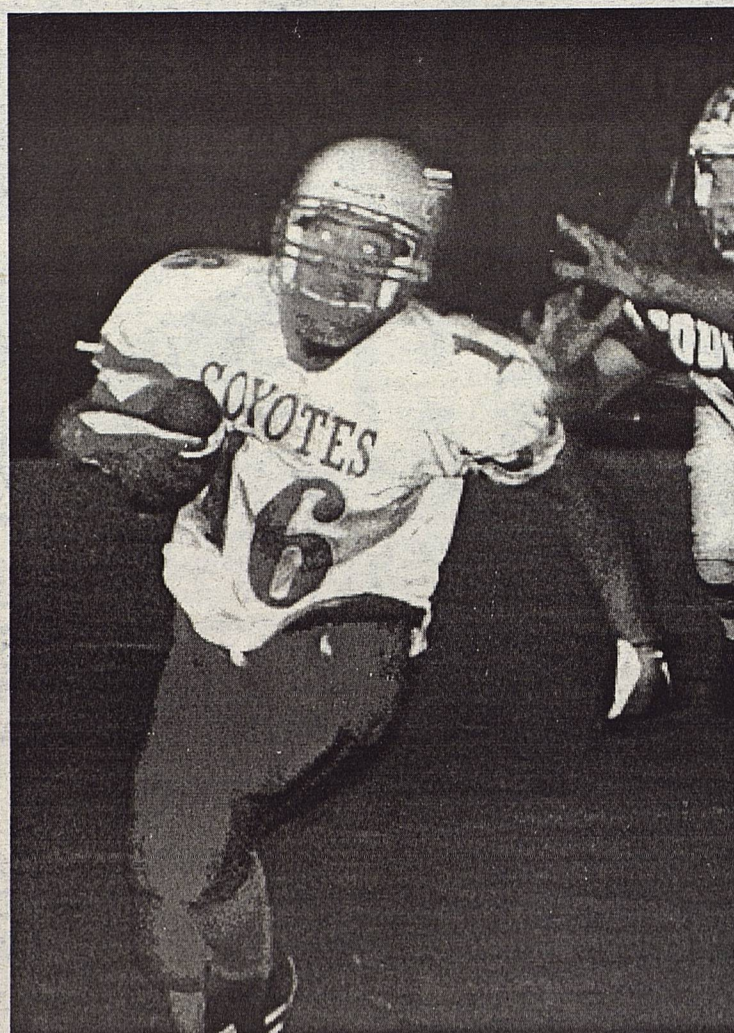
Following the Cougar punt, BHS set up on their own 31-yard line with a little over three minutes on the clock.

A holding call on first down backed the Coyotes up, so Tarleton went to the air to make up some of the yardage.

He found Thomas for five, but an incomplection set up a 4<sup>th</sup> and 15 from the Coyotes end of the field.

Once again Carter got the number, pulled in the pass, and got away from his defenders for 18 yards and a key first down.

Lozano threw a great block on the next play as Thomas picked up eight yards; Rodriguez then finished off the drive with



Derek Rodrigues, #16 just out of reach of a Cougar, in Friday nights victory over Klondike, 60-18.

runs of 19 yards and six yards to put the ball in the end zone.

At the 2:22 mark, the Coyotes led 30-0.

A breakdown in coverage on Klondike's first play from scrimmage on the ensuing drive gave the hosts their first points of the game, a 60-yard pass play which a successful PAT kick.

Despite Lozano's great sideline catch to stop the clock with seconds left in the half, the Coyotes were unable to score but still led 30-8 at intermission.

With intermittent rain throughout the evening, oddly enough the slick playing field had yield no turnovers--until the second half.

Lozano and Pinkerton's defense stifled the Cougars as play resumed in the third quarter.

Klondike was forced to punt, and it looked as if the Coyotes were set to end the game early.

Pinkerton got a touch on offense as he took a reverse handoff from Tarleton and rambled for 13 yards and a

first down.

However, on the following play, the Coyotes fumbled the ball and the Cougars recovered on their own 18-yard line.

Facemask penalties--which haunted the Coyotes all evening--gave Klondike two first downs in the drive as they marched to the Coyote 11.

Gicklhorn stopped Klondike for a loss of three while teammates Pinkerton and Lozano made stops for no gain.

The Coyotes held on fourth down, but another facemask penalty--the third of the drive--gave the Cougars another chance to get in the end zone.

A reception to the four-yard line came up short as the Coyotes took over deep in their own territory.

A muffed snap by quarterback Tarleton resulted in a safety on the very next play. Klondike got the two points and the free kick but then fumbled the ball back to the Coyotes on the first play.

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# Chalk one up for the Coyote Pups

The Borden Jr. High Coyote Pups finally got the elusive "W" they had been searching for this season with an exciting 20-18 win over the visiting Klondike Cougars.

The game came down to the final play, and the Pups stopped the driving Cougars to take the district win.

The opening defensive possession for BJH indicated that the Coyotes were ready to play.

Miller Valentine recorded a two-yard sack on the very first play of the game, and the Pups went on to hold on downs as Valentine also made the 4<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> stop.

Quentin Shafer rushed for five yards as the Coyote Pups took over on their own 38-yard line.

Shafer would go on to pick up 22 more yards following the blocking of Chase Pinkerton, but a penalty and a fumble stopped the drive despite a 13-yard end around rushing play by Brice Smith.

The Cougars took over after the fumble recovery deep in their own end of the field, but the visitors put together an impressive 74-yard scoring drive.

Pinkerton did all he could to stop the drive, twice pushing the Cougars back for lost yardage, including a sack near the goal on the four-yard line.

The next play, however, the Klondike running back got away from both Pinkerton and Tim Crenshaw's grasps and scored.

Valentine blocked the PAT to keep it a 6-0 lead for the Cougars.

The Cougars benefited seconds later on another Coyote fumble as Shafer lost the ball despite a 17-yard kickoff return.

However, Cory Teel pressured the line and got through to force an incomplete pass as he and

another 7<sup>th</sup> Grader, Clay Harding, did a good job on defense.

Thanks to their efforts, the Cougars were facing 3<sup>rd</sup> and 22 when yet another 7<sup>th</sup> Grader--newcomer Jake Cooley--recovered a Cougar fumble after Pinkerton's hard hit jarred the ball loose.

The fumble curse continued, though, as the Coyotes ran two plays and then turned it over again.

With a 1:19 remaining in the half, Klondike faced a tough Coyote Pup defense as Shafer and Cooley teamed up to make the stop on the Cougar runner after a short gain.

Crenshaw and Shafer did the same on the next play to set up a 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5 situation with only :54 left.

Logan Howard and Valentine then went to work as they rushed in the backfield and forced a sack.

The Coyote Pups took over and ran four plays, all falling short of the end zone.

Klondike had time for one play before the intermission, but a good rush by Harding and good downfield coverage by Shafer kept them from scoring.

The halftime break gave the Pups time to regroup, and the guys came out and took it to the Cougars.

Pinkerton had rushes of six, nine, and 39 yards to set up the six yard touchdown run for Shafer.

Pinkerton then did a drop kick PAT which gave the Pups two more points and the lead, 8-6 with 4:17 left in the third quarter.

A 34-yard kickoff return put Klondike back in good field position.

Solo tackles by Pinkerton and Cooley were not enough to prevent the Cougars from nearing the end zone as Klondike had a first and goal from the 13.

Harding's pressure with help from Valentine led to an

incomplete pass.

The very next play Pinkerton and Shafer sandwiched the Klondike runner, making it 4<sup>th</sup> and goal from the five-yard line.

With 1:20 in the quarter, though, Klondike got outside and scored to retake the lead, 12-8.

Crenshaw fell on the short kickoff, setting the Coyote offense up in good field position on the 35.

Pinkerton, operating out of the spread, went to Pascual Espinoza on a pass play but just overthrew his receiver.

On 2<sup>nd</sup> down, Pinkerton ran a spin cycle move downfield for 28 yards and a first down which once again set up another Shafer scoring run--this one an 18-yarder after the handoff from Valentine.

The PAT pass was complete but short of the goal line as the Coyotes held a 14-12 lead with :50 to go in the third quarter.

Klondike wasted no time. Just two plays later the Cougars scored on a 47-yard run. Thanks to a big rush by Cooley, Smith, and Valentine on the PAT kick, Klondike did not get any more points.

Trailing 18-14 with only seconds left in the quarter, the Coyote Pups worked out of the backfield as Shafer and Cooley picked up yardage on the ground.

Cooley's 23-yard rush was good for a first down and moved the ball to the Coyote 37-yard line.

Shafer took the next three handoffs, moving the ball to the Cougar 20.

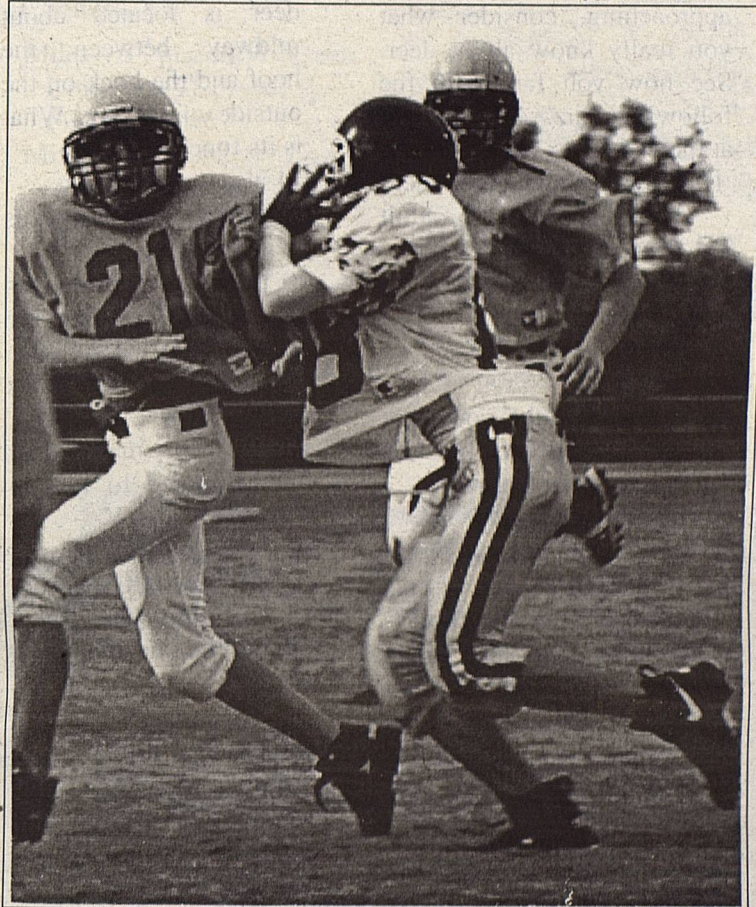
After an incomplete pass play, Shafer went 10 yards and then five more yards to give BJH a first and goal

from the five.

Crenshaw then threw an awesome block, paving the way for Smith on an end around as the Coyote Pups scored with 4:03 left in the game.

Leading 20-18, the Coyotes attempted an onside kick and Pinkerton recovered

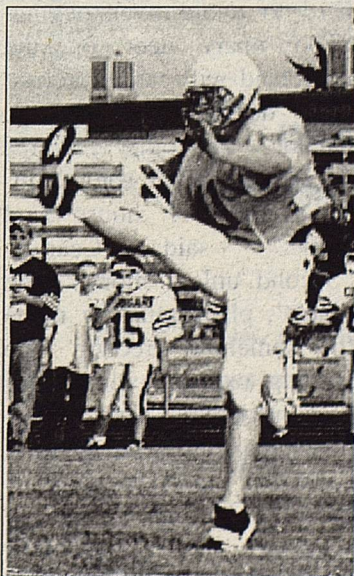
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#21, Jake Cooley, leads blocking for #41 Chase Pinkerton.



#10, Quentin Shaffer, heads to the end zone, while #12, Logan Howard is ready to block anyone trying to stop the TD.



#41 Chase Pinkerton, gets a perfect kick off for the extra point.





**Let Me Get My Hat!**  
By Dennis Poole,  
Borden County CEA-Ag.

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## Test your Deer IQ

With deer season fast approaching, consider what you really know about deer. See how you fare with the following quiz. Answers are at the end (But, don't peek!).

- How many permanent teeth should an adult deer have?
  - 24
  - 32
  - 36
  - 38
- Where would you look on a buck to find its vomeronsal organ?
  - base of eye
  - between its hooves
  - scrotum
  - roof of its mouth
- White-tailed and mule deer will interbreed, and the resulting cross is fertile. True or False
- How many teats does a doe have?
  - just one
  - two
  - four
  - six
- How many parts are there to a deer's stomach?
  - just one
  - two
  - three
  - four
- Which of the following structures is responsible for the "eyeshine" of a deer when a spotlight illuminates a deer at night?
  - fovea centralis
  - pineal gland
  - tapetum
  - glandus reflectorus
  - Q-beamus detectus
- What is the gestation period in white-tailed deer?
  - 205 days
  - 240 days
  - 280 days
  - 310 days
- The metatarsal gland in deer is located about midway between the hoof and the hock on the outside of the leg. What is its function?
  - alarm notification
  - signals deer's status in the herd
  - produces pheromones involved with the "rut"
  - the function is unknown
- About how many deer are estimated to live in Texas?
  - 200,000 head
  - 800,000 head
  - 1.8 million head
  - 4 million head
- Which of the following woody plant species provides the most desirable browse for white-tailed deer in Texas?
  - hackberry
  - shinoak
  - liveoak
  - blueberry cedar

Answers: 1. b, 2. d, 3. True, 4. c, 5. d, 6. c, 7. a, 8. d, 9. d, 10. a

If you would like to learn more, attend the "Deer Appreciation Day" to be held on October 22, 2003 in Gail, Texas. For More information, contact the Texas Cooperative Extension-Borden County office at 806/756-4336 or contact your local county Extension agent.

## Water Rationing Has Been Lifted



## Feeding Deer – Supplementing or Baiting

By Dennis Poole, Borden Co. CEA-Ag

Wildlife biologists are often asked, "What and when should I feed the deer?" "Nothing – ever" may well be the answer according to Ken Cearley, Texas Cooperative Extension wildlife associate at San Antonio.

"Usually, the best way to feed deer is to let them find their own groceries on the range," said Cearley. "We can ensure deer are getting adequate nutrients for optimal growth, reproduction and antler development through good land stewardship. This means sound grazing practices and well-planned brush management. Few things are more rewarding to a land manager – and all wildlife managers are land managers – than knowing his or her efforts have improved the health of the rangeland and the wildlife that live there. The first step then in feeding deer is to have the range in top shape through proper use and proper stocking of livestock and wildlife.

Cearley said land managers with properly stocked range and high quality pasture who still insist on feeding should consider three important factors before proceeding. First, assuming that feeding deer will produce more fawns, the manager must have some means to thin the herd to avoid overstocking. "Too many deer on the rangeland will cause overuse and degradation of the habitat, in other words, they'll literally eat themselves out of house and home," said Cearley. "Second, unless 'money is no object', plans must be made to somehow recoup the feeding expense which will be considerable, especially if done year-round. And third, consider the effect of abruptly halting a feeding program if it becomes necessary. Will the deer have become dependent on the supplement for their existence? If so, they will

suffer because an artificially high number of deer are present compared to what the habitat alone can support. Simply put, once started, you may become locked-in to a feeding program forever."

Cearley said specific goals must be set before becoming married to a deer feeding program. Bucks with larger and more massive antlers are often a major factor. Sometimes a greater number of fawns are sought. Or the objective might be the help carry the animals through a particularly stressful dry time or extremely cold period. Maybe the need is simply to attract deer for observation or hunting.

"Managers serious about accomplishing their goals should decide whether they want to feed a dietary supplement or just use feed as an attractant or bait," said Cearley. "The two feeding methods are not the same, and require considerably different feedstuffs.

"True supplementation involves feeding nutrients that are lacking in the diet. These feeds commonly contain sources of energy and/or minerals, and protein. Protein is usually the primary nutrient of concern. A level of 16-20 percent crude protein in the deer diet supplement is generally considered best. There are scores of high quality deer feeds made today that will meet this protein level."

Baiting is what is practiced by many, if not most, Texas deer hunters and many wildlife observers to draw deer within range. Cearley said since shelled corn is highly palatable to deer and is thus a strong attractant, millions of pounds were reported sold in Texas during

2000 alone. That's six million 50-pound bags.

"If you want to just attract deer and not necessarily increase their nutritional plane, shelled corn will probably fill the bill," said Cearley.

"Avoid using corn to fill a large portion of the deer's diet because it's basically a source of starch, or energy, and it's woefully short on protein and mineral content.

"White-tailed deer are ruminants, meaning they have a four-chambered stomach like a cow. They eat, until the reumen (first chamber) is full, then bed down and ruminate, or chew the cud -- regurgitated rumen contents -- and swallow again.

"Their digestive system requires at least an 8 percent protein level to enable the rumen's digestive bacteria to break down the plant materials for further digestion. Corn's protein content isn't high enough to maintain rumen function. Corn is an energy feed. It's good for boosting deer through extraordinarily stressful periods, such as extreme cold."

All things considered, Cearley feels balancing a well-managed habitat with a proper stocking rate is the most gratifying and cost-effective way to provide for a deer herd's dietary needs. He warns managers who remain convinced that supplemental deer feeding is advantageous to carefully weigh all the options and consequences they'll face before ordering that first truckload of feed.

Want to learn more? Attend "Deer Appreciation Day" on October 22<sup>nd</sup> in Gail, Texas. For more information, contact the Texas Cooperative Extension-Borden County office at 806/756-4336 or contact your local county Extension agent.

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# 4-H News

## Show Results

By Dennis Poole, Borden Co. CEA-Ag

### West Texas State Fair Steer Results

Several 4-H and FFA members traveled to Abilene recently to attend the West Texas State Fair. Placings were as follows:

- Shelby Roberts - 3<sup>rd</sup> place  
LW Angus
- Lacey Roberts - 5<sup>th</sup> place  
MW Shorthorn
- Shelby Roberts - 4<sup>th</sup> place  
HW Shorthorn
- LaShae Johnson - 2<sup>nd</sup> place  
LMW Chianina
- LaShae Johnson - 4<sup>th</sup> place  
HW Maine
- Kylan Reynolds - 7<sup>th</sup> place  
HW Maine
- Chelsea Stephens - 3<sup>rd</sup> place  
MW Simmental
- Kalli Poole - 1<sup>st</sup> place  
LW Simbrah and Breed  
Champion
- Kalli Poole - 2<sup>nd</sup> place  
LW American and Reserve  
Breed Champion

Congratulations to these exhibitors and their families.

### South Plains Fair Results

Borden County 4-H and FFA members traveled to the South Plains Fair in Lubbock September 25-27. A total of 252 steers were exhibited at this years competition. Members and their beef projects placed quite well throughout the day. Placings

were as follows:

- Shelby Roberts - 6<sup>th</sup> place  
HW British
- Lacey Roberts - 10<sup>th</sup> place  
HW British
- Chelsea Stephens - 7<sup>th</sup> place  
MW Non-Black Crossbreed
- LaShae Johnson - 9<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>  
place MW Black Crossbred
- Kalli Poole - 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place  
LW American Cross and  
Reserve Breed Champion

In the sheep division, there were over 400 entries in the lamb show. Borden County 4-H and FFA members competed quite well in this area also. Placings were as follows:

- Miller Valentine - 6<sup>th</sup> place  
LW Finewool Cross;  
3<sup>rd</sup> place MW Finewool  
Cross; 2<sup>nd</sup> place LW MW;  
and 2<sup>nd</sup> place HLW  
Medium Wool
- Miles Valentine - 2<sup>nd</sup> place  
LW Finewool Cross; 9<sup>th</sup>  
Place LW Finewool Cross;  
6<sup>th</sup> place LW Southdown;  
and 8<sup>th</sup> place LW Medium  
Wool
- Kate Wallace - 11<sup>th</sup> place  
LW Southdown; 6<sup>th</sup> place  
HW Southdown; and 12<sup>th</sup>  
place HW Medium Wool.

Borden Count members exhibited eleven lambs and eight steers at the South Plains Fair and competition proved to be quite stiff in both barns, throughout this

event.

Thanks to all the parents and supporters of these members for assisting in the transportation and preparation of lambs and steer projects.

### Results from Various Jackpot Shows

Miller and Miles Valentine, 4-H members, traveled to Boerne, Comfort and Big Spring, Texas to exhibit their lambs projects. These young men are members of the Texas Club Lamb Association (TCLA), the largest association of lamb exhibitors in the state of Texas. Congratulations to these young showman. Placings are as follows:

### Kendall County Fair, Boerne, TX

- Miles - 4<sup>th</sup> place LW Southdown and 2<sup>nd</sup> place MW Southdown
- Miller - 4<sup>th</sup> place LW Fine-Wool and 7<sup>th</sup> place HW Finewool Cross

### Hill County Classic, Comfort, TX

- Miles - 3<sup>rd</sup> place LW Southdown and 7<sup>th</sup> place LW Finewool Cross
- Miller - 3<sup>rd</sup> place LW Fine-Wool Cross and 5<sup>th</sup> place MW Finewool Cross

### Howard County Fair, Big Spring, TX

- Miles - 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> place  
MW Southdown

- Miller - 4<sup>th</sup> place LW Fine-Wool Cross and 3<sup>rd</sup> place LW Medium Wool

Miller won the Junior Showmanship buckle.

LaShae Johnson, 4-H and FFA member, traveled to Howard County Fair and exhibited her beef project. LaShae is a member of the Texas Club Calf Association, the largest association of steer exhibitors in the state. Congratulations to LaShae for her success. Placings were:

- Maine Anjou - 1<sup>st</sup> place HW  
And Champion Maine  
Chianina - 2<sup>nd</sup> place HW  
And Reserve Chianina  
Congratulations to these exhibitors and their families!



## FALL FESTIVAL

**SATURDAY, NOV. 1<sup>ST</sup>**

**5:30 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.**

**GAMES - PRIZES - FOOD  
AND LOTS OF FUN!**

**COME OUT AND HELP SUPPORT THE  
STUDENTS AND ENJOY THE EVENING.**

Money received from the Class Booths will go to individual classes and the money received from Parent's Club Bingo will go towards the 2004 Senior Scholarship Fund.  
[BINGO WILL LAST UNTIL 10:00 P.M. Stay and enjoy the fun!]

## Trick or Treat for then Needy

Sponsored by M&M Kids

M&M kids will be doing a special "Trick or Treating" on Wednesday, October 29<sup>th</sup>. from 5 to 6 p.m.

for canned goods to be donated to Area Food Pantrys.

If you can't be home at this time, please leave a sack of food on your door step, and we will pick it up.

Thanks,  
M&M Kids, FBC





# Victory over Klondike

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Gicklhorn's fumble recovery on the Cougar 33-yard line set up the next scoring drive.

Thomas took the handoff from Carter—who had moved to quarterback for an injured Tarleton—for a 24-yard gain to the nine.

A good block by Soto put Thomas in for the six points, his first of two touchdowns on the night.

Pinkerton's kick with 2:15 left in the third quarter made it a 38-10 score.

The defense ruled again as the Cougars were unable to get past midfield thanks to a Pinkerton tackle in the backfield on 4<sup>th</sup> and 8.

The ball went over on downs at the 38-yard line as the third period came to a close.

Holding penalties back the Coyotes up, but Thomas took care of that with a 56-yard touchdown run highlighted by some shake and bake moves in the backfield.

Pinkerton, who scored 18 points in the game, kicked his fifth PAT of the game to put the Coyotes up 46-10.

The Cougars would score their last points of the game on their next possession—a 13-yard scoring strike followed by a PAT kick.

The onside kick attempt was recovered by Pinkerton on the 32, and the Coyotes went back to work.

Another Tarleton, younger brother Austin, stepped in for quarterbacking duties on this drive.

Tarleton handed off to Clint Chapman on two plays for short yardage and then went to Thomas who picked up the first-down yardage.

Rodriguez took the next pitch and did the Larry-Csonka thing on a 36-yard rumble down the sideline for his third touchdown.

Good blocking, a good snap and a good hold gave Pinkerton his sixth PAT kick and the Coyotes a 54-18 lead.

Three sophomores teamed

up to put the stop on the Cougars following the kickoff.

Gicklhorn made the kickoff return tackle, Soto stripped the ball from the Cougar runner on the next play, and Lamming hustled to fall on it.

Tarleton (as in Austin) worked the offense alongside Taylor Peterson, Chapman, Lamming, Gicklhorn, and Soto.

Lamming rushed for 18 yards on the drive, and Soto finished it off with a 19-yard end around with 3:13 left in the game.

The score made it a 60-18 margin.

The remaining highlights came on the defensive side of the ball as Peterson, Kylan Reynolds, and Soto lined up and drew their opponents in motion, forcing a five-yard illegal procedure call against Klondike.

Peterson then burst through the middle to hit the quarterback who released the ball early for no gain on the play as Kylan Reynolds offered some good downfield coverage.

## Reunion Planned

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will get together during the game and will continue visiting at a reception which will be held in the school cafeteria immediately following the game.

On fourth down and long, the Cougars went to the end zone but Tarleton (the Younger) stepped up and pulled down the interception.

Next up for the Coyotes will be perennial rival Sands Mustangs.

The Mustangs host this year's game Friday night at 7:30 in Ackerly.

### FINAL STATS

**First downs:** 15  
**Total yards:** 432  
**Yards allowed:** 238  
**Fumbles lost:** 2  
**Penalties:** 13/110  
**Interceptions:** 1  
**Recovered fumbles:** 2  
**PASSING:** Tarleton (6/11/47 yards, 2 TD's)  
**RECEPTIONS:** Carter (2/22); Lozano (2/12-1 TD); Pinkerton (1/8-1 TD); Thomas (1/5)  
**RUSHING:** Thomas (14-160-2 TD's); Rodriguez (16-155-3 TD's); Soto (1-19 1 TD); Lamming (3-18); Pinkerton (1-13); Carter (3-10); Chapman (4-8)  
**TACKLES:** Gicklhorn (3 assists, 7 solos, 1 fumble recovery); Pinkerton (4 assists, 2 solos); Carter (2 assists, 4 solos); Rodriguez (3 assists, 3 solos, 1 sack); Lozano (1 assist, 6 solos); Wilson (3 assists, 1 solo); Lamming (1 assist, 3 solos, 1 fumble recovery); Reynolds (2 solos); Peterson (1 assist, 1 hurry); Chapman (1 assist); Soto (2 solos, caused 1 fumble)

On Saturday, BHS Exes and friends will gather together again at 1:00 p.m. at the Scurry County Coliseum in Snyder. A banquet room has been set for visiting.

Refreshments will be served alone with lots of visiting and fun. Make plans to attend this homecoming celebration and enjoy catching up on ol' friends.

# Coyote Pups

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it on the 35-yard line.

An unsportsmanlike conduct call against Klondike moved the ball to the 25-yard line.

Valentine went to the air and found Pinkerton out in the flats for an 14-yard gain.

Shafer picked up the first down yardage and stayed in bounds to keep the clock running.

Klondike called a time out with 1:44 remaining as BJH needed just seven yards to ice the game.

Three running plays only moved the ball to the four yard line, and the Cougars were forced to use their last timeouts to stop the clock.

On 4<sup>th</sup> and goal from the two, Cooley's effort left him just short of the goal as Klondike held with a minute

remaining.

Pinkerton made a touchdown saving tackle as Klondike got outside to the 22-yard line.

The Cougars fumbled on the next play, recovered, but lost four yards.

The final seconds ticked off with Pinkerton making the final tackle, securing the win for the Coyote Pups.

Winning Coyotes for the jr. high team include 8<sup>th</sup> Graders Crenshaw, Howard, Pinkerton, Shafer, Smith, and Valentine while 7<sup>th</sup> Graders Cooley, Espinoza, Harding, Tyrell Massingill, and Teel also contributed to the victory.

Sands comes to town Thursday for a 5:30 kickoff followed by the jr. varsity game.

*From the Counselor:*  
 By Mary Airhart

### PSAT reminder:

The PSAT will be administered to all Borden County sophomore and junior students on Tuesday, October 21<sup>st</sup>, beginning at 9:50 a.m. The test will take about two hours and 45 minutes, so students will miss 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and


5<sup>th</sup> period classes and tutorials. They may be 5 or 10 minutes late to lunch.

The students have been given practice materials and are encouraged to prepare for these important tests.

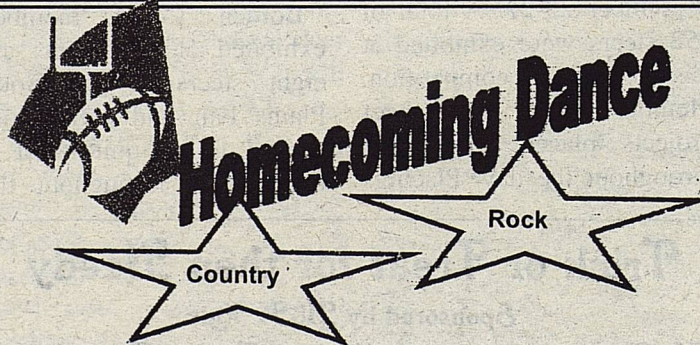
## COYOTE FOOTBALL

**Thursday, October 16<sup>th</sup>**  
 JH Football - Sands - H - 6:00 p.m.  
 JV Football - Sands - H - 7:30 p.m.

**Friday, October 17<sup>th</sup>**  
 HS Football - Sands - T - 7:30 p.m.



**2003 Homecoming - October 24<sup>th</sup>.**  
**GO COYOTES!!**  
 Join the Crowd and Back the Coyotes!



**Homecoming Dance**

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When: Friday, October 24<sup>th</sup>.  
 Where: Borden County Show Barn  
 Time: Following game until 12:30 a.m.

## GO COYOTES!!!!



# 4H NEWS

## 4-H Fashion Follies

The District 2 4-H Fashion Follies were held in Lubbock on Saturday, September 20<sup>th</sup> with the modeling and recognition event at the South Plains Fair at 2:00 p.m. This year's theme was "Operation 4-H Fashion". Participants and their awards from Borden County included: Raylea Underwood who placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Jr. I - Buying/Dressy Category. Raylea is a Borden County 4-H member who completed a clothing and textiles project during this 2002-2003 4-H year. Congratulations Raylea!

## Junior 4-H Club Meeting

The Borden County Junior 4-H Club will meet on Monday, October 20<sup>th</sup> from 3:45 to 5:00 p.m. Refreshments will be provided. We will re-enroll for this 4-H year, elect officers for this year, discuss opportunities through 4-H for the fall and spring, and have a brief program on *What 4-H Has to Offer You*. The community service project will be a book drive which will be donated to Buckner's Children's Home in Lubbock. Any youth ages 9 (or currently enrolled in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade) through 8<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to attend. For more information contact the Extension office at 756-4336 or [borden-tx@tamu.edu](mailto:borden-tx@tamu.edu)

## Lamesa High School Hosting College Night

Lamesa High School is hosting a College Night on Thursday, October 23, 2003, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Area juniors and seniors and their parents are invited to attend this event. This undertaking is being organized to offer area students and parents the opportunity to talk with college representatives without having to travel to Lubbock or Midland/Odessa. We hope to continue to keep a night on the TACRAO (Texas Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers) circuit. Students and their parents are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity.

This College Night will allow parents and students to visit booths and representatives from the colleges they are interested in. This night will be an ideal time for parents and students to have their personal questions answered and to receive current materials, applications, catalogs, etc.

If you have any questions, please call Julia Paske, Counselor Lamesa High school at 806/872-8385

## Author to present program to students

On Monday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, at 9:00 a.m., Arkansas author David M. Sargent, Jr. and his gods will be coming to Borden County Schools to speak to students in grades K-6<sup>th</sup> about the importance of reading and writing. Mr. Sargent will share some experiences of his furry friends and tell how they inspired him to become a writer.

Parents are invited and encouraged to attend this presentation which is designed to help develop a better understanding of achievement and the pride that comes with success. The author will sign any copies of his many books which are available for purchase.

## School Menu

### Week Of:

Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup>, 2003

**MONDAY:** Pizza, Corn, Okra, Fruit & Milk.  
**Breakfast:** Hot Pocket, Fruit Juice and Milk.

**TUESDAY:** Chicken Fried Steak, Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Fruit & Milk.  
**Breakfast:** Cereal & Toast, Fruit Juice & Milk.

**WEDNESDAY:** Chicken Nuggets, Green Peas, Potatoes, Rolls, Fruit & Milk.  
**Breakfast:** Biscuit w/gravy, Fruit Juice & Milk

**THURSDAY:** Fish, Black-eye Peas, Potato Salad, Hush Puppies, Fruit & Milk.  
**Breakfast:** Breakfast Burrito, Juice, & Milk.

**FRIDAY:** Cheeseburger, French fries, Salad Cup, Cookie, & Milk  
**Breakfast:** Biscuit w/gravy, Sausage, Oatmeal, Fruit Juice, & Milk.

## Thank You!

*We would like to thank everyone for the prayers, cards, flowers, food and words of encouragement during the loss of our husband, dad and papa.*

*We are very fortunate to have such wonderful and caring friends in Borden County.*



*Again, Thank you and God Bless!  
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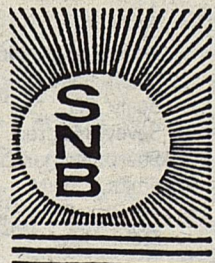
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## Frightfully Fun Halloween Recipes

(NAPS)—Halloween is the holiday that most indulges the imagination and invites the outrageous. Best of all, it's not just for kids anymore—it has become a family holiday, when parents and children spend time together carving pumpkins, creating costumes and planning delicious party fare.

In fact, in many neighborhoods around the country, community Halloween parties are being organized—often with the participation of local schools—to give kids an alternative way to enjoy the occasion.

Of course, one of the more enjoyable parts of Halloween is the food. Michelle McAdoo of the Kraft Kitchens recommends these devilish dishes to scare up some excitement in young ghouls and goblins.



Creating Ghosts in the Graveyard Cups together is a fun part of making Halloween a holiday for everyone.

### SPOOKY EYEBALL TACOS

1 lb. ground beef  
1 pkg. (10½ oz.) TACO BELL HOME ORIGINALS Taco Dinner Kit  
Shredded lettuce  
Chopped tomatoes  
BREAKSTONE'S or KNUDSEN Sour Cream

MIX meat and Seasoning Mix. Shape into 36 (1-inch) balls; place in 13 x 9-inch baking dish. Bake at 350°F for 15 to 20 minutes or until cooked through.

FILL each of 12 Taco Shells with 1 meatball, Taco Sauce, lettuce and tomato.

TOP with 2 additional meatballs dipped in sour cream. Garnish with sliced pitted ripe olives to create "eyes."

### GHOSTS IN THE GRAVEYARD CUPS

1 pkg. (16 oz.) OREO Sandwich Cookies  
¾ cups cold milk  
2 pkgs. (4 servings each) JELL-O Chocolate Flavor Instant Pudding & Pie Filling  
1 tub (12 oz.) COOL WHIP Whipped Topping, thawed  
Candies, such as candy corn or jelly beans

CRUSH cookies in zipper-style plastic bag.

POUR cold milk in large bowl. Add pudding mixes. Beat with wire whisk 2 minutes. Gently stir in 3 cups of the whipped topping and a half cup of the crushed cookies.

LAYER pudding mixture,

remaining crushed cookies and candies in small glasses or clear plastic cups. Decorate as desired. Refrigerate until ready to serve.

### Pumpkin Carving Tips

- Draw a face on the pumpkin with markers before you start to carve.

- Cut the top of the pumpkin off at an angle, so it won't fall through. Or, just cut out a hole in the back, scoop out the seeds and slide the candle through the hole.

- To keep the candle standing up straight, secure it in melted wax on a jar lid.

- If carving isn't your style, paint the pumpkin instead.

For more food ideas and great tips on how to celebrate the season, visit [kraftfoods.com](http://kraftfoods.com).

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