

The Borden Star

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2010 Borden County Jr. Livestock Show a Success

Borden County 4-H and Gail FFA members recently participated in the 2010 Borden County Jr. Livestock Show at Gail, Texas. Thirty-eight 4-H and FFA members exhibited a total of 12 steers, 15 lambs, 30 goats and 41 swine at this year's county stock show.

Judges for the event were: Classifier: Joe Campbell of Hermleigh, TX; Showmanship Judge: Scott Brewer of Ackerly, Tx; Steer Judge: Aaron Custer of Big Spring, Tx; Lamb and Goat Judge: Chad Coburn of Sterling City, Tx and Swine Judge: Bryan Reynolds of Tahoka, Tx.

Placings of the 2010 BCJLA Stock Show were as follows:

Steer Show

MW British:

1. Payton Merket
2. Dylan Murphy

Breed Champion: Payton Merket

Reserve Breed Champion: Lacey Roberts

HW British:

1. Payton Merket
2. Dylan Murphy

Breed Champion: Lacey Roberts

Reserve Breed Champion: Raylea Underwood

MW European:

1. Lacey Roberts
2. Raylea Underwood
3. Flint Roberts

MW American:

1. J.W. Nix

2. Thomas Nix
3. Thomas Nix
4. J.W. Nix

Breed Champion: J.W. Nix

Reserve Breed Champion: Thomas Nix

Grand Champion Steer: Lacey Roberts

Reserve Grand Champion Steer: Payton Merket

GRAND CHAMPION

STEER-Lacey Roberts-received a Carhartt jacket donated by Doyle and Shirley; a buckle donated by Gerry and Julie Smith; \$100.00 and a monogrammed duffle bag given In Memory of Borden Gray by the Borden Gray Family.

RESERVE GRAND

CHAMPION STEER-Payton Merket-received a monogrammed garment bag donated by Brent and Pat Murphy and a buckle donated by Ralph and Dewey Fay Miller.

Donors of the class award are: Mr. & Mrs. Mickey McMeans, Mr. & Mrs. Tim Wilson, Mr. & Mrs. Ben Miller, and Mr. & Mrs. Scott Clayton. Recipients of these awards were: Payton Merket, Dylan Murphy, Lacey Roberts and J.W. Nix.

Lamb Show

Southdown:

1. Raylea Underwood
2. Kylie Voss

Breed Champion: Raylea Underwood

Reserve Breed Champion:

Kylie Voss

LW Fine Wool Cross:

1. Miles Valentine
2. Raylea Underwood
3. Shylo Rinehart
4. Merik Valentine
5. Kylie Voss

HW Fine Wool Cross:

1. Miles Valentine
2. Kagan Benham
3. Merik Valentine

Breed Champion: Miles Valentine

Reserve Breed Champion:

Raylea Underwood

Medium Wool:

1. Merik Valentine

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"Grab the Brass Ring" Benefit

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School Cafeteria Receives Excellent Review Rating From Texas Department of Agriculture

The Borden County ISD school cafeteria and staff have recently been recognized for their high standards of service after the completion of a "Coordinated Review Effort" by the Texas Department Of Agriculture. The monitor reviewing the Borden County School Cafeteria was ex-

tremely complimentary of the Borden County ISD school cafeteria, because she indicated that this was the first school that she had monitored that had accomplished this level of excellence under the rigorous standards required to obtain a rating of Excellent in a Coordinated Review of a

school cafeteria.

Texas Agriculture Commissioner Todd Staples informed Mr. Jimmy Thomas, school superintendent, of the rare honor and awarded the Borden County School District with a certificate for this outstanding

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Borden Lady JV Squad Victorious Against Grady

By Coach Benavidez

The JV Lady Coyotes faced off against the JV Lady Wildcats and came away with a win on January 15.

Aubree Lester and Krista Tarleton were unstoppable in the first quarter as they came away with 13 points. Jordan Day, Mabelle Barr, Shea Burkett, Kaylyn Dean, Hanna Forbes and Teryn Soto played great defense as the Lady Cats only had 1 point in the first quarter. The second quarter saw much of the same as the Lady Coyotes did not let up on their attack. The score was 20 to 5 at the half.

The third quarter started out with the Lady Coyotes changing up their press but not the intensity. The score went from 20 to 5 to 32 to 10. By the

fourth quarter the press was abandoned and the Lady Coyotes relied on solid defense to keep the Lady Cats from scoring. Frustration was the theme of the night for the Lady Cats as the Lady Coyote defense kept stealing passes and out-rebounding them. The Lady Coyote JV has quite a bit of quickness so any points that the Lady Cats were able to score were few and far in between. The final score was 34 to 12.

The leading scorers are as follows; Aubree Lester 16, Krista Tarleton 14, Hanna Forbes and Teryn Soto each had 2. Come out and support the Lady Coyotes as they travel to Klondike this Tuesday to take on the Lady Cougars.



JV Lady Coyote, Shea Burkett (#30) pushes around a Grady opponent. The Coyotes swept past the Wildcats with a final score of 34-12.

Varsity Boys 2-0 in District Play

By Coach Baeza

The Coyote varsity traveled to Loop on Jan. 12 and picked up a critical win as they defeated the Longhorns 53-38.

The Coyotes began the game well as they jumped out to a early 14-7 first quarter lead. Karl Lamming had the hot hand for the Coyotes in the first quarter as he put in 7 points followed by Brendan Tarleton with 4 and Zach Telchik 3. Excellent defense in the second quarter held the Longhorns to their lowest scoring quarter of the game with 6 points while the Coyotes had their biggest with 16. Karl Lamming again let the way scoring in the second with Quinton Shafer, Tanner Richey, and R.T. Shafer also contributing. This allowed the Coyotes to take a comfortable lead into half with a score of 30-13.

The Coyotes began the second half a little sluggish as they

had their lowest scoring quarter of the game with nine points. They did however continue to play good defense as they held Loop to just eight. In the fourth quarter the Coyotes began to once again find some offense as Brendan led the fourth quarter scorers with eight points followed by Karl with five. The Longhorns did however have their biggest quarter of the game putting in 17 fourth quarter points hitting a big three point basket to end the game.

This moved the Coyotes to 2-0 in district play and 5-1 overall. Good Job Coyotes!

Scoring for the Coyotes: Brendan Tarleton 20, Karl Lamming 18, Zack Telchik 8, Quinton Shafer 3, Tanner Richey 3, and R.T. Shafer 1.

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Cafeteria Rating...

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accomplishment. "This CRE covered critical and general areas of both district-wide and at Borden County School," he said. "Your nutrition staff is clearly committed to safeguarding the health and well-being of your students. They exemplify the highest standards of caring and service by

teaching children the relationship between proper eating and good health."

Cafeteria personnel include Pam Cooley (Manager), Arica Proulx, Trudy Basquez, Ericka Dowds and Terri Buchanan (Child Nutrition Program Specialist).

Excellent Rating



The Borden County School Cafeteria recently received a review rating of 'Excellent' from the Texas Department of Agriculture, an accomplishment that is rare among school cafeterias. Cafeteria staff pictured are (left to right) Trudy Basquez, Arica Proulx, Terri Buchanan, Ericka Dowds and Pam Cooley.

JH Boys Defeat Loop Longhorns

By Coach Baeza

The junior high boys took on the Loop Longhorns on Jan. 11 and improved their season record to 9-0 with a 25-17 win.

The Coyotes jumped out early on the Longhorns using full court pressure and quickly took an 11-0 first quarter lead. The Coyotes however relaxed defensively during the second quarter and allowed the Longhorns to make a run and cut the Coyote lead to 12 going into the half. During the second half the Coyotes really could not get anything going offensively as Loop was playing a zone and Coyotes were having

difficulty finding range. The Coyotes were outscored 11-7 during the second half but they were able to hold on for the victory. Good Job Coyotes!

Scoring for the Coyotes: T.J. Basquez 13, Frank Banman 6, Matthew Ham 4, and Kurt Shafer 2. Also contributing were Riley Herridge, Ricky Torres, Sean Tucker, Zach McMeans, Cayden Vaughn, Nathan Ham, Matthew Proulx, Brady Dowds, Jayden Huse, Tristin Benavidez, and Michael Taylor.

January 4-H Meeting
Tuesday, January 26th
During lunch in the
Conference Room

Borden County Basketball 2009 - 2010					
Date	Day	Opponent	Time	Site	Teams
Oct. 31	Sat.	Lorenzo (Scrimmage)	11:00	Gail	gG
Nov. 3	Tues.	Roscoe/Breckenridge (Scrimmage)	4:00	Roscoe	gG
Nov. 10	Tues.	Meadow	6:00	Gail	gG
Nov. 13	Fri.	Westbrook	6:00	Gail	gG
Nov. 17	Tues.	TBA	4:00	TBA	gGbB
Nov. 20	Fri.	TBA	4:00	TBA	gGbB
Nov. 23	Mon.	Whitharral	4:00	Whitharral	gGbB
Nov. 24	Tues.	Canyon	7:00	Lubbock Christian	G
Dec. 1	Tues.	Crosbyton	4:00	Gail	gGbB
Dec. 3-5		Coahoma Tourney	TBA	Coahoma	GB
Dec. 8	Tues.	Forsan	4:00	Gail	gGbB
Dec. 10 - 12	Th.-Sat.	Borden Co. Tourney	TBA	Gail	GB
Dec. 15	Tues.	Stanton	4:00	Stanton	gGbB
Dec. 18	Fri.	Wink	5:00	Gail	gGbB
Jan. 1	Fri.	Sundown	1:00	Sundown	gG
Jan. 5	Tues.	Lorraine	6:00	Gail	GB
Jan 7 & 9	Th., Sat.	Forsan JV Tourney	TBA	Forsan	gb
* Jan. 8	Fri.	Dawson	4:00	Gail	gGbB
* Jan. 12	Tues.	Loop	4:00	Loop	gGbB
* Jan. 15	Fri.	Grady	4:00	Gail	gGbB
* Jan. 19	Tues.	Klondike	4:00	Klondike	gGbB
* Jan. 22	Fri.	Sands	4:00	Gail	gGbB
* Jan. 26	Tues.	Dawson	4:00	Welch	gGbB
* Jan. 29	Fri.	Loop	4:00	Gail	gGbB
* Feb. 2	Tues.	Grady	4:00	Lenorah	gGbB
* Feb. 5	Fri.	Klondike	4:00	Gail	gGbB
* Feb. 9	Tues.	Sands	4:00	Ackerly	gGbB

*District Games
 Girls' Coaches: Colt McCook & Peter Benavidez
 Boys' Coaches: Fernando Baeza & Trey Richey

Election Candidates

March 2, 2010 Primary Elections

POSITION	REPUBLICAN	DEMOCRAT
County Judge	Borden Glen Gray Don Nunnally	Ross D. Sharp Dennis Poole
District & County Clerk		Joyce Herridge
County Treasurer	Lonnie A. Doyle	Tony Isaacs Sharlot A. Stone
County Commissioner Precinct No. 2		Randy Adcock
County Commissioner Precinct No. 4		Joe Belew
Justice of the Peace		Jane Jones

CALENDER FOR MARCH, 2010 PRIMARY ELECTION

February 1	Last day to register to vote
February 12	Last day to submit application for early voting by mail
February 16	Early voting by personal appearance begins
	Early voting located in Clerks Office in Courthouse
	For general Primary
February 23	Last day to receive application by mail
February 26	Last day to vote early by personal appearance
March 2	ELECTION DAY

Contact Joyce Herridge, County Clerk if you have a question.

THANKS!

On behalf of the BCJLA Directors and all 4-H and FFA exhibitors, we would like to thank ALL of the parents and volunteers that donated items and worked a shift in the concession stand during the stock show.

School Lunch Menu

Jan. 25 -29, 2010

Monday -Breakfast: Cereal & Toast, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Nachos Grande, Lettuce & Tomato, Orange Smiles, Cornbread and Milk.

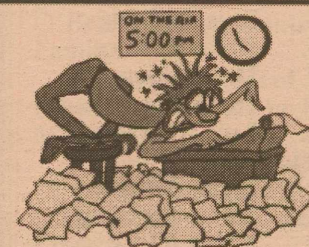
Tuesday - Breakfast: Pop Tart, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Oven Crispy Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Roll, Fancy Gelatin and Milk.

Wednesday - Breakfast: Biscuit w/Gravy, Ham, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Stuffed Baked Potato, Baby Carrots w/ Ranch, Fresh Fruit Cup, Texas Toast and Milk.

Thursday -Breakfast: French Toast, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Pizza, Seasoned Corn, Tossed Salad, Sliced Peaches and Milk.

Friday -Breakfast: Omelet & Toast, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Corndog, Oven Fried, Potatoes, Fresh Broccoli w/ Ranch, Sparkly Apples, Crispy Cereal Treat and Milk.

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Borden County Jr. Livestock Stockshow Results...

2. Miles Valentine
 3. Kylie Voss
 4. Kagan Benham
- Breed Champion:** Merik Valentine

Reserve Breed Champion: Miles Valentine

Fine Wool:

1. Merik Valentine
- Breed Champion:** Merik Valentine

Grand Champion Lamb: Merik Valentine

Reserve Grand Champion Lamb: Miles Valentine

GRAND CHAMPION LAMB-Merik Valentine-received a Carhartt jacket donated by Key Brothers Implement; a buckle donated by MiKe and Tammy Valentine; and a monogrammed duffle bag given In Memory of Corky Ogden Family

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION LAMB-Miles Valentine-received a monogrammed garment bag donated by Roy and Loveta Josey and a buckle donated by Billy Gannaway.

Donors of the class award are: Mr. & Mrs. Van York, Cody G. Hill, Mr. & Mrs. Freddy Roberts, and Mr. & Mrs. Gary Stipe. Recipients of these awards were: Raylea Underwood, Miles Valentine, Kagan Benham and Merik Valentine.

Goat Show

Class 1:

1. Maeghan Herridge
2. Seleste Herridge
3. Seleste Herridge
4. Kelby Kleck
5. Kable Kleck
6. Kelby Kleck

Class 2:

1. Raylea Underwood
2. Annie Stribling
3. Raylea Underwood
4. Mandi Hudson
5. Luis Andrade
6. Helio Rosales
7. Drew Tyler
8. Helio Rosales
9. Luis Andrade

Class 3:

1. Dylan Murphy
2. Annie Stribling
3. Kable Kleck
4. Drew Tyler
5. Austin Tyler
6. Mandi Hudson
7. Avery Price
8. Avery Price

Class 4:

1. Raylea Underwood
2. Mandi Hudson
3. Matthew Roberson
4. Mandi Hudson

5. Austin Tyler
6. Kylee Dean

Grand Champion Goat: Raylea Underwood

Reserve Champion Goat: Dylan Murphy

GRAND CHAMPION

GOAT-Raylea Underwood-received a Carhartt jacket donated by Clayton Willions Ranch Company; a belt buckle donated by Creative Awards; and a monogrammed duffle bag given In Memory of Caden Nowlain given by the Caden Nowlain Family.

RESERVE GRAND

CHAMPION GOAT-Dylan Murphy-received a monogrammed garment bag donated by Freddy and Lee Roberts; and a belt buckle donated by Price Construction.

Donors of the class award are: Mr. & Mrs. Bob Buchanan, Phillip, Holly & Baylee Benavidez, and Clay Cowart. Recipients of these awards were: Maeghan Herridge, Annie Stribling, Kable Kleck and Mandi Hudson.

Swine Show

LW Duroc:

1. Katie Gray
2. Shylo Rinehart
3. Rayme Jones

MW Duroc:

1. Shylo Rinehart
2. Shylo Rinehart
3. Katie Gray
4. Hayley Gray
5. Hayley Gray

HW Duroc:

1. Shylo Rinehart
2. Katie Gray
3. Hunter Jones
4. Kimberly Proulx
5. Kimberly Proulx

Breed Champion: Shylo Rinehart

Reserve Breed Champion: Shylo Rinehart

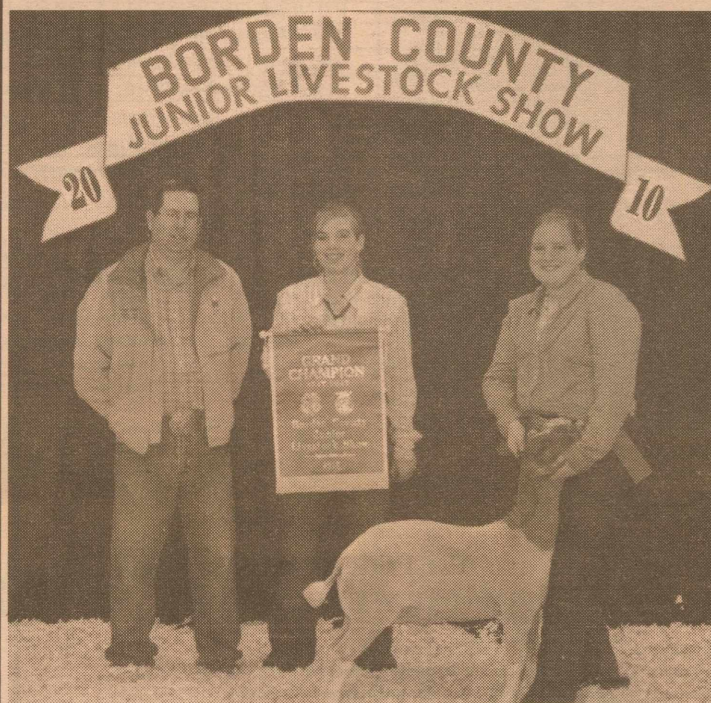
LW Hampshire:

1. Rayme Jones
2. Kaylyn Dean
3. Kable Kleck
4. Cayden Vaughn

MW Hampshire:

1. Shylo Rinehart
2. Hunter Jones
3. Taylor Gass
4. Hayley Gray
5. Kenley Dean

Grand Champion Goat



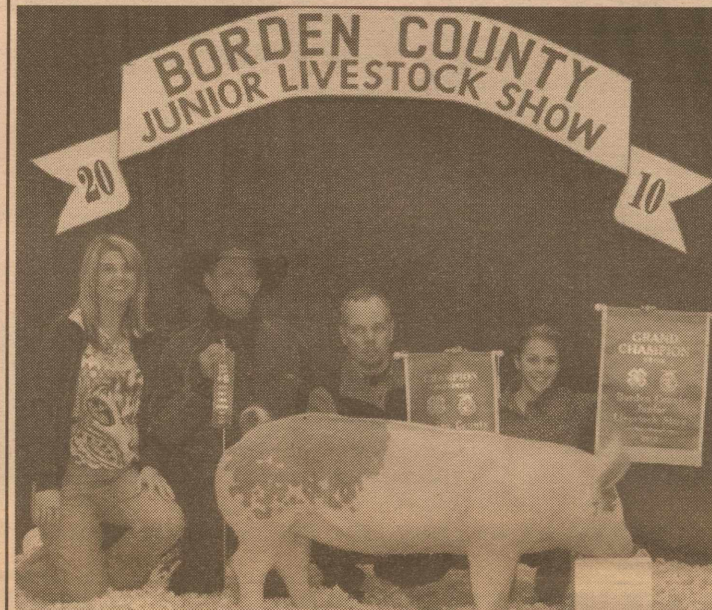
Grand Champion Goat exhibited by Raylea Underwood. Also pictured is (from left) Judge Chad Coburn and Shylo Rinehart

Grand Champion Steer



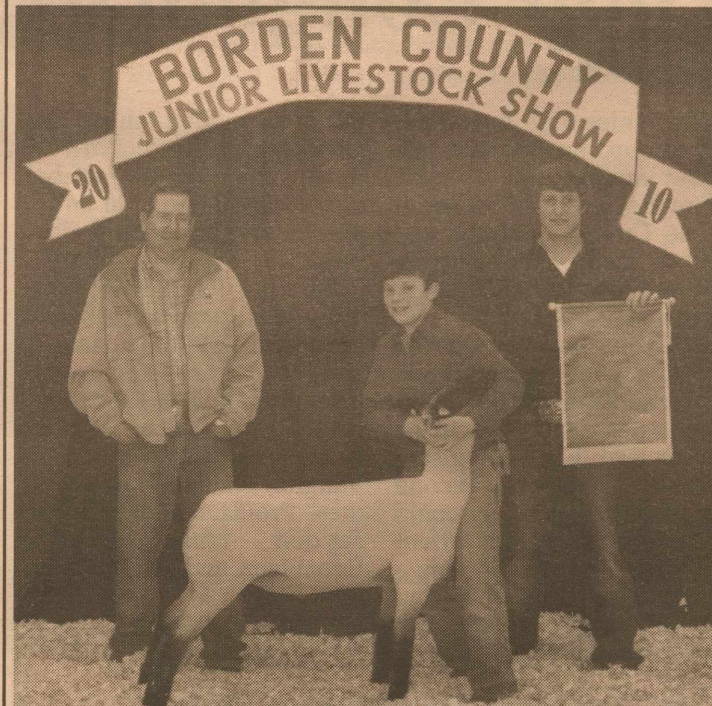
Grand Champion Steer exhibited by Lacey Roberts. Also pictured is (from left) Freddy, Flint and Lea Roberts.

Grand Champion Swine



Grand Champion Swine exhibited by Taylor Gass. Also pictured is (from left) parents, Shawna and Butch Gass and Judge Bryan Reynolds.

Grand Champion Lamb



Grand Champion Lamb exhibited by Merik Valentine. Also pictured is (from left) Judge Chad Coburn and Miles Valentine..

Borden County Jr. Livestock Stockshow Results...

- HW Hampshire:**
 1. Hayley Gray
 2. Madison Benavidez
 3. Kimberly Proulx
 4. Kelby Kleck
Breed Champion: Hayley Gray
- Reserve Breed Champion:** Madison Benavidez
- LW Cross:**
 1. Payton Merket
 2. Tristen Benavidez
 3. Madison Benavidez
4. Cayden Vaughn
MW Cross:
 1. Krista Tarleton
 2. Kylee Dean
 3. Cayden Vaughn
HW Cross:
 1. Taylor Gass
 2. Rayme Jones
 3. Kaylyn Dean
Breed Champion: Taylor Gass
Reserve Breed Champion: Krista Tarleton

- Black OPB:**
 1. Katie Gray
 2. Hayley Gray
Breed Champion: Katie Gray
Reserve Breed Champion: Hayley Gray
- White OPB:**
 1. Hunter Jones
 2. Brendan Tarleton
 3. Tristen Benavidez
Breed Champion: Hunter Jones
Reserve Breed Champion: Brendan Tarleton
- Grand Champion Swine:** Taylor Gass
Reserve Grand Cham-

Swine: Hayley Gray
GRAND CHAMPION SWINE-Taylor Gass-received a Carhartt jacket donated by Lisa Ludecke; a belt buckle donated by Max & Jane Jones, Monte & Deidre Smith, and Buddy & Kip Wallace; and a monogrammed duffle bag given In Memory of Buddy Sharp by Ross & Sarah Sharp and Margaret Sharp.

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION SWINE-Hayley Gray-received a monogrammed garment bag donated by Key Brothers Implement; and a belt buckle

donated by Scott & Brandi Brooks and Clayton Williams Ranch, Co.

Donors of the class award are: Mr. & Mrs. Randy Adcock, Mr. & Mrs. William Roper, Mr. & Mrs. Randy Hensley, Mr. & Mrs. Ross Sharp, Ms. Lisa Ludecke, Mr. & Mrs. Mach Terry, Mr. & Mrs. Ray Don Underwood, Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Bennett, Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Thomas, Mr. & Mrs. Jibber Herridge, Mr. & Mrs. Benny Taylor and Mr. & Mrs. Frank Herridge, Recipients of these awards were: Katie Gray, Shylo Rinehart, Hunter Jones, Rayme Jones, Taylor Gass, Hayley Gray, Tristen Benavidez, Krista Tarleton, Kaylyn Dean and Brendan Tarleton.

OTHER AWARD WINNERS

\$500 Caden Nowlain Memorial Scholarship-received by Raylea Underwood

\$500 Big Country Electric Cooperative, Inc. Scholarship-received by Lacey Roberts

\$500 Dan Cox Memorial Scholarship-received by Shylo Rinehart

\$500 E.A. Franklin Trust-received by Brendan Tarleton

\$500 E.A. Franklin Trust-received by Kagan Benham

Champion Fine Wool Lamb-Merik Valentine received a monogrammed duffle gab donated by Van & Barbara York.

Champion Duroc-Shylo Rinehart received a monogrammed duffle bag given In Memory of David Holmes by the Kent Holmes Family.

Champion White OPB-Hunter Jones received a monogrammed duffle bag given In Memory of Clint O'Brien by the Monte Smith Family.

Elementary Beef Showmanship Buckle-Payton Merket

donated by Dr. & Mrs. Church, West Texas Animal Clinic, Snyder, Texas and C&R Livestock Inc.

Junior Beef Showmanship Buckle-Flint Roberts

donated by Nichino America

Top Beef Showman Buckle-Lacey Roberts

donated by Van and Barbara York.

Junior Lamb Showman-

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Reserve Grand Champion Goat



Reserve Grand Champion Goat exhibited by Dylan Murphy. Also pictured is (from left) Mike, Leslie and Allie Murphy and Judge Chad Coburn.

Reserve Grand Champion Lamb



Reserve Grand Champion Lamb exhibited by Miles Valentine. Also pictured is (from left) Merik Valentine and Judge Chad Coburn.

Reserve Grand Champion Swine



Reserve Grand Champion Swine exhibited by Hayley Gray. Also pictured is (back row left to right) Brooklyn Gray, Borden Gray, Carli Payne, Lisa Gray, (front row left to right) Becky Kegans, Dorothy Gray, Katie Gray, Hayley Gray, Glen Gray and Judge Bryan Reynolds.

Reserve Grand Champion Steer



Reserve Grand Champion Steer exhibited by Payton Merket. Also pictured is (from left) Maddox and Quentin Merket, Judge Aaron Custer and Shylo Rinehart.

Commissioners Meeting

WHEREAS, On this the 22nd day of December, 2009, the Commissioners' Court of Borden County, Texas, convened in Special Session in the Commissioners Court room in the courthouse of Gail, Texas, the following members of the court being present, to-wit:

VAN L. YORK, County Judge; **MONTE SMITH**, Commissioner, Precinct N. 1; **RANDY ADCOCK**, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2; **ERNEST REYES**, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3; **JOE BELEW**, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4; **JOYCE HERRIDGE**, County Clerk and Ex-Officio of the Commissioners Court, constituting a quorum, when the following proceedings were had, in accordance with the posted agenda.

Ross Sharp, Deputy Tax Assessor/Collector and Chief Appraiser was in attendance.

MINUTES APPROVED

Minutes of the Commissioners Court Meetings of December 8, 2009. Commissioner Belew made a motion to approve said minutes. Commissioner Smith seconded the motion. Motion carried.

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT BUDGET

Commissioner Belew made a motion to amend the Special Permanent Improvement Fund Budget to show revenue of \$600,000.00 from the General Fund Reserves and \$800,000.00 received from Borden County ISD. For a total of One Million Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (1,400,000.00). Commissioner Adcock seconded the motion. Motion carried.

BORDEN COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

John Anderson and Randy Hensley, members of the Borden County ISD School Board met with the Court concerning the building projects.

BORDEN COUNTY EXTENSION AGENTS

Julie Smith, CEA-Family & Consumer Sciences Agent, Cody G. Hill, ECA-Agriculture and Natural Resources Agent, and Miles Dabovich, District Tx AgriLife Extension Agent met with the Court presenting a review of last years' programs and work.

LEASE AGREEMENT

Commissioner Adcock made a motion to approve the Lease Agreement between

Borden County ISD for the two acre Block Number 8 and all of West One-half of two acre Block Number 9 for a period of one year. County Judge Van L. York is authorized to sign Lease. Lease is recorded in Volume 0311, Page 177 of Borden County Deed Records. Commissioner Belew seconded the motion. Motion carried.

BORDEN COUNTY WATER

Commissioner Smith made a motion for the approval of Compliance Agreement with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality concerning Fluoride Violation. Commissioner Reyes seconded the motion. Motion carried.

INDIGENT HEALTH CARE

After examining Indigent Health Care Case Number 002, it was determined that it qualified as Indigent Health care. Commissioner Reyes made a motion to approve Indigent Health Care Case number 002. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith. Motion carried.

BURN BAN

No action was taken on burn ban.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED

The current accounts were examined and Commissioner Belew made a motion to approve and pay said accounts. Commissioner Smith seconded the motion. Motion carried.

DISCUSSION FOR FUTURE AGENDA

Burn ban to be considered.

ADJOURN

Commissioner Adcock made a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Reyes seconded the motion and was approved unanimously.

THE FOREGOING MINUTES READ AND APPROVED THIS THE 12th day of January 2010.

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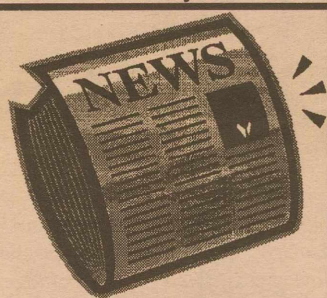
COUNTY OF BORDEN STATE OF TEXAS LEGAL NOTICE

The Commissioners' Court of Borden County will hold a public hearing on January 26, 2010 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners' Court Room to consider the Wind Tex Energy L.P. application to designate certain property located in Borden County as a reinvestment zone eligible for property tax abatement under chapter 312 of the Texas Code.

Any interested person is invited to attend and present oral or written comments. The proposed budget may be examined at the office of the County Clerk or the County Judge.

BY THE ORDER OF THE BORDEN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT

Van L. York
County Judge
Borden County



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Tony Isaacs

Borden County Treasurer Candidate

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I, Jane Jones, am seeking re-election for the office of

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Political advertisement paid for by Jane Jones.

Re-Elect

Randy Adcock

for

Borden County
Commissioner, Precinct #2

Thank you for your past support and I ask for your vote and support in the future.

Paid Political advertisement, Randy Adcock, Treasurer

Your consideration is appreciated

Dennis Poole

For

County Judge

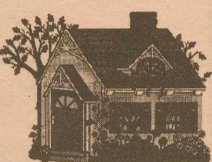
Paid Political Adv., Dennis Poole, Treasurer

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by Julie Smith
Borden County Extension Agent-Family and Consumer Sciences

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Resolve to Simplify Your Life


We are into 2010 a few weeks now, and you may be feeling like it is as hectic and cluttered as 2009. There are some easy ways to make a few changes that can save time and money. Organizing your time is easier than you think!

- * *Put your calendar to work.* Dedicate a morning to booking a year's worth of appointments. Not just for the doctor and dentist, but for haircuts, the tax accountant, and even that yoga class you keep forgetting. And so you won't miss another birthday, stock up on cards—and paper clip them to the appropriate calendar page.
- * *Make O-H-I-O your motto.* "Only hold it once"—whether it's mail, laundry or

groceries. Take action before you get distracted.

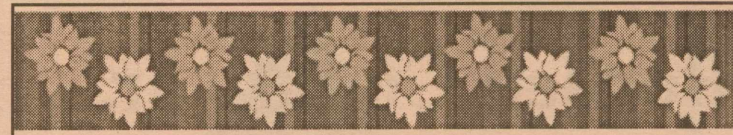
- * *Sign up for e-statements.* Eliminate the deluge of statements each month by signing up on their web site for paperless/e-statements.
- * *Shop wisely.* Select products that make daily or weekly tasks easier.
- * *Try some food for thought.* Clean out your refrigerator and pantry before heading to the market. You may be surprised to see what you already have and what you keep forgetting to pick up. And hang onto your grocery receipt. It's great for starting next week's shopping list.

Information taken from Right at Home web site



SEEDS FROM THE SOWER
Michael A. Guido
Metter, Georgia

A sign on a wrecked car amused me. Above the bent fender were the words: "My wife did it."
And that's what Adam said.
In order to excuse himself, he had only the woman, the serpent, and the Lord. So he said, "The woman."
But today we have family, society or poverty.
But God puts the blame where it belongs — on the sinner.
With Him there's only one way to find forgiveness. Confess, "I did it. I'm to blame. Forgive me."
He'll cleanse you, convert you and make you more than a conqueror. And you'll be able to say, "I can do anything God asks me to with the help of Christ who gives me the strength and power."

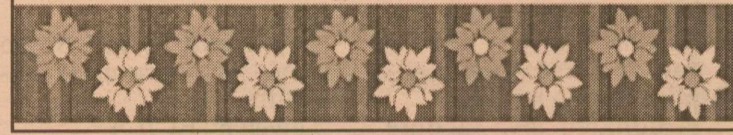


The Miller Girls: Channing, Camryn and Crosby would like to announce the arrival of their new sister...

Grace "Canyon" Miller

Welcomed into the world on December 29, 2009 at 7:56 a.m.
Weighing 6lbs and 13ozs and measuring 20 inches

Canyon is also embraced with love by her parents Clay and Vanessa Miller and Grandparents Ben and Paula Miller of Fluvanna and Bronwyn Shaw of Lubbock



Thought for the Day

There is a right way to settle all problems and most of our troubles are the result of trying to avoid that way.
--Unknown



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Borden County Jr. Livestock Stockshow Results...

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ship Buckle-Merik Valentine donated by Randy & Donelle Hensley and John Ward

Senior Lamb Showmanship Buckle- Shylo Rinehart donated by Brent & Pat Murphy and Bland Club Lambs, Post, Texas

Top Lamb Showman Buckle-Miles Valentine donated by Munger Ranch Partnership

Elementary Goat Showmanship Buckle-Dylan Murphy

Donated by Sharp Image Energy, Inc.

Junior Goat Showmanship Buckle-Kylee Dean

donated by Jacquie Whalen and given In Memory of David Dennis

Senior Goat Showmanship Buckle- Annie Stribling Donated by Andy & Lea Ann Hudson

Top Goat Showman Buckle- Raylea Underwood Donated by Mack & Jane Terry and Ray Don, Jana & Raylea Underwood given In Memory of Caden Nowlain

Elementary Swine Showmanship Buckle-Rayme Jones

donated by Christeen Ledbetter

Junior Swine Showman-

ship Buckle-Cayden Vaughn donated by R.M. Livestock, L.P.

Senior Swine Showmanship Buckle-Kaylyn Dean donated by Tommy Woolam of Woolam Gin

Top Swine Showman Buckle-Hunter Jones

donated by Dr. & Mrs. Church, West Texas Animal Clinic, Snyder, Texas

Over All Showman Buckle- Shylo Rinehart

donated In Memory of Don Cox by Donna, Rex and family

Top Hand Award-Shylo Rinehart Monogrammed rolling duffel bag

given by BCJLA

Outstanding 1st Year Exhibitor-Helio Rosales Monogrammed duffel bag

given by BCJLA

Caden T. Nowlain Memorial "Helping Hand" Buckle- received by Shylo Rinehart

given In Memory of Caden Nowlain by Cindy & Jibber Herridge and Cody Nowlain.

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BORDEN COUNTY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2009

Data Control Codes	10 General Fund	60 Capital Projects	Other Funds	Total Governmental Funds
REVENUES:				
5700 Total Local and Intermediate Sources	\$ 9,351,763	\$ 1,918,948	\$ 185,349	\$ 11,456,060
5800 State Program Revenues	1,428,626	-	20,783	1,449,409
5900 Federal Program Revenues	50,056	-	170,021	220,077
5020 Total Revenues	10,830,445	1,918,948	376,153	13,125,546
EXPENDITURES:				
Current:				
0011 Instruction	1,495,244	-	197,505	1,692,749
0012 Instructional Resources and Media Services	28,004	-	-	28,004
0013 Curriculum and Instructional Staff Development	5,832	-	1,813	7,645
0021 Instructional Leadership	5,275	-	117,867	123,142
0023 School Leadership	115,372	-	-	115,372
0031 Guidance, Counseling and Evaluation Services	27,835	-	9,427	37,262
0033 Health Services	63,171	-	-	63,171
0034 Student (Pupil) Transportation	568,426	-	-	568,426
0035 Food Services	213,412	-	-	213,412
0036 Extracurricular Activities	314,251	-	1,111	315,362
0041 General Administration	321,900	-	2,076	323,976
0051 Facilities Maintenance and Operations	855,448	-	755	856,203
0052 Security and Monitoring Services	3,755	-	295	4,050
0053 Data Processing Services	86,292	-	-	86,292
0061 Community Services	52,896	-	388	53,284
Debt Service:				
0073 Debt Service - Bond Issuance Cost and Fees	-	123,512	-	123,512
Capital Outlay:				
0081 Facilities Acquisition and Construction	242,169	796,133	-	1,038,302
Intergovernmental:				
0091 Contracted Instructional Services Between Schools	5,780,450	-	-	5,780,450
0093 Payments to Fiscal Agent/Member Districts of SSA	45,784	-	-	45,784
0099 Other Intergovernmental Charges	61,187	-	-	61,187
6030 Total Expenditures	10,286,703	919,645	331,237	11,537,585
1100 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	543,742	999,303	44,916	1,587,961
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):				
7911 Capital Related Debt Issued (Regular Bonds)	-	25,000,000	-	25,000,000
7912 Sale of Real and Personal Property	188	-	-	188
7916 Premium or Discount on Issuance of Bonds	-	135,000	4,102	139,102
7080 Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	188	25,135,000	4,102	25,139,290
1200 Net Change in Fund Balances	543,930	26,134,303	49,018	26,727,251
0100 Fund Balance - September 1 (Beginning)	13,336,170	-	-	13,336,170
3000 Fund Balance - August 31 (Ending)	\$ 13,880,100	\$ 26,134,303	\$ 49,018	\$ 40,063,421