## All-Sports banquet Monday

The annual FHS all-sports banquet will be Monday May 16 at 6:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10.00 at the door. The meal, catered by Canna Ray, will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the junior high cafeteria then the awards will be presented in the junior high auditorium. All parents, grandparents, and friends are invited to attend.

## Lewellen elected Mayor Pro-Tem

The city council met Monday May 9 in regular session with all members present. Council members Martha Barker and Greg Lewellen and Mayor Rick White were sworn-in by city manager Patricia Phipps for new terms. Each ran unopposed in the recent election. Lewellen was then appointed by fellow council members as Mayor Pro-Tem, who serves in the absence of the mayor.

The council approved previous minutes, accounts payable, and financial statements for April.

Fire Chief Jim Taylor gave a fire department report. Our firemen have been fortunate in this windy weather. Chief Taylor said in April they responded to one grass fire, one house fire, and three wrecks. He said the department is considering the purchase of two 40-foot containers to be used for storage and they have received a Forest Service grant of \$900 for a smoke machine to be used for training. He will be sending four of our firemen to fire training in College Station at the end of July.

Sgt. Jesus San Miguel gave the police department report. In April they made nine arrests, 129 traffic stops, issued 95 warnings, and had 209 calls for service. They issued six citations for driving with no license.

An amendment to a lease with R&J Farms (Rex Wells and Jerry Loflin) was approved extending the terms of the lease to December 31, 2016.

About 7:00 p.m. the council went into executive session for an annual evaluation of Municipal Judge Deborah Campbell.

The next city council meeting is Monday June 13. All council meetings are open to the public. See the Mayor's Minutes column on page two for more about the city's business.

## Former EMS tech indicted

Former Friona EMS staff member Jennifer Gonzales has been indicted by the Parmer County grand jury for "embezzling" drugs through the EMS for personal use. Gonzales was in charge of ordering drugs to restock the ambulance. According to the city and Sheriff Randy Geries she would order drugs, approve the invoice for payment by the city, then steal the drugs for personal use.

Sheriff Geries, who has been investigating the situation for several months, said the amount of the theft was over \$33,000 and had been ongoing since 2013. Some of the drugs Gonzales ordered were not on the authorized list of drugs for the ambulance. The offense is classified as a 2nd degree felony punishable by 2 to 20 years in jail and up to a \$20,000 fine.

#### FTO retirement reception May 25

The Friona Teachers Organization (FTO) will host a retirement reception on Wednesday, May 25 from 3-4:30 p.m. at the Friona ISD Administration building board room. Kenny Austin and Becky Albarado will be honored at the reception. The public is invited to attend and wish them well in their retirement.

### US 60 improvements set to begin

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is set to begin work on a project that will make improvement to 5.6 miles of US 60 in Parmer County. The project will make needed improvements and repairs to the pavement and is expected to enhance the overall safety of the roadway.

"Construction work on the \$14.8 million project is scheduled to begin Monday, May 16, with contractor Kiewit Infrastructure South Co., of Fort Worth, setting signs and barricades, then the following Monday, May 23, work to make improvements to the roadway shoulder is scheduled to begin," said Steve Perez, P.E., TxDOT Littlefield Area engineer and project manager.

Motorists traveling on US 60, over the summer months, will see traffic reduced to one-lane at various times throughout the project limits as work crews mill the existing pavement, then cement treat and resurface the roadway.

"Drivers should be aware that speed limits in the construction zone will be reduced to 65 mph." Perez added.

Motorists are urged to use caution when driving through the work zone, since crews will be working in close proximity to traffic and should keep the following tips in mind:

· Slow down and always follow posted work zone speed limits. ing forage harvester and hay Speeding is one of the major causes of work zone crashes. Remember, traffic fines double in work zones.

 Pay attention. Workers and heavy equipment may only be a few feet from passing vehicles.

 Be patient. Delays from roadway construction can be frustrating, but it only takes a few extra minutes to slow down for a work zone.



## Cemetery cleanup May 19

The Friona Cemetery Association will hold the annual cemetery cleanup day next Thursday May 19.

At 4:30 p.m. they will have an open house at the newly remodeled said Clint Hurst, Parmer Coun-Cemetery Chapel building. The building now has heat and air and is available for graveside services. Everyone is invited to come visit have many years of experience this great addition to our cemetery.

Volunteers will be welcome to come help with the cleanup at 5 market, where timely parts and p.m. Old faded flowers and other items that are blowing around will be thrown away. New flowers in vases will not be thrown away but if you have any flowers or items you may want to save you need to go

get them prior to May 19 until after the cleanup. Trash bags and refreshments will be available. Come help and make our cemetery look nice for Memorial Day.

The Friona Chieftain baseball team made school history over the weekend. For the first time in school history a Chieftain baseball team won a playoff game, defeating Childress in a 2 out of 3 series to claim the bi-district Golden Glove for the school trophy case. Team members are, back row, l-r, Coach Jesus Quiroz, Luis Vasquez, Tristan Castillo, Ivan Duran, Logan Loflin, Damar Sermeno, Guillermo Quintana, Isaac Duran, Coach David Woods: front row, l-r, Samuel Frye, Aaron Rocha, Daniel Pena, Mason Mireles, Dallin Woods, Josh Barnett, Matthew Morales. The Chiefs advance to the area round and will play the Alpine Bucks Thursday and Saturday in Andrews. First game is 6:00 p.m. Thursday. Second game is 3:00 p.m. Saturday followed by game three if necessary.



dana jameson photos

Another accident Cargill. The Chevy Malibu, right, was entering the plant Tuesday afternoon about 2:45 p.m. when it pulled onto Hwy. 60 and collided with an east bound Mustang, top, that ended up in the median. Friona EMS, Friona firefighters, Friona police, and DPS Troopers responded. There were no serious injuries.



### Claas Names Parmer County Implement Lexion Parts & Service Provider for Texas

nounces that one of its lead- customers alike. West Texas area previously covered by Warren CAT.

Based in Friona, Texas, Parmer County Implement will expand its service team and parts distribution to effectively cover the territory which also includes portions of western Oklahoma. Additional parts and service support to Parmer County Implement will be provided directly by Claas in the start-up phase to ensure coverage of customer needs during this upcoming harvest season.

"For Lexion owners in the area, we plan to immediately utilize experienced technical support and a parts distribution point directly in the area," Implement president. "We serving the forage harvesting service are absolutely critical. This puts us in an optimal position to meet the needs of Lexion owners as well."

County Implement is benefi-

OMAHA, Neb. - Claas an- cial to both Lexion and Jaguar dealers. With that track re- eral Manager - Sales, Eric

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cord, Parmer County Imple- Raby. "The addition of sup-"Parmer County Implement ment is an ideal example of port for the Lexion combine Claas growing our long-line range is a natural next step distribution partners repre- and continues to demonstrate senting the complete range of our commitment to customproducts," explained Claas of ers, with actions and not just



dana jameson photo

Virginia Street is closed at Highway 60 as work has begun by Kendrick Oil Co. on repaving a section of the street with concrete for trucks accessing the Kendrick Truck Wash property. Trucks park on the west side of Virginia then cross Virginia into the truck wash. The truck traffic had torn up Virginia and Kendrick Oil The addition of Parmer struck an agreement with the city to repave about 140" of Virginia with concrete to avoid future wear and tear to the street.

May 13-14-FHS Band Trip to Dallas

May 14-Kid Fish Day, 3-6 p.m. at Reeve Lake-Open to kids 16 and under

May 16-FISD Title I/Parent Involvement Meeting-6:45 p.m. at FJHS

May 16-All Sports Banquet @ 6 p.m.-FJHS cafeteria

May 16-17-State Tennis @ Texas A&M

@ FHS Cafeteria 7 p.m.

Association Annual Cleanup ter he trashes them. workday-5 p.m.

Awards/Who's Sync-FHS auditorium

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May 21-ARMED FORC-ES DAY

May 21-FHS Prom-7 p.m.

May 25-Early Release May 25-First Baptist Church End of School Party 6-8 p.m.

May 26-Early Release/Last day of School

May 27- Harrington Breast Center screenings at PMC

May 27-FHS Graduation May 28-29-Cannon Air Force Base free Air Showgates open at 9 a.m.

May 30-MEMORIAL DAY June 19-FATHER'S DAY

## School Menu

May 16-20 Monday

Breakfast: Cereal, Pop Tarts, fruit punch juice, applesauce, milk

Lunch: Popcorn chicken, roll, mashed potatoes, mixed California veggies, peaches, milk

#### Tuesday

Breakfast: Cereal, apple juice, banana, milk

Lunch: Beef spaghetti, pizza sticks, broccoli, carrots, fruit cocktail, milk

#### Wednesday

Breakfast: Cereal, pig-in-a-blanket, apple juice, peaches, milk Lunch: Chicken patty sandwich,

French oven potatoes, fresh tomatoes, apples, milk

### Thursday

Breakfast: Cereal, sausage pizza, orange juice, pears, milk Lunch: Roasted chicken, Doritos, corn, pork & beans, pears, milk

### Friday

Breakfast: Cereal, sausage biscuit with cheese, apple juice, fruit cocktail, milk

Lunch: Fish, roll, cole slaw, green beans, fruit salad, milk

## sometimes I just can't help it

If the November election is Trump vs. Clinton or Sanders, I'll be voting for Trump.

Now I don't have to listen to all of the speculations and predictions or press conferences. I don't have to listen to Hillary cackle about stuff she doesn't really mean, or Bernie promising May 17-FHS Choir Follies stuff he can't really do, or Trump telling me he built a big company May 19-Friona Cemetery and he loves everybody right af-

I can watch now just for the en-May 19-All School tertainment as the candidates go Who/Lip forward.

Before you go flying apart, I May 20-Chieftain Chal- voted for Marco Rubio in the primary election. I am not a Trump supporter, I'm a Clinton hater. such exciting presidential candi-Yes, I know it is not nice to hate but sometimes we just can't help liar, and will say whatever it takes

public service. There is no speech worth \$250,000. I've never heard Hillary thank the American people for making them wealthy.

says stuff that is embarrassing and borderline stupid but he doesn't care. He gets votes. That is what an election if for so we can vote.

I am amused at the turmoil some people are in right now. The old white guys who consider themselves the Republican leaders are actually trying to figure out how to elect somebody other than Trump and hijack the election. They don't seem to care about the American voters.

This is the party that gave us dates as Bob Dole, John McCain, and Mitt Romney. They still think it. Clinton is a crook, a con artist, a a "true conservative" needs to be president. They still think Ameri-

ues to the Oval Office.

**Thursday, May 12, 2016** 

Senator Chuck Grassley of Iowa is 82. John McCain is 79. Richard Shelby is 82. Orrin Hatch is 82. Trump is a loose cannon. He Jim Inhofe is 81. Lamar Alexan-Senate's 16 full time "standing" committees, 10 are chaired so important. by white Republican men over the age of 70. Many of these old white guys plan to run for another Marco Rubio? Let me tell you term.

By Ron Carr

all weeping and wailing about the possibility of Donald Trump being the presidential nominee. "If cans and politicians. And still the Donald Trump is the face of the Republican Party I want no part of seem to get it. it" some Republicans have said. I think I have heard a few people ness. Going to be fun to watch unaround town here say it too.

I have even heard some highpowered Republicans say they to get elected. She and her hus- ca needs a true conservative that might vote for Hillary if Trump band have become wealthy doing will bring God and religious val- is the nominee. The "true conser-

vatives" are having meetings to save the Republican party from Trump. They seem to forget that 17 candidates started the presidential race. One of those, Ted der is 74. Senate majority Leader Cruz, was said to be a "true con-Mitch McConnell is 74. Of the servative." How come he didn't win if being a true conservative is

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How come Jeb Bush didn't sweep the competition? Why not why these "establishment" candi-So these are the folks who are dates did not win. The people did not vote for them. The people are totally put out with the Republiold white guy Republicans don't

> Politics is a dirty, rigged busitil November. Remember if you don't vote and get Hillary you get what you deserve.

> I'm an old white guy too. I'll be voting for Trump.

by Ricky White



# Mayor's Minutes

Greetings!

It is Hospital Appreciation Week (May 9-13, 2016). On Monday, May 9, I attended the hospitals kick-off for the weeklong recognition. I wrote and read a proclamation designating this week to be Hospital Recognition Week. Please join me in thanking all the hospital personnel for their service to our community. The hospital is one of our greatest assets in Friona. Many people outside our area travel to Friona to receive great

The RV Park is full and we expect it to remain full hopefully for 5-6 months. It will depend upon how long it takes for the installation of the wind turbines. TXDOT is gearing up to begin the construction on Highway 60 and will have several people use

good revenue for the city and the community.

TXDOT construction inspector advised the city that on May 16 signs would be placed on the highways. On May 23, they will run a test on their mixer. The project will begin at the bridge and they will be laying extra mix on the right shoulder of the highway heading towards Bovina. They will only go 5 miles then do the other side of the highway heading back to Friona. There are five different phases and this will be the beginning of a long project, which could take 4-5

Judge Campbell had 44 new cases and no new juvenile cases filed in April. There were 44 cases trial by judge and four cases dismissed. Court cost totaled

the RV Park. This will generate \$1,935.67 and \$11,550.60 collected in fines. Judge Campbell has done a very good job for Friona serving as Judge. We appreciate her dedication and her willingness to go above and beyond

to fulfill her responsibilities. Chief Jimenez and the police department responded to 255 calls in April. There were a total of 129 stops: 95-warnings issued, 32-citations handed out and 9-arrests, 6-no drivers license, 1-criminal trespassing, 1-assault of a family member and 1-criminal mischief. The patrolmen drove a total of 2734 miles in April protecting our city.

The city pumped 17,103,600 gallons of water, sold 13,959,000 gallon and collected \$66,966.80 on 1441 accounts.

The city accounts payable to-

taled \$222,323.20 for April. The money spent pays all our bills

and keeps us in good standing. Emergency Medical Service responded to 39 total calls in April. There were 12runs responding to 911 calls, 13-transfers and 10-no transport. The payments collected equaled \$15,428.59. There was \$54,099.76 in billing.

Friona Public Library had 1148 patrons visit the library in April an average of 57 patrons per day. There were 1,090 items circulated and 97 new items added. I attended the Friends of the Library annual meeting in April and it is fantastic to see the people in the community step up and volunteer to replace the people that have served their term. This is one of the greatest things about living in a small commu-

nity, people getting involved and serving their community.

Volunteer Fire Department responded to four emergency calls. There were two car wrecks, one occurred 1 mile South on 214 and the other 3 miles West on Highway 60. There were two fire calls, one five miles east on Highway 60 and a call for a water heater. We had a great time at the Volunteer Fireman Appreciation dinner held at the fire station on Thursday, April 21. The city fed all of the volunteer firemen and their families in appreciation for their dedication and commitment to serve as a volunteer. Also, recognizing the spouses for their patience and understanding when their loved one receives a page.

Your Mayor

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"I care about one thing and one thing only and that is how to use every minute of the remaining 1,276 days of my term to make the country work for working Americans again. That's all I care about."

President Barack Obama July 24, 2013 Galesburg, Illinois

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### Town Talk II

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money. Work has started on is complete. a portion of Virginia Street to concrete about 140" south from Highway 60. The paving by Kendrick will stop the wear and tear caused by trucks accessing the Kendrick Truck Wash. Repaying that strip of Virginia would have cost the city about \$250,000 accord-

dana jameson

While shopping last week I met a very nice

woman. She was looking at a skirt that hung be-

low a blouse I was looking at. I say 'looking at'

because I am 5'2" and this blouse was hanging

at least 4' above my head. Even tiptoeing I was

I made the comment that I needed to learn to

fly before I could reach this blouse. The woman

who was standing nearby listened and comment-

ed after that I was as tall as I would ever be and

She stated that at our age growing taller was

She told me she had eight children and numer-

ous grandchildren. She was a stay-at-home mom

went to school and became a registered nurse.

Keep in mind that we had never met before.

she had met a man about six years after the di-

vorce and he was her perfect match. He was

nice man when she said that if she had stayed

married to him she would have been pushing up

not push her. He waited patiently for her to come

around and start dating. He would call her just to

ask how her day was going or to tell her 'good

night' each night. He made her feel special.

I gathered that her husband was not a very

Nevertheless, back to the perfect man. He did

After a bit she got a little misty and said that

growing taller was out of the question.

We laughed and started talking.

nothing like her ex-husband.

daisies at the cemetery.

Chance meeting

unable to unhook the hanger.

not a possibility.

Kudos to Kendrick Oil Co. to fix the street and it will be voters. for saving Friona taxpayers returned to the city once work

The school board election May 7 results: Ricky Barnett 440. Becky Riethmayer 399, Maria Monreal Garcia 207. Close to 400 people chose early voting. Barnett and Riethmayer were incumbents. I'm told 533 people voted. Big ing to city manager Patricia thanks to Kathy Sandoval at Phipps. Kendrick Oil is esti- the school administration ofmated to spend about \$150,000 fice for serving those 400 early

any restaurant she wanted to dine. About mid-

afternoon, he called to see if she had made up

sirens were coming from that direction. She ran

To date, God has not put another wonderful

man in her life but she has the happy memories

of an angel that graced her life for a short while.

tioned that 'my friend' had bought the same skirt

I was buying. I sheepishly told her that we had

show us how easily friends can be made and to

I would like to thank all of the Friona churches

that sponsored 2016 Senior dinners. The meals

were delicious and the fellowship was memo-

The young woman that checked me out men-

would be by to pick her up.

never met before that day.

teach us a lesson about love.

his house.

Congrats to Chieftain baseball. For the first time in Check out the team photo

Duran. Good luck coaches and cheerleaders.

Andrews is 168 miles from school history a baseball team Friona. It is tough to figure out won a playoff game, beating the logistics for parents and Childress 2 out of 3 to win fans to attend the Chiefs playthe bi-district Golden Glove. off games with Alpine. First game is 6:00 p.m. Thursday, and info on the front page. then the second/third games The team has two brothers, start at 3:00 p.m. Saturday. To Matthew Mireles, a freshman drive roundtrip in one day is and Mason Mireles a senior. tough. Alpine has some ath-They also have twin brothers, letes in the state track meet sophomores Ivan and Isaac Friday so I'm told they will fly them to Austin for track then back to Andrews for baseball Saturday. The Chieftain team will stay in a hotel from Thursday to Saturday. On Friday they will have study hall and batting practice and some relax time before Saturday's game.

To help with volleyball camp this summer, volleyball moms Britny Pope and Casey gussied up and he would be by to take her out to Sharrock are taking orders for smoked pork ribs available for pick up Saturday May 28 from her mind where she wanted to go. She had not 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the but he said for her to be ready at seven and he Interbank parking lot. Graduation is May 27 and Memo-Seven o'clock came and went and she started rial Day is Monday May 30. to worry because he had never been late. She A long weekend with visitors called the sheriff and he said he would go to in town for graduation mean check on him. That was when she heard the si- you can let them help with rens. He lived about two blocks away and the cooking.

The ribs are \$35 per rack. down to the corner and the ambulance was at The volleyball girls will have a car wash that day and sell sau-He had been mowing his yard that afternoon sage wraps for \$2.00. All the would ever be another wonderful man in her life. leyball girls. To order you can call or text Britny at 806-346-3001 or order on the Friona Trading Post Facebook page.

It was nice to see Paige Tyler in the Friona post office this week. Paige has been carrying It is funny how people come into our lives to a walking postal route in Hereford for some time but is now back home with us. Yay.

No JV cheerleaders for next school year. Amber Drake, cheerleader sponsor, says tryouts were held and not enough girls tried out or made the squad. Two girls that tried out for JV were moved up so there will be 10 varsity cheerleaders. The tryouts were judged

by three Texas Tech students/

Matthew Samarron, son of Jose and Marie, was seriously injured when a car hit his motorcycle. Matthew is in the military and the accident occurred in Fayetteville, North Carolina. He suffered many broken bones and I think a fractured back. Let's keep Matthew and family in our thoughts for a full recovery.

The annual all-sports banquet Monday May 16 will be catered by Canna Ray. I'm told she will be serving brisket, pulled pork, baked potatoes, etc. Dana Jameson will be covering the awards for the newspaper but I think I will go pay the \$10 just to eat some Canna cooking. Everyone is invited to attend. No advance tickets were sold so it is \$10 at the door.

The Friona Noon Lions met last Thursday with 12 members and club sweetheart Courtney Bunker present. The club will put out the U.S. flags around town on Armed Forces Day Saturday May 21 and Memorial Day Monday May 30. The next blood drive is Thursday June 2 during National Dairy Month. Donors will no doubt receive some dairy products and the club discussed cooking corn dogs. The club will Cookoff. The next Noon Lions meeting will be Thursday May 19 at Headquarters Restaurant. Come visit or join.

Kiewit is the name of the company subcontracting with TxDOT to repave Highway 60. You may have seen some of their trucks around. I spoke with a couple of Kiewit workers one morning this week at Fast Stop. They are going to begin next week I think and will be re-paving Highway 60 starting west of town at the country club bridge and go 5.6 miles west then back east. I asked why just five miles and they did not know. They said

that is what TxDOT ordered.

They said if should take until the first part of August to complete. See the TxDOT press release on the front page.

That particular stretch of Hwy 60 is heavily traveled by truck traffic. Starting at the Case House, J.D. Heiskell, CHS, and Cargill there is constant truck traffic. Maybe it will be some improvement. I hope so.

Choir Follies Tuesday May 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. Admission is \$5.00 and there will be plenty of desserts and coffee and stuff. John Bonner is choir director. Ya'll come.

Another accident at the Cargill plant during shift change Tuesday afternoon about 2:45 p.m. A Chevy Malibu trying to beat traffic to enter the plant was struck by an eastbound Mustang. The Mustang ended up in the median. See the photos on page one. Over the years we have covered many accidents at the Cargill entrance. Everyone says "they need to do something out there" but in reality there is not much that can be done short of a stop light. Mostly it is just dumb driving and not. paying attention.

They had a Texas license plate auction. Someone paid and apparently had a massive coronary. He did proceeds help fund volleyball also be selling our world fa- \$5250.00 for a plate with 1836 for 34 years and after divorcing her husband, she not suffer but she was left to wonder if there camps for the high school vol- mous French fries at the July on it. Another paid \$1600.00 19 Cheeseburger Festival & for 1234. Then 5678 went for \$950.00. The auction resulted in \$29,500 in sales. Who knew?

After 29 years Erma Brownd will retire from the Friona Co-Op Gin in June. She said they hired her part time until they could find somebody. Erma has been a fixture at the gin and we wish her well in her retirement years. They are looking for a replacement. See the classified ad in this Star.

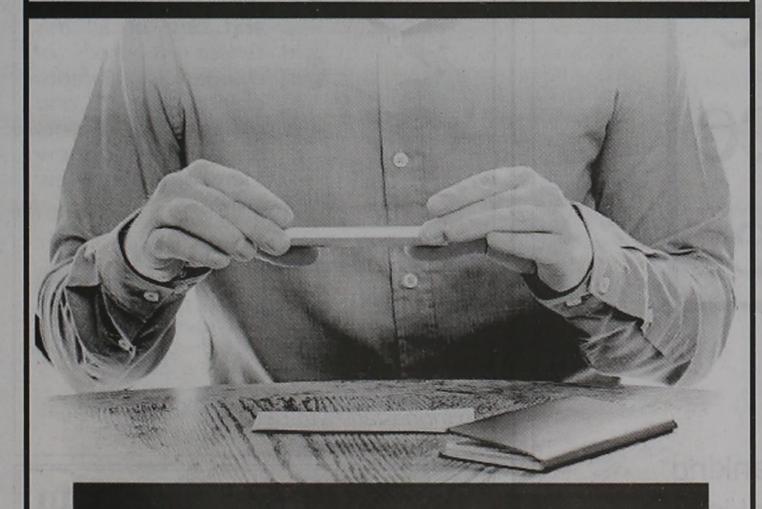
The next two Friona Stars will be counting down to graduation. We've been busy but that is a good thing. See you next week. Until then!

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Friona Flashbacks



News from Sunday, May 13, 1979

\*Extensive renovations' of Friona's East Little League park, plus improvement at the new softball field at Reeve Lake were approved for funding this week by City of Friona and the Friona Chamber of Commerce.

It was pointed out that Friona has made a bid to host the district Little League tournament this summer, which is usually held in Borger.

The older East Little League Park is not a legal size for district competition, and is needing new lights. The league officials plan to tear down the outfield the light standards using Quartz- weeks ago. ite lamps, which provide more light for less power used.

been estimated at \$7,000.

across from Prairie Acres.

\*Leslie White will be competplaced second in the 880-yard rillo forty-two years ago.

fence, move it back and replace dash at the regional meet two

\*Back before we had Curry Motor Freight or O&A Express Cost of the renovation has to deliver freight, Friona merchants and residents could de-\*Wilda Millican and Velma pend on T.N. Jasper and his oxen Lovett turned the first shovels of team to deliver their goods. Mr. dirt to break ground at the new Jasper, his large Holstein oxen Senior Citizens' center, which and open wagon were a familiar will be built on 15th Street sight for many years on Friona Streets.

\*Congratulations are in order ing in the state track and field for Hap and Julia O'Brian Fairmeet Friday night at the Univer- child. They were married at Polk sity of Texas in Austin. White Street Methodist Church in Ama-

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The Bigs in Schools program ended the with games and refreshments for the 'Littles'. The Elementary school teachers surprised the volunteers with lunch in the teachers' workroom. Standing are site monitor Connie Slagle, Sharon White, Jeri Lynn White and Big Brothers Big Sisters Executive Director Sara Pesina. Seated are Jamie Lewellen, Cheryl Procter, Glenda Procter, Jyl Grimsley and Varla Wilcos. Not pictured are Sherri Taylor, Linda Smith, Connie Johnson, Sharon Rector, Heather Ramos and Pedro Ramos. Bigs is a tutoringmentoring program in which an adult volunteer works with one child during his lunch hour one day per week. Volunteers are always needed. Contact Connie Slagle or Sara Pesina for more information.

## May 2016 sales tax increases 3.71 percent

Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar announced he will send cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts \$767.7 million in local sales tax allocations for May, 1.1 percent more than in May 2015. These allocations are based on sales made in March by businesses that report tax monthly, and sales made in January, February and March by quarterly

Parmer County received a May payment of \$64,910.10, which is 2.04 percent higher than the 2015 payment of \$63,606.96. To date Parmer County has received \$285,976.60, which is a 3.71 percent increase over the 2015 payments of \$275,724.92. The payments to Parmer County are broken down as fol-

Bovina has a current sales tax rate of 2.000 percent and

received a May 2016 payment of \$12,987.71, which is an increase of 3.86 percent higher than the 2015 payment of \$12,504.26. To date Bovina has received \$58,758.75, which is a 4.31 percent increase over the 2015 payments of \$56,327.95. Farwell has a current sales tax rate of 1.500 percent and received a May 2016 payment of \$11,445.53, which is a 13.78

Farwell has received sale tax of \$53,671.77, which is a decrease of 0.97 percent from the 2015 payments of \$54,200.25. Friona has a current sales tax rate of 2.000 percent and re-Jacy and Landon Weatherly are proud to announce the birth of ceived a May 2016 payment of \$40,479.86, which is a decrease Beau Vincent Weatherly at 9:51 a.m. on March 29, 2016. Beau of -1.38 percent from the 2015 payment of \$41,044.21. To date Friona has received \$173,546.08, which is an increase of 5.05

percent increase from the 2015 payment of \$10,058.49. To date

For details on May sales tax allocations to individual cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose districts, visit the Comptroller's Monthly Sales Tax Allocation Comparison Summary Reports.



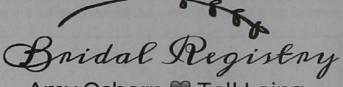
Beau Vincent Weatherly

weighed 6 lbs. and 10 oz.

Big brother Bennett and big sister Ellie Jo welcomed their little percent from the 2015 payments of \$165,196.72.

Proud grandparents are Buddy and Mia: Jayson & Jyl Grimsley and great-grandparents David & Uldene Grimsley and William & Kathryn Gromowsky.





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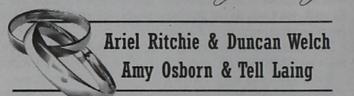
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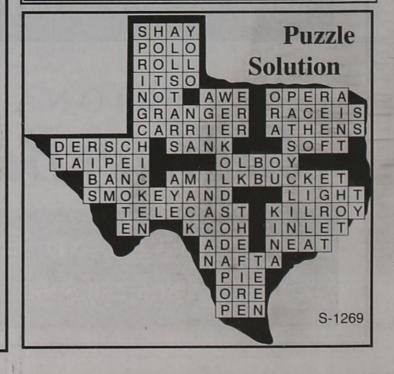


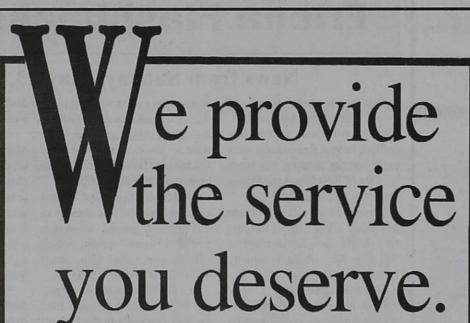
Friona The Star welcomes everyone to bring in your new arrivals photos and information. We love seeing the new babies and best of all this service is free of Parents, charge. grandparents great-grandparents brag a little and show the world your new arrival.

Photos and write-ups can be brought by the Friona Star office at 916 Main in Friona, Monday through Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. or sent to frionastar@wtrt.net.



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## A New Hope

#### **BRETT HOYLE, Pastor, First Baptist Church**

Sorry Star Wars fans, this article is not about the force, but about needing a fresh start. Have you even needed a fresh start in life? Maybe the bottom fell out, marriage flew apart, the job did not end up being all it was cracked up to be, the addiction got out of control, or a host of other circumstances may have led to the mess you were in, but the reality was the you needed a new hope. The nation of Israel was in such a position as they turned their backs on God and reaped disastrous consequences. In light of their unfaithfulness and sinfulness, God still gave them a new hope in Jeremiah 31:31-40.

The new hope was actually a new covenant, which was going to change God's relationship with people from the law laden Covenant that was made on Mount Saini many generations ago. The New Covenant promised a renewed internalizing of God's Word, emphasized a personal relationship with God that caused Him to identify with His people and His people to identify with them. This New Covenant was such a new hope, though, because in Jeremiah 31:34b God says "For I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more." In other words, the sin that separates you from God will be removed and the path opened to live with Him. In fact, this New Covenant was sealed on Calvary as Jesus poured out His blood on the cross, then rose victorious from the grave. Jesus' life, death and resurrection initiates the new covenant because no matter who you are, what you've done or where you've been, there is hope and forgiveness in Christ for all who will turn to Him.

#### Disappointment Happens By TEENA HUGHS

I just finished watching the Texas Rangers lose in 12 innings to the Chicago White Sox, the sixth loss in a row to Chicago...disappointing.

I looked on Facebook following the game, and I read a letter from a lady in Lawrence, Kansas. She had seen some Texas Tech baseball players give money to a man in need, commenting that the players were kind and respectful to the man...NOT disappointing.

I have had quite a few disappointments lately, some really small (like the Rangers losing), some really big (like God not answering my prayers the way I desire). Either way, I don't like how I feel when I am disappointed. I try to get rid of the feelings by reminding myself how blessed I am; by trying to be thankful for everyone and everything in my life; by reminding myself of prayers God has answered; by telling myself to quit being such a spoiled brat!!! After I have had one of my "poor pitiful me" moments, and God works everything out better than I could ever imagine, I feel worse for having wallowed in my disappointments.

Most of my disappointments stem from things I have absolutely no control over. So, why do I let disappointments have so much control of my life at times?

Disappointments can become a way of life. When I have several in a row, I start focusing on them, wondering what/when the next one is going to be.

There is also a comfort level when you live in disappointment. If you expect to be disappointed, then you don't look for life's good things; you expect the negative to happen, not the positive.

We can't help being disappointed from time to time; it is how we handle the disappointments that determine how they affect us. Right now, I am waiting and trusting God to change some of my disappointments. His timing is always best. I need to let Him be in charge, knowing that whatever He does is always right!

I have a choice: let disappointments control me, or give them to God and let Him handle them, while I enjoy life.

## **Panhandle Parables** Safest Place On Earth

#### By JEFF PROCTER, Minister, 6th Street Church of Christ

From the age of 5 until I was 14 I lived in what I deemed the safest place on earth, 911 Cleveland St. I lived between Dr. Lee Spring to the south and Dr. Paul Spring to the west. Many grand adventures played out for us. We had a forest of fruit trees in Dr. Paul's yard where we could play Robin Hood or if Ms. June came out to her garden area with their cocker spaniel named Henry we could get an apple and catch butterflies. At Dr. Lee's house we would go to their basement even if it wasn't stormy and play pool. They were all great neighbors. Dr. Paul and Dr. Lee were gentle giants in my memory. We learned that if we saw tail lights in Dr. Lee's garage we needed to get to our yard quick because he would be rushing to the hospital to help someone. I was also pretty sure Dr. Lee had married the Queen of England who went by the code name of Ms. Ann. It was safe after all living between two physicians what could be safer.

From time to time I think about those days and am thankful for the kind neighbors that actually surrounded us. Safety is a hard thing to come by in this world. Safety is a longing that does not belong to just one class of folks. We all desire it.

Jesus was also known as the Great Physician. He cared for people, he loved people beyond His own grave and yes He is a safe place. He helped people find refuge and safety by giving us courage to know that if death did not hold Him, it would not hold those who believe in Him either.

My challenge for you this week is to recognize that Jesus truly is a safe place of refuge, and also to recognize the beauty and safety that can come from a good neighbor. Start by being a good neighbor. Have a great week in the Lord.

## **OBITUARIES**

#### Frances Jesko Larson

Our beloved mother, sister, aunt, and friend Frances "Elaine" Jesko Larson, 64, of Amarillo passed away Friday May 6, 2016, in Friona after courageously and graciously battling Alzheimer's.

A rosary and memorial funeral mass were held Monday May 9, 2016 at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Hereford, Texas. The Reverend Tony Neusch of Hereford, Reverend Swamy Aakula of Friona, and Deacon John Peters of Amarillo were celebrants. Inurnment followed in the St. friends she met in her journeys Anthony's Catholic Cemetery in Hereford. Arrangements were Home of Friona.

Jesko, Larry Jesko, Judy Dennis, in the end comforted many. and Debbie Gallman.

ter time in Levelland she moved in Heaven. closer to home to Muleshoe, child Nyman.

States as well as England.

beautiful home décor items. She became an established window treatment and interior designer in Amarillo until her health no longer allowed her to do so. an active member of St. Mary's tates and Prairie Acres Nursing Cathedral and was involved with Home in Friona. the ACT's Retreat where she served on the board of directors be made to the Disciples of the for three years.

ments. One of Elaine's favorite things to do was send and receive Christmas cards to and from family and all the special



near and far.

She will be remembered as a by Blackwell-Mullins Funeral person who loved our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, her Catho-Honorary pallbearers were lic faith, her son and family. Billie Jean Glenn, Lee Dennis Elaine was a great planner which

Elaine was preceded in death Elaine was born April 24, by her parents and two brothers 1952 in Friona to Alexander Donald and Kenneth Jesko, and John and Lucy Schmitz Jesko. a sister Mary Carolyn Jesko. She After completing high school in often shared many memories of Lazbuddie, Texas she elected to her brother Kenny whom she go to Levelland Jr. College. Af- loved dearly and will be joining

She is survived by many who Texas. On April 24, 1974 she loved her including her son and received a special birthday gift daughter-in-law Nyman and as she gave birth to her only Sandra Russell of Las Cruces, New Mexico; her siblings Billie Some years later Elaine part- Jean Glenn and husband Don nered in several business ven- of Amarillo, Lee Dennis Jesko tures in Eastern New Mexico. and wife Brenda, Wayne Jesko Elaine's life journey with her and wife Liz and Larry Jesko family took her to several and wife Sherri all of Muleshoe, military locations in the United Judy Dennis and husband Jack of Friona, and Debbie Gallman Elaine moved to Amarillo and husband Dale of Bovina. in 2001 and was a talented She is also survived by many individual who created many loving nephews and nieces of whom Elaine was very proud.

The family would like to extend their thanks to all that prayed and shared time with Elaine. Special thanks to all of During those years Elaine was the staff at Friona Heritage Es-

The family suggests memorials Lord Jesus Christ, Prayer Town She loved to garden in her Sisters, PO Box 64, Prayer Town, spare time, watch college bas- Texas 79010-0064 or research ketball. Spend time with her for Alzheimer's Disease at Mayo pets, and do volunteer assign- Clinic. You may sign the online register at blackwellmullins.com.



First Baptist Church clothes closet will be open Saturday May 14 at 10:00 a.m. All items are free and everyone is welcome.

**Area Church Directory** 

#### Esta Lee Lide

Esta Lee Lide, 87, of Bovina died Friday, May 6, 2016 in Friona. Graveside services were held Monday May 9, 2016 at the Bovina Cemetery with Pastor Steve Friskup of the Muleshoe Cowboy Fellowship officiating. Burial followed by Blackwell-Mullins Funeral Home of Friona.

Mrs. Lide was born June 12, 1928 in Amherst, Texas to James Edward and Rosa Bell Dunn Roberts. She married Edwin Lide August 28, 1946. They moved to Bovina in 1956 to continue their family farm life.

She was president of the Bovina Senior Citizens, supported the Bovina schools, Bovina Rop- Donna Beth Strickland of Tucing Club, and Bull Town Days. son, Arizona; 8 grandchildren She was a member of the First April, Dustin, Amber, Angela, Baptist Church in Bovina.

her parents, husband, sisters nieces and nephews. Alma Clayton, Imogene McCormick, and Ophelia Latimer and a brother C.R. Roberts.



Survivors include: one son, Eddie Don Lide and wife Chantel of Bovina; one daughter, Kim, Justin, Emily, and Alex; She is preceded in death by several great grandchildren,

> You may sign the online register book at blackwellmullins.

### William "Bill" F. Bandy

William "Bill" F. Bandy, 88, of Amarillo died Tuesday May 3, 2016. Memorial services were held Saturday May 7, 2016 at Hillside Christian Church Chapel, West Campus, 6100 S. Soncy Road. Burial was private. Arrangements were by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors.

Bill was born December 27, 1927, in Hill County. He was the eldest child born to Fredrick and Viola Bandy. Bill was raised and attended school in Donley County. He served as a corporal in the United States Army in the Philippines at the end of World War II.

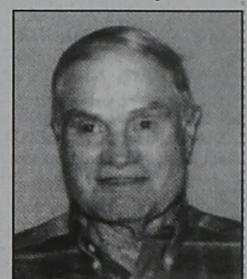
They enjoyed more than 61 years of marriage and farmed and ranched together in Parmer and Carson counties. Together they raised five children. They made their first home in Friona before moving to Panhandle, and their last few years in Amarillo.

Bill was a farmer, rancher, pilot, and businessman. During his lifetime he went from farming with teams of horses to farming with GPS enabled equipment. He was grandfather of five and great grandfather to nine with a tenth great grandchild on the

He was a wicked croquet and ping pong player and his grandchildren knew him to be a relentless kickball player. He was a member of Panhandle Wheat Producers, was named Carson County Farmer of the Year, and a loyal supporter of Boys Ranch.

Bill and Mary were West Texas A&M University Parents of the Year in 1985 and the first endowed Association.

He was preceded in death by his 60766, Canyon, TX 79016.



wife Mary Phipps Bandy.

Survivors include his son Bill Ban-In 1949 he married Mary Phipps. dy of Amarillo; four daughters, Kathy Adams and Alecia Bandy of Amarillo, Janice Henson and husband Rusty of Quitaque, Texas and Jeannie Albritton and husband Tommy of Seymour, Texas; one sister Clara Daniel and husband Norman of Canyon, Texas: one brother Eugene Bandy and wife Patsy of Friona, Texas; five grandchildren, Jamie Adams of Amarillo, Walt Henson and wife Lindsey of Canyon, Lauren Bush and husband Joe of Seymour, Jennifer Hale and husband Colby of Ft. Worth, and Wes Henson and wife Mica of Bronte, Texas; nine great grandchildren, Katen, Emma, and Will Adams, Josiah and Benjamin Bush, and Gracie, Lily, Anna, and Charis Henson; four sisters-in-law Daisy Beversdorf of Haltom City, June Collier of Amarillo, Jane Houlette and husband Dale of Friona, Geraldine Ferguson and husband Kenneth of Burleson, and Wanda Phipps of Abernathy.

The family has requested donations members of the WTAMU Alumni to the Bill Bandy Agriculture Support Fund c/o WTAMU Foundation, Box

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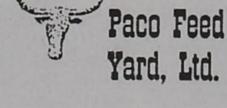
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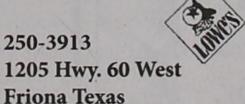
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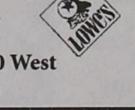


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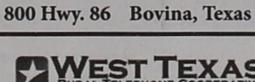
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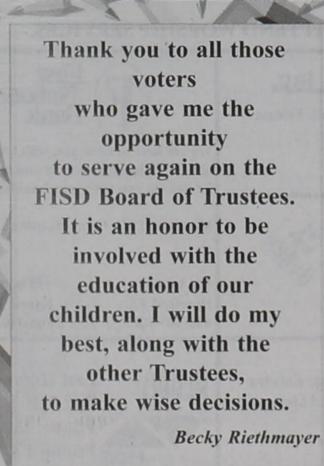


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Barry Allen and Brenda Allen-Curtis Allen, Debbie Allen, Danny Allen and Delia Kay Allen, SE/4 S30 T2N R1E, NE/4 S30 T2N R1E, S 170.97 Ac. E 431.94 Ac. S31 T2N R1E, N 170.97

Warranty deeds are reported by the County Ac. E 341.94 Ac. S31 T2N R1E, N 170.97 Ac. W 341.94 Ac. S31 T2N R1E, NW/4 S32 T2N R1E, NW/4 S29 T2N R1E.

Arno G. Massey, Becky L. Wood, Sheila K. Brack and Lisa D. Massey-Gerardo Zalazar, 8.0

Jerrie Tims-Patricia Ann Foster, L11-16 B41 OT Farwell.

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Robert Mitzelfelt and Mary Lee Mitzelfelt-Doyle K. Goldsmith and Jennie C. Goldsmith, L31-32 B47 OT Farwell.

Stephen W. Pierson and Bobbie K. Pierson-TP Farms, LLC., 1.60 Ac. SE Corner SW/4 S26 T10S R2E.



## Sheriff's Report

Reported by the Parmer County Sheriff's Of- of assault. The case is pending in County Court. fice:

May 3, 2016

Marcelo Vega, 19, of Portales, NM, was arrested by the Department of Public Safety on a charge of possession of marijuana less than two ounces. The case is pending in County Court.

Pedro Miguel, 47, of Friona, was arrested by the Department of Public Safety on a charge of driving while intoxicated. The case is pending in County Court.

May 6, 2016

Bibrana Chavez-Lopez, 19, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department on a charge

Jose Maldonado, 39, of Bovina, was arrested by the Bovina Police Department on a charge of failure to register as a sex offender. The case is pending in District Court.

Martin Gama, 23, of Hereford, TX, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office on a charge of burglary of a habitation. The case is pending in District Court.

May 7, 2016 Daniel Reyes, 35, of Clovis, NM, was arrested by the Department of Public Safety on a charge of possession of a controlled substance PG1 more than one gram and less than four grams. The case

is pending in District Court.



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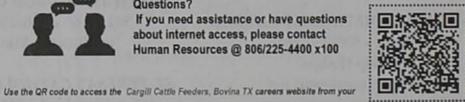


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Captain America

(12:00) • 3:20 • (6:40) • 9:50

Mother's Day

12:15 · 3:35 · 6:50 · 9:35

Barbershop: The Next Cut

12:35 · 3:45 · 7:00 · 9:45

Huntsman: Winter's War

1:00 • 4:15 • 7:05 • 9:45

Jungle Book

1:00 - 4:00 - 7:00 - 9:30

Money Monster

12:00 • 2:25 • 4:50 • 7:15 • 9:40

Fri. 13th: Open at 6:15 Sat. 14h: All showings Sunday 15th: All but last shows Monday 16th - Wednesday 18th: 7's Only

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3/3/2 Brick w/central h&a, fireplace, Western Addition, corner lot, fenced backyard with storage, carport, sprinkler, 2 yr. roof....

3/2/2 Brick w/central heat & air, fireplace, (2) storage buildings in fenced backyard,

2/3/2 Brick w/central heat & air, fireplace, finished basement, sprinkler f&b, attic storage, new roof, fenced backyard, close to High School.....

2/3/2 Brick w/central h&a, fireplace, finished basement, sprinkler f&b, attic storage new roof, fenced backyard, close to H.S .....

3/1 Brick w/carport, central heat & air, 2 living areas, original hardwood flooring

in living room, fenced dog run, storage bldg. corner lot....



3/2/2 Brick w/central heat & air, wood burning stove, (2) storage buildings, large patio, sprinkler front & back, extra lot, metal fenced yard

## Let us sell your property!

### Friona ISD Title I/ **Parent Involvement Meeting**

**Bucket Truck** 

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SAMARRON TREE TRIMMING & STUMP GRINDING

Monday, May 16, 6:45 PM Friona Junior High Auditorium **Community Welcome to Attend Review Title Programs and Funds** 

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### **POSITION AVAILABLE:**

#### **Registered Nurse**

NIGHTS (8PM-8AM)

**POSITION REQUIREMENTS:** 

· Must possess a valid and current Registered Nurse License in the State of Texas. (or compact license with the State of Texas).

Current BCLS certification required.

**COMPETITIVE BENEFITS PACKAGES** 

To apply, send resume or fill out an application at:

Parmer Medical Center

**Human Resources** 

1307 Cleveland, Friona, TX 79035

Complete job descriptions and application available online

www.ParmerMedicalCenter.com

Prairie Acres is hiring for the following FULL TIME positions: Certified Medication Aide (CMA), Certified Nurse Aide (CNA). Shifts will vary. PART TIME LVN for evening medication pass. Apply in person at Prairie Acres 201 E 15th St. Friona Texas 79035 or call for more info at 806-250-3922

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Nursery worker needed for Sunday morning services and special events at First Baptist Church in Bovina. CPR certification preferred. Inquire to Stan Miller for full job description and wages-(806) 225-7288.

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## HELP WANTED

Technicians needed for Tire and Oil Change Service.

> Please apply at 205 Gardner St. Bovina, TX.

**FT Production Processing Manager,** please send resume to: Carson@ GaylandWardSeed. com or call (806) 258-7394

tfn: 12.18

Friona Farmers Coop Gin is looking for a dependable person for the full-time bookkeeper position. Duties of this position include but are not limited to: Typing reports and correspondence. Initiating orders for supplies, materials, equipment and services. Making ledger entries, debit and credit, and forwarding accounting copy. Keeping financial records and books. Performing other duties as assigned.

Required Qualifications: Ability to type at least 40 words per minute. Ability to keep a complete set of books under minimal supervision and possess all necessary knowledge and skills involved in the hand bookkeeping process. Ability to meet and work effectively with the public. Ability to maintain effective working relationship with all employees. Knowledge of office procedures. Functional Literacy.

Drop resume at Friona Farmers Coop Gin or email to Duncan Welch at Friona.coop.3@pcca.com

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AgTexas honored FFA students from around the Panhandle with a banquet at Amarillo County Club recently. Above, I-r, AgTexas Senior Credit Officer Robert Jones, Friona FFA students Cody Stowers, Courtney Bunker, Josh Barnett, and Friona FFA ag teacher Tracy Blount.



Kiewit Infrastructure South Co (KISC), located in Texas, is looking for heavy equipment operators, laborers, CDL drivers and quality control to build the Texas Department of Transportation highway project in Friona, TX.

#### Requirements include:

- Experienced Blade Operator
- **Experienced Mixer Operator**
- TxDot 1B Roadway Certified Preferred
- Ability to work weekends

If you or someone you know is interested in any of these positions please apply online at http://kiewit.com/, click on Careers then Apply Today using the search term "Friona" to view a list of open positions. Project can also be reached at (817) 337-7054.

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The Friona FFA held their annual banquet on Tuesday, May 10 at the Friona Community Center. They were honoring all the achievements of their members during the recent school year. Pictured are all the members and officers. The story with all the awards will be in the May 19 edition of the Friona Star.



dana jameson photo

on Tuesday evening.



FFA Seniors Carlos Prieto, Seth Fothergill, Esmeralda Barrandey, Courtney Bun- Ladies First... Chelsi Gomez, left, and Courtney Bunker, right, led the FFA officers ker, Cody Stowers and Josh Barnett honored their mothers at the annual banquet through the buffet line Tuesday night. The brisket was prepared by the FFA members in a smoker that was built in class.



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