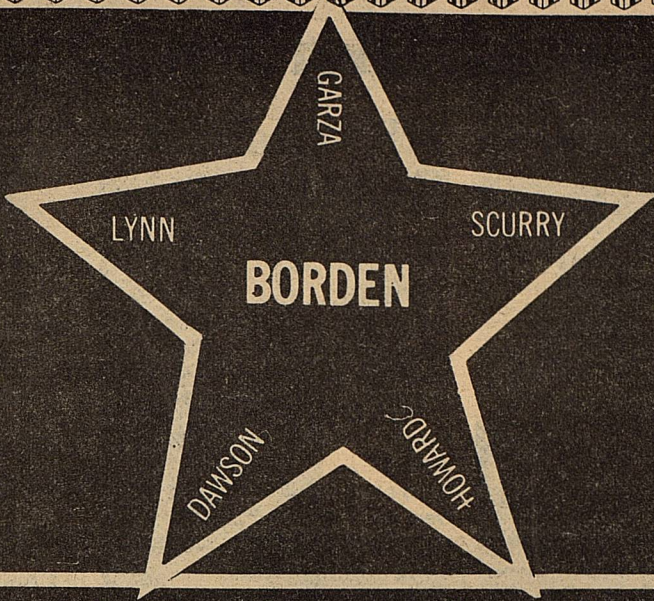


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## 4-H Members Honored

Outstanding youths from 20 South Plains counties were saluted and challenged to continue to achieve and accept leadership at the annual District 2 4-H Gold Star Banquet here Monday night, November 19.

Forty boys and girls received the highest county award offered in the 4-H Club program—the Gold Star Award—at the banquet at Coronado High School. With it, each youth received the acclaim of parents, fellow 4-H'ers, government officials, Extension leaders and other community leaders.

Honored from Borden County were Karen Williams, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Williams of O'Donnell, and Ty Wills, son of Mr. & Mrs. Ty Wills of Fluvanna.

John T. Montford, Lubbock criminal district attorney, challenged the award recipients to continue to accept roles of responsibility as they become adults.

Montford gave the 4-H'ers "four R's" to remember to help them continue to be good leaders. The key words, he said, are retain, resist, respect and responsibility.

He urged them to retain the fundamental values they already have formed. "Your heritage," he said, "stems from what has been the backbone of our nation, the family unit." And he said 4-H is based on the values of the productive, cooperative family.

Resisting peer pressure brings to the forefront the strongest aspect of leadership ability, the district attorney said. "Saying 'no' is not always the popular thing, but it may be the right thing," he noted.

Respect for the law, "the very foundation of our society," also is needed, Montford said. "The place to change the laws is in the legislative process," he stressed.

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Chosen All-District for 3-B East Zone Football—L to R—Craig Peterson, Sr.—Back and Linebacker; Travis Rinehart, Sr.—Secondary; Blane Dyess—Kicker; Van York, Jr.—Offensive Guard.

## Selected All-District In Football

Craig Peterson, Blane Dyess, Travis Rinehart and Van York have been chosen for All-District Football Honors in 3-B East Zone. Borden County also had eight football players chosen for honorable mention to eleven positions.

Craig Peterson, senior and son of Mr. and Mrs.

Larry Peterson was chosen All-District Back and All-District Linebacker. Blane Dyess, senior and son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dyess was selected All-District Kicker. Travis Rinehart, also a senior and son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rinehart was chosen All-District Secondary and Van York, Junior and son of Mr. and

Mrs. Van York was chosen All-District Offensive Guard.

Receiving Honorable Mention were Travis Rinehart, Mark Walker, Blane Dyess, Bart McMeans, Tim Taylor, Maurice Herridge, Junior Benavidez, and Craig Peterson.

## Girls Win New Home Tournament

SEASON RECORD IS 9-0

The high school girls varsity managed sweeping victories in all three of its games in the New Home Hub-of-the-Plains

Tournament November 29-30-December 1.

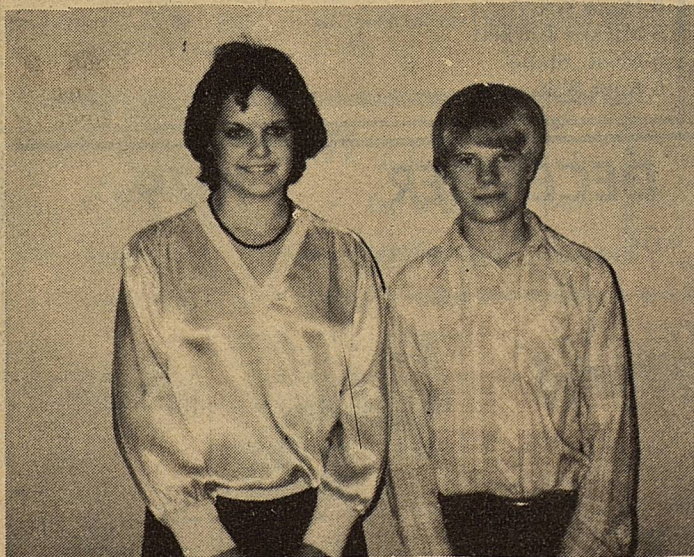
The Coyote girls defeated all of their challengers by no less than fifteen points. The entire team went forward after the tournament to accept first place trophy.

Talley Griffin was high pointer all three games and was recognized by a special sportsmanship trophy. Griffin's scores were 17 against Seagraves; 19

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GIRLS VARSITY TEAM—L to R—Back Row—Carla Jones, Karen Williams, Janna Love, Glynda Burkett, Mayme McLaury. Front Row—Gayla Newton, Gena McLeroy, Talley Griffin, Jana Edwards and Joie Brummett. Coach for the girls is Larry Steele.



1979 Gold Star Winners

KAREN WILLIAMS

TY WILLS

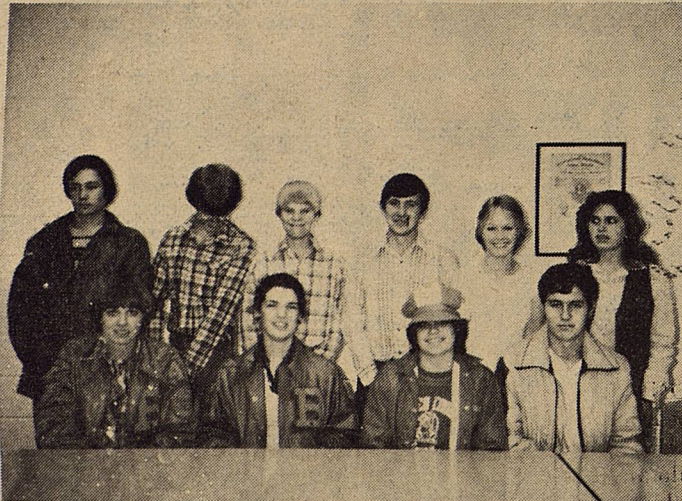
# Borden County School News

## All District Selections

3-B East Zone



High School Beta Achievement for 1st quarter- Gena McLeroy, Heather McPhaul, Tammy Telchik, Mayme McLaury, Ben Murphy, Carla Jones, Glynda Burkett.



High School Honor Roll for 1st quarter- Keith Williams, Doug Love, Ty Wills, Glen Gray, Marquita Menix, Stephanie Stephens. Front- Jana Edwards, Talley Griffin, Karen Williams and Danny Holmes. Unavailable for picture were Janna Love and David Smith.



Elem and Jr. High Beta Achievement for 1st quarter- Back L. to R- Kelli Williams, Mickey Burkett, Kristi Stone, Dana Gray, Samantha Porter, Tanya Hollis. Front- Tammy Miller, Kim Wills, Kelly Williams and Roxie Wolf.



Elem and Jr. High Honor Roll for 1st quarter- Lenora Gonzales, Michael Murphy, Shana Bradshaw, Shawna Vaughn, Becky Massingill, and John Stephens.

### OFFENSE

Back: Craig Peterson, Borden; Britt Stuart, Roby; Bruce Myrick, Sterling City. Honor. Ment. from Borden-Travis Rinehart and Mark Walker.

Quarterback: Dusty Demere, Sterling City. Honorable Mention from Borden-Blane Dyess.

End: Greg Jennings, Roby; Tony Dodds, Sterling City.

Tackle: Ramon Estrada, Sterling City; Mark McCain, Sterling City. Honorable Mention from Borden, Bart McMeans.

Guard: Toby Brazee, Jayton; Van York, Borden; Danny Chunn, Jayton; Mike McGinnis, Roby; Robert Hernandez, Sterling City.

Center: Gary Maricle, Sterling City. Honorable Mention from Borden-Tim Taylor

### DEFENSE

Guard: Todd Noletubby, Sterling City; Gordon Maberry, Roby. Honorable Mention from Borden, Maurice Herridge and Tim Taylor.

Tackle: Sam Whitley, Jayton; Duane Hirt, Garden City; Mike McGinnis, Roby. Honorable Mention from Borden- Junior Benavidez.

End: Bryan Parker, Jayton; Greg Jennings, Roby.

Linebacker: Craig Peterson, Borden; Joe McMeans, Jayton; Bruce Myrick, Sterling City. Honorable Mention from Borden, Blane Dyess.

Secondary: Travis Rinehart, Borden; Chip Brazee, Jayton; Mark Pope, Roby; Dusty Demere, Sterling City; Honorable Mention from Borden-Mark Walker

Punter: Alan Phillips, Sterling City. Honorable Mention from Borden-Craig Peterson.

Kicker: Blane Dyess, Borden County.

## HIGH SCHOOL HONORS

### Beta Achievement

#### Second Six Weeks

- 12 Glynda Burkett
- 12 Carla Jones
- 12 Ben Murphy
- 12 Mayme McLaury
- 11 Heather McPhaul
- 10 Gena McLeroy

#### First Quarter

- 12 Glynda Burkett
- 12 Carla Jones
- 12 Ben Murphy
- 12 Mayme McLaury
- 11 Heather McPhaul
- 11 Tammy Telchik
- 10 Gena McLeroy

### ATTENDANCE 9-12

Enrolled 11-21-79 75  
Aver. Daily Attend. 70.78  
Per Cent Attendance 94.38

### Honor Roll

#### Second Six Weeks

- 12 David Smith
- 12 Karen Williams
- 11 Jana Edwards
- 11 Talley Griffin
- 11 Danny Holmes
- 11 Tammy Telchik
- 9 Doug Love
- 9 Keith Williams

#### First Quarter

- 12 Janna Love
- 12 David Smith
- 12 Karen Williams
- 11 Jana Edwards
- 11 Talley Griffin
- 11 Danny Holmes
- 10 Glen Gray
- 10 Ty Wills
- 10 Marquita Menix
- 9 Doug Love
- 9 Stephanie Stephens
- 9 Keith Williams

## ELEM. JR. HIGH HONORS

### Beta Achievement

#### Second Six Weeks

- 8 Tammy Miller
- 8 Kelly Williams
- 8 Kim Wills
- 8 Roxie Wolf
- 7 Tanya Hollis
- 7 Nancy Martinez
- 7 Becky Massingill
- 7 Jeanette Massingill
- 7 Samantha Porter
- 6 Dana Gray
- 5 Mickey Burkett
- 5 John Stephens
- 5 Kristi Stone
- 5 Kelli Williams

#### First Quarter

- 8 Tammy Miller
- 8 Kelly Williams
- 8 Kim Wills
- 8 Roxie Wolf
- 7 Tanya Hollis
- 7 Samantha Porter
- 6 Dana Gray
- 5 Mickey Burkett
- 5 Kristi Stone
- 5 Kelli Williams

### Honor Roll

#### Second Six Weeks

- Shana Bradshaw
- 7 Oscar Gonzales
- 7 Barbara Sturdivant
- 7 Shawna Vaughn
- 6 Cynthia Balague
- 5 Lenora Gonzales
- 5 Brice Key
- 5 Debbie King
- 5 Michael Murphy
- 5 Julie Ridenour
- 5 Gary Smith

#### First Quarter

- 7 Shana Bradshaw
- 7 Becky Massingill
- 7 Shawna Vaughn
- 5 Lenora Gonzales
- 5 Michael Murphy
- 5 John Stephens III

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
2	3 12:37-1:07 4-H Meeting 6:00 p.m. J.H. Basketball Boys & Girls Loop - There	4 5:00 p.m. H.S. Basketball Boys & Girls New Deal-Here	5	6 7:30 p.m. Beauty Contest	7 5:00 p.m. H.S. Basketball Boys & Girls New Home-Here	8
9	10 6:00 p.m. J.H. Basketball Boys & Girls Dawson - Here	11 FFA-FHA Meetings 5:00 p.m. H.S. Basketball Boys & Girls Wilson-There	12	13 Borden County Basketball Tournament December 13-15 High School Boys & Girls	14	15
16	17	18 4:00 p.m. H.S. Basketball Boys & Girls Jayton-There	19 Teacher In-Service	20 Christmas Holidays	21	22
23 30	24 31 ←	25 Christmas Holidays	26	27	28 →	29

# Borden County School News

## Basketball News

### Boys Capture Third In Tournament

The Borden Coyote boys won third place in the New Home Hub of the Plains Tournament this past weekend. After defeating the New Home J.V. 65-18 on Thursday, the Coyotes lost 41-62 to Tahoka on Friday, and then beat McCamey 50-45 in overtime Saturday night.

Blane Dyess scored 32 points and grabbed 12 rebounds against the New Home J.V. In all 9 Coyote players scored with Bart McMeans getting 8, Craig Peterson and Carley Doyle 5, Ben Murphy and Danny Holmes 4, Jr. Benavidez 3, Jym Rinehart and Jeff Martin 2.

Against Tahoka Dyess had 15 points and Peterson 12 to lead the Coyote scoring effort. Bart

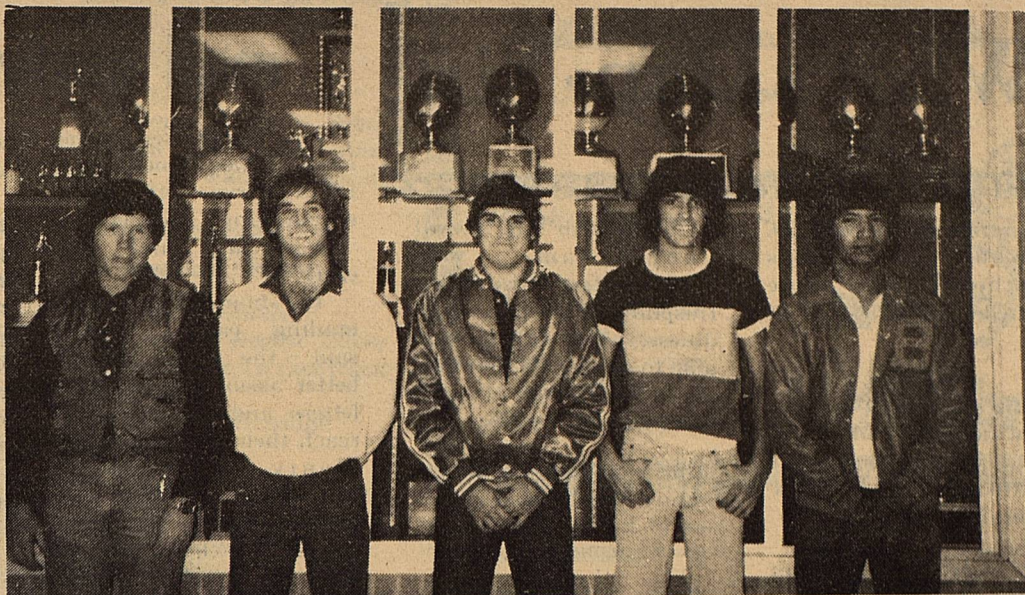
McMeans scored 6 points, Ben Murphy 4, Jym Rinehart, and Carley Doyle 2 each.

Ben Murphy scored 19 points and provided some enthusiastic leadership to lead the Coyotes past McCamey. After trailing 20-10 at the half, the Coyotes stormed to a 30-27 lead at the end of the third quarter. Field goals by Blane Dyess and Craig Peterson and 4 free throws by Murphy in the overtime sealed the win for Borden. Dyess and Peterson added 11 points and 18 rebounds for Borden and Jym Rinehart had 5 points and 7 steals. Others scoring were:

Bart McMeans and Carley Doyle 2 each.

The Coyotes are now 3-3 for the season.

-s- Lynn Maxwell



Chosen for Honorable Mention in All-District-Maurice Herridge, Mark Walker, Bart McMeans, Tim Taylor and Junior Benavidez.

### Boys Beat Ira

Bart McMeans hit 6 of 6 free throws and Blane Dyess hit 2 of 2 in the fourth quarter to enable the Borden Boys to beat Ira 61-58 Tuesday night. After trailing by as much as 6 points in the last quarter the Coyotes rallied to a 5 point lead on McMeans two free throws with 9 seconds remaining in the game. The Coyotes made 17 of 22 free throws for the game.

Blane Dyess led the Coyotes with 17 points, Craig Peterson had 16, and Bart McMeans 14. Others scoring were Jym Rinehart 8, Ben Murphy 4 and Carley Doyle 2.

The Coyotes are 1-2 and compete in the New Home Tournament this week-end.

### Varsity Girls Smother Ira

Talley Griffin scored 20 points to lead her team in an 83-32 win over the Ira Bulldogs. Janna Love followed closely with 17 points; Karen Williams, 10; Jana Edwards, Gayla Newton, Joie Brummett, and Glynda Burkett had 6 points each. Carla Jones scored 5 points; Mayme McLaury, 2; Kay Copeland, 1; and Terrie Moreno, 1.

This game, played in Ira on November the 27th was the Varsity girls 6th win in a row. They stand undefeated and play New Home here on December 7 at 6:00.

### Jr. Varsity Wins Close One

The Junior Varsity Boys upped their record to 2-0 with a 34-33 victory over Ira Tuesday night. Danny Holmes and Jeff Martin scored 8 each to pace the Coyotes. Troy King had 7, Mike Peterson 6, Kevin Telchik 3 and Darrell Green 2.

### Girls Place First

con't from page 1 against Christ the King; and 20 in the New Home game. Scores for others: Karen Williams, 28 total;

Jana Edwards 27 total; Janna Love 10; Gayla Newton 6; Glynda Burkett 13; Gena McLeroy 6; Mayme McLaury 2; Carla Jones 2.

-s- David Smith



## SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

December 10-14, 1979

### LUNCH

**MONDAY**  
Hot Dogs and Chili  
Carrot Sticks  
Jello and Fruit  
Milk  
Salad Bar

**TUESDAY**  
Pork Steak and Gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
Green Beans  
Fruit  
Hot Rolls  
Milk  
Salad Bar

**WEDNESDAY**  
Chicken and Dumplings  
Stuffed Celery  
Fruit Salad  
Hot Rolls  
Milk  
Salad Bar

**THURSDAY**  
Polish Sausage  
Potato Salad  
Pinto Beans  
Cornmeal Twists  
Milk  
Salad Bar

**FRIDAY**  
Hamburgers  
Lettuce-Tomatoes-Pickles  
French Fries  
Brownies  
Milk  
Salad Bar

### BREAKFAST

**MONDAY**  
Buttered Rice  
Fruit Juice  
Milk  
**TUESDAY**  
Hot Biscuits  
Applesauce  
Milk

**WEDNESDAY**  
Pancakes  
Fruit Juice  
Milk

**THURSDAY**  
Scrambled Eggs  
Bacon and Toast  
Fruit Juice  
Milk

**FRIDAY**  
Oatmeal  
Fruit Juice  
Milk



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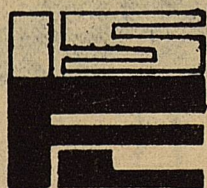
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A Christmas Wish

# What's Hap-Nin

Congratulations to O. D. Jackson and Lois Greathouse who were married November 26 in Gail.

Little Susan Brumley, infant daughter of Mike and Bonnie Brumley has been admitted to a Lubbock Hospital for tests.

Mr. Carl Voss, Jr. of Snyder, father of Terry Voss was hospitalized in Snyder after a mild heart attack.

Glad to hear that Norval Cunningham was dismissed from West Texas Hospital following a serious illness. Although he was able to enjoy a little turkey and dressing, Norval is still having to take it easy.

Our sympathy goes to Johnny Kite because of the loss of his brother, Lacey Kite of Farmersville, Texas.

Bud Cornett is recuperating in Big Spring Veterans Hospital after surgery.

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## 'Tis the season to shop early, mail early, says Postal Service

Gail Postmaster Nicole Lackey has joined other Postal Service officials in encouraging shoppers to Shop early and mail early.

By shopping early and mailing early," Lackey said, the public can be better assured their cards, letters and packages will reach their destinations in plenty of time for Christmas.

With the Christmas season now upon us, she emphasized that many suggested dates for mailing packages overseas have already begun. This means that packages should be mailed as soon as possible for overseas delivery, including delivery to the U.S. Armed Forces.

These dates, for overseas mailings, vary according to different parts of the world, Lackey pointed out. Specific information can be obtained by calling the Gail Post Office. The phrase to remember is shop early and mail early.

In addition to planning early shopping, Postmaster Lackey suggests taking the necessary time to properly prepare the cards and gifts for mailing. This includes the use of zip codes. By legibly writing both the sender's and the addressee's name, street address and zip code, the

senders is assured of better service.

A full, neatly written zip-coded address helps in processing the mail more rapidly and assists in making delivery in case portions of the address becomes illegible," Lackey noted. The Post Office also recommends proper wrapping of gifts to be mailed, including the use of strong packaging materials.

Remember," Lackey closed, "The key to the successful mailing of cards

and parcels is to allow adequate time. Shop early, allow enough time to properly prepare cards and parcels for mailing, and mail early. By cooperating with the Post Office in this manner, you will help us help you have a better Christmas."

### Parent's Club BAKE SALE

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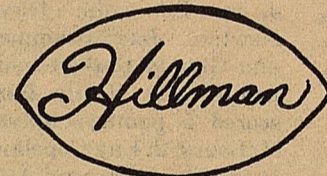
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# Letters to SANTA

## First Grade

Dear Santa  
I want a night glow racetrack and some trucks. I want an 18 wheeler.  
Love, Jason Summers

Dear Santa  
I want a football and night-glow racetrack. I want some cars.  
Love Rowdy Fulfer

Dear Santa  
I want a remote control car and trucks. I want some cars.  
Love Chad Conner

Dear Santa  
I want a trampoline and some trucks. I want an 18 wheeler.  
Love Jason Mize

Dear Santa  
I want a Real People Set and a remote control car. I want a trampoline.  
Love Allen Pearson

Dear Santa  
I want a garage with cars and a car wash. I like you, Santa.  
Love Bruce Harris

Dear Santa  
I want Star-Wars People and a football. I want an 18 wheeler.  
Love Joe Mena

Dear Santa  
I want a BB gun and NFL Super Bowl. I want a bow and arrow. I love you, Santa.  
Love Brandon Wilson

Dear Santa  
I want a BB gun and an 18 wheeler. I want a van control. I love you.  
Martin Portales

Dear Santa  
I want Star-wars people and a night-glow race track. I want a big loader construction set.  
I love you, Paul Sturdivant

Dear Santa  
I want a race track and bosing gloves. I want a BB gun. I like you Santa.  
Love David Garza

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll and ball. I like you Santa.  
Love, Olga Villanueva

Dear Santa,  
I want a Barbie doll car and a Small Stuffed bear. I want a toy typewriter. I like you, Santa.  
Love Sandra Silva

Dear Santa  
I want a Star-Wars Station and a Mouse-trap game. I want a big loader construction set.  
Love, Jason Sharp

Dear Santa,  
I want Star-Wars People and a night-glow racetrack. I want a big loader construction set.  
Love Shane Kemper

Dear Santa  
I want a ball and a milking cow. I like you, Santa.  
Love Jo Barnes

Dear Santa,  
I want a night glow race track and a BB gun. I want 18 wheeler. I like you, Santa.  
Love Eric Lusk

Dear Santa,  
I want a bicycle and a milking cow. I want a doll that drinks milk.  
Love, Becky Gill

Dear Santa,  
I want a Star Wars Station and night-glow track. I want a Tuscan Raider.  
Love Jarrett Stanford

## Second Grade

Dear Santa Clause  
I want a electric Super bowl game and a race track and that all.  
Love Patrick Herridge

Dear Santa  
I want a doll hose. And some doll clothes. I want a Jumping Jimmy too.  
Love Kandy Belew

Dear Santa  
I want a surprise for Christmas.  
Love Cody Stone

Dear Santa Claus  
I love you! I want a baby doll and a ballerina doll.  
Love Mitzi Massingill

Dear Santa,  
I want an oven that cooks cakes and a dollcase with a girl and a boy I want some clothes and cheerleading pompoms and a taperecorder.  
Love, Rachel Wilson

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Dear Santa  
I hope you can find my houes I want a surprise.  
From Curtiss Jackson

Dear Santa Claus,  
I would like a Buck Rogers space ship. I will be at my grandmotherhouse. My sister want's super star barbe fashon plate. My sister said Hello. I love you Santa. I have been good.  
Love Lance

Dear Santa,  
I have been good. I would like to have a robot. I love you.  
From, Cody Cooley

Dear Santa,  
I have been good this year and I want an electric Super Bowl and a race track and that is all.  
Love Jim Ridenour

Dear Santa Clause  
I want some mittens. And some pompoms witha Cheerleader suit. And a nefeball. And a doll with doll clothes.  
Love Amy Lewis

Dear Santa  
I like the present you gave me last year. This year I want a dataman and a tramp-o-leen.  
Love James Smith

Dear Santa  
I want a four-ten shotgun.  
Love Bert Merritt

Dear Santa,  
I want a race car track and a sadde for my pony.  
Love Johnny Gill

Dear Santa  
I like the present you gave me last year. And guess what I want this year a tape recorder and a doll.  
Love Allison Redding

Dear Santa  
I love you. What will you bring me I want Hot Wheels and a truck and a Star Wars set. I want a Teddy bear and a car a wrecker truck I am very good.  
From Jimmy Rios

Dear Santa  
Will you bring me a barbe town house. Please brig my moma Microwave oven. I love you Santa.  
Love Kimberly Doyle

Dear Santa  
How have you been? I hope you bring me pom poms and a billfold. I have been good. Say hello to Mrs. Claus for me.  
Love Christy Holmes

Dear Santa  
I would like a Dallas Cowboys Cheerleading suit and pom poms for Christmas.  
Love Randi Rene Woodward  
Dear Santa Claus  
I won't a crisscross crash and star wars action figures and a silver streak train.  
Love Jon Herring

Dear Santa  
I want Star Wars Action Figures and Goszilla. I want a football with Roger Staubachs initials on it and an electric race car set.

I love you  
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# The Chatter Box

By, Kathy Blagrave



## SEWING HOLIDAY FABRICS

Holiday season is here and sparkle is the fashion.

Look for metallic and sequined fabrics everywhere.

When sewing with metallic or sequined fabric, select simple patterns without gathers or buttonholes. This fabric has a nap, so buy fabric according.

When pinning fabric, insert pins under sequins, not through them. Use tailor tacks for marking.

Use shears that are well sharpened because these fabrics will definitely dull blades and may eventually ruin the shears.

Make all fitting alterations before stitching.

Ripped seams will leave broken metallic disks or a permanent line of stitching holes. Use a fine needle and change often because of dulling.

As sequins break in a seam, pull off and attach new sequins.

For cleaning and pressing, read the recommendations on the end of the fabric bolt. Most fabrics must be dry-cleaned.

Press fabric on the wrong side with a dry iron at a low temperature setting.

To help prevent flattening, cover the ironing board with a terry towel.

Always test a scrap of fabric to make sure the steam will not discolor or melt the metallic.

## Reminder

The Borden County Parent's Club will meet Thursday, December 6 at 2:30 in the conference room.

Please remember Friday, December 7th is the BAKE SALE!



District 4-H Food Show Participants, John Stephens and Debby King

## Locals Attend District Food Show

Four Junior 4-H'ers from Borden County attended the District Food Show in Lubbock, Saturday, December 1, 1979. The competition was held on the campus of Texas Tech University in the Main Ballroom of the University Center.

Those exhibiting from the county were John Stephens, III, Snack & Beverage; Deborah King, Side Dish; Barbara Sturdivant, Main Dish, and Rhonda King, Bread & Dessert. The 4-H'ers did well in the competition bringing home one blue ribbon and three red ribbons.

Rona Sturdivant represented Borden 4-H as Council Delegate. Carolyn Stephens, Margaret King, and Kathy Blagrave accompanied the 4-ers to Lubbock. Kathy Blagrave also participated as a judge for the event.

The following recipes were entered. Next week we will publish the remaining recipe entries.

### BUTTERSCOTCH POPCORN

John Stephens, III

- 1 Cup white corn syrup
- 2 Packages (6 oz. each) butterscotch chips

- 1/4 cup crunchy peanut butter
- 3 quarts popped corn

Place corn syrup and butterscotch chips in 1 quart measuring cup. Place cup in microwave oven and cook 4 to 5 minutes. Stir smooth, then add peanut butter and stir again.

Place corn in 5 quart pan or dish. Pour butterscotch syrup over corn, mixing evenly. Pour and press butterscotch popcorn into 13 x 9 x 2 inch dish or pan and refrigerate until set. Serve in bars or squares.

Makes about 24 to 32 pieces.

### APRICOT SALAD

Deborah King

- 1 oz. package orange-flavored gelatin
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 Can crushed pineapple
- 2 jars apricot baby food
- 1 8 ounce package cream cheese, softened
- Whipped Topping
- Chopped Pecans

In a saucepan, heat until dissolved orange flavored gelatin, sugar, and pineapple. Cool. Add apricots and softened cream cheese. Mix until well blended. Chill until thick. Add whipped topping and sprinkle with pecans.

## Your County Agent Says By Sam Field

Fall and winter are good times for farmers and ranchers to have soil tested.

At present, Extension Service laboratories are processing soil samples as soon as they arrive, and reports are mailed within five to seven days.

Use of a new computer program has helped speed up reporting. However, waiting until near planting time to have soil tested can result in not having results when they are most useful.

In addition to getting a prompt reply from the laboratory, sampling well in advance of planting allows time to obtain needed fertilizers.

In many instances, wet soil during winter may hamper collection, advises fall sampling. Since wet soil adds to shipping costs, samples should be air-dried for a day or two. They should not be heated, however, since heating some soils to high temperatures fixes potassium so that it cannot be tested by normal laboratory procedures.

Pint boxes, mailing cartons, history sheets and instructions for collecting

and mailing samples are available from the county Extension office. Study sampling instructions and follow them as closely as possible.

To get reliable information from a soil test, the sample must be as nearly representative of soil in the field as possible. For a representative sample, make a composite by taking a core or slice of soil from 10 to 15 spots in fields not larger than 40 acres. Letting one sample represent fields as large as 100 to 200 acres only gives general information.

For specific information the sampling unit should be uniform. The exact size will depend on a number of factors, including soil variation. To sample soil properly, divide the field or farm according to the type of soil as well as past and future cropping practices.

Take enough time to collect a good sample and fill out the information sheet as completely as possible. Contact the county Extension office for details on how soil tests can supply information that will help you make greater profits from fertilizer use.

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# Jere's Gottings

I tried to say goodbye to the Rimrock but I couldn't do it without smearing up the paper and dehydrating myself. So just read this poem which I found on a yellowed newspaper clipping tucked in a book. The book was one I cleared out up yonder. As a matter fact the poem says my sentiments far better then I could ever say.

If you can keep your head when all about you  
Are losing theirs and blaming it on you,  
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,  
But make allowances for their doubting too;  
If you can wait and not be tired by waiting,  
Or be lied about, don't deal in lies,  
Or being hated, don't give way to hating,  
And yet don't look too good, nor talk too wise;  
If you can dream-and not make dreams your master;  
If you can think-and not make thoughts your aim;  
If you can meet with triumph and disaster  
And treat those two imposters just the same;  
If you can bear to hear the truth you've spoken  
Twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools,  
Or watch the things you gave your life to, broken,  
And stoop and build'em up with worn-out tools  
If you can make one heap of all your winnings  
And risk it on one turn of pitch-and-toss,  
And lose, and start again at your beginnings,  
And never breathe a word about your losses;  
If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew  
To serve your turn long after they are gone,  
And so hold on when there is nothing in you  
Except the will which says to them: "Hold on!"  
If you can walk with crowds and keep your virtue,  
Or walk with kings-nor lose the common touch,  
If neither foes nor loving friends can hurt you,  
If all men count on you, but none too much;  
If you can fill the unforgiving minute  
With sixty seconds' worth of distance run,  
Yours is the earth and everything that's in it,  
And - which is more - you'll be a Man, my son!

IN THE GENERAL course of human nature, a power over a man's subsistence amounts to the power over his will."  
-Alexander Hamilton

# ASCS News

By JERRY STONE

## Long Term Agreements (LTA)

Signup period for 1980 long term agreements began Monday, December 3, 1979, and will continue through Friday, December 21, 1979.

All practices under the 1980 Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP) are eligible for cost-share assistance under LTA's. A conservation plan of operation must be worked out with the Soil Conservation Service which will develop the practices to be carried out over a contract period of 3 to 5 years.

Since Borden County is covered by the Great Plains Program, contracts can be approved on part farms or ranches only. Cost-shares are limited to \$3,500.00 per year.

If interested please contact the ASCS Office.

## Disaster Program

Crops which have been affected by adverse weather conditions could qualify for disaster payments provided you file your claim within 15 days after harvest is completed. Claims on acreage not harvested for lint or grain must be filed before plowing, grazing or making other use of the acreage.

## Cotton Production

We need your cotton production cards (ASCS 503) as soon as you complete harvesting. Make sure your cotton is properly identified at the gin by farms. If additional cards are needed they may be obtained at the County Office.

## Livestock Feed Program

We are now accepting requests for the Livestock Feed Program. If you are feeding above normal and have suffered at least a 40 percent loss in feed normally produced for livestock, come by the office and file your application.

## Wool and Unshorn Lambs

Producers are reminded to bring their 1979 sales receipts for wool and unshorn lambs to the County Office. The marketing year ends December 31.

## Non-Discrimination

Eligibility for participation in all programs administered by ASCS is established under law without regard to race, color, religion, sex, or National origin.

REMEMBER - Seed Cotton Loans are available through approved gins.

## 4-H'ers Honored Con't from Pg. 1

"Accept the responsibility the future holds for you," he urged. "Through your leadership, we'll regain our self-sufficiency" as a nation.

"No organization can do more to equip you to become our leaders than this organization you are currently involved in-4-H."

Master of ceremonies was State Rep. Jim Rudd of Brownfield. Four-H'ers Steve Smith of Yoakum County and Kim Reese of Terry County narrated the awards presentation.

Hosts for the banquet were 12 member-owned electric cooperatives serving the counties in

Extension District 2. Welcoming the guests on behalf of the cooperatives was Jim Payne, general manager of Lyntegar Electric Cooperative, Tahoka. Chuck Senter of Dawson County, District 2 4-H Council chairman, responded.

Dinner music was provided by 4-H'ers Suzanne Gillespie and Ricky Neal, both of Cochran County. Other 4-H'ers on the program were Lisa Zuber, Cochran County, and Sandra Mims, Hockley County.

Those attending from Borden County were Kathy Blagrove, Mr. & Mrs. Sam Field, Marilyn Williams and Karen Williams, the honoree.

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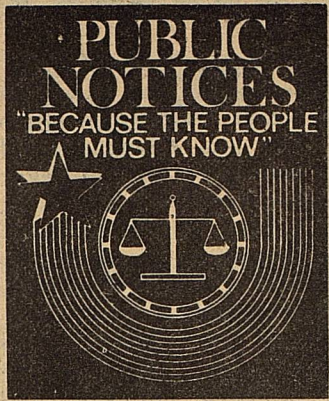
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### Legal Notice

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The Commissioners Court of Borden County will consider proposals for an oil and gas lease on the following described property in the Townsite of Gail in Borden County, Texas:

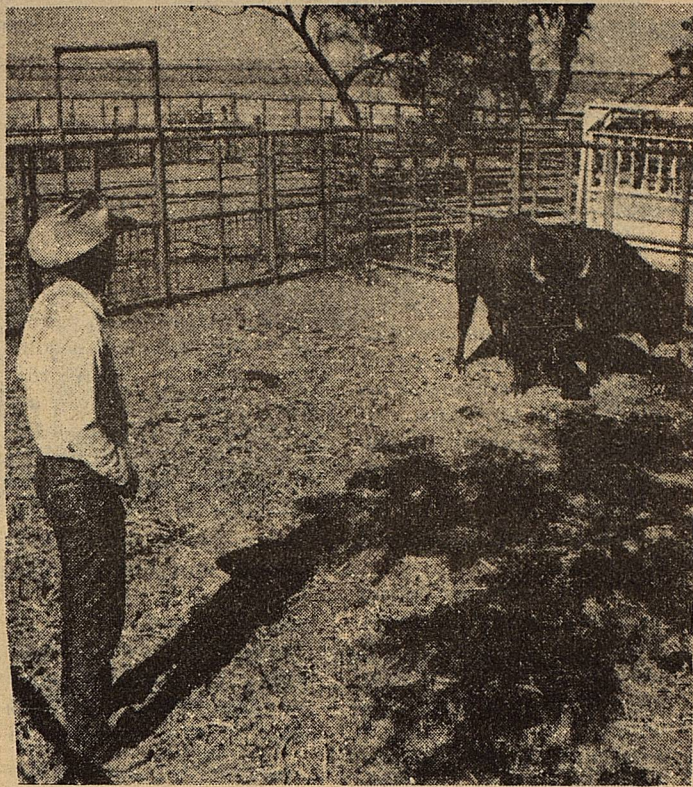
All of 2 acre Blocks 32, 87, N-2 Blk. 81, N-2 Blk. 82; all of Lots 2,3,4,7,8,10, 11, Blk. 12; Lots 6 & 12, Blk. 13; Lot 2, Blk. 18; Lot 8, Blk. 19; Lots 2,4,6, Blk. 21; Lot 18, Blk. 25; Lots 1,2,3,4,10, Blk. 27; Lot 6, Blk. 28; Lots 2,6, Blk. 29; Lots 2,4,8,10,12, Blk. 36; Lots 8,10,12, Blk. 37; Lots 4,6,8,10,12,14,16, Blk. 38; Lots 1,9,12, Blk. 41; Lots 4,6, Blk. 63; Lots 7,8,9,10,11,12, Blk. 69; Lots 1,2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12, Blk. 70; Lots 1 thru 10, Blk. 73; Lots 1,3,5,7,10, Blk. 75; lot 7, Blk. 77; Lot 5, Blk. 81; Lots 1,3,4,7, Blk. 84; Lot 7, Blk. 85; Lot 8, Blk. 86; Lots 2,4,8,9,10,12, Blk. 87; Lots 2,6, Blk. 92; Lots 8,10,11,12, Blk. 96; Lot 12, Blk. 100; Lots 10,11,12, Blk. 101, 2 acre blocks 18 and 19, and all streets and alleys in the Gail Townsite according to the Plat recorded in Volume 2, Page 456 of the Deed Records of Borden County, Texas.

Proposals will be considered December 10, 1979, at 10:00 am in the Commissioners Courtroom of the Courthouse in Gail.

The Commissioners Court of Borden County reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Borden County  
Commissioners Court  
-s- Jim M. Burkett  
County Judge  
Borden County

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For most of the boys at the Boys Ranch, being alone and afraid was all too much a part of their lives. At the Ranch, their first concern is to give each boy the felling that he is loved - is not alone - and no longer needs to fear the future; especially at Christmas time. Since Borden County has no director for the Ranch, we must take it on ourselves to send what we can. Let's have a sufficient amount of donations from Borden County.

Send donations to: West Texas Boys Ranch P. O. Box 3568, San Angelo, Texas 76901.

### Happy Holiday

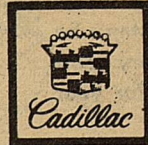
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Mrs. Billye Dodson of Early, Texas and C. B. Thompson of Brownfield announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Mary Thompson to Michael Aiken, son of Mr. & Mrs. H. E. Aiken of Highland.

Miss Thompson is a 1974 graduate of Sam Houston High of Arlington, 1976 graduate of Cisco Jr. College and will graduate from Texas Tech in

December. Michael graduated from Sterling High, Baytown, Texas and is now employed by Houston Lighting & Power.

The December 8 wedding is planned for 7 p.m. at the Plymouth Park United Methodist Church of Irving, Texas.

Mary is the granddaughter of the late L. B. Jones and Mrs. Jones of Draw.



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