# The Bavina Blade 

 THE PANHANDLE of Texas may not exactly be the culturalcenter of the universe, but if you live here long enough, you eventually get an opportunity to good entertainers.
Such was the case last Saturday night, when the Ellises took the opportunity to attend the Kenny has been a longtime favorite of has been a longtime favorite of
both myself and the author of "My Turn," and this was perhaps one of the best concerts we have ever attended.
Serving as
Serving as the opening act for Rogers was Ricky Skaggs, no
slouch of an entertainer himself. Skaggs is an accomplished musician on the mandolin, violin, banjo and two types of guitars, in addition to his singing talents. junior high, growing up on junior high, growing up on a
cotton farm in Bailey County, my grandparents took me to see the "Grand Ole Opry" stars in Amarillo. These included Red
Foley, Ernest Tubb, Minnie Pearl and Rod Brassfield. They might not be headliners today, but at that time, they were STARS.
Since then, we have managed to see a number of country music
stars through the years at Amarillo's Tri-State Fair. Some of these have included Charlie Pride, The Oak Ridge Boys, Tony Orlando and Dawn, Roy Clark and Andy Gibb. The highlight of my freshman
year at Texas Tech was year at Texas Tech was not a
football game, not at all. It was being able, with my best buddy Joe Coffey to take our dates to the Elvis Presley concert.
At that time, Elvis was just an
up-and-coming entertainer next time Elvis came to Lubbock next time Elvis came to Lubbock, we'd probably have been able to have sold them for enough to finance our senior years in college.
On a trip while in college, we On a trip while in college, we
were able to see Jimmy Durante, during the twilight of his career. Clovis used to be able to attract some name stars, and we'll never
forget the Louis Armstrong concert they had at Marshall the most outstanding entertaine ye editor has ever seen in person. They also had the likes of Slim Whitman, yes, the now-famous international recording
when he really was slim
when he really was slim.
to its campus in recent years, and among the concerts we attended there was one by Olivia Newton-
John, during the time she was John, during the time she wa
the top of the musical charts. Civic Amarillo and cher. have brought some big-name entertainers to the Panhandle from time to time, and we have enjoyed the likes of Barry Manilow,
Sedaka and Shirley Jones
Of course the Lone Star Ballet has its Nutcracker Suite each Christmas season and we've attended that production both before and since our daughter was a dancer in it while attending
WTSU. As members of the Hereford
Community Concerts, we've bee priviledged to hear some good entertainers, including tenor John Gary and the Guy Lombardo
Orchestra. "Some of this may seem like who go to Las Vegas to attend the

## shows.

But most of the entertainers
we've mentioned have within a 100 -mile radius of our homes. We get to thinking
sometimes that we don't get a sometimes that we don't get a
chance for much entertainment chance for much entertainment really isn't that bad if you'll just stop and think.
This week, for example, Bill
Cosby, number one TV personality, was also in Amarillo. Ye Editor had to make a choice
between Kenny Rogers and "The Cos," and that's quite a choice to be able to make.

## Q Boviln $A$ amms $D_{\text {RU }}$ Homecoming Activities Are Set Friday <br> Preparations for the 1989-90 following the football game from

 Homecoming are underway. 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. All alumni and Friday evening, October 20 , with he crowning of the new king and
## Candid

Candidates have been
nominated by the Student nominated by the Student Council.
Election of king and queen will take place on Wednesday, October
18 .
Those candidates nominated this year are: seniors--Jimmy Don Isabel Gilbreath; Libby Marshall, daughter of Billy Lynn and Linda Marshall; Randy Stone, son of Jessie and Alice Stone; Tonia Chisom, daughter of Earl and son of Mrs. Carmen Porras; and Jennifer Beauchamp, daughter of Garry and Carolyn Beauchamp.
Junior candidates Junior candidates are Robert Maria Guevara and Belinda Dale, daughter of Donald and Nita Dale. Sophomore candidates are Corey Kirkpatrick, son of Daryl and Karen Kirkpatrick and Donna Griggs, daught
Brenda Griggs.
Freshman candidates are Andy Stormes, son of Sammy and Ella Jo Stormes and Nancy Vargas, Garcia. Additional Homecoming the traffic-Y on Thursday at 8:30 p.m. and a parade at 4 p.m. Friday A Homecoming dance will be

## Former State Rep To Speak Here

Former state representative Ben Bynum of Amarillo wisl be speak-
ing to Bovina youngsters at two ing to Bovina youngsters at two
school assemblies, and then at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, October 25 , he will address the adults at the high school auditorium, on the
subject of drugs and alcohol Bynum, a recovering former alcoholic, will speak from firsthand experiences as
Bynum was born and raised in Amarillo, where he attended public schools and Amarillo
College. He is a College. He is a member of a
pioneer Panhandle family that has pioneer Panhandle family that has aen engaged in ranching, banking
and eal estate for several

University of Texas at Austin, in 1966, with a BA Degree in government and history. He graduate study in journalism and advertising.
In 1971,
In 1971, Bynum was elected to Tepresen House of Representatives. Texas House of Representatives.
During his six years service in the Legislature, Rep. Bynum was appointed the youngest member to serve as chairman of a major tanding committee.
he worked in the egislative service, until his election in 1980, as County Judge of Potter County. As County Judge, he served on the
Board of Directors Board of Directors of the
Panhandle Alcoholic Recovery Panhandle Alcoholic Recovery
Center (P.A.R.C.), and was Center (P.A.R.C.), and was
instrumental in the opening of a detoxification center in Amarillo.

Bynum is an adult child of an
alcoholic. As a result of his alcoholism, he was suspended as Potter County Judge in 1984. In
September of 1984, Bynum September of 1984, Bynum
admitted hismelf to a CareUnit Center for alcoholism/chemica
dependency dependency
Pennsylvania.
Since that time he has be involved in an ongoing program o recovery from the disease of alcoholism. Bynum, a state
certified alcohol and drug abuse certified alcohol and drug abuse
counselor, is program manager of counselor, is program manager of
CareUnit Chemical Dependency treatment center.
The CareUnit is located in Canyon at Palo Duro Hospital and eminent center for the treatment of dependencies. Bynum directs the daily operations of the seventeenbed unit and acts as liaison (Continued on Page 7)


## Mustangs Whip Eagles In First Dist. Game

The Bovina High School Mus- "We were only a few points score Three-Way 32, Bovina 24. tangs rose to the occasion and ahead at the time, and I think that But the Mustangs responded defeated previously undefeated play sort of demoralized Three- when Guevara got untracked for a
Three-Way, $52-38$ in a game at Way. That kind of burst their 15 -yard run for a touchdown and Three-Way, $52-38$ in a game at Way. That kind of burst their 15 -yard run for a touchdown, and
Maple last Friday night.
bubble," the Mustang coach his successful kick tied the game a Maple last Musay night.
The Mustangs spoiled the commented. Eagles' Homecoming game by Boving grabbed the lead when Bovina got the ball back and set winning the district opener against Guevara scored on a 62 -yard pass out on another drive, and Guevar one of the tougher teams in the play from Juan Reyna in the first climaxed it successfully by runnin Bovina won the game with a
steady, four-quarter performance, and were well in control at the game's end.
Junior runningback Robert Junior runningback Rober
Guevara scored five touchdowns Guevara scored five touchdown
for the Mustangs, and added three Bovina's points.
"It took quite a load off our shoulders, to win that game. The kids played extremely well. They
just set their minds to the fact that just set their minds to the fact tha
they were going to win, and they they were going to win, and they
did," said a happy Coach Terry
Bean. Bean.
Bean said that Three-Way's
offense was hard to defend, and offense was hard to defend, and
complimented complimented the Mustang
defense for the way they managed defense for the way they managed
to hold Three-Way down. "Their quarterback, Mario
Guillen, has undoubtedly the best throwing arm in the district. He was on target for three long bombs
that had to be placed just at the that had to be placed just at the
right place, and he did it," Bean
said.
Bean said that one of the biggest
plays of the game came late in the third quarter, when defensive
players Juan Reyna and Robert Guevara forced a Three-Way
safety
Oct. 22-27 Proclaimed BAD Week

## proclaimed the week of October

 22-27 as "Red Ribbon Week" inBovina. The BAD
Against Drugs) committee (Bovina National Red Ribbon Week. The
Red Ribbon campaign Red Ribbon campaign originated
when Federal Agent Enrique when Federal Agent Enrique
Camarena was murdered by drug traffickers in 1985. The Red
Ribbon became the symbol to reduce the demand for drugs.
district.
Bovina warter. Guevara kicked the two- it in from four yards out to give

## A little later, Guevara hauled in a failed. $88-32$ lead, as the kick

 six-yard scoring pass from Reyna, That's when the Mustang and Hector Guevara's kick made soored their safety with thedefensive play by Reyna the score 16-0. Three-Way responded with a Guevara, and Bovina captured the pair of TDs from the Guillen game's momentum, as the scor
brothers, one on an 11 -yard run by became $40-32$. quarterback Mario, and then In the fourth quarter, Guevara Eddie scored on a 24 -yard pass took an eight-yard scoring pass from his brother to make it a 16-14 from Reyna, as Bovina hiked it game. Both kick attempts by the lead to $46-32$. The kick following
Eagles failed. agles failed. $\quad$ this score was no good. Izzy Marrufo scored on a 15 - Manuel Porras got into the
yard pass from Reyna in the scoring act with a five-yard run, as
second quarter, and Guevara's second quarter, and Guevara's the Mustang lead became $52-32$. kick gave the Mustangs a $22-14$ On the PAT kick, Three-Way
blocked it, picked blocked it, picked up the ball and
But the Mario Guillen to Eddie ran it back and were awarded two Guillen team clicked for 65 yards points. However, the Eagles before halftime, and the Eagles committed a clip on the play, went to intermission trailing by according to Coach Bean, and just 24-22, as their third kick was should not have been awarded the good.
Three-Way tied up the game in points. As it turned out, the two
points were not a factor in the The third quarter by scoring a points were not a factor in the
the same.
safety against the Mustangs, and Three-Way scored again on safety against the Mustangs, and Three-Way scored again on

then took the lead when the pass before the game ended. | Guillen to Guillen express worked |
| :--- |
| for 45 yards. The kick made the |
| (Continued on Page 6 ) |
| (Cas extremely pleased with |



WEEK PROCLAIMED... Mayor Keith Knight is WEEK PROCLAIMED... Mayor Keith Knight is
pictured as he proclaims October 22-27 as Red Ribbon Week in Bovina. Shown with Knight is Carlos Garza, Elea Marrufo and Deanna Salinas.


## Blake Sudderth Wins

 Blade Grid Contest SAY NOTO DRUGS IN BOVINA October 22-29

HERE ARE SOME THINGS TO WATCH FOR . ...

1. A sweet odor similar to burnt rope in room,
on clothes, etc.
on clothes, etc
2. Roach-sm
cigarette.

1 butt end of a marijuana Excessive use of incen
or breath fresheners.
9. Devices for keeping the substance boxes, cans or even concealed contan as usually the ends are twisted or crimped. like a soft drink can with a screw-off lid. 1. Roach clips-holders for the roach. These 10. Eating binges-an after effect in some
could be any number of common items such
marijuana users. as They could also be of a store-bought variety in a number of shapes and disguises. Apyuana users.
11. Appearance of intoxication yet no smell of
alcohol. 12. Excessiv
5. Seeds or leaves in pockets or possessions. 13. Yellowish staingter.
6. Ron finger tips from holding
somewhere.

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## Scooter's Scoops

## By Scooter Russell

Monday morning began with Wendy Hall, and three
chilly winds from the north and the grandchildren. Our thoughts are highs are only in the 50 's. The with the family. leaves are falling, reminding us that winter is around the corner Homecoming is Friday night and time Cochran had a good this is definitely football weather. Mason of Odessa, over the Benny McKay is in very critical weekend. They went to Clovis and had dinner. She told condition at Clovis High Plains how she appreciated how he
Hospital. He has cancer. Our insulated her pipes Hospital. He has cancer. Our
thoughts are with his parents, thoughts are with his parents,
Elmer and Veda McKay, also his wife and two children.

Mace has recently gone to the
My sister, Jane McBeth, came on Tuesday of last week from
Milwaukee, Wednesday, Jane, my mother and I went to Moriarty, New Mexico and spent a couple of days with $m$
two brothers and their families.
Wednesday night we had mothe Wednesday night we had mother Oliver's home with thirty members of the family present. The next night we took mother to the Bella Vista Restaurant at Cedar Crest
for supper. It is said to be one of for supper. It is said to be one o
the largest and finest restaurants in the largest and finest restaurants in
the Southwest with ten dining rooms and over 1,000 seating
capacity. capacity. Friday morning, mother, Jane and I drove to Eagle Nest and spent a couple of days at our
trailer. Husband Jim and daughter Tami and family joined us for a great time. The weather was nice and Jim caught the biggest fish he's ever going to the Cimarron Canyons. The brown trouts measured 19 and $201 / 2$ inches long and weighed three pounds and three and one-hal pounds. Also, Jim and Arty
caught several smaller ones in spite of muddy water and a full moon
of muddy water and a full moon. Kent Stanberry of Phoenix, Our deepest sympaties to the Arizona, a former Bovina resident, family of Nan Hall. She died on attempting to sharpen a gin saw at Thursday of last. week. She was his brother Red's shop in Phoenix.
survived by her husband, two His left hand and thigh were badly survived baghters, Trish Sherrill and Hut. He is undergoing surgery on

## Students Learn Of Fire Prevention

Youngsters have been busy learning about Fire Prevention A special appreciation was given instrumental in showing films, teacher as she was presented with a

presenting the youngsters with presenting the youngsters with bud vase and flowers. The Bovina
prizes of balloons, candy and free Fire passes to the Homecoming game appreciation artment expressed on Friday night. The youngsters were shown a
film on Monday morning of last week of fire prevention important week, "Snuffy film" and achool Lunch
Villarreal of the Fire Department showed them his fire fighting suit showed them his fire fighting suit
and explained its functions. Villarreal passed out packages on fire prevention to explain the do's
and don't's and precautions and don't's and precautions One day the children from Mrs. Cupit's class and Mrs. Moore's class went to see the fire truck with its lights on and a fireman also sprayed water to show them the power of fire trucks. 33 participated in the coloring contest particip by members of the Fir judged by martment and FRIDAY --hamburgers, French be chown in this week's issue of the and milk.

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Louisiana and saw their greatgranddaughter baptised at the First Proposition 17 authorizes the state Pineville, Louisiana Church in November 7 and this is very loans and other financial month-old baby is Rachel Lee important for Bovina people as assistance to local fire departments month-old baby is Rachel Lee this will be the last chance to get an and other public fire fighting
Fouts and her grandparents are amendment passed. It will be organizations to purchase fire Fouts and her grandparents are amendment passed. It will be organizations to purchase fire
Lexi and Roger Mitcham and her Proposition 17-HJR 33. parents are Darrel and Ginny This is very important to the federal and state law, and to Fouts. accident in September and is still
having difficulty. She was riding a horse and it backed into an electric fence. It began bucking and threw
her off. her off.
Both Both arms were broken. The
small bone was broken on her right arm and the elbow dislodged. Her left arm was broken at the shoulder. She underwent surgery
on both arms and they put a steel on both arms and they put a stee
plate in her right arm and a pin in her left arm, but it did not stay She still has a cast on her right arm and her left arm is tied to her body. Her mother was with her for
couple of weeks then her mother couple of weeks, then her mother-
in-law for a week. Then she spent a in-law for a week. Then she spent a
week with her mother-in-law and now she's trying to manage on her own at home. This is even more
difficult since she difficult since she and her month-old baby,
Tommy and Kay Williams have recently visited with Tommy's dad,
Dennis Williams of Abilene. They Dence on down to Munday and
drove spent the night with daughter Lezli and her family. They had a real good time with the two little

Earl and Lee Steven

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PATRICIA ANNETTE ETHRIDGE and JOHNNY C.
MAY....Patricia Annette Ethridge, granddaughter of J.O. Stroud of Amarillo and Johnny C. May, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. P.C. May of Dumas, announce their engagement and approaching marriage for December 2 at 7:30 p.m. in the Fifth Season Inn West, Atrium. The bride-elect is a 1979 Bovina High School graduate and graduated from Amarillo College with a degree in applied graduated from Amaillo College with a degree in applied High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. The prospective High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarilo. The prospective bridegroom graduated from Dumas High School, Odessa
Junior College and West Texas State University with a degree in physical education. He is employed as a video manager at Furr's Supermarket in Amarillo. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the wedding and reception.
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## Elementary Honor Roll Is Given

 The first six weeks at BovinaElementary School was released by Sue Nuttall, principal.
Students Students and their categories are as follows:
ALL A'S Third grade---Rachel Rodriguez, J.T. Roach and Derrick Vanegas.
Fourth grade--Willie Bell, Tricia Kessler, Shaun Spohn, Jamie
Stanberry, Luke Steelman $\begin{array}{lcc}\begin{array}{l}\text { Stanberry, } \\ \text { Maricela }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Luke } \\ \text { Guevara, }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Steelman } \\ \text { Paulene }\end{array}\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Maricela } & \text { Guevara, } & \text { Paulen } \\ \text { Borquez, }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Borquez, Tony } & \text { Beauchamp, } \\ \text { Carolina Gomez } \\ \text { and Gina }\end{array}$ Kunselman.
Fifth grade--Amber Willard, Joey Rackley, Lisa Hromas,
D'Anne Jones and Lori D'Anne Jones and Lor
Beauchamp.
Sixth grade--Angie Uriegas, Mandy Wilson and Jay Grisham. Seventh grade--Felecia Flores. ALL A'S AND B'S
Third grade--Gina Beauch Third grade--Gina Beauchamp,
Christi Bentley, Ryan Dyer, Elia Marrufo, Vickie Ortiz, Yessenia
Rios, Scott Sherrill, Alfred Uriegas, Joshua Willard, Rana Weber, Michael Mitchell, Randi
Grissom, Jose Vitolas and Ashley Grissom, Jose Vitolas and Ashley
Zehner. Fourth
Antillon, $\left.\begin{array}{c}\text { grade--Ricardo } \\ \text { Valentino }\end{array}\right)$ Cervantes Pedro Marrufo, Jose Pena, Bonnie
Ouitana, Martin Reyna Quitana, Martin Reyna, Sarah
Rocha, Kathy Rodriguez, Santiago Rocha, Kathy Rodriguez, Santiago
Serna, Michelle Villarreal, Wanda Serna, Michelle Villarreal, Wand
Munoz, George Villarreal, Amy Venable, Deborah Brito, Eric Galvan, Rebecca Gomez, Norma Hernandez, Leticia Sierra, Chris Arias, Spencer Nau, Manny
Quintana, Priscilla Martinez, Stephanie Villarreal, Hector Vela, Anthony Gonzales, Jesus Castillo, Jessie Castaneda, Melissa Cantu and Michael Brito. Fifth grade--Nora Uriegas, Adan Perez, Shaun Nau, Juan
Martinez, Jason Kerby, Lennie Brito and Kasey Bell.
Sixth grade--Carmen Campos, RoseAnn Cantu, Henry Renteria Alex Dopp, Rosario Lara, Ren
Villa and Annabel Castaneda. Principal's recognition list $\begin{array}{lcc}\text { Brandi } & \text { Munoz, } & \text { Joseph } \\ \text { Estraca, }\end{array}$ Armaca, Valerie Pena, Ronald
Armn Stormes, Maria $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { TEXANS' WAR ON DRUGS } \\ \text { ANNOUNCES } \\ \text { Texas Red Riblen Campaign } \\ \text { OCtober 22-29, } 1989\end{array}\right.$
 kindergarten through the second grade．
BHS Scores Win．．．
（Continued from Page 1）Corey Kirkpatrick was injurd the play of Robert Guevara， $\begin{aligned} & \text { ard hey has done a great job，＂Bean } \\ & \text { stated．}\end{aligned}$ $\begin{aligned} & \text { Manuel Porras and Juan Reyna on } \\ & \text { offense．Three－Way was really } \\ & \text { On defense，Bean singled out } \\ & \text { keying on Porras，and that opened } \\ & \text { Ior his worruf．＂Really，the entire }\end{aligned}$ keying on Porras，and that opened for his work．＂Really，the entire The Bovina Junior High
it up for Guevara to make some defense，played a whale of a $\begin{array}{llll}\begin{array}{ll}\text { good runs，and he responded．} \\ \text {＂Also，I can＇t say enough about }\end{array} & \text { game，＂Bean said．＂Whenever a } & \text { football team downed Three Way，} \\ \text { big play was needed }\end{array}$ Reyna．He＇s a sophomore who
came in as a replacement when stopped them，＂，he said．
＂Hopefully Clothes Drive
Slated Here us Hopefully，the win should gain

coactitle respect，＂ | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { us a little respect，＂＂the Mustang } \\ \text { coach added．}\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { dawns and passed for two more．} \\ \text { Lauro DeLaCruz caught a pair of }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- | Bovina led in first downs，19－9．Reyes，and the other from Scott The PTA is sponsoring a drive passes for 220 yards，and the Nau． $\begin{aligned} & \text { Other touchdowns were scored } \\ & \text { Tor a clothes closet that is available }\end{aligned}$ Mustangs added 203 yards rushing by Kody Wilson and Shawn for those youngsters in need of for a total offense of 423 yards．Dalton． clothes or shoes．

A spokesman said the group is in the South Plains area going into Lance McClaran ran two PATs． desperately needing coats and the game，allowing just 214 total Melecio Marrufo ran one PAT， tennis shoes．If you have such yards per game．and Matt Hromas caught a pass items you can donate，bring them The win moved Bovina＇s season for an extra point．
to the school or contact Pat record to an impressive 5－1 mark，Three－Way scored the first to the school or contact Pat record to an impressive s－1 mark，
Turner． Rainbow International
Carpet Dyeing \＆ $\begin{aligned} & \text { with a big } \\ & \text { district outing is at home against } \\ & \text { Coton Center on October 27，and Richard Beauchamp and Lo } \\ & \text { then the Mustangs visit Lazbuddie Ortiz linebackers．}\end{aligned}$

 | Call $806-825-2847$ after 5 p．m． | $\begin{array}{l}\text { County teams will perhaps battle } \\ \text { 16－tfic }\end{array}$ |
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| for the district championship for |  |
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We Are Joining With All Of Bovina The State Of Texas And The Nation To Support Red Ribbon Week And Promote A Drug Free Society For Our Youth

| PROFILE OF THE CHILD |  |  |
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1．Long scars，like tatoos，along veins．These are caused by veins collap
tinual injecting of narcotics
2．Equipment－spoon bent for the purpose of cooking substance to injection consistency syringe and needle，store－bought but most often homemade；strap or belt for raising
Marks on body－punctures（tracks）from injecting，black and blue marks from skin－ popping．

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## CLASSIFIED ADS

## Bynum To Speak...

etween the hospital and Care between the hospital and CareUnit
corporate
headquarters in California.
"Alcoholism has been recognized by the American Medical Association as a disease since 1956,
yet most people don't see it as disease. "I knew that I had a compulsiveness about me, so I went all the way through high school and college and did not In 1971 while Bynum was serving as Potter County State Representative, he took his first drink. "I cratered to peer pressure," he stated. "I thought I
had to drink to be trusted by other legislators.
"From the beginning, I drank alcoholicly. It (alcohol) anesthetized my feelings of anger and guilt and fear. It filled the like the mask I was wearing on the outside. I drank for that feeling." Bynum began to "cultivate" his drinking buddies and behave more irrationally. His wife told him she had married him because he
didn't drink. Now she was beginning to ask him "why?" He found mysterious bumps on his car, his work product deteriorated and he lost his seat in the Texas House after six years. After a back put him on the road to dual dependency.
By the time he ran for County Judge, he was consuming a fifth of of his position there, he stayed "smashed" daily for two months. By this time, he knew his life was falling apart.
In 1984, when he began treatment in Pennsylvania, he was
able to renew his relationship with God. "It's been a big part of my recovery," states Bynum.
Bynum's family also entered a family treatment program. "It was a year before my eldest daughter forgave me. We told each other we loved one another. That's when the healing process began."
Bynum said he doesn't lecture his friends on the dangers of
chemical abuse. "I don't tell my friends not to indulge. I just tell them that if their time comes, I'm here to help.

## The Bovina Blade

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Subscription rates-Parmer and ajjoining counties, $\mathbf{3 9 . 4 6}$ per year. I will speak to schools, though And I think that if somebody had
come into my school to talk about alcoholism, it might have had an impact on my life.
"The truth is, the alcoholic "The truth is, the alcoholic
doesn't want to do what he or she is doing, but has lost the ability to make choices. The dependent person must have help if balance is "The disease isn't fully und stood," Bynum said. "Nondrinking addicts can again lose control, or relapse, by using any
mood altering chemical, even substances such as Nyquil, Actifed, Vicks Formula 44 and
Listerine. I used to love that stuff When I was drinking, I couldn't
Wherine. wait to come down with a cold.
drug. If the Food and potent Administration were testing it for the first time, it would be a class
three narcotic, and probably would be classified as a tranquilizer. It could only be
then obtained by prescription and one could not get refills. Alcohol is
really no less than wet ether," Bynum stressed.
"I am the child of an alcoholic. The alcoholic feelings are present in family members who do not drink or drug. The affect can go on
for generations. In my home there for generations. In my home there
was always a fear of alcoholic was always a fear of alcoholic
behavior. I never knew what it was like to feel normal. I always had a sense, a feeling of
differentness...and I didn't talk
"I had a sense of anxety, to "I had a sense of anxiety, too. I guilt; I thought everything that went wrong was my fault. I
thought that maybe if I thought that maybe if I had been a better kid, maybe things would be
different. "On th
typical middle class family; nice clothes, country club membership, picket fence out front.
"But inside was
"But inside was a certain
craziness. I wore a mask on the craziness. I wore a mask on the
outside that everything was great." Bynum became an over-achiever/under-achiever. At the school library, Ben
looked up alcoholism looked up alcoholism and learned
that it was a hereditary disease. that it was a hereditary disease.
"But now, the gift I am able to give kids is recovery. I can help people get into recovery sooner." Alcoholism is a devistating family disease and left untreated it can be fatal. Family members are
in as great a need of treatment as in as great a need of treatment as
the chemically dependent person. The good news is that today there is a solution.
Ben Bynum is a member of numerous professional organiza-
tions and associations Bynums are members of the First Presbyterian Church in Amarillo. Ben Bynum is 46 years old and lives in Amarillo with his wife, Penny, and the.
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