# BOVINA <br> THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2003 

## Patricia (Harris) Ray Donates A Kidney

## Patricia Ray, daughter of Dorothy Harris of Bovina and

 Dorothy Harris of Bovina andthe late Joe Harris, has given a gift to a friend that few of us
would ever be able to match: a eplacement kidney.
While working in Human Resources at Ping Golf in
Phoenix, Patricia became a mentor for an employee. In the process, they became good friends. After a couple of years, the woman confided that she had a serious health problem. The woman told Patricia that she had been on the kidney
transplant waiting list for 15 years. A search for a donor identified four potential matches, but all were disqualified during their preliminary health screen
Patricia offered to be tested for compatibility, but her friend said she didn't want her to do it
As the friend's health worsened Patricia encouraged the woman to at least consider Patricia as a candidate.
"I want to make a difference in the world. I want to leave better than I found it," Patricia said.
Patrici was so perfect that they match on to test tissue compatibility, Their similarities were remarkable.
But plans for the transplan were put on hold when Ping were squared away, Patricia had moved to Yuma to work a Finally, they set a date for the ransplant - July 9 at Good Samaritan Regional Medica Patricia was hospitalized fo
four days. She tried to recruit
staff from Good Samaritan without leaving her bed. "You ought to come check us
out," she recalled telling the nurses.
After discharge, Patricia's son
took care of her while sh took care of her while she
continued to recover at her home in Phoenix
"I had a lot of people looking after me. The support has phenomenal, Patricia said.
Patricia returned to work two weeks after the surgery. When
YRMC nurses learned about her YRMC nurses learned about her donation, they made sur
Patricia was taking care of herself.
"Being here at the hospital eally had made a difference Here, patient care is paramount," Patricia added. Patricia said
doing very well
doing very well.
"We talk even
I'm taking good care of said gift'." Reprinted from the Yuma Regional Medical Center

## Wied Wins Two In A Row:

 3 Earn Tie-Breaker Bonus

NOMINEES for 2003 Bovina homecoming king and queen are, I-r, Alfredo Martinez, Maria Perez, Mayra Banuelos and Jonathan Chisom. Also nominated but not pictured are John Nelson and Flor Sanchez.


Flu Shots Available October 14 Texas Department of Health at
the Senior Citizens Friendship House at 1410 Washington on
Hour Tuesday, October 14 from 9:30
a.m. to $12: 00$ noon and $1: 00$ a.m. to $12: 00$ noon and 1:00
p.m. to $3: 00$ p.m.
Please have your Medicare cards ready. For those too young for
Medicare there will be a $\$ 10.00$ charge for the shots Pneumonia shots w avaiable upon request.
Mark october 14 on your calendar as the day to get your
flu and/or pneumonia shots.

Friona PD Drug Dog Disappears
ent friona police departpeared Friday night, September 26. The dog was kept in the
backyard of his handler, Office Chris Keith. Keith discovered usi missing from the backyar and kennel
night patrol.

Police do not think Lusi ran
away since she is a trained dog away since she is a trained dog believe someone stole the dog and are offering a $\$ 100$ reward for its safe return.

Lusi is a full-blood German
Shepherd, has a tattoo on the nside of her ear and is wearing a chain collar. If you have any
information on Lusi's where-
abouts, please contact the abouts, please contact the
Friona Police Department at Bovina
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Homecoming
October 3
z:oo p.m.
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Game orime
7:30 p.m.
Bovina Os.厄ascosa
for the contestants and a not so good week for the newspape ank account.
In addition to paying the top ree cash prizes, a total of $\$ 50$ we shelled out another $\$ 75$ to breaker bonus categor The tie-breaker sc Week 5 was Focire Kentucky 21. Frances 24 Virginia Steele of Bovina and Harley Merritt of Friona each picked the exact score as their lie-breaker guess. Neither of them were in the running for the weekly winner's prize money but it doesn't matter. They each arned the $\$ 25$ bonus which goes to any contestant that picks
score.

25 to other bonus category, 25 to any contestant that picks claimed. No correct, has yet to will win it too doubt someone emaining weeks of the eight Congratulations to Frances


## West Texas A\&M Presentation Oct. 7

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 Mustangs had managed three But LCHS jumped out to an early $14-0$ lead in the first
quarter and led Bovina $21-7$ at the half after a 70 -yard punt
return for a second quarter $T D$ The highlight of the
Mustang second half was a 52 yard touchdown pass from Jeff Casas to Claude Tamez Sores
by Raymond Chisom and Matthew Villarreal were not
enough to catch up as LCHS 13 second half points to best the Mustangs $34-28$.

## Mustangs Surprised By Lubbock Christian 34-28 <br> Mustangs Surprised By Lubbock Christian 34-28

Sin in 102 carries for the year. He yard average. At LCHS, Jeff Casas was 5 out y yards but suffered two
interceptions. Alfredo Martinez had two receptions for 125
yards. Raymond Chisom added 71 yards rushing on 11 carries. Bovina Mustangs meet the Amarillo Tascosa JV at Mustang homecoming. The game is $7: 30 \mathrm{pm}$. Homecoming activities will begin at 7 p.m.

Muleshoe \& Dalhart Games On Video Replay Saturday
and last Saturday's game with Dalhart will be shown in video replay doubleheader Saturday, October 4.
The games, with play-by-play by Mike Hutson \& Clint Mears, will be shown on WT Services channel 76 starting at 10 a.m.
Copies of any football game tape and/or the Miss Friona \& Little Miss pageants are available for $\$ 10$ each. Call Clint
Mears at $250-5200$ for info or to order. Mer

PARMER County Community Hospital Director of Nursing Lynn Nelson and PCCH Assistant Administrator Lance Gatlin, Community Affairs for CPR training from the Office of Rural
PCCH Receives ORCA Grant
 train an instructor and buy equipment to teach CPR for the The grant, totaling, $\$ 984.32$, was given by the Office of Rural Community Affairs (ORCA), a state agency. The maximum available for this particular grant category was $\$ 1,000$ Nelson wrote the grant application, her first effort at grant writing. The CPR training has already been implemented. Jonell and the grant allowed her to receive CPR instructor training and

Texas" did for our high- students who need encourage promises to do for higher getting to college, WTAMU is ducation. West Texas A\&M willing to help.
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new campaign from the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board. WTAMU is committed to helping people achieve the o those with an education
To lead in this way the niversity offers individuals, schools, churches, and community groups a variety of services and supplies free of
charge. Whether it's one parent

Come hear their presentation in the Friona High Schoo auditorium, at $7: 30$ p.m.
Tuesday, October 7 , as the grand finale to our FHS Open House," said school counselor Kity Galiman. Parents, students, and the general public pportunities for college that the available to the young people of Texas.


From The Desk Of The City Manager
BY ERNEST TERRY

The next Bovina City Council meeting will be Tuesday, 7 October 2003, at 7:00 PM in the Bovina EMS Building. All of the council meetings are open to the public; however the Council is inviting citizens of Bovina to attend this one to discuss a couple of issues.
We have invited Caprock, to discuss problems with dust and Atmos Energy, to discuss the proposed increase to natural gas Cates. Caprock has declined to attend. The management of Caprock does invite anyone to visit with them, on site, to ask questions, ssue. The Council will listen to any concerns brought up by Atmos Energy has agreed to attend and to bring people who can answer questions and concerns from the public and the Council. From my view point, it appears that Atmos Energy is asking for a $7.32 \%$ increase in their revenue to offset their losses in bad debt and fuel cost increases. To do that, one of the increases will be an
increase in the basic customer service rate, $\$ 7.40$ per month to increase in the basic customer service rate, $\$ 7.40$ per month to
$\$ 11.40$ per month. That is an increase of $35 \%$. There will, also, be an increase in the Commodity Charge (the charge for actual fuel used by the customer), $\$ 0.88$ per Ccf to $\$ 0.965$ per Ccf. That is an
increase of $9 \%$. Being simple minded sometimes, alright, most of he time, I compared that to my gas bill where I live. The purposed rate increase would be a $\$ 7.47$ per month increase on my bill, a
$15 \%$ increase. Then there is the formula for the Gas Cost $15 \%$ increase. Then there is the
Adjustment (GCA). The formula is:

## $G=$ the expected cost of gas $S=$ is the expected sales billing units <br> $\mathrm{CF}=$ a correction factor charge

Bottom line, I do not have the answers; come to the meeting and ask questions of the Atmos Energy people. The meeting will be at
7 PM in the EMS Building in Bovina on Tuesday, 7 October 2003. Ernest Terry
City Manager


## Bovina Reflections

From the files of the Bovina Blade..

45 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 24, 1958 Four former leading citizens of Bovina have confessed to nabbing a organized a last wior High Pep Club jairhouse in Friona and sitting it in Schools, according to Richard with a bale of Bovina bank Friday Friday about 10 a.m.m., the prank. Debra Sorley, Janee Russell, was reaching the serious stage, Hawkins and Terri Willard, seventh when Friona policeman Ben graders, are the cheerleaders. Miss Moorman insisted that the jail be Sorley was named head cheerleader returned or charges would be filed. by the group.
So, the four, Cecil Osborne, Lee Buddy Clements, freshman FFA $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Kimbrough, Grady Sorley and Jack } & \text { chapter member, received a } .22 \\ \text { Jeter, returned the jail to Friona. } & \text { Winchester last week after selling }\end{array}$ Lea Looney, five-year-old the most magazines in a project
daughter of Dorothy and Howard
sponsored by "Progressive Farmer." Looney, was honored with a He also won two weekly prizes, a surprise birthday party at the City knife and a wallet. Buddy is the
Park. A number of little friends gathered Friday evening of last
week to help Karen Bell celebrate her seventh birthday.

40 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 25, 1963 Bovina Mustang Band is back in action this year and majorettes of Thornton, Connie Vaughn and Tonya Ivy. Parmer County's first 1963 bale
of cotton was of cotton was ginned at Lawlis Gin. It was produced by Bill Roberts and the bale weighing 435 pounds was
purchased by the gin for 50 cents per pound.
Janie Clements, daughter of Mr.
and Mr, and Mrs. Jimmie Clements, was honored with a party on her third
birthday Friday afternoon birthay
home.
home.
Ed Hutto was the only one of the 139 contestants to name ten
winners in last week's Bovina winners in last week's Boovina
Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest.

30 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 18, 1973 Chester A. Norton, 80, a longtime resident of the Bovina
area, died Monday at a rest home in area, died Monday at a rest home in
Granbury where he had resided for Granbury where he had resided for
about the past year. He is survived by his wife, Lillie, three sons and one daughter.
Sherley Grain
Sherley Grain received its first Bartlett. The first load of corn was also delivered the same day,
harvested by Mac Glasscock and Scott Gober.
25 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 27, 1978 Tambra Rogers became the bride of Greg Corbin in a double ring
ceremony Friday, June 23 at the
First Baptist Churcher First Baptist Church of Bovina. The Bovina FFA Chapter
received the FFA Superior Chapte Award for their accomplishments of the state program of work. David
Steelman is the District President. Steelman is the District President.

35 Yrs. Ago-Sept 25, 1968
Bovina High School cheerleader have had little trouble keeping spirits high during the first two football games this season, both
won by the Mustangs. They are won by the Mustangs. They are
Beth Hutto, Twyla Hutto, Brend Beth Hutto, Twyla Hutto, Brenda
Newbrough, Darlene Murphy and
Jan Gromowsky. Jan Gromowsky

20 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 28, 1983 City of Bovina employees are
busy doing the pavement sealcoating work on the city streets.
Jessica Stowers Jessica Stowers celebrated her
Ifth birthday and special auest was fifth birthday and special guest was
her five day old sister, Christen. The first freeze hit Bovina as

15 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 28, 1988 Homecoming is Friday and ther will be a bonfire Thursday evening
The pep rally will be held at $3: 15$ Friday afternoon and the
Homecoming parade will follow

The town of Bovina received past week. Many areas around us
have had as much as five inch this week. ......
John Brownlow suffered a he
attack and is in the Clovis hospit attack and is in the Clovis hospital
Don Spring was the winner in this week's football contest as we as winning the football contest in
Friona. -
${ }^{10}$ Yrs. Ago.Sept. 25, 1993
 toobtall contess. led hed way and ace
finished firss in the third weekly conlest $\begin{aligned} & \text { Margaret Durben has bee } \\ & \text { and }\end{aligned}$
 teacher this week. She teached
High School Drama and Engishb.

5 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 25, 1998 It is time to show your school
spirit and students can win prizes by participating in all of the
Homecoming Spirit Week activities.
The Bovina Mustangs took an 0 The Bovina Mustangs took an 0 -
2 record over to battle the $2-0$ Hart Longhorns. Before the nighyt was
over, they had more first downs and yards of offense than Hart. Nose guard Jesse Fuentes made a trip to
an Amarillo hospital. And Hart quarterback Jared Aven earned 1A Player of the Week honors from the

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| FOOTBALL Contest |
| STANDINGS |

70－Denae Anthony 69－Jimmy Harris 67－Alex Ferguson，Dorothy Harris，Linda Sudderth，Bobby Wied
66－Martin Brito，Don Max Vars， A．M．Wilson 65－Wayne D．Amstutz，Susan Derek Sudderth Sasser， Sudderth，Janie
Sudderth，Scott Sudderth，Veca White
64－Clint Mears，Jan Smith Charles Wales，Mark Zachary 63－Claire Brown，Danny Harris， Mike Hutson，Del Ray Sudderth， Glenden Sudderth，Gay Tay
Mark Walker，Mike White 62－Jayson Blouch，Lindsey Dayhoff，William Gromowsky， Tyson Kerby，Lisa Lane，Rusty McFarland，Myrtle Melton，
Pedro Ramos，Ron Smiley， Pedro Ramos，Ron Smiley，
Bobby Thompson 61－Raul Braillif
James Elder，Lester C．Fennell， Danny Guerra，Frances Johnson，Lance Looper，Mack McFarland，Lily Michel，Bill Miller（Friona），Andy Montana， Joy Morton，Tyson Neill，Jerry
Roach，Mitchell Smiley，Scott Roach，Mitchell Sumiley，
Steelman，Blake Sudderth Steelman，Blake Sudderth Dearing，Peggy Hargrove，Jim
Johnston，Larry Johnston，Al Johnston，Larry Johnston，Al
Kerby，Dean Stanberry，Alesia Kerby，Dean Stanberry，Ale
Tucker Tucker
59－Davy Carthel，Matt Hromas， Josh Kerby
58－Ronald 58－Ronald Diaz，Jack Glover，
Daniel Hernandez， Jacobs，Aaron King，Dustin N． McNabb
57－Lance Field，Frank Gonzales，Jr．，Sally Gonzales， Harley Merritt，Bill Miller
（Hereford），Lisa （Hereford），Lisa Neill，Enrique
Rodriguez，Lory Wyly 56－Sandra Berend， Cumpton，Raymond Diaz，Brett Field，Sean Lookingbill，Marisa Rodriguez，Linvell Rose，
Quentin Shelby Quentin Shelby，Eufemia Torres，Francisco Torres
55－Albert Esparaza 55－Albert Esparaza，Eddie Gauna，Sally Putman
54－Andy Alexander，Jon Field， Doug Johnson
53－Bobby Johnson，Kelly Lookingbill， $\begin{gathered}\text { Johnson，} \\ \text { Charlie，}\end{gathered} \begin{gathered}\text { Kelly } \\ \text { Pope，}\end{gathered}$ Martha Rodriguez，Clayton Smiley，Virginia
52－Ernest Mills
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51－Jennifer
51－Jennifer Gonzales，Aprile
Hudson
50－Bruce Scroggins
49－Jo Blackwell，Don Max Vars
48－Denise Anderson，Charla

Chesher，Antonio S．Duran，Jr．， Sawyer Reed，Domingo Villarreal，Jr．
46－Teresa Cary，Thomas Reed， Marcus Rosales
45－Randall Roberson，Johnny Rosemond
44－Brett
44－Brett Anderson，Ronnie Cary，LaFawnda Mays，Jeremy 43－Don
Highsmith
42－Jason Kerby，David Woody 41－Gaines Butman
40－Tommy Brockman
40－Tommy Brockman
39－Tolby Wilcox
39－Tolby Wilcox
38－Tim Elmore
37－Timothy Roberts
36－Trent Hudson
36－Trent Hudson
33－Andre Duran
32－Tomas Fuentes，
Raymond Fuentes 29－Chance Lewellen
28－Richard Orozco 28－Richard Orozco
25－Michael Villa 25－Michael Villa
13－Scottie Brown
11－Joel Graves
Jr．High Girls
Cross Country
coaches Ben Kirton and Karen Nelson have been happy with the success and enthusiasm of
the girl＇s cross country team． the girl＇s cross country team．
＂These girls have been working hard and having a good time，＂ Kirton said．＂We went to the Tulia meet September 13 and ran in the Dixon 2－mile run
September 20 during Maize September 20 during Maize
Days．＂
Results of the Tulia Meet
were： 8 th grade individual times and place：Erin Austin，13：31， 22nd；Ashley Ingram，13：42， 25th；Jordan Monroe， $13: 59$ ，
33rd；Hollis Gurley 14：21，43rd； 33rd；Hollis Gurley，14：21，43rd；
Miranda Frye，14：31，50th； Miranda Frye，14：31，50th；
Monica Sanchez，14：31，51st： Monica Sanchez， $14: 31,51 \mathrm{st}$ ，
Cynthia Delgadillo，15：17， 71 st ． 7th grade individual times and place：Liliana Palacios， 15：04， 66 th；Kathleen Wyly，
$15: 42,82$ nd 15：42， 82 nd；Blanca Solis，
15：57， 90 th；Sadie Armend 15：57， 90 th；Sadie Armendariz，
16：47，116th；Hannat Cathze 16：47，116th；Hannah Carthel，
16：49，118th；Ana DelaPaz， 19：38，116th；And Emma Lopazz，

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GO BIG RED！But be careful．Friona cheerleader Amy Geries is hoisted aloft by her cheermates to pep up the crowd at the game last Saturday in Dalhart．

## Late Rally：Jayvees Top Dalhart，27－20

## The Friona Chieftain Junior Varsity put 65 In the fourth quarter，Fernando Moreno ran

 together a scoring drive in the game＇s waning 65 all，and with less than a minute on the clock， minutes to topple the Dalhart JV，27－20 for Moreno ran 10 yards，and Javier Sancheztheir third win of the season．
Wicked the PAT for the win： $27-20$ With the team tied，20－all，the young kicked the PAT for the win： $27-20$ ．
＂This was a good team effort．The kids did Chieftains drove 50 yards and scored with less a＂Treat job a in the fourth quarter，holding than a minute to play，to pull out the win．Dalhart down and having two good drives，＂ Juan Reyes scored on a 26 －yard run，and－said Coach Rex Cumpton．
teammate Ruben Chico ran in from four yards Friona held the edge in first downs，15－13， out in the first quarter，with Hector Sanchez and their late drive gave the Chieftains the running a two－pointer to give Friona an early lead in rushing yards， $187-157$ ．Dalhart held
14－0 lead．
a slight lead in passing yards 12 佰 14－0 lead．
But visiting Dalhart scored 20 unanswered Friona led in total yards，289－285，which points to take a $20-14$ lead．

## Bovina Mustangs Players of the Week vs．Lubbock Christian <br>  <br> EDDIE SEGOVIA <br> $7 / 8$ Braves Win／Lose At Dalhart

 Dalhart 42，Friona 6 was thenot very close score as the 7th
grade Braves battled Dalhart． grade Braves battled Dalhart． scored on a 74 －yard run by Raul
Licero．Raul had 97 total yards rushing．
Justin Echevarria completed 3 passes for 27 yards to 3
different receivers．Defensive standouts were Justin Domin－ guez，Alex Dunnam，David Aragon，Gerardo Garza and
Joey Mendoza Joey Mendoza．
The 8th managed a $12-6$ overther Braves over Dalhart．Scoring twice was a Sawyer Reed to Eric North pass combination．The boys hooked up on touchdown Other offensive 14 yards： pointed out by coaches were Jesus Tafoya，Dillon Welch and Ryan Geries．Welch recovered a fumble on defense also．
Trent Hudson，Jacob Gon－ zales，Gustavo Padilla，Omar Hernandez，John Torres，Gerald Padilla and Eric Hansard were
also lauded for their efforts in also lauded
the victory． PRENTHERPRAS HECKNGG
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THE WEATHER was great but the football was not as the Chiefs were Dalhart's homecoming opponents. Top, Coaches Cumpton, Fhir a Towner watch the action while head coach Bob Ferguson taiks it over with quarterback pressured all day by the Dalhart defense. ron carr photos
"We Have Good Players--
We Need To Gain Confidence!'


DAVID DAVILA (80) DEFENDS


Stats, Game \#5 Dalhart 50, CHIEFS 0
 $\begin{array}{llll}\text { DHS } & 16 & 13 & 21 \\ \text { INDIVIDUAL SCORING }\end{array}$ None
 Pedro Ramos
Rudy Gonzales D. Fairweather Jason Gutierrez
Sergio Saenz Team loss
Totals:
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 Player
Brock Field $\quad$ A-C-Yds-T-I $10-2-36-1$ Derek Fairweather ${ }^{2 \cdot-0.0-0.0-1}$
INDIVIDUAL RECEIVING $\begin{array}{ll}\text { David Davila } & \begin{array}{l}1-19-19.0 .0 \\ 1-17-17.0-0\end{array} \\ \text { Sergio Saenz }\end{array}$ KICKOFF RETURNS PUNT RETURNS David Davila1-10-10.0
INDIVIDUAL PUNTING InDIVIDUAL PUNTING
Antonio Monreal ${ }_{7-168-24.0}$

Chiefs Draw Goose-egg At Dalhart Homecoming
By biLL ELLIS
The Chieftains may have
been considerably too nice been considerably too nice to
the Dalhart Wolves at the Dallam County seat last Saturday, at the home team's
Homecoming Game. Homecoming Game.
It was a nice sun-drenched Saturday with a mood crowd on hand
But when the final buzzer sounded, Friona had absorbed
$50-0$ drubbing from the Wolves, who had everything going their, way, including
the officials calls in a few instances.
Take for example Friona's fifth play of the final quarter, ${ }^{\text {when }}$ Chieftain quarterback spiral to split end David Davila, who cuaght the ball
over his shoulder and was off over his shoulder and was off
to the races A nice pass, a nice catch
and run, and it should have and run, and it should have side the thero on Friona's
score of with the Chieftains and their
fans celebrating, an official


CLEAR FOR TAKEOFF! JASON GUTIERREZ (20) RETURNS A KICK


UH OH! SERGIO SAENZ (40) IS ABOUT TO MEET A WOLF
photos by dana jameson
Last week's shutout loss was the first for an FHS football team in 109 games. Floydada downed the Chieftains 23-0 in 1993. The streak includes 14 playoff games from 1994 through 2002.

Bill Ellis' grid statistics


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## Todd Bailey

Todd Bailey was born again at age Weive and baptized in the Holy
Spirit age nineteen．He has traveled extensively throughout the United States ministering and non－denominational churches， boldly proclaiming the Word of God without compromise．
His book entitled，＂The Power of Choice＂is becoming popular among believers nationwide；which is evident by its increasing demand．We have received many testimonie
how lives have been changed through reading this book． Todd is a graduate of New Life Bible School＂Special Scho of Ministry＂in Cleveland，Tennessee，and RHEMA Bible Training Center in Tulsa，Oklahoma．Todd＇s ministry encourages people to receive salvation from God，the baptism of the Holy Spirit，and healing for their bodies．
Todd is known as a solid minister of the Gospel．He has the simple yet powerful way by the anointing of the Holy Spirit in
Date：October 8th \＆9th
Time：7：00 p．m．nightly
Place：Victory Family Worship Center
411 Ashland，Friona 250－2207

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## Think about this isten to Him？ <br> What if God took the Bible away tomorrow because we would not read it today？ <br> What if God couldn＇t take the time to bless us today because we couldn＇t take time to thank Him yesterday？ <br> sald, "today is the day of salvation." (II Cor. 6:2)

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& \text { Paul said, "today is the } \\
& \text { ave a areat week। (TLTT) }
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## Services For Ruby Barrett Held Sept． 29

 Graveside services for RubyBarrett，99，of Lubbock，were Barrett， 99 ，of Lubbock，were
held Monday，September 29， held Monday，September 29，
2003 at $11: 00$ a．m．in Lockney 2003 at 11：00 a．m．in Lockney
Cemetery，Lockney，Texas with Cemetery，Lockney，Texas w
Rev．Harold Abney officiating． Rev．Haroid Abney officiating，
Arrangements were under the
direction of Moore－Rose－White direction of Moore－Rose－Whit Funeral Home of Lockney． The family received friends at
the funeral home from 10：00 the funeral home from 10：00 a．m．Monday

## a．m．）Monday． Mrs．Barrett

Mrs．Barrett died Saturday， September 27，2003，at
Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock．
She was preceded in death by her husband and a grandson． Survivors include three sons
and their wives，J．B．and Sue and their wives，J．B．and Sue
Barrett of Bovina，Monty and Bonnie Barrett of Lubbock，and Dr．Robert and Kay Barrett of Fort Worth；one sister，Marie Bruce of San Diego，California；
seven grandchildren； seven grandchildren； 17 great－
grandchildren；two great－great－ grandchildren；two great－great－
grandchildren；and several grandchildren， The family suggests memo－ rials to the Mission Offering at
First Baptist Church， 401 S ． Main，Lockney，Texas 79241.





FIVE BOYS FROM TROOP 56 spent September 12－14 at Camp M．K．Brown，near Wheeler，in order to compete in a Camporee．The boys competed as a troop，against other troops，in six areas，rifle shooting，archery，canoeing， campfire．Troop 56 w，and cooking a cobbler over a r－I，Adrian Garcia，Jaime Benavides，Ethan Wales，Abriel Terrones，Sam Wales；standing，Tony Williams，Assistant Scoutmaster；not pictured，parent／leader，Tara Wales．


## EASY FRITO PIE

4 （15－oz．）cans chili with beans
3 c．small Fritos
1 sm ．onion，chopped $\quad 3 \mathrm{c}$ ．cheddar cheese
Using half servings of ingredients，layer in order listed in a slightly greased $9 \times 13 \times 2$ baking dish．Repeat layers，ending with cheese．Cover casserole with foil and bake at 350 for 30－45 minutes or until bubbly．

## cowbor stew

$1 / 2 \mathrm{lbs}$ ．ground beef
1 med．chopped onion $1 / 2$ dash salt
Dash of pepper
4 med．potatoes，peeled and cubed
2 c ．water

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undrained
Combine beef，onion，salt，and pepper in a large Dutch oven； cook over medium heat until meat is brown，stirring to crumble； drain off drippings．Add potatoes and water to meat mixture； cover and cook over medium heat until potatoes are tender．
Add remaining ingredients；cover and simmer about 1 hour，


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Services For Ruben Taylor Held Thursday
Services for Ruben T．Taylor，
75 ，of Friona，were held
Thursday，OL Thursday，October 2， 2003 at 2：00 p．m．in the Calvary Baptist Church of Friona with Rev．Alvin
Petty officiating． Cemetery under the direction of Blackwell Funeral Home．
Ruben died Monday， September 29， 2003 at BSA Hospice in Amarillo．He was
born August 3， 1928 in Hereford，Texas
Mr．Taylor was a 58 year
resident of Friona．He married Ollie Strickland December He and his family owned and operated Taylor and Sons Welding for over 60 years．
He was a member Friona Volunteer Fire Depart－ ment for 55 years，serving as
Fire Chief for two years and Assistant Chief for a number of policeman for also an auxiliary policeman for several years and was a past member of
Friona Credit Union Board．
Ruben was a member of Friona Senior Citizens．
He was preceded in death by
great－grandson，Jordan Laverio， in 1997.
Survivors include his wife，
Ollie Pearl Taylor；two

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daughters，Paula Beth Howard of Levelland，and Renee James of Tulia；one son，Steve Taylor
of Hereford；four sisters，Peggy of Hereford；four sisters，Peggy
Howard of Friona，Joyce Jones and Maggie Long，both of
Clovis，New Mexico， Clovis，New Mexico，and Ruth Miller of Friona； 16 grandchild－
ren；and 15 great－grandchildren． ren；and 15 great－grandchildren．
The family requests memo－
The family requests memo－
rials to the Don and Sybil
Harrington Cancer Center．or
BSA Hospice of Amarillo．
Wilma Whitener


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Ella Baranova \& Benjamin Kirton
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| Miss Ella Baranova and Mr. | Ben is a Highland Park High |
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| Benjamin Kirton are proud to | School graduate and a West |
| announce their engagement | Texas A\&M University graduate. |
| and impending marriage. | The Fiona I.S currently |
| She is the daughter of Ole | employs him at the Friona Jr. |
| and Alice Lutchensky of | High School. |
| Zhitomyr, Ukrane and he is the | The couple will be married on |
| son of Richard and Rozelle | Saturday, October 25, 2003 at |
| Kirton of Amarillo. |  |
| Ella is a graduate of the First Baptist Church in |  |
| Technical Institute in Zhitomyr, | Friona. |
| Ukraine. |  |

## "Welcome and Wedding

 Shower" In Honor of Ben Merton and Ella BaranovaSaturday, October $11^{\text {th. }} 2003$ 1:00 ppm. to 4:00 p.m.

Victory Family Worship Center Church Fellowship Half (5 $5^{\text {th }}$ and Ashtand)

Gift Registry Items Include: Wash Clothes, Dish Clothes, Kitchen vowels, Baking Pans, Mixing Bows, M, measuring Cups, Measuring Spoons, twin \& Jul Sheet sets.

Also a Money Cree will be available at the Shower for money gifts.

## South Plains Fair Results




CLASS OF '53 REUNION attendees: Back row, Ir, Shirley (Coconougher) Gore, Oneida (Coffman) Allen, George Price Roy Haney, Sherley Cook, Ira Holt, Floyd Schueler, Willis Dufu Cearley, Wanda (Beaty) Jones, Beverly Sue (Jones) Cook, Calvin Ivie; Front row, I-r, Patsy (Reed) Bandy, Shirley (Fields) Wilson, Mary Joyce (Renner) Barnett, Sue (Gibson) Barrett
Fiona High School Class Of ' 53 Holds $50^{\text {th }}$ Reunion

## The Friona High School Grandview, Texas; Darrell an

 Graduating Class of 1953 Sue Robbins of Denton, Texascelebrated their $50^{\text {th }}$ Reunion on celebrated their $50^{\text {th }}$ Reunion on and Dorothy and Marvin Massey Saturday, September 27, 2003 of Sundance, Wyoming.
in Amarillo. The Hoffbrau Steak House Barnett had a time of "do was the scene for the occasion Festivities started at $3: 00$ p.m. with lots of visiting, followed by an evening meal at $6: 00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$
Floyd Schuyler led the prayer Floyd Schueler led the prayer the welcome was given by
Wanda Jones. A tribute to deceased classmates and teachers was given by Sue Cook; they were, Katherine
Brand, LaNora McElroy, Arnold Fangman, Ben Wayne Jordan M.C. Rickey, Dale Sowers, and teacher Raymond Cook. Recognitions were presented by Shirley Gore to Roy and
Mary Lou Haney for traveling the farthest, from Tampico Illinois and Sue and Sherley
Cook from Green River, Wyoming; married the longest Eugene and Patsy Bandy-5 years; most children, (several
couples)-four; most grandchildren, Sue and Elmo Barrett-nine most great-grandchildren, Floyd and Glenda Schueler-six; most
changed, Roy Haney; changed, Sue Cook, Sue Barrett, Shirley Gore, and Mary
Joyce Barnett; married the shortest time, Sue and Elmo Barrett-28 years. Class members who were recognized for being married 5 years or more: Frankie and
Oneida Allen, Ira and Bessie Oneida Allen, Ira and Bessie
Holt, Mary Joyce and Doyce Barnett, Patsy and Eugene Bandy, all of Friona; Sue and Sherley Cook of Green River, Wyoming; Leon and Shirley
Wilson of Lamest; Imogene and remember"? All enjoyed
sharing time with everyone.
The group decided to have The group decided to have class get together at the time o and a class reunion in 2008 and a class reunion in 2008 . Sue Barnett read a story
"Through the Years" while game was played along with it. Class sponsors for this class in 1953 were Raymond Cook and M.D. Ford.
The school song was sung, The school song was sung,
led by former cheerleaders, led by former cheerleaders,
Oneida Allen, Shirley Wilson, and Gay Price. Fifteen members of the class of 28 graduates attended, and two who were in the class at
one time, but did not graduate in Those in attendance were Those in attendance were.
George and Gay Price of George and Gay Price
Midland, Texas; Roy and Mary Lou Haney of Tampico, Illinois: Sue (Jones) and Sherley Cook Dufur. of Hereford . Hollis (Thomas) and Jerry Massey o Kennedale, Texas; Calvin vie of
Roanoke, Texas: Shirley Roanoke, Texas; Shirley
(Fields) and Leon Wilson Lamest; Texas; Imogene (Shirley) and Neal Cearley, Sue (Gibson) and Elmo Barrett, Shirley (Coconougher) and Jimmie Gore, all of Amarillo;
Oneida (Coffman) and Frank Oneida (Coffman) and Frankie
Allen, Ira and Bessie Holt, Floyd Allen, Ira and Bessie Holt, Floyd
and Glenda Schueler, Wanda
(Beaty) (Beaty) and Tommie Jones, Patsy (Reed) and Eugene and Doyce Barnett, and Ann Osborn, all of Friona. and Carmel Robason


Meet the Class of 2016
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Texas Redistricting Battle Heads To Conference Committee

The 3rd special session of ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Texas Legislature, called draw congressional districts, continues in Austin.
The history of the past few days shows a wide difference between House Bill 3 as approved by the House on September 17, and Substitute House Bill 3 as amended by the Senate passed on September 25 . The House refused to concur in the Senate
amendments and so the issue now is referred to a House/Senate conference committee
The Senate Conferees appointed are: Senator Staples, (Chair) and Senators Duncan, Hinojosa, Lindsay and Nelson.
The House Conferees appointed are: Representative King, (Chair) and Representatives Crabb, Hamric, Grusendorf and Wilson.
The conference committee is expected to meet sometime the week
starting September 29 starting September 29
districts can be viewed on PCG's website http://www.plainscotton.org. click on "Latest Congression Redistricting" or go direct to the page http://www. plainscotton.org/rkh/redistrict. html.
PCG is interested in preserving the representation of rural Texas in Congress. The organization does not want West Texas to lose a
representative in Congress and does not want to see an erosion of representative in Congress and does not want to see an erosion of
influence of our congressmen who represent the interests of agriculture and petroleum.
At PCG's most recent quarterly board meeting held July 16 in
Lubbock, the board voted unanimously AGAINST any plans for istricts at this time
PCG \& Monsanto Discuss Technology Issues
$\qquad$ Representatives from St. Louis-based Monsanto Company sat
down with members of Plains Cotton Growers this week to talk issues and to develop ideas for adding even more value to the
customer loyalty programs currently offered to Monsanto customer loyalty programs currently offered to Monsanto customers.
The meeting, which has become almost a yearly ritual The meeting, which has become almost a yearly ritual, provides
PCG the opportunity to discuss evolving Monsanto programs and PCG the opportunity to discuss evolving Monsanto programs and
products with the decision-makers responsible for their development and implementation.
Issues discussed with the Monsanto contingent included: technology pricing strategies, specifically the concept of switching to a regional pricing structure; discussion of proposed changes to current Monsanto crop destruct and replant programs; and, also discussion about the development of new programs Monsanto hopes will provide additional value and encourage growers to utilize
Monsanto branded products. Throughout the discussion the main points put forth by the PCG
contingent were that the programs needed to be easily understood and allow Monsanto's investment to stand on its own, without the added confusion of how other companies participation in the
programs is manifest. programs is manifest.
Monsanto officials noted that one of the most popular programs with growers has been the Replant program through which growers early in the season.
The 2004 Monsanto Replant program will look considerably The 2004 Monsanto Replant program will look considerably
different, but maintain Monsanto's financial contribution at the same level of $\$ 17$ per bag.
Monsanto's 2004 changes are being prompted by the seed
industries pending switch from industries pending switch from marketing seed in 50 pound bags to selling seed based on the total number of seed per bag.
Monsanto officials note that one of the benefits to
come from the change is a clearer picture of seed and technology

TCFA Annual Convention October 24 and 25


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Once again harvest is here! To help you during the Fall Harvest, we will add the following PARTS DROP OFF times in the morning. This will begin September 1, 2003 and continue through November 15, 2003, then we will go back to the Afternoon Schedule only.

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Vending Machine Contracts Put Money Ahead of Kids Health
Agriculture Commissioner
Susan Combs today revealed
the results of public information requests she made to school districts statewide on
vending machine contracts the Texas Medical Association. "Based on the response to our survey, it is estimated that vending machine contracts year in revenue for Texas schools," Combs said. "Very large school districts (100,000 plus students) are earnin! an estimated $\$ 2.7$ million a y yar,
large school districts ( $40,000-$ large school districts ( 40,000
100,000 students) are earning almost $\$ 1$ million a year; medium school districts ( $20,000-40,000$ ) are earning an average of $\$ 500,0000$ a
year; school districts with year; school districts $\begin{aligned} & \text { with } \\ & \text { between } 5,000-20,000 \\ & \text { stu- }\end{aligned}$ dents are earning $\$ 150,000$ a year; and small school districts are earning about $\$ 25,000$ a
vear." "In contrast, it is estimated choosing colas and snacks over cafeteria meals, school food
services are losing an estimatservices are losing in estimatsales each year," Combs said
"The actual deficit faced by Texas school district food services was $\$ 23.7$ million for
2001 with an average federal meal reimbursement loss of $\$ 3.25$ per student per day each
time a student chooses vending machine snacks or other non-cafeteria foods.
"Clearly, it's time for school
districts to re-examine their dependence on these types of contracts and the short-
sightedness of choosing fat signtedness of choosing fat
profits over healthy kids," Combs said. "Schools have plenty of healthy alternative snacks to provide to children and to raise money with vegetable and fruit cups, bagels and cream cheese, cereal bars, fruit rolls, fruit juice, milk, bottled waters and "Texas
sports drinks," Combs saic Agriculture's new Food and Nutrition Division is teaming up with school districts, school and physicians to help school districts develop healthier food hoices for Texa's public schoolchildren," Combs said.
"One in five children nation or about 10 million kids are now classified as obese-a the last two decades," Combs said. "Unfortunately, Texas is worse off than most states. This is a problem that is Austin Independent School District study found 37 percent of second graders overweight
and 25 percent obese. Based on this data, by the time Austin students reach second grade
their obesity rates may their obesity rates may be
nearly double the national average ( 25 percent vs. 13 percent).
Texas Commission of Health Eduardo Sanchez said, "We estimate that overweight-
obesity in Texas adults costs at least $\$ 9$ billion a year including $\$ 6$ billion in direct health care expenses. It's clear that the physical health of Texas will deter
health." Dr. Bohn Allen, Texas
Medical Association PresidentElect said, " There is a crisis of obesity in our society, but the real tragedy is the poor health are many culprits, such as eating habits and a lack of exercise, which have contributed to this preventable epidemic plaguing our children. The rule is a definite step in the right is a defin
direction.

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by ron carr

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For the record, this newspaper does not publish
anonymous letters to the editor. If you send a letter to the paper and it is anonymous, it goes in
the trash. Too bad because some of them are pretty good but if you spend a lot of time composing a letter and expressing an opinion and are not willing to take credit for it, it
goes in the trash, not in the newspaper.
Hope that is clear. We also reserve the right to publish or signed. So if you want your 15 minutes of fame you have to sign your name.
Two of the first guys I
became acquainted with after became acquainted with after
moving to Friona over eight years ago were Ralph Shirley and Ruben Taylor.
I lived around the alley from Ralph and Stella and my
daughter Megan, who was five daughter Megan, who was five alley to visit them
I probably first met them at
a fire or auto accident which I covered for the newspaper. Together they had over 100 years of service with the Fiona
Fire Department. Both Fire Department. Both men
served as fire chief, Ralph for 30 served as fire chief, Ralph for 30
years and Ruben 3 or 4 and then a long time as assistant chief.
Even after they grew older and "retired" they still chased the fires and wrecks as lo
their heat folks around here that
Most have attended a credit union annual meeting or a VFW
chicken dinner or a meal at the senior citizens Friendship House, has eaten food cooked
by Ralph and Ruben by Ralph and Ruben.
They smoked a mean
brisket and loved to cook. And brisket and loved to cook. And
eat too. For many years Ralph was the local gas company asked for a jury trial. In front of a
took five minutes to find him guilty. This time he was fine
$\$ 500$ plus $\$ 35$ court costs. $\$ 500$ plus $\$ 35$ court costs.
Not satisfied, Tom appealed again to the Bailey County Court and posted a $\$ 1000$ bond. It look that jury less than 20 The judge set the fine as $\$ 500$ plus $\$ 185$ in costs.
Not one to be discouraged, Tom the pheasant plucker, said he is weighing his options for another appeal. The article said justice he was was sending email justice he was sending email
insults to the newspaper, Texas Parks \& Wildlife game wardens, and some of the UPs and judges.
The case began December 14, 2002, when game wardens checked out a pheasant hunting
party in northeast Bailey party in northeast Bailey
One of the game wardens checked a bucket of cleaned birds in ice water and found one pheasant with no plumage and both legs had been removed.
Apparently in the world of
easant hunting this is a pheasant hunting this is a no-
no. Since it is illegal to kill hens the law says hunters have to leave some plumage or one leg so wardens can tell if it is a male pheasant.
Here is the good part. When the warden asked the hunters who the legless bird belonged to hey gave up old Tom Purcell
faster than you can say "hen They called Tom on his cell phone and lured him back to the ce bucket to take the heat.

Tom became so belligerent, according to reports, that the warden told him to shut up if he County again.
They gave him a citation and his first trial was in March. Tom tried to call the landowner as a witness. The wardens said

## $\begin{aligned} & \text { Sat } \\ & \text { Ot } \\ & \text { at } \\ & \text { at } \\ & 10 \text { am }\end{aligned}$ NRA AUCTION Silent Action



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## Letters To The Editor

I too had about five occasions to use Jerry Morris, as I had tried the Chief and nearly all the police officers.
I had given up hope of getting any help and decided to go to the
city commissioners. I went to the new City Manager and explained my problem. She said maybe we could handle this without city dads.
$I$ was introduced to Jerry Morris at Town and Country eating dinner. By the time he had eaten, he said this would be done, and proper.
One officer had told me he couldn't write a ticket, as it would just be torn up. Also, said he could not help me and he left.
In one week, all these I have not met made. needs him. Help reinstate this man and you will see a big definitely in attitude in Friona.
If anyone needs to know more about this please contact me for there is a lot more to tell, but due to time and space this has to be cut Thanks for listening. Please go and sign the petition to reinstate
That

John Allen,
Ron,

## Birthdays for the week of

October 5, 2003 . George George
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-Burl Taylor, Polly
Oct. 7-Misty Kirkpatrick
Oct. 8-Jeff Step
Oct. 8-Jeff Steelman, Lori
Tharp, Louise Hawkins Tharp, Louise Hawkins $\begin{array}{cc}\text { Oct. } & \text { O -Arnold } \\ \text { Yolanda } \\ \text { Ramon, } & \text { Virginia }\end{array}$ Yolanda Ramon, Virginia
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Oct. 11 -Karyn Jameson
Add friends Add friends or relatives to
our permanent birthday list by calling $250-2211$. If names appear that
should be deleted or changed due to death, marriage, moved away, etc., please let us know also so we can take
them off or make corrections.
smart asses" and told them to write the g-d ticket
himself in all three trials and has declined to testify on his haw behalf.
There is no word on what happened to the poor naked
legless victim.
 Jerry Morris

Would you put a big "THANK YOU" in the paper to the 130 teachers and students that volunteered over 200 man-hours at the
Friona Pioneer Museum in preparation for the Museum's House. bygone era in Friona, need only to look at this example for a change of heart.
I would also like to pass on a "BIG THANKS" to Wendy Carthel and her crew of volunteers for the great work on all the displays The open house at the Museum was a large success with over 90
registered visitors during Maize Days. I I would encourage during Maize Days. history during the Museum's regular hours on Saturday mornings. Bruce Fleming President
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ANNOUNCEMENTS
PUBLIC NOTICE collecting church of Christ is Children's clothes for Medina clothes that you would like to condition, please bring the

Sixth St. Church of Christ. \begin{tabular}{|c}
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 8 P.M.-7th \& Ashland John R. Blackwell, W.M. 

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Certified Nurse Class,
\end{tabular} October 6, 2003 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Apply in person to: Prairie Acres 201 E. $15^{\text {th }}$

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## St. Mary's Annual Carnival October 18 <br> Students and parents at St. projects. The raffle includes 'Gearing up once again for their Items up for bid at our silent school's biggest fund-raisers of tickets and parents can bid on the year. <br> Some features of the carnival tinclude game booths with 'prizes, horse rides, a popular prizes, horse rides, a popular barrel train ride, a toy walk, a sweet shop, a giant slide and some new additions. "We are adding a 24 foot rock climbing wall this year, said carnival publicist Christy Fox. "It is three Climbers at a time. We have also become famous for our wonderful Mexican Café," added "Fox "This year's menu includes Fox. "This year's menu includes beef enchiladas, beef or bean beef enchiladas, beef or bean burritos, gorditas, chicken fajitas, tortilla soup, rice and refried beans." <br> highlight of the cernival goers, the announcement of the raffle winners, silent auction winners 600606



## SBA Spanish Online Course

The U.S. Small Business
Administration is offering an Administration is offering an
interactive online course for Spanish speaking entrepreneurs on its Spanish language Website, www.negocios.gov. The 9 -session interactive
course - titled "My Own course - titled "My Own
Business" - was developed by My Own Business, Inc., a nonprofit firm founded in 1992 by a successful entrepreneur to develop and provide educationship. The courses cover such topics as writing a business plan, marketing and ecommerce, and are offered through a joint effort between
the SBA and My Own Business the SBA and My Own Business,
Inc., to provide a free, comprehensive online entrepreneurship course for small business owners and aspiring
entrepreneurs.

## "We are very happy to provide this valuable

 provide this valuableeducational tool on our Spanish language Website," said SBA administrator Hector V.
Barreto. "These courses help a Barreto. "These courses help a prospective entrepreneur walk
through the initial steps as through the initial steps as
they are getting ready to start their business. By taking the time to prepare themselves
with training like with training like this, entrepreneurs can better
ensure the success of the businesses in the long term." The SBA established it Spanish language Website a year ago. The site contains programs and services and provides a wide range of useful information for entrepreneurs. Since its inception, the Website has logged almost three million hits with growing.

Playa Exhibit Opens At Deaf Smith Museum

## illustrates the importance of "Sinkholes are also small, but playa lakes to the High Plains they playa lakes to the High Plains they have an irregular shape region, opens Sunday, October and steep sides, Salt lakes

 region, opens Sunday, October and steep sides. Salt lakes are5,2003 at the Deaf Smith large, shallow, and have County Museum, 400 Sampson Street, Hereford. An opening reception on that date will be from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. Playas....Jewels of The Plains, will give a short presentation. The exhibit can be viewed through November 26, 2003. the Museum is open Monday


Playas... Gems of the Plains is
a traveling exhibit project of
the Northwest Texas Museum Association. The Amarillo Area Harrington Foundation, the Meadows Foundation, and the Playa Lakes Joint Venture have provided major funding. It opened at the Amarillo
Botanical Gardens in January 2003, and it will visit 18 museums in five states during its three-year tour. "Playas... Gems of the Plains features 20 separate panels,"
says Dr. Katz "which says Dr. P. Katz, "which
present information on the present information on the as history, geology, biology, ecology, and art. Display boxes attached to the panels include games, models, artifacts, and
maps. As they walk, visitors will listen to playa sounds." Playa lakes are depressions
on the landscape that are generally round and small, averaging less than 30 acres.
They have clay-lined basins They have clay-lined basins
and fill with water periodically,
mostly from precipitation. mostly from precipitation. a combination of natural
processes most involving wind processes most involving wind
and water. The region's climate and water. The region's climate growth. Occasional rains loosen the ground in small depressions. Strong winds pick up the loose soil from the dry playa
basin. Over time, wind scours basin. Over time, wind scours deeper and larger. Katz notes that playa lakes are not to be confused with sinkholes or salt
lakes. "Playas have gently large, shallow,
uneven shorelines."
About 96 percent of the world's playas are found on the High Plains, and there are wore than 20,000 in north western Texas alone. Playa
lakes also occur in eastern New Mexico, southeastern Colorado western Nebraska, southwesttern Kansas, and western Oklahoma.
Playas go
Playas go through wet/dry cycles resulting in a highly
diverse plant community. These plants produce large quantities of nutritious seeds essential for waterfowl and other birds which migrate and
winter in the region. Playa lakes may be the mos important wetland habitat type for birds in the High Plains region. More than 200 bird
species are known to playas during the breeding wintering or migrating seasons "Playas have been a magnet for animals and their human hunters throughout prehistoric and into historic times," says
Katz. "The first settlers, and then the region's
focused on them.
"In the Playa Lakes Region, they are nearly the only way
the Ogallala Aquifer is the Ogallala Aquifer is
recharged. The Ogallala is the High Plains' major source for groundwater and is the largest
Tri-State
Fair Results

## Parmer County 4 -Hers competed in the Tri-State Fair

 Competed in the Tri-State Fair 2003 at the Tri-State Fairgrounds in Amarillo.The following 4 -Hers placed as follows: Abby Johnson, Reserve Champion Duroc and
$1^{\text {st }}$ Light Wt. Duroci 1 Light Wt. Duroc; Drew
Johnson, $2^{\text {nd }}$ Med. Wt. Hamp Johnson, ${ }^{\text {and }} 3^{\text {ad }}$ Meavy Cross; Bretton Stancell, $5^{\text {th }}$ Heavy Duroc; and Zachary Stancell, $3^{\text {rd }}$ Middle Wt.

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Friona ISD Monthly School Calendar
October, 2003

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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|  |  | 1 |  | 3 Primary Picturc Retakes | 4 Cross Country Meet - H |
| 6 | 7 Cookie Dough sales end FHS Open House @ 6:30 Presentation by "College for Texans <br> Representatives @ 7:45 in the Auditorium | 8 Parent Conference Day No School for Primary or Elementary | $\begin{aligned} & 97^{\text {h }} \& 8^{\text {th }} \text { Football Floydada } \\ & \text { @ } 5: 00-T \\ & \text { JV Football vs. Floydada @ } \\ & \text { 6:00-H } \end{aligned}$ | 1. Early Dismissal Grades EE-1s $-1: 30$ $2^{\text {nd }}-12^{\text {h }}-2: 00$ Var. Football vs. Floydada @ $7: 30-\mathrm{T}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \text { Cross Country @ } \\ & \text { WTAMU } \end{aligned}$ |
| 13 Holiday | 14 | 15 | $167^{\text {d }} \& 8^{\text {th }}$ Football vs. Olton Here 5:00 <br> Jr. High Pep Rally 3:15 <br> JV Football vs. Olton <br> (a) 6:00-T | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \text { Var. Football vs. Olton } \\ & \text { @ } 7: 30-\text { - } \\ & \text { Lions Club Cook-Out } \end{aligned}$ | 18 FHS Band Marching Contest @ Kimbrough Stadium |
| 20 | 21 District Cross Country (a) Abernathy PSAT Test - FHS Library TAAS Re-Take Test Writing | 22 JH Student Council Convention in Amarillo Municipal Auditorium TAAS Re-Take Test - Math Juniors Senior Ring Meeting | $237^{\text {h }} \& 8^{\text {th }}$ Football @ Hale Center 5:00 JV Football vs. Hale Center @ 6:00-H TAAS Re-Take Test Reading | 24 Var. Football vs. Hale Center@ 7:30-T | 25 District Cross Country Meet @ Mae Simmons Par (a) Lubbock ACT Test FIIS @ 7:45 a.m HS Cafeteria |
| 27 Red Ribbon Week PLAN Test - HS Library | 28 Red Ribbon Week | 29 Red Ribbon Week UIL Editorial Writing | ```30 Red Ribbon Week 7 & 8 Football@ Lockney 5:00 JV Football vs.Lockney @ 6:00-H Senior Ring Sales - 8:00-4:00 HS Cafeteria``` | 31 Red Ribbon Week Var. Football vs. Lockney <br> (a) 7:30-T |  |



FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS--Staff and Volunteers Patsy Wyly, Debra Baxter, Melba Smiley, Darla Bracken, Brenda Patterson, Vickie Samarron and Melanie

## Library Says Thanks



KNIGHT TWINS, Mary and Martha, make time for the Library 40th Anniversary Open House as well as their 40th FHS Class Reunion--1963 was a very good year.
courtesy photo




NEWLY RETIRED FRIONA STAR owners, Bill and Carol Ellis check out the periodical section and the 50th Anniversary edition of the Friona Star. Carol and Stanley Ellis shared many of their photos for an exhibit.


FRIENDS PRESIDENT Melanie Londơn and Staf member Debra Baxter welcome guests to the "Then and Now" Open House


## People \& Places

People \& Places is the place
o be for local events or news of interest. We have combined the former Around Town column Saturday, October 4. He is the and People \& Places. There is
no charge for news included in no charge for news included in
People \& Places. So call us at 250-2211, fax to 250-5127, email
to frionastar@wtrt net, or mail info to P.O. Box 789, Friona Texas 79035.
We reserve the right to approve all copy and edit submitted article for space reasons. Let us hear from you. St. Teresa's Catholic Church sponsor the annual German Spousage Dinner on Sunday, October 5 from 11 a.m. to 2 Friona's only billboard does p.m. at the Parish Hall. not belong to Allan Haile even

Friona Band Boosters will meet Tuesday, October 7, at 7 Band Hall. Plans will be made for the Annual Band Booster Dinner. Contact Belinda at 295 3080 for more information.
Friona Evening Lions Clu will meet Thursday, October
at $7: 30$ p.m. at $9^{\text {th }} \&$ Pierce. Lio program

## Fellowship Women will

Women will hof Christia and a time of fellowship and the playing of Bunko, Tuesday,
October 14 at 7 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church, 1600 North Baptist Church, 1600 Nor
Cleveland. All Ladies ar invited to come.
Calvary Baptist Church will host a Men's Community a.m. to 8 a.m. All men of the community are invited to attend.

The Wesley United Methodist Church of Hereford
will host its $23^{\text {d }}$ annual Festival of Arts \& Crafts December
Community Center. Only a limited number of booths are
available, with applications being screened. Booth fee is
obtained from Ellen Collins, 80
Miles St., Hereford 79045. 806
Jameson "Happy Birthday" on
Saturday, October 4. He is the husband of our head of production Dana.

At press time, we learned that Friona now has a new
police chief. His name is Royce police chief. His name is Royce
Goodson. He comes from the Ft. Worth Arlington area and has the Weatherford police depart assume the duties in about two assume the duties in about two weeks.
not belong to Allan Haile even
though his picture is on it. The
sign is on Allan's property at the State farm insurance agency
but it was erected by an outdoor advertising company from Canyon. The company has leased a
portion of Allan's easement and portion of Allan's easement and the biliboard was erected
primarily for the Holiday Inn primarily for the Holiday inn
Express. that is being built in

The Senior Ambassador
oalition is sponsoring the 5 Annual Senior Fall Festival as a effort to senior adults and their caregivers.
On Thursday, October 9, 2003, in the Exhibit Hall at the Amarillo Civic Center, medica services, including screenings or diabetes, blood pressure
hearing, cholesterol, glucose depression, and many more.
Information will also be available on Alzheimer's Disease, Healthy $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Eating \& } \\ \text { Intervention, } & \text { Fitness, } \\ \text { Prisonal }\end{array}$ Home Safety, Travel, Estate Planning, Volunteer Opportun-
ties, Home Health Services and

## Annual Senior Fall Festival October 9

 on "Safety and Prevention", bymore drive-thru lanes at the Friona Credit Union. The credit union will have three lanes eventually. The two new lanes will be serviced by pneumatic ubes for transactions. There is no estimate on the
completion but customers compleytion but customers and will be happy when th expansion is up and running.

After 65 years of farming Estis Bass is retiring. He wil
auction off his equipment October 7 and hopes to move somewhere at least
pavement" soon after
Five Star Auction ad elsewher in the paper.

Francis Parvin of Friona at the BSA Hospice facility in Amarillo at press time. Her is grave according to
 Museum Hosts $100^{\text {th }}$ Anniversary of Buick Beginning October 3, 2003 3,
The Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum in Canyon, will open the second phase of Let the Good Times Roll, celebrating
the $100^{\text {th }}$ Anniversary of Buick the 100 Anniversary of Buick
Taking a popular approach, Le the Good Times Roll will
showcase a 1911 Buick Runa showcase a 1911 Buick Runa,
bout, 1927 Seven-Passenger Buick Sedan and a 1953 Buick biles in the exhibit will include a 1910 Hupmobile, 1942 Chrysler
Woody, 1930 Bantam, 1953 Olds Fiesta and a 1955 Cadillac DeVille. The $100^{\text {th }}$ anniversary
of the Harley-Davidson motorcycle will be highlighted with cycteryile he highighted with
motorcycles dating from 1936 through 1963 .
By examining the automobile and its place in American histor Let the Good Times Roll allow visitors to make persona
connections to significant in American transportatio
ood Times Roll features an early car dealership a picnic scene, a reconstructed motor court, a diner and a re created drive-in movie theate highlight Route 66 , the "Mothe Road" that ran from Chicago to Los Angeles, and some of the roadside icons that appeared to entertain and attract tourists The exhibit features the "real to automobile design, especiall the Buick.
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THESE 130 fine FHS students and their teachers volunteered to help clean up the Pioneer Heritage Museum. Hats off to


FOLLOWING UNCLE DUSTIN...Third grade Kids Inc., player Collin Thompson begins his football career as his uncle, Chieftain senior Dustin Thompson, completes his. Collin is the son of Bobby \& Kim T
Darrell \& Betty Thompson.


Meet the Class of 2016 Hillary is a Kindergarten student at Friona
Schools. Her parents are Ricthard and Monica Bermea. She has one brother, Blase. Hillary likes painting, ballet, playing with Barbie,
and playing dress up. Her favorite foods are pirza and Mac \& Cheese. FRIロNA TEXAS FEDERAL CREDIT UNIIN

## Public Notice

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(1-800-633-4227). Individuals that use a telephone device for the hearing impaired can call 1-877-486-2048

## AGreat Big Ohank You,

To the high school students for their work on the Friona
Museum. We had a total of 97 visitors at Open House on Museum. We had a total of 97 visitors at Open House on
Saturday the $20^{\text {th }}$ of September. The Stevick family paid for Saturday the $20^{\text {in }}$ of September. The Stevick family paid for
a Memorial window in loving memory of Glen, Ruth and Sally Stevick. There are four more small windows still available for memorial for those who are interested. The museum is open each week on Saturday morning from

Pioneer Heritage SMuseum


THE BOY SCOUTS in Troop 56 are responsible for raising
the flag at the home football games. Go! Chieftains! the flag at the home football games. Go! Chieftains! Benavides, and Ethan Wales

## Bits And Pieces <br> By TONY BAPTISTE <br> Friona Police Department

It is encouraging to see Friona rally behind one of its policemen am speaking about the support for Jerry Morris I have witnessed as speak to the citizens in town.
three hours. Jerry seemed Police Chief, I spoke with Jerry for about government for the situation in which he found himself and realized they were giving him as much support as they could.
Everyone in this great country is innocent until proven guilty, except those in law enforcement. Due to the immense power we are given in taking away someone's freedom, police have to behave in a
way to take away all suggestion of misbehavior. Fairly or unfairly, Jerry Morris was char Fairly or unfairly, Jerry Morris was charged with Class A
Misdemeanor of Assault by the Parmer County Attorney's office. Once an officer is charged with criminal activity, he can no longer act or be effective as a law enforcement officer until he is cleared of that charge.
For so
For someone to say that since Jerry was a good policeman he should be re-instated, before he is cleared, is sending out the
message that if a Friona policeman is charged with a misdemeanor message that if a Friona policeman is charged with a misdemeanor
(i.e. DWI, possession of marijuana, theft, or domestic violence), the policeman doesn't have to worry because the city government protects its officers, above and beyond the rights of some of the people those officers are sworn to protect. Lt. Jerry Morris understands this fact.
I do think starting a defense fund for Jerry is a great idea, and will show the citizens of Friona's support for him more clearly than
criticizing the city government who could have just washed their hands of the entire affair and terminated him
Questioning who in their right mind would want to work for the city of Friona does great injustice to the officers and dispatchers of this police department, who are working long hours to make up for the temporary shortage here. The officers and dispatchers that are sticking with your police department are not staying because they I have found them to be highly motivated, well trained, and very professional.
In my short time as Interim Police Chief, I have found the same
qualities in the city officials. The city officials have the safety and well being of all its citizens to consider when making their decisions. I don't think it would hurt Jerry if we all said a prayer that justice be

## Parmer County Sheriff's Report

Seplember 25, 2003, Raul Valdez, 23, of Carisbad, New Mexico was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with possession of September
September 29, 2003, Lisa Velasquez, 34, of Farwell, was arrested by the Farwell Police Department on a Potter County warrant.
Pending transport.


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## Football Contest <br> PAGE 16, FRIONA STAR/BOVINA BLADE, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2003



## Contest Rules

Tie-Breaker: Pick the score of the tie breaker game. The tiethe total rushing yards in the game as a second tie-breaker.
Entries are due by 5 p.m. each Friday. Three ways to enter:

> Fax entry to $806-250-5127$ Mail to: Football Contest P.O. Box 789 Friona. TX 79035
$\square$
Bring entry to: Friona Star Office 916 Main St.
Dorthy's Beauty Shop
3rd St in Bovina
Mailed entries should be sent to the Friona address above and postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday.
Cash Prizes of $\mathbf{\$ 2 5}$ for 1 st, $\mathbf{\$ 1 5}$ for 2 nd and $\$ 10$ for 3rd will be awarded weekly.

Each correct game picked counts as one point. Player with most Grand points at the end of the 13 -week contest will win a \$100.

Only one entry form per individual. Must be 10 -years or over to enter. Newspaper employees and their immediate families are not eligible to enter.
For questions or more information about the football contest, call: 806-250-2211

## Football Contest Entry Form

 |Name:
## 'Address:

City, State \& Zip
|Phone:

## Week 7

Games played October 10, 11, 12
'Deadline 5:00 p.m. Friday, October 10th'
Please check the game of your choice.
$\square$ White Deer at
$\square$ Clarendon at $\square$ Shamrock

Panhandle at Canadian
River Road at Perryton
Palo Duro at $\quad$ Dumas
Amarillo at
Kansas at Florida at SMU at
Stanford at
Ohio State at
Houston at

- Houston at
- Philadeiphia at
$\square$ Carolina at
- Tampa Bay at
- Kansas City at
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