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## Punkin Day returns

FLOYDADA--Punkin Days returns for its 11th year engagement this Saturday, October 25.

There won't be an inch of the courthouse square that won't be covered with some type of activity.

Space has been set aside for the popular pumpkin games and what is not used up for pumpkin rolling, carving, tossing, drawing and racing will be filled with arts and crafts booths.

Christmas shoppers never go away disappointed and for those who are always looking for a good meal, the popular food booths will also return. Punkin Day kicks off with the traditional 5K Fun at 9:00 a.m., followed by the Fun Run at 11:00 a.m. and the Stroller Race at 11:30 a.m.

Booths will be up and ready for shopping by 9:00 a.m.--some even earlier than that.

Games will begin after lunch, beginning with the Cow Patty Bingo at 1:30 p.m. Participants in the Cow Patty Bingo will have a chance to win cash prizes totaling \$1,000.

Pumpkin Drawing for children un-

der 13 begins at approximately 1:45 p.m., followed by Pumpkin Carving for those over 13, pumpkin tossing for 5 years and under, pumpkin bowling for those under 12, pumpkin rolling for all ages, and the Wheelbarrow Race for those 13 and up.

The games wrap up at 4:00 p.m. with the 4 man (or woman) Pumpkin Pie Relay Race. There is a \$4.00 entry for the Pumpkin Pie Relay Race to pay for the pumpkin pies. All other games are free.

The Toy Tractor Pull will be in gear throughout the day and Classic Cars will be on display for viewing all day long.

A break for lunch gives people time to shop or for hilarious entertainment and relaxation under the pavilion.

The Seed Spitting Contest will also take place under the pavilion at lunch

Money can be won in the Guess The Weight of the Trailer contest. Your guess at the weight of the pumpkin trailer should be made at the Chamber table by 10:00 a.m. The winner will be given \$25.00--which you can

always spend at the arts and crafts booths.

If you want to get away from the games for awhile and enjoy a little "culture", Joe Goen's paintings will be on display at the First National Bank and the Friends of the Library are having a book sale in the community room of the First National Bank.

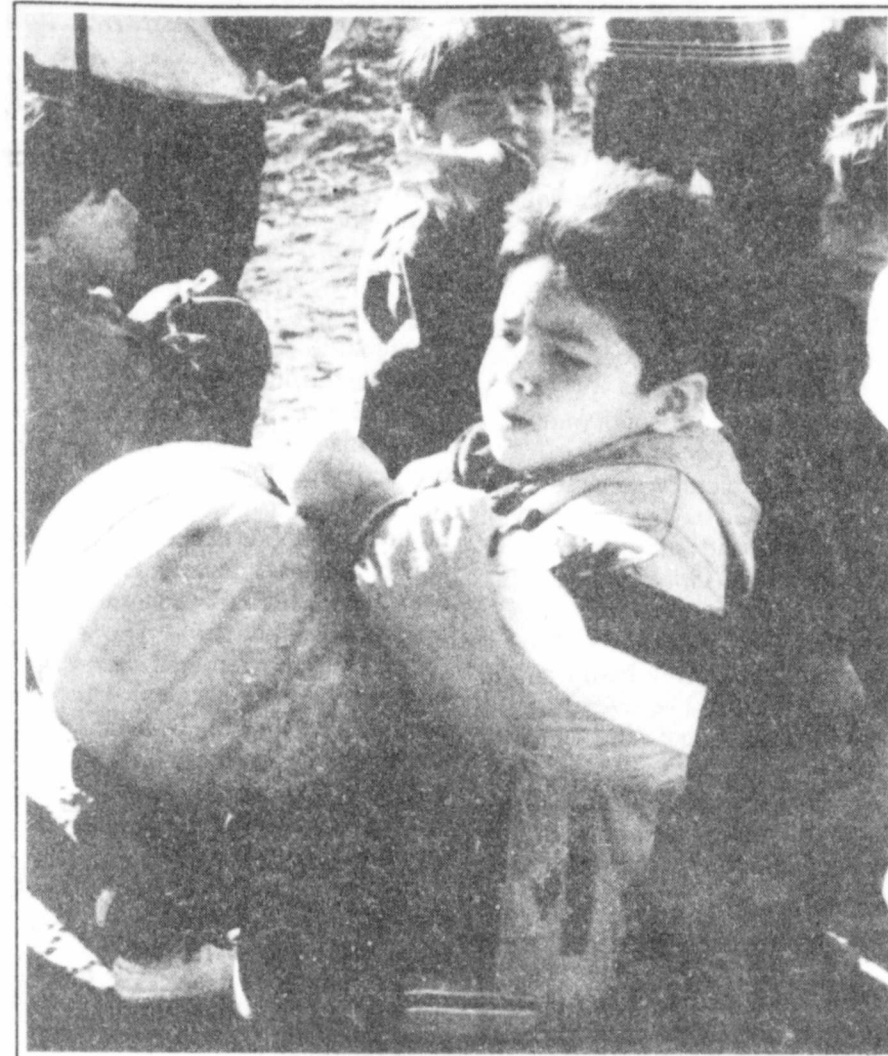
Children's storytime will be held in the Ag. building conference room from 10:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

The day will end with the Costume Contest at the High School, beginning at 5:30 p.m.

Trunk or Treating at the High School Walking Path for grades 6 and under starts at 6:00 p.m. Trunk or Treating will take the place of neighborhood Trick or Treat on Halloween Night.

The 1990 Study Club will have a Halloween Carnival in the Massie Activity Center beginning at 6:30 p.m. The Carnival will feature game booths for all ages.

A Punkin Days schedule, sponsored by the First National Bank can be found on page 3 of this issue.



HE AIN'T HEAVY HE'S MY PUNKIN-- This Duncan Elementary youngster was determined to carry his free pumpkin no matter how heavy.

## New variety store to open

FLOYDADA--Duckwall Variety Stores have announced it plans to open a Duckwall Variety Store in Floydada in January of 1998.

The store will be located at 114-118 E. California, in the former Perry's Variety Store Building and will employ approximately seven associates.

In announcing the opening, Glen Shank, president of Duckwall-Alco Stores, Inc. said, "We are pleased to have the opportunity to enter the Floydada retail community. We are very confident that the new Duckwall Store's selections, quality and prices will meet the needs of shoppers in Floydada and the surrounding trade area."

Duckwall's will stress convenience, friendliness and service by offering a quality full-line general merchandise selection. The store will include non-prescription medicines, beauty aids, candy, housewares, small appliances, stereos, TV's, cameras, stationery, greeting cards, office and school supplies, furniture, hardware, toys, sporting goods, pet supplies, automotive supplies, bedding curtains, shades, crafts, fabrics, sewing supplies, clothing, shoes, and seasonal departments.

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## Three escape serious injury in car accident

LOCKNEY--Three women were hospitalized, after a major accident on Hwy. 70, in Lockney, Saturday afternoon, October 25.

According to Lockney Police Officer Chuck Martin, ambulances were called to the accident scene at 12:02 p.m.

Beth Kropp, 73, of Lockney was southbound from Shubert Street headed toward FM 378. "Kropp was crossing Hwy. 70 and did not see an eastbound red Pontiac Sunbird, driven by Meredith Leigh Miller, 18, of Plainview," said Martin.

Miller's vehicle hit Kropp's Lincoln Towne Car throwing the Towne Car several hundred feet.

Kropp was not wearing a seat belt but the air bag inflated in her vehicle.

A passenger in Miller's vehicle, Christa Miller, 23, of Plainview, was also not wearing a seat belt and was thrown into the windshield.

"When I came to my senses I noticed my car was still moving," said Kropp. "I tried to find my brakes but I couldn't because I had been shoved into the back seat."

"The front seat of Kropp's vehicle was broken," said Martin. "and the air bag appears to have shoved her into the back."

Kropp was hospitalized at W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital with bruises and facial abrasions. She was released Monday, October 20.

Meredith Miller, who was the only one in the accident wearing a seat belt, was hospitalized at Mangold Memorial with minor head injuries. She was released the following day.

Christa Miller was taken to W.J. Mangold and then transported to a Lubbock hospital for facial surgery. She was also released the following day.

Martin said, "Charges are pending in the accident."

## Council votes to impose fee for disposal of tires at city landfill

FLOYDADA--Fees to be imposed on people bringing old tires to the Floydada Municipal Landfill were discussed at the regular session of the Floydada City Council on October 16. Effective January 1, 1998, the State of Texas will no longer handle recycling tires. This will be left to private contractors and businesses.

Currently, dealers collect a disposal fee for each old tire. This is added to the cost of a new tire. The state has opted to discontinue this practice at the end of this year. After January 1, the city will collect a disposal fee for each tire brought to the landfill. This money will be used to pay the recycler who collects the tires.

Council members voted unanimously to charge \$2.00 for tires 16 inches and under, \$7.50 for tires over 16 inches, and \$10.00 for oversized tires such as tractor tires. Motion was made by Councilman Clar Schacht and seconded by Councilman Albert Hill.

City authorities unanimously agreed to designate Saturday, October 25, as Trick-or-Treat night. This has been scheduled to coincide with the annual Punkin' Day celebration and the Trunk-or-Treat festivities which take place at the end of the day. Parents are encouraged to take advantage of this safe and fun way to handle the Halloween activity.

Appointments to three city boards were made by the council during the evening session. Appointed for two year terms on the Airport Board were Cory Robertson (replacing Jim Crawford), Mark Lee, and Bill Harbin.

Sonny Holmes was appointed as the tenant commissioner for the Floydada Housing Authority Board. His term will begin January 1, 1998 and end December 31, 1998.

Board reappointments to the Planning and Zoning Commission included Mike Muniz, Glenda Wilson, and Kyle Smith.

Parkhill, Smith, and Cooper was ratified as the holder of the engineering services contract for the 1996 TCDP grant program on a motion by Schacht with a second by Hill. All voted in favor.

Ordinance #803 was presented for the second required reading prior to final approval. The ordinance details descriptions of types of trash and rubbish and cites penalties for improper handling or disposal of those items. Motion to approve was made by Councilman Sheldon Sue and seconded by Councilman Eric Cornelius. The vote was unanimous in favor.

Hill made a motion to offer council support to the literacy program being set up by the local IMPACT organization. He suggested a contribution of \$250.00 towards costs of educational materials to be used for the program. The motion was seconded by Cornelius and approved with a unanimous vote.

Following a review of financial statements, city councilmen authorized the payment of monthly bills for September. Minutes of the regular meeting held September 18 were also approved as presented.

Council meeting night for the month of November was changed to Tuesday, November 18 due to scheduling conflicts created by other commitments. The change is for the month of November only.

The council entered an executive session to discuss personnel. Upon reconvening, a motion was made to table the item until a special meeting on Tuesday, October 21.

The council then entered an executive session to consult with their attorney. No action was taken upon reconvening in regular session.

During a special called session on Tuesday, October 21, council members approved adjusting salaries in the police department upward to bring them in line with other area cities. It is hoped this will enable the city to attract qualified applicants for the patrolman position which is now vacant.

The city manager was given the go-ahead to hire former city employee Jim Green as a part-time interim director for the streets and sanitation department. He will serve in this capacity until a decision is made for a permanent employee in the position.

Council members also agreed to looking at the possibility of trading for a different track loader at the landfill.



EXTRA PASSENGERS--Pre-K students from Duncan Elementary were treated to a free shopping spree in Adrain Helms' pumpkin patch last week. If the kids could carry it to the school bus and fit the pumpkin in their lap--they could keep it. Staff Photo

## LISD approves voluntary drug testing

The LISD Board of Trustees met in special session Tuesday night and after much discussion passed a resolution to offer students and parents the opportunity for voluntary drug testing.

Members of the board have discussed ways to control drug use among school students at each of two regular board meetings and two special meetings before passing this resolution.

Board members had expressed their concerns many times during the meetings. The main concerns expressed by the trustees were not to "catch and punish" the students who are using drugs but to help those students get off whatever they are using.

John Quebe stated that he had tried to keep an open mind. "I don't feel that I have heard anything to make us jump out and do mandatory testing for everyone," said Quebe. "I don't have anything against the voluntary testing

but I don't think it will accomplish what we want it to."

"The times we are living in are pushing schools towards taking more responsibilities for things that should be the responsibility of the parents," commented Jim Bob Martin.

Superintendent Raymond Lusk said there is a movement for federal legislation to allow schools to drug test students, "and this is something we will watch closely."

Bernie Ford stated he had worried over this since the community meeting. "In my mind I have gone over and over all the possibilities. I think we are missing something and I'm not sure what it is."

Jesse Garza voiced the concern, "If we don't do the mandatory testing we may see a rise in drug use. It has seemed quieter since we started this."

"I think we all agree with you but there is nothing to keep us from com-

ing back and voting to do mandatory testing later," stated Martin.

Lusk read the resolution they had been working on offering voluntary drug testing to parents or students who request it.

"The school district will pay for tests that are requested and the only ones who will know the results will be the parents and student," stated Lusk. "The testing facility is the only other one that will know the results of the test."

"I would hope anyone who is worried about his child would take advantage of this offer," stated Quebe.

Quebe made the motion to pass a resolution offering voluntary drug testing to parents or students who request it. The second was made by Bernie Ford and all voted for.

The position statement passed by the board is as follows:

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## Mobile Dairy to visit

A mobile Dairy Classroom will be visiting Punkin Days on Saturday, bringing its own dairy cow, a calf, and a milking machine.

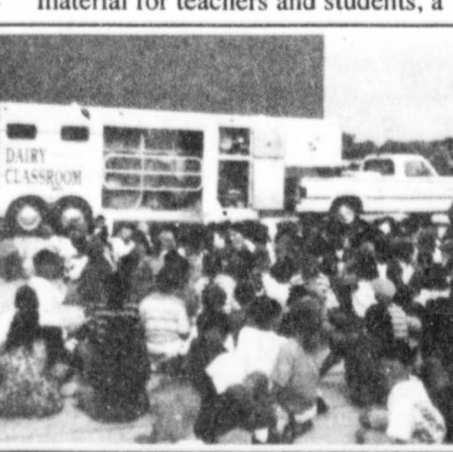
The 26 foot mobile classroom features a fully operational milking parlor.

Although enjoyed by all ages the classrooms target children from pre-kindergarten to sixth grade.

The Mobile Dairy will also be visiting Floyd County schools this week. It will be at Lockney Elementary on Wednesday at 8:30 a.m., at Duncan Elementary on Thursday, at 9:45 a.m., and at Andrews Elementary

at 8:30 a.m. on Friday.

Each program includes a 45-minute oral presentation given by a trained instructor, printed educational material for teachers and students, a



milking demonstration and hands on petting activity for children.

Children are taught the modern milking process, characteristics and anatomy of dairy cows, importance of dairy foods and food safety practices.

The Dairy Classroom is sponsored by Floyd County Farm Bureau and Floyd County 4-H Extension Office.

The Dairy Classroom will only be at Punkin Days in the morning hours. Children or adults wishing to see the exhibit should come to Punkin Days before 11:00 a.m.

## "If We Build It They Will Come"

(This is the second in a series of stories reviewing the beginning of the Floyd County Friends, their objectives, and their progress toward the ultimate goal of a multi-purpose center in Floyd County. The series will be written by Keri Lemon, a Texas Tech Journalism student. Her work is made possible by a grant from the Reader's Digest Foundation.)

By Keri Lemon  
In the spring of 1995 a county-wide survey of businesses, clubs and individuals was conducted to determine need for a multi-purpose/life enrichment center. The results indicated

need for a building capable of accommodating up to 1,500 people and hosting an array of events to serve a minimum of 40,000 to 50,000 people annually.

Nick Long, president of Floyd county Friends, said, "A lot of the events that will be held there will be for education."

Some of the proposed events range from archeological digs, Girl Scout activities, Boy Scout jamborees, gymnastic meets, arts and craft shows, car shows, antique auctions, trade shows, area youth rallies, graduation ceremonies, family and school reunions, wed-

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Time Change!  
Set your clocks  
back one hour  
Saturday night.





## BY THE WAY



By  
Alice Gilroy

Pray for pretty weather this week-end!

The Punkin Day committee has always been blessed with pretty weather at the last minute. We are hoping for another miracle!

Even if it's cold, come and support the people who have worked so hard to bring this popular event to Floydada.

We want the arts and crafts people to come back and we also want the Punkin Committee to think that out of town folks aren't the only ones who brave the elements to enjoy Punkin Days.

I'm supposed to put in plugs for different things on Punkin Days, but since I'm in charge of the Pumpkin Pie Relay race I'll plug that the hardest!

We need teams to challenge each other to make it fun. It only costs \$1.00 per person and the teams consist of 4 people. The money pays for the pies.

It's not a long race--so you don't have to be in shape. You just have to be a good sport!

The trunk or treating begins at 6:00 p.m. for grades 6 and under. This is

going to take the place of Halloween trick or treating, so kids need to make their plans to attend the Trunk or Treating. The chamber still needs money or candy to help feed the hundreds of kids who come.

There is something for everyone at Punkin Days--check it out and see for yourself!

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**Another joke off of the Internet:** (It would be very funny if it wasn't too close to being true.)

Three Pastors in the south were having lunch in a diner.

One said, "Ya know, since summer started I've been having trouble with bats in my loft and attic at church. I've tried everything--noise, spray, cats--nothing seems to scare them away."

Another said, "Yea, me too. I've got hundreds living in my belfry and in the narthex attic. I've even had the place fumigated, and they won't go away."

The third said, "I baptized all mine and made them members of the church.... Haven't seen one back since!!!"

## Courtroom Activities

In County Court, October 16, 1997: The November 17, 1995 DWI charge against Fidel Cerda Castillo, 33, of Floydada, was dismissed;

Mack Jennings Cole Jr., 33, of Lubbock, pled guilty to a November 17, 1995 charge of Marijuana Possession. He was sentenced to 150 days in jail and ordered to pay court costs;

Robert Earl Glenn, 36, of Rusk, was charged with Marijuana Possession Under 2 oz. He pled guilty and was sentenced to 31 days in jail plus court costs;

Glenn also pled guilty to a November 17, 1995 charge of Marijuana Possession. He was sentenced to 31 days in jail and court costs;

Joe Louis Hernandez, 27, of Amarillo, pled guilty to a January 27, 1995 DWLS charge. He was fined \$300.00 and court costs and sentenced to 25 days in jail.

Donald Gene Hilyard, 35, of Oklahoma, pled guilty to Marijuana Possession Under 2 oz. He was fined \$540.75 and sentenced to 14 days in jail plus court costs;

Jose Luis Hinojosa, 17, of Donna, pled guilty to Marijuana Possession Under 2 oz. He was sentenced to 31 days in jail plus court costs;

On October 17, Manuel Arredondo, 21, of Floydada, was charged with Burglary of a Motor Vehicle. There was no disposition on this case.

Tax suits were filed in the Justice Court, October 8, 1997 against:

Tammy Adams, of Lockney; Adam P. and Ester Arellano, of Floydada; Robert & Renee Armstrong, of Fort Hood; Debra Ascencio, of Lockney; Luciano Banda, of Lockney; Manuel Banda, of Lockney; Jimmy Burns of Plainview;

Freddy Castillo, of Floydada; Ricky R. Cavazos, of Floydada; Nora Cisneros, of Floydada; W.R. Daniel Jr., of Olton; Vickie Emert, of Floydada; Rosendo R. Escobedo, of Floydada; Bonnie Ethridge, of Floydada;

Isa Fierros, DBA Fierros Restaurant, of Lockney; Virginia Foster, of Lockney; Dora Garcia, of Floydada; Patricia Garza, of Lockney; Thomas and Ester Ramos Garza, of Floydada;

Robert C. Gonzales, of Odem; Raul Gonzalez, of Plainview; William E.

Gray, of Floydada; Raymond & Lue Gutierrez, of Floydada; Chris Lee Hacker, of Knox City;

Shirley Hayes, of Lockney; Travis Hayes, of Lockney; Carlos Hernandez, of Floydada; Skipper Hicks, of Floydada; Tony Huerta, of Eagle Pass; Jesse V. Ibarra, of Floydada; Mario Jasso Jr., of Floydada;

Aurelio & Sandra Cavazos Jimenez, of Lockney; Terry King, of Floydada; Isaias Lerma, of Lockney; and Yolanda Luna, of Floydada.

Tax Suits in District Court, October 8 were filed against:

Wayne Appling, of Floydada; John Brown, DBA Brown Brothers; of Denton; Donald Chesshir, of Floydada; Raymond and Sandy Cortez, of Lockney;

Dora Delacerda, of Floydada; Mateo Delgado, of Floydada; Frank Di Fede (CZDE), of St. Helena, California; James and Anneliese Jennifer Donaghe, of Floydada;

Oscar Garza, of Floydada; Phillip & Pat Garza, of Lorenzo; Virgil George, of Quitaque; Tino Gomez, of Floydada; Cleatis Hayes, of Lockney; Ben Louis E Hill etux, of Ropesville; Jose Z. Hinojosa Jr., of Floydada;

Jerry Jarrett, of Floydada; and Tiofilo and Dominga Juarez, of Lockney.

**Trunk or Treating on Saturday Night will replace Halloween's Trick or Treating in Floydada. Donations are still needed by the Chamber of Commerce**

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## Lockney Police Department

On October 7 at 12:05 p.m., Lockney police responded to an accident in the 100 block N. Main street. M.C. Cook, Jr., 78, of Lockney and Amy Ramon, 27, of Lockney had collided in their vehicles. No injuries and no citations were issued.

Between 3:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. on October 8, unknown persons entered a residence in the 600 block of E. Houston and damaged property in the interior of the home. No suspects are known at this time.

On October 13 at 9:23 p.m., Lockney police responded to a call about gunshots fired inside of a resi-

dence in the 300 block of N.E. 3rd street. Officers found a man in the residence with a shot gun which he had discharged through the ceiling of his house during a domestic disturbance. No one at the residence wished to file charges. A 37 year old female chose to leave the residence and the weapon was taken by the police.

Lockney police arrested Rodney Lopez, 22, of Lockney on October 15 on a outstanding Floyd County warrant, charging him with assault. He was arrested and transported to the Floyd County jail.

At 12:35 p.m. on October 17, Lockney police stopped a vehicle on US 70 for an expired license plate. The driver was found to be under the influence of an alcoholic beverage. Travis Adam Speed, 19, of Graham was charged with a Minor Driving under the Influence of an Alcoholic Beverage.

On October 18 at 4:22 p.m., Lockney police were dispatched to a domestic argument in the 100 block of N.E. 3rd street. A 37 year old female at the residence claimed her 28 year old common law husband had assaulted her. Isreal Davila of

Lockney was arrested for family violence assault and taken to the Floyd County jail.

At 5:54 p.m. on October 18, Lockney police responded to an accident in the 100 block of E. Locust. Joseph Copeland, 52, of Lockney and Adelaida Hernandez, 17, of Lockney collided at the intersection of S.E. Locust and 1st street. According to Lockney Police Officer Chuck Martin, "There were possible injuries to Hernandez but she refused medical treatment and transportation". Copeland was cited for failing to yield right of way. Hernandez was cited for expired drivers license.

On October 18 at 2:20 a.m. police were dispatched to the 1100 block of S.W. 11th in reference to a burglary of a habitation. Suspects unknown entered the residence and removed items valued at \$500. Anyone who has information regarding this offense please call or contact the Lockney police. Information will remain confidential.

## Floydada Police Report

October 3, at 3:25 p.m. Floydada Police took a report of a purse being stolen from a vehicle parked in the 700 block of W. Grover.

October 4, police arrested Jose Vasquez, 28, of Floydada, on outstanding traffic warrants.

Police took a report on October 4 from a man concerning theft of property and criminal mischief. Neighbors reported they had seen four juveniles in the area. Police talked to them and two of them confessed. The youth, ages, 12, 11, 10 & 10 were turned over to juvenile authorities.

Oct. 5, a man reported seeing two juveniles attempting to enter the pen behind Higginbotham Bartlett. Police were called and the juveniles were caught. A 10 year old and an 11 year old were turned over to juvenile authorities.

October 12, police took a report of a home in the 200 block of W. Kentucky that had been burglarized.

According to police a TV valued at \$500.00 and a VCR valued at \$400.00 were stolen.

A suspect was questioned and confessed to the burglary. Property was recovered and according to Police Chief Darrell Gooch, "A warrant has been issued by the DA's office for Raul Cruz, 24, of Floydada."

Also on October 12, at 12:03 a.m. Julio Gonzales, 17, and Rudy Gonzales, 18, both of Floydada, were arrested for Public Intoxication.

Oct. 12, at 7:57 p.m. police stopped a vehicle at the corner of White and California. The driver, Roberto Gonzales Jr., 29, of Floydada, was arrested for outstanding Hale County warrants. Three passengers: Ray Hernandez, 30, Ponciano Rosa, 19, and George Rosa, 30, were arrested for Public Intoxication.

October 13, at 5:20 p.m., police took a report of a Ford Taurus being stolen from the 200 block of E. Georgia. It was located Tuesday, Oct. 14, east of town on the edge of the city limits.

October 15 and 16 police were called to R.C. Andrews on two separate incidents of two 11 year olds fighting. The children were turned over to the juvenile probation department.

October 17 police answered a call of a woman being assaulted while

walking to work at the Floydada Nursing Home.

According to Chief Gooch, "She was walking on Crockett Street behind the Dairy Queen when a man drove up to her and asked her if she wanted a ride. She told him no and he kept insisting. She kept saying no and then he jumped out of the truck and grabbed her. She got away from him and ran. He jumped into his truck and drove off."

The man was described as a short

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October 19, Chad Edward Dunn, 27, of Oklahoma, was arrested for outstanding DPS warrants.

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# LISD approves resolution

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"The Lockney ISD Board of Trustees resolves that control of drugs use among its students is a pressing concern. We, the Board, encourage every means available to educate students about the negative influence of drug use and abuse.

"The Board affirms the fact that parents are the main force in influencing their children and should bear the primary responsibility in controlling their children in relation to drug use outside of school hours.

"In order to create a drug-free environment at school and assist parents in dealing with possible drug use, the Board offers the opportunity for voluntary drug testing and highly encourages all parents and/or students to take advantage of this voluntary testing.

"Under this voluntary policy, the parent and/or student may request a drug use test. The cost of this test will be paid by Lockney ISD.

"Results of the test will be released only to the parent, unless the parent desires others to know.

"A certified drug counselor will be available to any student or parent who wishes to utilize their services. This counseling will be available as long as the parent and/or student desires.

"Testing can occur as often as the parent and/or student wishes.

"The Lockney ISD Board of Trustees reaffirms this desire to create a drug-free environment and drug-free student body and is committed to making all necessary resources available in accomplishing this end."

# Floyd County Friends believe "If We Build It They Will Come"

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ding receptions, anniversaries, RV rallies, pageants, entertainment and musical performances, senior citizen events, Chamber of Commerce and other banquets.

C. Annette Sledge, sales representative for Rhone-Poulenc Ag Company, said, "The multi-purpose arena is an excellent idea."

"I am very excited about the opportunity for our young people in Floyd County to have a facility that will accommodate so many needs," Sledge said.

"It will be so nice to be able to count on having a building where you won't have to sit on boxes for chairs, freeze to death because a northern blow in, or get soaking wet from some of our usual West Texas rains," Sledge said.

"South Plains College also showed a strong interest in using the multi-purpose center as an additional site for classes, as some students come from not only Floydada but Lockney,

Plainview and Crosbyton," Long said.

J.D. Ragland, CEA-AG of Floyd County, pointed out several major events sponsored by the Floyd County Extension Service which would utilize the building: Caprock Cotton Conference, which attracts more than 500 area producers, agriculture, commodity and marketing meetings with participation of 890 Floyd County farmers; and 4-H activities such as club and project meetings, livestock clinics and workshops, and the annual County Round-up, Livestock Show and Achievement Banquet.

Long said that the Wichita State University Department of Anthropology wrote a letter supporting the multi-purpose center, saying, "It will be a great benefit to the research to be able to schedule seminars and meetings there."

"The Floyd County Junior Livestock Show and the County Fair existence is in jeopardy because the buildings are falling apart," Long said.

The Livestock barn is 14,000 square feet, with a dirt floor, little heating, inadequate lighting, with small bleachers and no room to build more bleachers.

"The condition of these buildings alone discourages participation," Long said.

According to the Floyd County Friends, Bailey County's youth participation in animal projects increased by 33 percent the first year the Bailey County Coliseum was built.

The Bailey County Coliseum in Muleshoe is the facility that the multi-purpose/life enrichment center is modeled after. The Floyd County Friends toured, researched and studied five area community centers for design, uses and budget.

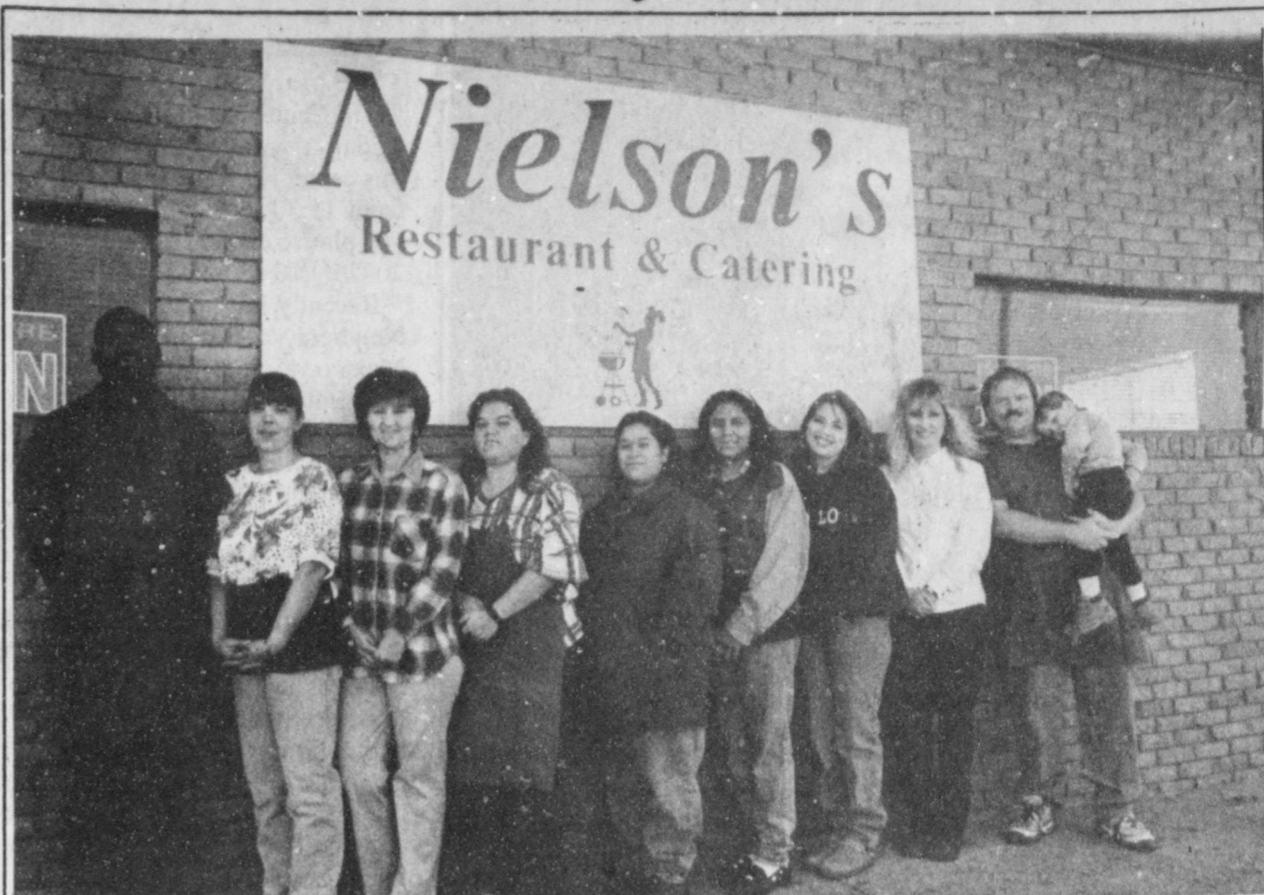
In 1997, more than 400 events were held in the Bailey County Coliseum, with only 19 days out of the year the building was not used.

According to the Floyd County Friends, based on figures from similar buildings in other comparable sized communities in the region, the multi-purpose life enrichment center has the potential of raising \$330,000 per year from outside visitors, which would stimulate Floyd County economy by \$2,310,000.

After the first year of the building completion, they estimated a five to ten percent usage growth per year in the number of attendees and events in the building each year for the first five years.

"I believe the multi-purpose/life enrichment center will not only help the local businesses but also will give Floyd County a facility to be creative and establish new events," said Long.

# Business Of The Week



(L-R) ROY HENDERSON, CHRISTINA MUSE, PEGGY HILL, LAURA PALACIO, EMMA LOPEZ, VICTORIA PLEASANT, CRYSTAL DRIVER, TAMI NIELSON, JON NIELSON HOLDING SETH.

FLOYDADA--Nielson's Restaurant, on Hwy. 70, first opened as Rogers Restaurant in 1956.

Kings Restaurant was the next business in the building and then in October 1985 Jon and Tami Nielson moved to Floydada and purchased Kings Restaurant.

Nielson's is now owned and operated by Jon and Tami with the help of their daughter, Crystal.

They are best known for their catering service (serving a radius of 200 miles), their fish fries and their afternoon buffets.

Starting this week they will also be cooking lunch, on Wednesdays, at the Floydada Sale Barn. The restaurant employs 11. Jon cooks and is assisted by Roy Henderson and James Toney.

Other employees are: Emma

Lopez, Laura Palacio, Victoria Pleasant, Christina Muse, Israel Martinez, Monica Galvan, Melissa Fowler, and Peggy Hill.

Nielson's menu features: fajitas, chicken fried steak, Mexican food, sandwiches, salads, steak, and breakfast.

Tuesday's buffet is fried fish and chicken. Friday's buffet is fajitas and Friday night is the fish fry.

Sunday's noon buffet varies and Saturday nights customers are treated to a different atmosphere and different menu with a steak and shrimp menu or ribs on the buffet.

Happy Hour, from 2-5 every day, features free blueberry muffins. Nielson's is open every day, except Mondays, at 6:00 a.m.

"We cater everything," said Tami, "including steaks, bar-b-que, burgers,

Mexican food, fajitas and turkey and dressing.

The restaurant can seat 110 people and has 1,800 square feet (not including the kitchen).

The Nielson's moved to Floydada from Lubbock where Jon was manager of J.T. McCords. Jon has worked in the restaurant business since he was 13 years old.

Jon and Tami also have a 3 year old son, Seth, who does a good job of entertaining customers and making them feel right at home.

"We have a very good staff here," said Tami. "They help us make Nielson's the success that it is."

Jon and Tami take great pride in trying to meet the needs of the community and consider their customers friends and family.

# Floydada Lions Club serving fish this Friday

Tired of the hassle of getting supper ready for the family before the Whirlwind football games? The Floydada Lions will help you out.

Not only will you get a good parking spot by arriving at Wester Field early--you'll also get a full course meal in a comfortable setting.

The Floydada Lions are once again hosting their annual Fish Fry Supper

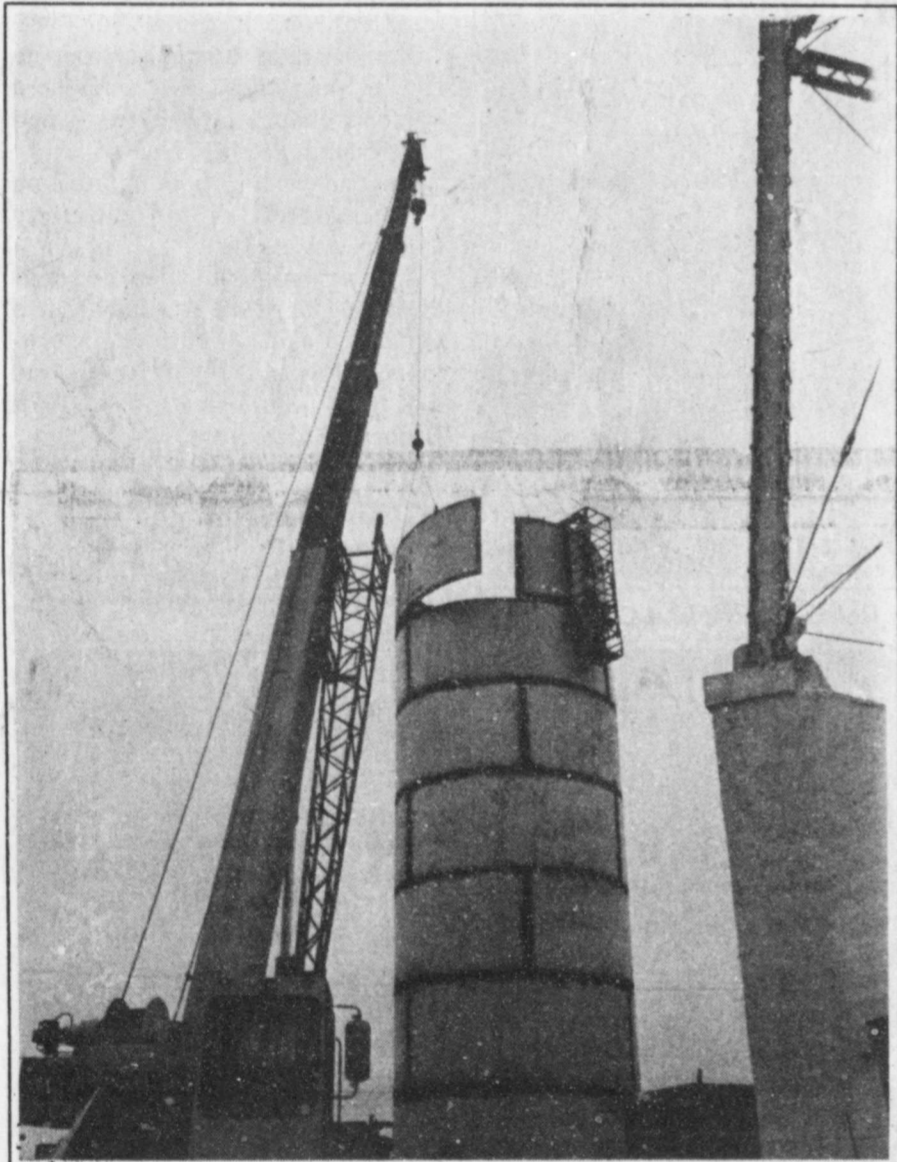
at the Floydada Junior High Cafeteria.

Supper will be served this Friday, October 24, beginning at 5:30 p.m., and will end at 7:30 p.m. just in time for the Whirlwinds to meet Lubbock Roosevelt on the field.

Tickets can be purchased in advance from any Lions Club member or at the door.



"I'm not sure what I did, but you'll need to defeat the ninja to get our bank records."



GOING UP--The new Lockney water tower continues to rise. Staff Photo

# UMC reports losses down at Cogdell Clinic

FLOYDADA -- Directors of Caprock Hospital District met in regular session on Tuesday, October 21, at 7:00 a.m. at Nielson's Restaurant. The board handled a short routine agenda, according to Board President Tom Farris.

Minutes from the September 16 meeting were approved and payment of monthly bills was authorized following review of reports submitted by accountant Fred Thayer & Company.

Cogdell Clinic Office Manager Maybelle Monreal presented one claim for indigent care. The total was \$109.91 and the board approved payment of the bill based on the applicant meeting the required criteria.

Board member Kyle Smith was appointed to serve as the CHD representative on the Floydada EMS Board of Directors. Motion for the appointment was made by Rob Heflin and seconded by Lee Battey. All voted in favor.

Paul Acreman from UMC presented the monthly reports detailing the status of clinic operations in Floydada. His figures indicate that the clinic had the best month on record since coming under the UMC operation umbrella. Losses for the month of September were pegged at \$3,445. Farris indicated this was "significantly less than in previous months and much improved over past performance."

Attending the early morning session were Farris, Battey, Heflin, Denice Payne, Smith, Acreman, and Monreal.

# Trick or Treat at Trunk or Treat this Saturday!!!

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# Floydada Lions Club 5th ANNUAL FISH FRY SUPPER

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5:30 - 7:30 P.M.

Before Lubbock Roosevelt Football Game  
Junior High Cafeteria

Adults - \$5.00  
Children Under 12 - \$3.50

# 1997 Punkin Days SCHEDULE

## FRIDAY, OCT. 24

Local Merchants Dress in Costume / Art Exhibit - Artist Jo Goen - First National Bank of Floydada

## SATURDAY, OCT. 25

South West Dairy Classroom Demonstration - Saturday Morning - 105 S. Wall (S. of Bank)

Friends of the Library Book Sale  
First National Bank Community Room

8:30 a.m. Race Registration & Packet Pick-up at Floyd County Farm Bureau - Decorated, Prettiest, Ugliest, Smallest, Largest Entries - Baked Goods

9:00 a.m. Arts and Crafts Booths Open / Hub City Cruisers / Classic Cars / Car Clubs / Shows All Day

1997 Punkin Days Coca Cola Classic 5K Run (\$15.00 Entry Fee per Race)

9:30 a.m. Judging for Entries - Under the Pavilion

10:00 a.m. Register for "Guess-the-Weight of Trailer" - \$25.00 Prize

10:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Impact Literacy Council, Ag Bldg. Conference Room - GED, ESL, Storytime

11:00 a.m. Coca-Cola Fun Run

11:30 a.m. Stroller Race (Around Courthouse)

Noon Lunch Break - Shopping / Food & Arts & Crafts Booths / Entertainment under the Pavilion - Lots of Talent & Laughs! / Awards (Under Pavilion) Auction / Seed Spitting Contest

1:30 p.m. Cow Pattle Bingo - \$1,000 in Prizes Get Your Tickets & Pooper Scoopers!

## (ALL GAMES CONDUCTED ON COURTHOUSE LAWN)

1:45 p.m. The Games Begin!!

Pumpkin Drawing  
Children under 13 - Draw face on pumpkin in 3 minutes.

2:00 p.m. (approx.) Carving Contest  
Over 13 - Carve face in 5 minutes

2:20 p.m. (approx.) Pumpkin Toss  
5 & under - Toss into Buckets

2:40 p.m. (approx.) Pumpkin Bowling  
5 & under / 6-12 - Knock Down Pins

3:10 p.m. Pumpkin Rolling Race  
12 & under / 13-29 / 30+

3:30 p.m. Wheelbarrow Race  
13 & up - Maneuver Blindfolded through Pumpkin Obstacle Course - Teams of Two

4:00 p.m. Pumpkin Pie Relay  
Teams of 4 - \$4.00 Entry

\*Toy Tractor Pull - Throughout the Day

\*Pumpkin Jail Available Throughout the Day \$5.00 Bribe to Deputies to Kidnap Someone Who Must Post \$5.00 Bond or Carve Pumpkin to Get Out

(Events Move to High School & Park Areas)

5:30 p.m. Costume Contest  
\$1.00 Fee - For All Ages - High School R. Photography on hand for Pictures

6:00-8:00 p.m. "Trunk-Or-Treating"  
High School Park - Follow Walking Path To Goodie - (Grades 6 and under)

6:30 p.m. 1990 Study Club Carnival - Gym Game Booths for all ages

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## Floydada Senior Citizen News



MRS. BRIAN WILLIAM GOSS  
(nee Brandye D'Angelie Stennett)

### Stennett and Goss exchange vows

Brandye D'Angelie Stennett and Brian William Goss exchanged wedding vows Saturday at the Harman-y House with the Rev. Roger Foote, pastor of North Side Baptist Church, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Stennett of Plainview and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stennett of Lockney, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bybee.

Goss is the son of Betty and Loyd Law of Plainview and Carl and Sue Goss of Tulia. He is the grandson of Mary Wood and Gladys Goss of Tulia and the late Herbert Goss.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white satin gown designed with a fitted bodice, flared skirt and chapel train. The sleeveless princess style gown featured a scoop neckline and satin rosettes at the back waist.

She carried an arm bouquet of white calla lilies, bear grass and springeri with trailing Midori ribbons.

Jamie Denison of College Station was maid of honor and Vici Dizmang

of Plainview was bridesmaid. They wore black crepe tea length dresses with scoop necklines and empire bodices. Each held a single calla lily and bear grass tied with a Midori ribbon.

Michael Goss was best man and Kevin Goss was groomsmen. Both are from Plainview.

A reception was held at the Rotary House in Runningwater Draw Regional Park. Members of the house party were Angela Davis, Elaine Foote, Fran Kisselburg and Tiffany Ware.

The couple will reside in Plainview. The bride is a graduate of Plainview High School and is employed by Lemons Funeral Home and The Flower Nook. Goss is a graduate of PHS and is a computer technician for the Plainview ISD.

A bridesmaid brunch was given by Mrs. Mike Lemons at the Plainview Country Club. Other bridal courtesies included a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Pat Buchanan and a lingerie shower hosted by Angela Davis, the groom's cousin.

**By: Margrette Word**  
The Center is open Monday through Friday. If you are 60 years or older, this center is for you. Lunch is served from 11:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. If you plan to eat lunch, please call 983-2032 by 10:00 a.m.

Recently, Faye Bertrand and Lorene Newberry drove to Roswell, New Mexico, to visit with their sister-in-law, Betty Battey. William Bertrand went fishing at Possum Kingdom and caught several fish, one of which was a 38 pound catfish!

Visitors at the Center one day last week were W.G. Dennison and Don Finkner.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. G.L. Fawver on their 65th Wedding Anniversary. A party was given to them last Sunday afternoon at the Wall Street Parlor of the First Baptist Church by their daughter and son-in-law, Edwin and Doris Wilcox, grandchildren Terri Wilcox of Lubbock and Tammy Elliot of Plainview.

Congratulations to Louis and Virginia Pyle who celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary on October 4th. Their children treated them to a trip to Las Vegas, Nevada.

Congratulations to Fred and Polly Cardinal on their 56th Wedding Anniversary celebrated on Sunday, October 12th.

Frieda Simpsons brother Percy Dunn, and wife, Janette, of Ft. Walton Beach, Florida, spent several days last

week here visiting. They left Saturday on their way to Branson, Missouri for a few days then will drive back to Florida.

Recently, Opal Earp's son and daughter-in-law, Wesley and Wynell Earp of Denton, spent several days here visiting his mother and other relatives.

Diana and Kyle Glover are home after spending the summer months in the mountains at Tres Ritos.

Opal's daughter Jo, and her husband Jack Boggs of Mertzon, Texas, were here for a couple of days last week. They are moving to Colorado.

Because of G.L. and Thelma Fawver's 65th Wedding Anniversary this past weekend, several relatives came to help them celebrate. There were Bryan and Mary Bush and Hattie from San Antonio; Eugene and Carey Bush, LeAnn Bush and son Dillan of Abilene; they stayed with Euna and Floyd Bradford over the weekend.

Saturday evening, G.L. and Thelma Fawver entertained the following with sandwiches and all the trimmings: Bryan and Mary Bush and Hattie of Abilene, Annie Jewell Willis of Abilene, Floyd and Euna Bradford, Doris and Edwin Wilcox and Terri Wilcox of Lubbock and Tammy Elliot of Plainview.

We now have our paving project paid off. We have had several sending in checks toward the paving

project, but since it has been paid off, we are spending the money at the Center for some daily expense plus some of it going to payment on social security and etc. that has to be paid each quarter. We still need your donations and memorials to meet these expenses so we would appreciate your remembering us. However, I will not be printing the names of those donating as we only do that when we need help on special needs and projects. Thank you all for your generous help.

Our sympathy to the family of F.M. Marquis.

Pray for those who have lost loved ones and for the ill.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:**  
To stay young in spirit, keep taking on new thoughts and throwing off old habits.

**MENU**  
OCTOBER 27 - 31

MONDAY-Cheese enchiladas, pinto beans, stewed okra & tomatoes, crackers, SL onions, fruit salad

TUESDAY-Chicken fried steak, white gravy, corn, peas & carrots, wheat roll, pineapple

WEDNESDAY-Crispy fish, baked beans, broccoli, coleslaw, cornbread, chocolate pudding

THURSDAY-Salisbury steak, peas, cauliflower, wheat roll, peach cobbler

FRIDAY-Hamburger on a bun, hash browns or tots, 3 bean salad, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, apricots

### Lockney Library support group is being organized

LOCKNEY--A meeting was held at the Lockney Library on Monday, October 20 and those present voted to form a library support group.

Officers were elected, the name Lockney Library Associates was chosen, and membership dues set at \$10.00. The group will meet on the third Monday of each month.

Elected as officers were Veda Hrbacek, president; Merle Mooney, vice president; Denise Doucette, secretary; and Doyle Dipprey, treasurer.

The next meeting will be held Monday, November 17 at the Lockney High School Library. Anyone interested in joining the organization is invited to attend.

### Miss Pumpkin Patch contest open to everyone

The famous "Miss Punkin Patch Pageant" will return this year, under the courthouse pavilion, on Punkin Day Saturday, at approximately 12:15 p.m.

The 1996 "Miss Punkin Patch", Clar Schacht, will be on hand to crown the new queen.

Anyone can enter this contest--regardless of age or sex. Contestants are also not disqualified if they have ever won any other pageant or have been a former contestant in the Miss Punkin Patch pageant.

Although it is not required, it would be more helpful to the audience and judges if contestants bring a description of their ensemble to the stage announcer before the contest.

Demonstrating a talent, appropriate for "G" audiences will enhance a person's chance of being crowned Miss Punkin Patch 1997.

Anyone wanting more information on the contest should call Judy Dunlap, at 983-3561.

Also entertaining under the pavilion during lunch will be: tumbling and gymnastic skills of Airborne Athletics and Floydada's Flying Angels, and a Karate demonstration by Walt Bushey's Karate team



PUMPKINS DONATED--Travis Jones donated pumpkins to the Floydada Rehabilitation and Care Center.



REST HOME BIRTHDAY PARTY--Mrs. Trapp was honored here in an October birthday celebration.

**By Lorilla Bradley**  
A lovely month, October...  
All dressed in brown and gold...  
The trees and all the creatures  
Know days will soon be cold!!!  
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We honor Mrs. Birchfield  
Her years are one hundred and one...

She is a lovely lady and  
Many honors she has won!  
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Mrs. Trapp we're greeting  
She is so nice to know...  
Just stop in for a visit  
And you will say it's so!  
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To cheer these lovely ladies  
Lets do the Birthday Song...  
To let them know we love them  
So sing out good and strong!

Thursday, October 16 was party time at the rest home with members of the City Park Church of Christ hosting. The Hesperian photographer came for the picture taking, followed by everyone being ushered into the dining room.

The honorees were seated at the "honor" table...we are so sorry Mrs. Birchfield was unable to attend. Special cards marked their places and it featured a floral arrangement in shades of salmon pink and blue. The ladies were given a lovely corsage compliments of Williams Florist and Card Shop.

Seated with Mrs. Trapp was Ferne Anderson. Other guests included Thelma Parr, Mary Grantham and Sylvia Forgerson.

The poem was read and all joined in singing the Happy Birthday Song. A delicious refreshment plate of iced chocolate or angel food cake along with tasty fruit punch was served to the honorees, guests and employees.

The next party will be Thursday, November 20 at 3:00 p.m. You are invited to be with your friends and loved ones at that time.



REPUBLICAN CHAIRMANS FLY THROUGH--Republican officials and registered voters met at the Floydada Airport to greet Susan Weddington, the new State Republican Chairman, as she and county chairmen flew across the State on Sunday. Shown here are: (back row) Floyd County Commissioner Lennie Gilroy; (front row, l-r) Grayson County Chairman Frank Alvarez, Sen. Tom Haywood, Weddington, Cooke County Chairman Patricia Peale, Floyd County Chairman Kerry Pratt and Floyd County Constable Ray Macha.



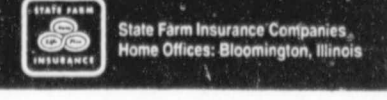
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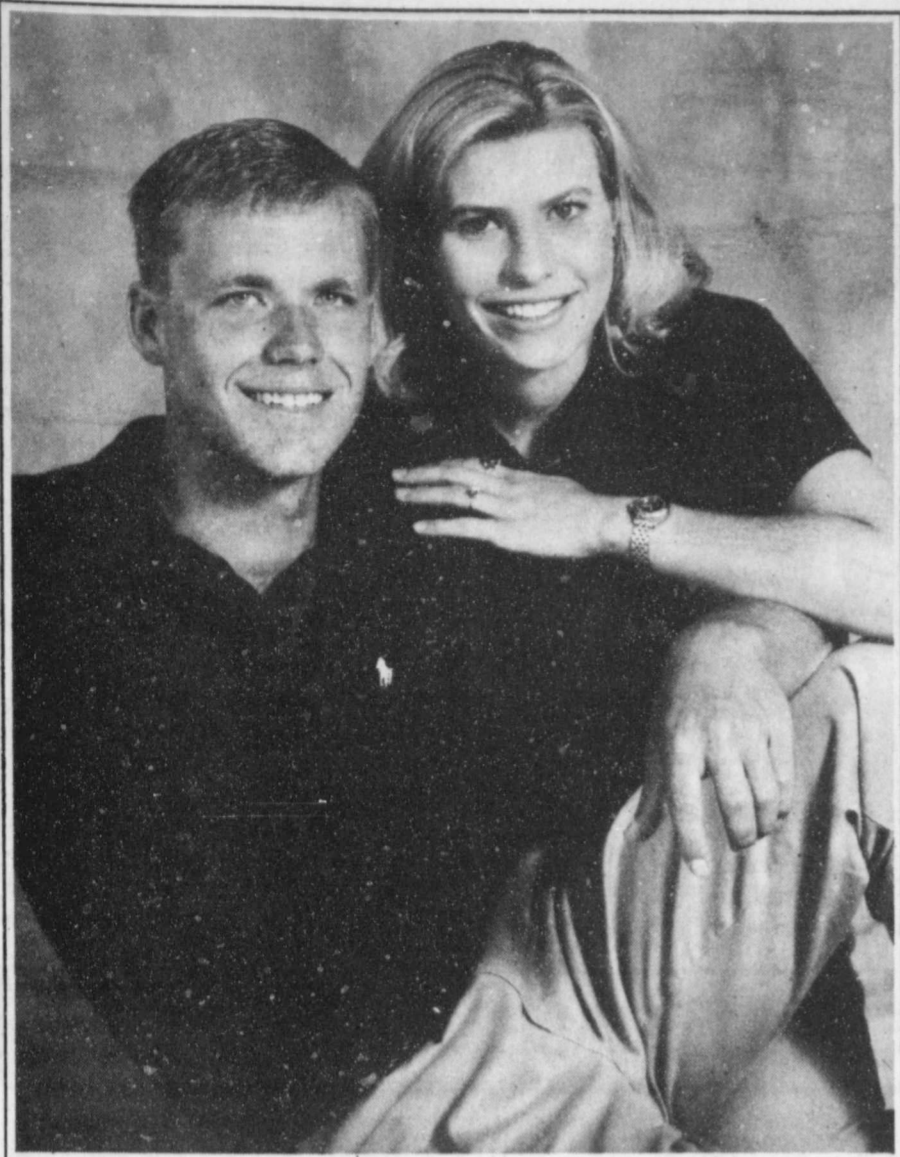
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MARCIE PARKER AND RANDY GIESBRECHT

## Parker and Giesbrecht

Joe and Shirley Parker of Hartley, Texas wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcie Jo, to Randy Clark Giesbrecht, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Giesbrecht, also of Hartley.

Miss Parker is presently attending West Texas A&M University in Canyon, majoring in Elementary and has been acknowledged on the Dean's List. Miss Parker is a part time employee at Dr. Hernandez, cardiologist in Amarillo. She is the granddaughter of Nell McClung of Floydada.

Giesbrecht attended West Texas A&M University in Canyon and is presently engaged in farming in Hartley County.

The couple will be married December 27, 1997 in the New Beginning Christian Retreat, south of Dumas.

## Friends of the Floyd County Library

On Tuesday, October 14, the Friends of the Floyd County Library met at Lighthouse Electric Cooperative. Members reviewed plans for the organization's Punkin Days fund raising activities. As in the past, a used book sale will be held at the Community Room of the First National Bank

on Friday, October 23rd, and Saturday, October 24th. Donations of books for the sale are being accepted throughout the week. Persons having books to donate may drop them off at Lowe's Pay-N-Save, or call 983-3870 for pickup service.

A bake sale will also be held in conjunction with the Punkin Days festivities, and a Pumpkin Recipe Cook Book, compiled and published by the organization, will be available for \$3 per copy.

Christmas Quilt ticket sales were reported to be going well. The quilt

is on display at Hale's Department store and tickets will be available for purchase at \$5 each until Saturday afternoon when the drawing for the quilt will be held.

Floyd County IMPACT, the literacy program sponsored by the Friends will be providing information and signing up volunteers in the north end of the old Soil Conservation Service building adjacent to the Courthouse. The Literacy program is doing very well. Twenty-four adult volunteers have been participating in the reading program at Duncan Elementary. Expansion of the reading program to Andrews School will occur shortly, and volunteers will also be available to assist with reading programs in the Junior High. GED and Citizenship training programs will soon be offered to adults in the community, as well as programs designed to assist adults in learning to read and write English.



BETTYE MARTINEZ AND JEREMY RUBIO

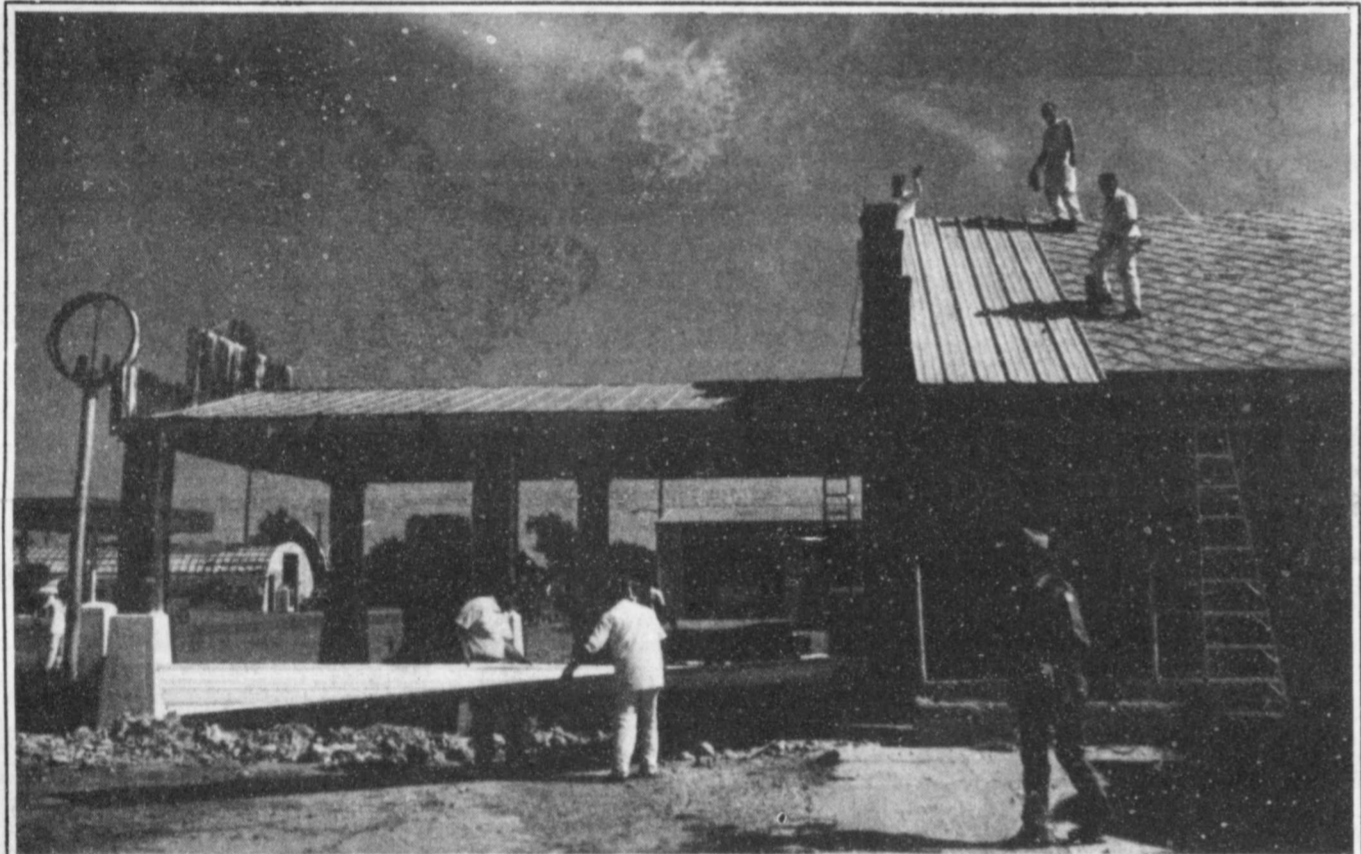
## Martinez and Rubio

Joe and Soila Martinez of Welch, wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Bettye Jo, to Jeremy Keith Rubio, son of Gabe Rubio of Ralls and Jan Smith of Midland.

Miss Martinez is a graduate of Dawson High School in Welch and also attended Texas Tech. She is presently employed with Walmart in Lubbock. Rubio is a graduate of Floydada High School and Midland Aeronautics School. He currently works for Pack-n-Mail in Midland.

The couple plan to marry November 15 at the Temple Emmanuel Church in Lubbock.

# Floyd County Lifestyles



RENOVATING THE OLD CONSUMERS FUEL BUILDING--Trustees from the J.B. Wheeler unit in Plainview have been busy putting on a new roof and digging trenches at the former Consumers Fuel building on Missouri Street. The building is now home for the Floydada Boy Scouts. Staff Photo

## New variety store to open in Floydada

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Merchandise will be supplied to the store from Duckwall-Alco's 350,000 square foot distribution center in Abilene, Kansas.

The staff of the new store will be primarily from the Floydada trade area. The store manager will be assigned to Floydada from Duckwall's existing management pool.

The Duckwall Variety Stores area a

division of Duckwall-Alco Stores, Inc. with headquarters in Abilene, Kansas. There are presently 66 Duckwall stores operating in Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Iowa, Missouri and Texas.

In addition to the Duckwall stores, the company operates 152 Alco stores serving customers in Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Oklahoma, New

Mexico, Texas, Iowa, Illinois, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming, Utah, Arizona and Arkansas.

Duckwall-Alco Stores, Inc. was founded in 1901 in Abilene, Kansas and has been in continuous operation since that time. The corporate headquarters and distribution center are still located in that small Kansas community.

### BBB REPORT

Trying to decide on the right pet for your family can be a difficult task. Do you go with something sweet and fluffy, sleek and aggressive or laid back and low-maintenance?

Whatever your decision, make sure it is the right fit for your family. If your family has never owned a pet before, first identify the most important characteristics about your life style. Consider such questions as: Do both parents work? How much free time can you devote to a pet? Are you an active family? Do you have adequate space in your house or yard? Are there family health problems or allergies to consider?

Here are a few suggestions: Avoid the urge to impulse buy. As with finding a good mechanic, contractor or lawyer, start with word of mouth - talk to friends, co-workers or neighbors about their pets and what they are like. Find out as much as you can about the pet you are considering. Visit your local pet store. Find out the store's refund and return policy.

Get a reliability report on the pet store from your Better Business Bureau.

If you are considering a cat or dog, head to the breeders or shelters. When visiting breeders, try to see the mother and father if possible as well as the animal's litter mates.

Ask for references. Keep in mind that some pets demand more attention than others and in turn may give your family more attention.

### PUNKIN DAY



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### PUMPKIN DAY SPECIALS AT HALE'S

All Girl's 4-6X and 7-16  
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Sweaters - Corduroy Slax  
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HALE'S DEPARTMENT STORE  
112 East California, Floydada

### Lockney Care Center

## !!! Auction !!!

Why: Raise Christmas money to purchase gifts for residents at Lockney Care Center

When: Sunday, November 16th at 2:00 p.m.

Where: Lockney Care Center, 401 N. Main Street  
Lockney, Texas

Sponsored by Lockney Care Center's  
Family Council

### Halloween Costume Party

& Country Music Artist  
**DeAnne Parker-Timberlake**  
Friday, October 31st 8p.m. - Midnight  
\$5.00 Cover/Door Prizes

**20% Head Space**  
Saturday, November 1st - 9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. -  
No Cover

### Feed Trough Steakhouse

Roaring Springs, Texas 348-7906





**GREEN THUMB VOLUNTEERS--(L-R) Lila Kendrick, of Floydada, visits with Green Thumb Organizers, Fay Varner, of Dimmitt, Supervisor Mary Ann Resch, of Hereford, and Florence Gallagher, of Childress. Resch oversees Green Thumb workers in the Panhandle, and Clovis and Tucumcari New Mexico.**  
Staff Photo

Green Thumb is looking for a few good men and women--at least 55 years of age. As a matter of fact--Green Thumb doesn't care if you're over 90 years old.

Green Thumb, Inc., is one of ten national organizations that, along with the governors of each state, operate the Senior Community Service Employment Program.

In short--they find jobs for senior citizens. The jobs keep the senior citizens happy and give employers dependable and mature help.

Green Thumb currently has approximately 900 eligible seniors assigned to over 750 community-based agencies in 132 Texas counties.

Green Thumber Lila Kendrick, of Floydada is a familiar and dedicated worker at the Floyd County Historical Museum.

The Senior Participants receive community service work experience and training in places such as senior centers, municipalities, libraries, museums, schools and day care centers. Green Thumb provides training,

skill assessment, counseling, and supportive services to help them in obtaining permanent employment.

They work an average of 20 hours per week. Wages and fringe benefits are paid by Green Thumb, Inc.

The participants not only find enjoyment in serving their community but the jobs also allow them to maintain their independence.

Anyone wanting information on how to become involved in the Green Thumb program should contact Field Operations Coordinator Mary Ann Resch, 806-364-2743.



**COCA-COLA SPONSORS RACE--Duncan Elementary students are being encouraged by coaches and parents to run in the Punkin Day Fun Run sponsored by Coca-Cola. For a \$15.00 entry fee, each participant will be given a Coke/pumpkin t-shirt and winning trophy or ribbon.**  
Staff Photo

## FLOYDADA REHAB & CARE CENTER NEWS

**By Jo Wilbanks**  
Hi! Time once again to let you know what is happening around here.

We are still in the process of remodeling, but gradually getting there. See the Fall and Halloween decorations; they are great.

The week started out as usual, morning coffee, juice, devotional. Reverend Wendell Horn, First United Methodist is faithful each Monday. Irene Wexler plays the piano for us. Edna Patton, Ivola Walters, June Van Cleve and Deota Odom assist them.

Tuesday we had a surprise as two girls from the Hospice of the Plains in Plainview came to sing and play the guitar for us. Sheila Reading, the Chaplain, told us some jokes and Carol played the guitar. She sang some songs which she had written. Come back to see us anytime.

We had a good crowd at the birthday party. We appreciate our volunteers and guests.

Some of our residents went for lunch at the Senior Citizens on Friday. They were Doris Hillen, Neva Calahan, Myrtle Vandiver and Jane Martinez.

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday were the daily devotions and singing. Roberta Hardin, Jo Wilbanks and

ladies from First Baptist came and sang also. Thanks, Cindy Appling, for playing the piano. She is the niece of Wanda Withers.

Doris Hillin, Clara Mae Hicks and Myrtle Vandiver went to visit the Floyd County Museum Friday. They enjoyed seeing everything and some friends.

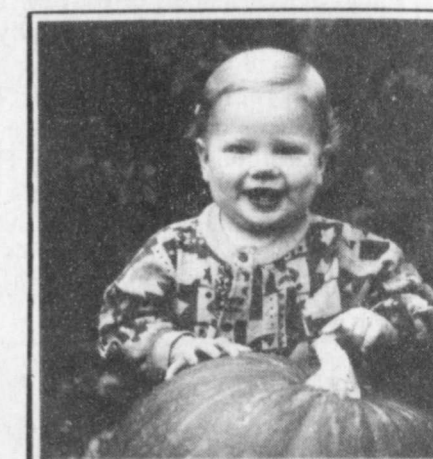
On Saturday, October 25, Punkin Day, the Floydada Rehab and Care Center will have a booth; goodies, popcorn, pickles, candied apples, pies, cakes, cookies, etc. The funds will go for the resident's Christmas needs.

You are invited to bring your children by the Center also on Saturday, October 25, at 6:00 p.m. for some treats. The residents will treat the children. Wear your costume as the residents love that.

You may pick up and buy your car raffle tickets from any staff member. Drawing will be December 12 for the 1997 KWI blaze red car. Funds go for Alzheimers Research.

Until next time, have a safe, happy Halloween and Boo!

I woke up and thought life was a duty;  
Then I looked around and saw the beauty."



**Happy Punkin Day Birthday Jordan Saturday, October 25th**



## LOCKNEY SENIOR CITIZENS

**By: Gladys Ragle**

Our meeting on Thursday night, October 16, was pretty well attended according to some who were there. I was not there since I have been to Oklahoma City to stay with my sister while her son and wife went on vacation.

**-Flu shots-**

Thursday, October 23, flu shots will be given at the Lockney Senior Center after the evening meal - about 6:45 or 7 p.m. They will be free to those over 65 years old and \$10 for those under 65 years of age.

Beginning the first Tuesday in November, November 4, there will be free blood pressure checking and

blood sugar screening on the first Tuesday of each month. The flu shots and blood pressure and blood sugar tests will be done by W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital.

J. Wampler hearing aid service will be here Thursday morning, October 23, and his regular day to be here will be the fourth Thursday of each month.

Cap Carthel was taken to Mangold Memorial Hospital on Sunday morning and has pneumonia. He had previously been moved from Plainview to Lockney Care Center.

Owen Thornton was brought home from Lubbock but is not doing very well at this time. We hope his health will improve soon.

**"Weekly Words of Wisdom"**

It is not the people who tell all they know that cause so much trouble; it is the ones who tell more.

**MENU**

**OCTOBER 27 - OCTOBER 31**  
**MONDAY:** Chicken strips, vegetable, salad, drink

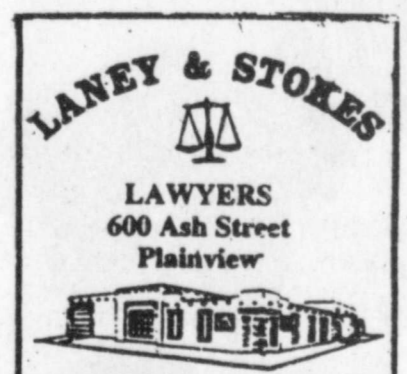
**TUESDAY:** Meatloaf, vegetable, salad, drink

**WEDNESDAY:** Chicken fried steak, vegetable, salad, drink

**THURSDAY:** Enchiladas, vegetable, salad, drink

**FRIDAY:** Baked chicken, vegetable, salad, drink

Meals are served with coffee, tea, and bread.



**Halloween Merchandise 1/2 price**

Schacht Flowers, Jewelry & Gifts  
112 W. Poplar, Lockney 652-2385  
8:30-5:30 Mon. - Sat.

"It has been our pleasure to serve you for 25 Years"

## Friends of the Floyd County Library Pumpkin Days Activities

### Used Book Sale

First National Bank Community Room  
Friday - 9 am to 4 pm : Saturday - 9 am - ?

### Bake Sale

Featuring Pumpkin Pastries and Cookbook

### Christmas Quilt Drawing - 3 pm, Saturday

Tickets Available 'til drawing - \$5.00 each

### Impact Literacy Program

Reading Volunteers, GED, & Citizenship Programs  
Adult Literacy Programs

Saturday - North room of building adjacent to Courthouse

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## First Baptist Church in Floydada to hold "Round-Up Day" Sunday

High Attendance day at the First Baptist Church in Floydada will be celebrated "country style", October 26, during "Round-Up Sunday".

Members and visitors will be greeted by men handing out programs from horseback. Everyone is encouraged to dress in western attire for the 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

Lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. and another service will follow at 1:00 p.m.

Danny's Hens and Fins will cater the meal and the church office would like to try and get a head count for the meal. If you are planning on eating at the church please call the office, by noon, on Friday.

First Baptist will also have a dedication service for the new Fellowship Hall.

All Sunday School classes and evening services are canceled for October 26.



**SUNDAY**  
**"Great Western Roundup 2"**

First Baptist Church, Floydada  
High Attendance Day  
October 26, 1997

10:00 a.m. Worship Service  
11:30 a.m. Meal  
1:00 p.m. Worship Service

Please call the church office and let us know how many you will be bringing for lunch.

The meal will be catered by Danny's Fins & Hens.

There will also be a Dedication Service For the new Fellowship Hall.

**Come dressed in your "Western Attire"!**

All Sunday School Classes and Evening Services are canceled.

### "FOCUS ON THE FAMILY" with Dr. James Dobson

Question: My husband drinks excessively. Aside from getting help from my family, what should I do specifically for him? How on earth am I going to get him to go to Alcoholics Anonymous or some similar treatment program? He is deep in denial, and I'm not even sure he's thinking straight right now. He couldn't make a rational decision to save his life. How am I going to get him to cooperate?



DR. DOBSON

Dr. Dobson: You're right about the difficulties you face. Begging won't accomplish anything, and your husband may be dead before he admits he has a problem. Indeed, thousands die each year while denying that they are alcoholics.

That's why Al-Anon teaches family members how to confront in love. They learn how to remove the support systems that prop up the disease and permit it to thrive. They are shown how and when to impose ultimatums that force the alcoholic to admit his or her need for help. And sometimes they recommend separation until the victim is so miserable that his or her denial will no longer hold up. In essence, Al-Anon teaches its own version of the love-must-be-tough philosophy to family members who must implement it.

I asked Bob, a recovered alcoholic, if he was forced to attend Alcoholics Anonymous, the program that put him on the road to recovery. He answered:

"Let me put it this way. No one goes to AA just because they've nothing better to do that evening. Everyone there has been forced to attend initially. You just don't say, 'On Monday night we watched a football game and on Tuesday we went to the movies. So what will we do on Wednesday? How about going over to an AA meeting? It doesn't work that way.'

"Yes, I was forced--forced by my own misery. Pauline allowed me to be miserable for my own good. It was loving duress that moved me to attend."

Though it may sound easy to achieve, the loving confrontation that brought Bob to his senses was a delicate maneuver. I must re-emphasize that families should not attempt to implement it on their own initiative. Without the training and assistance of professional support groups, the encounter could degenerate into a hateful, vindictive name-calling battle that would serve only to solidify the drinker's position.

Al-Anon Family Groups and Alcoholics Anonymous are both listed in local phone books. Also to be

found there is a number for the National Council on Alcoholism, which can provide further guidance (call toll-free at 1-800-622-2255).

For teen-agers of an alcoholic parent there is Alateen. Teens can go there and share without their parent's permission or knowledge, and it's free.

**Question: If a man and woman really love each other, won't that hold their marriage steady when the storms come?**

Dr. Dobson: Not necessarily--and certainly not if you are thinking of love as a romantic feeling. Feeling wonderful about each other does not make two people compatible over the long haul.

Many couples assume the excitement of their courtship will continue for the rest of their lives. That never occurs! It is naive to expect two unique individuals to mesh together like a couple of machines and to remain exhilarated throughout life. Even gears have multiple cogs with rough edges to be honed before they will work in concert.

That honing process usually occurs in the first year or two of marriage. The foundation for all that is to follow is laid in critical months. What often happens at this time is a dramatic struggle for power in the relationship. Who will lead? Who will follow? Who will determine how the money is spent? Who will get his or her way in times of disagreement? Everything is up for grabs in the beginning, and the way these early decisions are made will set the stage for the future.

Send your questions to: Dr. Dobson, c/o Focus on the Family, P. O. Box 444, Colorado Springs, Co. 80903. These questions and answers are excerpted from books authored by Dr. James Dobson and published by Tyndale House Publishers. Dr. Dobson is the President of Focus on the Family, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the preservation of the home. Copyright 1997 James Dobson, Inc. All rights reserved. International copyright secured.

Dr. Dobson is brought to you courtesy of West College & 3rd Street Church of Christ, Lockney.

# Floyd County Church Directory

**AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Henry Martin, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
607 W. Lee St., Floydada  
J.D. Young, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
810 S. 3rd, Floydada  
Darwin Robinson, Pastor  
Sunday:  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:45 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Evening Services . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Claude Porter, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Bible Study . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**CARR'S CHAPEL**  
Service Every Sunday:  
Morning Worship . . . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
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**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
West College & Third, Lockney  
Frank Duckworth, Evangelist  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 5:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
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**CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Floydada  
Gene McCarty, Minister  
Sunday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
(Summer . . . . . 8:00 p.m.)  
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**EVANS CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. G.A. Blocker  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Afternoon Worship . . . . . 2:00 p.m.  
Training Union . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
701 W. Missouri, Floydada  
Vance Mitchell, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:50 a.m.  
Sunday Evening  
Evangelistic . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Night Service . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Wendell Horn, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
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**FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL CME**  
Floydada  
Rev. James Jenkins  
Sunday . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Service . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wednesday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
401 S. Main, Floydada  
Michael Holster  
Music/Adm./Sr. Adults  
Sunday:  
Instrumental Ensemble . . . . . 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Discipleship Training, Nursery, Mission Friends, Team Kid, Bible Drill, Youth Choir, Senior Adult Choir, Deacon & Wives Leadership Study, and Adult Bible Study . . . . . 4:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Celestial Ringers . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Children's Choir . . . . . 4:00 p.m.  
Study Hall . . . . . 5:15 p.m.  
Evening Meal . . . . . 5:45 p.m.  
Prayer Time (All Ages) . . . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Nursery, Preschool Choir, RA's, GA's Sanctuary Choir, Youth Bible Study, Adult Bible Study . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Sanctuary Choir . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Lockney  
Harold Abney, Pastor  
Matt Chaffin, Music Minister  
Debbie Wiley, Youth Minister  
Sunday:  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:45 a.m.  
Discipleship Training . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Kids of The King  
Children's Choir & Youth . . . . . 5:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Youth Activities . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
RA's and GA's . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Pre-School Choir . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Adult Choir . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
3rd Saturdays:  
Men's Breakfast . . . . . 7:00 a.m.  
1st Tuesday and 3rd Mondays:  
Baptist Women . . . . . 3:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Reverend Ione Sedinger  
Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Tommie Beck, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:15 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
UMY . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
United Methodist Women,  
Hill Circle, 3rd Tues. . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Ruth Wesley Circle:  
2nd & 4th Mondays . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Lockney  
Tommie Beck, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:15 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
UMY . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
United Methodist Women,  
Hill Circle, 3rd Tues. . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Ruth Wesley Circle:  
2nd & 4th Mondays . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
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**FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL CME**  
Floydada  
Rev. James Jenkins  
Sunday . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Service . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wednesday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
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**GRACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH**  
211 N. Main, Lockney  
Interdenominational Church  
Rev. Ted Samples, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**  
John Williams, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Monday Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday:  
Prayer Service . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**IGLESIA DEL REY JESUS**  
404 E. 6th St., Lockney  
Lupe Banda, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Evening Service . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday:  
Youth Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Lockney  
Russell Harris, Minister  
Bible Study . . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Ladies Bible Class . . . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Bible Study . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Rev. Ralph Jackson  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
BTU . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Mid-Week Prayer . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Thursday:  
Bible Study . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Sunday: Congregational  
Singing . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
3rd Sunday, Elder Don Martin  
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**PRIMER IGLESIA BAUTISTA**  
Lockney  
Pedro Villareal, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Service . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
G.A.'s . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Ambassadors . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Fellowship Luncheon -  
1st Sunday of Month;  
Music Worship;  
Last Sunday with evening service  
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**PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA**  
Floydada  
Rev. Lupe Rando  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 10:55 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Lockney  
Msgr. Tim Schwertner, Pastor  
Wednesday:  
Communion Service . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
Sunday Mass . . . . . 11:30 a.m.  
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**SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Ernest Stewart, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
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**SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD TEMPLO GETSEMANI**  
308 Mississippi  
Rev. Alejandro Ruiz Jr.  
983-2864 or 983-5286  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Evangelistic  
Service . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Family Night . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Father John Olig  
Deacon Ricky Vasquez  
Sunday Mass . . . . . 11:30 a.m.  
Tuesday Mass . . . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Mass . . . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Rosary recited 1/2 hour before each Mass  
Phone: 983-5878  
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**TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM**  
Lockney  
Pedro Reyes, Interim Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 p.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Christian Training . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Washington and 1st St.  
Lockney 652-2181  
Gabriel W. Ortiz, Pastor  
Olga L. Martinez, Youth Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO EVANGELICO PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
Rev. Ramiro Coss  
515 E. Missouri, Floydada  
Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO LIBERTAD**  
203 SE 2nd, Lockney  
652-2811  
Pastor Juan A. Gutierrez  
Wednesday Evening . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Worship . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
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Rev. Herman Martinez  
308 W. Tennessee, Floydada  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Prayer Service . . . . . 2:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Tuesday:  
Evening Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor  
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Wednesday . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
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Sunday Evening . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday . . . . . 7:00 p.m.  
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**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Providence Community  
on FM 2301 293-3009  
Rev. Arthur P. Bliese Pastor  
Sunday School &  
Adult Bible Class . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
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Sunday Worship . . . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening . . . . . 6:00 p.m.  
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# Wilson wins first in weekly football contest

Earning the \$25.00 first place prize check was Dwayne Wilson of Floydada. He missed a total of seven games on the weekly contest. His winnings will be in the mail to him on Friday.

Three entries tied with eight misses in the quest for second and third place. They were Harold Abney and W. C. Carthel, both of Lockney, and Heather Arney of Floydada.

Abney selected Lockney (39) to beat Bovina (15) with a total combined score of 56, two points over the actual combined total of 54. This earns him the second place check for \$15.00.

Third place and a check for \$10.00 goes to Carthel who also chose Lockney to win with a combined total score of 50, four points under the actual combined score.

Arney also selected Lockney to beat Bovina with a total combined score of 46, eight points off the actual total. This warrants an honorable mention this week.

Missing nine games were D&P Quality Assurance of Aiken, W. H. Simpson, Jean Hale, Abby Sanders, and Jane Pruitt, all of Floydada, and Lockney entries from Todd Cotham, T. O. Thornton, Pam Fulton, Slick Stennett, D. Sutterfield, Mark Ford, Javier Bernal, Christina Rodriguez, and Danny Huggins.

Missing ten this week were: Robert dela Fuente, Gene Lowrance, Weldon Pruitt, all of Floydada; Keith Marricle of Muncy; Irma Saucedo, Jim Ed Davis, Roy Saucedo, Cody Bayley, Bobby Jones, and Boyd Lee, all of Lockney.

The error this week was game 15-16 which was accidentally used twice, first as the tie-breaker and then on a game football.

There were a total of 77 entries this week. 43 came from Floydada and 34 from Lockney.

Take any opportunity you can to let contest sponsors know you appreciate their bringing the contest to you

each week. The upcoming holiday season is a great time to do business at home.

### GAME SCORES LAST WEEK

1. Dimmitt 30 vs. 2. Tulia 0
3. River Road 37 vs. 4. Sanford-Fritch 6
5. Dalhart 17 vs. 6. Friona 60
7. Slaton 13 vs. 8. Seminole 52
9. Cooper 29 vs. 10. Brownfield 27
11. Littlefield 35 vs. 12. Roosevelt 0
13. Hale Center 42 vs. 14. Highland Park 6
15. Lockney vs. 16. Bovina (not counted, was also tiebreaker game)
17. Hart 21 vs. 18. Olton 27
19. Abernathy 58 vs. 20. Crosbyton 0
21. New Deal 10 vs. 22. Idalou 0
23. Ralls 7 vs. 24. Post 21
25. Happy 6 vs. 26. Kress 41
27. Springlake-Earth 7 vs. 28. Nazareth 20
29. Farwell 33 vs. 30. Valley 0
31. Motley County 0 vs. 32. Sudan 55
33. Whiteface 6 vs. 34. Petersburg 30
35. Anton 0 vs. 36. Smyer 28
37. Lorenzo 6 vs. 38. O'Donnell 30
39. Silvertown 21 vs. 40. Lazbuddie 50
41. Amherst 52 vs. 42. Cotton Center 46
43. Three Way 45 vs. 44. Whitharal 65
45. Texas Tech 0 vs. 46. Nebraska 26
47. Texas 29 vs. 48. Missouri 37
49. Texas A&M 17 vs. 50. Kansas State 36
51. Baylor 23 vs. 52. Oklahoma 24
53. Kansas 6 vs. 54. Colorado 42
55. Arizona Cardinals 10 vs. 56. Philadelphia Eagles 13
57. Carolina Panthers 13 vs. 58. New Orleans Saints 0
59. Jacksonville Jaguars 22 vs. 60. Dallas Cowboys 26
61. New England Patriots 19 vs. 62. New York Jets 24
63. San Francisco 49ers 35 vs. 64. Atlanta Falcons 28
65. Seattle Seahawks 17 vs. 66. St. Louis Rams 9
67. Washington Redskins 14 vs. 68. Tennessee Oilers 28

### TIE-BREAKERS

- Lockney (39) vs. Bovina (15): (combined total points 54)
- Floydada (0) vs. Denver City (48): (combined total points 48)



**BOOSTER OF THE WEEK-- Williams Florist was named the Super Whirlwind Booster of the week on Friday, October 17. Cindi Williams is pictured here with her display featuring a Whirlwind with all the necessary green and white accessories. She will be displaying the Super Booster Flag until Friday, October 24.** -- Staff Photo

# Shorthorns combine teams to defeat Bovina

**By Coach Rodney Dowell**  
LOCKNEY—The 7th and 8th grade football teams had to combine in an unusual game versus the one Bovina Jr. High squad.

The 7th grade played the first two quarters and was plagued by bad field position as the Mustangs jumped out to a 14 to 0 lead. Even with big runs from Ben Sherman and Cody Bayley the Lockney youngsters turned the game over to the 8th grade team at halftime with the score being 12-0.

The 8th grade Longhorns stepped up to the challenge as Mo Collins answered early in the third quarter with a 8-yard run off the bootleg. Collins score notched the first Lockney touchdown but the two point attempt failed, placing the score Bovina 12, Lockney 6. The second Lockney score sealed the lead as Hector Morales marched to pay dirt in a 5-yard scamper. Collins did the two point honors as Lockney went up 14 to 12 and never looked back. With a strong defensive stand the Lockney team took over possession and marched the ball 55 yards as Collins once again struck gold with a 10-yard dash. "Z" back Shane Summers capped the score as the Lockney

lead moved to 22 to 12. As middle linebacker, Jared Lambert marched his unit back on the field, they one again roped the Mustangs. The door was slammed shut on Bovina when Tyler Snow raced to a 30-yard touchdown and Tyrell Stapp romped in the two point conversion. The game ended with the score being Lockney 30-Bovina 12.

"Our 7th grade team did a great job of not allowing many points to be scored in the first two quarters. I thought their defense was good. Bovina just had some big plays," said Coach Hallmark.

I was very proud of our 8th grade unit for playing hard after being down 12-0. To start with that score showed a lot of courage," said Coach Hallmark.

Our next games are here with the first game starting at 5:00 p.m. We will be hosting Highland Park.



# Mustangs gallop past FHS

### Courtesy of KFLP radio

Proving why they lead District 2-3A, the Denver City Mustangs posted a 48-0 decisive victory over Floydada last Friday night. The win, their seventh this season and fourth in district play, all but insured the Mustangs of a post-season berth.

After winning the coin toss, Denver City drove 68 yards to set up a 6 yard Luis Villegas touchdown run. Villegas would then toss two touchdown passes later in the second quarter to Jay Ochesky and B.J. Vuicich. The Whirlwinds never saw better field position than their own 48 yard line throughout the game, and were unable to register a first down till the second half. But by that time, the Mustangs had already built a 35-0 lead.

Seven different Denver City players scored, as the Whirlwinds fell for the fifth time this season (1-3 in district play). The game, played in just two hours, found Floydada unable to gain any yards on one of the district's stingiest defenses - the Mustangs' defense is allowing an average of only seven points per game.

Jacob Thrasher led the Whirlwind defense with eleven tackles on the night, while Michael Black added 10; Lonnie Nelson and David Lightfoot added seven each. Offensively, Jason Campbell led the charge with 19 yards on six carries and Richard Casillas added 13 on five carries.

Elsewhere in District 2-3A action, Toby Shain rushed for 223 yards and five touchdowns as Seminole routed Slaton 52-13. Eric Morrison scored from one yard out with no time remaining as Cooper shocked Brownfield, 29-27. Littlefield chalked up their first district win in three games as they beat Roosevelt, 35-0.

Floydada hosts the winless Roosevelt Eagles (0-7, 0-4) Friday night at Wester Field. Brownfield (1-6, 1-3) travels to Littlefield (3-4, 2-2); Denver City is at Slaton (3-4, 2-2); and Seminole (6-1, 3-1) travels to

Cooper (6-1, 3-1) to play for sole position of second place in the district standings.

### STATISTICS

Floydada	0	0	0	0
Denver City	14	21	7	6'48

### Statistics by quarter

**1st quarter**  
6:26 DCHS Villegas 6 yard TD run (Ivey kick)  
1:19 DCHS Curtis 1 yard TD run (Ivey kick)

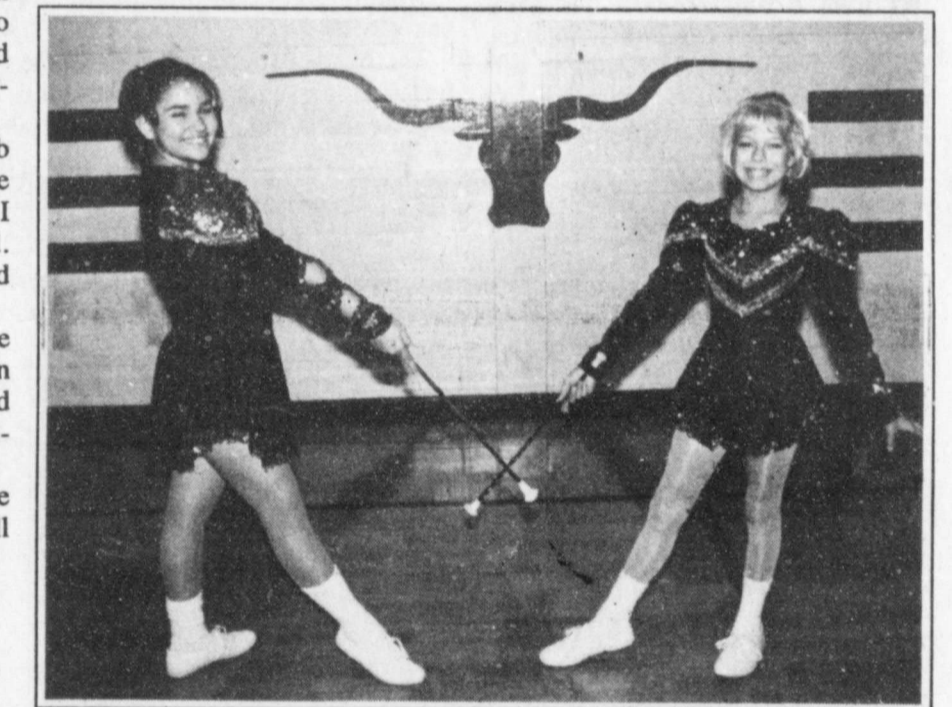
**2nd quarter**  
8:43 DCHS Ochesky 1 yard TD pass from Villegas (kick blocked)  
4:24 DCHS Vuicich 33 yard TD pass from Villegas (Villegas run)  
2:53 DCHS Jordan 13 yard TD run (Ivey kick)

**3rd quarter**  
5:07 DCHS Byrd 20 yard TD run (Ivey kick)

**4th quarter**  
7:06 DCHS Ivey 10 yard TD run (missed kick)

Team Statistics	FHS	DCHS
First Downs	2	22
Yards Rushing	-12	332
Rushes/Avg	28/-0.4	51/6.5
Yards Passing	0	122
Catches/Avg	0/0	5/24.4
Total Yards	-12	454
Passing Comp-Att-Int	0-0-0	5-6-0
Fumbles Lost	2	1
Penalties-Yards	3-35	3-30
Punts-Avg.	6/39.0	0/0.0

**Individual Statistics**  
Rushing  
Floydada: Campbell 6-19, Casillas 5-13, McGuire 3-0, Stovall 1-(-10), Cowart 11-(-12), Black 2-(-13).  
Denver City: Jordan 14-95, Ivey 11-68, Curtis 6-36, Villegas 4-35, Gonzalez 4-29, Byrd 2-21, Self 4-20, Vuicich 1-15, Corn 1-10.  
Passing  
Denver City: Villegas 5-6-122-0.  
Receiving  
Denver City: Boyd 2-71, Vuicich 1-33, Ochesky 2-18.



**LJHS TWIRLERS -- Serving as the twirlers at Lockney Junior High this year were (left to right) Mary Lou Zavala and Kaci Young. -- Staff Photo**



**FHS CROSS COUNTRY BOYS -- Members of the Floydada High School Cross Country Boys Track Team under the direction of Coach Randy Lightfoot this year include: (front, left to right) sophomore Erick Arellano, freshman Brad Cruz, freshman Rudy Adam Arellano, freshman Josh Caballero; (back) junior Mark Lucio, freshman Leon Guzman, and sophomore David Lightfoot. -- Staff Photo**

# Mitchell receives advanced placement scholarship awards

LOCKNEY—Tim Mitchell has been named AP Scholars by the College Board in recognition of their exceptional achievement on the college-level Advanced Placement (AP) Examinations. Approximately 10 percent of America's graduating seniors have taken one or more AP Examinations. Only about 13 percent of the more than 581,000 students who took AP Examinations in May 1997 performed at a sufficiently high level to merit such recognition.

The College Board recognizes several levels of achievement based on the number of year-long courses and exams (or their equivalent semester-long courses and exams). At Lockney High School one student qualified for the AP Scholar with Distinction Award by receiving an average grade of 3 or higher on five or more AP Examinations, with an average exam grade of at least 3.5.

AP Examinations are graded on a 5-point scale (5 is the highest). Most of the nation's colleges and universities award credit and/or placement for grades of 3 or higher, and more than 1,400 institutions award a year of credit (sophomore standing) to students with a sufficient number of

qualifying grades. This year, there were 31 AP Examinations offered in 17 subject areas, each consisting of multiple-choice and free-response (essay or problem-solving) questions.

The College Board is a national nonprofit association that champions educational excellence for all students through the ongoing collaboration of more than 2,900 member schools, colleges, universities, education systems, and organizations.

To hard-core substance abusers, inhalants may be kids' stuff. But to children, inhalants are a dangerous introduction to the world of intoxicants. They can be deadly even the first time they are used.

"Few youngsters have any idea how damaging these substances can be," said Jane Maxwell, TCADA's director of research. "We are urging parents and teachers to learn more about this problem and to talk to their kids about the dangers of experimenting with these deadly substances."

Inhalants are toxic substances found in many common commercial or household products, including paint, glue, correction fluid and various types of aerosol sprays. Officials with the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse warn that these substances can cause brain damage.

TCADA officials are urging parents to talk to their older children about the

dangers of inhalant use and to keep household chemicals out of reach of younger kids. Inhalants are most popular with seventh and eighth graders.

Maxwell said older teenagers are attracted to alcohol and marijuana. Inhalants are used mainly by younger teens seeking to get high because the products are inexpensive, readily available and easy to hide from parents.

"It's frightening how easy it is for youngsters to gain access to these substances," Maxwell said. "Inhalants depress the central nervous system. They can cause brain damage, visual impairments, hearing impairments, and addiction. They can cause sudden death, even with first-time users."

Most adolescents experimenting with inhalants try the substances only a few times. They use about ten common products, including spray paint,

correction fluid, gasoline, glue, shoe polish spray and paint thinners. The danger is that even one-time use can be fatal.

The agency's most recent public school survey revealed that 20 percent of students in grades seven through twelve admitted they had used inhalants at least once in their lives. It showed that 8.1 percent of seventh graders reported they had tried inhalants at least once in the past month, as had 7.4 percent of eighth graders.

Inhalant use goes hand in hand with disciplinary problems, academic problems, learning disabilities and skipping school. The level of use of inhalants reported by students on TCADA surveys gradually declines in grades nine through twelve, partly because inhalant users may wind up dropping out.

**Warning signs of inhalant use:**  
\*Chemical odor on the breath, on

the clothing, or in the room.

\*Paint or stains on the body or clothing.

\*Drunk, dazed or dizzy appearance.

\*Slurred speech, staggering walk, seizures.

\*Spots, rash or sores around the mouth and nose.

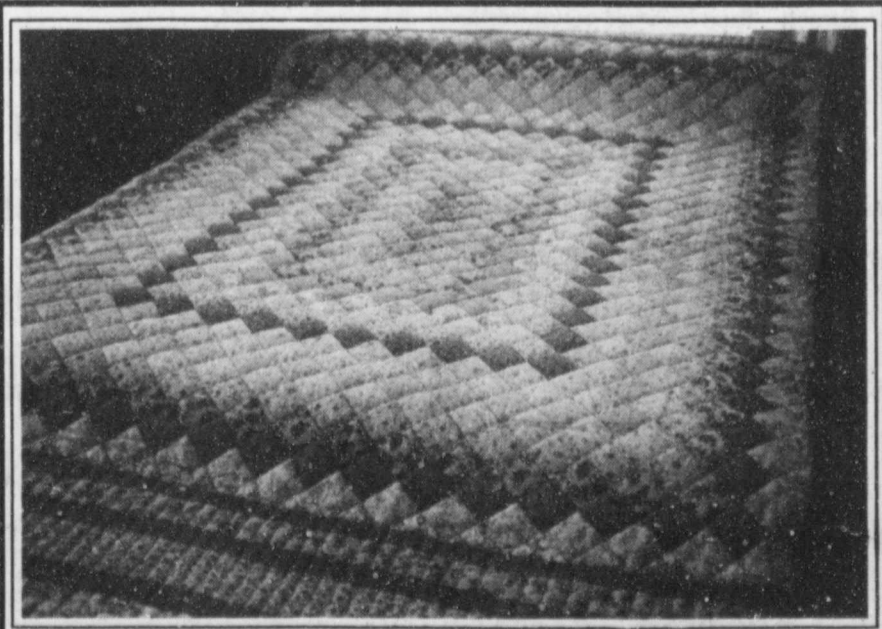
\*Red, glassy or watery eyes, dilated pupils and a runny nose.

\*Nausea and lack of appetite.

\*Anxiety, excitability and irritability.

For comments: Jane Maxwell (512) 349-6645 or (800) 832-9623  
Public information: (512) 349-6606

**Company Is Coming! Decorate for Punkin Day!**



**LOCKNEY BAND TO HOLD FUND RAISER--The drawing for this "Trip Around the World" quilt will be held in conjunction with the Lockney Band Booster Auction on November 13. The quilt can be seen alternately at the First National Bank in Lockney, Heart's Desire, and the Old Blue Quilt Box. Tickets are available at these businesses or from Lockney Band Booster members.**

## 1997 Punkin Days Race

Entry form for 9th Annual Punkin Days 5K - Fun Run/Stroller Race (Please Print)  
October 25, 1997 EVENT 5K Fun Run Stroller

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
Sex Male Female - Age On Race Day \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  
Circle T-Shirt Size (Adult - S M L XL) (Children - 6/8 10/12 14/16)  
WAIVER: (Must be signed for Valid Entry)

In consideration of your acceptance of this entry, I, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound, hereby, for myself, and my heirs, executors, and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against Floydada Punkin Days 5K and Fun Run/Stroller Race or any of its sponsors, or anyone associated with this event for any damage I may sustain or claims arising out of this event.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Floydada Chamber of Commerce  
MAIL TO: Julianne Cornelius, Race Director, 725 W. Kentucky, Floydada, Tx., 79235  
806-983-2982



# THROUGH THE HALLS



**LOCKNEY BAND PLACES**--Senior members of the Lockney Longhorn Band and Drum Majors show off the First Division plaques they won at the Plainview Pioneer Marching Festival. Shown are (l-r, front row) Erin Schaeffer, Armenia Duenas, Lori Garcia, Rita Mann, Tracy Raisse; (l-r, 2nd row) Natalie Vasquez,

Dottie Jo Harrison, Kimberlee Widener, Gloria Torrez, Shelly Pinales; (l-r, 3rd row) Jennifer Cabwello, Becky Lambert, Pepper Billington, Carissa Keeton, Lauren Mangold; (l-r, back row) Johnny Gonzales, Miguel Guerrero, Jeremy Rodriguez, and Rudolpho Cervantes. **Staff Photo**

## LHS Band earns Division II rating at UIL Contest

By Carol Huggins

LOCKNEY--The Lockney Longhorn Marching Band received a II Division rating at the University Interscholastic League Region XVI Marching and Twirling Competition held Saturday, October 17 in Jones Stadium at Texas Tech University. The band's show was entitled "Selections From Grease" and they played *Greased Lightnin'*, *Summer Nights*, *Those Magic Changes* and *Grease*. Lockney was joined by some 50

bands from around the area from Classes 1A, 2A, 3A, 4A and 5A. Pepper Billington, Feature Twirler, received a Division I rating on her Solo and will advance to the State Twirling Competition in June. Kristen Kellison, Twirler, received a Division II on her Solo. Band Drum Majors are Rita Mann and Lauren Mangold. Jimmie Exline is director of the band. The band would like to thank the fans for their support at the marching contest and at the football games.



**DRUM MAJORS RATED AS OUTSTANDING**--Lockney Longhorn Drum Majors, Rita Mann (l) and Lauren Mangold (r), were named Outstanding Drum Majors in the Class 2A competition at the Pioneer Plainview Marching Festival held October 11 at Wayland Baptist University. **Staff Photo**



**LAB PALS CHOSEN**--C.E.I. Lab Pals for the week of October 20-24 at Lockney Elementary School are Sasha Jimenez (l) and Ana K. Sanchez. **Staff Photo**

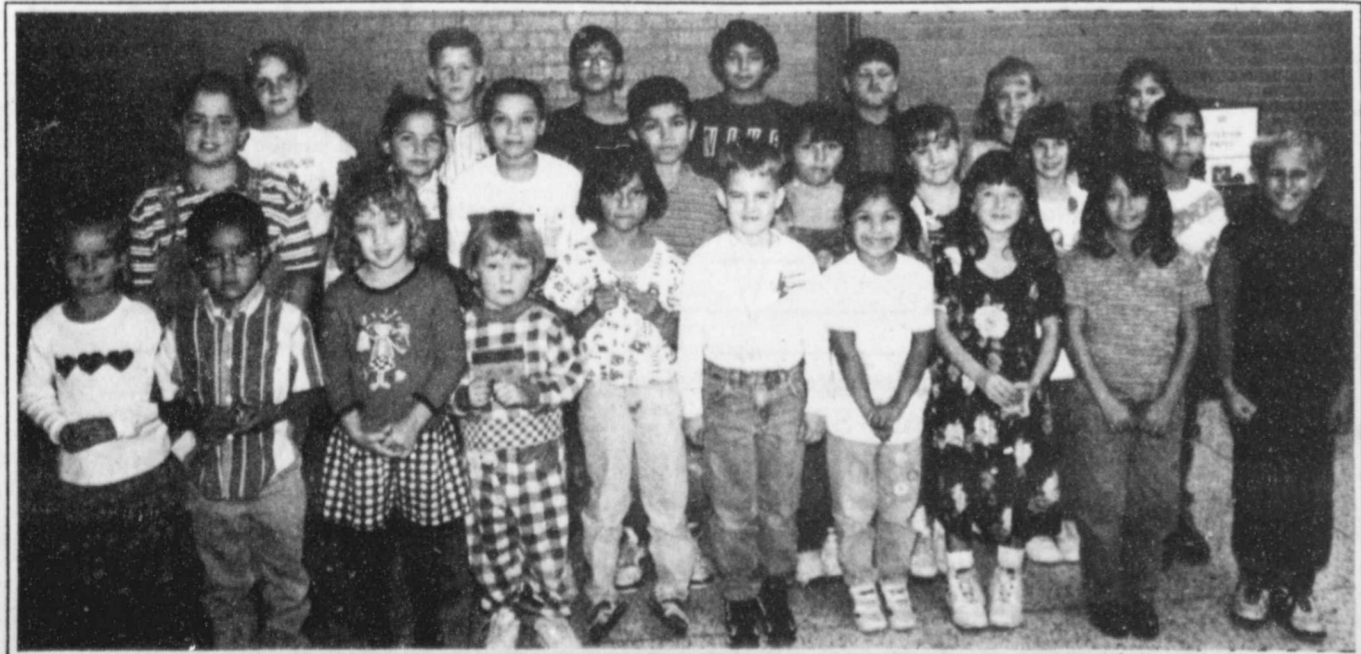
## Floydada School Menu

October 27 - 31  
**MONDAY:**  
 BREAKFAST--Juice, toast, jelly, milk  
 LUNCH--Chicken patty, green beans, mashed potatoes, peaches, hot roll, milk  
**TUESDAY:**  
 BREAKFAST--Juice, cinnamon

toast, milk  
 LUNCH--Pizza, corn, tossed salad, pears, milk  
**WEDNESDAY:**  
 BREAKFAST--Juice, rice cereal, toast milk  
 LUNCH--Chicken spaghetti, English peas, carrots, cookie, hot roll, milk  
**THURSDAY:**  
 BREAKFAST--Juice, Pancakes, syrup, milk  
 LUNCH--Beef/cheese chalupas, pinto beans, tossed salad, jello with fruit, cornbread, milk  
**FRIDAY:**  
 BREAKFAST--Juice, dry cereal, graham crackers, milk  
 LUNCH--Bar-b-que on bun, French fries, tossed salad, chocolate pudding, milk

**PLEASE DON'T**

**DRINK and DRIVE!**



**LITTLE LONGHORNS NAMED**-- Chosen as Little Longhorns for the week of October 20-24 at Lockney Elementary School are (l-r, back row) Jana Miller, Mark Ford, Frankie Mendez, Denice Muniz, Wade Lopez, Leah Ford, Joanie Reecer; (l-r, back row) Lance Terrell, Tabetha Belyeu, Yvette Gonzales, An-

gel Valles, Yvonne Martinez, Senee' Foster, Audrey Collins, Greg Gonzales; (l-r, front row) Lezlie Jackson, Adam Contreras, Bethany Wilson, Logan Hanna, Dora Bueno, Patrick Doucette, Marissa Solis, Danetta McCullough, Andrea Guerrero, and Ryker Cabler. **Staff Photo**

## Lockney slates Drug Free Week at Elementary

**OCTOBER 27-OCTOBER 31 MONDAY:**  
 I'd walk a mile, To see you smile, Choose to be DRUG FREE. (First thing Monday morning we will walk a mile around town. Parents and community are invited to walk with us.)  
**TUESDAY:** Sock it to Drugs--SAY NO! (Wear crazy or mismatched socks)  
**WEDNESDAY:** Hats off to everyone who is DRUG FREE!  
 Put a lid on drugs! (Wear a hat)  
**THURSDAY:** Balloon launch - 3:00 Tie up a safe future--Stay DRUG FREE! (Wear a tie)  
**FRIDAY:** Drugs are Scary--KEEP AWAY! (Costume dress-up day)  
**ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES:**  
 1. Bumper stickers designed by 5th grade  
 2. Posters by 3rd and 4th grade  
 3. 2nd grade will decorate sacks for grocery store

**The community is invited to participate!**



**JUDGE SIGNS RED RIBBON WEEK PROCLAMATION**--Floydada 4-H members, Britnee Brotherton, Meghan Graham, Skyler Cornelius and Molly Long surround Judge Bill Hardin as he signs the proclamation for Red Ribbon Week. **Staff Photo**

## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, The County of Floyd is proud to honor the Red Ribbon Campaign which was proclaimed by the Congress of the United States in 1988.  
**WHEREAS**, The Texas Red Ribbon Campaign is a nine-day event, designed to increase awareness about drug abuse and prevention. The Campaign will encourage healthy, drug-free and violence-free lifestyles for all 365 days of the year.  
**WHEREAS**, During Red Ribbon Week it impacts more than 80 million people, in particular America's young students. During Red Ribbon Week, students, teachers and administrators wear Red Ribbons to pledge to say "NO" to drugs and "YES" to a healthy lifestyle.  
**WHEREAS**, The Campaign undoubtedly could not have achieved the success that it has today were it not for the concerned parents in Illinois and Virginia that wanted to do something about the destruction and killing caused by alcohol and other drugs.  
**WHEREAS**, From 1988 through 1996 the Texas Red Ribbon Campaign was sponsored by Texans' War on Drugs. The Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse (TCADA) is committed to continuing the Red Ribbon Campaign.  
**RESOLVED**, That the County of Floyd, hereby designates October 23-31 as Red Ribbon Week and commend parents and the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse who are committed to ensuring the continuance of the Texas Red Ribbon Campaign.  
 Judge William D. Hardin  
 This 17th Day of October 1997

## Lockney Band Boosters set November 13 fund raising auction

By Carol Huggins  
 LOCKNEY--Lockney Band Boosters are working in earnest to get ready for the auction to be held November 13 in the Lockney Elementary School Cafeteria. This auction is to raise money for the band to go to Washington D.C. in the summer of 1998. This will be an educational trip as well as a fun one for the band kids. They will give a concert at the White House and visit many historical places.

Band members will soon be asking for donations--nothing is too big or too small. Anyone who has something they would like to donate, even if you don't have a child in band, is asked to call Vicky Schaeffer (652-3795); Carol Huggins (652-3115) or Kay Martin (652-3594). We will be glad to pick up your item, or you may bring it to one of us. All donations will be greatly appreciated. This will be a community wide auction and everyone is invited.



**4-H GROUP PREPARES NUTRITIOUS SNACKS**--These members of the Floydada 4-H Food and Nutrition Project prepared nutritious snacks for the Punkin Day Committee Meeting last Monday night, during National 4-H Week. Pictured are (L-R) Katie Beth Crossland, Maria Reeves, Food and Nutrition Leader Dana Crossland, Kay Brotherton, Britnee Brotherton, and Stacy Reeves. Not pictured are: Jesalyn Bradley, Kelsey Brotherton and Lindsey Nutt, Jr. Leader. **Courtesy Photo**

## LOCKNEY SCHOOL MENU

**October 27-October 31**  
**Monday:**  
 Breakfast - Rice, toast, cereal, juice, milk  
 Lunch - Baked chicken/corndog, mashed potatoes w/gravy, salad, hot rolls, milk, cherry cobbler  
**Tuesday:**  
 Breakfast - Pancakes, ham, cereal, juice, milk  
 Lunch - Corn chip pie/grilled cheese sandwich, salad, peaches, cookie, milk

**Wednesday:**  
 Breakfast - Muffin, cereal, graham crackers, juice, milk  
 Lunch - Beef stew/burrito, crackers, fruit, salad, cornbread, milk  
**Thursday:**  
 Breakfast - Eggs, toast w/jelly, cereal, juice, milk  
 Lunch - Steak fingers/ham & cheese on a bun, mashed potatoes w/gravy, green peas, fruit, milk, hot rolls  
**Friday:**  
 Breakfast - Cinnamon roll, sausage, cereal, juice, milk  
 Lunch - Taco burger/peanut butter-jelly sandwich, french fries, pears, carrot sticks, milk, cookies

**Have a good week!**

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# Floyd County Farm News

## Texas Farmers Union says meat safety concerns prove need for market reform

The Hudson Beef scare proves the need for serious and immediate market reforms, a coalition of livestock industry leaders said today.

"American livestock producers dedicated to providing consumers with the best products available are extremely frustrated by the events surrounding the Hudson Beef situation," said Mike Callicrate, a Kansas feed-yard owner and chairman of the Market Reform Coalition. "The current market system virtually robs consumers of the ability to select our products in the retail marketplace."

Callicrate and other industry representatives in the coalition noted that the U.S. Department of Agriculture has so far been unable to specifically locate the source of slaughter for the tainted beef processed at the Hudson facility. Meat currently sold in the United States is not required to list the country-of-origin.

Legislation now under consideration in Congress would implement country-of-origin labeling for livestock products. That legislation has received strong backing from the industry leaders involved in the Market Reform Coalition.

Wes Sims, president of the Texas Farmers Union and member of the coalition steering committee, noted, "Consumers deserve the right to choose between domestically-produced beef and imported products."

The coalition strongly criticized the recent acquisition of Hudson Beef by IBP, Inc. IBP already controls 38 percent of the nation's beef slaughter.

More recently, E. Coli was identified on meat processed by IBP and shipped to South Korea. The market for live cattle dropped sharply in the aftermath of that announcement.

"American ranchers and consumers continue to be victimized by the impact of the recent E. Coli scare, while the processing companies responsible

for the problem continue to gain further concentration in the market," said Sims. "This clearly illustrates the worst aspect of corporate concentration. It's got to stop."

Roughly 50 livestock industry representatives meeting in Jackson, MS organized the Market Reform Coalition in early July. The "Jackson Principles" adopted by the coalition include:

\*Free, open, competitive markets with price disclosure that reflects true market value; and

\*commitment to delivering high quality, safe, healthy products to consumers.

Members of the Market Reform Coalition Steering Committee are Mike Callicrate, chairman, Kansas, Cattlemen's Legal Fund; Wes Sims, Texas, Texas Farmers Union; Dave Carter, Colorado, National Farmers Union; Jim Newsome, Mississippi, National Cattlemen's Beef Association; Skip Waters, Wyoming, Western Organization of Resource Councils; Jerry Petik, South Dakota, South Dakota Farmers Union; David Miller, Illinois, American Farm Bureau Federation; Skinner Hardy, Oregon, Livestock Marketing Association; Fred Stokes, Mississippi, Mississippi Cattlemen's Association; and Dudley Butler, Mississippi, attorney.

From Texas Farmers Union Newsletter

A Glance At The MARKETS	
Closing Commodity Prices:	
COTTON . . . . . Dec . . . . .	72.35
WHEAT . . . . . Oct . . . . .	3.22
MILO . . . . . Oct . . . . .	4.46
CORN . . . . . Oct . . . . .	5.17
SOYBEANS . . . . . Oct . . . . .	6.00

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**LOCKNEY FIRST BALE**—D&J Gin announced the first bale of cotton ginned in the Lockney Area. Keith and Barry Stansell brought in the cotton on Wednesday afternoon. When ginned the bale weighed 526 pounds, turnout was 26.6 and the cotton variety was Paymaster 280. The cotton was stripped by Van Bradley, Jimmy Bradley, and Buck Ford, South of Lockney

in the Sandhill Community. Probasco Flying Service applied Cyclone to prepare the cotton for harvest. Shown with the bale are (l-r, David Foster, Robin Satterwhite, president of the Lockney Chamber of Commerce; Barry Stansell and Keith Stansell. The bale will be handled by the Hale County Compress.

Staff Photo

## Cotton News

### COTTON SAMPLES QUALITY GOOD

By Roger Haldenby

Early samples moving through the USDA Lubbock Classing Office are reflecting high quality and good color grades according to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

However, Wendell Wilbanks, Lubbock Area Director, USDA Cotton Division, has concern over the lower-than-normal leaf grades he is seeing. "In the first 100,000 or so bales classed this season, we are getting a lot of 5 and 6 leaf grades that otherwise is high quality and good color," said Wilbanks.

A leaf grade of 6 can decrease the value or sale price of that cotton by as much as 900 points, or 9 cents a pound, in the pricing system.

Wilbanks commented he expects associated with plant regrowth that will discontinue after a frost or freeze finally terminates the crop.

Wilbanks expressed greater concern that 30 percent of the crop classed so far can be described as "Light Spot." This is considerably higher than in past years," commented Wilbanks. "Much of it is green from the regrowth leaf grades to improve overall after area cotton is exposed to a freeze. He considers some of the problem to be now, but I am afraid we may see an increasing color and staining problem as more cotton gets classed that has been exposed to boll weevil damage."

Wilbanks has been Area Director at the Lubbock Classing Office since 1986 and has been classing cotton since 1962.

### EPA DISALLOWS USE OF FURADAN ON COTTON

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has disapproved the Section 24(c) special local need registration that allowed Texas cotton producers to use flowable carbofuran (Furadan 4F insecticide) on cotton to control aphids. Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry issued a Section 24(c) on August 15th when cotton farmers were facing potential losses of \$40 million because of the devastating aphid problems across much of Texas' cotton growing region. EPA notified TDA October 16th in its five-page disapproval letter stating the action of TDA in issuing a SLN registration was invalid and "procedurally defective in its issuance." The letter contained a strong warning to the Department that EPA may find it necessary to suspend Texas' authority to issue 24 (c) registrations in its entirety if the state should pursue a similar course in the future.

Producers can no longer legally use Furadan 4F insecticide on cotton to control aphids. However, the pesticide may still be used according to the EPA approved label.

### PCG MOVES INTO INTERNET

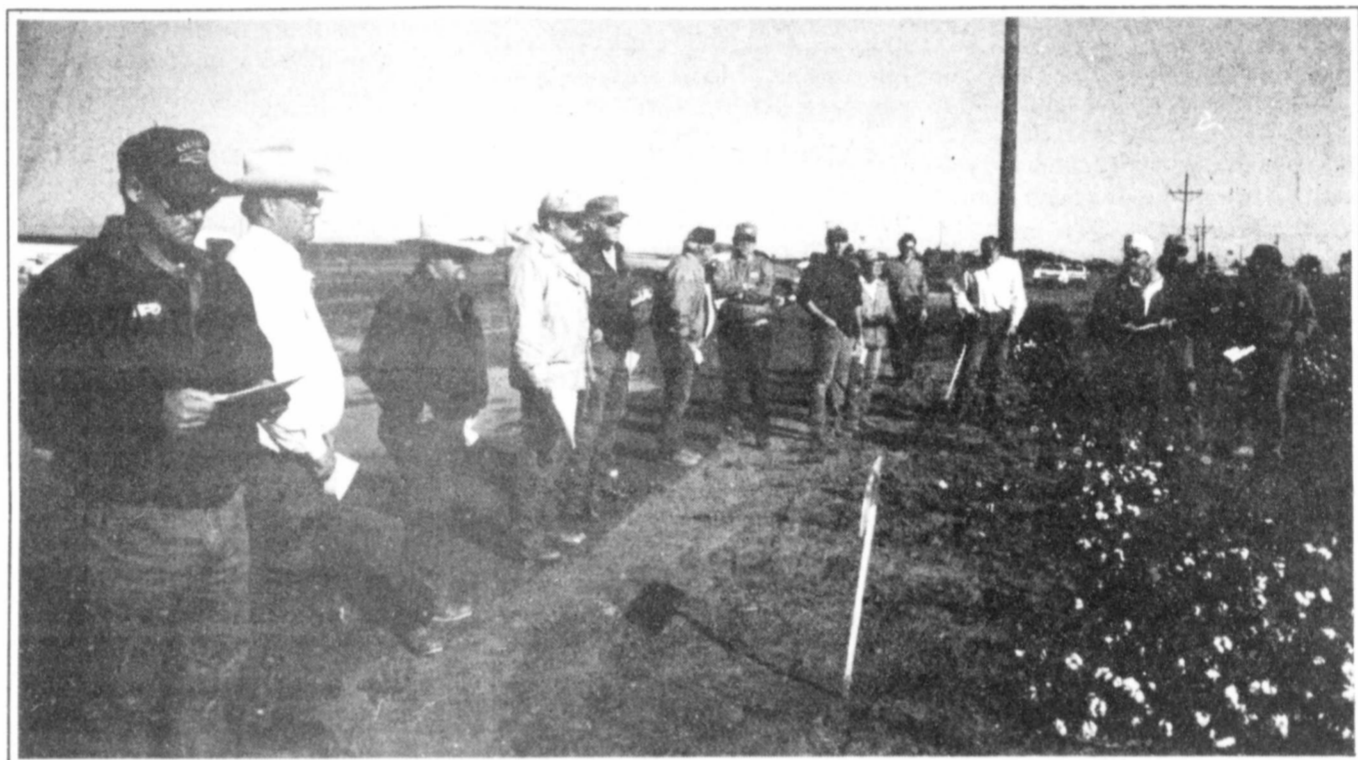
Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. makes a move into cyberspace as it unveils its Internet World Wide Web site.

The newly revised site features "Cotton Country Navigator" as well as areas dealing with the organization itself, cotton improvement and the boll weevil. Through "Cotton Country Navigator," a producer can surf the web but with focus on sites most likely to be of interest.

Sites have been grouped into broad categories including precision agriculture, weather, news, markets, worker protection standards and pesticides. To access the services, a user will need a computer, a modem, appropriate software programs and access to the Internet.

The Plains Cotton Growers' site is hosted by The Door, a Lubbock-based Internet service provider. Unlimited Internet access through The Door is only \$15 per month with a local call to Lubbock.

The World Wide Web address for Plains Cotton Growers and its "Cotton Country Navigator" is <http://www.plainscotton.org>. For information or advice on the site or how to obtain Internet access, call PCG at 806/792-4904.



**FIELD DAY PROGRAM**—A field day was held at the demonstration plots on the Louis Pyle Farm south of Floydada, Wednesday, October 15. Farmers gathered

to hear results of the tests from J.D. Ragland, Floyd County Extension Agent and Ron Graves, Extension Agent Entomology, Crosby County. Staff Photo



### Legislative issues remain focus

By Shawn Wade

Legislative and regulatory issues continue to remain the focus of Plains Cotton Growers officials as harvesting activity picks up across the area.

Progress is being made toward final implementation of proposed changes to the Step 2 and 3 provisions of the current cotton program. The Agriculture Appropriations Bill containing the changes was sent to President Clinton for review and approval.

Details of the proposed changes include cutting off issuance of Step 2 certificates when the Adjusted World Price exceeds 134% of the Loan and allowing issuance of Step 2 certificates when a Step 3 import quota is in effect. The window on open import quotas is closing rapidly and no new imports have been reported under these quotas during the month of September.

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# Obituaries

**MAMIE DURHAM**  
Services for Mamie Durham, 90, of Lubbock were held at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, October 22, 1997 in the Franklin-Bartley Chapel. Rev. Jackie Stone, pastor of Muleshoe's First Assembly of God Church, officiated. Private interment will follow.

Mrs. Durham died Sunday, October 19, 1997, in Methodist Hospital. She was born July 4, 1907 in Bradley, Oklahoma. She had been a Lubbock resident since 1993 moving here from Plainview.

She was a housewife. She was a member of the Assembly of God Church and had taught a Sunday School class for three year olds.

She was married to Leroy Durham on July 20, 1934 in Lockney. He preceded her in death on April 28, 1980. She was also preceded in death by a grandson, Brent Wofford in 1963.

Survivors include her daughter, Anita Wofford of Lubbock; three brothers, Bill Starkey of Oklahoma, Raymond Starkey of Sacramento, California, and Lee Starkey of Arcadia, California; one sister, Nola Myrick of Friona; three grandsons, Breck Wofford of Sandhill, Bart Wofford and Blake Wofford, both of Lubbock; and three great-grandchildren.

**HARMON HANDLEY**  
Funeral services will be held for Harmon Handley, 87, of Lockney, at 10:00 a.m., Friday, October 24, 1997 at the First Baptist Church of Lockney.

Rev. Harold Abney, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lockney, will be officiating. Rev. Gene Hawkins, interim pastor of the First Baptist Church of Floydada will be assisting. Burial will be in the Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Lockney.

Mr. Handley died Monday, October 21, 1997 at the English Village Manor in Altus, Oklahoma. Mr. Handley was born on September 5, 1910 in Lockhart. He moved to Floyd County from South Texas in 1925. He married Ann Lou Kelley on May 29, 1931 in Clovis, New Mexico. She preceded him in death on June 9, 1996.

Mr. Handley was a member of the Lockney Masonic Lodge #867, the

Lions Club, Lockney Senior Citizens and the First Baptist Church of Lockney.

He is survived by one daughter, Elizabeth Litsch of Altus, Oklahoma; one son, Gene Handley of East Wanatchee, Washington; one sister, Reva McNeill of Amarillo; one brother, Owen Handley of Greenwood; six grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

The family suggests that memorials be made to the First Baptist Church of Lockney Building Fund, % First Baptist Church, 401 S. Main, Lockney, Texas 79241 or to the Alzheimer's Association, % TTUHSU Dept. of Neuropsychiatry/Alzheimer's Association, Attention Patty Elkins, 3601 Fourth Street, Lubbock, Texas 79430 or to any charity of your choice.

**F.M. "TED" MARQUIS**  
Services for F.M. "Ted" Marquis, 85, of Floydada were held at 3:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 21, 1997 at the Bible Baptist Church. Rev. Darwin Robinson, pastor of the Bible Baptist Church officiated and Rev. Henry Russell, pastor of the Trinity Church assisted.

Burial was in the Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

He died on Sunday, October 19, 1997 at the Lubbock Hospitality House.

He was born on July 5, 1912 in Wheeler County.

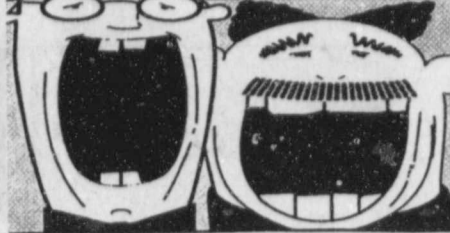
He attended Matador Schools. He married Mary Jane Briggs on March 4, 1935 in Matador. The Marquis's moved to Floydada in 1942 from Matador. She preceded him in death on February 4, 1971.

He was a mechanic and retired as owner of M & N Auto Repair. He was a member of the Bible Baptist Church of Floydada and the Odd Fellows.

Survivors include two sons, Billy Forrest Marquis and James Franklin Marquis, both of Floydada; one daughter, Jaynette Harrison of Floydada; one brother, J.W. "Bill" Marquis of Topeka, Kansas; 7 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild.

The family request memorials to Senior Citizens Center, P.O. Box 573, Floydada, Texas 79235.

## This Week's Announcements



**PUNKIN DAYS**  
All local crafters: Call Chamber of Commerce office at 983-3434 to reserve your spot for Punkin Days Arts and Crafts Show October 25th. \$35 - Arts and Crafts booths \$40 - Food vender booths

**PUNKIN DAY 5K RUN**  
Register by October 18 for the 5K or Fun Run race to receive your correct size T-shirt. Anyone registering after the 18th may not get their correct size. The cost for the race is \$15.00.

**HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL**  
The 1990 Study Club is sponsoring a halloween carnival, immediately following Trunk-or-Treat, at the Massie Activity Center on October 25th. There will be a spookhouse and games for all ages!

**BOOK SALE**  
Floyd County Friends of the Library are seeking donations of books for the annual Punkin Day Book Sale. Books may be taken to Lowe's Pay-N-Save in Floydada or call 983-3126 for pickup.

**PUNKIN'DAY EXHIBIT**  
The First National Bank in Floydada lobby will be open Saturday, October 25, from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon for viewing of local artist Jo Goen's paintings. The artist will be present.

**CANS FOR BAND**  
A cotton trailer has been placed by the Lockney tennis courts, behind the school, to collect cans to benefit the Lockney Band.

**HOSPICE HANDS**  
The Hospice Hands of West Texas is giving away a Sony FM/AM-CD player stereo with remote control and 5-band graphic equalizer. The drawing will be held October 31st. Donations are \$1.00 and the proceeds will go to the non-profit account for our indigent patients.

**FLOYDADA 4-H**  
Meeting Tuesday, October 28 at 7:00 in the Massie Activity Center. Community Service is to bring canned foods for SOS.

**WHIRLWIND BOOSTER CLUB**  
Whirlwind Booster Club meets every Monday night at 7:00 p.m. at the Floydada High School cafeteria. Come on out and help support our kids!

**LOCKNEY ATHLETIC BOOSTERS**  
The Lockney Athletic Booster Club will meet every Monday at 7:00 p.m. in the Longhorn gym. A meal will be served at 6:30 p.m. This will be a fund raiser for the cheerleaders.

**SALVATION ARMY OPEN**  
The Salvation Army in Lockney is now open and needs the help of the community. Think about bringing winter clothes and items for Christmas.

**LANDFILL HOURS**  
Beginning Wednesday, October 1, 1997, the City of Floydada Sanitary Landfill will be open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday. Beginning November 1, 1997, the landfill will begin closing on Saturdays.

**BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC**  
A free blood pressure clinic is held in the community room of the First National Bank in Floydada every Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Everyone is welcome.

**LOCKNEY ADULT CLASSES**  
Adult education classes are being offered at Lockney Elementary School beginning Monday, October 20, at 6:30 p.m. GED, ABE, ESL, and computers are available. Classes are Monday and Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. Call 652-2141 for more information.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**  
Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anons meet each Tuesday night at 8:00 p.m. Anyone wanting the loving fellowship of men and women who can share their experience, strength and hope is welcome. Meetings are at 111 North Wall, 1 block north of the courthouse. Anyone interested can call 983-3635 or 652-3546.

**BLOOD PRESSURE AND GLUCOSE TESTING**  
Free blood pressure and glucose testing is held every other Thursday from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Lockney Care Center. Everyone is welcome.

**VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER AVAILABLE**  
Veterans Service Officer Ralph Jackson is available on Wednesdays, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in Room 112 of the Floyd County Courthouse. Call 983-4933.

**BIBLE STUDY**  
The South Plains Bible Study Group is meeting the first and third Wednesday of each month at 2 p.m. For more information call 652-3102 or 983-3088.

**LOCKNEY AA**  
Open meetings of Alcoholics Anonymous, will be on Fridays, at 8 p.m., at Grace Fellowship Church, across from the hospital. If you are worried about your drinking, or someone else's, we understand, we care, and we want to help. Phone 652-3546 or 652-2280.

**DIABETES CLASSES SUPPORT GROUP**  
The third Tuesday of each month Total Home Health Care of Floydada will be offering diabetes education classes/support groups.

The next class will be Tuesday, October 21st at 7:00 p.m. at 115 E. Missouri. Classes are free and presented by Helen Teeple, BSN, RN. Bring your favorite diabetic recipe to copy and share with the class.



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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

##### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Floyd County will accept sealed bids until 10:00 a.m., November 10, 1997, for the purchase of the following:

**Precinct #2:** One new 150/180 H.P. MOTOR GRADER  
**TRADE-IN:** (1) One 1989 140-G Cat Motor Grader, SN 72V12537 (and)

**TRADE-IN or SELL:** (1) One 953 Track Loader SN 20Z00552

Straight cash buy offers will be considered.

##### INSTRUCTIONS:

Bidding Specifications and Total Cost Bid Forms are available in the County Judge's office, Floyd County Courthouse, Room 105, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday. Bid Forms provided by Floyd County must be used.

All bids should be delivered to: County Judge, Floyd County Courthouse, Room 105, Floydada, Texas 79235. Bids shall be sealed when presented and will be opened at the above time and date. Bids should be plainly marked as such.

Payment shall be made in cash. Floyd County reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids and right to waive all formalities.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT, FLOYD COUNTY, TX.  
By: William D. Hardin, County Judge

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##### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Floyd County will accept sealed bids until 10:00 a.m., November 10, 1997, for the sale of the following:

1 used 1991 Chevrolet Caprice Serial No. IGIBL53EXMW138211

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All bids should be delivered to the County Judge's office, Floyd County Courthouse, Room 105, Floydada, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday. Bids shall be sealed when presented and will be opened at the above time and date.

The used car may be seen at the Parent Adolescent Center, 111 N. Wall, Floydada.

Payment shall be made in cash. Floyd County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and right to waive all formalities.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT, FLOYD COUNTY, TX.  
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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

##### NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION ESPECIAL)

To the registered voters of the County of Floyd, Texas:  
(A los votantes registrados del condado de Floyd, Texas.)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on November 4, 1997, for voting in a special election to adopt or reject the proposed Constitutional Amendments as submitted by the 75th Legislature, Regular Session, of the State of Texas.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitadas abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el dia cuatro de noviembre 1997 para votar en la Eleccion especial para adoptar o rechazar las enmiendas propuestas constitucionales asi como fueron sometidas por la 75a Legislatura Sesion Regular, de la Estado de Texas.)

##### LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCIONES DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

S.W. Floydada #1.....Massie Activity Center  
East Lockney #5.....Lockney City Hall  
N.E. Floydada #24.....Caprock Community Action  
West Lockney #18.....First United Methodist Church  
S.E. Floydada #23.....County Courtroom, Courthouse

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at the office of the County Clerk of Floyd County in Floydada, Texas between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on the 20th day of October, 1997 and ending on the 31st day of October, 1997.

(La votacion adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en el oficio del Secretario del Condado de Floyd, Floydada, Texas entre las 8:30 de la mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el dia 20 de octubre, 1997 y terminando el dia 31 de octubre, 1997.)

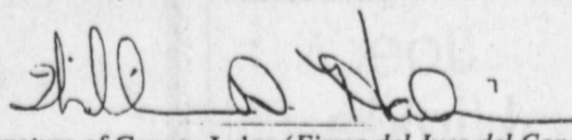
Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran adelantada por correo deberan enviarse a:)

**Margaret Collier** P.O. Box 476 Floydada, Texas 79235  
(Name of Early Voting Clerk) (Address) (City, State, Zip Code)  
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion Adelantada) (Direccion) (Ciudad, Estado, Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on:  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran adelantada por correo deberan

October 28, 1997  
date (fecha)

Issued this the 1st day of October, 1997.  
Emitada este dia 1 de octubre, 1997

  
Signature of County Judge (Firma del Juez del Condado)  
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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

##### NOTICE OF CONSOLIDATED PRECINCT (AVISO DE PRECINTO CONSOLIDADO)

Notice is hereby given to the registered voters of Precinct #16 that this precinct has been consolidated with Voting Precinct #1. Voting in the Constitutional Amendment Election will be conducted at the Massie Activity Center, 513 W. Georgia, Floydada, Texas for voters residing in Voting Precinct #16.

Por lo presente se les da aviso a los votantes registrados del Precincto de Votar Numero 16 que este precincto se ha consolidado con el Precincto de Votar Numero 1. La votacion en la eleccion especial de las enmiendas propuestas constitucional se manejara en el Massie Centro de Actividad, 513 W. Georgia, Floydada, Texas para los votantes que residen en el Precincto de Votar Numero 16.

Notice is hereby given to the registered voters of Voting Precinct #7 that this precinct has been consolidated with Voting Precinct #18. Voting in the Constitutional Amendment Election will be conducted at the First United Methodist Church, 102 W. Poplar, Lockney, Texas for voters residing in Voting Precinct #7.

Por lo presente se les da aviso a los votantes registrados del Precincto de Votar Numero 7 que este precincto se ha consolidada con el Precincto de Votar Numero 18. La votacion en la eleccion especial de las enmiendas propuestas constitucional se maneja en el First United Methodist Church, 102 W. Poplar, Lockney, Texas para los votantes que residen en el Precincto de Votar Numero 7.


Notice is hereby given to the registered voters of Voting Precinct #20 that this precinct has been consolidated with Voting Precinct #23. Voting in the Constitutional Amendment Election will be conducted at the County Courtroom, Courthouse Room 106, Floydada, Texas for voters residing in Voting Precinct #20.

Por lo presente se les da aviso a los votantes registrados del Precincto de Votar Numero 20 que este precincto se ha consolidada con el Precincto de Votar Numero 23. La votacion en la eleccion especial de las enmiendas propuestas constitucional se manejara en el County Courtroom, Courthouse Room 106, Floydada, Texas para los votantes que residen en el Precincto de Votar Numero 20.

Notice is hereby given to the registered voters of Voting Precincts #9, 11, & 17 that these precincts have been consolidated with Voting Precinct #5. Voting in the Constitutional Amendment Election will be conducted at the City Hall, 218 E. Locust, Lockney, Texas for voters residing in Voting Precincts #9, 11, & 17.

Por lo presente se les da aviso a los votantes registrados de los Precinctos de Votar Numeros 9, 11, & 17 que estos precinctos se han consolidado con el Precincto de Votar Numero 5. La votacion en la eleccion especial de las enmiendas propuestas constitucional se manejara en la City Hall, 218 E. Locust, Lockney, Texas para los votantes que residen en los Precinctos de Votar Numeros 9, 11, & 17.

Date: October 20, 1997  
Fecha: 20 Octubre, 1997

  
Signature of County Judge  
(Firma del Juez del Condado)

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## CARDS OF THANKS

With deepest gratitude, we extend this word of thanks for the many kind acts of sympathy expressed by thoughtful friends and neighbors in our recent sorrow. For the food, cards and floral offerings, we are deeply grateful. Your kindnesses have meant so much to us.

Mrs. Granvel Morris Webb  
Jimmy & Rubie Webb Wardlaw & family  
Lynda Holley & Coy  
Arlene Webb Anderson  
Randy & Debbie Webb & family  
Mr. & Mrs. Aubria Kent & family  
10-23p

We would like to express our appreciation and love for friends that were so helpful during the illness and death of our loved one, Peck Badgett. Especially grateful to our minister, Rev. Ione Sedinger.

Frances Badgett  
Mike & Phyllis Badgett  
Charles & Anna Busick  
10-23p

Our family would like to thank friends and family for your cards and visits to help celebrate Margrette's birthday. We appreciate your thoughtfulness.

Margrette Holmes  
Jerry & Janet Chapman  
Earl & Carolyn Holmes  
Elaine Wilson  
10-23p

## FOR SALE OR RENT

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**FOR RENT**--2 apartments for rent. All bills paid. Call 983-3200. 10-30p

**FOR RENT**--2 bedroom house and 3 bedroom trailer house. Call 983-5022. 10-23p

**Lockney**  
**3 BEDROOM**, 2 full baths, central heat and air. Call after 5:00. 652-2725. 10-23c

## GARAGE SALES

**Lockney**  
**SATURDAY ONLY**--Carpet, washer, dryer, double sinks, stovetop, range hood, lots of kitchen stuff and clothes. 1 1/2 miles west of Aiken, 1 1/2 miles north on County Road 27. Look for sign. 10-23c

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**CAPROCK COMMUNITY ACTION ASSOCIATION, INC.** is accepting applications for the position of center director. Applicant must have a high school diploma or equivalent. Applications may be picked up at the local CCAA Office at 701 E. Lee, Floydada. Deadline for applications is October 24, 1997 at 5:00 p.m. For further information contact Sandra Ellis at 1-800-692-4164. Pre-employment drug testing is required. Equal opportunity employers. 10-23c

**HAVE NEED FOR** working farm manager in Floydada who has good references and at least 3 years experience in row crop farming and irrigation. Call Louis Bearden after 7:00 a.m. at 806-983-2233. tfn

**DON'T BE A VICTIM**  
October is National Crime Prevention Month

## HELP WANTED

**HOSPICE HANDS OF WEST TEXAS** is seeking part-time Chaplain. Applicants must provide direct Spiritual Support, Bereavement Support, possess counseling skills, work with community churches, and possess a valid driver's license. Applications available at 103 South Main, Lockney or call 652-3000. 10-23c

**THE CITY OF LOCKNEY** is taking applications for a Police Officer. Qualifications required are: Applicant must be a certified Texas Peace Officer holding a minimum basic certificate or higher issued by T.C.L.E.O.S.E., and be able to pass a background check and interviews. The opening is for a Patrol Officer. Applicant must be willing to live in the city. Insurance, vacation, retirement and uniforms provided. Applications may be picked up at the Lockney City Hall at 218 E. Locust, in Lockney or contacting by phone at (806) 652-2355 or writing P.O. Box 387, Lockney, Texas 79241-0387. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. tfn

## HOUSES FOR SALE

**Floydada**  
**NICE TWO AND THREE** bedroom homes in all areas of town. Several new ones just listed. For all your Real Estate needs, call Sam Hale Real Estate at 983-3261. tfn

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**BY OWNER**--1228 S. Ralls Highway. 1704 sq. ft. - 2/2/2 - Call 785-7785. tfn

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## HOUSES FOR SALE

**Lockney**  
**EXTRA NICE 3 BEDROOM**, 1 bath. 2 car garage, nice fence. Large corner lot on Main street. Call Rusty Baccus Real Estate, 652-3395 or 652-3830. 10-30c

**FOR SALE BY OWNER**--Brick, 3 BR, 2 bath, 2 car garage, fireplace, close to schools, nice neighborhood. Day 652-2335--Night 652-2737. tfn

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**FOR SALE**--Sofa, microwave and two end tables. Call for appointment. 983-3486. 10-23p

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**FLOYD COUNTY CENTENNIAL EDITIONS OF THE FLOYD COUNTY HESPERIAN-BEACON**  
Are available at 111 E. Missouri, Floydada, or 116 S. Main, Lockney. \$2.00 each.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
The undersigned hereby gives notice of application to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, Austin, Texas, for a Private Club Registration Permit to be located at 405 1/2 E. Missouri, Floydada, Floyd County, Texas. Said business to be operated under the name of Steak Barn Private Club, an Unincorporated Association of Persons, dba Babe's Steak Barn, Larry Wayne Jones, President; Thomas LaVoy Waldrep, Vice-President; Robert John Arneel III, Vice-President; and Kerri Dayne Arneel, Secretary/Treasurer.  
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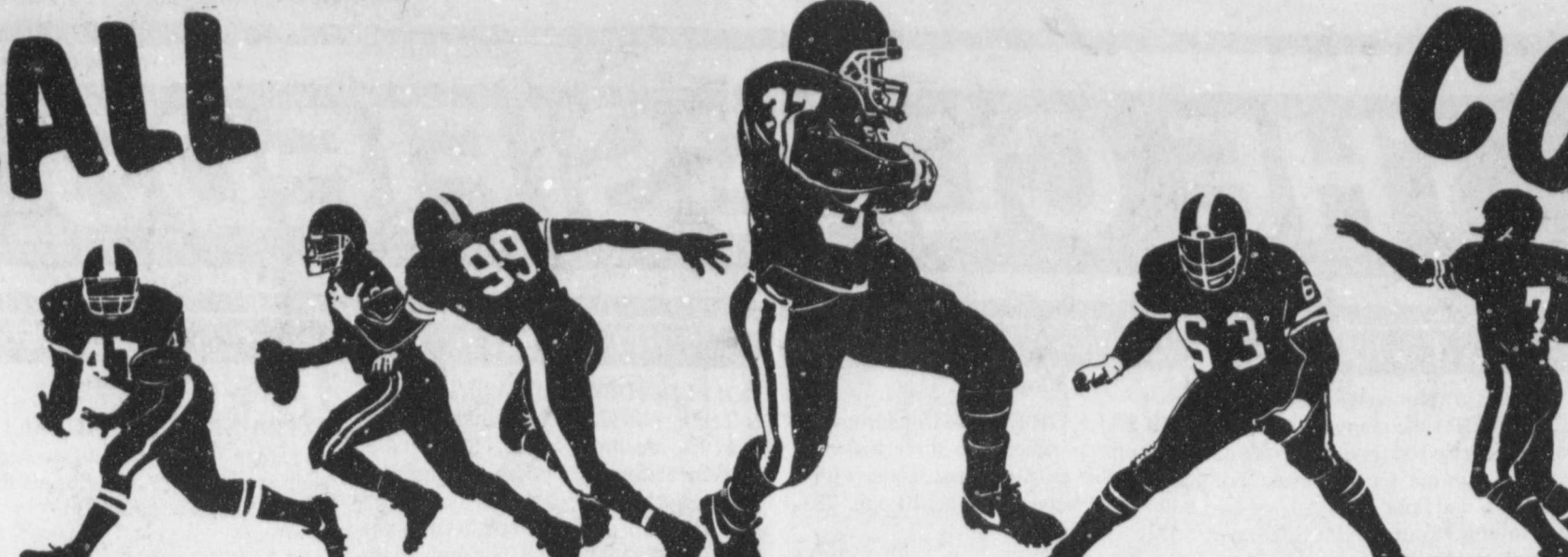
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# FOOTBALL CONTEST



## WEEKLY PRIZES ARE:

- 1ST - \$25**
- 2ND - \$15**
- 3RD - \$10**

Weekly winners will be announced in the next week's issue of the Hesperian-Beacon & prize checks will be mailed to the address on their entry form.

## Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon Football Contest Official Entry Form

Cut on the dotted line.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68		

### Tie Breakers

circle winner and write total combined score in football

**ROOSEVELT VS. FLOYDADA**

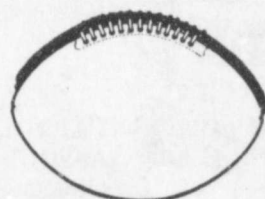


NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

**HIGHLAND PARK VS. LOCKNEY**



## Contest Rules

Any subscriber or purchaser age 7 or older is eligible to enter this contest. Only one entry per week per person.

To play, circle on the official entry form, the numbers of the teams you believe will win this week's games. To indicate a tie, circle the numbers of both teams playing the game. Also write a guess of the combined total points to be scored by the two teams listed in each of the tie-breaker footballs. Circle the team you believe will win. Circle both teams if you think the game will end in a tie.

Only entries on official entry forms brought to a Hesperian-Beacon office in Floydada or Lockney no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday. No photocopies will be accepted and no mail entries will be considered.

Three cash prizes are awarded each week. In the event of ties (the same number of correct games & equal scores on tie-breakers) prizes will be combined & shared by those tied. The tie-breaker scores will be used only in the event of a tie on the number of games correct.

Print your name & address plainly on the official entry form & double check your choices; before clipping out the entry form & depositing it at a Hesperian-Beacon office before 5:00 p.m. on Friday.

Entries are limited to one per person per week. Weekly winners are limited to one per household.

<b>South Plains Gin</b> 1. Brownfield vs. 2. Littlefield	<b>Sterley Spraying</b> 2. Denver City vs. 4. Slaton	<b>First National Bank in Lockney</b> Member FDIC 5. Seminole vs. 6. Cooper	<b>American State Bank</b> Member FDIC 7. Olton vs. 8. Hale Center	<b>Ray Lee Equipment</b> 9. Bovina vs. 10. Hart
<b>First National Bank of Floydada</b> Member FDIC 11. Tulia vs. 12. River Road	<b>West Texas National Bank</b> Member FDIC 13. Perryton vs. 14. Dalhart	<b>Floyd County Farm &amp; Ranch Supply</b> 15. Sanford-Fritch vs. 16. Muleshoe	<b>Cargill Hybrid Seed</b> 17. Friona vs. 18. Dimmitt	<b>Floydada Power &amp; Light</b> 19. Post vs. 20. Abernathy
<b>Floyd County Farm Bureau</b> 21. Idalou vs. 22. Ralls	<b>Floydada Coop Gin</b> 23. Crosbyton vs. 24. New Deal	<b>Schacht's Flowers, Jewelry &amp; Gifts</b> 25. Kress vs. 26. Farwell	<b>Lighthouse Electric</b> 27. Sudan vs. 28. Happy	<b>Payne Family Pharmacy</b> 29. Valley vs. 30. Springlake-Earth
<b>Tipton Oil &amp; Butane</b> 31. Nazareth vs. 32. Motley County	<b>Muncy Elevator</b> 33. Petersburg vs. 34. Lorenzo	<b>Lowe's Pay-n-Save Floydada</b> 35. O'Donnell vs. 36. Anton	<b>City Auto</b> 37. Smyer vs. 38. Whiteface	<b>Lowe's Pay-n-Save Lockney</b> 39. Whitharral vs. 40. Silverton
<b>Brown Implement</b> 41. Cotton Center vs. 42. Lazbuddie	<b>Lambert Spraying</b> 43. Amherst vs. 44. Three Way	<b>Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co.</b> 45. Texas A&M vs. 46. Texas Tech	<b>D &amp; J Gin</b> 47. Nebraska vs. 48. Kansas	<b>Lockney Cooperatives</b> 49. Baylor vs. 50. Iowa State
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<b>Providence Farm Supply &amp; Grain</b> 61. Cincinnati Bengals vs. 62. New York Giants	<b>Blanco Offset Printing</b> 63. Baltimore Ravens vs. 64. Washington Redskins	<b>Script Printing &amp; Office Supplies</b> 65. Chicago Bears vs. 66. Miami Dolphins	<b>Our Place Drive-In</b> 67. Minnesota Vikings vs. 68. Tampa Bay Buccaneers	