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October 3-9, 1999 is National 4-H Week. For more information contact the Parmer County Extension Office at (806) 481-3619.



THE 1999 FRIONA CHIEFTAINS swarm on the field to start the Dalhart game. ron carr photo

HOMECOMING GAME

FHS-Wildcat Rivalry: Becoming A Hot Item

by BILL ELLIS

The River Road Wildcats invade Chieftain Field Friday for Friona's Homecoming Game. The 7:30 kickoff will be preceded by Homecoming activities.

Although "The Road" sports a 1-3 season record, this may be misleading, says Friona Coach Mike Scott. The Wildcats started 1-4 a year ago, and then proceeded to win district, and added a pair of playoff wins enroute to a 7-5 record.

"They have played some good teams, and they are learning a new system," Scott said. Craig Shores, the RR head coach for nine years, moved to Borger this season. Steve Culwell is the new coach, coming from Palo Duro.

River Road was picked pre-season by at least two football magazines to win their district, and with 17 seniors, 24 lettermen and seven starters each way returning, the Wildcats may yet achieve that goal.

Senior Adam King returns to guide the Wildcat offense. King passed for over 1,000 yards a year ago, local fans should remember him.

Maybe you can't call the Friona-River Road series an "old rivalry." After all, the north Amarillo school didn't open until 1976.

But ever since they inaugurated varsity football in 1978, the two schools have met on the gridiron. In fact, they have met 23 times in the

Drug Arrests

On Sunday, September 19, Friona police arrested Yesenia Amador, 26, and Daniel Amador, 28, for possession of 10 grams of cocaine with intent to distribute. Chief Geris said his department had been investigating the case for several weeks prior to the arrests. The couple is out on bond and awaiting trial.

Y2K Spelling Bee Schedule Announced

The Amarillo Globe-News and West Texas A&M University announce the continuation of the Scripps Howard National Spelling Bee for students in the area, grades eight and below.

Directors are being named in the counties. The director for Parmer County is Kevin Wiseman, principal of Friona

Junior High School.

The contest is open to students in public, private, parochial, charter and home schools. A contestant cannot be higher than the eighth grade or older than 16 by the date of the national finals, May 31, 2000.

Deadline for naming county champions to Jeanne

SOME THINGS never change. We have seen the following before—even printed it, but when we did previously, it was "borrowed" from another source.

While doing research in our back files recently, Ye Editor found this bit, and we still think it is funny (and possibly somewhat true), even 60 years later:

"THE POOR EDITOR"

Consider the editor! A child is born unto the wife of a merchant in the town. The physician getteth 10 plunks. The editor writeth a stick and a half and telleth the multitude that the child tippeth the beam at nine pounds. Yea, he lieth even as a centurian. And the proud father giveth him a Cremono.

Behold, the young one groweth up and graduateth. And the editor putteth into his paper a swell notice. He telleth of the wisdom of the young woman and of her exceeding comeliness. Like unto the roses of Sharon is she and her gown is played up to beat the band. And the dressmaker getteth two score and four iron men. And the editor gets a note of thanks from the sweet girl graduate.

And the daughter goeth on a journey. And the editor throweth himself on the story of the farewell party. It runneth a column solid. And the fair one remembereth him from afar with a picture postal card that costeth six for a jitney.

Behold, she returneth, and the youth of the town fall down and worship. She picketh one and lo, she picketh a lemon. But the editor calleth him one of our promising young men and getteth away with it. And they send unto the editor a bid to the wedding and behold the bids are fashioned in a far city.

Flowery and long is the wedding notice which the editor printeth. The minister getteth 10 bones. The groom standeth the editor off for a 12-months subscription.

All flesh is grass and in time the wife is gathered unto the soil. The minister getteth his bit. The editor printeth a death notice two columns of obituary three lodge notices, a cubit of poetry and a card of thanks. And he forgetteth to read proof on the head and the darned thing cometh out, "Gone to Her last Roasting Place."

And all that are akin to the deceased jumpeth on the editor with exceeding great jumps. And they pulleth out their ads and cancelleth their subs, and they swing the hammer even unto the third and fourth generations.

--Pathfinder

Some signs found on churches around the country:

- "If you're headed in the wrong direction, God allows U-turns."
- "Fight truth decay -- study the Bible daily."
- "Don't wait for the hearse to take you to church."
- "God so loved the world that He did not send a committee."
- "People are like tea bags -- you have to put them in hot water before you know how strong they are."

Bartlett, spelling bee editor of the Amarillo Globe-News, will be March 31.

Two levels of competition in the 2000 Regional Spelling Bee are: junior (for students in grades five and below) and senior (for grades eight and below). Any director has the option of combining the two levels if he/she so chooses. However, each county can have only one representative in the regional bee, to be held on April 15 on the WTAMU campus.

Each county is free to select a junior winner in addition to the senior champion, but the elementary grade student will not compete in regional unless he/she should win the county event.

Both the county junior winner and the county senior winner will be guests of the Amarillo Globe-News at a luncheon preceding the regional competition.

The top prize, awarded by the newspaper to first place, will be an all-expense paid trip (For two) to Washington, D.C. in late May to represent the area in the 2000 national event.

The 2000 Paideia booklet has been re-designed and is a \$1.00 per copy, is available from the personnel department of the Amarillo Globe-News.

Parmer Co. FSA Accepting Emergency Loan Applications

Parmer County was declared eligible for Farm Service Agency (FSA) disaster emergency loans on September 1, 1999. Generally that means that farmers who have lost at least 30 percent of their production due to extreme fire hazards, conditions that occurred from August 1, 1999 and

continuing, are eligible for FSA loans. Proceeds from crop insurance are taken into account when determining eligibility.

FSA Farm Loan Manager Thomas S. Taylor, is urging

farmers who are interested in receiving an emergency loan to get their applications into FSA as soon as possible. Taylor said, "We hope farmers will get their applications in early rather than waiting until near the deadline which is May 1, 2000. The longer they wait, the more chance there is for long delays. If the applications come in early, we can avoid backlogs and speed up the process."

The FSA Office is located at 109 third street, Farwell, Texas, the phone number is 806-481-3349.

past 21 years. That definitely makes the Wildcats Friona's most consistent rivals during this time period.

The reason for the extra two games is the fact that in addition to playing each other every year since '78, the two schools have hooked up in bi-district twice—in 1982 and last fall.

It has been a heated rivalry: Friona has a razor-thin advantage in the overall series with 12 wins to the 'Road's 11.

The Chieftains and their fans are still bristling about last fall's bi-district loss to the Wildcats, 27-19 at Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo. This came just six weeks after the Chieftains had posted a 31-14 win over R.R. on the Amarillo school's home field.

Five times in a six-year

period (1988-1993) the Wildcats scored wins over Friona by five points or less. River Road won in '88, 6-3 on a late punt return; in '89, 14-12; in '91, 15-10; in '92, 20-19; and in 1993, 17-15.

Home field seems not to help either team too much. Friona has a 6-5 record over the 'Cats in games played on their home turf, and also leads in games at Chieftain Field, 6-4.

The "rub" comes in the fact that the Wildcats hold a 2-0 edge in playoff meetings, having won 26-17 in 1982 at Hereford, in addition to last season.

Receiver/Defensive end Colby Ingram will miss at least a couple of games due to a knee injury, Coach Scott reported. Otherwise, the team is in good physical shape.

Santillan Wins Back-To-Back Grid Honors

BY RON CARR

Lamesa, Muleshoe. If those were your first two picks last week you got off to a bad start.

On the right side of the entry blank, if your first three picks were Auburn, SMU, and BYU, you were rapidly sliding into the great contest loser's pit.

Kansas City, Green Bay, and New England won which made the pit-slide steeper for many an intrepid traveler on the Week Four Highway.

So much for all that. Junior high coach and last week's winner, Raul Santillan won again this week. When I told Coaches Scott and Merket about Santillan's good fortune they said he was probably cheating.

Santillan was the only contestant that managed to pick 14 out of the 18 games correct. His only losing guesses were Lamesa, Muleshoe, Arkansas, and SMU.

Just for the record, his tie-breaker guess was Friona 49, Dalhart 7. Good thing we didn't have to use it.

The Carthel family carried off the rest of the Week Four money. Colby Carthel and Cindy Carthel each had 13 correct. Colby was 10 points off so he wins 2nd place of \$10.

Cindy's guess was 14 points off on the tie-breaker and earns her the \$5 weekly prize for 3rd place.

Six other players did score 13 correct but lost out on the tie-breaker. Their names and points off are: Mark Neill (15), Jennifer Gonzales (21), Jerry Hinkle (24), Paul Ortiz (24), Don Spring (26), and Quentin Shelby (32).

Longtime competitor Mark Neill vaulted into first place in the total point standings with 53 as Santillan made big progress and moved into second along with Mark Zachary with 52 points.

A veritable plethora of players are bunched close behind at 50 points. The complete list is elsewhere in this issue.

Play hard. Tough it out. Only 9 more weeks. Good luck and good pickin'!



BACK-TO-BACK football contest winner Raul Santillan is shown receiving his \$20 bucks this week from Cindy Butman, manager of WT Services' Friona office. WT Services is a football contest sponsor.

J.C. Parvin, 67 Buried Monday

Funeral services for JC Parvin, 67, of Friona were held Monday, September 27 at Calvary Baptist Church in Friona with the Reverend Alvin Petty of Friona officiating and Ron Trussler of Plainview assisted.

Burial was in the Friona Cemetery, under the direction of the Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Mr. Parvin died September 23, 1999 in Breckenridge, Texas. He was born January 29, 1932 in Knox City, Texas. He married Frances Lee Sparkman on May 23, 1972 in Roswell, New Mexico.

Mr. Parvin had lived in Friona since 1958, moving here from Hereford. He worked as a machinist at Parmer County Pump Company for 19 years, then at Excel Meat Packing Plant as Machine Foreman for 14 years before retiring in 1994.

He served in the United States Army during the Korean War. He was active in the Friona Riding Club, and a member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Friona.

Survivors include Frances Lee Parvin of Friona; four daughters, Anita Pease of Phoenix, Arizona, her husband Dusty; Teresa Gray of Las Vegas, Nevada, her husband Nick, Frances Drayton of Sacramento, California, Rita Richardson of West Jordan, Utah, her



J.C. PARVIN

husband Smiley; two sons, B.J. Parvin of San Diego, California, his wife Peggy, Darrell Collier of Seagraves, his wife Gayla.

Also, five sisters, Marie Mayfield of Brownwood, Vernell Barfield and Leta Joyce Goetz both of Titusville, Florida, Jimmie Ruth Mayfield of Wichita Falls, Vera Mae Billingsly of Waldron, Arkansas; two brothers, Noel Ray Parvin of Amarillo, and Billy Wayne Parvin of Wichita Falls; twelve grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren.

The family suggest memorials to Friona Calvary Baptist Church, 1500 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035.

Boy Scouts Say "Thanks" For United Way Aid

The Friona Boy Scouts Troop 56 and Cub Scouts Pack 56 would like to say "thank you" to the United Way and the Friona community for funds to continue the national program for boys ages 6 to 18.

The funds that we receive from the generous donations of Friona citizens help with the upkeep of the newly remodeled building at Reeve Lake and pay monthly utility bills. The Scout Hut allows the leaders, boys and their families to enjoy a facility to complete projects and learn leadership.

Service projects within the community are completed as the boys rise in rank from Tiger Cubs through Eagle Scout. Awards are purchased and presented to the boys and their parents at Pack Meeting Ceremonies and Boy Scout Courts of Honor.

Funds are given through the Friends of Scouting to the Golden Spread Council of Scouting located in Amarillo to provide camping for the boys at the two scout camping grounds. Camp Don Harrington and Camp M.K. Brown. Camping supplies and materials are purchased with the funds received as well. Also, the annual charter fees, leader

registration and training are funded by United Way.

Without the United Way funds, parents and boys would not have this worthwhile program available in Friona. We are blessed to live in a community that believes in programs like Boy Scouts of America. We encourage you to participate in scouting to build strong future leaders.

Jaclyn Peace Makes Tech Dean's List

More than 360 Texas Tech University students qualified for academic honors lists at the end of the summer semesters.

Students on the President's List earned a 4.0 (A) grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours of class work. Students who earned 12 or more hours with a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.9 qualified for the Dean's List.

Jaclyn Peace of Friona, daughter of James and Nancy Peace, was among those making the Dean's List. Jaclyn is a senior majoring in Agriculture Economics/General Business.

FRIONA FLASHBACKS

...from the files of The Friona Star

70 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 4, 1929

Judge I. R. Kelso, of St. Louis, president of the Texas Utilities Company, and J. B. Scott of Plainview, general manager of the company, were business visitors here one day last week. The chief object of the visit was that they might inform the people of Friona who are patrons of the company that another rate cut had been made to users of light for domestic purposes.

A deal was consummated here the latter part of last week whereby W. F. Bays of Vaughn, New Mexico, becomes the proprietor of the Friona Motor Company, having purchased the entire interest of J. H. Elder in these two promising business concerns.

65 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 5, 1934

The city's new well has been completed at a depth of 192 feet with 55 feet of water in it and the new pump has been received and installed. The well has been tested out and found to throw a stream of clear water, from an apparently unfauling supply.

The West Texas Gas Company, which serves Friona with natural gas for fuel, has arranged a new schedule which is estimated to be quite a savings for its patrons over the rate that has been in effect here and still is for that matter, since the acceptance of the new rate is optional with the patron.

60 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 6, 1939

The Star is authorized to announce that the people of the local Methodist Church will hold their first worship services in their new church on Sunday, October 8.

55 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 6, 1944

G. E. and Nelson Welch, who are arranging to open an auto supply store here sometime about the first of November were in town Monday morning, when G. E. was seeking a suitable residence for he and Mrs. Welch to live in while fitting out the store building. Nelson Welch, the junior member of this firm is a Friona boy and well known by all our people. The other member is an uncle of Nelson's. They have secured the O. G. Turner building on Main Street and remodeled the building for their business.

45 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 7, 1954

Parmer County gins have all been placed in operation this week in plenty of time to serve the current harvest. Two new gins in the central section of the county, the L&H Gin, just west of Friona, operated by John Davis, and the Tri-County Gin at Summerfield, operated by S. W. Peterson. Both these gins are owned by Floyd Linsey and Fred Huls.

Parmer County Farm Bureau's sixth annual convention will be held at the Friona High School Auditorium, beginning Saturday morning at 10 a.m., according to A. J. Ellison, president.

40 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 8, 1959

Lee Thompson, veteran Parmer County politician who is now serving as county tax assessor-collector, has officially announced his candidacy to succeed himself, subject to action of the democratic primary in May of next year. Thompson has served eight years as county judge and six years as county commissioner.

Hollis Horton, Jr. nosed out Thelma Watkins for top honors in this week's Cotton Bowl Football Contest by guessing the closest in the tie-breaking Friona vs. Sunray football game.

35 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 8, 1964

Contract for the \$1.25 million school construction program was awarded at a special meeting of the Friona Independent School Board last Saturday morning. General contractor for the job will be the firm of Knox, Gailey and Meador of Lubbock, on a bid of \$839,927. Hodges Electric Company of Plainview was awarded the electrical contract on a bid of \$87,564. Gray Plumbing of Midland was given the plumbing contract on a bid of \$141,245.

The Friona City council this week passed a resolution placing the city's population at 3,149 as of October 1, 1964, and at the same time requested the State Highway Department to change the figure on the city limit signs.

30 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 9, 1969

The Friona City Council postponed action annexing Hillside Addition to the city at its regular meeting Monday night.

Four girls are candidates for

Homecoming Queen. They are Gwyn Moore, Susan Vestal, Carleen Greeson, and Gay Welch. The Hale Center Owls will provide the opposition for Friona's Homecoming contest.

25 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 6, 1974

Amal Malouf, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hanna Malouf, was crowned as Maize Queen for 1974-75 here Thursday night as a highlight of the 1974 Maize Days celebration.

A. W. Anthony, Jr. of Friona, president of Grain Sorghum Producers Association, joined other GSPA executives in Lubbock recently to play host to a group of agricultural leaders from Czechoslovakia.

20 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 14, 1979

The Friona 4-H Club had both the Gold Star Girl and Gold Star Boy at the annual awards banquet this week. Dawn Gibson and Shain Rhodes were recognized at the banquet. They were presented the County 4-H plaque signifying Friona as the high point club from the recent project fair held during Maize Days.

The Friona Women's Club will observe their 70th anniversary with an open house Sunday, October 14 at the Federated Club House. The club was started at a meeting on the "front porch" of the drug store in September of 1909.

15 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 7, 1984

Ethridge-Spring Insurance Agency will be observing its 50th year in business in Friona. An open house and reception will be held at the company office, 603 Main Street on Friday, October 12.

Candidates for the 1984 Homecoming queen honoree were named this week. Candidates are Teresa Wilcox, Sarita Ellis, Milli Dixon and Nikki Osborn.

Monty's Flowers and Gifts is the new business now open at 1100 Prospect (the old Allsup's location) just off Highway 60. The business is owned and operated by Monty Allen and Frances Baker.

10 Yrs. Ago--Sept. 30, 1989

Raymond Delgado was honored by Templo Bautista Church for serving as the church's assistant pastor for over 12 years. Delgado has also been with the Friona School system for the past 14 years.

5 Yrs. Ago--Oct. 1, 1994

Principal, Frank Belcher of Friona High School, announced today that Roy Flores has been named a commended student in the 1995 National Merit Scholarship Program.

The Friona Chamber of Commerce sponsored a ribbon-cutting event Wednesday morning at Family Dollar's new Friona store on West Highway 60.




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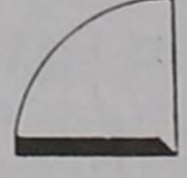
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AROUND TOWN

Fajita dinner Sunday Oct 3
The Men's Organization of St. Teresa's Catholic Church will sponsor a Fajita Dinner on Sunday, Oct 3, in the Parish Hall from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Adults \$5 and children \$2. Includes fajitas, beans, rice, salad, cake or pudding, and tea or lemonade.

Maize Days videos
Videos of Maize Days activities can be ordered through the Chamber of Commerce. Videos available are of the Parmer County Feedyard Rodeo, Miss Friona Pageant and Little Miss Pageant. Each video is \$10 and can be ordered by calling 250-3491. You will be notified when the tapes are ready.

Hereford church hosts annual festival
The Wesley United Methodist Church will be hosting its 19th annual Festival of Arts & Crafts on December 4, 1999, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Community Center in Hereford. Only a limited number of booths are available with applications being screened. Booth fee is \$10. Applications may be obtained by writing to Ellen Collins, 801 Miles St., Hereford, TX 79045 or call 806-364-0774.

Library schedules workday hours
Because of staff workdays, the Friona Public Library will have limited hours on certain Tuesdays in Oct. On the library will be closed all day on Wednesday, Oct 6, for a workday. On Tuesday, Oct 12, the library will be open only from 9-11 a.m. and on Tuesday, Oct 19, the library will be open only from 3-6 p.m.

Bingo resumed Sep 23
Friona's veterans announce that weekly bingo games resumed on Thursday, Sep 23, at 7:30 p.m. at Veteran's Hall at 6th Street and Euclid in Friona. The games will be held each Thursday night.

Living Christmas Tree rehearsals
The Living Christmas Tree choir will practice every Sunday at 3 p.m. in the junior high band hall, located at the south end of the junior high building. Those interested in singing with the choir are invited to attend.

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THE SIXTH SENSE	PG-13
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FOR THE LOVE OF THE GAME	PG-13
1:30 - 4:10 - 7:00 - 9:30	
DOUBLE JEOPARDY	R
2:05 - 4:15 - 7:05 - 9:15	
Sat. & Sun. Matinees Bargain Matinees: \$3 Adults: \$5 - Kids & Seniors: \$3	

FRIONA GOES 4-0

Chiefs Overcome Flags, Fumbles; Blank Wolves



GRAJEDA GAINS....Noel Grajeda makes a tough five yards in last Friday's game. Teammates Zack Barrett and Kyle Wiseman are in front to provide blocks. (ron carr)

JV/Frosh Topple Randall JV, 21-0

The Friona High School Junior Varsity/Freshman team downed the Canyon Randall JV "B Team," 21-0 in a game played last Thursday, September 23. The win brought the team's season record to 3-1.

Tight end Cody Grimsley scored two of the three Friona touchdowns. One came on a 13-yard pass from Michael Stanberry in the second quarter. His other score came in the fourth quarter, on a 12-yard pass from Stanberry. Jose Pina kicked PATs after both TDs.

The team's other score was by Jared Cunningham on a one-yard run in the second, with Pina adding the point.

Friona led in yardage, 246-111, and in first downs, 14-5. Stanberry completed two of eight passes for 25 yards. Grimsley was the receiver on both passes.

Pina also led the team in rushing with 63 yards on nine carries. Cunningham added 57 on 15 tries, and Stanberry rushed for 40 in nine attempts.

Credited with good defensive games were Jesus Trejo, Andy Carthel and Joey Dominguez. Corbin Neill recovered an onside kick.

"The kids played a good game. Ty White, one of our starters and main players, hurt his leg and had to miss the game," said Coach Hayden Merket.



CONFERENCE TIME...Three members of the Chieftain varsity huddle with coaches during a time out in the Dalhart Game. Shown are (l-r) Nathan King (8), Joseph Bandy (1) and Adam Bandy (5) with coach Ryan Rhodes. Coach Jeff Isom is mostly hidden behind Adam Bandy. (ron carr)

In spite of being dogged by untimely penalty flags and fumbles, the Chieftains still managed to score their first shut-out win of the season at Dalhart last Friday, 26-0.

It seemed as though there were more flags in the contest than in the team's first three games combined.

However, the win ran the team's season record to 4-0, and Friona has now won 32 of their last 33 regular-season games.

"I felt a lot better about the game after watching the film," said Chieftain coach Mike Scott. Overall, we didn't play a bad game, and just need to work on the mistakes we made."

If the Chieftains could have played all four quarters like they did the first and third, they might have scored over 50 points.

After winning the coin toss and electing to receive, the Chiefs drove for a touchdown on their first possession for the fourth time this season. Friona was to put another score on the board before Dalhart ever put the ball in play.

But first--Joseph Bandy gave Friona great field position when he returned the opening kickoff to the Friona 39-yard line. Tailback Noel Grajeda ripped off a 32-yard run on the team's second play of the game, but the Chiefs were flagged for holding, which cut the gain in half.

Grajeda responded with another gain of 12, to the Wolves' 32-yard line, and J. Bandy added a 13-yard scamper around left end, moving the ball just inside the Dalhart 20.

Grajeda did it again, going 19 yards around left end to put Friona on the scoreboard.

Trent Cook, who had hit every point-after kick to begin the season, kicked a bit wide, and Friona had to settle for a 6-0 lead with 9:24 left in the first quarter.

Friona's kickoff squibbed off the kicker's foot, and a teammate recovered it at the Dalhart 42 yard line, allowing the Chieftains to get the ball back.

On third and eight, QB Nathan King hit Joseph Bandy with a screen pass, and the elusive Chieftain runner gained 15 yards to the Dalhart 25.

Three plays later, Bandy got the call again, and the 175-pound senior zig-zagged his way 23 yards into the end zone. A passing try for points failed, but Friona had hiked its lead to 12-0 with just 5:15 elapsed in the game.

The Chiefs knocked the ball loose as Dalhart drove across midfield, recovering on



PASS PLAY...Chieftain QB Nathan King, right, cocks his arm to throw a pass in the Dalhart game. Daniel Wiseman gives protection, and Garland Buske is in the background. (ron carr photo)

their own 43-yard line.

King hit Grajeda over the middle, and the 200-pound Friona senior, who is a terror to bring down when he has a head of steam up, rambled all the way down to the Dalhart six, where he had the ball stripped loose, and the Wolves recovered inside their own ten yard line.

After holding and forcing a punt, the King to Grajeda passing combo worked again for 15 yards, to the Dalhart 45. Grajeda added another 18 yards with a thrust up the middle, and it seemed as though Friona was enroute to another score. But the team lost its second fumble in as many possessions, and Dalhart had halted the drive.

Friona forced the Wolves to punt from their own 10-yard-line as the first half was winding down. Bandy fielded the ball, and made a nice open-field run to near the DHS 10, but time expired on the play.

Dalhart received the second half kickoff, but somehow Friona came up with the ball, when DHS booted the ball around. The Chiefs were punting the ball away when Dalhart was flagged for a foul, and Grajeda's nine-yard burst set the team up at the Wolves' 19.

Two plays later, Joseph Bandy danced eight yards into the EZ for the second

Chiefs 26, Wolves 0

FHS	DHS	
16	First Downs	5
253	Net Yds. Rush	54
119	Net Yds. Pass	75
372	Tot. Net Yds.	129
10-6	Passes Comp.	9-6
0	Pass. Had Int.	0
4-2	Fumbles Lost	5-3
6-205	Punts, Yds.	5-165
34.2	Punt. Avg.	33.0
5-40	Penalties	5-35

FHS	12	0	12	2-26
DHS	0	0	0	0-0

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

1Q--Noel Grajeda, 19 run (Cook kick wide) 6-0; Joseph Bandy, 23 run (pass failed) 12-0.

3Q--Jos. Bandy, 8 run (kick failed) 18-0; Landon Martin, 20 pass from King (kick failed) 24-0.

4Q--Safety against Dalhart.

Player	Att	Yds	Avg.
Noel Grajeda	22	162	7.4
Joseph Bandy	13	86	6.6
Adam Bandy	4	12	3.0
Osw. Almaguer	1	9	9.0
Jesse Allen	1	3	3.0
Josh Burleson	1	2	2.0
Cason White	1	(-3)	(-3.0)
Nathan King	2	0	0.0
Team losses	3	(-18)	(-18)
Totals:	48	253	5.3

INDIVIDUAL PASSING

Player	A-C	Yds	T-I
Nathan King	10-6	119	1-0

INDIVIDUAL RECEIVING

Player	C	Yds	TD
Joseph Bandy	3	26	0
Noel Grajeda	2	73	0
Landon Martin	1	20	1

KICKOFF RETURNS

Joseph Bandy	1-20	20.0
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PUNT RETURNS

Joseph Bandy	2-29	14.5
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INDIVIDUAL PUNTING

Trent Cook	6-205	34.2
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District 2-AAA Standings

Through Games of Friday, Sept. 24

Team	Enroll.	Dist.	All Games	Pts-Opp.
Friona (374)	0-0	4-0	154-28	
Mulshoe (427)	0-0	3-1	112-41	
Littlefield (469)	0-0	3-1	103-84	
Cooper (541)	0-0	1-3	95-129	
Shallowater (359)	0-0	1-3	46-68	
Roosevelt (371)	0-0	0-4	12-192	

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

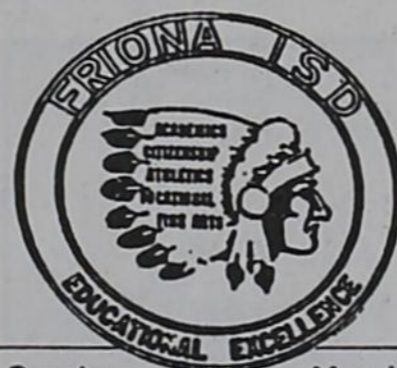
Friona 26; Dalhart 0; Littlefield 37, Lamesa 21; Tulia 13, Mulshoe 12; Shallowater 14, New Deal 12; Lubbock 42, Cooper 35; Sudan 61, Roosevelt 0.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

River Road at Friona; Mulshoe at Dimmitt; Slaton at Cooper; Brownfield at Littlefield; Shallowater at Abernathy; Roosevelt at Floydada.



SACK TIME...Landon Martin (22) is about to sack Dalhart QB Trent Cunningham in last Friday's game at Dalhart. Ready to help is Daniel Rosales (75) (ron carr photo)



- Student Holiday 11th
- HSPSAT Test (8:15) 12th
- Tribal Trails Cross
- Country Meet - Friona 16th
- UIL Marching Contest
- Amarillo - Dick Bivens 16th
- Progress Reports 19th
- TAAS Exit Tests - HS 26th 27th 28th

Friona I.S.D. Calendar of Events October, 1999

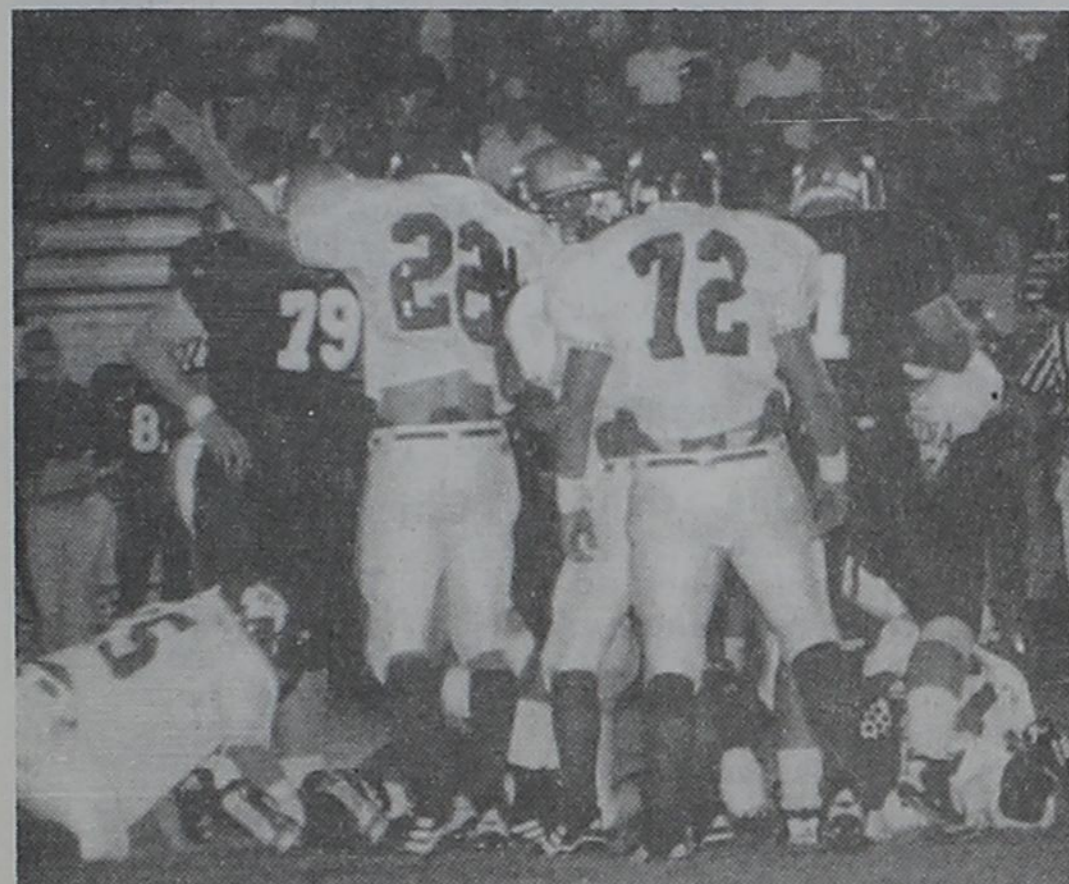
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 High Plains Literacy Day Homecoming Friona vs. River Road 7:30 Lions - Tailgate Party	2 Cross Country at Lubbock Jr. High Dance 8:00 - 10:00 P.M.
3	4	5 School Day Pictures - Jr. High & High School	6	7 Jr. High Pep Rally - 3:15 Jr. H. vs. Shallowater - H 5:30/7:00 JV. vs. Shallowater - T 5:30	8 Chieftains vs. Shallowater - Here 7:30	9 Cross Country WTAMU
10	11 Staff Development Instructional Assistants Student Holiday	12 Jr. meet with Herf Jones (Rings) PSAT Test (8:15) HS	13	14 Ring Orders Due Primary School Day Pictures Jr H vs. Roosevelt - There 5:30/7:00 JV vs Roosevelt - Here 5:30 First Grade Teachers Literacy Conference	15 Chieftains vs. Roosevelt - There - 7:30 Elem. School Day Pictures First Grade Teachers Literacy Conference	16 U.I.L. Marching Contest Amarillo - Dick Bivens Stadium Cross Country - Friona
17	18	19 Progress Reports Project R.E.D. 1 st Gr. 4:00-4:30 6:30-7:00 Kinder 3:15-3:45 7:00-7:30 Senior Pictures Lifetouch	20 Senior Pictures Lifetouch	21 Jr. H Pep Rally at 3:15 Jr. H. vs. Cooper - Here 5:30/7:00 JV. vs Cooper - There 5:30	22 First Grade to Panhandle Plains Museum Chieftains vs. Cooper - Here - 7:30 Sophomore Chill Supper	23
24	25 Red Ribbon Week	26 HS - TAAS Exit Test in Writing Technology Conf. (Service Center)	27 Picture Retakes Jr. High HS - TAAS Exit Test in Math	28 Jr. High Pep Rally 3:15 JV vs Mulshoe - There 5:00 Jr. High vs Mulshoe - H 5:30/7:00 TAAS Exit Test in Reading - HS	29 Jr. H. & HS Combined Band Marching Show Elem. Red Ribbon Homeroom Parties Living Christmas Tree Dinner School Day Picture Retakes HS & JH Var vs Mulshoe - H 7:30	30 Cross Country District Meet - Lubbock



RUNNING TO THE BALL...Members of the Chieftain varsity are shown making a defensive play against Dalhart last Friday. From the left are Matthew Mata (11), Daniel Rosales (75), Garland Buske (50), Charley Saiz (34) and Cason White (12). Friona muzzled the Wolves 26-0. ron carr photo



THE ROWDY CROWD was sporting new matching outfits in Dalhart last week. The matching pants represent flames because, at the t-shirts say, the Rowdy Crowd is Hot. ron carr photo



OUR BALL.....Senior defensive captain Landon Martin signals that the Chiefs recovered another fumble against the Dalhart Golden Wolves. Daniel Wiseman (72) looks on as the refs unravel the pile. ron carr photo

Eighth Grade Teams Win, Tie At Cooper

Friona's eighth grade Braves travelled to south Lubbock last Thursday, to meet Lubbock Cooper. The "White" team won their game over the young Pirates, 22-0. Offensive leaders were Brock Field, five carries for 95 yards; Jason Gutierrez carried 14 times for 72 yards; Juan Rivera had 38 yards in nine tries, and Fidel Gonzales added 25 yards on three attempts.

Leaders on defense included: tackles-Marc Haile 9, Juan Hernandez 7, Andy Vega 5, Fidel Gonzales 4, Steven Hunt, Beau Barnett, Jason Gutierrez and Juan Rivera, 3 each; Tyler Peace, Dustin Thompson, Hayes Jones, Field and Daniel Mullins, 2 each, and Jacob Dominguez, 1. Rivera also recorded a sack, and Hernandez recovered a fumble. The "Red" team tied their

game, 16-all. In seventh grade action, the "Red" Braves fell to Cooper, 14-8, and the "White" team was edged, 18-12.

Red team leaders were: rushing--Jacob Hoon 10-45; Willy Castillo 7-52; Michael King 1-12; Trey Widner 4-19. Receiving: Hoon 1-4; completions: King 1-4. Tackles: David Mendez, Jonahant Nava, 5 each; Leo Munoz, Chris Carillo, 4 ea.; Hoon, Derek Fairweather, 3 ea.; Matt Gammon, Ty Taylor and Castillo 2 ea.; Freddy Reyes, Oscar Norez, 1 each.

White team, rushing: Josh Shelby 9-60; Kyle Jamerson 3-4; Adrian Rivas 4-26. Tackles: Jose Beliz, Peter Carrasco, Orlando Bustos, 3 each; Jamerson, Chad Hutson, Dusty Stowers, Sergio Saenz, 2 ea.; Shelby, Richard London, Rivas, Michal Saiz, Oliver Loya, Will Hughes, 1 ea.

FHS' Cross-Country Season Underway

Friona High School's cross-country team has seen considerable action already this fall.

Last Saturday, the varsity boys and girls, plus the JV girls competed in the Amarillo Invitational Meet. Results were as follows:

Jena Grimsley placed third individual overall, with a time of 13:22. Lacye Presley came in 26th, with a time of 14:30. There were 115 competitors in the field.

On the JV girls' team, Jacy Grimsley and Holley Hand were Friona's first and second-place runners.

Chance Hutson was the boys' varsity's top runner,

with a time of 21:12, which placed him 44th overall, in a field of 82.

Earlier in the month, Jena Grimsley placed fourth in the Brownfield meet, with a time of 11:35. Felicia Lafuente placed 36th with a mark of 13:27.

Ashlee Hunt placed 40th, and Alice Allen 41st in the girls' JV division, with times just over 14 minutes.

Michael Carson placed 45th in the varsity division for the FHS boys, and Brian Wiseman was 14th for the JV, with a time of 20:31.

The teams will compete at Lubbock Saturday, in their biggest meet of the season.



CIRCLE THE WOLVES....This Dalhart Wolf has nowhere to go as the chiefs defense wraps him up good for no gain. Left is Matthew Mata (11). Daniel Wiseman (72) wraps him up. Josh Burleson (45) and Jesse Allen (7) help as linebacker Noel Grajeda directs traffic at right.

Meet Friona's Class of 2012



Schuler Underwood is a kindergartener at Friona Schools.

His parents are Roger Underwood and Sheri Young. Grandparents are Carl and Gail Bruegel, Don and Shirley Cornett, and Roy Dale Underwood.

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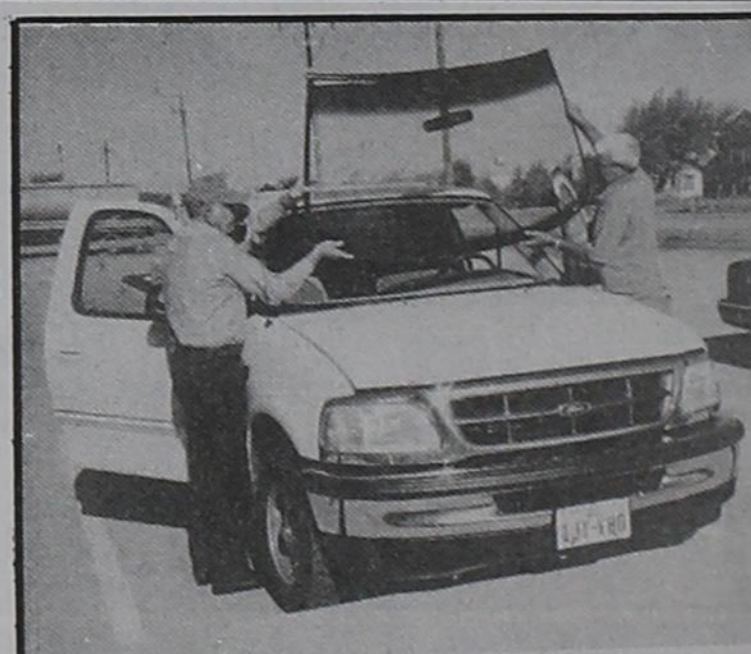
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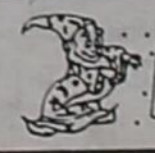


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Out Here By Ron Carr

"The United Slobs Of America"

(Warning: the following essay contains traces of sarcasm and other toxic words. Read at your own risk)

The Ryder Cup is staying in America.

They play it up in Brookline, Massachusetts. It is a golf match, not a rent truck race.

For reasons not quite clear to me the Ryder Cup seems to be the most important of all golf matches. It is played every two years between the Americans and the Europeans, although there are Spanish golfers that play. Two years ago the match was played in Spain. I guess Spain is in Europe, or somewhere.

You have to qualify to be a member of the American team, or else the team captain has to choose you to play.

This year's captain, Texan Ben Crenshaw, put up with some initial whining by his teammates who complained that they wouldn't be paid enough to waste their time playing. Some even threatened to not play (as though I would give a rip).

Like all other professional sports, pro golf is all about money. Ben said they should do it for America. Especially since America hadn't won the Ryder Cup (which is not yellow) since 1993.

They played the national anthem during opening ceremonies on Thursday. Now would be a good time to take another look at the

picture of some of America's golfers elsewhere on this page. We will discuss the picture in a few seconds.

Ryder Cup matches are 4-ball, 4-somes, and singles. The captain assigns players to the various matches. They play head-up with the Europeans and can either win, lose, or halve (tie) a hole. Losing a hole is not good. The side with the most wins and halves, wins.

Last Sunday, all our hopes and dreams and future rode on the shoulders of our team, who were 8 1/2 points behind beginning the final day.

In order for the American people to be able to proudly cross the bridge into the 21st century and enjoy all the benefits of the new millenium, our guys had to win. Anything less could make the Y2K problem pale by comparison.

Perhaps I over dramatize the situation a bit but you get the picture of how important this Ryder Cup is.

The U. S. managed to "win and halve" their way back into contention. Hope was alive as Justin Leonard faced a 45-foot birdie putt on number 17. His opponent, Jose Maria Olazabal (from Spain) had a 20-foot shot at birdie to win or halve.

Now see, for you non-golfers, golf is a gentleman's game. (Make that gentleman). It is a game of etiquette. You go first when you are farthest away from the hole. No noise allowed.

It is a game of concentration. Of course it

does help if you can make the clubhead meet the ball in the sweet spot, a talent which eludes most average golfers.

Anyway, Justin drilled the 45-footer. Drained it. Sank it. Right in the middle of the cup.

Immediately there ensued a whooping and hollering celebration, jumping up and down, that put an extra few thousand cleat marks on the green.

Jumping up and down and leaving unnecessary cleat marks on a green is another no-no in golf. People have had their country club memberships revoked for less.

The players, their wives or various female traveling companions jumped and hugged away. Trouble was, poor old Jose Maria still had his 20-foot putt to try for a halve on the hole.

Oops! We're sorry. Got carried away Jose. Go ahead. He missed. Game over. America wins.

The Europeans were incensed at the breach of etiquette. Golf protocol had been tossed aside. There is no hope for happiness in the new millenium now.

Among other headlines in London newspapers the next day was one that read, "The United Slobs of America", a not so flattering reference to our America golf players.

This is from a country whose soccer fan hooligans ruck, loot, set fires, and get drunk and terrorize. And that is before the soccer match begins.

Most American TV sportscasters I heard said that what the American golfers did was okay. They said so what, the Europeans did the same thing to us two years ago over there.

They said the guys were excited and emotional and that showing some emotion was exactly what golf needed anyway. So take that, Europe. We are America and we do whatever we want and if you don't like it you can just kiss our you know what!

Which brings me around to the picture. Notice anything troubling about it? I saw it in last Friday's



THE AMERICAN RYDER CUP team during the national anthem at the Ryder Cup opening ceremonies. Can you find the golfer that is not like the others? See Out Here for more.

Dallas Morning News and it caught my attention right away.

Tiger Woods is the only member of the Ryder Cup team who does not have his hand over his heart during the playing of the national anthem at the opening ceremonies of the Ryder Cup.

Do you think he just forgot? Is he protesting that he has to play in the match for no money?

Here is a young man that claims to be a role model, telling young people, especially young blacks, that they can aspire to be great

too. Tiger's daddy, Earl Woods, is an ex-Marine who married an Asian lady. Earl Woods is black but Tiger has been quick to point out that he is not black.

In his first major interview after turning pro and signing a \$40 million contract with Nike the same day, he listed about six different nationalities that he is made of.

His daddy Earl wrote a book which tells us all how to raise our own kids to be as great as Tiger. Youngsters of all races look up to Tiger Woods. Yet there he is ignoring the national anthem of the country that gave him

the opportunity to get rich and richer.

Thanks to Billy Jeff and Hill Rod and their leadership, we are in a period in America's history where rules, patriotism, integrity, etiquette, honesty and right or wrong don't seem to count for as much as they once did.

Today it's okay to do your own thing, make your own rules, lie when you need to, and put cleat marks anywhere you feel like it.

Ben Crenshaw apologized to the Europeans, but I don't think he really meant it. And Tiger? Well, guess he don't have to apologize for nuthin'!

God bless America!

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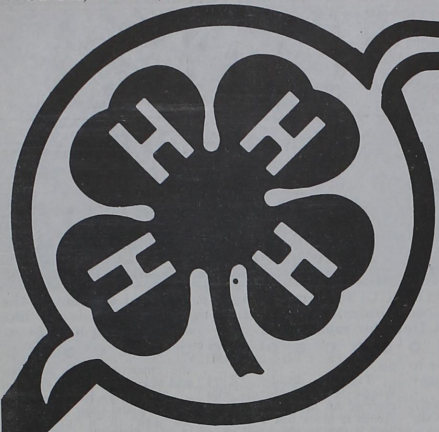


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Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Friona, Texas will meet in regular session at 7:30 P.M. on Monday, October 11, 1999 in the Council Chambers of Friona City Hall, 623 Main. The Council will consider adoption of an ordinance amending Ordinance 11-97 and Ordinance 3-92 of the City of Friona, Texas providing for an increase in the charges for water and sewer services. All interested parties are urged to attend. F-1tc-10/1

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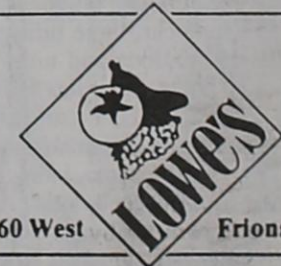
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D. Woody Completes Training

Navy Seaman Recruit David G. Woody, son of Jennifer C. and step-son of Jimmy P. Gonzales of Friona, recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Illinois.

During the eight-week program, Woody completed a variety of training which included classroom study and practical instruction on naval customs, first aid, fire fighting, water safety and survival and shipboard and aircraft safety. An emphasis is also placed on physical fitness.

Woody and other recruits also received instruction on the Navy's core values-honor, courage and commitment-and how to apply them in their military performance and personal conduct. Woody joins 55,000 men and women who will enter the Navy this year from all over the country.

Men and women train together from their first day in the Navy just as they do aboard ships and at shore commands around the world. To reinforce the team concept, Woody and other recruits also were trained in preventing sexual harassment and ensuring equal opportunity.

Even as the naval service gets smaller over the next few years, highly motivated young people like Woody are still finding an opportunity to improve their knowledge and education as they become part of the most highly technical naval force in history. This year alone the Navy will have more than 57,000 job openings and opportunities which include guaranteed training.

He is a 1999 graduate of Friona High School.

Modern Study Club Met Here September 21

The Modern Study Club met September 21, 1999 at the Friona Federated Women's Clubhouse at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by President Mary Johnston. Pledges to the U.S. and Texas Flags were repeated by the members and guests.

Piano music was provided by Ashlee Hunt, "Sweet Hour of Prayer" and "The Rose." Program director Elizabeth Gore introduced her daughter, Carolyn de Bie of Texarkana, Texas, who brought an interesting and informative program on "Forests: a Global Resource."

The purpose of the program was to help us understand forestry as a vital part of the world economy and ecology. Carolyn is employed by Georgia Pacific Paper Company.

Meeting adjourned with the recitation of the club collect led by Mary Johnston. Refreshments were served by Eva Miller and Gerry Taylor to twelve members and guests: Bryon Gore, Carolyn de Bie, Lewis Gore, Roy Miller, Ashlee Hunt, Charles Turner, Jim Johnston, Tommie Mercer, and Dave Thompson.



CLEANUP ACTIVITIES....Friona Girl Scouts met Saturday at the Girl Scout House for their annual cleanup. Shown above are: (top left) Jennifer Kendrick and Kimberlee Jones; (top right) Stephenie Jones and Paula Gonzalez; (bottom) Lacye Lookingbill and Jessie London.

Local Girl Scouts Have Housecleaning Saturday

About a dozen girls, parents and troop leaders were present Saturday to clean up the Girl Scout House.

Registration for the 1999-2000 year will be Monday, October 4 from 5:00-6:30 at the Girl Scout House, 704 Ashland. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served. Girls need to bring \$7.00 and their parents.

Leaders are needed for Brownies, so if you are interested in becoming a leader, call Pam Kendrick at 250-2158 or Melanie London, 250-3741. Divisions include: Daisies, kindergarten; Brownies, first, second and third graders; juniors, fourth, fifth and sixth graders; Cadettes, seventh, eighth and ninth graders; and seniors, tenth, eleventh and twelfth graders.

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C. Hanna Enrolled In Sea Program

Chris Hanna a 1995 Friona High School graduate is currently enrolled in the Fall 1999 Semester at SEA Program. Semester at Sea is an international study program that takes approximately 600 students around the world each semester. Chris is the son of Bryan and Kandy Hanna formerly of Friona.

This current semester the university community aboard the *S.S. Universe Explorer* will visit Japan, Hong Kong, Vietnam, Malaysia, India, Egypt, Turkey, Croatia, Italy and Morocco. The semester will begin on September 14, 1999 sailing from Vancouver, British Columbia and will end in Miami, Florida on December 23, 1999.

Russ Sheltons Have A Boy

Russ and Emily Shelton are the parents of a baby boy born Thursday, September 23 at 9:15 p.m. in Greeley, Colorado.

Named Austin Michael, the new arrival weighed eight pounds, seven ounces and was twenty-two inches long.

He has an older sister, Madeline, 3-1/2 years old.

Grandparents are Richard and Carol Loftis and Jerry and Darla Shelton.

Great-grandparents are Maybrian Rhodes and the late O.C. Rhodes and Luther Shelton and the late Thelma Ruth Shelton.



STUDENTS OF THE MONTH at FHS were, l-r, freshman Holley Hand, sophomore Frank Dominguez, junior Josh Burleson, and senior Sergio Pena.



BIOMES....Students in Don Herbert's 6th grade science class have been studying the atmosphere and environment. Using cardboard boxes and ingenuity they have created biomes displayed in the hallway. Shown are students Jerry Manriquez and Dollie Lookingbill. For more info in the project parents can log on to www.mobot.org/MBGnet.

"Water Wise" Activities Teach Students To Be Conservative

Approximately 792 fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh grade students in the Canyon, Friona, Lubbock, Lubbock-Cooper and Plainview Independent School Districts now know more about water and the importance of water conservation after completing the Learning To Be Water Wise urban water conservation education program sponsored by the High Plains Water District.

The High Plains Water District board of directors has authorized continuation of the education program for the 1999-2000 academic year. This is the fourth year that the program has been made available to students in selected school districts within the Water District's 15-county service area. The City of Lubbock Water Utilities and Excel Corporation served as co-sponsors for the 1998-99 program within the Lubbock and Plainview Independent School Districts, respectively.

The Learning To Be Water Wise program is designed to encourage water conservation through hands-on experience and classroom education.

With adult help, students install free high-efficiency bathroom faucet aerators, and high-efficiency showerheads in their homes and conduct home audits that allow them to determine the amount of water normally used each day in the shower, bathtub, toilet and bathroom sink.

The Water Wise program consists of three units: Getting Wise About Water, Water In The Home and Water In The Community.

In the first unit, students learn about the hydrologic cycle and the amount of fresh water available for worldwide use. The second unit involves the actual installation of the high-efficiency faucet aerators and showerheads. The final unit teaches students about water at work, water for recreation, water quality issues and water recycling.

The Water Wise program conforms to both TAAS and TEKS educational standards. In addition, it is flexible enough to allow teachers to

"customize" their programs by adding other student activities.

For example, Friona Elementary School instructor Pamela Pauling made arrangements for her fifth grade students to tour the city's million gallon water tank, which was drained for cleaning. It took eighteen students head-to-toe to fit across the tank and it took 56 kids holding hands to go all the way around the tank. In addition, she encouraged students to participate in a water art session, including finger painting and tie-dye. Her classes also participated in a Water Olympics activity.

To understand water quality, instructor Cindy Barr at Arnett Elementary School in Lubbock had her fourth grade students irrigate beans with vinegar, soapy water, salt water and fresh water to see which bean germinated first and grew best.

Students in Beverly Day's classes at Hardwick Elementary School in Lubbock made a water conservation quilt that associated each letter of the alphabet with a water conservation topic. (For example, "aquifer" for the letter "A," and "legislation" for the letter "L.")

Students also enjoy the Living Wise CD-ROM game included in their kits. It allows students to tour a virtual home and implement the best water and energy conservation practices available.

"The Water Wise program reinforces the District's belief that water conservation is best accomplished through public education. Based upon student and teacher feedback,

this curriculum creates awareness and practical ways to accomplish water conservation," said Carmon McCain, High Plains Water District information/education director.

Additional information about the program is available by contacting Carmon McCain or Brandy Reed at (806)762-0181. Learning To Be Water Wise information may also be found on the Water District's web page (www.hpwd.com) which includes a link to the Water Wise home page (www.getwise.org).



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Meet Friona's Class of 2012



Amber Roberson is a kindergartener at Friona Schools.

Her parents are Randall and Stormi Roberson. Grandparents are Martha Mars and Bettye Roberson.

She likes swimming, watching Cartoon Network, and kindergarten.

Her favorite foods are pizza, macaroni and cheese, and green bean. Her favorite color is

Sponsored by: purple.

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M. Hardin Graduates

Degrees were officially conferred on 268 West Texas A&M University graduates at the August 19 commencement ceremonies.

The graduating class represented seven states and 57 cities and towns in Texas.

Melissa D. Hardin, daughter of Bill and Ruthie Hardin of Friona, graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Animal Science.

END OF GAME NOTICE

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Come October 31, 1999, three Texas Lottery instant games will close - Double Blackjack, BUCKS 'N TRUCKS and Fire Ant Fever. You have until April 28, 2000, to redeem any winning tickets for these games. You can win up to \$21,000 playing Double Blackjack, a Dodge Ram 1500 Special Edition playing BUCKS 'N TRUCKS and up to \$25,000 playing Fire Ant Fever. You can claim prizes of up to \$599 at any Texas Lottery retailer. Prizes of \$600 or more are redeemable at one of the 24 Texas Lottery claim centers or by mail. Questions? Just call the Texas Lottery Customer Service Line at 1-800-37-LOTTO (1-800-375-6886).



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FB Contest Standings

Here are the point standings after Week Four of the football contest.

Listed are total points accrued by those contestants who turned in an entry in Week Four.

53-Mark Neill
52-Raul Santillan, Mark Zachary
50-Jerry Hinkle, Mal Manchee, Lisa Reed, Enrique Rodriguez, Shirley Steinbock, Don Max Vars
49-Raul Brailiff, Courtney Carthel, Cindy Carthel, Thomas Reed
48-Nathan Haile, Landon Martin, Glen Morton, Dean Sasser, Ron Smiley
47-Jo Blackwell, Scottie Brown, Andy Carthel, Colby Carthel, Roger Fields, Danny Guerra, Sr., Mike Hutson, Mac McFarland, Rusty McFarland, Jimmy Walker, Veca White, Bobby Wied, Kevin Wiseman
46-Jennifer Gonzales, Clint Mears, Larry Rogers, Joseph Ryan, Max Steinbock, Mark Walker
45-Carroll Cook, Dana Jameson, Myrtle Melton, Tyson Neill, Mickey Pena, Leslee Redwine, Casey Williams
44-Wayne Amstutz, Jayson Blouch, Lana Bracken, John Seright, Rodney Shelby, Mitch Smiley
43-Claire Brown, Tim Elmore, Eddie Gauna, Donita

Martin, Kelby Monroe, Aubrey Parson, Don Spring, Francisco Torres

42-Scott Brown, Raymond Delgado, Shirley Fangman, Jon Field, Wayne Grenko, Jim Johnston, Ernest Mills, Joy Morton

41-Ronald Diaz, Scott Fangman, Daniel Hernandez, Hoon Bros, Randall Roberson

40-John Crozier, Dennis Field, Carmella Hernandez, Dario Hernandez, Ray Stanley

39-Teddy Fangman, Harroll Redwine, Eufemia Torres

38-Sally Puttman
37-Steve Gartin, Juan Hernandez, Leola Summerlin

36-Cody Bracken, Ky Graham, Martha Rodriguez

35-Richard Dickson
34-Martha Clements
33-Charla Chesher, Andy Stormes

32-Rhonda Crozier, Evelyn Shelby
31-Paul Ortiz, Quentin Shelby

29-Celia Loflin, Ben Weatherly

28-Jared Boyd
25-David Woody
24-Mike Nichols

22-Raymond Delgado
17-Matt Messer
12-Laura Field
10-Larry Johnston

8-Velta Anderson, Ross Ryan Paiz

Happy Birthday

Week of October 3-9
Friona residents having birthdays next week include:

October 3--Sarah Schueler, Joe Mann, Sally Osborn, Whatley, Marlene Mueller, Danny Guerra, Danny Guerra Sr., Lanis Graham, Jackie Martin, Darlene Swinney, Janis Polson, Jane Huddle.

October 4--John Robert Schueler, Amelia Rankin, Leslee Floyd, Darrell Auburg, Joseph Ryan, Travis Graves, Coy Jameson, Eloy Caballero, Allan Haile, Winifred Hurst.

October 5--Fred Florez, Gay Tannahill, Ruth Harguess, J.R. Varner, Clayton Dean Smiley.

October 6--Kit Preston, Jennifer Stell, Shain Clark, Amanda Gerias.

October 7--Laura Brockman, Roy V. Miller, Dr. David McFarland, Lory Hand, Wilma Moseley.

October 8--Shannon R. Jones, Debra Grable, Ryan

Randolph, Angelic Flores.
October 9--Frank Spring, Melody Lamb, Betty Lamb, Glenda Nixon, Gabrielle Rule.

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, call the Friona Star office at 250-2211 and report it.

Hospital Report

(Following is a list of local residents who had been admitted to hospitals during the past week, as we have been made aware of their situations. If you have a loved one you would like to have listed, please call the Friona Star office, 250-2211, by Wednesday noon in order to list their names) * * *

Baptist/St. Anthony's, Amarillo: Harvey Shapley.

Parmer Co. Community Hospital: C. L. Lillard.

YOUR EYES

Contacts Just For The Fun Of It

Contact lens wear is serious business. Contacts can provide clear vision and comfortable, convenient, safe wear. But they have another side. Wearing contact lenses can be fun.

Contacts have always had a certain cosmetic appeal. Nearly invisible, they allow the natural beauty of the eyes to shine through. Now more wearers are turning to colored contacts to enhance or change their eye color. Colored contacts have become such a popular fashion accessory that many are worn by people who have 20/20 vision. Why? Because it's fun.

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But how about your financial health? Are you taking similar measures to preserve its well-being? You should, and you can start by conducting an annual financial "checkup."

How should you go about performing this checkup? Start by setting aside a special time each year to meet with your financial professional to review your progress. And when you get together, ask questions similar to the following:

1. Do changes in the financial markets require a change in some of my investments? You don't want to adjust your portfolio just because the market is up or down. But you may want to make adjustments if your goals change or if your portfolio has gotten out of balance. For example, if you own a lot of stocks, and their prices have gone up substantially as part of the prolonged bull market, then more of your portfolio's value than you intended may be in stocks.

2. How have my stocks, bonds, mutual funds and other investments performed in comparison to similar investments? Ask your financial professional to compare your individual investment returns against appropriate benchmarks.

3. Are there changes in my personal circumstances that would affect my investments? If you switch jobs, get married, have a baby, receive a pension plan distribution, or retire, you may well need to change your investment goals and your investments.

4. Am I making the right moves with my retirement plans? Are you contributing as much as you can to your 401(k)? Are you fully funding your "traditional" IRA or Roth IRA? If you're self-employed, are you putting enough away into your Keogh or SEP? Ask your investment professional to run some computerized projections of your retirement savings. If you're not on track toward meeting your goals, you may need to make some changes.

5. Am I adequately protecting my family and my income? Adequate insurance is a key ingredient of a comprehensive financial plan. Do you have enough life insurance to protect your family in case something happens to you? Do you have disability coverage to make up for any income that might be lost due to an accident or extended illness? Do you have long-term care coverage to protect your life savings from the potentially catastrophic costs of a long stay in a nursing home?

6. Should I be doing some estate planning? It's never too early to start doing estate planning. Parents should draw up a will or a living trust to provide for their minor children. And people in or near retirement should position their estates to spare their heirs from having to pay heavy estate taxes.

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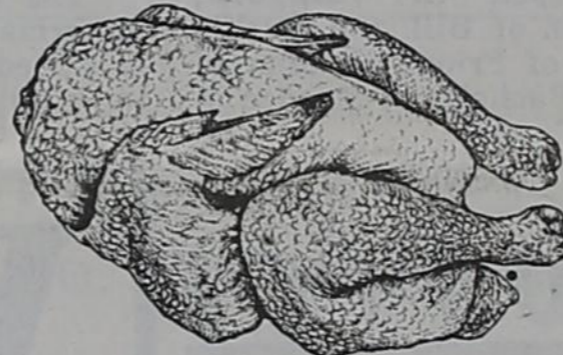


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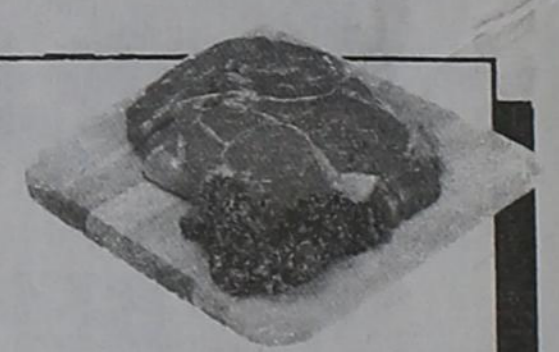


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