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Coyotes Beat the Sanderson Eagles for Regional Title

By Coach Richey

The Borden County Coyotes got off to a very sluggish start Friday as they found themselves behind for the first time this year when Sanderson scored on their opening drive. The Coyotes had a penalty that allowed them to continue their drive and then misplayed a ball in the air that gave them a first and goal at the one that led to the Sanderson Eagles initial score and a 6 to 0 lead for the Eagles.

But, the two first downs that the Eagles got on that drive would be twice what they would get the rest of the game as the Coyotes held the Eagles to only 3 first downs and 87 total yards on the evening.

The Coyotes got the ball on the 38 yard line after a failed onside kick attempt and Michael Cooley followed to tremendous blocks by Flynn Chapman and Miles Valentine and a down field block by Zach Telchik to travel those 38 yards untouched to tie the score at 6 to 6.

The Coyote defense held on a 4th and 1 on the 19 yard line and one play later, same play same result, as Michael scampered in from 19 yards out to give the Coyotes a 12 to 6 lead.

The Eagles returned the ensuing kick to tie the game again at 12 all.

After the Coyotes stumped their toe on their next offensive possession the defense behind some great pressure from Jake Cooley, John Hensley and Michael Cooley force a pass to float and Flynn Chapman was Johnny on the spot for the interception. Four plays later Flynn Chapman cut loose on a 52 yard run to regain the lead at 18 to 12.

The Coyotes got another stop, but a nice punt by the Eagles pinned the Coyotes on the 1 yard line. The Coyotes could do nothing with the ball as a couple of passes fell incomplete to start the 2nd quarter. The coyotes punted for only the 2nd time this year and the Eagles made them pay as they returned the punt inside the 10 yard line. Two plays later the game was tied again at 18.

On the ensuing kick, Jake Cooley took the short kick and rumbled 56 yard to pay dirt and gave the Coyotes the lead that would never be touched again. The Coyotes finally got an extra point kick as Flynn con-

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2008 Regional Champs!



The Borden County Coyotes are the 2008 Division II Regional Champions! The Coyotes defeated the Sanderson Eagles last Friday night in Wink for the Regional championship. They will travel to Pecos this Saturday to take on Sierra Blanca at 3:00 p.m. Pictured are (standing back row left to right) David Rodriguez, Flynn Chapman, Kobie Benham, Michael Froman, Michael Cooley, Tony Soto, Austin Fields, Chance Taylor, Brendan Tarleton, John Hensley, Derek Tatum, Zach Telchik, Collin Telchik, Austin Tyler, (kneeling left to right) Karl Lamming, Skylar Williamson, Miles Valentine, Carlos Hernandez, Clay Harding and Jake Cooley. Congratulations Coyotes on a job well done!

New District, Same Results Borden County Elementary & Junior High Capture Zone U.I.L. Academic Championships

Despite concerns about moving into a new district and zone this fall, students from Borden County Elementary and Junior High Schools proved that nothing has changed except the names of their competitors as both captured District 4-A, Zone 1

U.I.L. Academic Meet championships at last week's contests in O'Donnell.

Borden County Junior High (grades 6-8) outpaced their competition as they amassed 1,250.66 points en route to their championship.

O'Donnell J.H. came in a

distant second with 486 points. Ira was third with 398 while Wilson was fourth with 245. Southland and New Home finished fifth and sixth with 241 and 221.33 points respectively.

It was much of the same on

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Lady Coyotes 3-0 With Win Against New Home

By Coach McCook

The Lady Coyotes received their toughest test thus far this season in their home opener Tuesday night against New Home. The Leopards were only down five points at the end of the first quarter and had already begun to get the Coyotes into foul trouble. Early in the second quarter the Coyotes' two leading scorers (Taylor Richey and Olivia Key) both picked up their third personal fouls and had to sit down the rest of the half. While this scenario was far from ideal, it presented the girls with a chance to show what kind of depth they have as a team. Thus with two starters on the bench for most of the second quarter, the Coyotes managed to extend their lead to nine points at the half.

The second half went much the same way as the girls persevered through having four of the seven of them with four fouls each, while lengthening their lead still.

Behind a personal best performance by Krystal Hobson, the Lady Coyotes finished the game with yet another 20-point win. The final score was 59-39 and the team's record 3-0.

Krystal Hobson led all scorers with 23 points, 15 rebounds, 3 steals, and 2 assists. Despite being in foul trouble for most of the game, Taylor Richey finished with 17 points, 4 rebounds, and 2 steals.

Olivia Key also played well despite being in foul trouble much of the game. She finished with 10 points, 9 rebounds, 4 steals, and 3 assists.

D'Nae Johnson finished the game with 7 points, 6 rebounds, 4 steals, and 2 assists. And Stefanie Cooley had 2 points, 5 steals, and 2 assists.

Bailey Anderson and Krista Tarleton also made significant contributions to the team. In fact, with so many starters in foul trouble for most of the night, their play was invaluable.

Lady Coyotes Pluck the Eagles

By Coach McCook

With lights-out shooting and defensive pressure the Lady Coyotes put up a whopping 52 points in the first half of play Saturday night against O'Donnell while holding the Eagles to only 7.

On the whole the Coyotes shot 50% from behind the 3-point line, almost 50% from the field, and forced their opponent to turn the ball over 38 times. The girls are forcing an average of 30 turnovers per game this season. The final score was 78-19.

Taylor Richey and Olivia Key led all scorers with 26 and 25 respectively and had 4 re-

bounds, 5 assists, and 5 steals each.

D'Nae Johnson finished with 9 points, 4 rebounds, 6 assists, and 6 steals.

Krystal Hobson had 6 points, 4 rebounds, and 6 steals.

Bailey Anderson had 6 points, 5 steals, and 2 rebounds. And Stefanie Cooley had 2 points, 5 rebounds, 4 assists, and three steals.

Phyneshia Rutherford finished with 4 rebounds and Shylo Rinehart with 2.

The Lady Coyotes are now 4-0.

School Lunch Menu

Dec. 1 - 5, 2008

Monday - Breakfast: Pancake Pup, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Pizza, Corn Salad, Pineapple and Milk.

Tuesday - Breakfast: Muffin, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Chicken Fried Steak, Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Roll, Fresh Fruit and Milk.

Wednesday - Breakfast: Biscuit w/gravy, Sausage, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Chicken, Green Peas, Potatoes, Roll, Mixed Fruit and Milk.

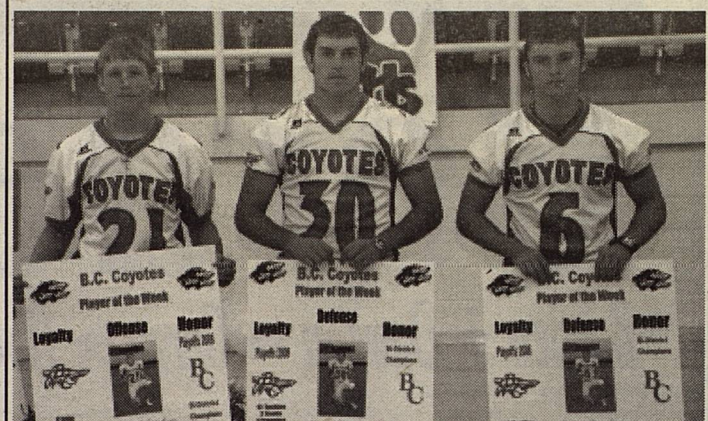
Thursday - Breakfast: Waffles, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Fish, Black-eyed Peas, Potato Salad, Hush Puppies, Rosie Applesauce and Milk.

Friday - Breakfast: Oatmeal, Toast, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Cheeseburger, French Fries, Salad Cup, Chocolate Chip Cookie and Milk.

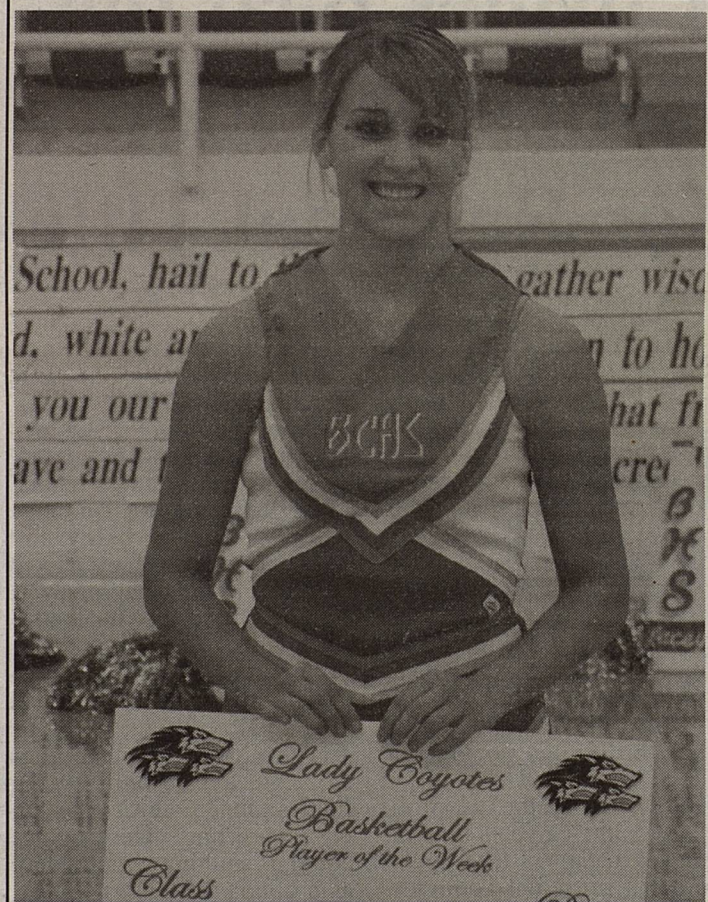
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Players of The Week



Pictured are Borden County Coyote Players of the Week. They are (left to right) Michael Cooley (running back/safety), Flynn Chapman (End/Linebacker) and Jake Cooley (Full back/End).



Lady Coyote, Krystal Hobson, receives the Player of the Week award. Krystal scored 23 points against New Home. She is a senior and is the daughter of Danny and Renee Hobson of Gail.

Each winter, many jackets, sweatshirts, etc. end up in the lost and found here at Borden County School. These items often go unclaimed for the entire year. At the end of the year, the items are sent to a charitable organization. In order to help us identify the owners of the items, please start putting your child's name or initials on your child's jackets.

Thank you,
Borden County School

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Borden County Regional Champs...

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verted to give the Coyotes a 26 to 18 lead.

The Coyote defense again forced a 3 and out, but just as it looked like the Coyotes were going to extend their lead, a penalty took a touchdown off of the boards and then fourth and goal at the 1 was stopped to give the ball to the Eagles. But, on the first offensive play, Michael Cooley intercepted a pass one handed to give the ball back to the Coyotes and one play later Michael increased the Coyote lead to 14 with a 31 yard touchdown run at 32 to 18.

The Coyotes managed to stop the Eagles and force a punt with less than 30 seconds remaining in the half. The Coyotes just missed a long touchdown pass and then with .9 seconds left, the Coyotes elected to just run a sweep and Michael followed some nice blocks and ended the half with a nice 36 yard run which was followed by a Chapman kick that made the score 40 to 18 at intermission.

The Coyotes got the ball to start the 2nd half with the hopes of extending their lead, but a fumbled snap on the first play gave the Eagles great field position and new life. The Coyote defense again stepped up and forced a 4 and out to regain possession of the ball. The Coyotes put together a long drive as Chapman set sail on a long run to set the Coyotes up inside the 10 yard line.

On the next play, Michael broke a tackle to get in the end zone from 9 yards out. The kick by Chapman gave the Coyotes a 48 to 18 lead.

The Coyotes got another defensive stop and moments later had another touchdown as Michael Cooley rumbled in from 29 yards out and the Chapman kick gave the Coyotes a 56 to 18 lead.

The Coyote defense again did not allow a first down, but another coyote fumble did not allow the Coyotes to extend their lead, but the defense again stopped the Eagles to give the Coyotes the ball one last time. This time, Miles Valentine hit Flynn Chapman on a 45 yard scoring strike to make the score 62 to 18. Chapman kicked the extra point to bring a close to the Regional contest and give the

Coyotes the Regional Championship and a 11 - 0 record at 64 to 18.

The Coyotes will next face the Sierra Blanca Vaqueros on Saturday, November the 29th at 3:00 p.m. in Pecos.

Leading the way for the Coyotes was Michael Cooley with 213 yards on 22 carries and 6 touchdowns. He also had 15 tackles, 2 pressures, 2 passes broken up a sack and an interception. Flynn Chapman had 106 yards on 7 carries and a touchdown, a reception for 45 yards and a touchdown and 15 tackles, a pressure and an interception. Jake Cooley had his best defensive game of the season as he had 18 tackles, a pressure and a sack. Jake also had a diving 12 yard reception and a 56 yard kick-off return for a score. Zach Telchik had 9 tackles and a pass break-up. John Hensley

had 13 tackles a pressure and two sacks. Tony Soto had 13 tackles a caused fumble and a pass break up. Karl Lamming had 3 tackles a reception for 5 yards and 2 extra point blocks. Clay Harding had a tackle and Austin Fields had a tackle and a sack. Miles Valentine was 4 of 9 for 71 yards and a touchdown. Carlos Hernandez was the holder on the all important extra point. Brendan Tarleton and Clay Harding not only block for the extra point but are instrumental in the extra point blocking team that blocked all three attempts. Derek Tatum coming off of an ankle injury saw limited action at his center position but hopes to be at full strength this week.

Congratulations guys on a super win. Good luck this week with the Sierra Blanca Vaqueros in the Quarter-Final match up.



Borden County Coyotes, John Hensley (#19) and Jake Cooley (#6) take down an Eagle during Friday night's game against Sanderson.

Lady Coyote JV Tame the Lady Broncos

By Coach Benavidez

The Lady Coyote JV traveled to Meadow on November 11th to open the 2008-09 basketball season and they did so in an impressive manner. These young ladies have put in a lot of sweat and hours in the gym and it certainly showed as they played a close game with the Meadow JV.

The Lady Broncos had the lead for most of the game until the end when it mattered most. The Lady Coyotes never gave up and kept fighting.

The Lady Broncos led 7-6 at the end of the first quarter.

Shylo Rinehart, Brittany Day, and Chelsea Pigford each had a basket in this quarter while Chelsea Sapp, Seleste Herridge, Shaylie Boles, Lacey Roberts and Reagan Belongia all put in some great work on the defensive side of the ball to keep the Lady Broncos to 7 first quarter points.

At half time, the Lady Coyotes went into the locker room down by 7 with the score at 16-9. The whole time, the Lady Coyotes kept their head and their attitudes up knowing that they would mount a comeback in the next half.

The third quarter came and

went with the score at 21-15 in favor of Meadow. The fourth quarter saw the Lady Coyotes outscore the Lady Broncos 12 to 4.

Brittany Day and Chelsea Sapp both took charge in the fourth quarter. Brittany put in a basket and two free throws while Chelsea took two drives straight to the basket and made both layups.

In the end the score was Borden County 27, Meadow 25. The young Lady Coyotes showed a lot of improvement from last year. They blocked out and rebounded very well. Most importantly, they knew how to come back and win the game after having trailed most of it.

The scoring is as follows: Brittany Day 8, Chelsea Sapp 4, Shylo Rinehart 4, Chelsea Pigford 4, Reagan Belongia 4, Shaylie Boles 2, and Seleste Herridge 2.



Coyote Pups Dominate Sands Tourney

By Coach Baeza

The Coyote Jr. High began their season Nov. 15 as they took on Grady in the first round of the tournament. Tanner Richey started out hot for the Coyotes as he poured in eight first quarter points with Matthew Roberson adding two of his own.

The Pups however would not take the lead into the second quarter as a late run gave the Wildcats a 13-11 lead at the end of the first. The Coyotes responded in the second with Riley Smith putting in two jump shots and a three to give the Coyotes a spark. T.J. Basquez also began to find his range as he added two points of his own. Tanner Richey and Matthew Roberson also contributed offensively which gave the Coyotes a 26-17 half time lead.

The second half began with the Coyotes looking to apply more pressure defensively. Matthew Ham, Zack McMeans, and, Matthew McClain did an excellent job defensively as they held the Wildcats to six points in the third. The Coyotes however only added seven of their own.

In the fourth the Coyotes looked to slow the pace down and to take care of the ball offensively. Austin Cope, Matthew Proulx, Troy Copeland, and Tristin Benavidez did an excellent job taking care of the ball and feeding the ball to T.J. who added four points in the fourth. Steven Howard also

added two points on a fast break to round out the final score of 44-24.

Scoring for the Coyotes: Smith 12, Howard 2, Richey 18, Basquez 8, and Roberson 4.

In their second match-up the Coyotes faced the Mustangs who were their only lose in last year's season.

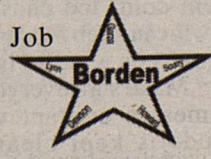
The Coyotes wasted no time as they jumped out to a 19-4 first quarter lead led by Riley Smith who put in nine first quarter lead. Also scoring was T.J. Basquez, Steven Howard, and Matthew Proulx who put in his first points of his Jr. high career.

Tanner Richey added six points in the second to take the Coyotes into the half with a 26-8 lead.

In the second half the Matthew Roberson found the basket as he put in four points with Riley putting in six. This gave the Coyotes a 38-22 victory over Sands and the Tournament Championship.

Also contributing in the second game were Zach McMeans, Matthew Ham, Matthew McClain, Troy Copeland, Austin Cope, and Tristin Benavidez. Scoring for the Coyotes: Smith 16, Proulx 2, Howard 2, Richey 7, Basquez 7, Roberson 4.


Good Job Coyotes!!



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Heart and Home ...

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Don't Let Potluck Meals Be Bad Luck

The holiday season is a time of sharing, entertaining – and indulging in good food. That combination naturally leads to potluck meals, where friends and family gather together to share each other's favorite dishes.

But don't let the possibility of foodborne illness ruin these festive occasions. Follow these safety precautions to help eliminate that risk:

* When transporting food to a get-together, don't let perishable foods stay in the danger zone – 40-140 degrees – for more than two hours. Transport time and serving time should be included in these two hours. Be careful with these perishable foods: meat, poultry, seafood, eggs, cooked vegetables and dairy products, and dishes made with any of these foods, such as dressing, gravy, casseroles, cream pies, puddings and dips.

* Perishable foods prepared ahead of time should be kept refrigerated until time to leave. If the food is to be served hot, reheat it at the event. One convenient way to keep it hot at home is by using your slowcooker (crockpot).

* Use ovens and microwaves to reheat food; don't use warming trays or slow cookers. Food thermometers should be used to make sure reheated foods have reached an internal temperature of 165 degrees. If reheating equipment is not available, prepare food closer to the event time and keep it hot by wrapping it in towels or blankets, or by placing it in an insulated chest.

* Keep cold perishable foods below 40 degrees until serving time. Use ice chests to transport these foods and keep them cold. Ice chests or ice bowls can keep foods below 40 degrees on a buffet line.

* Make sure everything that comes in contact with the foods is kept clean. Wash

hands and food preparation surfaces often. Make sure adequate garbage disposal facilities are available and keep garbage away from the food area.

* If food will be prepared at the event, keep raw meat separate from foods that will not be cooked, such as salad or raw fruit or vegetable tray ingredients. Use separate cutting boards for fresh produce and for raw meat, poultry and seafood. If separate cutting boards and utensils are not available, clean and sanitize between uses.

* When placing foods in the refrigerator for storage, be sure to place them in shallow dishes or containers that can cool quickly. Use zip top bags for things like meat, potatoes, dressing, etc. (This will also make it easy to send leftovers home with guests!) If you place them in deep containers, the food will not cool quickly enough and will allow bacteria to grow (even though you have refrigerated it within 2 hours).

The experts stressed the importance of the two-hour rule: Do not let perishable foods remain in the temperature danger zone for more than two hours. Foods left out more than two hours should be discarded: *If in doubt, throw it out!*

For more information regarding safe food handling, contact Julie Smith at the Extension Office 806-756-4336 or visit the Fight Bac Website at <http://www.fightbac.org>.

Thought for the Day

To handle yourself, use your head;
To handle others, use your heart.

Source: mypilotsgod.com

Borden County U.I.L.




Pictured above are some the members of the Borden County U.I.L. team who competed this past Wednesday and Thursday in O'Donnell. They are (back row left to right) Tanner Richey, Zach McMeans, Sydnie Rebeles, Maeghan Herridge, Teryn Soto, Tye Basquez, (middle row left to right) Avery Price, Maddie Benavidez, Zoie Key, Thadd Basquez, Trace Richey, Tatum Richey, (front row left to right) Anthony Lopez, Kaitlynn Hamm, Katie Gray, Brooke Swaffar, Emma Key, Kennedy Tucker, Kaci Hudson, Olivia Reyes and Thomas Nix.

ON THE AIR
5:00 PM



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We're grateful to have so many warm friends & neighbors. Our thoughts and prayers are with you on this Thanksgiving Day.

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Borden County Junior High One-Act Play

DO BLACK PATENT LEATHER SHOES REALLY REFLECT UP?



**COMMUNITY
PERFORMANCE**
Thursday, December 4th
6:30 p.m. – Borden County I.S.D. Auditorium

CONTEST PERFORMANCE

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for all the blessings of friends,
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overflow with the
bounty of the season.



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CHRISTMAS TRUNK SHOW

When: December 3

Where: 550 Stadium Drive
Gail, Tx

(The Spencer's House)

Time: 3:30pm - 8:00 pm

Sharon Gilbreath (previous owner of the Rainstick in Colorado City) will be displaying all kinds of goodies. There will be jackets, tops, jewelry, pajamas, purses, jogging suits and more. Please come and visit. There will be Christmas wassail and goodies.



Canned Food Drive

Sponsored by Borden County 4-H



WHEN: Monday, December 1st through
Monday, December 8th

WHY: Please help us collect Canned goods to be donated to families in Borden County.

WHERE: Students - bring your canned goods to your home room class. The grade in each division that collects the most goods will win a "sweet treat party." (Divisions are K-2nd, 3rd-5th, 6th-8th, 9th-12th)
Community Members may bring their canned goods to the Extension Office or to the cafeteria during any home basketball game.

A special thank you goes to Borden County I.S.D. for allowing 4-H to hold this food drive at school.

For more information, contact a 4-H member or the Extension Office at (806)756-4336.

Proud Borden County Coaches



The Borden County Coyote Coaching staff proudly displays the Regional Championship trophy they won last Friday night in a match against the Sanderson Eagles. The Coyotes pulled out yet another victory against the Eagles. The Coyotes will next face Sierra Blanca in Pecos this Saturday at 3:00 p.m. for the Quarter Final Championship. Pictured are (left to right) Fernando Baeza, Peter Benavidez, (Borden County head coach) Trey Richey and Colt McCook.

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Watch Out for Our Playing Children

BORDEN COUNTY/SIERRA BLANCA PLAY-OFF GAME

Saturday, Nov. 29th at 3:00 p.m.
in Pecos

ADULTS-\$3

STUDENTS-\$2

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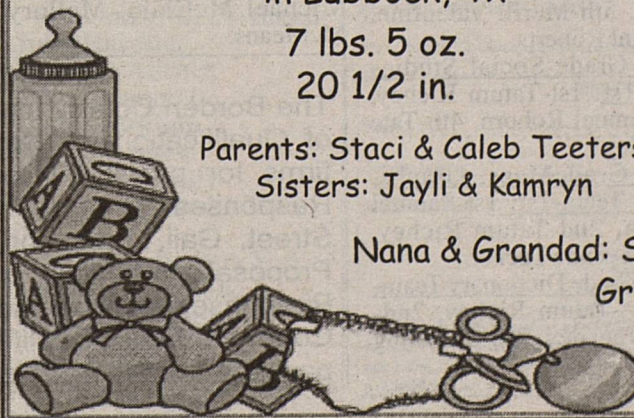
20 1/2 in.

Parents: Staci & Caleb Teeters

Sisters: Jayli & Kamryn

Nana & Grandad: Susan & Barry O'Brien

Grammy & Grampy: Susie & Dennis Teeters



U.I.L. Results....

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the elementary side of the competition (grades K-5) where Borden County Elementary collected 809 points, almost doubling second-place O'Donnell with their 411 points. New Home was third with 175 points, and Ira was fourth with 165. Wilson and Southland brought up the rear with 115 and 30 points respectively.

Altogether, Borden County teams won 36 out of 44 team contests. BC students won individually in over half of the contests and swept the top three individual positions in 14 separate events.

The overall championships for schools are determined by points that are won when their students place individually in the top six. First place students win 15 points for their school. Second place receives 12, third - 10, fourth - 8, fifth - 6, and sixth - 4. Winning teams also receive 8 points for first place, 6 for second, and 4 for third. Then, all of the points are totaled to name the sweepstakes champions.

These results are a true testament of the efforts of Borden County students, parents, staff, and administration to excel academically. U.I.L. academic competition provides additional incentives for students to push themselves above and beyond the typical curriculum. A special thank you goes to all of the parents who encouraged their children throughout the U.I.L. practice season.

Congratulations to all students who participated and received the following accolades:

Kindergarten Oral Reading: 1st-Morghan Oaks, 4th-Brinlie webb, 6th-Kennedy Tucker.

Kindergarten Storytelling: 1st-Camree Miller, 4th-Kaci Hudson, Morghan Oaks.

1st Grade Oral Reading: Kaitlyn Hamm, Olivia Reyes, Kodie Dowds.

2nd Grade Oral Reading: 1st-Madison Cole, 2nd-Katie Gray, Emma Key.

2nd Grade Storytelling: 1st-Madison Cole, 5th-Brooke Swaffer, Tanner Harrison.

2nd Grade Creative Writing: 1st-Madison Cole, 4th-Katie Gray, Gage Magby.

3rd Grade Oral Reading: 1st-Trace Richey, 3rd-Thadd Basquez, Thomas Nix.

3rd Grade Storytelling: 3rd-Trace Richey, 6th-Thomas Nix, Thadd Basquez.

3rd Grade Ready Writing: Kable Kleck, Thomas Nix, Trace Richey.

3rd Grade Music Memory Team-1st: 1st-Thomas Nix, 2nd-Brittan Webb, 3rd-Ashlyn Tucher, 4th-Trace Richey, 5th-Nick Proulx.

3rd Grade Spelling Team-1st: 3rd-Ashlyn Tucker, 4th-Trace Richey, Brian Torres.

4th Grade Oral Reading: 1st-Hunter Jones, 5th-Madison Benavidez, Avery Price.

4th Grade Ready Writing: 6th-Hayley Gray, Maria Neufeld and Avery Price.

4th Grade Music Memory Team-1st: 1st-Dylan Murphy, 2nd-Cheyenne Dowds, 3rd-Hayley Gray, 4th-Maria Neufeld.

4th Spelling Team-2nd: 2nd-Hayley Gray, 4th-Cheyenne Dowds, Madison Benavidez.

4th Grade Number Sense Team-1st: 1st-Maria Neufeld, 2nd-Hayley Gray, 3rd-Cheyenne Dowds.

4th Grade Art Smart Team-1st: 1st-Cheyenne Dowds, 2nd-Hayley Gray, 2nd-Maria Neufeld, 4th-Dylan Murphy.

5th Grade Oral Reading: 1st-Tatum Richey, 2nd-Channing Miller, 4th-Zoie Key.

5th Grade Ready Writing: 4th-Tatum Richey, Channing Miller, Cheyenne Tucker.

5th Grade Music Memory Team-1st: 1st-Tatum Richey, 2nd-Channing Miller, 3rd-Zoie Key, Kylee Dean, Christian Pearson.

5th Grade Spelling Team-1st: 1st-Tatum Richey, 3rd-Channing Miller, Kylee Dean.

5th Grade Nuber Sense Team-1st: 1st-Tatum Richey, 2nd-Samuel Raborn, 4th-Tate Wheatley.

5th Grade Art Smart Team-1st: 2nd-Kelby Miller, 3rd-Tatum Richey, 4th-Channing Miller, 5th-Merik Valentine, 6th-Flint Roberts.

5th Grade Social Studies Team-1st: 1st-Tatum Richey, 2nd-Samuel Roborn, 4th-Tate Wheatley.

5th Grade Maps, Graphs, Charts Team-1st: 1st-Samuel Raborn, 2nd-Tatum Richey, 4th-Cheyenne Tucker.

5th Grade Dictionary Team-1st: 1st-Tatum Richey, 2nd-Tate Wheatley, 3rd-Channing Miller.

5th Grade Listening Team-1st: 2nd-Samuel Raborn, 5th-Tatum Richey, Flint Roberts.

6th Grade Oral Reading: 1st-Tye Basquez, 4th-Cayden Vaughn, Sean Tucker.

6th Grade Ready Writing: 1st-Tye Basquez, Frank Banman, McKenna Campbell.

6th Grade Math Team-3rd: 5th-Sean Tucker, Tye Basquez, Cayden Vaughn.

6th Grade Music Memory Team-2nd: 3rd-McKenna Campbell, 5th-Ricky Torres, 6th-Eva Banman.

6th Grade Spelling Team-1st: 1st-Cayden Vaughn, 3rd-Tye Basquez, 5th-Sean Tucker.

6th Grade Number Sense Team-3rd: 4th-Sean Tucker, Tye Basquez, Ricky Torres.

6th Grade Art Smart team-1st: 1st-Sean Tucker, 2nd-McKenna Campbell, 2nd-Tye Basquez, 4th-Frank Banman, 6th-Nathan Ham.

6th Grade Social Studies Team-1st: 1st-Frank Banman, 3rd-Sean Tucker, Nathan Ham.

6th Grade Maps, Graph, Charts Team-3rd: 2nd-Tye Basquez, 5th-Frank Banman, Kally Perry.

6th Grade Dictionary Team-1st: 2nd-Cayden Vaughn, 6th-Bessie Rhodes, Frank Banman.

6th Grade Calculator Team-1st: 1st-McKenna Campbell, 4th-Ricky Torres, Tye Basquez.

6th Grade Listening: 4th-Cayden Vaughn, McKenna Campbell, Bessie Rhodes.

7th Grade Oral Reading: 2nd-Zach McMeans, 3rd-Taylor Gass, 4th-Mollie McMeans.

7th Grade Impromptu: 2nd-Taylor Gass, 5th-Mollie McMeans, Matthew Proulx.

7th Grade Modern Oratory: 1st-Zach McMeans, 2nd-Maeghan Herridge, 3rd-Sydney Rebeles.

7th Grade Ready Writing: Taylor gass, Kalyn Massingill, Mallory McMeans.

7th Grade Editorial Writing: 2nd-Mollie McMeans, 3rd-Matthew Proulx, Matthew Ham.

7th Grade Math Team-1st: 1st-Kalyn Massingill, 5th-Michael McClain, Mallory McMeans.

7th Grade Science I Team-2nd: 4th-Matthew Proulx, Maeghan Herridge, Mollie McMeans.

7th Grade Spelling Team-1st: 1st-Matthew Ham, 2nd-Brady Dowds, 5th-Kalyn Massingill.

7th Grade Number Sense Team-1st: 1st-Taylor Gass, 5th-Kalyn Massingill, Sydney Rebeles.

7th Grade Art Smart Team-1st: 2nd-Mallory McMeans, 3rd-Taylor Gass, Maeghan Herridge, Matthew Proulx.

7th Grade Social Studies Team-1st: 1st-Zach McMeans, 2nd-Matthew Ham, 4th-Mollie McMeans.

7th Grade Maps, Graphs, Charts Team-1st: 1st-Zach McMeans, 3rd-Matthew Proulx, 6th-Kalyn Massingill.

7th Grade Dictionary Team-1st: 1st-Sydney Rebeles, 2nd-Maeghan Herridge, 3rd-Mollie McMeans.

7th Grade Calculator Team-1st: 1st-Kalyn Massingill, 2nd-Maeghan Herridge, 3rd-T.J. Basquez.

7th Grade Listening Team-1st: 1st-Mallory McMeans, 2nd-Zach McMeans, Mindy Tyrell.

8th Grade Oral Reading: 1st-Teryn Soto, 1st-Tanner Richey, 4th-Steven Howard.

8th Grade Impromptu: 2nd-Celina Guerrero, 6th-Kayla Pepper, Steven Howard.

8th Grade Modern Oratory: 2nd-Kayla Pepper, 3rd-Teryn

Soto, Celina Guerrero.

8th Grade Ready Writing: 2nd-Steven Howard, 3rd-Celina Guerrero, 4th-Kayla Pepper.

8th Grade Editorial Writing: 2nd-Kayla Pepper, 3rd-Steven Howard, Teryn Soto.

8th Grade Math Team-1st: 1st-Steelie Sanders, 1st-Shea Burkett, 4th-Tanner Richey.

8th Grade Science II Team-3rd: 2nd-Tanner Richey, Celina Guerrero, Matthew Roberson.

8th Grade Spelling Team-1st: 1st-Shea Burkett, 2nd-Steelie Sanders, 3rd-Kylie Voss.

8th Grade Number Sense Team-1st: 2nd-Shea Burkett, 4th-Tanner Richey, Riley Smith.

8th Grade Art Smart Team-1st: 1st-Shea Burkett (perfect score), 1st-Kayla Pepper (perfect score), 3rd-Riley Smith, 4th-Teryn Soto, 5th-Tanner Richey.

8th Grade Social Studies Team-1st: 1st-Kayla Pepper, 4th-Shea Burkett, 6th-Steven Howard.

8th Grade Maps, Graphs, Chart Team-1st: 1st-Tanner Richey, 2nd-Shea Burkett, 3rd-Matthew Roberson.

8th Grade Dictionary Team-1st: 1st-Tanner Richey, 2nd-Teryn Soto, 3rd-Shea Burkett.

8th Grade Calculator Team-1st: 1st-Tanner Richey, 4th-Shea Burkett, Riley Smith.

8th Grade Listening Team-1st: 2nd-Kayla Pepper, 4th-Shea Burkett, Celina Guerrero.

BORDEN COUNTY ISD BUS BID/QUOTE REQUEST

The Superintendent's Office, on behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Borden County Independent School District will receive bids/quotes for school buses.

Proposals shall be addressed to Jimmy Thomas; Borden County Independent School District; Box 95; Gail, Texas 79738, and shall be delivered in a sealed envelope marked "BUS BID" or sent via e-mail to jthomas@bcisd.net. Proposals will be received up to but no later than 12:00 noon on Friday, December 12, 2008. Bids will be opened and read as they are received. Proposals will be tabulated researched, and presented to the board of trustees for their consideration at the next scheduled meeting. Bids received after the specified date will not be considered.

The Borden County ISD Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposed bids, to waive any and all technicalities, and to accept the proposal that will best serve the needs of the District.

Questions regarding bid specifications and additional information shall be directed to Jimmy Thomas by writing the above address; by e-mail to jthomas@bcisd.net or by calling (office 806-756-4313) (cell 806-759-5467) (fax 806-756-4310)

By Order of the Board of Trustees
Borden County Independent School District
Mike Valentine, Secretary

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

The Borden County Independent School District is requesting Statements of Qualification for Construction Manger-at-Risk services from qualified firms for projects listed in the 2009 Bond Election for consideration. Responses will be received at the Administration Offices, 240 W. Kincaid Street, Gail, Texas or by mailing to P.O. Box 95, Gail, Texas 79738. Proposals are due on Friday, December 12, 2008 by 11:00 A.M. Responses shall be addressed to Jimmy Thomas, Superintendent, Borden County I.S.D. Qualified firms may obtain one copy of the proposal package from the address noted above or by phoning 806-756-4313x221.

15th Annual Light for Gail

The "Star" on Gail Mountain will be sponsored on the following nights:

Nov. 28 – In Memory of: **Delmo Pearce, Karen Pearce**
By the Citizens of Borden County

Nov. 28 – In Honor of: **Martha Pearce**
By the Citizens of Borden County

Nov. 29 – In Memory of: **Jimmie Redman**
By Lights for Gail Committee

Nov. 30 – In Honor of: **J.W.C. Mullins Family**
By Mrs. N. A. Billingsley, Jr.

Nov. 29 – In Memory of: **Michael Hiltbrunner**
By Bob & Vee Bledsoe

Dec. 4 – In Memory of: **O.D. & Jessie B. Jackson**
By R.D. & Carol Lewis

Dec. 5 – In Memory of: **Binie & Nell White**
By Binie & Edna White

Dec. 6 – In Memory of: **Margaret Ard**
By Darrin Ard

Dec. 7 – In Thanksgiving: **For Our Family**
By Barbara & Rich Anderson

Dec. 7 – In Honor of: **D.M. & Debi Parks**
By Martin & Louise Parks Estates

Dec. 10 – In Memory of: **Martin Reinecke**
By Alma G. Reinecke

Dec. 10 – In Memory of: **Beno & Donna Hendricks**
By Bo & Jacque Hendricks

Dec. 10 – In Memory of: **Sherry Jackson Jones – We miss you!**
By Bill, Denise, Brionne & Jessyca Jackson

Dec. 10 – In Memory of: **Martin & Louise Parks – You are missed**
By Martin & Louise Parks Estates

Dec. 10 – In Memory of: **John, Peggy, David & Debby Dennis**
By Mary Ann Awtry & Family & Jacquie Whalen

Dec 11 – In Honor of: **Tony & Donna Isaacs**
By Martin & Louise Parks Estates

Dec. 11 – In Memory of: **Caden Nowlain**
By Jibber & Cindy Herridge

Dec. 12 – In Memory of: **Bert & Dorothy Dennis**
By Joel & Betty Dennis

Dec. 12 – In Memory of: **Babe & Patsy Underwood**
By Ray Don Underwood Family

Dec. 13 – In Memory of: **Caden Nowlain**
By Ray Don Underwood Family

Dec. 13 – In Memory of: **Special Twin Robin Evans**
By Tracey Roberson

Dec. 14 – In Memory of: **Our Parents**
By Barbara & Rich Anderson

Dec. 15 – In Honor of: **Doris Burkett**
By W. E. Chapman, Jr.

Dec. 18 – In Memory of: **Our Parents**
By Shirly & Doyle Newton

Dec. 19 – In Honor of: **Bo & Jacque Hendricks**
By Mildred Sevey

Dec. 20 – In Memory of: **Guy Zant**
By Ray Don Underwood Family

Dec. 21 – In Memory of: **Karen Pearce**
By Martha Pearce

Dec. 21 – In Memory of: **Our late parents & grand parents**
By Trey Richey Family

Dec. 22 – In Memory of: **A. J. Rains**
By Bob & Vee Bledsoe

Dec. 22 – In Memory of: **Helon Rains**
By Bob & Vee Bledsoe

Dec. 22 – In Memory of: **James Rains**
By Bob & Vee Bledsoe

Dec. 22 – In Memory of: **Winnie Jeanne Hester Schomer (Granddaughter to John Henry Smoot)**
By Kay T. White

Dec. 23 – In Honor of: **Mr. & Mrs. Herman Ledbetter**
By Mary, James & Michele Bond

Dec. 24 – In Memory of: **Caden Nowlain**
By Mack & Jane Terry

Dec. 24 – In Memory of: **All our loved ones & friends**
By Ralph Miller Family

Dec. 24 – In Memory of: **Arvil (Babe) Brewer**
By Ross & Sarah Sharp

Dec. 24 – In Memory of: **S. C. (Buddy) Sharp**
By Ross & Sarah Sharp

Dec. 25 – In Memory of: **Buster York**
Velma Burt (Mother)

By Juaise B. York

Dec. 25 – In Honor of: **Mildred Sevey**
By Bo & Jacque Hendricks

Dec. 25 – In Memory of: **Clint O'Brien**
By Barry & Susan O'Brien

Dec. 26 – In Memory of: **Doris Beaver**
By Frank J. Beaver

Dec. 27 – In Honor of: **Joel & Betty Dennis**
By Jeff & Heather Dennis

Dec. 27 – In Honor of: **Eddie & Diedra Parks**
By Martin & Louise Parks Estates

Dec. 28 – In Memory of: **Bobby Glen Wilson**
By Marguerite Wilson Faver

Dec. 29 – In Memory of: **Bill Sealy**
By Jean, Rusty, Andy & Karen Sealy

Dec. 31 – In Honor of: **Brian & Sharon Jones & Robyn**
By Bo & Jacque Hendricks

Jan. 1 – In Memory of: **John Harding**
By Joe, Rhonda, Sarah & Clay Harding

Light bulbs for the "Star" on Gail Mountain are being sponsored for the following:

IN MEMORY OF:
Garland Doyle
Glen Kingston
Clay Kingston
By Eva Doyle
Elwood Hamilton
Roland Hamilton
Blanche Hamilton
Linda Hamilton Morris
Carol Montgomery
By Billie Hamilton & Family
James W. Petty
By Mrs. James W. Petty
Bonnie Sneed
By Norman (Slick) Sneed
John Harding
Brandon Adcock
John Brummett
Caden Nowlain
David Holmes
Jim York Family
L. D. "Bud" Smith Family
By Van & Barbara York
Vernon Creighton
Irene Creighton
Corky Ogden
Cliff Durham
By Verna Ogden
Edna Buchanan

Floyd Buchanan
Nora Buchanan
Warren Buchanan
Cleo Couture
Charles Couture
Armando Soto
Brandon Adcock
Caden Nowlain
David Holmes
By Bob & Terri Buchanan
Edward Rinehart
Jym Hendricks
Madge Hendricks
By Jym Rinehart Family
Jack Utley
Shirley Utley
Lee McDonald
Garland Spencer
Mary Spencer
Lonnie Fenwick
Emma Fenwick
By Ricky, Tracey & Tres Spencer
Preston & Ella Sharp
Tom & Ann Nelms
Billy O. Gilleland
Beno & Donna Hendricks
By Ross & Sarah Sharp
Caden Nowlain
Louise Parks
Wayne Cooley
Weldon Cooley
Doris Beaver
Doris Rudd
Bronk Turner
By Mary Ann Awtry & Family & Jacquie Whalen

IN HONOR OF:
Cindy Herridge
Jibber Herridge
Jana Underwood
Ray Don Underwood
Raylea Underwood
Cody Nowlain
Emily Nowlain
By Mack & Jane Terry
Norman Sneed
By Norman (Slick) Sneed
The Sharp Family
The Hallmark Family
By Margaret L. Sharp

Ross Sharp Family
Margaret Sharp
By Sarah Gilleland
Joe Thad Isaacs (J.T.)
Todd & Deann Brady
Jason & Meg Jarstfer
Karl & Dayna Wambach
Michael & Hannah Brady
Joshua & Daisy Mae Jarstfer
Chata, Keeley & Leisel Parks
Sina & Karl Jr. Wambach
Franz Wambach
Kevin & Shelby Vaughn
Finn Vaughn – 1st Christmas
Kyle & Shania
By Martin & Louise Parks Estates
Dean Roberson
Tracey Matthew
By Tracey Roberson
Jason Sharp
Sarah L. Gilleland
Margaret Sharp
By Ross & Sarah Sharp
Connie Johnson
By T. Ruffin Johnson, Jr.
Grandad & Grandmother Lewis
By Kelsey, Quincy & Eli Martin
Don & Nelva Jones
By Chad, Amy, Kelsey, Quincy & Eli Martin

DONATIONS FOR THE STAR:
Lyntegar Electric Cooperative
Snyder National Bank
Tumbleweed Smith
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Dyess
Sue Smith
Warren & Betty Beaver
Sue Jane Mayes
David Dorward
Benny & Barbara Frasier
Michelle K. Brock
Dennis Poole Family

Need Extra Christmas Cash? Then Join In On The Lyntegar Christmas

Make your plans now to enter your home and/or yard in the Christmas Decorating Contest sponsored by Lyntegar Electric Co-op. Entries will be judged on originality, quality and visual impact by an impartial party from Lyntegar. Prizes provided by Lyntegar Electric Co-op will be awarded to the top three winners and will be announced at the Lighting of the Star. Lyntegar is awarding cash prizes this year: \$150 for first place, \$100 for second place, and \$50 for third place!!!

Join in the fun! Complete and mail the entry form below and help decorate Gail for the Holidays!

CHRISTMAS DECORATING CONTEST	
Name:	_____
Physical Address:	_____
Phone:	_____
Directions to home:	_____

<small>Mail your entry to "Lyntegar & Lights for Gail - Christmas Decorating Contest", P.O. Box 312, Gail, TX 79738. All entries must be received by November 24, 2008 at 5:00 pm, and the location of the entry must be within a five-mile radius of Borden County Courthouse. Judging will be done on Wednesday, November 26th between 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.</small>	



Hurry!
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*Let's go to Post
for a fun
Day of Shopping
November 29th
and register for
PCM Bucks*

Post City Merchants

Grand Prize

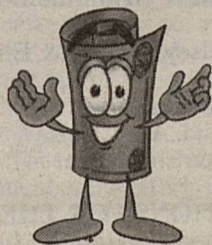
\$200 PCM Bucks

2nd Place

\$150 PCM Bucks

3rd Place

**4-\$50 PCM Bucks
each**



*Come back on December 6
to shop and enjoy refreshments
and the Lighted Christmas Parade at 6 PM.*

*PCM Bucks drawing
to be held at the Garza Theatre
at 5:30 PM*

Brought to You by Your Local Post City Merchants

CoCara's	Rockin'K Outfitters	Porter Hardware
Jim & Gerry's Antiques & Crafts	Texas Treasures	Plum Crazy
Garza Theatre	Hudman Furniture Company	McDonald's
Higginbotham- Bartlett Co.	Citizen's Bank	Chaparral R.V. Corral