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Love Fund for Jazlynn

A love fund has been established at Friona InterBank for 7-year-old Jazlynn Simein. She is the daughter of Amanda Villanueva, granddaughter of Ruben and Laurie Villanueva and great-granddaughter of David and Emma Davila.

Jazlynn was diagnosed with Chiari Malformation in January. She also has Syringomyelia and Pulmonary Valve Stenosis. She will undergo heart surgery on Thursday, November 10 in Fort Worth for a hole in her heart. She will also undergo brain surgery in the near future.

Donations will go towards medical, travel, and so her mother can take time off work to care for her. The family thanks and extends their prayers to the community for their help.

Woods wins contest grand prize

David Woods of Friona was the grand prize winner of the 10-week football contest with a total of 88 points. Congratulations to David and all of our contestants who played. A big thanks to all of our football contest sponsors for their support.

In the Week 10 football contest, six contestants had nine correct picks. Using the Texas 45 Texas Tech 37 tie-breaker, Raul Brailiff was the Week 10 winner at 6 points off the tie-breaker. Yvette Garcia won 2nd place at 15 off the tie-breaker. Others with 9 correct and their points off the tie-breaker are Sue Walker 21, Frank Dominguez Jr 23, Bailee Brailiff 23, and Mike Field 26.

November pre-natal classes

The Healthy Baby Coalition of Parmer County provides free education to expectant mothers in Parmer County. The classes are for not only first time moms, but mothers who already have 1 or more children. Classes are available in both English and Spanish.

To sign-up for classes, please stop by the Parmer Medical Center conference room Saturday, November 12, from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Classes are typically held on Saturday mornings once a month, but times can also be customized to meet special needs.

Mothers who participate in the classes earn points to use for free baby items for their newborn. The "Baby's Bin" has a great selection of items from car seats to diapers. Mothers who have been through the classes have a wide selection of items to choose from.

For more information about the coalition, see a HBC Board member or contact Heidi Eichenauer at 806 250-2754 or JoDonna Terry at 295-8291.

Christmas in the Park tree lighting

Christmas in the Park will be Monday, December 5 with the arrival of Santa at 5 p.m. to the depot at the city park.

Santa will arrive with Miss Friona and Little Miss Friona will be available for children to deliver their lists until 7:30 p.m.

Churches, businesses, organizations and youth groups are asked to come together to make the city park shine. Trees can be adopted and decorated with decorating beginning several days before December 5.

Booths are available for \$30 and \$60. Vendors can start setting up at 4 p.m. on December 5. Deadline for attaining a booth is Friday, December 2.

For more information on adopting a tree or booths contact the Chamber office at (806) 250-3491.

Parade of Lights Dec. 5

The Christmas Parade of Lights is new this year and will be incorporated with Christmas in the Park on Monday, December 5. The Parmer County Sheriff's Office and Friona Chamber of Commerce are joining forces to bring more joy to the festivities during Santa's visit.

The parade will begin staging at the Methodist Church at 5:30 p.m. The parade will begin at sundown and wind its way past the city park for everyone that is visiting with Santa can enjoy the lights. All entries must be lighted.

Entries can be commercial, organizational, antique auto, antique tractor, horse & pony, walking unit, truck/trailer or other. Deadline for entries is Friday, December 2.

Please return forms to the Parmer County Sheriff's Office at 300 4th Street in Farwell, ross.paiz@parmercounty.net, (806) 481-3303 or fax (806) 481-3305. Forms may also be sent to the Chamber office at 621 Main Street in Friona, fedc@wvrt.net, (806) 250-3491, or fax (806) 250-2348.



dana jameson photo

David Woods, center, receives his \$100 football contest grand prize check from Darrin Gilley, left, and Greg O'Brian at Friona Wheat Growers, one of the football contest sponsors. Woods won with 88 points in the 10-week contest that ended November 3. Final standings are elsewhere in this Star. Thanks to all of our contestants and our football contest sponsors for your support.

Parmer County election results

There are 4,461 registered voters in Parmer County. In the November 8 election the county clerk's office reports 2,488 Parmer County ballots were cast. Voting straight party were 1,244 Republican, 317 Democrat, 20

Libertarian, and 2 Green.

In the Presidential election Trump/Pence received 1,911 votes, Clinton/Kaine 484, Johnson/Weld 55, and Stein/Baraka 4. There were 21 write-in votes. For U.S. Representative Jodey

Arrington received 1,998 votes, Tracy Bonar 162, Mark Lawson 76. State Representative District 86 John Smithee (unopposed) 2,087 votes.

District Attorney Kathryn Gurley 2,130, County Attorney

Jeff Atkinson 2,132, Sheriff Randy Geris 2,165, County Tax Assessor Bobbie Pierson 2,138, County Commissioner Precinct 1 Kirk Frye 664, and County Commissioner Precinct 2 Kenny White 693, all ran unopposed.

Veterans Day Schedule Friday, November 11

Veterans Breakfast at *The Redeemer Center* 7 a.m. to 9 a.m.
Veterans Day Program at *FHS Gym* 10 a.m.

Council to increase water, sewer rates

The Friona city council will meet in regular session Monday November 14 at 6:30 p.m. in council chambers at 619 Main St. All council meetings are open to the public. The first business item on each monthly agenda is for public comments.

Council will consider and take action on approval of an ordinance amending Friona

code of ordinances related to meter deposits, and to changing water rates and water rates to be charged for each additional thousand gallons of water used and setting an effective date.

Consider and take action on approval of an ordinance amending Friona code of ordinances increasing residential and commercial sewer rates and setting

an effective date.

The council will take action in a resolution in opposition to revenue caps and legislative interference with local services. Council will hear the monthly police department report.

The council will consider and take action to approve a variance by the Friona Credit Union to encroach on the city's 10' ease-

ment to build a fence around the dumpster that is located on the edge of the street.

Accounts payable and financial statements will be discussed and approved. All of these items make up the tentative council agenda and are subject to change or additions. The final agenda is posted at city hall 72 hours prior to the meeting.



courtesy photos

These ladies had fun and got into the Christmas spirit early with a painting party at Ivy Cottage. It is metal art and the painters had a choice of a truck or stocking. Paint supplies and refreshments were furnished. Misty Frye said she may schedule another paint party in December. Check it out on her Facebook page or call Ivy Cottage for more information.



Send Calendar information to: frionastar@wrt.net, call (806) 250-2211 or fax (806) 250-5127

Nov. 11-VETERANS DAY
Nov. 11-Veteran's Day Program at FHS gym 10 a.m.

Nov. 11-VG/VB Basketball Scrimmage at Christ the King Lubbock 6/7:30 p.m.

Nov. 12-Fall Harvest Gala at St. Anthony School Gym in Hereford

Nov. 13-Grief and the Holidays workshop at Friona Heritage Estates Day Room at 2 p.m.

Nov. 13-Annual German Sausage Dinner at St. Mary's Church in Umbarger

Nov. 14-FISD School Board Meeting at Administration Building at 7 p.m.

Nov. 15-JVB/JVG/VG/VB Basketball vs. Tulia at Home 5/5/6:30/8 p.m.

Nov. 17-Homemade Bread Day

Nov. 18-JVB/VG/VB Basketball vs. Texline at Home 5/6:30/8 p.m.

Nov. 18-C/JVG Basketball at Lazbuddie 5/6:30 p.m.

Nov. 19-Christmas in Friona Open Houses 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.-Creative Chaos, Interior Expressions, Ivy Cottage, Milk House Market

Nov. 20-First Baptist Church Kids Choir Thanksgiving musical 10:40 a.m.

Nov. 20-Annual Community Thanksgiving Service at Friona United Methodist Church at 6 p.m.

Nov. 22-JVB/JVG/VG/VB Basketball vs. Bovina at Home 5/5/6:30/8 p.m.

Nov. 23-Early School Dismissal

Nov. 24-THANKSGIVING

Nov. 29-JVB/JVG/VG/VB Basketball vs. Boys Ranch at Home 5/5/6:30/8 p.m.

Dec. 1-3-VB Basketball at Nazareth Invitational

Dec. 1-3-VG Basketball at Melrose Invitational

Dec. 1-3-9G/JVG/JVB/9B Basketball at Friona JV Invitational

Dec. 5-Christmas at the Park at 5-7:30 p.m.

Dec. 5-Christmas Parade of Lights at sundown

Dec. 6-FHS Choir Carol Around Friona

Dec. 7-Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

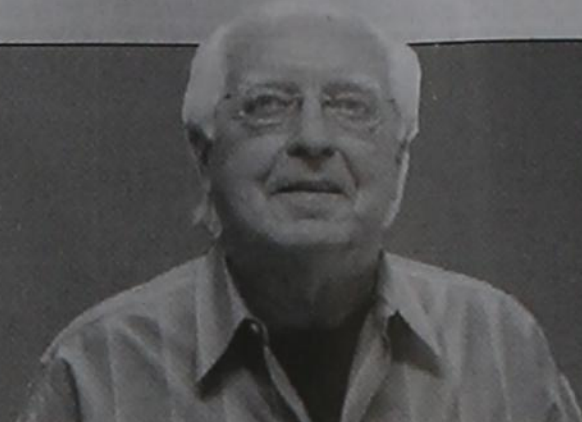
Dec. 8-10-JVG/JVB/VG/VB Basketball at Farwell Tournament

Dec. 10-Area Choir Clinic at Wayland Baptist University

Dec. 12-FHS Choir Christmas Concert at First United Methodist Church

Out Here

By Ron Carr



Aw shucks. Wish we had gone out to Las Vegas 18 months ago and bet the life savings that Donald Trump would become president of the United States. I suspect we could have gotten some great odds and have a pocket full of money today.

Hillary did not deliver her concession speech until about 11:00 a.m. Wednesday. It probably took her servants

that long to calm her down. I'm sure she had a screaming, kicking, cursing hissy fit over the top disappointment and anger. It was her time. Bill said so. Barack said so.

Somewhere north of 50 million voters did not say so. I heard some African-American TV analysts say Hillary lost because of white Americans. I say she lost because there were Americans of all

colors that just did not like or trust her.

The second most angry person in America on Wednesday was lame duck president Barack Obama. I'm sure he was locked in a room on the second floor of the White House kicking and cussing. After all he went out last week and shouted and pointed his finger at black voters and told them not to damage his legacy and

accomplishments by not voting.

He hugged Hillary and Michelle and Beyonce and Jay Z at a big concert and rally Monday night in Philadelphia. For heaven's sake, what does it take to get somebody elected around here.

I'm wondering how the sheiks and dictators feel today about the money they gave the Clintons. Not much Bill and Hill can do for them

now. I'm sure Hillary will do the right thing and return the pay for play money since there is no longer any play.

I believe Bill's speaking fee might have dropped dramatically too. Wonder what the royal couple will do for a living now. I don't see a spot in Trump's administration for them. Oh well a little \$25,000 speech might be available somewhere. He can always talk about how unfair the election was.

Are we finally rid of the Clintons? Please I hope so. If it is any consolation to you disheartened paranoid Hillary supporters, Hillary does not really care about you and would not have kept all of her campaign promises.

Neither will Trump for that matter. Politicians promise, people vote, everybody goes home and promises never happen. It has been that way always.

I admit to a great amount of glee that Hillary lost again. She thought she deserved it and that big glass ceiling was about to be broken. The Jacob Javits Center in New York where her victory party was to be held actually has a glass ceiling. But she never showed, as state after state went to Trump.

She is a crook, liar, and thief. That was not supposed to count. The trouble is she forgot that angry Americans get to vote too.

Maybe the system was rigged after all.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

U.S. Senator John Cornyn (R-TX) released the following statement in response to the Presidential election results:

"I want to congratulate President-elect Trump on his remarkable victory after one of the most hard-fought elections in recent memory. As this election made clear,

Texans and all Americans are understandably concerned for our country and the direction we're headed.

"The threat posed by radical Islamic terrorism is real and growing, as Texans were reminded just this week. Obamacare continues to implode as Texas families face higher costs and fewer choices for

coverage. And nearly eight years of President Obama's draconian regulatory regime has suffocated job creators and hamstrung an underperforming economy.

"The American people have delivered a resounding message that they're ready for change, and eager for Republicans to tackle the big chal-

lenges facing our nation. I look forward to working with President-elect Trump to address the critical issues Texans and the American people have entrusted us to solve."

As Donald Trump secured the Presidency - and as Jodey Arrington won his race for U.S. House of Representa-

tives - Arrington issued the following statement:

"Congratulations to Donald Trump on becoming the next President of the United States! As the next Congressman from District 19, I look forward to working with him to restore America's greatness, and return the power back to WE THE PEOPLE.

ON YOUR PAYROLL

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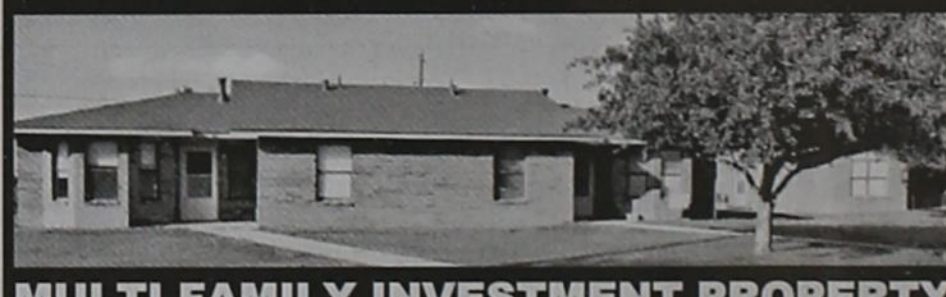
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Town Talk II

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Official weather guy John Gurley said Friona received 0.92" of rain from Wednesday through Saturday. Wednesday he said we had our first freeze Tuesday night with a temp of 31 degrees.

Band Boosters meeting Monday November 14 at 6:00 p.m. in the high school cafeteria.

Received a subscription renewal from Janee Jackson in Anton along with this note: "I enjoy receiving your paper. I worked for John Blackwell

for years and enjoy keeping informed."

A family anniversary. My brother Rick and wife Sherry celebrating 20 years this week. Congratulations ya'll. What are we having for Thanksgiving dinner?

The Umbarger German Sausage Festival is this Sunday November 13. Sausage and sauerkraut and home baked bread, all prepared by parish members.

Donations were down at

last Thursday's Friona blood drive. Coffee Blood Center reports they collected 36 donations. For some reason the Blood Center did not make calls to donors or send reminder post cards like in the past. Friona usually has 50-60 donations so not sure what happened. Our Blood Center coordinator said mobile blood center staff had gone thru some new training which may have slowed things down. That was the last drive until next year.

At AgTexas in Friona Matt Groetken has resigned. The new branch manager is local Friona grad Gerrod Salyer, son of Cheryl and Greg Salyer. Gerrod lives in Dimmitt currently.

Several have asked about my daughter Megan's health after her motorcycle accident. She has recovered nicely since the August 6 wreck. She was able to go on a 10-day cruise/tour in Europe in October with my oldest son, her brother. She is now back at work and trying to wind her way through all of the insurance/hospital/legal issues with the help of a Denton attorney. I'm so thankful for this miracle.

November 19 is the date for a Christmas open house by four of our local businesses, Ivy Cottage, Milk House Market, Interior Expressions, and Creative Chaos. The date is a Saturday and there will be sales at all of these locations.

Check out the ad in this Star.

Raul Braillif won the Week 10 football contest and came by the office to pick up his winning check. In 2000 he won the grand prize. I remember taking his photo back then. Been 16 years. Time does get away quickly. Way to go Raul. The contest is

over now and David Woods is our \$100 grand prize winner. Thanks to our sponsors and to all of our contestants.

Christmas in the Park is Monday December 5. If you want to select a tree in the park to decorate contact the Chamber. Santa will be visiting. A Christmas Lights pa-

rade is also being planned in conjunction with the Sheriff's Office. Info on both of these opportunities is included elsewhere in this Star.

Trump won. It is now President Trump. Just move along. Nothing else to see here. Until then!

Hi-Pro, 4-H collecting goods for military

Hi-Pro Feeds employees and the local 4-H is gathering supplies to send to Charlie Battery, 1-44 Air Defense Artillery stationed in Camp Buehring, Kuwait.

Friona graduate Gavin Douglas, son of Jon and Rachel Douglas, is a member of this battery. He is a 2014 graduate and will be stationed in Kuwait through mid-March 2017.

The local 4-H students and the kids from BIGS will help pack the gift bags. There are 80 soldiers

in the Battery. All local residents who would like to donate items or money can take it by to Varla Wilcox at Hi-Pro. They would like to have items collected by November 15. The following items are suggested:

Mio Energy, beef jerky, sunscreen, Dri-fit socks, candy (no chocolate), deodorant, foot powder.

Also, personal hygiene products, laundry detergent, Chapstick, gum, 5-hour Energy, corn nuts, trail mix, Chex mix, Cheese-its.



courtesy photo

SWOSU criminal justice students Armando Flores (second from left) of Friona, TX and Chase Maxwell of Elk City, OK were the second place team winners of the Criminal Justice Quiz Bowl. Congratulating them are Dr. Dorie Astle and Dr. Howard Kurtz. The competition was held in Oklahoma City. SWOSU students participated in various events including the quiz bowl, poster presentations, panel discussions and a CSI competition. Flores is a 2014 FHS graduate.



courtesy photo

Hi-Pro Feeds is collecting items/money to send to this Army Battery stationed in Kuwait. Friona graduate Gavin Douglas is the soldier at the far left. See attached story on details of collecting or donating to this effort.

Country Thoughts

dana jameson

What's next?

Did you wait up for the election results? I did not have the willpower to sit and watch every moment and digest every word that filled the time until the results were finally announced.

I filled my time with watching "The House of Wax" starring Vincent Price and catching up on my DVR'd selections.

Around 10 p.m. curiosity was about to kill me so I flipped it over to see how things were going. We had been reassured that Hillary had this election in the bag and Donald would be nothing but another rich businessman.

Boy was I surprised when they said Donald was surging ahead and could possibly win.

Therefore, I turned off the news, rolled over and dropped off into a peaceful slumber.

Unfortunately, that peaceful slumber was interrupted when at 3:30 a.m. for some reason I woke up and couldn't help myself again...I had to peek and see who had won.

After uttering, "I'll be darned!" I rolled back over and slept until the alarm went off at 6:30.

My first thought when the alarm went off was...

"Finally, I can turn on my television in the morning and not hear the latest Trump foot-in-the-mouth rant or Hillary screeching at her supporters."

What am I going to do? I will be lost for about...two seconds.

There will be more important news for the commentators to report. However, will they know how to do that after the past 17 months.

You heard me...17 months. It was only 17 months, not years or decades. It did feel like it, though.

I can now look at my Facebook and not see those two clowns and their campaign antics in every other post. Facebook may collapse.

I don't have Twitter or Snapchat but I am sure they will be twitterless and unsnapappy since the election is over.

As a column writer, I have to say thank you to Donald and Hillary for giving me so much fodder for columns in the past year and a half.

As thankful as I am that this ordeal is over, I am worried about where our country will be in four more years.

Will we ever be able to get along with each other?

Will there ever be a time when race won't be the first thing people latch onto during periods of unrest?

Will we ever get back to the basics and take care of our own business and not everyone else's?

Can we do any of these things? I don't know but I would sure like to try it.

As we approach the future with the newly elected leader, I remind you to keep in mind that he is only one person in a system of checks and balances that should be working.

Life goes on and we will deal with whatever comes our way.

Otherwise, here we go again...breaking in a new President.

Library Corner

By Darla Bracken



The Veterans among us...

Recently I sat among several other patients in a doctor's waiting room. In the group, just by chance, were two veterans accompanied by various family members. One, a WWII veteran, wore a cap stating that he was a WWII army veteran and a recipient of a Purple Heart. Another had on a cap that stated he had flown to Washington, DC on the Texas honor flight. Evidently the

victim of long term military related disability, he also had on a camouflage jacket with the MIA/POW insignia and patch signifying that he was a member of the Amarillo chapter of Vietnam veterans. The WWII vet stated that he had been privileged to be on the first honor flight.

Both men had good attitudes and were very gracious in accepting thanks from a person who just

happened to come in making a delivery. But! They weren't the only veterans in the room. Another bore no outward sign of being a veteran nor the fact that he also had been awarded a Purple Heart. In fact, most veterans pass silently among us everyday, not seeking the limelight nor the gratitude from our citizens. Most attend patriotic parades, programs, etc. more out of their own sense of patriotism for our flag and our country than for their own glory. No knees taken here. Most do not seek recognition even though all may truly deserve it. Most are humbled by their own survival especially if they served in a combat zone. The combat infantry badge is the medal of which they are the most proud.

Proud service and patriotic respect are founding principles of our nation, and our flag symbolizes our country not only for our veterans, but for all of us. America--Land of the Free because of the Brave. If you know a veteran, please help the Friends of the Library remind them of our breakfast, Friday, November 11 from 7 to 9 a.m. at the Redeemer Center, 1304 Virginia. And, thank them for their service...they will appreciate it.

The Friends of the Library is having
their annual Veterans Day Breakfast

Friday the 11th of November

From 7:00 am to 9:00 am

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Friona Flashbacks

News from the week of November 12, 1964

*Mayor J. C. Claborn pointed out the new population figure which has been added to the city limits signs around Friona. The figure, which represents grown of 1,105 over the 1960 census figure, which was formerly on the signs. (Population 3,149)

*A total of 238 persons registered at the 50th anniversary ob-

serva-tion of the Friona Methodist Church this past Sunday.

*The 50th anniversary observation by Friona's First Baptist Church will be held Sunday, November 22.

*The Friona City Council approve the annexation of the 27.35 acres of school property just west of Grand Avenue, as

per a petition from the Friona School trustees which requested to be included in the city limits.

*President Lyndon Johnson carried Parmer County by 56 per cent majority. The Johnson ticket received 1,556 votes, to 1,216 for the Republican ticket headed by Barry Goldwater.

*You kinda have to look twice at the building permit figure for the month of October in Friona. It rounded out at \$951,300. That's right—and we didn't put a comma in the wrong place.

*The first concrete work at the Friona High School was don on Wednesday when the foundation was poured for the Vocational Agriculture and Industrial Arts building.

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Psalm 18— Great Salvation

BRETT HOYLE, Pastor, First Baptist Church

Have you ever read Charles Dickens' epic novel Great Expectations? Me neither, but I do know about God's Great Salvation, which is praised in Psalm 18. David, the author of Psalm 18, also knew of God's great salvation and laid out majestic praises for our Great Savior in this song. He praises God for deliverance from dangers that were closing in, and for the victories the Lord led David in. David paints a vivid picture of the dangers that sought to ensnare him, and of the deathly situations he was in, but as you read this Psalm it is clear that God gets the glory for His great salvation, not David.

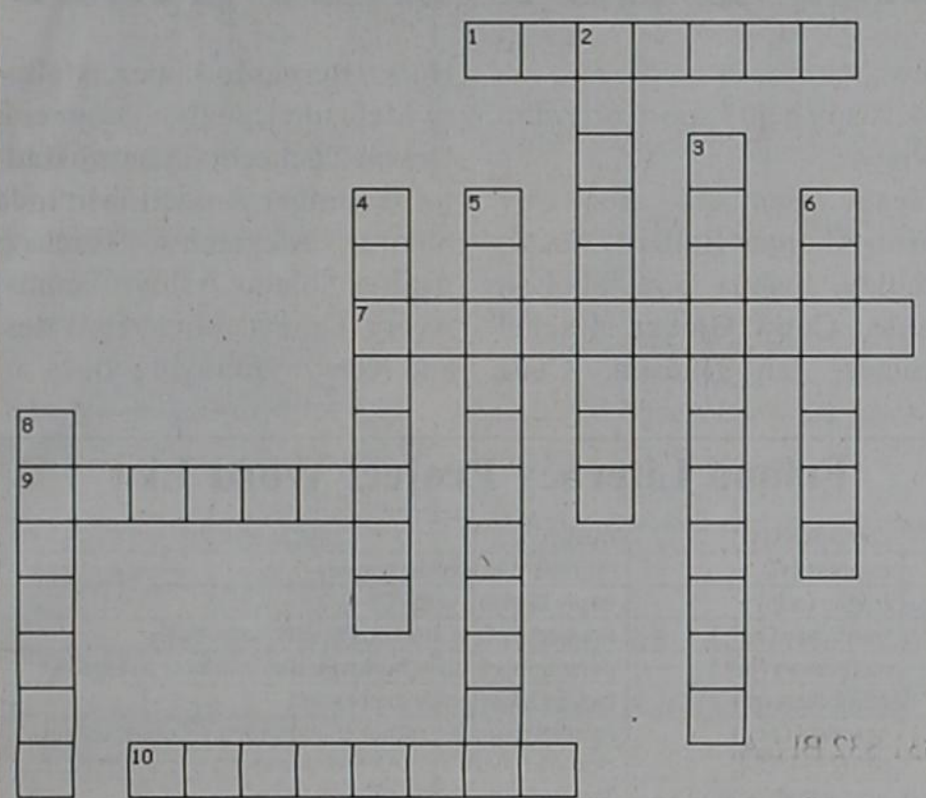
Did you know that God wants to get all the glory from your life as well? Jesus Christ is the author and finisher of the faith (Heb 12:3), and He is the one deserving of all praise. As you consider how you can praise the Lord, may your words resonate those of David in Psalm 18:1-3, "I love you, O Lord, my strength. The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer, my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold. I call upon the Lord, who is worthy to be praised, and I am saved from my enemies."

Community Thanksgiving Service

The Annual Community Thanksgiving Service will be Sunday, November 20, at 6 p.m., at the Friona United Methodist Church. This is a service hosted by the Friona Christian Ministries, and is always a great time of worshipping the Lord as a community and taking up an offering that is used to help people throughout the year in our community with basic needs. Everyone is invited to attend this Christian worship service, followed by a time of fellowship.

*May the God of hope fill you with
all joy and peace in believing,
so that by the power of the Holy
Spirit you may abound in hope.*
Romans 15:13

Friona Literacy Project Lesson 12/13



Across

- 1. represent in words; convey
- 7. person involved in humanitarian work for a religion
- 9. one who flees a country or power to avoid persecution
- 10. made up

Down

- 2. related to action rather than theory; sensible; useful
- 3. marked by fast, nervous activity; anxiously
- 4. lack of emotion or expression
- 5. too awful to put into words; horrible
- 6. form or variant of an original; adaptation
- 8. easily broken; weak

Character Counts

By TEENA HUGHES

It is Election Day, and I am writing my third column in the last two days. I don't feel unsettled, but maybe I am.

I have never felt this way about an election, simply because of the nominees we have to choose from.

When Ronald Reagan ran for President, people wondered if a divorced man could be elected. I have heard nothing about the candidate who has been married three times, and had an affair with his second wife before he married her; the second candidate has anything but a Godly marriage.

Have you noticed the decline in morality since Bill Clinton was in office? His numerous affairs made it all right to do pretty much what you want, whether it agrees with God's Word or not. People still look to our President as a person of character, and their behavior influences the behavior of American society.

At the recent OU-Texas Tech game, some people shouted a foul-mouthed chant about OU's quarterback. To their credit, the Tech president and athletic director condemned the chant, and they are looking at ways to improve sportsmanship at Tech games.

A friend and I were discussing this, and I told him I admired them but their efforts were going to be easier said than done because we have a man who may be President, and he uses the same foul-mouthed word. It is hard to get people to see the error of their ways when the President acts the same way.

Our other candidate is tied to scandal after scandal (e-mails where she shared classified information, putting our country in danger; Benghazi; etc.) murders related to the Clintons' scandals, and breaking the law with their foundation.

Many people have had a difficult time deciding what to do in this election, because character still counts. People are hungering for someone with character to lead our country, and we simply don't see much of it in either candidate. One of them will be elected. I just hope people will continue to pray as much as they have during this election process. We need God now more than ever.

Panhandle Parables

November Challenge Phase 3

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

We have now entered phase three of the November Challenge. I suspect on most list of things folks is thankful for is that the election is now over and so beings the marvel in our world of a peaceful transition of power to the next President. If your candidate won congratulations, if not I am sorry.

It is time to heal from this less than stellar election process and move towards higher purposes. America is the real victor, in that I did not wake up on Wednesday to a civil war or military coup. I woke up thankful that our government can transition its power to the next without all of that.

By now you are on day 10 with 20 days of gratitude to go. Look at the things you have written from last week's challenge regarding what you are thankful for about living in the United States.

Now for a difficult phase in the challenge. Be thankful for people who have differing views. For at least three of the next seven days add names of folks that friendship has been challenged because of different positions on politics.

The second part of this phase is simple if possible thank that person in person, if not drop them a note. Find a way to be thankful that not everyone thinks the same and that diversity has its advantages.

Being thankful, is a valuable part of walking with the Lord, it helps us remember humility when we think we have done all this ourselves.

This is a short article this week, but my prayer is that each of us grow in our gratitude that the King may be glorified in our actions. Have a great week and God bless.



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Judy Brockman showed off her hard work at the St. Ann's Annual Thanksgiving dinner on Sunday, November 6 in Bovina. Chances to win the quilt were being sold at the door for \$1 each.



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Mary Mesman, Charlie May Trimble, Vernie Schacher and Johanna Mesman greeted the hungry people attending St. Ann's Annual Thanksgiving dinner.

Thank you so much for the many acts of kindness shown to our family in the loss of our mother, Lois Miller. We appreciate the phone calls, texts, cards and food that we received. We are especially thankful for the very quick response and action of the police and the EMS to our 9-1-1 call. Lois loved Friona and appreciated the way she was welcomed here as a teacher those many years ago after the death of her husband, Norman. She and her family are so thankful for the caring people in this town.

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Squaw volleyball final update

From Coach Bryan Masse

Saturday November 5 the Squaws traveled to Seminole to take on the Alpine Lady Bucks in the area play-offs. The Squaws opened the match with a 2-2 win in game one. Even though the ladies were not really playing that well they played well enough to win game one.

In the second game the Squaws got off to a slow start and never really recovered, resulting in a 19-25 loss.

Game three was a repeat of game two. The Squaws had trouble passing the ball and setting up the offense. Alpine continued to run their offense and prevailed 25-18.

Game four was do or die for the Squaws as they needed to win to

force a fifth game. The ladies played way too tight and were not able to relax and play their game. Once again Alpine was more consistent and ended the Squaws season with a 25-16 win.

We never really put it together on Saturday. Alpine is a good team but we never really got on track and never really found our rhythm. It seemed like the harder we tried the worse it got.

We had a good season and beat some really good volleyball teams this year. You have to be playing close to your best volleyball when the playoffs start and I feel like we didn't and that allowed a good Alpine team to get the victory.

Chiefs slam Slaton 76-59

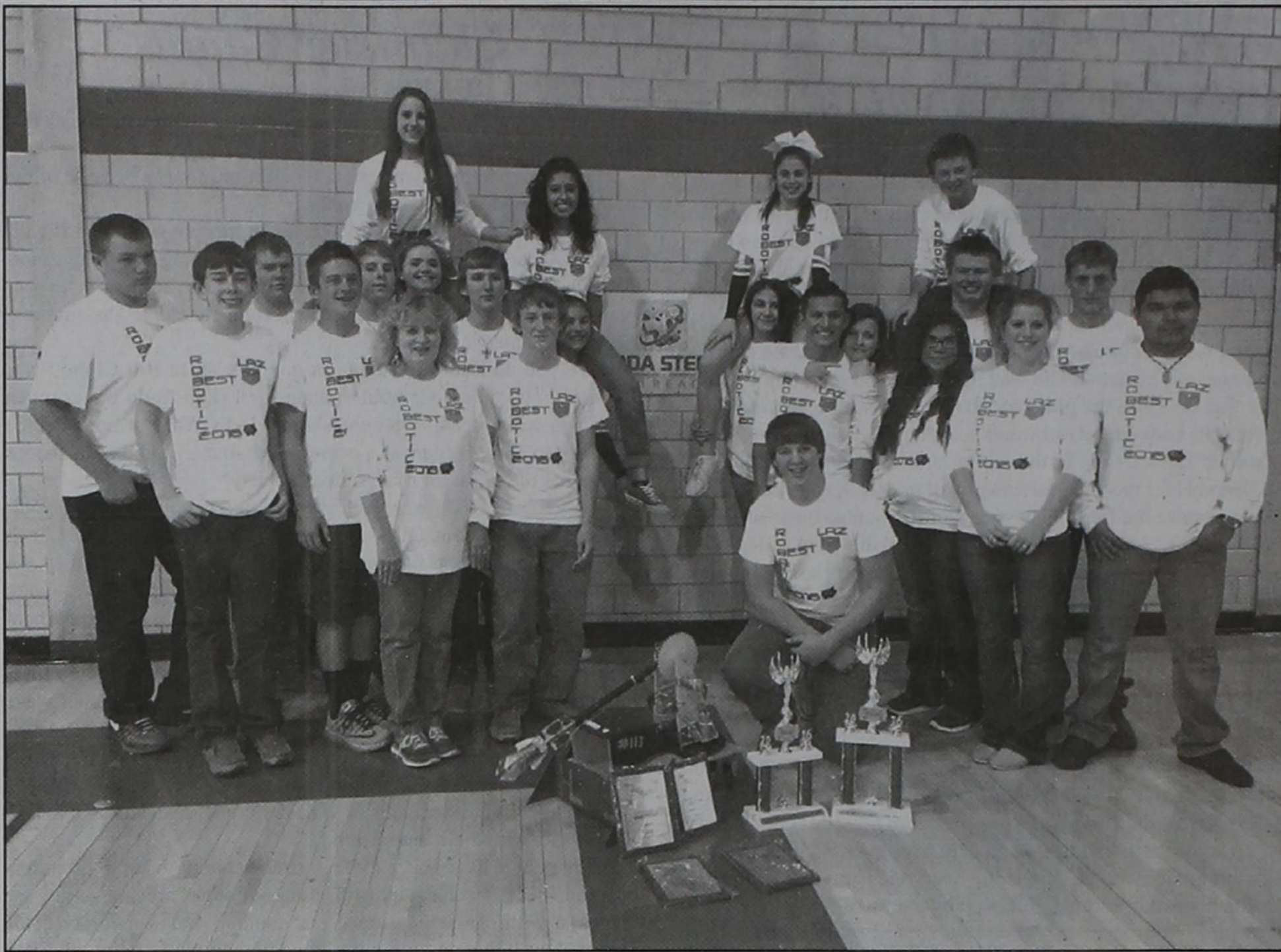
Friona and Slaton entered the final game of the season with 0-4 district records. The loser would claim last place in district.

The Chiefs and the Tigers both put on an offensive show but the Chiefs survived to win 76-59. Coach Daniel Rosales provided these stats from the game: Luis Trejo set the school record for most rushing yards in a game with 359 yards. The previous record was 312 yards by Eddy Garcia. The 76 points was the second highest points scored in Friona football history. The record is 79 points set in 1934.

Coach Rosales points out the Chiefs record of 4-6 is the most wins in seven seasons. Total points scored this season was 268, the most points scored since the 8-4 season in 2009. With 2,793 rushing yards, 1,066 passing yards, and a total of 3,809 offensive yards, it is the most offensive yards in each category in the past 7 seasons.

Trejo scored 6 touchdowns on 32 carries. Marco Monreal, Salvador Santiago, Sergio Flores, and Joel Cigarroa also scored touchdowns. Monreal carried 15 times for 152 yards and Flores 10 times for 99 yards. Monreal completed 8 of 16 passes for 120 yards and one touchdown. Leading receiver Jonathan Hernandez caught 6 passes for 86 yards.

For the season Trejo carried 152 times for 1,043 yards and 10 touchdowns. Monreal carried 150 times for 707 yards and 10 touchdowns. Hernandez had 48 pass receptions for 654 yards and two touchdowns. Monreal completed 85 passes on 154 attempts for 1,046 yards and 4 TDs.



courtesy photo

The Lazbuddie Robotics team was successful at the BEST competition in Lubbock. They have advanced to the regional and state competition on Dallas in December. Members of the team are: Coy Baird, Thomas Ballard, Austin Bradley, Joshua Cox, Shelton Gable, Coby Glover, Rachel Hromas, Ian Hudson, Cade Hurst, Bernardo Lopez, Mallory McDaniel, Jazlyn Oseguera, Devon Pacheco, Thomas Radford, Gunner Russell, Miranda Salazar, Alexandria Sanchez, Andres Solano, Ashlyn Timms, Avery Timms, Michael Wales, and Karsyn Youngblood.

Lazbuddie Robotics takes BEST first place

The Lazbuddie High School Robotics team won 1st place BEST Team in Lubbock and 2nd place in the robot competition held on Saturday, October 29. The team qualified for the regional and state competition of Texas BEST (Boosting Engineering, Science, and Technology) in both categories at the University of Texas at Dallas in Frisco, Texas December 8-10.

Twenty-eight teams were entered in the October 29 contest held at Monterey High School. Seventy-five teams will be present in Dallas from Texas and surrounding states.

The team won 1st place in the table display and presentation; 1st place in Spirit and

Sportsmanship; 1st place most Robust Robot Award; and 2nd place Founder's Award. Lazbuddie also won 1st place small school UIL division.

The BEST competition consists of four categories:

1. A project summary notebook submitted in advance of Texas BEST.
2. An oral presentation in front of judges which included a power point presentation, an explanation of the engineering process, community outreach, school involvement, school promotion, and school spirit involvement.
3. A table exhibit and inter-

views.

4. A spirit and sportsmanship review.

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School Menu Nov. 14-18

Monday

Breakfast-Cereal, cinnamon roll, apple juice, pears, milk
Lunch-Roasted chicken, roll, fresh tomatoes, mashed potatoes, peaches, milk

Tuesday

Breakfast-Cereal, pancake breakfast sandwich, orange pineapple juice, apple, milk
Lunch-Salisbury steak, white rice, green beans, corn, Mandarin oranges, milk.

Wednesday

Breakfast-Cereal, grape juice, banana, milk.
Lunch-Hot dog, Doritos, cheese broccoli, grapes, milk.

Thursday

Breakfast-Cereal, sausage pizza, orange juice, diced peaches, milk.
Lunch-Combo sub, lettuce & tomato salad, carrot sticks, snowball salad, milk.

Friday

Breakfast-Cereal, Pop Tarts, fruit punch juice, oranges, milk.
Lunch-Tacos, Mexican rice, pinto beans, mixed California veggies, fruit salad, milk.

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TxDOT urges drivers to 'End the Streak' of daily deaths

The Lone Star State marks a deadly milestone on Monday as at least one fatality has occurred each and every day on Texas roadways since Nov. 7, 2000. In an effort to end this deadly 16-year streak, the Texas Department of Transportation, through its #EndTheStreakTX campaign, reminds drivers to stay alert, obey traffic laws and take personal responsibility behind the wheel.

"Every day for the past 16 years, somebody has lost a spouse, child, friend or neighbor on Texas roadways," said TxDOT Executive Director James Bass. "These deadly crashes are a sobering reminder that we must do everything in our power to stay focused and safe while driving. We can stop this staggering streak if every driver makes it a priority to be safe, focused and responsible. Let's end the streak."

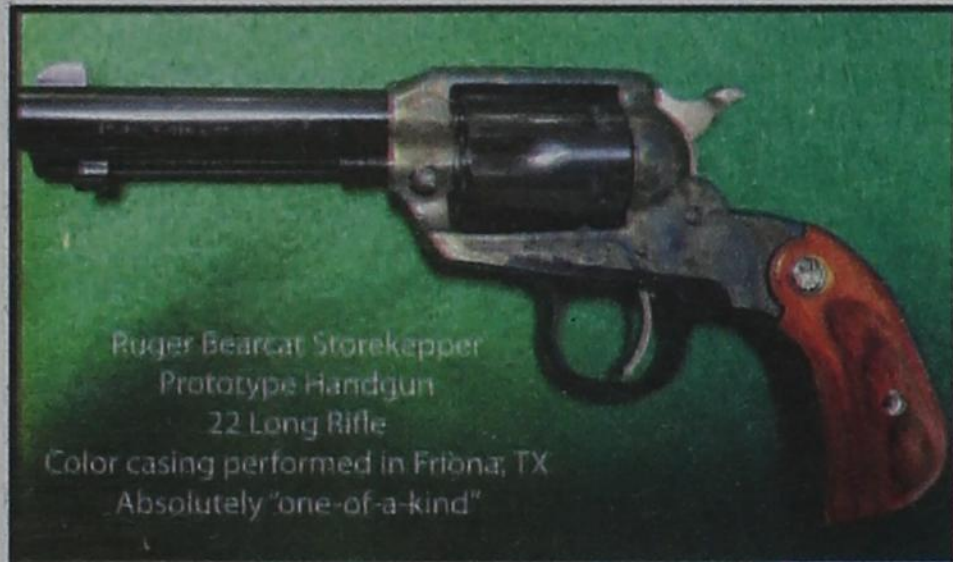
To help raise awareness of this tragic, daily statistic, TxDOT is asking people to change their social media profile pictures to the black image available for download here. Throughout November, TxDOT's social media pages will share facts and information about the last 16 years of roadway fatalities

and invite Texans to publicly show their commitment to ending the streak of deadly days by sharing these posts with the hashtag #EndTheStreakTX. TxDOT also will invite the public to share personal stories of loved ones lost in car crashes on its social media pages using photo and video testimonials with the hashtag #EndTheStreakTX.

Since Nov. 7, 2000, fatalities resulting from motor vehicle crashes on Texas roadways have numbered 55,578. The leading causes of fatalities continue to be failure to stay in one lane, alcohol and speed.

To decrease the chances of roadway crashes and fatalities, TxDOT reminds drivers to:

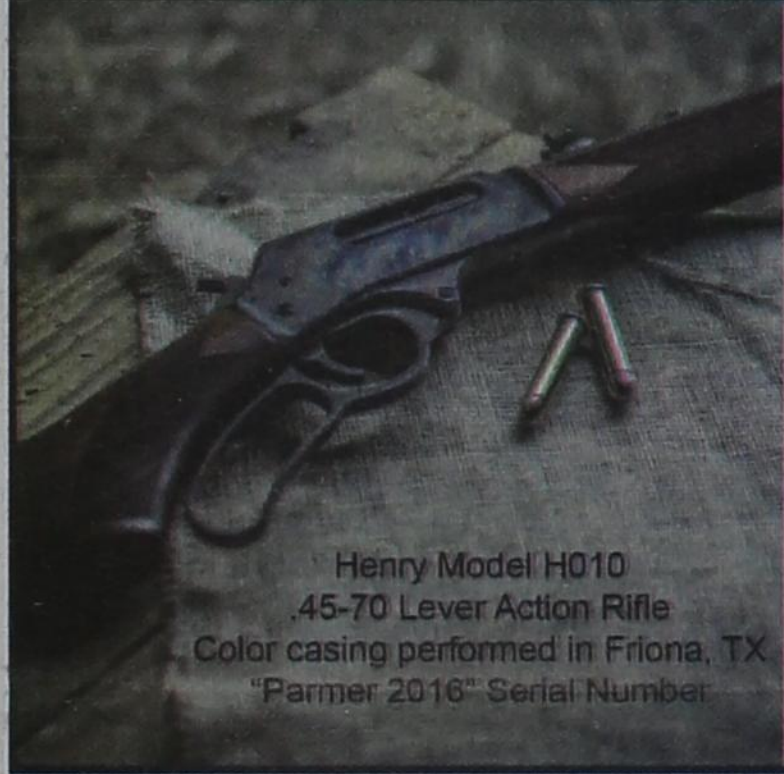
- Buckle seatbelts – all passengers need to be buckled
- Pay attention – put phone away and avoid distractions
- Never drink and drive – drunk driving kills; get a sober ride home
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Santa's Coming To Ivy Cottage

Please Join Us for a Christmas Party Thursday November 17 9AM-5PM

Bring a Toy For Our Local FFA Toy Drive & Receive 10% Off Your Entire Purchase.

Santa Will Be Arriving at 3pm for Photos. So Bring Your Little Elves By For This Fun Photo Op.

Christmas Open House

1100 Prospect Ave. Friona TX 79035



QUESTIONS About your Medicare Options?

IF you are considering joining or switching to **Medicare Advantage Plan** during the Medicare open enrollment period, please **BE AWARE!**

Medicare Advantage Plans ARE NOT Medicare.

If you have a Medicare Advantage Plan:

- You cannot be sold a Medicare supplemental plan.
- Lower premiums may be offset by higher out-of-pocket costs.
- You may not be able to use local physicians and healthcare services, or these services could cost more.
- Other services may be limited.

Parmer Medical Center and Friona Rural Health Clinic encourage you to carefully evaluate any Medicare Advantage Plan before you give up traditional Medicare, and to check with the hospital business office at 806.250.2754 if you have any questions about your Medicare coverage.



please join us to celebrate the season

Christmas in Friona

CREATIVE CHAOS, INTERIOR EXPRESSIONS, IVY COTTAGE & MILK HOUSE MARKET

*November 19th
11am to 4pm*

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