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# Friona Star

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TEN PAGES

## Volleyball camp for 3rd-8th grade

Volleyball coach Carrie Arias will conduct a volleyball camp at the high school gym July 21-22. The cost of the two-day camp is \$15.

The first session for 3rd-5th grade girls will be from 9-11 a.m. Participants can register beginning at 8:30 a.m. July 21.

The second session for 6th-8th grade girls will be held from 1-3 p.m. Registration is at 12:30 p.m. Pre-registration is not required for either session.

## Chieftain football camp July 21-23

Mike Herbert will conduct his first football camp next week as the new Chieftain athletic director and head football coach.

The three-day camp is set for July 21-23 from 9-11 a.m. The cost is \$15 and is open to boys who will be in the 3rd through 9th grade in the 2008-09 school year.

Participants can register the first day of the camp. For more information contact Coach Herbert at 250-3862.

## Hospital golf scramble July 26 at Friona CC

Parmer County Community Hospital is sponsoring a 4-person golf scramble July 26 at the Friona Country Club. Entries will be limited to the first 10 teams. Cost is \$200 per team and individuals are welcome.

Cash prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Contests will include closest to the pin and longest drive. Lunch will be provided. There is an 8:30 a.m. sign-in and start time will be at 9 a.m.

To register call Helen Carroll at 250-2754 or sign up at Friona Country Club.

## Cheerleader camp will begin July 30

The Friona High School varsity cheerleaders will be hosting Friona Cheer Camp. The camp for 4-year-olds thru 5th graders will be Wednesday July 30-Friday Aug 1 from 9-11 a.m. at the high school. Registration Wednesday morning at 9 a.m. at the front of the high school.

Friona Cheer Camp for 6th graders and the junior high cheerleaders will be Wednesday July 30 and Thursday July 31 from 6-8 p.m. at the high school. Registration at 6 p.m. Wednesday at the front of the high school.

Cost for both camps is \$25 per person. If you have questions contact Dianna Wright at 265-5563 or 250-2545.

## CHS plans crop nutrients expansion in Friona

CHS, Inc., a leading energy and grain-based foods company, has announced construction of a wholly-owned crop nutrients warehouse and terminal at the Friona grain handling location. The local CHS, Inc. manager is Jon Douglas.

The crop nutrients expansion will include a 29,000 ton fertilizer warehouse, two load-out towers for straight or blended orders, and additional rail receiving equipment to handle 110-rail car crop nutrient shipments.

"Adding crop nutrients infrastructure to the company's Friona operations allows us to maximize current assets, like the existing 7,400-foot loop track, and to further improve our distribution and supply positions," said Cheryl Schmura, vice-president of crop nutrients for CHS. "CHS Grain Marketing brings grain to west Texas to serve feedlots and dairies, and now CHS Crop Nutrients will use some of the same assets to position fertilizer imports from its deep-water port

in Galveston, Texas, to serve west Texas customers." She says pairing company operations, logistics, transportation, and personnel provide numerous customer advantages.

"Customers throughout Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Colorado, and parts of southern Kansas will benefit from the additional product sourcing options, improved delivery times, fertilizer blending capabilities, and having quality product on demand," said Jay Stidham, Crop Nutrients southwest regional sales manager for CHS. He also said there will be storage available for wholesale customers with limited storage at their own facilities. Products handled by the new facility will include urea, phosphate, ammonium sulfate, and potash.

Construction of the crop nutrients facility is expected to begin following the required permitting process. Plans call for the plant to be completed by late spring 2009.



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Friona Police Lt. Andy Stormes fingerprints one of the children present during the PCCH Health and Safety Fair Saturday. Local law enforcement officials provided fingerprint and DNA ID kits of children for parents to keep on file in the event of future emergencies.

## Cheeseburger cook-off has 17 teams

The 3rd annual Cheeseburger Festival & Cook-Off will take place Saturday, July 19, in the Cheeseburger Capital of Texas, Friona's city park.

In addition to the 17 cheeseburger cook-off teams, there will be music, entertainment by TEXAS cast members, baked goods, roasted corn, shaved ice, homemade ice cream, pineapple drinks, fruit, inflatable games for the kids, rock climbing wall, pottery, wood art, jewelry, candles, shoe shines, and engraved tags.

For the first time, this year there will be a car show. Coordinator Dean Eichenauer predicted last week there could be 20 or more classic cars on display. The car show is officially at 11 a.m. Prizes will be awarded for Participant Choice, Chamber Choice, People's Choice.

The Noon Lions Club will again be cooking the french fries to go along with the cheeseburger tasting. Chamber executive vice-president Chris

Alexander said cook-off teams will be provided more meat this year since most ran out of cheeseburgers last year. Cargill-Friona is providing the 100% pure beef for each cook-off team.

Cost to sample the cheeseburgers and fries is \$6. Each \$6 ticket includes a "bracelet" with tear-off tabs. One tab is for fries and the four tabs are good for one-fourth of a cheeseburger allowing you to sample four different cheese-

burger cook-off entries. The Chamber will also sell soft drinks or water for \$1.

Cheeseburger judging begins at 11 a.m. Each team will be given a time to bring their official cheeseburger entry to the judges. Public sale of cheeseburgers will begin at 12 p.m. The Chamber has arranged for tables and chairs from the community center to be available in the park.

At press time the following teams were entered in the

cheeseburger cook-off: Friona State Bank, High Ground of Texas, Underwood Law Firm, Atmos, Xcel Energy, Cheeseburgers in Paradise, Clovis VFW, Tasty Cream, Southwest Cheese of Clovis, Wal-Mart Hereford, J.D. Heiskell & Co., First National Bank Friona Banking Center, Hereford Cattlewomen, Cargill Friona, Oller Engineering Lubbock, First Baptist Young Adults Friona, and Lynn Quirk Hereford.

## Summer drama workshop presentations Saturday at the high school auditorium

Workshop director Allison Johnston says, "The productions for this year's Summer Drama Workshop will be an event you do not want to miss." The three shows will be Saturday, July 19, beginning at 5:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Tickets are adults \$3 and students and senior citizens \$2.

The first show will be the elementary students presenting "Kokonut Island", directed by Allison Johnston and assisted by Elisa Crum. The setting is Kokonut Island off the coast of Florida.

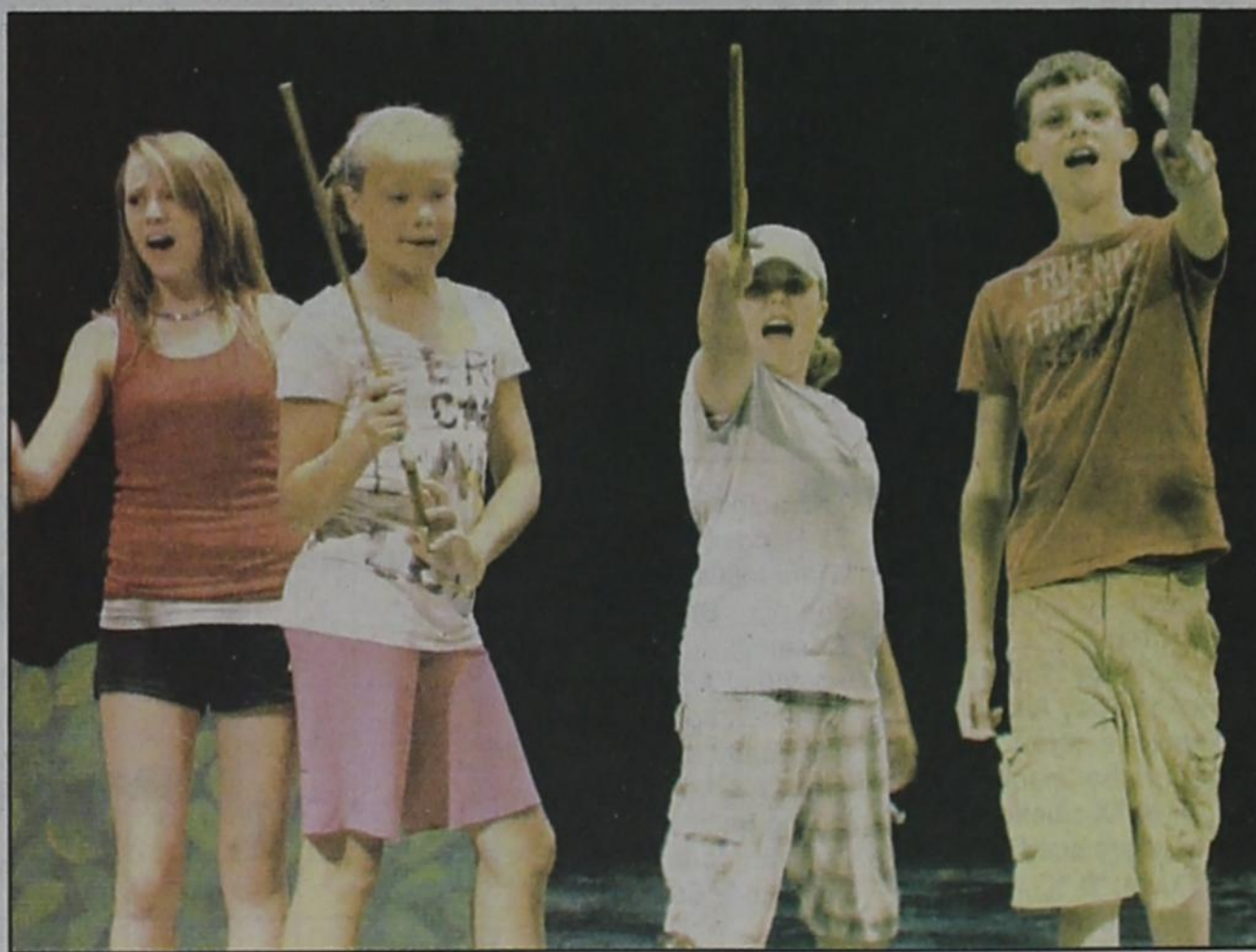
Junior high students will present the second show, "Once Upon a Clothesline", directed by Erica Montana. The show is set in Joy Morton's backyard at a time when she was off to see the wizard!

Rounding out the evening of theater is the high school production, "Pecos Bill and Slue-Foot Sue Meet the Dirty Dan Gang", directed by Joy

Morton, assisted by Kyla Graham. The setting is Prairie Dog in the Arizona Territory where the good are good and the bad are awful. The time is: a day.

The cast and crew of the elementary show in order of appearance are: Hollee Ratliff, Drew Montana, Joseph Smith, Allison Bonds, John David Haile, Kayla Alexander, Madeline Graham, Sunny Bowden, Caleb Crum, Brooklyne Johnston, Lydia Alexander, Matthew Scott, Noah Scott, Brenner Griffin, Brantley Griffin, Holly Clark, Mary Kate Ratliff, Katelyn Monroe, Sidney Frye, Hadley White, Claudia Alexander, Drew Bonds, Bryce Bunker, Samuel Frye, Aspen Fleming.

Callie Crum, Johnna Thompson, Courtney Bunker, Riley Russell, Cuyler Crum, Cason Drake, Daniel Smith, Carly Drake, Mia Bonds, Charlotte Goddard, Lindsay Monroe, Kylee Sifuentes, Casey



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The junior high summer drama workshop production is "Once Upon A Clothesline."

Bowden, Adaline White, and Rickie Castillo.

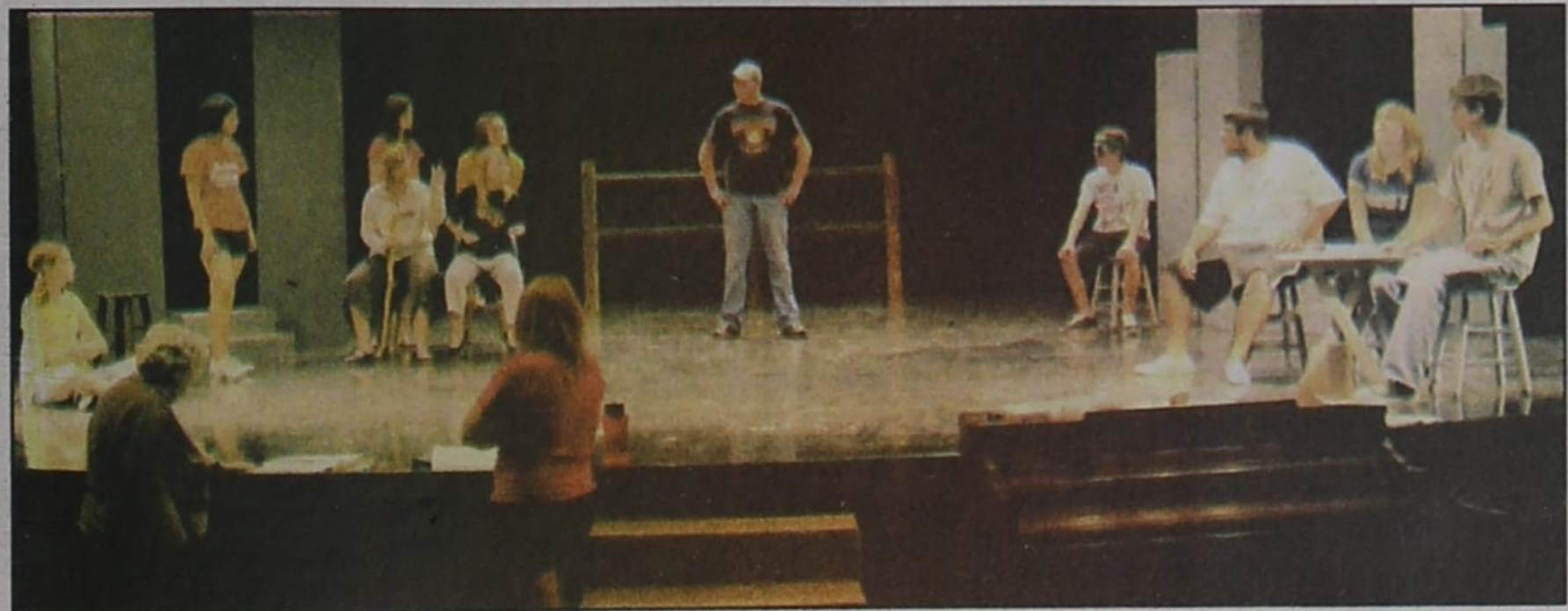
Stage manager is Alex Gurley, lights and sound by Hollis Gurley and Deirdre Johnston. Crew members are Kaki Stadler, Tenna Montana, Kallie Ratliff, Aaron Hand, Brooks Lyford, Kenzie Malone, Galen Clark, Matthew Ratliff, J Gurley, Abby Jones, Emma Bowden, Holly Johnston, and Terri Reed.

The cast of the junior high production includes Holly Johnston, Emma Bowden, Katie Osborn, Matthew Ratliff, Kallie Ratliff, Tenna Montana, Sawyer Osborn, Kammi Birdsong, Tarah Read, Jessie Jamerson, Mandie Smith, Daja Smith, Amber Roberson, Galen Clark, Cotton Fleming, and Terri Redd.

Crew members are assistant Kyla Graham, stage manager Brooks Lyford, lights J Gurley, sound Abby Jones, props Jake Malone, and stage crew members comprised of the high school cast members.

For the high school production the cast members include Deirdre Johnston, Kaki Stadler, Tenna Montana, Kammi Birdsong, Kallie Ratliff, Tarah Read, Alex Gurley, Aaron Hand, Brooks Lyford, Kenzie Malone, Cotton Fleming, Kathleen Wyly, Galen Clark, Matthew Ratliff, and Amber Roberson.

Stage manager is Hollis Gurley. Lights and sound are J Gurley and Abby Jones. Costumes by Gay Taylor.

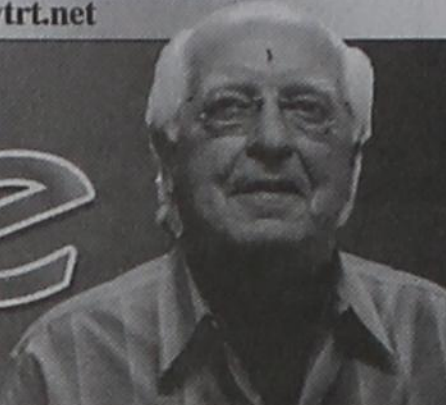


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Joy Morton returns to the summer drama workshop scene as director of the high school presentation, "Pecos Bill and Slue-Foot Sue Meet the Dirty Dan Gang."

# Out Here

By Ron Carr



## we can't drill our way out

In order to get themselves off the hook for screwing up America, politicians like to say "We can't drill our way out of the situation."

I'm sure that makes you feel better while you are pumping your life savings into the old gas tank. It is their lack of foresight, and the tree hugger environmentalists, that have "non-drilled" us into the current problem.

If the caribou lovers and coral reef protectors had started drilling ten years ago perhaps we would not be so stressed today.

Our current Congress is said to have the lowest approval rating of any Congress in history. Depending on who you listen to, if we start drilling offshore or in the Arctic today it will be either 5-years or 10-years before we start producing gasoline. So what. Get started. If no drilling starts no gas will be produced.

We hear a lot about alternate energy. Folks are trying to figure out how to refine corn, switch grass, or used cooking oil into fuel for our vehicles. Corn used for blending ethanol is already on the decline. Bio-diesel is not uniformly available across the nation.

Let's face it. Gasoline is going to be the fuel of choice

for all of us, at least during my lifetime. It sounds good to say you can take table scraps and run your pickups and tractors but that is just so much talk. Prove me wrong and I'll apologize.

Nuclear energy and clean-coal power could save untold barrels of oil. Why aren't politicians getting their rears in gear and supporting these alternatives? 'Cause the American people haven't put enough pressure on them yet.

Folks in the Panhandle recognize the Phillips name, as in Phillips Petroleum Company. A cousin of mine who lives in Midlothian sent an email of some facts written by Bill Phillips, a descendent of the Frank Phillips family. Bill Phillips has been associated with the petroleum industry for more than 50 years.

Phillips states that the United States does not have any big oil companies. The

largest American oil company, Exxon Mobil, is only the 14th largest in the world. The largest oil companies are all owned by foreign governments or government-sponsored monopolies.

Phillips says, "With 94% of the world's oil supply locked up by foreign governments, most of which are hostile to the United States, the relatively puny American oil companies do not have access to enough crude oil to significantly affect the market and help bring prices down."

Exxon Mobil buys 90% of the crude oil it refines for the U.S. market from the big players. He says it doesn't have to be that way if it was possible for American oil companies to develop the reserves right here in America. As it is we ship endless billions of dollars to Saudi Arabia, Russia, and Venezuela to be used in propping up their economies.

The American dollar remains weak. My daughter got an excellent lesson in currency exchange during her trip to England, France, and Italy this summer. It now takes near two dollars to buy one Euro dollar. An item priced at 30 Euros was actually 60 US dollars. She learned something. Too bad our politicians haven't.

Our oil is paid for with US dollars that become more worthless on the international market everyday. Phillips says what the US government does not tell you is they receive 25% of the gross oil sales on most oil production and they do not share in any expenses to run any production wells.

If the big oil companies are making record profits, so is the federal government. With their 25% take, plus road taxes, state taxes, etc., over \$1 per gallon of gasoline goes to the government. And they want to impose a wind-fall profit tax on big oil Shame on them and shame on us for voting for them.

Granted there is no quick fix to the high cost of crude oil and gasoline. For now we are stuck with it. If you think the Congress and your elected guys and dolls are going to find a solution and lower gasoline back to \$2 a gallon, forget about it.

The only thing Congress and the president are going to be drilling is a bigger hole in your pocketbook.

## Prairie Acres board disbanded

At Monday's city council meeting the council disbanded the Prairie Acres board of directors. City manager Terri Johnson said the management company that has been hired to evaluate Prairie Acres recommended the action, claiming it is too difficult to report to both the Prairie Acres board and the city council.

The management company and Prairie Acres will now report to the city council.

Board members served Prairie Acres on a volunteer basis. The management company was hired on a six month contract to evaluate Prairie Acres' finances and operations. Board members were Mike Hanes, Dr. Felipe Jubay, Kathy Terry, Suzanne Bunker, and Mike Riethmayer.

## Mark Your Calendar

July 21-25

St. Teresa's Catholic Church Vacation Bible School. Pre-K thru 6th grade-9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

July 24-26

Top of Texas Quilt Shop Hop. For info call Malouf's Fabrics at 806-250-3575.

July 26

Parmer County Hospital Golf Tournament. Call Helen at 250-2754

July 30

Cheerleader camp at the high school. Four years thru 5th grade 9-11 a.m. 6th grade and junior high 6-8 p.m. Cost is \$25.

August 3

St. Teresa's Catholic Church Jamaica at City Park

August 4

First official day for high school football and volleyball practice

August 9

Chamber of Commerce golf tournament. 9 a.m. shotgun start-Call chamber for info

August 25

First day of school for Friona and Bovina

September 13

Mules Day Bazaar, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at the Civic Center in Muleshoe.

September 20

52nd Annual Maize Days celebration at city park. Booth set-up 8:30 a.m. All food vendors welcome. Booth cost \$20 for Chamber members, \$30 non-members. Vendor deadline 5 p.m. September 17. For more info call the Chamber at 250-3491.

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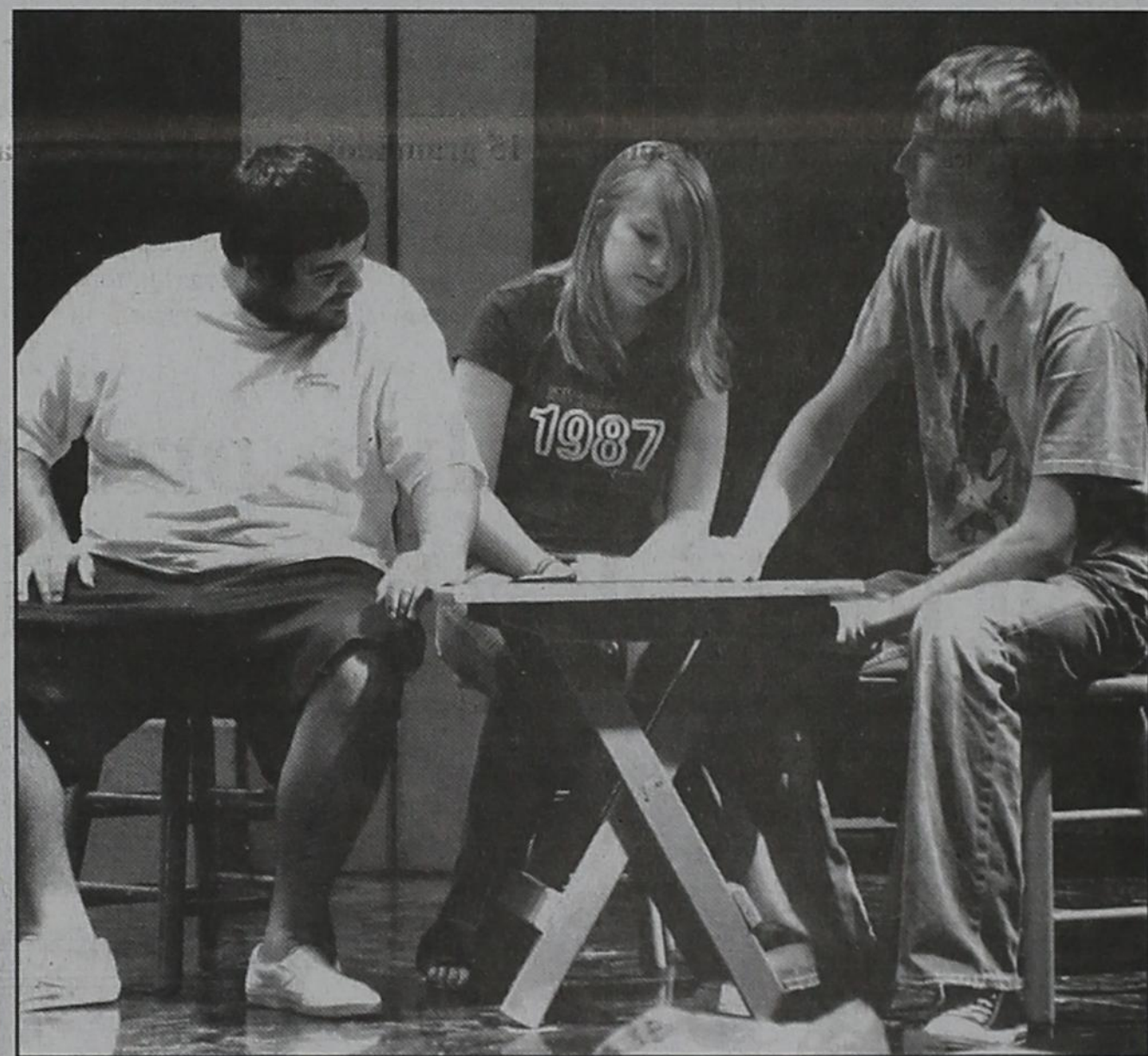
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Aaron Hand, l-r, Kenzie Malone, and Alex Gurley rehearse their parts in the high school drama workshop production of "Pecos Bill & Slue-Foot Sue Meet the Dirty Dan Gang." The annual drama workshop series presentations will begin at 5:30 p.m. Saturday July 19 at the high school auditorium with the elementary students, followed by junior high and high school. Cost is \$3 for adults and \$2 for students and senior citizens.

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Letters to the editor are always welcome. Views expressed in letters are those of the writer and do not always reflect the views or opinions of the editor or staff of the Friona Star. Submission of a letter does not guarantee publication. All letters are subject to editing for grammar, style, or length. Letters must be signed and include name, address, and phone number of sender for verification. Anonymous letters are never considered for publication.

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22 Aikman toss
23 historic Washington Co. site: Houston House
28 homemade brew: sour
29 calf meat
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31 ex-Cowboy "Tall" Jones
35 steamed rice dish
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### The Original

## TEXAS CROSSWORD

by Charley & Guy Orbison

Solution on page 4

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Crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-58 and a map of Texas in the background.

# Town Talk II

By Ron Carr, Phone-250-2211, Fax-250-5127, Email-frionastar@wrt.net

We are still receiving some nice rainfall in the area. Temperatures have not been soaring either. Our Panhandle weather has been good, even cool enough some nights for a wind-breaker. Summer is not over though. Hot weather ahead. Don't forget your mosquito prevention.

Went to the high school for some drama photos this week. A notice on the door said the high school building will be closed the week of July 21-25 for waxing and shining the halls and office. The building will re-open to the public on July 28.

Received an email this week from Juan Hernandez. He is the son of Carmella Hernandez. Juan is in the military stationed in England about 1 1/2 hours north-east of London. Last time I heard from him he was stationed in Turkey. He played in a military softball tournament in Pisa, Italy, and will take a trip to Iceland in September or October. He checks the Friona Star website weekly to keep up with local events. We are always happy to hear from Friona folks in the military around the world. Be safe Juan.

Priscilla Soto is opening her hair salon (beauty shop?) next

door to the Star office. She is announcing her opening in an ad this week. She was a stylist in Hereford before opening her own shop here in Friona. We say welcome to a new business in our town. Stop in and say hello to Priscilla.

The county commissioners officially accepted the August 15 resignation (retirement) of Precinct 2 Justice of the Peace Vi Hutto at their Monday meeting. With the recent death of Precinct 1 JP Valtan Howard, there will be two JP slots to fill in the county.

Commissioners will not appoint anyone to fill the positions. The two positions will be filled by write-in vote in the November elections. The sign-up period to get on the ballot is July 27 to August 22. Applications are available at the County Judge or County Clerk offices in Farwell. The filing fee is \$375 or candidates can file by petition and must have a minimum of 50 signatures. You can get more info at the courthouse.

Carolyn Waters is vice-president of the Hereford School Board. She recently served as a facilitator in a School Board Leadership Institute meeting in Fort Worth which drew 700 school leaders attending. Mrs. Waters is the mother of Joan Grimsley of Friona and Kenneth Waters of Bovina. Mrs. Waters' photo made the front page of a recent Hereford Brand.

Well La-Te-Da. I reported a few weeks ago that the La-Te-Da Tea Room in Muleshoe had closed. It did for a while. Now, according to the Muleshoe Journal, it has reopened but without those fancy little sandwiches local ladies were so fond of. They are no longer serving lunch. Now they are selling fudge, cakes, pies, coffee, tea, and floral arrangements. Oh well!

Another new face in town. There is a yellow sheet inserted in today's Star from Dr. Josh Partain, a Muleshoe chiropractor who has opened an office in Friona. It is located in the former Jehovah Witness Building on Highway 60 along with Friona Check Cashing. Dr. Partain is in Friona on Tuesday and Thursday but not all day. He seems like a nice young man and if you are in the market for a chiropractor give him a call.

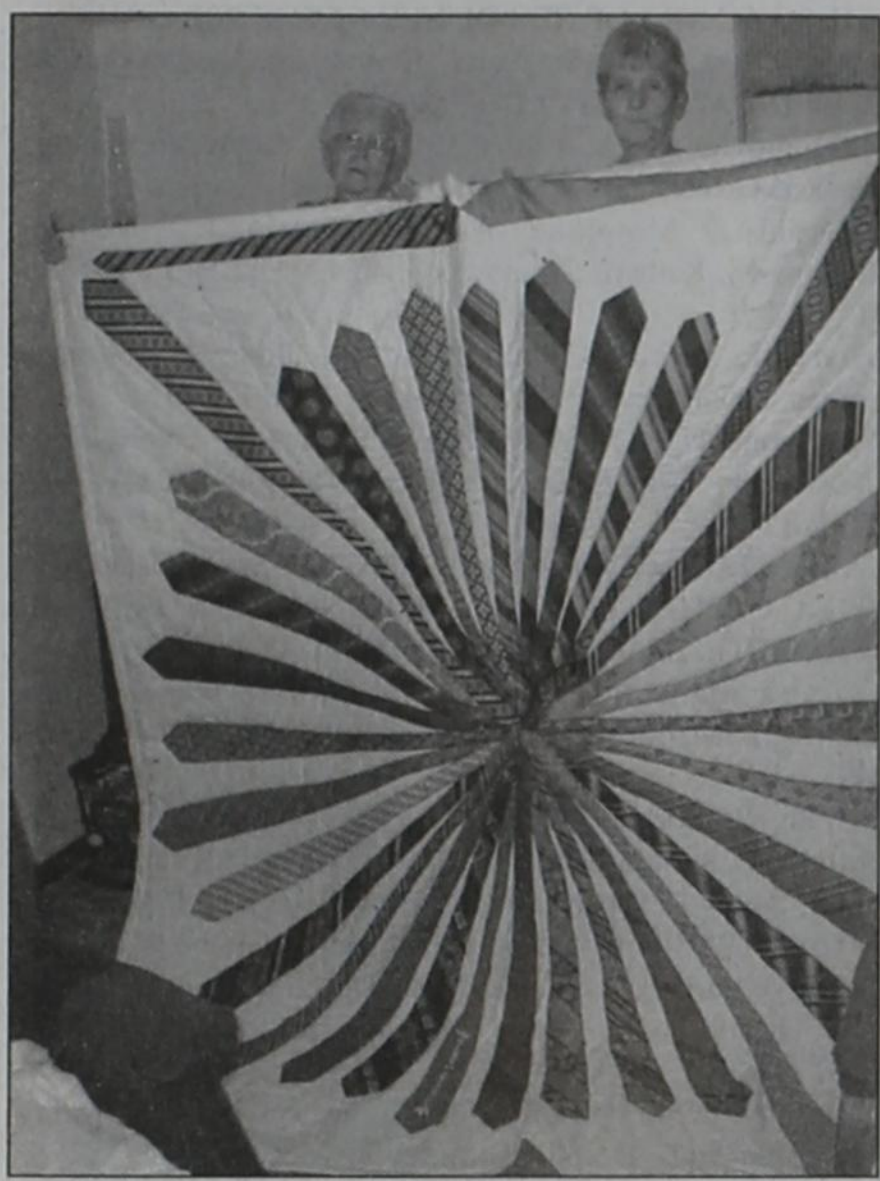
Also today's Star has a couple of wedding announcements for the Moreno brothers. The twins are marrying Cindy Trevino and Yvonne Ramos in a double ceremony Saturday July 26 at St. Teresa's. (You'll have to check out the announcements to see who is marrying who.) We fol-

lowed all four of these kids through their Friona High School years. They are very nice young folks and we wish them all the best in their marriages and their careers.

Was at the Westgate Mall in Amarillo Sunday. My daughter Megan was having some major hair work done at the WadeGordon shop. She was having her hair stripped back to its natural color, a complicated, risky, expensive process. While she was being operated on I moseyed down to the Food Court to get us a snack. Two corn dogs, water, and lemonade for \$10. A regular size corn dog for \$2.39? Those are mall prices but still indicative of how food costs are higher I don't care what the corn people say.

Darla Bracken's dad, Cass Perkins, had serious brain surgery the past few weeks. He suffered an injury in a fall which led to bleeding on his brain for which they had to operate. He is recovering now at BSA in Amarillo. Keep Darla and the family in your thoughts and prayers. Any other concerns you would like mentioned in Town Talk, let us know.

Don't forget the cheeseburger cook-off and the summer drama workshop public presentations are both on Saturday July 19. You have time to make both. The cook-off begins in the morning and the dramas begin at 5:30 p.m. We will no doubt see you there. Until then.



courtesy photo

A quilt of ties. That would be Emma Lou Stewart, left, and Margie Sanders peeking over the quilt they made of neckties. Emma said there are 34 ties appliqued on a bedsheet, then the batting and quilting added.



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Pat Martin took her family of kids and grandkids on an Alaska cruise June 22-29 on the Norwegian Pearl. There were 29 folks total, with 20 of them flying from Amarillo to Seattle where they joined with the others. That is Pat in the front row holding her only great grandson. He and his parents came from Okinawa to join the group. Pat has three daughters and two sons and 15 grandkids. Only two of the grandkids were not able to join the cruise.

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# OBITUARY

## Joe R. Cox

Graveside services for Joe R. Cox, 76, of Olton, were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, July 16, 2008, at Lazbuddie Cemetery with Ted Trieder officiating. Arrangements were by Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

Mr. Cox died July 14, 2008, in University Medical Center in Lubbock. He was born October 26, 1931 in Dimmitt to Guy Carlton and Lorena Mae (Beverly) Cox.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Bovina. He was a graduate of Lazbuddie High School and lived most of his life in the Bovina community. He was a member

of the Baptist Brotherhood and loved farming and riding his Harley-Davidson motorcycle.

Mr. Cox was a veteran of the Air Force and served during the Korean War. He was preceded in death by two sisters and two brothers.

Survivors include a son, Clint Cox and his wife Tammy of Lubbock; two daughters, Fontella Knowlton of Abilene, Kansas and Juanean Steffens and husband Howard of Plainview, Texas; a brother, Guy Carlton Cox, Jr. of Blythe, California; nine grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

## Gwendolyn Pryor

Gwendolyn Pryor, 83, of Bovina, died Saturday, July 12, 2008, in Friona. Funeral services were at 10:30 a.m. Monday, July 14, 2008, at the Bovina United Methodist Church with Rev. Larry Mitchell, pastor, and Chet Hawkins of Tulia officiating. Burial was in the Bovina Cemetery by Blackwell Funeral Home of Friona.

Mrs. Pryor was born December 4, 1924, in Quitaque, Texas, to James Vennie and Stella Everheart Purcell. She married William Chester Newbrough December 21, 1941. He died August 27, 1959. She then married Kenneth Leroy Pryor March 9, 1975. He died April 27, 1989.

She was a restaurant owner and homemaker. She was a member of the Bovina United Methodist Church and the Bovina Senior Citizens. She was also preceded in death by two children,



Gwendolyn Pryor

Lavonia Hawkins January 1, 1994; and Brenda Kay Cherry, December 25, 1995.

Survivors include a sister, Laverne Black of Bovina; four grandchildren, Chet Hawkins of Tulia, Tx, Daryl Hawkins of Clovis, NM, Mikayla Cherry and Devanee Cherry of Texico, NM; and two great grandchildren, Gunar Hawkins of Clovis and Kody Hawkins of Kansas.

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The course is approved by the State Bar of Texas for 40 participatory continuing legal education hours, including 3 hours of ethics. The registration fee is \$695 in advance and \$795 at the door. Class size is limited and early registration is recommended. Registration fee includes CLE credits, light refreshments, lunches, and program materials.

The training will be held at Mountain Annie's in Ruidoso, New Mexico, located at 2710 Sudderth Dr., from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday thru Thursday and 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday.

For more information or to register call toll free 866-329-3522.

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

July 20 - July 26, 2008

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**July 21-** Lisa McLellan, Mark Bavousett, Gaines Butman, Scott Ready, Jennifer Reed, Alene Wilkerson, Brent Gatlin, Guy Patterson, Elton Turley, Austin Schlenker, Miranda Frye, Gabriella Villarreal, Gayle Murdock, William London, Austin Schlenker, Kip Lascelles, Suja Alex, Jamie Lewellen

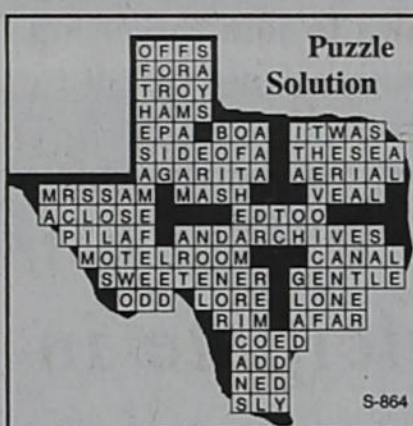
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**July 23-** Pat Widner, Susie Perez, Peggy Monroe, Jay Jarboe, Ken Jordan, C.C. Noland, John Ingram, Troy Talley, Jerry Cass, Dusty Lee Stowers, Lynn Truelove, Hadley White, Dave Thompson, Rosemary Melton, Sharla Cruz, Linda Dopp, Joe Black

**July 24-** Kenneth White, Phila May Weatherly, Lilah Gay Vars, Abraham Castanon, Toni Ramirez, Mark Sunderlin, Sara Van Valkenburg, Courtney Jamerson

**July 25-** Kay Huckabee, Chad del Rosario, Doris White, Ruben Castaneda, Eddie Echevarria

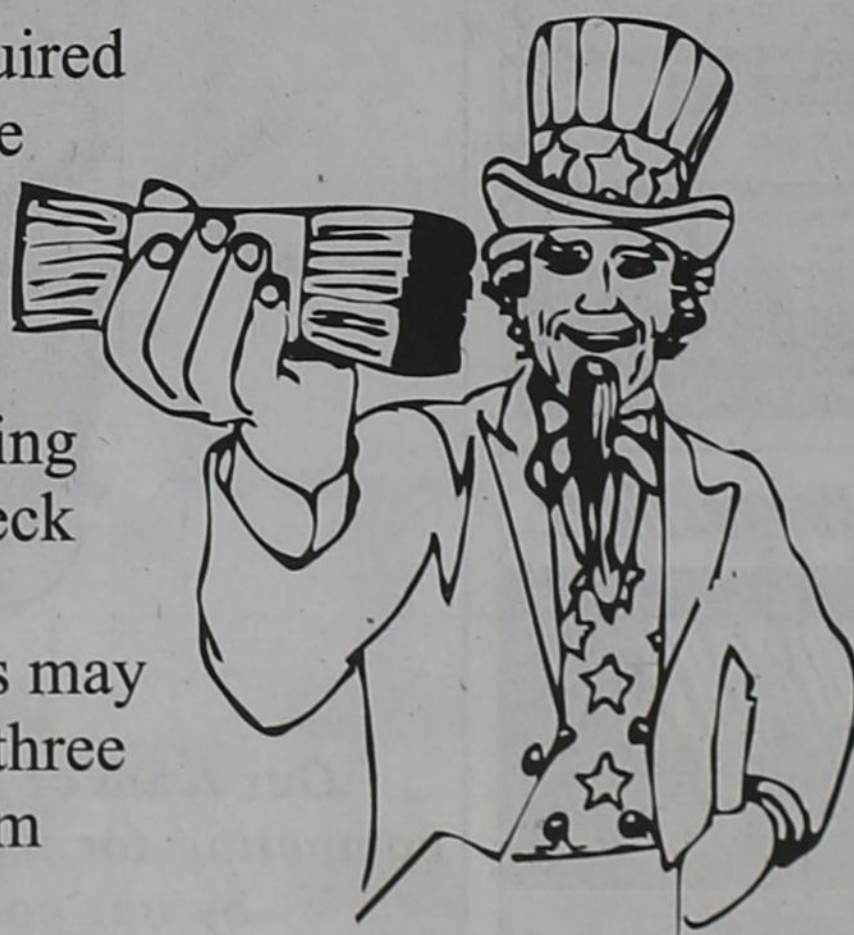
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# Sheriff's Report

The following is reported by the Parmer County Sheriff's office.

July 9, 2008, Luis Martinez, 30, of Dimmitt, was arrested by the Sheriff's office for theft by check. Fine, court cost, restitution, plus 30-days deferred adjudication.

July 10, 2008, Erik Nava, 23, of Clovis was arrested by the Sheriff's office for motion to revoke, DWI, pending county court.

July 13, 2008, Eduardo Rodriguez, 29, of Friona was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol for DWI 3rd or more. Pending grand jury.

# Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County Clerk's office recorded the following warranty deeds from July 3 to July 9, 2008.

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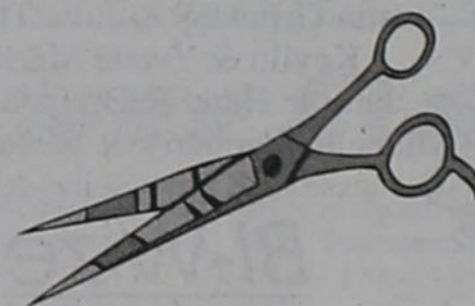
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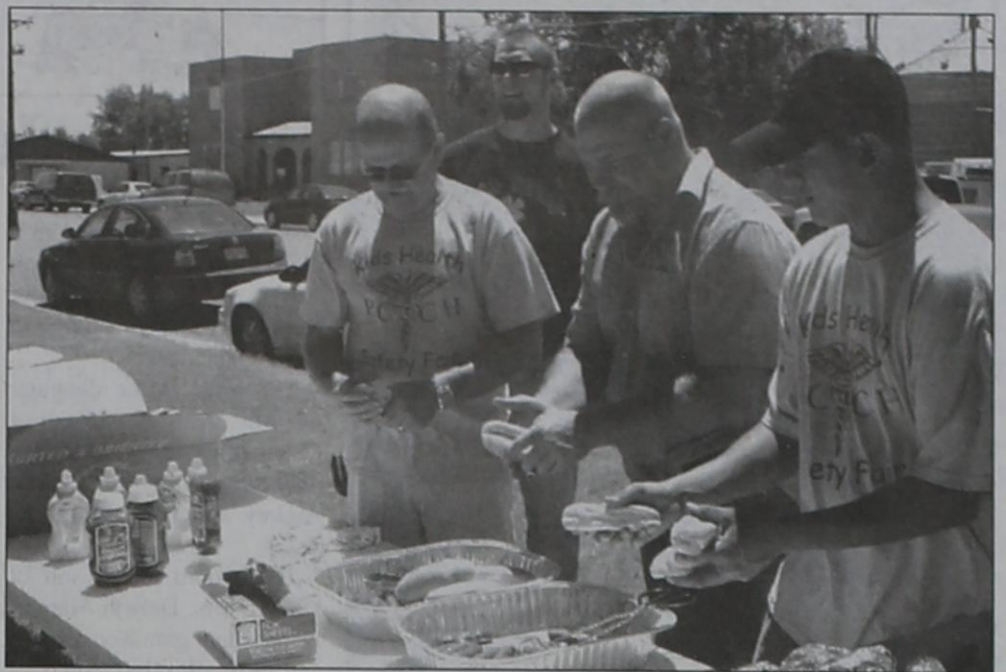
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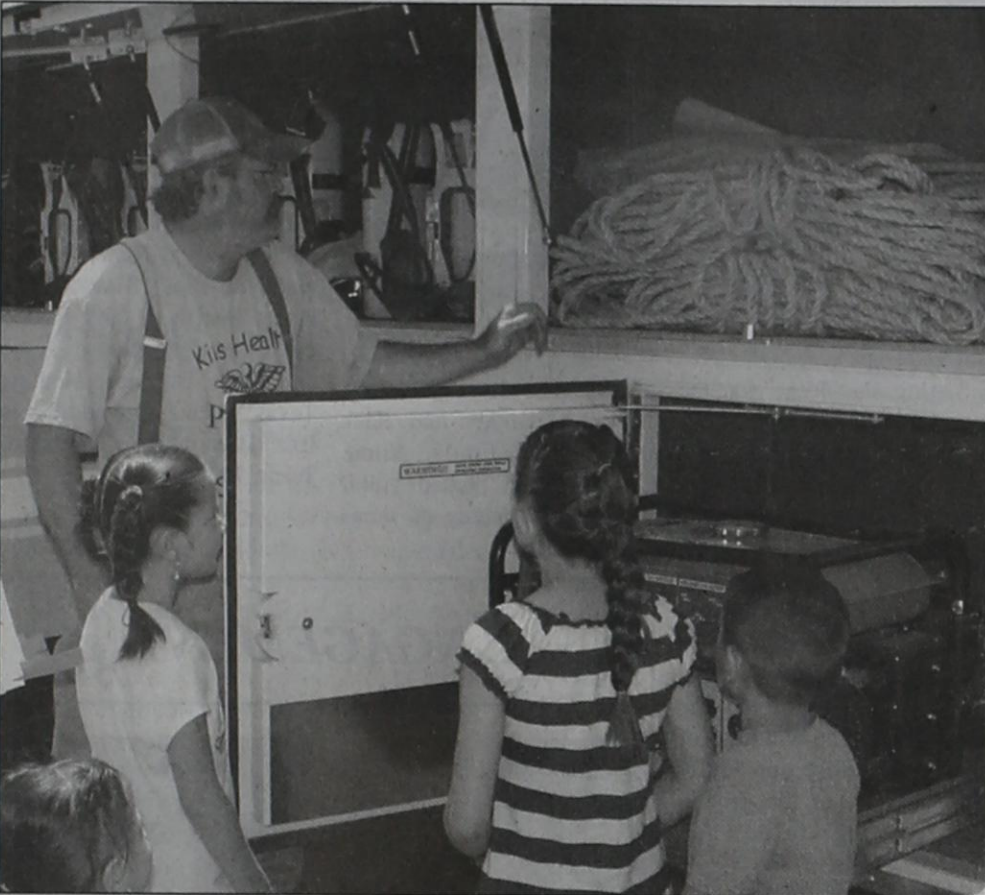
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Friona Police Office Isidro Jimenez, left, and Sheriff's Department employees Shannon Alexander, Warren Schmidt, and Clint Cox set up the table for the children's ID kits during the PCCH Health and Safety Fair Saturday at city park.



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Free hot dogs were on the menu at the Parmer County Hospital Health and Safety Fair Saturday. Shown at the hot dog stand are, l-r, Dean Eichenauer, Alex Dunnam, Louis Dunnam, and Josh Quintana.



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Friona volunteer fireman Jerry Lanier explains some of the equipment used by the fire department to a group of kids during the Parmer County Hospital Health and Safety Fair Saturday. Children had the opportunity to see inside a fire truck and the ambulance.



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Youngsters attending the PCCH Health and Safety Fair received bicycle helmets. Devin Patterson, RN, a PCCH nurse, adjusts the fit on Jodie Denton's helmet.

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New types of Medicare Plans were approved in 2005 under Medicare Part C. These are also called Medicare Advantage plans, and are a form of managed care for Medicare beneficiaries. These plans offer benefits which differ from the original Medicare and also have different deductibles and co-pay requirements, depending on the plan. A Medicare Advantage Plan is different from regular Medicare. It is often an HMO or PPO, where your choice of doctors, hospitals, and home health agencies is limited. Medicare Advantage also includes Private Fee for Service ("PFFS") plans. If you sign up for any Medicare Advantage Plan, you are no longer in the original Medicare payment system.

In addition, your physicians and your hospital have to be separately signed up as "providers" under the Medicare Advantage plans for you to be able to use them as an "in-network" provider and get the deductibles and co-pays that the Medicare Advantage plan promises. However, many physicians and hospitals are not signed up as providers, and you may not be able to use them without paying more out-of-pocket than the plan promises. You cannot use the regular original Medicare while you are signed up under a Medicare Advantage plan.

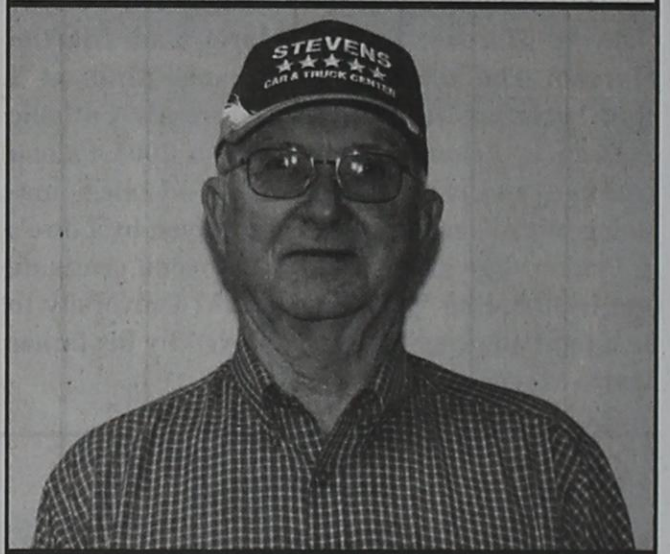
The new Medicare drug benefit (separate from Medicare Advantage plans) took effect on January 1, 2006. You may also have been enrolled in a drug benefit plan that may affect the Medicare hospital services you receive. There are many choices in Medicare drug plans. You can sign up for a separate drug plan and keep the original Medicare. However, many Medicare Advantage plans offer a drug benefit plan as well, and if you sign up for the drug benefit, you may have also signed up for the Medicare Advantage plan without realizing it.

Certain people that have both Medicare and Medicaid may be automatically enrolled in an Medicare Advantage HMO or PPO. If so, you have the right to choose whether you want to go back to regular Medicare or stay with an HMO or PPO. If you chose to sign up with a Medicare HMO or PPO, you have the right to change back to traditional Medicare. You should check to see if you have been enrolled in one of these plans

In summary, enrollment in a Medicare Advantage Plan, or for Medicare drug coverage through a Medicare Advantage plan, can affect your hospital services. It can lead to your being charged more for the cost of Medicare services that the plan does not cover. Parmer County Community Hospital and Friona Rural Health Clinic do not participate in any Medicare Advantage Plans, so please let us know if you have enrolled in any Medicare Advantage Plan or in any drug plan before you request services.

If you plan to use Parmer County Community Hospital and/or Friona Rural Health Clinic as your hospital and primary care service, before you sign up for any new plan please contact us to determine whether or not you can still receive "in-network" services at Parmer County Community Hospital and/or Friona Rural Health Clinic and whether your own out-of-pocket expenses will increase. We at Parmer County Community Hospital and Friona Rural Health Clinic want to continue to serve your health care needs, and we do not want any misunderstanding to occur regarding your Medicare benefits or out-of-pocket costs.

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# ENGAGEMENTS



# WEDDING



## Jesse Allen & Kiley Seitz



Kiley Dawn Seitz and Jesse Lee Allen were married in a double ring ceremony on July 4, 2008, at the Sulphur Missionary Baptist Church in Reed, Oklahoma.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. Aubrey Seitz of Clarendon, Texas, and the granddaughter of Mrs. Audrey Seitz of Mobeetie, Texas.

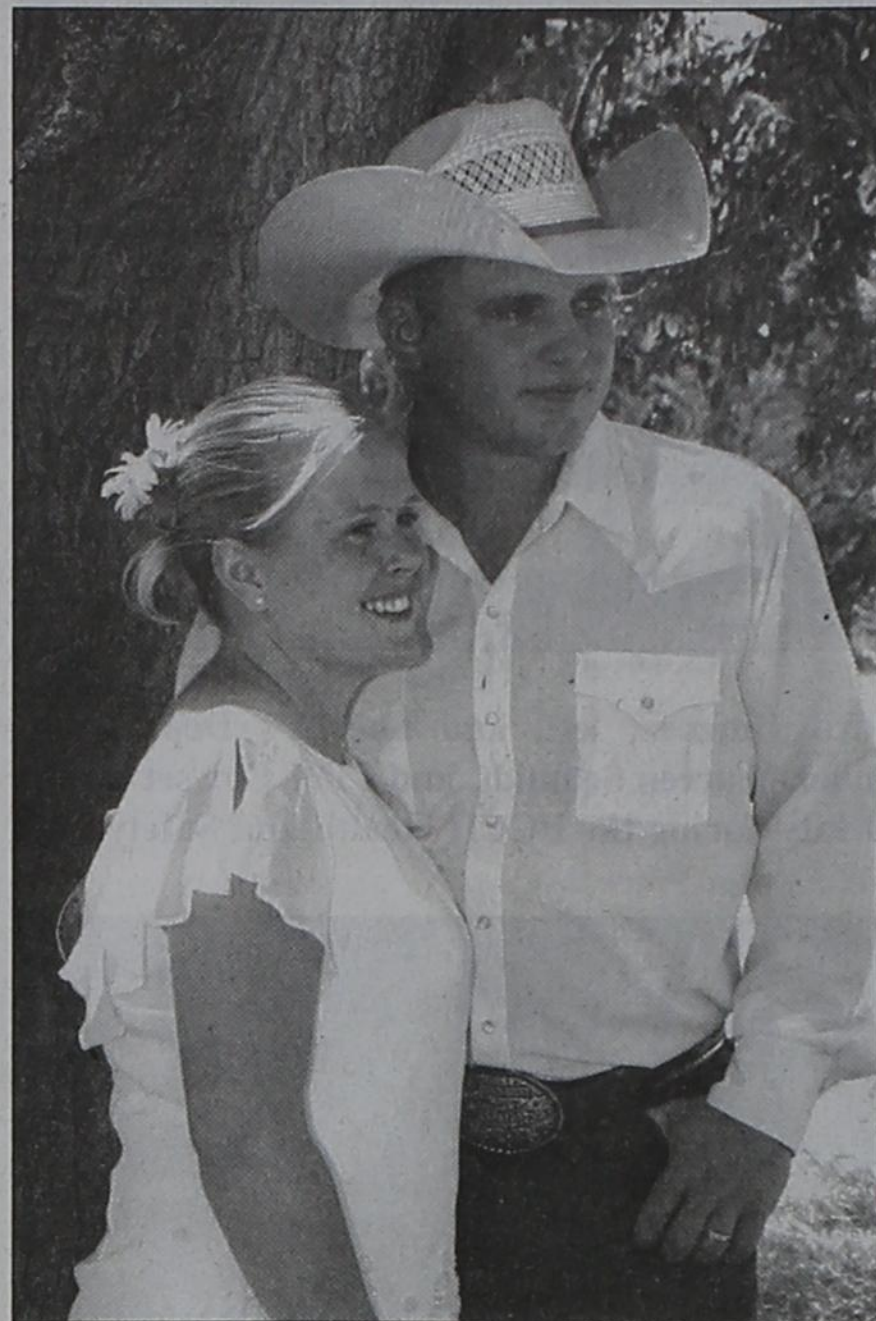
The groom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Delwin Allen of Friona and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Allen of Reed, Oklahoma.

The ceremony was conducted by Pastor Bobby Whorton at the 105-year-old church where the groom's family has attended continuously for four generations.

The bride was given away by her father. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Chris O'Neal, the bride's sister and brother-in-law. Miss McKinley Brown, daughter of the bride, was flower girl. Mr. Kyle Brown, son of the bride, was ring bearer.

The bride's floor length ivory dress had a chiffon overlay with a cowl draped neckline in the back and flutter sleeves. The hem of the bodice was beaded with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of light pink Gerbera daisies with a handkerchief that belonged to the groom's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Gladys Lamson.

The Matron of Honor wore a bright pink dress with a ruffled neckline and carried a bouquet of ivory Gerbera daisies. Miss McKinley Brown wore a dress with a pink silk bodice and white, full georgette skirt containing silk



flower petals.

Setting the scene for the morning wedding were bouquets of white, pale and bright pink mums, Gerbera daisies, carnations, and gypsophila. Garlands of ivory and mauve roses, Lily of the Valley, and English Ivy were hung on the altar. Wreaths of ivory hydrangea blossoms and ivy were hung on the doors and in the windows of the church. Alice and Emily Allen, sisters of the groom, assisted the bride and greeted guests.

Mrs. Kathy Haley, the groom's aunt, was pianist and Mr. Guy Haley led guests in

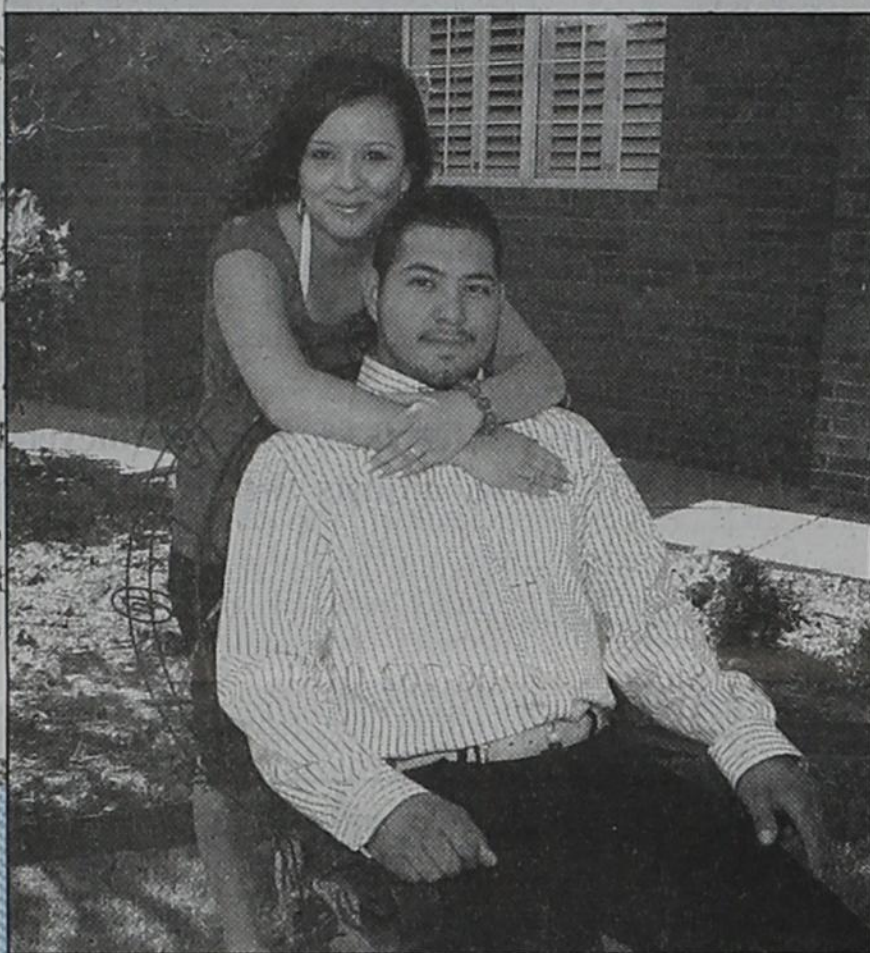
singing prior to the ceremony. A Unity Candle was lit by McKinley and Kyle Brown and Emily Allen. Delwin Allen played guitar and sang a medley of songs

with excerpts from "The Keeper of the Stars," "I Swear," "Memories of Us," and "I Can't Help Falling in Love" to begin the ceremony. Following the wedding, a luncheon and reception was held in the couple's honor at the Reed Community Center. It contained the old fashioned theme using quilts and crocheted and embroidered tablecloths, with bouquets of fresh flowers. Guests received jars of homemade jellies and jams to "preserve" the occasion.

Assisting with the wedding and reception were Mr. and Mrs. Danny Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hamilton, Ms. Gayle Murdock, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Schueler, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Smith, all of Friona, Texas; also Mr. Eric Pena of Ruidoso, New Mexico, and Mr. Jordan Morgan of Altus, Oklahoma.

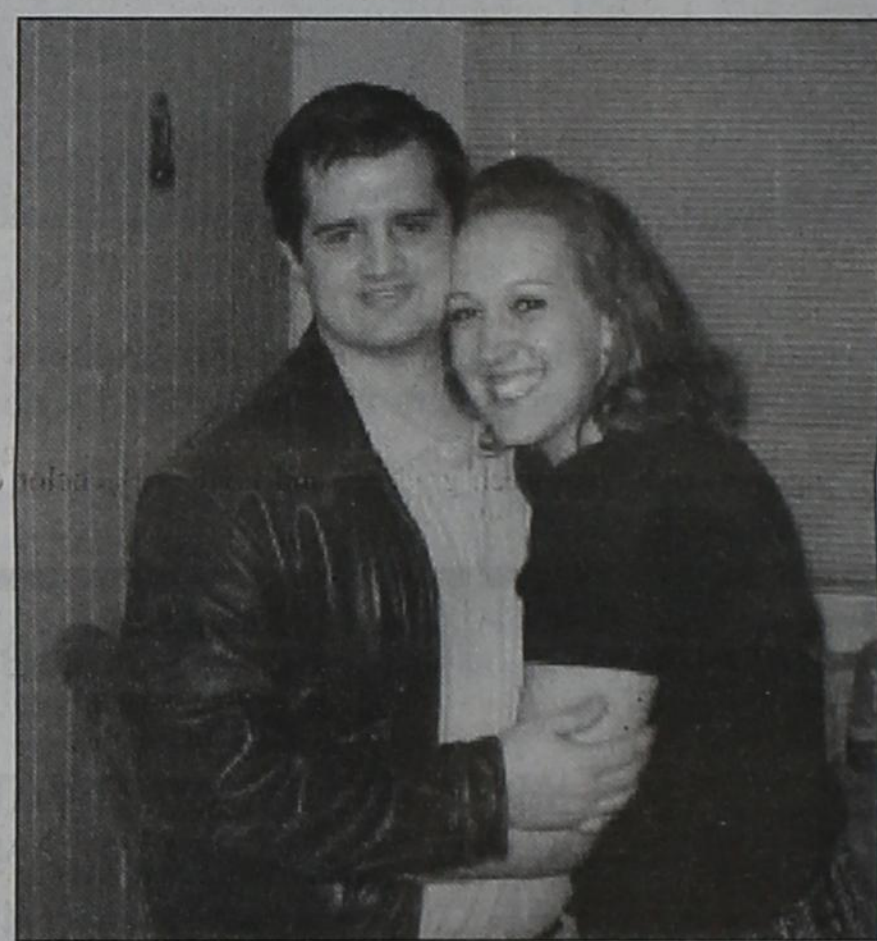
Later, the groom competed on the T & S Ranch Rodeo team at the 131st Saint's Roost Fourth of July Rodeo in Clarendon, Texas. Jesse and Kiley live near Hedley, Texas. Their home address is P.O. Box 1176, Clarendon, Texas, 79226.

Johnny and Lucila Trevino announce the approaching marriage of their daughter Cindy to Fernando Moreno, son of Mario and Martha Moreno. The couple will exchange vows at 2 p.m. Saturday July 26 at St. Teresa's Catholic Church in Friona. The bride is a 2007 Friona graduate and is attending West Texas A&M University majoring in business administration. She is employed with CK Welding. The groom is a 2007 Friona graduate and is attending West Texas A&M University majoring in business administration. He is self-employed with his dad Mario Moreno.



Bruce and Valerie Ramos announce the approaching marriage of their daughter Yvonne to Octavio Moreno, son of Mario and Martha Moreno. The couple will exchange vows at 2 p.m. Saturday July 26 at St. Teresa's Catholic Church in Friona. The bride is a 2005 Friona graduate and is attending Amarillo College majoring in radiography. She is employed by Lowe's in Friona. The groom is a 2007 Friona graduate and is attending West Texas A&M University to be a football coach. He is employed by his father Mario Moreno.

# ENGAGEMENT



Ms. Donice Jones is pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Stephenie Allyn, to Andrew McDaniel, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony McDaniel of Tulia, Texas. Stephenie is a 2008 graduate of Texas Tech University and currently resides in Lubbock. Andrew is a student at Texas Tech University.

## Think about this Why does God allow suffering?

T. LEON TALLEY, Minister, Sixth Street Church of Christ

The problem of why the innocent suffer is a difficult issue. This is due perhaps to the fact that we tend to think in terms of justice. We don't complain when evil people suffer. I've never heard anyone say, "If there is a God, why did He allow Hitler to suffer?" It seems unjust that the innocent often suffer. There are many things involved in why all people suffer. I'll share a few with you. 1st...Many people suffer because there is some value in suffering. The psalmist said, "It was good for me to be afflicted so that I might learn your decrees." (119:71) Sometimes sickness may be better for us than health, pain better than pleasure. Suffering can develop character, induce sympathy, reduce materialism, drive us to God. We've all heard of great accomplishments of handicapped people in spite of their handicaps. Perhaps the reason Helen Keller, author and lecturer, became one of the most inspiring figures in history is because she overcame a tremendous handicap. Suffering should be regarded as a doorway to a better character. Lord willing, there will be more next week.

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## Quilt Shop Hop Jul 24-26

(Note: On Friday, July 25, Jack Chapman will be at Malouf's Fabrics in Friona to sharpen scissors.)

Ten quilt shops in our region have joined together for the 6th annual Top of Texas Quilt Shop Hop, providing a fun-filled weekend for everyone who enjoys quilting and fabric arts.

Door prizes, refreshments, and special free gifts for customers will be given to all who visit the quilt shops Thursday July 24 through Saturday July 26. Business hours are Thursday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; and Saturday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. (CST).

A free clue to the shop hop mystery quilt, "Bound for a Blue Ribbon," will be available at each shop. Quilters who collect their free clue at each quilt shop will be able to make this unique quilt designed by Debbie Caffrey especially for the Shop Hop.

Customers will also receive a passport at the first shop visited. Completed passports with a stamp from each shop will be turned in at the last shop. Quilters going to all ten shops will be eligible for special prizes including a basket with 100 quilter's fat quarters, a \$75 gift certificate from each of the ten shops, and a basket filled with sewing and quilting notions. Total value of these prizes is over \$1,000.

In addition there will be a grand prize of a special Round Robin quilt designed by the participating quilt shops. A photo of the Round Robin quilt will be displayed at each shop. Drawings for the grand prizes will be held Sunday, July 27. A bus will be available to quilters who wish to go to all ten quilt shops on the Shop Hop tour.

Participating shops are: Fabric Dreams, Pam's Quilting Corner, R & R Quilts and More, Sisters' Scraps Quilt Shop, all of Amarillo; Cheryl's Quilt Corner, Guymon, Oklahoma; Down Home Quilts, Dumas; Jo's This 'n That, Spearman; Malouf's Fabrics, Friona; Sands' Fabrics, Pampa; and The Patchwork House, Clovis, New Mexico.

## James Driver elected co-op board chairman

James Driver of Lubbock was elected chairman of the board of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative. Driver replaces Billy C. Harbin of Floydada who resigned after 11 years as chairman to become a candidate to replace President and General Manager Robert W. Bryant. Bryant will retire January 31, 2009.

Driver is executive vice-president and general manager of South Plains Electric Cooperative, one of 16 electric distribution cooperative members of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative. Driver was vice chairman of the Golden Spread board and previously served 15 years as a director of Brazos Electric Power Cooperative in Waco and was its secretary. He also served 11 years as a director of San Miguel Electric Cooperative at Jourdanton. He holds a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in Management from West Texas A&M University.

Steve Louder, president and general manager of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative in Hereford remains Golden Spread board secretary/treasurer. Louder, a registered professional engineer, is a Texas Tech graduate and holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Agricultural Engineering.

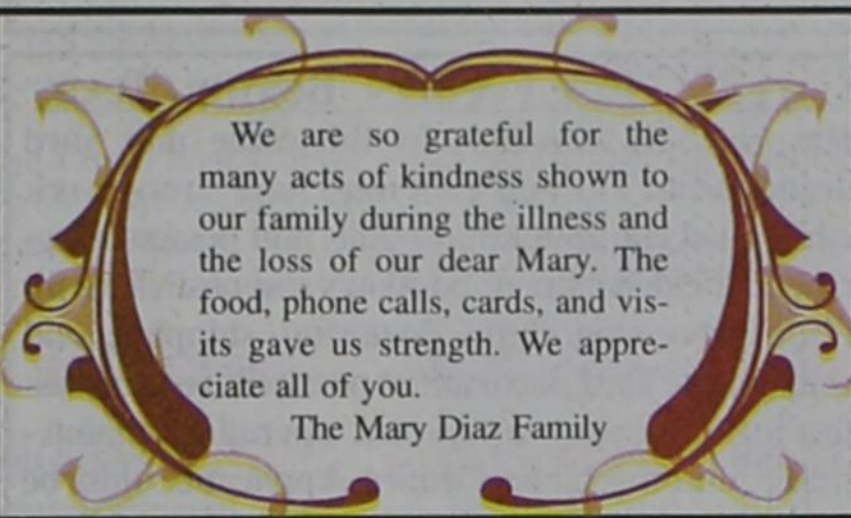
## Quinceañera for Claudia Trevino



Claudia Kanna Trevino

A Quinceañera celebration honoring Claudia Kanna Trevino, daughter of Johnny and Lucila Trevino, will be held Saturday, July 19, 2008, at 2 p.m. in the Temple of Adoracion Church.

Claudia is a sophomore at Friona High School. A reception at Redeemer Center on Virginia St. will follow the ceremony.



## St. Teresa's Catholic Church Bible school

St. Teresa's Catholic Church Vacation Bible School is scheduled for next week, July 21-25, from 9-11:45 a.m. All children from Pre-K through 6th grade are invited to attend.



## Water district hearing on admin rule revisions

Residents in the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District will have an opportunity to comment on proposed administrative changes to the district's rules at two public hearings in early August.

The first hearing is August 5 at the Hereford Community Center, 100 Avenue C. A second hearing is set for August 7 at the High Plains Water District office, 2930 Avenue Q in Lubbock. Both meetings are at 7 p.m.

This revision to the Water District's rules includes introduction of a new printed format and addition of new procedural rules resulting from passage of House Bill 1763 now codified as Chapter 36.108 of the Texas Water Code.

Water District general manager Jim Conkwright said the new procedural rules deal with citizens' lawsuits pertaining to illegal water wells drilled without a permit from the district, water well permit hearing procedures, and rulemaking hearing procedures. "Each proposed addition is now state law," Conkwright said. We are simply incorporating them into our district rule booklet for the convenience of our constituents."

The district rule booklet has now been reorganized so that rules on a given subject are grouped in one location rather than being scattered throughout the publication. "We hope the new printed presentation of our rules makes them more user-friendly," Conkwright said. "There are now 11 section headings and the district's 23 rules have been placed under the appropriate headers for easier reference."

A link to the draft revised rules is on the district's website at [www.hpwd.com](http://www.hpwd.com). In addition the rules are available for viewing at the Parmer County water district office located at 4-Way Pump Service in Friona.

Written comments about the rule changes will be accepted until 5 p.m. August 11 and should be sent to General Manager Jim Conkwright, High Plains Water District, 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock 79411-2499.

The five-member water district board of directors will consider public comments from the hearings and take action on the rule revisions at their regular meeting August 12. Fred Cook of Friona is a water district board member. Additional information is available from Conkwright or Sherry Stevens at 806-762-0181.

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# Friona Schools Centennial Review

## The F.L. Reed Family and Friona Schools

(Information submitted by Patsy Bandy. Since 1925 when the Reeds came to Friona, there has been at least one direct descendent attending the Friona schools at all times).

Many members of the family of F.L. and Martha Reed attended Friona Schools. The Reeds moved to three miles north of Friona from the Star Ranch southeast of town (close to where Lazbuddie is

now) in 1925. Mabel was out of school when they moved here. The other nine attended Friona schools. Five of the nine graduated from Friona High School.

**The Reed children and descendent attending Friona schools were:**

**Five Children**

- Faye Reed Vigil 1931
- Minnie Reed Knight 1931
- Neelie Reed Pierce 1940
- Grace Reed Vassios 1941
- Frank Reed 1952

- Ramona Reed Couch 1975
- Todd Bandy 1978
- Janette Reed Thorn 1981
- Mark Zachary 1981
- Joe Zachary 1984
- Bart Blackburn 1985
- Mitchell Gibson 1986
- Leslee Upton Floyd 1986
- Cristi Blackburn 1987
- Bill Barker 1988
- Patti Grace Zachary Calk 1988
- Stormi Upton Lookingbill 1988
- Kevin Zachary 1989
- Max Reed 1990
- David Reed 1990
- Glen Shirley 1991
- Kristen Barker Casey 1992
- Jeremy Hardin 1993
- Trisha Gibson Holloway 1993
- Melissa Hardin 1995
- Tracy Gibson Field 1996
- Jamie Stokes 1997
- Adam Barker 1998

**Great great-grandchildren**

- Joseph Bandy 2000
- Valerie Bandy Morgeson 2001
- Adam Bandy 2003
- Amber Roberson (now attending Friona school)

**Ten grandchildren**

- Ralph Reed 1952
- Jack Redfearn 1952
- Patsy Reed Bandy 1953
- Billy Gene Zachary 1959
- J.R. Knight 1959
- Gayle Knight Greeson 1961
- Mary Knight Yaksich 1963
- Martha Knight Barker 1963
- Vickie Knight 1970
- Ruthie Stokes Hardin 1971

- Bill Barker 1988
- Kevin Zachary 1989
- Max Reed 1990
- David Reed 1990
- Glen Shirley 1991
- Kristen Barker Casey 1992
- Jeremy Hardin 1993
- Trisha Gibson Holloway 1993
- Melissa Hardin 1995
- Tracy Gibson Field 1996
- Jamie Stokes 1997
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**Spouses graduating from FHS**

- Jean Horner Reed 1948
- Eugene Bandy 1949
- Betty Zon Ashcraft Reed 1955
- Jim Greeson 1960
- Butch Barker 1961
- Lee Gibson 1962
- Patsy Bender Zachary 1962
- Garvin Thorn 1975
- Tamela Hassenpflug Bandy 1976
- Lucinda Aguirre Stokes 1976
- Mac Field 1996

**Twenty-five great-grandchildren**

- Johnny Bandy 1973
- Clay Bandy 1975



1929 School Board

In 1952 Frank Reed, the youngest of the 10 children, graduated along with two nephews, Ralph Reed, son of Bud, and Jack Redfearn, son of Edna. Bud was sitting by Edna and said to her, "I'm sure we are the only two here that have a brother, a son, and a nephew graduating."

Mr. F.L. Reed served on the school board for a number of years. He was a member in 1929 when the first annual was published and in 1931 when the high school was built that now houses the junior high. He had served on the school board in the Star Ranch area before moving to Friona. He also was a county commis-

sioner when the courthouse in Farwell was built in 1916. Frank Vassios, husband of Grace, served as bus foreman during the time Mr. Caffey was superintendent in the late 40s. Billy Gene Zachary served as a maintenance man for 20 years and his wife Karen served as school bookkeeper for 20 years.

All of the Reed children were born in Parmer County. Three of them married and raised their families here and lived here all their lives. They were Bud, Minnie, and Lena. Several of their family members still live here. Only three of the children are living: Neelie in Tishamingo, Oklahoma; Grace in Palm Desert,

California; and Frank in Borger, Texas.

From this family there are a number of college graduates serving in different capacities: teachers, coaches, accountants, lawyers, bankers, ranchers, farmers, barbers, and beauticians. Also there are homemakers, firemen, government workers, policemen, secretaries, several in the medical field and the food industry, as well as cattle, agriculture, and construction.

Several have or now own their own businesses, a number have served our country in different branches of the Armed Forces, several overseas, during war and in peace.

**Attending Friona schools but did not graduate**

**Children**

- Bud Reed
- Edna Reed Fambro
- Lena Reed Stokes
- George Reed

- Jim Reed
- Susan Reed Terry
- Ronnie Reed

**Great great-grandchildren**

- Michael Campbell
- Rebecca Campbell
- Tray Thorn
- Triston Thorn
- Chelsey Bandy
- Jaylee Floyd

**Grandchildren**

- Roberta Reed Klapper
- Jerry Zachary
- Sylvia Stokes Gibson
- Shirley Stokes Harris
- Gordon Stokes
- Johnny Stokes

**Great grandchildren**

- Rusty Redfearn
- Ricky Redfearn
- Shea Shirley
- Randy Stokes
- Shawna Stokes
- Samantha Jo Stokes
- Micole Stokes
- Carri Harris

**Spouse**

- Juanita Boggess Reed



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Clouds and rain have been frequent the past couple of weeks in Parmer County. The area has enjoyed several inches of steady rainfall and most days have been cloudy with highs in the 80s. Forecasts call for intermittent rain over the next several days.



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Hard hat required. Work continues on the new hospital. The construction along 14th St. will actually be the back side of the hospital and serve as the emergency room/ambulance entrance. The proposed completion date is spring of 2009.

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